



## Supplementary Materials: An FTIR microspectroscopy ratiometric approach for monitoring X-ray irradiation effects on SH-SY5Y human neuroblastoma cells

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**Table S1.** Fourier transform infrared (FTIR) peaks observed in the spectrum of control cells, with assignments in accordance with the data reported in the literature [10,12,13,39,44]. Abbreviations: as = asymmetric, s = symmetric, v = stretching,  $\delta$  = bending, sc = scissoring, vbr = vibration, a. a. = free amino acids. The indicated position of every peak is the center of the relative Lorentzian function obtained from the deconvolution fit.

Peak		ASSIGNMENT		
cm⁻¹	DNA/RNA	Protein	Lipid	Carbohydrate
3438				Ο-Η ν
3296		Amide A (–N–H ν)		Ο-Η ν
3159		–NH3 <sup>+</sup> as. ν (a. a.)		
2955		CH <sub>3</sub> as. N	CH <sub>3</sub> as. $\nu$	
2922			$CH_2$ as. $\nu$	
2870		CH <sub>3</sub> s. v	CH₃ s. v	
2851			CH2 s. v	
1652		Amide I (C=Ο ν, C-N ν)		
1553		Amide II (C–N ν, C–NH δ, α-helix)		
1527		Amide II (C–N ν, C–NH δ, β-structure)		
1455		CH <sub>3</sub> as. δ, CH <sub>2</sub> sc.	CH3 as. δ, CH2 sc.	
1396		COO <sup>-</sup> s. v		
1246	PO₂ <sup>-</sup> as. N	С–О–Р v		
1082	PO2 <sup>-</sup> s. ν	С-О-Р v		

y 10 Gy

Control	Assignments	2 Gy	4 Gy	6 Gy	8 Gy	10 Gy
Peak		Peak	Peak	Peak	Peak	Peak
(cm <sup>-1</sup> )		(cm <sup>-1</sup> )				
1617	Antiparallel β-sheets	1617	1618 (+1)	1617	1618 (+1)	1619 (+2)
$%A = 4.6 \pm 0.3$		$%A = 7.4 \pm 0.3$	$%A = 8.0 \pm 0.6$	$%A = 7.2 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 10.0 \pm 1.6$	$%A = 11.8 \pm 1.2$
1626	Parallel β-sheets	1627 (+1)	1627	1627	1628 (+1)	1628 (+1)
$%A = 8.1 \pm 0.8$		$%A = 10.8 \pm 0.3$	$%A = 9.3 \pm 1.2$	$%A = 9.4 \pm 1.0$	$%A = 9.9 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 9.8 \pm 0.7$
1635	Parallel β-sheets	1637 (+2)	1637 (+2)	1637 (+2)	1638 (+3)	1638 (+3)
$%A = 13.2 \pm 1.0$		$%A = 17.7 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 18.6 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 23.3 \pm 0.9$	$%A = 18 \pm 3$	$%A = 18.1 \pm 1.2$
1647	Unordered	1647	1647	1649	1647	1648
$%A = 25.7 \pm 1.0$		$%A = 17.0 \pm 1.7$	$%A = 19.5 \pm 0.6$	$%A = 19.0 \pm 1.0$	$%A = 15 \pm 2$	$%A = 20.2 \pm 1.1$
1661	α-helix	1659 (-2)	1660 (-1)	1660 (-1)	1658 (-3)	1660 (-1)
$%A = 26.8 \pm 0.9$		$%A = 19.7 \pm 0.3$	$%A = 20.1 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 14.9 \pm 0.7$	$%A = 22.7 \pm 1.0$	$%A = 20.8 \pm 1.4$
1674	β –turn	1672 (-2)	1673 (-1)	1671 (-3)	1672 (-2)	1675 (+1)
$%A = 10.7 \pm 0.5$		$%A = 14.8 \pm 1.2$	$%A = 15.5 \pm 0.4$	$%A = 13.4 \pm 0.5$	$%A = 15.0 \pm 1.3$	$%A = 13.6 \pm 0.6$
1686	β –turn	1685 (-1)	1687 (+1)	1684 (-2)	1686	1688 (+2)
$%A = 6.9 \pm 0.4$		$%A = 7.2 \pm 0.7$	$%A = 5.5 \pm 0.4$	$%A = 9.7 \pm 0.9$	$%A = 6.7 \pm 0.6$	$%A = 3.6 \pm 0.8$
1697	Antiparallel β-sheets (weak)	1698 (+1)	1698 (+1)	1699 (+2)	1698 (+1)	1698 (+1)
$%A = 3.4 \pm 0.3$		$%A = 4.5 \pm 0.3$	$%A = 3.0 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 2.6 \pm 0.3$	$%A = 2.0 \pm 1.0$	$%A = 1.7 \pm 0.4$

**Table S2.** Amide I deconvolution results for control and irradiated sample fixed immediately after irradiation, with assignments in accordance with the data reported in the literature [37–39]; the ratio between the secondary structures peaks area and the area of the entire Amide I peak, as a percentage, are reported in the table.

Control	Assignments	2 Gy	4 Gy	6 Gy	8 Gy	10 Gy
Peak		Peak	Peak	Peak	Peak	Peak
(cm <sup>-1</sup> )		(cm <sup>-1</sup> )				
1619	Antiparallel β-sheets	1619	1618 (-1)	1620 (+1)	1619	1617 (-2)
$%A = 12.3 \pm 0.7$	·	$%A = 10.5 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 8.3 \pm 0.5$	$%A = 12.7 \pm 0.7$	$%A = 9.8 \pm 0.5$	$%A = 8.3 \pm 1.9$
1628	Parallel β-sheets	1629 (+1)	1628	1630 (+2)	1629 (+1)	1626 (-2)
$%A = 13.4 \pm 0.5$		$%A = 10.6 \pm 1.4$	$%A = 8.7 \pm 1.2$	$%A = 14.1 \pm 0.6$	$%A = 12.7 \pm 0.3$	$%A = 11.9 \pm 1.9$
1639	Parallel β-sheets	1639	1640 (+1)	1641 (+2)	1639	1635 (-4)
$%A = 19.1 \pm 0.4$	·	$%A = 22.7 \pm 1.7$	$%A = 28 \pm 3$	$%A = 20.8 \pm 1.6$	$%A = 19.5 \pm 0.4$	$%A = 16.5 \pm 1.0$
1650	Unordered	1650	1652 (+2)	1651 (+1)	1651 (+1)	1647 (-3)
$%A = 20.30 \pm 0.12$		$%A = 19.9 \pm 0.3$	$%A = 18.8 \pm 1.2$	$%A = 18.2 \pm 1.4$	$%A = 20.8 \pm 0.2$	$%A = 22.4 \pm 1.1$
1662	$\alpha$ -helix	1662	1663 (+1)	1662	1662	1659 (-3)
$%A = 17.0 \pm 0.2$		$%A = 17.0 \pm 0.2$	$%A = 16.1 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 16.4 \pm 0.9$	$%A = 17.8 \pm 0.3$	$%A = 26.0 \pm 0.5$
1673	β –turn	1673	1674 (+1)	1673	1674 (+1)	1675 (+2)
$%A = 9.4 \pm 0.2$		%A = 10.44 ± 0.07	$%A = 10.7 \pm 0.6$	$%A = 7.5 \pm 0.4$	$%A = 10.0 \pm 0.4$	$%A = 7.8 \pm 0.2$
1682	β –turn	1683 (+1)	1683 (+1)	1681 (-1)	1683 (+1)	1684 (+2)
$%A = 4.3 \pm 0.2$		$%A = 5.3 \pm 0.6$	$%A = 4.3 \pm 0.8$	$%A = 4.7 \pm 0.7$	$%A = 3.8 \pm 0.4$	$\% A = 5.0 \pm 0.7$
1692	Antiparallel β-sheets (weak)	1695 (+3)	1695 (+3)	1690 (-2)	1693 (+1)	1696 (+4)
$%A = 3.5 \pm 0.4$		$%A = 3.4 \pm 0.2$	$%A = 4.3 \pm 0.6$	$%A = 4.9 \pm 1.0$	$%A = 4.7 \pm 0.2$	$%A = 2.0 \pm 0.6$

**Table S3.** Amide I deconvolution results for control and irradiated sample fixed 24 h after irradiation, with assignments in accordance with the data reported in the literature [37–39]; the ratio between the secondary structures peaks area and the area of the entire Amide I peak, as a percentage, are reported in the table.



Low Density

Scale Bar = 100µm High Density

Scale Bar = 100µm

Figure S1. SH-SY5Y cells at different culture density (ATCC, American type culture collection).



**Figure S2.** Micrograph at 10× magnification of SH-SY5Y cells control sample adherent to the MirrIR slide. A cell cluster is visible in the brighter area that is manually selected for collecting the signal for Fourier transform infrared (FTIR) spectroscopy.