

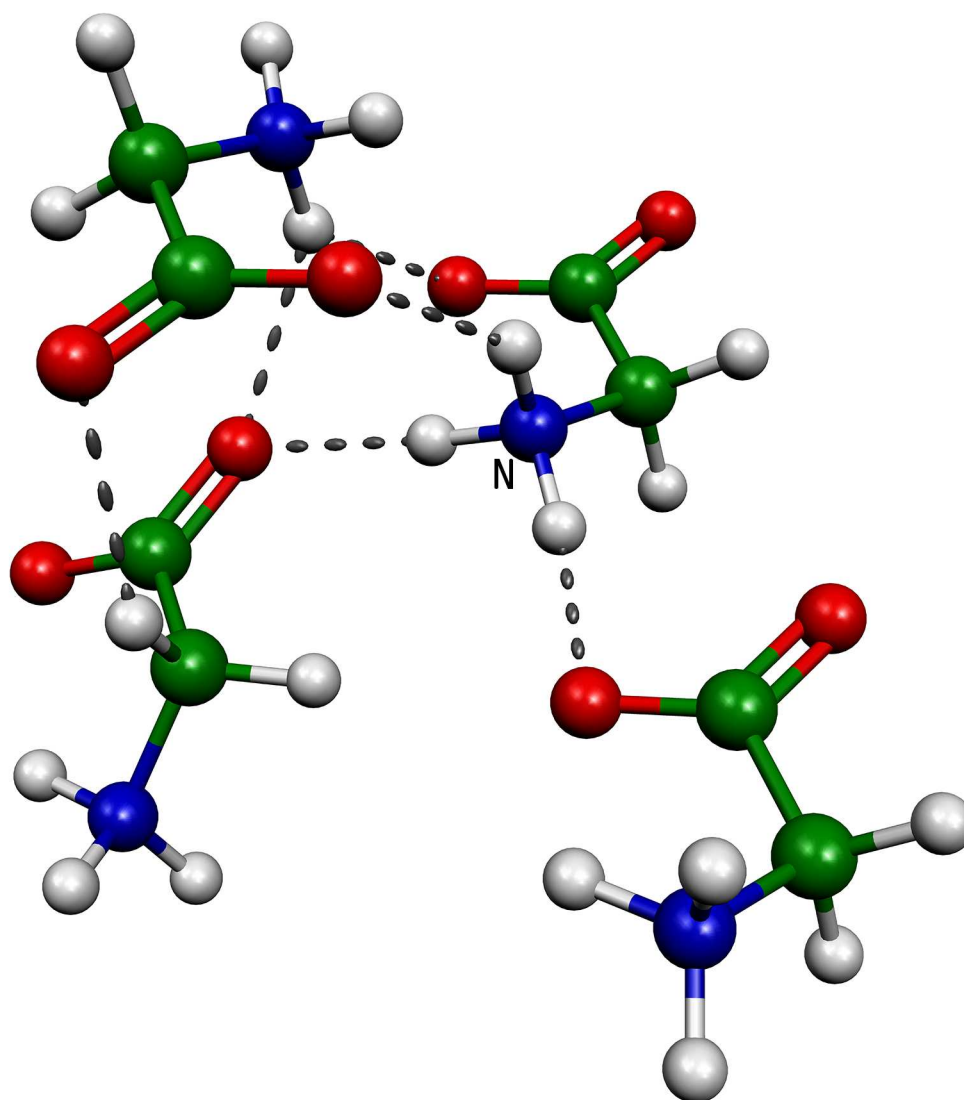
Supporting information for

**Understanding the NMR Chemical Shifts for 6-Halopurines:  
Role of Structure, Solvent and Relativistic Effects.**

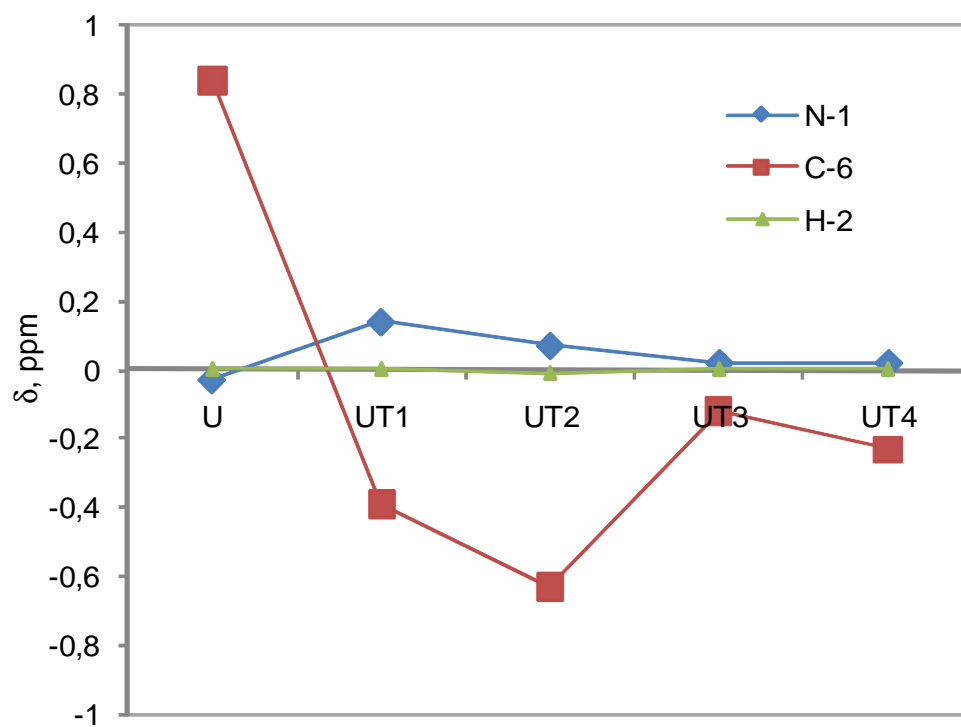
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**Figure S1.** X-ray structure of  $\alpha$ -glycine<sup>[1]</sup> with optimised positions of hydrogen atoms at the B3LYP/6-31G(d) level of theory (Gaussian03) used as a secondary reference structure for chemical shift calculations of  $\delta(^{15}\text{N})$ . Color code: N blue, O red, C green, H white<sup>[2]</sup>.



**Figure S2.** Basis-set convergence of the relativistic contribution to the chemical shifts ( $\delta$ , ppm) N-1, C-6 and H-2 for structure **3c** at the BLYP/HIII(FIII) level. The data are shown as deviations from the results obtained with the contracted HIII basis set. U—uncontracted, UT1—uncontracted with one set of tight functions added, etc.

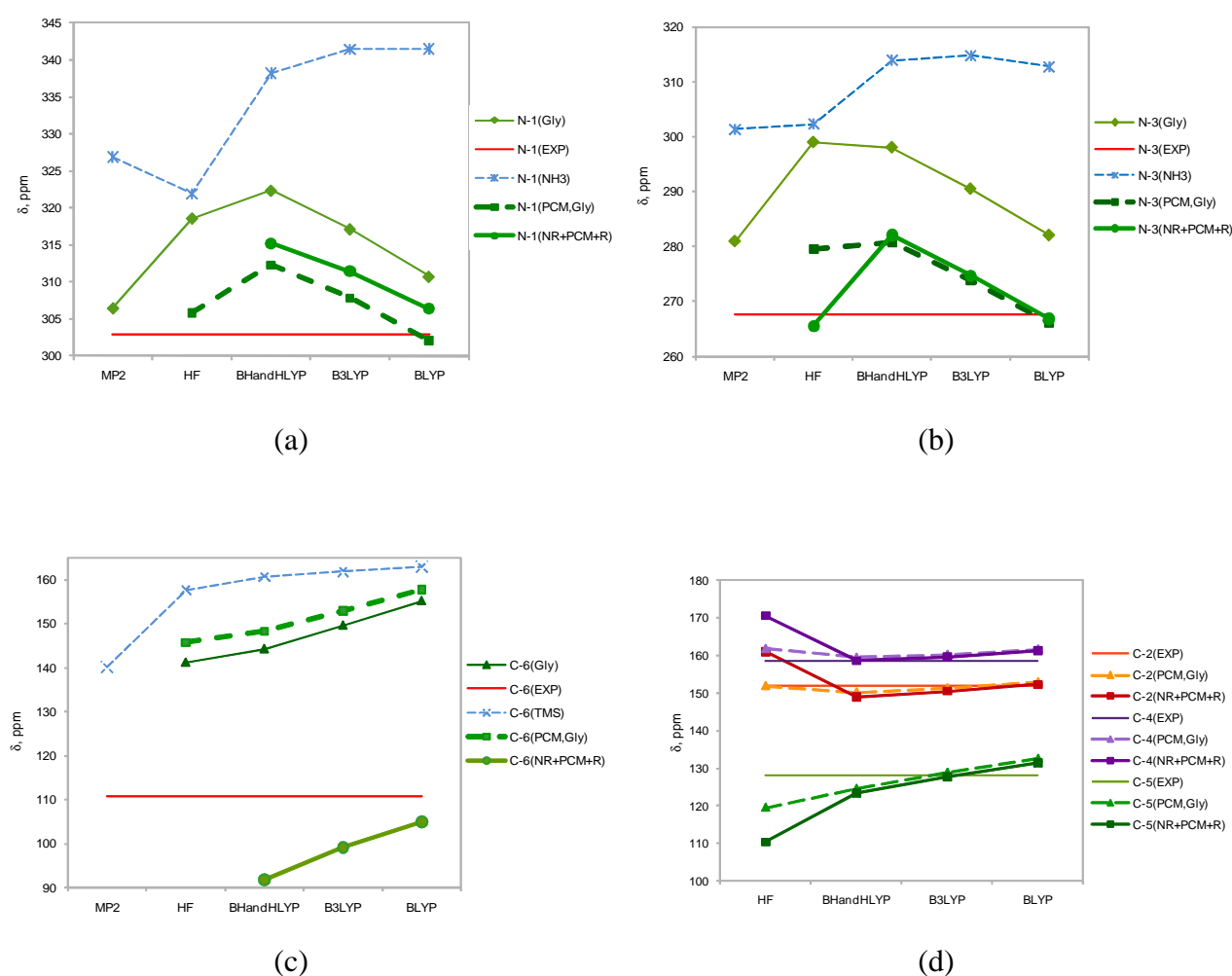


**Table S1.** Relativistic corrections to the chemical shifts ( $\delta$ , ppm) for compound **4c** calculated at the BLYP/HIII(FIII) level using Breit-Pauli perturbation theory.<sup>a</sup>

Term type	Term	N-1	N-3	C-2	C-4	C-5	C-6
FO	con	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	dip	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	d-ke	0.09	-0.14	0.10	0.00	0.13	0.12
	p-OZ	0.06	-0.12	0.07	0.00	0.09	0.08
SOS	p-ke/OZ	-0.52	-0.13	-0.26	-0.12	-0.32	-0.33
	p/OZ-KE	-0.19	0.44	-0.17	0.01	-0.23	-0.22
	d/mv	-0.05	-0.12	-0.03	-0.06	-0.08	-0.22
	d/Dar	0.06	0.17	0.02	0.06	0.08	0.20
SOT	FC/SZ-KE	0.01	0.00	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.05
	SD/SZ-KE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	FC-II(1)	-0.04	0.14	-0.04	0.00	-0.03	-0.04
	SD-II(1)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOS	p/mv	-0.59	-1.63	-0.77	-1.19	-0.36	7.65
	p/Dar	0.40	1.78	1.06	0.94	0.14	-4.31
TOT(1el.SO)	FC-I(1)	5.41	-0.61	-2.14	-0.45	0.44	-56.77
	SD-I(1)	0.52	1.28	0.75	0.48	-0.03	0.19
TOT(2el.SO)	FC-I(2)	0.03	0.07	0.03	0.01	-0.19	1.85
	SD-I(2)	-0.08	0.01	-0.05	-0.06	-0.02	-0.06
<b>Total</b>		5.14	1.14	-1.40	-0.37	-0.33	-51.80

<sup>a</sup> See footnotes in Table 8 of the main paper.

**Figure S3.** Solvent effect as well as relativistic contributions to the chemical shifts ( $\delta$ , ppm) for (a) N-1, (b) N-3, (c) C-6 and (d) C-2, C-4, C-5 of compound **3c** at different levels of theory, and comparison with the experimental values. (NH<sub>3</sub>) and (TMS) denote chemical shifts referenced to NH<sub>3</sub> or TMS, (Gly) calculated chemical shifts referenced to  $\alpha$ -glycine secondary standard, (PCM, Gly) calculated chemical shifts with PCM<sub>DMSO</sub> and referenced to  $\alpha$ -glycine, (NR+PCM+R) total chemical shifts with PCM<sub>DMSO</sub> and referenced to  $\alpha$ -glycine, with the relativistic contribution included, (EXP) experimental values (represented by horizontal lines in the panels). The HF(BPPT) data for N-1, C-6 were not calculated, and the MP2 data for C-4 and C-6 were not computationally accessible.



**Table S2a.** Solvent effect to the chemical shifts ( $\delta$ , ppm) in explicit (+2DMSO, +3DMSO – number of the included solvent molecules, see Figure S4) and implicit (PCM) solvent models of compound **3a** at BLYP/HIII//B3LYP/6-31G(d),aug-cc-pVTZ(Cl) level.

	Gas phase	+2DMSO <sup>a</sup>		+3DMSO <sup>a</sup>		PCM <sup>c</sup>	Exp.
	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\Delta^b$	$\delta$	$\Delta^b$		
<b>N-1</b>	286.40	287.58	1.18	284.85	-1.55	277.96	276.6
<b>N-3</b>	287.13	276.18	-10.95	281.83	-5.30	270.59	271.5
<b>N-7</b>	145.62	147.08	1.46	146.54	0.91	154.65	156.4
<b>N-9</b>	265.30	255.18	-10.12	255.58	-9.72	248.16	247.6
<b>C-2</b>	153.53	158.24	4.71	159.73	6.20	153.53	151.77
<b>C-4</b>	165.26	164.34	-0.92	164.82	-0.44	164.79	161.68
<b>C-5</b>	123.93	123.94	0.01	123.36	-0.58	124.90	122.00
<b>C-6</b>	151.86	152.19	0.33	151.42	-0.44	153.43	142.19
<b>C-8</b>	145.32	152.43	7.10	152.94	7.62	149.95	151.31

<sup>a</sup> C<sub>s</sub> symmetry imposed

<sup>b</sup>  $\Delta$  = DMSO - gas phase

<sup>c</sup> PCM values from the main paper

**Table S2b.** Solvent effect to the chemical shifts ( $\delta$ , ppm) in explicit (+2DMSO, +3DMSO – number of the included solvent molecules, see Figure S4) and implicit (PCM) solvent models of compound **3a** at BLYP/HIII (PCM)// B3LYP/6-31G(d),aug-cc-pVTZ(Cl) level.

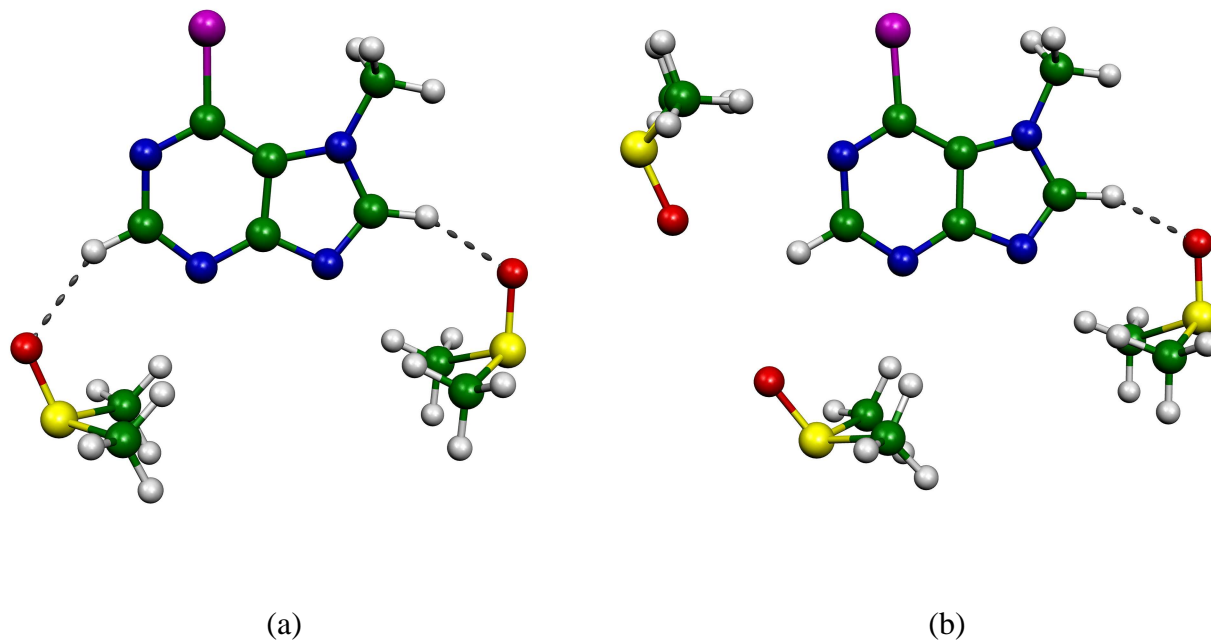
	Gas phase	+2DMSO <sup>a</sup> + PCM		+3DMSO <sup>a</sup> + PCM		PCM <sup>c</sup>	Exp.
	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\Delta^b$	$\delta$	$\Delta^b$		
<b>N-1</b>	286.40	276.64	-9.76	281.27	-5.13	277.96	276.6
<b>N-3</b>	287.13	274.43	-12.70	277.35	-9.78	270.59	271.5
<b>N-7</b>	145.62	154.78	9.16	154.39	8.77	154.65	156.4
<b>N-9</b>	265.30	250.76	-14.54	250.90	-14.40	248.16	247.6
<b>C-2</b>	153.53	155.54	2.01	155.29	1.76	153.53	151.77
<b>C-4</b>	165.26	164.48	-0.78	164.49	-0.77	164.79	161.68
<b>C-5</b>	123.93	125.43	1.50	125.07	1.14	124.90	122.00
<b>C-6</b>	151.86	152.35	0.49	152.91	1.05	153.43	142.19
<b>C-8</b>	145.32	154.24	8.92	154.38	9.06	149.95	151.31

<sup>a</sup> C<sub>s</sub> symmetry imposed

<sup>b</sup>  $\Delta$ =DMSO-gas phase

<sup>c</sup> PCM values from the main paper

**Figure S4.** Explicit solvent models (a - +2DMSO, b - +3DMSO) of compound **3a** optimised at B3LYP/6-31G(d),aug-cc-pVTZ(Cl) level.



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