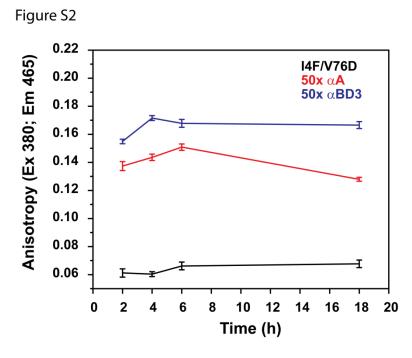


Supplementary Figure 1. Effects of bimane labeling on γD -crystallin stability. The small left shift in denaturant unfolding curves at 25 °C is negligible compared to the shifts introduced by cataract linked mutations.



Supplementary Figure 2. The lack of large changes in bimane anisotory demonstrates that binding of γD -crystallin mutants to α -crystallin is essentially complete after 2 hours.