

Electronic Supporting Information

Multi-modular, tris(triphenylamine) zinc porphyrin – zinc phthalocyanine –fullerene conjugate as a broad-band capturing, charge stabilizing, photosynthetic ‘antenna-reaction center’ mimic

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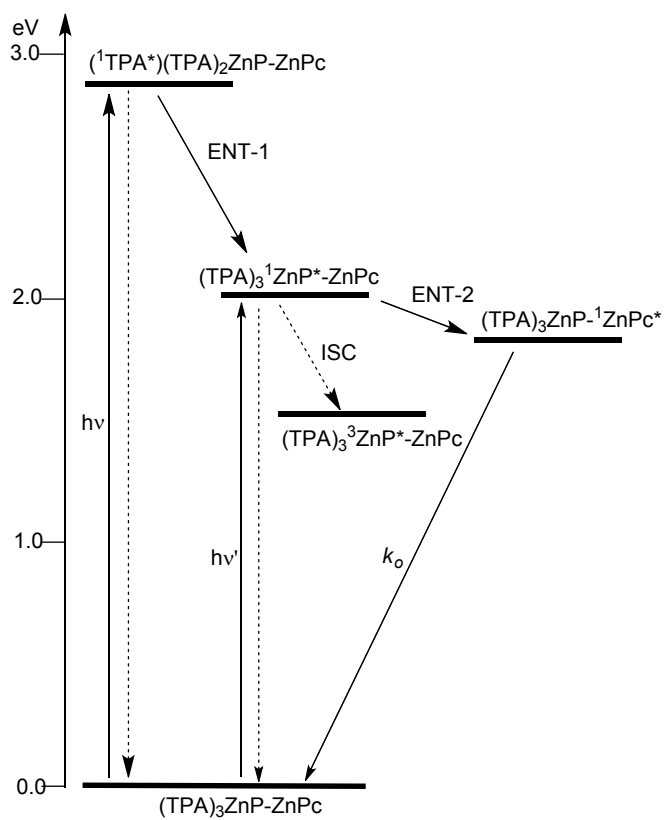


Fig. S1. Energy level diagram shown multi-step energy process in $(\text{TPA})_3\text{ZnP-ZnPc}$.

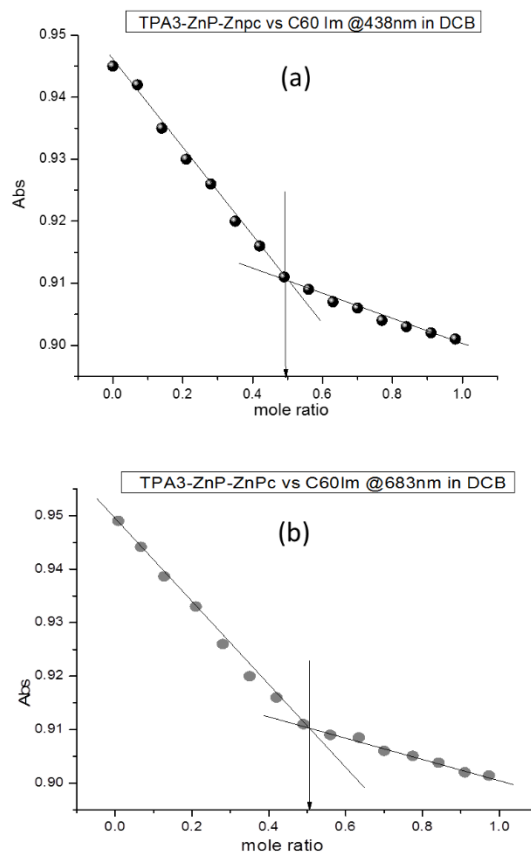


Fig. S2. Job's plots constructed using peak intensity of (a) porphyrin Soret and (b) phthalocyanine visible band.

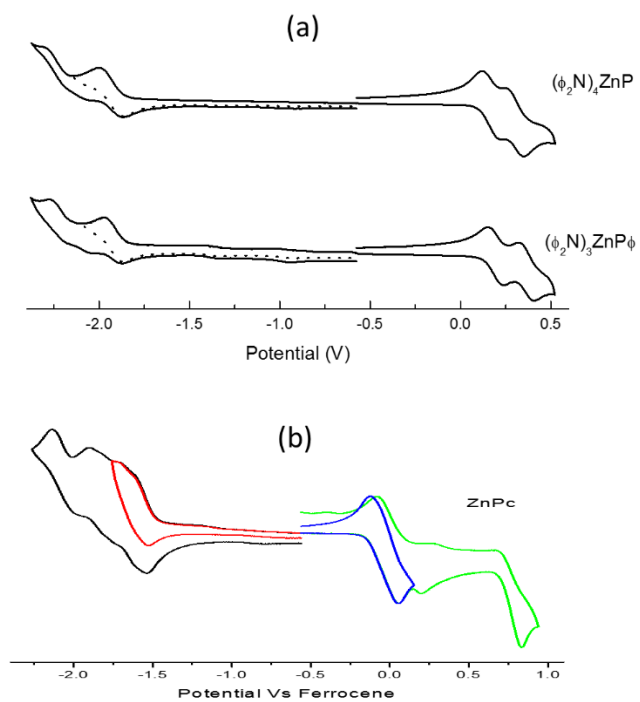


Fig. S3. (a) Cyclic voltammograms of (TPA)₄ZnP and (TPA)₃ZnP, and (b) ZnPc in dichlorobenzene containing 0.1 M TBAClO₄.

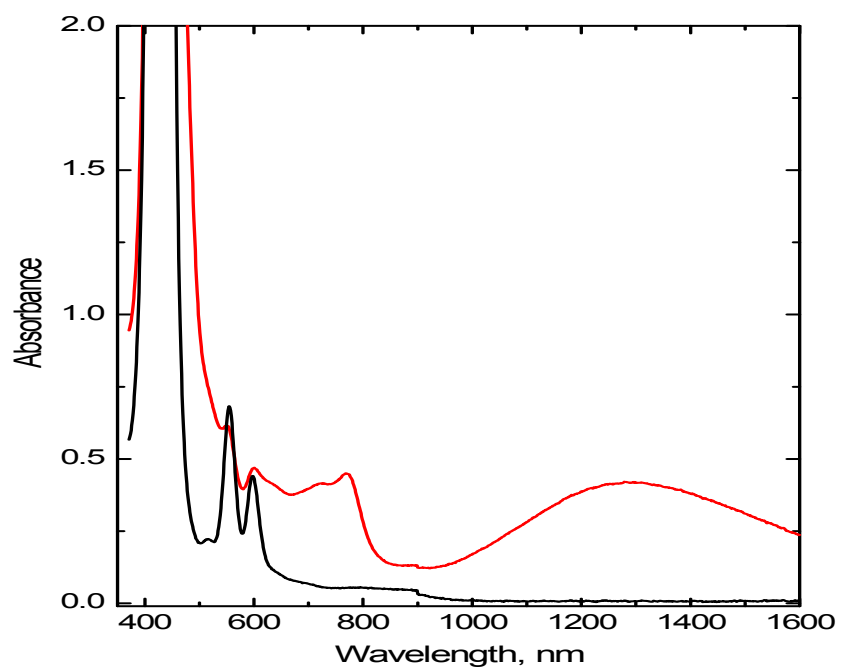


Fig. S4. Visible-NIR spectrum of neutral (dark line) and chemically oxidized using equimolar nitronium hexafluoroantimonate (red line) of (TPA)₄ZnP in *o*-DCB.

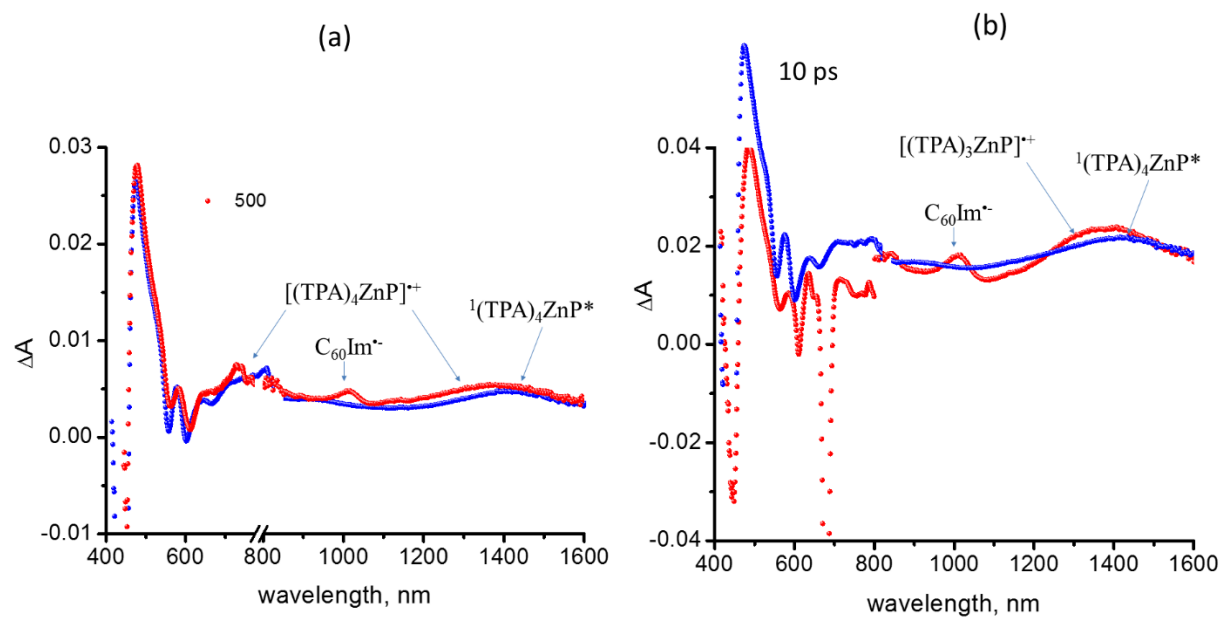


Fig. S5. (a) Femtosecond transient spectrum of (a) (TPA)₄ZnP (blue) and (TPA)₄ZnP:ImC₆₀ (red) recorded at 500 ps, and (b) (TPA)₄ZnP (blue) and (TPA)₃ZnP:ImC₆₀-ZnPc:ImC₆₀ (blue) at 10 ps in DCB.

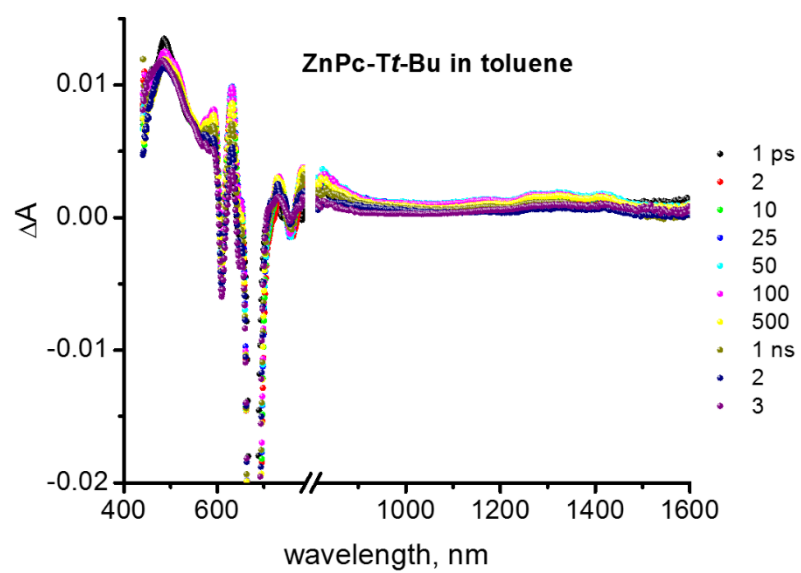


Fig. S6. Femtosecond transient spectra of ZnPc in toluene at the indicated time intervals.

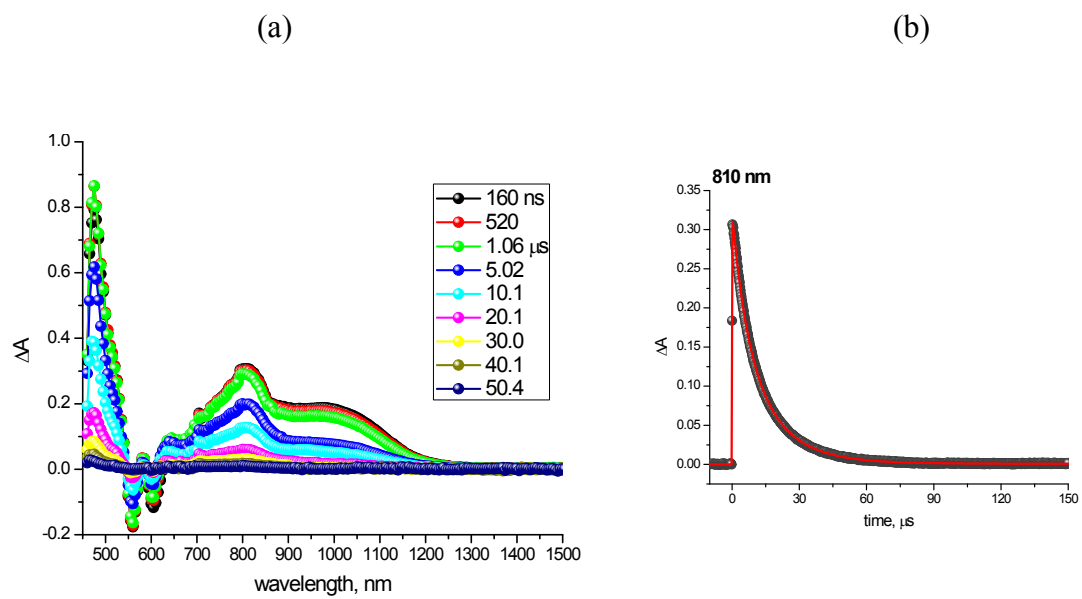


Fig. S7. (a) Nanosecond transient spectra at the indicated time intervals of (TPA)₄ZnP in toluene ($\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 430$ nm). (b) time profile of the 810 nm peak .

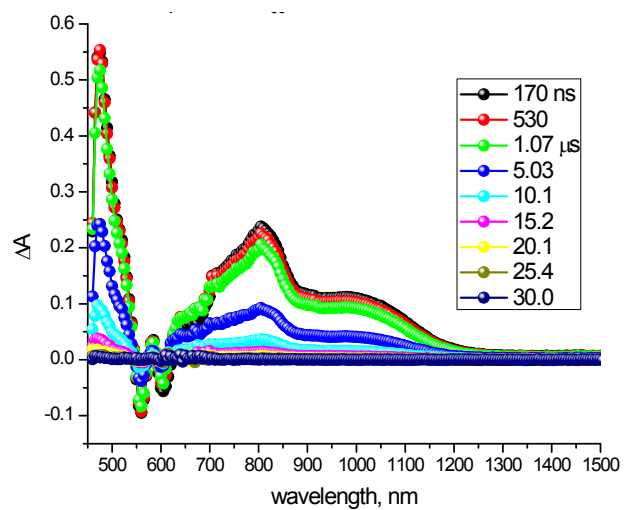


Fig. S8. Nanosecond transient spectra at the indicated time intervals of $(\text{TPA})_4\text{ZnP}:\text{ImC}_{60}$ complex in toluene ($\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 430 \text{ nm}$).

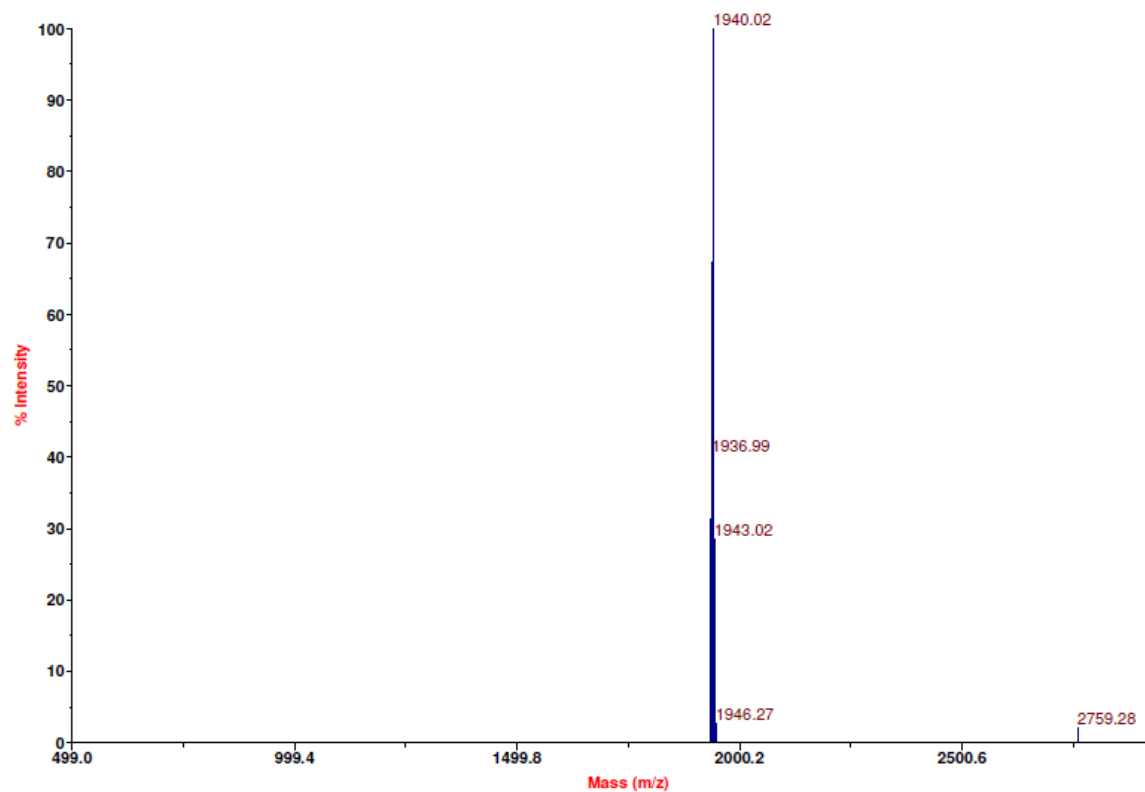


Fig. S9. MALDI-Mass spectrum of (TPA)₃ZnP-ZnPc.

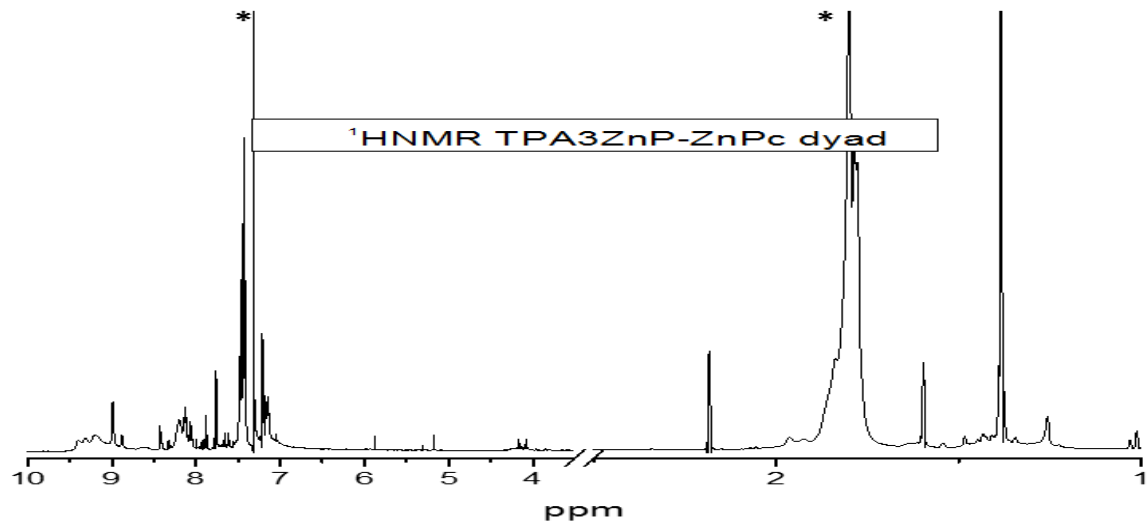


Fig. S10. ^1H NMR spectrum of $(\text{TPA})_3\text{ZnP-ZnPc}$ in CDCl_3 . Solvent peaks are marked by ‘*’.

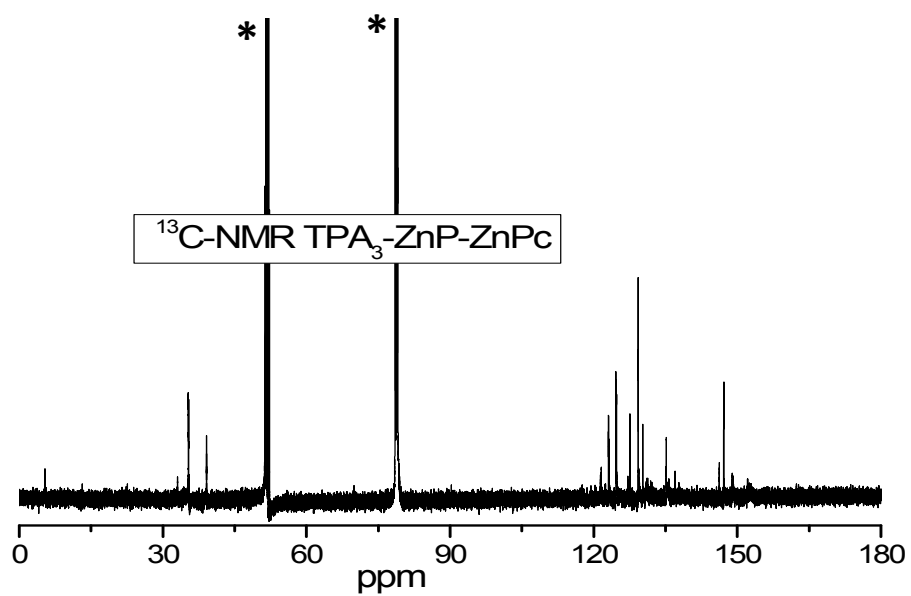


Fig. S11. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of $(\text{TPA})_3\text{ZnP-ZnPc}$ in CDCl_3 . Solvent peaks are marked by ‘*’.

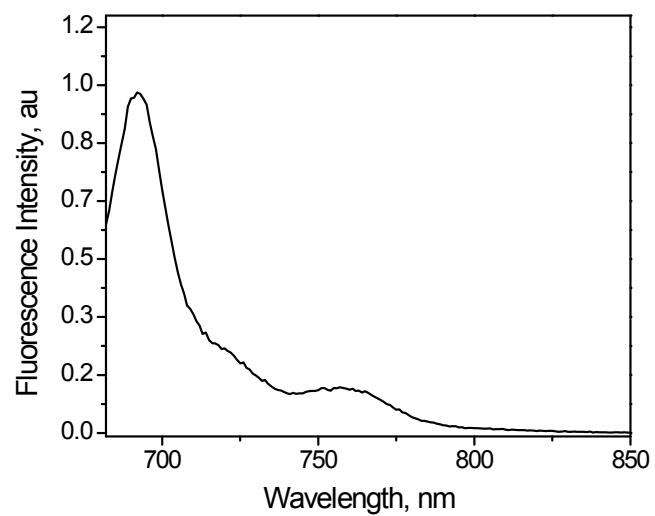


Fig. S12. Steady state fluorescence spectrum of ZnPc ($\lambda_{\text{ex}}=680$ nm) in degassed *o*-dichlorobenzene.