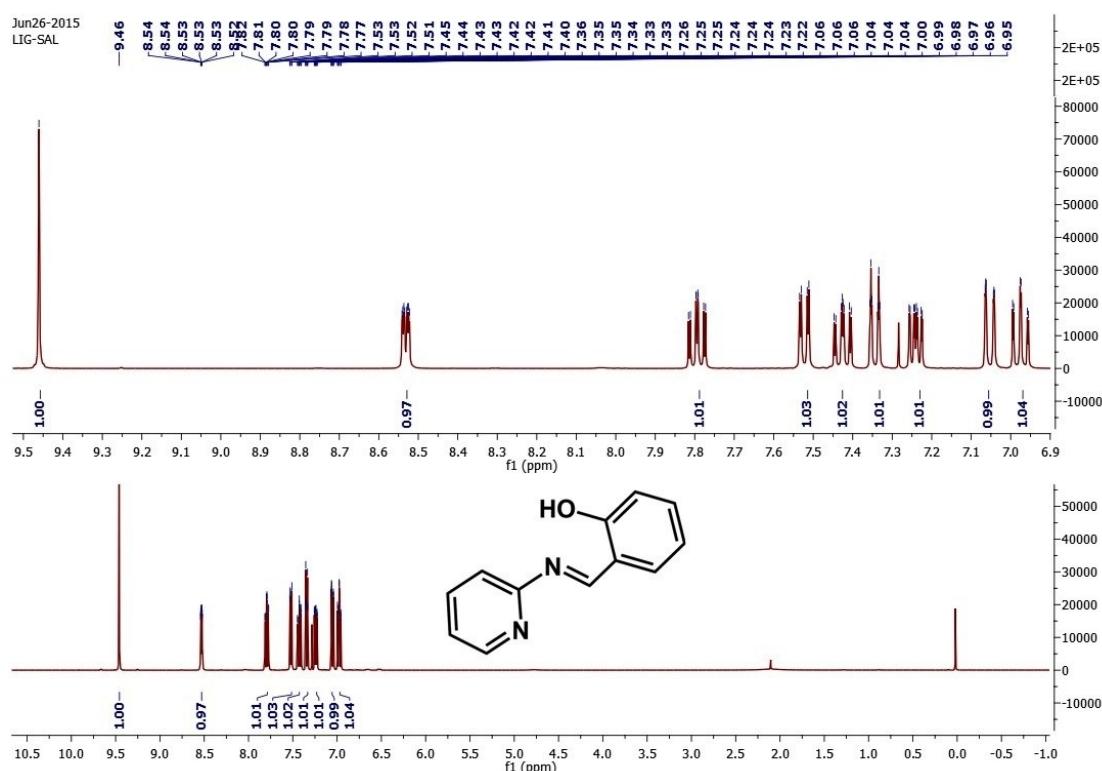


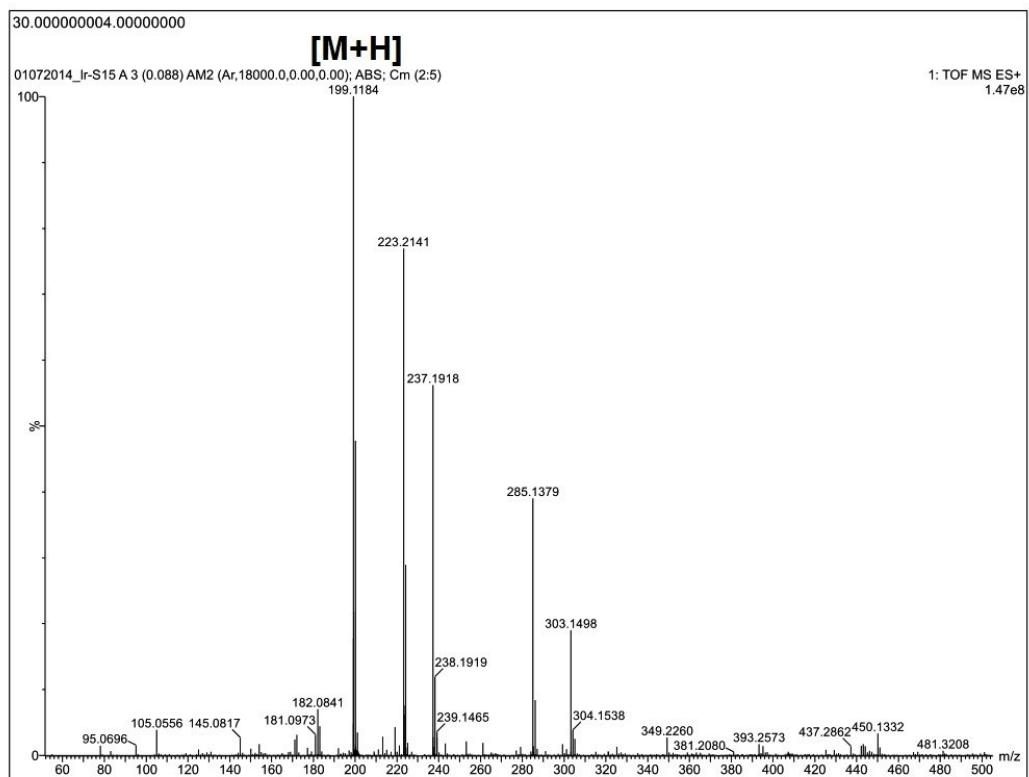
‘Aggregation Induced Emission’ Active Iridium(III) Complexes with Applications in Mitochondrial Staining

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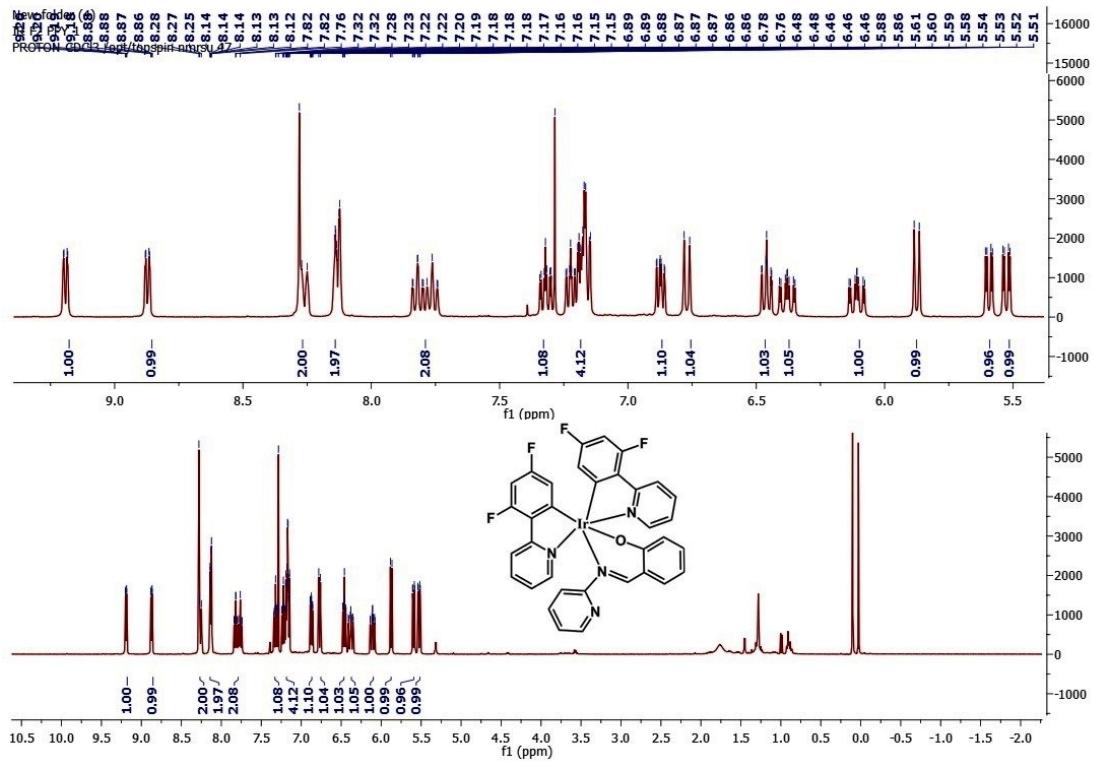


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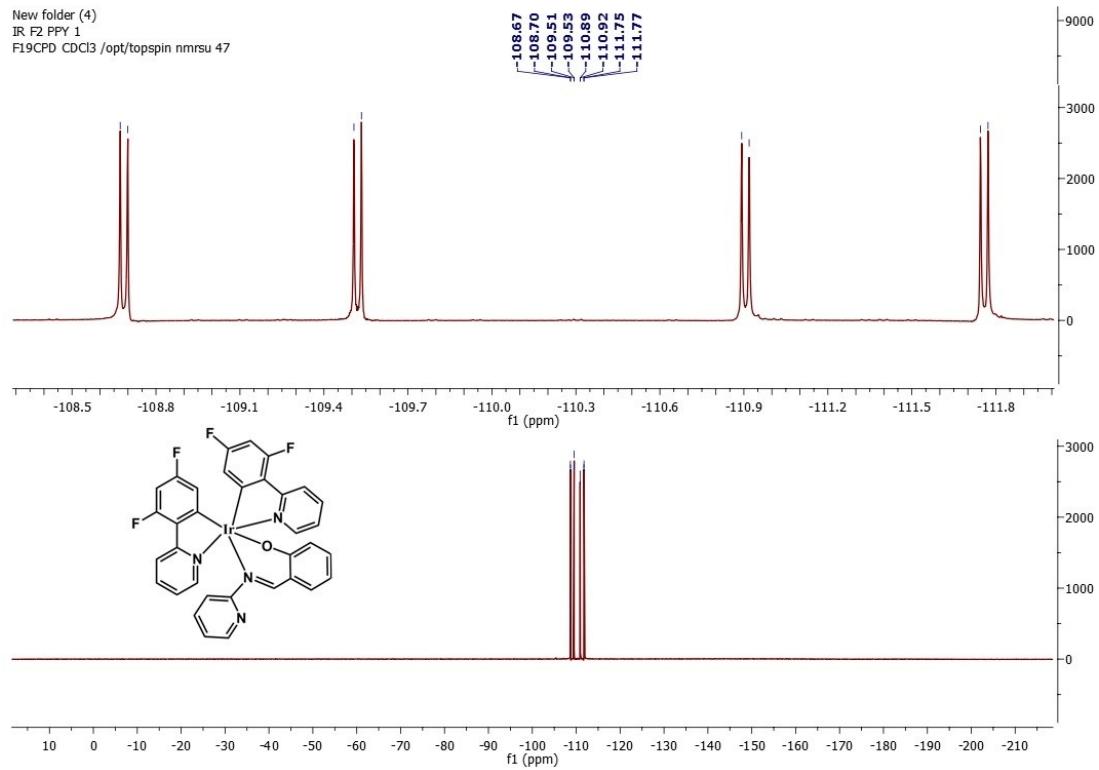


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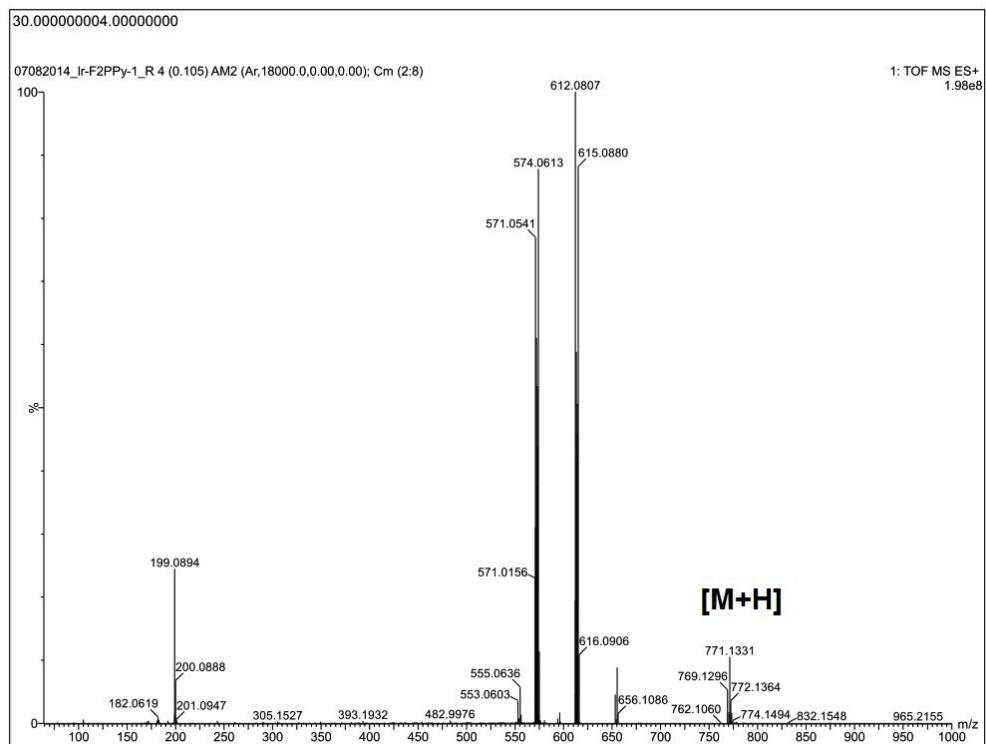
Fig.S1: ^1H , NMR spectra and HRMS (a and b), respectively for L.



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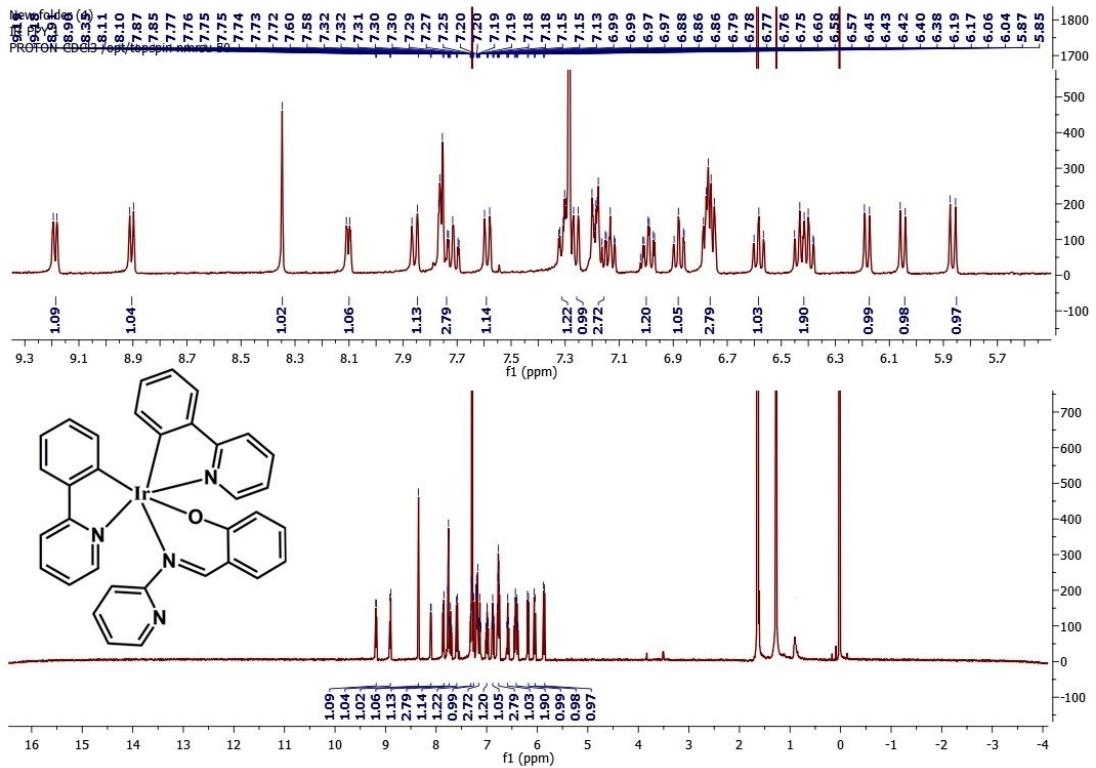


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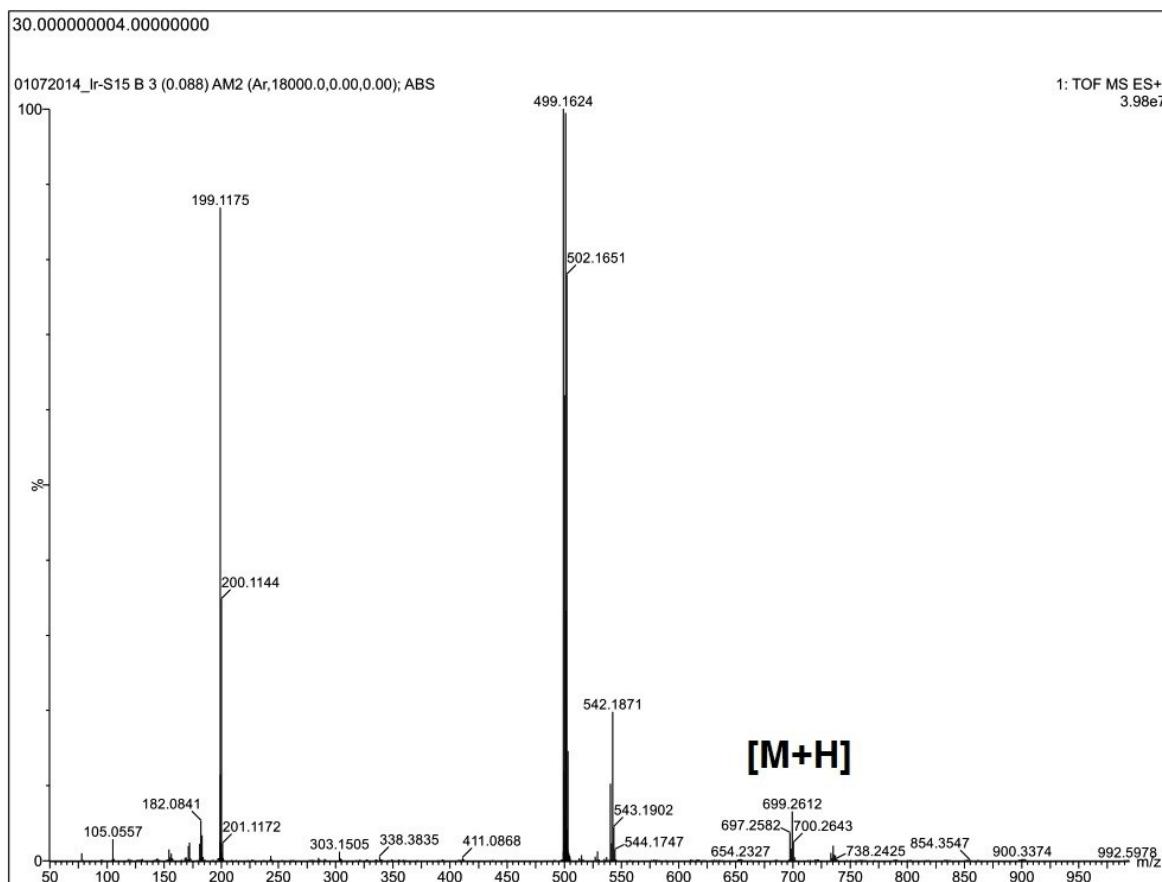


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Fig.S2: (^1H , ^{19}F) NMR spectra and HRMS (a, b and c), respectively for **1**.



(a)



(b)

Fig.S3: ^1H NMR spectra and HRMS (a and b), respectively for **2**.

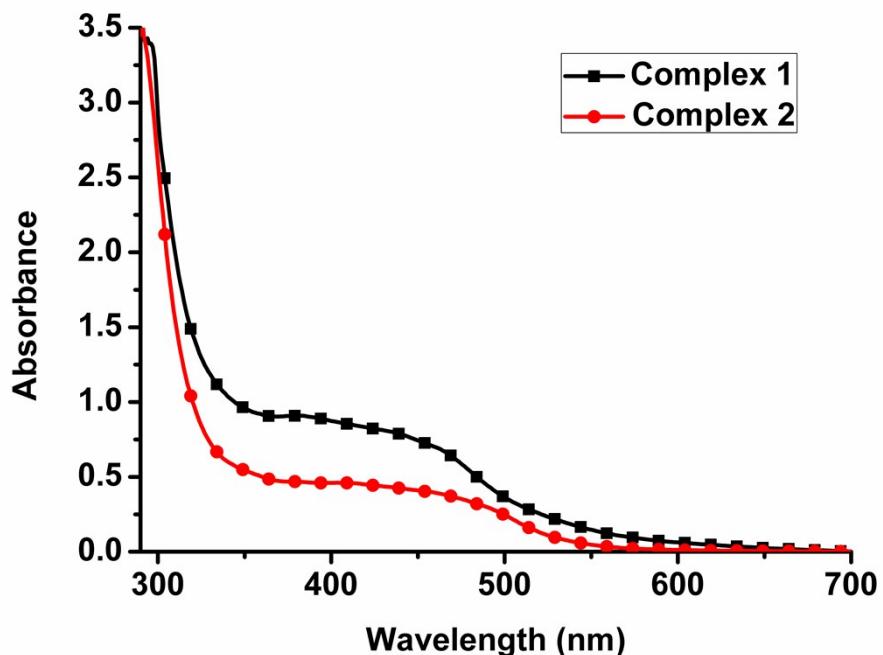


Fig.S4: Solid state absorption spectra of the complexes **1** and **2**.

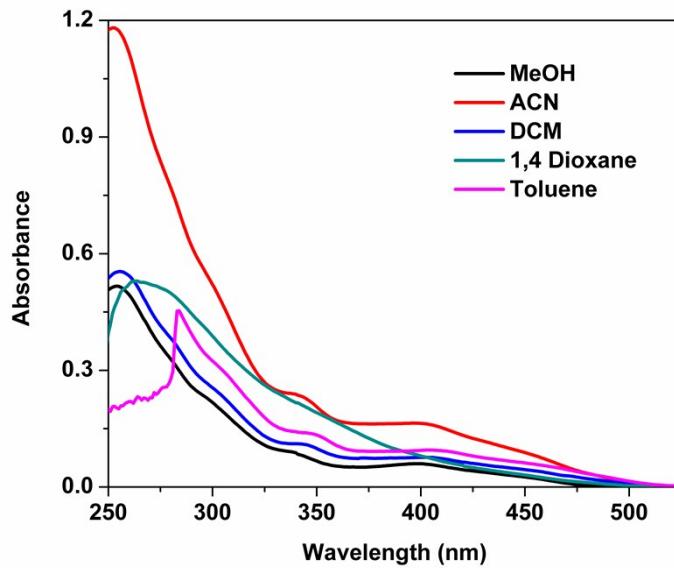


Fig.S5: Absorption spectra of the complex **2** in different organic solvents; $c=1\times 10^{-5}M$.

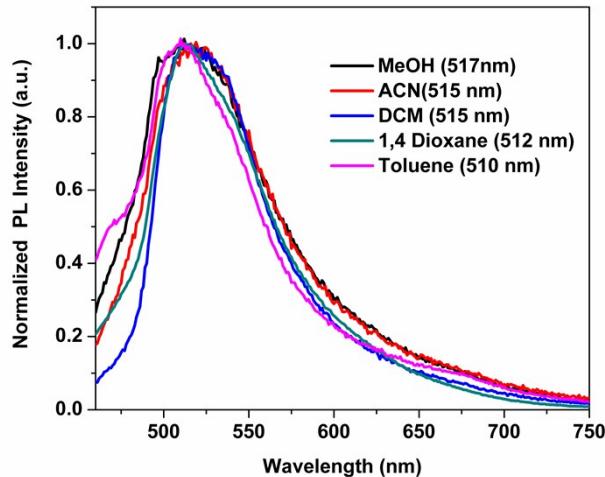


Fig.S6: Normalized emission spectra of the complex **2** in different organic solvents; $c=1\times 10^{-5}M$.

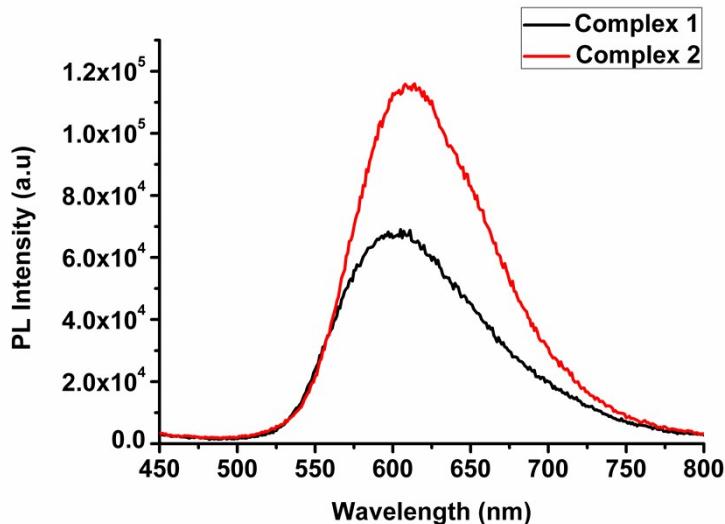
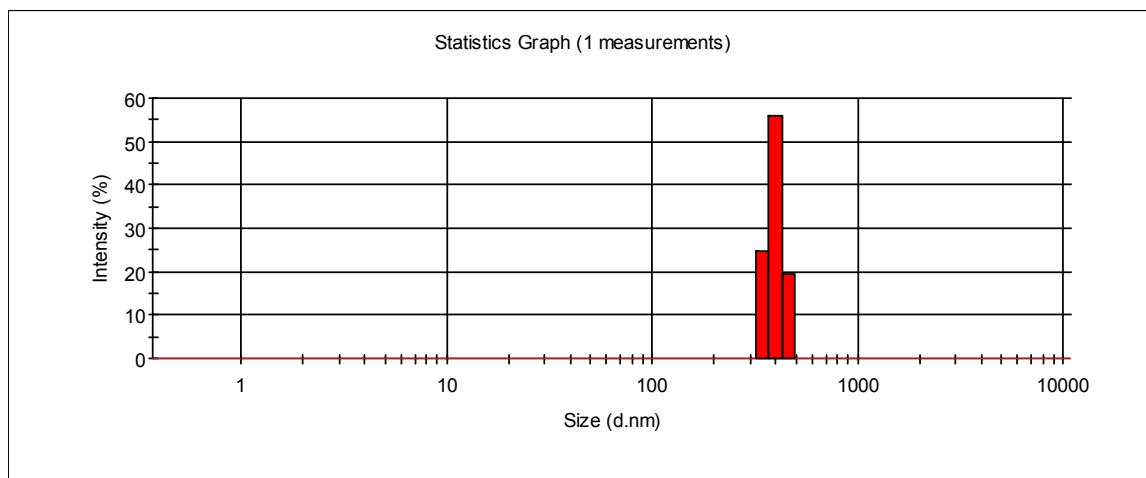
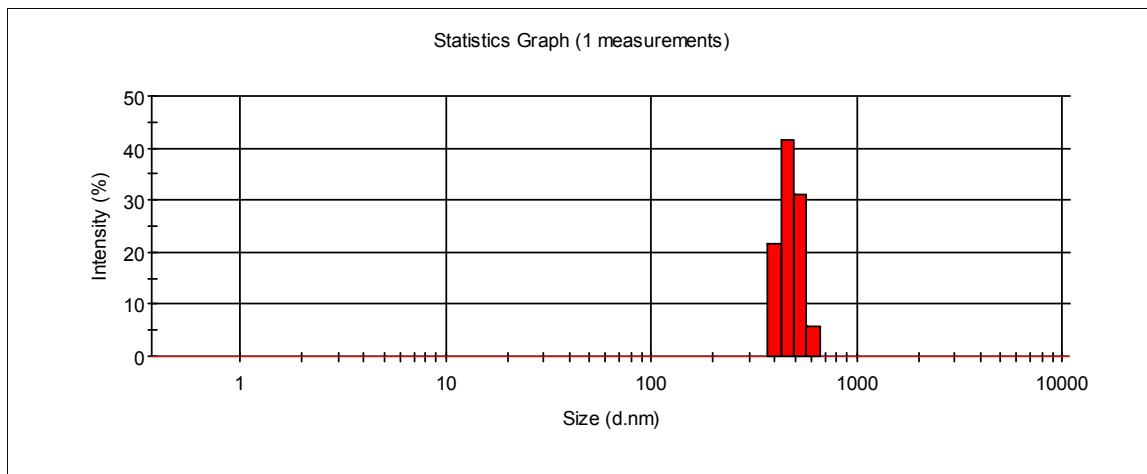


Fig.S7: Solid state emission of the complexes **1** and **2**.



(a)



(b)

Fig.S8: Particle size distribution of nano-aggregates of (a) complex **1** and (b) complex **2** formed in a MeOH / water mixture with a 90% water fraction.

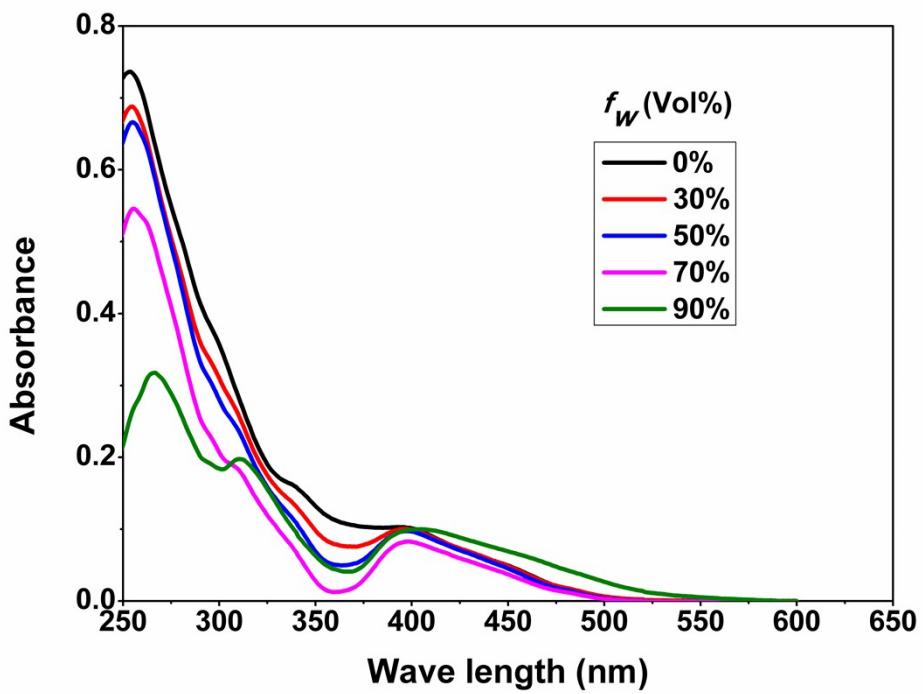


Fig.S9: Absorption spectra of the complex **2** in different water fractions (f_w); $c=1\times 10^{-5} M$.

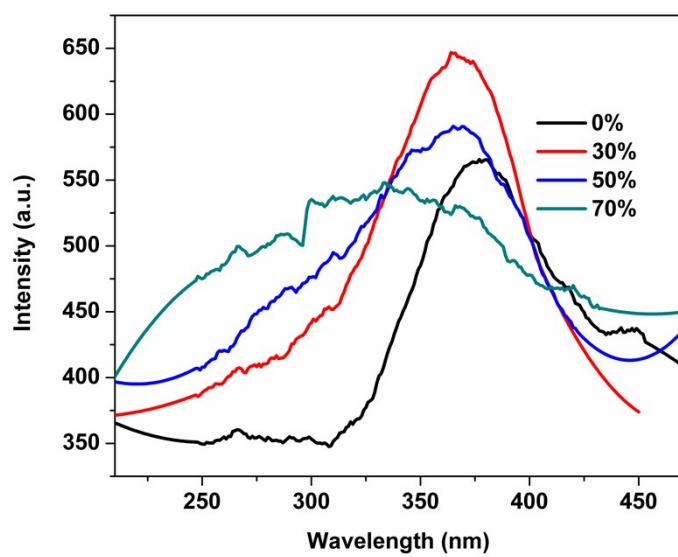


Fig.S10: Excitation spectra of the complex **2** in different water fractions (f_w); $c=1\times 10^{-5}\text{M}$.