

A novel luminescent Pb(II) - organic framework exhibiting rapid and selective detection of trace amount of NACs and Fe³⁺ with excellent recyclability

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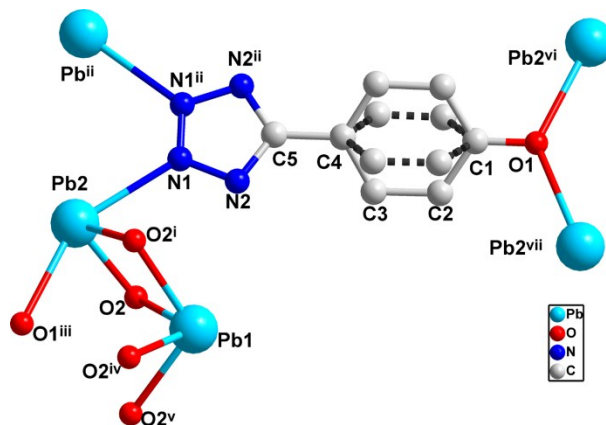


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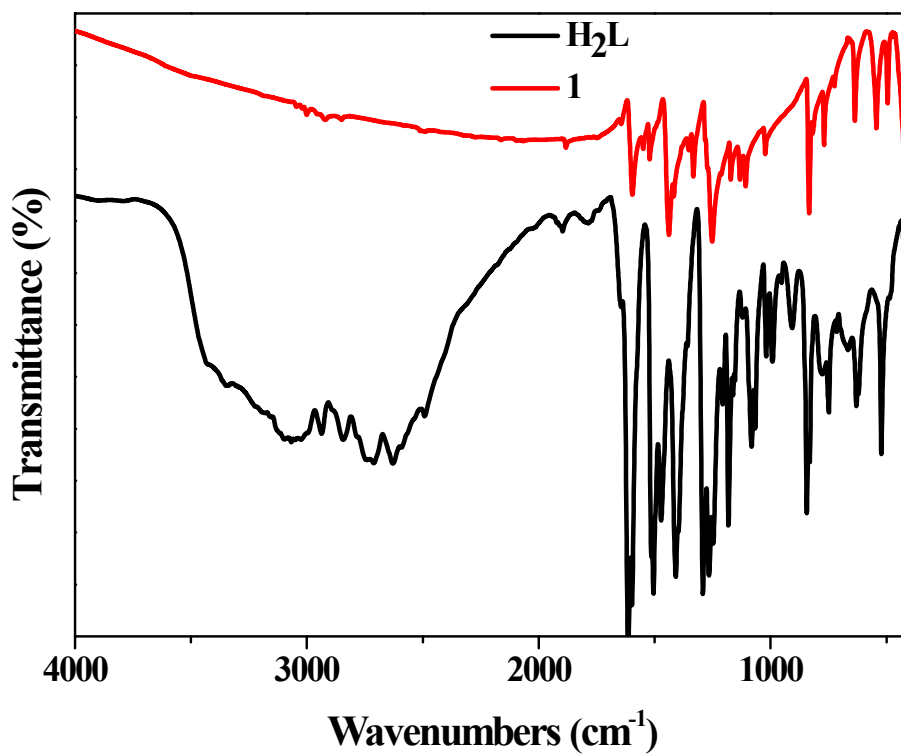


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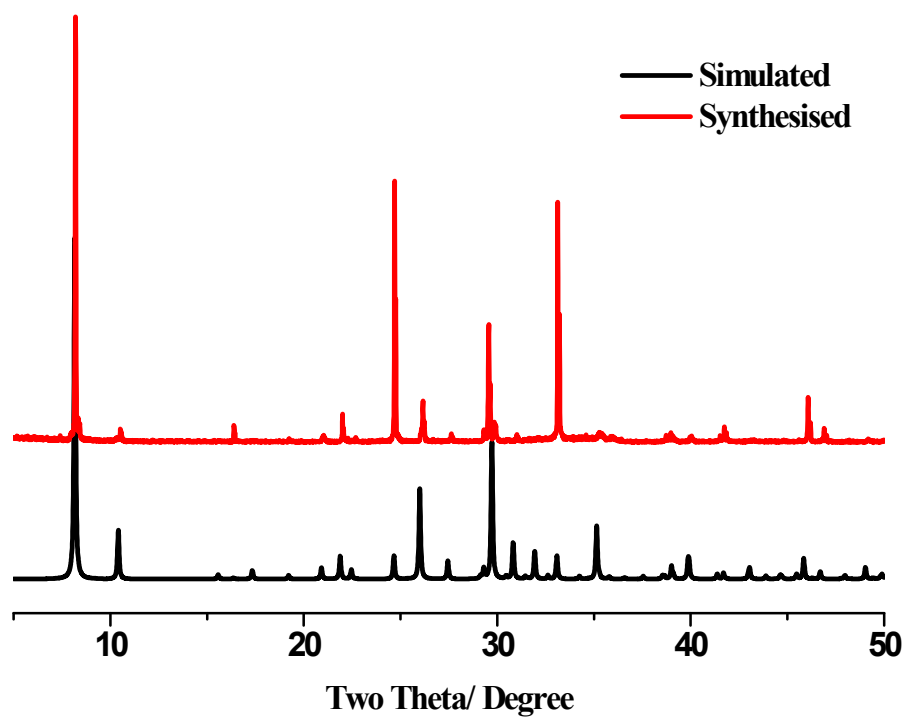


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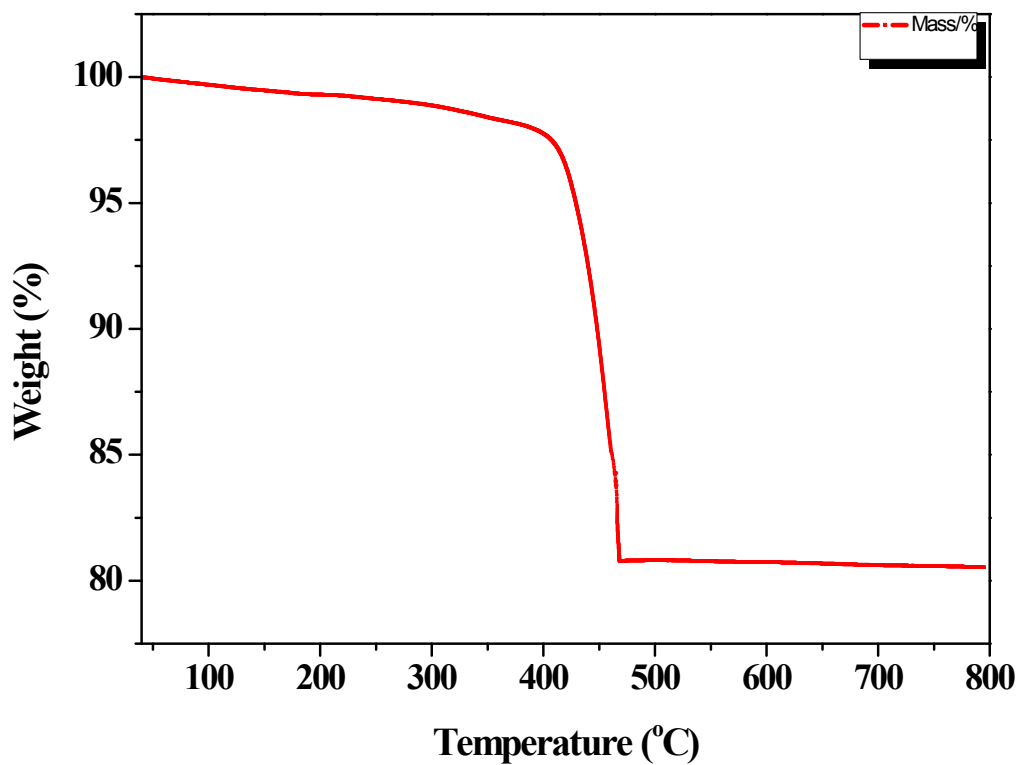


Fig.S4 Thermogravimetric analyses curve of **1**, the weight loss of 80.73 % is close to the calculated value (81.30 %).

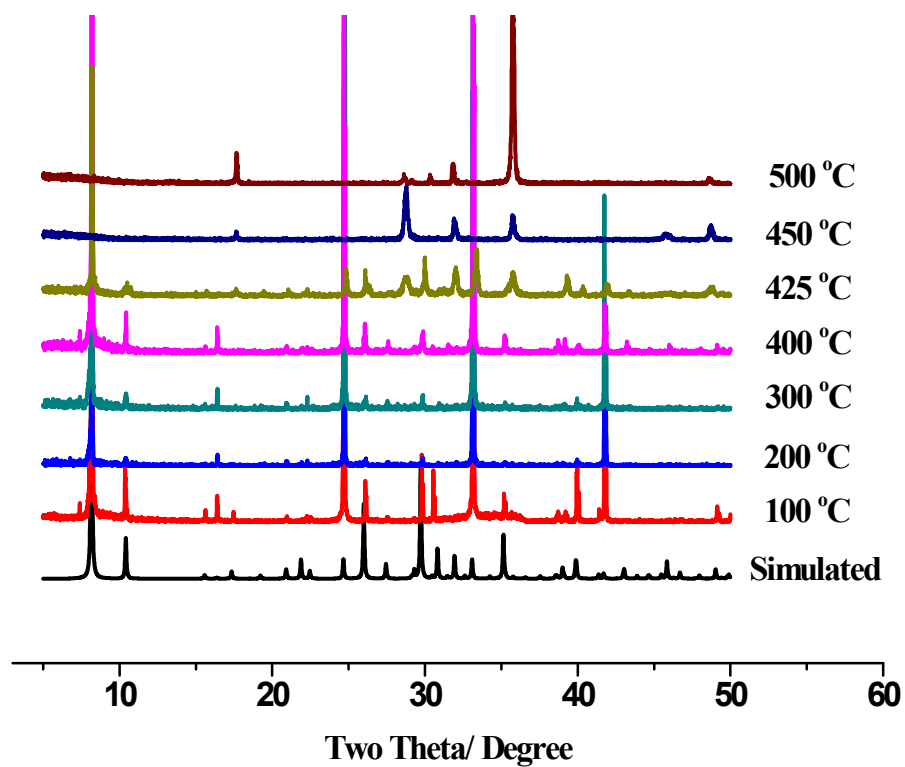


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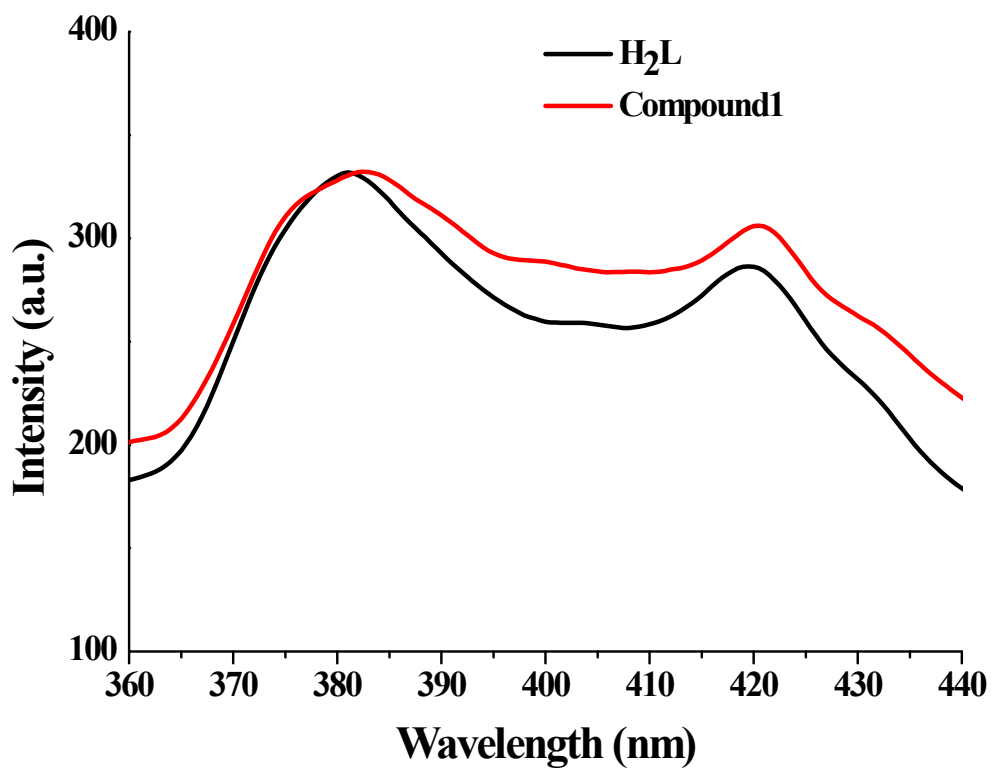


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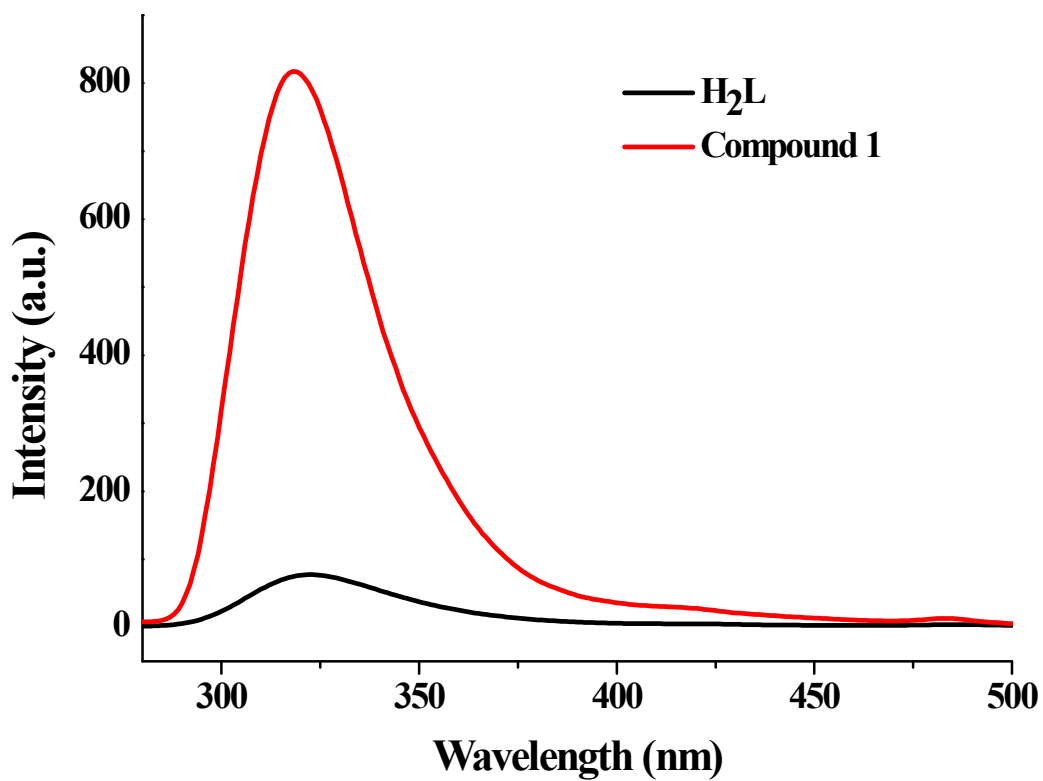


Fig. S7 Emission spectra of compound 1 and free H₂L ligand dispersed in water when excited at 260 nm, respectively.

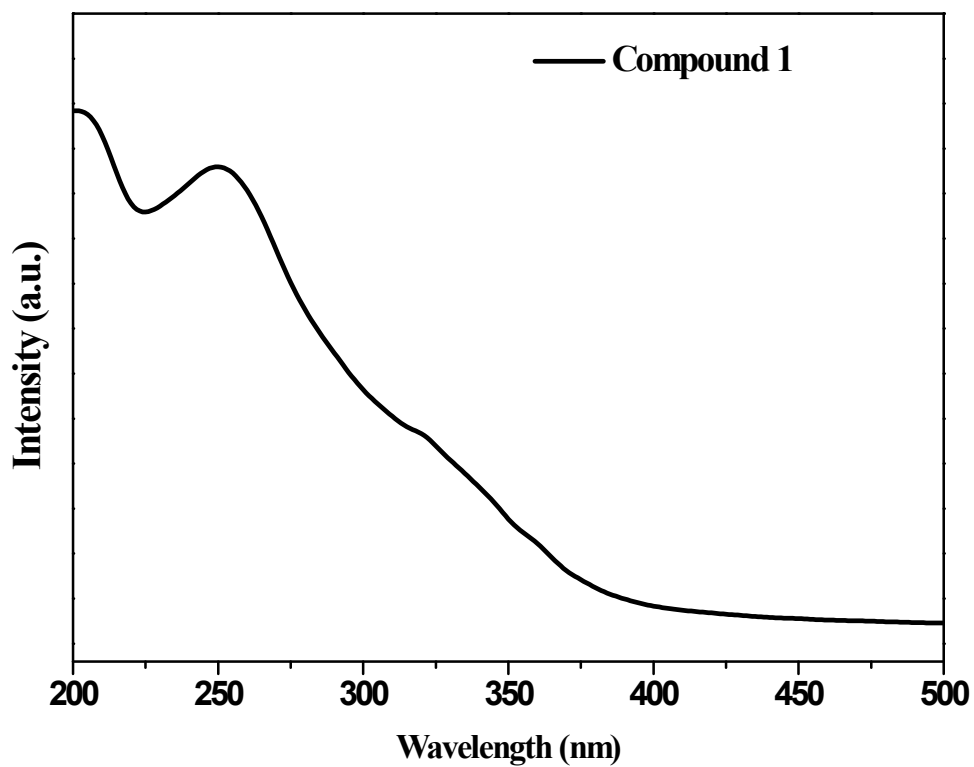


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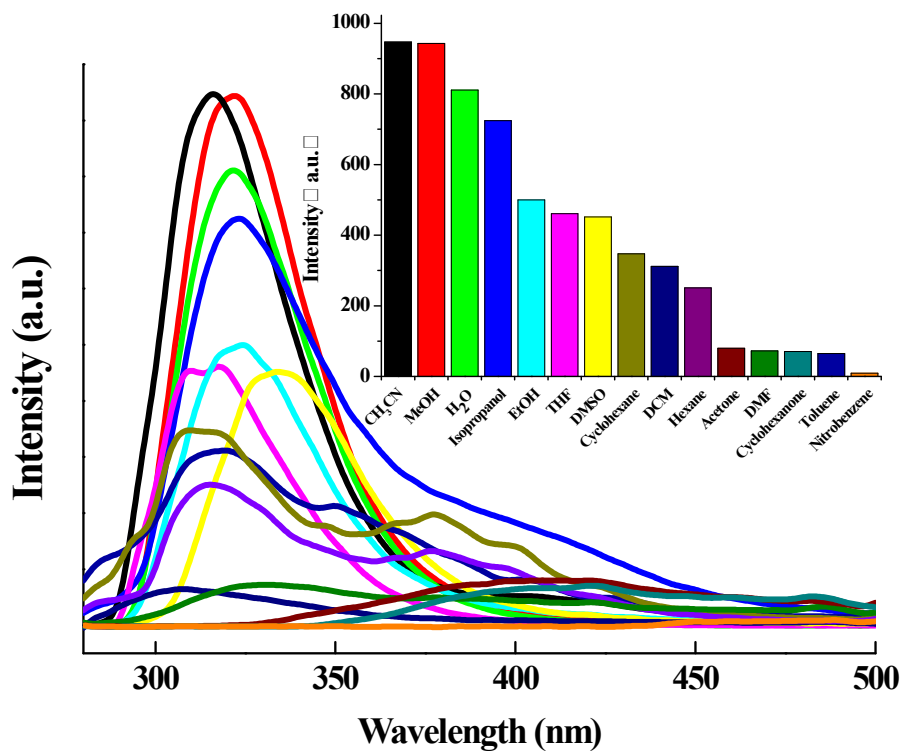


Fig. S9 Emission spectra of **1** dispersed in different solvents when excited at 260 nm.

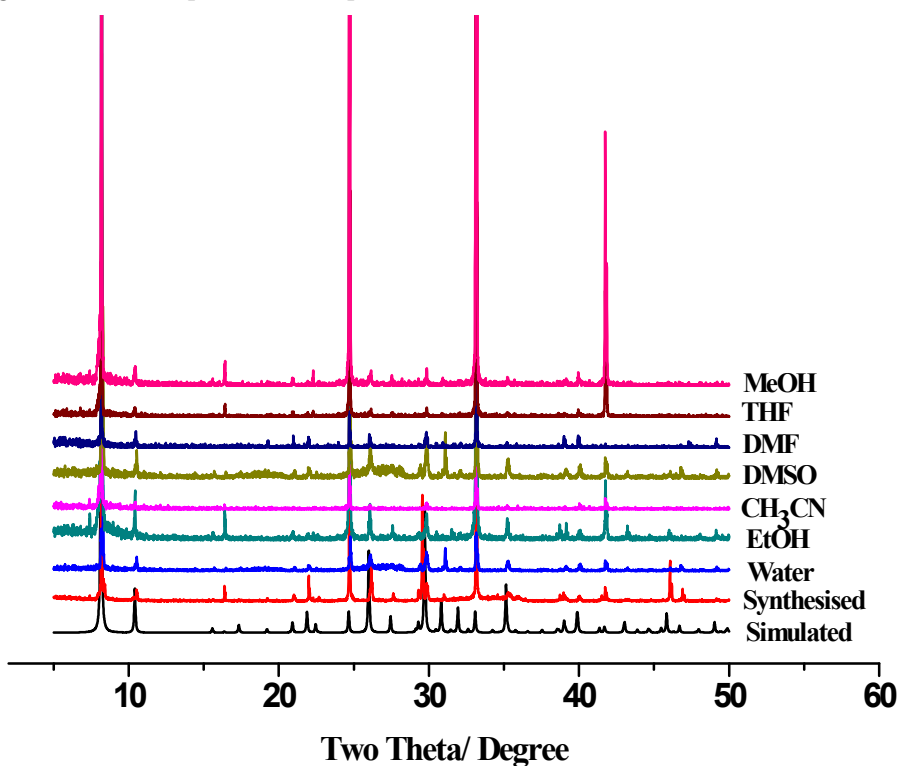


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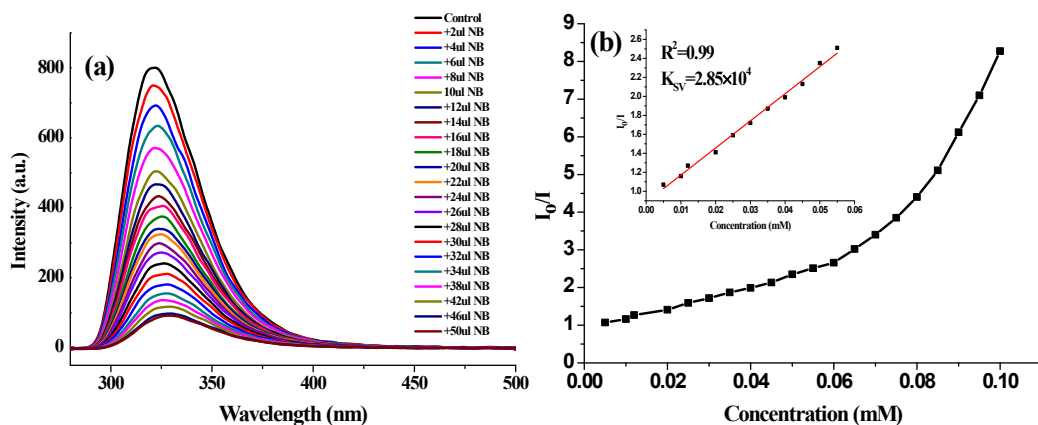


Fig. S11 (a) The luminescence intensity of **1** upon incremental addition of NB solution (5 mM) in water. (b) Stern-Volmer plot for the luminescence intensity of **1** upon the addition of NB solution (5 mM) in water.

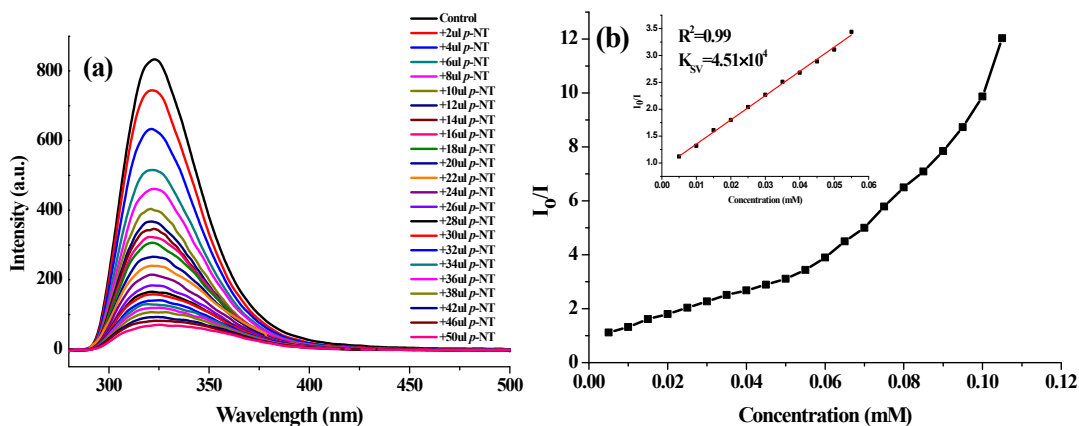


Fig. S12 (a) The luminescence intensity of **1** upon incremental addition of *p*-NT solution (5 mM) in water. (b) Stern-Volmer plot for the luminescence intensity of **1** upon addition of *p*-NT solution (5 mM) in water.

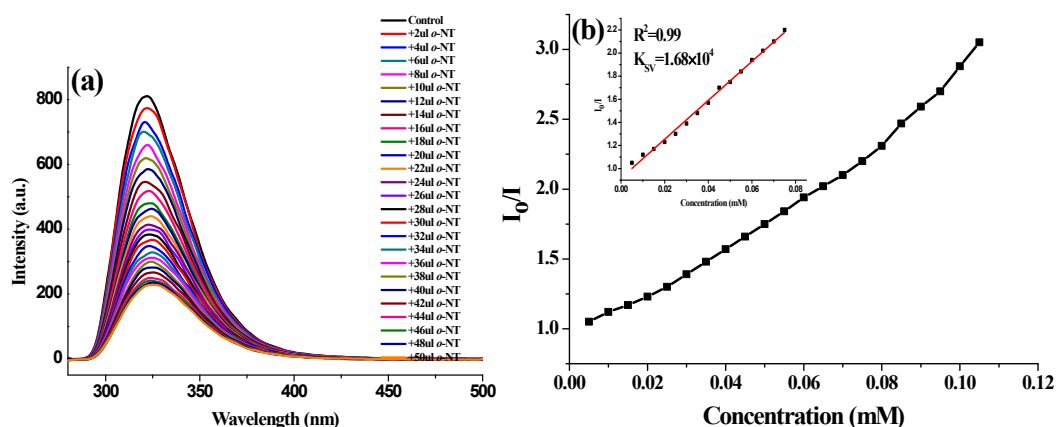


Fig.S13 (a) The luminescence intensity of **1** upon incremental addition of *o*-NT solution (5 mM) in water. (b) Stern-Volmer plot for the luminescence intensity of **1** upon addition of *o*-NT solution (5 mM) in water.

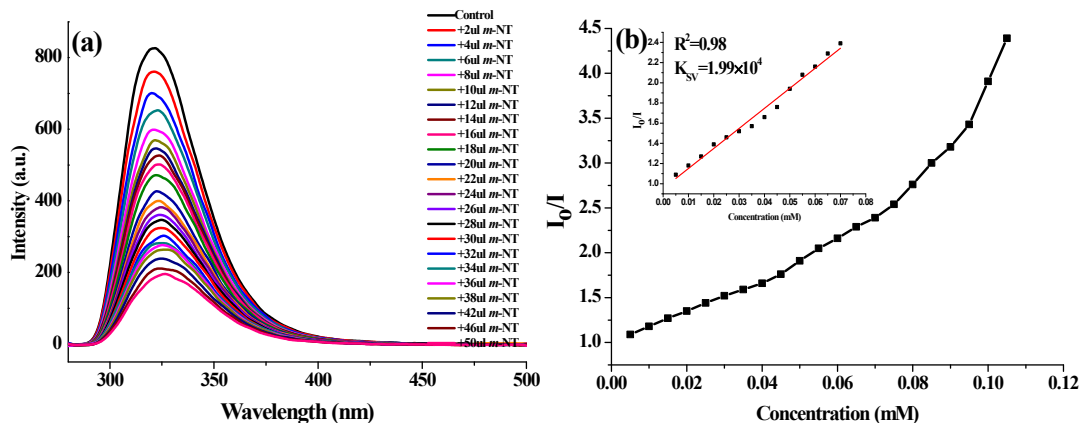


Fig. S14 (a) The luminescence intensity of **1** upon incremental addition of *m*-NT solution (5 mM) in water. (b) Stern-Volmer plot for the luminescence intensity of **1** upon addition of *m*-NT solution (5 mM) in water.

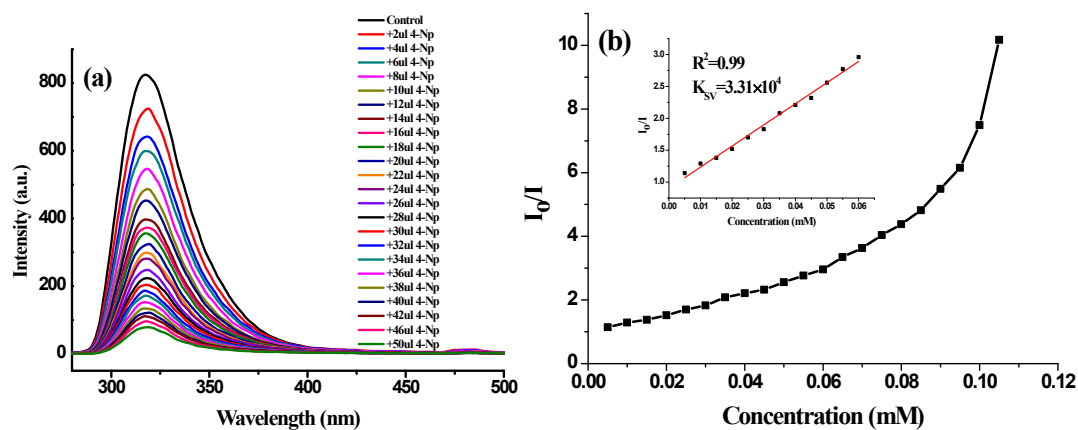


Fig. S15 (a) The luminescence intensity of **1** upon incremental addition of 4-Np solution (5 mM) in water. (b) Stern-Volmer plot for the luminescence intensity of **1** upon addition of 4-Np solution (5 mM) in water.

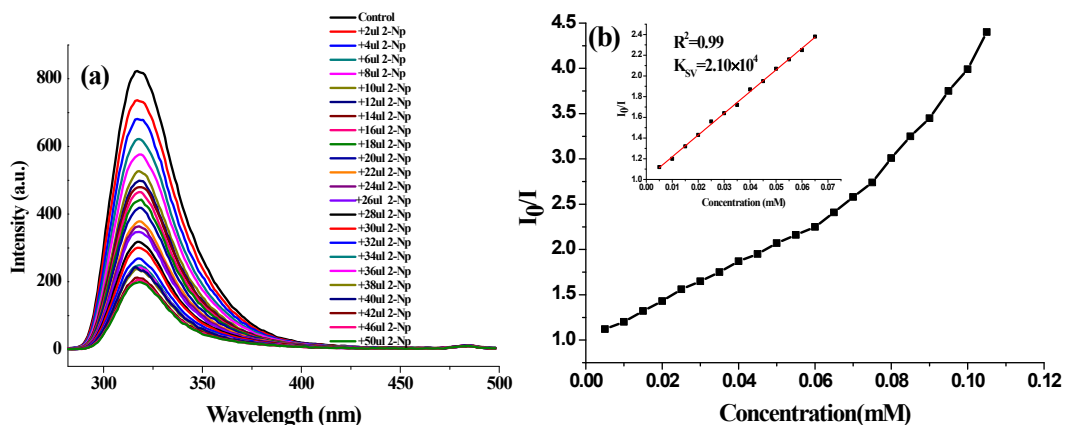


Fig. S16 (a) The luminescence intensity of **1** upon incremental addition of 2-Np solution (5 mM) in water (b) Stern-Volmer plot for the luminescence intensity of **1** upon addition of 2-Np solution (5 mM) in water.

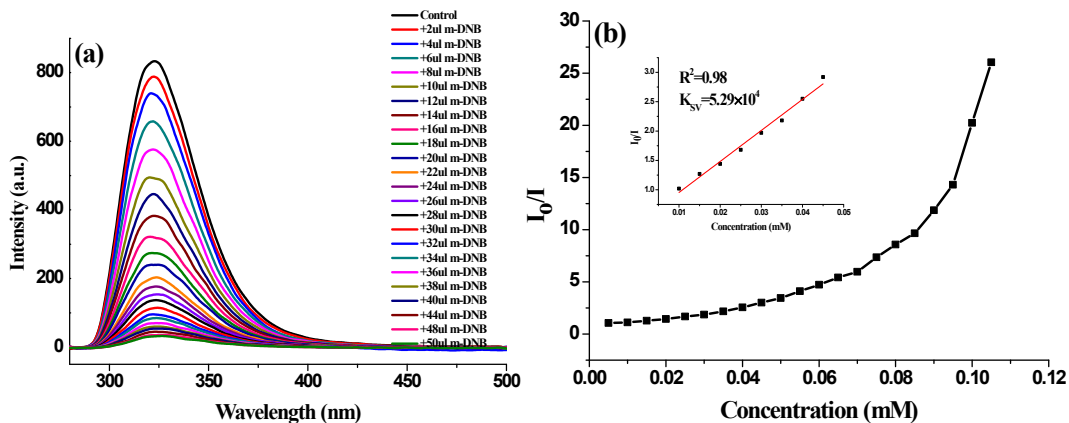


Fig. S17 (a) The luminescence intensity of **1** upon incremental addition of *m*-DNB solution (5 mM) in water. (b) Stern-Volmer plot for the luminescence intensity of **1** upon addition of *m*-DNB solution (5 mM) in water.

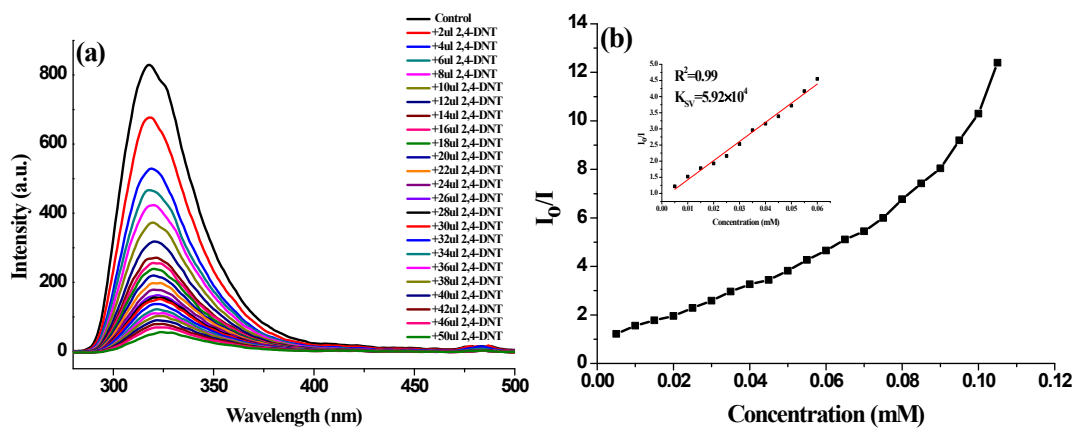
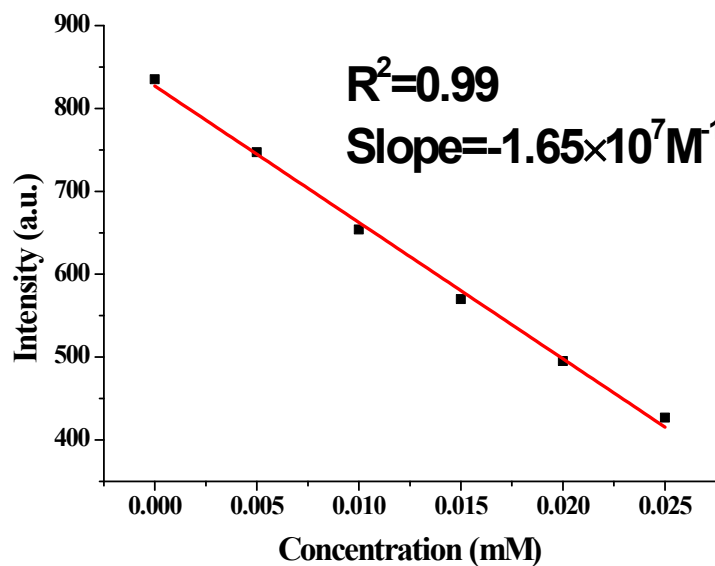


Fig.S18 (a) The luminescence intensity of **1** upon incremental addition of 2, 4-DNT solution (5 mM) in water. (b) Stern-Volmer plot for the luminescence intensity of **1** upon addition of 2, 4-DNT solution (5 mM) in water.



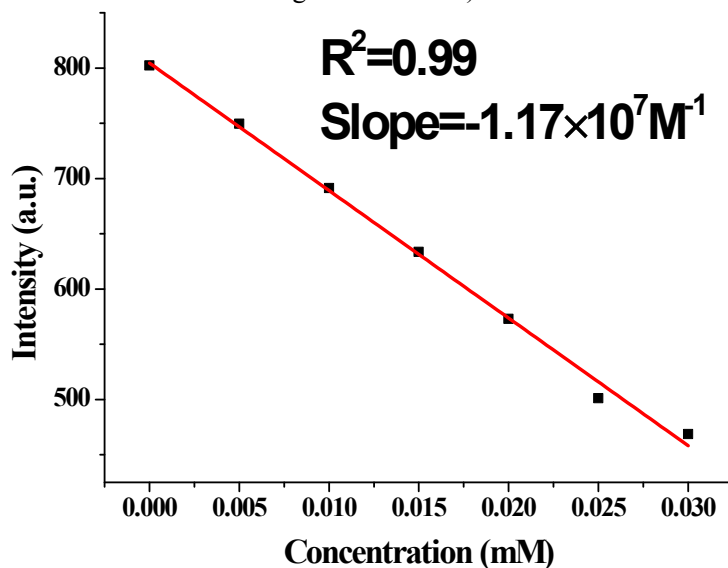
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Slope = $1.65 \times 10^7 \text{ M}^{-1}$

$\delta = 8.72$ (N=10)

Limit detection = $3\delta/\text{Slope} = 1.58 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$

Fig. S19 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different PA concentration (linear range 0-0.025 mM).

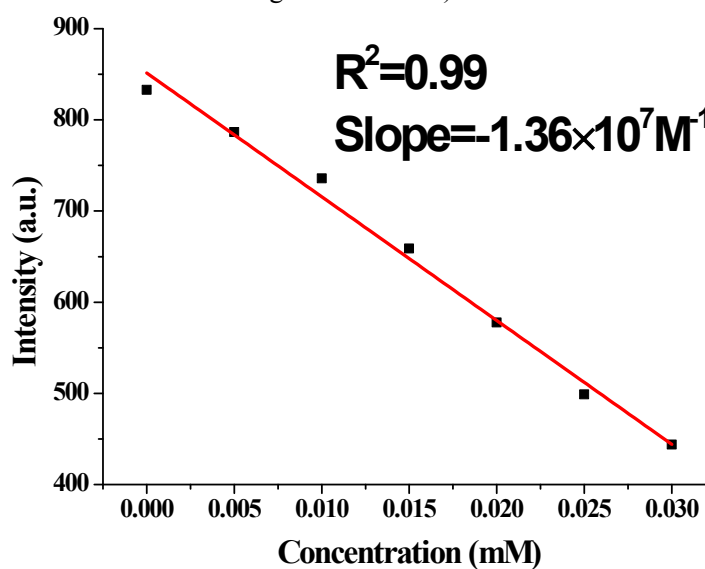


Slope = $1.17 \times 10^7 \text{ M}^{-1}$

$\delta = 8.72$ (N=10)

Limit detection = $3\delta/\text{Slope} = 2.24 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$

Fig. S20 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different NB concentration (linear range 0-0.030 mM).

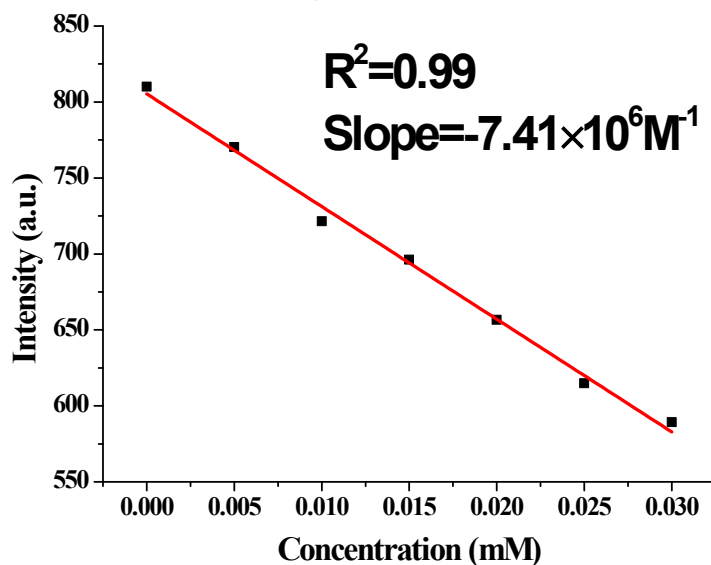


Slope = $1.36 \times 10^7 \text{ M}^{-1}$

$\delta = 8.72$ (N=10)

Limit detection = $3\delta/\text{Slope} = 1.92 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$

Fig. S21 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different *m*-DNB concentration (linear range 0-0.030 mM).

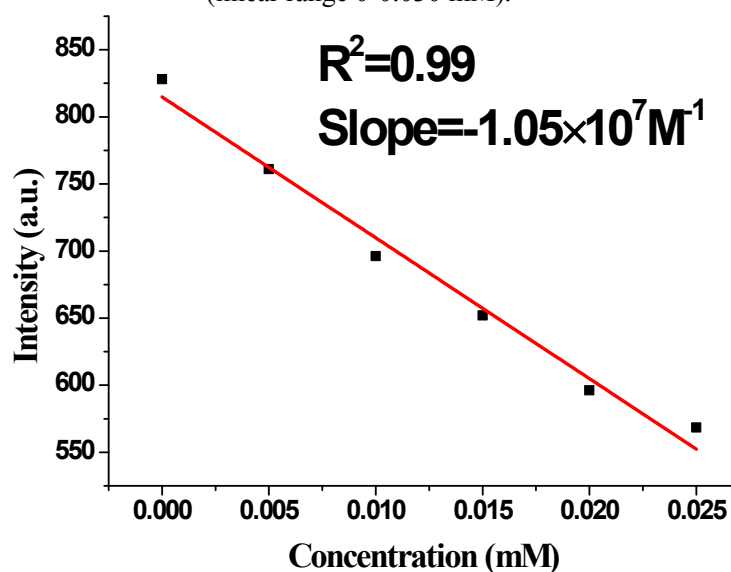


$$\text{Slope} = 7.41 \times 10^6 \text{ M}^{-1}$$

$$\delta = 8.72 \text{ (N=10)}$$

$$\text{Limit detection} = 3\delta/\text{Slope} = 3.53 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$$

Fig. S22 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different *o*-NT concentration (linear range 0-0.030 mM).

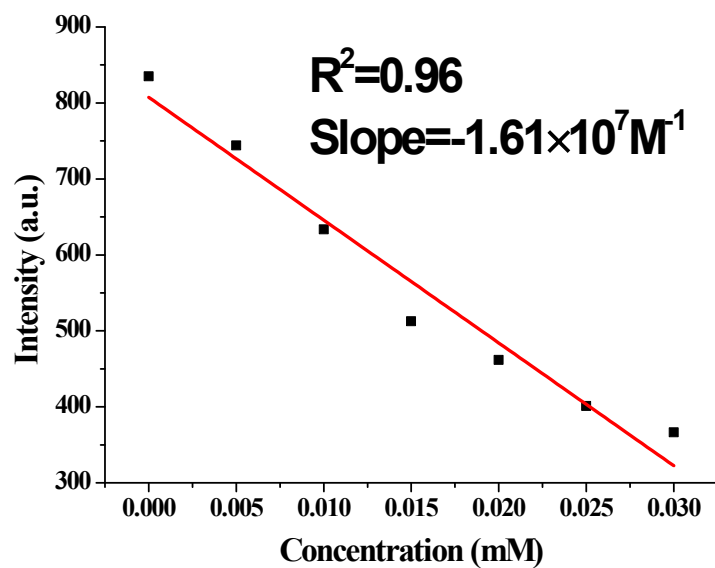


$$\text{Slope} = 1.05 \times 10^7 \text{ M}^{-1}$$

$$\delta = 8.72 \text{ (N=10)}$$

$$\text{Limit detection} = 3\delta/\text{Slope} = 2.49 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$$

Fig. S23 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different *m*-NT concentration (linear range 0-0.030 mM).

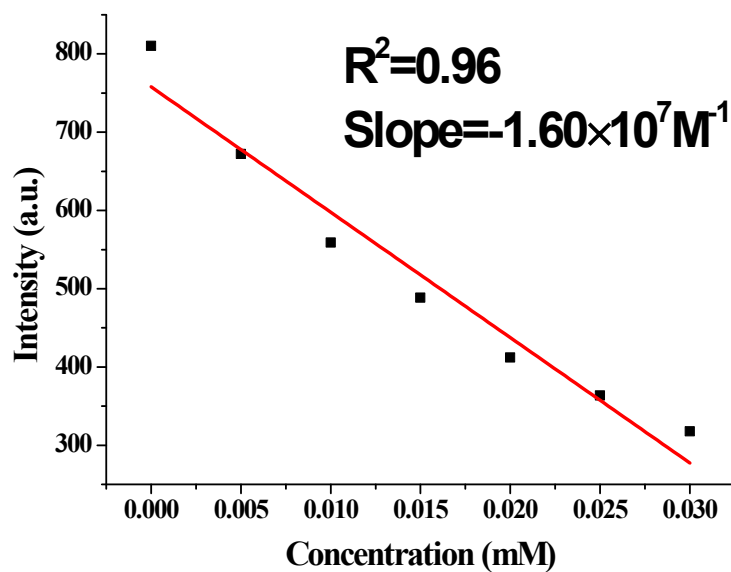


Slope = $1.61 \times 10^7 M^{-1}$

$\delta=8.72$ (N=10)

Limit detection = $3\delta/\text{Slope}=1.62 \times 10^{-6} M$

Fig. S24 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different *p*-NT concentration (linear range 0-0.030 mM).

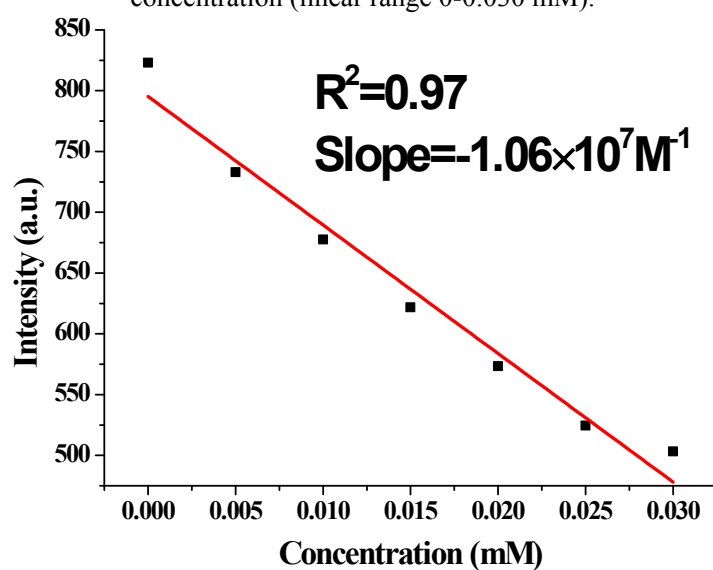


Slope = $1.60 \times 10^7 M^{-1}$

$\delta=8.72$ (N=10)

Limit detection = $3\delta/\text{Slope}=1.63 \times 10^{-6} M$

Fig. S25 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different 2, 4 DNT concentration (linear range 0-0.030 mM).

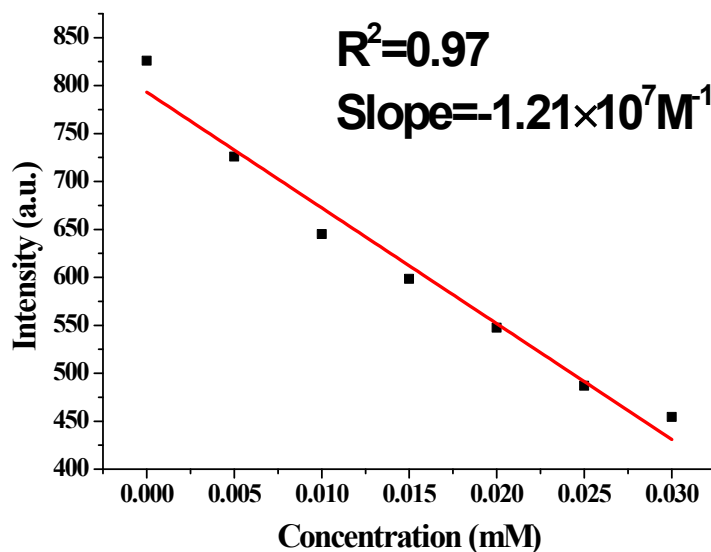


$$\text{Slope} = 1.06 \times 10^7 \text{ M}^{-1}$$

$$\delta = 8.72 \text{ (N=10)}$$

$$\text{Limit detection} = 3\delta/\text{Slope} = 2.46 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$$

Fig. S26 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different 2-Np concentration (linear range 0-0.030 mM).



$$\text{Slope} = 1.21 \times 10^7 \text{ M}^{-1}$$

$$\delta = 8.72 \text{ (N=10)}$$

$$\text{Limit detection} = 3\delta/\text{Slope} = 2.16 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$$

Fig. S27 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different 4-Np concentration (linear range 0-0.030 mM).

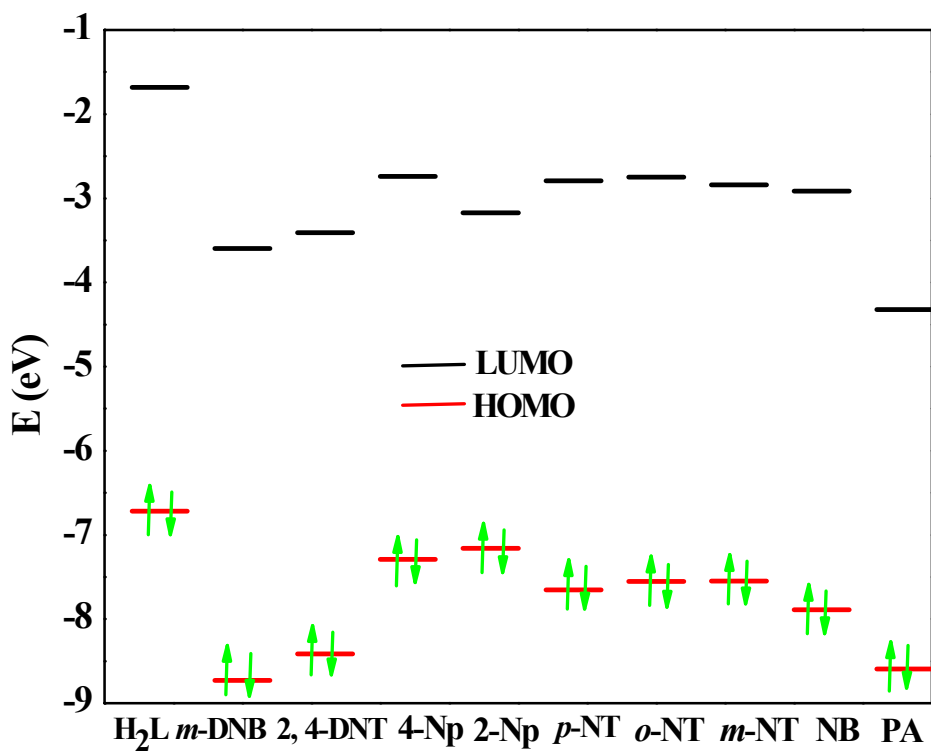


Fig. S28 HOMO and LUMO of H_2L ligand and NACs.

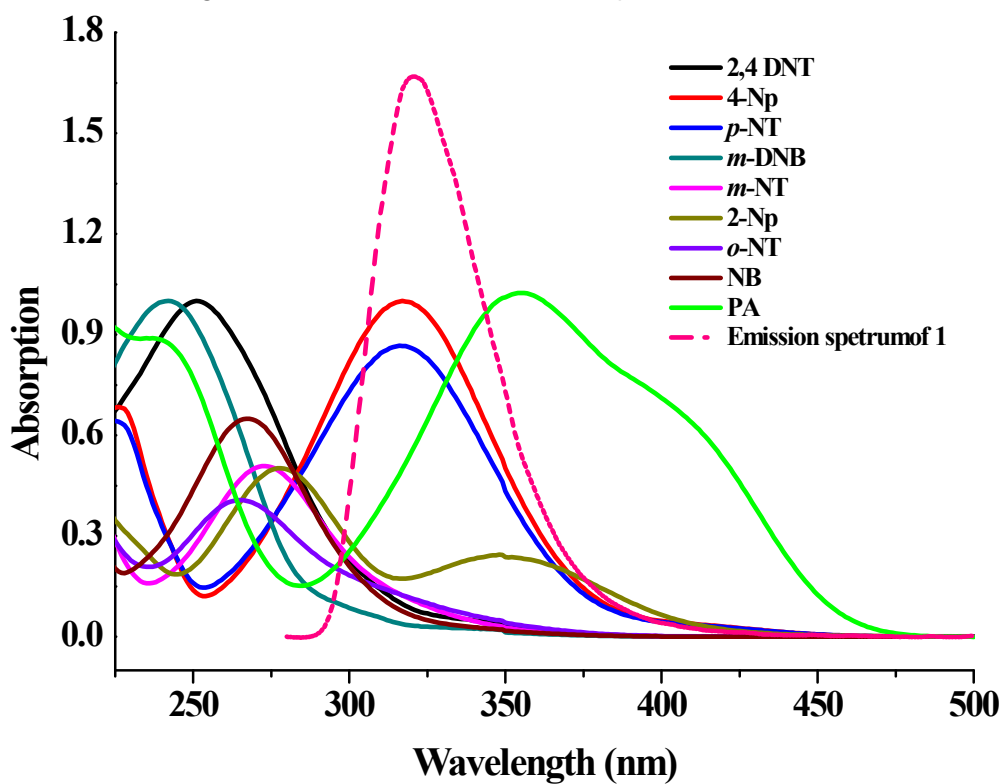
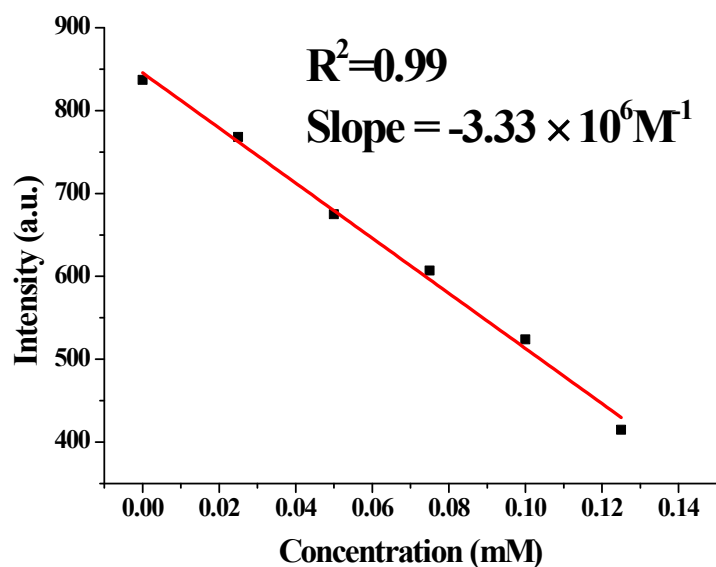


Fig. S29 Spectral overlap between normalized absorbance spectra of NACS and emission spectra of 1.



Linear Equation: $Y = -3325.7X + 845.52$ $R = 0.9940$

Slope = $3.33 \times 10^6 \text{ M}^{-1}$

$\delta = 8.71$ (N=10)

Limit detection = $3\delta/\text{Slope} = 7.85 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$

Fig. S30 The fitting curve of the luminescence intensity of **1** at different Fe^{3+} concentration (linear range 0-0.13 mM).

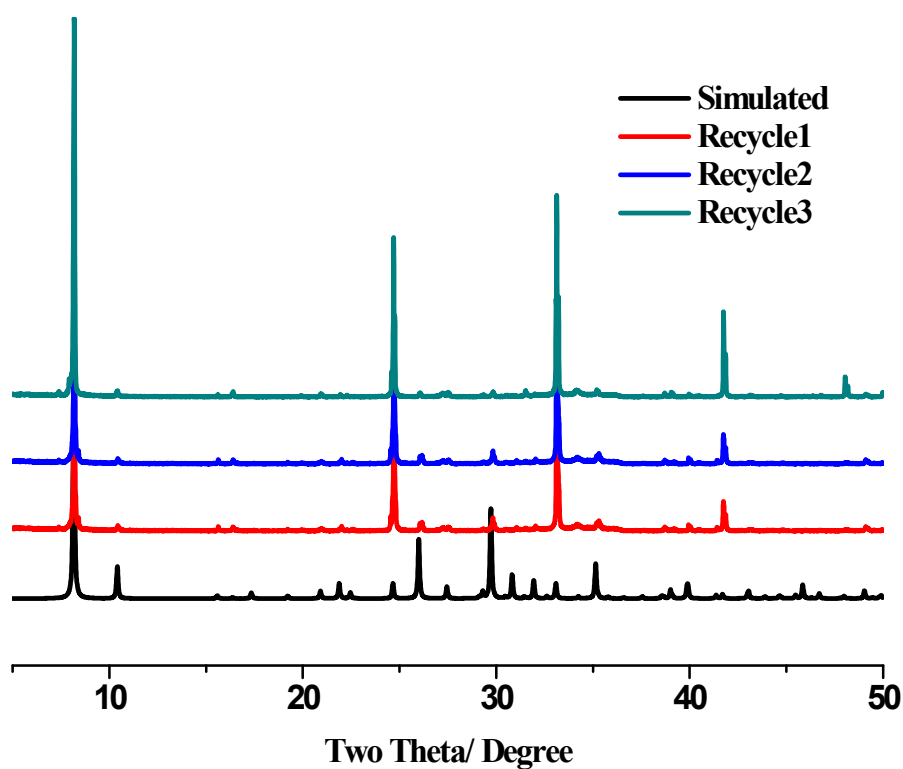


Fig. S31 Power XRD patterns of **1** after three recycles

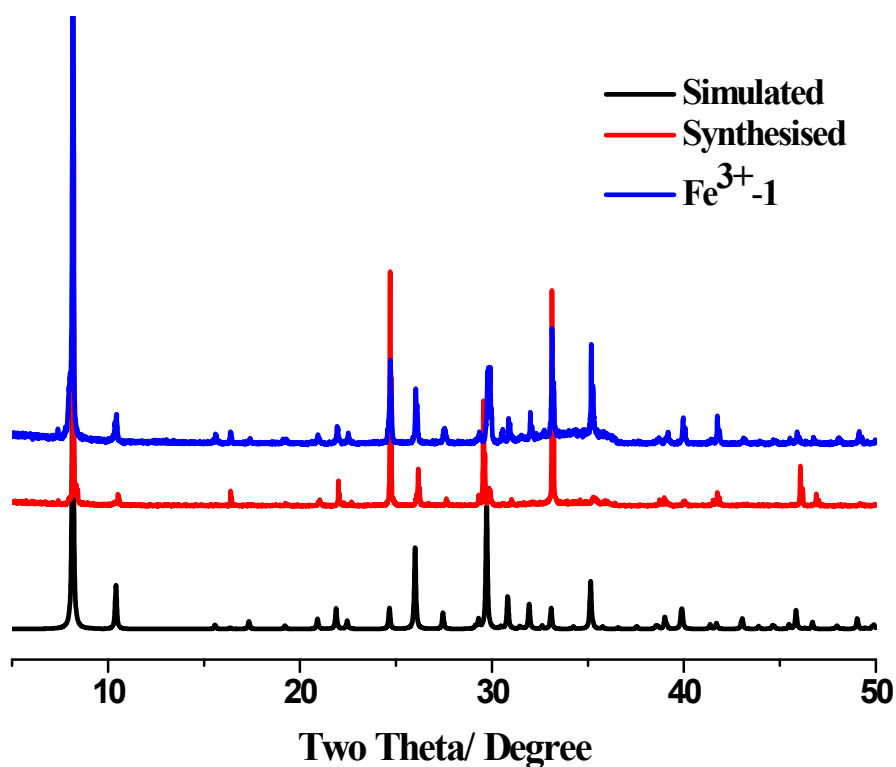


Fig. S32 Powder XRD patterns of simulated from the single-crystal data of **1** and synthesized compound and Fe³⁺-1

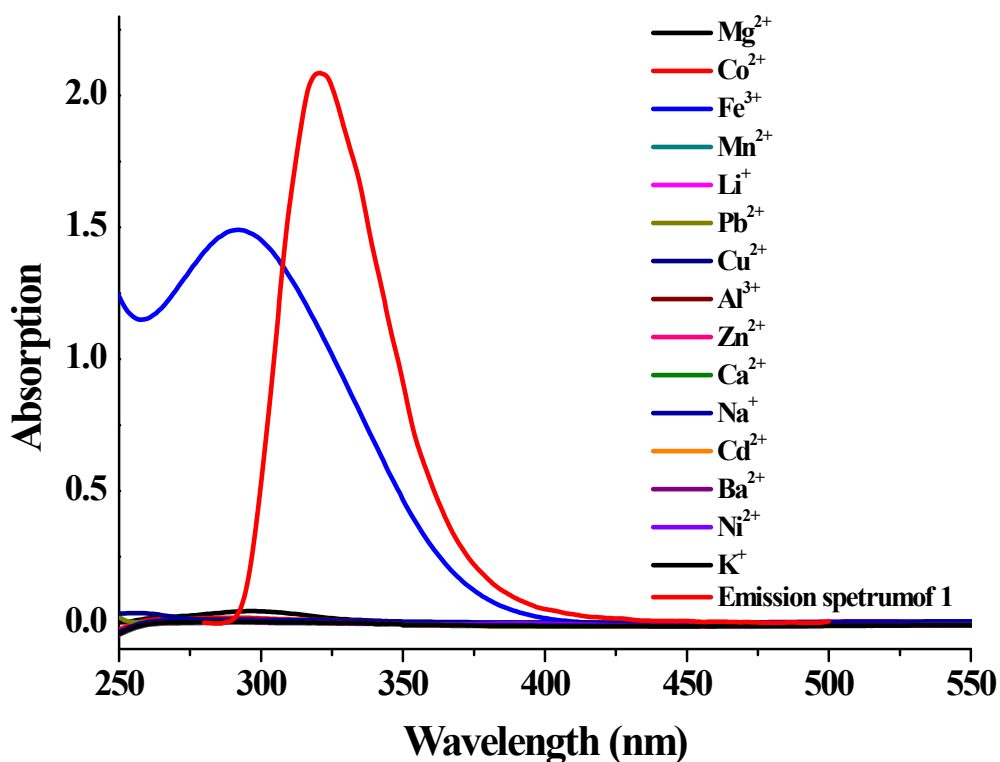


Fig. S33 Spectral overlap between absorbance spectra of metal ions and emission spectra of **1**.

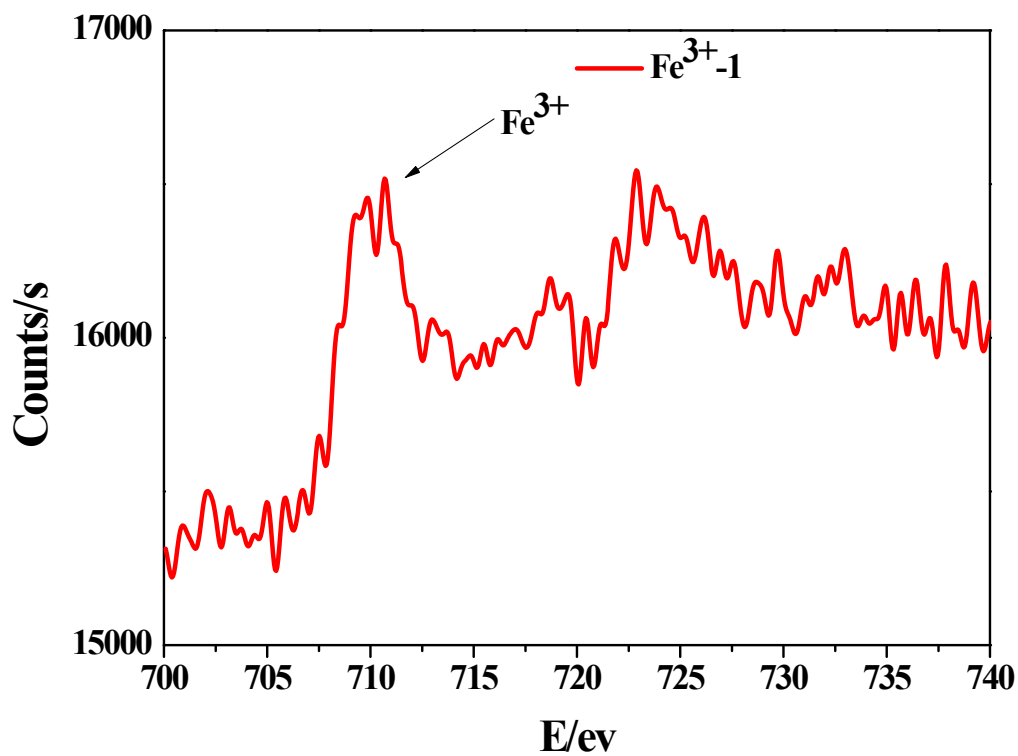


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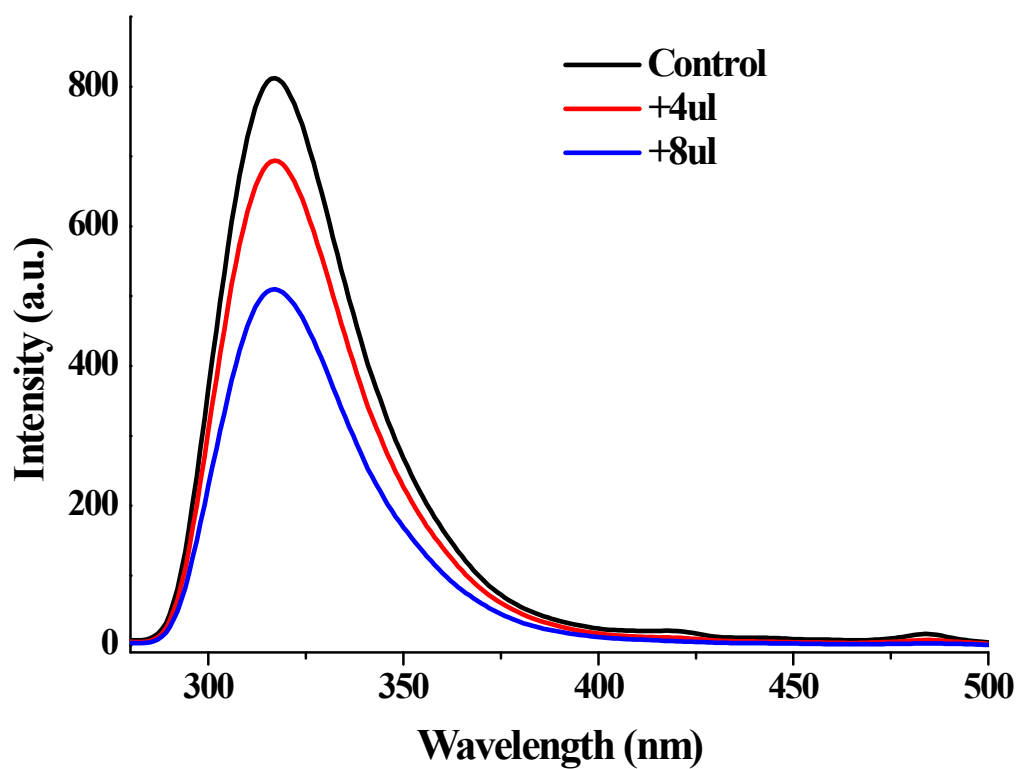


Fig. S35 The luminescence intensity of 1 upon addition 4 μ l and 8 μ l of Fe³⁺ ions (25 mM) in drinking water.

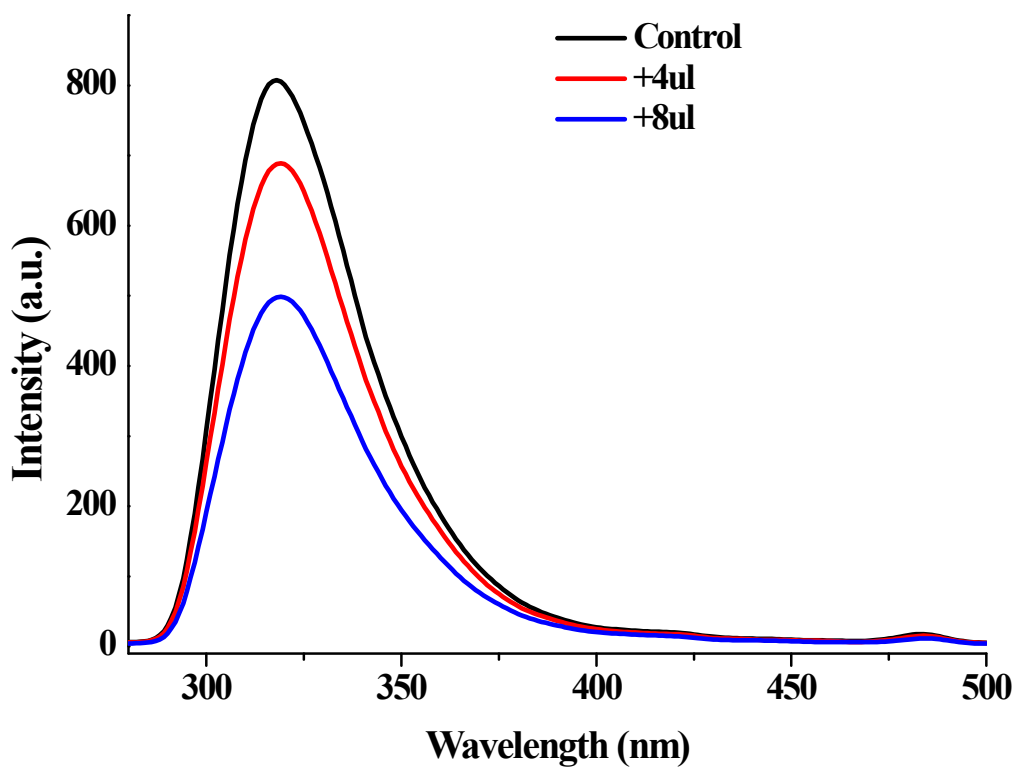


Fig. S36 The luminescence intensity of 1 upon addition 4 μl and 8 μl of Fe^{3+} ions (25 mM) in tap water.

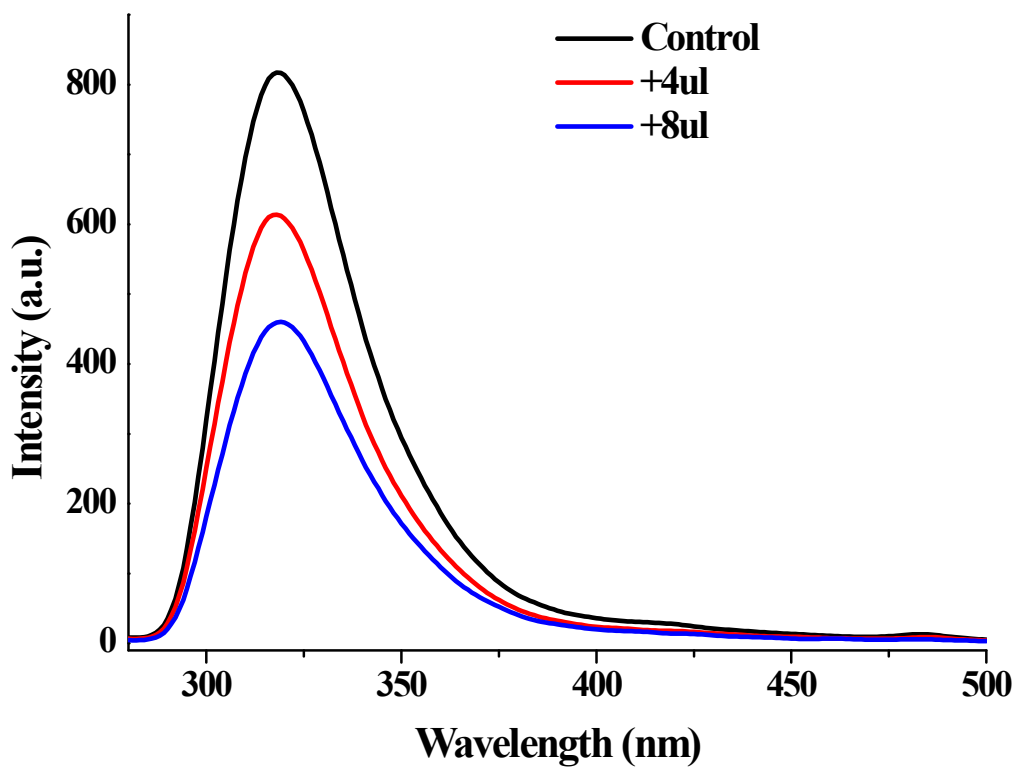


Fig. S37 The luminescence intensity of 1 upon addition 4 μl and 8 μl of Fe^{3+} ions (25 mM) in river water.

Table captionTable S1 Selected bond lengths (Å) and angles (°) for **1**

Pb1-O2	2.383(3)	Pb2-O1	2.607(4)
Pb2-O2	2.216(3)	Pb2-N1	2.695(11)
O2 ³ -Pb1-O2	113.43(10)	O1 ⁴ -Pb2-N1	149.6(3)
O2 ¹ -Pb1-O2	74.91(12)	O2-Pb2-O1 ⁵	79.3(2)
O2 ¹ -Pb1-O2 ³	113.42(10)	O2-Pb2-O2 ¹	81.69(11)
O2 ² -Pb1-O2	70.0(2)	O2-Pb2-N1	77.78(17)

Symmetry codes ¹+X,+Y,3/2-Z; ²1-X,1-Y,2-Z; ³1-X,1-Y,-1/2+Z; ⁴-1/2+X,-1/2+Y,+Z;TableS2 Summary of quenching constants (K_{SV}) for **1** sensing of NACs at room temperature

Analytes	$K_{SV}(M^{-1})$
PA	5.98×10^4
2,4-DNT	5.92×10^4
<i>m</i> -DNB	5.29×10^4
NB	2.85×10^4
<i>p</i> -NT	4.51×10^4
<i>o</i> -NT	1.68×10^4
<i>m</i> -NT	1.99×10^4
2-Np	2.10×10^4
4-Np	3.31×10^4

TableS3 Summary of Limit detection (M) for **1** sensing of NACs at room temperature

Nitro explosives	Slope(M^{-1})	Limit detection(M)
PA	1.65×10^7	1.58×10^{-6}
NB	1.17×10^7	2.24×10^{-6}
<i>m</i> -DNB	1.36×10^7	1.92×10^{-6}
<i>o</i> -NT	7.41×10^6	3.53×10^{-6}
<i>m</i> -NT	1.05×10^7	2.49×10^{-6}

<i>p</i> -NT	1.61×10 ⁷	1.62×10 ⁻⁶
2,4-DNT	1.60×10 ⁷	1.63×10 ⁻⁶
2-Np	1.06×10 ⁷	2.46×10 ⁻⁶
4-Np	1.21×10 ⁷	2.16×10 ⁻⁶

Molecular Orbital Calculations

The electronic properties of L ligand and NACs were studied utilizing the density functional theory (DFT) computation. Gaussian 09 suite of programs and a hybrid functional, B3LYP were employed. [1-4]

TableS4 HOMO and LUMO energies for calculated NACs and H₂L at B3LYP/6-31G* level of theory[1]

Analytes	Homo(ev)	LUMO(ev)	Bond gap
PA	-8.595166	-4.320934	4.274232
2,4-DNT	-8.41361	-3.409107	5.004502
<i>p</i> -NT	-7.655022	-2.792225	4.862798
NB	-7.887787	-2.912631	4.975156
<i>m</i> -DNB	-8.730522	-3.596104	5.134419
<i>o</i> -NT	-7.554773	-2.746777	4.807996
<i>m</i> -NT	-7.55031	-2.838932	4.711378
2-Np	-7.160373	-3.172671	3.987702
4-Np	-7.290064	-2.73967	4.550394
H ₂ L	-6.717239	-1.682964	5.034275

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