

Supporting information

Realizing Enhanced Luminescence of Silver Nanoclusters- Peptide Soft Hydrogels by PEI Reinforcement

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Table S1 The states and fluorescence behavior of different samples.

Sample	State	Fluorescence behavior
1 mM Ag ₆ -NCs	S	No Fluorescence
2 mM DD-5	S	No Fluorescence
0.1 μM PEI	S	No Fluorescence
2 mM DD-5-0.05 μM PEI	S	No Fluorescence
1 mM Ag ₆ -0.05 μM PEI	S	Weak Fluorescence
1 mM Ag ₆ -2 mM DD-5	G	Weak Fluorescence

Solution: S; Hydrogel: G

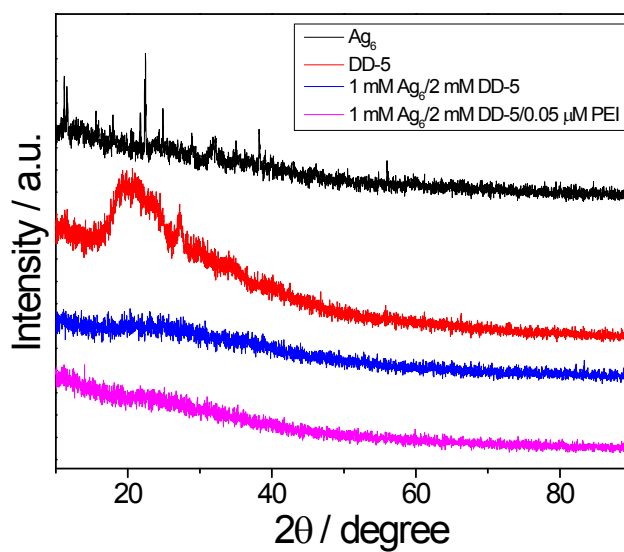


Figure S1 XRD patterns of different samples.

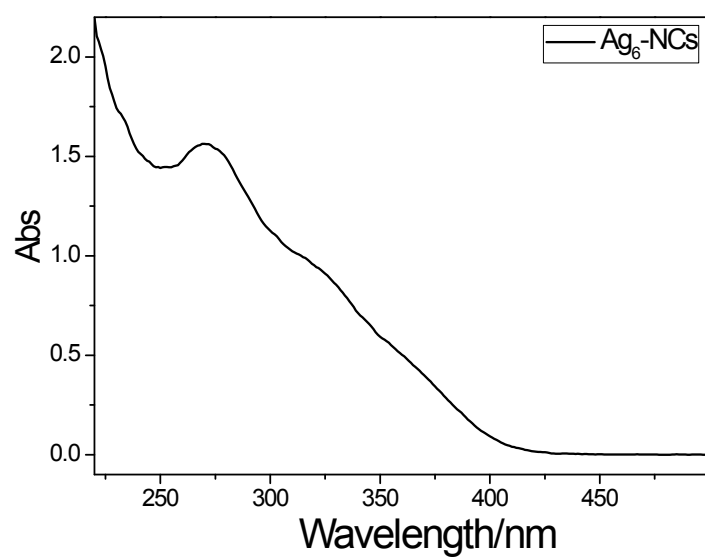


Figure S2. UV-vis spectra of Ag₆-NCs ($c_{\text{Ag6-NCs}}=50\text{ }\mu\text{M}$).

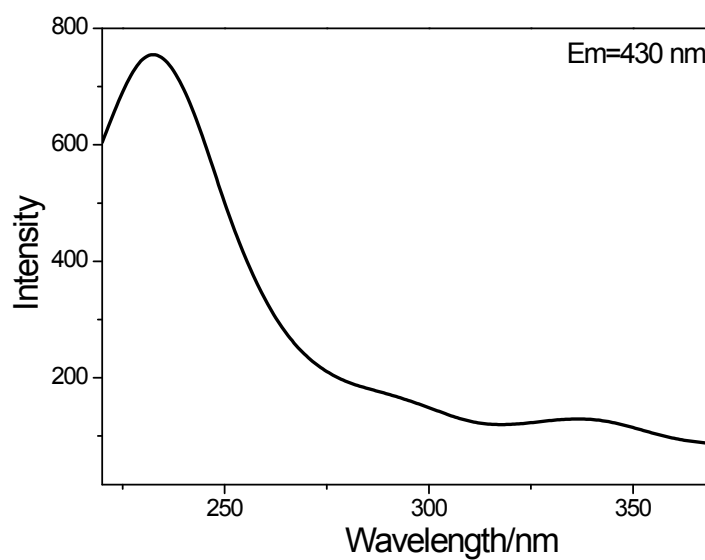


Figure S3. UV-vis spectra of Ag₆-NCs ($c_{\text{Ag6-NCs}}=50\text{ }\mu\text{M}$).

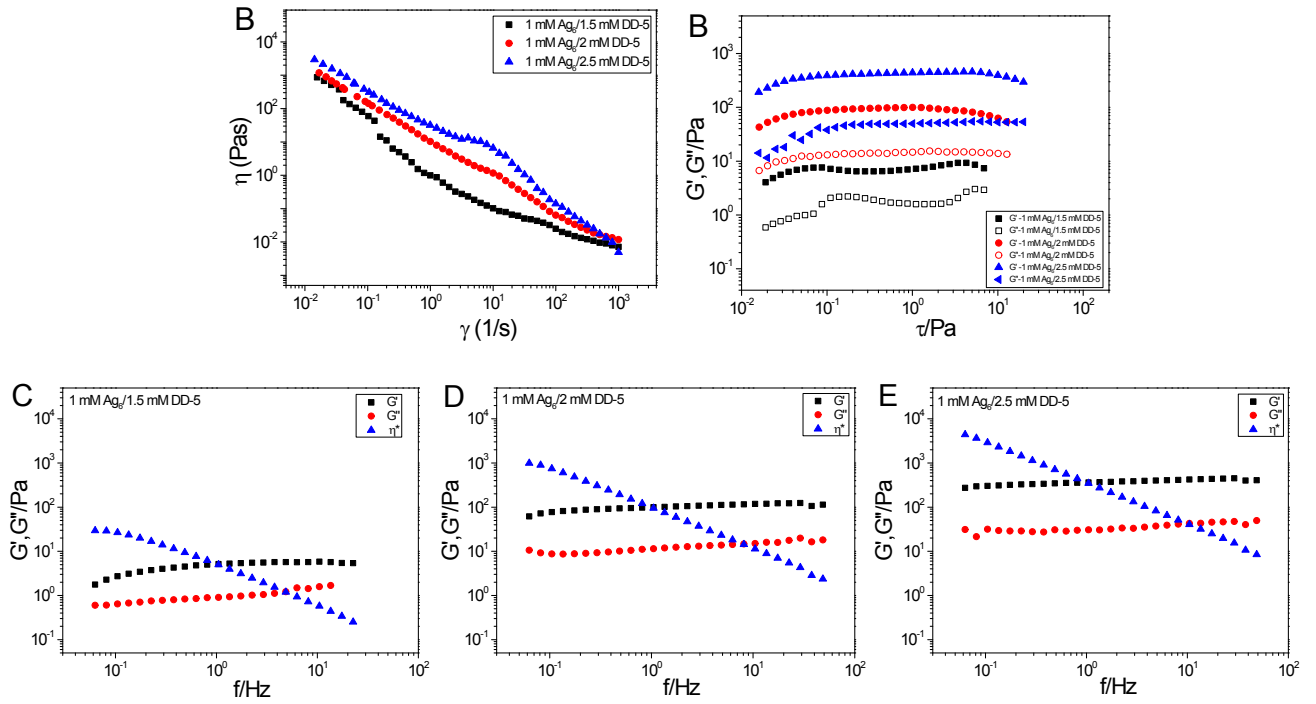


Figure S4 (A) Variation of shear viscosity as a function of shear rate. (B) Elastic modulus (G') and viscous modulus (G'') as a function of the applied stress at a constant frequency (1.0 Hz). (C) Variation of G' and G'' as a function of frequency for the hydrogel of 1 mM Ag₆-NCs/1.5 mM DD-5. (D) Variation of G' and G'' as a function of frequency for the hydrogel of 1 mM Ag₆-NCs/2 mM DD-5. (E) Variation of G' and G'' as a function of frequency for the hydrogel of 1 mM Ag₆-NCs/2.5 mM DD-5.