

Fig. S1 FomA protein model with the color marked Ac-KGHGNGEEGTPTVHNE-NH₂ peptide building loop number 4.

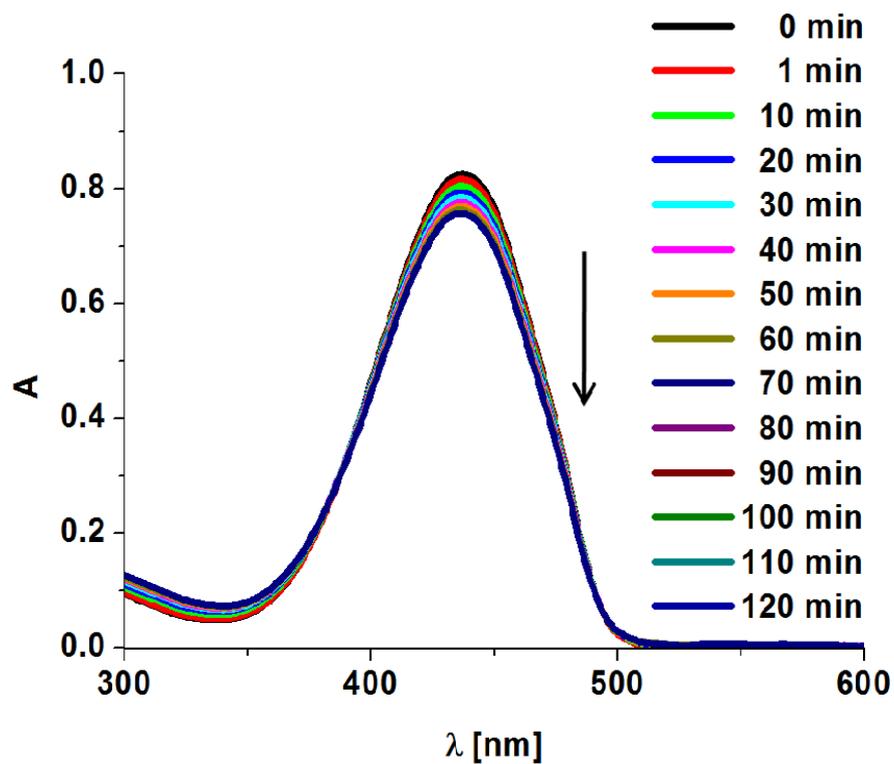


Fig. S2 NDMA decay UV-Vis spectra for **1Cu** in the presence of H_2O_2 ($50 \mu\text{M}$) after 2 hours of measurements ($\text{Cu:L} = 1:1$ molar ratio, $[\text{Cu(II)}] = 50 \mu\text{M}$).

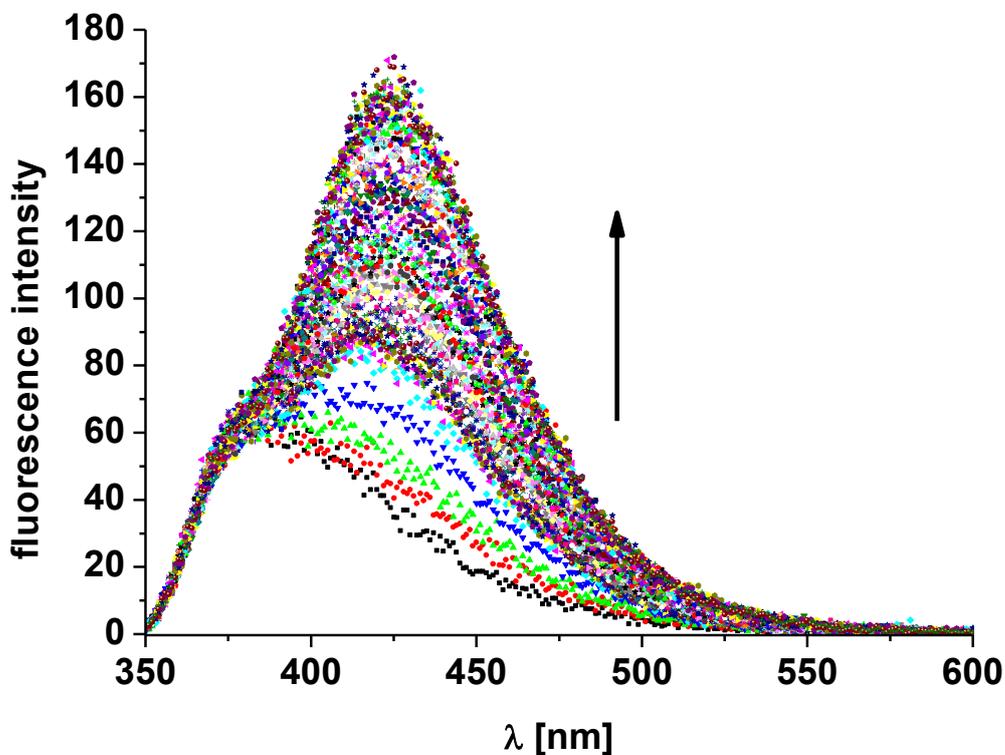


Fig. S3 Fluorescence spectra of TAOH formation for **2Cu** in the presence of H_2O_2 ($50 \mu\text{M}$) measured with 1 minute intervals for 1 hour ($\text{Cu:L} = 1:1$ molar ratio, $[\text{Cu(II)}] = 50 \mu\text{M}$).

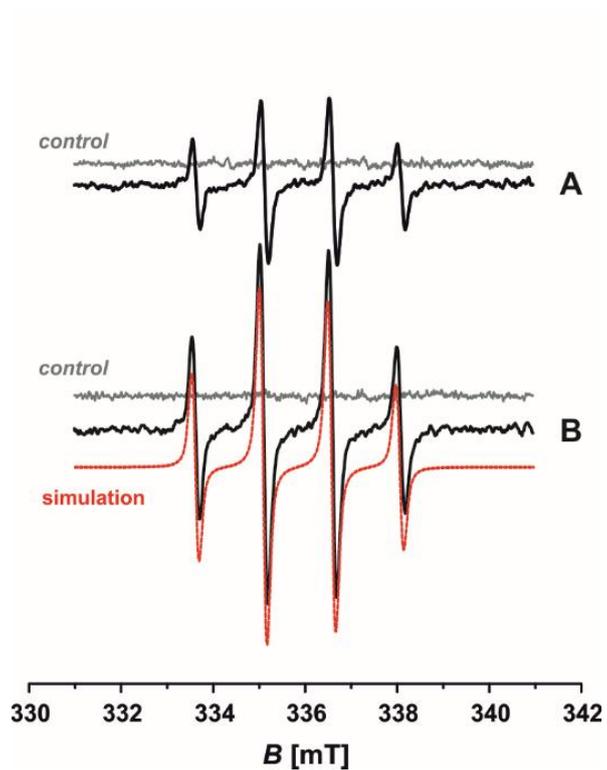


Fig. S4 EPR spectra (common intensity scale) of DMPO spin adducts formed during reaction of 50 μ M of **1Cu** (A) and **2Cu** (B) with H_2O_2 . EPR spectra for controls were recorded in the absence of the copper compounds.

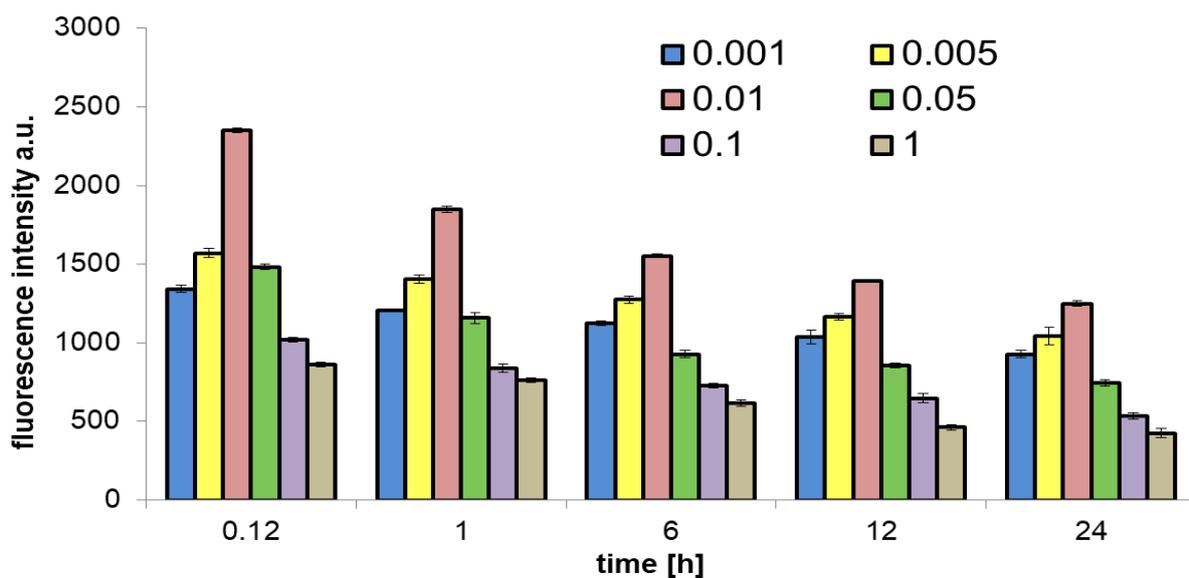


Fig. S5 Reduction of fluorescence intensity of CT26 cells incubated with **1Cu** at increasing incubation time observed using cyto-ID hypoxia/oxidative stress detection kit. Concentration of **1Cu** from 0.001 mM to 1 mM.

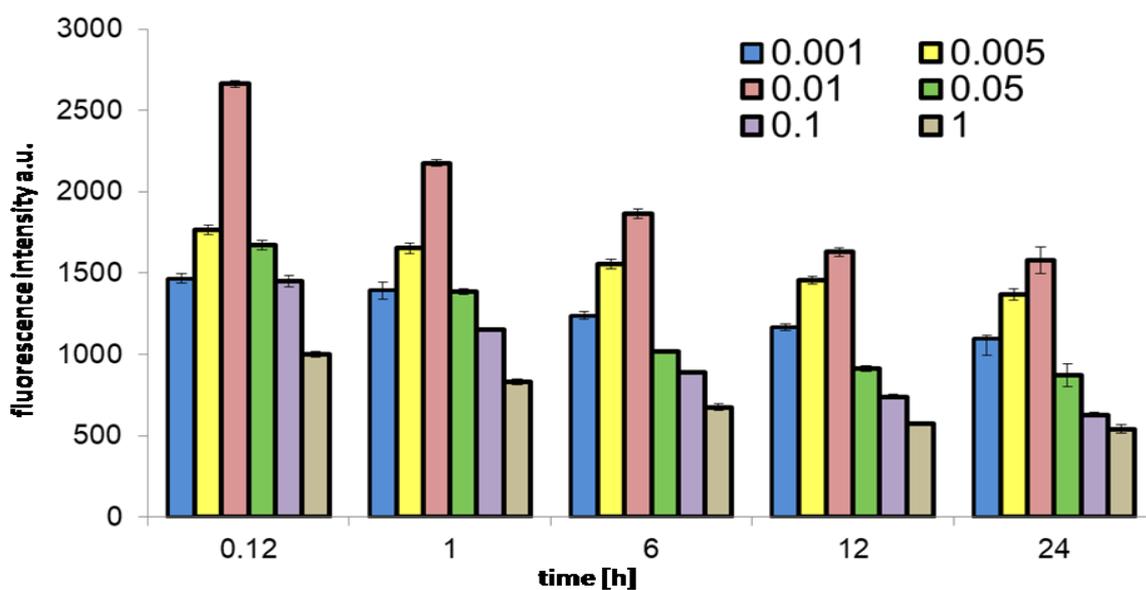


Fig. S6 Reduction of fluorescence intensity of CT26 cells incubated with **2Cu** at increasing incubation time observed using cyto-ID hypoxia/oxidative stress detection kit. Concentration of **2Cu** from 0.001 mM to 1 mM.

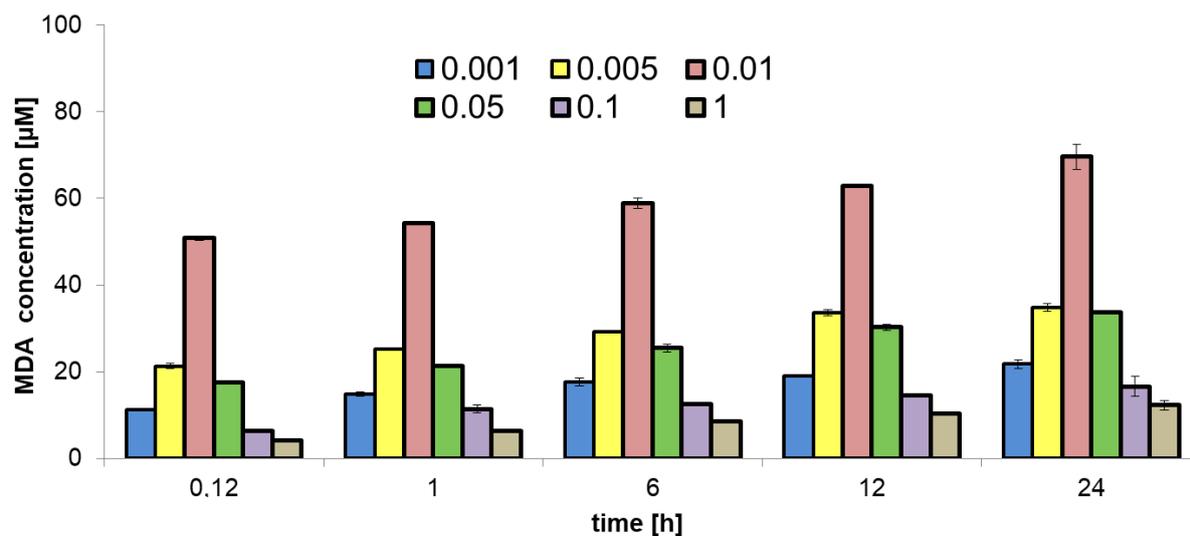


Fig. S7 MDA concentration in CT26 cells treated with **1Cu** of 0.001, 0.005, 0.01, 0.05, 0.1 and 1 mM after 5min, 1, 6, 12 and 24h incubation with the complex.

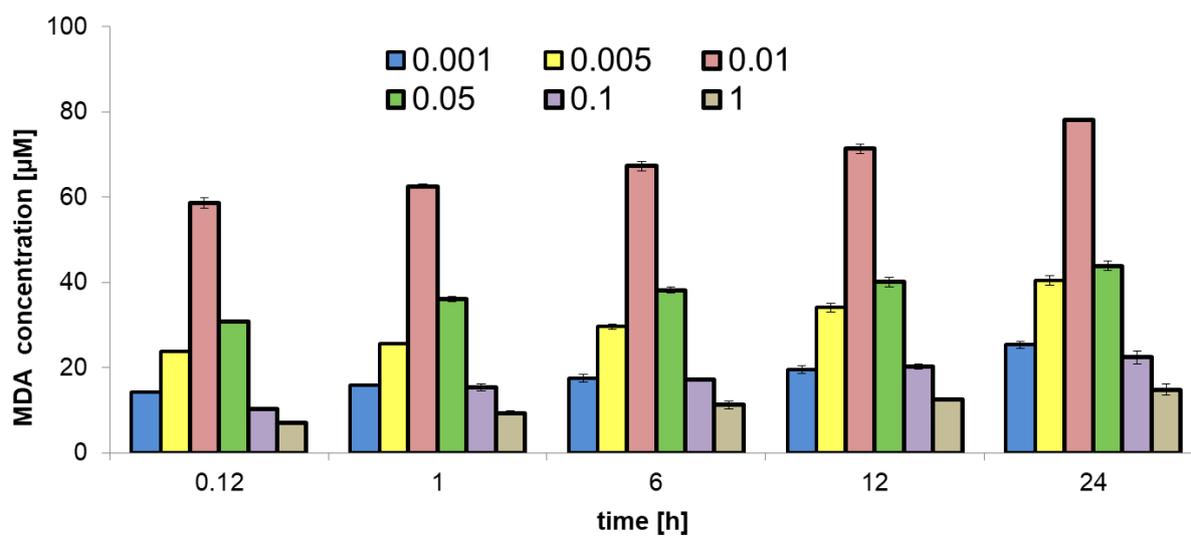


Fig. S8 MDA concentration in CT26 cells treated with **2Cu** of 0.001, 0.005, 0.01, 0.05, 0.1 and 1 mM after 5min, 1, 6, 12 and 24h incubation with the complex.