

Supporting information

High efficiency green TADF emitters of acridine donor and triazine acceptor D-A-D structure

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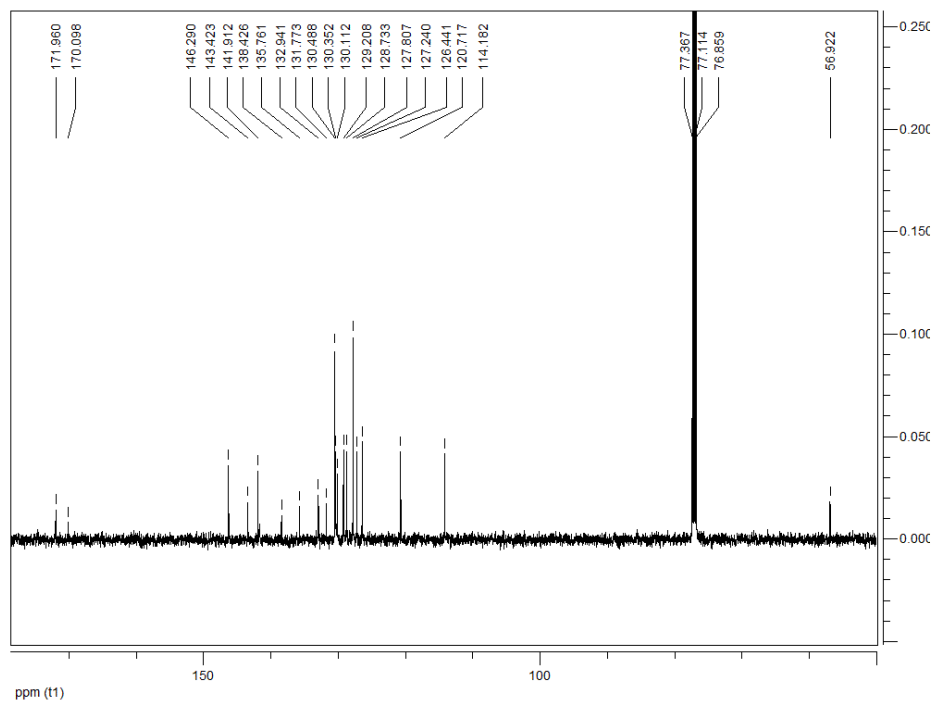


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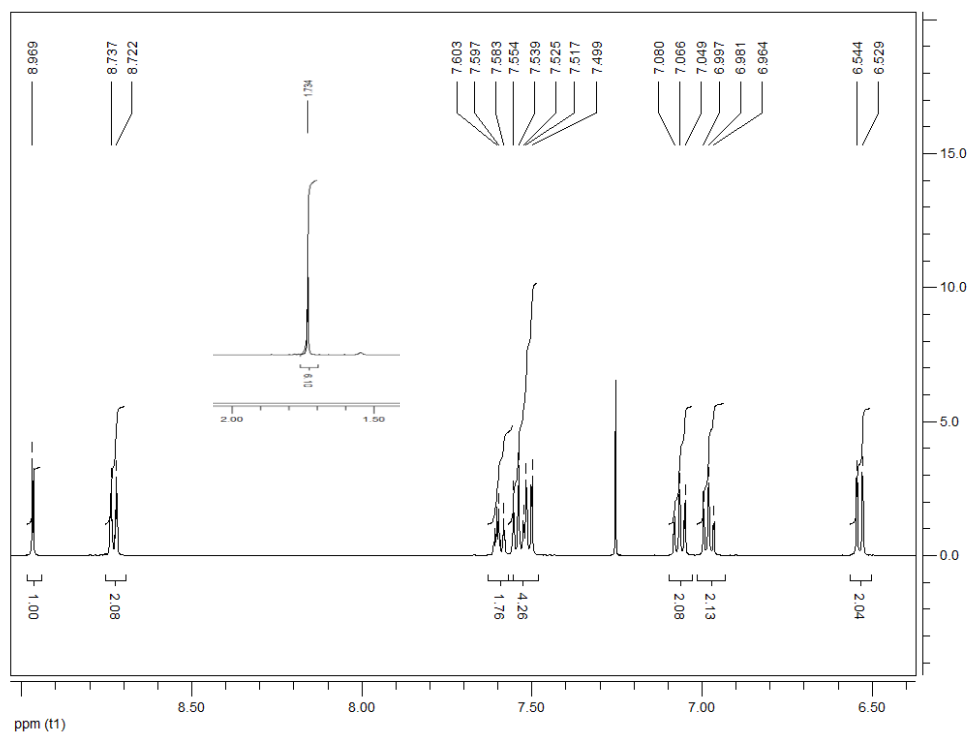


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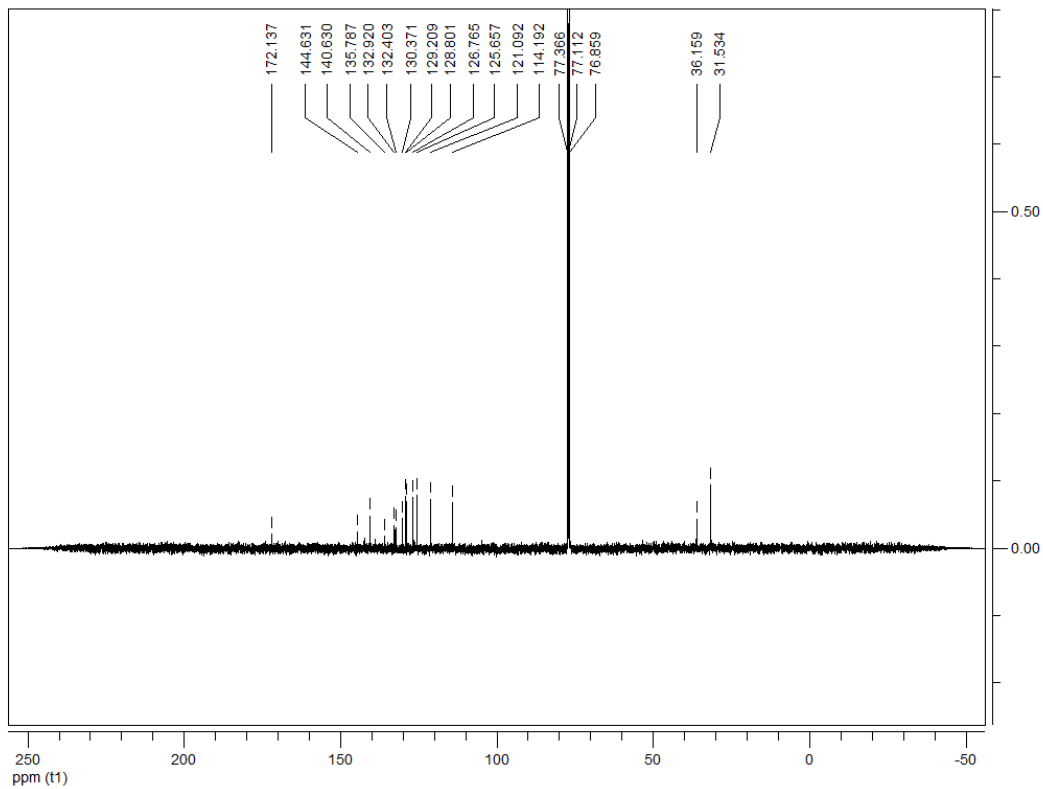


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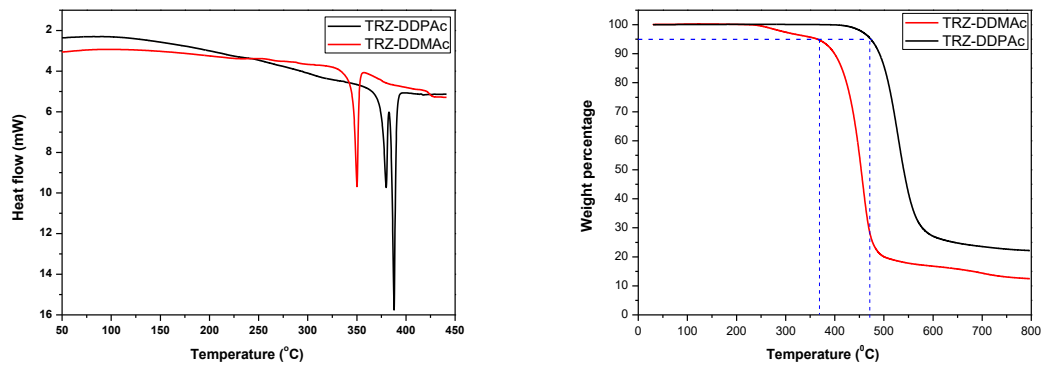


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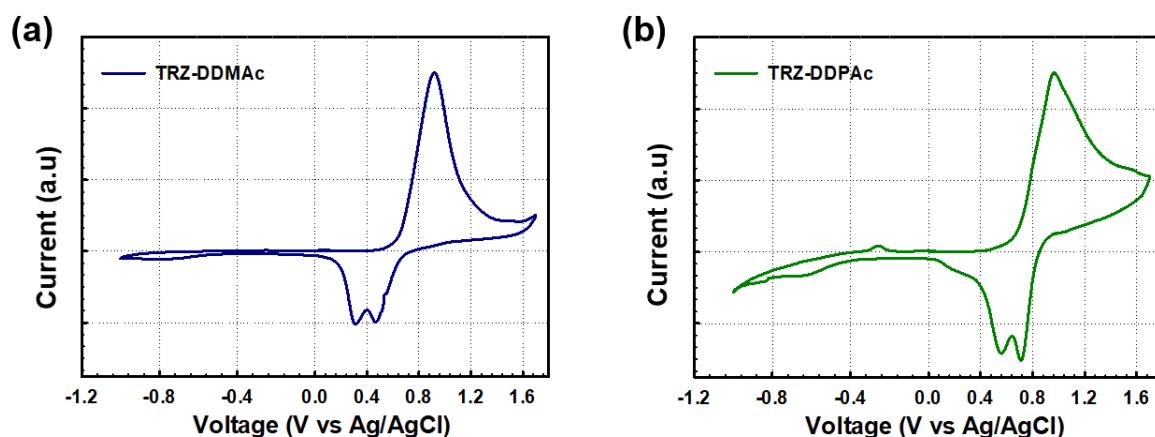


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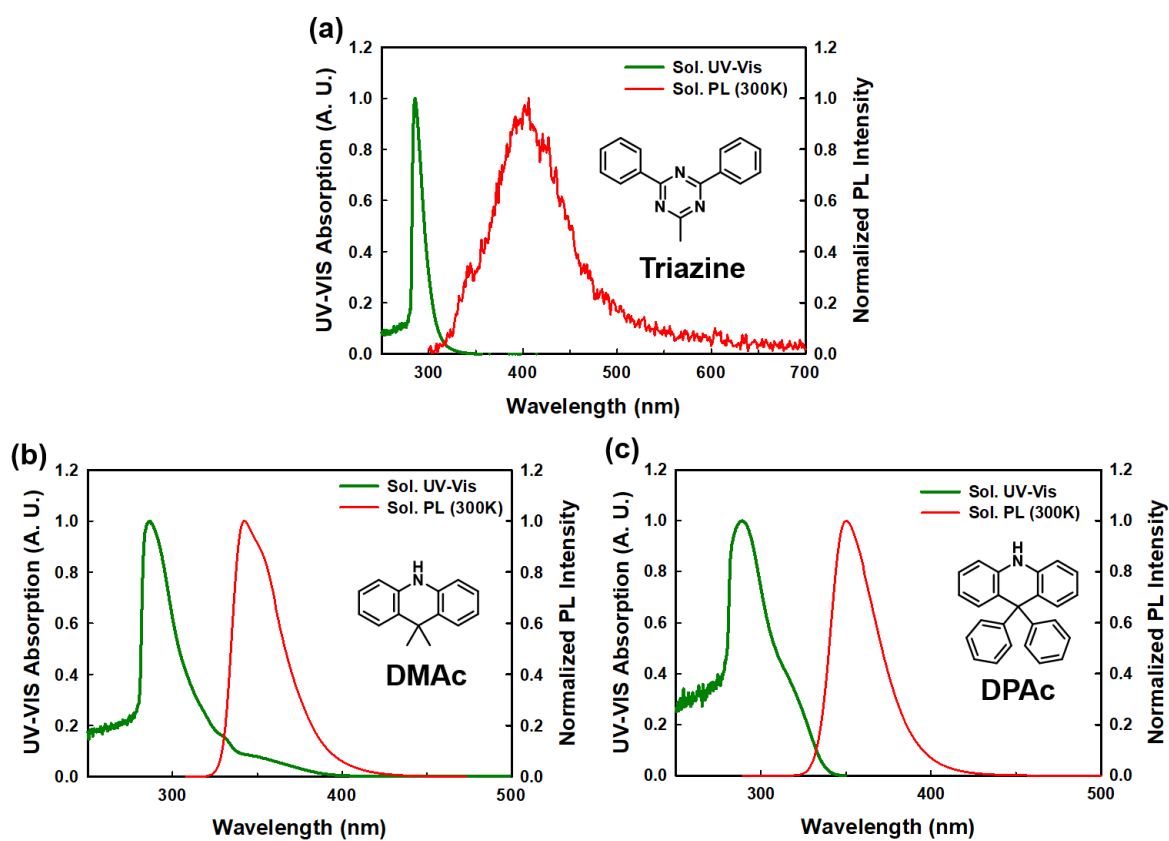


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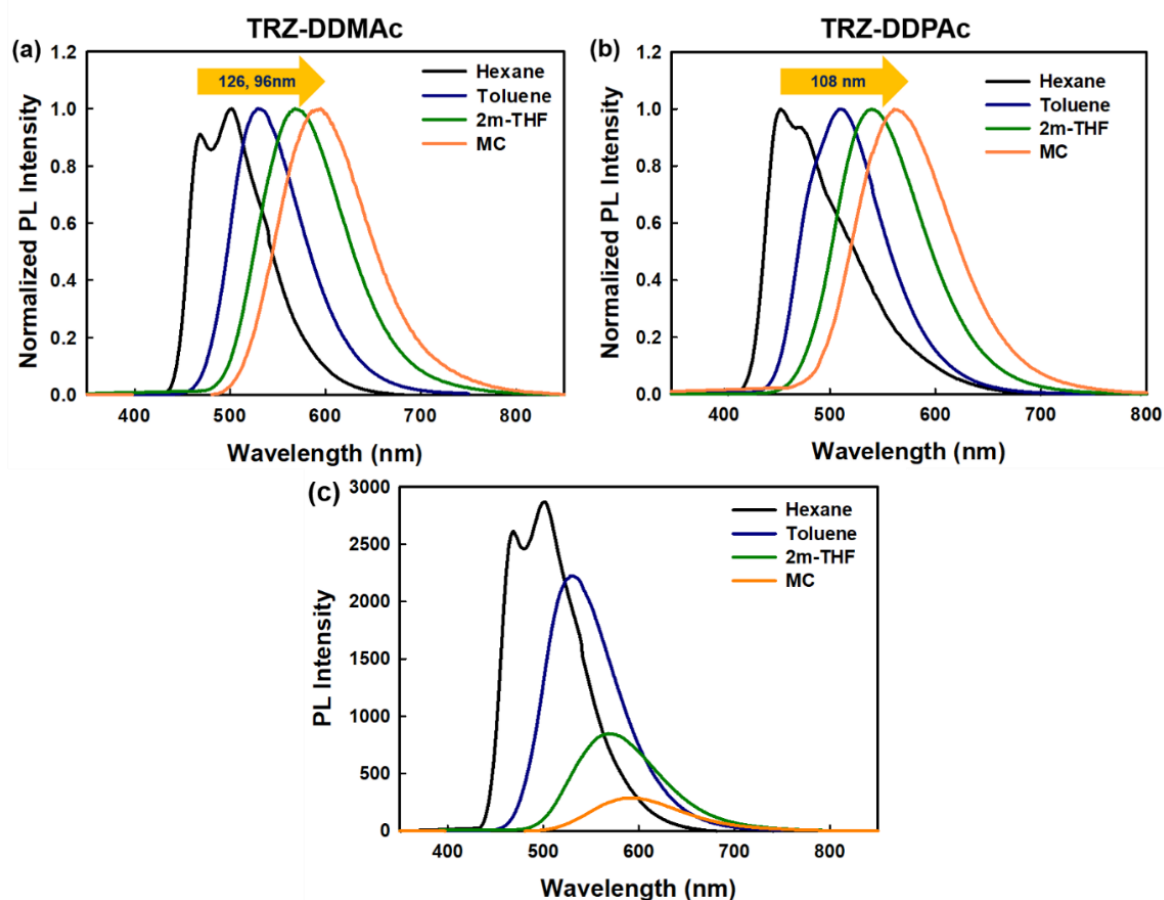


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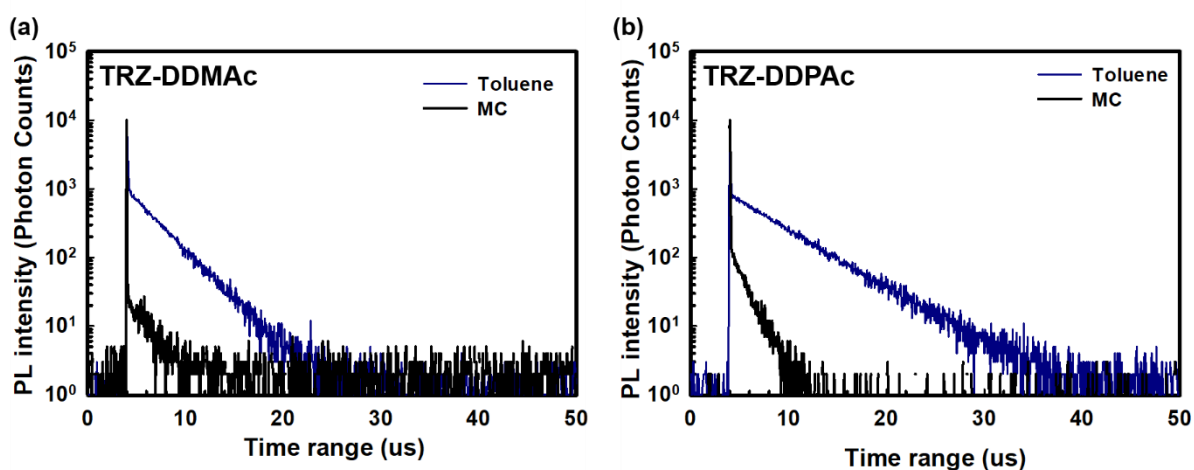


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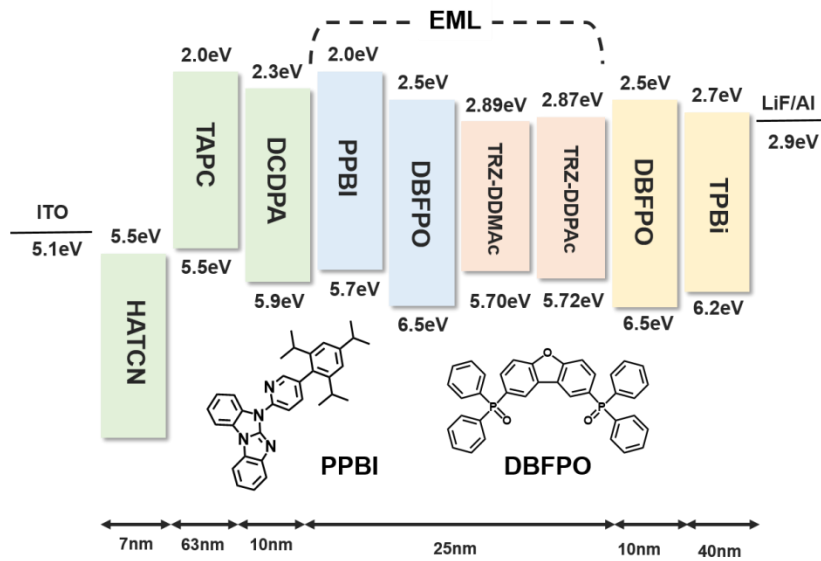


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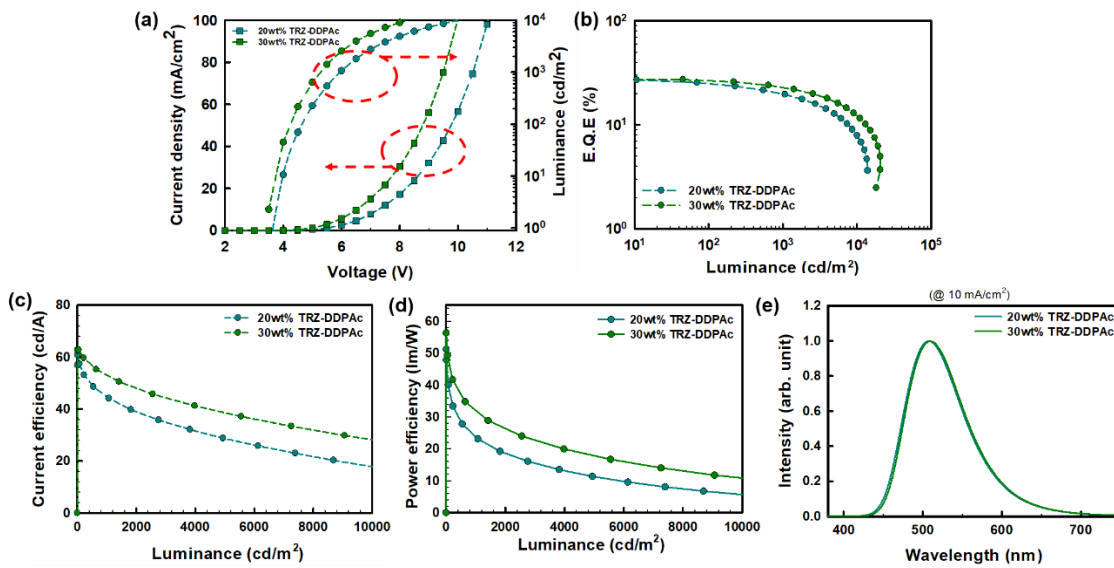


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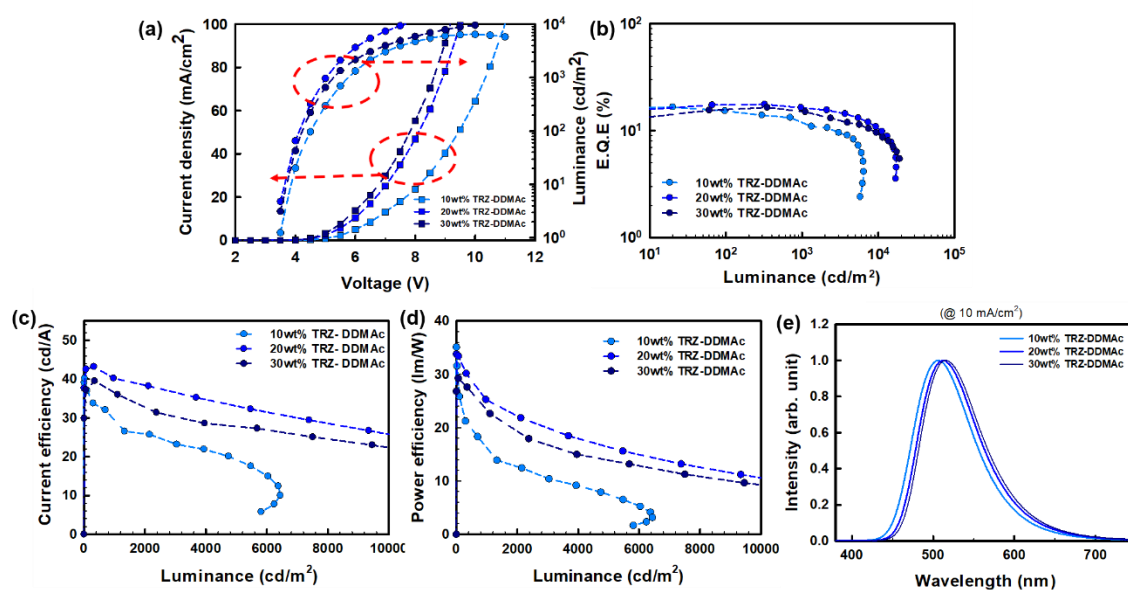


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Table S1. The PLQY value of various doping concentration with DBFPO and PPBI hosts.

	20wt% DBFPO	20wt% PPBI
TRZ-DDMAc	47.95 %	52.73 %
	30wt% DBFPO	30wt% PPBI
TRZ-DDPAc	79.67%	74.45%

Table S2. The calculated rate constant values of TRZ-DDMAc with reported method¹.

TADF emitter	$\Phi_{\text{total}}^{\text{a}}$ (%)	$\Phi_{\text{p}}^{\text{b}}$ (%)	$\Phi_{\text{d}}^{\text{b}}$ (%)	$\tau_{\text{p}}^{\text{c}}$ (ns)	T_{d}^{c} (μs)	k_{p}^{d} ($\times 10^7$ s^{-1})	k_{d}^{d} ($\times 10^4$ s^{-1})	$k_{\text{ISC}}^{\text{d}}$ ($\times 10^7$ s^{-1})	$k_{\text{nr}}^{\text{Sd}}$ ($\times 10^5$ s^{-1})
TRZ-DDMAc ^e	47.9	15.2	32.7	38.9	8.01	2.57	12.5	1.76	42.4

^aAbsolute PLQYs measured doped film in the integral sphere, ^bThe prompt or delayed portion of total PLQY under N_2 atmosphere, ^cThe prompt and delayed exciton lifetimes of each molecule in doped films at 300 K under N_2 atmosphere, ^dThe rate constants of the prompt fluorescence decay, the delayed fluorescence decay, ISC, and non-radiative, ^eTRZ-DDMAc film was doped 20 % in DBFPO host.

Table S3. Prompt and delayed time of TADF emitters in different solvents.

TADF emitters	Prompt (ns) τ_p		Delayed (us) τ_d	
	Tol	MC	Tol	MC
TRZ-DDMAc	56	11	2.92	1.79
TRZ-DDPAc	39.2	25.8	5.08	1.29

Table S4. Device characteristics of TRZ-DDPAc with different doping concentration.

Devices	Turn-on voltage at 1 cd/m ² (V)	Driving voltage (V)	Current efficiency (cd/A)	Power efficiency (lm/W)	External quantum efficiency (%)	(CIE color)
DBFPO: 20% TRZ-DDPAc	3.5	5.8 ^b	60.9 ^a 45.2 ^b	51.1 ^a 23.7 ^b	27.0 ^a 201 ^b	(0.24, 0.50) ^c
DBFPO: 30% TRZ-DDPAc	3.2	5.3 ^b	62.8 ^a 52.9 ^b	56.3 ^a 32.5 ^b	27.3 ^a 23.8 ^b	(0.25, 0.52) ^c

^aMaximum value, ^bMeasured at 1000 cd/m², ^cMeasured at 10 mA/cm².

Table S5. Device characteristics of TRZ-DDMAc with different doping concentration.

Devices	Turn-on voltage at 1 cd/m ² (V)	Driving voltage (V)	Current efficiency (cd/A)	Power efficiency (lm/W)	External quantum efficiency (%)	(CIE color)
PPBI : 10% TRZ-DDMAc	3.4	5.7 ^b	40.2 ^a 30.0 ^b	35.1 ^a 16.3 ^b	16.6 ^a 12.3 ^b	(0.24, 0.50) ^c
PPBI : 20% TRZ-DDMAc	3.2	5.0 ^b	43.2 ^a 41.0 ^b	33.7 ^a 25.2 ^b	17.6 ^a 16.4 ^b	(0.26 0.54) ^c
PPBI : 30% TRZ-DDMAc	3.1	4.9 ^b	39.5 ^a 36.0 ^b	29.3 ^a 23.4 ^b	16.5 ^a 15.1 ^b	(0.28 0.56) ^c

^aMaximum value, ^bMeasured at 1000 cd/m², ^cMeasured at 10 mA/cm².

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