

*Electronic Supplementary Information*

**A new  $[\text{Co}_{21}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_4(\text{OH})_{12}]^{30+}$  unit incorporated polyoxotungstate for  
sensitive detection of dichlorvos**

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## Section S1 X-ray crystallography

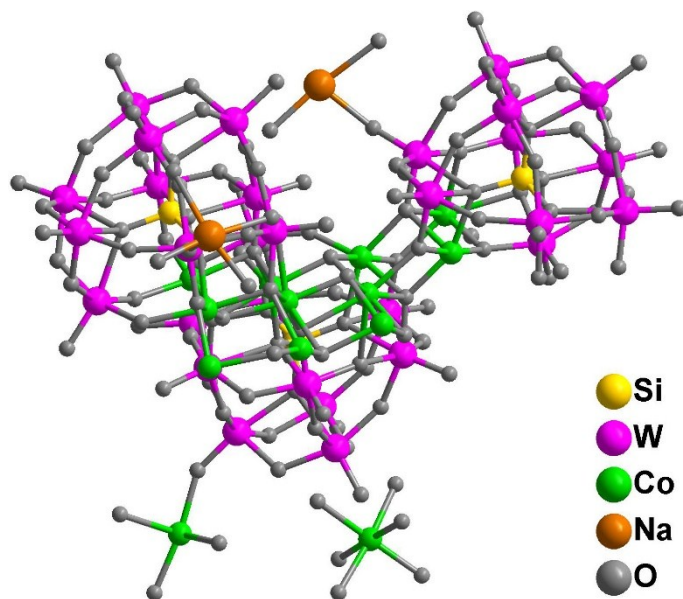


Fig. S1 Ball-and-stick representation of  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$  in an asymmetric unit.

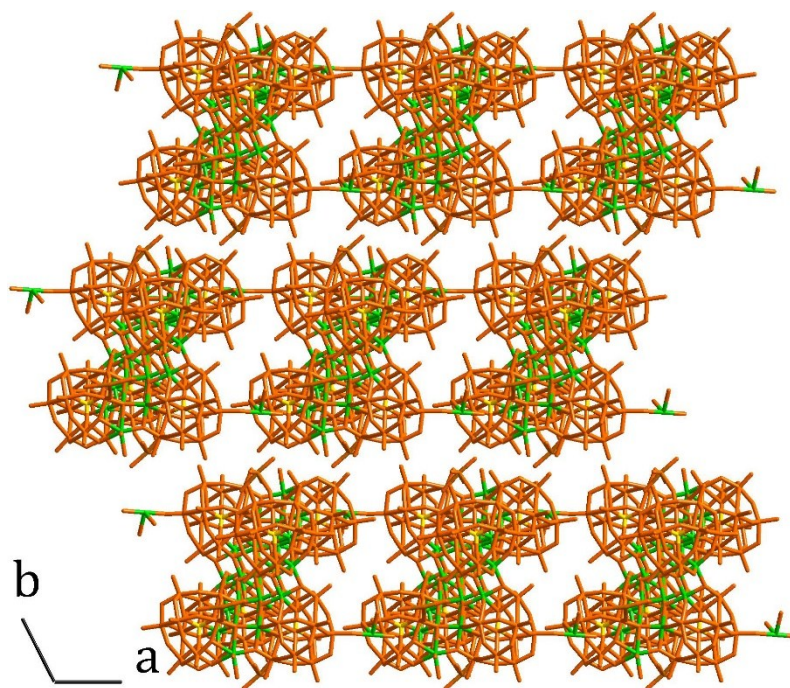


Fig. S2 View of the packing arrangement of  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$  along the  $c$  direction.

**Table S1** Crystallographic data and structure refinement for **Co<sub>25</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>W<sub>60</sub>**.

<b>Co<sub>25</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>W<sub>60</sub></b>	
Empirical formula	Na <sub>22</sub> O <sub>292</sub> H <sub>128</sub> Co <sub>25</sub> Si <sub>6</sub> W <sub>60</sub>
<i>M</i> , g·mol <sup>-1</sup>	17978.85
Crystal system	Triclinic
Space group	<i>P</i> -1
<i>a</i> , Å	19.9421(6)
<i>b</i> , Å	23.2514(8)
<i>c</i> , Å	24.8961(8)
<i>α</i> , deg	98.678(3)
<i>β</i> , deg	110.845(3)
<i>γ</i> , deg	111.285(3)
<i>V</i> , Å <sup>3</sup>	9518.3(5)
<i>Z</i>	1
<i>D</i> <sub>calcd.</sub> , g·cm <sup>-3</sup>	3.052
<i>T</i> , K	293(2)
Refl. collected/unique	67770/37178 ( <i>R</i> <sub>int</sub> = 0.0746)
<i>μ</i> , mm <sup>-1</sup>	41.753
GOF	1.019
<i>R</i> <sub>1</sub> <sup><i>a</i></sup> / <i>wR</i> <sub>2</sub> <sup><i>b</i></sup> ( <i>I</i> > 2σ( <i>I</i> ))	0.0910 / 0.2525
<i>R</i> <sub>1</sub> <sup><i>a</i></sup> , <i>wR</i> <sub>2</sub> <sup><i>b</i></sup> (all data)	0.1491 / 0.3022
Diff peak and hole, e·Å <sup>-3</sup>	4.946 / -3.169

<sup>*a*</sup>  $R_1 = \sum ||F_o| - |F_c|| / \sum |F_o|$ . <sup>*b*</sup>  $wR_2 = [\sum w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2 / \sum w(F_o^2)^2]^{1/2}$ ;  $w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.1727P)^2 + 0.0000P]$ ;  $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$ .

## Section S2 Characterization of $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$

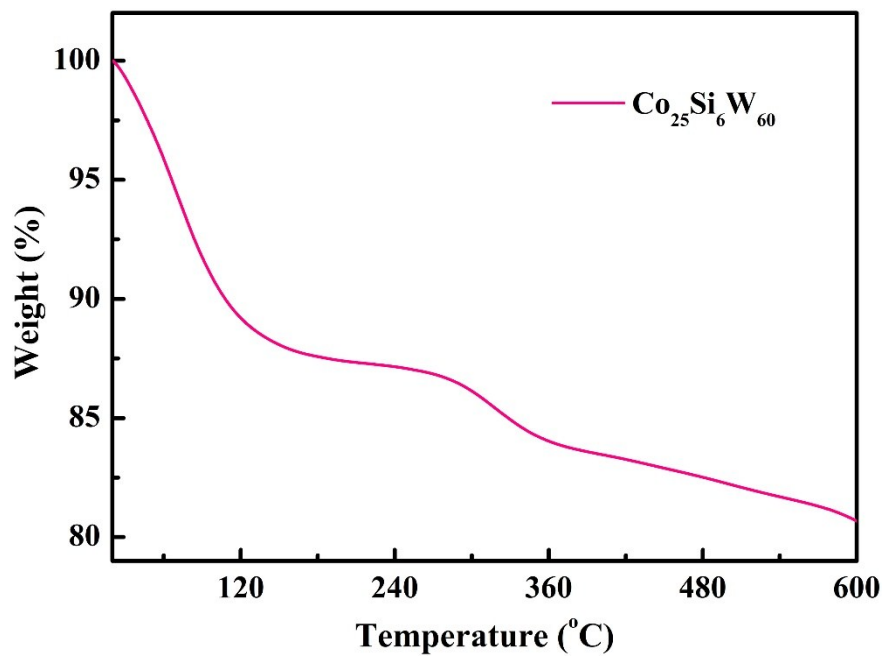


Fig. S3 The TGA curve of  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$  under flowing  $\text{N}_2$  atmosphere.

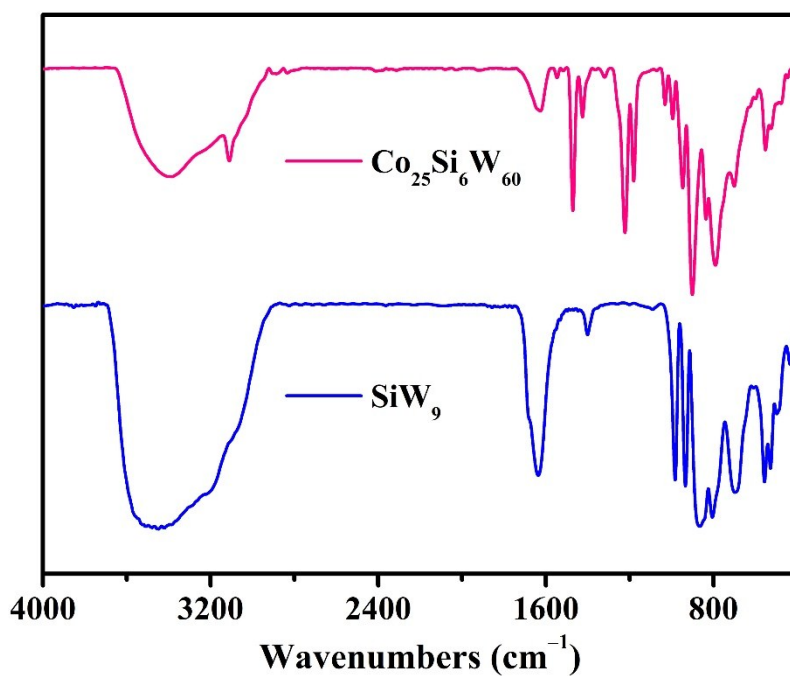


Fig. S4 The IR spectra of  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$  and  $\text{SiW}_9$ .

### Section S3 Electrochemical measurements

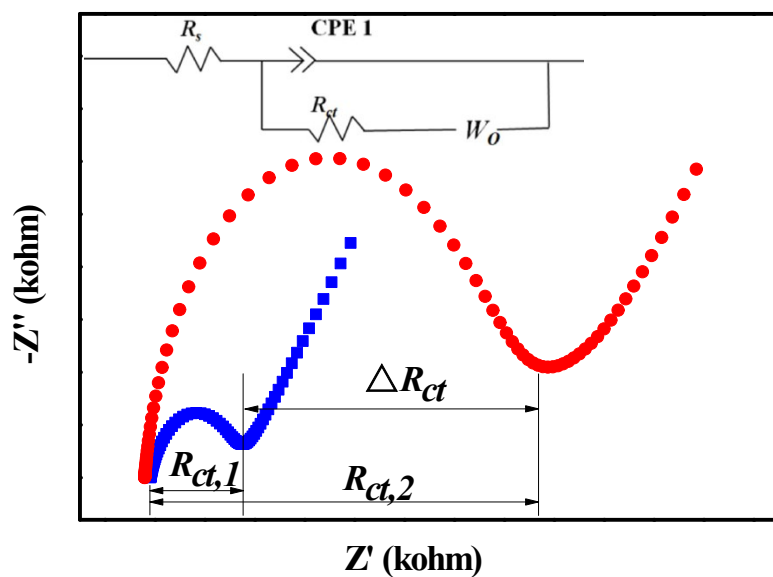


Fig. S5 EIS Nyquist plots and equivalent circuit.

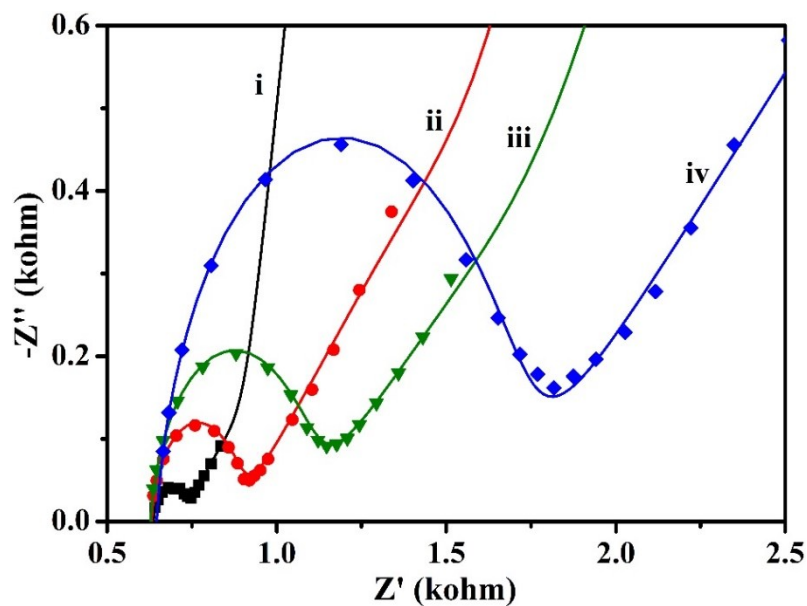
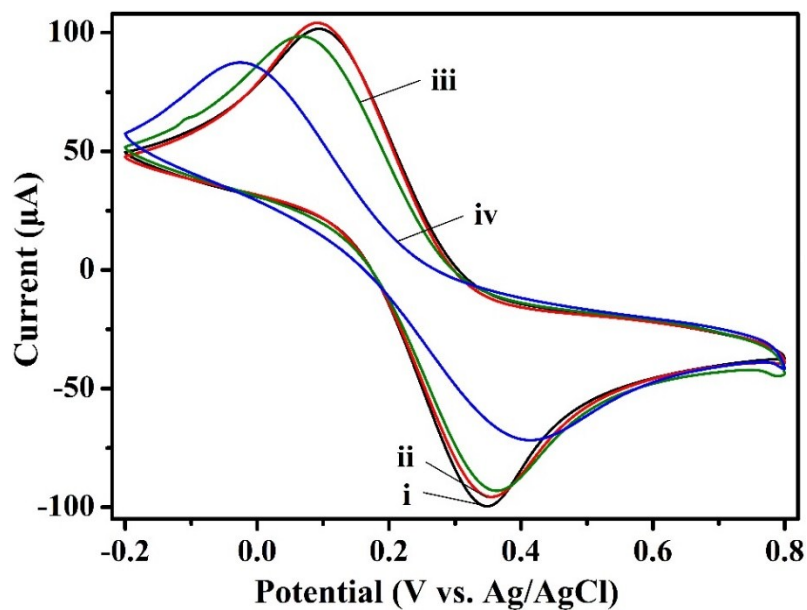
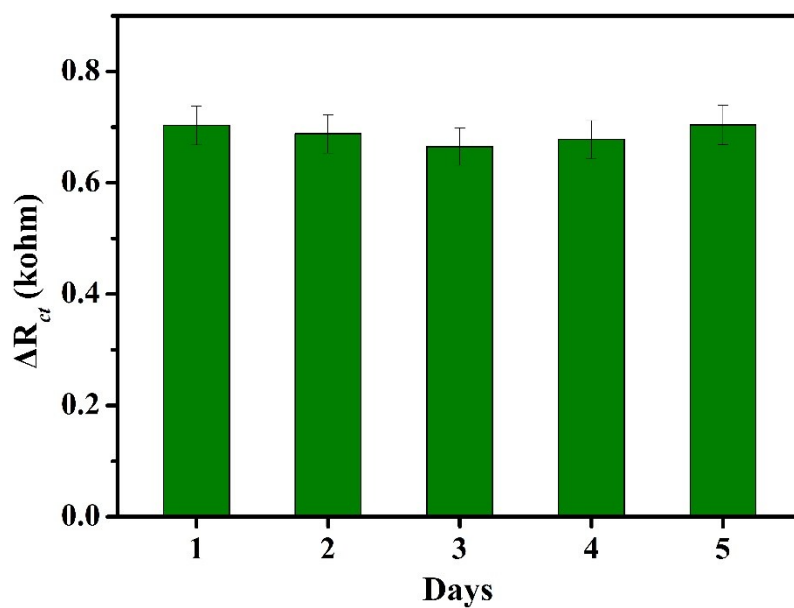


Fig. S6 EIS Nyquist plots for detecting DDV using the developed electrochemical biosensor based on  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$  POM in 5 mM  $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-/4-}$  (0.1 M PBS, pH 7.4) containing 0.14 M NaCl and 1 M KCl: (i) bare AE, (ii)  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}/\text{AE}$ , (iii)  $\text{AChE}/\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}/\text{AE}$ , and (iv)  $\text{DDV}/\text{AChE}/\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}/\text{AE}$ .



**Fig. S7** CV curves for detecting DDV using the developed electrochemical biosensor based on  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$  POM in 5 mM  $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-/4-}$  (0.1 M PBS, pH 7.4) containing 0.14 M NaCl and 1 M KCl: (i) bare AE, (ii)  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}/\text{AE}$ , (iii)  $\text{AChE}/\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}/\text{AE}$ , and (iv)  $\text{DDV}/\text{AChE}/\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}/\text{AE}$ .



**Fig. S8** Stability of the  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$ -based electrochemical biosensor for detecting DDV ( $0.001 \text{ ng} \cdot \text{mL}^{-1}$ ).

**Table S2** Determination of DDV in Top-water by the  $\text{Co}_{25}\text{Si}_6\text{W}_{60}$ -based biosensor.

<b>Added (<math>\text{ng}\cdot\text{mL}^{-1}</math>)</b>	<b>Found (<math>\text{ng}\cdot\text{mL}^{-1}</math>)</b>	<b>Apparent recovery (%)</b>	<b>RSD (%)</b>
1.0	1.00	100.0	1.3
5.0	4.90	98.0	0.6
10.0	10.2	102.0	0.5
50.0	51.1	102.2	0.3
100.0	102.3	102.3	0.3

## Section S4 Comparisons between this work and other works

**Table S3** Comparisons of the proposed method with other DDV-detection methods.

Entry	Materials	Detection method	Line range	LOD
1	<b>Co<sub>25</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>W<sub>60</sub> (this work)</b>	<b>EIS</b>	<b>0.001–0.5 ng·mL<sup>-1</sup></b>	<b>0.30 pg·mL<sup>-1</sup></b>
2	Quenchbody <sup>1</sup>	Chromatographic analysis	0.1–50.0 μg·mL <sup>-1</sup>	0.003 mg·kg <sup>-1</sup>
3	Quenchbody <sup>2</sup>	Chromatographic analysis	0.06–2.4 μg·L <sup>-1</sup>	0.016 μg·L <sup>-1</sup> <sup>1</sup>
4	QDs-nano-ZnTPyP <sup>3</sup>	Observe the change in fluorescence color	1–50 μg·L <sup>-1</sup>	poor
5	Graphene quantum dots <sup>4</sup>	Luminescence	0.45–45.25 μM	0.778 μM
6	CS@TiO <sub>2</sub> -CS/rGO <sup>5</sup>	EIS	0.036–22.6 μM	29 nM
7	Quenchbody <sup>6</sup>	Chromatographic analysis	58.8–225.5 ng·g <sup>-1</sup>	7.3 ng·g <sup>-1</sup>
8	Quenchbody <sup>7</sup>	Matrix solid-phase dispersion	0.2–2.6 μg·kg <sup>-1</sup>	1.4 μg·kg <sup>-1</sup>
9	Zinc oxide nanospheres <sup>8</sup>	cyclic voltammetry	Not reported	0.012 nM
10	[BSmim]HSO <sub>4</sub> -AuNPs-porous carbon composite <sup>9</sup>	EIS	10 <sup>-10</sup> –10 <sup>-6</sup> g·L <sup>-1</sup>	6.61 × 10 <sup>-11</sup> g·L <sup>-1</sup>
11	Quenchbody <sup>10</sup>	Chromatographic analysis	0.05–30 ng·mL <sup>-1</sup>	10 pg·mL <sup>-1</sup>
12	Poly(4-aminophenol) modified graphite <sup>11</sup>	EIS	0.5–10 mmol·L <sup>-1</sup>	0.8 μmol·L <sup>-1</sup>
13	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> sol-gel <sup>12</sup>	Amperometric	0.1–80 μM	10 nM
14	Chromoionophore in sol-gel films <sup>13</sup>	Optical mode	0.5–7 mg·L <sup>-1</sup> <sub>1</sub>	0.5 mg·L <sup>-1</sup>



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