

Supporting Information

Dual-modal detection of perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) using a single polymer platform: ACQ and IDA approaches

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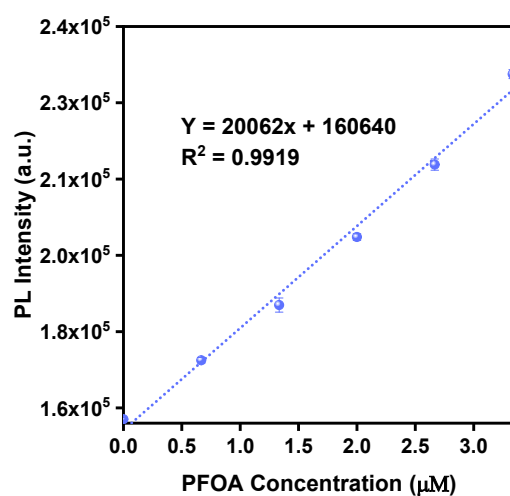


Figure S1. LOD plot for IDA approach.

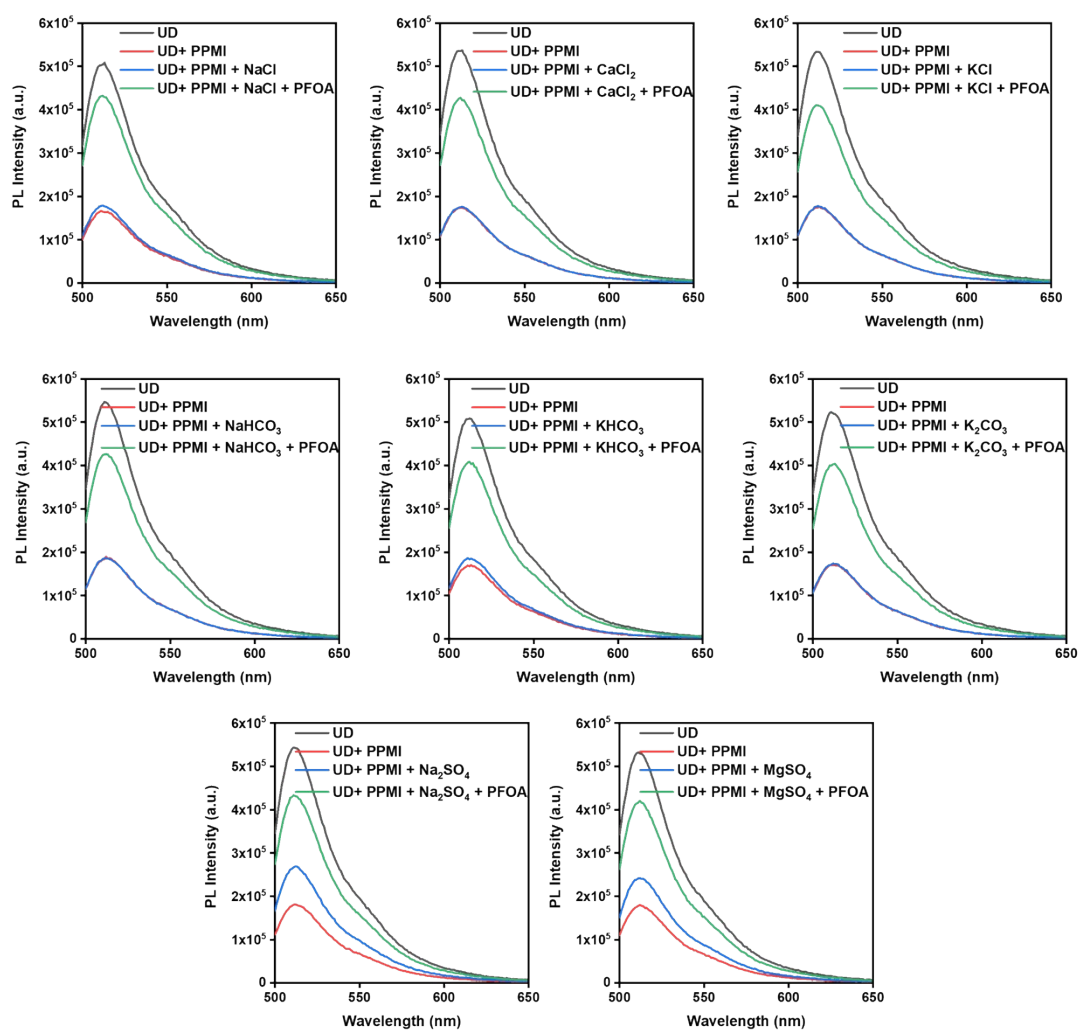


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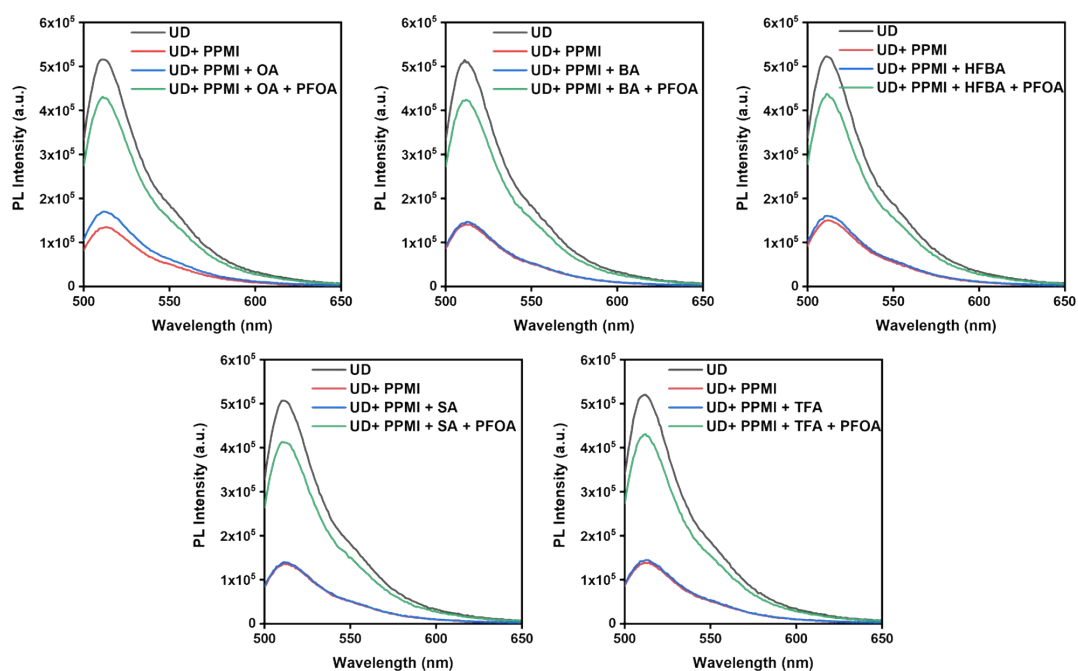


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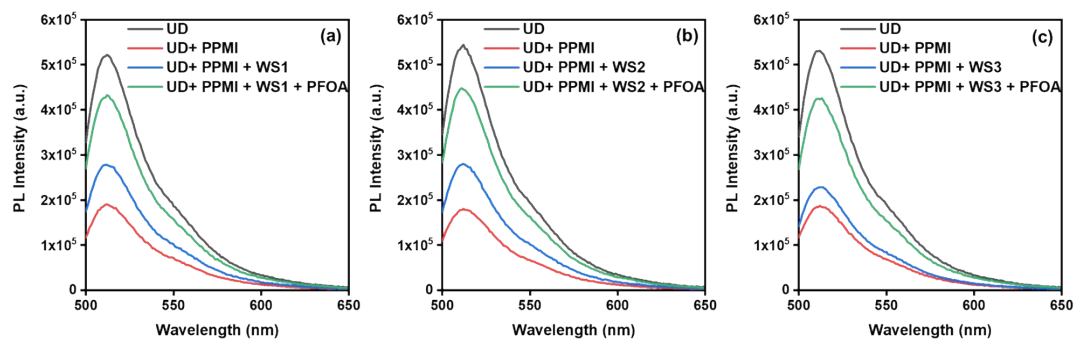


Figure S4. PL emission spectra with different natural water samples (WS).

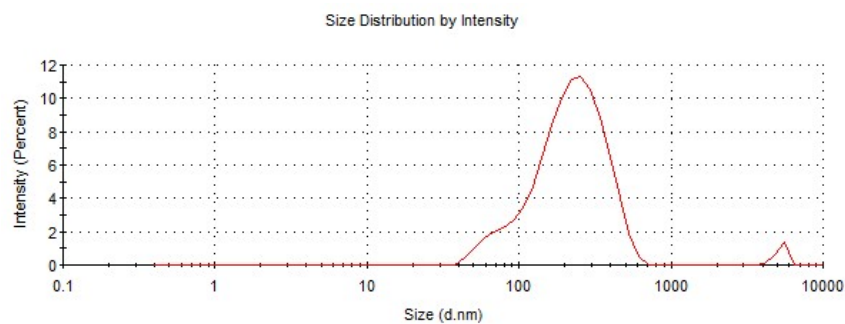


Figure. S5 Size distribution by DLS of PPMI with PFOA in water buffered with HEPES (10 mM, pH 7.2) ($Z_{avg} = 201.6$ d.nm).

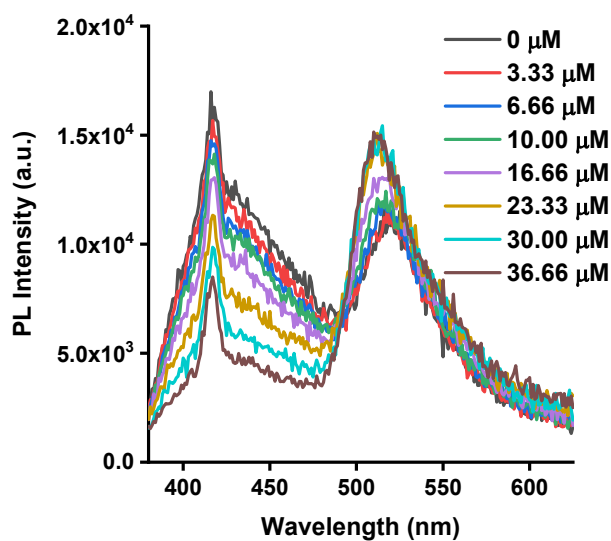


Figure S6. Fluorescence spectra of PPMI and UD in water buffered with HEPES (10 mM, pH 7.2) at different concentration of PFOA (excitation wavelength = 365 nm, slit width 2 nm).

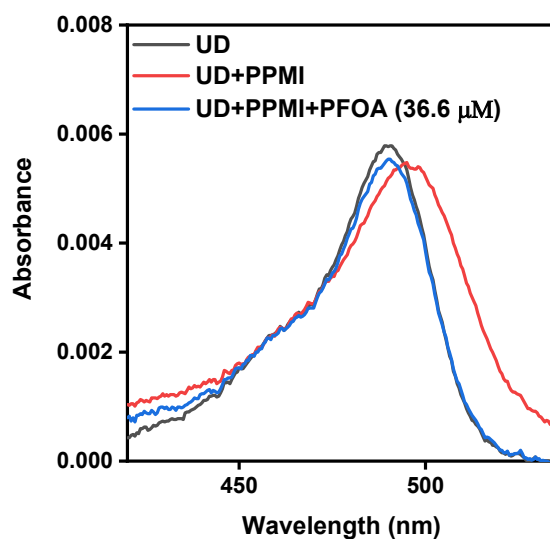


Figure S7. Absorbance spectra of UD (0.1 μ M), UD and PPMI (80 nM) and UD+PPMI+PFOA (36.6 μ M) in HEPES buffer (10 mM, pH 7.2)).

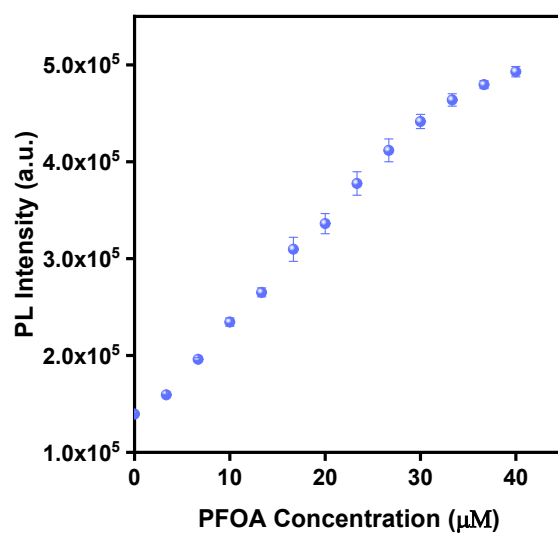


Figure S8. Change in PL intensity maxima of UD/PPMI complex after addition of PFOA in HEPES buffer (10 mM, pH 7.2) (excitation wavelength = 490 nm, slit width = 2 nm).

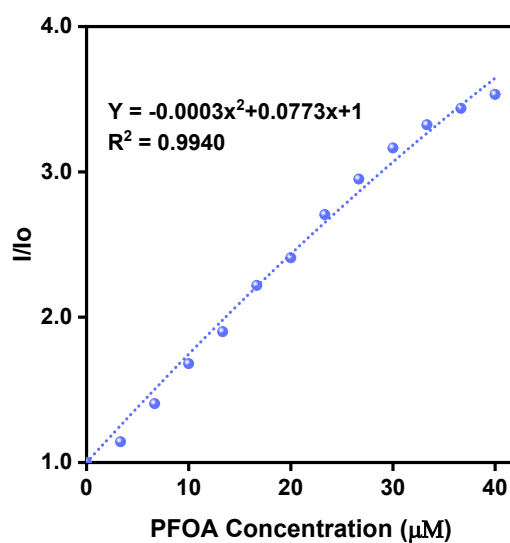


Figure S9. A plot of I/I_0 versus the concentration of PFOA for IDA approach.

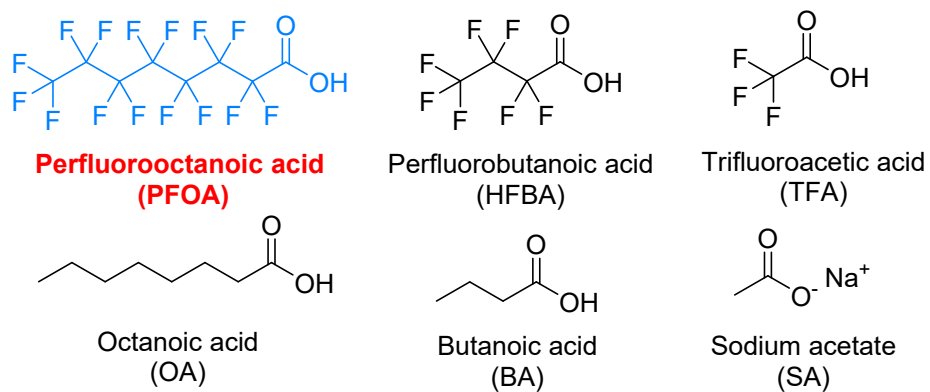


Figure. S10. Chemical structure of the PFOA analogues.

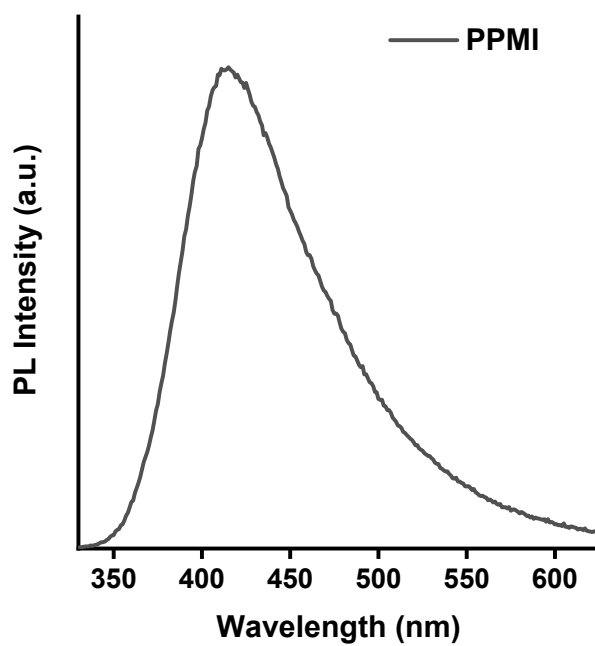


Figure. S11. Corrected emission spectrum of PPMI after subtracting emission from blank HEPES solution.