

Supplementary Information

**Fluorescent solvatochromism and nonfluorescence processes of charge-transfer-type
molecules with a 4-nitrophenyl moiety**

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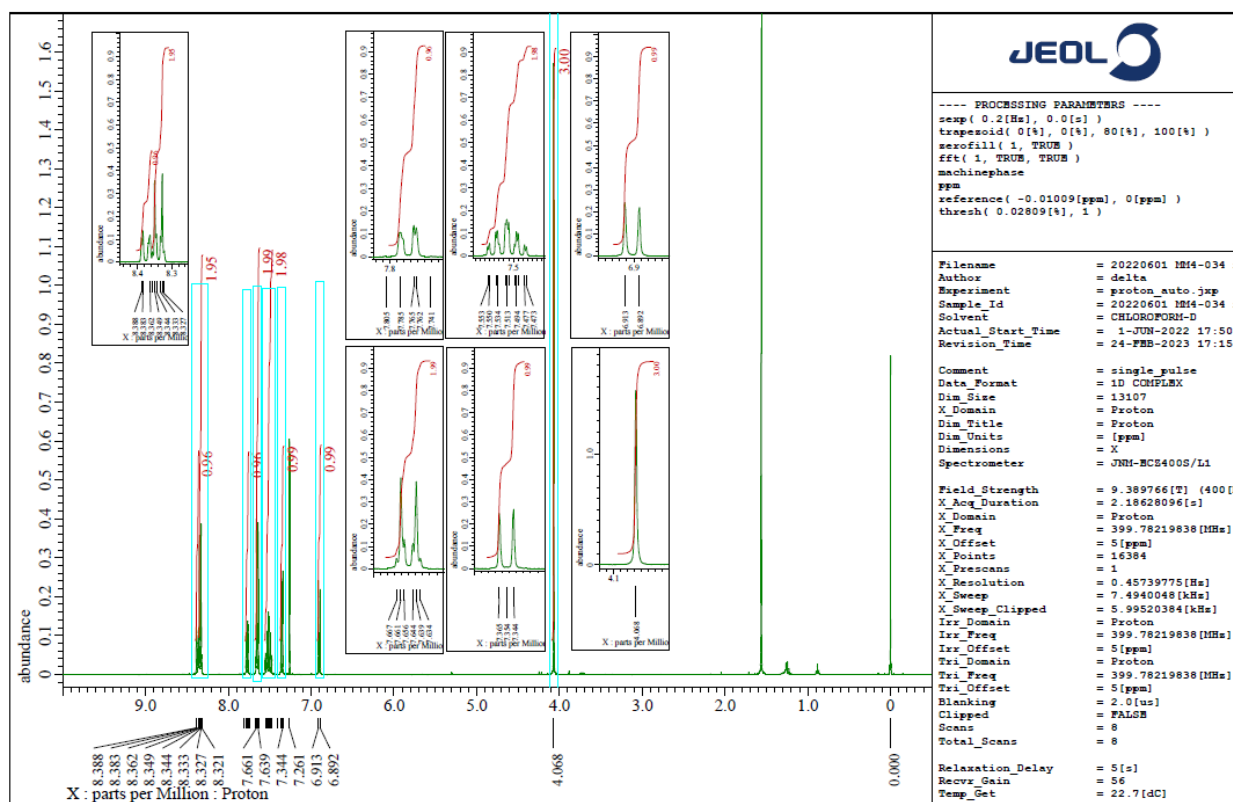


Fig. S1 ^1H -NMR spectrum of **1** in CDCl_3 .

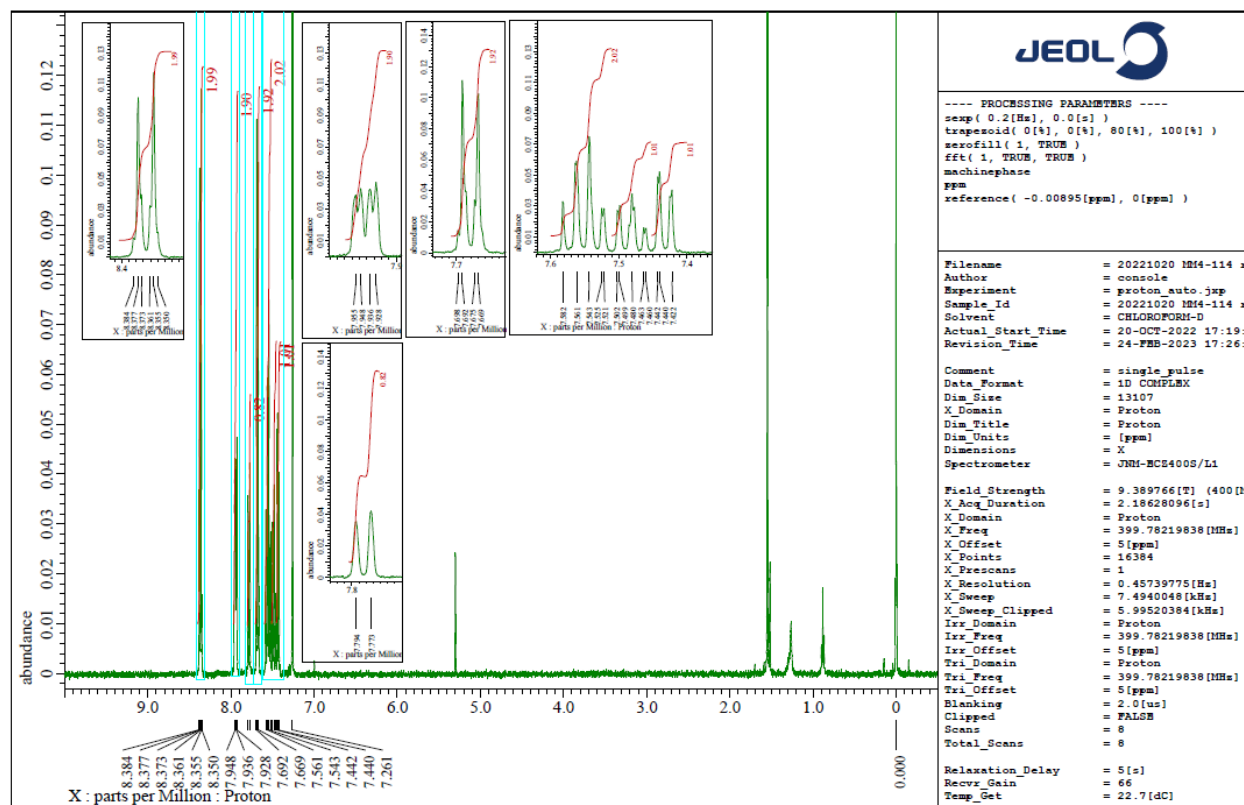


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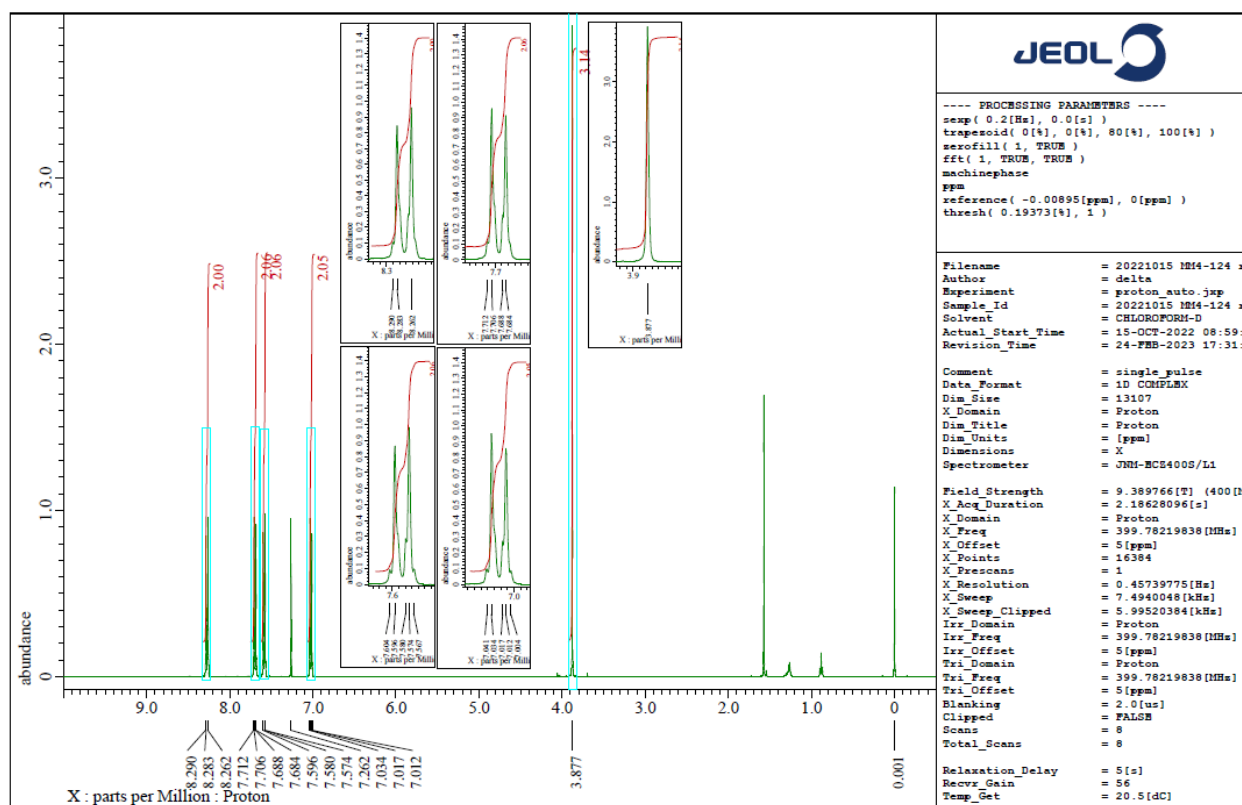


Fig. S3 ^1H -NMR spectrum of **3** in CDCl_3 .

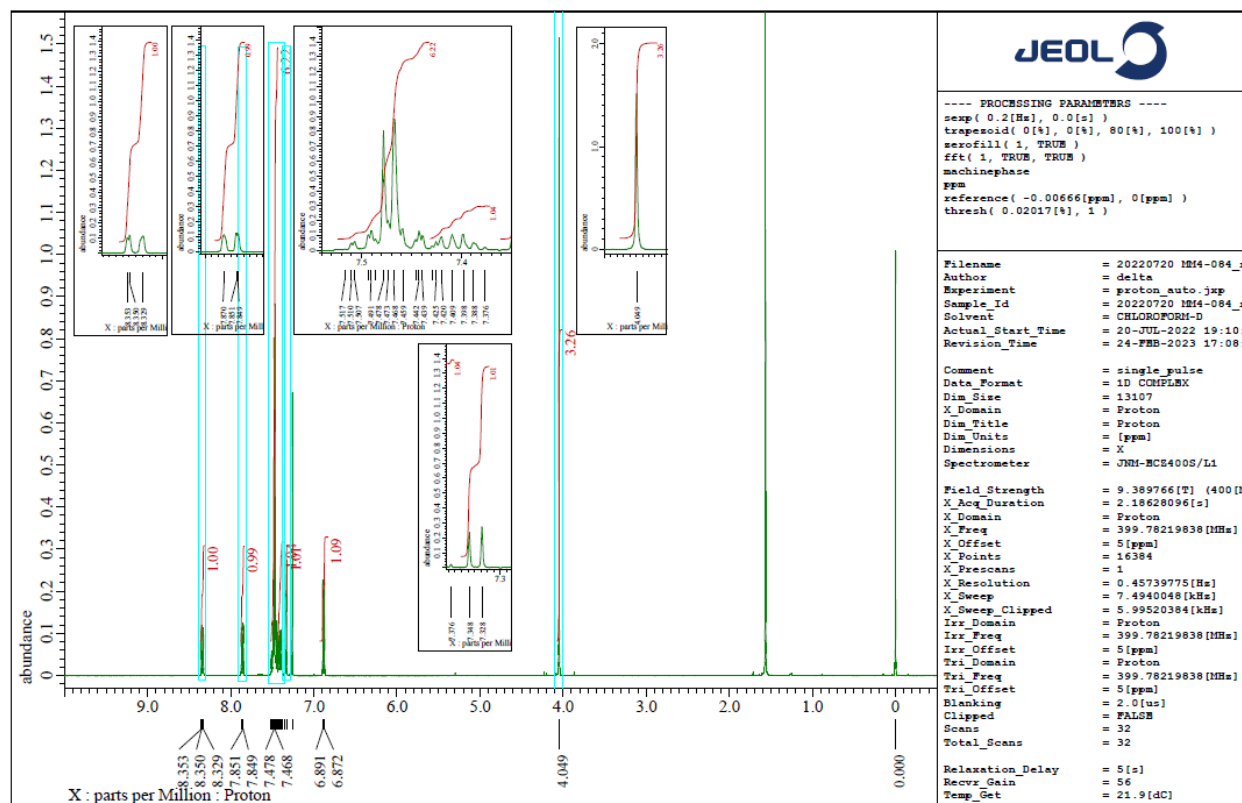


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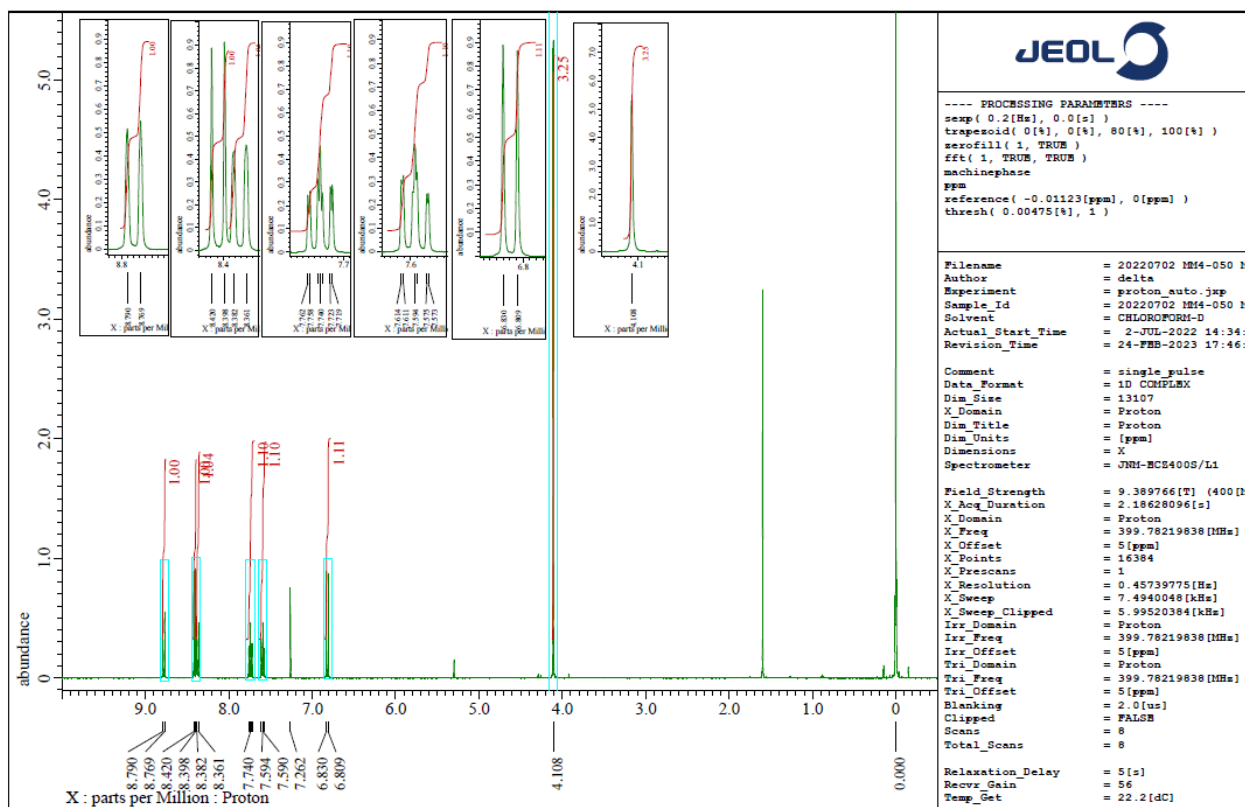


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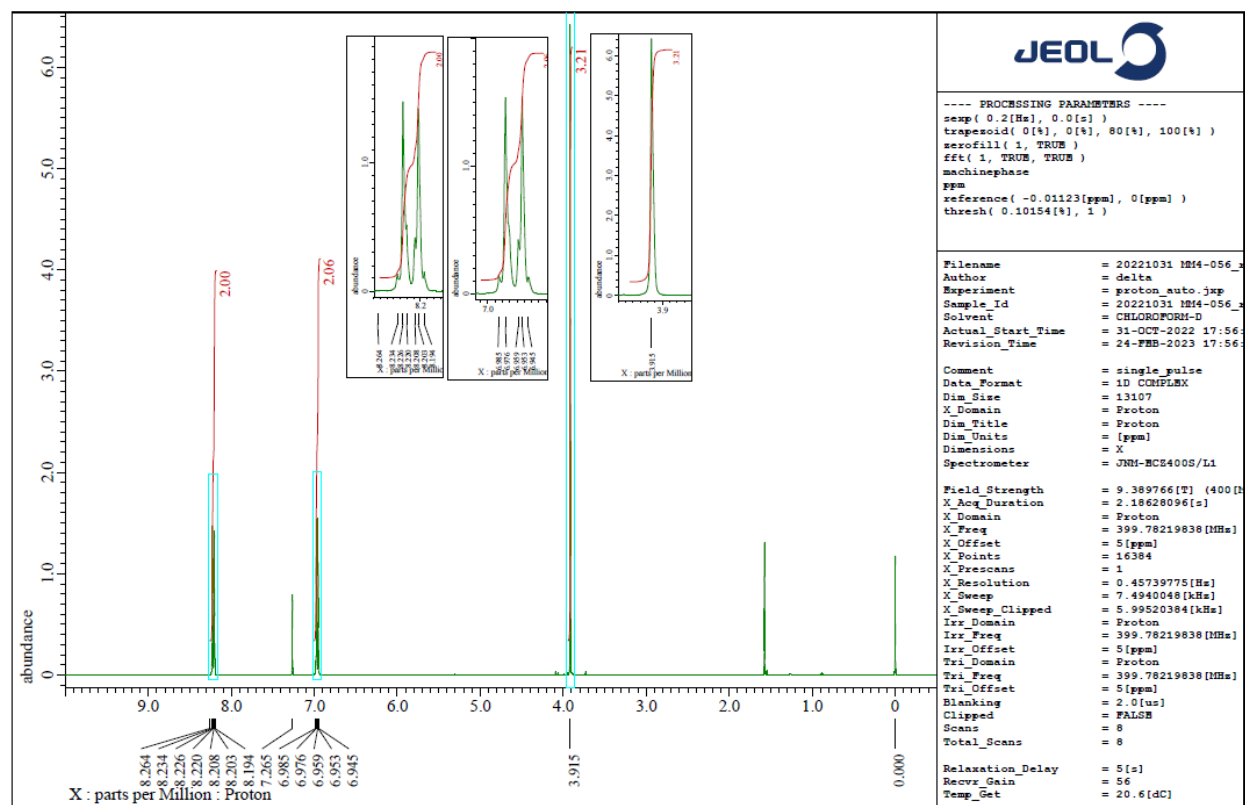


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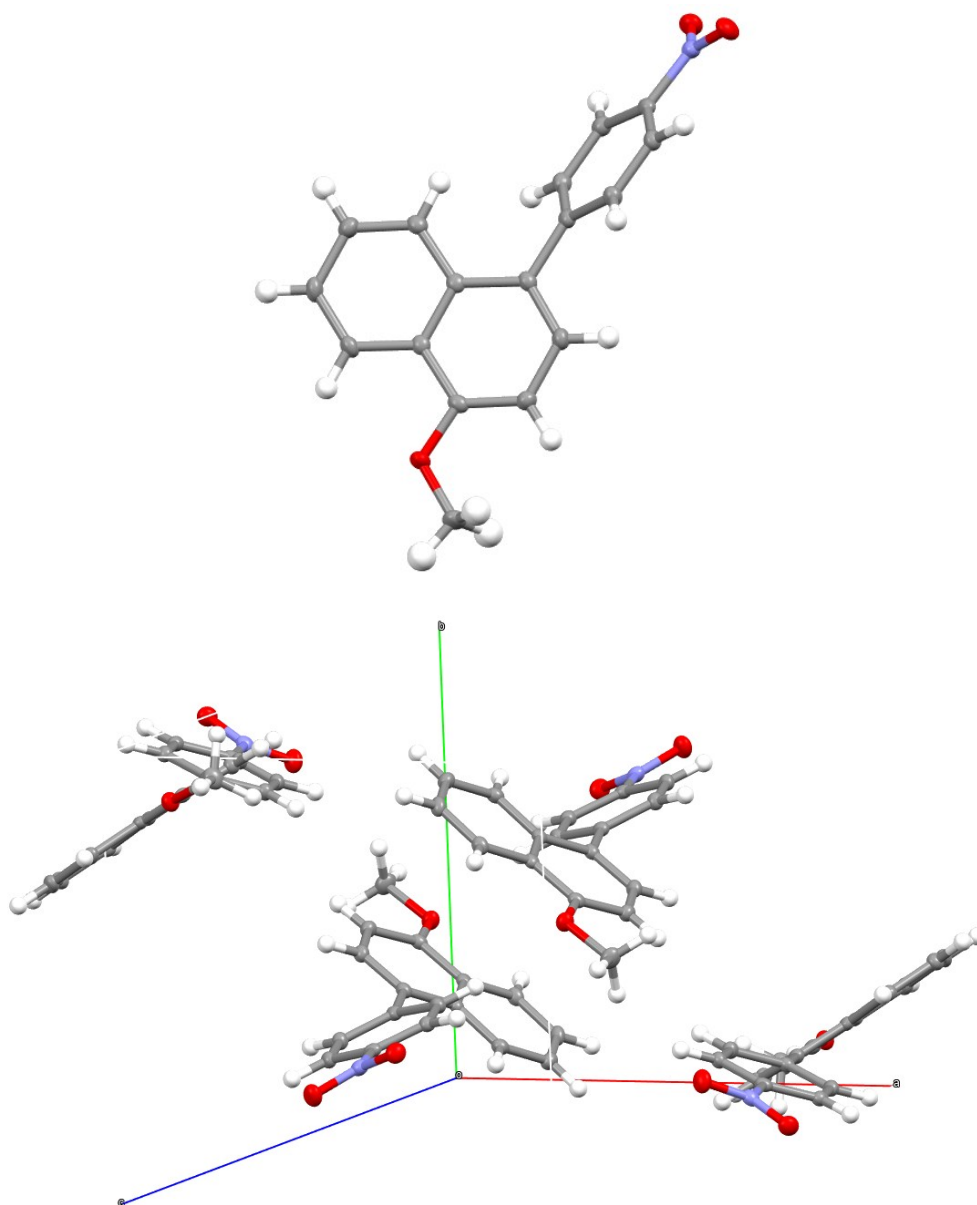


Fig. S7 Crystal structure of 1.

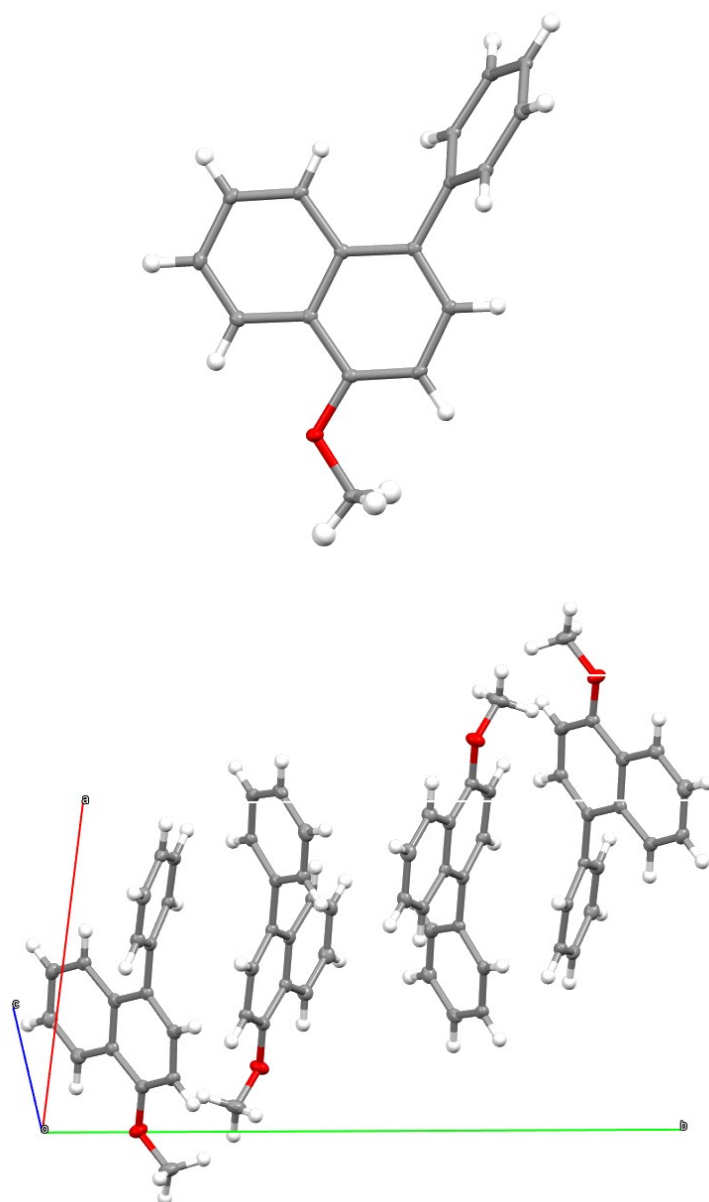


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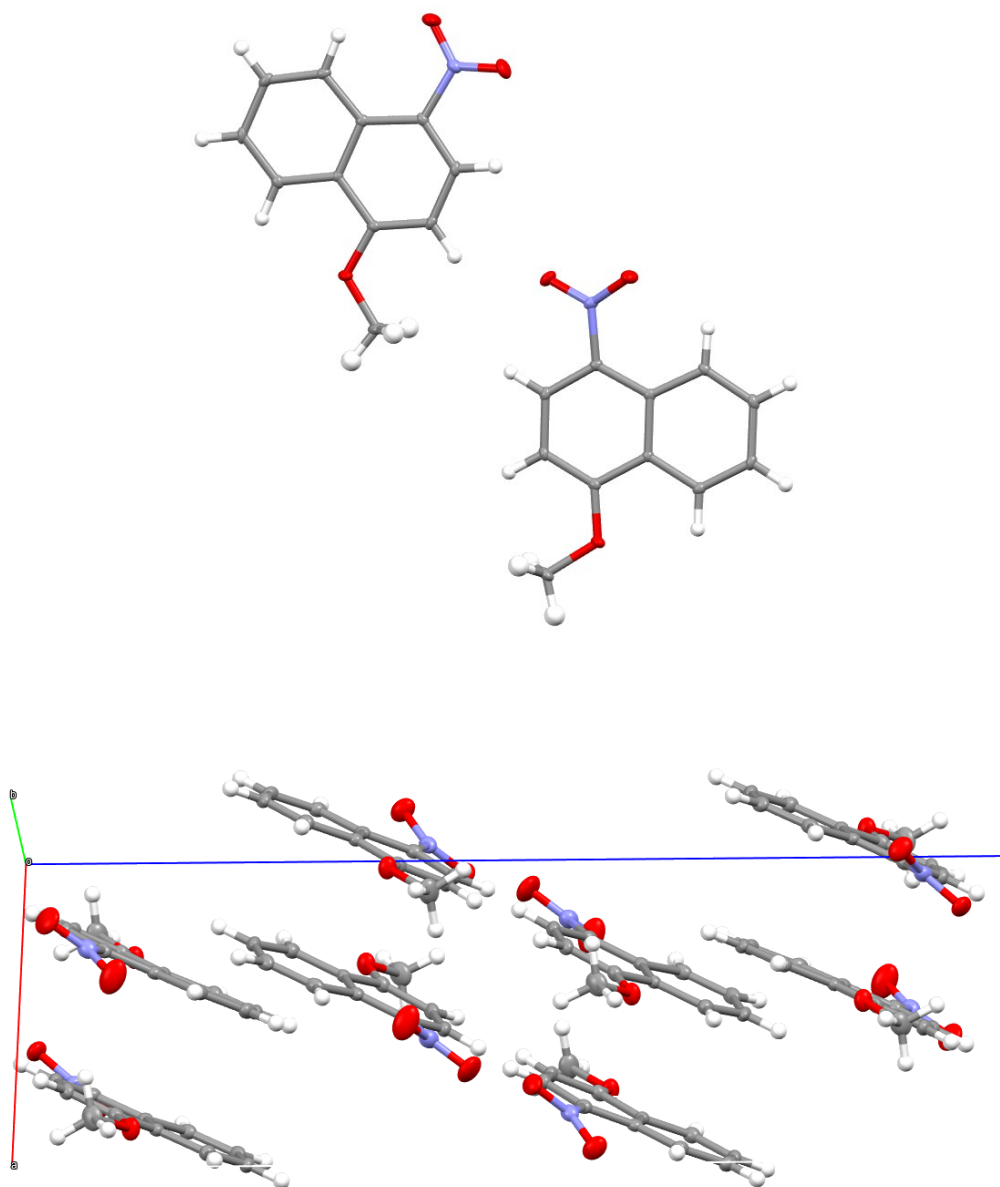


Fig. S9 Crystal structure of **5**.

Table S1 Crystallographic Parameters of **1** and **4**.

	1	4
Empirical formula	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ NO ₃	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ O
Formula weight	279.28	234.28
Temperature / K	93	103
Crystal system	monoclinic	monoclinic
Space group	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ / <i>n</i>	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ / <i>c</i>
<i>a</i> / Å	10.0247(4)	11.5001(5)
<i>b</i> / Å	10.2858(3)	17.6022(8)
<i>c</i> / Å	13.4724(5)	5.9565(3)
α / deg	90	90
β / deg	110.611(4)	94.087(5)
γ / deg	90	90
Volume / Å ³	1300.25(9)	1202.69(10)
<i>Z</i>	4	4
ρ_{calc} / g cm ⁻³	1.427	1.294
μ / mm ⁻¹	0.099	0.079
<i>F</i> (000)	584	496
Crystal size / mm ³	0.734 × 0.459 × 0.319	0.359 × 0.092 × 0.013
2 θ range / deg	4.406–52.742	4.238–52.742
Index ranges	–11 ≤ <i>h</i> ≤ 12 –12 ≤ <i>k</i> ≤ 12 –16 ≤ <i>l</i> ≤ 16	–12 ≤ <i>h</i> ≤ 14 –22 ≤ <i>k</i> ≤ 18 –7 ≤ <i>l</i> ≤ 7
Reflections collected	9971	8417
Independent reflections	2654	2463
Goodness-of-fit on <i>F</i> ₂	1.072	1.09
Final <i>R</i> indexes (<i>I</i> ≥ 2 σ (<i>I</i>))	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0358 w <i>R</i> ₂ = 0.0946	<i>R</i> ₁ = 0.0586 w <i>R</i> ₂ = 0.0347

$$a) R_1 = \sum ||F_o| - |F_c|| / \sum |F_o|, wR_2 = \left\{ \sum w (F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2 / \sum w (F_o^2)^2 \right\}^{1/2}.$$

Table S2 Cartesian Coordinates of Optimized Geometries of **1** in CH₂Cl₂.

No.	Label	Ground-State Optimized			S ₁ -State Optimized		
		X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å	X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å
1	C	−0.008	+0.005	+0.006	−0.033	−0.008	+0.003
2	C	+0.000	+0.028	+1.375	−0.039	−0.231	+1.388
3	H	+0.926	+0.038	+1.931	+0.889	−0.323	+1.933
4	C	−1.220	+0.056	+2.081	−1.228	−0.290	+2.071
5	H	−1.184	+0.098	+3.163	−1.195	−0.396	+3.146
6	C	−2.435	+0.065	+1.448	−2.487	−0.108	+1.438
7	C	−2.468	+0.008	+0.016	−2.495	−0.037	−0.008
8	C	−3.677	−0.066	−0.722	−3.675	−0.137	−0.759
9	H	−4.620	−0.086	−0.193	−4.614	−0.318	−0.256
10	C	−3.673	−0.130	−2.089	−3.660	−0.047	−2.141
11	H	−4.611	−0.190	−2.628	−4.589	−0.128	−2.692
12	C	−2.457	−0.125	−2.800	−2.458	+0.131	−2.821
13	H	−2.464	−0.172	−3.882	−2.448	+0.210	−3.900
14	C	−1.270	−0.074	−2.120	−1.271	+0.172	−2.117
15	H	−0.330	−0.085	−2.654	−0.329	+0.269	−2.638
16	C	−1.247	−0.015	−0.707	−1.266	+0.064	−0.717
17	O	+1.102	−0.009	−0.766	+1.070	+0.110	−0.716
18	C	+2.372	+0.000	−0.128	+2.358	+0.018	−0.093
19	H	+2.502	+0.902	+0.474	+2.479	+0.808	+0.648
20	H	+3.108	−0.013	−0.927	+3.076	+0.150	−0.897
21	H	+2.500	−0.884	+0.501	+2.489	−0.962	+0.366
22	C	−3.671	+0.143	+2.268	−3.660	+0.049	+2.247
23	C	−3.906	−0.798	+3.273	−3.778	−0.631	+3.497
24	H	−3.206	−1.610	+3.417	−3.003	−1.321	+3.805
25	C	−5.027	−0.716	+4.081	−4.880	−0.489	+4.292
26	H	−5.214	−1.445	+4.856	−4.975	−1.036	+5.218
27	C	−5.919	+0.323	+3.873	−5.921	+0.382	+3.898
28	C	−5.719	+1.276	+2.887	−5.814	+1.106	+2.689
29	H	−6.429	+2.080	+2.758	−6.595	+1.804	+2.425
30	C	−4.594	+1.179	+2.089	−4.720	+0.934	+1.889
31	H	−4.419	+1.928	+1.328	−4.629	+1.536	+0.996
32	N	−7.109	+0.418	+4.721	−7.043	+0.541	+4.711
33	O	−7.259	−0.415	+5.598	−7.102	−0.080	+5.805
34	O	−7.895	+1.326	+4.511	−7.973	+1.300	+4.330

Table S3 Cartesian Coordinates of Optimized Geometries of **2** in CH₂Cl₂.

No.	Label	Ground-State Optimized			S ₁ -State Optimized		
		X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å	X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å
1	C	+0.000	+0.000	+0.000	−0.037	−0.023	+0.003
2	C	+0.000	−0.001	+1.365	−0.047	−0.312	+1.367
3	H	+0.933	−0.001	+1.914	+0.888	−0.434	+1.898
4	C	−1.220	+0.011	+2.072	−1.237	−0.407	+2.051
5	H	−1.203	+0.032	+3.155	−1.214	−0.566	+3.120
6	C	−2.427	+0.028	+1.417	−2.490	−0.176	+1.413
7	C	−2.454	+0.001	−0.013	−2.487	−0.039	−0.031
8	C	−3.658	−0.056	−0.764	−3.649	−0.123	−0.804
9	H	−4.607	−0.084	−0.247	−4.595	−0.349	−0.333
10	C	−3.635	−0.089	−2.132	−3.611	+0.035	−2.186
11	H	−4.566	−0.135	−2.684	−4.531	−0.029	−2.754
12	C	−2.409	−0.069	−2.830	−2.402	+0.259	−2.839
13	H	−2.406	−0.092	−3.913	−2.378	+0.392	−3.913
14	C	−1.232	−0.033	−2.137	−1.229	+0.278	−2.112
15	H	−0.284	−0.031	−2.663	−0.277	+0.411	−2.612
16	C	−1.220	−0.006	−0.720	−1.240	+0.098	−0.712
17	H	+0.932	−0.002	−0.553	+0.904	+0.072	−0.527
18	C	−3.675	+0.082	+2.223	−3.664	−0.027	+2.210
19	C	−3.941	−0.909	+3.169	−3.794	−0.712	+3.460
20	H	−3.254	−1.739	+3.282	−3.018	−1.395	+3.778
21	C	−5.076	−0.854	+3.960	−4.912	−0.589	+4.232
22	H	−5.289	−1.621	+4.690	−5.018	−1.143	+5.153
23	C	−5.946	+0.210	+3.794	−5.958	+0.268	+3.822
24	C	−5.714	+1.214	+2.867	−5.839	+1.005	+2.622
25	H	−6.409	+2.035	+2.770	−6.622	+1.699	+2.353
26	C	−4.576	+1.141	+2.084	−4.730	+0.853	+1.842
27	H	−4.376	+1.926	+1.366	−4.626	+1.471	+0.961
28	N	−7.151	+0.279	+4.626	−7.100	+0.405	+4.616
29	O	−7.329	−0.598	+5.453	−7.165	−0.215	+5.705
30	O	−7.918	+1.209	+4.451	−8.034	+1.143	+4.217

Table S4 Cartesian Coordinates of Optimized Geometries of **3** in CH₂Cl₂.

No.	Label	Ground-State Optimized			S ₁ -State Optimized		
		X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å	X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å
1	C	+0.000	+0.000	+0.000	+0.008	+0.089	+0.021
2	C	+0.000	+0.000	+1.392	−0.013	−0.197	+1.400
3	H	+0.924	−0.001	+1.951	+0.903	−0.405	+1.935
4	C	−1.208	+0.009	+2.077	−1.204	−0.206	+2.072
5	H	−1.187	+0.028	+3.160	−1.182	−0.411	+3.132
6	C	−2.429	+0.026	+1.408	−2.450	+0.071	+1.425
7	C	−2.406	+0.030	+0.008	−2.384	+0.359	+0.023
8	H	−3.336	+0.022	−0.548	−3.289	+0.560	−0.530
9	C	−1.215	+0.014	−0.688	−1.203	+0.366	−0.653
10	H	−1.202	+0.004	−1.770	−1.163	+0.576	−1.714
11	O	+1.118	−0.011	−0.766	+1.104	+0.121	−0.722
12	C	+2.384	−0.033	−0.120	+2.382	−0.146	−0.132
13	H	+2.526	+0.857	+0.498	+2.606	+0.591	+0.640
14	H	+3.125	−0.043	−0.915	+3.098	−0.062	−0.943
15	H	+2.497	−0.930	+0.494	+2.406	−1.154	+0.283
16	C	−3.709	+0.042	+2.150	−3.685	+0.062	+2.136
17	C	−3.854	−0.672	+3.344	−3.773	−0.405	+3.489
18	H	−3.030	−1.263	+3.722	−2.895	−0.784	+3.990
19	C	−5.045	−0.660	+4.045	−4.952	−0.419	+4.173
20	H	−5.159	−1.217	+4.964	−5.008	−0.785	+5.187
21	C	−6.107	+0.074	+3.540	−6.132	+0.050	+3.547
22	C	−6.004	+0.792	+2.359	−6.086	+0.523	+2.214
23	H	−6.846	+1.361	+1.995	−6.994	+0.884	+1.756
24	C	−4.803	+0.772	+1.673	−4.903	+0.522	+1.537
25	H	−4.710	+1.350	+0.763	−4.899	+0.904	+0.527
26	N	−7.372	+0.091	+4.274	−7.342	+0.046	+4.246
27	O	−7.446	−0.547	+5.311	−7.351	−0.332	+5.448
28	O	−8.295	+0.743	+3.816	−8.389	+0.420	+3.653

Table S5 Cartesian Coordinates of Optimized Geometries of **4** in CH₂Cl₂.

No.	Label	Ground-State Optimized			S ₁ -State Optimized		
		X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å	X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å
1	C	+0.000	+0.000	+0.000	−0.056	−0.013	+0.006
2	C	+0.000	−0.001	+1.368	−0.065	−0.412	+1.367
3	H	+0.923	−0.002	+1.930	+0.864	−0.584	+1.891
4	C	−1.225	+0.014	+2.069	−1.248	−0.565	+2.026
5	H	−1.195	+0.034	+3.153	−1.224	−0.828	+3.074
6	C	−2.438	+0.030	+1.434	−2.510	−0.252	+1.394
7	C	−2.460	+0.002	+0.001	−2.512	−0.118	−0.053
8	C	−3.666	−0.051	−0.744	−3.663	−0.220	−0.830
9	H	−4.608	−0.073	−0.214	−4.600	−0.481	−0.359
10	C	−3.657	−0.084	−2.112	−3.642	−0.007	−2.221
11	H	−4.593	−0.129	−2.656	−4.565	−0.071	−2.785
12	C	−2.438	−0.068	−2.818	−2.452	+0.284	−2.852
13	H	−2.441	−0.091	−3.901	−2.426	+0.469	−3.919
14	C	−1.254	−0.034	−2.133	−1.263	+0.320	−2.117
15	H	−0.312	−0.033	−2.664	−0.323	+0.520	−2.613
16	C	−1.235	−0.006	−0.719	−1.265	+0.086	−0.732
17	O	+1.116	−0.001	−0.768	+1.073	+0.178	−0.693
18	C	+2.380	−0.003	−0.121	+2.340	+0.059	−0.050
19	H	+2.507	+0.889	+0.497	+2.424	+0.769	+0.776
20	H	+3.123	−0.003	−0.915	+3.079	+0.293	−0.811
21	H	+2.505	−0.897	+0.495	+2.499	−0.958	+0.314
22	C	−3.686	+0.073	+2.244	−3.664	−0.044	+2.213
23	C	−3.960	−0.933	+3.170	−3.763	−0.633	+3.509
24	H	−3.275	−1.768	+3.265	−2.989	−1.305	+3.856
25	C	−5.099	−0.882	+3.963	−4.863	−0.422	+4.314
26	H	−5.295	−1.676	+4.675	−4.915	−0.911	+5.280
27	C	−5.986	+0.179	+3.842	−5.905	+0.404	+3.899
28	H	−6.876	+0.221	+4.459	−6.763	+0.572	+4.540
29	C	−5.724	+1.189	+2.924	−5.820	+1.025	+2.649
30	H	−6.407	+2.026	+2.827	−6.606	+1.699	+2.327
31	C	−4.586	+1.136	+2.132	−4.739	+0.806	+1.825
32	H	−4.384	+1.934	+1.428	−4.681	+1.335	+0.885

Table S6 Cartesian Coordinates of Optimized Geometries of **5** in CH₂Cl₂.

No.	Label	Ground-State Optimized			S ₁ -State Optimized		
		X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å	X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å
1	C	+0.000	+0.000	+0.000	−0.004	+0.006	−0.003
2	C	+0.000	+0.000	+1.375	−0.029	+0.074	+1.398
3	H	+0.919	+0.000	+1.941	+0.890	+0.104	+1.963
4	C	−1.218	+0.012	+2.061	−1.236	+0.101	+2.053
5	H	−1.223	+0.019	+3.141	−1.274	+0.153	+3.133
6	C	−2.410	+0.041	+1.389	−2.449	+0.060	+1.344
7	C	−2.472	+0.026	−0.040	−2.462	−0.007	−0.079
8	C	−3.661	−0.018	−0.809	−3.658	−0.046	−0.809
9	H	−4.617	−0.006	−0.312	−4.600	−0.024	−0.278
10	C	−3.612	−0.067	−2.177	−3.624	−0.111	−2.188
11	H	−4.537	−0.102	−2.740	−4.551	−0.140	−2.747
12	C	−2.382	−0.071	−2.857	−2.404	−0.137	−2.865
13	H	−2.360	−0.105	−3.939	−2.388	−0.188	−3.946
14	C	−1.215	−0.043	−2.145	−1.214	−0.100	−2.163
15	H	−0.259	−0.058	−2.649	−0.268	−0.120	−2.687
16	C	−1.232	−0.001	−0.732	−1.226	−0.035	−0.766
17	O	+1.110	−0.004	−0.750	+1.101	−0.023	−0.707
18	C	+2.382	−0.011	−0.107	+2.388	+0.014	−0.066
19	H	+2.510	+0.881	+0.508	+2.500	+0.939	+0.499
20	H	+3.116	−0.013	−0.907	+3.108	−0.019	−0.877
21	H	+2.501	−0.908	+0.505	+2.510	−0.854	+0.580
22	N	−3.604	+0.108	+2.219	−3.652	+0.089	+2.065
23	O	−3.551	−0.369	+3.344	−3.931	−1.016	+2.680
24	O	−4.603	+0.655	+1.776	−3.945	+1.248	+2.562

Table S7 Cartesian Coordinates of Optimized Geometries of **6** in CH₂Cl₂.

No.	Label	Ground-State Optimized			S ₁ -State Optimized		
		X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å	X / Å	Y / Å	Z / Å
1	C	+0.000	+0.000	+0.000	+0.009	+0.000	−0.004
2	C	+0.000	+0.000	+1.396	+0.007	+0.000	+1.391
3	H	+0.924	+0.000	+1.956	+0.931	+0.000	+1.951
4	C	−1.204	+0.000	+2.080	−1.194	+0.000	+2.080
5	H	−1.221	+0.000	+3.160	−1.205	+0.000	+3.162
6	C	−2.392	+0.000	+1.369	−2.390	+0.000	+1.368
7	C	−2.407	+0.000	−0.023	−2.401	+0.000	−0.032
8	H	−3.348	+0.000	−0.553	−3.340	+0.000	−0.569
9	C	−1.212	+0.000	−0.703	−1.203	+0.000	−0.706
10	H	−1.186	+0.000	−1.784	−1.178	+0.000	−1.788
11	O	+1.112	+0.000	−0.754	+1.125	+0.000	−0.762
12	C	+2.385	+0.000	−0.112	+2.394	+0.000	−0.118
13	H	+3.119	+0.000	−0.913	+3.132	+0.000	−0.915
14	H	+2.512	−0.894	+0.501	+2.521	−0.894	+0.497
15	H	+2.512	+0.894	+0.501	+2.521	+0.894	+0.497
16	N	−3.654	+0.000	+2.094	−3.586	+0.000	+2.053
17	O	−3.622	+0.000	+3.315	−3.747	+0.000	+3.331
18	O	−4.691	+0.000	+1.450	−4.771	+0.000	+1.546

Table S8 Calculated Excited States of **1** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
S ₁	MO69 → MO74 (14%) MO73 → MO74 (86%)	3.6858 eV (336.38 nm)	0.4125
S ₂	MO68 → MO74 (80%) MO68 → MO79 (20%)	4.0206 eV (308.37 nm)	0.0097
S ₃	MO73 → MO74 (15%) MO73 → MO75 (85%)	4.4275 eV (280.03 nm)	0.1019
S ₄	MO70 → MO74 (15%) MO72 → MO75 (34%) MO73 → MO75 (11%) MO73 → MO76 (40%)	4.4891 eV (276.19 nm)	0.0233
S ₅	MO69 → MO74 (11%) MO69 → MO76 (9%) MO70 → MO74 (48%) MO71 → MO74 (15%) MO73 → MO77 (17%)	4.5880 eV (270.24 nm)	0.0429
S ₆	MO63 → MO74 (11%) MO64 → MO74 (62%) MO64 → MO79 (15%) MO67 → MO74 (12%)	4.6131 eV (268.76 nm)	0.0007
S ₇	MO69 → MO74 (52%) MO71 → MO74 (48%)	4.8917 eV (253.46 nm)	0.2753
S ₈	MO72 → MO74 (58%) MO73 → MO76 (42%)	5.2142 eV (237.78 nm)	0.1666
S ₉	MO73 → MO76 (45%) MO73 → MO77 (55%)	5.2766 eV (234.97 nm)	0.0214
S ₁₀	MO71 → MO77 (11%) MO72 → MO74 (12%) MO72 → MO75 (50%) MO73 → MO77 (27%)	5.6363 eV (219.98 nm)	0.7787
S ₁₁	MO73 → MO78 (64%) MO73 → MO80 (23%) MO73 → MO85 (13%)	5.6701 eV (218.66 nm)	0.0017
S ₁₂	MO69 → MO74 (27%) MO71 → MO75 (33%) MO73 → MO79 (40%)	5.7330 eV (216.26 nm)	0.0506
S ₁₃	MO69 → MO75 (14%) MO71 → MO74 (29%) MO73 → MO79 (57%)	5.8675 eV (211.31 nm)	0.0237
S ₁₄	MO71 → MO74 (28%) MO71 → MO75 (39%) MO72 → MO76 (33%)	6.0796 eV (203.94 nm)	0.1173
S ₁₅	MO66 → MO74 (22%) MO73 → MO81 (78%)	6.1703 eV (200.94 nm)	0.0051

S ₁₆	MO66 → MO74 (63%) MO70 → MO75 (15%) MO70 → MO79 (22%)	6.2169 eV (199.43 nm)	0.0481
S ₁₇	MO73 → MO79 (15%) MO73 → MO80 (53%) MO73 → MO83 (21%) MO73 → MO89 (11%)	6.2538 eV (198.25 nm)	0.0027
S ₁₈	MO71 → MO74 (12%) MO71 → MO75 (34%) MO72 → MO77 (29%) MO73 → MO80 (11%) MO73 → MO81 (14%)	6.3018 eV (196.74 nm)	0.3273
S ₁₉	MO66 → MO74 (23%) MO69 → MO77 (14%) MO71 → MO76 (29%) MO72 → MO75 (14%) MO72 → MO79 (11%) MO72 → MO88 (9%)	6.3372 eV (195.64 nm)	0.1867
S ₂₀	MO69 → MO79 (9%) MO70 → MO76 (24%) MO70 → MO77 (13%) MO71 → MO75 (15%) MO71 → MO77 (8%) MO73 → MO82 (19%) MO73 → MO87 (12%)	6.4003 eV (193.72 nm)	0.3011
S ₂₁	MO66 → MO74 (44%) MO69 → MO76 (29%) MO71 → MO77 (27%)	6.4277 eV (192.89 nm)	0.2335
S ₂₂	MO71 → MO81 (12%) MO73 → MO78 (15%) MO73 → MO80 (23%) MO73 → MO84 (50%)	6.5173 eV (190.24 nm)	0.0176
S ₂₃	MO69 → MO75 (13%) MO69 → MO79 (10%) MO70 → MO76 (29%) MO70 → MO77 (16%) MO73 → MO83 (13%) MO73 → MO85 (19%)	6.5719 eV (188.66 nm)	0.0867
S ₂₄	MO69 → MO75 (37%) MO71 → MO75 (9%) MO73 → MO82 (15%) MO73 → MO84 (10%) MO73 → MO85 (9%) MO73 → MO86 (11%) MO73 → MO88 (9%)	6.6691 eV (185.91 nm)	0.0208

S ₂₅	MO70 → MO75 (12%)	6.6987 eV (185.09 nm)	0.0657
	MO70 → MO76 (14%)		
	MO70 → MO77 (8%)		
	MO71 → MO76 (8%)		
	MO72 → MO76 (9%)		
	MO73 → MO82 (11%)		
	MO73 → MO84 (8%)		
	MO73 → MO85 (7%)		
	MO73 → MO86 (7%)		
	MO73 → MO87 (7%)		
	MO73 → MO88 (9%)		
S ₂₆	MO72 → MO76 (32%)	6.7438 eV (183.85 nm)	0.0140
	MO72 → MO77 (42%)		
	MO72 → MO84 (14%)		
	MO73 → MO89 (12%)		
S ₂₇	MO71 → MO78 (11%)	6.7844 eV (182.75 nm)	0.0099
	MO73 → MO78 (13%)		
	MO73 → MO83 (43%)		
	MO73 → MO84 (10%)		
	MO73 → MO86 (12%)		
	MO73 → MO94 (11%)		
S ₂₈	MO60 → MO74 (60%)	6.8217 eV (181.75 nm)	0.0035
	MO61 → MO74 (26%)		
	MO72 → MO77 (14%)		
S ₂₉	MO70 → MO76 (9%)	6.8732 eV (180.39 nm)	0.0443
	MO72 → MO76 (16%)		
	MO72 → MO77 (11%)		
	MO72 → MO78 (17%)		
	MO73 → MO86 (30%)		
	MO73 → MO88 (17%)		
S ₃₀	MO69 → MO75 (19%)	6.8888 eV (179.98 nm)	0.1001
	MO69 → MO76 (10%)		
	MO70 → MO75 (56%)		
	MO71 → MO75 (15%)		

HOMO: MO73, LUMO: MO74

Table S9 Calculated Excited States of **2** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
S ₁	MO63 → MO66 (22%)	3.9484 eV (314.01 nm)	0.2871
	MO65 → MO66 (78%)		
S ₂	MO60 → MO66 (65%)	4.0393 eV (306.95 nm)	0.1085
	MO65 → MO66 (35%)		
S ₃	MO62 → MO66 (30%)	4.5531 eV (272.30 nm)	0.0199
	MO64 → MO67 (34%)		
	MO65 → MO67 (11%)		
	MO65 → MO69 (25%)		
S ₄	MO57 → MO66 (42%)	4.6065 eV (269.15 nm)	0.0052
	MO58 → MO66 (46%)		
	MO63 → MO66 (12%)		
S ₅	MO57 → MO66 (25%)	4.6159 eV (268.60 nm)	0.0200
	MO58 → MO66 (26%)		
	MO62 → MO66 (49%)		
S ₆	MO63 → MO66 (16%)	4.6523 eV (266.50 nm)	0.0240
	MO65 → MO66 (13%)		
	MO65 → MO67 (71%)		
S ₇	MO62 → MO66 (30%)	4.9154 eV (252.24 nm)	0.2923
	MO63 → MO66 (70%)		
S ₈	MO64 → MO66 (69%)	5.2003 eV (238.42 nm)	0.0962
	MO64 → MO71 (14%)		
	MO65 → MO69 (17%)		
S ₉	MO62 → MO66 (12%)	5.5395 eV (223.82 nm)	0.0948
	MO63 → MO68 (11%)		
	MO64 → MO67 (10%)		
	MO65 → MO68 (42%)		
	MO65 → MO69 (25%)		
S ₁₀	MO64 → MO67 (77%)	5.7669 eV (214.99 nm)	1.1268
	MO65 → MO68 (23%)		
S ₁₁	MO61 → MO66 (13%)	5.9347 eV (208.91 nm)	0.0761
	MO64 → MO67 (11%)		
	MO65 → MO71 (50%)		
	MO65 → MO73 (11%)		
	MO65 → MO74 (15%)		
S ₁₂	MO65 → MO70 (67%)	6.0127 eV (206.20 nm)	0.0033
	MO65 → MO71 (19%)		
	MO65 → MO79 (14%)		
S ₁₃	MO61 → MO67 (21%)	6.1476 eV (201.68 nm)	0.0168
	MO63 → MO67 (44%)		
	MO65 → MO71 (20%)		
	MO65 → MO74 (15%)		
S ₁₄	MO63 → MO68 (19%)	6.1843 eV (200.48 nm)	0.4537
	MO64 → MO68 (81%)		

S ₁₅	MO59 → MO66 (47%) MO62 → MO71 (13%) MO65 → MO68 (15%) MO65 → MO69 (13%) MO65 → MO70 (12%)	6.2381 eV (198.75 nm)	0.0268
S ₁₆	MO59 → MO66 (21%) MO61 → MO66 (16%) MO62 → MO67 (10%) MO63 → MO67 (14%) MO63 → MO68 (16%) MO64 → MO68 (11%) MO64 → MO71 (12%)	6.3836 eV (194.22 nm)	0.0961
S ₁₇	MO61 → MO66 (25%) MO62 → MO71 (11%) MO63 → MO67 (38%) MO65 → MO71 (13%) MO65 → MO75 (13%)	6.3937 eV (193.92 nm)	0.0422
S ₁₈	MO61 → MO67 (9%) MO62 → MO68 (29%) MO62 → MO69 (13%) MO63 → MO71 (12%) MO65 → MO71 (14%) MO65 → MO72 (11%) MO65 → MO75 (12%)	6.4321 eV (192.76 nm)	0.1338
S ₁₉	MO59 → MO66 (28%) MO61 → MO69 (11%) MO62 → MO67 (17%) MO63 → MO69 (28%) MO64 → MO75 (16%)	6.4508 eV (192.20 nm)	0.0905
S ₂₀	MO62 → MO67 (8%) MO62 → MO68 (21%) MO62 → MO69 (9%) MO63 → MO71 (11%) MO65 → MO73 (33%) MO65 → MO75 (8%) MO65 → MO76 (10%)	6.5386 eV (189.62 nm)	0.0362
S ₂₁	MO63 → MO70 (10%) MO65 → MO70 (15%) MO65 → MO72 (40%) MO65 → MO73 (24%) MO65 → MO75 (11%)	6.5943 eV (188.02 nm)	0.0093
S ₂₂	MO62 → MO67 (49%) MO62 → MO68 (21%) MO65 → MO74 (30%)	6.7031 eV (184.97 nm)	0.1006
S ₂₃	MO64 → MO68 (40%) MO64 → MO69 (44%) MO64 → MO72 (16%)	6.7202 eV (184.50 nm)	0.0192

S ₂₄	MO62 → MO67 (62%) MO65 → MO71 (18%) MO65 → MO75 (20%)	6.7742 eV (183.02 nm)	0.0957
S ₂₅	MO53 → MO66 (9%) MO54 → MO66 (17%) MO57 → MO67 (10%) MO58 → MO66 (12%) MO61 → MO67 (28%) MO62 → MO67 (12%) MO65 → MO77 (12%)	6.8464 eV (181.09 nm)	0.0137
S ₂₆	MO65 → MO70 (25%) MO65 → MO77 (75%)	6.8652 eV (180.60 nm)	0.0052
S ₂₇	MO54 → MO66 (16%) MO64 → MO68 (18%) MO64 → MO69 (17%) MO64 → MO70 (37%) MO65 → MO75 (12%)	6.8875 eV (180.01 nm)	0.0322
S ₂₈	MO53 → MO66 (13%) MO54 → MO66 (57%) MO55 → MO66 (16%) MO64 → MO72 (14%)	6.9054 eV (179.55 nm)	0.0135
S ₂₉	MO54 → MO66 (24%) MO55 → MO67 (10%) MO57 → MO66 (23%) MO58 → MO67 (21%) MO61 → MO67 (22%)	6.9274 eV (178.98 nm)	0.0075
S ₃₀	MO65 → MO74 (27%) MO65 → MO75 (29%) MO65 → MO76 (18%) MO65 → MO77 (14%) MO65 → MO78 (12%)	7.0359 eV (176.22 nm)	0.0383

HOMO: MO65, LUMO: MO66

Table S10 Calculated Excited States of **3** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
S ₁	MO56 → MO61 (13%)	3.8793 eV (319.60 nm)	0.7012
	MO57 → MO61 (20%)		
	MO60 → MO61 (67%)		
S ₂	MO56 → MO61 (77%)	4.0174 eV (308.62 nm)	0.0300
	MO56 → MO63 (23%)		
S ₃	MO58 → MO61	4.5699 eV (271.31 nm)	0.0241
S ₄	MO54 → MO61 (78%)	4.6169 eV (268.55 nm)	0.0009
	MO54 → MO63 (22%)		
S ₅	MO59 → MO63 (25%)	4.9254 eV (251.72 nm)	0.0097
	MO60 → MO62 (25%)		
	MO60 → MO64 (50%)		
S ₆	MO57 → MO61 (62%)	5.2301 eV (237.06 nm)	0.0061
	MO60 → MO63 (38%)		
S ₇	MO57 → MO61 (8%)	5.4451 eV (227.70 nm)	0.0124
	MO57 → MO62 (9%)		
	MO58 → MO61 (13%)		
	MO59 → MO61 (24%)		
	MO60 → MO62 (38%)		
	MO60 → MO63 (8%)		
S ₈	MO57 → MO61 (12%)	5.5739 eV (222.44 nm)	0.1167
	MO59 → MO61 (47%)		
	MO60 → MO64 (41%)		
S ₉	MO60 → MO61 (23%)	5.6510 eV (219.40 nm)	0.1839
	MO60 → MO63 (59%)		
	MO60 → MO64 (18%)		
S ₁₀	MO60 → MO65 (76%)	6.0479 eV (205.00 nm)	0.0087
	MO60 → MO66 (24%)		
S ₁₁	MO55 → MO61 (76%)	6.2955 eV (196.94 nm)	0.1579
	MO55 → MO63 (12%)		
	MO60 → MO62 (12%)		
S ₁₂	MO57 → MO63 (17%)	6.3969 eV (193.82 nm)	0.0252
	MO59 → MO62 (12%)		
	MO59 → MO64 (26%)		
	MO60 → MO63 (9%)		
	MO60 → MO67 (13%)		
	MO60 → MO70 (23%)		
S ₁₃	MO59 → MO63 (12%)	6.5371 eV (189.66 nm)	0.3079
	MO60 → MO66 (33%)		
	MO60 → MO67 (23%)		
	MO60 → MO69 (21%)		
	MO60 → MO73 (11%)		

S ₁₄	MO58 → MO62 (30%) MO59 → MO62 (11%) MO59 → MO64 (19%) MO60 → MO66 (14%) MO60 → MO67 (10%) MO60 → MO69 (7%) MO60 → MO71 (9%)	6.5457 eV (189.41 nm)	0.9240
S ₁₅	MO55 → MO61 (11%) MO57 → MO62 (31%) MO58 → MO63 (44%) MO58 → MO70 (14%)	6.6190 eV (187.32 nm)	0.0116
S ₁₆	MO60 → MO67 (79%) MO60 → MO69 (21%)	6.6614 eV (186.12 nm)	0.0174
S ₁₇	MO59 → MO61 (17%) MO59 → MO63 (50%) MO59 → MO64 (21%) MO60 → MO65 (12%)	6.7340 eV (184.12 nm)	0.2258
S ₁₈	MO49 → MO61 (24%) MO50 → MO61 (14%) MO51 → MO61 (38%) MO53 → MO61 (24%)	6.7488 eV (183.71 nm)	0.0035
S ₁₉	MO59 → MO62 (23%) MO60 → MO69 (36%) MO60 → MO71 (12%) MO60 → MO73 (29%)	6.9230 eV (179.09 nm)	0.0039
S ₂₀	MO59 → MO62 (80%) MO60 → MO67 (20%)	6.9666 eV (177.97 nm)	0.0145
S ₂₁	MO60 → MO68 (24%) MO60 → MO70 (26%) MO60 → MO71 (36%) MO60 → MO74 (14%)	6.9926 eV (177.31 nm)	0.0106
S ₂₂	MO52 → MO61 (11%) MO59 → MO64 (23%) MO59 → MO65 (15%) MO60 → MO71 (32%) MO60 → MO72 (10%) MO60 → MO74 (9%)	7.0277 eV (176.42 nm)	0.0258
S ₂₃	MO57 → MO62 (15%) MO59 → MO64 (15%) MO60 → MO68 (44%) MO60 → MO69 (26%)	7.1403 eV (173.64 nm)	0.0195
S ₂₄	MO58 → MO63 (15%) MO59 → MO62 (10%) MO59 → MO65 (20%) MO60 → MO65 (8%) MO60 → MO68 (19%) MO60 → MO69 (18%) MO60 → MO72 (10%)	7.1663 eV (173.01 nm)	0.0976

S ₂₅	MO57 → MO62 (38%) MO57 → MO64 (9%) MO59 → MO62 (12%) MO59 → MO63 (9%) MO59 → MO65 (19%) MO60 → MO70 (13%)	7.1914 eV (172.41 nm)	0.2426
S ₂₆	MO57 → MO63 (29%) MO58 → MO65 (11%) MO60 → MO69 (18%) MO60 → MO71 (15%) MO60 → MO72 (27%)	7.2534 eV (170.93 nm)	0.0329
S ₂₇	MO49 → MO61 (9%) MO53 → MO63 (8%) MO57 → MO63 (29%) MO58 → MO66 (11%) MO59 → MO65 (12%) MO60 → MO68 (12%) MO60 → MO73 (9%) MO60 → MO74 (10%)	7.2836 eV (170.22 nm)	0.0237
S ₂₈	MO50 → MO61 (40%) MO53 → MO61 (16%) MO60 → MO72 (29%) MO60 → MO73 (15%)	7.3330 eV (169.08 nm)	0.0205
S ₂₉	MO45 → MO61 (12%) MO50 → MO61 (45%) MO57 → MO64 (30%) MO58 → MO66 (13%)	7.3584 eV (168.49 nm)	0.0053
S ₃₀	MO50 → MO61 (17%) MO57 → MO63 (9%) MO58 → MO64 (25%) MO58 → MO65 (28%) MO60 → MO68 (8%) MO60 → MO74 (13%)	7.3642 eV (168.36 nm)	0.0030

HOMO: MO60, LUMO: MO61

Table S11 Calculated Excited States of **4** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
S ₁	MO62 → MO63	4.3096 eV (287.69 nm)	0.3115
S ₂	MO61 → MO63 (31%) MO62 → MO64 (49%) MO62 → MO65 (9%) MO62 → MO66 (11%)	4.4904 eV (276.11 nm)	0.0577
S ₃	MO59 → MO65 (12%) MO60 → MO65 (17%) MO62 → MO65 (59%) MO62 → MO66 (12%)	5.2097 eV (237.99 nm)	0.0769
S ₄	MO59 → MO63 (18%) MO59 → MO65 (25%) MO61 → MO63 (16%) MO62 → MO66 (41%)	5.2558 eV (235.90 nm)	0.1297
S ₅	MO61 → MO63 (21%) MO62 → MO66 (36%) MO62 → MO67 (33%) MO62 → MO73 (10%)	5.5372 eV (223.91 nm)	0.1314
S ₆	MO58 → MO64 (18%) MO61 → MO63 (82%)	5.5944 eV (221.62 nm)	0.8041
S ₇	MO60 → MO63 (59%) MO61 → MO64 (27%) MO62 → MO67 (14%)	5.8550 eV (211.76 nm)	0.0745
S ₈	MO59 → MO63 (21%) MO59 → MO65 (20%) MO60 → MO65 (10%) MO62 → MO64 (9%) MO62 → MO67 (40%)	5.8904 eV (210.49 nm)	0.0218
S ₉	MO62 → MO68 (18%) MO62 → MO69 (82%)	6.0824 eV (203.84 nm)	0.0133
S ₁₀	MO58 → MO63 (31%) MO59 → MO64 (14%) MO59 → MO67 (15%) MO60 → MO63 (14%) MO60 → MO65 (18%) MO60 → MO67 (8%)	6.1159 eV (202.72 nm)	0.0614
S ₁₁	MO62 → MO66 (17%) MO62 → MO67 (17%) MO62 → MO68 (54%) MO62 → MO77 (12%)	6.1475 eV (201.68 nm)	0.0096
S ₁₂	MO61 → MO64 (67%) MO61 → MO66 (16%) MO62 → MO68 (17%)	6.2123 eV (199.58 nm)	0.1994
S ₁₃	MO58 → MO64 (0%)	6.2642 eV (197.93 nm)	0.2196

S ₁₄	MO58 → MO63 (35%) MO59 → MO65 (14%) MO60 → MO63 (10%) MO61 → MO64 (19%) MO62 → MO72 (9%) MO62 → MO74 (13%)	6.3007 eV (196.78 nm)	0.2646
S ₁₅	MO59 → MO63 (8%) MO59 → MO64 (6%) MO59 → MO67 (6%) MO60 → MO64 (8%) MO60 → MO65 (9%) MO61 → MO64 (10%) MO62 → MO71 (16%) MO62 → MO72 (12%) MO62 → MO73 (13%) MO62 → MO74 (12%)	6.3845 eV (194.20 nm)	0.0437
S ₁₆	MO62 → MO66 (22%) MO62 → MO72 (78%)	6.4250 eV (192.97 nm)	0.0138
S ₁₇	MO58 → MO63 (17%) MO59 → MO63 (45%) MO60 → MO63 (17%) MO60 → MO64 (11%) MO60 → MO67 (10%)	6.4720 eV (191.57 nm)	0.0557
S ₁₈	MO60 → MO63 (29%) MO62 → MO71 (71%)	6.5566 eV (189.10 nm)	0.0534
S ₁₉	MO60 → MO66 (12%) MO60 → MO67 (10%) MO60 → MO68 (11%) MO62 → MO66 (7%) MO62 → MO70 (27%) MO62 → MO71 (12%) MO62 → MO72 (8%) MO62 → MO75 (13%)	6.6002 eV (187.85 nm)	0.0041
S ₂₀	MO59 → MO64 (12%) MO61 → MO65 (18%) MO61 → MO66 (21%) MO61 → MO67 (10%) MO62 → MO74 (16%) MO62 → MO75 (12%) MO62 → MO77 (11%)	6.6971 eV (185.13 nm)	0.0210
S ₂₁	MO58 → MO64 (11%) MO59 → MO65 (25%) MO60 → MO64 (32%) MO61 → MO66 (32%)	6.7572 eV (183.48 nm)	0.2207

S ₂₂	MO59 → MO66 (7%) MO60 → MO65 (12%) MO61 → MO65 (16%) MO61 → MO66 (19%) MO61 → MO67 (8%) MO61 → MO76 (7%) MO62 → MO70 (7%) MO62 → MO72 (11%) MO62 → MO73 (13%)	6.7868 eV (182.68 nm)	0.1650
S ₂₃	MO59 → MO66 (25%) MO59 → MO68 (15%) MO60 → MO65 (30%) MO60 → MO67 (9%) MO60 → MO68 (10%) MO62 → MO75 (11%)	6.7875 eV (182.66 nm)	0.2550
S ₂₄	MO59 → MO64 (10%) MO59 → MO65 (10%) MO59 → MO66 (12%) MO59 → MO67 (23%) MO59 → MO68 (16%) MO60 → MO66 (9%) MO60 → MO67 (13%) MO60 → MO68 (7%)	6.8858 eV (180.06 nm)	0.2286
S ₂₅	MO59 → MO65 (29%) MO60 → MO67 (20%) MO61 → MO65 (28%) MO62 → MO75 (23%)	6.9126 eV (179.36 nm)	0.2681
S ₂₆	MO58 → MO64 (18%) MO58 → MO65 (10%) MO61 → MO65 (27%) MO62 → MO70 (9%) MO62 → MO76 (10%) MO62 → MO77 (26%)	6.9674 eV (177.95 nm)	0.0569
S ₂₇	MO58 → MO64 (20%) MO59 → MO67 (15%) MO60 → MO64 (15%) MO60 → MO66 (16%) MO61 → MO65 (17%) MO62 → MO75 (9%) MO62 → MO78 (8%)	6.9932 eV (177.29 nm)	0.1587
S ₂₈	MO62 → MO74 (52%) MO62 → MO78 (33%) MO62 → MO79 (15%)	7.0206 eV (176.60 nm)	0.0204

S ₂₉	MO60 → MO66 (20%)	7.0684 eV (175.41 nm)	0.0125
	MO60 → MO67 (16%)		
	MO60 → MO68 (15%)		
	MO62 → MO76 (23%)		
	MO62 → MO78 (9%)		
	MO62 → MO80 (8%)		
	MO62 → MO81 (9%)		
S ₃₀	MO58 → MO64 (9%)	7.1582 eV (173.21 nm)	0.0672
	MO59 → MO64 (30%)		
	MO59 → MO65 (8%)		
	MO59 → MO66 (16%)		
	MO60 → MO64 (10%)		
	MO60 → MO65 (7%)		
	MO60 → MO66 (9%)		
	MO61 → MO67 (11%)		
HOMO: MO62, LUMO: MO63			

Table S12 Calculated Excited States of **5** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
S ₁	MO53 → MO54	3.5751 eV (346.80 nm)	0.2715
S ₂	MO50 → MO54 (45%) MO50 → MO55 (17%) MO51 → MO54 (18%) MO53 → MO54 (20%)	4.0706 eV (304.59 nm)	0.0398
S ₃	MO52 → MO54 (60%) MO53 → MO56 (40%)	4.4071 eV (281.33 nm)	0.0085
S ₄	MO45 → MO54 (12%) MO48 → MO54 (54%) MO48 → MO55 (20%) MO53 → MO56 (14%)	4.6649 eV (265.78 nm)	0.0090
S ₅	MO52 → MO56 (16%) MO53 → MO55 (84%)	4.9162 eV (252.19 nm)	0.0313
S ₆	MO53 → MO56	5.1231 eV (242.01 nm)	0.3948
S ₇	MO51 → MO54 (79%) MO53 → MO56 (21%)	5.3096 eV (233.51 nm)	0.0692
S ₈	MO52 → MO55 (67%) MO53 → MO56 (33%)	5.9109 eV (209.75 nm)	0.4638
S ₉	MO53 → MO57 (82%) MO53 → MO64 (18%)	6.1158 eV (202.73 nm)	0.0051
S ₁₀	MO48 → MO54 (38%) MO49 → MO54 (62%)	6.2615 eV (198.01 nm)	0.2284
S ₁₁	MO49 → MO54 (18%) MO51 → MO55 (24%) MO52 → MO56 (58%)	6.2724 eV (197.67 nm)	0.2020
S ₁₂	MO51 → MO56 (45%) MO52 → MO55 (27%) MO52 → MO56 (15%) MO52 → MO61 (13%)	6.5135 eV (190.35 nm)	0.4546
S ₁₃	MO52 → MO56 (22%) MO53 → MO60 (19%) MO53 → MO61 (59%)	6.5189 eV (190.19 nm)	0.0994
S ₁₄	MO51 → MO57 (22%) MO53 → MO58 (78%)	6.6432 eV (186.63 nm)	0.0450
S ₁₅	MO46 → MO54 (17%) MO47 → MO54 (83%)	6.7141 eV (184.66 nm)	0.0053
S ₁₆	MO47 → MO54 (19%) MO51 → MO55 (29%) MO51 → MO56 (18%) MO52 → MO55 (9%) MO53 → MO61 (25%)	6.7221 eV (184.44 nm)	0.1619

S ₁₇	MO51 → MO57 (11%) MO53 → MO58 (20%) MO53 → MO59 (50%) MO53 → MO60 (10%) MO53 → MO65 (9%)	6.7939 eV (182.49 nm)	0.0117
S ₁₈	MO51 → MO58 (14%) MO53 → MO57 (21%) MO53 → MO60 (48%) MO53 → MO62 (17%)	6.9165 eV (179.26 nm)	0.0015
S ₁₉	MO45 → MO54 (12%) MO46 → MO54 (46%) MO49 → MO54 (9%) MO50 → MO54 (11%) MO51 → MO56 (9%) MO53 → MO61 (13%)	6.9860 eV (177.48 nm)	0.0043
S ₂₀	MO44 → MO54 (12%) MO45 → MO54 (38%) MO48 → MO55 (19%) MO50 → MO55 (31%)	7.0186 eV (176.65 nm)	0.0391
S ₂₁	MO52 → MO57 (55%) MO52 → MO58 (21%) MO52 → MO59 (10%) MO52 → MO64 (14%)	7.1390 eV (173.67 nm)	0.0234
S ₂₂	MO50 → MO55 (13%) MO53 → MO61 (13%) MO53 → MO63 (74%)	7.2555 eV (170.88 nm)	0.0020
S ₂₃	MO52 → MO57 (15%) MO53 → MO61 (39%) MO53 → MO62 (46%)	7.3550 eV (168.57 nm)	0.0256
S ₂₄	MO46 → MO54 (28%) MO49 → MO55 (12%) MO50 → MO55 (60%)	7.4274 eV (166.93 nm)	0.0040
S ₂₅	MO51 → MO57 (18%) MO53 → MO64 (33%) MO53 → MO65 (30%) MO53 → MO69 (19%)	7.4733 eV (165.90 nm)	0.0048
S ₂₆	MO51 → MO60 (16%) MO53 → MO58 (14%) MO53 → MO59 (11%) MO53 → MO60 (13%) MO53 → MO62 (10%) MO53 → MO64 (36%)	7.6111 eV (162.90 nm)	0.0090
S ₂₇	MO43 → MO55 (13%) MO45 → MO54 (24%) MO48 → MO56 (19%) MO49 → MO55 (30%) MO50 → MO56 (14%)	7.6136 eV (162.85 nm)	0.0152

S ₂₈	MO43 → MO54 (36%)	7.6437 eV (162.20 nm)	0.0028
	MO45 → MO55 (15%)		
	MO47 → MO54 (11%)		
	MO48 → MO56 (17%)		
	MO50 → MO56 (21%)		
S ₂₉	MO51 → MO57 (10%)	7.6829 eV (161.38 nm)	0.0010
	MO52 → MO58 (40%)		
	MO52 → MO60 (19%)		
	MO53 → MO62 (12%)		
	MO53 → MO64 (19%)		
S ₃₀	MO43 → MO54 (11%)	7.7234 eV (160.53 nm)	0.0276
	MO46 → MO56 (12%)		
	MO52 → MO60 (26%)		
	MO52 → MO61 (39%)		
	MO52 → MO66 (12%)		

HOMO: MO53, LUMO: MO54

Table S13 Calculated Excited States of **6** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
S ₁	MO38 → MO41	4.0393 eV (306.94 nm)	0.0000
S ₂	MO40 → MO41	4.2588 eV (291.12 nm)	0.4543
S ₃	MO36 → MO41	4.6715 eV (265.41 nm)	0.0005
S ₄	MO39 → MO41	4.7706 eV (259.89 nm)	0.0081
S ₅	MO37 → MO41 (12%) MO39 → MO41 (29%) MO40 → MO42 (59%)	5.6353 eV (220.02 nm)	0.1004
S ₆	MO37 → MO41	6.3504 eV (195.24 nm)	0.2403
S ₇	MO34 → MO41 (14%) MO39 → MO42 (44%) MO40 → MO45 (42%)	6.4733 eV (191.53 nm)	0.0707
S ₈	MO40 → MO43 (61%) MO40 → MO44 (11%) MO40 → MO47 (16%) MO40 → MO50 (12%)	6.6229 eV (187.20 nm)	0.0175
S ₉	MO33 → MO41 (28%) MO35 → MO41 (58%) MO35 → MO45 (14%)	6.8362 eV (181.37 nm)	0.0001
S ₁₀	MO39 → MO42	6.9556 eV (178.25 nm)	0.5033
S ₁₁	MO40 → MO44 (20%) MO40 → MO46 (58%) MO40 → MO47 (22%)	7.1981 eV (172.25 nm)	0.0001
S ₁₂	MO34 → MO41 (79%) MO39 → MO42 (21%)	7.3166 eV (169.46 nm)	0.1199
S ₁₃	MO40 → MO44	7.3221 eV (169.33 nm)	0.0077
S ₁₄	MO39 → MO43 (21%) MO39 → MO44 (11%) MO40 → MO44 (16%) MO40 → MO47 (30%) MO40 → MO48 (13%) MO40 → MO50 (9%)	7.4414 eV (166.61 nm)	0.0032
S ₁₅	MO34 → MO42 (13%) MO39 → MO45 (71%) MO40 → MO42 (16%)	7.4949 eV (165.42 nm)	0.3154
S ₁₆	MO39 → MO43 (40%) MO39 → MO44 (11%) MO39 → MO47 (10%) MO40 → MO44 (20%) MO40 → MO46 (19%)	7.5496 eV (164.23 nm)	0.0001
S ₁₇	MO40 → MO49	7.7215 eV (160.57 nm)	0.0121
S ₁₈	MO38 → MO42	7.8129 eV (158.69 nm)	0.0015
S ₁₉	MO29 → MO41 (12%) MO33 → MO41 (61%) MO38 → MO42 (27%)	7.9264 eV (156.42 nm)	0.0000

S ₂₀	MO39 → MO46 (13%) MO40 → MO46 (15%) MO40 → MO48 (60%) MO40 → MO50 (12%)	7.9886 eV (155.20 nm)	0.0007
S ₂₁	MO33 → MO42 (23%) MO35 → MO42 (46%) MO38 → MO42 (31%)	8.0244 eV (154.51 nm)	0.0083
S ₂₂	MO35 → MO42 (10%) MO39 → MO44 (36%) MO39 → MO46 (40%) MO39 → MO48 (14%)	8.0863 eV (153.33 nm)	0.0396
S ₂₃	MO39 → MO46 (16%) MO39 → MO47 (33%) MO39 → MO48 (10%) MO39 → MO50 (15%) MO40 → MO50 (26%)	8.1960 eV (151.27 nm)	0.0094
S ₂₄	MO36 → MO42 (18%) MO39 → MO44 (28%) MO39 → MO46 (12%) MO40 → MO50 (42%)	8.2561 eV (150.17 nm)	0.0005
S ₂₅	MO36 → MO42 (75%) MO38 → MO45 (12%) MO39 → MO47 (13%)	8.2687 eV (149.94 nm)	0.0000
S ₂₆	MO38 → MO43 (44%) MO38 → MO44 (35%) MO38 → MO48 (21%)	8.4131 eV (147.37 nm)	0.0012
S ₂₇	MO39 → MO43 (30%) MO39 → MO46 (70%)	8.4352 eV (146.98 nm)	0.0000
S ₂₈	MO37 → MO42	8.4458 eV (146.80 nm)	0.0025
S ₂₉	MO31 → MO41 (20%) MO38 → MO41 (14%) MO38 → MO45 (56%) MO38 → MO49 (10%)	8.5198 eV (145.52 nm)	0.0002
S ₃₀	MO34 → MO42 (37%) MO38 → MO43 (12%) MO38 → MO44 (9%) MO39 → MO49 (26%) MO40 → MO52 (16%)	8.5276 eV (145.39 nm)	0.1048

HOMO: MO40, LUMO: MO41

Table S14 Molecular-Orbital Populations of **1** in CH₂Cl₂.

Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-	-Naph-	-ph-	-NO ₂
MO78 (LUMO+4)	+0.02568	0.06	71.11	28.70	0.13
MO77 (LUMO+3)	+0.01497	0.06	35.68	64.21	0.05
MO76 (LUMO+2)	+0.00554	0.05	36.14	63.76	0.05
MO75 (LUMO+1)	-0.01102	0.34	36.00	63.29	0.37
MO74 (LUMO)	-0.06378	0.13	15.30	58.31	26.26
MO73 (HOMO)	-0.26626	2.67	58.82	38.38	0.13
MO72 (HOMO-1)	-0.31307	0.17	61.60	38.22	0.01
MO71 (HOMO-2)	-0.33156	2.76	46.69	50.04	0.51
MO70 (HOMO-3)	-0.33921	0.01	65.93	33.62	0.44
MO69 (HOMO-4)	-0.34496	2.94	46.56	49.85	0.65

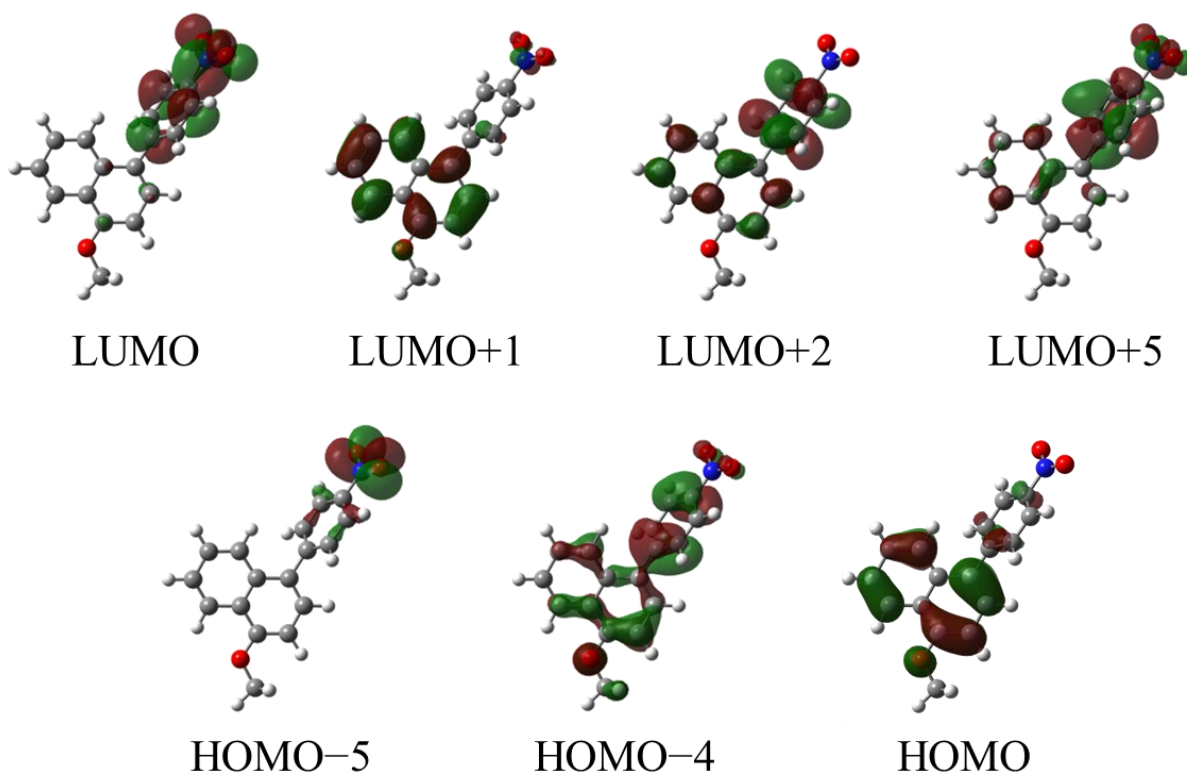
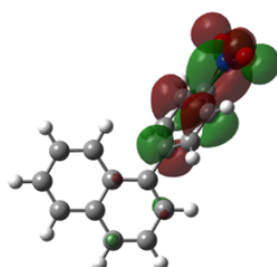
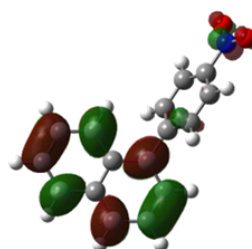
**Fig. S10** Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **1** for ground-state optimized geometry.

Table S15 Molecular-Orbital Populations of **2** in CH₂Cl₂.

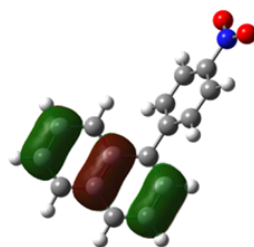
Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
			Naph-	-ph-	-NO ₂
MO70 (LUMO+4)	+0.02639		53.33	46.15	0.52
MO69 (LUMO+3)	+0.01513		29.01	70.87	0.12
MO68 (LUMO+2)	+0.00418		23.20	76.70	0.10
MO67 (LUMO+1)	-0.01574		33.32	66.14	0.54
MO66 (LUMO)	-0.06477		8.51	65.43	26.06
MO65 (HOMO)	-0.27932		36.18	63.72	0.10
MO64 (HOMO-1)	-0.31195		65.38	34.61	0.01
MO63 (HOMO-2)	-0.33728		24.39	74.94	0.67
MO62 (HOMO-3)	-0.34057		67.62	31.92	0.46
MO61 (HOMO-4)	-0.36557		42.83	56.17	1.00



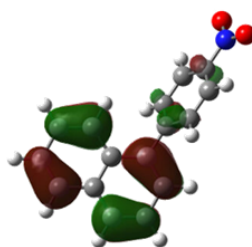
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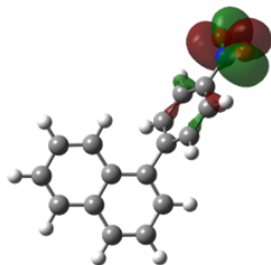
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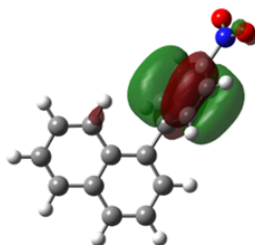
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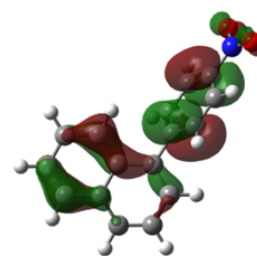
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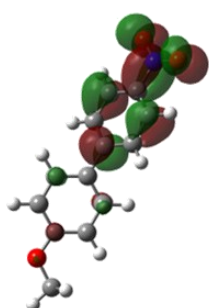


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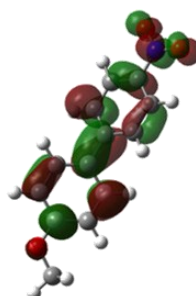
Fig. S11 Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **2** for ground-state optimized geometry.

Table S16 Molecular-Orbital Populations of **3** in CH₂Cl₂.

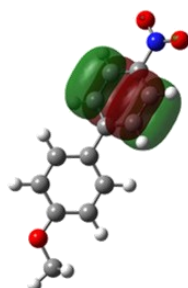
Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-	-ph-	-ph-	-NO ₂
MO65 (LUMO+4)	+0.02769	0.16	50.45	48.42	0.97
MO64 (LUMO+3)	+0.01836	0.17	34.63	62.50	2.70
MO63 (LUMO+2)	+0.01160	0.48	26.82	70.35	2.35
MO62 (LUMO+1)	+0.00789	0.13	42.74	57.02	0.11
MO61 (LUMO)	-0.06433	0.23	41.52	33.57	24.68
MO60 (HOMO)	-0.28135	2.11	53.27	44.44	0.18
MO59 (HOMO-1)	-0.32727	0.27	80.00	19.65	0.08
MO58 (HOMO-2)	-0.33911	0.02	16.40	82.67	0.91
MO57 (HOMO-3)	-0.34809	2.15	53.75	43.41	0.69
MO56 (HOMO-4)	-0.38268	0.04	5.56	80.37	14.03



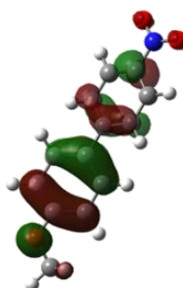
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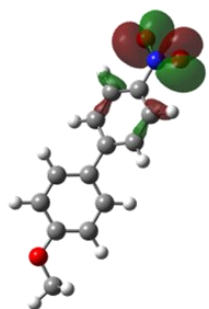
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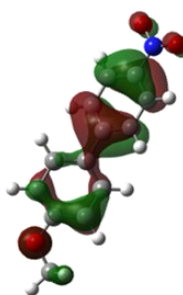
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HOMO-4



HOMO-3

Fig. S12 Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **3** for ground-state optimized geometry.

Table S17 Molecular-Orbital Populations of **4** in CH₂Cl₂.

Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-	-Naph-	-ph	
MO67 (LUMO+4)	+0.02948	0.07	78.36	21.57	
MO66 (LUMO+3)	+0.02618	0.06	62.81	37.13	
MO65 (LUMO+2)	+0.02162	0.07	58.09	41.84	
MO64 (LUMO+1)	+0.01312	0.07	46.35	53.58	
MO63 (LUMO)	-0.00832	0.50	52.02	47.48	
MO62 (HOMO)	-0.26070	3.71	68.16	28.13	
MO61 (HOMO-1)	-0.30866	0.17	75.89	23.94	
MO60 (HOMO-2)	-0.31492	0.04	54.23	45.73	
MO59 (HOMO-3)	-0.31794	0.31	52.55	47.14	
MO58 (HOMO-4)	-0.33416	16.43	52.18	31.39	

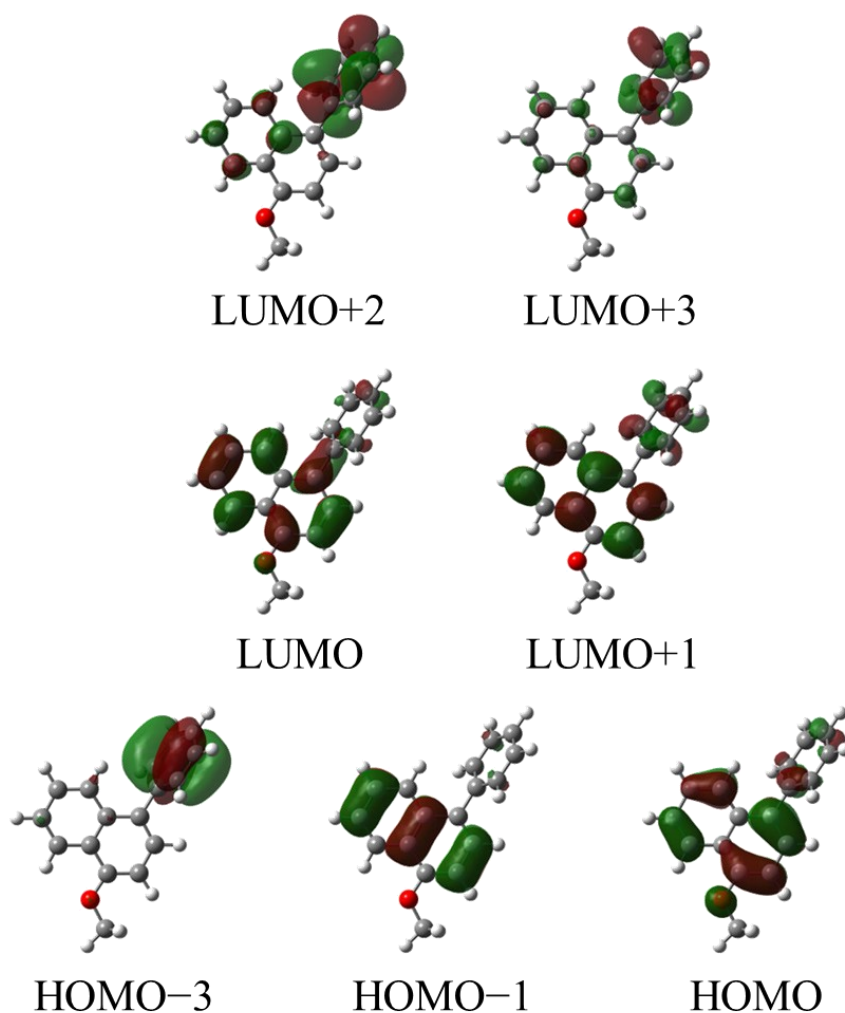
**Fig. S13** Selected Kohn-Sham orbitals of **4** for ground-state optimized geometry.

Table S18 Molecular-Orbital Populations of **5** in CH₂Cl₂.

Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-	-Naph-		-NO ₂
MO58 (LUMO+4)	+0.03934	0.10	99.52		0.38
MO57 (LUMO+3)	+0.02949	0.20	99.18		0.62
MO56 (LUMO+2)	+0.00391	0.15	97.91		1.94
MO55 (LUMO+1)	−0.00559	0.08	99.08		0.84
MO54 (LUMO)	−0.05839	0.15	98.21		1.64
MO53 (HOMO)	−0.28471	3.91	93.44		2.65
MO52 (HOMO−1)	−0.32434	1.15	97.38		1.47
MO51 (HOMO−2)	−0.34314	11.71	84.80		3.49
MO50 (HOMO−3)	−0.37653	2.73	50.90		46.37
MO49 (HOMO−4)	−0.38998	0.11	92.08		7.81

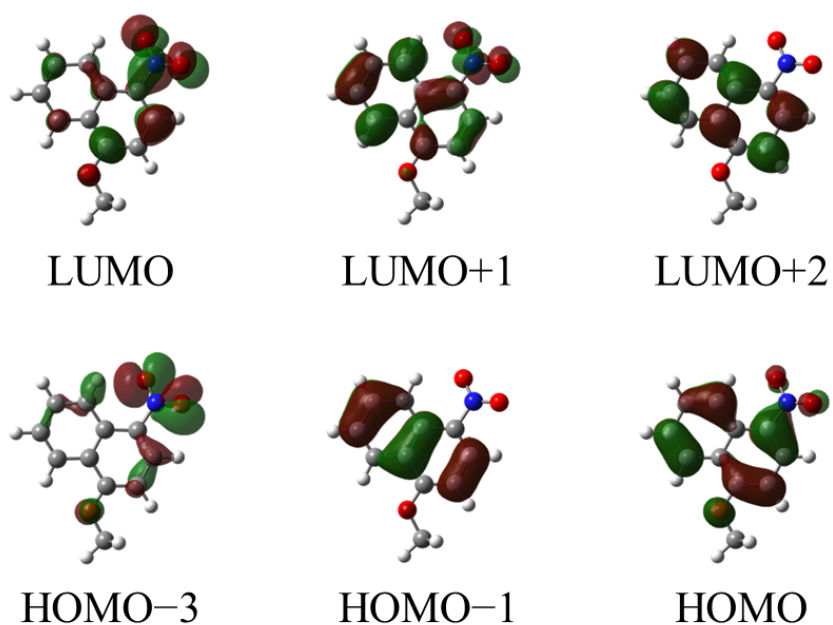
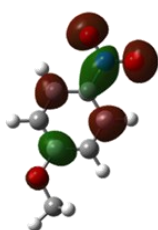
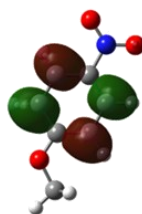
**Fig. S14** Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **5** for ground-state optimized geometry.

Table S19 Molecular-Orbital Populations of **6** in CH₂Cl₂.

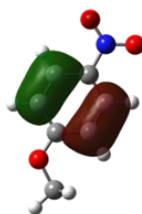
Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-		-ph-	-NO ₂
MO45 (LUMO+4)	+0.04582	4.16		81.29	14.55
MO44 (LUMO+3)	+0.04469	1.20		97.45	1.35
MO43 (LUMO+2)	+0.02999	1.52		96.60	1.88
MO42 (LUMO+1)	+0.00844	0.78		98.95	0.27
MO41 (LUMO)	-0.05793	3.24		31.24	65.52
MO40 (HOMO)	-0.30894	32.28		61.59	6.13
MO39 (HOMO-1)	-0.34262	0.20		98.27	1.53
MO38 (HOMO-2)	-0.37964	0.08		85.47	14.45
MO37 (HOMO-3)	-0.39461	0.02		0.88	99.10
MO36 (HOMO-4)	-0.40037	0.85		47.46	51.69



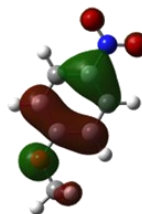
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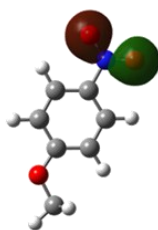
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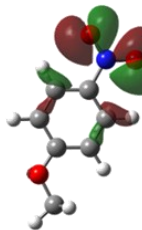
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HOMO-3



HOMO-2

Fig. S15 Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **6** for ground-state optimized geometry.

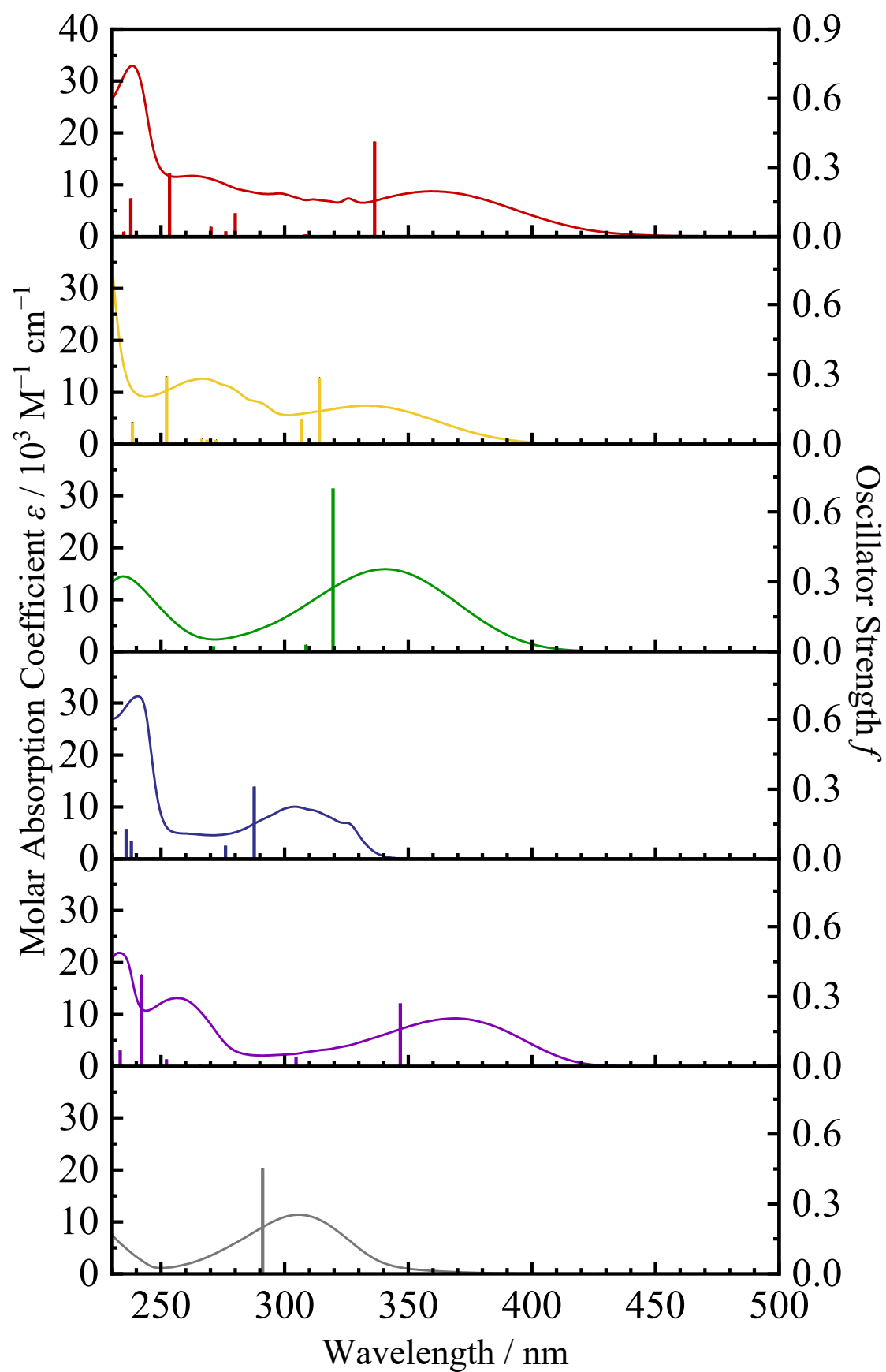


Fig. S16 Comparisons of absorption spectra and oscillator strengths calculated by TD-DFT (perpendicular bars) of **1–6** in dichloromethane. The colors correspond to those indicated in Fig. 2.

Table S20 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **1** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO69 → MO74 (14%)	1.6932 eV (732.25 nm)	0.0000
	MO71 → MO74 (19%)		
	MO73 → MO74 (67%)		
T ₂	MO67 → MO74 (64%)	2.4490 eV (506.26 nm)	0.0000
	MO67 → MO75 (20%)		
	MO67 → MO78 (16%)		
T ₃	MO69 → MO74 (18%)	2.5845 eV (479.73 nm)	0.0000
	MO71 → MO74 (22%)		
	MO73 → MO74 (17%)		
	MO73 → MO75 (43%)		
S ₁	MO73 → MO74	2.7957 eV (443.48 nm)	0.8337
S ₂	MO68 → MO74 (68%)	3.5187 eV (352.36 nm)	0.0026
	MO68 → MO75 (19%)		
	MO68 → MO78 (13%)		
S ₃	MO73 → MO75 (86%)	4.0276 eV (307.84 nm)	0.0304
	MO73 → MO76 (14%)		

HOMO: MO73, LUMO: MO74

Table S21 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **2** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO63 → MO66 (16%)	1.6564 eV (748.50 nm)	0.0000
	MO65 → MO66 (51%)		
	MO65 → MO67 (33%)		
T ₂	MO59 → MO66 (82%)	2.4303 eV (510.15 nm)	0.0000
	MO62 → MO66 (18%)		
T ₃	MO60 → MO66 (27%)	2.6298 eV (471.46 nm)	0.0000
	MO65 → MO67 (73%)		
S ₁	MO63 → MO66 (12%)	2.9558 eV (419.47 nm)	0.7398
	MO65 → MO66 (75%)		
	MO65 → MO67 (13%)		
S ₂	MO60 → MO67 (22%)	3.5322 eV (351.01 nm)	0.0021
	MO61 → MO66 (78%)		
S ₃	MO65 → MO67 (64%)	4.1488 eV (298.84 nm)	0.0075
	MO65 → MO68 (36%)		

HOMO: MO65, LUMO: MO66

Table S22 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **3** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO60 → MO61	1.8698 eV (663.08 nm)	0.0000
T ₂	MO55 → MO61 (71%) MO55 → MO62 (29%)	2.4771 eV (500.51 nm)	0.0000
T ₃	MO56 → MO61 (73%) MO56 → MO62 (27%)	3.0396 eV (407.90 nm)	0.0000
S ₁	MO60 → MO61	3.0787 eV (402.72 nm)	1.0509
S ₂	MO56 → MO61 (74%) MO56 → MO62 (26%)	3.5500 eV (349.25 nm)	0.0049
S ₃	MO58 → MO61 (71%) MO60 → MO63 (29%)	4.2556 eV (291.34 nm)	0.0218

HOMO: MO60, LUMO: MO61

Table S23 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **4** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO62 → MO63	1.5033 eV (824.76 nm)	0.0000
T ₂	MO59 → MO63 (19%) MO62 → MO65 (81%)	3.0725 eV (403.53 nm)	0.0000
S ₁	MO62 → MO63	3.2152 eV (385.62 nm)	0.5058
T ₃	MO62 → MO64 (69%) MO62 → MO65 (31%)	3.5198 eV (352.25 nm)	0.0000
S ₂	MO61 → MO63 (27%) MO62 → MO64 (57%) MO62 → MO65 (16%)	4.0525 eV (305.94 nm)	0.0635
S ₃	MO62 → MO65	4.4379 eV (279.37 nm)	0.1340

HOMO: MO62, LUMO: MO63

Table S24 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **5** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO46 → MO54 (23%) MO49 → MO54 (77%)	−0.4776 eV (−2596.13 nm)	0.0000
T ₂	MO49 → MO54 (25%) MO50 → MO54 (28%) MO53 → MO54 (47%)	1.4900 eV (832.13 nm)	0.0000
S ₁	MO50 → MO54 (26%) MO53 → MO54 (74%)	1.6543 eV (749.28 nm)	0.0001
T ₃	MO51 → MO60 (14%) MO52 → MO56 (16%) MO53 → MO55 (70%)	2.2340 eV (554.99 nm)	0.0000
S ₂	MO49 → MO54 (31%) MO50 → MO54 (69%)	3.1406 eV (393.77 nm)	0.0005
S ₃	MO45 → MO54 (14%) MO47 → MO54 (30%) MO48 → MO54 (56%)	3.3822 eV (366.58 nm)	0.0016

HOMO: MO53, LUMO: MO54

Table S25 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **6** in CH₂Cl₂.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO37 → MO41 (76%) MO38 → MO41 (24%)	1.6864 eV (735.21 nm)	0.0000
T ₂	MO39 → MO41	1.9297 eV (642.51 nm)	0.0000
S ₁	MO39 → MO41	2.4359 eV (508.98 nm)	0.0000
T ₃	MO40 → MO41 (85%) MO40 → MO44 (14%)	2.5585 eV (484.59 nm)	0.0000
S ₂	MO40 → MO41	3.9518 eV (313.74 nm)	0.6138
S ₃	MO38 → MO41	4.3849 eV (282.76 nm)	0.0147

HOMO: MO40, LUMO: MO41

Table S26 Molecular-Orbital Populations of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **1** in CH₂Cl₂.

Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-	-Naph-	-ph-	-NO ₂
MO78 (LUMO+4)	+0.02363	0.05	76.19	23.57	0.19
MO77 (LUMO+3)	+0.01515	0.04	57.56	42.24	0.16
MO76 (LUMO+2)	+0.00954	0.05	47.21	52.68	0.06
MO75 (LUMO+1)	−0.02077	0.35	48.33	50.68	0.64
MO74 (LUMO)	−0.08139	0.45	37.91	46.49	15.15
MO73 (HOMO)	−0.25478	2.07	57.58	39.69	0.66
MO72 (HOMO−1)	−0.31880	0.16	63.30	36.52	0.02
MO71 (HOMO−2)	−0.32913	0.71	31.79	66.34	1.16
MO70 (HOMO−3)	−0.34210	0.17	63.46	35.54	0.83
MO69 (HOMO−4)	−0.34790	8.38	27.29	62.84	1.49

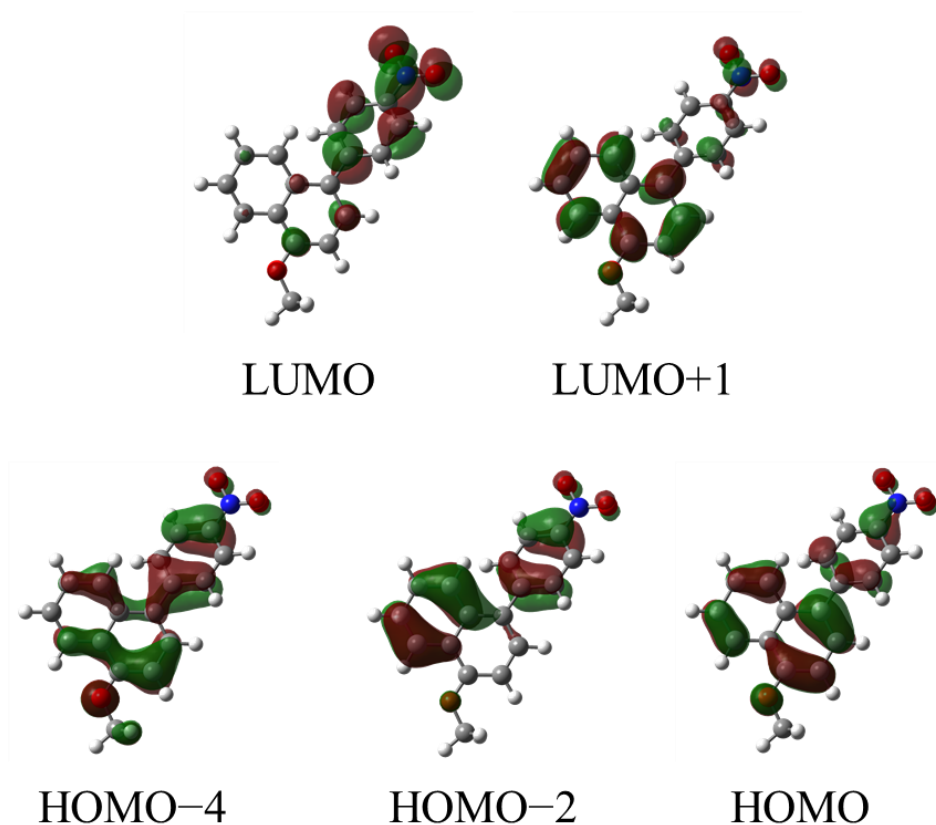
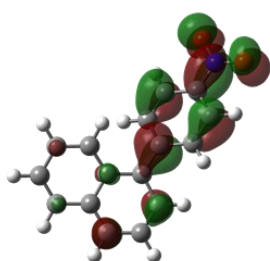
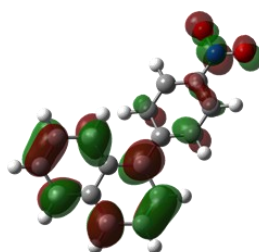
**Fig. S17** Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **1** for S₁- optimized geometry.

Table S27 Molecular-Orbital Populations of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **2** in CH₂Cl₂.

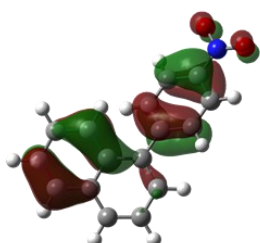
Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
			Naph-	-ph-	-NO ₂
MO70 (LUMO+4)	+0.02080		64.35	35.36	0.29
MO69 (LUMO+3)	+0.01488		52.16	47.60	0.24
MO68 (LUMO+2)	+0.00731		42.39	57.55	0.06
MO67 (LUMO+1)	−0.02748		19.15	79.77	1.08
MO66 (LUMO)	−0.08521		39.38	45.75	14.87
MO65 (HOMO)	−0.26731		57.80	41.32	0.88
MO64 (HOMO−1)	−0.31803		65.83	34.15	0.02
MO63 (HOMO−2)	−0.33240		45.78	53.24	0.98
MO62 (HOMO−3)	−0.34491		55.04	44.15	0.81
MO61 (HOMO−4)	−0.37387		14.21	79.28	6.51



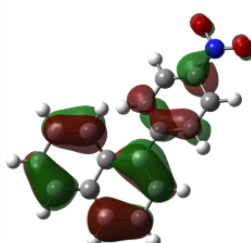
LUMO



LUMO+1



HOMO−2



HOMO

Fig. S18 Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **2** for S₁- optimized geometry.

Table S28 Molecular-Orbital Populations of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **3** in CH₂Cl₂.

Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-	-ph-	-ph-	-NO ₂
MO65 (LUMO+4)	+0.03120	0.14	41.67	58.11	0.08
MO64 (LUMO+3)	+0.02773	0.24	52.62	45.93	1.21
MO63 (LUMO+2)	+0.00456	0.05	52.99	46.81	0.15
MO62 (LUMO+1)	-0.00280	0.32	28.05	69.75	1.88
MO61 (LUMO)	-0.08136	0.47	25.40	59.09	15.04
MO60 (HOMO)	-0.26964	1.41	52.45	45.68	0.46
MO59 (HOMO-1)	-0.33464	0.62	75.32	23.79	0.27
MO58 (HOMO-2)	-0.34433	0.39	11.96	85.66	1.99
MO57 (HOMO-3)	-0.34949	6.95	20.09	70.58	2.38
MO56 (HOMO-4)	-0.37132	0.00	3.33	88.25	8.42

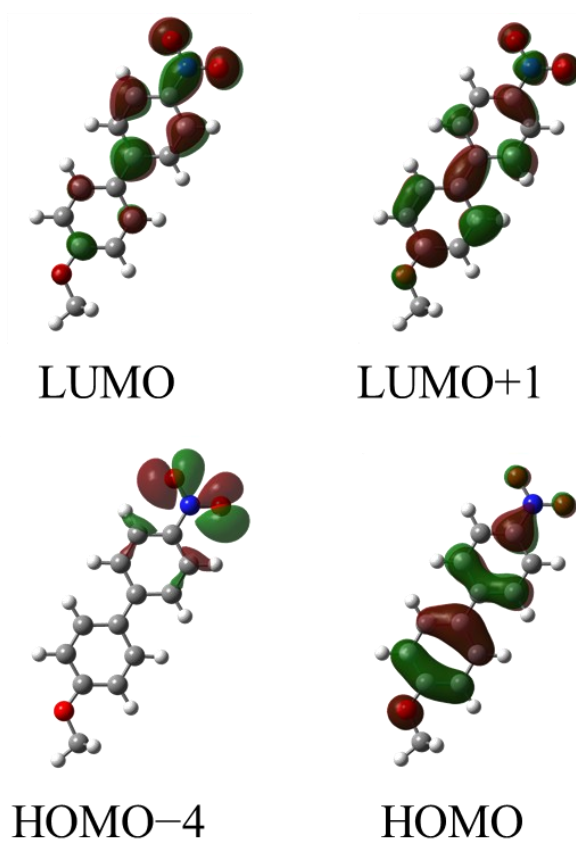
**Fig. S19** Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **3** for S₁- optimized geometry.

Table S29 Molecular-Orbital Populations of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **4** in CH₂Cl₂.

Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-	-Naph-	-ph	
MO67 (LUMO+4)	+0.03176	0.06	80.41	19.53	
MO66 (LUMO+3)	+0.02703	0.04	61.16	38.80	
MO65 (LUMO+2)	+0.02015	0.06	67.71	32.23	
MO64 (LUMO+1)	+0.01502	0.02	36.67	63.31	
MO63 (LUMO)	-0.03181	0.51	62.47	37.02	
MO62 (HOMO)	-0.23731	2.84	62.40	34.76	
MO61 (HOMO-1)	-0.31310	0.64	83.49	15.87	
MO60 (HOMO-2)	-0.31488	0.04	54.62	45.34	
MO59 (HOMO-3)	-0.31880	0.10	59.05	40.85	
MO58 (HOMO-4)	-0.33736	9.66	74.70	15.64	

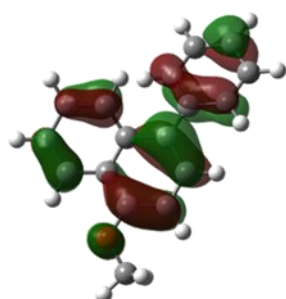
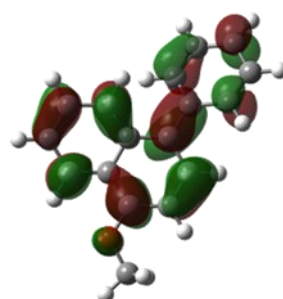
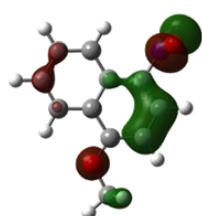
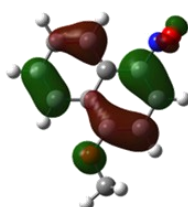
**HOMO****LUMO****Fig. S20** Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **4** for S₁- optimized geometry.

Table S30 Molecular-Orbital Populations of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **5** in CH₂Cl₂.

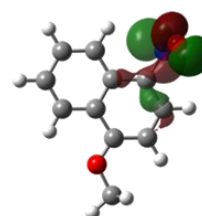
Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-	-Naph-		-NO ₂
MO58 (LUMO+4)	+0.03883	0.08	99.79		0.13
MO57 (LUMO+3)	+0.03001	0.22	98.73		1.05
MO56 (LUMO+2)	+0.00710	0.25	93.75		6.00
MO55 (LUMO+1)	−0.02671	4.18	93.46		2.36
MO54 (LUMO)	−0.09588	0.01	97.68		2.31
MO53 (HOMO)	−0.27020	13.60	79.47		6.93
MO52 (HOMO−1)	−0.32572	1.30	98.25		0.45
MO51 (HOMO−2)	−0.34351	19.67	74.67		5.66
MO50 (HOMO−3)	−0.38591	12.55	21.81		65.64
MO49 (HOMO−4)	−0.39539	0.09	6.03		93.88



HOMO−3



HOMO

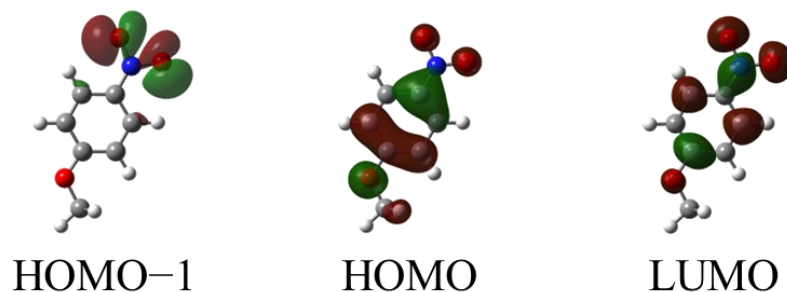


LUMO

Fig. S21 Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **5** for S₁- optimized geometry.

Table S31 Molecular-Orbital Populations of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **6** in CH₂Cl₂.

Molecular Orbital	Eigenvalue / Hartrees	MO Population / %			
		MeO-		-ph-	-NO ₂
MO45 (LUMO+4)	+0.04394	1.73		96.60	1.67
MO44 (LUMO+3)	+0.04198	3.67		81.68	14.65
MO43 (LUMO+2)	+0.02897	1.43		97.23	1.34
MO42 (LUMO+1)	+0.00167	0.73		99.04	0.23
MO41 (LUMO)	-0.08279	4.37		31.35	64.28
MO40 (HOMO)	-0.31818	31.46		58.00	10.54
MO39 (HOMO-1)	-0.33844	0.02		83.63	16.35
MO38 (HOMO-2)	-0.35054	0.18		91.27	8.55
MO37 (HOMO-3)	-0.36675	0.03		4.86	95.11
MO36 (HOMO-4)	-0.41089	0.47		74.33	25.20

**Fig. S22** Selected Kohn–Sham orbitals of **6** for S₁- optimized geometry.

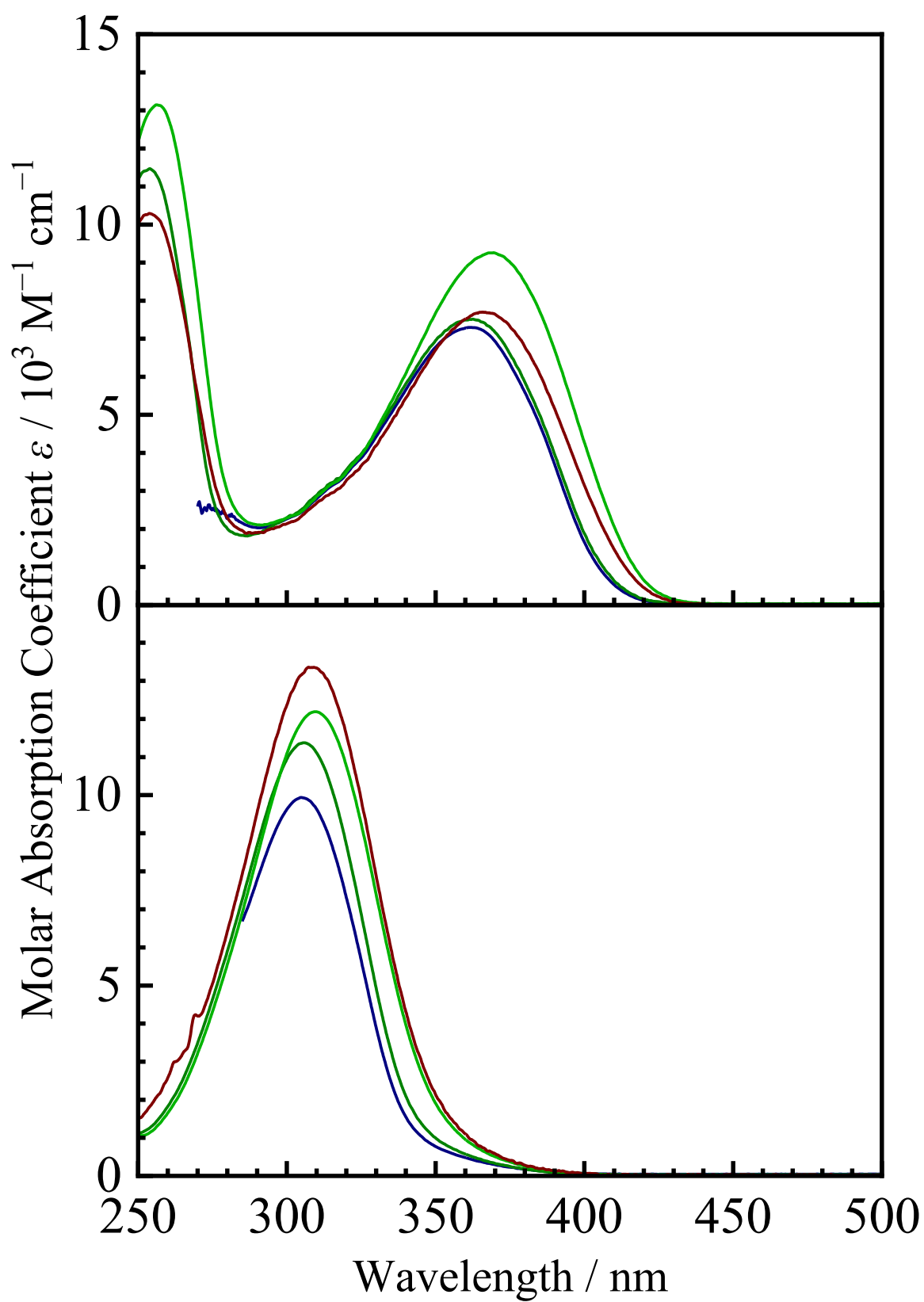


Fig. S23 Absorption spectra of **5** (top) and **6** (bottom) in various solvents. The colors correspond to those indicated in Fig. 3.

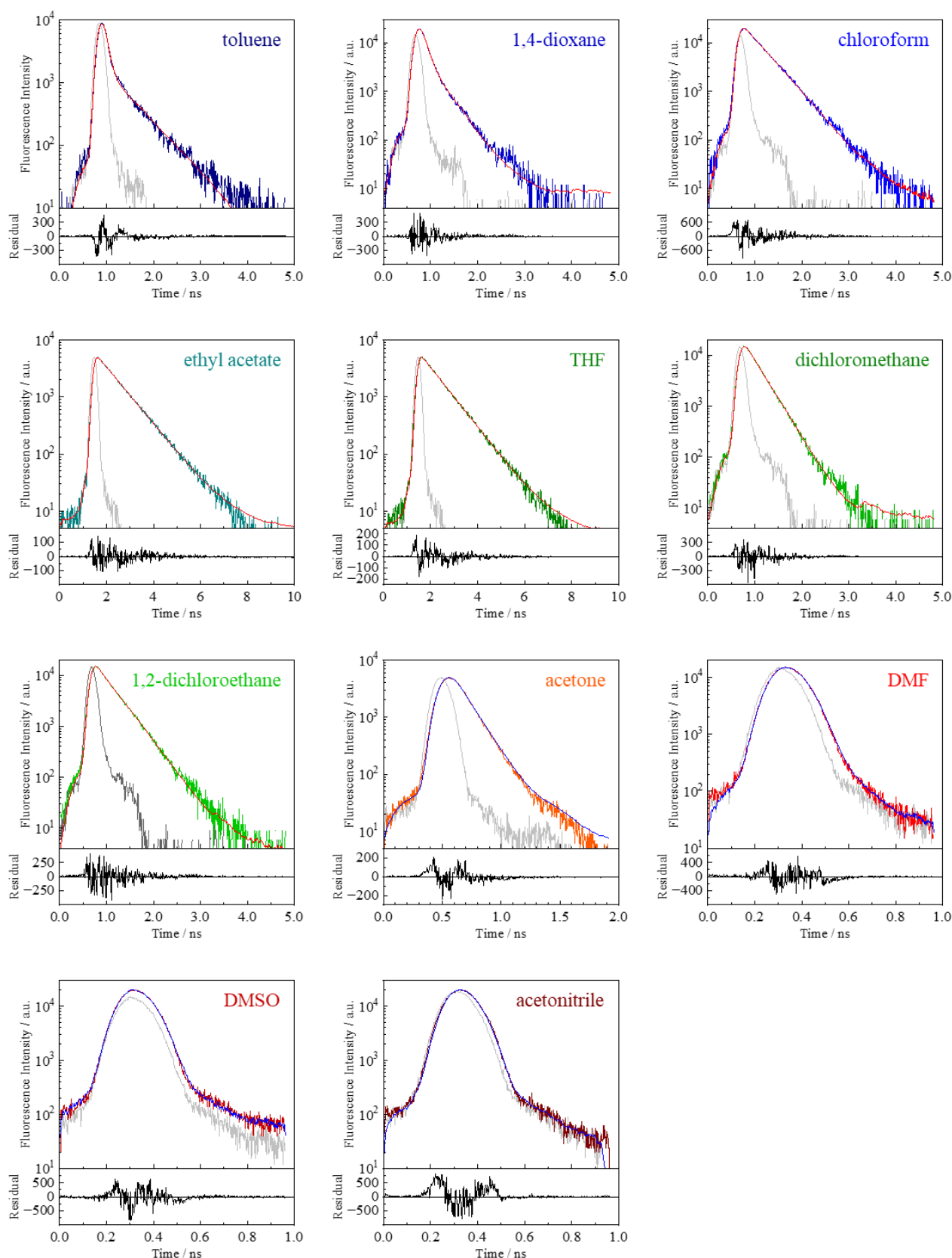


Fig. S24 Fluorescence decay profiles of **1** in various solvents. Grey and red/blue curves represent the instrumental response function and convolution fits by the single- or biexponential decay function, respectively.

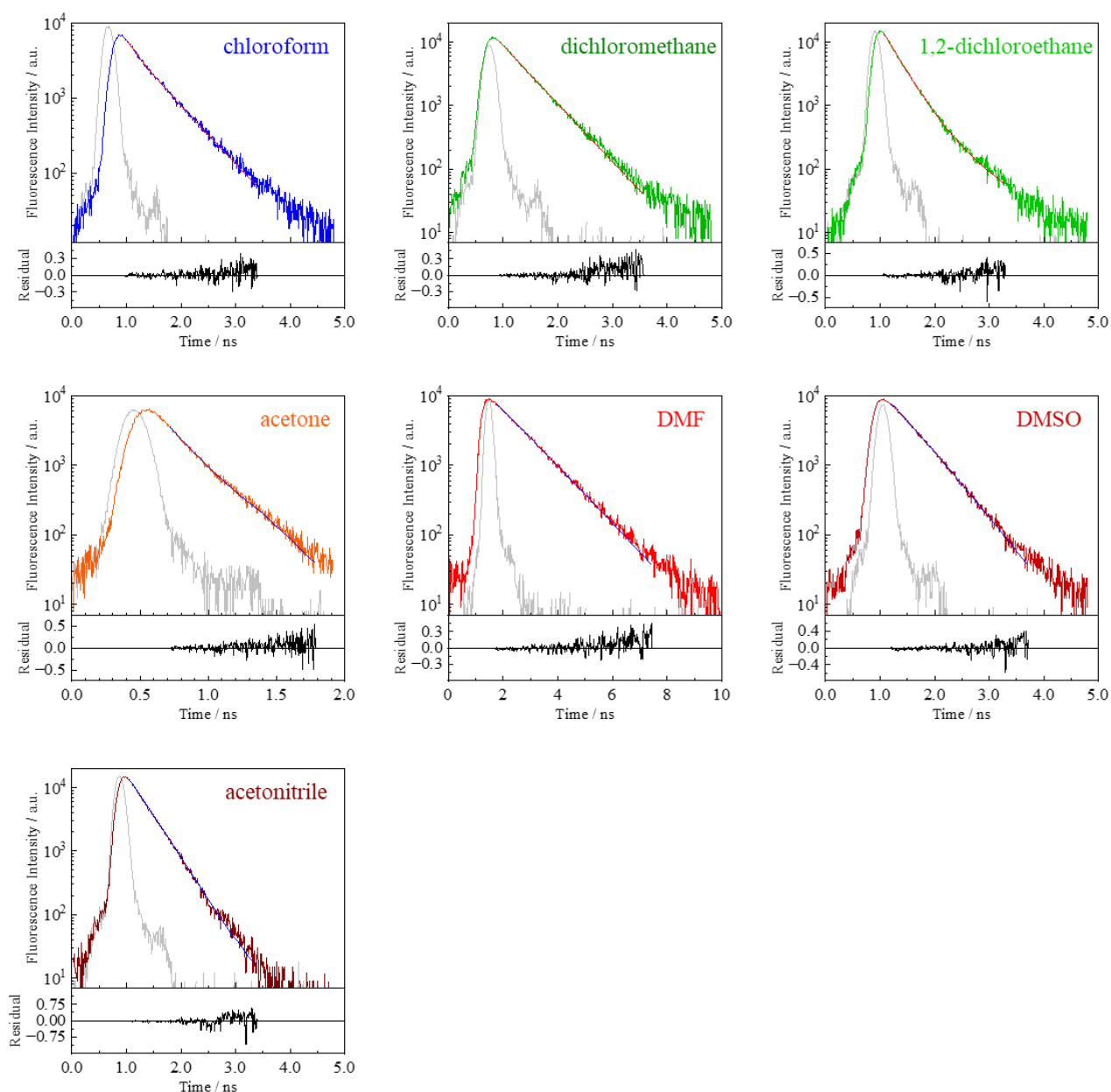


Fig. S25 Fluorescence decay profiles of **2** in various solvents. Grey and red/blue curves represent the instrumental response function and convolution fits by the single- or biexponential decay functions, respectively.

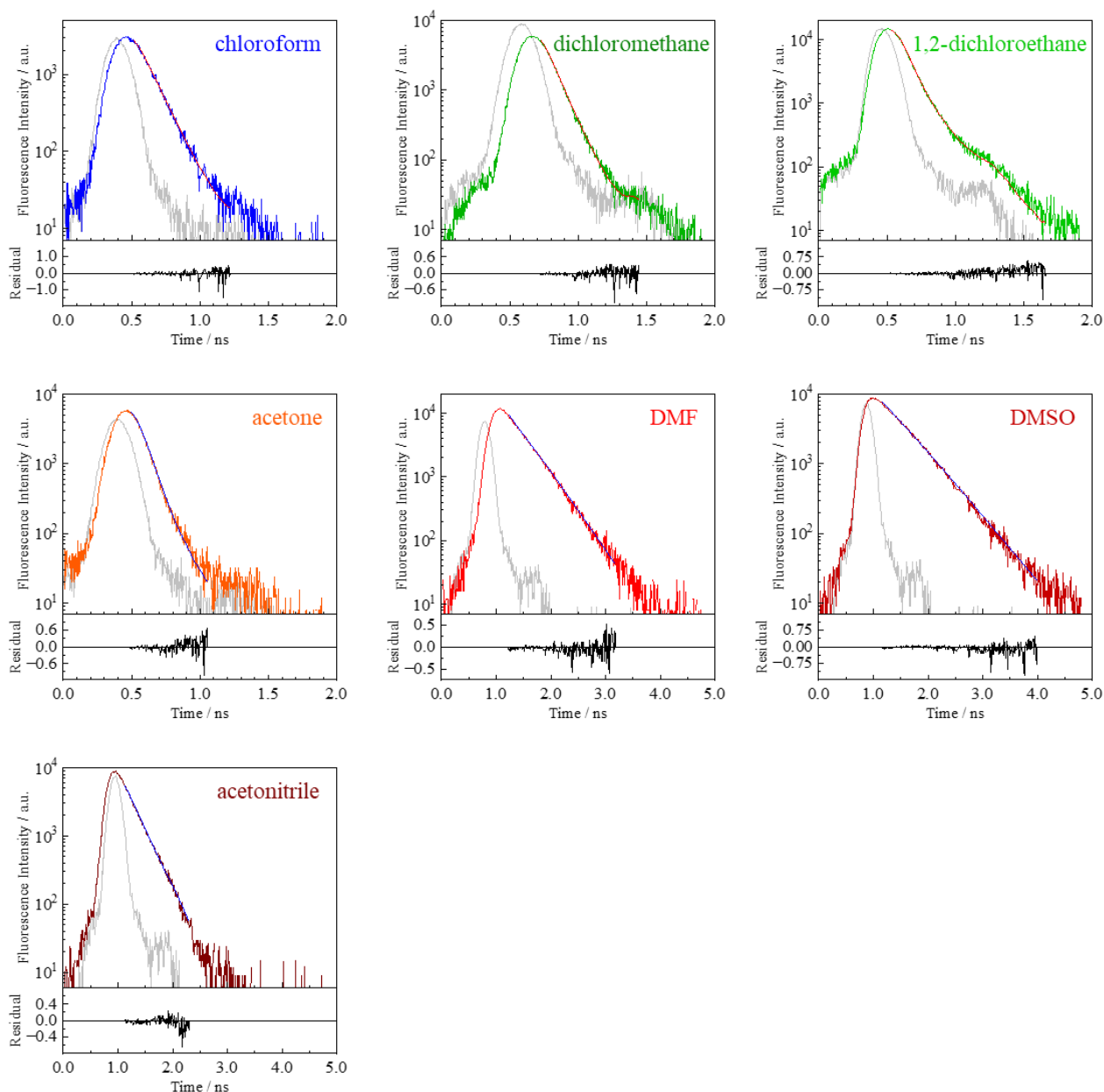


Fig. S26 Fluorescence decay profile of **3** in various solvents. Grey and red/blue curves represent the instrumental response function and convolution fits by the single- or biexponential decay function, respectively.

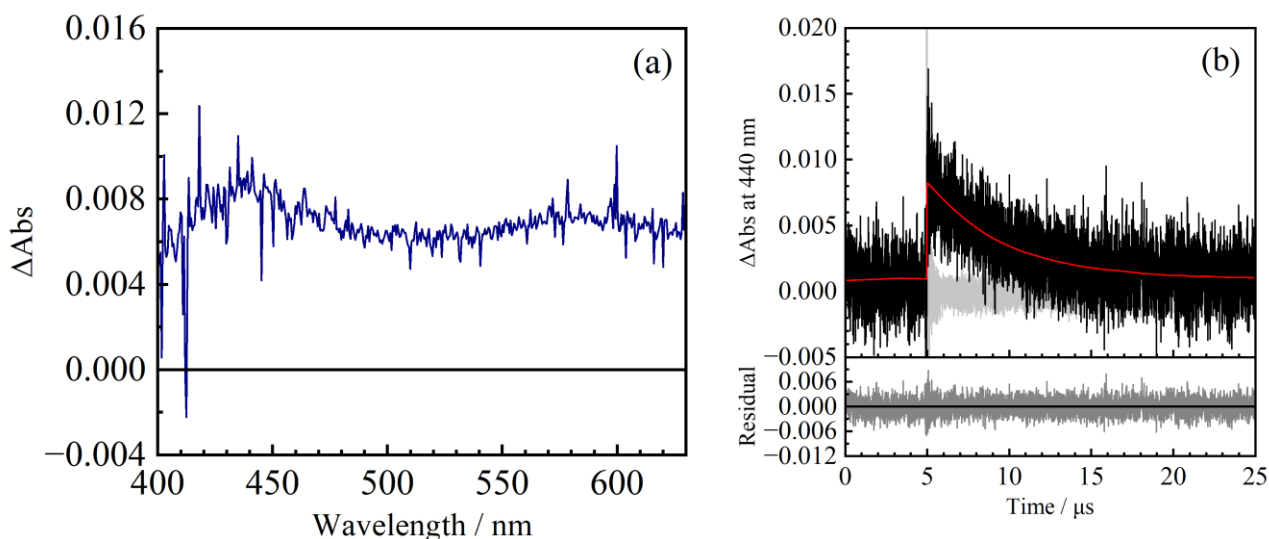


Fig. S27 Transient absorption spectra of **2** in toluene (1×10^{-4} M) at 50 ns after the 355-nm excitation (a) and transient absorption decay profile at 440 nm (b, black). Grey and red curves in (b) represent the instrumental response function and convolution fit by the single exponential decay function, respectively.

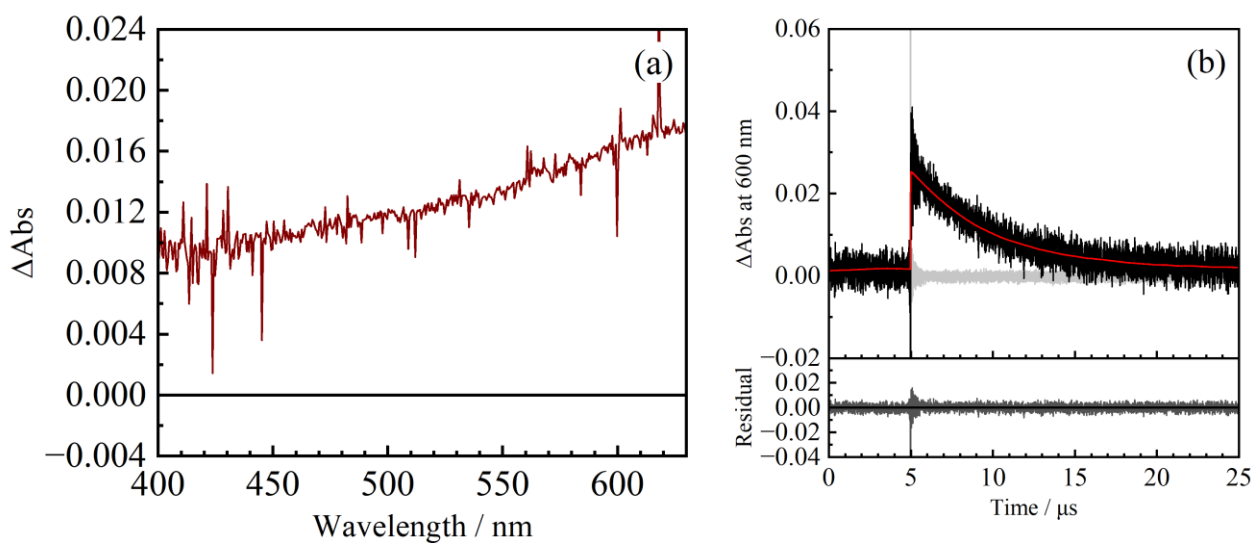


Fig. S28 Transient absorption spectra of **3** in acetonitrile (4×10^{-5} M) at 50 ns after the 355-nm excitation (a) and transient absorption decay profile at 600 nm (b, black). Grey and red curves in (b) represent the instrumental response function and convolution fit by the single exponential decay function, respectively.

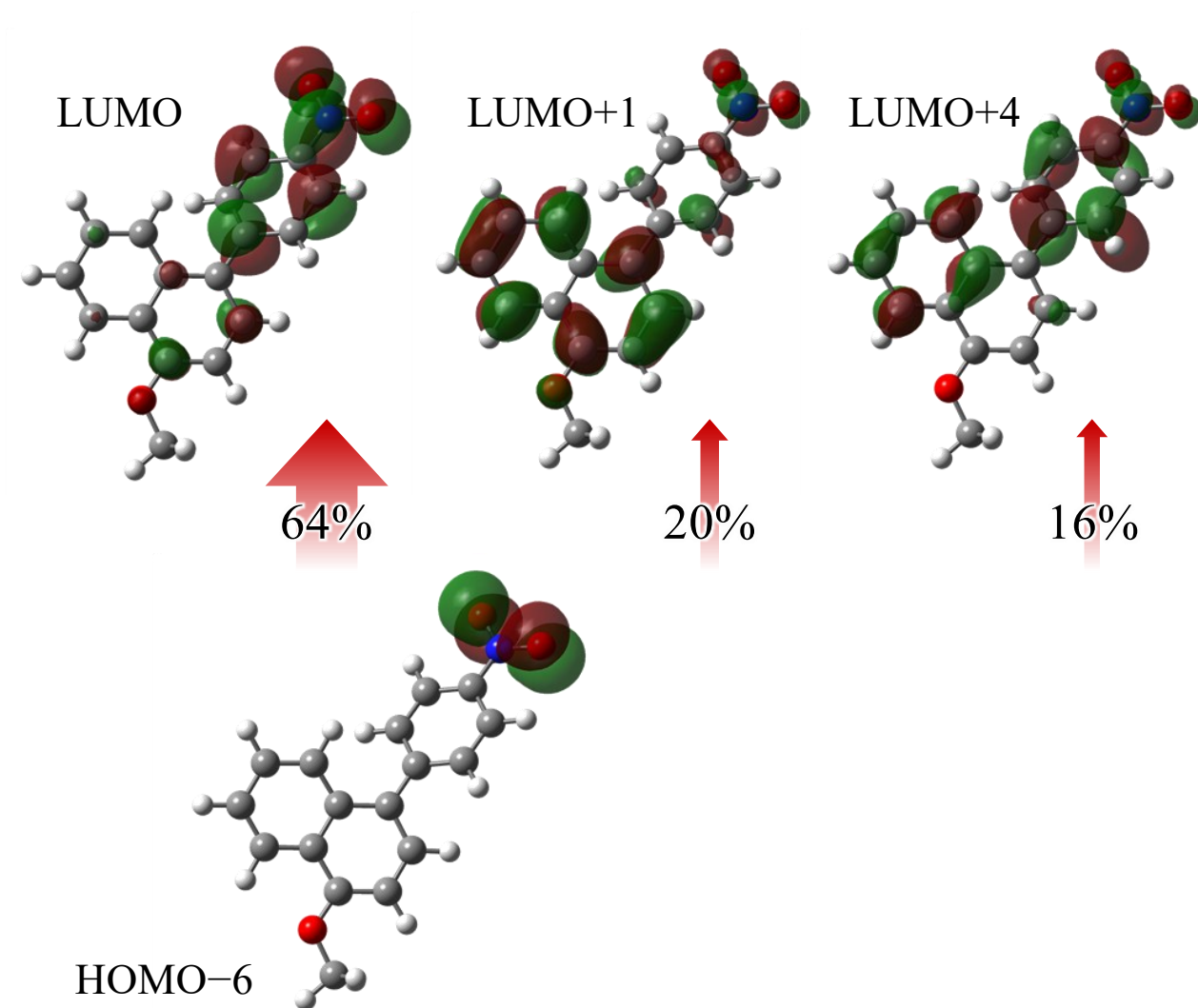


Fig. S29 Molecular-orbital distribution to give T_2 state of **1** in S_1 -optimized geometry.

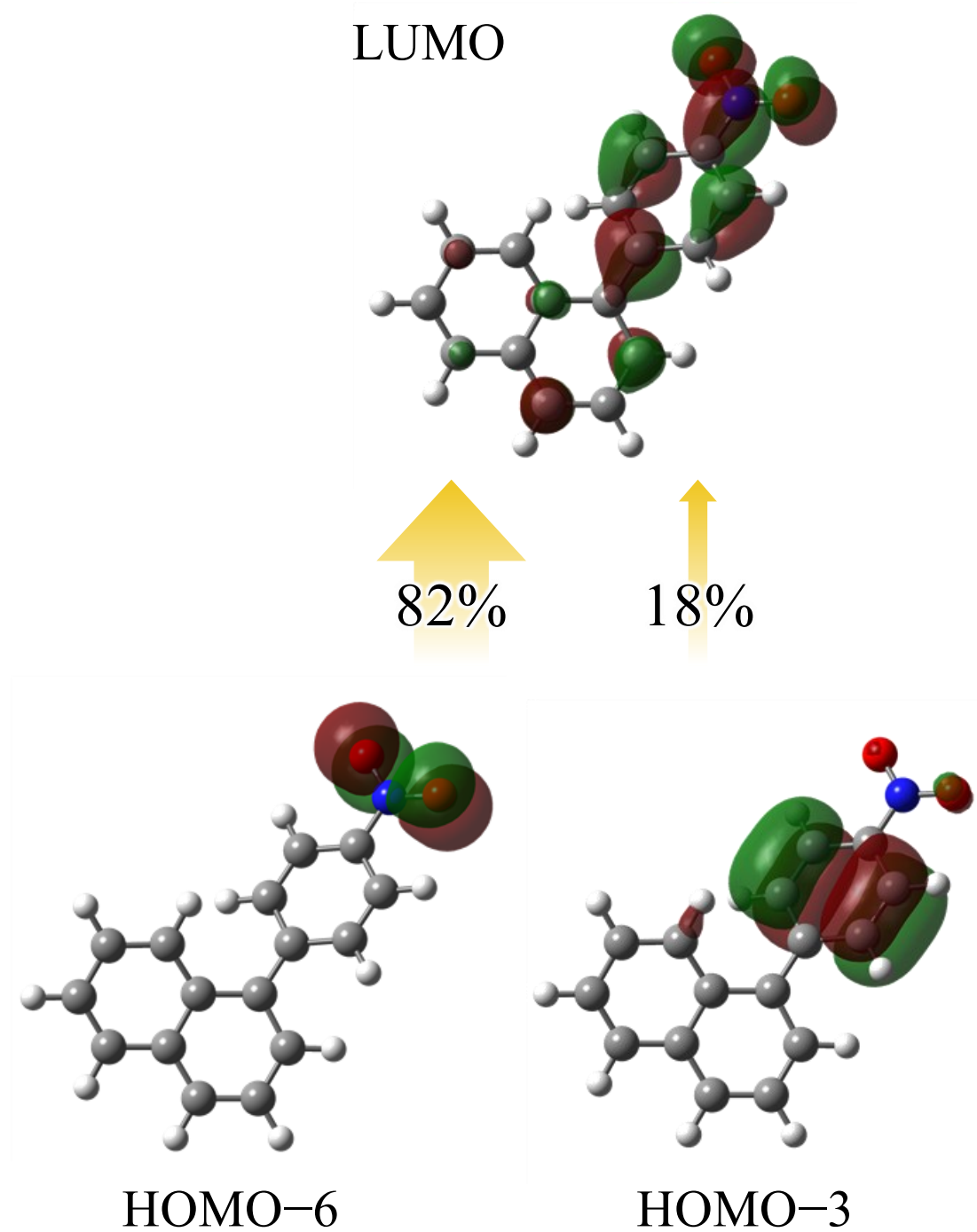


Fig. S30 Molecular-orbital distribution to give T₂ state of **2** in S₁-optimized geometry.

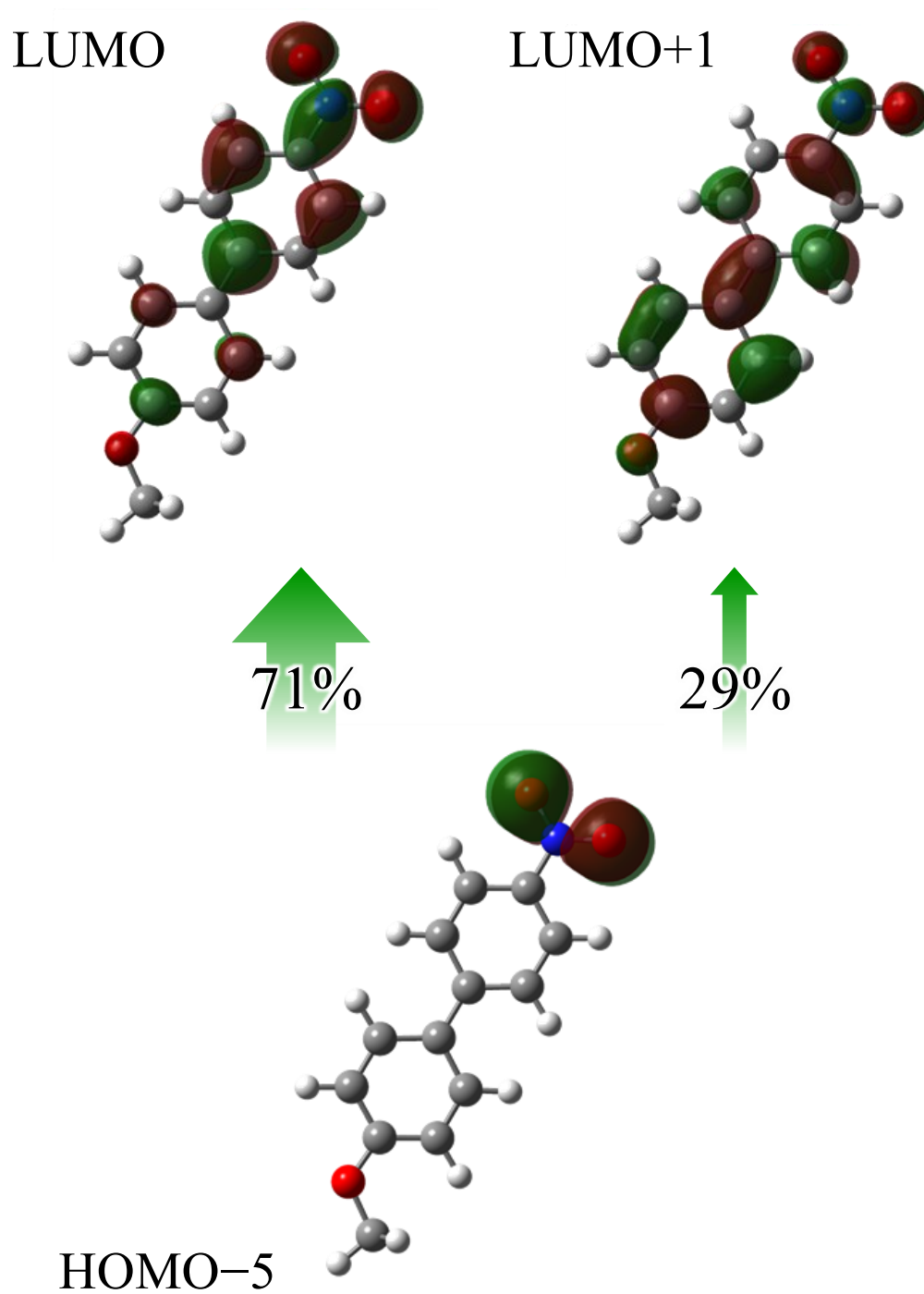


Fig. S31 Molecular-orbital distribution to give T_2 state of **3** in S_1 -optimized geometry.

Table S32 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **1** in Toluene.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO71 → MO74 (13%)	1.8120 eV (684.25 nm)	0.0000
	MO73 → MO74 (51%)		
	MO73 → MO75 (36%)		
T ₂	MO67 → MO75 (61%)	2.3997 eV (516.67 nm)	0.0000
	MO70 → MO74 (39%)		
T ₃	MO73 → MO75 (80%)	2.6594 eV (466.20 nm)	0.0000
	MO73 → MO79 (20%)		
S ₁	MO73 → MO74 (85%)	2.9589 eV (419.02 nm)	0.8028
	MO73 → MO75 (15%)		
S ₂	MO68 → MO74 (82%)	3.5641 eV (347.86 nm)	0.0044
	MO68 → MO79 (18%)		
S ₃	MO73 → MO75 (86%)	4.0674 eV (304.82 nm)	0.0284
	MO73 → MO76 (14%)		

HOMO: MO73, LUMO: MO74

Table S33 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **1** in THF.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO69 → MO74 (10%)	1.7052 eV (727.10 nm)	0.0000
	MO71 → MO74 (13%)		
	MO73 → MO74 (48%)		
	MO73 → MO75 (29%)		
T ₂	MO67 → MO74 (86%)	2.4442 eV (507.26 nm)	0.0000
	MO67 → MO79 (14%)		
T ₃	MO73 → MO75	2.5907 eV (478.57 nm)	0.0000
S ₁	MO73 → MO74 (87%)	2.8148 eV (440.47 nm)	0.8247
	MO73 → MO75 (13%)		
S ₂	MO68 → MO74	3.5228 eV (351.94 nm)	0.0027
S ₃	MO73 → MO75 (86%)	4.0329 eV (307.43 nm)	0.0302
	MO73 → MO76 (14%)		

HOMO: MO73, LUMO: MO74

Table S34 Calculated Excited States of S₁-Optimized Geometry of **1** in Acetone.

Excited State	Transition	Energy (Wavelength)	Oscillator Strength
T ₁	MO69 → MO74 (14%)	1.6556 eV (748.86 nm)	0.0000
	MO71 → MO74 (19%)		
	MO73 → MO74 (67%)		
T ₂	MO67 → MO74 (64%)	2.4642 eV (503.14 nm)	0.0000
	MO67 → MO75 (20%)		
	MO67 → MO78 (16%)		
T ₃	MO69 → MO74 (18%)	2.5663 eV (483.12 nm)	0.0000
	MO71 → MO74 (21%)		
	MO73 → MO74 (16%)		
	MO73 → MO75 (45%)		
S ₁	MO73 → MO74	2.7636 eV (448.64 nm)	0.8317
S ₂	MO68 → MO74 (68%)	3.5069 eV (353.54 nm)	0.0023
	MO68 → MO75 (19%)		
	MO68 → MO78 (13%)		
S ₃	MO73 → MO75 (86%)	4.0218 eV (308.28 nm)	0.0297
	MO73 → MO76 (14%)		

HOMO: MO73, LUMO: MO74