

## Supporting Information

# Mononuclear copper(II) complexes with 3,5-substituted-4-salicylideneamino-3,5-dimethyl-1,2,4-triazole: Synthesis, structure and potent inhibition of protein tyrosine phosphatases

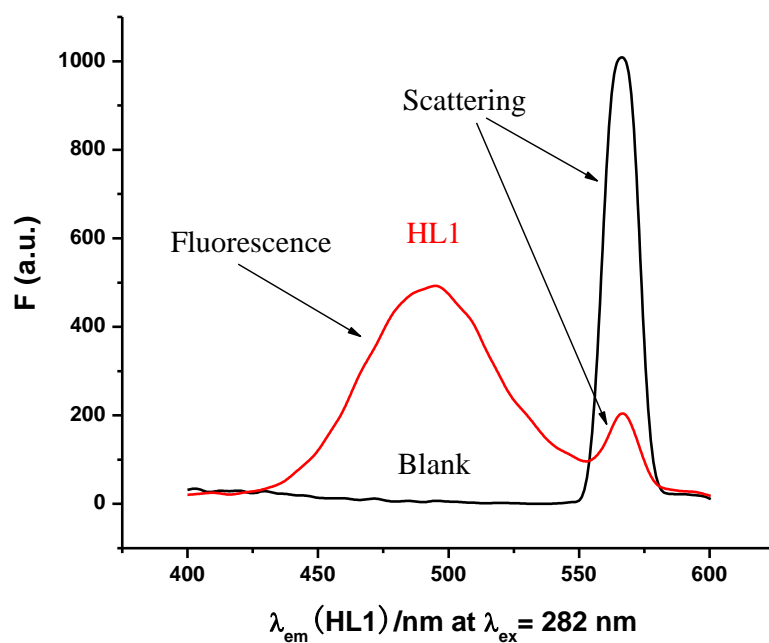
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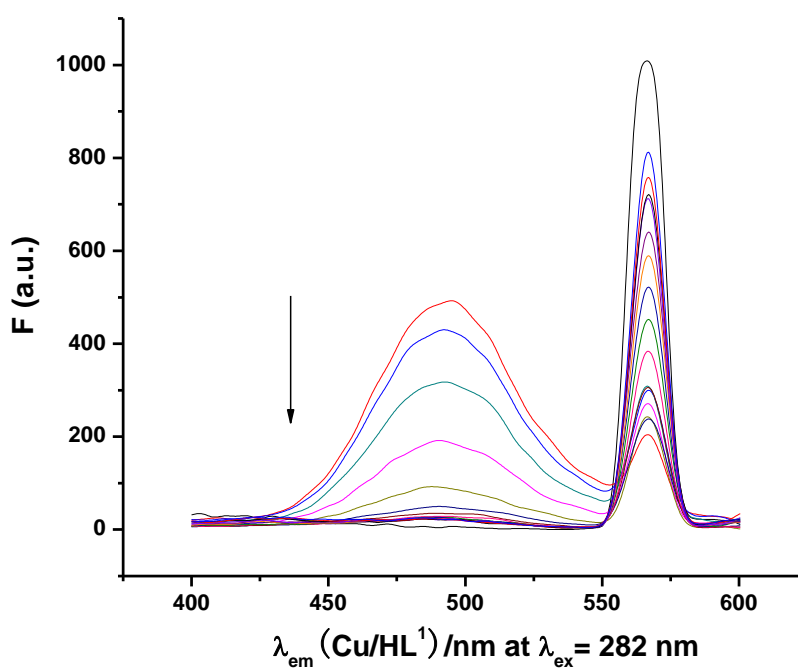
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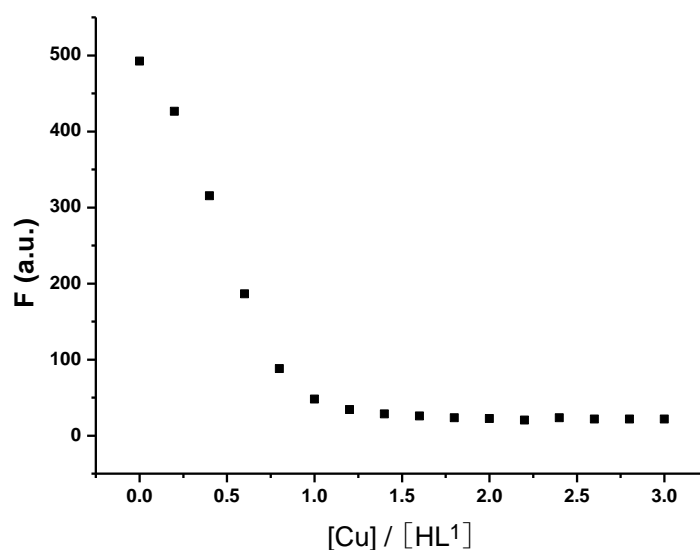
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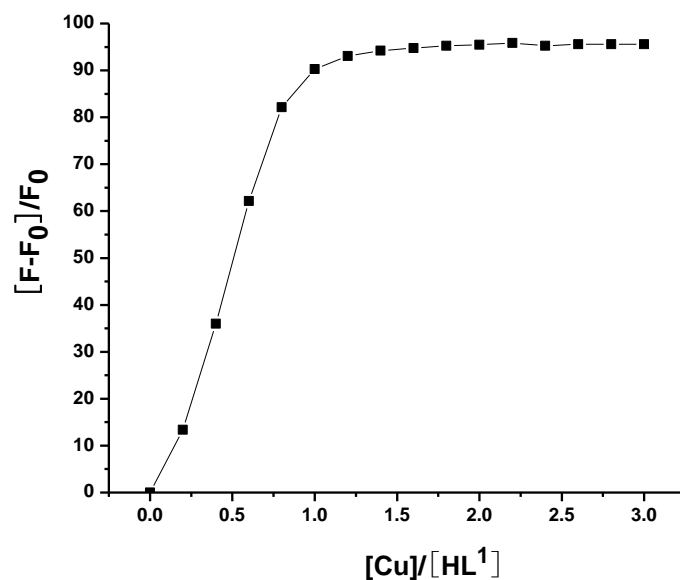
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