

Supporting Information

Dual Emission of a Bis(Pyrene)-Functionalized, Perbenzylated β -Cyclodextrin

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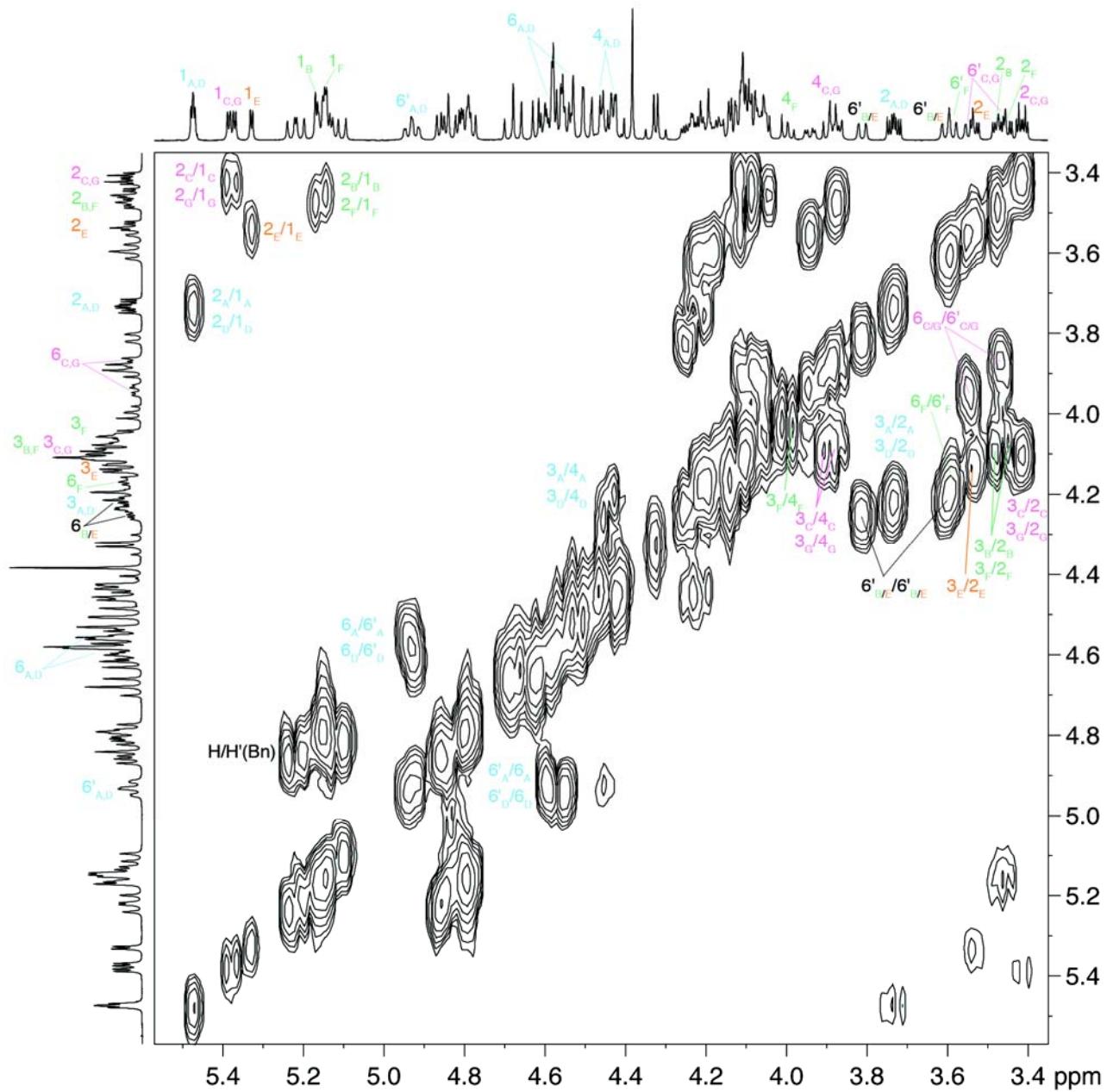


Figure S 1: Detail (aliphatic region) of the $^1\text{H}/^1\text{H}$ COSY map of **1** (600 MHz, d^6 -acetone).

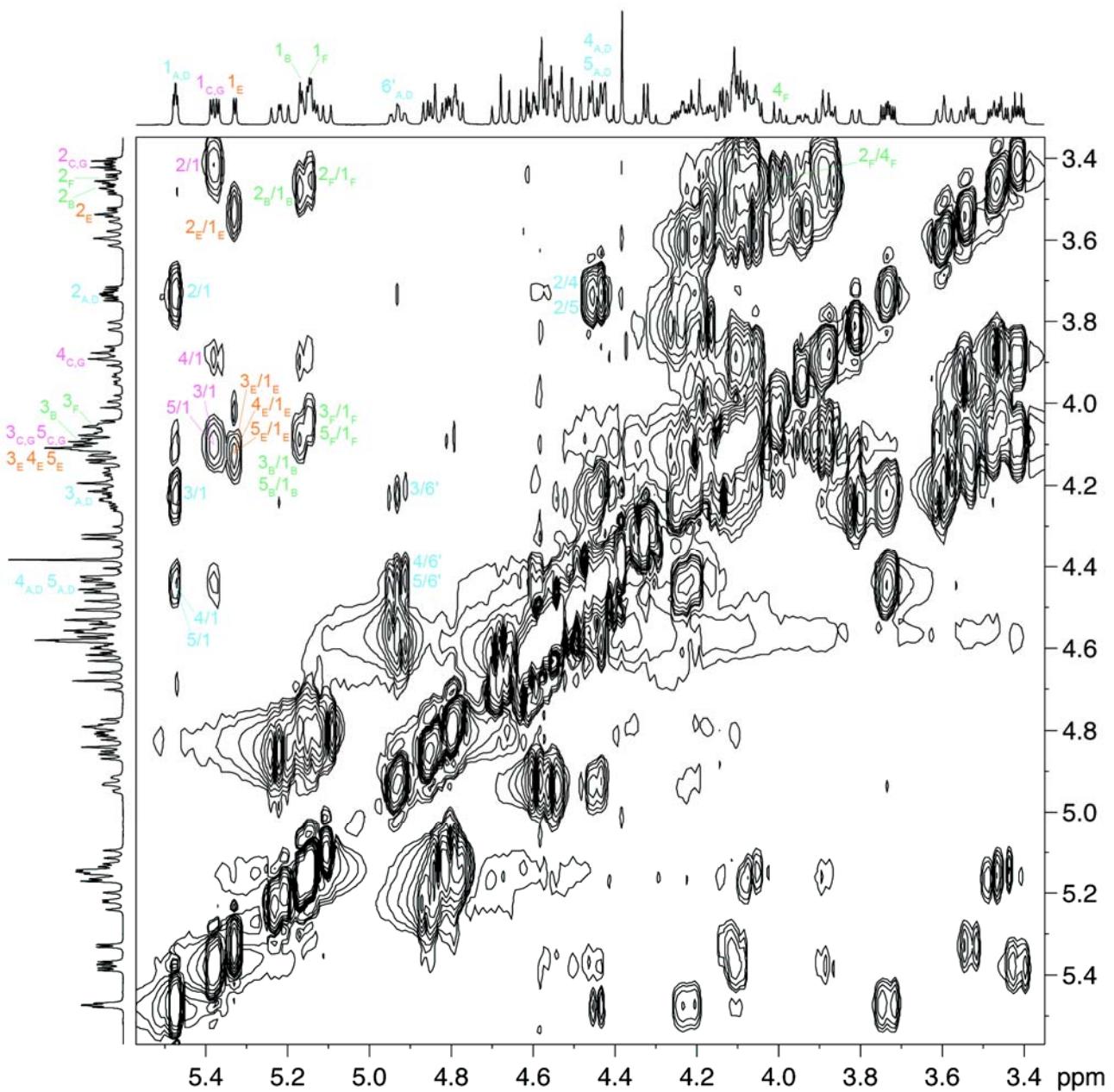


Figure S 2: Detail (aliphatic region) of the TOCSY map of **1** (600 MHz, d^6 -acetone).

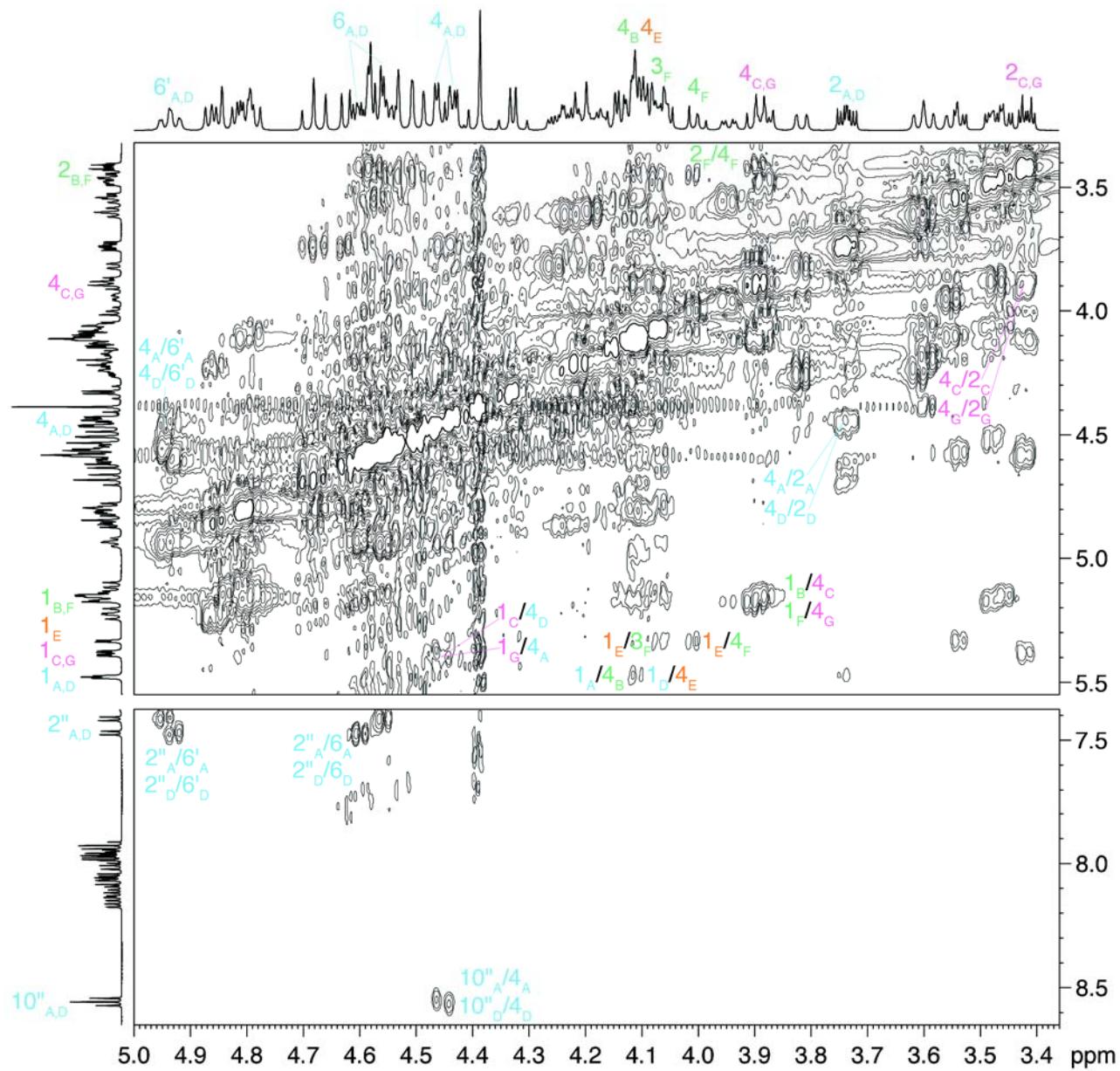


Figure S 3: Selected regions of the ¹H/¹H ROESY map of **1** (600 MHz, d⁶-acetone, mixing time: 300 ms).

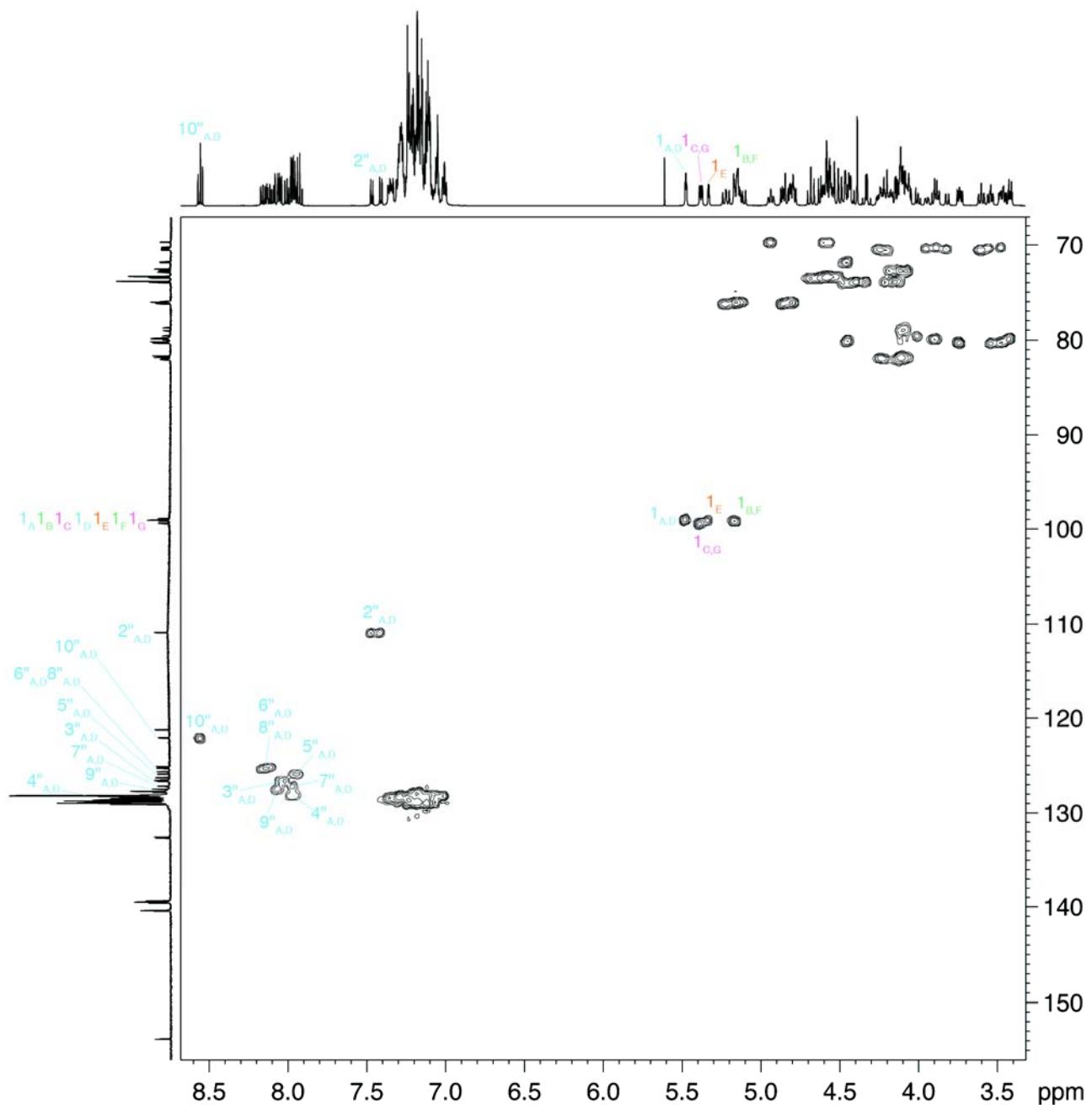


Figure S 4: $^{13}\text{C}/^1\text{H}$ HSQC map of **1** (600 MHz, d^6 -acetone).

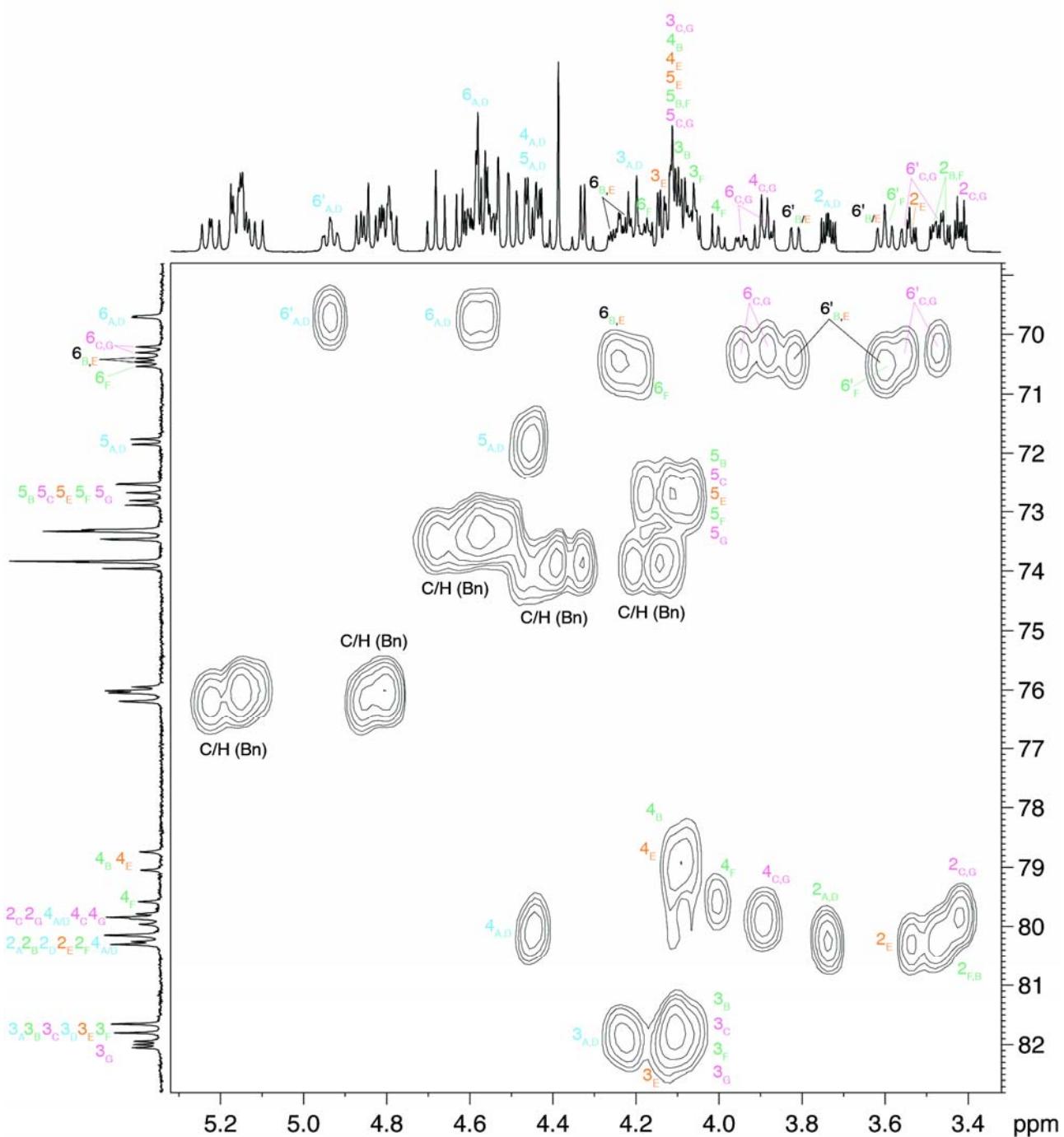


Figure S 5: Detail (aliphatic region) of the ¹³C/ ¹H HSQC map of **1** (600 MHz, d⁶-acetone).

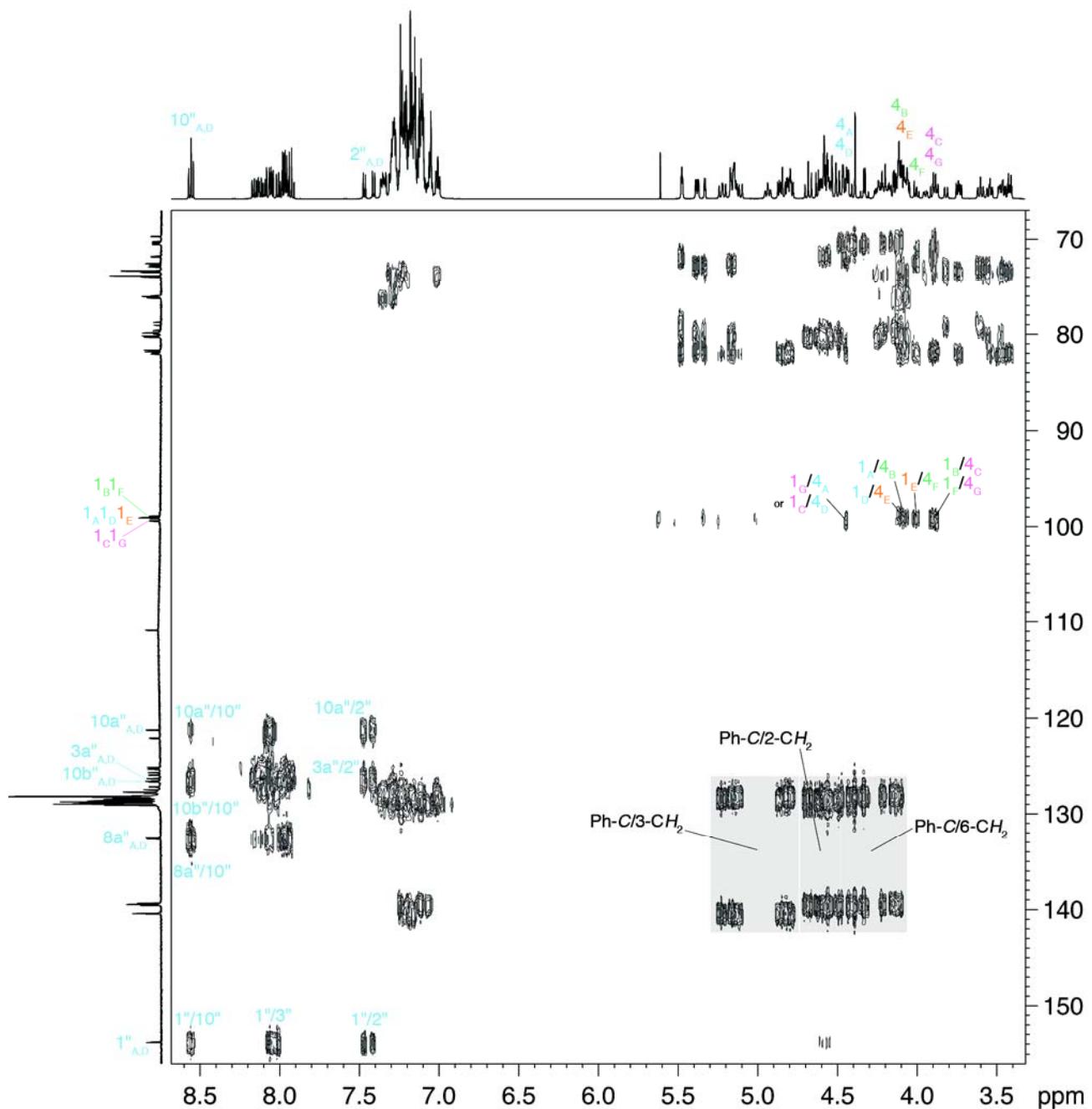


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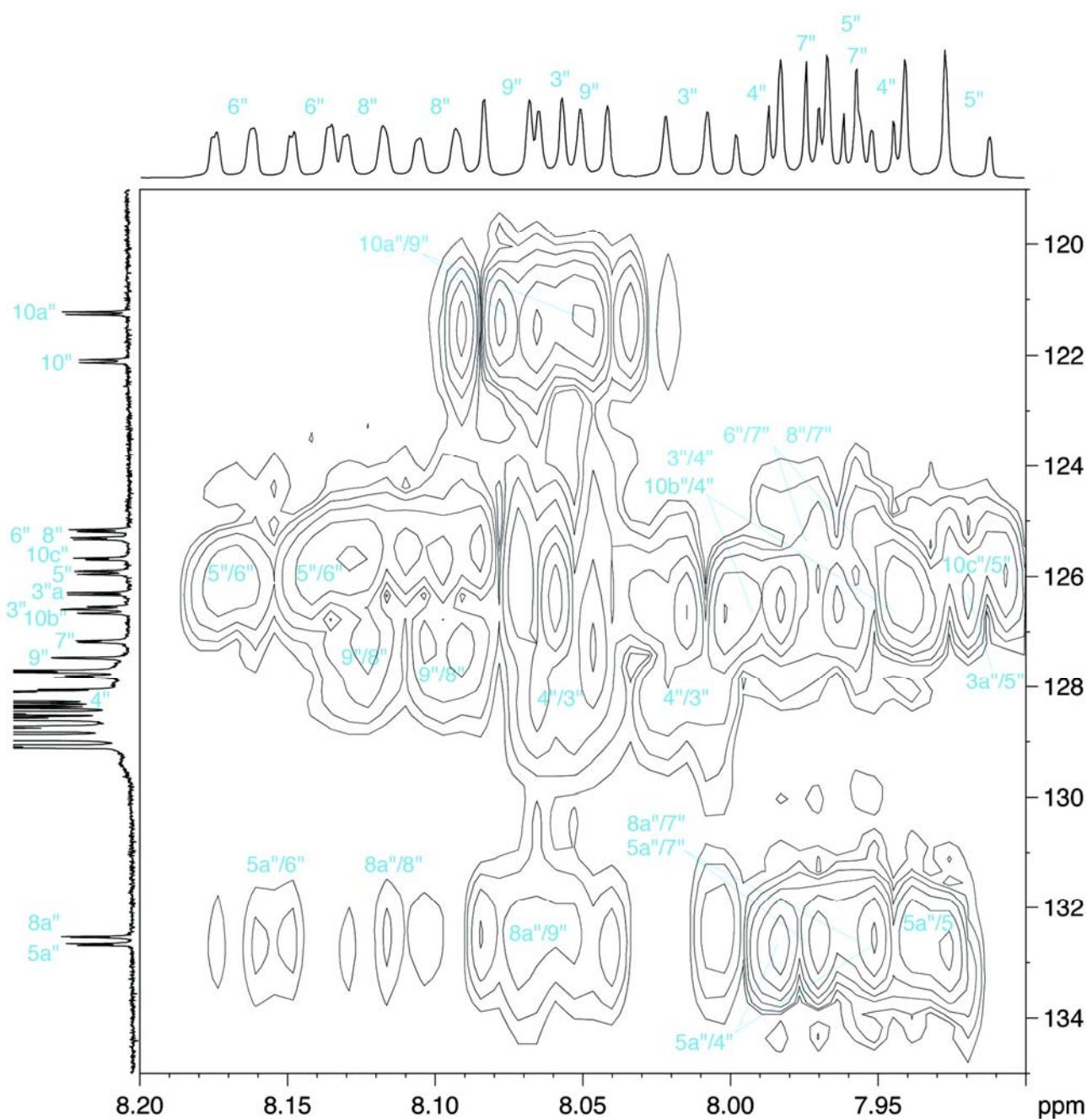


Figure S 7: Detail (aromatic region) of the ¹³C/¹H HMBC map of **1** (600 MHz, d⁶-acetone).

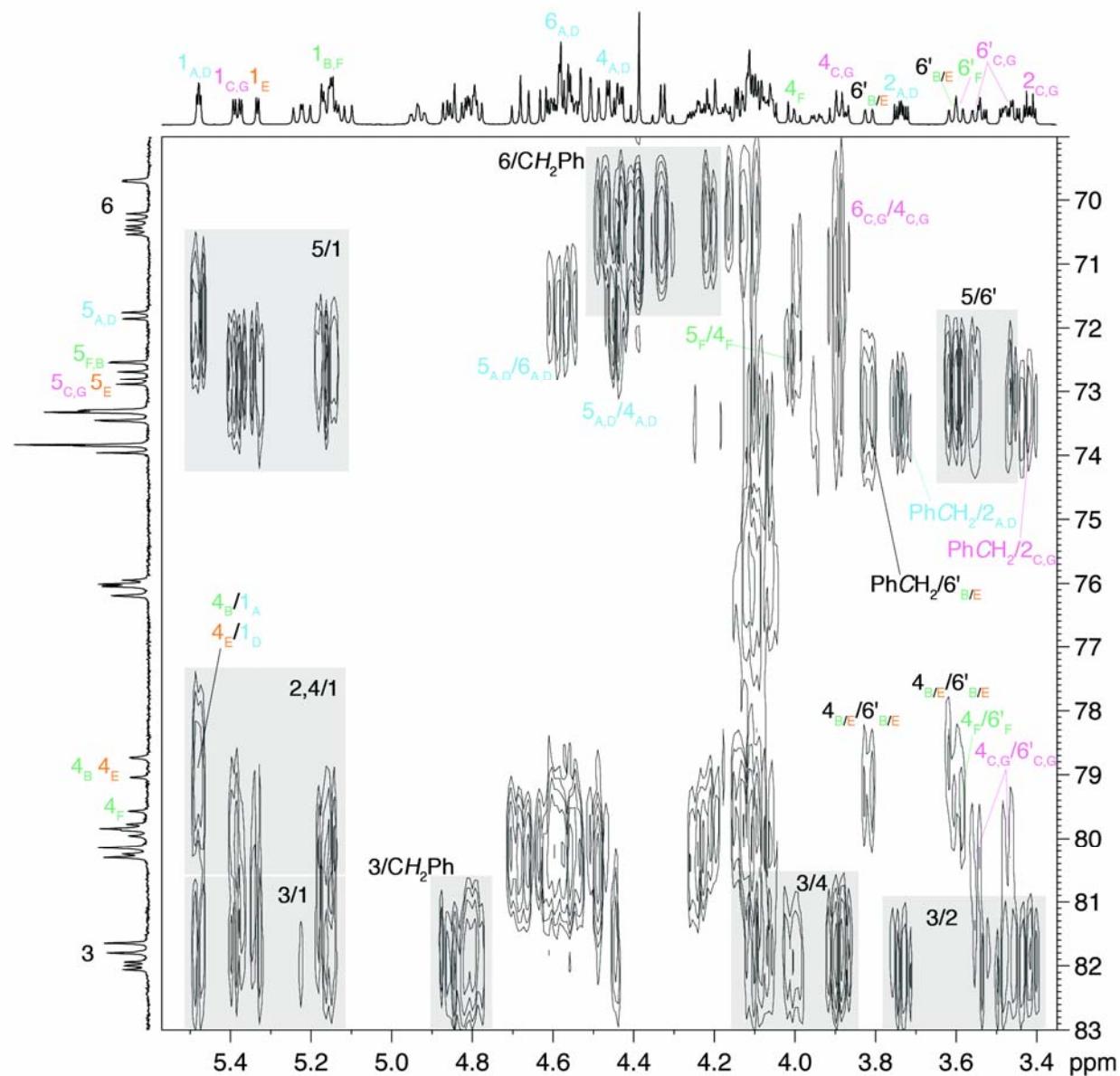


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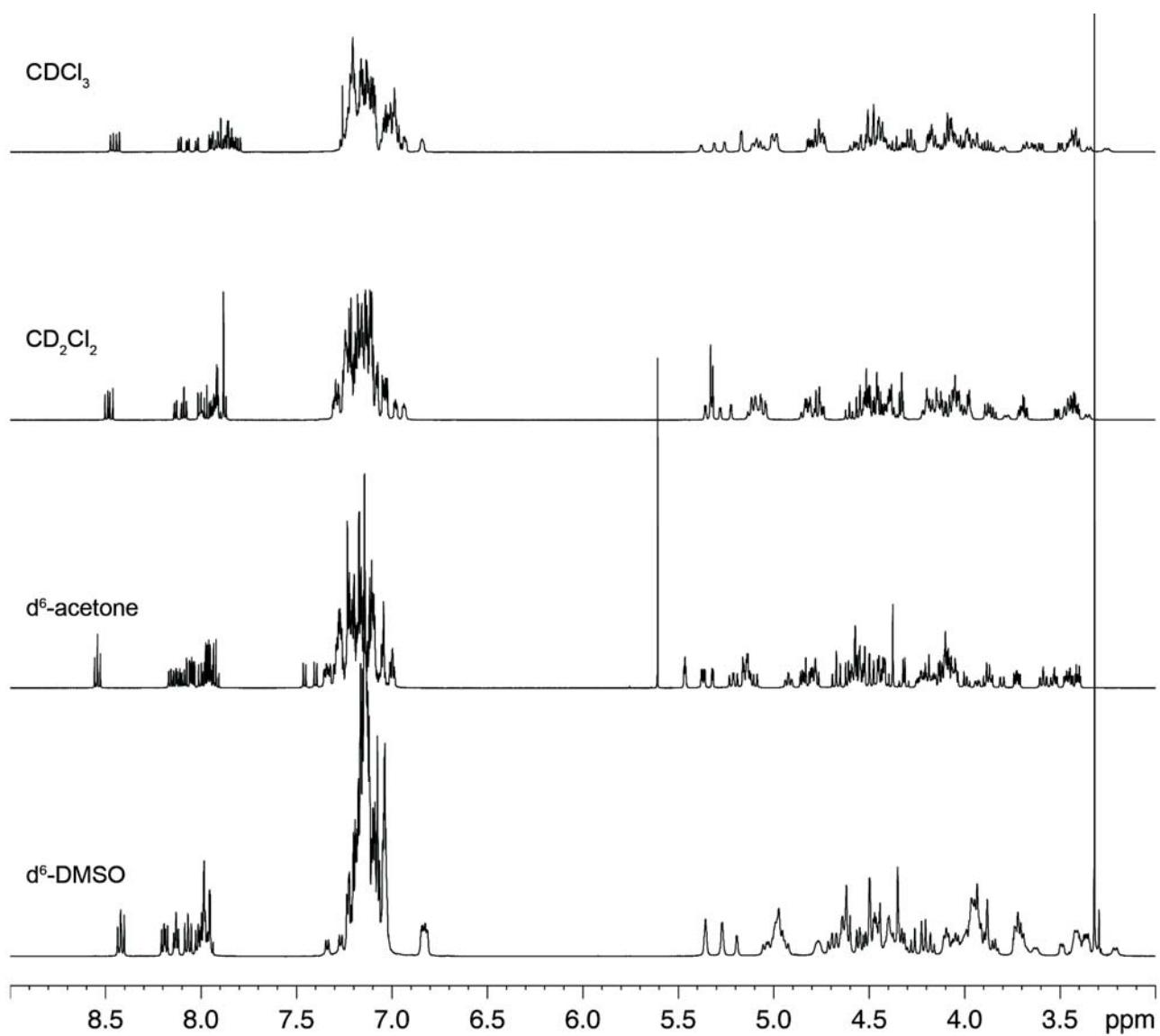


Figure S 9: ^1H NMR (600 MHz) spectrum of **1** in various solvents.

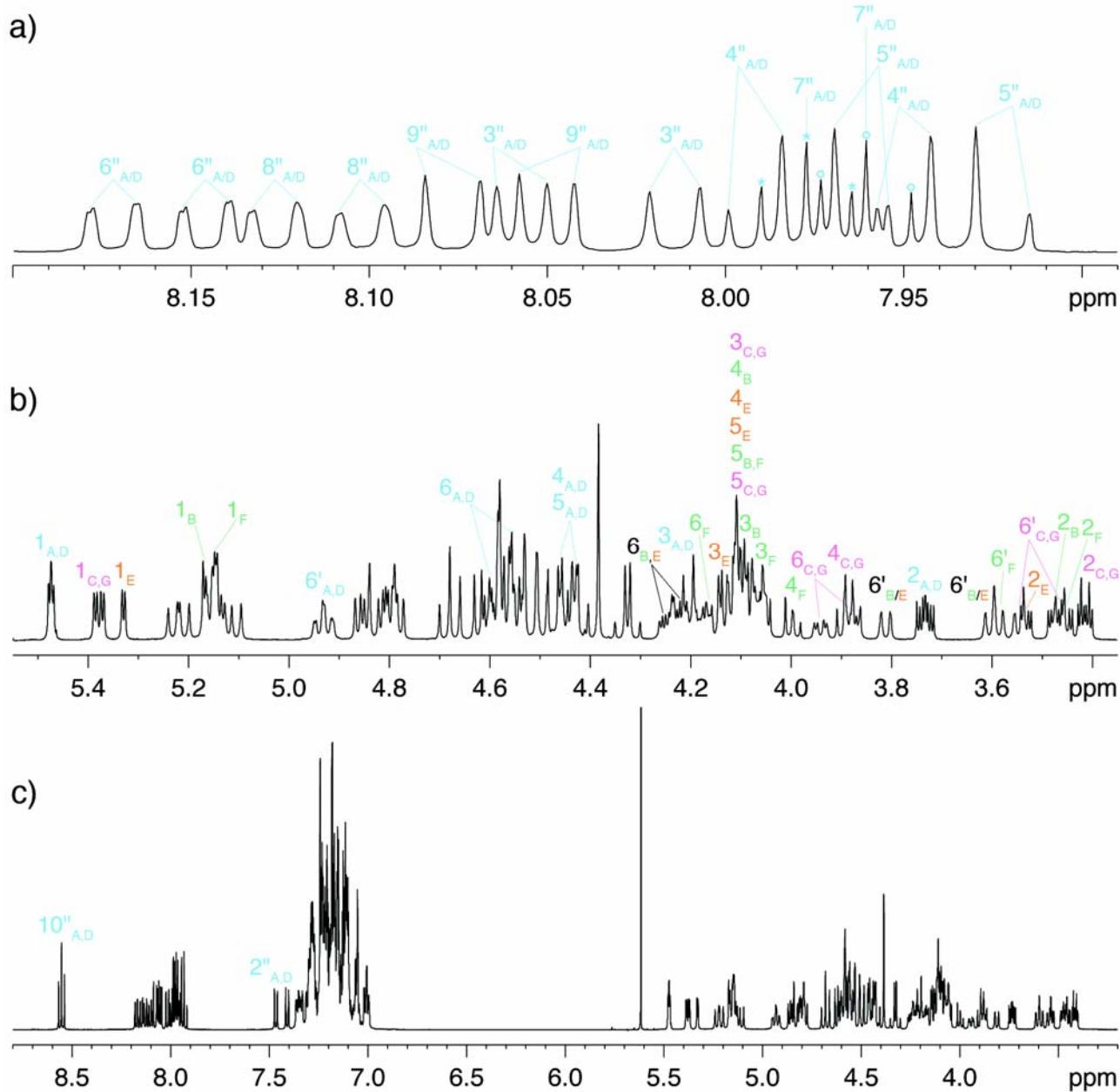


Figure S 10: ^1H NMR spectrum of **1** (600 MHz, d^6 -acetone). a) Aromatic region (* and o show the triplets of $7''_{\text{A/D}}$). b) Aliphatic region. c) Full spectrum.

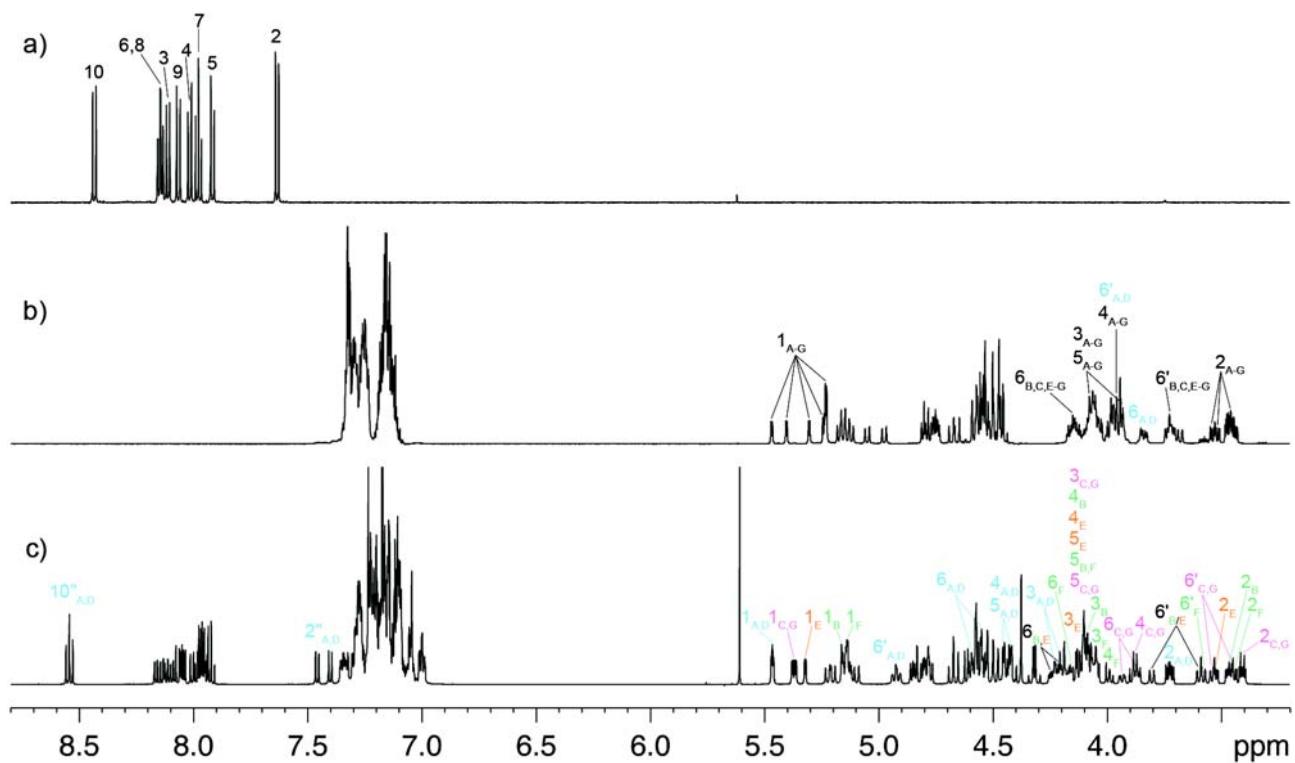


Figure S 11: Comparison of the ¹H NMR spectra of 1-hydroxypyrene (a) and **3** (b) with the spectrum of **1** (600 MHz, d⁶-acetone).

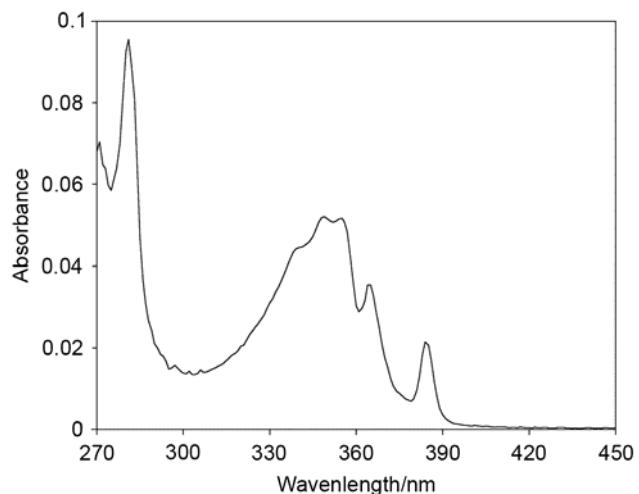


Figure S 12: Electronic absorption spectrum of **1** (1.0×10^{-6} mol dm $^{-3}$) in DMSO.

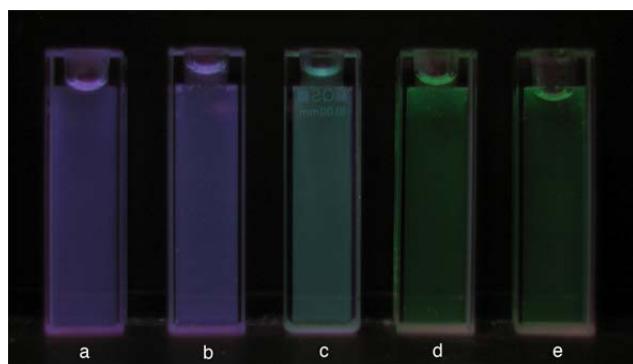


Figure S 13: Fluorescence emission from a solution of **1** (1.0×10^{-6} mol dm $^{-3}$) in H₂O/DMSO mixtures with increasing water concentration (a: pure DMSO, b: 15%, c: 18%, d: 20%, e: 40%) under a UV lamp (365 nm).

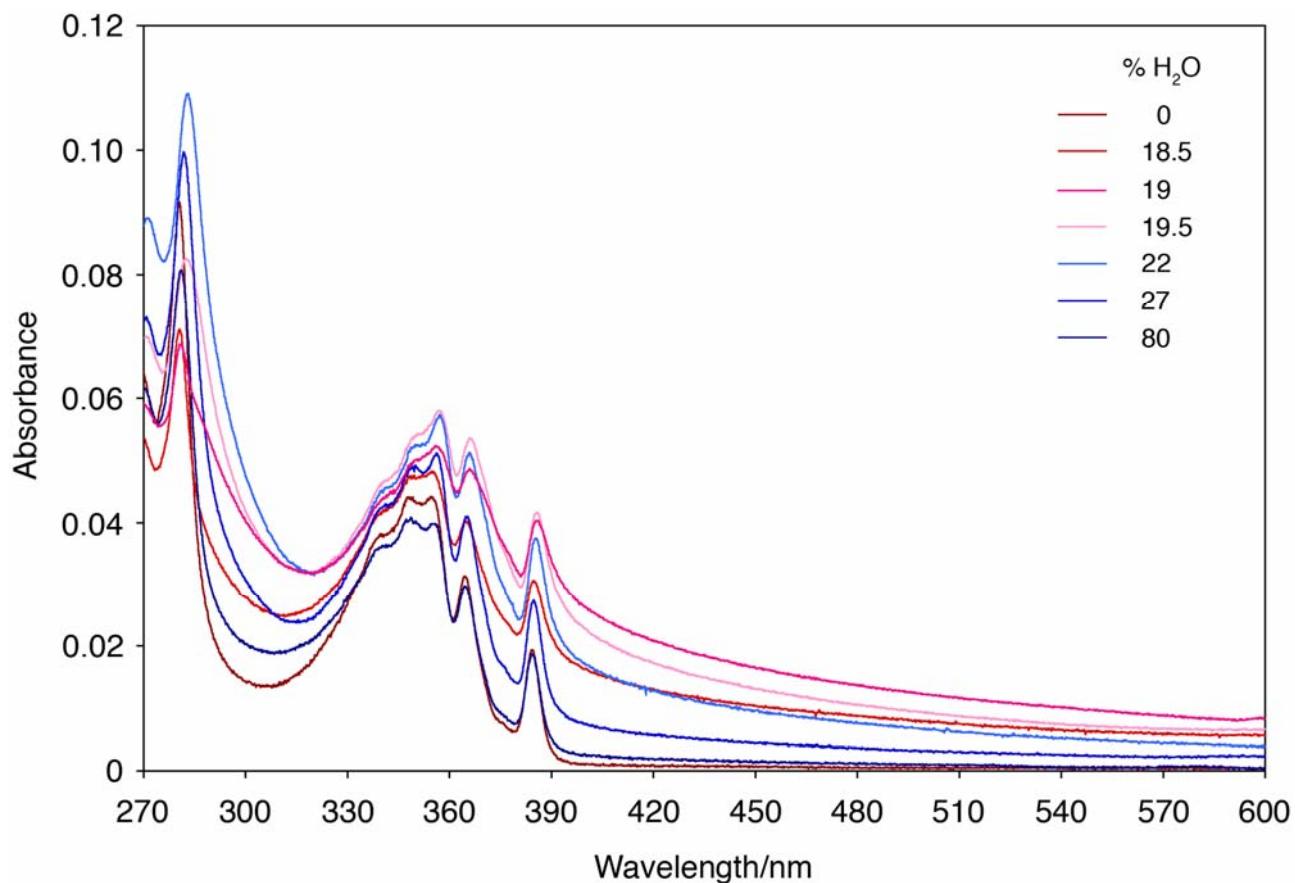


Figure S 14: Electronic absorption spectra of solutions of **1** ($\sim 1.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol dm}^{-3}$) in selected $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{DMSO}$ mixtures.

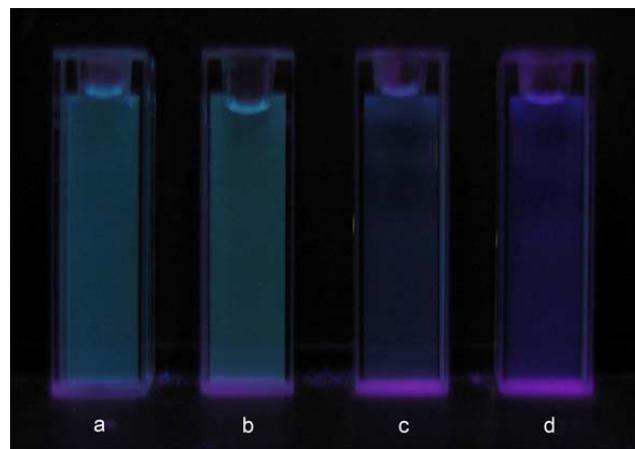


Figure S 15: Fluorescence emission of **1** (1.0×10^{-6} mol dm $^{-3}$) in H₂O/DMSO 80:20 v/v upon addition of 1-heptanoic acid (a: 0, b: 1.0×10^{-2} , c: 2.0×10^{-2} , d: 3.0×10^{-2} mol dm $^{-3}$) under a UV lamp (365 nm).

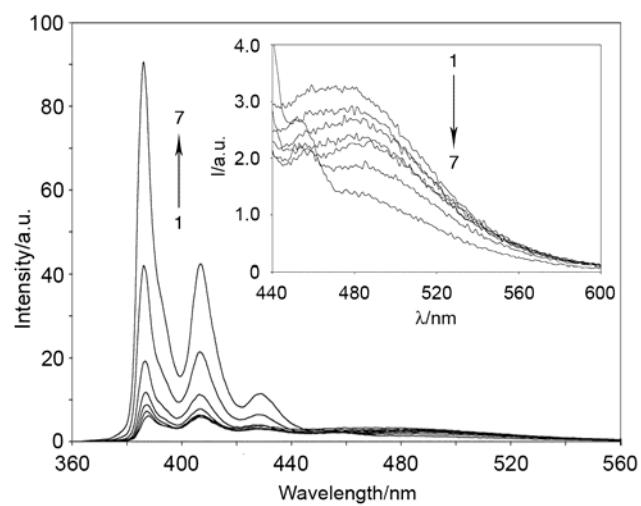


Figure S 16: Fluorescence spectra of **1** (1.0×10^{-6} mol dm $^{-3}$, 25 °C) upon addition of 1-decanoic acid (1: 0, 2: 2.0×10^{-4} , 3: 4.0×10^{-4} , 4: 6×10^{-4} , 5: 8.0×10^{-4} , 6: 1×10^{-3} , 7: 1.2×10^{-3} mol dm $^{-3}$) in H₂O/DMSO 80:20 v/v containing 0.04% aqueous HCl. The inset shows the excimer emission band.

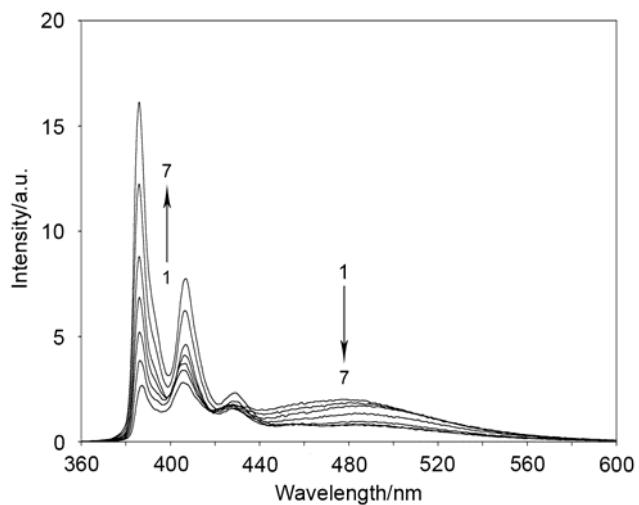


Figure S 17: Fluorescence spectra of **1** (1.0×10^{-6} mol dm $^{-3}$, 25 °C) upon addition of 6-chloro-1-hexanol (1: 0, 2: 5.0×10^{-3} , 3: 1.0×10^{-2} , 4: 1.5×10^{-2} , 5: 2.0×10^{-2} , 6: 2.5×10^{-2} , 7: 3.0×10^{-2} mol dm $^{-3}$) in H₂O/DMSO 80:20 v/v.

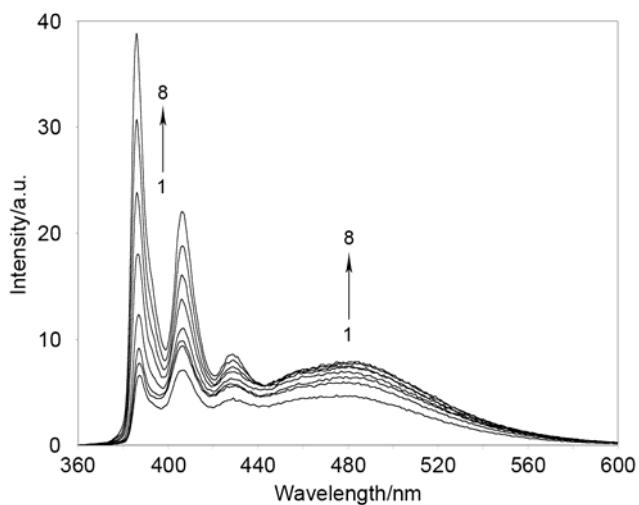
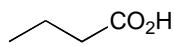
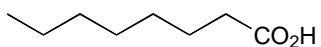


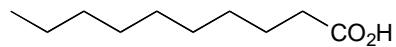
Figure S 18: Fluorescence spectra of **1** (1.0×10^{-6} mol dm $^{-3}$, 25 °C) upon addition of 1-decanol (1: 0, 2: 2.0×10^{-4} , 3: 4.0×10^{-4} , 4: 6.0×10^{-4} , 5: 8.0×10^{-4} , 6: 1.0×10^{-3} , 7: 1.2×10^{-3} , 8: 1.4×10^{-3} mol dm $^{-3}$) in H₂O/DMSO 80:20 v/v.



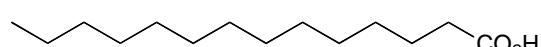
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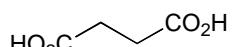
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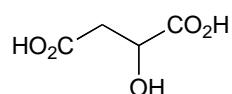
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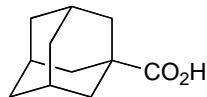
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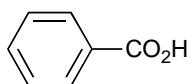
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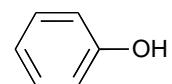
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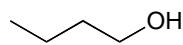
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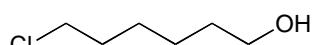
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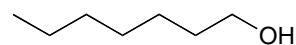
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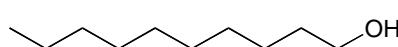
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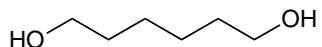
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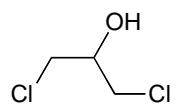
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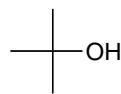
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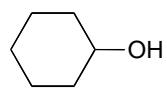
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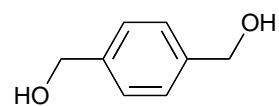
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tert-butanol



cyclohexanol



1,4-benzenedimethanol

Chart S 1: The various substrates investigated.

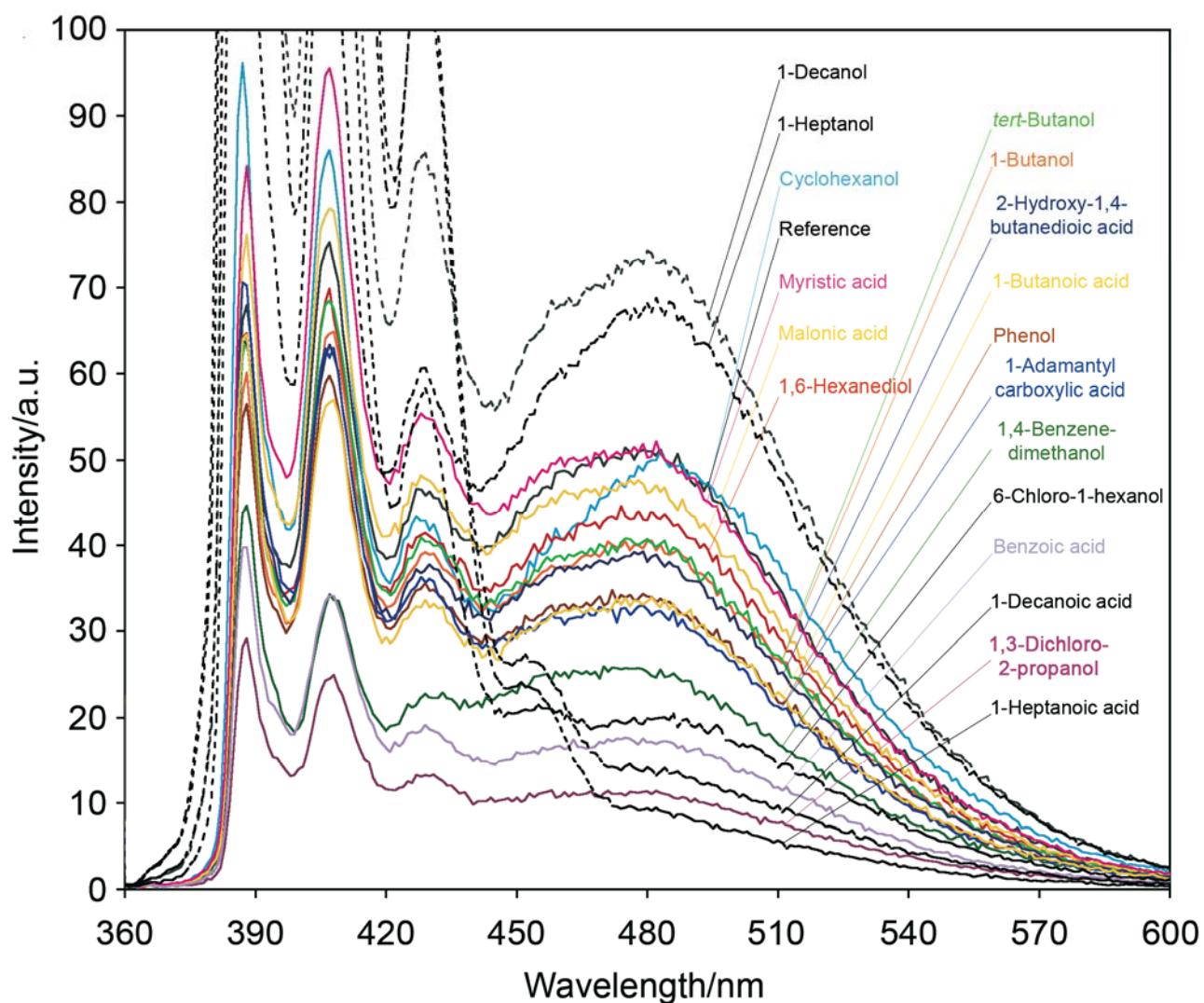


Figure S 19: Detail of the stacked plot of the fluorescence spectra of **1** (1×10^{-6} mol dm $^{-3}$, 25 °C) in the presence of the compounds of Chart S 1 in H₂O/DMSO 80:20 v/v. All compounds 0.1 mol dm $^{-3}$, excepted 1,4-benzenedimethanol diol (5.0×10^{-2} mol dm $^{-3}$), adamantyl carboxylic acid (2.0×10^{-3} mol dm $^{-3}$), and myristic (tetradecanoic) acid (5.0×10^{-4} mol dm $^{-3}$).