Supporting information

Lanthanum based coordination polymers microplates using a "green" ligand EDTA with tailorable morphology and fluorescent property

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Figure S1. TGA curves of (a) La-EDTA CPs microplates and (b) Ce-EDTA CPs

microplates



Figure S2. The FT-IR spectrum of Ce-EDTA CPs microplates.



Figure S3. SEM images of La-EDTA CPs obtained (a) without hydrothermal treatment. After (b) 2 h, (c) 8 h and (d) 12 h reaction at 160 °C with the molar ratio of EDTA-2Na: La³⁺=10: 8, and the La³⁺ is 8 mmol. The white circles highlighted some microsticks of CPs.



Figure S4. The XRD patterns of La-EDTA CPs obtained after (a) 0 h, (b) 8 h and (c) 12 h, reaction at 160 °C with the molar ratio of EDTA-2Na: $La^{3+}=10$: 8, and the La^{3+} is 8 mmol.