

## Electronic Supplementary Information

### A Selective Colorimetric and Fluorescent Probe for Detection of $\text{ClO}^-$ and its application in bioimaging

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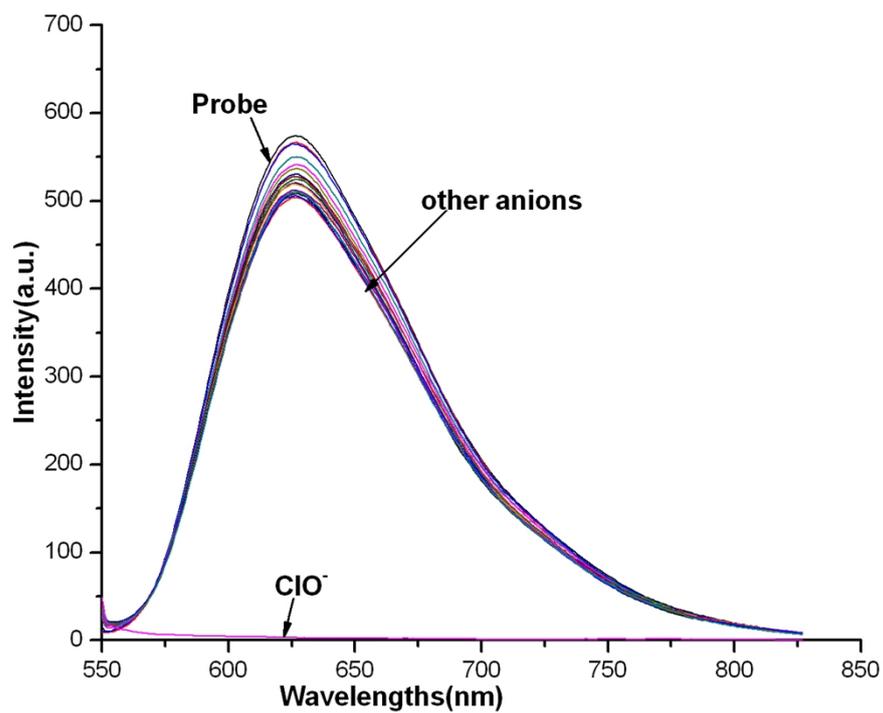
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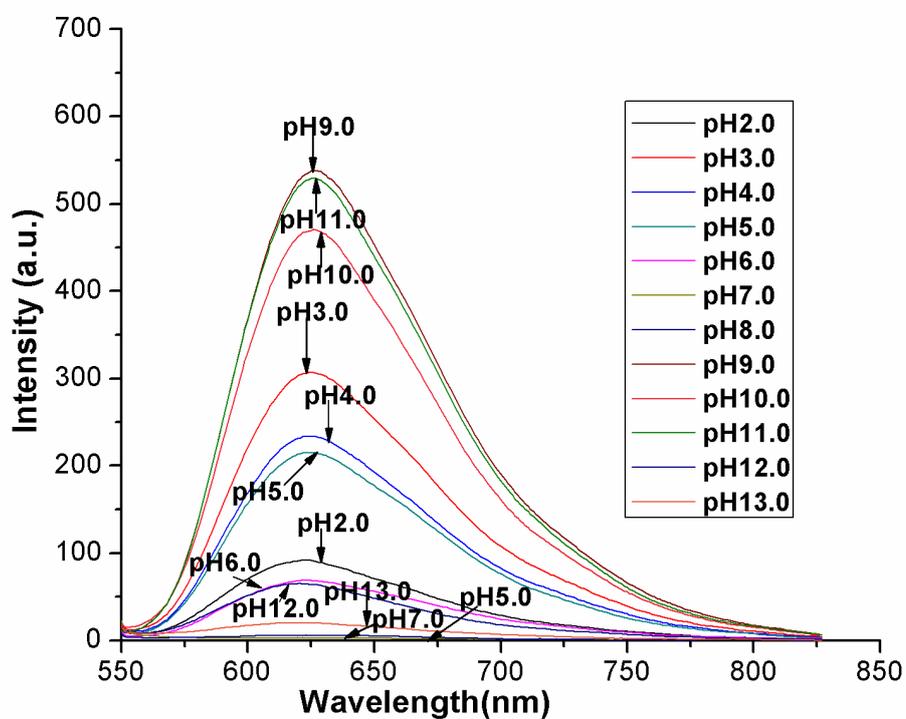
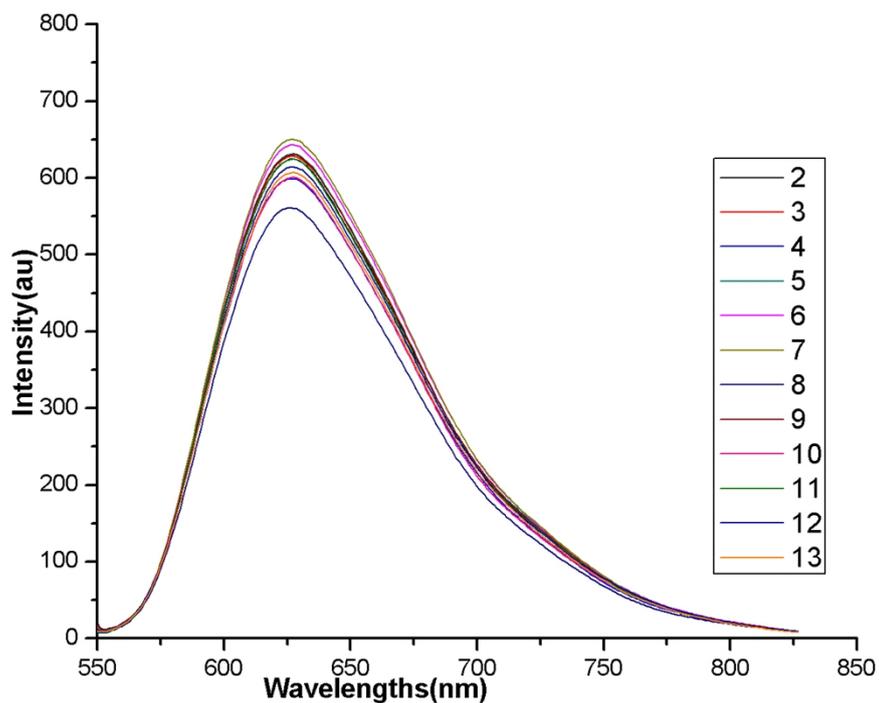
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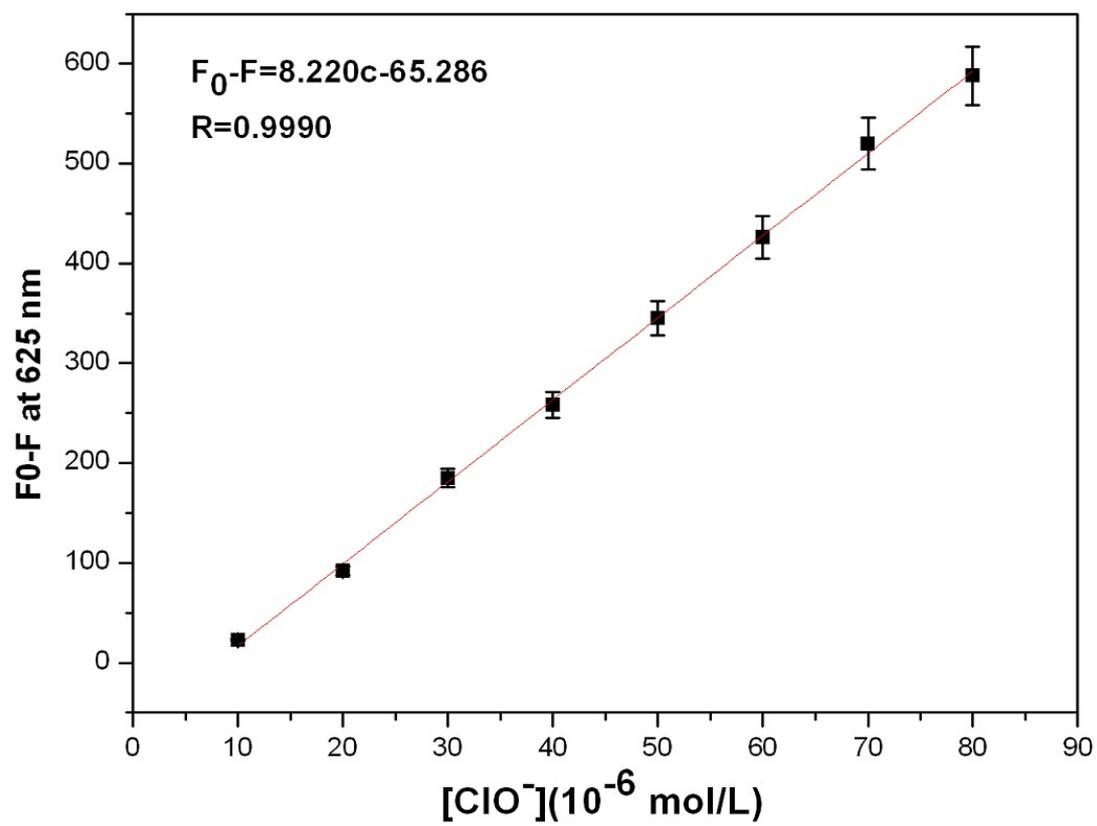


**Figure S1:** The selectivity of DV26 for  $\text{ClO}^-$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$ ,  $\text{ClO}_2^-$ ,  $\text{ONOO}^-$ ,  $\text{F}^-$ ,  $\text{ClO}_3^-$ ,  $\text{CN}^-$ ,  $\text{NO}_2^-$ ,  $\text{S}^{2-}$ ,  $\text{SCN}^-$ ,  $\text{MnO}_4^-$ ,  $\text{ClO}_4^-$ ,  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  and  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_7^{4-}$ .

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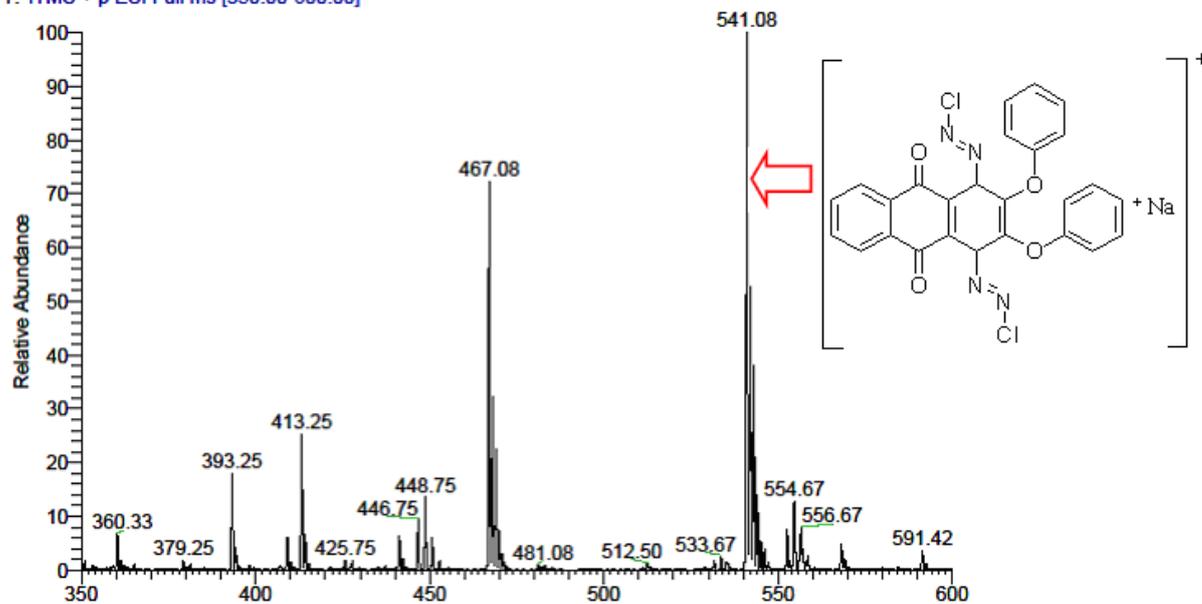


**Figure S4:** Comparison with other reported hypochlorite probes.

method	analyte	signal output	wavelength	solvent	detection limit
ref(31)	hypochlorite	fluorescence	$\lambda_{ab}=496\text{nm}$ $\lambda_{em}=523\text{nm}$	Tris-HCl buffer/DMSO	$0.040\mu\text{M}$
ref(33)	hypochlorite	absorbance	$\lambda_{ab}=572\text{nm}$	PBS buffer	$1.74\mu\text{M}$
ref(36)	hypochlorite	fluorescence	$\lambda_{em}=530\text{nm}$	CH <sub>3</sub> OH/H <sub>2</sub> O	$50\mu\text{M}$
ref(37)	hypochlorite	absorbance	$\lambda_{ab}=452\text{nm}$	PBS buffer	$0.2\mu\text{M}$
this work	hypochlorite	absorbance fluorescence	$\lambda_{ab}=544\text{nm}$ $\lambda_{ab}=586\text{ nm.}$ $\lambda_{em}= 625\text{ nm}$	HEPES/CH <sub>3</sub> CN	$0.037\mu\text{M}$

**Figure S5:** ESI-MS spectra of the probe-ClO<sup>-</sup>

28\_+ #86 RT: 0.40 AV: 1 NL: 1.01E4  
T: [TMS + p ESI Full ms [350.00-600.00]]



**Figure S5:** The ESI-MS of product obtained by mixing probe NaOCl, m/z: [Probe-ClO<sup>-</sup> + Na]<sup>+</sup>  
Calcd for C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>4</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Na 541.04, Found 541.08.