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N-Heterocyclic Carbene Formation Induced Fluorescent and Colorimetric Sensing of Fluoride Using Perimidinium Derivatives

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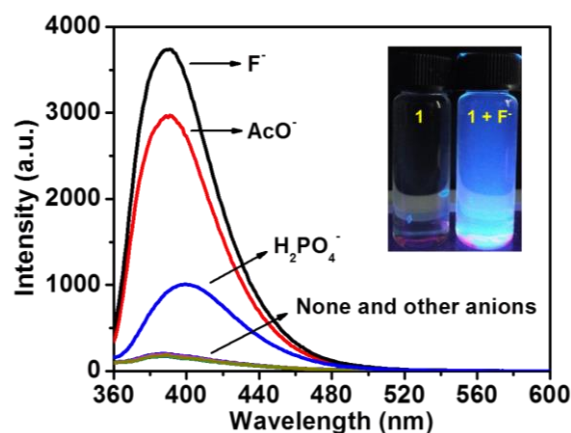


Figure S1 Fluorescence spectra of 5 μM chemodosisensor **1** excited at 353 nm upon addition of 3 equiv. of different anions (TBA salts) in DMSO. Inset: fluorescent color of chemodosisensor **1** (5 μM) in the absence and presence of TBAF under UV lamp excited at 365 nm.

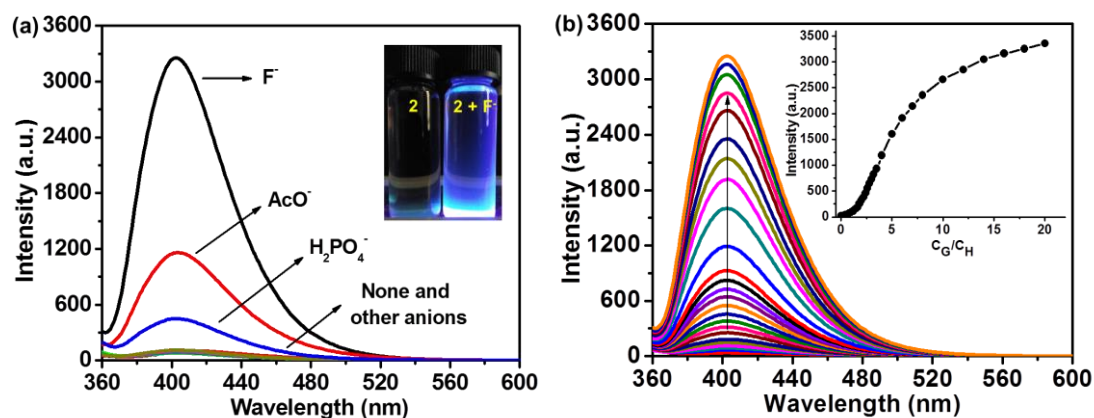


Figure S2 (a) Fluorescence spectra of 5 μM chemodosisensor **2** excited at 357 nm upon addition of 20 equiv. of different anions (TBA salts) in DMSO. Inset: fluorescent color of chemodosisensor **2** (5 μM) in the absence and presence of TBAF under UV lamp excited at 365 nm. (b) Fluorescence titrations of 5 μM chemodosisensor **2** with TBAF in DMSO. Inset: the fluorescence intensity at 402 nm as a function of the added TBAF.

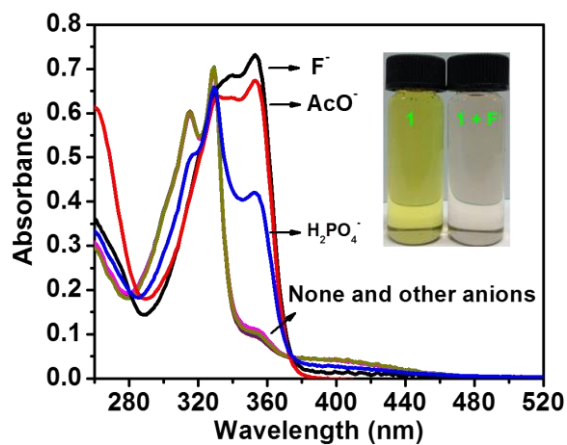


Figure S3 (a) Absorption spectra of 50 μM chemodosensor **1** upon addition of 3 equiv. of different anions (TBA salts) in DMSO. Inset: solution color of the chemodosensor **1** in the absence and presence of TBAF.

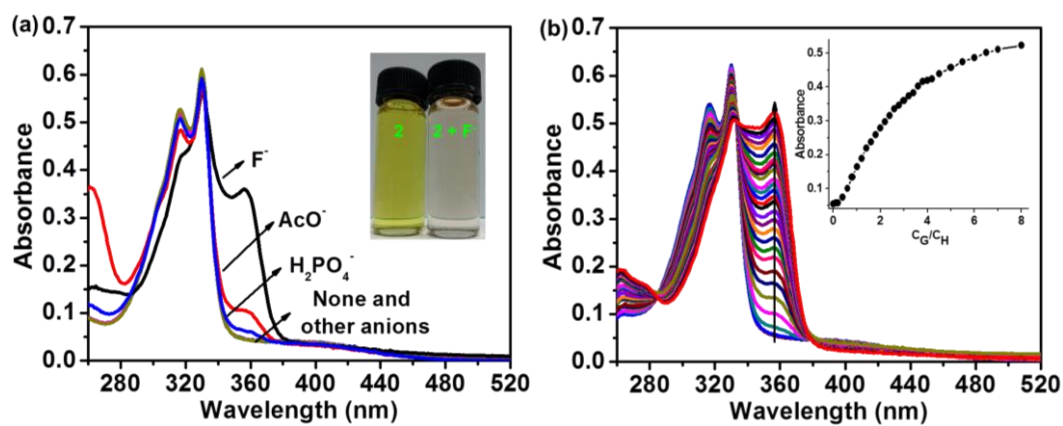


Figure S4 (a) Absorption spectra of 50 μM chemodosensor **2** upon addition of 3 equiv. of different TBA anions in DMSO. Inset: solution color of the chemodosensor **2** in the absence and presence of TBAF. (b) Absorption titrations of 50 μM chemodosensor **2** with TBAF in DMSO. Inset: the absorbance at 357 nm as a function of added TBAF.

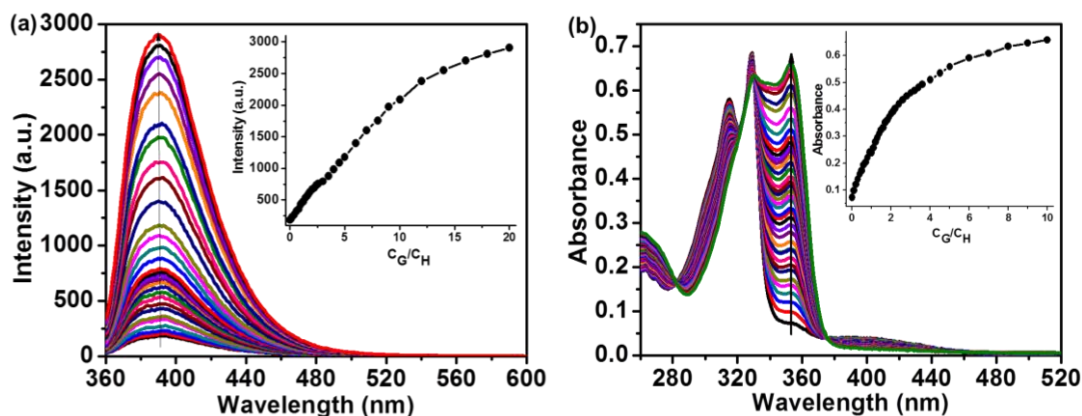


Figure S5 (a) Fluorescence titrations of 5 μM chemodosensor **1** with TBAF excited at 353 nm in DMSO containing 10% water. Inset: the fluorescence intensity at 400 nm as a function of added TBAF. (b) Absorption titrations of 50 μM **1** with TBAF in DMSO containing 10% water. Inset: the absorbance at 353 nm as a function of added TBAF.

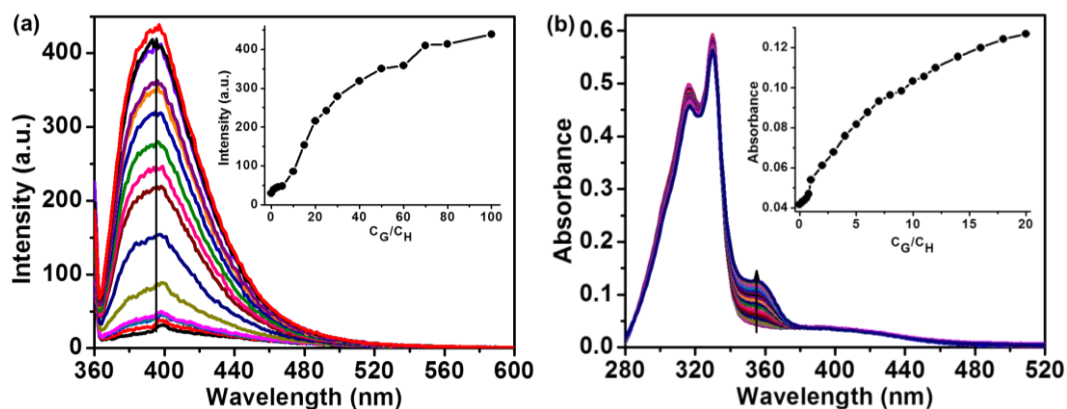


Figure S6 (a) Fluorescence titrations of 5 μM chemodosensor **2** with TBAF excited at 357 nm in DMSO containing 10% water. Inset: the fluorescence intensity at 402 nm as a function of added TBAF. (b) Absorption titrations of 50 μM **2** with TBAF in DMSO containing 10% water. Inset: the absorbance at 357 nm as a function of added TBAF.

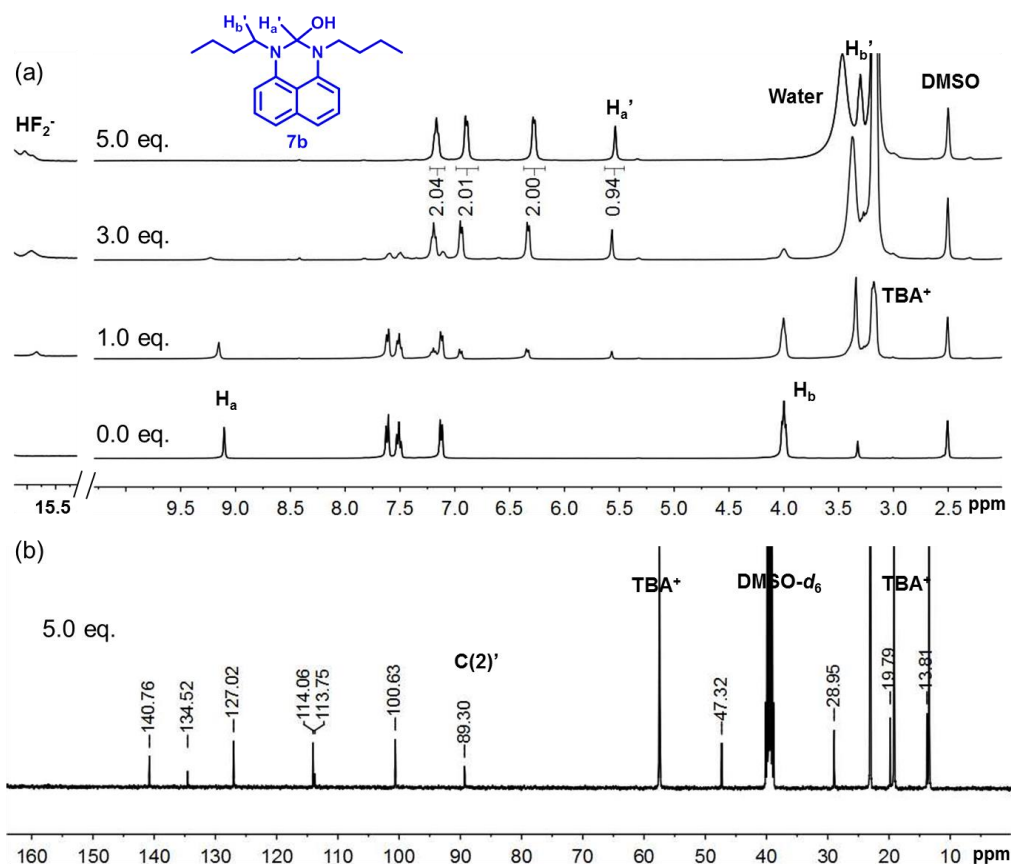


Figure S7 (a) ¹H NMR titrations of chemodosensor **2** (5 mM) with TBAF in DMSO-*d*₆. (b) ¹³C NMR spectra of chemodosensor **2** (5 mM) when in presence of 5.0 equiv. of TBAF in DMSO-*d*₆.

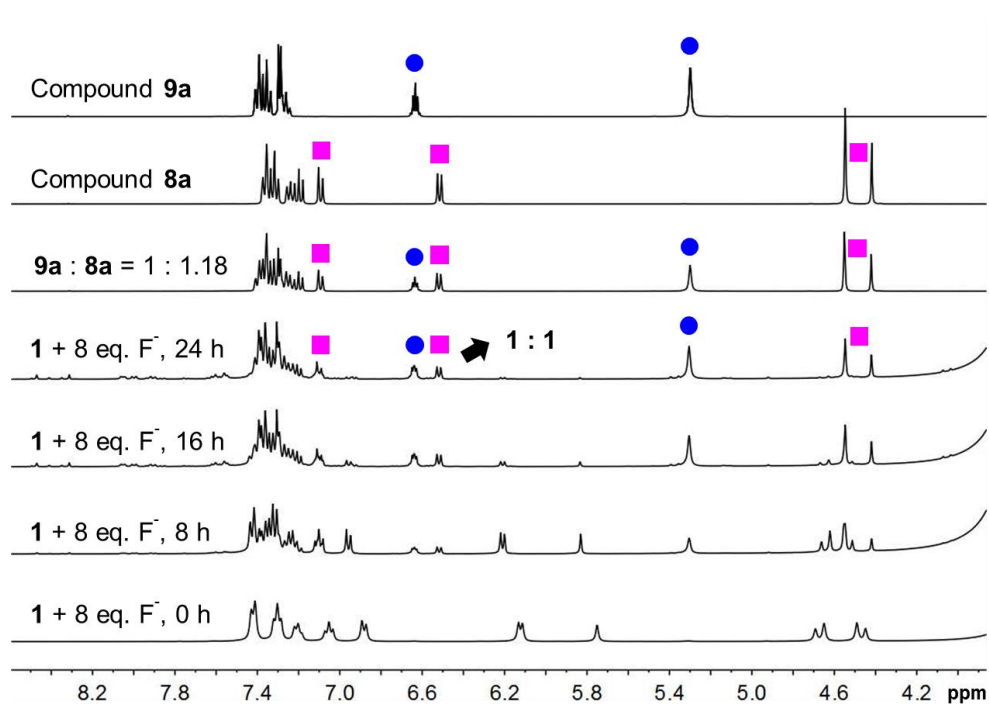
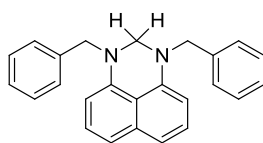


Figure S8 ¹H NMR spectra of chemodosensor **1** upon addition of 8.0 equiv. of TBAF in DMSO-*d*₆ after different time, and the spectra of compound **8a**, **9a** and the 1 : 1.18 mixture of **9a** and **8a**.

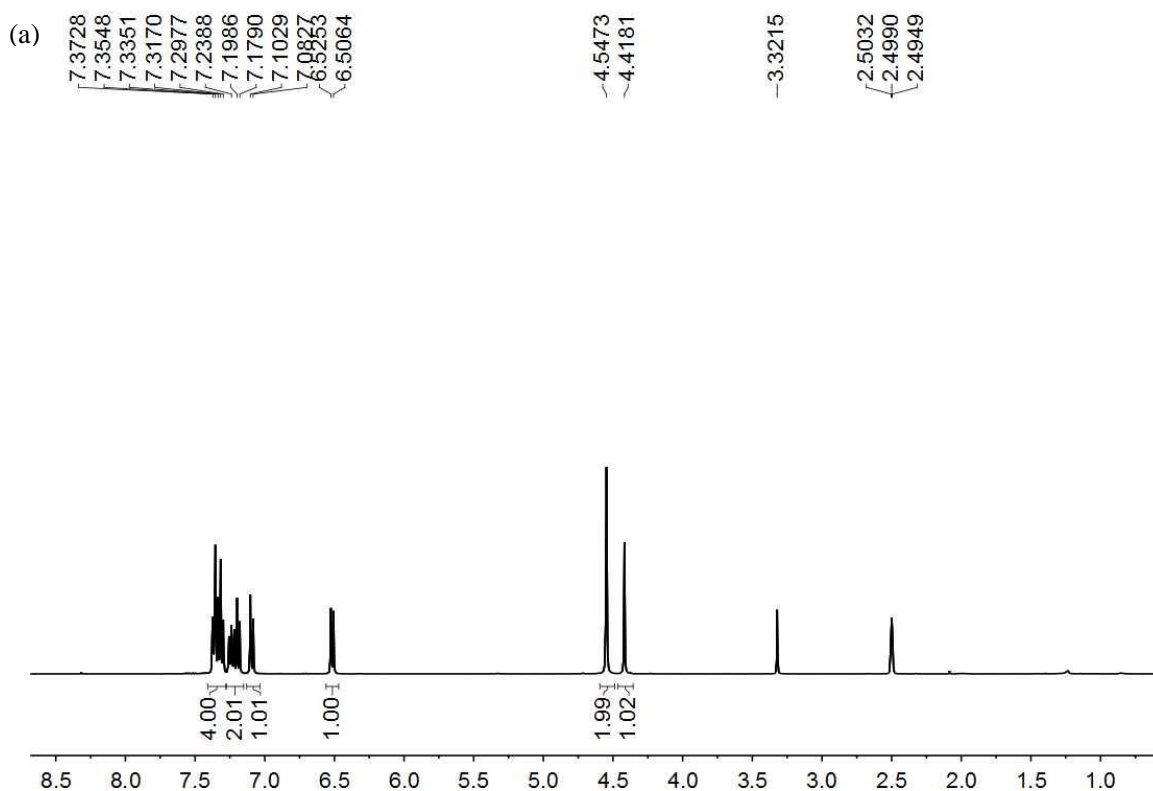


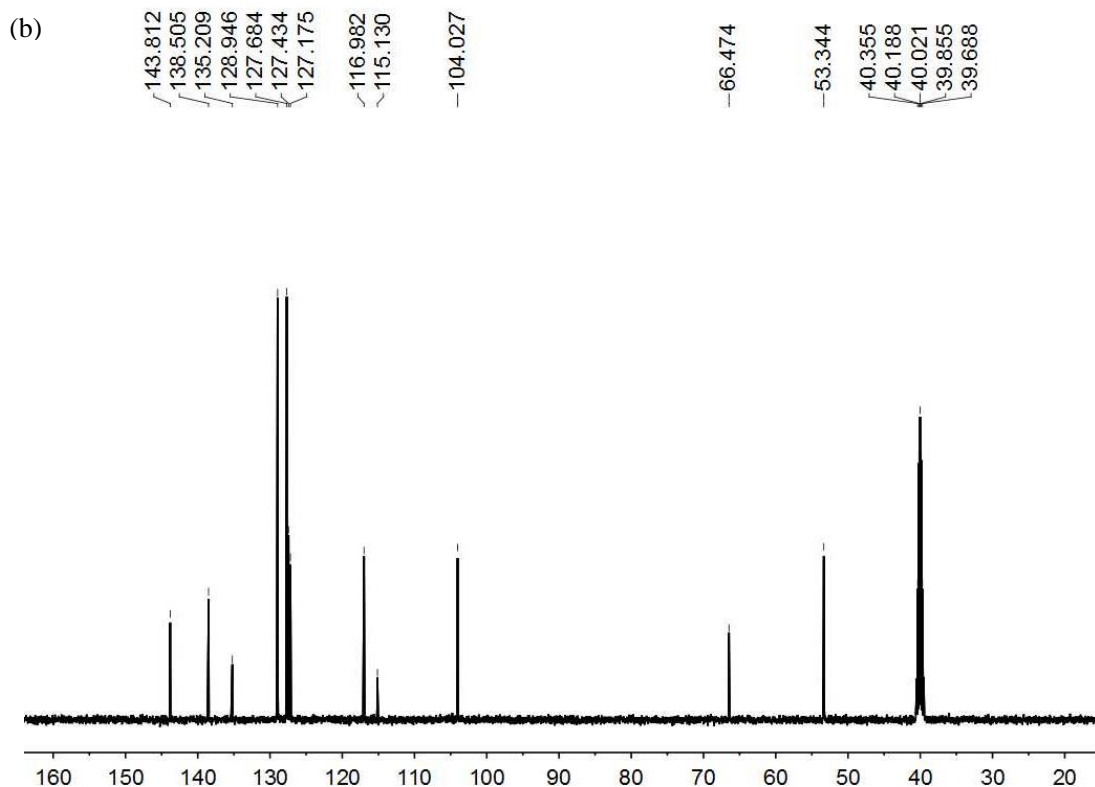
8a

^1H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 4.42 (s, 2H), 4.55 (s, 4H), 6.51 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.09 (d, $J = 8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.18-7.26 (m, 4H), 7.30-7.37 (m, 8H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 53.34, 66.47, 104.03, 115.13, 116.98, 127.18, 127.43, 127.68, 128.95, 135.21, 138.50, 143.81.

HR MS: $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2$, requires 350.1783, found $[\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{Na}]^+$ 373.1686.





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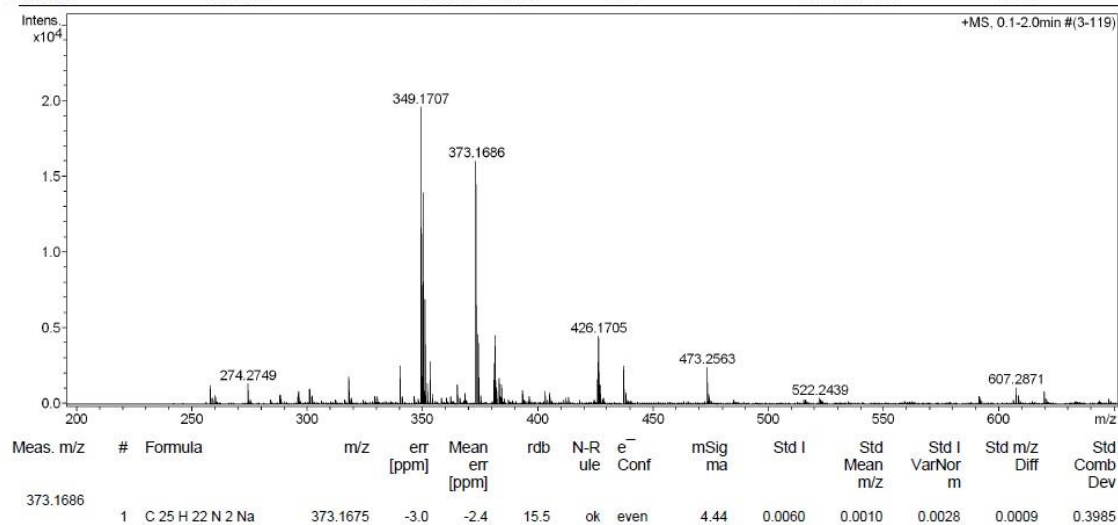
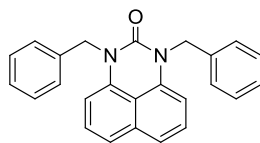


Figure S9 ¹H NMR (a), ¹³C NMR (b) and HR MS (c) spectra of compound **8a**.

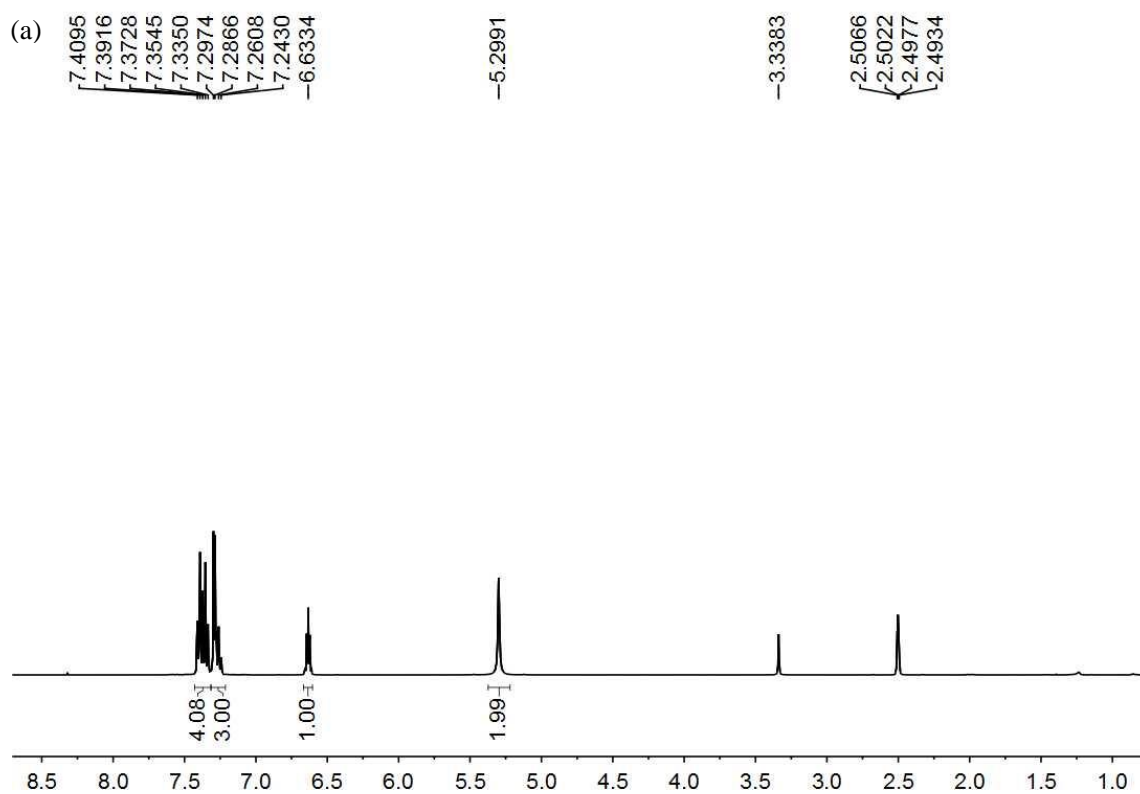


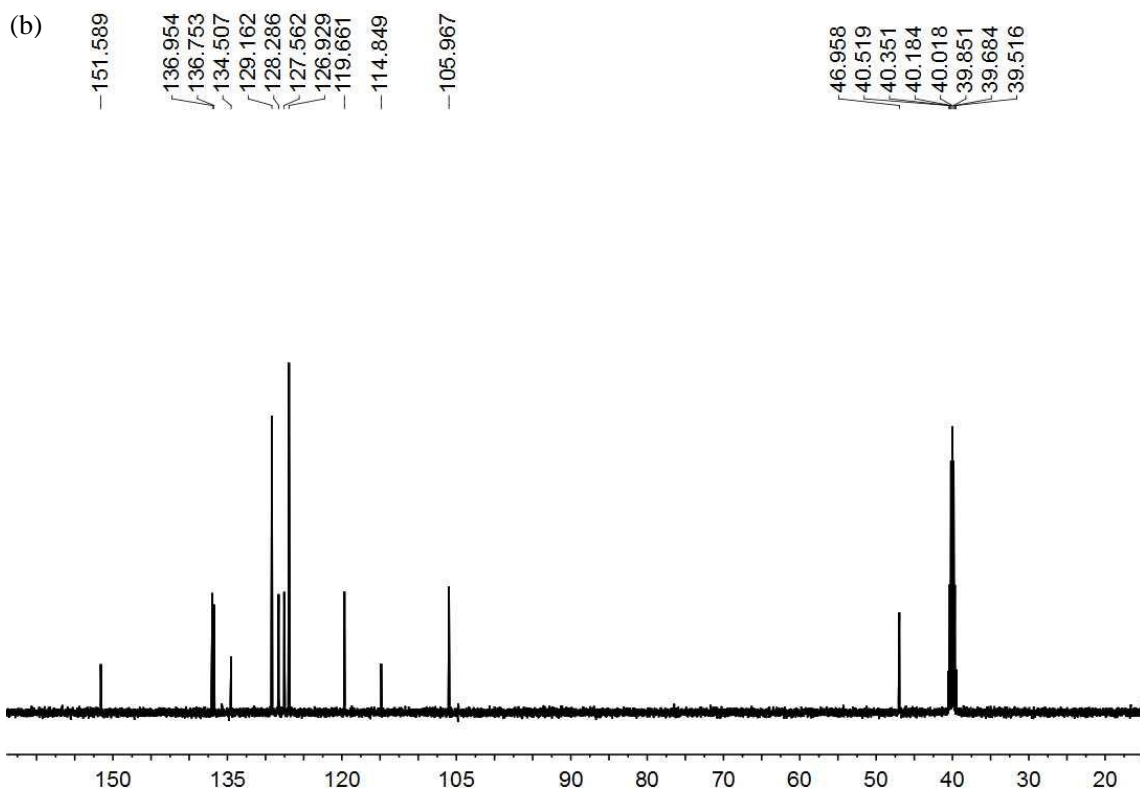
9a

^1H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 5.30 (s, 4H), 6.61-6.66 (m, 2H), 7.24-7.41 (m, 14H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 46.96, 105.97, 114.85, 119.66, 126.93, 127.56, 128.28, 129.16, 134.51, 136.75, 136.95, 151.59.

HR MS: $\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{O}$, requires 364.1576, found $[\text{C}_{25}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_2\text{ONa}]^+$ 387.1495.





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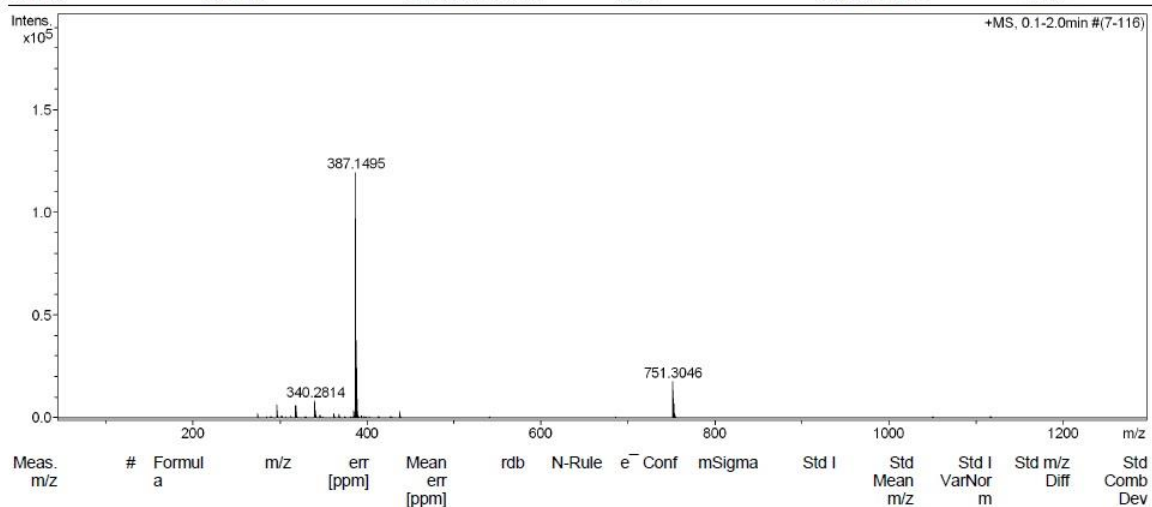


Figure S10 ¹H NMR (a), ¹³C NMR (b) and HR MS (c) spectra of compound 9a.

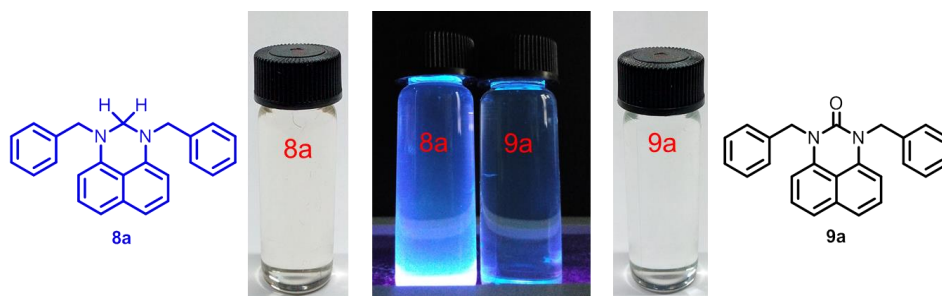
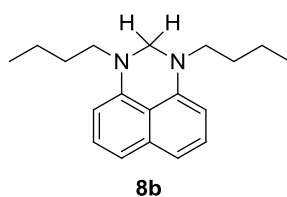


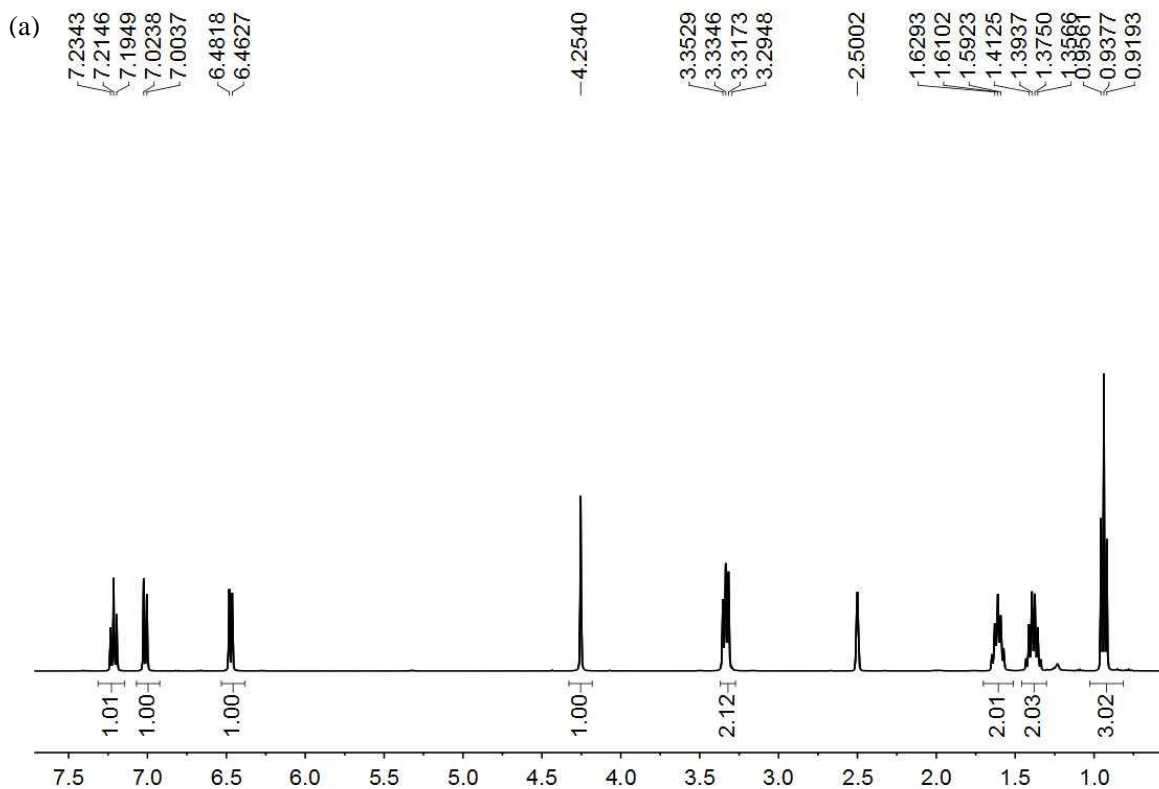
Figure S11 Solution colors and fluorescent colors of compounds **8a** and **9a** (5 μM).

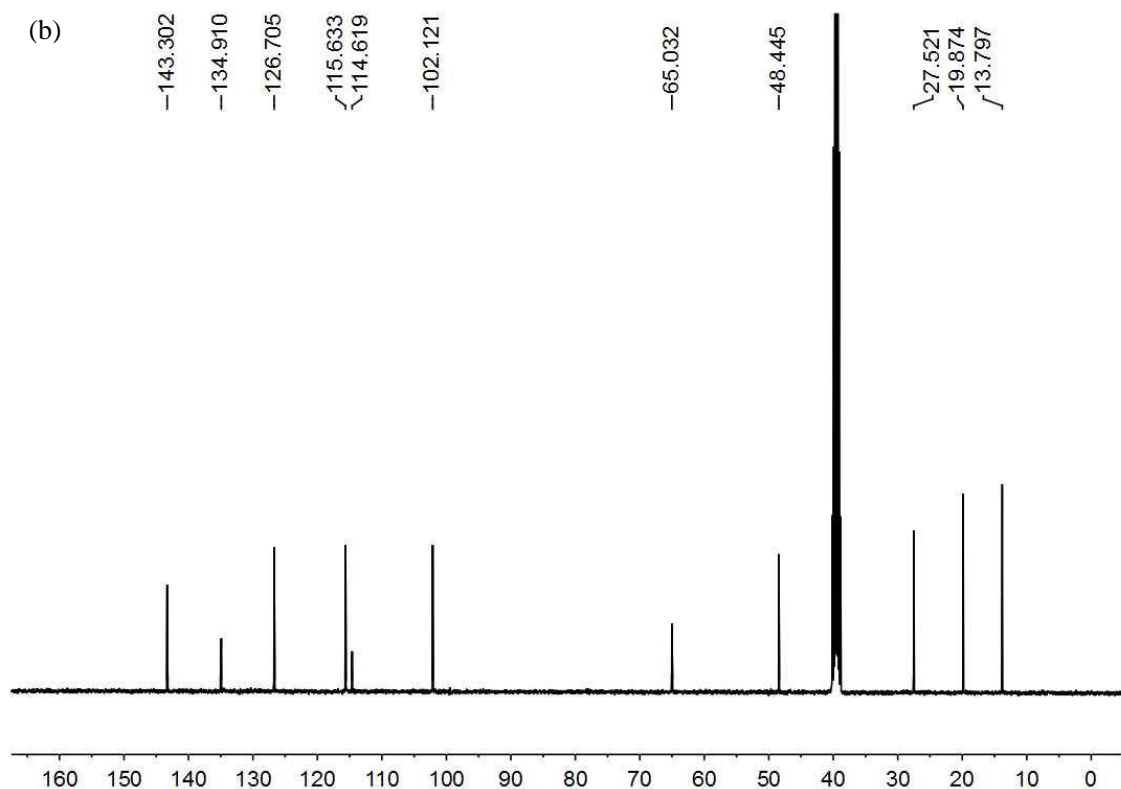


^1H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 0.94 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 6H), 1.35-1.41 (m, 4H), 1.57-1.63 (m, 4H), 3.33 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 4H), 4.25 (s, 2H), 6.47 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.01 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO-d_6) δ 13.80, 19.87, 27.52, 48.45, 65.03, 102.12, 114.62, 115.63, 126.71, 134.91, 143.30.

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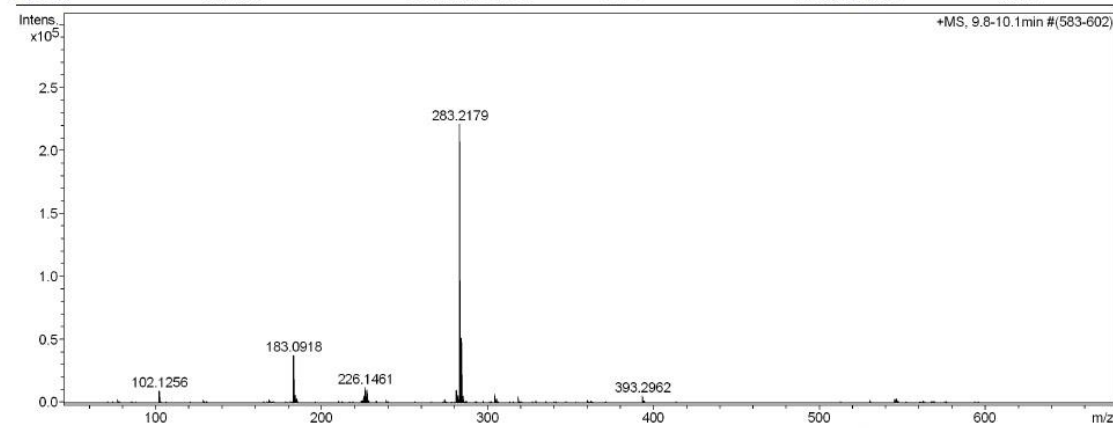




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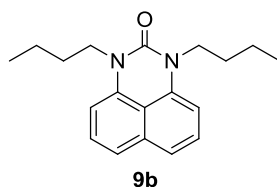
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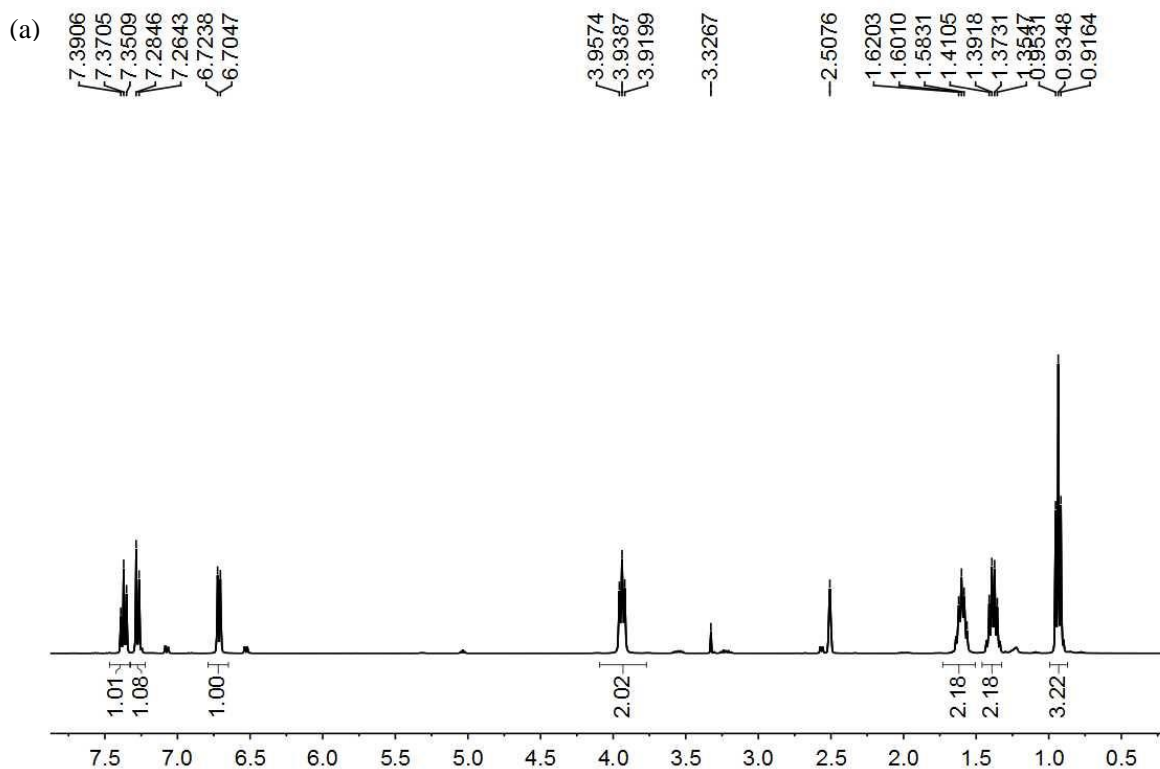
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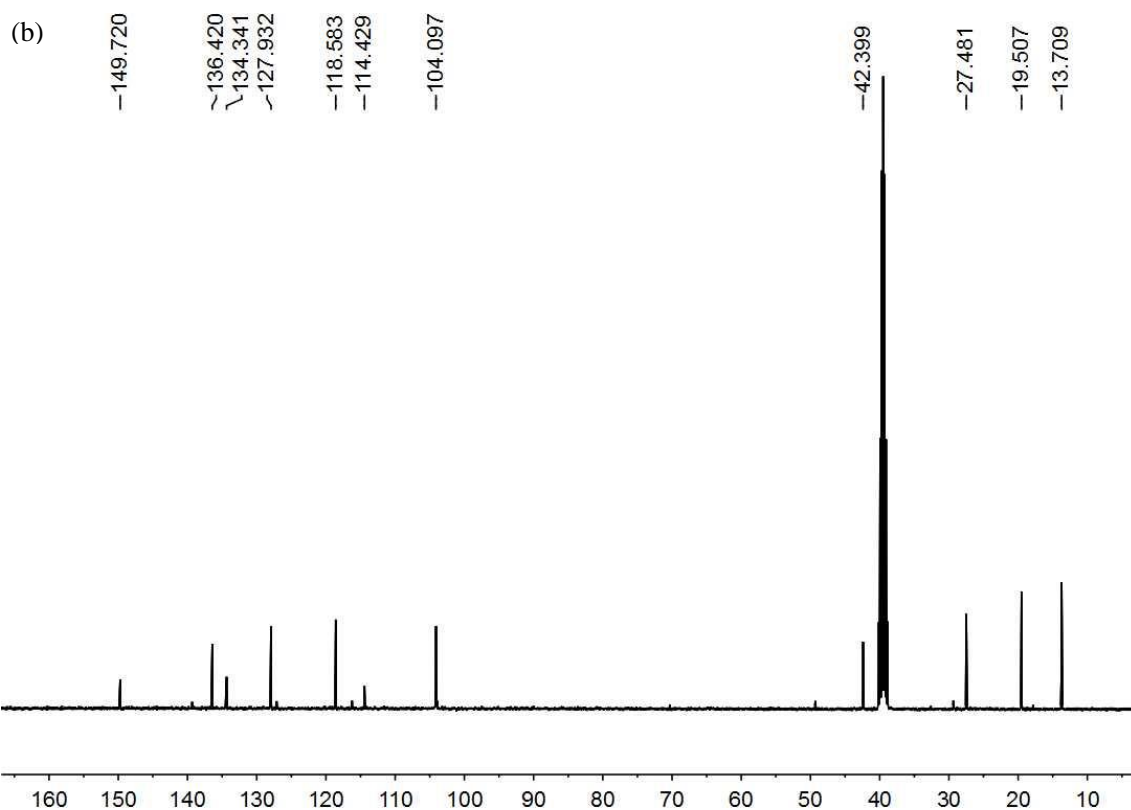


^1H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6): δ 0.90-0.95 (m, 6H), 1.35-1.41 (m, 4H), 1.56-1.64 (m, 4H), 3.94 (t, $J = 7.4$ Hz, 4H), 6.72 (d, $J = 7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H), 7.37 (t, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H).

^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 13.71, 19.51, 27.48, 42.40, 104.10, 114.43, 118.58, 127.93, 134.34, 136.42, 149.72.

HR MS: $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{O}$, requires 296.1889, found $[\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{ONa}]^+$ 319.1792.





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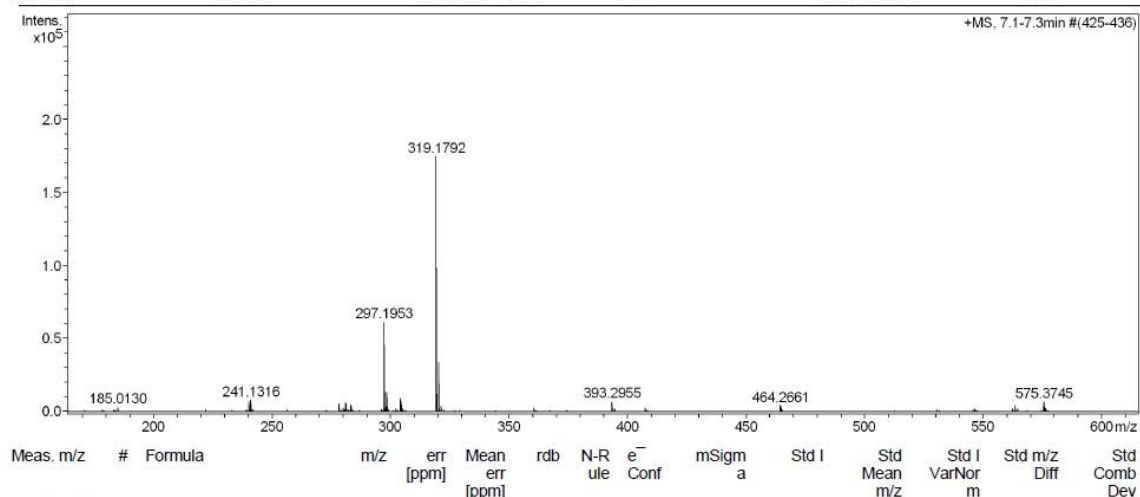


Figure S13 ¹H NMR (a), ¹³C NMR (b) and HR MS spectra of compound 9b.

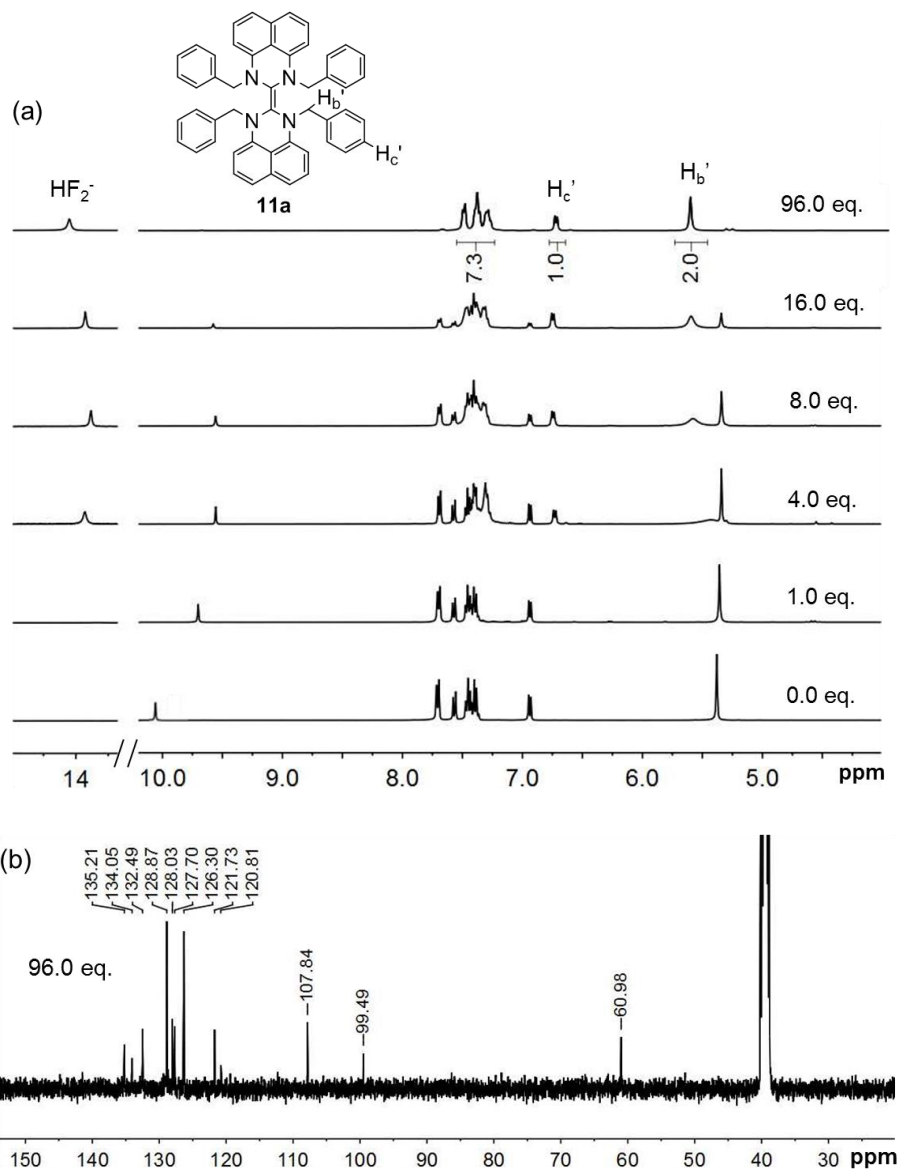
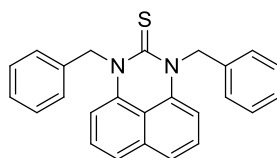


Figure S14 (a) 1H NMR titrations of chemodosensor **1** (5 mM) with AgF in $DMSO-d_6$. (b) ^{13}C NMR spectra of chemodosensor **1** (5 mM) when in presence of 96.0 equiv. of AgF in $DMSO-d_6$.

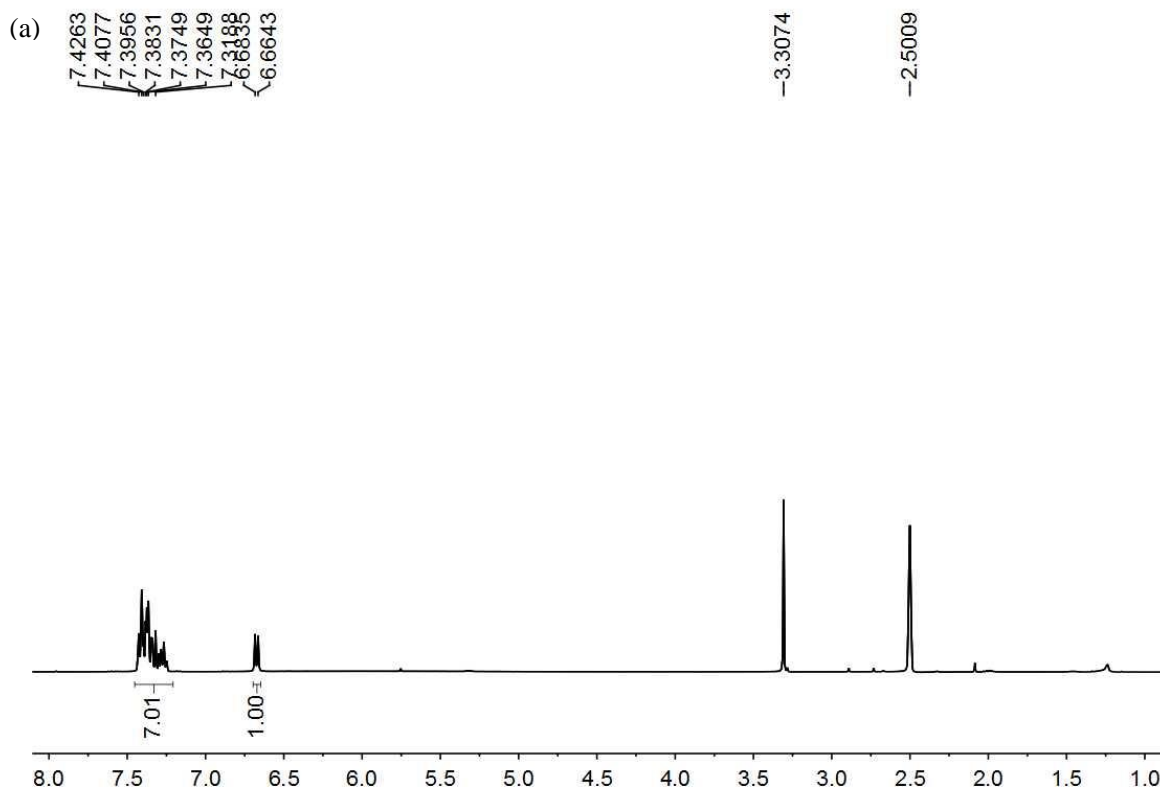


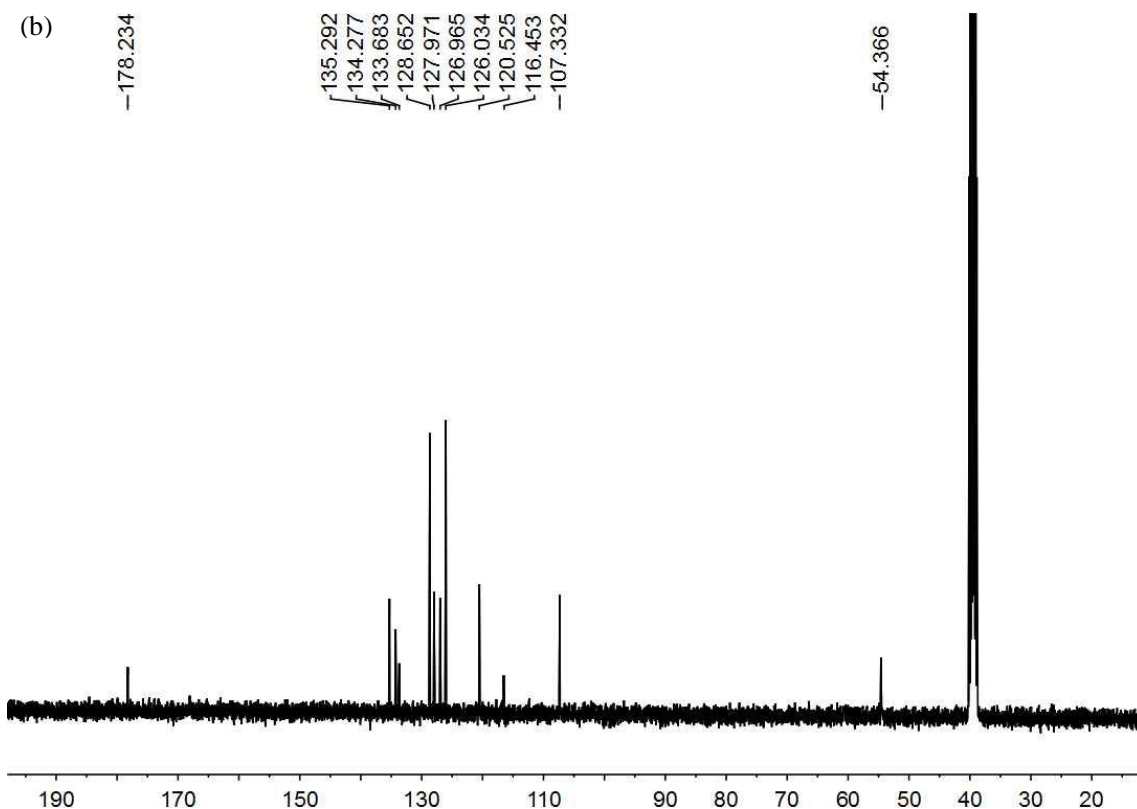
11a

$^1\text{H NMR}$ (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 6.67 (d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.27-7.42 (m, 14H).

$^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (100 MHz, DMSO- d_6) δ 54.37, 107.33, 116.45, 120.52, 126.03, 126.96, 127.97, 128.65, 133.68, 134.28, 135.29, 178.23.

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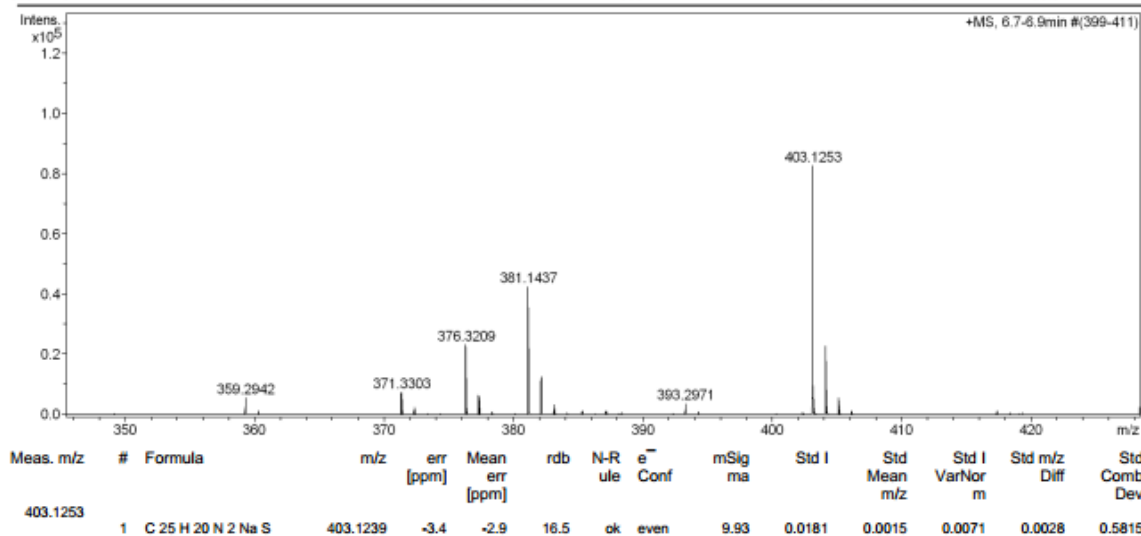
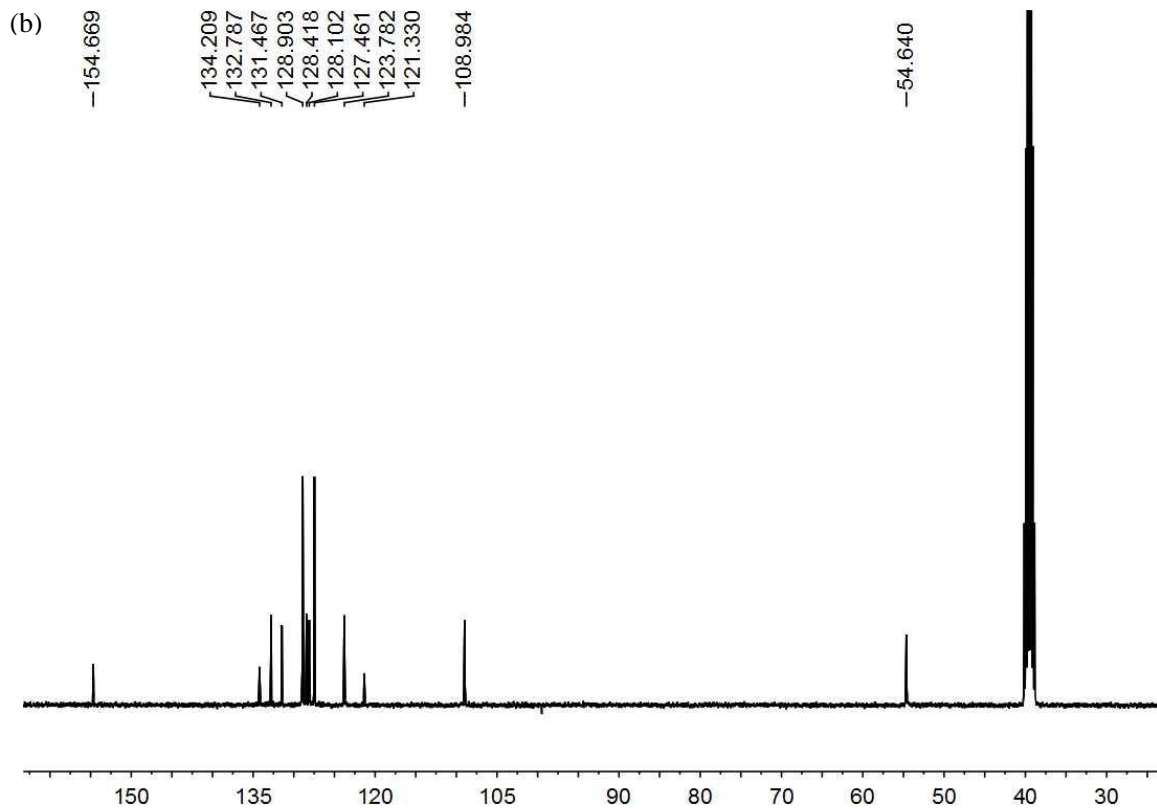
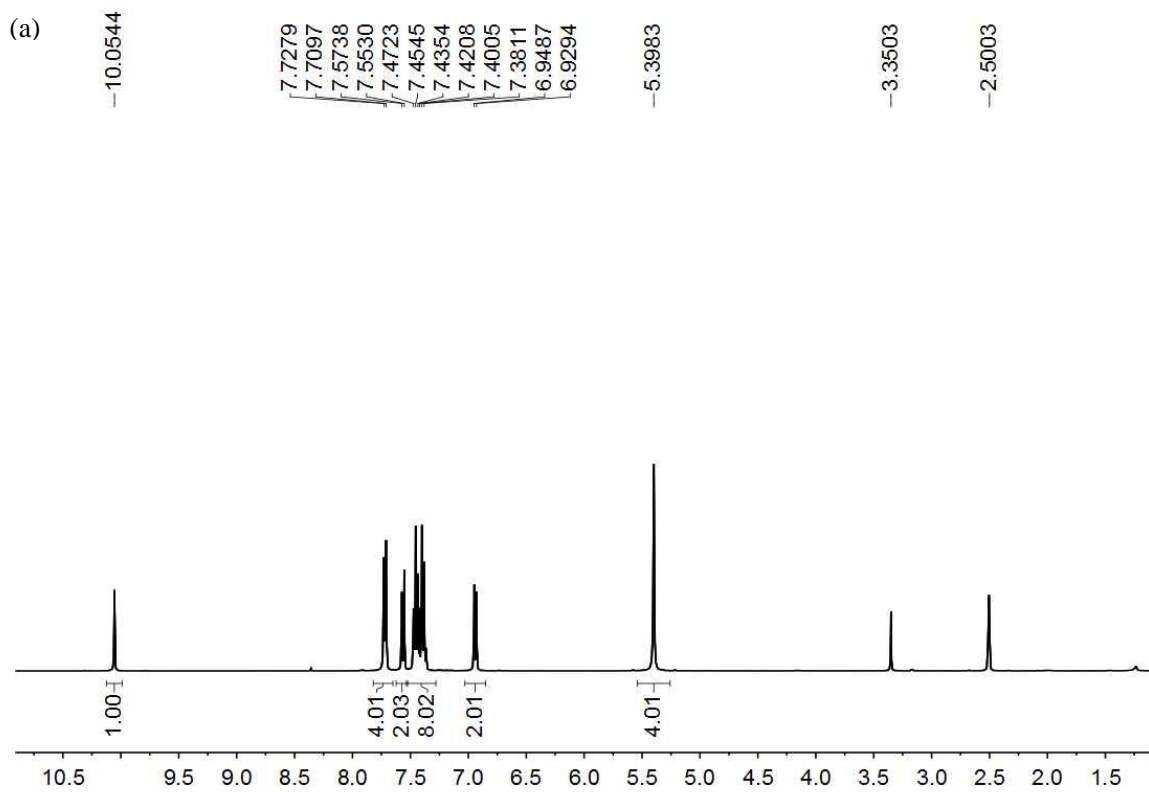


Figure S15 ¹H NMR (a), ¹³C NMR (b) and HR MS (c) spectra of compound **11a**.



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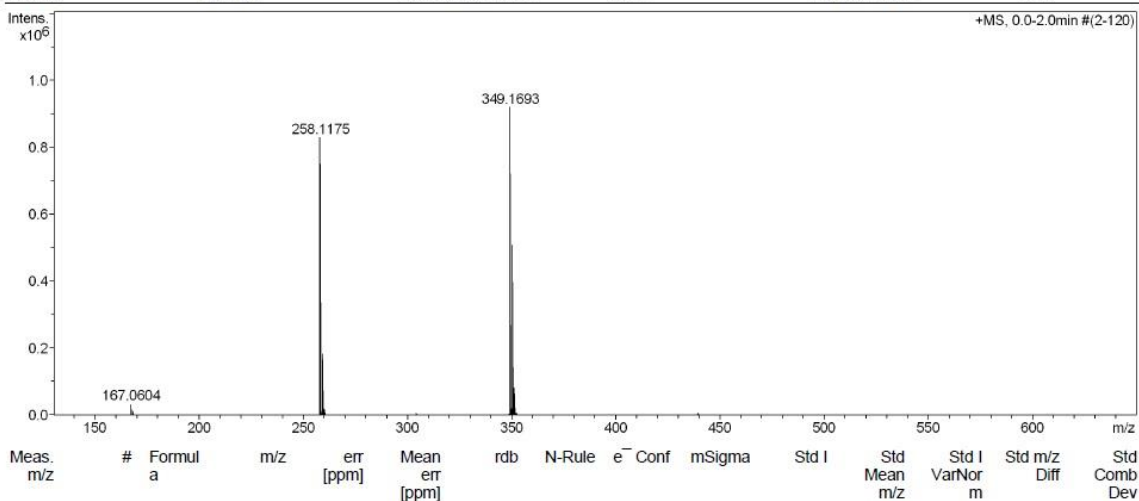
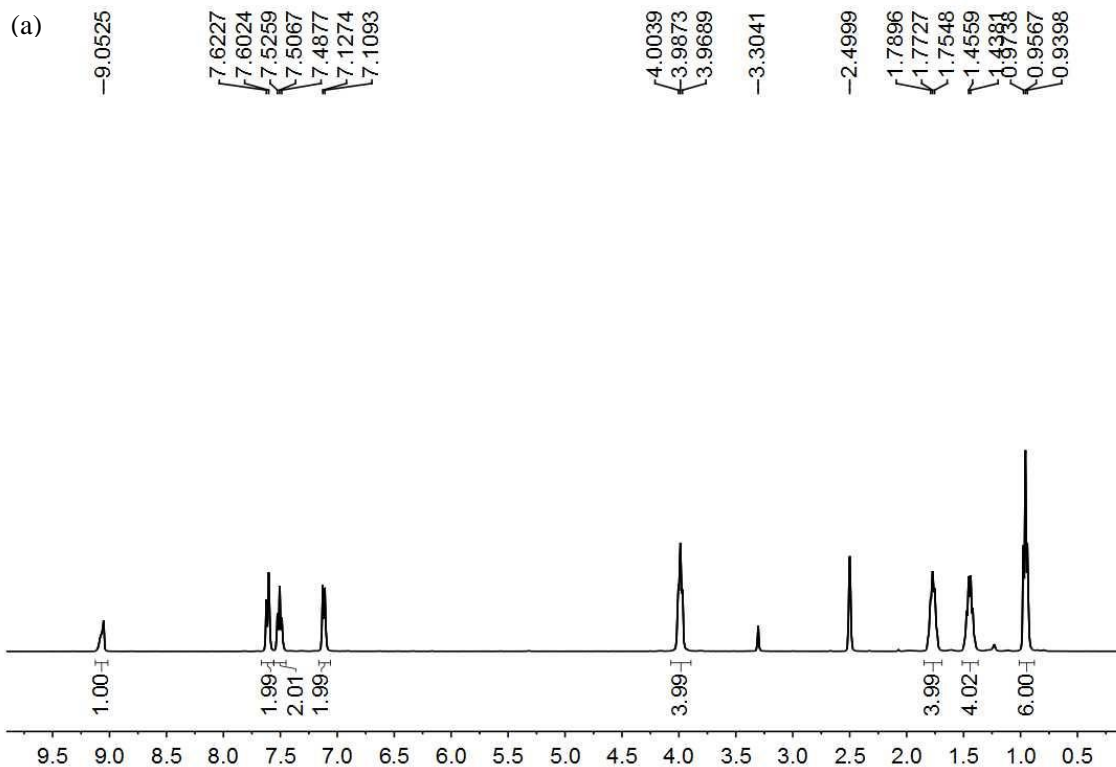
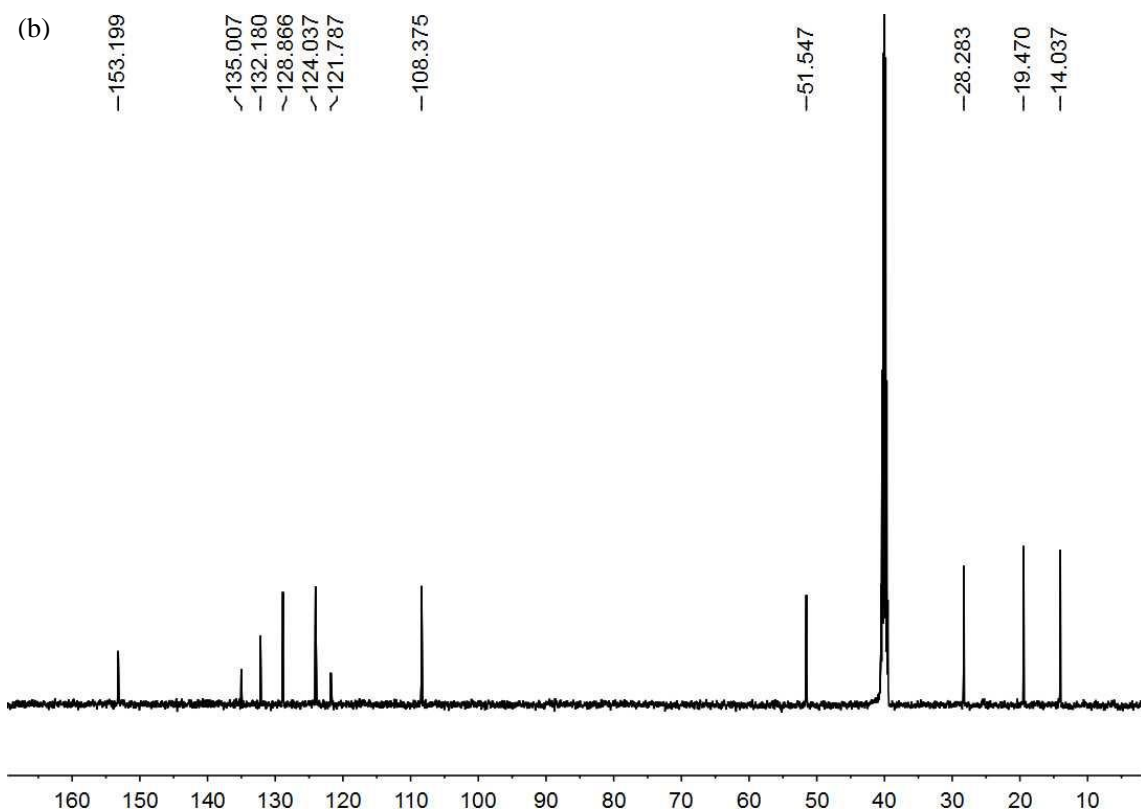


Figure S16 ¹H NMR (a), ¹³C NMR (b) and HR MS (c) spectra of chemodosensor 1.





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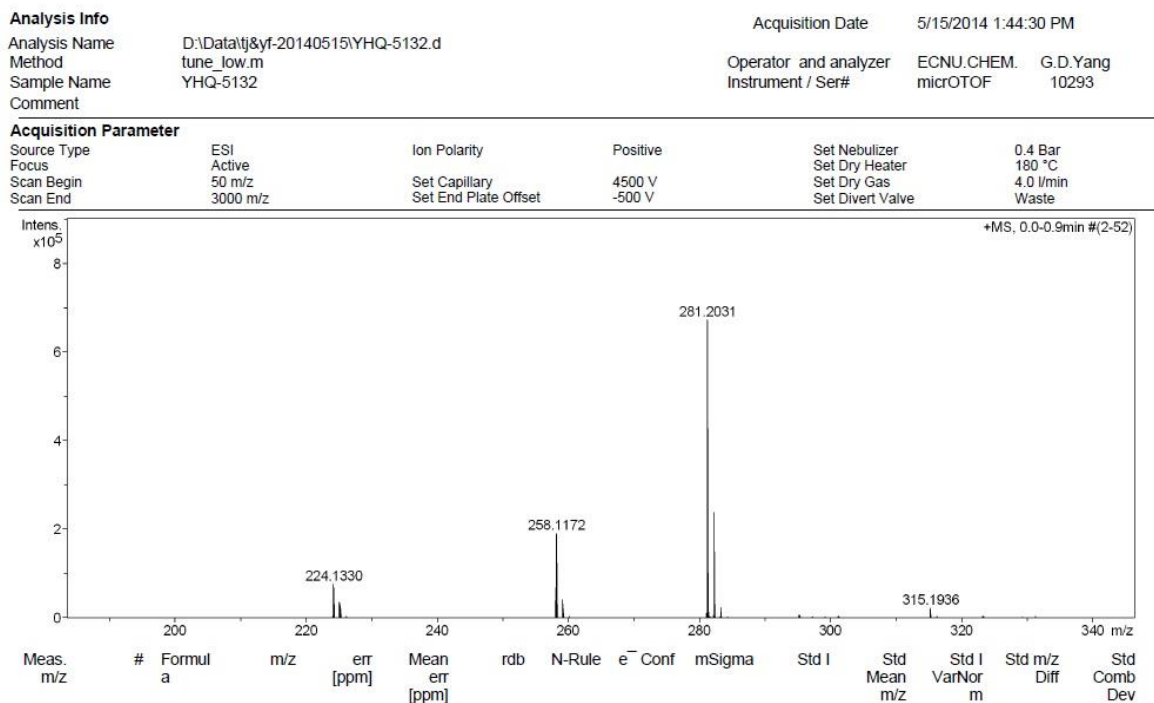


Figure S17 ¹H NMR (a), ¹³C NMR (b) and HR MS (c) spectra of chemodosensitizer **2**.

Table S1. Crystal data and refinement of compounds **1**, **2** and **9a**.

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M_r	384.90	377.32	364.43
Temperature (K)	296(2)	296(2)	296(2)
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	Triclinic	Monoclinic
Space group	P ₂ ₁ 2 ₁ 2 ₁	P-1	C ₂ /c
$a/\text{Å}$	7.2746(10)	10.4898(12)	30.3297(13)
$b/\text{Å}$	14.2457(19)	11.5739(13)	8.7540(4)
$c/\text{Å}$	18.631(3)	16.4456(19)	14.8727(6)
$\alpha/^\circ$	90.00	93.603(4)	90.00
$\beta/^\circ$	90.00	98.485(3)	105.795(2)
$\gamma/^\circ$	90.00	106.291(4)	90.00
$V/\text{Å}^3$	1930.8(5)	1884.0(4)	3799.7(3)
Z	4	4	8
Crystal size (mm ³)	0.32×0.21×0.12	0.48×0.36×0.22	0.33×0.28×0.14
$D_c/\text{g cm}^{-3}$	1.324	1.330	1.274
μ/mm^{-1}	0.21	2.188	0.078
$F(000)$	808.0	784	1536
θ range (°)	1.80-25.01	1.26-25.01	2.43-25.00
Reflections collected	22626	22167	21508
Unique reflections	3397	6613	3349
GOF on F^2	1.029	1.036	1.028
$R_{\text{(int)}}$	0.0795	0.0240	0.0531
$R_1 [I > 2\sigma(I)]$	0.0418	0.0518	0.0420
w R_2 (all data)	0.0973	0.1536	0.1124