

Literature Report

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A Photoactivatable Formaldehyde Donor with Fluorescence Monitoring Reveals Threshold To Arrest Cell Migration

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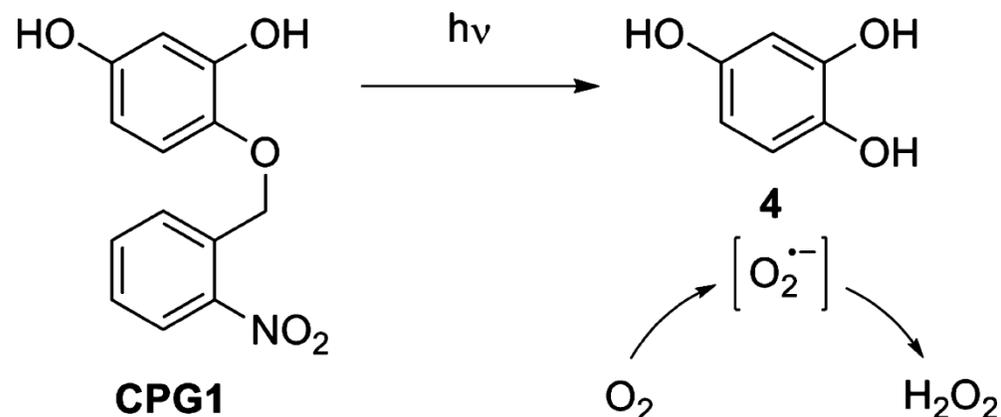
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- ★ Photoacoustic Imaging (bioorthogonal chemical probes)
- ★ Infectious Diseases (small-molecule inhibitors)
- ★ Neurological Disorders (chemical and protein-based probes)

Introduction



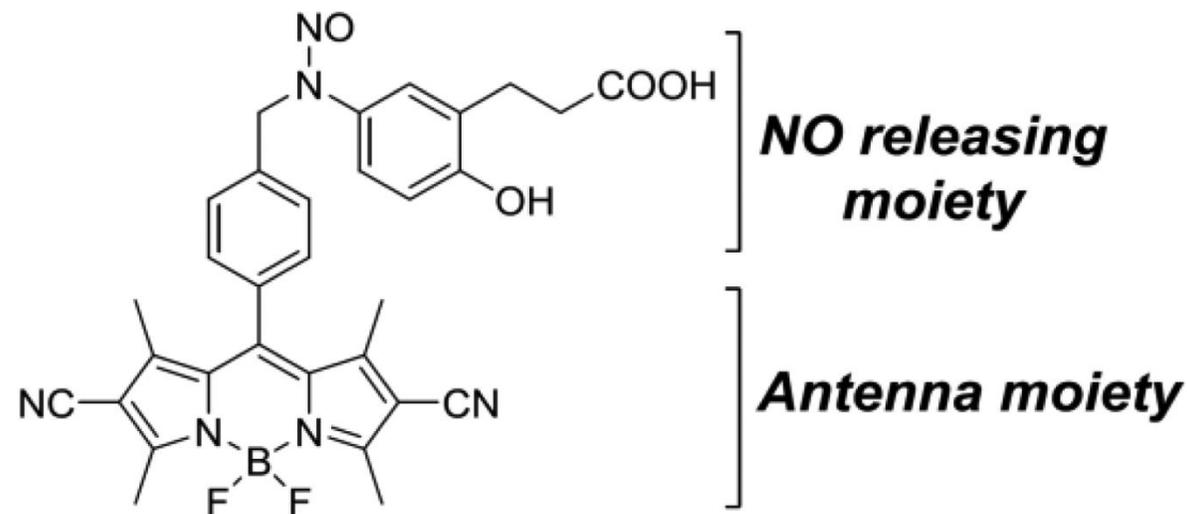
1. Photoactivatable donors for reactive oxygen



Scheme 1. Photolysis of CPG1 Releases 1,2,4-Trihydroxybenzene(**4**), which Sequentially Reduces Molecular Oxygen to Give H_2O_2 via a Superoxide Intermediate

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2. for reactive nitrogen



NOBL-1 (**1**)

(**NO** releaser triggered by **Blue Light**)

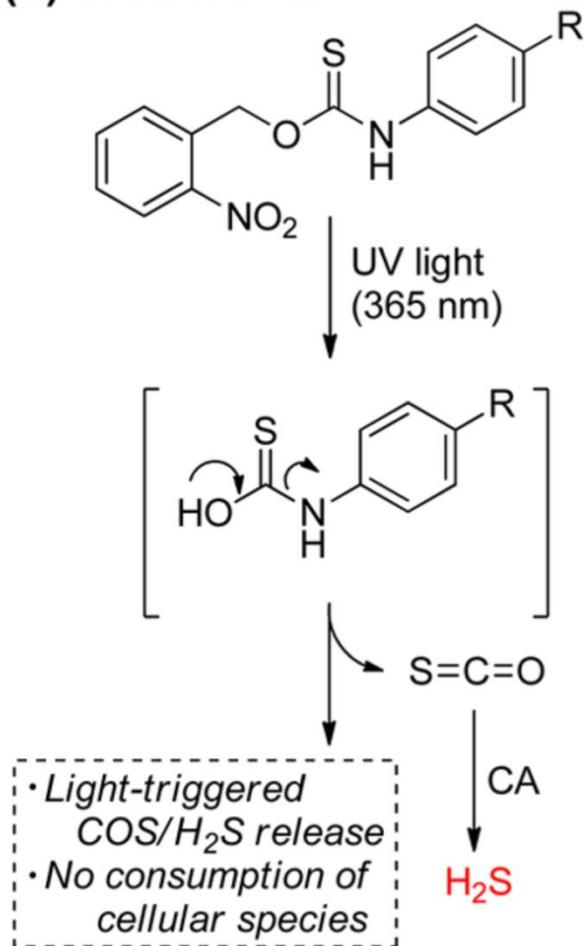
Figure 1. Design of a blue-light-controllable NO releaser, NOBL-1(**1**).

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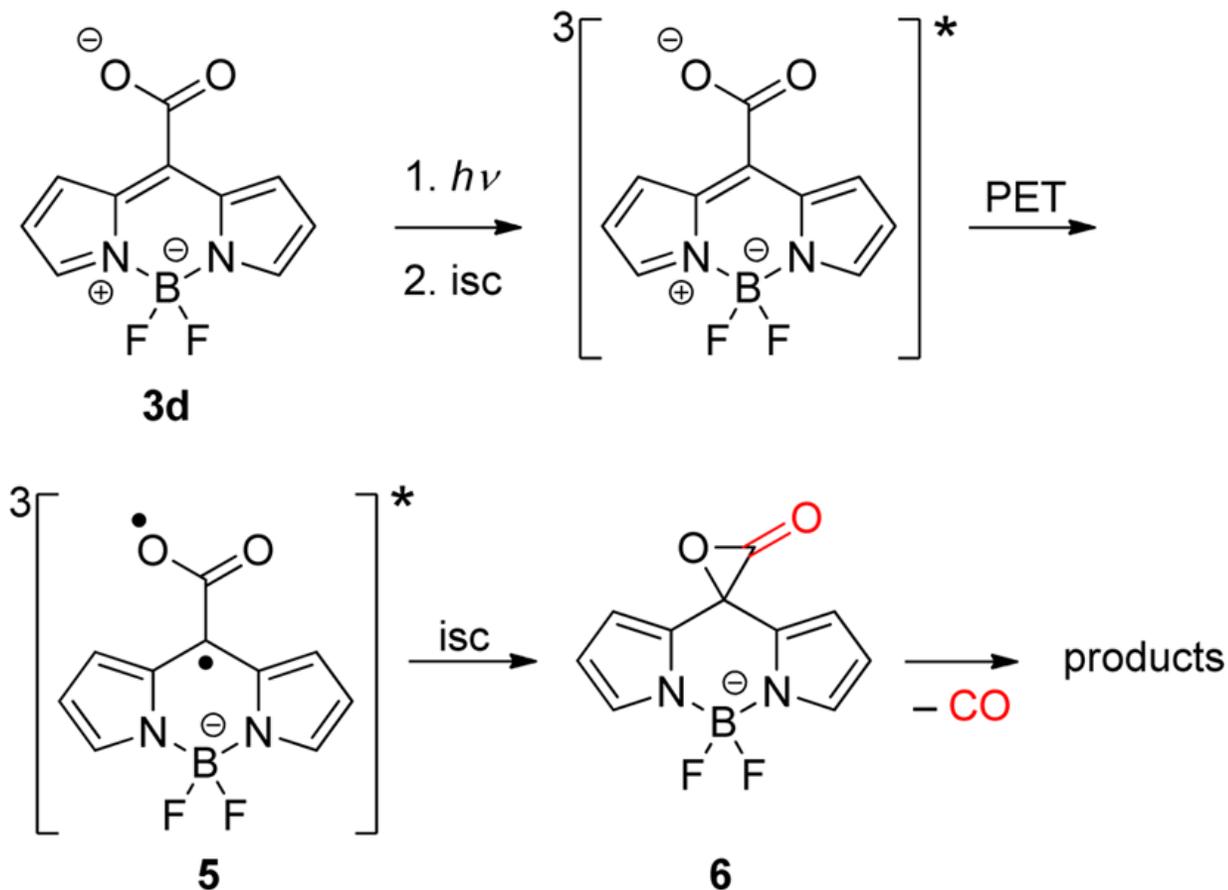


3. for reactive sulfu

(b) *This work:*



4. for carbonyl species

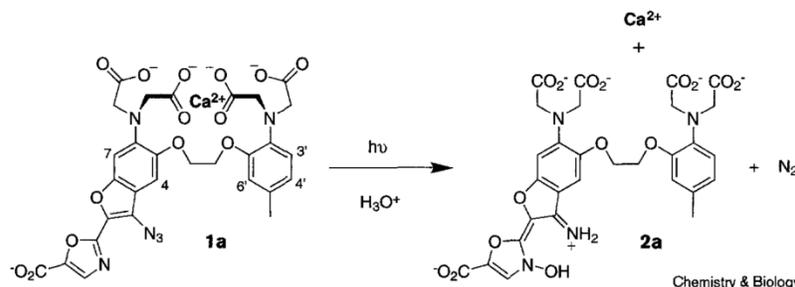


Scheme 2. Proposed Mechanism of COR-BDP Phototransformation To Release CO

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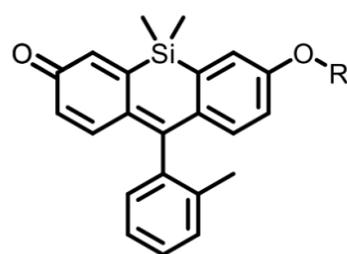


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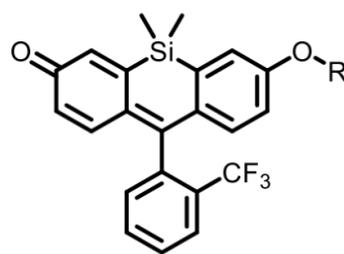


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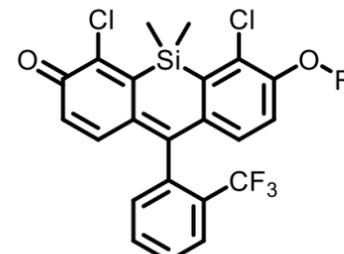
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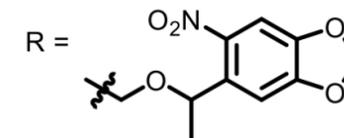
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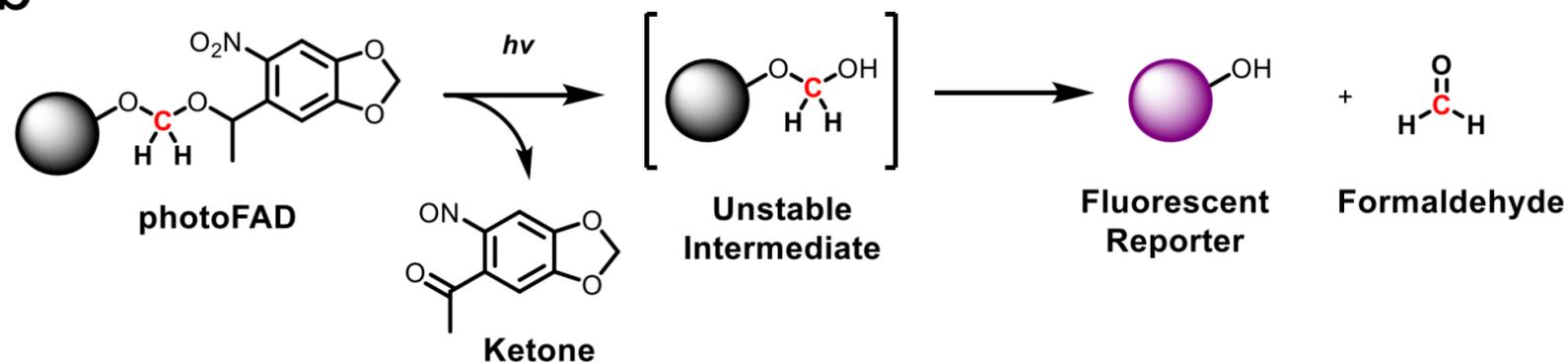


Figure 1. (a) Chemical structures of the photoFAD series. (b) Mechanism of light-mediated FA release.

Result and Discussion

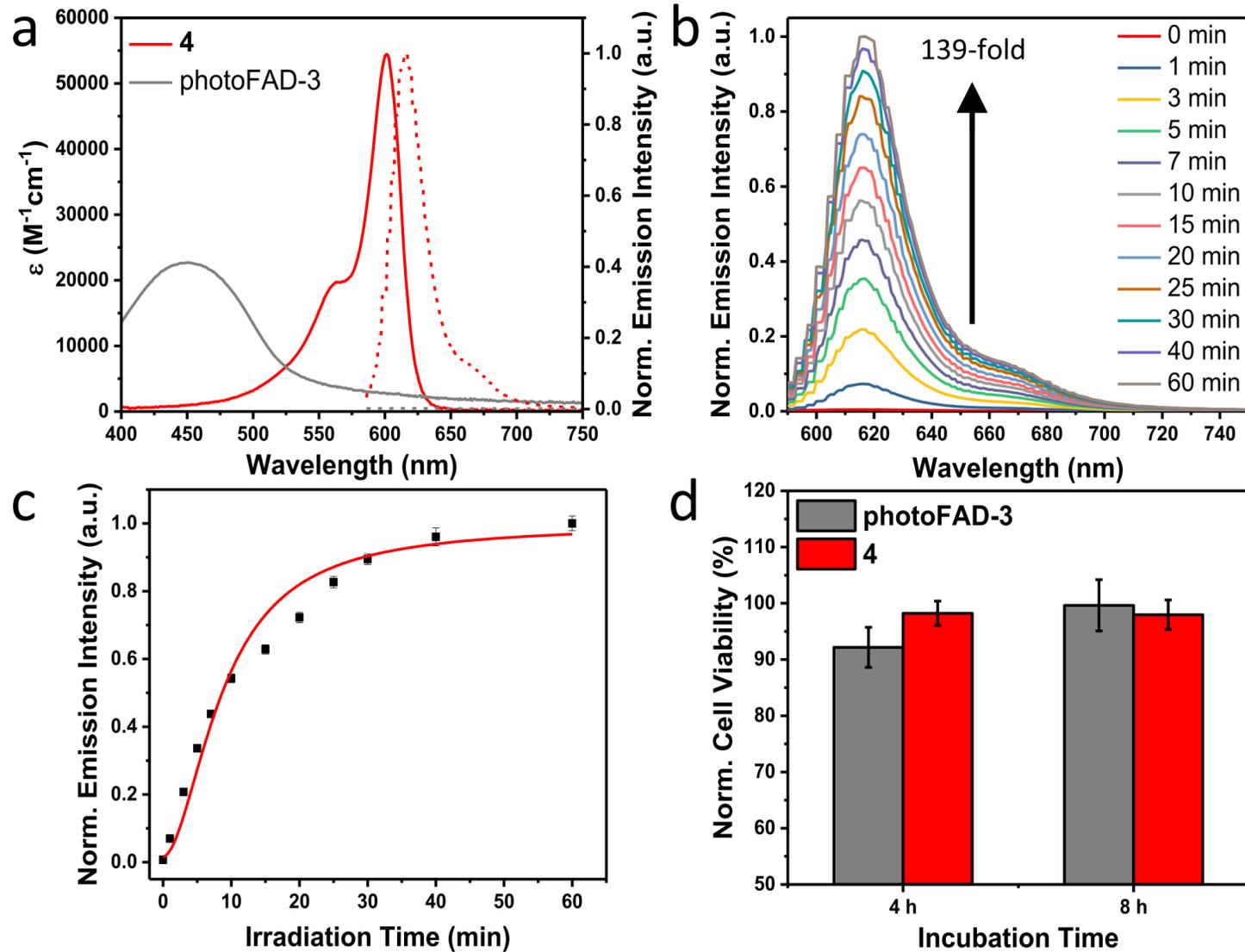


Figure 2. (a) Absorbance (solid) and emission (dashed) spectra of 2 μM photoFAD-3 and 4. (b) Emission spectra and (c) release kinetics of photoFAD-3 upon photoactivation over 60 min. (d) Cytotoxicity assay of HEK293 cells stained with 4 μM photoFAD-3 and 4 for 4 and 8 h. Cell viability was normalized to a vehicle control. Data are represented as mean \pm SD ($n = 3$).

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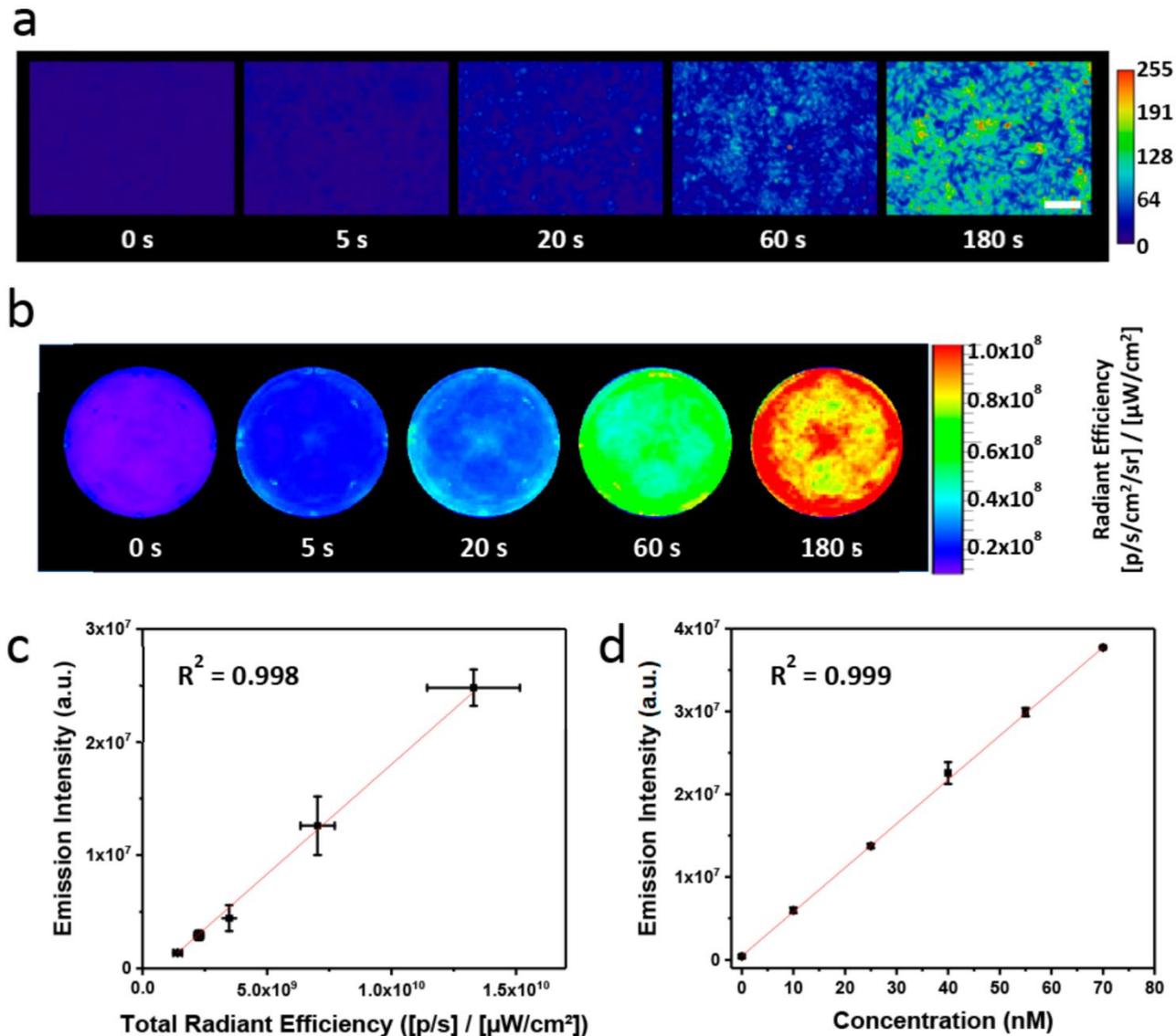


Figure 3. (a) Epifluorescence and (b) IVIS images of HEK293 cells stained with photoFAD-3 after 0, 5, 20, 60, and 180 s of photoactivation. Scale bar represents 100 μm . (c) Correlation plot of in vitro cell lysate fluorescence versus total radiant efficiency. (d) Reference plot of in vitro fluorescence versus concentration of **4**. Data are represented as mean \pm SD ($n = 3$).



Thank you!