

Supplementary Information

Iron Complexes Containing Electrochemically Active Diazocycle-bis(di-*tert*-butyl-phenol) Ligands

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Table S1. Select bond lengths (Å) and angles (degree) for complex **2**

Complex 2			
Fe1–N1	2.177(3)	Fe1–O2	1.865(2)
Fe1–N2	2.186(3)	Fe1–Cl1	2.251(1)
Fe1–O1	1.868(2)		
N1–Fe1–O1	85.81 (9)	N2–Fe1–O1	145.00(1)
N2–Fe1–O2	87.80(1)	Cl1–Fe1–N1	100.25(7)
O1–Fe1–O2	97.99(9)	Cl1–Fe1–O1	112.26(7)
N1–Fe1–N2	72.60(1)	Cl1–Fe1–N2	98.18(7)
N1–Fe1–O2	148.80(1)		

Table S2. Select bond lengths (Å) and angles (degree) for complex **4**

Complex 4			
Fe1–O1	1.900(7)	Fe2–O3	1.993(8)
Fe1–O2	1.867(8)	Fe2–O4	1.959(7)
Fe1–O3	2.055(7)	Fe2–O5	1.839(7)
Fe1–O4	2.022(8)	Fe2–N3	2.23(1)
Fe1–N1	2.25(1)	Fe2–Cl1	2.254(3)
Fe1–N2	2.295(7)		
Fe1–O3–Fe2	104.4(3)	Fe1–O4–Fe2	106.9 (4)
N1–Fe1–N2	60.0(3)	Cl1–Fe2–N3	101.5(3)
N1–Fe1–O1	84.9(3)	Cl1–Fe2–O3	102.3(2)
N1–Fe1–O2	110.3(3)	Cl1–Fe2–O4	127.0(2)
N1–Fe1–O3	76.7(3)	Cl1–Fe2–O5	106.2(3)
N1–Fe1–O4	149.4(3)	N3–Fe2–O3	151.4(3)
N2–Fe1–O1	142.3(3)	N3–Fe2–O4	77.7(3)
N2–Fe1–O2	82.2(3)	N3–Fe2–O5	88.2(3)
N2–Fe1–O3	76.8(3)	O3–Fe2–O4	75.5(3)
N2–Fe1–O4	114.6(3)	O3–Fe2–O5	100.0(3)
O1–Fe1–O2	99.0(3)	O4–Fe2–O5	126.6(3)
O1–Fe1–O4	102.7(3)		
O2–Fe1–O3	150.4(3)		
O2–Fe1–O4	98.0(3)		
O3–Fe1–O4	72.8(3)		

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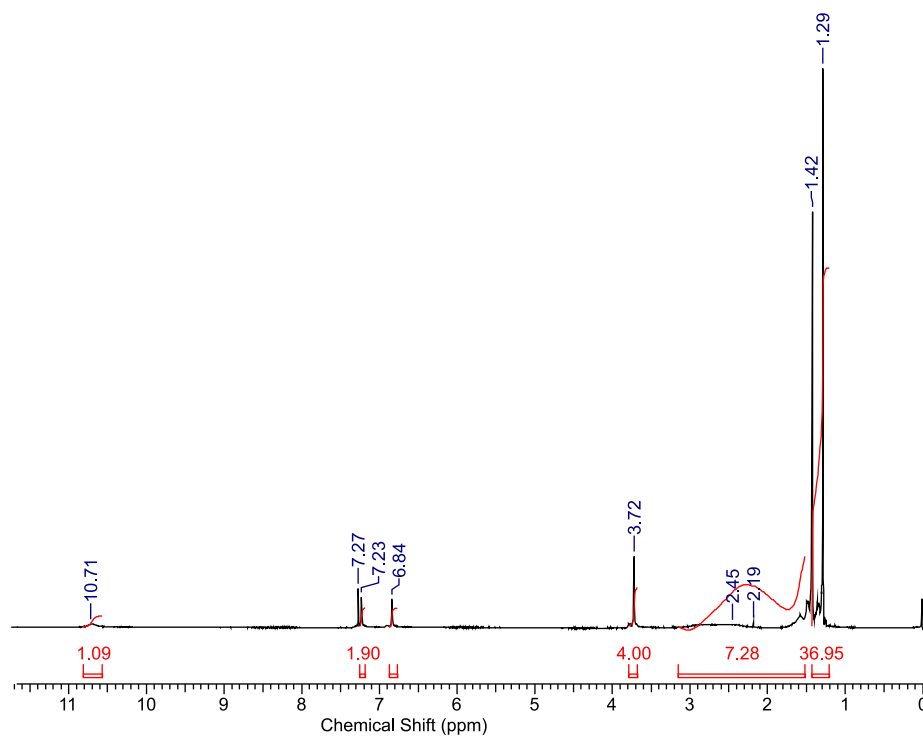


Figure S1. ^1H NMR spectrum (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) of the ligand $\text{H}_2\text{L1}$.

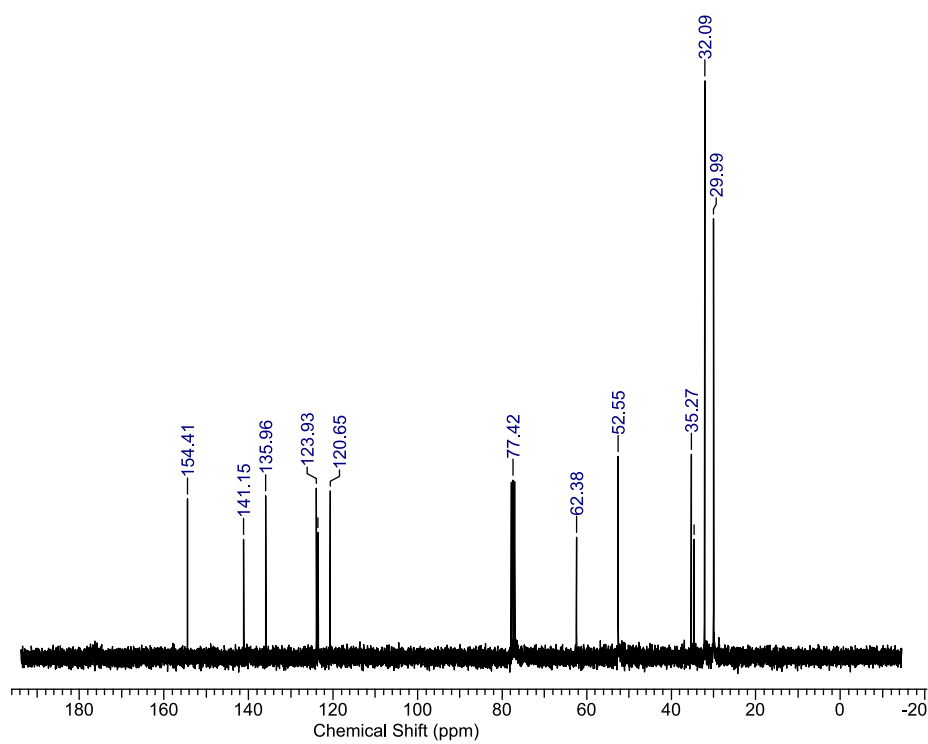
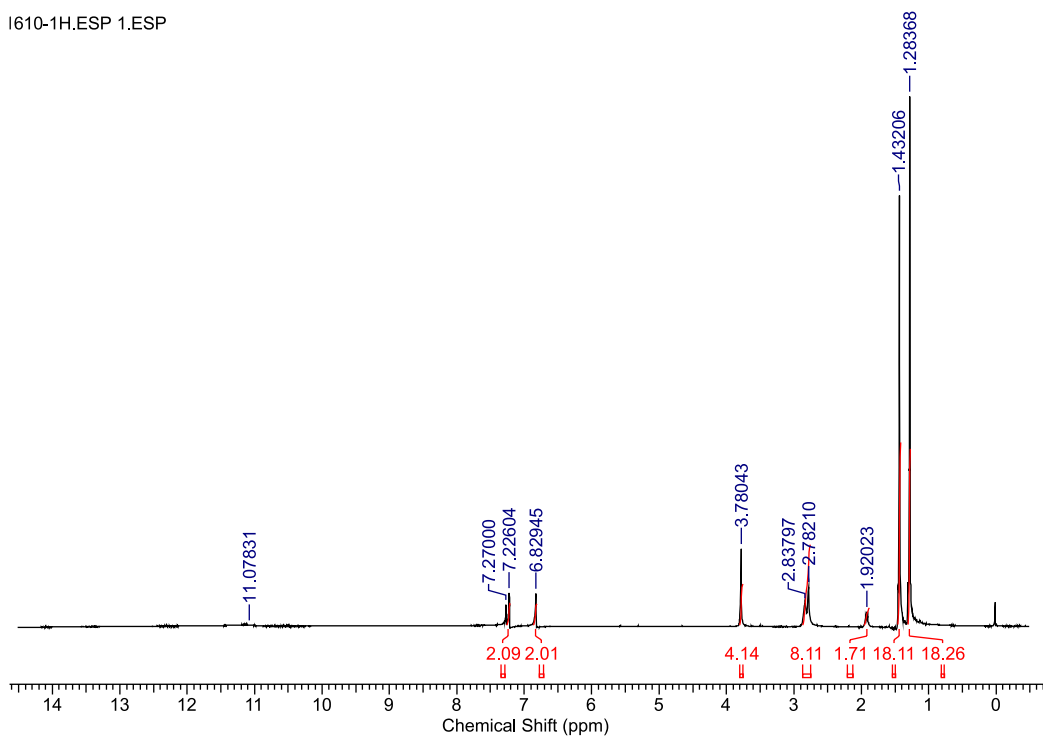
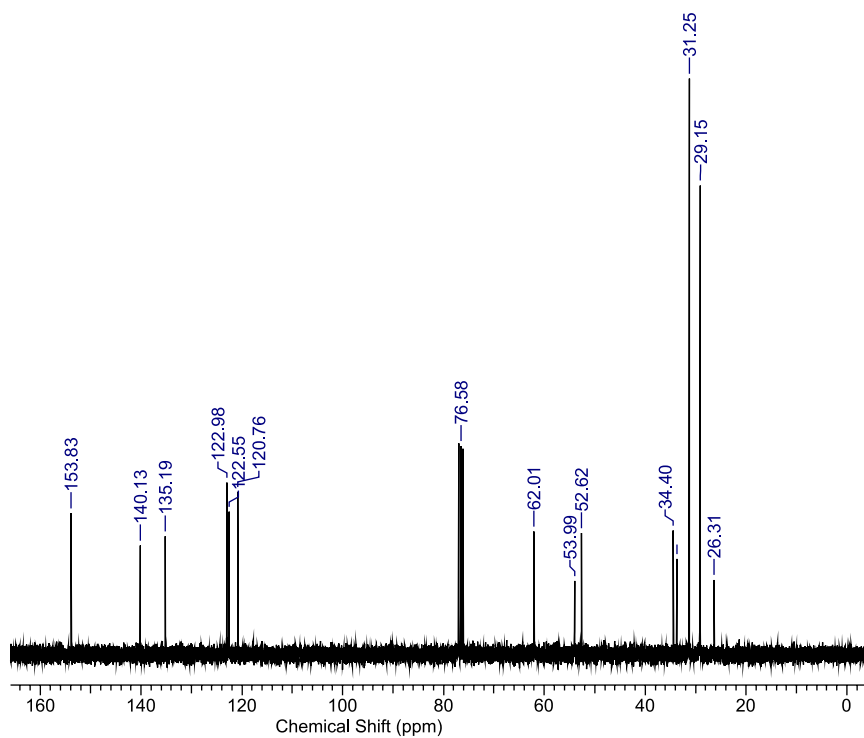


Figure S2. ^{13}C NMR spectrum (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) of the ligand $\text{H}_2\text{L1}$.

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**Figure S3.** ^1H NMR spectrum (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) of the ligand H_2L_2 .**Figure S4.** ^{13}C NMR spectrum (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) of the ligand H_2L_2 .

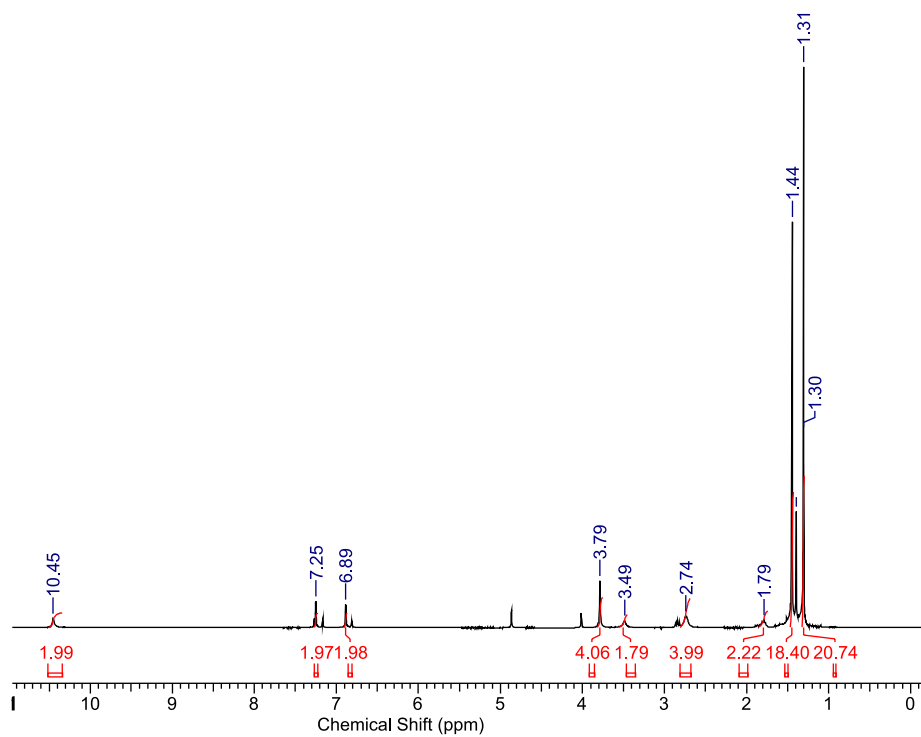


Figure S5. ¹H NMR spectrum (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) of the ligand H₂L3.

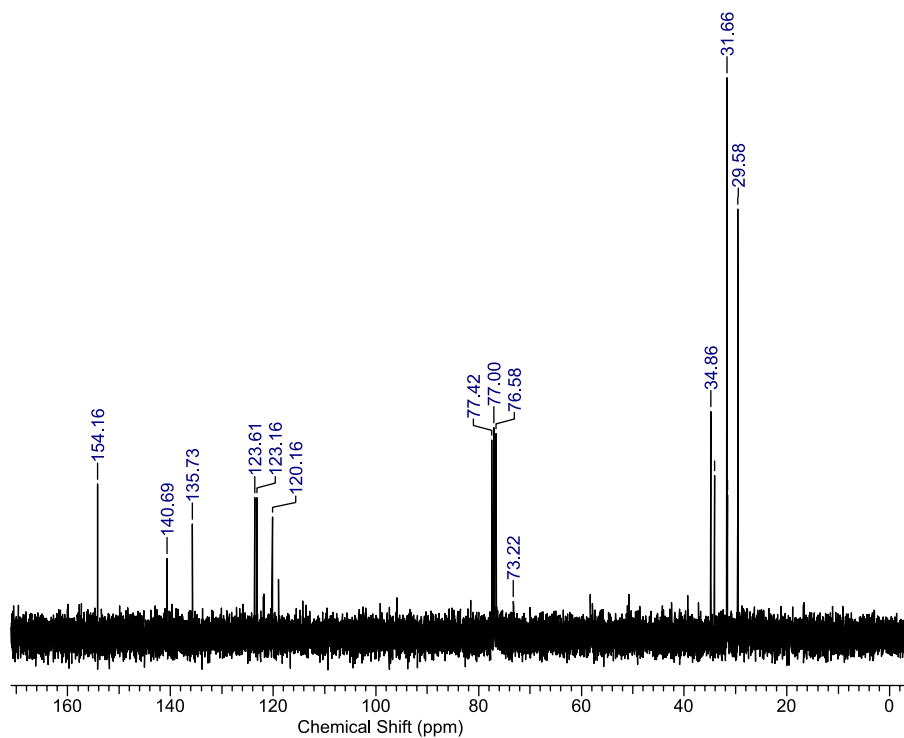


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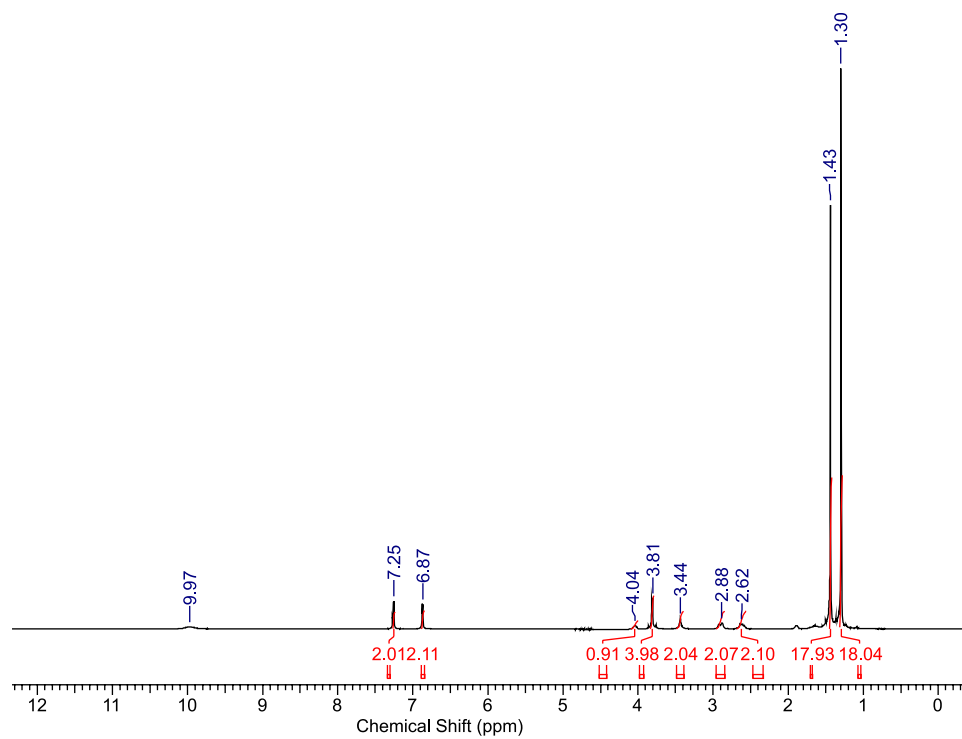


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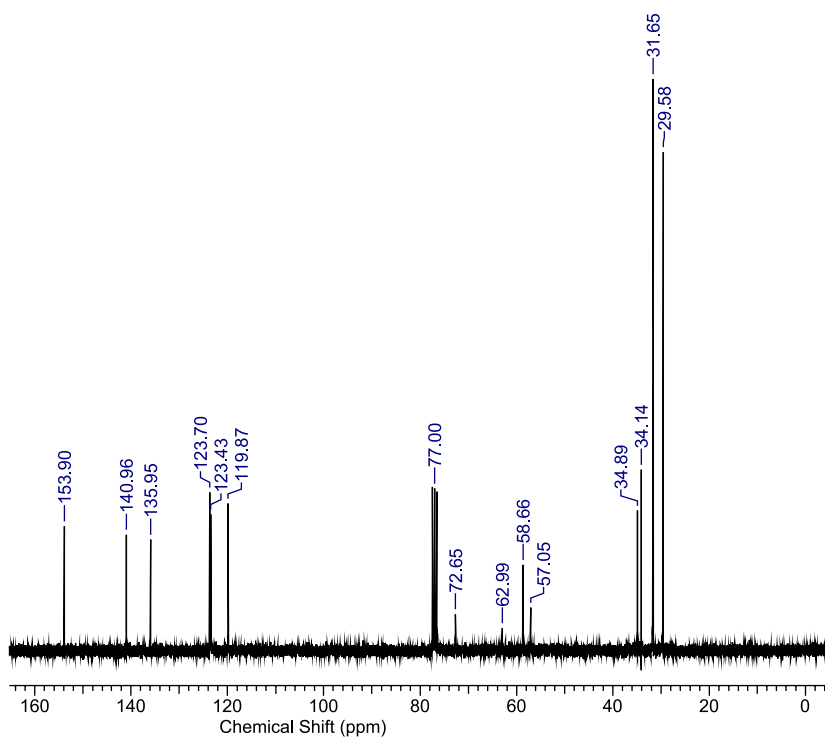


Figure S8. ^{13}C NMR spectrum (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) of the ligand $\text{H}_3\text{L4}$.

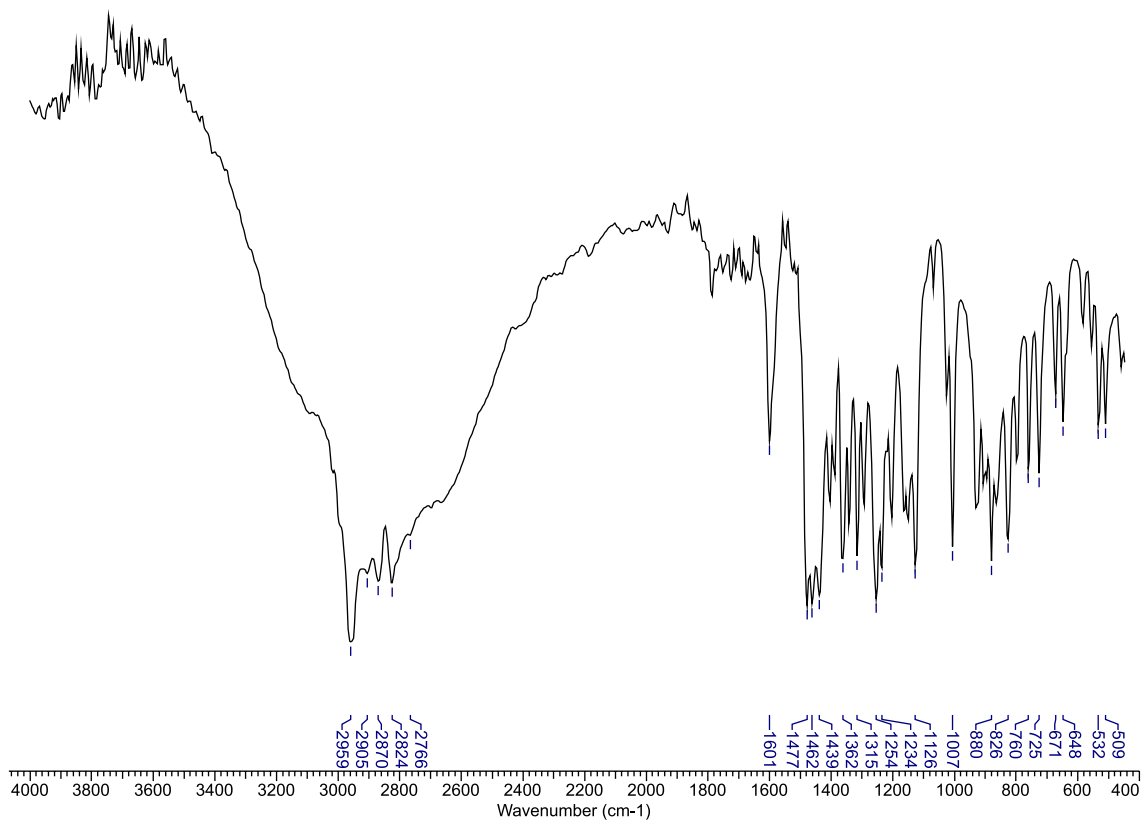


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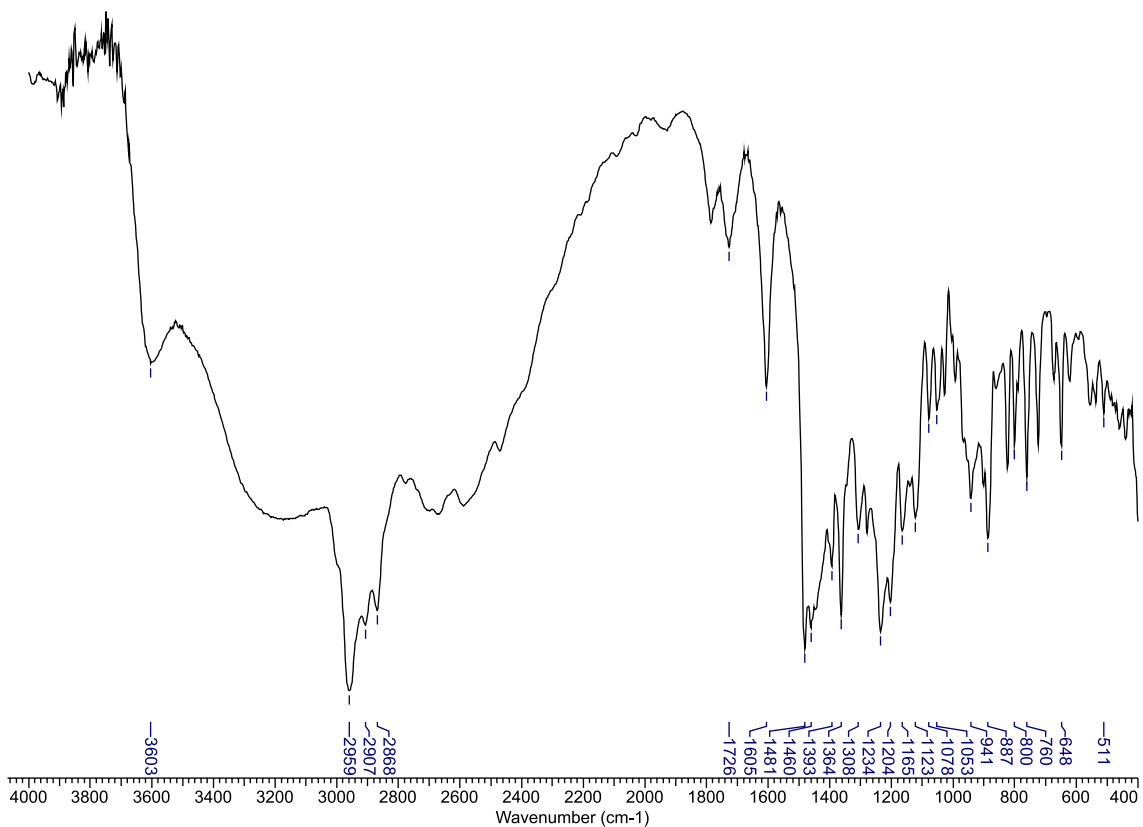


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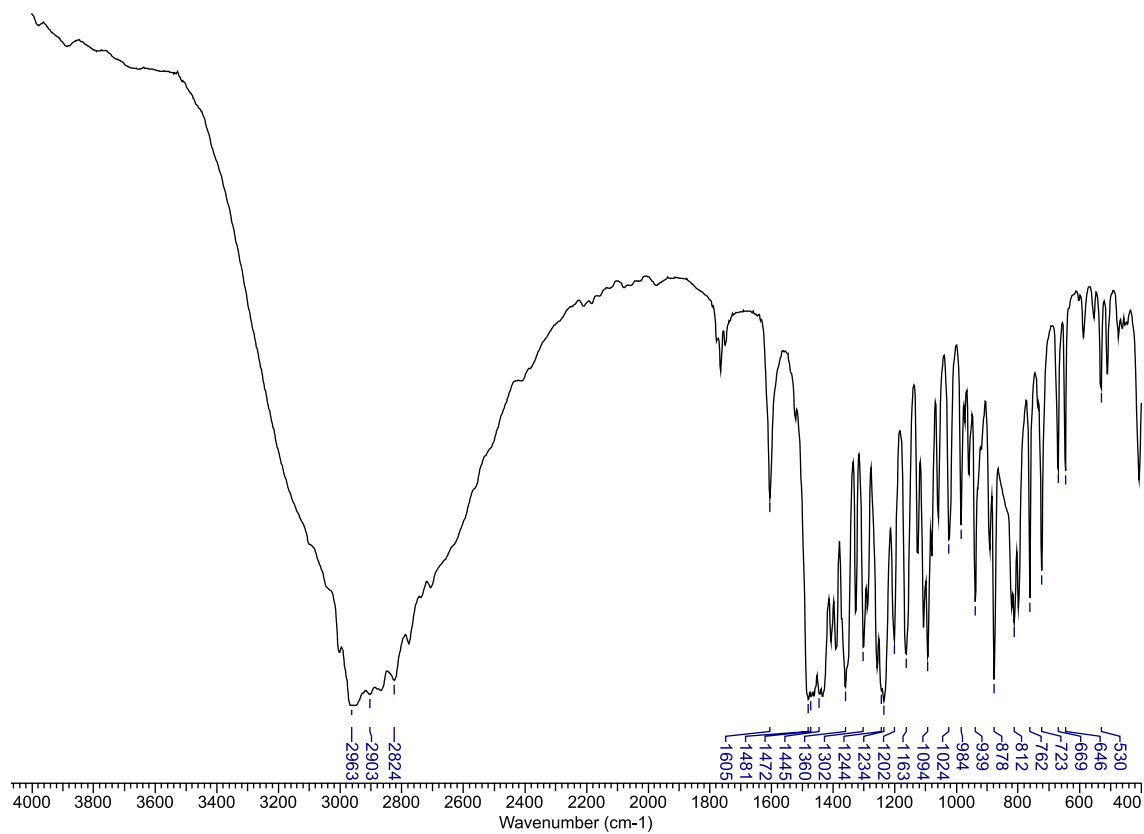


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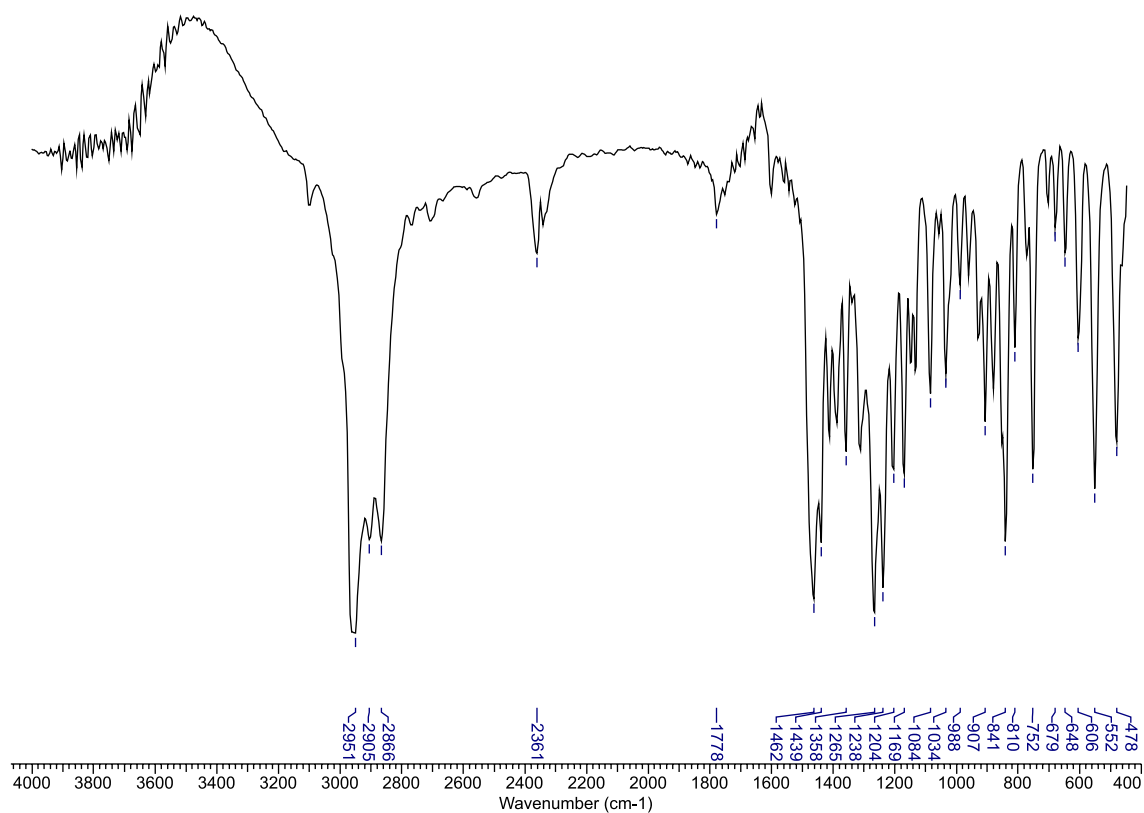


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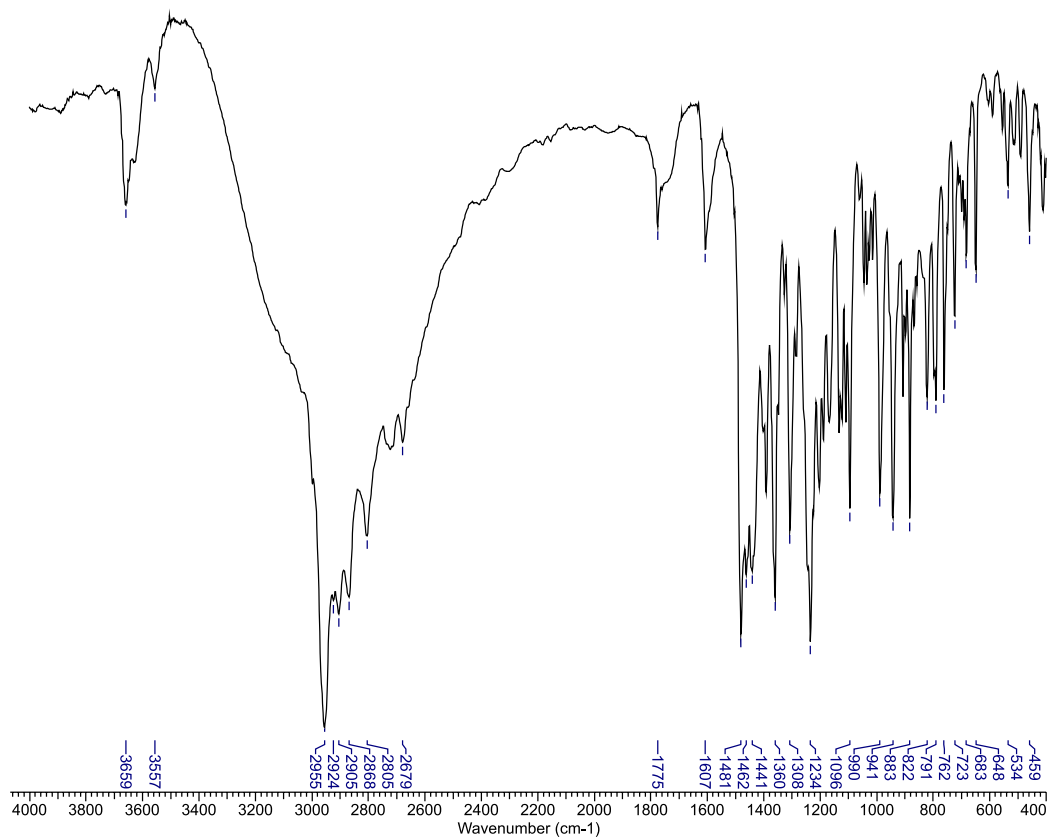


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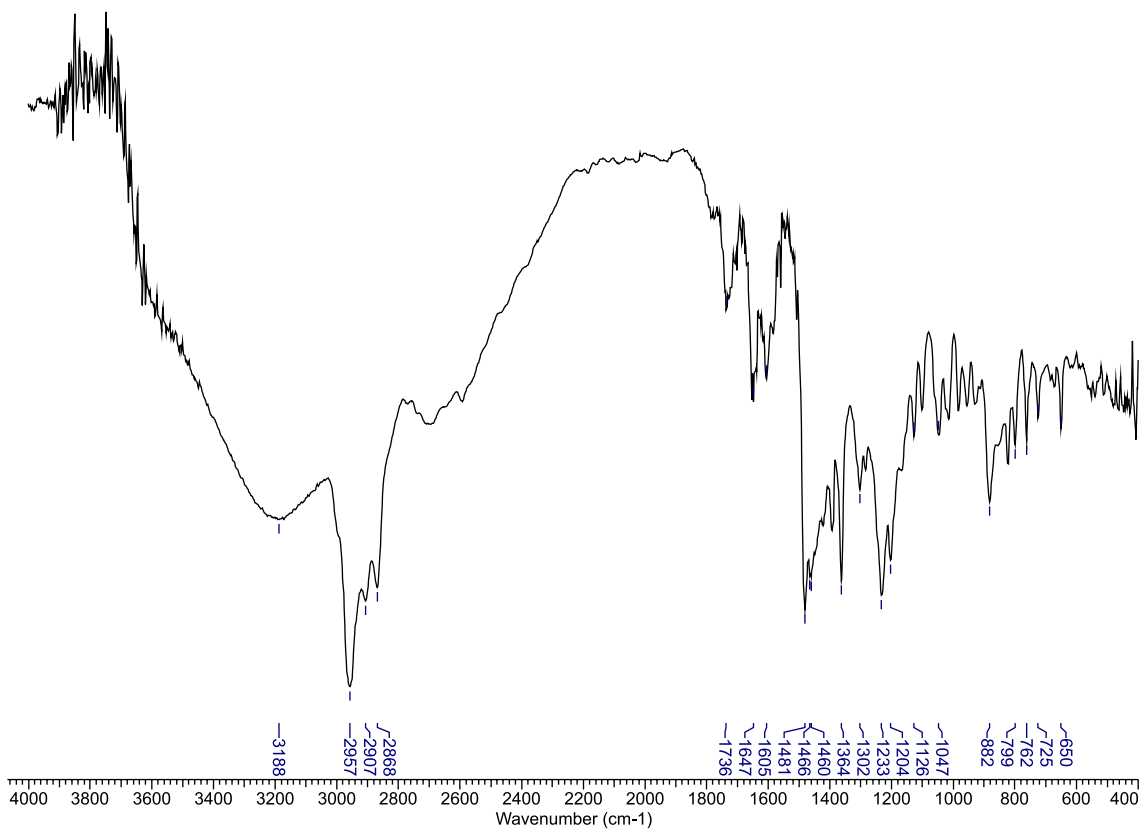


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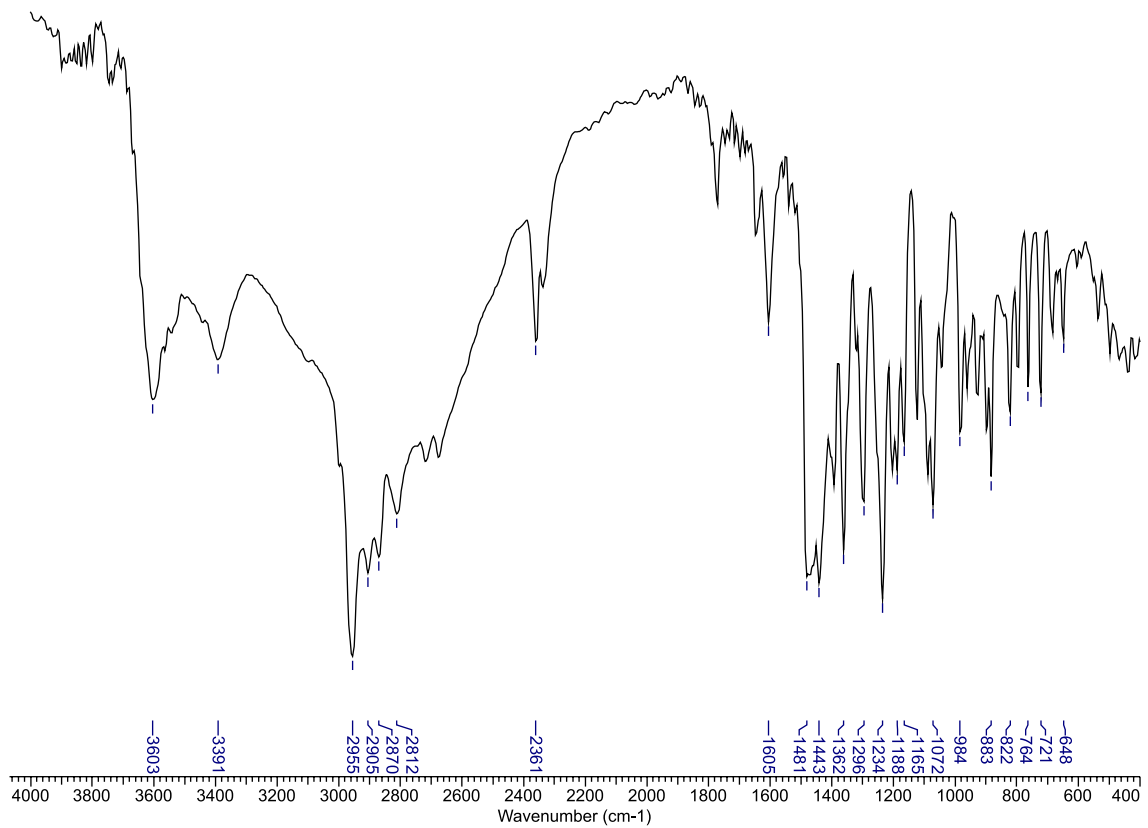


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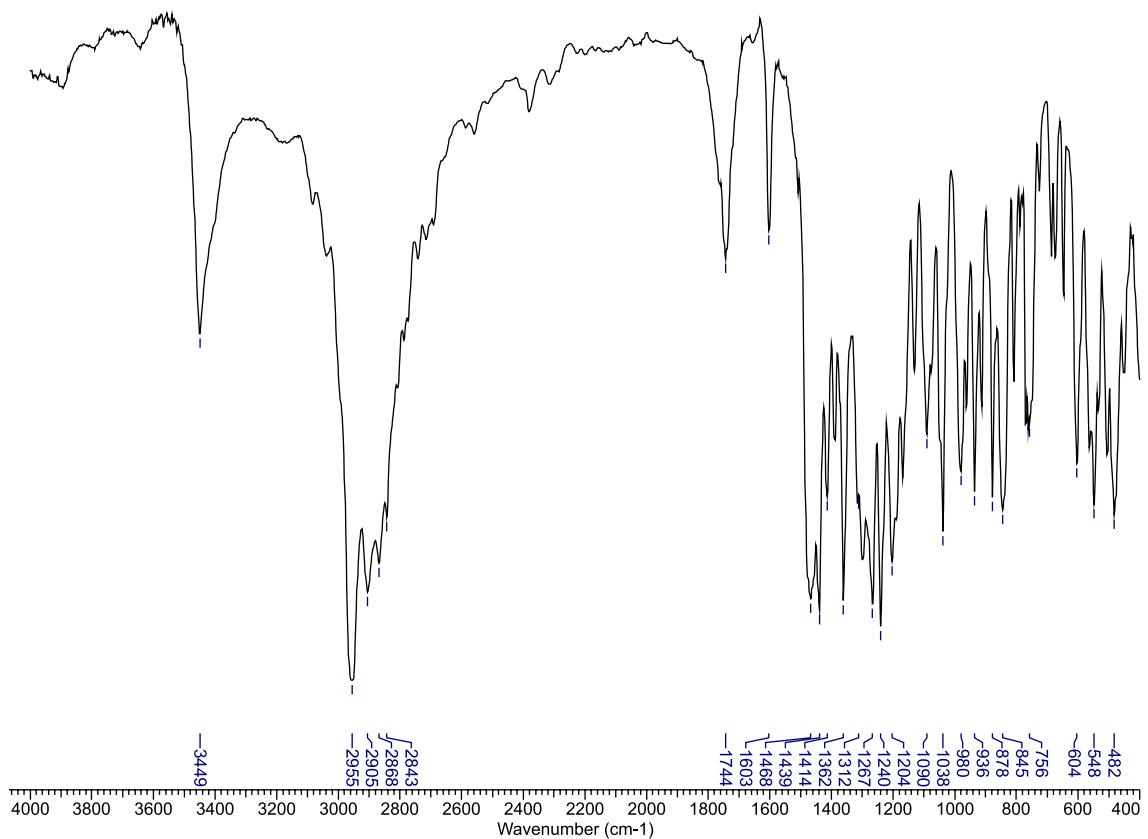


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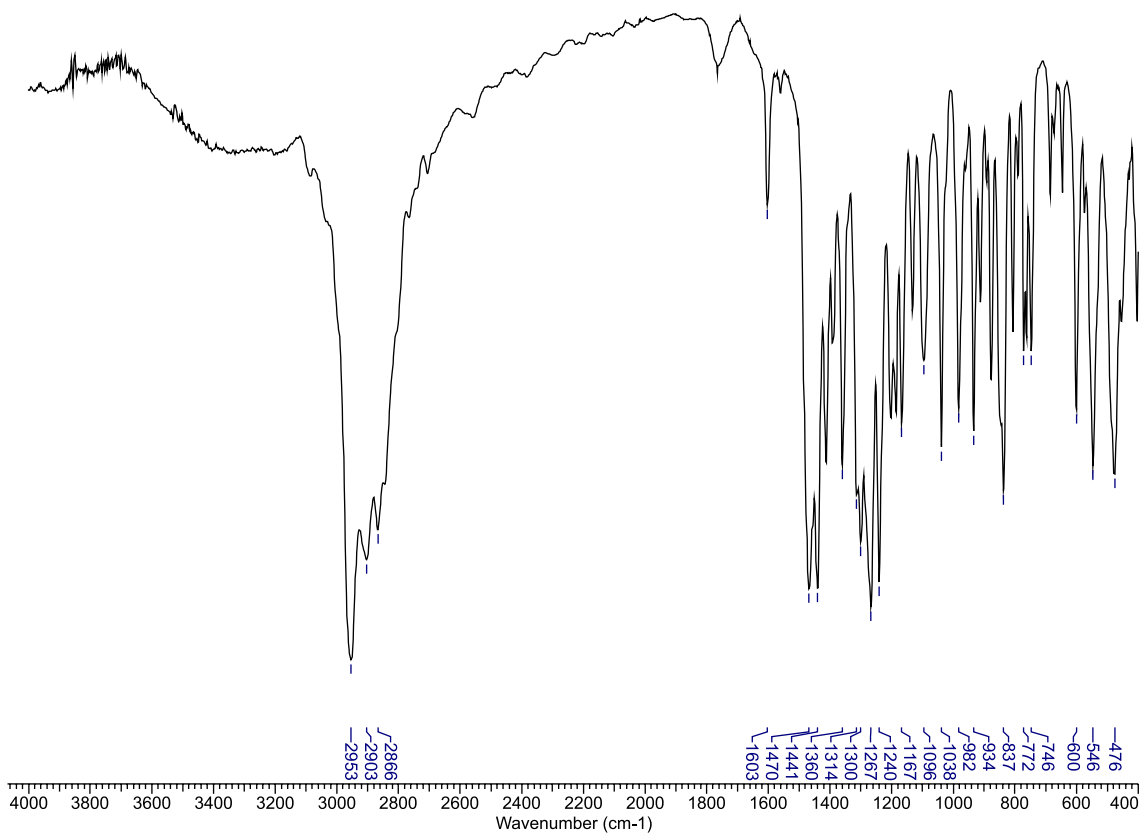


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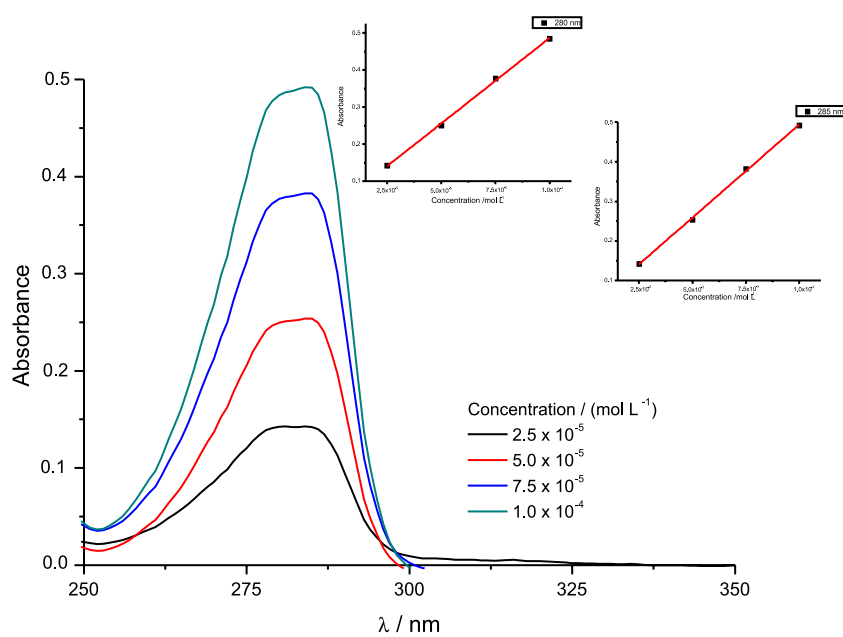


Figure S18. UV-Vis spectra of the ligand H_2L1 at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 280$ nm ($\epsilon = 4.61 \times 10^3$ L mol $^{-1}$ cm $^{-1}$); $\lambda = 285$ nm ($\epsilon = 4.71 \times 10^3$ L mol $^{-1}$ cm $^{-1}$).

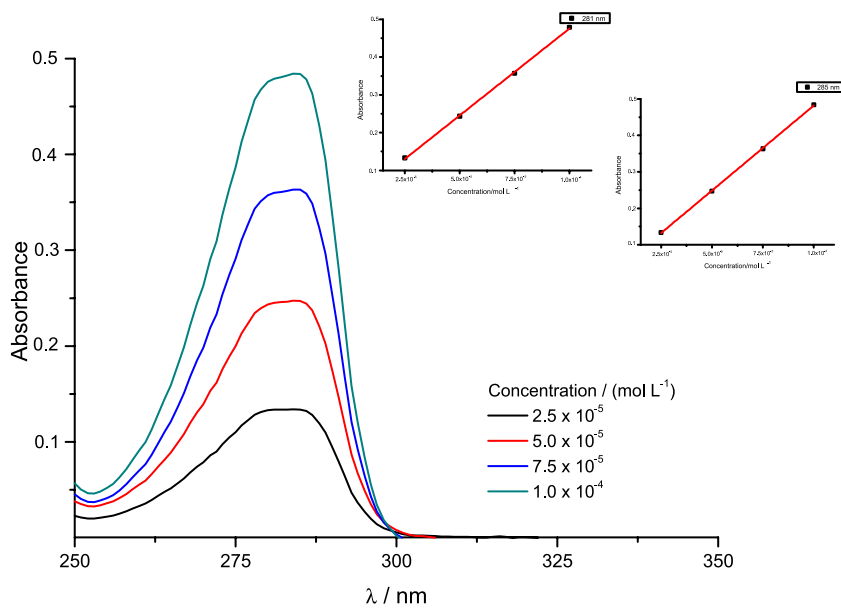


Figure S19. UV-Vis spectra of the ligand H_2L2 at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 281 nm$ ($\epsilon = 4.61 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$); $\lambda = 285 nm$ ($\epsilon = 4.67 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$).

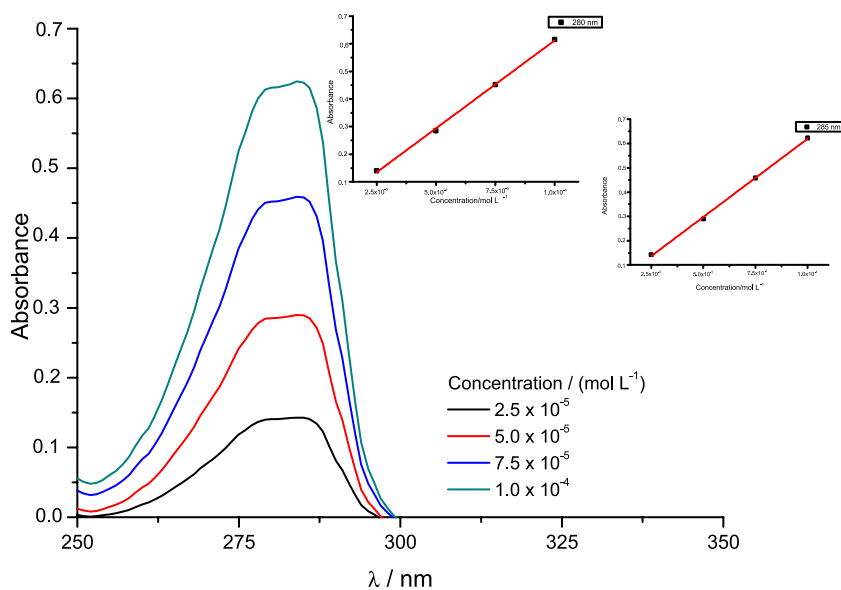


Figure S20. UV-Vis spectra of the ligand H_2L3 at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 280 nm$ ($\epsilon = 6.35 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$); $\lambda = 285 nm$ ($\epsilon = 6.46 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$).

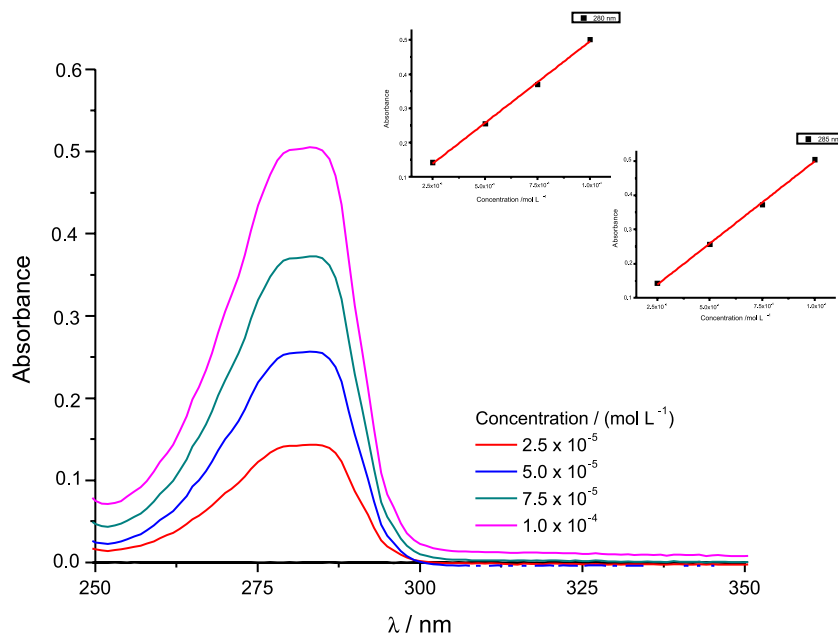


Figure S21. UV-Vis spectra of the ligand H_3L4 at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 280 nm$ ($\epsilon = 4.75 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$); $\lambda = 284 nm$ ($\epsilon = 4.77 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$).

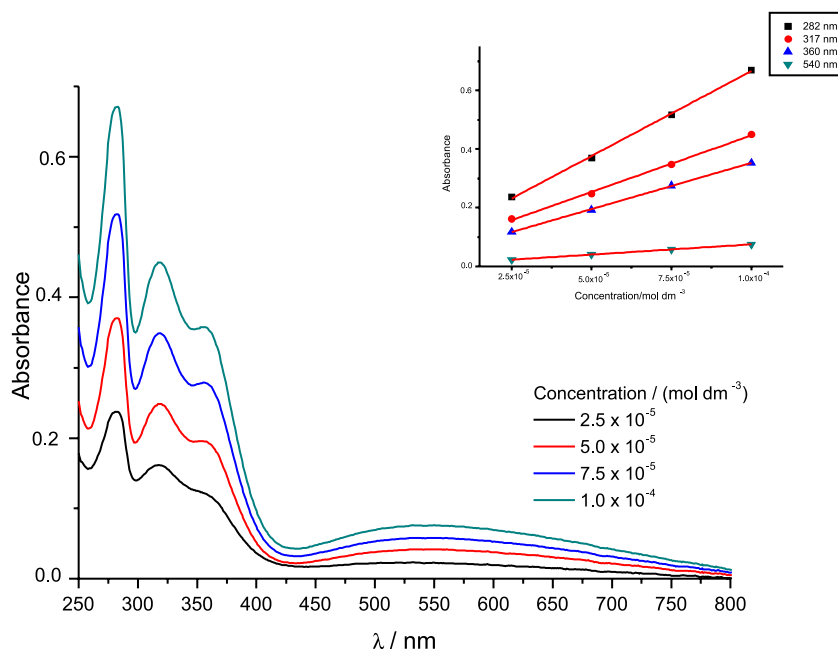


Figure S22. UV-Vis spectra of the compound **1** at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 282 nm$ ($\epsilon = 5.80 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$); $\lambda = 317 nm$ ($\epsilon = 3.86 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$); $\lambda = 360 nm$ ($\epsilon = 3.16 \times 10^3 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$); $\lambda = 540 nm$ ($\epsilon = 7.00 \times 10^2 L mol^{-1} cm^{-1}$).

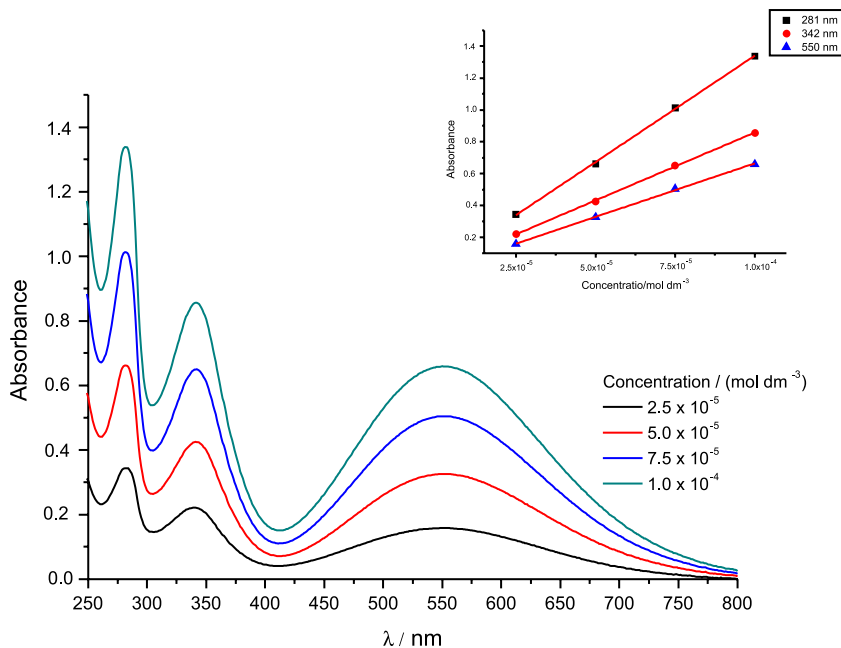


Figure S23. UV-Vis spectra of compound **2** at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 281 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 1.33 \times 10^4 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$); $\lambda = 342 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 8.53 \times 10^3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$); $\lambda = 550 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 6.72 \times 10^3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$).

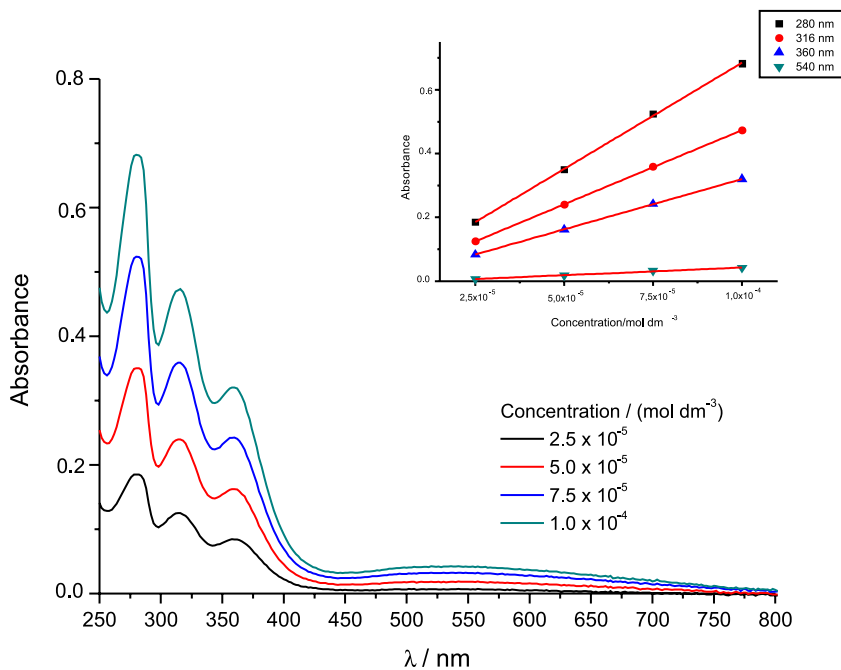


Figure S24. UV-Vis spectra of the compound **3** at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 280 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 6.66 \times 10^3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$); $\lambda = 316 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 4.65 \times 10^3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$); $\lambda = 360 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 3.15 \times 10^3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$); $\lambda = 540 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 4.78 \times 10^2 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$).

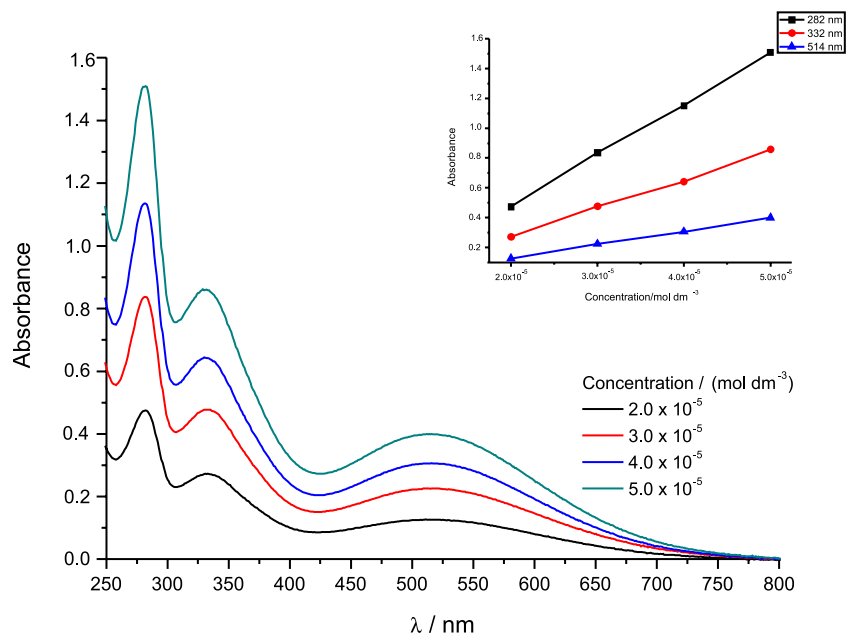


Figure S25. UV-Vis spectra of the compound **4** at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 282 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 3.40 \times 10^4 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$), $\lambda = 332 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 1.93 \times 10^4 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$); $\lambda = 514 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 9.00 \times 10^3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$).

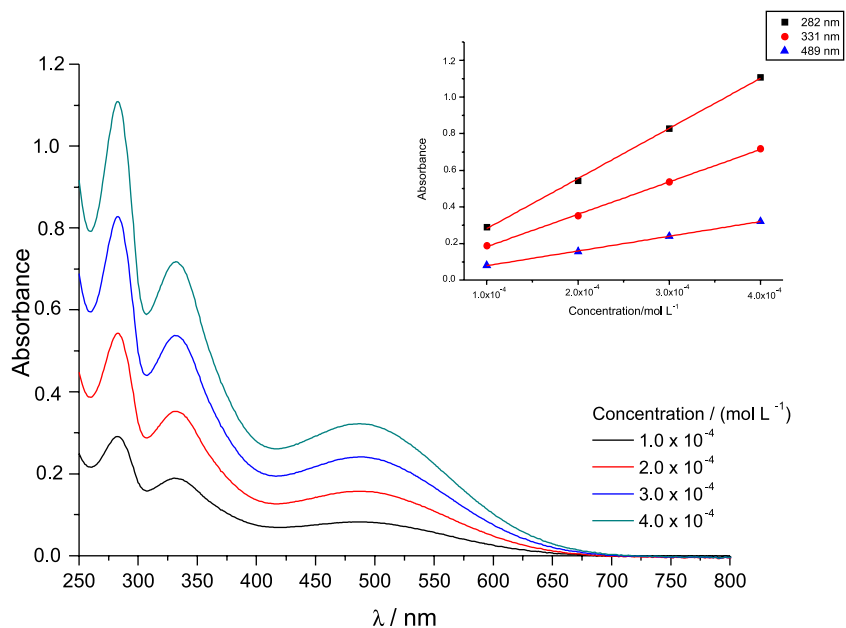


Figure S26. UV-Vis spectra of the compound **5** at different concentrations; solvent: CH_2Cl_2 ; $\lambda = 282 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 2.74 \times 10^3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$); $\lambda = 331 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 1.77 \times 10^3 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$); $\lambda = 489 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 8.03 \times 10^2 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$).