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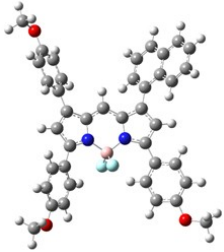
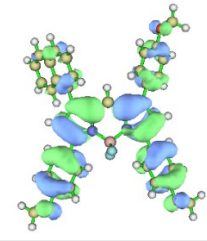
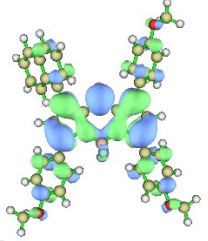
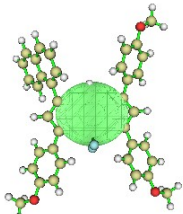
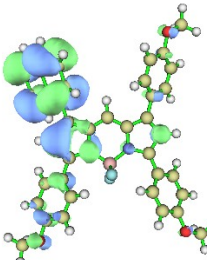
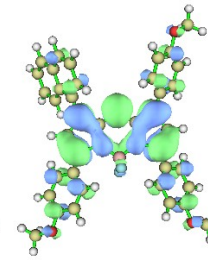
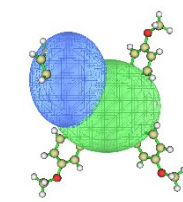
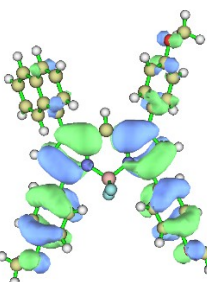
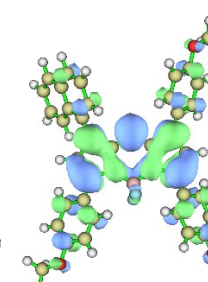
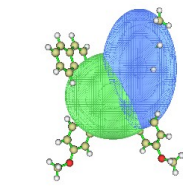
Synthesis, Characterization, and Photophysical Properties of Novel BODIPY and [Zn(dipyrrin)₂] Complexes from an Asymmetrical Dipyrrromethene Ligand

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| Comp. | Transition | Optimized structure | NTOs | | C_{hole} & C_{ele} |
|-----------|--|---|--|---|--|
| | | | Electron | Hole | |
| NafmetBDP | Dipole moment (μ): 5.99 Debye |  |  |  |  |
| | S_0 - S_1 E_E : 2.17 eV t (Å): -1.683 E_C : 3.66 eV | |  |  |  |
| | S_0 - S_2 E_E : 2.53 eV t (Å): 1.775 E_C : 3.09 eV | |  |  |  |
| | S_0 - S_3 E_E : 2.65 eV t (Å): 1.235 E_C : 3.28 eV | | | | |

Blue and green isosurfaces represent C_{hole} and C_{ele} functions, respectively. E_E and E_C represents the excitation energy and the Coulomb attractive energy, respectively. The t -index quantifies the extent of separation between the hole and electron along the charge transfer direction.

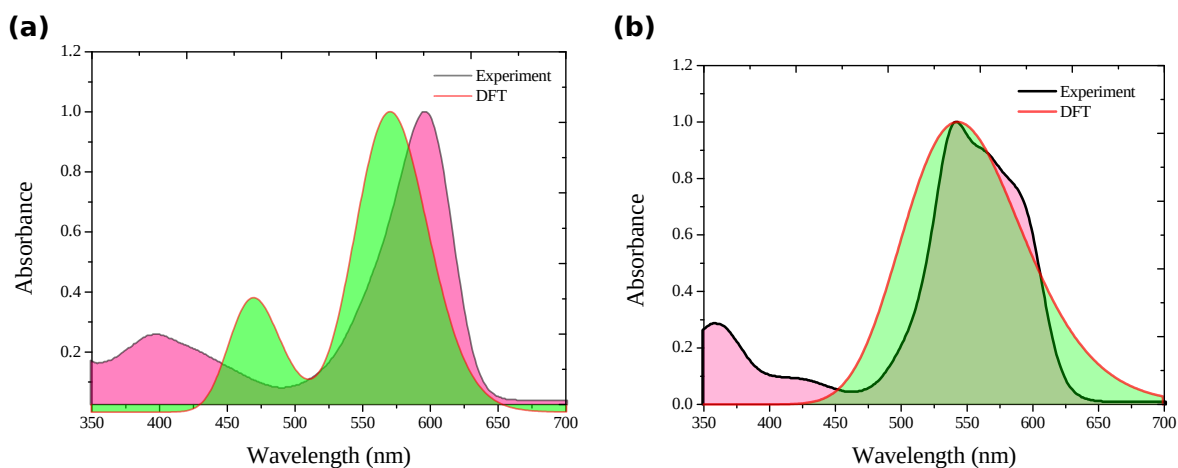


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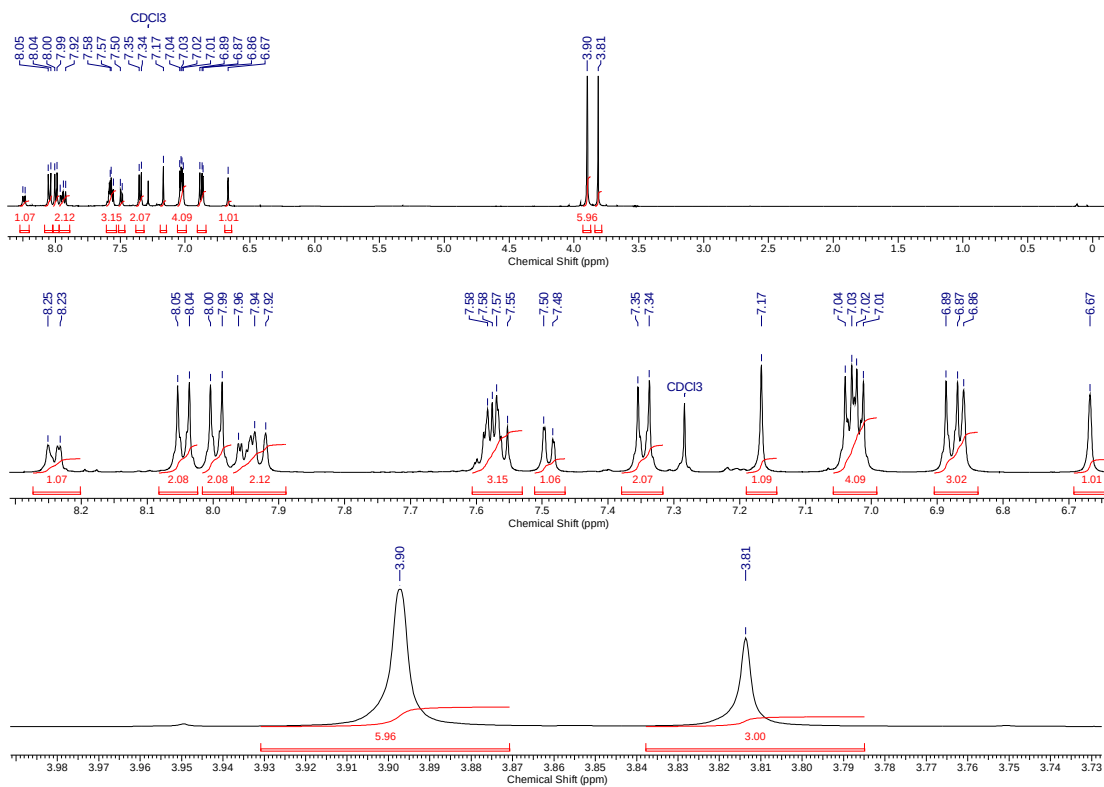


Figure S2. $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum of NafmetBDP in CDCl_3 (500 MHz)

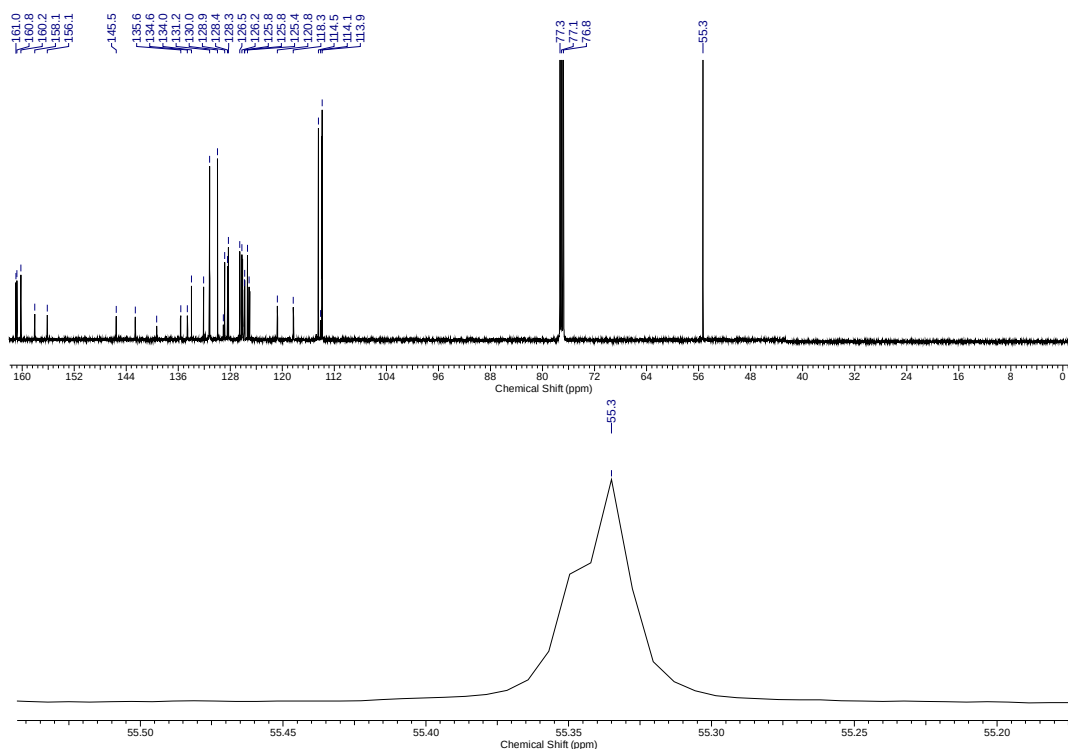


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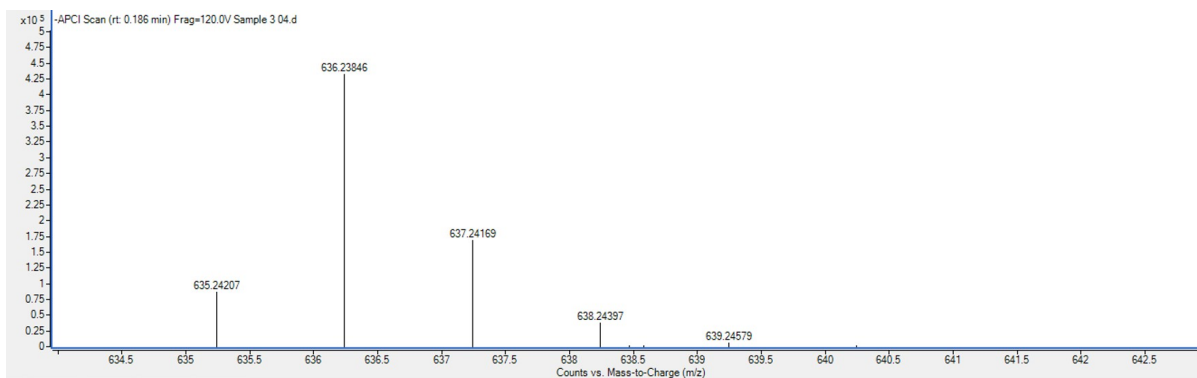


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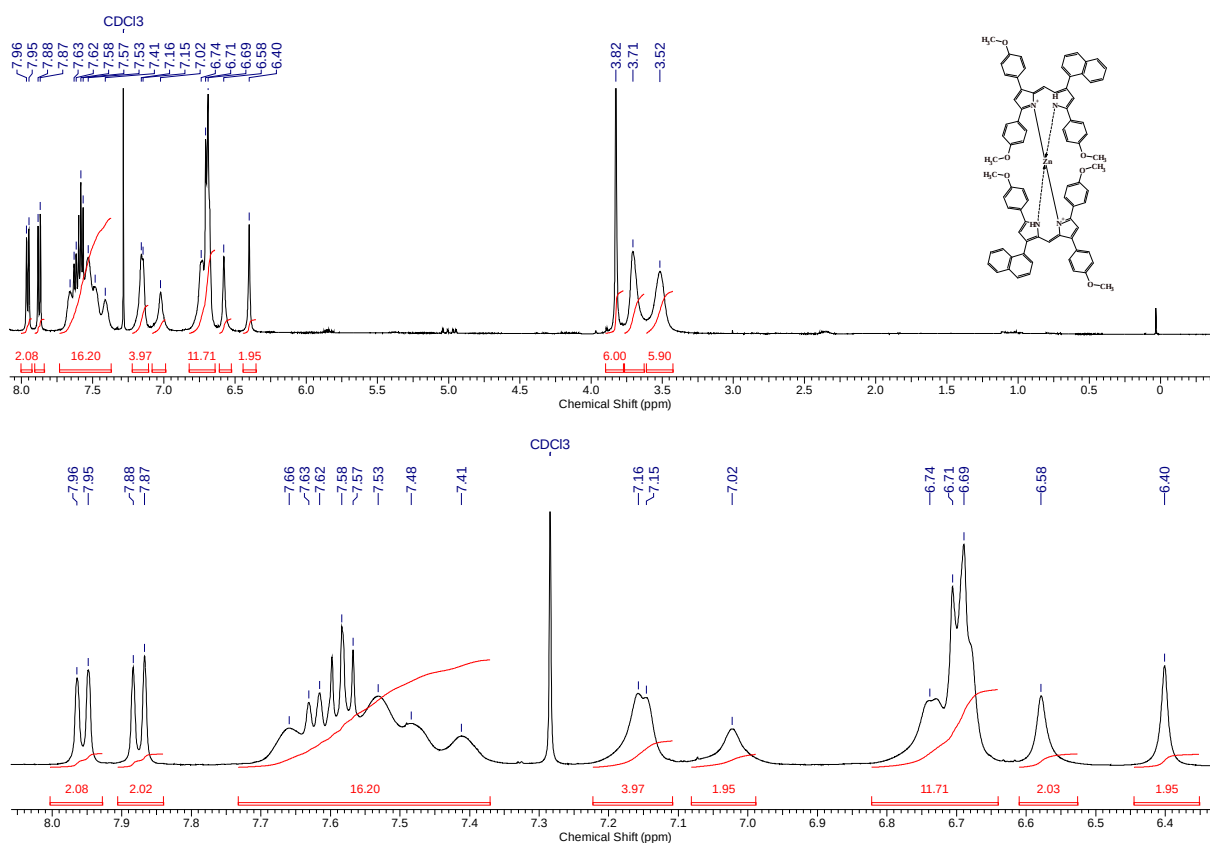


Figure S5. $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum of NafmetZn in CDCl_3 (500 MHz)

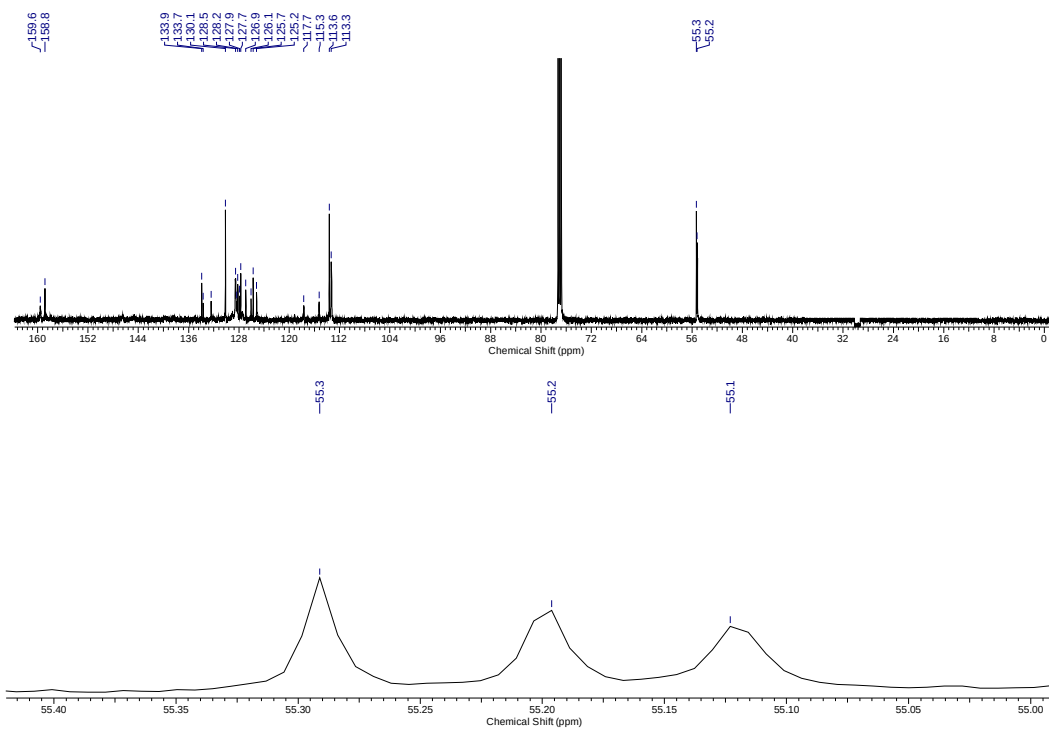


Figure S6. ^{13}C -NMR spectrum of **NafmetZn** in CDCl_3 (125 MHz)

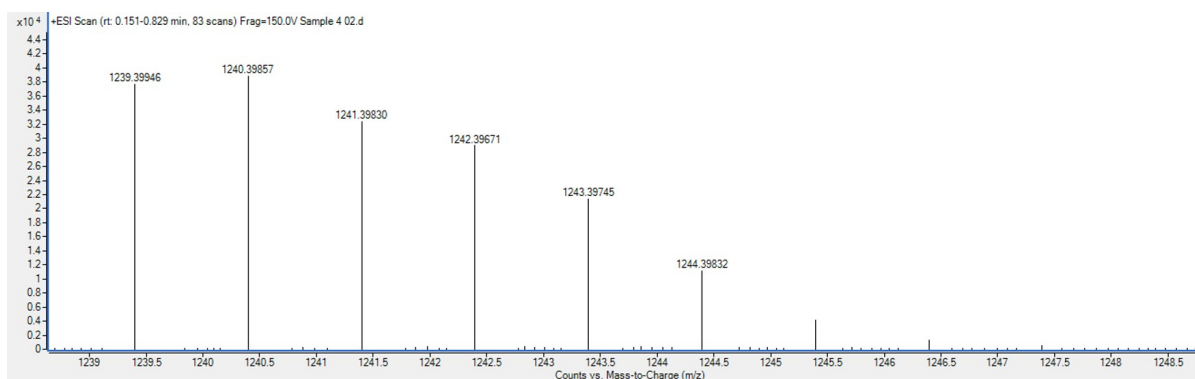


Figure S7. HRMS-TOF-ESI spectrum of **NafmetZn**