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## Pyrimidine based Functional Fluorescent Organic Nanoparticles Probe for Detection of *Pseudomonas Aeruginosa*

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