Distinguish cancer cells from normal cells by an organelle-targeted

fluorescent marker

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1. FIGURES



Fig. S1 Double reciprocal plots: $1/(F-F_0)$ versus $1/[\beta-CD]$.



Fig. S2 The fluorescence intensity of probe 1 (10 μ M) towards other interfering ions and biomolecules (1 mM) in double-distilled water containing 10% DMSO. (λ_{ex} = 509 nm, slit widths: 3 nm/5 nm).



Fig. S3 Fluorescence images of HeLa cells costaining with probe **1** (3 μ M) and Green Mito-Tracker (3 μ M). (a) Bright-field image; (b) confocal image (red channel) with probe **1**; (c) confocal image (green channel) of Green Mito-Tracker; (d) merged image of (b) and (c); (e) fluorescence intensity of the regions of interest (ROI) across the HeLa cells. (f) fluorescence intensity correlation plot from the red channel and the green channel.



Fig. S4 Fluorescence images of HeLa cells costaining with probe **1** (3 μ M) and Green Lysosome-Tracker (3 μ M). (a) Bright-field image; (b) confocal image (red channel) with probe **1**; (c) confocal image (green channel) of Green Lysosome-Tracker; (d) merged image of (b) and (c); (e) fluorescence intensity of the regions of interest (ROI) across the HeLa cells. (f) fluorescence intensity correlation plot from the red channel and the green channel.



Fig. S5 Fluorescence images of U87 cells costaining with probe **1** (3 μ M) and Green Lysosome-Tracker (3 μ M). (a) Bright-field image; (b) confocal image (red channel) with probe **1**; (c) confocal image (green channel) of Green Lysosome-Tracker; (d) merged image of (b) and (c); (e) fluorescence intensity of the regions of interest (ROI) across the U87 cells. (f) fluorescence intensity correlation plot from the red channel and the green channel.



Fig. S6 Fluorescence images of AML cells costaining with probe **1** (3 μ M) and Green ER-Tracker (3 μ M). (a) Brightfield image; (b) confocal image (red channel) with probe **1**; (c) confocal image (green channel) of Green ER-Tracker; (d) merged image of (b) and (c); (e) fluorescence intensity of the regions of interest (ROI) across the AML cells. (f) fluorescence intensity correlation plot from the red channel and the green channel.



Fig. S7 Fluorescence images of B-2B cells costaining with probe **1** (3 μ M) and Green ER-Tracker (3 μ M). (a) Brightfield image; (b) confocal image (red channel) with probe **1**; (c) confocal image (green channel) of Green ER-Tracker; (d) merged image of (b) and (c); (e) fluorescence intensity of the regions of interest (ROI) across the B-2B cells. (f) fluorescence intensity correlation plot from the red channel and the green channel.



Fig. S8 Average FL Intensity of cancer cells and normal cells incubated with probe 1 before and after adding β -CD (100 μ M).



Fig. S9 Fluorescence images of HeLa cells costaining with probe **1** (0.3 μ M) and Green ER-Tracker (3 μ M). (a) Bright-field image; (b) confocal image (red channel) with probe **1** (0.3 μ M) after adding β -CD (100 μ M); (c) confocal image (green channel) of Green ER-Tracker; (d) merged image of (b) and (c); (e) fluorescence intensity of the regions of interest (ROI) across the HeLa cells. (f) fluorescence intensity correlation plot from the red channel and the green channel.

2. APPENDIX





¹H NMR (300 MHz, *DMSO-d*₆)



Fig. S11 ¹H NMR spectrum of probe **1** (300MHz, DMSO- d_6).

Analysis Info

Analysis Name Method Sample Name Comment

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HHC-13

Acquisition Date 12/22/2021 10:27:20 PM

Operator bruker Instrument micrOTOF-Q III 8228888.20487

Acquisition Parameter							
Source Type	ESI	Ion Polarity	Positive	Set Nebulizer	0.6 Bar		
Focus	Active	Set Capillary	4500 V	Set Dry Heater	180 °C		
Scan Begin	50 m/z	Set End Plate Offset	-500 V	Set Dry Gas	4.0 l/min		
Scan End	1500 m/z	Set Collision Cell RF	250.0 Vpp	Set Divert Valve	Waste		



Fig. S12 HRMS (ESI⁺) spectrum of compound 3.



Fig. S13 HRMS (ESI⁺) spectrum of probe 1.



Fig. S14 ¹³C NMR spectrum of compound 3 (101MHz, DMSO- d_6).



Fig. S15 ¹³C NMR spectrum of probe **1** (101 MHz, DMSO- d_6).