

Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI)

A highly stable and efficient benzothiadiazole-based fluorescence sensor for salicylaldehyde in aqueous solution

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Table S1. Selected bond lengths (Å) and angles (°) for **JXUST-27**.

Cd1—N1	2.243(2)	Cd1—N6 ⁱ	2.2792(19)
Cd1—O4 ⁱⁱ	2.3043(18)	Cd1—O1	2.351(2)
Cd1—O2	2.3851(18)	Cd1—O3 ⁱⁱ	2.4169(18)
N1—Cd1—O4 ⁱⁱ	135.85(7)	O1—Cd1—O2	55.29(6)
N1—Cd1—O1	104.89(7)	N6 ⁱ —Cd1—O3 ⁱⁱ	85.83(7)
O4 ⁱⁱ —Cd1—O1	115.01(7)	O1—Cd1—O3 ⁱⁱ	165.17(7)
N6 ⁱ —Cd1—O2	140.82(7)	O4 ⁱⁱ —Cd1—O2	98.92(7)
N6 ⁱ —Cd1—O4 ⁱⁱ	104.44(7)	N1—Cd1—O3 ⁱⁱ	88.36(7)
N6 ⁱ —Cd1—O1	86.18(7)	O4 ⁱⁱ —Cd1—O3 ⁱⁱ	55.39(6)
N1—Cd1—N6 ⁱ	96.01(7)	O2—Cd1—O3 ⁱⁱ	133.29(7)
N1—Cd1—O2	88.33(7)		

Symmetry codes: (i) $x, -y+1/2, z-1/2$; (ii) $-x+1, y-1/2, -z+1/2$.**Table S2.** SHAPE analysis of the Cd^{II} ion in **JXUST-27**.

ion	label	shape	symme	distortio
	HP-6	Hexagon	D_{6h}	29.133
	PPY-6	Pentagonal pyramid	C_{5v}	11.898
Cd1	OC-6	Octahedron	O_h	11.585
	TPR-6	Trigonal prism	D_{3h}	8.412
	JPPY-6	Johnson pentagonal pyramid J2	C_{5v}	15.455

Table S3. HOMO and LUMO energies for BIBT and SA.

	LUMO	HOMO	Ref.
SA	-1.78 eV	-6.65 eV	S1
BIBT	-3.07 eV	-6.06 eV	S2

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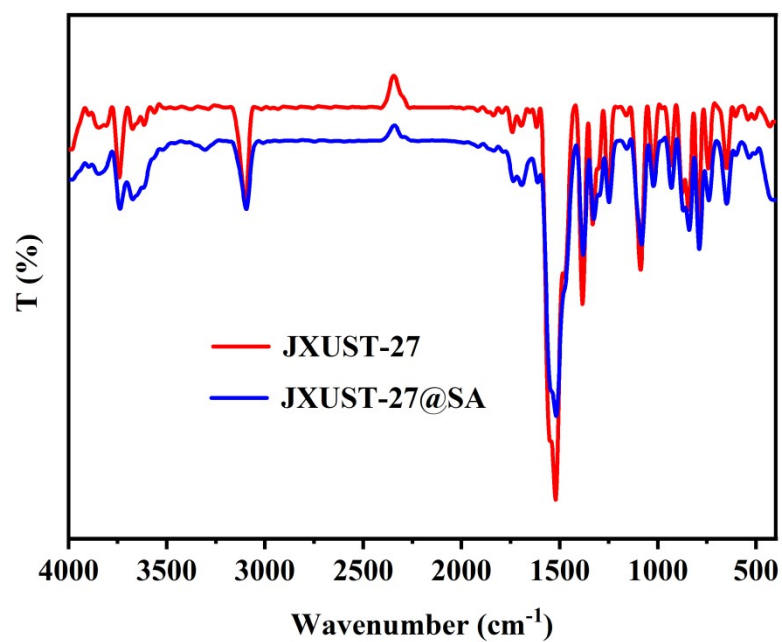


Fig. S1 IR spectra of **JXUST-27** and **JXUST-27@SA** at room temperature.

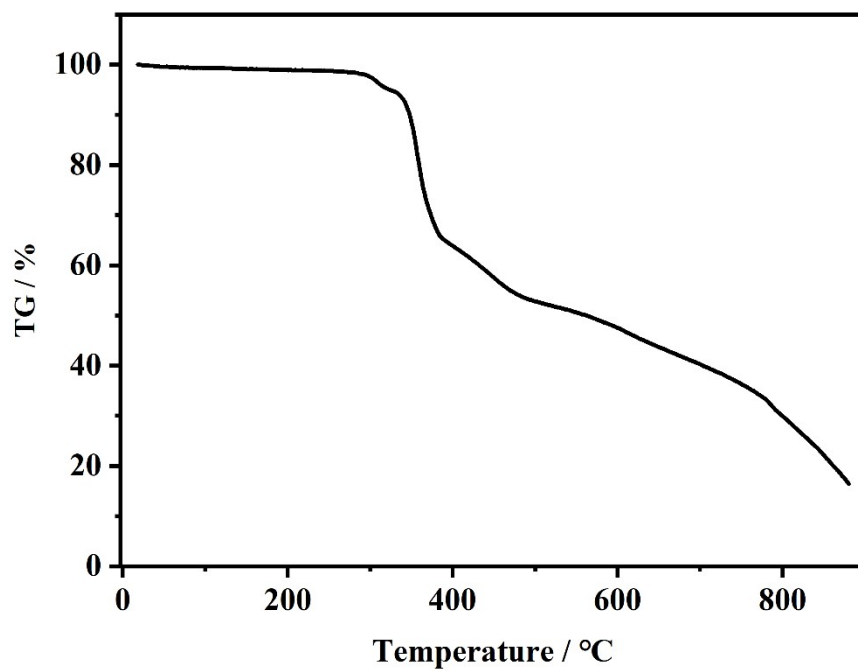
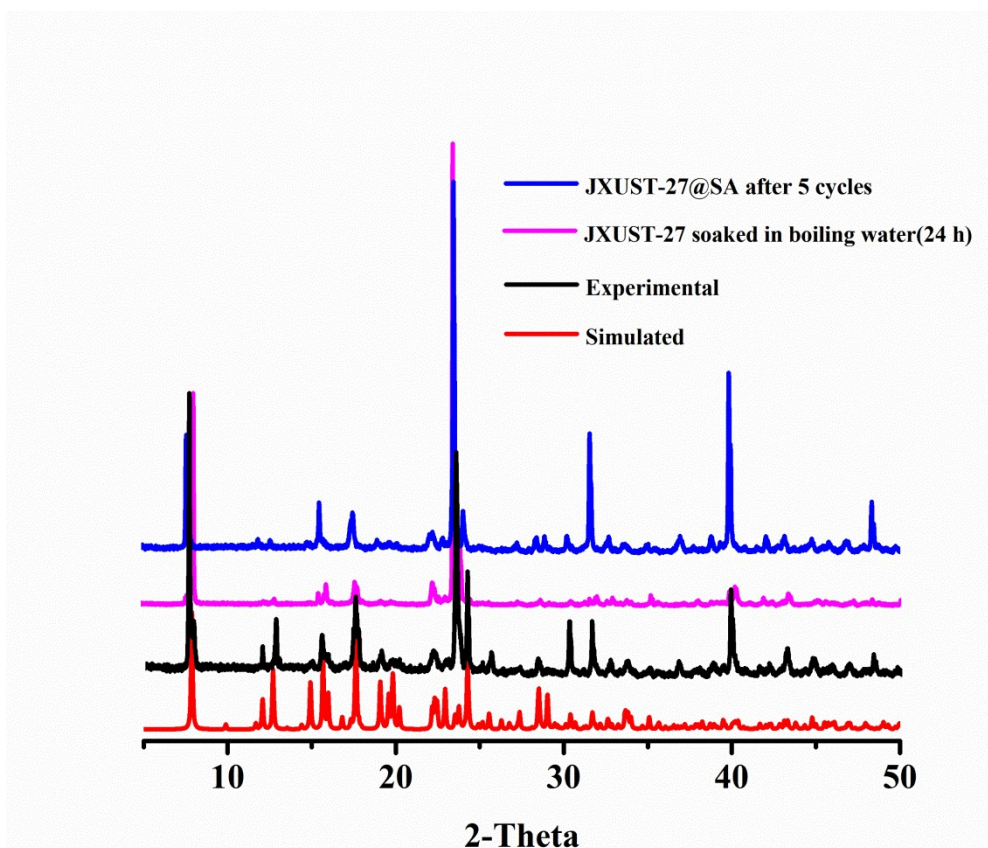
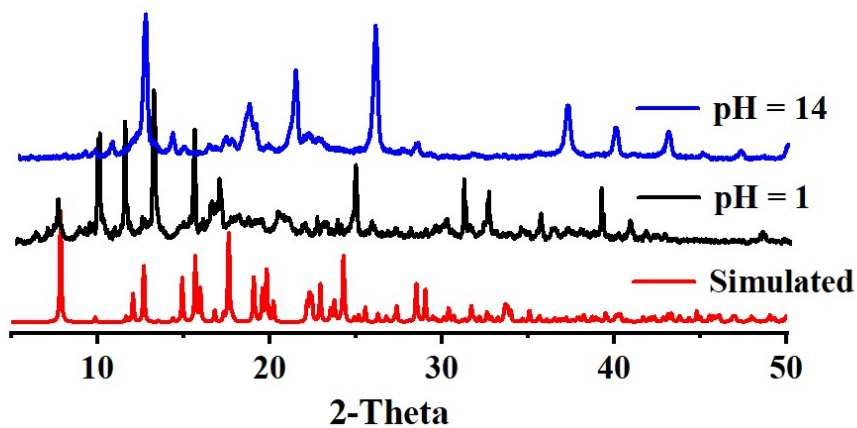


Fig. S2 The TGA curve of JXUST-27 under N₂ atmosphere.

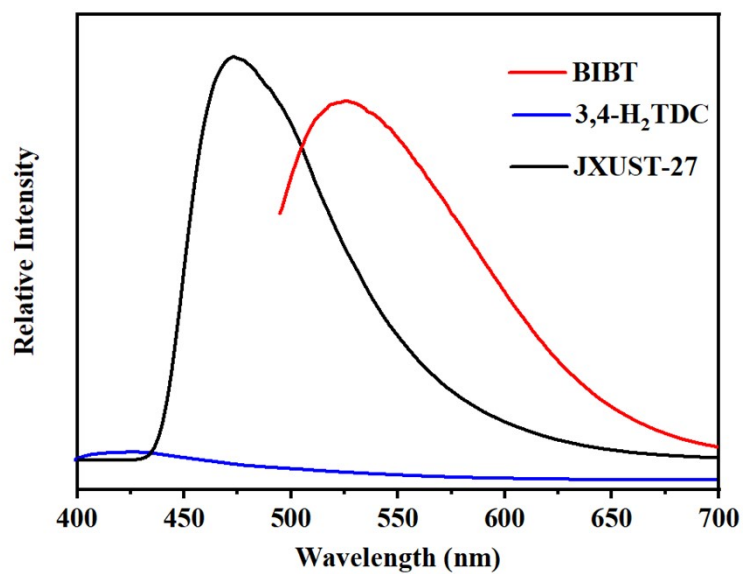


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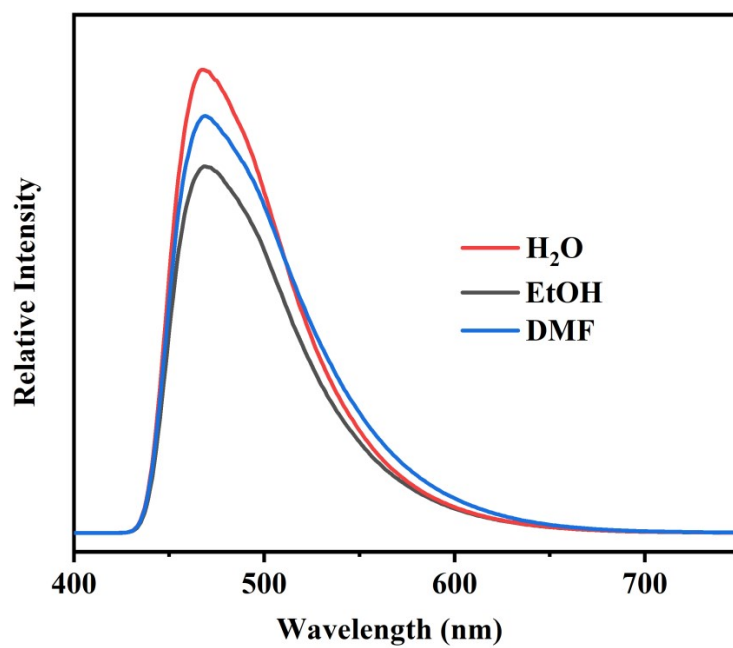


(b)

Fig. S3 (a) The PXRD patterns of as-synthesized JXUST-27, JXUST-27@SA after 5 cycles and JXUST-27 after soaked in boiling water for 24 h and the simulated one; (b) the simulated and experimental PXRD patterns of JXUST-27 immersed in the distinct aqueous solutions with pH values of 1 and 14 for 12 hours.



(a)



(b)

Fig. S4 (a) The solid emission spectra of BIBT, 3,4-H₂TDC and JXUST-27; (b) the emission spectra of JXUST-27 in aqueous, DMF and EtOH solutions.

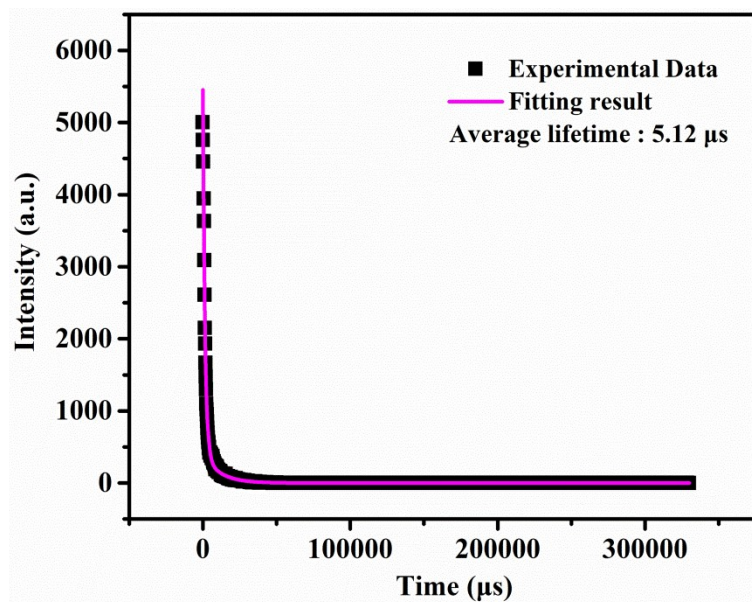


Fig. S5 The luminescence decay curve of JXUST-27.

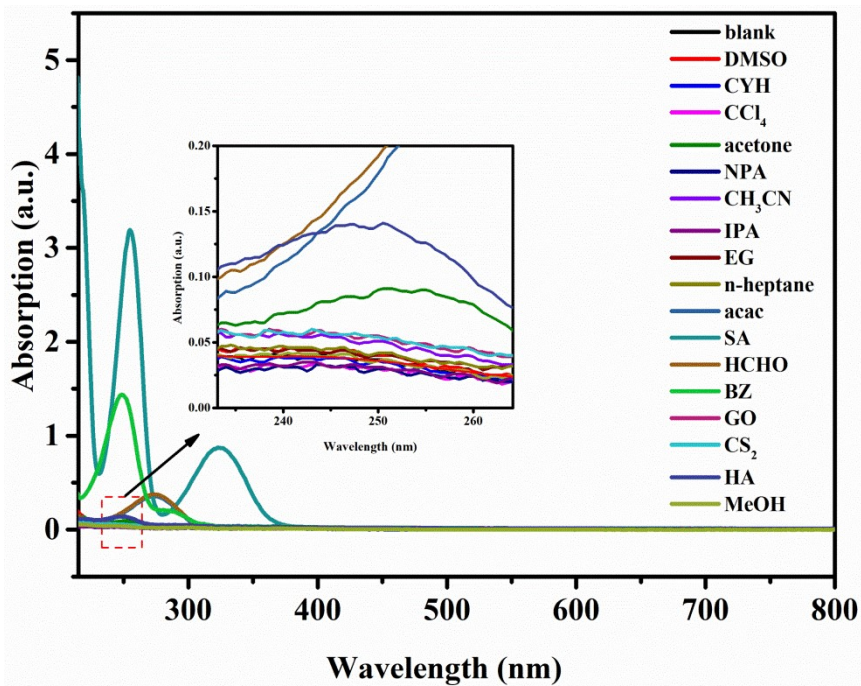


Fig. S6 The UV-Vis absorption spectra of JXUST-27 and JXUST-27 upon the addition of different organic molecules.

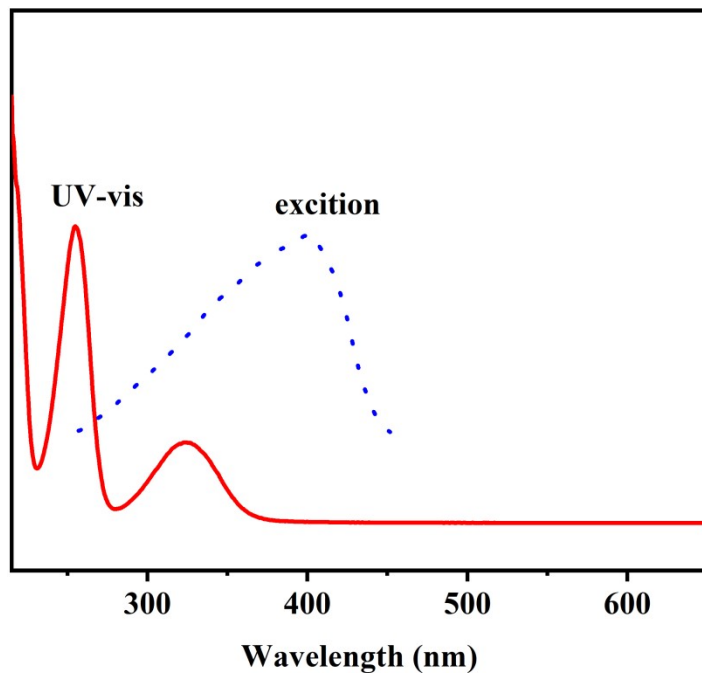


Fig. S7 The UV-Vis absorption spectrum of JXUST-27@SA and excitation spectrum of JXUST-27.