Supporting Information for

Triplet state dynamics of a metalloporphyrin photosensitiser (PtTMPyP4) in the presence of halides and 5′-purine mononucleotides

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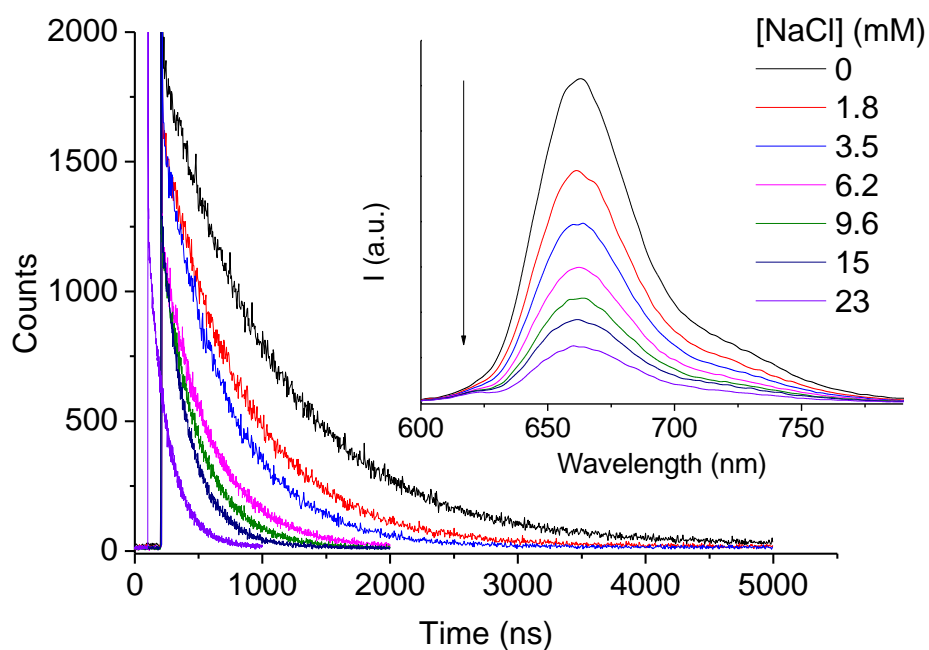
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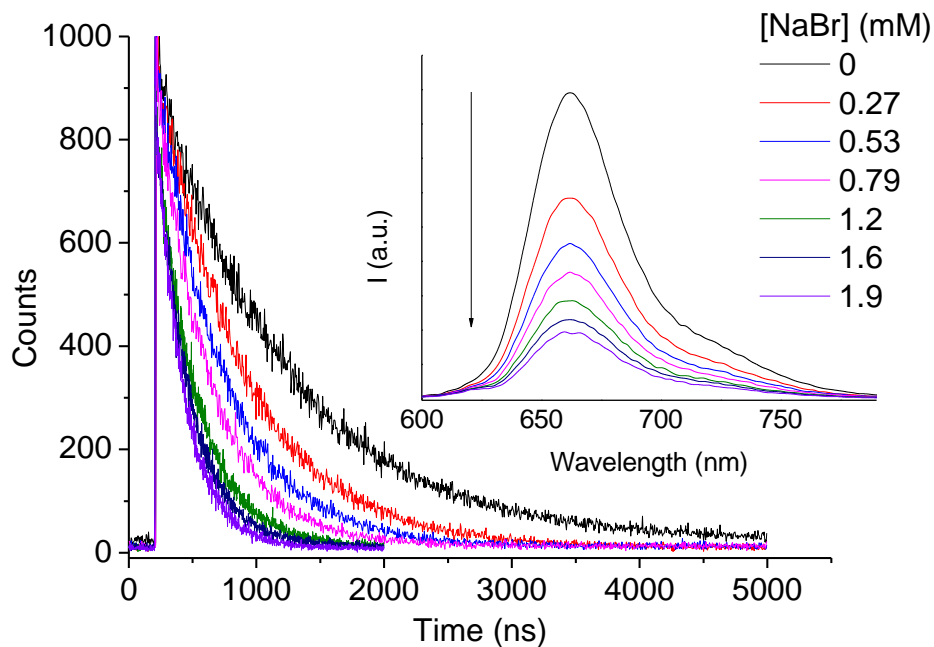

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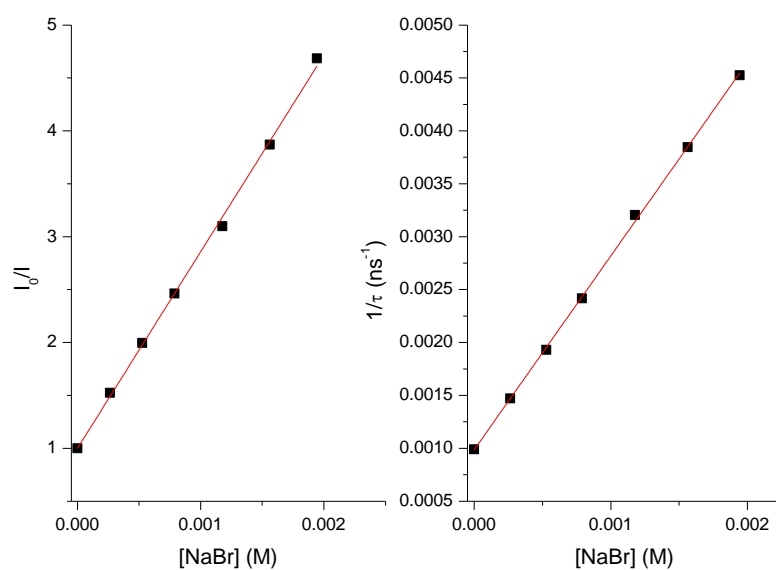
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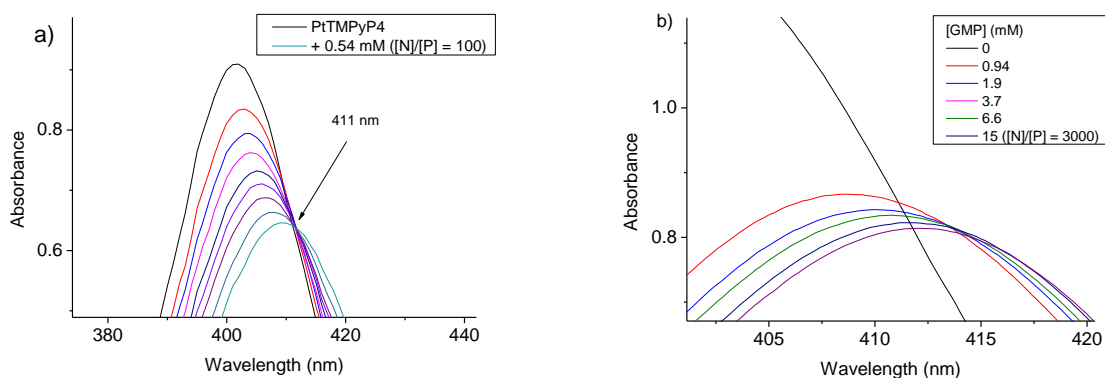

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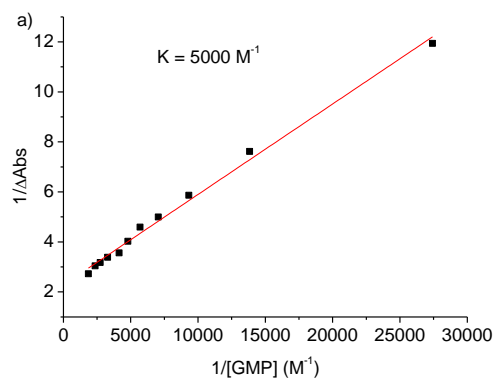
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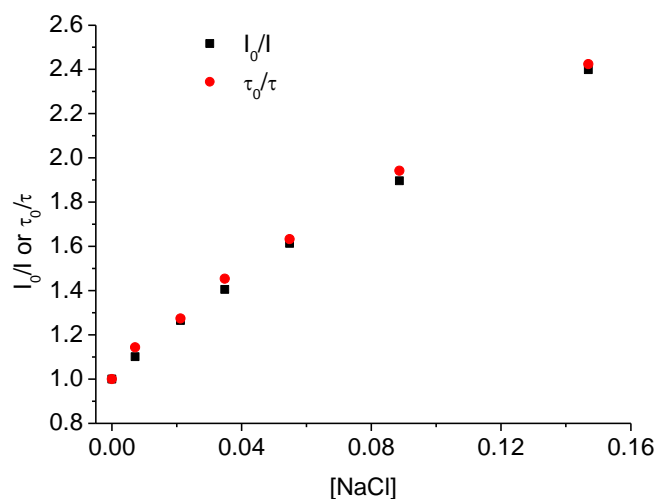

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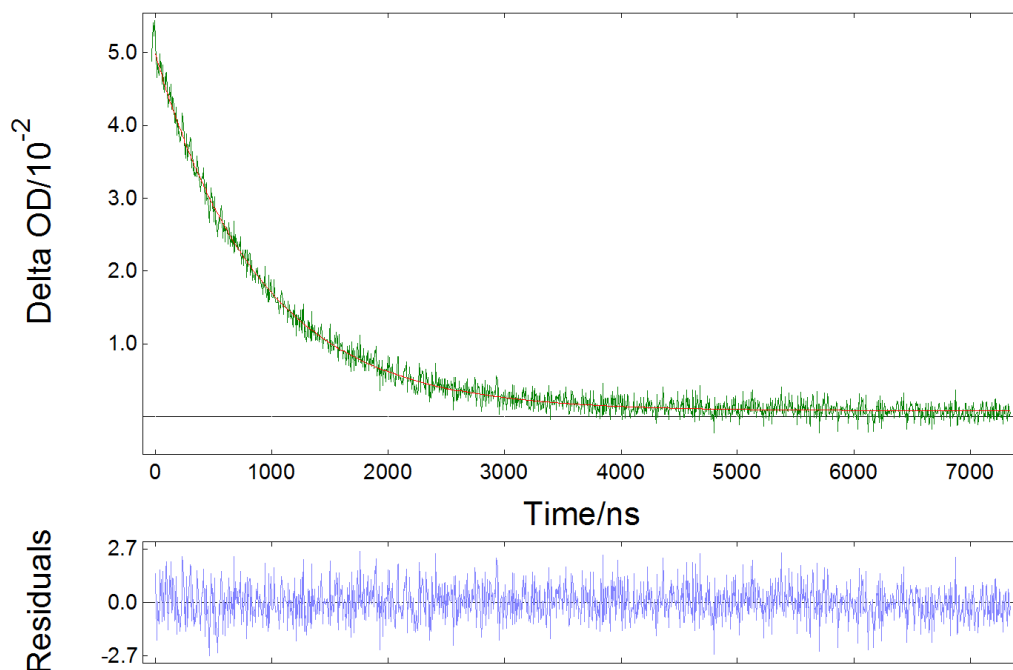
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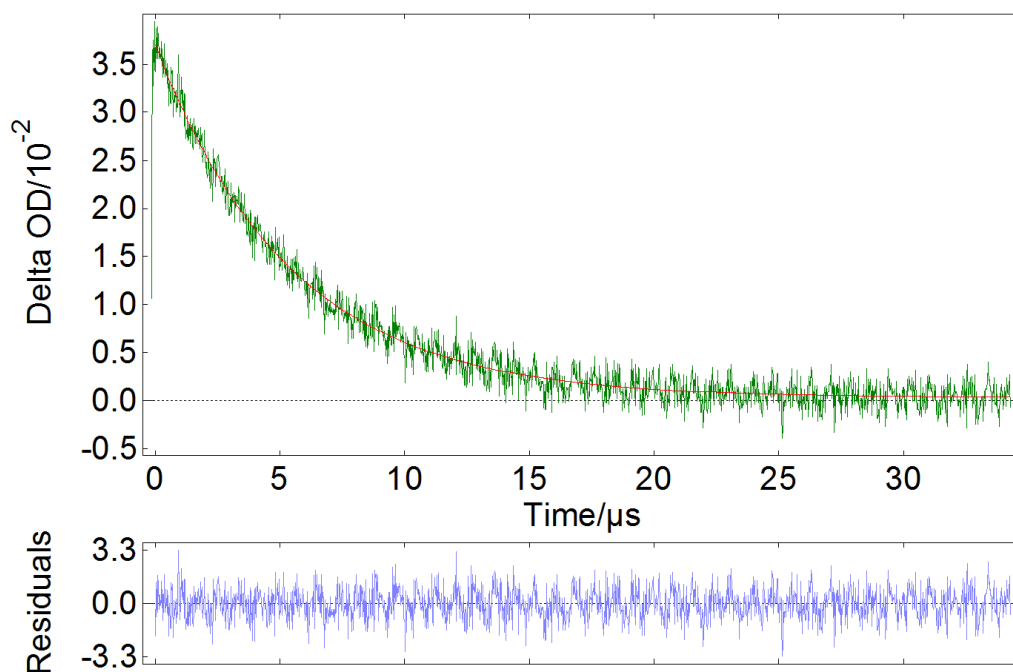

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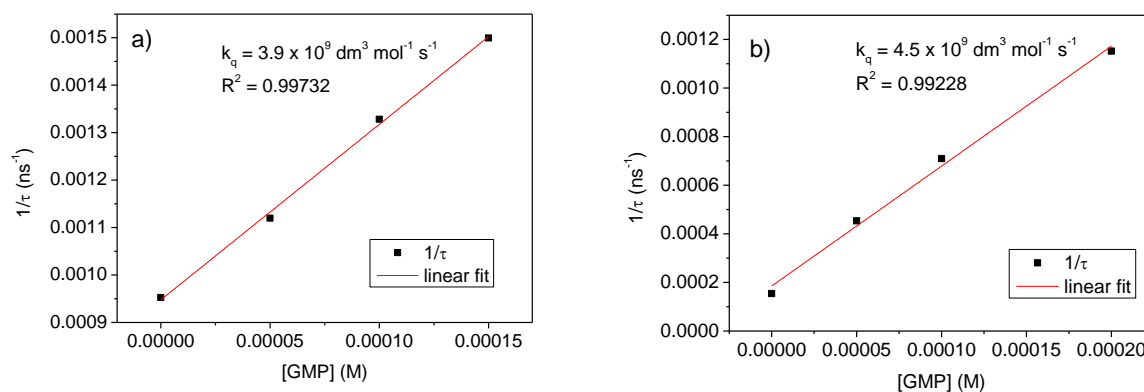
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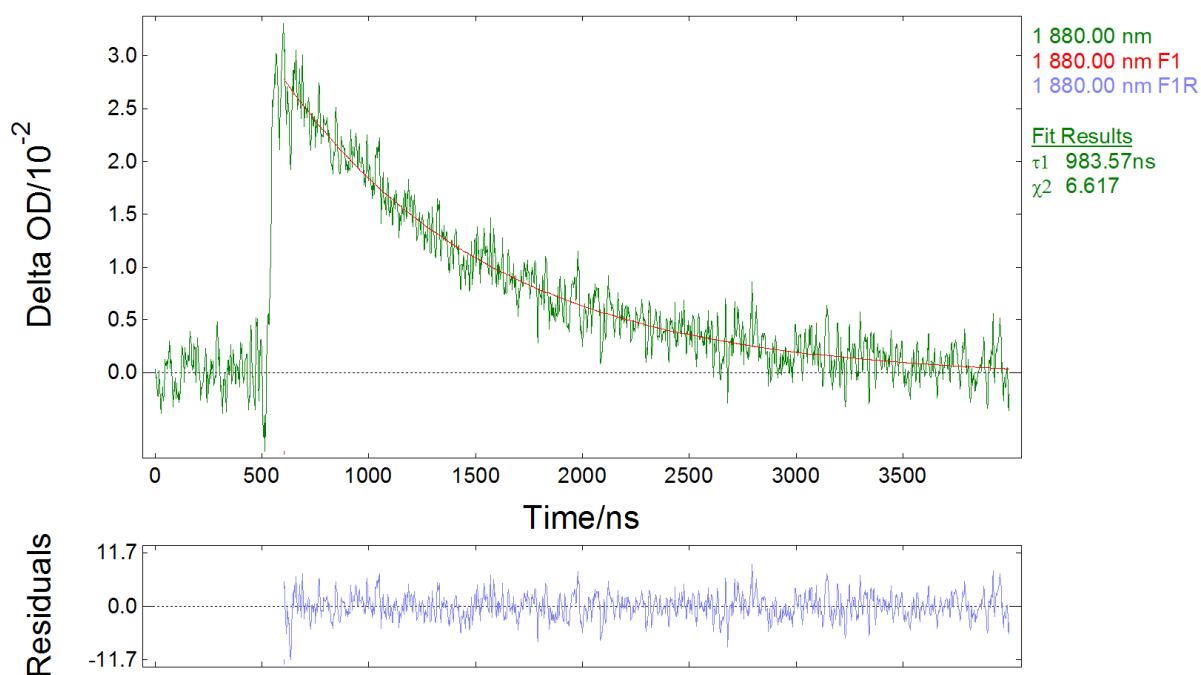

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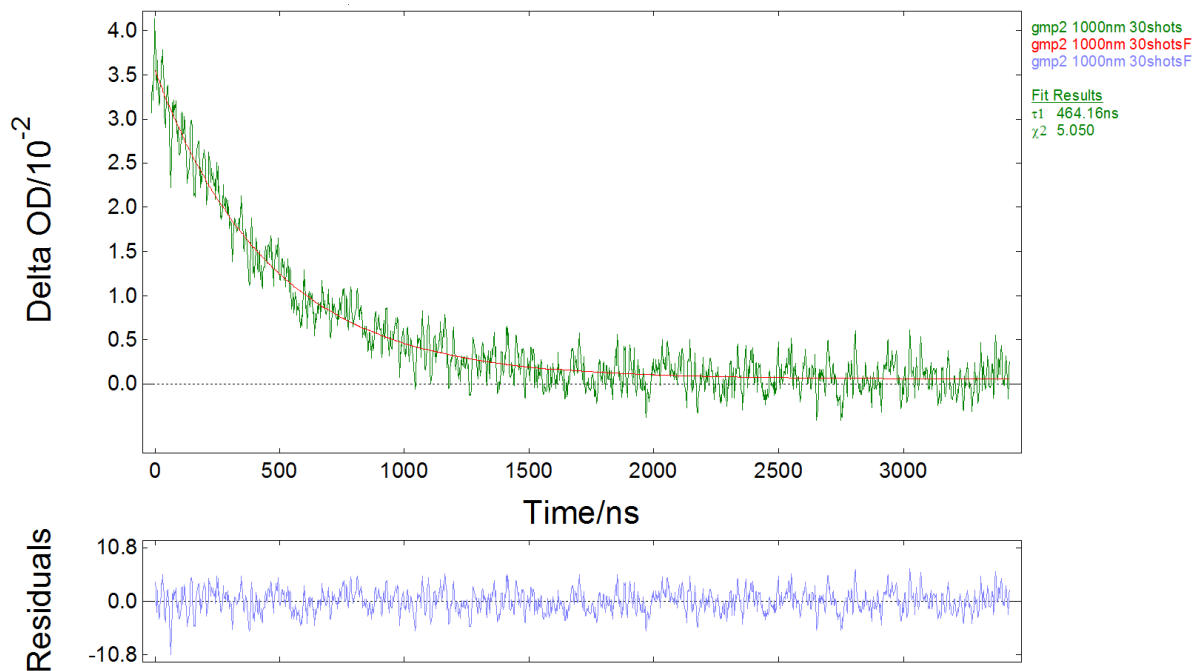
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