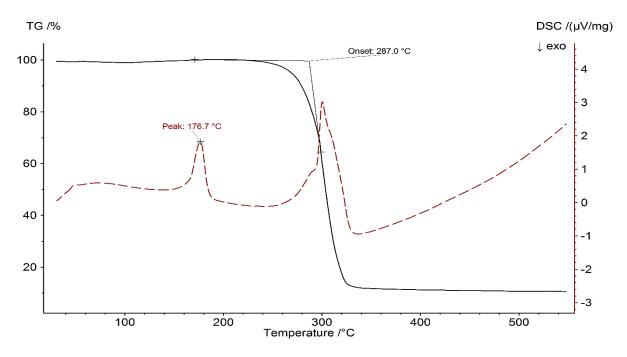


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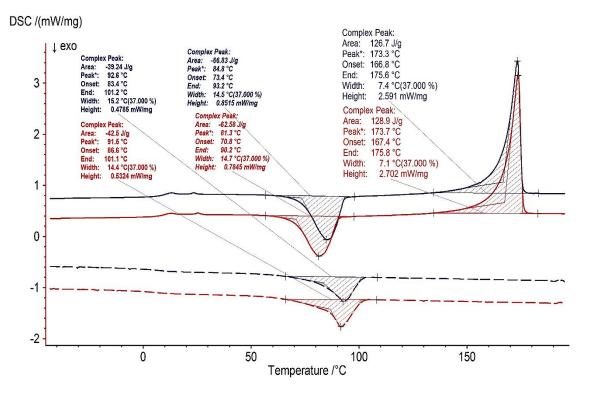
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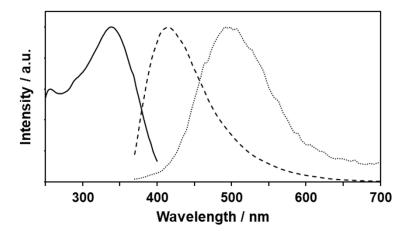
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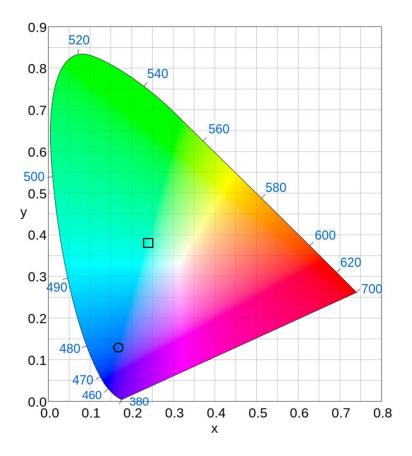
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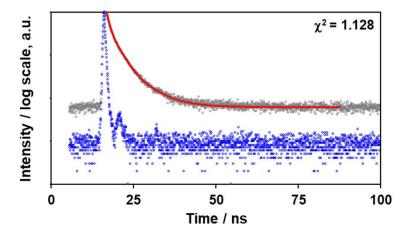
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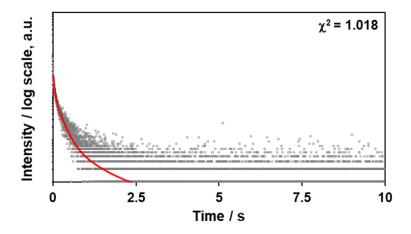
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**Figure S4** The CIE 1931 chromaticity diagram for (1) (O – fluorescence at r.t.,  $\Box$  – phosphorescence at 77 K).



**Figure S5** Fluorescence decay curve of (1) excited at 340 nm together with the instrument response function (IRF). The fluorescence was monitored at 415 nm.



**Figure S6** Phosphorescence decay curve of (1) excited at 340 nm. The phosphorescence was monitored at 500 nm.