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- 9. <u>X. Zhu</u>, S. Fu, J. Guo, W.-Y. Wong, W.-K. Wong, "new expanded porphyrin as a near-infrared fluorescent chemodosimeter for mercuric ion with high sensitivity and selectivity", *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.*, 45, 3150-3154 (2006).
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