

# Molecular dual-rotators with large consecutive emission chromism for visualized and high pressure sensing

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## 1. Emission spectra and photographs during the pressure-decompressed process

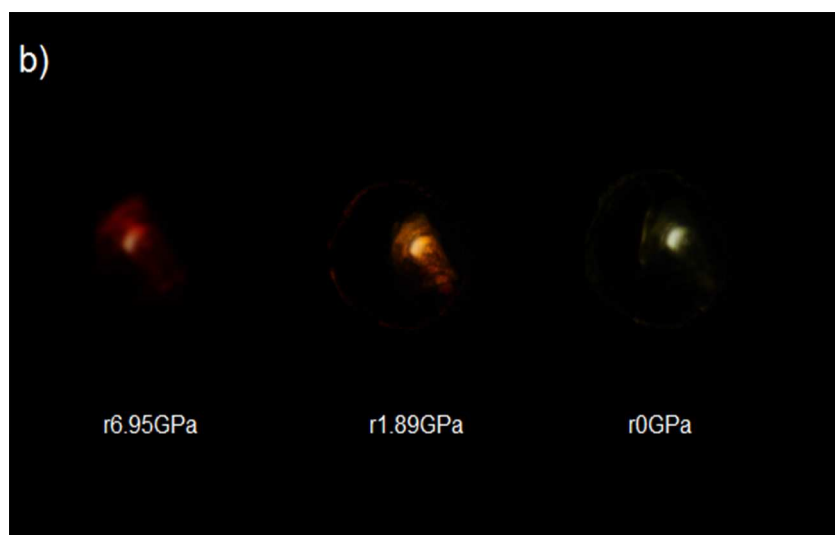
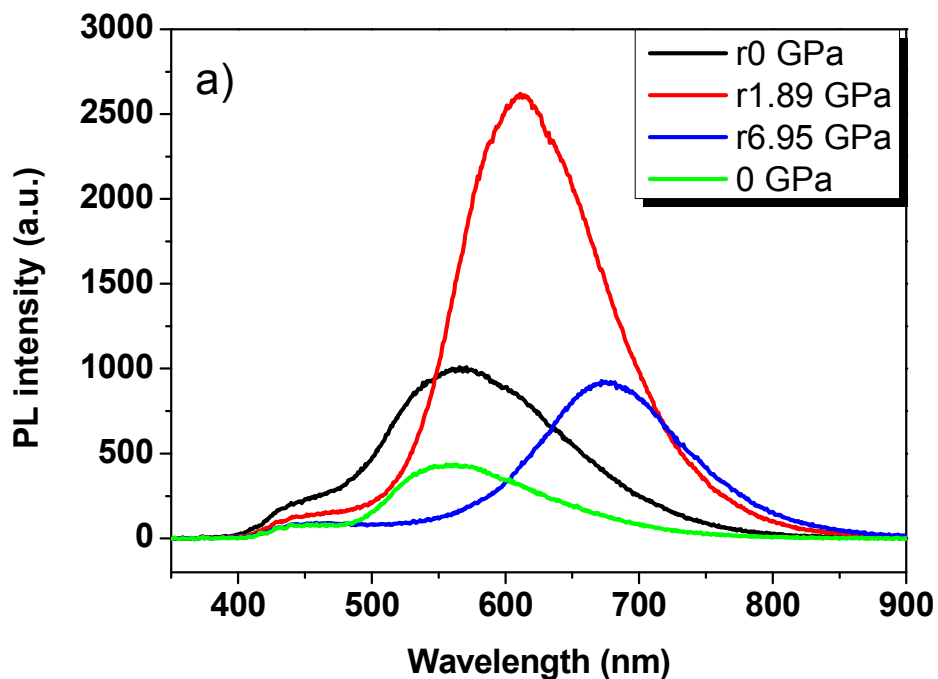
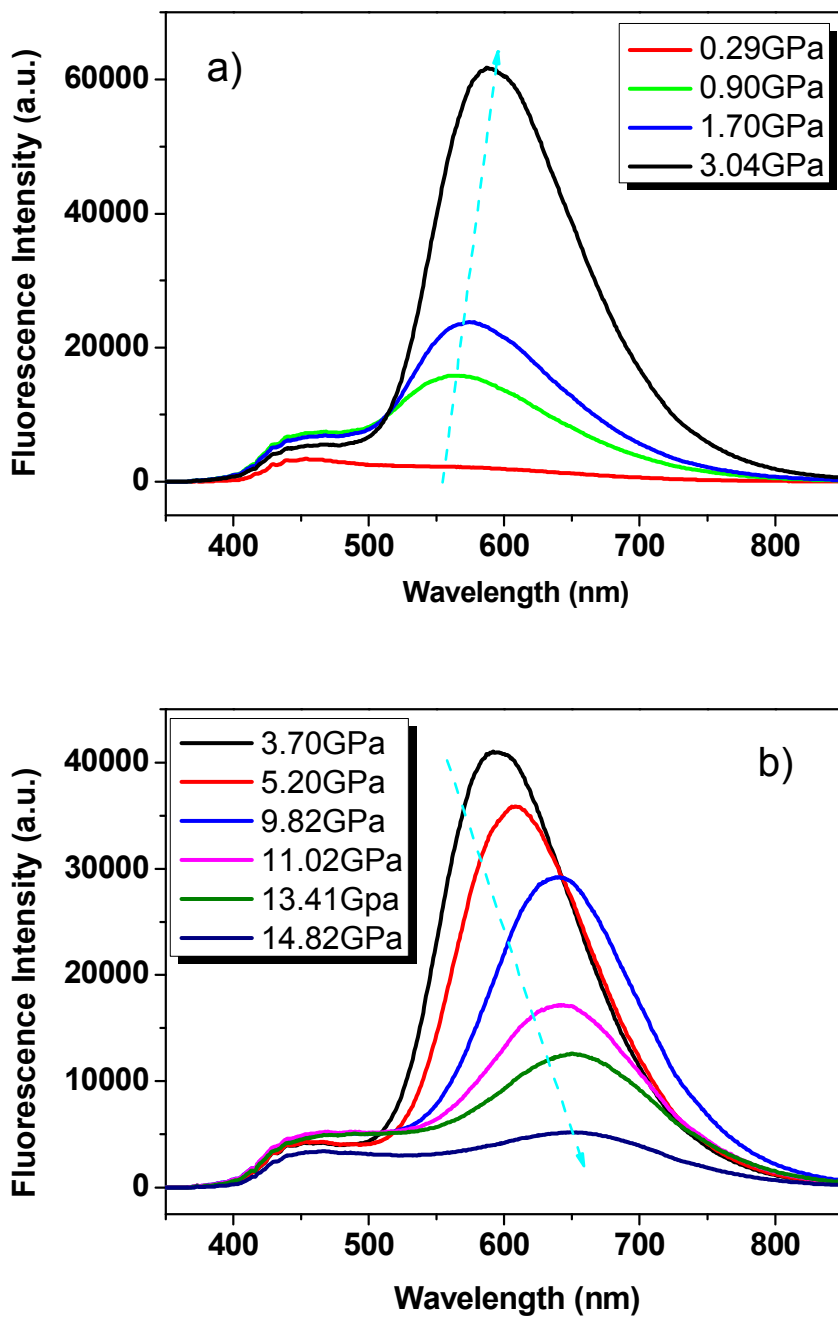


Figure S1. (a) Pressure-dependent fluorescence spectra and (b) Photographic images of DAAD film (0.5 wt% dispersed in PMMA matrix) under different pressures during the pressure-decompressed process (The images were obtained by Canon EOS 5D Mark II). The emission maximums at r6.95, r1.80 and r0 GPa were 675, 612 and 566 nm, respectively.

## 2. Pressure-dependent fluorescence spectra of DAAD dispersed in PS matrix



**Figure S2.** Pressure-dependent fluorescence spectra of DAAD film (0.5 wt% dispersed in PS matrix): (a) emission increasing process; (b) emission decreasing process. The emission peaked around 450 nm is caused by the intrinsic emission from the diamond.

### 3. Pressure-dependent PXRD patterns of DAAD powder

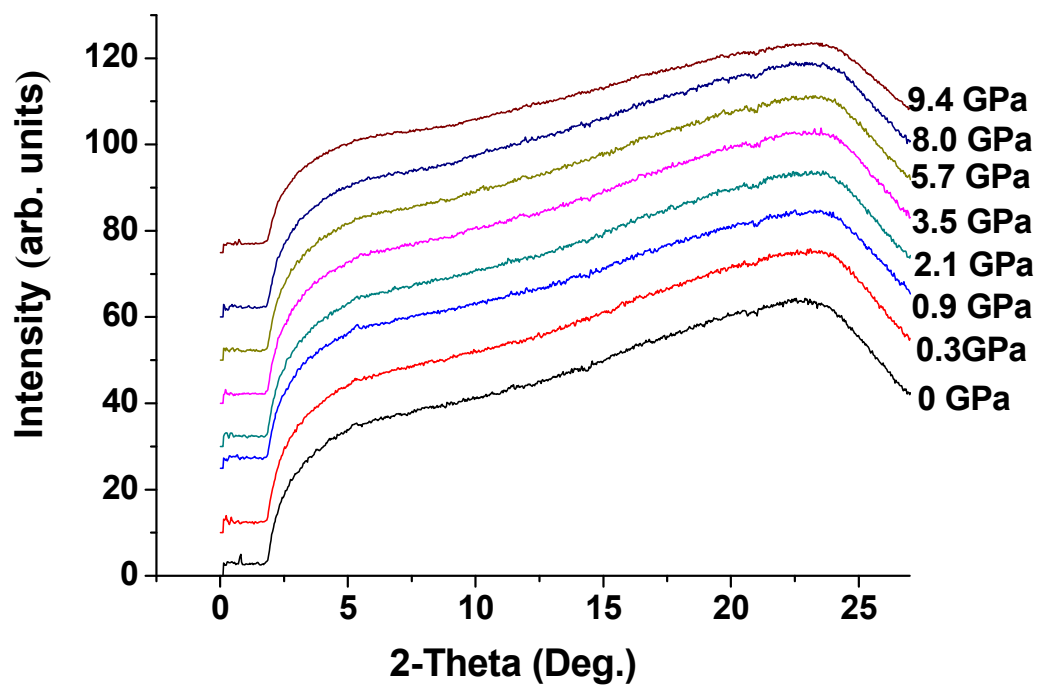
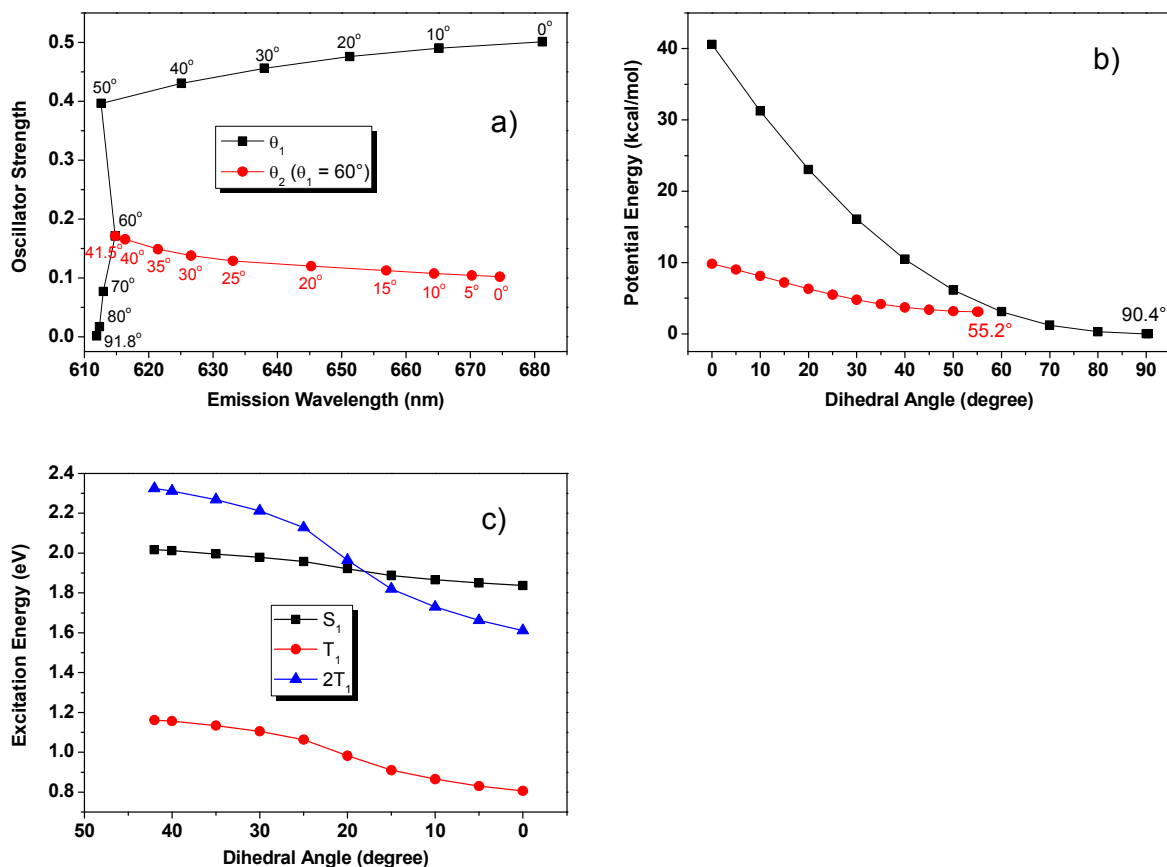


Figure S3. Pressure-dependent PXRD patterns of DAAD powder.

4. Evolution of the  $S_1$  and  $T_1$  excitation energies at the optimized  $S_1$  state as a function of  $\theta_2$



**Figure S3.** a) Vertical emission wavelengths and oscillator strengths of the  $S_1$  state optimized at different dihedral angles of  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$  (black: only  $\theta_1$  is fixed at different angles; blue:  $\theta_2$  decreases from the optimal angle of  $48.1^\circ$  to  $0^\circ$  with  $\theta_1$  kept at  $50^\circ$ ); c) Relative potential energies of the ground state optimized at different dihedral angles of  $\theta_1$  and  $\theta_2$  (black: only  $\theta_1$  is fixed at different angles; red:  $\theta_2$  decrease from the optimal angle of  $55.2^\circ$  to  $0^\circ$  with  $\theta_1$  kept at  $60^\circ$ ). b) Evolution of the  $S_1$  and  $T_1$  excitation energies at the optimized  $S_1$  state as a function of the dihedral angle  $\theta_2$  when the dihedral angle  $\theta_1$  is fixed at  $50^\circ$ ); c) Evolution of the  $S_1$  and  $T_1$  excitation energies at the optimized  $S_1$  state as a function of the dihedral angle  $\theta_2$  when the dihedral angle  $\theta_1$  is fixed at  $60^\circ$ , respectively.