

	Mg^{2+}				Na^+			Li^+			Ba^{2+}				Ca^{2+}			
	AM	A ₂ M	AM ₂		AM	A ₂ M	AM ₂	AM	A ₂ M	AM ₂	AM	A ₂ M	AM ₂		AM	A ₂ M	AM ₂	
II	$\epsilon(\lambda_1)$	9.6×10^3	-	9.8×10^3	8.2×10^3	7.4×10^3	-	6.2×10^3	-	1.3×10^4	1.1×10^4	2.8×10^4	1.7×10^4	8.6×10^3	8.6×10^3	-	1.5×10^4	
	$\epsilon(\lambda_2)$	1.8×10^4	-	9.8×10^3	1.2×10^4	5.8×10^3	-	1.0×10^4	-	1.8×10^4	2.2×10^4	7.2×10^3	1.5×10^4	5.0×10^3	5.4×10^4	5.4×10^4	1.9×10^4	
	$\epsilon(\lambda_3)$	2.4×10^4	-	1.6×10^4	1.5×10^4	7.4×10^4	-	2.2×10^4	-	1.0×10^4	2.2×10^3	4.8×10^4	4.2×10^3	2.0×10^4	-	1.3×10^3		
	$\epsilon(\lambda_4)$	6.2×10^3	-	3.6×10^4	8.6×10^3	6.8×10^4	-	1.5×10^4	-	1.0×10^4	-	2.4×10^4	-	1.5×10^4	2.8×10^3	-	-	
I	$\epsilon(440)$	2.7×10^4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.4×10^4	-	-	-	
	$\epsilon(520)$	4.3×10^4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.4×10^4	-	-	-	

$\epsilon(\lambda_i)$ is the molar extinction coefficient ($M^{-1}cm^{-1}$) of complexes AM, A₂M and AM₂ at the wavelengths used for the data fitting.

For cation Mg^{2+} : $\lambda_1 = 330$ nm, $\lambda_2 = 400$ nm, $\lambda_3 = 430$ nm, $\lambda_4 = 520$ nm.

For cation Na^+ : $\lambda_1 = 330$ nm, $\lambda_2 = 356$ nm, $\lambda_3 = 430$ nm, $\lambda_4 = 450$ nm.

For cation Li^+ : $\lambda_1 = 330$ nm, $\lambda_2 = 356$ nm, $\lambda_3 = 430$ nm, $\lambda_4 = 450$ nm.

For cation Ba^{2+} : $\lambda_1 = 330$ nm, $\lambda_2 = 356$ nm, $\lambda_3 = 420$ nm, $\lambda_4 = 450$ nm.

For cation Ca^{2+} : $\lambda_1 = 330$ nm, $\lambda_2 = 356$ nm, $\lambda_3 = 430$ nm, $\lambda_4 = 450$ nm.

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL