

# Blue Silicon Quantum Dots: Experimental Data

# Silicon Quantum Dots dispersed in water or organic solvents

## **Description**

Blue silicon quantum dots are readily dispersible in water and a wide variety of organic solvents including toluene, dichloromethane, and ethanol. These particles can be used in photovoltaic devices, light emitting diodes, sensors, and optical film applications.

#### **Advantages Over Traditional QDs**

- Free of toxic metals (e.g., Cd, Pb, In) or phosphines
- Bright photoluminescence



# **Product Specifications**

	Siz	e	PL <sub>max</sub>	Catalog No.
Particle Sizes Available	Data being	collected	488 ±20 nm	
<b>Material Composition</b>	Silicon			
Forms	Clear colourless solution			
Photoluminescence	<b>ג</b> <sub>em</sub> 488 nm			
FWHM	<110 nm			
Functionalization Method			QY	Shelf Life
I		10-4	0% ± 5%	>6 months; TBD

#### **Uses & Handling Recommendations**

- Shipped in solution. 1 mL, 5 mL, and 20 mL solution in glass vials
- Typical concentrations ~ 1 mg/mL
- Sonication can be used to help disperse the SiQDs in desired aqueous or organic solvents.

<u>Contact us</u> for purchasing/customization options. AQM can tailor the surface chemistry to provide SiQDs suitable for specific applications.



## **Characterization Data**

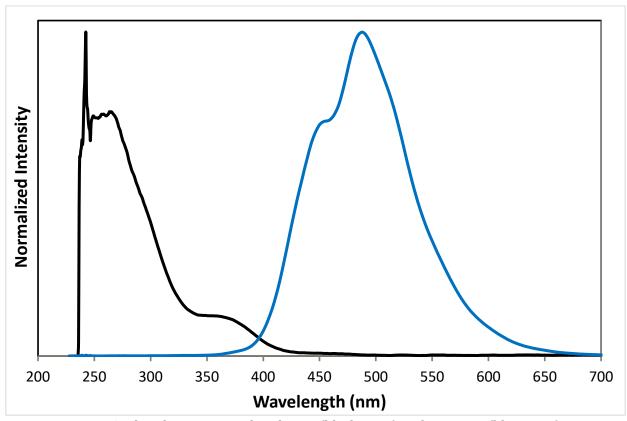


Figure 1: Photoluminescent absorbance (black trace) and emission (blue trace).