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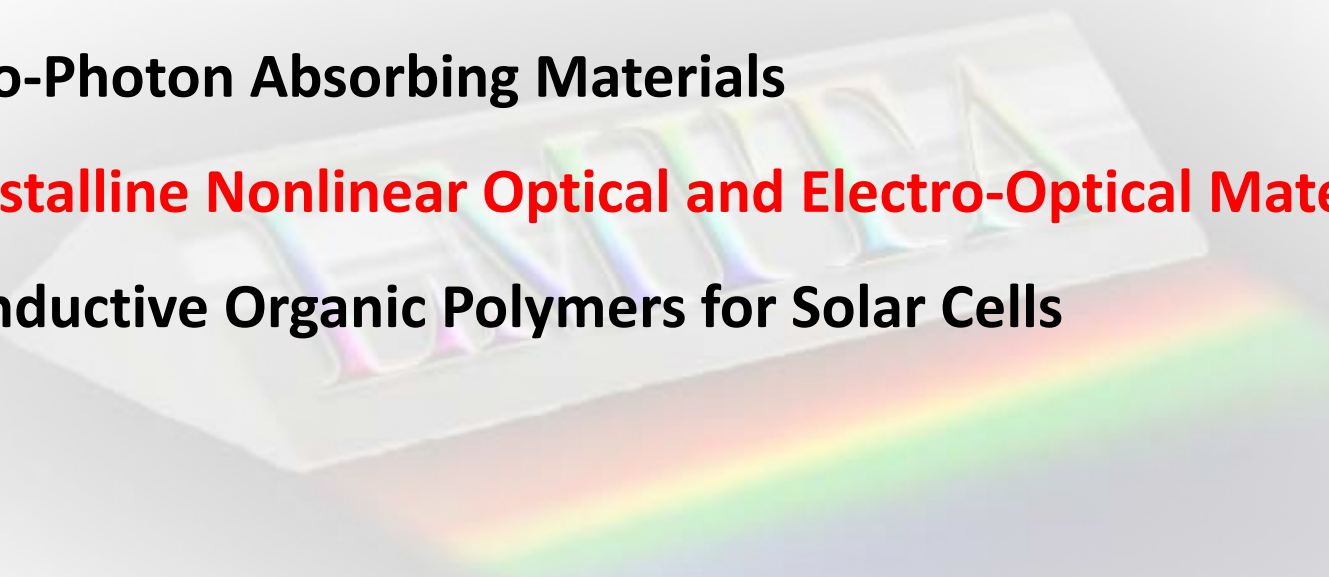


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**Crystal engineering of nonlinear optical and charge
transfer materials**

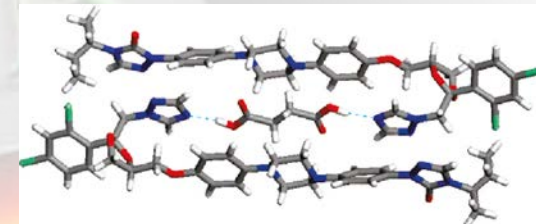
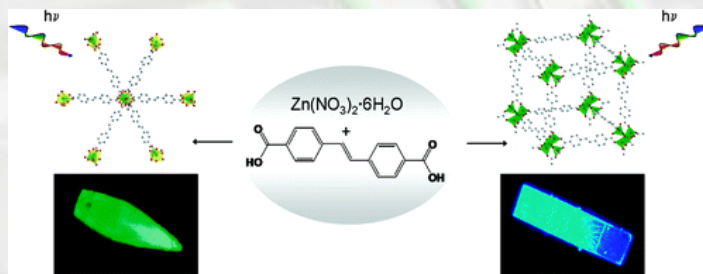
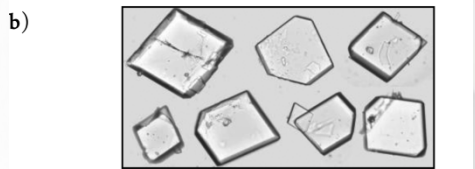
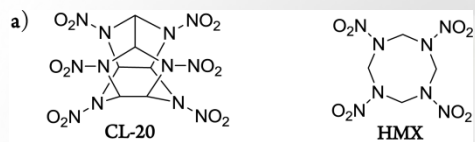
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Crystal engineering is the design and synthesis of molecular solid-state structures with desired properties, based on an understanding and exploitation of intermolecular interactions. The main strategies currently in use for crystal engineering are based on hydrogen bonding, search for polymorphs, co-crystallization and coordination complexation. These may be understood with key concepts such as the supramolecular synthon and the secondary building unit.



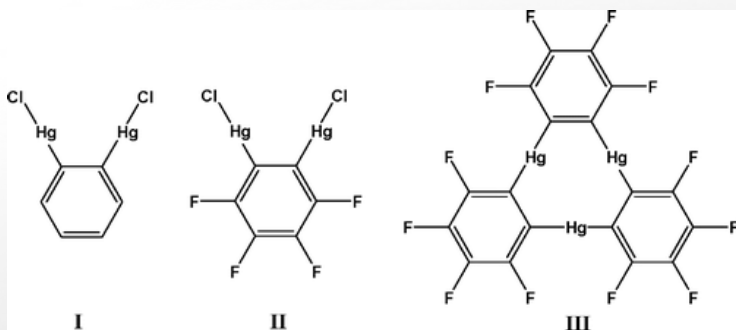
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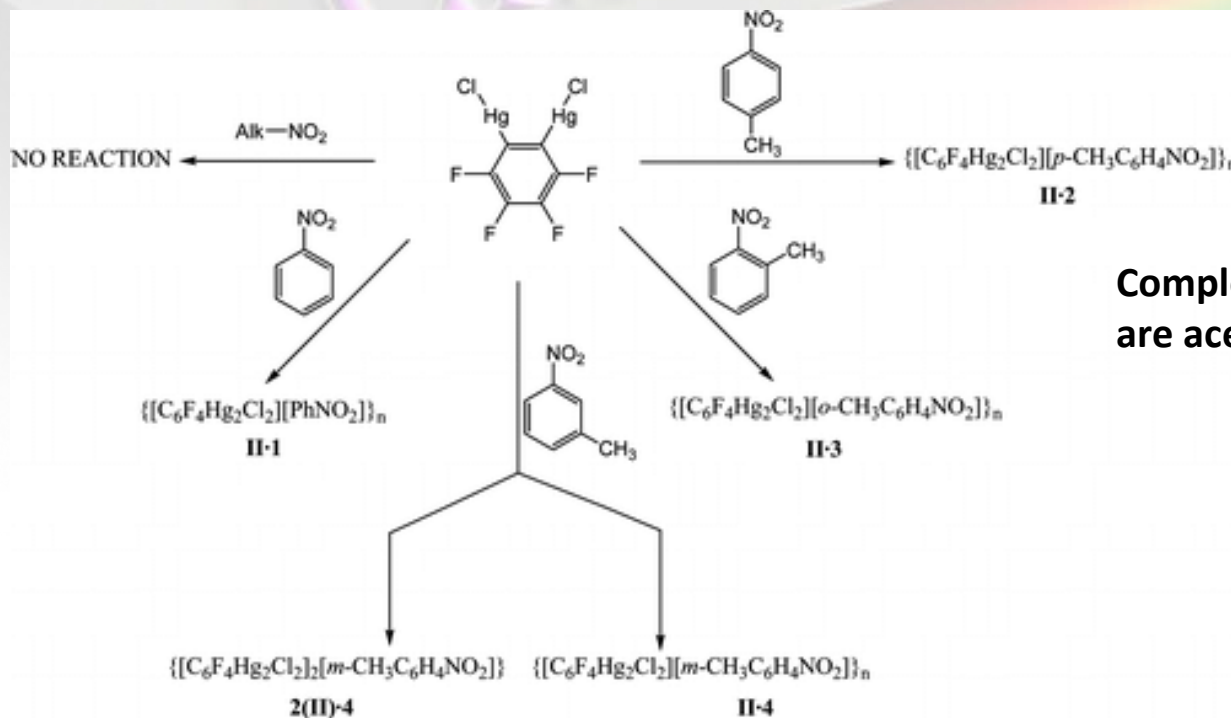
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Co-crystallization of nitro benzenes with $o-(C_6F_4)(HgCl)_2$



Scheme 1

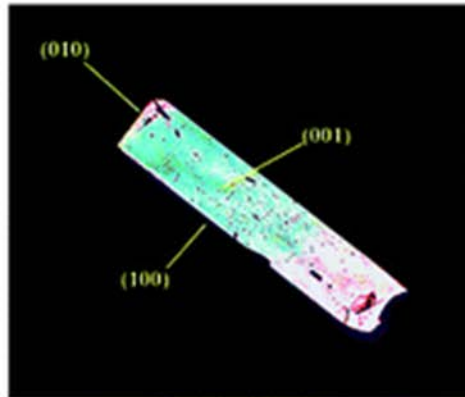
Bidentate 1,2-bis(chloromercurio)benzene, $o-(C_6H_4)(HgCl)_2$ (I), and 1,2-bis(chloromercurio)-tetrafluorobenzene, $o-(C_6F_4)(HgCl)_2$ (II) or cyclic tridentate perfluoro-o-phenylmercury, $o-(C_6F_4Hg)_3$ (III), Lewis acids (LA) presented in Scheme 1 easily form adducts (molecular complexes, guest-host structures, co-crystals) with organic ionic and neutral electron-rich compounds.



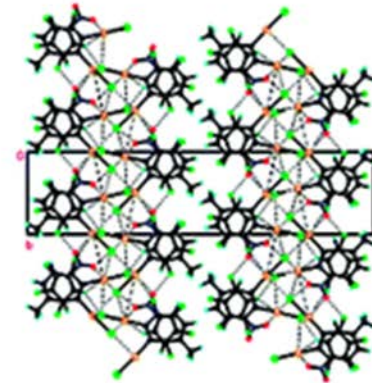
Complexes II-1 and II-4 are acentric.



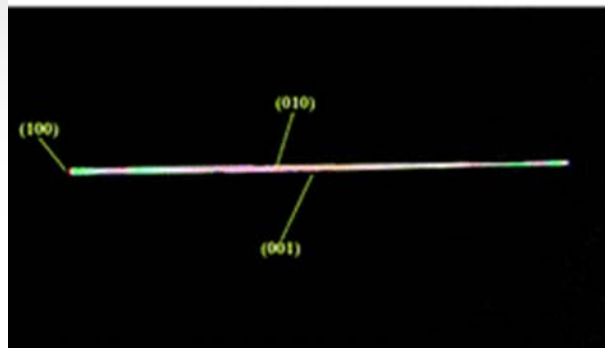
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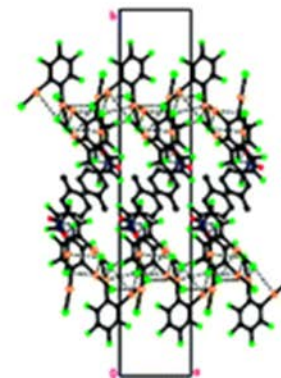
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needle crystal

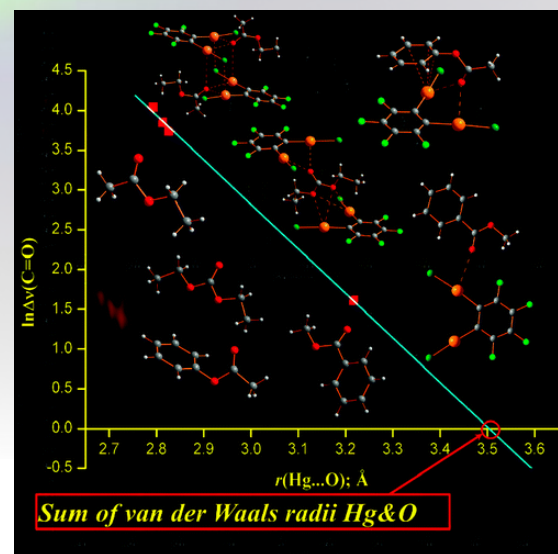
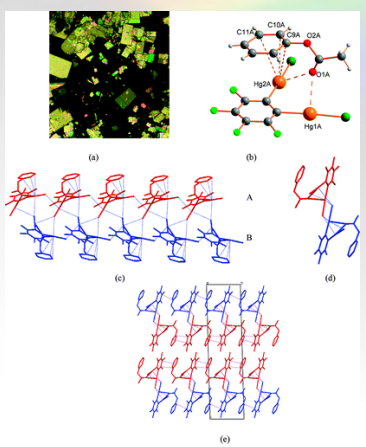
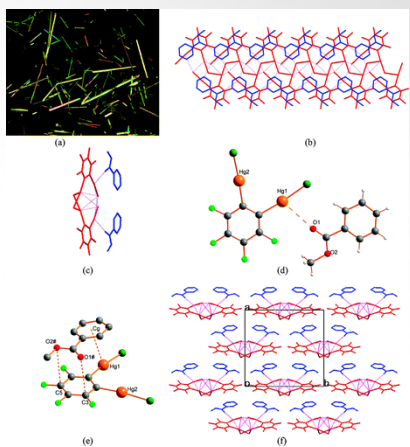
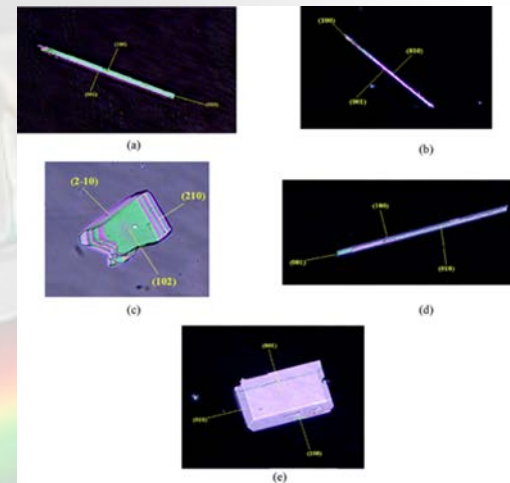
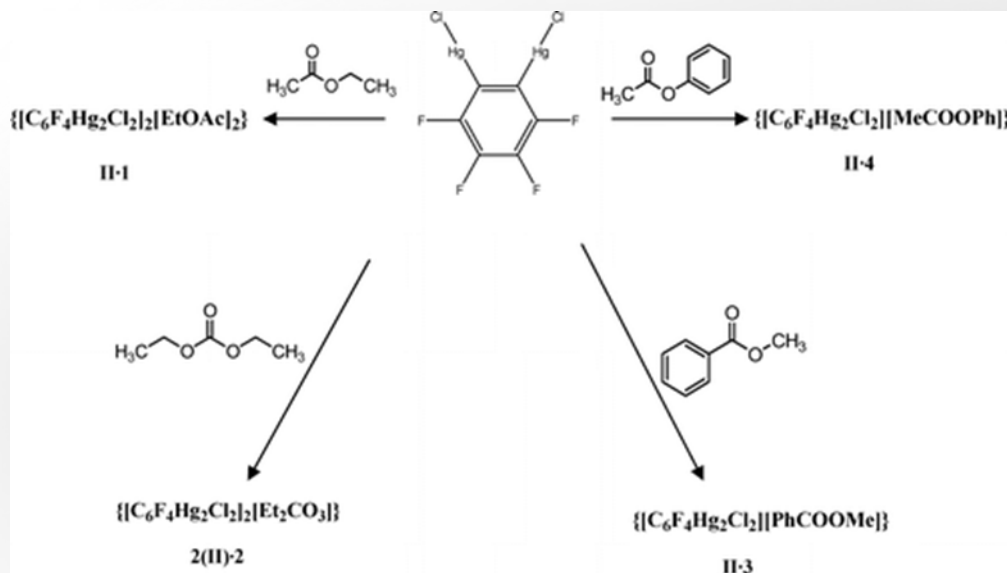


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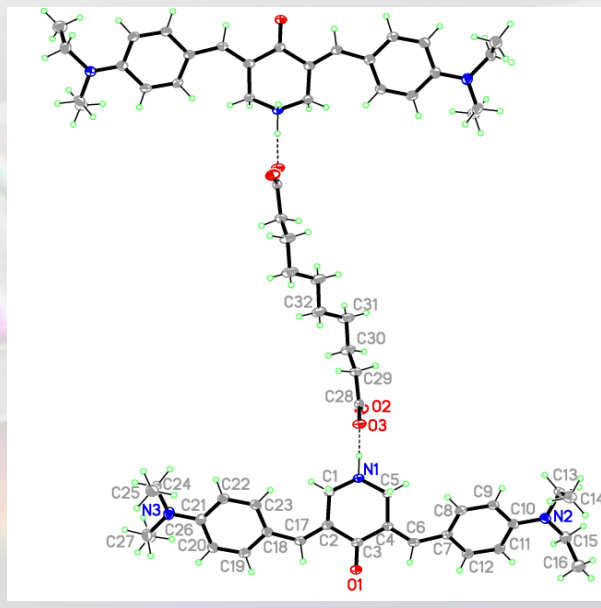
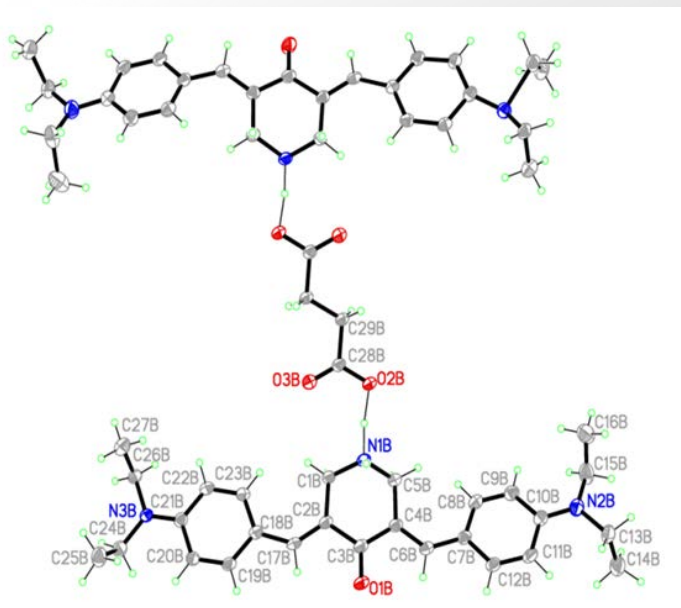
Crystal Morphology as an Evidence of Supramolecular Organization in Adducts of o -(C_6F_4)($HgCl_2$)₂ with Organic Esters



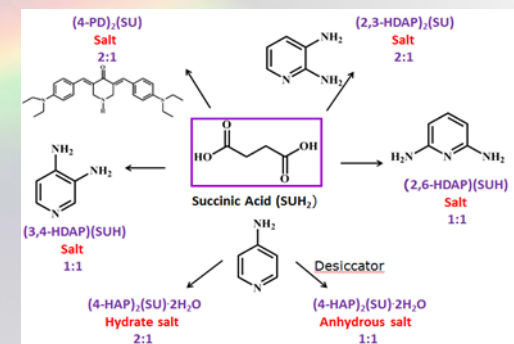
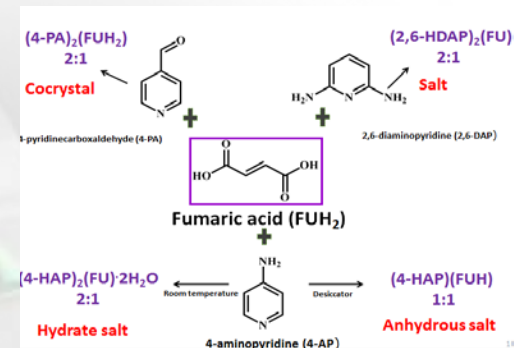


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Crystal Engineering for Pharmaceutical Applications Mixed Crystals, Adducts, Co-crystals, Salts



Examples of salt formation of (a) (E,E)-3,5-bis[4-(diethylamino)benzylidene]-4-oxopiperidinium butanedioate (b) (E,E)-3,5-bis[4-(diethylamino)benzylidene]-4-oxopiperidinium decanedioate

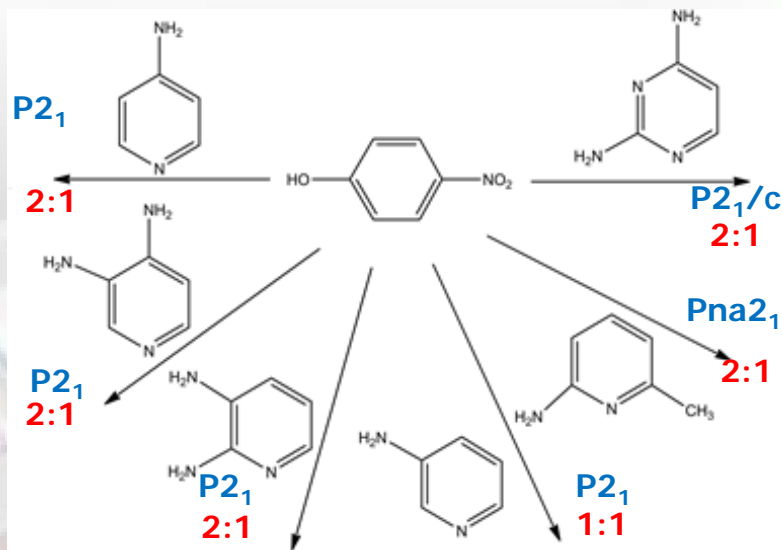


Schematic diagram of Crystals obtained with (I) Fumaric acid, (II) Succinic acid

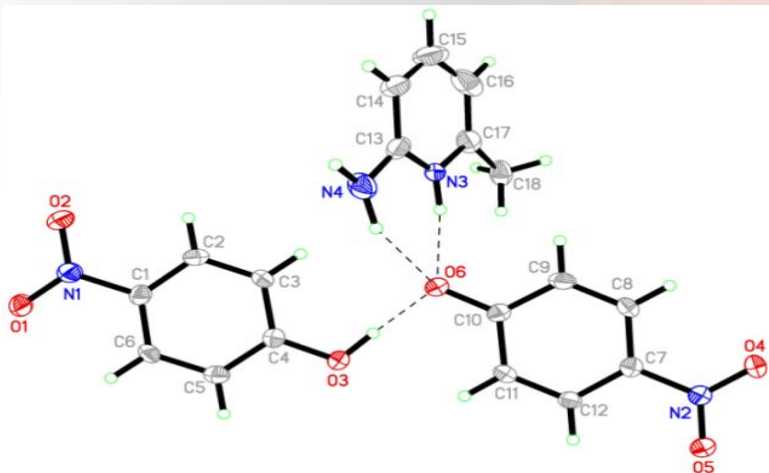


New acentric materials constructed from aminopyridines and 4-nitrophenol

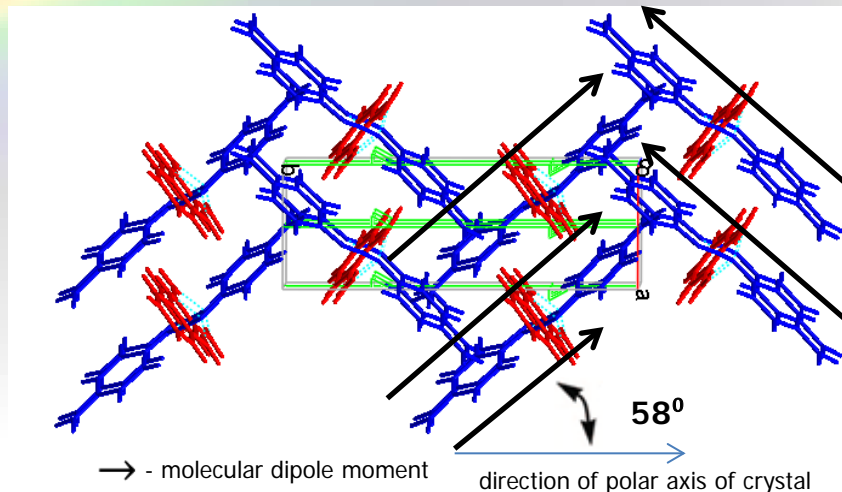
To make organic crystals useful for TeraHerz Generation and Non-Linear Optical applications crystal structure of materials should be acentric. To obtain materials with acentric structure crystal engineering approach was applied. Mixture of two individual organic compounds crystallize in new acentric material which acentricity controlled by specific "twisting agent".



Starting materials, compositions and space groups for the products



Example of asymmetric unit containing 4-nitrophenol-4-nitrophenolate dimer.

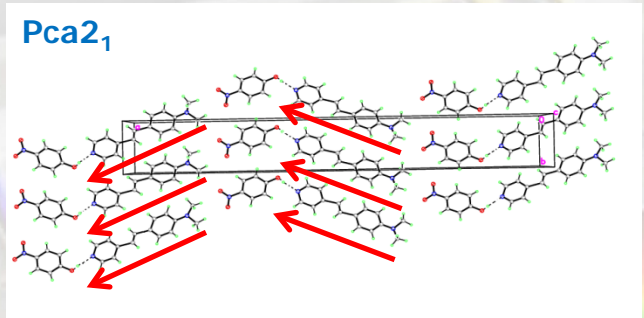
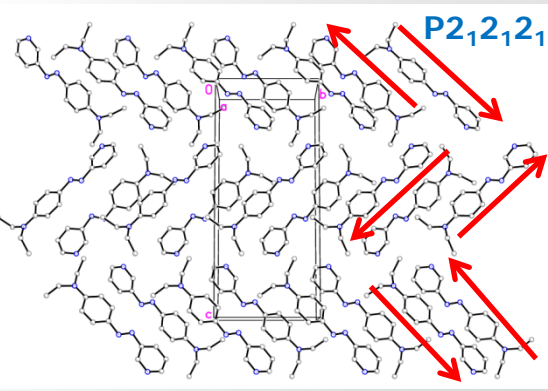


Molecular packing and orientation of molecular dipole moment for 3,4-diaminopyridine and 4-nitrophenol adduct, 4-nitrophenol-4-nitrophenolate dimer with blue



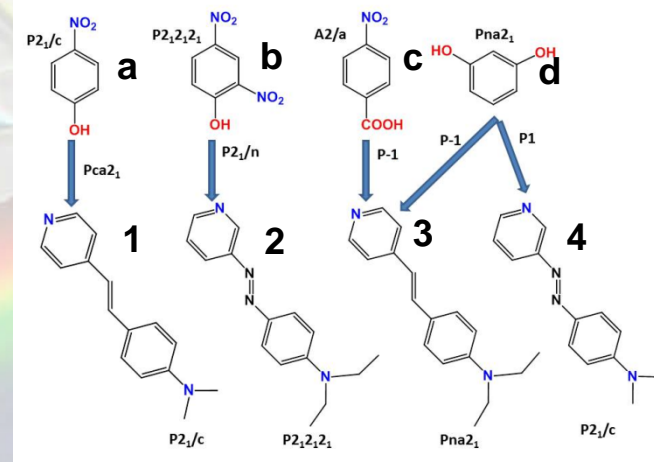
New Series of Acid-base Adducts for Nonlinear Optical Application

To enrich group of organic salts with such properties and elevate level of understanding of engineering of acentric crystalline materials for industrial applications, a series of co-crystals (or salts) containing polar stilbene-like molecules and small second component for formation of H-bonded systems was synthesized. Adducts of molecules with extended polar conjugated system prone to manifestation of second harmonic generation and small molecules that we used are predisposed to formation of chiral supramolecular associates.

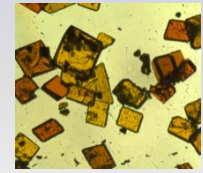


Molecular packing and relative orientation of dipole moments for 1a

Molecular packing and relative orientation of dipole moments for 2



Starting material used and space groups for initial base and final adduct formed

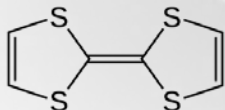
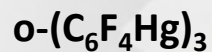
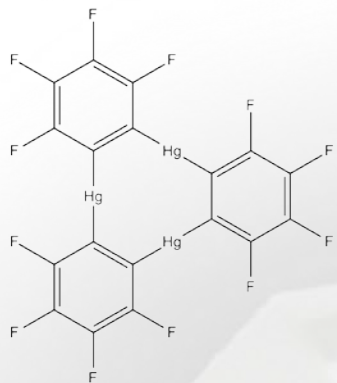


Photos of single crystal for 1a, 2 and 4

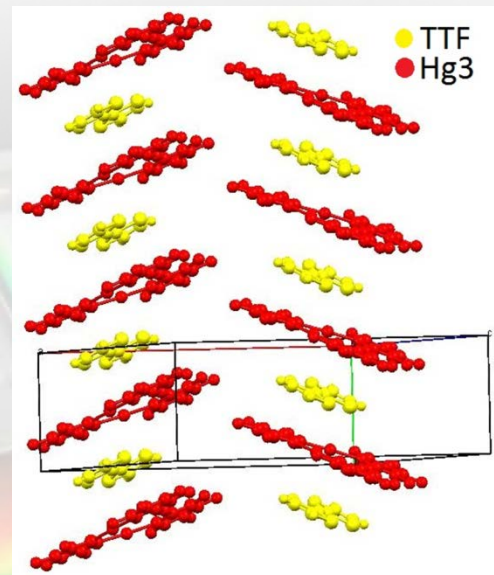
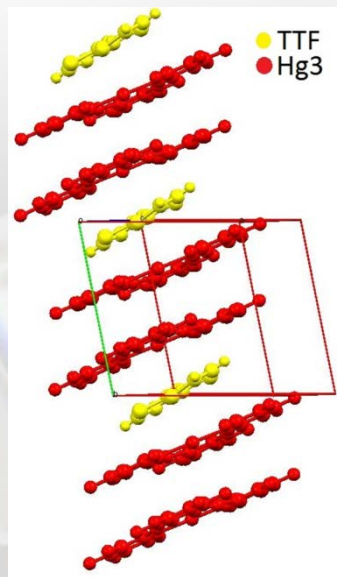


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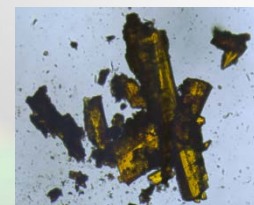
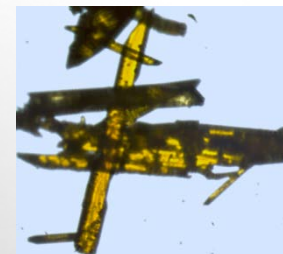
New Series of Adducts Charge Transfer Applications



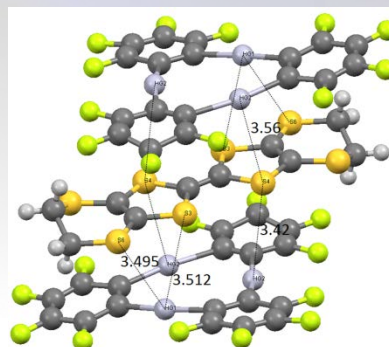
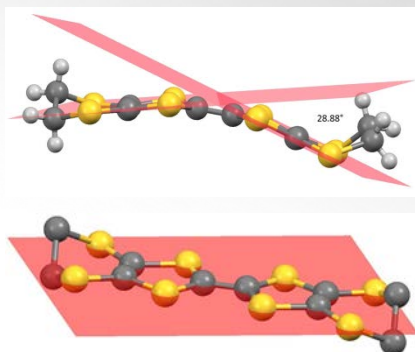
Tetrathiafulvalene (TTF)



Molecular stacks in $[(Hg_3)·TTF]$, $P2_1/c$ and $[(Hg_3)_2·TTF]$ $P-1$



Crystal shape of
a) $[(Hg_3)·TTF]$ $P2_1/c$
b) $[(Hg_3)_2·TTF]$ $P-1$



BEDT-TTF forms 1:1 stack complex with Hg_3

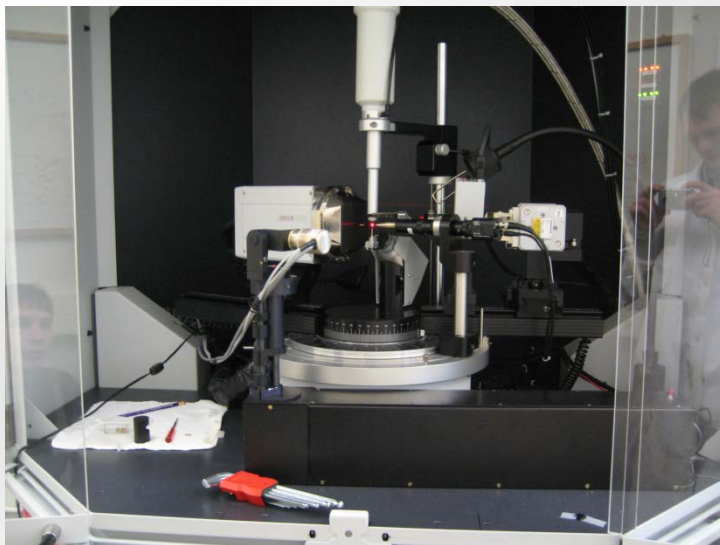


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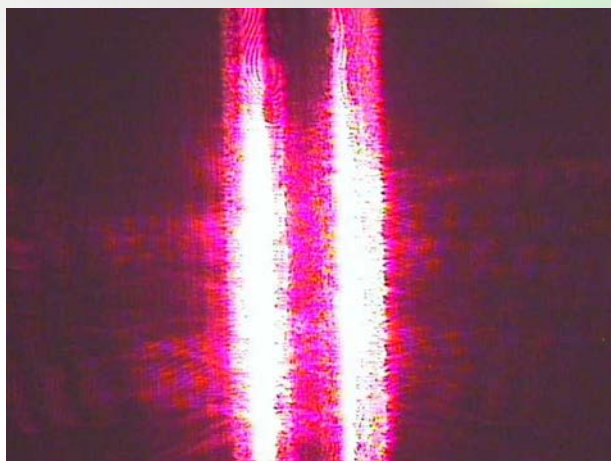
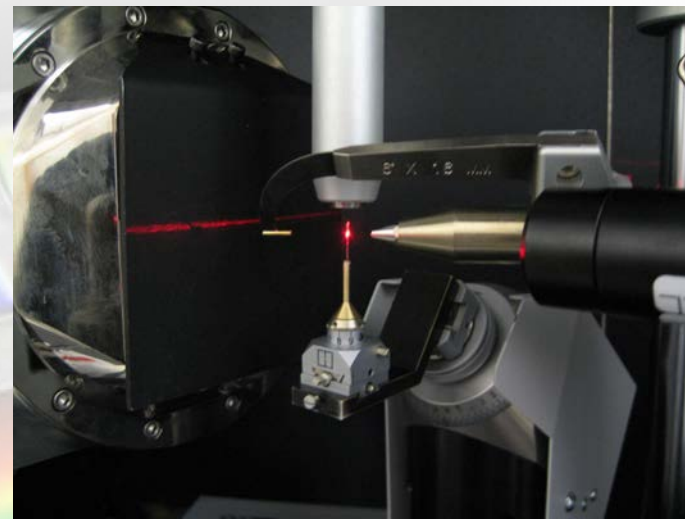
X-ray Diffraction and Laser Instrumentation for Crystal Grows in capillary



Laser System



Laser System, close-up



Capillary with Liquid

- Crystals are grown from liquids at room temperature
- Zone Melting technique

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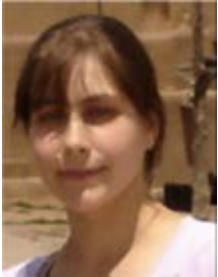


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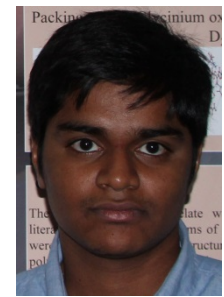
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