

Molecular simulation studies on the design of multicomponents

Sorbic acid crystals for tuning solubility

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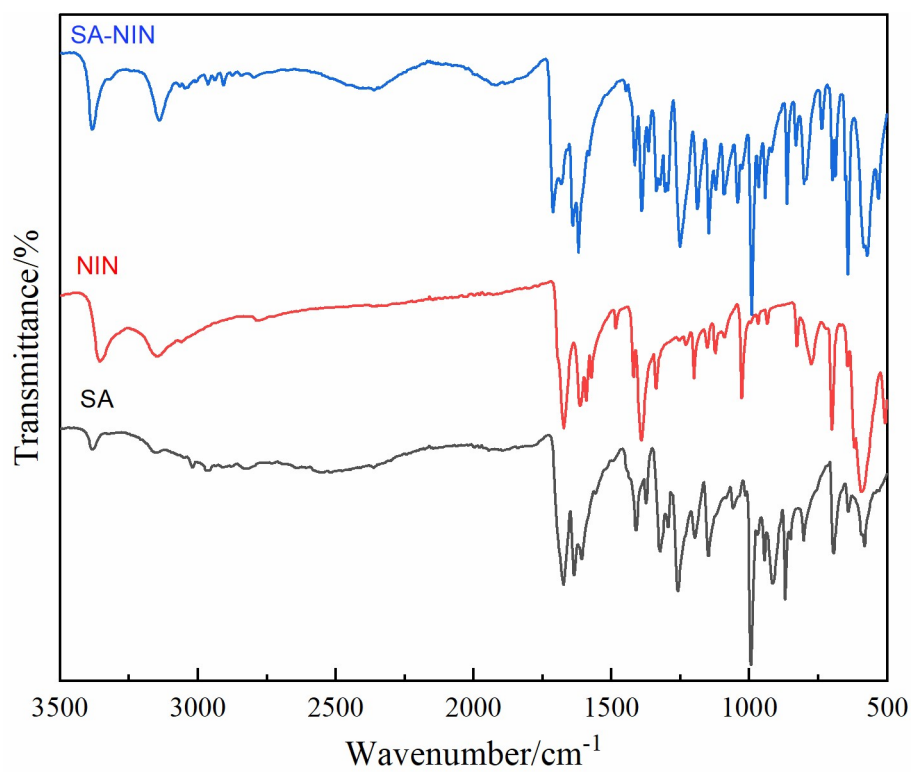


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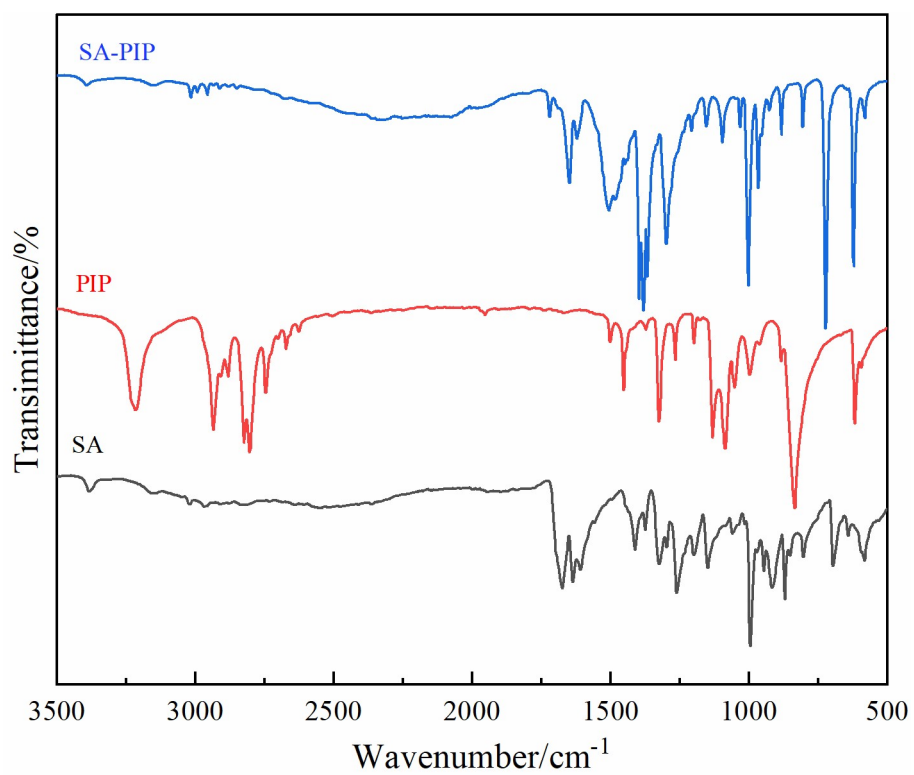


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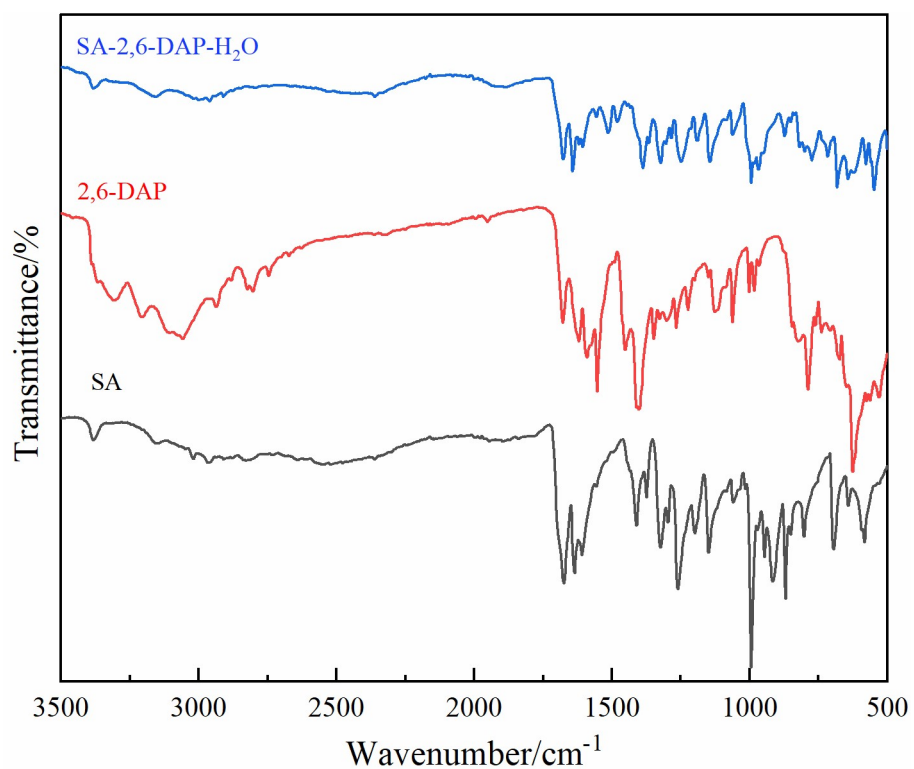


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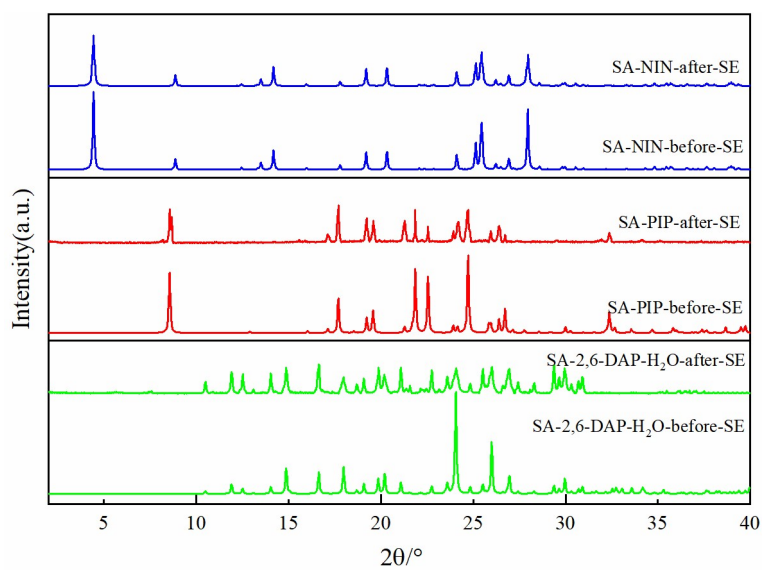


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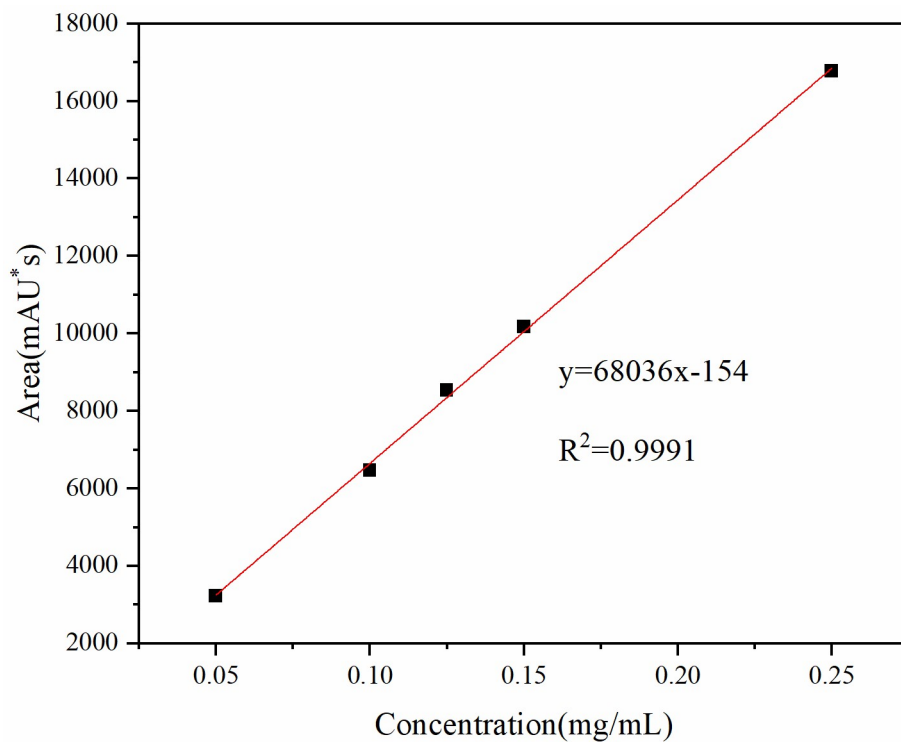


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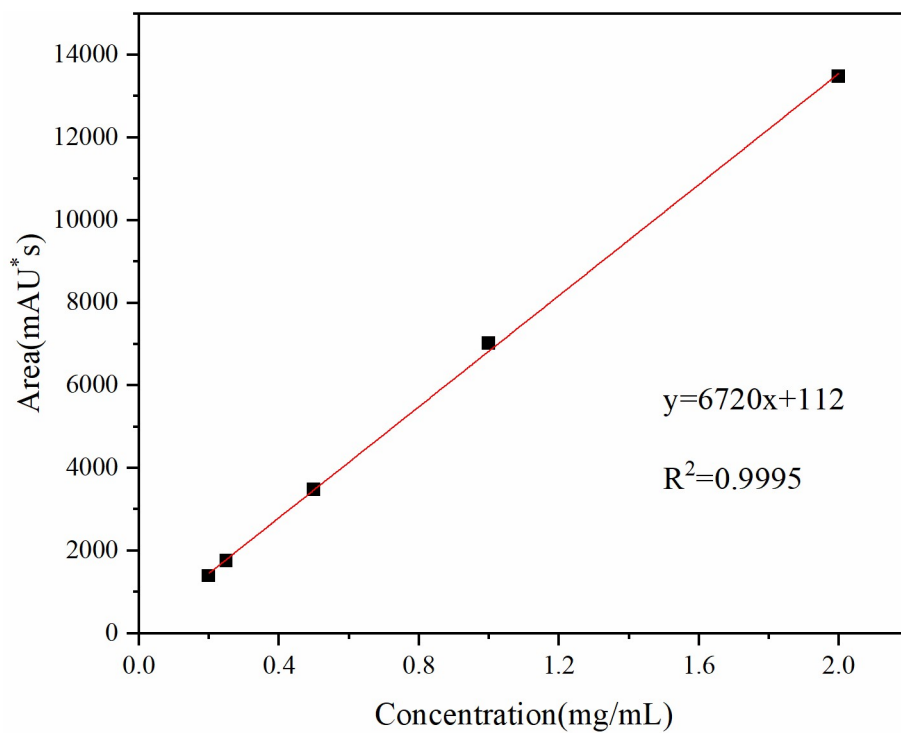


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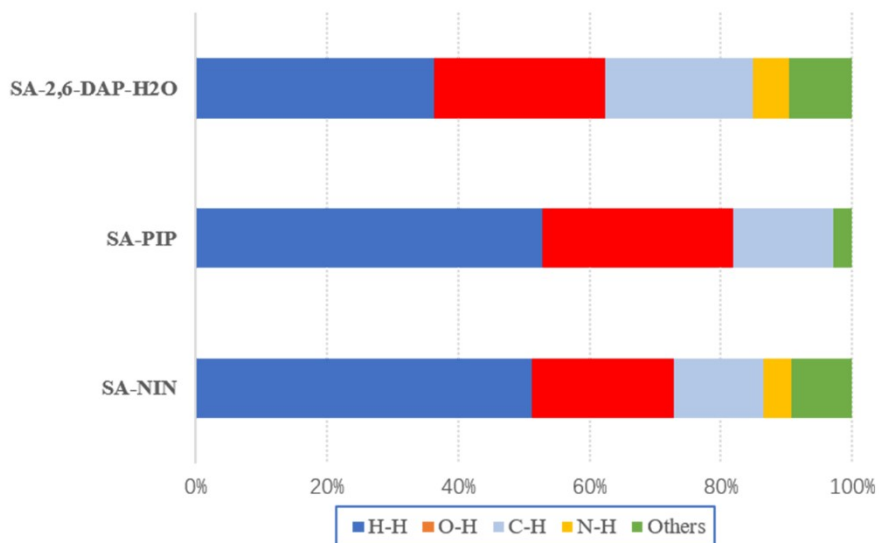


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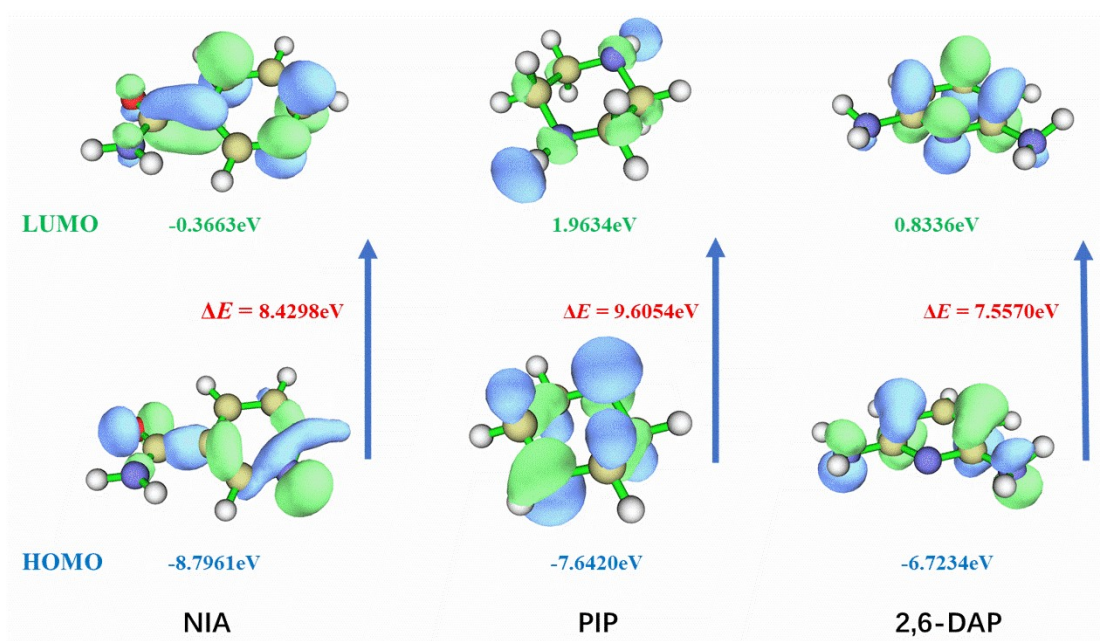


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Table S1. SA, Salt/Cocrystal FTIR Stretching Frequency

compound	-C=O(cm ⁻¹)	-OH (cm ⁻¹)	-NH (cm ⁻¹)
SA	1674	3383	/
NIA	1674	/	3354
PIP	/	/	3216
2,6-DAP	/	/	3206
SA- NIA	1641	3383	3140
SA- PIP	1647	3391	3016

SA-2,6-DAP-H ₂ O	1643	3381	3156
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Table S2. Parameters (Å, Degree) of the Hydrogen Bonds for Multicomponent Crystals of SA.

D-H...A	D-H	H...A	D...A	D-H...A	symmetry
SA-NIA					
O ₂ -H ₂ ...N ₁	1.01	1.62	2.63	175	
N ₂ -H _{2C} ...O ₁	0.90	2.15	3.04	172	-1+x, y, z
N ₂ -H _{2B} ...O ₃	0.91	1.97	2.88	176	-1-x,1-y,1-z
C ₁₁ -H ₁₁ ...O ₁	0.95	2.57	3.40	146	x, -1+y, z
SA-PIP					
N ₁ -H _{1A} ...O ₁	0.97	1.71	2.68	177	
N ₁ -H _{1A} ...O ₂	0.97	2.52	3.16	123	
N ₁ -H _{1B} ...O ₂	0.99	1.69	2.67	173	-1+x, y, z
C ₂ -H ₂ ...O ₁	0.93	2.56	3.49	174	1+x, y, z
C ₃ -H ₃ ...O ₁	0.93	2.50	2.82	100	
C ₇ -H _{7A} ...O ₁	0.97	2.37	3.33	169	-x,1-y,1-z
SA-2,6-DAP-H₂O					
N ₁ -H ₁ ...O ₂	0.92	1.82	2.74	178	
N ₂ -H _{2A} ...O ₃	0.90	1.99	2.89	172	-1/2+x,1/2-y,1/2+z
N ₂ -H _{2B} ...O ₁	0.91	1.99	2.90	178	
N ₃ -H _{3A} ...O ₃	0.90	2.07	2.96	171	
N ₃ -H _{3B} ...O ₁	0.89	2.19	3.04	159	-1/2+x,1/2-y, - 1/2+z
O ₃ -H _{3C} ...O ₂	0.89	1.84	2.68	158	
O ₃ -H _{3D} ...O ₁	0.86	1.89	2.73	169	3/2-x, -1/2+y,3/2-z

Table S3. Experimental solid–liquid equilibrium data (mass fraction) for SA-NIA at 20°C and 30°C and pressure $p = 101.3 \text{ kPa}$.^a

$T/^\circ\text{C}$	Mass fraction			Equilibrium solid phase ^b
	SA	NIA	EtOH	
20	0	0.10944	0.89056	NIA
	0.02242	0.11059	0.86699	NIA
	0.05273	0.10938	0.83789	NIA
	0.06245	0.10684	0.83071	NIA+1:1SA-NIA
	0.06972	0.09998	0.8303	1:1SA-NIA
	0.09215	0.06287	0.84499	1:1SA-NIA
	0.10266	0.05759	0.83976	1:1SA-NIA
	0.11828	0.04771	0.83401	SA+1:1SA-NIA
	0.12356	0.04049	0.83595	SA
	0.12684	0	0.87316	SA
30	0	0.11823	0.88177	NIA
	0.02158	0.12365	0.85477	NIA
	0.0631	0.12694	0.80996	NIA
	0.07318	0.12189	0.80493	NIA+1:1SA-NIA
	0.08000	0.11214	0.80786	1:1SA-NIA
	0.11137	0.07722	0.81141	1:1SA-NIA
	0.13871	0.06069	0.8006	SA+1:1SA-NIA
	0.14337	0.04538	0.81125	SA
	0.12986	0	0.87014	SA

^a Standard uncertainty u is $u(T) = 0.01 \text{ K}$, $u(p) = 10 \text{ kPa}$; the relative standard uncertainty of mass fraction $u_{r(x)} = 0.05$.

^b Mole ratio of SA-to-NIA in cocrystal is 1:1.