

Supporting information

Fluorescent Zinc(II) Thione and Selone Complexes for Light-Emitting Applications

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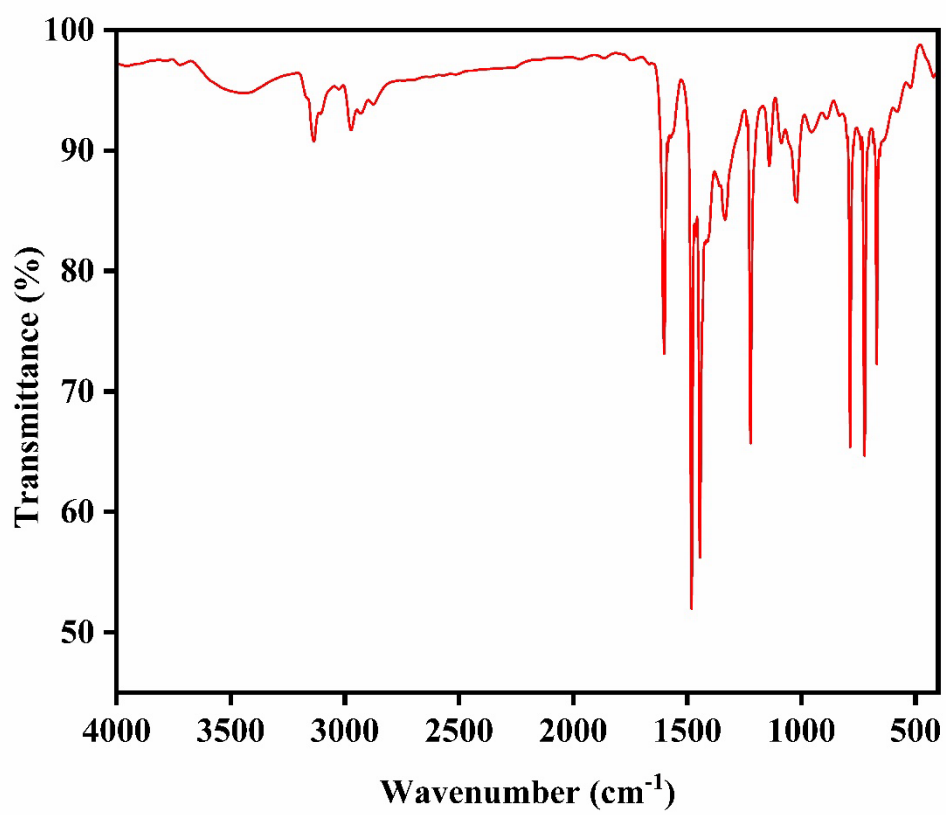


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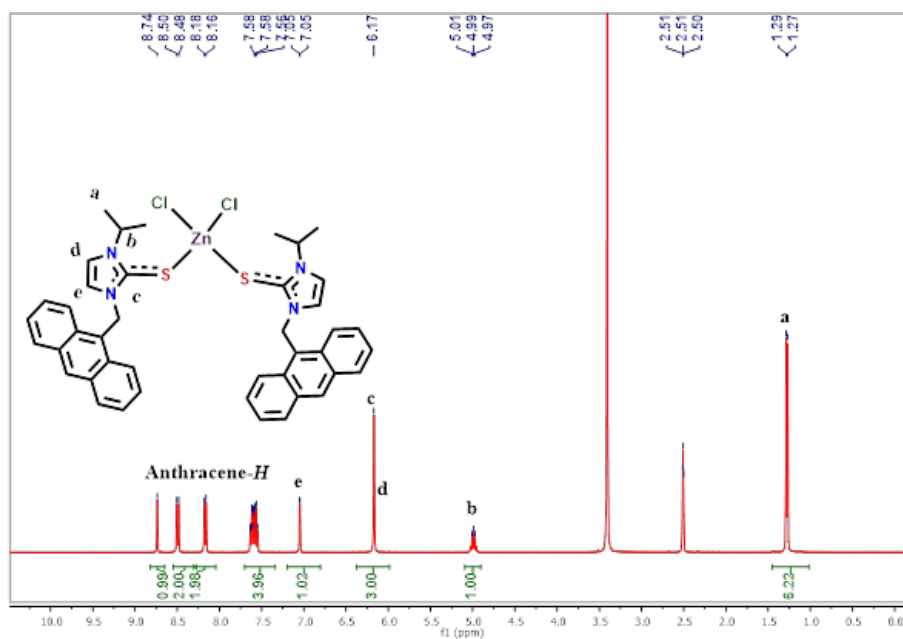


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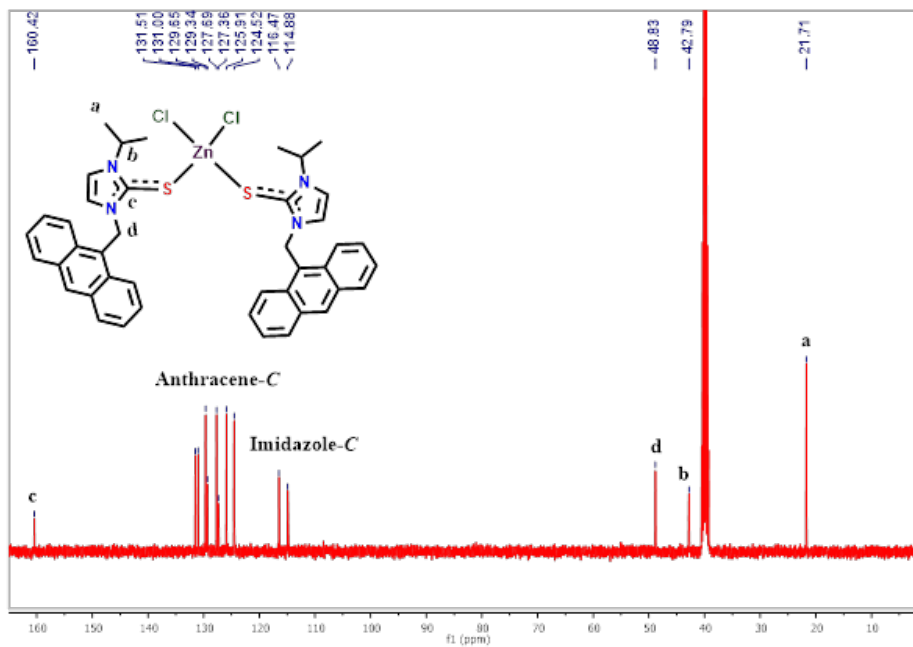


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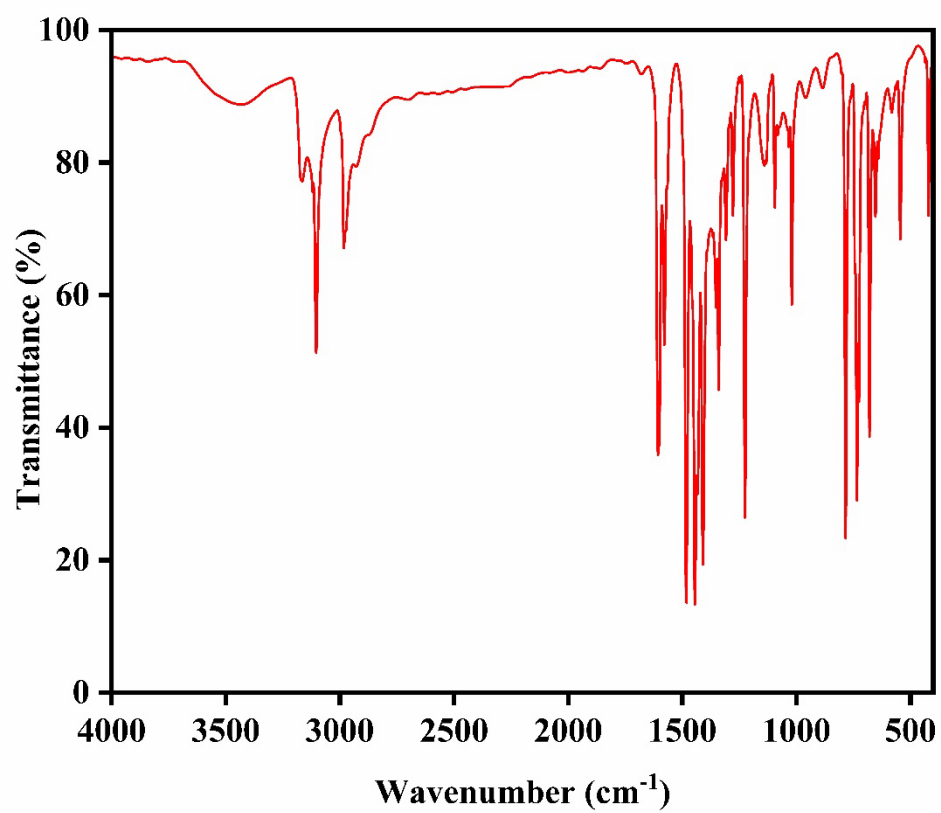


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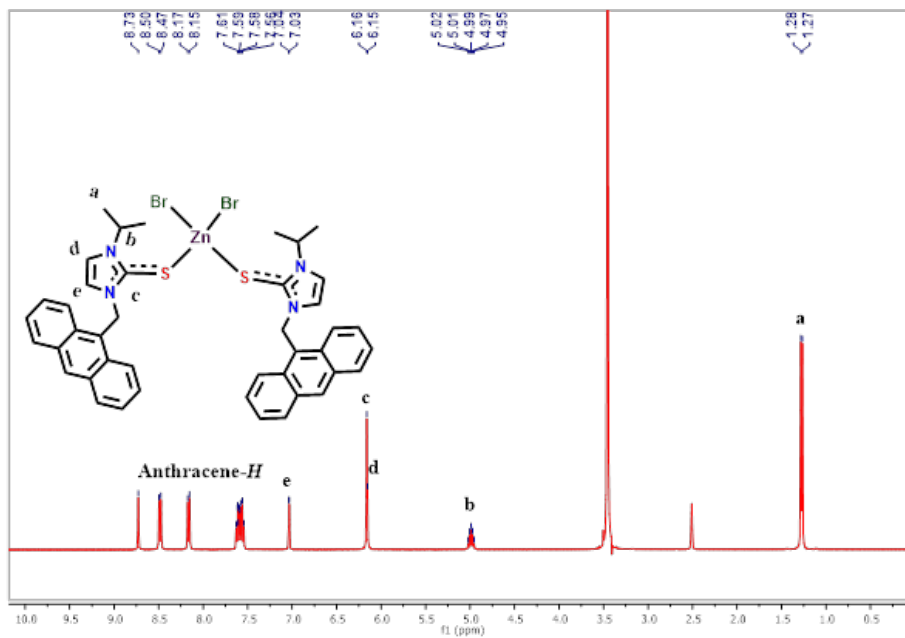


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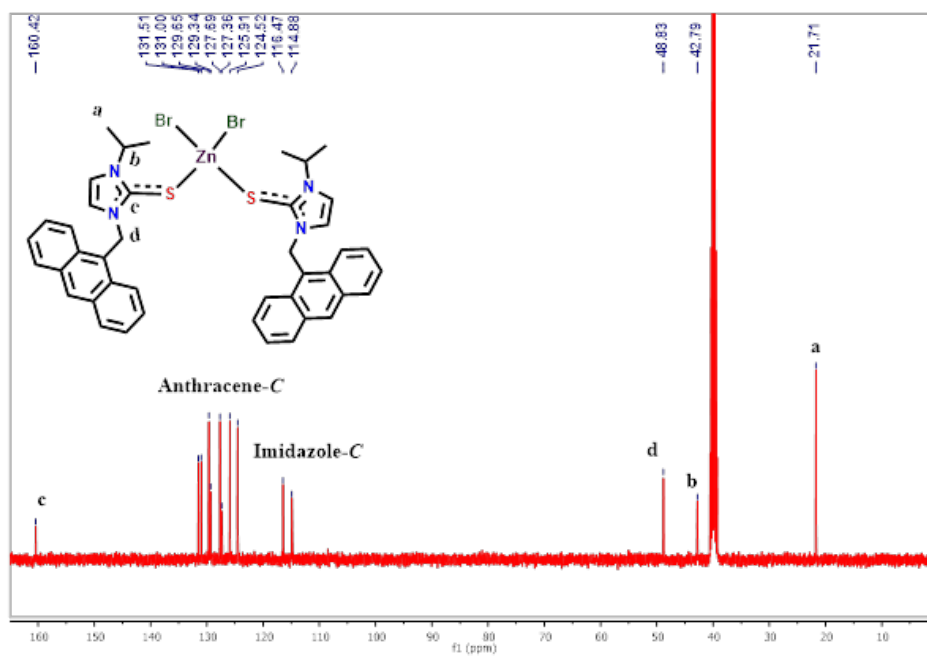


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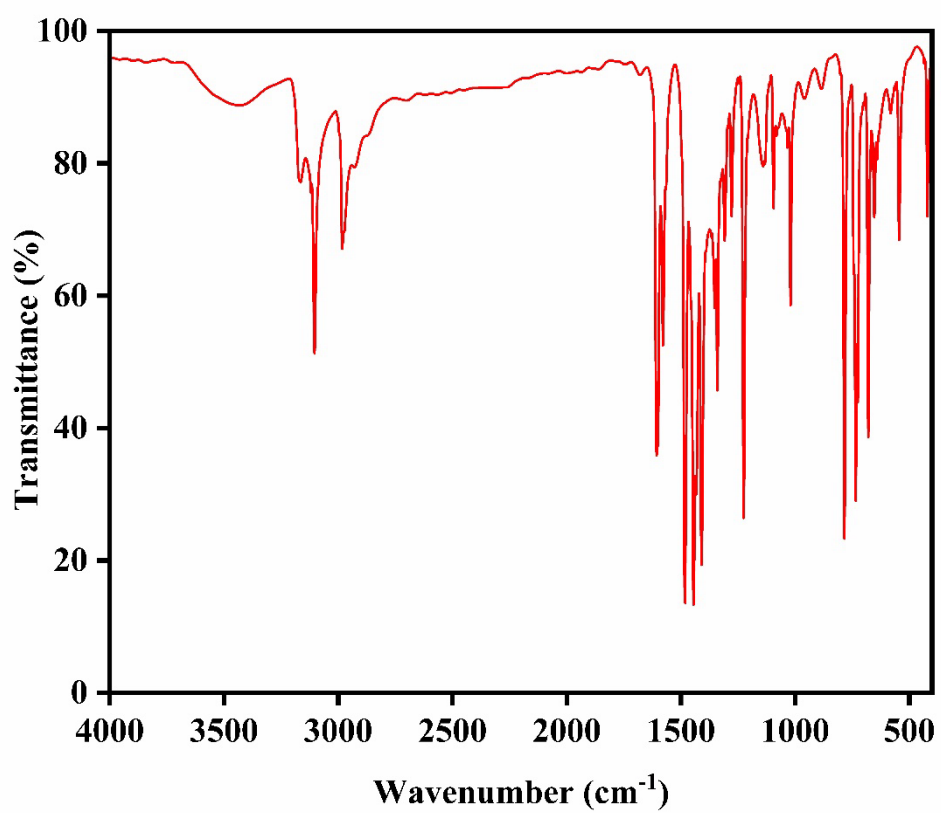


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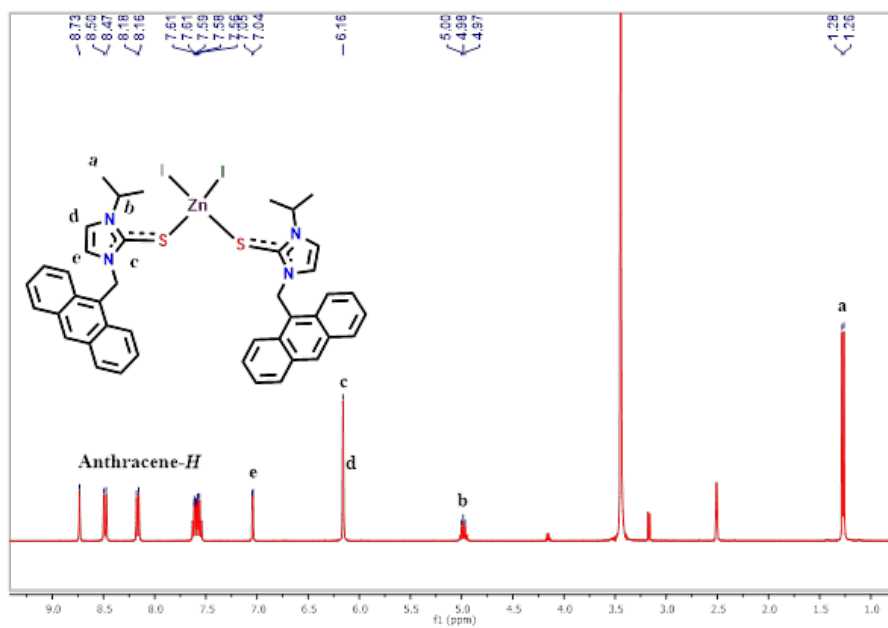


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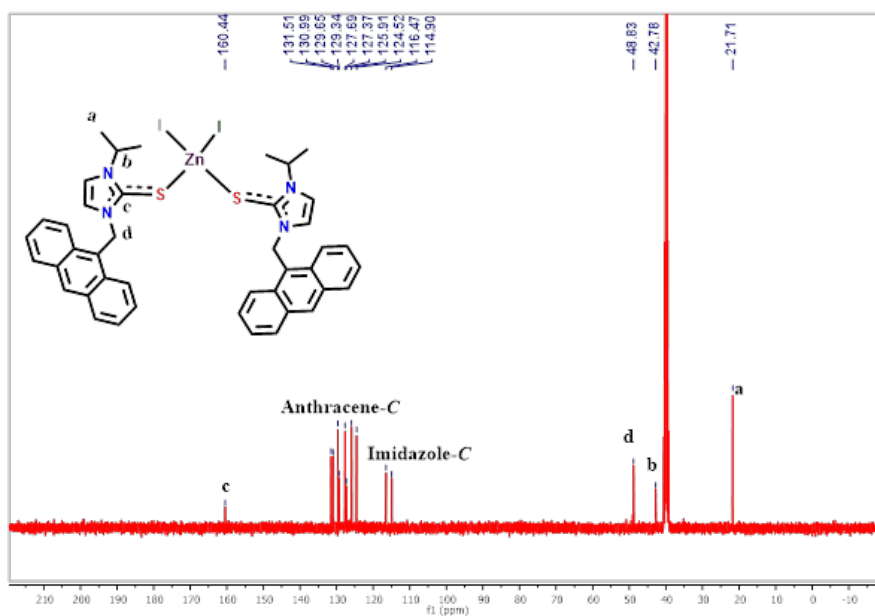


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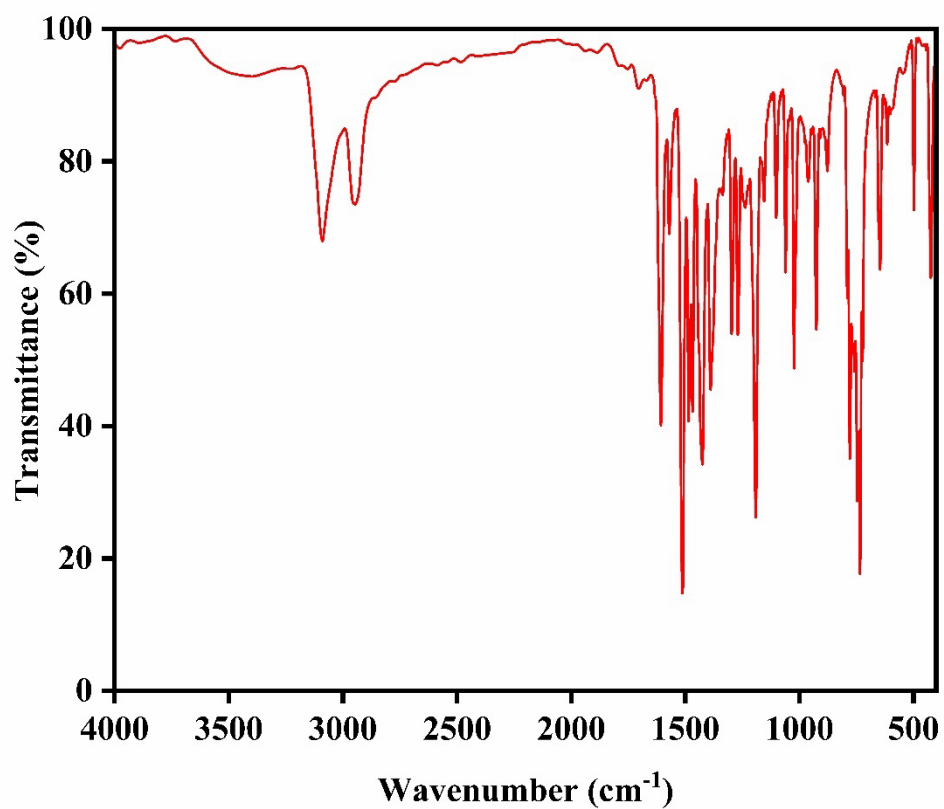


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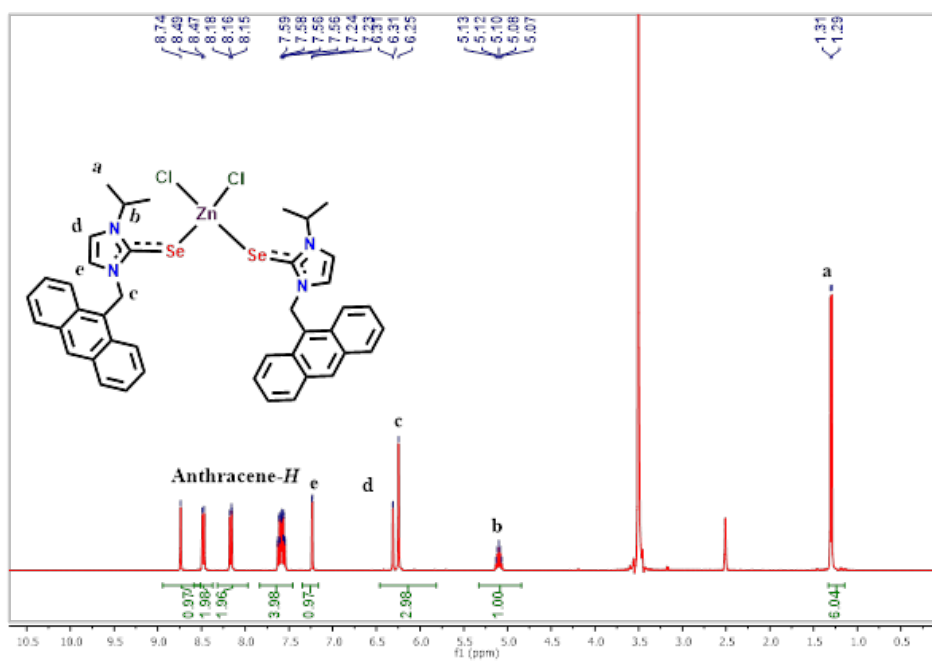


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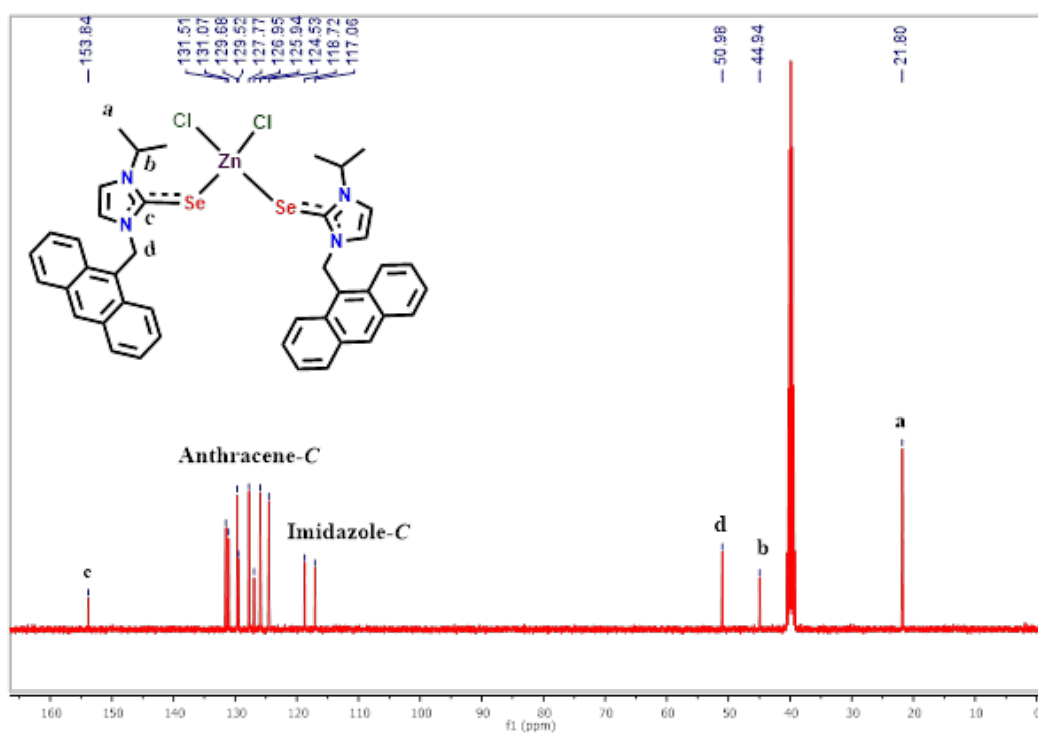


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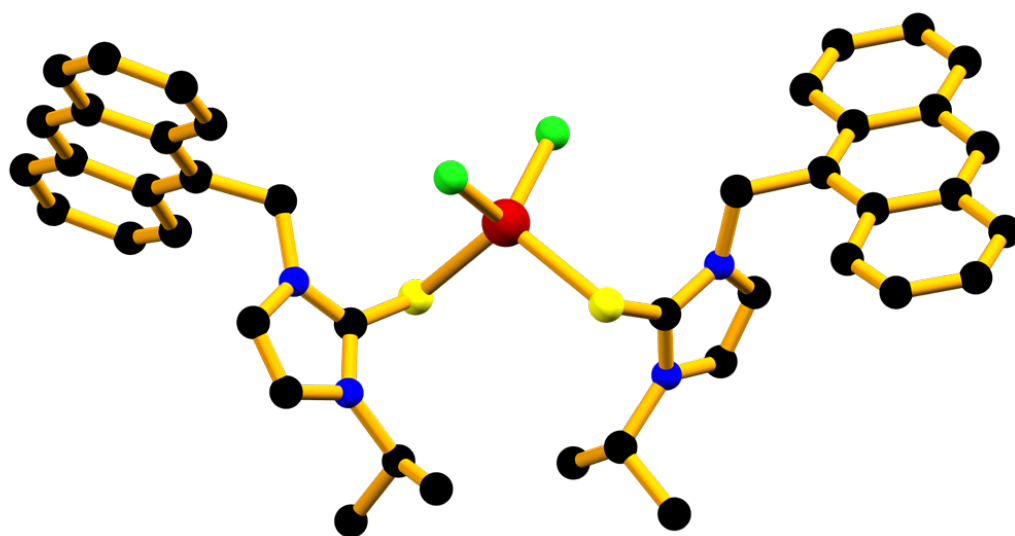


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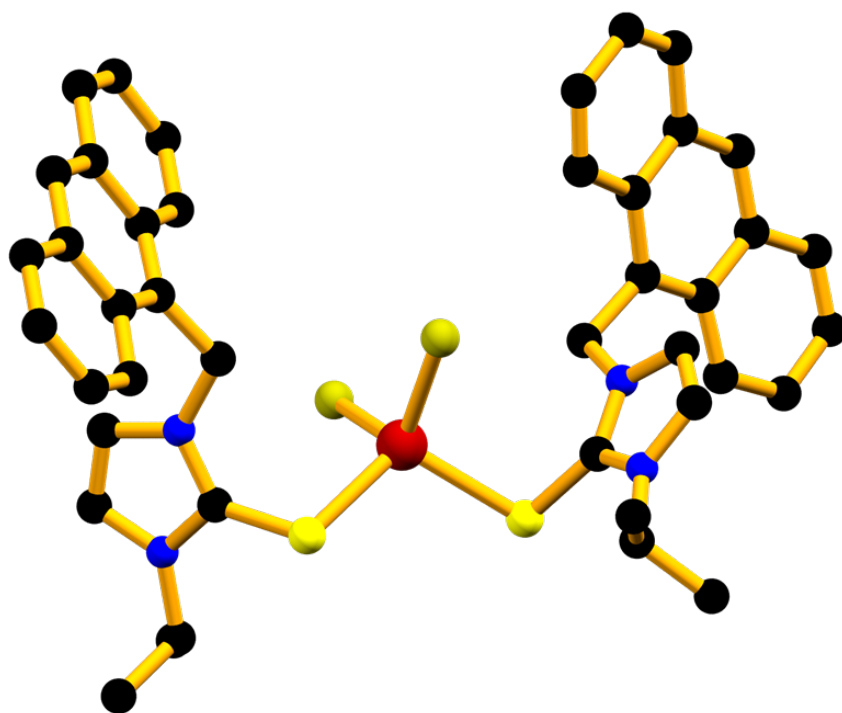


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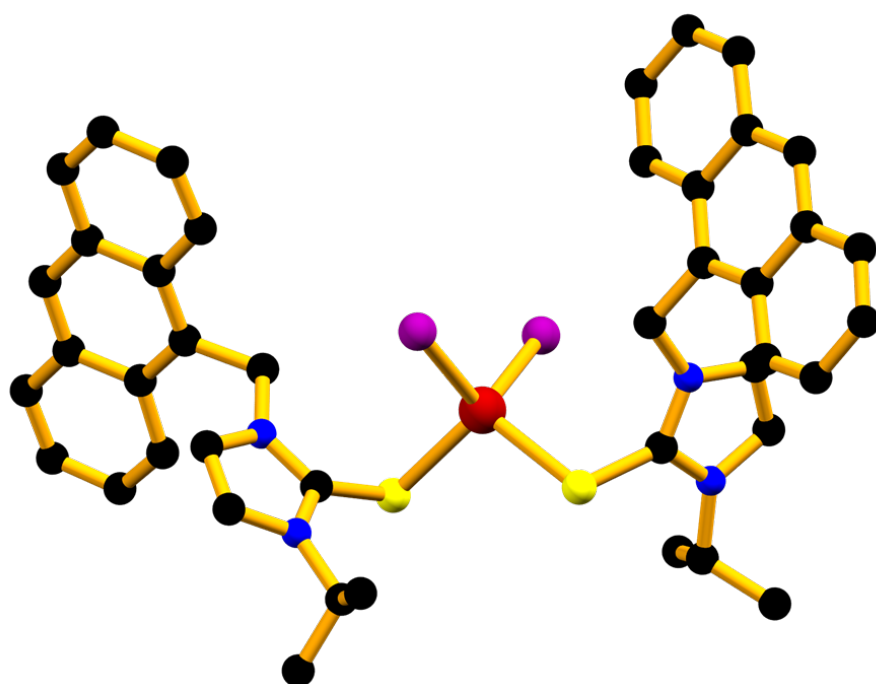


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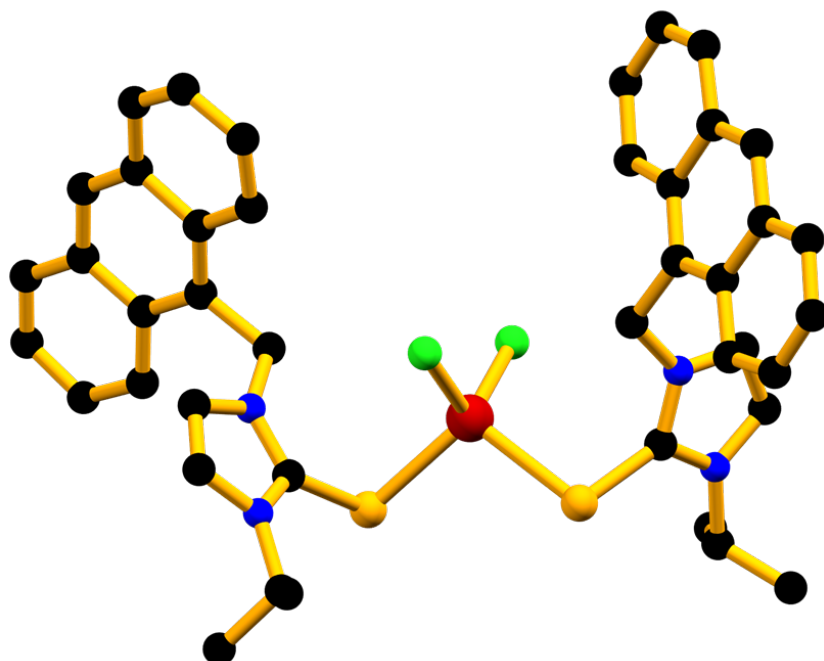


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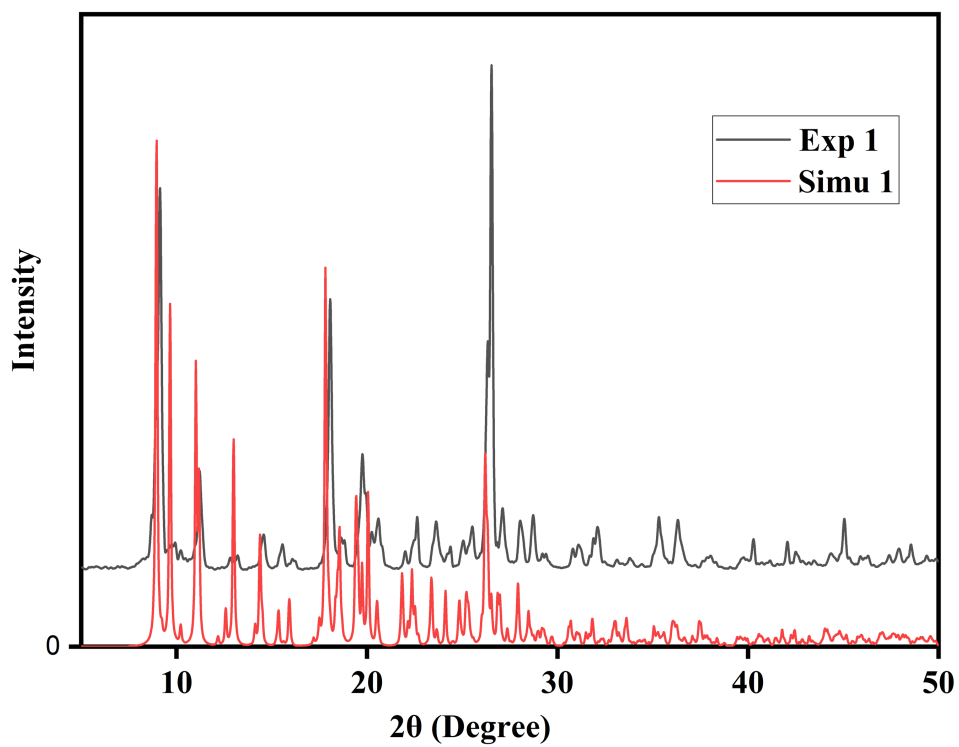


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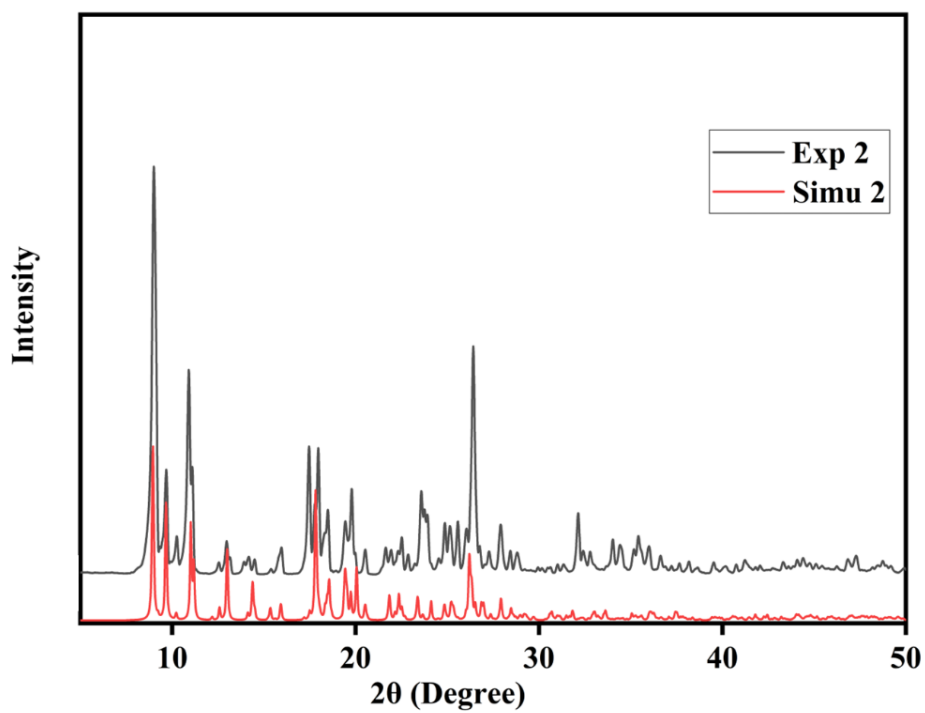


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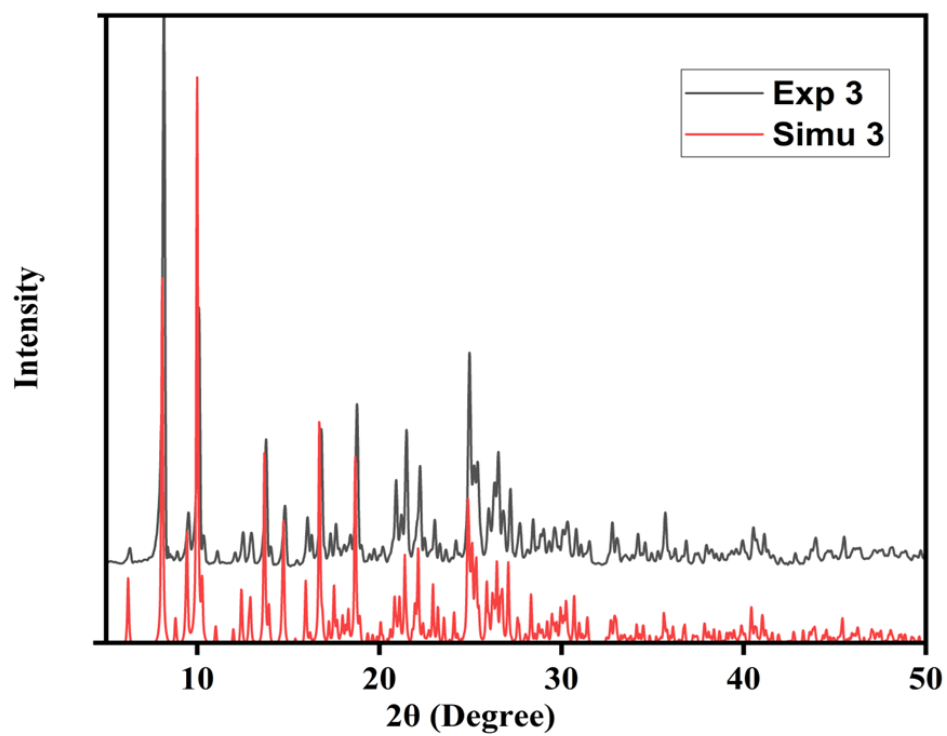


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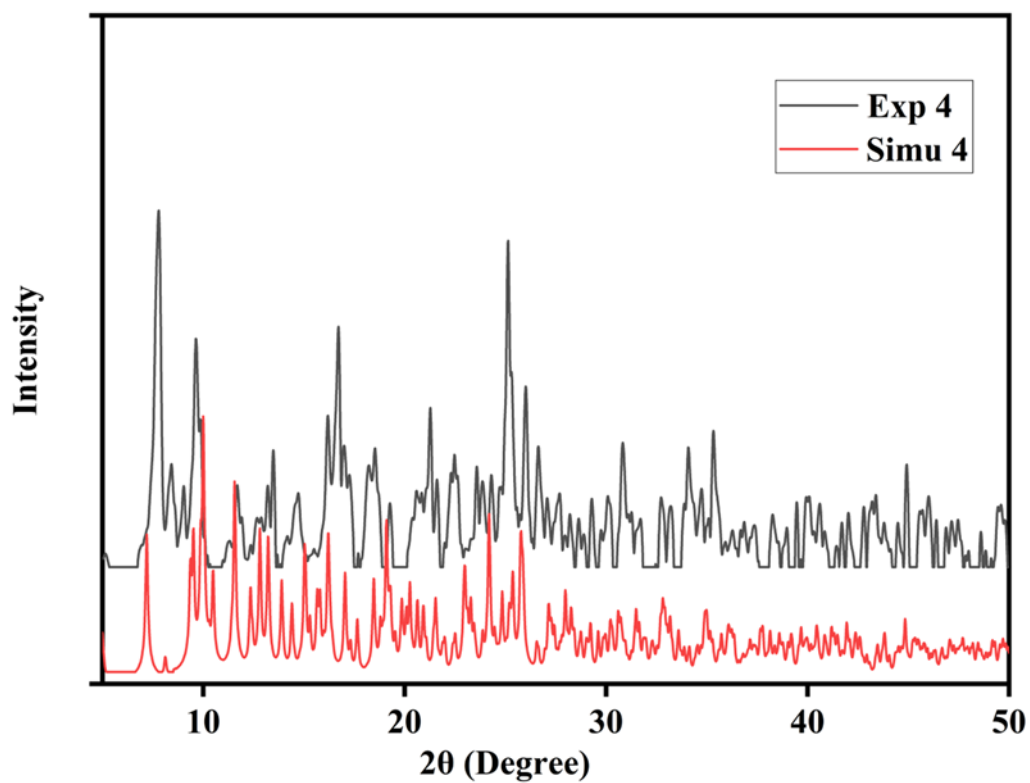


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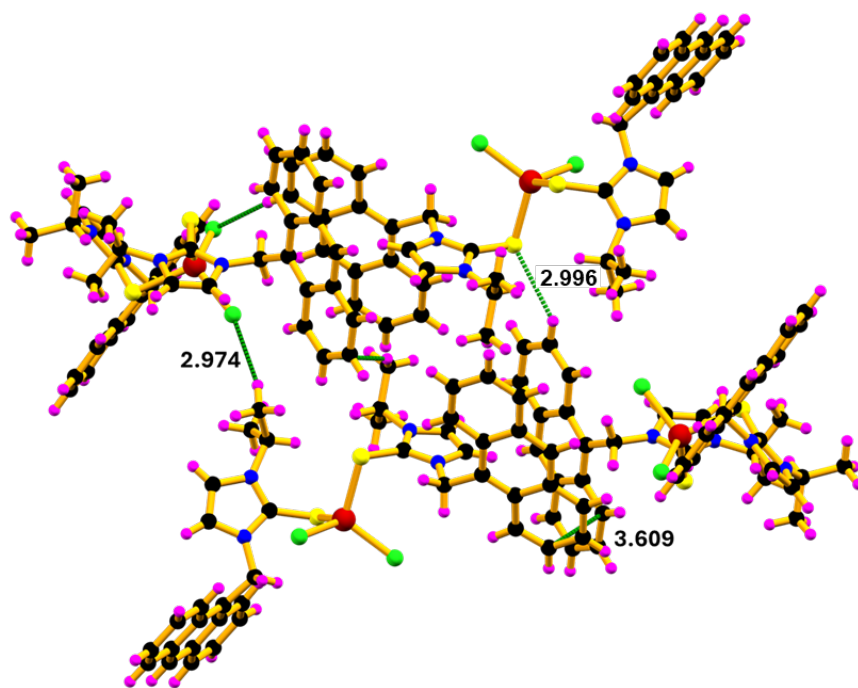


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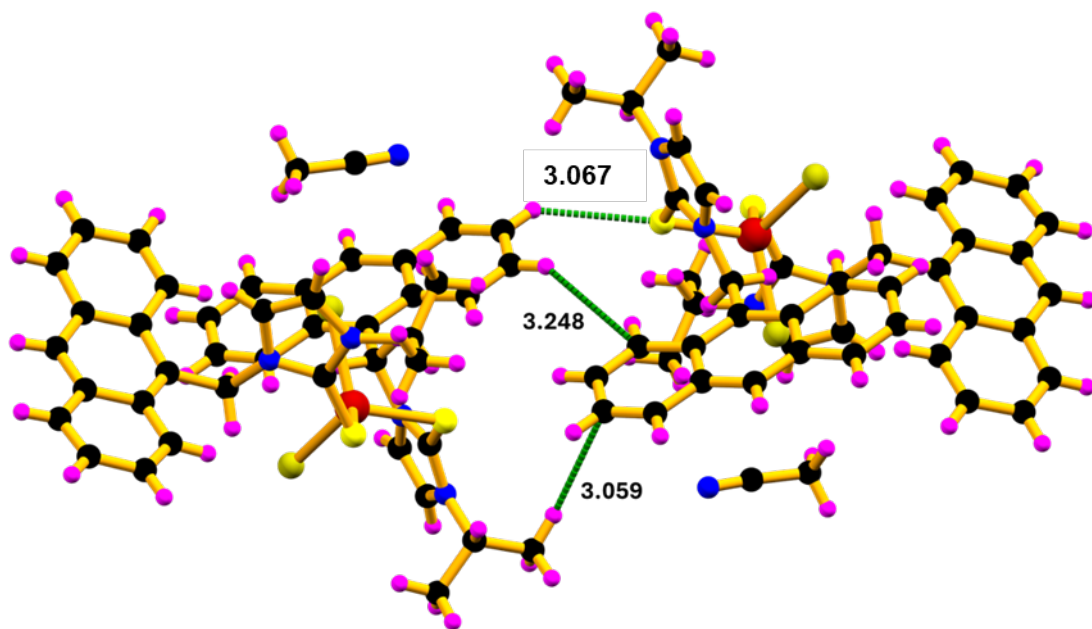


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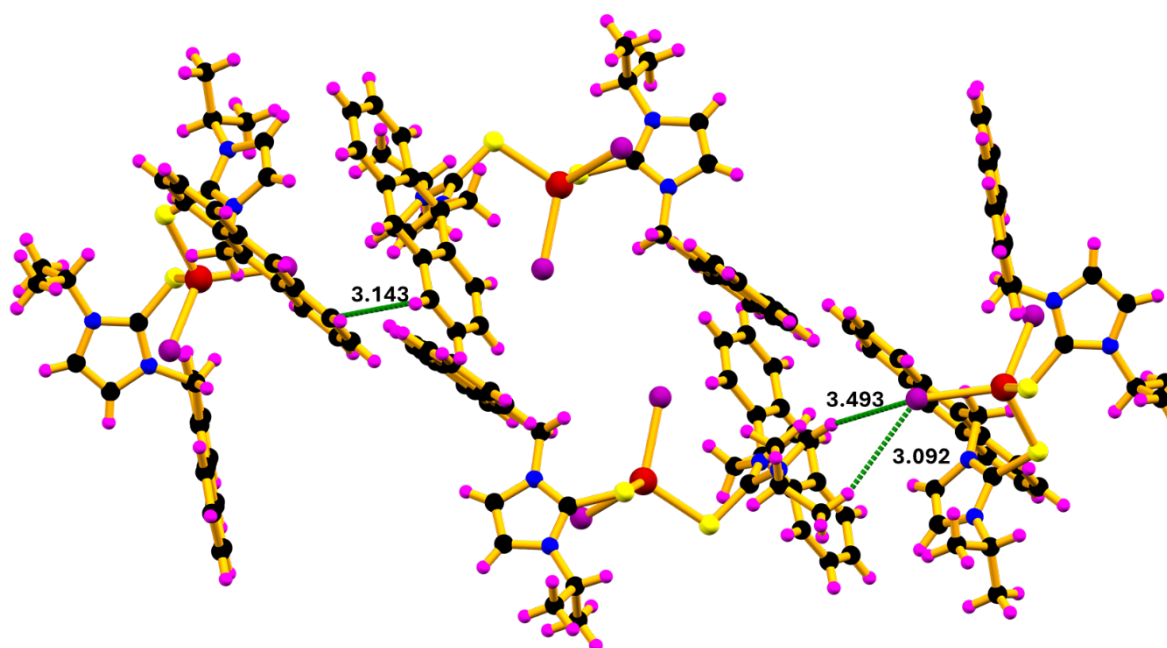


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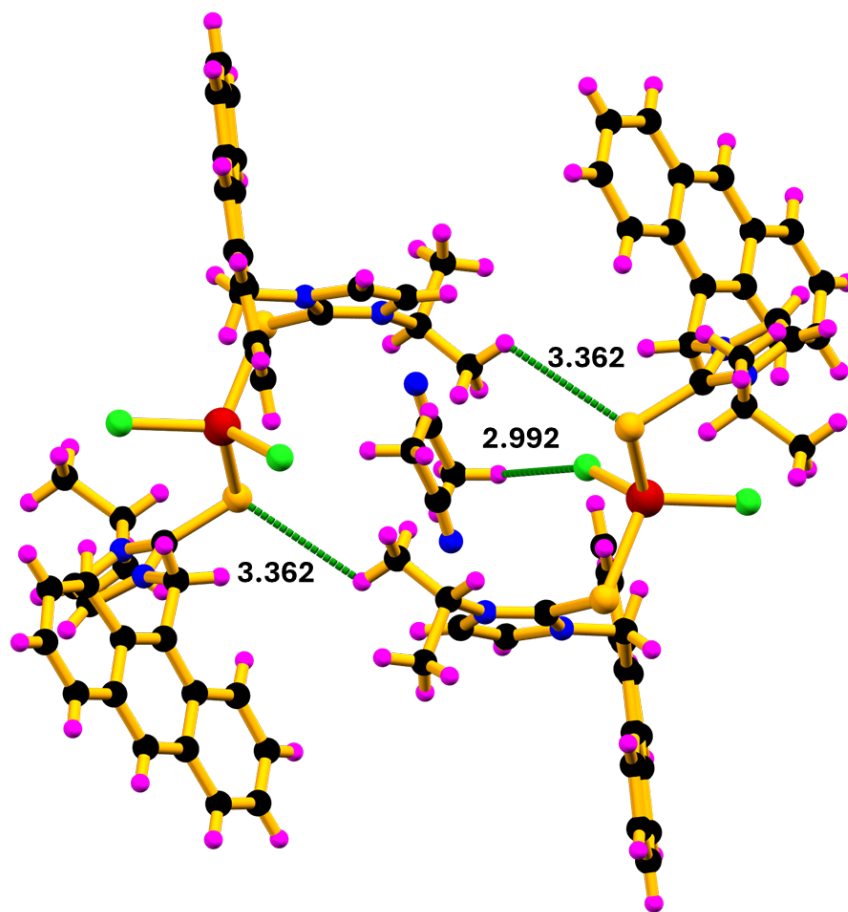


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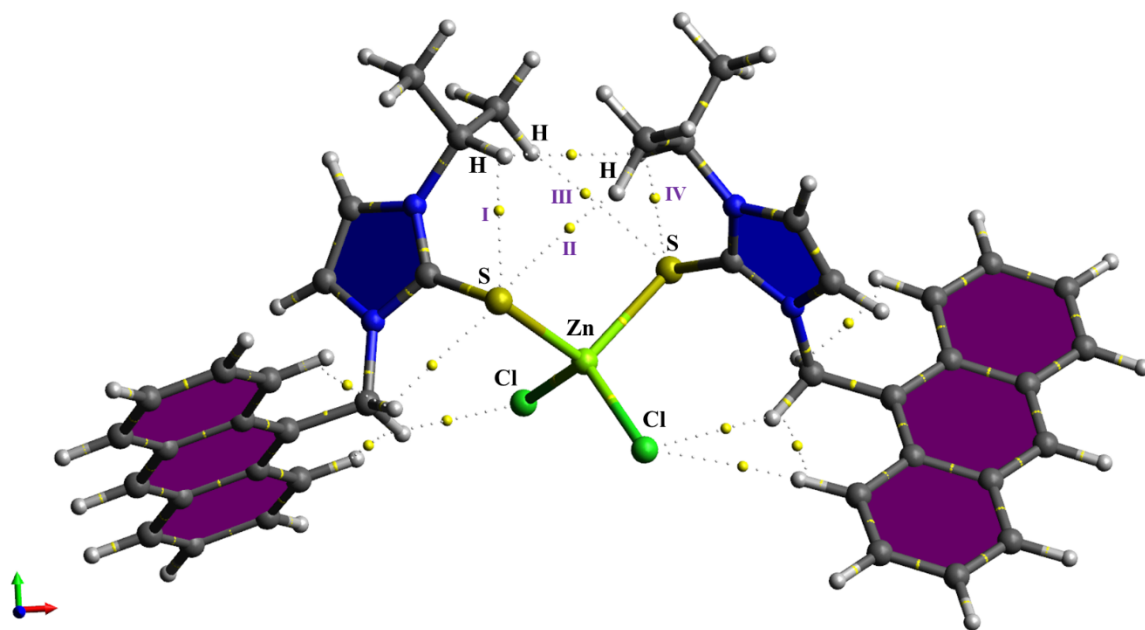


Figure S25: Topological analysis of intramolecular S \cdots H interactions in **1**. (I) $\rho(r) = 0.0145$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.048$; (II) $\rho(r) = 0.004$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0122$; (III) $\rho(r) = 0.0038$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0114$; (IV) $\rho(r) = 0.0136$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0455$.

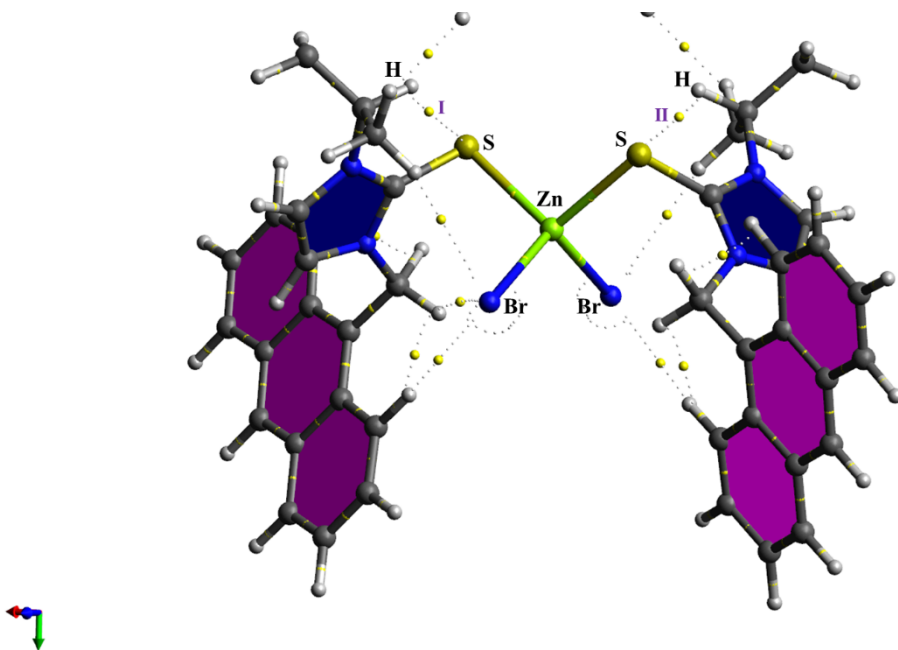


Figure S26: Topological analysis of intramolecular S \cdots H interactions in **2**. (I) $\rho(r) = 0.0146$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0481$; (II) $\rho(r) = 0.0146$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0481$.

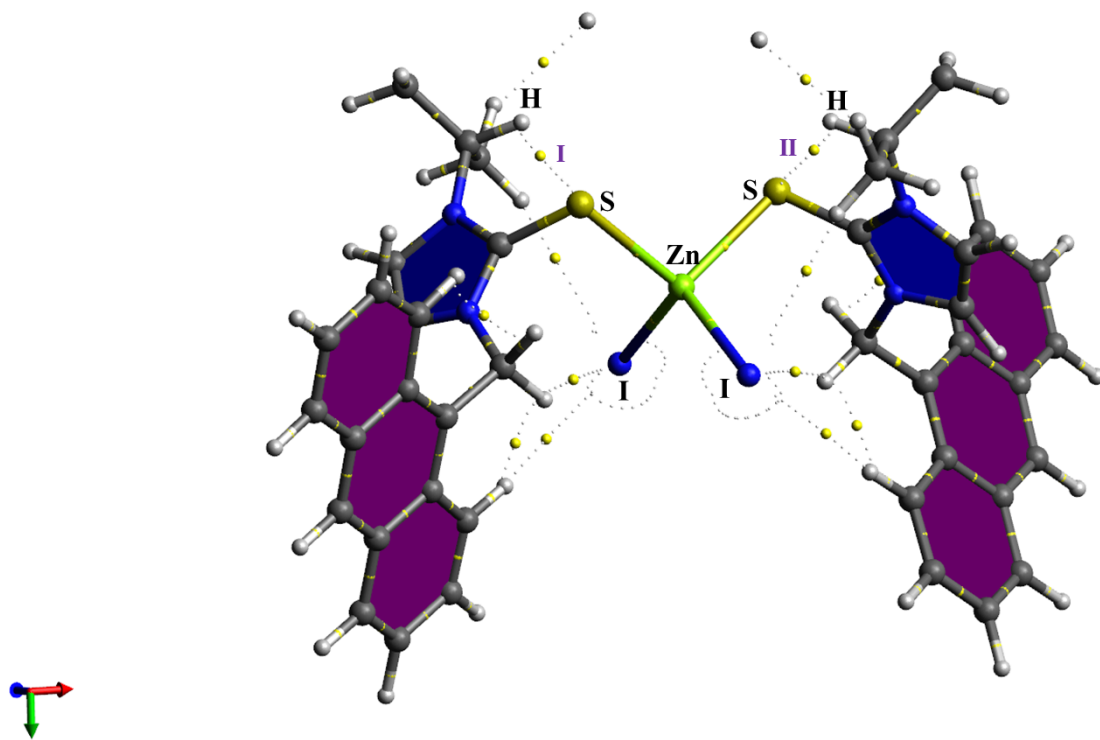


Figure S27: Topological analysis of intramolecular S \cdots H interactions in **3**. (I) $\rho(r) = 0.0146$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0483$; (II) $\rho(r) = 0.0146$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0482$.

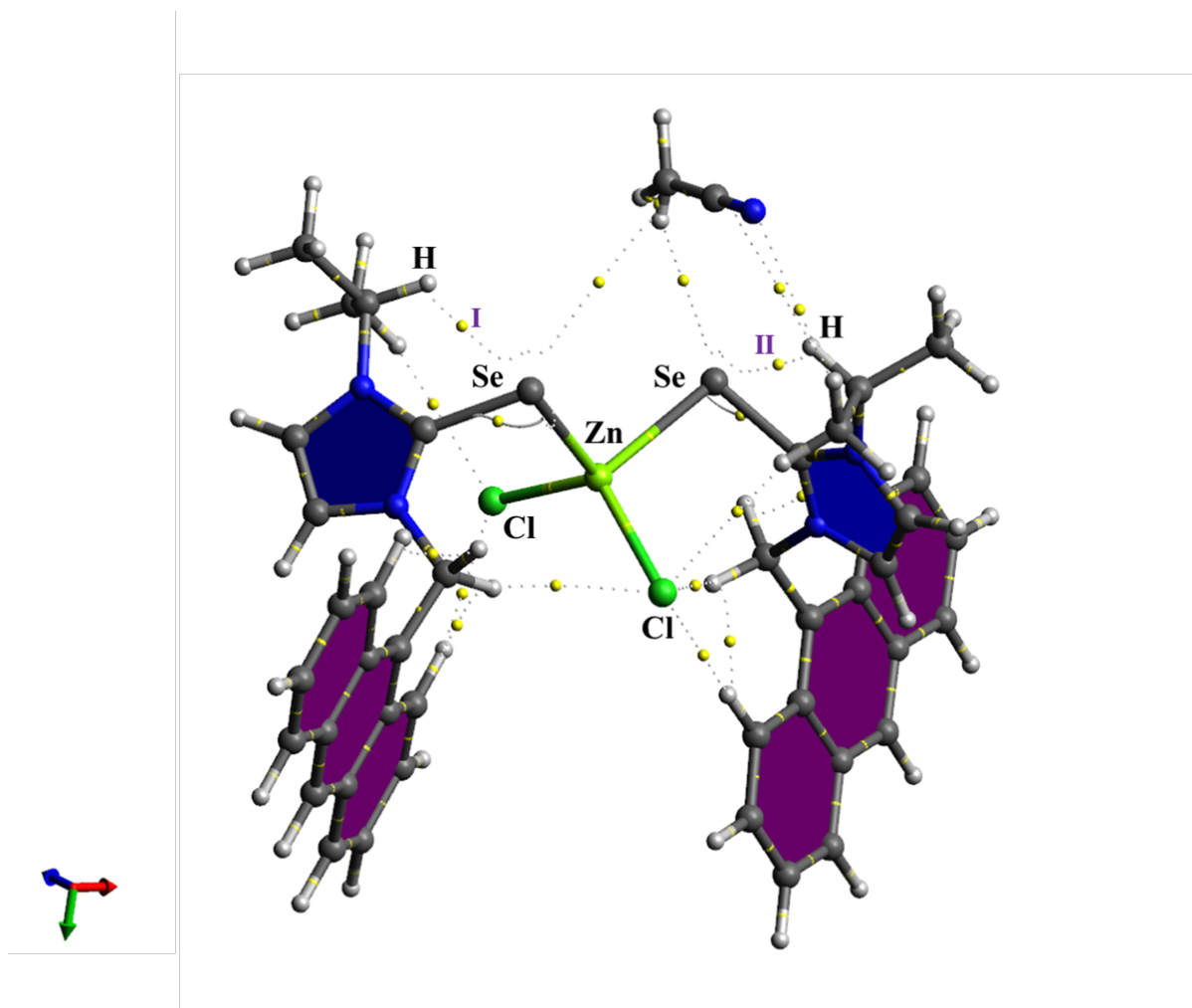


Figure S28: Topological analysis of intramolecular Se \cdots H interactions in **4**. (I) $\rho(r) = 0.0135$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0404$; (II) $\rho(r) = 0.0139$, $\nabla^2\rho(r) = 0.0405$.

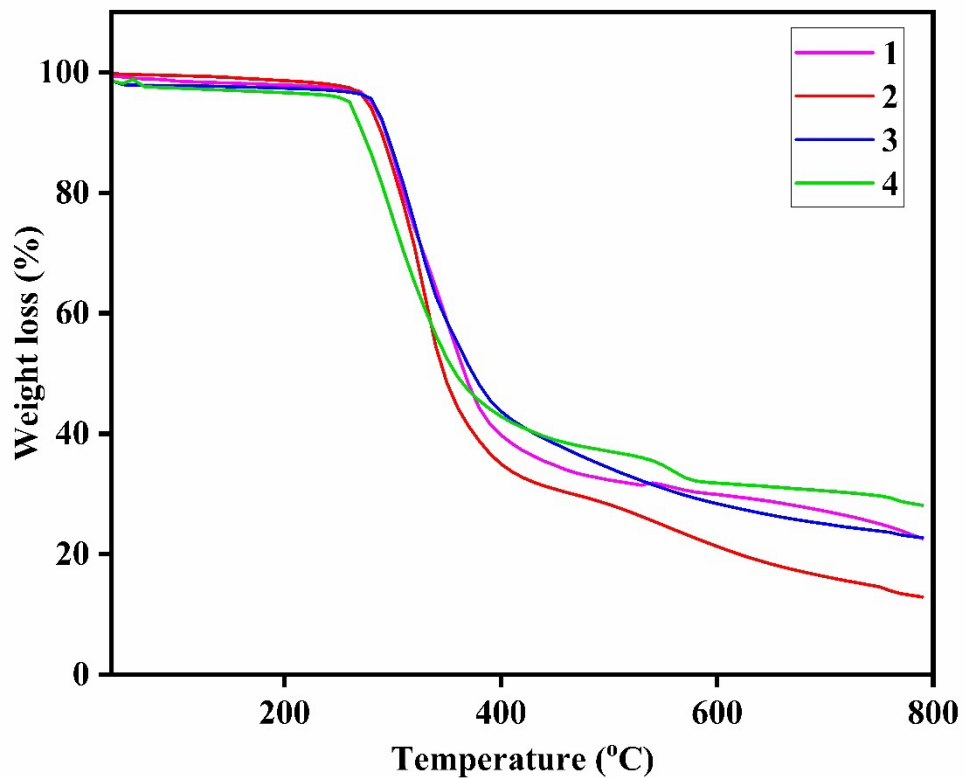


Figure S29: Thermogravimetric analysis of complexes 1-4 from 40-790 °C at a heating range of 10 °C/min under an inert environment.

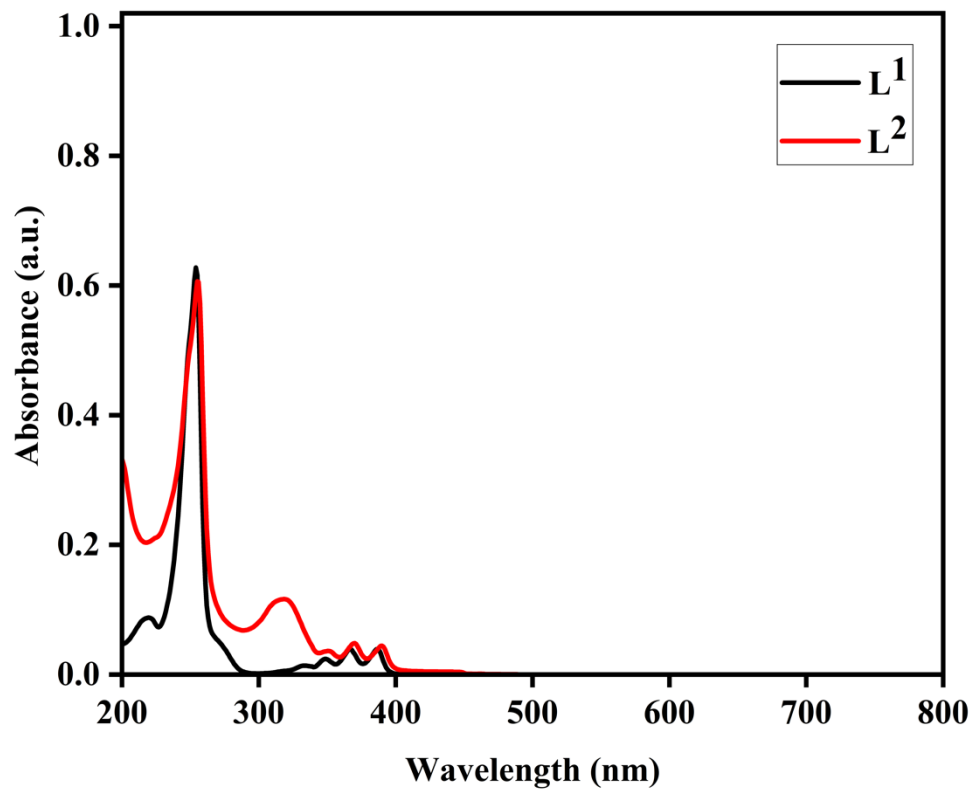


Figure S30: UV-Vis absorption spectra of L¹ and L² in acetonitrile at RT ($C = 1 \times 10^{-5}$ M).

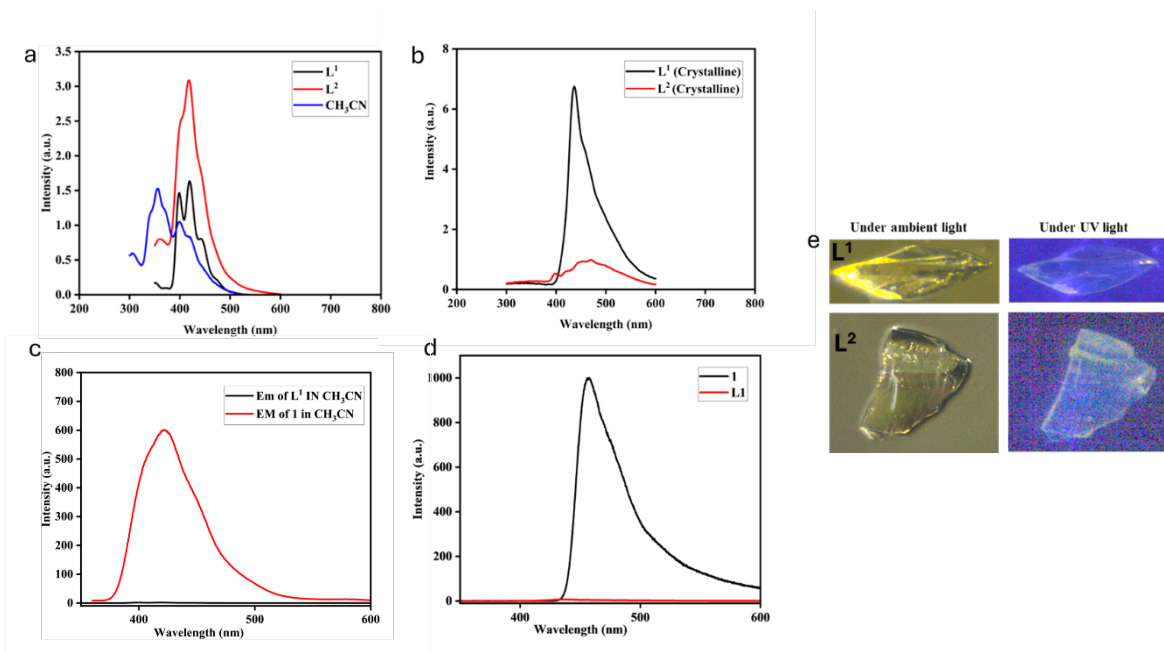


Figure S31: (a) Emission spectra of L^1 and L^2 at RT in solution state using acetonitrile ($C = 1 \times 10^{-5}$ M), (b) Emission spectra of L^1 and L^2 in the crystalline state at RT, (c) Emission spectra of L^1 vs 1 in acetonitrile using the same concentration at RT, (d) Emission spectra of L^1 vs 1 in the crystalline state at RT, (e) Crystal images of L^1 and L^2 under ambient light vs under UV light.

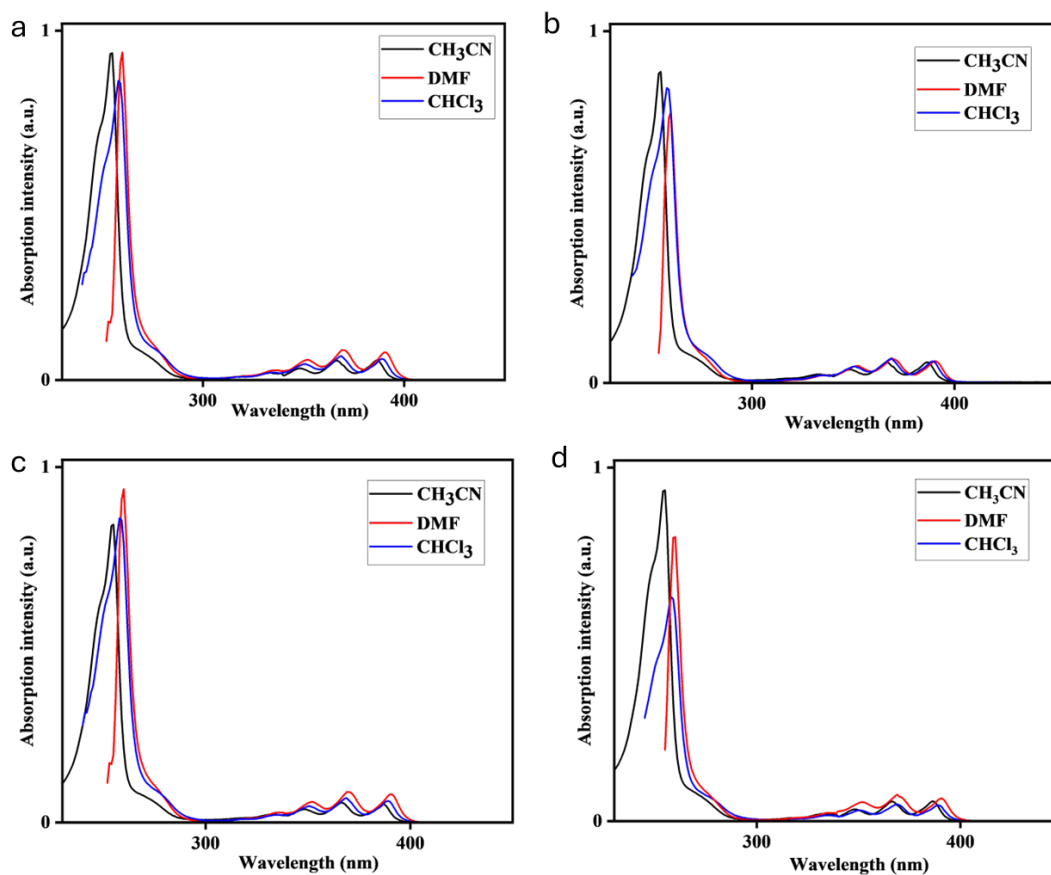


Figure S32: UV-Vis absorption spectra of **1**(a), **2**(b), **3**(c), and **4**(d) in acetonitrile (black solid line), DMF (red solid line), and CHCl₃ (blue solid line) ($C = 1 \times 10^{-5}$ M).

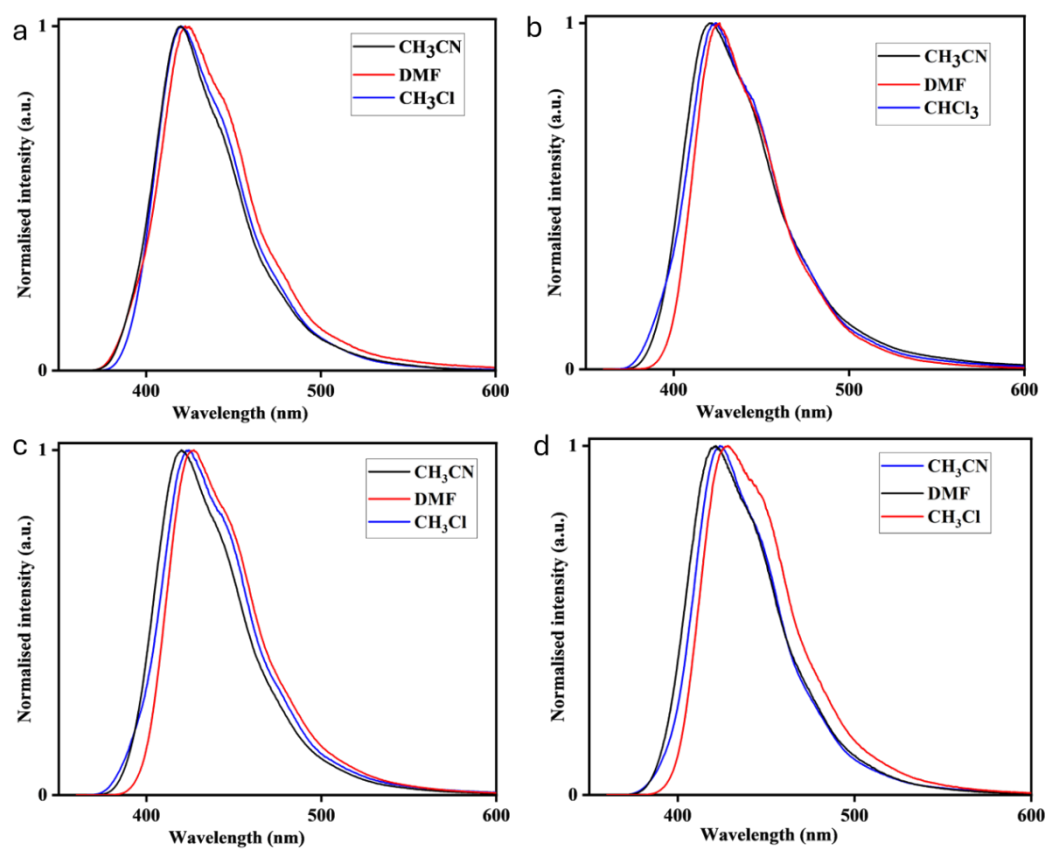


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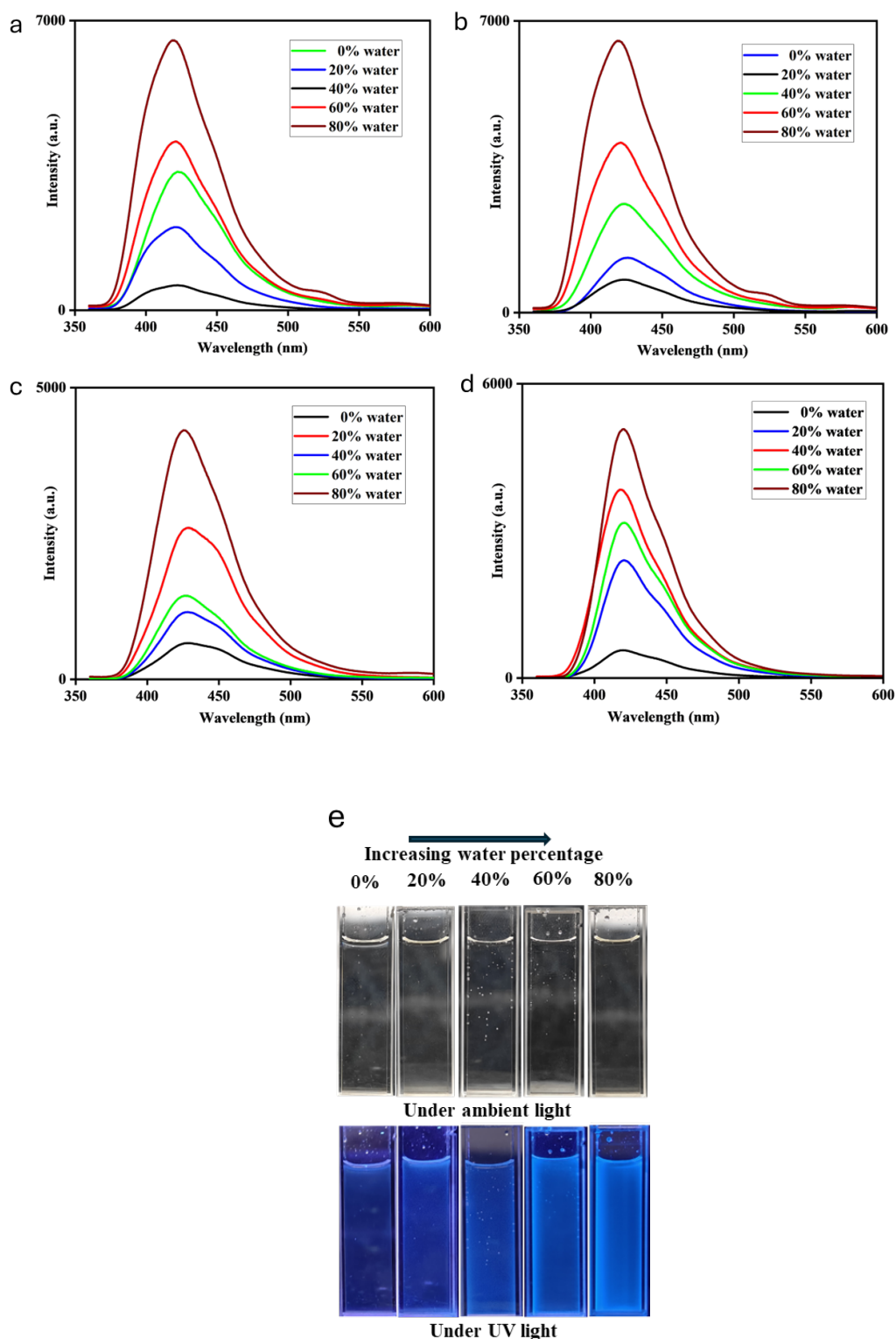


Figure S34: Emission spectra of **1**(a), **2**(b), **3**(c), and **4**(d) in DMF ($C = 10^{-5}$ M) with increasing water concentration from 20% to 80% showing an increase in emission intensity upon aggregation, (e) images of solution of **1** in DMF under ambient light and under UV light with increasing water percentage from 0% to 80%.

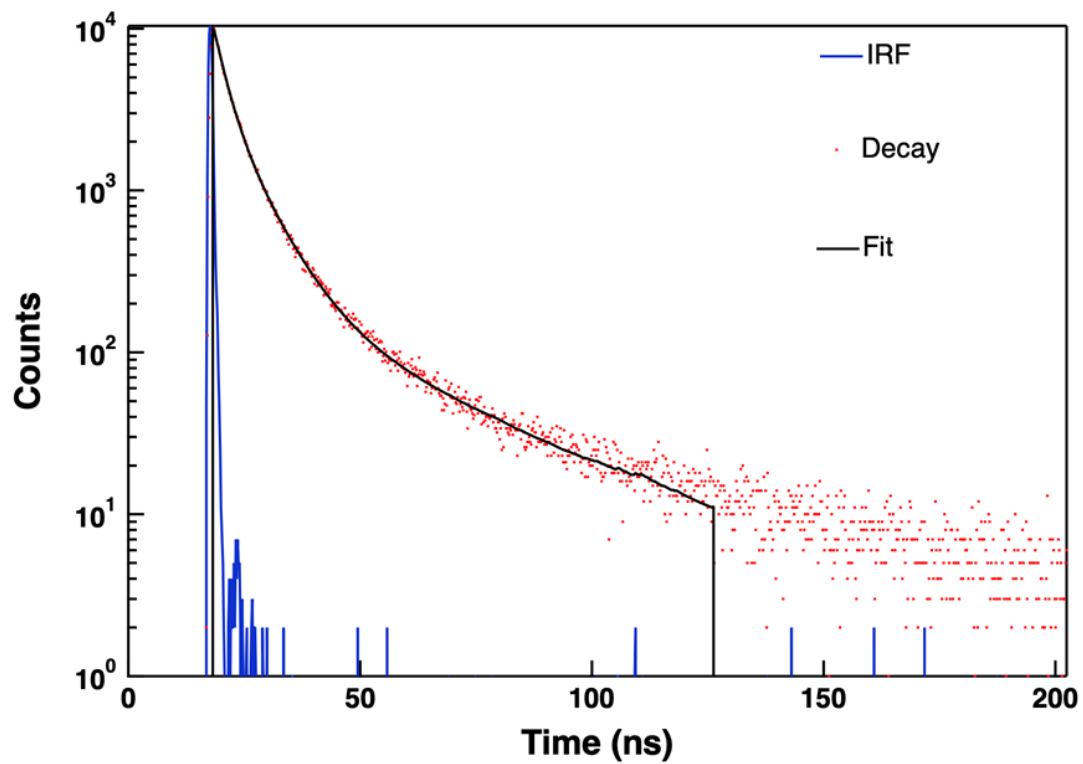


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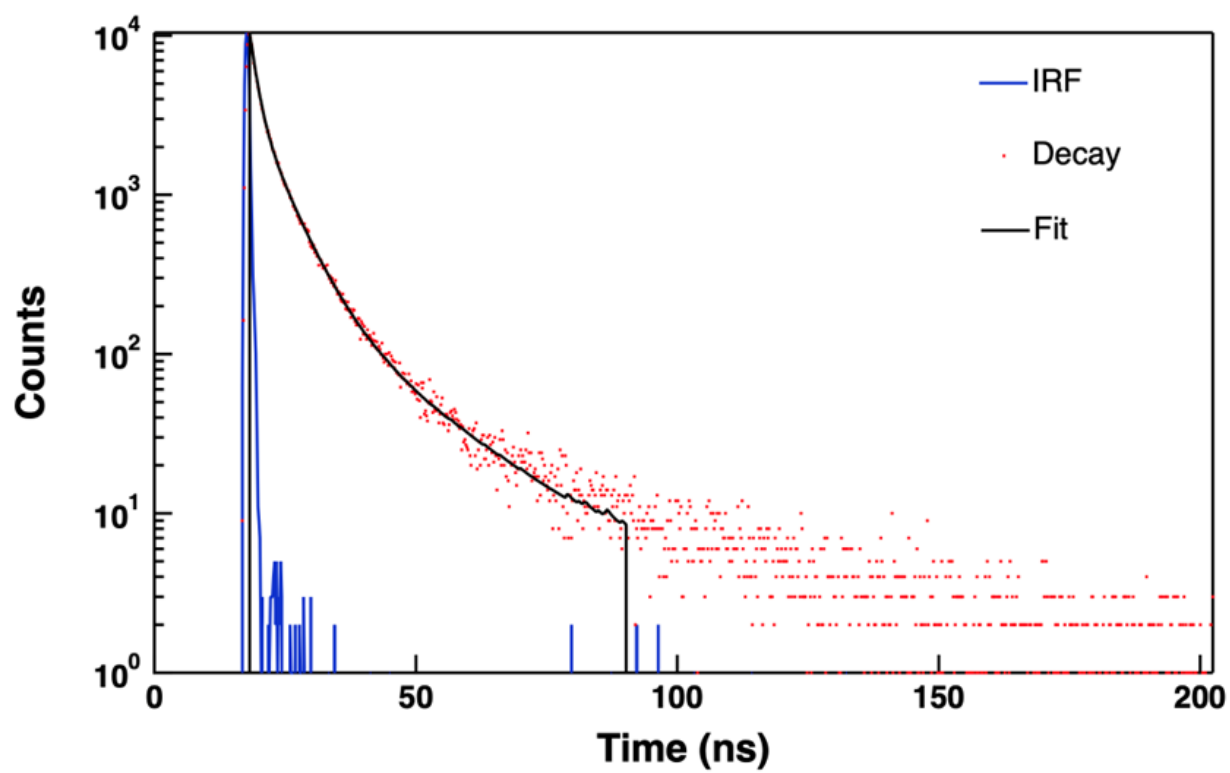


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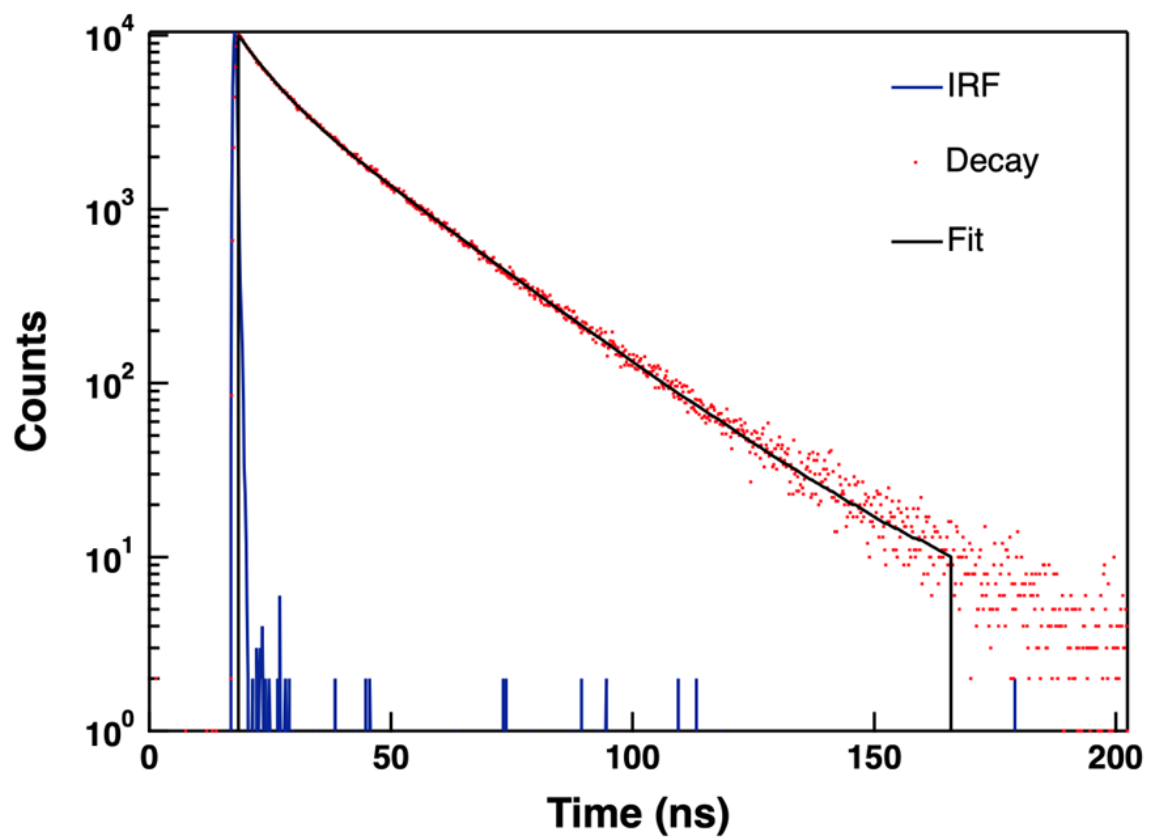


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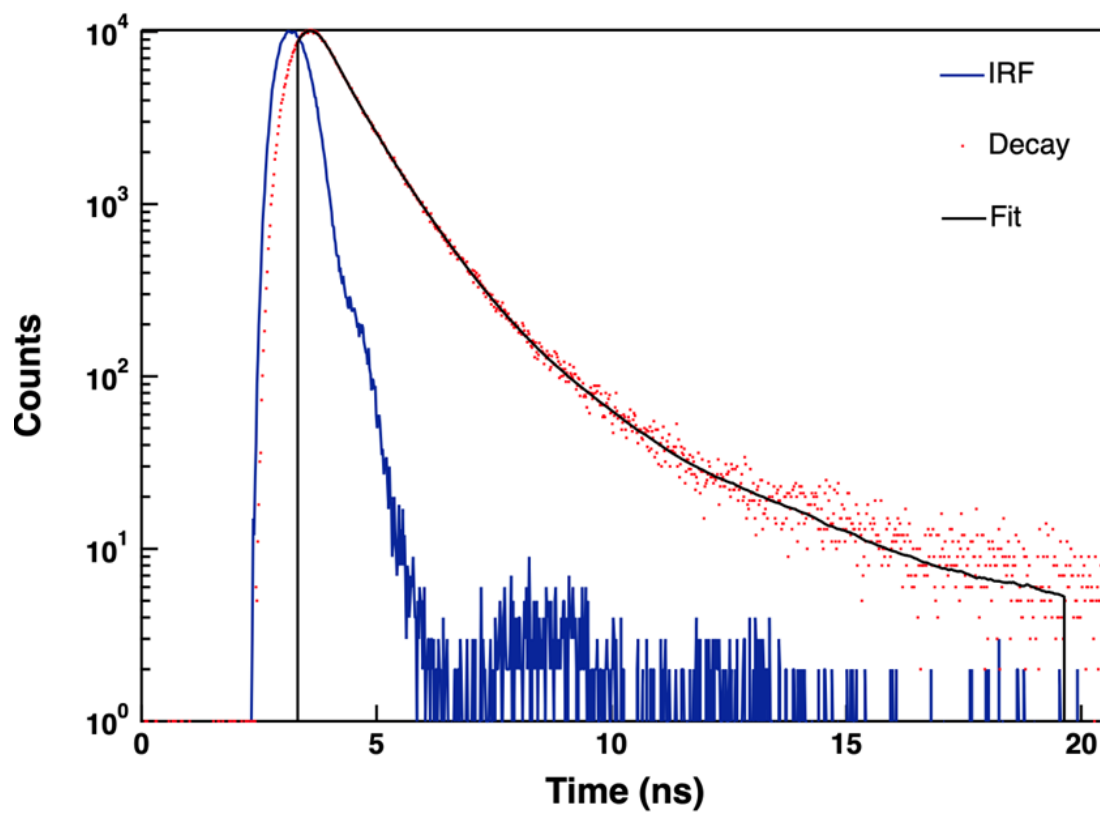


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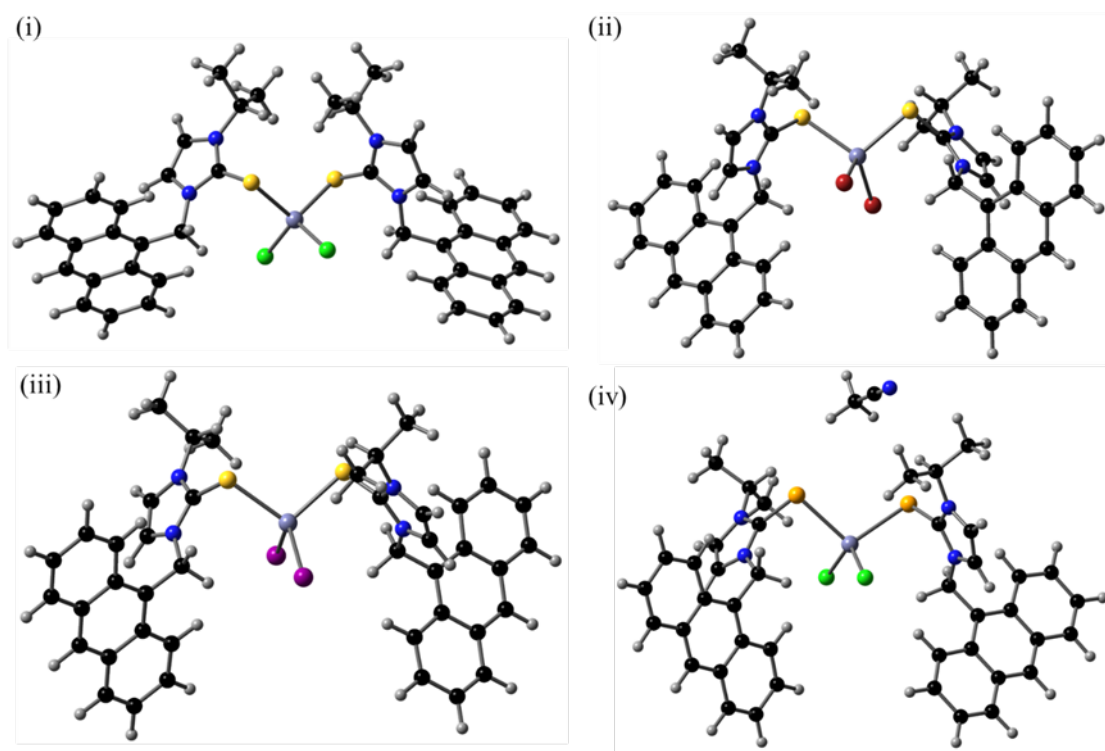


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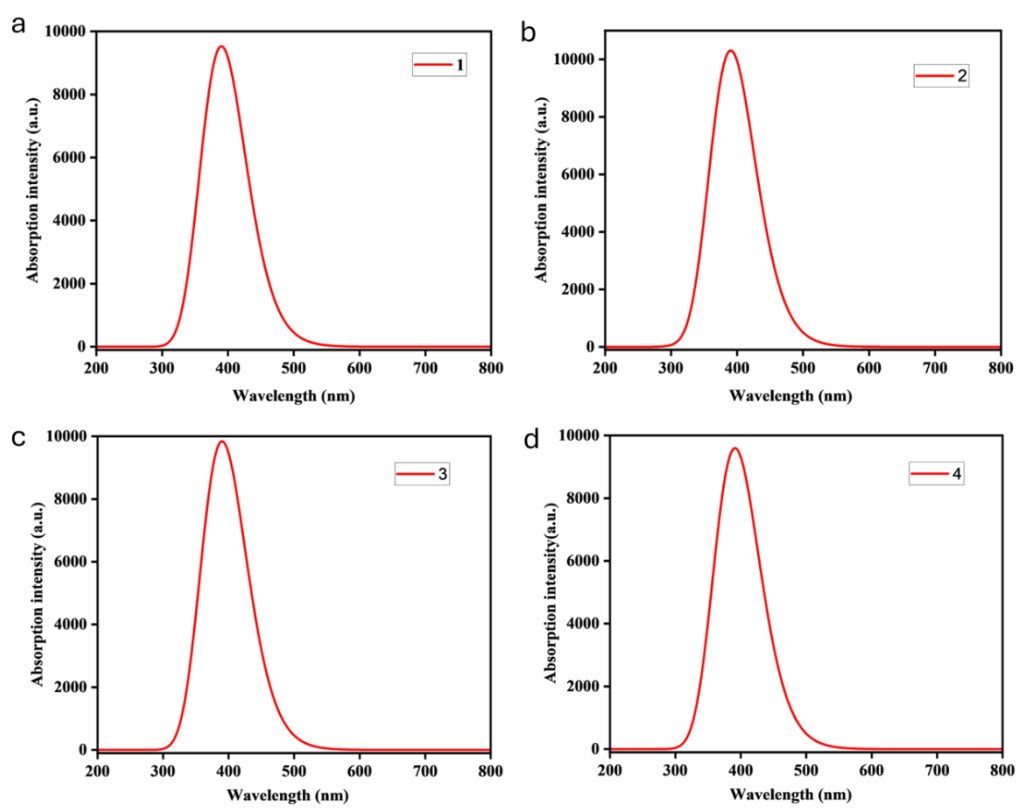


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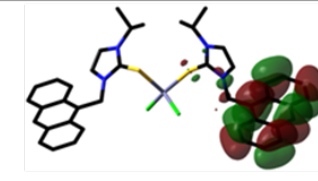
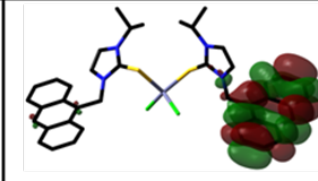
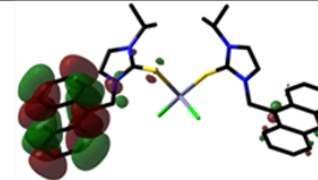
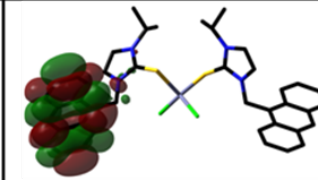
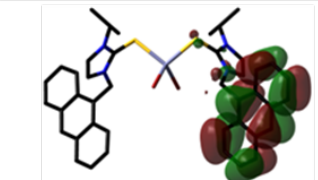
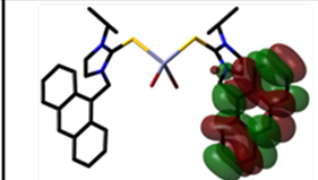
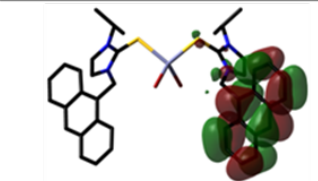
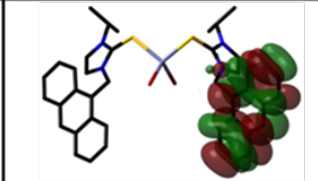
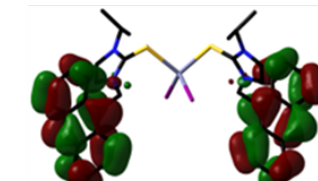
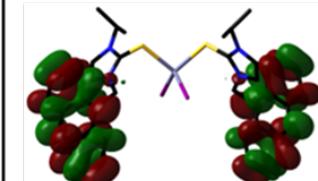
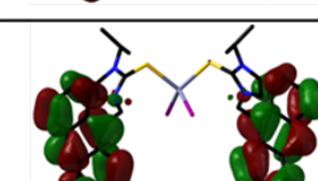
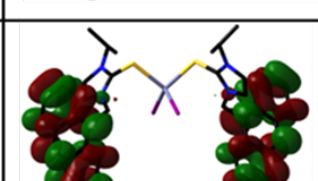
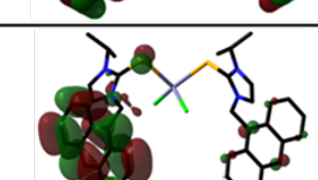
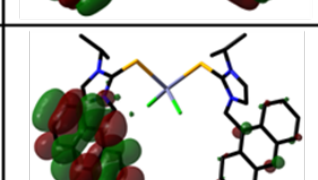
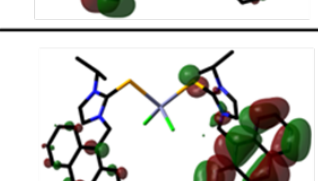
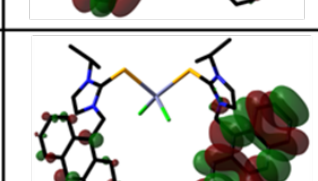
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2	S_1 w = 0.52 3.1737 (0.1483) 390.67 nm		
	S_2 w = 0.52 3.1869 (0.0868) 389.04 nm		
3	S_1 w = 0.51 3.1755 (0.1772) 390.43 nm		
	S_2 w = 0.51 3.1881 (0.064) 388.89 nm		
4	S_1 w = 0.64 3.1605 (0.1086) 392.29 nm		
	S_2 w = 0.64 3.1754 (0.126) 390.45 nm		

Figure S41: Natural transition orbitals (NTOs) of complexes 1-4 illustrate the active singlet excited states in the absorption bands. NTO pairs that contribute more than 50% to each excited state.

Table S1: Change in the chemical shift values of the C=S and C=Se Carbon atom in complexes **1-4** compared to that of ligands **L¹** and **L²** in DMSO-*d*₆.

Ligand	C=S Carbon (δ_c ppm)	Complex	C=S Carbon (δ_c ppm)	Shift in δ_c (ppm)
L¹	167.37 ppm	1	160.42 ppm	6.95 ppm
	167.37 ppm	2	160.42 ppm	6.95 ppm
	167.37 ppm	3	160.44 ppm	6.93 ppm
L²	160.76 ppm	4	154.84 ppm	6.92 ppm

Table S2. Fitting parameters of fluorescence decay of **1-4**. (RA_x = Relative amplitude of x-th component)

Compound	τ, ns	τ_1, ns	τ_2, ns	RA1	RA2	decay	Emission nm
1	4.581	1.32	5.11	4330.37	1001.38	bi-exponential	455
2	8.502	2.47	7.03	1893.38	854.30	bi-exponential	475
3	18.08	6.55	21.37	1283	1379.3	bi-exponential	535
4	0.95	0.37	0.99	289.62	246.45	bi-exponential	425

Table S3. The structural parameters of complexes 1-4.

Identification code	1	2	3	4
Empirical formula	C ₄₂ H ₄₀ Cl ₂ N ₄ S ₂ Zn	C ₄₂ H ₄₀ Br ₂ N ₄ S ₂ Zn	C ₄₂ H ₄₀ I ₂ N ₄ S ₂ Zn	C _{43.5} H _{41.5} Cl ₂ N ₅ Se ₂ Zn
Formula weight	801.17	890.09	984.07	928.567
Temperature/K	273.15	273.15	273.15	298.15
Crystal system	monoclinic	triclinic	monoclinic	triclinic
Space group	C2/c	P-1	P2 ₁ /c	P-1
a/Å	39.7664(15)	9.7737(15)	10.1471(17)	9.833(4)
b/Å	10.2851(4)	12.6125(19)	18.739(3)	12.903(5)
c/Å	20.4074(8)	18.399(3)	22.137(4)	18.383(8)
α/°	90	78.893(5)	90	78.137(14)
β/°	105.501(2)	77.020(5)	98.777(6)	76.450(14)
γ/°	90	74.820(5)	90	74.168(14)
Volume/Å ³	8043.1(5)	2111.3(6)	4160.0(12)	2156.3(15)
Z	8	2	4	2
ρ _{calc} /g/cm ³	1.323	1.400	1.571	1.430
μ/mm ⁻¹	0.882	2.606	2.209	2.417
F(000)	3328.0	904.0	1952.0	940.6
Crystal size/mm ³	0.27 × 0.21 × 0.17	0.28 × 0.18 × 0.17	0.2 × 0.17 × 0.16	0.28 × 0.17 × 0.17
Radiation	MoKα (λ = 0.71073)	MoKα (λ = 0.71073)	MoKα (λ = 0.71073)	Mo Kα (λ = 0.71073)
2θ range for data collection/°	4.1 to 54.302	3.806 to 54.382	3.724 to 54.702	4.32 to 53.1
Index ranges	-48 ≤ h ≤ 50, -13 ≤ k ≤ 13, -26 ≤ l ≤ 26	-12 ≤ h ≤ 12, -16 ≤ k ≤ 16, -23 ≤ l ≤ 23	-13 ≤ h ≤ 12, -23 ≤ k ≤ 24, -28 ≤ l ≤ 28	-12 ≤ h ≤ 11, -16 ≤ k ≤ 16, -23 ≤ l ≤ 22
Reflections collected	90769	42432	148885	41203
Independent reflections	8911 [R _{int} = 0.0736, R _{sigma} = 0.0366]	9377 [R _{int} = 0.0894, R _{sigma} = 0.0787]	9316 [R _{int} = 0.1543, R _{sigma} = 0.0629]	8945 [R _{int} = 0.0518, R _{sigma} = 0.0437]
Data/restraints/parameters	8911/0/464	9377/0/464	9316/0/464	8945/0/492
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.030	1.036	1.016	1.015
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0388, wR ₂ = 0.0907	R ₁ = 0.0555, wR ₂ = 0.1249	R ₁ = 0.0471, wR ₂ = 0.0908	R ₁ = 0.0375, wR ₂ = 0.0857
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0648, wR ₂ = 0.1028	R ₁ = 0.1152, wR ₂ = 0.1476	R ₁ = 0.0995, wR ₂ = 0.1076	R ₁ = 0.0626, wR ₂ = 0.0959
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	1.02/-0.36	1.06/-1.18	0.88/-0.95	0.69/-0.46

Table S4. Selected bond lengths and angles of complexes 1-4.

	1	2	3	4
Bond Length [Å]				
M1-E1	2.3882(6)	2.3687(13)	2.3857(13)	2.4854(10)
M1-E2	2.3808(7)	2.3794(13)	2.3725(13)	2.5049(8)
M1-X1	2.2354(7)	2.3862(9)	2.5613(7)	2.2567(13)
M1-X2	2.2433(7)	2.3869(8)	2.6113(7)	2.2541(12)
Bond Angle [°]				
E1-M1-E2	109.86(2)	108.64(5)	106.49(5)	104.26(17)
X1-M1-X2	115.84(3)	115.32(3)	117.24(2)	114.21(5)
E1-M1-X1	111.94(3)	105.70(4)	108.75(4)	107.99(3)
E2-M1-X2	110.48(3)	105.38(4)	104.89(4)	107.40(3)

Here, M = Zn(II)

E = S/Se

X = Cl / Br / I

Table S5: Key parameters (HOMO/LUMO, band gap, energy level location) from DFT calculations of **1-4**.

Compound	HOMO (eV)	LUMO (eV)	HOMO-1 (eV)	LUMO+1 (eV)	Band gap (eV)	Singlet (eV)	Triplet (eV)
1	-5.317	-1.817	-5.324	-1.816	3.50	2.5661	2.4770
2	-5.322	-1.840	-5.345	-1.818	3.48	2.2487	2.1343
3	-5.350	-1.846	-5.352	-1.846	3.50	2.4147	2.3659
4	-5.338	-1.846	-5.343	-1.843	3.49	2.4507	2.3763

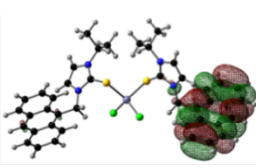
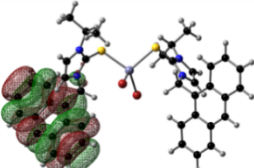
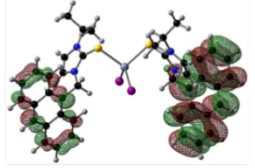
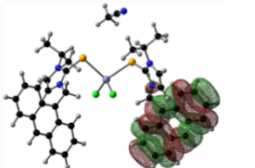
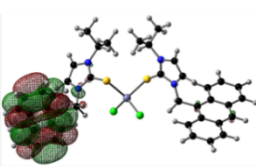
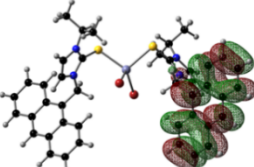
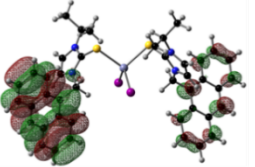
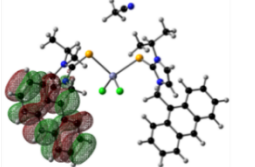
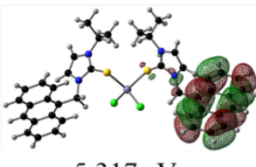
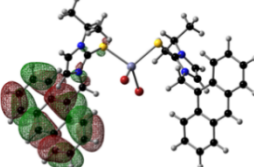
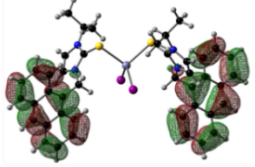
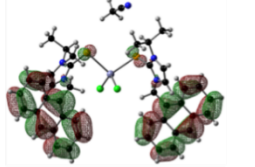
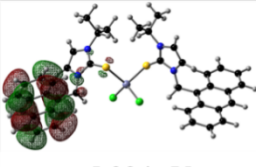
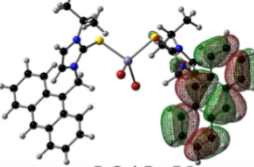
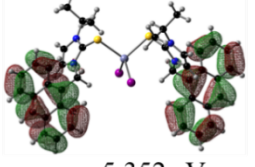
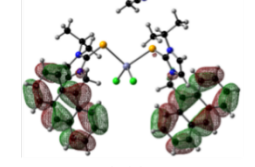
MOs	1	2	3	4
LUMO+1	 -1.816 eV	 -1.818 eV	 -1.846 eV	 -1.843 eV
LUMO	 -1.817 eV	 -1.840 eV	 -1.846 eV	 -1.846 eV
HOMO	 -5.317 eV	 -5.322 eV	 -5.350 eV	 -5.338 eV
HOMO-1	 -5.324 eV	 -5.345 eV	 -5.352 eV	 -5.343 eV

Table S6: Excitation energies and oscillator strengths of **1**.

No.	Energy (eV)	Wavelength (nm)	Osc. Strength	Symmetry	Major contribs
1	1.7510	708.09	0.0	Triplet-A	HOMO->L+1 (95%)
2	1.7565	705.87	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->LUMO (95%)
3	3.1724	390.82	0.2061	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (24%), HOMO->L+1 (74%)
4	3.1873	388.99	0.0482	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (72%), HOMO->L+1 (22%)
5	3.2571	380.66	0.0	Triplet-A	H-12->L+1 (54%), HOMO->L+7 (31%)
6	3.2613	380.16	0.0	Triplet-A	H-13->LUMO (54%), H-1->L+6 (32%)
7	3.2839	377.56	0.0	Triplet-A	HOMO->LUMO (97%)
8	3.2839	377.55	0.0	Singlet-A	HOMO->LUMO (97%)
9	3.2935	376.45	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->L+1 (97%)
10	3.2936	376.45	0.0	Singlet-A	H-1->L+1 (98%)
11	3.4449	359.91	0.0	Triplet-A	H-8->L+1 (80%)
12	3.4518	359.19	0.0	Triplet-A	H-9->LUMO (78%)
13	3.5308	351.15	0.0002	Singlet-A	H-2->L+1 (90%)
14	3.5395	350.28	0.0003	Singlet-A	H-2->LUMO (89%)
15	3.7990	326.36	0.001	Singlet-A	H-3->L+1 (84%)
16	3.8239	324.23	0.0005	Singlet-A	H-4->LUMO (15%), H-3->LUMO (74%)

Table S7: Excitation energies and oscillator strengths of **2**.

No.	Energy (eV)	Wavelength (nm)	Osc. Strength	Symmetry	Major contributors
1	1.7512	708.00	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->LUMO (97%)
2	1.7512	707.98	0.0	Triplet-A	HOMO->L+1 (97%)
3	3.1737	390.67	0.1483	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (45%), HOMO->L+1 (53%)
4	3.1869	389.04	0.0868	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (53%), HOMO->L+1 (45%)
5	3.2306	383.78	0.0	Triplet-A	HOMO->LUMO (100%)
6	3.2307	383.77	0.0001	Singlet-A	HOMO->LUMO (100%)
7	3.2547	380.93	0.0	Triplet-A	H-14->LUMO (56%), H-1->L+6 (23%)
8	3.2554	380.86	0.0	Triplet-A	H-13->L+1 (56%), HOMO->L+7 (21%)
9	3.2752	378.55	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->L+1 (100%)
10	3.2753	378.55	0.0	Singlet-A	H-1->L+1 (100%)
11	3.4422	360.19	0.0	Triplet-A	H-11->LUMO (83%)
12	3.4425	360.16	0.0	Triplet-A	H-10->L+1 (83%)
13	3.4796	356.32	0.0001	Singlet-A	H-2->LUMO (92%)
14	3.4941	354.84	0.0001	Singlet-A	H-2->L+1 (93%)
15	3.5934	345.03	0.0	Singlet-A	H-3->LUMO (99%)
16	3.6117	343.28	0.0	Singlet-A	H-3->L+1 (100%)

Table S8: Excitation energies and oscillator strengths of **3**.

No.	Energy (eV)	Wavelength (nm)	Osc. Strength	Symmetry	Major contributors
1	1.7519	707.72	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->L+1 (38%), HOMO->L+1 (47%)
2	1.7519	707.71	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->LUMO (47%), HOMO->LUMO (37%)
3	3.1755	390.43	0.1772	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (10%), H-1->L+1 (37%), HOMO->LUMO (40%), HOMO->L+1 (11%)
4	3.1881	388.89	0.064	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (41%), HOMO->L+1 (44%)
5	3.2166	385.45	0.0	Triplet-A	H-2->LUMO (90%)
6	3.2169	385.41	0.0	Triplet-A	H-2->L+1 (90%)
7	3.2177	385.32	0.0008	Singlet-A	H-2->LUMO (85%), H-2->L+1 (14%)
8	3.2177	385.32	0.0009	Singlet-A	H-2->LUMO (14%), H-2->L+1 (85%)
9	3.2576	380.60	0.0	Triplet-A	H-13->L+1 (47%)
10	3.2576	380.60	0.0	Triplet-A	H-14->LUMO (46%)
11	3.2665	379.57	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->LUMO (36%), HOMO->LUMO (48%)
12	3.2668	379.57	0.0	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (40%), HOMO->LUMO (46%)
13	3.2668	379.53	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->L+1 (46%), HOMO->L+1 (39%)
14	3.2668	379.52	0.0	Singlet-A	H-1->L+1 (50%), HOMO->L+1 (36%)
15	3.3598	369.03	0.0	Singlet-A	H-3->LUMO (86%), H-3->L+1 (14%)
16	3.3605	368.95	0.0001	Singlet-A	H-3->LUMO (14%), H-3->L+1 (86%)

Table S9: Excitation energies and oscillator strengths of **4**.

No.	Energy (eV)	Wavelength (nm)	Osc. Strength	Symmetry	Major contributors
1	1.7496	708.66	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->LUMO (46%), HOMO->LUMO (50%)
2	1.7507	708.21	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->L+1 (50%), HOMO->L+1 (45%)
3	3.1605	392.29	0.1086	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (24%), H-1->L+1 (18%), HOMO->LUMO (40%), HOMO->L+1 (16%)
4	3.1754	390.45	0.126	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (16%), H-1->L+1 (26%), HOMO->LUMO (19%), HOMO->L+1 (37%)
5	3.2224	384.75	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->LUMO (50%), HOMO->LUMO (49%)
6	3.2231	384.67	0.0008	Singlet-A	H-1->LUMO (60%), HOMO->LUMO (39%)
7	3.2248	384.47	0.0	Triplet-A	H-1->L+1 (46%), HOMO->L+1 (53%)
8	3.2253	384.41	0.0006	Singlet-A	H-1->L+1 (55%), HOMO->L+1 (45%)
9	3.2508	381.40	0.0	Triplet-A	H-12->LUMO (54%)
10	3.2541	381.01	0.0	Triplet-A	H-13->L+1 (55%)
11	3.3448	370.68	0.0	Triplet-A	H-2->LUMO (93%)
12	3.3567	369.37	0.0005	Singlet-A	H-2->LUMO (95%)
13	3.3597	369.04	0.0	Triplet-A	H-2->L+1 (92%)
14	3.3736	367.52	0.0004	Singlet-A	H-2->L+1 (95%)
15	3.6494	339.74	0.0004	Singlet-A	H-4->LUMO (17%), H-3->LUMO (77%)
16	3.6518	339.52	0.0006	Singlet-A	H-4->L+1 (85%), H-3->L+1 (11%)

Cartesian coordinates of **1**

Symmetry C1

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Symmetry C1

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Symmetry C1

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Symmetry C1

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