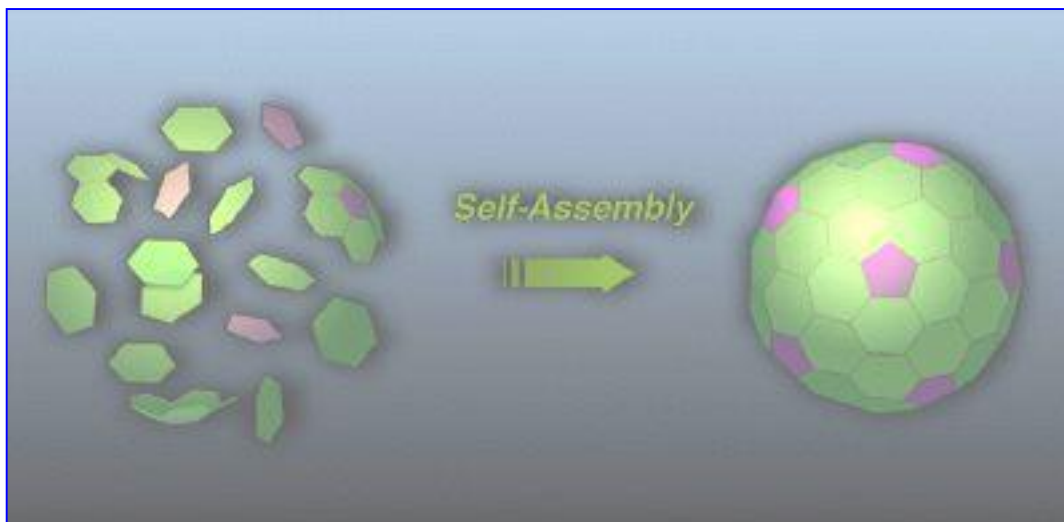
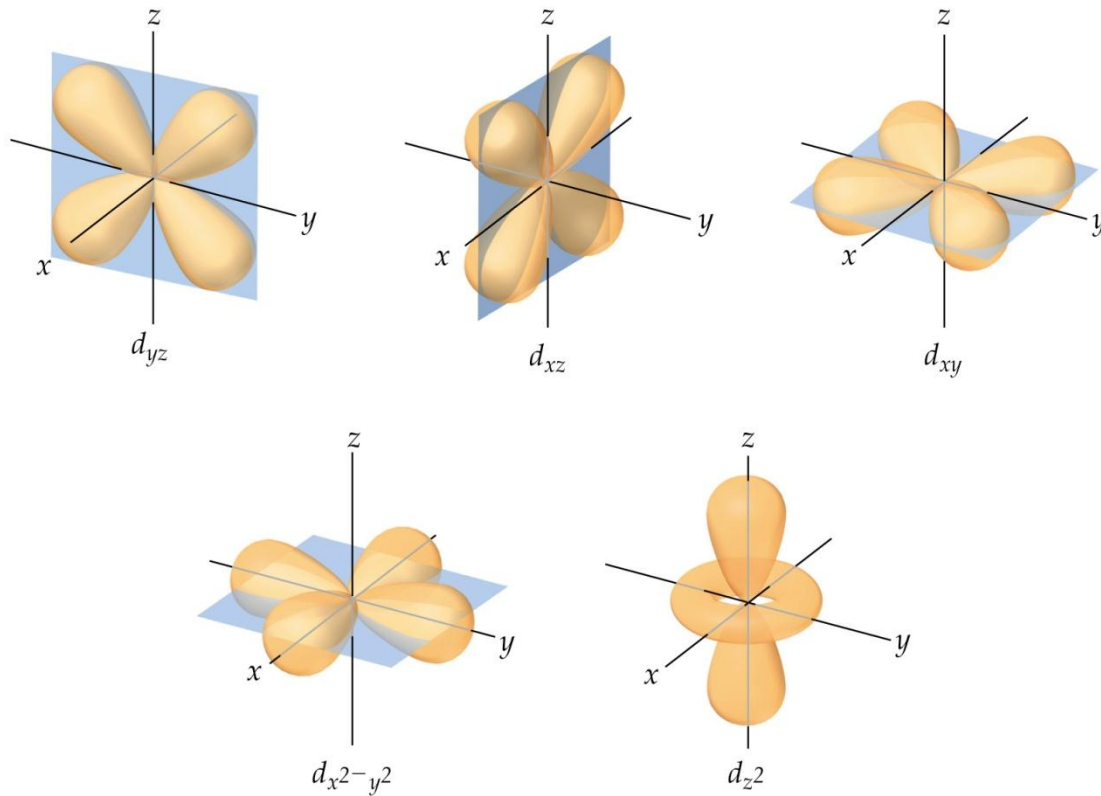


Self-Assembly

The **spontaneous and reversible** association of molecular species to form larger, more complex supramolecular entities according to the **intrinsic information** contained in the components.



Metal-Ligand Interaction

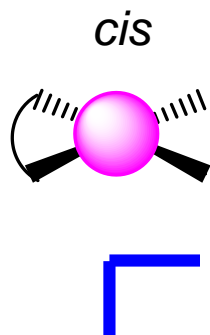
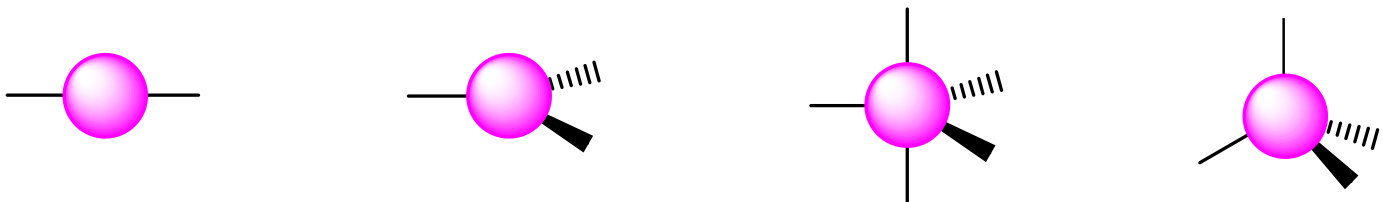


Metal as **connector** :

- labile M-L interaction (kinetic)
- stable compound (thermodynamic)
- highly directional with many geometries available

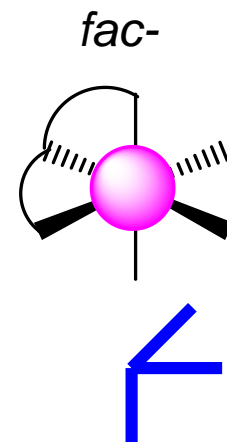
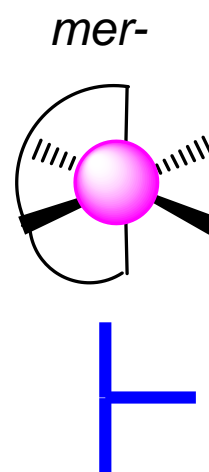
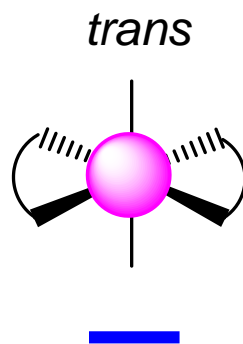
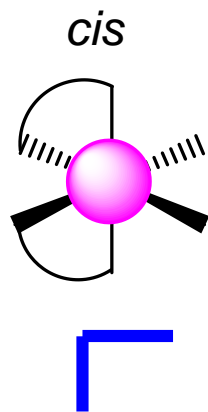
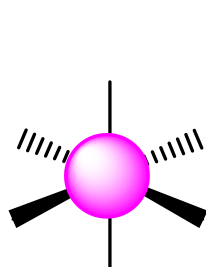
Metal as **functional group** :

- redox active (electron transfer)
- UV-vis active (color)
- photo active (phosphorescence)
- magnetic properties

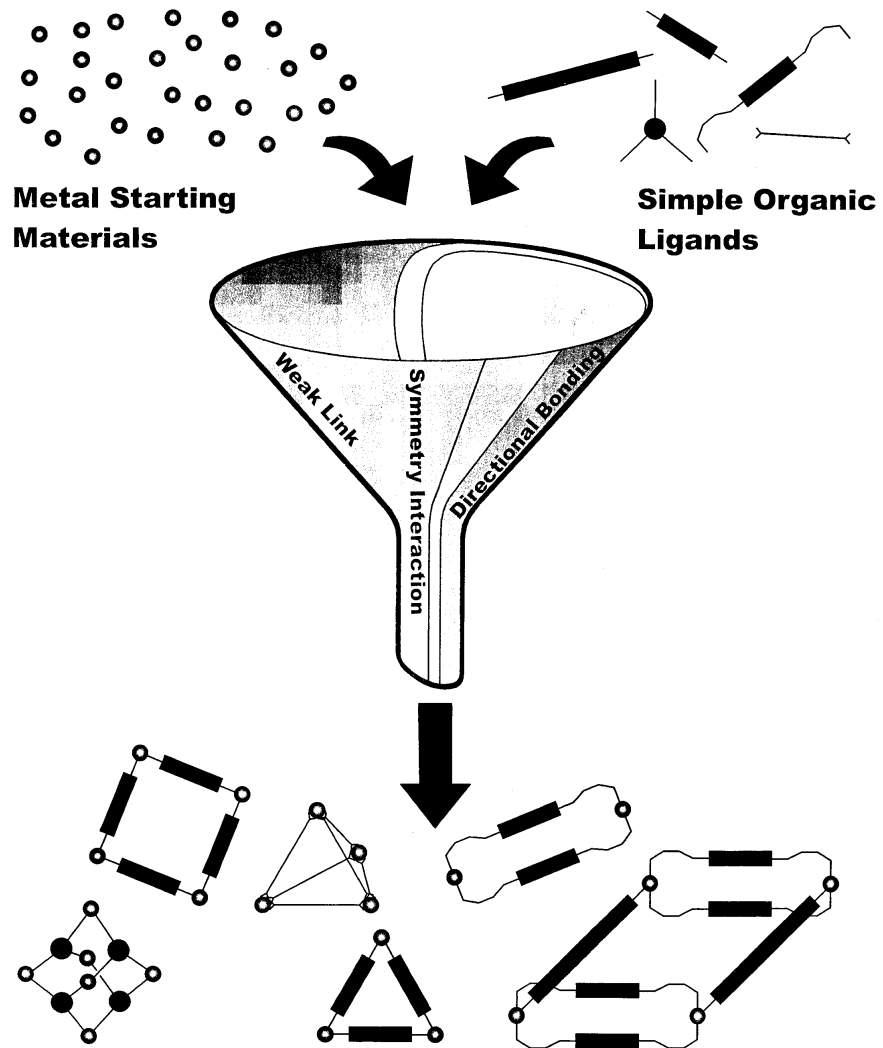


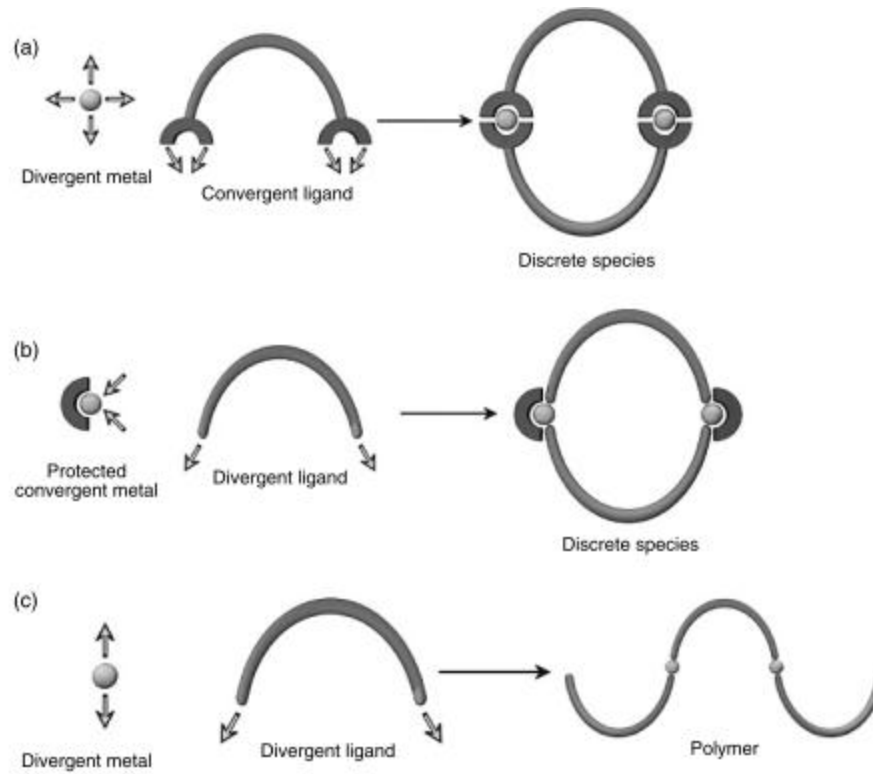
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 Zn(II), Ru(II)...



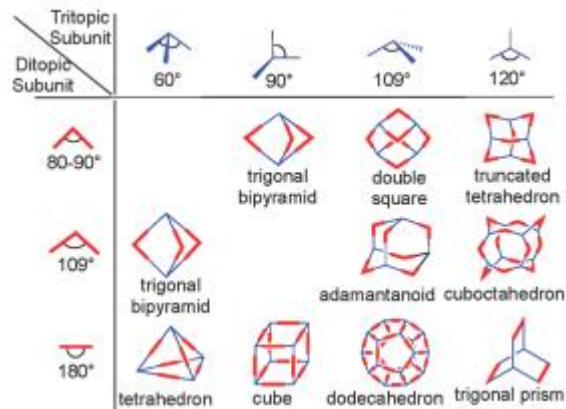
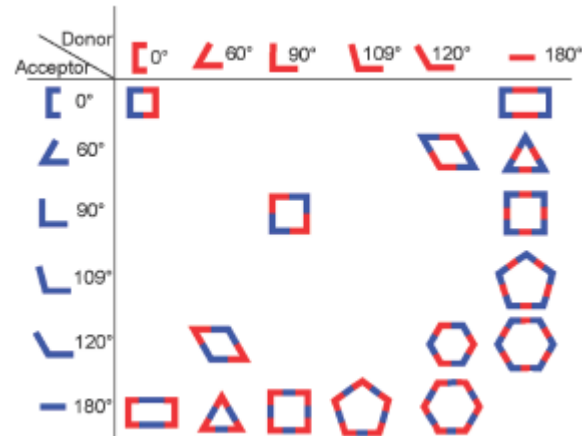
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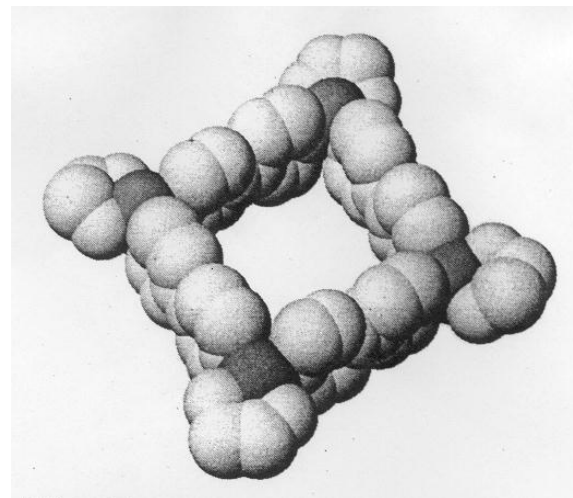
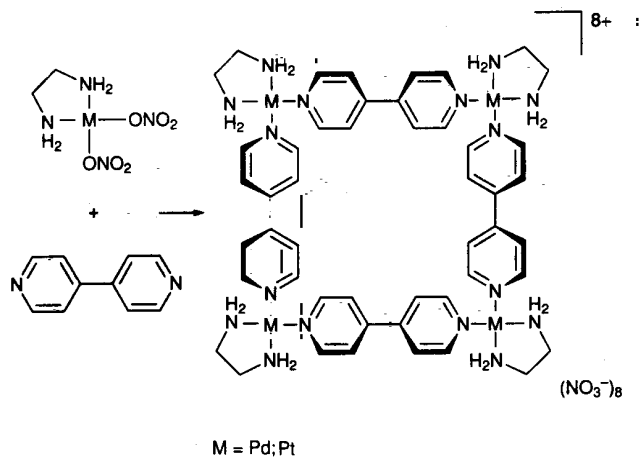


Directional Bonding Approach

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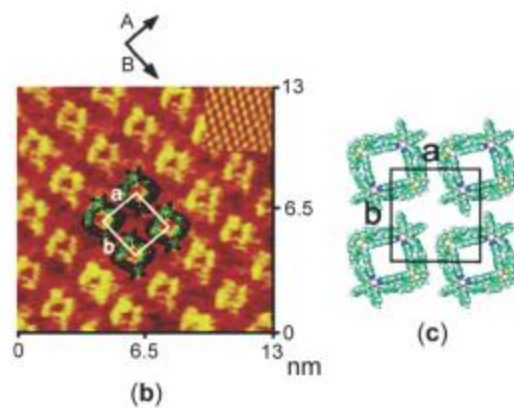
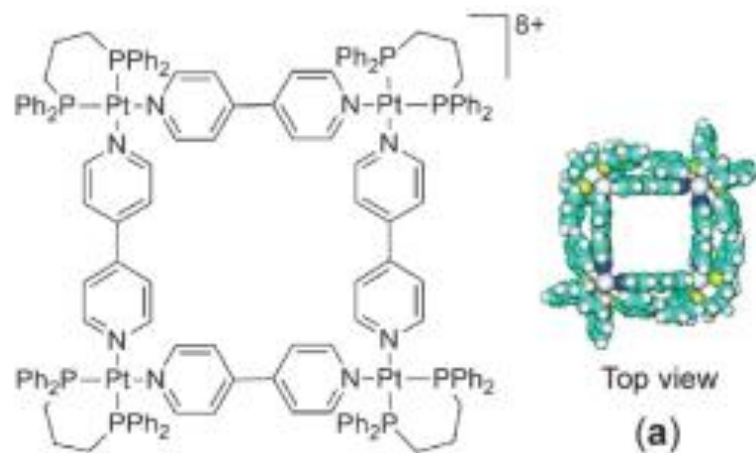
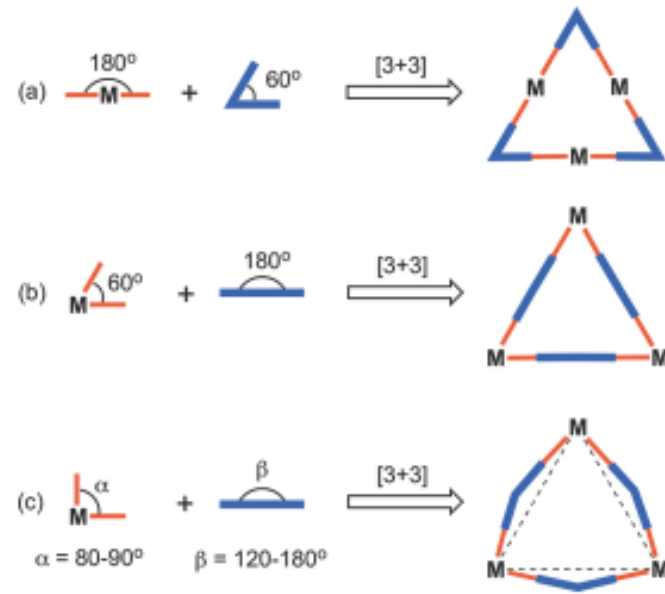
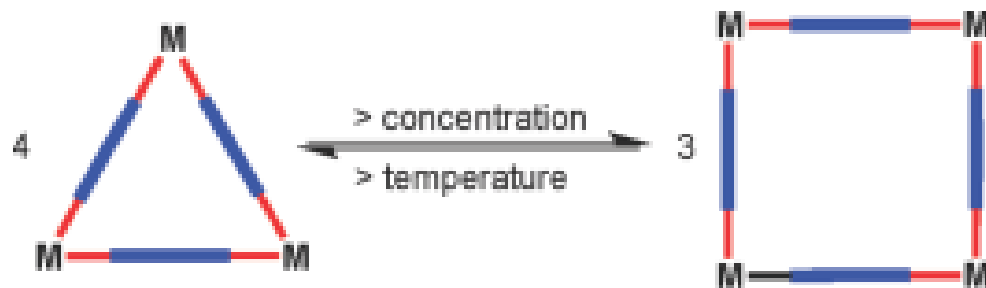


Figure 41. (a) Space-filling model of molecular square $[\text{Pt}(\text{dppp})(4,4'\text{-bipyridine})]_4(\text{PF}_6)_8$, (b) high-resolution STM images of the adlayer of square on Au(111), and (c) structural model of the adlayer.

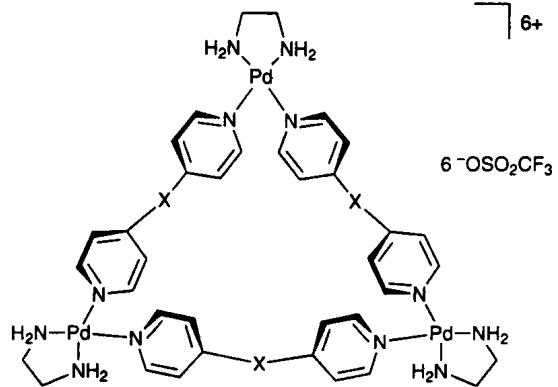
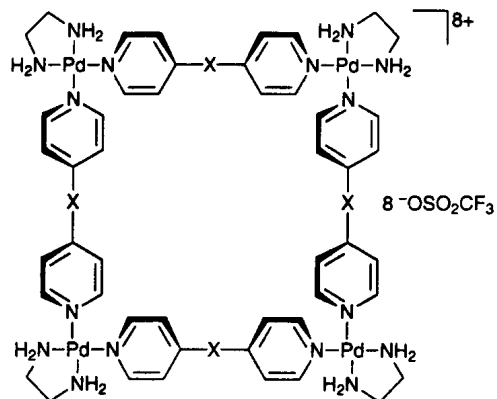
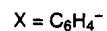
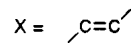
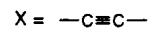
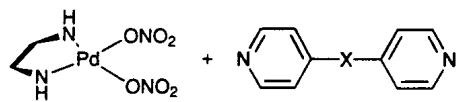
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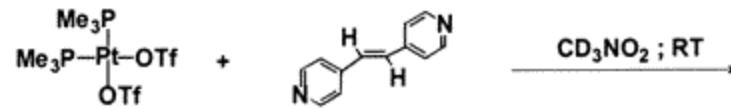




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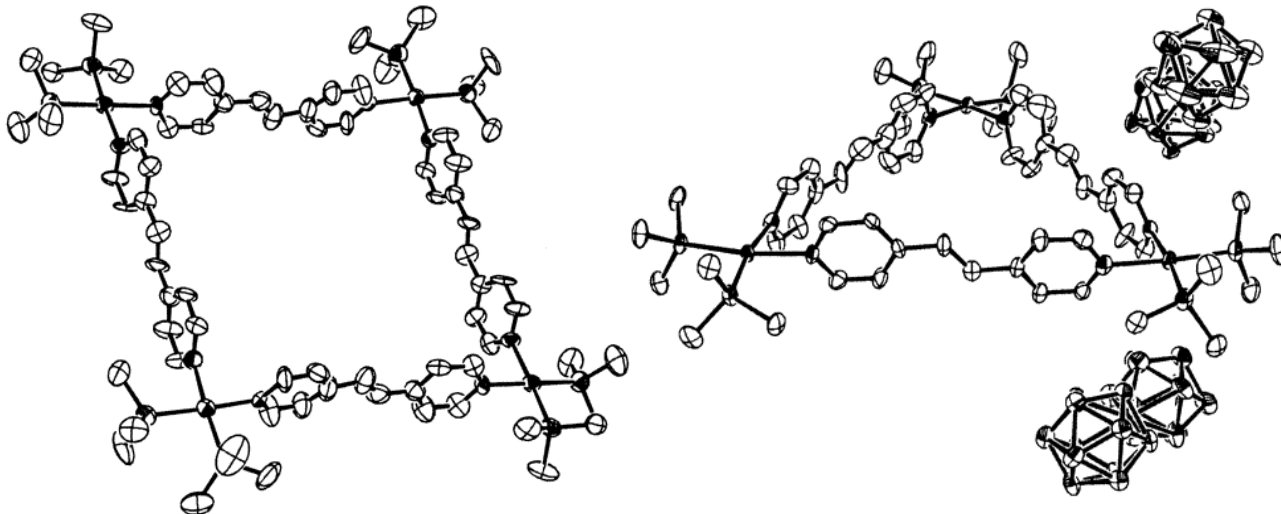
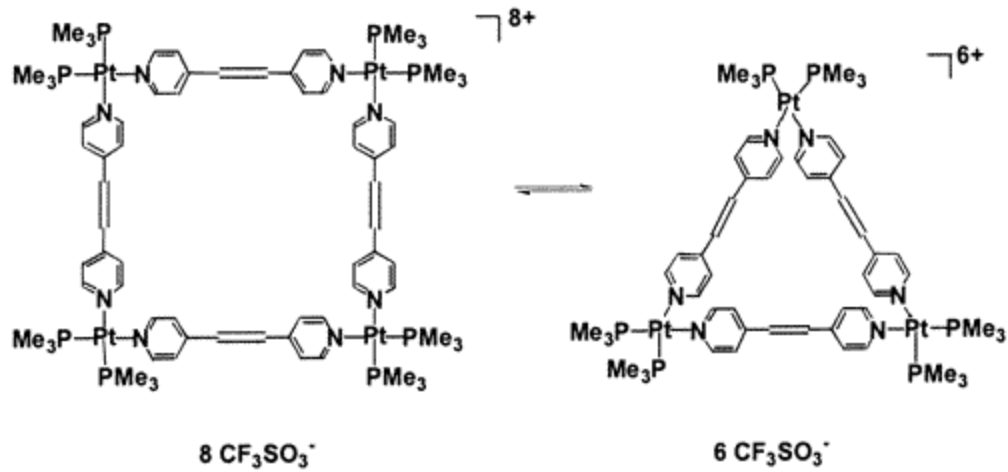
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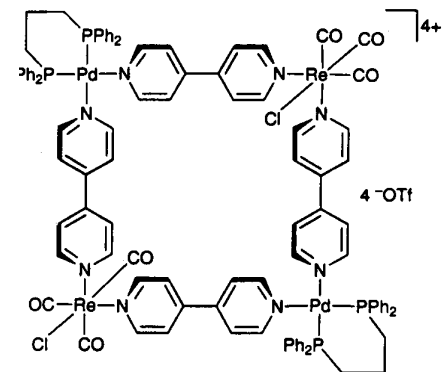
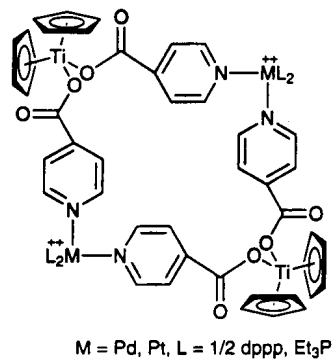
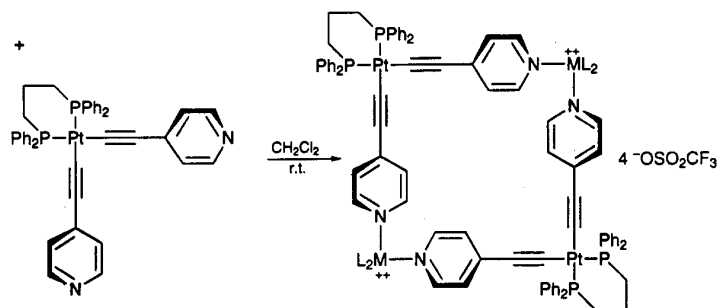
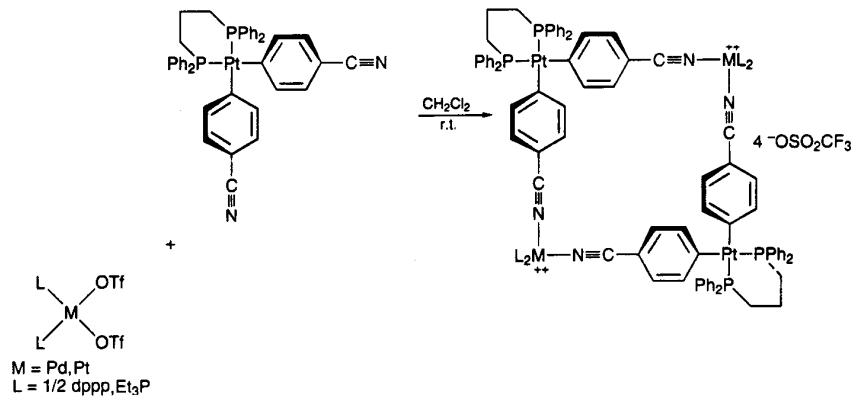


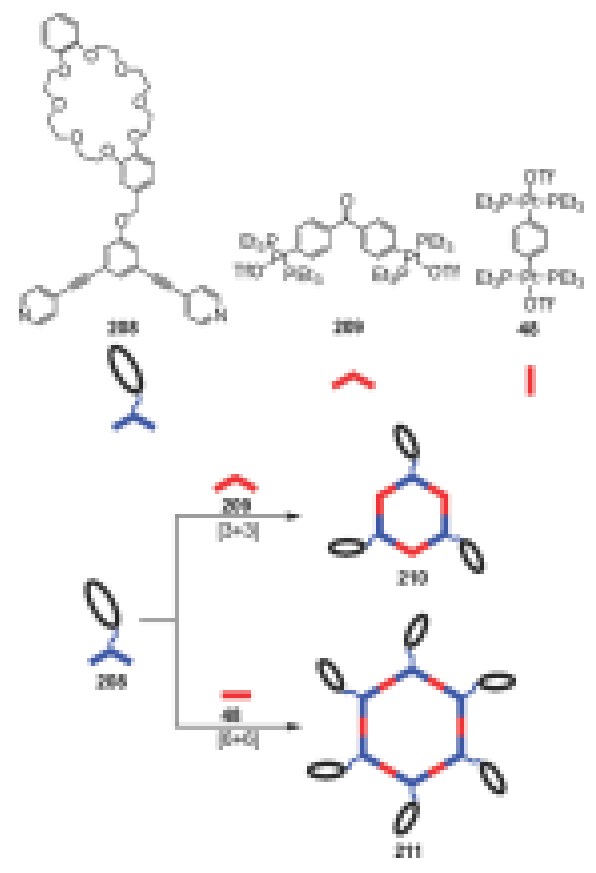
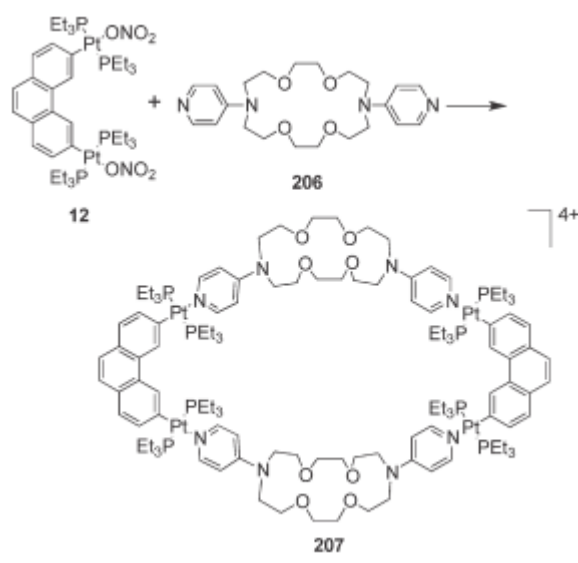
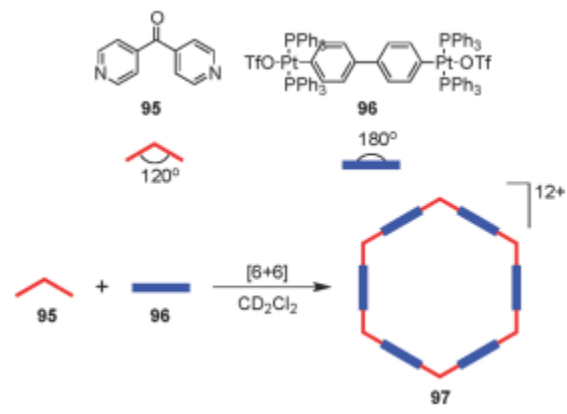


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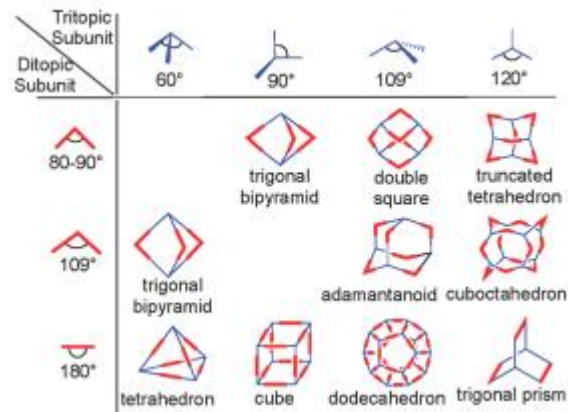




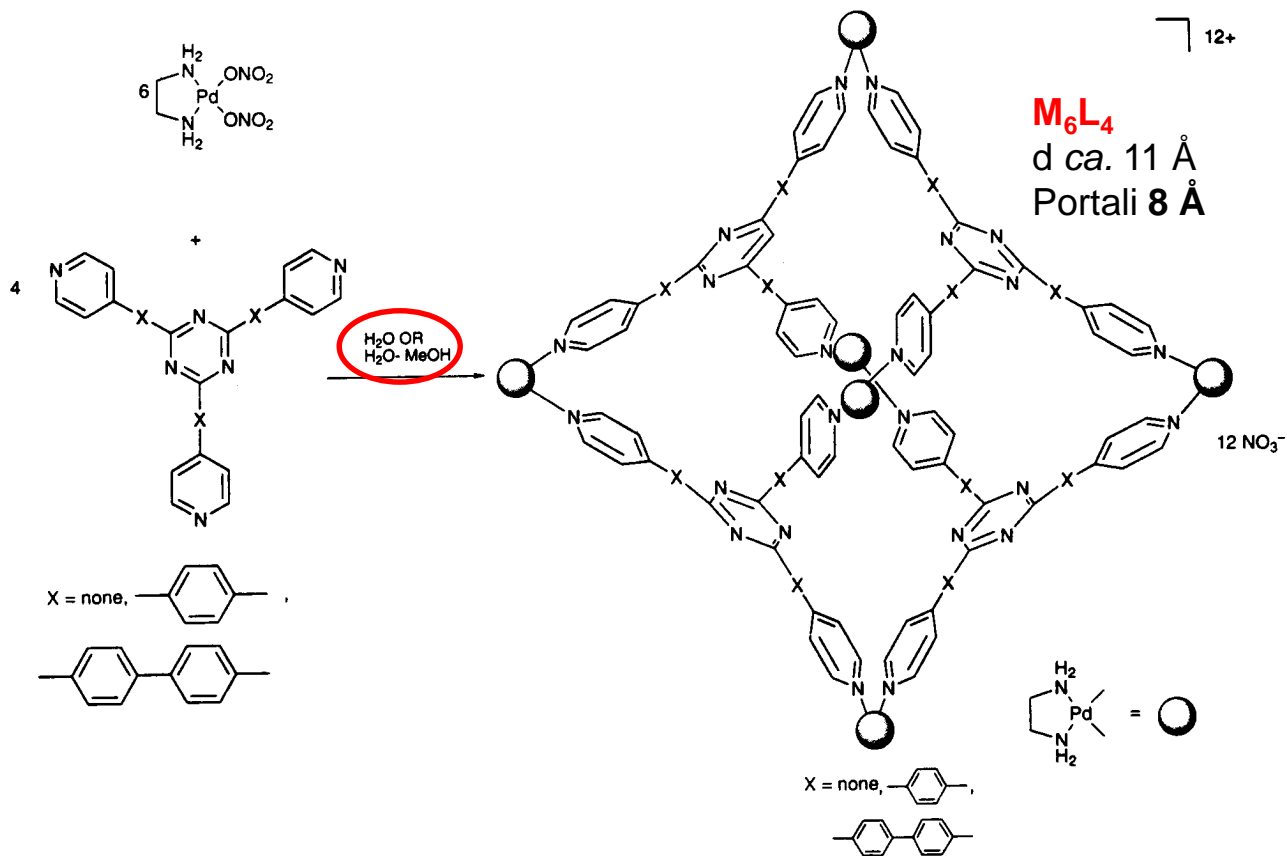


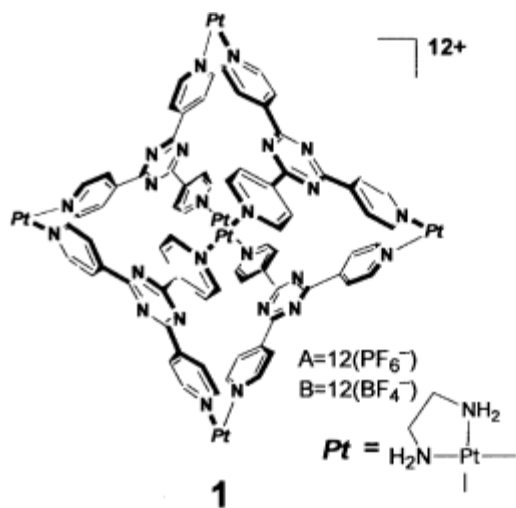
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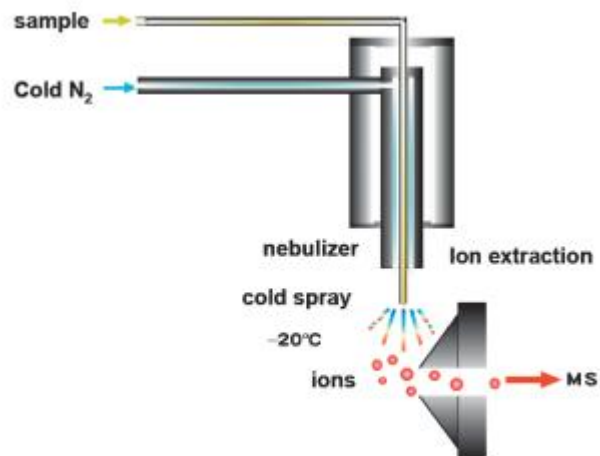


Fig. 1. Schematic illustration of the cold spray.

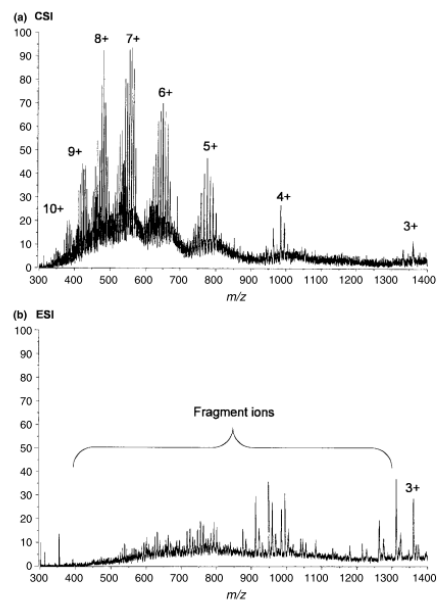
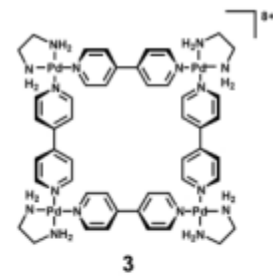
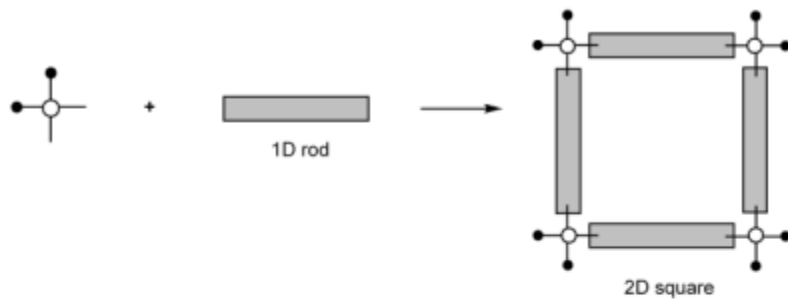
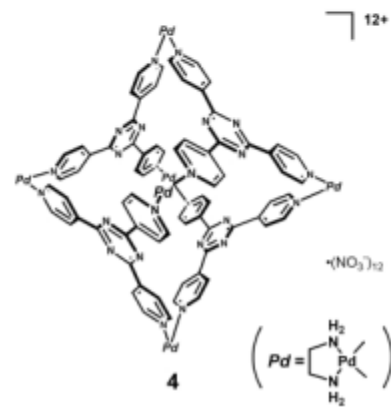
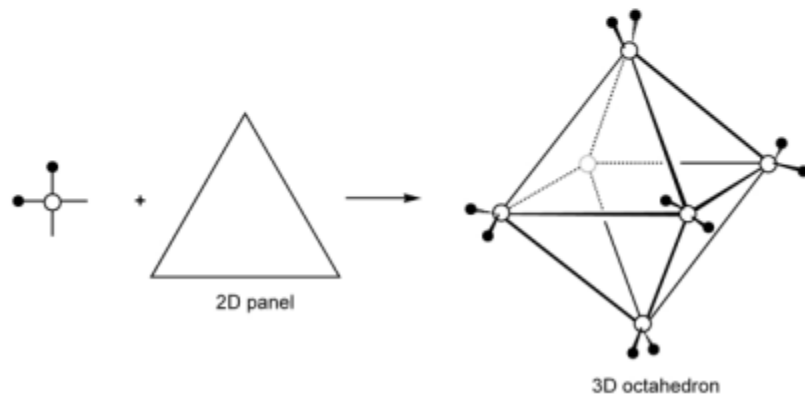


Figure 3. Comparison of (a) CSI and (b) ESI mass spectra of **1a**. Reprinted from Ref. 2 with permission from Elsevier.

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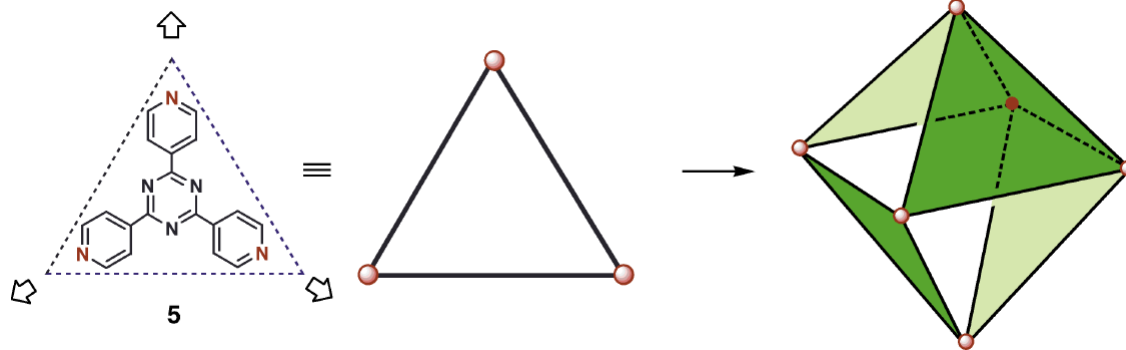
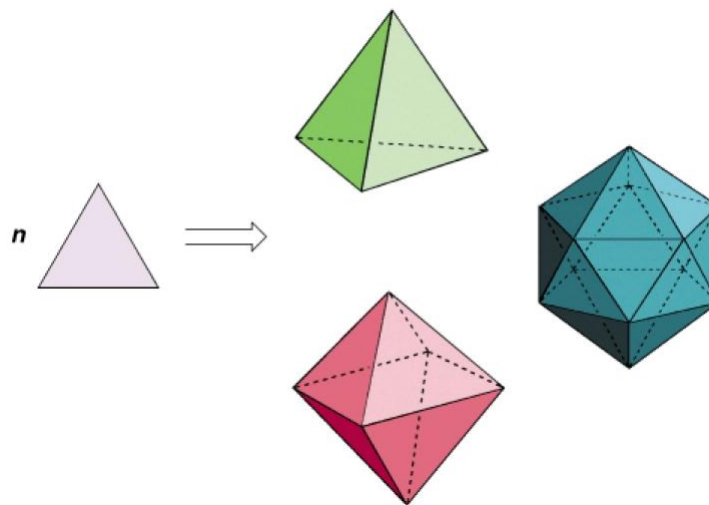
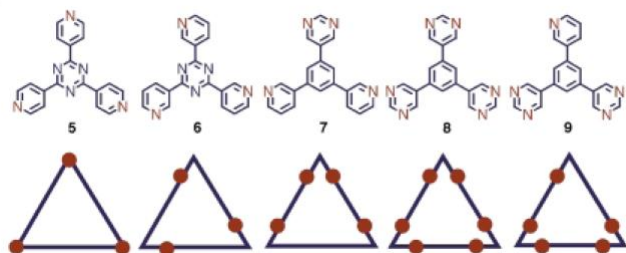


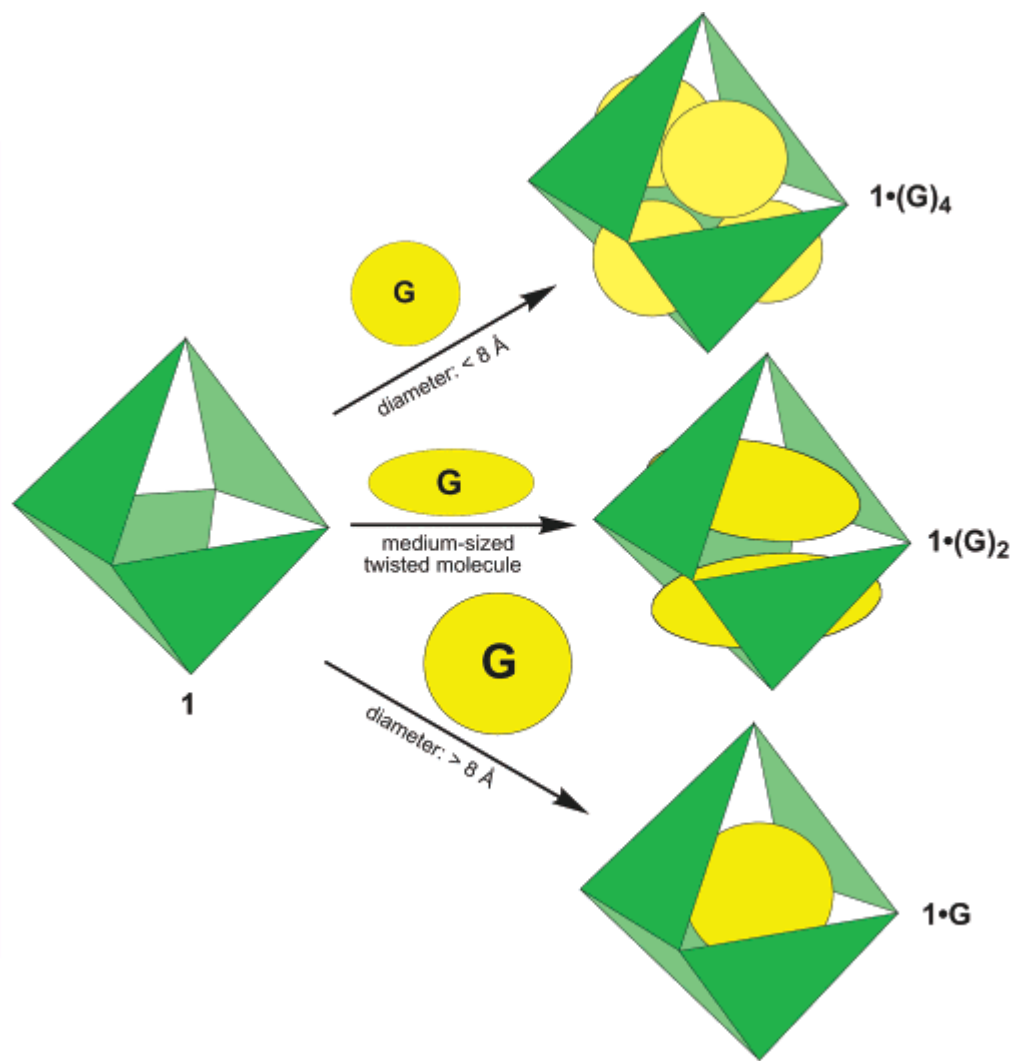
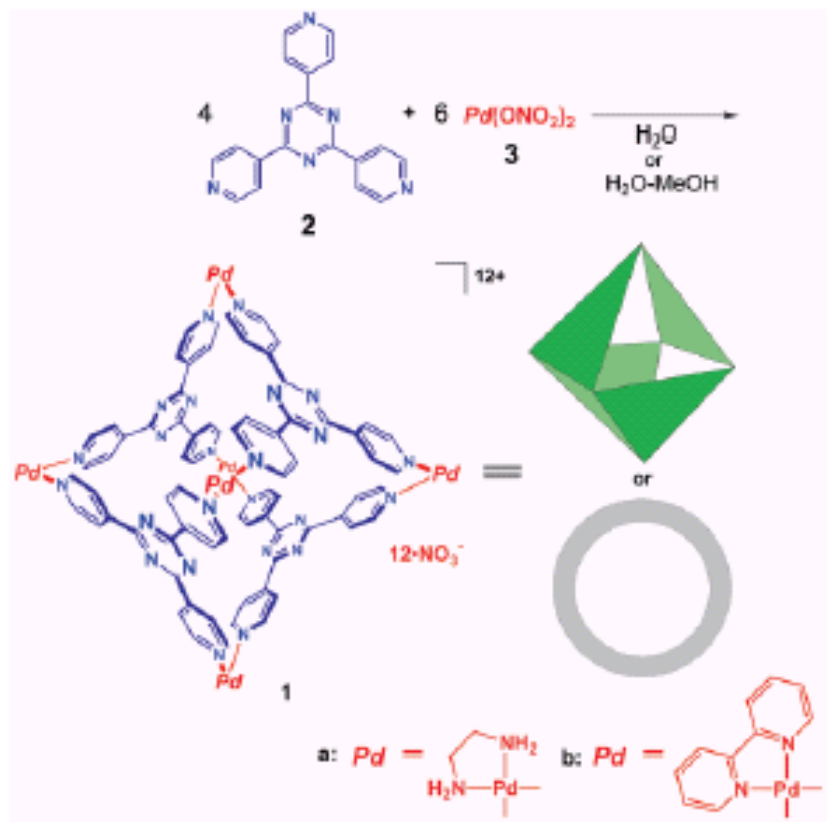
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Molecular Paneling

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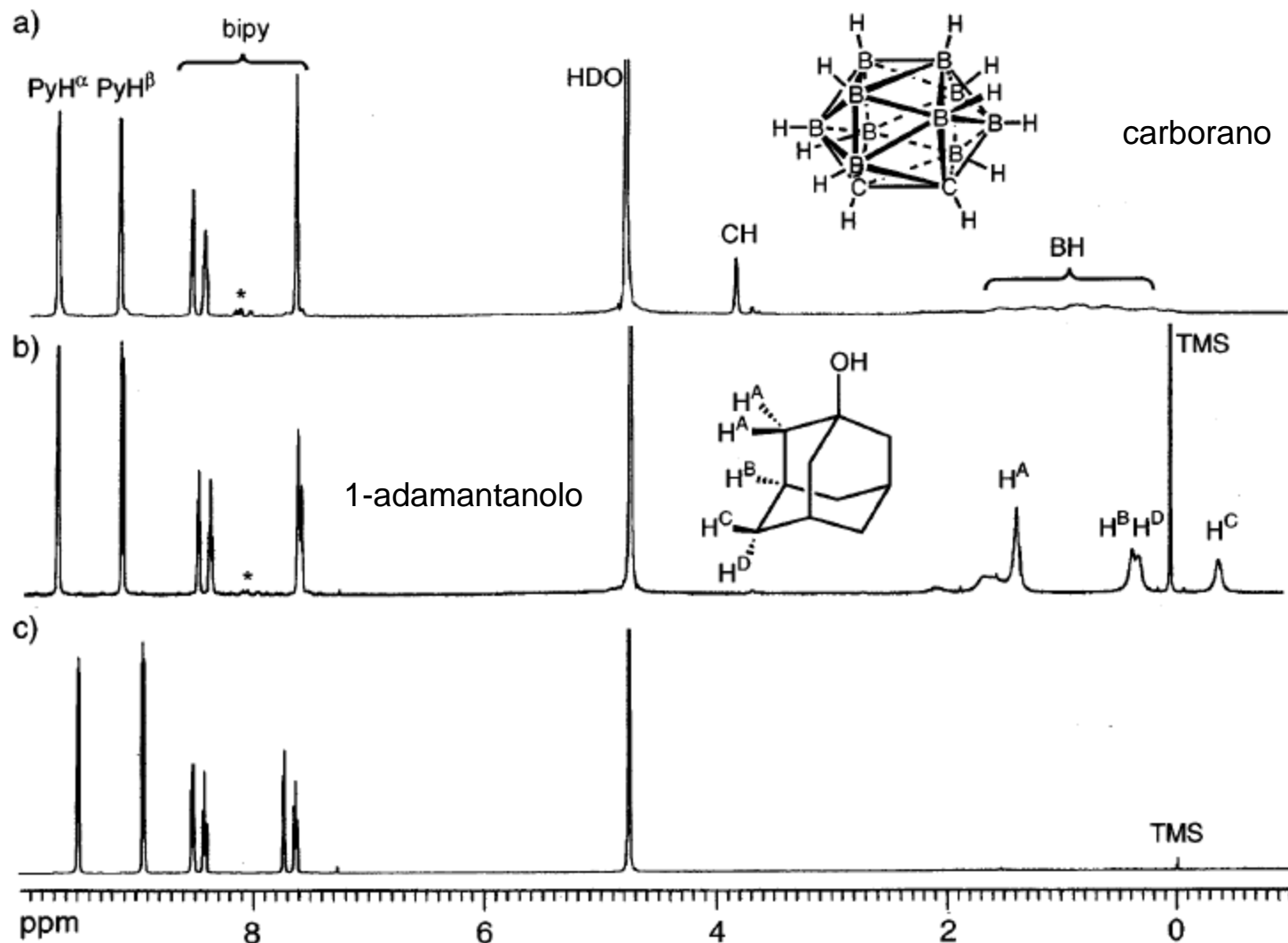
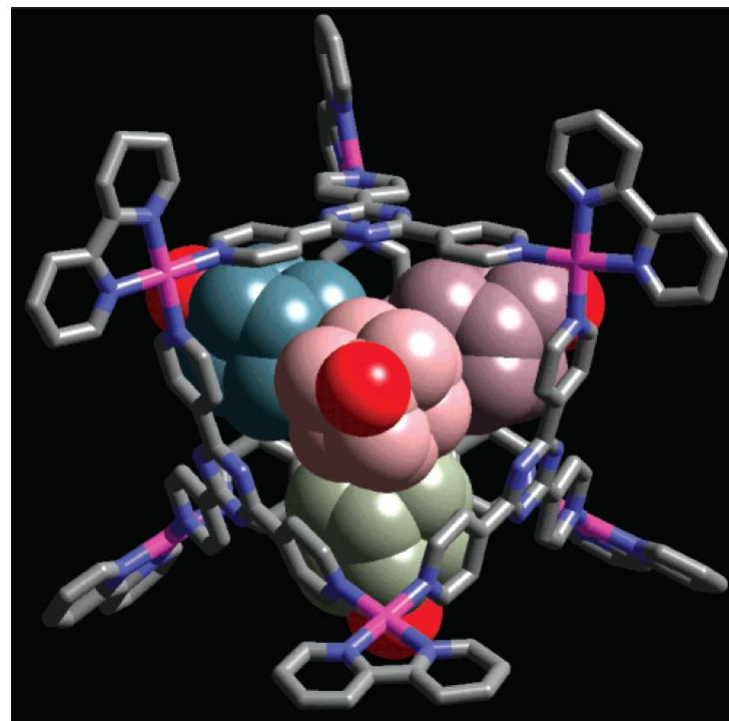
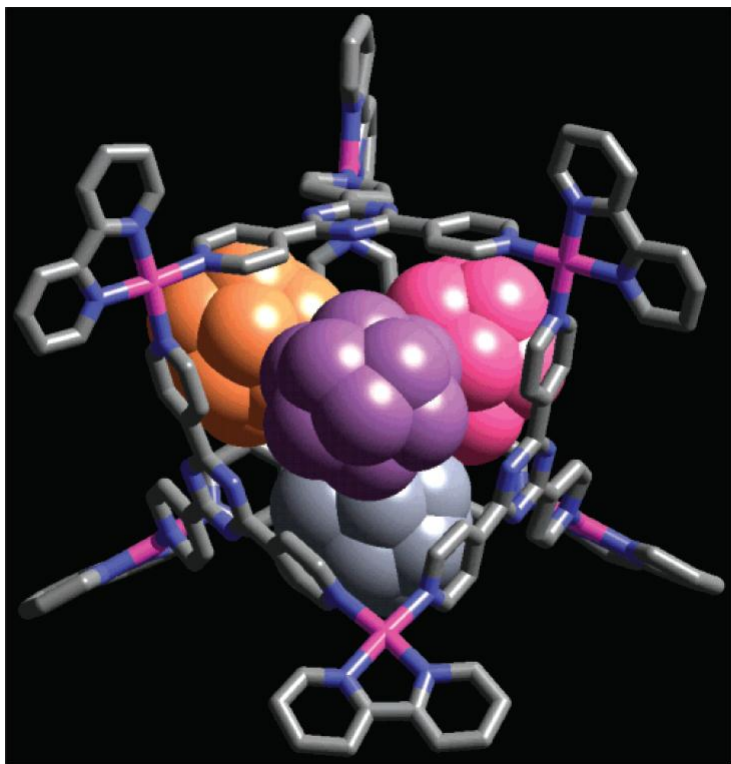
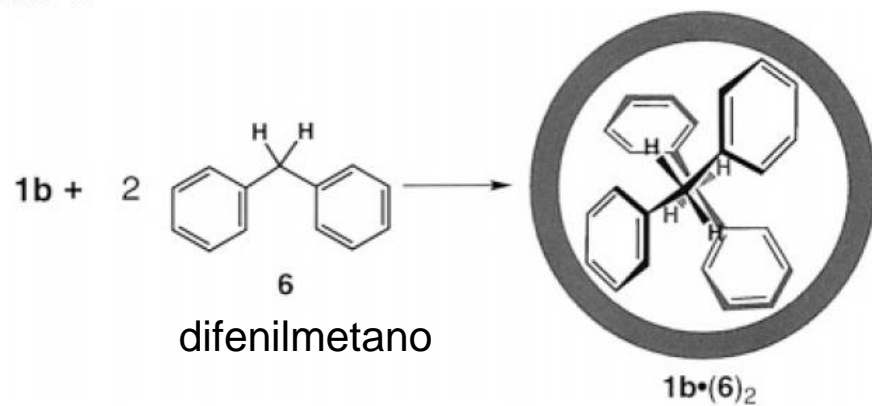


Figure 1. ^1H NMR observations of the enclathration of guest molecules in 1b. (a) 1b·(4)₄. (b) 1b·(5)₄. (c) Empty 1b (*: impurities).

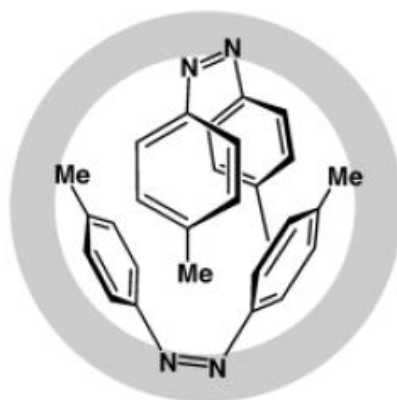


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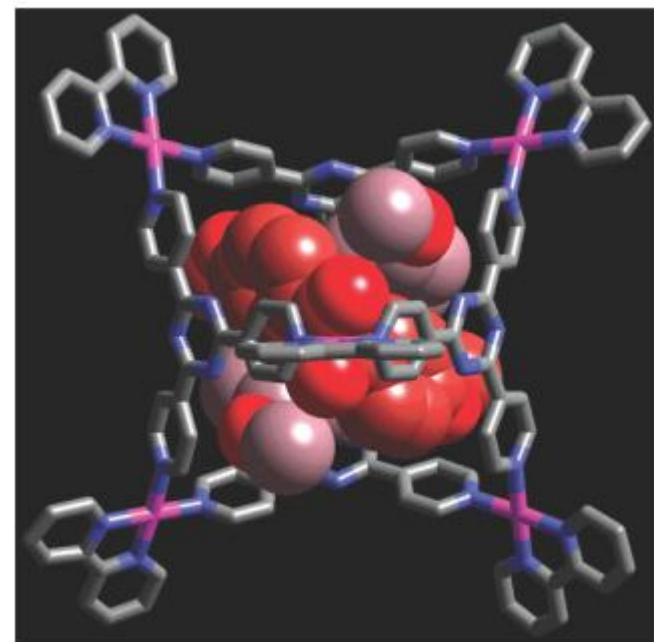
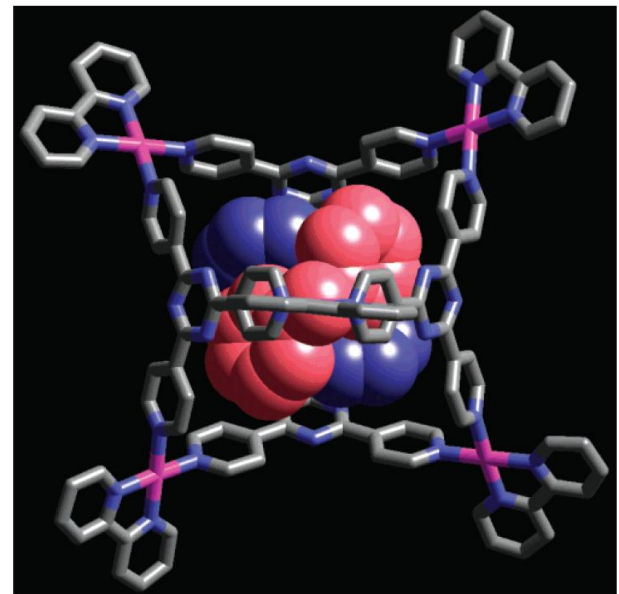
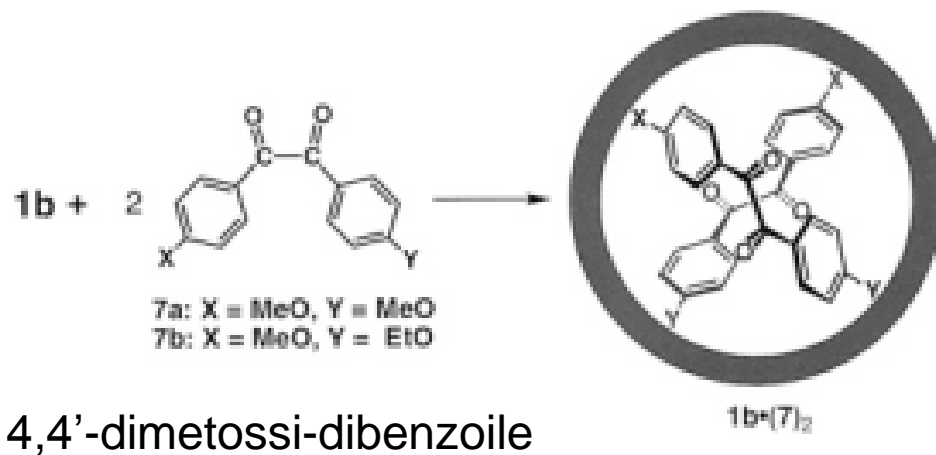


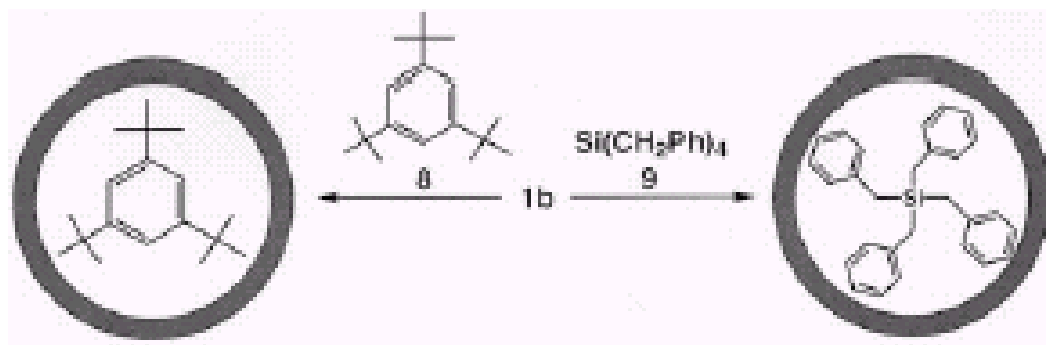
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cis-stilbene



Scheme 3





tri-*tert*-butylbenzene

tetrabenzilsilano

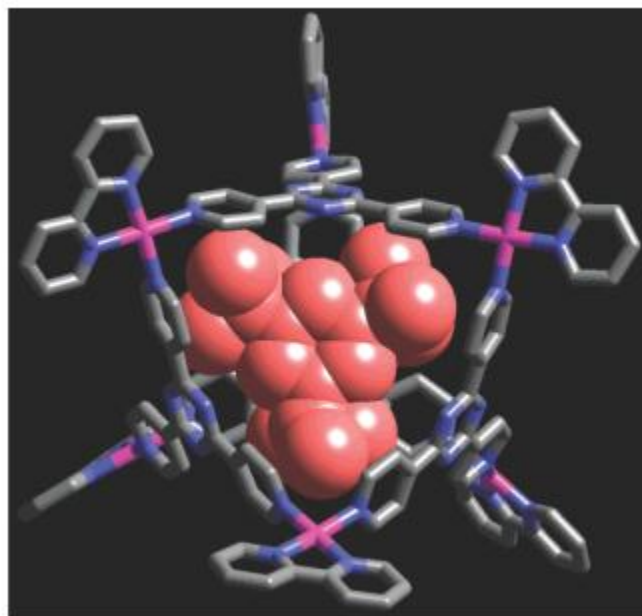
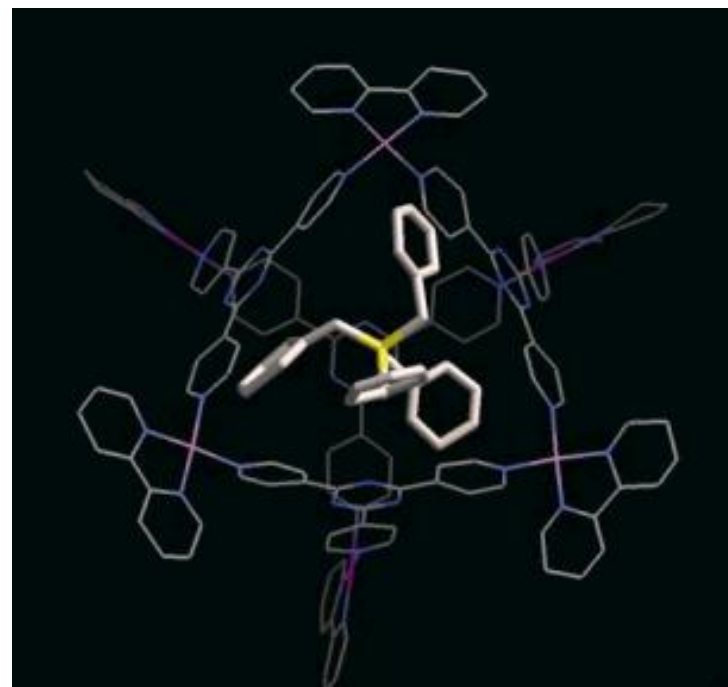
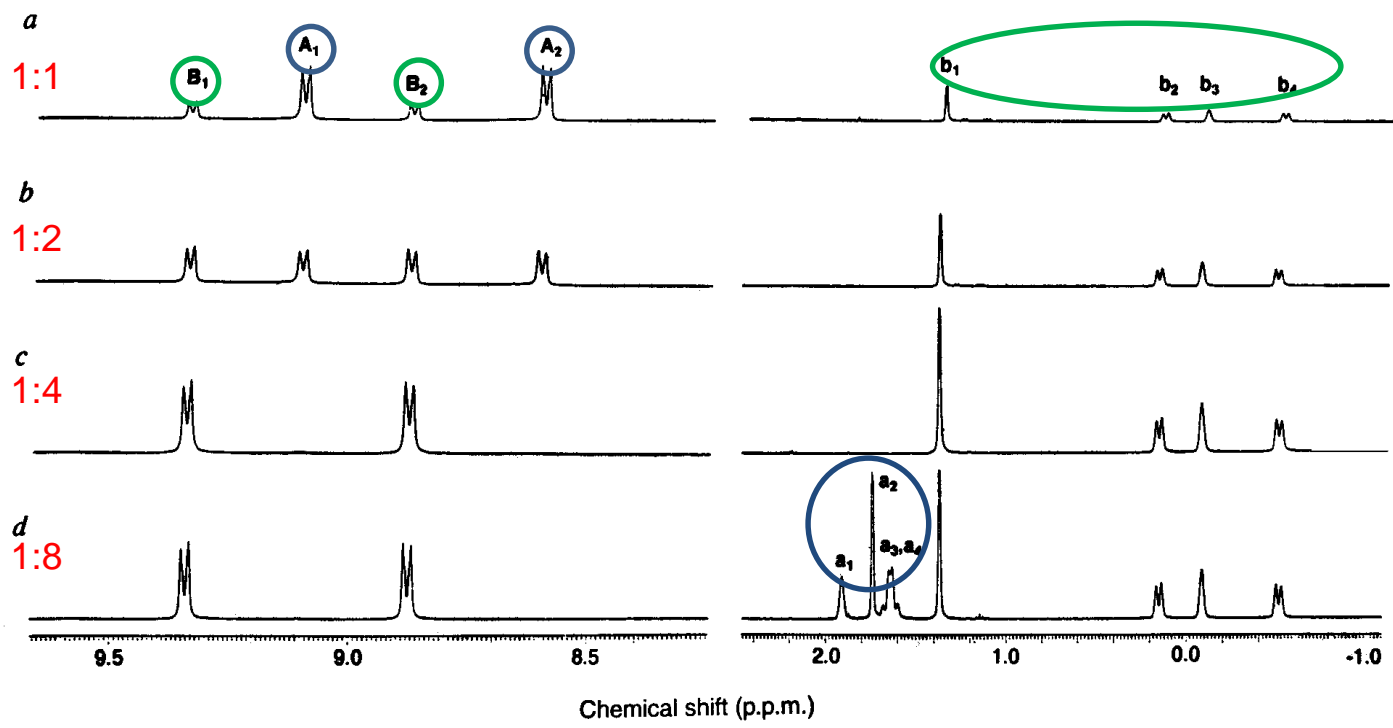


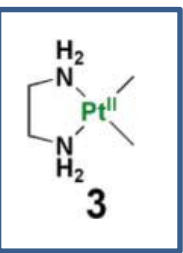
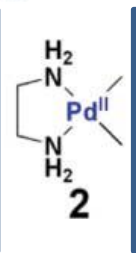
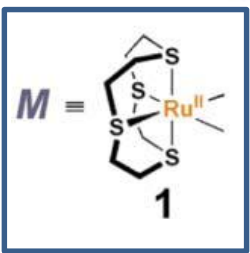
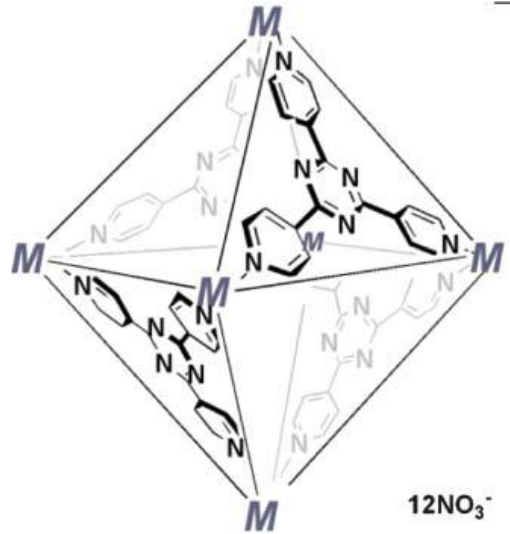
Figure 8. Crystal structure of 1b·8.





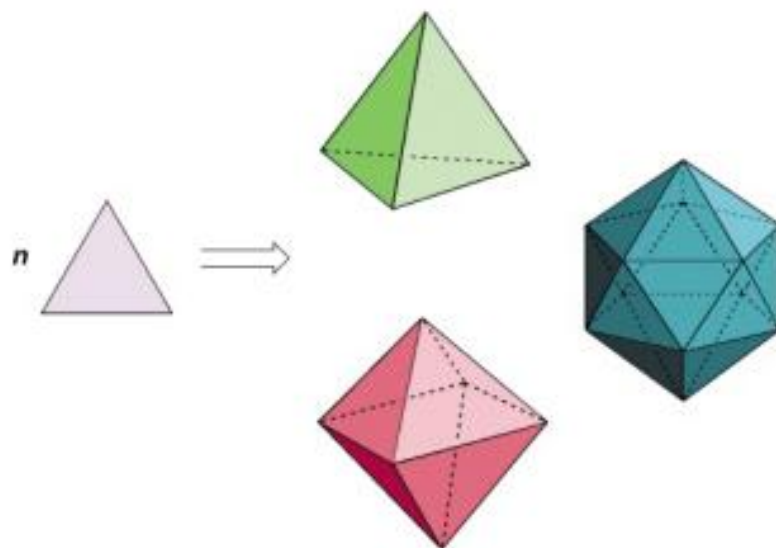
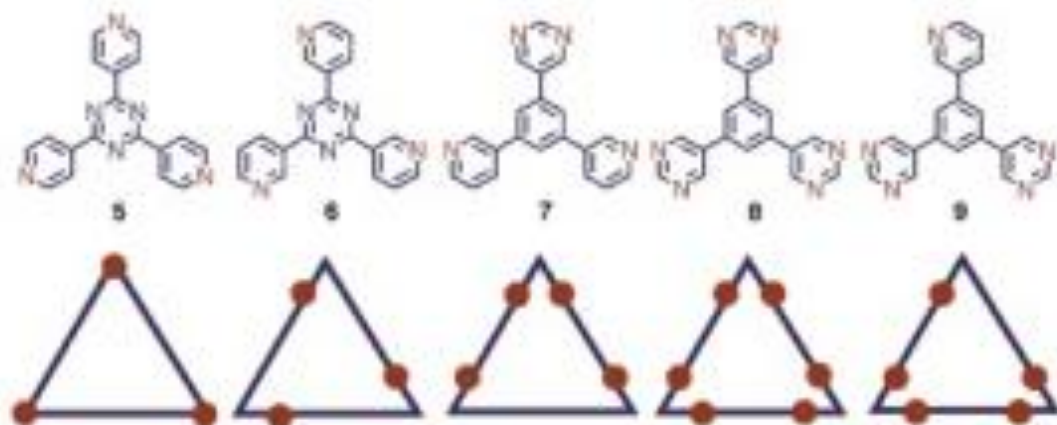
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Effetto allosterico!

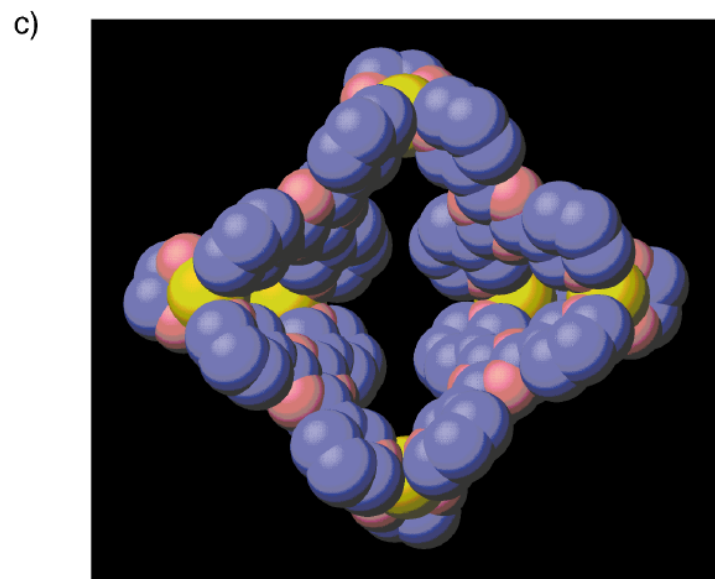
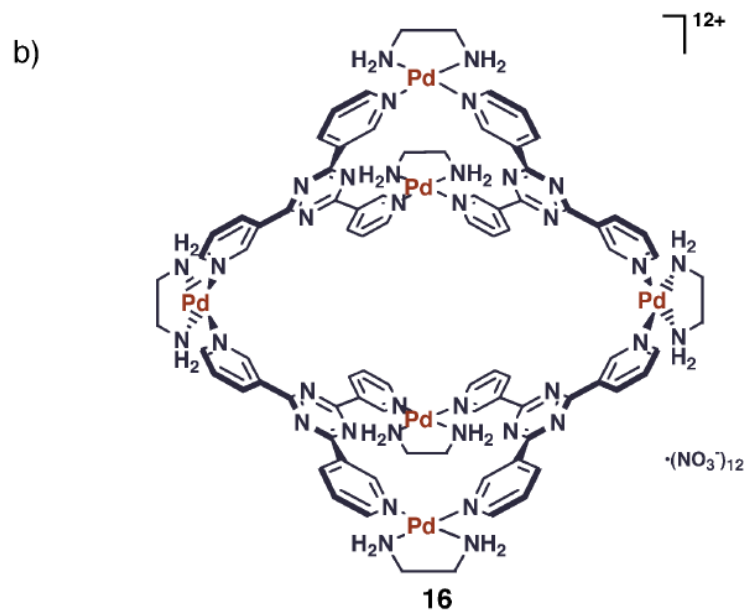
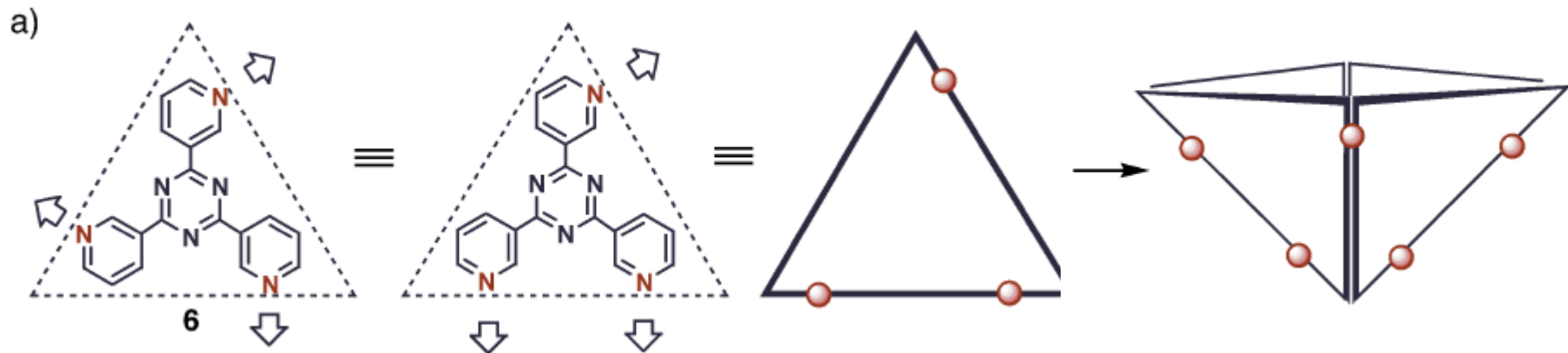
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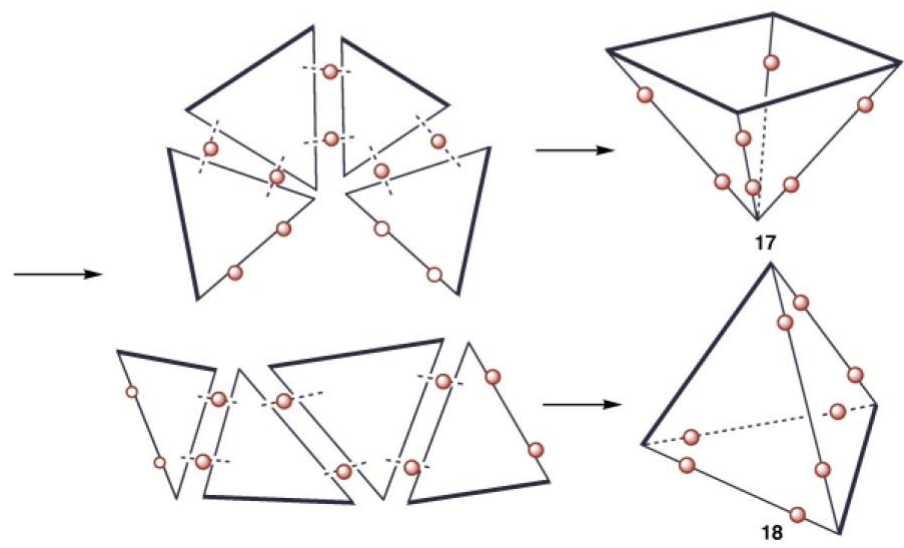
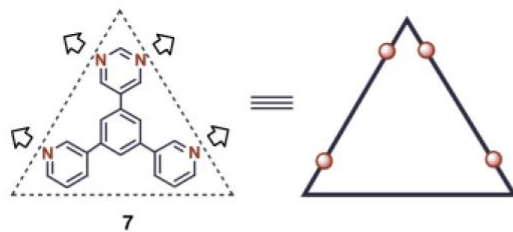
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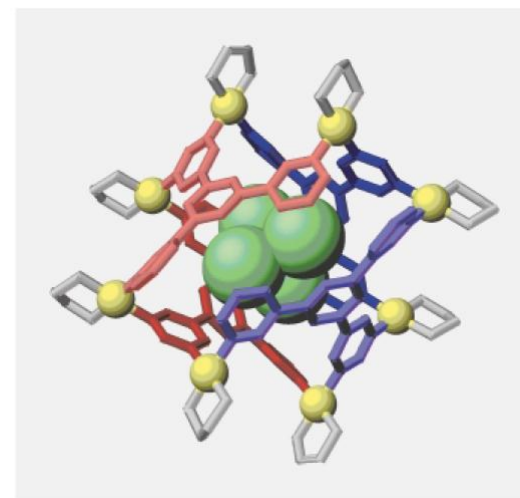
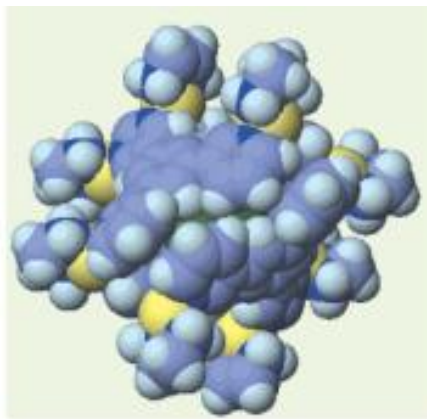
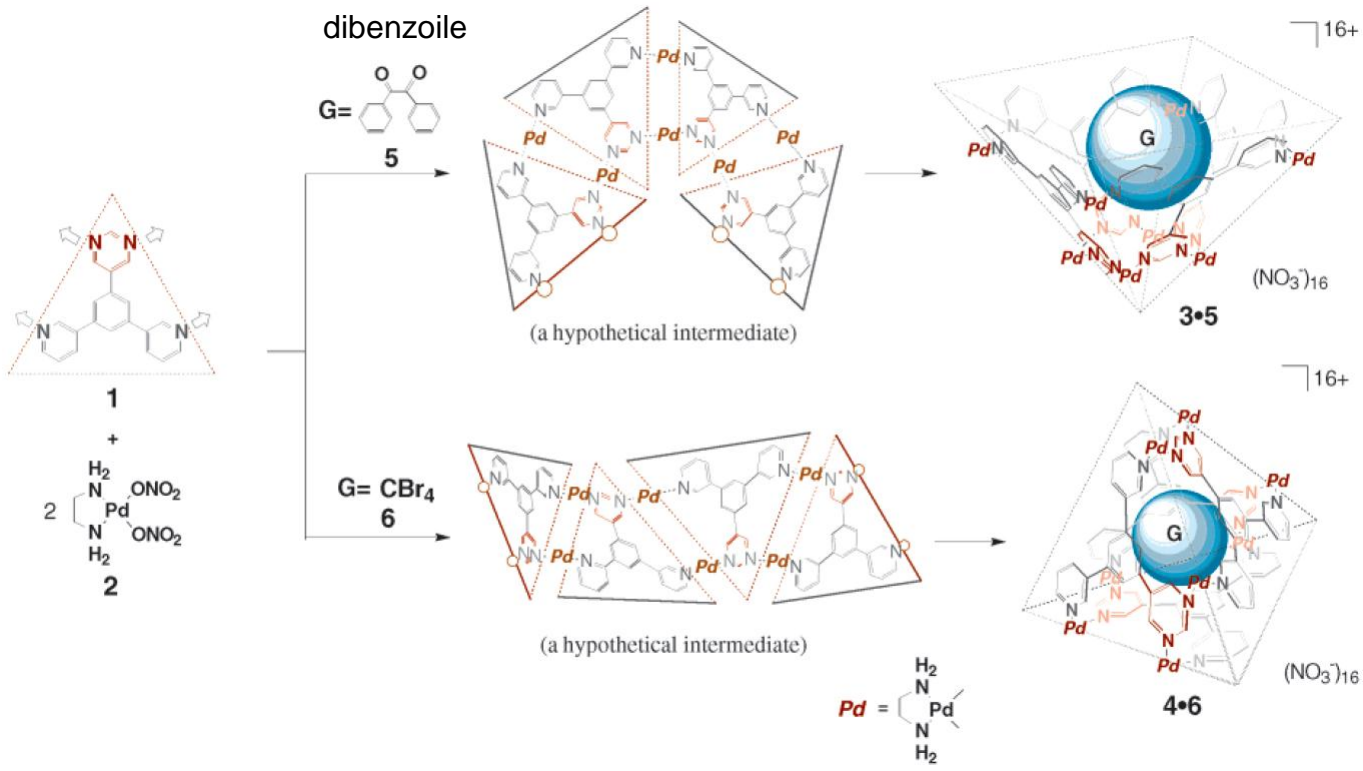
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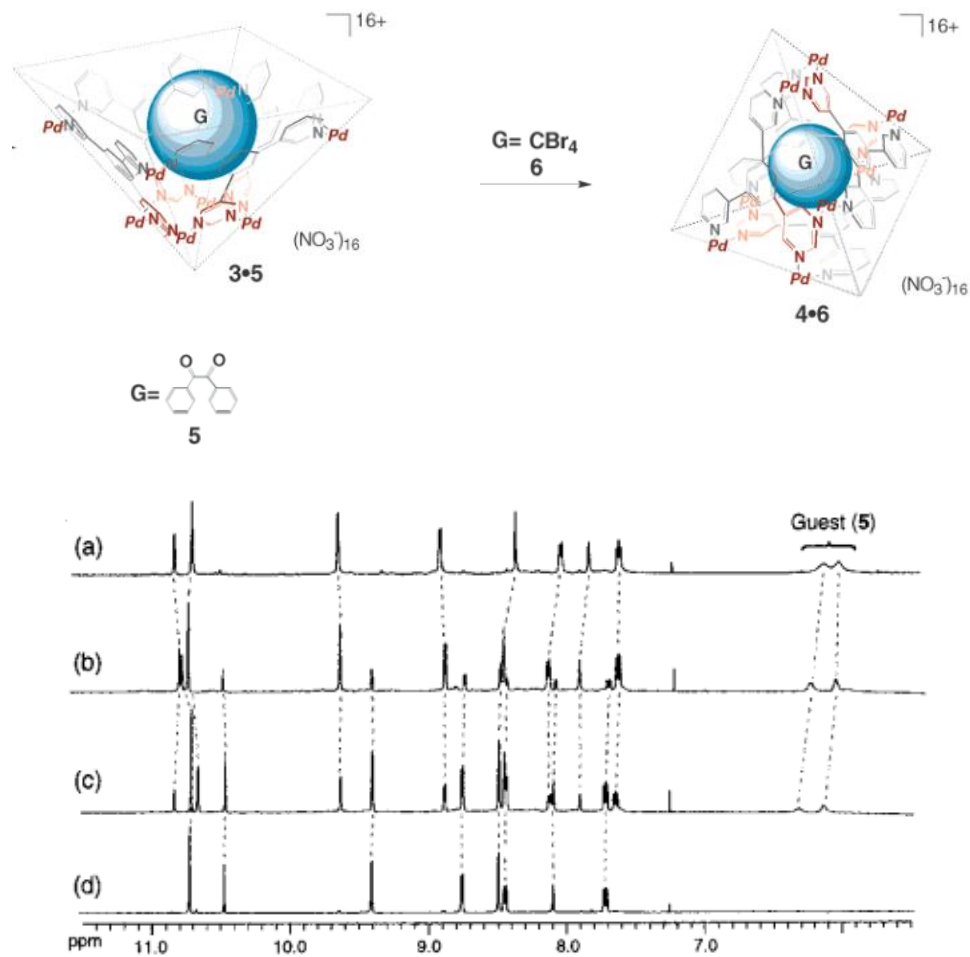
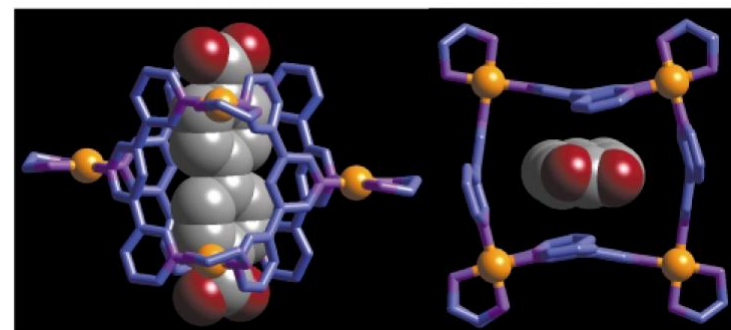
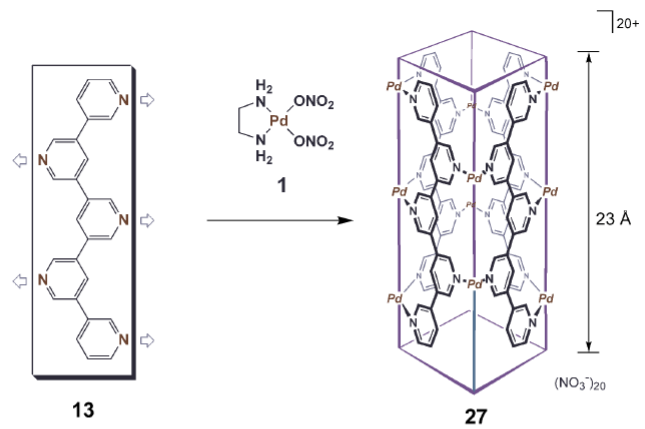
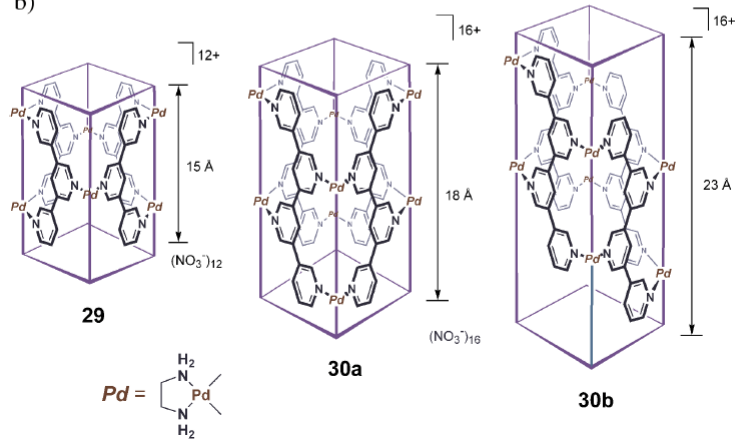


Figure 2. The ^1H NMR monitoring of reorganization process from $3 \cdot 5$ to $4 \cdot 6$ via guest exchange. (a) $3 \cdot 5$ complex in D_2O ; (b–d) After the addition of excess amount of 6 at 25°C ((b) 3 h, (c) 8 h, (d) 24 h). Note that free 5 is immiscible in water and, after guest exchange, becomes invisible in the spectrum.

a)



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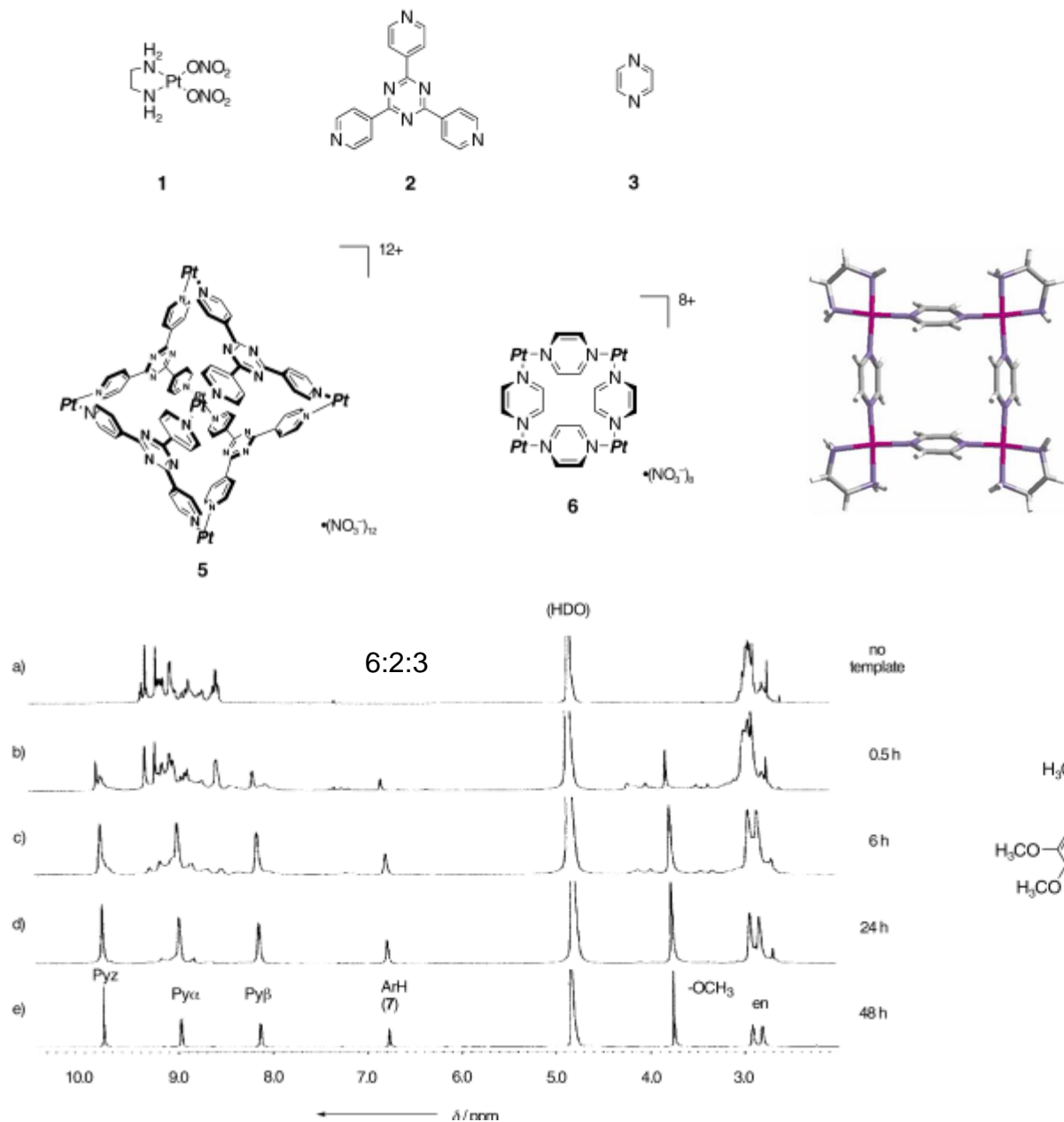
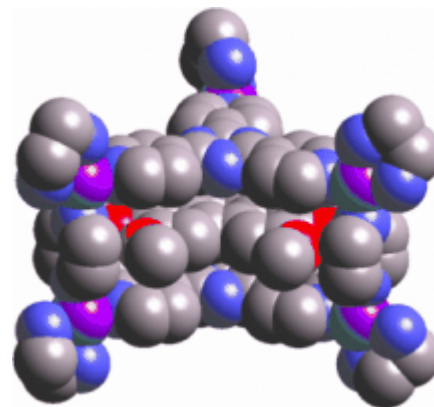
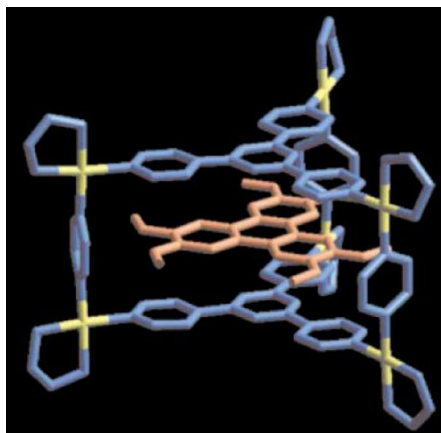


Figure 1. ¹H NMR spectra showing the guest-templated assembly of 7@4 complex (500 MHz, D₂O, 25 °C). a) A mixture of 1, 2, and 3. Template 7 was added to this solution and the mixture was heated at 100 °C for b) 0.5 h, c) 6 h, d) 24 h, and e) 48 h. Pyz = pyrazine.



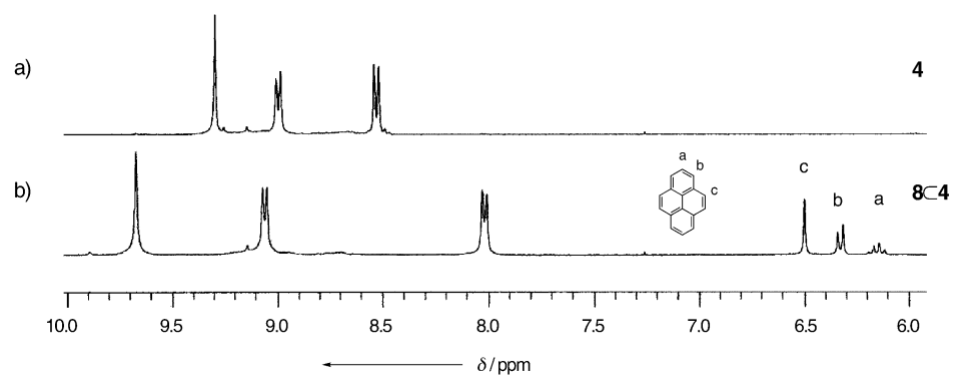
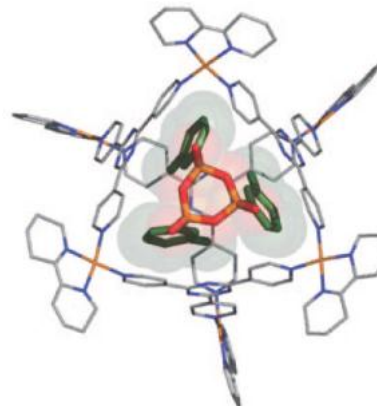
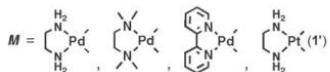
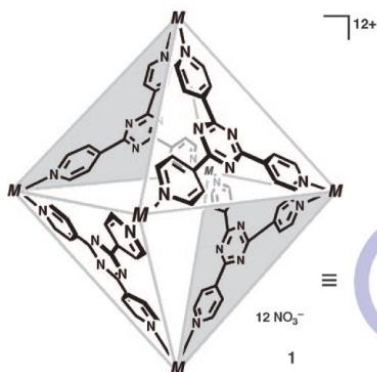
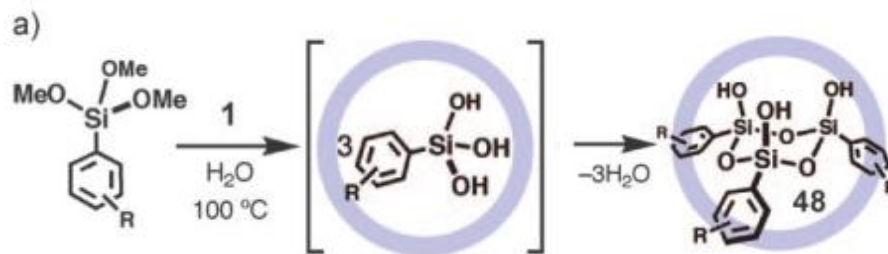
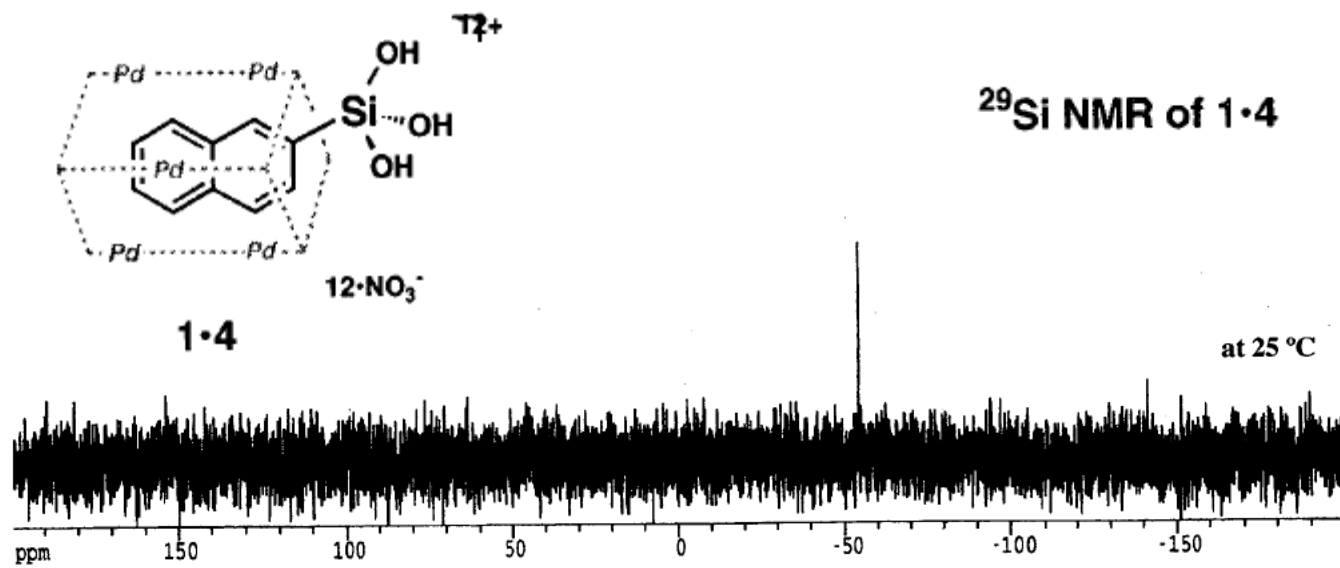


Figure 4. ¹H NMR spectra (300 MHz, D₂O, 25 °C) of aromatic regions of a) free 4 after extraction of template and b) 8C4 after the subsequent reinclusion of 8.

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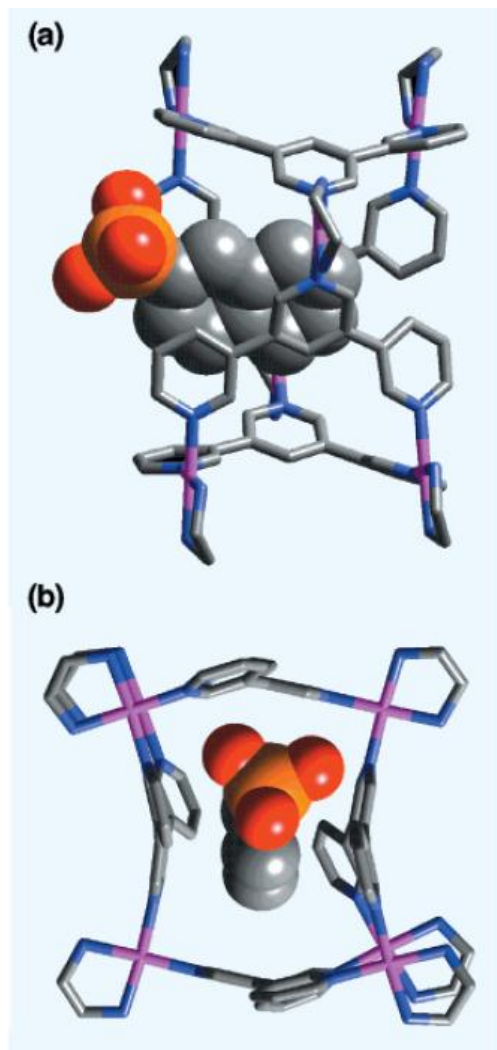
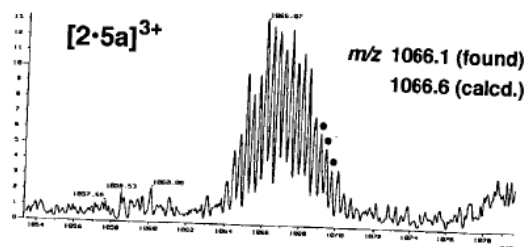
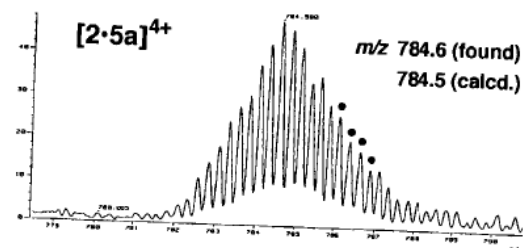
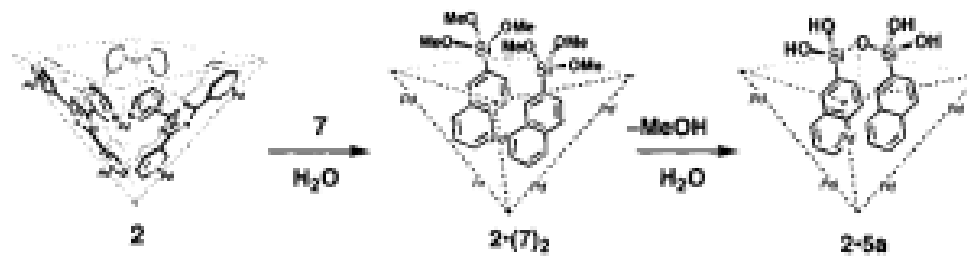
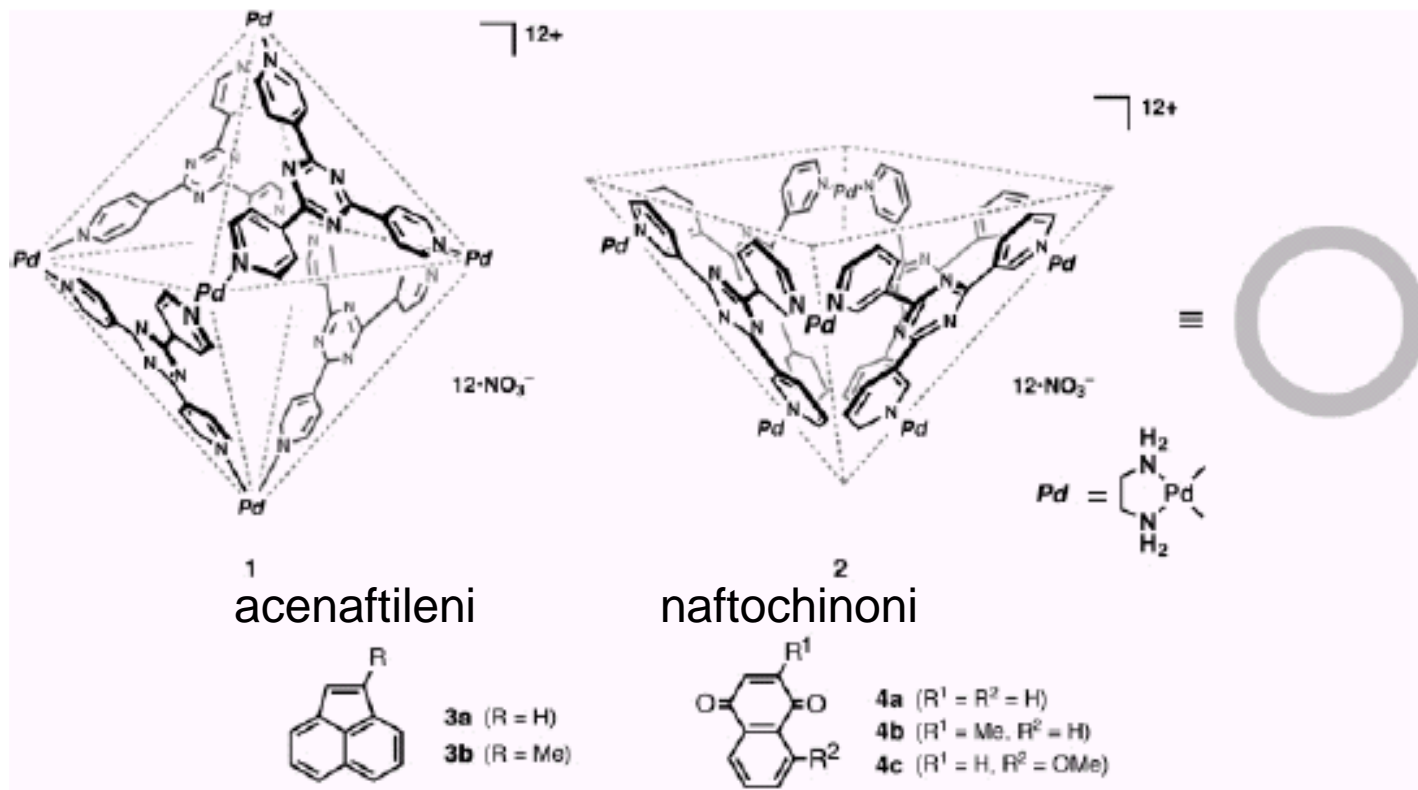


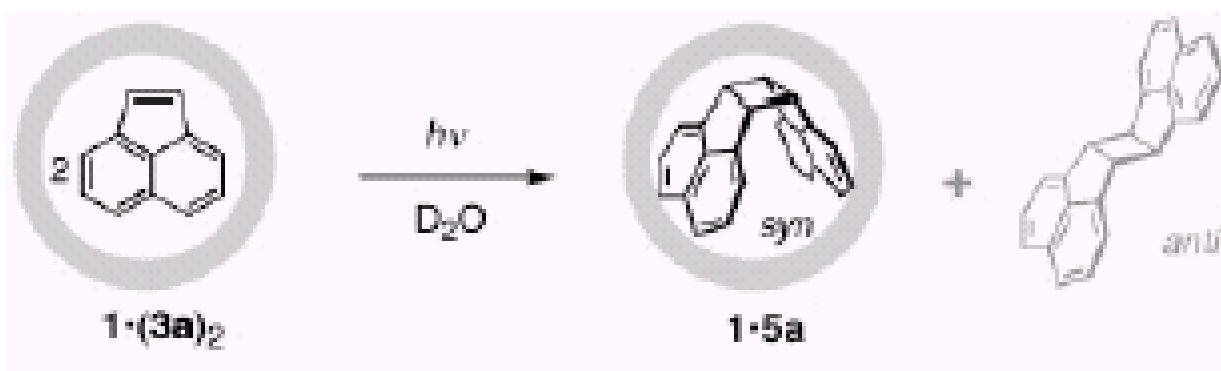
Figure 2. The crystal structure of **1•4**: (a) side view and (b) top view.



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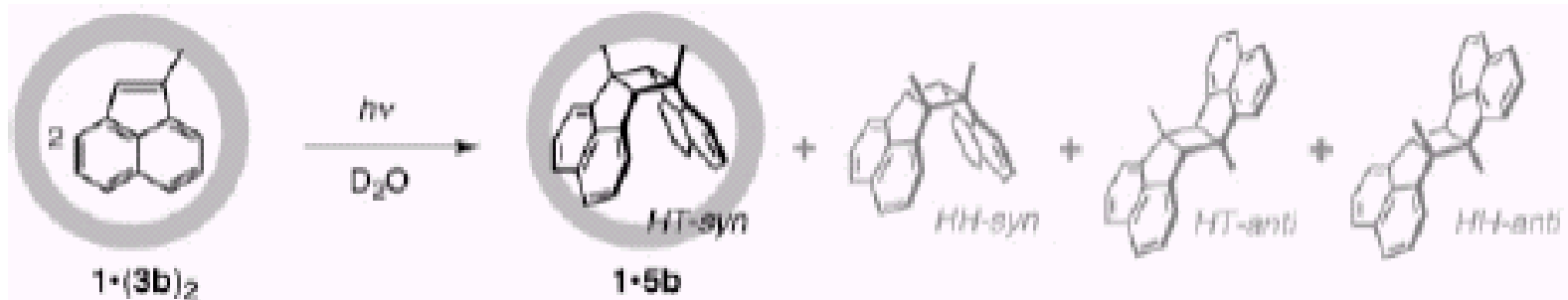
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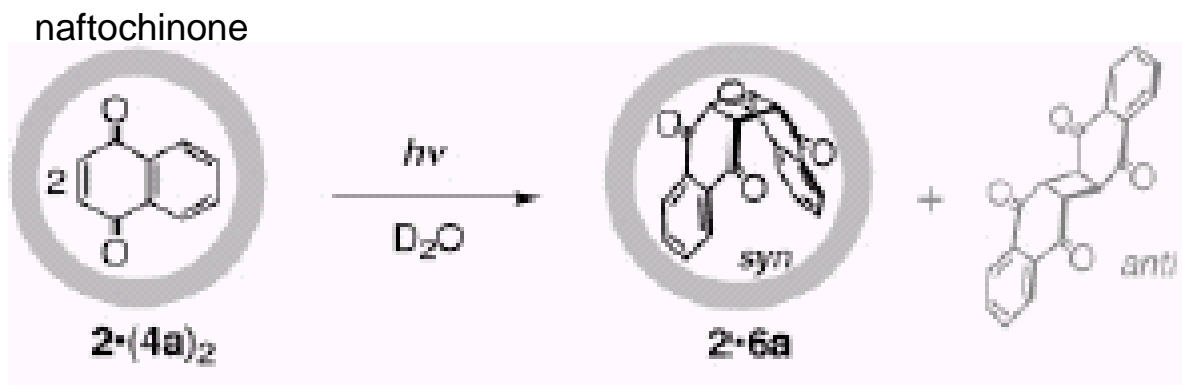
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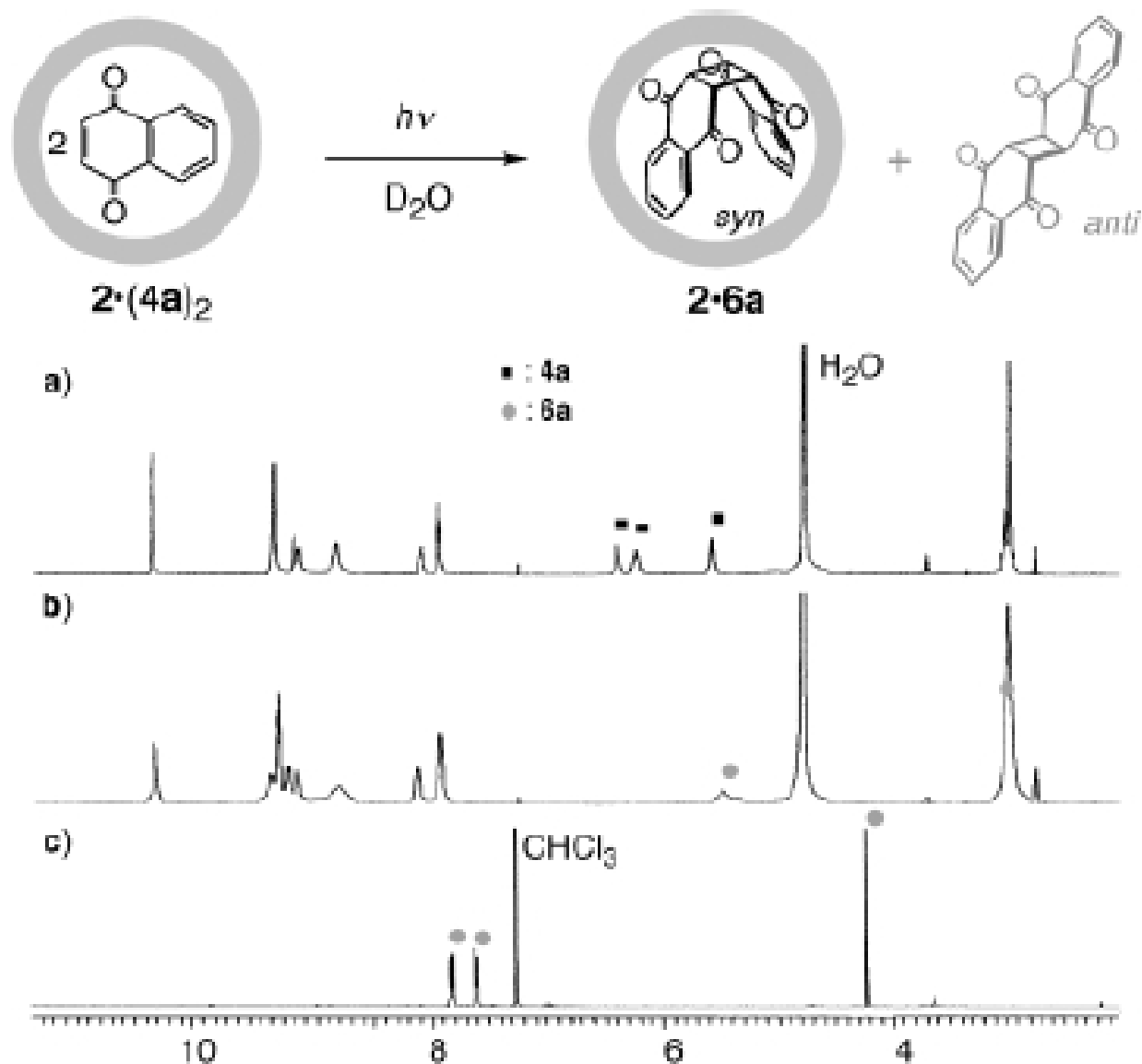


Figure 2. 1H NMR spectroscopic analysis (500 MHz, D_2O , 27°C) of the photodimerization of 4a within bowl 2: a) before reaction ($2 \cdot (4a)_2$) in D_2O ; b) after irradiation (400 W) for 3 h; c) after extraction with $CDCl_3$.

Diels-Alder in Aqueous Molecular Hosts: Unusual Regioselectivity and Efficient Catalysis

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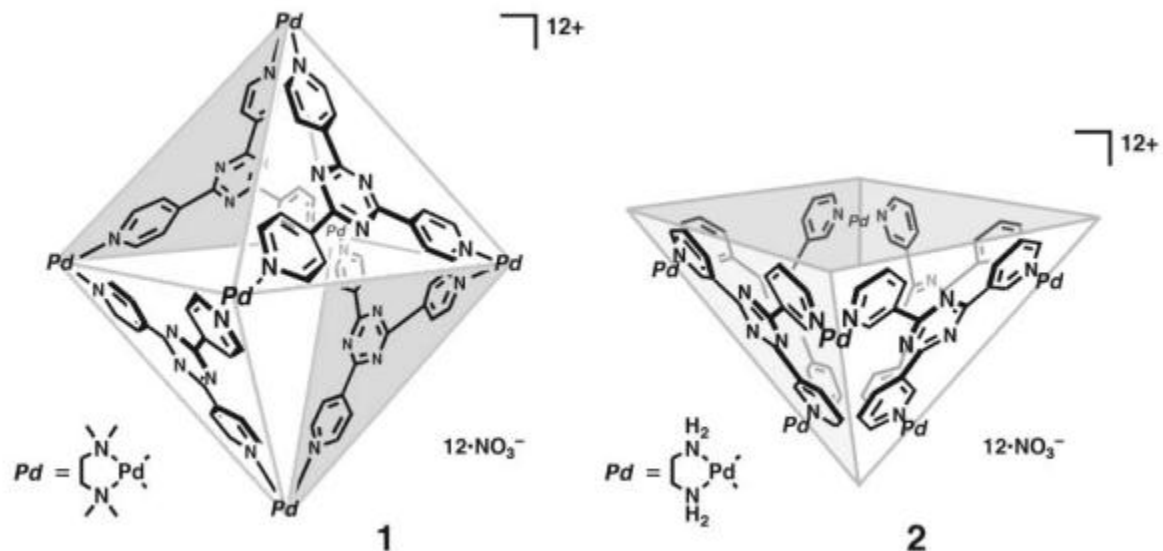
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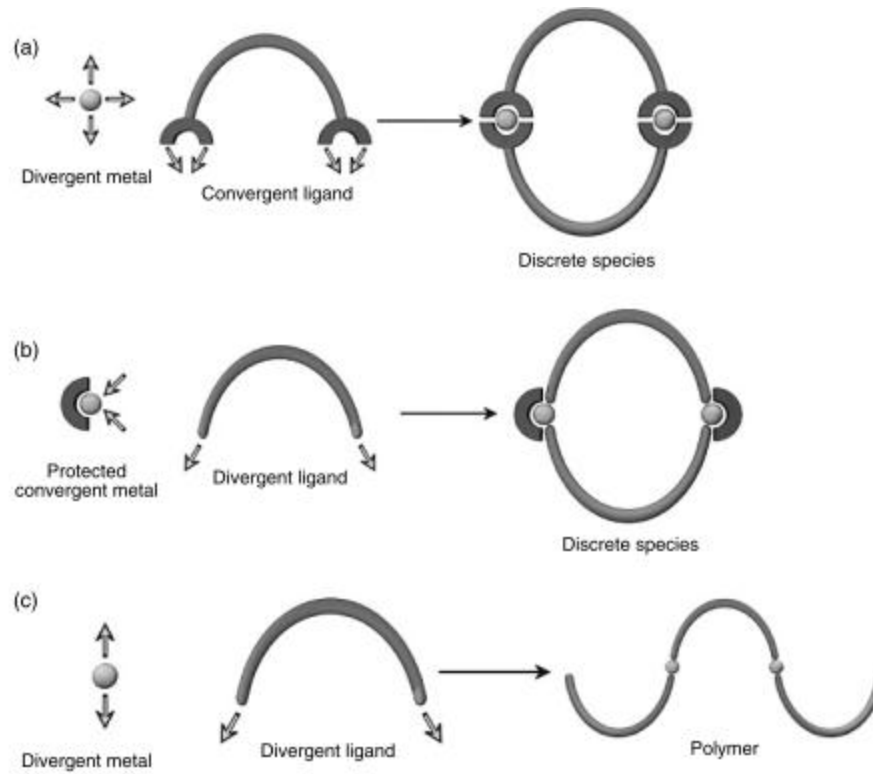
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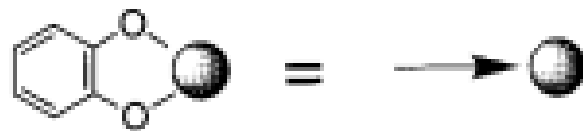
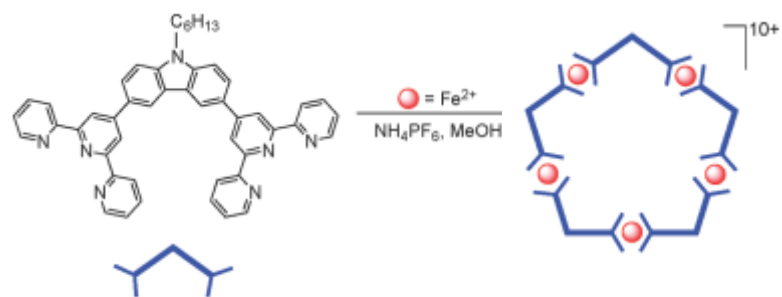
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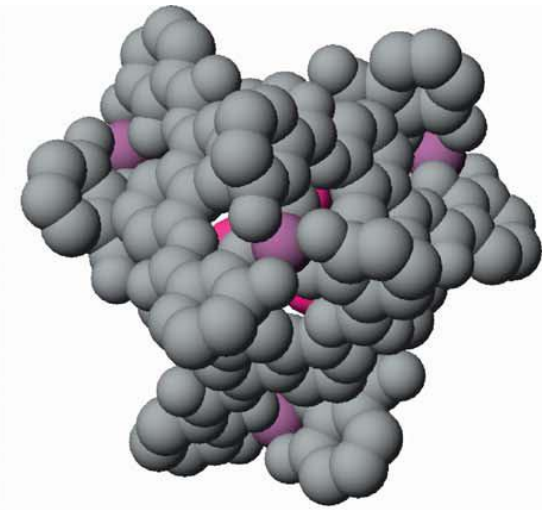
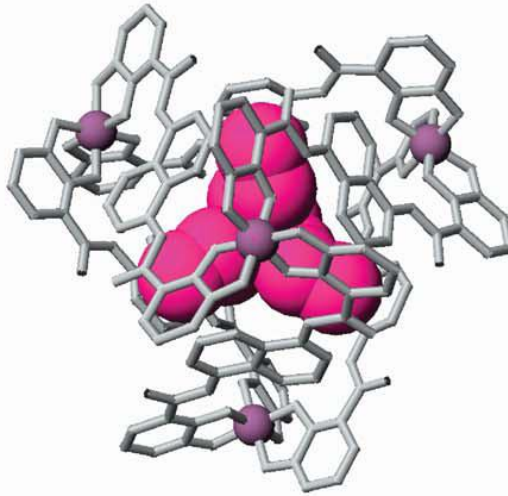
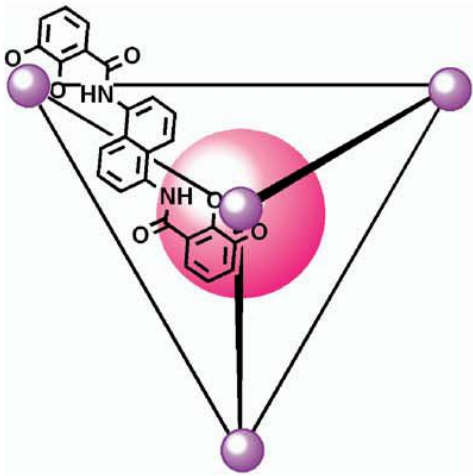
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Fig. 1. Self-assembled coordination cages (**1** and **2**), which are prepared by simple mixing of an exo-tridentate organic ligand and an end-capped Pd(II) ion in a 4:6 ratio in water.

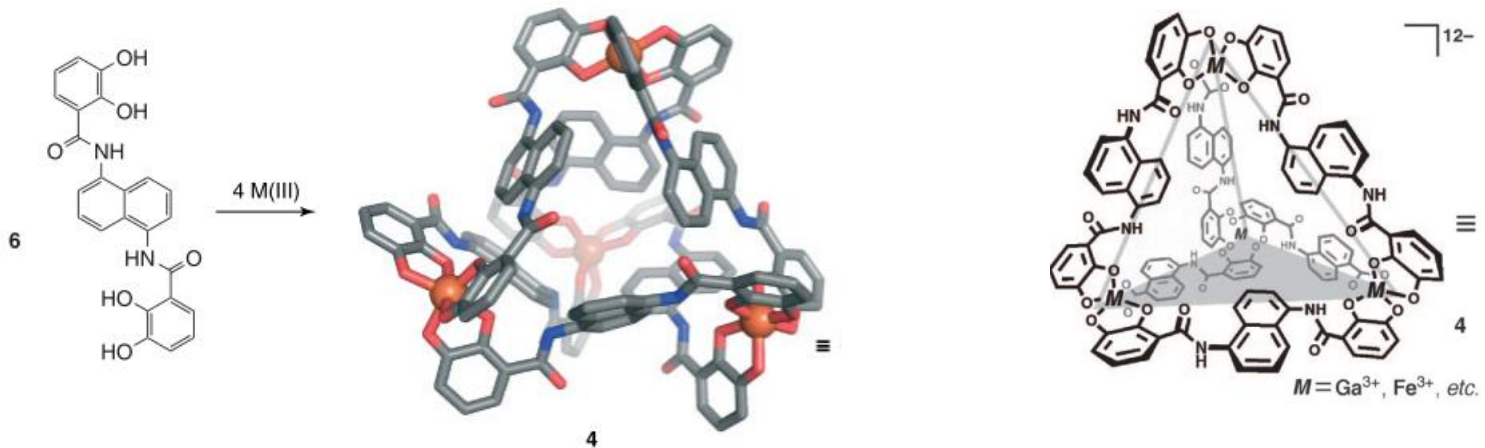








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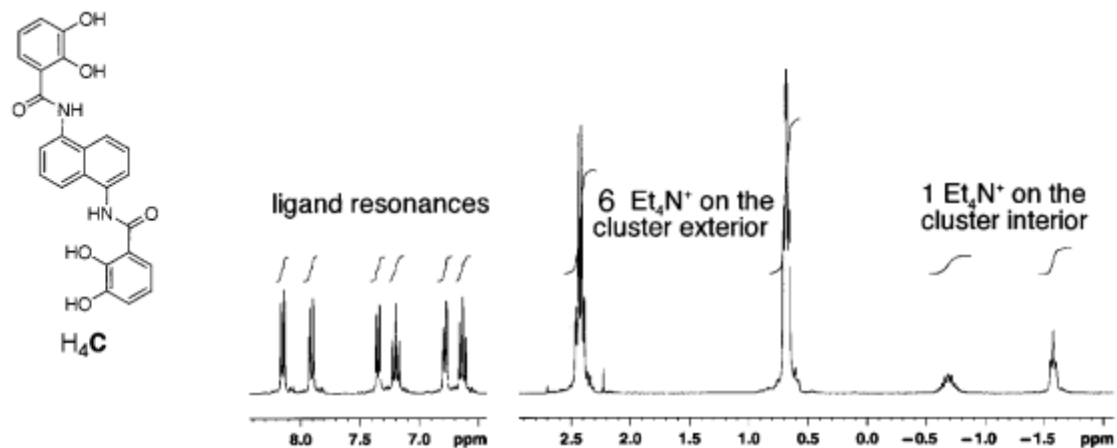


Figure 14. ^1H NMR (D_2O) depicting the two sets of Et_4N^+ resonances characteristic of the exterior and encapsulated cations.

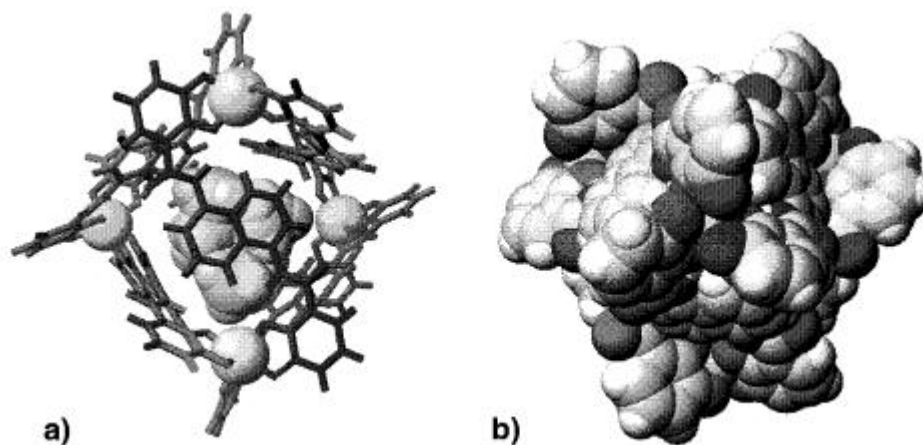
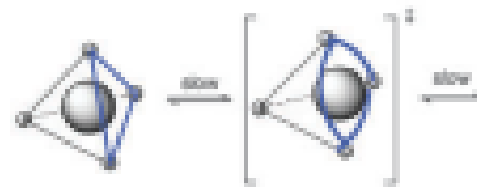
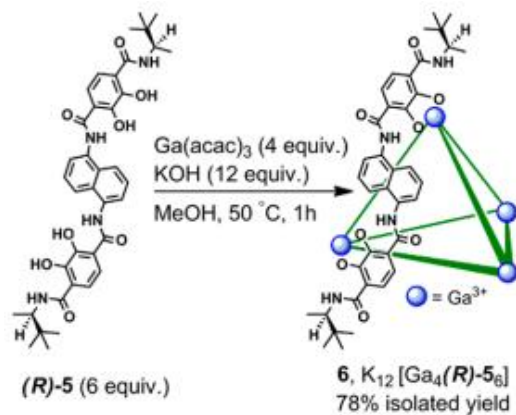
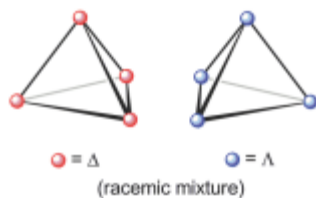
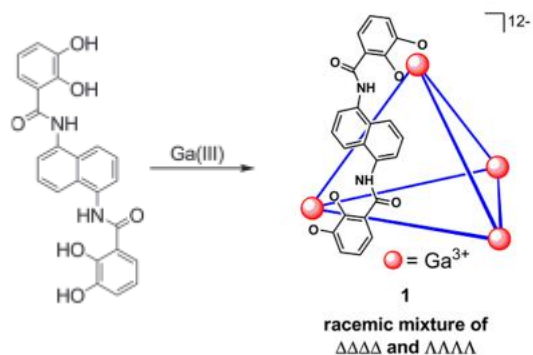


Figure 15. Based on the X-ray structure coordinates, $\text{Et}_4\text{N}^+[\text{Fe}_4\text{C}_6]^{12-}$ in both (a) wire-frame and (b) space-filling representations.

(B)





CD and UV-Vis Absorption Spectra of $\Lambda\Lambda\Lambda\Lambda$ -6 and $\Delta\Delta\Delta\Delta$ -6

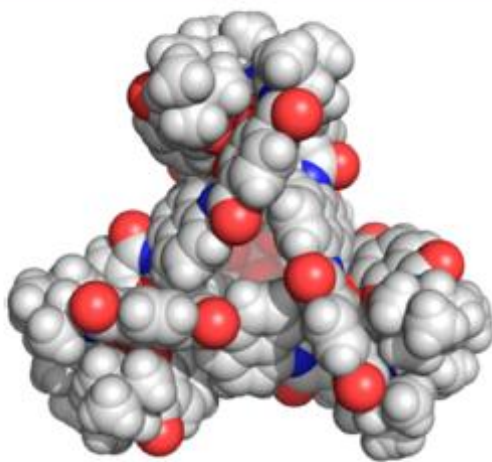
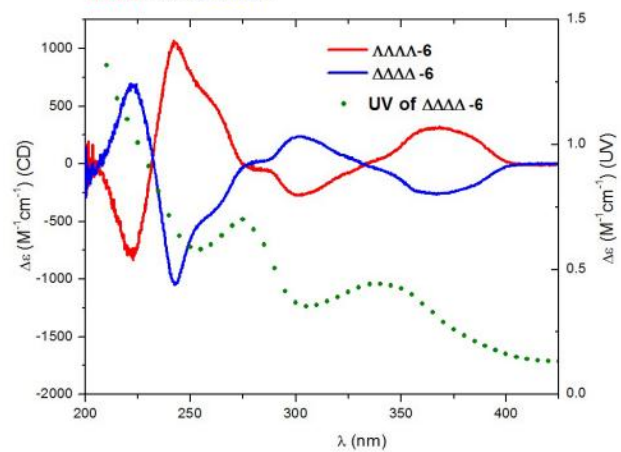


Figure 2. X-ray structure of $\Delta\Delta\Delta\Delta$ -6.

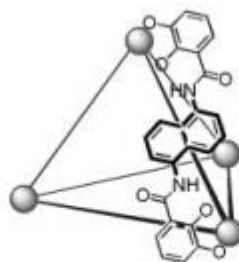


Figure 1. Schematic drawing of the $[\text{Ga}_4\text{L}_6]^{12-}$ tetrahedron showing the structure of the ligand L; lines represent additional ligand molecules, one is shown, and spheres represent gallium ions

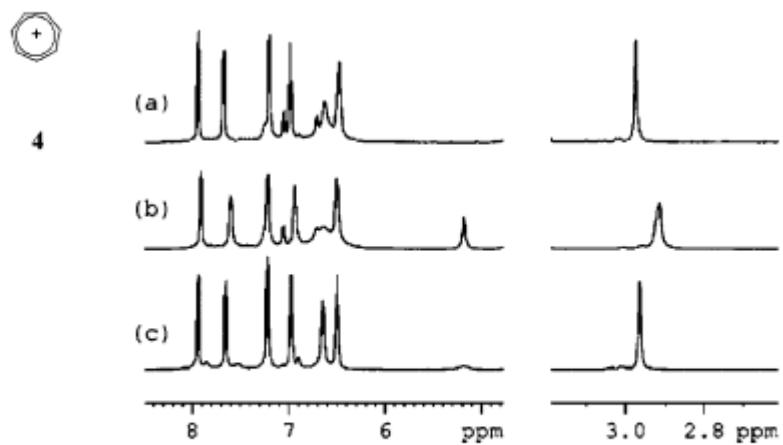
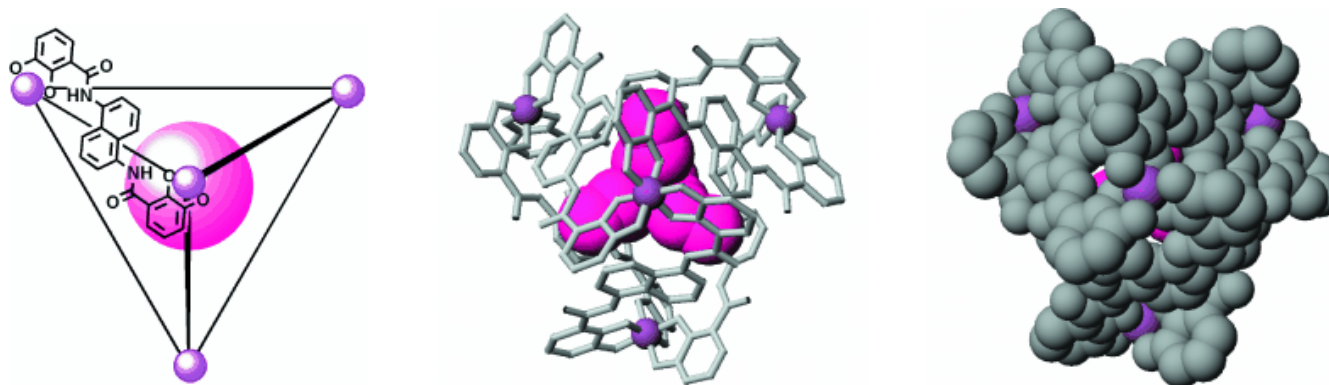
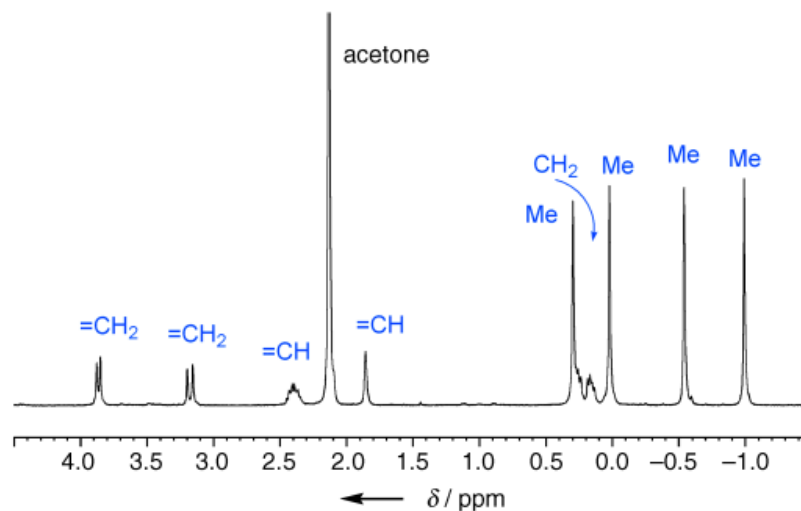
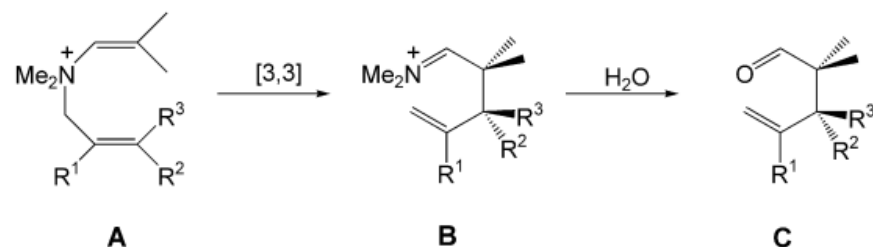


Figure 4. ^1H NMR spectra in D_2O of (a) the $[\text{Ga}_4\text{L}_6]^{12-}$ assembly + 1 equiv. **4**; (b) + 2 equiv. **4**; (c) sample in spectrum b after 20 h

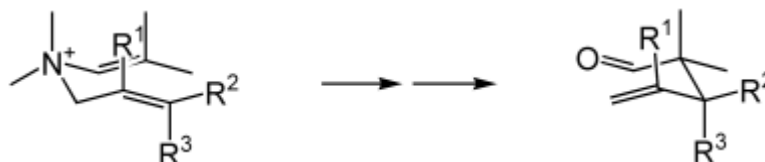


Left: A schematic view of the $[G\text{-}M_4L_6]$ (G=guest) supramolecular tetrahedral assembly, looking down the C_3 -axis. For clarity only one ligand is drawn, the other ligands are represented as sticks. Middle: CAChe model of $[NPr_4CFe_4L_6]^{11-}$, the guest molecule is shown in a space-filling view, the hydrogen atoms are omitted for clarity. Right: The same CAChe model as in the middle, now with host and guest in space filling view. This representation shows that the guest molecule is not exposed to the assembly exterior, but rather is tightly surrounded by the host.

Supramolecular Catalysis of a Unimolecular Transformation: Aza-Cope Rearrangement within a Self-Assembled Host

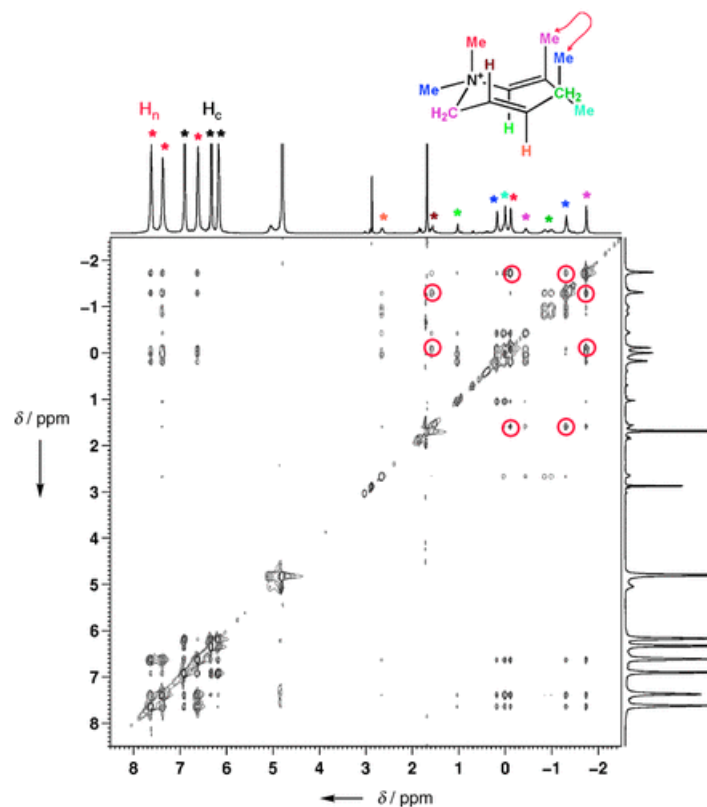


Top: A general reaction scheme of the 3-aza-Cope rearrangement. Starting from the enammonium cation **A**, [3,3] sigmatropic rearrangement leads to iminium cation **B**, which then hydrolyzes to the aldehyde, **C**. Bottom: ^1H NMR spectrum of $[\mathbf{1}c\text{Ga}_4\text{L}_6]^{11-}$ (**1**: $\text{R}^1, \text{R}^2, \text{R}^3=\text{H}$). The observed upfield shift of guest resonance signals illustrates the close contact between host and guest.

Table 1. Rate constants for free (k_{free}) and encapsulated (k_{encaps}) rearrangements (measured at 50 °C) and their acceleration factors.

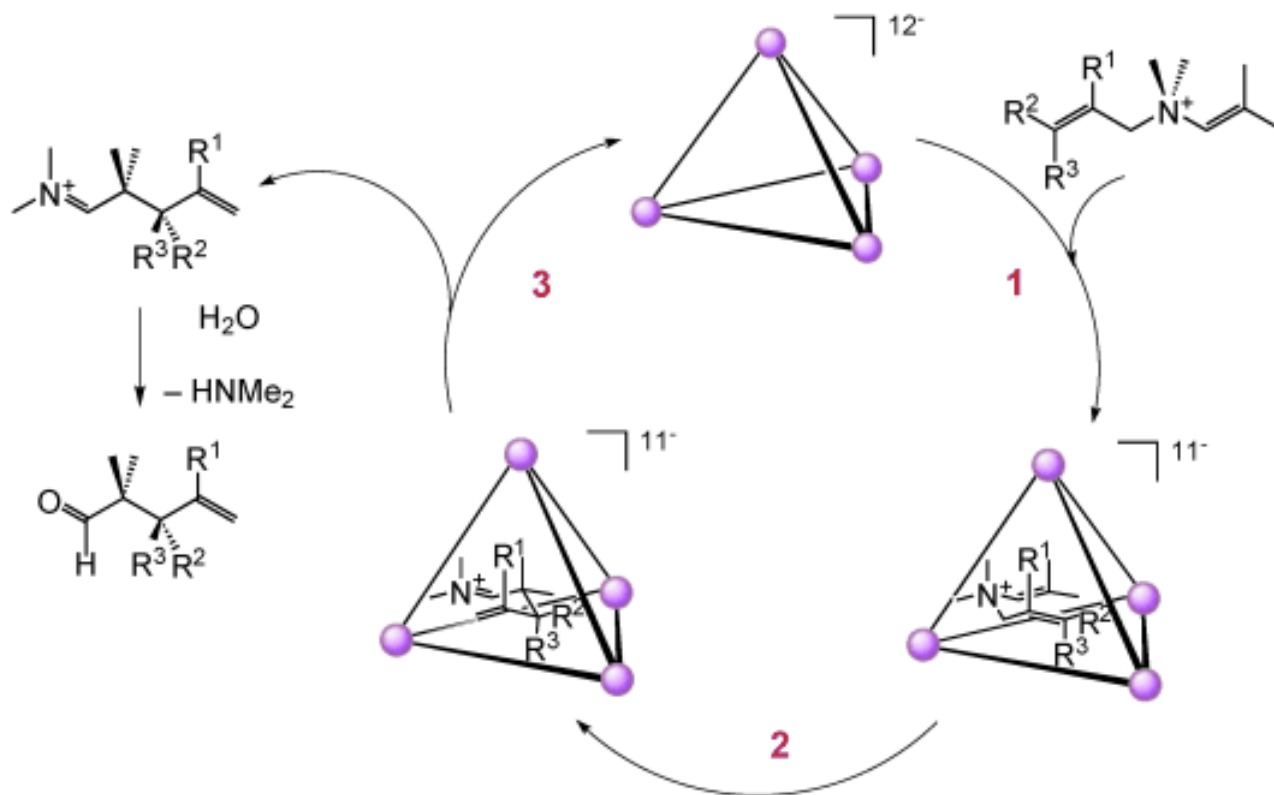
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2	Me	H	H	7.61	198	26
3	H	Et	H	3.17	446	141
4	H	H	Et	1.50	135	90
5	H	<i>n</i> Pr	H	4.04	604	150
6	H	H	<i>n</i> Pr	1.69	74.2	44
7	H	<i>i</i> Pr	H	0.37	316	854

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The 2D NOESY spectrum of $[3\text{-Ga}_4\text{L}_6]^{11-}$ in a $\text{D}_2\text{O}/\text{MeOD}$ mixture (70:30) recorded at -10°C , mixing time 100 ms. Indicated in red are selected NOEs. The correlation between Me and Me at the two distal ends of the molecule demonstrates the cavity's enforcement of a compressed and folded guest conformation. H_n=naphthyl protons, H_c=catechol protons.

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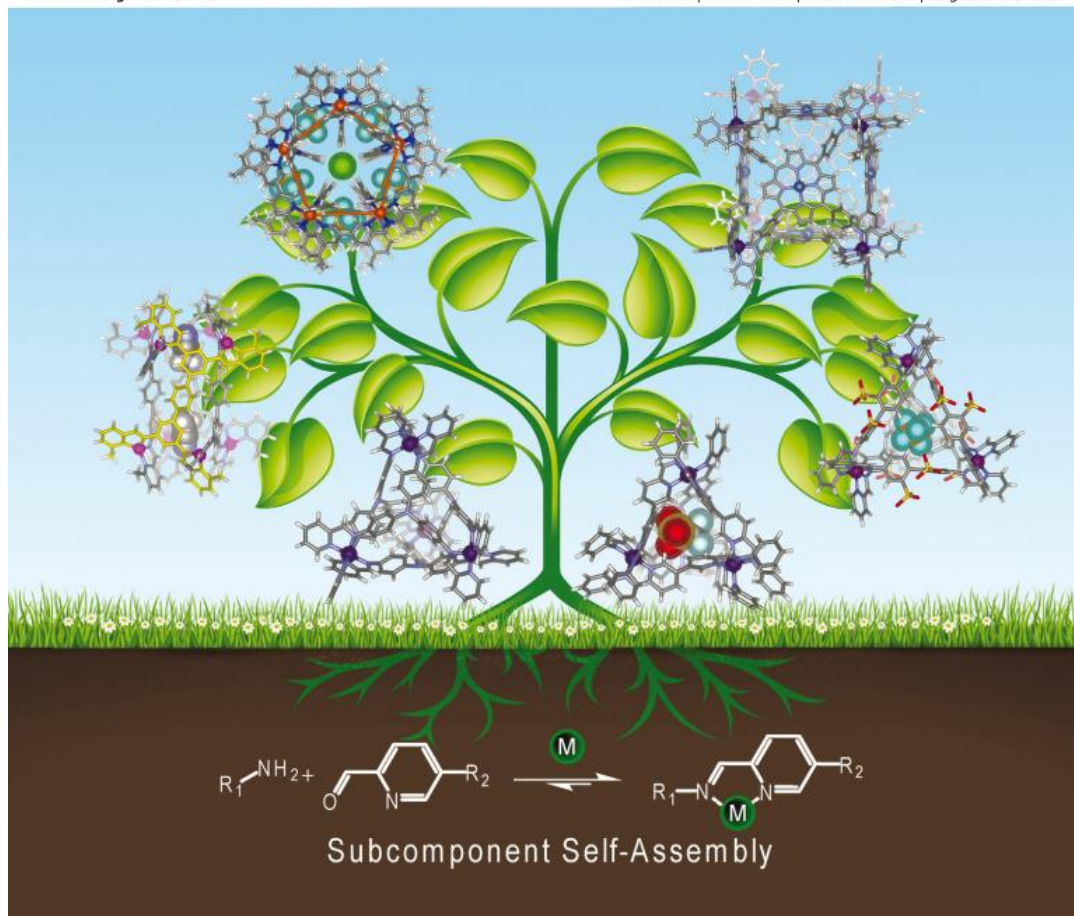
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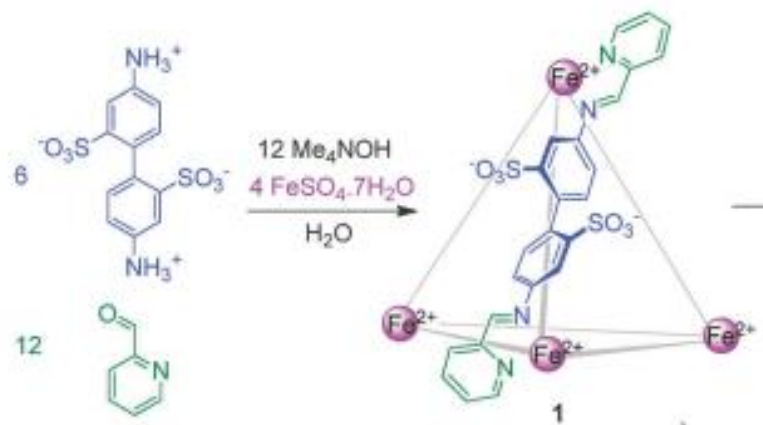
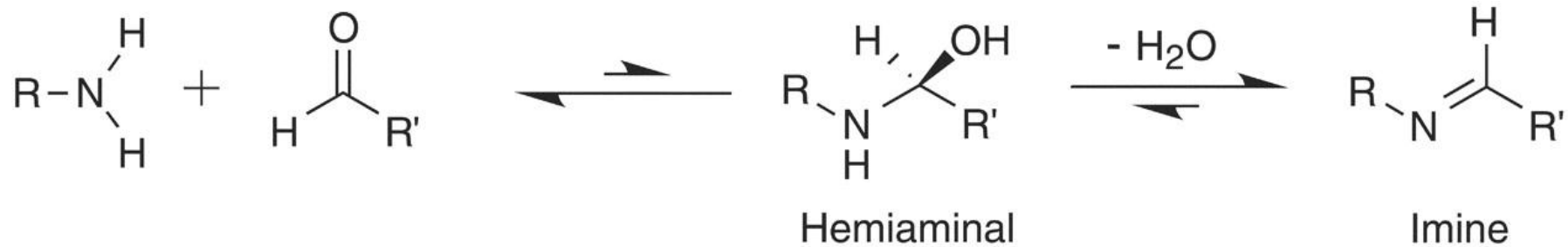
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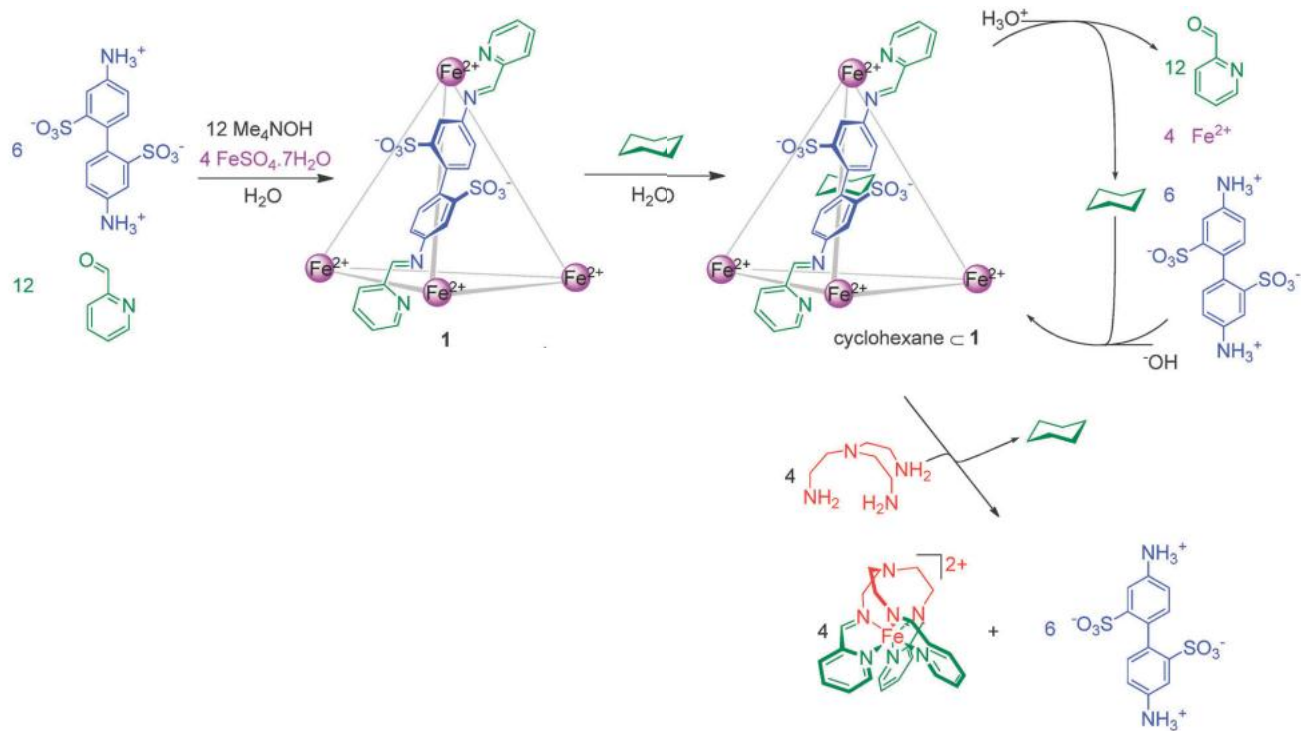
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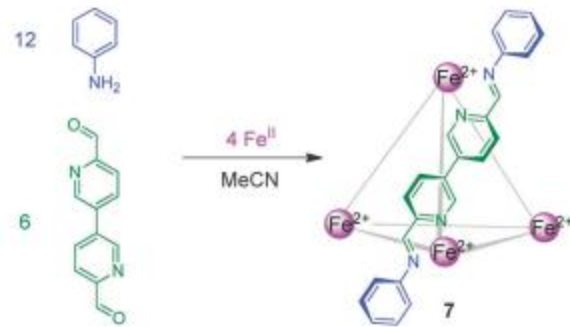
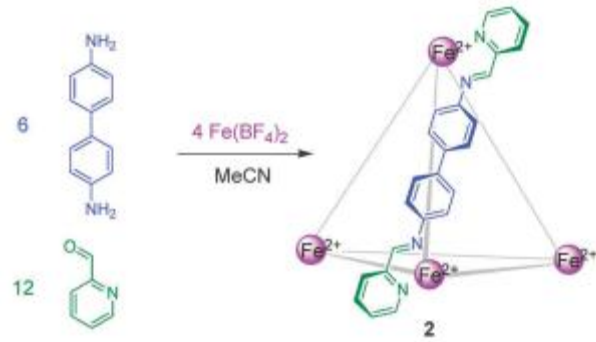
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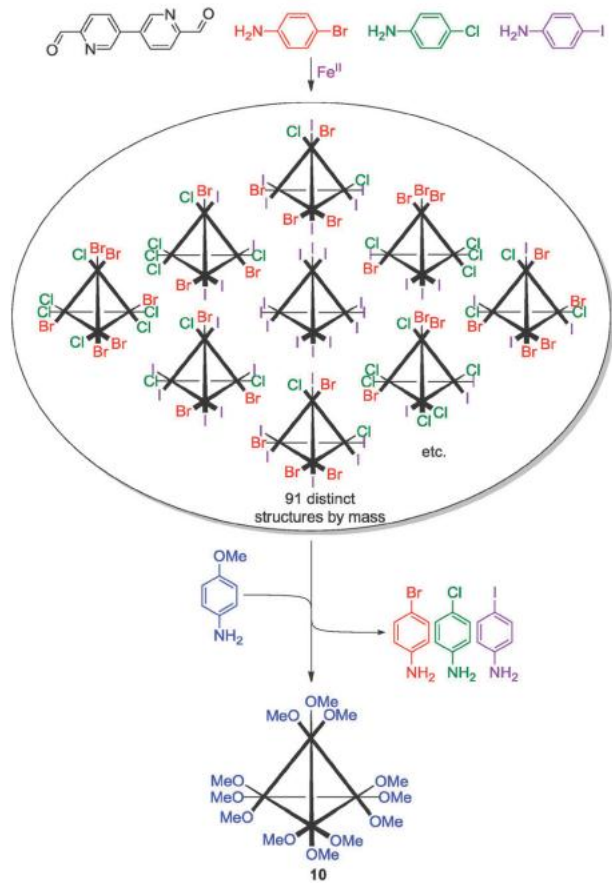
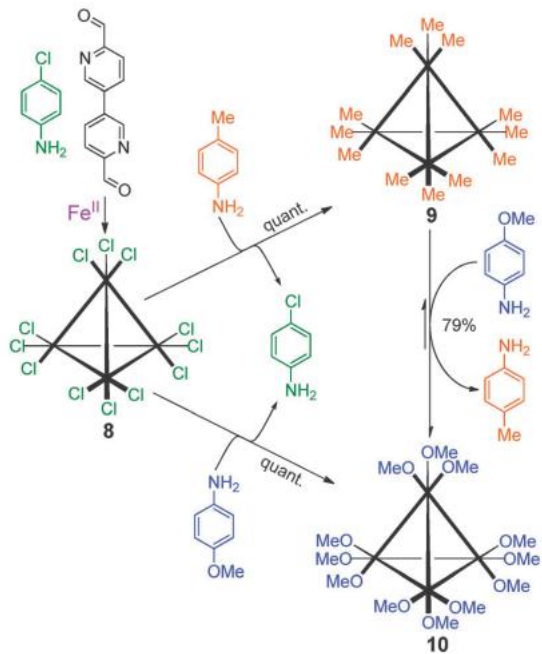
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White Phosphorus Is Air-Stable Within a Self-Assembled Tetrahedral Capsule

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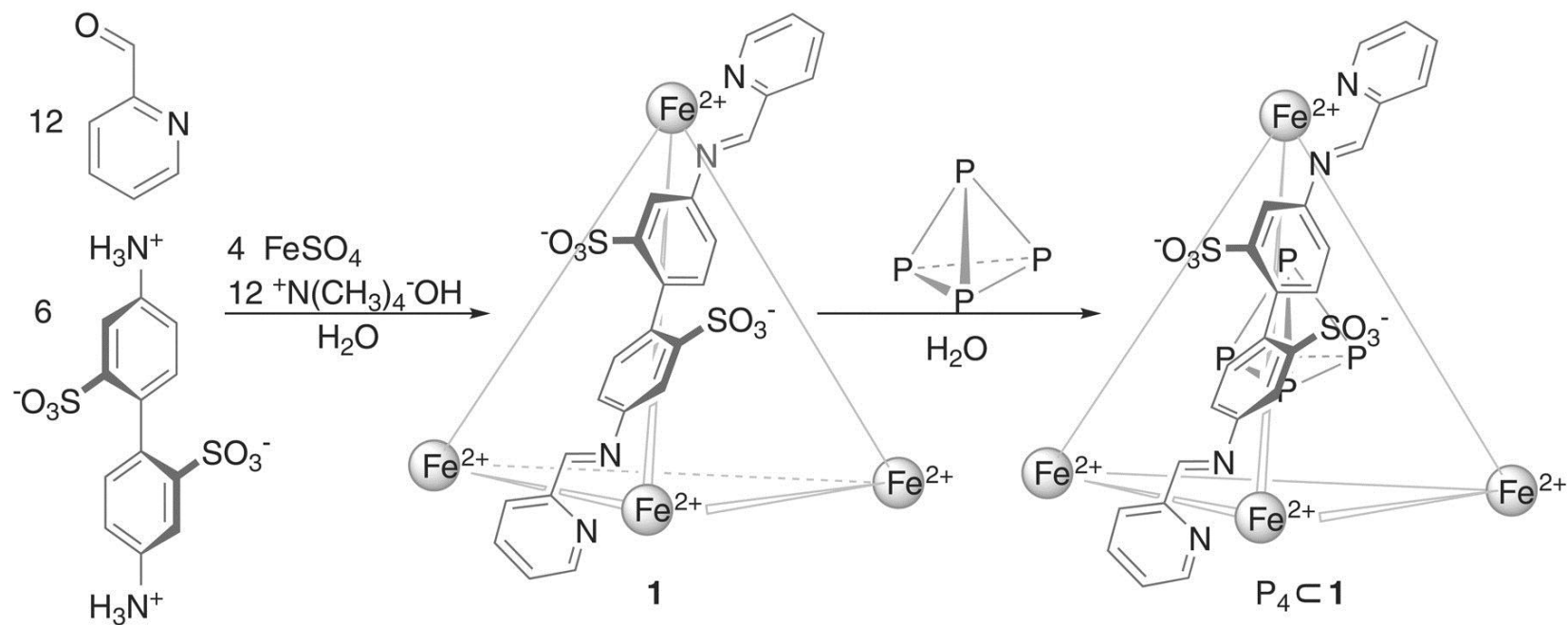


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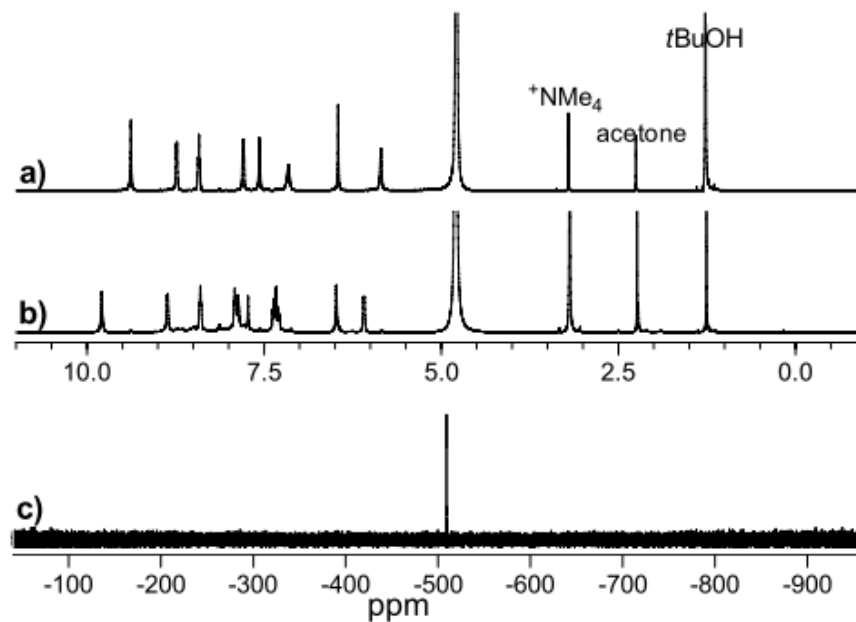


Figure S1. ^1H NMR spectra in D_2O of cage **1** (top), of $\text{P}_4\text{C1}$ (middle), and ^{31}P NMR spectrum of $\text{P}_4\text{C1}$ (bottom).

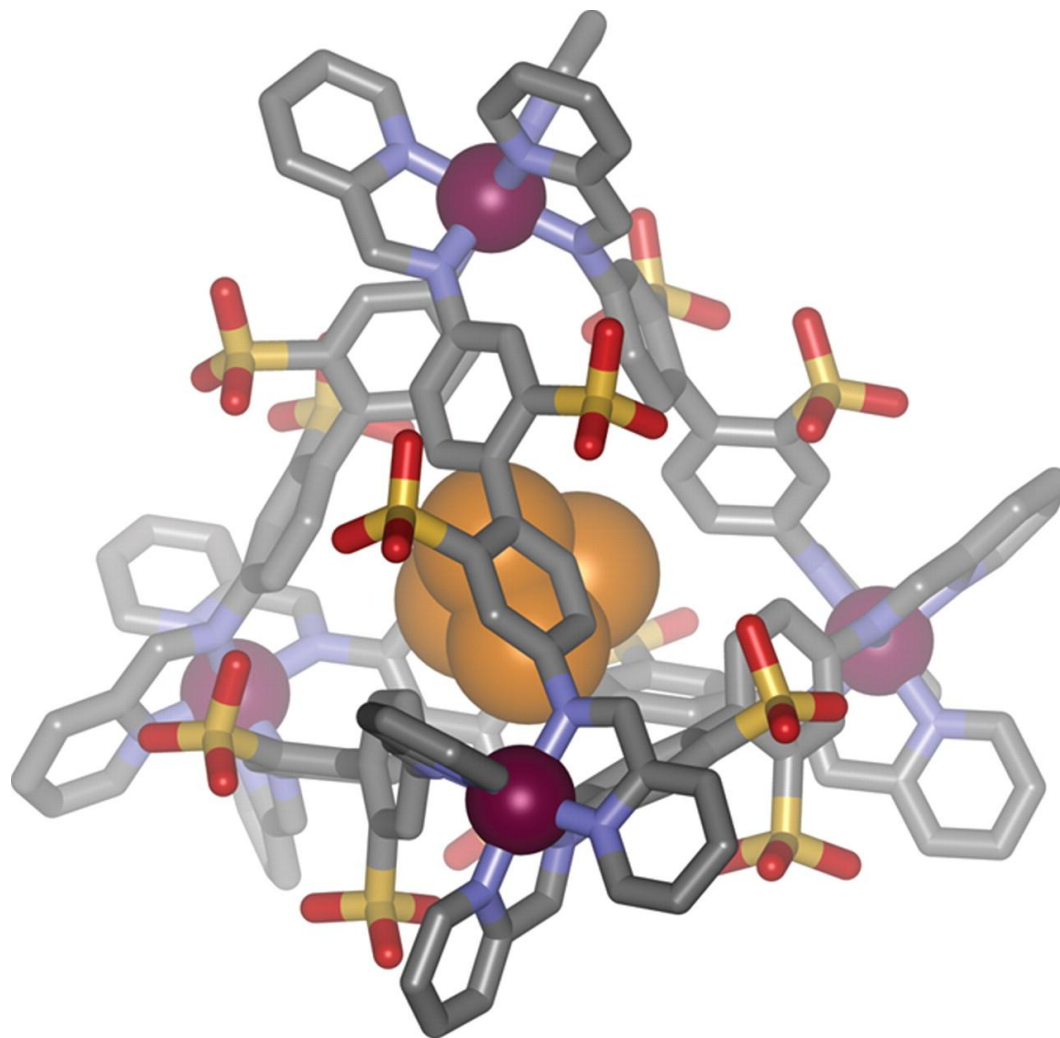


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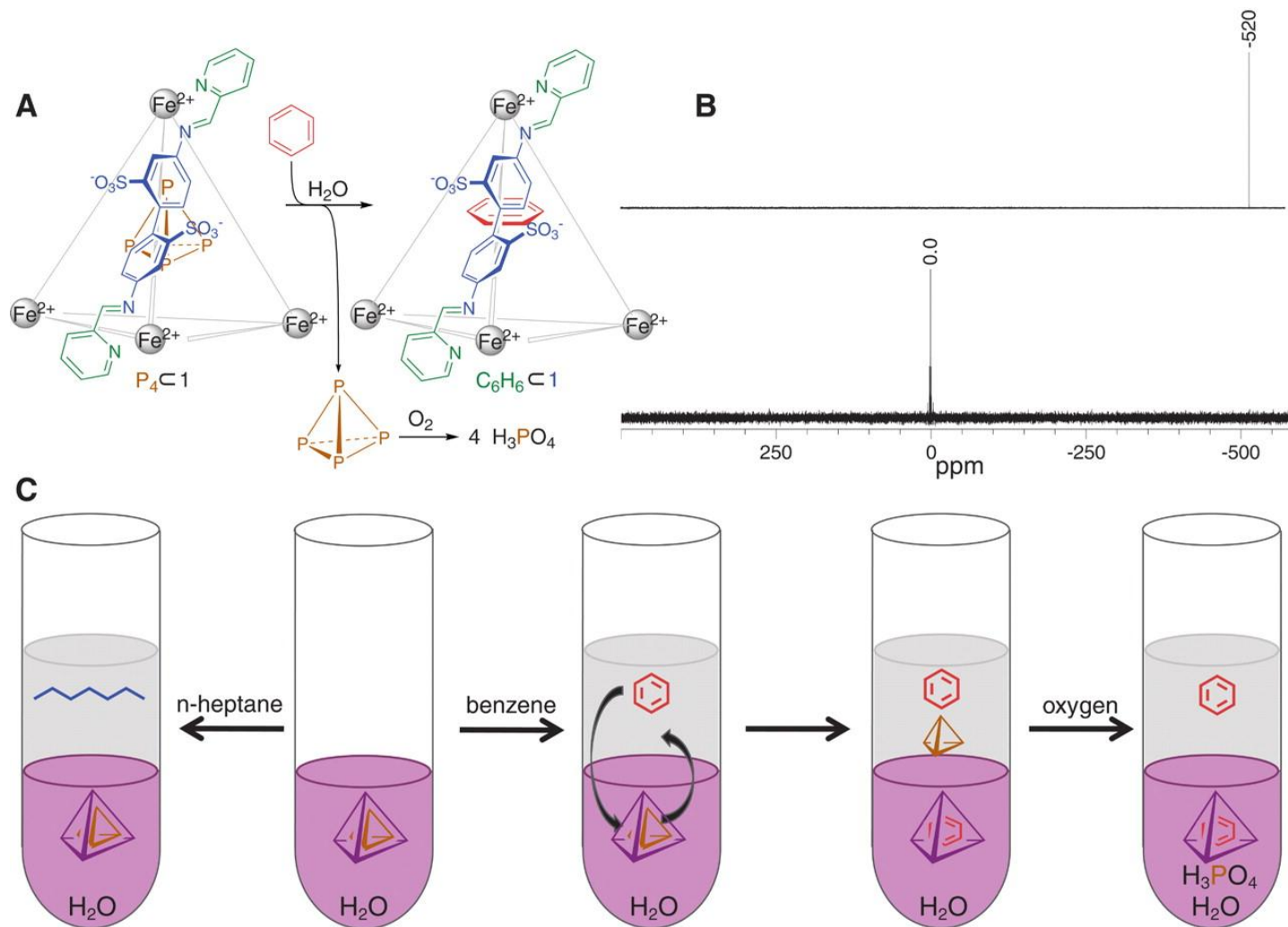
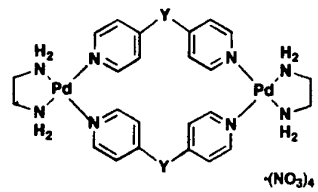
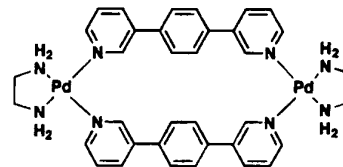
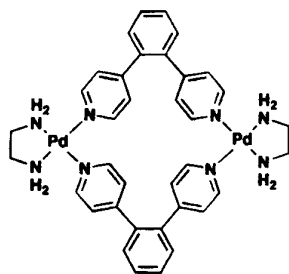
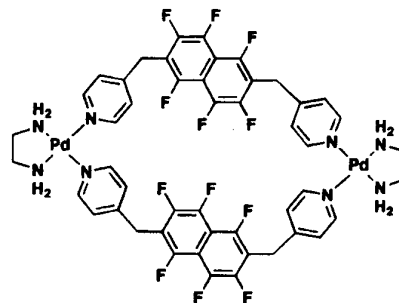
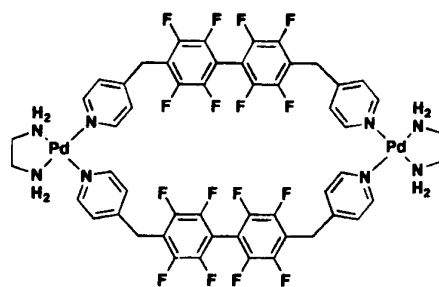
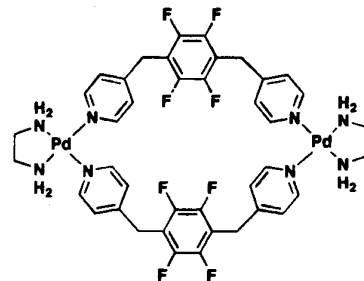
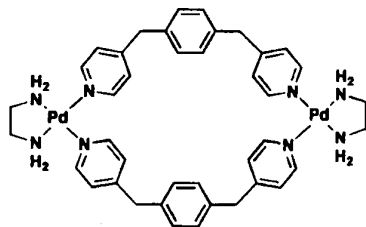
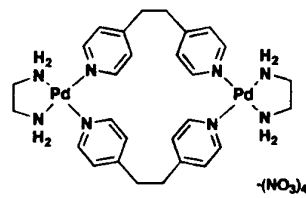
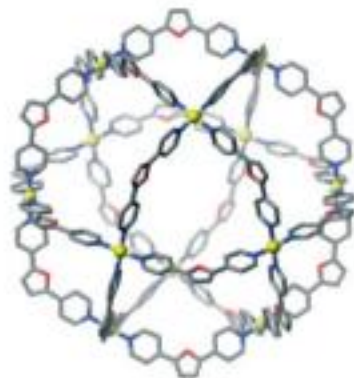
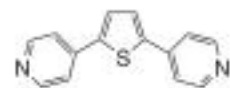
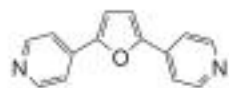
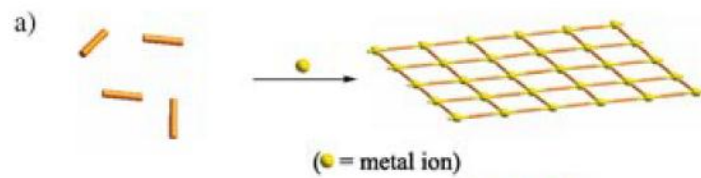


Fig. 3 Extraction of P4 from **1** by n-heptane is not possible, whereas replacing P4 with another suitable guest (benzene or cyclohexane) results in the facile removal of P4 into the organic solvent.

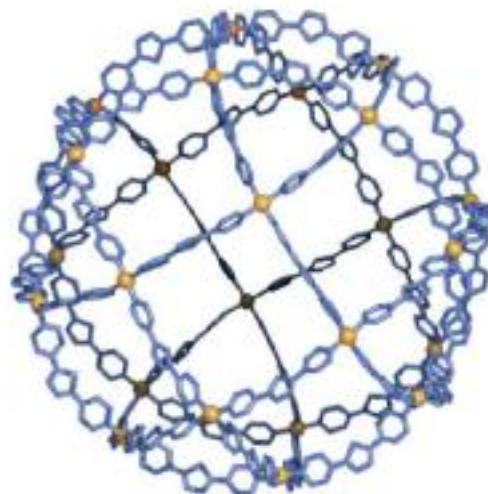


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