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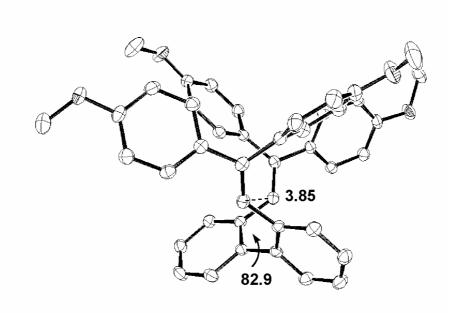
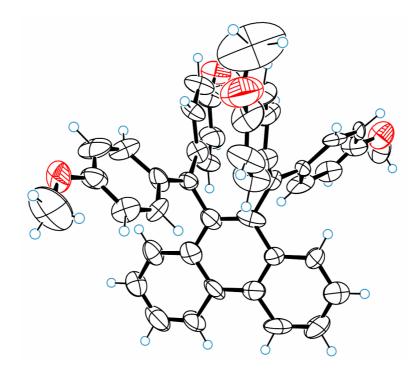


Fig. S1 ORTEP drawing of compound 2 determined by X-ray analysis at 153 K.

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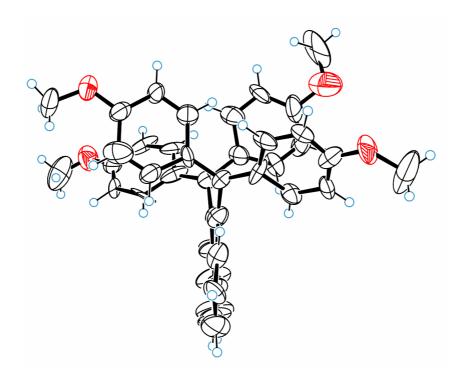


Fig. S2 ORTEP drawing of dication 1²⁺ determined by X-ray analysis (non-converged).