

## Supplementary Information

### Photophysical Tuning of the Aggregation-Induced Emission of a Series of *para*-Substituted Bis(imino)acenaphthene Zinc Complexes

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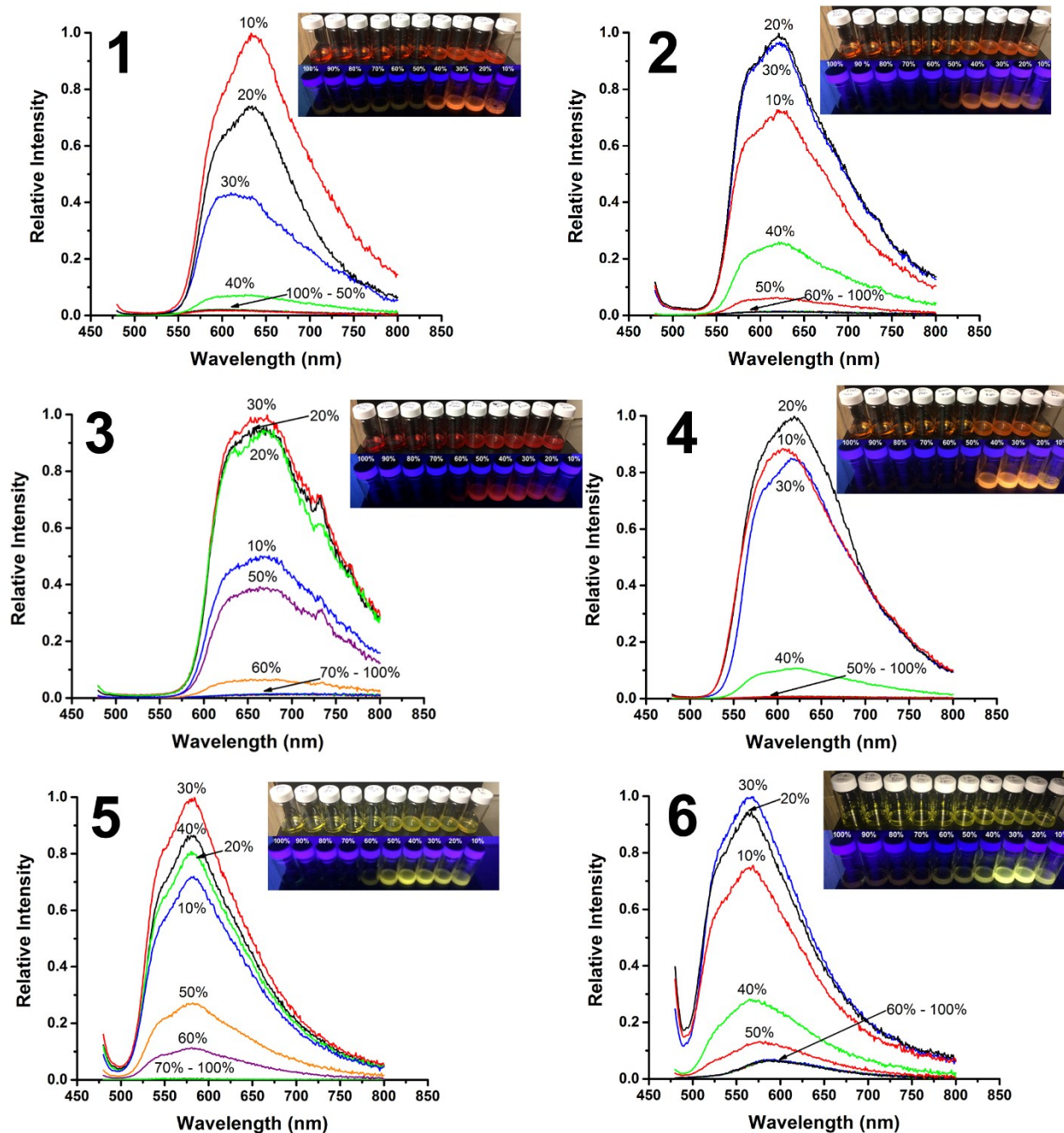
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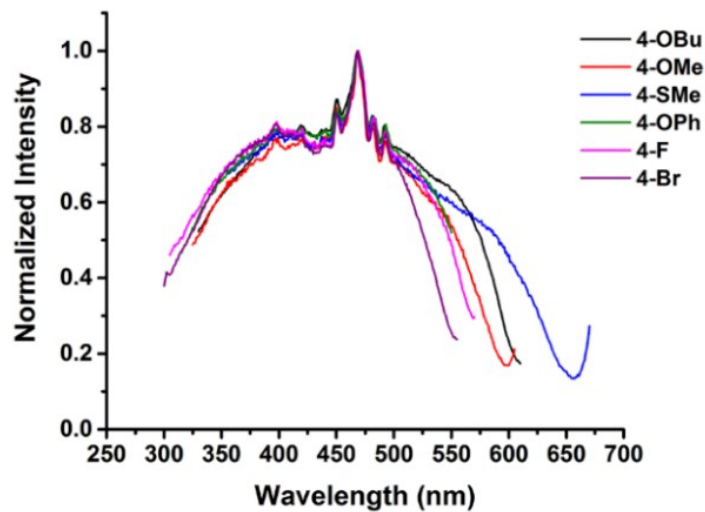
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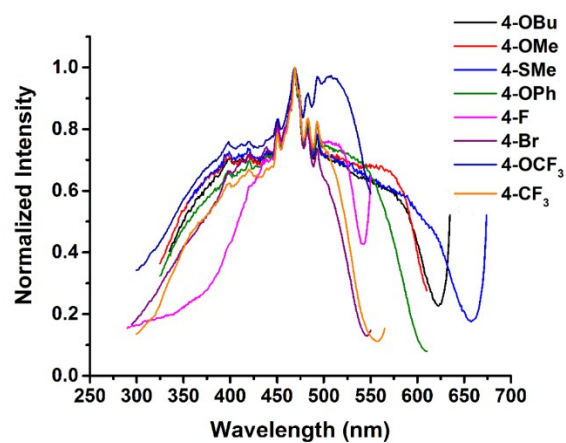
## 1) Fluorescence Spectroscopy



**Figure S1.** AIE experiment for DCM solutions ( $\sim 10^{-4}$ - $10^{-3}$  M) of complexes **1-6** with images of each DCM/hexanes volumetric fraction in ambient light and under UV irradiation (the percentage values above are relative to the DCM content).

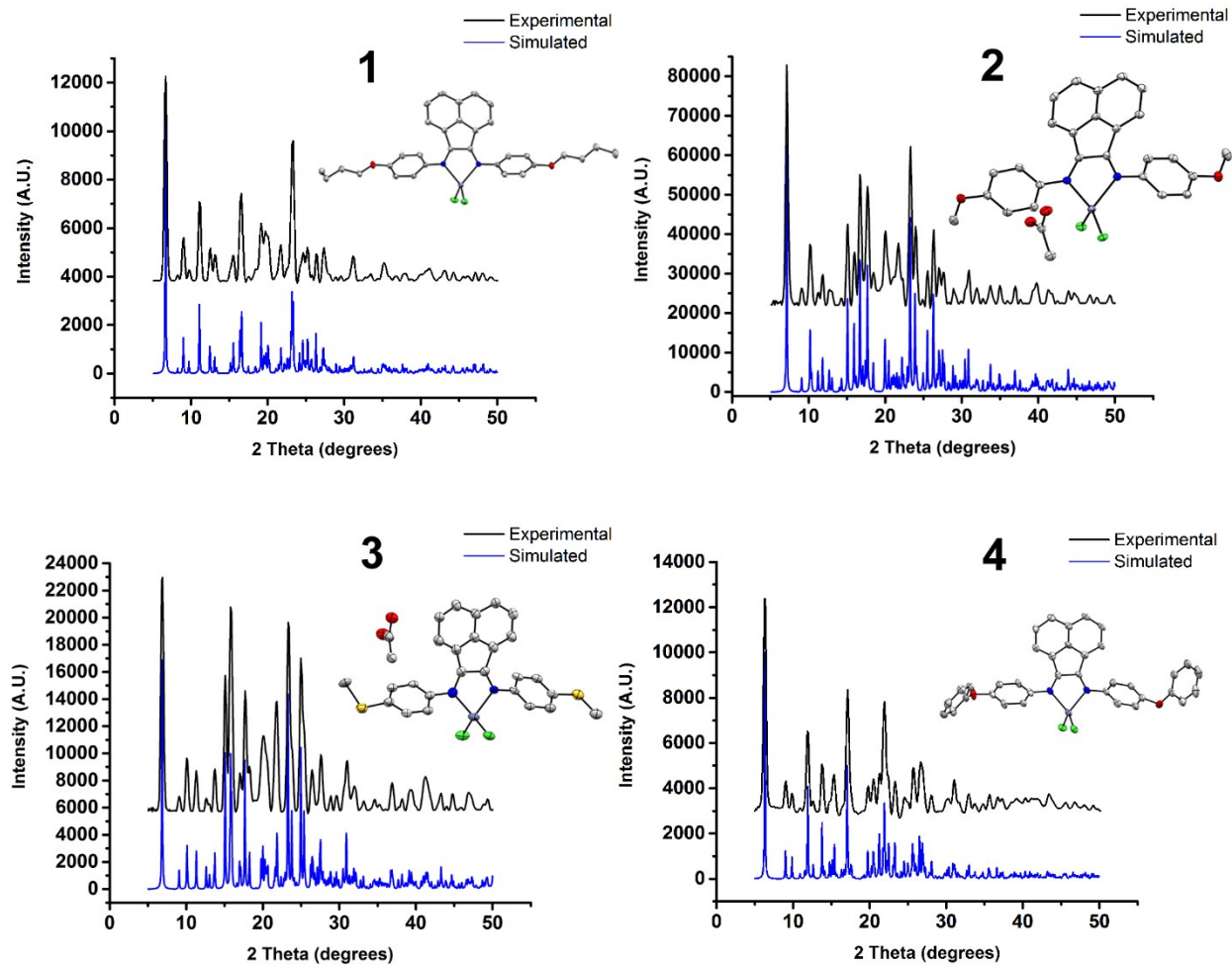


**Figure S2.** Excitation spectra for complexes 1-6.

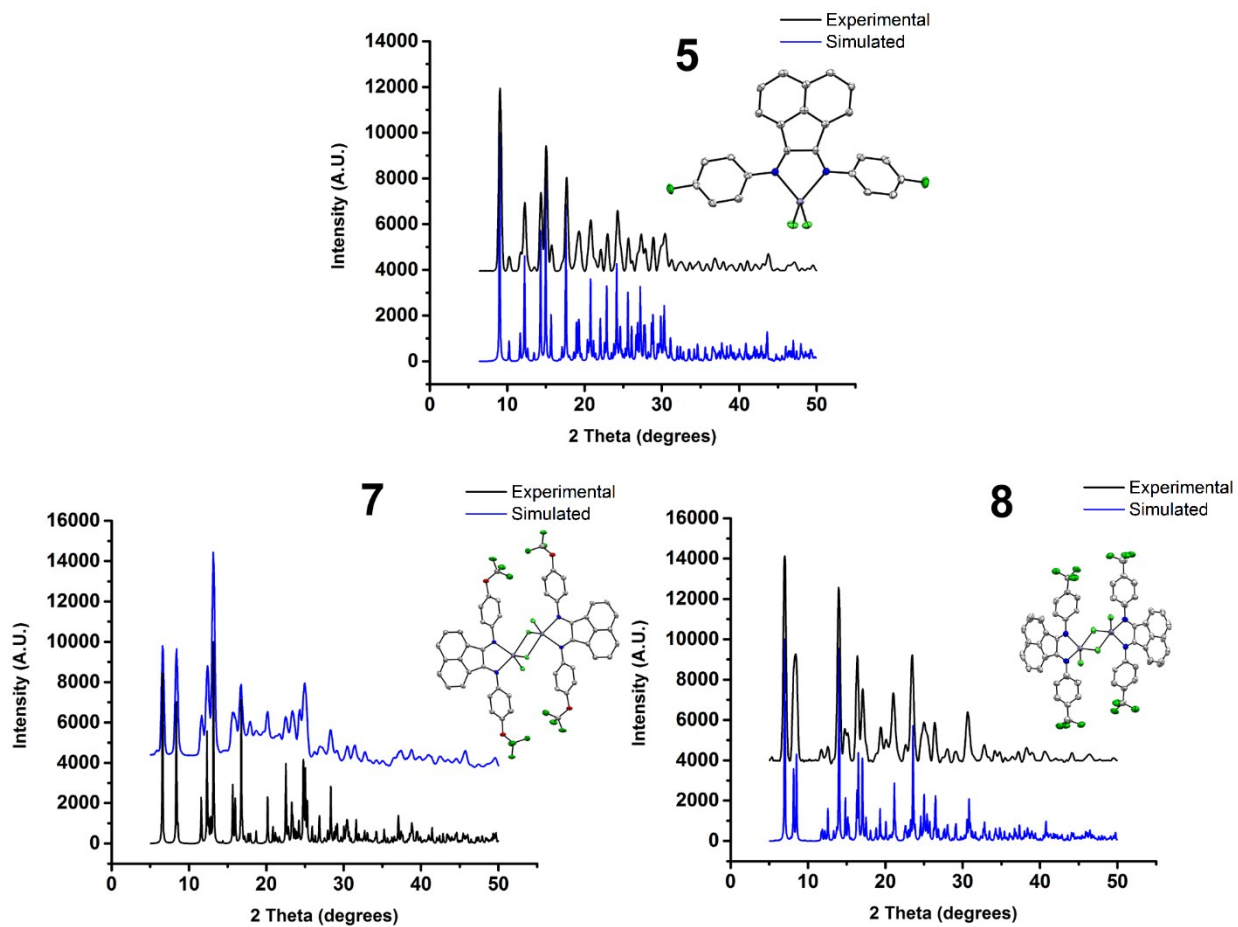


**Figure S3.** Excitation spectra for solvatomorphs 1-DCM-8-DCM.

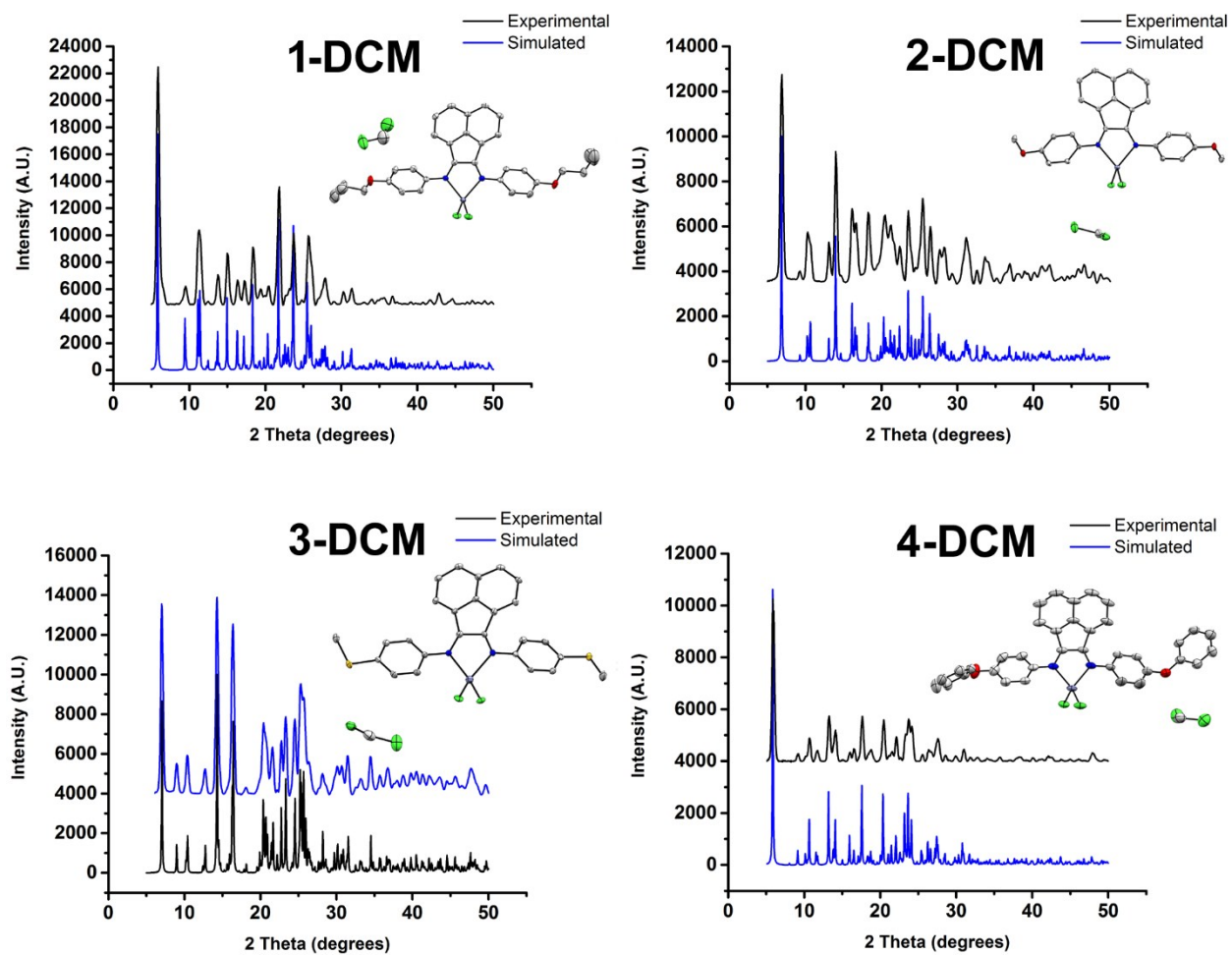
## 2) X-ray Crystallographic Data



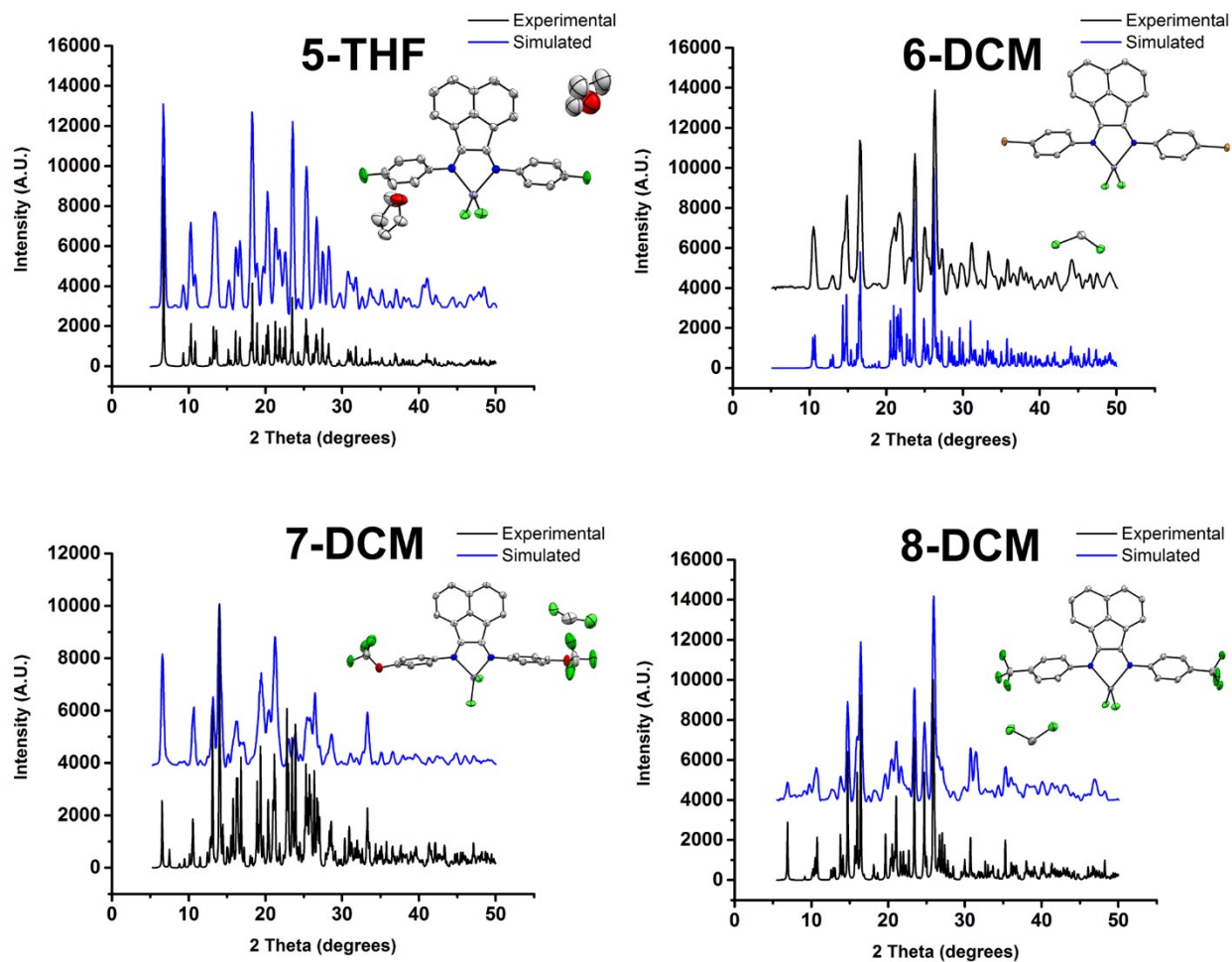
**Figure S4.** Experimental (black) and simulated (blue) powder X-ray crystallography patterns for complexes 1-4. All experimental spectra were background corrected using the Eva program.<sup>1</sup>



**Figure S5.** Experimental (black) and simulated (blue) powder X-ray crystallography patterns for complexes 5, 7, and 8. All experimental spectra were background corrected using the Eva program.<sup>1</sup>



**Figure S6.** Experimental (black) and simulated (blue) powder X-ray crystallography patterns for complexes 1-DCM-4-DCM. All experimental spectra were background corrected using the Eva program.<sup>1</sup>



**Figure S7.** Experimental (black) and simulated (blue) powder X-ray crystallography patterns for complexes **5-THF-8-DCM**. All experimental spectra were background corrected using the Eva program.<sup>1</sup>

### 3) Single Crystal X-ray Crystallographic Data

Table 1. Crystal data and structure refinement for **1**.

Empirical formula	$C_{32}H_{32}Cl_2N_2O_2Zn$	
Formula weight	612.87	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	I2/a	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 18.3252(3)$ Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	$b = 11.6963(2)$ Å	$\beta = 97.0670(10)^\circ$ .
	$c = 26.7400(4)$ Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	5687.83(16) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	8	
Density (calculated)	1.431 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	3.182 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	2544	
Crystal size	0.03 x 0.05 x 0.38 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	3.33 to 76.26°.	
Index ranges	-22 ≤ h ≤ 22, -14 ≤ k ≤ 13, -33 ≤ l ≤ 33	
Reflections collected	27764	
Independent reflections	5871 [R(int) = 0.0342]	
Completeness to theta = 76.26°	98.3 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.49341	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	5871 / 0 / 354	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.055	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0335, wR2 = 0.0889	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0365, wR2 = 0.0918	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.466 and -0.521	



Table 2. Crystal data and structure refinement for **2**.

Empirical formula	C <sub>28</sub> H <sub>24</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub> Zn	
Formula weight	588.76	
Temperature	153(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P2 <sub>1</sub> /c	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 12.4510(3) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 11.7454(3) Å	β = 95.969(2)°.
	c = 17.4508(4) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	2538.20(11) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.541 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	3.603 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1208	
Crystal size	0.14 x 0.09 x 0.07 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	3.57 to 74.33°.	
Index ranges	-12 ≤ h ≤ 15, -12 ≤ k ≤ 14, -19 ≤ l ≤ 21	
Reflections collected	9920	
Independent reflections	5030 [R(int) = 0.0284]	
Completeness to theta = 74.33°	97.0 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.74906	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	5030 / 0 / 341	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.037	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0320, wR2 = 0.0837	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0365, wR2 = 0.0872	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.476 and -0.425 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 3. Crystal data and structure refinement for **3**.

Empirical formula	$C_{28}H_{24}Cl_2N_2O_2S_2Zn$	
Formula weight	620.88	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	$P2_1/c$	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 13.036(3)$ Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	$b = 11.7210(15)$ Å	$\beta = 98.657(16)^\circ$ .
	$c = 17.716(2)$ Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	$2676.1(8)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.541 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	$4.813$ mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1272	
Crystal size	0.070 x 0.030 x 0.010 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	3.429 to 67.484°.	
Index ranges	$-15 \leq h \leq 15$ , $-10 \leq k \leq 14$ , $-21 \leq l \leq 20$	
Reflections collected	16148	
Independent reflections	16148 [R(int) = 0.0000]	
Completeness to theta = 67.684°	99.4 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.60099	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	16148 / 528 / 338	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.088	
Final R indices [I > 2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.1556, wR2 = 0.3454	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.3689, wR2 = 0.3854	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.690 and -0.858 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 4. Crystal data and structure refinement for **4**.

Empirical formula	$C_{36}H_{24}Cl_2N_2O_2Zn$	
Formula weight	652.84	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	$P2_1/c$	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 14.0015(9)$ Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	$b = 11.7228(9)$ Å	$\beta = 91.996(6)^\circ$ .
	$c = 17.9471(12)$ Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	$2944.0(4)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.473 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	$3.122$ mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1336	
Crystal size	0.10 x 0.03 x 0.02 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	4.506 to 76.612°.	
Index ranges	$-17 \leq h \leq 17$ , $-14 \leq k \leq 14$ , $-22 \leq l \leq 21$	
Reflections collected	33186	
Independent reflections	6070 [R(int) = 0.1948]	
Completeness to theta = 67.684°	99.9 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.89282	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	6070 / 0 / 388	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.409	
Final R indices [I > 2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.1160, wR2 = 0.3155	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.2048, wR2 = 0.3473	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.512 and -0.877 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 5. Crystal data and structure refinement for **5**.

Empirical formula	C <sub>24</sub> H <sub>14</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> F <sub>2</sub> N <sub>2</sub> Zn	
Formula weight	504.64	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71075 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P2 <sub>1</sub> /c	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.984(3) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 11.965(4) Å	β = 101.504(5)°.
	c = 17.609(7) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	2061.3(13) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.626 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	1.483 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1016	
Crystal size	0.110 x 0.090 x 0.050 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	2.071 to 24.999°.	
Index ranges	-9 ≤ h ≤ 11, -14 ≤ k ≤ 14, -20 ≤ l ≤ 20	
Reflections collected	21742	
Independent reflections	3627 [R(int) = 0.0626]	
Completeness to theta = 24.999°	99.9 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.7659	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	3627 / 0 / 280	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.245	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0506, wR2 = 0.0868	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0539, wR2 = 0.0881	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.444 and -0.516 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 6. Crystal data and structure refinement for 7.

Empirical formula	$C_{26}H_{14}Cl_2F_6N_2O_2Zn$	
Formula weight	636.66	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Triclinic	
Space group	P-1	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 8.1932(8)$ Å	$\alpha = 112.425(13)^\circ$ .
	$b = 12.0306(16)$ Å	$\beta = 91.392(9)^\circ$ .
	$c = 14.760(2)$ Å	$\gamma = 109.799(10)^\circ$ .
Volume	$1245.5(3)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.698 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	4.024 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	636	
Crystal size	0.080 x 0.040 x 0.030 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	4.189 to 76.579°.	
Index ranges	-10 ≤ h ≤ 10, -15 ≤ k ≤ 10, -12 ≤ l ≤ 18	
Reflections collected	9457	
Independent reflections	4945 [R(int) = 0.0417]	
Completeness to theta = 67.684°	99.3 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.90542	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	4945 / 0 / 352	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.051	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0480, wR2 = 0.0984	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0672, wR2 = 0.1062	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.597 and -0.599 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 7. Crystal data and structure refinement for **8**.

Empirical formula	$C_{52}H_{28}Cl_4F_{12}N_4Zn_2$	
Formula weight	1209.32	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Triclinic	
Space group	P-1	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 11.9861(17)$ Å	$\alpha = 99.188(9)^\circ$ .
	$b = 14.4270(17)$ Å	$\beta = 102.008(11)^\circ$ .
	$c = 16.0295(14)$ Å	$\gamma = 114.266(13)^\circ$ .
Volume	2376.4(5) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.690 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	4.116 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1208	
Crystal size	0.10 x 0.04 x 0.03 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	2.931 to 67.498°.	
Index ranges	-14 ≤ h ≤ 14, -17 ≤ k ≤ 12, -19 ≤ l ≤ 19	
Reflections collected	17656	
Independent reflections	8564 [R(int) = 0.1294]	
Completeness to theta = 67.498°	99.8 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.44297	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	8564 / 0 / 667	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.082	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.1127, wR2 = 0.2856	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1975, wR2 = 0.3387	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.851 and -1.056 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 8. Crystal data and structure refinement for **1-DCM**.

Empirical formula	$C_{33}H_{34}Cl_4N_2O_2Zn$	
Formula weight	697.79	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71075 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	$P2_1/n$	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 17.490(3)$ Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	$b = 11.6120(17)$ Å	$\beta = 117.505(3)^\circ$ .
	$c = 17.926(3)$ Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	$3229.2(8)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.435 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	$1.124$ mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1440	
Crystal size	0.560 x 0.220 x 0.200 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	3.105 to 24.996°.	
Index ranges	$-20 \leq h \leq 20$ , $-13 \leq k \leq 13$ , $-21 \leq l \leq 21$	
Reflections collected	27165	
Independent reflections	5671 [R(int) = 0.0660]	
Completeness to theta = 25.242°	97.4 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.7151	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	5671 / 93 / 409	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.000	
Final R indices [I > 2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0761, wR2 = 0.1944	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0826, wR2 = 0.2013	
Largest diff. peak and hole	2.068 and -2.158 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 9. Crystal data and structure refinement for **2-DCM**.

Empirical formula	$C_{27}H_{22}Cl_4N_2O_2Zn$	
Formula weight	613.63	
Temperature	153(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71075 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	$P2_1/c$	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 13.840(5)$ Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	$b = 11.647(4)$ Å	$\beta = 111.446(4)^\circ$ .
	$c = 17.844(6)$ Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	$2677.2(15)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.522 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	1.345 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1248	
Crystal size	0.140 x 0.090 x 0.070 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	2.136 to 27.474°.	
Index ranges	-17 ≤ h ≤ 17, -13 ≤ k ≤ 15, -22 ≤ l ≤ 23	
Reflections collected	20087	
Independent reflections	6116 [R(int) = 0.0522]	
Completeness to theta = 25.242°	99.8 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.5110	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	6116 / 0 / 327	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.045	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0348, wR2 = 0.0888	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0389, wR2 = 0.0918	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.688 and -0.649 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	



Table 10. Crystal data and structure refinement for **3-DCM**.

Empirical formula	C <sub>27</sub> H <sub>22</sub> Cl <sub>4</sub> N <sub>2</sub> S <sub>2</sub> Zn	
Formula weight	645.75	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71075 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P2 <sub>1</sub> /c	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 13.2610(2) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 12.02200(10) Å	β = 109.1270(10)°.
	c = 18.1350(2) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	2731.54(6) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.570 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	1.464 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1312	
Crystal size	0.180 x 0.170 x 0.050 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	1.625 to 26.554°.	
Index ranges	-16 ≤ h ≤ 16, -14 ≤ k ≤ 14, -22 ≤ l ≤ 22	
Reflections collected	16166	
Independent reflections	5505 [R(int) = 0.0318]	
Completeness to theta = 25.242°	99.6 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.77049	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	5505 / 294 / 356	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.237	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0711, wR2 = 0.1747	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0718, wR2 = 0.1750	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.543 and -0.945 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 11. Crystal data and structure refinement for **4-DCM**.

Empirical formula	$C_{36.37}H_{24.74}Cl_{2.74}N_2O_2Zn$	
Formula weight	1369.38	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71075 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	I2/a	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 17.442(7)$ Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	$b = 11.790(5)$ Å	$\beta = 104.238(7)^\circ$ .
	$c = 31.054(15)$ Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	$6190(5)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.469 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	1.068 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	2798	
Crystal size	0.05 x 0.21 x 0.27 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	1.855 to 24.998°.	
Index ranges	-20 ≤ h ≤ 20, -14 ≤ k ≤ 13, -36 ≤ l ≤ 36	
Reflections collected	39380	
Independent reflections	5446 [R(int) = 0.0481]	
Completeness to theta = 25.242°	97.1 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.7810	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	5446 / 879 / 527	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.225	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0637, wR2 = 0.1751	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0675, wR2 = 0.1788	
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.510 and -0.574 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 12. Crystal data and structure refinement for **5-THF**.

Empirical formula	$C_{30}H_{26}Cl_2F_2N_2O_{1.5}Zn$	
Formula weight	1225.59	
Temperature	153(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71075 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	$P2_1/c$	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 14.3180(15)$ Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	$b = 11.7050(8)$ Å	$\beta = 112.958(4)^\circ$ .
	$c = 17.7720(18)$ Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	$2742.5(4)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.484 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	1.133 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1256	
Crystal size	0.230 x 0.110 x 0.090 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	2.139 to 27.500°.	
Index ranges	-18 ≤ h ≤ 18, -15 ≤ k ≤ 15, -23 ≤ l ≤ 22	
Reflections collected	28653	
Independent reflections	6289 [R(int) = 0.0641]	
Completeness to theta = 25.242°	99.7 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.7994	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	6289 / 672 / 417	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.070	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0518, wR2 = 0.1089	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0732, wR2 = 0.1248	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.448 and -0.494 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 13. Crystal data and structure refinement for **6-DCM**.

Empirical formula	$C_{25}H_{16}Br_2Cl_4N_2Zn$	
Formula weight	711.39	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	$P2_1/c$	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 13.10500(10)$ Å	$\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	$b = 11.84230(10)$ Å	$\beta = 110.0250(10)^\circ$ .
	$c = 17.5235(2)$ Å	$\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	$2555.12(4)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.849 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	$8.994$ mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1392	
Crystal size	0.140 x 0.060 x 0.030 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	3.590 to 76.359°.	
Index ranges	$-16 \leq h \leq 16$ , $-14 \leq k \leq 13$ , $-21 \leq l \leq 21$	
Reflections collected	25415	
Independent reflections	5292 [R(int) = 0.0273]	
Completeness to theta = 67.684°	100.0 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.59098	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	5292 / 0 / 307	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.086	
Final R indices [I > 2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0250, wR2 = 0.0682	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0260, wR2 = 0.0691	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.511 and -0.432 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 14. Crystal data and structure refinement for **7-DCM**.

Empirical formula	$C_{27}H_{16}Cl_4F_6N_2O_2Zn$	
Formula weight	721.59	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Triclinic	
Space group	P-1	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 11.8689(6)$ Å	$\alpha = 107.262(7)^\circ$ .
	$b = 14.1948(11)$ Å	$\beta = 92.978(5)^\circ$ .
	$c = 17.6232(16)$ Å	$\gamma = 94.504(5)^\circ$ .
Volume	$2817.8(4)$ Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.701 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	5.342 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1440	
Crystal size	0.10 x 0.25 x 0.38 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	3.530 to 76.980°.	
Index ranges	-14 ≤ h ≤ 12, -17 ≤ k ≤ 17, -21 ≤ l ≤ 21	
Reflections collected	17297	
Independent reflections	17297 [R(int) = 0.0000]	
Completeness to theta = 67.684°	99.8 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.45025	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	17297 / 702 / 758	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.060	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0877, wR2 = 0.2289	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1073, wR2 = 0.2449	
Largest diff. peak and hole	2.192 and -1.217 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

Table 15. Crystal data and structure refinement for **8-DCM**.

Empirical formula	C <sub>27</sub> H <sub>16</sub> Cl <sub>4</sub> F <sub>6</sub> N <sub>2</sub> Zn	
Formula weight	689.59	
Temperature	100(2) K	
Wavelength	1.54184 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P2 <sub>1</sub> /c	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 13.7395(5) Å	α = 90°.
	b = 11.9489(3) Å	β = 111.023(4)°.
	c = 17.6137(5) Å	γ = 90°.
Volume	2699.19(16) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.697 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	5.486 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	1376	
Crystal size	0.420 x 0.090 x 0.080 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	4.575 to 76.256°.	
Index ranges	-17 ≤ h ≤ 11, -13 ≤ k ≤ 14, -15 ≤ l ≤ 21	
Reflections collected	10491	
Independent reflections	5421 [R(int) = 0.0313]	
Completeness to theta = 67.684°	99.4 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	1.00000 and 0.50168	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	5421 / 366 / 390	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	0.980	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0415, wR2 = 0.1110	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0458, wR2 = 0.1160	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.434 and -0.688 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

## 4) TD-DFT Calculated Excitations

### 4-OMe (2)

Number of loops in Davidson routine = 26  
Number of matrix-vector multiplications = 1050  
Type of excitations = SINGLET-SINGLET

Symmetry A

Excitation energies E in a.u. and eV, dE wrt prev. cycle,  
oscillator strengths f in a.u.

no.	E/a.u.	E/eV	f	dE/a.u.
1	0.69882E-01	1.9016	0.15468	0.23E-09
2	0.70159E-01	1.9091	0.74517E-01	0.31E-09
3	0.73685E-01	2.0051	0.20537E-01	0.10E-10
4	0.73877E-01	2.0103	0.58340E-02	0.14E-09
5	0.80127E-01	2.1804	0.12078E-01	0.78E-10
6	0.82517E-01	2.2454	0.13986E-01	0.10E-09
7	0.88003E-01	2.3947	0.13135E-01	0.58E-11
8	0.90943E-01	2.4747	0.86997E-01	0.91E-09
9	0.91775E-01	2.4973	0.25968E-01	0.21E-09
10	0.92919E-01	2.5285	0.44400E-04	0.23E-10
11	0.97532E-01	2.6540	0.13177E-01	0.47E-09
12	0.10139	2.7591	0.34997E-01	0.48E-10
13	0.10182	2.7706	0.11352E-01	0.99E-10
14	0.10690	2.9089	0.10860E-02	0.11E-09
15	0.10778	2.9330	0.10902E-01	0.11E-09
16	0.10887	2.9625	0.67617E-01	0.11E-08
17	0.11844	3.2230	0.21566E-02	0.69E-09
18	0.12054	3.2799	0.14280E-01	0.23E-09
19	0.12450	3.3877	0.12075E-02	0.66E-09
20	0.12489	3.3985	0.12931E-01	0.71E-09
21	0.12504	3.4026	0.33070E-02	0.63E-10
22	0.12715	3.4600	0.66715E-02	0.15E-09
23	0.12771	3.4752	0.40331E-01	0.28E-08
24	0.13666	3.7186	0.17285E-04	0.45E-09
25	0.13759	3.7440	0.48803E-03	0.95E-10
26	0.14034	3.8190	0.20054E-03	0.26E-09
27	0.14062	3.8264	0.28036E-01	0.14E-08
28	0.14182	3.8590	0.93906E-04	0.11E-10
29	0.14526	3.9527	0.54086E-02	0.52E-10
30	0.14586	3.9691	0.55303E-02	0.32E-09
31	0.14700	4.0002	0.14494E-01	0.72E-09
32	0.15000	4.0816	0.18668E-02	0.17E-09
33	0.15119	4.1141	0.68900E-02	0.24E-09
34	0.15237	4.1463	0.74877E-03	0.98E-10
35	0.15315	4.1675	0.98616E-01	0.20E-09
36	0.15380	4.1851	0.12729	0.34E-09
37	0.15631	4.2534	0.10323E-02	0.93E-10
38	0.15675	4.2654	0.10288E-02	0.11E-09
39	0.15735	4.2817	0.19519E-01	0.14E-08
40	0.15743	4.2838	0.25590E-01	0.17E-08
41	0.15758	4.2880	0.10730E-01	0.10E-08
42	0.15838	4.3097	0.14567E-01	0.67E-09
43	0.16236	4.4181	0.55033E-01	0.71E-09
44	0.16282	4.4306	0.38170E-01	0.49E-09
45	0.16305	4.4367	0.41826E-02	0.37E-09
46	0.16447	4.4755	0.17241E-02	0.19E-08
47	0.16543	4.5015	0.71855E-05	0.24E-07

48	0.16665	4.5347	0.18969E-01	0.12E-07
49	0.16799	4.5713	0.34943E-01	0.91E-06
50	0.16836	4.5813	0.15508E-01	0.76E-07

### 4-SMe (3)

Number of loops in Davidson routine = 16  
 Number of matrix-vector multiplications = 650  
 Type of excitations = SINGLET-SINGLET

Symmetry A

Excitation energies E in a.u. and eV, dE wrt prev. cycle,  
 oscillator strengths f in a.u.

no.	E/a.u.	E/eV	f	dE/a.u.
1	0.59012E-01	1.6058	0.34922	0.20E-08
2	0.64634E-01	1.7588	0.11738E-01	0.38E-09
3	0.71225E-01	1.9381	0.43356E-02	0.47E-10
4	0.74191E-01	2.0188	0.61286E-02	0.12E-09
5	0.74256E-01	2.0206	0.60564E-01	0.25E-09
6	0.78545E-01	2.1373	0.26957E-01	0.19E-09
7	0.79328E-01	2.1586	0.85101E-01	0.12E-08
8	0.82759E-01	2.2520	0.65061E-02	0.23E-09
9	0.90586E-01	2.4650	0.15342E-02	0.15E-10
10	0.93880E-01	2.5546	0.74074E-03	0.31E-08
11	0.94029E-01	2.5587	0.94880E-03	0.56E-10
12	0.96595E-01	2.6285	0.22097E-02	0.14E-09
13	0.10244	2.7875	0.15069E-02	0.16E-09
14	0.10719	2.9167	0.26941E-02	0.28E-08
15	0.10804	2.9399	0.80050E-02	0.52E-09
16	0.10925	2.9728	0.46795E-01	0.34E-09
17	0.11505	3.1308	0.14797E-02	0.73E-09
18	0.11651	3.1704	0.46495E-04	0.17E-09
19	0.11723	3.1900	0.77722E-02	0.57E-09
20	0.11776	3.2043	0.52604E-02	0.12E-08
21	0.12012	3.2686	0.50020E-01	0.67E-09
22	0.12554	3.4162	0.89526E-03	0.66E-10
23	0.12594	3.4269	0.14989E-02	0.76E-09
24	0.12674	3.4487	0.55326E-03	0.13E-09
25	0.12713	3.4594	0.64807E-03	0.26E-08
26	0.13255	3.6067	0.19997E-02	0.61E-09
27	0.13343	3.6309	0.47697E-02	0.33E-09
28	0.13378	3.6403	0.15334E-02	0.63E-09
29	0.13572	3.6932	0.87127E-01	0.24E-08
30	0.13664	3.7183	0.77600E-01	0.13E-08
31	0.13981	3.8045	0.19707E-03	0.11E-09
32	0.14277	3.8850	0.29021E-01	0.49E-09
33	0.14309	3.8937	0.10369E-01	0.19E-09
34	0.14354	3.9058	0.31648E-01	0.11E-08
35	0.14481	3.9404	0.31313E-01	0.37E-08
36	0.14554	3.9602	0.22668E-01	0.20E-08
37	0.14566	3.9637	0.43479E-02	0.12E-08
38	0.14604	3.9739	0.17334E-01	0.36E-08
39	0.14956	4.0698	0.22140E-01	0.65E-08
40	0.15174	4.1290	0.53361E-02	0.28E-09
41	0.15258	4.1519	0.37347E-03	0.91E-10
42	0.15346	4.1759	0.18159	0.19E-08
43	0.15387	4.1870	0.54142E-02	0.19E-09
44	0.15535	4.2272	0.20217E-01	0.17E-07
45	0.15593	4.2431	0.13497E-02	0.40E-08
46	0.15662	4.2618	0.26698E-01	0.47E-09
47	0.15699	4.2720	0.21237E-02	0.66E-06
48	0.15854	4.3140	0.31555E-01	0.23E-06



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49 0.15859      4.3155      0.44198E-01  0.93E-07
50 0.15981      4.3487      0.24116E-02  0.10E-06

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### 4-F (5)

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Number of loops in Davidson routine      =   13
Number of matrix-vector multiplications =   530
Type of excitations = SINGLET-SINGLET

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Symmetry A

Excitation energies E in a.u. and eV, dE wrt prev. cycle,  
oscillator strengths f in a.u.

no.	E/a.u.	E/eV	f	dE/a.u.
1	0.67092E-01	1.8257	0.41110E-02	0.45E-09
2	0.69496E-01	1.8911	0.25734E-02	0.89E-10
3	0.72281E-01	1.9669	0.22728E-02	0.26E-09
4	0.76963E-01	2.0943	0.71202E-01	0.52E-09
5	0.82119E-01	2.2346	0.74853E-01	0.11E-08
6	0.87293E-01	2.3754	0.28388E-02	0.57E-10
7	0.89676E-01	2.4402	0.38368E-02	0.27E-08
8	0.92210E-01	2.5092	0.36461E-03	0.68E-09
9	0.92260E-01	2.5105	0.33205E-02	0.15E-09
10	0.97455E-01	2.6519	0.23474E-01	0.12E-08
11	0.98331E-01	2.6757	0.41251E-01	0.13E-08
12	0.10212	2.7789	0.16458E-01	0.46E-09
13	0.10665	2.9020	0.71645E-01	0.58E-08
14	0.10804	2.9400	0.26025E-01	0.96E-09
15	0.10855	2.9537	0.10307E-02	0.27E-09
16	0.11179	3.0421	0.28453E-01	0.84E-09
17	0.11660	3.1730	0.26052E-02	0.87E-08
18	0.12106	3.2941	0.30659E-01	0.37E-08
19	0.12417	3.3788	0.28245E-03	0.26E-09
20	0.12648	3.4416	0.27770E-01	0.55E-08
21	0.12803	3.4839	0.23463E-02	0.34E-09
22	0.12966	3.5282	0.30494E-01	0.54E-08
23	0.13630	3.7088	0.19716E-03	0.42E-09
24	0.13732	3.7366	0.17342E-04	0.33E-09
25	0.13937	3.7924	0.23197E-02	0.45E-09
26	0.14095	3.8355	0.67402E-05	0.22E-09
27	0.14117	3.8416	0.33571E-04	0.40E-09
28	0.14729	4.0079	0.11049E-01	0.20E-08
29	0.14753	4.0146	0.75690E-02	0.41E-08
30	0.14874	4.0473	0.28248E-03	0.31E-09
31	0.15033	4.0907	0.19502E-02	0.51E-10
32	0.15075	4.1021	0.38434E-01	0.22E-08
33	0.15118	4.1138	0.87858E-02	0.62E-09
34	0.15263	4.1531	0.17295E-01	0.31E-08
35	0.15279	4.1575	0.12585E-01	0.54E-08
36	0.15332	4.1720	0.27730E-04	0.19E-09
37	0.15584	4.2406	0.96305E-02	0.20E-08
38	0.15658	4.2606	0.27486E-03	0.16E-08
39	0.15855	4.3143	0.24831	0.33E-07
40	0.16074	4.3739	0.29945E-03	0.26E-08
41	0.16132	4.3898	0.40644E-01	0.15E-07
42	0.16208	4.4103	0.68166E-03	0.22E-08
43	0.16213	4.4118	0.54285E-03	0.20E-09
44	0.16371	4.4548	0.80711E-02	0.22E-08
45	0.16554	4.5047	0.65959E-02	0.97E-06
46	0.16609	4.5196	0.13768E-01	0.16E-07
47	0.16654	4.5316	0.24966E-01	0.50E-07
48	0.16668	4.5356	0.42916E-02	0.44E-06
49	0.16753	4.5588	0.12135E-02	0.32E-08

50 0.16800 4.5716 0.97357E-03 0.63E-06

### 4-Br (6)

Number of loops in Davidson routine = 15  
Number of matrix-vector multiplications = 610  
Type of excitations = SINGLET-SINGLET

### 4-CF<sub>3</sub> (8)

Symmetry A

Excitation energies E in a.u. and eV, dE wrt prev. cycle,  
oscillator strengths f in a.u.

no.	E/a.u.	E/eV	f	dE/a.u.
1	0.67512E-01	1.8371	0.52932E-02	0.16E-08
2	0.69793E-01	1.8992	0.37656E-01	0.62E-09
3	0.72296E-01	1.9673	0.29492E-02	0.22E-08
4	0.72958E-01	1.9853	0.17454	0.18E-08
5	0.80817E-01	2.1992	0.22735E-01	0.59E-09
6	0.84188E-01	2.2909	0.15284E-02	0.59E-09
7	0.87502E-01	2.3810	0.62994E-02	0.22E-09
8	0.90285E-01	2.4568	0.62702E-01	0.46E-09
9	0.92150E-01	2.5075	0.91347E-02	0.26E-09
10	0.92293E-01	2.5114	0.59367E-02	0.61E-10
11	0.94892E-01	2.5821	0.76168E-02	0.31E-08
12	0.10184	2.7711	0.39287E-02	0.45E-10
13	0.10309	2.8052	0.29243E-01	0.44E-09
14	0.10600	2.8845	0.15431E-02	0.18E-09
15	0.10656	2.8998	0.93712E-04	0.38E-09
16	0.10731	2.9201	0.63166E-01	0.19E-08
17	0.10921	2.9716	0.41037E-02	0.74E-10
18	0.10933	2.9750	0.70286E-02	0.24E-09
19	0.11612	3.1598	0.30266E-02	0.58E-09
20	0.11629	3.1644	0.56458E-02	0.10E-08
21	0.12407	3.3761	0.29000E-01	0.32E-08
22	0.12517	3.4060	0.77859E-05	0.23E-09
23	0.12626	3.4356	0.81291E-04	0.68E-09
24	0.12637	3.4387	0.16450E-02	0.14E-09
25	0.12708	3.4581	0.10030E-01	0.91E-09
26	0.13047	3.5504	0.22846E-03	0.19E-10
27	0.13049	3.5509	0.78263E-04	0.25E-10
28	0.13432	3.6550	0.58417E-03	0.39E-09
29	0.13594	3.6991	0.29770E-04	0.16E-09
30	0.13659	3.7168	0.41407E-04	0.40E-09
31	0.14116	3.8411	0.17030E-01	0.98E-09
32	0.14127	3.8441	0.91638E-03	0.14E-09
33	0.14138	3.8471	0.11458	0.44E-08
34	0.14601	3.9731	0.10816E-02	0.19E-08
35	0.14636	3.9827	0.25065E-01	0.14E-07
36	0.14826	4.0345	0.18057E-03	0.15E-09
37	0.14860	4.0437	0.24806E-02	0.64E-08
38	0.15092	4.1068	0.52275E-03	0.11E-09
39	0.15111	4.1118	0.83202E-03	0.32E-09
40	0.15152	4.1230	0.17654E-02	0.21E-08
41	0.15233	4.1450	0.10299E-02	0.95E-09
42	0.15385	4.1865	0.97788E-04	0.16E-08
43	0.15434	4.1999	0.69800E-05	0.29E-09
44	0.15488	4.2144	0.42712E-01	0.67E-08
45	0.15596	4.2438	0.99417E-02	0.69E-09
46	0.15613	4.2484	0.86855E-02	0.98E-09
47	0.15644	4.2569	0.41130E-01	0.11E-08
48	0.15685	4.2680	0.23999E-01	0.14E-08
49	0.15859	4.3154	0.65215E-01	0.78E-07
50	0.15913	4.3302	0.11039E-01	0.65E-06

Number of loops in Davidson routine = 18  
 Number of matrix-vector multiplications = 730  
 Type of excitations = SINGLET-SINGLET

Symmetry A

Excitation energies E in a.u. and eV, dE wrt prev. cycle,  
 oscillator strengths f in a.u.

no.	E/a.u.	E/eV	f	dE/a.u.
1	0.67270E-01	1.8305	0.42066E-02	0.96E-10
2	0.69608E-01	1.8941	0.11157E-02	0.98E-11
3	0.72124E-01	1.9626	0.16858E-02	0.70E-10
4	0.77855E-01	2.1186	0.18504E-01	0.65E-10
5	0.85186E-01	2.3180	0.90765E-01	0.72E-09
6	0.88362E-01	2.4045	0.39194E-02	0.15E-10
7	0.91587E-01	2.4922	0.27949E-02	0.75E-10
8	0.92953E-01	2.5294	0.17040E-02	0.27E-10
9	0.96792E-01	2.6338	0.21310E-01	0.41E-09
10	0.97301E-01	2.6477	0.83514E-02	0.26E-09
11	0.10018	2.7261	0.12241E-01	0.31E-09
12	0.10244	2.7874	0.37122E-02	0.29E-09
13	0.10366	2.8208	0.18001E-02	0.11E-09
14	0.10532	2.8658	0.60726E-02	0.29E-09
15	0.10824	2.9454	0.10404	0.66E-09
16	0.11567	3.1476	0.39591E-02	0.11E-08
17	0.11758	3.1996	0.19225E-01	0.15E-09
18	0.12230	3.3278	0.76116E-02	0.45E-09
19	0.12326	3.3541	0.24620E-01	0.53E-09
20	0.12352	3.3611	0.48562E-02	0.19E-09
21	0.12626	3.4358	0.89996E-03	0.47E-10
22	0.12847	3.4958	0.52959E-01	0.34E-08
23	0.13758	3.7437	0.26405E-03	0.15E-09
24	0.14015	3.8136	0.19441E-02	0.16E-09
25	0.14171	3.8562	0.46952E-02	0.10E-08
26	0.14215	3.8681	0.14613E-04	0.15E-09
27	0.14408	3.9207	0.38523E-02	0.15E-08
28	0.14840	4.0381	0.62133E-02	0.36E-09
29	0.14956	4.0696	0.23217E-02	0.76E-10
30	0.14980	4.0764	0.23091E-02	0.87E-10
31	0.15235	4.1457	0.22962E-02	0.36E-09
32	0.15264	4.1535	0.11767E-01	0.15E-09
33	0.15312	4.1667	0.56982E-01	0.12E-08
34	0.15372	4.1830	0.40859E-02	0.39E-10
35	0.15418	4.1955	0.12607E-02	0.84E-10
36	0.15443	4.2022	0.26754E-02	0.12E-09
37	0.15523	4.2241	0.13122E-03	0.46E-10
38	0.15651	4.2588	0.30910E-01	0.95E-09
39	0.15661	4.2615	0.85567E-01	0.23E-08
40	0.15708	4.2742	0.17692	0.35E-08
41	0.15808	4.3016	0.18180E-02	0.26E-09
42	0.15861	4.3161	0.43908E-04	0.10E-09
43	0.15992	4.3516	0.51079E-03	0.10E-09
44	0.16110	4.3837	0.98189E-01	0.37E-09
45	0.16184	4.4038	0.10620E-01	0.52E-08
46	0.16243	4.4200	0.24966E-01	0.41E-08
47	0.16417	4.4674	0.38689E-02	0.50E-06
48	0.16459	4.4786	0.14993E-01	0.99E-06
49	0.16547	4.5027	0.35406E-02	0.30E-06
50	0.16600	4.5170	0.11283E-02	0.29E-06

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