

## Supplementary Information

### Systematic dimensional reduction of the layered FeSe structure by solvothermal synthesis

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#### Crystal structures

Tables 1S to 5S show the data for the crystal structure solutions of  $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}(\text{en})_7$  and  $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_3$ .

**Table 1S** Crystal data, data collection parameters and refinement parameters for  $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}(\text{en})_7$  and  $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_3$ .

|  | <b>Fe<sub>10</sub>Se<sub>12</sub>(en)<sub>7</sub></b>                 | <b>Fe<sub>3</sub>Se<sub>4</sub>(en)<sub>3</sub></b>          |
|--|---|--|
| <b>Crystal data</b>                              |   |  |
| Chemical formula                                 | $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{56}\text{N}_{14}$ | $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4\text{C}_6\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_6$    |
| Formula mass                                     | 1926.7  | 663.7  |
| Crystal system                                   | Monoclinic  | Triclinic  |
| <i>a</i> [Å]                                     | 9.323 (2)   | 9.104 (4)  |
| <i>b</i> [Å]                                     | 12.273 (2)  | 10.398 (4)   |
| <i>c</i> [Å]                                     | 20.821 (4)  | 11.675 (5)   |
| $\alpha$ [°]                                     | 90  | 109.880 (13)   |
| $\beta$ [°]                                      | 90  | 96.370 (15)  |
| $\gamma$ [°]                                     | 90  | 114.093 (14)   |
| Unit cell volume [Å <sup>3</sup> ]               | 2382.4 (8)  | 907.8 (7)  |
| Temperature [K]                                  | 120   | 293  |
| Space group                                      | <i>P</i> 2 <sub>1</sub> / <i>n</i>                                    | <i>P</i> 1   |
| <i>Z</i>   | 2   | 2  |
| Radiation type                                   | Mo $K_{\alpha 1}$ radiation ( $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å)                  | Mo $K_{\alpha 1}$ radiation ( $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å)         |
| Absorption coefficient $\mu$ [mm <sup>-1</sup> ] | 12.15   | 10.38  |
| Density $D_{\text{calc}}$ [g·cm <sup>-3</sup> ]  | 2.686   | 2.428  |
| <i>F</i> (000)                                   | 1812  | 632  |
| $\theta$ range [°]                               | 4.8–53.2  | 4.7–35.5   |
| <b>Data collection</b>                           |   |  |
| Diffractometer                                   | Bruker CCD diffractometer   | Bruker CCD diffractometer                                    |
| Monochromator                                    | graphite  | graphite   |
| Absorption correction                            | multi-scan SADABS 2014/5  | multi-scan SADABS 2014/5                                     |
| <i>T</i> (min; max)                              | 0.696; 1.000  | 0.818; 1.000   |
| No. of reflections measured                      | 42237   | 37683  |
| No. of independent reflections                   | 4294  | 3280   |
| No. of reflections with $>3\sigma(I)$            | 3334  | 2424   |
| $R_{\text{int}}$                                 | 0.058   | 0.100  |
| Index range                                      | $-12 \leq h \leq 12, -14 \leq k \leq 16, -27 \leq l \leq 27$          | $-12 \leq h \leq 12, -13 \leq k \leq 13, -15 \leq l \leq 15$ |
| $\theta$ range [°]                               | 2.4–28.6  | 2.3–28.5   |
| <b>Refinement</b>                                |   |  |
| Refinement on                                    | $F^2$   | $F^2$  |
| Data, restraints, parameters                     | 4294, 0, 226  | 3280, 0, 172   |
| H-atom treatment                                 | parameters constrained  | parameters constrained                                       |
| Constraints                                      | 119   | 102  |
| $R_1$ ( $I > 2\sigma(I)$ )                       | 0.033   | 0.038  |
| $wR(F^2)$ ( $I > 2\sigma(I)$ )                   | 0.071   | 0.072  |
| Goodness of fit on $F^2$                         | 1.69  | 0.072  |
| $\Delta\rho$ (max; min) [e·Å <sup>-3</sup> ]     | 0.98; -1.08   | 0.84; -0.84  |

**Table 2S** Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters [ $\text{\AA}^2$ ] for  $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}(\text{en})_7$ .

| Atom | <i>x</i>     | <i>y</i>     | <i>z</i>     | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| Se1  | 0.77140 (6)  | 0.93036 (5)  | 0.12391 (3)  | 0.02419 (19)                     |
| Se2  | 0.85492 (6)  | 0.40006 (5)  | 0.03729 (3)  | 0.02412 (19)                     |
| Se3  | 0.11796 (6)  | 0.88151 (4)  | 0.03094 (3)  | 0.01944 (18)                     |
| Se4  | 0.76490 (6)  | 0.69621 (5)  | 0.99923 (3)  | 0.02219 (18)                     |
| Se5  | 0.99674 (7)  | 0.64847 (5)  | 0.14486 (3)  | 0.0288 (2)                       |
| Se6  | 0.93985 (7)  | 0.85096 (5)  | 0.86411 (3)  | 0.0260 (2)                       |
| Fe1  | 0.90711 (9)  | 0.79092 (6)  | 0.07937 (4)  | 0.0198 (3)                       |
| Fe2  | 0.94844 (9)  | 0.58040 (6)  | 0.04005 (4)  | 0.0199 (3)                       |
| Fe3  | 0.95131 (9)  | 0.02130 (6)  | 0.06705 (4)  | 0.0197 (3)                       |
| Fe4  | 0.99098 (9)  | 0.75666 (6)  | 0.95840 (4)  | 0.0193 (3)                       |
| Fe5  | 0.45243 (9)  | 0.42641 (7)  | 0.18158 (4)  | 0.0261 (3)                       |
| N1   | 0.4521 (6)   | 0.60599 (9)  | 0.19970 (17) | 0.043 (2)                        |
| N2   | 0.4758 (3)   | 0.4916 (2)   | 0.08256 (9)  | 0.0344 (19)                      |
| N3   | 0.3853 (2)   | 0.3987 (3)   | 0.28151 (6)  | 0.0311 (18)                      |
| N4   | 0.21578 (13) | 0.4177 (3)   | 0.16990 (10) | 0.0306 (18)                      |
| N5   | 0.4870 (3)   | 0.24995 (11) | 0.1676 (2)   | 0.051 (2)                        |
| N6   | 0.68602 (15) | 0.4163 (2)   | 0.20335 (19) | 0.041 (2)                        |
| N7   | 0.4303 (6)   | 0.06143 (16) | 0.0768 (2)   | 0.069 (3)                        |
| C1   | 0.5133 (7)   | 0.6590 (5)   | 0.1416 (3)   | 0.043 (3)                        |
| C2   | 0.4422 (6)   | 0.6097 (5)   | 0.08454 (19) | 0.039 (2)                        |
| C3   | 0.2348 (8)   | 0.3792 (9)   | 0.2812 (2)   | 0.150 (7)                        |
| C4   | 0.1513 (4)   | 0.4124 (6)   | 0.2330 (3)   | 0.061 (3)                        |
| C5   | 0.6462 (7)   | 0.2344 (4)   | 0.1631 (3)   | 0.045 (3)                        |
| C6   | 0.7244 (5)   | 0.3022 (6)   | 0.2091 (3)   | 0.050 (3)                        |
| C7   | 0.4977 (7)   | 0.0560 (5)   | 0.0156 (3)   | 0.049 (3)                        |
| H1n1 | 0.510766     | 0.629146     | 0.23993      | 0.0512*                          |
| H2n1 | 0.345824     | 0.629951     | 0.205316     | 0.0512*                          |
| H1n2 | 0.415562     | 0.454569     | 0.046631     | 0.0413*                          |
| H2n2 | 0.58438      | 0.481009     | 0.073014     | 0.0413*                          |
| H1n3 | 0.436756     | 0.33644      | 0.306372     | 0.0374*                          |
| H2n3 | 0.406264     | 0.472794     | 0.30385      | 0.0374*                          |
| H1n4 | 0.172051     | 0.482695     | 0.144506     | 0.0368*                          |
| H2n4 | 0.195726     | 0.345503     | 0.14536      | 0.0368*                          |
| H1n5 | 0.440502     | 0.235022     | 0.123091     | 0.0612*                          |
| H2n5 | 0.445073     | 0.196092     | 0.201339     | 0.0612*                          |
| H1n6 | 0.702192     | 0.455067     | 0.247175     | 0.049*                           |
| H2n6 | 0.74966      | 0.452857     | 0.168435     | 0.049*                           |
| H1n7 | 0.503517     | 0.089391     | 0.110717     | 0.0833*                          |
| H2n7 | 0.343562     | 0.114577     | 0.074623     | 0.0833*                          |
| H1c1 | 0.628282     | 0.643295     | 0.139485     | 0.0519*                          |
| H2c1 | 0.490702     | 0.746111     | 0.143017     | 0.0519*                          |
| H1c2 | 0.326484     | 0.620857     | 0.088239     | 0.0472*                          |
| H2c2 | 0.482091     | 0.648682     | 0.041016     | 0.0472*                          |
| H1c3 | 0.21437      | 0.293373     | 0.290961     | 0.1795*                          |
| H2c3 | 0.188844     | 0.405985     | 0.326726     | 0.1795*                          |
| H1c4 | 0.104481     | 0.491252     | 0.244894     | 0.0737*                          |
| H2c4 | 0.055269     | 0.361928     | 0.231049     | 0.0737*                          |
| H1c5 | 0.672258     | 0.148938     | 0.171287     | 0.0546*                          |
| H2c5 | 0.681859     | 0.253446     | 0.114514     | 0.0546*                          |
| H1c6 | 0.701903     | 0.274205     | 0.257757     | 0.06*                            |
| H2c6 | 0.839392     | 0.292721     | 0.201409     | 0.06*                            |
| H1c7 | 0.606155     | 0.088585     | 0.019117     | 0.0585*                          |
| H2c7 | 0.44655      | 0.113715     | 0.983101     | 0.0585*                          |

**Table 3S** Atomic displacement parameters [ $\text{\AA}^2$ ] for  $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}(\text{en})_7$ .

| <b>Atom</b> | <b><math>U^{11}</math></b> | <b><math>U^{22}</math></b> | <b><math>U^{33}</math></b> | <b><math>U^{12}</math></b> | <b><math>U^{13}</math></b> | <b><math>U^{23}</math></b> |
|-------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Se1         | 0.0283 (3)                 | 0.0210 (3)                 | 0.0233 (3)                 | 0.0008 (3)                 | 0.0074 (3)                 | -0.0006 (3)                |
| Se2         | 0.0257 (3)                 | 0.0165 (3)                 | 0.0301 (3)                 | -0.0007 (3)                | 0.0094 (3)                 | 0.0005 (3)                 |
| Se3         | 0.0222 (3)                 | 0.0180 (3)                 | 0.0181 (3)                 | -0.0002 (3)                | 0.0005 (2)                 | 0.0004 (2)                 |
| Se4         | 0.0236 (3)                 | 0.0212 (3)                 | 0.0218 (3)                 | -0.0019 (3)                | 0.0022 (3)                 | -0.0015 (3)                |
| Se5         | 0.0463 (4)                 | 0.0210 (3)                 | 0.0190 (3)                 | 0.0041 (3)                 | -0.0014 (3)                | 0.0014 (3)                 |
| Se6         | 0.0387 (4)                 | 0.0232 (3)                 | 0.0160 (3)                 | -0.0045 (3)                | -0.0016 (3)                | 0.0008 (3)                 |
| Fe1         | 0.0259 (5)                 | 0.0163 (4)                 | 0.0172 (4)                 | 0.0006 (4)                 | 0.0032 (4)                 | 0.0003 (3)                 |
| Fe2         | 0.0256 (5)                 | 0.0160 (4)                 | 0.0181 (4)                 | -0.0003 (4)                | 0.0048 (4)                 | 0.0001 (3)                 |
| Fe3         | 0.0262 (5)                 | 0.0156 (4)                 | 0.0174 (4)                 | -0.0003 (4)                | 0.0014 (4)                 | 0.0003 (3)                 |
| Fe4         | 0.0252 (5)                 | 0.0164 (4)                 | 0.0164 (4)                 | -0.0015 (4)                | 0.0025 (4)                 | 0.0002 (3)                 |
| Fe5         | 0.0274 (5)                 | 0.0284 (5)                 | 0.0226 (5)                 | 0.0026 (4)                 | -0.0021 (4)                | -0.0033 (4)                |
| N1          | 0.070 (4)                  | 0.032 (3)                  | 0.026 (3)                  | -0.010 (3)                 | 0.010 (3)                  | 0.000 (3)                  |
| N2          | 0.031 (3)                  | 0.049 (4)                  | 0.023 (3)                  | -0.004 (3)                 | -0.002 (2)                 | -0.007 (3)                 |
| N3          | 0.032 (3)                  | 0.031 (3)                  | 0.030 (3)                  | -0.006 (2)                 | -0.002 (2)                 | 0.006 (2)                  |
| N4          | 0.029 (3)                  | 0.038 (3)                  | 0.025 (3)                  | 0.002 (2)                  | -0.009 (2)                 | -0.001 (2)                 |
| N5          | 0.056 (4)                  | 0.039 (4)                  | 0.059 (4)                  | 0.001 (3)                  | 0.016 (3)                  | -0.013 (3)                 |
| N6          | 0.030 (3)                  | 0.062 (4)                  | 0.030 (3)                  | 0.007 (3)                  | 0.006 (3)                  | 0.012 (3)                  |
| N7          | 0.043 (4)                  | 0.083 (5)                  | 0.082 (5)                  | 0.003 (4)                  | -0.002 (4)                 | -0.031 (4)                 |
| C1          | 0.052 (5)                  | 0.043 (4)                  | 0.035 (4)                  | -0.006 (4)                 | 0.013 (3)                  | 0.006 (3)                  |
| C2          | 0.029 (4)                  | 0.062 (5)                  | 0.027 (4)                  | -0.011 (4)                 | -0.002 (3)                 | 0.010 (3)                  |
| C3          | 0.041 (6)                  | 0.37 (2)                   | 0.035 (5)                  | -0.069 (9)                 | -0.008 (4)                 | 0.051 (8)                  |
| C4          | 0.034 (4)                  | 0.111 (8)                  | 0.040 (4)                  | 0.008 (5)                  | 0.006 (4)                  | 0.027 (5)                  |
| C5          | 0.044 (4)                  | 0.037 (4)                  | 0.056 (5)                  | 0.010 (4)                  | 0.024 (4)                  | -0.003 (4)                 |
| C6          | 0.052 (5)                  | 0.055 (5)                  | 0.042 (4)                  | 0.013 (4)                  | 0.004 (4)                  | 0.000 (4)                  |
| C7          | 0.031 (4)                  | 0.066 (5)                  | 0.049 (5)                  | 0.010 (4)                  | -0.007 (3)                 | -0.018 (4)                 |

**Table 4S** Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters [ $\text{\AA}^2$ ] for  $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_3$ .

| Atom | x            | y            | z            | $U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$ |
|------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| Se1  | 0.13526 (8)  | 0.74158 (7)  | 0.33777 (6)  | 0.0249 (3)                       |
| Se2  | 0.76829 (8)  | 0.35087 (7)  | 0.18216 (6)  | 0.0284 (3)                       |
| Se3  | 0.87130 (8)  | 0.59483 (7)  | 0.98113 (6)  | 0.0257 (3)                       |
| Se4  | 0.85343 (8)  | 0.57306 (8)  | 0.54767 (6)  | 0.0282 (3)                       |
| Fe1  | 0.98106 (10) | 0.52543 (9)  | 0.12988 (8)  | 0.0198 (4)                       |
| Fe2  | 0.97611 (11) | 0.52367 (9)  | 0.38322 (8)  | 0.0209 (4)                       |
| Fe3  | 0.66239 (11) | 0.88136 (10) | 0.24881 (8)  | 0.0267 (4)                       |
| N1   | 0.6610 (3)   | 0.10858 (14) | 0.3256 (3)   | 0.030 (3)                        |
| N2   | 0.41219 (18) | 0.8168 (2)   | 0.1413 (3)   | 0.033 (3)                        |
| N3   | 0.5870 (5)   | 0.8456 (2)   | 0.4131 (2)   | 0.030 (3)                        |
| N4   | 0.6037 (6)   | 0.63463 (13) | 0.19656 (14) | 0.049 (4)                        |
| N5   | 0.7703 (4)   | 0.9194 (2)   | 0.09406 (15) | 0.040 (3)                        |
| N6   | 0.93694 (14) | 0.9979 (4)   | 0.34486 (15) | 0.038 (3)                        |
| C1   | 0.4897 (9)   | 0.0816 (5)   | 0.2853 (6)   | 0.038 (4)                        |
| C2   | 0.4062 (5)   | 0.9597 (7)   | 0.1500 (6)   | 0.035 (4)                        |
| C3   | 0.6015 (8)   | 0.7120 (8)   | 0.4181 (6)   | 0.043 (4)                        |
| C4   | 0.5258 (9)   | 0.5829 (5)   | 0.2884 (6)   | 0.043 (4)                        |
| C5   | 0.9439 (9)   | 0.0506 (8)   | 0.1552 (5)   | 0.044 (4)                        |
| C6   | 0.0332 (5)   | 0.0185 (8)   | 0.2511 (6)   | 0.043 (4)                        |
| H1n1 | 0.711662     | 0.176956     | 0.423205     | 0.0363*                          |
| H2n1 | 0.733733     | 0.165473     | 0.278053     | 0.0363*                          |
| H1n2 | 0.367751     | 0.736909     | 0.046421     | 0.04*                            |
| H2n2 | 0.337443     | 0.768982     | 0.192376     | 0.04*                            |
| H1n3 | 0.655531     | 0.941941     | 0.500158     | 0.036*                           |
| H2n3 | 0.461276     | 0.819483     | 0.394196     | 0.036*                           |
| H1n4 | 0.512961     | 0.580973     | 0.109347     | 0.0593*                          |
| H2n4 | 0.698706     | 0.604534     | 0.185081     | 0.0593*                          |
| H1n5 | 0.69875      | 0.948888     | 0.042567     | 0.0476*                          |
| H2n5 | 0.773238     | 0.82126      | 0.033008     | 0.0476*                          |
| H1n6 | 0.965726     | 0.933208     | 0.385647     | 0.0453*                          |
| H2n6 | 0.96936      | 0.106329     | 0.415612     | 0.0453*                          |
| H1c1 | 0.492512     | 0.189555     | 0.291245     | 0.0451*                          |
| H2c1 | 0.419493     | 0.041444     | 0.346932     | 0.0451*                          |
| H1c2 | 0.275584     | 0.933932     | 0.121519     | 0.0416*                          |
| H2c2 | 0.472478     | 0.00239      | 0.08776      | 0.0416*                          |
| H1c3 | 0.534642     | 0.674665     | 0.482229     | 0.0515*                          |
| H2c3 | 0.73376      | 0.745087     | 0.451608     | 0.0515*                          |
| H1c4 | 0.544052     | 0.486078     | 0.289816     | 0.0512*                          |
| H2c4 | 0.391059     | 0.542488     | 0.258467     | 0.0512*                          |
| H1c5 | 0.939579     | 0.158306     | 0.20412      | 0.053*                           |
| H2c5 | 0.009513     | 0.058085     | 0.083134     | 0.053*                           |
| H1c6 | 0.041162     | 0.912857     | 0.201805     | 0.0522*                          |
| H2c6 | 0.159459     | 0.116181     | 0.30098      | 0.0522*                          |

**Table 5S** Atomic displacement parameters [ $\text{\AA}^2$ ] for  $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_3$ .

| Atom | $U^{11}$   | $U^{22}$   | $U^{33}$   | $U^{12}$    | $U^{13}$   | $U^{23}$   |
|------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| Se1  | 0.0269 (4) | 0.0177 (3) | 0.0177 (3) | 0.0017 (3)  | 0.0026 (3) | 0.0062 (3) |
| Se2  | 0.0261 (4) | 0.0251 (4) | 0.0179 (3) | -0.0011 (3) | 0.0010 (3) | 0.0098 (3) |
| Se3  | 0.0318 (4) | 0.0275 (4) | 0.0211 (3) | 0.0172 (3)  | 0.0071 (3) | 0.0105 (3) |
| Se4  | 0.0342 (4) | 0.0347 (4) | 0.0235 (4) | 0.0210 (3)  | 0.0113 (3) | 0.0142 (3) |
| Fe1  | 0.0207 (5) | 0.0179 (5) | 0.0144 (4) | 0.0049 (4)  | 0.0028 (4) | 0.0060 (4) |
| Fe2  | 0.0232 (5) | 0.0188 (5) | 0.0154 (4) | 0.0058 (4)  | 0.0034 (4) | 0.0072 (4) |
| Fe3  | 0.0285 (5) | 0.0260 (5) | 0.0208 (5) | 0.0095 (4)  | 0.0062 (4) | 0.0094 (4) |
| N1   | 0.034 (3)  | 0.022 (3)  | 0.019 (3)  | 0.003 (3)   | -0.001 (2) | 0.006 (2)  |
| N2   | 0.031 (3)  | 0.027 (3)  | 0.021 (3)  | 0.000 (3)   | -0.002 (2) | 0.007 (2)  |
| N3   | 0.035 (3)  | 0.033 (3)  | 0.019 (3)  | 0.013 (3)   | 0.008 (2)  | 0.012 (2)  |
| N4   | 0.070 (5)  | 0.043 (4)  | 0.049 (4)  | 0.034 (4)   | 0.028 (4)  | 0.021 (3)  |
| N5   | 0.048 (4)  | 0.044 (4)  | 0.028 (3)  | 0.024 (3)   | 0.013 (3)  | 0.012 (3)  |
| N6   | 0.032 (3)  | 0.040 (4)  | 0.041 (4)  | 0.016 (3)   | 0.008 (3)  | 0.019 (3)  |
| C1   | 0.046 (5)  | 0.035 (4)  | 0.032 (4)  | 0.018 (4)   | 0.018 (3)  | 0.013 (3)  |
| C2   | 0.025 (4)  | 0.043 (4)  | 0.036 (4)  | 0.013 (3)   | 0.010 (3)  | 0.021 (3)  |
| C3   | 0.055 (5)  | 0.046 (5)  | 0.041 (4)  | 0.025 (4)   | 0.020 (4)  | 0.030 (4)  |
| C4   | 0.054 (5)  | 0.030 (4)  | 0.045 (5)  | 0.021 (4)   | 0.013 (4)  | 0.017 (4)  |
| C5   | 0.058 (5)  | 0.044 (5)  | 0.036 (4)  | 0.022 (4)   | 0.033 (4)  | 0.020 (4)  |
| C6   | 0.034 (4)  | 0.038 (4)  | 0.052 (5)  | 0.016 (4)   | 0.013 (4)  | 0.013 (4)  |

Tables 6S and 7S show the data for the Rietveld refinement of the powder diffraction data of  $\text{FeSe}(\text{en})_{0.3}$ . Positions of the C, N, and H atoms (*en* molecules) were taken from rigid body refinement, isotropic displacement factors were set to 3 and 5, respectively, and site occupation factors were set to one third in accordance with the chemical analysis.

**Table 6S** Crystal data, data collection parameters and refinement parameters for  $\text{FeSe}(\text{en})_{0.3}$ .

|                                    | FeSe(en) <sub>0.3</sub>  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <b>Crystal data</b>                |  |
| Chemical formula                   | $\text{Fe}_{0.85}\text{SeC}_{0.6}\text{H}_{2.4}\text{N}_{0.6}$ |
| Formula mass                       | 144.46   |
| Crystal system                     | Monoclinic   |
| $a$ [Å]                            | 3.9037 (5)   |
| $b$ [Å]                            | 21.528 (2)   |
| $c$ [Å]                            | 3.8585 (6)   |
| $\alpha$ [°]                       | 90   |
| $\beta$ [°]                        | 91.34 (2)  |
| $\gamma$ [°]                       | 90   |
| Unit cell volume [Å <sup>3</sup> ] | 324.17 (8)   |
| Space group                        | $C2/c$   |
| $Z$                                | 4  |
| Radiation type                     | Mo $K_{\alpha 1}$ radiation ( $\lambda = 0.71073$ Å)           |
| <b>Data collection</b>             |  |
| Diffractometer                     | STOE STADI P diffractometer                                    |
| Monochromator                      | Ge111  |
| <b>Refinement</b>                  |  |
| $R_p$                              | 3.239  |
| $R_{wp}$                           | 4.294  |
| Goodness of fit                    | 1.219  |

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**Table 7S** Fractional atomic coordinates, isotropic displacement parameters [Å<sup>2</sup>] and site occupation factors for FeSe(en)<sub>0.3</sub>.

| Atom | x       | y          | z       | B <sub>iso</sub> | Occ.      |
|------|---------|------------|---------|------------------|-----------|
| Se1  | 0       | 0.1832 (3) | 0.25    | 0.96 (19)        | 1         |
| Fe1  | 0       | 0.2499 (6) | 0.75    | 0.96 (19)        | 0.85      |
| C1   | 0.19533 | 0.0035     | 0.0236  | 3                | 0.3333333 |
| N1   | 0.3404  | 0.02628    | 0.69974 | 3                | 0.3333333 |
| H1   | 0.25169 | 0.03627    | 0.23167 | 5                | 0.3333333 |
| H2   | 0.30791 | 0.95879    | 0.0891  | 5                | 0.3333333 |
| H5   | 0.47118 | 0.06683    | 0.76133 | 5                | 0.3333333 |
| H6   | 0.52387 | 0.99422    | 0.62774 | 5                | 0.3333333 |

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### Chemical analysis

The chemical composition of the new compounds was verified by CHN elemental analysis (Table 8S) and energy-dispersive spectroscopy measurements EDS (Table 9S). The small deviation in C : H : N ratio compared to the formula of *en* C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>8</sub>N<sub>2</sub> is attributed to contamination with residues of acetone C<sub>3</sub>H<sub>6</sub>O from washing process which could not be fully removed.

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**Table 8S** C : N : H ratio from elemental analysis normalized to N = 2.

|   | C   | H   | N |
|---|-----|-----|---|
| Fe <sub>3</sub> Se <sub>4</sub> (en) <sub>3</sub>   | 2.1 | 7.9 | 2 |
| Fe <sub>10</sub> Se <sub>12</sub> (en) <sub>7</sub> | 2.1 | 8.5 | 2 |
| FeSe(en) <sub>0.3</sub>                             | 2.2 | 8.8 | 2 |

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**Table 9S** Fe : Se ratio from EDS analysis normalized to Se.

|   | Fe        | Se |
|---|-----------|----|
| Fe <sub>3</sub> Se <sub>4</sub> (en) <sub>3</sub>   | 3.30(43)  | 4  |
| Fe <sub>10</sub> Se <sub>12</sub> (en) <sub>7</sub> | 10.60(56) | 12 |
| FeSe(en) <sub>0.3</sub>                             | 0.95(7)   | 1  |

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FeSe(en)<sub>0.3</sub> was further investigated by Thermogravimetric and ICP-OES analysis. The former showed that deintercalation of *en* starts near 200 °C and is completed at 230 °C under recovery of β-FeSe. The liquid section of the decomposed product was subsequently investigated by <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR which showed pure *en*, thus no other molecular species had been intercalated. A molar ratio of FeSe : *en* = 3 : 1 was observed. ICP-OES analysis yielded a Fe : Se ratio of 0.84(5) : 1 and a FeSe : *en* ratio of 3 : 1. Due to the surface sensitivity of the EDS analysis we consider the ICP-OES results as most reliable and assume a total composition Fe<sub>0.85(5)</sub>Se(en)<sub>0.3</sub>.

### Phase diagram

Table 10S shows the composition of the products from solvothermal synthesis between 160 °C and 220 °C and 0 % and 50 % glycerol content calculated from powder diffraction data by Rietveld refinement.

**Table 10S** Composition of the products from solvothermal synthesis at different temperatures and different degrees of dilution with glycerol. Weight percentages were determined by Rietveld refinement from powder diffraction data (Cu-K $\alpha_1$  radiation).

| Temperature [°C] | % glycerol | wt.-%   |   |   |                         |        |                   |      |       |
|------------------|------------|---|---|---|-------------------------|--------|-------------------|------|-------|
|                  |            | Fe <sub>3</sub> Se <sub>4</sub> (en) <sub>3</sub> | Fe <sub>3</sub> Se <sub>4</sub> (en) <sub>2</sub> | Fe <sub>10</sub> Se <sub>12</sub> (en) <sub>7</sub> | FeSe(en) <sub>0.3</sub> | β-FeSe | FeSe <sub>2</sub> | Se   | Fe    |
| 220              | 0          | -   | 100   | -   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 220              | 20         | -   | -   | 26  | 74                      | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 220              | 50         | -   | -   | -   | 99                      | -      | -                 | 1    | -     |
| 210              | 0          | -   | 100   | -   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 210              | 20         | -   | -   | 100   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 210              | 50         | -   | -   | -   | 89                      | 9      | -                 | 2    | -     |
| 200              | 0          | -   | 100   | -   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 200              | 5          | -   | 57  | 43  | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 200              | 20         | -   | -   | 100   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 200              | 30         | -   | -   | 100   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 200              | 50         | -   | -   | -   | 100                     | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 190              | 0          | 14  | 57  | 29  | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 190              | 20         | -   | -   | 97  | -                       | -      | -                 | 3    | -     |
| 190              | 50         | -   | -   | 13  | 68                      | -      | 17                | 3    | -     |
| 180              | 0          | 60*   | 6*  | 34*   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 180              | 20         | -   | -   | 100   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 180              | 50         | -   | -   | 8   | 83                      | -      | 9                 | -    | -     |
| 170              | 0          | 99*   | -   | -   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | 1*    |
| 170              | 20         | -   | -   | (100)   | -                       | -      | -                 | -    | -     |
| 170              | 50         | -   | -   | -   | 94                      | -      | -                 | 6    | -     |
| 160              | 0          | (83)*   | -   | -   | -                       | -      | -                 | (6)* | (11)* |
| 160              | 20         | -   | -   | (94)  | -                       | -      | -                 | (6)  | -     |
| 160              | 50         | -   | -   | -   | -                       | 74     | 21                | -    | 4     |

Samples marked with \* contain a so far unknown phase.

## Properties

Table 11S shows the lattice parameters of Fe<sub>3</sub>Se<sub>4</sub>(en)<sub>3</sub>, Fe<sub>3</sub>Se<sub>4</sub>(en)<sub>2</sub>, Fe<sub>10</sub>Se<sub>12</sub>(en)<sub>7</sub> and FeSe(en)<sub>0.3</sub> between 10 K and 290 K from temperature dependent powder diffraction data determined by Rietveld refinement.

**Table 11S** Lattice parameters of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_3$ ,  $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_2$ ,  $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}(\text{en})_7$ , and  $\text{FeSe}(\text{en})_{0.3}$  determined by Rietveld refinement from low temperature powder diffraction data (Co-K $\alpha_1$  radiation) between 10 K and 290 K.

| $T$ [K]                                     | $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_3$ |             |             |              |             |              |
|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
|   | $a$ [\AA]                             | $b$ [\AA]   | $c$ [\AA]   | $\alpha$ [°] | $\beta$ [°] | $\gamma$ [°] |
| 290   | 9.1246(5)                             | 10.3659(8)  | 11.6972(13) | 109.841(8)   | 96.443(8)   | 114.025(5)   |
| 270   | 9.1050(5)                             | 10.3611(7)  | 11.6974(12) | 109.908(7)   | 96.412(7)   | 113.962(5)   |
| 250   | 9.0772(5)                             | 10.3621(7)  | 11.7027(12) | 110.001(7)   | 96.344(7)   | 113.927(5)   |
| 230   | 9.0728(6)                             | 10.3571(8)  | 11.6927(11) | 110.038(7)   | 96.302(7)   | 113.897(5)   |
| 210   | 9.0665(6)                             | 10.3455(9)  | 11.6885(12) | 110.073(8)   | 96.280(8)   | 113.813(6)   |
| 190   | 9.0488(6)                             | 10.3413(8)  | 11.6873(12) | 110.118(7)   | 96.265(7)   | 113.766(5)   |
| 170   | 9.0292(5)                             | 10.3424(7)  | 11.6867(10) | 110.178(6)   | 96.230(7)   | 113.735(5)   |
| 150   | 9.0162(5)                             | 10.3368(7)  | 11.6861(10) | 110.246(7)   | 96.201(7)   | 113.681(4)   |
| 130   | 9.0011(5)                             | 10.3287(7)  | 11.6875(11) | 110.304(7)   | 96.182(8)   | 113.624(5)   |
| 110   | 8.9875(5)                             | 10.3243(7)  | 11.6875(10) | 110.359(7)   | 96.176(7)   | 113.577(5)   |
| 90  | 8.9750(5)                             | 10.3187(7)  | 11.6888(10) | 110.405(7)   | 96.172(7)   | 113.534(5)   |
| 70  | 8.9637(5)                             | 10.3153(7)  | 11.6875(10) | 110.463(6)   | 96.145(7)   | 113.492(5)   |
| 50  | 8.9532(5)                             | 10.3102(7)  | 11.6881(11) | 110.515(7)   | 96.130(7)   | 113.450(5)   |
| 30  | 8.9438(5)                             | 10.3087(7)  | 11.6932(11) | 110.581(7)   | 96.105(7)   | 113.412(5)   |
| 10  | 8.9429(5)                             | 10.3126(7)  | 11.6953(10) | 110.599(7)   | 96.085(7)   | 113.401(5)   |
| $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_2$       |                                       |             |             |              |             |              |
| $T$ [K]                                     | $a$ [\AA]                             | $b$ [\AA]   | $c$ [\AA]   | $\alpha$ [°] | $\beta$ [°] | $\gamma$ [°] |
| 290   | 17.2758(4)                            | 7.9768(2)   | 11.6789(4)  | 90           | 120.938(2)  | 90           |
| 270   | 17.2742(4)                            | 7.9708(3)   | 11.6743(5)  | 90           | 120.959(3)  | 90           |
| 250   | 17.2695(4)                            | 7.9652(2)   | 11.6670(5)  | 90           | 120.964(2)  | 90           |
| 230   | 17.2656(4)                            | 7.9586(2)   | 11.6590(4)  | 90           | 120.976(2)  | 90           |
| 210   | 17.2653(3)                            | 7.9530(2)   | 11.6549(4)  | 90           | 121.001(2)  | 90           |
| 190   | 17.2606(3)                            | 7.9493(2)   | 11.6463(3)  | 90           | 121.001(2)  | 90           |
| 170   | 17.2540(3)                            | 7.9417(2)   | 11.6398(4)  | 90           | 121.011(2)  | 90           |
| 150   | 17.2451(4)                            | 7.9361(2)   | 11.6348(4)  | 90           | 121.034(2)  | 90           |
| 130   | 17.2361(4)                            | 7.9292(2)   | 11.6282(4)  | 90           | 121.030(2)  | 90           |
| 110   | 17.2290(4)                            | 7.9245(2)   | 11.6240(4)  | 90           | 121.046(2)  | 90           |
| 90  | 17.2231(4)                            | 7.9212(2)   | 11.6212(4)  | 90           | 121.053(2)  | 90           |
| 70  | 17.2167(4)                            | 7.9174(2)   | 11.6185(4)  | 90           | 121.057(2)  | 90           |
| 50  | 17.2084(4)                            | 7.9136(2)   | 11.6127(4)  | 90           | 121.058(2)  | 90           |
| 30  | 17.2060(4)                            | 7.9124(2)   | 11.6106(4)  | 90           | 121.053(2)  | 90           |
| 10  | 17.2084(4)                            | 7.9131(2)   | 11.6121(4)  | 90           | 121.058(2)  | 90           |
| $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}(\text{en})_7$ |                                       |             |             |              |             |              |
| $T$ [K]                                     | $a$ [\AA]                             | $b$ [\AA]   | $c$ [\AA]   | $\alpha$ [°] | $\beta$ [°] | $\gamma$ [°] |
| 290   | 9.4176(6)                             | 12.3271(20) | 20.9802(20) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 270   | 9.4076(6)                             | 12.3207(23) | 20.9684(22) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 250   | 9.3968(6)                             | 12.3125(22) | 20.9508(21) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 230   | 9.3847(6)                             | 12.3077(22) | 20.9356(22) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 210   | 9.3739(6)                             | 12.3055(22) | 20.9176(22) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 190   | 9.3661(6)                             | 12.2986(22) | 20.9071(22) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 170   | 9.3597(6)                             | 12.2950(23) | 20.8892(22) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 150   | 9.3509(7)                             | 12.2902(24) | 20.8730(23) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 130   | 9.3456(7)                             | 12.2978(32) | 20.8580(24) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 110   | 9.3407(7)                             | 12.3057(38) | 20.8506(24) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 90  | 9.3327(7)                             | 12.3124(43) | 20.8430(24) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 70  | 9.3248(7)                             | 12.3128(44) | 20.8346(24) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 50  | 9.3186(7)                             | 12.3064(43) | 20.8291(24) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 30  | 9.3083(7)                             | 12.3062(41) | 20.8231(24) | 90           | 90          | 90           |
| 10  | 9.3131(7)                             | 12.3074(42) | 20.8311(23) | 90           | 90          | 90           |

| T [K] | FeSe(en) <sub>0.3</sub> |             |           |       |            |       |
|-------|-------------------------|-------------|-----------|-------|------------|-------|
|       | a [Å]                   | b [Å]       | c [Å]     | α [°] | β [°]      | γ [°] |
| 290   | 3.9153(3)               | 21.5280(17) | 3.8603(3) | 90    | 91.354(12) | 90    |
| 270   | 3.9133(3)               | 21.4964(17) | 3.8630(3) | 90    | 91.644(13) | 90    |
| 250   | 3.9123(3)               | 21.4632(17) | 3.8643(3) | 90    | 91.776(12) | 90    |
| 230   | 3.9108(3)               | 21.4396(16) | 3.8652(3) | 90    | 91.795(12) | 90    |
| 210   | 3.9095(3)               | 21.4139(16) | 3.8639(3) | 90    | 91.826(12) | 90    |
| 190   | 3.9082(3)               | 21.3886(16) | 3.8643(3) | 90    | 91.821(12) | 90    |
| 170   | 3.9063(3)               | 21.3764(16) | 3.8634(3) | 90    | 91.808(11) | 90    |
| 150   | 3.9044(3)               | 21.3566(17) | 3.8625(3) | 90    | 91.816(12) | 90    |
| 130   | 3.9035(3)               | 21.3374(16) | 3.8615(3) | 90    | 91.808(11) | 90    |
| 110   | 3.9018(3)               | 21.3244(16) | 3.8597(3) | 90    | 91.820(11) | 90    |
| 90    | 3.9002(3)               | 21.3128(16) | 3.8595(3) | 90    | 91.820(11) | 90    |
| 70    | 3.8991(3)               | 21.2995(16) | 3.8576(3) | 90    | 91.800(10) | 90    |
| 50    | 3.8986(3)               | 21.2889(16) | 3.8578(3) | 90    | 91.807(10) | 90    |
| 30    | 3.8982(3)               | 21.2833(16) | 3.8564(3) | 90    | 91.806(10) | 90    |
| 10    | 3.8985(3)               | 21.2727(16) | 3.8569(3) | 90    | 91.823(11) | 90    |

Figure 1S shows the isothermal magnetization curves of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_3$ ,  $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}(\text{en})_7$  and  $\text{FeSe}(\text{en})_{0.3}$  at 1.8 K and between 1 and 5 T with  $\mu$  in  $\mu_B$  per formula unit.

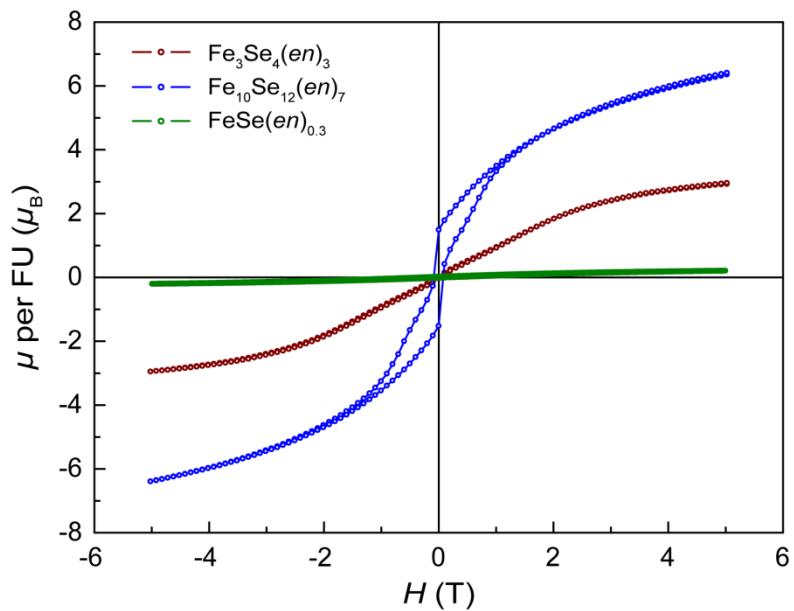


Figure 1S Isothermal magnetization curves of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{Se}_4(\text{en})_3$ ,  $\text{Fe}_{10}\text{Se}_{12}(\text{en})_7$  and  $\text{FeSe}(\text{en})_{0.3}$  at 1.8 K.