

Supporting Information

Porous 3-D Honeycomb architecture by self-assembly of helical H-bonded molecular tapes

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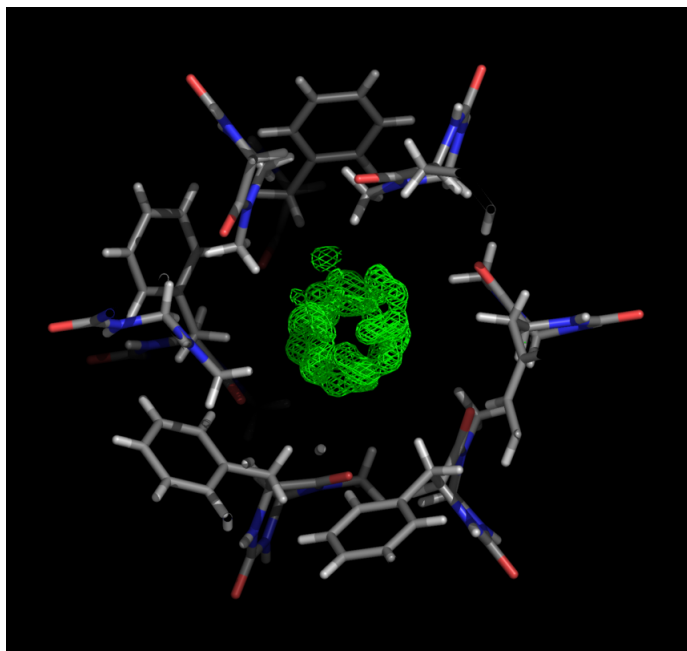


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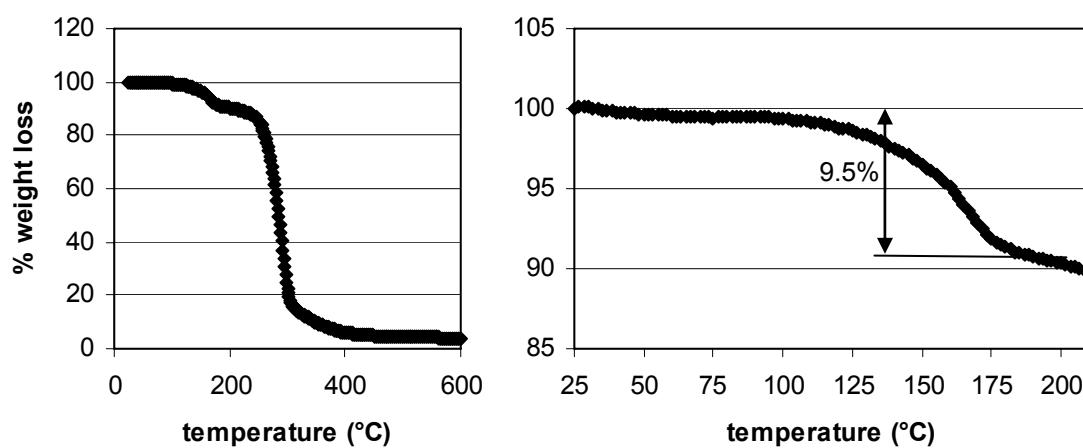


Figure S2. Thermogravimetric plot showing the weight loss of crystals of **1a** (grown from dioxane/diisopropyl ether) on increasing temperature. TGA analysis show a weight loss of 9.5 % in the temperature range of 25-195°C

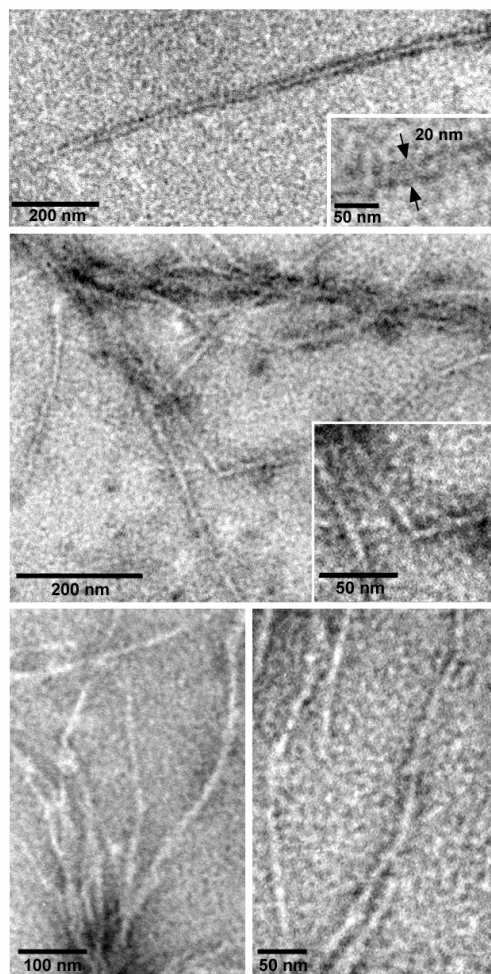


Figure S3. TEM negative stain imaging of **1a** (dioxane solution) deposited on a carbon-coated copper grid.

A 5 μ L drop of a 1 mg/mL dioxane solution of **1a** was deposited on a carbon-coated copper grid and allowed to air-dry for 5 minutes. The sample was negatively stained with uranyl acetate before observation by transmission electron microscopy using a Phillips CM12 operating at 120 kV (Amsterdam, The Netherlands)

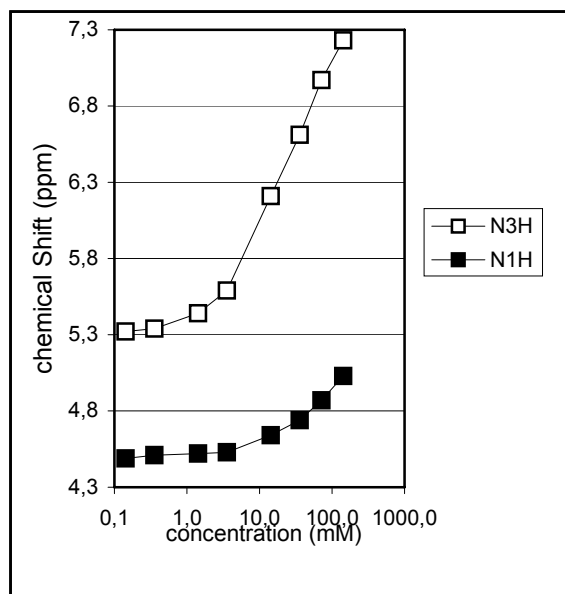


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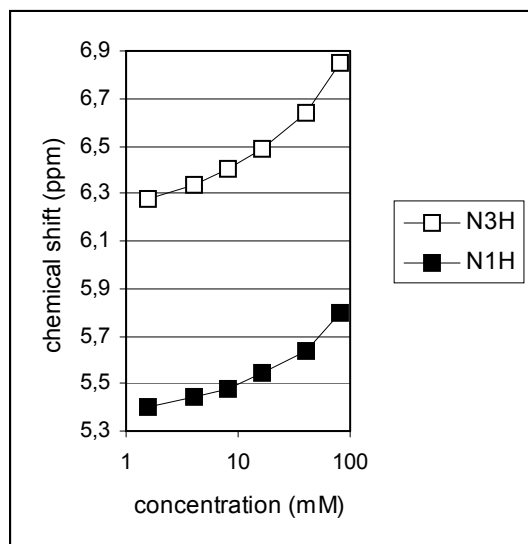


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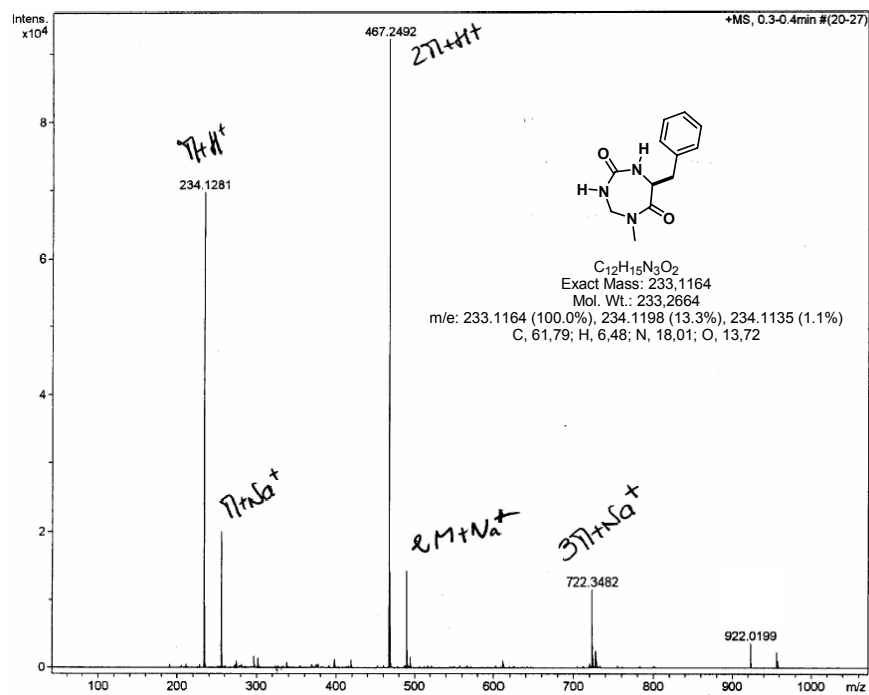


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