

# Soluble precursors of 2,3-naphthalocyanine and phthalocyanine for use in thin film transistors

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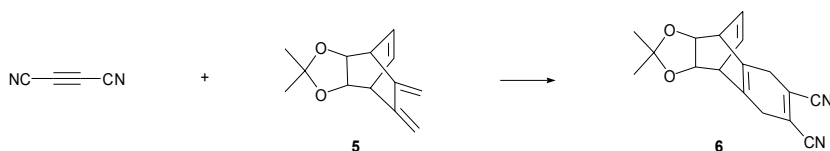
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## General and experimental details

**General.** Melting points were determined on a Yanaco micro melting point apparatus MP500D and are uncorrected. DI-EI and FAB mass spectra were measured on a JEOL JMS-700. MALDI-TOF mass spectra were measured on an Applied Biosystems Voyager de Pro. IR spectra were measured on a Horiba FT-720 Infrared Spectrophotometer. UV-vis spectra were measured on a JASCO V-570 spectrophotometer.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra ( $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra) were recorded on a JEOL AL-400 at 400 MHz (100 MHz). Gel permeation chromatography (GPC) was performed on a JAIGEL 2-H and a JAIGEL 1-H with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . Elemental analyses were performed at Integrated Center for Sciences, Ehime University.

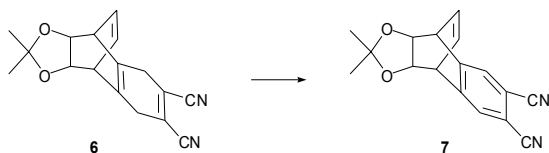
### 2,2-Dimethyl-4,9-ethano-3a,4,5,8,9,9a-hexahydronaphto[2,3-*d*][1,3]dioxole-6,7-dicarbonitrile (**6**)



To a solution of dicyanoacetylene (0.33 g, 4.3 mmol) in dry  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (4 ml) was slowly added a solution of **5** (0.89 g, 4.4 mmol) at 0 °C. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was washed with  $\text{Et}_2\text{O}$  and purified by recrystallization from  $\text{CHCl}_3$ /hexane to give **6** (0.56 g, 46%).

colorless crystals; mp 216-218 °C; MS (70 eV)  $m/z$  (relative intensity) 265 ( $\text{M}^+$ -Me, 13%), 223 (19), 193 (48), 100 (100), and 85 (97); IR (KBr disk)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  2881 and 2229  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.33 (m, 2H,  $\text{H}_{10,11}$ ), 4.22 (m, 2H), 3.59 (m, 2H), 3.17 (s, 4H,  $\text{H}_{5,8}$ ), 1.33 (s, 3H, 2-Me), and 1.25 (s, 3H, 2-Me); Anal. calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ : C, 72.84; H, 5.75; N, 9.99. Found: C, 72.61; H, 5.82; N, 9.89.

### 2,2-Dimethyl-4,9-ethano-3a,4,9,9a-tetrahydronaphto[2,3-*d*][1,3]dioxole-6,7-dicarbonitrile (**7**)

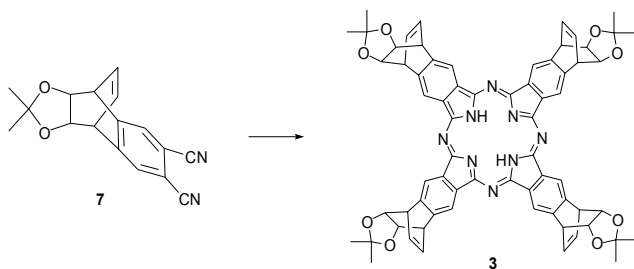


To a solution of **6** (0.19 g, 0.67 mmol) in  $\text{CHCl}_3$  (40 ml) was added DDQ (0.68 g, 3.0 mmol). After an addition of 1,4-dioxane (20 ml), the resulting mixture was refluxed for 6 d. During that time, additional DDQ (0.60 g, 2.6 mmol) divided to 2 portions was added to the mixture. After removal of the solvent *in vacuo*, the residue was diluted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$  and water. The organic layer was washed with water, brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was

purified by column chromatography on alumina with  $\text{CHCl}_3$  to give **7** (0.18 g, 97%).

colorless crystals; MS (FAB)  $m/z$  279  $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$ ; IR (KBr disk)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  2233  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  7.64 (s, 2H,  $\text{H}_{5,8}$ ), 6.50 (m, 2H,  $\text{H}_{10,11}$ ), 4.32 (m, 2H,  $\text{H}_{3a,9a}$ ), 4.27 (m, 2H,  $\text{H}_{4,9}$ ), 1.40 (s, 3H, 2-Me), and 1.27 (s, 3H, 2-Me); Anal. calcd for  $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ : C, 73.37; H, 5.07; N, 10.07. Found: C, 73.37; H, 5.11; N, 10.06.

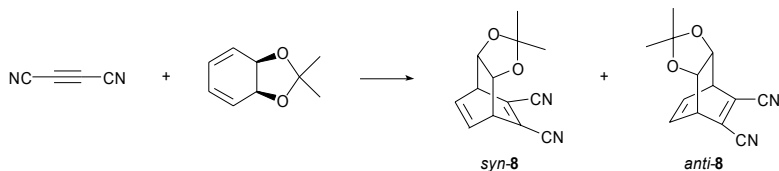
#### Reaction of **7** with LiOBu.



To Li wire (56 mg, 8.1 mmol) in a reaction vessel was added dry *n*-BuOH (8.0 ml) at room temperature under an Ar atmosphere. Li was dissolved at reflux. To this mixture was added **7** (0.50 g, 1.8 mmol) at room temperature. The resulting mixture was refluxed overnight. After an addition of MeOH/water (10 ml, v/v 1/1), the mixture was extracted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic layer was washed with water, brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on silica gel with  $\text{CHCl}_3/\text{EtOAc}$  (3/1) to give **3** (0.24 g, 47%)

deep green powder; mp > 300 °C (decomp); MS (MALDI-TOF)  $m/z$  1115 ( $\text{M}^++1$ ), 1015, 915, 815, and 715;  $^1\text{H NMR}$  (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  8.35–8.67 (m, 8H), 6.87–7.35 (m, 8H), 4.62–5.22 (m, 16H), 1.25–1.77 (m, 24H), and -3.66–4.46 (br, 2H); UV-vis ( $\text{CHCl}_3$ )  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$ , nm (log  $\epsilon$ ) 345 (4.94), 600 (4.51), 644 (4.75), 662 (5.21), and 699 (5.28); Anal. calcd for  $\text{C}_{68}\text{H}_{58}\text{N}_8\text{O}_8 \cdot 1/2\text{H}_2\text{O}$ : C, 72.65; H, 5.29; N, 9.97. Found: C, 72.71; H, 5.35; N, 9.89.

#### 4,4-Dimethyl-3,5-dioxatricyclo[5.2.2.0<sup>2,6</sup>]undeca-8,10-diene-8,9-dicarbonitrile (**8**).

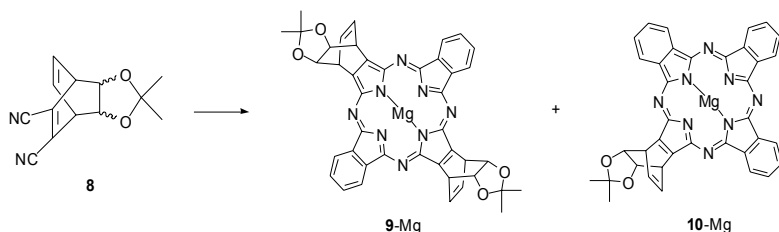


To a degassed solution of dicyanoacetylene (1.1 g, 14 mmol) in  $\text{CHCl}_3$  (3 ml) was added a solution of *cis*-5,6-isopropylidenedioxycyclohexa-1,3-diene (2.1 g, 14 mmol) in  $\text{CHCl}_3$  (15 ml) at 0 °C. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by column chromatography on alumina with  $\text{CHCl}_3$  to give a mixture of *syn*- and *anti*-**8** (1.8 g, 57%). *Syn*- and *anti*-**8** were isolated by column chromatography on silica gel with hexane/EtOAc (1/3).

*anti*-**8**; colorless crystals; mp 181-182 °C; MS (FAB)  $m/z$  229  $[M+H]^+$ ; IR (KBr disk)  $\nu_{\max}$  2223  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.39 (m, 2H,  $\text{H}_{10,11}$ ), 4.38 (m, 2H), 4.24 (m, 2H), 1.33 (s, 3H, 4-Me), and 1.28 (s, 3H, 4-Me);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  131.17, 129.96, 114.85, 113.37, 77.31, 46.39, 25.61 and 25.56; Anal. calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2 \cdot 1/6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ : C, 67.52; H, 5.38; N, 12.11. Found: C, 67.66; H, 5.07; N, 12.12.

*syn*-**8**; colorless crystals; mp 201-202 °C; MS (FAB)  $m/z$  229  $[M+H]^+$ ; IR (KBr disk)  $\nu_{\max}$  2224  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  6.33 (m, 2H,  $\text{H}_{10,11}$ ), 4.34 (m, 2H), 4.25 (m, 2H), 1.41 (s, 3H, 4-Me), and 1.28 (s, 3H, 4-Me);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  131.13, 130.11, 114.41, 114.21, 77.44, 46.28, 25.97 and 25.17; Anal. calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{12}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$ : C, 68.41; H, 5.30; N, 12.27. Found: C, 68.53; H, 5.23; N, 12.34.

### Reaction of **8** with $\text{Mg}(\text{O}i\text{Bu})_2$ .

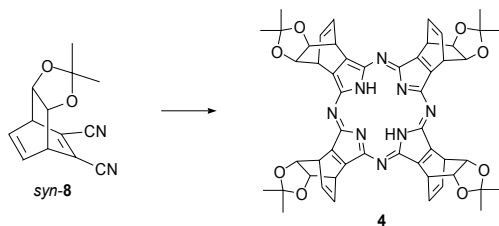


To a mixture of Mg turnings (12 mg, 0.51 mmol) and a small amount of iodine was added dry *n*-BuOH (15 ml) at room temperature under an Ar atmosphere. Mg was dissolved at reflux. To this mixture was added a mixture of *syn*- and *anti*-**8** (0.16 g, 0.72 mmol) at room temperature. The resulting mixture was refluxed for 1 d. After an addition of MeOH/water (30 ml, v/v 1/1), the mixture was extracted with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ . The organic layer was washed with water, brine, dried over  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ , and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on alumina with  $\text{CHCl}_3$ , recrystallization from MeOH/ $\text{CHCl}_3$ , and GPC to give **9-Mg** (32 mg, 24%) and **10-Mg** (13 mg, 11%).

**9-Mg**; blue powder; MS (MALDI-TOF)  $m/z$  738 ( $M^{+2}$ ), 638 and 538;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-}d_6$ )  $\delta$  9.44 (m, 2H), 9.38 (m, 2H), 8.30 (m, 4H), 7.04 (m, 4H), 5.61 (m, 4H), 4.72 (m, 2H), 4.80 (m, 2H), 1.52 (m, 6H), and 1.28 (m, 6H).

**10-Mg**; blue powder; MS (MALDI-TOF)  $m/z$  638 ( $M^{+2}$ ) and 538;  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{DMSO-}d_6$ )  $\delta$  9.44 (m, 4H), 9.38 (m, 2H), 8.31 (m, 2H), 8.25 (m, 4H), 7.07 (m, 2H), 5.65 (m, 2H), 4.79 (m, 2H), 1.53 (s, 3H), and 1.30 (s, 3H).

### Reaction of *syn-8* with Li(OBu).



To a mixture of Li wire (26 mg, 3.8 mmol; 33 mg, 4.8 mmol) and a small amount of iodine in reaction vessels (5 ml; 10 ml) was added dry *n*-BuOH (3.8 ml; 4.8 ml) at room temperature under an Ar atmosphere, respectively. Li was dissolved at reflux. To this mixture was added *syn-8* (0.19 g, 0.82 mmol; 0.23 g, 1.0 mmol) at room temperature. The resulting mixture was heated at 110 °C for 1 d. After an addition of MeOH/water (20 ml, v/v 1/1), the combined mixture was extracted with CHCl<sub>3</sub>. The organic layer was washed with water, brine, dried over Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography on alumina with CHCl<sub>3</sub>, column chromatography on silica gel with CHCl<sub>3</sub> and GPC to give **4** (4 mg, 2%)

purple powder; mp > 200 °C; MS (FAB) *m/z* 916 (M<sup>+</sup>+2), 816, 714, 614, and 514; UV-vis (CHCl<sub>3</sub>) λ<sub>max</sub>, nm (log ε) 343 (4.79), 552 (4.51), 624 (4.74), and 688 (4.05); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 7.02 (m, 8H), 6.00 (m, 8H), 5.05 (m, 8H), 0.98–1.26 (m, 12H), -1.13–0.51 (m, 12H), and -3.09 (br, 2H, NH); HRMS calcd for C<sub>52</sub>H<sub>51</sub>N<sub>8</sub>O<sub>8</sub> 915.3830, found 915.3831.



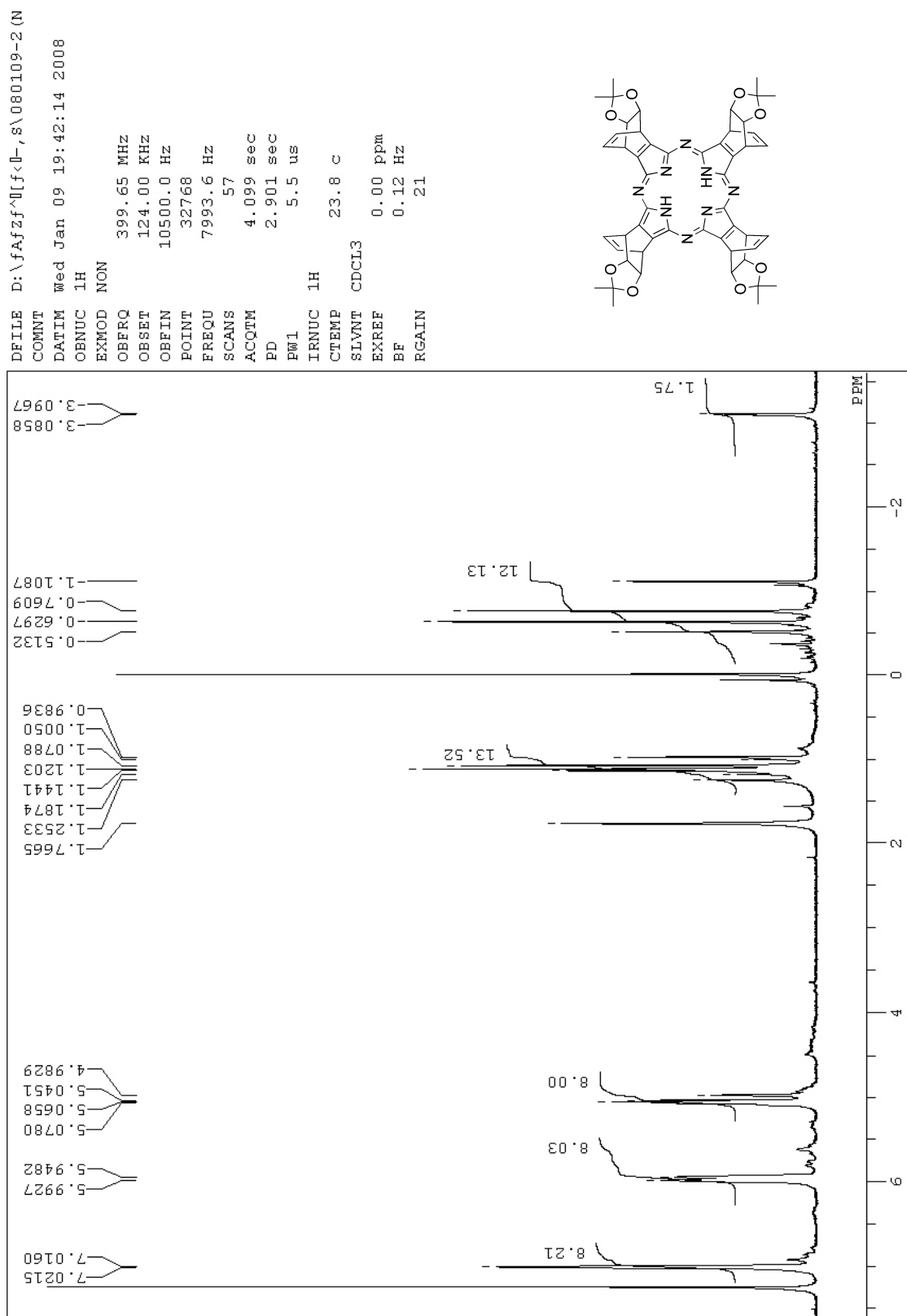


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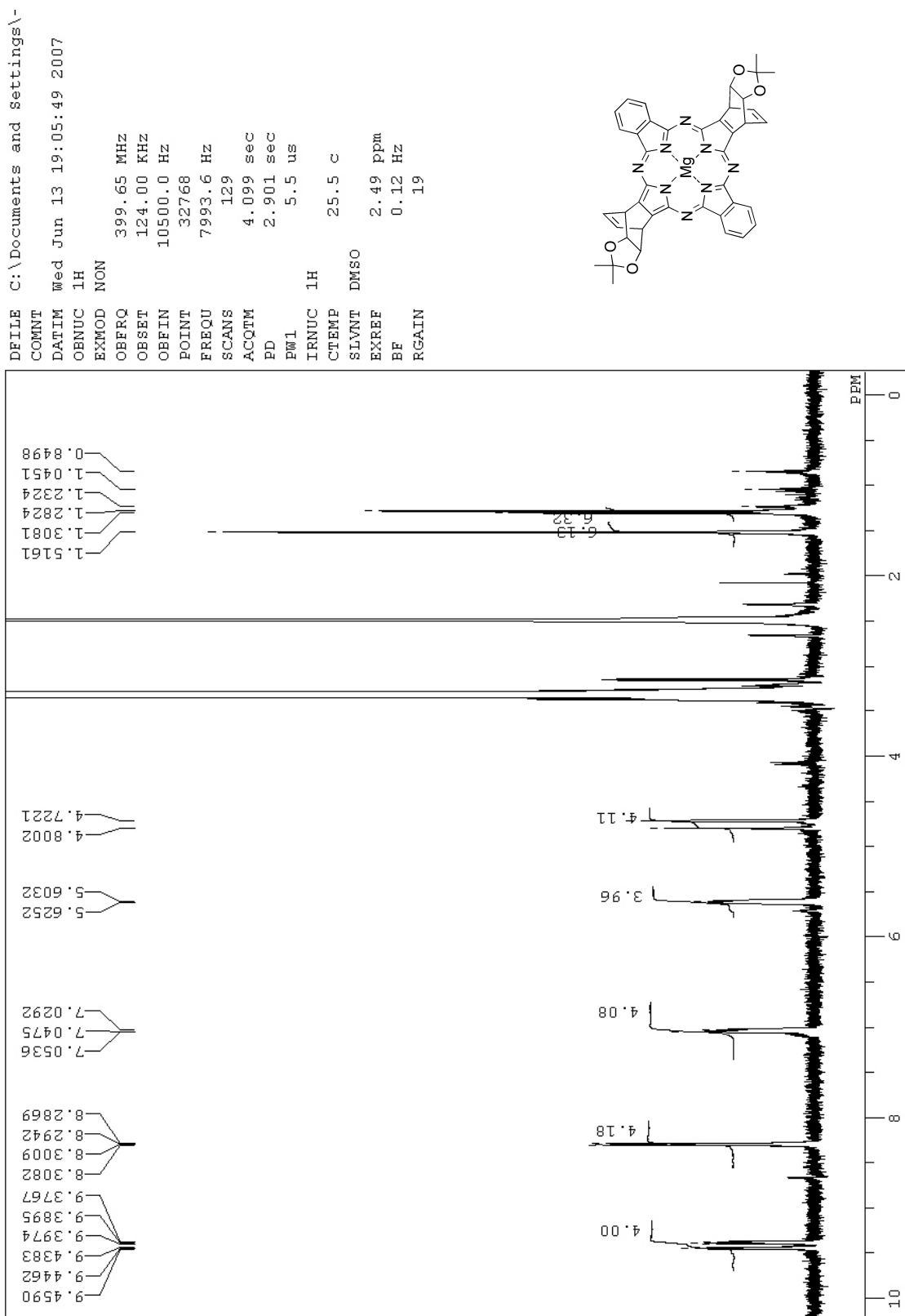


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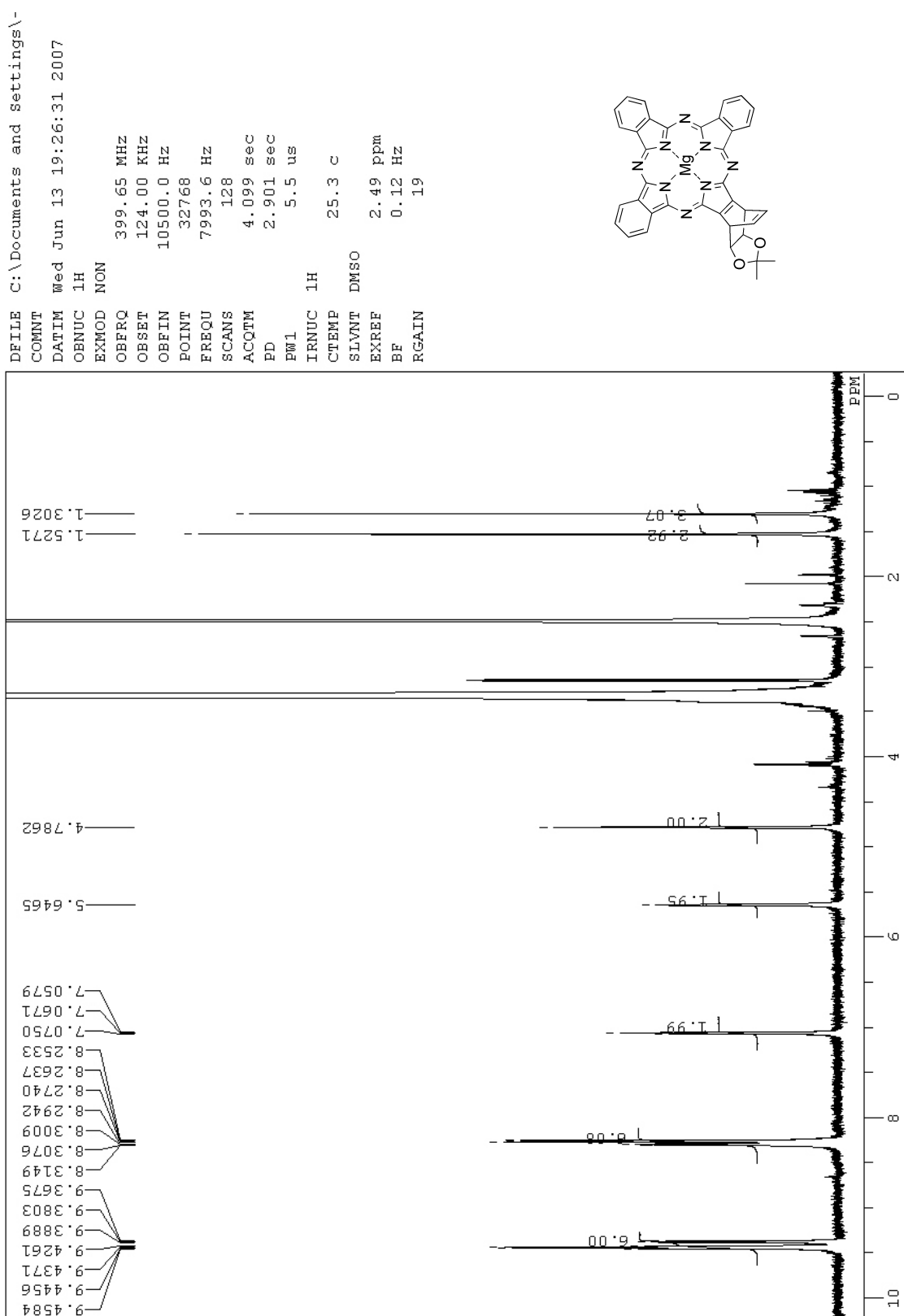
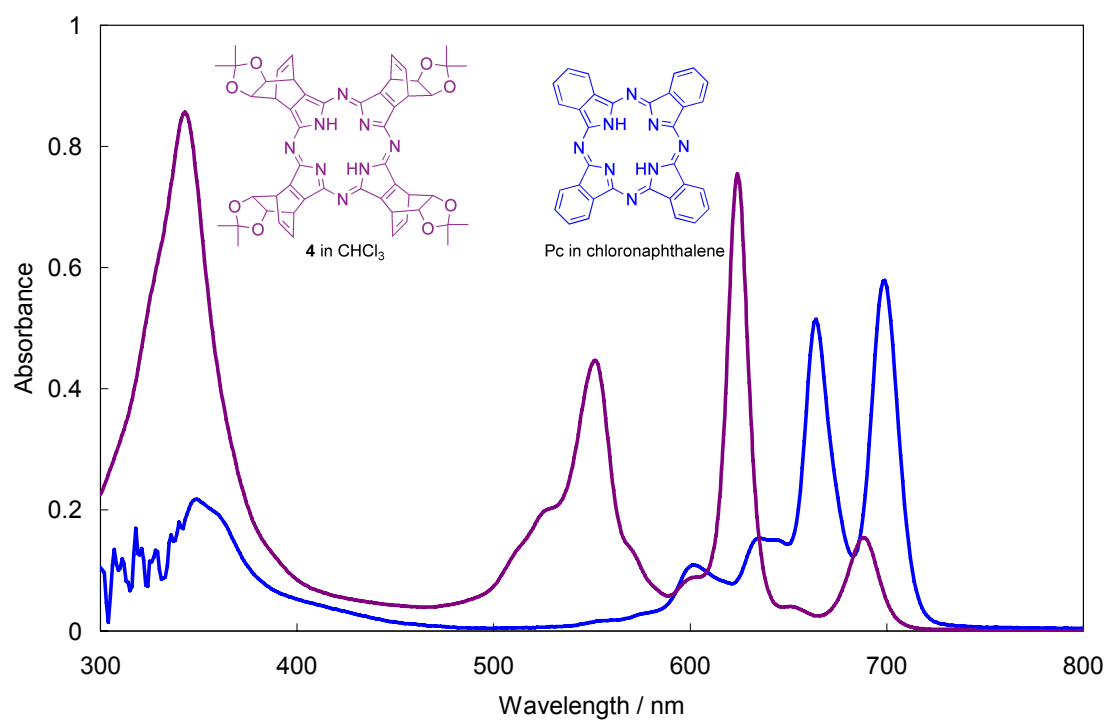
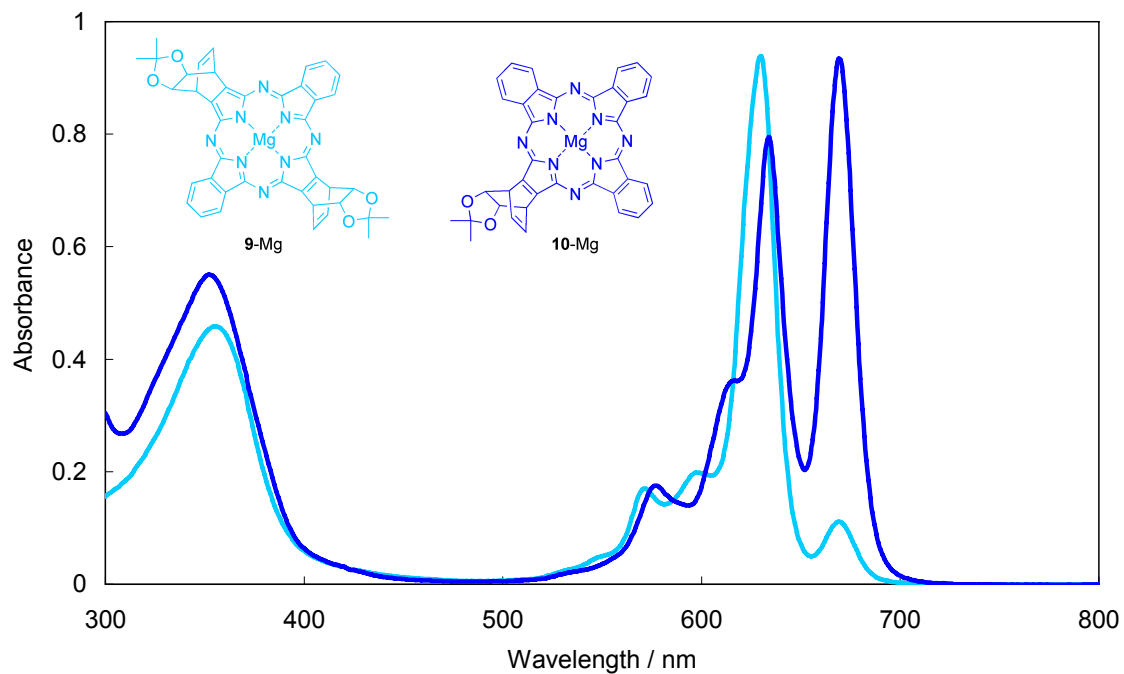


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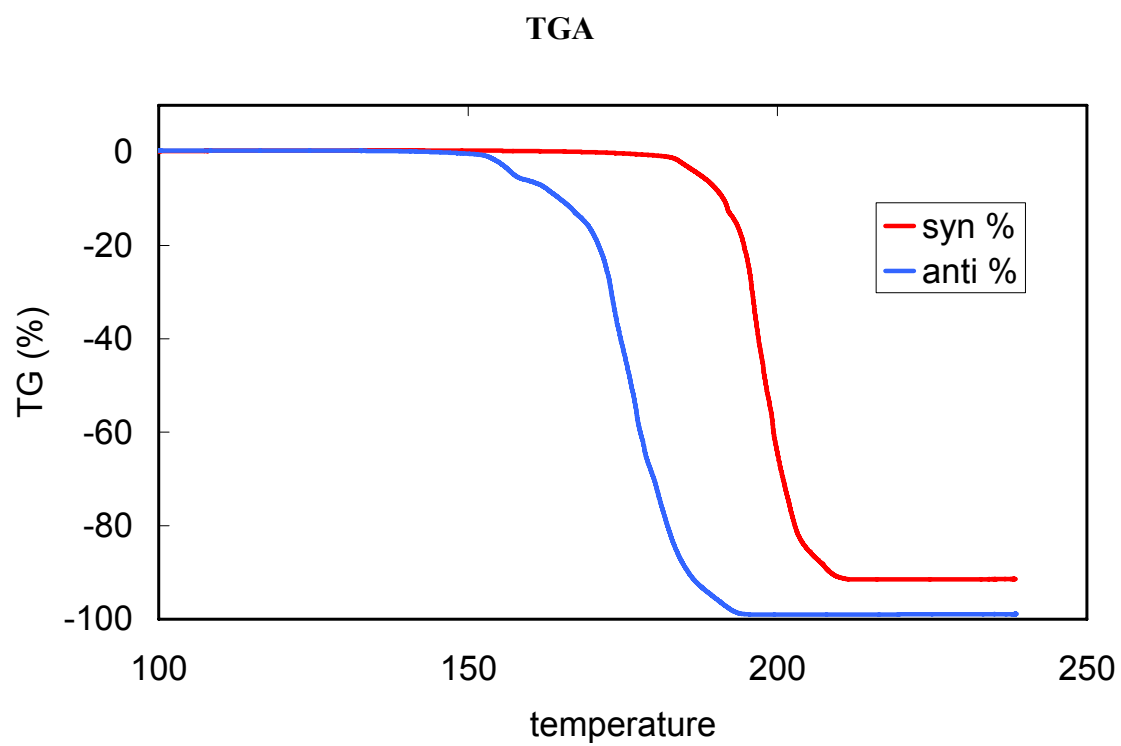
### UV-vis absorption spectra



**Fig. S-5** UV-vis absorption spectra of **4** and Pc.



**Fig. S-6** UV-vis absorption spectra of **9-Mg** and **10-Mg** in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ .



**Fig. S-7** TGA of *syn*- and *anti*-**8**.

## X-ray crystallographic data

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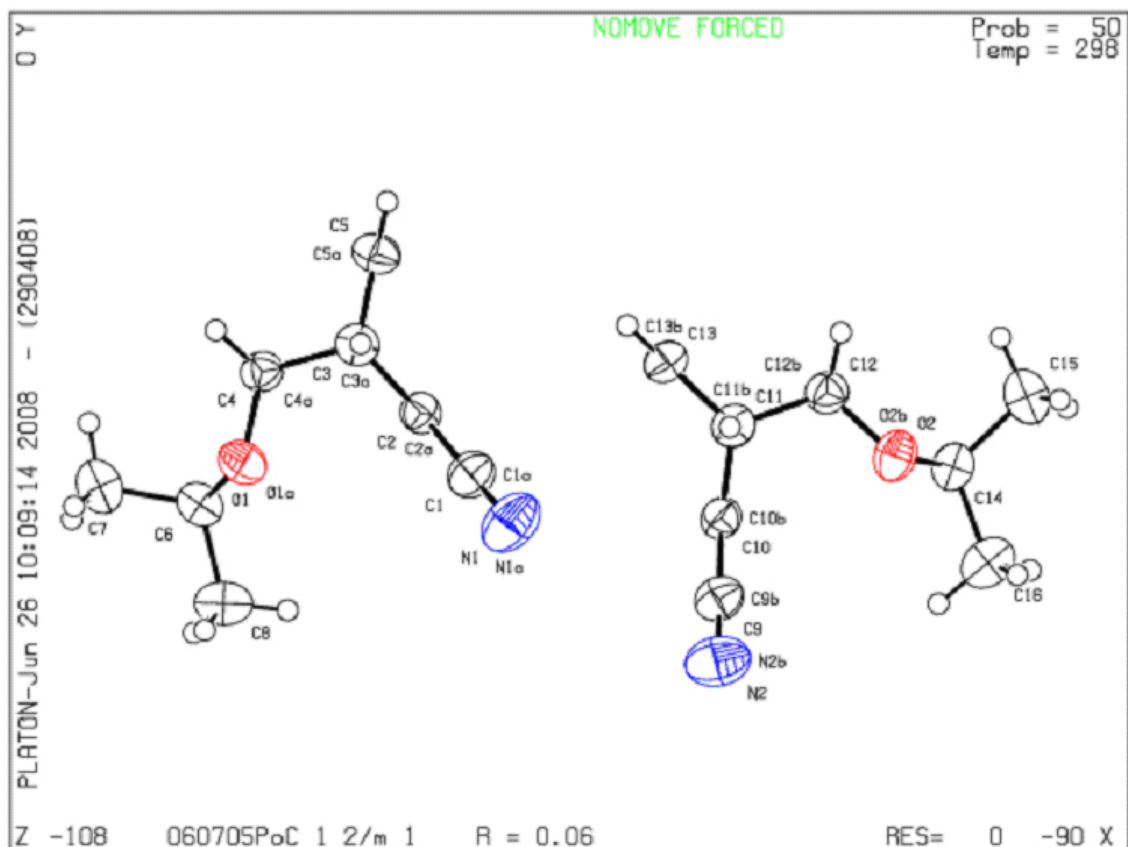
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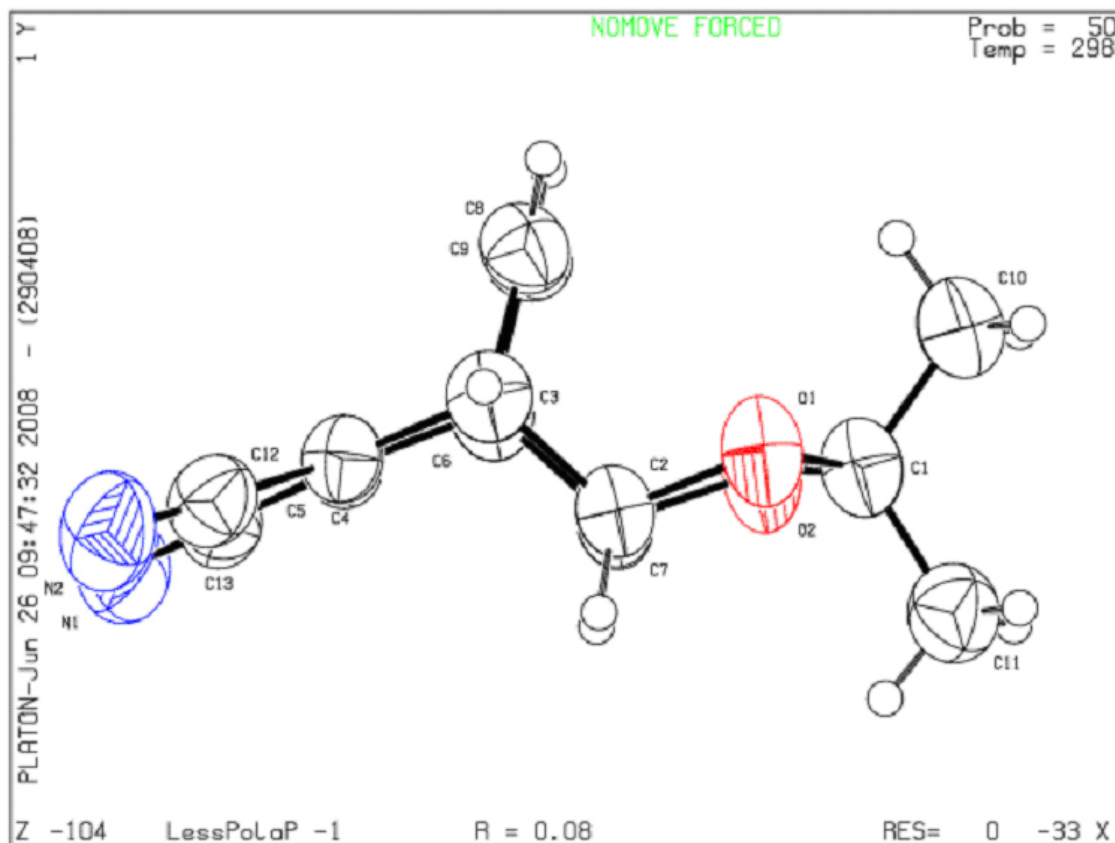
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