

## Gold... $\pi$ aryl interactions as supramolecular synthons<sup>†</sup>

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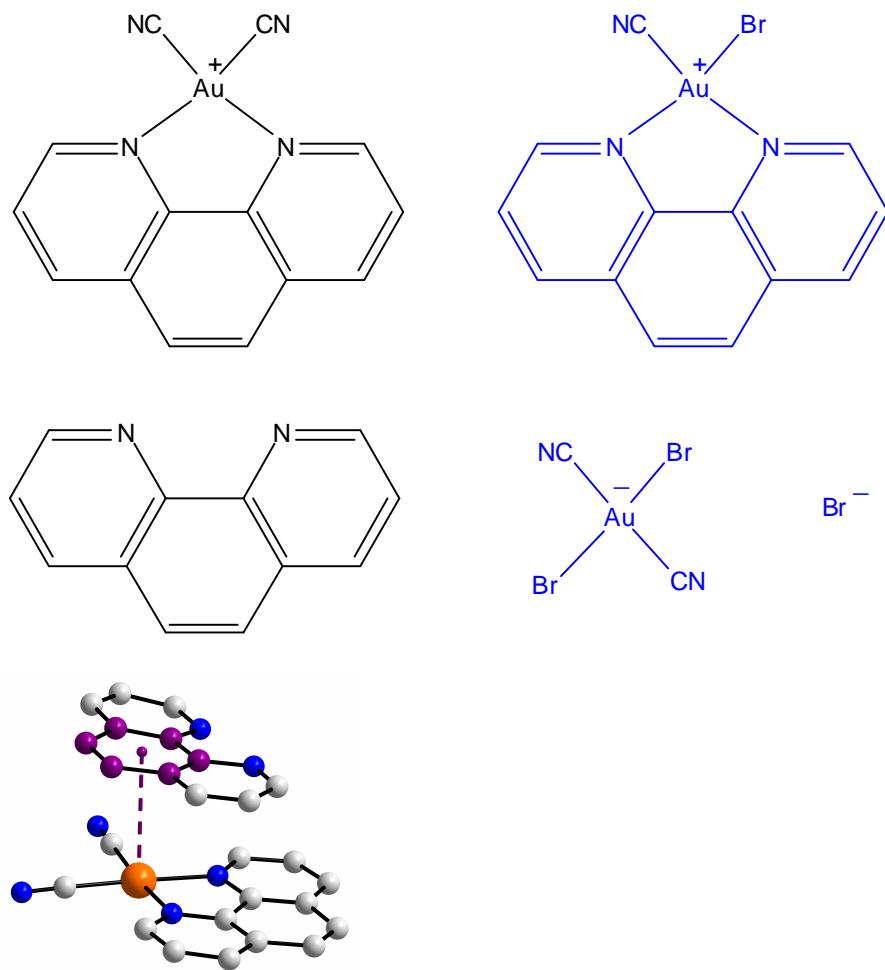
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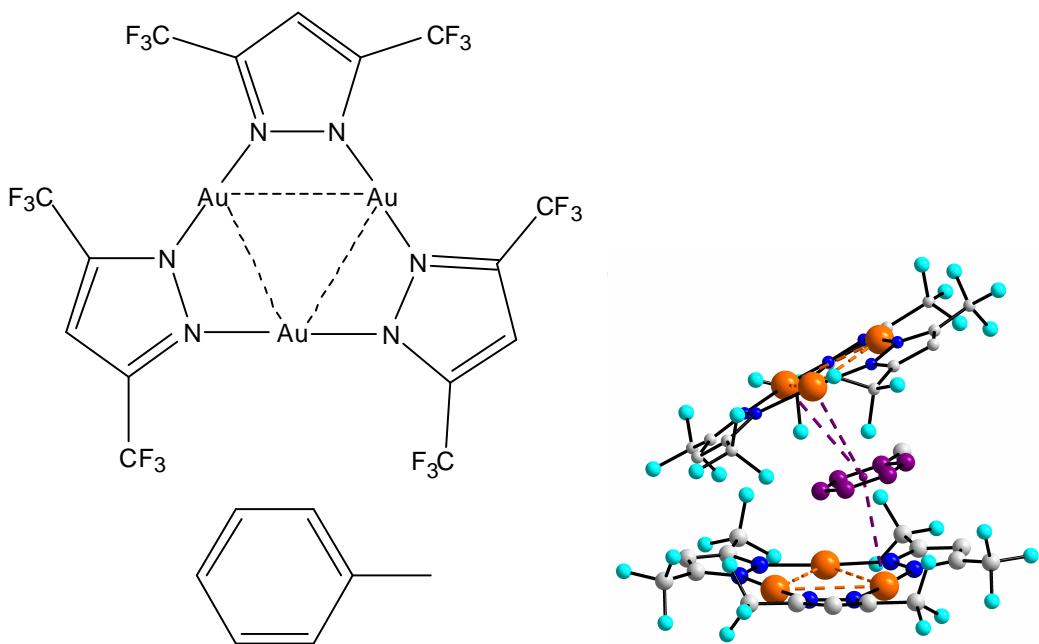
**Table S(1)** Chemical structures and other descriptors describing intermolecular Au.... $\pi$  interactions in non-associated aggregates, (1) – (10). Species not engaged in Au.... $\pi$  interactions are shown in blue.

Compound number; Au...C(g),  $d$  ( $\text{\AA}$ ); Au...C(g)...plane,  $\alpha^a$  ( $^\circ$ ); [ref.] and REFCODE

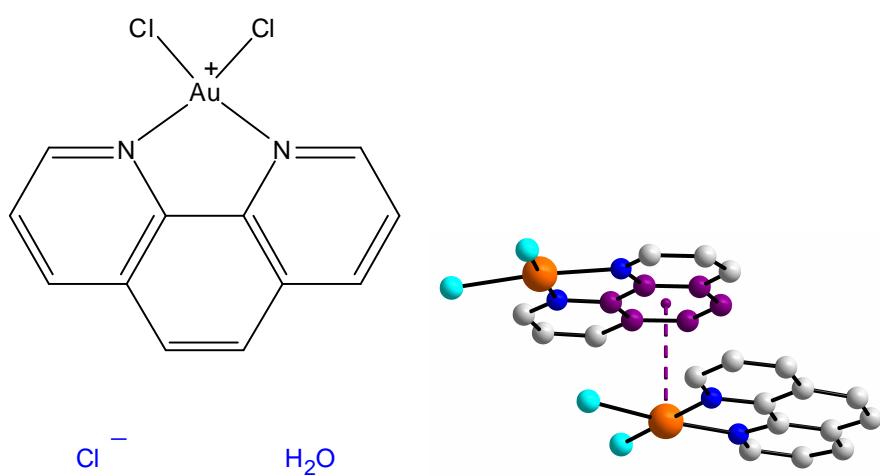
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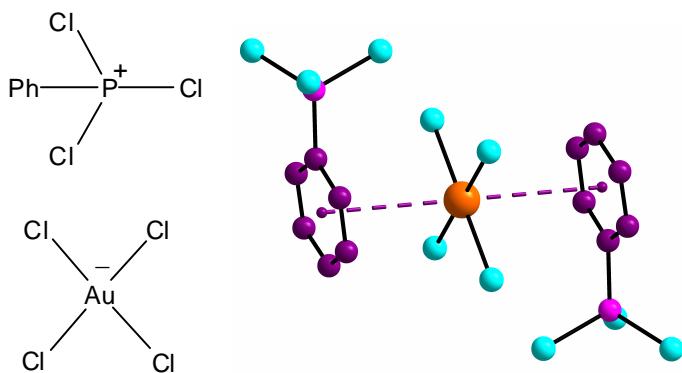
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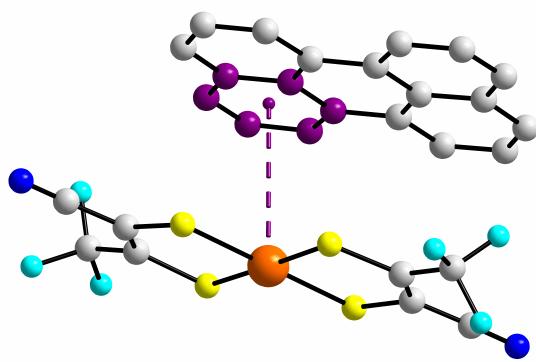
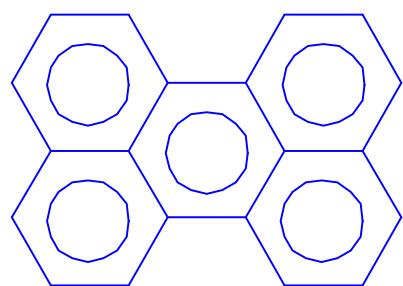
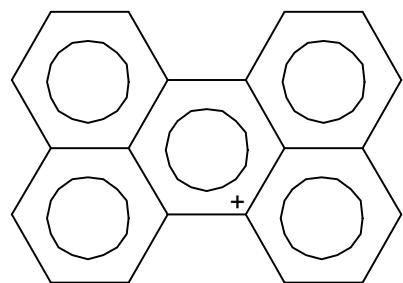
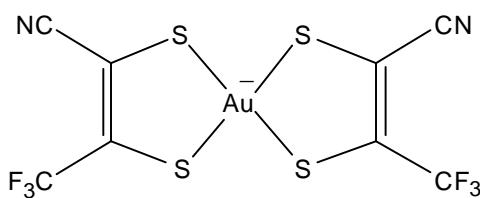
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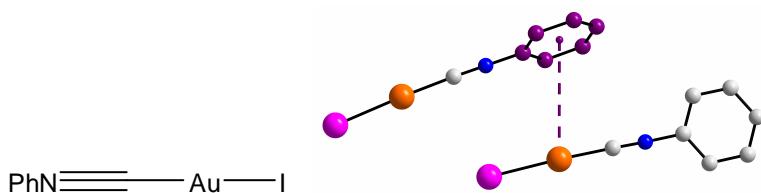
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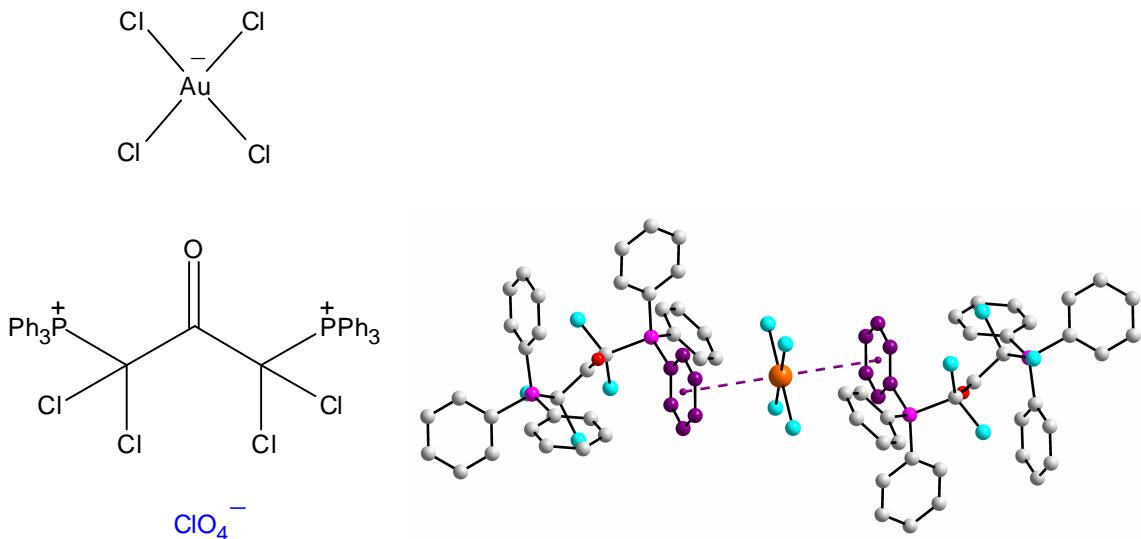
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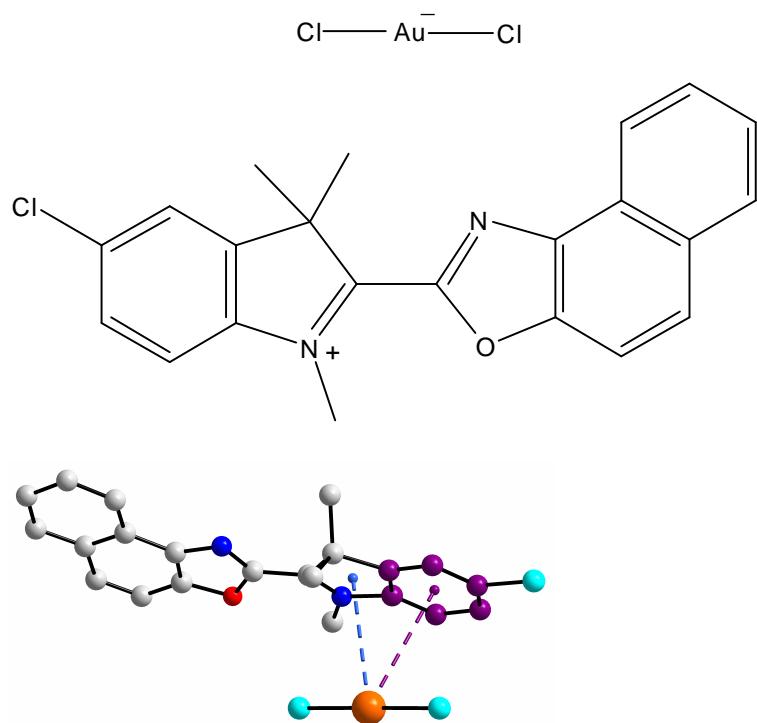
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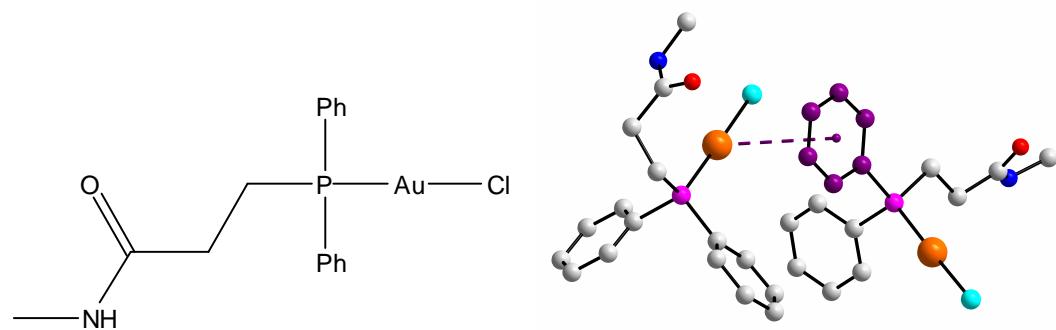
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