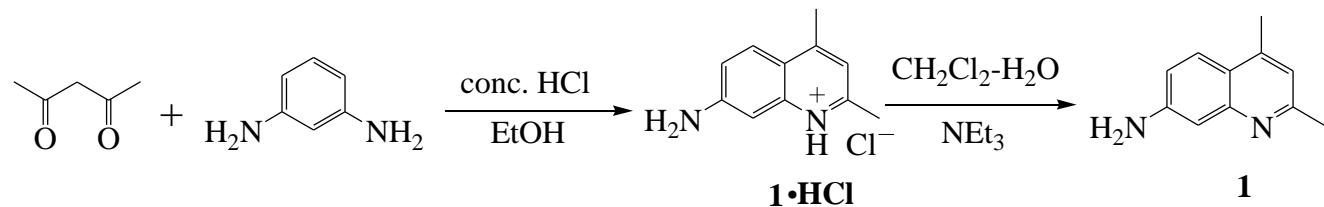


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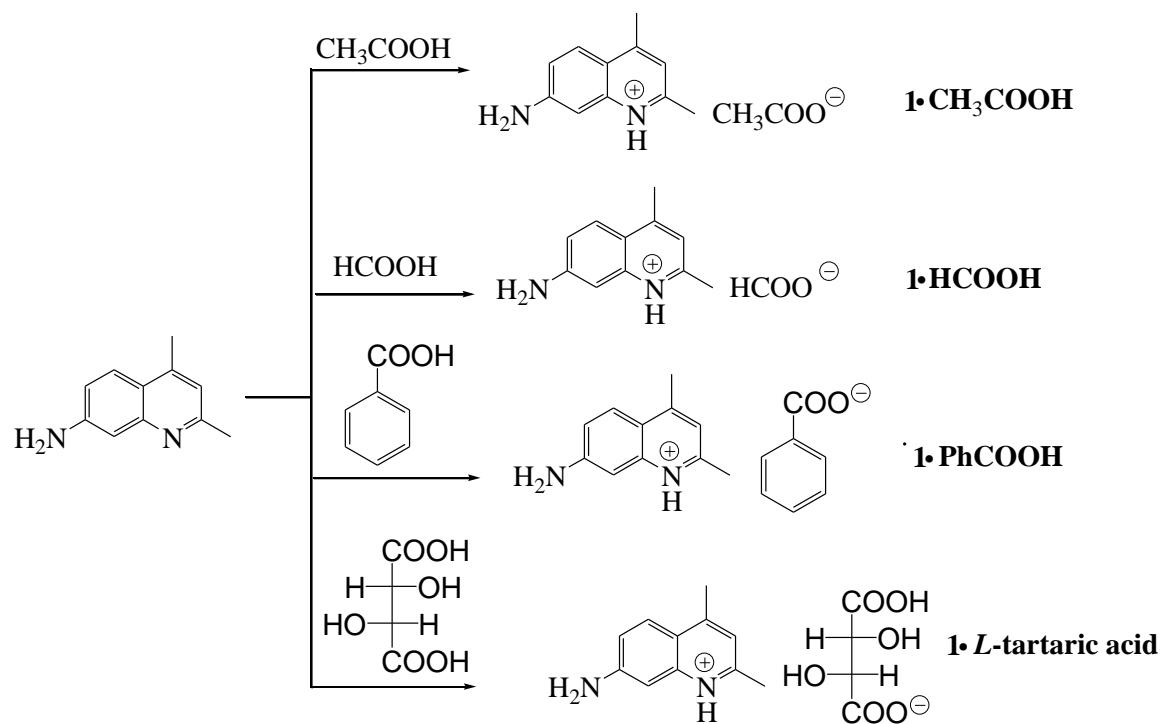
The supramolecular assemblies of 7-amino-2,4-dimethylquinolinium salts and the effect of a variety of anions on their luminescent properties

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**Scheme S1.** Synthetic route for **1•HCl** and **1**.



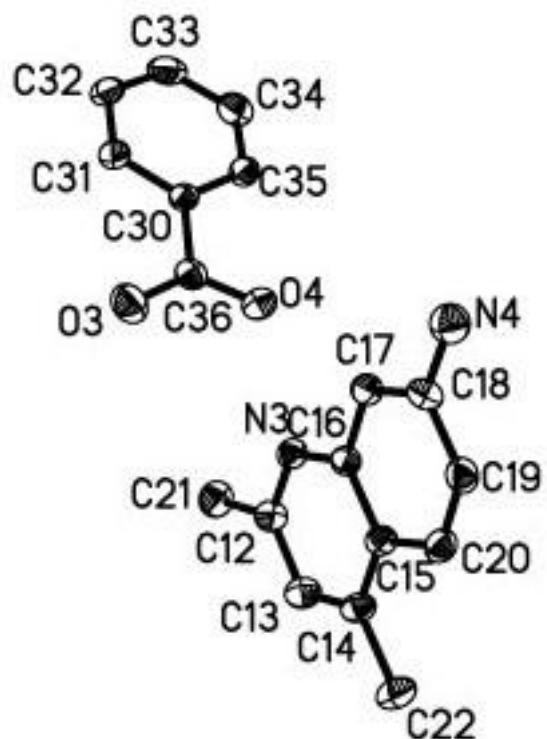
**Scheme S2.** Synthetic route for salts of 7-amino-2,4-dimethylquinoline **1** with different anions.



**ST-1.** Photophysical Data for **1**, **1·HCl**, **1·HCOOH**, **1·CH<sub>3</sub>COOH**, **1·PhCOOH**, and **1·L-tartaric acid** in solution and the solid state.

compound	absorption (nm) <sup>a</sup> $\epsilon/\text{dm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}$	excitation (nm)	emission (nm)	conditions
<b>1</b>	213(32323), 277(5791), 212(30560), 360(5133)	366 380 375	429 480 422	ethanol, 298 K water, 298 K solid, 298 K
	244(35178), 354(5914)			
<b>1·HCl</b>	214(23461), 367(3338)	407	479	ethanol, 298 K
	212(28420), 378(8792)	395 374	482 534	water, 298 K solid, 298 K
	247(20696),			
<b>1·HCOOH</b>	214(24381), 355(3743)	398 450	477 506	ethanol, 298 K solid, 298 K
	245(21777),			
<b>1·CH<sub>3</sub>COOH</b>	214(20812), 354(3356)	354 450	476 484	ethanol, 298 K solid, 298 K
	245(22933),			
<b>1·PhCOOH</b>	211(49625), 245(32011), 288(sh, 3981), 354(4574)	355 419	430(sh) 475 464, 519	ethanol, 298 K solid, 298 K
<b>1·L-tartaric acid</b>	212(50266), 249(24707), 288(sh, 4360), 401(4814)	402 419	476 464, 524	ethanol, 298 K solid, 298 K

<sup>a</sup>Concentration: [M]  $\approx 1.0 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L.



**Figure S1** The molecular structure and atomic numbering scheme of one (molecular B) of the two crystallographically independent molecules in the crystal of 1-PhCOOH