

Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI)

Multi-photoresponsive Triphenylethylene Derivatives with Photochromism, Photodeformation and Room Temperature Phosphorescence

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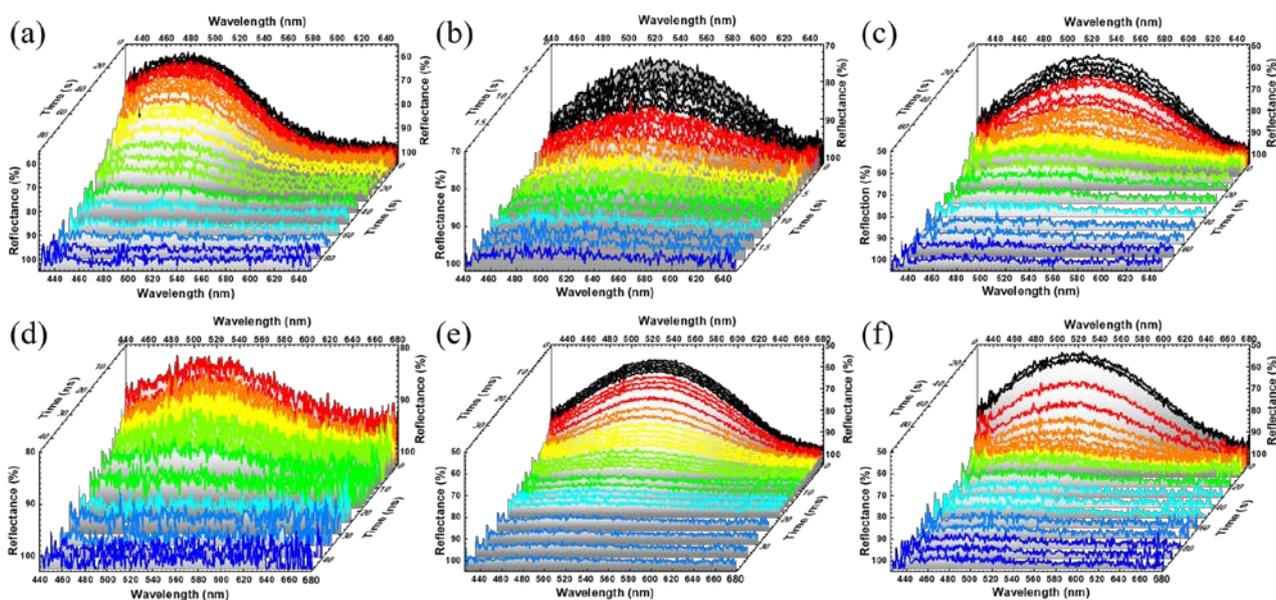


Figure S1 Time-dependent reflectance spectra after UV-irradiation (365 nm) for 5 s: (a) TPM; (b) TPMBR; (c) TPMBR2; (d) TPF; (e) TPFBr.

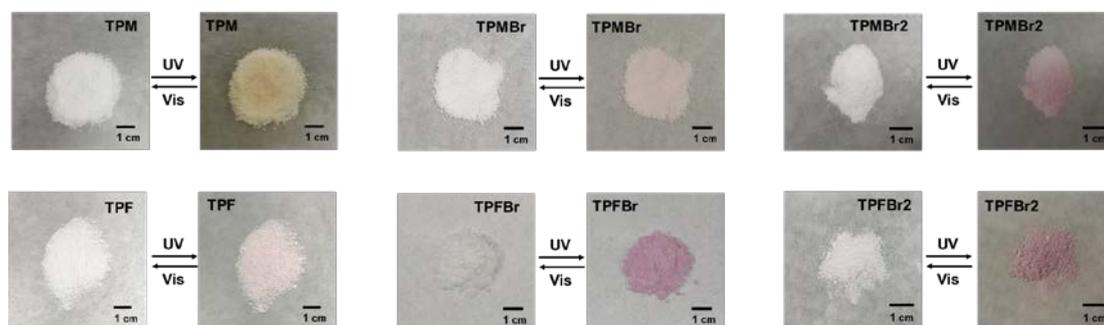


Figure S2 Photographs of triphenylethylene derivatives at powder state before and after UV irradiation for 5 s.

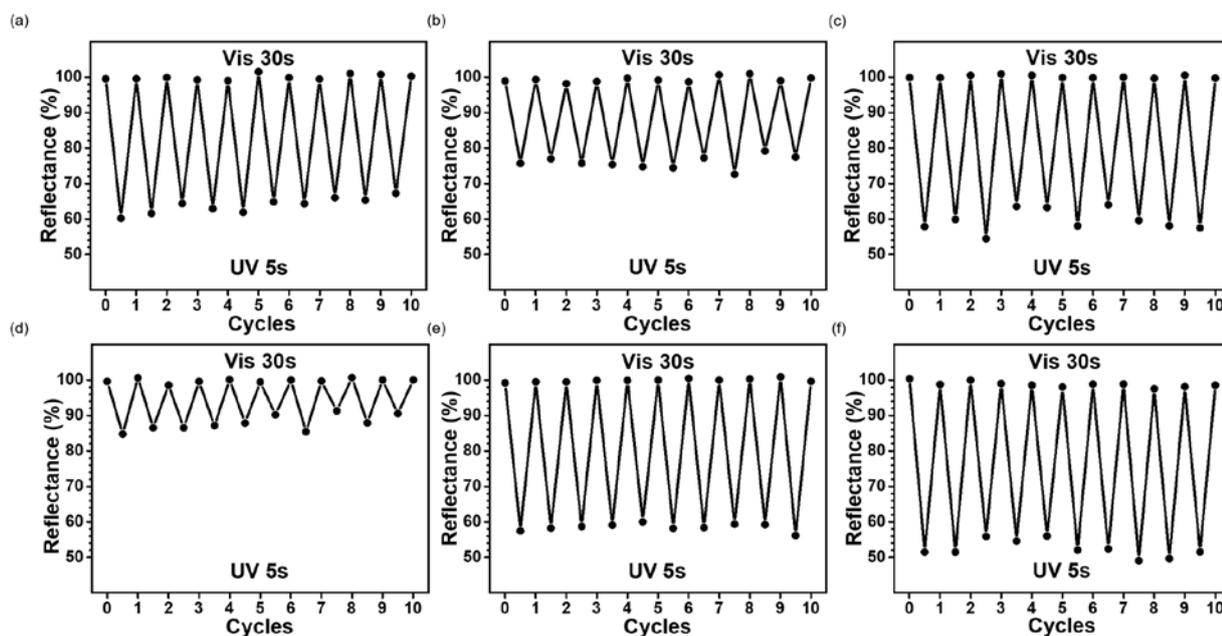


Figure S3 Recycling of the photochromic process by UV-irradiation (365 nm) for 5 s and under visible light for 30 s, (a) TPM; (b) TPMBR; (c) TPMBR2; (d) TPF; (e) TPFBR; (f) TPFBR2.

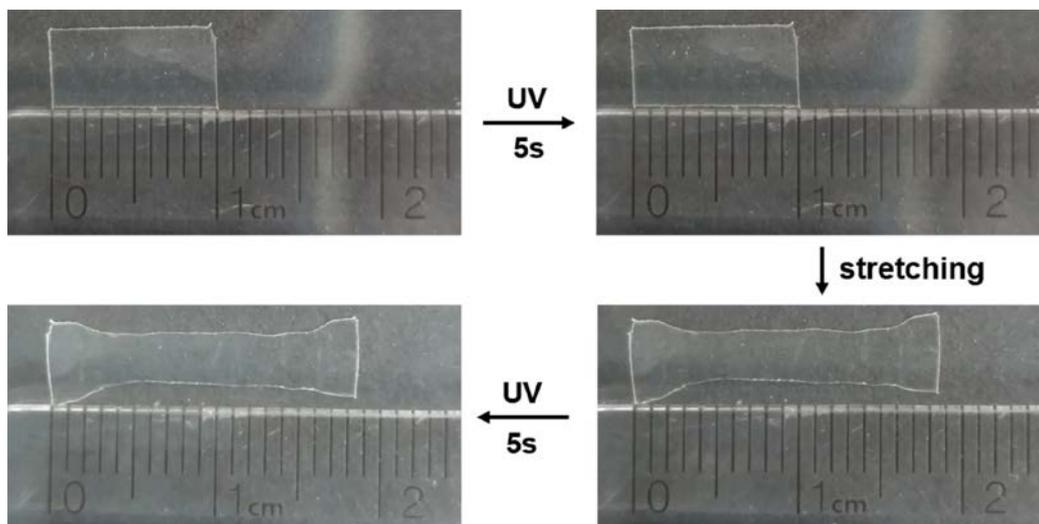


Figure S4 The pictures of PET films under different conditions.

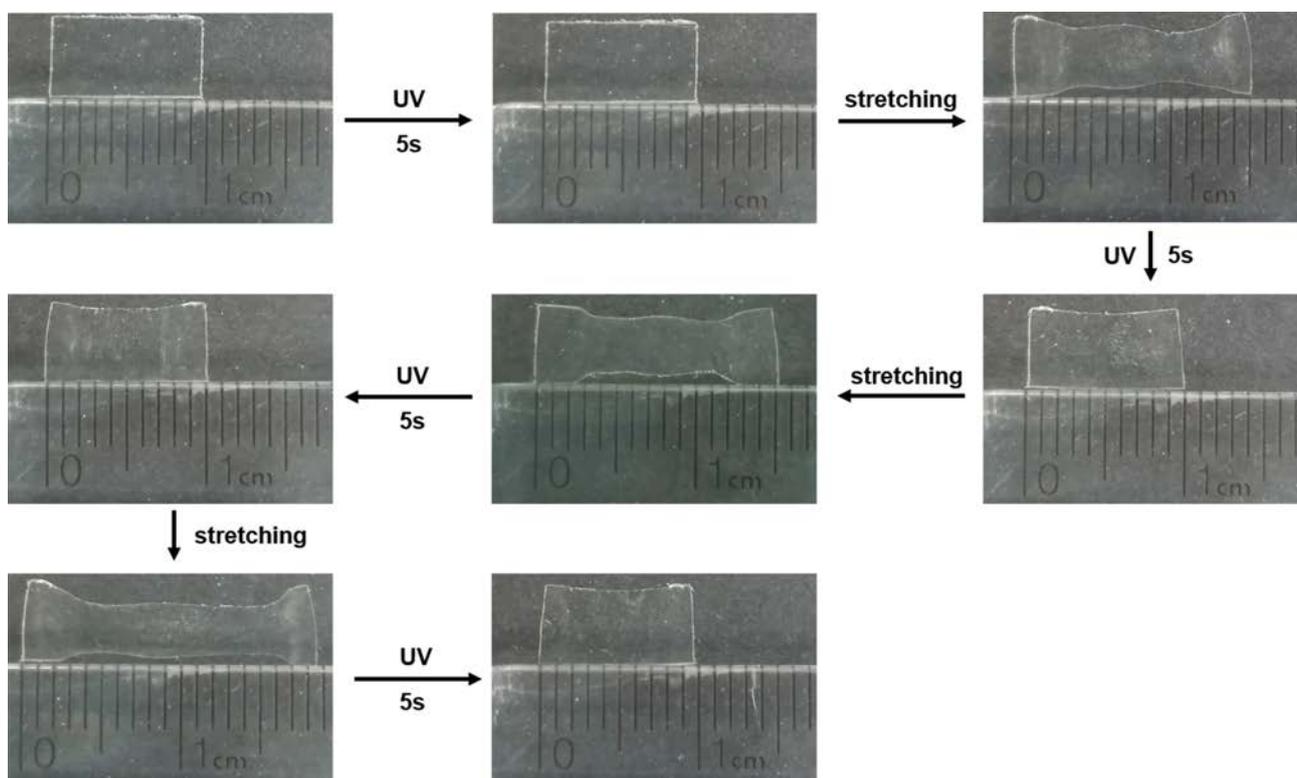


Figure S5 Fatigue resistance test of TPM-PET film by stretching and photo-induced shrinking process.

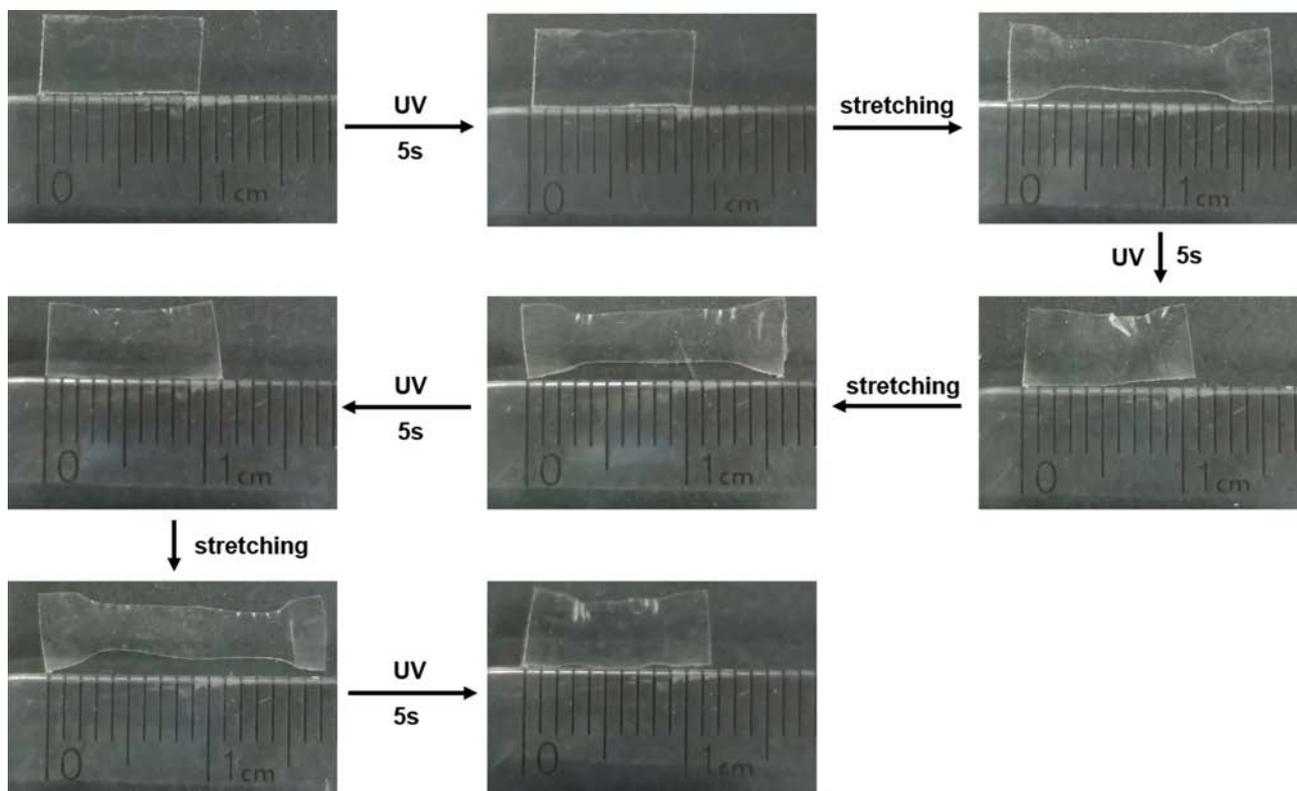


Figure S6 Fatigue resistance test of TPMBr-PET film by stretching and photo-induced shrinking process.

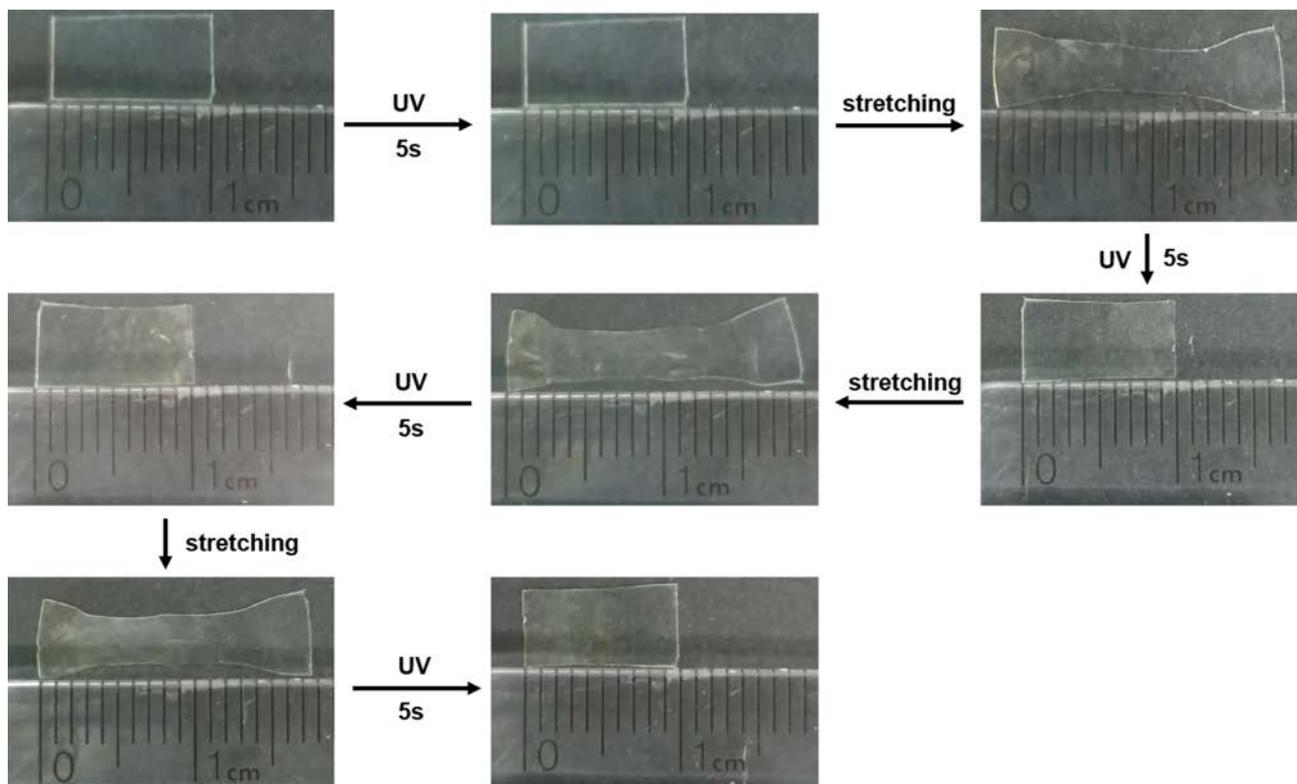


Figure S7 Fatigue resistance test of TPMBBr2-PET film by stretching and photo-induced shrinking process.

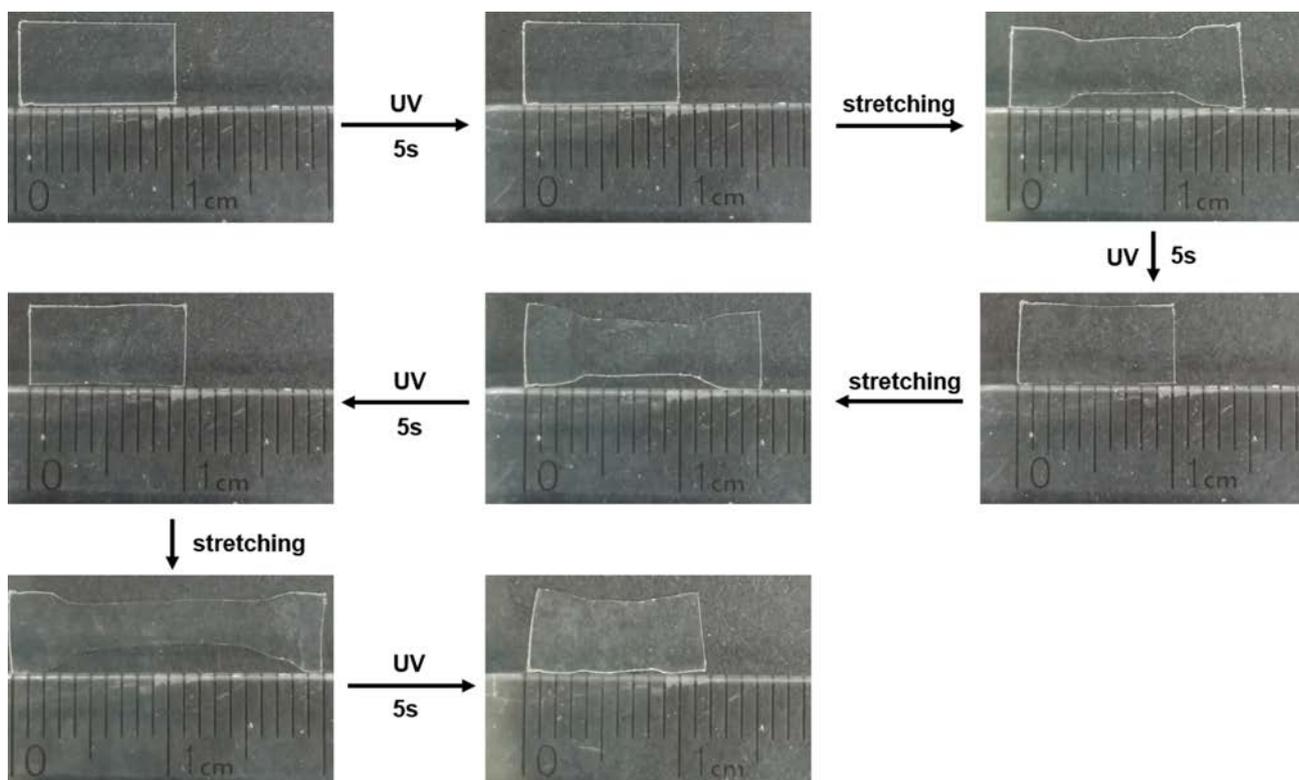


Figure S8 Fatigue resistance test of TPF-PET film by stretching and photo-induced shrinking process.

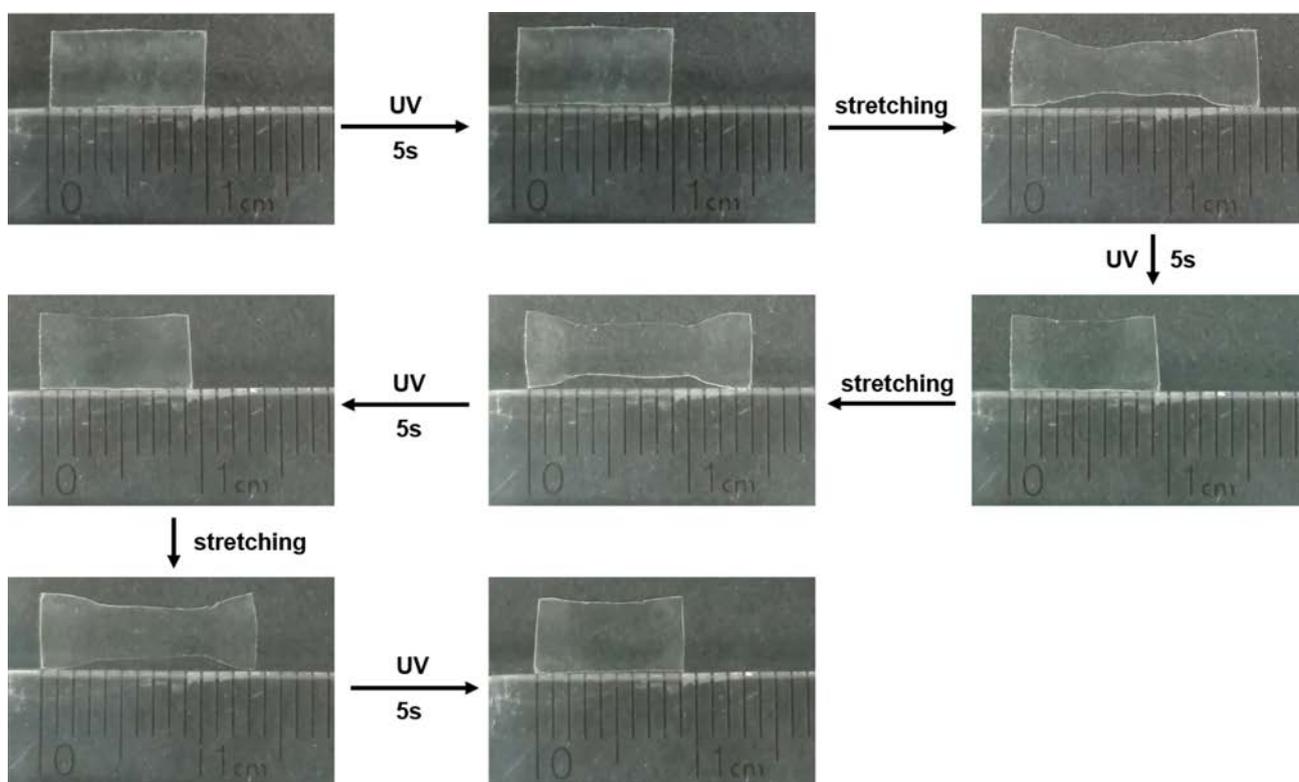


Figure S9 Fatigue resistance test of TPFBr-PET film by stretching and photo-induced shrinking process.

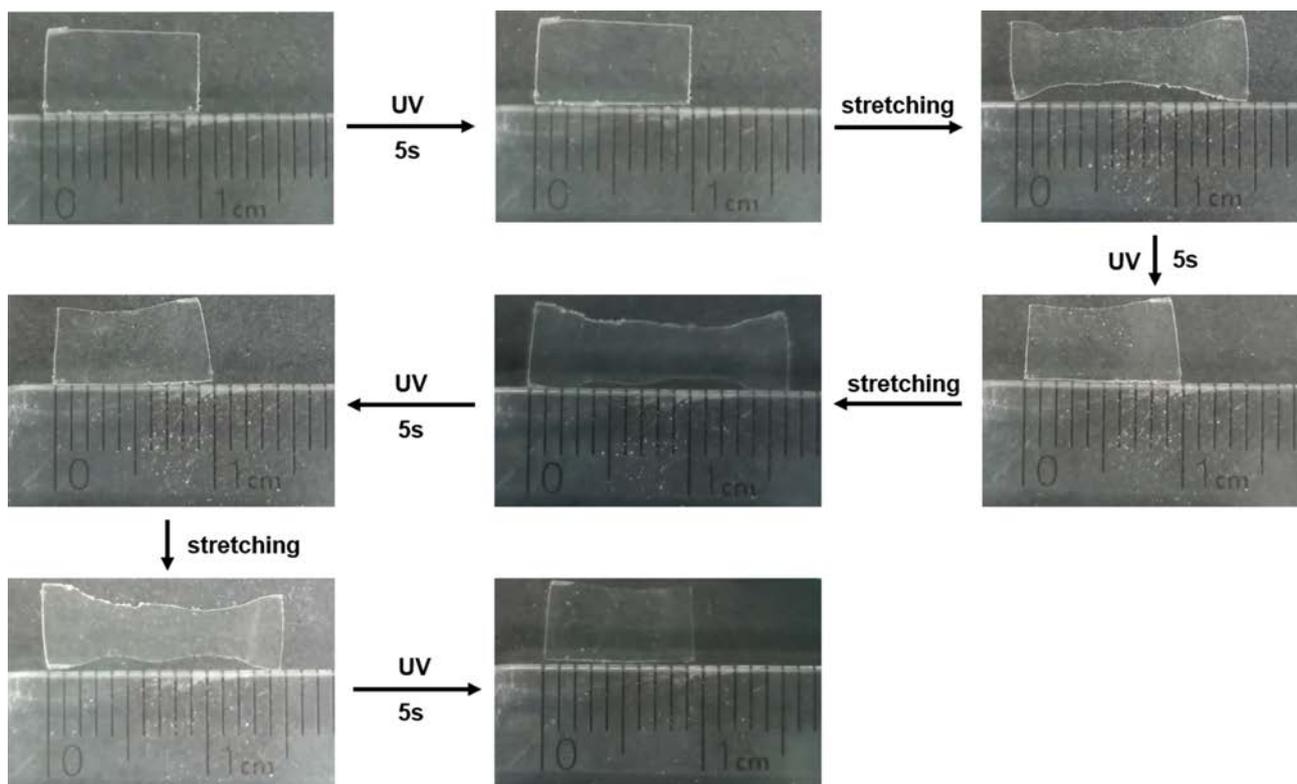


Figure S10 Fatigue resistance test of TPFBr₂-PET film by stretching and photo-induced shrinking process.

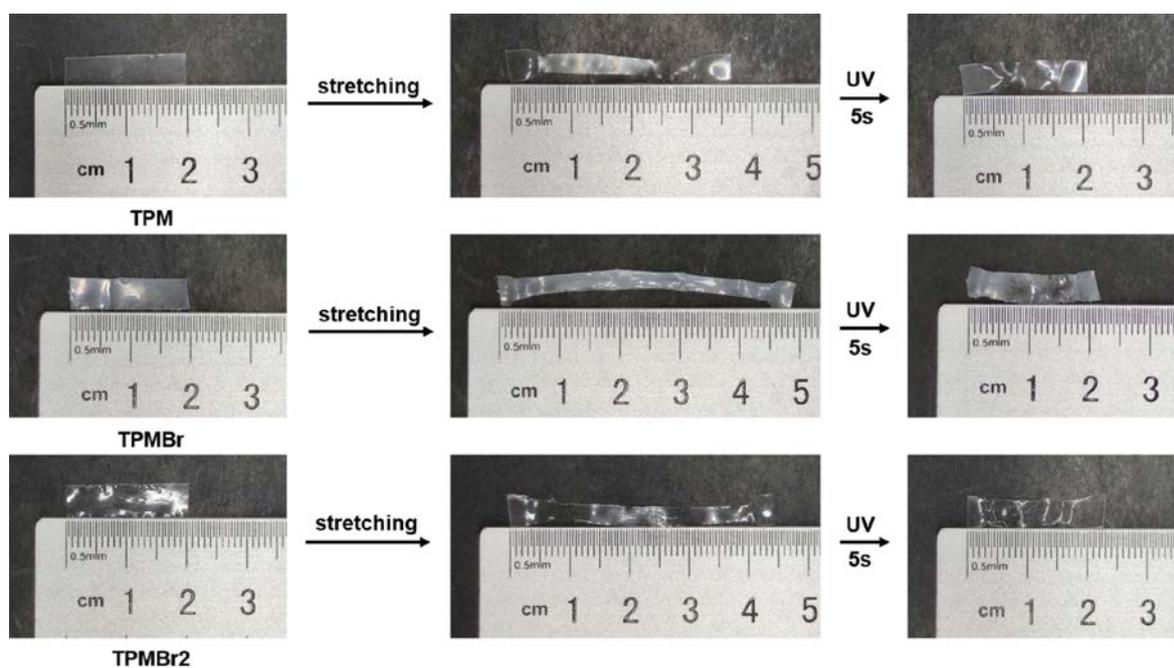


Figure S11 Photographs of TPM, TPMBr, TPMBr2 after stretching to break limit and under UV irradiation (365nm) for 5 s.

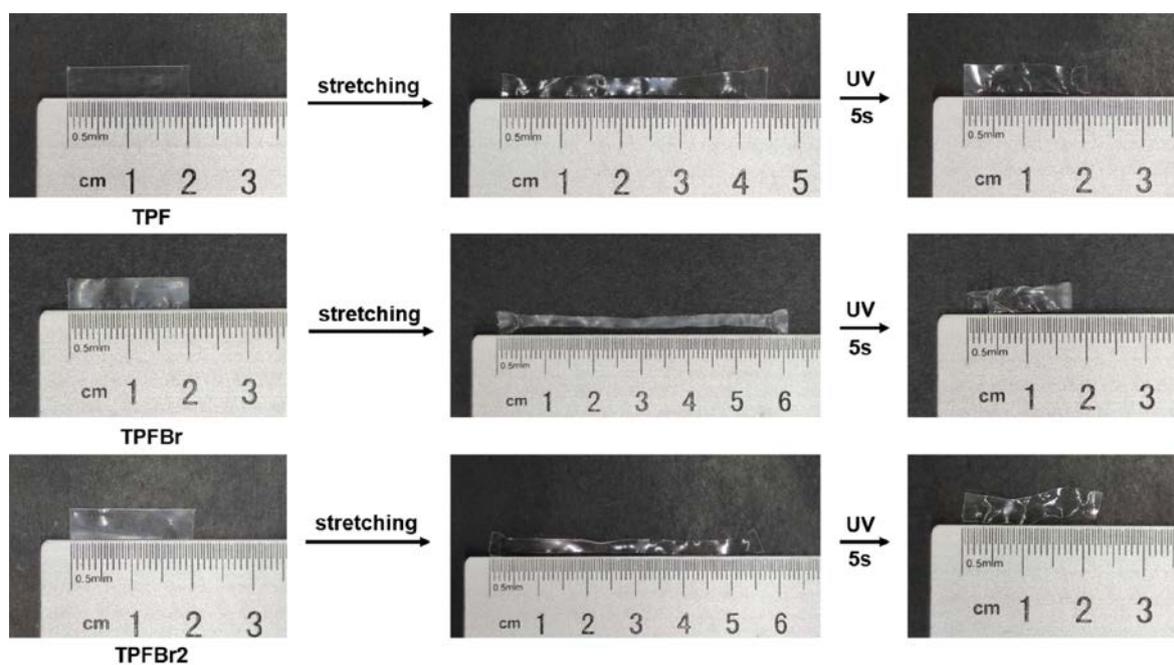


Figure S12 Photographs of TPF, TPFBr, and TPFBr2 after stretching to break limit and under UV irradiation (365 nm) for 5 s.

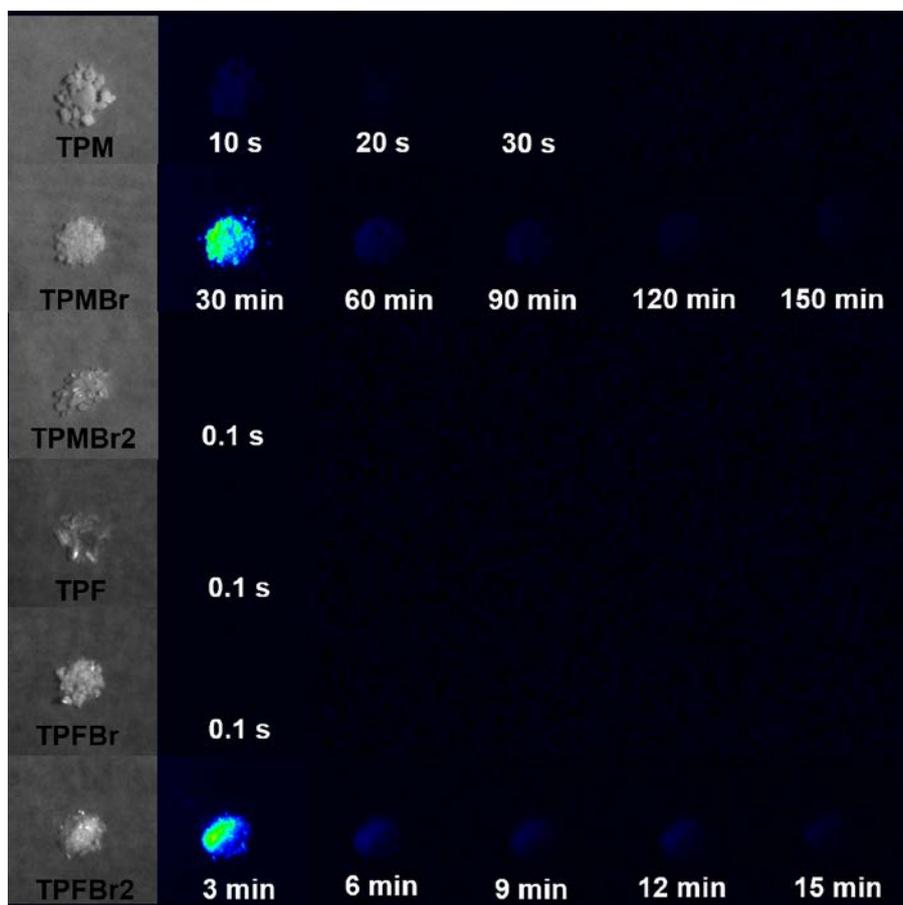


Fig S13 Afterglow photographs of triphenylethylene derivatives taken by chemiluminescent imaging system.

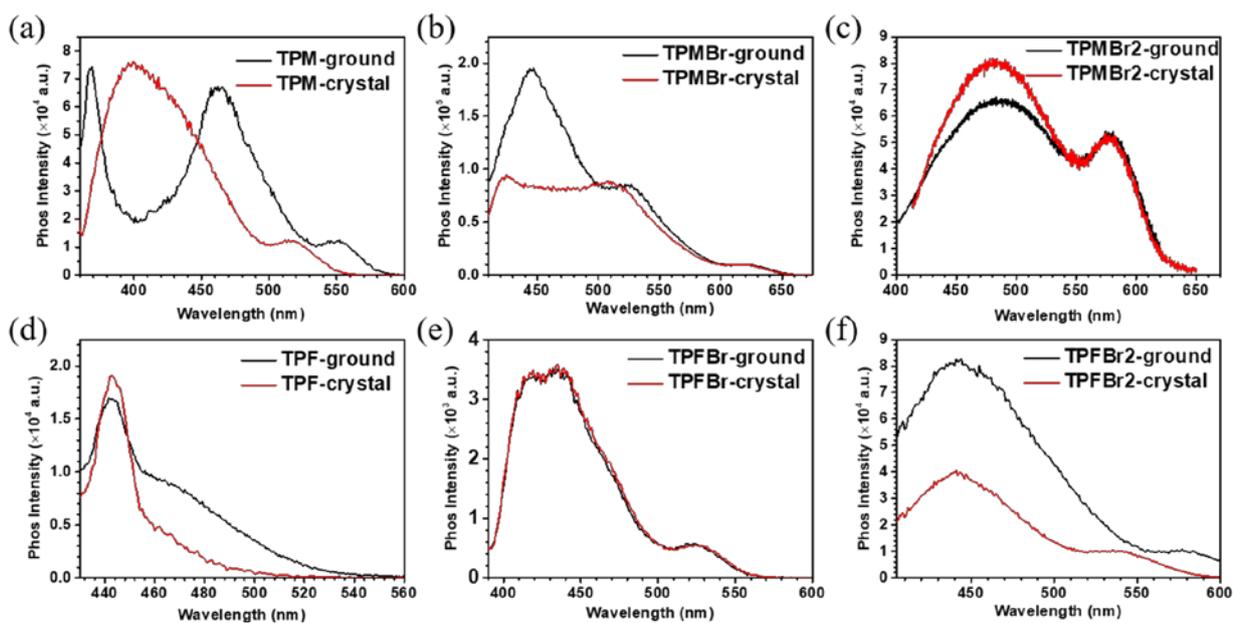


Figure S14 Room temperature phosphorescence spectra of triphenylethylene derivatives at crystalline and ground state.

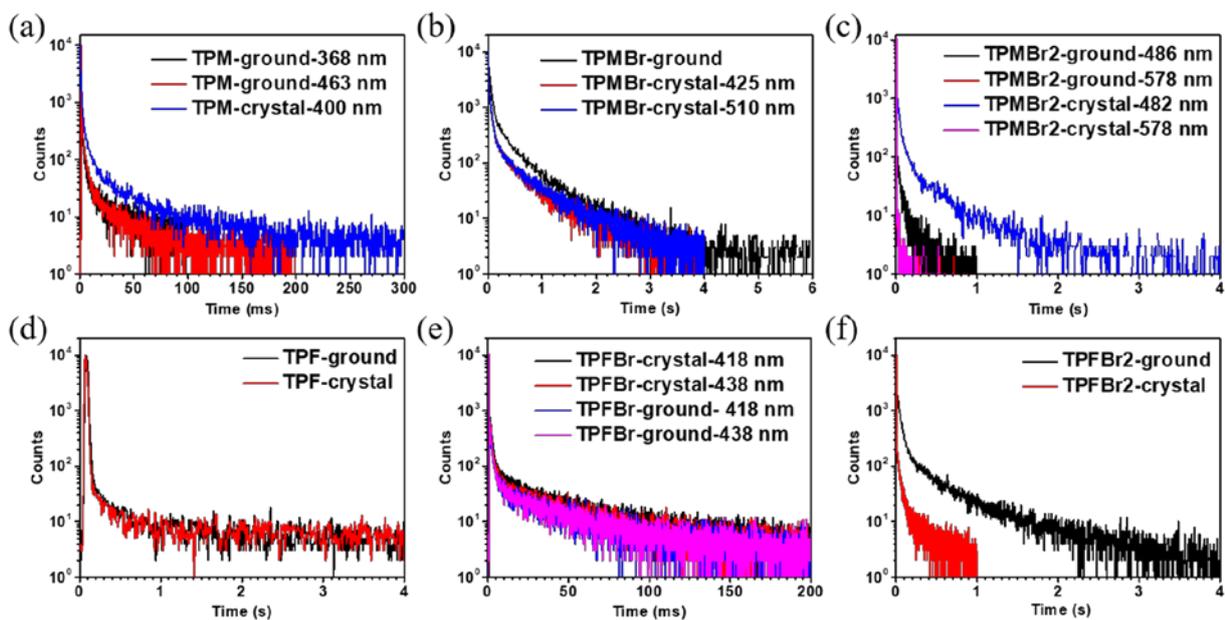


Figure S15 Room temperature phosphorescence decay of triphenylethylene derivatives at crystalline and ground state.

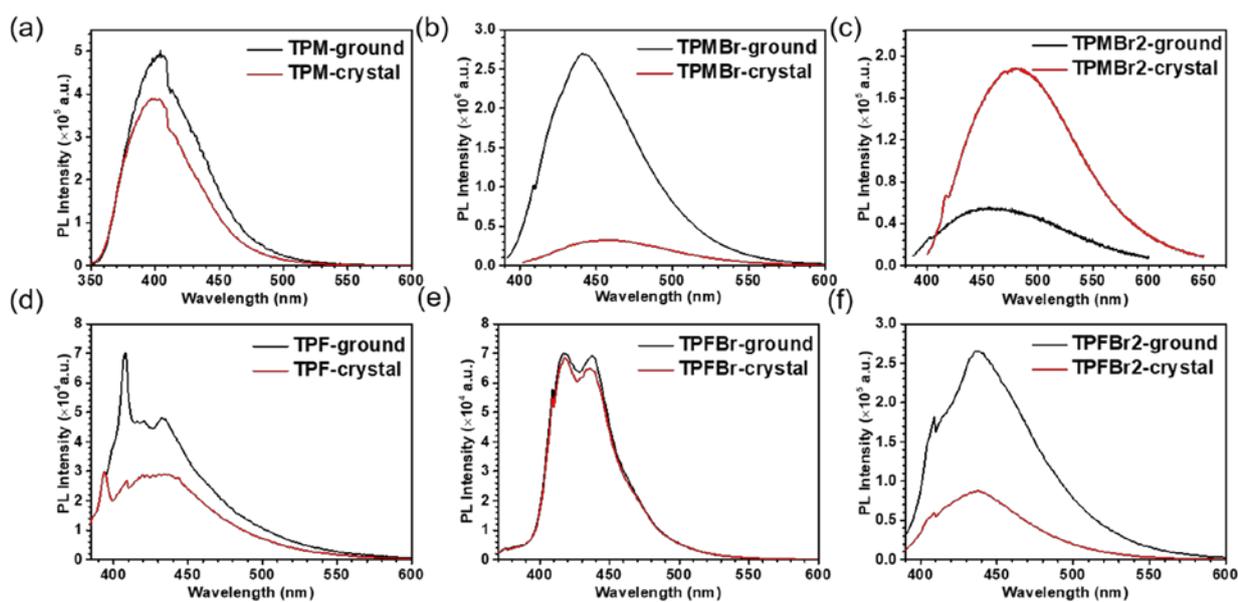


Figure S16 Photoluminescence spectra of triphenylethylene derivatives at crystalline and ground state.

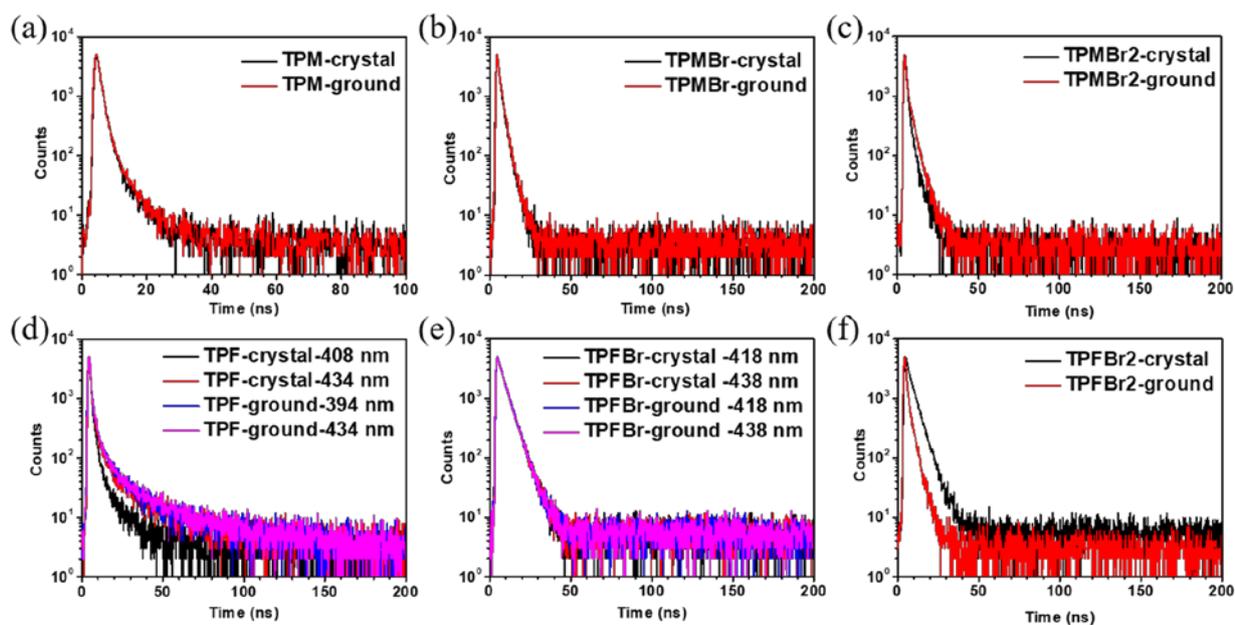


Figure S17 Time-resolved fluorescence of triphenylethylene derivatives at crystalline and ground state.

Table S1 Photoluminescence parameters of triphenylethylene derivatives as single crystals.

Crystal Sample	λ_{Ex}	λ_{PL}	τ	λ_{Phos}	τ	PLQY
TPM	340 nm	400 nm	1.73 ns	400 nm	13.6 ms	47.88%
TPMBR	380 nm	458 nm	2.26 ns	425 nm	285.0 ms	67.47%
				510 nm	297.0 ms	
TPMBR2	390 nm	480 nm	1.82 ns	482 nm	210.1 ms	26.04%
				578 nm	26.4 ms	
TPF	371 nm	394 nm	2.18 ns	443 nm	77.1 μs	2.61%
		434 nm	4.69 ns			
TPFBR	354 nm	418 nm	4.81 ns	418 nm	28.8 ms	12.87%
		438 nm	4.86 ns	438 nm	27.9 ms	
TPFBR2	380 nm	438 nm	2.27 ns	443 nm	93.4 ms	11.26%

Table S2 Photoluminescence parameters of triphenylethylene derivatives at ground state.

Ground Sample	λ_{Ex}	λ_{PL}	τ	λ_{Phos}	τ	PLQY
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TPM	340 nm	405 nm	1.86 ns	368 nm	6.8 ms	48.01%
				463 nm	7.6 ms	
TPMBr	382 nm	445 nm	2.39 ns	531 nm	281.0 ms	72.65%
TPMBr2	375 nm	458 nm	2.64 ns	486 nm	44.8 ms	8.27%
				578 nm	13.3 ms	
TPF	383 nm	408 nm	4.89 ns	442 nm	76.8 μ s	3.77%
		434 nm	5.41 ns			
TPFBr	354 nm	418 nm	4.84 ns	418 nm	26.4 ms	5.36%
		438 nm	4.86 ns	438 nm	26.9 ms	
TPFBr2	380 nm	437 nm	4.42 ns	443 nm	280.2 ms	17.93%

Table S3 Crystal data and structure refinement summary.

Name	TPM	TPMBr	TPMBr2	TPF	TPFBr	TPFBr2
Formula	C ₂₁ H ₁₈	C ₂₁ H ₁₇ Br	C ₂₁ H ₁₆ Br ₂	C ₂₁ H ₁₅ F ₃	C ₂₁ H ₁₄ BrF ₃	C ₂₁ H ₁₃ Br ₂ F ₃
Mr	270.35	349.25	428.14	324.33	403.22	481.77
Space Group	P-1	P2 ₁ /c	P2 ₁ /c	Pca2 ₁	P2 ₁ /c	P2 ₁ /c
a /Å	8.321(3)	8.773(4)	12.880(9)	31.90(3)	13.672(5)	16.448(5)
b /Å	9.678(4)	9.273(5)	8.745(6)	8.761(9)	7.976(3)	6.0973(19)
c /Å	9.879(4)	20.333(10)	18.874(10)	5.796(6)	16.909(6)	19.528(6)
α /°	94.541(6)	90	90	90	90	90
β /°	96.864(6)	90.317(8)	121.39(3)	90	99.786(6)	105.073(5)
γ /°	94.634(6)	90	90	90	90	90
Temperature /K	293	296	296	296	296	296
Volume /Å ³	784.1(5)	1654.1(14)	1815(2)	1620(3)	1817.1(12)	1891.1(10)
Z	2	4	4	4	4	4
Density /g cm ⁻³	1.145	1.402	1.567	1.330	1.474	1.692
μ /mm ⁻¹	0.064	2.479	4.463	0.100	2.290	4.316
F(000)	288.0	712.0	848.0	672.0	808.0	943.4
$h_{\max}, k_{\max}, l_{\max}$	12,14,14	13,13,30	14,10,21	39,10,7	20,11,25	21,8,25
T_{\min}, T_{\max}	0.992,0.994	0.743,0.780	0.356,0.640	0.999,0.999	0.896,0.955	0.856,0.917
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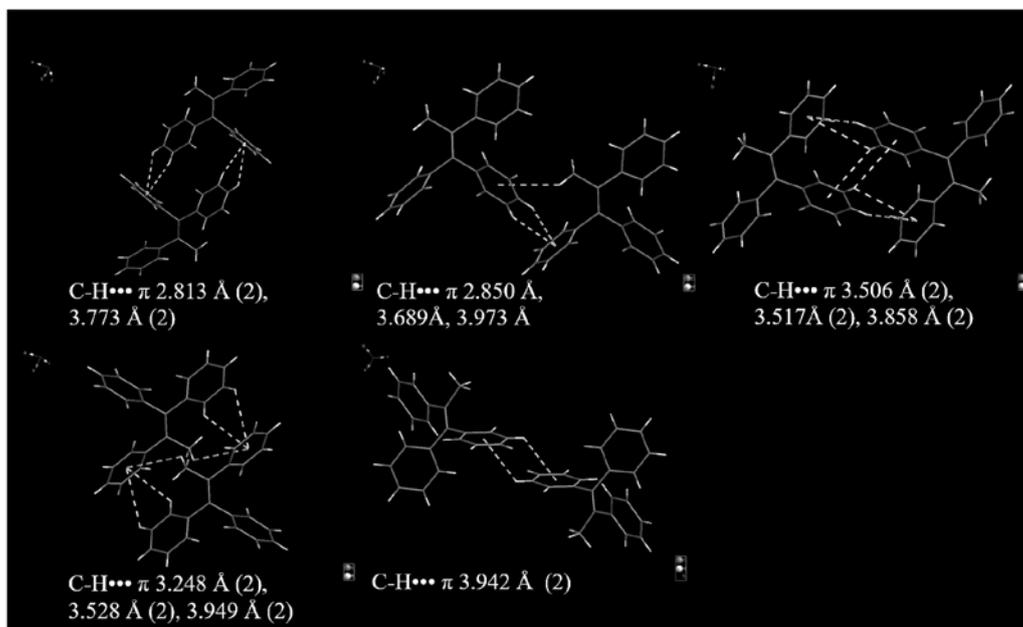


Fig S18 Intermolecular interactions of TPM from each molecule with adjacent ones in single crystal.

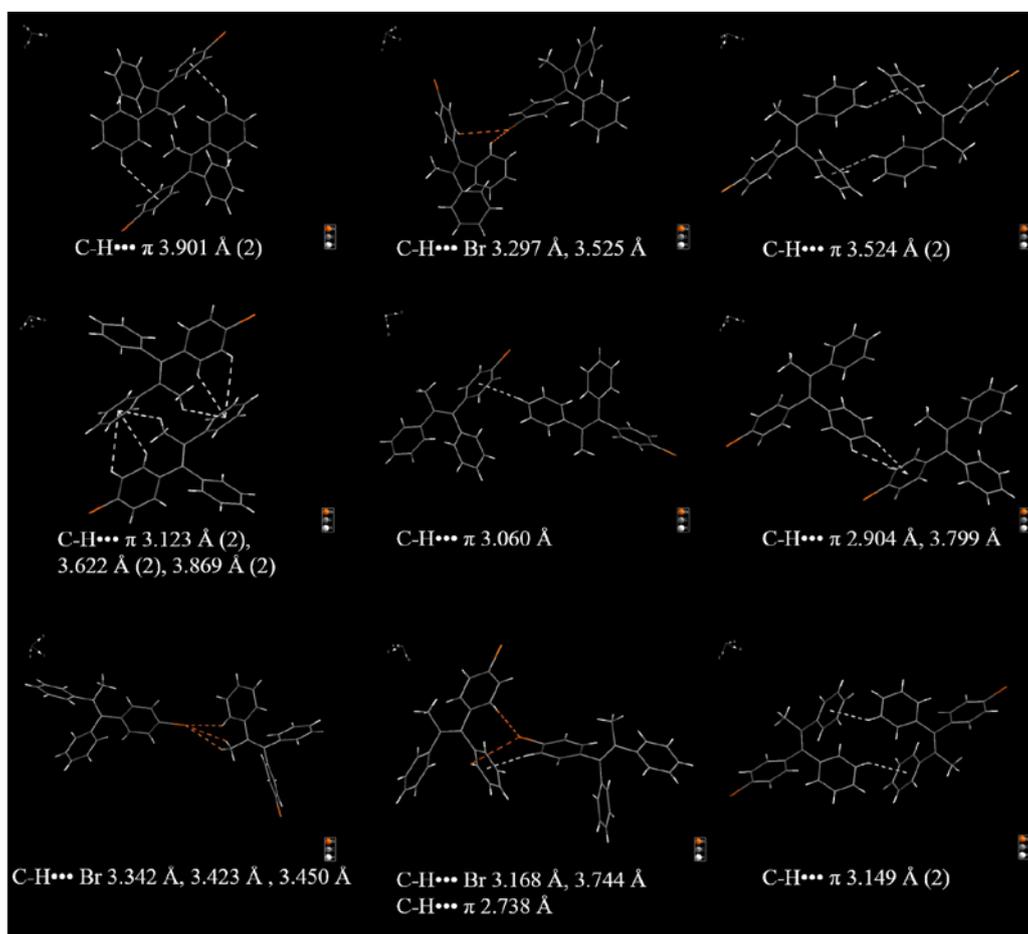


Fig S19 Intermolecular interactions of TPMBr from each molecule with adjacent ones in single crystal.

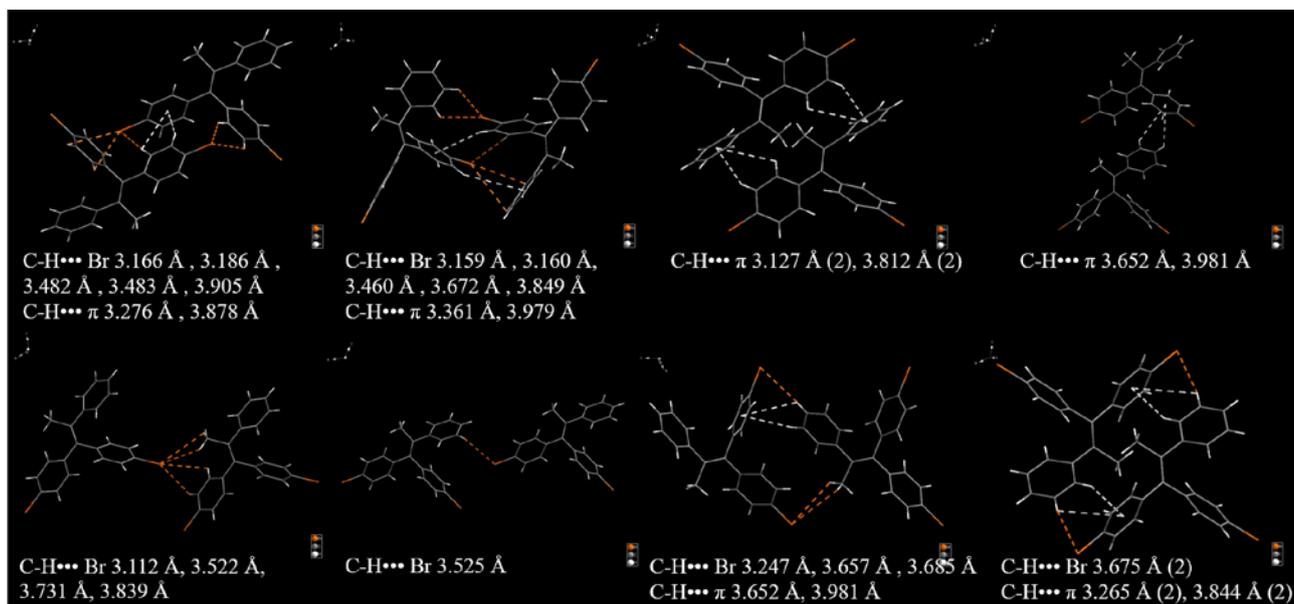


Fig S20 Intermolecular interactions of TPMBBr₂ from each molecule with adjacent ones in single crystal.

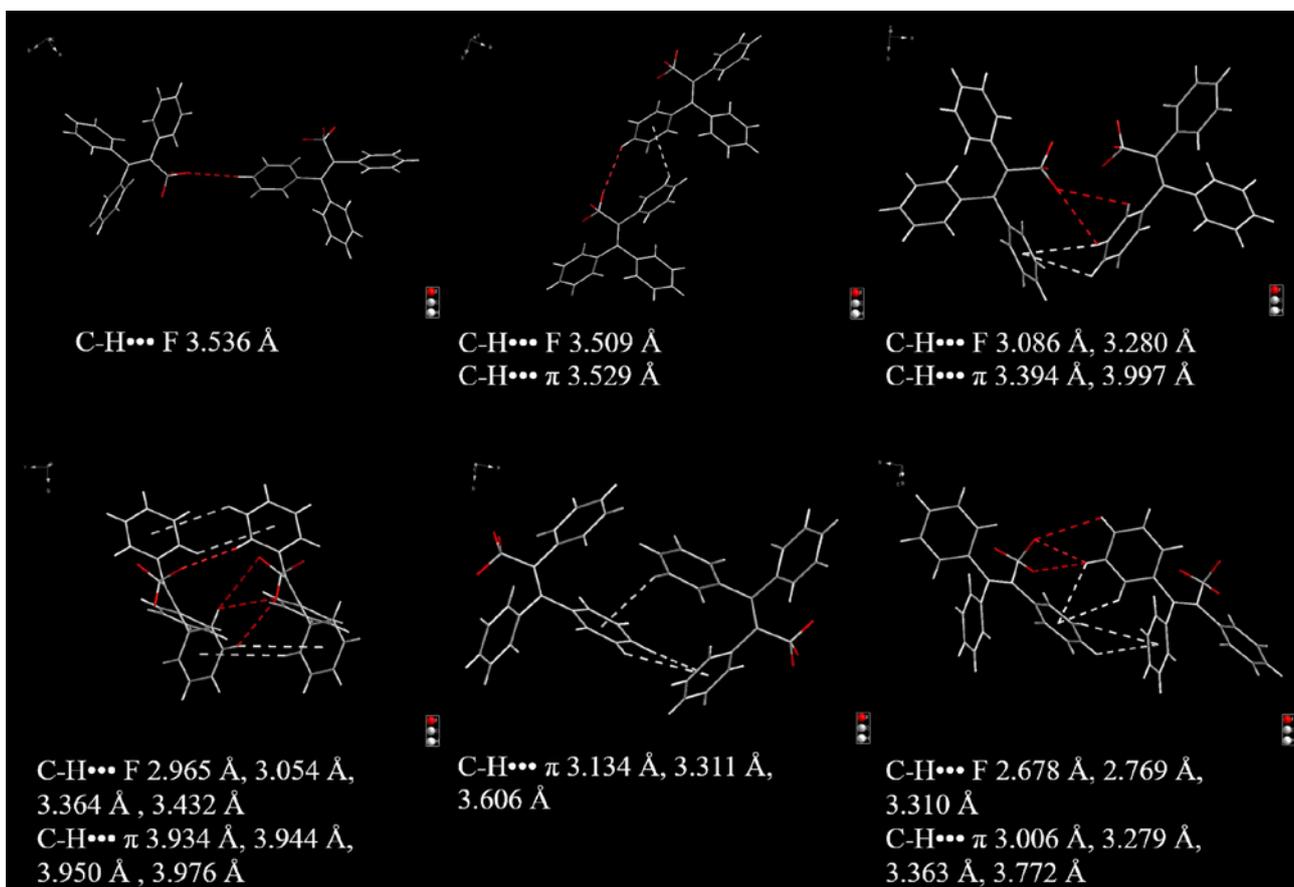


Fig S21 Intermolecular interactions of TPF from each molecule with adjacent ones in single crystal.

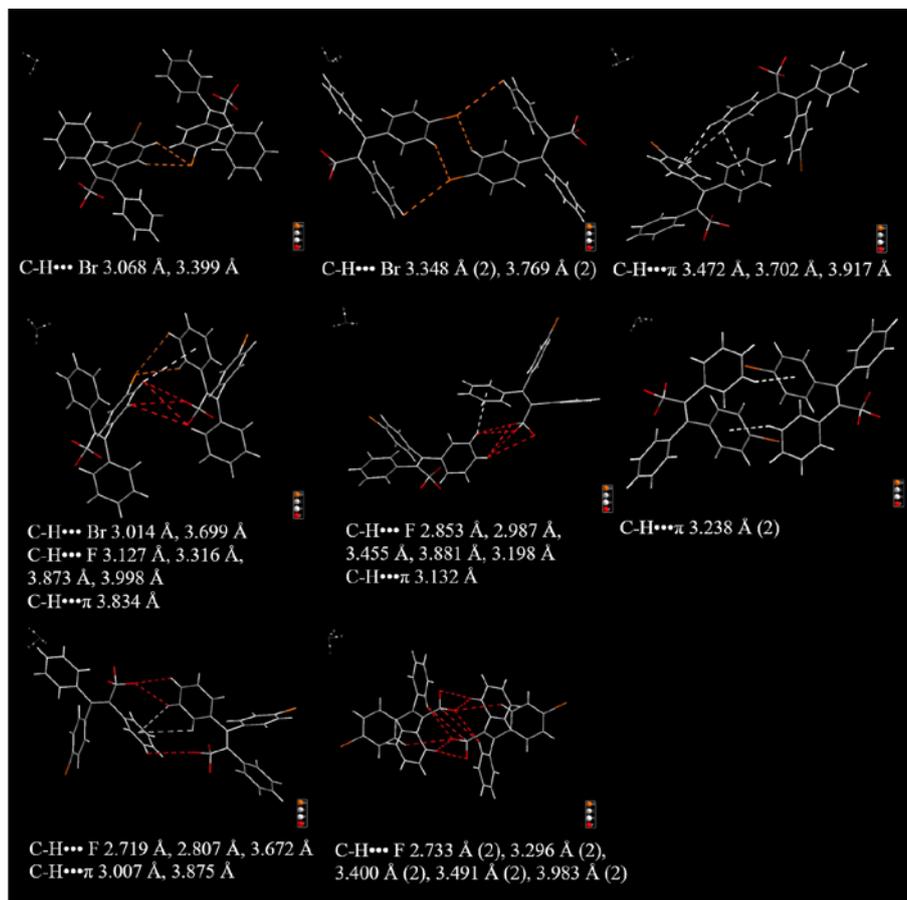


Fig S22 Intermolecular interactions of TPFBr from each molecule with adjacent ones in single crystal.

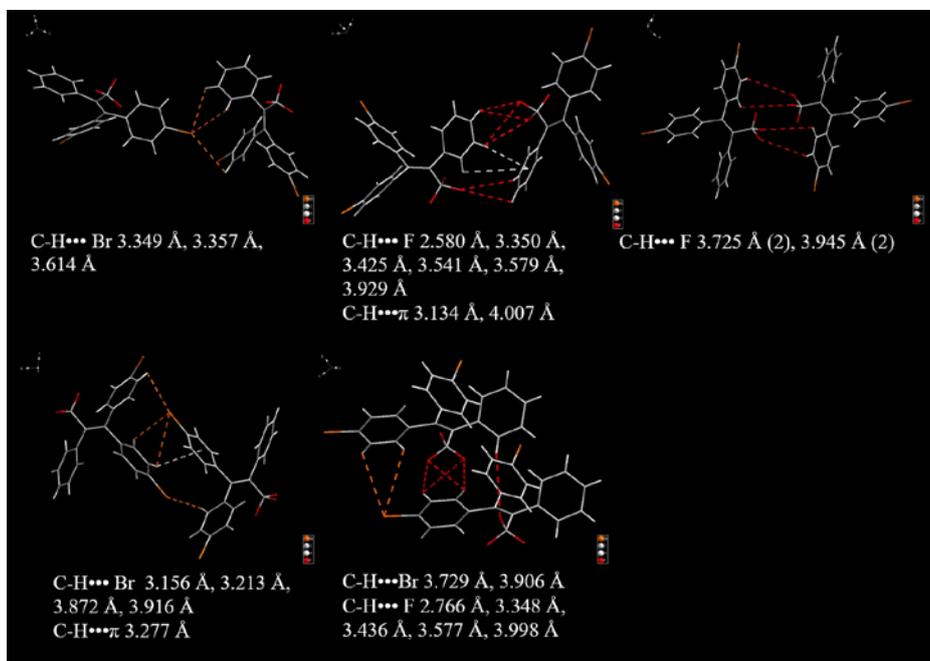


Fig S23 Intermolecular interactions of TPFBr2 from each molecule with adjacent ones in single crystal.

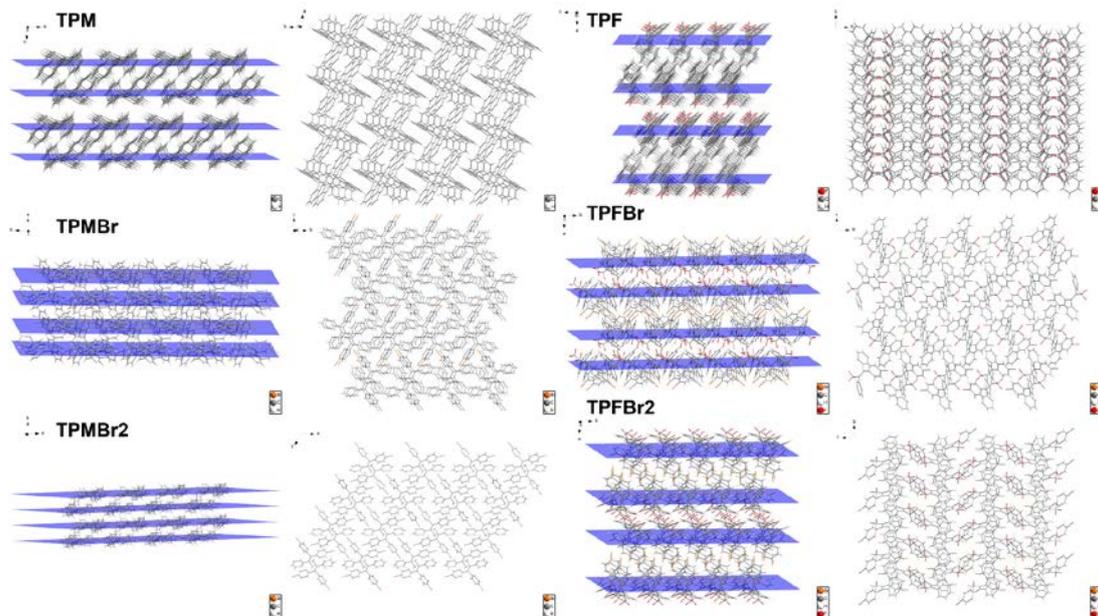


Fig S24 Molecular packing of triphenylethylene derivatives in single crystals.

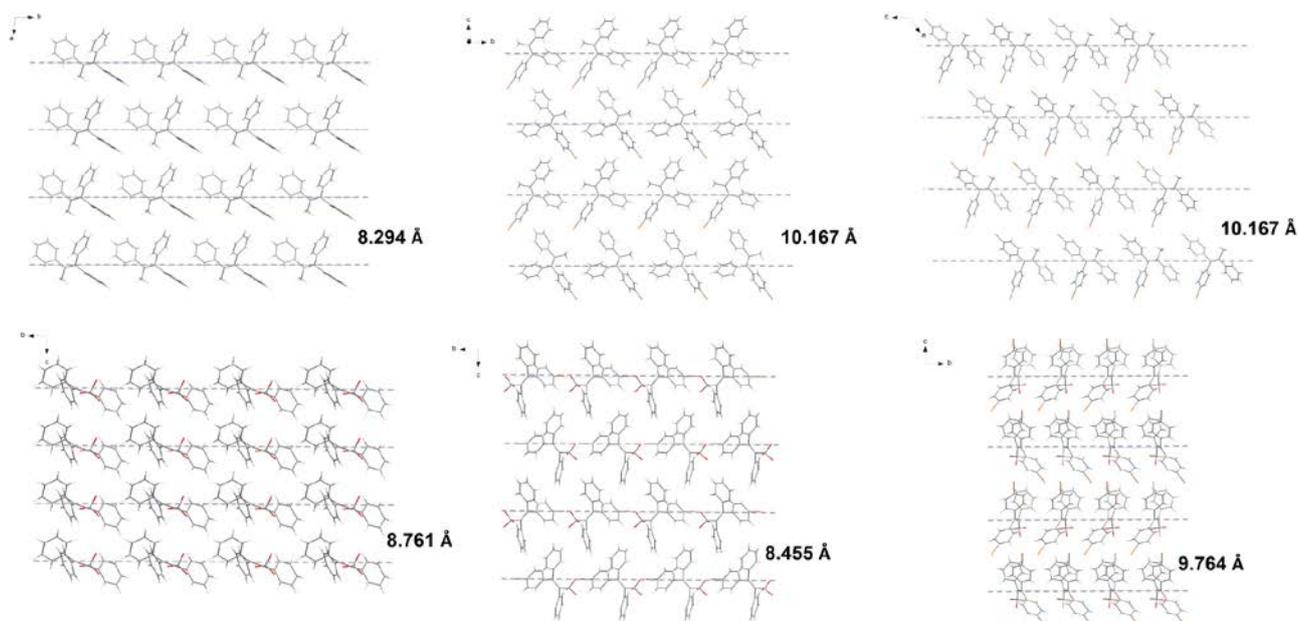


Fig S25 Molecular packing along the layers in crystal structures of triphenylethylene derivatives.

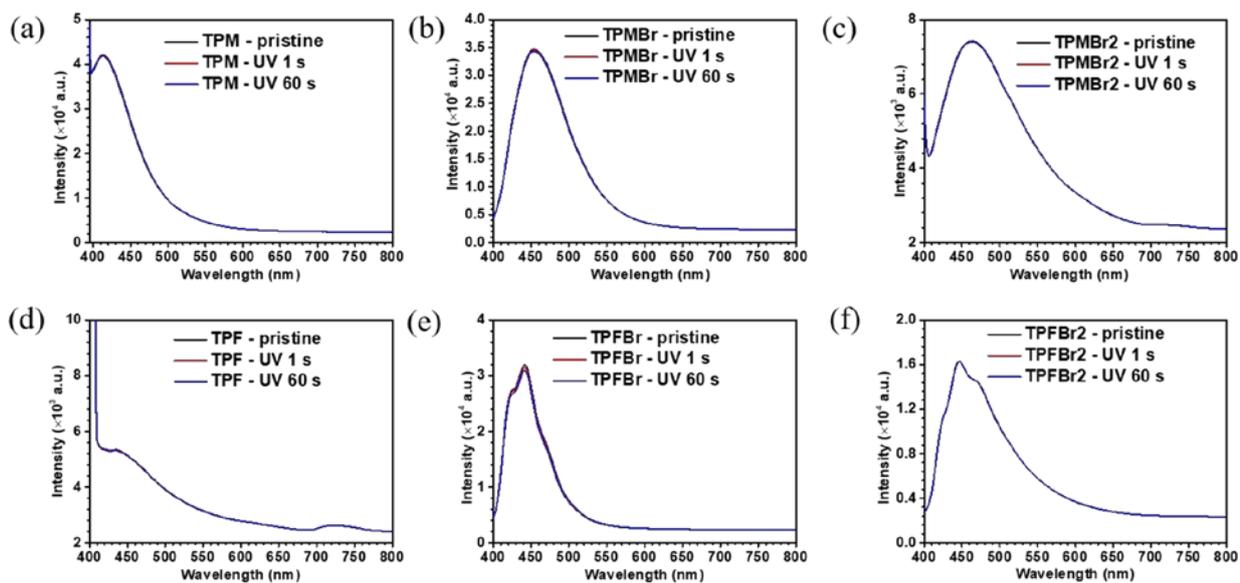
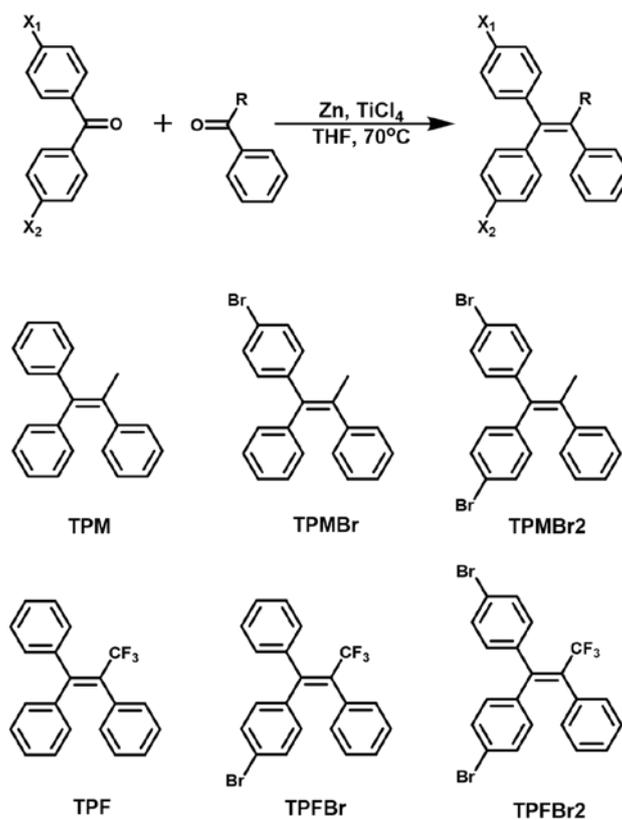


Fig S26 *In situ* photoluminescence spectra of triphenylethylene derivatives at solid state under UV irradiation (365 nm).



Scheme S1 Synthetic routes for triphenylethylene derivatives.

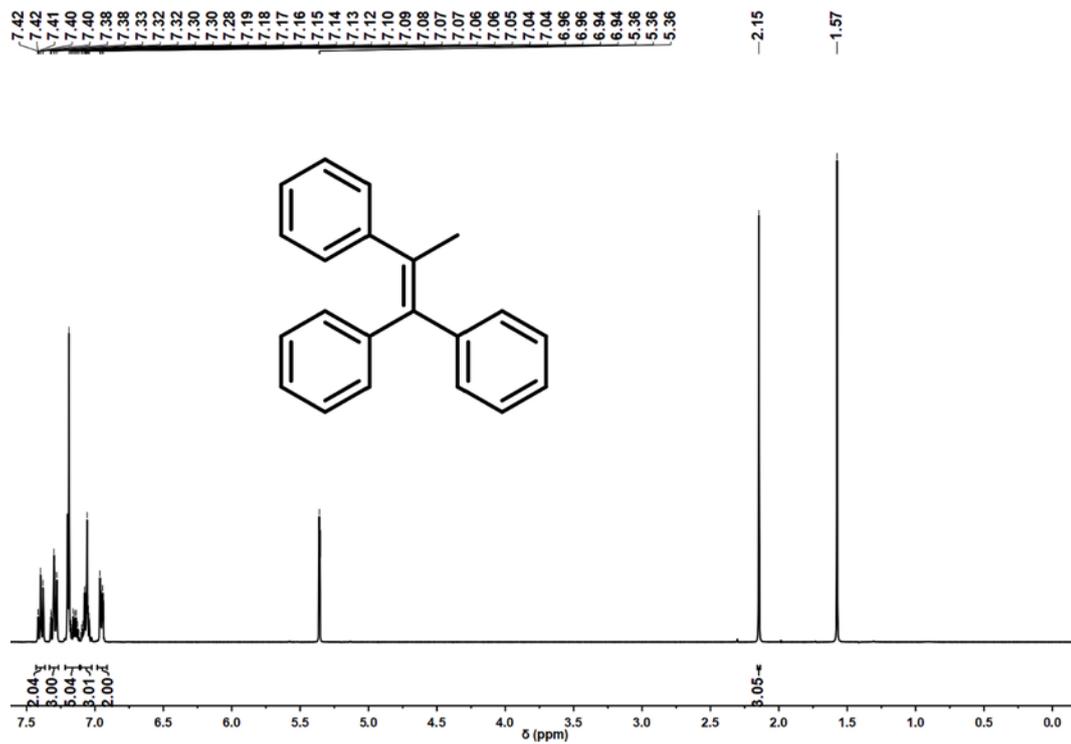


Figure S27 $^1\text{H NMR}$ of TPM in CD_2Cl_2 (400 MHz).

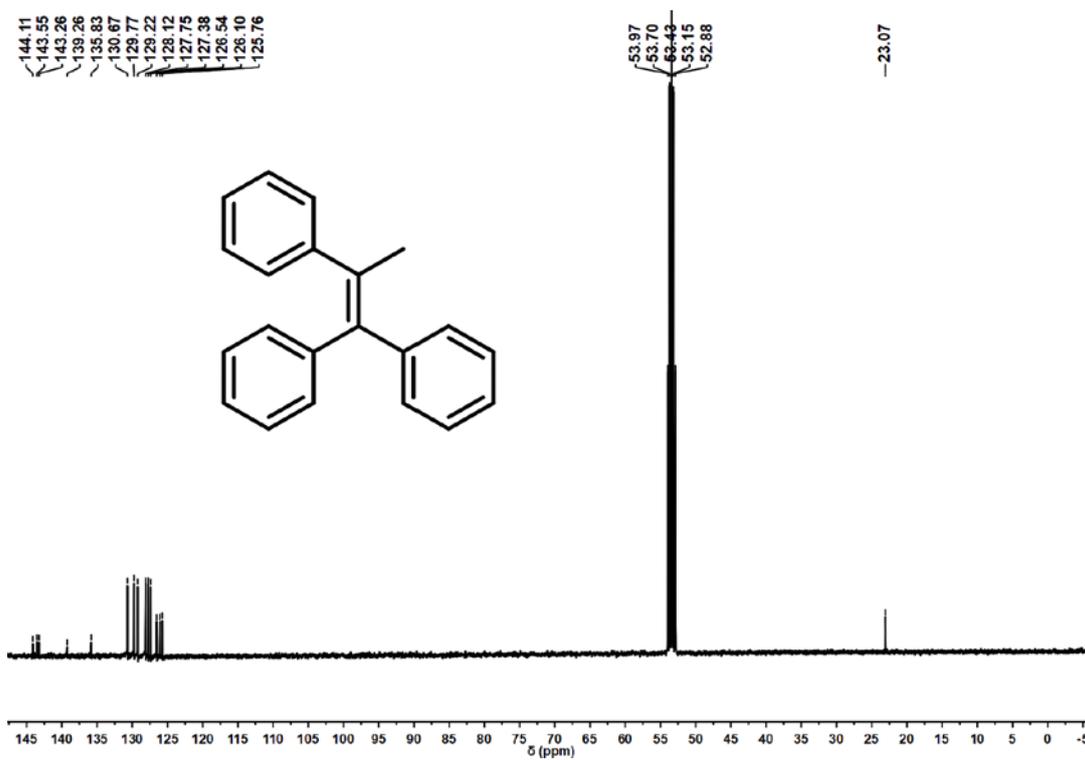


Figure S28 $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ of TPM in CD_2Cl_2 (100 MHz).

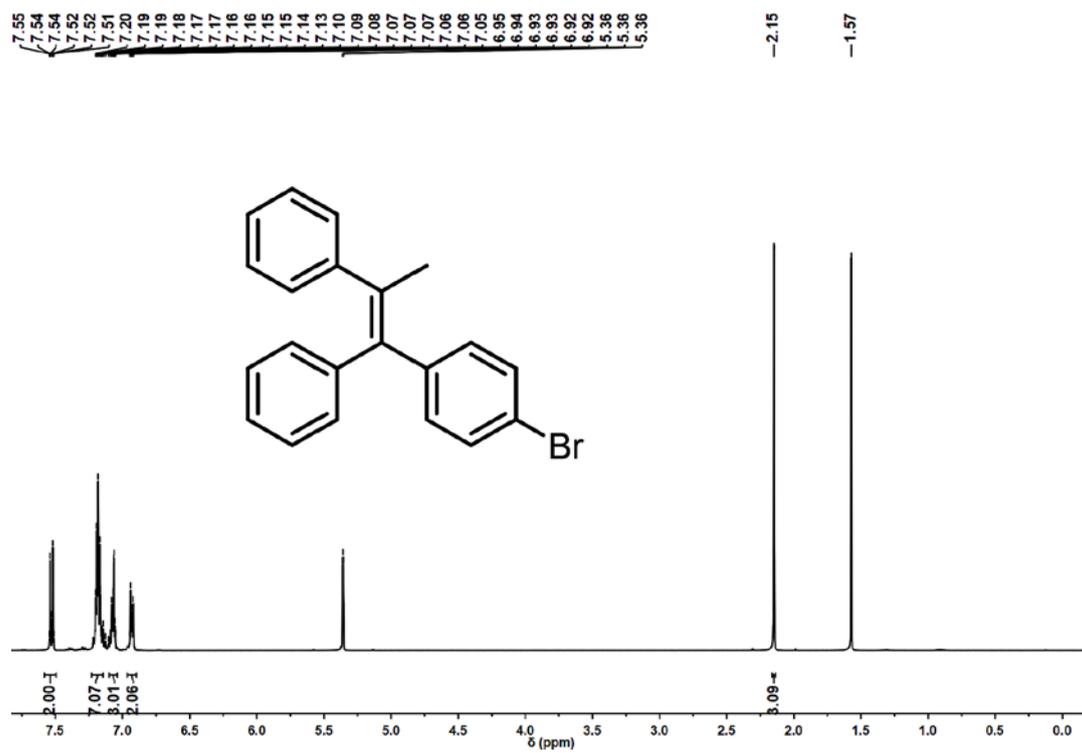


Figure S29 ¹H NMR of TPMBr in CD₂Cl₂ (400 MHz).

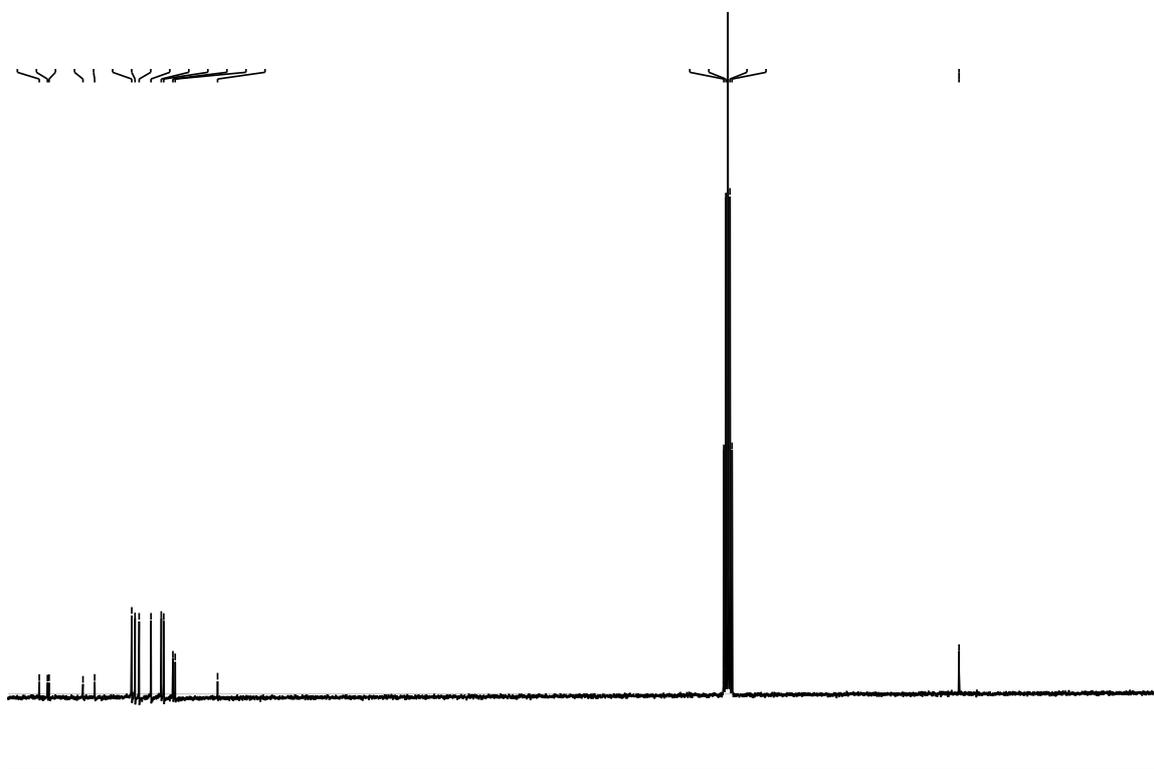


Figure S30 ¹³C NMR of TPMBr in CD₂Cl₂ (100 MHz).

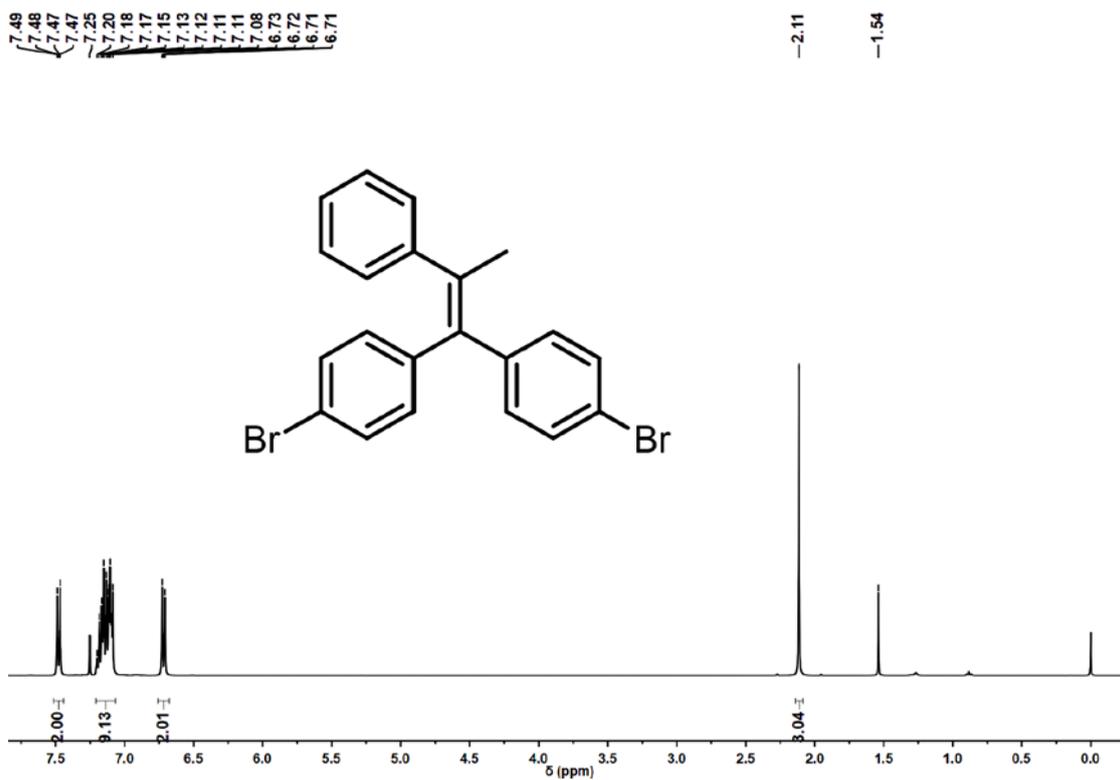


Figure S31 ¹H NMR of TPMBr₂ in CDCl₃ (400 MHz).

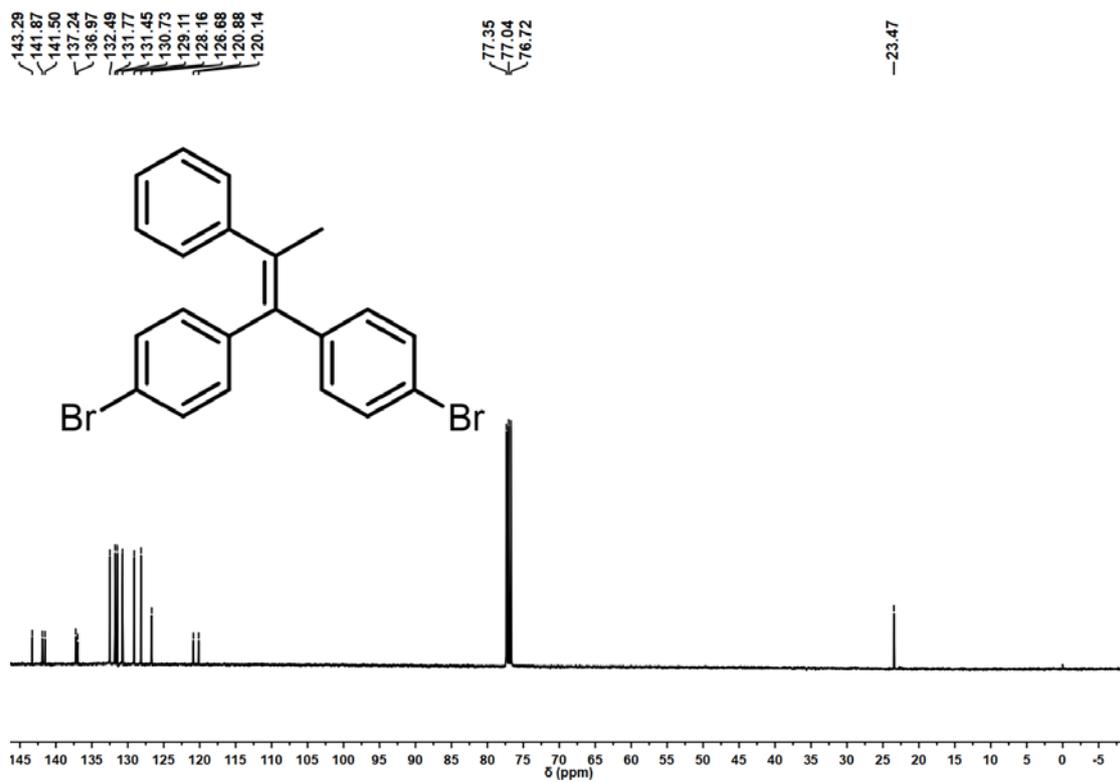


Figure S32 ¹³C NMR of TPMBr₂ in CDCl₃ (100 MHz).

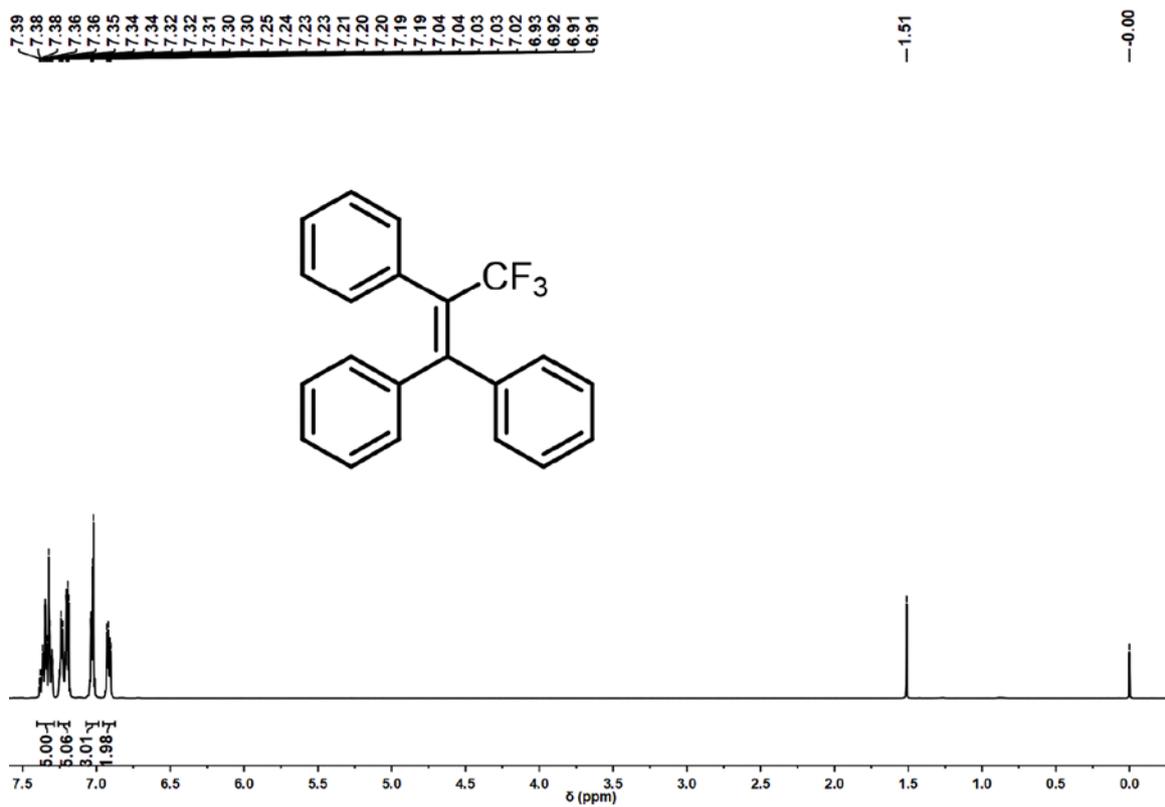


Figure S33 ¹H NMR of TPF in CDCl₃ (400 MHz).

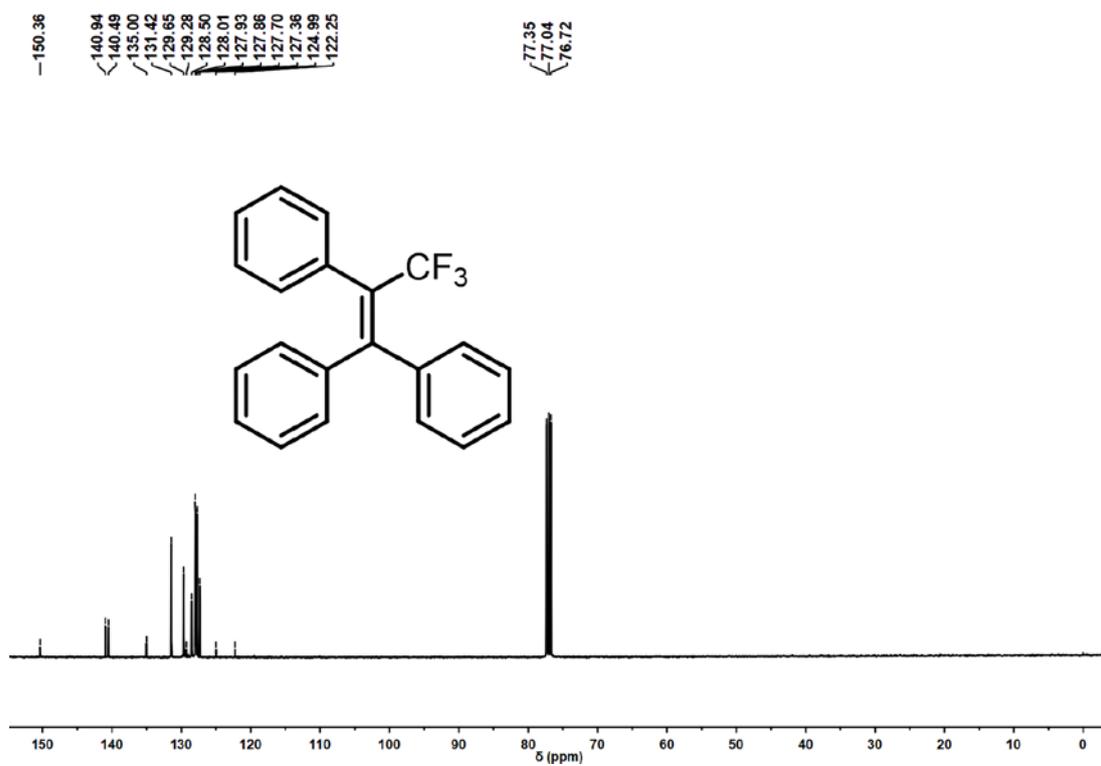


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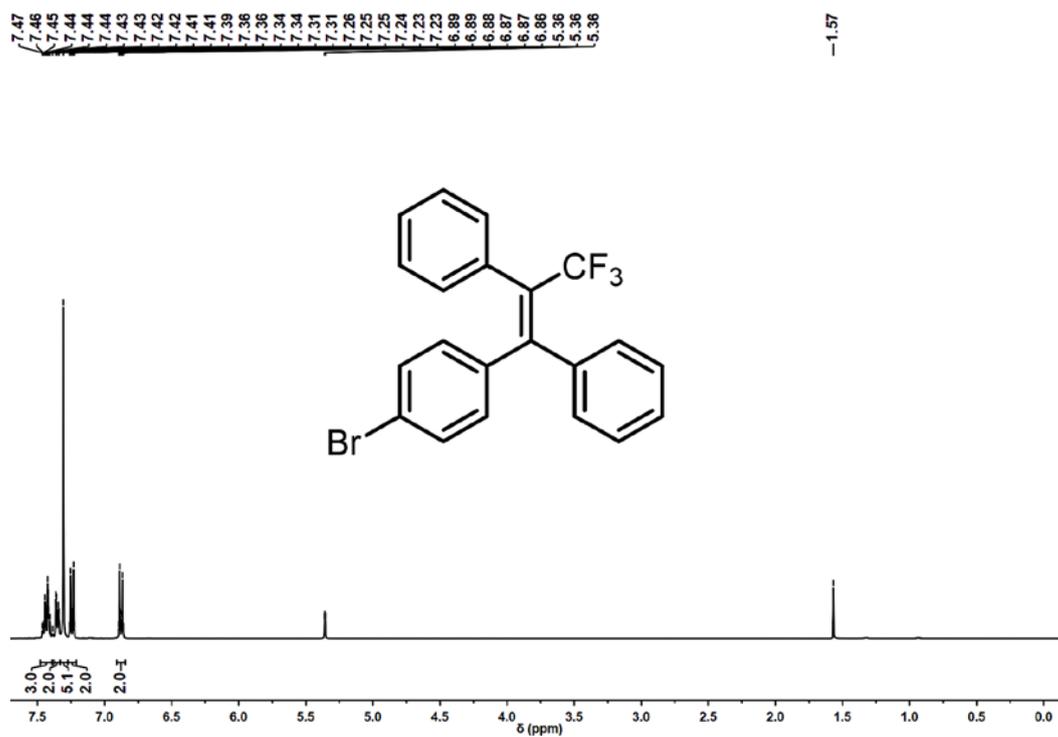


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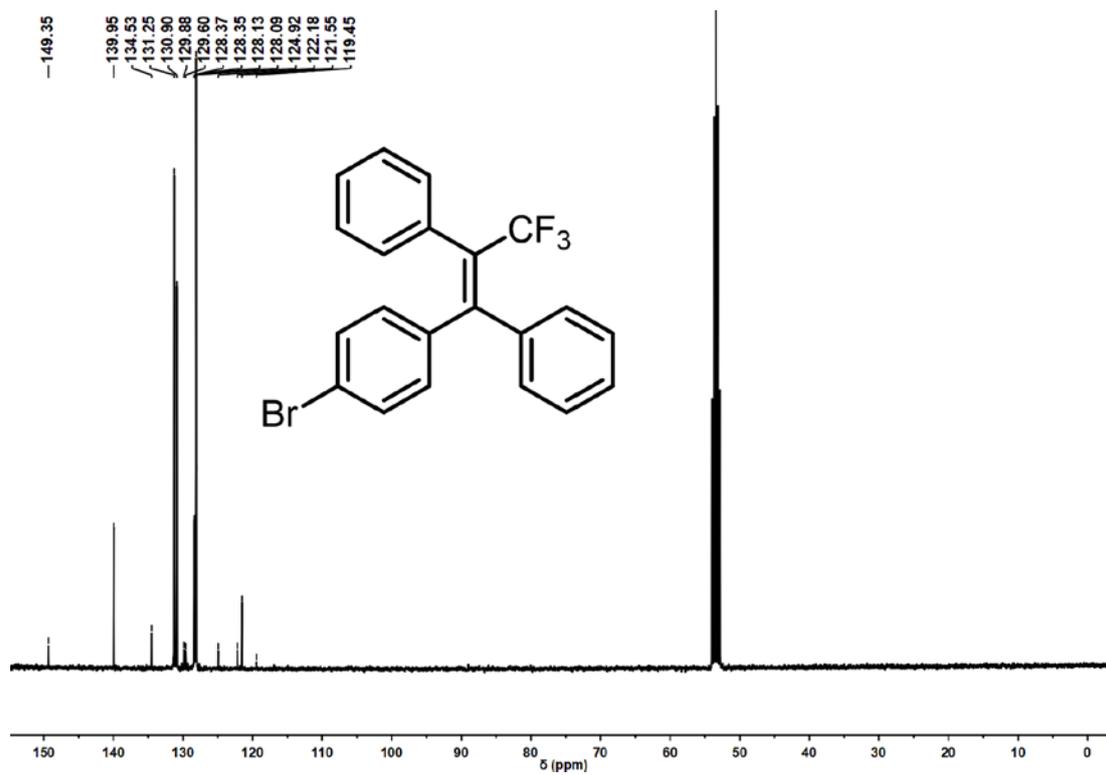


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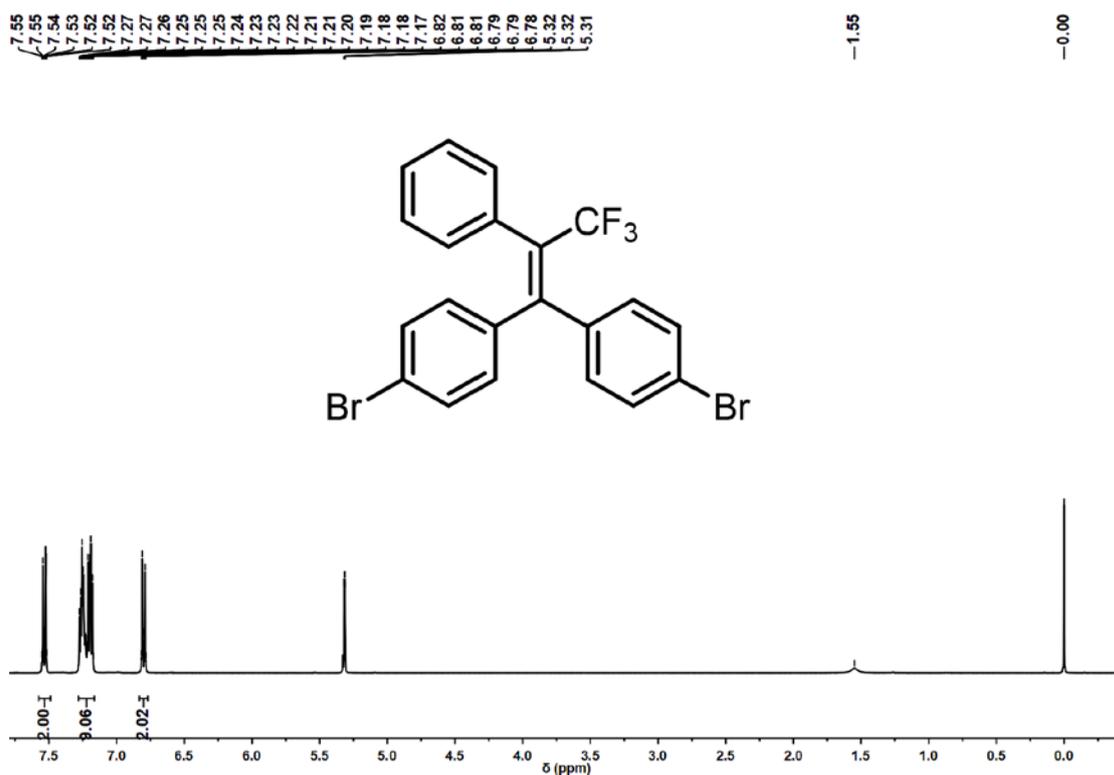


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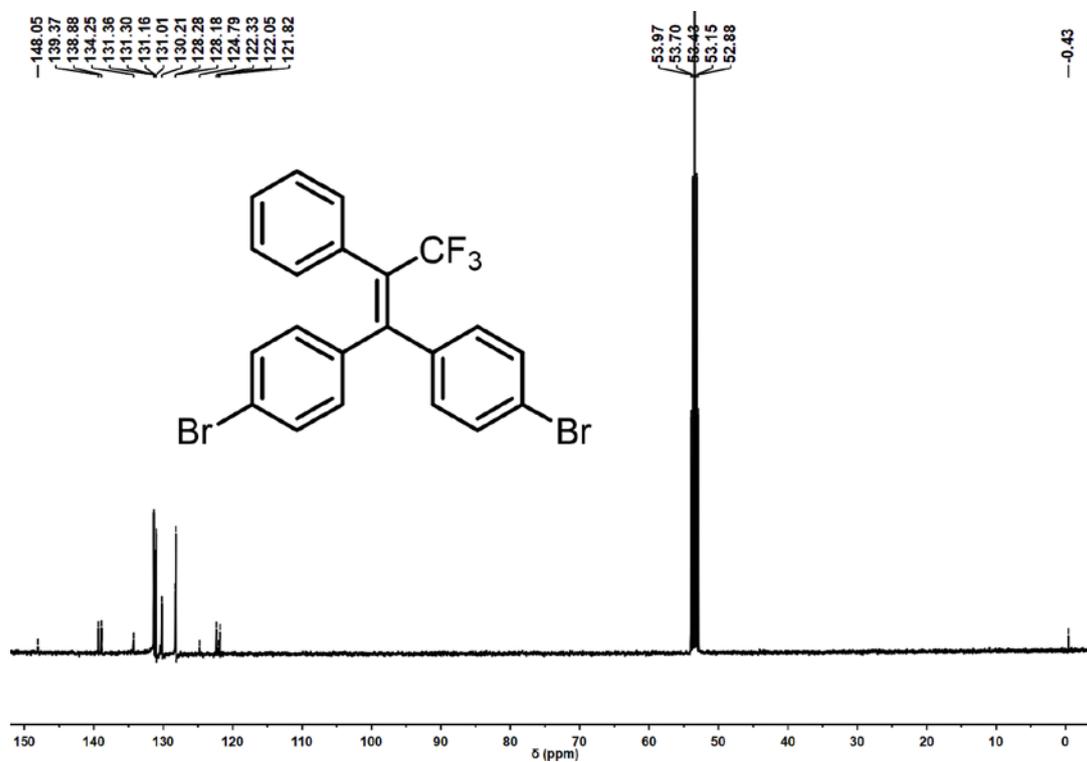


Figure S38 ¹³C NMR of TPFBr₂ in CD₂Cl₂ (100 MHz)

Supplementary Videos

Video S1. Photochromism of TPM at crystalline state.

Video S2. Photochromism of TPMBr at crystalline state.

Video S3. Photochromism of TPMBr₂ at crystalline state.

Video S4. Photochromism of TPF at crystalline state.

Video S5. Photochromism of TPFBBr at crystalline state.

Video S6. Photochromism of TPFBBr₂ at crystalline state.

Video S7. Stretched PET film under UV irradiation.

Video S8. Photo-induced bending of stretched TPM-PET film under UV irradiation.

Video S9. Photo-induced bending of stretched TPMBr-PET film under UV irradiation.

Video S10. Photo-induced bending of stretched TPMBr₂-PET film under UV irradiation.

Video S11. Photo-induced bending of stretched TPF-PET film under UV irradiation.

Video S12. Photo-induced bending of stretched TPFBBr-PET film under UV irradiation.

Video S13. Photo-induced bending of stretched TPFBBr₂-PET film under UV irradiation.