

## Supporting Information

### **A Computational Study on Second-Order Nonlinear Optical Properties Based on Bis-Cyclometalated Ir(III) Complexes: Redox and Substituent Effects**

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## General Comments

**Table S1** Selected bond lengths (Å) and bond angles (°) of all studied complexes obtained at the PBE1PBE//6-31G(d)/SDD level.

**Fig. S1** Comparison of the absorption spectra of complex **2** computed by four various functions of theory.

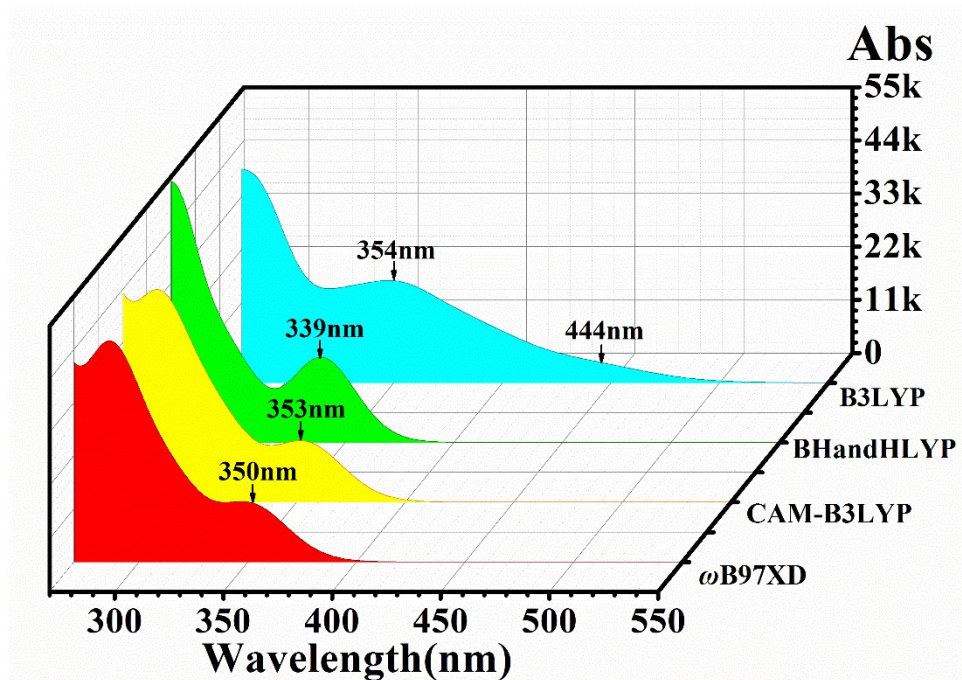
**Fig. S2** Molecular orbitals related to the dominant electron transitions of all studied complexes.

**Fig. S3** The  $\beta_{\text{tot}}$  values of all studied complexes by using the CAM-B3LYP and  $\omega$ B97XD functionals with 6-31+G(d) basis set.

**Table S1.** Selected bond lengths (Å) and bond angles (°) of all studied complexes obtained at the PBE1PBE//6-31G(d)/SDD level.

Complex	Ir-N <sub>1</sub>	Ir-C <sub>2</sub>	Ir-N <sub>3</sub>	Ir-C <sub>4</sub>	Ir-C <sub>5</sub>	Ir-C <sub>6</sub>	∠N <sub>3</sub> -Ir-C <sub>6</sub>	∠N <sub>1</sub> -Ir-C <sub>2</sub>
<b>1</b>	2.062	2.059	2.069	2.087	2.069	2.107	95.4	80.4
<b>1<sup>+</sup></b>	2.072	2.005	2.076	2.064	2.156	2.118	95.7	81.3
<b>1<sup>-</sup></b>	2.069	2.060	2.068	2.089	2.046	2.107	96.3	80.2
<b>2<sup>a</sup></b>	2.059	2.059	2.061	2.073	2.054	2.086	97.3	80.1
<b>2</b>	2.065	2.060	2.071	2.083	2.066	2.105	96.0	80.4
<b>2<sup>+</sup></b>	2.075	2.005	2.077	2.057	2.143	2.124	95.9	81.3
<b>2<sup>-</sup></b>	2.068	2.060	2.066	2.087	2.052	2.110	95.0	80.1
<b>3</b>	2.063	2.058	2.070	2.087	2.071	2.107	95.0	80.3
<b>3<sup>+</sup></b>	2.072	2.062	2.077	2.082	2.057	2.084	97.2	80.4
<b>3<sup>-</sup></b>	2.069	2.059	2.068	2.088	2.049	2.107	96.0	80.1
<b>4</b>	2.064	2.059	2.070	2.087	2.061	2.107	95.7	80.3
<b>4<sup>+</sup></b>	2.075	2.004	2.076	2.064	2.151	2.120	95.7	81.3
<b>4<sup>-</sup></b>	2.063	2.058	2.060	2.088	2.075	2.107	94.7	80.2
<b>5</b>	2.062	2.057	2.068	2.086	2.073	2.107	95.3	80.3
<b>5<sup>+</sup></b>	2.073	2.008	2.073	2.064	2.156	2.119	95.8	81.3
<b>5<sup>-</sup></b>	2.069	2.058	2.068	2.087	2.049	2.107	96.4	80.1

<sup>a</sup> Experimental values from X-ray data in ref [54]



**Fig. S1** Comparison of the absorption spectra of complex **1** computed by four various functions of theory.

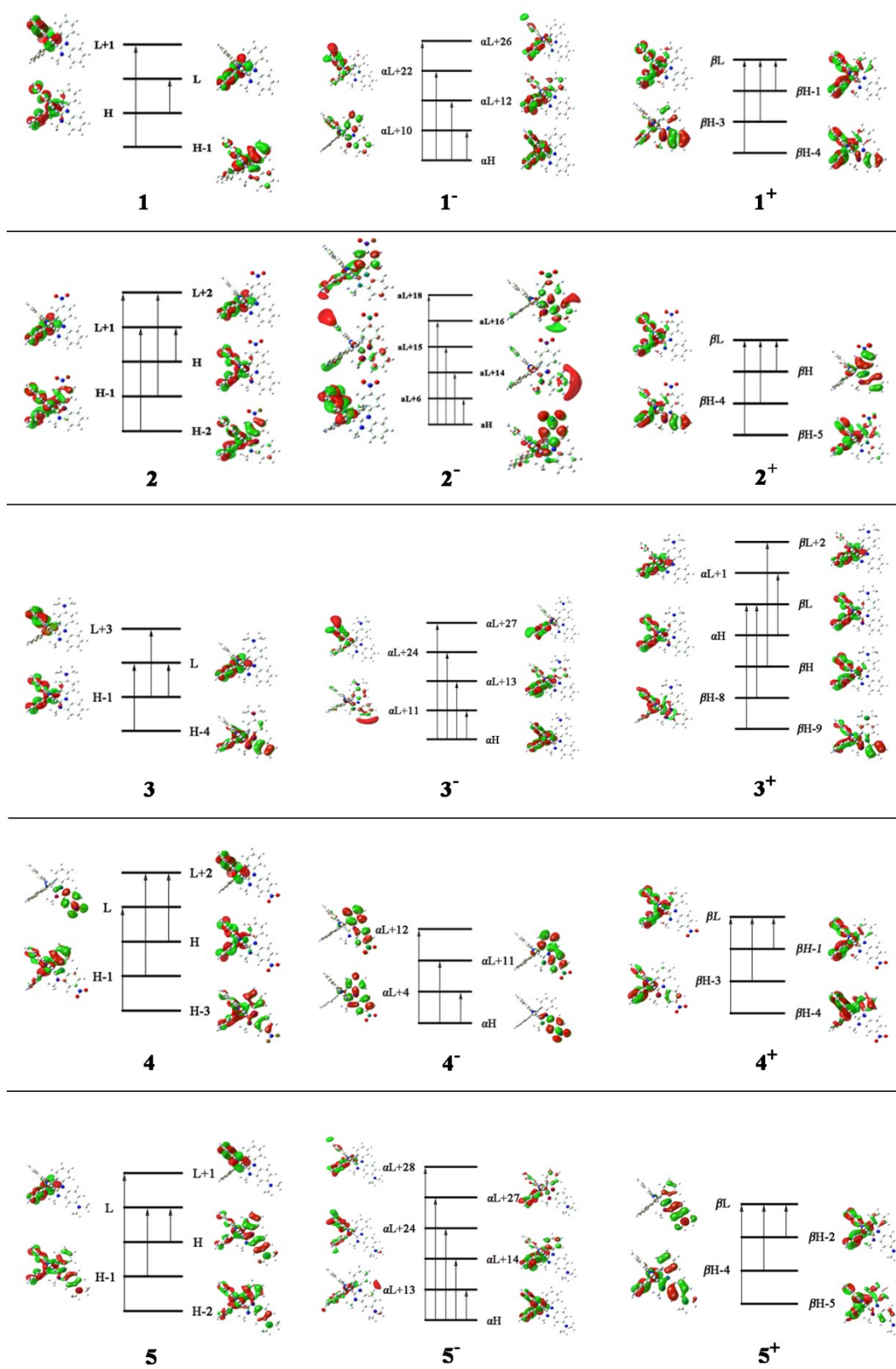
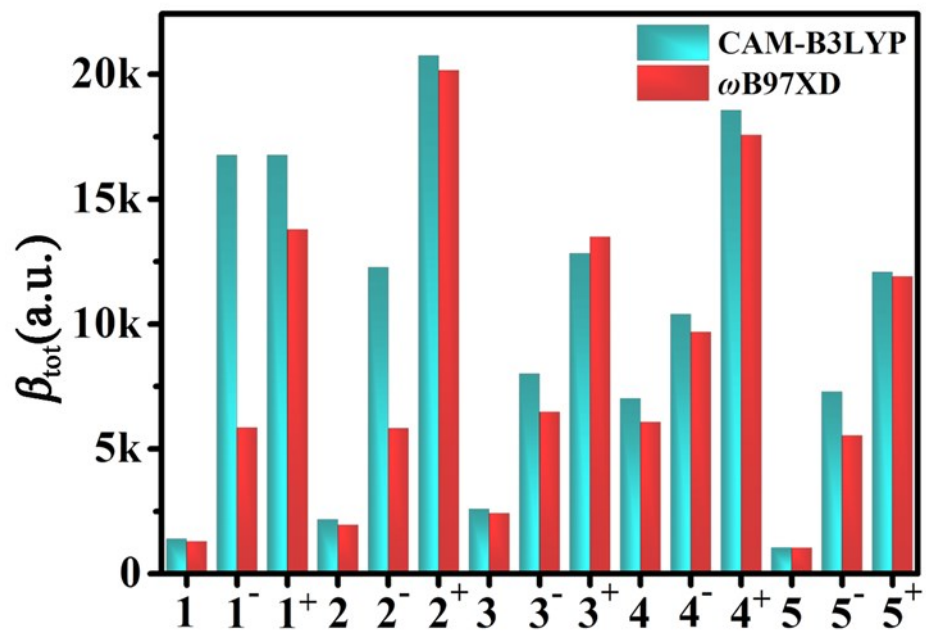


Fig. S2 Molecular orbitals related to the main excited states for all studied complexes.



**Fig. S3** The  $\beta_{\text{tot}}$  values of all studied complexes by using the CAM-B3LYP and  $\omega$ B97XD functionals with 6-31+G(d) basis set.