

Synthesis of phosphinoferrocene amides and thioamides from carbamoyl chlorides and the structural chemistry of Group 11 metal complexes with these mixed-donor ligands

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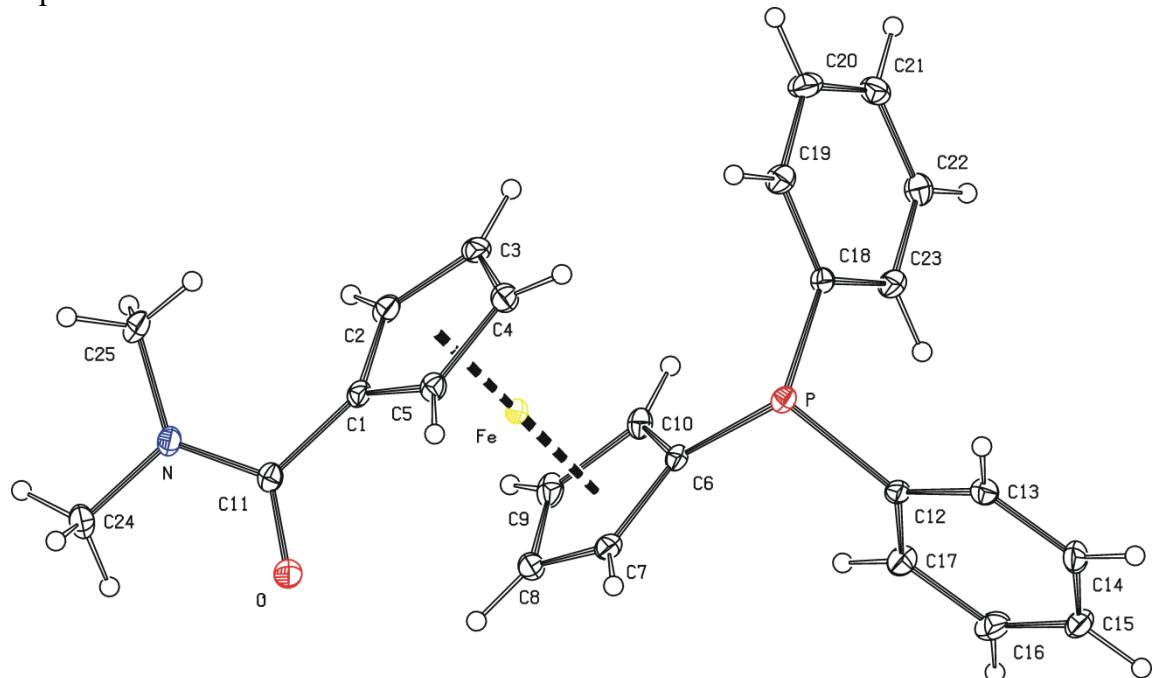
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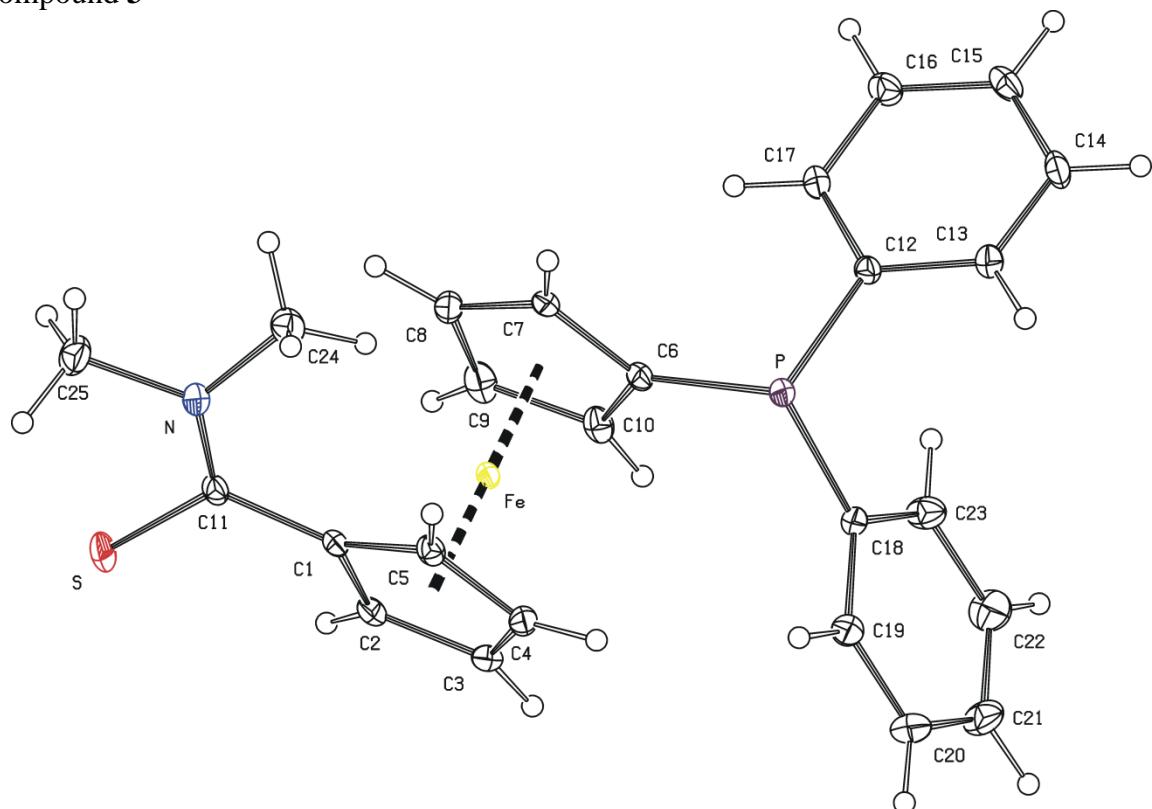
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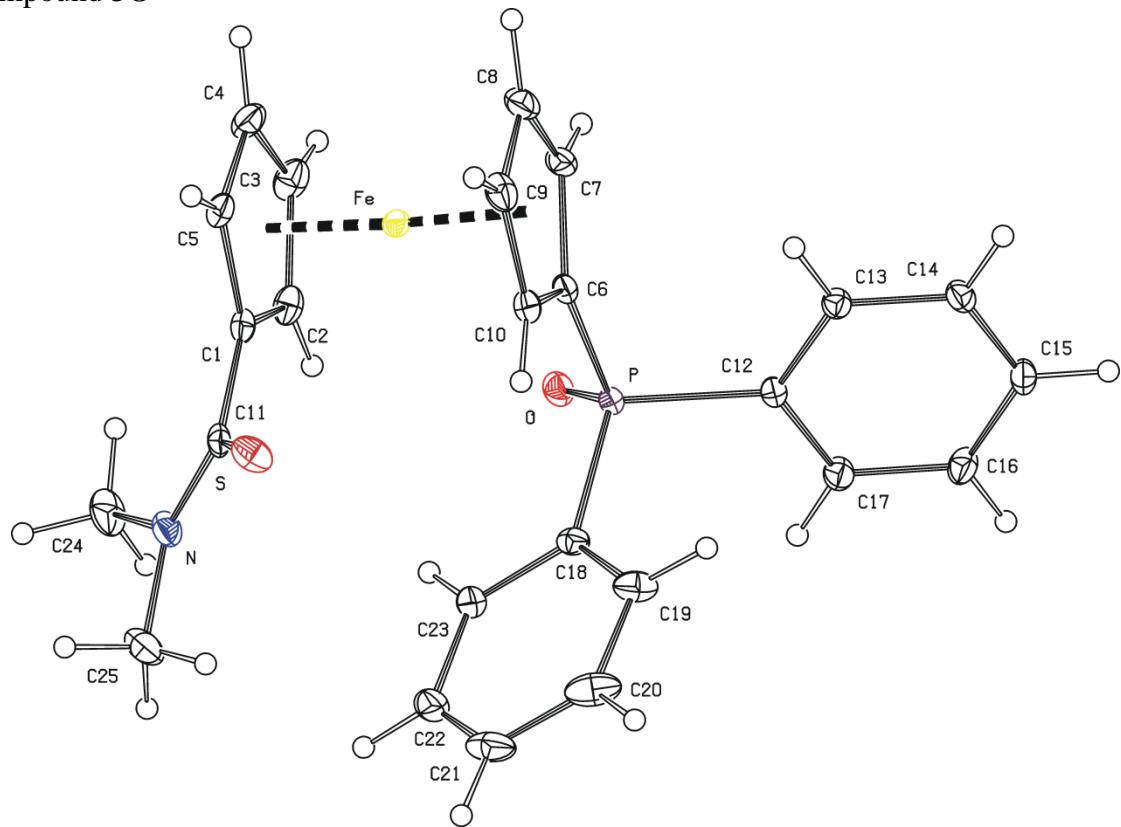
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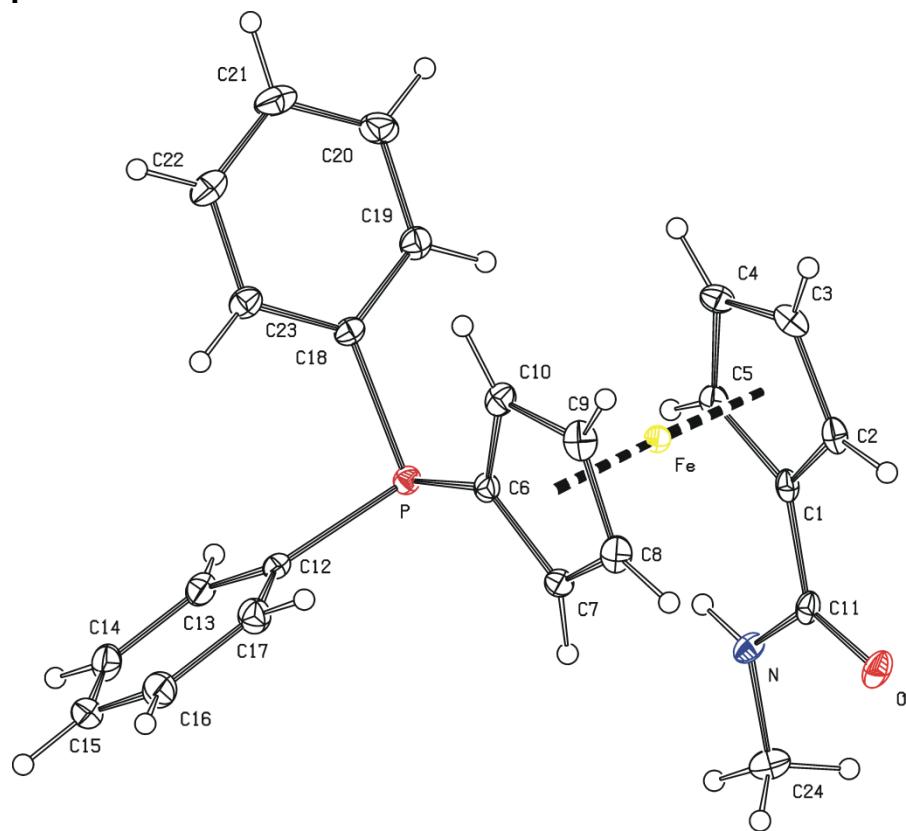
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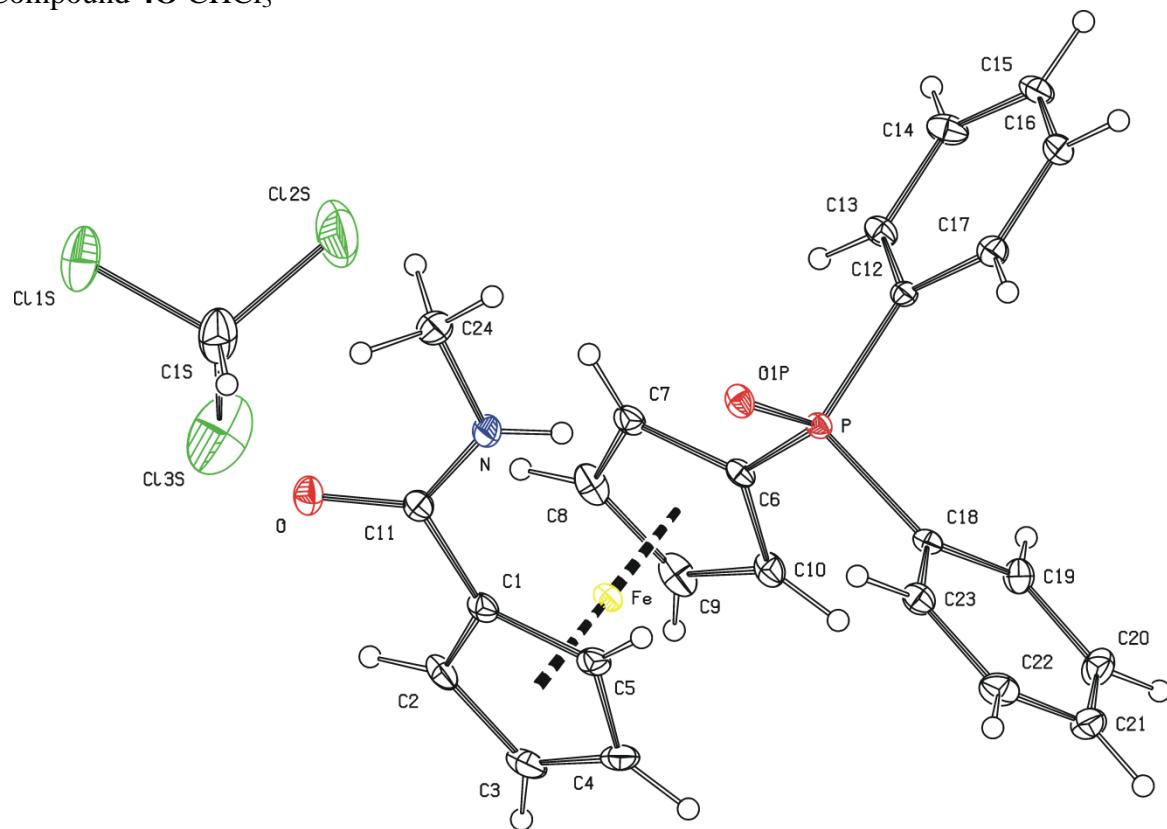
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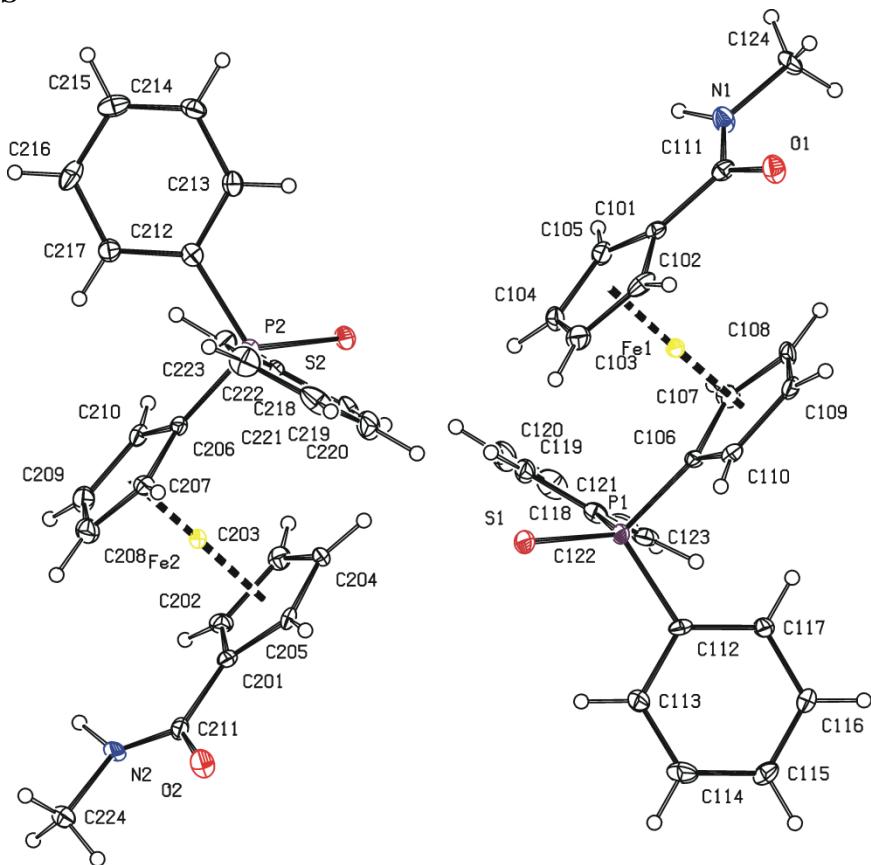
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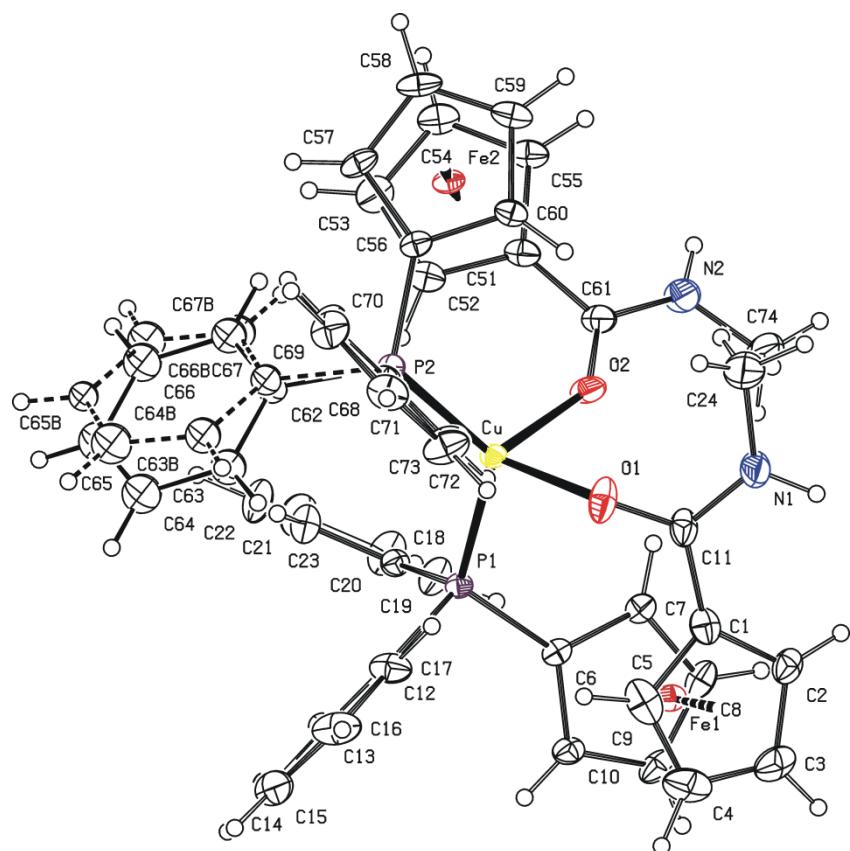
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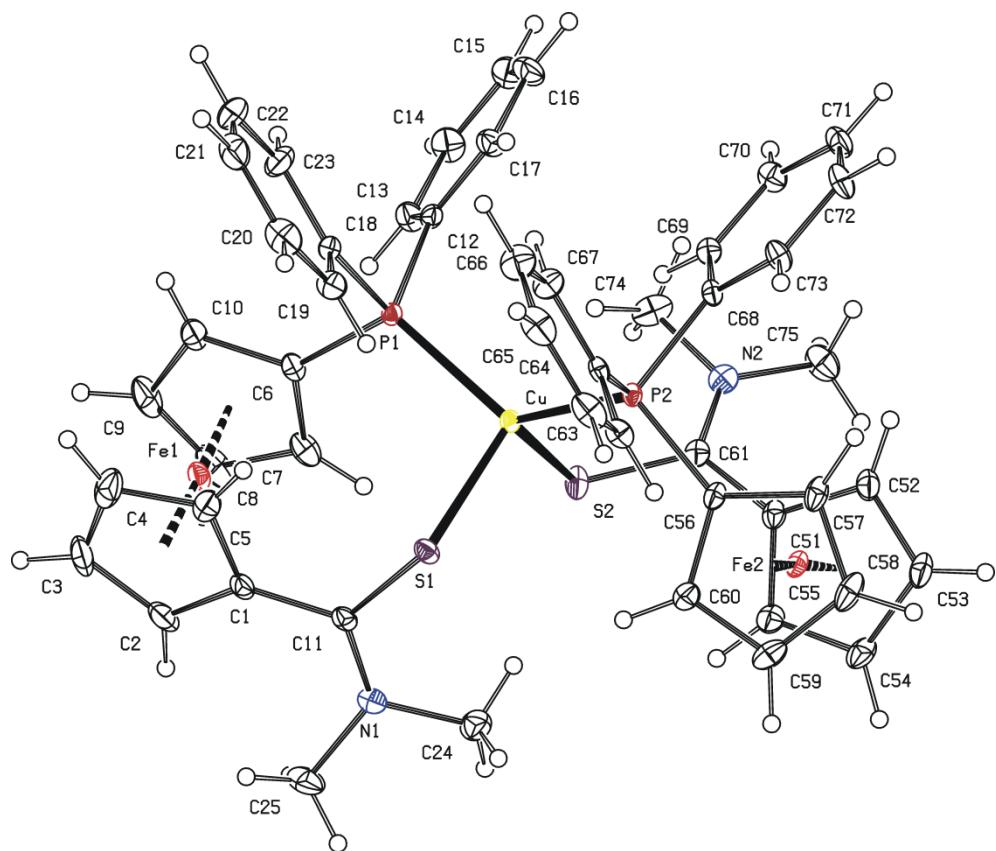
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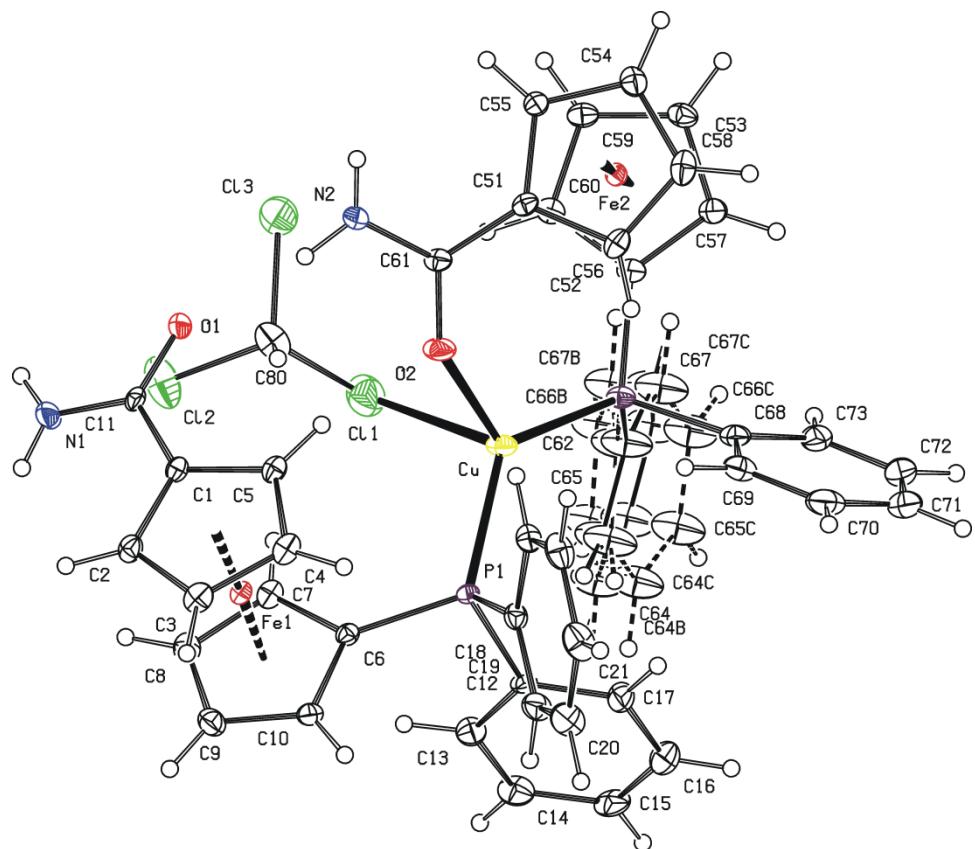
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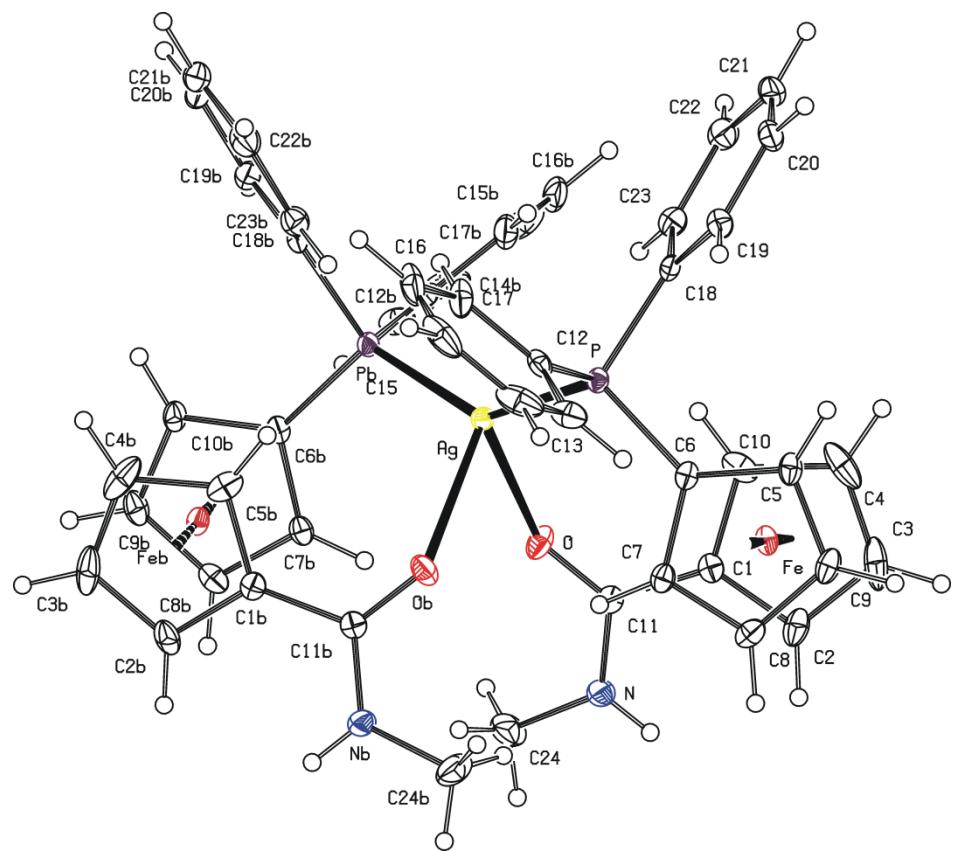
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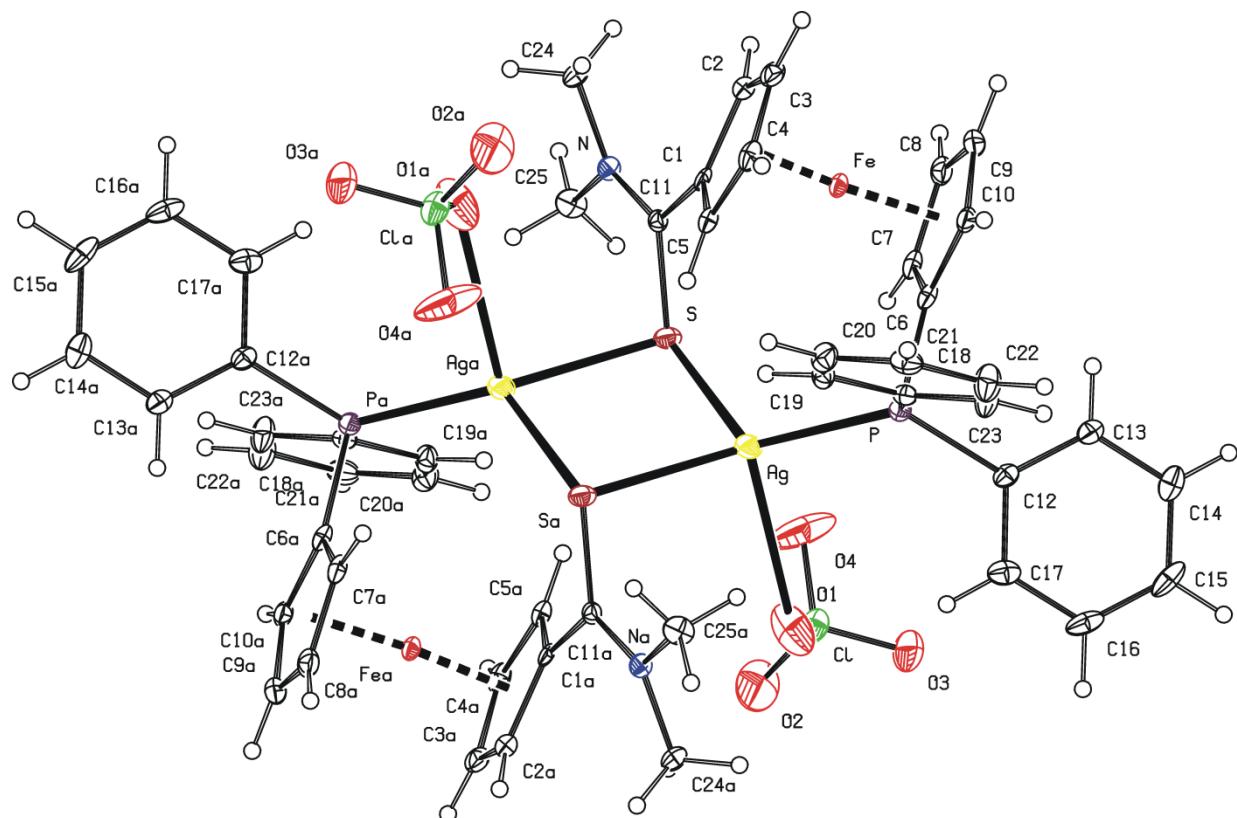
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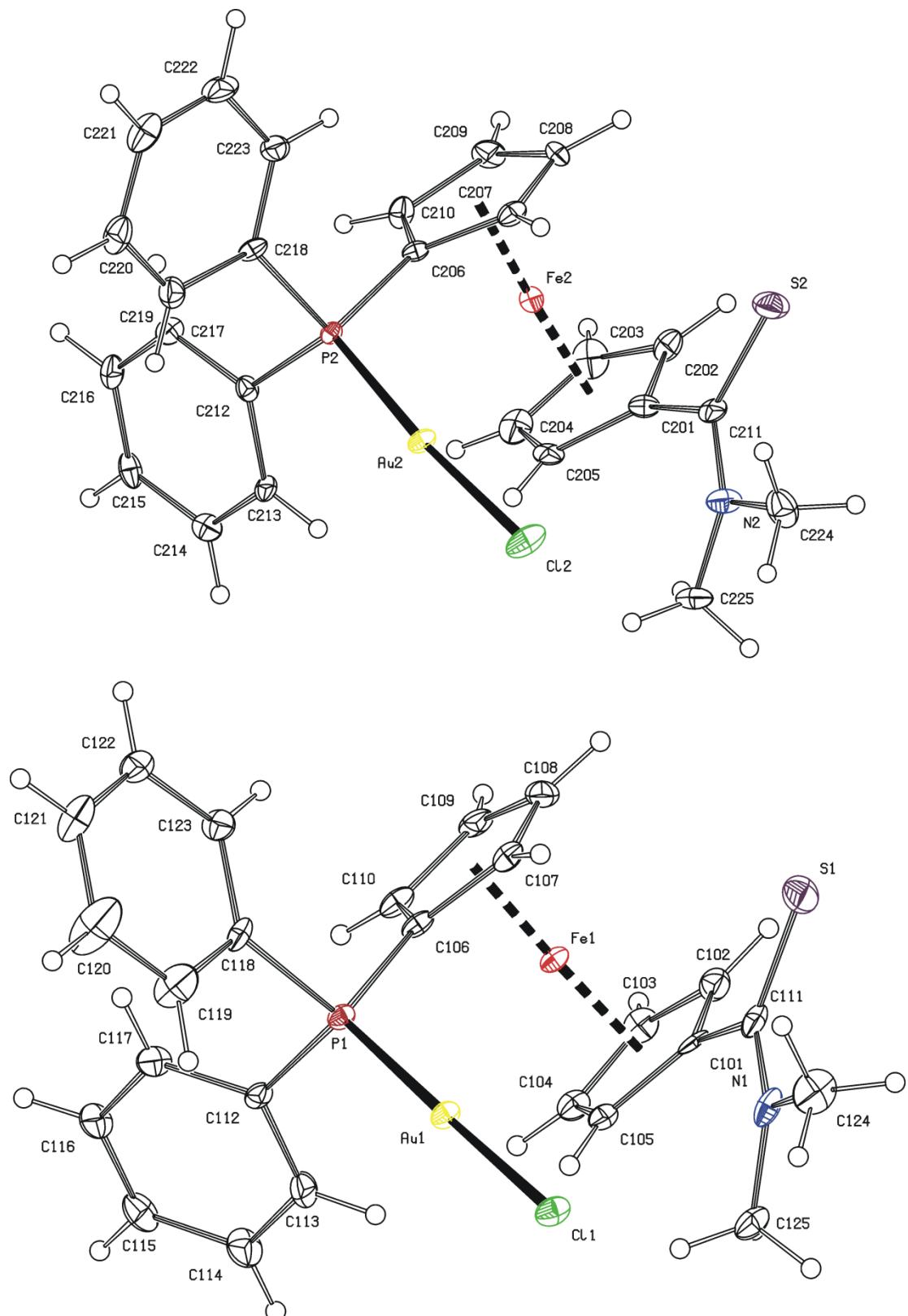
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Compound 7d

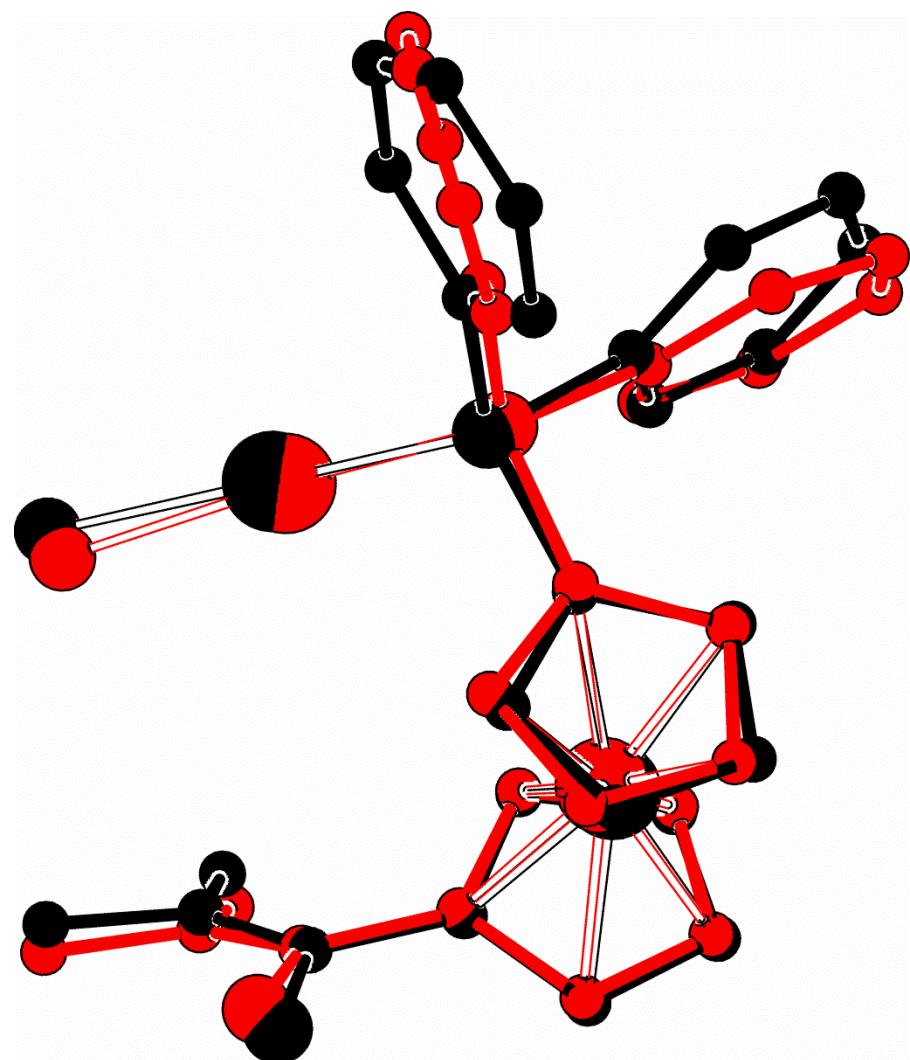


Compound 8d



Least-squares overlap of the two independent molecules in the crystal structure of **8d**

(Note: molecule 1 in black, molecule 2 in red; hydrogen atoms omitted for clarity)



Crystals suitable for X-ray diffraction analysis were grown by crystallization from chloroform-hexane (**2**: orange block, $0.15 \times 0.20 \times 0.21 \text{ mm}^3$; **3O**: orange plate, $0.29 \times 0.30 \times 0.30 \text{ mm}^3$; **6b** \cdot 1/4CHCl₃: red-orange prism, $0.18 \times 0.30 \times 0.33 \text{ mm}^3$; **6a'** \cdot CHCl₃: orange prism, $0.23 \times 0.26 \times 0.28 \text{ mm}^3$), chloroform/benzene-hexane (**7b**: orange prism, $0.12 \times 0.18 \times 0.23 \text{ mm}^3$), chloroform-diethyl ether (**8d**: red plate, $0.15 \times 0.24 \times 0.25 \text{ mm}^3$), dichloromethane-hexane (**3**: red prism, $0.19 \times 0.31 \times 0.47 \text{ mm}^3$; **4O** \cdot CHCl₃: orange plate, $0.13 \times 0.23 \times 0.32 \text{ mm}^3$), dichloromethane-pentane (**4**: orange prism, $0.13 \times 0.28 \times 0.60 \text{ mm}^3$) and from ethyl acetate-hexane (**4S**: orange plate, $0.06 \times 0.18 \times 0.41 \text{ mm}^3$). The crystals of **7d** were obtained by reactive diffusion approach (see main text).

Table S1. Summary of crystallographic data and structure refinement parameters.^a

Compound	2	3	3O	4
Formula	C ₂₅ H ₂₄ FeNOP	C ₂₅ H ₂₄ FeNPS	C ₂₅ H ₂₄ FeNOPS	C ₂₄ H ₂₂ FeNOP
<i>M</i>	441.27	457.33	473.33	427.25
Crystal system	monoclinic	monoclinic	triclinic	monoclinic
Space group	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ / <i>n</i> (no. 14)	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ / <i>c</i> (no. 14)	<i>P</i> –1 (no. 2)	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ / <i>c</i> (no. 14)
<i>a</i> /Å	9.5479(2)	11.4811(3)	8.5443(2)	9.0313(3)
<i>b</i> /Å	14.2146(3)	24.8305(7)	10.0465(3)	25.3683(8)
<i>c</i> /Å	15.2152(3)	7.6806(2)	13.2078(3)	9.3612(3)
α /°			87.165(1)	
β /°	94.478(1)	101.066(1)	89.785(1)	109.678(1)
γ /°			71.819(1)	
<i>V</i> /Å ³	2058.70(7)	2148.9(1)	1075.76(5)	2019.5(1)
<i>Z</i>	4	4	2	4
<i>D</i> _{calc} (g mL ⁻¹)	1.424	1.414	1.461	1.405
μ (Mo K α)/mm ⁻¹	0.827	0.885	0.890	0.840
Diffrrns collected	19138	19732	13660	13825
Indep. diffrrns	4734	4923	4897	4634
Observed ^b diffrrns	3958	4405	4452	3967
<i>R</i> _{int} ^c /%	2.89	2.30	1.53	2.63
No. of parameters	264	264	273	254
<i>R</i> ^d obsd diffrrns/%	3.01	2.88	2.67	3.03
<i>R</i> , <i>wR</i> ^d all data/%	4.04, 7.11	3.35, 7.26	3.02, 6.86	3.76, 7.62
$\Delta\rho/e\text{ \AA}^{-3}$	0.35, –0.29	1.08, ^e –0.25	0.42, –0.25	0.36, –0.25
CCDC entry	1029509	1029510	1029511	1029512

(Table S1 continued)

Compound	4O·CHCl₃	4S	6b·1/4CHCl₃	6d·2CHCl₃
Formula	C ₂₅ H ₂₃ Cl ₃ FeNO ₂ P	C ₂₄ H ₂₂ FeNOPS	C _{48.25} H _{44.25} BCl _{1.5} Cu- F ₄ Fe ₂ N ₂ O ₂ P ₂	C ₅₂ H ₅₀ BCl ₆ CuF ₄ - Fe ₂ N ₂ P ₂ S ₂
<i>M</i>	562.61	459.31	1061.27	1303.75
Crystal system	monoclinic	monoclinic	monoclinic	monoclinic
Space group	<i>C</i> 2/c (no. 15)	<i>P</i> c (no. 7) ^f	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ /c (no. 14)	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ /c (no. 14)
<i>a</i> /Å	35.0409(9)	11.803(1)	15.4973(5)	15.1921(4)
<i>b</i> /Å	10.9004(3)	19.326(2)	14.2226(4)	16.1101(3)
<i>c</i> /Å	12.9603(3)	9.6446(8)	20.7615(5)	22.5908(4)
α/°				
β/°	93.644(1)	108.311(3)	91.252(1)	94.686(1)
γ/°				
<i>V</i> /Å ³	4940.3(2)	2088.6(3)	4575.0(2)	5510.5(2)
<i>Z</i>	8	4	4	4
<i>D</i> _{calc} (g mL ⁻¹)	1.513	1.461	1.541	1.571
μ(Mo Kα)/mm ⁻¹	1.023	0.914	1.302	1.379
Diffrrns collected	19258	13742	36503	65566
Indep. diffrrns	5664	7435	8979	12652
Observed ^b diffrrns	4473	5600	7869	10679
<i>R</i> _{int} ^c /%	3.61	4.60	2.10	2.38
No. of parameters	299	526	552	653
<i>R</i> ^d obsd diffrrns/%	3.87	4.87	3.92	3.56
<i>R</i> , <i>wR</i> ^d all data/%	5.49, 9.96	7.76, 10.9	4.46, 10.4	4.49, 9.45
Δρ/e Å ⁻³	0.75, -0.79	0.75, -0.38	0.81, -0.74	1.49, -0.93 ^g
CCDC entry	1029513	1029514	1029515	1029516

(Table S1 continued)

Compound	6a' ·CHCl ₃	7b ·CHCl ₃	7d	8d
Formula	C ₄₇ H ₄₁ BCl ₃ CuF ₄ ⁻ Fe ₂ N ₂ O ₂ P ₂	C ₄₉ H ₄₅ AgCl ₄ ⁻ Fe ₂ N ₂ O ₆ P ₂	C ₅₀ H ₄₈ Ag ₂ Cl ₂ ⁻ Fe ₂ N ₂ O ₈ P ₂ S ₂	C ₂₅ H ₂₄ AuClFeNPS
<i>M</i>	1096.42	1181.18	1329.30	689.75
Crystal system	monoclinic	monoclinic	monoclinic	orthorhombic
Space group	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ / <i>c</i> (no. 14)	<i>C</i> 2 (no. 5)	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ / <i>n</i> (no. 14)	<i>Pca</i> 2 ₁ (no. 29) ^{<i>h</i>}
<i>a</i> /Å	14.2861(4)	18.0426(3)	7.9090(2)	37.4298(9)
<i>b</i> /Å	11.8455(3)	14.5715(2)	16.0180(5)	9.4501(2)
<i>c</i> /Å	30.249(1)	9.2242(2)	19.5538(6)	13.3460(3)
α/°				
β/°	91.666(1)	91.985(1)	98.075(1)	
γ/°				
<i>V</i> /Å ³	5116.8(3)	2423.66(7)	2452.6(1)	4720.7(2)
<i>Z</i>	4	2	2	8
<i>D</i> _{calc} (g mL ⁻¹)	1.423	1.619	1.800	1.941
μ(Mo Kα)/mm ⁻¹	1.243	1.328	1.683	7.106
Diffrrns collected	47156	12514	18097	27368
Indep. diffrrns	11722	4906	5350	8998
Observed ^{<i>b</i>} diffrrns	9384	4751	4239	8246
<i>R</i> _{int} ^{<i>c</i>} /%	3.22	2.16	3.36	3.04
No. of parameters	634	330	318	563
<i>R</i> ^{<i>d</i>} obsd diffrrns/%	6.02	2.42	5.17	3.39
<i>R</i> , <i>wR</i> ^{<i>d</i>} all data/%	7.34, 17.2	2.58, 5.38	7.02, 12.6	3.92, 7.95
Δρ/e Å ⁻³	2.35, -1.84 ^{<i>g</i>}	0.77, -0.77	3.37 ^{<i>g</i>} , -1.46	3.17, ^{<i>i</i>} -1.26
CCDC entry	1029517	1029518	1029519	1029520

^{*a*} Common details: *T* = 150(2) K. ^{*b*} Diffractons with *I* > 2σ(*I*). ^{*c*} *R*_{int} = Σ |*F*_o² - *F*_o²(mean)| / Σ*F*_o², where *F*_o²(mean) is the average intensity of symmetry-equivalent diffractons. ^{*d*} *R* = Σ | |*F*_o| - |*F*_c| | / Σ |*F*_o|, *wR* = [Σ{w(*F*_o² - *F*_c²)²} / Σ w(*F*_o²)²]^{1/2}. ^{*e*} Electron density maximum due to lone electron pair at the phosphorus atom. ^{*f*} Flack's enantiomorph parameter: 0.00(5). ^{*g*} Residual electron density near the heaviest atom.

^{*h*} Flack's enantiomorph parameter: 0.002(6).

Table S2. Comparison of DFT calculated and experimental geometry (crystal state) for **2**.

Fe	-C1	2.0456(16)	2.070		C13	-C14	1.394(2)	1.391	
Fe	-C2	2.0492(17)	2.066		C14	-C15	1.376(3)	1.395	
Fe	-C3	2.0530(17)	2.075		C15	-C16	1.388(3)	1.392	
Fe	-C4	2.0418(17)	2.076		C16	-C17	1.385(3)	1.395	
Fe	-C5	2.0327(16)	2.061		C18	-C19	1.393(2)	1.401	
Fe	-C6	2.0465(16)	2.081		C18	-C23	1.392(2)	1.401	
Fe	-C7	2.0319(17)	2.061		C19	-C20	1.386(3)	1.394	
Fe	-C8	2.0418(19)	2.068		C20	-C21	1.384(3)	1.393	
Fe	-C9	2.0501(18)	2.068		C21	-C22	1.376(2)	1.394	
Fe	-C10	2.0520(16)	2.071		C22	-C23	1.391(2)	1.393	
P	-C6	1.8195(17)	1.833		C1	-Fe	-C2	40.84(7)	40.58
P	-C12	1.8324(16)	1.856		C1	-Fe	-C3	68.64(7)	67.91
P	-C18	1.8413(16)	1.859		C1	-Fe	-C4	68.65(7)	67.81
O	-C11	1.2225(2)	1.226		C1	-Fe	-C5	41.04(7)	40.58
N	-C11	1.356(2)	1.376		C1	-Fe	-C6	161.64(7)	175.47
N	-C24	1.460(2)	1.456		C1	-Fe	-C7	124.05(7)	134.96
N	-C25	1.460(2)	1.456		C1	-Fe	-C8	106.82(7)	108.96
C1	-C2	1.429(2)	1.434		C1	-Fe	-C9	120.33(7)	112.26
C1	-C5	1.429(2)	1.432		C1	-Fe	-C10	155.86(7)	142.43
C1	-C11	1.497(2)	1.496		C2	-Fe	-C3	40.64(7)	40.19
C2	-C3	1.425(3)	1.423		C2	-Fe	-C4	68.36(7)	67.63
C3	-C4	1.419(2)	1.427		C2	-Fe	-C5	68.86(7)	68.03
C4	-C5	1.424(2)	1.421		C2	-Fe	-C6	155.77(7)	143.90
C6	-C7	1.435(2)	1.437		C2	-Fe	-C7	162.33(7)	174.85
C6	-C10	1.429(2)	1.434		C2	-Fe	-C8	126.04(7)	135.37
C7	-C8	1.421(3)	1.421		C2	-Fe	-C9	108.97(7)	110.54
C8	-C9	1.416(3)	1.425		C2	-Fe	-C10	121.69(7)	114.24
C9	-C10	1.424(2)	1.424		C3	-Fe	-C4	40.56(7)	40.20
C12	-C13	1.394(2)	1.403		C3	-Fe	-C5	68.79(7)	67.77
C12	-C17	1.396(2)	1.400		C3	-Fe	-C6	120.30(7)	115.25

C3	-Fe	-C7	154.52(7)	144.22	C7	-C8	-C9	108.33(16)	107.83
C3	-Fe	-C8	163.91(7)	175.51	Fe	-C9	-C8	69.43(10)	69.87
C3	-Fe	-C9	127.32(7)	137.12	Fe	-C9	-C10	69.76(10)	70.00
C3	-Fe	-C10	109.16(7)	112.51	C8	-C9	-C10	108.00(16)	108.22
C4	-Fe	-C5	40.91(7)	40.17	C4	-Fe	-C9	164.10(7)	177.28
C4	-Fe	-C6	106.85(7)	112.23	C4	-Fe	-C10	126.33(7)	138.20
C4	-Fe	-C7	118.88(7)	114.30	C5	-Fe	-C6	124.03(7)	136.62
C4	-Fe	-C8	153.78(7)	142.40	C5	-Fe	-C7	105.32(7)	110.09
C5	-C1	-C11	122.96(15)	122.69	C5	-Fe	-C8	118.63(7)	112.19
Fe	-C2	-C1	69.45(9)	69.84	C5	-Fe	-C9	154.23(7)	141.52
Fe	-C2	-C3	69.82(10)	70.22	C5	-Fe	-C10	162.49(7)	176.99
C1	-C2	-C3	108.18(15)	108.24	C6	-Fe	-C7	41.20(6)	40.60
Fe	-C3	-C2	69.54(10)	69.59	C6	-Fe	-C8	68.91(7)	68.08
Fe	-C3	-C4	69.30(10)	69.95	C6	-Fe	-C9	68.78(7)	67.94
C2	-C3	-C4	107.83(15)	108.01	C6	-Fe	-C10	40.80(7)	40.40
Fe	-C4	-C3	70.14(10)	69.85	C7	-Fe	-C8	40.83(7)	40.26
Fe	-C4	-C5	69.20(9)	69.37	C7	-Fe	-C9	68.60(7)	67.71
C3	-C4	-C5	108.52(15)	108.16	C7	-Fe	-C10	68.66(7)	67.82
Fe	-C5	-C1	69.97(9)	70.03	C8	-Fe	-C9	40.50(8)	40.31
Fe	-C5	-C4	69.89(9)	70.46	C8	-Fe	-C10	68.28(7)	67.78
C1	-C5	-C4	107.75(15)	108.28	C9	-Fe	-C10	40.61(7)	40.25
Fe	-C6	-P	123.88(9)	127.22	C6	-P	-C12	101.15(7)	101.79
Fe	-C6	-C7	68.85(9)	68.96	C6	-P	-C18	100.66(7)	102.29
Fe	-C6	-C10	69.81(9)	69.44	C12	-P	-C18	100.67(7)	101.25
P	-C6	-C7	123.93(13)	122.36	C11	-N	-C24	117.87(14)	118.10
P	-C6	-C10	128.92(12)	130.79	C11	-N	-C25	125.29(14)	125.26
C7	-C6	-C10	107.08(14)	106.84	C24	-N	-C25	116.29(13)	114.92
Fe	-C7	-C6	69.95(9)	70.43	Fe	-C1	-C2	69.72(9)	69.57
Fe	-C7	-C8	69.96(10)	70.15	Fe	-C1	-C5	69.00(9)	69.40
C6	-C7	-C8	108.16(15)	108.70	Fe	-C1	-C11	126.81(12)	123.25
Fe	-C8	-C7	69.21(10)	69.60	C2	-C1	-C5	107.72(14)	107.31
Fe	-C8	-C9	70.07(11)	69.82	C2	-C1	-C11	129.33(15)	129.89

Fe	-C10	-C6	69.39(9)	70.16	C15	-C16	-C17	120.08(17)	120.35
Fe	-C10	-C9	69.62(9)	69.75	C12	-C17	-C16	120.48(16)	120.57
C6	-C10	-C9	108.43(15)	108.42	P	-C18	-C19	117.61(12)	117.57
O	-C11	-N	121.69(15)	121.57	P	-C18	-C23	124.49(12)	123.92
O	-C11	-C1	121.41(15)	120.59	C19	-C18	-C23	117.90(15)	118.49
N	-C11	-C1	116.90(15)	117.83	C18	-C19	-C20	121.42(16)	120.92
P	-C12	-C13	117.04(12)	117.12	C19	-C20	-C21	119.63(17)	119.98
P	-C12	-C17	124.16(13)	124.28	C20	-C21	-C22	120.03(16)	119.68
C13	-C12	-C17	118.79(15)	118.53	C21	-C22	-C23	120.13(16)	120.25
C12	-C13	-C14	120.48(15)	120.87	C18	-C23	-C22	120.89(15)	120.66
C13	-C14	-C15	119.99(16)	120.08					
C14	-C15	-C16	120.16(16)	119.58					

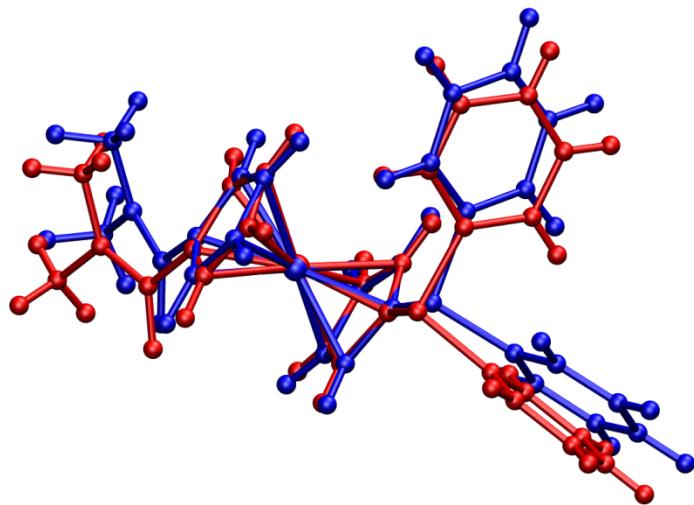
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Fe	-C1	2.0432(16)	2.086		C13	-C14	1.388(2)	1.391	
Fe	-C2	2.0349(16)	2.068		C14	-C15	1.383(3)	1.394	
Fe	-C3	2.0520(16)	2.074		C15	-C16	1.383(2)	1.392	
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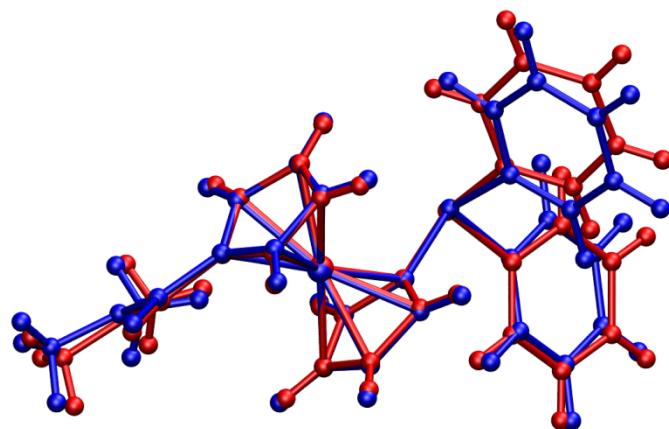
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C13	-C12	-C17	118.45(15)	118.55	C21	-C22	-C23	120.26(19)	120.25
C12	-C13	-C14	120.45(16)	120.86	C18	-C23	-C22	120.61(17)	120.64
C13	-C14	-C15	120.44(16)	120.08					
C14	-C15	-C16	119.77(16)	119.61					

An overlap of the experimentally determined (crystal state; **red**) and DFT optimized (gas phase; **blue**) geometries of **2** and **3**.

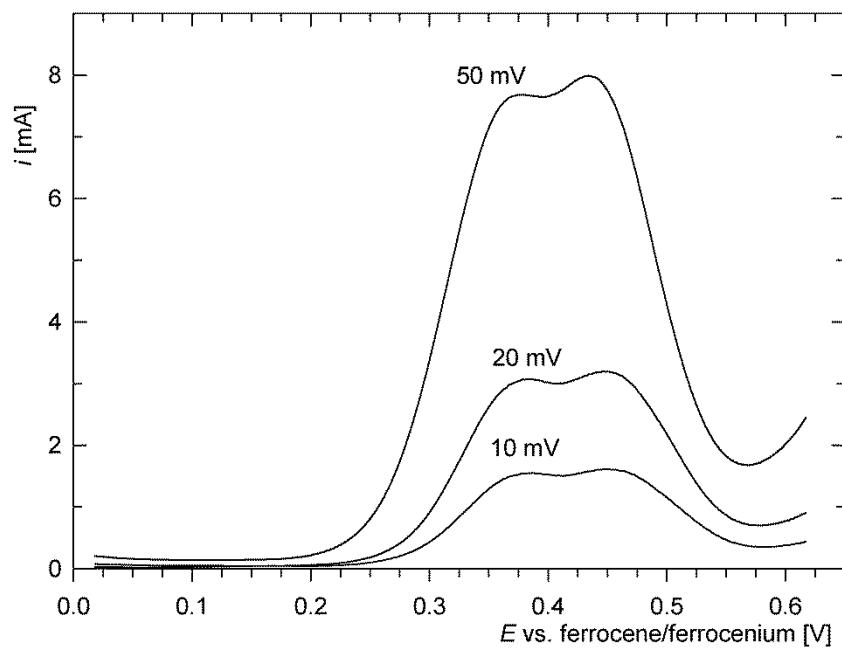


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Differential pulse voltammograms of complex **6c**



The voltammograms were recorded with different modulation amplitude (given in the Figure) at glassy carbon disc electrode in 1,2-dichloroethane containing 0.1 M $\text{Bu}_4\text{N}[\text{PF}_6]$ as the supporting electrolyte.