**Supporting Information for** 

# A Panchromatic Hybrid Crystal of Iodoplumbate Nanowires and *J*-aggregated Naphthalene Diimides with Long-lived Charge-separated States

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### **1. Experimental Details and Synthesis**

**Materials and Methods:** *N*-methylpyrrolidin-2-one (NMP, analytical reagent grade), PbI<sub>2</sub>, hydroiodic acid (55%, w/w), ethanol (analytical reagent grade) were obtained from commercial suppliers. All chemicals and reagents were used as received unless otherwise stated. NMR spectra were recorded with a Bruker Avance III 500 MHz NMR spectrometer. ESI mass spectra were recorded on a LCQ Fleet from Thermo Fisher Scientific. IR spectra were recorded in the range 4000-400 cm<sup>-1</sup> on a Perkin-Elmer FT-IR spectrum 2000 spectrometer with pressed KBr pellets. The electron spin resonance (ESR) measurements were recorded on a Bruker A300 instrument operating in the X-band at room temperature. Powder X-ray diffraction (PXRD) patterns were recorded with a Rigaku MiniFlex-II X-Ray diffractometer with Cu K $\alpha$  radiation ( $\lambda = 1.54178$  Å). TGA measurements were performed on a TG-209 system with a heating rate of 10 °C/min under an N<sub>2</sub>-atmosphere. UV-Vis diffuse reflectance spectra were recorded at room temperature on a Varian Cary 500 UV-Vis spectrophotometer equipped with an integrating sphere.

Synthesis of DPNDI: The organic ligand  $N,N^{\circ}$ -di(4-pyridyl)-1,4,5,8-naphthalene diimide (DPNDI) was synthesized following the reported process.<sup>[S1]</sup> <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, CF<sub>3</sub>COOD, 298K):  $\delta = 9.12$  (d, J = 7 Hz, 4H), 9.05 (s, 4H), 8.38 (d, J = 7 Hz, 4H). ESI-MS *m/z*: Calculated for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>12</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>4</sub>: 420.09, Found: 420.09.

Synthesis of  $(H_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$ : A solution (5 mL) of EtOH was carefully layered on a NMP (5 mL) solution of DPNDI (0.10 mmol, 0.042g), and 0.5 mL HI (55%, w/w). Red block crystals of complex  $(H_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$  were obtained after several days (*ca*. 65% yield based on DPNDI).

Synthesis of  $(Et_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$ : Iodoethane (3.12 g, 20 mmol) was added to a 1:1 mixture of MeCN/DMF (30 mL) in a round-bottomed three-necked flask, and then the DPNDI (2.10 g, 5 mmol) was added in the solution. After heating under reflux for 8 h, the reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature, and the precipitate was collected by filtration and washed with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>. (*ca.* 86% yield based on DPNDI). The solid was dissolved in MeCN/H<sub>2</sub>O (1/2, v/v), the filtrate was allowed to stand at room temperature, red block crystals of (Et<sub>2</sub>DPNDI) · (2I) were obtained within two days.

Synthesis of complex 1. A solution (5 mL) of EtOH was carefully layered on a NMP (5 mL) solution of DPNDI (0.03 mmol, 0.013g), PbI<sub>2</sub>, (0.09 mmol, 0.042 g) and 0.2 mL HI (55%, w/w). Black block crystals of complex 1 were obtained after several days (*ca.* 21% yield based on DPNDI). IR data (KBr, cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3425(m), 3047(w), 2968(w), 2897(m), 1697(m), 1635(s), 1537(m), 1363(s), 1287(m), 1209(m), 1124(w), 1086(w), 982(w), 885(w), 756(m), 662(m), 536(w).

### 2. Single Crystal X-ray Diffraction Analysis

#### 2.1. Methods and crystal data

Suitable single crystal of complex 1,  $(H_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$  and  $(Et_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$  were mounted on glass fiber for the X-ray measurement. Diffraction data were collected on a Rigaku-AFC7 equipped with a Rigaku Saturn CCD area-detector system. The measurement was made by using graphic monochromatic Mo K $\alpha$  radiation ( $\lambda$ = 0.71073 Å) at 293 K under a cold nitrogen stream. The frame data were integrated and absorption correction using a Rigaku CrystalClear program package. All calculations were performed with the SHELXTL-97 program package [S2], and structures were solved by direct methods and refined by full-matrix least-squares against F<sup>2</sup>. All non-hydrogen atoms were refined anisotropically, and hydrogen atoms of the organic ligands were generated theoretically onto the specific atoms except for the water molecules. The H atoms of water were located in difference Fourier maps and their positions were refined with O-H bond-length restraints of 0.84 Å. Crystallographic data have been deposited with the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Center as supplementary publication number CCDC 1024096, 1038297 and 1038298 for complex 1,  $(H_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$  and  $(Et_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$ , respectively. These data can be obtained free of charge from The Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre via www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data request/cif.

Complex	1	(H <sub>2</sub> DPNDI)·(2I)	(Et <sub>2</sub> DPNDI)·(2I)
Crystal size (mm)	0 34×0 27×0 14	0 40×0 18×0 15	0 34×0 22×0 15
Empirical Formula	$C_{58}H_{50}I_{12}N_{10}O_{12}Pb_4$	$C_{24}H_{16}I_2N_4O_5$	$C_{20}H_{22}I_2N_4O_4$
Formula weight	3430.64	694 21	732 30
Crystal system	Triclinic	Monoclinic	Monoclinic
Snace groun	P_1	$C^{2/c}$	P2/c
space group	1 - 1 11 361(2)	15 786(3)	12/0
$u(\mathbf{A})$	11.301(2) 12.250(2)	15.780(5) 9.5020(17)	12.000(2) 7 4721(15)
$\mathcal{D}(\mathbf{A})$	15.230(5)	8.3029(17)	1.4/21(13)
с (А)	15.5/2(3)	1/.61/(4)	16.822(6)
α (°)	66.81(3)	90.00	90.00
β (°)	78.10(3)	102.38(3)	117.21(2)
γ (°)	74.92(3)	90.00	90.00
$V(Å^3)$	2066.4(7)	2309.6(8)	1342.1(6)
Ζ	1	4	2
<i>Dc</i> (g/ cm <sup>3</sup> )	2.757	1.996	1.812
μ(Mo Ka) (mm <sup>-1</sup> )	12.662	2.769	2.385
<i>F</i> (000)	1528	1336	712
<b>Collected reflections</b>	19971	9225	12197
Independent reflections	9307 (0. 0378)	2651	3064
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.038	1.179	1.074
$R_1^a, wR_2^b (I > 2\sigma(I))$	0.0404, 0.0933	0.0305, 0.0749	0.0535, 0.1329
$R_{1^{a}}, wR_{2^{b}}$ (all data )	0.0599, 0.1059	0.0319, 0.0757	0.0606, 0.1386

Table S1. Crystal Data and Structure Refinements for 1,  $(H_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$  and

 $(Et_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I).$ 

 Table S2. Hydrogen Bonds for complex 1.

D-H/A	D-H (Å)	HA (Å)	DA (Å)	<d-h a<br="">(deg)</d-h>	symmetry
O6-H32BO4	0.841(10)	2.14(7)	2.852(9)	143(9)	-x+2, -y+1, -z+1
N1-H1O5	0.86	1.93	2.729(12)	153.7	-x+1, -y+3, -z
N3-H3AO6	0.86	1.83	2.673(10)	167.8	_

### 2.2. Crystal structure



**Figure S1.** Portions of the X-ray structures of the hybrid crystal **1** composed of iodoplumbate nanowires and protonated naphthalene diimides.



**Figure S2.** The X-ray structures of the  $(H_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$ .



**Figure S3.** The X-ray structures of the  $(Et_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$ 

# 3. UV/Vis diffuse reflectance spectra



Figure S4. UV/Vis diffuse reflectance spectrum of DPNDI at room temperature.



**Figure S5.** UV/Vis diffuse reflectance spectrum of (Bu<sub>4</sub>N)[PbI<sub>3</sub>] at room

temperature.<sup>[S3]</sup>



**Figure S6.** UV/Vis diffuse reflectance spectrum of  $(H_2DPNDI) \cdot (2I)$  at room

temperature.



Figure S7. UV/Vis diffuse reflectance spectrum of  $(Et_2DPNDI)$ ·(2I) at room temperature.

# 4. X-ray Powder Diffraction



Figure S8. Comparison of the simulated and synthesized PXRD for complex 1.

### 5. Thermogravimetric analyses



Figure S9. TGA data of 1

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