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Supporting Information

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Three new co-crystals of hydroquinone: Crystal structures and Hirshfeld surface analysis of intermolecular interactions

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Bondlength [Å] of the hydroquinone entities in the structures **1**, **2** and **3**.

Compound	HQa(1)	HQb(1)	HQa(2)	HQa(3)	HQb(3)	HQc(3)	HQd(3)
Cx1-Ox1	1.3836(14)	1.3770(14)	1.366(2)	1.3829(16)	1.3816(15)	1.3824(14)	1.3747(15)
Cx1-Cx2	1.3865(18)	1.3868(18)	1.389(2)	1.3901(17)	1.3851(17)	1.3893(17)	1.3878(17)
Cx2-Cx3	1.3879(17)	1.3854(17)	1.386(3)	1.3849(18)	1.3921(17)	1.3894(17)	1.3867(18)
Cx3-Cx4	1.3869(16)	1.3916(16)	1.388(3)	1.3921(16)	1.3922(18)	1.3843(16)	1.3912(18)
Cx4-Cx5			1.390(3)	1.3902(18)			
Cx5-Cx6			1.383(3)	1.3874(18)			
Cx6-Cx1			1.390(3)	1.3896(16)			
Cx4-Ox4			1.375(2)	1.3691(16)			

Bondangles [°] of the hydroquinone entities in the structures **1**, **2** and **3**.

Compound	HQa(1)	HQb(1)	HQa(2)	HQa(3)	HQb(3)	HQc(3)	HQd(3)
Cx2-Cx1-Ox1	122.64(10)	122.34(10)	123.02(17)	122.52(10)	117.29(11)	122.36(10)	118.19(11)
Cx6-Cx1-Ox1	117.48(11)	117.88(11)	117.75(16)	117.60(11)	122.37(11)	117.26(10)	122.53(11)
Cx1-Cx2-Cx3	119.99(11)	120.12(10)	120.33(17)	119.97(11)	120.29(12)	119.31(11)	120.51(12)
Cx2-Cx3-Cx4	120.13(12)	120.11(12)	120.17(17)	120.33(11)	119.38(11)	120.33(11)	120.21(11)
Cx3-Cx4-Cx5	119.88(11)	119.77(11)	119.68(17)	119.57(12)	120.33(11)	120.36(11)	119.28(11)
Cx4-Cx5-Cx6			119.94(17)	120.16(11)			
Cx5-Cx6-Cx1			120.65(17)	120.08(11)			
Cx6-Cx1-Cx2			119.23(17)	119.88(11)			
Cx3-Cx4-Ox4			122.49(16)	117.47(11)			
Cx5-Cx4-Ox4			117.83(16)	122.94(11)			
Variation of angle	0.13	0.23	0.67	0.43	0.62	0.69	0.72

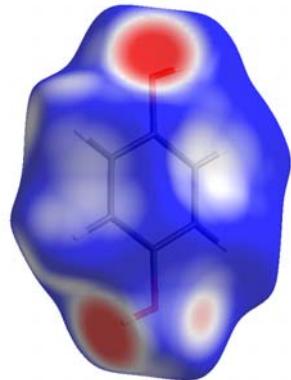
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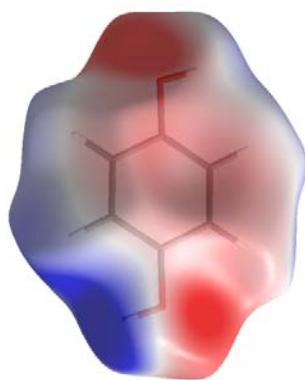
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a) Hirshfeld surface of HQa(**1**) with d_{norm} ranging from -0.5 Å (blue) to 0.5 Å (red). b) The electrostatic potential plotted on the Hirshfeld surface of HQa(**1**) with values from 0.05 a.u. in the blue to -0.05 a.u. in the red region. c) The electrostatic potential plotted on an isosurface of the electron density of 0.001 au of HQa(**1**) with values from 0.05 a.u. in the blue to -0.05 a.u. in the red region.

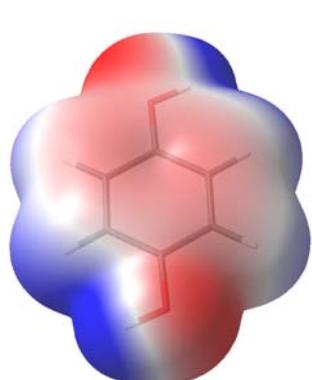
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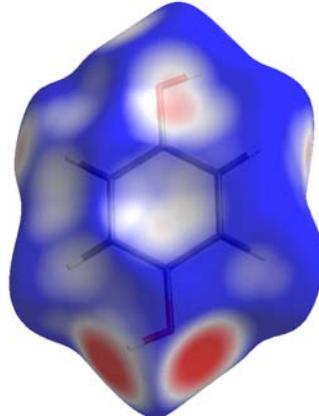


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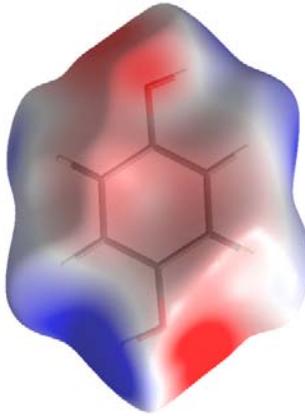


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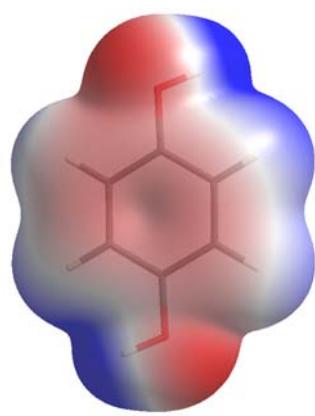
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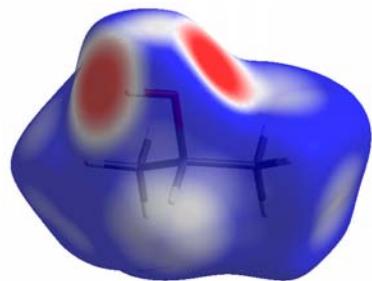
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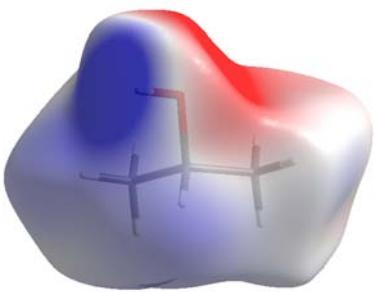
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- a) Hirshfeld surface of propan-2-ol(**1**) with d_{norm} ranging from -0.5 Å (blue) to 0.5 Å (red).
b) The electrostatic potential plotted on the Hirshfeld surface of propan-2-ol(**1**) with values from 0.05 a.u. in the blue to -0.05 a.u. in the red region. c) The electrostatic potential plotted on an isosurface of the electron density of 0.001 au of propan-2-ol(**1**) with values from 0.05 a.u. in the blue to -0.05 a.u. in the red region. d) Same as a) turned ~180°. e) Same as b) turned ~180°. f) Same as c) turned ~180°.

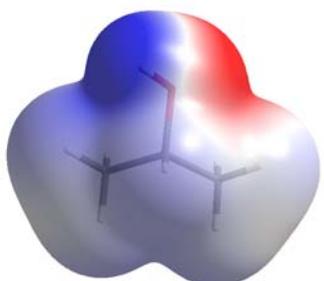
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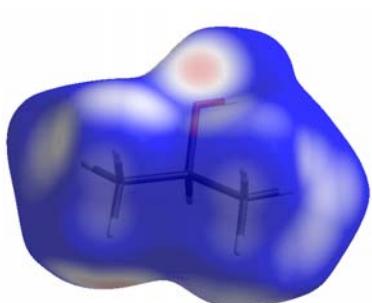
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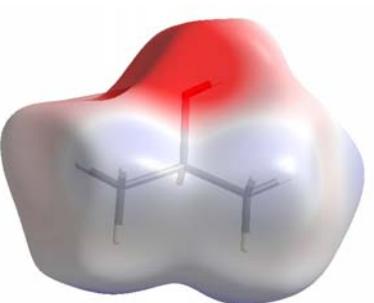
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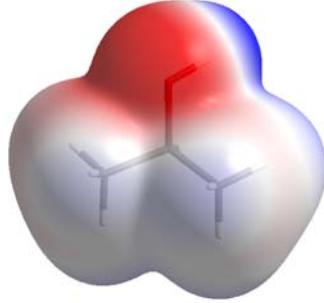
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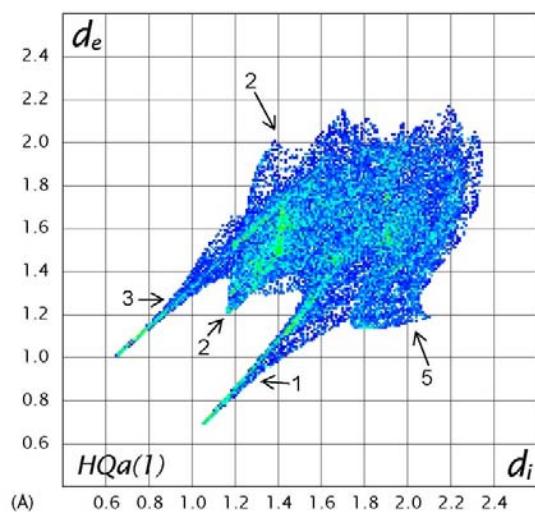
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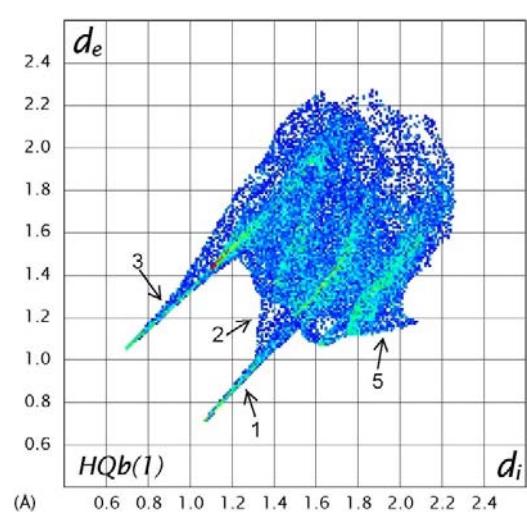
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Fingerprint plots of the hydroquinone molecules a) HQa(1), b) HQb(1) and c) propan-2-ol(1) going from left to right. Close contacts are divided into 5 regions; 1 is O···H, 2 is H···H, 3 is H···O, 4 is H···C and 5 is C···H.

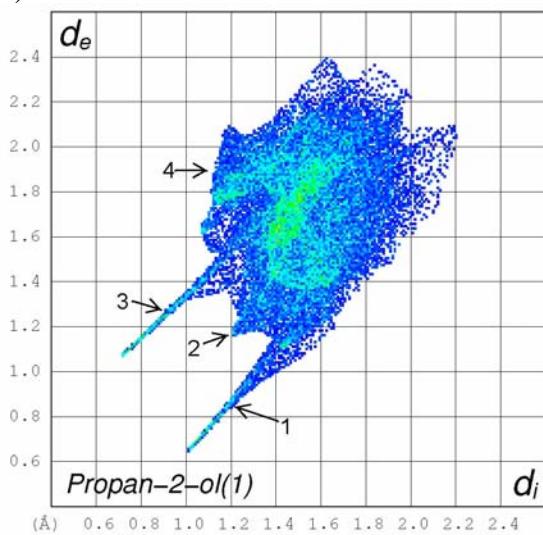
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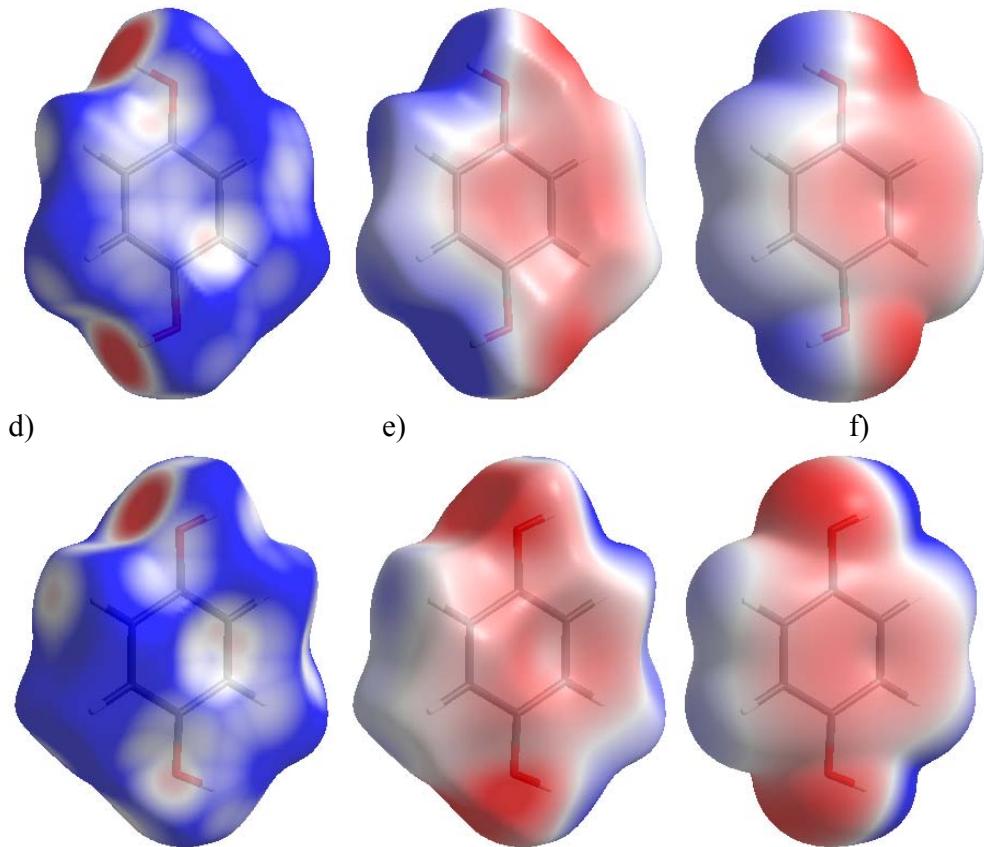
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a) Hirshfeld surface of HQa(2) with d_{norm} ranging from -0.5 Å (blue) to 0.5 Å (red). b) The electrostatic potential plotted on the Hirshfeld surface of HQa(2) with values from 0.05 a.u. in the blue to -0.05 a.u. in the red region. c) The electrostatic potential plotted on an isosurface of the electron density of 0.001 au of HQa(2) with values from 0.05 a.u. in the blue to -0.05 a.u. in the red region. d) Same as a) turned ~180°. e) Same as b) turned ~180°. f) Same as c) turned ~180°.

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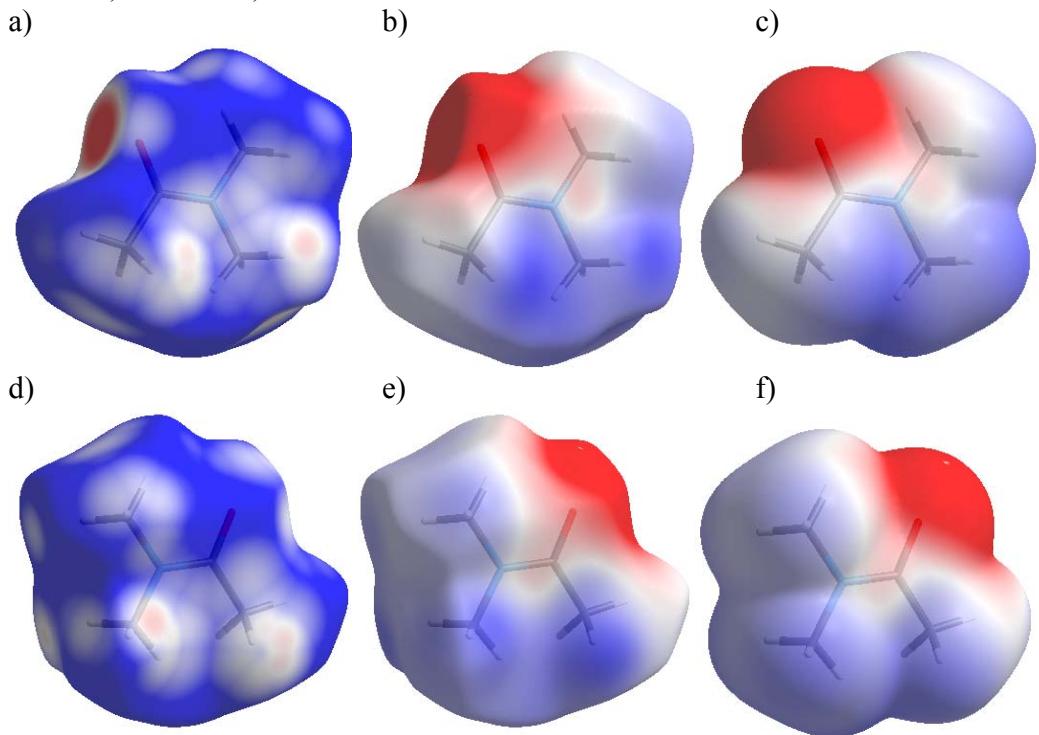


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a) Hirshfeld surface of DMA with d_{norm} ranging from -0.5\AA (blue) to 0.5\AA (red). b) The electrostatic potential plotted on the Hirshfeld surface of DMA with values from 0.05 a.u. in the blue to -0.05 a.u. in the red region. c) The electrostatic potential plotted on an isosurface of the electron density of 0.001 au of DMA with values from 0.05 a.u. in the blue to -0.05 a.u. in the red region. d) Same as a) turned $\sim 180^\circ$. e) Same as b) turned $\sim 180^\circ$. f) Same as c) turned $\sim 180^\circ$.



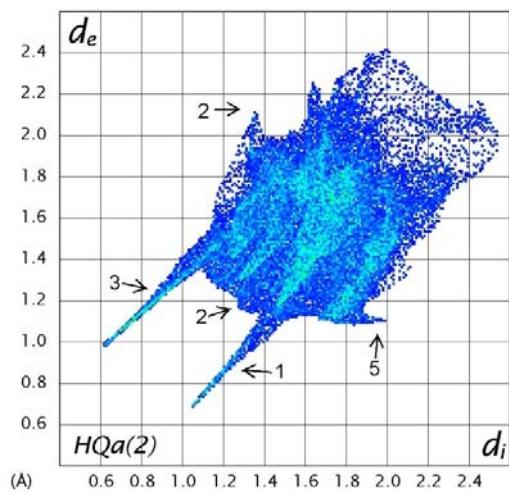
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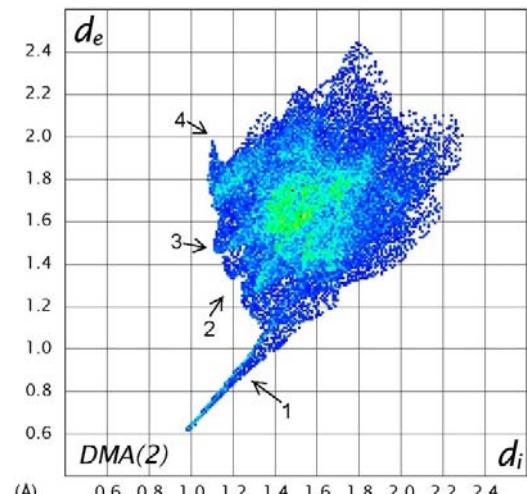
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Fingerprint plots of the hydroquinone molecules a) HQa(2) and b) DMA. Close contacts are divided into 5 regions; 1 is O···H, 2 is H···H, 3 is H···O, 4 is H···C and 5 is C···H.

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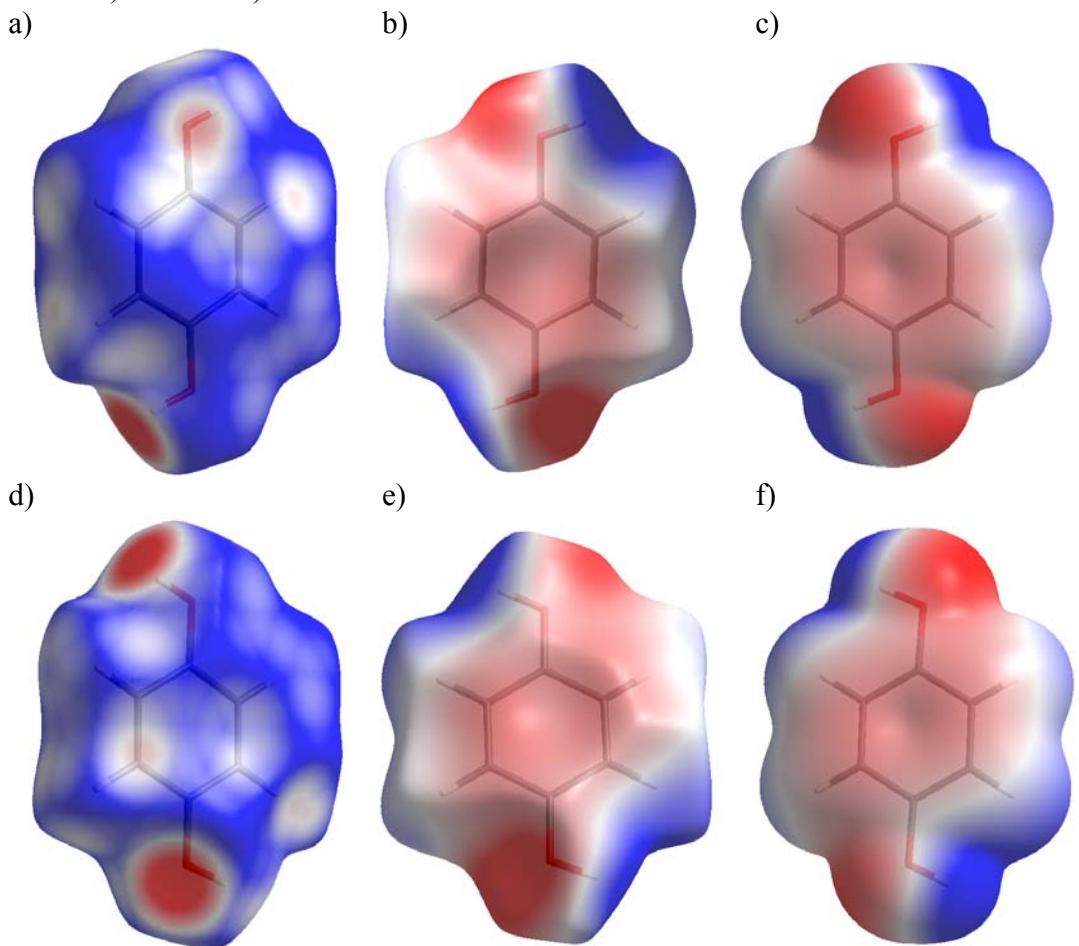


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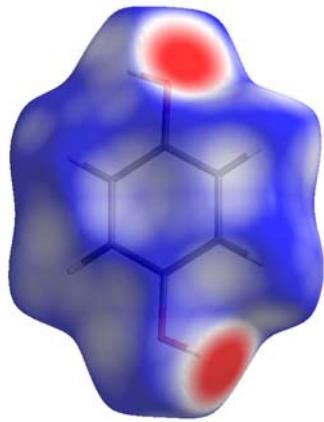
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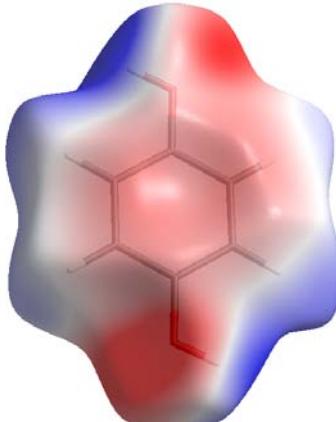
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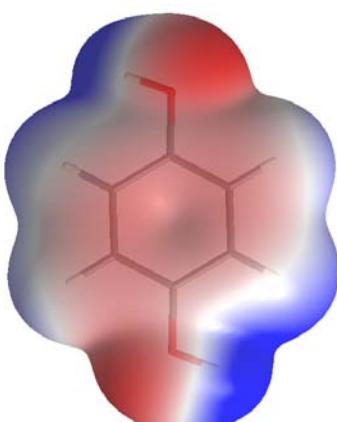
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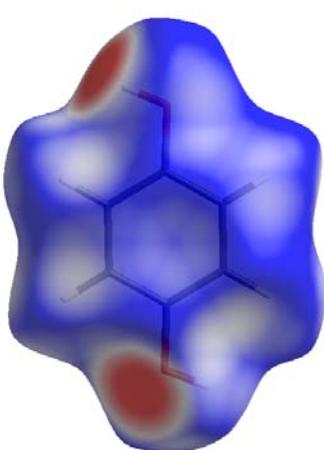


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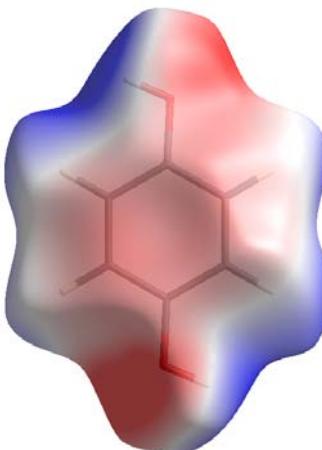


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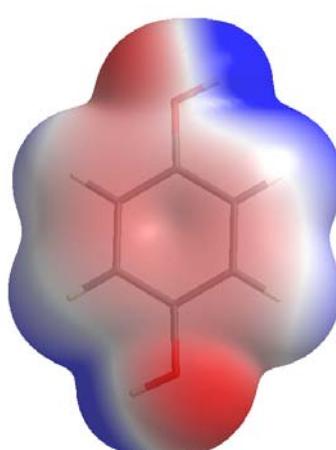
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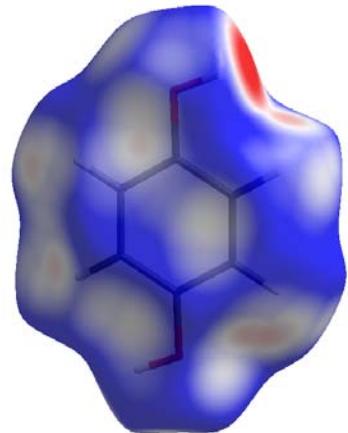
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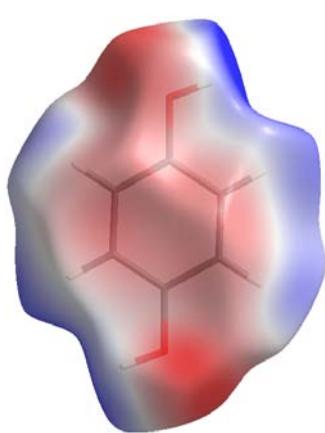
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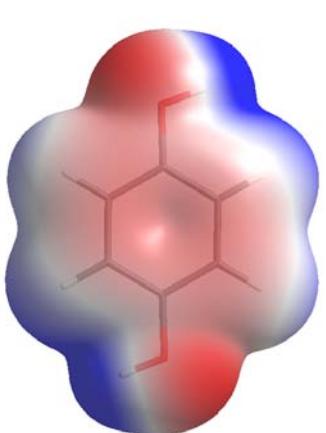
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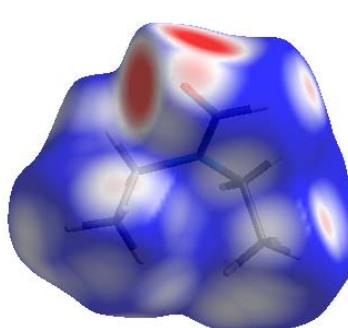


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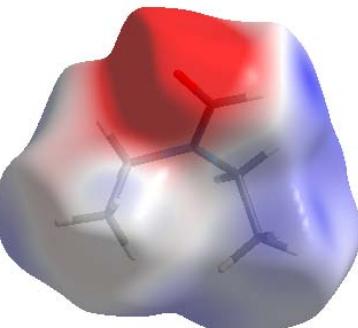


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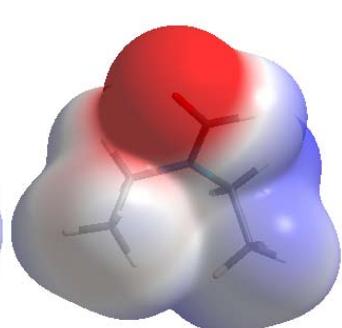
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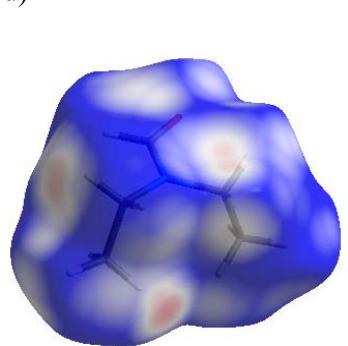
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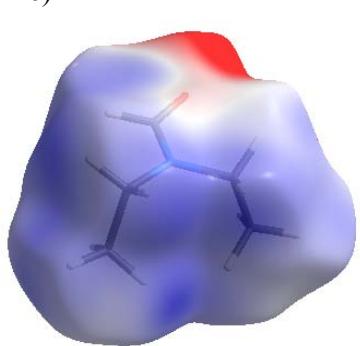
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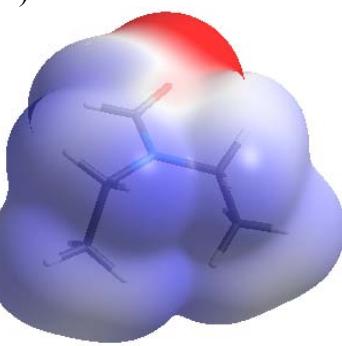
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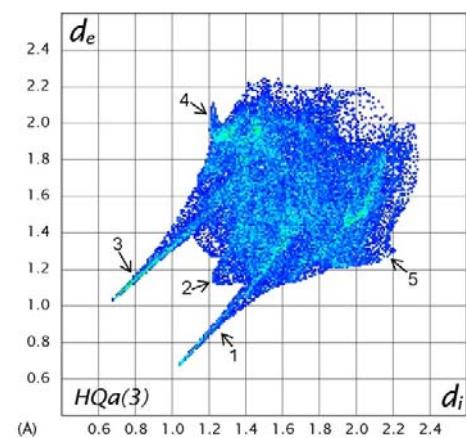
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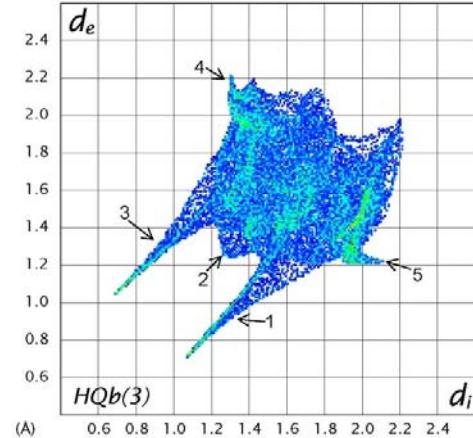
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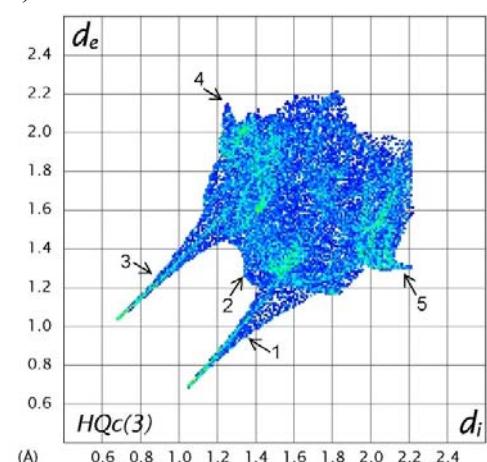
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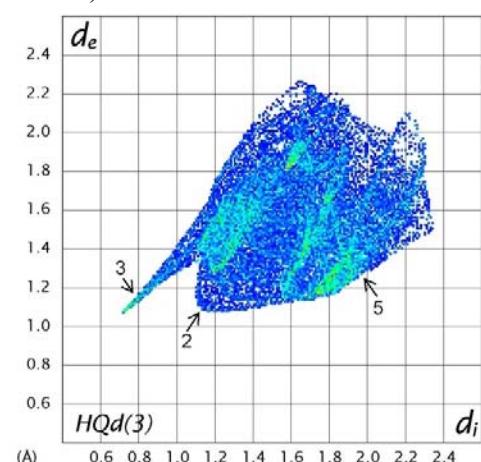
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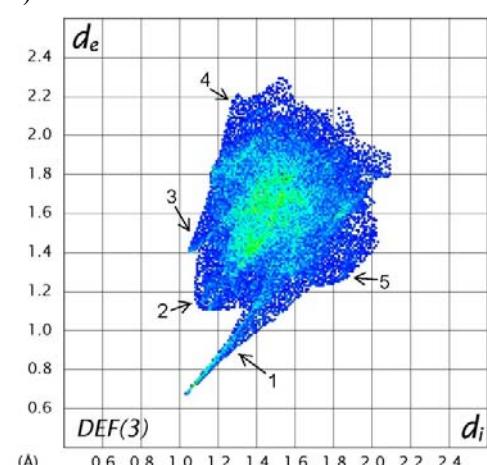
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Table of calculated dipole moments of **1**, **2** and **3** in Debye.

Molecule	Dipole moment / [Debye]	Conformation
HQa(1)	0	Trans
HQb(1)	0	Trans
Propan-2-ol(1)	1.662	
HQa(2)	2.7316	Cis
DMA(2)	4.2132	
HQa(3)	0.3215	Trans
HQb(3)	0	Trans
HQc(3)	0	Trans
HQd(3)	0	Trans
DEF(3)	4.3433	