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## **Optically Active Copper(II) Phthalocyanine Supramolecules Induced by Peripheral Group Homochirality**

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## Synthesis of CuPc-(S)

A typical synthetic procedure of CuPc-(S) was described: 4(5),4'(5'),4''(5'')-Tetracarboxyphthalocyanate <sup>20</sup> copper(II) (Wako, 0.10 g) was reacted with SOCl<sub>2</sub> (20 mL) in *o*-dichlorobenzene (40 mL) in the presence of catalytic amount of pyridine to give copper(II) 4(5),4'(5'),4''(5''),4'''(5''')-tetrakis(chlorocarbonyl)phthalocyanine. After removing *o*-dichlorobenzene and SOCl<sub>2</sub> in a reduced pressure, the resulting solid and (S)-1-(*p*-tolyl)ethylamine (0.068 g, 0.50 mmol) in a dry pyridine (5 mL) was reacted at 100 °C for 24 h. The crude solid was washed with hexane repeatedly and dried in a vacuum overnight. The crude product was purified by silica gel column chromatography

 $_{25}$  (CHCl<sub>3</sub>/methanol = 100/2 (v/v)) and collected as a first purple fraction (CuPc-(S)). Because a very small amount of the product was isolated, the product was not weighed. CuPc-(R) and CuPc-(RS) were prepared by the similar methods, respectively.



**Scheme S1**. Synthetic route of 4(5),4′(5′),4′′(5′′),4′′′(5′′′)-tetrakis{(*S*)-(1-(*p*-tolyl)ethylaminocarbonyl}phthalocyanate copper(II), CuPc-(*S*).







Figure S2. FT-IR spectrum of (a) CuPc-(R), (b) CuPc-(S) and (c) CuPc-(R,S).

Frequencies / cm <sup>-1</sup>			
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
J <sub>N-H</sub>	$J_{\text{Ar-C-H}}$ $J_{\text{C-H}}$	J <sub>C=0</sub>	$J_{ m C-N}$ and $\delta_{ m C-H}$
3265	2962, 2922, 2854	1631	1540



Figure S3. CD and UV-vis spectra of CuPc-(S)  $(5.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol/L})$  in DMF at 25 °C.



Figure S4. CD and UV-vis spectra of CuPc-(RS)  $(5.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol/L})$  in CHCl<sub>3</sub> at 25 °C.

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Figure S5. CD spectra of CuPc-(S) and CuPc-(R)  $(5.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol/L})$  in chloroform at 25 °C.



**Figure S6**. VSM curves of CuPc-(*R*) on mica casting from chloroform solution  $(1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol/L})$  at 25 °C. The VSM curves of CuPc-(*R*) involved the contribution from that of mica because mica itself has its own VSM characteristics.



**Figure S7**. EPR spectrum of CuPc-(*S*)  $(1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol/L})$  in chloroform at room temperature measured by JEOL JES-FA 100.



**Figure S8**. AFM images and section analysis of specimen on mica cast from dilute chloroform solutions of (left) CuPc-(S)  $(1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol/L})$  and (right) CuPc-(R)  $(1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol/L})$ .



**Figure S9**. AFM imaging of NiPc-(*R*) specimen on mica prepared by cast from its chloroform solution ( $8 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L). The image was re-edited from the original data appeared in Figure 3a of Ref. 9. AFM image was recorded on a Seiko s SPI3800N atomic force microscope with dynamic force mode and a standard silicon probe with a 14 N/m spring constant.



Figure S10. (left) AFM imaging and (right) its MFM imaging of CuPc-(R) specimen on mica prepared by cast from its chloroform solution (1 × 10<sup>-4</sup> mol/L), conducted by a Veeco NanoScope IIIa with AFM and MFM modes.