chemistry and physics of low dimensional molecular conductors



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δ-(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂Asf

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TMTTF TMTSF



a typical molecular metal: (TMTSF)₂•+PF₆-

electrocrystallization

an invaluable tool for the construction of electroactive molecular solids

one single, day-to-weeks experiment

achieves:

- carriers generation
- carriers stabilization by delocalization/localization within stacks / slabs (intermolecular conjugation)
- electrostatic self-assembly / auto-templating into bi-continuous O-I hybrid frameworks



allows:

• halogen-bonded co-assembly into ternary systems upon engaging neutral functional π -conjugated spacers



$I_{org} \cdots I_{inorg}$ halogen bonding interactions

EDT-TTF- I₂

associate in CH₃CN :

with either :

- the corner-sharing, perovskite-layerlike 2D polymer (BuNH₃⁺)₂(PbI₄²⁻) or
- the edge-sharing 2D polymer PbI_2

in the presence of NaI

Best crystals typically under controlled rhythmic reversal of the current flow in the e-cell (0.7 s in oxidation coupled to 0.3 s in reduction), see Hünig et al. *Eur. J. Inorg. Chem* **1999**, 899.



omas Devic



e-crystallization upon controlled rythmic reversal of dc current flow



early example, see Hünig et al., Eur. J. Inorg. Chem. 1999, 899

 $\beta - (I_2 - EDT - TTF)^{+} [(Pb_{5/6} \Box_{1/6} I_2)^{1/3}]_3$



Single crystals!!

• a bi-continuous hybrid composite

T. Devic

• pseudo-intercalation of β -slab into lacunar,

edge-sharing (CdI₂-type), [Pb_(1-x)I₂]^(-2x) hexagonal single layers •interfacial Halogen-bonding : C-I···I = 3.81 and 4.09 Å

charge balance from lead site occupancy

electrocrystallization laboratory



single crystals by Cécile Mézière - June 2006

 δ -(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂AsF₆ et δ -(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂Br β -(EDT-TTF-I₂)₂⁻⁺[(Pb_{5/6} $\square_{1/6}$ I₂)^{1/3-}]₃ β -(EDT-TTF-I₂)₂⁻⁺[(Pb_{2/3+x}Ag_{1/3-2xx}I₂)^{1/3-}]₃ x \approx 0.05 β' -(EDT-TTF-I₂)₂PbI₃·H₂O Kagome-(EDT-TTF-CONH₂)₆[Re₆Se₈(CN)₆] $\beta - (EDT - TTF - I_2)_2 [HO_2C - CH = CH - CO_2^{-1}]_{1-x} [-O_2C - CH = CH - CO_2^{-1}]_x$ $[(rac), (R) \text{ et } (S)-(EDT-TTF-Me-Oxazoline)]_2X (X = AsF_6, PF_6, Au(CN)_2)$ chemistry and physics of intermolecular interactions act in unisson

objectif cet après-midi :

- crystal engineering of π -conjugated systems: getting familiar with redox chemistry and intermolecular interactions
- how to reveal a hidden structural detail relevant to pertinent features of a complex electronic structure and lying behind a beautiful low dim physics



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OUTLINE

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Siegfried Hünig's

Reversible 2-Steps Redox Systems of the Violene Type



resonance / conjugation





Hückel formalism: treat heteroatom/group as a perturbation



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tetrathiafulvalene

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characterization of redox properties: cyclic voltammetry experiments





Dans 0.1 M TBAHP/CH₂Cl₂ :

E(Fc⁺/Fc) = +0.405 V vs. SCE = +0.425 V vs. Ag/AgCl

E(Dichloronaphtoquinone) = -0.87 V vs. Fc*/Fc = -0.465 V vs. SCE = -0.445 vs. Ag/AgCl



FIGURE 1. Values of the oxidation potential for a wide variety of donors (on left) and the reduction potential for a number of acceptors (on right) in Volts. (For meaning of symbols, see References.)

Torrance Mol. Cryst. Liq. Cryst. 1985, 126, 5567



VS

 π -acceptors



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intermolecular interactions

- p_{π} - p_{π} overlap, π - π , vdW, H- and Hal-bonding
- direct the structure
- weak

"Directing the Structures and Collective Electronic Properties of Organic Metals: the Interplay of Overlap Interactions and Hydrogen Bonds" **K. HEUZÉ, M. FOURMIGUÉ, P. BATAIL, E. CANADELL, P. AUBAN-SENZIER** *Chem. Eur. J.* **5(9)**, 2971-2976 (1999)

"Activation of Hydrogen and Halogen Bonding Interactions in Crystalline Molecular Conductors"

M. FOURMIGUE, P. BATAIL

Chem. Rev. 104, 5379-5418 (2004)

π - π interactions

interactions between π -conjugated closed shell molecules

quadrupoles - quadrupoles interactions



C. A. Hunter and J. K. M. Sanders, J. Am. Chem. Soc. 1990, 112, 5525



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pentacene, a paradigm for π - π interactions / stacking







herring-bone pattern of intermolecular interactions

C. A. Hunter and J. K. M. Sanders, J. Am. Chem. Soc. 1990, 112, 5525

1) normal hydrogen bonds

2) weak hydrogen bonds: C_{sp}^{3} -H···X and C_{sp}^{2} -H···X

 $D-H^{\delta+} \bullet \bullet \bullet A^{\delta-}$

 electrostatic, between an H-bond donor and an H-bond acceptor

directional

vanishes very slowly with distance

Fourmigué, Batail Chem. Rev. 2004, 104, 5379

O-H···O et N-H···O: normal hydrogen bonds

$NH_4^+ \cdots OH_2$	19 kcal mole ⁻¹	0.8 eV
HO-H···CI-	13.5 kcal mole ⁻¹	0.6 eV
HO-H··OH ₂	5 kcal mole ⁻¹	0.2 eV

CH···X: weaker hydrogen bonds $HC \equiv C-H···OH_2$ 2.2 kcal mole⁻¹ $H_2C \equiv C-H···OH_2$ 1 kcal mole⁻¹

 $1 \text{ kcal mole}^{-1} = 4.33641146 \ 10^{-2} \text{ eV}$

$[C_6H_5-NH_3^+][Me_3TTF-PO_3H^-] \xrightarrow{-e^-} [Me_3-TTF^+-PO_3H^-]$



A. Dolbecq et al. *Chem. Eur. J.*, **2(10)**, 1275-1282 (1996)

REDOX ACTIVATION



- Redox state (off/on)
- Intermolecular interactions
- Molecular recognition (binding strenght)
- Competition : charges and spins localization (magnetism)
 vs delocalization (transport)

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β'' -(EDT-TTF-CONHMe)₂[Cl⁻·H₂O]



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Chem. Mater. 2000, 12, 1898-1904



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low dimensional *molecular* solids

intermolecular interactions (those which direct the structure: p_{π} - p_{π} overlap, vdW, H- and Hal-bonding) are weak

understanding crystal and electronic structure correlation: easier (back of the envelop arguments) in materials with stronger, covalent and/or ionic interactions

it is a much more delicate task to look for such correlations for systems with weak interactions because we lack the kind of feeling and control of the relative weight of the different interactions, all of which are weak



Purpose: how to reveal a hidden, apparently innocuous structural detail relevant to pertinent features of their electronic structures and lying behind a beautifull physics ?

basic concepts: orbitals and bands in one-dimension

working with small, simple things:




Tableau 3.1 Table de caractères du groupe C_n (*n* pair). C_n^m représente la rotation d'angle $\frac{2\pi m}{n}$. Les opérations E et C_2 correspondent respectivement aux valeurs m=0 et m=n'=n/2. La dernière ligne reproduit les caractères de la représentation $\Gamma_{\phi_j} = \{(\phi_j)_{-n'+1}, \dots, (\phi_j)_0, \dots, (\phi_j)_{n'}\}$ vis-à-vis des différentes rotations.

C_n		E	C_2	C_n	C_n^{-1}	••••
$\Gamma_\ell, \ell=0,\pm 1,$	$\ldots, \pm (n'-1), n'$	1	(−1) ^ℓ	$\exp(\frac{-2i\pi\ell}{n})$	$\exp(\frac{2i\pi\ell}{n})$	
Γ_{ϕ_j}		n	0	0	0	
C_n^m	C_n^{-m}		С;	n'-1	$C_n^{-n'+1}$	
$\exp(\frac{-2mi\pi\ell}{n})$	$\exp(\frac{2mi\pi\ell}{n})$		ex	$\exp(\frac{2(1-n')i\pi\ell}{n})$	$\exp(\frac{2(n'-1)}{n})$	<u>iπℓ</u>)
0	0		0		0	

$$(\Psi_j)_{\ell} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sum_{m=-n'+1}^{n'} \exp(i\frac{2\pi m\ell}{n})(\phi_j)_m$$





Roald Hoffmann Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. 1987, 26, 846-878

- R varie par intervalles de 27 /Na k = 0 $\psi_0 = \sum_{m} e^{\circ} \chi_m = \sum_{m} \chi_m = \chi_0 + \chi_1 + \chi_2 + \chi_3^{+-}$ $k = \frac{T'_{a}}{r_{a}} + \frac{\sum_{m} e^{\pi i m} \chi_{m}}{\sum_{m} \sum_{m} \sum_{m$ -0-0 $k = -\pi/a$

Band Width

····O····O····O····O····O



orbitals and bands in one dimension





see how they run:

 $\Psi_{\mathbf{k}} = \Sigma e^{i\mathbf{k}na}\chi_{n}$







the band of p orbitals runs down from zone center to zone edge

try predict the approximate band structure of K₂Pt(CN)₄ and K₂Pt(CN)₄Br_{0.3} without calculation



the Pt-Pt distance has been shown to be inversely related to the degree of oxidation of the materials



types of overlap



- type σ : strong, axis of rotation
 - type π : medium, lateral, co-planar
 - type d: weak, face-to-face

inventory of all possible modes of overlap within pairs of orbitals s, p or d along z





• a π band out of N p orbitals:



runs up, moderate yet sizeable dispersion

• a π band out of d_{xz} 's:

runs down, moderate yet sizeable dispersion

• a \bigcirc band out of $d_z^{2's}$:

runs up, dispersion is large

• a δ band out of d_{xy} 's:

runs up, barely (not quite flat though)

Bloch functions at the zone center (k = 0) and the zone edge (k = π/a)



$(2p_z)_i$ orbitals of the 4 carbon atoms (i = 1, 2, 3, 4) of cyclobutadiene















predicted considerations of band width and orbital topology



extended Huckel calculation at Pt-Pt = 3.0 Å



Com	plex	Pt valence	Pt-Pt (Å)	Color	Conductivity (Ω^{-1} cm ⁻¹)
Pt Metal		0	2.775•	Metallic	$\sim 9.4 \times 10^{4}$
K-[PU(CN)_]-3H_O		+ 2.0	3.48 •	White	5×10^{-7}
K ₂ [Pt(CN) ₄]Br _{0.3} ·3.0H ₂ O		+ 2.3	2.88°	Bronze	4-830
$K_{2}[Pt(CN)_{4}]Cl_{0,3}:3.0H_{2}O$		+ 2.3	2.874	Bronze	~200
K1 75[PI(CN)4]-1.5H2O		+ 2.25	2.96°	Bronze	~70-100
	5 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10				[see (119)]
Cs2[Pt(CN)4](FHF)0.39		+ 2.39	2.831	Gold	Unknown ^f
• See (115).	^c See (117).	* See (119).		• See (114).	
* See (116).	^d See (118).	' See (138).			2 5

Table 5 Chain-forming tetracyanoplatinate complexes

more than one unit per unit cell :

chemists fold bands too !

More than one electronic unit in the unit cell. Folding bands.





butadiene





butadiene













stays still there before going back down (equilibrium)





folding bands







band diagram of a dimerized system. Peierls. electron count. 2k_F

the chemist's intuitive feeling for what a model chain of hydrogen atoms would do:
















2.4 polyacetylene





Figure 5.3 Système d'axes permettant de décrire l'éthylène et le polyacétylène se trouvant dans le plan x Oz.





Figure 5.4 Diagramme énergétique des orbitales moléculaires de l'éthylène. Le lecteur désirant avoir plus d'informations à son sujet pourra consulter les références [1] et [2].











strong bonding: σ type $p_{\pi} - p_{\pi}$ overlap eclipsed and diamagnetic

discrete, mixed valence dimer in $(TTF)_2$ [Re₆S₅Cl₉]



milder bonding: π *type* $p_{\pi} - p_{\pi}$ *overlap* slipped and *paramagnetic*

vdW $\leftrightarrow \pi - \pi \leftrightarrow$ recouvrements $p_{\pi} - p_{\pi}(\rho)$





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TCNQ





















at $\Gamma = 0$, the in-phase combination is bonding







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FIG. 2. Band structure near the Fermi level for the room temperature and ambient pressure structure of TTF-TCNQ. $\Gamma = (0,0,0), X = (1/2,0,0), Y = (0,1/2,0), \text{ and } Z = (0,0,1/2)$ in units of the monoclinic reciprocal lattice vectors. Energy is given relative to the Fermi level.





TMTSF-DMTCNQ

ρ **= 0.5**

- Peierls transition suppressed at 9 kbars
 - Metallic down to liquid helium temperatures under 10 kbars



instead of 0.59 in TTF-TCNQ





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a typical molecular metal: (TMTSF)₂•+PF₆-





TTF



TMTTF TMTSF

<u>centers of symmetry</u> allow for any amount of dimerization



2 to 1



2 molecules per unit in chain along a

Bechgaard and Fabre salts

a typical molecular metal: (TMTSF)₂PF₆









Figure 18. $(TMTSF)_2PF_6$: first observation of organic superconductivity (under a pressure of 9 kbar). (Reprinted with permission from ref 49. Copyright 1980 EDP Sciences.)



Figure 20. (TMTSF)₂ClO₄: first observation of organic superconductivity at ambient pressure. (Reprinted with permission from ref 93. Copyright 1981 American Physical Society.)

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1D / 2D Band Structures and Fermi Surfaces



see, Mark V. Kartsovnik Chem. Rev. 2004, 104, 5737

a series of 2D metals

yet with two different types of charge carriers with different dimensionality



α -(BEDT-TTF)₂[M⁺Hg²⁺(QCN⁻)₄]⁻ $M = TI, K, NH_4; Q = S, Se$



Rousseau, Figueras, Canadell J. Mol. Struct. (Theochem) 1998, 424, 135

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modifying the electronic structure





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predict band diagram and conductivity



3:12-





molecular engineering and band filling

change the anion charge

• change electron count by tuning the stoichiometry

"Modulating the Framework Negative Charge Density in the System BDT-TTP⁺⁺/[Re₆S₅Cl₉^{1–}]/[Re₆(S/Se)₆Cl₈^{2–}]/[Re₆S₇Cl₇^{3–}]: Templating by Isosteric Cluster Anions of Identical Symmetry and Shape, Variations of Incommensurate Band Filling, and Electronic Structure in 2D Metals" **S. PERRUCHAS, K. BOUBEKEUR, E. CANADELL, Y. MISAKI, P. AUBAN-SENZIER, C. PASQUIER, P. BATAIL** *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **130(11)**, 3335-3348 (2008)



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Morita-Nakasuji's TTF-imidazole



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redox activated hydrogen bonding allows to control stoichiometry



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redox activated hydrogen bonding allows control of stoichiometry

(TTF-Im)₂(CHL)



redox activated hydrogen bonding allows control of stoichiometry

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uniform stacks

(TTF-Im)₂(CHL)









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EDT-TTF-CONH₂ vs $Re_6Se_8(CN)_6$]^{4-/3-}



6 EDT-TTF-CONH₂ + $Re_6Se_8(CN)_6$]^{4-/3-}





 $(EDT-TTF-CONH_2)_6^{(4-\rho)+} [Re_6Se_8(CN)_6]^{(4-\rho)-}$



 $|\beta|$ homo-homo

intradimer 0.7062 eV

interdimer 0.1375 eV

Canadell

$(EDT-TTF-CONH_2)_6^{(4-\rho)+} [Re_6Se_8(CN)_6]^{(4-\rho)-}$



$(EDT-TTF-CONH_2)_6^{(4-\rho)+} [Re_6Se_8(CN)_6]^{(4-\rho)-}$





single crystal esr



Coulon, Clérac

ESR conductivity

Donnees kagome



sigma

carriers











XRD vs P: Sandra Carlsson, Dave Allan, Paul Attfield - U of Edimburg
Conclusion: Mott localization



molecular motion (softness of interfacial H-bond interactions)

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try and control the property

HOW ?

keeping with Kagome lattice

• change anion charge !

substitute one Re(III) for one Os(IV)



 $[{\rm Re^{III}}_{6}{\rm Se}_{8}({\rm CN})_{6}]^{4-}$



 $[\operatorname{Re^{III}}_{5}\operatorname{Os^{IV}Se}_{8}(\operatorname{CN})_{6}]^{3-}$

Baudron, Batail + Tulski, Long France-Berkeley Program 2001-02

$(EDT-TTF-CONH_2)_6^{(4)+} [Re_6Se_8(CN)_6]^{(4)-}$



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CH···X: weaker hydrogen bonds $HC \equiv C-H···OH_2$ 2.2 kcal mole⁻¹ $H_2C = C-H···OH_2$ 1 kcal mole⁻¹

halogen bonds: comparable to normal hydrogen bonds

C-CI···N=C2.4 kcal mole⁻¹0.1 eV CF_3 -I···NH_36 kcal mole⁻¹0.3 eV

 $1 \text{ kcal mole}^{-1} = 4.33641146 \ 10^{-2} \text{ eV}$

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halogen bonding in the solid state: as strong and even more directional than hydrogen bonding



Fourmigué, Batail Chem. Rev., 104(11), (2004)

halogen bonding in the solid state: as strong and even more directional than hydrogen bonds





also probing the extend of a covalent component to halogen bonding:

Anne-Lise Barrès

$(EDT-TTF)_8(p-BIB) \bullet [Re_6Se_8(CN)_6]$

8:1:1 n:2:1 n:3:1









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δ -(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂X, X = AsF₆⁻, Br⁻

genuine 3/4-filled band Mott insulators



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glide plane imposed by the C_1 Molecular Symmetry



t_{||} = + 71 meV despite criss-cross overlap:





total bandwidth is 0.31 eV for AsF_6^- : very similar to (TMTTF)₂Br which, however, has a small dimerization gap of 0.027 eV

Enric Canadell

Mott insulator!!:

the underlying mechanism for fermions localization can only come from the quarter-filling umklapp



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decrease Mott gap by applying chemical pressure:

$V (AsF_6^-) = V (Br^-) + 76 Å^3$

	× =	Br		$X = AsF_6^-$			
Temperature / K	150	295	100	150	295		
a/Å	6.480(1)	6.5049(9)	6.422(1)	6.4459(8)	6.4622(3)		
Ь/Å	6.9762(9)	7.1097(4)	7.0157(8)	7.0618(9)	7.2419(4) -	→7	kbar
c/Å	32.671(9)	32.691(3)	35.465(5)	35.562(4)	35.557(2)		
α/°	90	90	90	90	90		
β/°	90	90	90	90	90		
γ/°	92.45(2)	90	92.26(1)	91.73(1)	90		
V/Å ³	1475.6(5)	1511.9(3)	1596.6(3)	1618.0(3)	1664.0(2)		





total bandwidth is 0.31 eV for AsF_6^- : very similar to (TMTTF)₂Br which, however, has a small dimerization gap of 0.027 eV

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Table 4. Main parameters of the calculated band structure for δ -(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂Br at room temperature (RT) and 150 K, and δ -(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂AsF₆ at 100 K.

W _c , meV	W _a , meV	W _a ', meV
371	84	194
423	66	149
309	42	103
	W _c , meV 371 423 309	W _c , meV W _a , meV 371 84 423 66 309 42

Transport sous pression : σ_c(P) à T ambiante

forte augmentation de σ (P) à basse pression (régime localisé)

puis dépendance linéaire (idem (TM)₂X) (régime métallique)

à partir de X= AsF₆: décalage de 7 kbar / X=Br et de 15 kbar / (TMTTF)₂PF₆



(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂X



Q-1D ¹/₄ filled systems

NON-DIMERIZED

 $\Delta_{\rm dim} = 0$

(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂X, X=AsF₆, Br



"Phase diagram of quarter-filled band organic salts, [EDT-TTF-CONMe₂]₂ X, X =AsF₆ and Br" P. AUBAN-SENZIER, C. R. PASQUIER, D. JEROME, S. SUH, S. E. BROWN, C. MEZIERE, P. BATAIL Phys. Rev. Lett. 102, 257001 (2009)



¹³C NMR Spectrum recorded at T = 200 K and applied field B = 10.007 T. For arbitrary orientations, there are four non-equivalent sites (labelled A1, A2, B1, B2)

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 $T_1^{-1}(B) / T_1^{-1}(A) = (\rho_B / \rho_A)^2$

large and T independent charge ratio $r_B / r_A = 9 / 1$ 10 <T< 200K

Charge ratio $\approx 3 / 1$ in (DI-DCNQI)₂Ag, K.Hiraki, K. Kanoda., *PRL* 80, 4737 (1998) (TMTTF)₂AsF₆, F. Zamborszky et al., *PRB* 66, 081103(R) (2002)

full refinement and analysis of symmetry of 3D CO structure based on single crystal synchrotron X-ray data

identify

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Br — Pmna at 300 K for averaged structure one independent molecule in asymetric unit



do NOT allow for charge ordering

twinned monoclinic structure below 190 K



keeps with local two-fold axial symmetry about a



Change in the γ lattice angle across the structural phase transition. Blue rhombuses and red circles below the transition are data points for the two different twin domains in the monoclinic phase.





	Bruker 4-circle CCD, Angers	Synchrotron SOLEIL
	Pmna, 2	?, 4
collected	18647	42335
independent	2333	12895
<i>R</i> ₁ [<i>I</i> >2σ(<i>I</i>)]	0.0331	0.0521

a large collection of systematic absences reflections to work with in orthorhombic symmetry

Table 5. Number of systematic absence exceptions* in the orthorhombic double unit cell of δ -(EDT-TTF-CONMe₂)₂Br at room temperature.

compatible with		<i>a</i> = 7.112	26(5) Å	<i>b</i> = 13.025	0(7) Å	c = 32.75	59(1) Å		
Pmnn, P2nn, P2	2 ₁ 2 ₁			(double ax	is)				
	3 	$b \perp x$	$2_1 \parallel x$	$n \perp y$	2 ₁ <i>y</i>	$a \perp z$	$b \perp z$	$n \perp z$	2 ₁ z
	N**	6678	31	2549	79	1017	1097	828	217
P2nn	N, <i>I</i> >3σ(<i>I</i>)	231	4	60	0	17	24	17	6
	< <i>I</i> /σ(<i>I</i>)>	0.7	1.2	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.6
	Absence	0 <i>k1</i> :	<i>h</i> 00:	h0l:	0 <i>k</i> 0:	hk0:	hk0:	hk0:	00/:
	conditions	k=2n+1	h=2n+1	h+l=2n+1	k=2n+1	h=2n+1	k=2n+1	h+k=2n+1	<i>l</i> =2 <i>n</i> +1
	(*) Only n	agible au	n natru ali	monto (i o u	with low a	(D> ro)	tic) are lie	tad in tha tab	10

(*) Only possible symmetry elements (i.e. with low $\langle I/\sigma(I) \rangle$ ratio) are listed in the table.

(**) N is the number of reflections satisfying the absence conditions.

analysis of synchrotron data

two independent molecules in asymetric unit



in agreement with CO


activation of large collections of CH…O hydrogen bonds in synchronicity with CO:





modulation of Br⁻ displacements







(c)



anti-phase modulation

3D charge ordered structure



P2nn compatible with ferroelectricty



Br static modulation wave





chimie et physique des interactions intermoléculaires faibles à l'unisson dans les conducteurs moléculaires en basse dimension