

Supplementary Information

Connectivity and Topology Invariance in Self-Assembled and Halogen-Bonded Anionic (6,3)-Networks

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Table S1. Variation of ^{19}F NMR chemical shift of 1,3,5-triodotrifluorobenzene (**1**) upon interaction with some onium bromides and iodides when 10 equivalents of the onium salt was added to a 5 mM solution of **1** in deuteriochloroform.

1	1+<i>n</i>-Pr₄NBr	1+Et₄PBr	1+Et₄NBr	1+<i>n</i>-Pr₄NI	1+Et₄NI	1+Et₄PI
-69.900 ppm	-69.928	-69.932	-69.972	-70.015	-70.060	-70.062
$\Delta\delta_{\text{F}}$ (ppm) ^a	0.028	0.032	0.072	0.115	0.160	0.162

^a $\Delta\delta_{\text{F}}$ (ppm) = $\delta_{5 \text{ mM } \mathbf{1}} - \delta_{5 \text{ mM } \mathbf{1} + 10 \text{ eq. onium halide}}$.

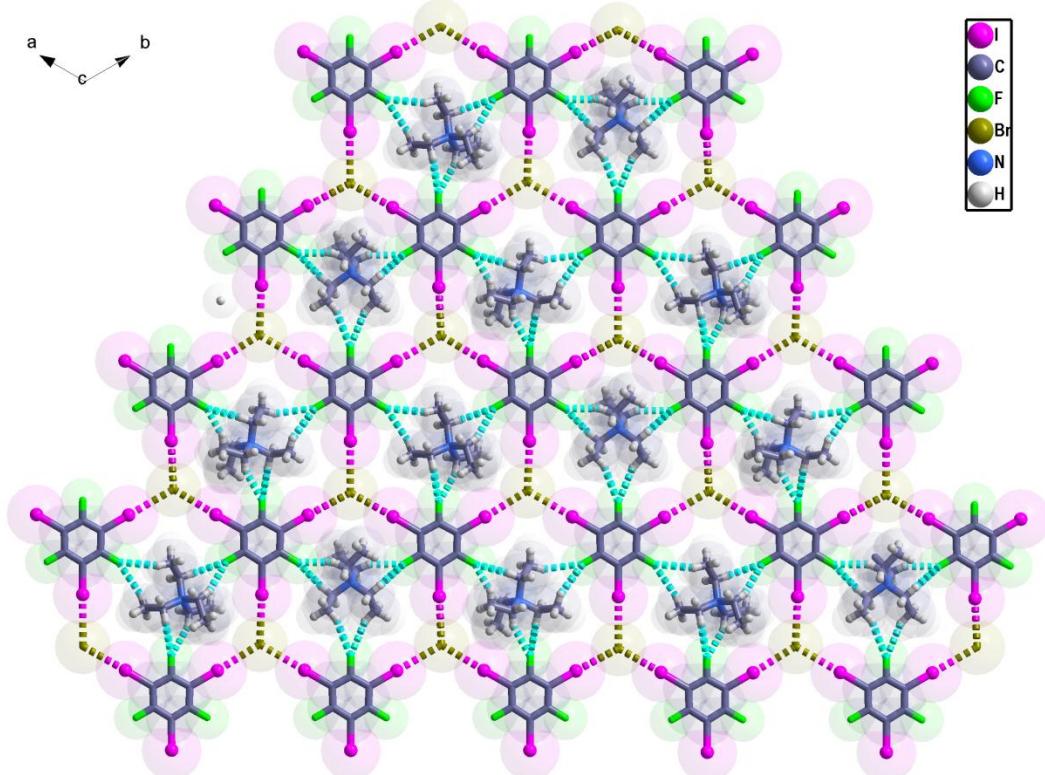


Figure S1. A 2D sheet in the crystal structure of **3c** showing weak hydrogen bonds (turquoise dotted lines) occurring between the fluorine atoms of **1** and the hydrogen atoms of **2c**. A semitransparent space-filling model is shown as superimposition of all atoms.

Table S2. Crystallographic data and structure refinement parameters for **3c** and **3d**.

Compound	3c	3d
Formula	C ₁₄ H ₂₀ BrF ₃ I ₃ N	C ₁₄ H ₂₀ BrF ₃ I ₃ P
Molecular weight	719.92	736.88
Temperature (K)	123	123
Crystal system	Trigonal	Trigonal
Space group	R $\bar{3}$ c	R $\bar{3}$ c
<i>a</i> (Å)	20.424(3)	20.409(3)
<i>c</i> (Å)	26.218(4)	27.511(4)
α (°), β (°)	90.00	90.00
γ (°)	120.00	120.00
Volume (Å ³)	9471(2)	9924(2)
Z	18	18
Crystal size (mm ³)	0.33 × 0.31 × 0.13	0.14 × 0.09 × 0.05
μ (mm ⁻¹)	6.37	6.15
F(000)	5976	6120
No. of measured, independent and observed reflections	39029, 4371, 3585	26542, 4531, 3316
$\theta_{min}, \theta_{max}$ (°)	1.9, 34.5	1.9, 34.5
<i>R</i> _ave	0.026	0.034
<i>wR</i> ₂ _all, <i>wR</i> ₂ _obs	0.078, 0.076	0.091, 0.087
GOOF	1.084	1.004
$\Delta Q_{min}, \Delta Q_{max}$ (e Å ⁻³)	-0.68, 1.86	-0.85, 2.13
CCDC number	1576571	1576572

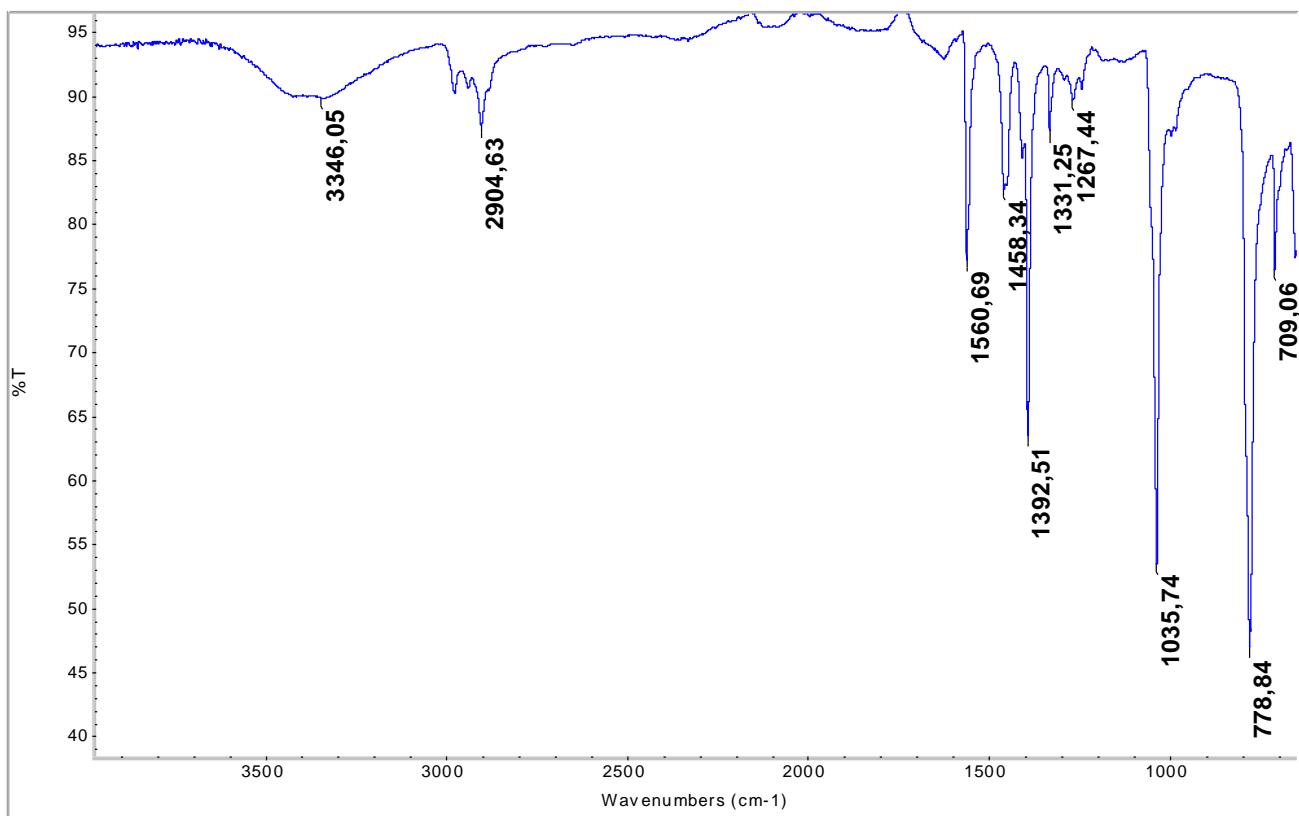
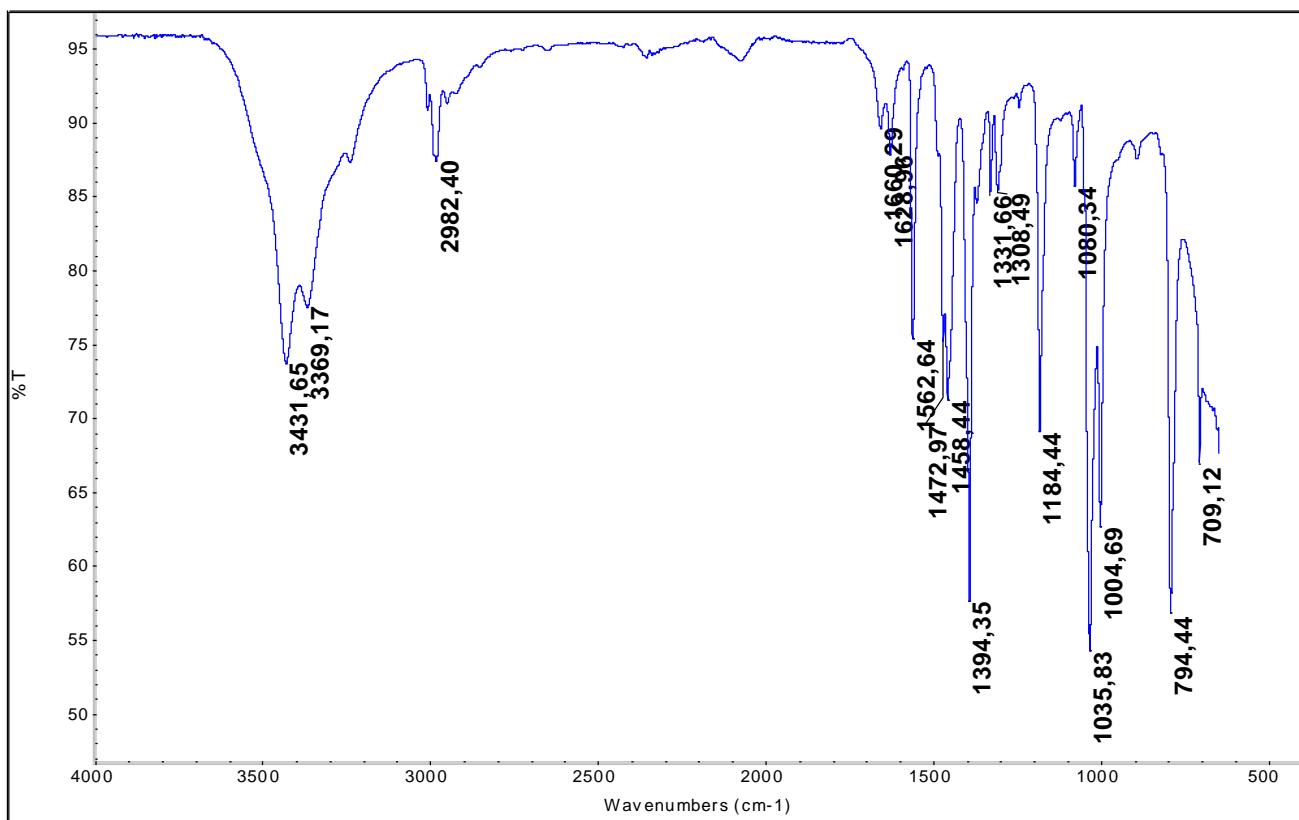


Figure S2. FT-IR spectra of compounds **3c** (top) and **3d** (bottom).

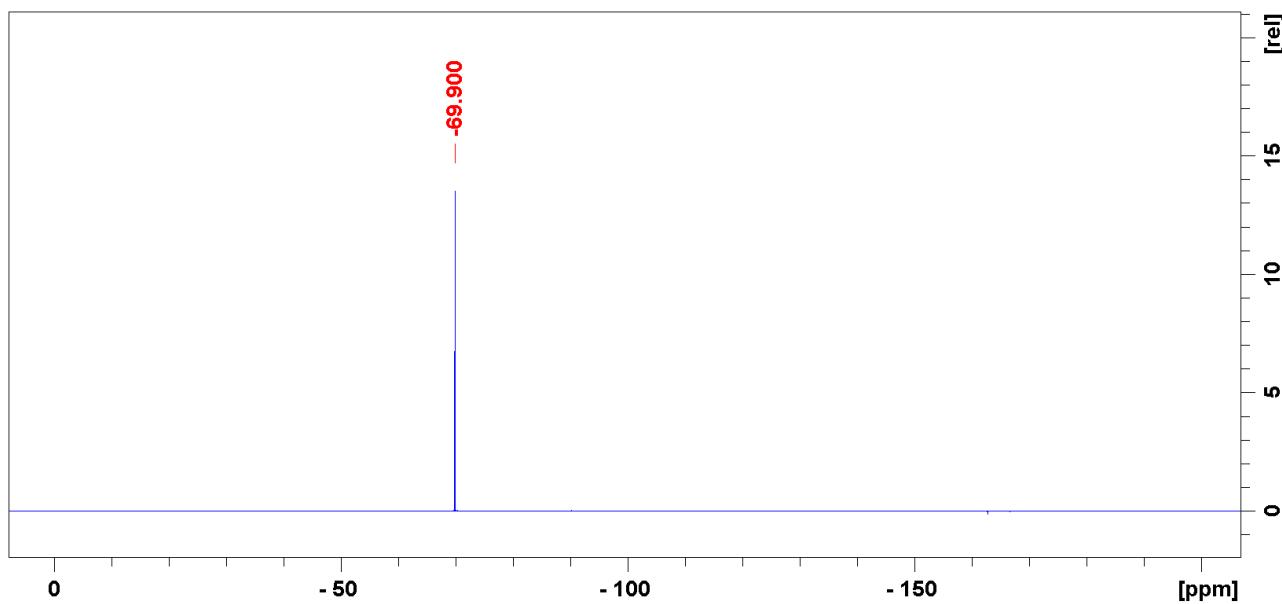


Figure S3. ¹⁹F-NMR spectrum of 1,3,5-trifluorotriiodobenzene (**1**) in CDCl₃.

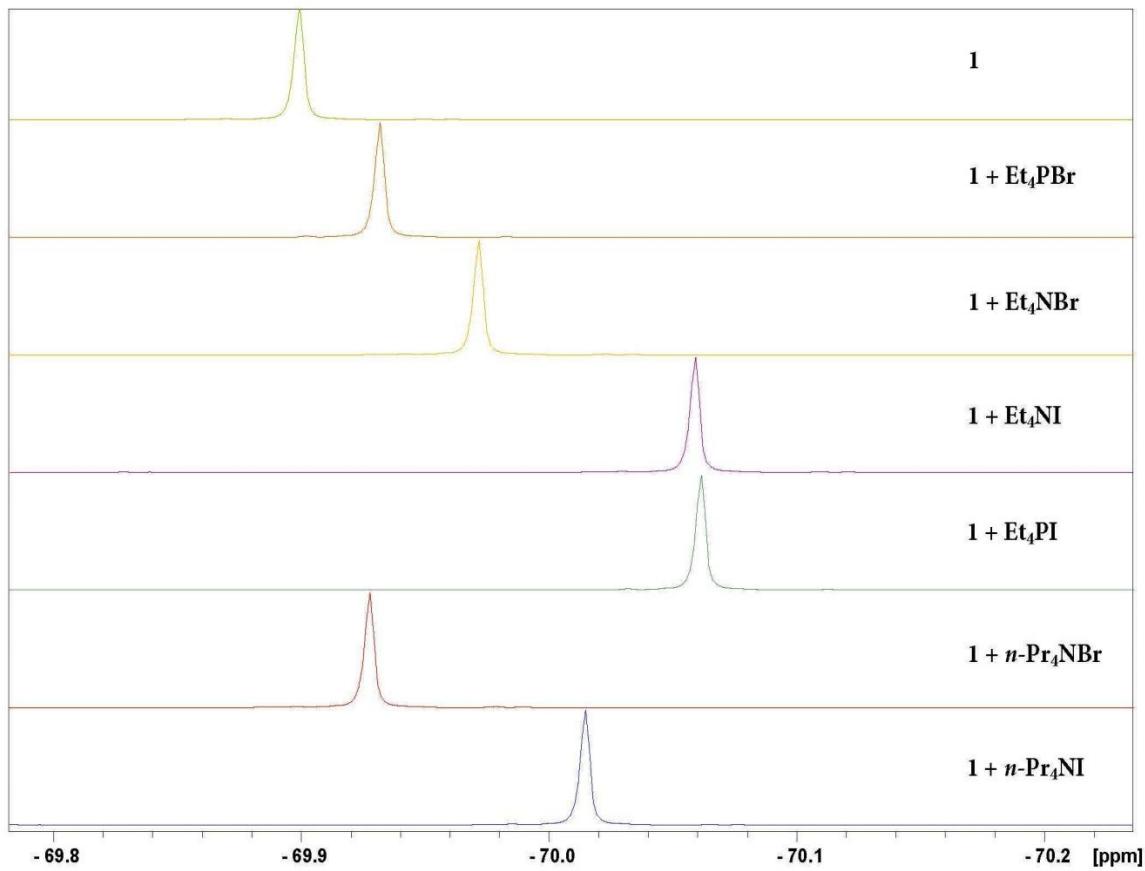


Figure S4. ¹⁹F-NMR spectra of 1,3,5-trifluorotriiodobenzene (**1**, 0.05 mM solution in CDCl₃) upon addition of ten equivalents of the respective onium salt.

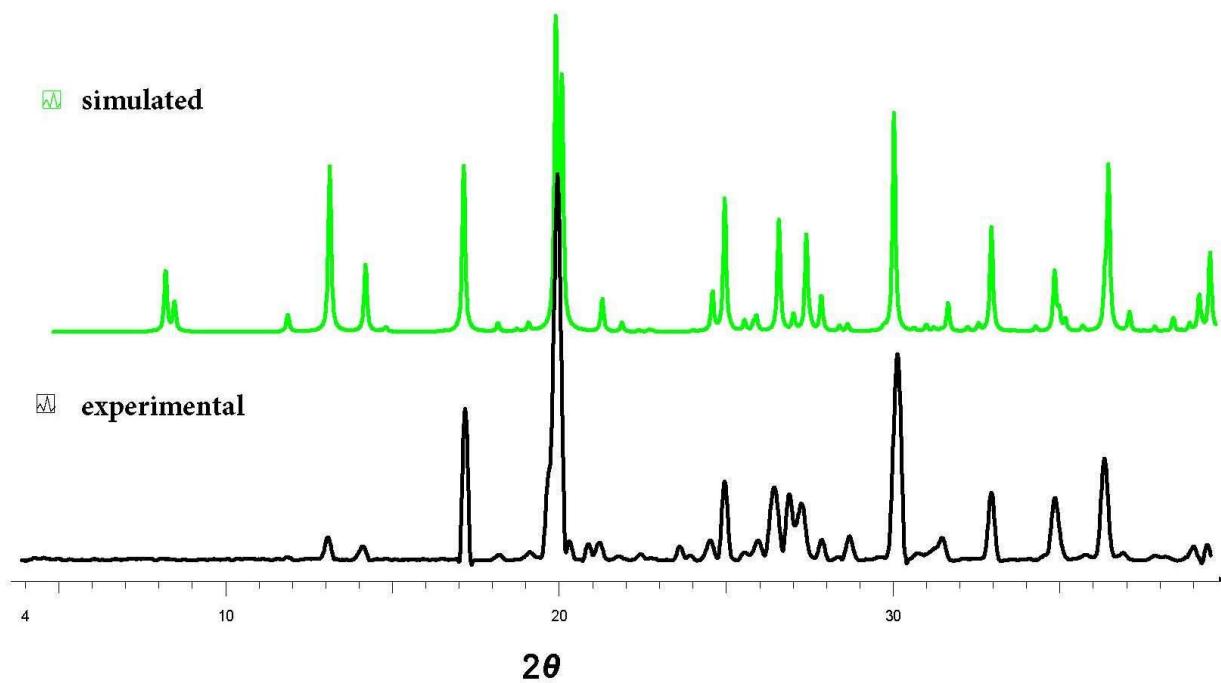


Figure S5. Powder X-ray Diffraction pattern of compound 3c.