



# Supplementary Materials: Chiral Radical Cation Salts of Me-EDT-TTF and DM-EDT-TTF with Octahedral, Linear and Tetrahedral Monoanions <sup>†</sup>

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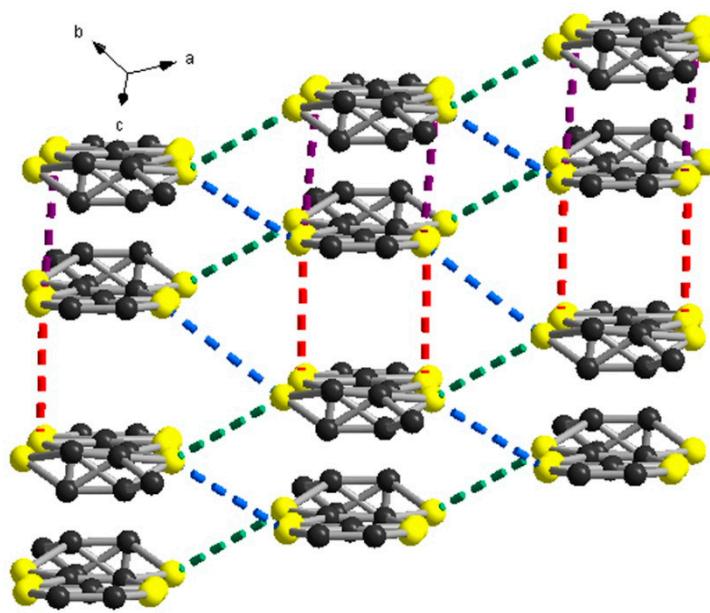
† Dedicated to the memory of Professor Peter Day.

## Single crystal X-ray crystallography

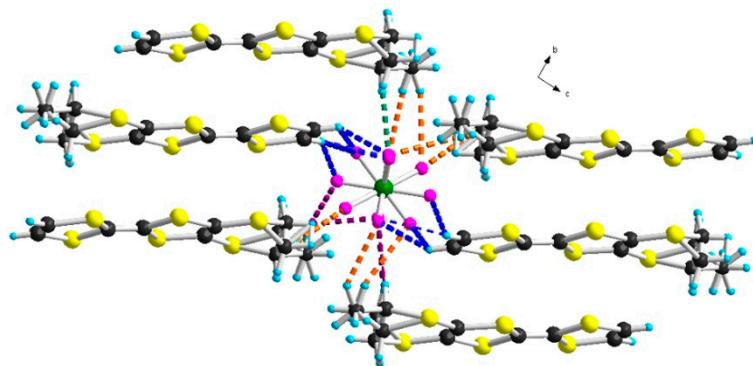
**Table S1.** Crystal Data and Structure Refinement for [(rac)-**1**]<sub>2</sub>AsF<sub>6</sub>, [(S)-**1**]<sub>2</sub>AsF<sub>6</sub> and [(R)-**1**]<sub>2</sub>AsF<sub>6</sub>.

	[(rac)- <b>1</b> ] <sub>2</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub>	[(S)- <b>1</b> ] <sub>2</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub>	[(R)- <b>1</b> ] <sub>2</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub>
formula	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>16</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub> S <sub>12</sub>	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>16</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub> S <sub>12</sub>	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>16</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub> S <sub>12</sub>
M [g mol <sup>-1</sup> ]	805.95	805.95	805.95
T [K]	150.01(10)	293(2)	149.9(5)
crystal system	Triclinic	Triclinic	Triclinic
space group	P-1	P1	P1
<i>a</i> [\AA]	6.6856(4)	6.6936(2)	6.690(5)
<i>b</i> [\AA]	13.4236(7)	8.4895(3)	8.486(5)
<i>c</i> [\AA]	8.4692(4)	13.4079(5)	13.366(5)
$\alpha$ [°]	92.809(4)	92.746(3)	92.550(5)
$\beta$ [°]	90.048(4)	90.233(3)	90.285(5)
$\gamma$ [°]	113.180(4)	113.000(3)	112.966(5)
<i>V</i> [\AA <sup>3</sup> ]	697.70(7)	700.32(4)	697.8(7)
<i>Z</i>	1	1	1
<i>Q</i> calcd [ g/cm <sup>3</sup> ]	1.918	1.911	1.918
$\mu$ [mm <sup>-1</sup> ]	10.541	10.502	10.540
Flack parameter	-	0.14(4)	0.490(13)
goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.044	1.102	1.093
final <sup>a</sup> R1/wR2 [I > 2σ(I)]	0.0322/ 0.0838	0.0436/ 0.1197	0.0947/ 0.2447
R1/wR2 (all data)	0.0336/ 1.044	0.0443/ 0.1226	0.0953/ 0.2451
CCDC number	2085699	2085700	2085701

<sup>a</sup>  $R(F) = \sum |F_o| - |F_c| / \sum |F_o|$ ;  $wR(F^2) = [\sum [w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2] / \sum [w(F_o^2)^2]]^{1/2}$



**Figure S1.** Layer of donors in the packing of  $[(rac)\text{-}\mathbf{1}]_2\text{AsF}_6$  with an emphasis on the S···S short contacts: red dotted lines (3.58 Å), purple dotted lines (3.61 Å), blue dotted lines (3.59–3.66 Å) and green dotted lines (3.65 Å).



**Figure S2.** C–H···F short contacts in the packing of  $[(rac)\text{-}\mathbf{1}]_2\text{AsF}_6$  (see Table S2).

**Table S2.** C–H···F hydrogen bonding distances ( $\text{\AA}$ ) and angles in [(*rac*)-1]<sub>2</sub>AsF<sub>6</sub>.

[( <i>rac</i> )-1] <sub>2</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub>				
type	C–H–F	d (H–F) $\text{\AA}$	d(C–F) $\text{\AA}$	$\angle(\text{C–H–F})^\circ$
CH vinyl	<b>C2– H2–F7</b>	2.5832(27)	3.3915(48)	145.60°
	<b>C1– H1–F6B</b>	2.4605(129)	2.9989(141)	116.95°
CH <sub>2</sub>	<b>C8B–H8D–F7</b>	2.4600(29)	3.4165(105)	168.77°
CH <sub>3</sub>	<b>C9– H9C–F5A</b>	2.4460(53)	3.3998(79)	172.17°
	<b>C9– H9E–F5A</b>	2.6560(51)	3.3998(79)	134.62°
	<b>C9– H9D–F5</b>	2.6352(81)	3.1301(93)	112.42°
CH	<b>C7B– H7B–F7</b>	2.4301(30)	3.3458(131)	155.14°

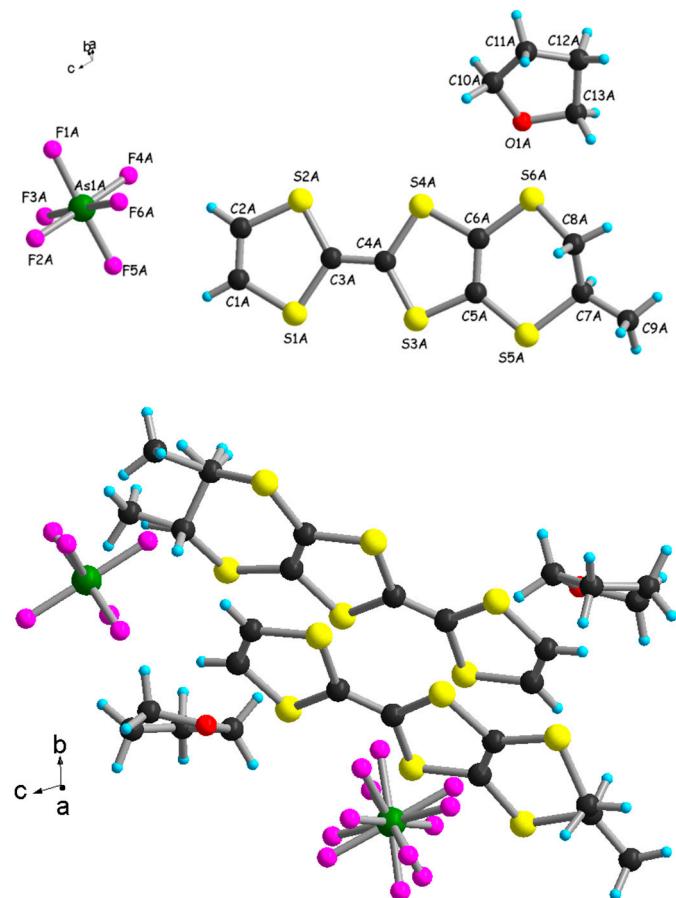
**Table S3.** C–H···F hydrogen bonding distances ( $\text{\AA}$ ) and angles in [(S)-1]<sub>2</sub>AsF<sub>6</sub>.

[(S)-1] <sub>2</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub>				
type	C–H–F	d (H–F) $\text{\AA}$	d(C–F) $\text{\AA}$	$\angle(\text{C–H–F})^\circ$
CH vinyl	<b>C1A– H1A–F1</b>	2.4476(92)	3.240(13)	143.22°
	<b>C2B–H2B–F4B</b>	2.4035(83)	3.172(13)	139.92°
	<b>C2B–F5–H2B</b>	2.6102(55)	3.4119(11)	144.74°
CH <sub>2</sub>	<b>C8A– H8A–F4B</b>	2.4970(76)	3.0937(96)	119.67°
CH <sub>3</sub>	<b>C9A– H9A–F4A</b>	2.4246(155)	3.0948(209)	126.58°
	<b>C9B– H9B–F1</b>	2.5534(70)	3.4288(111)	151.61°
CH	<b>C7A–H7A–F5</b>	2.5367(64)	3.4622(97)	157.60°

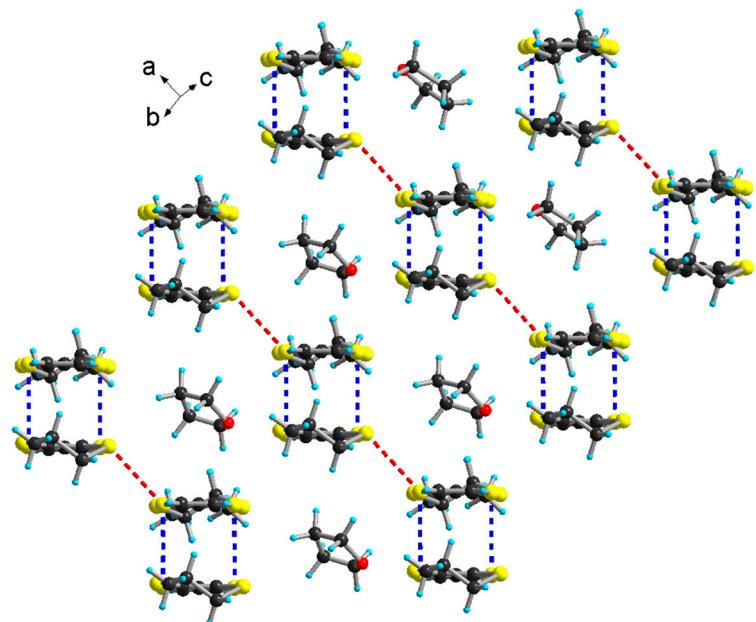
**Table S4.** Crystal Data and Structure Refinement for [(S)-1]AsF<sub>6</sub>·C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O and [(R)-1]AsF<sub>6</sub>·C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O.

	[(S)-1]AsF <sub>6</sub> ·C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O	[(R)-1]AsF <sub>6</sub> ·C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O
Formula	C <sub>13</sub> H <sub>16</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub> OS <sub>6</sub>	C <sub>13</sub> H <sub>16</sub> AsF <sub>6</sub> OS <sub>6</sub>
M [g mol <sup>-1</sup> ]	569.54	569.54
T [K]	200.01(10)	150.00(10)
Crystal system	triclinic	triclinic
Space group	P1	P1
a [ $\text{\AA}$ ]	8.0199(2)	7.9786(2)
b [ $\text{\AA}$ ]	9.0833(3)	9.0196(3)
c [ $\text{\AA}$ ]	15.2242(4)	15.2555(5)
$\alpha$ [°]	103.145(2)	103.368(3)
$\beta$ [°]	101.063(2)	100.887(2)
$\gamma$ [°]	100.814(2)	100.873(2)
V [ $\text{\AA}^3$ ]	1028.41(5)	1017.40(6)
Z	2	2
$\rho_{\text{calcd}}$ [g/cm <sup>3</sup> ]	1.839	1.859
$\mu$ [mm <sup>-1</sup> ]	8.475	8.567
Flack parameter	0.06(5)	0.05(5)
goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.067	1.034
final <sup>a</sup> R1/wR2 [I > 2 $\sigma$ (I)]	0.0427/ 0.1126	0.0418/ 0.1050
R1/wR2 (all data)	0.0444/ 0.1144	0.0440/ 0.1069
CCDC number	2085702	2085703

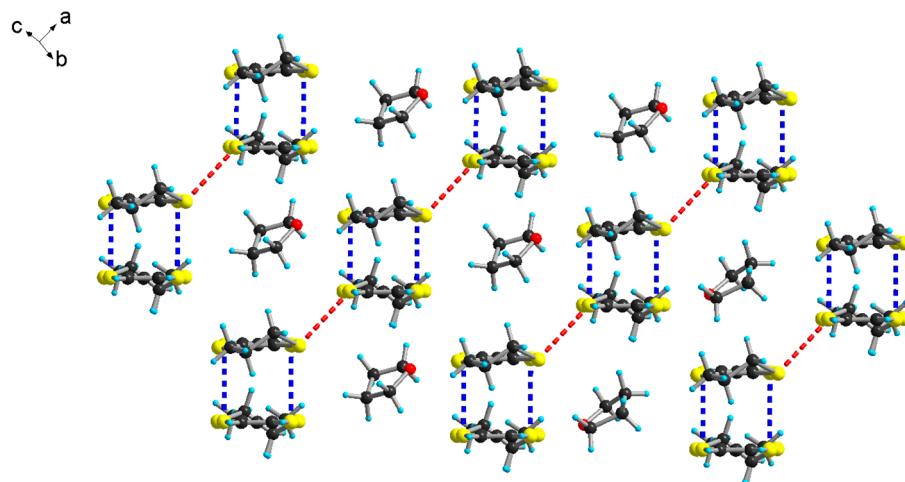
<sup>a</sup>  $R(F) = \sum \|F_o\| - |F_c\| / \sum |F_o\|$ ;  $wR(F^2) = [\sum w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2] / \sum [w(F_o^2)^2]^{1/2}$



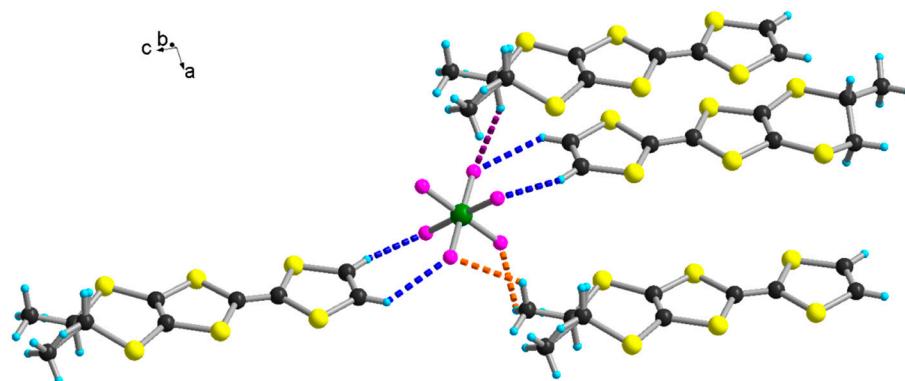
**Figure S3.** View of the ordered donor molecule and anion in the crystal structure of  $[(R)-1]\text{AsF}_6 \cdot \text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$  (top); Molecular structure of  $[(R)-1]\text{AsF}_6 \cdot \text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$ . C9B atom is disordered over two positions A (s.o.f. 0.72) and B (s.o.f. 0.28). F1B-F6B atoms are disordered over two positions A (s.o.f. 0.51) and B (s.o.f. 0.49) (bottom).



**Figure S4.** Packing of the donors in the structure of  $[(S)-1]\text{AsF}_6 \cdot \text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$  with emphasis on the S···S short contacts: blue dotted lines for (3.33 – 3.37 Å), red dotted lines for (3.59 – 3.66 Å). THF molecules are also shown.



**Figure S5.** Packing of the donors in the structure of  $[(R)\text{-1}]\text{AsF}_6\cdot\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$  with emphasis on the S···S short contacts: blue dotted lines for (3.31 – 3.37 Å), red dotted lines for (3.58 – 3.63 Å). THF molecules are also shown.



**Figure S6.** View of the structure of  $[(R)\text{-1}]\text{AsF}_6\cdot\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$  with an emphasis on the C–H···F short contacts: blue dotted lines for  $\text{CH}_{\text{vinyl}}$  (2.41 – 2.62 Å), orange dotted lines for Me (2.59 – 2.62 Å), violet dotted line for CH (2.65 Å).

**Table S5.** C–H···F hydrogen bonding distances (Å) and angles in  $[(S)\text{-1}]\text{AsF}_6\cdot\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$ .

$[(S)\text{-1}]\text{AsF}_6\cdot\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$				
<i>type</i>	$\text{C}-\text{H}-\text{F}$	$d(\text{H}-\text{F}) \text{ \AA}$	$d(\text{C}-\text{F}) \text{ \AA}$	$\angle(\text{C}-\text{H}-\text{F})^\circ$
$\text{CH}_{\text{vinyl}}$	$\text{C1A}-\text{H1A}-\text{F3A}$	2.6243(82)	3.3354(126)	133.660(671)
	$\text{C2A}-\text{H2A}-\text{F4A}$	2.4045(81)	3.3141(118)	165.769(706)
	$\text{C1B}-\text{H1B}-\text{F2A}$	2.4132(85)	3.3357(130)	171.626(715)
	$\text{C2B}-\text{H2B}-\text{F1A}$	2.6367(76)	3.2539(12)	124.394(656)
$\text{CH}$	$\text{C7B}-\text{H7BA}-\text{F3A}$	2.6544(105)	3.5174(190)	147.960(926)
$\text{CH}_2\text{(THF)}$	$\text{C12A}-\text{H12A}-\text{F5A}$	2.6644(100)	3.5232(208)	147.387(1095)
$\text{CH}_3$	$\text{C9BA}-\text{H9BA}-\text{F1A}$	2.5907(100)	3.0595(256)	110.453(1273)
	$\text{C9BA}-\text{H9BB}-\text{F6A}$	2.6216(126)	3.2682(256)	124.925(1271)

**Table S6.** C–H···F hydrogen bonding distances (Å) and angles in  $[(R)\text{-1}]\text{AsF}_6\cdot\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$ .

$[(R)\text{-1}]\text{AsF}_6\cdot\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$				
<i>type</i>	$\text{C}-\text{H}-\text{F}$	$d(\text{H}-\text{F}) \text{ \AA}$	$d(\text{C}-\text{F}) \text{ \AA}$	$\angle(\text{C}-\text{H}-\text{F})^\circ$

	<b>C1A—H1A—F5A</b>	2.5610(84)	3.2645(130)	132.794(671)
<b>CH vinyl</b>	<b>C2A—H2A—F4A</b>	2.4001(80)	3.3070(129)	164.947(779)
	<b>C1B—H1B—F2A</b>	2.3966(79)	3.3183(117)	171.163(687)
	<b>C2B—H2B—F1A</b>	2.6133(83)	3.2453(126)	125.717(670)
<b>CH</b>	<b>C7B—H7BB—F5A</b>	2.6496(110)	3.5030(194)	146.915(931)
<b>CH<sub>3</sub></b>	<b>C9BA—H9BA—F1A</b>	2.5842(114)	3.0055(254)	106.945(1187)
	<b>C9BA—H9BC—F6A</b>	2.6127(109)	3.2496(243)	123.904(1234)

**Table S7.** Crystal Data and Structure Refinement for [(rac)-1]I<sub>3</sub>, [(S)-1]I<sub>3</sub> and [(R)-1]I<sub>3</sub>.

	<b>[(rac)-1]I<sub>3</sub></b>	<b>[(S)-1]I<sub>3</sub></b>	<b>[(R)-1]I<sub>3</sub></b>
formula	C <sub>9</sub> H <sub>8</sub> IS <sub>6</sub>	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>16</sub> I <sub>6</sub> S <sub>12</sub>	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>16</sub> I <sub>6</sub> S <sub>12</sub>
M [g mo <sup>-1</sup> ]	689.21	1378.43	1378.43
T [K]	187(50)	286(13)	150.01(10)
crystal system	Triclinic	Triclinic	Triclinic
space group	P-1	P 1	P 1
a [Å]	8.9803(16)	9.0826(6)	9.023(2)
b [Å]	9.0821(16)	9.0886(7)	9.045(2)
c [Å]	12.634(2)	12.7544(9)	12.728(3)
α [°]	84.646(15)	71.788(7)	71.75(3)
β [°]	73.354(16)	85.360(6)	85.05(3)
γ [°]	60.631(19)	60.966(8)	60.57(3)
V [Å <sup>3</sup> ]	859.0(3)	871.25(13)	856.3(4)
Z	2	1	1
Q <sub>calcd</sub> [ g/cm <sup>3</sup> ]	2.665	2.627	2.673
μ [mm <sup>-1</sup> ]	49.531	48.834	49.684
Flack parameter	-	0.054(13)	0.061(17)
goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.103	1.062	1.039
final <sup>a</sup> R1/wR2 [I > 2σ(I)]	0.1084/ 0.2952	0.0545/0.1481	0.0577/ 0.1606
R1/wR2 (all data)	0.1587/ 0.3612	0.0617/0.1580	0.0693/ 0.1705
CCDC number	2085704	2085705	2085706

<sup>a</sup> R(F) = Σ||F<sub>o</sub>| - |F<sub>c</sub>||/Σ|F<sub>o</sub>|; wR (F<sup>2</sup>) = [Σ[w(F<sub>o</sub><sup>2</sup> - F<sub>c</sub><sup>2</sup>)<sup>2</sup>]/Σ[w(F<sub>o</sub><sup>2</sup>)<sup>2</sup>]]<sup>1/2</sup>

**Table S8.** Selected C=C and C-S internal bond lengths for [(S)-1]I<sub>3</sub>.

<b>Bond lengths (Å)</b>	
	<b>C3A—C4A</b> 1.41(3)
	<b>S1A—C3A</b> 1.697(19)
	<b>S2A—C3A</b> 1.71(2)
<b>A</b>	<b>S3A—C4A</b> 1.723(19)
	<b>S4A—C4A</b> 1.721(19)
	<b>C4B—C3B</b> 1.38(3)
	<b>S1B—C3B</b> 1.74(2)
	<b>S2B—C3B</b> 1.72(2)
<b>B</b>	<b>S3B—C4B</b> 1.713(19)
	<b>S4B—C4B</b> 1.72(2)

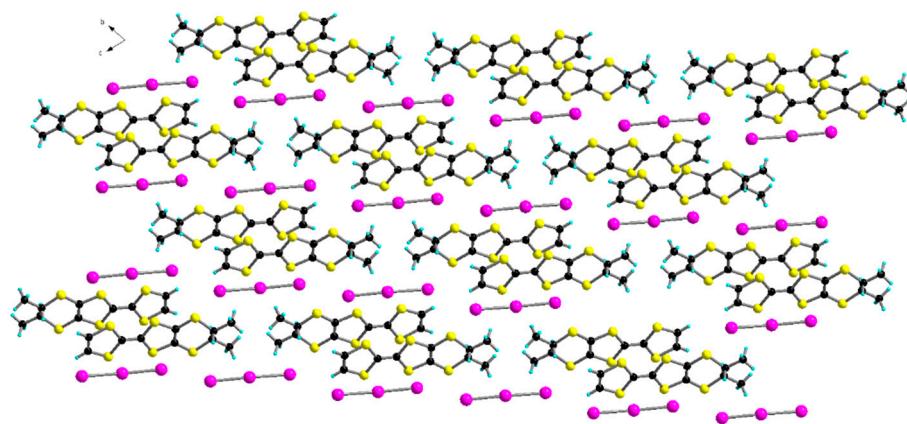
**Table S9.** Crystal Data and Structure Refinement for [(rac)-2]I<sub>3</sub>, [(S,S)-2]I<sub>3</sub> and [(R,R)-2]I<sub>3</sub>.

	$[(rac)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$	$[(S,S)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$	$[(R,R)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$
formula	$\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{10}\text{S}_6\text{I}_3$	$\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{20}\text{I}_6\text{S}_{12}$	$\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{10}\text{S}_6\text{I}_3$
$M [\text{g mo}^{-1}]$	703.24	1406.48	703.24
$T [\text{K}]$	293(2)	293(2)	293(2)
crystal system	Triclinic	Triclinic	Triclinic
space group	$P\bar{1}$	$P\bar{1}$	$P\bar{1}$
$a [\text{\AA}]$	7.6086(2)	7.6146(9)	7.6112(7)
$b [\text{\AA}]$	11.2297(5)	11.2273(11)	11.1976(6)
$c [\text{\AA}]$	11.6074(4)	11.6249(11)	11.6449(9)
$\alpha [^\circ]$	72.975(3)	73.037(9)	73.117(5)
$\beta [^\circ]$	89.161(3)	89.070(10)	88.944(7)
$\gamma [^\circ]$	88.603(2)	88.536(8)	88.405(4)
$V [\text{\AA}^3]$	947.99(6)	950.24(18)	949.26(12)
$Z$	2	1	2
$\rho_{\text{calcd}} [\text{g/cm}^3]$	2.464	2.458	2.460
$\mu [\text{mm}^{-1}]$	5.591	5.578	5.584
Flack parameter	-	0.41(10)	0.08(4)
goodness-of-fit on $F^2$	1.060	1.029	1.031
final <sup>a</sup> R1/wR2 [ $I > 2\sigma(I)$ ]	0.0307 / 0.0598	0.0494 / 0.1046	0.0274 / 0.0472
R1/wR2 (all data)	0.0608 / 0.0702	0.1294 / 0.1242	0.0651 / 0.0557
CCDC number	2085707	2085708	2085709

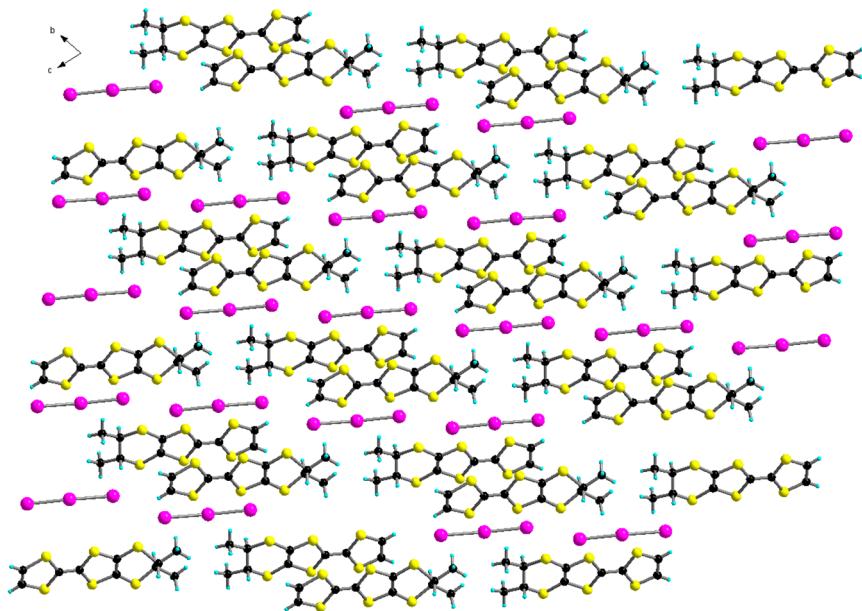
<sup>a</sup>  $R(F) = \sum |F_o| - |F_c| / \sum |F_o|$ ;  $wR(F^2) = [\sum (w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2) / \sum (w(F_o^2)^2)]^{1/2}$

**Table S10.** Selected C=C and C–S internal bond lengths for  $(2)\text{I}_3$ .

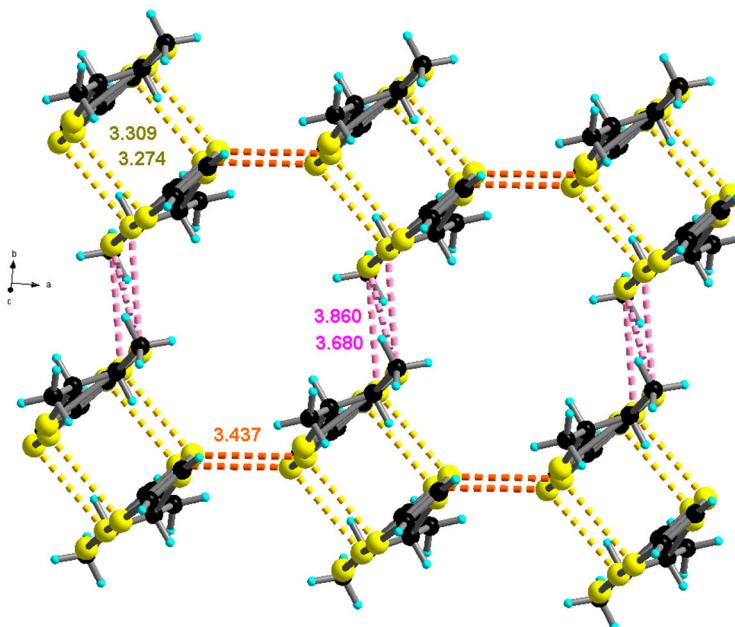
Bond	Bond lengths ( $\text{\AA}$ )		
	$[(rac)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$	$[(S,S)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$	$[(R,R)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$
<b>C3–C4</b>	1.390(4)	1.43(4), 1.38(4)	1.37(3), 1.42(2)
<b>S1–C3</b>	1.720(3)	1.86(3), 1.87(3)	1.72(2), 1.710(18)
<b>S2–C3</b>	1.728(3)	1.57(3), 1.59(3)	1.733(19), 1.738(19)
<b>S3–C4</b>	1.715(3)	1.78(3), 1.83(4)	1.731(18), 1.691(19)
<b>S4–C4</b>	1.724(3)	1.63(3), 1.64(4)	1.74(2), 1.712(18)



**Figure S7.** View in the  $bc$  plane of the packing within  $[(rac)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$ .



**Figure S8.** View in the  $bc$  plane of the packing within  $[(R,R)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$ .



**Figure S9.** Packing of the donors and highlight of the S···S short contacts for  $[(rac)\text{-}2]\text{I}_3$ . The anions are not shown.

**Table S11.** Crystal Data and Structure Refinement for (meso)-2, [(meso)-2]ClO<sub>4</sub>, [(meso)-2]PF<sub>6</sub> and [(meso)-2]ReO<sub>4</sub>.

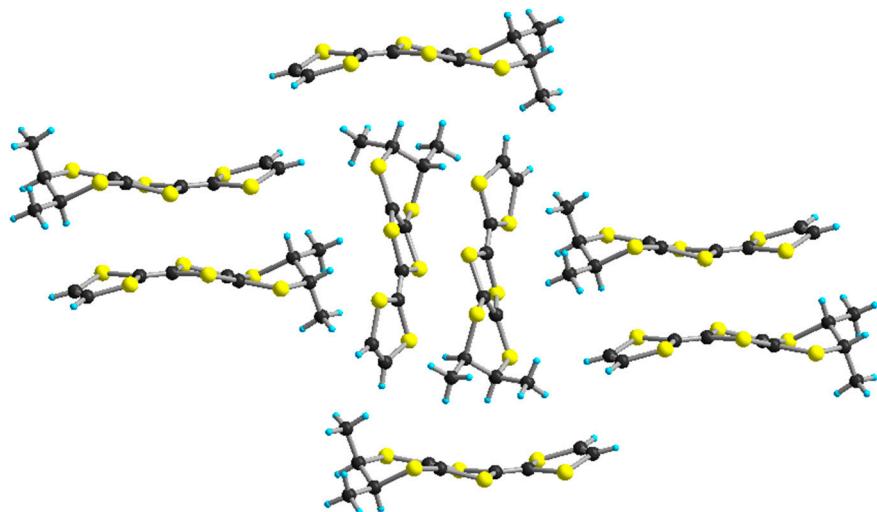
	(meso)-2	[(meso)-2]ClO <sub>4</sub>	[(meso)-2]PF <sub>6</sub>	[(meso)-2]ReO <sub>4</sub>
formula	C <sub>10</sub> H <sub>10</sub> S <sub>6</sub>	C <sub>10</sub> H <sub>10</sub> ClO <sub>4</sub> S <sub>6</sub>	C <sub>10</sub> H <sub>10</sub> F <sub>6</sub> PS <sub>6</sub>	C <sub>10</sub> H <sub>10</sub> O <sub>4</sub> ReS <sub>6</sub>
$M$ [g mo <sup>-1</sup> ]	322.54	421.99	467.51	572.74
$T$ [K]	150.00(10)	153.26(10) K	150.00(10)	150.00(10)
crystal system	Monoclinic	Triclinic	Monoclinic	Triclinic
space group	$P2_1/c$	$P\bar{1}$	$P2_1/n$	$P\bar{1}$
$a$ [\AA]	8.4110(3)	6.4793(6)	6.5671(2)	6.5583(3)

<i>b</i> [Å]	16.6502(6)	10.7956(8)	11.1233(4)	10.5579(5)
<i>c</i> [Å]	9.5635(3)	10.8754(16)	22.4614(8)	11.4661(9)
$\alpha$ [°]	90	92.826(9)	90	96.326(5)
$\beta$ [°]	93.903(3)	94.844(1)	97.469(3)	96.382(5)
$\gamma$ [°]	90	91.178(6)	90	92.742(4)
<i>V</i> [Å <sup>3</sup> ]	1336.21(8)	756.84(14)	1626.84(10)	782.76(8)
<i>Z</i>	4	2	4	2
<i>Q</i> <sub>calcd</sub> [g/cm <sup>3</sup> ]	1.603	1.852	1.909	2.430
$\mu$ [mm <sup>-1</sup> ]	9.198	10.090	9.243	22.776
goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.028	1.121	1.414	1.150
final <sup>a</sup> R1/wR2 [I > 2σ(I)]	0.0427/ 0.1122	0.1434/ 0.4072	0.0683/ 0.1122	0.0594/ 0.1591
R1/wR2 (all data)	0.0514/ 0.1200	0.1612/ 0.4150	0.1039/ 0.2979	0.0669/ 0.1670
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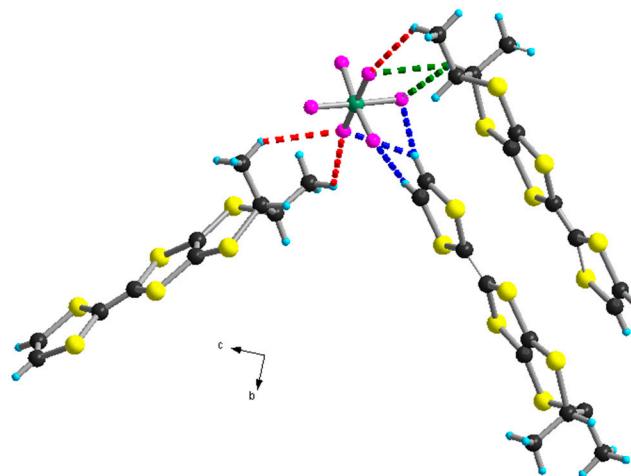
<sup>a</sup>  $R(F) = \sum |F_o| - |F_c| / \sum |F_o|$ ;  $wR(F^2) = [\sum w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2] / [\sum w(F_o^2)^2]^{1/2}$

**Table S12.** Selected C=C and C–S internal bond lengths for (*meso*)-2, [(*meso*)-2]ClO<sub>4</sub>, [(*meso*)-2]PF<sub>6</sub> and [(*meso*)-2]ReO<sub>4</sub>.

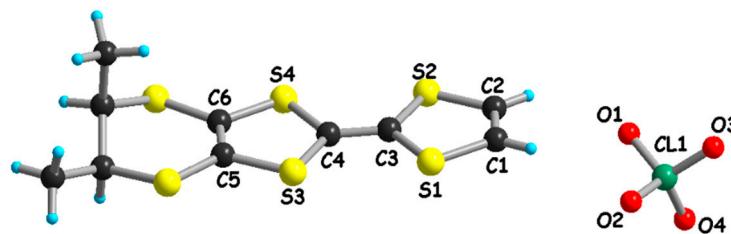
bond	Bond lengths (Å)			
	( <i>meso</i> )-2	[( <i>meso</i> )-2]ClO <sub>4</sub>	[( <i>meso</i> )-2]PF <sub>6</sub>	[( <i>meso</i> )-2]ReO <sub>4</sub>
C3–C4	1.339(5)	1.40(2)	1.387(6)	1.407(18)
S1–C3	1.750(3)	1.716(18)	1.721(5)	1.731(13)
S2–C3	1.763(3)	1.715(17)	1.715(4)	1.703(14)
S3–C4	1.758(3)	1.697(17)	1.720(4)	1.701(13)
S4–C4	1.759(3)	1.749(17)	1.717(4)	1.729(12)



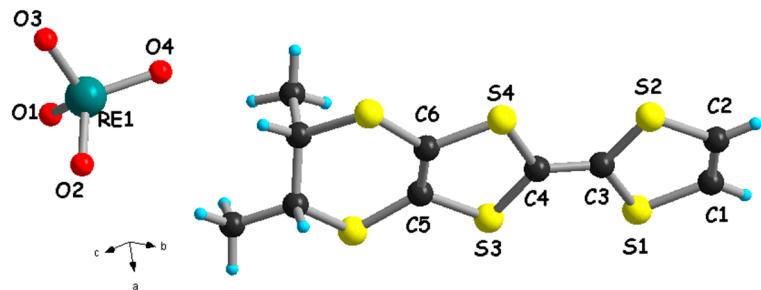
**Figure S10.** Packing diagram for (*meso*)-2.



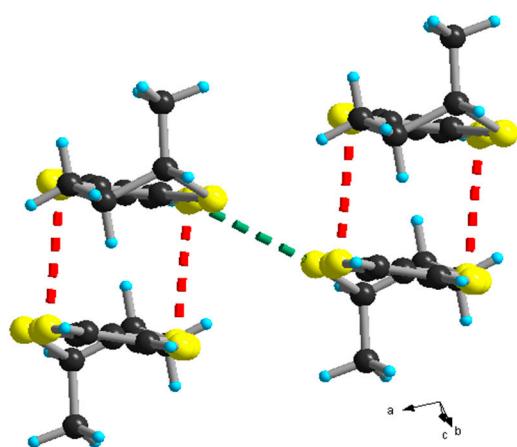
**Figure S11.** Solid state structure of  $[(meso)-2]PF_6$  with an emphasis on the C–H···F short contacts: blue dotted lines for CH vinyl (2.32 – 2.36 Å), red dotted lines for Me (2.53 – 2.65 – 2.72 Å) and green dotted lines for H<sub>CH</sub> (2.45 – 2.65 Å).



**Figure S12.** Molecular structure of  $[(meso)-2]ClO_4$ .



**Figure S13.** Molecular structure of  $[(meso)-2]ReO_4$ .



**Figure S14.** Packing diagram for  $[(meso)-2]ReO_4$  with an emphasis on short S···S interactions. Red dotted lines ( $3.29 \text{ \AA}$ ) and green dotted lines ( $3.37 \text{ \AA}$ ).