

Supporting Information

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I. CCNPyr Guest Molecule

I.1. NMR Spectra

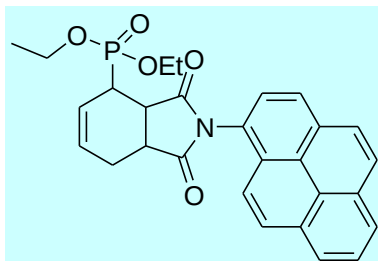
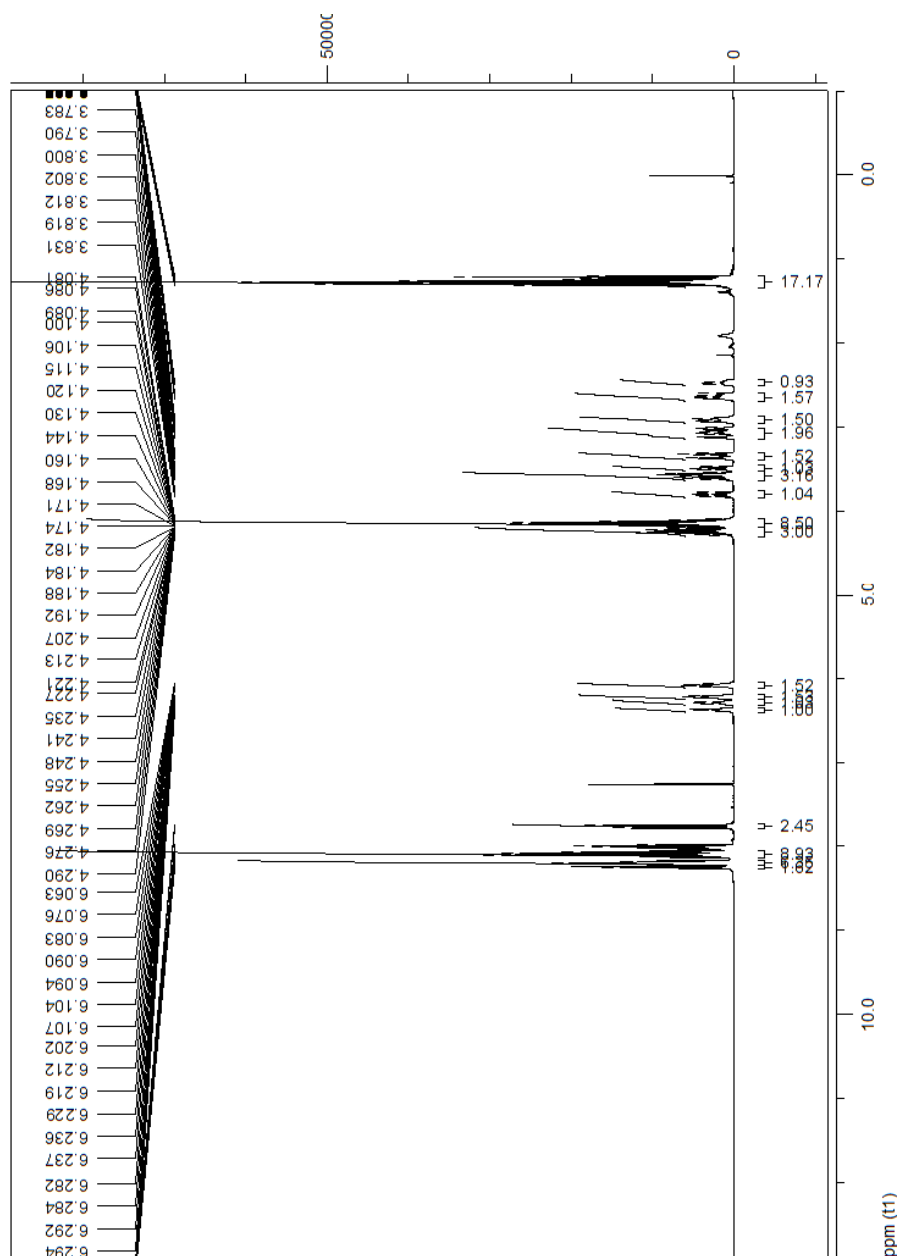
¹H-NMR spectrum

Figure S1. ¹H-NMR spectrum of CCNPyr (CDCl₃, room temperature).



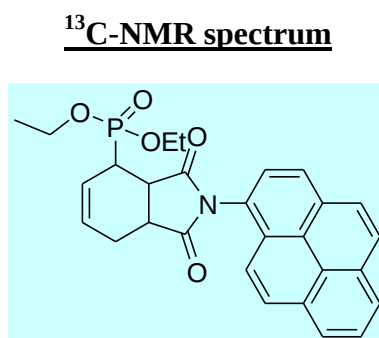
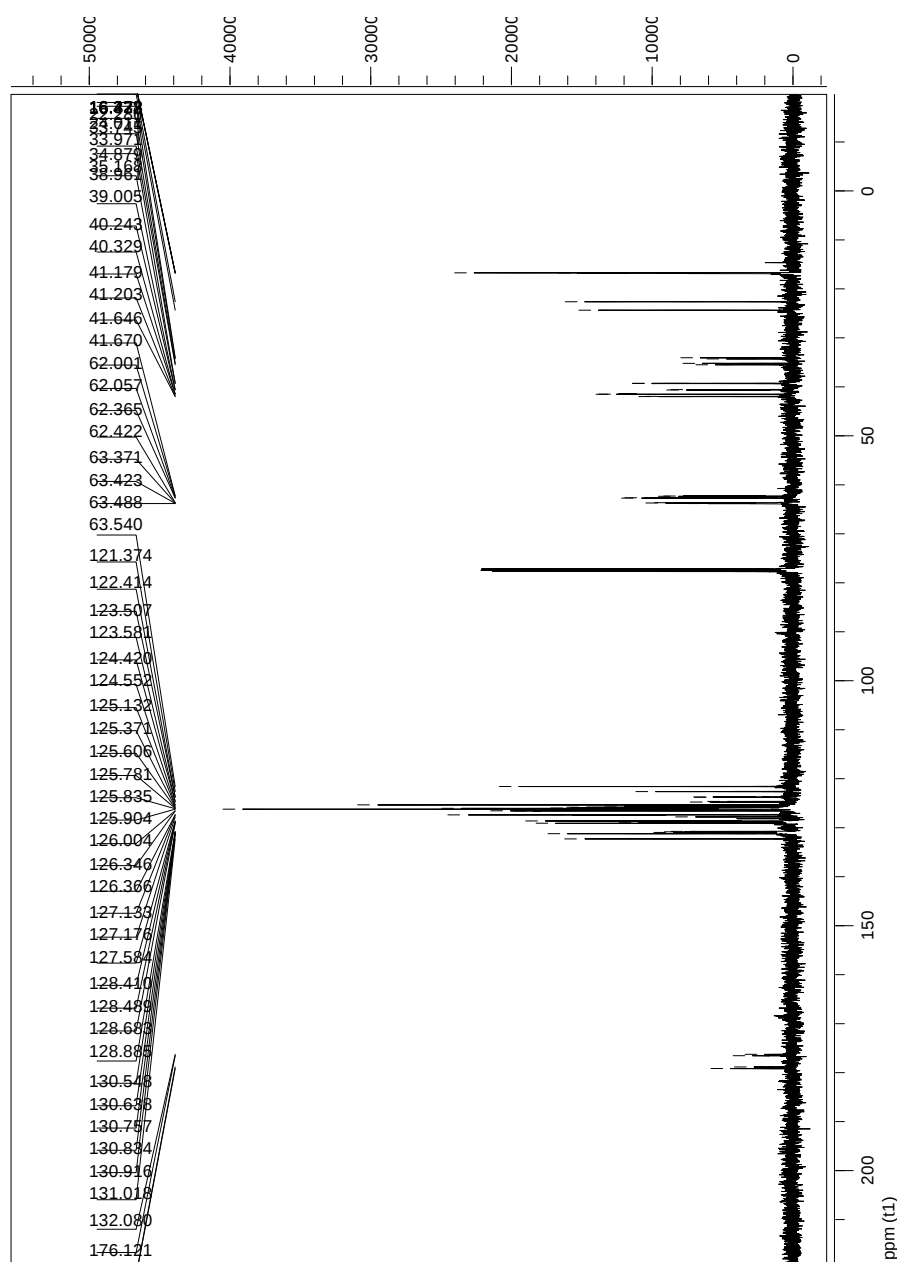


Figure S2. ¹³C-NMR spectrum of CCNPyr (CDCl₃, room temperature).



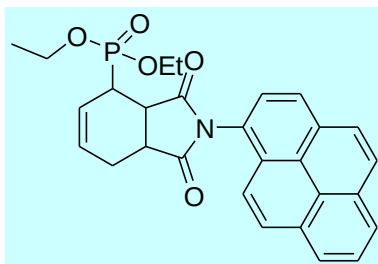
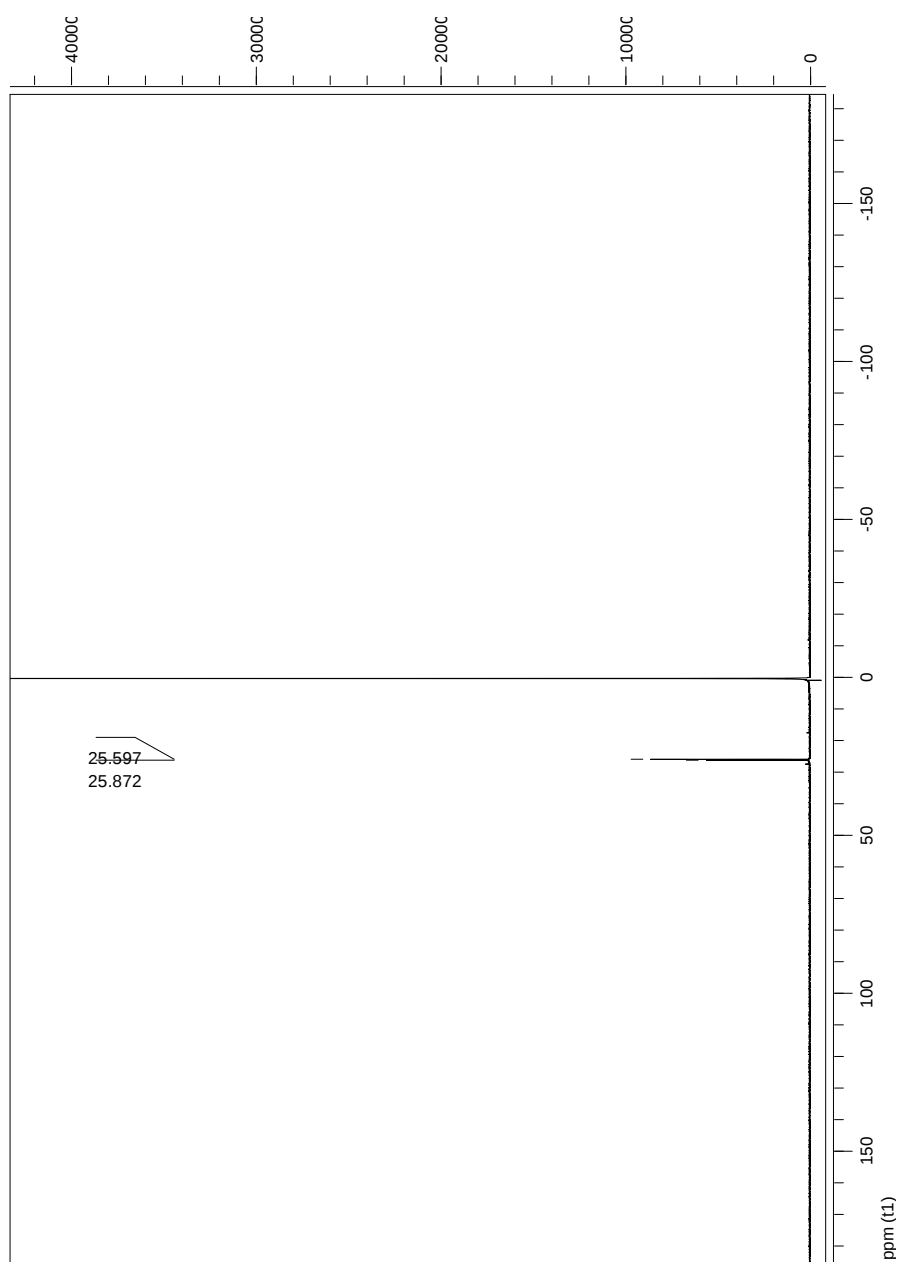
^{31}P -NMR spectrum

Figure S3. ^{31}P -NMR spectrum of CCNPyr (CDCl_3 , room temperature, 85 % H_3PO_4 external probe).



I.2. Photoluminescence Data

Figure S4. Absorption spectra of CCNPyr at various concentrations in two solvents (cyclohexane [CCNPyr] from $5.03 \cdot 10^{-6}$ M to $2.45 \cdot 10^{-9}$ M or acetonitrile [CCNPyr] from $4.41 \cdot 10^{-6}$ M to $2.15 \cdot 10^{-9}$ M).

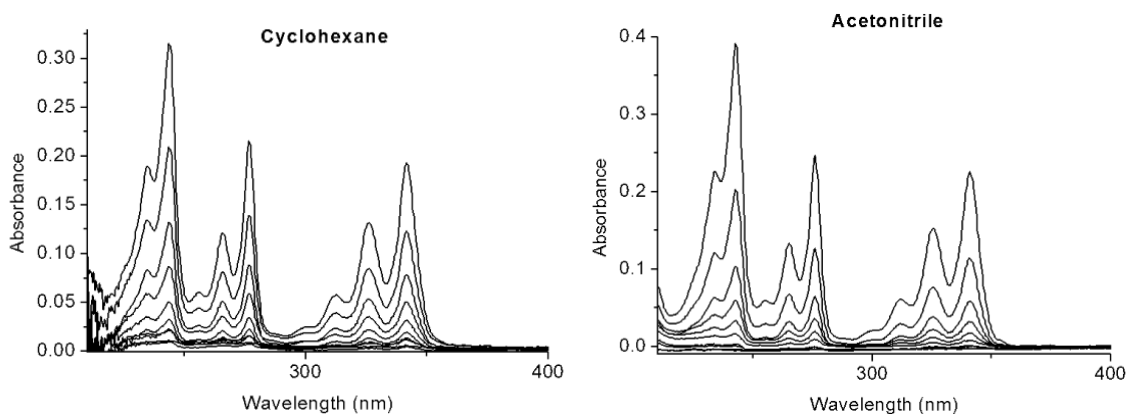
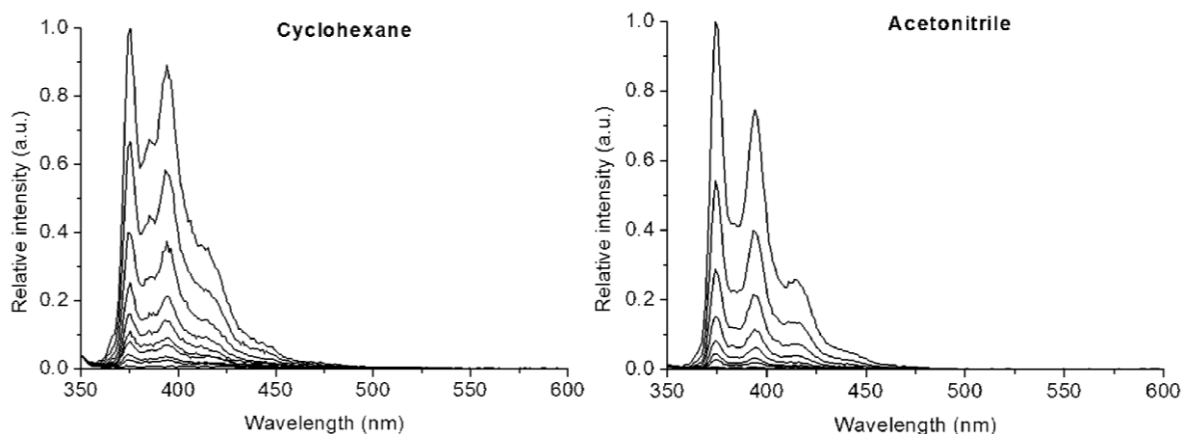
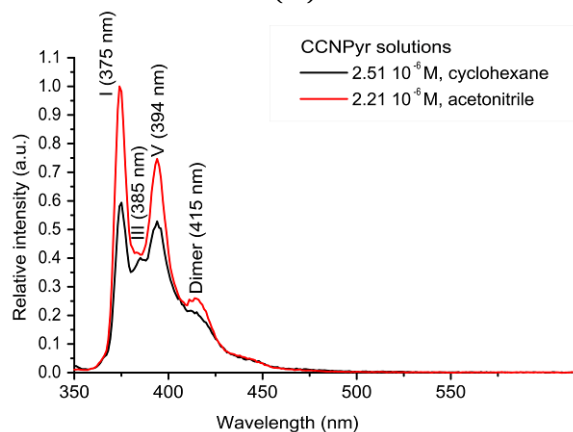


Figure S5. (A) Photoluminescence spectra (emission mode, excitation at 317 nm) of CCNPyr at various concentrations in cyclohexane ([CCNPyr] from $1.26 \cdot 10^{-6}$ M to $1.23 \cdot 10^{-9}$ M) and acetonitrile ([CCNPyr] from $2.21 \cdot 10^{-6}$ M to $2.15 \cdot 10^{-9}$ M); (B) Photoluminescence spectra (emission mode, excitation at 317 nm) of CCNPyr at almost-similar concentration in both solvents.



(A)



(B)

Figure S6. Beer-Lambert graph for solutions of CCNPyr at various concentrations in cyclohexane and acetonitrile.

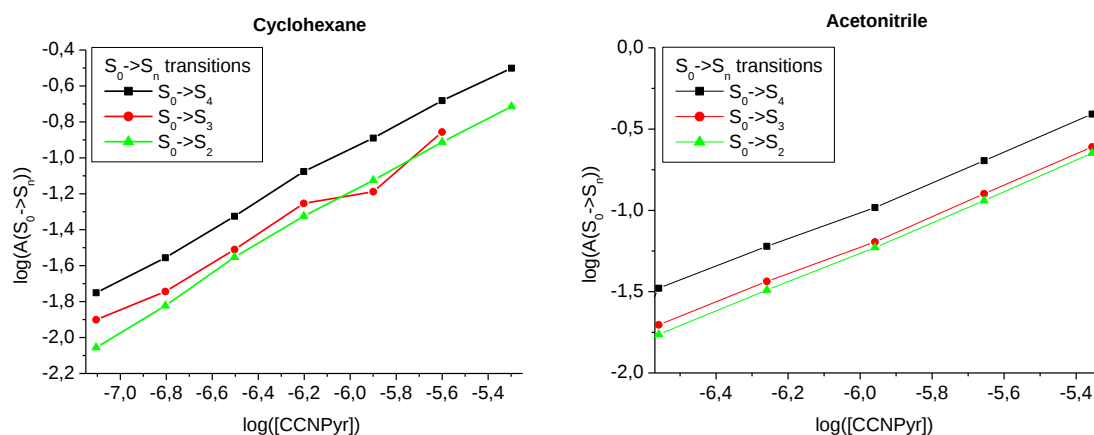
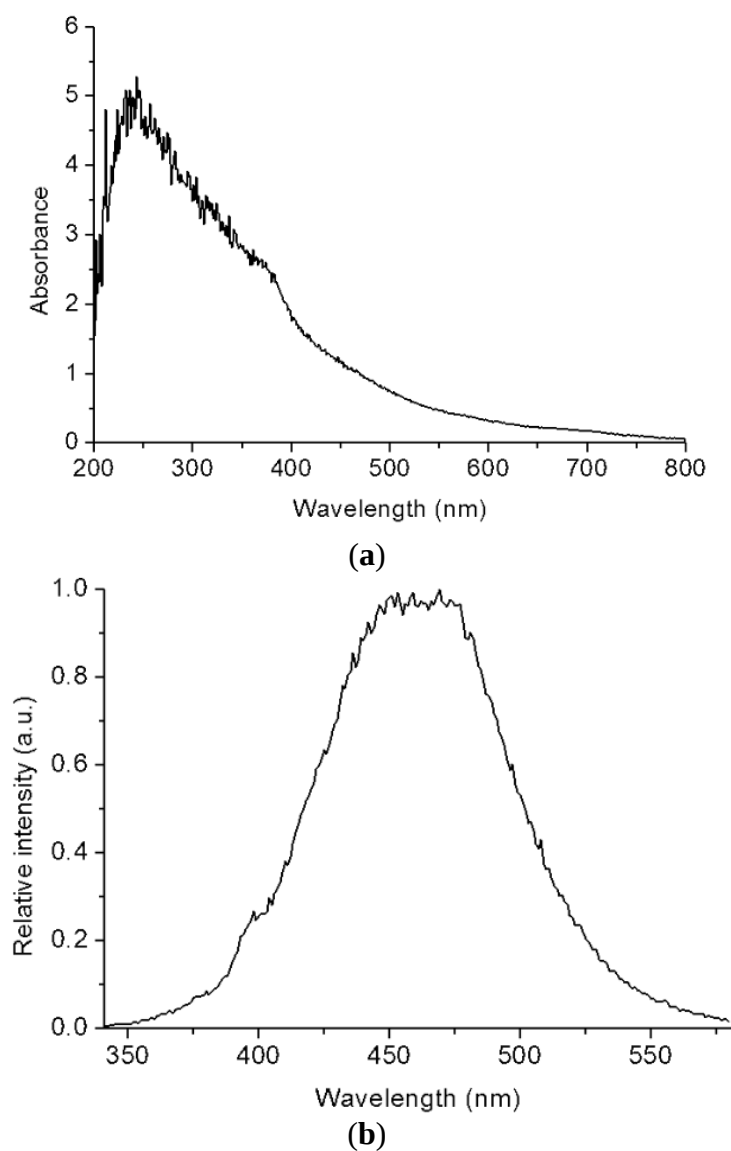


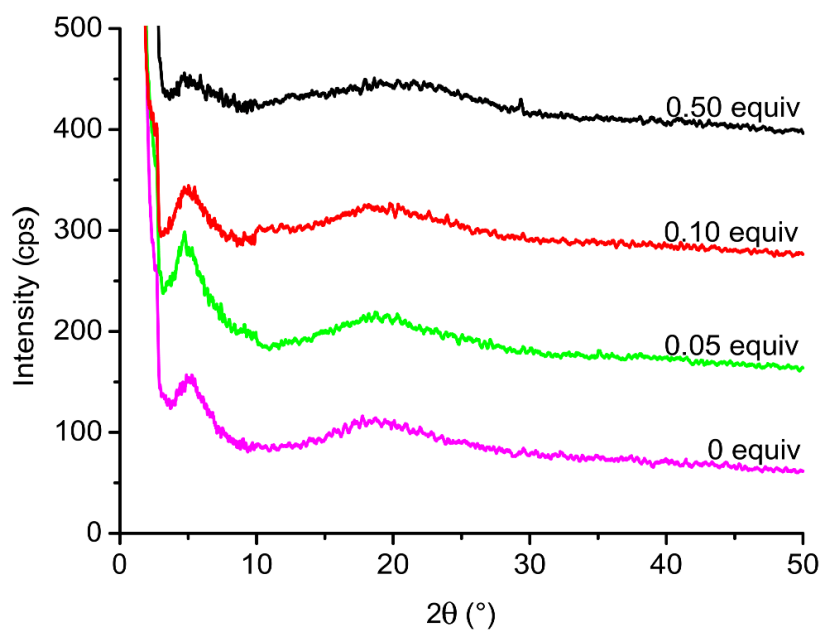
Figure S7. (a) Absorption spectrum of CCNPyr in the solid state; (b) Photoluminescence spectrum (emission mode, excitation at 317 nm) of CCNPyr in the solid state.



II. "Host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/CCNPyr

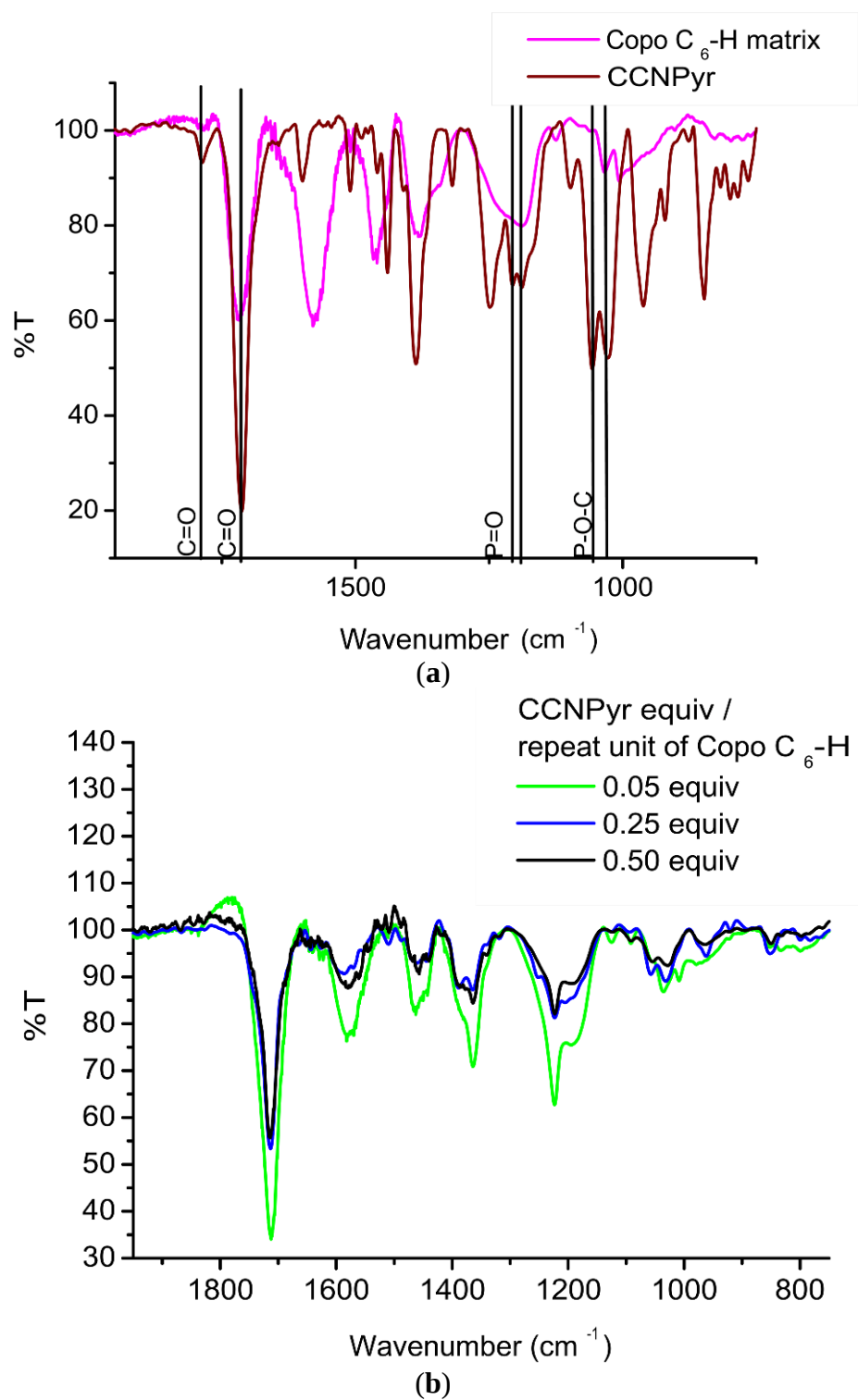
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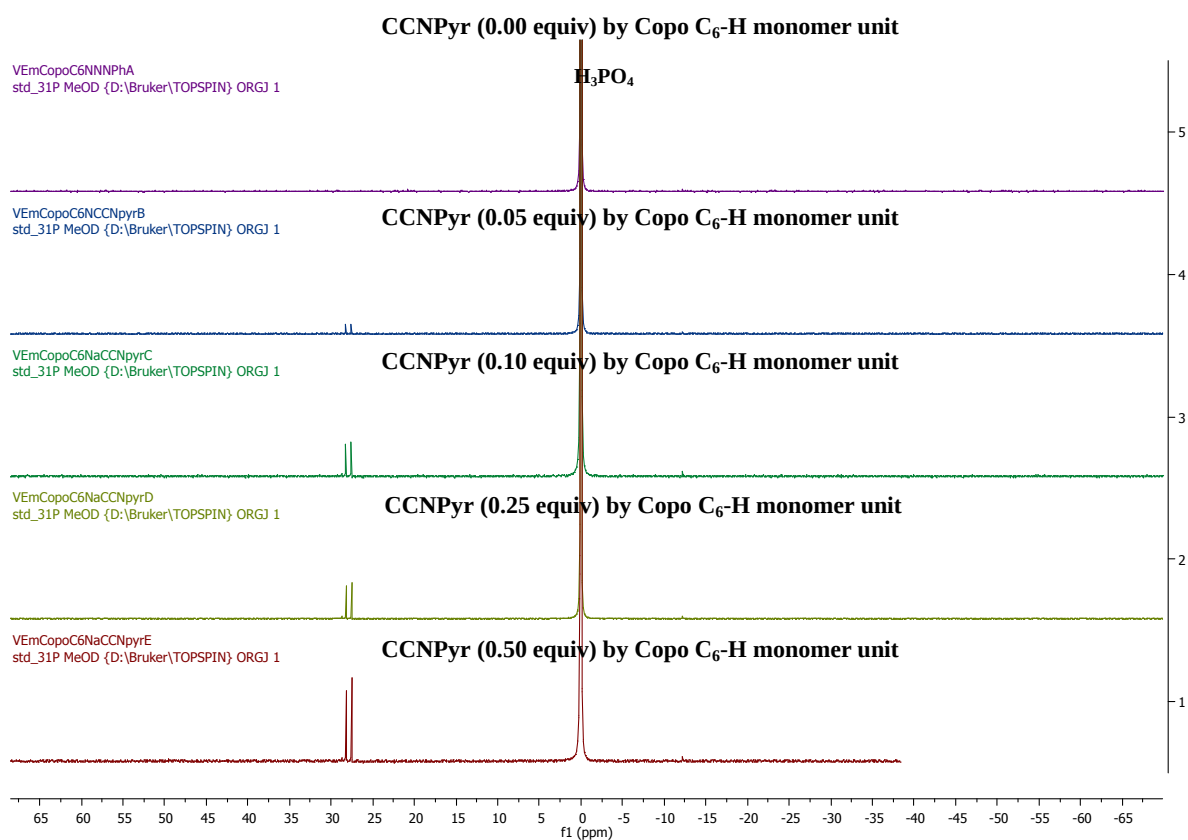
Figure S8. X-Ray diffractograms of "host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/CCNPyr. For sake of clarity, each diffractogram with a positive CCNPyr loading was shifted of + 100 cps one of the other.



II.2. FT-IR spectra

Figure S9. (a) IR spectra of CCNPyr (guest) and Copo C₆-H matrix (host); (b) IR spectra of "host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/CCNPyr.



II.3. ^{31}P -NMR spectraFigure S10. ^{31}P -NMR spectra of Copo C₆-H/CCNPyr redissolved in CDCl_3 .

III. "Host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/Pyr

III.1. X-Ray data

Figure S11. Experimental X-Ray diffractogram of pyrene.

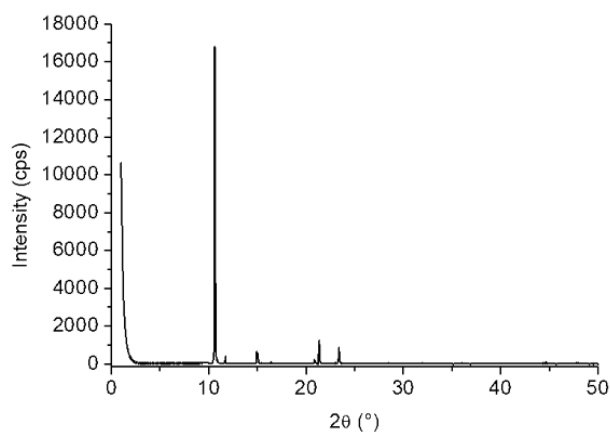


Figure S12. Theoretical X-Ray diffractogram of pyrene. (calculated with the X-Ray data described in "R.Allmann *Z.Kristallogr.,Kristallgeom.,Kristallphys., Kristallchem.* 1970, 132, 129").

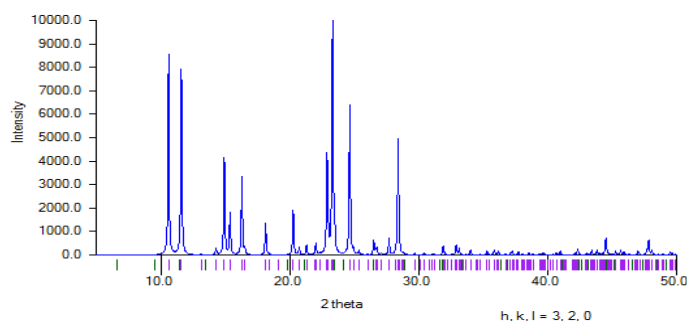
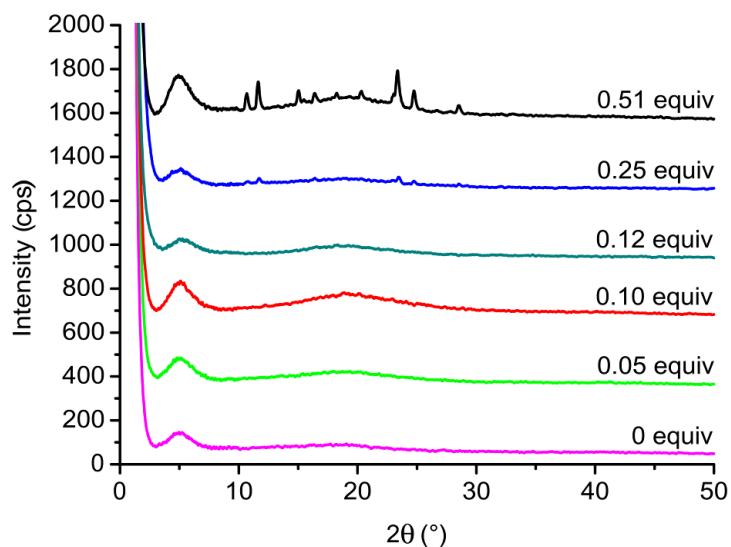


Figure S13. X-Ray diffractograms of "host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/Pyr. For sake of clarity, each diffractogram with a positive Pyr loading was shifted of + 300 cps one of the other.



III.2. FT-IR spectra

Figure S14. (a) IR spectra of Pyr (guest) and Copo C₆-H matrix (host); (b) IR spectra of "host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/Pyr.

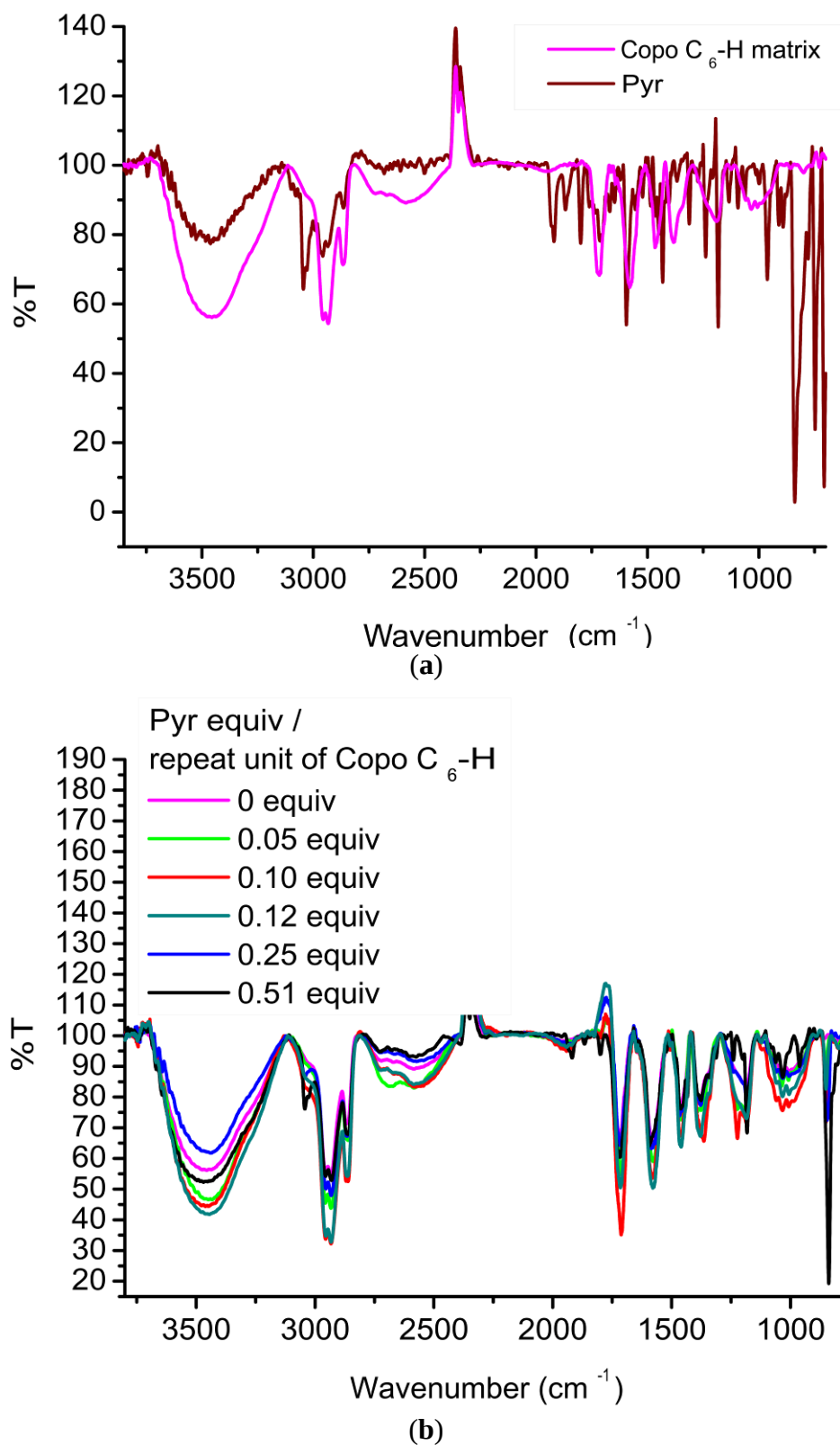


Table S1a. IR data for the δ_{C-H} ip bands for pyrene and Copo C₆-H/Pyr materials.

		$\bar{\nu}$ (cm ⁻¹)	$\Delta\bar{\nu}$	$\bar{\nu}$ (cm ⁻¹)	$\Delta\bar{\nu}$
Pyrene (guest)		1239	/	1182	/
Materials (Pyr equiv)	0.05	1224	-15	1188	+6
	0.1	1224	-15	1185	+3
	0.12	/	/	1186	+4
	0.25	1241	+2	1184	+2
	0.51	1240	+1 ^[a]	1183	+1 ^[a]

[a] Not significant shift (Resolution = 0.8 cm⁻¹).**Table S1b.** IR data for the δ_{C-H} oop bands for pyrene and Copo C₆-H/Pyr materials.

		$\bar{\nu}$ (cm ⁻¹)	$\Delta\bar{\nu}$	$\bar{\nu}$ (cm ⁻¹)	$\Delta\bar{\nu}$	$\bar{\nu}$ (cm ⁻¹)	$\Delta\bar{\nu}$
Pyrene (guest)		839	/	748	/	707	/
Materials (Pyr equiv)	0.05	851	+12	757	+9	715	+8
	0.1	851	+12	757	+9	715	+8
	0.12	851	+12	757	+9	715	+8
	0.25	846	+7	752	+4	712	+5
	0.51	839	0	749	+1 ^[a]	709	+2

[a] Not significant shift (Resolution = 0.8 cm⁻¹).

III.3. Photoluminescence data

Figure S15. Photoluminescence spectra (emission mode, excitation at 317 nm) of “guest-host” materials Copo C₆-H/Pyr. in the solid state.

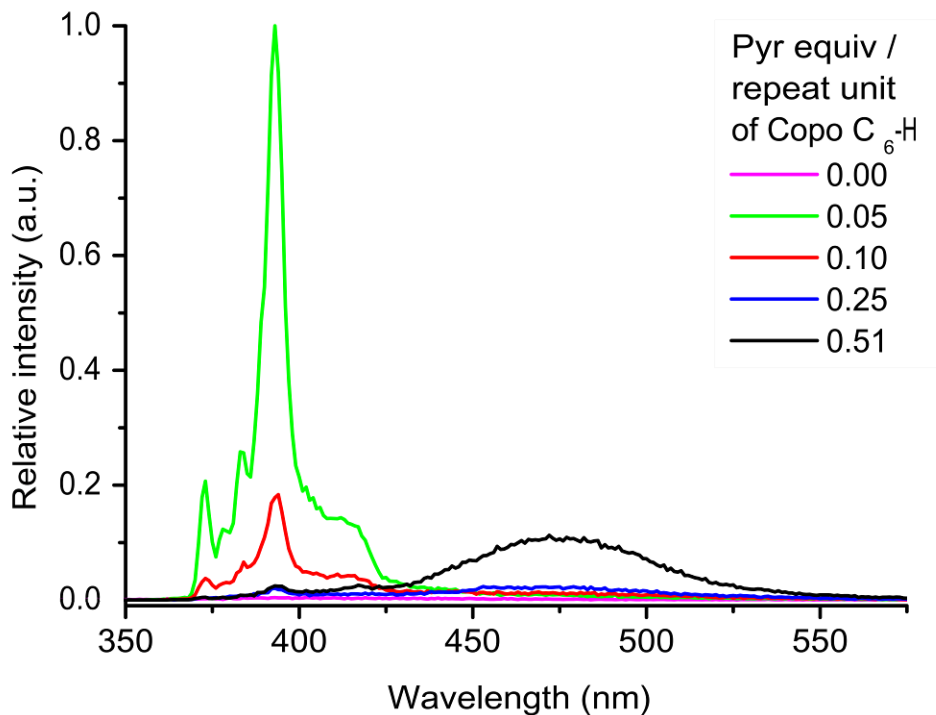
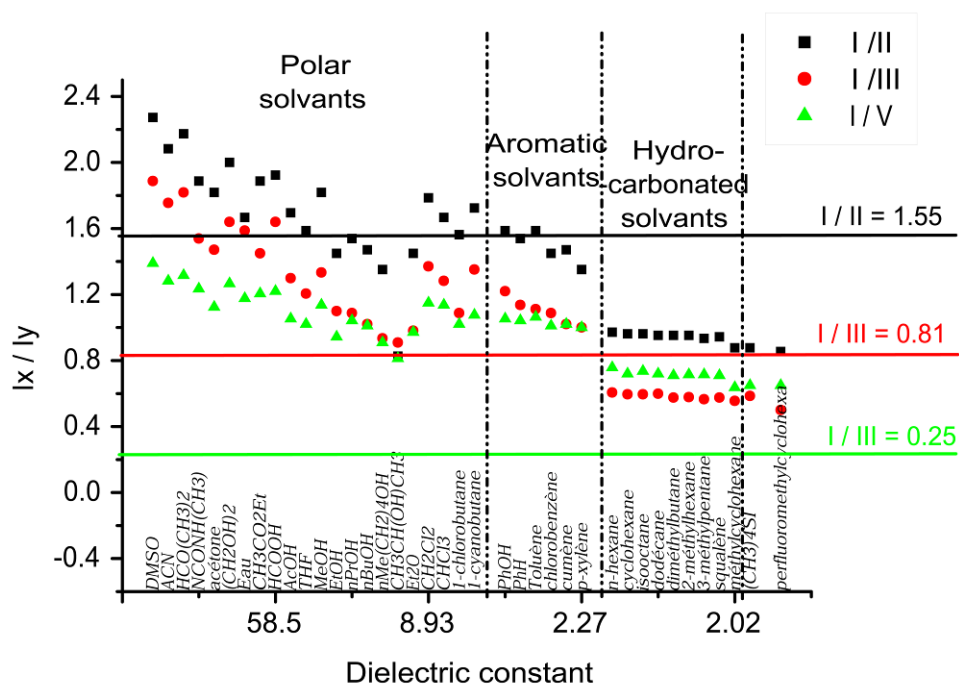


Figure S16. Comparison of I_x/I_y emission intensity ratios with the values of pyrene (from the literature: Kalyanasundaram, K.; Thomas, J.K. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1977**, 99, 2039–2044).



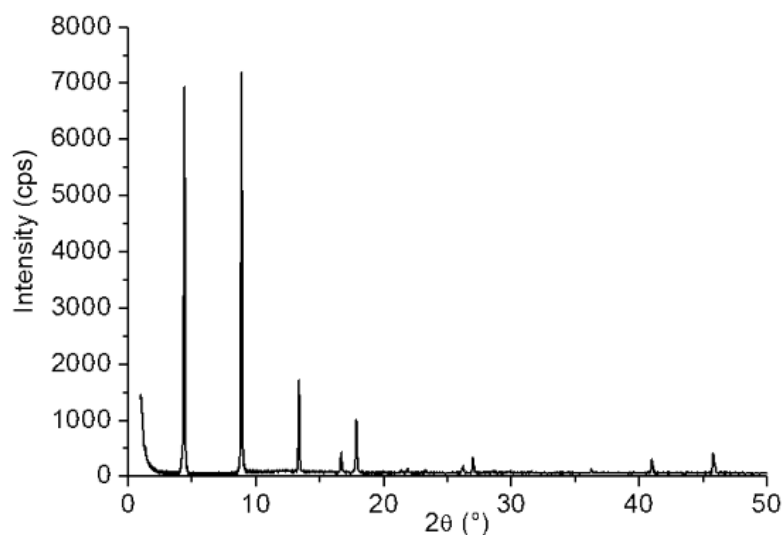
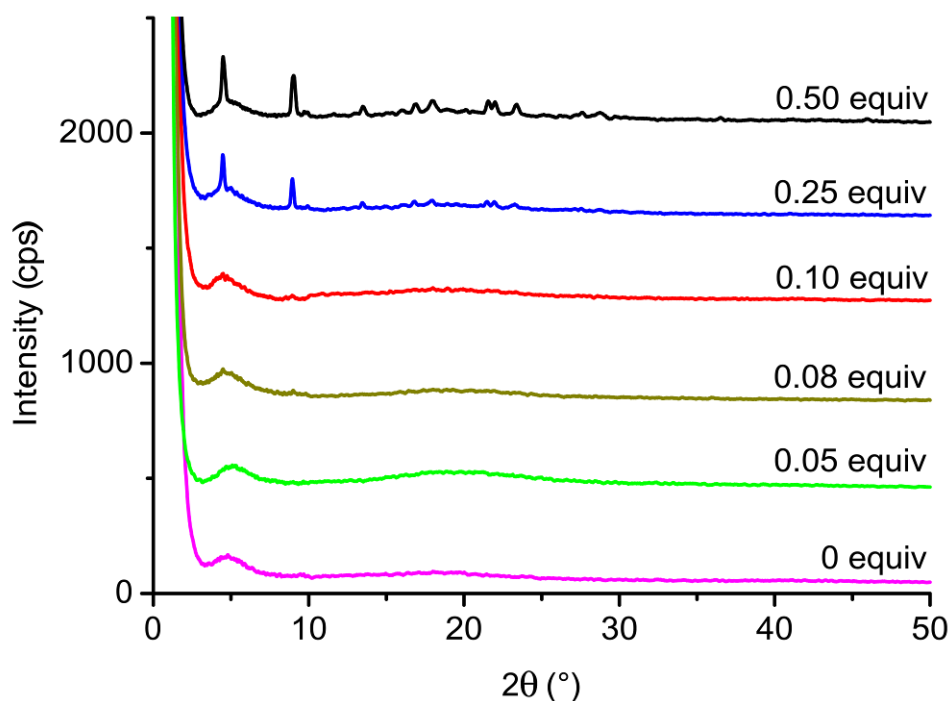
IV. "Host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/NPyrMal**IV.1. X-Ray data****Figure S17.** X-Ray diffractogram of *N*-pyrenyl maleimide.**Figure S18.** X-Ray diffractograms of "host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/NPyrMal for sake of clarity, each diffractogram with a positive NPyrMal loading was shifted of + 400 cps one of the other.**IV.2. FT-IR spectra**

Figure S19. (a) IR spectra of NPyrMal (guest) and Copo C₆-H matrix (host); (b) IR spectra of "host-guest" materials Copo C₆-H/NPyrMal.

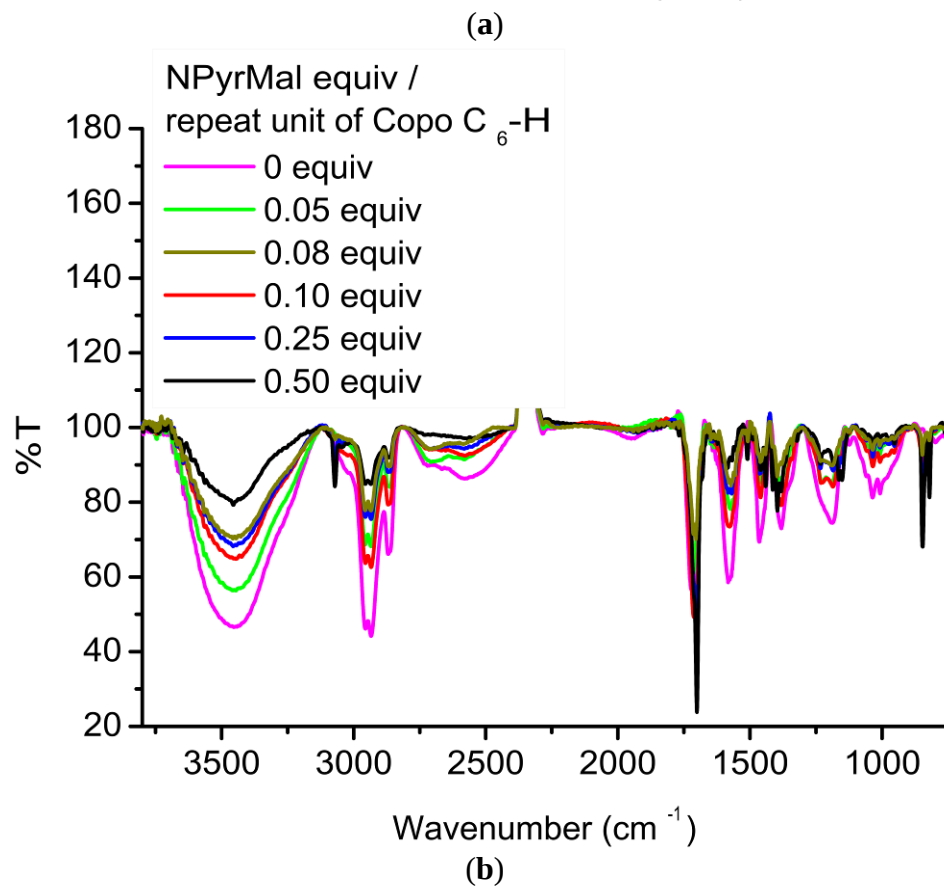
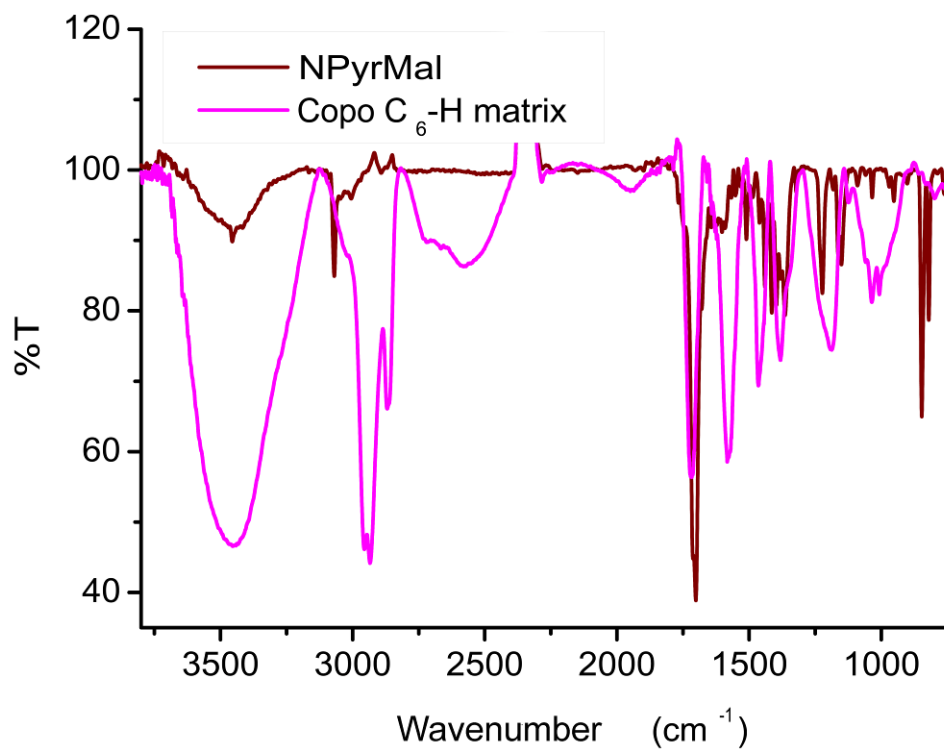


Table S2a. IR data for the $\nu_{\text{C=O}}$ band of carboxylic acid of the host for the Copo C₆-H/and Copo C₆-H/NPyrMal materials.

$\bar{\nu}$ (cm ⁻¹)	$\Delta\bar{\nu}$
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Copo C ₆ -H (host)		1717	/
Materials (NPyrMal equiv)	0.05	1714	-3
	0.08	1714	-3
	0.1	1712	-5
	0.25	1712	-5
	0.50	1712	-5

Table S2b. IR data for the $\nu_{\text{C=O}}$ band of imide group of the guest for the *N*-pyrenylmaleimide and Copo C₆-H/NPyrMal materials.

		$\bar{\nu}$ (cm ⁻¹)	$\Delta\bar{\nu}$
NPyrMal (guest)		1702	/
Materials (NPyrMal equiv)	0.05	/ ^[a]	/ ^[a]
	0.08	1705	+3
	0.1	1714	+2
	0.25	1702	0
	0.50	1701	+1 ^[b]

[a] $\nu_{\text{C=O}}$ (COOH, host) band superimposed with $\nu_{\text{C=O}}$ (imide, guest). [b] Not significant shift (Resolution = 0.8 cm⁻¹).

V. "Host-guest" materials PEG-5000/CCNPyr

V.1. X-Ray data

Figure S20. X-Ray diffractograms of "guest-host" materials PEG 5000/CCNPyr. For sake of clarity, each diffractogram with a positive CCNPyr loading was shifted of + 1500 cps one of the other.

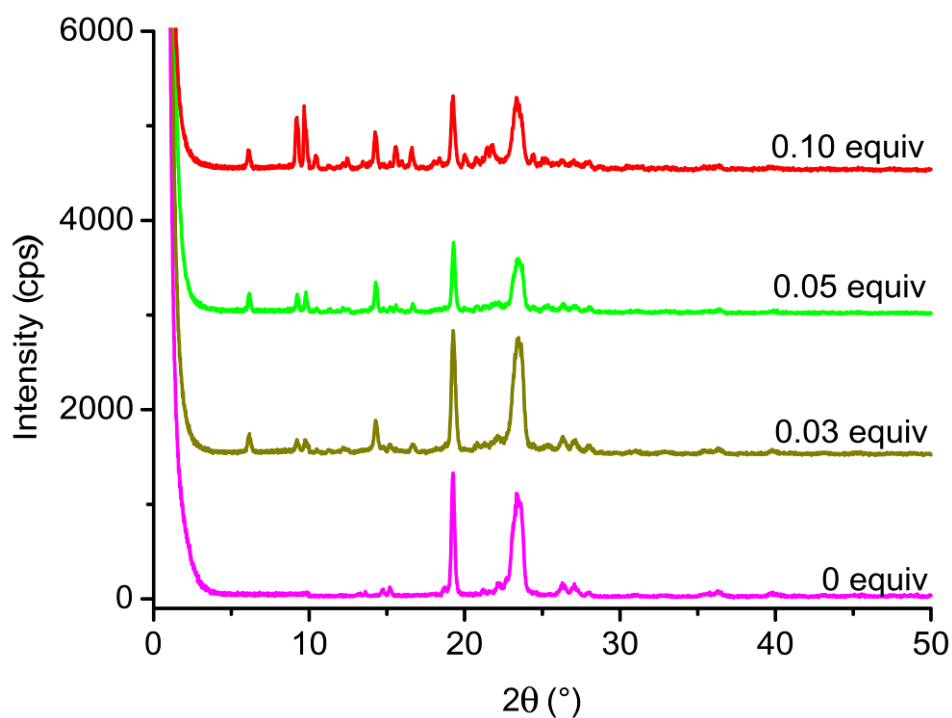


Figure S21. Schematic representation of the postulated non covalent interactions, in the solid state, (A) between pyrene and the Copo C₆-H matrix; (B) between *N*-pyrenylmaleimide and the Copo C₆-H matrix.

