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COVER PICTURE

The cover picture shows the schematic structures of a 2,5-dithienylphosphole and a dithieno[3,2-*b*:2',3'-*d'*]-phosphole, as well as the fluorescence properties of materials based on the latter system. These scaffolds are two of the most promising organophosphorus-based building blocks for organic electronics to date. Extensive investigations of their structure–property relationships has laid ground for a variety of applications such as sensing or as an active component in electronic devices. Details on the syntheses, their systematic modifications, as well as the resulting (opto)-electronic properties of the materials are presented in the Microreview by M. G. Hobbs and T. Baumgartner on p. 3611ff.

