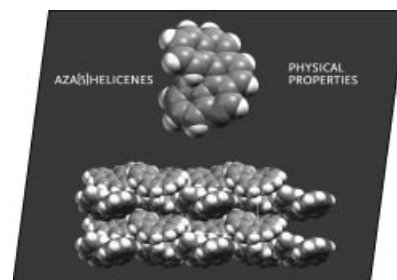


COVER PICTURE

The cover picture shows the structure of 5-aza[5]helicene (top) and the crystal packing (single enantiomers, bottom). This is one of the aza[5]helicenes reported in the paper that were synthesized by photochemical ring closure of suitable ethenyl derivatives. The photophysical properties (very long triplet-state lifetime) and crystal packing (columnar arrangement) were studied and shown to be dependent on the nitrogenogen position. These molecules may be suitable for studies on π – π interactions and complexation with metal ions. The extremely long triplet lifetime that was observed (in the range of seconds) makes these molecules promising candidates for practical applications in photo- and optoelectronics. Details are discussed in the article by T. Caronna et al. on p. 1247ff.



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