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CHARGE TRANSFER COMPLEXES OF3,3',5,5'-TETRA-PHENYL-2,2'-DITHIODIPYRANYLIDINE(2,2'DIPSØ₄) WITH 7,7',8,8'-TETRACYANOQUINODIMETHANE(TCNQ) AND IODINE

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New charge transfer complexes of 2,2'DIPS \emptyset_4 with TCNQ and iodine have high conductivity at room temperature. VSC mesurements showed a broad maximum centered at 223K and a large narrow maximum centered at 273K for 1:1, 1:2 TCNQ complexes respectively.

Since the discovery of charge transfer complex of tetrathiafulvalene(TTF)-7,7',8,8'-tetracyanoquinodimethane(TCNQ) to display unusual metal-like properties, there has been numerous attempts to find new organic metals. We have recently prepared new organic charge transfer complexes of 2,2'DIPS \emptyset_4 with TCNQ and iodine and studied their physical properties.

SYNTHESIS AND CHARACTERIZATION

The solution of acetophenone and morpholine in toluene was refluxed to give colorless liquid morpholine-1-phenylethylene, then reacted with carbon disulphide to yield thiopyranthione, MS: m/e 280(78, M'), 236(100); IR (KBr): 1590,1570,1475,1440,1380, 1320,1230,1210,1050,990,760,695 cm⁻¹. 2,2'DIPSØ was obtained by heating 3,5-diphenyl-thiopyran-2thione with copper powder in xylol, MS: m/e 496(96, M'), 375(14), 248(14); IR (KBr): 1595,1490, 1445, 1365, 1260, 1180, 1070, 1030, 840,750,690 ; UV(CH₂CN): 268nm(4.652), 304nm(4.540), 360nm (3.880), 528nm(3.590). It absorbs more strongly than TTF at all wavelength between 250-700nm, suggesting that this donor is more polarizable than TTF. Electrochemical analysis showed that it has very low halfwave potentials E'1/2=0.23v, E". very 10w naliwave potentials E' $_{1/2}$ =0.23v, E" $_{1/2}$ =0.39v, Δ E=0.16v. The data are compared with those

of TTF,TTFØ4, 4,4'DIPSØ4 and 4,4'DIPØ4 in TABLE 1.
Single crystals of 2,2'DIPSØ4I2 41 were obtained both by electrocrystallization procedure (2,2'DIPSØ4 in CH2Cl2 solution containing Bu4NI, constant current with Pt electrodes) and slow cooling method (2,2'DIPSØ4 in hot CH2Cl2 mixed with I2 in hot CH2Cl2). UV(CH3CN): 248(4.443),356(3.723),532nm(3.505); IR (KBr): 1650,1570,1470,1440,1340,1135,959,830,750,680 cm . X-ray analysis showed that it is tetragonal with unit cell parameters

TABLE 1. Comparison of halfwave potentials

	E'1/2	E"1/2	^{ΔE} 1/2	Ref.
4,4'DIPSØ ₄	+0.22	+0.41	0.19	[1]
2,2'DIPSØ ₄	+0.23	+0.39	0.16	this work
4,4'DIPØ ₄	+0.15	+0.47	0.32	[1]
TTF	+0.32	+0.70	0.38	[2]
TTFØ ₄	+0.40	+0.73	0.33	[2]

a=b=19.64(7)A, c=3.80(4)A. The resonant Raman spectrum of DIPSØ₄I_{2.41} complex shows a strong band at 113cm characteristic of the symmetric mode of I₃. 2,2'DIPSØ₄ was reacted with TCNQ in 1:1, 1:2 mol. ratios respectively in acetonitrile to give 1:1 and 1:2 complexes. UV(CH₃CN) for 1:1 complex 392nm(4.513), 840nm(4.356); for 1:2 complex 392nm(5.036), 840nm(4.310); IR (KBr) for 1:1 complex 2180,1570,1470,1350,1150,1000,830,750,690 cm ; for 1:2 complex 2180,1990,1560,1460,1320, 1150,830,750,680,500 cm .

ELECTRICAL CONDUCTIVITIES

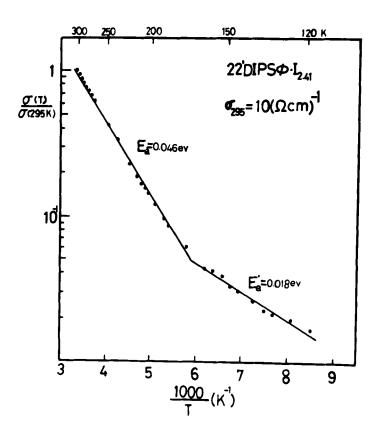


FIGURE 1. The temperature dependence of conductivity of 2,2'DIPS \emptyset_4 I_{2,41}.

Single crystals of 2,2'DIPSØ₄ showed a conductivity of 10 I (ohm cm) along the needle axis. However, single crystal of 2,2'DIPSØ₄I₂ along the needle axis at room temperature using d.c. four-probe method of conductivity measurement. The temperature dependence of conductivity (FIGURE 1) followed the following relation

$$\sigma(T) = \sigma_o \exp(-E/KT)$$

with two different activation energies of 0.046ev between room temperature and 170K and 0.018ev at lower temperatures.

The specific conductivities of 1:1 and 1:2 TCNQ complexes measured on rectangular bars of powder compaction (700Kg/cm²) were 0.9 (0hm cm) and 0.2 (ohm cm) respectively at room temperature. Voltage-shorted compaction (VSC)[3] conductivity measurements on 1:1 TCNQ complex showed a broad maximum around 223K, the 1:2 TCNQ complex showed a sharp maximum around 273K (FIGURE 2). Single crystal of these complexes are clearly

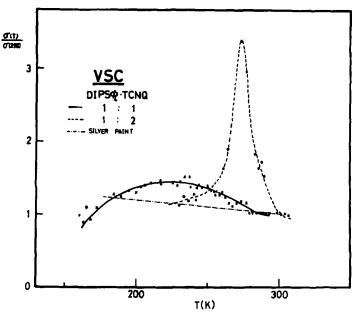


FIGURE 2. Temperature dependence of 2,2'DIPSØ4-TCNQ, 2,2'DIPSØ4TCNQ, voltage-shorted conductivity

needed and continued attempts are in progress.

THE ELECTRONIC SPECTRA OF TCNQ COMPLEXES

The electronic absorption spectra of TCNQ charge transfer complexes of high conductivity show characteristic absorption peaks A and B below 1.5ev [4-8]. The absorption spectra of 2,2'DIPS \emptyset_4 and it's TCNQ complexes were measured in KBr pressed disks (FIGURE 3) to show the absorption peak A at 0.64ev and 0.7ev for 1:1, 1:2 TCNQ complexes respectively and the absorption peak at 1.42ev for both complexes. These are believed to be a mixed valence transition for high conductivity.

The degree of charge transfer, ρ, from donor to TCNQ has an important influence on both the conductivity and optical absorption properties. We have measured the S₂p, N₁s binding energies for sulfur and nitrogen in 2,2'DIPSØ₄,TCNQ,LiTCNQ,2,2'DIPSØ₄ClO₄,2,2'DIPSØ₄TCNQ,2,2'DIPSØ₄TCNQ₂ by X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS) from which the degree of charge transfer between 2,2'DIPSØ₄ and

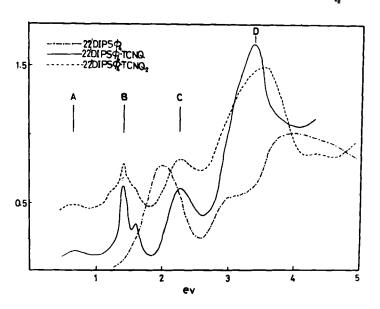


FIGURE 3. The electronic spectra of 2,2'DIPS ϕ_4 and it's TCNQ complexes.

TCNQ to be $\rho=0.4$ and 0.9 for 1:1 and 1:2 TCNQ complexes respectively [9]. These results confirmed the incomplete charge transfer present in both TCNQ complexes.

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