

Photochromism, Electrical Properties and Structural Investigations of a Series of Hydrated Methylviologen HaloBismuthate Hybrids: Influence of the Anionic Oligomer Size and Iodide Doping on the Photo-Induced Properties and on the Dehydration Process.

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Supporting Information

I- (MV)₃Bi₄Cl₁₈ · 1.7H₂O (1a) and (MV)₄Bi₄Cl₁₈ (1b)

I-A- Summary of crystallographic data

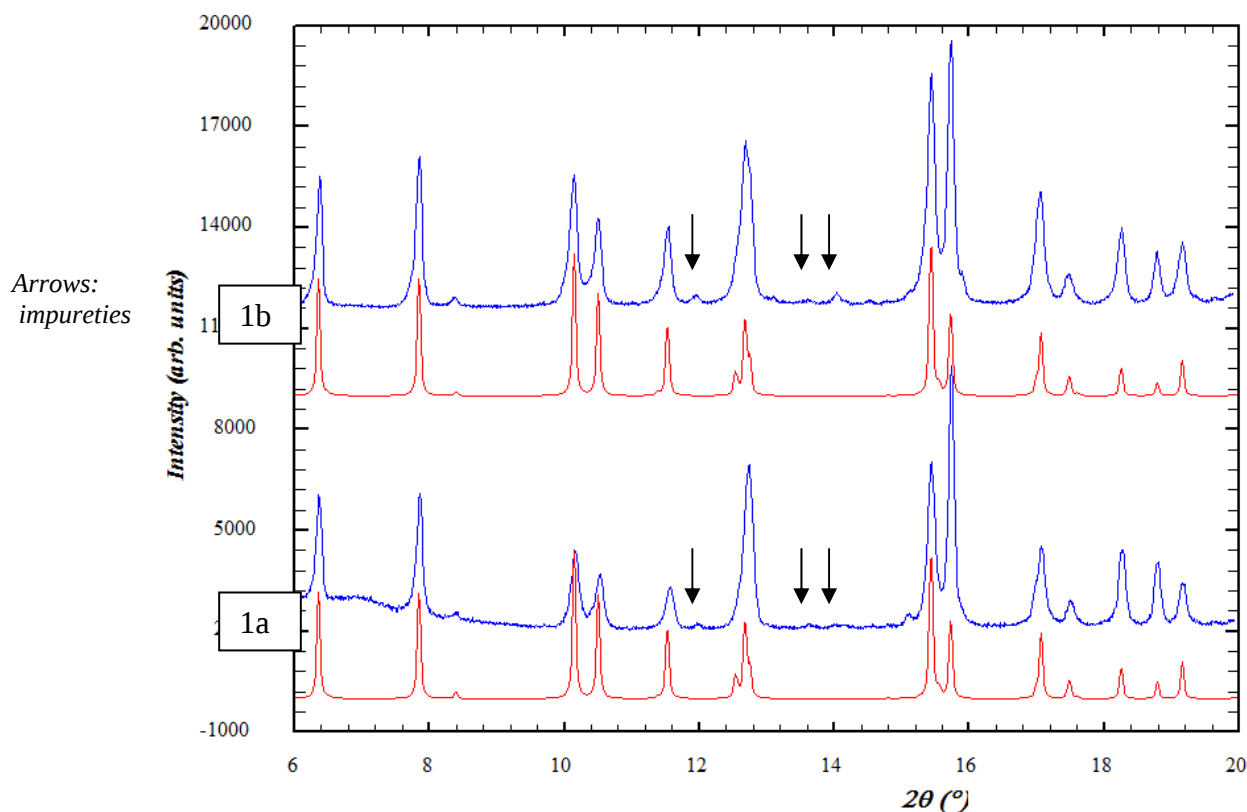
Table I-A-1. Crystal data and structure refinement for 1a

Empirical formula	C36 H42 Bi4 Cl18 N6 O1.7
Formula weight	2060.03
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.2783(4) Å alpha = 72.478(8)
deg.	b = 12.5784(11) Å beta =
89.874(7) deg.	c = 14.6518(11) Å gamma =
71.994(5) deg.	
Volume	1542.95(19) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.222 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	12.186 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	954
Crystal size	0.323 x 0.096 x 0.066 mm
Theta range for data collection	3.33 to 29.99 deg.
Limiting indices	-13<=h<=13, -17<=k<=17, -20<=l<=20
Reflections collected / unique	55262 / 8766 [R(int) = 0.0576]
Completeness to theta = 29.99	97.4 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.898 and 0.305
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	8766 / 0 / 310
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.019
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0337, wR2 = 0.0472
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0766, wR2 = 0.0555
Extinction coefficient	0.0000(5)
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.062 and -1.071 e.Å ⁻³

Table I-A-2. Crystal data and structure refinement for 1b

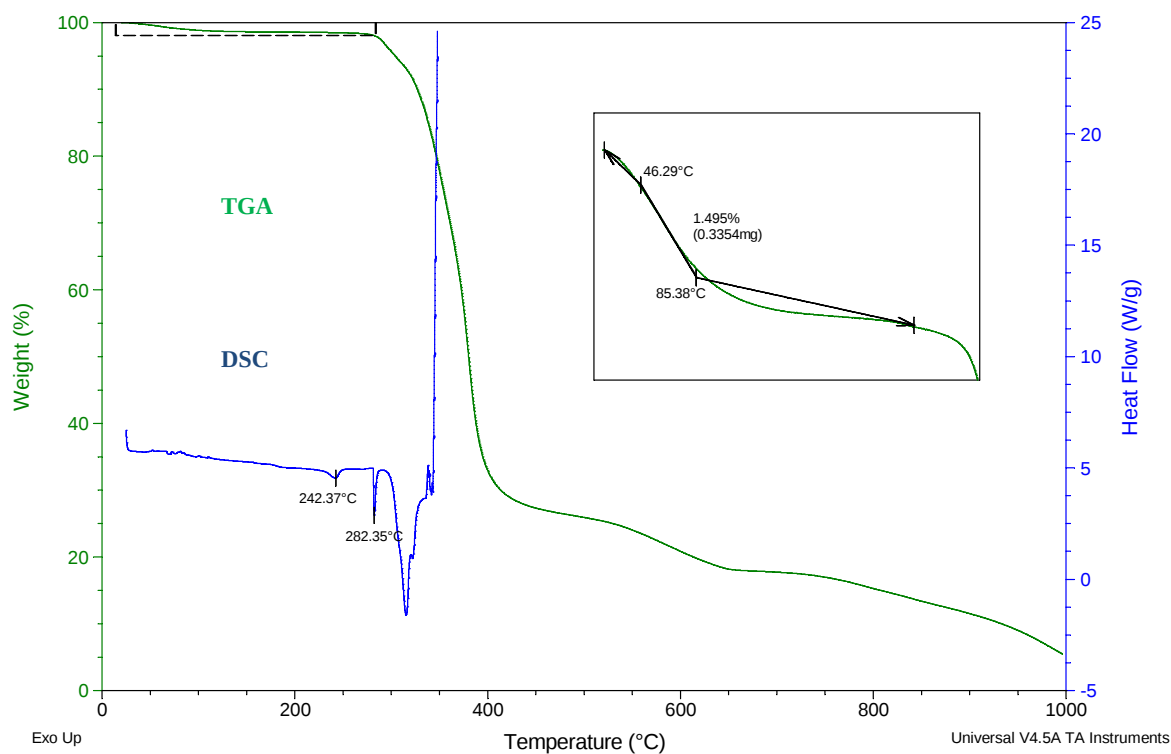
Empirical formula	C36 H42 Bi4 Cl18 N6
Formula weight	2032.83
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.2588(7) Å alpha = 72.336(5) b = 12.5306(9) Å beta = c = 14.5781(4) Å gamma =
deg.	
89.811(6) deg.	
71.266(6) deg.	
Volume	1517.87(16) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.224 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	12.383 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	938
Crystal size	0.323 x 0.096 x 0.066 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.34 to 30.02 deg.
Limiting indices	-12<=h<=13, -17<=k<=17, -20<=l<=20
Reflections collected / unique	61586 / 8813 [R(int) = 0.0766]
Completeness to theta = 30.02	99.3 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.898 and 0.305
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	8813 / 0 / 292
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.150
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0356, wR2 = 0.0853
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0820, wR2 = 0.1257
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.635 and -2.014 e.Å ⁻³

I-B- XRPD of 1a and 1b: theoretical (red) and experimental (blue)

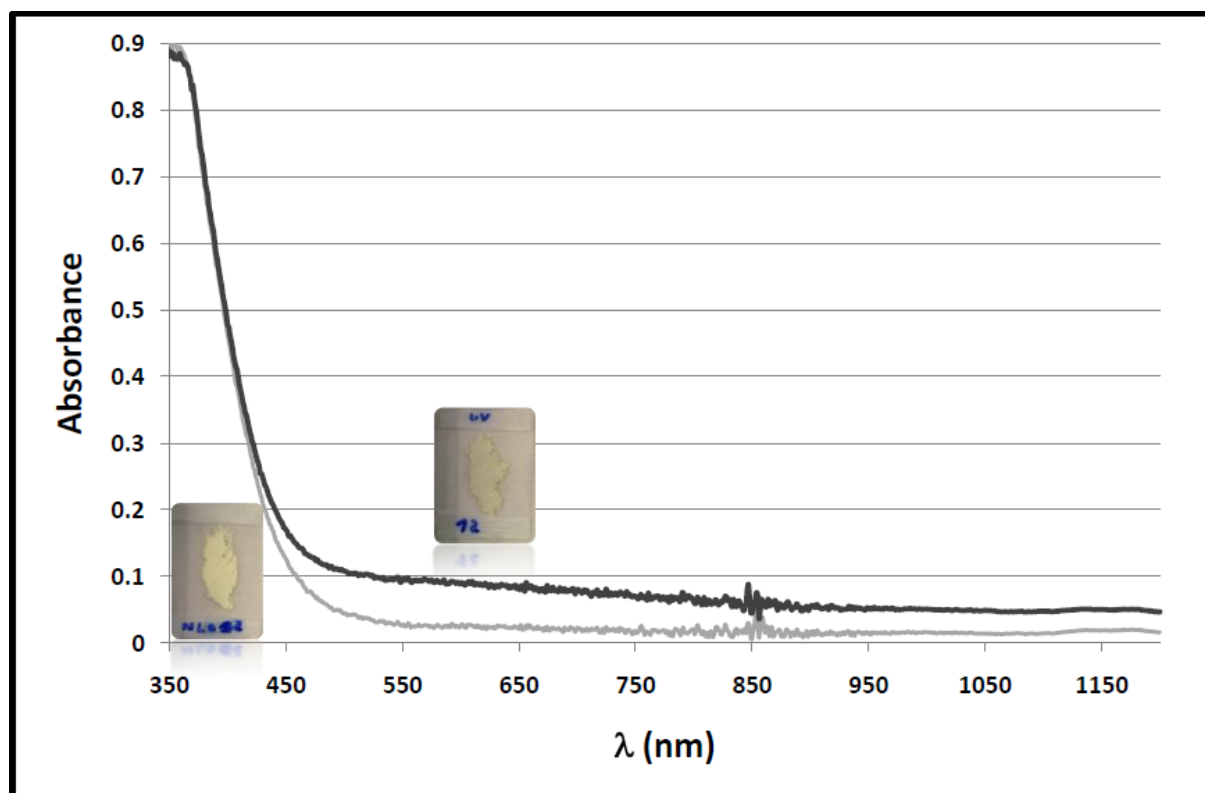


I-C- TGA-DSC of 1a

1a : 1.495% = 1.714 H₂O



I-D- UV-VIS spectra of 1a and 1a post UV (≅1b)



I-E- Crystal structure: Figures

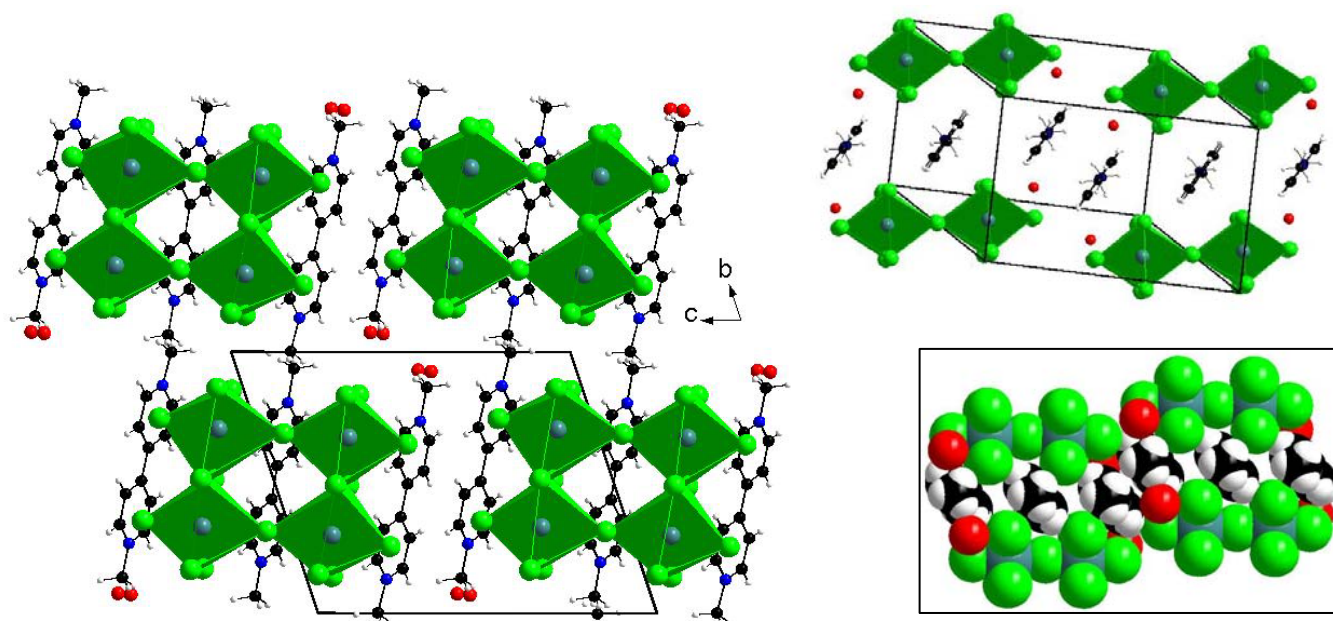


Figure S1: Crystal Structure of 1a: general view along a (left) and part of the structure showing an organic-inorganic layer (right), ball and stick (top) and space filling (bottom) representations

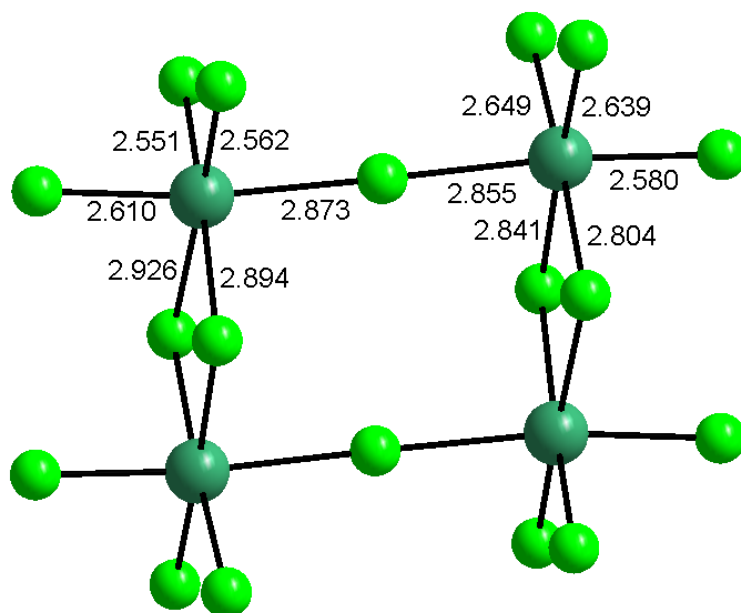


Figure S2: Crystal Structure of 1b: bond distances in the $[\text{Bi}_4\text{Cl}_{18}]^{6-}$ cluster

II- (MV)₄Bi₆Cl₂₆ · 1.7H₂O (2a) and (MV)₄Bi₆Cl₂₆ (2b)

II-A- Summary of crystallographic data

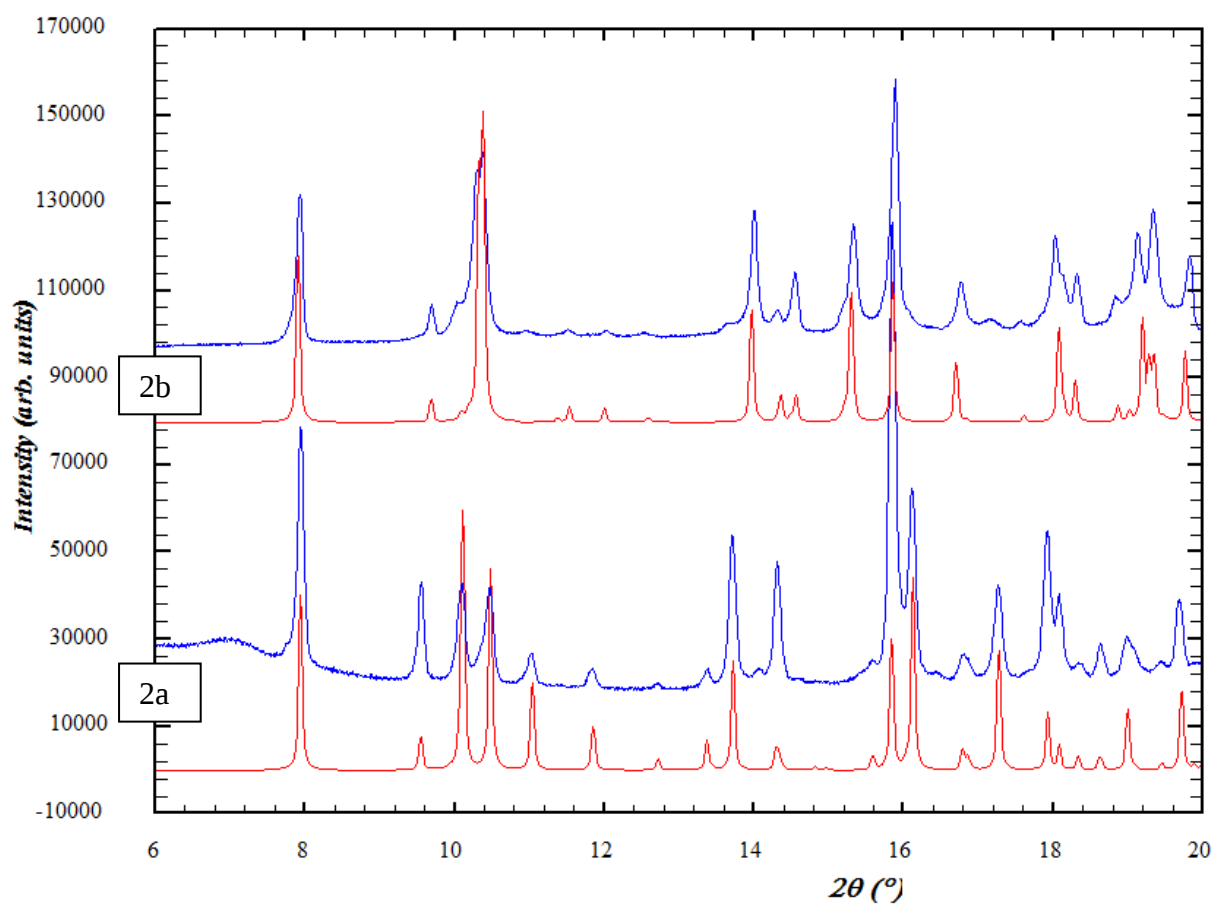
Table II-A-1. Crystal data and structure refinement for 2a

Empirical formula	C ₄₈ H ₅₆ Bi ₆ Cl ₂₆ N ₈ O _{1.7}
Formula weight	2947.87
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.3993(5) Å alpha = 99.774(8) deg.
b = 12.6132(13) Å	beta = 103.196(7) deg.
c = 19.8496(18) Å	gamma = 108.088(6) deg.
Volume	2103.0(3) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.331 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	13.373 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1356
Crystal size	0.18 x 0.094 x 0.07 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.42 to 31.01 deg.
Limiting indices	-13<=h<=13, -18<=k<=18, -28<=l<=28
Reflections collected / unique	55725 / 13325 [R(int) = 0.0570]
Completeness to theta = 31.01	99.2 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.898 and 0.305
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	13325 / 0 / 420
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.008
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0388, wR ₂ = 0.0583
R indices (all data)	R ₁ = 0.1073, wR ₂ = 0.0726
Extinction coefficient	0.00002(3)
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.560 and -1.051 e.Å ⁻³

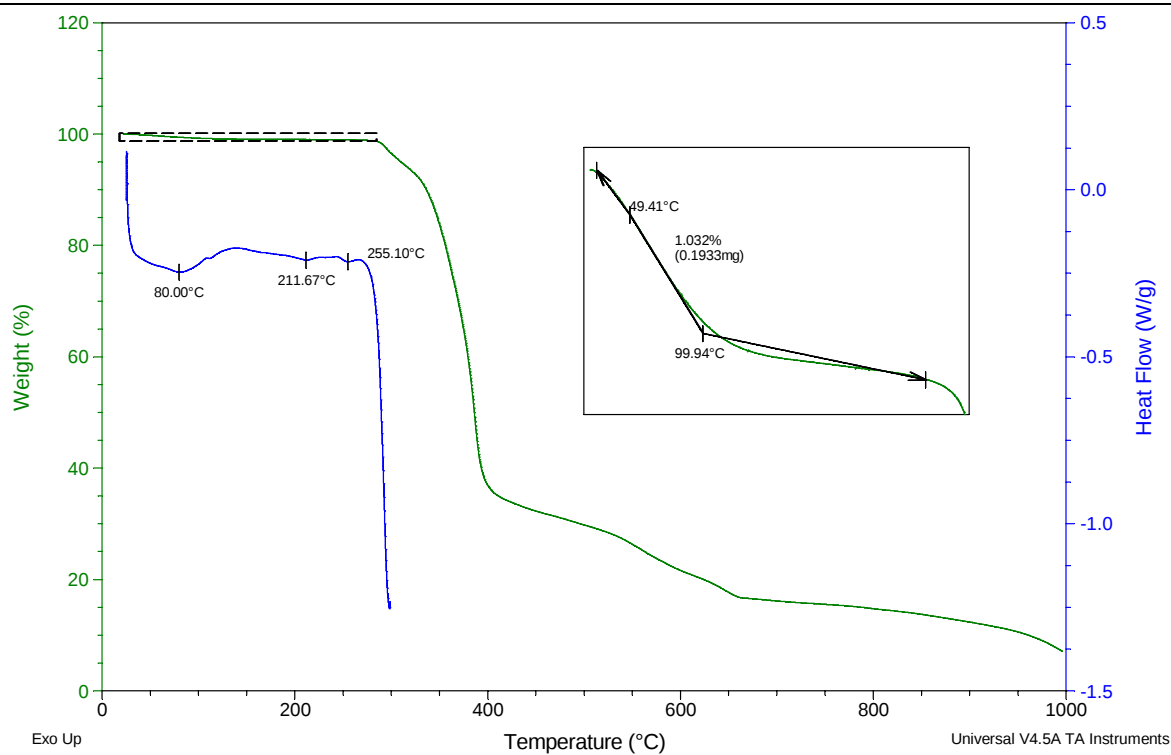
Table II-A-2. Crystal data and structure refinement for 2b

Empirical formula	C ₄₈ H ₅₆ Bi ₆ Cl ₂₆ N ₈
Formula weight	2920.67
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.3871(8) Å alpha =
103.068(10) deg.	b = 12.5062(11) Å beta =
96.160(10) deg.	c = 19.070(3) Å gamma =
108.004(10) deg.	
Volume	2035.7(4) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.386 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	13.812 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1344
Crystal size	0.18 x 0.094 x 0.07 mm
Theta range for data collection	1.78 to 30.07 deg.
Limiting indices	-13<=h<=13, -17<=k<=17, -26<=l<=26
Reflections collected / unique	70592 / 11888 [R(int) = 0.0697]
Completeness to theta = 30.07	99.4 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.898 and 0.305
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	11888 / 0 / 401
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.033
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R ₁ = 0.0381, wR ₂ = 0.0732
R indices (all data)	R ₁ = 0.0826, wR ₂ = 0.0888
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.755 and -1.054 e.Å ⁻³

II-B- XRPD of 2a (down) and 2b (top): theoretical (red) and experimental (blue)



II-C- TGA-DSC of 2a 2a : 1.032% = 1.692 H₂O



II-D- Crystal structure: Figures

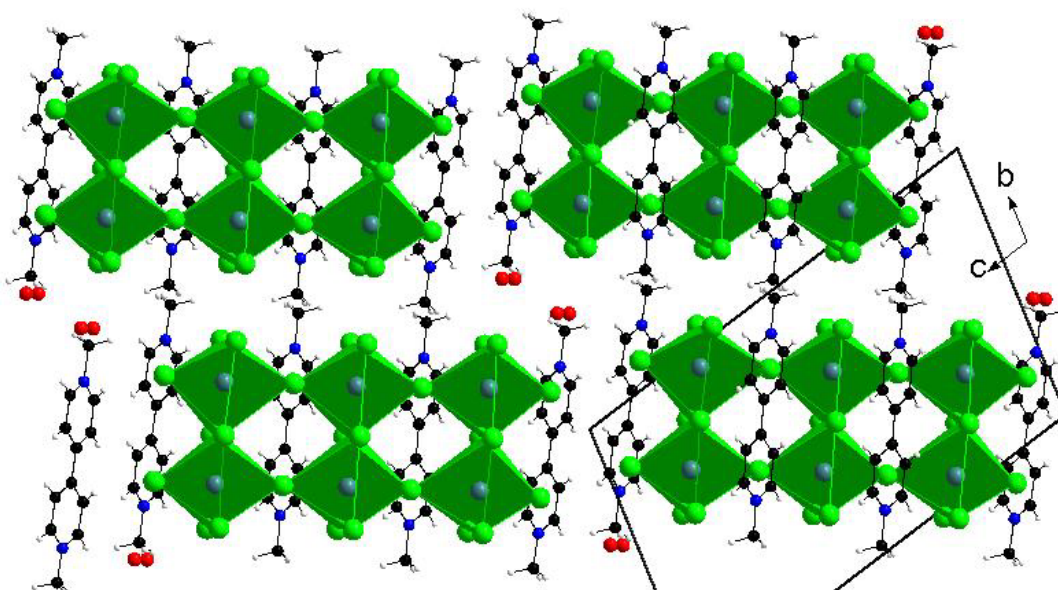


Figure S3: Crystal Structure of 2a: general view along a

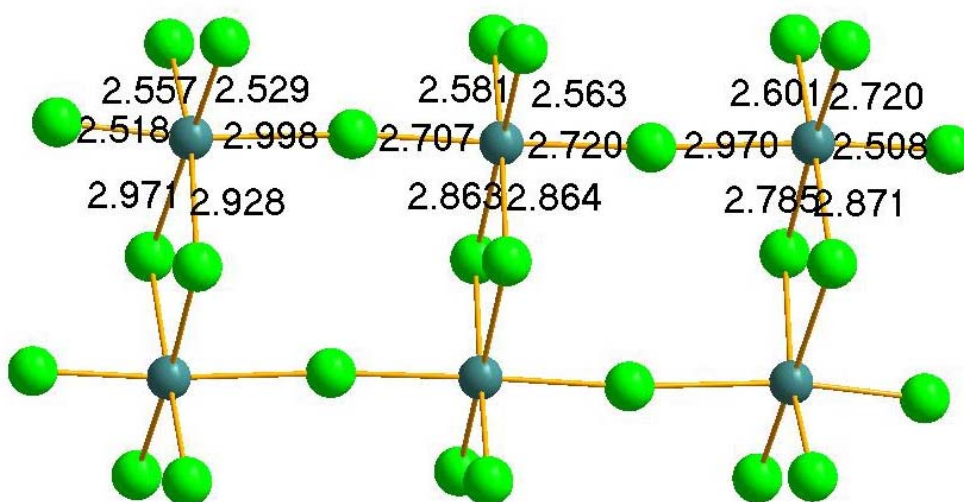
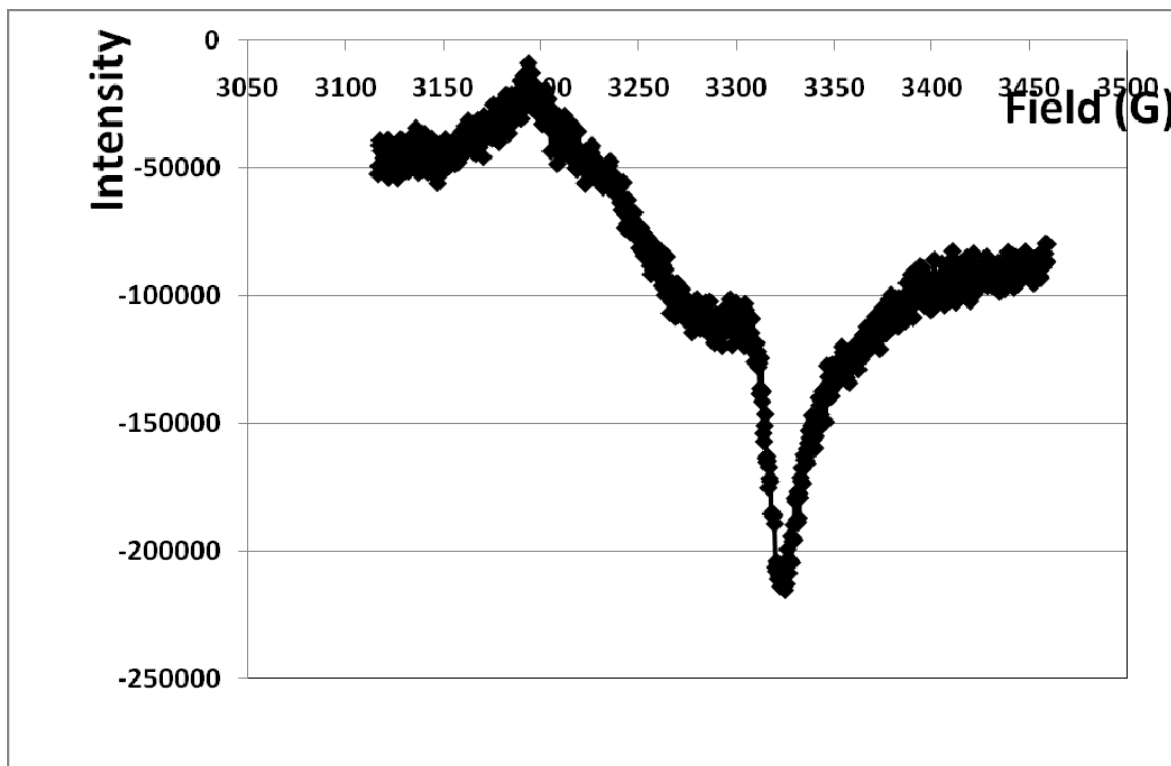


Figure S4: Crystal Structure of 2b: bond distances in the $[\text{Bi}_6\text{Cl}_{26}]^{8-}$ cluster

Figure S5: EPR spectrum of irradiated single crystals sample of **2b** collected at 6K.



EPR experimental parameters:

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XWID 342.400000

* Documentational Text:

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IRNAM 'Intensity'

XNAM 'Field'

IRUNI ''

XUNI 'G'

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III- (MV)₄Bi₆Cl_{25.6}I_{0.4}·1.5H₂O (3a) and (MV)₄Bi₆Cl_{25.6}I_{0.4} (3b)

III-A- Summary of crystallographic data

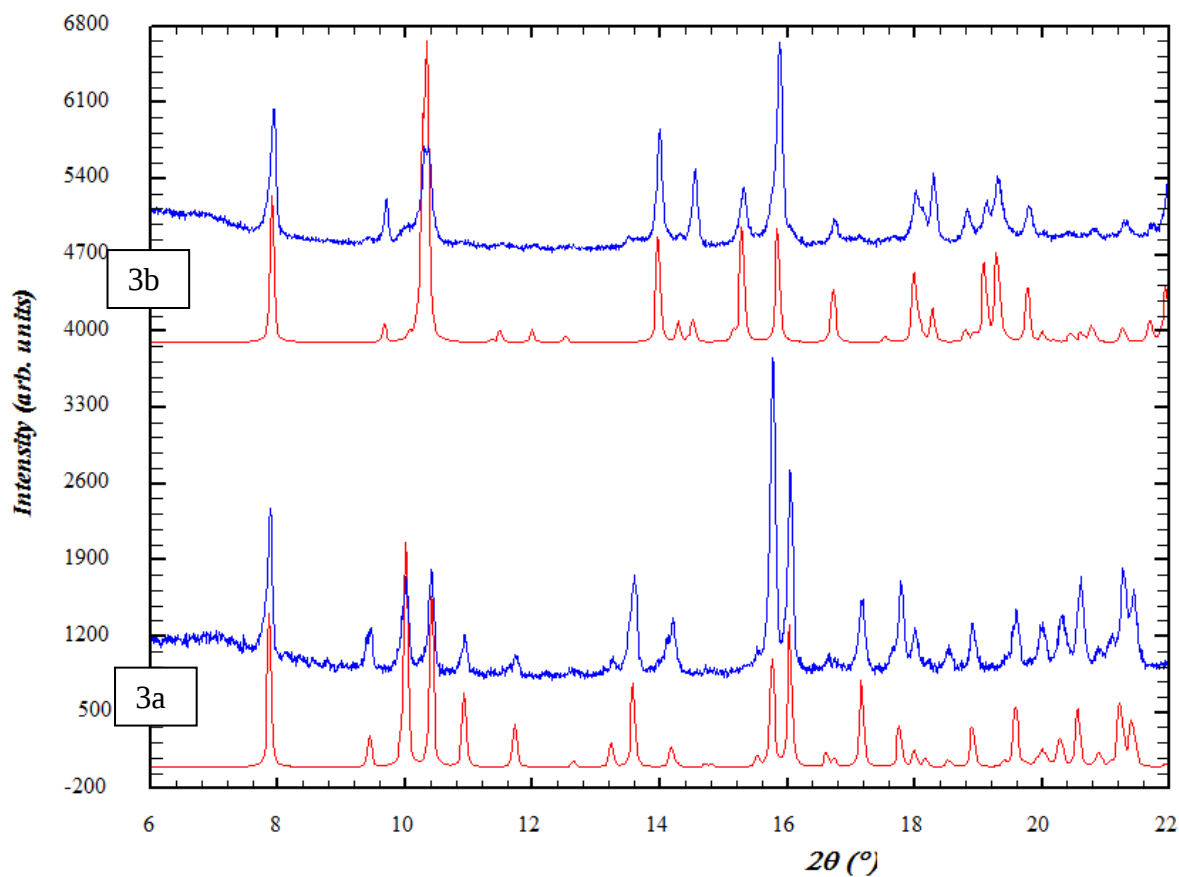
Table III-A-1. Crystal data and structure refinement for 3a

Empirical formula	C48 H56 Bi6 Cl25.6 I0.4 N8 O1.5
Formula weight	2981.25
Temperature	296(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.3866(11) Å alpha =
99.518(8) deg.	b = 12.6026(8) Å beta =
103.518(10) deg.	c = 19.868(2) Å gamma =
108.027(7) deg.	
Volume	2100.0(4) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.435 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	13.760 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1409
Crystal size	0.257 x 0.114 x 0.087 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.75 to 30.01 deg.
Limiting indices	-13<=h<=13, -17<=k<=17, -
27<=l<=27	
Reflections collected / unique	48931 / 12243 [R(int) = 0.0805]
Completeness to theta = 30.01	99.7 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.6189 and 0.2253
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	12243 / 0 / 452
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	0.964
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0454, wR2 = 0.0564
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1392, wR2 = 0.0718
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.477 and -0.862 e.Å ⁻³

Table III-A-2. Crystal data and structure refinement for 3b

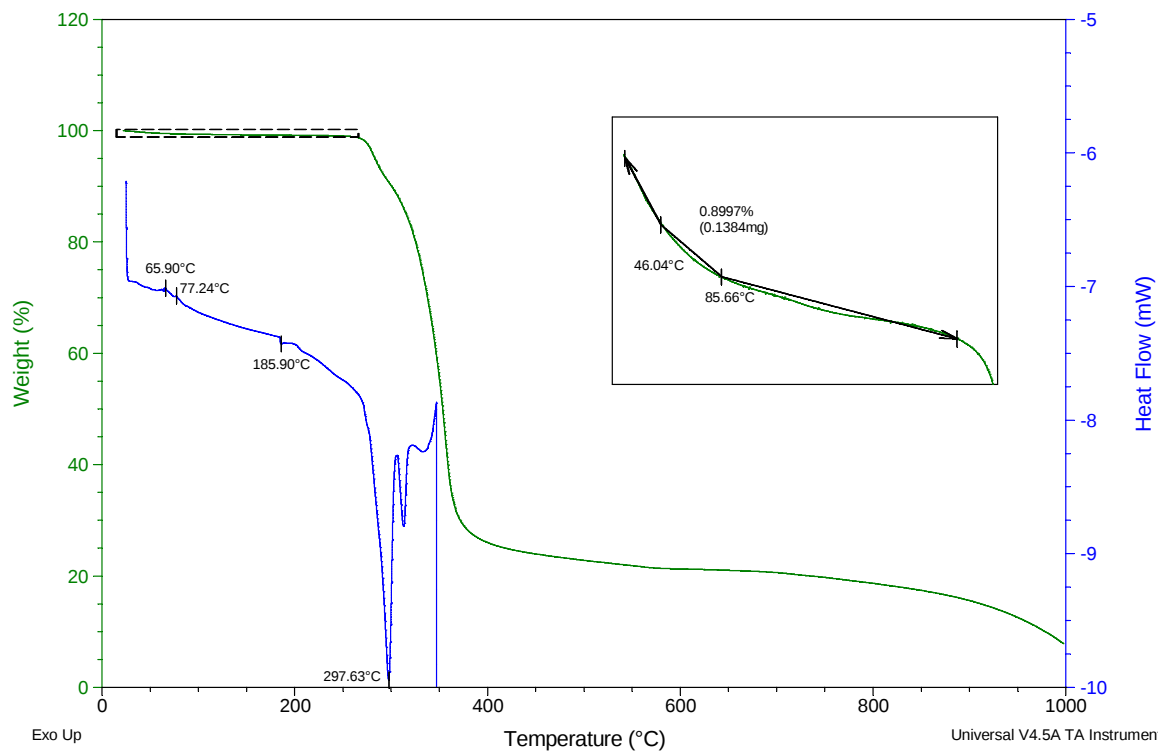
Empirical formula	C48 H56 Bi6 Cl25.6 I0.4 N8
Formula weight	2957.25
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.3912(9) Å alpha = 103.027(7) deg.
	b = 12.5094(9) Å beta = 96.320(9) deg.
	c = 19.094(2) Å gamma = 108.018(8) deg.
Volume	2038.7(4) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.482 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	14.171 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1393
Crystal size	0.257 x 0.114 x 0.087 mm
Theta range for data collection	3.25 to 30.03 deg.
Limiting indices	-13<=h<=13, -17<=k<=17, -26<=l<=26
Reflections collected / unique	45909 / 11819 [R(int) = 0.0962]
Completeness to theta = 30.03	98.9 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.898 and 0.305
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	11819 / 0 / 412
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.014
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0574, wR2 = 0.0832
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1604, wR2 = 0.1043
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.733 and -1.239 e.Å ⁻³

III-B- XRPD of 3a (down) and 3b (top): theoretical (red) and experimental (blue)

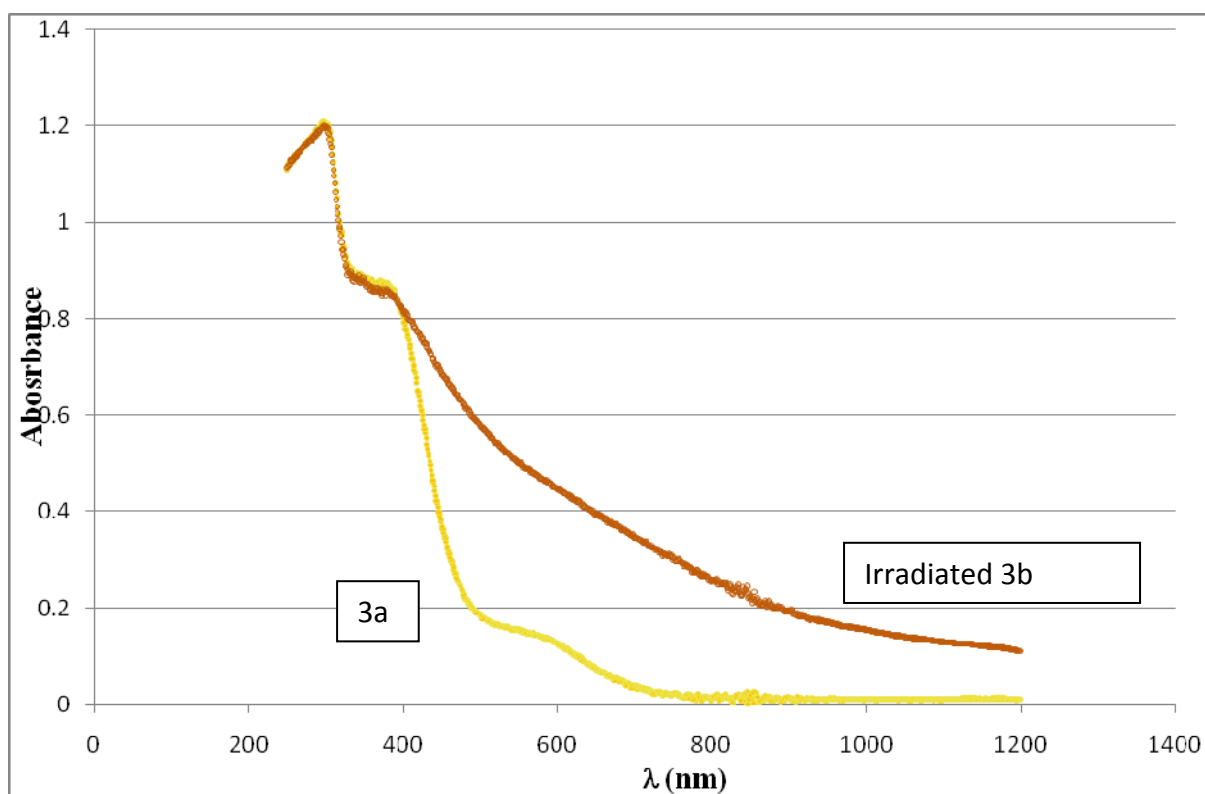


III-C- TGA-DSC of 3a

3a : 0.8997% = 1.491 H₂O



III-D- UV-VIS spectra of 3a and 3a post UV=3b



III-E- Crystal structure: Figures

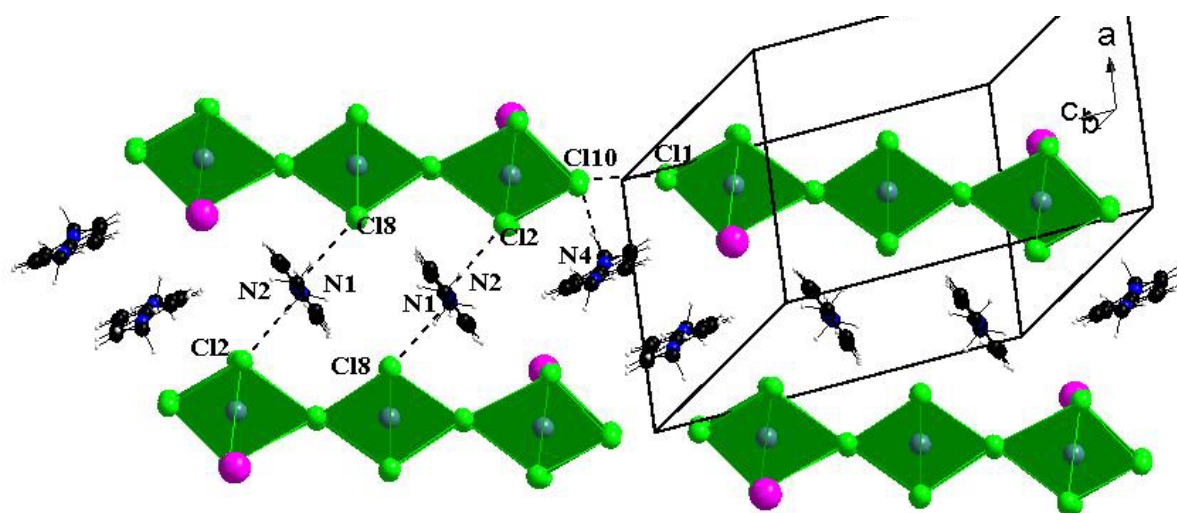


Figure S6: Crystal Structure of 3b: part of the structure showing an organic-inorganic layer

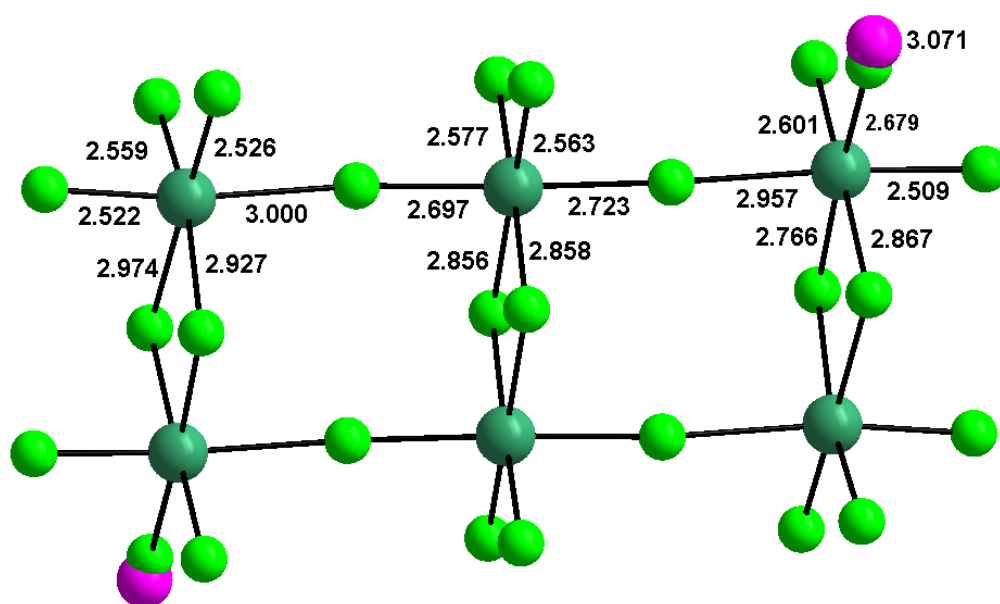


Figure S7: Crystal Structure of 3b: bond distances in the $[\text{Bi}_6\text{Cl}_{25.6}\text{I}_{0.4}]^{8-}$ cluster

IV- (MV)₄Bi₆Cl_{24.6}I_{1.4}, 1.3H₂O (4a(y=1.3), (MV)₄Bi₆Cl_{24.6}I_{1.4}, 0.65H₂O (4a(y=0.65) and (MV)₄Bi₆Cl_{24.6}I_{1.4} (4b).

IV-A- Summary of crystallographic data

Table IV-A-1. Crystal data and structure refinement for 4a(y=1.3)

Empirical formula	C48 H56 Bi6 Cl24.6 I1.4 N8 O1.3
Formula weight	3069.50
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.4162(8) Å alpha = 107.724(7) deg. b = 12.6502(9) Å beta = 103.171(8) deg. c = 19.955(2) Å gamma = 72.189(6) deg.
Volume	2131.7(3) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.360 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	13.522 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1386
Crystal size	0.204 x 0.102 x 0.052 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.42 to 30.02 deg.
Limiting indices	-13<=h<=13, -17<=k<=17, -28<=l<=28
Reflections collected / unique	71308 / 12237 [R(int) = 0.0547]
Completeness to theta = 30.02	98.2 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.6189 and 0.2253
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	12237 / 0 / 452
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.016
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0394, wR2 = 0.0577
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1004, wR2 = 0.0692
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.191 and -0.717 e.Å ⁻³

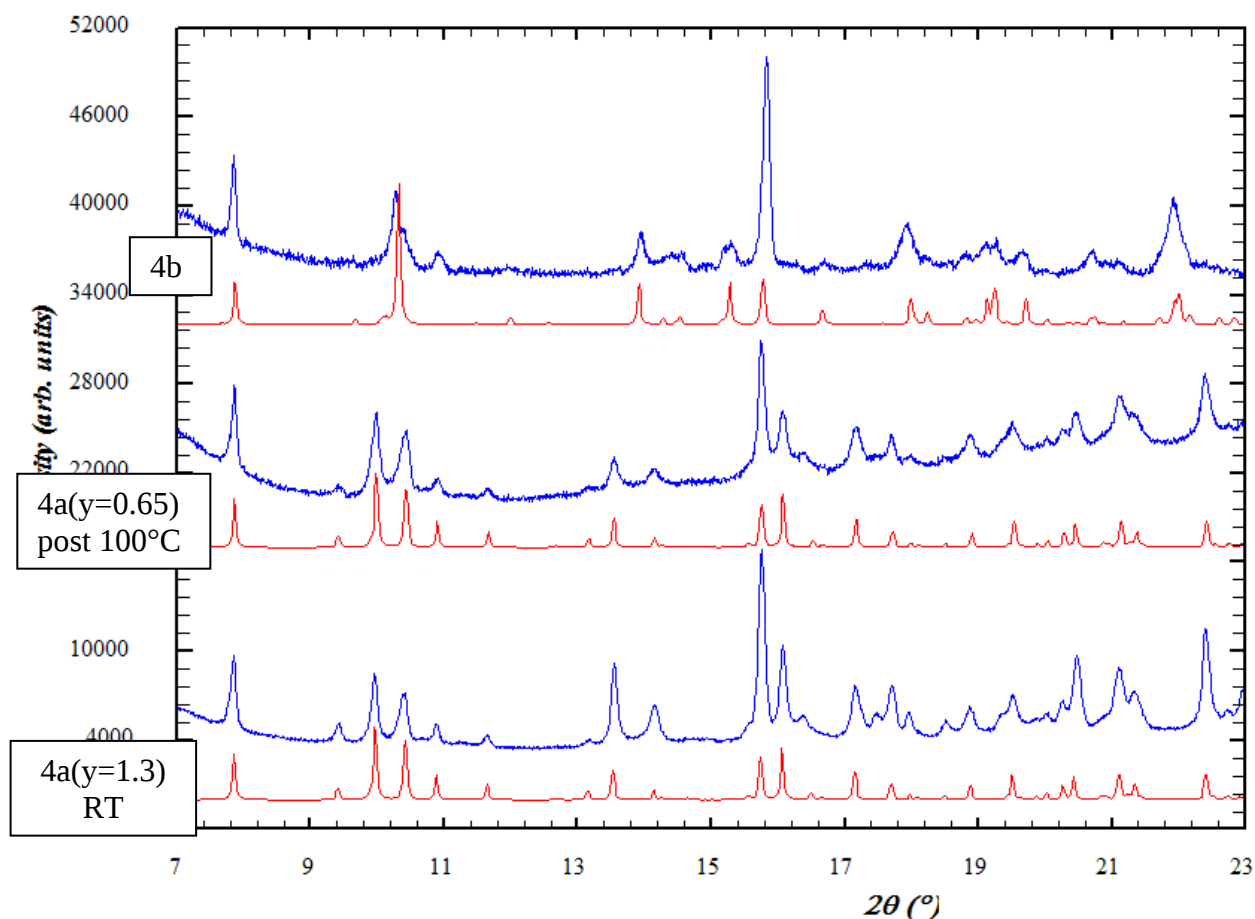
Table IV-A-2. Crystal data and structure refinement for 4a(y=0.65)

Empirical formula	C48 H56 Bi6 Cl24.6 I1.4 N8 O0.65
Formula weight	3059.10
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.4030(3) Å alpha = 107.773(6) deg. b = 12.6265(7) Å beta = 103.222(6) deg. c = 19.9238(16) Å gamma = 72.146(4) deg.
Volume	2120.1(2) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.373 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	13.596 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1386
Crystal size	0.204 x 0.102 x 0.052 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.42 to 30.11 deg.
Limiting indices	-13<=h<=13, -17<=k<=17, -28<=l<=28
Reflections collected / unique	76028 / 12381 [R(int) = 0.0832]
Completeness to theta = 30.11	99.1 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.6189 and 0.2253
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	12381 / 0 / 444
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.003
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0569, wR2 = 0.1451
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1264, wR2 = 0.1749
Extinction coefficient	0.00036(10)
Largest diff. peak and hole	3.719 and -1.374 e.Å ⁻³

Table IV-A-3. Crystal data and structure refinement for 4b

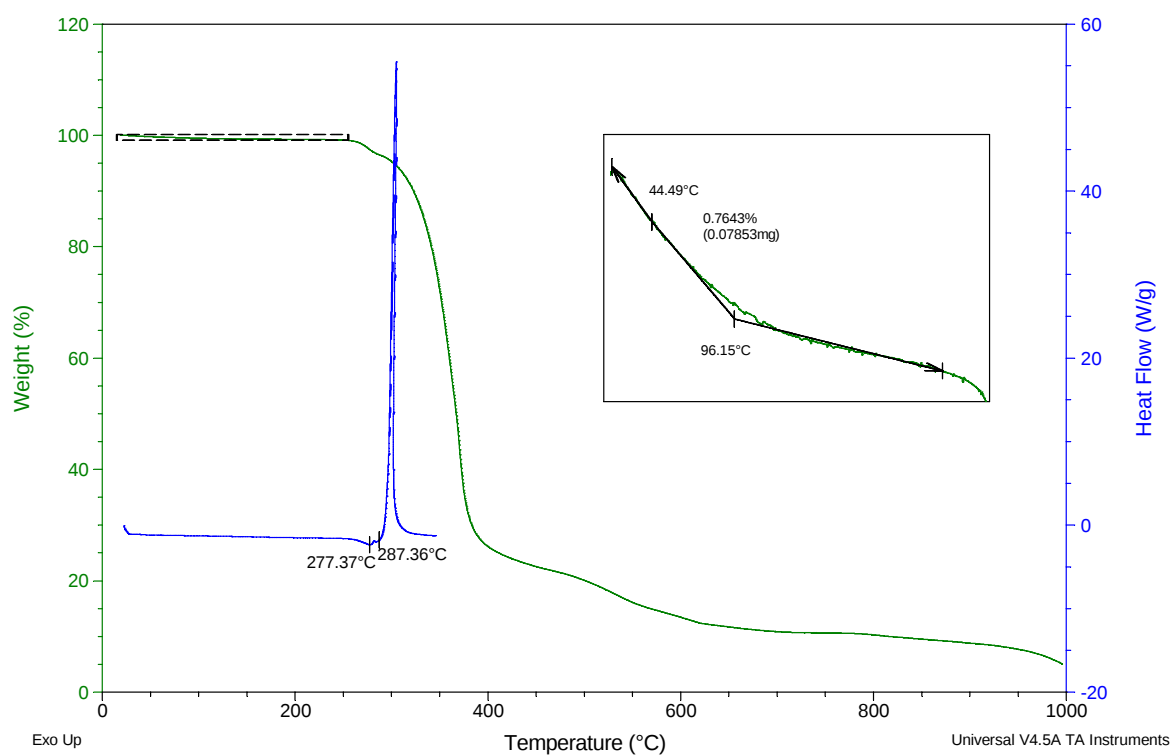
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Formula weight	3039.56
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Triclinic, P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.4244(10) Å alpha =
102.979(10) deg.	b = 12.5997(10) Å beta =
96.181(12) deg.	c = 19.156(3) Å gamma =
108.223(6) deg.	
Volume	2066.2(4) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	1, 2.449 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	13.982 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1393
Crystal size	0.204 x 0.102 x 0.052 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.43 to 30.03 deg.
Limiting indices	-13<=h<=13, -17<=k<=17, -26<=l<=26
Reflections collected / unique	65174 / 11924 [R(int) = 0.0741]
Completeness to theta = 30.03	98.6 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.6189 and 0.2253
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	11924 / 0 / 434
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.071
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0487, wR2 = 0.0883
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1126, wR2 = 0.1039
Largest diff. peak and hole	2.078 and -1.501 e.Å ⁻³

IV-B- XRPD of 4a(γ =1.3) at RT and post 100°C (4a(γ =0.65)) and and 4b (top): theoretical (red) and experimental (blue)



IV-C- TGA-DSC of 4a

4a : 0.7643% = 1.304 H₂O



IV-D- Crystal structure: Figures

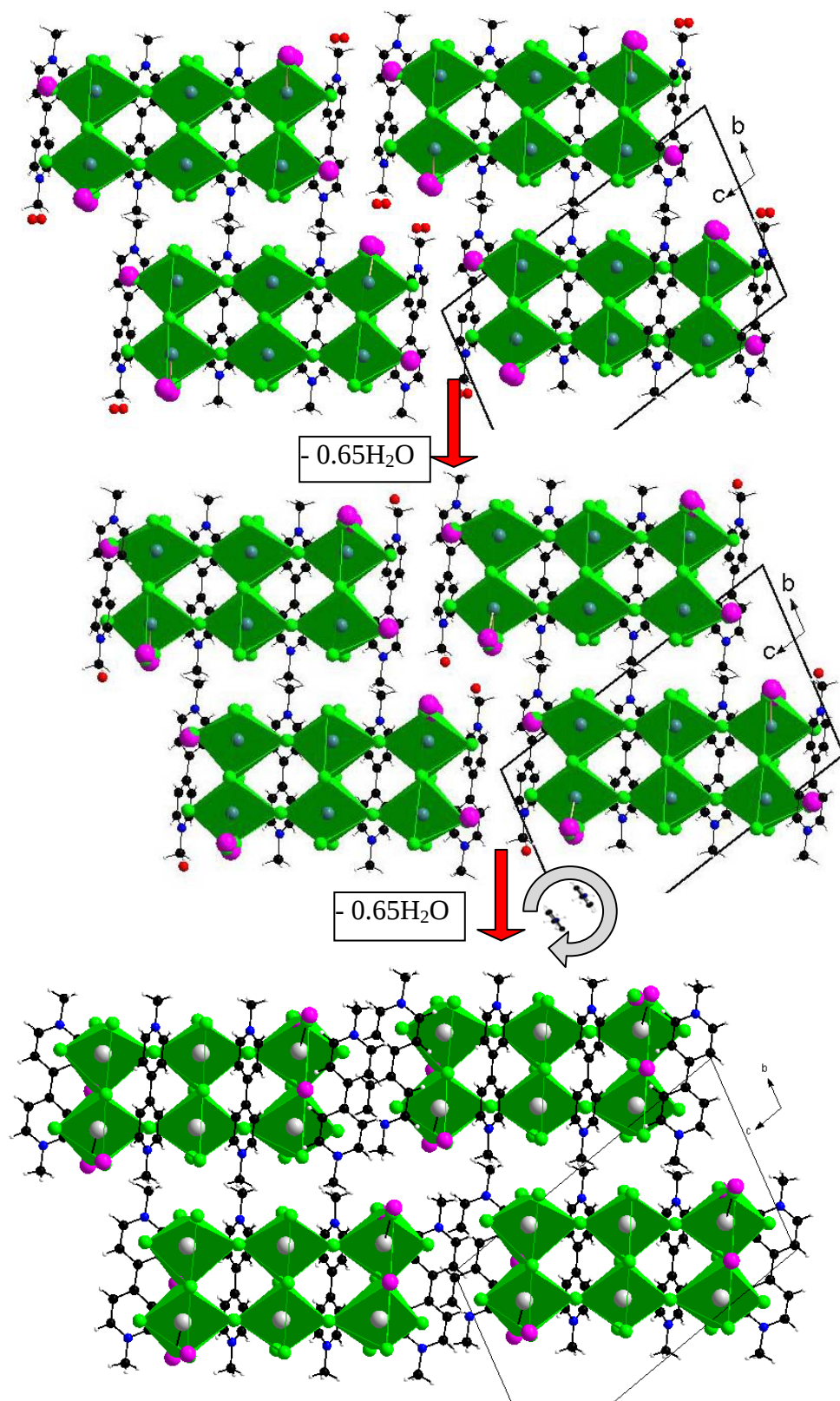


Figure S8: Dehydration process of 4a at the molecular level: general view of structures, from 4a(y=1.3) -RT (top) to 4a(y=0.65) -post 100°C (middle) to 4b (bottom).

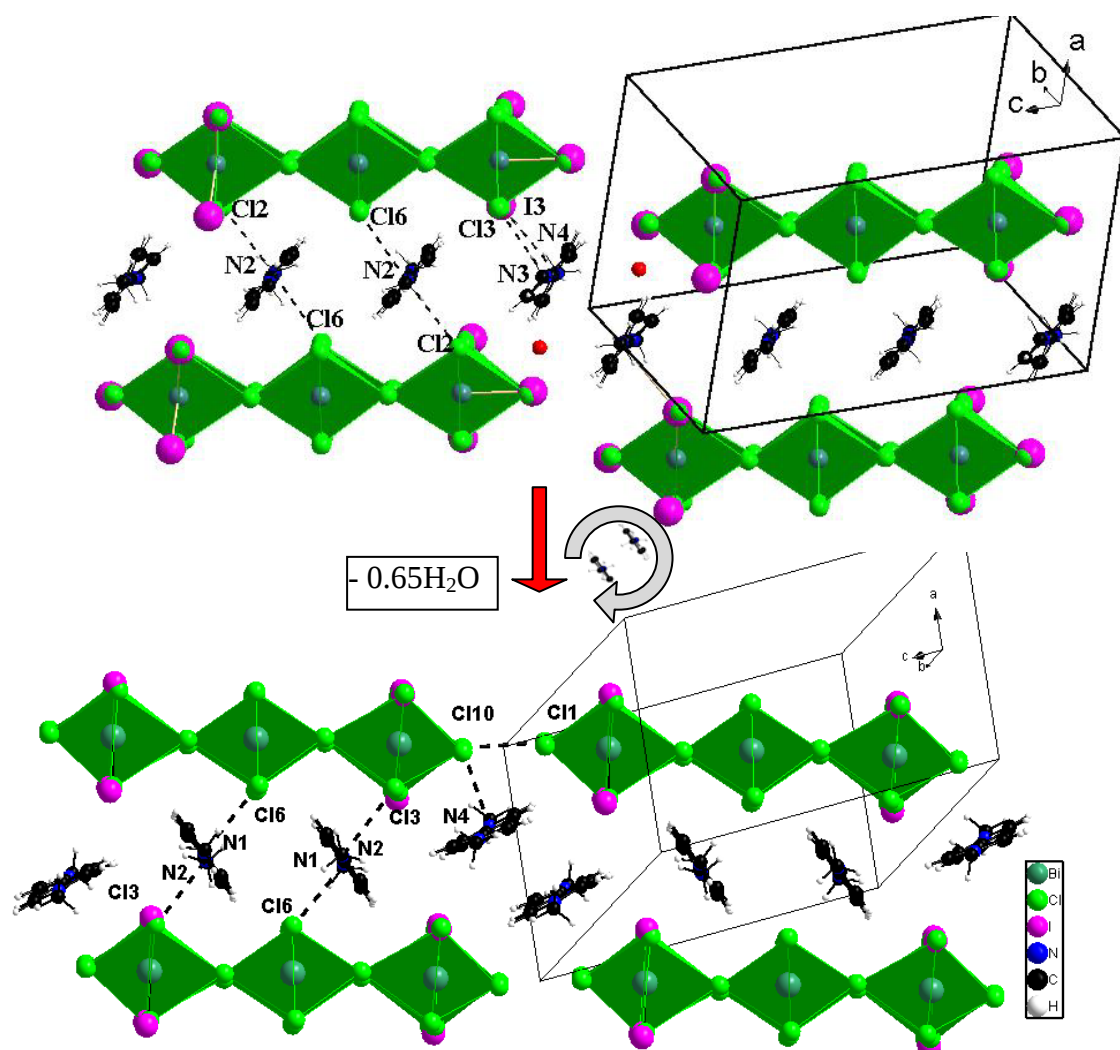


Figure S9: Dehydration process of 4a: part of structures showing one organic-inorganic layer, from 4a ($y=0.65$) -post 100°C (top) to 4b (bottom).

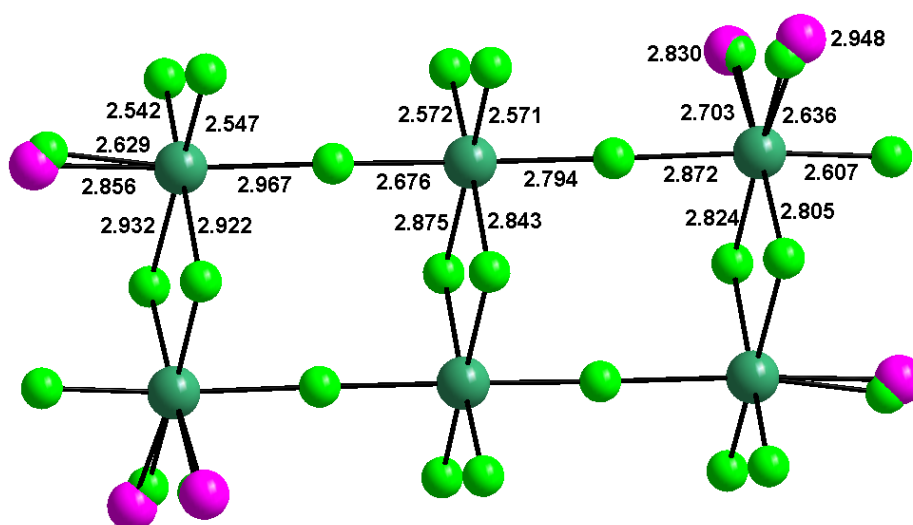


Figure S10: Crystal Structure of 4a: bond distances in the $[\text{Bi}_6\text{Cl}_{24.6}\text{I}_{1.4}]^{8-}$ cluster

V- Crystal Structure of (MV)[Bi₂Cl₈]

IV-A- Summary of crystallographic data

Table IV-A-1. Crystal data and structure refinement for (MV)Bi₂Cl₈ (synthesized with iodide containing solution)

Empirical formula	C ₁₂ H ₁₄ Bi ₂ Cl ₈ I N ₂
Formula weight	1014.71
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	monoclinic, C2/m
Unit cell dimensions	a = 9.58390(10) Å alpha = 90 deg. b = 21.8894(10) Å beta = 100.7960(10) deg. c = 5.52510(10) Å gamma = 90 deg.
Volume	1138.57(6) Å ³
Z, Calculated density	4, 5.920 Mg/m ³
Absorption coefficient	35.462 mm ⁻¹
F(000)	1820
Crystal size	0.3 x 0.1 x 0.06 mm
Theta range for data collection	4.07 to 32.01 deg.
Limiting indices	-14 ≤ h ≤ 13, -32 ≤ k ≤ 32, -8 ≤ l ≤ 8
Reflections collected / unique	13796 / 2018 [R(int) = 0.0316]
Completeness to theta = 32.01	99.4 %
Absorption correction	None
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²
Data / restraints / parameters	2018 / 0 / 60
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.065
Final R indices [I > 2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0204, wR2 = 0.0398
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0265, wR2 = 0.0416
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.770 and -0.783 e.Å ⁻³

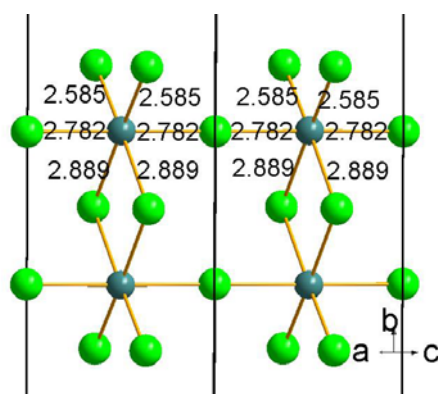


Figure S11: Crystal Structure of (MV)[Bi₂Cl₈]: bond distances in the 1D inorganic chain