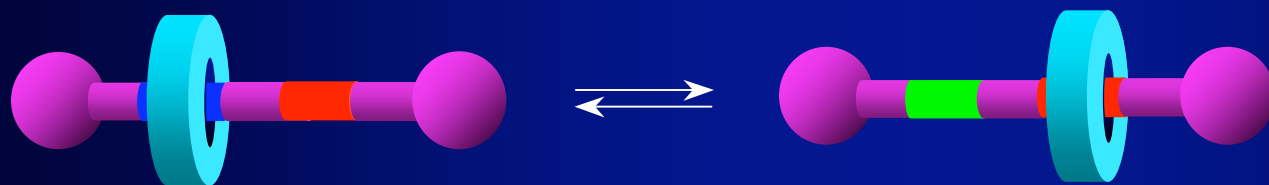
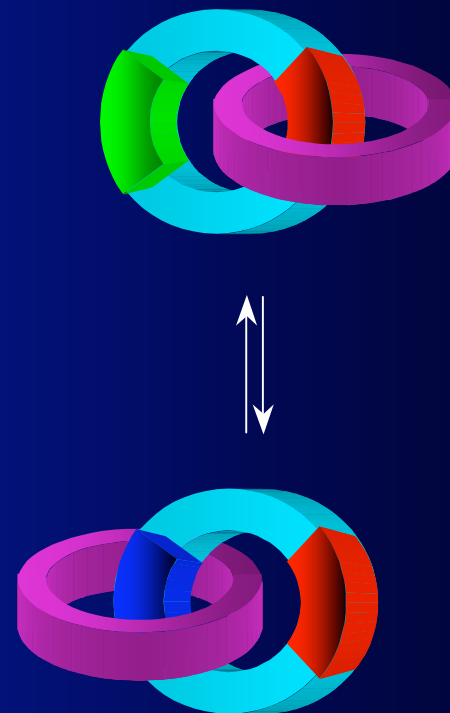


# Application of Rotaxanes & Catenanes to Molecular Switches



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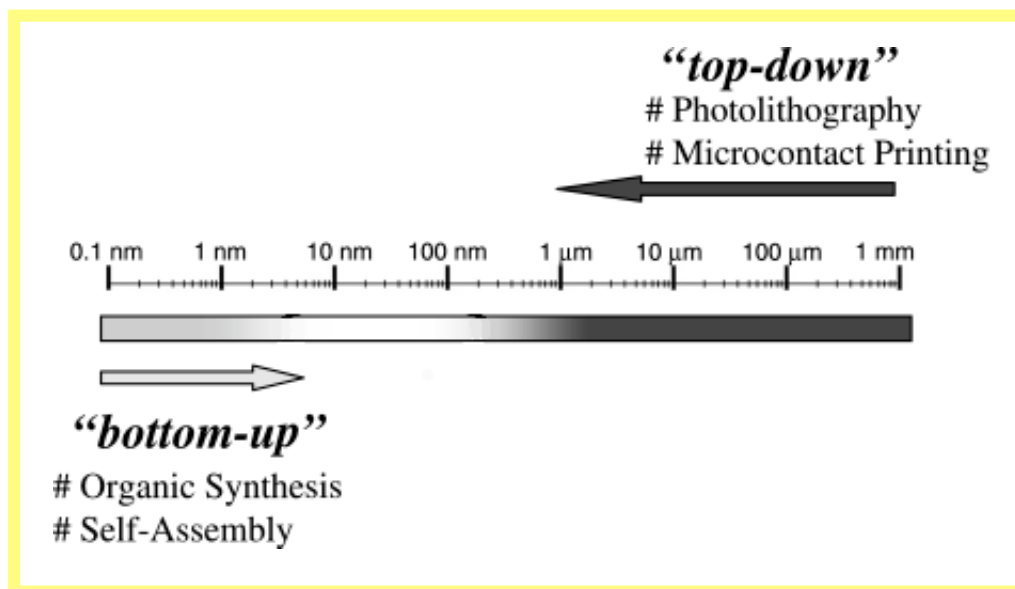
# Molecular Machines

## What is a molecular machine?

*“An assembly of a discrete number of molecular components designed to perform mechanical-like movements as a consequence of appropriate external stimuli”*

Balzani, V.; Credi, A.; Raymo, F. M.; Stoddart, J. F. *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* **2000**, 39, 3348-3391.

# Electronic Devices ( Top-down vs. Bottom-up )



## Intrinsic Limitations of Top-down Process

- photolithography
  - oxide layer
  - semiconductor
- Errors into computation

*“There’s plenty of room at the bottom”*

- **Richard P. Feynman**, 1959, APS talk.

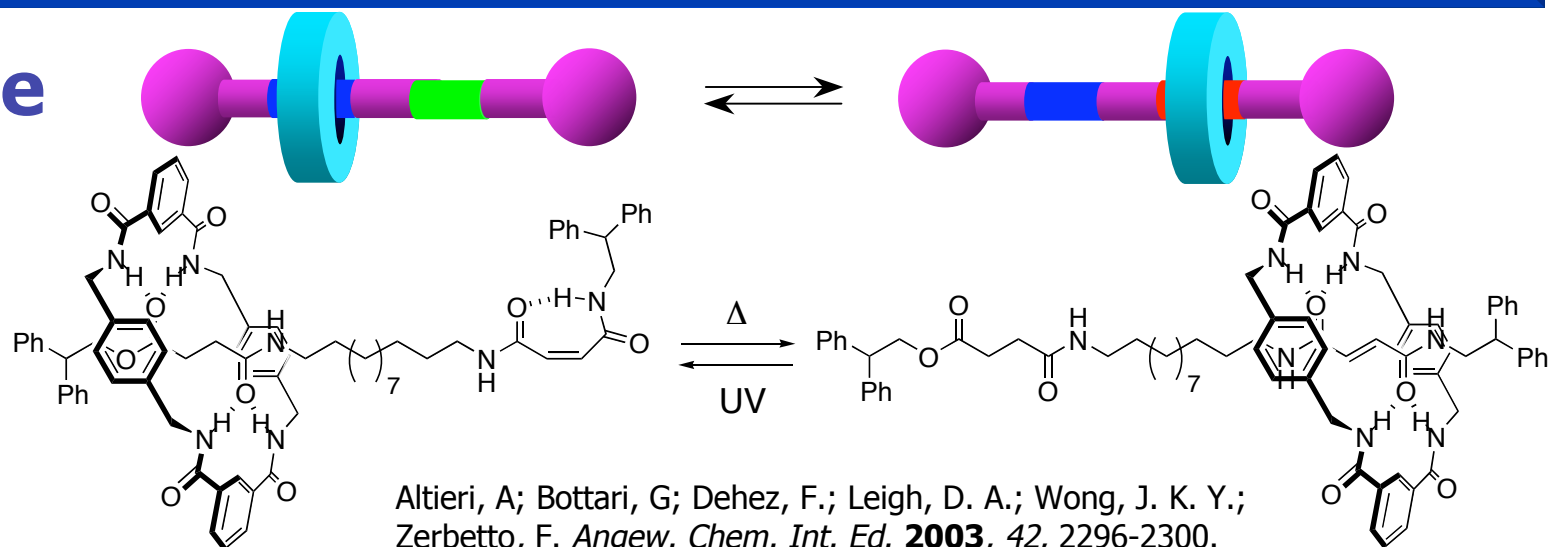


## The Genesis of Molecular Electronics (Bottom-up Approach)

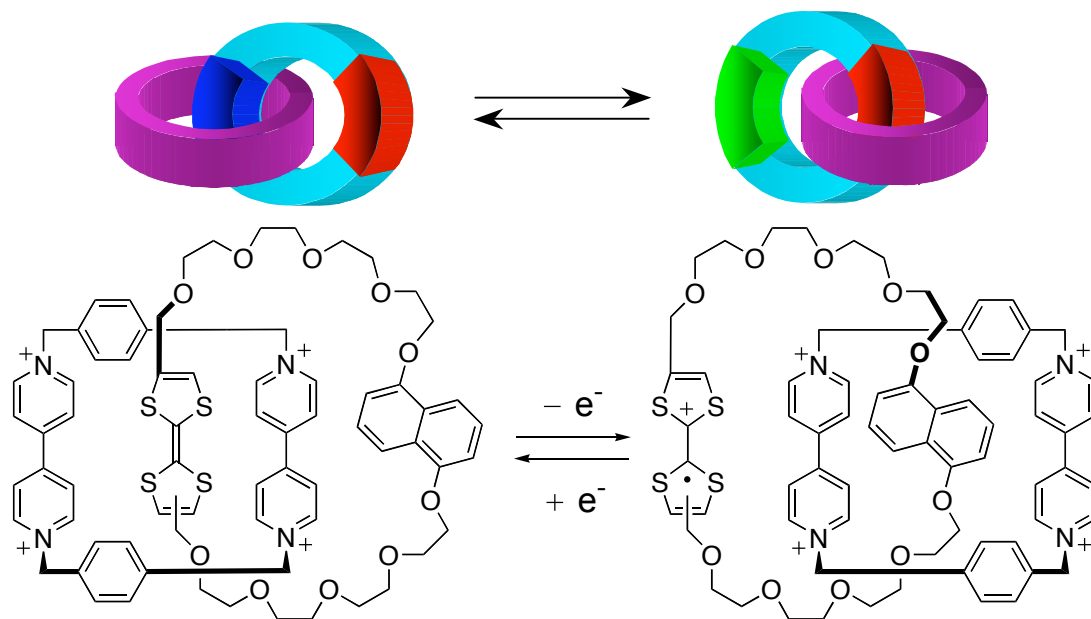
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# Molecular Switches

## Rotaxane



## Catenane

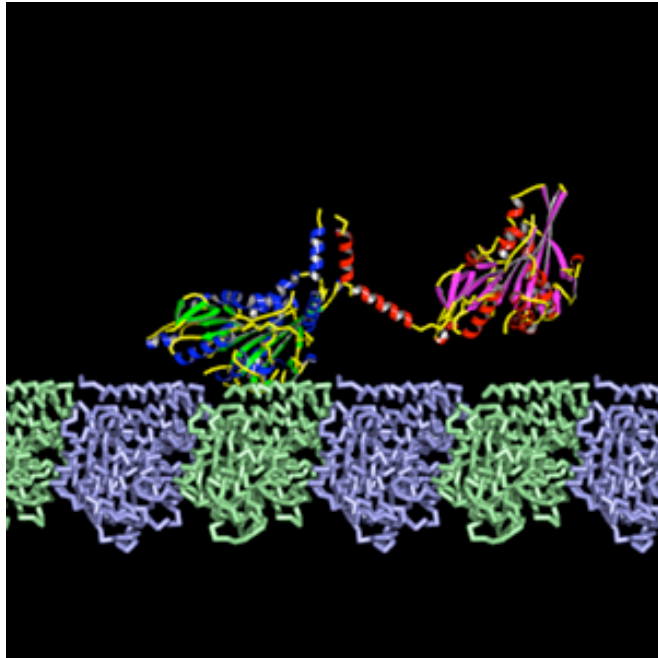


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# Natural Molecular Machines - Biomotors

## Kinesin - Linear Motor



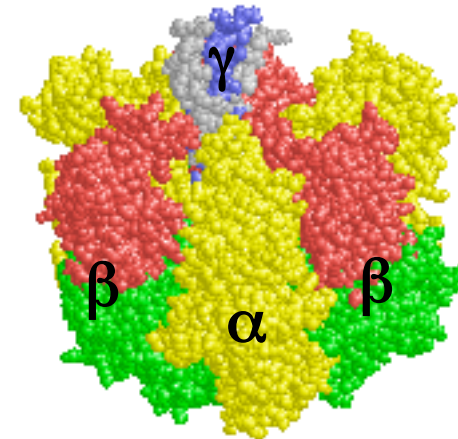
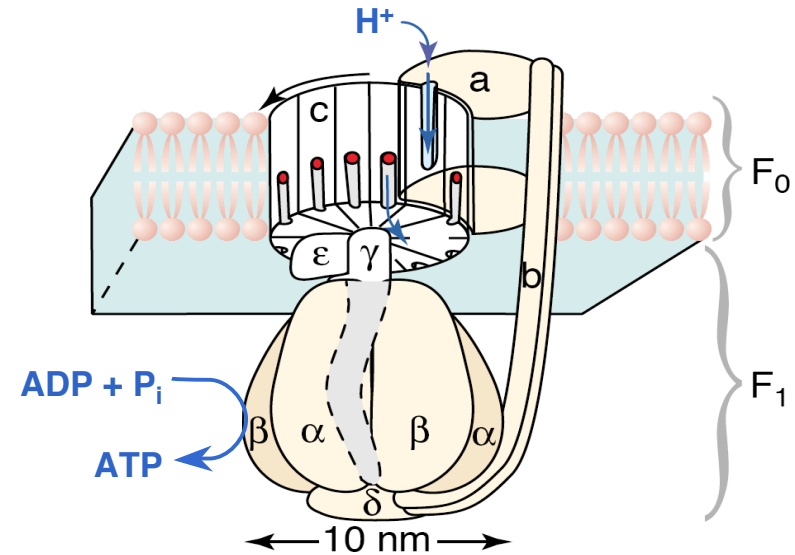
**Role:** vesicle-transport in the cell along the microtubule in linear fashion

**Driving force:** ATP hydrolysis

Hoenger, A.; Thormählen, M.; Diaz-Avalos, R.; Doerhoefer, M.; Goldie, K. N.; Müller, J.; Mandelkow, E. *J. Mol Biol* **2000**, 297, 1087-1103.

<http://www.mpasmb-hamburg.mpg.de/ktdock/>

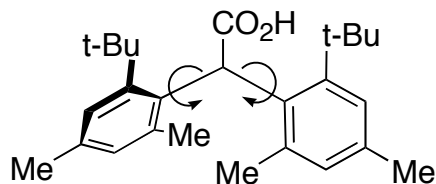
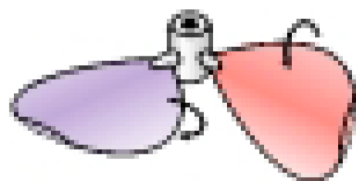
## ATP synthase - Rotary Motor



Wang, H.; Oster, G. *Nature* **1998**, 396, 279-282.  
Oster, G.; Wang, H. *Trends Cell Biol.* **2003**, 13, 114-121.  
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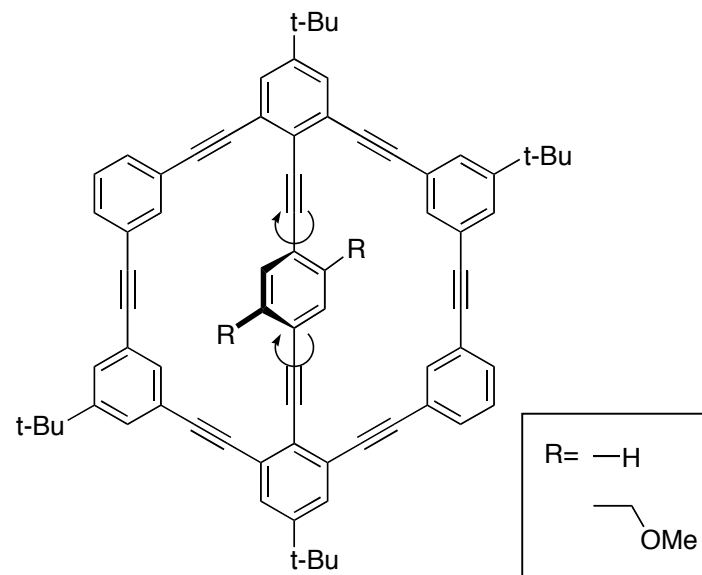
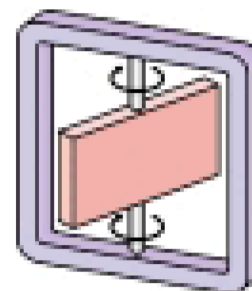
# Artificial Molecular Motors

## Propeller



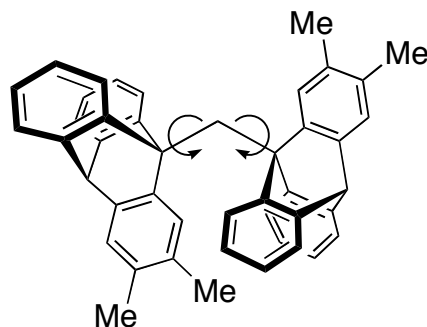
Akkerman, O. S.; Coops, J. *Rec. Trav. Chim. Pays-Bas* **1967**, 86, 755-761; *ibid.* **1970**, 89, 673-679.

## Turnstile



Bedard, T. C.; Moore, J. S. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1995**, 117, 10662-10671.

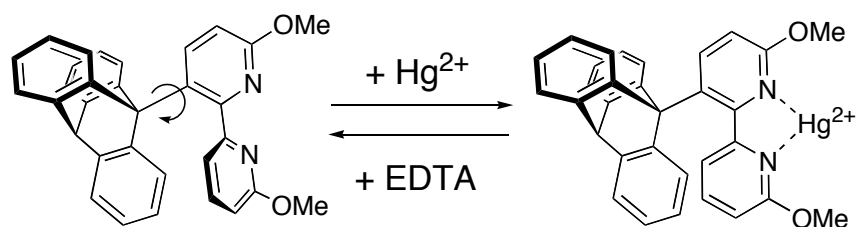
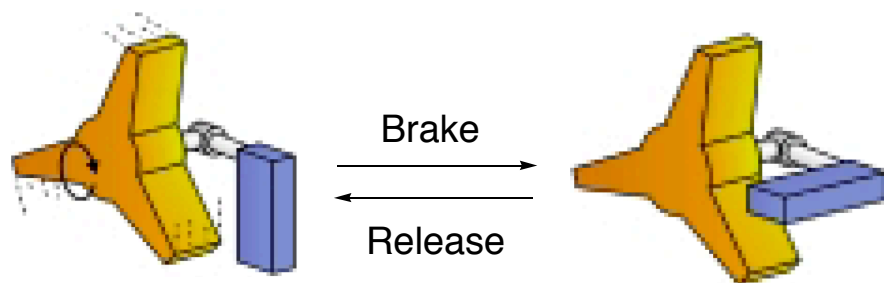
## Gear



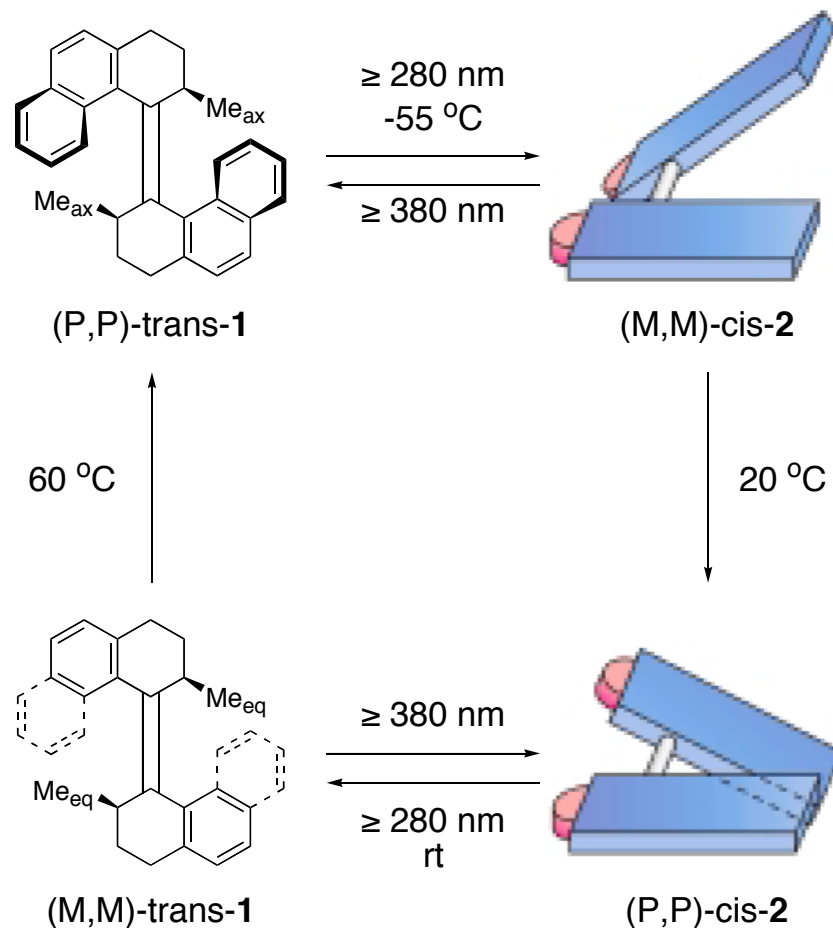
Cozzi, F.; Guenzi, A.; Johnson, C. A.; Mislow, K.; Hounshell, W. D.; Blount, J. F. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1981**, 103, 957-958.

# Artificial Molecular Motors

## Brake



## Unidirectional Molecular Rotor

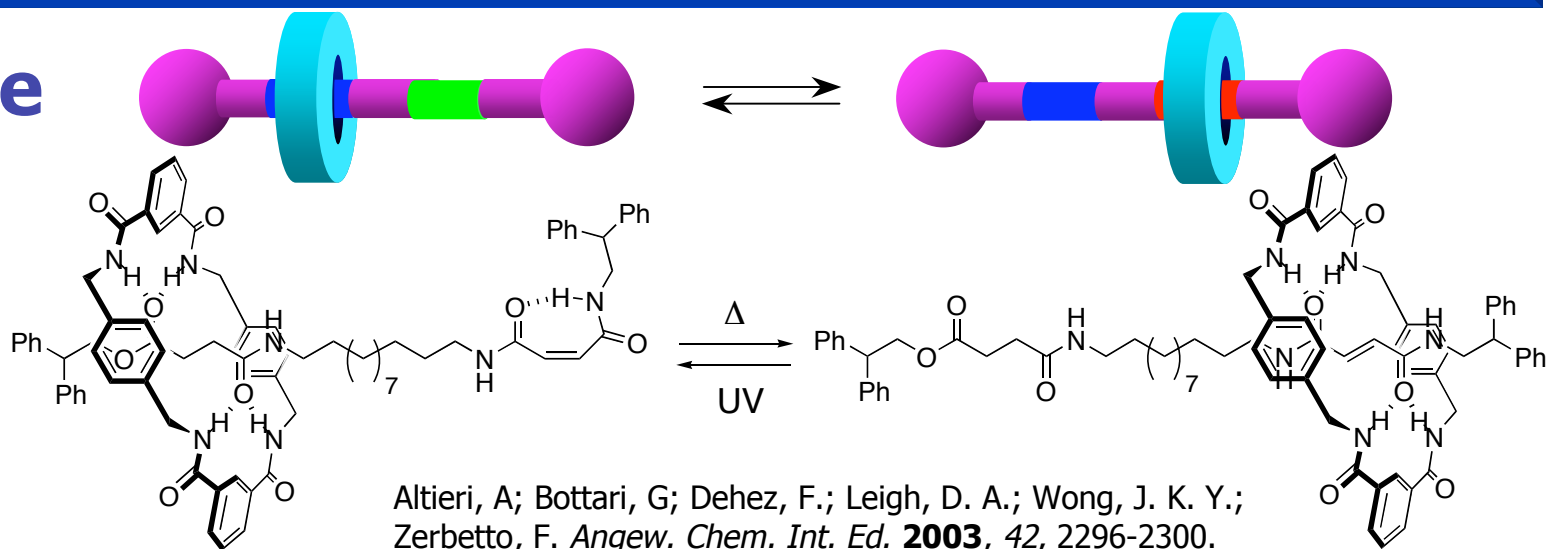


Kelly, T. R.; Bowyer, M. C.; Bhaskar, K. V.; Bebbington, D.; Garcia, A.; Lang, F.; Kim, M. H. Jette, M. P.  
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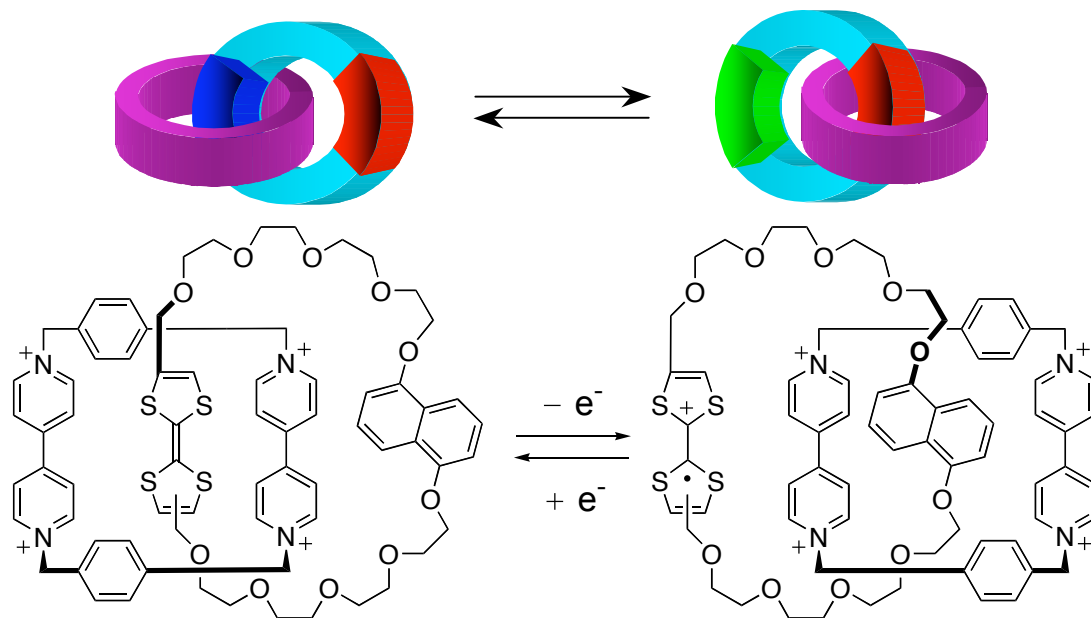
Koumura, N.; Zijlstra, R. W. J.; van Delden, R. A.; Harada, N.; Feringa, B. L. *Nature* **1999**, *401*, 152-155.

# Artificial Molecular Motors

## Rotaxane



## Catenane



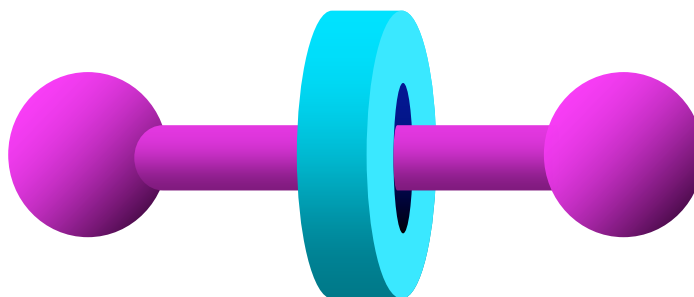
# What Are Rotaxanes & Catenanes ?

## [n]Rotaxanes

from Latin:

*rota* = wheel

*axis* = axle

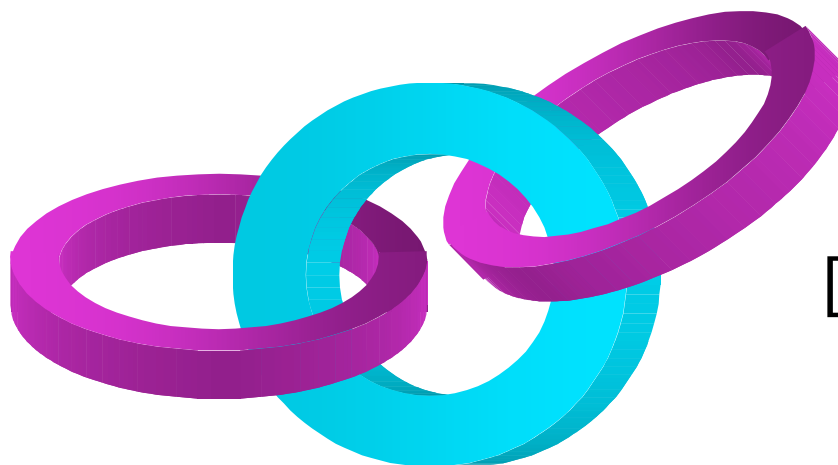


[2]rotaxane

## [n]Catenanes

from Latin:

*catena* = chain

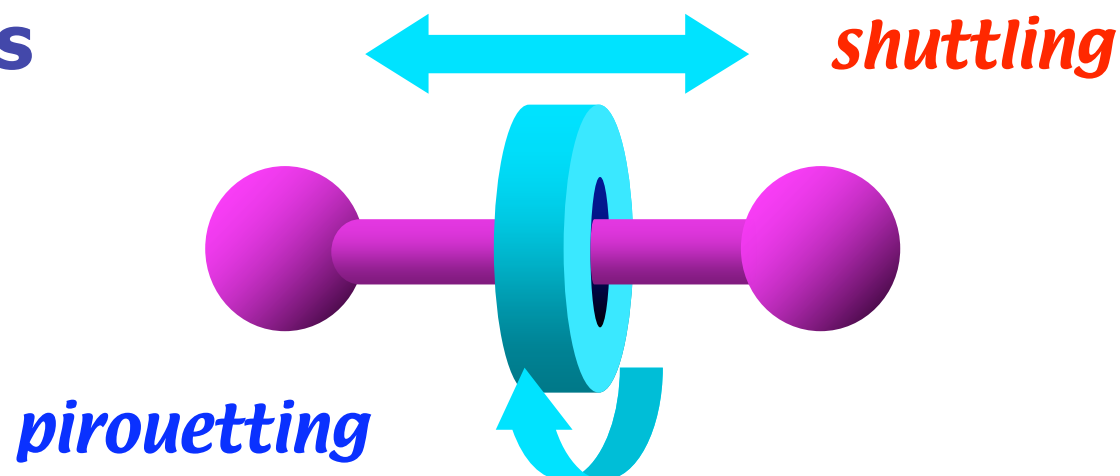


[3]catenane

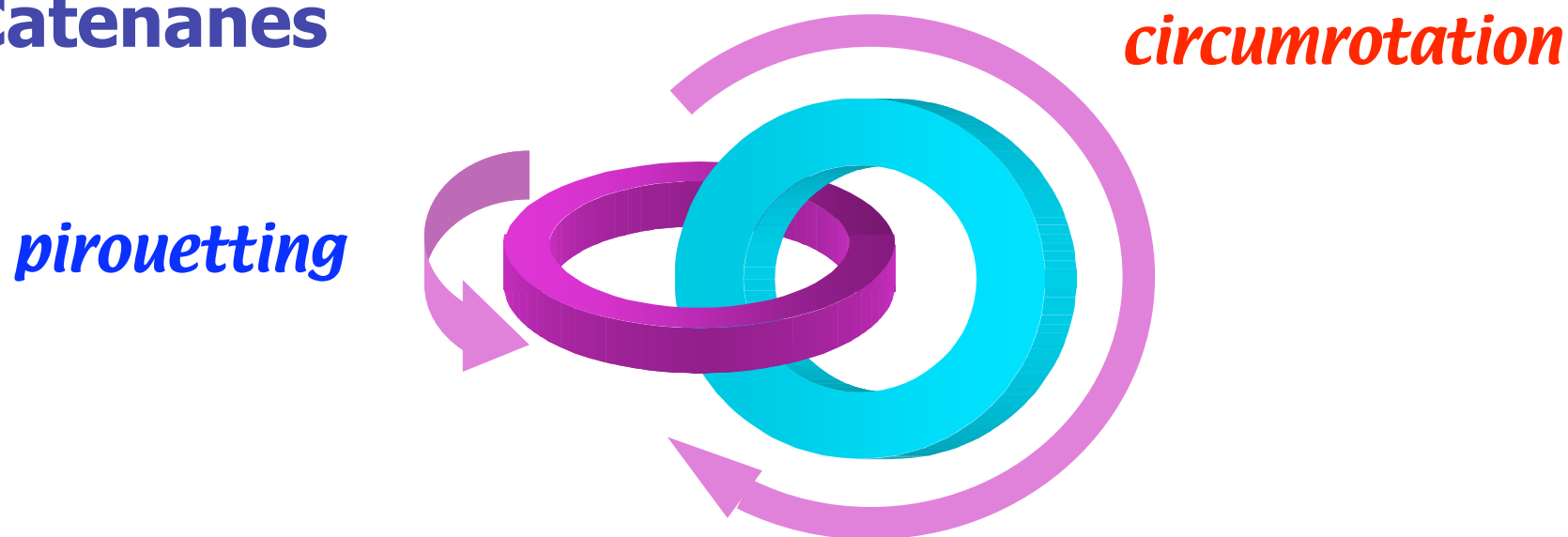
Note: n = the total # of the interlocked components

# How Do Rotaxanes & Catenanes Move ?

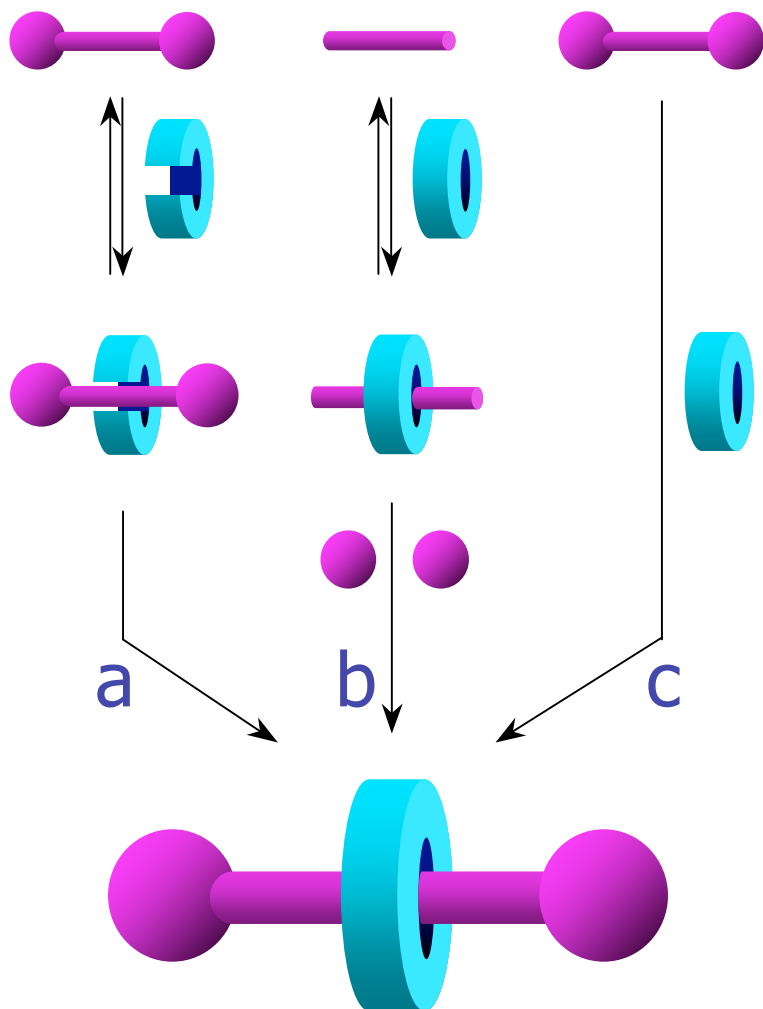
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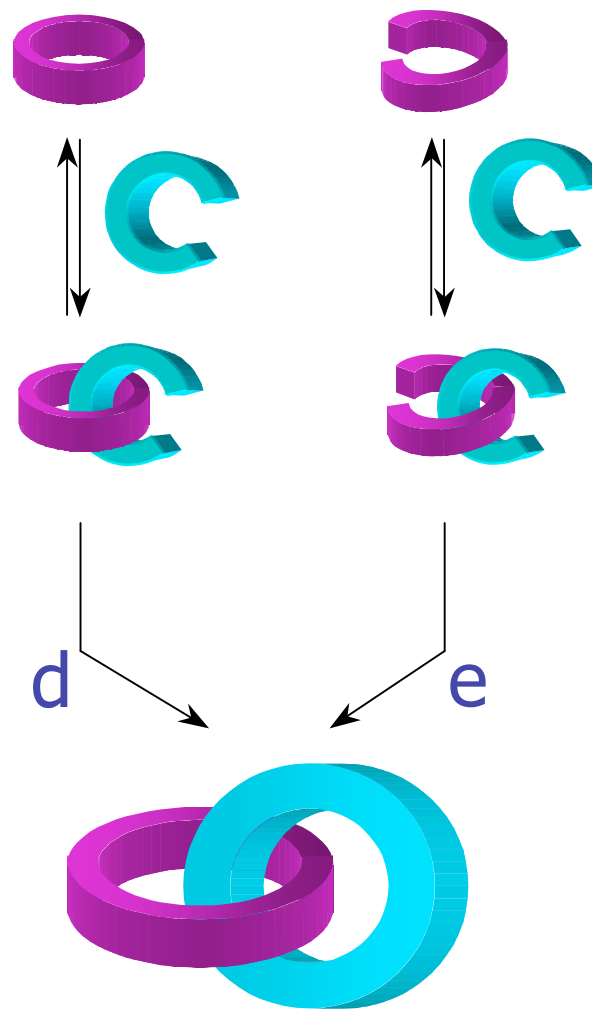
## [2]Catenanes



# How to Construct Rotaxanes & Catenanes ?

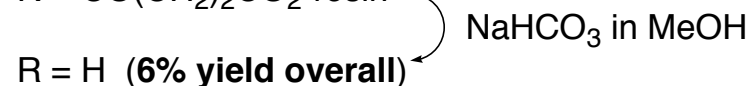
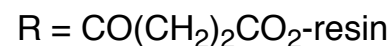
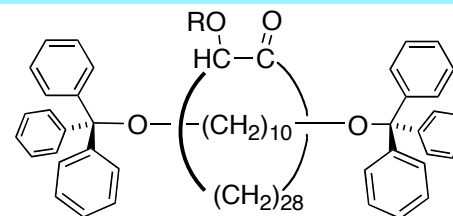
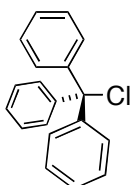
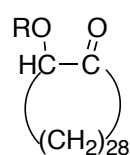
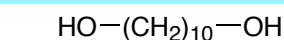
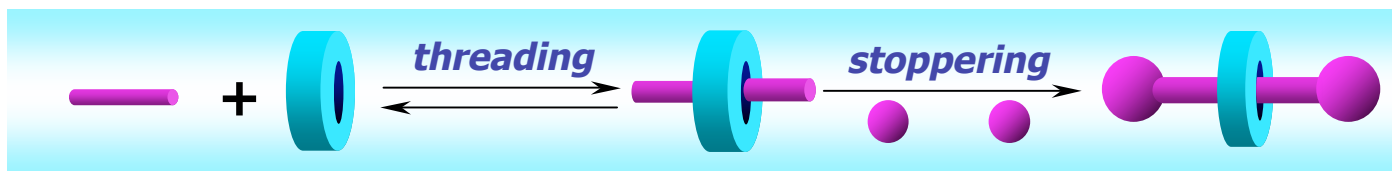


- a: Clipping**
- b: Threading & Stoppering**
- c: Slipping**

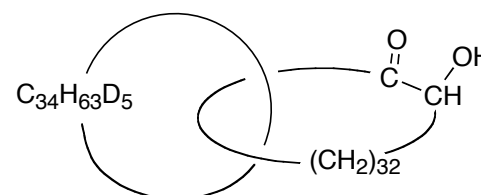
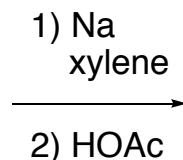
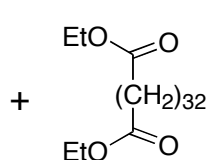
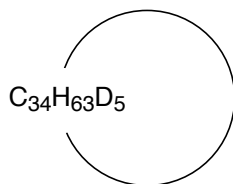
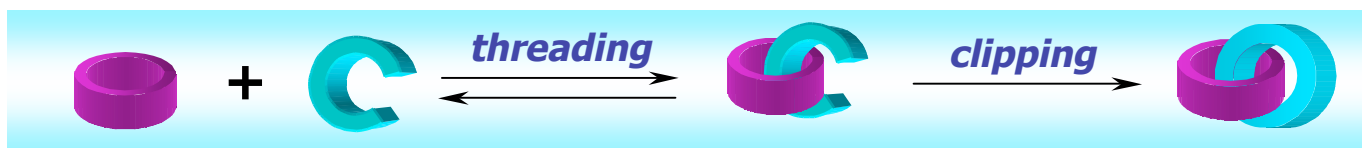


- d: Threading & Clipping**
- e: Double Clipping**

# First Synthesis of Rotaxanes & Catenanes



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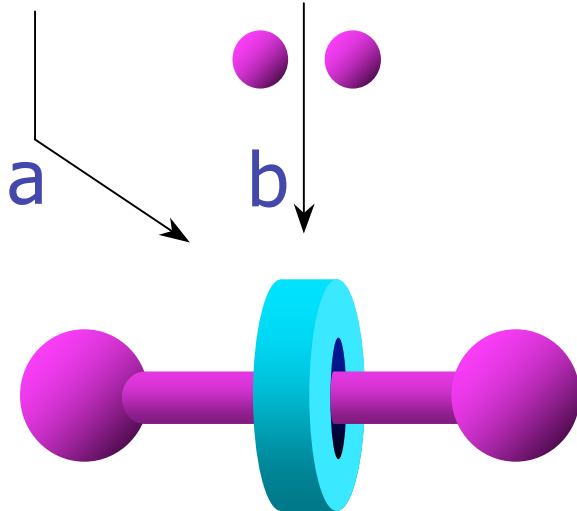
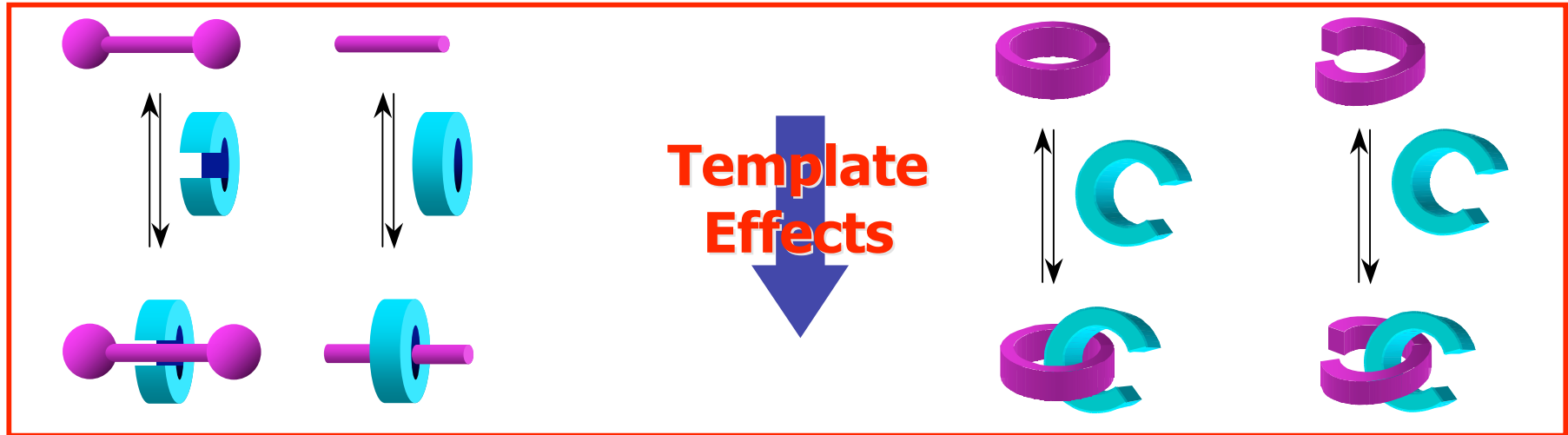
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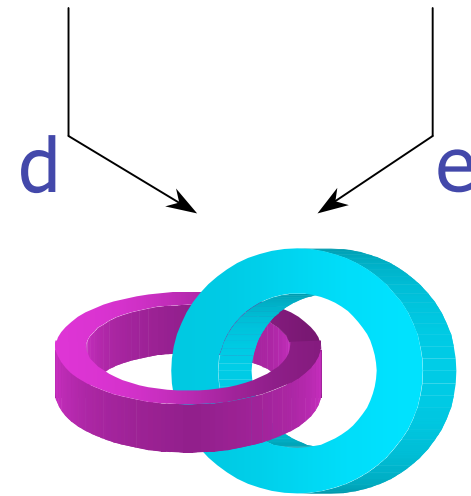
■ **First synthesis** of Rotaxane and Catenane was dependent only on **statistical probability**.



# How Can We Make Complex Efficiently ?



**a: Clipping**  
**b: Threading & Stoppering**



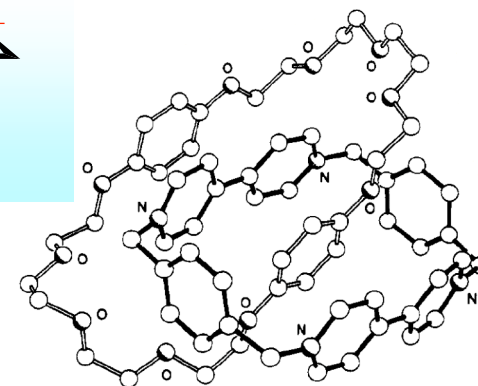
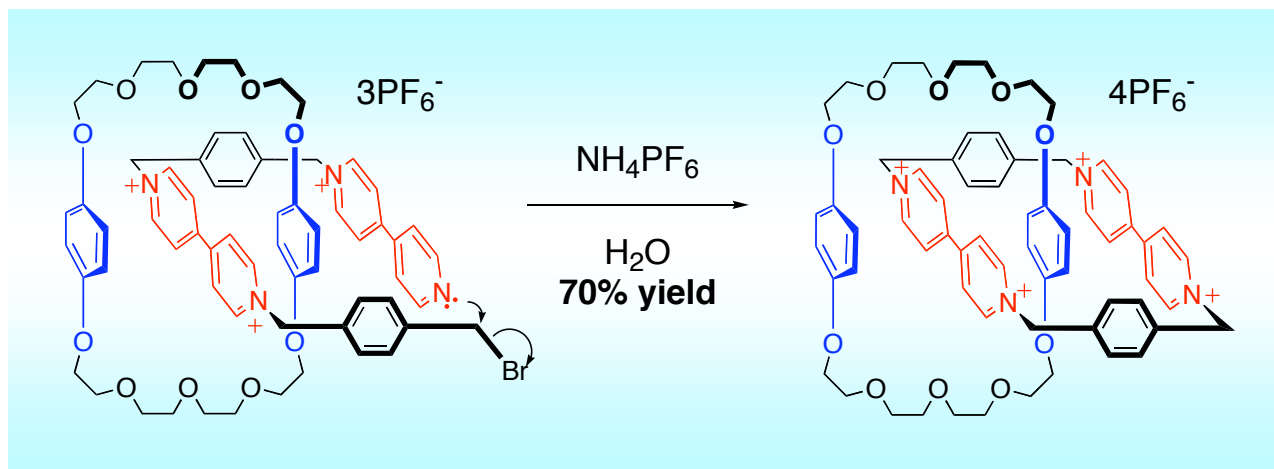
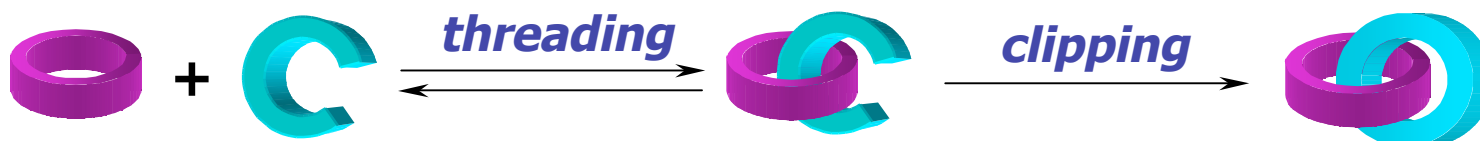
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# Template Effects to Make Complex Efficiently

- $\pi$  Donor -  $\pi$  Acceptor Interaction
- Metal-Ligand Coordination
- Hydrogen Bonding
- Hydrophobic Interactions

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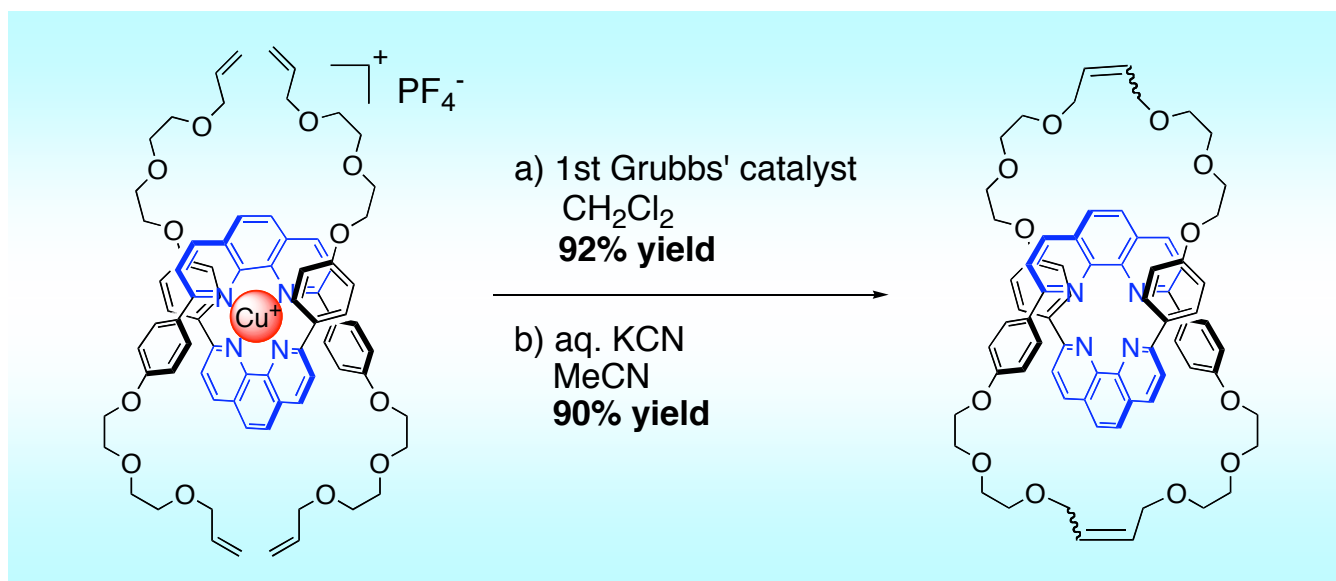
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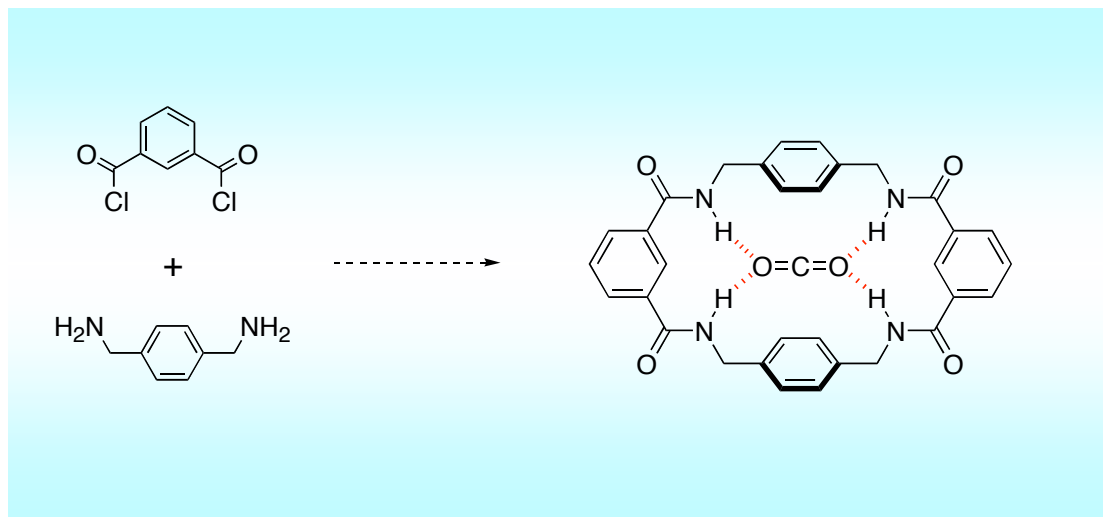
## Metal-Ligand Coordination



Weck, M.; Mohr, B.; Sauvage, J.-P.; Grubbs, R. H. *J. Org. Chem.* **1999**, 64, 5463-5471.

# Template Effects to Make Complex Efficiently

## Hydrogen Bonding

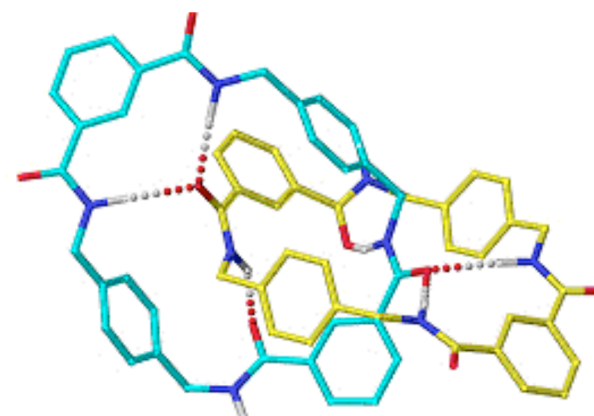
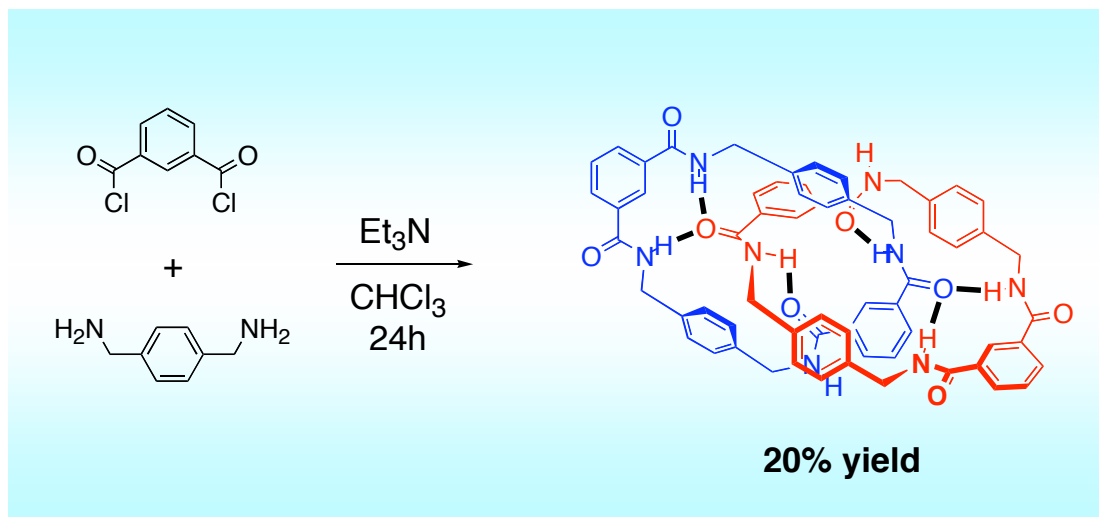


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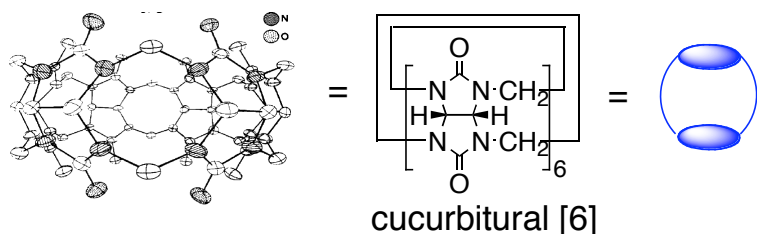
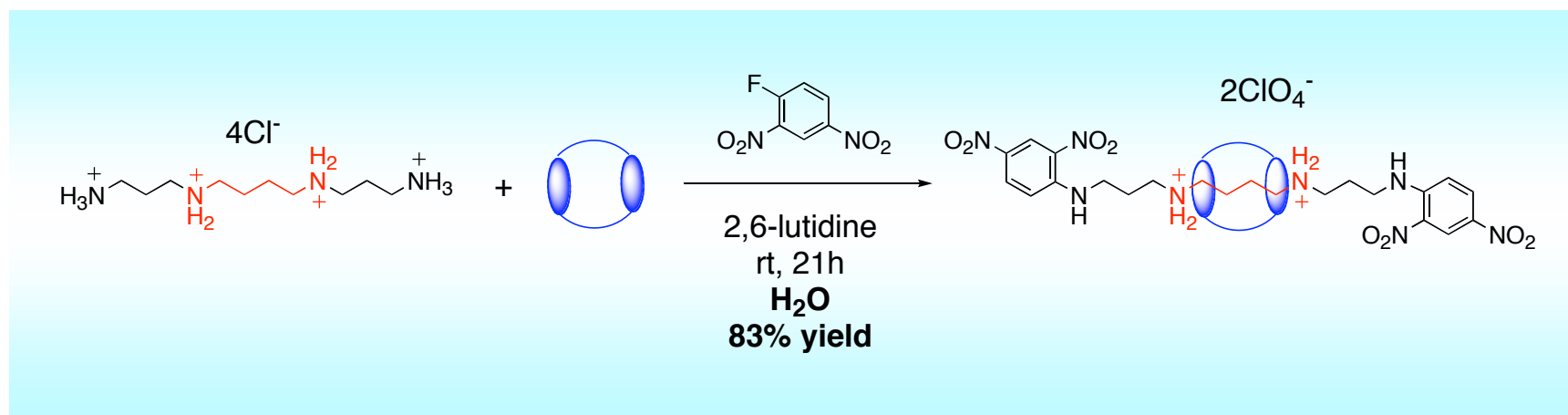
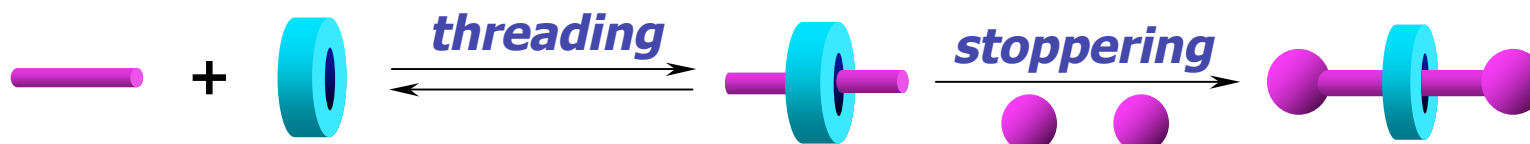
*one pot self assembly  
(eight-molecule condensation)*



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# Template Effects to Make Complex Efficiently

## Hydrophobic Interactions

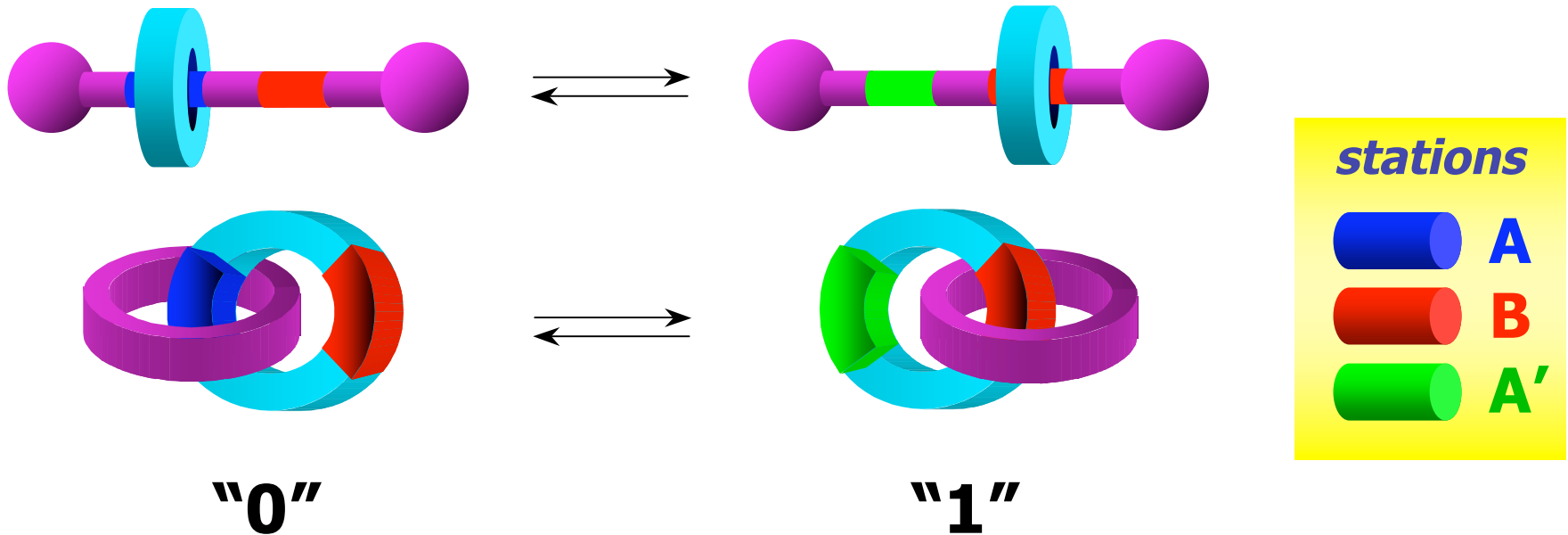


# Rotaxanes & Catenanes

- Rotaxanes & catenanes are structurally **interlocked molecules** in which there is no covalent connection between the components of each system.
- Rotaxanes & catenanes can be synthesized by using various strategies and several effective ways to make complexes have been developed utilizing **template effects**.



# Incorporation of Different Stations for Switching



## For the switching system:

- **The binding constants** between the wheel and each station should be in the following order:  $A > B > A'$
- The two states should be **reversible** and **cyclable**. ?
- The process should be easily controllable by **external stimuli**.

# External Stimuli for Switching Systems

## ■ Chemically Driven Switching Systems

- Acid-Base Reaction

## ■ Photochemically Driven Switching Systems

- Olefin Isomerization

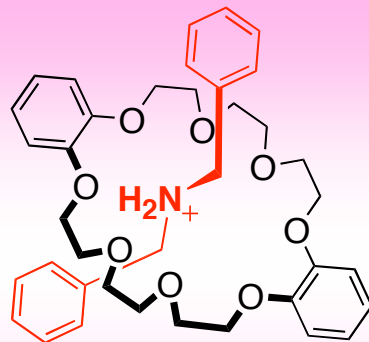
## ■ Electrochemically Driven Switching Systems

- Reduction-Oxidation Reaction

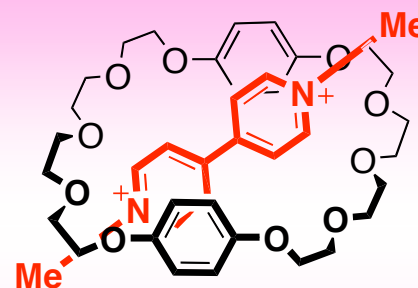
# Chemically Driven Switching Systems

## Acid-Base Reaction

### Host-Guest Chemistry



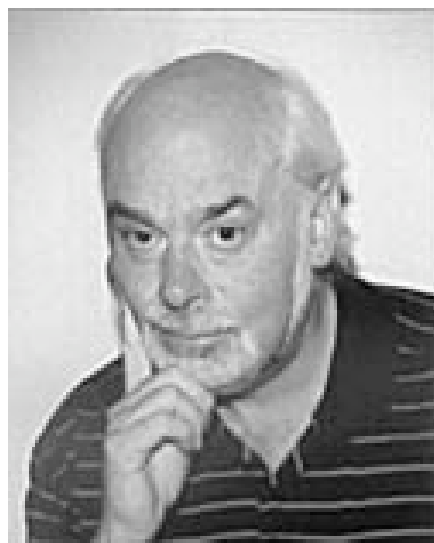
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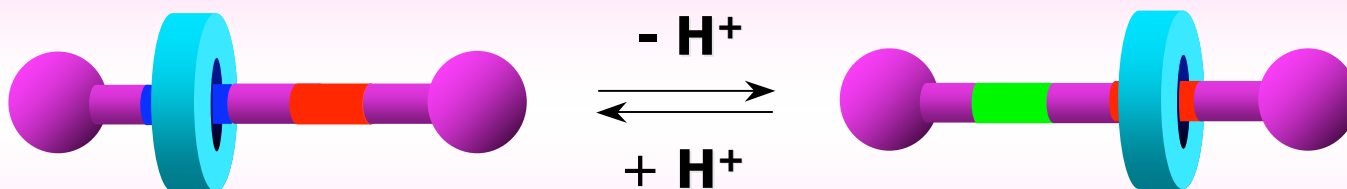
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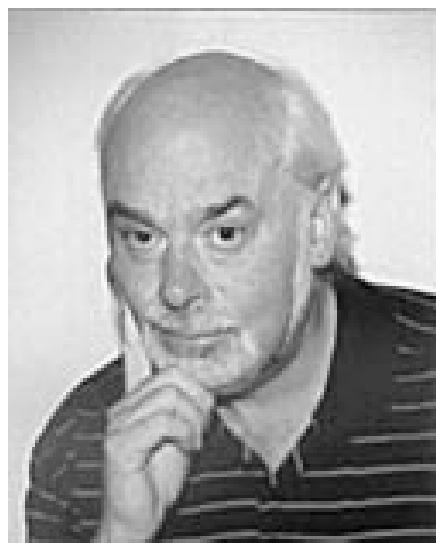


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## Acid-Base Reaction



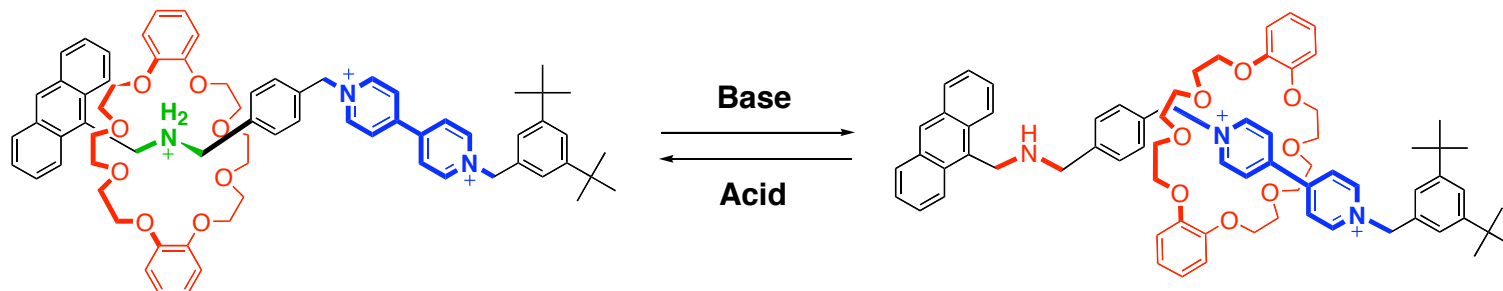
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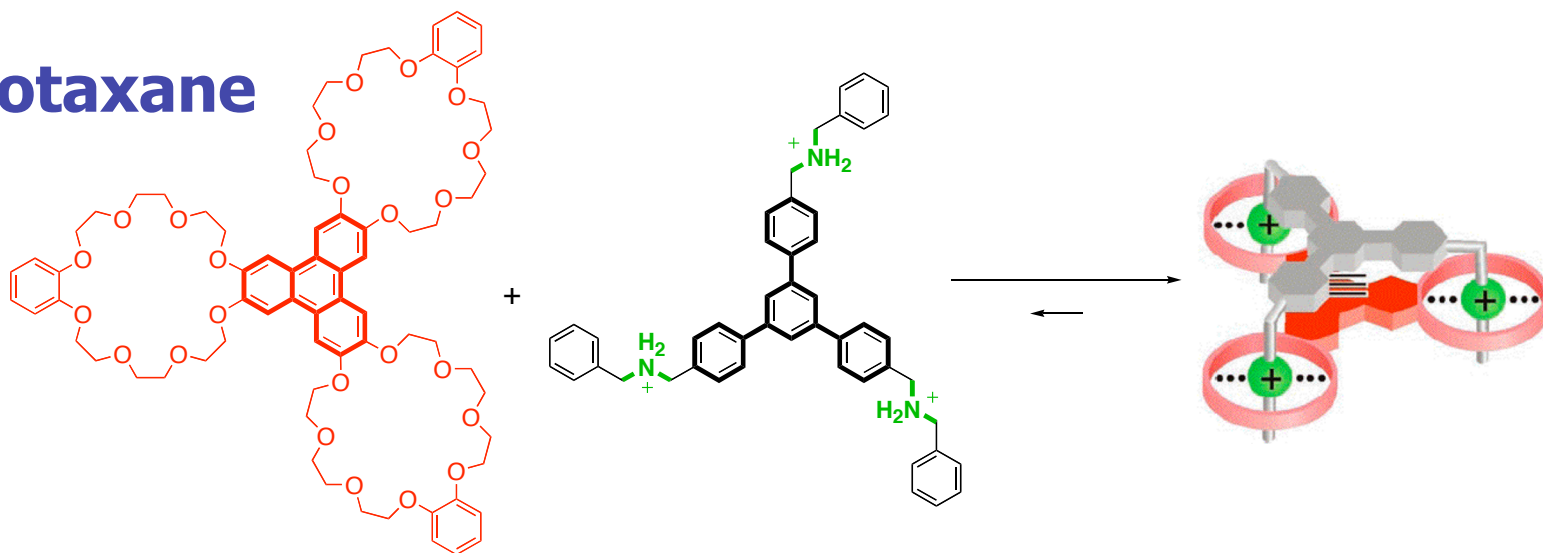
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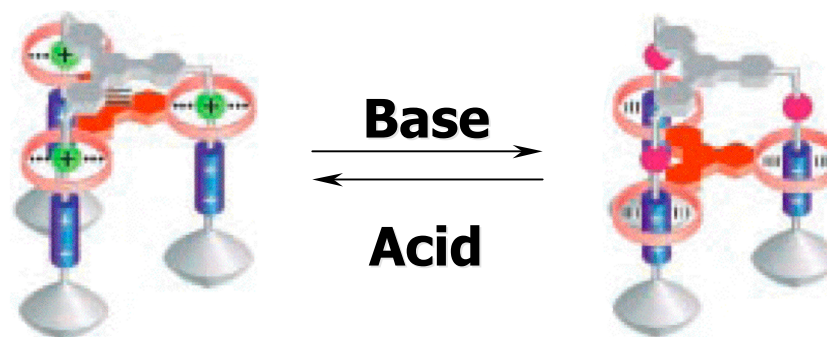
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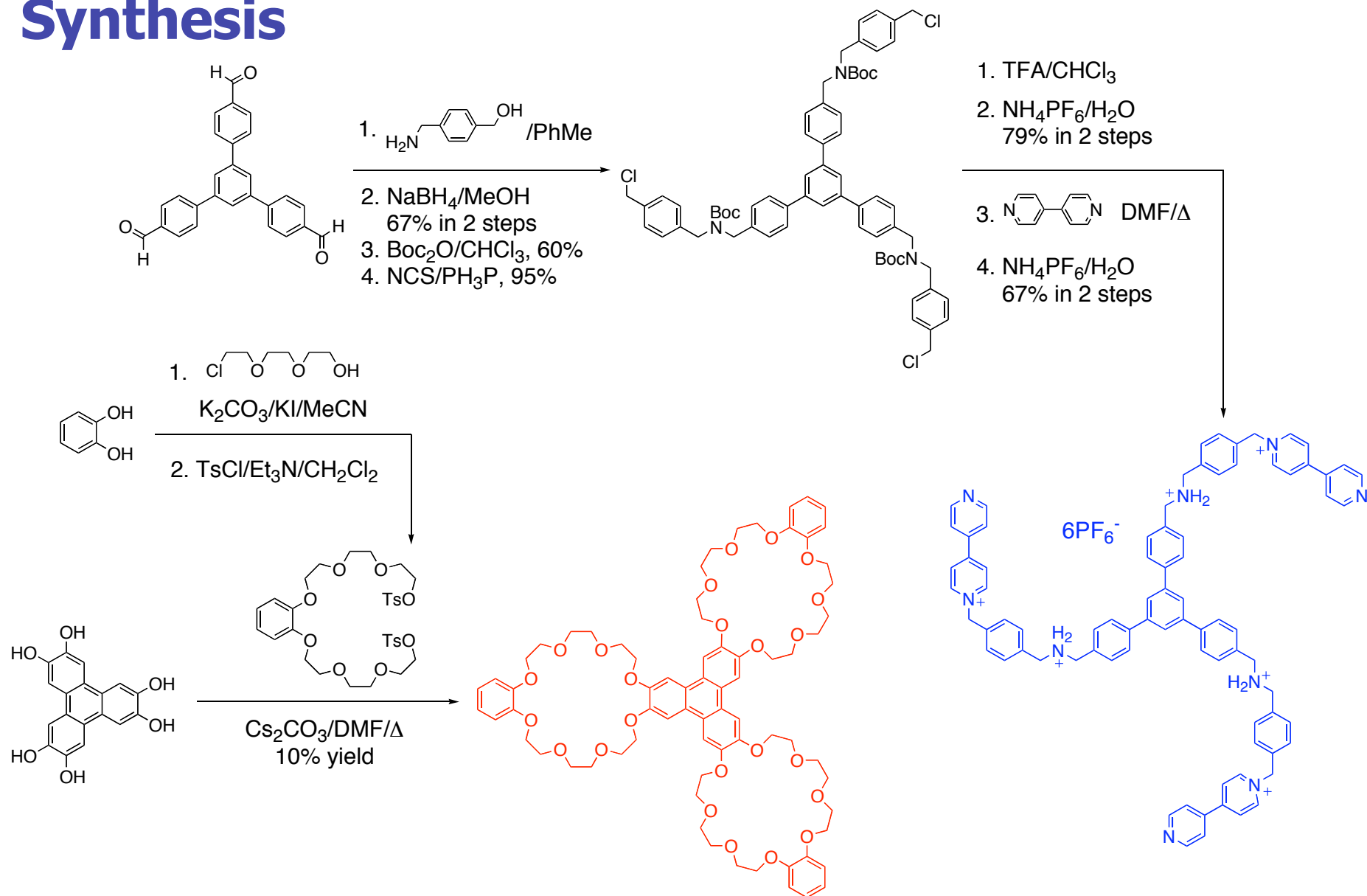
## Molecular Elevator

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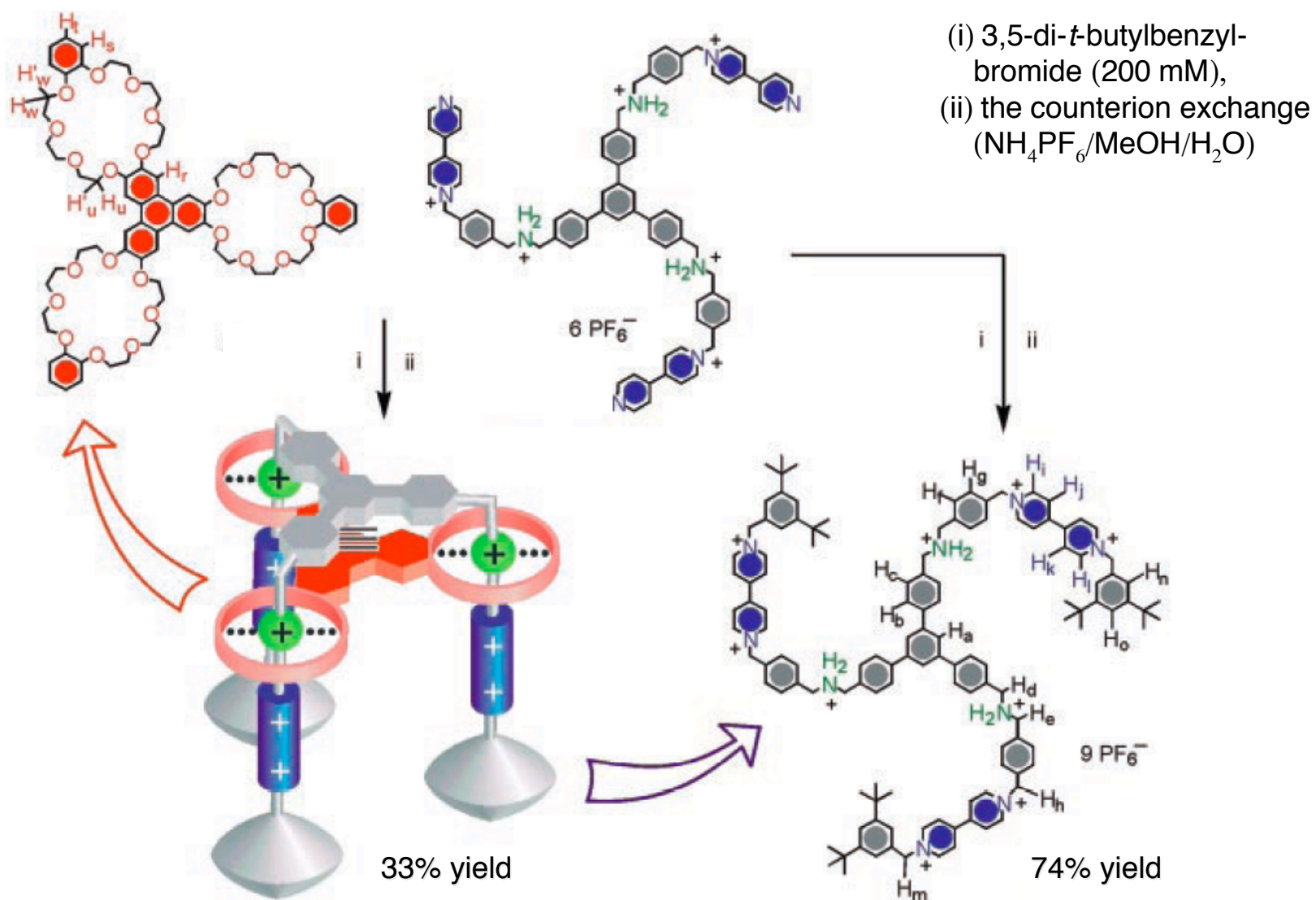
# Chemically Driven Switching Systems

## Synthesis



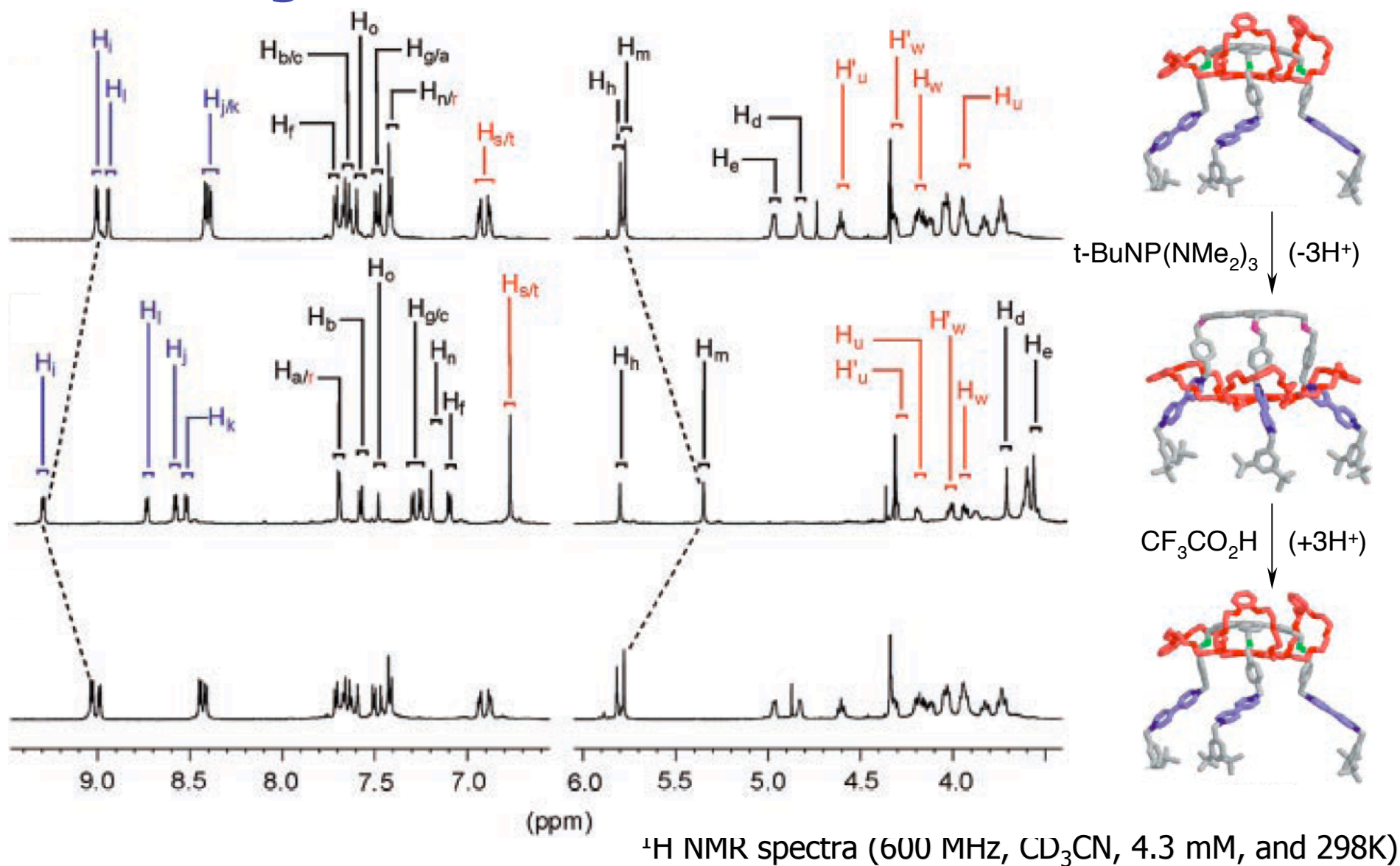
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## Synthesis



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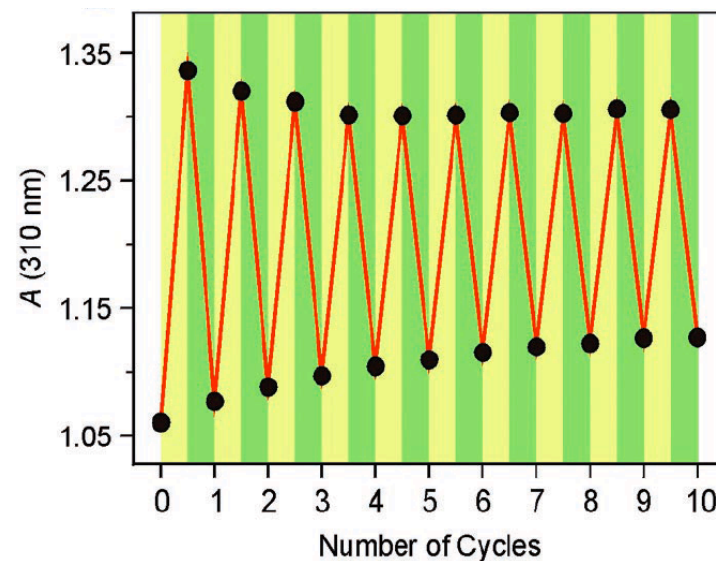
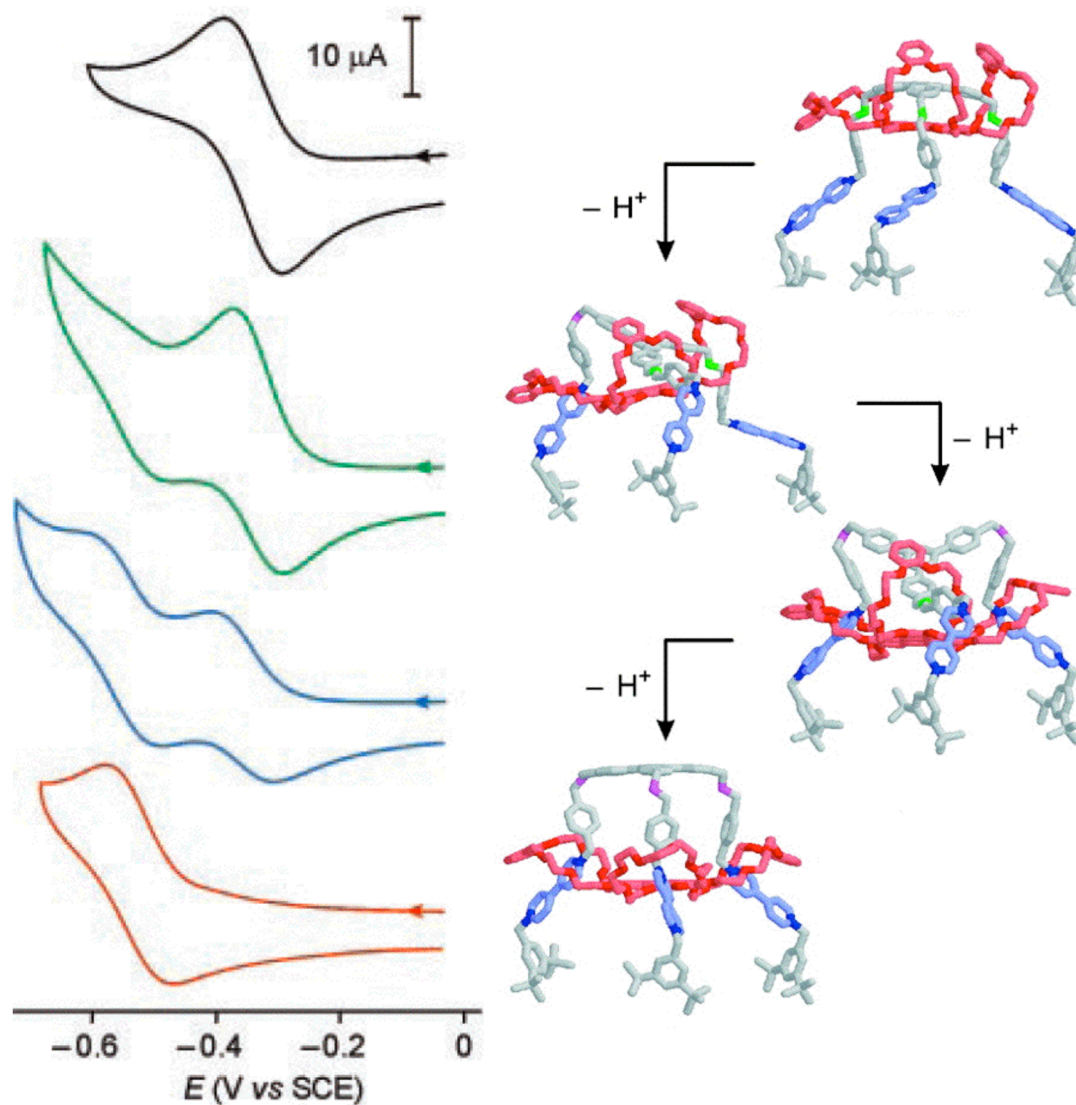
## Switching Mechanism





# Chemically Driven Switching Systems

## Switching Mechanism



■ **Disadvantage of Acid-Base Reaction**

➡ By-product like salts

# External Stimuli for Switching Systems

## ■ Chemically Driven Switching Systems

- Acid-Base Reaction

## ■ Photochemically Driven Switching Systems

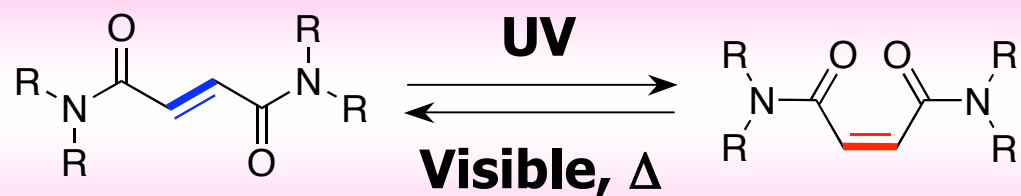
- Olefin Isomerization

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# Photochemically Driven Switching Systems

## Olefin Isomerization of C=C

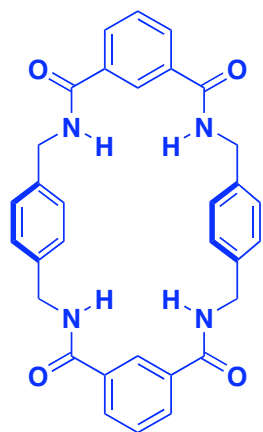


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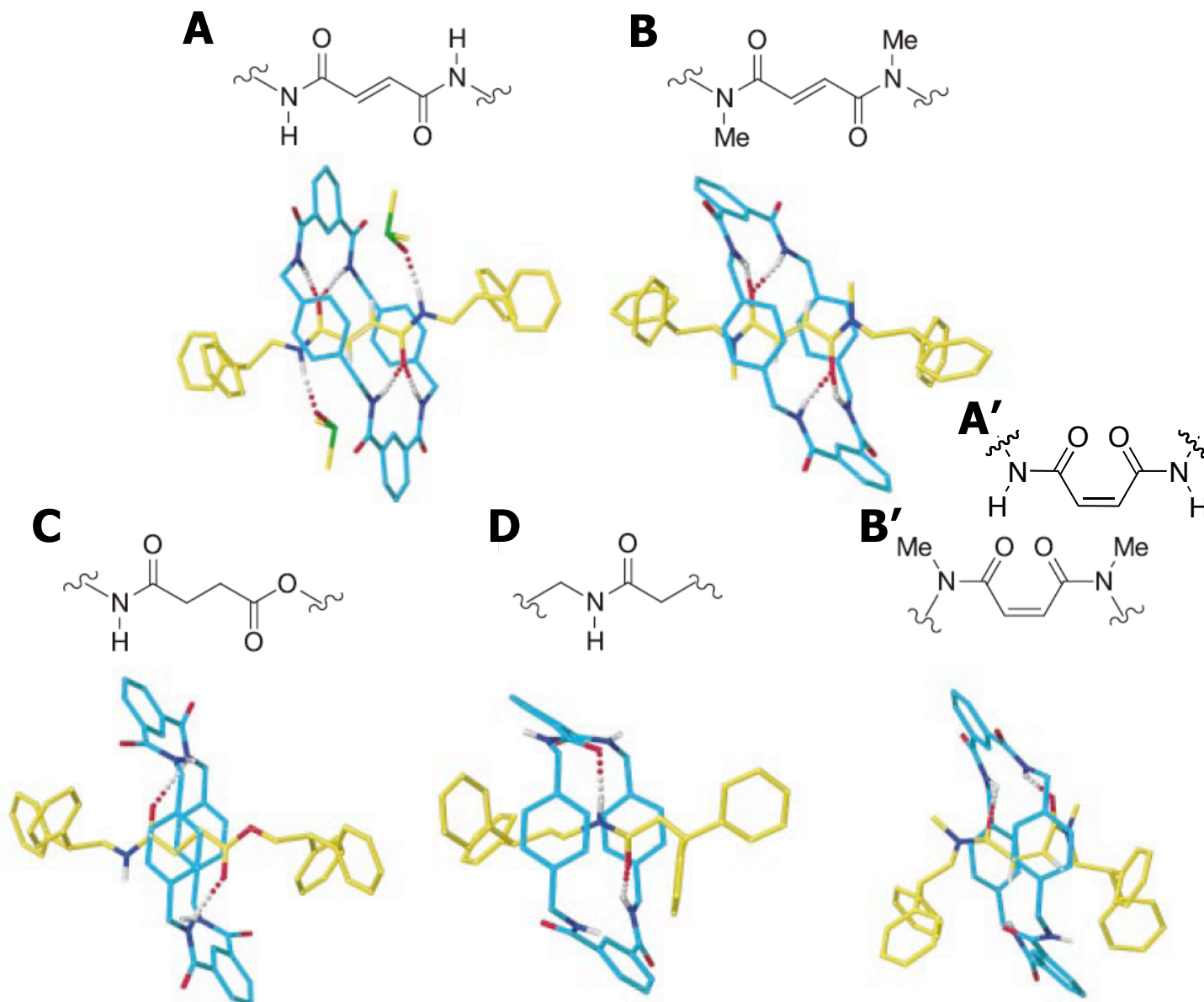


# Photochemically Driven Switching Systems

## Rotaxanes with Various Stations



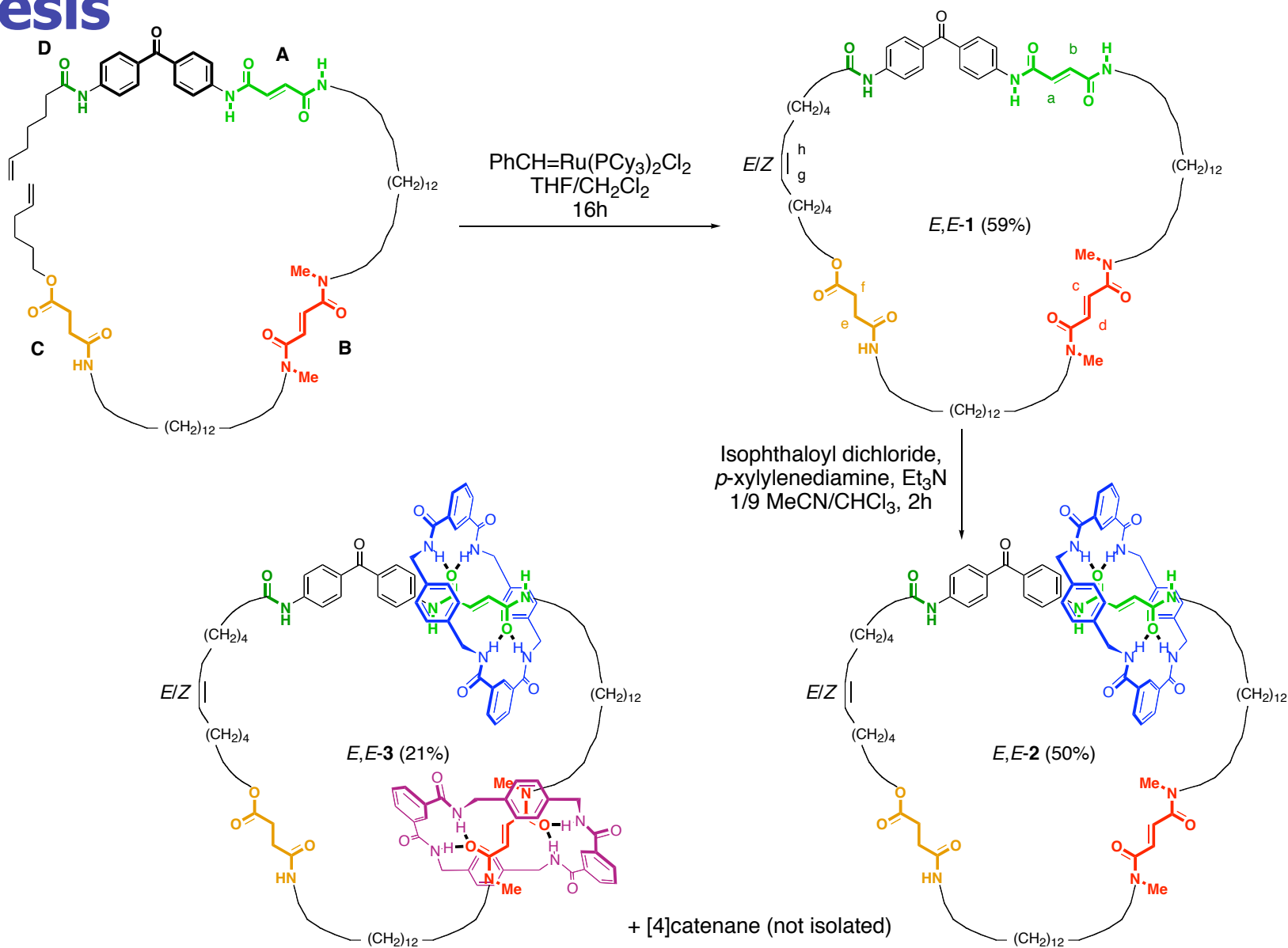
amide-macrocycle



Leigh, D. A.; Wong, J. K. Y.; Dehez, F.; Zerbetto, F. *Nature* **2003**, 424, 174-179.

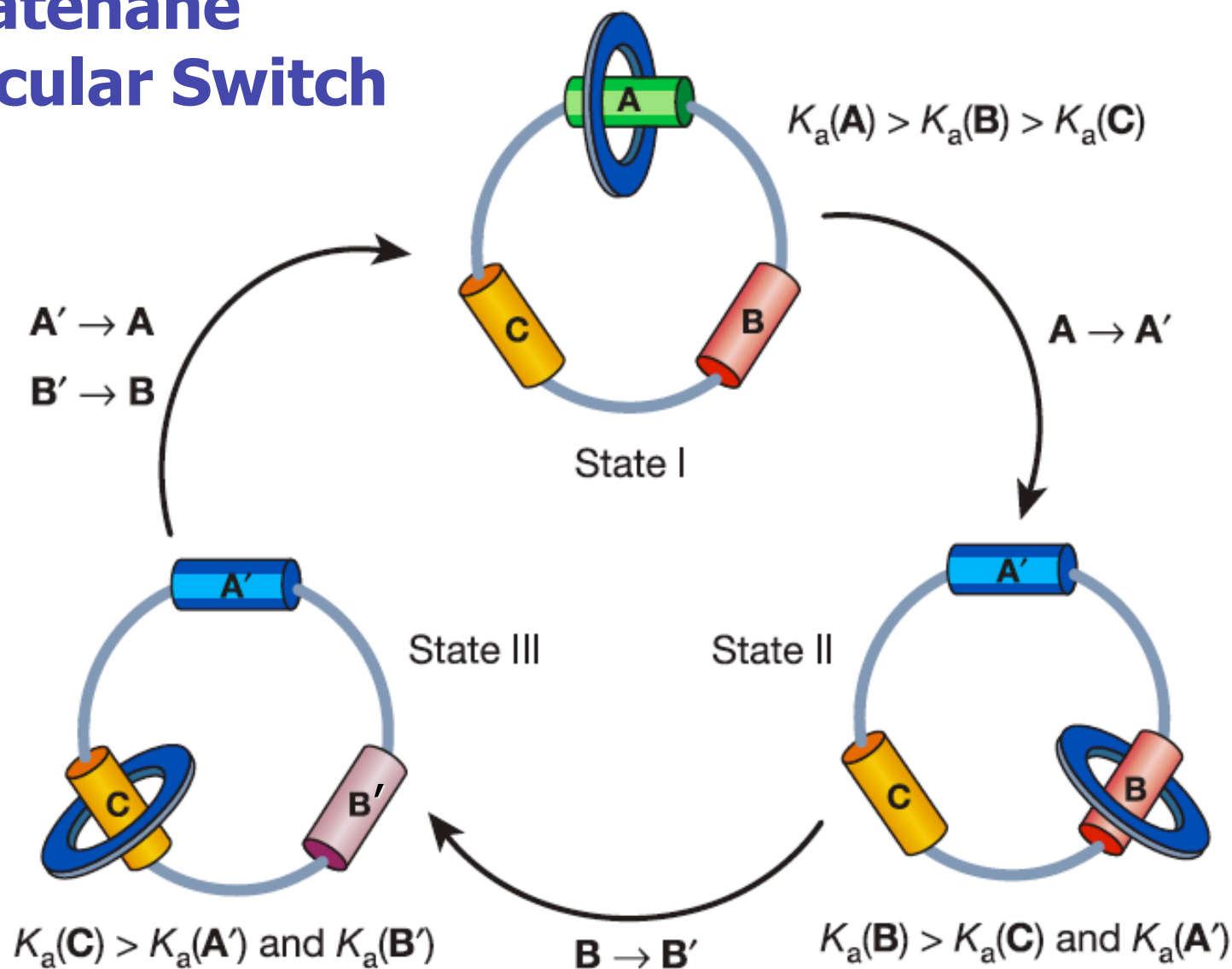
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## Synthesis



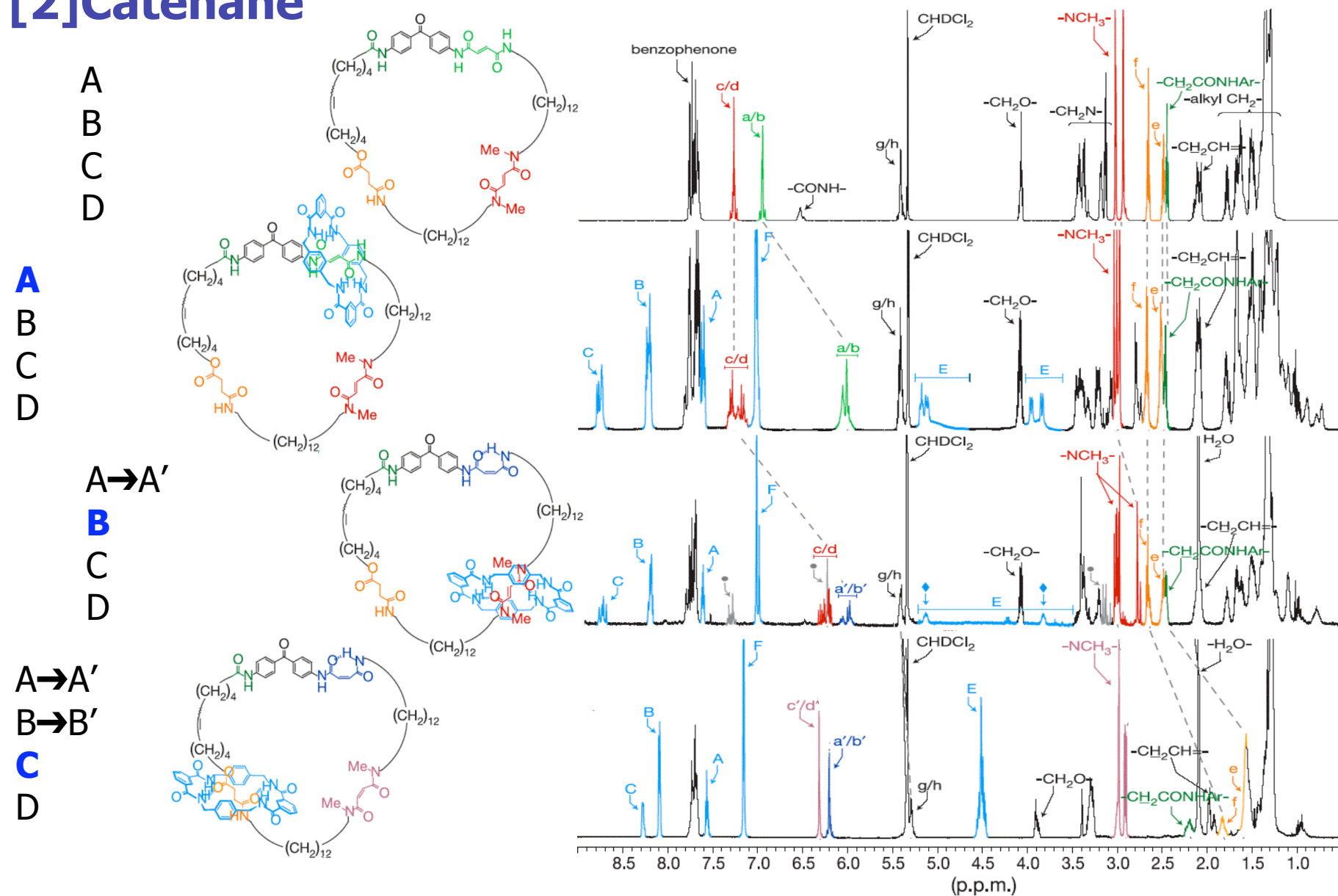
# Photochemically Driven Switching Systems

## [2]Catenane Molecular Switch



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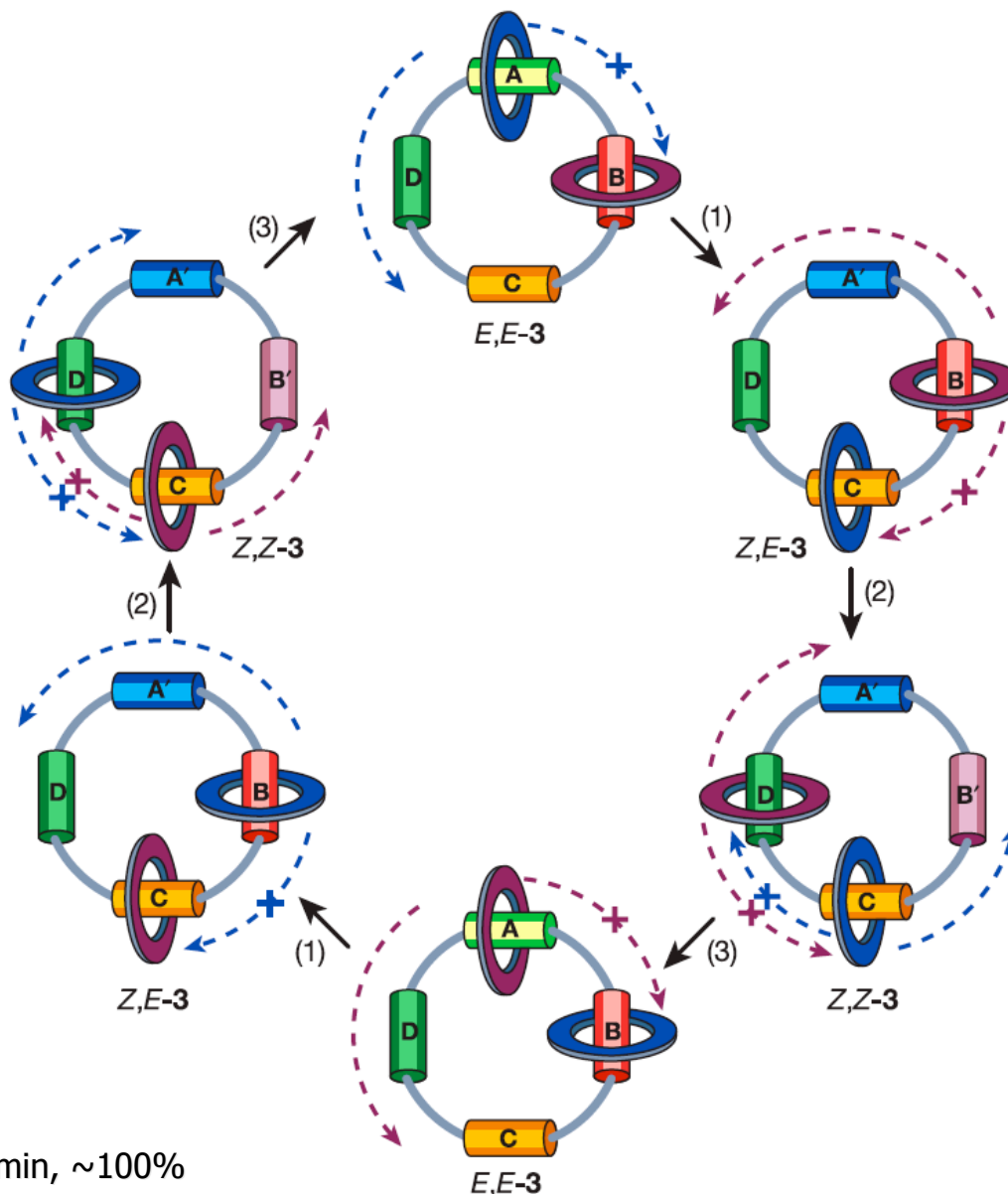
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# Photochemically Driven Switching Systems

## [3]Catenane Inducing Unidirectional Rotation



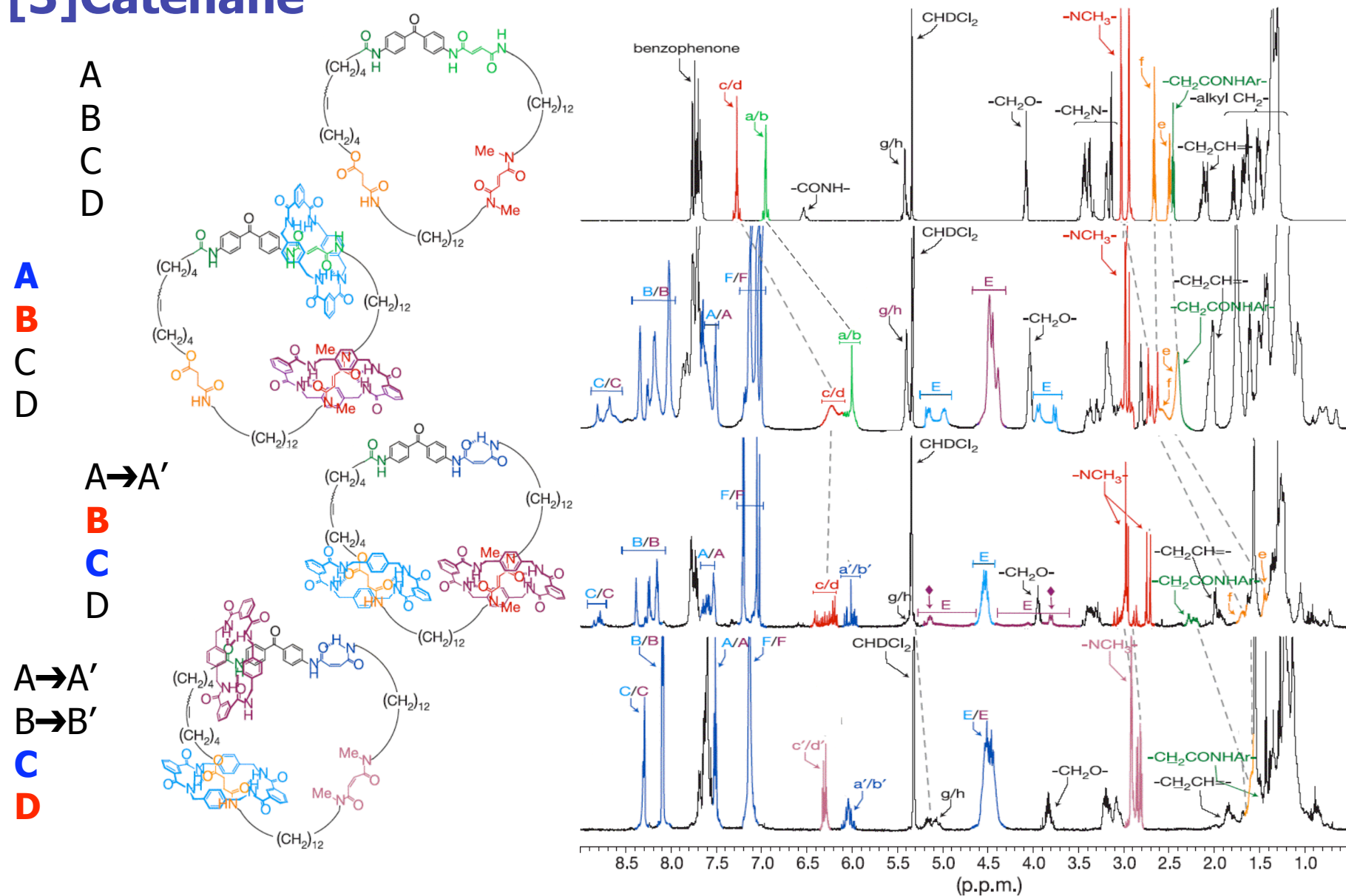
- (1) 350 nm, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 5min, 67%
- (2) 254 nm, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 20min, 50%
- (3) heat, 100 °C, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>4</sub>, 24h, ~100%;  
or cat. Br<sub>2</sub>, 400-670 nm, CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, -78 °C, 10 min, ~100%

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# Photochemically Driven Switching Systems

## [3]Catenane



# External Stimuli for Switching Systems

## ■ Chemically Driven Switching Systems

- Acid-Base Reaction

## ■ Photochemically Driven Switching Systems

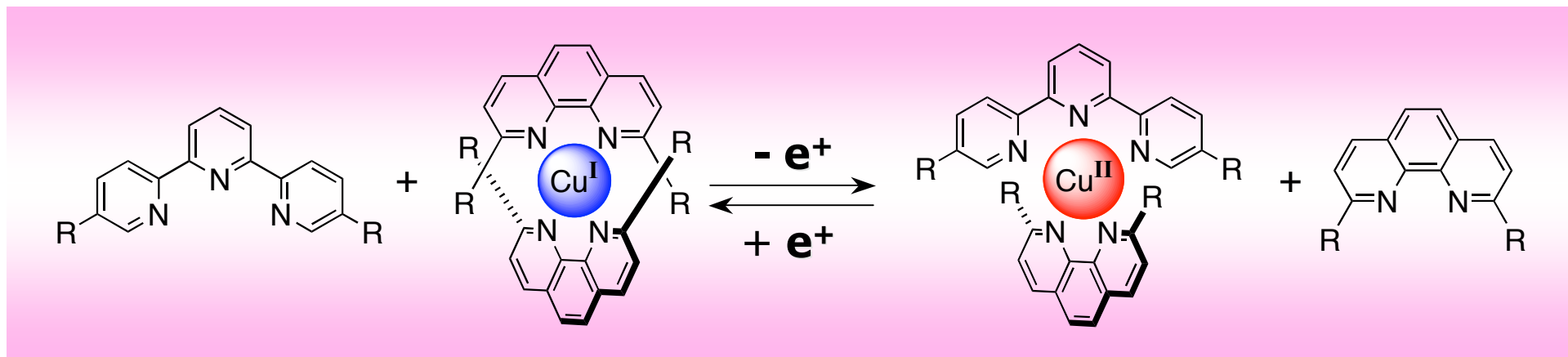
- Olefin Isomerization

## ■ Electrochemically Driven Switching Systems

- Reduction-Oxidation Reaction

# Electrochemically Driven Switching Systems

## Reduction-Oxidation Reaction

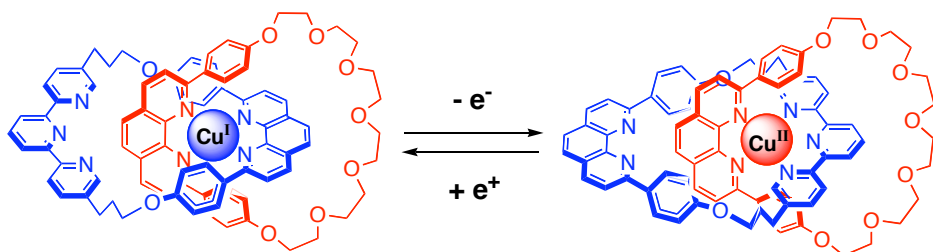


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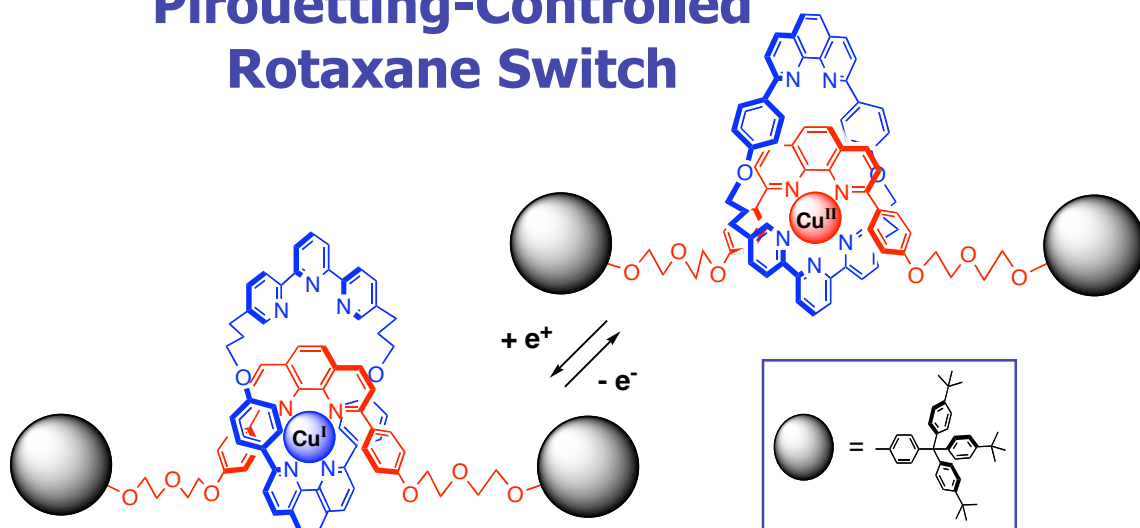
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## Catenane Switch



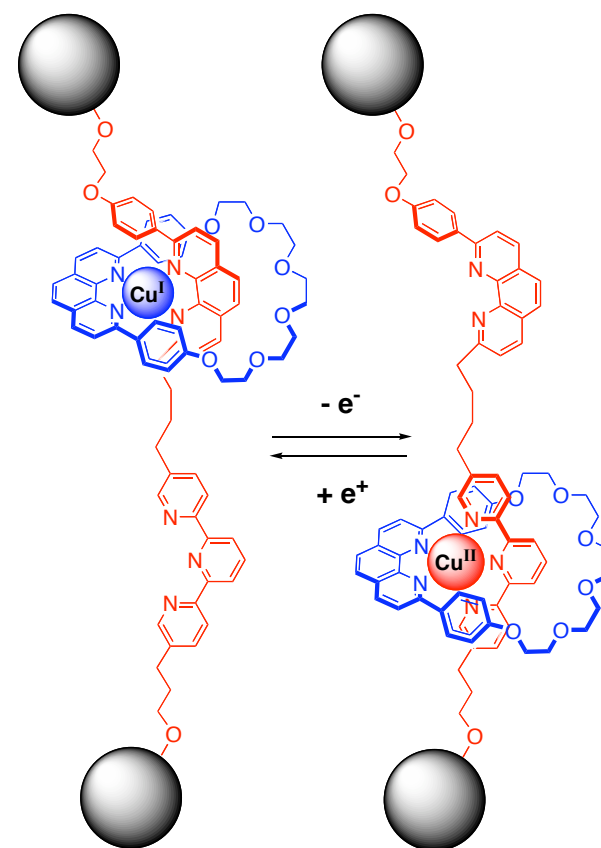
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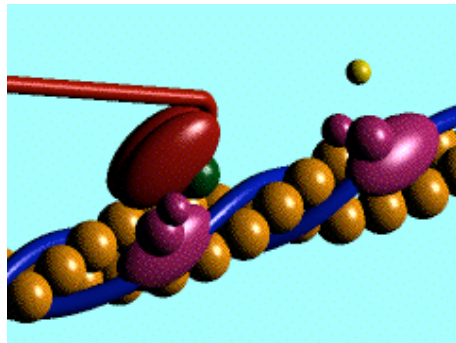
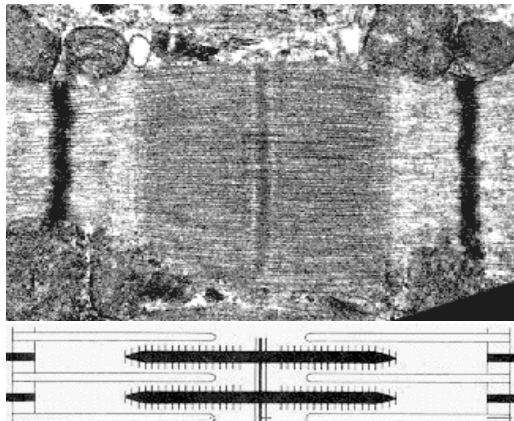
## Shuttling-Controlled Rotaxane Switch



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# Biomotor *vs.* Artificial Motor

## Myosin - Linear Motor



## Artificial Molecular Muscle ... ?

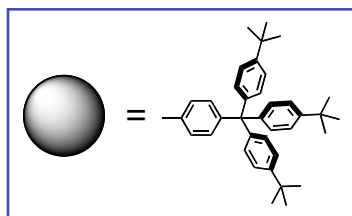
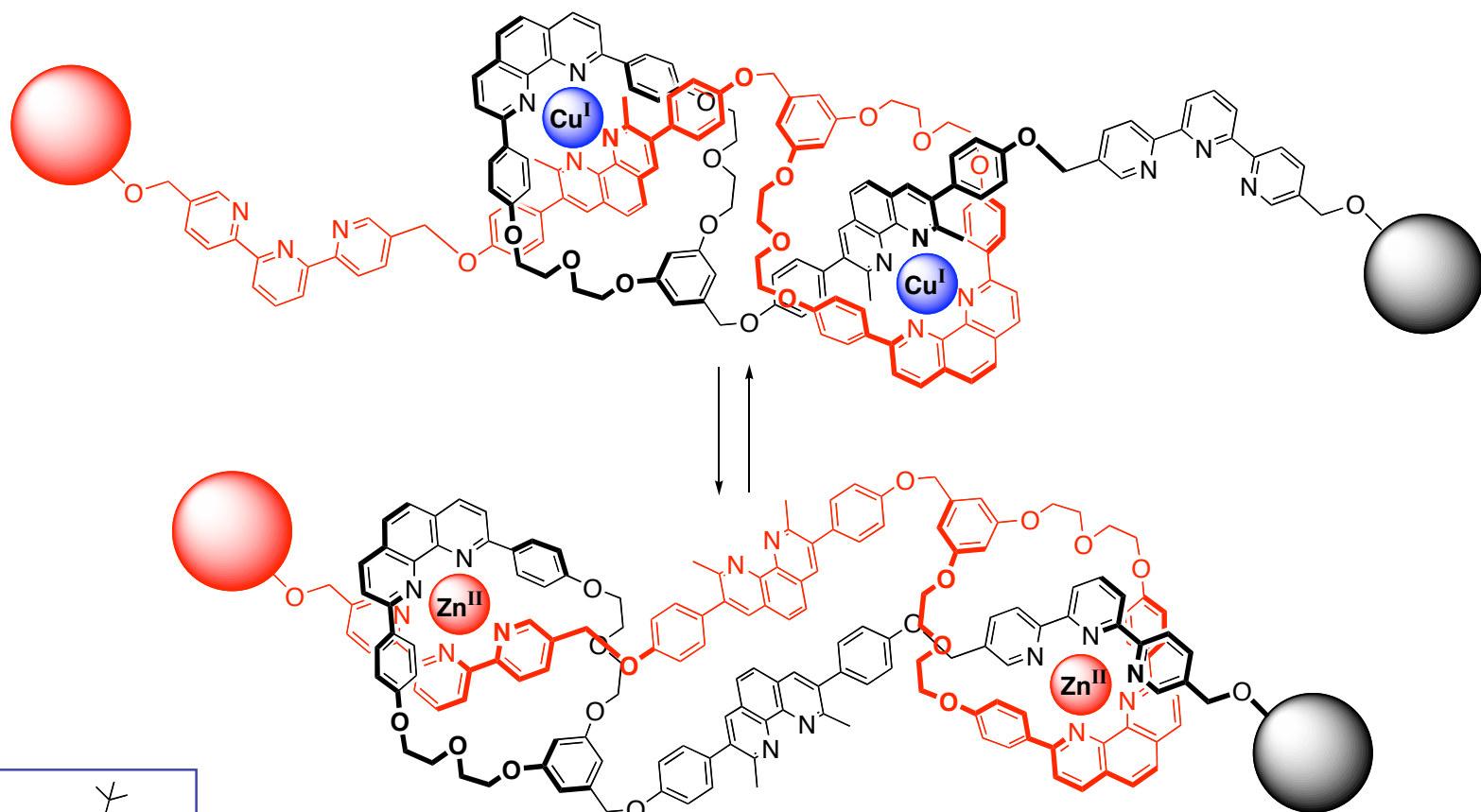
**Role:** muscle movement  
moving along the actin  
in linear fashion

**Driving force:** ATP hydrolysis

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# Molecular Muscle

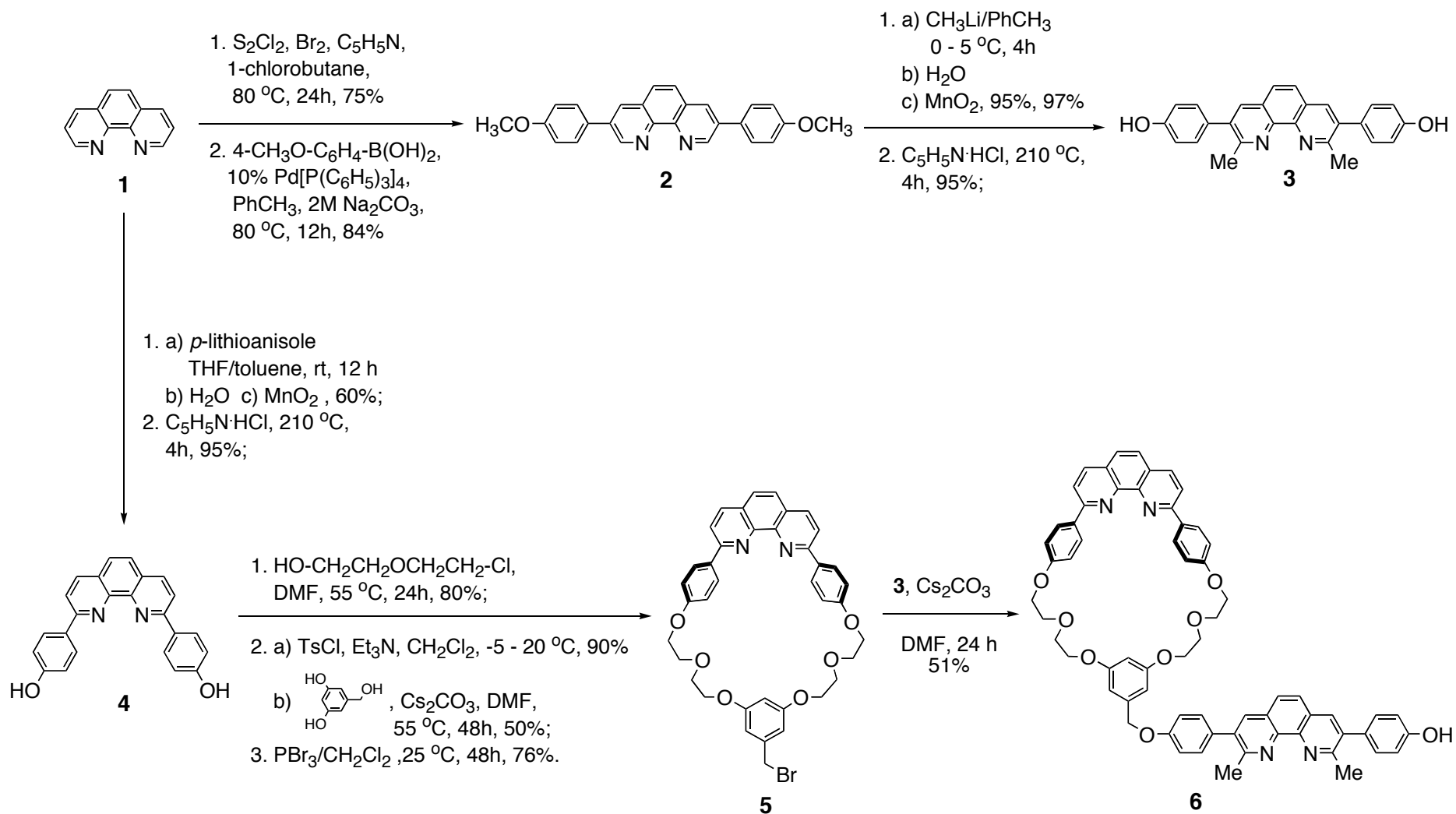
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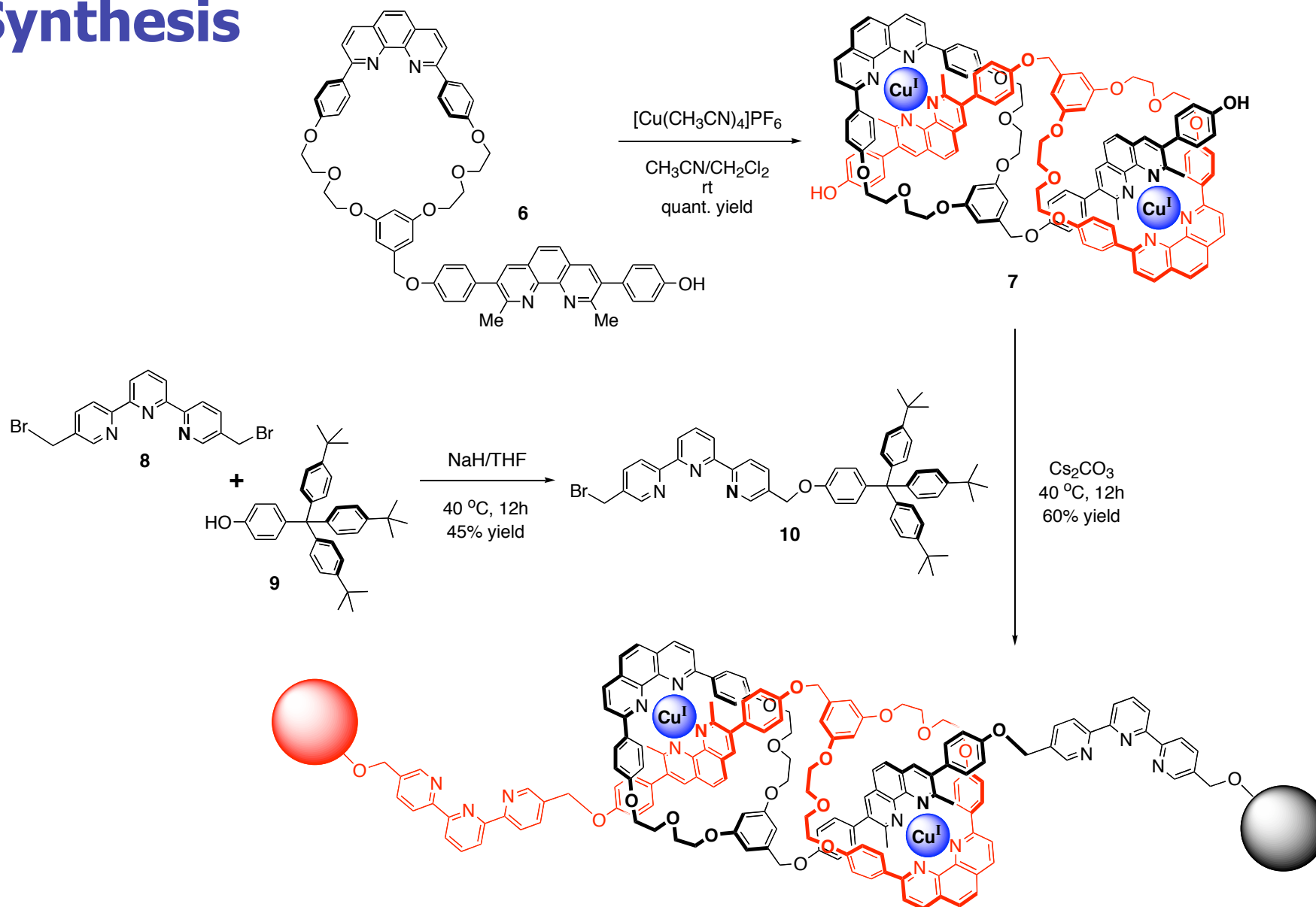
# Molecular Muscle

## Synthesis



# Molecular Muscle

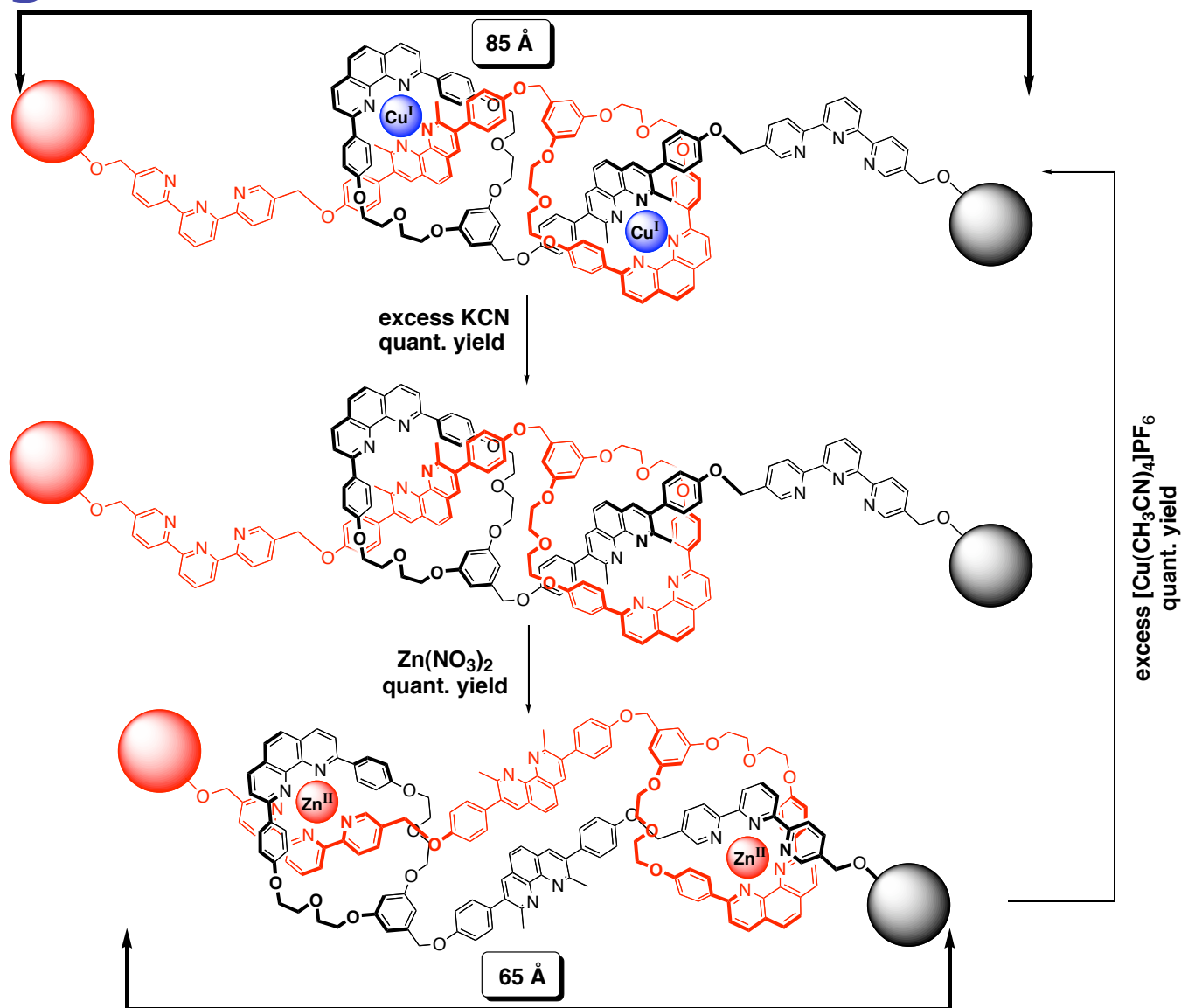
## Synthesis





# Molecular Muscle

## Switching Mechanism



## Conclusions

- Many **artificial molecular machines** have been investigated not only to develop new methods for fabricating electronic devices, but also to understand and mimic nature.
- **Rotaxanes & catenanes** have attracted attention due to their high potential for **molecular switches** or **molecular motors**.
- Chemists have developed methods to make rotaxanes & catenanes efficiently using various **template effects** and have applied rotaxanes & catenanes to **molecular switches**.
- Under some conditions, **rotaxanes & catenanes** can act as **switching systems** by **external stimuli** and can be developed to the **artificial molecular motors**.

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