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#### Design and Synthesis of Molecular Systems for Scalable Molecular-spin QC

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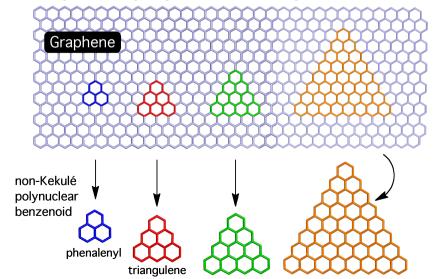
Tools:

organic chemistry coordination chemistry supramolecular chemistry

#### Targets:

- · Stable organic open-shell molecules for electron spin qubits
- · Triple-stranded helical metal complexes for Lloyd's electron spin qubits
- · Closed-shell molecules with periodical structure for Lloyd's nuclear spin qubits
- · Regioselectively isotope-labeled molecules for scalable spin amplification

Open-shell Graphene Fragment: Designed by Triangular Zigzag-type Clipping from Graphene





#### PERSPECTIVE |

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# Synthetic organic spin chemistry for structurally well-defined open-shell graphene fragments

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Graphene, a two-dimensional layer of sp²-hybridized carbon atoms, can be viewed as a sheet of benzene rings fused together. Three benzene rings can be combined in three different ways, to yield linear anthracene and angular phenanthrene, where the rings share two C-C bonds, and the phenalenyl structure where three C-C bonds are shared between the rings. This third structure contains an uneven number of carbon atoms and, hence, in its neutral state, an uneven number of electrons — that is, it is a radical. All three structures may be viewed as being sections of graphene. Extension of this concept leads to an entire family of phenalenyl derivatives — 'open-shell graphene fragments' — that are of substantial interest from the standpoint of fundamental science as well as in view of their potential applications in materials chemistry, in particular quantum electronic devices. Here we discuss current trends and challenges in this field.

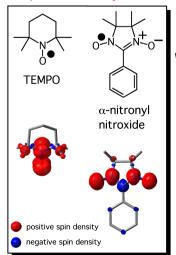
#### Synthetic organic spin chemistry:

molecular design, bottom-up synthesis, and creation of intriguing physical properties of structually well-defined open-shell organic molecule

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#### Stabilities and Spin-Delocalized Nature

#### spin-localized system



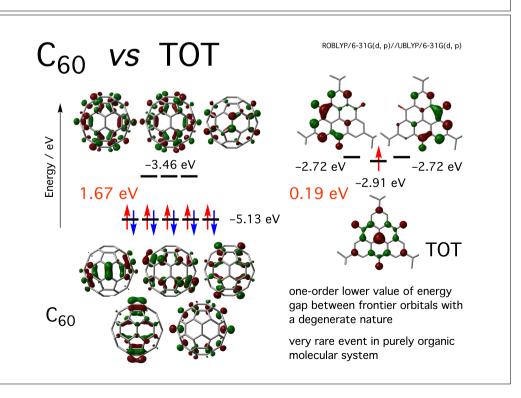
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from  $C_2$ 

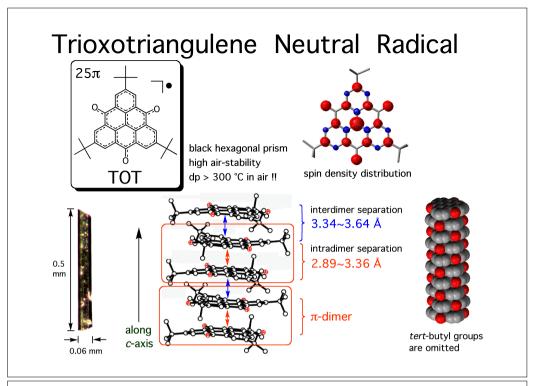
extremely spin-delocalized system

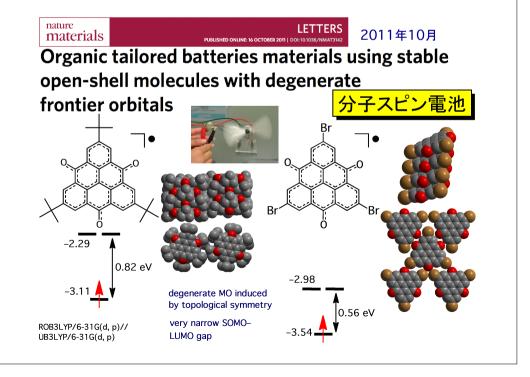
#### **LETTERS** Nature Materials 2008 Thermochromism in an organic crystal based on the coexistence of σ- and π-dimers 特開2009-126954 100 K, colorless 120 K 140 K 160 K 180 K 200 K 220 K 240 K 260 K 300 K, dark green reversible continuous color-change

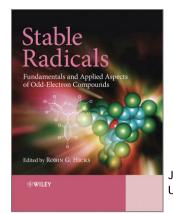
in single-crystal



Dr. Shuichi Suzuki







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#### chapter 3

"Phenalenyls, Cyclopentadienyls, and Other Carbon-Centered Radicals"

Morita, Y.; Nishida, S.

reference: 259; Figure: 66; Scheme: 13

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#### chapter 4

"Curved  $\pi$ -Conjugated Stable Open-shell Systems Possessing Three-dimensional Molecular/Electronic-spin Structures"

Morita, Y.; Ueda, A.

reference: 69; Figure: 15; Scheme: 2

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# Molecular Design of Molecular-spin QC Model Compounds

#### Electron-nucleus qubit system

Air-stable monoradical Various discriminable nuclear-spins coupled with electronic spin of radical

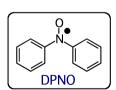
#### Electron-electron qubit system

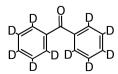
Air-stable oligo-radical
Weak exchange interaction between spins
g-engineering for discrimination of spins

#### DPNO Derivatives for Electron-Nucleus Qubit Systems

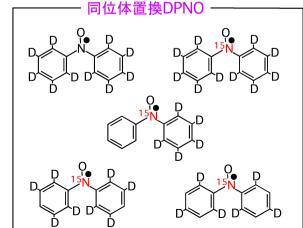
designed for narrowing ESR linewidth and/or discriminating

nuclear-spins

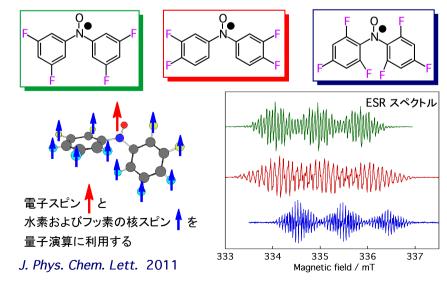




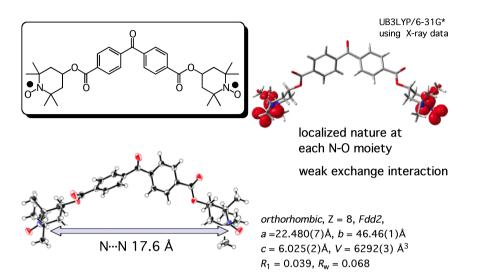
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#### Fluorinated DPNOs as Synthetic Bus Spin-Qubit Radicals

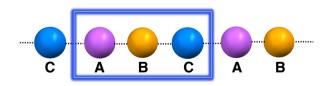


## Crystal Structure and Spin Desnity Distribution of DPNO Biradical



#### Lloyd の (ABC)<sub>n</sub>一次元周期モデル

#### 「scalable qubit 化」を実現するための手段



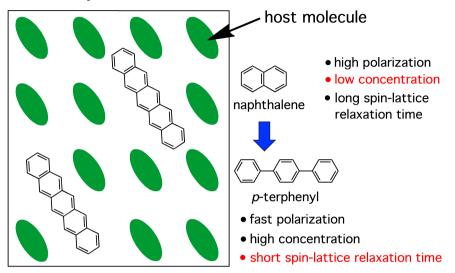
化学シフトの異なる qubit A, B, C を繰り返し単位とする一次元周期構造が、無限大の qubit を整列させた場合と同等のシステムとなる

Science 1993; Scientific American 1995

Prof. Seth Lloyd, MIT

具体的な物質系の報告例は皆無

# Pentacene-doped Single Crystal for Triplet DNP



#### Helical Structure

widely seen in nature

helical chirality

left- and right-handed helix

DNA: right-handed double helix



lpha-helix: left-handed helix

mirror

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close and important relationship with life phenomena

# DNA Duplex and Double-Stranded Helicate ligand No. (Lu(1) No. (H-N) No. (

# Triple-Stranded Helicate Oligo(imidazole) Metal ion Oligo(imidazole) JACS 2010 Universal building blocks outward-directed H-bonds of amine functional groups

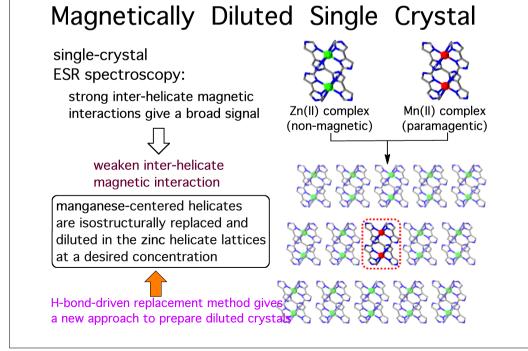
Lehn, J.-M. 1987

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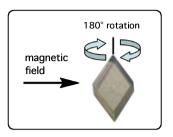
J. Chem. Soc., Perkin Trans. 1 2002: Chem. Lett. 2004; J. Org. Chem. 2005;

Cryst. Growth Des. 2006; Cryst. Growth Des. 2008; Cryst. Growth Des. 2010

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#### Occurrence of Targeted g-Engineering



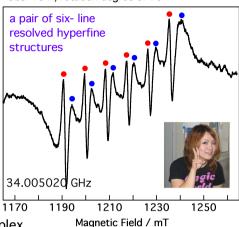
Each six-line hyperfine structure with a different g-value is attributed to the Mn(II) nuclear hyperfine in the sextet state (S = 5/2) of pseudo-octahedral symmetry



Each Mn(II) ion in Mn(II) complex is magnetically distinguishable

angular-dependent Q-band ESR spectrum of magnetically diluted crystal

Obs. 15 K, rotation degree of 70°



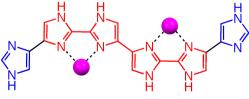
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### Scalability?

challenge for (ABC)n type

Sim: imidazole hexamer

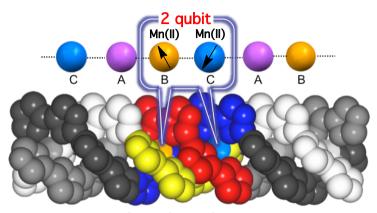


#### Dinuclear?



**Trinuclear?** 

# Addressable Electronic-spin in Metal Ion as Lloyd's Electronic-spin Qubits

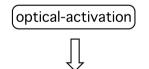


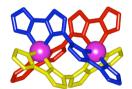
novel metal complex system

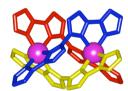
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pulse-based electron magnetic resonance spin technology is expected to act as the first scalable qubit

#### Electronic-spin Quibits and Chirality







extraction of electronic-spin right-handed information by optical method

left-handed

#### photon:

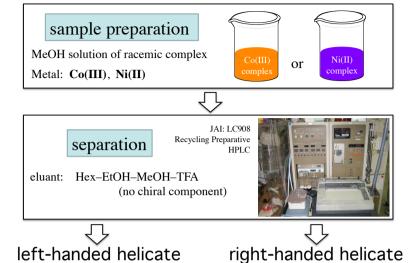
strong preservation of information and widely studied methodology

#### electronic-spin:

weaker preservation of information but high controllability

combination of electronic-spin qubits and photon qubits: challenging issue in quantum information technology

#### Method for Chiral Separation



each enantiomer in a preparative scale

#### Isolation of Chiral Helicates Peak 1 after concentration neutralization with Et<sub>3</sub>N before concentration Peak 1 Peak 2 424-Qim-Ni(II) 30 40 complex Time / min Peak 2 after concentration 30 40 50 10 20 Time / min 30 40 Eur. J. Inorg. Chem. 2011 Time / min

