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(54) **ORGANOMETALLIC COMPOUND AND ORGANIC LIGHT-EMITTING DEVICE INCLUDING THE SAME**

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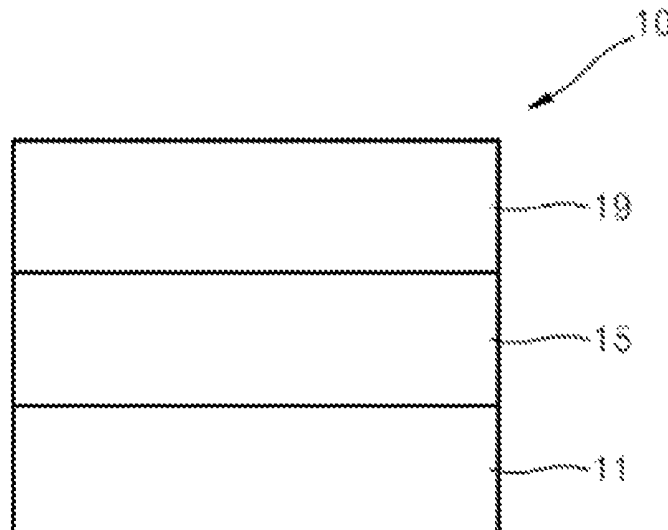
ABSTRACT

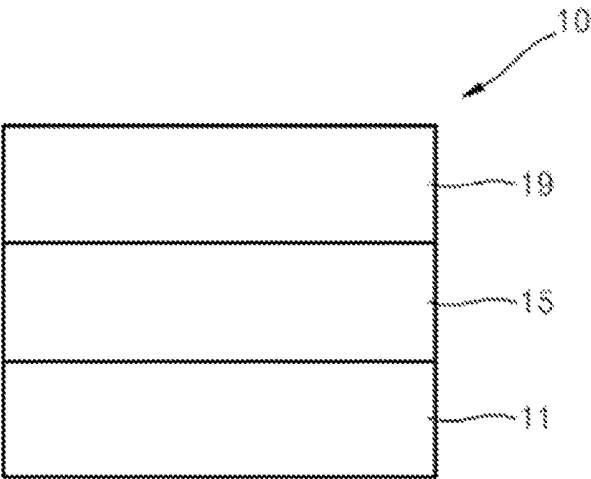
An organometallic compound represented by Formula 1:

$M(L_1)_{n1}(L_2)_{n2}$ Formula 1

wherein in Formula 1, M, L_1 , L_2 , n_1 , and n_2 are the same as described in the specification.

4 Claims, 1 Drawing Sheet





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ORGANOMETALLIC COMPOUND AND ORGANIC LIGHT-EMITTING DEVICE INCLUDING THE SAME

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application claims the benefit of Korean Patent Application No. 10-2014-0194325, filed on Dec. 30, 2014, in the Korean Intellectual Property Office, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein in its entirety by reference.

BACKGROUND

1. Field

One or more exemplary embodiments relate an organometallic compound and an organic light-emitting device including the same.

2. Description of the Related Art

Organic light-emitting devices are self-emission devices that have wide viewing angles, high contrast ratios, and short response times. OLEDs also exhibit excellent brightness, driving voltage, and response speed characteristics, and produce multicolored images.

A typical organic light-emitting device may include an anode, a cathode, and an organic layer, wherein the organic layer is disposed between the anode and the cathode and includes an emission layer. The organic light-emitting device may also include a hole transport region between the anode and the emission layer, and an electron transport region between the emission layer and the cathode. Holes provided from the anode may move toward the emission layer through the hole transport region, and electrons provided from the cathode may move toward the emission layer through the electron transport region. Such holes and electrons may be recombined in the emission layer to produce excitons. These excitons may change from an excited state to a ground state, thereby generating light.

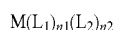
Various types of organic light emitting devices are known. However, there still remains a need in OLEDs having low driving voltage, high efficiency, high brightness, and long lifespan.

SUMMARY

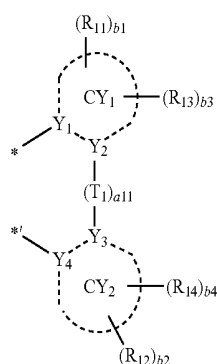
One or more exemplary embodiments include a novel organometallic compound and an organic light-emitting device including the same.

Additional aspects will be set forth in part in the description which follows and, in part, will be apparent from the description, or may be learned by practice of the presented embodiments.

According to one or more exemplary embodiments, there is provided an organometallic compound represented by Formula 1:



Formula 1

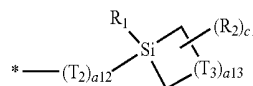


Formula 2A

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Formula 2B



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In Formula 1, M may be selected from Ir, Pt, Os, Ti, Zr, Hf, Eu, Tb, Tm, and Rh;

L₁ may be selected from ligands represented by Formula 2A, and n₁ may be 1, 2, or 3, wherein when n₁ is 2 or more, 2 or more groups L₁ may be identical to or different from each other; and

L₂ may be selected from a monovalent organic ligand, a divalent organic ligand, a trivalent organic ligand, and a tetravalent organic ligand, and n₂ may be 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4, wherein when n₂ is 2 or more, 2 or more groups L₂ may be identical to or different from each other.

In Formula 1, L₁ and L₂ may be different from each other.

In Formula 2A, Y₁ to Y₄ may be each independently C or N, Y₁ and Y₂ may be connected to each other via a single bond or a double bond, and Y₃ and Y₄ may be connected to each other via a single bond or a double bond; and

CY₁ and CY₂ may be each independently selected from a C₅-C₆₀ carbocyclic group and a C₁-C₆₀ heterocyclic group, and may be optionally connected to each other via a first linking group.

In Formula 2A, T₁ may be a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₃ alkylene group.

In Formula 2B, T₂ may be selected from a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ alkylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₂-C₁₀ alkenylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₆-C₆₀ arylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₆₀ heteroarylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group; and

T₃ may be selected from —O—, —S—, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₇ alkylene group, and a substituted or unsubstituted C₂-C₇ alkenylene group.

In Formulae 2A and 2B, a₁₁ to a₁₃ may be each independently an integer selected from 0 to 3; and

R₁, R₂, R₁₁, and R₁₂ may be each independently selected from a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —SF₅, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₆₀ alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₂-C₆₀ alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₂-C₆₀ alkynyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₆₀ alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₆-C₆₀ aryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₆-C₆₀ aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₆-C₆₀ arylthio group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₆₀ heteroaryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed

heteropolycyclic group, $-\text{N}(\text{Q}_1)(\text{Q}_2)$, $-\text{Si}(\text{Q}_3)(\text{Q}_4)(\text{Q}_5)$, $-\text{B}(\text{Q}_6)(\text{Q}_7)$, and $-\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{Q}_8)(\text{Q}_9)$.

In Formula 2A, b1 and b2 may be each independently an integer selected from 0 to 4, and in Formula 2B, c1 may be an integer selected from 0 to 16.

In Formula 2A, R_{13} and R_{14} may be each independently a group represented by Formula 2B;

b3 and b4 may be each independently an integer selected from 0 to 4, wherein a sum of b3 and b4 (b3+b4) may be 1 or more;

* and * each indicates a binding site to M of Formula 1; and

at least one of substituents of the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ alkylene group, the substituted $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{10}$ alkenylene group, the substituted $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkylene group, the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkylene group, the substituted $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkenylene group, the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkenylene group, the substituted $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ arylene group, the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ heteroarylene group, the substituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, the substituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkyl group, the substituted $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkenyl group, the substituted $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkynyl group, the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkoxy group, the substituted $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkyl group, the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkyl group, the substituted $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkenyl group, the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkenyl group, the substituted $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryl group, the substituted $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryloxy group, the substituted $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ arylthio group, the substituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ heteroaryl group, the substituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and the substituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group may be selected from:

a deuterium, $-\text{F}$, $-\text{Cl}$, $-\text{Br}$, $-\text{I}$, $-\text{CD}_3$, $-\text{CD}_2\text{H}$, $-\text{CDH}_2$, $-\text{CF}_3$, $-\text{CF}_2\text{H}$, $-\text{CFH}_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkyl group, a $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkenyl group, a $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkynyl group, and a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkoxy group;

a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkyl group, a $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkenyl group, a $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkynyl group, and a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-\text{F}$, $-\text{Cl}$, $-\text{Br}$, $-\text{I}$, $-\text{CD}_3$, $-\text{CD}_2\text{H}$, $-\text{CDH}_2$, $-\text{CF}_3$, $-\text{CF}_2\text{H}$, $-\text{CFH}_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkyl group, a $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkenyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkenyl group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryl group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryloxy group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ arylthio group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, $-\text{N}(\text{Q}_{11})(\text{Q}_{12})$, $-\text{Si}(\text{Q}_{13})(\text{Q}_{14})(\text{Q}_{15})$, $-\text{B}(\text{Q}_{16})(\text{Q}_{17})$, and $-\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{Q}_{18})(\text{Q}_{19})$;

a $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkyl group, a $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkenyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkenyl group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryl group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryloxy group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ arylthio group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group;

a $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkyl group, a $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkenyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkenyl group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryl group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryloxy

group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ arylthio group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-\text{F}$, $-\text{Cl}$, $-\text{Br}$, $-\text{I}$, $-\text{CD}_3$, $-\text{CD}_2\text{H}$, $-\text{CDH}_2$, $-\text{CF}_3$, $-\text{CF}_2\text{H}$, $-\text{CFH}_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkyl group, a $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkenyl group, a $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkynyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkoxy group, a $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkyl group, a $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkenyl group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkenyl group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryl group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryloxy group, a $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ arylthio group, a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, $-\text{N}(\text{Q}_{21})(\text{Q}_{22})$, $-\text{Si}(\text{Q}_{23})(\text{Q}_{24})(\text{Q}_{25})$, $-\text{B}(\text{Q}_{26})(\text{Q}_{27})$, and $-\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{Q}_{28})(\text{Q}_{29})$; and $-\text{N}(\text{Q}_{31})(\text{Q}_{32})$, $-\text{Si}(\text{Q}_{33})(\text{Q}_{34})(\text{Q}_{35})$, $-\text{B}(\text{Q}_{36})(\text{Q}_{37})$, and $-\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{Q}_{38})(\text{Q}_{39})$,

wherein Q_1 to Q_9 , Q_{11} to Q_{19} , Q_{21} to Q_{29} , and Q_{31} to Q_{39} may be each independently selected from a hydrogen, a deuterium, $-\text{F}$, $-\text{Cl}$, $-\text{Br}$, $-\text{I}$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{60}$ alkynyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_{10}$ cycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{10}$ heterocycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_6\text{-C}_{60}$ arylthio group, a substituted or unsubstituted $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{60}$ heteroaryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group.

According to one or more exemplary embodiments, there is provided an organic light-emitting device including a first electrode; a second electrode; and an organic layer disposed between the first electrode and the second electrode,

wherein the organic layer includes an emission layer and at least one of the organometallic compounds of Formula 1.

The organometallic compound may be included in the emission layer.

The organometallic compound included in the emission layer may serve as a dopant, and the emission layer may further include a host.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

These and/or other aspects will become apparent and more readily appreciated from the following description of the exemplary embodiments, taken in conjunction with the accompanying drawings in which:

The FIGURE illustrates a schematic view of an organic light-emitting according to an embodiment.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

Reference will now be made in detail to exemplary embodiments, examples of which are illustrated in the

accompanying drawings, wherein like reference numerals refer to like elements throughout. In this regard, the present exemplary embodiments may have different forms and should not be construed as being limited to the descriptions set forth herein. Accordingly, the exemplary embodiments are merely described below, by referring to the FIGURES, to explain aspects of the present description. As used herein, the term “and/or” includes any and all combinations of one or more of the associated listed items. Expressions such as “at least one of,” when preceding a list of elements, modify the entire list of elements and do not modify the individual elements of the list.

It will be understood that when an element is referred to as being “on” another element, it can be directly in contact with the other element or intervening elements may be present therebetween. In contrast, when an element is referred to as being “directly on” another element, there are no intervening elements present.

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It will be understood that, although the terms first, second, third etc. may be used herein to describe various elements, components, regions, layers, and/or sections, these elements, components, regions, layers, and/or sections should not be limited by these terms. These terms are only used to distinguish one element, component, region, layer, or section from another element, component, region, layer, or section. Thus, a first element, component, region, layer, or section discussed below could be termed a second element, component, region, layer, or section without departing from the teachings of the present embodiments.

The terminology used herein is for the purpose of describing particular embodiments only and is not intended to be limiting. As used herein, the singular forms “a,” “an,” and “the” are intended to include the plural forms as well, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

It will be further understood that the terms “comprises” and/or “comprising,” or “includes” and/or “including” when used in this specification, specify the presence of stated features, regions, integers, steps, operations, elements, and/or components, but do not preclude the presence or addition of one or more other features, regions, integers, steps, operations, elements, components, and/or groups thereof.

About” or “approximately” as used herein is inclusive of the stated value and means within an acceptable range of deviation for the particular value as determined by one of ordinary skill in the art, considering the measurement in question and the error associated with measurement of the particular quantity (i.e., the limitations of the measurement system). For example, “about” can mean within one or more standard deviations, or within $\pm 30\%$, 20% , 10% , 5% of the stated value.

Unless otherwise defined, all terms (including technical and scientific terms) used herein have the same meaning as commonly understood by one of ordinary skill in the art to which this invention belongs. It will be further understood that terms, such as those defined in commonly used dictionaries, should be interpreted as having a meaning that is consistent with their meaning in the context of the relevant art and the present disclosure, and will not be interpreted in an idealized or overly formal sense unless expressly so defined herein.

Exemplary embodiments are described herein with reference to cross section illustrations that are schematic illustrations of idealized embodiments. As such, variations from

the shapes of the illustrations as a result, for example, of manufacturing techniques and/or tolerances, are to be expected. Thus, embodiments described herein should not be construed as limited to the particular shapes of regions as illustrated herein but are to include deviations in shapes that result, for example, from manufacturing. For example, a region illustrated or described as flat may, typically, have rough and/or nonlinear features. Moreover, sharp angles that are illustrated may be rounded. Thus, the regions illustrated in the figures are schematic in nature and their shapes are not intended to illustrate the precise shape of a region and are not intended to limit the scope of the present claims.

There is provided an organometallic compound represented by Formula 1 below:

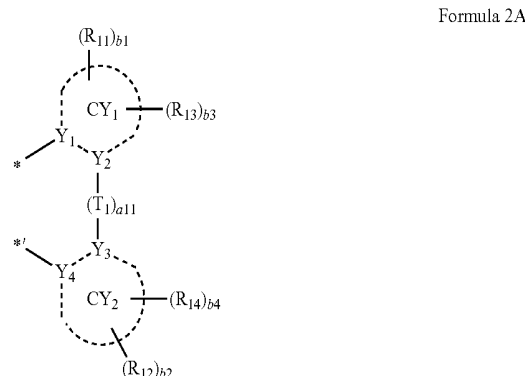


In Formula 1, M may be selected from iridium (Ir), platinum (Pt), osmium (Os), titanium (Ti), zirconium (Zr), hafnium (Hf), europium (Eu), terbium (Tb), thulium (Tm), and rhodium (Rh).

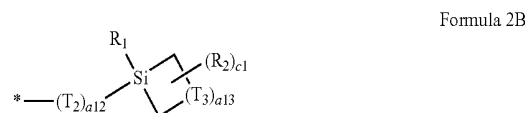
For example, M in Formula 1 may be selected from Ir, Pt, Os, and Rh.

In an exemplary embodiment, M in Formula 1 may be selected from Ir and Pt, but the embodiment is not limited thereto.

In Formula 1, L_1 may be a ligand represented by Formula 2A below, and $n1$ may be 1, 2, or 3, wherein when $n1$ is 2 or more, 2 or more groups L_1 may be identical to or different from each other:



In Formula 2A, R_{13} and R_{14} may be each independently a group represented by Formula 2B below:



Formulae 2A and 2B may be understood by referring to the descriptions provided below.

In Formula 1, L_2 may be selected from a monovalent organic ligand, a divalent organic ligand, a trivalent organic ligand, and a tetravalent organic ligand, and $n2$ may be 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4, wherein $n2$ is 2 or more, 2 or more groups L_2 may be identical to or different from each other.

In Formula 1, L_1 and L_2 may be different from each other.

For example, $n1$ in Formula 1 may be 1.

In some exemplary embodiments, the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be neutral (i.e., may not comprise an ionic group), may not be a form of a base consisting of a pair or ions.

In an exemplary embodiment, in Formula 1, M may be Ir and a sum of n1 and n2 (n1+n2) may be 3; or M may be Pt and a sum of n1 and n2 (n1+n2) may be 2. Here, the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be neutral (i.e., may not be in a form of a base consisting of a pair or ions).

In Formula 2A, Y₁ to Y₄ may be each independently carbon (C) or nitrogen (N), Y₁ and Y₂ may be connected to each other via a single bond or a double bond, and Y₃ and Y₄ may be connected to each other via a single bond or a double bond.

For example, in Formula 2A, Y₁ may be N and Y₂ to Y₄ may be C.

In Formula 2A, CY₁ and CY₂ may be each independently selected from a C₅-C₆₀ carbocyclic group, and a C₁-C₆₀ heterocyclic group, and may be optionally connected to each other via a first linking group. Here, the C₅-C₆₀ carbocyclic group and the C₁-C₆₀ heterocyclic group may be "a monocyclic group" or "a polycyclic group".

In an exemplary embodiment, in Formula 2A, CY₁ and CY₂ may be each independently selected from a benzene, a naphthalene, a fluorene, a spiro-fluorene, an indene, a pyrrole, a thiophene, a furan, an imidazole, a pyrazole, a thiazole, an isothiazole, an oxazole, an isooxazole, a pyridine, a pyrazine, a pyrimidine, a pyridazine, a quinoline, an isoquinoline, a benzoquinoline, a quinoxaline, a quinazoline, a carbazole, a benzoimidazole, a benzofuran, a benzothiophene, an isobenzothiophene, a benzoxazole, an isobenzoxazole, a triazole, a tetrazole, an oxadiazole, a triazine, a dibenzofuran, a dibenzothiophene, and 5,6,7,8-tetrahydroisoquinoline.

In some exemplary embodiments, in Formula 2A,

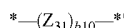
CY₁ may be selected from a pyridine, a pyrimidine, a pyrazine, a triazine, a quinoline, an isoquinoline, a quinazoline, a quinoxaline, a triazole, an imidazole, a pyrazole, and 5,6,7,8-tetrahydroisoquinoline; and

CY₂ may be selected from a benzene, a naphthalene, a pyridine, a pyrimidine, a pyrazine, a triazine, a quinoline, an isoquinoline, a quinazoline, a quinoxaline, a fluorene, a carbazole, a dibenzofuran, and a dibenzothiophene.

In an exemplary embodiment, in Formula 2A, CY₁ may be a pyridine and CY₂ may be selected from a benzene, a fluorene, a carbazole, a dibenzofuran, and a dibenzothiophene.

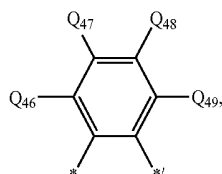
In some exemplary embodiments, in Formula 2A, CY₁ may be a pyridine and CY₂ may be a benzene.

In Formula 2A, CY₁ and CY₂ may be further connected to each other via a first linking group, wherein the first linking group is represented by Formula 6 below:



Formula 6

In Formula 6, Z₃₁ may be selected from *—O—*, *—S—*, *—N(Q₄₁)-*, *—C(Q₄₂)(Q₄₃)-*, *—C(Q₄₄)=C(Q₄₅)-*, and



wherein Q₄₁ to Q₄₉ may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an

amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group; a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group; and

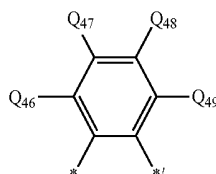
a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group; and

b10 may be an integer selected from 1 to 10, wherein when b10 is 2 or more, 2 or more groups Z₃₁ may be identical to or different from each other.

For example, in Formula 6, Q₄₁ to Q₄₉ may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group; a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group; and a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group, but they are not limited thereto.

For example, in Formula 2, CY₁ and CY₂ may be connected to each other via a single bond or a first linking group, wherein the first linking group may be represented by *—C(Q₄₄)=C(Q₄₅)-* or



(wherein in Formula 6, b10 is 1), and wherein Q₄₄ to Q₄₉ may be each independently selected from a hydrogen, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, and a C₁-C₁₀ alkoxy group, but they are not limited thereto.

In an exemplary embodiment, in Formula 2A,

Y₁ may be N, Y₂ to Y₄ may be C,

CY₁ may be selected from a pyridine, a pyrimidine, a pyrazine, a triazine, a triazole, an imidazole, and a pyrazole, and

CY₂ may be selected from a benzene, a naphthalene, a pyridine, a pyrimidine, a pyrazine, a fluorene, a carbazole, a dibenzofuran, and a dibenzothiophene.

In Formula 2A, T₁ may be selected from a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₃ alkylene group.

In Formula 2B, T₂ may be selected from a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ alkylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₂-C₁₀ alkenylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkylene group, a substituted or unsub-

stituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} arylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} heteroarylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group.

In Formula 2B, T_3 may be selected from $-O-$, $-S-$, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_7 alkylene group, and a substituted or unsubstituted C_2 - C_7 alkenylene group.

In an exemplary embodiment, in Formulae 2A and 2B, a_{11} denotes the number of T_1 , and may be an integer selected from 0 to 3. When a_{11} is 0, $-(T_1)_{a_{11}}$ may be a single bond. When a_{11} is 2 or more, 2 or more groups T_1 may be identical to or different from each other. When a_{12} is 0, $-(T_2)_{a_{12}}$ may be a single bond. When a_{12} is 2 or more, 2 or more groups T_2 may be identical to or different from each other. When a_{13} is 0, $-(T_3)_{a_{13}}$ may be a single bond. When a_{13} is 2 or more, 2 or more groups T_3 may be identical to or different from each other.

For example, in Formulae 2A and 2B, a_{11} to a_{13} may be 0, 1, or 2. For example, in Formulae 2A and 2B, a_{11} to a_{13} may be 0 or 1.

In an exemplary embodiment, T_1 in Formula 2A may be selected from:

a methylene group and an ethylene group; and

a methylene group and an ethylene group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_1 - C_{20} alkyl group, a C_1 - C_{20} alkoxy group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group;

T_2 in Formula 2B may be selected from:

a C_1 - C_5 alkylene group, a cyclopentylene group, a cyclohexylene group, a cycloheptylene group, a cyclooctylene group, a cyclopentenylene group, a cyclohexenylene group, a cycloheptenylene group, a phenylene group, a naphthylene group, a fluorenylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, an anthracenylenylene group, a fluoranthenylenylene group, a triphenylenylene group, a pyrenylene group, a chrysenylene group, a pyrrolylene group, a thiophenylenylene group, a furanylene group, an imidazolylene group, a pyrazolylene group, a thiazolylene group, an isothiazolylene group, an oxazolylene group, an isooxazolylene group, a pyridinylene group, a pyrazinylene group, a pyrimidinylene group, a pyridazinylene group, an isoindolylene group, an indolylene group, an indazolylene group, a purinylene group, a quinolinylene group, an isoquinolinylene group, a benzoquinolinylene group, a quinoxalinylene group, a quinazolinylene group, a cinnolinylene group, a carbazolylene group, a phenanthrolinylene group, a benzoimidazolylene group, a benzofuranylene group, a benzothiophenylene group, an isobenzothiazolylene group, a benzooxazolylene group, an isobenzooxazolylene group, a triazolylene group, a tetrazolylene group, an oxadiazolylene group, a triazinylene group, a dibenzofuranylene group, a dibenzothiophenylene group, a benzocarbazolylene group, a dibenzocarbazolylene group, an imidazopyridinylene group, and an imidazopyrimidinylene group; and

a C_1 - C_5 alkylene group, a cyclopentylene group, a cyclohexylene group, a cycloheptylene group, a cyclooctylene group, a cyclopentenylene group, a cyclohexenylene group, a cycloheptenylene group, a phenylene group, a naphthylene

group, a fluorenylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, an anthracenylenylene group, a fluoranthenylenylene group, a triphenylenylene group, a pyrenylene group, a chrysenylene group, a pyrrolylene group, a thiophenylenylene group, a furanylene group, an imidazolylene group, a pyrazolylene group, a thiazolylene group, an isothiazolylene group, an oxazolylene group, an isooxazolylene group, a pyridinylene group, a pyrazinylene group, a pyrimidinylene group, a pyridazinylene group, an isoindolylene group, an indolylene group, an indazolylene group, a purinylene group, a quinolinylene group, an isoquinolinylene group, a benzoquinolinylene group, a quinoxalinylene group, a quinazolinylene group, a cinnolinylene group, a carbazolylene group, a phenanthrolinylene group, a benzoimidazolylene group, a benzofuranylene group, a benzothiophenylene group, an isobenzothiazolylene group, a benzooxazolylene group, an isobenzooxazolylene group, a triazolylene group, a tetrazolylene group, an oxadiazolylene group, a triazinylene group, a dibenzofuranylene group, a dibenzothiophenylene group, a benzocarbazolylene group, a dibenzocarbazolylene group, an imidazopyridinylene group, and an imidazopyrimidinylene group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_1 - C_{20} alkyl group, a C_1 - C_{20} alkoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a fluorenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluoranthenyl group, a triphenylenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a chrysenyl group, a pyrrolyl group, a thiophenyl group, a furanyl group, an imidazolyl group, a pyrazolyl group, a thiazolyl group, an isothiazolyl group, an oxazolyl group, an isooxazolyl group, a pyridinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, an isoindolyl group, an indolyl group, an indazolyl group, a purinyl group, a quinolinyl group, an isoquinolinyl group, a benzoquinolinyl group, a quinoxalinyl group, a quinazolinyl group, a cinnolinyl group, a carbazolyl group, a phenanthrolinyl group, a benzoimidazolyl group, a benzofuranyl group, a benzothiophenyl group, an isobenzothiazolyl group, a benzooxazolyl group, an isobenzooxazolyl group, a triazolyl group, a tetrazolyl group, an oxadiazolyl group, a triazinyl group, a dibenzofuranyl group, a dibenzothiophenyl group, a benzocarbazolyl group, a dibenzocarbazolyl group, an imidazopyridinyl group, and an imidazopyrimidinyl group; and

a_{11} and a_{12} in Formulae 2A and 2B may be each independently 0, 1, or 2.

In some exemplary embodiments, T_1 in Formula 2A may be selected from:

a methylene group; and

a methylene group substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_1 - C_{20} alkyl group, a C_1 - C_{20} alkoxy group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group;

T_2 in Formula 2B may be selected from

a C_1 - C_5 alkylene group, a cyclopentylene group, a cyclohexylene group, a cycloheptylene group, a cyclooctylene

group, a cyclopentenylene group, a cyclohexenylene group, a cycloheptenylene group, a phenylene group, a naphthylene group, a fluorenylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, a triphenylenylene group, a pyrenylene group, a chrysenylene group, a pyridinylene group, a pyrimidinylene group, a carbazolylenylene group, a triazinylene group, a dibenzofuranylene group, and a dibenzothiophenylene group; and

a C₁-C₅ alkylene group, a cyclopentylene group, a cyclohexylene group, a cycloheptylene group, a cyclooctylene group, a cyclopentenylene group, a cyclohexenylene group, a cycloheptenylene group, a phenylene group, a naphthylene group, a fluorenylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, a triphenylenylene group, a pyrenylene group, a chrysenylene group, a pyridinylene group, a pyrimidinylene group, a carbazolylenylene group, a triazinylene group, a dibenzofuranylene group, and a dibenzothiophenylene group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

a11 and a12 in Formulae 2A and 2B may be each independently 0 or 1.

In some other exemplary embodiments, a11 and a12 in Formulae 2A and 2B may be all 0, but they are not limited thereto.

T₃ in Formula 2B may be selected from a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₄ alkylene group, and a13 in Formula 2B may be 0 or 1.

In Formulae 2A and 2B, R₁, R₂, R₁₁, and R₁₂ may be each independently selected from a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —SF₅, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₆₀ alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₆₀ alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₂-C₆₀ alkynyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₆₀ alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₆-C₆₀ aryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₆-C₆₀ aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₆-C₆₀ arylthio group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₆₀ heteroaryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, —N(Q₁)(Q₂), —Si(Q₃)(Q₄)(Q₅), —B(Q₆)(Q₇), and —P(=O)(Q₈)(Q₉).

For example, in Formulae 2A and 2B, R₁, R₂, R₁₁, and R₁₂ may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —SF₅, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group;

a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone

group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ alkoxy group, a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group, a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group, a C₆-C₁₄ aryl group, a C₁-C₁₄ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group;

a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group, a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group, a C₆-C₁₄ aryl group, a C₁-C₁₄ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group;

a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group, a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group, a C₆-C₁₄ aryl group, a C₁-C₁₄ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group, a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group, a C₆-C₁₄ aryl group, a C₁-C₁₄ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group; and

—N(Q₁)(Q₂), —Si(Q₃)(Q₄)(Q₅), —B(Q₆)(Q₇), and —P(=O)(Q₈)(Q₉),

wherein Q₁ to Q₉ may be each independently selected from a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₆-C₁₄ aryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C₁-C₁₄ heteroaryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group.

In some exemplary embodiments, in Formulae 2A and 2B, R₁, R₂, R₁₁, and R₁₂ may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, —SF₅, C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group;

a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl

group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group;

a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a fluorenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluoranthenyl group, a triphenylenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a chrysenyl group, a pyrrolyl group, a thiophenyl group, a furanyl group, an imidazolyl group, a pyrazolyl group, a thiazolyl group, an isothiazolyl group, an oxazolyl group, an isooxazolyl group, a pyridinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, an isoindolyl group, an indolyl group, an indazolyl group, a purinyl group, a quinolinyl group, an isoquinolinyl group, a benzoquinolinyl group, a quinoxalinyl group, a quinazolinyl group, a cinnolinyl group, a carbazolyl group, a phenanthrolinyl group, a benzoimidazolyl group, a benzofuranyl group, a benzothiophenyl group, an isobenzothiazolyl group, a benzooxazolyl group, an isobenzooxazolyl group, a triazolyl group, a tetrazolyl group, an oxadiazolyl group, a triazinyl group, a dibenzofuranyl group, a dibenzothiophenyl group, a benzocarbazolyl group, a dibenzocarbazolyl group, an imidazopyridinyl group, and an imidazopyrimidinyl group;

a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a fluorenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluoranthenyl group, a triphenylenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a chrysenyl group, a pyrrolyl group, a thiophenyl group, a furanyl group, an imidazolyl group, a pyrazolyl group, a thiazolyl group, an isothiazolyl group, an oxazolyl group, an isooxazolyl group, a pyridinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, an isoindolyl group, an indolyl group, an indazolyl group, a purinyl group, a quinolinyl group, an isoquinolinyl group, a benzoquinolinyl group, a quinoxalinyl group, a quinazolinyl group, a cinnolinyl group, a carbazolyl group, a phenanthrolinyl group, a benzoimidazolyl group, a benzofuranyl group, a benzothiophenyl group, an isobenzothiazolyl group, a benzooxazolyl group, an isobenzooxazolyl group, a triazolyl group, a tetrazolyl group, an oxadiazolyl group, a triazinyl group, a dibenzofuranyl group, a dibenzothiophenyl group, a benzocarbazolyl group, a dibenzocarbazolyl group, an imidazopyridinyl group, and an imidazopyrimidinyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a fluorenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluoranthenyl group, a triphenylenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a chrysenyl group, a pyrrolyl group, a thiophenyl group, a furanyl group, an imidazolyl group, a pyrazolyl group, a thiazolyl group, an isothiazolyl group, an oxazolyl group, an isooxazolyl group, a pyridinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, an isoindolyl group, an indolyl group, an indazolyl group, a

purinyl group, a quinolinyl group, an isoquinolinyl group, a benzoquinolinyl group, a quinoxalinyl group, a quinazolinyl group, a cinnolinyl group, a carbazolyl group, a phenanthrolinyl group, a benzoimidazolyl group, a benzofuranyl group, a benzothiophenyl group, an isobenzothiazolyl group, a benzooxazolyl group, an isobenzooxazolyl group, a triazolyl group, a tetrazolyl group, an oxadiazolyl group, a triazinyl group, a dibenzofuranyl group, a dibenzothiophenyl group, a benzocarbazolyl group, a dibenzocarbazolyl group, an imidazopyridinyl group, and an imidazopyrimidinyl group; and

—B(Q₆)(Q₇) and —P(=O)(Q₈)(Q₉),

wherein Q₆ to Q₉ may be each independently selected from

—CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CH₂CH₃, —CH₂CD₃, —CH₂CD₂H, —CH₂CDH₂, —CHDCH₃, —CHDCH₂H, —CHDCHD₂, —CHDCHD₃, —CD₂CD₃, —CD₂CD₂H, and —CD₂CDH₂;

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, and a phenyl group, but they are not limited thereto.

In an exemplary embodiment, in Formulae 2A and 2B, R₁, R₂, R₁₁, and R₁₂ may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, a cyano group, a nitro group, —SF₅, a methyl group, an ethyl group, an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, an n-hexyl group, an isohexyl group, a sec-hexyl group, a tert-hexyl group, an n-heptyl group, an isoheptyl group, a sec-heptyl group, a tert-heptyl group, an n-octyl group, an isooctyl group, a sec-octyl group, a tert-octyl group, an n-nonyl group, an isononyl group, a sec-nonyl group, a tert-nonyl group, an n-decyl group, an isodecyl group, a sec-decyl group, a tert-decyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, a pentoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl (adamantyl) group, a norbornanyl (norbornyl) group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group;

a methyl group, an ethyl group, an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, an n-hexyl group, an isohexyl group, a sec-hexyl group, a tert-hexyl group, an n-heptyl group, an isoheptyl group, a sec-heptyl group, a tert-heptyl group, an n-octyl group, an isooctyl group, a sec-octyl group, a tert-octyl group, an n-nonyl group, an isononyl group, a sec-nonyl group, a tert-nonyl group, an n-decyl group, an isodecyl group, a sec-decyl group, a tert-decyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, a pentoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group, each

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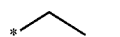
substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a cyano group, a nitro group, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ alkoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group; and —B(Q₆)(Q₇) and —P(=O)(Q₈)(Q₉),

wherein Q₆ to Q₉ may be each independently selected from

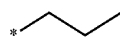
—CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CH₂CH₃, —CH₂CD₃, —CH₂CD₂H, —CH₂CDH₂, —CHDCCH₃, —CHDCD₂H, —CHDCDH₂, —CHDCD₃, —CD₂CD₃, —CD₂CD₂H, and —CD₂CDH₂;

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, and a phenyl group. In some exemplary embodiments, in Formulae 2A and 2B, R₁, R₂, R₁₁, and R₁₂ may be each independently selected from a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, a cyano group, a nitro group, —SF₅, —CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, groups represented by Formulae 9-1 to 9-17 below, and groups represented by Formulae 10-1 to 10-30 below, but they are not limited thereto:



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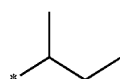
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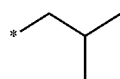
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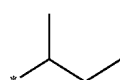
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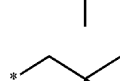
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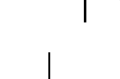
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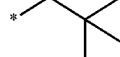
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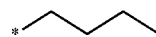


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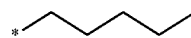


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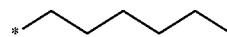
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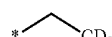
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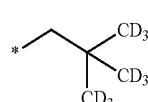
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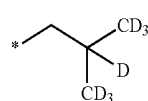
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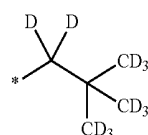
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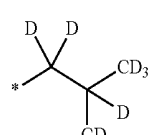
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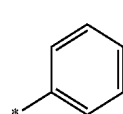
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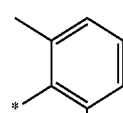
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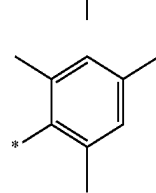
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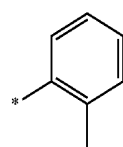
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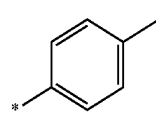
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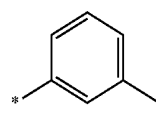
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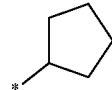
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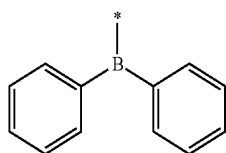
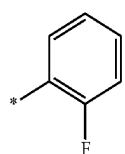
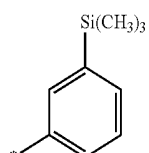
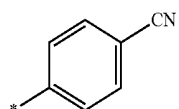
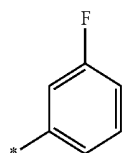
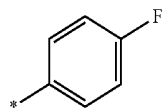
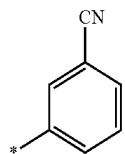
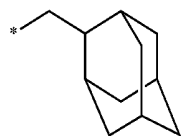
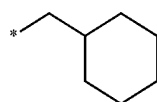
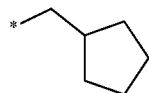
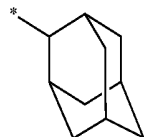
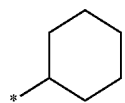
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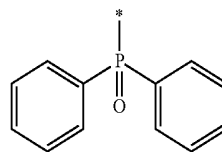
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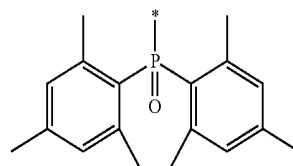
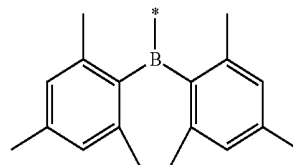
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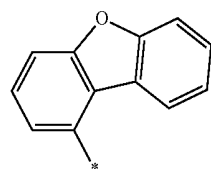
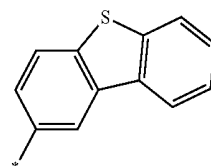
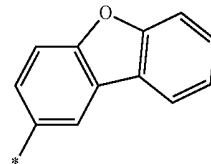
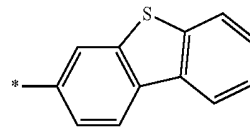
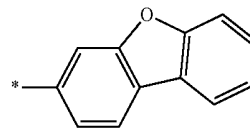
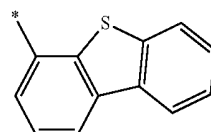
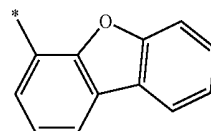
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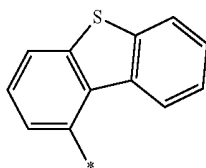
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Formula 10-30

In Formula 2A, b1 and b2 may be each independently an integer selected from 0 to 4. In Formula 2B, c1 may be an integer selected from 0 to 16.

In Formula 2A, b1 denotes the number of R_{11} . When b1 is 2 or more, 2 or more groups R_{11} may be identical to or different from each other. In Formula 2A, b2 denotes the number of groups R_{12} . When b2 is 2 or more, 2 or more groups R_{12} may be identical to or different from each other. In Formula 2B, c1 denotes the number of R_2 . When c1 is 2 or more, 2 or more groups R_2 may be identical to or different from each other.

When b1 is 2 or more, 2 or more groups R_{11} may be optionally linked to each other to form a saturated or unsaturated ring (for example, a benzene, a naphthalene, a cyclohexane, an adamantane or a norbornane). When b2 is 2 or more, 2 or more groups R_{12} may be optionally linked to each other to form a saturated or unsaturated ring (for example, a benzene, a naphthalene, a cyclohexane, an adamantane or a norbornane).

In Formula 2A, R_{13} and R_{14} may be each independently the group of Formula 2B, b3 denotes the number of groups R_{13} , b4 denotes the number of groups R_{14} , b3 and b4 may be each independently an integer selected from 0 to 4, and a sum of b3 and b4 (b3+b4) may be 1 or more. Thus, the ligand of Formula 2A may include at least one substituent represented by Formula 2B.

For example, in Formula 2A,

b3=1 and b4=0;

b3=0 and b4=1;

b3=1 and b4=1;

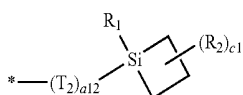
b3=2 and b4=0;

b3=0 and b4=2;

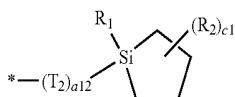
b3=1 and b4=2; or

b3=2 and b4=1, but they are not limited thereto.

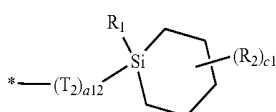
For example, in Formula 2A, R_{13} and R_{14} may be each independently selected from groups represented by Formulae 2B-1 to 2B-5 below:



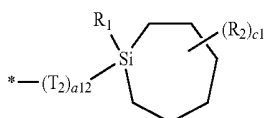
Formula 2B-1



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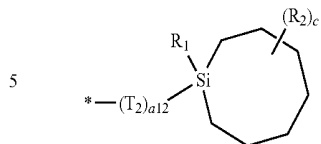


Formula 2B-4

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Formula 2B-5



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In Formulae 2B-1 to 2B-5, T_2 , a12, R_1 , R_2 , and c1 are defined the same as those provided herein.

For example, in Formulae 2B-1 to 2B-5,

T_2 may be selected from:

a C_1 - C_5 alkylene group, a cyclopentylene group, a cyclohexylene group, a cycloheptylene group, a cyclooctylene group, a cyclopentenylene group, a cyclohexenylene group, a cycloheptenylene group, a phenylene group, a naphthylene group, a fluorenylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, a triphenylenylene group, a pyrenylene group, a chrysenylene group, a pyridinylene group, a pyrimidinylene group, a carbazolyene group, a triazinylene group, a dibenzofuranylene group, and a dibenzothiophenylene group; and

a C_1 - C_5 alkylene group, a cyclopentylene group, a cyclohexylene group, a cycloheptylene group, a cyclooctylene group, a cyclopentenylene group, a cyclohexenylene group, a cycloheptenylene group, a phenylene group, a naphthylene group, a fluorenylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, a triphenylenylene group, a pyrenylene group, a chrysenylene group, a pyridinylene group, a pyrimidinylene group, a carbazolyene group, a triazinylene group, a dibenzofuranylene group, and a dibenzothiophenylene group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_1 - C_{20} alkyl group, a C_1 - C_{20} alkoxy group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group;

a12 may be 0 or 1;

R_1 and R_2 may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, $-F$, a cyano group, a nitro group, $-SF_5$, a methyl group, an ethyl group, an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, an n-hexyl group, an isohexyl group, a sec-hexyl group, a tert-hexyl group, an n-heptyl group, an isoheptyl group, a sec-heptyl group, a tert-heptyl group, an n-octyl group, an isooctyl group, a sec-octyl group, a tert-octyl group, an n-nonyl group, an isononyl group, a sec-nonyl group, a tert-nonyl group, an n-decyl group, an isodecyl group, a sec-decyl group, a tert-decyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, a pentoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group;

a methyl group, an ethyl group, an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, an n-hexyl group, an isohexyl group, a sec-hexyl group, a tert-hexyl group, an n-heptyl group, an isoheptyl group, a sec-heptyl group, a tert-heptyl group, an n-octyl group, an isooctyl group, a sec-octyl group, a tert-octyl group, an

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n-nonyl group, an isononyl group, a sec-nonyl group, a tert-nonyl group, an n-decyl group, an isodecyl group, a sec-decyl group, a tert-decyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, a pentoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a cyano group, a nitro group, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ alkoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group; and

—B(Q₆)(Q₇) and —P(=O)(Q₈)(Q₉),

wherein Q₆ to Q₉ may be each independently selected from:

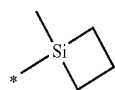
—CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CH₂CH₃, —CH₂CD₃, —CH₂CD₂H, —CH₂CDH₂, —CHDC₂H₃, —CHDCD₂H, —CHDCDH₂, —CHDCD₃, —CD₂CD₃, —CD₂CD₂H, and —CD₂CDH₂;

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

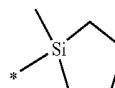
an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group and a phenyl group; and

c1 may be an integer selected from 0 to 6.

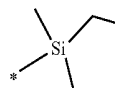
In some exemplary embodiments, in Formula 2A, R₁₃ and R₁₄ may be each independently selected from groups represented by Formulae 2B(1) to 2B(18) below:



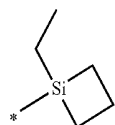
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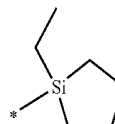
Formula 2B(2)



Formula 2B(3)



Formula 2B(4)

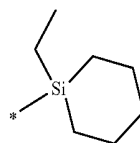


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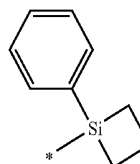
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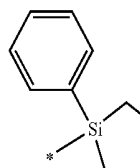
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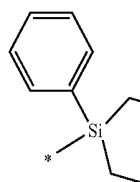
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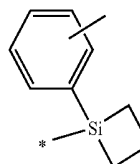
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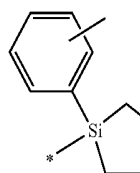
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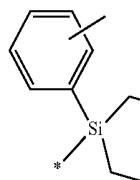
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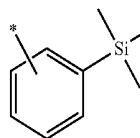
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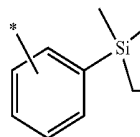
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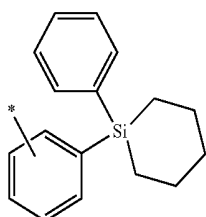
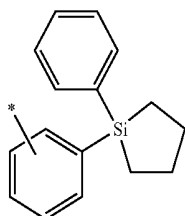
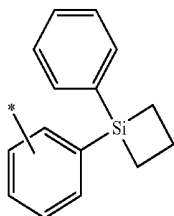
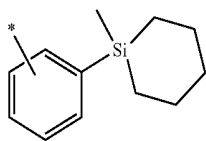


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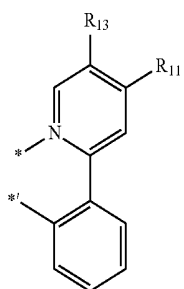
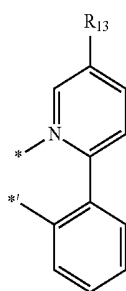


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In some other exemplary embodiments, in Formula 1, L_1 40 may be selected from ligands represented by Formulae 2A-1 to 2A-45 below:



Formula 2B(15)

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Formula 2B(16)

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Formula 2B(17)

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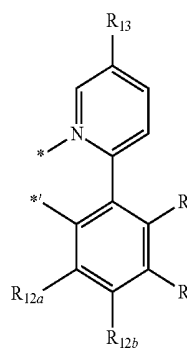
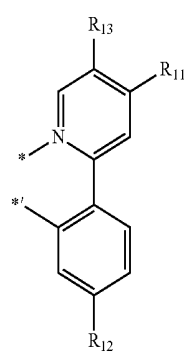
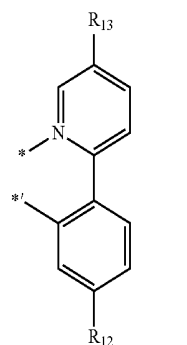
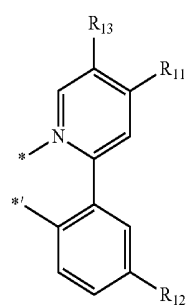
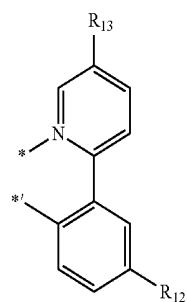
Formula 2B(18)

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Formula 2A-3

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Formula 2A-5

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Formula 2A-1

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Formula 2A-2

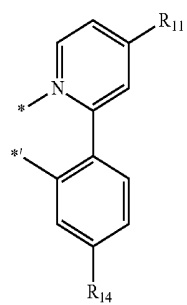
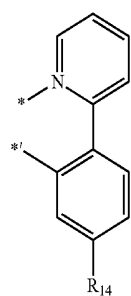
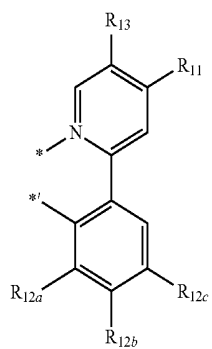
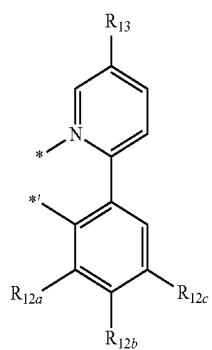
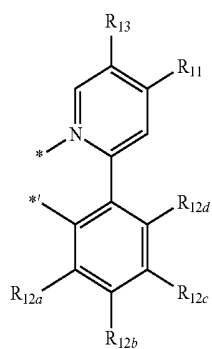
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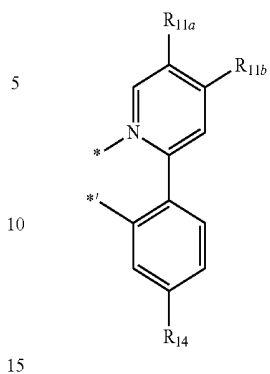
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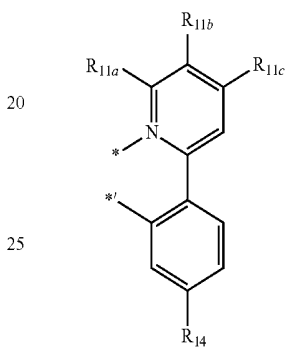
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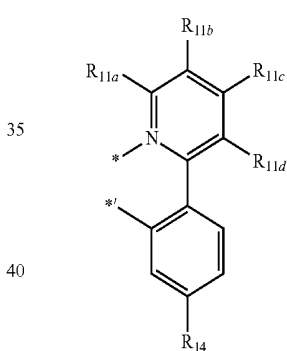
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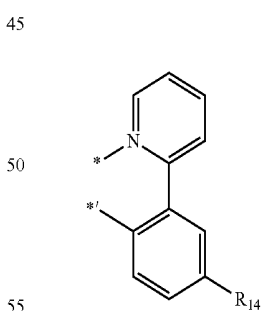
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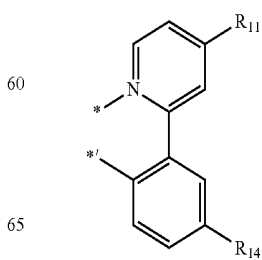
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Formula 2A-12



Formula 2A-13

Formula 2A-14

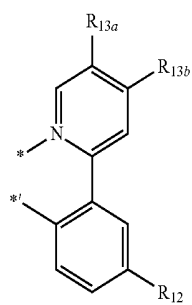
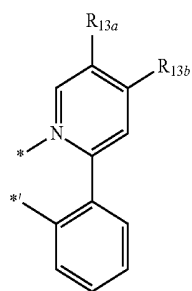
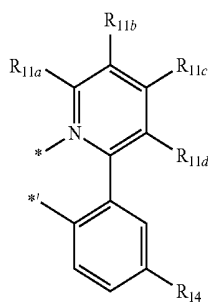
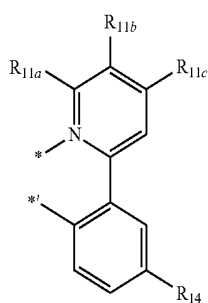
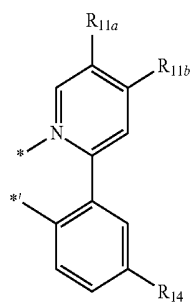
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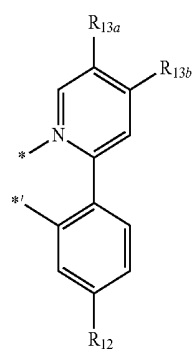


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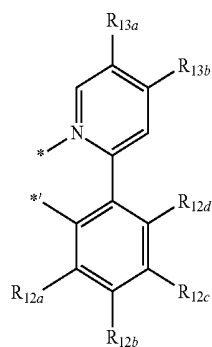
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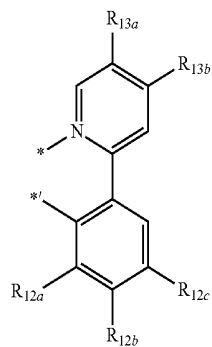


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Formula 2A-20

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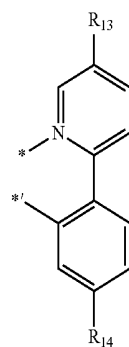


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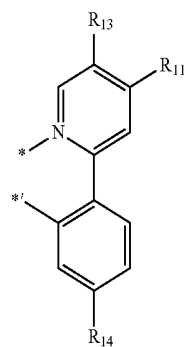
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Formula 2A-24

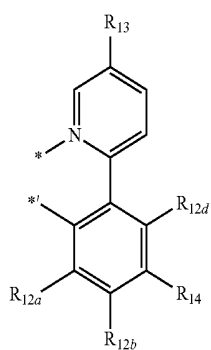
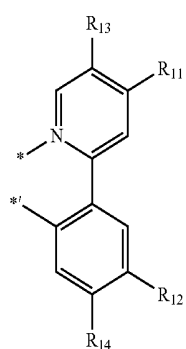
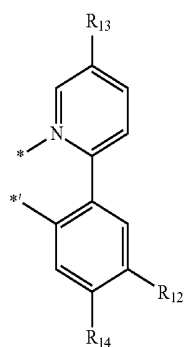
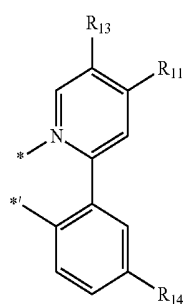
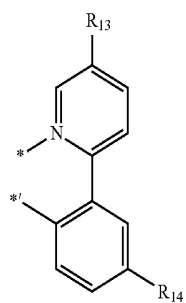
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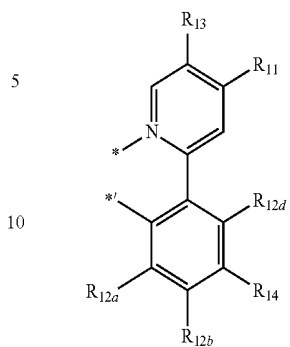
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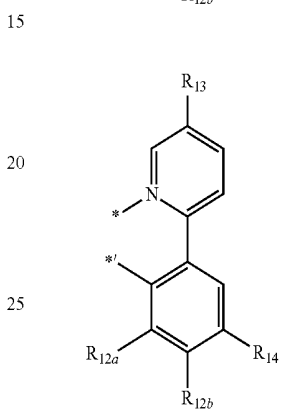
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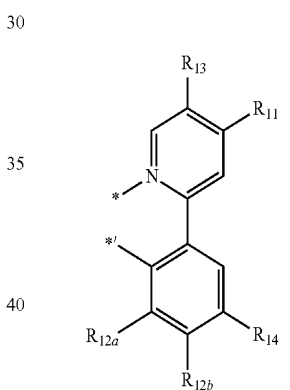
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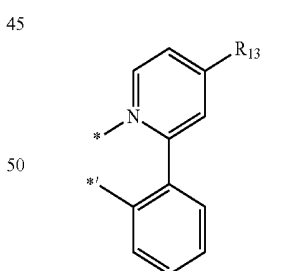
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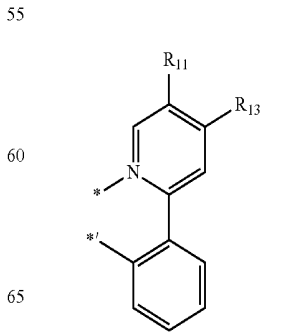
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Formula 2A-31



Formula 2A-32



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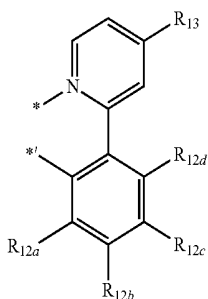
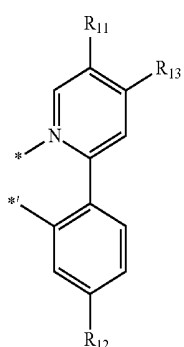
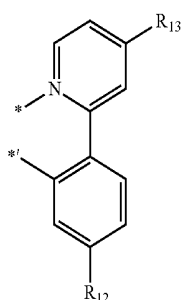
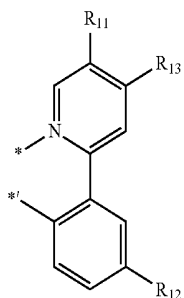
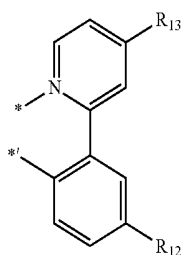
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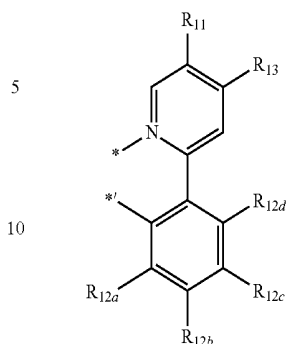
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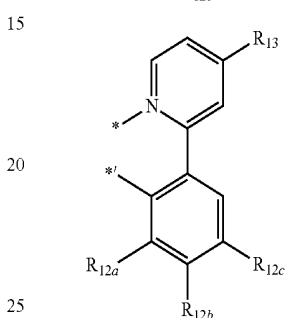
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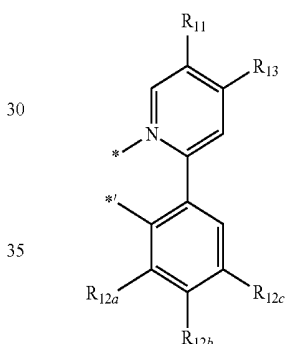
Formula 2A-38



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Formula 2A-40



Formula 2A-41

In Formulae 2A-1 to 2A-45,
R₁₁ to R₁₄ are each independently defined in the same way
as above,

R_{11a} to R_{11c} are defined in the same way as group R₁₁,
R_{12a} to R_{12c} are defined in the same way as group R₁₂,
R_{13a}, and R_{13b} are defined in the same way as group R₁₃,
wherein R₁₁, R_{11a} to R_{11c}, R₁₂, and R_{12a} to R_{12c} are not a
hydrogen.

For example, in Formula 2A-1 to 2A-45,

R₁₁, R_{11a} to R_{11c}, R₁₂, and R_{12a} to R_{12c} may be each
independently selected from:

a deuterium, —F, a cyano group, a nitro group, —SF₅, a
methyl group, an ethyl group, an n-propyl group, an isopro-
pyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl
group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl
group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, an n-hexyl
group, an isohexyl group, a sec-hexyl group, a tert-hexyl
group, an n-heptyl group, an isoheptyl group, a sec-heptyl
group, a tert-heptyl group, an n-octyl group, an isooctyl
group, a sec-octyl group, a tert-octyl group, an n-nonyl
group, an isononyl group, a sec-nonyl group, a tert-nonyl
group, an n-decyl group, an isodecyl group, a sec-decyl
group, a tert-decyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy
group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, a pentoxy group, a
cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group,
a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl
group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a

Formula 2A-43

Formula 2A-44

Formula 2A-45

cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group;

a methyl group, an ethyl group, an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, an n-hexyl group, an isohexyl group, a sec-hexyl group, a tert-hexyl group, an n-heptyl group, an isoheptyl group, a sec-heptyl group, a tert-heptyl group, an n-octyl group, an isooctyl group, a sec-octyl group, a tert-octyl group, an n-nonyl group, an isononyl group, a sec-nonyl group, a tert-nonyl group, an n-decyl group, an isodecyl group, a sec-decyl group, a tert-decyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, a pentoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-F$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, a cyano group, a nitro group, a C_1 - C_{10} alkyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} alkoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group; and

$-B(Q_6)(Q_7)$, and $-P(=O)(Q_8)(Q_9)$,

wherein Q_6 to Q_9 may be each independently selected from:

$-CH_3$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CH_2CH_3$, $-CH_2CD_3$, $-CH_2CD_2H$, $-CH_2CDH_2$, $-CHDCH_3$, $-CHDCD_2H$, $-CHDCDH_2$, $-CHDCD_3$, $-CD_2CD_3$, $-CD_2CD_2H$, and $-CD_2CDH_2$;

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, a C_1 - C_{10} alkyl group, and a phenyl group; and

R_{13} and R_{14} may be each independently selected from the groups of Formulae 2B-1 to 2B-5 above, but they are not limited thereto.

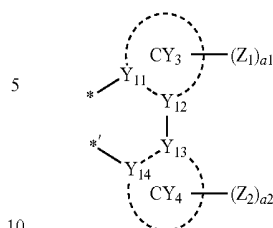
In some exemplary embodiments, in Formulae 2A-1 to 2A-45,

R_{11} , R_{11a} to R_{11c} , R_{12} , and R_{12a} to R_{12c} may be each independently selected from a deuterium, $-F$, a cyano group, a nitro group, $-SF_5$, $-CH_3$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, the groups of Formulae 9-1 to 9-17 above, and the groups of Formulae 10-1 to 10-30 above; and

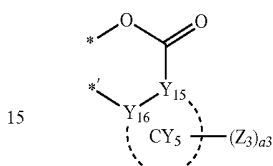
R_{13} and R_{14} may be each independently selected from the groups of Formulae 2B(1) to 2B(18) above, but they are not limited thereto.

In Formula 1, L_2 may be selected from ligands represented by Formulae 3A to 3G below:

Formula 3A



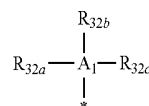
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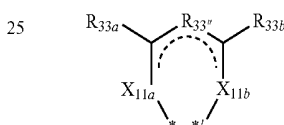
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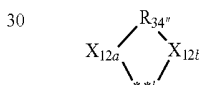
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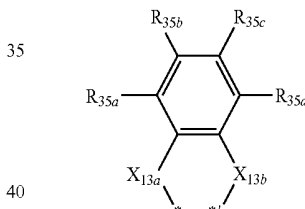
Formula 3E



Formula 3F



Formula 3G



In Formulae 3A to 3G,

Y_{11} to Y_{16} may be each independently C or N, wherein Y_{11} and Y_{12} may be connected to each other via a single bond or a double bond, Y_{13} and Y_{14} may be connected to each other via a single bond or a double bond, and Y_{15} and Y_{16} may be connected to each other via a single bond or a double bond;

CY_3 to CY_5 may be each independently selected from a C_5 - C_{60} carbocyclic group and a C_2 - C_{60} heterocyclic group (e.g., "a monocyclic group" or "a polycyclic group");

$a1$ to $a3$ may be each independently an integer selected from 1 to 5;

A_1 may be P or As;

X_{11a} , X_{11b} , X_{12a} , X_{12b} , X_{13a} , and X_{13b} may be each independently selected from N, O, N(R_{34}), P(R_{35})(R_{36}), and As(R_{37})(R_{38}) (wherein X_{12a} , X_{12b} , X_{13a} , and X_{13b} is not N nor O);

R_{33a} and R_{34a} may be each independently selected from a single bond, a double bond, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_5 alkylene group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_2 - C_5 alkenylene group, and a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{10} arylene group;

Z_1 to Z_3 , R_{31} , R_{32a} , R_{32b} , R_{32c} , R_{33a} , R_{33b} , R_{34} to R_{38} , R_{35a} , R_{35b} , R_{35c} , and R_{35d} may be each independently selected from a hydrogen, a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$,

a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, $-N(Q_1)(Q_2)$, $-Si(Q_3)(Q_4)(Q_5)$, $-B(Q_6)(Q_7)$, and $-P(=O)(Q_8)(Q_9)$;

* and *' each indicates a binding site to M of Formula 1; and

at least one of substituents of the substituted C_1 - C_5 alkylene group, the substituted C_2 - C_5 alkenylene group, the substituted C_6 - C_{10} arylene group, the substituted C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, the substituted C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, the substituted C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, the substituted C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, the substituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, the substituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, the substituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, the substituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, the substituted C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, the substituted C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, the substituted C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, the substituted C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, the substituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and the substituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group may be selected from:

a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, and a C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group;

a C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, and a C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, $-N(Q_{11})(Q_{12})$, $-Si(Q_{13})(Q_{14})(Q_{15})$, $-B(Q_{16})(Q_{17})$, and $-P(=O)(Q_{18})(Q_{19})$;

a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group;

a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$, $-CD_3$, $-CD_2H$, $-CDH_2$, $-CF_3$, $-CF_2H$, $-CFH_2$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, a C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, $-N(Q_{21})(Q_{22})$, $-Si(Q_{23})(Q_{24})(Q_{25})$, $-B(Q_{26})(Q_{27})$, and $-P(=O)(Q_{28})(Q_{29})$; and

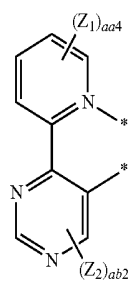
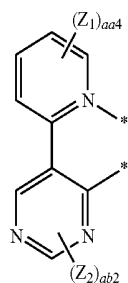
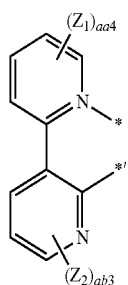
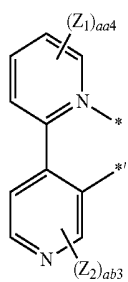
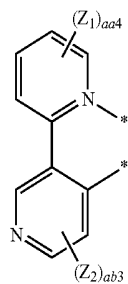
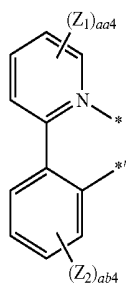
$-N(Q_{31})(Q_{32})$, $-Si(Q_{33})(Q_{34})(Q_{35})$, $-B(Q_{36})(Q_{37})$, and $-P(=O)(Q_{38})(Q_{39})$.

wherein Q_1 to Q_9 , Q_{11} to Q_{19} , Q_{21} to Q_{29} , and Q_{31} to Q_{39} may be each independently selected from a hydrogen, a deuterium, $-F$, $-Cl$, $-Br$, $-I$, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group.

In an exemplary embodiment, in Formulae 3A and 3B, CY_3 to CY_5 may be each independently selected from a benzene, a naphthalene, a fluorene, a spiro-fluorene, an indene, a pyrrole, a thiophene, a furan, an imidazole, a pyrazole, a thiazole, an isothiazole, an oxazole, an isooxazole, a pyridine, a pyrazine, a pyrimidine, a pyridazine, a quinoline, an isoquinoline, a benzoquinoline, a quinoxaline, a quinazoline, a carbazole, a benzoimidazole, a benzofuran, a benzothiofene, an isobenzothiofene, a benzooxazole, an isobenzooxazole, a triazole, a tetrazole, an oxadiazole, a triazine, a dibenzofuran, a dibenzothiophene, 5,6,7,8-tetrahydroisoquinoline, and 1,2,3,4-tetrahydronaphthalene, but they are not limited thereto.

For example, in Formula 1, L_2 may be selected from the ligands of Formulae 3-1 to 3-118 below, but is not limited thereto:

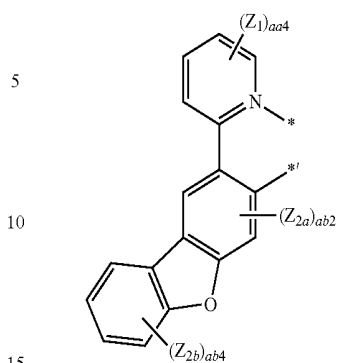
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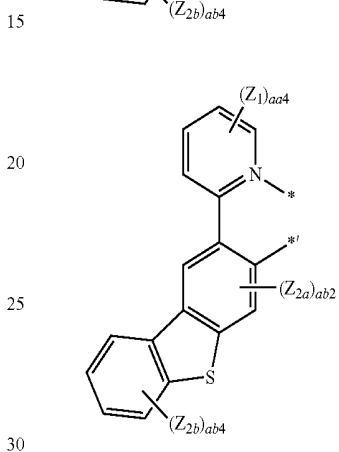
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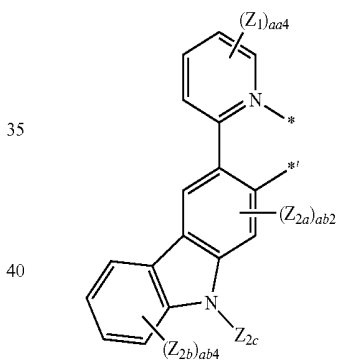
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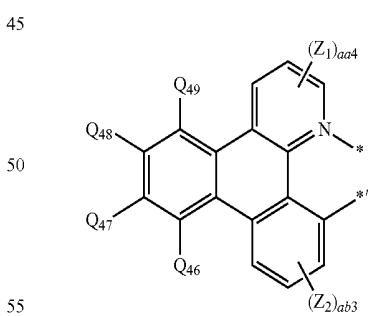
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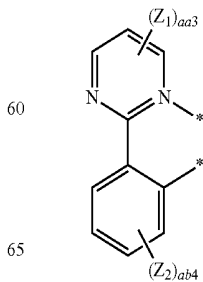
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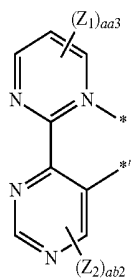
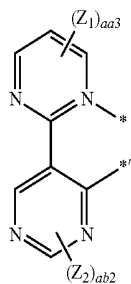
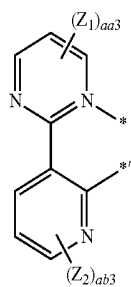
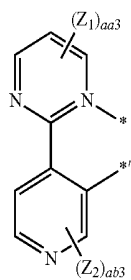
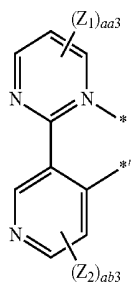
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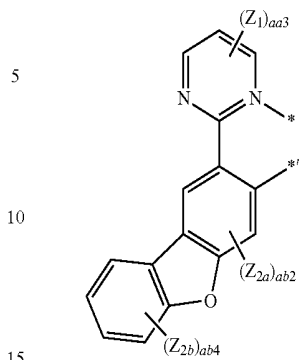
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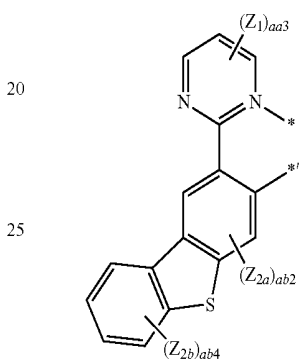
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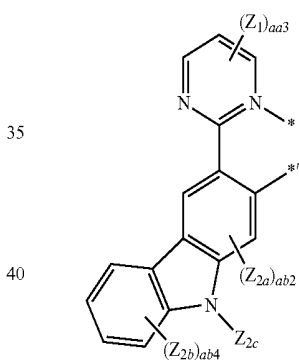
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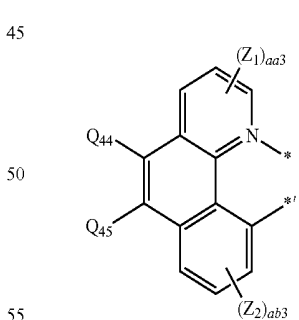
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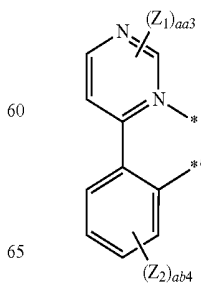
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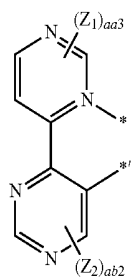
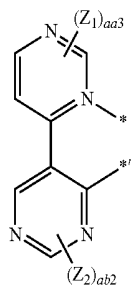
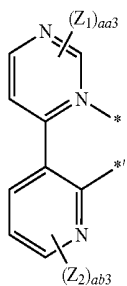
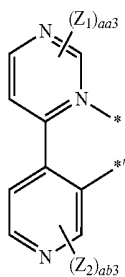
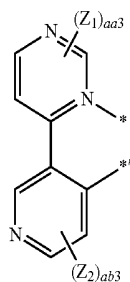
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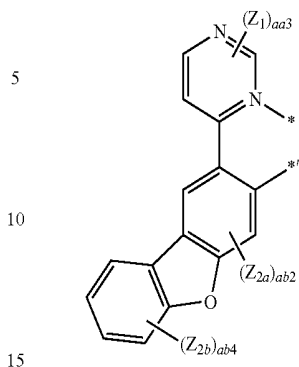
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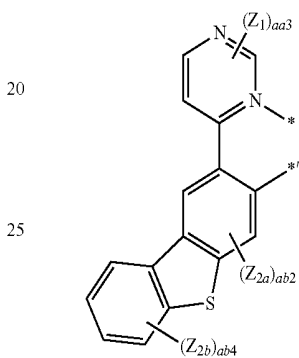
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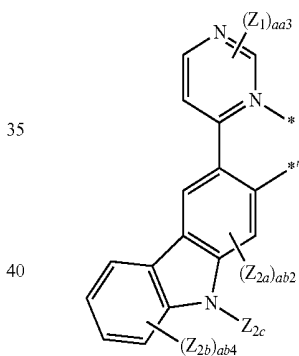
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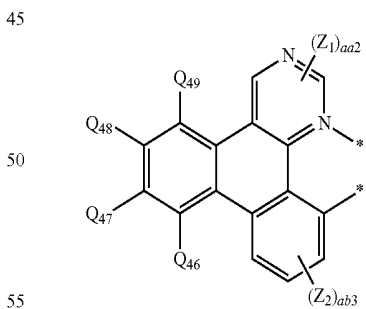
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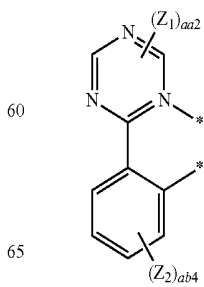
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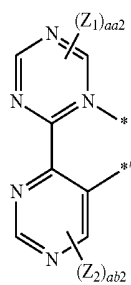
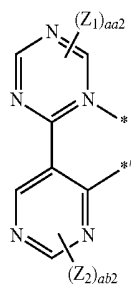
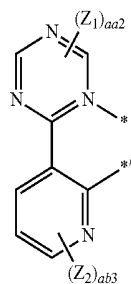
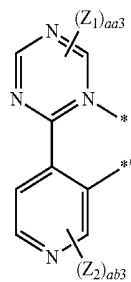
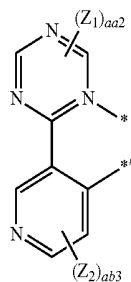
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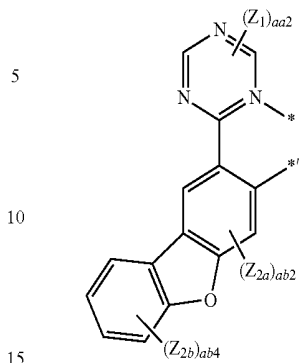
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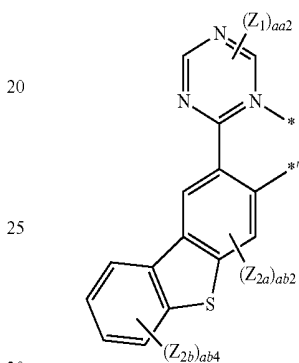
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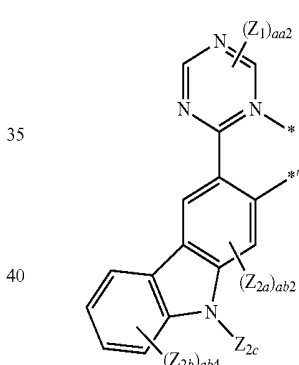
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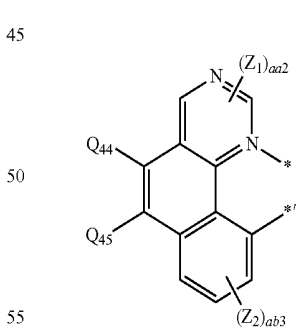
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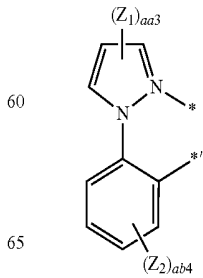
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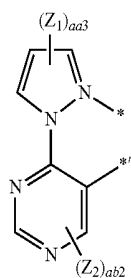
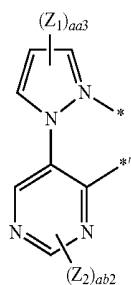
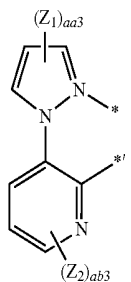
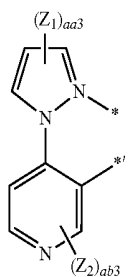
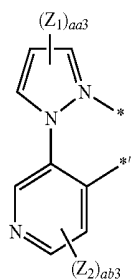
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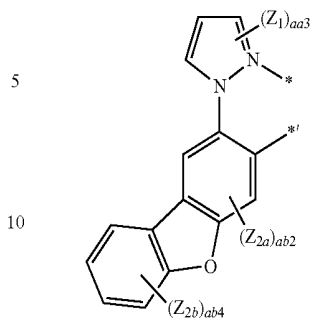
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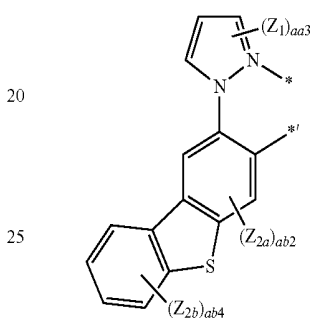
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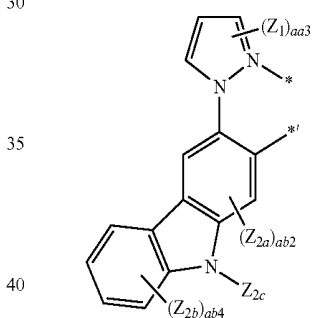
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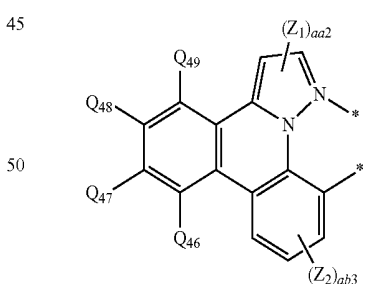
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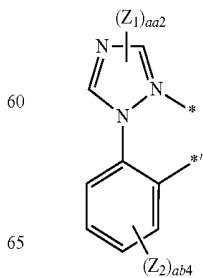
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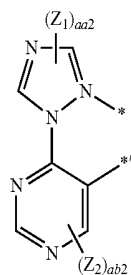
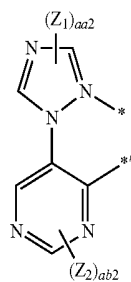
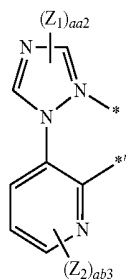
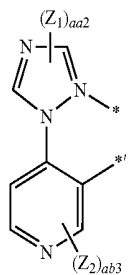
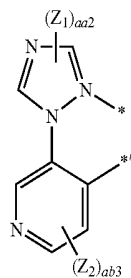
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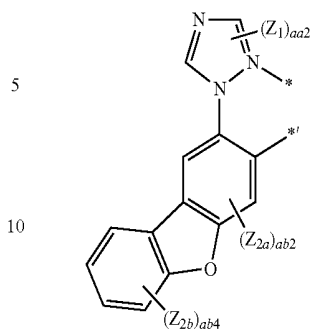
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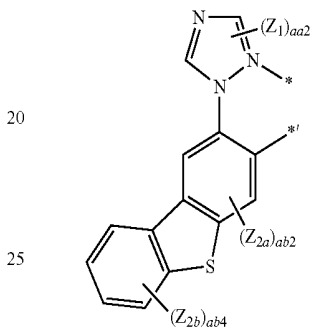
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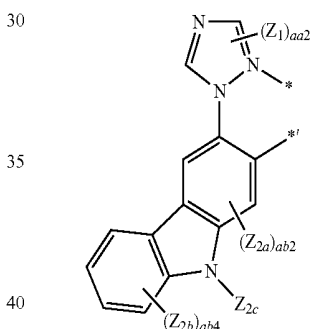
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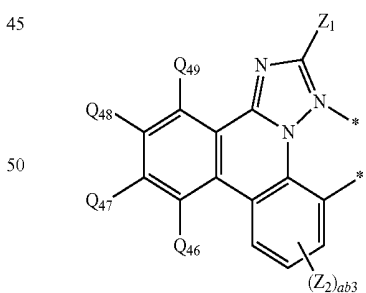
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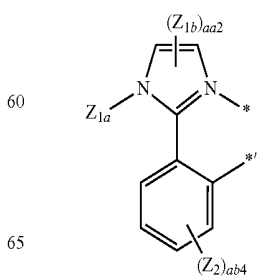
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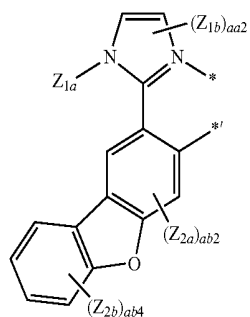
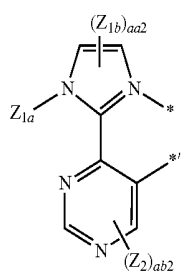
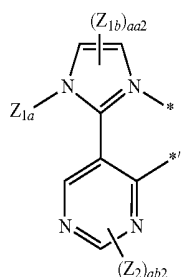
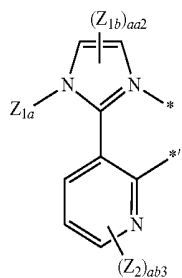
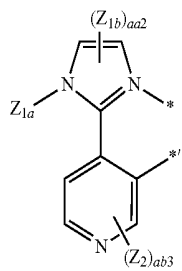
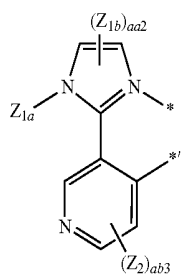
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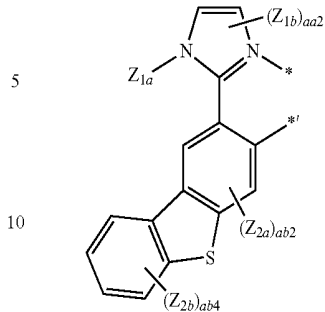
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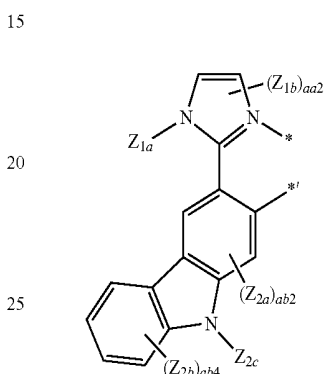
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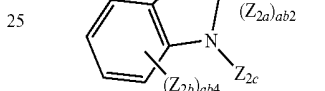
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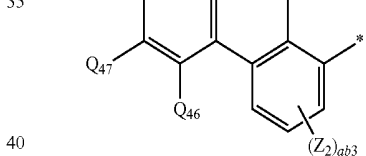
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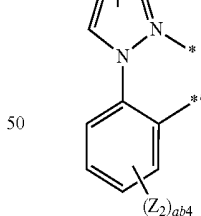
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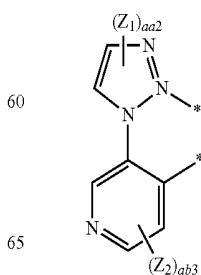
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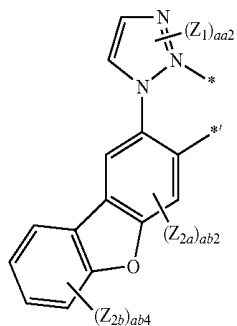
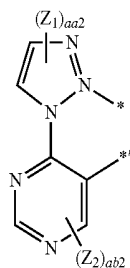
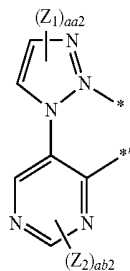
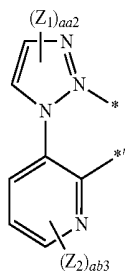
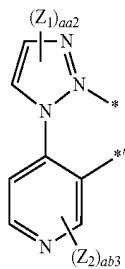
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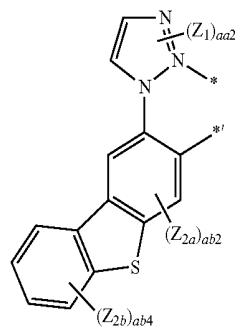
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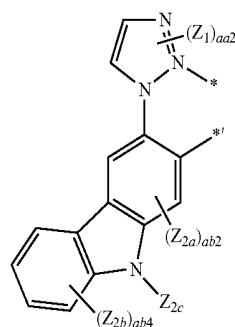
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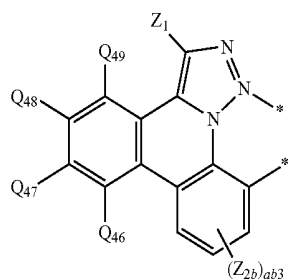


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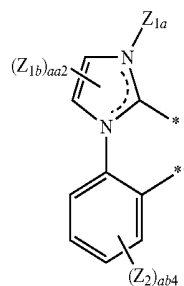
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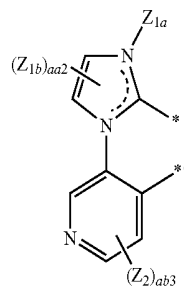


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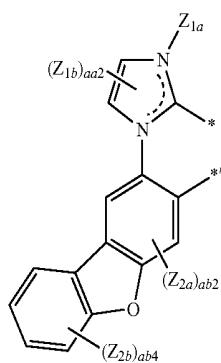
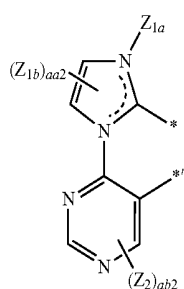
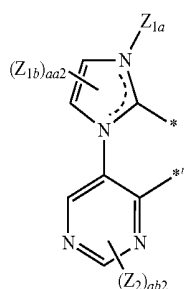
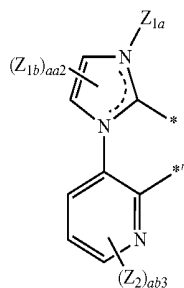
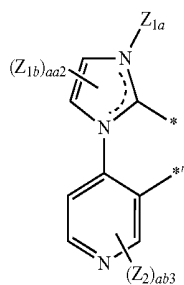
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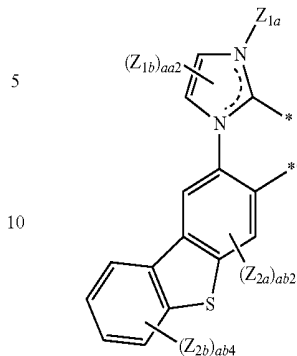
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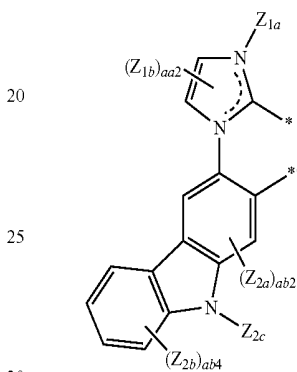
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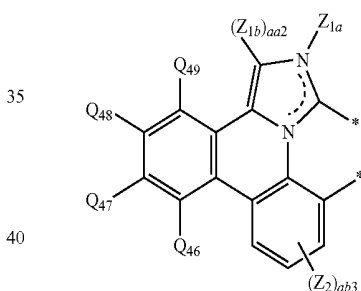
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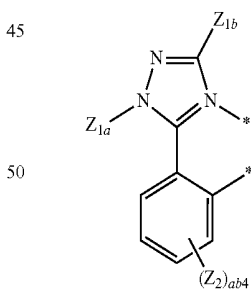
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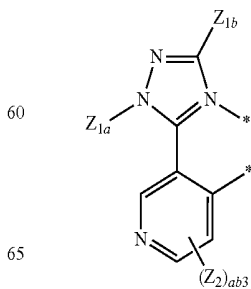
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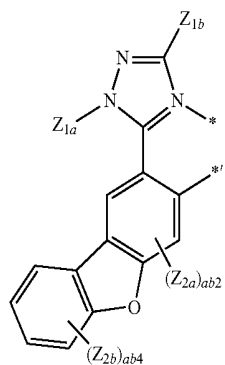
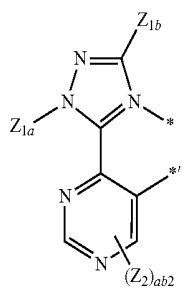
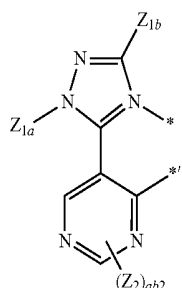
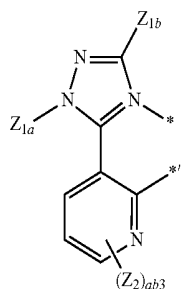
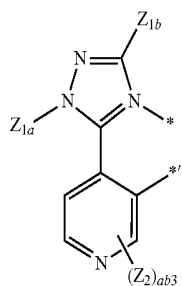
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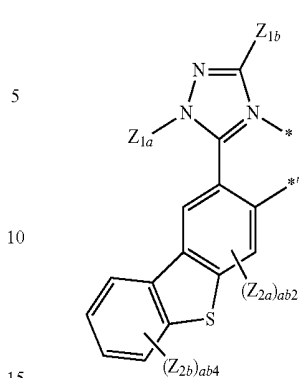
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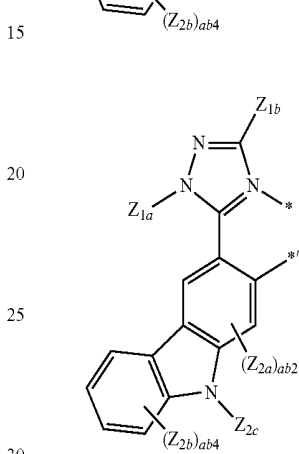
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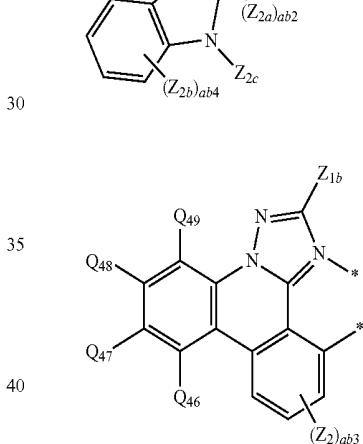
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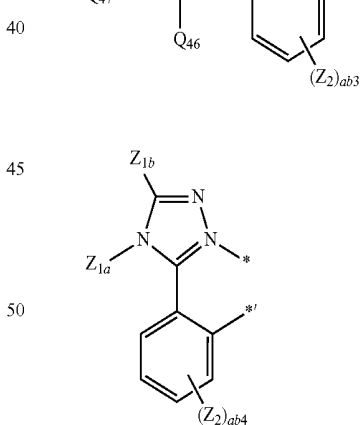
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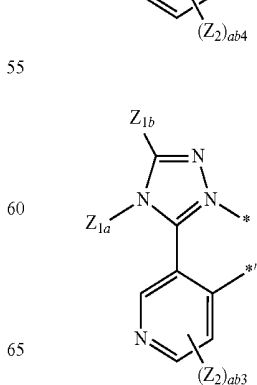
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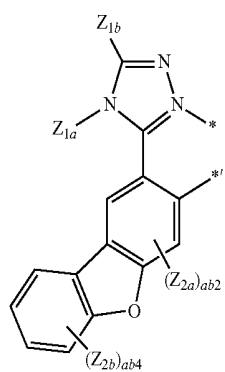
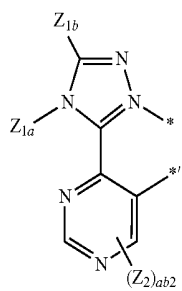
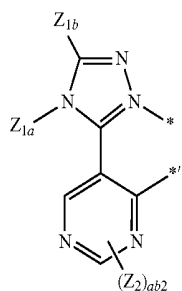
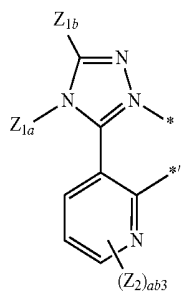
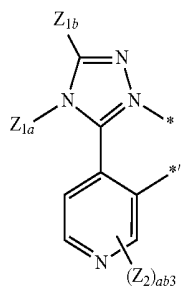
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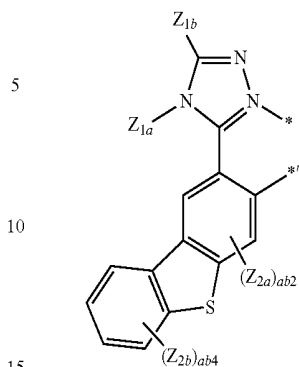
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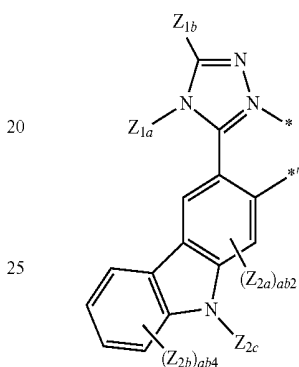
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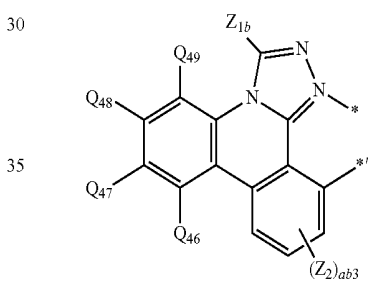
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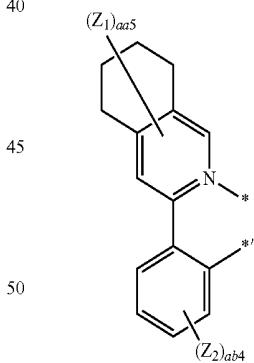
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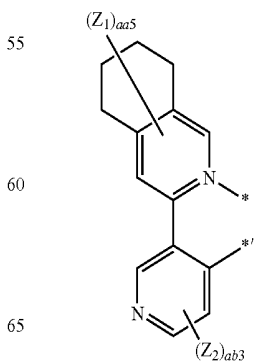
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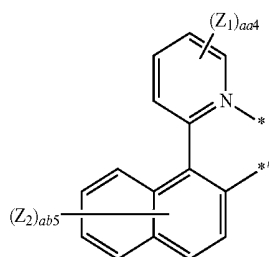
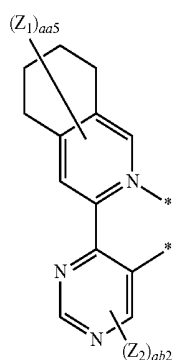
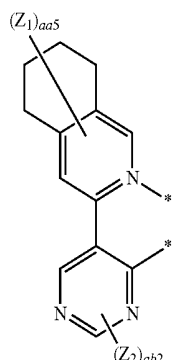
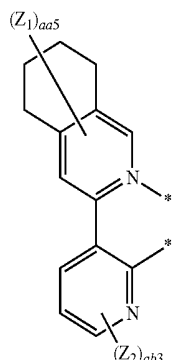
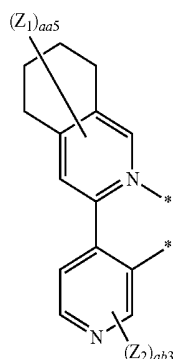
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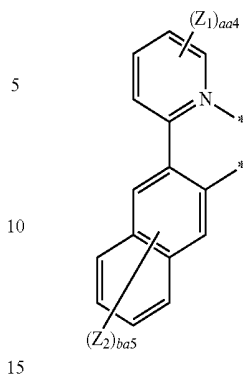
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In Formulae 3-1 to 3-118,

Z₁, Z₂, Z_{1a}, Z_{1b}, Z_{2a}, Z_{2b}, and Z_{2c} may be each independently selected from:

20 a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, —SF₅, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group;

25 a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group and a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group;

30 a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a fluorenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluoranthenyl group, a triphenylenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a chrysenyl group, a pyrrolyl group, a thiophenyl group, a furanyl group, an imidazolyl group, a pyrazolyl group, a thiazolyl group, an isothiazolyl group, an oxazolyl group, an isooxazolyl group, a pyridinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, an isoindolyl group, an indolyl group, an indazolyl group, a purinyl group, a quinolinyl group, an isoquinolinyl group, a benzoquinolinyl group, a quinoxalinyl group, a quinazolinyl group, a cinnolinyl group, a carbazolyl group, a phenanthrolinyl group, a benzoimidazolyl group, a benzofuranyl group, a benzothiophenyl group, an isobenzothiazolyl group, a benzooxazolyl group, an isobenzooxazolyl group, a triazolyl group, a tetrazolyl group, an oxadiazolyl group, a triazinyl group, a dibenzofuranyl group, a dibenzothiophenyl group, a benzocarbazolyl group, a dibenzocarbazolyl group, an imidazopyridinyl group, and an imidazopyrimidinyl group;

Formula 3-116

45 a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a fluorenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluoranthenyl group, a triphenylenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a chrysenyl group, a pyrrolyl group, a thiophenyl group, a furanyl group, an imidazolyl group, a pyrazolyl group, a thiazolyl group, an isothiazolyl group, an oxazolyl group, an isooxazolyl group, a pyridinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, an isoindolyl group, an indolyl group, an indazolyl group, a purinyl group, a quinolinyl group, an isoquinolinyl group, a benzoquinolinyl group, a quinoxalinyl group, a quinazolinyl group, a cinnolinyl group, a carbazolyl group, a phenanthrolinyl group, a benzoimidazolyl group, a benzofuranyl group, a benzothiophenyl group, an isobenzothiazolyl group, a benzooxazolyl group, an isobenzooxazolyl group, a triazolyl group, a tetrazolyl group, an oxadiazolyl group, a triazinyl group, a dibenzofuranyl group, a dibenzothiophenyl group, a benzocarbazolyl group, a dibenzocarbazolyl group, an imidazopyridinyl group, and an imidazopyrimidinyl group;

Formula 3-117

50 a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a fluorenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluoranthenyl group, a triphenylenyl group, a pyrene-

nyl group, a chrysenyl group, a pyrrolyl group, a thiophenyl group, a furanyl group, an imidazolyl group, a pyrazolyl group, a thiazolyl group, an isothiazolyl group, an oxazolyl group, an isooxazolyl group, a pyridinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, an isindolyl group, an indolyl group, an indazolyl group, a purinyl group, a quinolyl group, an isoquinolyl group, a benzoquinolyl group, a quinoxalyl group, a quinazolinyl group, a cinnolyl group, a carbazolyl group, a phenanthrolinyl group, a benzoimidazolyl group, a benzofuranyl group, a benzothienophenyl group, an isobenzothiazolyl group, a benzooxazolyl group, an isobenzooxazolyl group, a triazolyl group, a tetrazolyl group, an oxadiazolyl group, a triazinyl group, a dibenzofuranyl group, a dibenzothiophenyl group, a benzocarbazolyl group, a dibenzocarbazolyl group, an imidazopyridinyl group, and an imidazopyrimidinyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a fluorenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluoranthenyl group, a triphenylenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a chrysenyl group, a pyrrolyl group, a thiophenyl group, a furanyl group, an imidazolyl group, a pyrazolyl group, a thiazolyl group, an isothiazolyl group, an oxazolyl group, an isooxazolyl group, a pyridinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, an isindolyl group, an indolyl group, an indazolyl group, a purinyl group, a quinolyl group, an isoquinolyl group, a benzoquinolyl group, a quinoxalyl group, a quinazolinyl group, a cinnolyl group, a carbazolyl group, a phenanthrolinyl group, a benzoimidazolyl group, a benzofuranyl group, a benzothienophenyl group, an isobenzothiazolyl group, a benzooxazolyl group, an isobenzooxazolyl group, a triazolyl group, a tetrazolyl group, an oxadiazolyl group, a triazinyl group, a dibenzofuranyl group, a dibenzothiophenyl group, a benzocarbazolyl group, a dibenzocarbazolyl group, an imidazopyridinyl group, and an imidazopyrimidinyl group; and

—N(Q₁)(Q₂), —Si(Q₃)(Q₄)(Q₅), —B(Q₆)(Q₇), and —P(=O)(Q₈)(Q₉),

wherein Q₁ to Q₉ may be each independently selected from

—CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CH₂CH₃, —CH₂CD₃, —CH₂CD₂H, —CH₂CDH₂, —CHDCD₃, —CHDCD₂H, —CHDCDH₂, —CHDCD₃, —CD₂CD₃, —CD₂CD₂H, and —CD₂CDH₂;

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium and a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group;

aa2 and ab2 may be each independently 1 or 2;

aa3 and ab3 may be each independently an integer selected from 1 to 3;

aa4 and ab4 may be each independently an integer selected from 1 to 4;

aa5 may be an integer selected from 1 to 10;

ab5 may be an integer selected from 1 to 6; and

* and *' each indicates a binding site to M of Formula 1.

For example, in Formulae 3-1 to 3-118, Z₁, Z₂, Z_{1a}, Z_{1b}, Z_{2a}, Z_{2b}, and Z_{2c} may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, a cyano group, a nitro group, —SF₅, a methyl group, an ethyl group, an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, an n-hexyl group, an isohexyl group, a sec-hexyl group, a tert-hexyl group, an n-heptyl group, an isoheptyl group, a sec-heptyl group, a tert-heptyl group, an n-octyl group, an isooctyl group, a sec-octyl group, a tert-octyl group, an n-nonyl group, an isononyl group, a sec-nonyl group, a tert-nonyl group, an n-decyl group, an isodecyl group, a sec-decyl group, a tert-decyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, a pentoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group;

a methyl group, an ethyl group, an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, an n-hexyl group, an isohexyl group, a sec-hexyl group, a tert-hexyl group, an n-heptyl group, an isoheptyl group, a sec-heptyl group, a tert-heptyl group, an n-octyl group, an isooctyl group, a sec-octyl group, a tert-octyl group, an n-nonyl group, an isononyl group, a sec-nonyl group, a tert-nonyl group, an n-decyl group, an isodecyl group, a sec-decyl group, a tert-decyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, a pentoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a cyano group, a nitro group, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ alkoxy group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, a cycloheptyl group, a cyclooctyl group, an adamantanyl group, a norbornanyl group, a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, a cycloheptenyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a pyridinyl group, and a pyrimidinyl group; and

—N(Q₁)(Q₂), —Si(Q₃)(Q₄)(Q₅), —B(Q₆)(Q₇), and —P(=O)(Q₈)(Q₉),

wherein Q₁ to Q₉ may be each independently selected from:

—CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CH₂CH₃, —CH₂CD₃, —CH₂CD₂H, —CH₂CDH₂, —CHDCD₃, —CHDCD₂H, —CHDCDH₂, —CHDCD₃, —CD₂CD₃, —CD₂CD₂H, and —CD₂CDH₂;

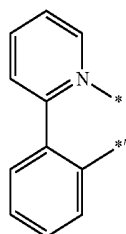
an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group,

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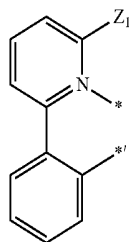
each substituted with at least one of a deuterium and a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, but they are not limited thereto.

In an exemplary embodiment, L₂ in Formula 1 may be selected from ligands represented by Formulae 3-1(1) to 3-1(70) below:



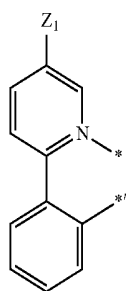
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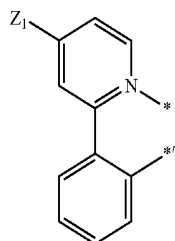
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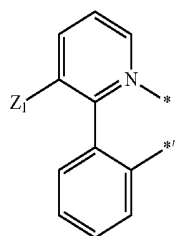
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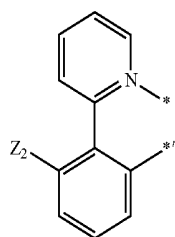
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Formula 3-1(5)

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Formula 3-1(6)

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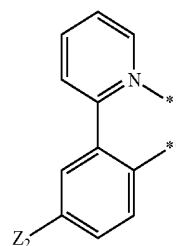
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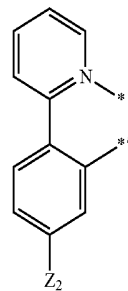
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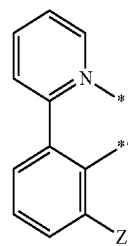
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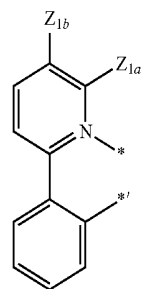
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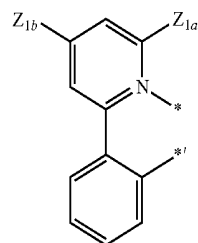
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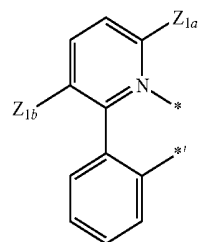
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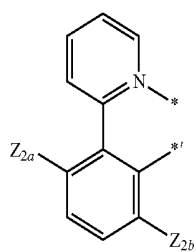
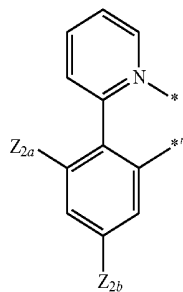
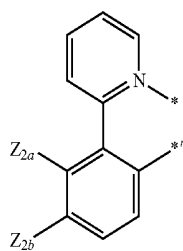
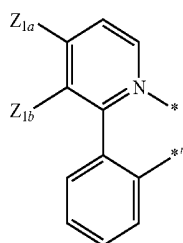
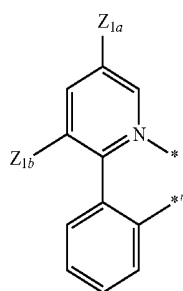
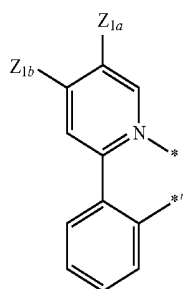
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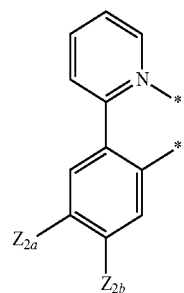
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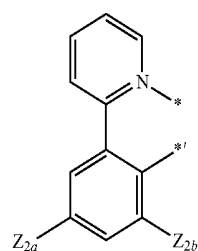
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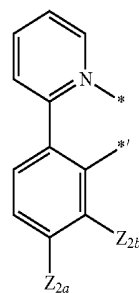
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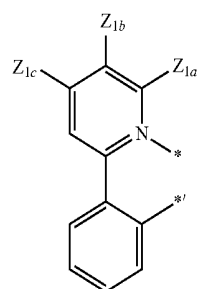


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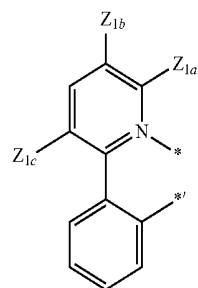
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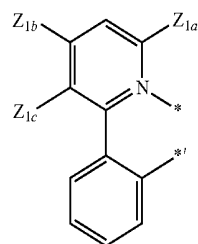
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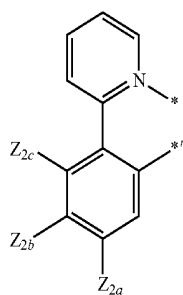
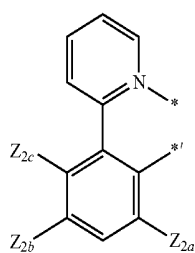
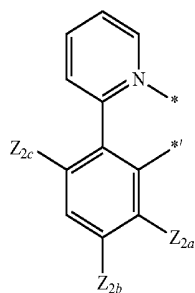
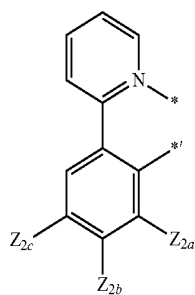
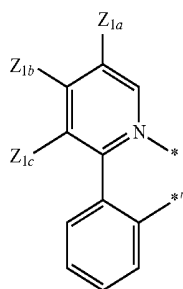
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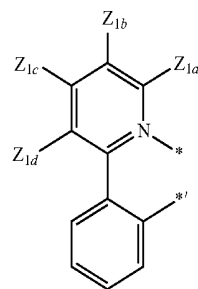


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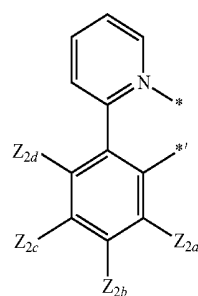
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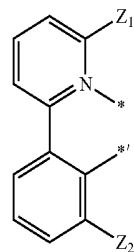


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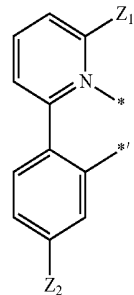
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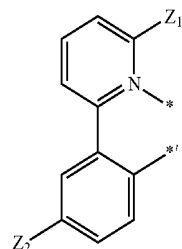
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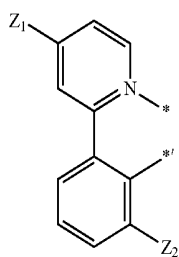
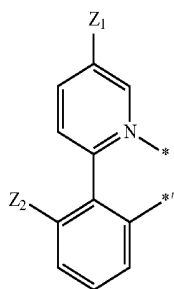
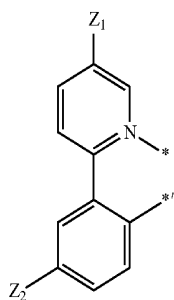
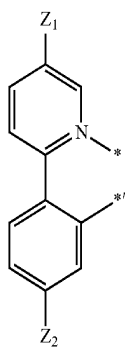
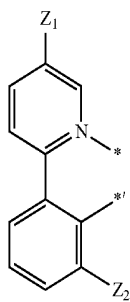
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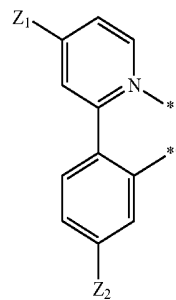


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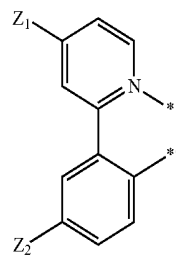
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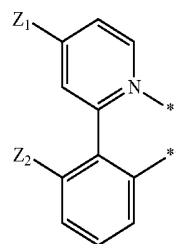


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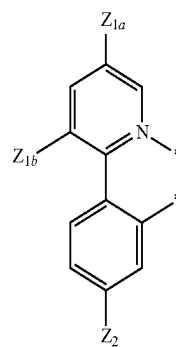


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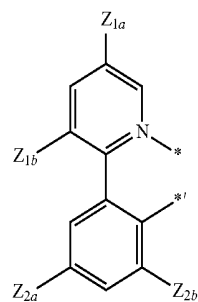


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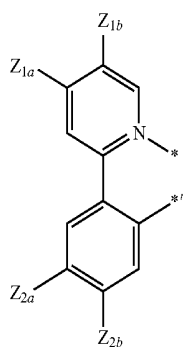
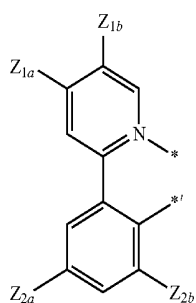
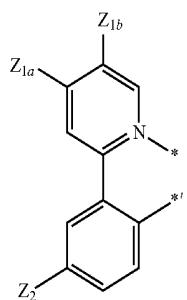
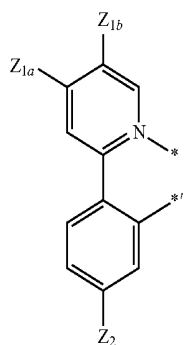
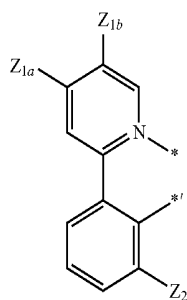
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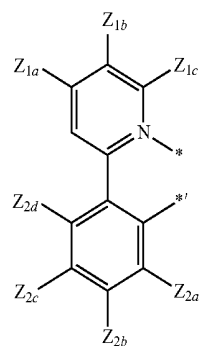


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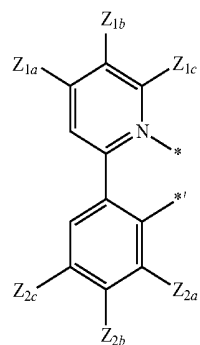
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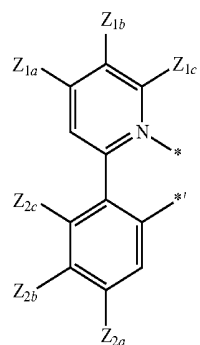


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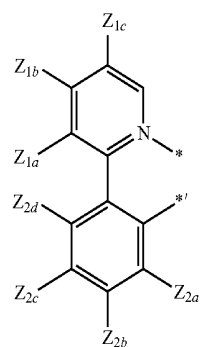


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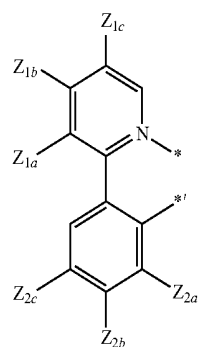
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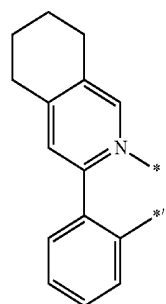
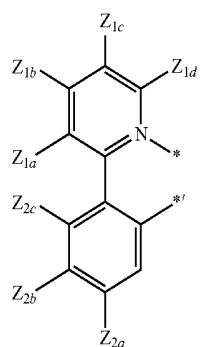
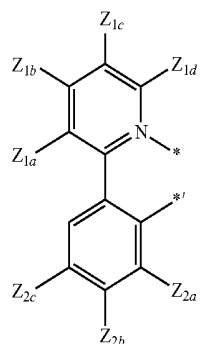
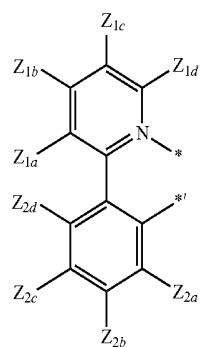
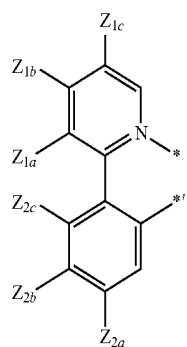
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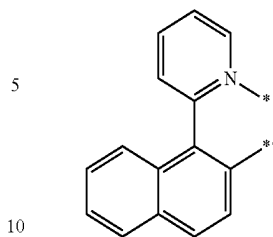
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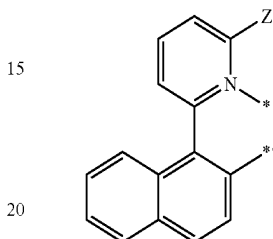
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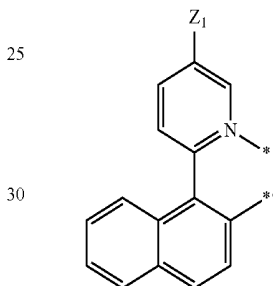
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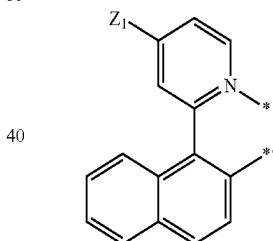
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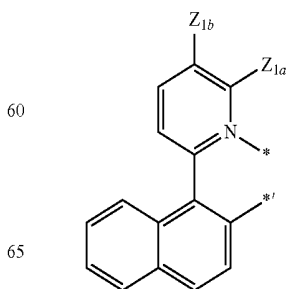
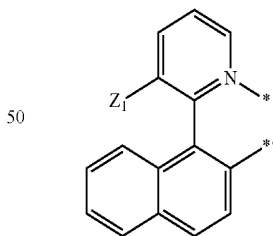
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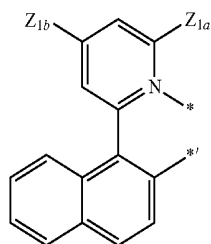
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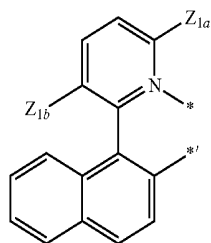
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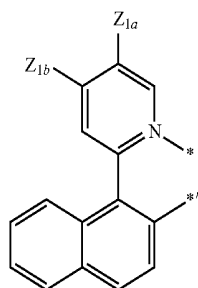
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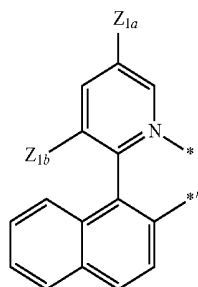
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Formula 3-1(70)

In Formulae 3-1(1) to 3-1(70),

Z_1 , Z_2 , Z_{1a} , Z_{1b} , Z_{1c} , Z_{1d} , Z_{2a} , Z_{2b} , Z_{2c} , and Z_{2d} may be each independently selected from a deuterium, —F, a cyano group, a nitro group, —SF₅, —CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, —Si(Q₃)(Q₄)(Q₅), the groups of Formulae 9-1 to 9-17 above, and the groups of Formulae 10-1 to 10-30 above,

wherein Q₃ to Q₅ may be each independently selected from

—CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CH₂CH₃, —CH₂CD₃, —CH₂CD₂H, —CH₂CDH₂, —CHDCH₃, —CHDCH₂H, —CHDCHD₂, —CHDCHD₃, —CD₂CD₃, —CD₂CD₂H, and —CD₂CDH₂;

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium and a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group.

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In some exemplary embodiments, L₂ in Formula 1 may be selected from ligands represented by Formulae 3-1(a) and 3-117(a) below:

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Formula 3-1(a)

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Formula 3-117(a)

In Formulae 3-1(a) and 3-117(a), Z_1 , Z_2 , aa3, ab4, ab5, and Q₃ to Q₅ are defined the same as above.

For example, in Formulae 3-1(a) and 3-117(a),

Z_1 and Z_2 may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, a cyano group, a nitro group, —SF₅, —CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, —Si(Q₃)(Q₄)(Q₅), the groups of Formulae 9-1 to 9-17 above, and the groups of Formulae 10-1 to 10-30 above,

wherein Q₃ to Q₅ may be each independently selected from

—CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CH₂CH₃, —CH₂CD₃, —CH₂CD₂H, —CH₂CDH₂, —CHDCH₃, —CHDCH₂H, —CHDCHD₂, —CHDCHD₃, —CD₂CD₃, —CD₂CD₂H, and —CD₂CDH₂;

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium and a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group.

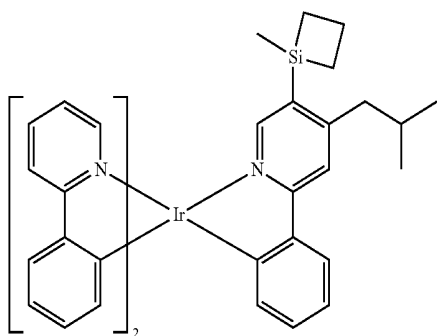
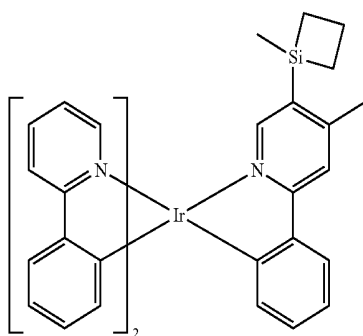
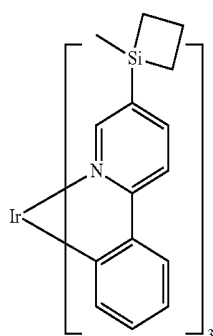
In an exemplary embodiment, in Formula 1, M may be Ir and a sum of n₁ and n₂ (n₁+n₂) may be 3; or M may be Pt and a sum of n₁ and n₂ (n₁+n₂) may be 2. Here the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be neutral (i.e., may not include an ionic group), and L₁ in Formula 1 may be selected from the ligands of Formulae 2A-1 to 2A-45 above, but is not limited thereto.

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In some exemplary embodiments, in Formula 1, M may be Ir and a sum of n_1 and n_2 (n_1+n_2) may be 3; or M may be Pt and a sum of n_1 and n_2 (n_1+n_2) may be 2. Here the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be neutral (i.e., may not include an ionic group), L_1 in Formula 1 may be selected from the ligands of Formulae 2A-1 to 2A-45 above, and L_2 in Formula 1 may be selected from the ligands of Formulae 3-1 to 3-118 above (e.g., the ligands of Formulae 3-1(1) to 3-1(70) above), but they are not limited thereto.

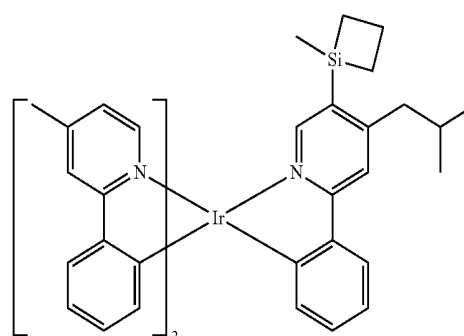
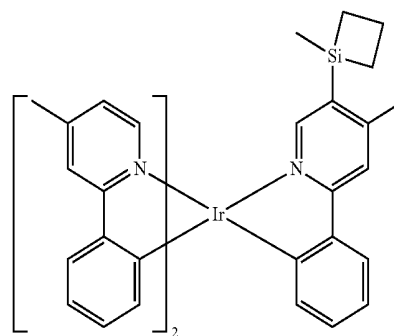
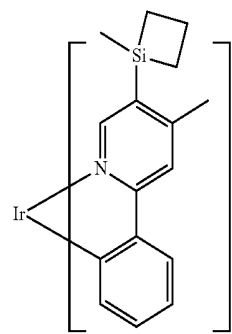
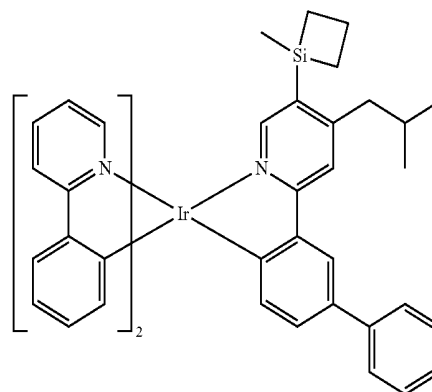
In some other exemplary embodiments, M in Formula 1 may be Ir and a sum of n_1 and n_2 (n_1+n_2) may be 3; or M may be Pt and a sum of n_1 and n_2 (n_1+n_2) may be 2. Here the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be neutral (i.e., may not include an ionic group), L_1 in Formula 1 may be selected from the ligands of Formulae 2A-1 to 2A-45 above, and L_2 in Formula 1 may be selected from the ligands of Formulae 3-1(a) and 3-117(a), but they are not limited thereto.

For example, the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be one of Compounds 1 to 73 below, but is not limited thereto:



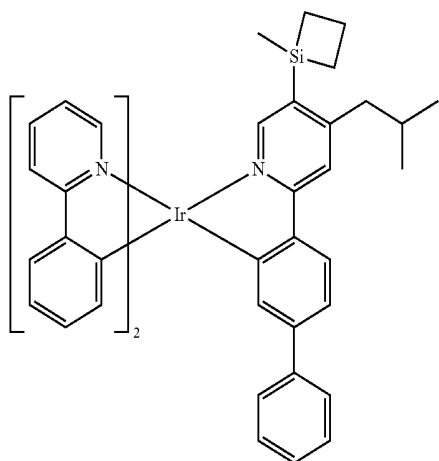
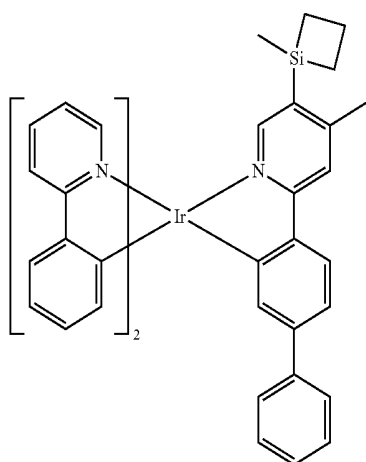
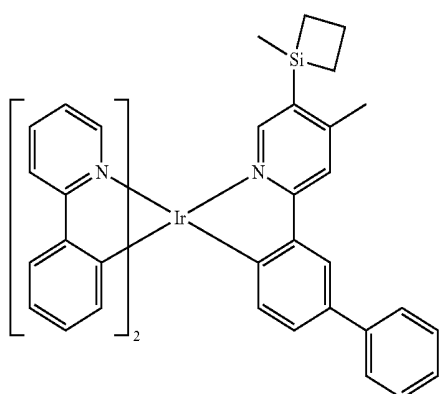
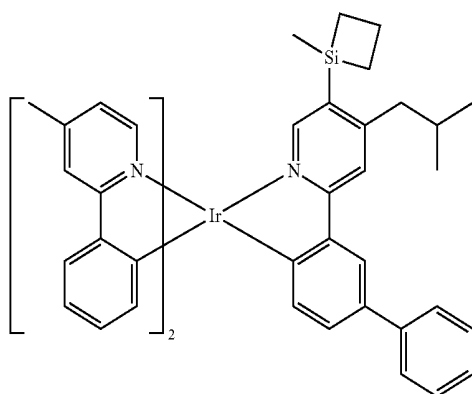
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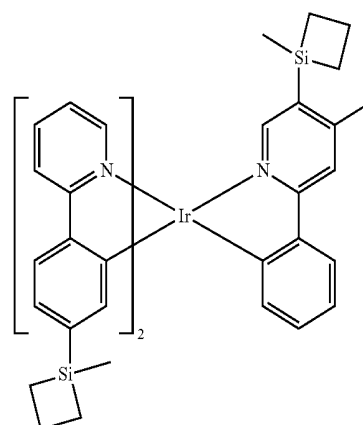
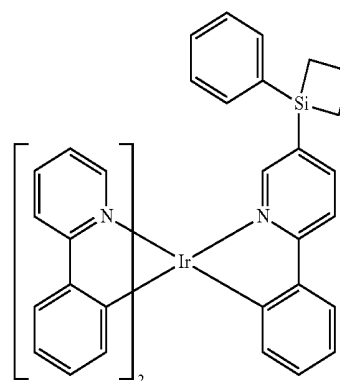
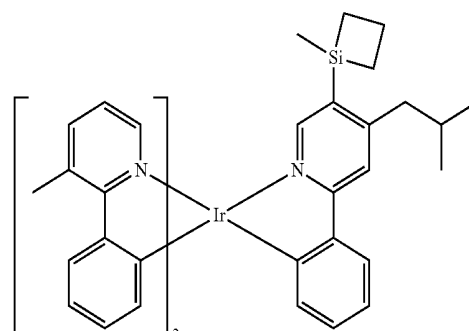
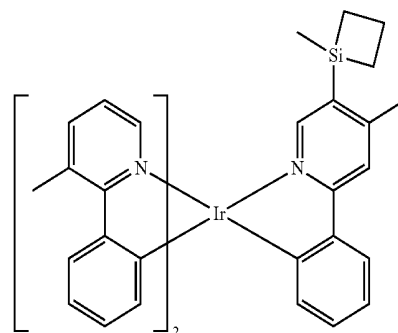


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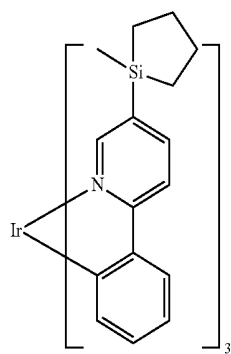
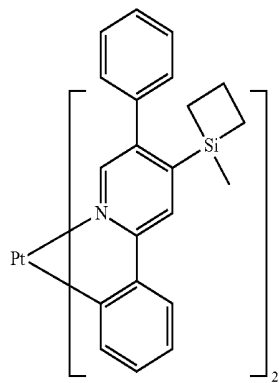
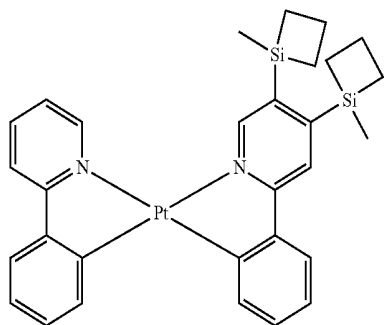
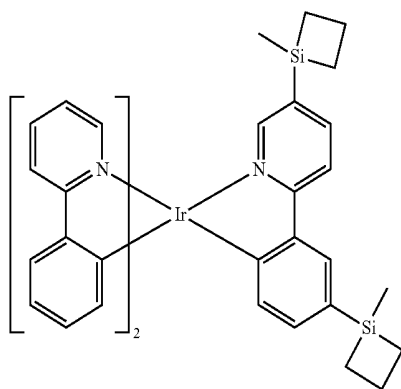
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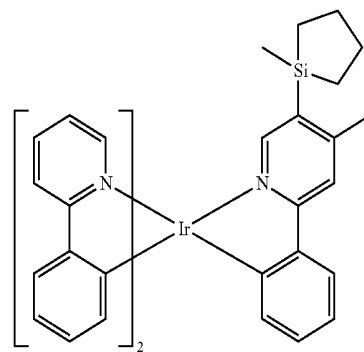
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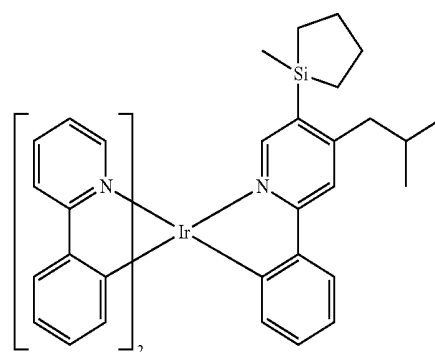
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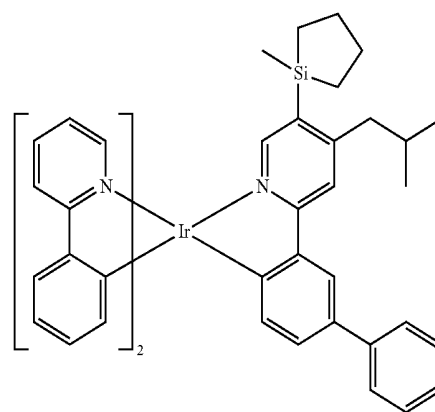
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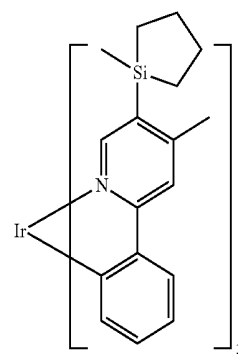
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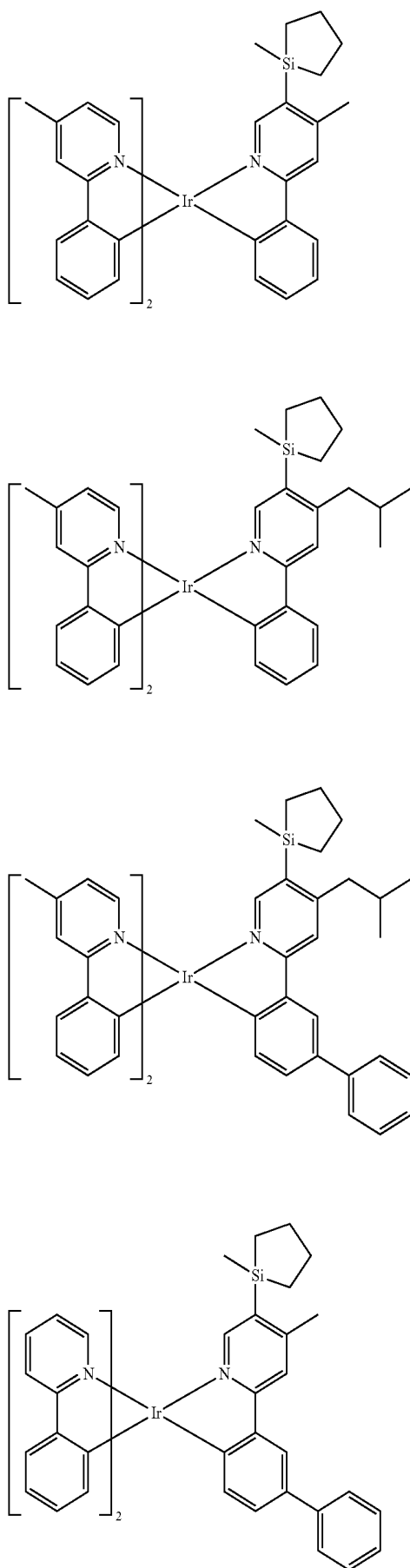
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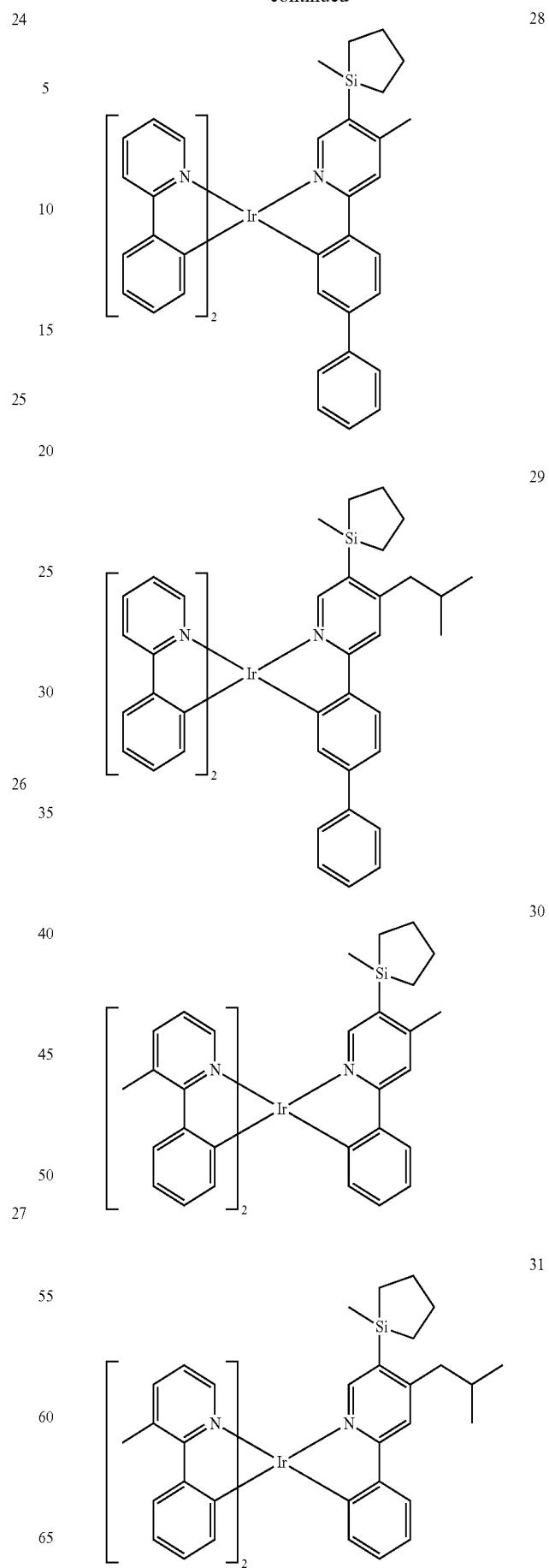
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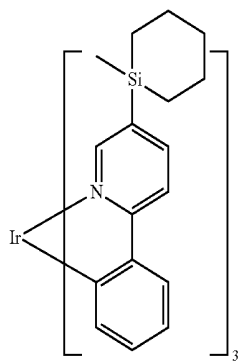
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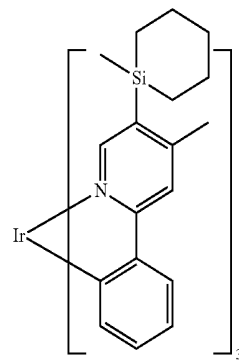
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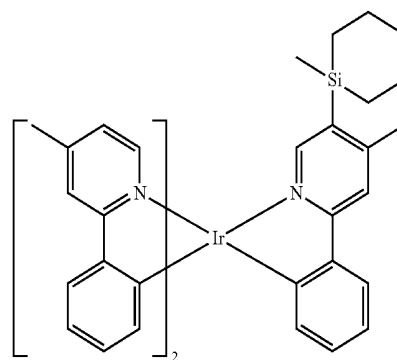
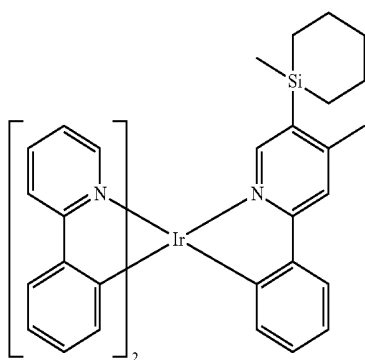
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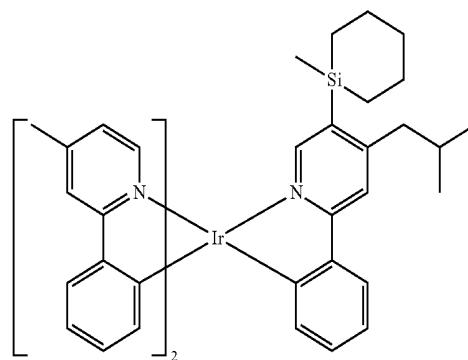
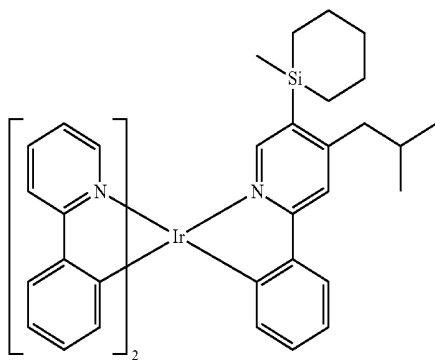


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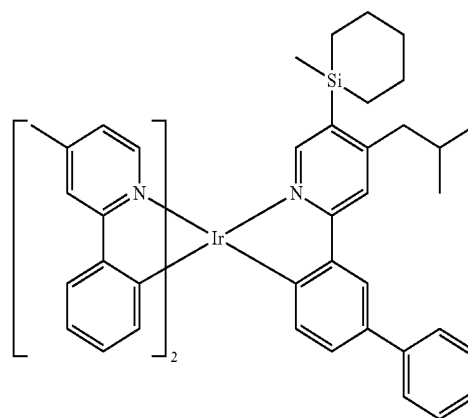
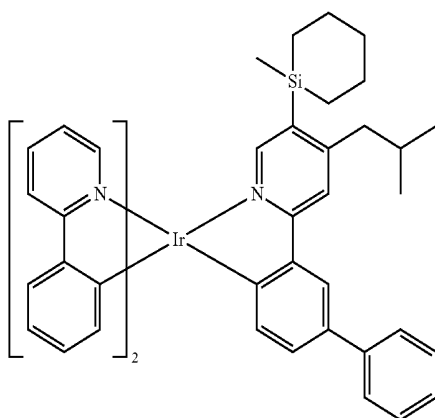
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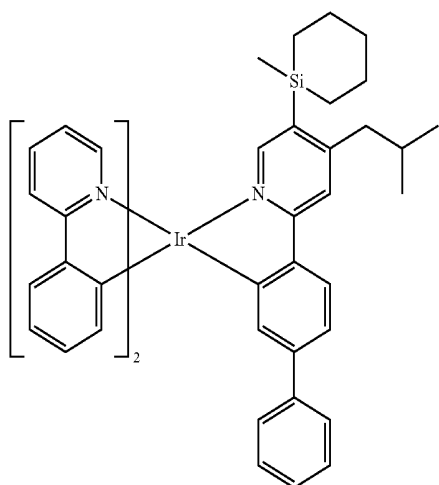
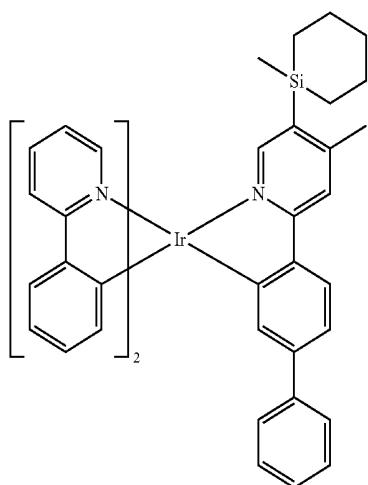
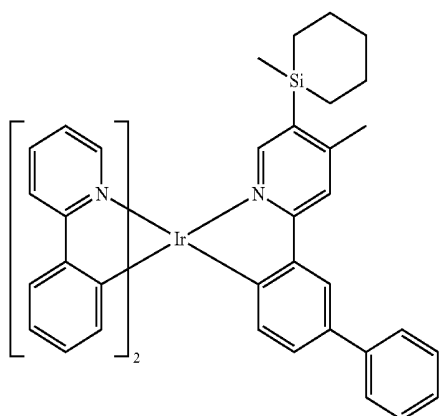
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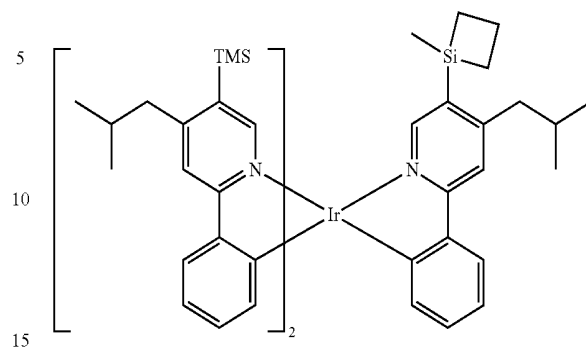
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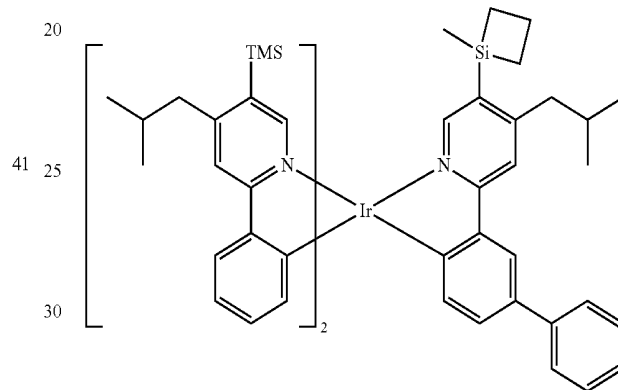
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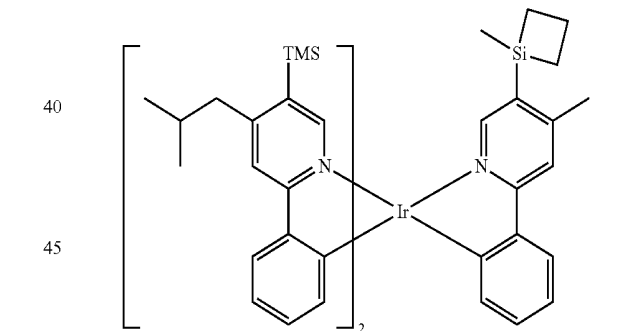


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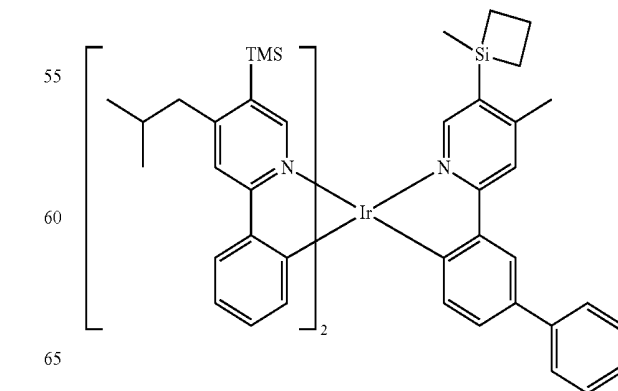
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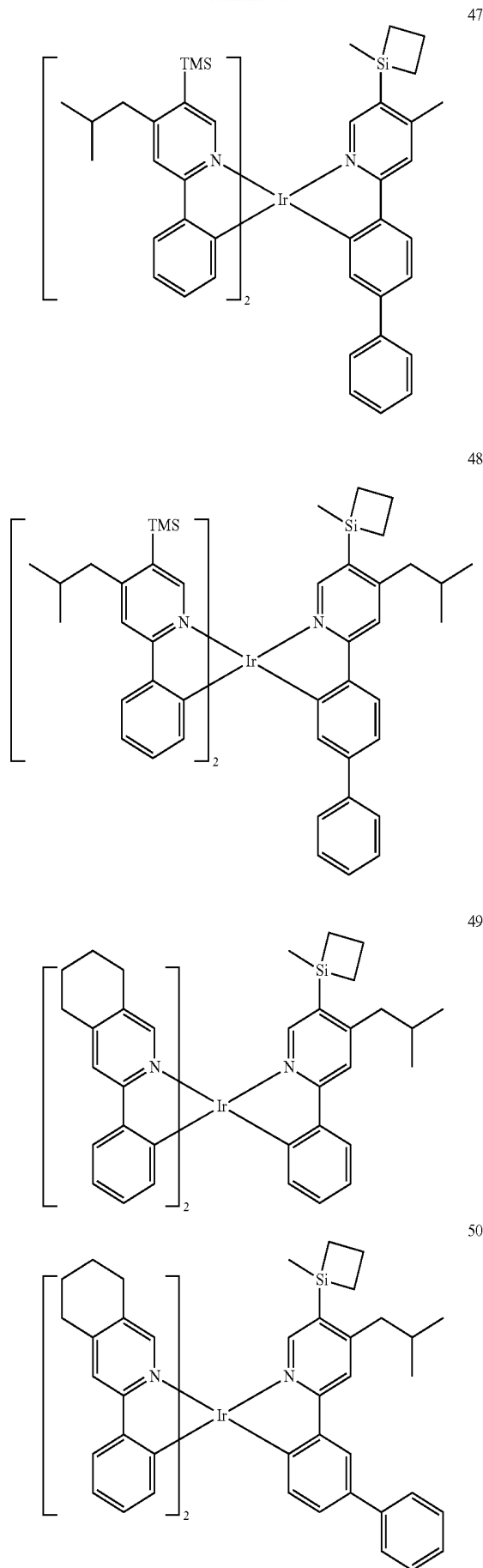
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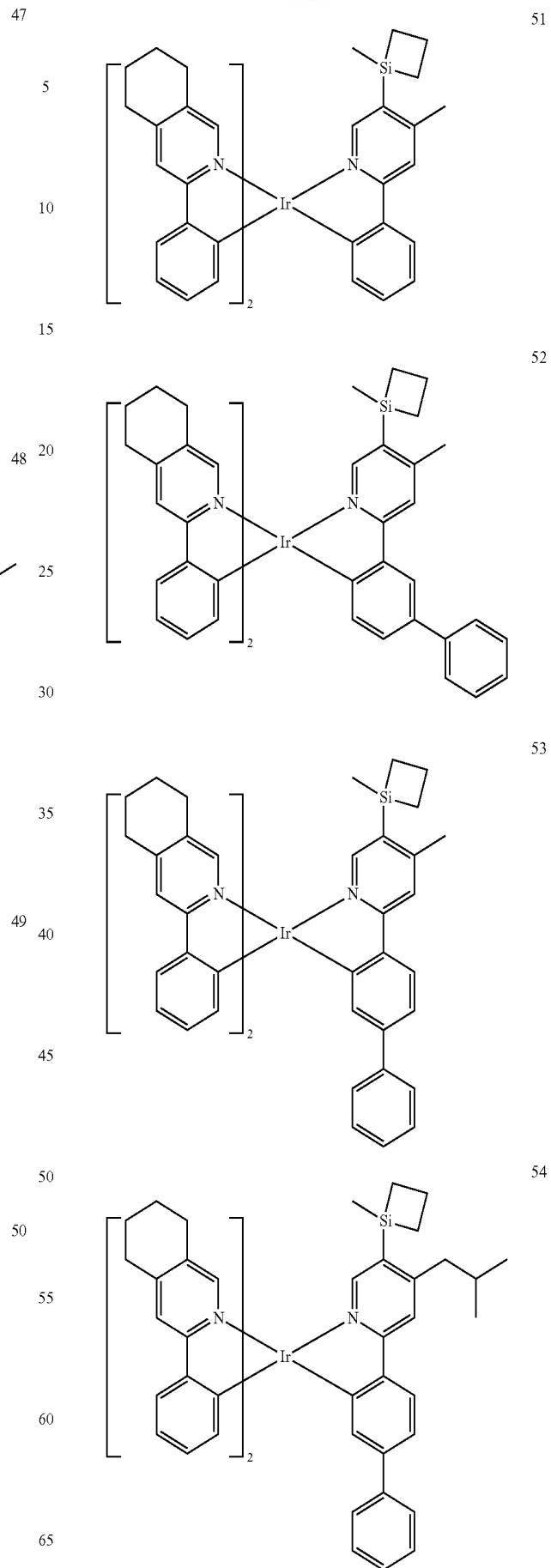


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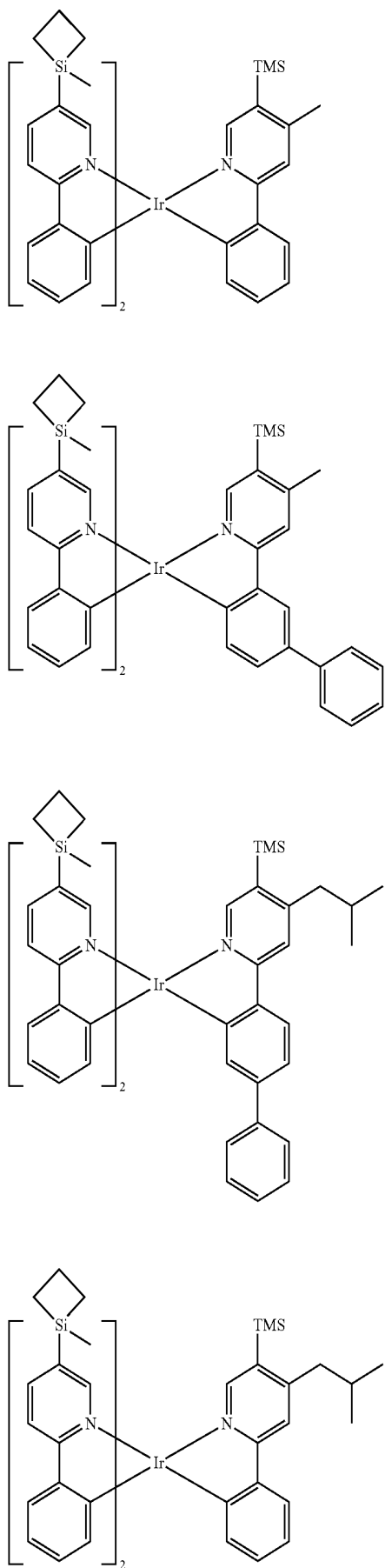
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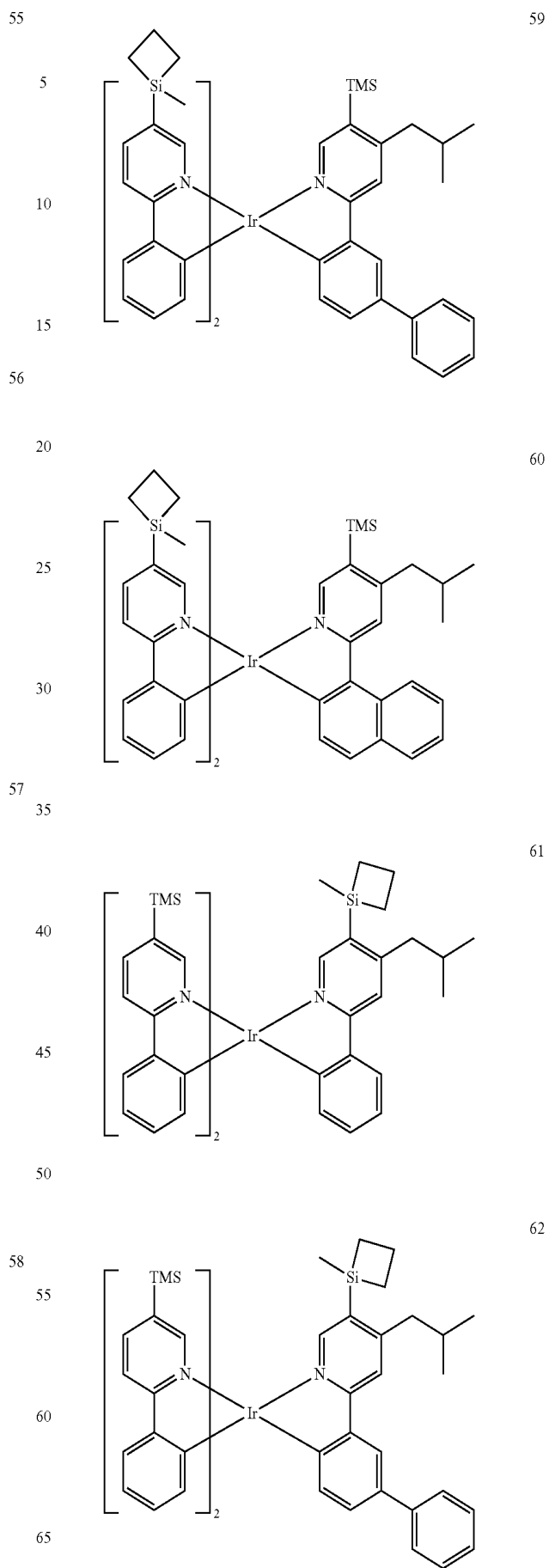


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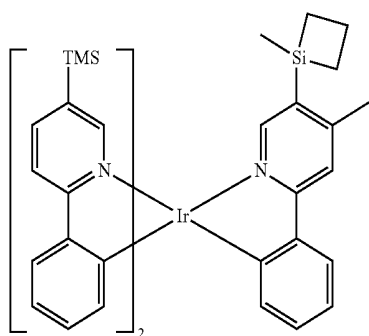
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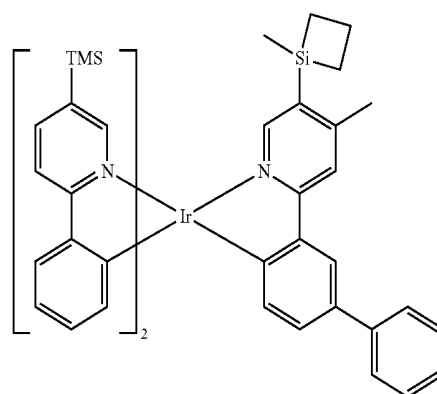
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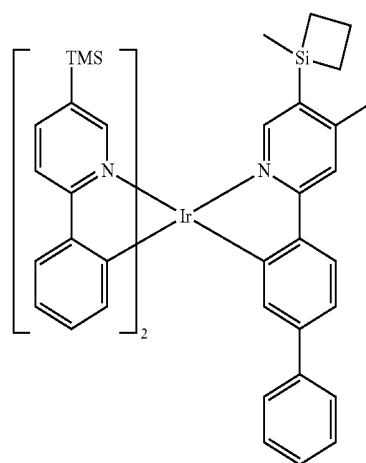
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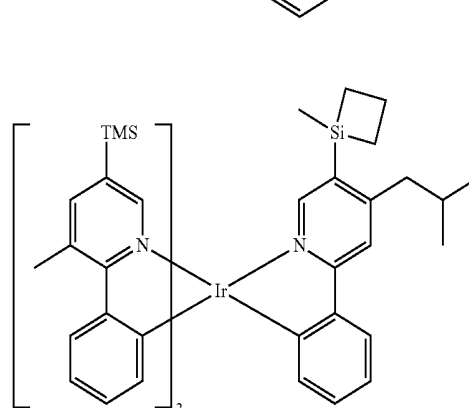
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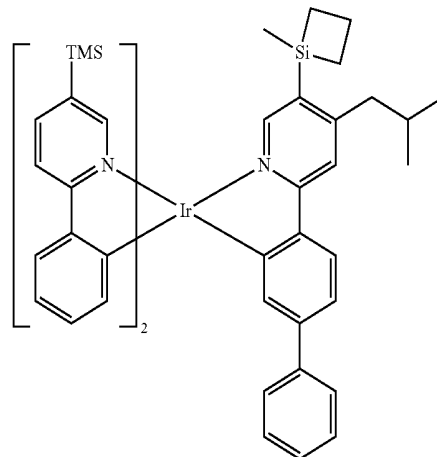
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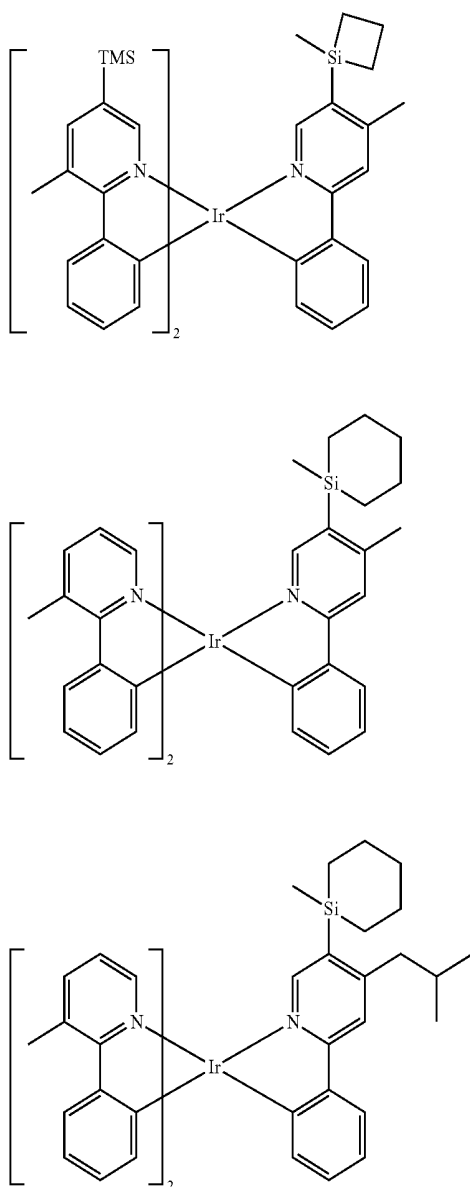
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In the organometallic compound of Formula 1, L_1 may be the ligand of Formula 2A, R_{13} and R_{14} in Formula 2A may be each independently the group of Formula 2B, and a sum of b_3 and b_4 (b_3+b_4) may be 1 or more. Thus, the ligand of Formula 2A essentially includes, as a substituent, at least group of Formula 2B. Accordingly, the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may have relatively low highest occupied molecular orbital (HOMO) and the lowest unoccupied molecular orbital (LUMO) energy levels (i.e., HOMO and LUMO energy levels having relatively high absolute values). Thus, an organic light-emitting device including the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may have long lifespan characteristics.

For example, HOMO, LUMO, and triplet (T_1) energy levels in regard to Compound 2 and Compound A are evaluated according to the density functional theory (DFT) using Gaussian software (geometry optimized with B3LYP, 6-31G(d,p)), and the results are shown in Table 1 below.

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TABLE 1

Compound No.	HOMO energy level (eV)	LUMO energy level (eV)	T_1 energy level (eV)
Compound 2	-4.827	-1.254	2.576
Compound A	-4.777	-1.141	2.621

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Compound 2

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Compound A

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Referring to Table 1, it is confirmed that the organometallic compound of Formula 1 has HOMO and LUMO energy levels that are lower than those of Compound A.

The method of synthesizing the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be understood by one of ordinary skill in the art by referring to Synthesis Examples described below.

Thus, the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be suitable as a dopant in the organic layer, e.g., the emission layer of the organic layer, of the organic light-emitting device. In an exemplary embodiment, there is provided an organic light-emitting device including:

a first electrode;

a second electrode; and

an organic layer disposed between the first electrode and the second electrode,

wherein the organic layer includes an emission layer and at least one of the organometallic compounds of Formula 1.

When an organic light-emitting device includes an organic layer including the organometallic compound of Formula 1, the organic light-emitting device may have low driving voltage, high efficiency, high electricity, high quantum efficiency, long lifespan, and excellent color purity.

The organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be used between a pair of electrodes of the organic light-emitting device. For example, the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be included in the emission layer. Here, the organometallic compound may serve as a dopant, and the emission layer may further include a host (i.e., an amount of the organometallic compound of Formula 1 may be smaller than an amount of the host).

The expression “(an organic layer) includes at least one of the organometallic compounds” as used herein may be applicable when “(an organic layer) includes one organometallic compound of Formula 1 or two or more different organometallic compound of Formula 1”.

For example, the organic layer may include, as the organometallic compound, only Compound 2. In this regard, Compound 2 may be included in the emission layer of the organic light-emitting device. Alternatively, the organic layer may include, as the organometallic compound, Compound 2 and Compound 3. In this regard, Compound 2 and Compound 3 may be included in an identical layer (e.g., both Compound 2 and Compound 3 all may be included in the emission layer).

The first electrode may be an anode, which is a hole injection electrode, and the second electrode may be a cathode, which is an electron injection electrode. Alternatively, the first electrode may be a cathode, which is an electron injection electrode, and the second electrode may be an anode, which is a hole injection electrode.

For example, the first electrode may be an anode, the second electrode may be a cathode, and the organic layer may include:

i) a hole transport region that is formed between the first electrode and the emission layer, wherein the hole transport electron includes at least one of a hole injection layer, a hole transport layer, and an electron blocking layer; and

ii) an electron transport region that is formed between the emission layer and the second electrode, wherein the electron transport region includes at least one of a hole blocking layer, an electron transport layer, and an electron injection layer.

The term “organic layer” as used herein refers to a single layer and/or a plurality of layers disposed between the first electrode and the second electrode of the organic light-emitting device. The “organic layer” may include not only an organic compound, but also an organic metal complex including metal.

The FIGURE illustrates a schematic cross-sectional view of an organic light-emitting device **10** according to an exemplary embodiment. Hereinafter, a structure of an organic light-emitting device according to an exemplary embodiment and a method of manufacturing an organic light-emitting device according to an exemplary embodiment will be described in connection with the FIGURE. The organic light-emitting device **10** has a structure of a first electrode **11**, an organic layer **15**, and a second electrode **19** that are sequentially stacked in the stated order.

A substrate may be additionally disposed under the first electrode **11** or above the second electrode **19**. For use as the substrate, any substrate that is used in general organic light-emitting devices may be used, and the substrate may be a glass substrate or a transparent plastic substrate, each with excellent mechanical strength, thermal stability, transparency, surface smoothness, ease of handling, and water repellency.

The first electrode **11** may be formed by, for example, depositing or sputtering a material for forming the first electrode **11** on the substrate. When the first electrode **11** is an anode, the material for forming the first electrode **11** may be selected from materials with a high work function to facilitate hole injection. The first electrode **11** may be a reflective electrode, a semi-transmissive electrode, or a transmissive electrode. The material for forming the first electrode **11** may be an indium tin oxide (ITO), indium zinc oxide (IZO), tin oxide (SnO₂), or zinc oxide (ZnO), each with transparency and excellent conductivity. Alternatively,

the material for forming the first electrode **11** may be a metal, such as magnesium (Mg), aluminum (Al), aluminum-lithium (Al—Li), calcium (Ca), magnesium-indium (Mg—In), and magnesium-silver (Mg—Ag).

The first electrode **11** may have a single-layer structure or a multi-layer structure including a plurality of layers. For example, the first electrode **11** may have a triple-layered structure of ITO/Ag/ITO, but the structure of the first electrode **11** is not limited thereto.

An organic layer **15** may be disposed on top of the first electrode **11**.

The organic layer **15** may include the hole transport region; the emission layer; and the electron transport region.

The hole transport region may be disposed between the first electrode **11** and the emission layer.

The hole transport region may include at least one of a hole injection layer, a hole transport layer, an electron blocking layer, and a buffer layer.

The hole transport region may include only a hole injection layer or only a hole transport layer. Alternatively, the hole transport region may include a structure of hole injection layer/hole transport layer or a structure of hole injection layer/hole transport layer/electron blocking layer, each of which layers are sequentially stacked in the stated order from the first electrode **11**.

When the hole transport region includes a hole injection layer (HIL), the hole injection layer may be formed on the first electrode **11** by using various methods, such as vacuum deposition, spin coating, casting, and Langmuir-Blodgett (LB) deposition method.

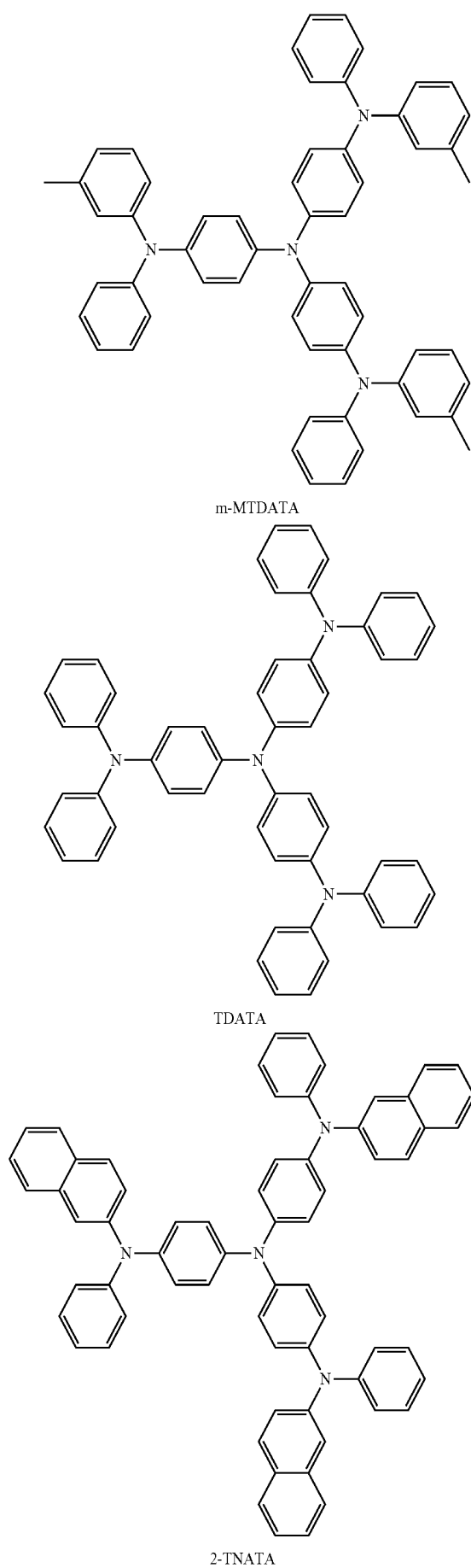
When the HIL is formed by vacuum deposition, deposition conditions may vary according to a compound used to form the HIL, a structure of the HIL, and thermal characteristics. For example, the deposition conditions may include a deposition temperature in a range of about 100° C. to about 500° C., a vacuum pressure in a range of about 10⁻⁸ torr to about 10⁻³ torr, and a deposition rate in a range of about 0.01 Angstroms per second (Å/sec) about 100 Å/sec, but they are not limited thereto.

When the HIL is formed by spin coating, coating conditions may vary according to a compound used to form the HIL, a structure of the HIL, and thermal characteristics. For example, the coating conditions include a coating speed in a range of about 2,000 revolutions per minute (rpm) to about 5,000 rpm, and a temperature solvent at which a heat treatment is performed to remove a solvent may be in a range of about 80° C. to about 200° C., but they are not limited thereto.

Conditions for forming the hole transport layer and the electron blocking layer may be referred to those for forming the HIL.

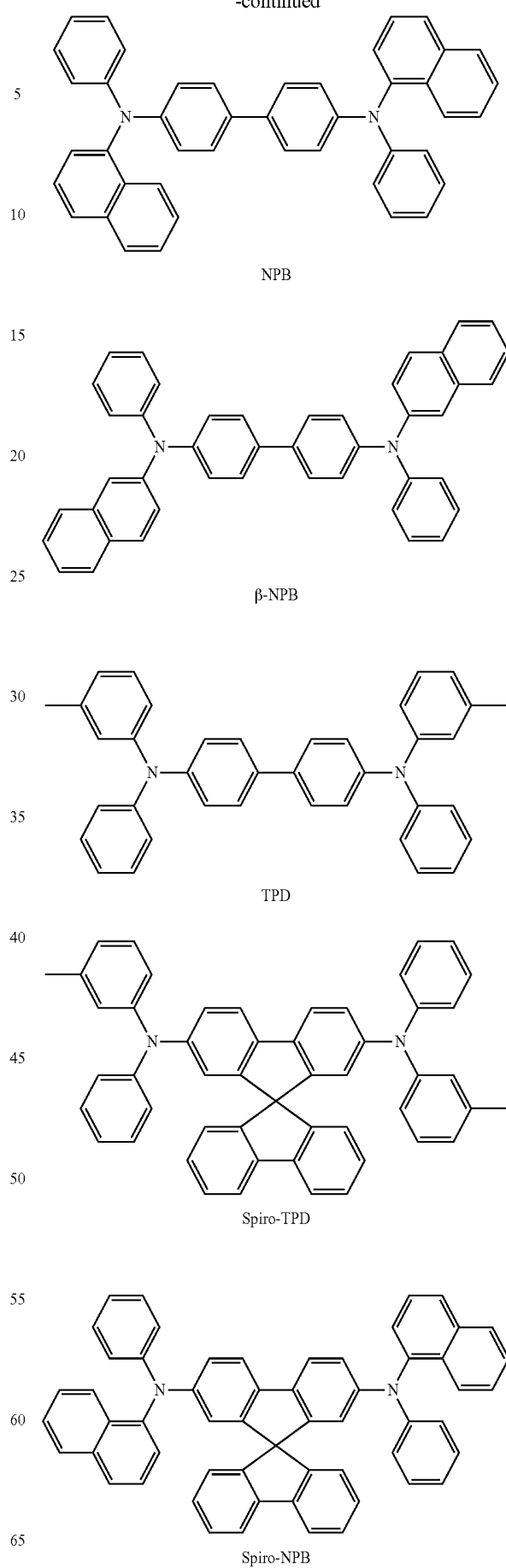
The hole transport region may include at least one selected from, e.g., m-MTDATA, TDATA, 2-TNATA, NPB, β-NPB, TPD, Spiro-TPD, Spiro-NPB, methylated-NPB, TAPC, HMTPD, 4,4',4"-tris(N-carbazolyl)triphenylamine (TCTA), polyaniline/dodecylbenzenesulfonic acid (Pani/DBSA), poly(3,4-ethylenedioxythiophene)/poly(4-styrenesulfonate) (PEDOT/PSS), polyaniline/camphor sulfonic acid (Pani/CSA), polyaniline/poly(4-styrenesulfonate) (PANI/PSS), a compound represented by Formula 201 below, and a compound represented by Formula 202 below:

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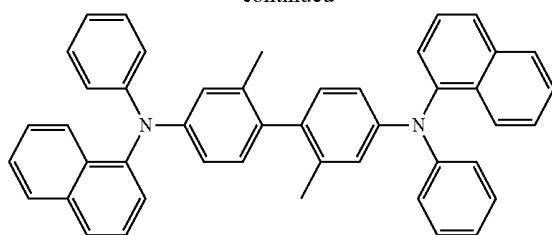
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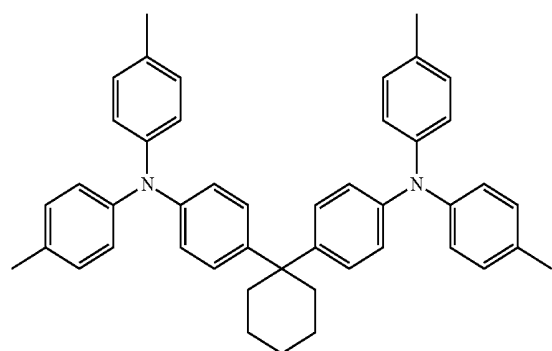


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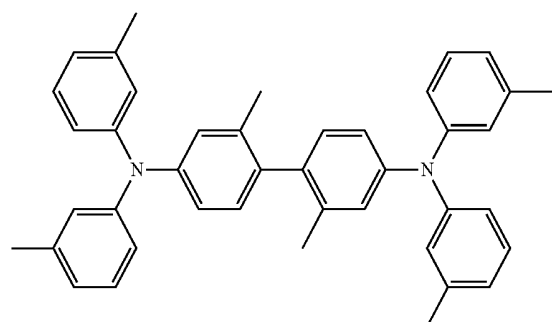
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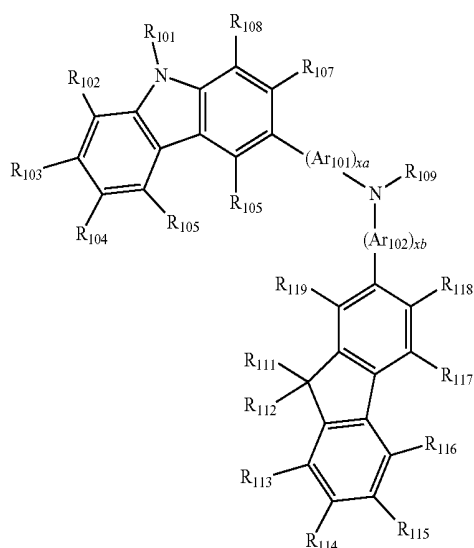


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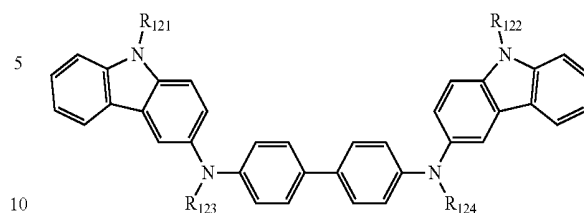
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Formula 202



In Formula 201, Ar₁₀₁ and Ar₁₀₂ may be each independently selected from:

a phenylene group, a pentalenylene group, an indenylene group, a naphthylene group, an azulenylenylene group, a heptalenylene group, an acenaphthylenylene group, a fluorenylenylene group, a phenalenylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, an anthracenylene group, a fluoranthrenylene group, a triphenylenylene group, a pyrenylene group, a chrysenylenylene group, a naphthacenylene group, a picenylene group, a perylenylene group, and a pentacenylene group; and

a phenylene group, a pentalenylene group, an indenylene group, a naphthylene group, an azulenylenylene group, a heptalenylene group, an acenaphthylenylene group, a fluorenylenylene group, a phenalenylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, an anthracenylene group, a fluoranthrenylene group, a triphenylenylene group, a pyrenylene group, a chrysenylenylene group, a naphthacenylene group, a picenylene group, a perylenylene group, and a pentacenylene group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₆₀ alkyl group, a C₂-C₆₀ alkenyl group, a C₂-C₆₀ alkynyl group, a C₁-C₆₀ alkoxy group, a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group, a C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group, a C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group, a C₆-C₆₀ aryl group, a C₆-C₆₀ aryloxy group, a C₆-C₆₀ arylthio group, a C₁-C₆₀ heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group.

In Formula 201, xa and xb may be each independently an integer selected from 0 to 5, or may be 0, 1, or 2. For example, in Formula 201, xa may be 1 and xb may be 0, but they are not limited thereto.

In Formulae 201 and 202, R₁₀₁ to R₁₀₈, R₁₁₁ to R₁₁₉, and R₁₂₁ to R₁₂₄ may be each independently selected from:

a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group (e.g., a methyl group, an ethyl group, a propyl group, a butyl group, a pentyl group, and a hexyl group), and a C₁-C₁₀ alkoxy group (e.g., a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, a butoxy group, and a pentoxy group);

a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group and a C₁-C₁₀ alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, and a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof;

a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluorenyl group, and a pyrenyl group; and

a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group, a fluorenyl group, and a pyrenyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl

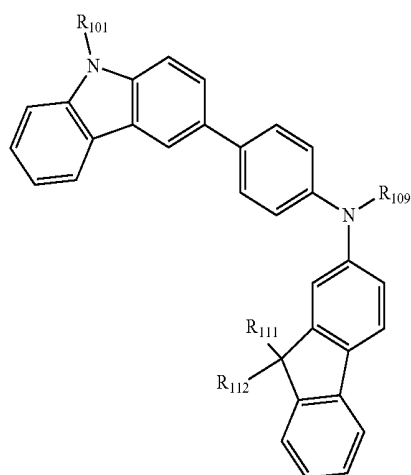
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group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group, and a C₁-C₁₀ alkoxy group.

In Formula 201, R₁₀₉ may be selected from: a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group, and a pyridinyl group; and a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group, and a pyridinyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C₁-C₂₀ alkyl group, a C₁-C₂₀ alkoxy group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group, and a pyridinyl group.

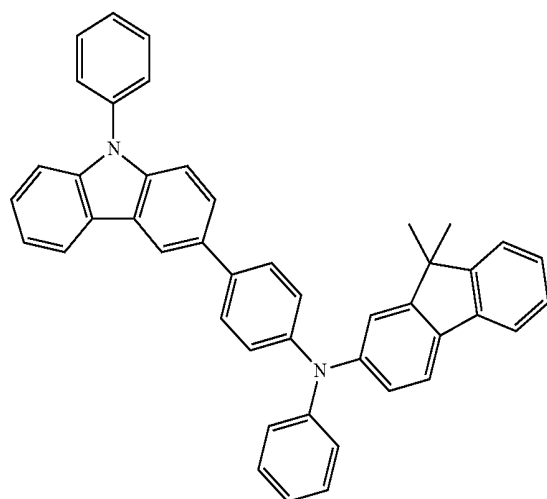
In an exemplary embodiment, the compound of Formula 201 may be represented by Formula 201A below, but is not limited thereto:

Formula 201A



In Formula 201A, R₁₀₁, R₁₁₁, R₁₁₂, and R₁₀₉ may be understood by referring to the descriptions provided herein.

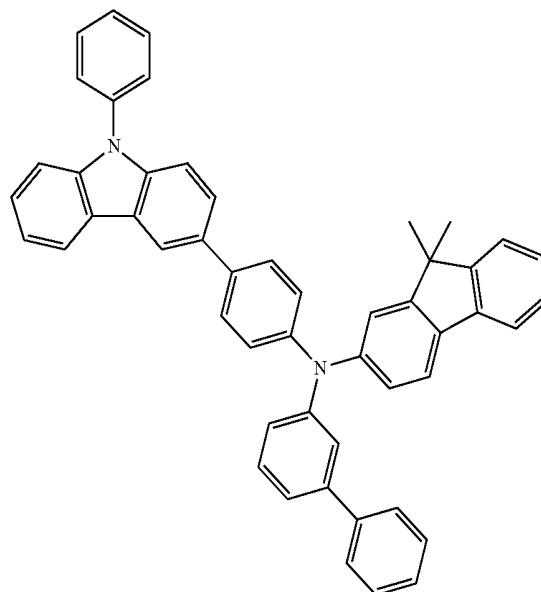
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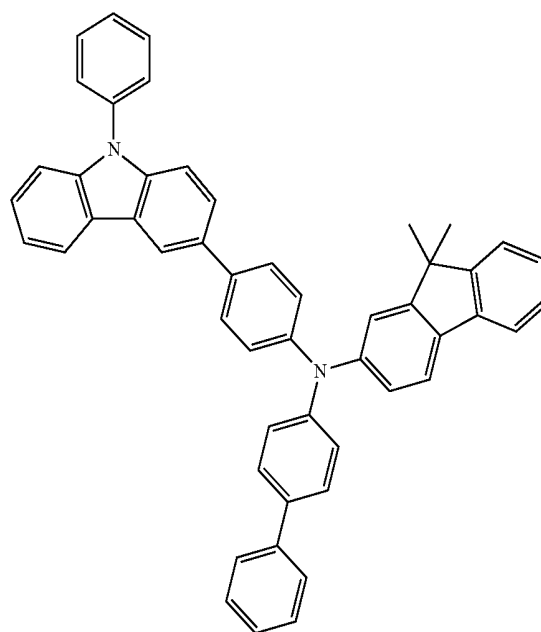
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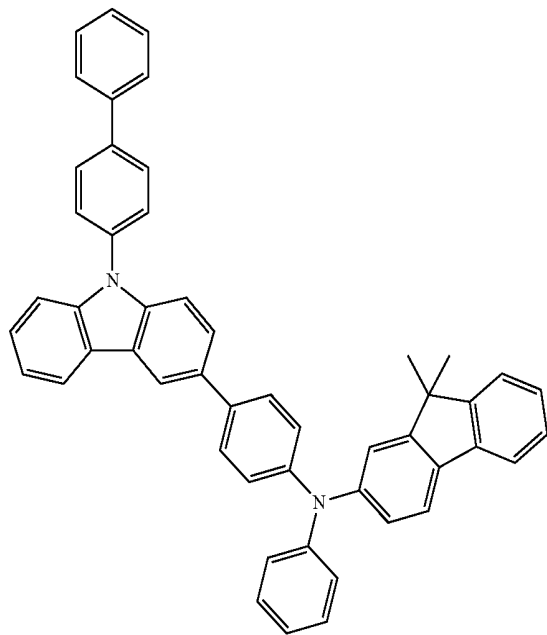
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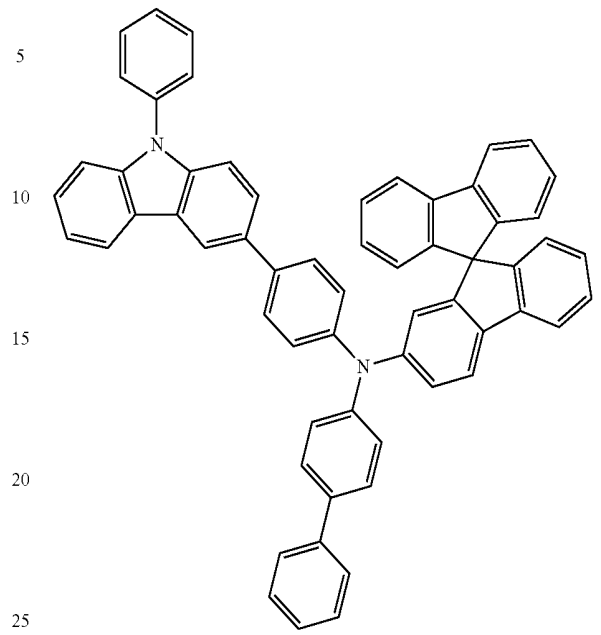


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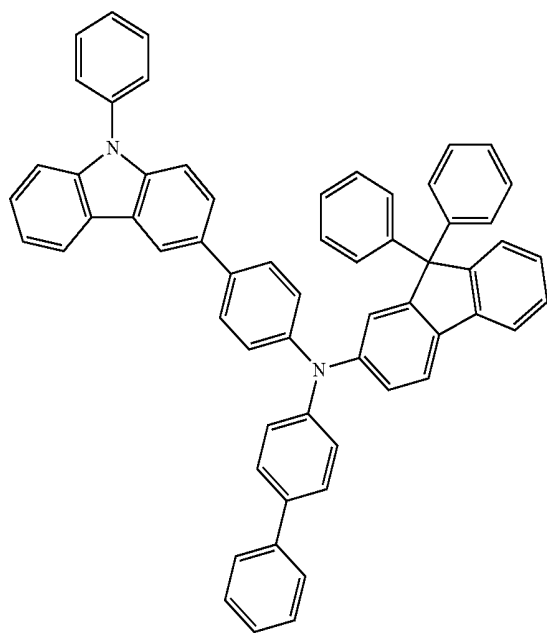
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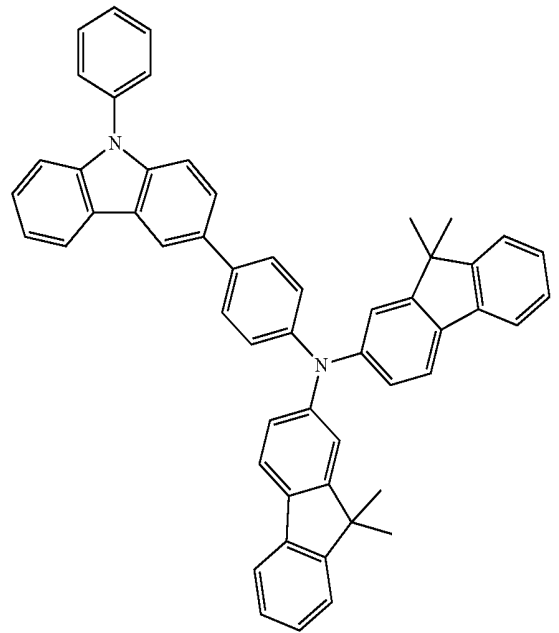
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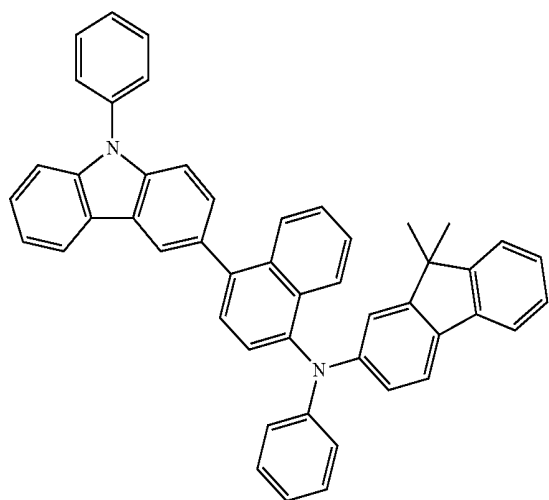
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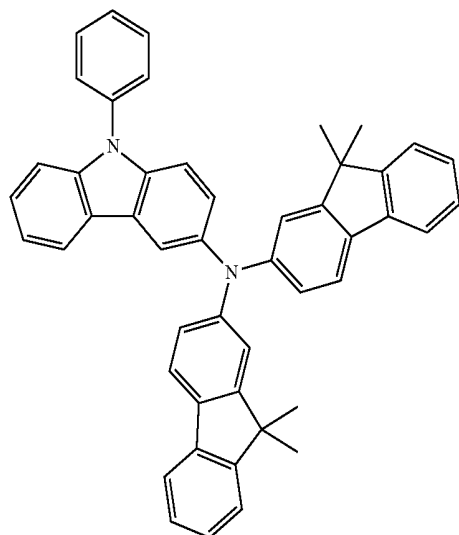
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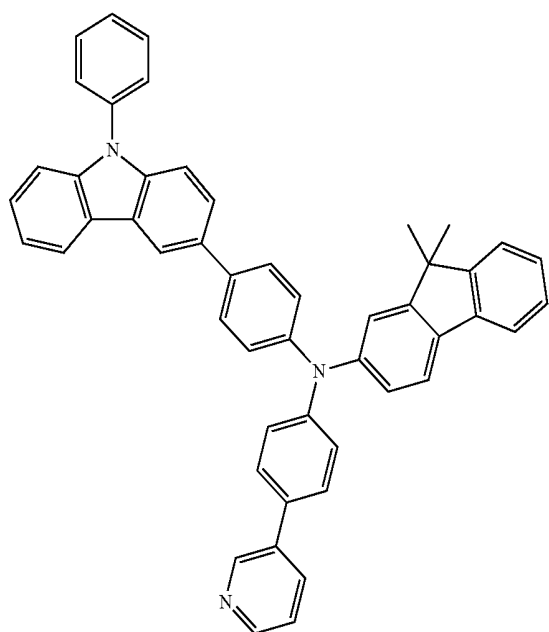
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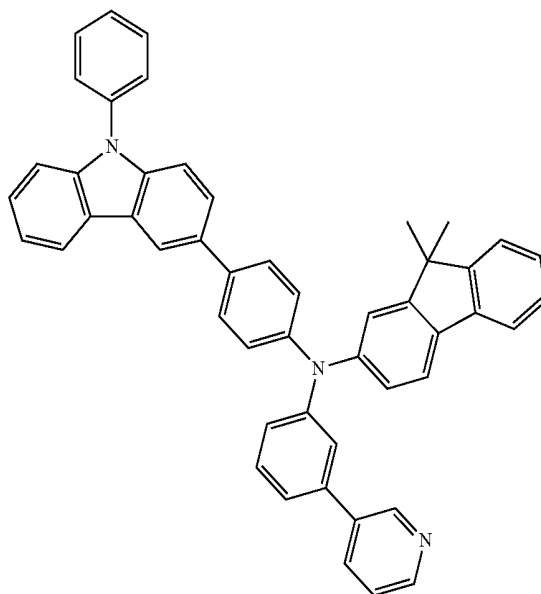
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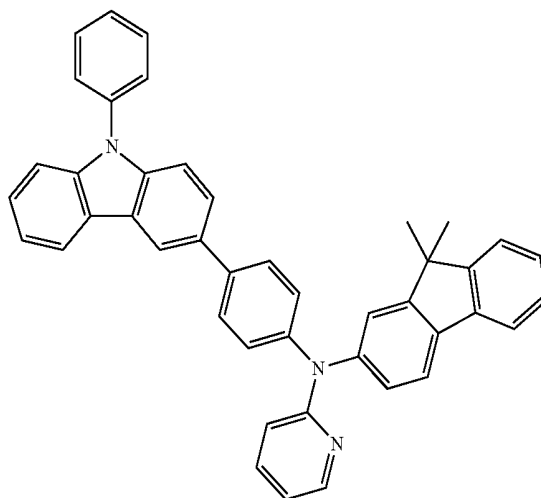
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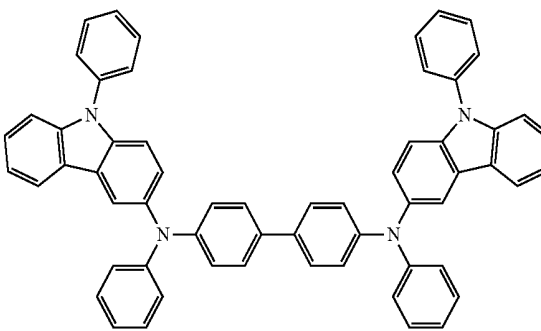
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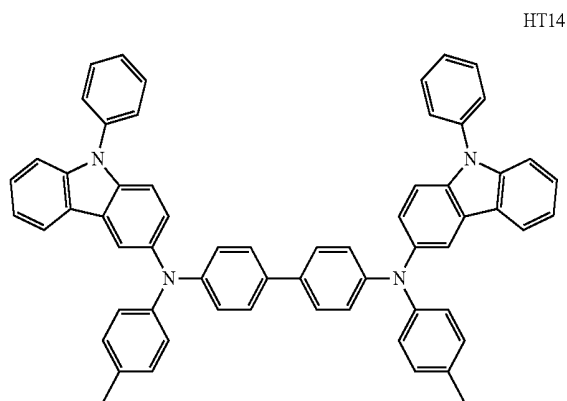


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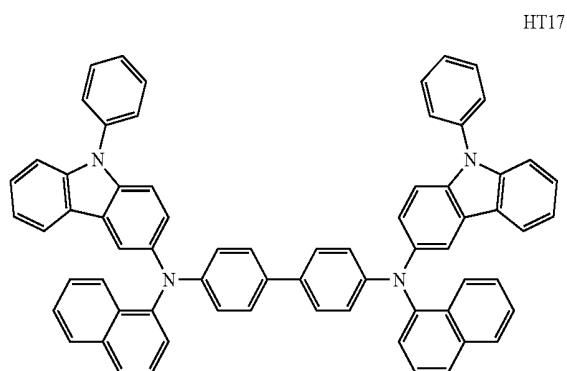
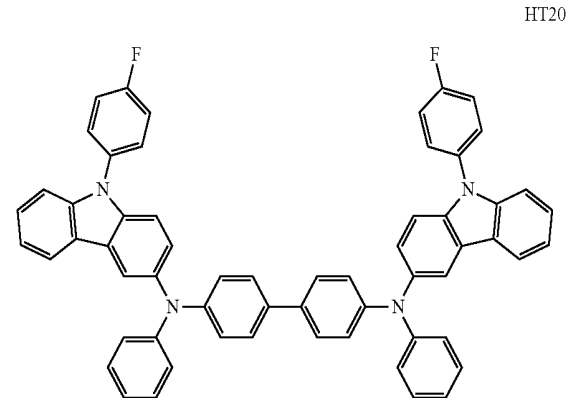
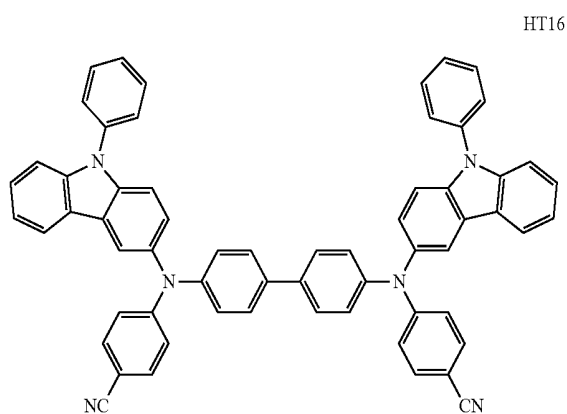
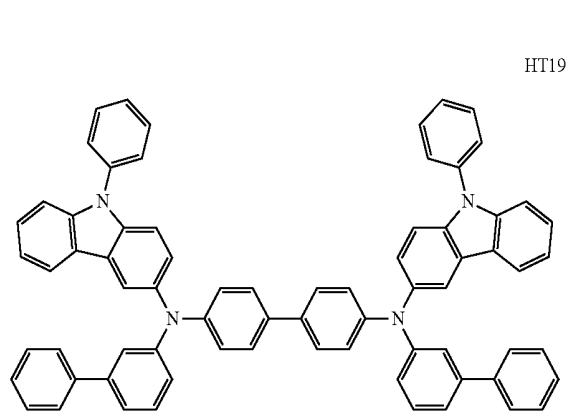
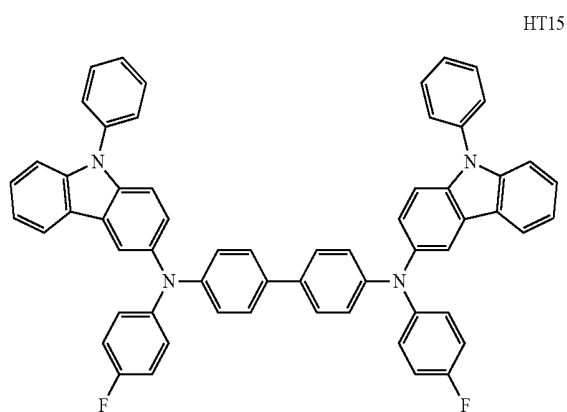
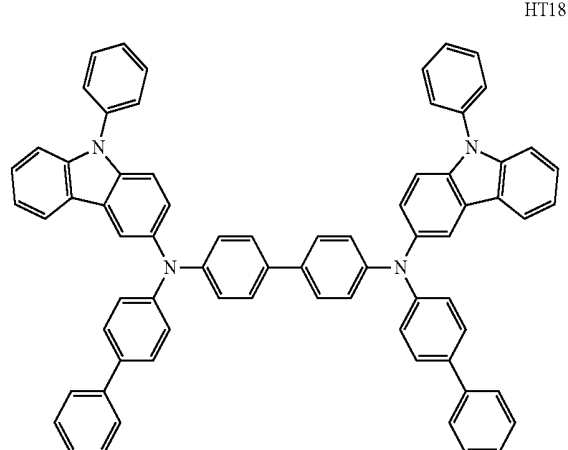
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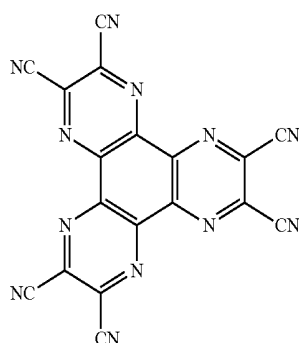
A thickness of the hole transport region may be in a range of about 100 Å to about 10,000 Å, e.g., about 100 Å to about 1,000 Å. When the hole transport region includes both an HIL and an HTL, a thickness of the HIL may be in a range of about 100 Å to about 10,000 Å, e.g., about 100 Å to about 1,000 Å, and a thickness of the HTL may be in a range of about 50 Å to about 2,000 Å, e.g., about 100 Å to about 1,500 Å. When the thicknesses of the hole transport region, the HIL, and the HTL are within these ranges, satisfactory hole transporting characteristics may be obtained without a substantial increase in driving voltage.

In addition to the materials described above, the hole transport region may further include a charge-generation material for the improvement of conductive characteristics.

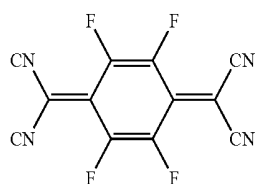
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The charge-generation material may be homogeneously or non-homogeneously dispersed in the hole transport region.

The charge-generation material may be, e.g., a p-dopant. The p-dopant may be one of a quinone derivative, a metal oxide, and a cyano group-containing compound, but is not limited thereto. Non-limiting examples of the p-dopant are a quinone derivative such as tetracyanoquinonodimethane (TCNQ) or 2,3,5,6-tetrafluoro-tetracyano-1,4-benzoquinonodimethane (F4-TCNQ); a metal oxide such as a tungsten oxide or a molybdenum oxide; and a cyano group-containing compound such as Compound HT-D1 below, but are not limited thereto.



Compound HT-D1



F4-TCNQ

The hole transport region may further include a buffer layer.

The buffer layer may compensate for an optical resonance distance according to a wavelength of light emitted from the emission layer. Thus, a light-emission efficiency of a formed organic light-emitting device may be improved.

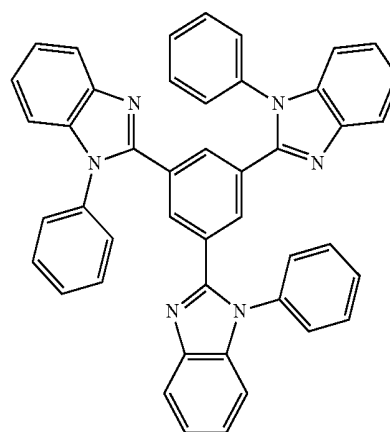
An emission layer (EML) may be disposed on top of the hole transport region by using various methods, such as vacuum deposition, spin coating, casting, and LB deposition method. When the EML is formed by vacuum deposition and spin coating, deposition and coating conditions for forming the EML may be determined by referring to the deposition and coating conditions for forming the HIL.

When the hole transport region includes an electron blocking layer (EBL), a material for forming the EBL may be selected from the materials for forming the hole transport region and host materials shown below, but is not limited thereto. For example, when the hole transport region includes the EBL, mCP described below may be used as a material for forming the EBL.

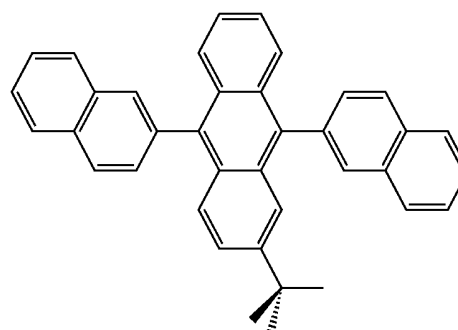
The EML may include a host and a dopant, and the dopant may include the organometallic compound of Formula 1.

The host may include at least one selected from TPBi, TBADN, AND (also referred to as "DNA"), CBP, CDBP, TCP, mCP, and Compounds H50 and H51 below:

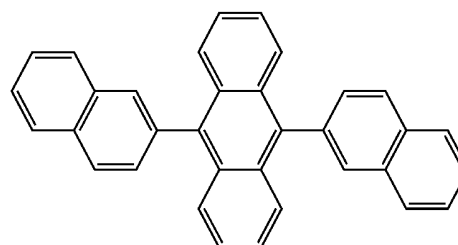
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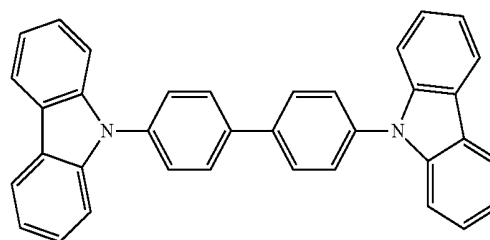
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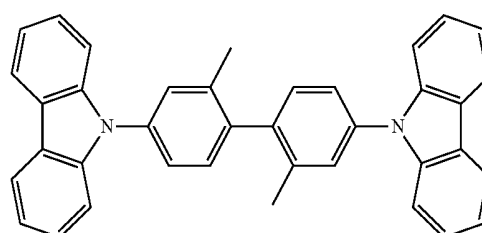
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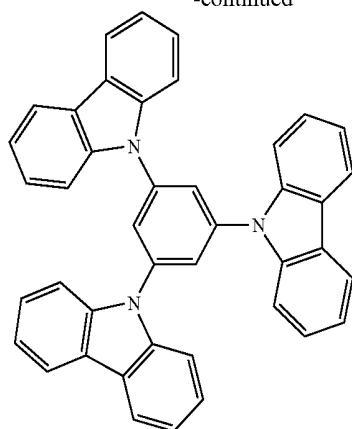
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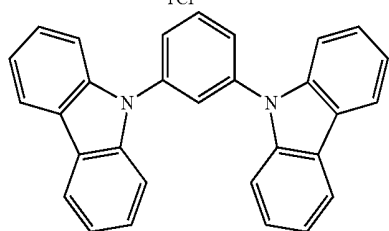
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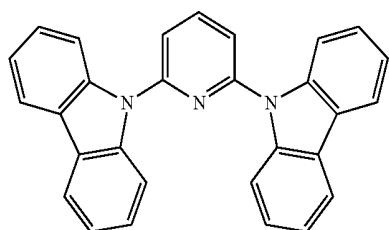
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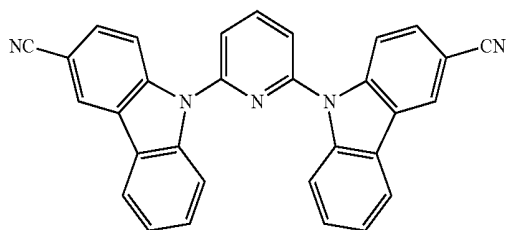
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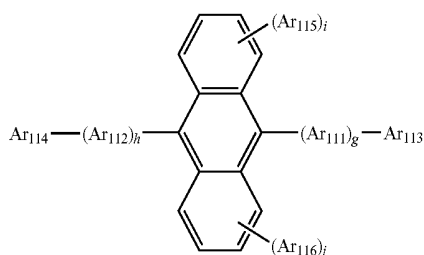
Compound H50



Compound H51

Alternatively, the host may further include a compound represented by Formula 301 below:

Formula 301



In Formula 301, Ar_{111} and Ar_{112} may be each independently selected from:

a phenylene group, a naphthylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, and a pyrenylene group; and

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a phenylene group, a naphthylene group, a phenanthrenylene group, and a pyrenylene group, each substituted with at least one of a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, and an anthracenyl group.

5 In Formula 301, Ar_{113} to Ar_{116} may be each independently selected from:

a C_1 - C_{10} alkyl group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, and a pyrenyl group; and

10 a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, and a pyrenyl group, each substituted with at least one of a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, and an anthracenyl group.

In Formula 301, g, h, i, and j may be each independently an integer selected from 0 to 4, and for example, may be each independently 0, 1, or 2.

15 In Formula 301, Ar_{113} to Ar_{116} may be each independently selected from:

a C_1 - C_{10} alkyl group substituted with at least one of a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, and an anthracenyl group; a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group,

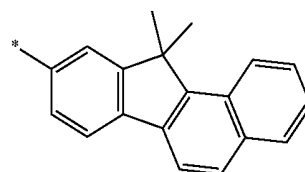
20 a pyrenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, and a fluorenyl group;

a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, and a fluorenyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F,

25 —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a C_2 - C_{60}

30 alkenyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, a C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group, a pyrenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, and a fluorenyl group; and

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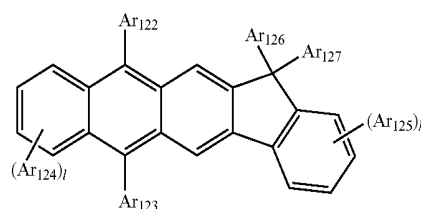


but they are not limited thereto.

45 Alternatively, the host may include a compound represented by Formula 302 below:

Formula 302

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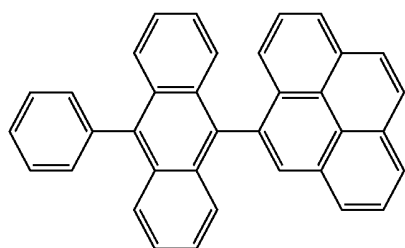
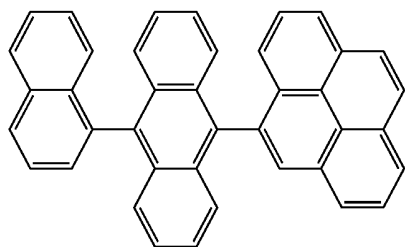
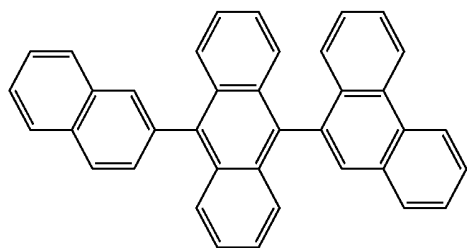
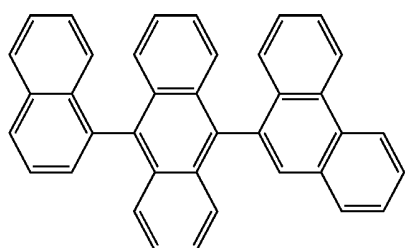
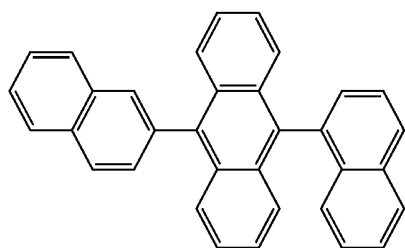
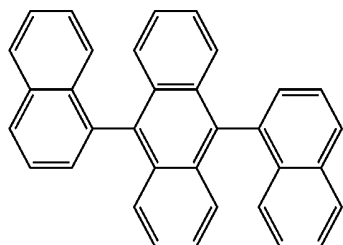
In Formula 302, Ar_{122} to Ar_{125} may be understood by referring to the description provided in connection with Ar_{113} of Formula 301.

In Formula 302, Ar_{126} and Ar_{127} may be each independently a C_1 - C_{10} alkyl group (e.g., a methyl group, an ethyl group, or a propyl group).

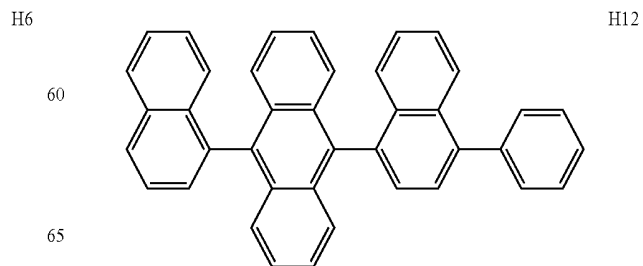
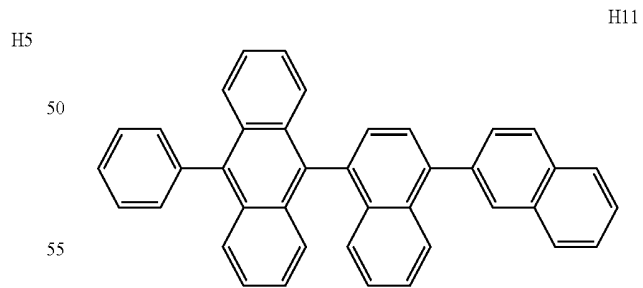
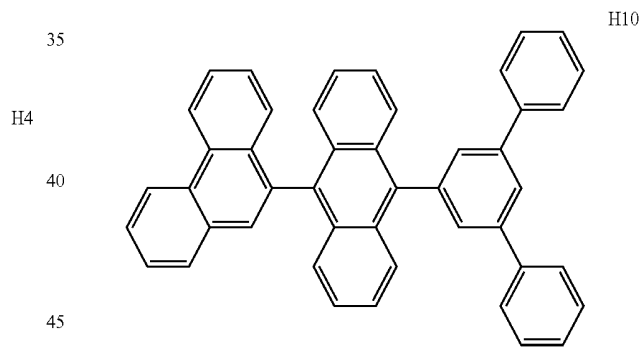
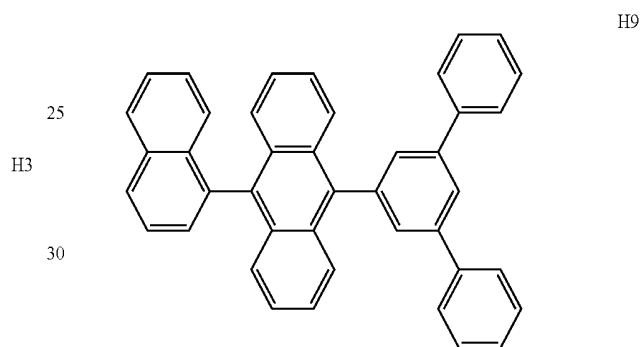
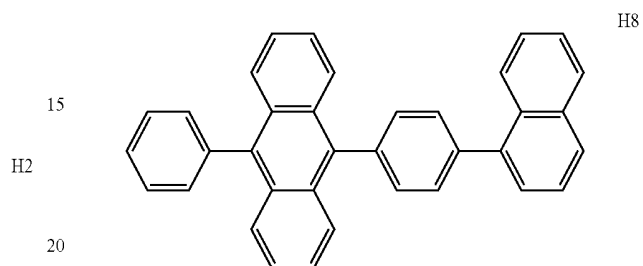
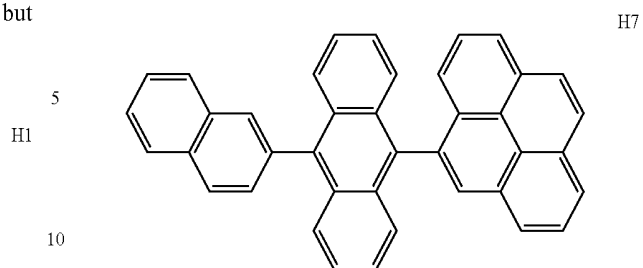
65 In Formula 302, k and l may be each independently an integer selected from 0 to 4. For example, k and l in Formula 302 may be 0, 1, or 2.

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The compound of Formula 301 and the compound of Formula 302 may include Compounds H1 to H42 below, but they are not limited thereto:

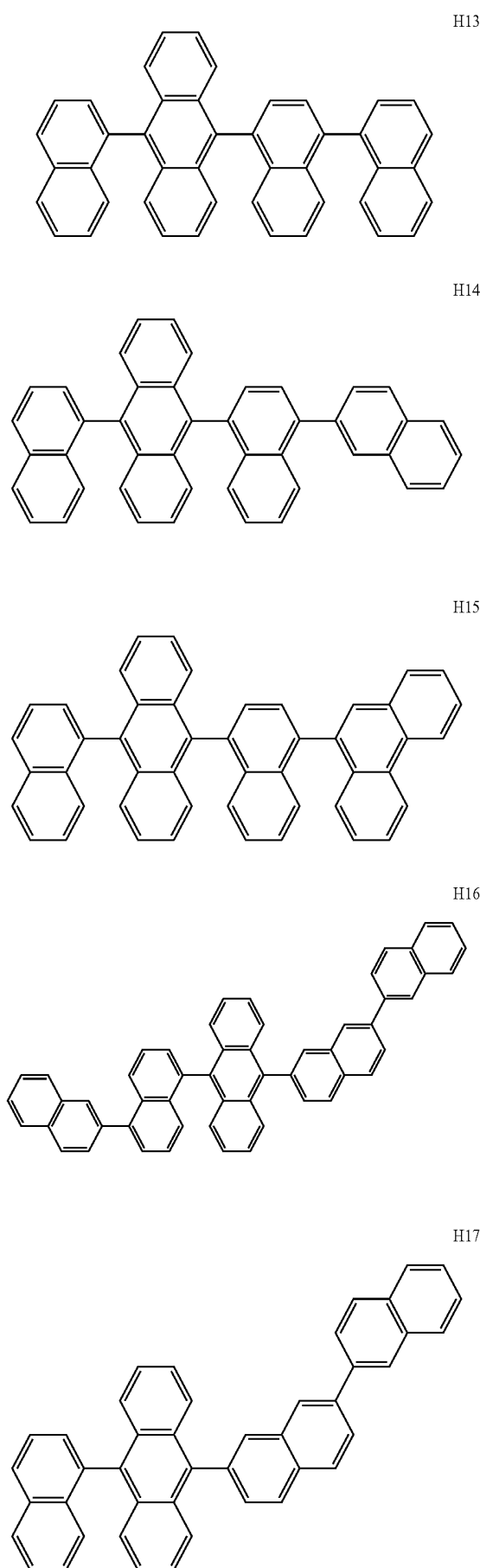
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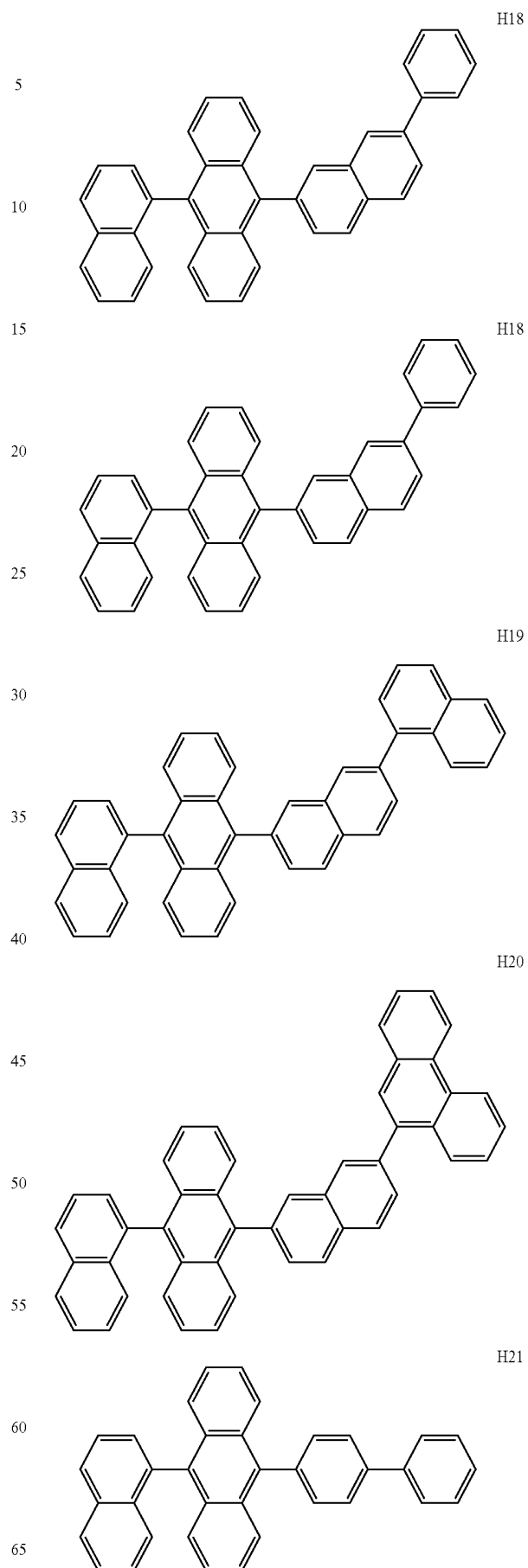


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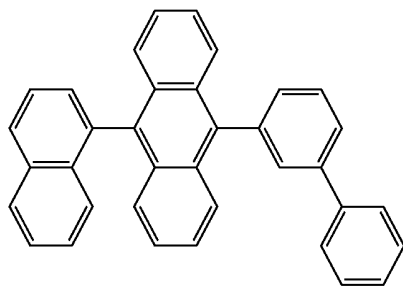
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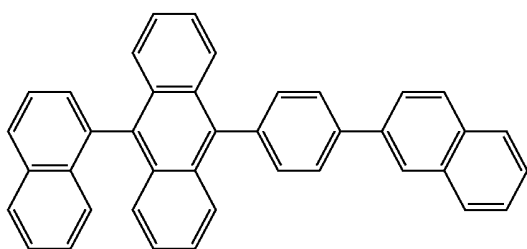
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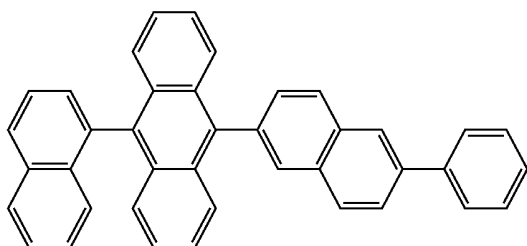
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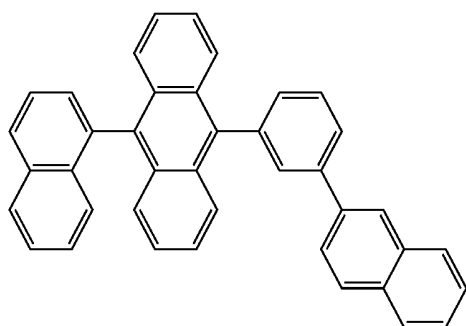
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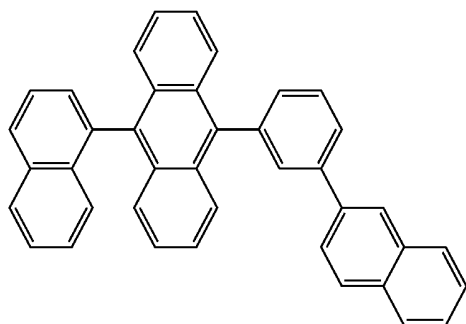
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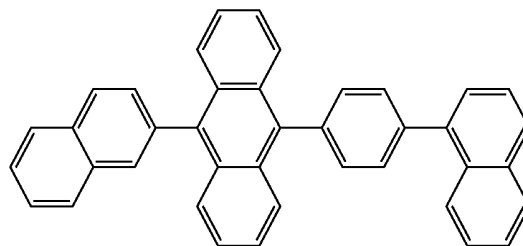
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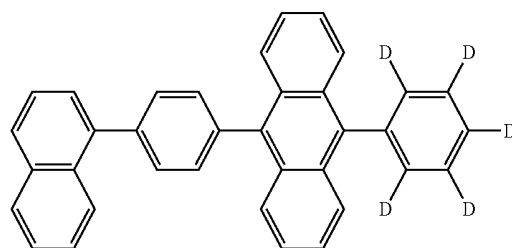
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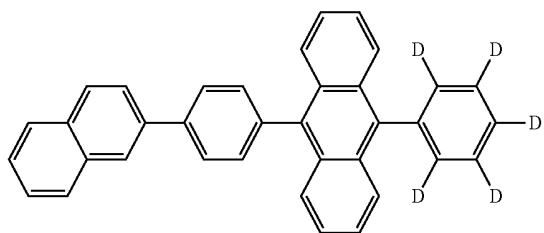
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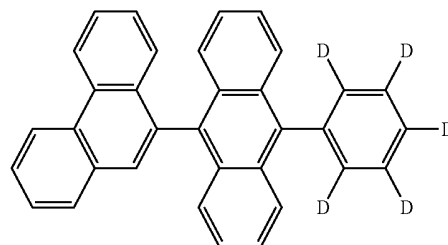
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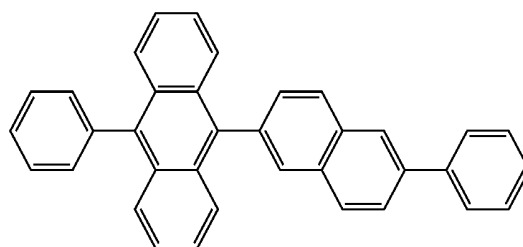
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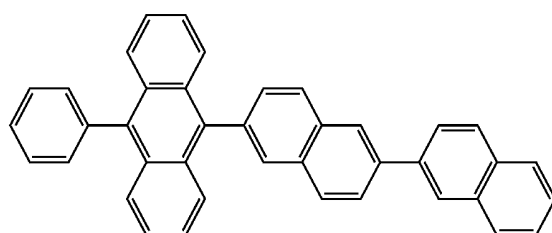
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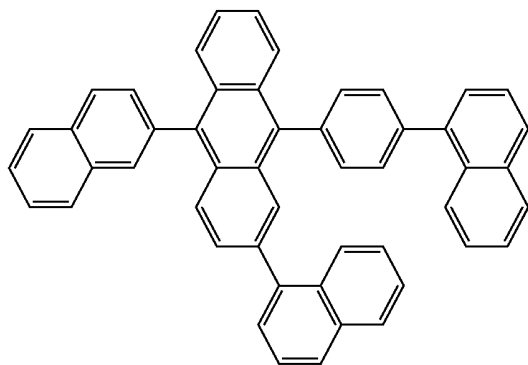


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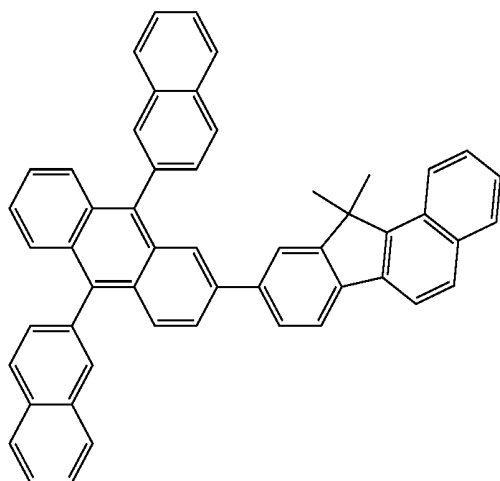
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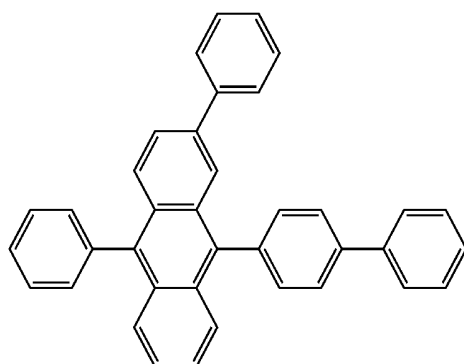
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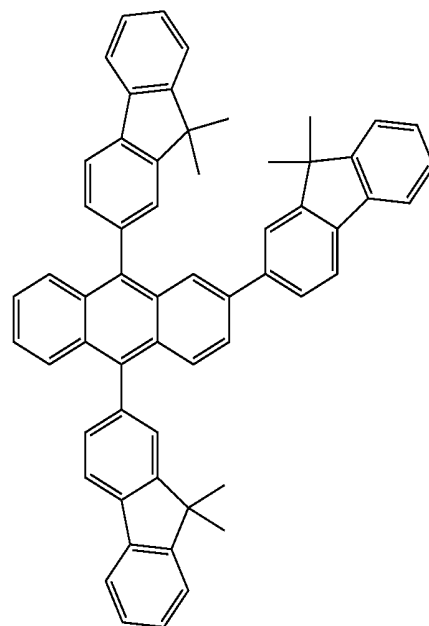
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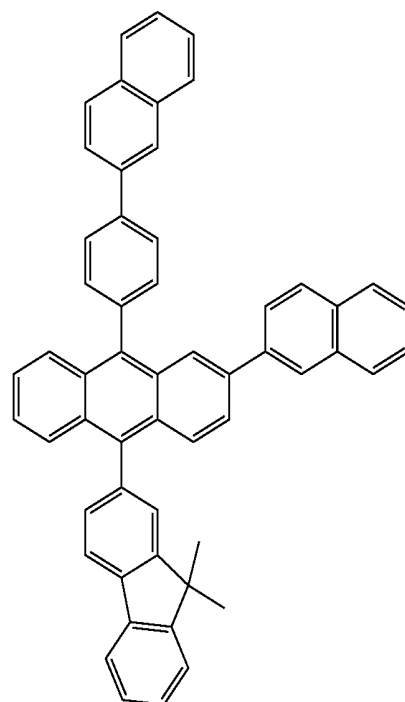
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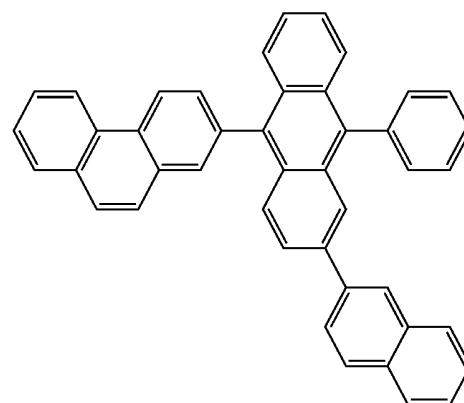
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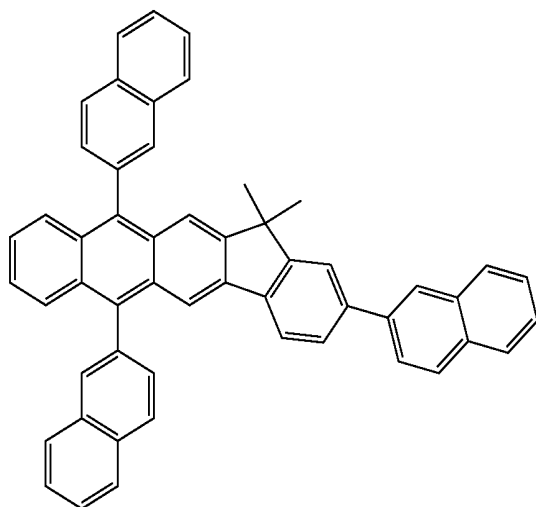


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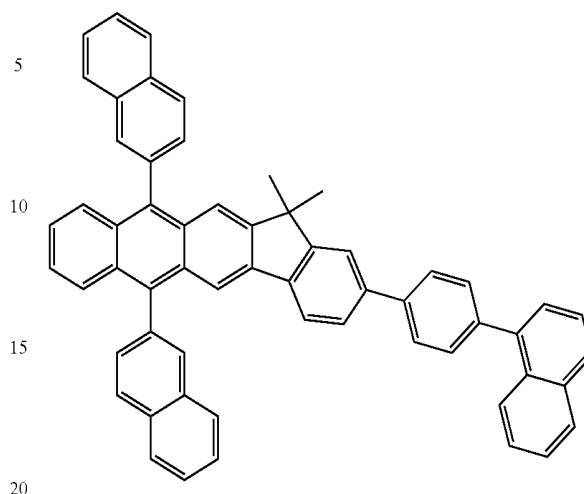
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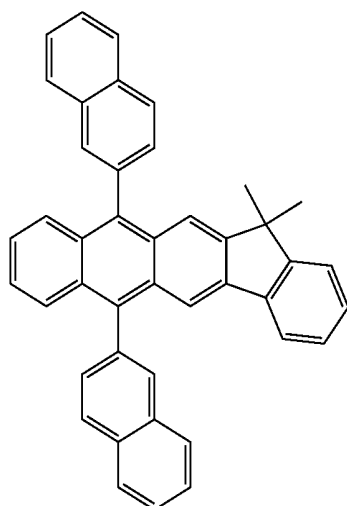
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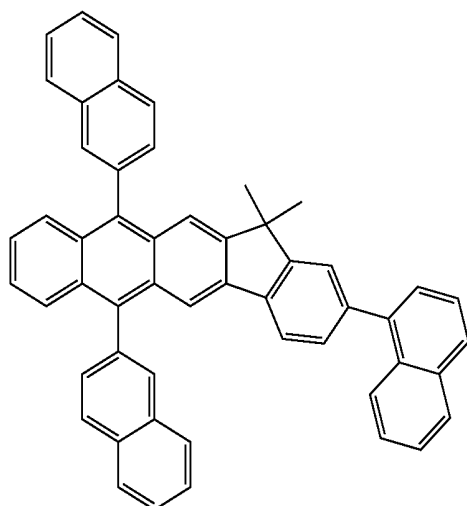
H42



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H41



When the organic light-emitting device is a full-color organic light-emitting device, the EML may be patterned into a red EML, a green EML, and a blue EML. Alternatively, the EML may have various modifications in the structure, and for example, may have a structure of a red EML, a green EML, and/or a blue EML, each of which layers are sequentially stacked in the stated order, and accordingly the EML may emit white light.

When the EML includes a host and a dopant, an amount of the dopant may be in a range of about 0.01 to about 15 parts by weight, based on 100 parts by weight of the host, but is not limited thereto.

A thickness of the EML may be in a range of about 100 Å to about 1,000 Å, e.g., about 200 Å to about 600 Å. When the thickness of the EML is within these ranges, excellent emission characteristics may be obtained without a substantial increase in driving voltage.

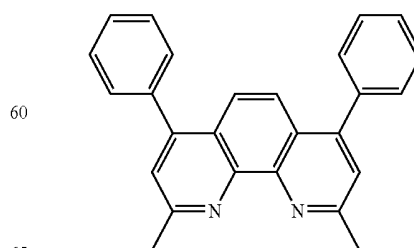
Next, the electron transport region may be disposed on the EML.

The electron transport region may include at least one of a hole blocking layer (HBL), an electron transport layer (ETL), and an electron injection layer (EIL).

For example, the electron transport region may have a structure of HBL/ETL/EIL or a structure of ETL/EIL, but the structure of the electron transport region is not limited thereto. The electron transport layer may have a single-layer structure or a multi-layer structure including 2 or more layers.

Conditions for forming an HBL, an ETL, and an EIL of the electron transport region may be referred to those for forming the HIL.

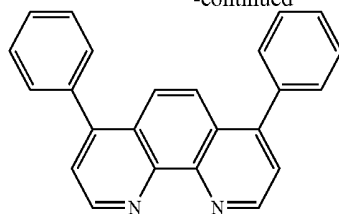
When the electron transport region includes an HBL, the HBL may include at least one of, e.g., BCP, Bphen, and Balq below, but is not limited thereto:



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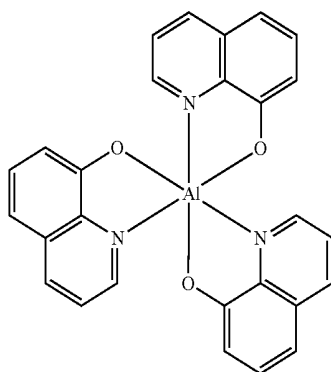
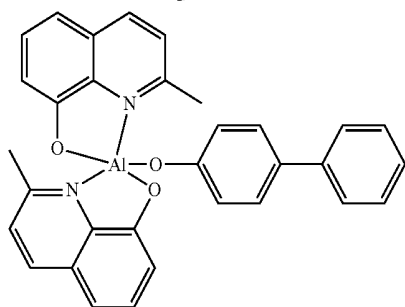
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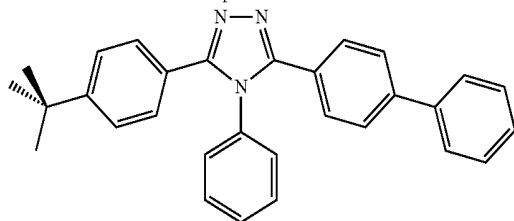
Bphen

A thickness of the HBL may be in a range of about 20 Å to about 1,000 Å, e.g., about 30 Å to about 300 Å. When the thickness of the HBL is within these ranges, excellent hole blocking characteristics may be obtained without a substantial increase in driving voltage.

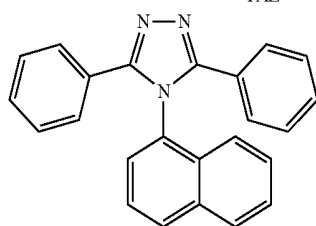
The ETL may further include at least one of BCP and Bphen above, Alq₃, Balq, TAZ, and NTAZ below:

Alq₃

BAIq



TAZ



NTAZ

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Alternatively, the ETL may include at least one of Compounds ET1 and ET2 below, but is not limited thereto:

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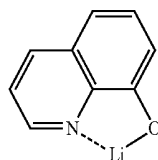
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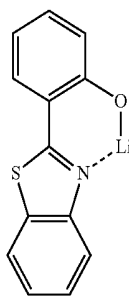
A thickness of the ETL may be in a range of about 100 Å to about 1,000 Å, e.g., about 150 Å to about 500 Å. When the thickness of the ETL is within these ranges, satisfactory electron transporting characteristics may be obtained without a substantial increase in driving voltage.

In addition to the materials described above, the ETL may further include a metal-containing material.

The metal-containing material may include a Li complex. The Li complex may include, e.g., Compound ET-D1 (e.g., lithium quinolate, LiQ) or Compound ET-D2 below:



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The electron transport region may include an EIL that facilitates electron injection from the second electrode **19**.

The EIL may include at least one selected from LiF, NaCl, CsF, Li₂O, and BaO.

A thickness of the EIL may be in a range of about 1 Å to about 100 Å, e.g., about 3 Å to about 90 Å. When the thickness of the EIL is within these ranges, satisfactory electron injecting characteristics may be obtained without a substantial increase in driving voltage.

The second electrode **19** may be disposed on top of the organic layer **15**, and may be a cathode. A material for forming the second electrode **19** may have a low work function, such as a metal, an alloy, an electrically conductive compound, or a mixture thereof. Detailed examples of the material for forming the second electrode **19** may include Li, Mg, Al, Al—Li, Ca, Mg—In, and Mg—Ag. Alternatively, to obtain a top emission device, the second electrode **19** may have various modifications in the material for forming the second electrode **19**, and for example, may be ITO or IZO to form a transmissive electrode.

Hereinbefore, the organic light-emitting device has been described with reference to the FIGURE, but is not limited thereto.

A C₁-C₆₀ alkyl group as used herein refers to a linear or branched aliphatic hydrocarbon monovalent group having 1 to 60 carbon atoms. Detailed examples thereof are a methyl group, an ethyl group, a propyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, a pentyl group, an iso-amyl group, and a hexyl group. A C₁-C₆₀ alkylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the C₁-C₆₀ alkyl group.

A C₁-C₆₀ alkoxy group as used herein refers to a monovalent group represented by —OA₁₀₁ (wherein A₁₀₁ is the C₁-C₆₀ alkyl group). Detailed examples thereof are a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, and an isopropoxy group.

A C₂-C₆₀ alkenyl group as used herein refers to a hydrocarbon group formed by substituting at least one carbon double bond in the middle or at the terminal of the C₂-C₆₀ alkyl group. Detailed examples thereof are an ethenyl group, a propenyl group, and a butenyl group. A C₂-C₆₀ alkenylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the C₂-C₆₀ alkenyl group.

A C₂-C₆₀ alkynyl group as used herein refers to a hydrocarbon group formed by substituting at least one carbon triple bond in the middle or at the terminal of the C₂-C₆₀ alkyl group. Detailed examples thereof are an ethynyl group and a propynyl group. A C₂-C₆₀ alkynylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the C₂-C₆₀ alkynyl group.

A C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group as used herein refers to a monovalent hydrocarbon monocyclic group having 3 to 10 carbon atoms. Detailed examples thereof are a cyclopropyl

group, a cyclobutyl group, a cyclopentyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a cycloheptyl group. A C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkyl group.

A C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group as used herein refers to a monovalent monocyclic group having at least one heteroatom selected from N, O, P, and S as a ring-forming atom and 1 to 10 carbon atoms. Detailed examples thereof are a tetrahydrofuryl group and a tetrahydrothiophenyl group.

A C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkyl group.

A C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group as used herein refers to a monovalent monocyclic group that has 3 to 10 carbon atoms and at least one double bond in the ring thereof, and which is not aromatic. Detailed examples thereof are a cyclopentenyl group, a cyclohexenyl group, and a cycloheptenyl group. A C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the C₃-C₁₀ cycloalkenyl group.

A C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group as used herein refers to a monovalent monocyclic group that has at least one heteroatom selected from N, O, P, and S as a ring-forming atom, 1 to 10 carbon atoms, and at least one double bond in its ring. Detailed examples of the C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group are a 2,3-dihydrofuryl group and a 2,3-dihydrothiophenyl group. A C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the C₁-C₁₀ heterocycloalkenyl group.

A C₆-C₆₀ aryl group as used herein refers to a monovalent group having a carbocyclic aromatic system having 6 to 60 carbon atoms, and a C₆-C₆₀ arylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having a carbocyclic aromatic system having 6 to 60 carbon atoms. Detailed examples of the C₆-C₆₀ aryl group are a phenyl group, a naphthyl group, an anthracenyl group, a phenanthrenyl group, a pyrenyl group, and a chrysenyl group. When the C₆-C₆₀ aryl group and the C₆-C₆₀ arylene group each include two or more rings, the rings may be fused to each other.

A C₁-C₆₀ heteroaryl group as used herein refers to a monovalent group having a carbocyclic aromatic system that has at least one heteroatom selected from N, O, P, and S as a ring-forming atom, and 1 to 60 carbon atoms. A C₁-C₆₀ heteroarylene group as used herein refers to a divalent group having a carbocyclic aromatic system that has at least one heteroatom selected from N, O, P, and S as a ring-forming atom, and 1 to 60 carbon atoms. Detailed examples of the C₁-C₆₀ heteroaryl group are a pyridinyl group, a pyrimidinyl group, a pyrazinyl group, a pyridazinyl group, a triazinyl group, a quinolinyl group, and an isoquinolinyl group. When the C₁-C₆₀ heteroaryl group and the C₁-C₆₀ heteroarylene group each include two or more rings, the rings may be fused to each other.

A C₆-C₆₀ aryloxy group as used herein indicates —OA₁₀₂ (wherein A₁₀₂ is the C₆-C₆₀ aryl group), and a C₆-C₆₀ arylthio group as used herein indicates —SA₁₀₃ (wherein A₁₀₃ is the C₆-C₆₀ aryl group).

A monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group (e.g., a group having 8 to 60 carbon atoms) as used herein refers to a monovalent group that has two or more rings condensed to each other, has carbon atoms only as a ring-forming atom, and which is non-aromatic in the entire molecular structure. A detailed example of the monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group is a fluorenyl group. A divalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group

as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group.

A monovalent condensed heteropolycyclic group (e.g., a group having 1 to 60 carbon atoms) as used herein refers to a monovalent group that has two or more rings condensed to each other, has heteroatoms as a ring-forming atom selected from N, O, Si, P, and S in addition to C, and which is non-aromatic in the entire molecular structure. A detailed example of the monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group is a carbazolyl group. A divalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group as used herein refers to a divalent group having the same structure as the monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group.

At least one of substituents of the substituted C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, the substituted C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, the substituted C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, the substituted C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, the substituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, the substituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, the substituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, the substituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, the substituted C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, the substituted C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, the substituted C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, the substituted C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, the substituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and the substituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group may be selected from:

a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, and a C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group;

a C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, and a C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, —N(Q₁₁)(Q₁₂), —Si(Q₁₃)(Q₁₄)(Q₁₅), —B(Q₁₆)(Q₁₇), and —P(=O)(Q₁₈)(Q₁₉);

a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group;

a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof,

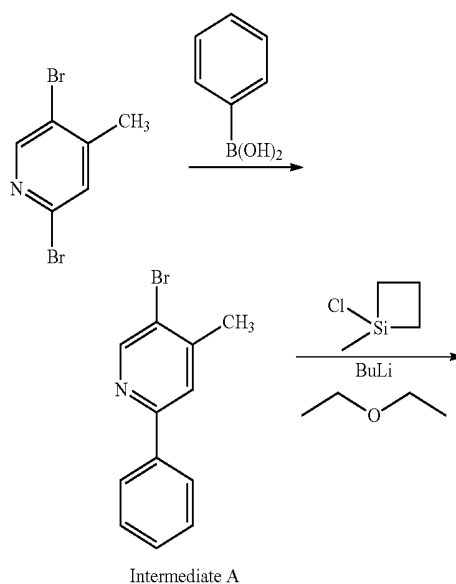
a C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, a C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, a monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group, —N(Q₂₁)(Q₂₂), —Si(Q₂₃)(Q₂₄)(Q₂₅), —B(Q₂₆)(Q₂₇), and —P(=O)(Q₂₈)(Q₂₉); and —N(Q₃₁)(Q₃₂), —Si(Q₃₃)(Q₃₄)(Q₃₅), —B(Q₃₆)(Q₃₇), and —P(=O)(Q₃₈)(Q₃₉),

wherein Q₁ to Q₉, Q₁₁ to Q₁₉, Q₂₁ to Q₂₉, and Q₃₁ to Q₃₉ may be each independently selected from a hydrogen, a deuterium, —F, —Cl, —Br, —I, a hydroxyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, an amino group, an amidino group, a hydrazine group, a hydrazone group, a carboxylic acid group or a salt thereof, a sulfonic acid group or a salt thereof, a phosphoric acid group or a salt thereof, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} alkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_2 - C_{60} alkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_2 - C_{60} alkynyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} alkoxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_3 - C_{10} cycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{10} heterocycloalkenyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} aryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} aryloxy group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_6 - C_{60} arylthio group, a substituted or unsubstituted C_1 - C_{60} heteroaryl group, a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed polycyclic group, and a substituted or unsubstituted monovalent non-aromatic condensed heteropolycyclic group.

Hereinafter, the organic light-emitting device according to embodiments is described in detail with reference to Synthesis Example and Examples. The wording “B was used instead of A” used in describing Synthesis Examples means that a molar equivalent of A was identical to a molar equivalent of B.

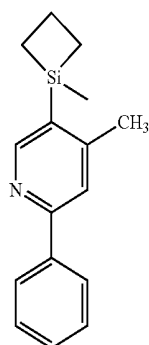
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Synthesis Example 1: Synthesis of Compound 2

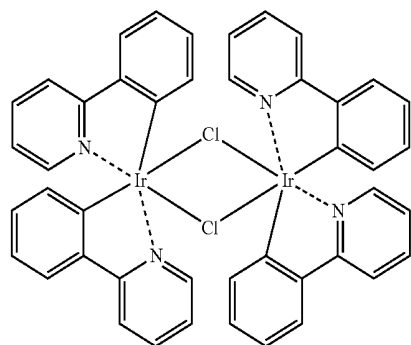
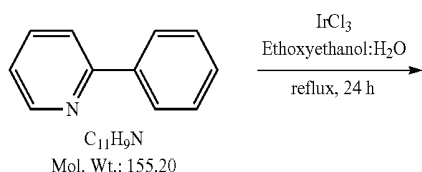


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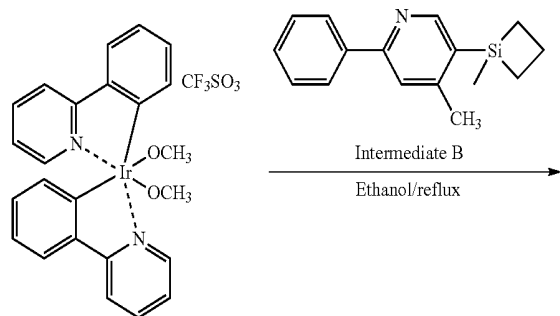
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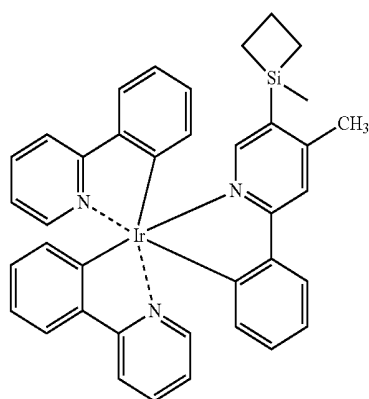
Intermediate B



Intermediate C



Intermediate D



Compound 2

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Synthesis of Intermediate A (5-bromo-4-methyl-2-phenylpyridine)

10.8 grams (g) (0.043 moles (mol)) of 2,5-dibromo-4-methylpyridine and 5.773 g (0.047 mol) of phenylboronic acid were put in a flask, and 0.483 g (0.002 mol) of $\text{Pd}(\text{OAc})_2$, 1.129 g (0.004 mol) of PPh_3 , and 17.845 g (0.129 mol) of K_2CO_3 were added thereto. A mixture of acetonitrile (ACN)/methanol (MeOH) (at a volume ratio of 2:1, 120 mL) was added to the flask, and the reaction was stirred at a temperature of 50° C. overnight. After the product obtained therefrom (which had ivory color) was cooled to room temperature and filtered, the precipitate was washed with EA/ H_2O and purified by using column chromatography to obtain 6.9 g (yield: 65%) of Intermediate A.

Synthesis of Intermediate B (4-methyl-5-(1-methylsilyl-2-phenylpyridin-1-yl)-2-phenylpyridine)

6.9 g (0.028 mol) of Intermediate A was dissolved in diethyl ether, and stirred at a temperature of -78° C. for 30 minutes. 12.8 mL (1.6 molar (M) solution) of n-BuLi was slowly added thereto through a syringe, and the mixture was stirred again for 1 hour. The product obtained therefrom was mixed with 2.74 mL (1.2 equivalents (equiv.)) of 1-chloro-1-methylsilane that was slowly added thereto through a syringe. After the mixed solution was heated to room temperature, the resultant mixed solution was stirred for 12 hours, so as to obtain 4.3 g (yield: 62%) of Intermediate B.

Synthesis of Intermediate C

7.9 g (0.044 mol) of iridium chloride and 7.8 g (0.094 mol) of 2-phenylpyridine were added to 280 milliliters (ml) of a mixture of ethoxyethanol and water in a ratio of 3:1, and the mixed solution was refluxed for 18 hours. After the mixed solution was subjected to filtration of precipitates (yellow solids), the precipitate filtrate was washed with methanol and dried in a vacuum oven to obtain Intermediate C.

Synthesis of Intermediate D

In a flask, a mixture of 10 g (0.009 mol) of Intermediate C and 90 ml of MC was added to a mixture of 4.9 g (0.019 mol) of AgOTf and 30 ml of MeOH. The flask was covered by an aluminum foil to protect the reaction from the action of light, and stirred overnight (12 hours). After the product obtained therefrom was filtered through celites, the filtrate was removed under reduced pressure to obtain Intermediate D.

Synthesis of Compound 2

3 g (4.2 mmol) of Intermediate D and 1.2 g (5.1 mmol) of Intermediate B (4-methyl-5-(1-methylsilyl-2-phenylpyridin-1-yl)-2-phenylpyridine) were added to 40 ml of EtOH, and the mixed solution was refluxed for 18 hours to obtain 0.63 g (yield: 20%) of Compound 2.

$\text{C}_{38}\text{H}_{34}\text{IrN}_3\text{Si}$: M^+ 753.22

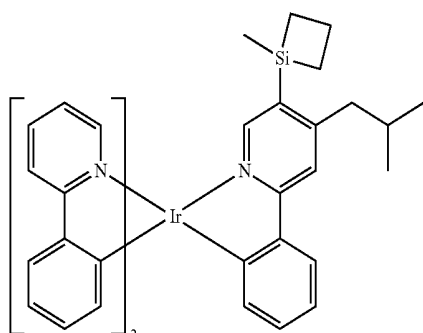
^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz) δ (ppm) 8.72 (s, 1H), 8.56 (d, 2H), 8.16 (d, 3H), 7.82 (d, 3H), 7.52-7.38 (m, 11H), 6.95 (t, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 1.21 (t, 2H), 0.61 (d, 4H), 0.33 (s, 3H)

Synthesis Example 2: Synthesis of Compound 3

Compound 3 (1.8 g, yield: 15%) was synthesized in the same manner as in Synthesis Example 1, except in synthesis

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of Intermediate A, 2,5-dibromo-4-isobutylpyridine was used instead of 2,5-dibromo-4-methylpyridine.

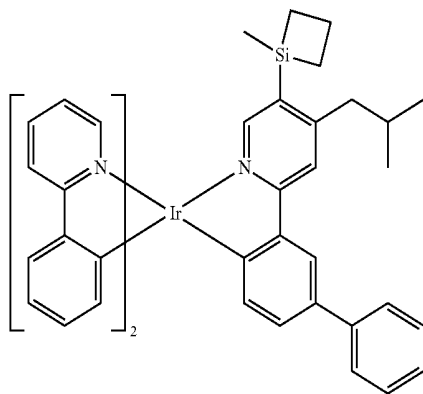


$C_{41}H_{40}IrN_3Si$: M+ 759.26

1H NMR ($CDCl_3$, 300 MHz) δ (ppm) 8.79 (s, 1H), 8.56 (d, 2H), 8.16 (d, 3H), 7.82 (d, 3H), 7.52-7.38 (m, 11H), 6.95 (t, 2H), 3.29 (d, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 1.8 (m, 1H), 1.21 (t, 2H), 0.86 (s, 6H), 0.61 (d, 4H), 0.33 (s, 3H)

Synthesis Example 3: Synthesis of Compound 4

Compound 4 (1.2 g, yield: 12%) was synthesized in the same manner as in Synthesis Example 1, except in synthesis of Intermediate A, 2,5-dibromo-4-isobutylpyridine and biphenylboronic acid were used instead of 2,5-dibromo-4-methylpyridine and phenylboronic acid, respectively.



$C_{41}H_{40}IrN_3Si$: M+ 871.29

1H NMR ($CDCl_3$, 300 MHz) δ (ppm) 8.79 (s, 1H), 8.56 (d, 2H), 8.40 (s, 1H), 8.16 (d, 3H), 7.82-7.71 (m, 7H), 7.52-7.38 (m, 11H), 6.95 (t, 2H), 3.29 (d, 2H), 2.44 (s, 3H), 1.8 (m, 1H), 1.21 (t, 2H), 0.86 (s, 6H), 0.61 (d, 4H), 0.33 (s, 3H)

Example 1

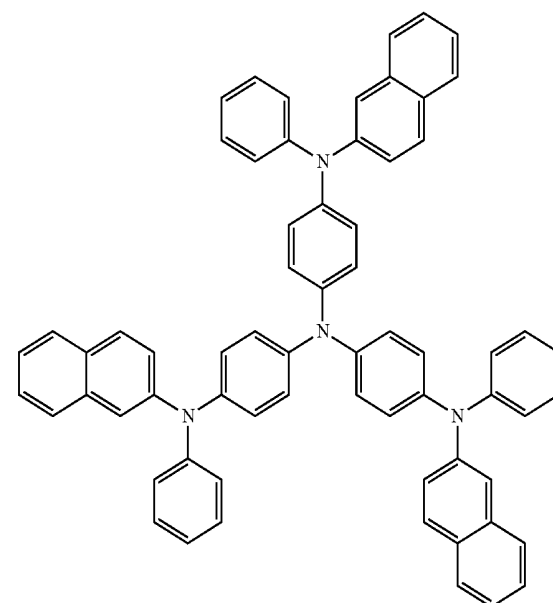
As an anode substrate, a glass substrate on which ITO/Ag/ITO was formed to a thickness of 70 Angstrom ($\text{\AA}$)/1,000 $\text{\AA}$ /70 $\text{\AA}$ was cut to a size of 50 millimeters (mm) $\times$ 50 mm $\times$ 0.5 mm, sonicated by using isopropyl alcohol and pure water each for 5 minutes, and cleaned by the exposure to UV ozone for 30 minutes. Then, the anode was equipped with a vacuum deposition apparatus.

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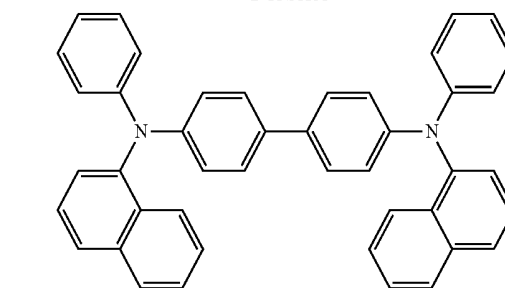
2-TNATA was deposited on the anode to form a hole injection layer having a thickness of 600 $\text{\AA}$. 4,4'-bis[N-(1-naphthyl)-N-phenyl amino]biphenyl (hereinafter, referred to as NPB) was deposited on the hole injection layer to form a hole transport layer having a thickness of 1,000 $\text{\AA}$.

CBP (host), and Compound 2 (dopant), were co-deposited on the hole transport layer at a weight ratio of 91:9 to form an emission layer having a thickness of 250 $\text{\AA}$.

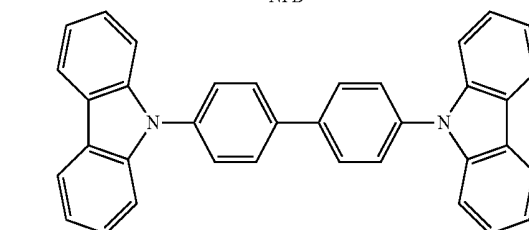
BCP was deposited on the emission layer to form a hole blocking layer having a thickness of 50 $\text{\AA}$. Then, Alq_3 was deposited on the hole blocking layer to form an electron transport layer having a thickness of 350 $\text{\AA}$. LiF was deposited on the electron transport layer to form an electron injection layer having a thickness of 10 $\text{\AA}$. Mg and Ag were deposited on the electron injection layer at a weight ratio of 90:10 to form a cathode having a thickness of 120 $\text{\AA}$, thereby manufacturing an organic light-emitting device (emitting green light).



2-TNATA



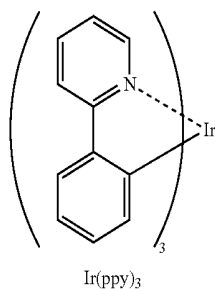
NPB



CBP

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Examples 2 and 3 and Comparative Examples 1 and 2

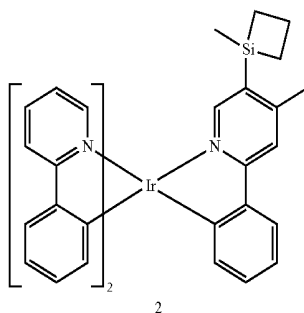
Organic light-emitting device was manufactured in the same manner as in Example 1, except that in forming the emission layer, compounds listed in Table 2 below were each used instead of Compound 2 as a dopant.

Evaluation Example 1

The organic light-emitting devices of Examples 1 to 3 and Comparative Examples 1 and 2 were subjected to evaluation of driving voltage, current density, brightness, efficiency, and color purity, by using PR650 Spectroscan Source Measurement Unit. (available by PhotoResearch Company). Here, LT₉₇ refers to lifespan data obtained by measuring times required to reach 97% of brightness when initial brightness is considered as 100% with respect to current density of 10 milliAmperes per square centimeter (mA/cm²). The results are shown in Table 2 below.

TABLE 2

	Dopant	Driving voltage (V)	Current density (Ma/cm ²)	Brightness (cd/m ²)	Efficiency (cd/A)	Emission color (HR)	LT ₉₇
Example 1	Compound 2	5.2	10	6324	65.8	green	108
Example 2	Compound 3	5.0	10	6782	70.2	green	120
Example 3	Compound 4	5.2	10	6560	67.2	green	116
Comparative Example 1	Ir(ppy) ₃	7.0	10	4712	40.1	green	32
Comparative Example 2	Compound B	6.8	10	4520	38.2	green	58



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TABLE 2-continued

	Dopant	Driving voltage (V)	Current density (Ma/cm ²)	Brightness (cd/m ²)	Efficiency (cd/A)	Emission color (HR)	LT ₉₇
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10							
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Compound B

Referring to Table 2, it was confirmed that the organic light-emitting devices of Examples 1 to 3 had better driving voltage, brightness, efficiency, and lifespan characteristics than those of the organic light-emitting devices of Comparative Examples 1 and 2.

As described above, according to the one or more of the above exemplary embodiments, an organometallic compound has excellent electric characteristics and thermal stability, and thus an organic light-emitting device including the organometallic compound also has excellent driving voltage, current density, efficiency, color purity, and lifespan characteristics.

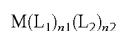
It should be understood that the exemplary embodiments described therein should be considered in a descriptive sense only and not for purposes of limitation. Descriptions of features or aspects within each exemplary embodiment should typically be considered as available for other similar features or aspects in other exemplary embodiments.

While one or more exemplary embodiments have been described with reference to the FIGURES, it will be understood by those of ordinary skill in the art that various changes in form and details may be made therein without departing from the spirit and scope of the present inventive concept as defined by the following claims.

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What is claimed is:

1. An organometallic compound represented by Formula 1:



Formula 1

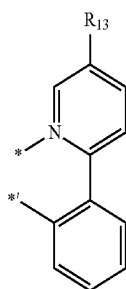
wherein M in Formula 1 is Ir;

L_1 in Formula 1 is selected from ligands represented by Formulae 2A-1 to 2A-45, and $n1$ is 1, 2, or 3, wherein when $n1$ is 2 or more, 2 or more groups L_1 are identical to or different from each other;

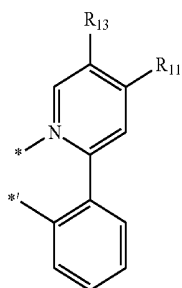
L_2 in Formula 1 is selected from organic ligands represented by Formulae 3-1(1) to 3-1(70), and $n2$ is 0, 1, or 2, wherein when $n2$ is or more, 2 or more groups L_2 are identical to or different from each other;

$n1+n2$ is 3;

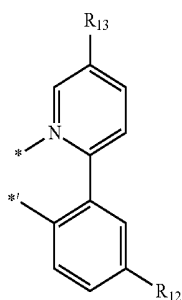
L_1 and L_2 in Formula 1 are different from each other;



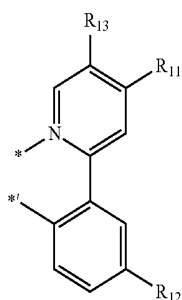
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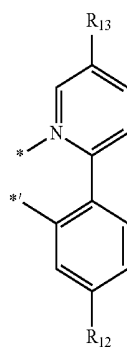
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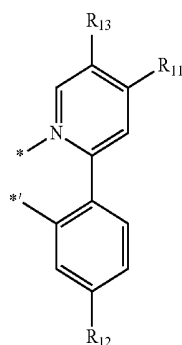
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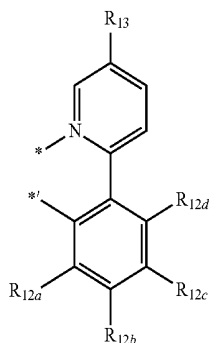
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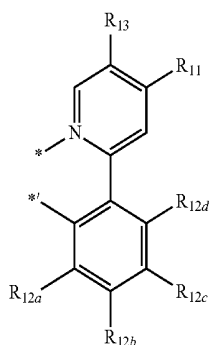
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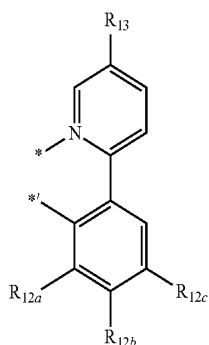
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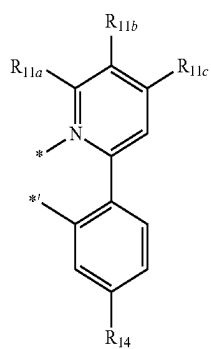
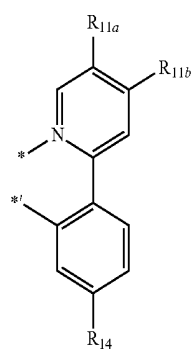
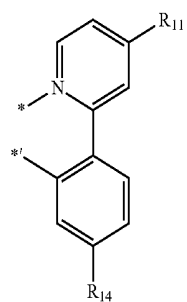
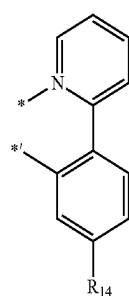
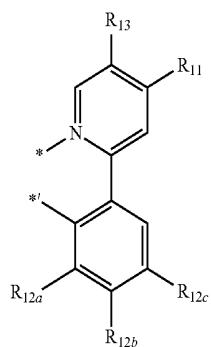
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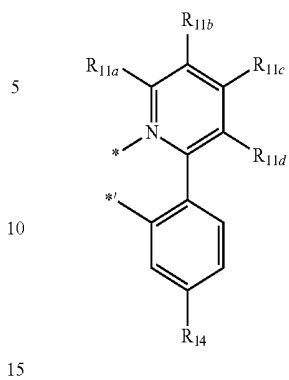
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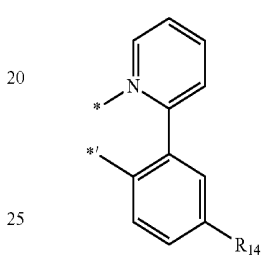
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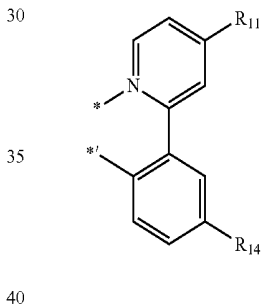
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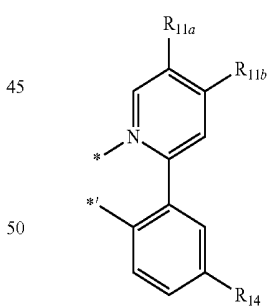
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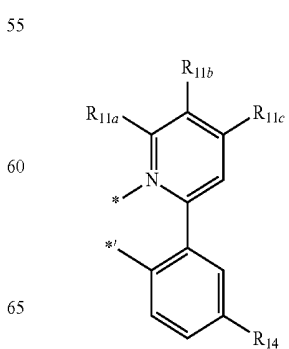
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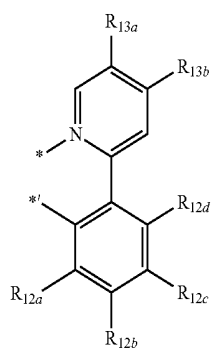
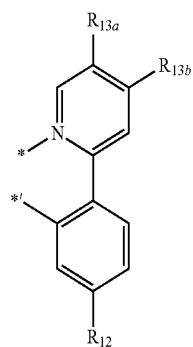
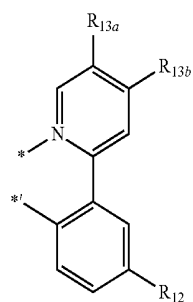
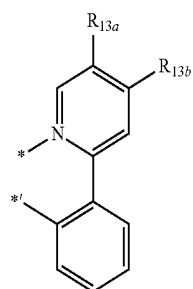
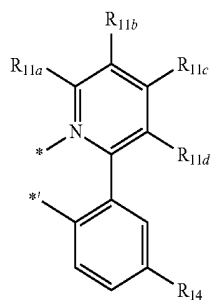
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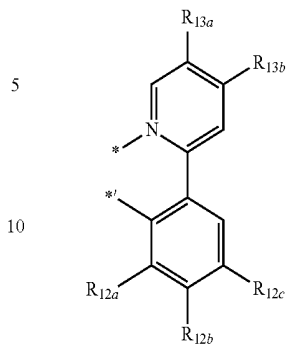
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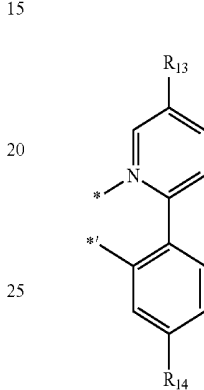
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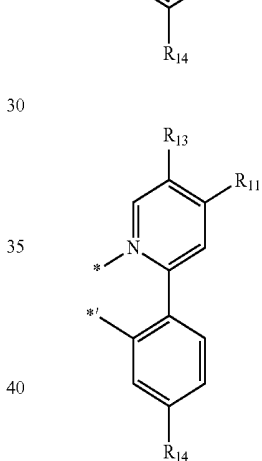
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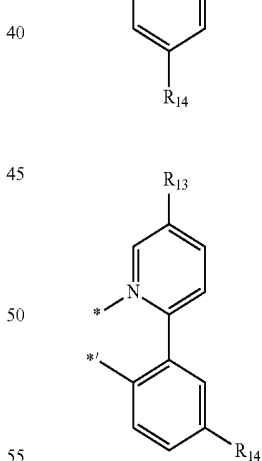
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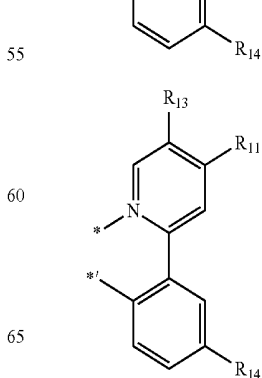
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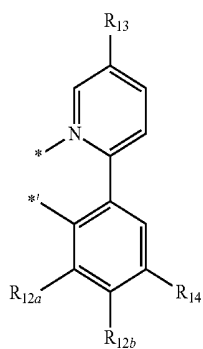
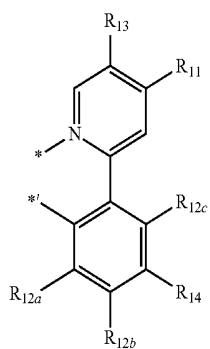
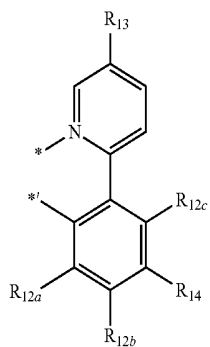
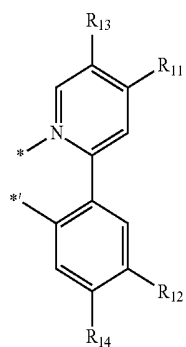
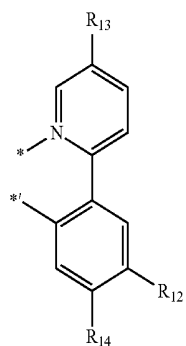
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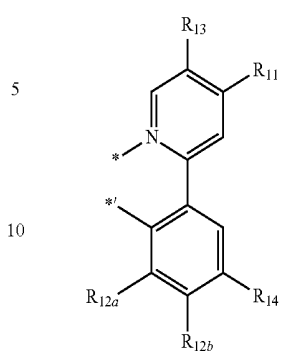
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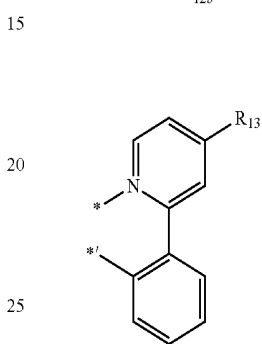
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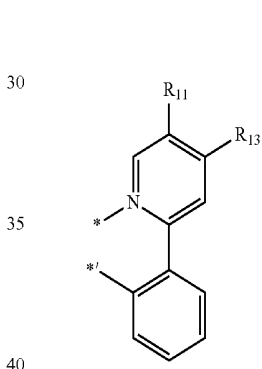
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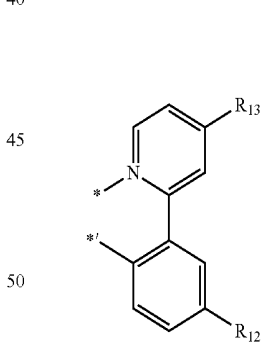
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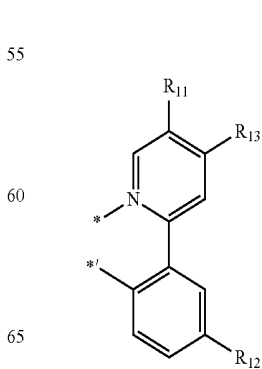
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Formula 2A-34



Formula 2A-35

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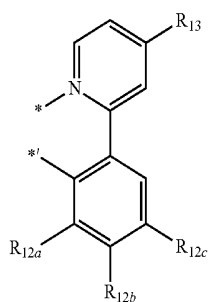
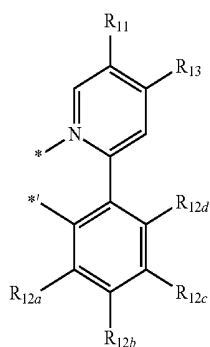
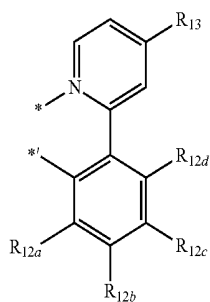
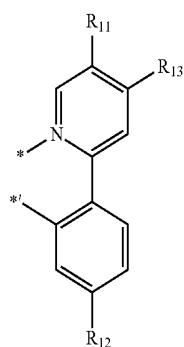
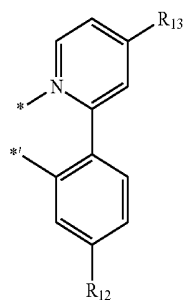
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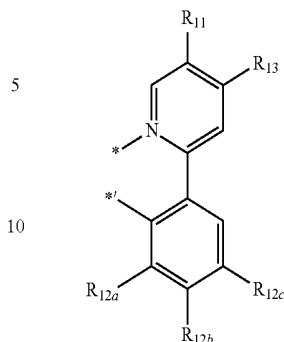
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Formula 2A-40



Formula 2A-41

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wherein in Formulae 2A-1 to 2A-45,

* and *' each indicates a binding site to M of Formula 1,

R₁₁, R_{11a} to R_{11c}, R₁₂ and R_{12a} to R_{12c} are each independently a deuterium, —F, a cyano group, a nitro group, —SF₅, —CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CF₃, —CF₂H, —CFH₂, groups represented by Formulae 9-1 to 9-17, and groups represented by Formulae 10-7 to 10-30, and

R₁₃, R_{13a}, R_{13b}, and R₁₄ are each independently selected from groups represented by Formulae 2B(1) to 2B(18): and

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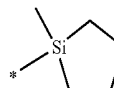
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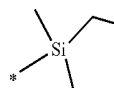
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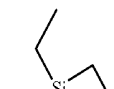
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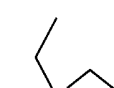
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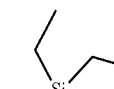
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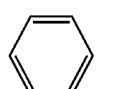
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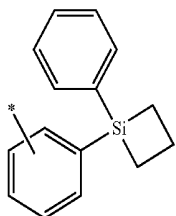
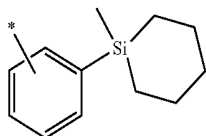
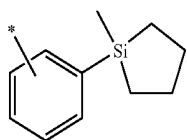
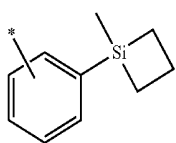
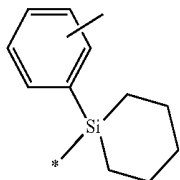
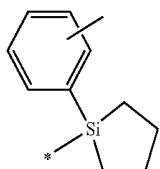
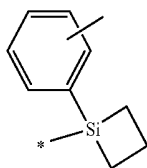
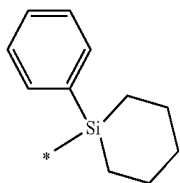
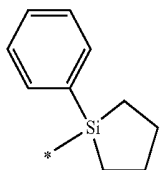
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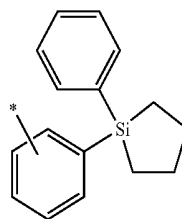


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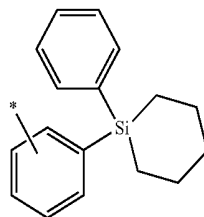


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Formula 2B(10)

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* in Formulae 2B(1) to 2B(18) indicates a binding site to a neighboring atom; and

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Formula 2B(12)

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Formula 2B(16)

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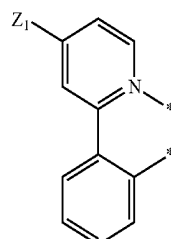
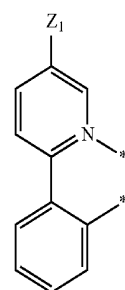
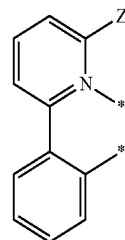
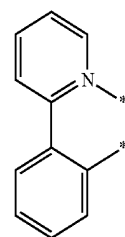
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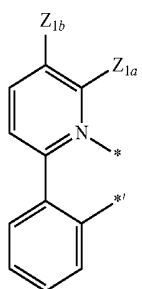
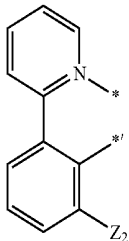
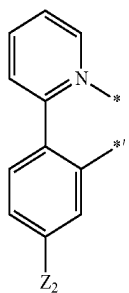
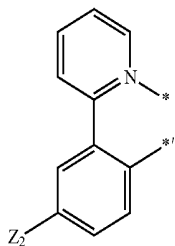
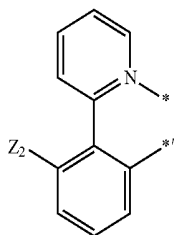
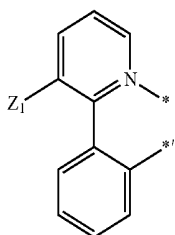
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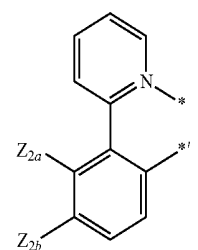
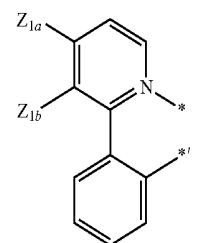
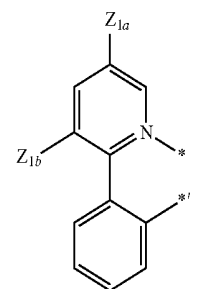
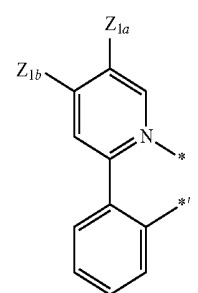
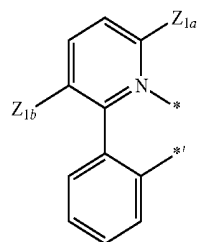
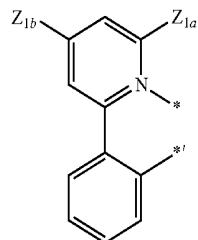


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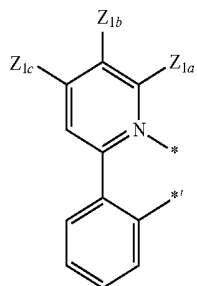
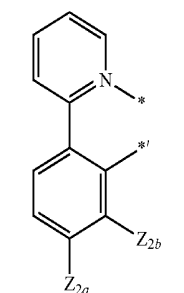
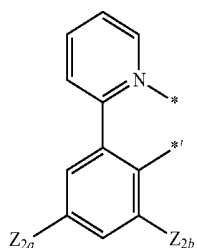
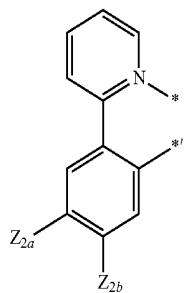
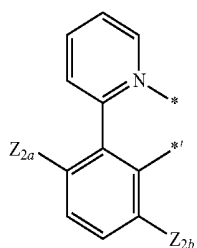
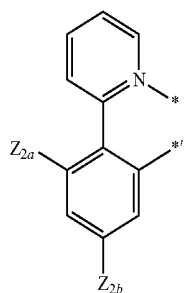
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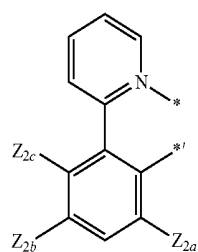
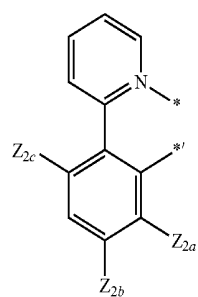
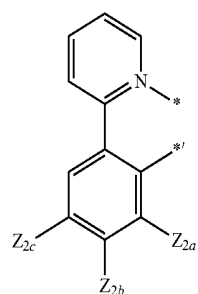
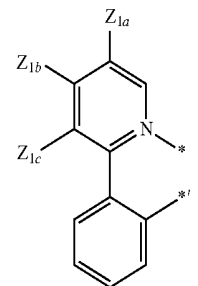
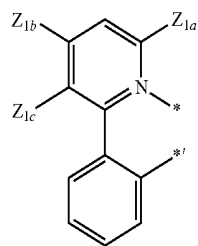
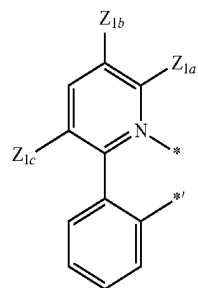
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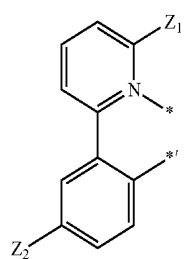
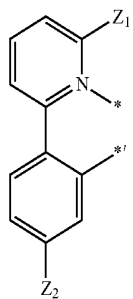
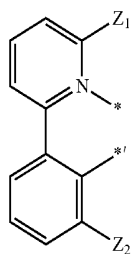
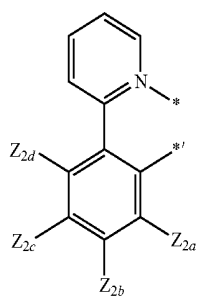
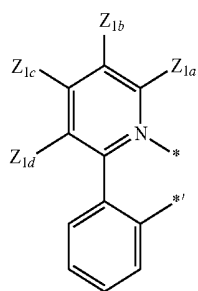
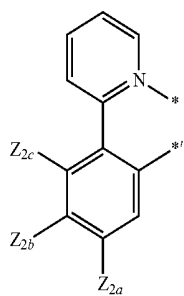
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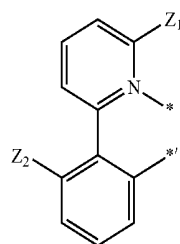
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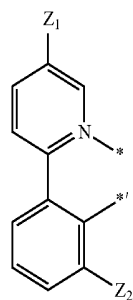
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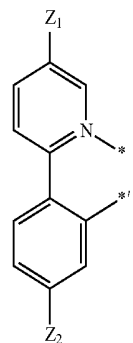


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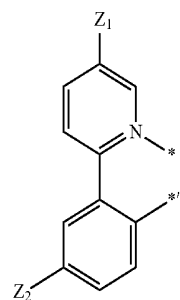
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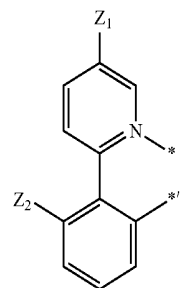
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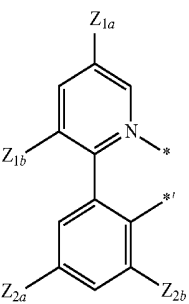
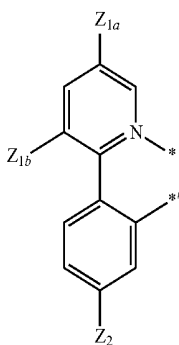
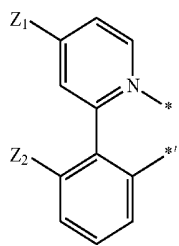
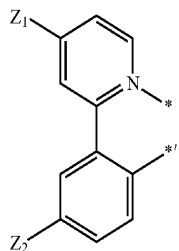
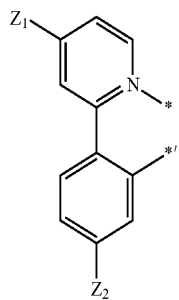
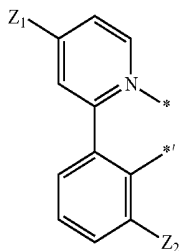


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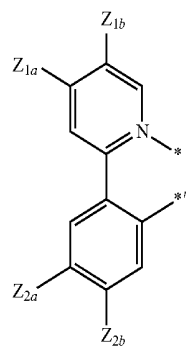
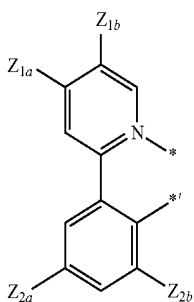
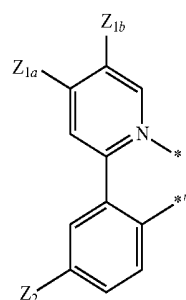
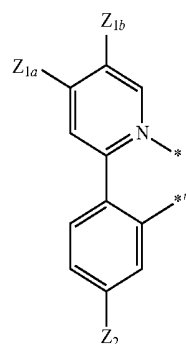
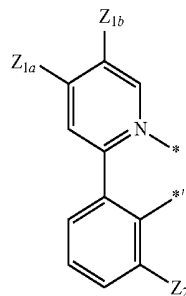


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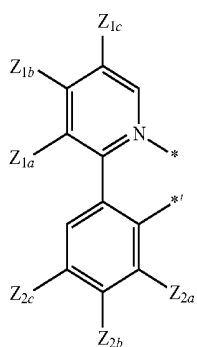
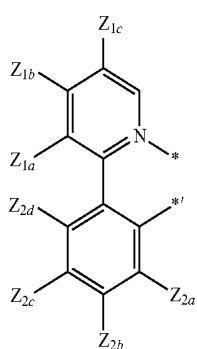
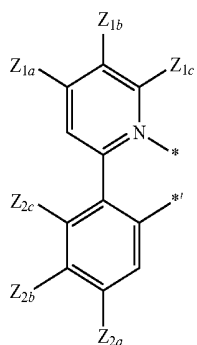
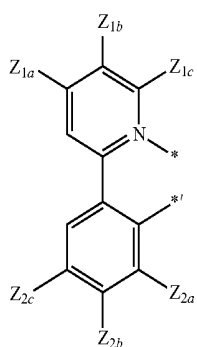
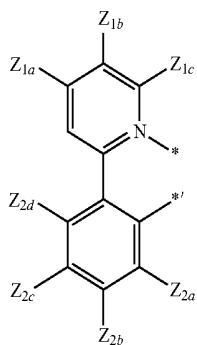
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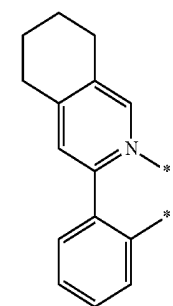
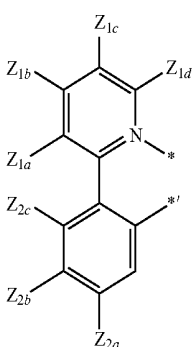
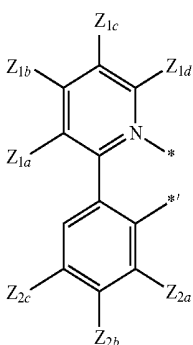
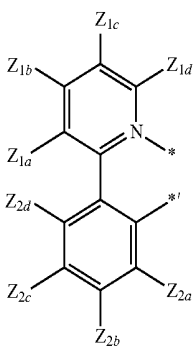
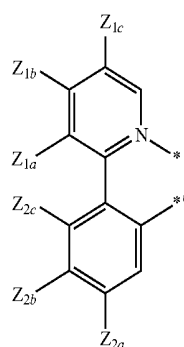
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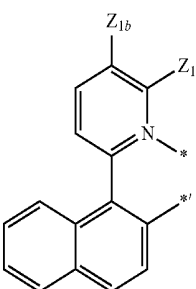
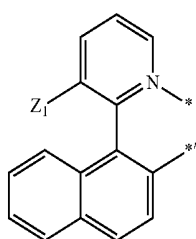
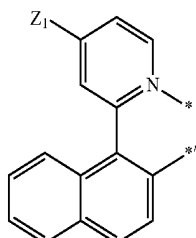
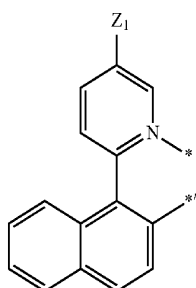
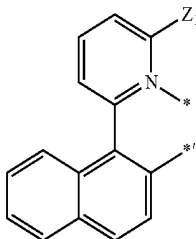
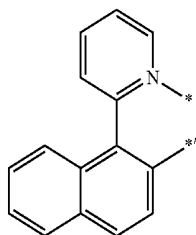
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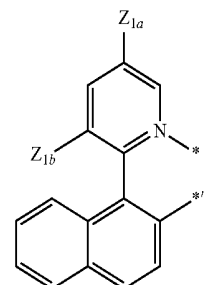
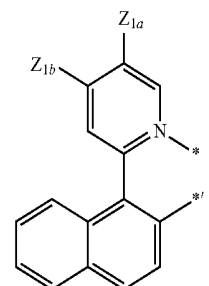
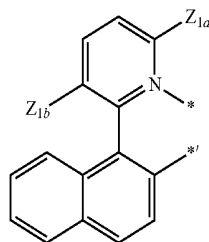
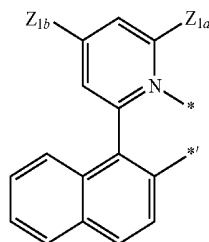
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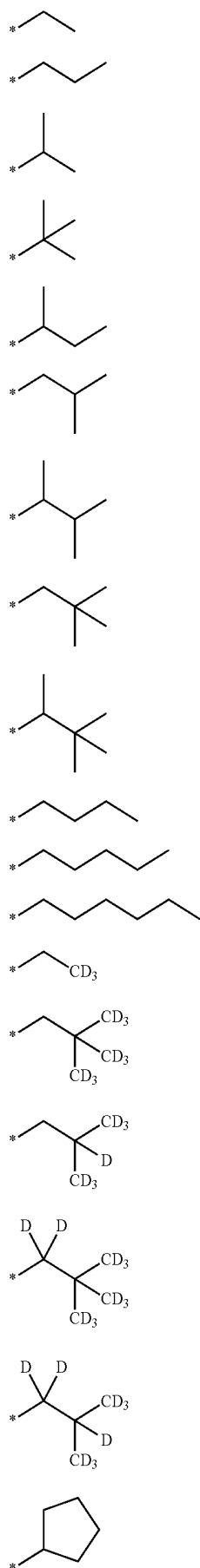
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wherein Q₃ to Q₅ are each independently selected from —CH₃, —CD₃, —CD₂H, —CDH₂, —CH₂CH₃, —CH₂CD₃, —CH₂CD₂H, —CH₂CDH₂, —CHDCH₃, —CHDCD₂H, —CHDCDH₂, —CHDCD₃, —CD₂CD₃, —CD₂CD₂H, and —CD₂CDH₂;

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group; and

an n-propyl group, an isopropyl group, an n-butyl group, an isobutyl group, a sec-butyl group, a tert-butyl group, an n-pentyl group, an isopentyl group, a sec-pentyl group, a tert-pentyl group, a phenyl group, and a naphthyl group, each substituted with at least one of a deuterium and a C₁-C₁₀ alkyl group:

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Formula 9-8

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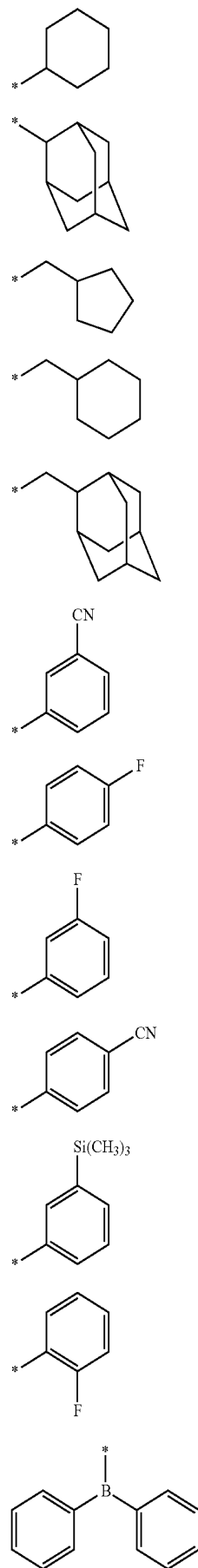
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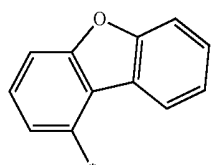
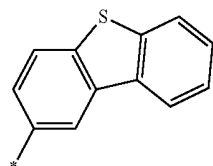
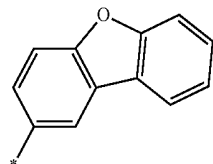
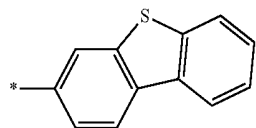
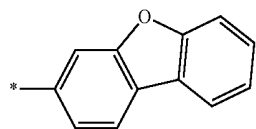
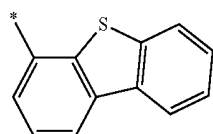
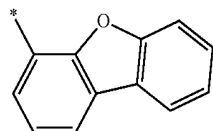
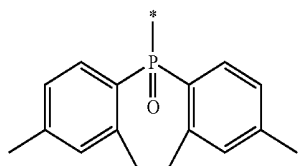
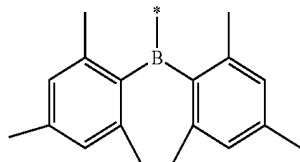
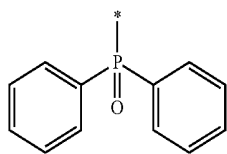
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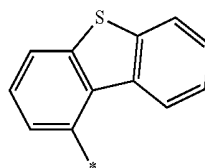
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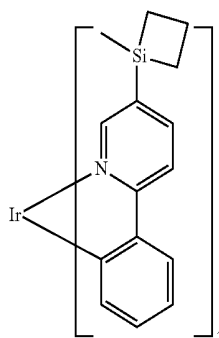
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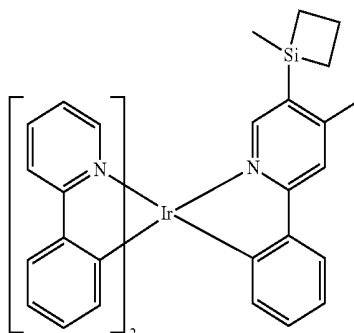
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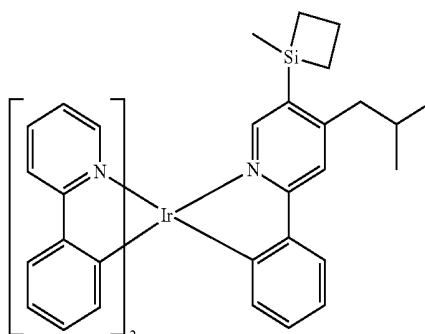
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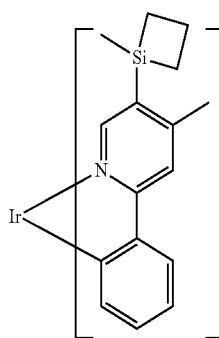
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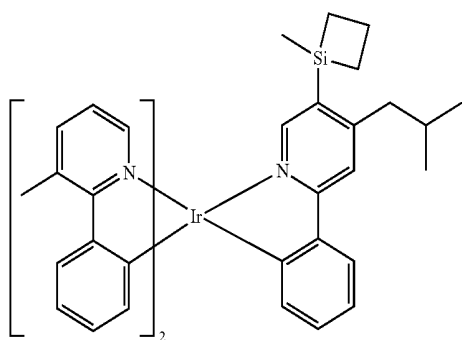
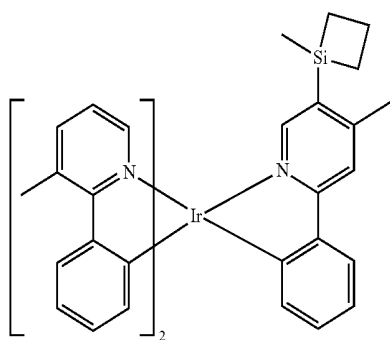
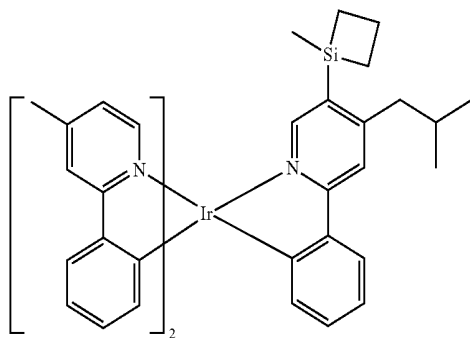
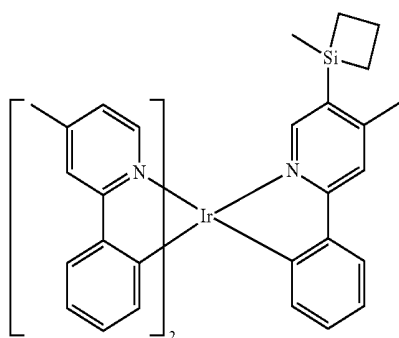
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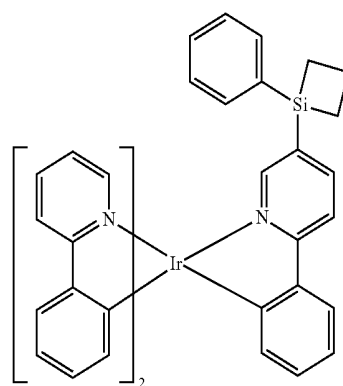
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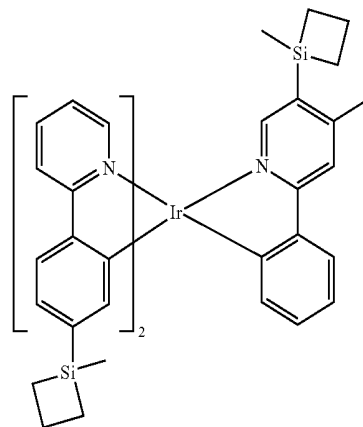
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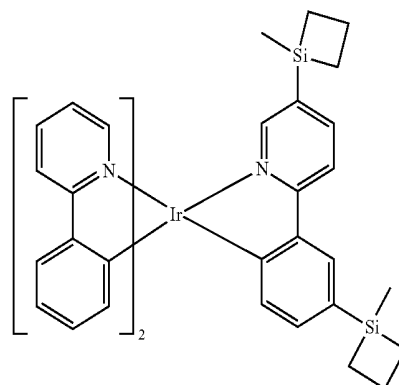


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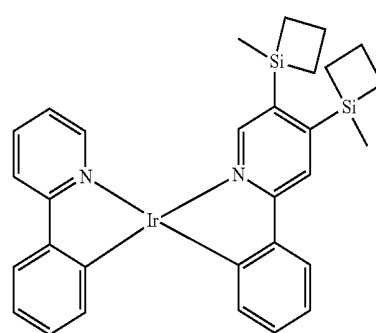


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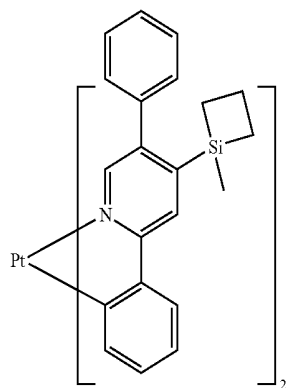
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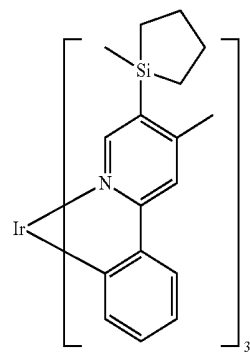
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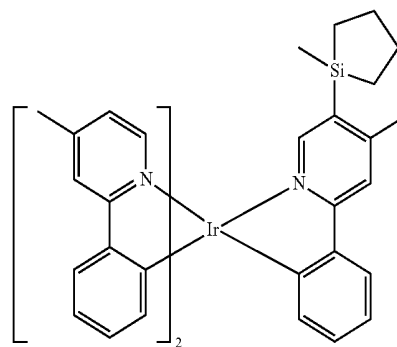
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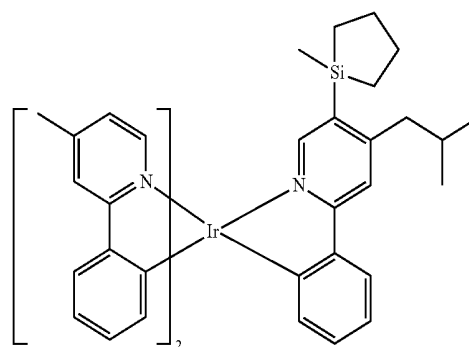
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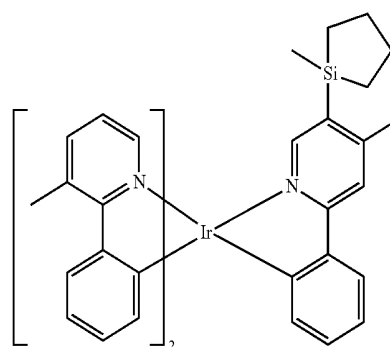
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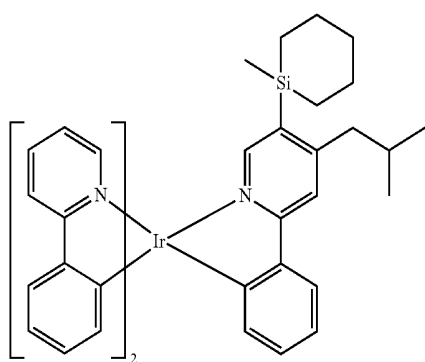
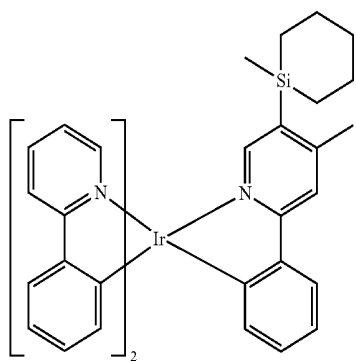
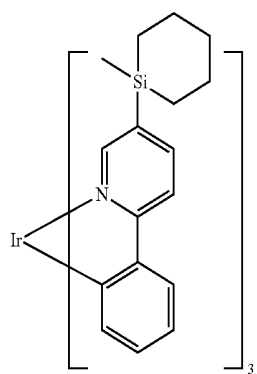
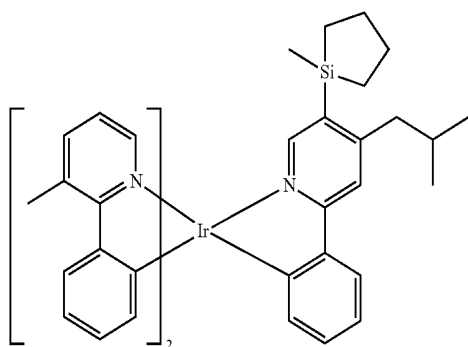
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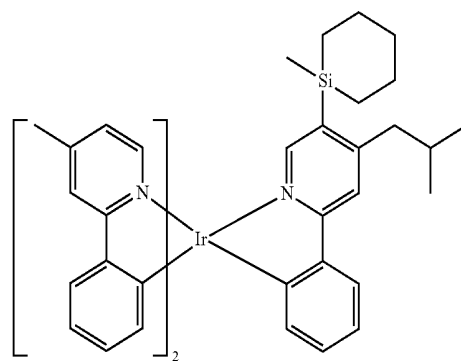
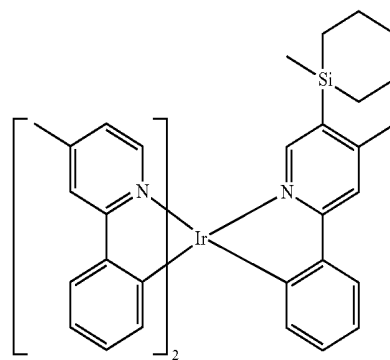
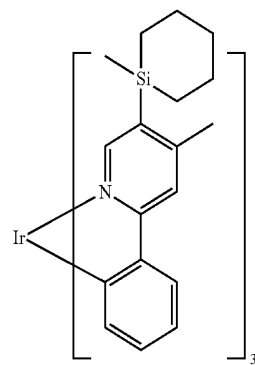


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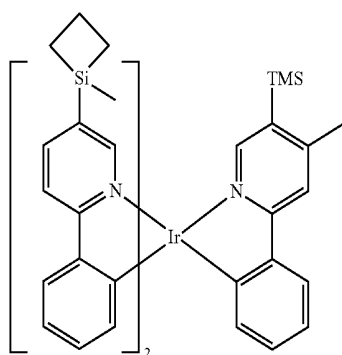
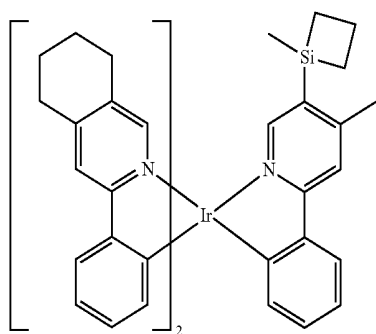
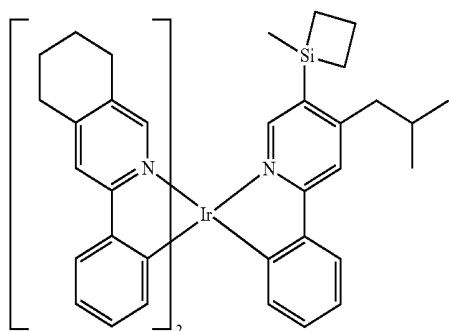
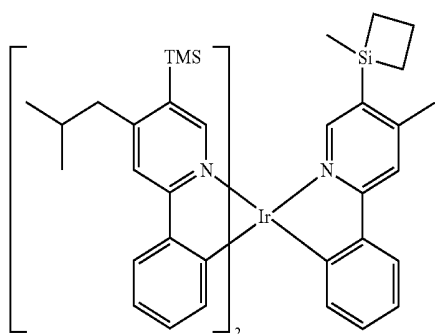
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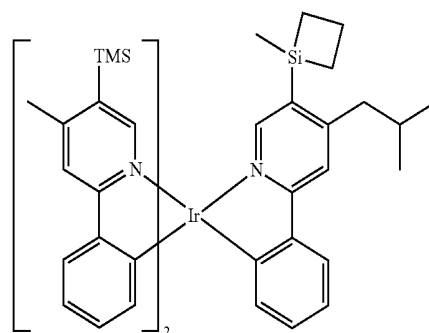
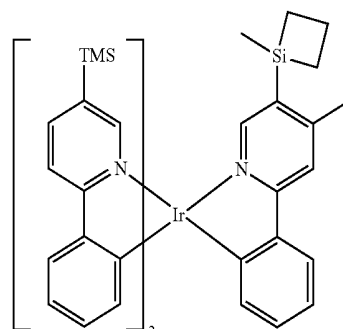
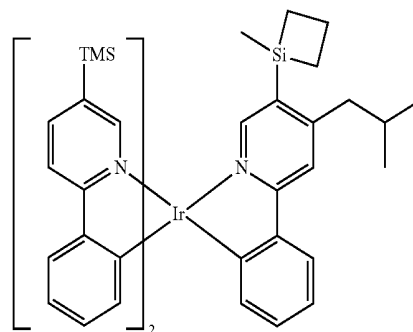
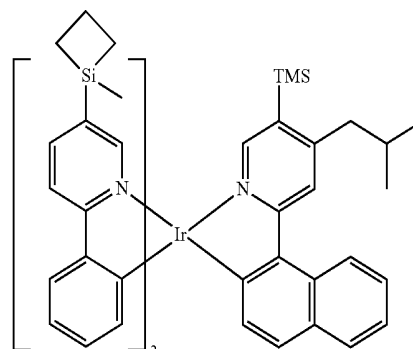
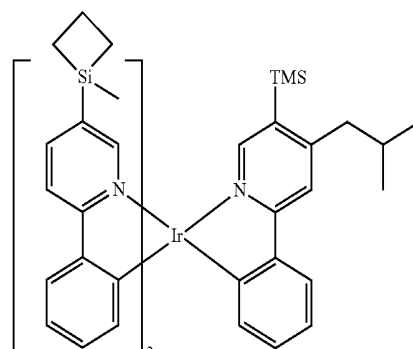
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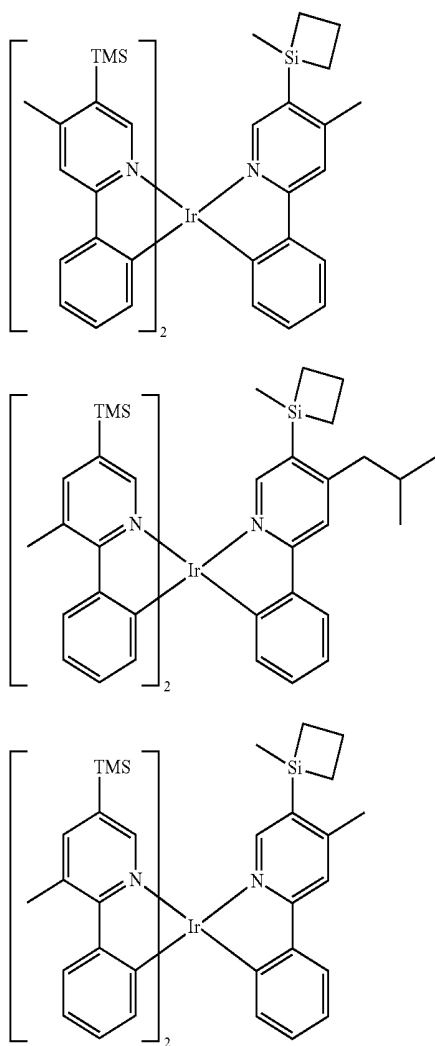
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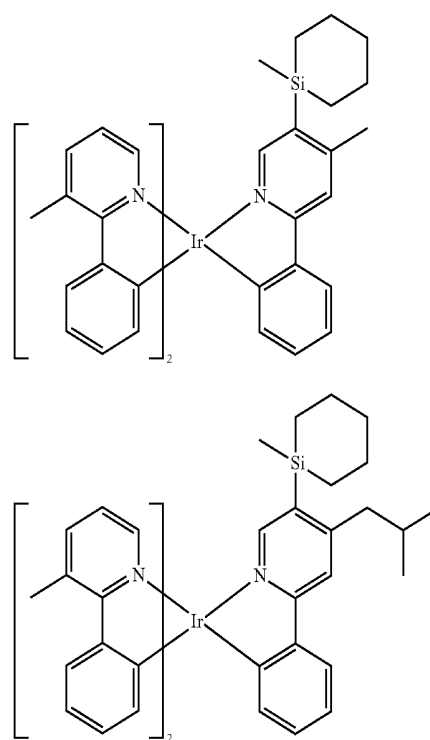
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3. An organic light-emitting device comprising:
a first electrode;
a second electrode; and
an organic layer disposed between the first electrode and
the second electrode, wherein the organic layer comprises an emission layer and at least one organometallic compound of claim **1**.

4. The organic light-emitting device of claim **3**, wherein the emission layer comprises the organometallic compound.

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由式1表示的有机金属化合物： $M(L_1)_{n1}(L_2)_{n2}$ 20032003公式1 其中在公式1中，M，L₁，L₂，n₁和n₂与说明书中描述的相同。

