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General information

Commercially available solvents and reagents were used without further purification unless otherwise noted. The spectroscopic grade solvents were used for all the spectroscopic studies. Silica gel column chromatography was performed on Wakogel C-300. The UV/Vis absorption spectra were recorded on a Shimadzu UV-3600 spectrometer. The fluorescence spectra were recorded on a JASCO spectrofluorometer FP-8500. The absolute fluorescence quantum yields were determined on a HAMAMATSU C9920-02S. The fluorescence lifetime was recorded on Hamamatsu Photonics Quantaurus-Tau C11367. The ¹H and ¹⁹F NMR spectra were recorded on a JEOL ECA-600 spectrometer (operating as 600.17 MHz for ¹H and 564.73 MHz for ¹⁹F) using the residual solvent as an internal reference for ¹H (δ = 7.26 ppm in CDCl₃) and hexafluorobenzene as an external reference for ¹⁹F (δ = -162.9 ppm). High-resolution atmosphericpressure-chemical-ionization time-of-flight mass-spectrometry (HR-APCI-TOF-MS) was recorded on a BRUKER micrOTOF model using positive ion mode. The redox potentials were measured by cyclic voltammetry on an ALS electrochemical analyzer model 612E. The Single-crystal X-ray diffraction analysis data were collected at -180 °C with a Rigaku XtaLAB P200 by using graphite monochromated Cu-*K* α radiation (λ = 1.54187 Å). The structures were solved by direct methods (SHELXT-2014/5)^[S1,S2] and refined with the full-matrix least-squares technique (SHELXL-2014/7) [53] . All calculations were carried out using the Gaussian 16 program [54].

1. NMR Spectra





Figure S1-1. ¹H and ¹⁹F NMR spectra of **4** at 25 °C in CDCl₃. *Solvent and impurities.

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, 25°C) δ / ppm = 9.69 (s, 1H, *meso*-H), 9.09 (br, 4H, β -H), 8.84 (d, *J* = 4.1 Hz, 2H, β -H), 8.60 (brs, 2H, β -H), and 4.39 (s, 6H, OMe).

¹⁹F NMR (585 MHz, CDCl₃, 25°C) δ / ppm = –139.77 (s, 4F, *o*-F), and –157.86 (s, 4F, *m*-F).



10-Chloro-5,15-bis(4-methoxy-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorophenyl)corrole 5H

Figure S1-2. ¹H and ¹⁹F NMR spectra of **5H** at 25 °C in CDCl₃. *Solvent and impurities.

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, 25°C) δ / ppm = 9.40 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β-H), 9.08 (d, *J* = 3.7 Hz, 2H, β-H), 8.81 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β-H), 8.57 (brs, 2H, β-H), and 4.40 (s, 6H, OMe).

¹⁹F NMR (585 MHz, CDCl₃, 25°C) δ / ppm = –139.75 (s, 4F, *o*-F), and –157.69 (s, 4F, *m*-F).



Figure S1-3. ¹H and ¹⁹F NMR spectra of **5Ag** at 25 °C in CDCl₃. *Solvent and impurities.

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ / ppm = 9.53 (d, *J* = 5.0 Hz, 2H, β -H), 9.30 (d, *J* = 4.1 Hz, 2H, β -H), 9.00 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β -H), 8.77 (d, *J* = 4.1 Hz, 2H, β -H), and 4.42 (s, 6H, OMe).

¹⁹F NMR (585 MHz, CDCl₃, 25°C) δ / ppm = –139.10 (d, *J* = 17.5 Hz, 4F, *o*-F), and – 157.69 (d, *J* = 17.5 Hz, 4F, *m*-F).



10-Diphenylamino-5,15-bis(4-methoxy-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorophenyl)corrolato silver(III) **6Ag**

Figure S1-4. ¹H and ¹⁹F NMR spectra of **6Ag** at 25 °C in CDCl₃. *Solvent and impurities.

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ / ppm = 9.24 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β -H), 9.12 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β -H), 8.80 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β -H), 8.71 (d, *J* = 4.1 Hz, 2H, β -H), 7.30 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 4H, *o*-Ph), 7.19 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 4H, *m*-Ph), 6.92 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H, *p*-Ph), and 4.39 (s, 6H, OMe).

¹⁹F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ / ppm = –139.05 (d, *J* = 17.5 Hz, 4F, *o*-F), and –157.87 (d, *J* = 17.5 Hz, 4F, *m*-F).



10-Diphenylamino-5,15-bis(4-methoxy-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorophenyl)corrole 6H

Figure S1-5. ¹H and ¹⁹F NMR spectra of **6H** at 25 °C in CDCl₃. *Solvent and impurities.

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ / ppm = 9.02 (d, *J* = 4.2 Hz, 4H, β -H), 9.01 (d, *J* = 4.2 Hz, 4H, β -H), 8.64 (d, *J* = 4.2 Hz, 2H, β -H), 8.53 (brs, 2H, β -H), 7.32 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 4H, *o*-Ph), 7.18 (t, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 4H, *m*-Ph), 6.90 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H, *p*-Ph), and 4.37 (s, 6H, MeO).

¹⁹F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ / ppm = –139.67 (s, 4F, *o*-F), and –157.84 (s, 4F, *m*-F).



10-Carbazolyl-5,15-bis(4-methoxy-2,3,5,6-tetrafluorophenyl)corrole 7H

Figure S1-6. ¹H and ¹⁹F NMR spectra of **7H** at 25 °C in CDCl₃. *Solvent and impurities.

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ / ppm = 9.09 (brs, 2H, β-H), 8.60 (brs, 4H, β-H+Cz), 8.43 (d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, 2H, β-H), 8.26 (brs, 2H, β-H), 7.40 (t, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H, Cz), 7.28 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H, Cz), 6.85 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H, Cz), and 4.37 (s, 6H, MeO). ¹⁹F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ / ppm = -139.75 (s, 4F, *o*-F), and -157.69 (s, 4F, *m*-F).





Figure S1-7. ¹H and ¹⁹F NMR spectra of **8** at 25 °C in CDCl₃. *Solvent and impurities.

¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ / ppm = 16.98 (s, 2H, NH), 6.45 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β-H), 6.39 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β-H), 6.34 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β-H), 6.29 (d, *J* = 4.6 Hz, 2H, β-H), 4.18 (s, 6H, OMe), 3.69 (q, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 4H, O<u>CH</u>₂CH₃), and 1.17 (t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 6H, OCH₂<u>CH</u>₃). ¹⁹F NMR (565 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = -140.70 (d, *J* = 17.5 Hz, 4F, *o*-F), and –

158.21 (d, J = 17.5 Hz, 4F, m-F).

2. Mass Spectra



Figure S2-2. Observed (top) and simulated (bottom) HR-APCI-TOF-MS of **5H** m/z = 689.0962 (calculated for [C₃₃H₁₈N₄O₂³⁵ClF₈]⁺; [*M*+H]⁺, m/z = 689.0985).



Figure S2-3. Observed (top) and simulated (bottom) HR-APCI-TOF-MS of **5Ag** m/z = 791.9715 (calculated for [C₃₃H₁₄N₄O_{2¹⁰⁷}Ag³⁵ClF₈]⁺; [*M*]⁺, m/z = 791.9723).



Figure S2-4. Observed (top) and simulated (bottom) HR-APCI-TOF-MS of **6Ag** m/z = 925.0827 (calculated for $[C_{45}H_{24}N_5O_2^{107}AgF_8]^+$; $[M]^+$, m/z = 925.0848).



Figure S2-5. Observed (top) and simulated (bottom) HR-APCI-TOF-MS of **6H** m/z = 822.2042 (calculated for $[C_{45}H_{28}N_5O_2F_8]^+$; $[M+H]^+$, m/z = 821.2110).



Figure S2-6. Observed (top) and simulated (bottom) HR-APCI-TOF-MS of **7H** m/z = 820.1908 (calculated for [C₄₅H₂₅N₅O₂F₈]⁺; [*M*+H]⁺, m/z = 820.1953).



Figure S2-7. Observed (top) and simulated (bottom) HR-APCI-TOF-MS of **8** m/z = 742.1811 (calculated for $[C_{37}H_{26}N_4O_4F_8]^+$; $[M]^+$, m/z = 742.1821).

3. UV/Vis Absorption and Fluorescence Spectra



Figure S3-1. UV/Vis absorption (solid) and fluorescence (dashed) spectra of **4**. UV/Vis (CH₂Cl₂) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 401(1.35), 556(0.24), 604(0.14). FL (CH₂Cl₂) λ_{max} / nm = 642, 700. Φ_F = 9.2%.



Figure S3-2. UV/Vis absorption (solid) and fluorescence (dashed) spectra of **5H**. UV/Vis (CH₂Cl₂) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 412(1.71), 566(0.28), 616(0.17). FL (CH₂Cl₂) λ_{max} / nm = 648, 704. $\Phi_{\rm F}$ = 2.3%.



Figure S3-3. UV/Vis absorption spectrum of **5Ag**. UV/Vis (CH₂Cl₂) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 423(1.57), 563(0.25), 579(0.34).



Figure S3-4. UV/Vis absorption spectrum of **6Ag**. UV/Vis (CH₂Cl₂) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 412(0.55), 426(0.55), 570(0.19).



Figure S3-5. UV/Vis absorption (solid) and fluorescence (dashed) spectra of **6H** (top) in CH₂Cl₂ (bottom) in several solvents.

- UV/Vis (cyclohexane) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 405 (0.65), 573 (0.14), 627 (0.09); (THF) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 429 (0.67), 579 (0.16), 617 (0.11); (CH₂Cl₂) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 408 (0.71), 574 (0.15), 624 (0.10); (acetone) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 433 (0.80), 577 (0.13), 629 (0.14); (MeOH) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 428 (0.64), 578 (0.14), 623 (0.11). FL (cyclohexane) λ_{max} / nm = 685, $\Phi_{\rm F}$ = 10.3%, τ = 4.63 ns;
- (THF) $\lambda_{max} / nm = 696$, $\Phi_F = 11.4\%$, $\tau = 3.79$ ns; (CH₂Cl₂) $\lambda_{max} / nm = 699$, $\Phi_F = 10.4\%$, $\tau = 3.79$ ns; (acetone) $\lambda_{max} / nm = 696$, $\Phi_F = 10.4\%$, $\tau = 3.75$ ns; (MeOH) $\lambda_{max} / nm = 701$, $\Phi_F = 6.9\%$, $\tau = 2.67$ ns.

The full fluorescence spectra could not be measured because of the instrument limit.



Figure S3-6. UV/Vis absorption spectra (solid) and fluorescence (dashed) spectra of **7H** (top) in CH₂Cl₂ (bottom) in several solvents. UV/Vis (cyclohexane) $\lambda_{max} / nm (\epsilon / 10^5 M^{-1} cm^{-1}) = 407 (1.11), 417 (1.03), 563 (0.21), 607 (0.11);$

(THF) $\lambda_{\text{max}} / \text{nm} (\varepsilon / 10^5 \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}) = 421(1.30), 568(0.26), 605(0.16);$ (CH₂Cl₂) $\lambda_{\text{max}} / \text{nm} (\varepsilon / 10^5 \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}) = 411 (1.30), 565 (0.24), 606 (0.12);$ (acetone) $\lambda_{\text{max}} / \text{nm} (\varepsilon / 10^5 \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}) = 423 (1.28), 565(0.19), 614(0.19);$ (MeOH) $\lambda_{\text{max}} / \text{nm} (\varepsilon / 10^5 \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-1}) = 421(1.38), 568(0.21), 609(0.21).$ (cyclohexane) $\lambda_{\text{max}} / \text{nm} = 656, \Phi_F = 7.5\%, \tau = 4.28 \text{ ns};$

(THF) $\lambda_{max} / nm = 659$, $\Phi_F = 10.4\%$, $\tau = 3.53$ ns; (CH₂Cl₂) $\lambda_{max} / nm = 654$, $\Phi_F = 9.2\%$, $\tau = 3.74$ ns; (acetone) $\lambda_{max} / nm = 657$, $\Phi_F = 9.6\%$, $\tau = 3.67$ ns; (MeOH) $\lambda_{max} / nm = 656$, $\Phi_F = 7.6\%$, $\tau = 3.69$ ns.

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Compound	Solvent	Absorption peaks / nm	Fluorescence peaks / nm	Stokes Shift / cm ⁻¹	Φ_F
6H	Cyclohexane	405, 573, 627	685	1050	10.3%
	THF	429, 579, 617	696	1839	11.4%
	CH ₂ Cl ₂	408, 574, 624	699	1720	10.4%
	Acetone	433, 577, 629	696	1530	10.4%
	Methanol	428, 578, 623	701	2236	6.9%
7H	Cyclohexane	407, 417, 563, 607	656	1230	7.5%
	THF	421, 568, 605	659	1354	10.4%
	CH ₂ Cl ₂	411, 565, 606	654	1211	9.2%
	Acetone	423, 565, 614	657	1066	9.6%
	Methanol	421, 568, 609	656	1176	7.6%

Table S1. Absorption and emission details of 6H and 7H in various solvents.

Table S2. The photophysical parameters of 6H and 7H in various solvents.

Compound	Solvent	Φ_{F}	τ / ns	kr / s ⁻¹	<i>knr / s</i> ⁻¹
6H	Cyclohexane	10.3%	4.63	2.23×10 ⁷	1.94×10^{8}
	THF	11.4%	3.79	3.01×10 ⁷	2.34×10 ⁸
	CH ₂ Cl ₂	10.4%	3.79	2.74×10 ⁷	2.36×10 ⁸
	Acetone	10.4%	3.75	2.77×107	2.39×10 ⁸
	Methanol	6.9%	2.67	2.58×10 ⁷	3.49×10^{8}
7H	Cyclohexane	7.5%	4.28	1.75×10 ⁷	2.16×10 ⁸
	THF	10.4%	3.53	2.95×107	2.54×10^{8}
	CH ₂ Cl ₂	9.2%	3.74	2.46×10 ⁷	2.43×10^{8}
	Acetone	9.6%	3.67	2.62×107	2.46×10^{8}
	Methanol	7.6%	3.69	2.07×107	2.51×10 ⁸



Figure S3-7. UV/Vis absorption spectrum of **8**.

UV/Vis (CH₂Cl₂) λ_{max} / nm (ϵ / 10⁵ M⁻¹ cm⁻¹) = 418(0.28), 720(0.02).

4. X-ray Crystallographic Details

Compound	6Ag	6H	8
Empirical	C45H24AgF8N5O2,	C45H27F8N5O2,	C37H26F8N4O4
Formula	$2(CH_2Cl_2)$	CH ₂ Cl ₂	
Fw	1096.41	906.64	742.62
Crystal System	Monoclinic	Monoclinic	Monoclinic
Space Group	P 21/c	P 21/n	C 2/c
а	19.146(2) Å	12.699(2) Å	30.473(4) Å
b	16.861(2) Å	12.539(4) Å	7.7705(10) Å
С	14.2419(17) Å	24.778(5) Å	29.951(4) Å
α	90°	90°	90°
β	111.296(13)°	94.346(5)°	114.468(3)°
γ	90°	90°	90°
Volume	4283.6(9) Å ³	3934.1(16) Å ³	6455.2(15) Å ³
Z	4	4	8
Density	1.700 g⋅cm ⁻³	1.531 g⋅cm ⁻³	1.528 g⋅cm ⁻³
(calculated)			
Completeness	0.977	0.991	0.989
Goodness-of-fit	1.092	1.034	1.100
(all data)			
$R_1(I \ge 2\sigma(I))$	0.0425	0.0430	0.0605
w R_2 (all data)	0.1241	0.1084	0.2004
CCDC No.	1893158	1893160	1893159

Table S3. Crystallographic details of 6Ag, 6H, and 8.



Figure S4-1. X-Ray structure of **6Ag**. (left) Top view and (right) side view. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level. Solvent molecules are omitted for clarity.



Figure S4-2. X-Ray structure of **6H**. (left) Top view and (right) side view. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level. Solvent molecules are omitted for clarity.



Figure S4-3. X-Ray structure of **8**. (left) Top view and (right) side view. Thermal ellipsoids are shown at the 50% probability level.

5. Cyclic Voltammograms

Conditions: Solvent: 1M *n*Bu₄NPF₆ solution in dichloromethane. Working electrode: Glassy carbon. Counter electrode: Pt wire. Reference electrode: Ag/AgClO₄. Scan rate: 0.05 V/s.



Figure S5-1. Cyclic voltammogram of **4**.



Figure S5-2. Cyclic voltammogram of 5H.



Figure S5-3. Cyclic voltammogram of 5Ag.



Figure S5-4. Cyclic voltammogram of **6Ag**.



Figure S5-5. Cyclic voltammogram of **6H**.



Figure S5-6. Cyclic voltammogram of **7H**.

6. DFT Calculations



Figure S6-1. MO energy diagrams and Kohn–Sham orbital representations for **4**, **6H**, and diphenylamine segment calculated at the B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) level.



Figure S6-2. MO energy diagrams and Kohn–Sham orbital representations for **4**, **7H**, and carbazole segment calculated at the B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) level.



Figure S6-3. Optimized structure of **7H** calculated at the B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) level.

7. Plausible Reaction Mechanism for the Formation of 8



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