Electrochemically-Driven Formation of a Molecular Capsule around the Ferrocenium Ion

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SUPPORTING INFORMATION

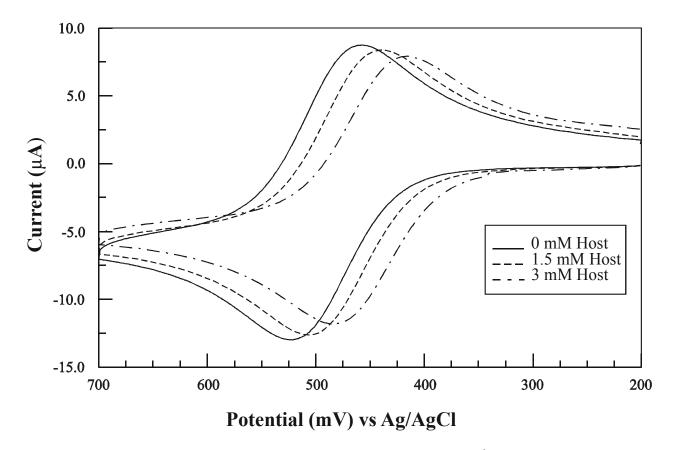


Figure SI1. Cyclic voltammetric response on glassy carbon (0.071 cm²) of a CH₂Cl₂ solution containing 0.5 mM ferrocene, variable concentrations of host **2** and 0.1M TDA⁺·PF₆⁻. Scan rate: 0.1 V/s. From digital simulations, we estimate that the binding constant between ferrocenium and **2** is 40 ± 15 L/mol.

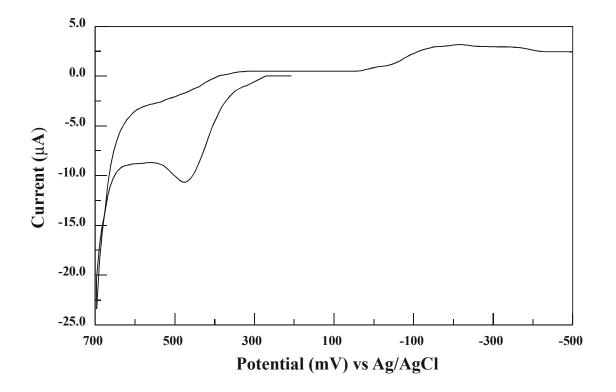


Figure SI2. Cyclic voltammetric response with an extended cathodic scan. The solution contains 0.5 mM ferrocene, 3.0 mM host **2** and 0.1 M TDA^+Br^- in CH_2Cl_2 . Scan rate: 0.1 V/s.

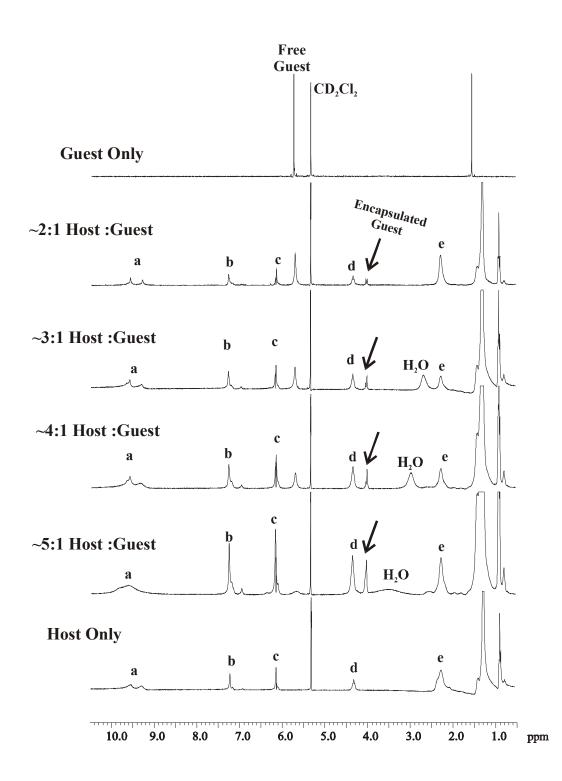


Figure SI3. ¹H NMR spectra (400 MHz, CD_2Cl_2) of guest $Cob^+ \cdot PF_6^-$ and host 2 at various relative concentrations. For proton assignments, see Chart 1.

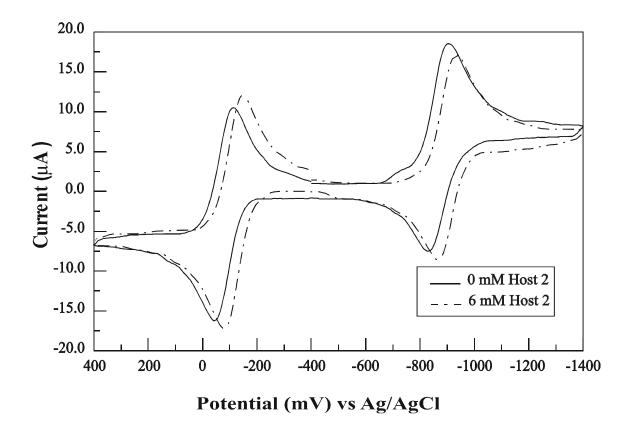


Figure SI4. Cyclic voltammetric response on a glassy carbon electrode (0.071 cm^2) of a 0.1 M TBA⁺·PF₆⁻/CH₂Cl₂ solution containing 1.0 mM decamethylferrocene, 1.0 mM Cob⁺·PF₆⁻ and variable concentrations of host **2**. Scan rate: 0.1 V/s.