



# Memory Nanodevice Based on Zn-MOF-74: A Molecular Dynamics Study

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## Abstract:

A two-level system based on  $C_{60}^-@Zn-MOF-74$  is investigated by molecular dynamics simulation to explore an application as memory nanodevice. An external electric field triggers the displacement of  $C_{60}^-$  and defines the status of the system: bit 1 or 0.

The crystal structure of Zn-MOF-74 allows to achieve the high memory elements density and high switching speed. Zn-MOF-74 has one dimensional well-defined pores, which size is big enough to contain the  $C_{60}$  ion. There are two groups of electrodes, presented by (6,6) nanotubes. The structure of the system is shown in Figure 1.

The nanodevice has outstanding data **throughput rate about 27 Gbyte/s** and **high memory elements density - 106 Tb/inch<sup>2</sup>** [1].

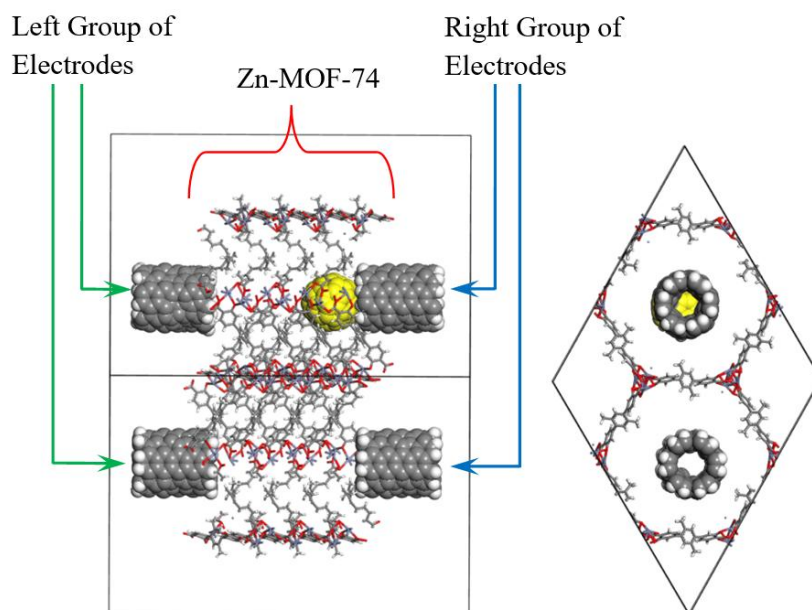


Figure 1. Element of memory nanodevice, which consists of  $C_{60}$  ion (highlighted by yellow), which is enclosed in channel of Zn-MOF-74 with left and right groups of electrodes - carbon nanotubes (6,6).

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