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Comparison with Molecular Surface Electrostatic Potential and Thermal Reactivity of Nitramines

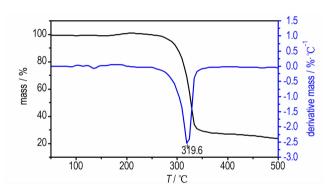
240 220 = 0.1478x + 198.38 activation energy *E*₃ / kJ⋅mol⁻¹ 200 180 160 * TETROGEN 140 120 50 100 -50 150 200 0 summed surface electrostatic potential $V_{e, r}$ / kJ·mol

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Molecular surface electrostatic potentials $V_{\rm S}({\bf r})$ (ESP) of seventeen nitramines have been calculated. As a criterion of the imbalance between the $V_{\rm S,max}$ and $V_{\rm S,min}$ extremes their sum was derived and used as a new simple characteristic for ESPs- $V_{\rm S,\Sigma}$. These $V_{\rm S,\Sigma}$ values have close relationships with the Arrhenius parameters, $E_{\rm a}$ and $\log A$, of thermal decomposition of the nitramines studied. The correlation between the $V_{\rm S,\Sigma}$ values and heats of fusion of the nitramines studied is described.

An Energetic Pb (${\rm II}$) Complex of TANPyO: Synthesis, Thermal Decomposition Behavior and Catalytic Effect on Thermal Decomposition of AP



CHENG Jian, ZHANG Rong-xian, FU Dai-xuan, ZHAO Feng-qi, XU Si-yu, WANG Xiao-min, LIU Zu-liang Chinese Journal of Energetic Materials, 2015, 23(12): 1162–1166 An energetic Pb(II) complex of TANPyO was synthesized, and its structure and properties were characterized with FT-IR spectroscopy, elemental analysis, sensitivity tests, TG-DTG and DSC.

Synthesis and Properties of N, N-Bis ((3,5-dinitro-1*H*-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl) methyl) nitramine

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N, *N*-bis ((3, 5-dinitro-1*H*-1, 2, 4-triazol-1-yl) methyl) nitramine (BDNTMN) was synthesized via diazotization, nitration and *N*-alkylation etc reactions using 3,5-diamino-1,2,4-triazole (DAT) as starting material. The structures of each compound were characterized by means of ¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR, IR, MS and elemental analysis. The thermal behaviors of BDNTMN were analyzed by DSC and TG. The physicochemical property and detonation performance of BDNTMN were predicted by Gaussian 09 and Kamlat-Jacbos equations.

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Facile Synthesis and Crystal Structure of 3,4-Bis(1*H*-5-tetrazolyl) furoxan

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3,4-Bis(1*H*-5-tetrazolyl) furoxanwas easily synthesized from 3,4-dicy-anofuroxan. The single crystal of the compound was studied by X-ray single-crystal diffraction.

Synthesis and Characterization of Two New Energetic Polyamino and Nitro Pyridine Derivatives

A newazo-bridged pyridine derivative (E)-1, 2-bis (2-chloro-3-nitropyridin-4-yl) diazene (3) and 2-chloro-4-amine-3, 5-dinitropyridine (2) were synthesized through a direct nitration reaction using 2-chloro-4-aminopyridine (1) as a primary material, followed by a simple amination reaction to give (E)-1, 2-bis (2-amino-3-nitro-pyridin-4-yl) diazene (5) and 2, 4-diamino-3, 5-dinitropyridine (4).

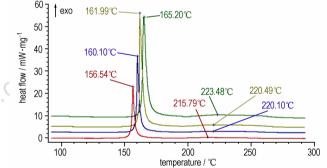
MA Cong-ming, LIU Zu-liang, YAO Qi-zheng

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Non-isothermal Decomposition Kinetics, Specific Heat Capacity and Adiabatic Time-to-explosion of $Cu(pn)_2(FOX-7)_2$

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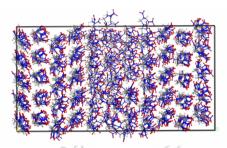
Thermal decomposition of $Cu(pn)_2(FOX-7)_2(pn=1,3-diaminopropane)$ was studied.

Impact Sensitivity in Respect of the Crystal Lattice Free Volume and the Characteristics of Plasticity of Some Nitramine Explosives

Svatopluk Zeman, Marcela JUNGOVÁ, Qi-Long YAN Chinese Journal of Energetic Materials, 2015, 23(12): 1186–1191 The relationship between the crystal lattice free volume, ΔV , and impact sensitivity, $E_{\rm dr}$, of ten nitramines has been analyzed. Also, relationships between the $E_{\rm dr}$ values, on the one hand, and bulk modulus, K, and shear modulus, G, on the other, have been discussed.

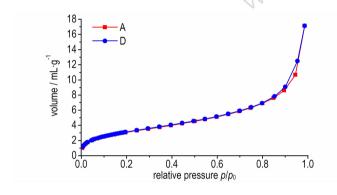
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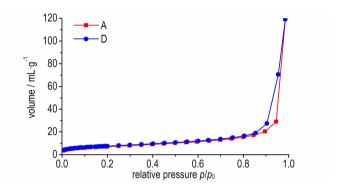
Molecular Dynamics Simulations of Crystalline δ-HMX with Void Defect



LIAO Ning, LI Wen-peng, ZHOU Xiao-qing, DUAN Xiao-hui Chinese Journal of Energetic Materials ,2015 ,23(12) : 1192-1197 The void defect evolvement and molecular conformational transition in crystalline δ -HMX were simulated applying molecular dynamics (MD) method and a compared research with β phase was performed.

Microstructure and Fractal Characteristics of Superfine TATB and HNS





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Microstructures and fractal characteristics of two superfineexplosives conglomeration were researched.

Response Characteristics of PBX-6 Explosive in Slow Cook-off Tests



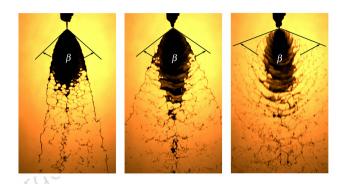
Luo-xia, CAO i. CAO Luo-xia, CAO Wei, WEN Shang-gang, SHEN Chun-ying, CHEN Liang-jun, ZHOU Jian-hua, GAO Da-yuan

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The devicewas designed for the slow cook-off tests of SR50 mm explo-and 5 $^{\circ}$ C • min⁻¹ were carried out respectively. Through analysis of the temperature histories, the shock wave overpressure and the residues after deflagration, the safety of PBX-6 explosive components under slow heating conditions was evaluated.

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Atomization of Gelled Propellant Simulant with Carbon Particles

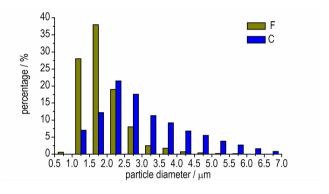


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Atomization characteristics of a gelled propellant simulant with 5% carbon particles with an average diameter of about 5 µm were investigated.

Applicability of Two Kinds of Micromixers for High Viscosity Fluid Emulsification Process

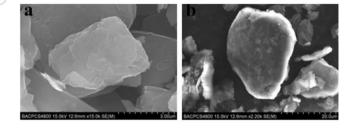


WANG Kai, LIU Da-bin, QIAN Hua, XU Sen, LI Chang-hong, LI Xue-fei

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Two types of micromixers were used to complete separately the first emulsification and the second emulsification of emulsion matrix. Both of the emulsion principle of the split-recombine micromixer for high viscosity fluid and the influence of the width, length of the microchannel and fluid flow velocity on the emulsification effect were discussed.

Flowability and Infrared Interference Properties of Modified Graphite Flake with Hydrophobic Nano-silica



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The flowability of graphite flake particles before and after modification was measured by a powder property tester. The smoke was formed by dispersing the graphite flake particles into the smoke box using air flow dispersion way. The mass concentration and IR spectrum transmission of the smoke were measured. The settling velocity of smoke was calculated.

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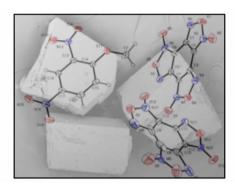
Two new Energetic Ionic Salts with Environmental Protection: Preparation and Thermal Properties of $IMI \cdot TNR$ and $4 \cdot AT \cdot TNR$

LI Ying, BI Yan-gang, ZHAO Wen-yuan, GUO Wei-ming, ZHANG Tong-lai

Chinese Journal of Energetic Materials ,2015 ,23(12): 1221-1227

Two environmental friendly energetic salts were prepared from styphnate with imidazolium (IMI), 4-amino-1, 2, 4-triazolium(4-AT) under normal conditions. Their structures were characterized by IR, elemental analyses and X-ray single crystal analysis.

Preparation and Performance of BTF-DNAN Cocrystal Explosive

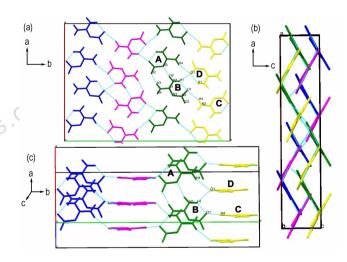


MA Yuan, HAO Shi-long, LI Hong-zhen, LIU Yu-cun, YANG Zong-wei

Chinese Journal of Energetic Materials ,2015 ,23(12) ; 1228-1230

A novel energetic cocrystal composed of benzotrifuroxan (BTF) and 2,4-dinitroanisole (DNAN) in a $2:1\,$ molar ratio was synthesized by solvent evaporation.

Anisotropic Thermal Expansion in Nitroguanidine Crystal



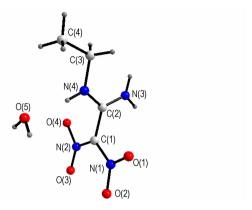
ZHANG Hao-bin, XU Jin-jiang, LI Jing-you, LIU Yu, LIU Xiao-feng, SUN Jie

Chinese Journal of Energetic Materials ,2015 ,23(12) : 1231-1234

Highlyanisotropic and negative thermal expansion in nitroguanidine crystal caused by a shrink of crystal along the *b* axis with the enlargement of intermolecular distances and decrease of space hindrance as temperature increase are reported.

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Crystal Structure and Enthalpy of Combustion of AEFOX-7



SUN Qian, LI Yan-feng, XU Kang-zhen, SONG Ji-rong, ZHAO Feng-qi

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The single crystal of 1-amino-1-ethylamino-2,2-dinitroethylene monohydrate (AEFOX-7 \cdot H $_2$ O) was obtained. The enthalpies of combustion of AEFOX-7, AMFOX-7 (1-amino-1-methylamino-2,2-dinitroethylene) and FOX-7 at 298.15 K were determined.

Synthesis and Thermal Behavior of 5-Azido-1, 2, 4-triazolyl-5-acetic Acid (ATAA)

HUANG Xiao-chuan, WANG Zi-jun, GUO Tao, LIU Min, QIU Shao-jun

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A novel azido-triazole, 5-azido-1,2,4-triazolyl-5-acetic acid(ATAA), was synthesized for the first time by Sandmeyer-Reaction in a mixed system (including sodium nitrite, sulfuric acid and sodium azide).

The Empirical Nitrogen Equivalent Equations for Predicting the Detonation Velocity and Detonation Pressure of CHNO Explosives with Approaching the Results of Kamlet-Jacobs Equations

$$D = \frac{100}{M} (695 + 1150\rho) (1.00x_{N_2} + 0.64x_{H_2O} + 1.34x_{CO_2} + 0.72x_{CO} + 0.18x_{H_2} + 0.50x_{O_2} + 0.12x_{C})$$

$$\rho = 1.060 \left[\rho \frac{100}{M} (1.00x_{N_2} + 0.64x_{H_2O} + 1.34x_{CO_2} + 0.72x_{CO} + 0.18x_{H_2} + 0.50x_{O_2} + 0.12x_{C}) \right]^2 - 0.619$$

HU Rong-zu, YAO Er-gang, MA Hai-xia, ZHANG Hai, GAO Hong-xu, HAN Lu, ZHAO Feng-qi, LUO Yang, ZHAO Hong-an

Chinese Journal of Energetic Materials ,2015 ,23(12) : 1243-1262

Two empirical nitrogen equivalent equations for predicting the detonation velocity (D) and detonation pressure (p) of CHNO explosives with more approaching the values of D and p in Kamlet-Jacobs equations than common used nitrogen equivalent equations were presented.

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