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# ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

| | |
|---|---|
| atm | atmosphere |
| BMIm | 1–butyl–3–methylimidazolium |
| *ca.* | *circa* (approximately) |
| calc. | calculation |
| cm | centimeter |
| $cm^3$ | cubic centimeter |
| *e.g.* | *exempli gratia* (for exampled) |
| *et al.* | *et alibi* |
| *etc.* | *et cetara* |
| eV | electron volt |
| EMIm | 1–ethyl–3–methylimidazolium |
| FT–IR | fourier transform infrared spectroscopy |
| g | gram |
| $H_2BDC$ | 1,4–benzenedicarboxylic acid (terephthalic acid) |
| *i.e.* | *id est* (that is) |
| ILs | ionic liquid solvents |
| IUPAC | International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry |
| *K* | Kelvin |
| kHz | kilohertz |
| *K*/s | Kelvin per second |

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|---|---|
| mA | milliampere |
| MHz | megahertz |
| min | minute |
| mm | millimeter |
| MOMs | metal–organic materials |
| nm | nanometer |
| n/a | not available |
| PXRD | powder X–ray diffractometry |
| T | temperature |
| TTHA | 1,3,5–triazine–2,4,6–triaminehexaacetic acid |
| Tyr | tyrosine |
| *vs.* | *versus* |
| UV–Vis | ultraviolet–visible spectroscopy |
| W | Watt |
| Å | angstrom |
| ºC | degree Celsius |
| % | percent |
| $\theta$ | theta |
| $\rho$ | density |
| µm | micrometer |
| 1–D | one–dimensional |
| 2–D | two–dimensional |
| 3–D | three–dimensional |