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## Recycling by GPC Column 5 Purification of OLED Material

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### Introduction

In preparative HPLC, the column length is one of the key factors to get better separation. However, there is a limit in length due to restriction on the pressure the column can endure.

Recycling preparative HPLC is the solution to the problem. By cycling the sample solution back to the same column repeatedly, it causes the same effect as a longer column is used. Further, no solvent is consumed during the cycles. So it is the ideal way to efficiently increase separation (resolution) ability.

Moreover, combined use of SEC column, which separates compounds by their size, has gained great popularity among synthetic organic chemists since it can considerably save labor and time for method development as far as the sample is dissolved in some solvent.

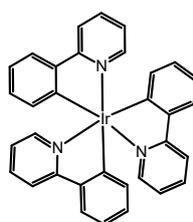
Here is an example of purification by recycling preparative HPLC using organic GPC column.

### Experiment and Results

Sample: Ir(ppy)<sub>3</sub> (Tris(2-phenylpyridinato)iridium(III)) (analytical reagent grade)

We tried to remove impurities by recycling HPLC.

Instrument : LC-9204 (Detector : UV (254 nm))  
 Column : JAIGEL-2H + JAIGEL-2.5H in series  
 Mobile phase : Chloroform  
 Flow rate : 3.5 mL/min


 Ir(ppy)<sub>3</sub>

Impurity

■ : Recycled area  
 ■ : Collected area

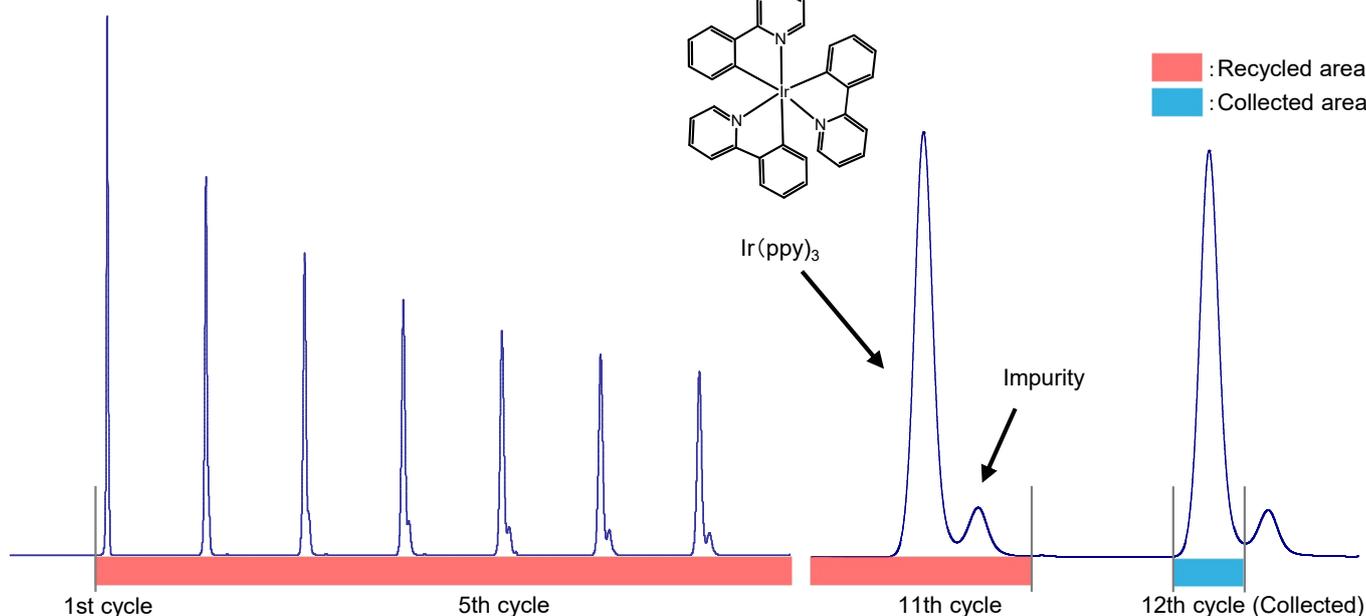


Fig. 1

### Conclusion

Ir(ppy)<sub>3</sub> was isolated from the impurity at the 12th cycle.