

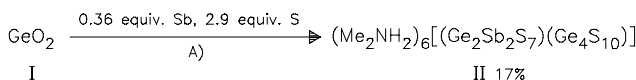
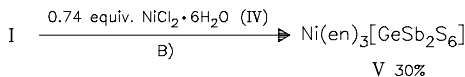
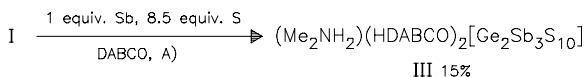
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**A Series of Novel Organically Templated Germanium Antimony Sulfides.** — The structures of the novel title compound (II) (triclinic, space group  $P\bar{1}$ ,  $Z = 2$ ), (III) (monoclinic,  $C2$ ,  $Z = 2$ ) and (V) and (VII) (orthorhombic,  $Pbca$ ,  $Z = 8$ ) are determined by single crystal XRD. (II) features two distinct tetranuclear  $[\text{Ge}_2\text{Sb}_2\text{S}_7]^{2-}$  and  $[\text{Ge}_4\text{S}_{10}]^{4-}$  isolated clusters. Compound (III) contains one-dimensional  $[\text{Ge}_2\text{Sb}_3\text{S}_{10}]^{3-}$  ribbons formed by two  $[\text{GeSbS}_5]^{3-}$  chains which are bridged by an  $\text{Sb}^{3+}$  ion in  $\psi\text{-SbS}_4$  configuration. The isotypic compounds (V) and (VII) feature the unique two-dimensional grid layer structures of  $[\text{GeSb}_2\text{S}_6]^{2-}$ . All the compounds are wide bandgap semiconductors. — (FENG, M.-L.; XIONG, W.-W.; YE, D.; LI, J.-R.; HUANG\*, X.-Y.; Chem. Asian J. 5 (2010) 8, 1817-1823, DOI:10.1002/asia.201000104; State Key Lab. Struct. Chem., Fujian Inst. Res. Struct. Matter, Chin. Acad. Sci., Fujian, Fuzhou 350002, Peop. Rep. China; Eng.) — Schramke

A):  $\text{Me}_2\text{N}-\text{CHO}$ ,  $160^\circ\text{C}$ , [autoclave, 7 d]B): 1.24 equiv. Sb, 5.6 equiv. S, en,  $160^\circ\text{C}$ , [autoclave, 7 d]