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- Could Franklin have been thinking about nomenclature when he wrote this famous line to Jean Baptiste Le Roy?

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- In the event of a spill/clean-up, clear communication is vital.
- Taxation and duties, and their related regulations, rely on nomenclature.



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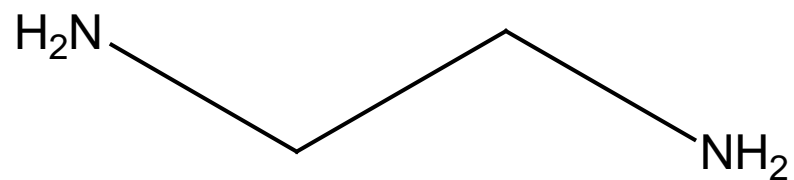
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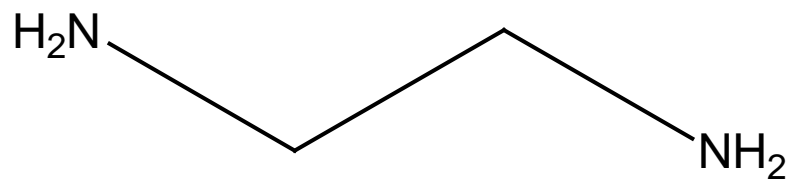
## **What are some of the dangers associated with DHMO?**

Each year, Dihydrogen Monoxide is a known causative component in many thousands of deaths and is a major contributor to millions upon millions of dollars in damage to property and the environment. Some of the known perils of Dihydrogen Monoxide are:

- Death due to accidental inhalation of DHMO, even in small quantities.
- Prolonged exposure to solid DHMO causes severe tissue damage.
- Excessive ingestion produces a number of unpleasant though not typically life-threatening side-effects.
- DHMO is a major component of acid rain.
- Gaseous DHMO can cause severe burns.
- Found in biopsies of pre-cancerous tumors and lesions.
- Given to vicious dogs involved in recent deadly attacks.



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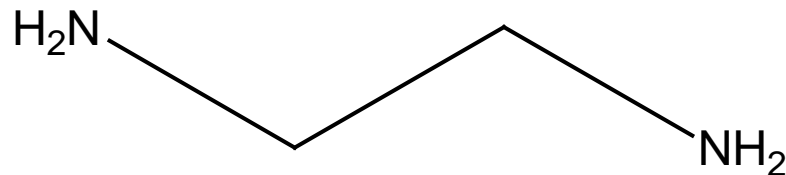
## **Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act**

- Regulates all use of chemicals and micro-organisms in the work place.
- Only chemicals that have been approved by ERMA may be used.



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- Section 33 exemption for Research and Education
- ERMA Code of Practice
- 30 s access time for MSDS Sheets
  
- But how reasonable is this?

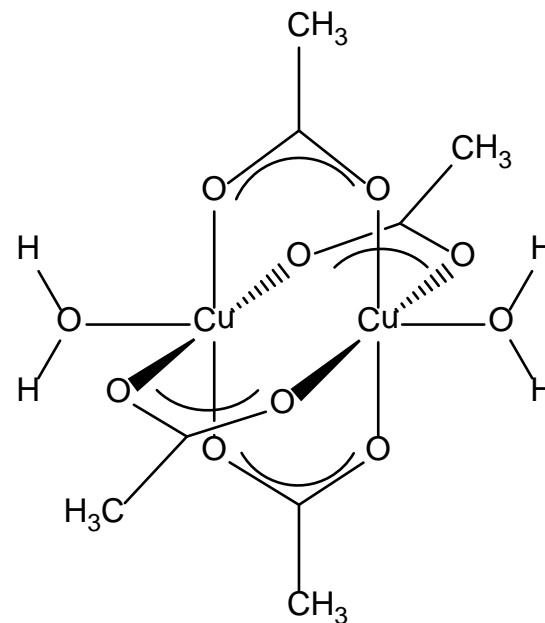


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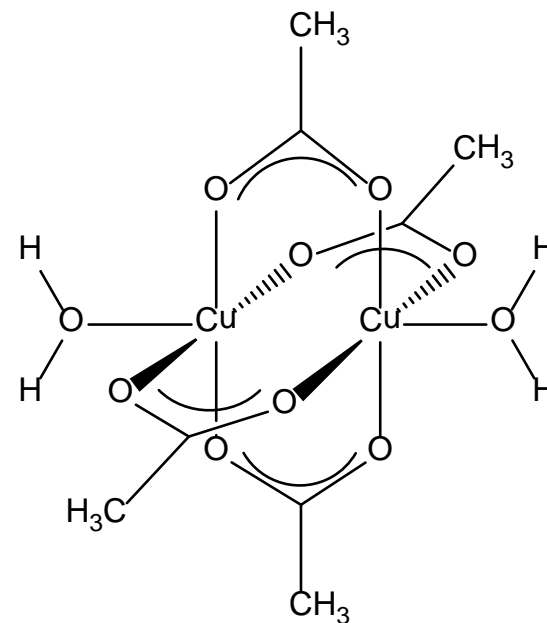
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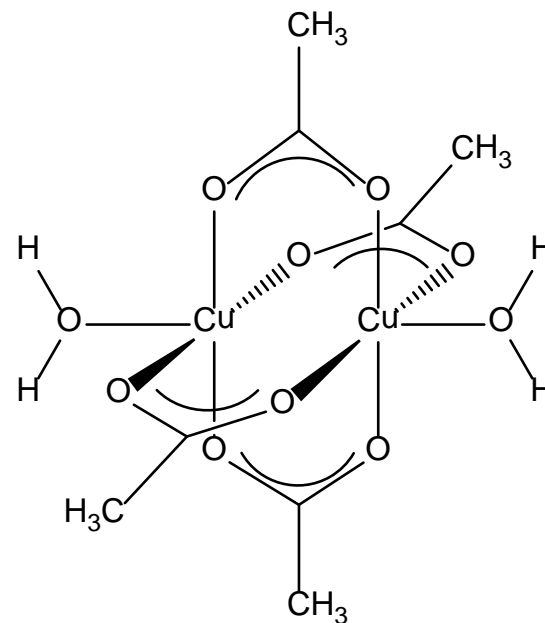
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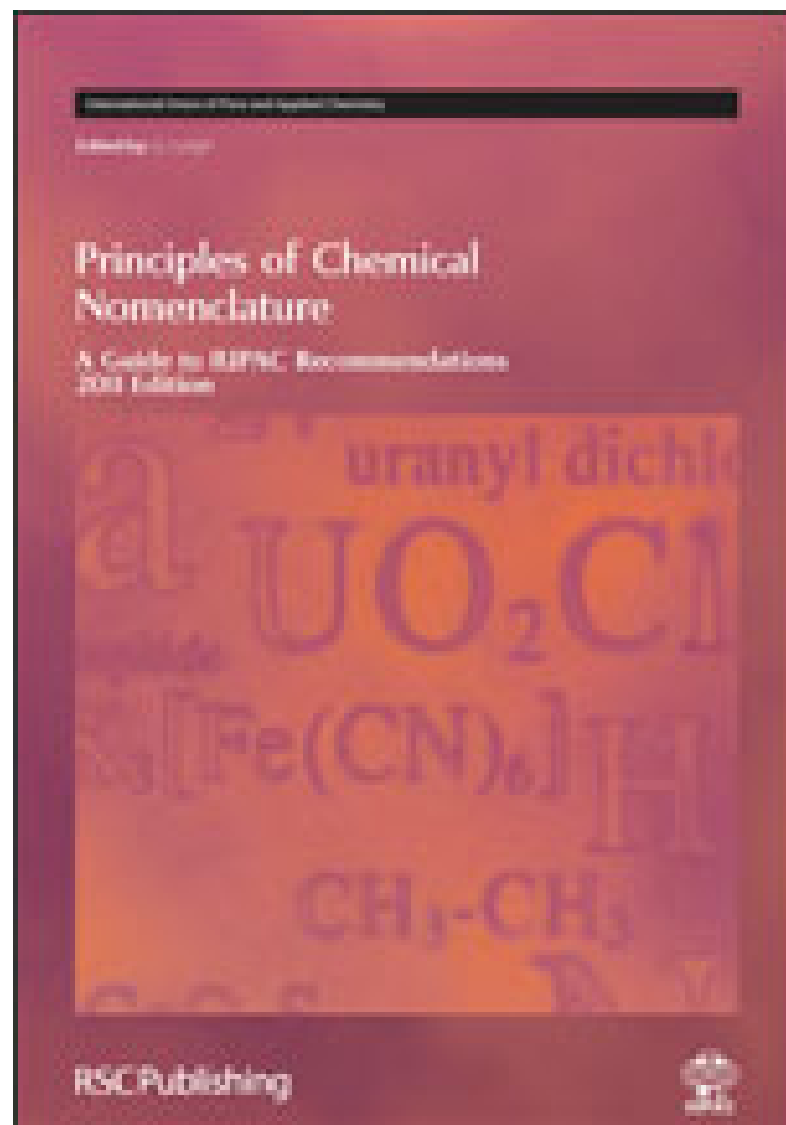
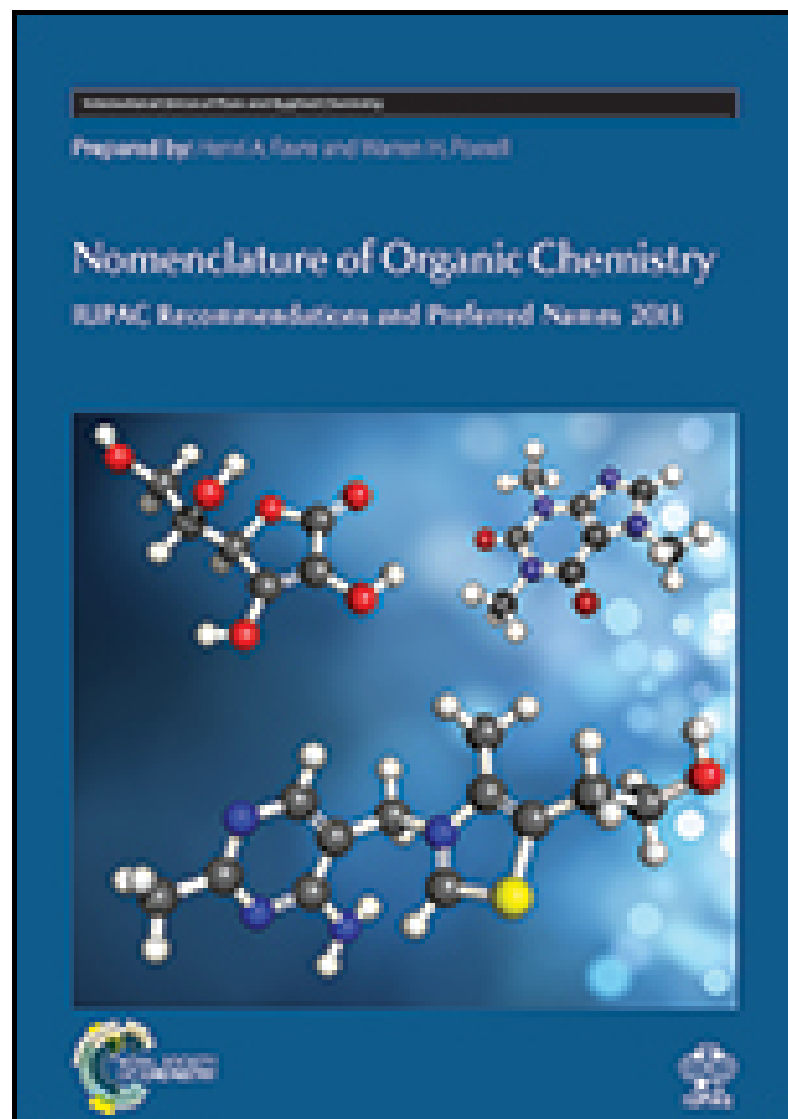
## PINs and InChIs

- Preferred IUPAC Names
  - All nomenclatures are still allowed for general users
  - One preferred for legal and regulatory purposes
- International Chemical Identifier
  - Formula, connectivity, configuration, tautomers, isotopes etc
  - Coded into character string
  - Can be decoded
  - Bar codeable



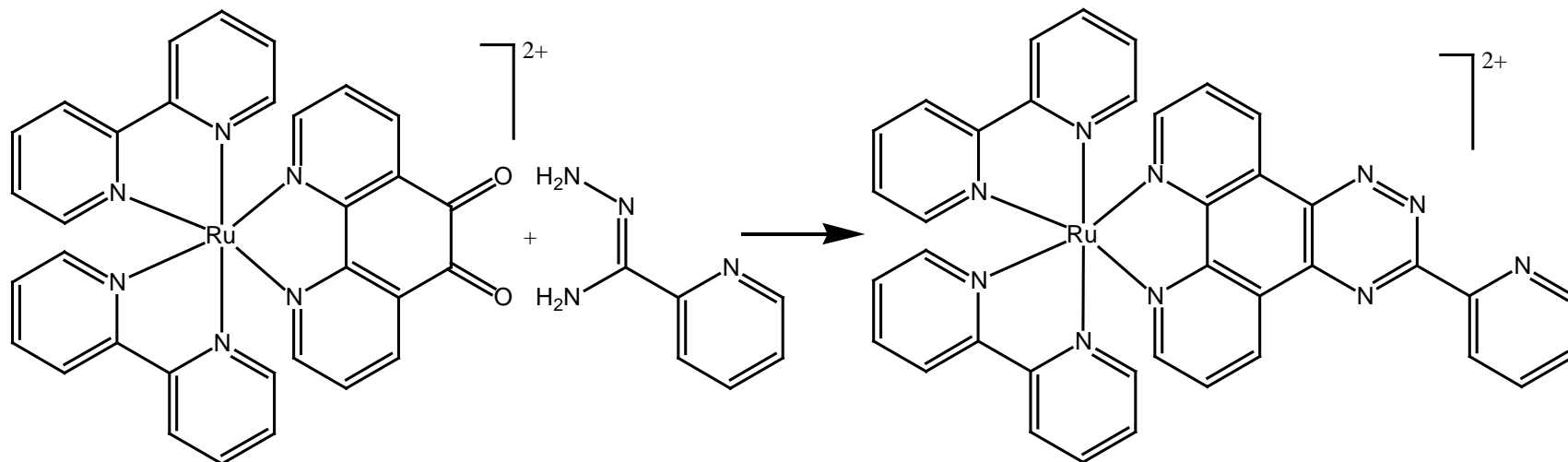
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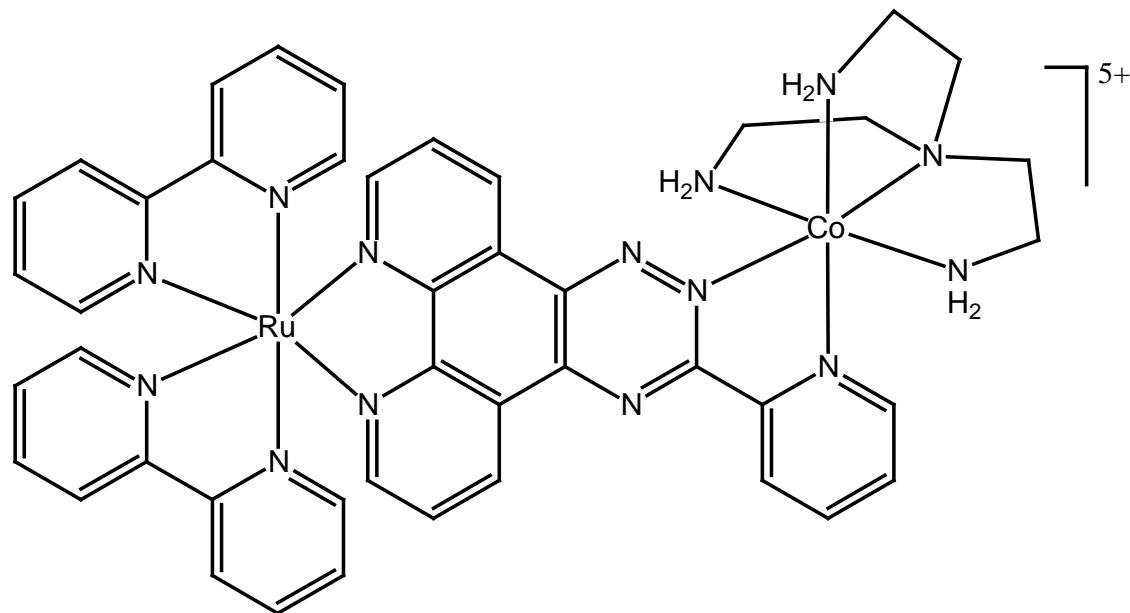


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- Essentials documents
  - Inorganic nomenclature and organic nomenclature each condensed to four sides...
- Kappa grammar

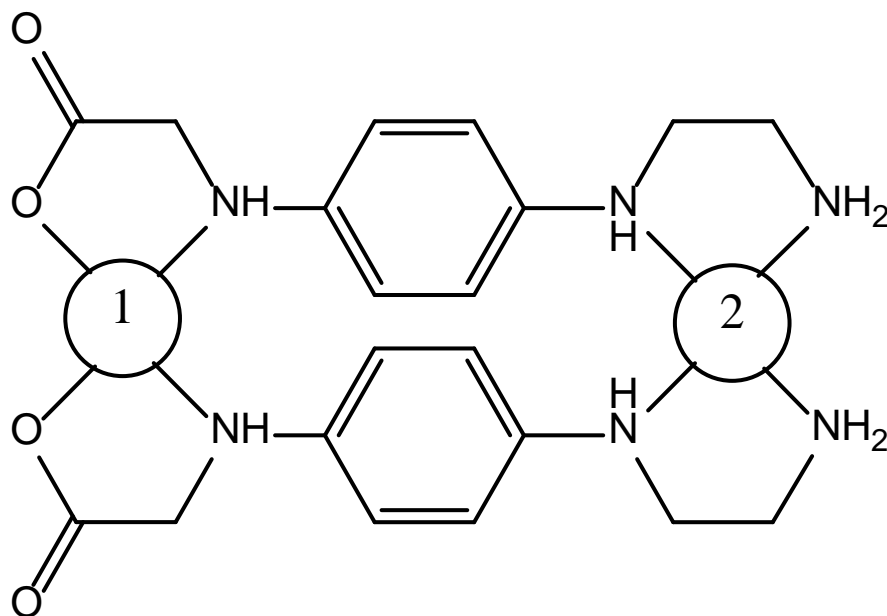


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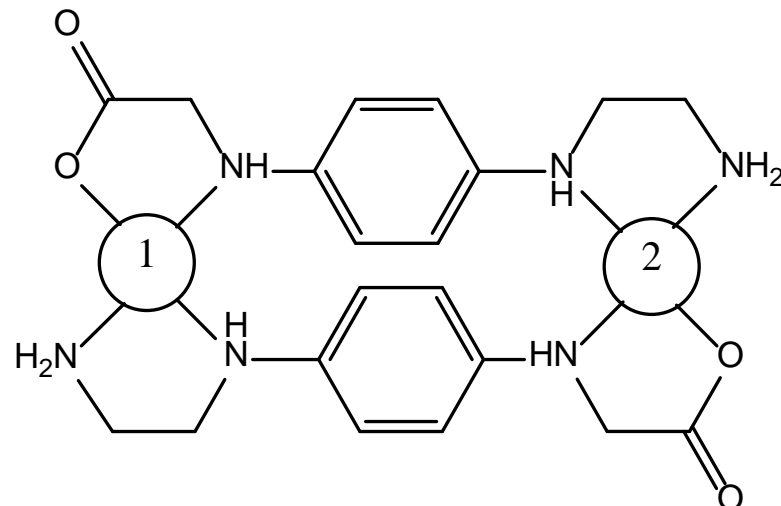
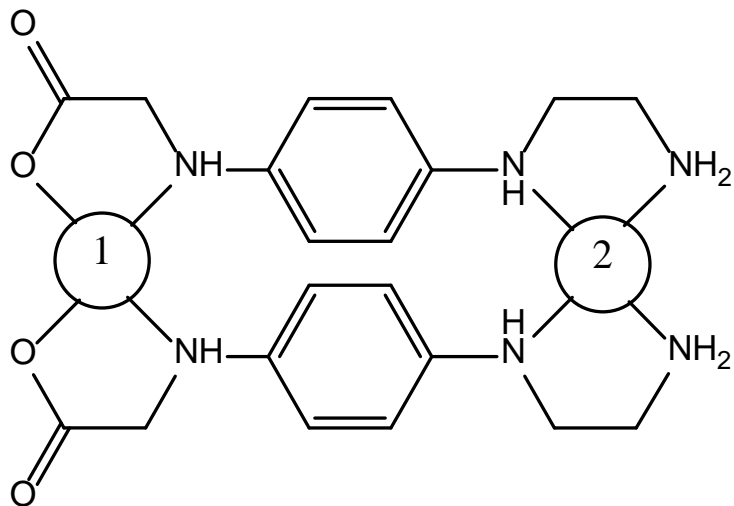
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## Polynuclear Isomers

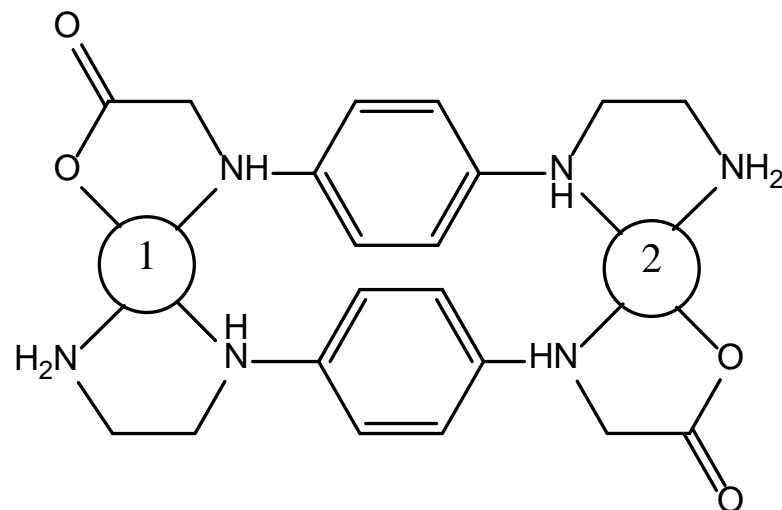


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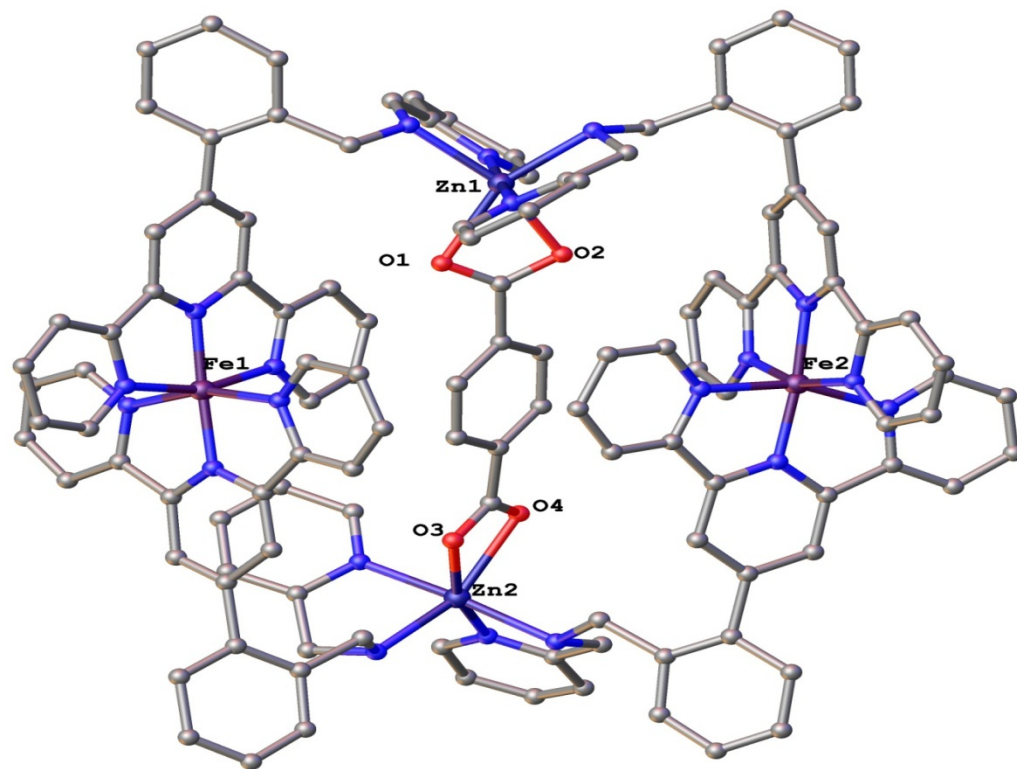
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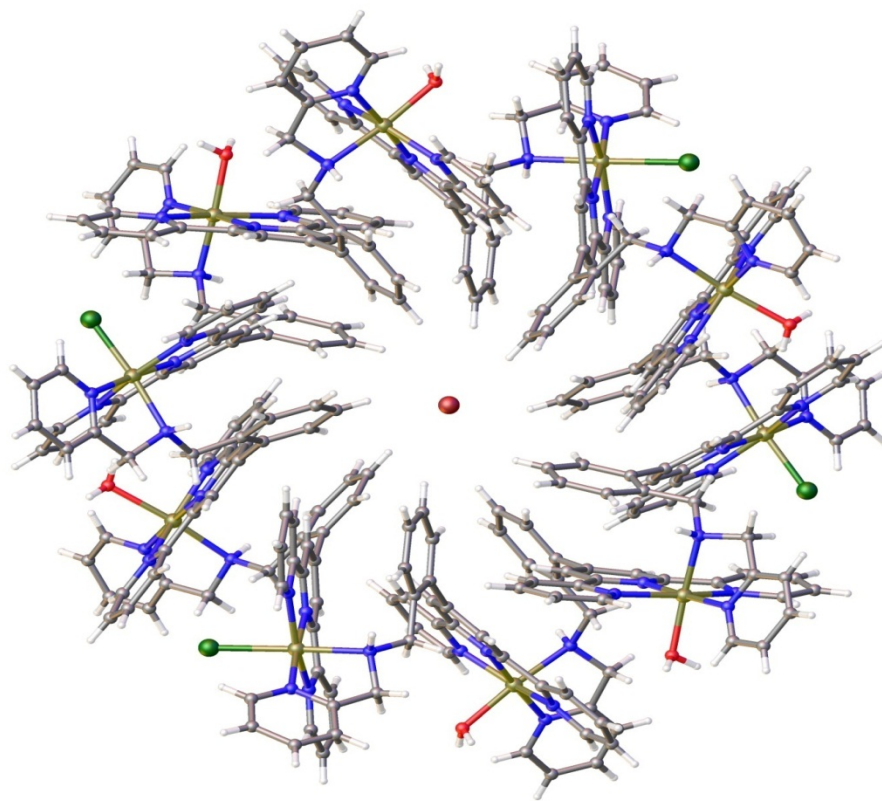
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$\mu$ -benzene-1,4-dicarboxylato- $3\kappa^2 O^{1,1a}:4\kappa^2 O^{4,4a}$ -tetrakis- $\mu$ -4'-{2-(2-pyridyl-[3 $\kappa^1 N,3\kappa^2 N,4\kappa^3 N,4\kappa^4 M$ ]-methylamino-[3 $\kappa^1 N,3\kappa^2 N,4\kappa^3 N,4\kappa^4 M$ ]-methyl) phenyl}-2,2':6',2''-terpyridine-[1 $\kappa^3 1 N,1\kappa^3 3 N,2\kappa^3 2 N,2\kappa^3 4 M$ ]-diiron-dizinc(6+)



hexaaqua-1κO,2κO,3κO,4κO,5κO,6κO-tetrachlorido-7κCl,8κCl,9κCl,10κCl-  
decakis-μ-4'-{2-(2-pyridyl-[1κ1N,2κ2N,3κ3N,4κ4N,5κ5N,6κ6N,7κ7N,8κ8N,  
9κ9N,10κ10N]-methylamino-[1κ1N,2κ2N,3κ3N,4κ4N,5κ5N,6κ6N,7κ7N,8κ8N,  
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4κ<sup>3</sup>9N,5κ<sup>3</sup>7N,6κ<sup>3</sup>8N,7κ<sup>3</sup>1N,8κ<sup>3</sup>3N,9κ<sup>3</sup>5N,10κ<sup>3</sup>6N]-decanickel(16+)