## Supporting Information

# **Guest Size Limitation in Metal-Organic Framework Crystal-Glass Composites**

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#### **Powder X-ray Diffraction**



**Figure S1:** Powder X-ray diffraction pattern of CUmof-9 as synthesised, CUmof-9 after heating to 400 °C, and a simulated CUmof-9 PXRD pattern using published crystallographic information.<sup>1</sup>



**Figure S2:** Powder X-ray diffraction pattern of MIL-68 as synthesised, and MIL-68 after heating to 450 °C, and simulated MIL-68 PXRD pattern using published crystallographic information.<sup>2</sup>



**Figure S3:** Powder X-ray diffraction pattern of MIL-120 as synthesised, MIL-120 after heating to 450 °C and a simulated MIL-120 PXRD pattern using published crystallographic information.<sup>3</sup>



**Figure S4:** Powder X-ray diffraction pattern of MIL-126 as synthesised and MIL-126 after heating to 450 °C, and a simulated MIL-126 PXRD pattern using published crystallographic information.<sup>4</sup>



**Figure S5:** Powder X-ray diffraction pattern of MIL-118 as synthesised, a simulated MIL-118A PXRD pattern, MIL-118 after heating to 450 °C, and a simulated MIL-118C PXRD pattern using published crystallographic information.<sup>5</sup>



**Figure S6:** Powder X-ray diffraction pattern of UL-MOF-1 as synthesised and UL-MOF-1 after heating to 450 °C, and a simulated UL-MOF-1 PXRD pattern using published crystallographic information.<sup>6</sup>



rwp: 16.064, Space group: P21/c, *a*: 10.300 Å, *b*: 5.355 Å, *c*: 8.671 Å, *B*: 98.68°

Figure S7: Pawley refinement of UL-MOF-1 powder X-ray diffraction pattern.



Figure S8: Pawley refinement of MIL-118A powder X-ray diffraction pattern.



rwp: 14.291, Space group: Pnma, a: 17.111 Å, b: 6.627 Å, c: 12.188 Å





rwp: 21.783, Space group: Cc, a: 19.494 Å, b: 7.749 Å, c: 6.587 Å, ß: 104.54°

Figure S10: Pawley refinement of MIL-53-np powder X-ray diffraction pattern.

**Table S1:** Lattice parameters from published crystallographic files, and the corresponding lattice parameters of the crystalline material as determined by Pawley refinements.<sup>3,6</sup>

Sample	Lattice parameters				
	a (Å)	b (Å)	<i>c</i> (Å)	β (°)	Rwp
MIL-118C	12.132	6.619	17.227	90	-
(MIL-118) <sub>0.5</sub> ( <i>a</i> gZIF-62) <sub>0.5</sub>	12.127	6.431	17.459	90	11.152
UL-MOF-1	10.302	5.345	8.662	98.659	-
(UL-MOF-1) <sub>0.5</sub> ( <i>a</i> gZIF-62) <sub>0.5</sub>	10.316	5.373	8.727	98.547	7.677

#### **Thermogravimetric Analysis**



**Figure S11:** Thermogravimetric analysis, performed at 10 °C/min under nitrogen gas on the MOFs listed in Table 1 in the main manuscript.



**Figure S12:** Thermogravimetric analysis of a) DUT-6, and b) DUT-8, displaying the normalised mass loss and the first differential of the normalised mass with respect to time. This experiment was performed at a heating rate of 10 °C/min under a nitrogen protective atmosphere.

### Scanning Electron Microscopy



Figure S13: Scanning electron microscopy images of MIL-53-np.



Figure S14: Scanning electron microscopy images of MIL-118C.



Figure S15: Scanning electron microscopy images of UL-MOF-1.



**Figure S16:** Optical (upper left) and scanning electron microscopy (upper right, lower left and lower right) images of a shard of (MIL-53)<sub>0.25</sub>( $a_g$ ZIF-62)<sub>0.75</sub>.



**Figure S17:** Optical (upper left) and scanning electron microscopy (upper right, lower left and lower right) images of a shard of (MIL-118)<sub>0.5</sub>( $a_g$ ZIF-62)<sub>0.5</sub>. The lower-right image is an enhanced view of the surface defect highlighted in red.



**Figure S18:** Optical (left) and scanning electron microscopy (right) images of a shard of (UL-MOF-1)<sub>0.5</sub>( $a_g$ ZIF-62)<sub>0.5</sub>.

#### **Gas Sorption**



**Figure S19**: Gas adsorption isotherms of  $a_g$ ZIF-62. Solid and open circles of the same colour indicate the adsorption and desorption respectively.



**Figure S20**: Gas adsorption isotherms of **a**) MIL-118, and **b**) UL-MOF-1. Solid and open circles of the same colour indicate the adsorption and desorption respectively.



**Figure S21**: Gas adsorption isotherms of MIL-53-np. Solid and open circles of the same colour indicate the adsorption and desorption respectively.



**Figure S22:** Gas adsorption isotherms of (MIL-53)<sub>0.25</sub>( $a_g$ ZIF-62)<sub>0.75</sub>. Solid and open circles of the same colour indicate the adsorption and desorption respectively.

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