# **Supporting Information**

# In situ Generated Polysiloxanes Stabilizing $\mu_3$ -Oxo Bridged Sb<sub>3</sub>Triangles

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Figure. S1 ORTEP view of molecular structure 1 with thermal ellipsoids shown at 30% probability and hydrogen atoms are omitted for clarity.



**Figure. S2** ORTEP view of molecular structure **2** with thermal ellipsoids shown at 30% probability and hydrogen atoms are omitted for clarity.



**Figure. S3** ORTEP view of molecular structure **3** with thermal ellipsoids shown at 30% probability and hydrogen atoms are omitted for clarity.



**Figure. S4** ORTEP view of molecular structure **4** with thermal ellipsoids shown at 30% probability and hydrogen atoms are omitted for clarity.

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Figure. S5 ESI-MS of compound 1 in positive ion mode.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for (C<sub>42</sub>H<sub>67</sub>Cl<sub>3</sub>O<sub>16</sub>Sb<sub>3</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>) [*M*+2H]<sup>+</sup> 1468.9356; found 1468.9181

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Figure. S6 ESI-MS of compound 2 in positive ion mode.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for (C<sub>42</sub>H<sub>67</sub>Br<sub>3</sub>O<sub>16</sub>Sb<sub>3</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>) [*M*+2H]<sup>+</sup> 1602.7829; found 1602.7726

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Figure S7. ESI-MS of compound 3 in positive ion mode.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for (C<sub>42</sub>H<sub>63</sub>Cl<sub>6</sub>O<sub>16</sub>Sb<sub>3</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>) [*M*+2K+3H]<sup>+</sup>1651.0119; found 1651.6807

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Figure S8. ESI-MS of compound 4 in positive ion mode.

HRMS (ESI) calcd for (C<sub>51</sub>H<sub>89</sub>O<sub>17</sub>Sb<sub>3</sub>Si<sub>6</sub>) [*M*+H]<sup>+</sup>1509.1917; found 1509.2145.

Table S1: Crystal data and structure refinement details for compounds 1-4.

	1	2	3	4
formula	$C_{50}H_{81}Cl_3O_{17}NSb_3Si_6$	$C_{50}H_{81}Br_{2.99}O_{17}NSb_3Si_6$	$C_{51}H_{75}Cl_6N_3O_{16}Sb_3Si_6$	$C_{61}H_{106}N_5O_{17}Si_6Sb_3$
М	1608.29	1740.87	1732.63	1715.29
T(K)	100(2)	100(2)	100(2)	100(2)
$\lambda$ (Å)	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073
crystal system	Monoclinic	Monoclinic	Triclinic	Triclinic
space group	P2(1)/n	P2(1)/c	<i>P</i> -1	P -1
a(Å)	11.7571(10)	11.741 (10)	12.3465(14)	15.0752(12)
b(Å)	28.053(2)	28.21 (2)	13.1911(15)	16.0739(13)
c(Å)	21.7258 (19)	21.863 (18)	23.155(3)	16.9080(14)
a(deg)	90	90	99.920(2)	100.488(10)
β(deg)	104.9530 (10)	104.994 (14)	95.997(2)	91.038(10)
γ(deg)	90	90	105.084(2)	91.518(10)
V(Å <sup>3</sup> )	6923.0 (10)	6993 (10)	3542.3(7)	4026.1(6)
Ζ	4	4	2	2
Dcalcd (Mg m <sup>-3</sup> )	1.543	1.653	1.624	1.415
$\mu$ (mm <sup>-1</sup> )	1.442	3.021	1.524	1.149
F(000)	3248	3463	1738	1760
θ range (deg)	1.212-25.088	1.205-25.026	1.634 to 26.441	1.225 to 25.038
index range	$-14 \le h \le 14$	$-13 \le h \le 13$	$-15 \le h \le 15$	$-17 \le h \le 17$
	$-33 \le k \le 33$	$-33 \le k \le 33$	$-16 \le k \le 16$	$-19 \le k \le 19$
	$-25 \le l \le 25$	$-25 \le l \le 25$	$-26 \le l \le 28$	$-20 \le l \le 20$
reflections	66491	66654	28581	38923
collected				
goodness-of-fit	1.042	1.104	1.026	1.041
(GOF) on F <sup>2</sup>				
final R indices	$R_1 = 0.0311$	$R_1 = 0.0694$	$R_1 = 0.0413$	$R_1 = 0.0279$
$R_1[I > 2\sigma(I)]$	$wR_2 = 0.0776$	$wR_2 = 0.1310$	$wR_2 = 0.0943$	$wR_2 = 0.0704$
R indicies (all	$R_1 = 0.0347$	$R_1 = 0.0957$	$R_1 = 0.0505$	$R_1 = 0.0313$
data)				
	$wR_2 = 0.0796$	$wR_2 = 0.1414$	$wR_2 = 0.0991$	wR2 = 0.0725
large diff. peak	1.645 and -0.920	1.557 and -1.348	1.982 and -0.811	0.886 and -1.004
and hole (e Å <sup>-3</sup> )				

# Table S2: Selected bond lengths (Å) and bond angles (°) parameters for compound 1

Sb(1)-C(1)	2.121(3)	Si(4)-O(10)	1.637(2)
Sb(2)-C(19)	2.117(3)	Si(4)-O(9)	1.644(2)
Sb(3)-C(33)	2.112(3)	Si(5)-O(13)	1.626(2)
Sb(1)-O(3)	1.939(2)	Si(5)-O(12)	1.629(2)
Sb(1)-O(15)	1.960(2)	Si(5)-O(14)	1.645(2)
Sb(1)-O(5)	1.988(2)	Si(6)-O(16)	1.620(2)
Sb(1)-O(2)	2.087(2)	Si(6)-O(15)	1.628(2)
Sb(1)-O(1)	2.094(2)	Si(6)-O(14)	1.646(2)
Sb(2)-O(11)	1.946(2)	Sb(1)-O(1)-Sb(2)	105.31(9)
Sb(2)-O(12)	1.953(2)	Sb(1)-O(1)-Sb(3)	124.84(10)
Sb(2)-O(8)	1.978(2)	Sb(2)-O(1)-Sb(3)	125.58(10)
Sb(2)-O(2)	2.082(2)	Sb(2)-O(2)-Sb(1)	106.61(11)
Sb(2)-O(1)	2.110(2)	Si(4)-O(11)-Sb(2)	125.82(13)
Sb(3)-O(16)	1.951(2)	Si(1)-O(3)-Sb(1)	125.31(13)
Sb(3)-O(13)	1.953(2)	Si(6)-O(15)-Sb(1)	130.55(13)
Sb(3)-O(6)	1.953(2)	Si(4)-O(10)-Sb(3)	133.43(13)
Sb(3)-O(10)	1.983(2)	Si(5)-O(12)-Sb(2)	130.12(13)
Sb(3)-O(1)	2.176(2)	Si(6)-O(16)-Sb(3)	127.23(13)
Si(1)-O(6)	1.621(2)	Si(2)-O(4)-Si(1)	130.88(15)
Si(1)-O(3)	1.635(2)	Si(2)-O(5)-Sb(1)	132.56(13)
Si(1)-O(4)	1.639(2)	Si(1)-O(6)-Sb(3)	133.36(13)
Si(2)-O(5)	1.626(2)	Si(5)-O(14)-Si(6)	124.78(14)
Si(2)-O(4)	1.631(2)	Si(5)-O(13)-Sb(3)	127.28(13)
Si(2)-O(7)	1.637(2)	Si(3)-O(7)-Si(2)	138.01(15)
Si(3)-O(8)	1.618(2)	Si(3)-O(8)-Sb(2)	134.17(13)
Si(3)-O(7)	1.633(2)	Si(3)-O(9)-Si(4)	129.84(15)
Si(3)-O(9)	1.639(2)		
Si(4)-O(11)	1.626(2)		

Sb(1)-C(1)	2.123(8)	Si(4)-O(11)	1.612(6)
Sb(2)-C(19)	2.121(8)	Si(4)-O(9)	1.632(6)
Sb(3)-C(33B)	2.098(13)	Si(4)-O(10)	1.640(6)
Sb(3)-C(33A)	2.118(13)	Si(5)-O(12)	1.616(6)
Sb(1)-O(3)	1.926(5)	Si(5)-O(13)	1.625(6)
Sb(1)-O(15)	1.960(5)	Si(5)-O(14)	1.640(6)
Sb(1)-O(5)	1.979(5)	Si(6)-O(16)	1.612(6)
Sb(1)-O(1)	2.083(5)	Si(6)-O(15)	1.617(6)
Sb(1)-O(2)	2.0852(13)	Si(6)-O(14)	1.635(6)
Sb(2)-O(11)	1.943(5)	Sb(2)-O(2)-Sb(1)	106.17(5)
Sb(2)-O(12)	1.950(5)	Sb(1)-O(1)-Sb(2)	105.5(2)
Sb(2)-O(8)	1.959(5)	Sb(1)-O(1)-Sb(3)	124.7(2)
Sb(2)-O(2)	2.0844(13)	Sb(2)-O(1)-Sb(3)	125.7(2)
Sb(2)-O(1)	2.106(5)	Si(3)-O(8)-Sb(2)	134.2(3)
Sb(3)-O(13)	1.933(5)	Si(1)-O(3)-Sb(1)	125.3(3)
Sb(3)-O(6)	1.943(5)	Si(6)-O(15)-Sb(1)	130.5(3)
Sb(3)-O(16)	1.953(6)	Si(2)-O(5)-Sb(1)	132.2(3)
Sb(3)-O(10)	1.988(5)	Si(1)-O(6)-Sb(3)	133.9(3)
Sb(3)-O(1)	2.169(5)	Si(3)-O(9)-Si(4)	130.0(3)
Si(1)-O(6)	1.609(6)	Si(5)-O(12)-Sb(2)	130.0(3)
Si(1)-O(4)	1.634(6)	Si(5)-O(13)-Sb(3)	127.4(3)
Si(1)-O(3)	1.641(6)	Si(4)-O(10)-Sb(3)	133.0(3)
Si(2)-O(7)	1.628(6)	Si(4)-O(11)-Sb(2)	125.8(3)
Si(2)-O(4)	1.630(6)	Si(2)-O(4)-Si(1)	131.5(3)
Si(2)-O(5)	1.633(6)	Si(2)-O(7)-Si(3)	138.2(3)
Si(3)-O(8)	1.618(6)	Si(6)-O(16)-Sb(3)	126.9(3)
Si(3)-O(9)	1.631(6)	Si(6)-O(14)-Si(5)	124.6(4)
Si(3)-O(7)	1.635(6)		

# Table S3: Selected bond lengths (Å) and bond angles (°) parameters for compound 2

# Table S4: Selected bond lengths (Å) and bond angles (°) parameters for compound 3

Sb(1)-C(1)	2.117(4)	Si(4)-O(10)	1.629(3)
Sb(2)-C(19)	2.135(4)	Si(4)-O(11)	1.629(3)
Sb(3)-C(33)	2.122(4)	Si(4)-O(9)	1.641(3)
Sb(1)-O(3)	1.940(3)	Si(5)-O(13)	1.629(3)
Sb(1)-O(15)	1.961(3)	Si(5)-O(12)	1.633(3)
Sb(1)-O(5)	1.983(2)	Si(5)-O(14)	1.642(3)
Sb(1)-O(1)	2.073(3)	Si(6)-O(16)	1.626(3)
Sb(1)-O(2)	2.087(3)	Si(6)-O(15)	1.632(3)
Sb(2)-O(12)	1.939(3)	Si(6)-O(14)	1.648(3)
Sb(2)-O(11)	1.950(3)	Sb(1)-O(1)-Sb(2)	105.99(11)
Sb(2)-O(8)	1.958(2)	Sb(1)-O(1)-Sb(3)	124.24(12)
Sb(2)-O(1)	2.090(3)	Sb(2)-O(1)-Sb(3)	125.60(12)
Sb(2)-O(2)	2.103(3)	Sb(1)-O(2)-Sb(2)	105.02(12)
Sb(3)-O(16)	1.946(3)	Si(5)-O(12)-Sb(2)	129.47(16)
Sb(3)-O(6)	1.958(3)	Si(6)-O(15)-Sb(1)	129.00(16)
Sb(3)-O(13)	1.959(3)	Si(1)-O(6)-Sb(3)	132.20(16)
Sb(3)-O(10)	1.964(3)	Si(2)-O(5)-Sb(1)	132.71(16)
Sb(3)-O(1)	2.196(3)	Si(3)-O(8)-Sb(2)	133.82(15)
Si(1)-O(6)	1.624(3)	Si(1)-O(3)-Sb(1)	125.68(15)
Si(1)-O(3)	1.632(3)	Si(4)-O(10)-Sb(3)	132.65(16)
Si(1)-O(4)	1.640(3)	Si(5)-O(14)-Si(6)	124.77(17)
Si(2)-O(5)	1.621(3)	Si(5)-O(13)-Sb(3)	128.12(15)
Si(2)-O(4)	1.638(3)	Si(6)-O(16)-Sb(3)	128.20(15)
Si(2)-O(7)	1.641(3)	Si(4)-O(11)-Sb(2)	125.83(15)
Si(3)-O(8)	1.623(3)	Si(2)-O(4)-Si(1)	132.68(18)
Si(3)-O(7)	1.629(3)	Si(3)-O(7)-Si(2)	137.12(18)
Si(3)-O(9)	1.636(3)	Si(3)-O(9)-Si(4)	130.53(18)

Sb(1)-C(1)	2.098(3)	Si(4)-O(10)	1.6012(19)
Sb(2)-C(10)	2.095(3)	Si(4)-O(11)	1.620(2)
Sb(3)-C(19)	2.095(3)	Si(4)-O(9)	1.6423(19)
Sb(1)-O(14)	1.9625(18)	Si(5)-O(11)	1.610(2)
Sb(1)-O(10)	1.9681(17)	Si(5)-O(13)	1.615(2)
Sb(1)-O(16)	1.9715(17)	Si(5)-O(12)	1.644(2)
Sb(1)-O(8)	1.9727(17)	Si(6)-O(14)	1.6077(19)
Sb(1)-O(5)	2.0959(16)	Si(6)-O(13)	1.628(2)
Sb(2)-O(15)	1.9147(17)	Si(6)-O(6)	1.6357(18)
Sb(2)-O(6)	1.9234(17)	Sb(2)-O(2)-Sb(3)	93.20(7)
Sb(2)-O(5)	2.0793(16)	Sb(2)-O(1)-Sb(3)	92.51(7)
Sb(2)-O(2)	2.1000(19)	Sb(3)-O(5)-Sb(2)	95.57 (7)
Sb(2)-O(1)	2.1014(18)	Sb(3)-O(5)-Sb(1)	131.79(8)
Sb(3)-O(9)	1.9176(18)	Sb(2)-O(5)-Sb(1)	132.64(8)
Sb(3)-O(7)	1.9236(18)	Si(6)-O(14)-Sb(1)	141.09(11)
Sb(3)-O(5)	2.0440(16)	Si(3)-O(16)-Sb(1)	138.97(11)
Sb(3)-O(2)	2.1033(18)	Si(1)-O(8)-Sb(1)	138.61(11)
Sb(3)-O(1)	2.1259(18)	Si(3)-O(15)-Sb(2)	134.18(10)
Si(1)-O(8)	1.6062(18)	Si(1)-O(7)-Sb(3)	135.21(11)
Si(1)-O(18)	1.6299(19)	Si(2)-O(17)-Si(3)	150.60(13)
Si(1)-O(7)	1.6400(19)	Si(6)-O(6)-Sb(2)	133.29(11)
Si(2)-O(17)	1.6053(19)	Si(4)-O(10)-Sb(1)	141.54(11)
Si(2)-O(18)	1.6189(19)	Si(2)-O(18)-Si(1)	142.80(12)
Si(2)-O(19)	1.6465(19)	Si(4)-O(9)-Sb(3)	135.35(11)
Si(3)-O(16)	1.6098(18)	Si(5)-O(13)-Si(6)	145.59(13)
Si(3)-O(17)	1.6297(19)	Si(5)-O(11)-Si(4)	145.05(14)
Si(3)-O(15)	1.6384(18)		

# Table S5: Selected bond lengths (Å) and bond angles (°) parameters for compound 4.