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Hydrothermal Syntheses, Structural Characterizations, and Magnetic Properties of Five MOFs Assembled From C₂-Symmetric Ligand of 1,3-Di((2',4'- dicarboxylphenyl)benzene with Various Coordination Modes

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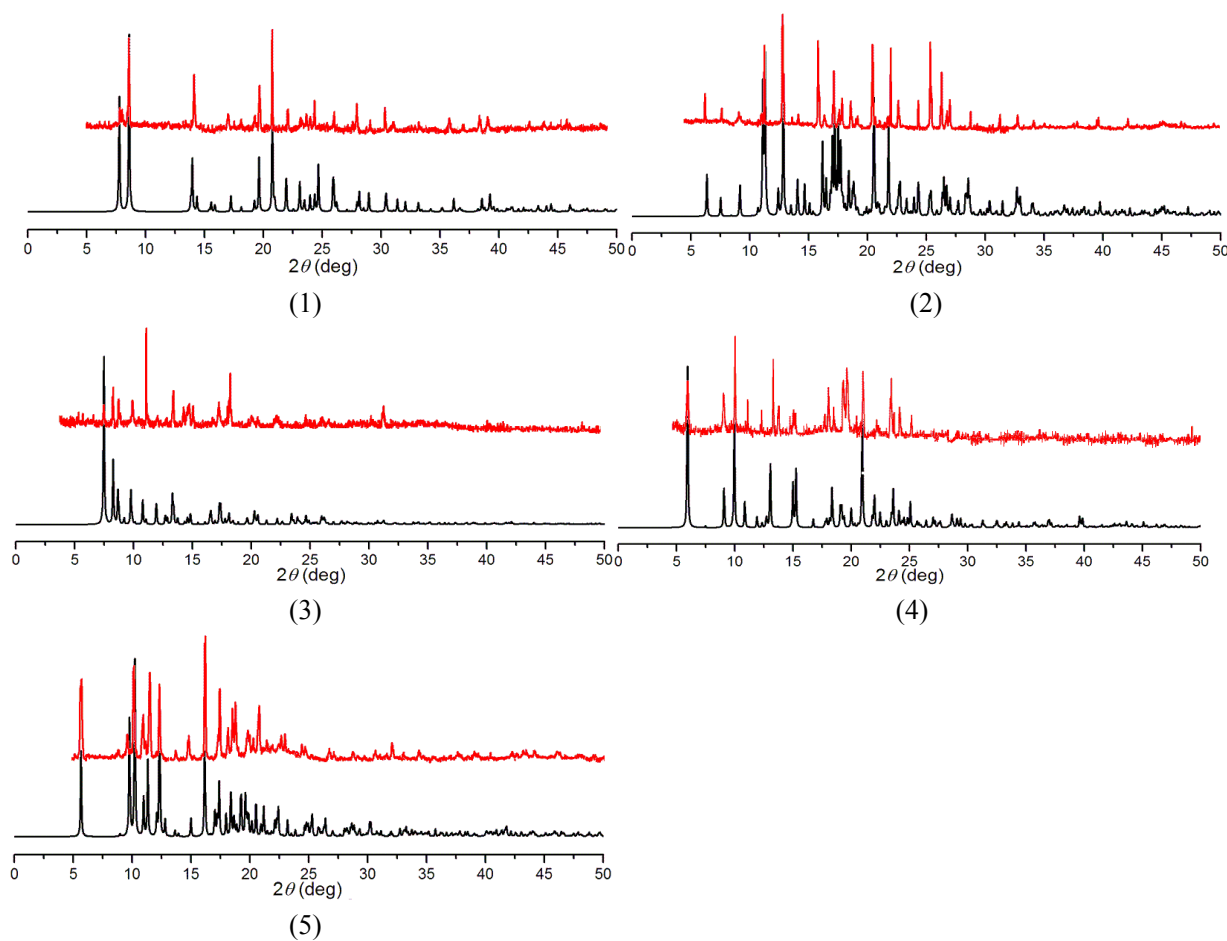
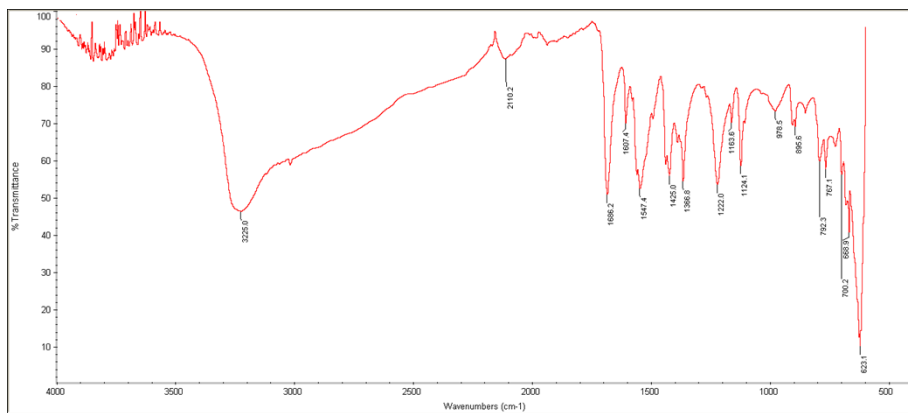
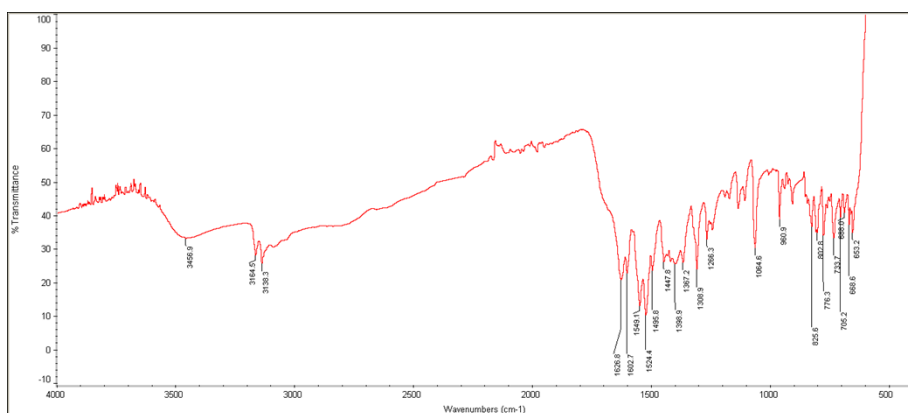


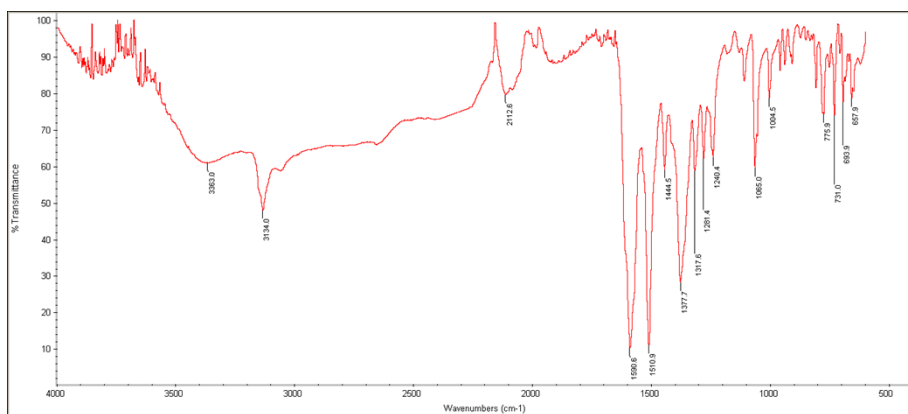
Figure S1. PXRD patterns of 1-5. Dark: calculated from the X-ray single-crystal data; Red: observed for the as-synthesized solids.



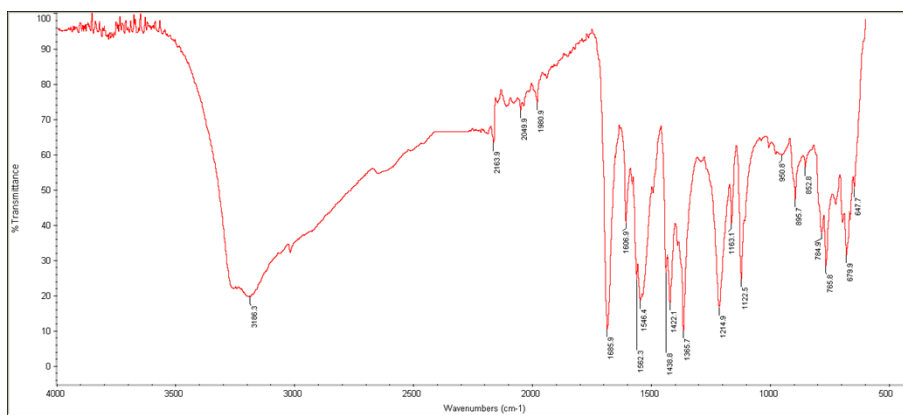
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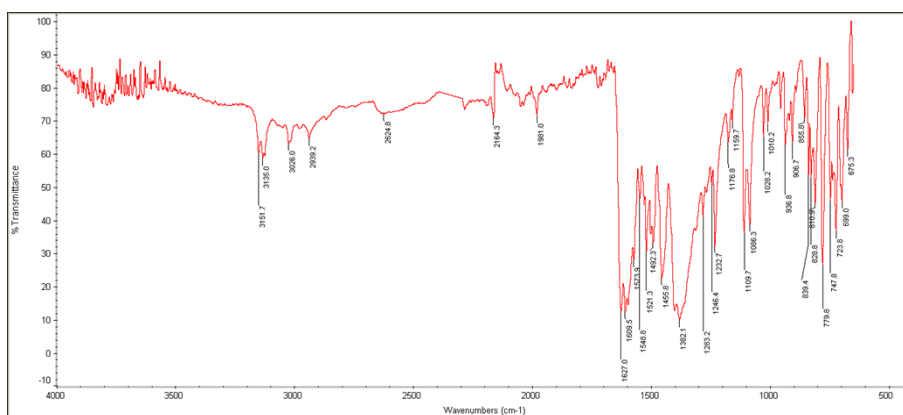
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Figure S2. The IR spectra of complexes 1-5.

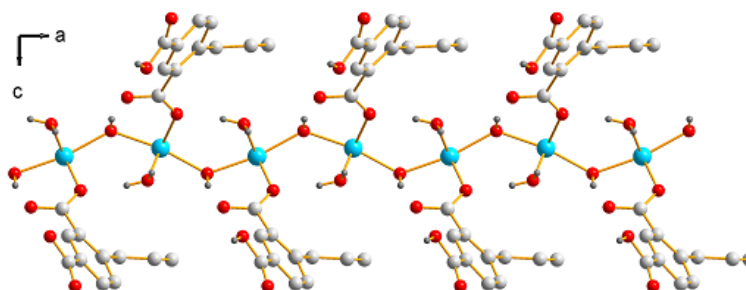


Figure S3. The 1D infinite $[\text{Ni}(\text{H}_2\text{DDB})(\text{H}_2\text{O})_2(\mu_2\text{-H}_2\text{O})]_n$ chain in 1 view along b axis.

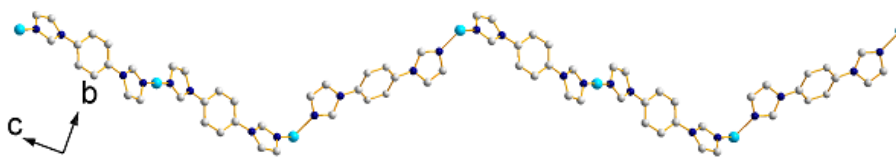


Figure S4. The 1D $[\text{Ni}(1,4\text{-bib})]_n$ zigzag chain in 2 view along a axis.

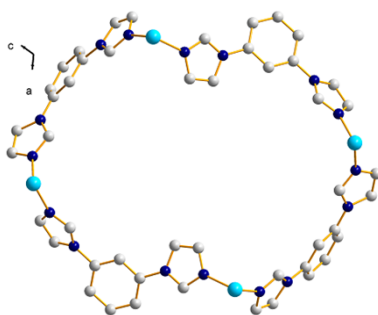


Figure S5. The interestingly $[\text{Ni}_4(1,3\text{-bib})_4]$ loop in **3**.

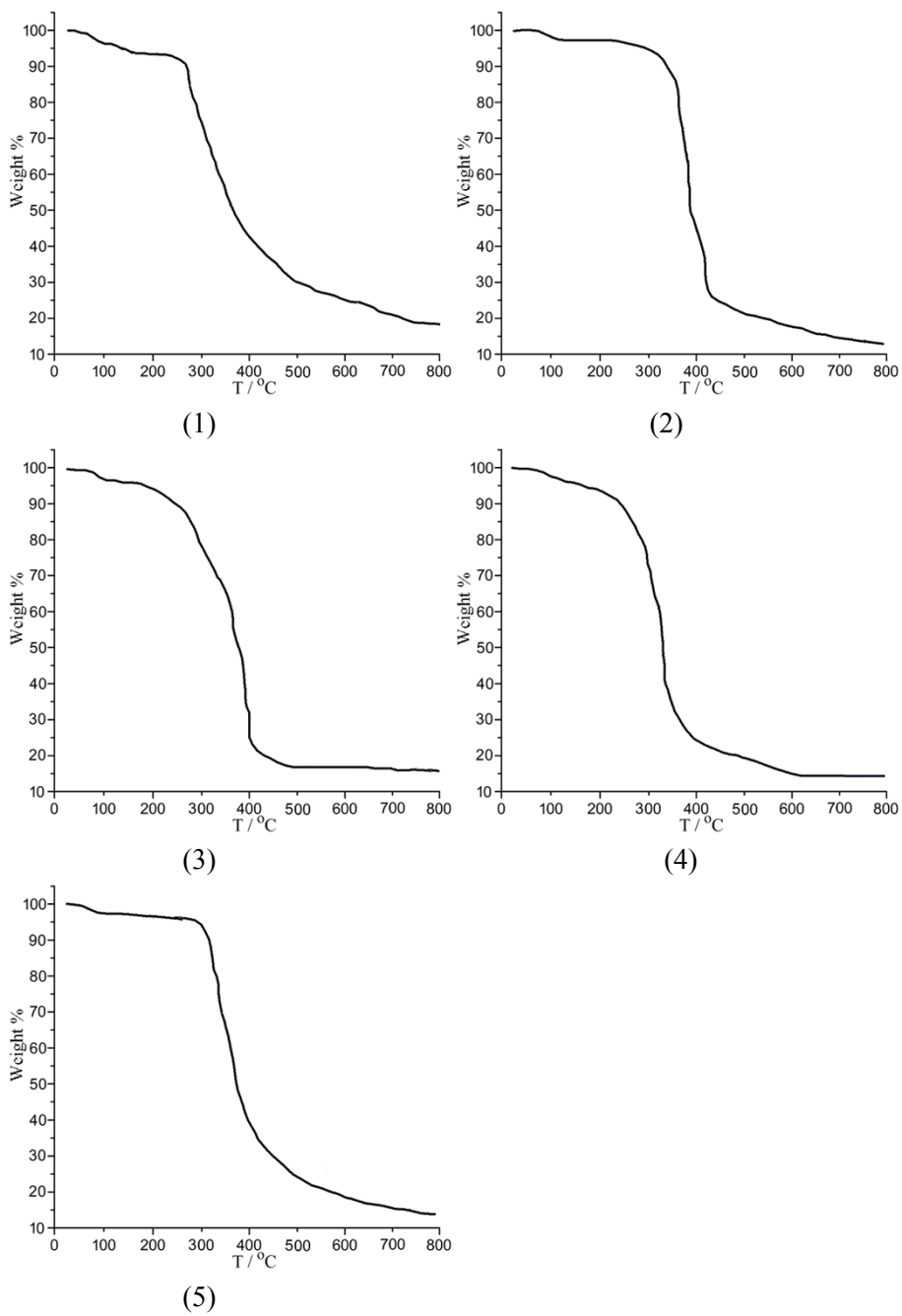


Figure S6. TG curves of 1-5.

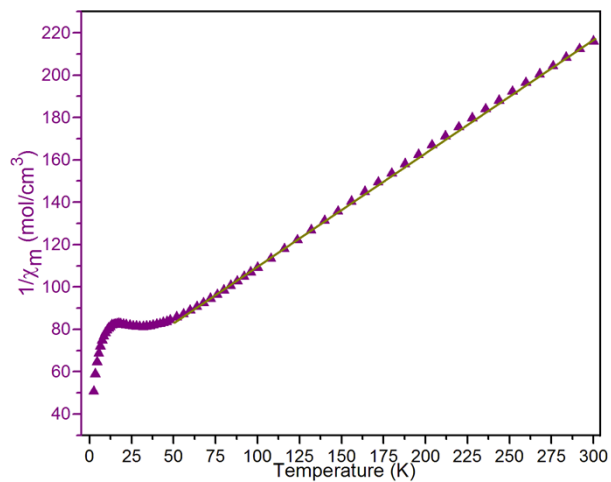


Figure S7. The χ_M^{-1} -T of **1** under a static field of 1000 Oe.

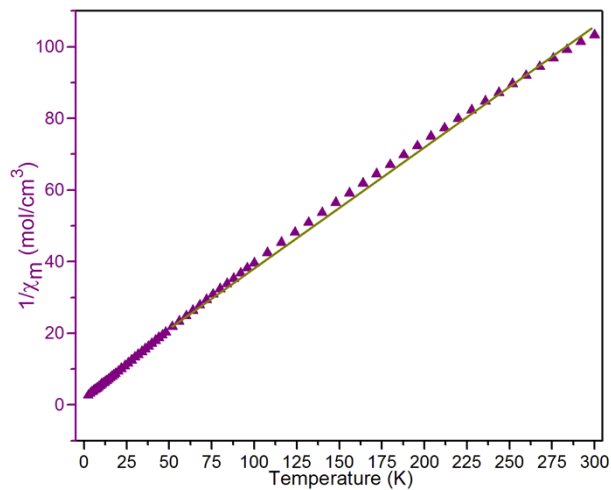


Figure S8. The χ_M^{-1} -T of **3** under a static field of 1000 Oe.

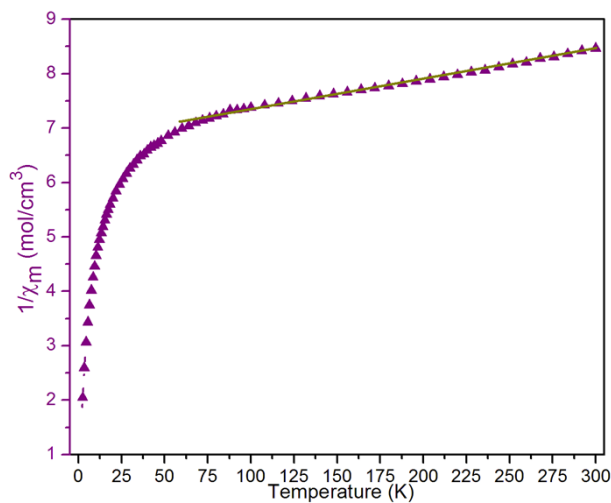


Figure S9. The χ_M^{-1} -T of **5** under a static field of 1000 Oe.

Table S1 Selected bond lengths (Å) and angles (°) for **1 – 5**.

Complex 1							
Ni(1)-O(6)	2.0208(13)	Ni(1)-O(1)	2.0483(12)	Ni(1)-O(5)	2.1032(18)	O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(6)	93.93(8)
O(6)-Ni(1)-O(1) ^{#1}	175.21(6)	O(1) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(1)	85.71(7)	O(1)-Ni(1)-O(5)	94.82(5)	O(1) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(5) ^{#2}	92.14(5)
O(6)-Ni(1)-O(1) ^{#1}	90.13(5)	O(6)-Ni(1)-O(5)	87.87(5)	O(6)-Ni(1)-O(5) ^{#2}	85.64(5)	O(1)-Ni(1)-O(5) ^{#2}	92.14(5)
O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(1)	90.13(5)	O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(5)	87.87(5)	O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(5) ^{#2}	85.64(5)	O(5)-Ni(1)-O(5) ^{#2}	170.49(4)
O(6)-Ni(1)-O(1)	175.21(6)	O(1) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(5)	94.82(5)				
Symmetry codes: #1 <i>x</i> , - <i>y</i> +3/2, <i>z</i> ; #2 <i>x</i> +1/2, <i>y</i> , - <i>z</i> +1/2.							
Complex 2							
N(1)-Ni(1)	2.0398(16)	Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#2}	2.1059(14)	Ni(2)-O(9)	2.0693(15)	Ni(2)-O(4)	2.1028(13)
N(6)-Ni(2)	2.0787(13)	Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#3}	2.1059(14)	Ni(2)-N(4) ^{#4}	2.0717(15)	Ni(2)-O(3)	2.1671(13)
Ni(1)-O(2)	2.0787(13)	Ni(2)-N(6)	2.0536(17)	Ni(2)-O(5)	2.0745(14)	N(1) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-N(1)	180.0
N(1) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(2) ^{#1}	89.33(6)	O(2) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#2}	94.85(6)	N(6)-Ni(2)-O(9)	98.83(7)	O(9)-Ni(2)-O(4)	99.51(6)
N(1)-Ni(1)-O(2) ^{#1}	90.67(6)	O(2)-Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#2}	85.15(6)	N(6)-Ni(2)-N(4) ^{#4}	99.39(7)	N(4) ^{#4} -Ni(2)-O(4)	88.24(6)
N(1) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(2)	90.67(6)	N(1) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#3}	93.28(6)	O(9)-Ni(2)-N(4) ^{#4}	93.00(6)	O(5)-Ni(2)-O(4)	83.51(6)
N(1)-Ni(1)-O(2)	89.33(6)	N(1)-Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#3}	86.72(6)	N(6)-Ni(2)-O(5)	88.03(6)	N(6)-Ni(2)-O(3)	99.31(6)
O(2) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(2)	180.0	O(2) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#3}	85.15(6)	O(9)-Ni(2)-O(5)	89.61(6)	O(9)-Ni(2)-O(3)	160.89(6)
N(1) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#2}	86.72(6)	O(2)-Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#3}	94.85(6)	N(4) ^{#4} -Ni(2)-O(5)	171.66(6)	N(4) ^{#4} -Ni(2)-O(3)	89.97(6)
N(1)-Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#2}	93.28(6)	O(8) ^{#2} -Ni(1)-O(8) ^{#3}	180.000(1)	N(6)-Ni(2)-O(4)	159.71(6)	O(5)-Ni(2)-O(3)	85.03(5)
O(4)-Ni(2)-O(3)	61.68(5)						
Symmetry codes: #1 - <i>x</i> +2, - <i>y</i> +1, - <i>z</i> +1; #2 - <i>x</i> +3/2, <i>y</i> +1/2, - <i>z</i> +1/2; #3 <i>x</i> +1/2, - <i>y</i> +1/2, <i>z</i> +1/2; #4 <i>x</i> +1, <i>y</i> , <i>z</i> .							
Complex 3							
N(1)-Ni(2)	2.069(3)	O(9)-Ni(1)	2.063(2)	Ni(1)-N(4) ^{#1}	2.070(3)	Ni(2)-O(5) ^{#1}	2.059(2)
N(7)-Ni(1)	2.072(3)	O(9)-Ni(2)	2.098(2)	Ni(1)-O(4) ^{#1}	2.188(2)	Ni(2)-O(7) ^{#6}	2.068(2)
O(1)-Ni(1)	2.056(2)	Ni(1)-O(6) ^{#1}	2.050(2)	Ni(2)-N(5) ^{#5}	2.057(3)	Ni(2)-O(4) ^{#1}	2.179(2)
O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(1)	176.48(9)	O(9)-Ni(1)-N(7)	88.87(10)	N(5) ^{#5} -Ni(2)-O(7) ^{#6}	89.41(10)	O(7) ^{#6} -Ni(2)-O(9)	89.84(8)
O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(9)	88.41(9)	N(4) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-N(7)	91.40(11)	O(5) ^{#1} -Ni(2)-O(7) ^{#6}	89.13(9)	N(1)-Ni(2)-O(9)	86.32(10)
O(1)-Ni(1)-O(9)	95.11(9)	O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(4) ^{#1}	91.18(8)	N(5) ^{#5} -Ni(2)-N(1)	91.23(12)	N(5) ^{#5} -Ni(2)-O(4) ^{#1}	106.88(9)
O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-N(4) ^{#1}	85.97(10)	O(1)-Ni(1)-O(4) ^{#1}	89.71(9)	O(5) ^{#1} -Ni(2)-N(1)	174.84(10)	O(5) ^{#1} -Ni(2)-O(4) ^{#1}	83.34(9)
O(1)-Ni(1)-N(4) ^{#1}	90.51(9)	O(9)-Ni(1)-O(4) ^{#1}	74.78(8)	O(7) ^{#6} -Ni(2)-N(1)	89.76(10)	O(7) ^{#6} -Ni(2)-O(4) ^{#1}	161.09(9)
O(9)-Ni(1)-N(4) ^{#1}	174.37(9)	N(4) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-O(4) ^{#1}	104.98(9)	N(5) ^{#5} -Ni(2)-O(9)	177.45(10)	N(1)-Ni(2)-O(4) ^{#1}	99.20(9)
O(6) ^{#1} -Ni(1)-N(7)	89.30(10)	N(7)-Ni(1)-O(4) ^{#1}	163.62(10)	O(5) ^{#1} -Ni(2)-O(9)	98.72(9)	O(9)-Ni(2)-O(4) ^{#1}	74.28(8)
O(1)-Ni(1)-N(7)	90.81(10)	N(5) ^{#5} -Ni(2)-O(5) ^{#1}	83.71(10)				
Symmetry codes: #1 - <i>x</i> +2, - <i>y</i> +1, - <i>z</i> -1; #5 <i>x</i> , - <i>y</i> +1, <i>z</i> -1/2; #6 <i>x</i> +1/2, - <i>y</i> +1/2, <i>z</i> +1/2.							
Complex 4							
Cu(1)-O(4) ^{#1}	2.030(3)	Cu(1)-O(3)	2.032(3)	Cu(1)-O(6) ^{#1}	2.046(3)	Cu(1)-O(5)	2.051(3)
Cu(1)-N(1)	2.029(3)	O(4) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-N(1)	94.65(12)	O(4) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-O(3)	164.10(11)	N(1)-Cu(1)-O(3)	101.24(12)
O(4) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-O(6) ^{#1}	87.54(11)	O(3)-Cu(1)-O(6) ^{#1}	89.18(11)	N(1)-Cu(1)-O(5)	95.64(13)	O(6) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-O(5)	164.67(12)
N(1)-Cu(1)-O(6) ^{#1}	99.68(13)	O(4) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-O(5)	90.73(12)	O(3)-Cu(1)-O(5)	88.33(12)		
Symmetry code: #1 - <i>x</i> +1, - <i>y</i> +2, - <i>z</i> +1.							
Complex 5							
O(2)-Cu(1)	1.995(2)	Cu(1)-O(5) ^{#1}	1.957(3)	Cu(1)-N(1) ^{#2}	2.123(3)	Cu(2)-N(3) ^{#3}	1.963(3)
O(6)-Cu(1)	1.953(2)	Cu(1)-O(1) ^{#1}	1.978(3)	Cu(2)-N(3)	1.963(3)	Cu(2)-O(8) ^{#3}	1.997(3)
O(8)-Cu(2)	1.997(3)	O(5) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-O(2)	90.05(11)	O(1) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-N(1) ^{#2}	98.67(12)	N(3) ^{#3} -Cu(2)-O(8)	92.29(13)
O(6)-Cu(1)-O(5) ^{#1}	166.73(11)	O(1) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-O(2)	167.00(11)	O(2)-Cu(1)-N(1) ^{#2}	94.33(12)	N(3)-Cu(2)-O(8) ^{#3}	92.29(13)
O(6)-Cu(1)-O(1) ^{#1}	89.73(10)	O(6)-Cu(1)-N(1) ^{#2}	96.27(12)	N(3)-Cu(2)-N(3) ^{#3}	180.00(15)	N(3) ^{#3} -Cu(2)-O(8) ^{#3}	87.71(13)
O(5) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-O(1) ^{#1}	88.55(11)	O(5) ^{#1} -Cu(1)-N(1) ^{#2}	97.00(13)	N(3)-Cu(2)-O(8)	87.71(13)	O(8)-Cu(2)-O(8) ^{#3}	180.00(12)
O(6)-Cu(1)-O(2)	88.67(10)						
Symmetry codes: #1 - <i>x</i> +1, - <i>y</i> +1, - <i>z</i> +2; #2 - <i>x</i> +1/2, <i>y</i> +1/2, - <i>z</i> +3/2; #3 - <i>x</i> +1, - <i>y</i> +1, - <i>z</i> +1.							

Table S2 The hydrogen bonds in complex **1**.

Donor--H...Acceptor	d(D---A) (Å)	d(D---H) (Å)	d(H...A) (Å)	∠DHA (°)
O(5)--H(1w)...O(2) ^{#1}	2.623	0.820	1.832	161.61
O(3)--H(3)...O(2) ^{#2}	2.751	0.820	1.960	161.74
O(6)--H(3w)...O(1) ^{#3}	2.716	0.858	1.862	172.67
O(3)--H(4w)...O(4) ^{#4}	2.699	0.840	1.868	161.81
C(8)--H(8)...O(3) ^{#2}	3.223	0.930	2.504	134.36
Symmetry codes: #1 <i>x</i> , - <i>y</i> +3/2, <i>z</i> ; #2 - <i>x</i> , - <i>y</i> +1, - <i>z</i> +1; #3 <i>x</i> -1/2, <i>y</i> , - <i>z</i> +1/2; #4 - <i>x</i> +1/2, - <i>y</i> +1, <i>z</i> -1/2.				

Table S3 The hydrogen bonds in complex **4**.

Donor--H...Acceptor	d(D---A) (Å)	d(D---H) (Å)	d(H...A) (Å)	∠DHA (°)
O(2)--H(2)...O(8) ^{#1}	2.636	0.820	1.834	165.54
O(7)--H(7A)...N(4) ^{#2}	2.558	0.820	1.758	165.54
C(27)--H(27)...O(4) ^{#3}	3.433	0.930	2.602	149.24
C(32)--H(32)...O(1) ^{#3}	3.074	0.930	2.472	122.55
C(4) ^{#4} --H(4) ^{#4} ...O(3)	3.172	0.930	2.524	127.06
Symmetry codes: #1 - <i>x</i> +3/2, - <i>y</i> +2, <i>z</i> +1/2; #2 <i>x</i> , - <i>y</i> +1/2, <i>z</i> -1/2; #3 <i>x</i> , <i>y</i> -1, <i>z</i> ; #4 - <i>x</i> +3/2, <i>y</i> -1/2, <i>z</i> .				