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Recognition of Phosphopeptides by a Dinuclear Copper(II) Macrocyclic Complex in Water:Methanol 50:50 v/v Solution

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Table S1 Overall protonation constants (β_i^H) of L and overall stability constants ($\beta_{Cu_mH_hL_l}$) of its copper(II) complexes in water/methanol (50:50 v/v) solution.^a

Equilibrium reaction	$\log \beta_i^H$ ^b	Equilibrium reaction	$\log \beta_{Cu_mH_hL_l}$ ^c
$L + H^+ \rightleftharpoons HL^+$	8.36(1)	$Cu^{2+} + 2 H^+ + L \rightleftharpoons [CuH_2L]^{4+}$	24.19(1)
$L + 2 H^+ \rightleftharpoons H_2L^{2+}$	15.88(1)	$Cu^{2+} + H^+ + L \rightleftharpoons [CuHL]^{3+}$	18.34(2)
$L + 3 H^+ \rightleftharpoons H_3L^{3+}$	22.39(1)	$Cu^{2+} + L \rightleftharpoons [CuL]^{2+}$	11.24(3)
$L + 4 H^+ \rightleftharpoons H_4L^{4+}$	28.18(1)	$Cu^{2+} + L \rightleftharpoons [CuL(OH)]^+ + H^+$	2.86(2)
		$2 Cu^{2+} + L \rightleftharpoons [Cu_2L]^{4+}$	18.30(1)
		$2 Cu^{2+} + L \rightleftharpoons [Cu_2L(OH)]^{3+} + H^+$	13.87(1)

^a $T = 298.2 \pm 0.1$ K; $I = 0.10 \pm 0.01$ M in KNO_3 . ^b Values in parenthesis are standard deviations in the last significant figures.

Table S2 Overall (β_i^H) and stepwise (K_i^H) protonation constants of the studied substrates in water/methanol (50:50 v/v) solution.^a

Equilibrium reaction ^b	$\log \beta_i^H$ ^c				Equilibrium reaction ^b	$\log K_i^H$			
	PO_4^{3-}	$PhPO_4^{2-}$	$pST3^{2-}$	$pST1^{3-}$		PO_4^{3-}	$PhPO_4^{2-}$	$pST3^{2-}$	$pST1^{3-}$
$S + H^+ \rightleftharpoons HS$	11.91(1)	6.81(3)	10.69(1)	10.81(1)	$S + H^+ \rightleftharpoons HS$	11.91	6.81	10.69	10.81
$S + 2 H^+ \rightleftharpoons H_2S$	19.42(1)	-	20.45(1)	17.35(3)	$HS + H^+ \rightleftharpoons H_2S$	7.51	-	9.76	6.54
$S + 2 H^+ \rightleftharpoons H_3S$	22.23(1)	-	26.64(1)	22.36(3)	$H_2S + H^+ \rightleftharpoons H_3S$	2.81	-	6.19	5.01

^a $T = 298.2 \pm 0.1$ K; $I = 0.10 \pm 0.01$ M in KNO_3 . The value for acetate was also determined in the same conditions: $\log K_1^H = 5.24(1)$. ^b S denotes the substrate; charges of the substrates were omitted for simplicity. ^c Values in parenthesis are standard deviations in the last significant figures.

Table S3 Overall ($\log \beta_{CuH_hS_s}$) stability constants of the copper(II) complexes of the studied substrates in water/methanol (50:50 v/v) solution.^a

Equilibrium reaction ^{b,c}	$\log \beta_{CuH_hS_s}$ ^d			
	PO_4^{3-}	$PhPO_4^{2-}$	$pST3^{2-}$	$pST1^{3-}$
$Cu^{2+} + 2 H^+ + S \rightleftharpoons [CuH_2S]$	-	-	23.89(5)	20.63(4)
$Cu^{2+} + H^+ + S \rightleftharpoons [CuHS]$	16.76(2)	-	17.38(6)	16.04(1)
$Cu^{2+} + S \rightleftharpoons [CuS]$	-	4.12(5)	11.11(3)	-

^a $T = 298.2 \pm 0.1$ K; $I = 0.10 \pm 0.01$ M in KNO_3 . ^b S denotes the substrate. ^c Charges of the substrates and complexes were omitted for simplicity. ^d Values in parenthesis are standard deviations in the last significant figures.

Table S4 Overall ($\beta_{\text{Cu}_m\text{H}_h\text{L}_l\text{S}_s}$) association constants between the copper(II) complexes of L with the anions in water/methanol (50:50 v/v).^a

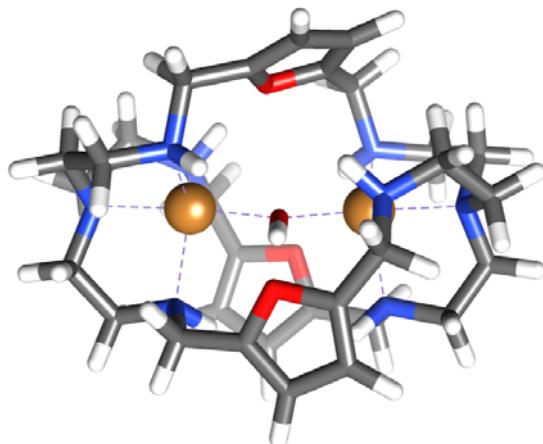
Equilibrium reaction ^{b,c}		$\log \beta_{\text{Cu}_m\text{H}_h\text{L}_l\text{S}_s}^d$		
	PO_4^{3-}	PhPO_4^{2-}	pST3^{2-}	pST1^{3-}
$2 \text{ Cu}^{2+} + \text{L} + \text{S} \rightleftharpoons [\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\text{S})]$	—	25.84(1)	—	—
$2 \text{ Cu}^{2+} + \text{H}^+ + \text{L} + \text{S} \rightleftharpoons [\text{Cu}_2\text{HL}(\text{S})]$	37.80(2)	—	—	36.57(1)
$2 \text{ Cu}^{2+} + 2 \text{ H}^+ + \text{L} + \text{S} \rightleftharpoons [\text{Cu}_2\text{H}_2\text{L}(\text{S})]$	41.80(3)	—	45.38(1)	41.28(1)
$2 \text{ Cu}^{2+} + 3 \text{ H}^+ + \text{L} + \text{S} \rightleftharpoons [\text{Cu}_2\text{H}_3\text{L}(\text{S})]$	—	—	48.89(7)	45.27(3)

^a $T = (298.2 \pm 0.1)$ K; $I = (0.10 \pm 0.01)$ M in KNO_3 . ^b Charges of the complex species were omitted for simplicity. ^c S denotes the substrate. ^d Values in parenthesis are standard deviations in the last significant figures.

Table S5 Hydrogen bond details for the main interactions in $[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)][\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)(\text{NO}_3)]3\text{NO}_3 \cdot 24\text{H}_2\text{O}$.

Sym. Op.	D-H···A	$d(\text{H}\cdots\text{A})$ (Å)	$d(D\cdots\text{A})$ (Å)	$(D\hat{H}A)$ (°)
x, y, z	O15W···O4A	n/a	2.782(9)	n/a
x, y, z	O16W···O4A	n/a	2.649(8)	n/a
-1+x, -1+y, z	O11W···O4B	n/a	2.574(8)	n/a
-1+x, -1+y, z	O17W···O4B	n/a	2.622(8)	n/a
x, y, z	N1A-H···O16W	1.95	2.916(8)	160
-1+x, y, z	N10A-H···O9W	2.16	2.857(10)	125
-1+x, -1+y, z	N1B-H···O11W	2.02	2.932(8)	151
x, y, z	N19B-H···O2C	2.14	2.912(10)	133
x, y, z	N19B-H···O2D	2.29	3.080(10)	135
x, y, z	N19A-H···O3C	2.28	3.059(10)	134
x, y, z	N19A-H···O3D	2.08	2.929(10)	142
x, -1+y, z	N10B-H···O6	2.17	2.963(10)	134
-1+x, -1+y, z	N28B-H···O17W	2.07	2.994(8)	153
x, y, z	N28A-H···O4A	2.43	3.244(8)	138
x, y, z	N28A-H···O15W	2.46	3.317(10)	144

Table S6 Exchange coupling constants J_{iso} ($H = J_{iso} S_1 \bullet S_2$) calculated by DFT using different functionals and basis sets for the cryptate reported in reference 24b.



	J_{iso} (cm ⁻¹)	Cu-Cu (Å)	Cu-O-Cu (°)
M06/TZVP	1190	3.895	165.4
B3LYP/TZVP	1104	3.895	165.4
B3LYP/6-311G(d) ^a	1094	3.895	165.4
B3LYP/6-311G(d) ^b	898	3.929	164.9
Exp.	865 ± 50	3.900	174.0

^a Structures optimized at the M06/TZVP level. ^b Structures optimized at the B3LYP/6-311G(d) level.

Table S7 Experimental (X-ray) and calculated (DFT) bond distances (\AA) and angles ($^{\circ}$) of the coordination spheres of the $[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)]^{2+}$ and $[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)(\text{NO}_3)]^+$ cation complexes.

	$[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)]^{2+}$			$[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)(\text{NO}_3)]^+$	
	X-ray	M06/TZVP ^a	B3LYP/6-311G(d) ^b	X-ray	B3LYP/6-311G(d) ^b
Distances / \AA					
N1–Cu1	2.068(6)	2.071	2.082	2.072(7)	2.075
N10–Cu1	2.092(8)	2.093	2.106	2.077(5)	2.109
N8–Cu1	1.925(6)	1.927	1.929	1.921(6)	1.937
O1–Cu1	1.872(4)	1.864	1.855	1.875(6)	1.833
O1C–Cu2	—			2.393(8)	2.264
N19–Cu2	2.083(6)	2.089	2.102	2.084(6)	2.119
N26–Cu2	1.929(6)	1.931	1.925	1.924(6)	1.946
N28–Cu2	2.073(6)	2.076	2.079	2.063(6)	2.134
O3–Cu2	1.862(6)	1.881	1.847	1.859(6)	1.864
Cu1…Cu2	5.812(1)	4.480	5.556	5.811(1)	5.664
Angles / $^{\circ}$					
N1–Cu1–N10	164.4(2)	163.6	162.3	162.3(2)	162.5
N8–Cu1–O1	171.5(2)	172.7	155.5	164.6(3)	155.2
O1C–Cu2–N19	—			94.1(3)	100.2
O1C–Cu2–N28	—			90.1(3)	85.0
O1C–Cu2–N26	—			86.2(3)	84.1
O1C–Cu2–O3	—			100.9(3)	99.1
N19–Cu2–N28	160.9(2)	161.2	164.7	162.1(2)	161.6
N26–Cu2–O3	173.5(2)	150.8	173.2	173.6(3)	176.8

^a Bulk solvent effects (water) included using polarized continuum model. ^b Optimizations in the gas phase.

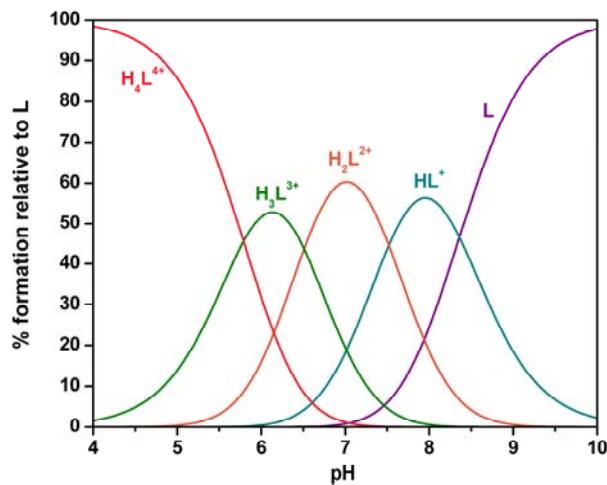


Fig. S1 Species distribution diagram of the protonation of L. $C_L = 1.0 \times 10^{-3}$ M.

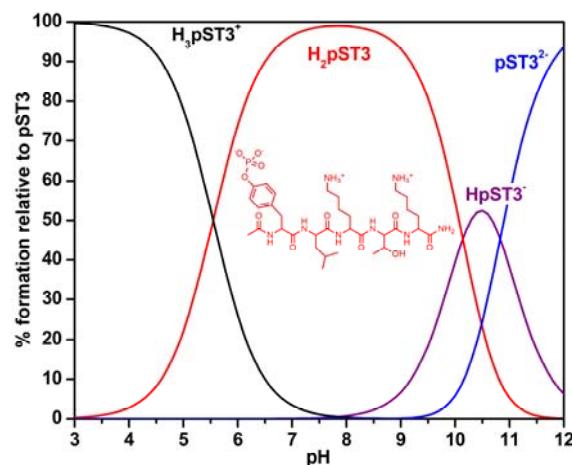


Fig. S2 Species distribution diagram of the protonation of H₂pST3. $C_{\text{peptide}} = 1.0 \times 10^{-3}$ M.

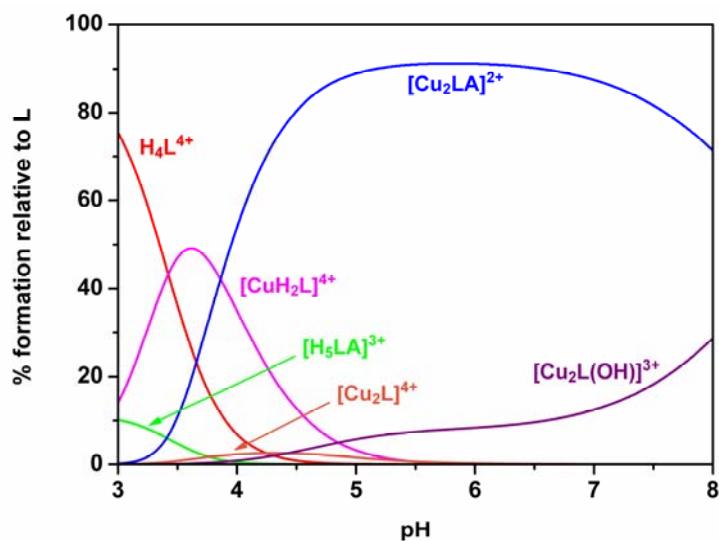


Fig. S3 Species distribution diagram calculated for the complexes of Cu²⁺ with L in presence of the PhPO₄²⁻ anion ($\text{A} = \text{PhPO}_4^{2-}$). $C_{\text{Cu}} = 2 \times C_L = 2 \times C_A = 2.0 \times 10^{-3}$ M.

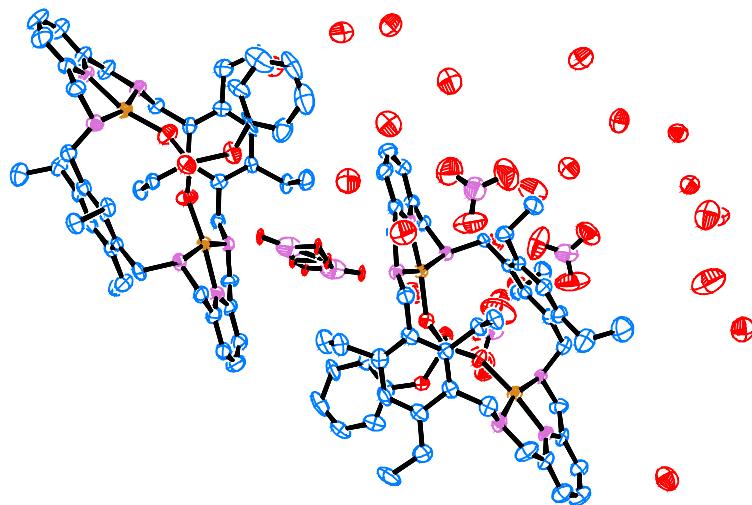


Fig. S4 Thermal ellipsoid plot (ellipsoids set at 50% probability) for the $[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)][\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)(\text{NO}_3)]\cdot 3\text{NO}_3\cdot 24\text{H}_2\text{O}$ asymmetric unit, depicting all the water molecules and anions. Hydrogen atoms were omitted for clarity.

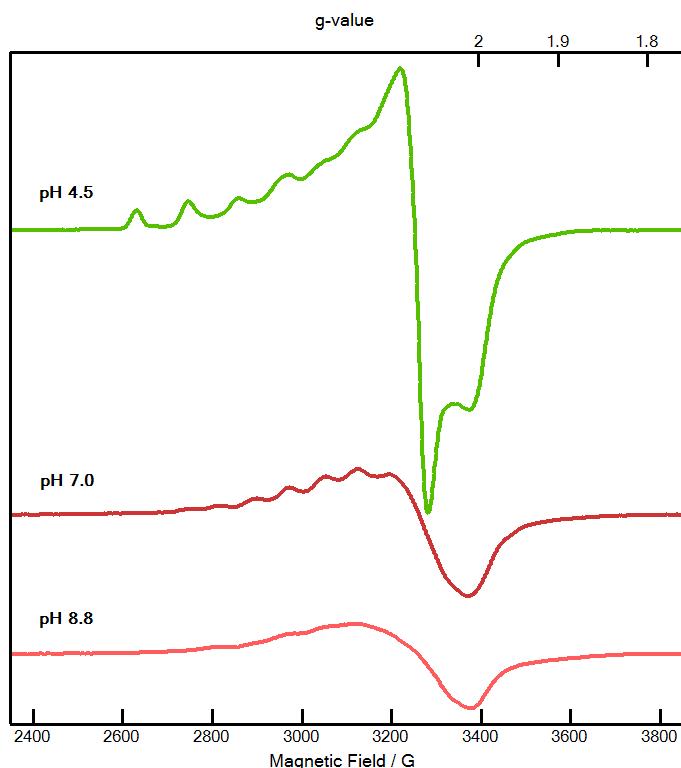


Fig. S5 X-band EPR spectra of copper(II) complexes ($\text{Cu}^{2+}\text{:L}$ 2:1) at three different pH values. All spectra recorded at 135 K, 2.0 mW microwave power, 1.0 mT modulation amplitude, and frequency (ν) of 9.5 GHz. All samples in $\text{H}_2\text{O}\text{:MeOH}$ (50:50 v/v) solution.

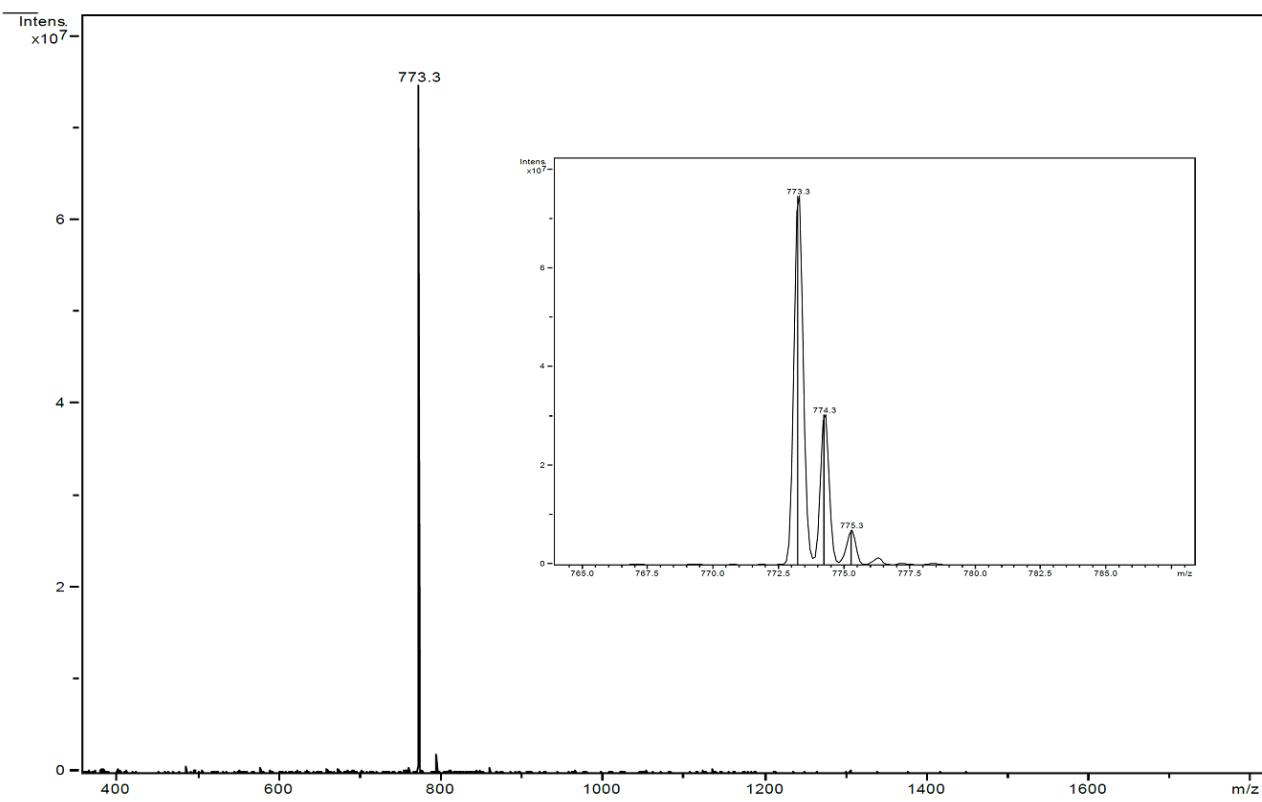


Fig. S6 ESI mass spectrum of H₂pST3, recorded in positive ion mode.

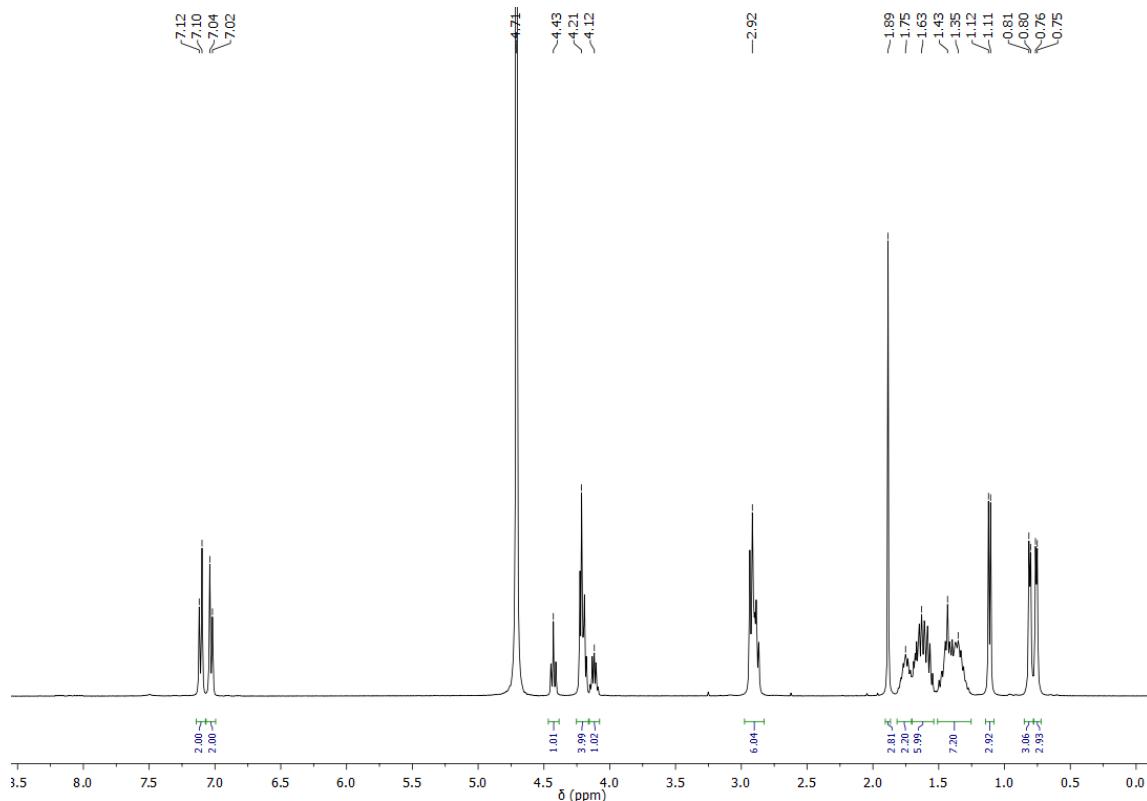


Fig. S7 ¹H NMR spectrum of H₂pST3 in D₂O.

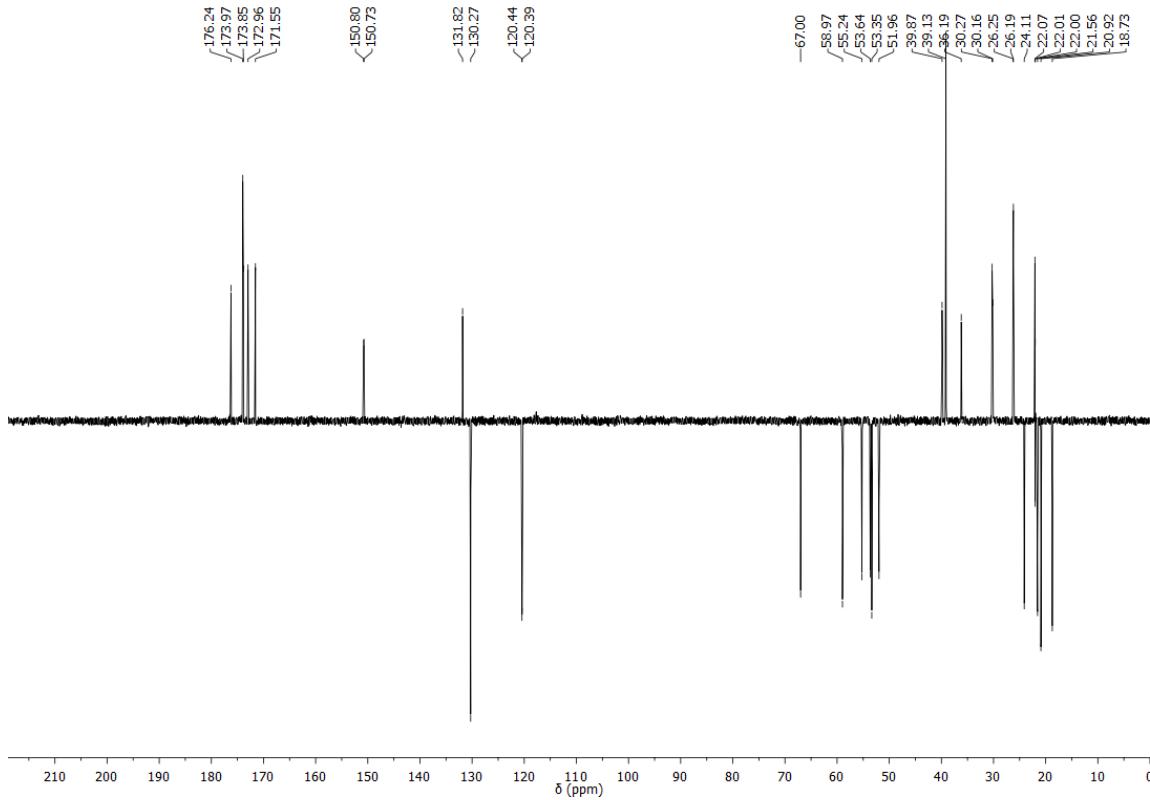


Fig. S8 APT NMR spectrum of H₂pST3 in D₂O.

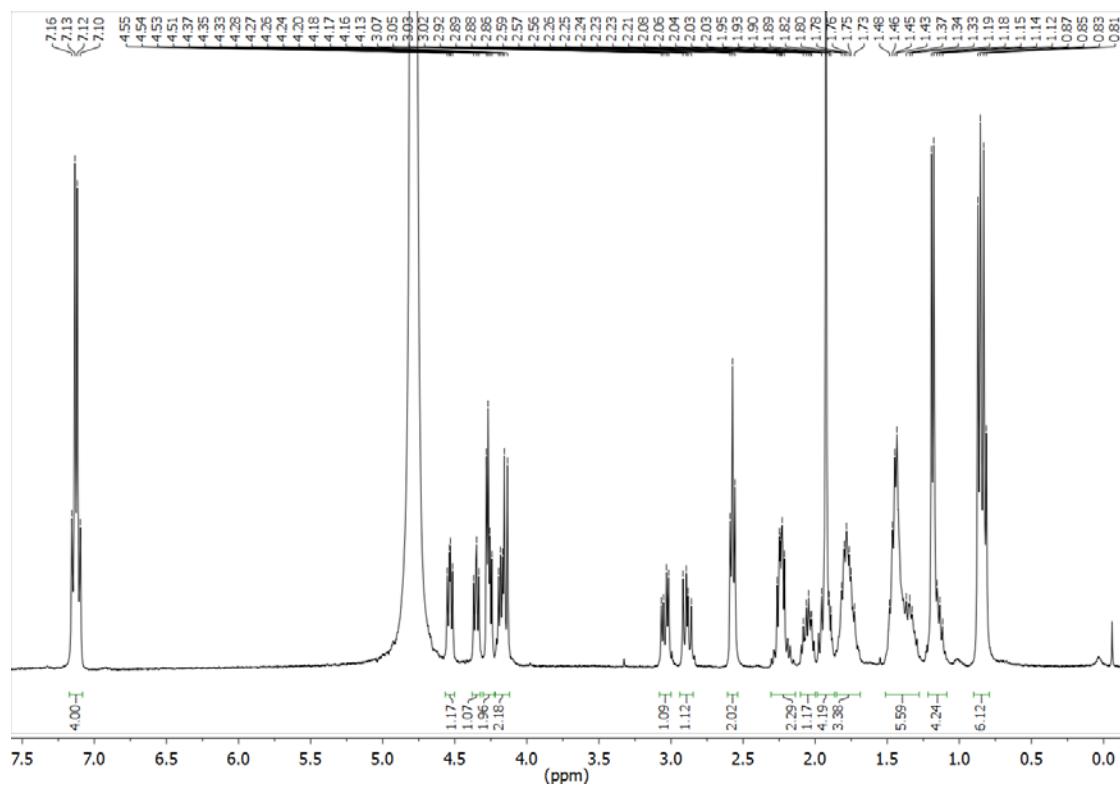


Fig. S9 ¹H NMR spectrum of H₃pST1 in D₂O.

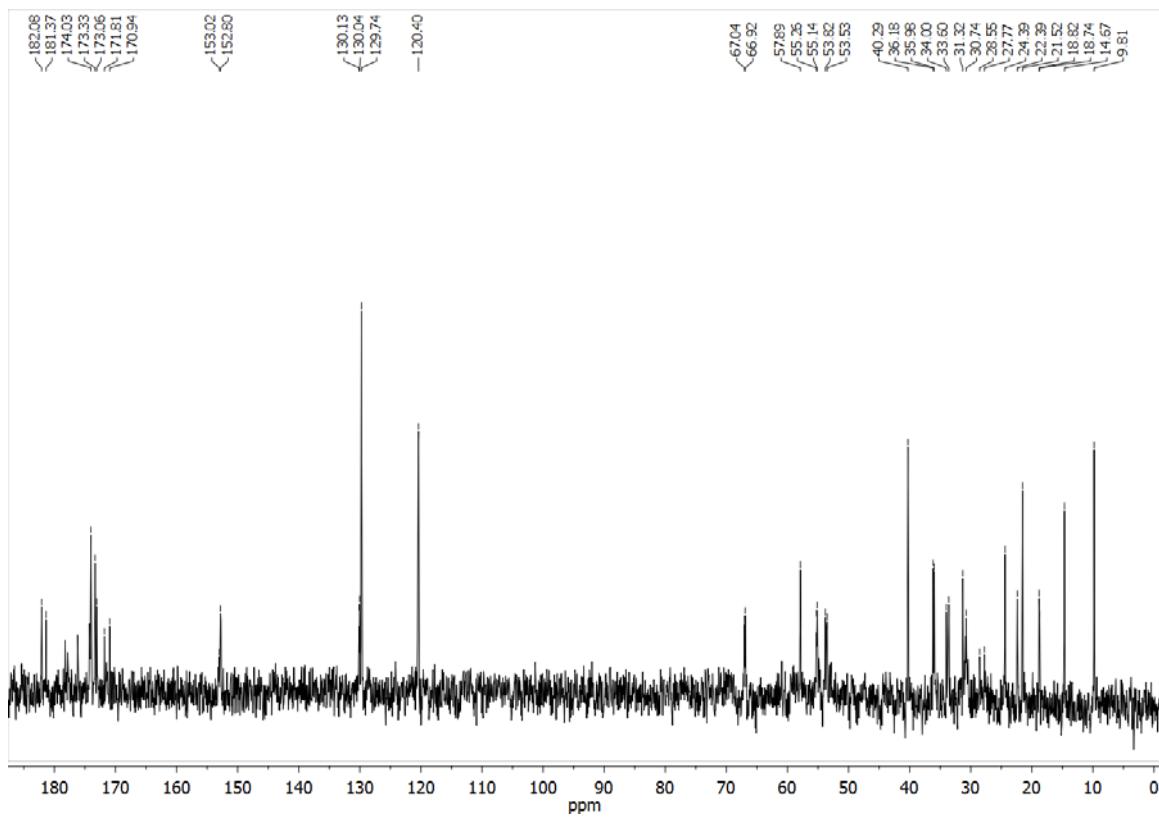


Fig. S10 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of H₃pST1 in D₂O.

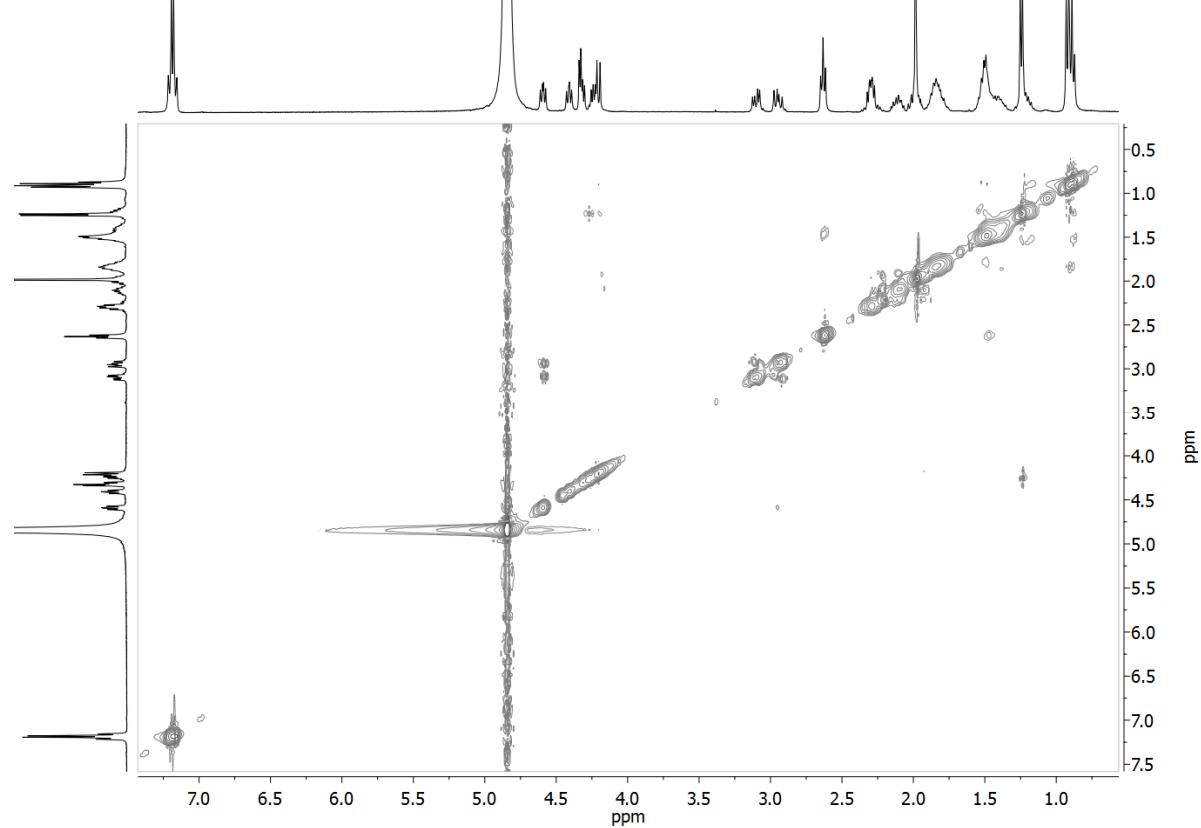


Fig. S11 COSY spectrum of H₃pST1 in D₂O.

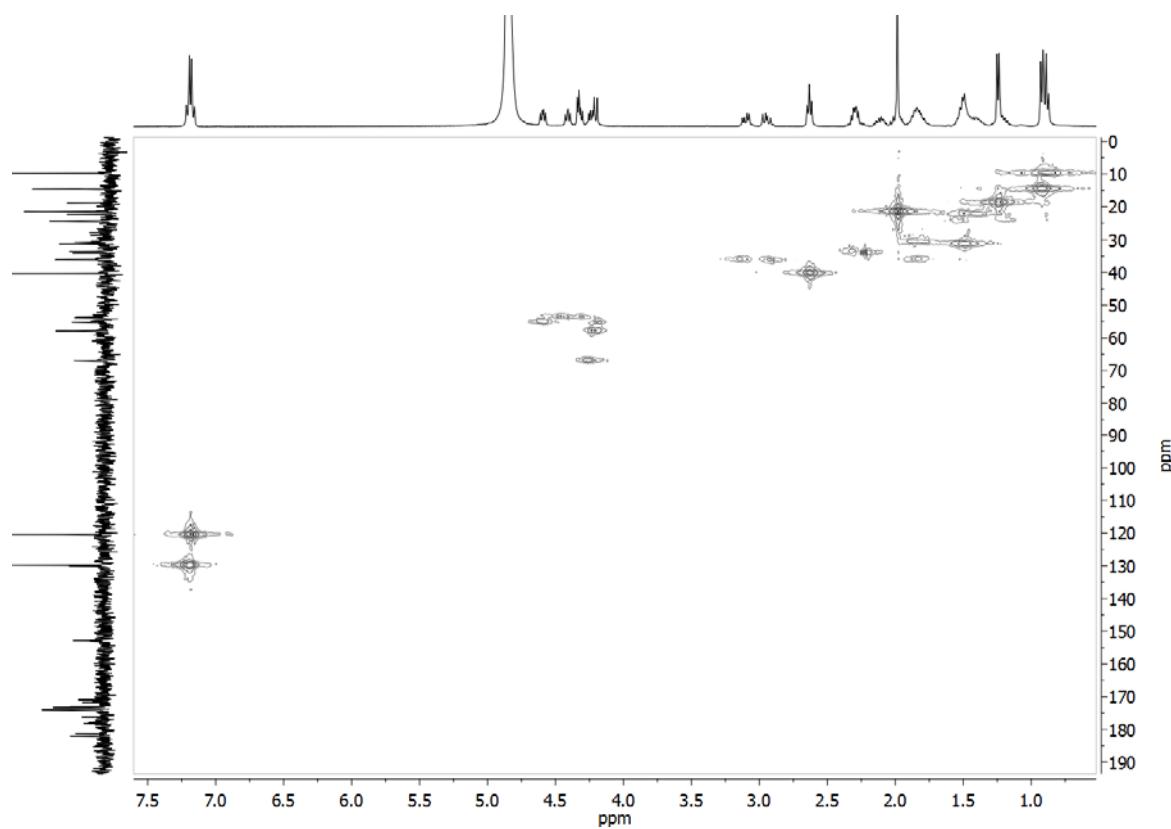


Fig. S12 HMQC spectrum of H₃pST1 in D₂O.

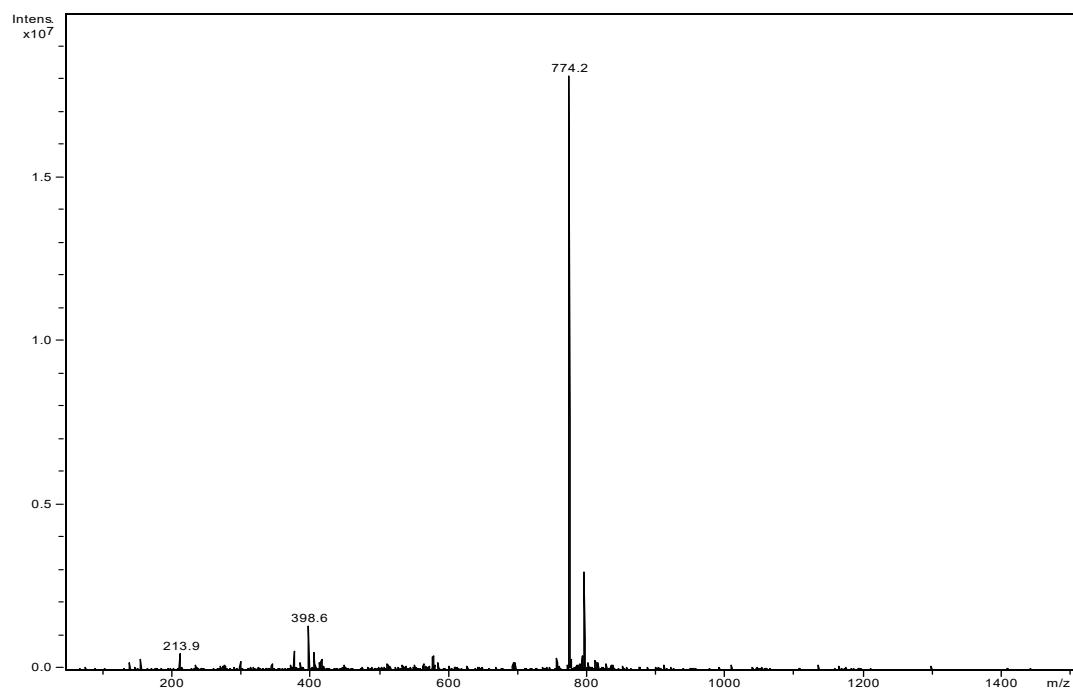


Fig. S13 ESI mass spectrum of H₃pST1 in H₂O/MeOH, recorded in positive ion mode.

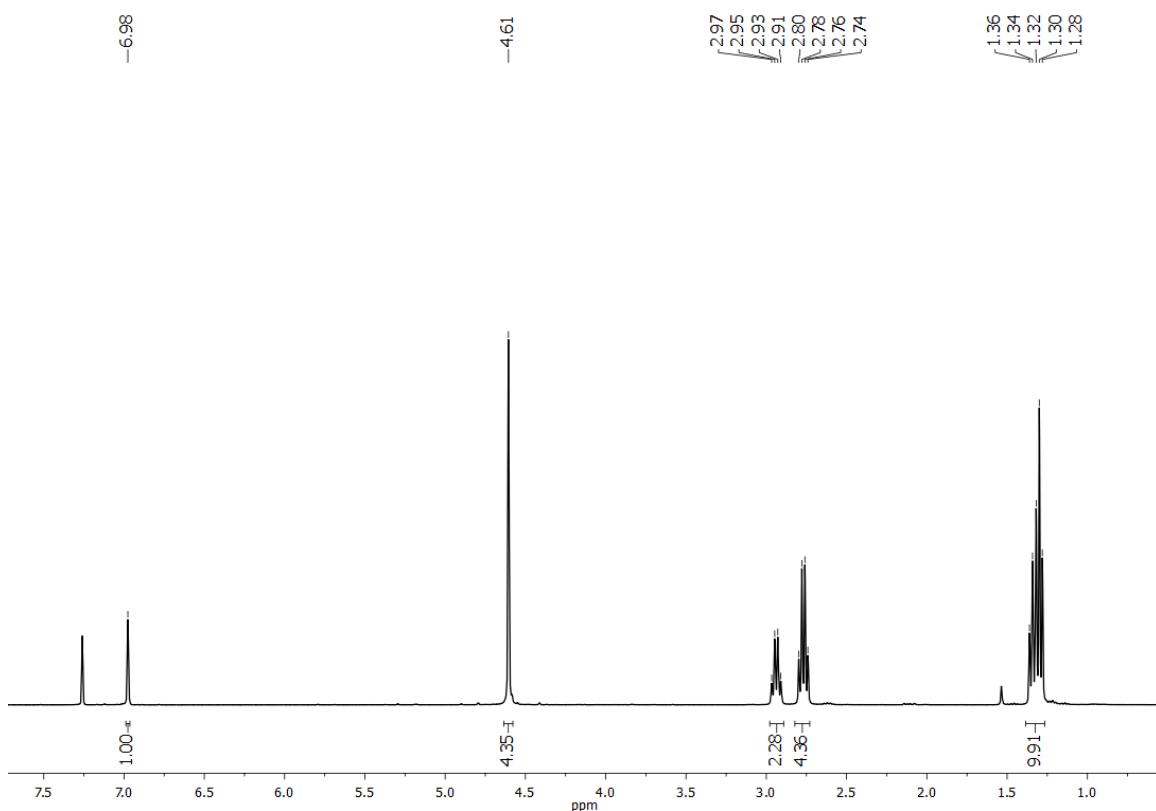


Fig. S14 ^1H NMR spectrum of 2,4-bis(bromomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl_3 .

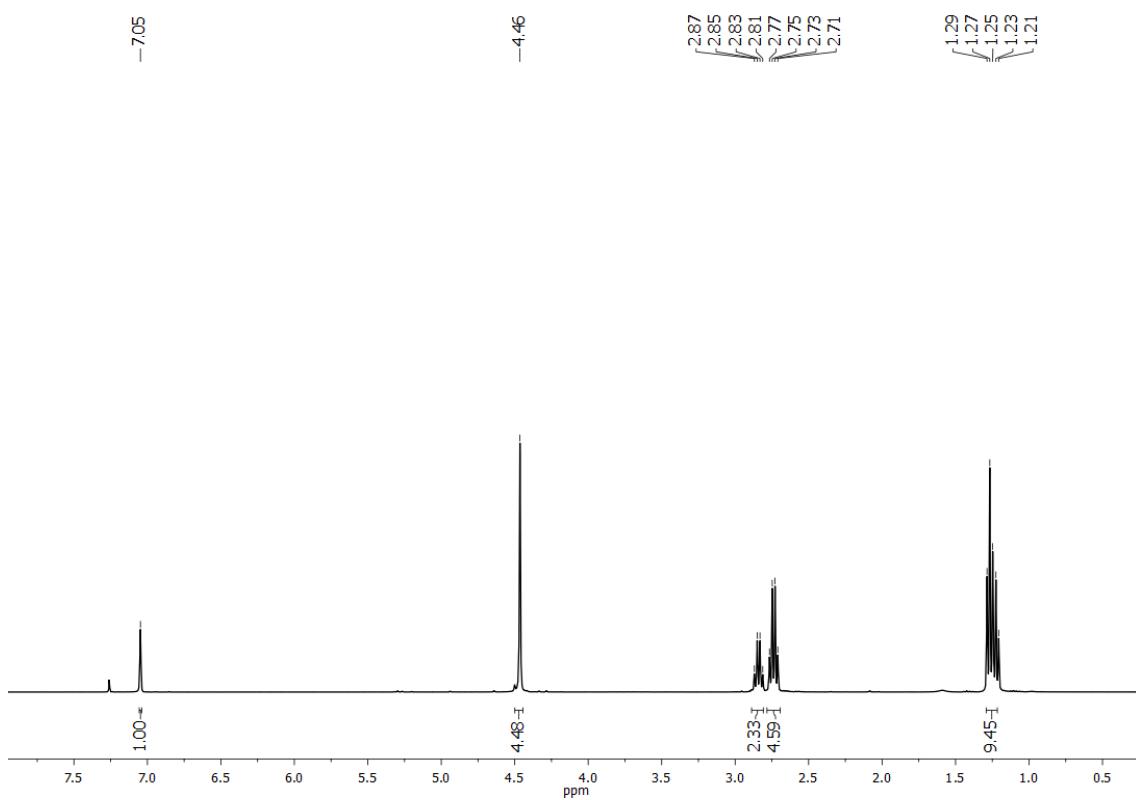


Fig. S15 ^1H NMR spectrum of 2,4-bis(azidomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl_3 .

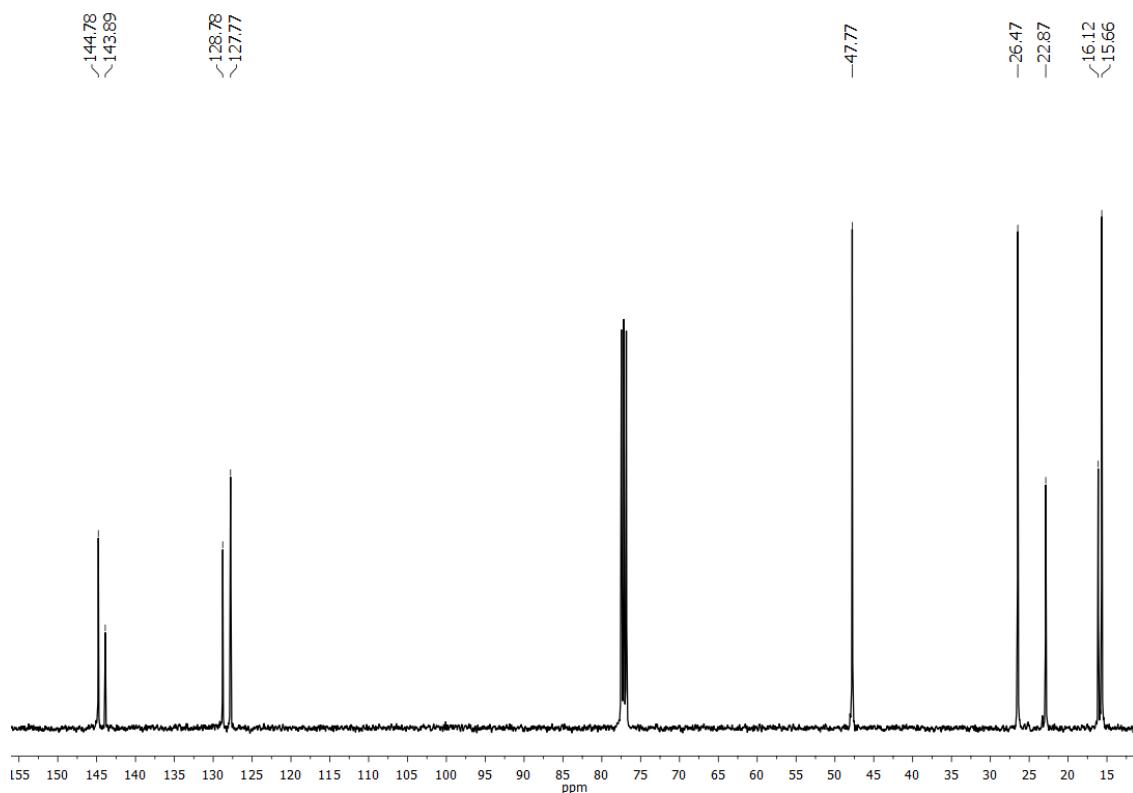


Fig. S16 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of 2,4-bis(azidomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl_3 .

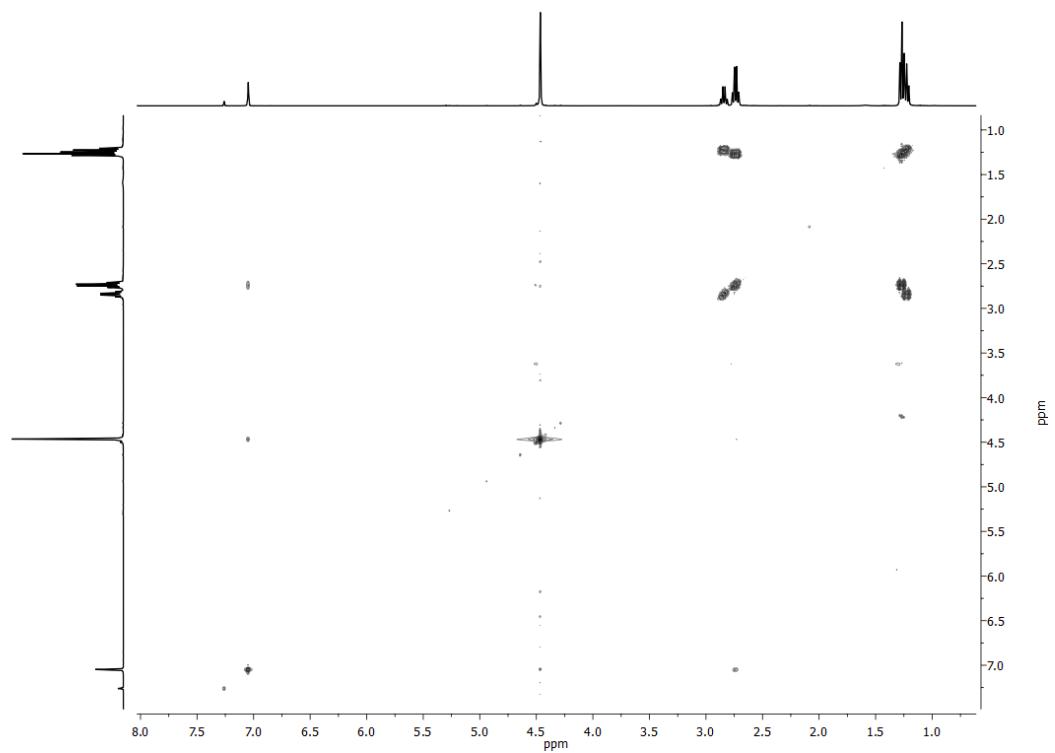


Fig. S17 COSY spectrum of 2,4-bis(azidomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl_3 .

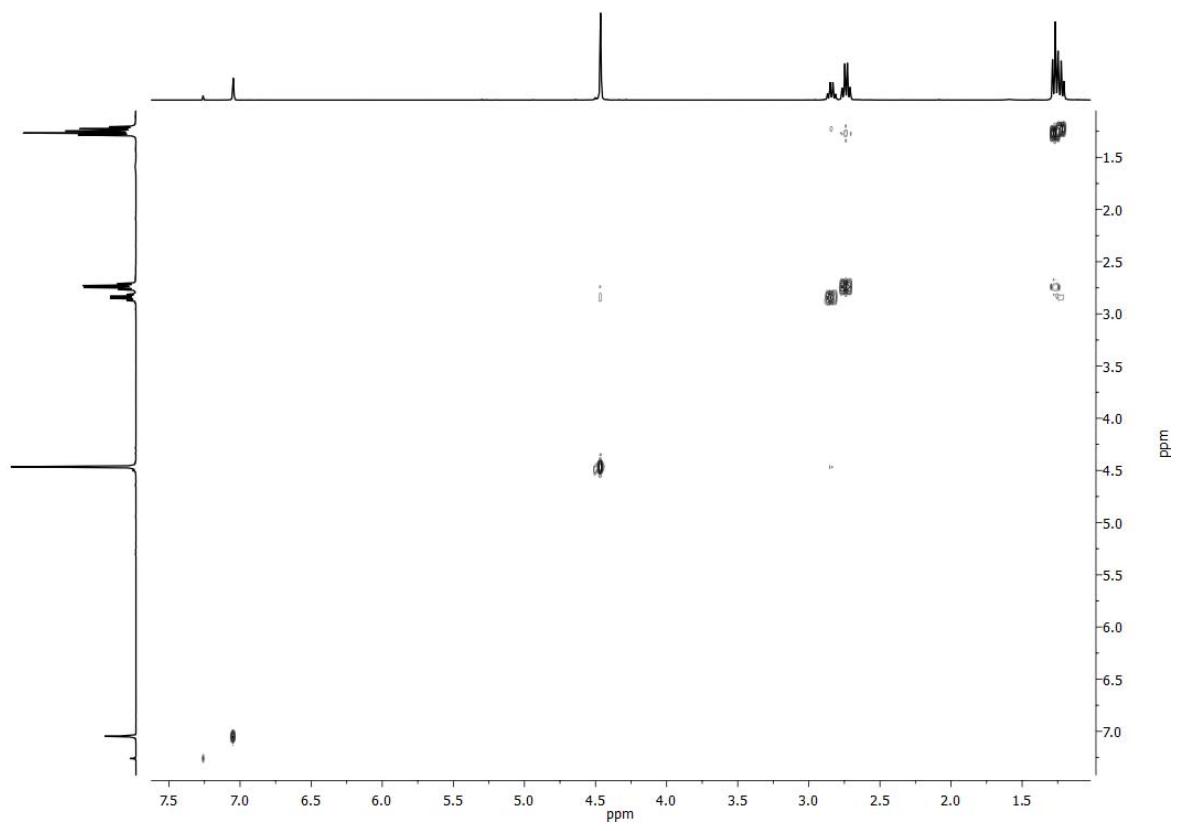


Fig. S18 NOESY spectrum of 2,4-bis(azidomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl_3 .

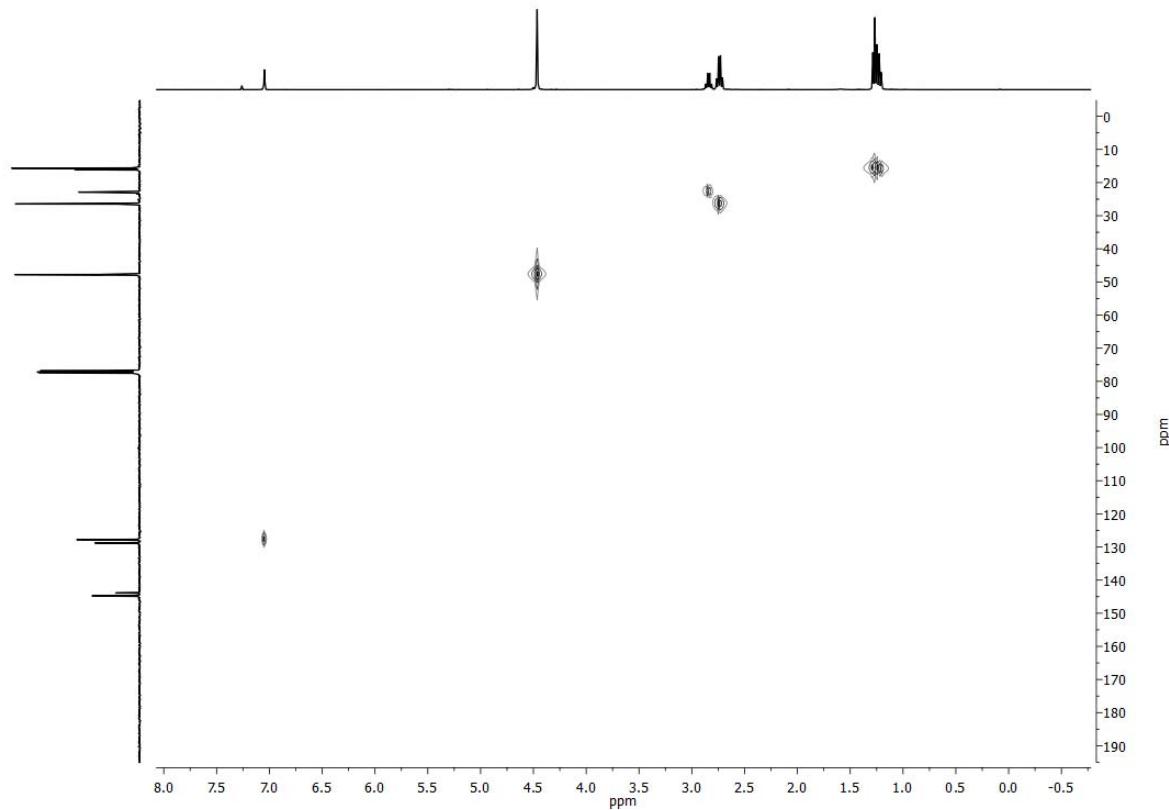


Fig. S19 HMQC spectrum of 2,4-bis(azidomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl₃.

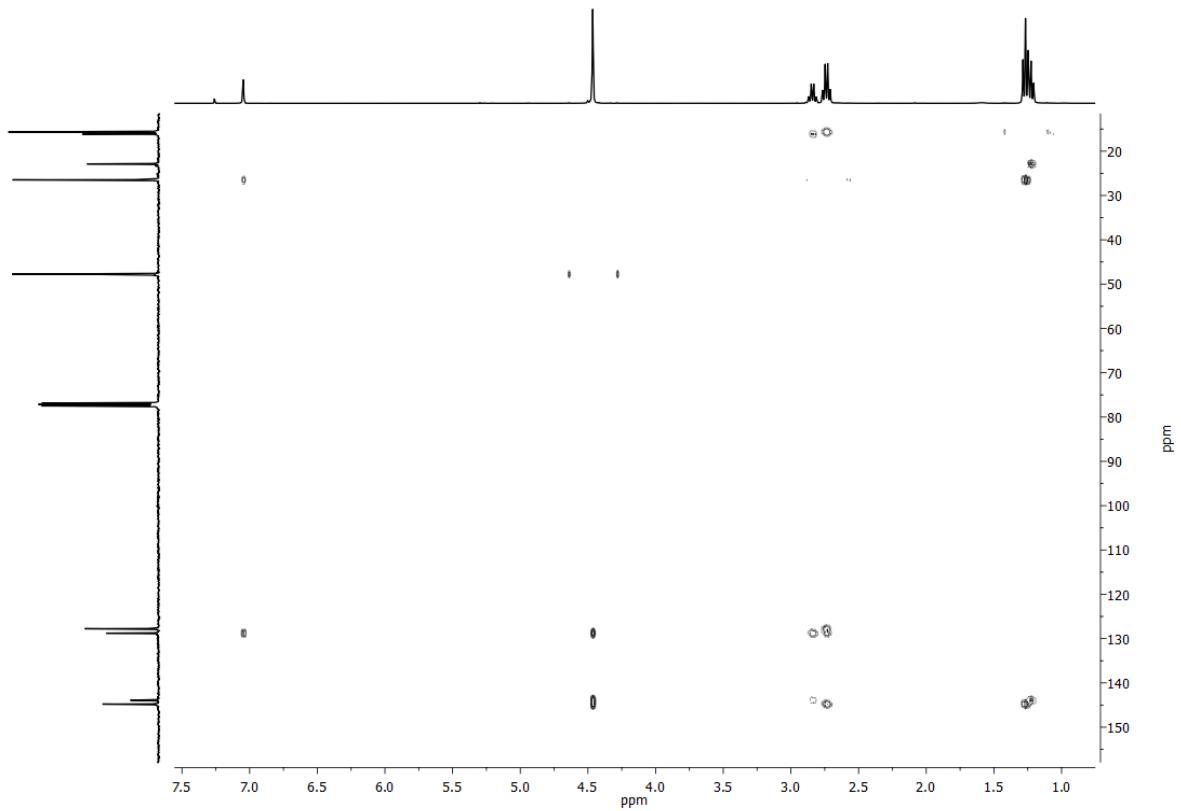


Fig. S20 HMBC spectrum of 2,4-bis(azidomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl₃.

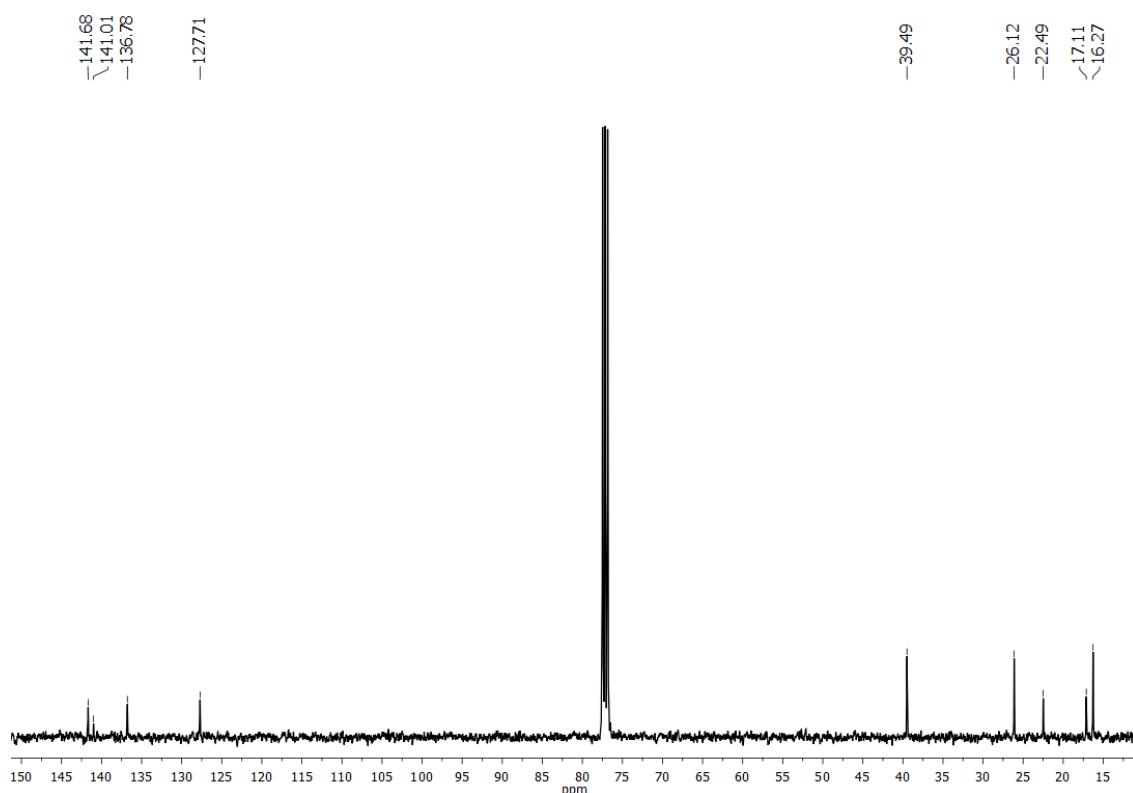
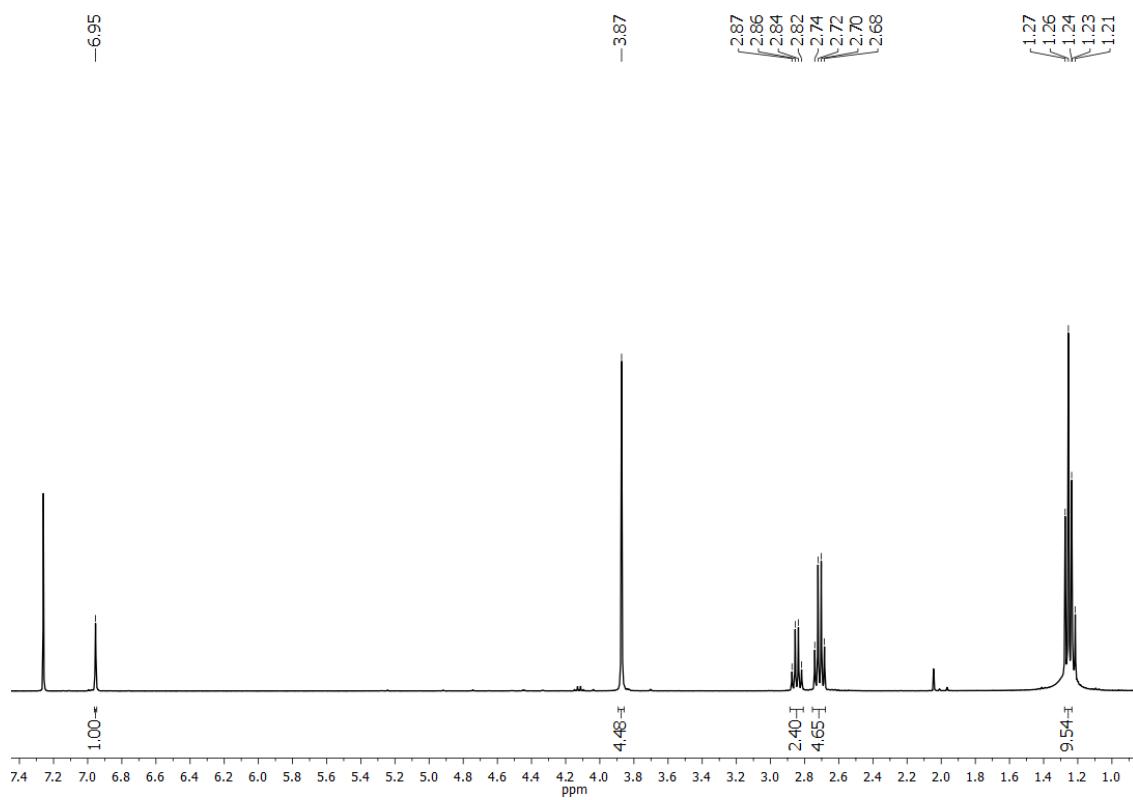


Fig. S22 ^{13}C NMR spectrum of 2,4-bis(aminomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl_3 .

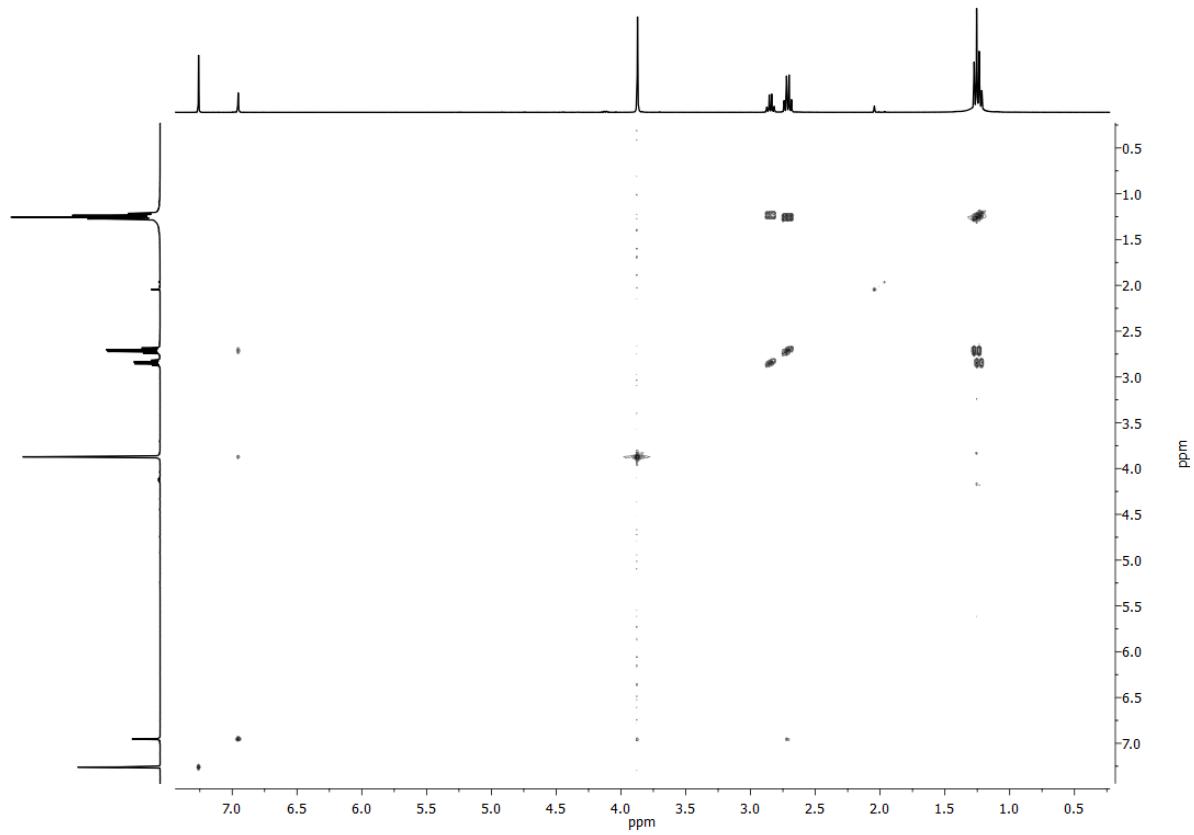


Fig. S23 COSY spectrum of 2,4-bis(aminomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl_3 .

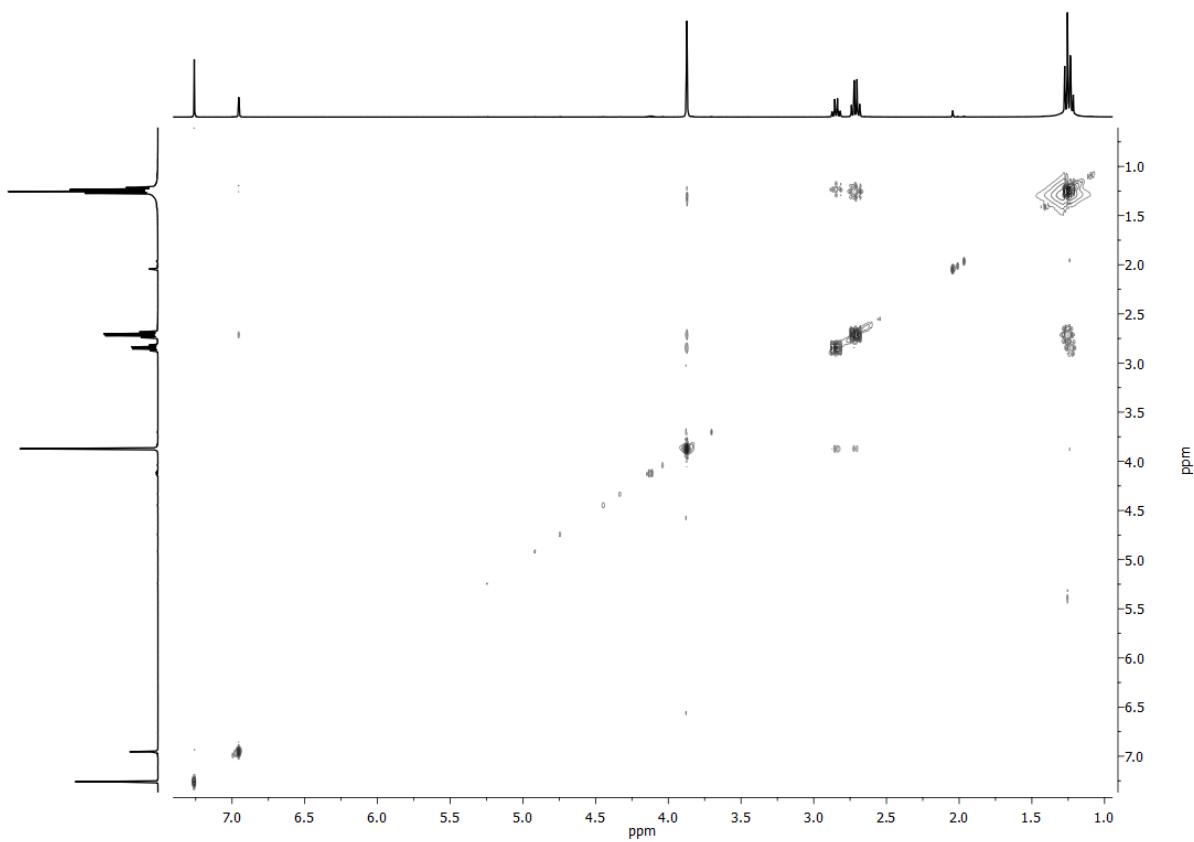


Fig. S24 NOESY spectrum of 2,4-bis(aminomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl_3 .

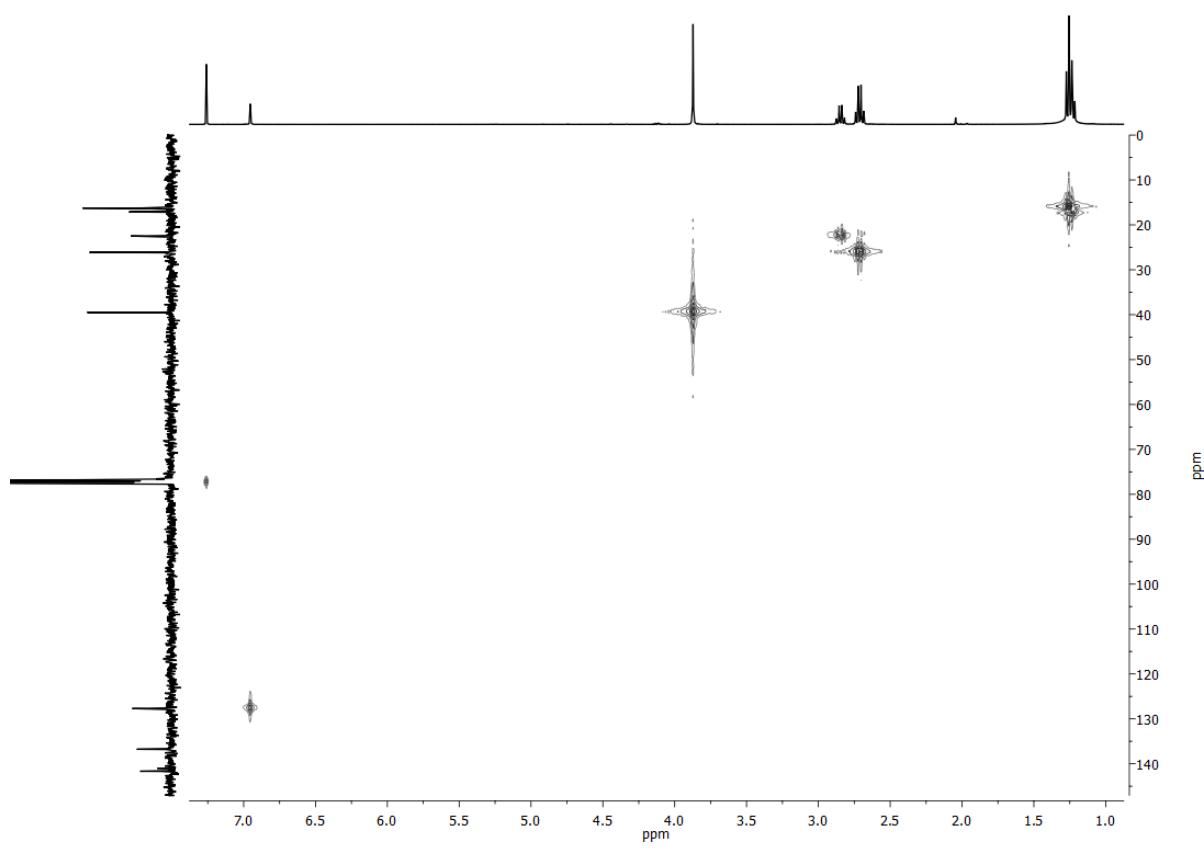


Fig. S25 HMQC spectrum of 2,4-bis(aminomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl₃.

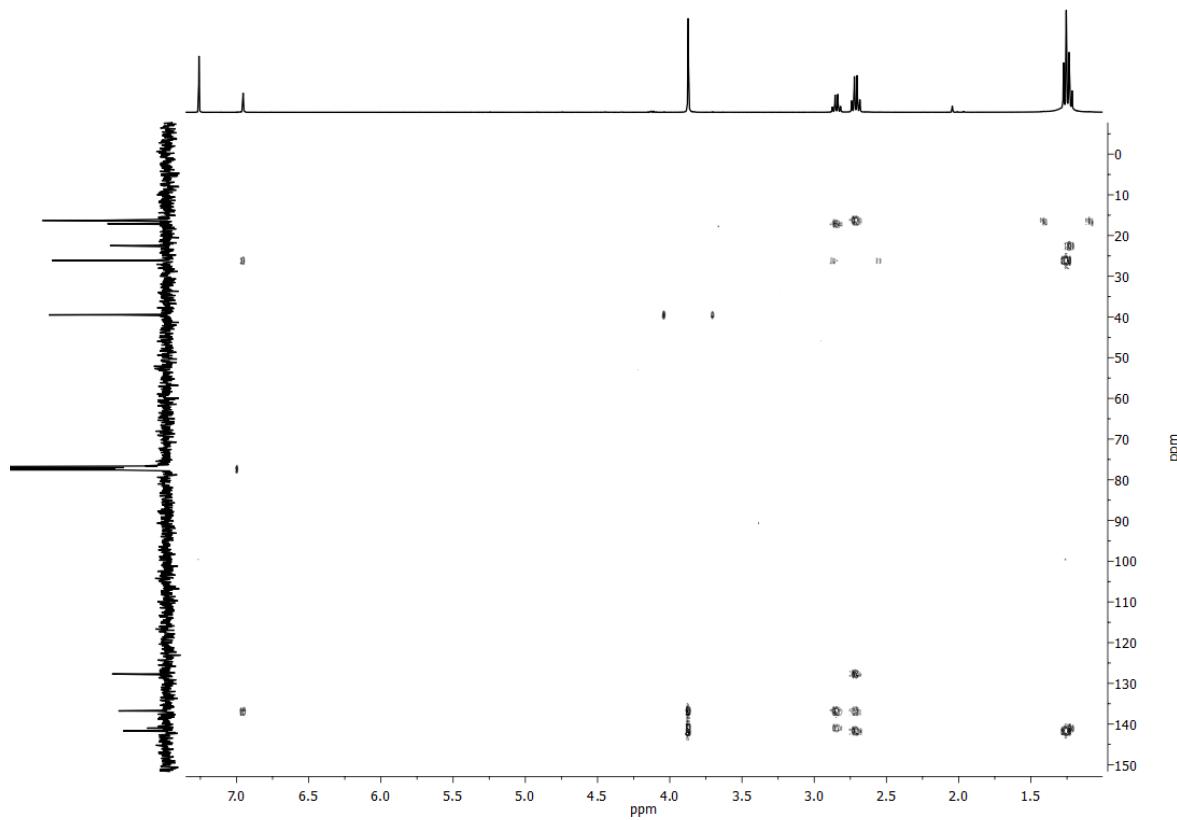
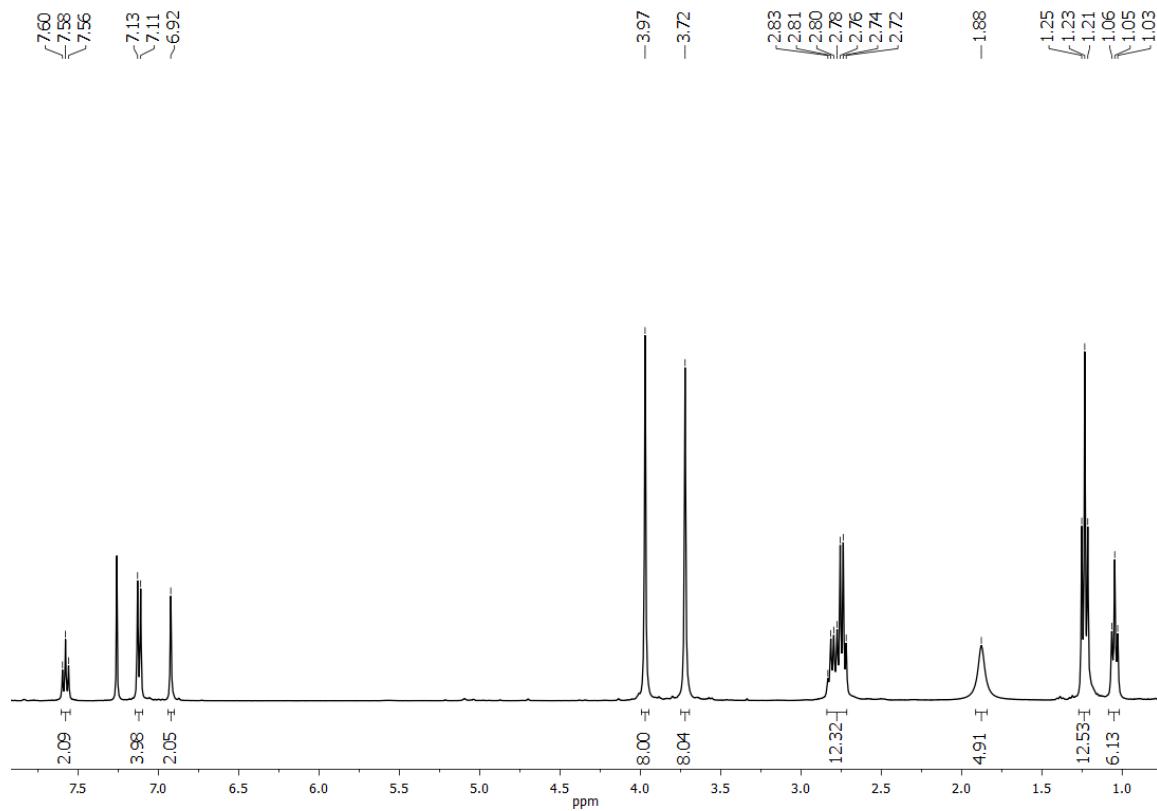
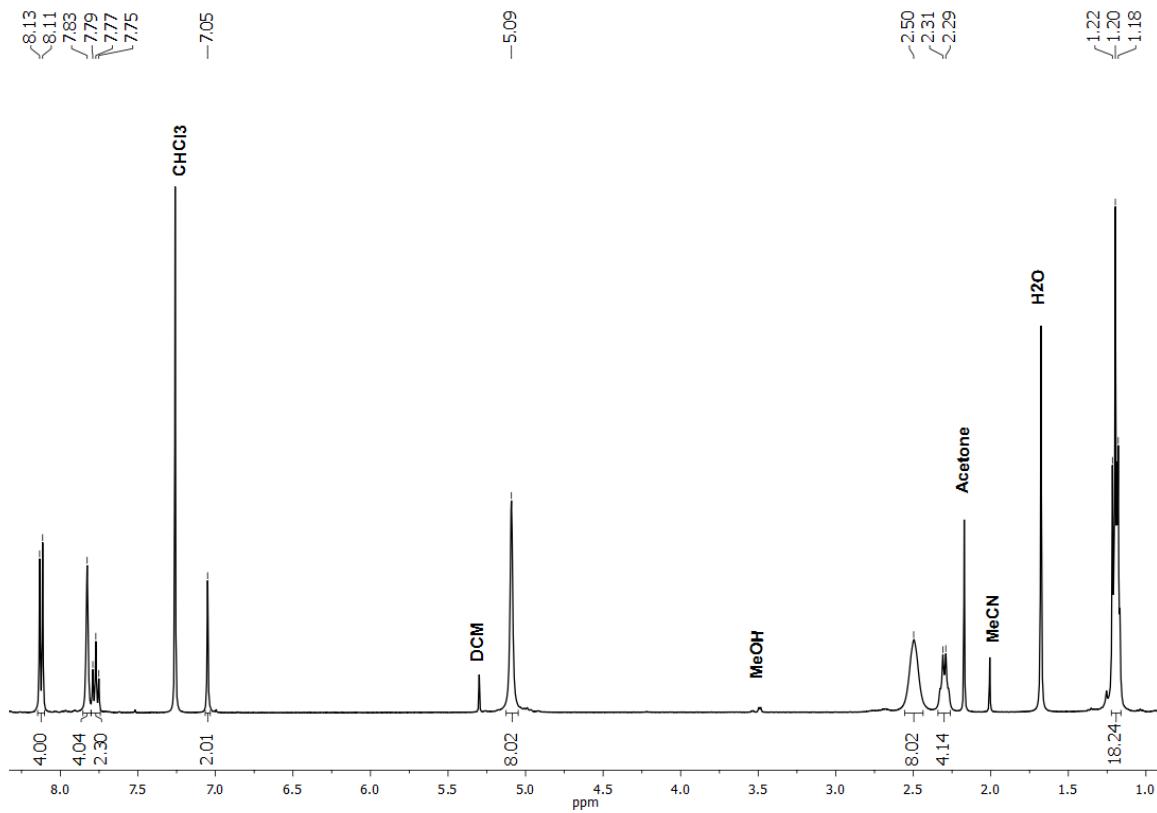


Fig. S26 HMBC spectrum of 2,4-bis(aminomethyl)-1,3,5-triethylbenzene in CDCl₃.



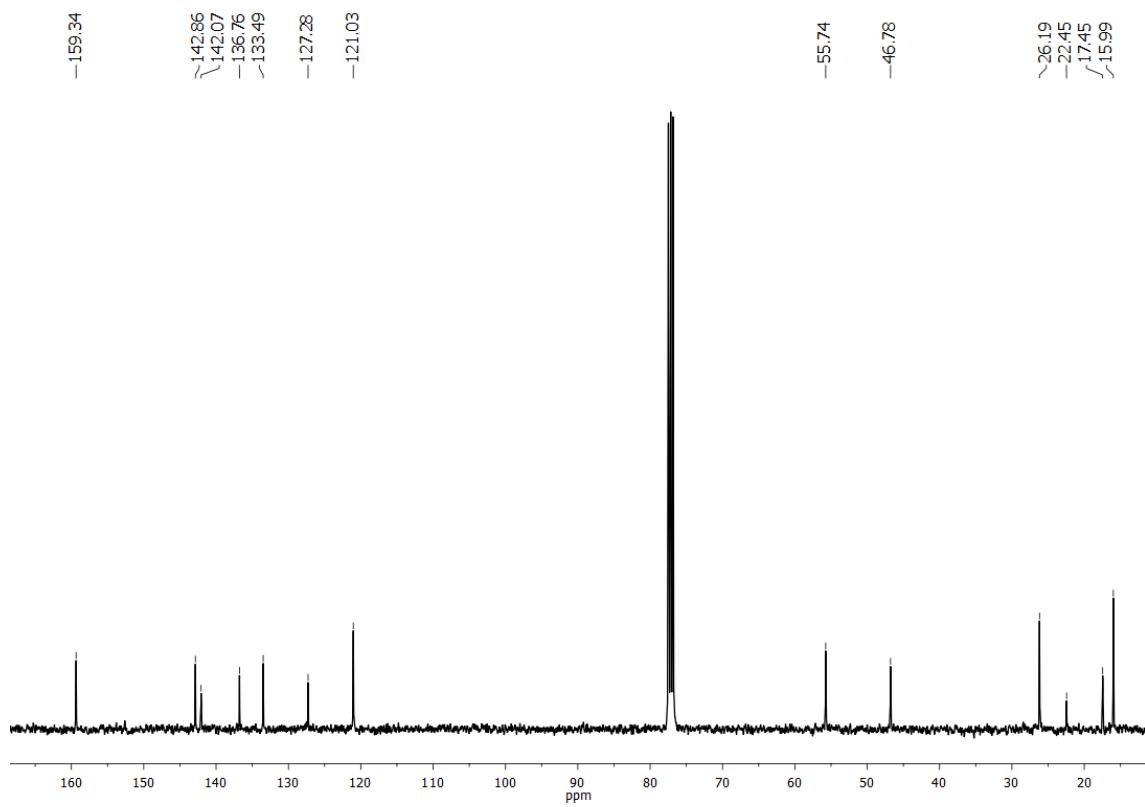


Fig. S29 ¹³C NMR spectrum of L in CDCl₃

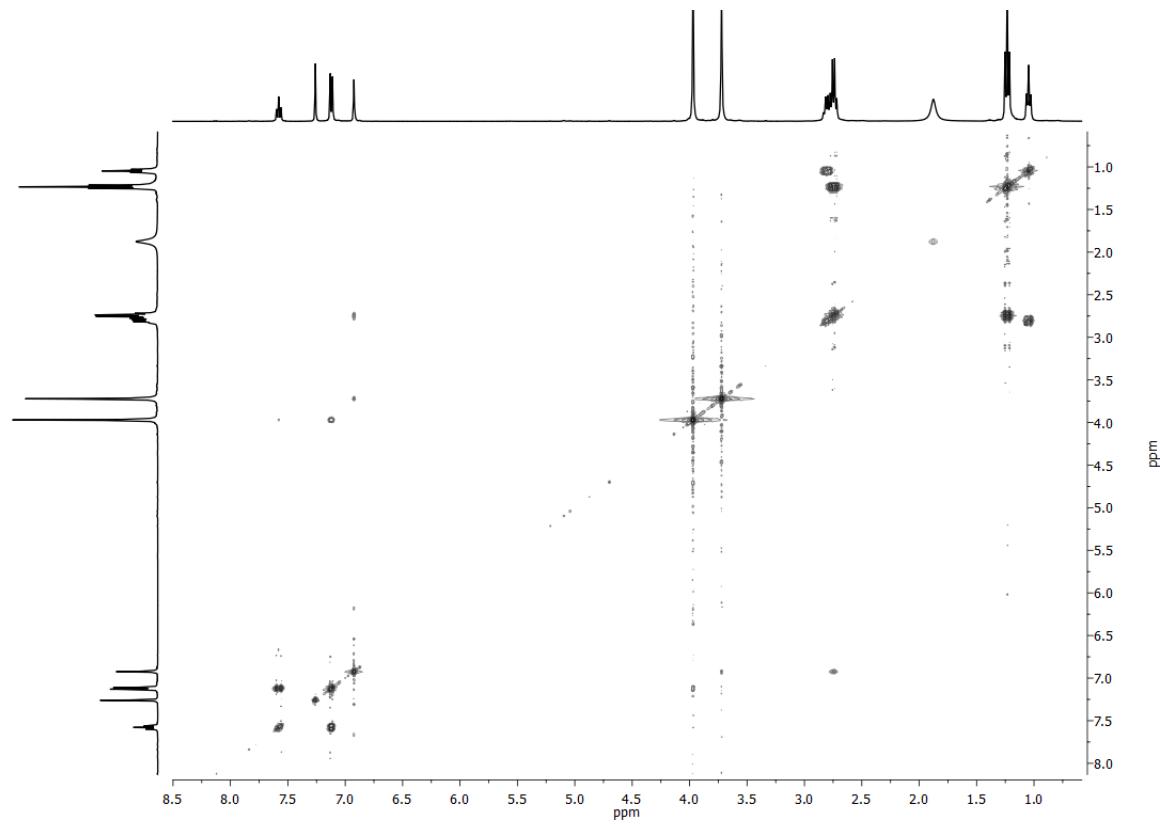


Fig. S30 COSY spectrum of L in CDCl₃.

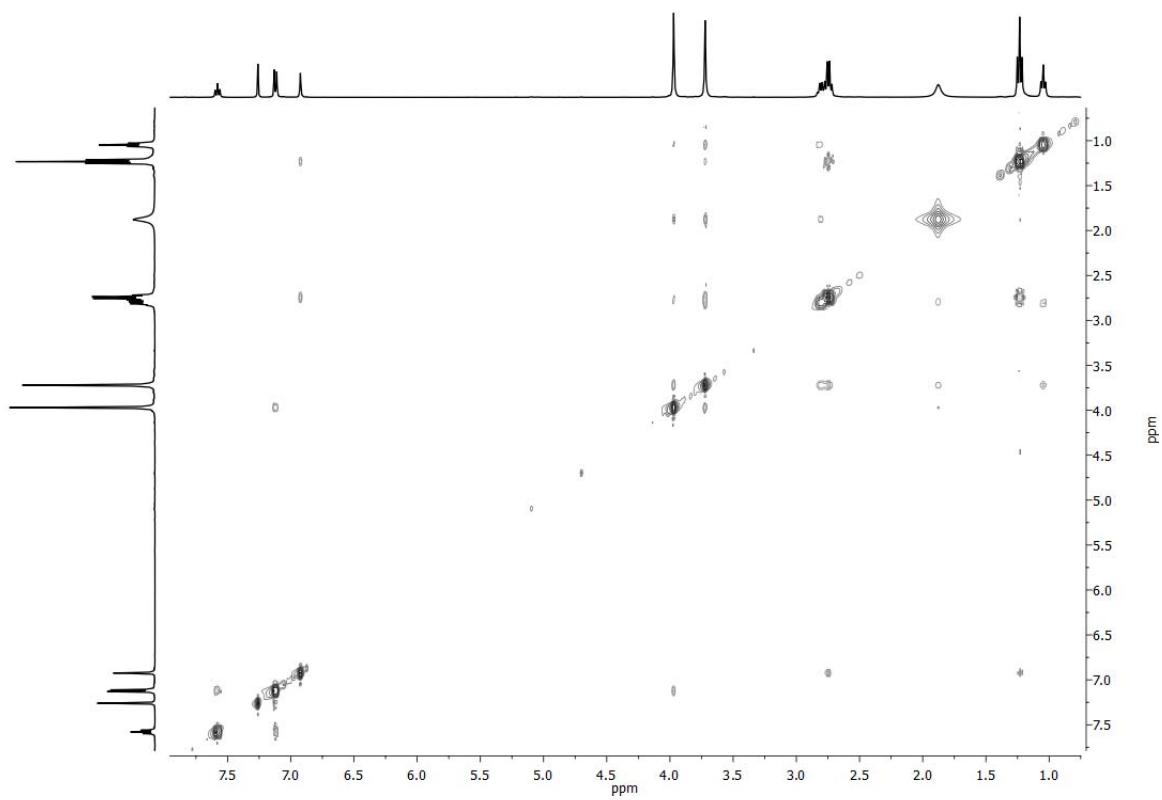


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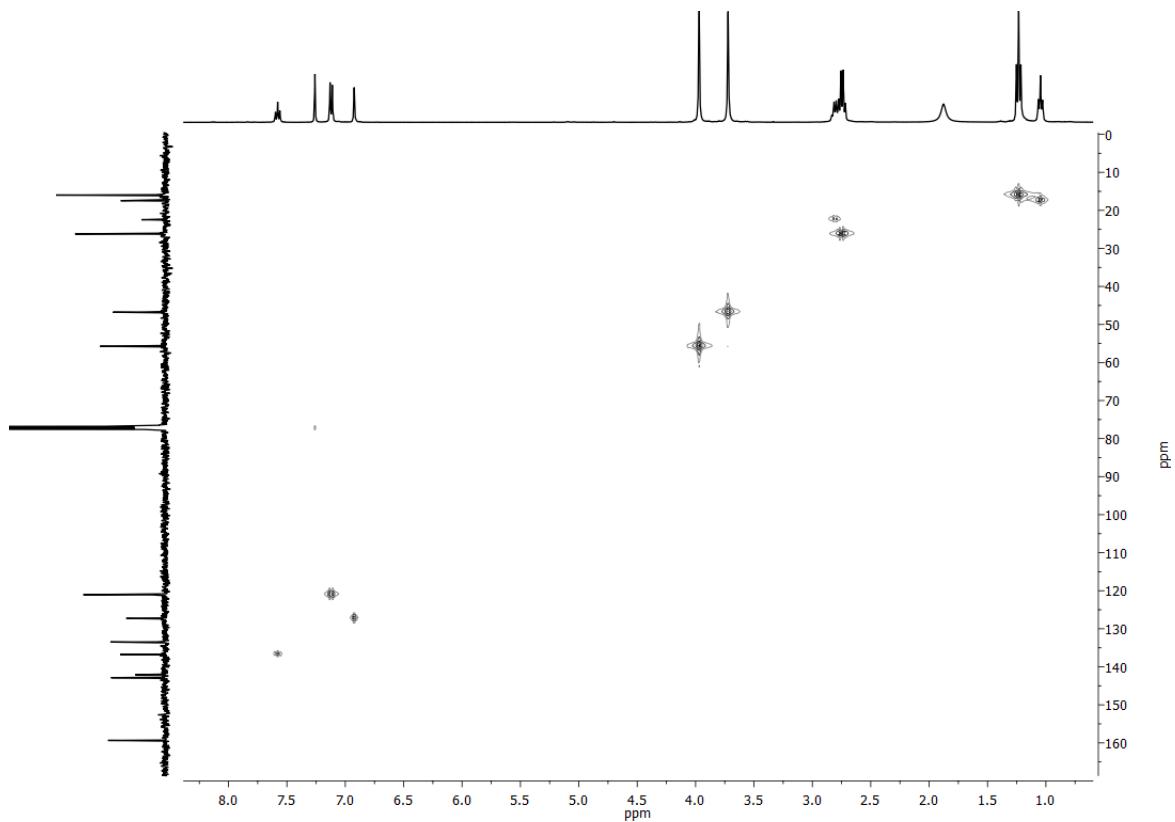


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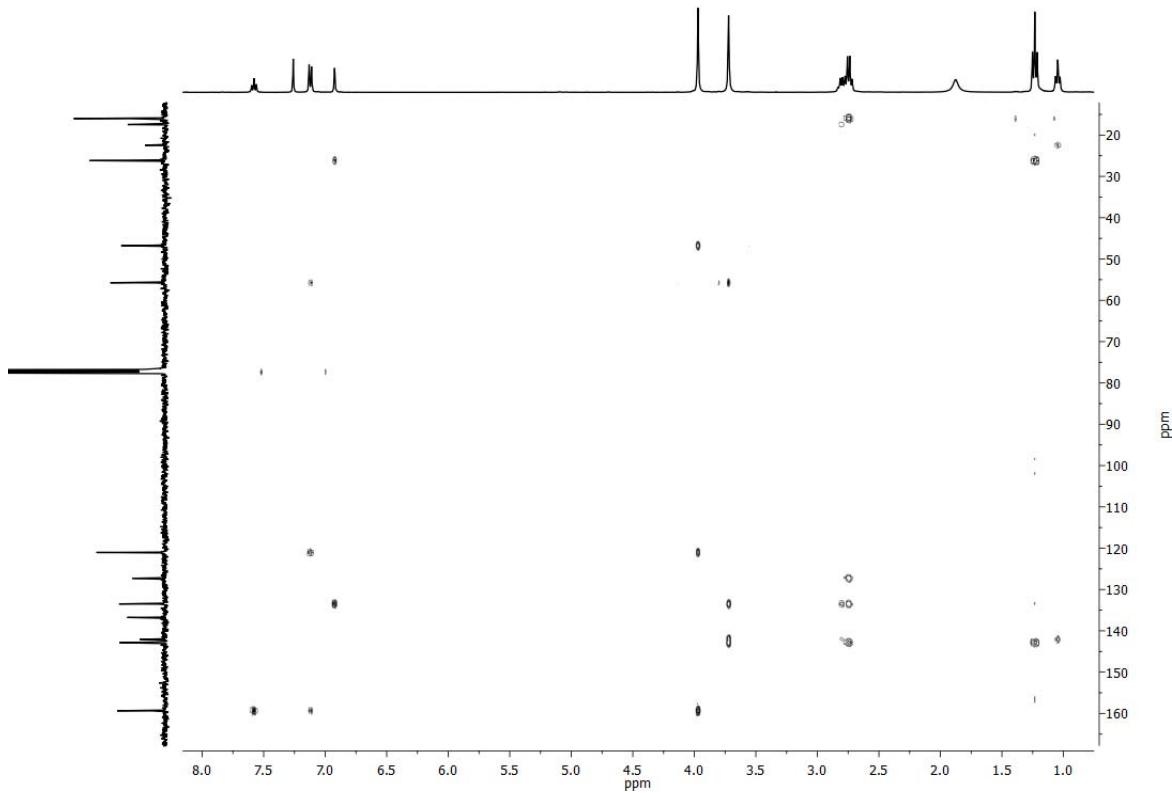


Fig. S33 HMBC spectrum of L in CDCl_3

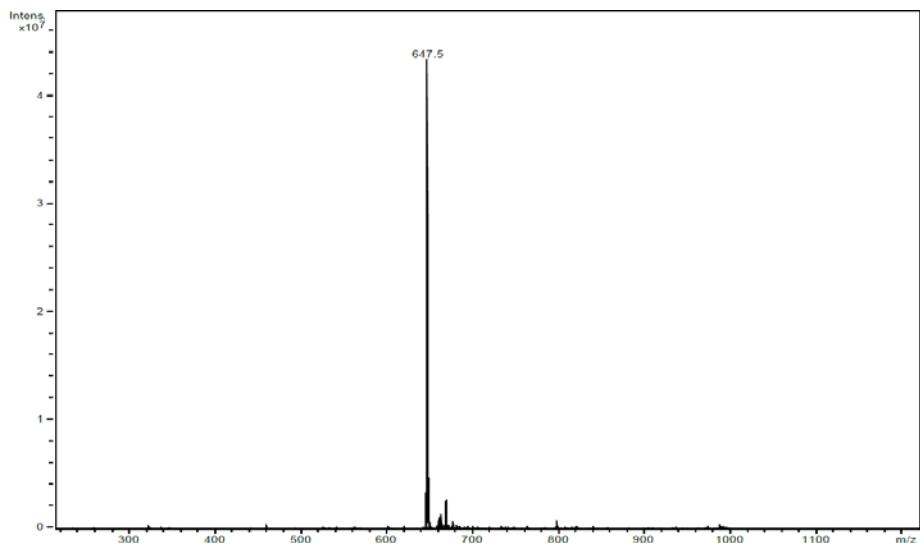


Fig. S34 ESI mass spectrum of L in $\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{MeOH}$, recorded in positive ion mode.

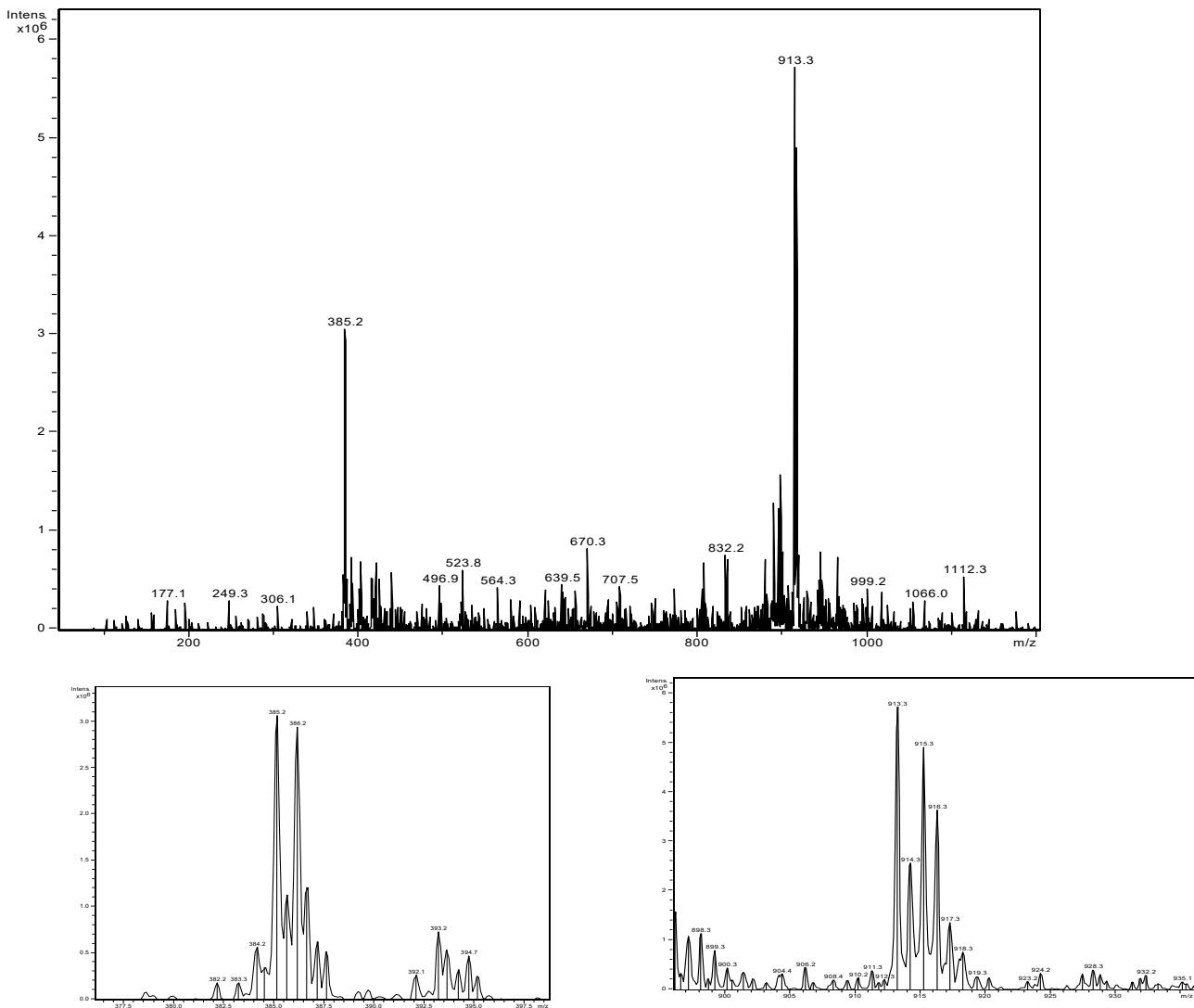


Fig. S35 ESI mass spectrum of a solution of the dicopper(II) complex of L at pH = 6.5 in H₂O/MeOH, and the zoom range of the isotopic series of peaks m/z 385 and 913, recorded in positive ion mode.

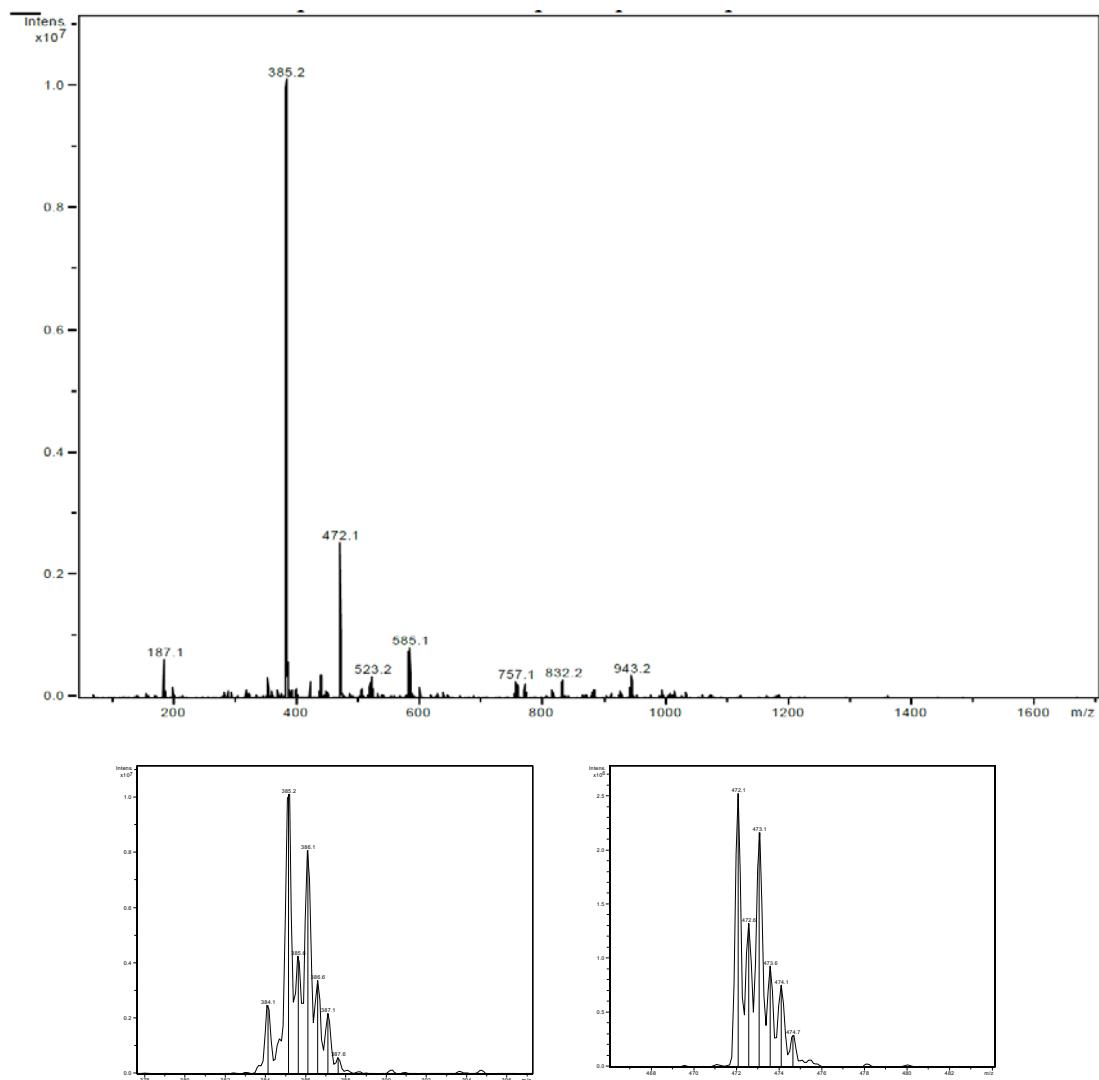


Fig. S36 ESI mass spectrum of crystals of $[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)][\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)(\text{NO}_3)]3\text{NO}_3\cdot24\text{H}_2\text{O}$ dissolved in MeOH, and the zoom range of the isotopic series of peaks m/z 385 and 472, recorded in positive ion mode.

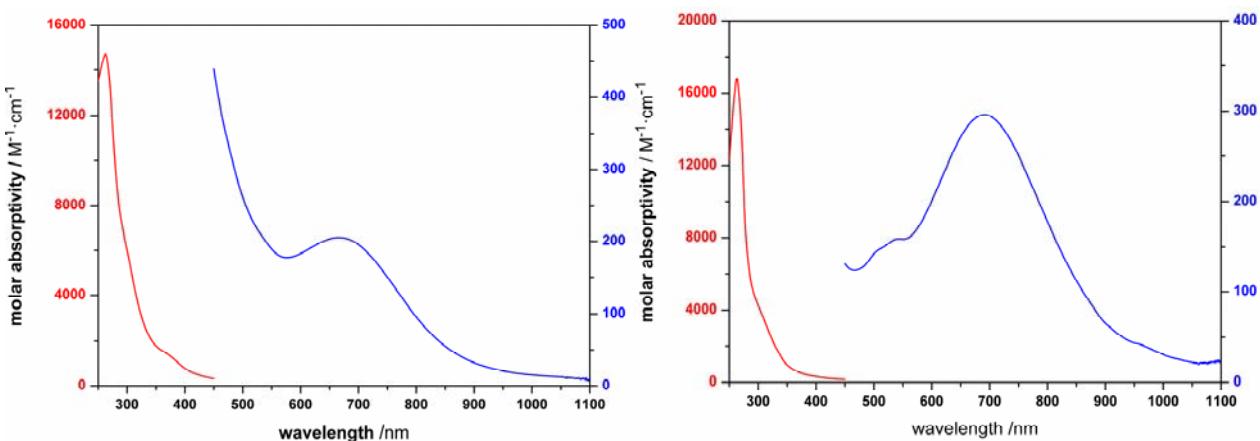


Fig. S37 UV-vis spectra of the dicopper complex of L at pH 7.0 (left), and of this complex in presence of PhPO₄²⁻ at pH 5.8 and Cu²⁺:L:HPhPO₄⁻ 2:1:1 ratio (right).

Table S8 Coordinates of the cryptate reported by Nelson (reference 24 in the main text) optimized at the B3LYP/6-311G(d) level.

Atom	Coordinates in Å		
	X	Y	Z
Cu	4.939706	13.934508	3.780555
Cu	4.498767	13.819864	7.671916
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N	5.132066	13.954538	1.691375
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C	5.957259	12.768759	1.302519
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N	6.300893	12.296823	3.695599
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C	3.669467	10.876595	6.760126
O	4.024485	11.263224	5.496282
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Table S9 Coordinates of $[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-OH})]^{3+}$ optimized at the B3LYP/6-311G(d) level.

Atom	Coordinates in Å		
	X	Y	Z
Cu	4.884960	11.797291	4.633006
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Table S10 Coordinates of $[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)]^{2+}$ optimized at the B3LYP/6-311G(d) level.

Atom	Coordinates in Å		
	X	Y	Z
Cu	4.657021	12.364886	4.163655
Cu	5.447787	7.218856	6.102633
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H	-1.126578	9.533439	2.273577
H	6.132099	8.227597	3.084751
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H	7.246599	8.530914	0.865473
H	5.985808	7.307856	0.697057
H	5.703866	8.933766	0.111942
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H	6.333407	4.589403	4.116477
H	7.487058	4.655373	9.809972
H	7.316890	2.455020	8.658533
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H	7.360850	7.327250	9.423907
H	5.615650	7.227413	9.209112
H	0.253295	9.718980	5.413334
H	2.880274	10.985576	8.542423

H	1.043173	10.714311	10.200147
H	-1.197536	9.946745	9.462582
H	-1.600169	9.452724	7.062941
H	7.288473	10.602437	8.516006
H	7.009339	12.197930	7.973266
H	8.987457	12.143460	9.473043
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H	9.513474	12.629205	7.858495
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H	8.662483	7.601439	3.400800
H	10.564669	6.392794	4.439512
H	10.984918	8.090862	4.207821
H	10.573020	7.503664	5.813538
H	8.084732	11.845948	1.973724
H	7.268201	13.075036	2.901692
H	9.420566	13.943060	1.994422
H	9.529261	13.898261	3.757709
H	10.312571	12.649168	2.798249
H	0.680188	4.964228	5.284034
H	1.854596	6.244271	5.652335
H	0.283787	6.661374	5.017843

Table S11 Coordinates of $[\text{Cu}_2\text{L}(\mu\text{-PhPO}_4)(\text{NO}_3)]^+$ optimized at the B3LYP/6-311G(d) level.

Atom	Coordinates in Å		
	X	Y	Z
Cu	4.858249	12.550141	4.057855
Cu	5.756700	7.290285	5.957920
P	4.394830	10.049847	5.951296
O	4.436150	8.519404	5.632717
N	4.962746	14.360646	3.352828
N	6.513021	5.686364	6.738273
N	6.061867	13.437698	5.579836
C	7.552803	13.343752	5.506298
C	8.042381	11.928875	5.268815
C	8.410952	11.525668	3.971814
C	8.780873	10.199483	3.765844
C	8.731457	9.241666	4.774942
C	8.370596	9.649575	6.071788
C	8.269353	8.625593	7.181339
N	6.860153	8.194241	7.465459
N	5.061558	5.903250	4.529714
C	4.891669	6.254682	3.071461
C	3.919242	7.382827	2.781146

C	4.386309	8.642976	2.344684
C	3.474168	9.652391	1.977295
C	3.971439	10.949918	1.358870
N	3.915887	12.190591	2.194716
C	4.137407	13.375418	1.326948
C	4.480273	14.607563	2.132355
C	5.282046	15.335089	4.216276
C	5.598026	14.847141	5.616490
C	5.192332	16.664585	3.826532
C	4.719478	16.950672	2.545462
C	4.341502	15.919290	1.689597
C	2.083971	9.412209	2.061300
C	1.658641	8.168039	2.516584
C	2.538114	7.148187	2.874552
C	1.934264	5.850560	3.380574
C	1.067748	10.474990	1.675298
C	-0.387673	10.018984	1.546734
C	5.878895	8.908747	2.275263
C	6.529017	8.522195	0.936240
C	5.835921	4.640312	4.692529
C	6.386504	4.517041	6.100475
C	6.942584	5.792170	8.004329
C	7.348273	4.654043	8.689992
C	7.258877	3.422611	8.038932
C	6.760603	3.339826	6.737899
C	6.821496	7.201695	8.564418
C	0.585491	9.858585	6.643710
C	1.920473	9.962414	7.033241
C	2.295785	9.683598	8.347891
C	1.323858	9.274313	9.260562
C	-0.009195	9.151346	8.878037
C	-0.373600	9.454199	7.566186
O	4.853358	10.797512	4.692008
O	5.140634	10.389883	7.228974
C	8.084558	11.007090	6.334307
C	7.915846	11.490714	7.766483
C	9.258411	11.912685	8.391123
C	9.109841	7.813853	4.422416
C	10.585905	7.479560	4.696285
C	8.465468	12.471915	2.785898
C	9.771258	13.281763	2.710107
O	2.804079	10.394123	6.063054
C	1.424852	5.943009	4.831752
H	5.730764	12.946956	6.408076
H	7.982283	13.768175	6.419374
H	7.865398	13.999774	4.696265

H	9.082551	9.891952	2.768326
H	8.695737	9.013106	8.111181
H	8.837951	7.728615	6.939365
H	6.272939	9.028255	7.663280
H	4.125623	5.751297	4.901049
H	4.564583	5.347436	2.550827
H	5.886999	6.477648	2.696930
H	5.001378	10.846991	1.024339
H	3.384252	11.138482	0.451364
H	2.979048	12.310019	2.612140
H	3.263481	13.571058	0.696040
H	4.973190	13.154489	0.653146
H	6.318064	15.503215	6.116795
H	4.659202	14.866922	6.174581
H	5.457429	17.460070	4.513304
H	4.625303	17.981801	2.222935
H	3.938354	16.130166	0.705981
H	0.595723	7.966799	2.583046
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H	1.104186	11.289023	2.406723
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H	-1.004261	10.853092	1.205201
H	-0.504566	9.203216	0.827515
H	-0.802606	9.691087	2.503015
H	6.377055	8.386752	3.094344
H	6.067440	9.955589	2.502024
H	7.602675	8.733931	0.939734
H	6.402747	7.460016	0.707278
H	6.089091	9.071372	0.099610
H	5.237776	3.761914	4.429713
H	6.672805	4.673664	3.987679
H	7.707815	4.719443	9.710251
H	7.563282	2.518946	8.555337
H	6.661923	2.382249	6.240056
H	7.590438	7.395834	9.318808
H	5.850967	7.285717	9.064695
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H	-1.412925	9.388048	7.260812
H	7.442695	10.730564	8.383946
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H	9.115654	12.258234	9.418355
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H	9.729661	12.723159	7.828844
H	8.467861	7.099323	4.949547
H	8.909933	7.656229	3.358549
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H	11.242731	8.143948	4.130396
H	10.844282	7.593441	5.752457
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H	9.775495	13.934332	1.833172
H	9.916484	13.908458	3.594013
H	10.636425	12.618338	2.638216
H	1.041028	4.978469	5.175708
H	2.200746	6.279017	5.527159
H	0.618407	6.673218	4.918279
O	1.677229	13.102925	3.609527
O	3.108726	13.363227	5.241921
O	0.976060	13.443291	5.636282
N	1.891384	13.300481	4.847086