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Supplementary Section

New aspects of coordination chemistry and biological activity of NTMP-related diphosphonates equipped in heterocyclic ring

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Both L¹ and L² were synthesized in the form of diammonium salts $((NH_4)_2L^{1,2})$ in order to improve the solubility of molecules in water. Therefore ammonium cations were also considered in the overall model of acid – base equilibrium. The determined values of the protonation constants fall in the region 8.57-9.50 and are very close to those reported in literature. ^{1,2,3}

Since ammonium and L^1/L^2 ligand may form mixed complexes with metal cations^{1,4} the formation of such species was taken into consideration. No tertiary complexes were detected in studied systems. The $[Cu(NH_3)_2]^{2+}$ complex is the only detected species in which ammonia molecules are coordinated, however it is formed at pH as high as 9 and its molar fraction is less than 15%.

The metal ion hydrolysis was considered,^{5,6,7,8} however no hydrolytic species were detected.

No precipitation occurred in any of studied systems in studied pH range (2-11).



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L ¹ : Cu ²⁺							
complex	calc. ^a	found ^b	err [ppm]	relative intensity [%]			
[L+H] ⁺	297.04	297.0407	2.36	3			
[L+Cu-H]⁺	357.9539	357.9546	1.96	92			
[L+Cu-H+H ₂ O] ⁺	375.9645	375.9648	0.80	46			
[L+Cu+Na-2H] ⁺	379.9359	379.9364	1.32	100			
[2L+2Cu-3H] ⁺	714.9006	714.9005	-0.14	8			
[2L+2Cu+Na-4H] ⁺	736.8825	736.8820	-0.68	8			
L ¹ : Ni ²⁺							
[L+Ni-H] ⁺	352.9597	352.9577	-5.67	54			
[L+Ni-H+H ₂ O] ⁺	370.9702	370.9687	-4.04	70			
[L+Ni+Na-2H] ⁺	374.9416	374.9411	-1.33	31			
[2L+2Ni-3H] ⁺	704.9121	704.9084	-5.25	6			
L ¹ : Zn ²⁺							
[L+H] ⁺	297.0400	297.0402	0.67	38			
[L+Zn-H]⁺	358.9535	358.9539	1.11	100			
$[L+Zn-H+H_2O]^+$	376.9640	376.9640	0.00	40			
[2L+2Zn-3H] ⁺	716.8997	716.8994	-0.42	7			
L ¹ : Ca ²⁺							
[L+Ca-H]⁺	334.9869	334.9878	2.69	4			
$[L+Ca-H+H_2O]^+$	352.9975	352.9984	2.55	5			
[L+Ca+Na-2H]+	356.9689	356.9698	2.52	36			
[L+Ca+2Na-3H]+	378.9508	378.9518	2.64	100			
[L+Ca+3Na-4H]+	400.9328	400.9343	3.74	17			
[2L+2Ca+2Na-5H]+	712.9305	712.9304	-0.14	6			
L ¹ : Mg ²⁺							
[L+Mg-H] ⁺	319.0094	319.0093	-0.31	3			
[L+Mg-H+H ₂ O] ⁺	337.0199	337.0181	-5.34	6			
[L+Mg+Na-2H] ⁺	340.9913	340.9896	-4.99	33			
[L+Mg+2Na-3H] ⁺	362.9733	362.9729	-1.10	100			
$[L+Mg+2Na-3H+H_2O]^+$	380.9838	380.9812	-6.82	79			
[2L+2Mg+2Na-5H] ⁺	680.9754	680.9730	-3.52	9			
[2L+2Mg+3Na-6H] ⁺	702.9573	702.9576	0.43	8			

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^a monoisotopic mass of the indicated ion formed by the ligand calculated by Compass DataAnalysis 4.2

^b monoisotopic mass found experimentally on a compact[™] mass spectrometer (Bruker Daltonics. Bremen. Germany)

L ² : Cu ²⁺							
complex	calc.ª	found ^b	err [ppm]	relative intensity [%]			
[L+H] ⁺	336.0509	336.0509	0.00	11			
[L+Cu-H]⁺	396.9648	396.9650	0.50	100			
[L+Cu+Na-2H] ⁺	418.9468	418.9468	0.00	95			
[2L+2Cu-3H]+	792.9224	792.9220	-0.50	3			
L ² : Ni ²⁺							
[L+Ni-H] ⁺	391.9706	391.9715	2.30	90			
[L+Ni-H+H ₂ O] ⁺	409.9811	409.9818	1.71	43			
[L+Ni+Na-2H] ⁺	413.9525	413.9532	1.69	85			
L ² : Zn ²⁺							
[L+H] ⁺	336.0509	336.0522	3.87	21			
[L+Zn-H] ⁺	397.9644	397.9658	3.52	100			
[L+Zn+Na-2H] ⁺	419.9463	419.9482	4.52	89			
[2L+2Zn-3H] ⁺	794.9215	794.9243	3.52	10			
L ² : Ca ²⁺							
[L+2Na-H]+	380.0148	380.0139	-2.37	9			
[L+3Na-2H] ⁺	401.9967	401.9953	-3.48	33			
[L+4Na-3H]+	423.9787	423.9760	-6.37	22			
[L+Ca+Na-2H]+	395.9798	395.9786	-3.03	21			
[L+Ca+2Na-3H]+	417.9617	417.9606	-2.63	100			
[L+Ca+3Na-4H]+	439.9437	439.9425	-2.73	25			
L ² : Mg ²⁺							
[L+Mg+Na-2H] ⁺	380.0022	380.0017	-1.32	5			
[L+Mg+2Na-3H] ⁺	401.9842	401.9848	1.49	100			
$[L+Mg+2Na-3H+H_2O]^+$	419.9947	419.9936	-2.62	54			
$[L+Mg+3Na-4H+H_2O]^+$	441.9767	441.9762	-1.13	22			

Table S2. ESI-MS data for L^2/Cu^{2+} , Zn^{2+} , Ni^{2+} , Ca^{2+} and Mg^{2+} complexes.

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