

**Rational construction and remarkable gas adsorption properties of a
HKUST-1-like *tbo*-type MOF based on a tetraisophthalate linker**

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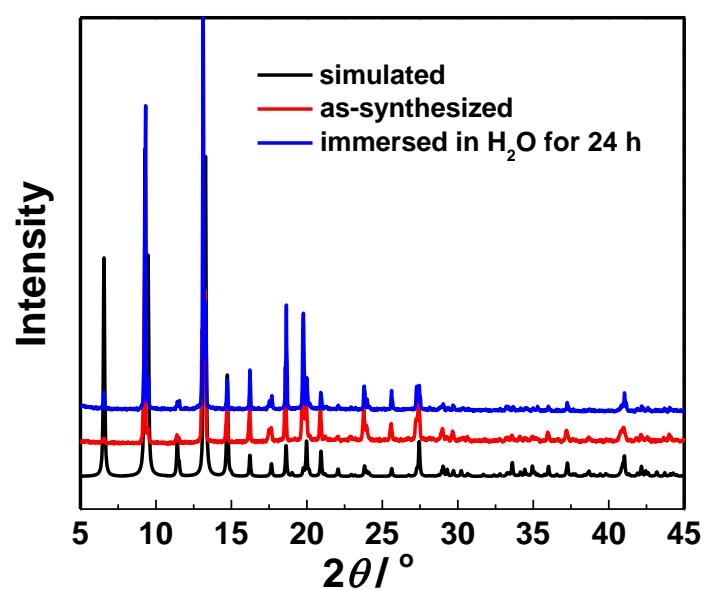


Fig. S1 PXRD patterns of **ZJNU-10**.

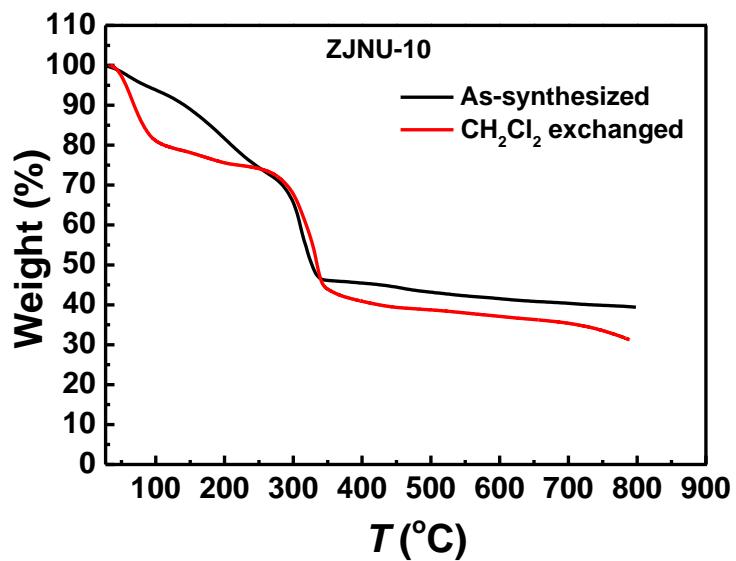


Fig. S2 TGA curves of as-synthesized and CH_2Cl_2 -exchanged **ZJNU-10** under nitrogen atmosphere.

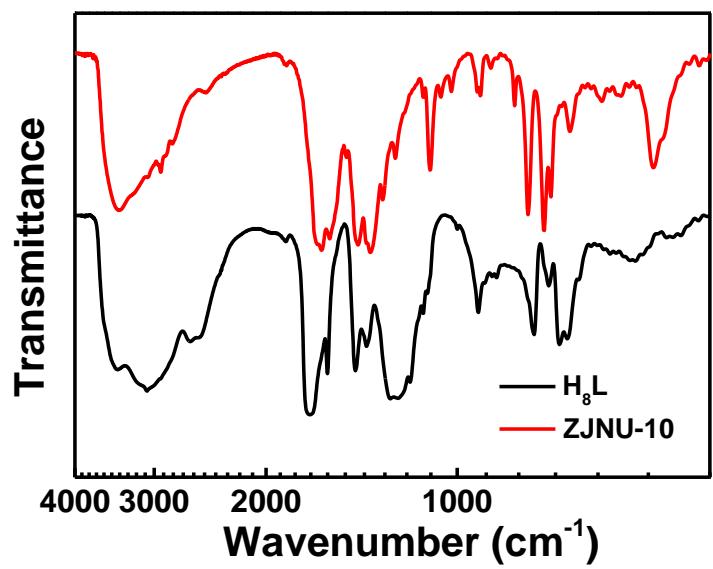
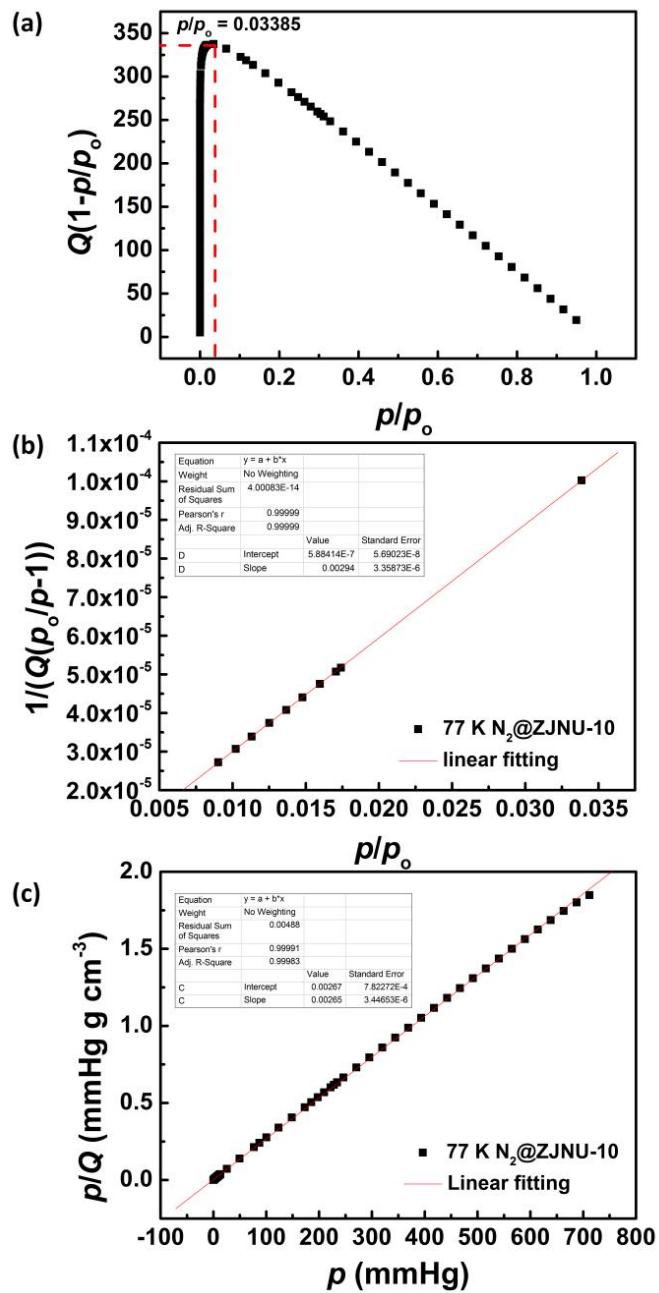


Fig. S3 Comparison of FTIR spectra of as-synthesized **ZJNU-10** (red) and its corresponding ligand H_8L (black).



$$S_{\text{BET}} = 1/(5.88414 \times 10^{-7} + 0.00294)/22414 \times 6.023 \times 10^{23} \times 0.162 \times 10^{-18} = 1480 \text{ m}^2 \text{ g}^{-1}$$

$$S_{\text{Langmuir}} = (1/0.00265)/22414 \times 6.023 \times 10^{23} \times 0.162 \times 10^{-18} = 1643 \text{ m}^2 \text{ g}^{-1}$$

$$\text{BET constant } C = 1 + 0.00294/5.88414 \times 10^{-7} = 4997$$

$$(p / p_o)_{n_m} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{C} + 1} = 0.01395$$

Fig. S4 The consistency plot (a), BET surface area plot (b), and Langmuir surface area plot (c) for ZJNU-10.

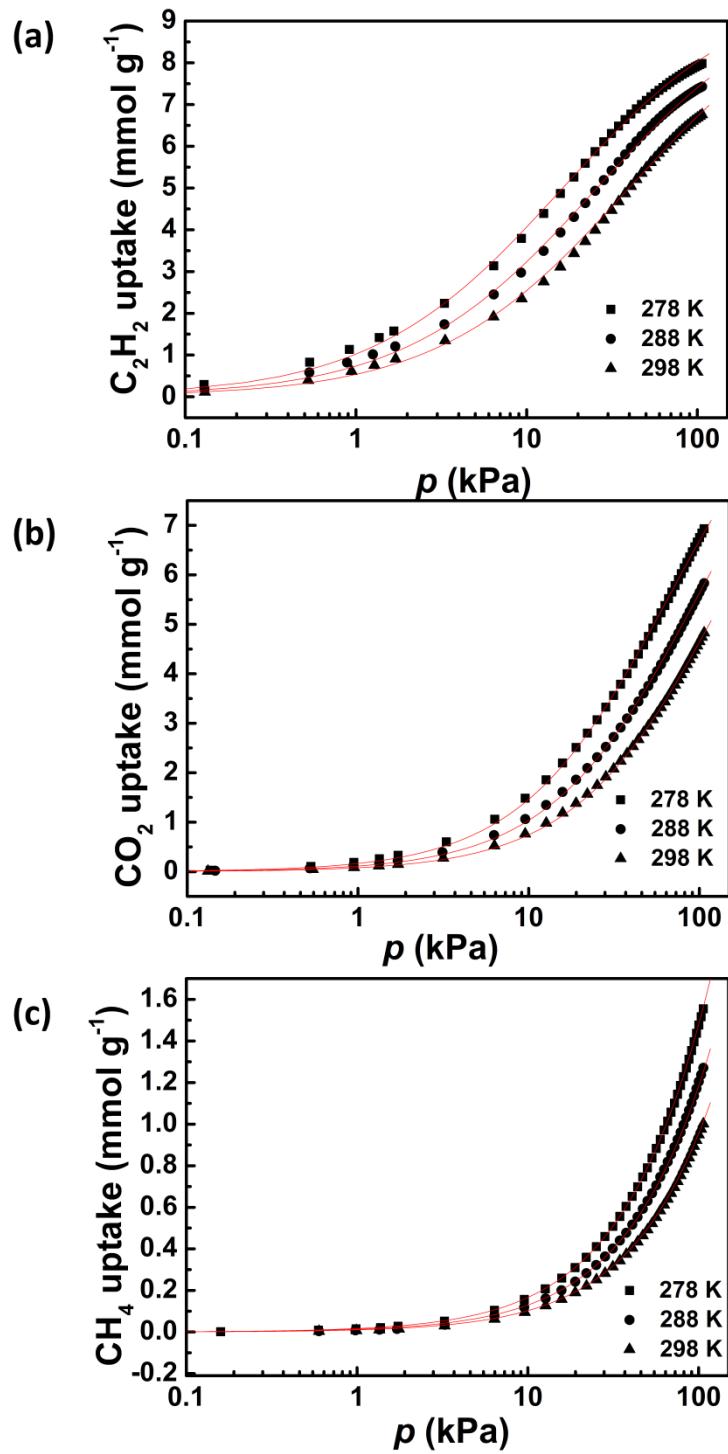
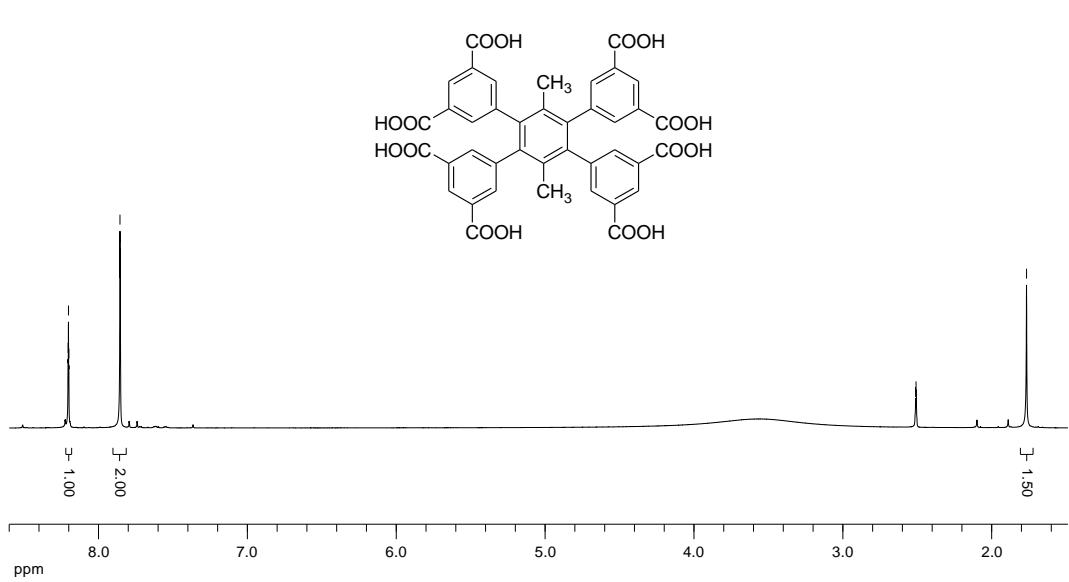
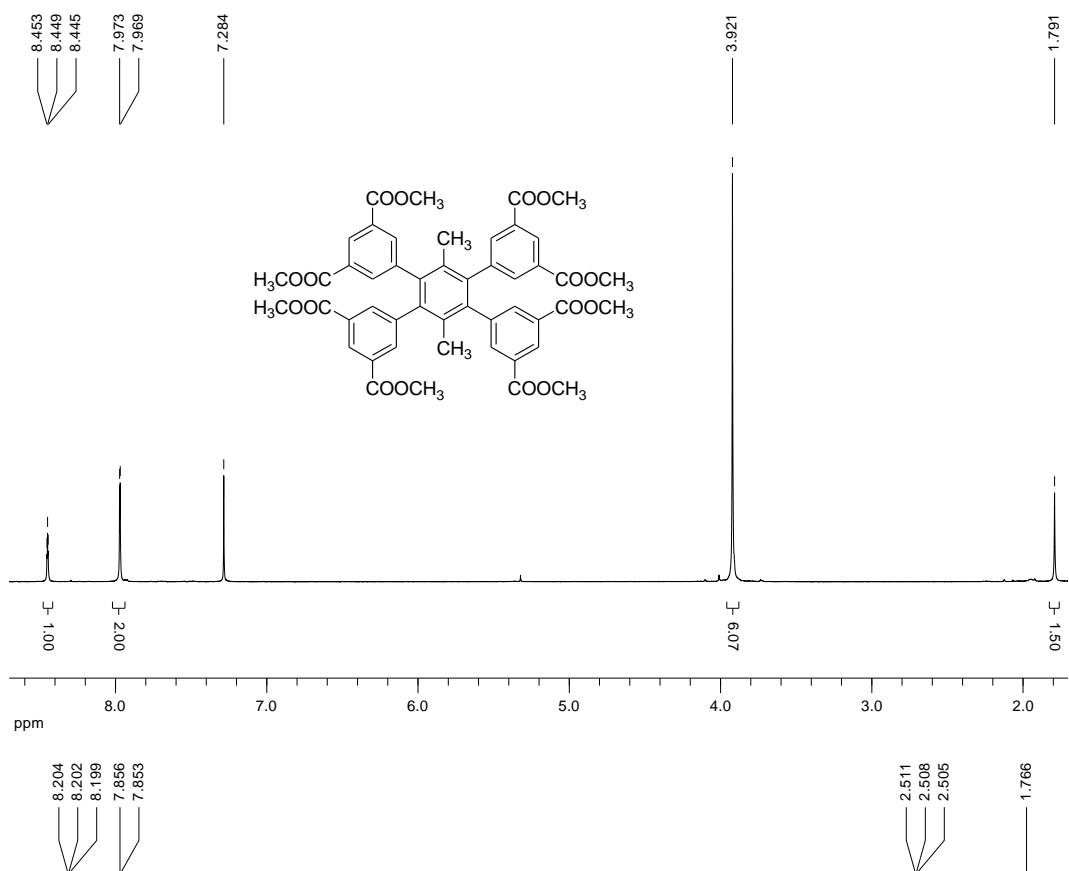


Fig. S5 Comparison of the pure-component isotherm data for (a) C_2H_2 , (b) CO_2 , and (c) CH_4 in **ZJNU-10** with the fitted isotherms at 278 K, 288 K, and 298 K.



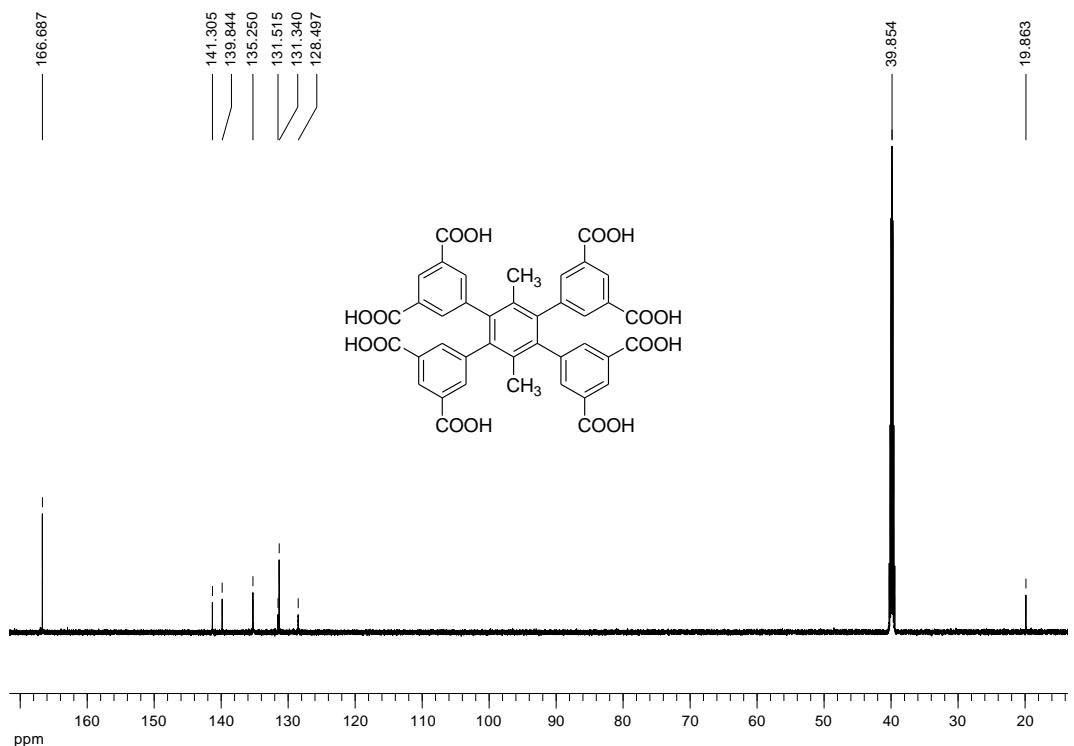


Table S1 Crystal data and structure refinement for **ZJNU-10**.

MOF	ZJNU-10
Empirical formula	C ₅₂ H ₅₈ Cu ₄ N ₄ O ₂₆
Formula weight	1409.18
λ (Å)	0.71073
Crystal system	Tetragonal
Space group	I4/mmm
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 19.0416(10)$ Å $b = 19.0416(10)$ Å $c = 18.6430(9)$ Å $\alpha = 90^\circ$ $\beta = 90^\circ$ $\gamma = 90^\circ$
V (Å ³)	6759.6(8)
Z	4
D_c (g cm ⁻³)	1.385
μ (mm ⁻¹)	1.318
$F(000)$	2168
θ range for data collection (°)	2.185 to 26.371
Limiting indices	-23 ≤ h ≤ 23 -15 ≤ k ≤ 21 -23 ≤ l ≤ 19
Reflections collected / unique	9413 / 1979
R_{int}	0.0658
Max. and min. transmission	0.877 and 0.827
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F^2
Data/restraints/parameters	1979 / 37 / 86
Goodness-of-fit on F^2	1.063
Final R indices [$I > 2\sigma(I)$]	$R_1 = 0.0488$ $wR_2 = 0.1394$
R indices (all data)	$R_1 = 0.0775$ $wR_2 = 0.1553$
Largest diff. peak and hole (e·Å ⁻³)	0.861 and -0.631
CCDC	1954395

Table S2 Langmuir-Freundlich parameters for adsorption of C₂H₂, CO₂, and CH₄ in ZJNU-10.

Adsorbate	q_{sat} (mmol g ⁻¹)	b_0 (kPa) ^{-v}	E (kJ mol ⁻¹)	v	R^2
C ₂ H ₂	9.96407	3.51054×10 ⁻⁶	24.021	0.77938	0.99872
CO ₂	11.08817	2.24662×10 ⁻⁷	25.703	1	0.99971
CH ₄	11.93825	9.95701×10 ⁻⁷	16.776	1	0.99969