

**Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI) for  
A new Cd<sub>4</sub>-2,4-pyridinedicarboxylate layered coordination polymer consisting of  
intralayer cavities and reversible network self-adaptation upon  
dehydration/moisture-absorption**

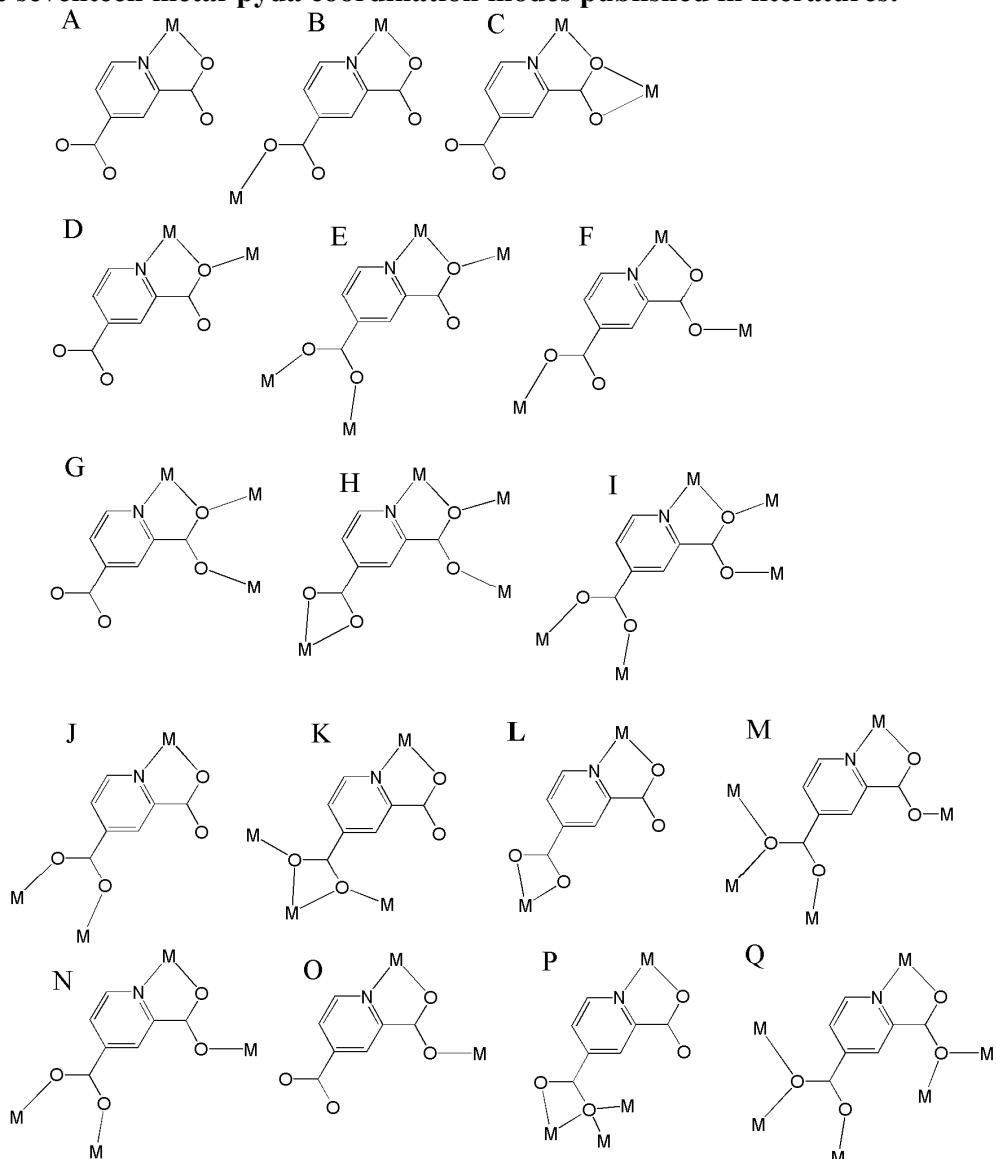
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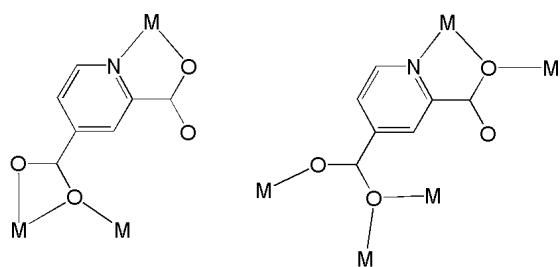
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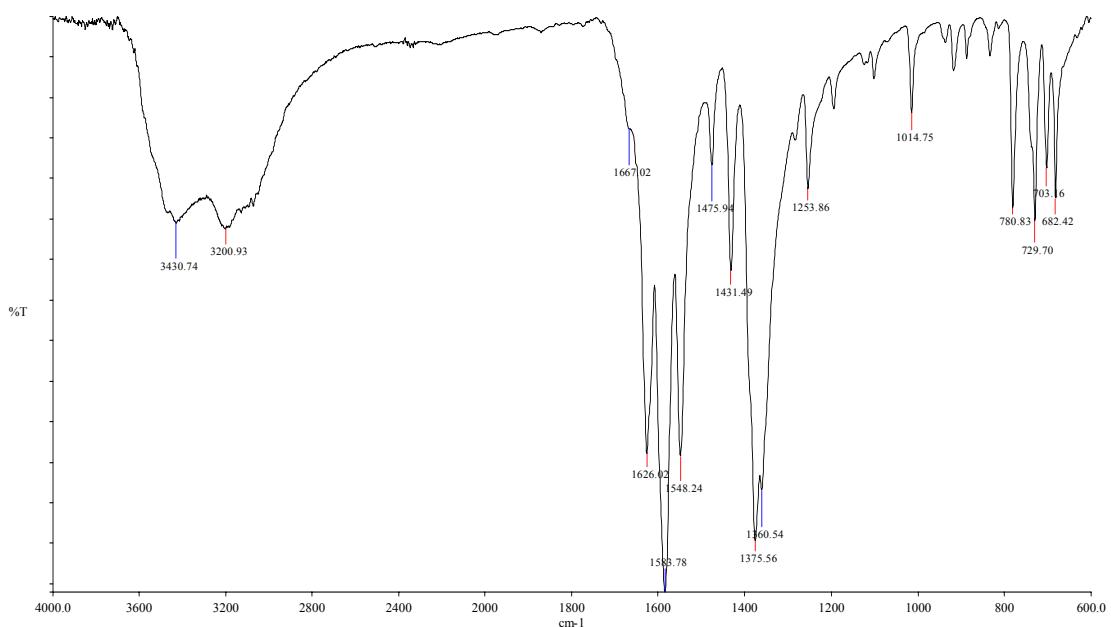
**A. the seventeen metal-pyda coordination modes published in literatures:**



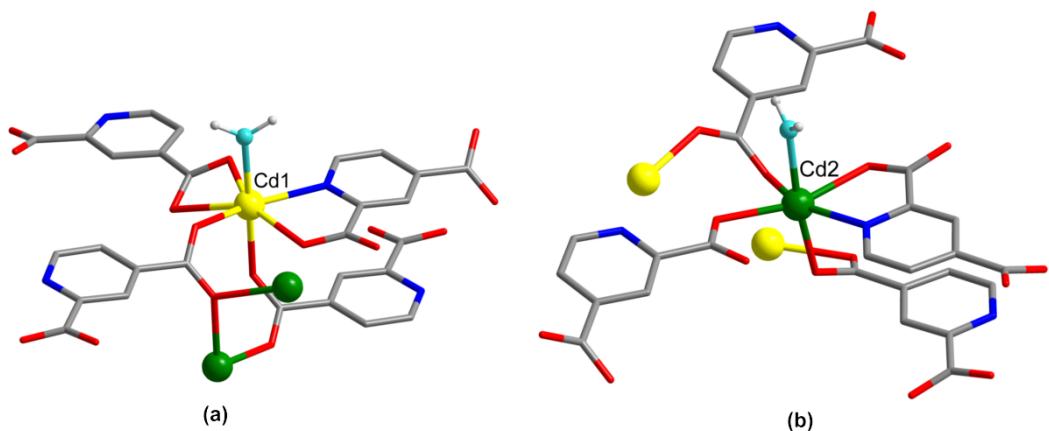
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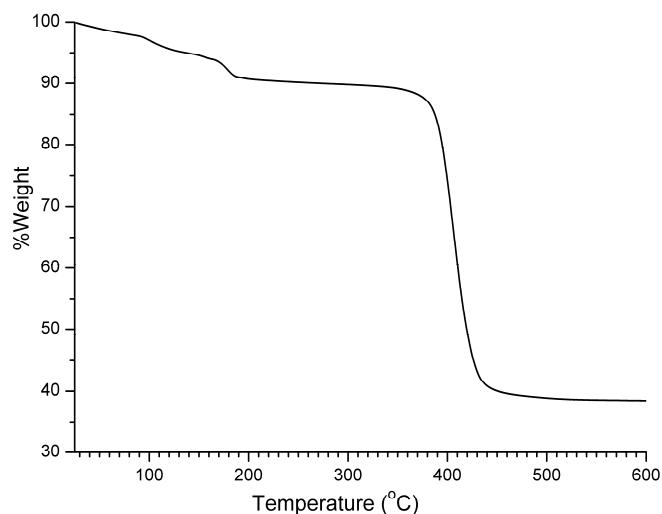
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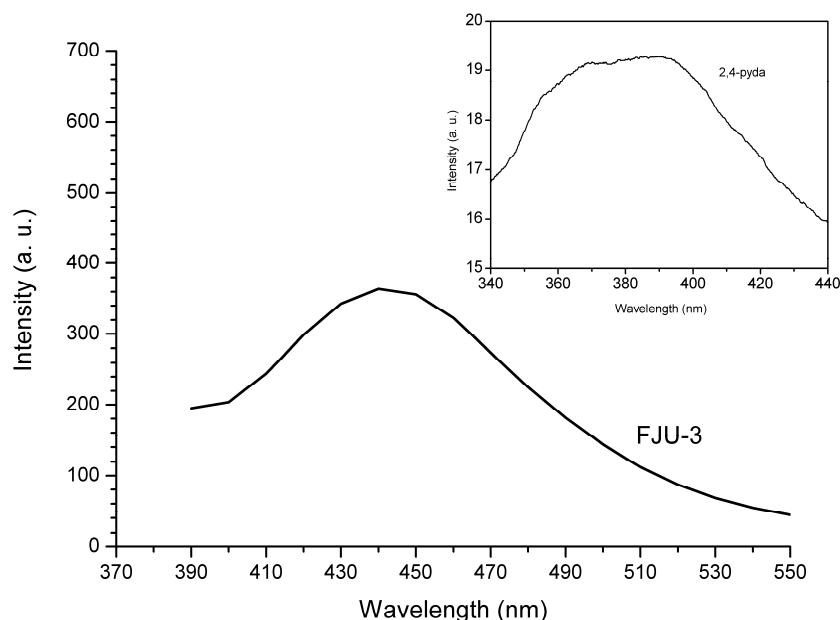
**Fig. S2** The infrared spectrum (ATR-IR) of **FJU-3**.



**Fig. S3** The coordination environments of *hepta-*- and *hexa*-coordinated cadmium centers in **FJU-3**: (a) *hepta*-coordinated Cd1; (b) *hexa*-coordinated Cd2. Both types of cadmium centers are coordinated by one water molecule and four pyda ligands: three pyda ligands coordinated to the cadmium center in *cis*-positions with respect to the coordinated water molecule, and one pyda ligand coordinated to cadmium center in *trans*-position with respect to the coordinated water molecule. (Key: Cd1, yellow sphere; Cd2, green sphere).



**Fig. S4** The thermogravimetric analysis diagram of **FJU-3**. The weight loss of 2.83% (calcd. 2.94%) observed between 30 and 98 °C corresponds to the loss of one water molecule, and the weight loss of 6.18% (calcd. 5.88%) observed between 98 and 190 °C corresponds to the loss of two water molecules on the basis of formula  $[\text{Cd}_2(\text{H}_2\text{O})_2(\text{C}_7\text{H}_3\text{O}_4\text{N})_2\text{H}_2\text{O}]_n$ .



**Fig. S5** Solid-state emission spectra of **FJU-3** and 2,4-pyda free ligand (inset) at room temperature ( $\lambda_{\text{ex}} = 320$  nm).