Supporting Information

Crystal Engineering with a Purine Rare Tautomer: Structures and Luminescence Properties

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General Experimental Information.

High resolution (ESI⁺ mode) mass spectra were obtained on WATERS HAB 213 machine, Department of Chemistry, IIT Kanpur. Absorbance spectra were recorded on Varian Cary 100 BIO with 10 mm quartz cell at 25±0.1°C. Emission spectra were recorded on Varian Luminescence Cary eclipsed with 10 mm quartz cell at 25±0.1°C. Photoluminescence spectra were recorded on Horiba FluoroLog 3 with 10 mm quartz cell at 25±0.1°C.

HRMS of Complex 1:



HRMS of complex 2:



HRMS of complex 3:



HRMS of complex 4:



Table S1: Selected Bond Lengths (Å) and Bond Angles (°) for complexes 1-4

Bond Lengths (Å)				
Cd–N(7A)	2.21			
Cd–N(7B)	2.24			
Cd–N(7C)	2.19			
Cd–N(7D)	2.19			
Bond Angles (°)				
N7(A)CdN7(B)	107.52			
N7(A)CdN7(D)	103.64			
N7(C)–Cd–N7(D)	111.77			
N7(C)–Cd–N7(B)	110.68			

Complex 1

Complex 2

Bond Lengths (Å)				
Cd-N(7)	2.412			
Cd-N(7')	2.409			
Cd–O(1W)	2.252			
Bond Angles (°)				
N(7)-Cd-N(7')	92.836			

Bond Lengths (Å)				
Cd-N(7)	2.378			
Cd-N(7')	2.389			
Cd–Cl _t	2.530			
Cd–Cl _b	2.356			
Cd–Cl _{b'}	2.455			
Bond Angles (°)				
Cd1–Cl _b –Cd2	74.23			
Cl _b –Cd–Cl _{b'}	105.76			
N7–Cd–N7'	177.92			

Complex 3

Complex 4

Bond Lengths (Å)				
Cd-N(7)	2.403			
Cd-N(7')	2.387			
Cd–O(1W)	2.240			
Cd–O(2)	2.330			
Cd–O(3)	2.585			
Cd–O(4)	2.328			
Cd-O(5)	2.458			

Bond Angles (°)				
O2-Cd-O3	52.89			
O4–Cd–O5	54.45			
N7–Cd–N7'	178.38			

Table S2: Hydrogen bonding Table for complexes 1-4#

D-HA	Symmetryof A	D-H	HA	D-A	∠D—H…A		
Complex 1							
N(1A)—H(1A)N(3B)	-1+x,y,-1+z	0.86	2.11	2.891	150		
N(1B)—H(1B)N(3C)	x,y,1+z	0.86	2.06	2.860	155		
N(1C)—H(1C)N(3D)	x,-1+y,-1+z	0.86	2.12	2.907	153		
N(1D)—H(1D)N(3A)	1+x,1+y,1+z	0.86	2.05	2.842	152		
Complex 2							
N(1)—H(1)O(5)	x,y,-1+z	0.86	2.33	2.987	134		
N(1')—H(1')O(6)	1+x,y,z	0.86	1.95	2.753	155		
O(1W)—H(1W)N(6')		0.83	1.89	2.715	170		
O(1W)—H(2W)N(6)	2-x,-y,-z	0.83	1.92	2.736	168		
O(6)—H(6)O(3)		0.82	1.94	2.757	177		
Complex 3							
N(1)—H(1)Cl(2)	1-x,1-y,1-z	0.86	2.40	3.220	159		
C(2)—H(2)N(3')	1+x,1+y,z	0.93	2.59	3.490	164		
Complex 4							
N(1)—H(1)O(5)	1-x,1-y,1-z	0.86	1.97	2.753	151		
N(1')—H(1')O(2)	2-x,2-y,1-z	0.86	2.00	2.764	148		
C(2)—H(2)N(3)	-x,1-y,1-z	0.93	2.50	3.287	143		

Where D is donor and A is acceptor, the bond lengths are in Å and angles are in deg.

PXRD Patterns



Figure S1. The simulated (blue) and experimental (black) PXRD patterns for four complexes 1-4.

TGA Curve



Figure S2. The TGA curves for ligand, L and complexes 1-4.

UV-Visible Spectrum



Figure S3: UV-Vis spectra of ligand, L and cadmium complexes, 1-4 were recorded in DMF at 10⁻⁵ M concentration.

Emission Spectra



Figure S4. Emission spectra illustrating florescent intensities of ligand, L and cadmium complexes, 1-4 recorded in DMF at 10⁻⁵ M concentration.