# Influence of N-donor Site in 5-(x-pyridyl)-1H-tetrazole Ligands (x =

# 2, 4) on Assembly of Polyoxometalates-based Compounds Modified

# by Multinuclear Metal Clusters and Infinite Chains

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| Cu(1)-N(2)        | 1.940(8) | Cu(1)-N(7)        | 1.959(8)  |
|-------------------|----------|-------------------|-----------|
| Cu(1)-N(1)        | 2.029(8) | Cu(1)-N(6)        | 2.036(9)  |
| O(1W)-Cu(3)       | 1.921(7) | O(1W)-Cu(4)       | 1.965(7)  |
| O(2W)-Cu(2)       | 1.995(7) | N(9)-Cu(2)        | 2.215(9)  |
| N(11)-Cu(2)       | 2.027(9) | N(12)-Cu(2)       | 1.994(9)  |
| N(13)-Cu(3)       | 2.009(8) | N(14)-Cu(4)       | 2.014(9)  |
| N(16)-Cu(3)       | 2.052(8) | N(17)-Cu(3)       | 1.991(8)  |
| N(18)-Cu(2)       | 1.972(9) | Cu(3)-N(4)#2      | 2.325(10) |
| Cu(4)-O(1W)#3     | 1.965(7) | Cu(4)-N(14)#3     | 2.014(9)  |
| N(2)-Cu(1)-N(7)   | 170.8(4) | N(2)-Cu(1)-N(1)   | 81.3(3)   |
| N(7)-Cu(1)-N(1)   | 99.0(3)  | N(2)-Cu(1)-N(6)   | 97.6(4)   |
| N(7)-Cu(1)-N(6)   | 80.9(3)  | N(1)-Cu(1)-N(6)   | 173.0(4)  |
| Cu(3)-O(1W)-Cu(4) | 119.5(4) | C(2)-N(1)-Cu(1)   | 114.3(7)  |
| C(4)-N(1)-Cu(1)   | 127.1(7) | C(1)-N(2)-Cu(1)   | 115.4(7)  |
| N(3)-N(2)-Cu(1)   | 138.8(7) | N(3)-N(4)-Cu(3)#2 | 114.8(7)  |
| N(5)-N(4)-Cu(3)#2 | 133.8(7) | C(8)-N(6)-Cu(1)   | 114.1(7)  |
| C(12)-N(6)-Cu(1)  | 128.0(8) | C(7)-N(7)-Cu(1)   | 115.6(7)  |
| N(8)-N(7)-Cu(1)   | 139.5(7) | N(8)-N(9)-Cu(2)   | 121.4(6)  |
| C(18)-N(11)-Cu(2) | 125.0(8) | C(14)-N(11)-Cu(2) | 115.8(7)  |

Table. S1. Selected bond lengths (Å) and bond angles (°) for compounds 1–4.

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| N(13)-N(12)-Cu(2)           | 138.1(6)     | C(13)-N(12)-Cu(2)          | 114.4(7) |   |
|-----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---|
| N(12)-N(13)-Cu(3)           | 128.3(6)     | N(14)-N(13)-Cu(3)          | 122.4(7) |   |
| N(13)-N(14)-Cu(4)           | 118.4(6)     | N(15)-N(14)-Cu(4)          | 129.7(7) |   |
| C(24)-N(16)-Cu(3)           | 128.6(8)     | C(20)-N(16)-Cu(3)          | 113.8(7) |   |
| C(19)-N(17)-Cu(3)           | 113.1(7)     | N(18)-N(17)-Cu(3)          | 140.1(7) |   |
| N(19)-N(18)-Cu(2)           | 124.4(7)     | N(17)-N(18)-Cu(2)          | 126.4(7) |   |
| N(18)-Cu(2)-O(2W)           | 92.6(4)      | N(18)-Cu(2)-N(12)          | 93.7(4)  |   |
| O(2W)-Cu(2)-N(12)           | 163.6(3)     | N(18)-Cu(2)-N(11)          | 173.6(4) |   |
| O(2W)-Cu(2)-N(11)           | 93.4(4)      | N(12)-Cu(2)-N(11)          | 79.9(4)  |   |
| N(18)-Cu(2)-N(9)            | 90.2(4)      | O(2W)-Cu(2)-N(9)           | 97.1(3)  |   |
| N(12)-Cu(2)-N(9)            | 98.0(3)      | N(11)-Cu(2)-N(9)           | 91.2(3)  |   |
| O(1W)-Cu(3)-N(17)           | 173.9(3)     | O(1W)-Cu(3)-N(13)          | 88.8(3)  |   |
| N(17)-Cu(3)-N(13)           | 91.4(3)      | O(1W)-Cu(3)-N(16)          | 98.3(3)  |   |
| N(17)-Cu(3)-N(16)           | 80.5(3)      | N(13)-Cu(3)-N(16)          | 167.0(3) |   |
| O(1W)-Cu(3)-N(4)#2          | 93.5(3)      | N(17)-Cu(3)-N(4)#2         | 92.5(3)  |   |
| N(13)-Cu(3)-N(4)#2          | 90.7(3)      | N(16)-Cu(3)-N(4)#2         | 99.7(4)  |   |
| O(1W)-Cu(4)-O(1W)#3         | 180.0(1)     | O(1W)-Cu(4)-N(14)          | 89.7(3)  |   |
| O(1W)#3-Cu(4)-N(14)         | 90.3(3)      | O(1W)-Cu(4)-N(14)#3        | 90.3(3)  |   |
| O(1W)#3-Cu(4)-N(14)#3       | 89.7(3)      | N(14)-Cu(4)-N(14)#3        | 180.0(2) |   |
| Symmetry codes for 1: #1 -x | +2,-y-2,-z+2 | #2 -x+3,-y-1,-z+1 #3 -x+4, | -y-1,-z  |   |
| Cu(1)-N(3)#1                | 1.974(7)     | Cu(1)-N(1)                 | 1.990(7) | - |
| Cu(1)-N(2)                  | 2.001(7)     | Cu(1)-O(1W)                | 2.012(7) |   |
| Cu(1)-N(7)                  | 2.253(6)     | N(9)-Cu(2)#3               | 1.984(6) |   |
| N(10)-Cu(2)                 | 2.005(6)     | N(11)-Cu(3)                | 2.012(7) |   |
| N(12)-Cu(3)                 | 2.037(6)     | N(14)-Cu(2)                | 2.014(7) |   |
| Cu(2)-N(9)#3                | 1.984(6)     | Cu(3)-N(11)#4              | 2.012(7) |   |
| Cu(3)-N(12)#4               | 2.037(6)     | N(3)#1-Cu(1)-N(1)          | 174.3(3) |   |
| N(3)#1-Cu(1)-N(2)           | 93.9(3)      | N(1)-Cu(1)-N(2)            | 80.8(3)  |   |
| N(3)#1-Cu(1)-O(1W)          | 90.9(3)      | N(1)-Cu(1)-O(1W)           | 92.0(3)  |   |

| <br>N(2)-Cu(1)-O(1W)  | 142.1(3) | N(3)#1-Cu(1)-N(7)   | 100.0(2) |
|-----------------------|----------|---------------------|----------|
| N(1)-Cu(1)-N(7)       | 83.5(2)  | N(2)-Cu(1)-N(7)     | 104.7(2) |
| O(1W)-Cu(1)-N(7)      | 111.4(3) | C(2)-N(1)-Cu(1)     | 115.8(5) |
| C(6)-N(1)-Cu(1)       | 125.9(6) | C(1)-N(2)-Cu(1)     | 112.7(5) |
| N(3)-N(2)-Cu(1)       | 141.9(5) | N(4)-N(3)-Cu(1)#1   | 126.2(5) |
| N(2)-N(3)-Cu(1)#1     | 123.7(5) | C(12)-N(6)-Cu(2)    | 126.7(6) |
| C(8)-N(6)-Cu(2)       | 114.7(5) | N(8)-N(7)-Cu(1)     | 112.1(4) |
| C(7)-N(7)-Cu(1)       | 139.5(5) | N(8)-N(9)-Cu(2)#3   | 126.1(5) |
| N(10)-N(9)-Cu(2)#3    | 124.9(4) | C(7)-N(10)-Cu(2)    | 113.0(5) |
| N(9)-N(10)-Cu(2)      | 141.2(5) | C(18)-N(11)-Cu(3)   | 126.7(6) |
| C(14)-N(11)-Cu(3)     | 114.3(6) | C(13)-N(12)-Cu(3)   | 110.6(5) |
| N(13)-N(12)-Cu(3)     | 142.4(6) | N(13)-N(14)-Cu(2)   | 132.0(6) |
| N(15)-N(14)-Cu(2)     | 115.3(5) | N(9)#3-Cu(2)-N(10)  | 93.7(2)  |
| N(9)#3-Cu(2)-N(14)    | 92.5(2)  | N(10)-Cu(2)-N(14)   | 173.5(3) |
| N(9)#3-Cu(2)-N(6)     | 174.3(2) | N(10)-Cu(2)-N(6)    | 80.7(3)  |
| N(14)-Cu(2)-N(6)      | 93.1(3)  | N(11)#4-Cu(3)-N(11) | 180.0(1) |
| N(11)#4-Cu(3)-N(12)   | 98.2(3)  | N(11)-Cu(3)-N(12)   | 81.8(3)  |
| N(11)#4-Cu(3)-N(12)#4 | 81.8(3)  | N(11)-Cu(3)-N(12)#4 | 98.2(3)  |
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Symmetry codes for **2**: #1 -x-1,-y+1,-z #2 -x-2,-y,-z-1 #3 -x-1,-y,-z #4 -x-2,-y-1,-z

180.0(1)

N(12)-Cu(3)-N(12)#4

| Ag(1)-N(6)       | 2.162(7)   | Ag(1)-N(7)       | 2.176(7) |  |
|------------------|------------|------------------|----------|--|
| Ag(1)-Ag(2)      | 3.1280(11) | N(2)-Ag(3)       | 2.287(7) |  |
| Ag(2)-N(5)       | 2.183(7)   | Ag(2)-N(8)       | 2.280(7) |  |
| Ag(2)-O(5)       | 2.474(7)   | Ag(3)-N(10)      | 2.215(7) |  |
| Ag(3)-N(9)#5     | 2.327(7)   | N(9)-Ag(3)#7     | 2.327(7) |  |
| N(6)-Ag(1)-N(7)  | 162.4(3)   | N(6)-Ag(1)-Ag(2) | 94.9(2)  |  |
| N(7)-Ag(1)-Ag(2) | 67.53(19)  | N(3)-N(2)-Ag(3)  | 121.7(6) |  |
| C(1)-N(2)-Ag(3)  | 132.3(6)   | N(5)-Ag(2)-N(8)  | 157.3(3) |  |

| N(5)-Ag(2)-O(5)                | 108.5(3)      | N(8)-Ag(2)-O(5)        | 94        | 4.0(3)   |        |
|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|-----------|----------|--------|
| N(5)-Ag(2)-Ag(1)               | 93.6(2)       | N(8)-Ag(2)-Ag(1)       | 64        | 4.12(18) |        |
| O(5)-Ag(2)-Ag(1)               | 157.63(18)    | N(10)-Ag(3)-N(2)       |           | 127.0(3) |        |
| N(10)-Ag(3)-N(9)#5             | 130.9(3)      | N(2)-Ag(3)-N(9)#5      | 1         | 01.5(3)  |        |
| N(3)#6-N(5)-Ag(2)              | 125.0(6)      | N(4)-N(5)-Ag(2)        | 12        | 22.8(6)  |        |
| C(8)-N(6)-Ag(1)                | 119.5(6)      | C(7)-N(6)-Ag(1)        | 12        | 123.8(6) |        |
| N(10)-N(7)-Ag(1)               | 135.4(6)      | N(8)-N(7)-Ag(1)        | 1         | 113.4(5) |        |
| N(7)-N(8)-Ag(2)                | 113.2(5)      | N(9)-N(8)-Ag(2)        | 1         | 137.8(6) |        |
| C(9)-N(9)-Ag(3)#7              | 120.5(6)      | N(8)-N(9)-Ag(3)#7      | 1         | 132.4(5) |        |
| N(7)-N(10)-Ag(3)               | 130.0(5)      | C(9)-N(10)-Ag(3)       | 12        | 24.6(6)  |        |
| Symmetry codes for 3: #1 -x,   | y-1,-z-2 #2 : | x+1,-y-1/2,z+1/2 #     | 3 x-1,y,z | #4 x-    | +1,y,z |
| #5 x,-y-1/2,z+1/2 #6 x-1,-     | y-1/2,z-1/2 # | 7 x,-y-1/2,z-1/2       |           |          |        |
| Ag(1)-N(4)                     | 2.319(11)     | Ag(1)-N(7)#2           | 2         | .357(10) |        |
| Ag(1)-N(5)                     | 2.369(10)     | Ag(2)-N(2)             | 2         | .221(11) |        |
| Ag(2)-N(12)#3                  | 2.229(12)     | Ag(2)-N(13)#2          | 2         | .321(11) |        |
| N(7)-Ag(1)#4                   | 2.357(10)     | N(12)-Ag(2)#5          | 2         | .229(12) |        |
| N(13)-Ag(2)#4                  | 2.321(11)     | N(4)-Ag(1)-N(7)#2      | 1         | 04.3(4)  |        |
| N(4)-Ag(1)-N(5)                | 113.3(4)      | N(7)#2-Ag(1)-N(5)      | 1         | 06.2(4)  |        |
| N(2)-Ag(2)-N(12)#3             | 136.3(4)      | N(2)-Ag(2)-N(13)#2     | 1         | 10.2(4)  |        |
| N(12)#3-Ag(2)-N(13)#2          | 111.3(4)      | N(4)-N(2)-Ag(2)        | 12        | 24.8(9)  |        |
| N(1)-N(2)-Ag(2)                | 123.9(9)      | N(2)-N(4)-Ag(1)        | 12        | 21.9(8)  |        |
| N(3)-N(4)-Ag(1)                | 128.8(9)      | N(13)-N(5)-Ag(1)       | 1         | 17.1(8)  |        |
| C(1)-N(5)-Ag(1)                | 136.4(8)      | N(13)-N(7)-Ag(1)#4     | 12        | 23.9(8)  |        |
| N(12)-N(7)-Ag(1)#4             | 127.1(8)      | C(1)-N(12)-Ag(2)#5     | 1         | 33.4(8)  |        |
| N(7)-N(12)-Ag(2)#5             | 119.9(8)      | N(7)-N(13)-Ag(2)#4     | 1         | 19.8(8)  |        |
| N(5)-N(13)-Ag(2)#4             | 129.6(8)      |                        |           |          |        |
| Symmetry codes for 4: #1 -x    | ,y,-z+3/2     | #2 -x+1/2,y-1/2,-z+3/2 | #3 x,     | y-1,z    | #4 -   |
| x+1/2,y+1/2,-z+3/2  #5 x,y+1,z |               |                        |           |          |        |

Table S2. Hydrogen-bonding geometries (Å, °) of compounds 1 and 4

|            | D–H···A      | D–H   | Н…А   | D…A   | D-H···A |
|------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| Compound 1 | C10–H10A…O19 | 0.929 | 2.533 | 3.400 | 155.41  |
| Compound 4 | С9–Н9А…О18   | 0.930 | 3.019 | 3.066 | 84.12   |



**Fig. S1.** The penta-nuclear clusters and mono-nuclear Cu<sup>II</sup> subunits for construction of the 1D stair-like Cu-2-ptz chain in **1**. Symmetry codes: #1 4-x, -1-y, -z



**Fig. S2.** The coordination modes of Keggin anions in the title compounds. Symmetry codes: #1

2-x, -2-y, 2-z; #2 -2-x, -y, -1-z; #3 -x, -1-y, -2-z; #4 -x, y, -1.5-z; #5 -x, 1+y, 1.5-z; #6 x, 1+y, z.



**Fig. S3.** The 3D supramolecular framework of 1 with C–H···O (C(10)–H(10A)···O(19) = 3.400 Å) hydrogen-bonding interactions.



Fig. S4. The 2D layer of compound 2.



Fig. S5. The 2D layer of compound 3 viewed along *b*- and *c*-axis.



Fig. S6. The 3D structure of compound 3.



**Fig. S7.** The 3D supramolecular framework of **4** with C–H···O (C(9)–H(9A)···O(18) = 3.066 Å) hydrogen-bonding interactions.



Fig. S9. The IR spectra of compounds 1–4.



**Fig. S11.** Absorption spectra of the RhB solution during the decomposition reaction under UV irradiation with the presence of compounds **2**–**4**.



**Fig. S12.** Absorption spectra of the RhB solution during the decomposition reaction under UV irradiation with the presence of parent POM ( $PMo_{12}$  and  $SiMo_{12}$ ).



**Fig. S13.** Photocatalytic decomposition rate of MB solution under UV irradiation with the use of parent POMs. (Black: PMo<sub>12</sub> and Red: SiMo<sub>12</sub>).



**Fig. S14.** The dependence of anodic peak (II) and cathodic peak (II') currents for **3**–CPE and anodic peak (I) and cathodic peak (I') currents for **4**–CPE on scan rates.



**Fig. S15.** Cyclic voltammograms of the  $SiMo_{12}$  and  $PMo_{12}$ -CPEs in 0.1 M H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + 0.5 M Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> aqueous solution at different scan rates (from inner to outer: 20, 40, 60, 80, 100, 120, 140, 160, 180 and 200 mVs<sup>-1</sup>, respectively).



**Fig. S16.** Cyclic voltammograms of the 4–CPE in 0.1 M  $H_2SO_4$  +0.5 M  $Na_2SO_4$  aqueous solution containing 0.0–8.0 mM KNO<sub>2</sub>. Scan rate: 200mV·s<sup>-1</sup>.