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 Table S1. Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (deg) for 2.

**Table S2.** Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (deg) for **3**.

Table S3. Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (deg) for 4 and 5.

 Table S4. Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (deg) for 6 and 7.

Figure S1. Spacefill representations for the X-Ray structures of complexes a) 5, b) 6 and c) 7. Figure S2. CV in  $CH_3CN + 0.1M [(nBu)_4N]PF_6$  of a solution of ligand (-)-L.

Figure S3. CV in  $CH_3CN + 0.1M [(nBu)_4N]PF_6$  of a solution of a) compound 3, b) compound 4, c) compound 6 and d) compound 7, at a platinum electrode (2 mm diameter); scan rate: 100 mV/s.

**Figure S4** CV in CH<sub>3</sub>CN +0.1M [(nBu)<sub>4</sub>N]PF<sub>6</sub> of a 0.5 mM solution of a) compound **2**-and b) compound **5** at a platinum electrode (2 mm diameter); scan rate:100 mV/s.

Mn(1)-N(1)	2.190(4)	Mn(2)-Cl(1)	2.4519(14)
Mn(1)-N(2)	2.296(4)	Mn(2)-N(4)	2.295(4)
Mn(1)-Cl(3)	2.3293(13)	Mn(2)-Cl(2)	2.5526(13)
Mn(1)-Cl(2)	2.4356(14)	Mn(2)-N(3)	2.207(4)
Mn(1)-Cl(1)	2.5772(14)	Mn(2)-Cl(4)	2.3390(13)
Mn(1)…Mn(2)	3.736		
N(1)-Mn(1)-N(2)	73.76(15)	N(3)-Mn(2)-N(4)	73.90(15)
N(1)-Mn(1)-Cl(3)	115.34(10)	N(3)-Mn(2)-Cl(4)	120.22(11)
N(2)-Mn(1)-Cl(3)	98.82(10)	N(4)-Mn(2)-Cl(4)	98.76(10)
N(1)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	132.10(10)	N(3)-Mn(2)-Cl(1)	129.40(11)
N(2)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	93.62(10)	N(4)-Mn(2)-Cl(1)	94.90(11)
Cl(3)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	112.17(5)	Cl(4)-Mn(2)-Cl(1)	110.15(15)
N(1)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	90.15(10)	N(3)-Mn(2)-Cl(2)	88.11(10)
N(2)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	155.50(10)	N(4)-Mn(2)-Cl(2)	104.71(5)
Cl(3)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	104.83(5)	Cl(4)-Mn(2)-Cl(2)	83.65(4)
Cl(2)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	83.46(4)	Cl(1)-Mn(2)-Cl(2)	83.65(4)
Mn(2)-Cl(1)-Mn(1)	95.91(5)	Mn(1)-Cl(2)-Mn(2)	96.97(5)

### Table S1.

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Mn(1)-O(3)	<mark>2.034(4)</mark>	Mn(1)-N(1)	<mark>2.186(4)</mark>
Mn(1)-O(1)	<mark>2.159(4)</mark>	Mn(1)-N(2)	2.234(4)
Mn(1)-O(2*)	<mark>2.175(4)</mark>	Mn(1)-O(2)	<mark>2.479(4)</mark>
Mn(1)…Mn(1*)	<mark>3.433(4)</mark>		
O(3)-Mn(1)-O(1)	142.87(15)	Mn(1*)-O(2)-Mn(1)	<mark>94.80(16)</mark>
O(3)-Mn(1)-O(2*)	<mark>94.45(14)</mark>	C(20)-O(3)-Mn(1)	136.3(3)
O(1)-Mn(1)-O(2*)	87.62(13)	C(18)-O(1)-Mn(1)	<mark>99.4(3)</mark>
O(3)-Mn(1)-N(1)	108.76(14)	C(18)-O(2)-Mn(1*)	127.6(3)
O(1)-Mn(1)-N(1)	108.30(14)	C(18)-O(2)-Mn(1)	84.4(3)
O(2*)-Mn(1)-N(1)	<mark>90.08(17)</mark>	N(1)-Mn(1)-O(2)	158.12(12)
O(3)-Mn(1)-N(2)	<mark>96.74(13)</mark>	N(2)-Mn(1)-O(2)	116.32(15)
O(1)-Mn(1)-N(2)	<mark>91.14(12)</mark>	O(1)-Mn(1)-O(2)	<mark>54.77(11)</mark>
O(2*)-Mn(1)-N(2)	<mark>162.97(11)</mark>	O(2*)-Mn(1)-O(2)	76.45(17)
N(1)-Mn(1)-N(2)	<mark>74.19(16)</mark>	O(3)-Mn(1)-O(2)	<mark>89.67(13)</mark>

#### Table S2.

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4		5	
Mn(1)-O(3)	2.189(2)	Mn(1)-N(1)	<mark>2.294(7)</mark>
Mn(1)-N(1)	2.224(2)	Mn(1)-N(2)	2.358(6)
Mn-(1)N(3)	2.254(2)	Mn(1)-N(3)	2.290(6)
Mn(1)-Cl(2)	2.3698(13)	Mn(1)-N(4)	<mark>2.387(6)</mark>
Mn(1)-Cl(1)	2.3822(13)	Mn(1)-Cl(2)	2.489(3)
O(3)-Mn(1)-N(1)	88.84(8)	Mn(1)-Cl(1)	2.481(3)
O(3)-Mn(1)-N(3)	163.28(7)	N(1)-Mn(1)-N(2)	70.3(3)
N(1)-Mn(1)-N(3)	74.44(8)	N(1)-Mn(1)-N(3)	179.0(3)
O(3)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	90.52(9)	N(2)-Mn(1)-N(3)	<mark>110.6(2)</mark>
N(1)-M(1)n-Cl(2)	119.96(8)	N(3)-Mn(1)-N(4)	<mark>70.4(2)</mark>
N(3)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	97.81(7)	N(1)-Mn(1)-N(4)	<u>109.9(2)</u>
O(3)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	90.46(9)	N(2)-Mn(1)-N(4)	<mark>84.25(19)</mark>
N(1)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	125.05(8)	N(3)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	<mark>91.07(17)</mark>
N(3)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	99.00(7)	N(1)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	<mark>88.86(16)</mark>
Cl(2)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	114.99(5)	N(2)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	<mark>88.48(16)</mark>
		N(4)-Mn(1)-Cl(1)	156.05(19)
		N(3)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	<mark>89.93(17)</mark>
		N(1)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	<mark>89.2(2)</mark>
		N(2)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	153.91(18)
		Cl(1)-Mn(1)-Cl(2)	107.65(10)

Table S3.

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Table S4.

6		7	
Mn(1)-O(1)	2.168(3)	Mn(1)-O(1)	2.184(4)
Mn(1)-O(4)	2.186(3)	Mn(1)-O(2)	2.261(5)
Mn(1)-N(3)	2.252(3)	Mn(1)-N(3)	2.347(5)
Mn(1)-N(1)	2.265(3)	Mn(1)-N(4)	2.246(5)
Mn(1)-N(2)	2.280(3)	Mn(1)-N(2)	2.252(5)
Mn(1)-N(4)	2.300(3)	Mn(1)-N(5)	2.321(5)
O(1)-Mn(1)-O(4)	98.20(11)	N(4)-Mn(1)-N(2)	170.42(2)
O(1)-Mn(1)-N(3)	86.78(11)	O(1)-Mn(1)-N(4)	90.57(16)
O(4)-Mn(1)-N(3)	83.21(11)	O(1)-Mn(1)-N(2)	86.53(18)
O(1)-Mn(1)-N(1)	85.19(11)	O(1)-Mn(1)-O(2)	86.93(17)
O(4)-Mn(1)-N(1)	94.19(11)	N(4)-Mn(1)-O(2)	88.23(18)
N(3)-Mn(1)-N(1)	171.12 (11)	N(2)-Mn(1)-O(2)	82.45 (17)
O(1)-Mn(1)-N(2)	157.86(11)	O(1)-Mn(1)-N(5)	85.12(16)
N(3)-Mn(1)-N(2)	115.34(11)	N(4)-Mn(1)-N(5)	71.7(2)
N(1)-Mn(1)-N(2)	72.80(11)	N(2)-Mn(1)-N(5)	117.12(19)
O(1)-Mn(1)-N(4)	94.09(11)	O(2)-Mn(1)-N(5)	158.28(18)
O(4)-Mn(1)-N(4)	152.34(11)	O(1)-Mn(1)-N(3)	148.99(17)
N(3)-Mn(1)-N(4)	72.81(11)	N(4)-Mn(1)-N(3)	114.71(19)
N(1)-Mn(1)-N(4)	111.53(11)	N(2)-Mn(1)-N(3)	71.2(2)
N(2)-Mn(1)-N(4	91.86((11)	O(2)-Mn(1)-N(3)	110.35(17)
O(4)-Mn(1)-N(2)	86.01(11)	N(2)-Mn(1)-N(3)	170.42(2)

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## Figure S1.

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### Figure S3

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c)



d)



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#### Figure S4.





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