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Divalent Zinc and Cadmium Coordination Polymers of a New  
Flexible Tetracarboxylate Ligand: Syntheses, Crystal structures and  
Properties

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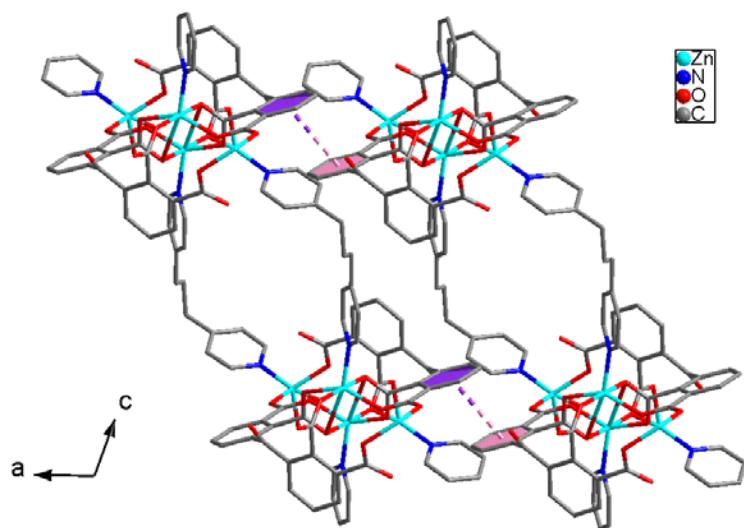
**Fig. S9.** IR spectra for **3**.

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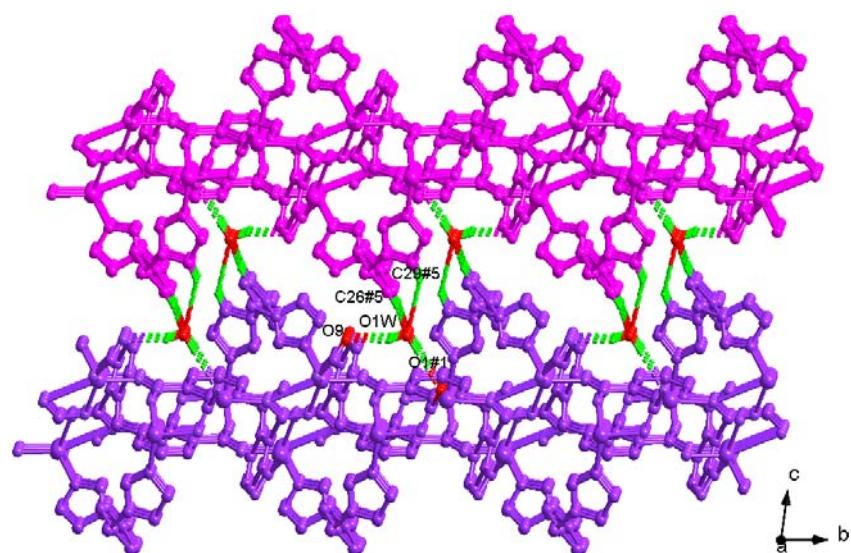
**Fig. S11.** IR spectra for **5**.

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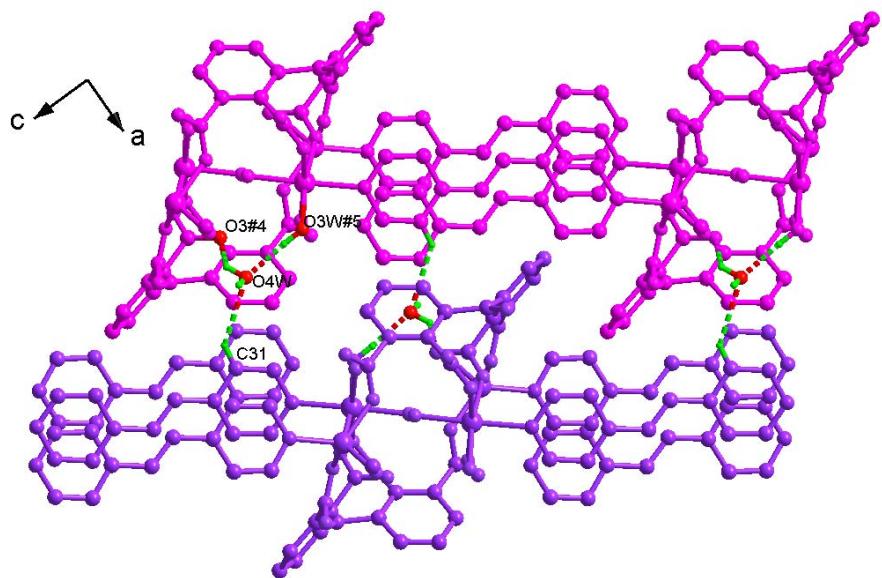
**Fig. S13.** IR spectra for **7**.



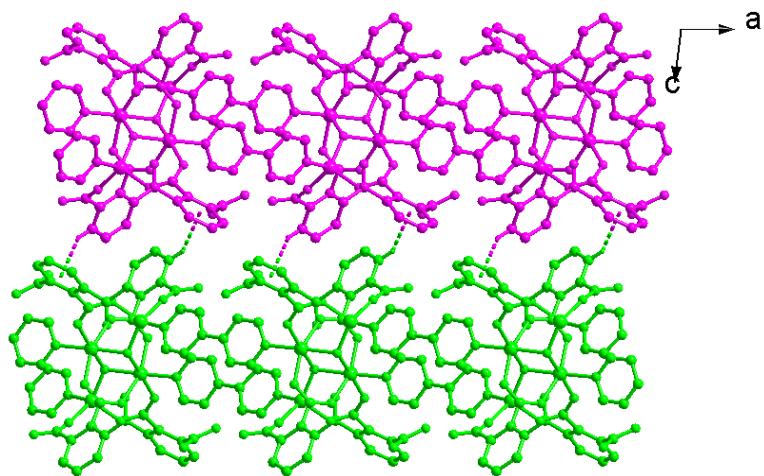
**Fig. S1** 3D supramolecular structure of **1**. (Dotted lines represent  $\pi \cdots \pi$  interaction.)



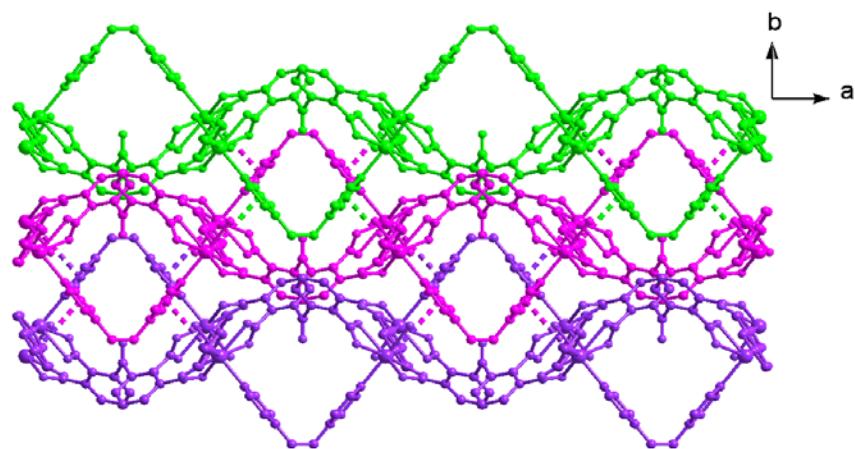
**Fig. S2** 3D supramolecular structure of **2**. ( Symmetry codes: #6  $x, y, 1+z$ . O: red, H: green. Dotted lines represent H bonds.)



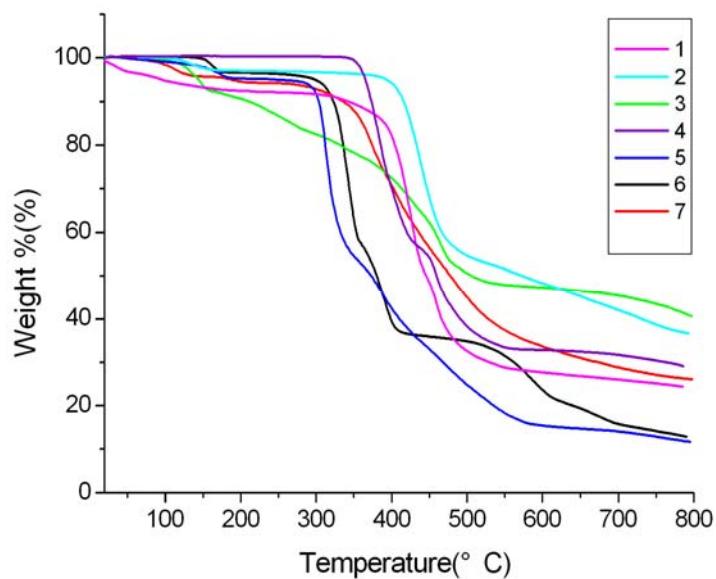
**Fig. S3** 3D supramolecular structure of **3**. (O: red, H: green)



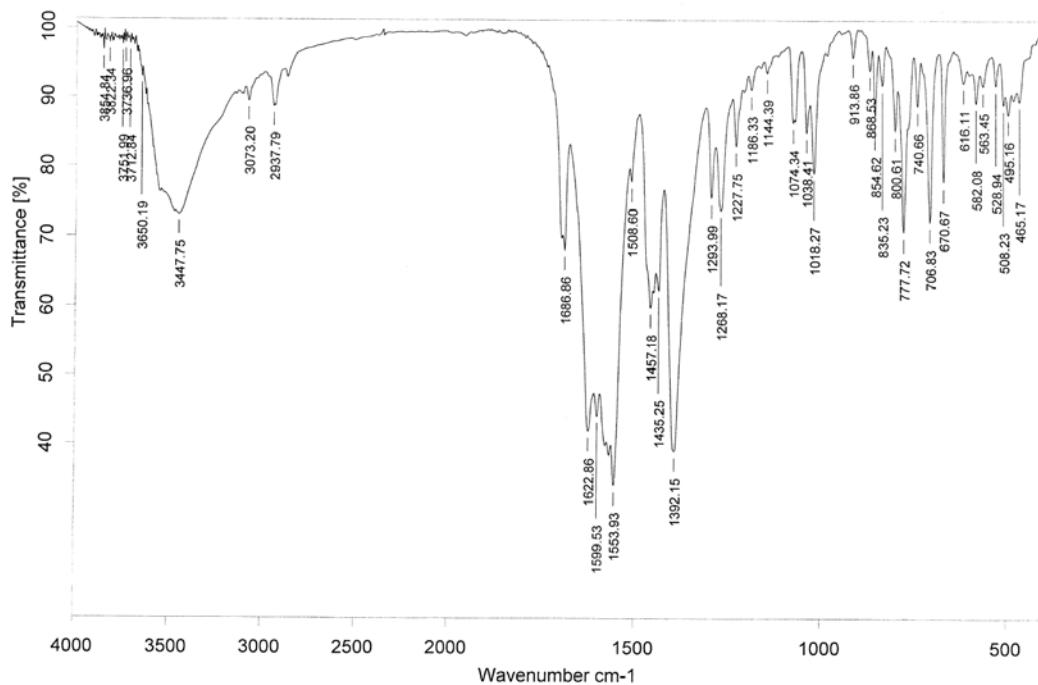
**Fig. S4** 3D supramolecular structure of **4**. (Dotted lines represent C–H...π interaction.)



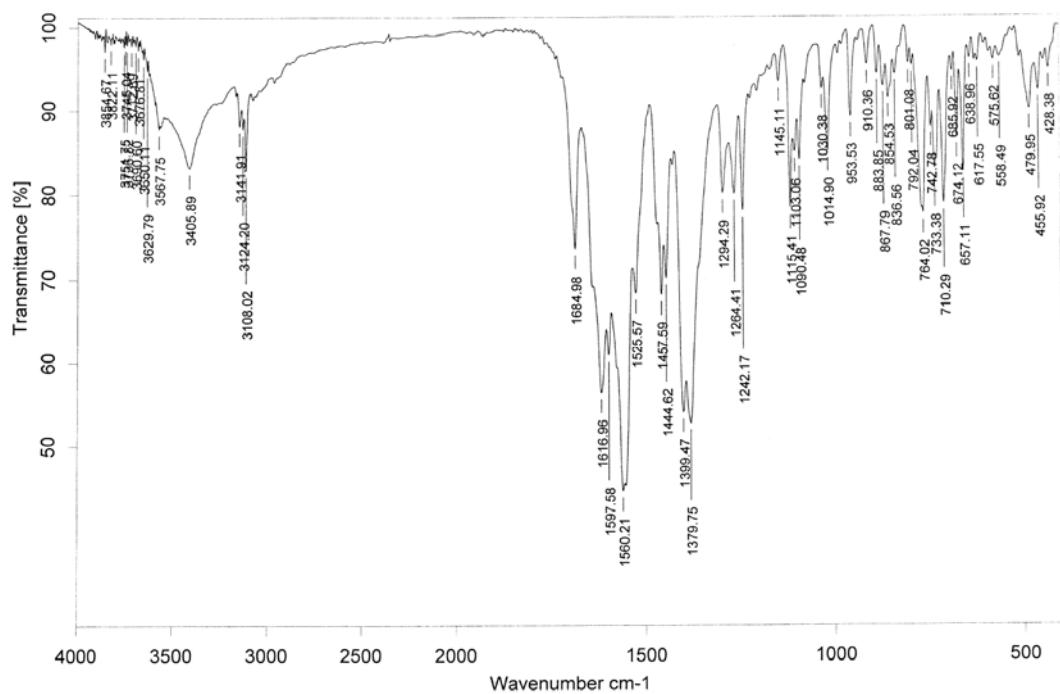
**Fig. S5** 3D supramolecular structure of **5**. (Dotted lines represent  $\pi\cdots\pi$  interaction.)



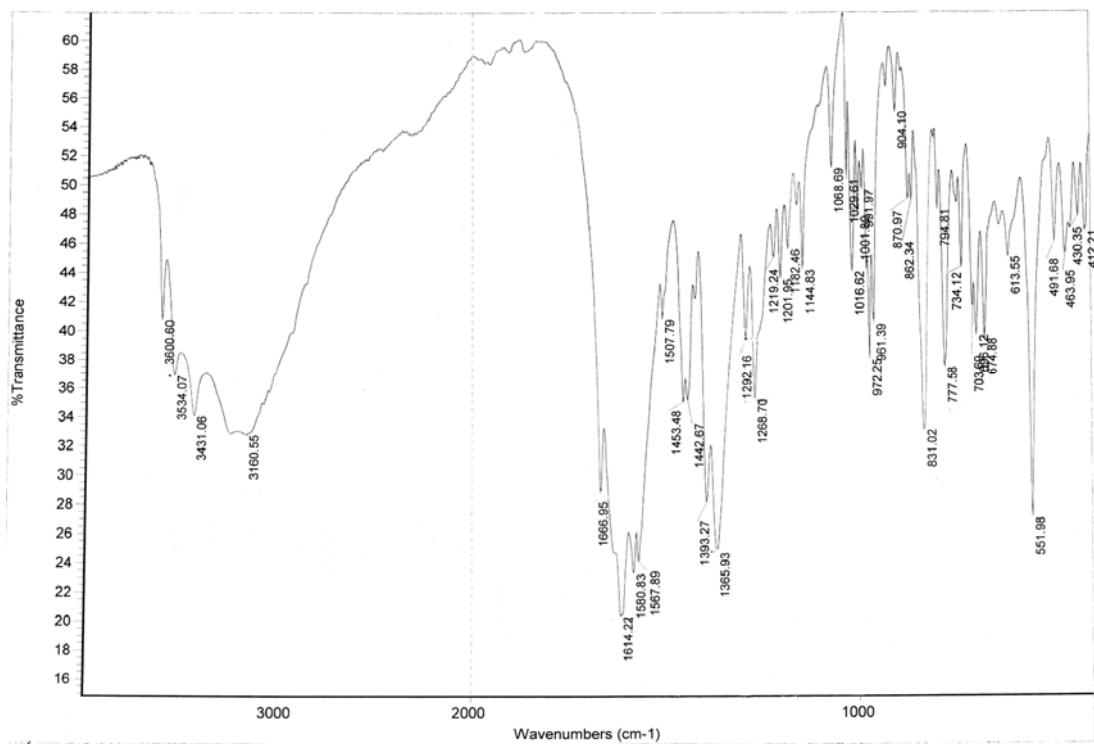
**Fig. S6** TG curves for compounds **1–7**.



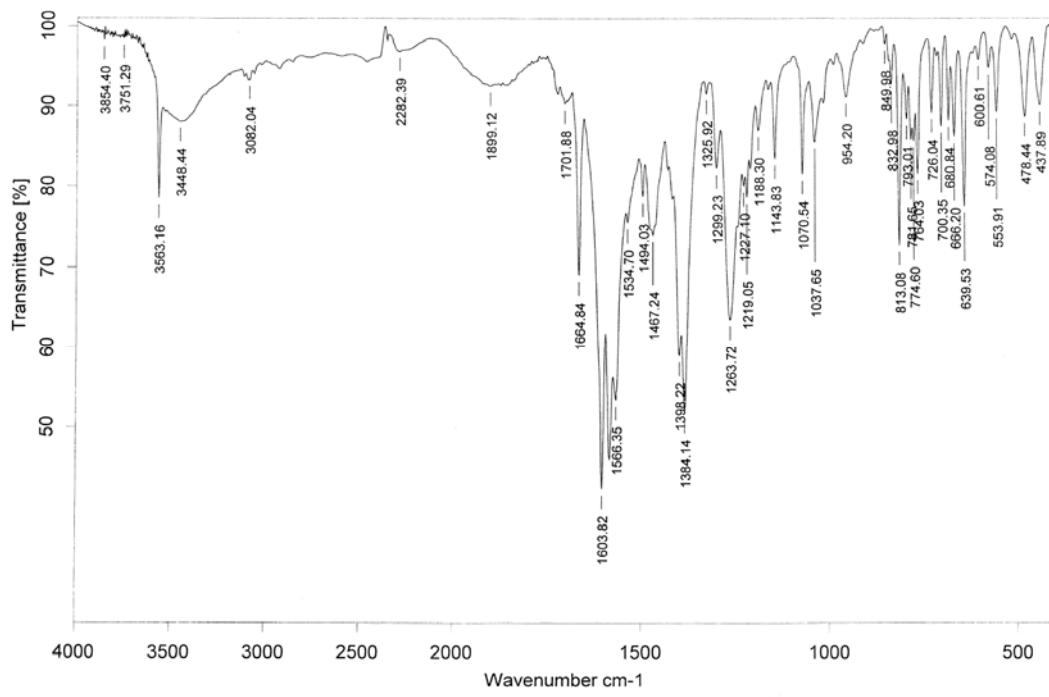
**Fig. S7** IR spectra for **1**.



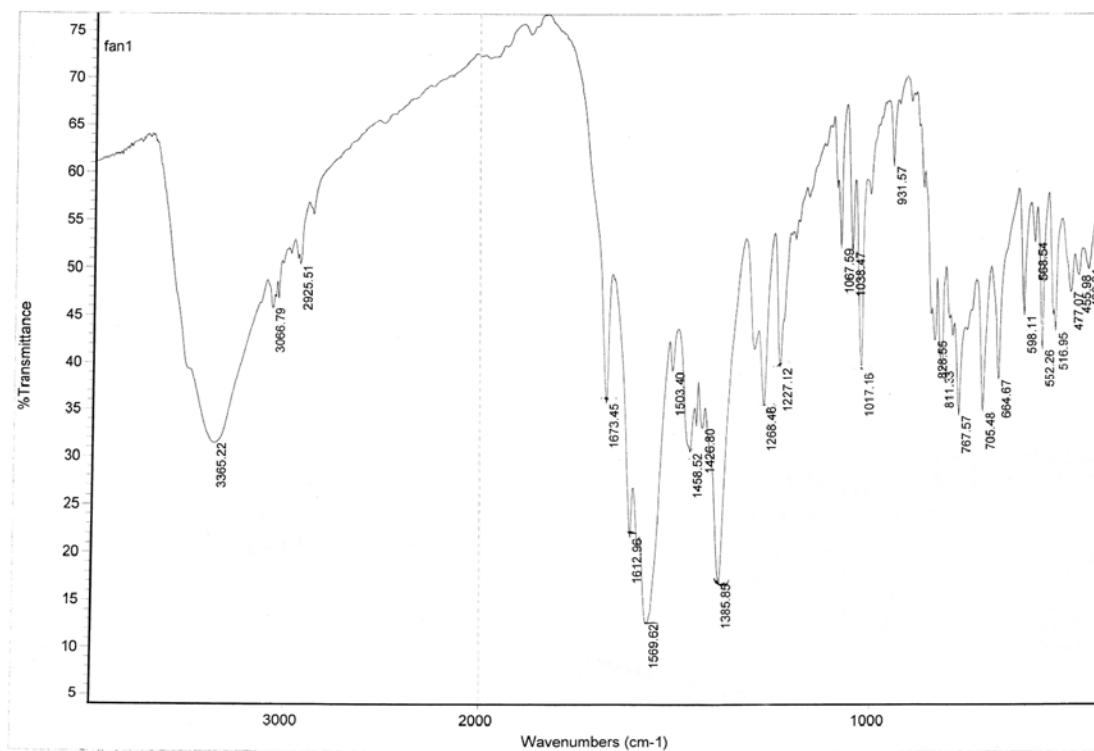
**Fig. S8.** IR spectra for **2**.



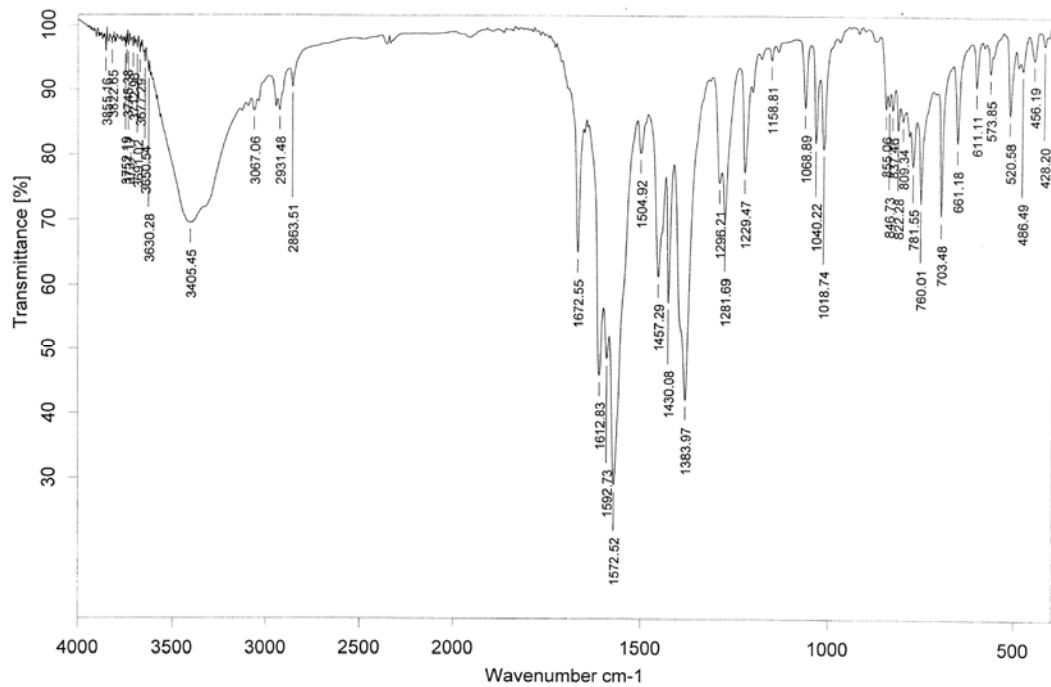
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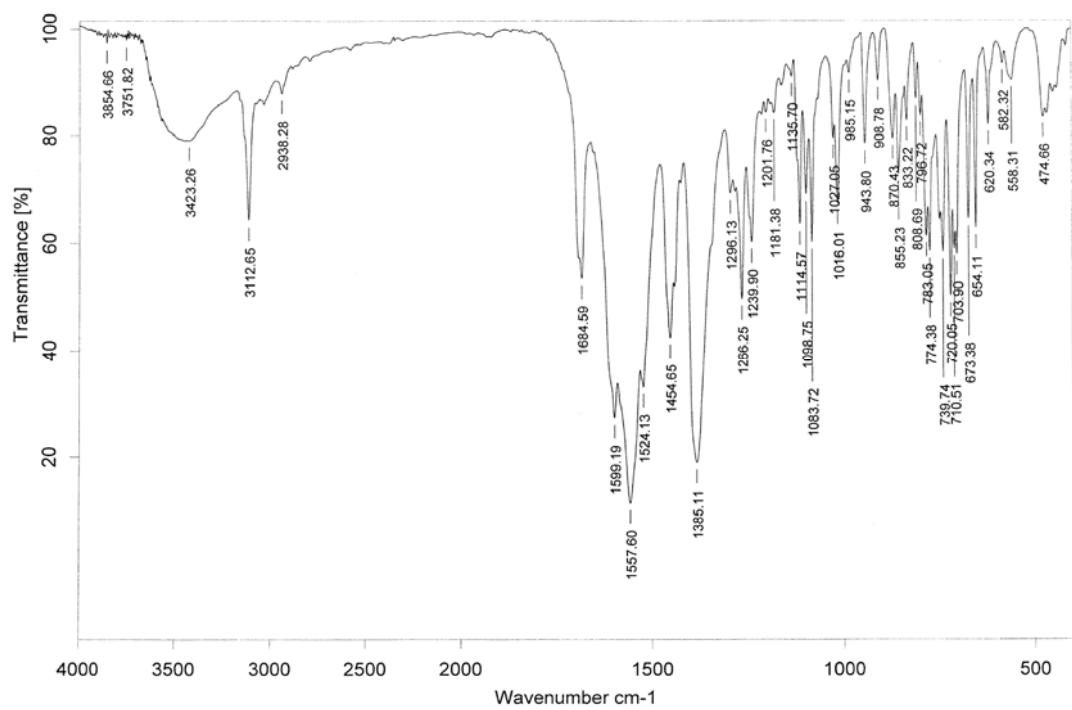
**Fig. S10** IR spectra for **4**.



**Fig. S11** IR spectra for **5**.



**Fig. S12** IR spectra for **6**.



**Fig. S13** IR spectra for **7**.