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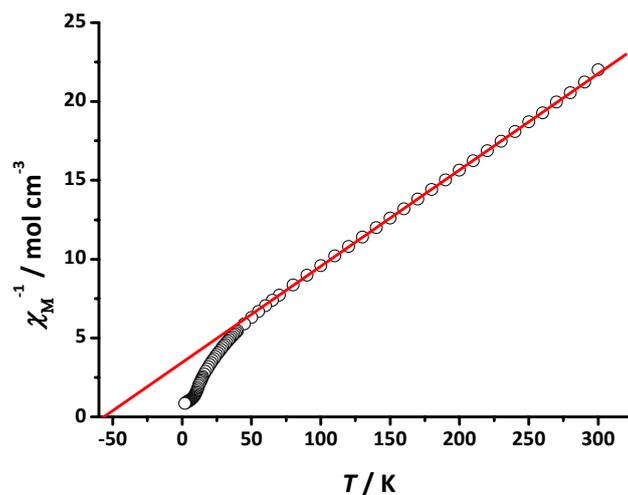
**Pentacobalt(II) Cluster Based pcu Network  
Exhibits Both Magnetic Slow-Relaxation  
and Hysteresis Behaviour**

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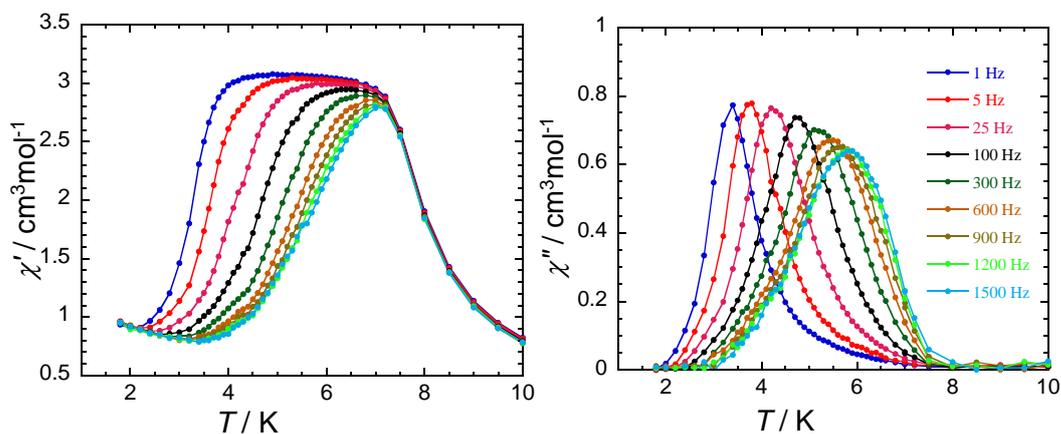
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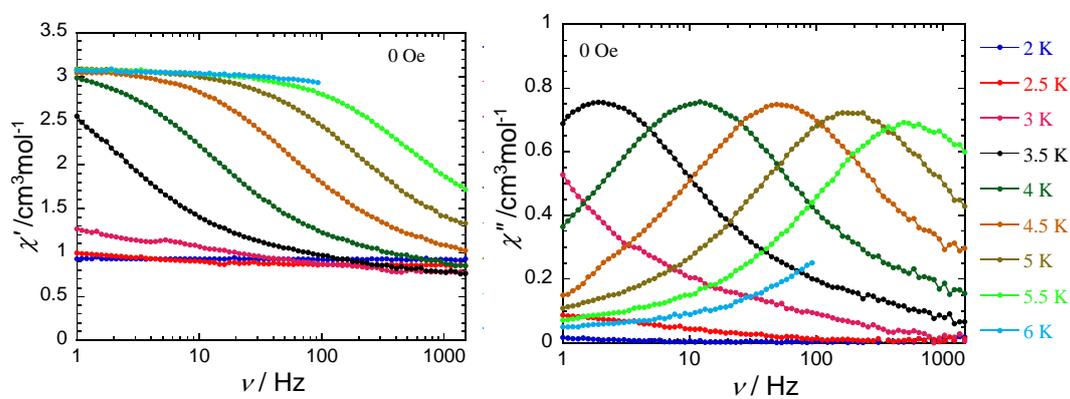
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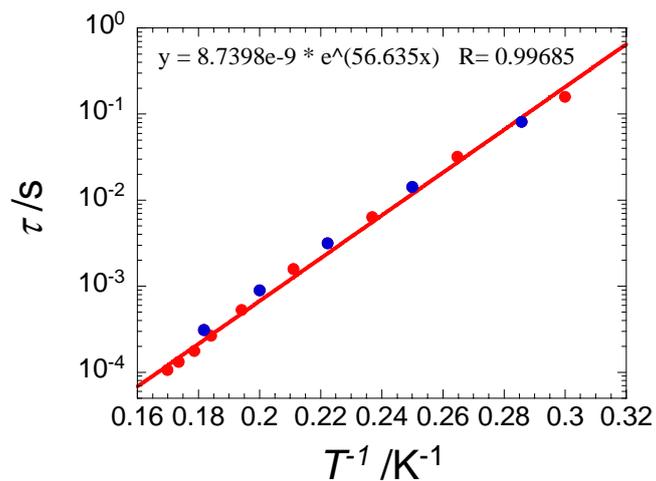
**Fig. S1.** Plots of  $\chi_M^{-1}$  versus temperature for **1**.



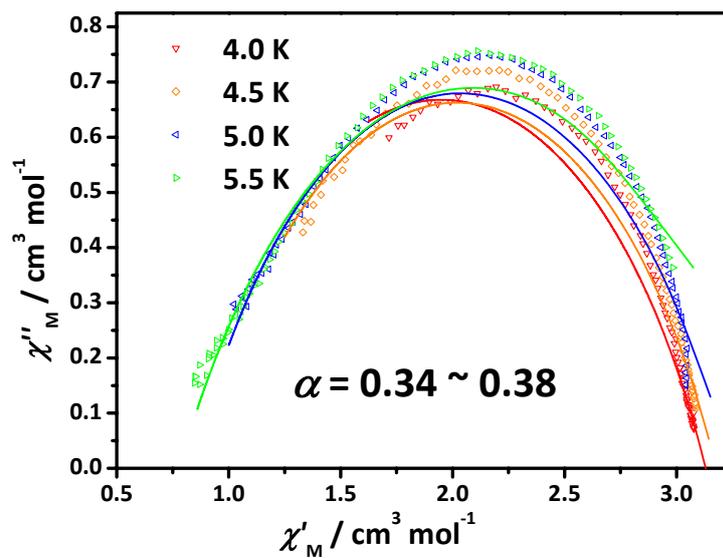
**Fig. S2.** The zero dc field of  $\chi'(T)$  (a) and  $\chi''(T)$  (b) plots of **1** at indicated frequencies in 5 Oe oscillating ac field.



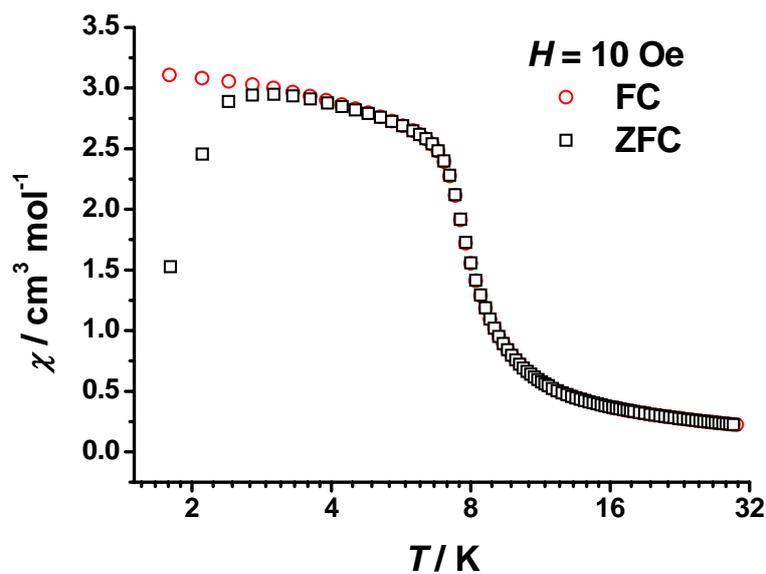
**Fig. S3.** The isothermal  $\chi'(\nu)$  (c) and  $\chi''(\nu)$  (d) plots of **1** at indicated temperatures.



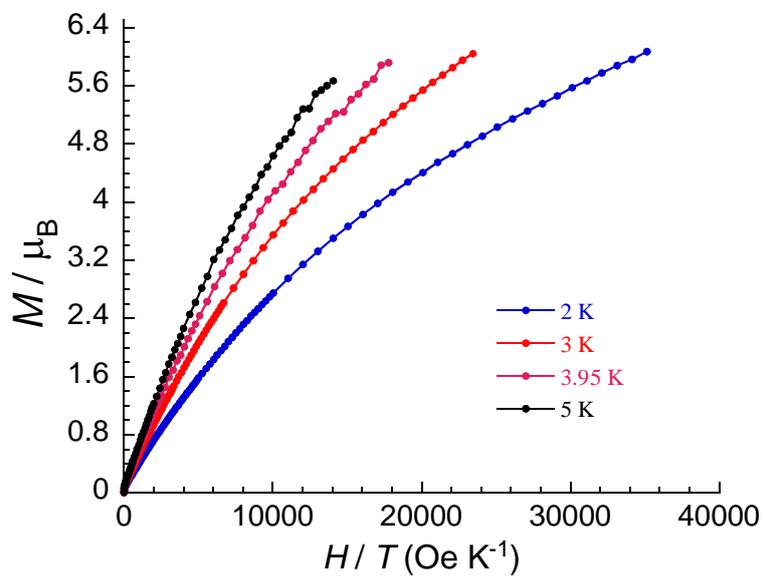
**Fig. S4.** The logarithm of  $\tau$  vs  $T^{-1}$  plot (e) obtained from  $\chi''(T)$  (red dots) and  $\chi''(\nu)$  (blue dots); Linear fitted by Arrhenius law with the energy barrier of 56.635 K.



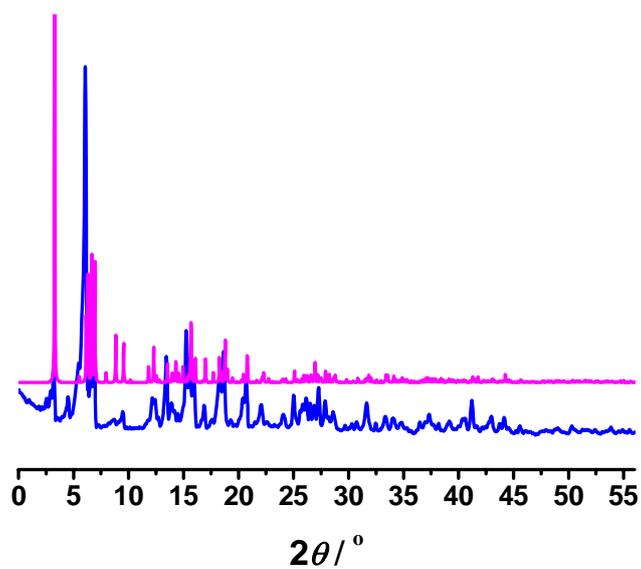
**Fig. S5.** The Cole-Cole plots and the fitting curves (solid lines).



**Fig. S6.** FCM and ZFCM data collected in an applied field of 10 Oe of **1**.



**Fig. S7.** The  $M$  vs  $H/T$  plots at indicated temperatures.



**Fig. S8.** Simulated (purple) & experimental (blue) XRPD data for **1**.