

## Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug-Copper(II) complexes: Structure and biological perspectives

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### Supplementary material

**Table S1.**

Selected bond distances and angles for complex **5**.

Bond	(Å)	Angles	(°)
Cu - O(11)	1.972(2)	O(11) - Cu - O(11)'	180.0
Cu - N(1)	1.992(3)	O(11) - Cu - N(1)'	89.24(9)
Cu - Om	2.463(3)	O(11) - Cu - Om	95.80(8)
C(11) - O(11)	1.273(3)	O(11) - Cu - N(1)	90.76(9)
C(11) - O(12)	1.250(4)	N(1) - Cu - N(1)'	180.0
Cu...O(12)	3.242 Å	Om - Cu - Om'	180.0
		O(11) - Cu - Om'	84.20(8)

Symmetry operation to generate equivalent atoms: (') $-x, -y, 1-z$ .

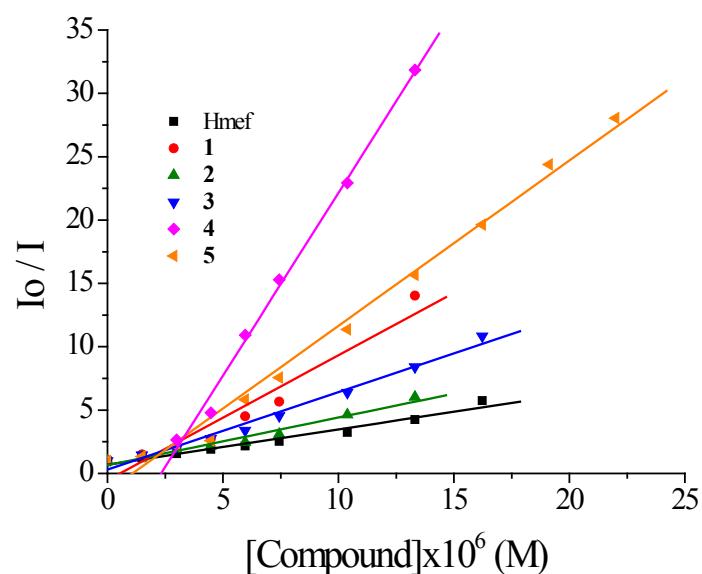
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**Table S2.** Crystallographic data for complex **5**.

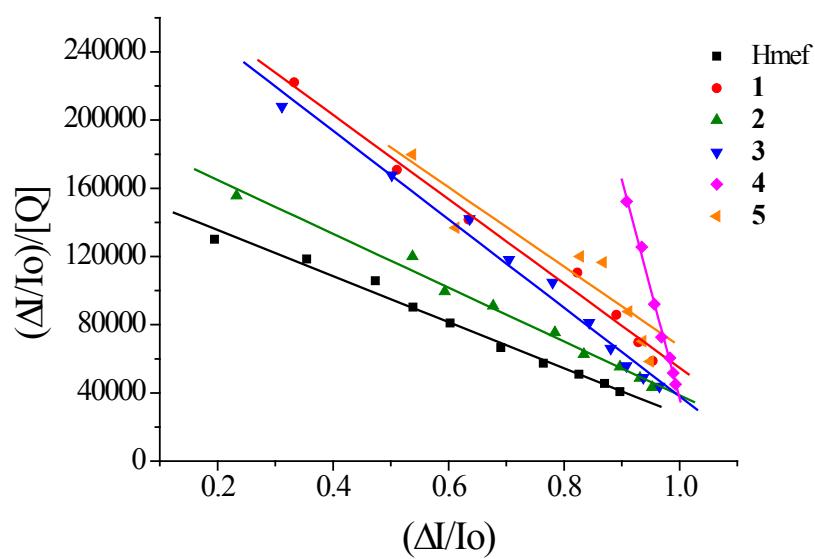
<b>5</b>	
Formula	C <sub>42</sub> H <sub>46</sub> CuN <sub>4</sub> O <sub>6</sub>
Fw	766.40
T	180 (2) K
Crystal system	Triclinic
Space group	P $\bar{1}$
a=	7.5765(1)
b=	8.5270(1)
c=	14.9018(2)
$\alpha$ =	100.793(1)
$\beta$ =	90.666(1)
$\gamma$ =	90.562(1)
Volume	945.56(2)
Z	1
D(calc), Mg m <sup>-3</sup>	1.346
Abs. coef., $\mu$ , mm <sup>-1</sup>	1.247
F(000)	403
GOF on F <sup>2</sup>	1.119
R1	0.0396 <sup>a</sup>
wR2	0.0908 <sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup>2159 reflections with I>2 $\sigma$ (I)

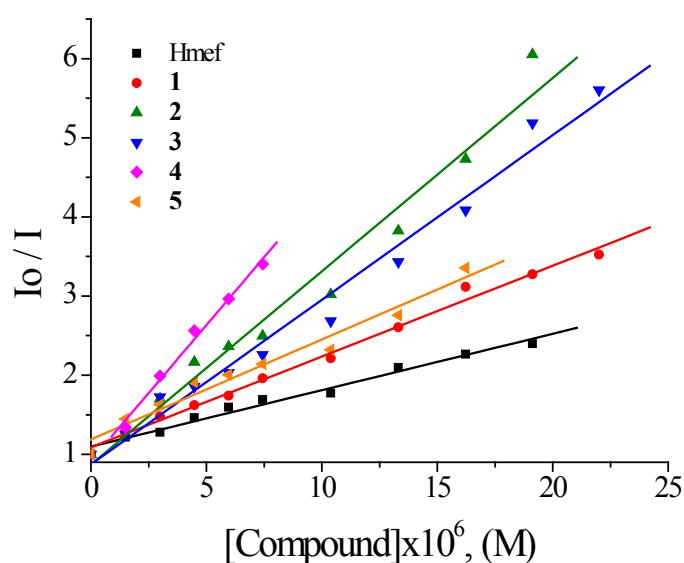
**Figure S1.** Stern-Volmer quenching plot of BSA for Hmef and complexes **1-5**.



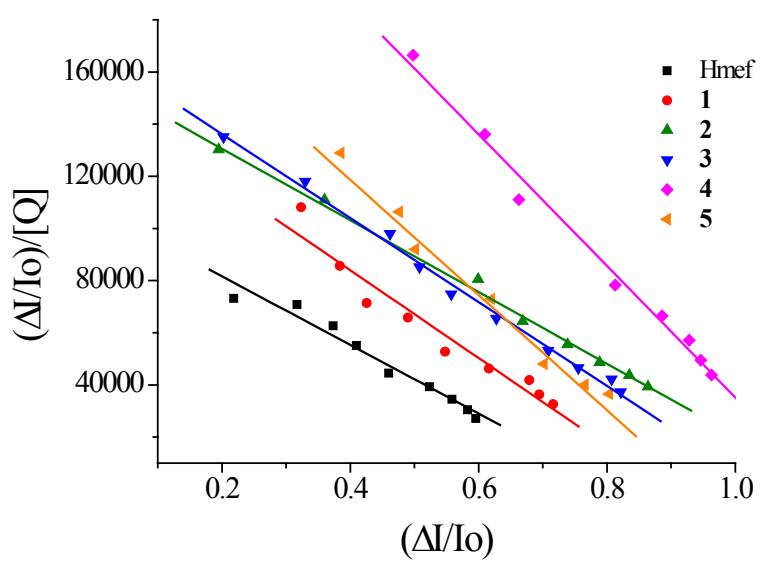
**Figure S2.** Scatchard plot of BSA for Hmef and complexes **1-5**.



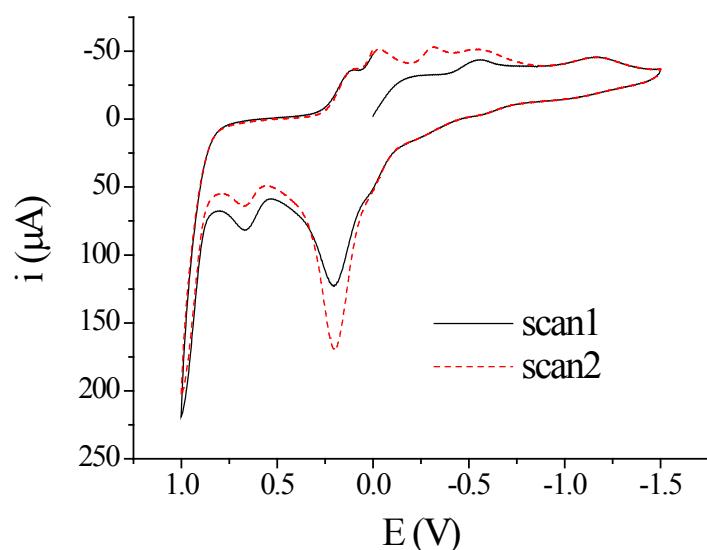
**Figure S3.** Stern-Volmer quenching plot of HSA for Hmef and complexes **1-5**.



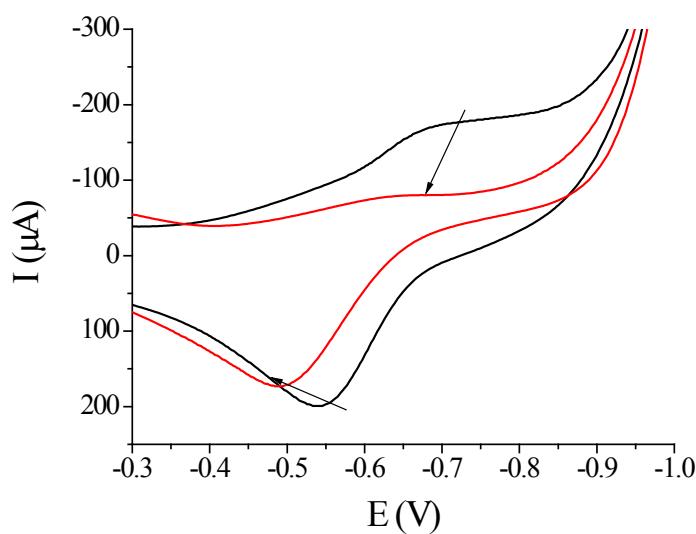
**Figure S4.** Scatchard plot of HSA for Hmef and complexes **1-5**.



**Figure S5.** Cyclic voltammogram of 0.4 mM dmso solution of **3**. Scan rate = 100 mV·s<sup>-1</sup>. Supporting electrolyte = TEAP, 0.1 M.



**Figure S6.** Cyclic voltammogram of 0.4 mM 1/2 dmso/buffer (containing 150 mM NaCl and 15 mM trisodium citrate at pH=7.0) solution of [Cu(mef)<sub>2</sub>(py)<sub>2</sub>(MeOH)<sub>2</sub>], **5** in the absence or presence of CT DNA. The arrows show the changes upon addition of CT DNA. Scan rate = 100 mV s<sup>-1</sup>. Supporting electrolyte = buffer solution.



**Figure S7.** Stern-Volmer quenching plot of EB bound to CT DNA for Hmef and complexes **1-5**.

