## Carboxylic Acid Functionalized *ortho*-Linked Oxacalix[2]benzene[2] pyrazine: Synthesis, Structure, Hydrogen Bond and Metal Directed Self-Assembly

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## **Crystal Structure and New Compound's Characterization**

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- 4. NMR of New Compounds.

Comments of Structure of 9:

For the crystal structure compound **9**, high R factors are associated with the crystal quality. During the refinement, restraints OMIT, DFIX, ISOR, EADP, EXYZ were used. Due to the highly disordered nature of the ligands **3'** in the structure of **9**, some of the hydrogen atoms in ligands **3'** are not located/ fixed, which are also not included in the formula.



Figure S1 An isomeric pair of hydrogen-bonded supramolecular polymeric chains of **3** obtained in methanol. Color code: O (red), N (blue),

and C (gray).



Figure S2 Packing diagram of guanidinium salt of the isomeric pair of **3** viewed along c axe. Color code: O (red), N (blue), and C (gray).



Figure S3 Packing diagram of complex **7** viewed along c (a) and b (b) axes. Color code: Ag (green), O (red), N (blue), C (gray), B (brown) and F (yellow).



Figure S4 Packing diagram of complex **8** viewed along a axe. Color code: Cu (deep red), O (red), N (blue), C (gray) and Cl (green).



Figure S5 Packing diagram of complex **9** viewed along b axe. Color code: Cu (deep red), O (red), N (blue), C (gray) and Cl (green).

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Figure S6 Packing diagram of complex **10** viewed along c axe. Color code: Zn (green), O (red), N (blue) and C (gray).



Figure S7 HRMS spectrum of 1:1 adducts of **3** and pyridine in solution.



Figure S8 HRMS spectrum of  $[Ag_2(3)_2.2ACN]$  in NMP solution. Signals at m/z 567.1, 795.2, 1027.2 and 1035.0 can be assigned to  $[Ag(3)]^{1+}$  or  $[Ag_2(3)_2]^{2+}, [Ag_2(3^{-}).3ACN]^{+}, [Ag(3)_2]^{+}$  and  $[Ag_2(3^{-}).NMP]^{+}$ , respectively.



Figure S9 HRMS spectrum of  $[Cu_2(3)_2Cl_4]$ .2NMP in NMP solution. Only signal at 720.2 could be assigned to  $[Cu(3^{-}).2NMP]^+$  or  $[Cu_2(3^{-})_2.4NMP]^{2+}$ , other signals remains to be correctively assigned.



Figure S10  $^{1}$ H NMR spectrum of the isomeric **6** in CDCl<sub>3</sub>.



Figure S11  $^{13}$ C NMR spectrum of the isomeric **6** in CDCl<sub>3</sub>.



Figure S12 <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the isomeric **3** in DMSO- $d_6$ .





Figure S13 <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of the isomeric **3** in DMSO- $d_6$ .



Figure S14 <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the isomer **3** and pyridine in CDCl<sub>3</sub>.



Figure S15 <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the guanidinium salt of isomeric **3** in DMSO- $d_6$ .





Figure S16 <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of  $[Cu_2(3)_2Cl_4]$ .2NMP in DMF- $d_7$ .