#### Supporting information for

# Synthesis of diamondoid lanthanide-polyoxometalate solids as tunable photoluminescent materials

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#### Single crystal X-ray data collections and structure determinations

The unit cell determinations and data collections for the crystals of **Ln-POMs** (Ln = La, Eu and Tb) were performed on an Oxford Xcalibur Gemini Ultra diffractometer with an Atlas detector. The data were collected using graphite-monochromatic Mo-Ka radiation  $(\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ Å})$  at 293 K. The data sets were corrected by empirical absorption correction using spherical harmonics, implemented in the SCALE3 ABSPACK scaling algorithm.<sup>S1</sup> The structures were solved by direct methods and refined by full-matrix least-square methods with the SHELX-97 program package.<sup>S2</sup> Because the diffraction ability of the light atoms of C, N and O is very poor compared with the heavy atoms of W and Ln, the disordered DMF ligands can not be well-positioned from difference Fourier maps. The distances between C, N and O atoms of DMF ligands were fixed to the reasonable values, and were refined isotropically. The four disordered lattice DMF molecules could not be located successfully from Fourier maps in the refinement cycles. The four lattice DMF molecules were removed using the SQUEEZE procedure implemented in the PLATON package.<sup>S3</sup> The resulting new files were used to further refine the structures. The compositions of the three Ln-POMs were based on the elemental analyses, thermogravimetric analyses (TGA) and single crystal structures. The four lattice DMF molecules were added to account for the formulae in the cif files. The poor crystal data suggest that only the gross connectivities and partial structures were obtained. The relative high Flack parameter for Tb-POM suggests that the crystal is

partially twined.

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### Figures



Fig. S1. PXRD for La-POM.



Fig. S2. PXRD for Eu-POM.



Fig. S3. PXRD for Tb-POM.



Fig. S4. PXRD for La<sub>1-x</sub>Eu<sub>x</sub>-POM.



Fig. S5. PXRD for La<sub>1-x</sub>Tb<sub>x</sub>-POM.



Fig. S6. PXRD for Eu<sub>x</sub>Tb<sub>1-x</sub>-POM.



Fig. S7. TGA curve for La-POM.



Fig. S8. TGA curve for Eu-POM.



Fig. S9. TGA curve for Tb-POM.



Fig. S10. IR spectrum of La-POM.



Fig. S11. IR spectrum of Eu-POM.



Fig. S12. IR spectrum of Tb-POM.

## Tables

Bond length	(Å)	Bond angle	$\binom{0}{}$	Bond angle	( <sup>0</sup> )
W(1)-O(2)	1.712(16)	O(2)-W(1)-O(5)	100.4(7)	$O(7)^{iii}-W(3)-O(8)$	89.0(5)
W(1)-O(5)	1.833(12)	O(2)-W(1)-O(10)	101.2(7)	O(9)-W(3)-O(8)	73.8(5)
W(1)-O(10)	1.899(13)	O(5)-W(1)-O(10)	91.4(6)	O(5)-W(3)-O(8)	71.7(5)
W(1)-O(1)	1.938(14)	O(2)-W(1)-O(1)	97.1(7)	$O(13)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(13)	94.3(13)
W(1)-O(7)	1.957(14)	O(5)-W(1)-O(1)	91.1(6)	$O(13)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(12) <sup>iv</sup>	138.9(7)
W(1)-O(8)	2.175(13)	O(10)-W(1)-O(1)	160.8(6)	O(13)-La(1)-O(12) <sup>iv</sup>	72.4(8)
W(2)-O(4)	1.715(15)	O(2)-W(1)-O(7)	100.6(7)	$O(12)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(12)	141.3(10)
W(2)-O(9)	1.924(15)	O(5)-W(1)-O(7)	158.9(6)	$O(13)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(3)	132.9(6)
W(2)-O(1)	1.940(14)	O(10)-W(1)-O(7)	83.6(5)	$O(12)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(3)	70.6(5)
$W(2)-O(10)^{i}$	1.945(12)	O(1)-W(1)-O(7)	87.2(6)	$O(13)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(11)	139.4(7)
W(2)-O(6)	2.018(14)	O(2)-W(1)-O(8)	169.3(6)	O(13)-La(1)-O(11)	77.2(7)
W(2)-O(8)	2.190(13)	O(5)-W(1)-O(8)	73.2(5)	$O(12)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(11)	76.6(6)
W(3)-O(11)	1.735(15)	O(10)-W(1)-O(8)	87.8(5)	O(12)-La(1)-O(11)	88.2(6)
$W(3)-O(6)^{ii}$	1.827(14)	O(1)-W(1)-O(8)	74.7(6)	O(3)-La(1)-O(11)	66.7(3)
$W(3)-O(7)^{iii}$	1.871(14)	O(7)-W(1)-O(8)	86.1(5)	O(11)-La(1)-O(11) <sup>iv</sup>	133.4(6)
W(3)-O(9)	1.982(12)	O(4)-W(2)-O(9)	98.8(6)	$O(13)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(14)	72.1(8)
W(3)-O(5)	1.984(13)	O(4)-W(2)-O(1)	99.4(7)	O(13)-La(1)-O(14)	68.0(9)
W(3)-O(8)	2.119(12)	O(9)-W(2)-O(1)	91.5(6)	$O(12)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(14)	131.2(7)
$La(1)-O(13)^{iv}$	2.50(3)	$O(4)-W(2)-O(10)^{i}$	100.4(6)	O(12)-La(1)-O(14)	70.9(7)
$La(1)-O(12)^{iv}$	2.50(2)	$O(9)-W(2)-O(10)^{i}$	160.3(5)	O(3)-La(1)-O(14)	120.1(5)
La(1)-O(3)	2.55(3)	$O(1)-W(2)-O(10)^{i}$	90.0(6)	O(11)-La(1)-O(14)	67.9(6)
$La(1)-O(11)^{iv}$	2.558(14)	O(4)-W(2)-O(6)	100.2(6)	$O(11)^{iv}$ -La(1)-O(14)	140.6(6)
$La(1)-O(14)^{iv}$	2.64(2)	O(9)-W(2)-O(6)	87.9(6)	O(14)-La(1)-O(14) <sup>iv</sup>	119.9(11)
Zn(1)-O(8)	1.883(12)	O(1)-W(2)-O(6)	160.3(6)	$O(8)^{iii}$ -Zn(1)-O(8) <sup>ii</sup>	109.4(4)
		$O(10)^{i}-W(2)-O(6)$	84.2(6)	$O(8)^{ii}$ -Zn(1)-O(8)	109.5(7)
		O(4)-W(2)-O(8)	169.5(6)	$O(8)^{ii}$ -Zn(1)-O(8) <sup>i</sup>	109.4(4)
		O(9)-W(2)-O(8)	73.3(4)	O(8)-Zn(1)-O(8) <sup>1</sup>	109.4(3)
		O(1)-W(2)-O(8)	74.3(6)	W(1)-O(1)-W(2)	114.4(8)
		$O(10)^{i}-W(2)-O(8)$	88.2(5)	W(1)-O(5)-W(3)	116.5(7)
		O(6)-W(2)-O(8)	86.7(5)	$W(3)^{n}$ -O(6)-W(2)	149.0(7)
		$O(11)-W(3)-O(6)^{n}_{}$	101.3(6)	$W(3)^{1}-O(7)-W(1)$	151.8(7)
		$O(11)-W(3)-O(7)^{m}$	103.5(6)	Zn(1)-O(8)-W(3)	118.5(6)
		$O(6)^{n}-W(3)-O(7)^{m}$	89.0(6)	Zn(1)-O(8)-W(1)	120.3(5)
		O(11)-W(3)-O(9)	93.9(6)	W(3)-O(8)-W(1)	98.3(5)
		$O(6)^{n}-W(3)-O(9)$	88.8(6)	Zn(1)-O(8)-W(2)	119.5(7)
		$O(7)^{iii}-W(3)-O(9)$	162.6(5)	W(3)-O(8)-W(2)	98.9(4)
		O(11)-W(3)-O(5)	96.2(6)	W(1)-O(8)-W(2)	96.6(5)
		$O(6)^{ii} - W(3) - O(5)$	162.3(5)	W(2)-O(9)-W(3)	113.9(5)
		$O(7)^{iii}-W(3)-O(5)$	90.2(6)	$W(1)-O(10)-W(2)^{iii}$	154.7(8)
		O(9)-W(3)-O(5)	86.8(6)	W(3)-O(11)-La(1)	162.0(8)
		O(11)-W(3)-O(8)	162.9(6)	C(4)-O(12)-La(1)	135.4(19)
		$O(6)^{n}-W(3)-O(8)$	90.6(5)	C(1)-O(14)-La(1)	127(2)

Table S1. Selected bond lengths (Å) and angles (°) for La-POM.

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms: i) -y+1/2, x+1/2, -z+3/2; ii) -x, -y+1, z;

Bond length	(Å)	Bond angle	$(^{0})$	Bond angle	(°)
W(1)-O(2)	1.751(13)	O(2)-W(1)-O(1)	101.2(5)	O(7)-W(3)-O(6)	73.6(4)
W(1)-O(1)	1.820(11)	O(2)-W(1)-O(8)	103.4(5)	$O(10)^{ii}-W(3)-O(6)$	87.8(4)
W(1)-O(8)	1.862(10)	O(1)-W(1)-O(8)	89.1(5)	O(9)-W(3)-O(6)	73.9(4)
W(1)-O(11)	1.991(10)	O(2)-W(1)-O(11)	93.6(5)	$O(8)^{iii}-W(3)-O(6)$	87.2(4)
W(1)-O(7)	2.010(11)	O(1)-W(1)-O(11)	88.0(5)	$O(5)-Eu(1)-O(5)^{iv}$	145.4(8)
W(1)-O(6)	2.097(9)	O(8)-W(1)-O(11)	163.0(4)	O(5)-Eu(1)-O(2)	89.5(5)
W(2)-O(3)	1.661(12)	O(2)-W(1)-O(7)	96.5(6)	$O(5)^{iv}$ -Eu(1)-O(2)	76.9(4)
W(2)-O(11)	1.910(11)	O(1)-W(1)-O(7)	162.2(5)	$O(2)-Eu(1)-O(2)^{iv}$	133.2(6)
W(2)-O(9)	1.918(12)	O(8)-W(1)-O(7)	89.6(5)	O(5)-Eu(1)-O(14)	138.2(8)
W(2)-O(10)	1.924(10)	O(11)-W(1)-O(7)	88.1(5)	$O(5)^{iv}$ -Eu(1)-O(14)	69.7(9)
$W(2)-O(1)^{i}$	2.015(11)	O(2)-W(1)-O(6)	162.4(5)	O(2)-Eu(1)-O(14)	76.8(8)
W(2)-O(6)	2.174(9)	O(1)-W(1)-O(6)	90.2(4)	$O(2)^{iv}$ -Eu(1)-O(14)	139.6(6)
W(3)-O(12)	1.711(13)	O(8)-W(1)-O(6)	90.0(4)	O(14)-Eu(1)-O(14) <sup>iv</sup>	95.7(17)
W(3)-O(7)	1.820(14)	O(11)-W(1)-O(6)	73.3(4)	O(5)-Eu(1)-O(13)	72.7(4)
$W(3)-O(10)^{ii}$	1.905(11)	O(7)-W(1)-O(6)	72.0(5)	O(2)-Eu(1)-O(13)	66.6(3)
W(3)-O(9)	1.952(11)	O(3)-W(2)-O(11)	98.0(5)	O(14)-Eu(1)-O(13)	132.2(8)
$W(3)-O(8)^{iii}$	1.969(10)	O(3)-W(2)-O(9)	99.0(5)	O(5)-Eu(1)-O(4)	70.0(7)
W(3)-O(6)	2.179(9)	O(11)-W(2)-O(9)	92.3(5)	$O(5)^{iv}$ -Eu(1)-O(4)	130.4(7)
$Eu(1)-O(5)^{iv}$	2.505(13)	O(3)-W(2)-O(10)	101.4(6)	O(2)-Eu(1)-O(4)	69.1(5)
Eu(1)-O(2)	2.533(13)	O(11)-W(2)-O(10)	159.6(4)	$O(2)^{iv}$ -Eu(1)-O(4)	140.1(6)
Eu(1)-O(14)	2.56(3)	O(9)-W(2)-O(10)	90.5(5)	O(14)-Eu(1)-O(4)	68.2(9)
Eu(1)-O(13)	2.58(2)	$O(3)-W(2)-O(1)^{i}$	100.6(5)	$O(14)^{iv}$ -Eu(1)-O(4)	71.3(7)
Eu(1)-O(4)	2.584(19)	$O(11)-W(2)-O(1)^{i}$	87.2(4)	O(13)-Eu(1)-O(4)	121.1(4)
Zn(1)-O(6)	1.898(8)	$O(9)-W(2)-O(1)^{i}$	160.2(4)	$O(4)-Eu(1)-O(4)^{iv}$	117.9(8)
., .,		$O(10)-W(2)-O(1)^{i}$	83.5(5)	$O(6)^{ii}$ -Zn(1)-O(6) <sup>iii</sup>	108.3(5)
		O(3)-W(2)-O(6)	168.6(5)	$O(6)^{ii}$ -Zn(1)-O(6)	110.0(3)
		O(11)-W(2)-O(6)	73.1(4)	$W(1)-O(1)-W(2)^{i}$	149.3(6)
		O(9)-W(2)-O(6)	74.6(4)	W(1)-O(2)-Eu(1)	162.3(7)
		O(10)-W(2)-O(6)	88.3(4)	C(1)-O(4)-Eu(1)	127.3(18)
		$O(1)^{i}-W(2)-O(6)$	86.3(4)	C(4)-O(5)-Eu(1)	134.5(13)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(7)	98.7(6)	Zn(1)-O(6)-W(1)	118.6(5)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(10) <sup>ii</sup>	101.8(6)	Zn(1)-O(6)-W(2)	119.4(5)
		O(7)-W(3)-O(10) <sup>ii</sup>	91.7(5)	W(1)-O(6)-W(2)	99.8(3)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(9)	97.6(6)	Zn(1)-O(6)-W(3)	119.1(4)
		O(7)-W(3)-O(9)	91.7(5)	W(1)-O(6)-W(3)	98.6(4)
		$O(10)^{ii}-W(3)-O(9)$	159.6(5)	W(2)-O(6)-W(3)	96.9(4)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(8) <sup>iii</sup>	101.1(6)	W(3)-O(7)-W(1)	115.6(7)
		O(7)-W(3)-O(8) <sup>iii</sup>	160.2(5)	$W(1)-O(8)-W(3)^{ii}$	151.2(6)
		$O(10)^{ii}-W(3)-O(8)^{iii}$	82.6(4)	W(2)-O(9)-W(3)	114.6(6)
		O(9)-W(3)-O(8) <sup>iii</sup>	87.4(5)	$W(3)^{iii}-O(10)-W(2)$	156.5(7)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(6)	168.0(5)	W(2)-O(11)-W(1)	113.8(4)

**Table S2**. Selected bond lengths  $(\text{\AA})$  and angles  $(^{\circ})$  for **Eu-POM**.

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms: i) -x+2, -y, z; ii) -y+1, x-1, -z; iii) y+1,

-x+1, -z; iv) x, -y+1/2, -z+1/4.

Bond length	(Å)	Bond angle	$\binom{0}{}$	Bond angle	(°)
W(1)-O(2)	1.65(4)	O(2)-W(1)-O(1)	105.0(12)	$O(10)^{ii}-W(3)-O(6)$	86.3(8)
W(1)-O(1)	1.92(3)	O(2)-W(1)-O(8)	102.4(12)	O(7)-W(3)-O(6)	74.1(7)
W(1)-O(8)	1.93(3)	O(1)-W(1)-O(8)	88.1(10)	O(9)-W(3)-O(6)	74.7(11)
W(1)-O(7)	1.988(17)	O(2)-W(1)-O(7)	93.4(13)	$O(8)^{iii}-W(3)-O(6)$	86.3(7)
W(1)-O(11)	2.03(2)	O(1)-W(1)-O(7)	161.6(8)	$O(5)^{iv}-Tb(1)-O(5)$	141.5(18)
W(1)-O(6)	2.075(17)	O(8)-W(1)-O(7)	88.6(10)	$O(5)^{iv}$ -Tb(1)-O(4)	133.7(11)
W(2)-O(11)	1.78(3)	O(2)-W(1)-O(11)	98.8(14)	O(5)-Tb(1)-O(4)	74.4(9)
W(2)-O(3)	1.78(2)	O(1)-W(1)-O(11)	87.8(7)	O(4)-Tb(1)-O(4) <sup>iv</sup>	100.3(14)
$W(2)-O(1)^{i}$	1.87(3)	O(8)-W(1)-O(11)	158.8(10)	$O(5)^{iv}$ -Tb(1)-O(14) <sup>iv</sup>	137(2)
W(2)-O(9)	1.95(3)	O(7)-W(1)-O(11)	88.8(8)	$O(5)-Tb(1)-O(14)^{iv}$	72(2)
W(2)-O(10)	1.98(2)	O(2)-W(1)-O(6)	164.3(12)	$O(4)-Tb(1)-O(14)^{iv}$	68.7(19)
W(2)-O(6)	2.20(2)	O(1)-W(1)-O(6)	86.6(6)	O(4)-Tb(1)-O(14)	64(2)
W(3)-O(12)	1.59(3)	O(8)-W(1)-O(6)	88.3(7)	$O(14)^{iv}$ -Tb(1)-O(14)	103(3)
$W(3)-O(10)^{ii}$	1.86(2)	O(7)-W(1)-O(6)	75.2(8)	O(5)-Tb(1)-O(13)	70.7(9)
W(3)-O(7)	1.90(2)	O(11)-W(1)-O(6)	70.7(9)	O(4)-Tb(1)-O(13)	129.9(7)
W(3)-O(9)	1.91(3)	O(11)-W(2)-O(3)	96.8(11)	O(14)-Tb(1)-O(13)	128.7(13)
$W(3)-O(8)^{iii}$	1.92(3)	$O(11)-W(2)-O(1)^{i}$	87.4(8)	$O(5)^{iv}$ -Tb(1)-O(2) <sup>iv</sup>	82.0(10)
W(3)-O(6)	2.199(15)	$O(3)-W(2)-O(1)^{i}$	99.7(9)	$O(5)-Tb(1)-O(2)^{iv}$	82.9(10)
$Tb(1)-O(5)^{iv}$	2.26(3)	O(11)-W(2)-O(9)	95.3(12)	$O(4)-Tb(1)-O(2)^{iv}$	141.9(10)
Tb(1)-O(4)	2.40(3)	O(3)-W(2)-O(9)	103.7(12)	$O(4)^{iv}$ -Tb(1)-O(2) <sup>iv</sup>	73.9(12)
Tb(1)-O(14)	2.42(6)	$O(1)^{i}-W(2)-O(9)$	156.0(9)	$O(14)^{iv}$ -Tb(1)-O(2) <sup>iv</sup>	75.3(17)
Tb(1)-O(13)	2.45(5)	O(11)-W(2)-O(10)	157.2(8)	$O(14)-Tb(1)-O(2)^{iv}$	139(2)
Tb(1)-O(2)	2.47(3)	O(3)-W(2)-O(10)	104.0(11)	O(13)-Tb(1)-O(2)	66.6(8)
Zn(1)-O(6)	1.881(14)	$O(1)^{i}-W(2)-O(10)$	80.0(7)	$O(2)^{iv}$ -Tb(1)-O(2)	133.2(16)
., .,		O(9)-W(2)-O(10)	88.9(11)	$O(6)-Zn(1)-O(6)^{i}$	107.7(8)
		O(11)-W(2)-O(6)	72.4(7)	$O(6)-Zn(1)-O(6)^{ii}$	110.3(4)
		O(3)-W(2)-O(6)	168.5(10)	$W(2)^{i}-O(1)-W(1)$	155.9(8)
		$O(1)^{i}-W(2)-O(6)$	84.1(6)	W(1)-O(2)-Tb(1)	164.7(19)
		O(9)-W(2)-O(6)	74.1(10)	C(1)-O(4)-Tb(1)	116.7(19)
		O(10)-W(2)-O(6)	87.3(7)	C(4)-O(5)-Tb(1)	144(2)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(10) <sup>ii</sup>	100.4(10)	Zn(1)-O(6)-W(1)	120.3(10)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(7)	87.8(11)	Zn(1)-O(6)-W(3)	119.1(6)
		$O(10)^{ii}-W(3)-O(7)$	93.1(8)	W(1)-O(6)-W(3)	98.1(7)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(9)	101.4(13)	Zn(1)-O(6)-W(2)	119.1(10)
		$O(10)^{ii}-W(3)-O(9)$	157.5(12)	W(1)-O(6)-W(2)	99.5(5)
		O(7)-W(3)-O(9)	93.2(9)	W(3)-O(6)-W(2)	95.8(7)
		$O(12)-W(3)-O(8)^{iii}$	111.8(11)	W(3)-O(7)-W(1)	112.4(10)
		$O(10)^{ii}-W(3)-O(8)^{iii}$	84.7(9)	$W(3)^{ii}-O(8)-W(1)$	147.5(15)
		O(7)-W(3)-O(8) <sup>iii</sup>	160.4(7)	W(3)-O(9)-W(2)	115.4(16)
		O(9)-W(3)-O(8) <sup>iii</sup>	82.2(13)	$W(3)^{iii}-O(10)-W(2)$	159.0(12)
		O(12)-W(3)-O(6)	161.1(10)	W(2)-O(11)-W(1)	117.4(10)

**Table S3**. Selected bond lengths (Å) and angles (°) for **Tb-POM**.

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms: i) -x, -y+1, z; ii) -y+1/2, x+1/2, -z+1/2;

iii) y-1/2, -x+1/2, -z+1/2; iv) x, -y+1/2, -z+1/4.

Samples	La <sub>1-x</sub> Eu <sub>x</sub> -POM	La <sub>1-x</sub> Tb <sub>x</sub> -POM	Eu <sub>x</sub> Tb <sub>1-x</sub> -POM
x=0.25	(0.612, 0.328)	(0.273, 0.424)	(0.452, 0.323)
x=0.5	(0.617, 0.330)	(0.278, 0.465)	(0.395, 0.326)
0.75	(0.625, 0.222)	(0.000, 0.505)	(0,240,0,260)
x=0.75	(0.635, 0.333)	(0.289, 0.505)	(0.342, 0.362)
x=1	(0.632, 0.333)	(0.292, 0.517)	(0.632, 0.333)
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Table S4. Luminescent color coordinates of Ln-POMs.

Table S5. ICP-MS analysis for Ln-POMs.

х	La <sub>1-x</sub> Eu <sub>x</sub> -POM La : Eu	La <sub>1-x</sub> Tb <sub>x</sub> -POM La : Tb	Eu <sub>x</sub> Tb <sub>1-x</sub> -POM Eu : Tb
x = 0.25	0.73 : 0.27	0.74 : 0.26	0.28:0.72
x = 0.5	0.46 : 0.54	0.47 : 0.53	0.49 : 0.51
x = 0.75	0.24 : 0.76	0.27 : 0.73	0.74 : 0.26