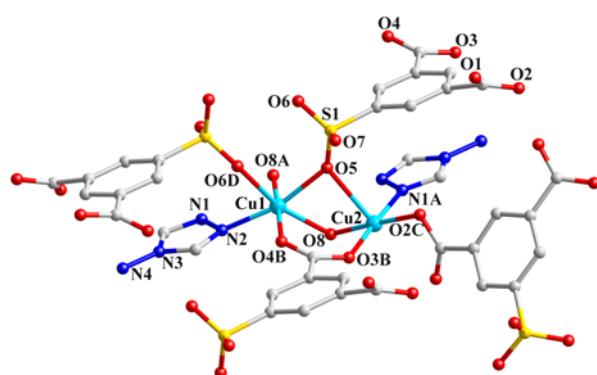


Electronic supplementary information

**Structural diversity directed by switchable coordination of substitute groups in a ternary Cu<sup>II</sup>-triazole-sulfoisophthalate self-assembly system: Synthesis, crystal structures and magnetic behavior**

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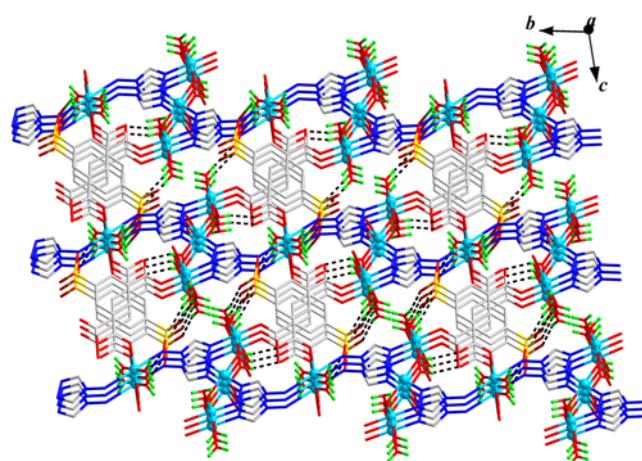


**Fig. S1** Local coordination environments of Cu<sup>II</sup> ions in **1** (H atoms were omitted for clarity, symmetry codes: A =  $-x, 1 - y, 2 - z$ ; B =  $x, y - 1, z$ ; C =  $-x, y - 0.5, 1.5 - z$ ; D =  $1 - x, 1 - y, 2 - z$ ).

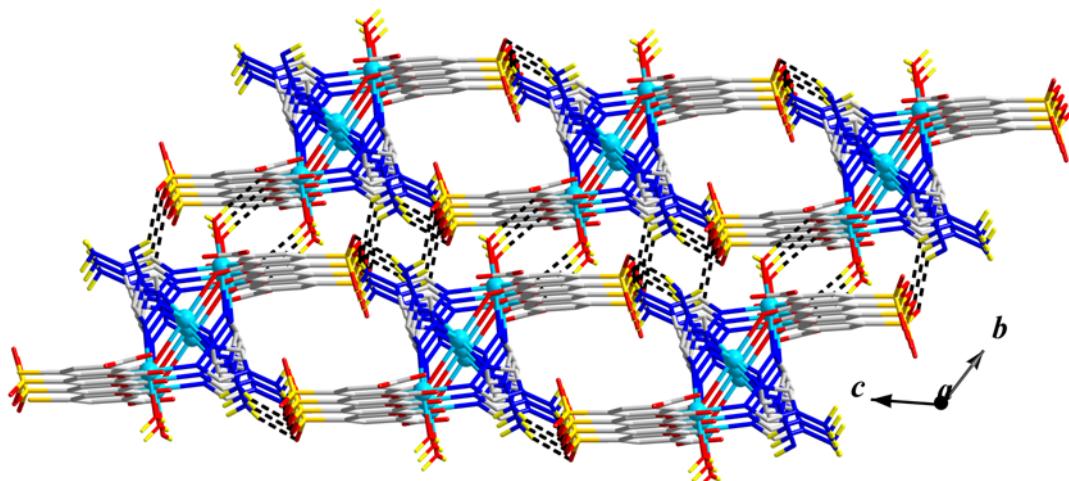
**Table S1.** Hydrogen-bonding parameters ( $\text{\AA}$ ,  $^\circ$ ) for **2–4**

D–H…A	<i>d</i> (D–H)	<i>d</i> (H…A)	<i>d</i> (D…A)	$\angle$ DHA
<b>2</b>				
O9–H9A… O2 <sup>a</sup>	0.84	1.877	2.702	166.86
O9–H9B… O7 <sup>b</sup>	0.84	1.977	2.716	146.14
O10–H10A…O6 <sup>c</sup>	0.84	1.907	2.720	162.65
O11–H11A… O4 <sup>c</sup>	0.88	1.930	2.755	155.53
O12–H12B… O11 <sup>d</sup>	0.84	2.208	2.998	155.67
<b>3</b>				
O(8)–H(8A)…O(2) <sup>a</sup>	0.85	1.857	2.704	174.82
N(4)–H(4'')…O(5) <sup>b</sup>	0.90	2.294	3.175	166.49
N(4)–H(4') …O(6) <sup>c</sup>	0.90	2.280	2.945	130.64
N(8)–H(8')…O(6) <sup>d</sup>	0.90	2.103	2.957	158.19
<b>4</b>				
N(8)–H(8A)…O(5) <sup>a</sup>	0.89	2.116	3.000	172.35
O(15)–H(15B)…O(9) <sup>b</sup>	0.85	2.001	2.754	147.02

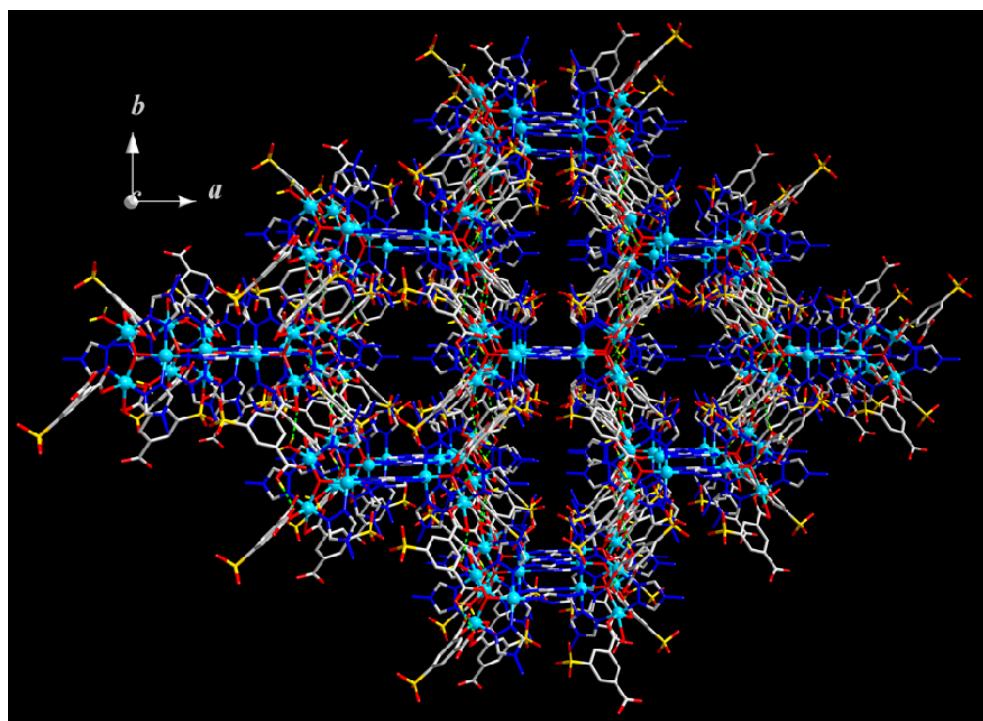
Symmetry codes for **2**: <sup>a</sup> 1 –  $x$ , 1 –  $y$ , – $z$ ; <sup>b</sup>  $x$  – 1, 1 +  $y$ ,  $z$ ; <sup>c</sup> 2 –  $x$ , 1 –  $y$ , – $z$ ; <sup>d</sup>  $x$  – 1,  $y$ ,  $z$ . For **3**: <sup>a</sup> 1 –  $x$ , 1 –  $y$ , 1 –  $z$ ; <sup>b</sup> – $x$ , – $y$ , – $z$ ; <sup>c</sup>  $x$  – 1,  $y$  – 1,  $z$ ; <sup>d</sup>  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $z$  + 1. for **4**: <sup>a</sup> 1/2 –  $x$ ,  $y$  – 1/2,  $z$  – 1/2; <sup>b</sup> 1/2 –  $x$ ,  $y$  + 1/2, 1/2 –  $z$ .



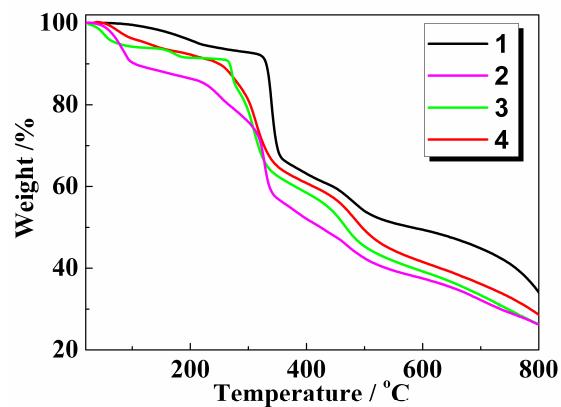
**Fig. S2** 3D supramolecular network of **2** by non-covalent O–H…O interactions.



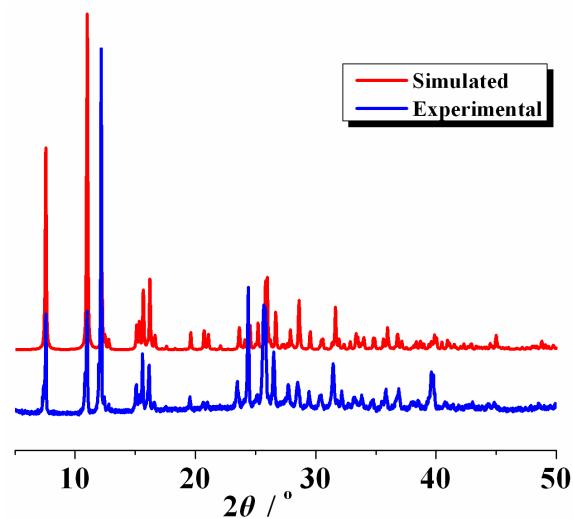
**Fig. S3** 3D supramolecular aggregate of **3** by inter-molecular O–H···O and N–H···O hydrogen-bonding interactions.



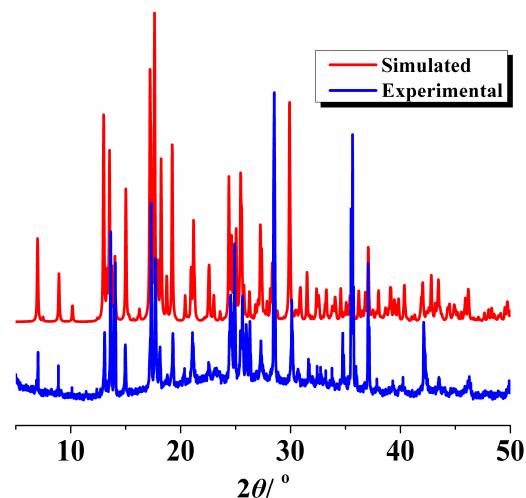
**Fig. S4** 3D supramolecular architecture of **4** by inter-molecular hydrogen-bonding interactions.



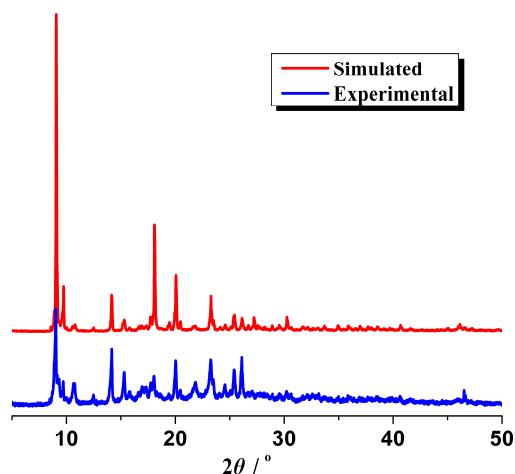
**Fig. S5** TG curves for complexes **1–4**.



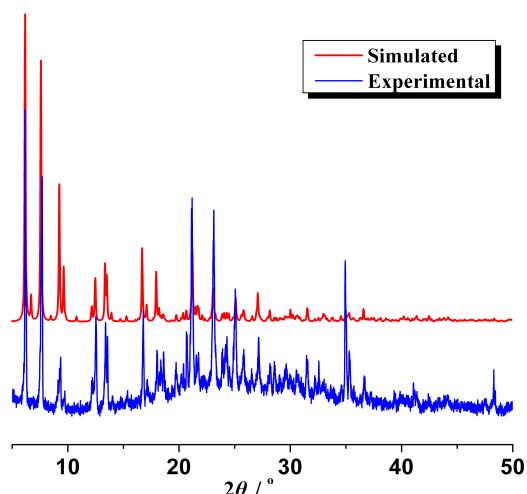
**Fig. S6** Simulated (red) and experimental (blue) X-ray powder diffraction patterns for **1**.



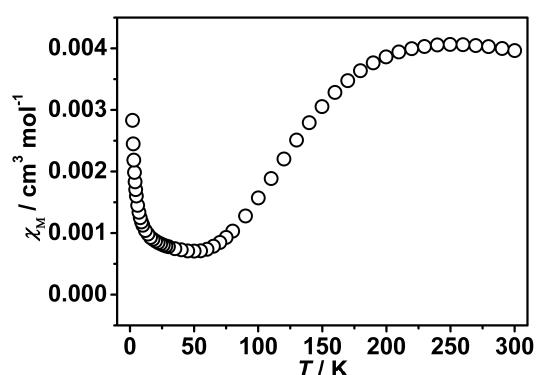
**Fig. S7** Simulated (red) and experimental (blue) X-ray powder diffraction patterns for **2**.



**Fig. S8** Simulated (red) and experimental (blue) X-ray powder diffraction patterns for **3**.



**Fig. S9** Simulated (red) and experimental (blue) X-ray powder diffraction patterns for **4**.



**Fig. S10** Temperature dependence of  $\chi_M$  for **1**.

## Fitting equations for magnetic data

For 1

$$\chi_M T = \chi_{Cu_4^{II}} T / [1 - (zJ' \chi_{Cu_4^{II}} / Ng^2 \beta^2)]$$

$$\chi_{Cu_4^{II}} = \frac{2Ng^2 \beta^2}{kT} \left( \frac{A}{B} \right)$$

$$A = 5\exp(-E_1/kT) + \exp(-E_2/kT) + \exp(-E_3/kT) + \exp(-E_4/kT)$$

$$B = 5\exp(-E_1/kT) + 3\exp(-E_2/kT) + 3\exp(-E_3/kT) + 3\exp(-E_4/kT) + \exp(-E_5/kT) + \exp(-E_6/kT)$$

$$E_1 = -J_1 - J_2/2 - J_3$$

$$E_2 = J_1 - J_2/2 + J_3$$

$$E_3 = J_2/2 + [J_2^2 + (J_3 - J_1)^2]^{1/2}$$

$$E_4 = J_2/2 - [J_2^2 + (J_3 - J_1)^2]^{1/2}$$

$$E_5 = J_1 + J_3 + J_2/2 + [4(J_1^2 + J_3^2) + J_2^2 - 4J_1J_3 - 2J_2J_3 - 2J_1J_2]^{1/2}$$

$$E_6 = J_1 + J_3 + J_2/2 - [4(J_1^2 + J_3^2) + J_2^2 - 4J_1J_3 - 2J_2J_3 - 2J_1J_2]^{1/2}$$

For 2

$$\chi_{Cu_3^{II} + Cu_1^{II}} = \frac{Ng^2 \beta^2}{4kT} \left( \frac{1 + e^{-2J/kT} + 10e^{J/kT}}{1 + e^{-2J/kT} + 2e^{J/kT}} \right) + S(S+1) \frac{Ng^2 \beta^2}{3kT}$$

$$\chi_M T = \chi_{Cu_3^{II} + Cu_1^{II}} T / [1 - (zJ' \chi_{Cu_3^{II} + Cu_1^{II}} / Ng^2 \beta^2)]$$

For 3

$$\chi_{\text{linear } Cu_3^{II}} = \frac{Ng^2 \beta^2}{4kT} \left( \frac{1 + e^{-2J/kT} + 10e^{J/kT}}{1 + e^{-2J/kT} + 2e^{J/kT}} \right)$$

$$\chi_M T = \chi_{Cu_3^{II}} T / [1 - (zJ' \chi_{Cu_3^{II}} / Ng^2 \beta^2)]$$

For 4

$$\chi_{\text{triangular } Cu_3^{II}} = \frac{Ng^2 \beta^2}{4kT} \left( \frac{1 + 5e^{3J/kT}}{1 + e^{3J/kT}} \right)$$

$$\chi_M T = \chi_{Cu_3^{II}} T / [1 - (zJ' \chi_{Cu_3^{II}} / Ng^2 \beta^2)]$$