

Supporting Information

New amine-functionalized cobalt cluster-based frameworks with open metal sites and suitable pore sizes: multipoint interactions enhanced CO₂ sorption

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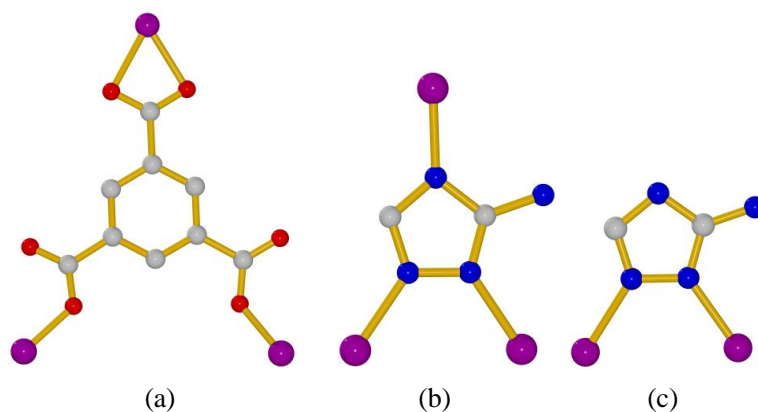


Figure S1. The coordination modes of the btc^{3-} (a), atz^- (b) and Hatz (c) in **1**.

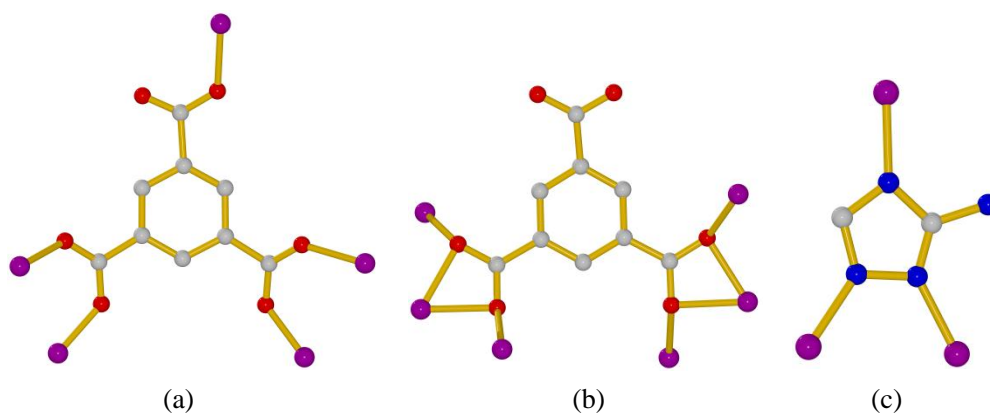
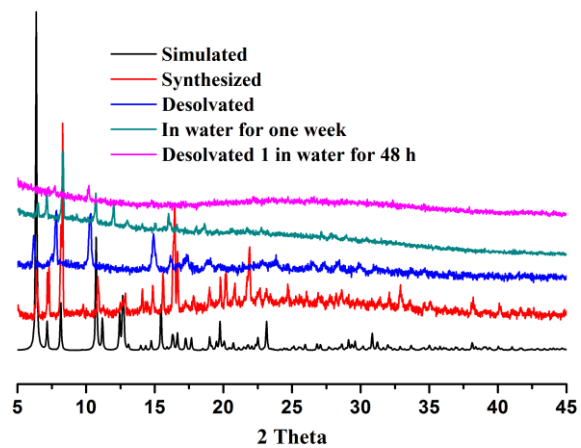
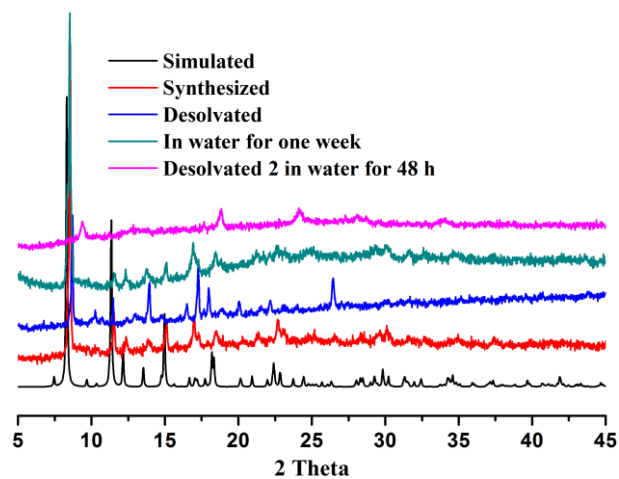


Figure S2. The coordination modes of the btc^{3-} (a), Hbtc^{2-} (b) and atz^- (c) in **2**.

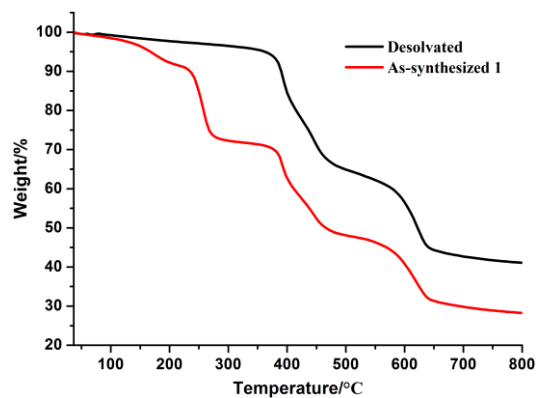


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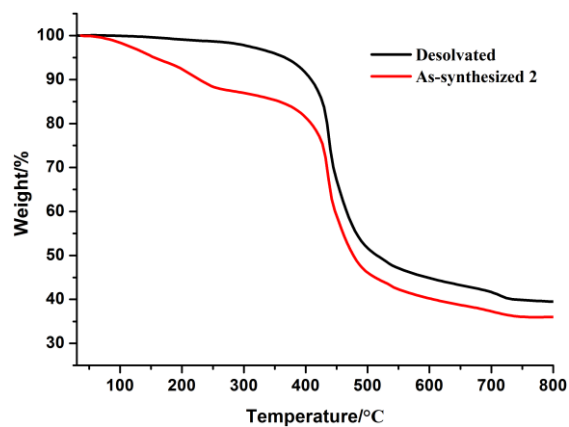


(b)

Figure S3. PXRD patterns of **1** (a) and **2** (b) after different treatments.

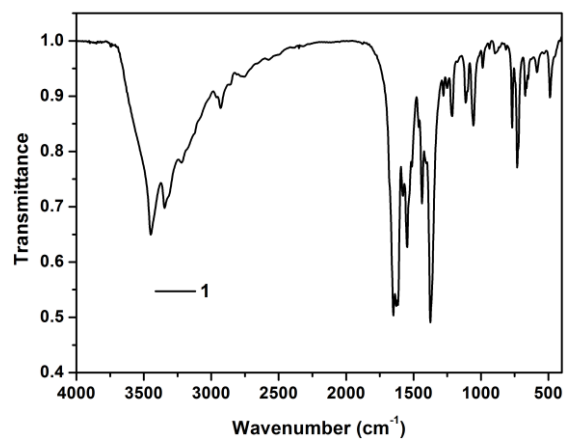


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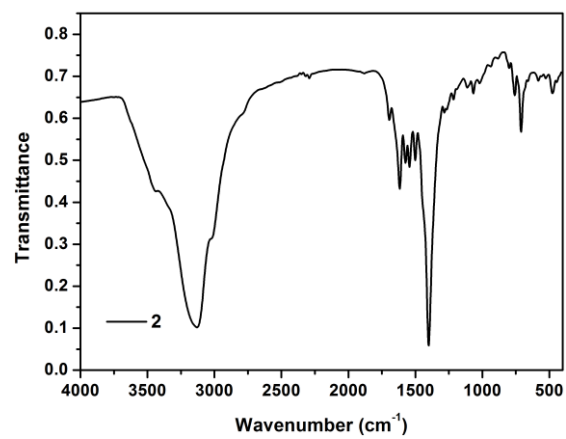


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Figure S4. TGA curves of **1** (a), **2** (b), desolvated **1** and **2**.



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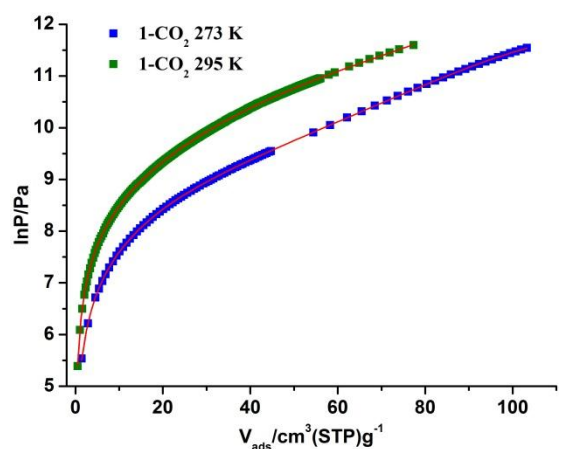
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Figure S5. IR spectra of **1**(a) and **2** (b).

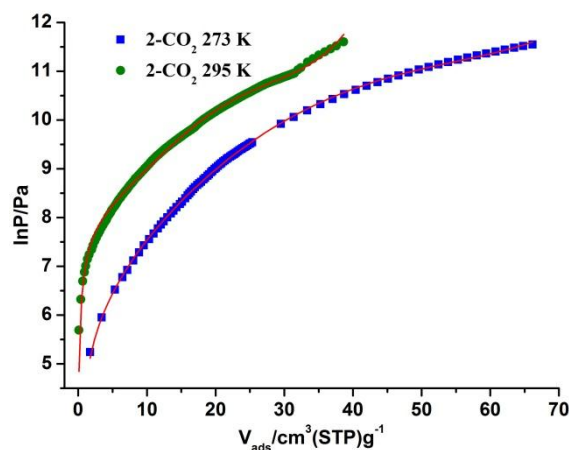
Calculation of sorption heat for CO₂ uptake using Virial 2 model

$$\ln P = \ln N + 1/T \sum_{i=0}^m aiN^i + \sum_{i=0}^n biN^i \quad Q_{st} = -R \sum_{i=0}^m aiN^i$$

The above equation was applied to fit the combined CO₂ isotherm data for desolvated **1** and **2** at 273 and 295 K, where P is the pressure, N is the adsorbed amount, T is the temperature, ai and bi are virial coefficients, and m and n are the number of coefficients used to describe the isotherms. Q_{st} is the coverage-dependent enthalpy of adsorption and R is the universal gas constant.



(a)



(b)

Figure S6. (a) CO₂ adsorption isotherms for desolvated **1** with fitting by Virial 2 model. Fitting results: $a_0 = -3595.44147$, $a_1 = 51.05360$, $a_2 = 7.89771$, $a_3 = 11.48727$, $a_4 = -8.60000 \times 10^{-6}$, $b_0 = 18.28262$, $b_1 = -0.16620$, $b_2 = -0.02931$, $b_3 = -0.04207$. $\chi^2 = 0.00003$, $R^2 = 0.99997$. (b) CO₂ adsorption isotherms for desolvated **2** with fitting by Virial 2 model. Fitting results: $a_0 = -3678.84498$, $a_1 = 53.10015$, $a_2 = 8.09084$, $a_3 = 11.47996$, $a_4 = 1.03215 \times 10^{-4}$, $b_0 = 17.9306$, $b_1 = -0.14128$, $b_2 = -0.02860$, $b_3 = -0.04210$. $\chi^2 = 0.00340$, $R^2 = 0.99718$.