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**Magnetocaloric Effect and Slow Magnetic Relaxation in Two Dense (3,12)-connected Lanthanide Complexes**

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## Experimental Section

### Materials and methods.

All chemicals were of reagent grade and used as purchased without further purification.

Elemental analyses were performed on a Perkin-Elmer 240C analyzer (Perkin-Elmer, USA). IR spectra were measured on a MAGNA-560 (Nicolet) FT-IR spectrometer with KBr pellets. Powder X-ray diffraction (PXRD) spectra were recorded on a Bruker D8 FOCUS diffractometer with a Cu-target tube and a graphite monochromator. Simulation of the PXRD spectra were carried out by the single-crystal data and diffraction-crystal module of the Mercury (Hg) program available free of charge *via* the Internet at <http://www.iucr.org>. The magnetic measurements were performed by using an MPMS XL-7 SQUID magnetometer. Diamagnetic corrections were estimated by using Pascal constants and background corrections by experimental measurement on sample holders.

### Synthesis of **1** and **2**

The ligand Hbms·HCl was prepared according to the method described in the literature.<sup>1</sup> The colorless single crystals of **1** and **2** were solvothermally synthesized under autogenous pressure. A mixture of Hbms·HCl (0.050 g, 0.25 mmol), Ln(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>·6H<sub>2</sub>O (0.175 g for **1**, 0.187 g for **2**), H<sub>2</sub>O (7 mL) and CH<sub>3</sub>OH (3 mL) was sealed in a Teflon-lined autoclave (20 mL) and heated to 140°C for 48 h then slowly cooled to 30°C in 24 h. Yield: ca. 25% and 15% with respect to Hbms·HCl for **1** and **2**, respectively.

Crystal data for **1**: Gd<sub>4</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>24</sub>S<sub>4</sub>, *M<sub>r</sub>* = 1153.34; Orthorhombic, *P*2<sub>1</sub>2<sub>1</sub>2<sub>1</sub>; *a* = 10.743(2) Å, *b* = 10.981(2) Å, *c* = 16.751(3) Å,  $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 90^\circ$ ; *V* = 1976.1(7) Å<sup>3</sup>; *Z* = 4; *D*<sub>calc</sub> = 3.877 g/cm<sup>3</sup>; *T* = 113(2) K.; Reflections collected/unique = 19551 / 4688, *R*<sub>int</sub> = 0.0386; *R*<sub>1</sub> = 0.0215, *wR*<sub>2</sub> = 0.0561 (*I* > 2*θ*(*I*)); *R*<sub>1</sub> = 0.0235, *wR*<sub>2</sub> = 0.0565 (all data) and *GOF* = 1.112; Elemental analysis (%): Calcd. for Gd<sub>4</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>24</sub>S<sub>4</sub> (1153.34): H 1.05; Found: H 1.22. IR (KBr pellets, cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3624(m), 3612(m),

3594(m), 3424(s), 2156(w), 1640(s), 1192(m), 1144(s), 1112(w), 1095(w), 1077(w), 1022(m), 744(w), 707(s), 611(s).

Crystal data for **2**: Dy<sub>4</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>23</sub>S<sub>4</sub>,  $M_r = 1156.32$ ; Orthorhombic,  $P2_12_12_1$ ;  $a = 10.278(2)$  Å,  $b = 10.761(2)$  Å,  $c = 16.613(3)$  Å,  $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 90^\circ$ ;  $V = 1837.4(6)$  Å<sup>3</sup>;  $Z = 4$ ;  $D_{\text{calc}} = 4.180$  g/cm<sup>3</sup>;  $T = 113(2)$  K.; Reflections collected/unique = 14990 / 3246,  $R_{\text{int}} = 0.1982$ ;  $R_1 = 0.0873$ ,  $wR_2 = 0.2018$  ( $I > 2\theta(I)$ );  $R_1 = 0.0891$ ,  $wR_2 = 0.2028$  (all data) and  $GOF = 1.060$ . Elemental analysis (%): Calcd. for Dy<sub>4</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>23</sub>S<sub>4</sub> (1156.32): H 0.87; Found: H 1.02. IR (KBr pellets, cm<sup>-1</sup>): 3608(m), 3589(m), 3504(w), 3424(s), 2176(w), 1624(s), 1205(w), 1145(s), 1122(w), 1101(w), 1040(w), 1022(w), 709(s), 633(w), 610(s).

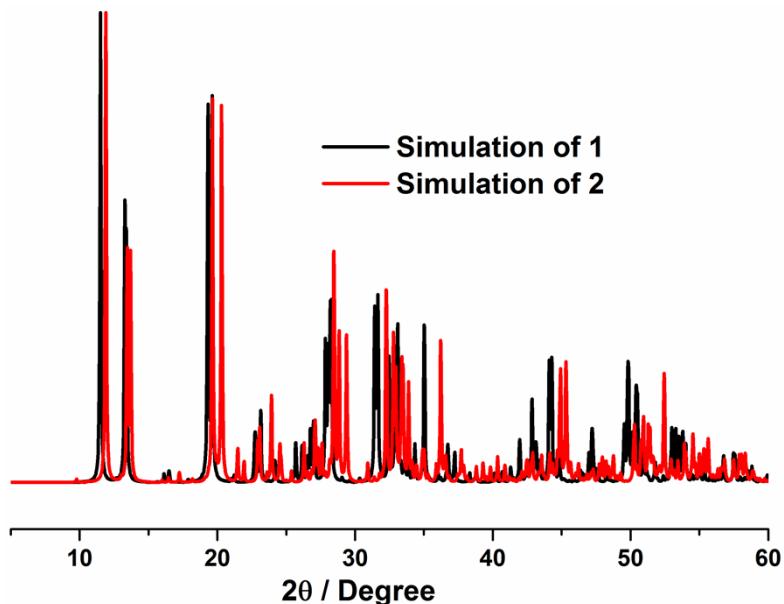
### Synthetic Discussion:

The *in situ* generated sulfate may be attributed to the oxidation of thiol under acid conditions in the presence of NO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>. The *in situ* transformation of thiol to sulfate have been documented in a recent publication.<sup>2</sup> The SO<sub>4</sub><sup>2-</sup> in **1** and **2** can also be confirmed by the IR characteristic peaks at about 1100 cm<sup>-1</sup> (Fig. S9). Similar lanthanide-sulfate frameworks (Ln = Y, Er) with differences only in terminal ligands of Gd<sup>III</sup> ions for **1** have been reported.<sup>3</sup> These complexes were prepared by the hydrothermal reactions of corresponding Ln<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, D-camphoric acid at 170 °C for 6 days. However, attempts to make the targeted lanthanide-sulfate frameworks (Ln = Gd, Dy) with this method were fruitless. We also attempted to introduce the sulfate directly to synthesize **1**, whereas, the product was [Gd<sub>2</sub>(SO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>3</sub>·8H<sub>2</sub>O]. Interestingly, although **1** and **2** are prepared under similar conditions, their structures show small differences in terminal ligands of one lanthanide ion. Due to the poor quality of the crystal of **2** (twinning), there are still some residual Q-peaks even if the framework of **2** was well resolved. We have also tried our best to optimize the quality of the crystal, but twining still exists. The structural difference of **1** and **2** could also be corroborated by the relatively obvious differences in the simulated PXRD plots of **1** and **2**.

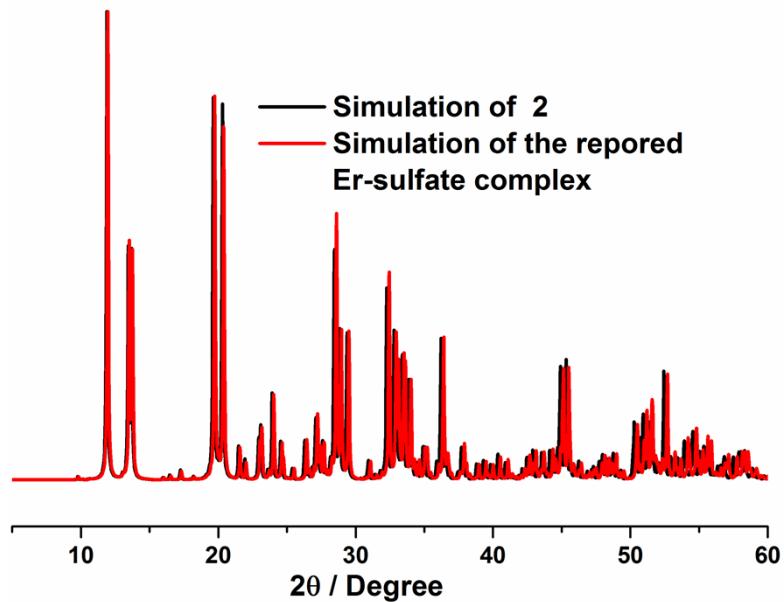
(Scheme S1). The simulated PXRD pattern of **2** shows beautiful agreement with the simulated PXRD pattern of the known lanthanide-sulfate frameworks ( $\text{Ln} = \text{Y}, \text{Er}$ ), indicating the isomorphism (Scheme S2).

### X-ray Crystallography.

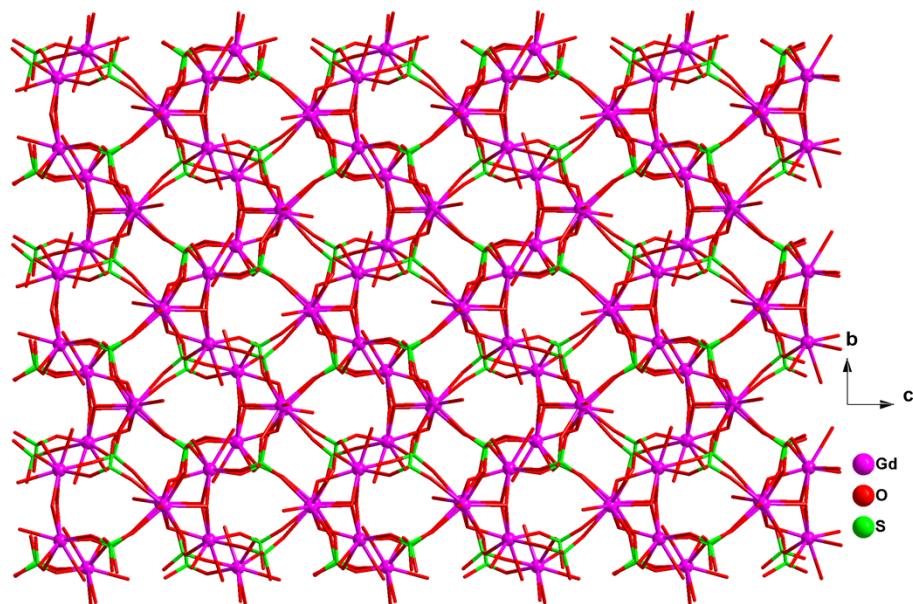
The crystallographic data of **1** and **2** were collected on a Rigaku MSC diffractometer at 113(2) K with Mo-K $\alpha$  radiation ( $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$ ). The program *CrystalClear* was used for integration of the diffraction profiles.<sup>4a</sup> The crystal data were solved by direct methods and refined by a full-matrix least-square method on  $F^2$  using the *SHELXL-97* crystallographic software package.<sup>4b,c</sup> Full crystallographic data for **1** and **2** have been deposited with the CCDC (981569-981570). These data can be obtained free of charge from The Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre *via* [www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data\\_request/cif](http://www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/data_request/cif).



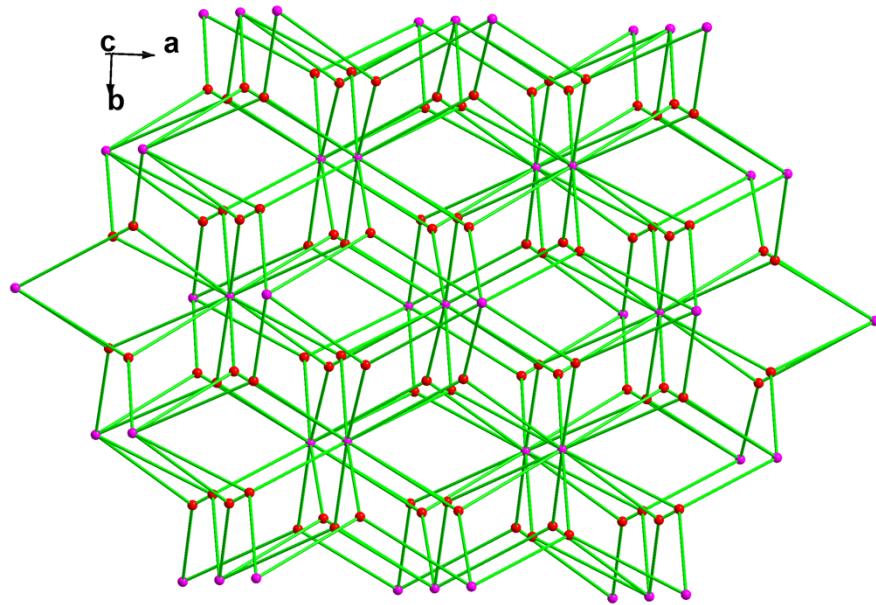
**Scheme S1** The simulated PXRD patterns of **1** and **2**.



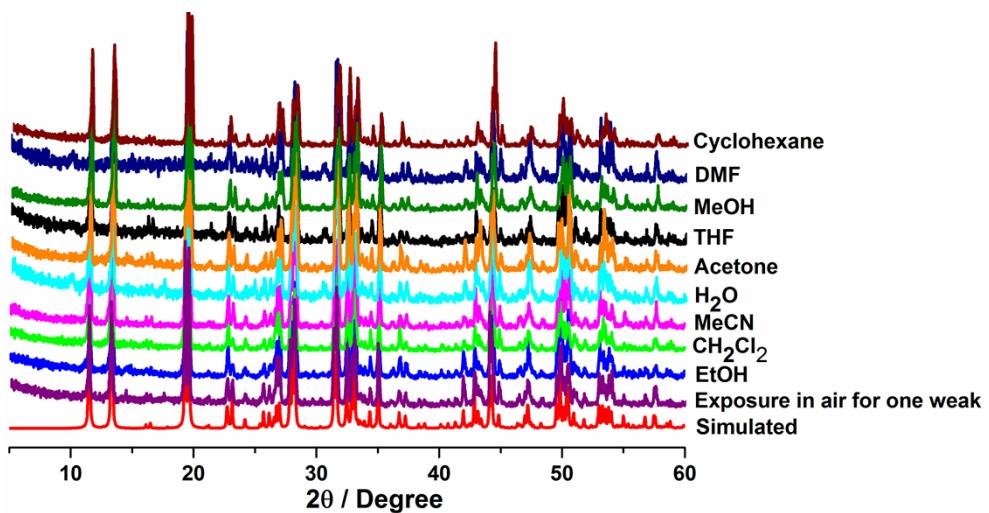
**Scheme S2** The simulated PXRD patterns of **2** and the reported Er-sulfate complex.



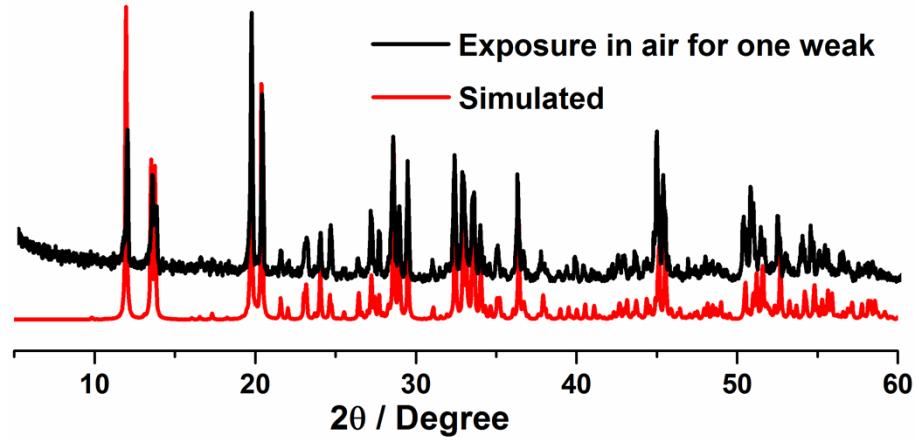
**Scheme S3** The 3D framework of **1** along the *a* axis.



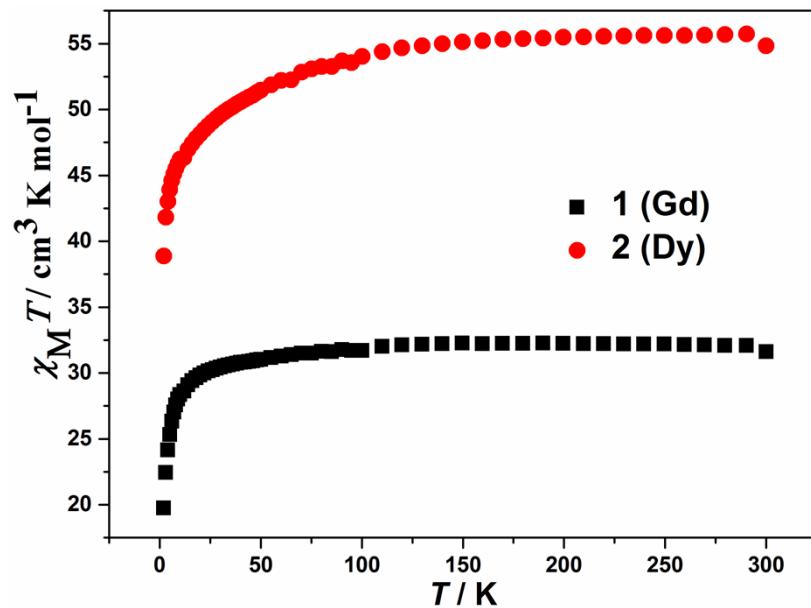
**Scheme S4** The (3,12)-connected topology of **1**.



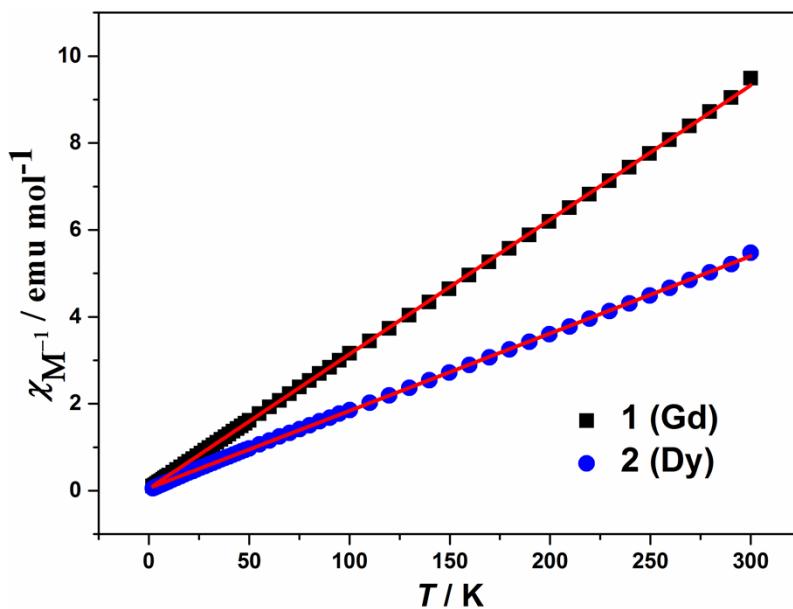
**Fig. S1** The simulated and experimental PXRD patterns of **1**, and **1** in different solvents.



**Fig. S2** PXRD patterns of **2**.

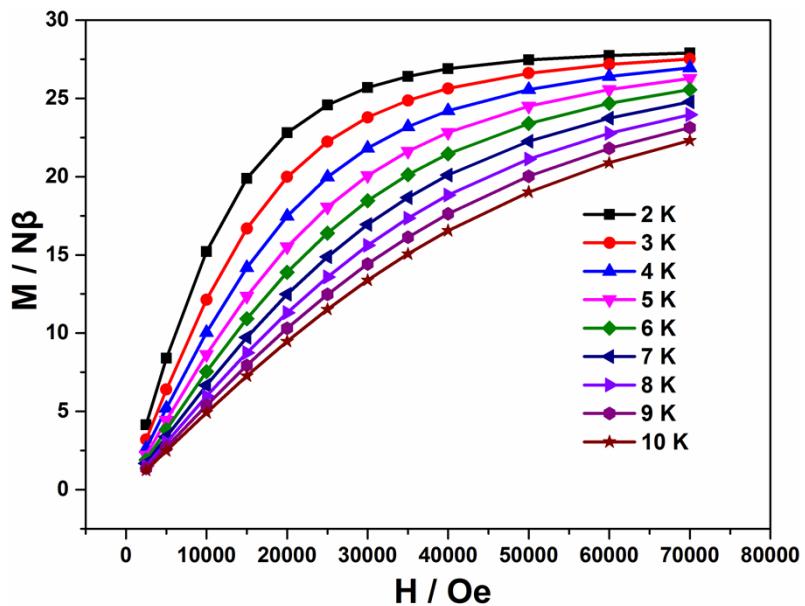


**Fig. S3** The plots of  $\chi_M T$  vs T for **1** and **2**.

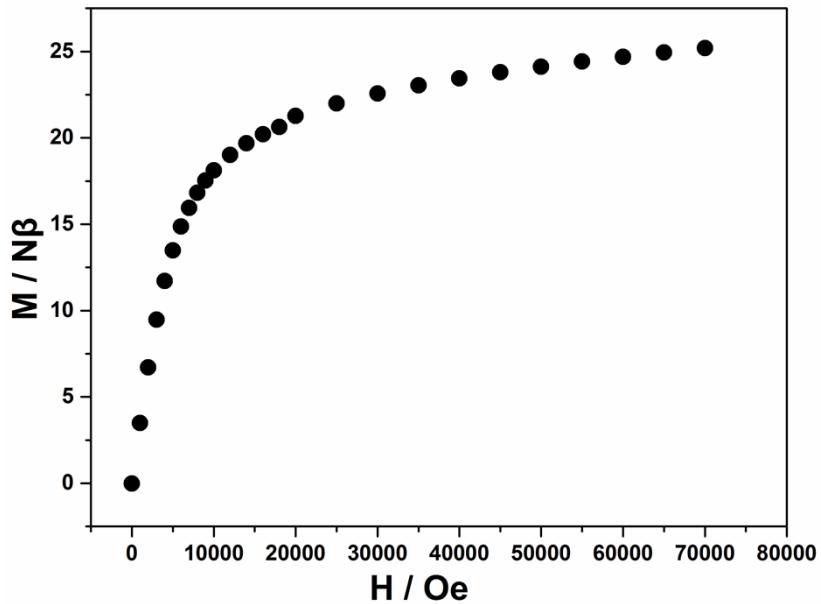


**Fig. S4** The  $\chi_M^{-1}$  vs  $T$  plots of **1** and **2**. Solid lines represent the Curie-Weiss fitting.

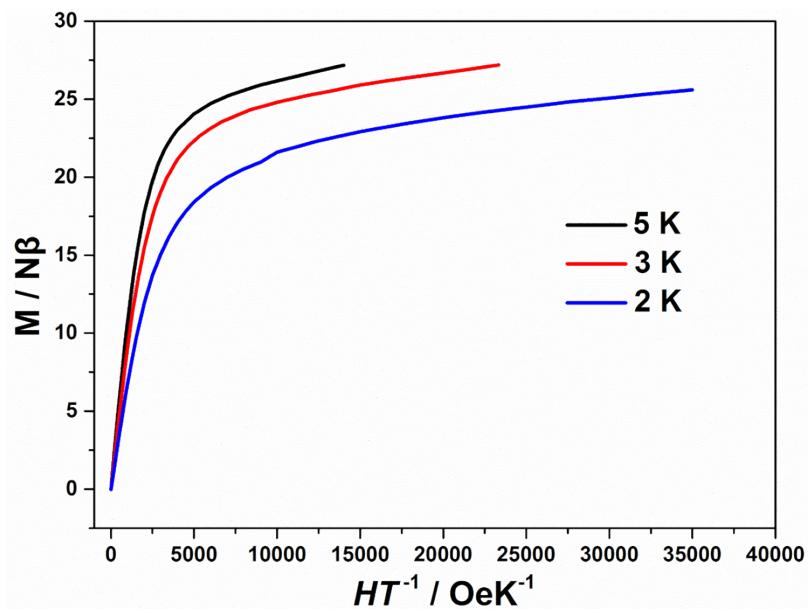
The temperature dependence of molar susceptibility in 2-300 K is well described by Curie-Weiss law, yielding Curie constant  $C = 32.32 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ K}$  and Weiss constant  $\theta = -1.57 \text{ K}$  for **1** (Gd),  $C = 56.18 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ K}$  and  $\theta = -3.31 \text{ K}$  for **2** (Dy), respectively (Fig. S4). The negative  $\theta$  value for **1** supports the presence of antiferromagnetic coupling between Gd<sup>III</sup>. However, negative  $\theta$  value of **2** will not indicate the antiferromagnetic coupling between Dy<sup>III</sup> because of the large orbital angular momentum and strong spin-orbit coupling for Dy<sup>III</sup>, which is similar with those of the Co<sup>II</sup>-based complexes. Considering the relatively complicated framework of **2** and strong spin-orbital coupling of Dy<sup>III</sup> ion, fitting the magnetic susceptibility of **2** goes out of the scope of our abilities. Due to the efficient shielding of the 4f orbitals of the Dy<sup>III</sup> ion, the magnetic interactions of Dy<sup>III</sup>-Dy<sup>III</sup> in **2** are anticipated to be weak.



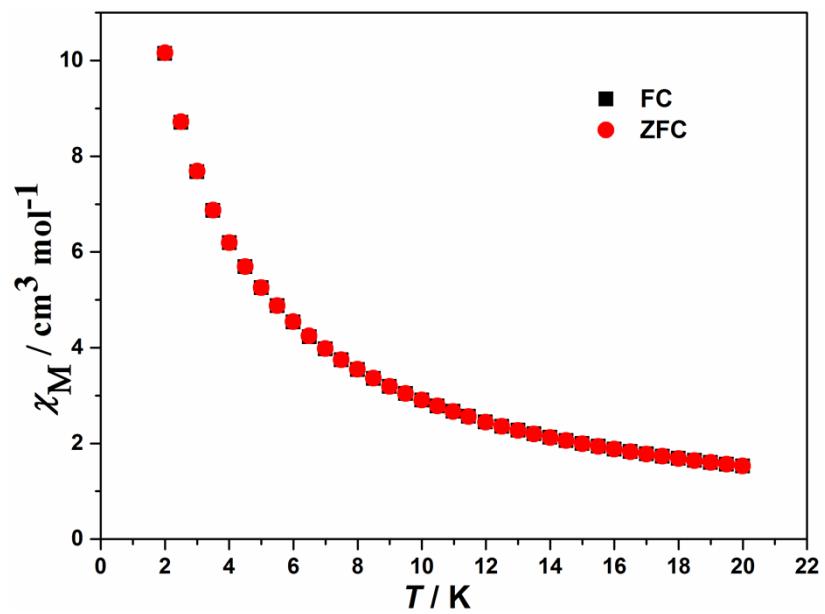
**Fig. S5** Field dependence magnetization plots at indicated temperatures for **1**.



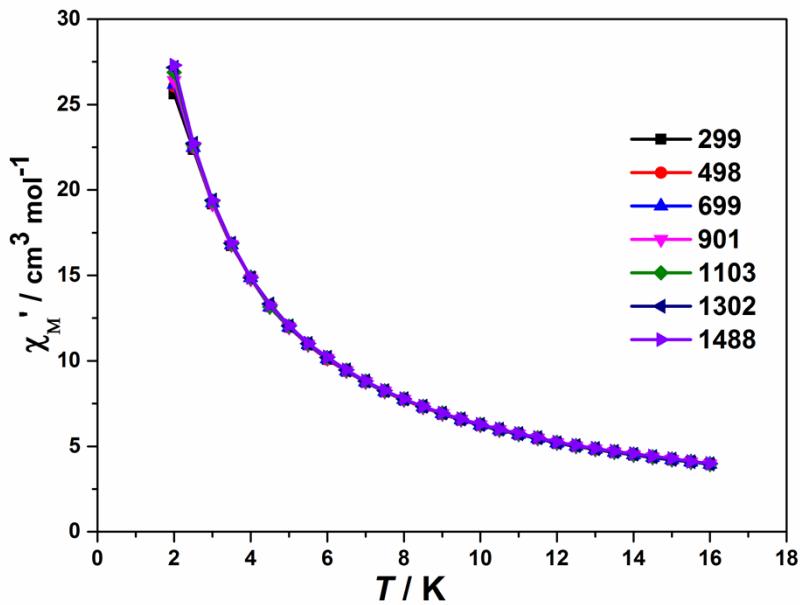
**Fig. S6** The  $M$  vs  $H$  plot of **2**.



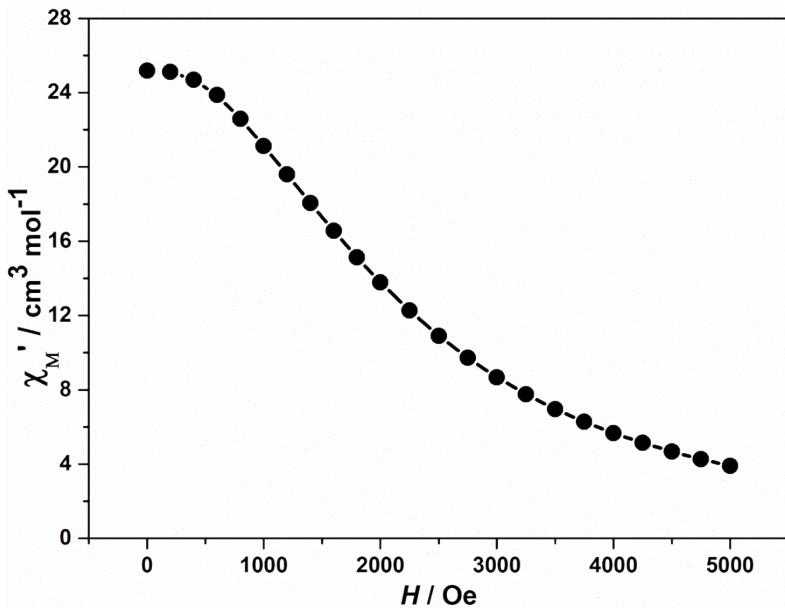
**Fig. S7** The curves of  $M$  vs.  $H/T$  for **2** in the field range 2.5-70 kOe.

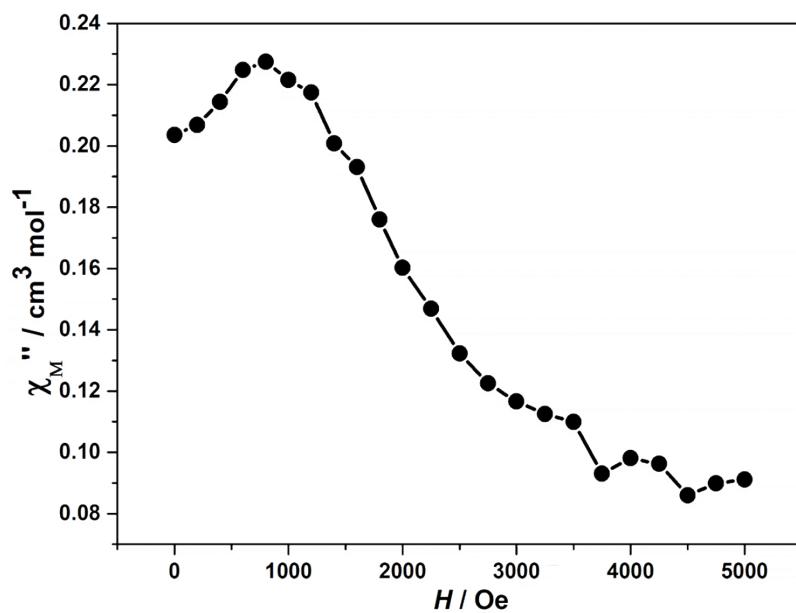


**Fig. S8** FC and ZFC magnetization of **1** in the dc field of 50 Oe.

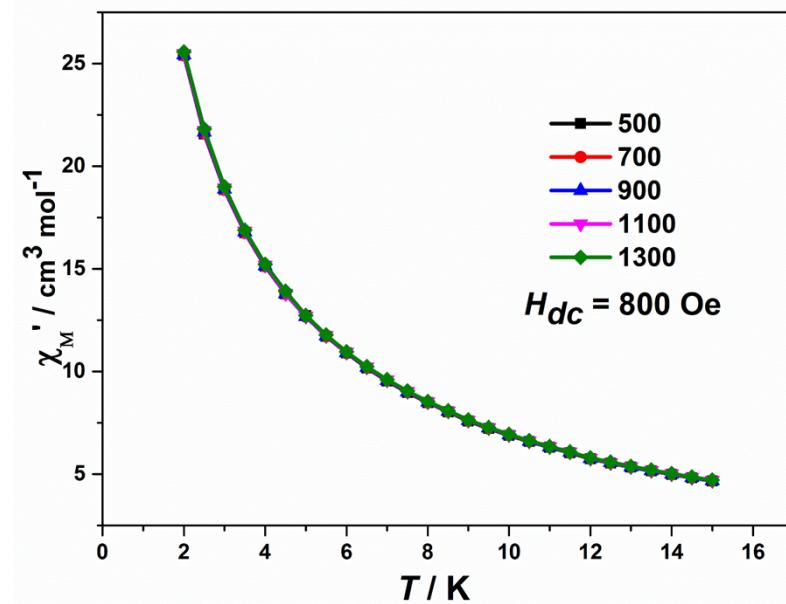


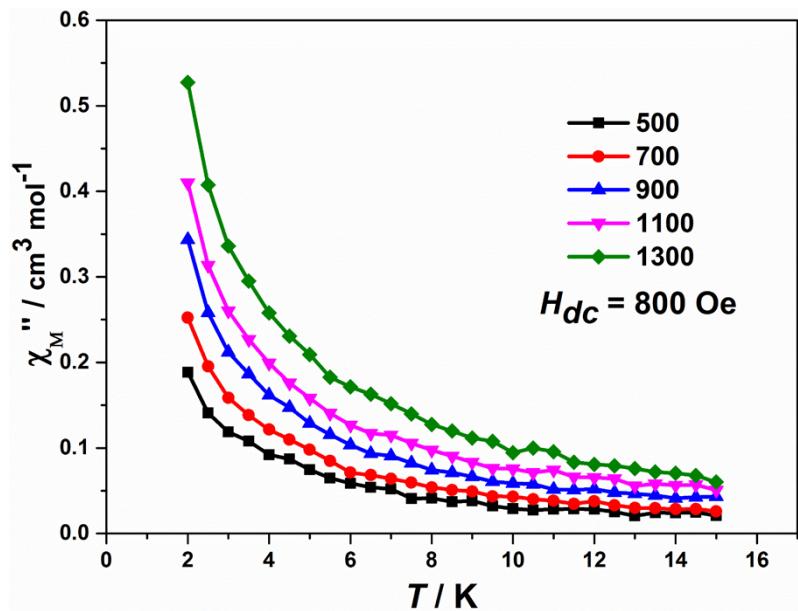
**Fig. S9** Temperature dependence of the in-phase ( $\chi'$ ) ac susceptibility components for **2** at the indicated frequencies and in zero dc field.



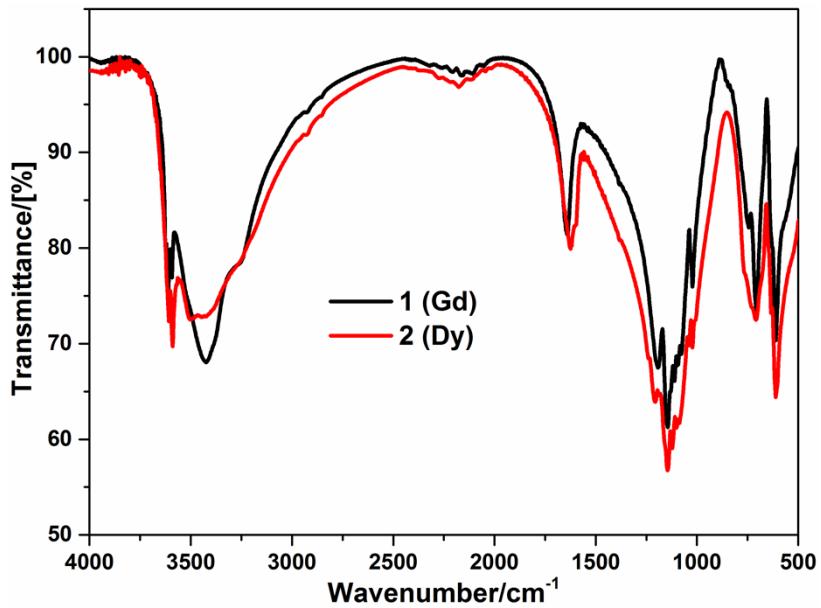


**Fig. S10** Field dependence of the  $\chi'$  (top) and  $\chi''$  (bottom) ac susceptibility components for **2** with  $f = 700$  Hz.





**Fig. S11** Temperature dependence of the  $\chi'$  (top) and  $\chi''$  (bottom) ac susceptibility components for **2** at the indicated frequencies and in 800 Oe dc field.



**Fig. S12** IR spectra of **1** and **2**.

**Table S1** Comparison of  $-\Delta S_m^{\max}$  (larger than 30.0 J kg<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup> with  $\Delta H \leq 9$  T) among Gd<sup>III</sup>-containing complexes associated with potential magnetic refrigeration.

Complex	Dimen-sionality	$-\Delta S_m^{\max}$ [J kg <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> ] ( $\Delta H$ )	$-\Delta S_m^{\max}$ [mJ cm <sup>-3</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> ]	Ref.
[Gd(OH)CO <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	3D	66.4 (7 T)	355	5
[Gd(O <sub>2</sub> CH) <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	3D	55.9 (7 T)	215.7	6
[Gd <sub>4</sub> (SO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> (μ <sub>3</sub> -OH) <sub>4</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>4</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	3D	51.29 (7 T)	198.85	this work
{[Mn(H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>6</sub> ][MnGd(oda) <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>2</sub> ·6H <sub>2</sub> O} <sub>n</sub>	3D	50.1 (7 T)	114.28	7
[Gd <sub>6</sub> (OH) <sub>8</sub> (suc) <sub>5</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>2</sub> ] <sub>n</sub> ·4nH <sub>2</sub> O	3D	48.0 (7T)	144	8
[Gd(OAc) <sub>3</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>0.5</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	1D	47.7 (7 T)	106.28	9
[Gd(HCOO)(C <sub>8</sub> H <sub>4</sub> O <sub>4</sub> )] <sub>n</sub>	3D	47.0 (9 T)	125.11	10
{[Ln <sub>6</sub> (μ <sub>6</sub> -O)(μ <sub>3</sub> -OH) <sub>8</sub> (μ <sub>4</sub> -ClO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> -(H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>6</sub> ](OH) <sub>4</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	3D	46.6 (7 T)	206.81	11
[Gd <sub>24</sub> ]	0D	46.12 (7 T)	90.03	12
[Gd(HCOO)(OAc) <sub>2</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>2</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	2D	45.9 (7 T)	110.02	13
[Gd(OAc) <sub>3</sub> (MeOH)] <sub>n</sub>	1D	45.0 (7 T)	96.71	9
[Gd(C <sub>4</sub> O <sub>4</sub> )(OH)(H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>4</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	2D	43.8 (7 T)	104.38	14
[Gd <sub>48</sub> ]	0D	43.6 (7 T)	120.7	15
[Gd(cit)(H <sub>2</sub> O)] <sub>n</sub>	2D	43.6 (7 T)	115.23	16
[Gd <sub>2</sub> (OH) <sub>2</sub> (suc) <sub>2</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O)] <sub>n</sub> ·2nH <sub>2</sub> O	3D	42.8 (7 T)	120	8
{[Gd(OAc) <sub>3</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>2</sub> ] <sub>2</sub> ·4H <sub>2</sub> O}	0D	41.6 (7 T)	82.78	17
[Co <sub>10</sub> Gd <sub>42</sub> ]	0D	41.26 (7 T)	112.64	18
{[Gd <sub>2</sub> (IDA) <sub>3</sub> ] <sub>2</sub> ·2H <sub>2</sub> O} <sub>n</sub>	3D	40.6 (7 T)	100.69	19
[Gd <sub>36</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	2D	39.66 (7 T)	91.34	20
[Ni <sub>10</sub> Gd <sub>42</sub> ]	0D	38.2 (7 T)	105.47	18
[Gd <sub>38</sub> ]	0D	37.9 (7 T)	102.0	15
[Gd <sub>4</sub> (OAc) <sub>4</sub> (acac) <sub>8</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>4</sub> ]	0D	37.7 (7 T)	70.24	9
[Gd <sub>2</sub> (piv) <sub>5</sub> (μ <sub>3</sub> -OH)(H <sub>2</sub> O)] <sub>n</sub>	1D	37.5 (7 T)	61.13	16
[Ni <sub>12</sub> Gd <sub>36</sub> ]	0D	36.3 (7 T)	83.49	21

[Cu <sub>3</sub> Gd <sub>6</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	3D	35.76 (7 T)	90.36	22
[Mo <sub>4</sub> Gd <sub>12</sub> ]	0D	35.3 (7 T)	76.99	23
[Mn <sub>4</sub> Gd <sub>6</sub> P <sub>6</sub> ]	0D	33.7 (7 T)	54.12	24
[Co <sub>4</sub> Gd <sub>10</sub> ]	0D	32.6 (7 T)	54.31	25
[Gd <sub>10</sub> ]	0D	31.22 (7 T)	68.84	26
[Cu <sub>5</sub> Gd <sub>4</sub> ]	0D	31 (9 T)	61.66	27
[Gd <sub>5</sub> Zn] <sub>n</sub>	3D	30.7 (7 T)	57.96	28

$$-\Delta S_m^{\max} [\text{mJ cm}^{-3} \text{ K}^{-1}] = -\Delta S_m^{\max} [\text{J kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}] * \rho_{\text{cald}} [\text{g cm}^{-3}]$$

**Table S2** The summary of the (3,12)-connected complexes and corresponding Schläfli symbols.

Complex	Schläfli symbol	Ref.
{[Ln <sub>6</sub> (μ <sub>6</sub> -O)(μ <sub>3</sub> -OH) <sub>8</sub> (μ <sub>4</sub> -ClO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>6</sub> ](OH) <sub>4</sub> } <sub>n</sub>	(4 <sup>20</sup> ·6 <sup>26</sup> ·8 <sup>20</sup> )(4 <sup>3</sup> ) <sub>4</sub>	11
[Zn <sub>8</sub> (μ <sub>3</sub> -OH) <sub>4</sub> (oba) <sub>6</sub> (bbi)(H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>2</sub> ]	(3 <sup>2</sup> ·4) <sub>2</sub> (3 <sup>8</sup> ·4 <sup>22</sup> ·5 <sup>16</sup> ·6 <sup>18</sup> ·7 <sup>2</sup> )	29
[Na <sub>0.5</sub> Zn <sub>4.75</sub> (μ <sub>3</sub> -OH) <sub>2</sub> (BTB) <sub>2</sub> (HBTB)(H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>0.5</sub> ]·5DMF·1.5EtOH·10H <sub>2</sub> O	(4 <sup>3</sup> ) <sub>12</sub> (4 <sup>12</sup> ·6 <sup>36</sup> ·8 <sup>18</sup> ) <sub>2</sub> (4 <sup>12</sup> ·6 <sup>24</sup> ·8 <sup>30</sup> )	30
[Co <sub>5</sub> (μ <sub>3</sub> -OH) <sub>2</sub> (5-NH <sub>2</sub> -bdc) <sub>4</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>2</sub> ]·7.5H <sub>2</sub> O	(4 <sup>19</sup> ·6 <sup>27</sup> ·8 <sup>20</sup> )(4 <sup>3</sup> ) <sub>4</sub>	31
[Co <sub>8</sub> (μ <sub>3</sub> -OH) <sub>4</sub> (SO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> (dcpbpy) <sub>4</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>4</sub> ]·12DMF·4EtOH·24H <sub>2</sub> O	(4 <sup>12</sup> ·6 <sup>34</sup> ·8 <sup>20</sup> )(4 <sup>3</sup> ) <sub>4</sub>	32
Complex <b>1</b> in this work	(4 <sup>20</sup> ·6 <sup>28</sup> ·8 <sup>18</sup> )(4 <sup>3</sup> ) <sub>4</sub>	
[Ln <sub>4</sub> (OH) <sub>4</sub> (3-SBA) <sub>4</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>4</sub> ]·nH <sub>2</sub> O (Ln = Eu, Gd, Tb)	(4 <sup>20</sup> ·6 <sup>28</sup> ·8 <sup>18</sup> )(4 <sup>3</sup> ) <sub>4</sub>	33
[Ln(TTP) <sub>2</sub> ]·(CF <sub>3</sub> SO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> ·C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>6</sub> O·5H <sub>2</sub> O (Ln = Eu, Gd)	(4 <sup>20</sup> ·6 <sup>28</sup> ·8 <sup>18</sup> )(4 <sup>3</sup> ) <sub>4</sub>	34
[Eu <sub>6</sub> (μ <sub>6</sub> -O)(μ <sub>3</sub> -OH) <sub>8</sub> (H <sub>2</sub> O) <sub>6</sub> (SO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>4</sub> ] <sub>n</sub>	(4 <sup>20</sup> ·6 <sup>28</sup> ·8 <sup>18</sup> )(4 <sup>3</sup> ) <sub>4</sub>	35

**Table S3** The selected bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] of **1**.

Gd(1)-O(10)	2.334(5)	Gd(1)-O(14)#1	2.347(4)
Gd(1)-O(20)	2.355(3)	Gd(1)-O(19)	2.371(4)
Gd(1)-O(11)	2.395(4)	Gd(1)-O(16)	2.420(4)
Gd(1)-O(1W)	2.433(4)	Gd(1)-O(17)	2.479(3)

Gd(2)-O(3)	2.305(4)	Gd(2)-O(18)	2.333(3)
Gd(2)-O(7)	2.376(4)	Gd(2)-O(4)	2.423(4)
Gd(2)-O(20)	2.413(4)	Gd(2)-O(6)#2	2.515(4)
Gd(2)-O(19)	2.430(4)	Gd(2)-O(2W)	2.576(4)
Gd(3)-O(5)#3	2.352(5)	Gd(3)-O(17)	2.381(4)
Gd(3)-O(9)#3	2.375(4)	Gd(3)-O(12)	2.390(4)
Gd(3)-O(8)	2.384(4)	Gd(3)-O(20)	2.421(4)
Gd(3)-O(18)	2.404(4)	Gd(3)-O(3W)	2.467(4)
Gd(4)-O(1)#3	2.322(4)	Gd(4)-O(19)	2.352(4)
Gd(4)-O(13)	2.353(4)	Gd(4)-O(15)#4	2.395(4)
Gd(4)-O(17)	2.417(4)	Gd(4)-O(18)	2.422(4)
Gd(4)-O(2)#5	2.436(4)	Gd(4)-O(4W)	2.583(5)
O(10)-Gd(1)-O(14)#1	79.01(13)	O(10)-Gd(1)-O(20)	116.35(14)
O(14)#1-Gd(1)-O(20)	74.62(14)	O(10)-Gd(1)-O(19)	77.27(14)
O(14)#1-Gd(1)-O(19)	118.86(14)	O(20)-Gd(1)-O(19)	67.52(12)
O(10)-Gd(1)-O(11)	144.01(15)	O(14)#1-Gd(1)-O(11)	79.82(15)
O(20)-Gd(1)-O(11)	85.20(13)	O(19)-Gd(1)-O(11)	138.70(14)
O(10)-Gd(1)-O(16)	82.25(15)	O(14)#1-Gd(1)-O(16)	148.73(15)
O(20)-Gd(1)-O(16)	136.53(14)	O(19)-Gd(1)-O(16)	80.46(13)
O(11)-Gd(1)-O(16)	102.06(12)	O(10)-Gd(1)-O(1W)	81.37(16)
O(14)#1-Gd(1)-O(1W)	81.72(16)	O(20)-Gd(1)-O(1W)	146.28(15)
O(19)-Gd(1)-O(1W)	146.17(14)	O(11)-Gd(1)-O(1W)	67.00(16)
O(16)-Gd(1)-O(1W)	70.85(15)	O(10)-Gd(1)-O(17)	140.51(13)
O(14)#1-Gd(1)-O(17)	135.72(13)	O(20)-Gd(1)-O(17)	69.41(13)
O(19)-Gd(1)-O(17)	69.30(13)	O(11)-Gd(1)-O(17)	72.37(13)
O(16)-Gd(1)-O(17)	72.23(13)	O(1W)-Gd(1)-O(17)	116.19(15)
O(3)-Gd(2)-O(18)	132.25(14)	O(3)-Gd(2)-O(7)	93.51(14)
O(18)-Gd(2)-O(7)	128.24(14)	O(3)-Gd(2)-O(20)	72.12(14)
O(18)-Gd(2)-O(20)	70.45(13)	O(7)-Gd(2)-O(20)	113.41(13)
O(3)-Gd(2)-O(4)	143.09(15)	O(18)-Gd(2)-O(4)	72.77(13)
O(7)-Gd(2)-O(4)	83.48(14)	O(20)-Gd(2)-O(4)	142.30(14)
O(3)-Gd(2)-O(19)	118.92(14)	O(18)-Gd(2)-O(19)	69.32(13)
O(7)-Gd(2)-O(19)	67.17(14)	O(20)-Gd(2)-O(19)	65.66(12)

O(4)-Gd(2)-O(19)	93.83(13)	O(3)-Gd(2)-O(6)#2	81.98(15)
O(18)-Gd(2)-O(6)#2	78.93(13)	O(7)-Gd(2)-O(6)#2	139.63(14)
O(20)-Gd(2)-O(6)#2	103.33(13)	O(4)-Gd(2)-O(6)#2	77.15(14)
O(19)-Gd(2)-O(6)#2	148.24(14)	O(3)-Gd(2)-O(2W)	70.26(14)
O(18)-Gd(2)-O(2W)	138.34(13)	O(7)-Gd(2)-O(2W)	71.04(14)
O(20)-Gd(2)-O(2W)	142.33(13)	O(4)-Gd(2)-O(2W)	74.04(14)
O(19)-Gd(2)-O(2W)	137.53(13)	O(6)#2-Gd(2)-O(2W)	69.70(14)
O(5)#3-Gd(3)-O(9)#3	82.19(15)	O(5)#3-Gd(3)-O(17)	79.56(13)
O(9)#3-Gd(3)-O(17)	109.25(12)	O(5)#3-Gd(3)-O(8)	145.47(15)
O(9)#3-Gd(3)-O(8)	86.27(15)	O(17)-Gd(3)-O(8)	134.91(13)
O(5)#3-Gd(3)-O(12)	79.89(16)	O(9)#3-Gd(3)-O(12)	145.49(14)
O(17)-Gd(3)-O(12)	96.18(13)	O(8)-Gd(3)-O(12)	92.05(15)
O(5)#3-Gd(3)-O(18)	125.67(13)	O(9)#3-Gd(3)-O(18)	69.77(12)
O(17)-Gd(3)-O(18)	68.11(13)	O(8)-Gd(3)-O(18)	79.29(13)
O(12)-Gd(3)-O(18)	143.63(13)	O(5)#3-Gd(3)-O(20)	137.36(13)
O(9)#3-Gd(3)-O(20)	135.38(13)	O(17)-Gd(3)-O(20)	69.96(11)
O(8)-Gd(3)-O(20)	69.76(13)	O(12)-Gd(3)-O(20)	74.70(14)
O(18)-Gd(3)-O(20)	69.14(12)	O(5)#3-Gd(3)-O(3W)	76.81(15)
O(9)#3-Gd(3)-O(3W)	74.84(13)	O(17)-Gd(3)-O(3W)	155.22(14)
O(8)-Gd(3)-O(3W)	68.77(15)	O(12)-Gd(3)-O(3W)	72.49(14)
O(18)-Gd(3)-O(3W)	133.28(14)	O(20)-Gd(3)-O(3W)	125.08(14)
O(1)#3-Gd(4)-O(19)	131.03(14)	O(1)#3-Gd(4)-O(13)	85.37(17)
O(19)-Gd(4)-O(13)	135.64(14)	O(1)#3-Gd(4)-O(15)#4	83.16(16)
O(19)-Gd(4)-O(15)#4	76.68(14)	O(13)-Gd(4)-O(15)#4	140.98(15)
O(1)#3-Gd(4)-O(17)	71.32(13)	O(19)-Gd(4)-O(17)	70.65(12)
O(13)-Gd(4)-O(17)	108.19(12)	O(15)#4-Gd(4)-O(17)	103.13(13)
O(1)#3-Gd(4)-O(18)	120.75(13)	O(19)-Gd(4)-O(18)	69.14(12)
O(13)-Gd(4)-O(18)	70.06(13)	O(15)#4-Gd(4)-O(18)	145.79(13)
O(17)-Gd(4)-O(18)	67.26(12)	O(1)#3-Gd(4)-O(2)#5	145.18(14)
O(19)-Gd(4)-O(2)#5	74.24(13)	O(13)-Gd(4)-O(2)#5	88.09(15)
O(15)#4-Gd(4)-O(2)#5	80.67(15)	O(17)-Gd(4)-O(2)#5	142.57(13)
O(18)-Gd(4)-O(2)#5	88.53(12)	O(1)#3-Gd(4)-O(4W)	71.40(14)
O(19)-Gd(4)-O(4W)	136.52(14)	O(13)-Gd(4)-O(4W)	71.55(13)
O(15)#4-Gd(4)-O(4W)	69.44(14)	O(17)-Gd(4)-O(4W)	142.60(13)

O(18)-Gd(4)-O(4W)	138.14(12)	O(2)#5-Gd(4)-O(4W)	74.08(14)
Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:			
#1: -x+1/2,-y+1,z-1/2; #2: -x+1,y-1/2,-z+3/2; #3: -x+1/2,-y+1,z+1/2;			
#4: x-1/2,-y+3/2,-z+2; #5: -x+1,y+1/2,-z+3/2.			

**Table S3** The selected bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] of **2**.

Dy(1)-O(16)#1	2.27(2)	Dy(1)-O(15)#2	2.289(18)
Dy(1)-O(11)#2	2.298(17)	Dy(1)-O(18)	2.339(19)
Dy(1)-O(19)	2.35(2)	Dy(1)-O(10)#3	2.37(2)
Dy(1)-O(17)	2.40(2)	Dy(1)-O(1W)	2.49(2)
Dy(2)-O(17)	2.31(2)	Dy(2)-O(13)	2.313(19)
Dy(2)-O(1)#4	2.318(19)	Dy(2)-O(14)#1	2.33(2)
Dy(2)-O(2W)	2.35(3)	Dy(2)-O(2)#5	2.36(3)
Dy(2)-O(20)	2.43(2)	Dy(2)-O(18)	2.476(19)
Dy(3)-O(7)#3	2.26(3)	Dy(3)-O(19)	2.33(2)
Dy(3)-O(12)	2.330(19)	Dy(3)-O(8)	2.34(2)
Dy(3)-O(20)	2.35(2)	Dy(3)-O(9)#3	2.36(3)
Dy(3)-O(17)	2.37(2)	Dy(3)-O(3W)	2.52(2)
Dy(4)-O(5)#5	2.27(2)	Dy(4)-O(20)	2.28(2)
Dy(4)-O(18)	2.309(17)	Dy(4)-O(19)	2.32(2)
Dy(4)-O(4)	2.35(2)	Dy(4)-O(6)	2.35(3)
Dy(4)-O(3)#5	2.45(2)		
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O(16)#1-Dy(1)-O(15)#2	141.4(9)	O(16)#1-Dy(1)-O(11)#2	80.4(9)
O(15)#2-Dy(1)-O(11)#2	76.6(8)	O(16)#1-Dy(1)-O(18)	101.5(8)
O(15)#2-Dy(1)-O(18)	101.8(8)	O(11)#2-Dy(1)-O(18)	74.7(8)
O(16)#1-Dy(1)-O(19)	143.7(8)	O(15)#2-Dy(1)-O(19)	74.4(8)
O(11)#2-Dy(1)-O(19)	124.3(9)	O(18)-Dy(1)-O(19)	66.2(7)
O(16)#1-Dy(1)-O(10)#3	86.9(8)	O(15)#2-Dy(1)-O(10)#3	97.2(8)
O(11)#2-Dy(1)-O(10)#3	149.0(9)	O(18)-Dy(1)-O(10)#3	135.9(8)
O(19)-Dy(1)-O(10)#3	81.5(9)	O(16)#1-Dy(1)-O(17)	75.5(8)
O(15)#2-Dy(1)-O(17)	141.9(8)	O(11)#2-Dy(1)-O(17)	131.7(8)
O(18)-Dy(1)-O(17)	70.1(7)	O(19)-Dy(1)-O(17)	68.3(7)

O(10)#3-Dy(1)-O(17)	70.4(8)	O(16)#1-Dy(1)-O(1W)	69.8(9)
O(15)#2-Dy(1)-O(1W)	75.0(9)	O(11)#2-Dy(1)-O(1W)	76.8(9)
O(18)-Dy(1)-O(1W)	151.2(7)	O(19)-Dy(1)-O(1W)	136.3(8)
O(10)#3-Dy(1)-O(1W)	72.3(9)	O(17)-Dy(1)-O(1W)	129.7(7)
O(17)-Dy(2)-O(13)	109.3(7)	O(17)-Dy(2)-O(1)#4	84.5(9)
O(13)-Dy(2)-O(1)#4	78.2(9)	O(17)-Dy(2)-O(14)#1	81.3(8)
O(13)-Dy(2)-O(14)#1	151.6(8)	O(1)#4-Dy(2)-O(14)#1	76.6(10)
O(17)-Dy(2)-O(2W)	151.7(11)	O(13)-Dy(2)-O(2W)	89.6(10)
O(1)#4-Dy(2)-O(2W)	78.9(10)	O(14)#1-Dy(2)-O(2W)	72.8(11)
O(17)-Dy(2)-O(2)#5	134.1(9)	O(13)-Dy(2)-O(2)#5	83.1(9)
O(1)#4-Dy(2)-O(2)#5	141.1(10)	O(14)#1-Dy(2)-O(2)#5	109.0(9)
O(2W)-Dy(2)-O(2)#5	67.2(11)	O(17)-Dy(2)-O(20)	67.7(8)
O(13)-Dy(2)-O(20)	69.7(7)	O(1)#4-Dy(2)-O(20)	126.0(8)
O(14)#1-Dy(2)-O(20)	137.2(9)	O(2W)-Dy(2)-O(20)	140.3(11)
O(2)#5-Dy(2)-O(20)	76.7(9)	O(17)-Dy(2)-O(18)	69.2(7)
O(13)-Dy(2)-O(18)	135.0(7)	O(1)#4-Dy(2)-O(18)	142.3(8)
O(14)#1-Dy(2)-O(18)	73.2(8)	O(2W)-Dy(2)-O(18)	112.3(9)
O(2)#5-Dy(2)-O(18)	71.5(9)	O(20)-Dy(2)-O(18)	68.8(7)
O(7)#3-Dy(3)-O(19)	131.4(9)	O(7)#3-Dy(3)-O(12)	80.1(10)
O(19)-Dy(3)-O(12)	138.3(8)	O(7)#3-Dy(3)-O(8)	148.8(10)
O(19)-Dy(3)-O(8)	75.2(8)	O(12)-Dy(3)-O(8)	87.6(10)
O(7)#3-Dy(3)-O(20)	119.6(11)	O(19)-Dy(3)-O(20)	68.1(8)
O(12)-Dy(3)-O(20)	72.4(8)	O(8)-Dy(3)-O(20)	82.9(9)
O(7)#3-Dy(3)-O(9)#3	84.9(11)	O(19)-Dy(3)-O(9)#3	78.1(8)
O(12)-Dy(3)-O(9)#3	139.0(8)	O(8)-Dy(3)-O(9)#3	85.8(9)
O(20)-Dy(3)-O(9)#3	146.1(8)	O(7)#3-Dy(3)-O(17)	71.0(9)
O(19)-Dy(3)-O(17)	69.1(7)	O(12)-Dy(3)-O(17)	107.8(8)
O(8)-Dy(3)-O(17)	140.2(9)	O(20)-Dy(3)-O(17)	68.2(8)
O(9)#3-Dy(3)-O(17)	102.9(9)	O(7)#3-Dy(3)-O(3W)	76.4(9)
O(19)-Dy(3)-O(3W)	134.0(8)	O(12)-Dy(3)-O(3W)	71.6(8)
O(8)-Dy(3)-O(3W)	72.5(8)	O(20)-Dy(3)-O(3W)	136.8(8)
O(9)#3-Dy(3)-O(3W)	67.8(8)	O(17)-Dy(3)-O(3W)	146.9(7)
O(5)#5-Dy(4)-O(20)	146.1(10)	O(5)#5-Dy(4)-O(18)	93.8(9)
O(20)-Dy(4)-O(18)	74.3(7)	O(5)#5-Dy(4)-O(19)	135.7(10)

O(20)-Dy(4)-O(19)	69.3(8)	O(18)-Dy(4)-O(19)	67.3(7)
O(5)#5-Dy(4)-O(4)	80.4(9)	O(20)-Dy(4)-O(4)	133.5(8)
O(18)-Dy(4)-O(4)	111.1(7)	O(19)-Dy(4)-O(4)	71.0(7)
O(5)#5-Dy(4)-O(6)	110.3(11)	O(20)-Dy(4)-O(6)	82.7(10)
O(18)-Dy(4)-O(6)	155.4(8)	O(19)-Dy(4)-O(6)	96.7(7)
O(4)-Dy(4)-O(6)	78.7(9)	O(5)#5-Dy(4)-O(3)#5	75.3(10)
O(20)-Dy(4)-O(3)#5	77.9(8)	O(18)-Dy(4)-O(3)#5	106.6(7)
O(19)-Dy(4)-O(3)#5	147.1(7)	O(4)-Dy(4)-O(3)#5	136.1(7)
O(6)-Dy(4)-O(3)#5	76.2(8)		

Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms:

#1: -x+1, y-1/2, -z+3/2; #2: -x+3/2, -y, z-1/2; #3: -x+2, y-1/2, -z+3/2;  
#4: -x+3/2, -y, z+1/2; #5: x-1/2, -y+1/2, -z+1.

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