Supporting Information

MM Quadruple Bonds Supported by Cyanoacrylate Ligands. Extending Photon Harvesting into the Near Infrared and Studies of the MLCT States

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Compound	MoL'	MoL
Chemical Formula	$C_{92}H_{96}Mo_2N_4O_{10}S_2$	$C_{176}H_{200}Mo_4N_4O_{22}$
Formula Weight	1673.73	3163.20
Temperature (K)	150(2)	150(2)
Space Group	Triclinic, P-1	Triclinic,P-1
<i>a</i> (Å)	12.6203(2)	12.843(3)
b (Å)	13.1151(2)	16.816(3)
<i>c</i> (Å)	13.4075(2)	21.696(4)
α (°)	81.395(1)	74.31(3)
β (°)	89.382(1)	76.48(3)
γ (°)	84.039(1)	72.72(3)
V (Å ³)	2182.29(6)	4247.0(15)
Z	1	1
D_{calcd} (Mg/m ³)	1.274	1.237
Crystal Size (mm)	0.23 X 0.19 X 0.15	0.27 X 0.23 X 0.12
Theta range for data collection	1.54 to 25.02°	2.57 to 24.71°
μ ,(Mo, K α) (mm ⁻¹)	0.393	0.354
Reflections collected	51400	83352
Unique reflections	7685 [R(int)= 0.042]	14986[R(int)=0.060]
Completeness to theta	(25.02°) 99.9%	(24.71°) 99.9%
Data/restraints/parameters	7685 / 3 / 515	14467 / 0 / 946
R1 ^a (%) (all data)	3.47 (4.67)	5.90 (9.98)
wR2 ^b (%)(all data)	8.50 (9.24)	15.44 (16.82)
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.079	1.080
Largest diff. peak and hole (e $Å^{-3}$)	0.568 and -0.412	0.929 and -0.508

Table S1. Select crystallographic information from MoL' and MoL

^aR1 = $\Sigma ||F_0| - |F_c|| / \Sigma |F_0| \times 100$ ^bwR2 = { $\Sigma [w(F_0^2 - F_c^2)^2] / \Sigma [w(F_0^2)^2]$ }^{1/2} X 100



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Figure S2.Cyclic voltammograms of **MoL** (blue), **WL** (red), **MoL'** (dark green) and **WL'** (yellow-green). The redox potentials are referenced to the $Cp_2Fe^{+/0}$ couple.



Figure S3. Kinetic traces from fsTA spectra of MoL monitored at 470 nm; MoL' monitored at 565 nm; WL monitored at 477 nm; and WL' monitored at 551 nm.



Figure S4. Kinetic traces from nsTA spectra of MoL (left) monitored at 440 nm and MoL' monitored at 620 nm



Figure S5. Kinetic traces from fs-TRIR spectra of **MoL** monitored at 2164 cm⁻¹; **MoL'** monitored at 2171 cm⁻¹; **WL** monitored at 2166 cm⁻¹; and **WL'** monitored at 2172 cm⁻¹.



Figure S6. fs-TRIR spectra of WL, $\lambda_{ex} = 800$ nm; recorded in THF at RT.