

## *Supporting Information for CrystEngComm*

### **Syntheses, Structures and Fluorescences of Two Coordination Complexes of Zn(II) and 1,3-Bis(2-methylimidazolyl)propane: Solvent Effect**

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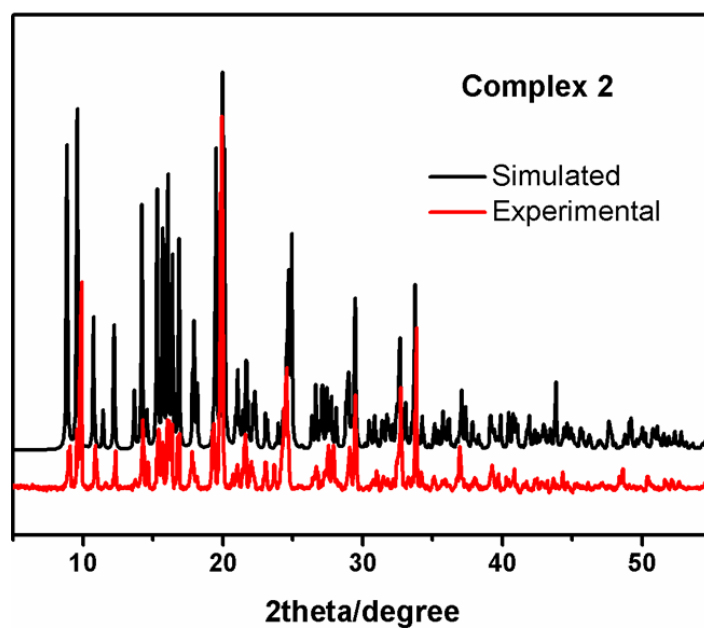
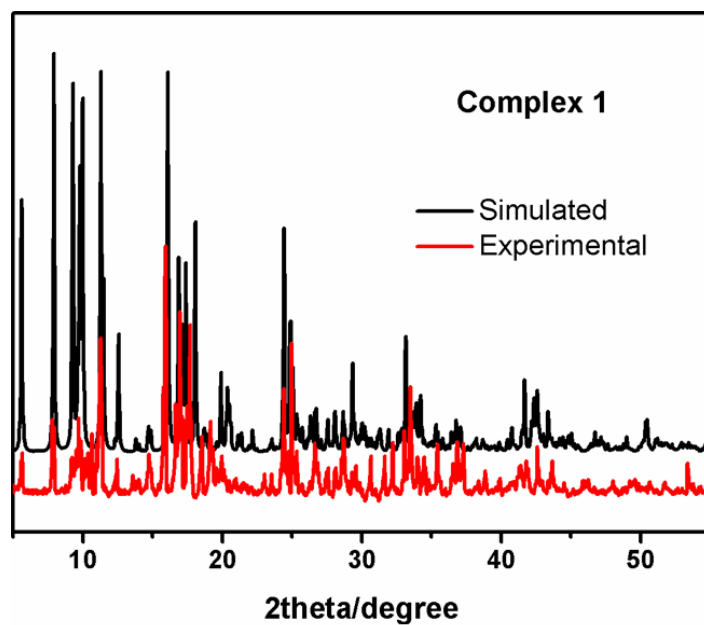
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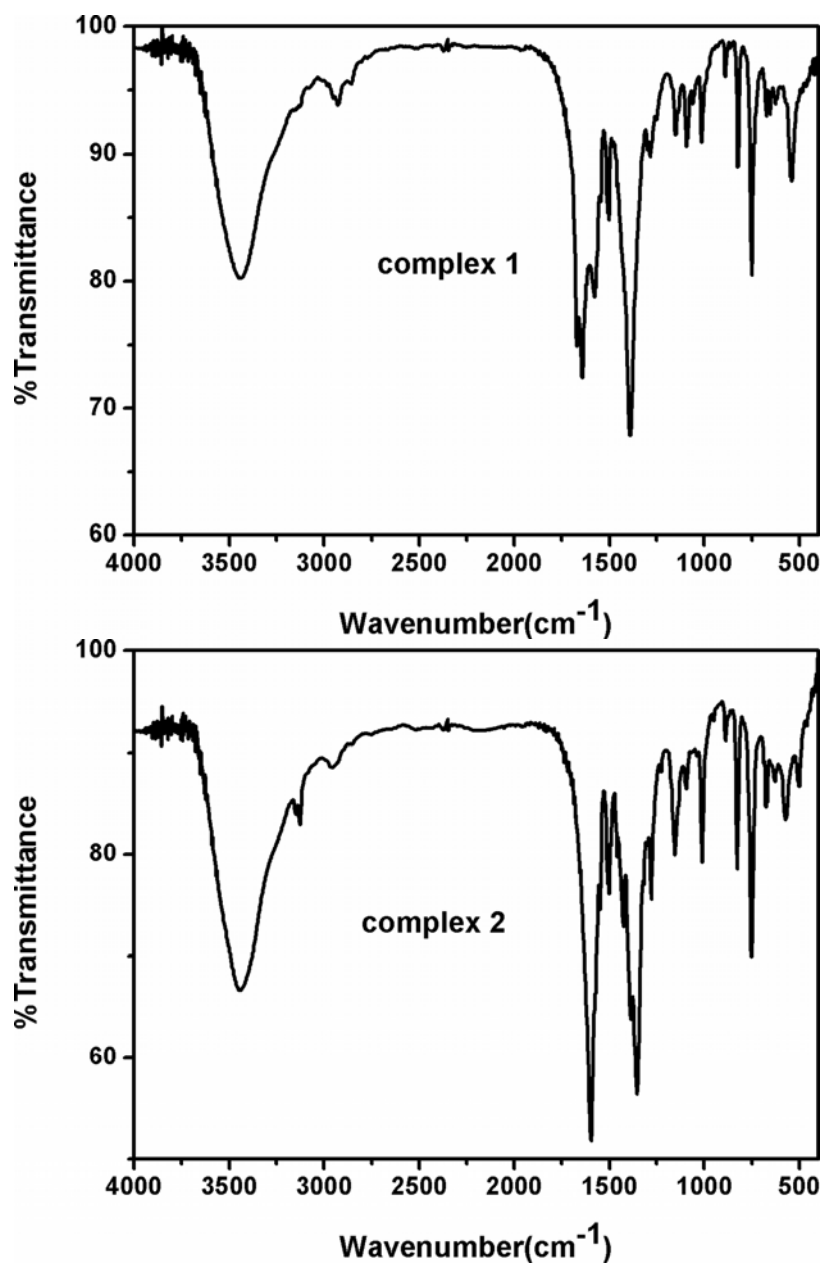
Complex 2				
<i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H	H··· <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> ··· <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H··· <i>A</i>
O1W—H1WA···O3W	0.84	1.92	2.754(7)	170
O1W—H1WB···O4 <sup>ii</sup>	0.84	2.06	2.892(6)	170
O2W—H2WA···O2	0.78	1.95	2.717(6)	165
O2W—H2WB···O3 <sup>iii</sup>	0.87	1.90	2.760(6)	168
O3W—H3WA···O1W <sup>iv</sup>	0.85	1.95	2.775(7)	164
O3W—H3WB···O2W <sup>v</sup>	0.85	1.86	2.686(7)	163

Symmetry codes: (ii)  $-x+1, y+1/2, -z+3/2$ ; (iii)  $x-1, y, z$ ; (iv)  $-x+1, -y+1, -z+2$ ; (v)  $x, -y+1/2, z+1/2$ .

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