

## Fabrication of 5-R-isophthalic acid-modulated two Cu-based coordination polymers as urease inhibitors

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**Table S1** Crystallographic data for **Cu-CP-COOH** and **Cu-CP-NO<sub>2</sub>**.

Complex	Cu-CP-COOH	Cu-CP-NO <sub>2</sub>
Empirical formula	C <sub>27</sub> H <sub>18</sub> CuN <sub>4</sub> O <sub>9</sub>	C <sub>34</sub> H <sub>24</sub> Cu <sub>2</sub> N <sub>6</sub> O <sub>17</sub>
Formula weight	605.99	915.69
Temperature/K	296.0	296.0
Crystal system	Monoclinic	Monoclinic
Space group	<i>P21/n</i>	<i>Pnma</i>
a/Å	5.1004(7)	13.3687(6)
b/Å	20.907(3)	19.6383(9)
c/Å	21.437(3)	12.8093(5)
α/°	90	90
β/°	94.484(4)	90
γ/°	90	90
Volume/Å <sup>3</sup>	2279.0(5)	3362.9(3)
Z	4	4
ρ <sub>calc</sub> /g cm <sup>-3</sup>	1.766	1.809
μ/mm <sup>-1</sup>	1.031	1.360
F(000)	1236	1856.0
R <sub>int</sub>	0.0927	0.0402
s	1.020	1.000
R <sub>f</sub> /wR <sub>f</sub>	0.0763/0.2069	0.0420/0.1094
All data R <sub>f</sub> /wR <sub>f</sub>	0.1570/0.2602	0.0799/0.1094

<sup>a</sup>  $R_1 = \Sigma||F_o| - |F_c|| / \Sigma|F_o|$ , <sup>b</sup>  $wR_2 = \Sigma[w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2] / \Sigma[w(F_o^2)]^{1/2}$ .

**Table S2** Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (°) for **Cu-CP-COOH**.

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Cu(1)–O(1)	1.938(3)	Cu(1)–N(1)	2.055(4)
Cu(1)–O(4)#1	1.953(3)	Cu(1)–N(2)#2	2.068(4)
O(1)–Cu(1)–O(4)#1	176.45(14)	O(1)–Cu(1)–N(2)#2	88.92(13)
O(1)–Cu(1)–N(1)	91.00(13)	O(4)#1–Cu(1)–N(2)#2	90.43(13)
O(4)#1–Cu(1)–N(1)	90.18(13)	N(1)–Cu(1)–N(2)#2	171.16(15)

Symmetry codes: #1  $-x + 1/2, y + 1/2, -z + 1/2$ ; #2  $x - 3/2, -y + 1/2, z + 1/2$ .

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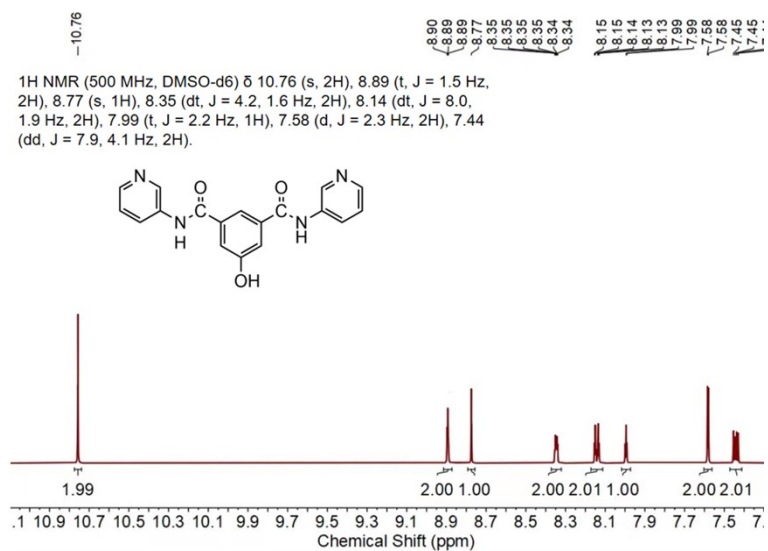
**Table S3** Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (°) for **Cu-CP-NO<sub>2</sub>**.

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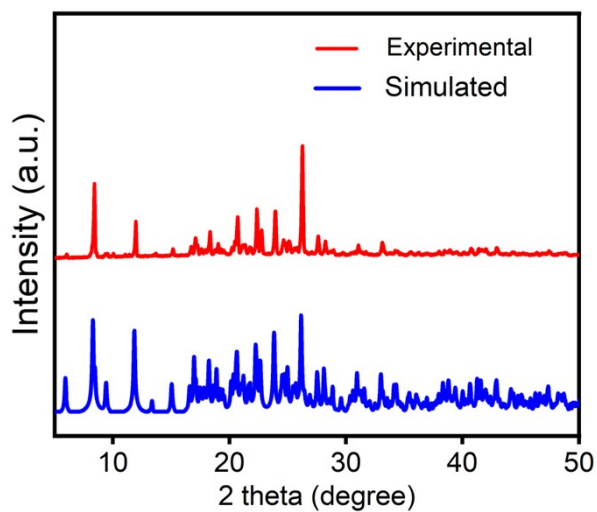
Cu(1)–O(1W)	1.967(2)	Cu(1)–O(3)	1.969(2)
Cu(1)–O(1)	1.9769(19)	Cu(1)–N(1)	2.011(2)
Cu(1)–O(7)#1	2.360(2)	O(1W)–Cu(1)–O(3)	89.32(8)
O(1W)–Cu(1)–O(1)	87.77(8)	O(1W)–Cu(1)–O(7)#1	93.77(7)
O(3)–Cu(1)–O(1)	176.78(8)	O(3)–Cu(1)–O(7)#1	92.18(8)
O(1W)–Cu(1)–N(1)	176.76(9)	O(1)–Cu(1)–O(7)#1	86.64(8)
O(3)–Cu(1)–N(1)	92.13(9)	N(1)–Cu(1)–O(7)#1	89.07(9)
O(1)–Cu(1)–N(1)	90.86(9)		

Symmetry code: #1  $x - 1/2, y, -z + 3/2$ .

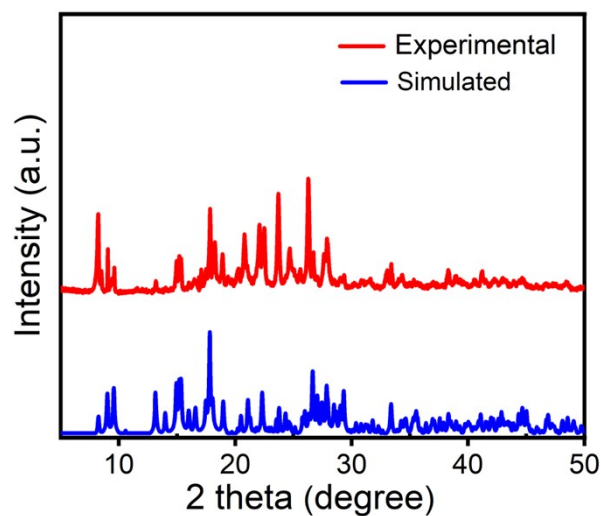
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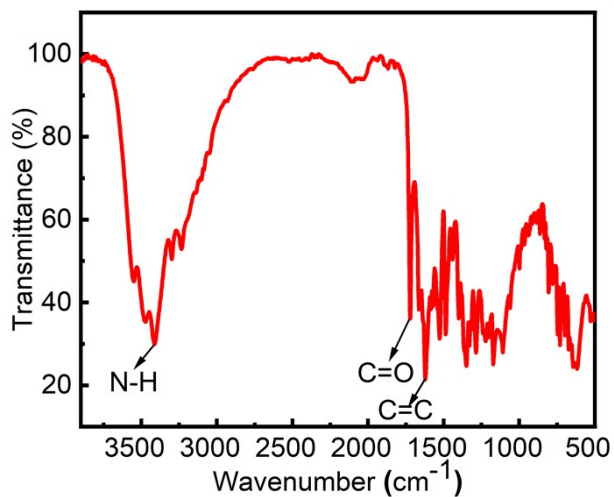
**Fig. S1** NMR spectra of the 3-dpip ligand.



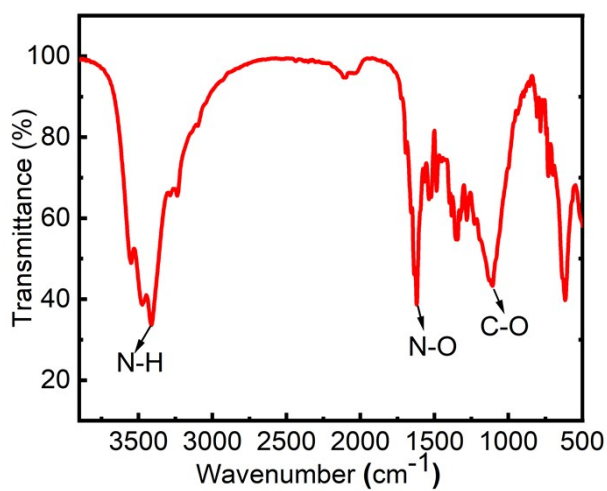
**Fig. S2** The PXRD pattern of Cu-CP-COOH.



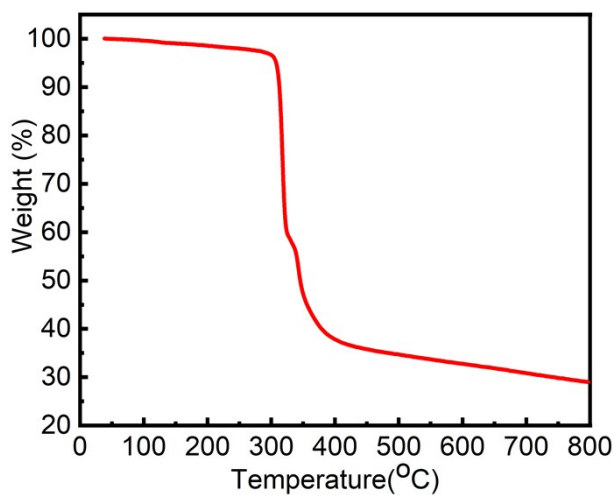
**Fig. S3** The PXRD pattern of Cu-CP-NO<sub>2</sub>.



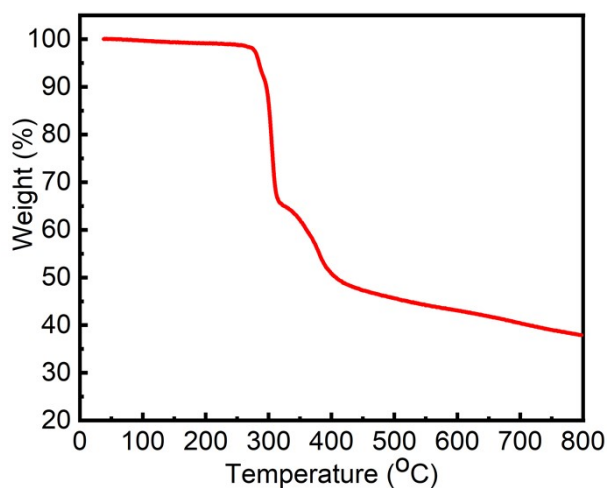
**Fig. S4** The IR spectrum of **Cu-CP-COOH**.



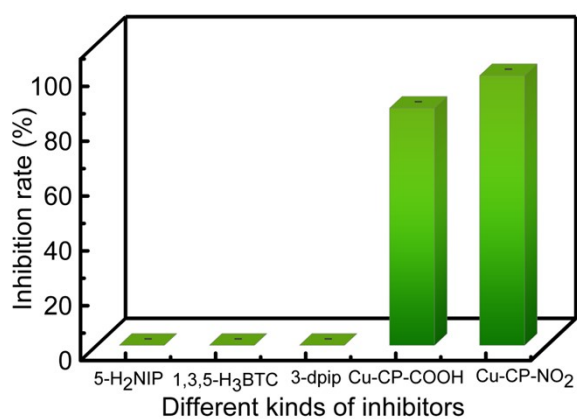
**Fig. S5** The IR spectrum of **Cu-CP-NO<sub>2</sub>**.



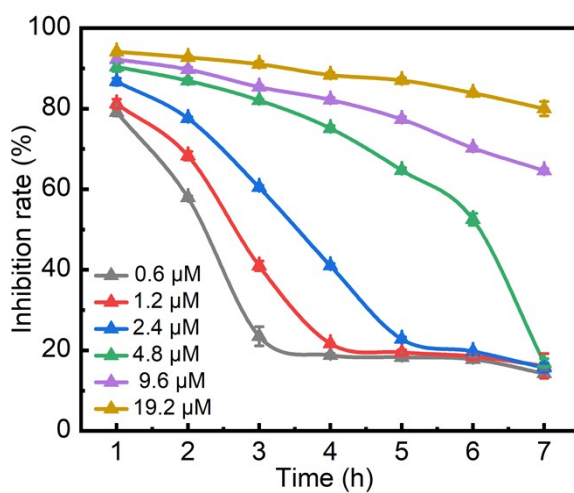
**Fig. S6** TGA curve of **Cu-CP-COOH**.



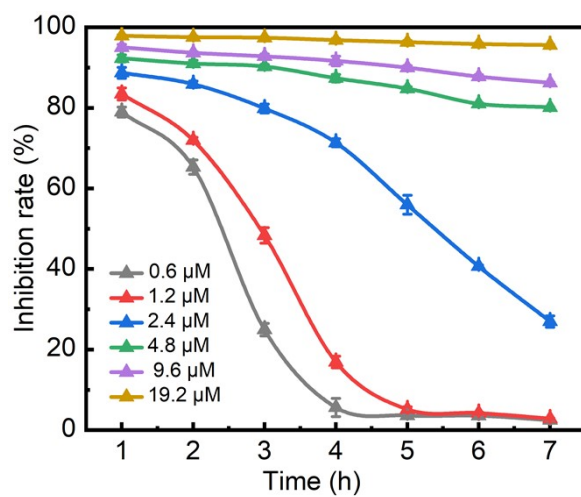
**Fig. S7** TGA curve of Cu-CP-NO<sub>2</sub>.



**Fig. S8** Inhibition of urease by Cu-CPs and ligands at the concentration of 100 μM.



**Fig. S9** Inhibitory activity curves of Cu-CP-COOH from the concentration of 0.6 μM to 19.2 μM.



**Fig. S10** Inhibitory activity curves of **Cu-CP-NO<sub>2</sub>** from the concentration of 0.6 μM to 19.2 μM.