

Electronic Supplementary Information

Conformation impact on spectral properties of bis(5,7-dimethyl-1,8-naphthyridin-2-yl)amine and its Zn^{II} complex

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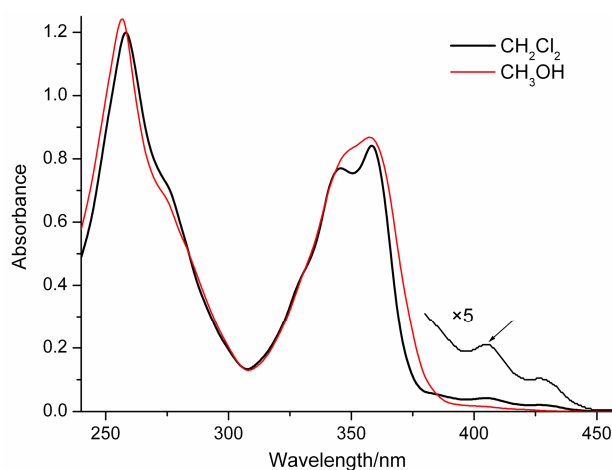


Figure S1 Absorption spectra of compound **2** in dichloromethane (black line) and methanol (red line) at room temperature.

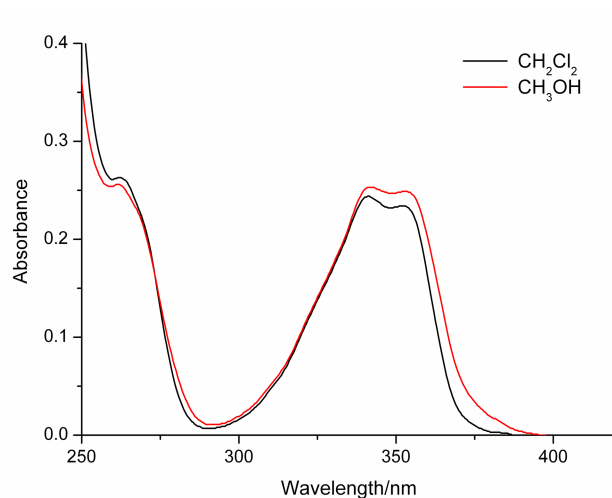


Figure S2 Absorption spectra of compound **3** in dichloromethane (black line) and methanol (red line) at room temperature.

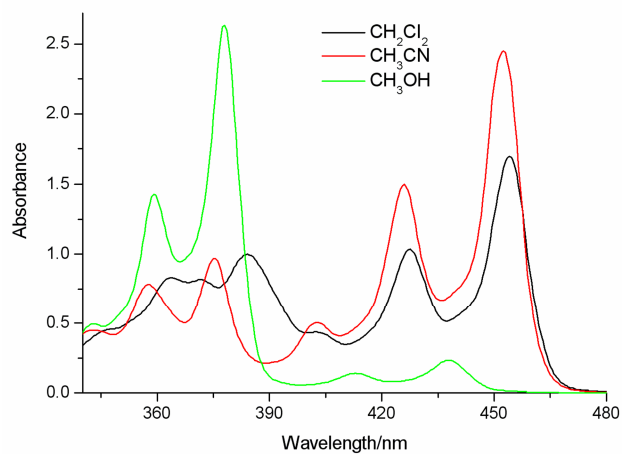


Figure S3 Absorption spectra of complex **4** in dichloromethane (black line), acetonitrile (red line), and methanol (green line) at room temperature.

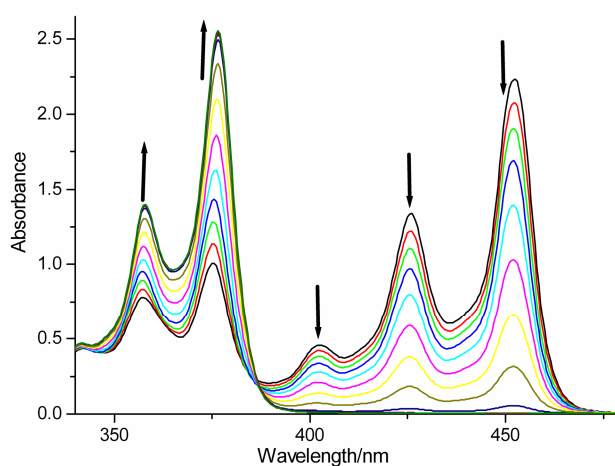


Figure S4 Absorption spectra changes of complex **4** in acetonitrile at room temperature upon addition of HBF₄. Arrows indicate changes in the intensities of bands upon acidification.

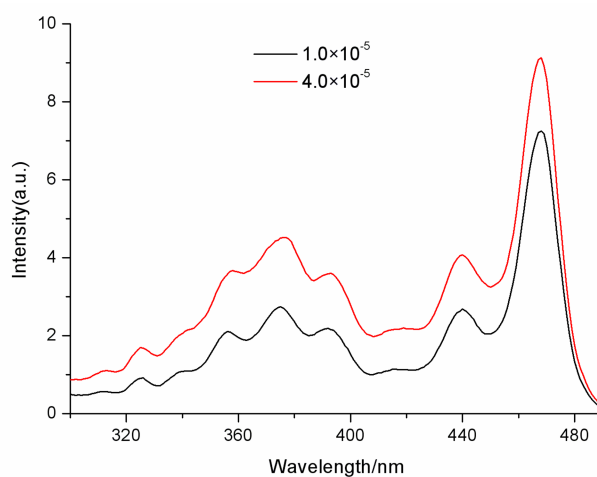


Figure S5 The excitation spectra corresponding to emission at 506 nm with various concentration of **1** (black line, $1.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol L}^{-1}$; red line, $4.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol L}^{-1}$).

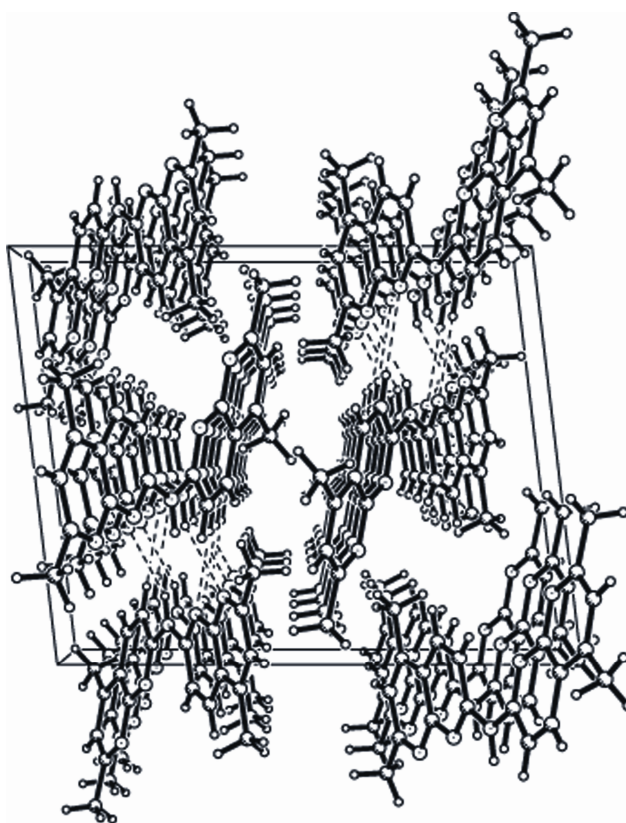


Figure S6 The crystal packing diagram of **1** with 50% probability ellipsoids, showing the intermolecular N-H...N and C-H...N hydrogen bonds linking screw-axis related molecules to generate a chain of molecules extending along the b-direction.

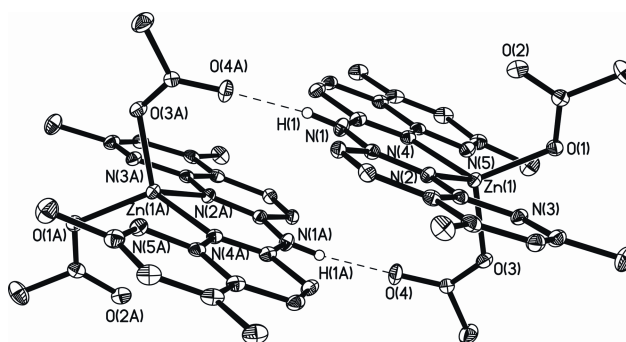


Figure S7 The centrosymmetric H-bonded dimer of **4** with 30% probability ellipsoids is generated by two intermolecular hydrogen bonds of N(1)-H(1)···O(4A) and N(1A)-H(1A)···O(4). The H-atoms not relevant to hydrogen bonds are omitted for clarity.
