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## Do perfluorarene..arene and C–H...F interactions make a difference to 4,2':6',4''-terpyridine-based coordination polymers?

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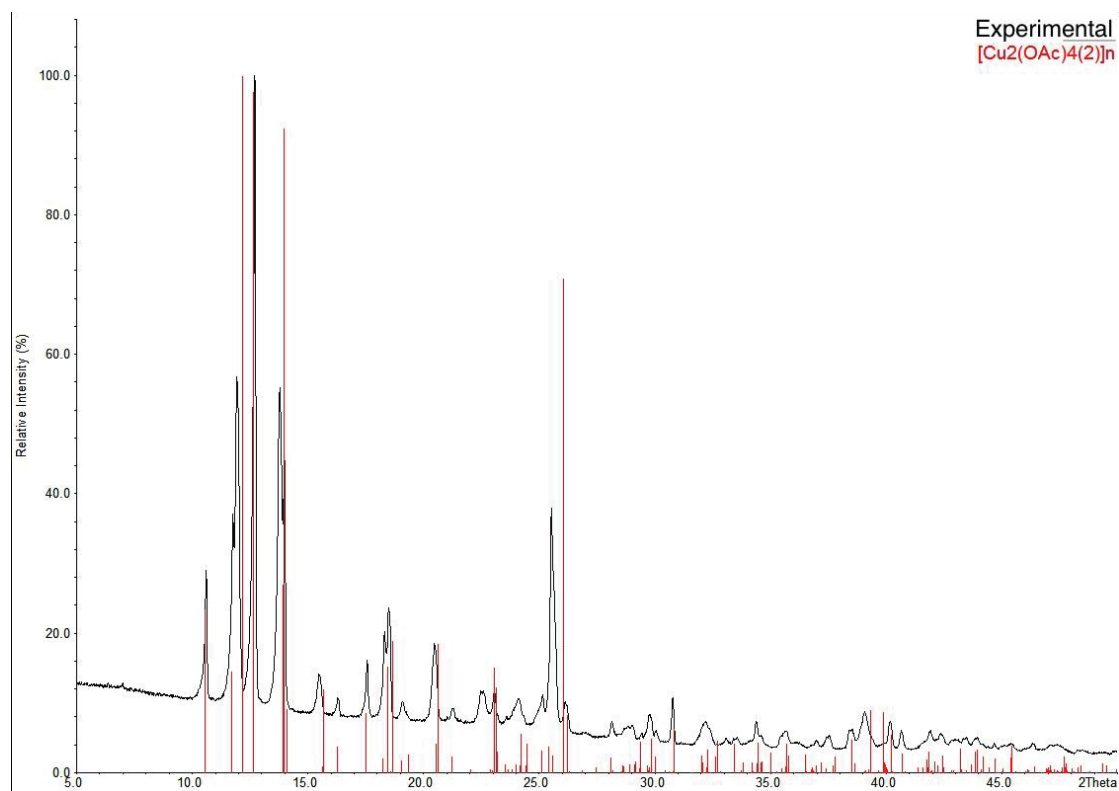


Fig. S1. Experimental powder diffraction pattern for the bulk sample of  $[\text{Cu}_2(\mu\text{-OAc})_4(\mathbf{2})]_n$ , compared to the calculated powder pattern from single crystal data of  $[\text{Cu}_2(\mu\text{-OAc})_4(\mathbf{2})]_n$ .

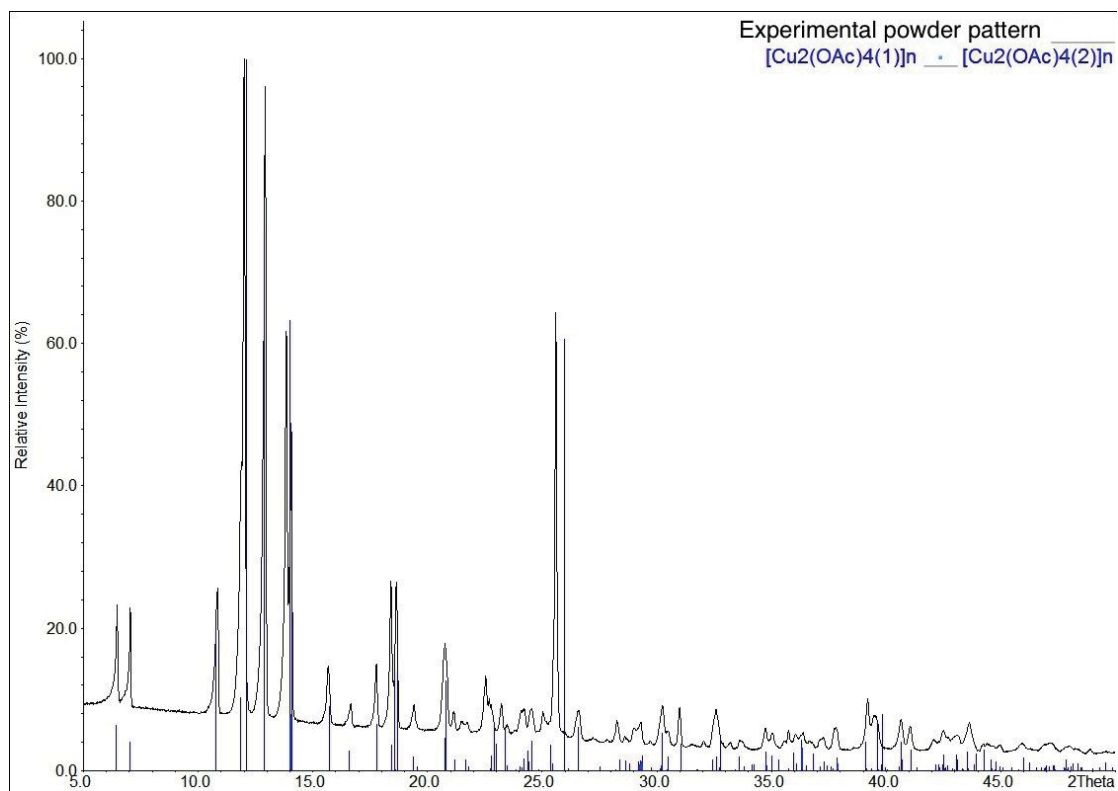


Fig. S2. Experimental powder diffraction pattern for the bulk sample of  $[\text{Cu}_2(\mu\text{-OAc})_4(\mathbf{1})]_n[\text{Cu}_2(\mu\text{-OAc})_4(\mathbf{2})]_n$ , compared to the calculated powder pattern from single crystal data of  $[\text{Cu}_2(\mu\text{-OAc})_4(\mathbf{1})]_n[\text{Cu}_2(\mu\text{-OAc})_4(\mathbf{2})]_n$ .

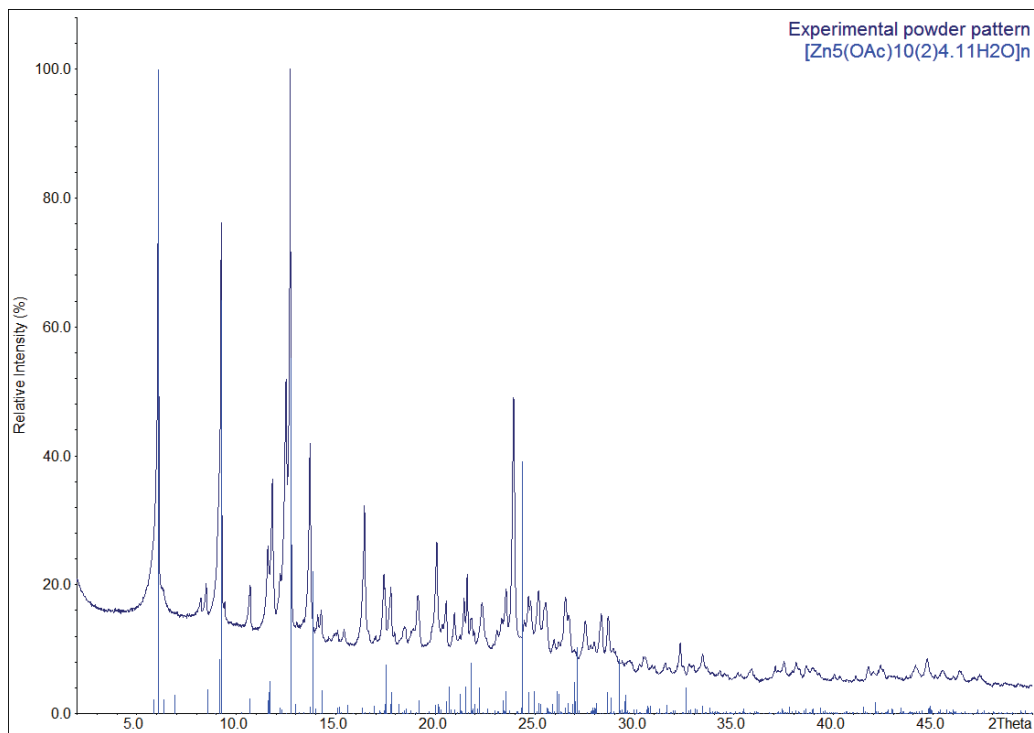


Fig. S3(a)

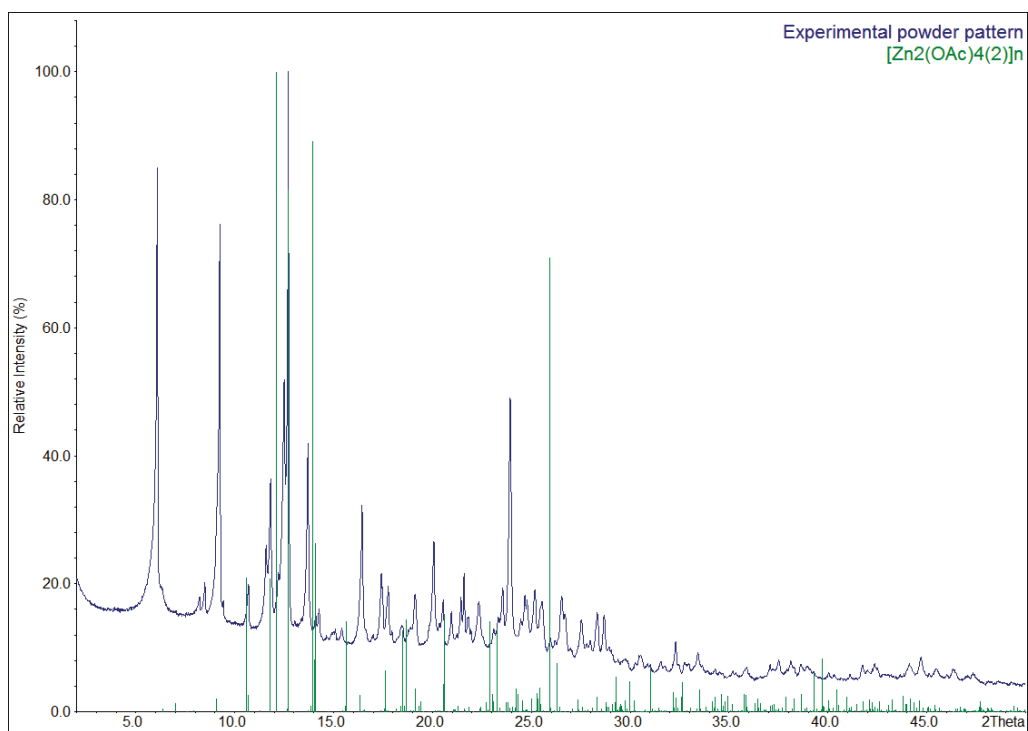


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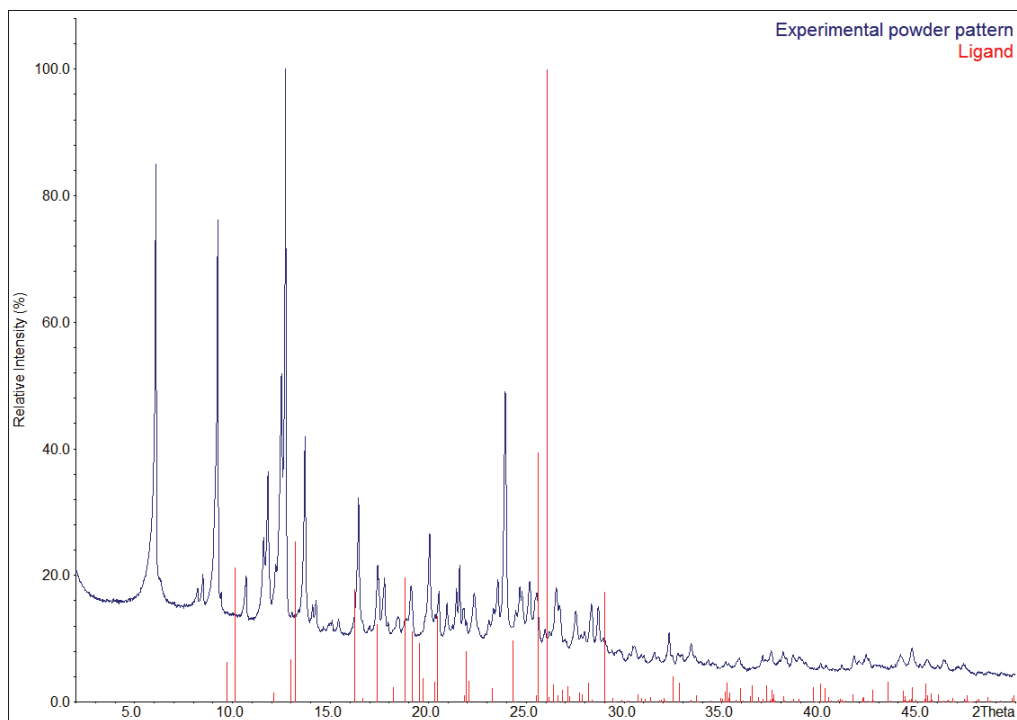


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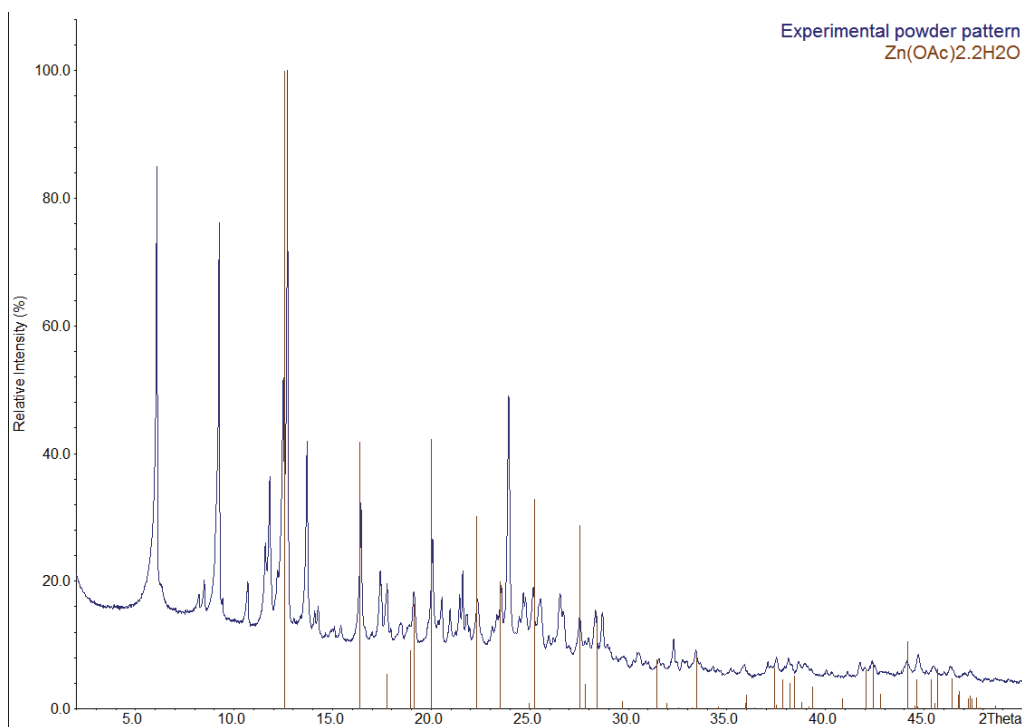


Fig. S3(d)

Fig. S3. Experimental powder diffraction pattern for the bulk sample of the reaction of  $\text{Zn}(\text{OAc})_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and **2**, compared to the calculated powder pattern from single crystal data of (a)  $[\text{Zn}_5(\text{OAc})_{10}(\mathbf{2})_4 \cdot 11\text{H}_2\text{O}]_n$ , (b)  $[\text{Zn}_2(\mu\text{-OAc})_4(\mathbf{2})]_n$ , (c) ligand **2**, and (d)  $\text{Zn}(\text{OAc})_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .