

Supplementary Information

Crystal Structure, Supramolecular Self-Assembly and Interaction with DNA of a Mixed Ligand Manganese(II) Complex

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Table S1. Summary of crystallographic data for complex 1

Empirical formula	C ₃₁ H ₂₁ ClMnN ₄ O ₆
Color/shape	Orange/block
Formula weight	635.91
Crystal size / mm	0.40 × 0.29 × 0.21
Temperature / K	298(2)
Crystal system	Monoclinic
Space group	<i>P</i> ₂ ₁ / <i>n</i>
<i>a</i> / Å	16.8160(19)
<i>b</i> / Å	10.6303(15)
<i>c</i> / Å	16.934(2)
β / degree	113.134(2)
<i>V</i> / Å ³	2783.6(6)
<i>Z</i>	4
<i>D</i> _{calc} / (g cm ⁻³)	1.517
Absorption coefficient / (mm ⁻¹)	0.624
Absorption correction	SADABS
Max. and min. transmission	0.8802 and 0.7885
Data/restraints/parameters	4887 / 0 / 388
<i>F</i> (000)	1300
Theta range / degree	1.45 to 25.01
Reflection collected	13646
Independent reflections	4887
Goodness-of-fit on <i>F</i> ²	1.003
<i>R</i> ₁ , <i>wR</i> ₂ [<i>I</i> > 2σ (<i>I</i>)]	0.0604, 0.1508
Largest diff. peak and hole / (e Å ⁻³)	0.510, -0.360

Table S2. Selected bond lengths (Å) and angles (°) for complex 1

Mn(1)–O(2)	2.057(4)	Mn(1)–N(4)	2.234(5)
Mn(1)–O(1)	2.158(4)	Mn(1)–N(1)	2.264(4)
Mn(1)–N(3)	2.227(5)	Mn(1)–N(2)	2.346(5)
O(2)–Mn(1)–O(1)	84.12(16)	N(1)–Mn(1)–N(2)	71.69(17)
O(2)–Mn(1)–N(3)	91.89(16)	O(1)–Mn(1)–N(1)	102.47(17)
O(1)–Mn(1)–N(3)	160.36(17)	N(3)–Mn(1)–N(1)	96.62(16)
O(2)–Mn(1)–N(4)	113.54(16)	N(4)–Mn(1)–N(1)	155.92(17)
O(1)–Mn(1)–N(4)	90.1(2)	O(2)–Mn(1)–N(2)	159.07(16)
N(3)–Mn(1)–N(4)	73.81(19)	O(1)–Mn(1)–N(2)	93.76(16)
O(2)–Mn(1)–N(1)	88.39(16)	N(3)–Mn(1)–N(2)	96.62(16)
N(4)–Mn(1)–N(2)	87.24(17)	C(3)–O(2)–Mn(1)	130.9(3)

Table S3. Data of π - π stacking interactions in complex **1**^{a,b,c,d}

Stacking moieties (mode)	h	α	r	θ	d	A	B	C
N4-phen and N4A-phen (I)	3.520	0	1.23	19.32	A'	6.450	4.801	3.849
					B'	4.801	3.995	3.629
					C'	3.849	3.629	4.667
N2-py and N1A-py (II)	3.504	11	1.44	22.29	A'	6.249	4.974	3.787
					B'	7.863	6.845	5.117
					C'	9.978	8.621	6.677
short contacts								
N3-py and C7A-ar (III)	3.721	17.60	0.98	14.82	C23...C5A: 3.472; C23...C6A: 3.446 C24...C6A: 3.418			
C7-ar and N1A-phen (IV)		95.50			C7...X2: 3.874; H6...C17A: 2.852; H7...X2: 2.970; H7...C13A: 2.887			

^aSymmetry codes: I 2-x, 2-y, -z; II 1.5-x, 0.5+y, 0.5-z; III 0.5+x, 1.5-y, -0.5+z; IV 0.5+x, 1.5-y, 0.5+z.

^bN4-phen represents the N4-bound phenanthroline; N2-py represents the N2-bound pyridine moiety of phenanthroline; C7-ar represents the C7-bound arene.

^cd Centroid-centroid distance (Å); h Interplanar separation (Å); α dihedral angle (°); θ Slip angle (°); r Centroid displacement (Å). $\cos\theta = h/d$; $r^2 = d^2 - h^2$.

^dA, B, C, A', B' and C' represent the six-membered rings in two stacking phenanthroline ligands. X2 represents the centroid of phenanthroline ligand.

Table S4. A list of hydrogen bonds in complex **1** (Å, °)^a

D-H...A	D-H	H...A	D...A	\angle DHA
C1-H1...O5#1	0.93	2.59	3.22	155
C8-H8...O2	0.93	2.55	3.12	120
C10-H10...O1#2	0.93	2.55	3.32	141
C31-H31...O2#3	0.93	2.53	3.19	128
C22-H22...O3#4	0.93	2.69	3.44	138
C29-H29...O3#5	0.93	2.66	3.38	135

^aSymmetry codes: #1 0.5-x, 0.5+y, 0.5-z; #2 1.5-x, -0.5+y, 0.5-z;

#3 1-x, 1-y, 1-z; #4 1+x, 1+y, z; #5 1-x, 1-y, -z.