

# Supplementary Information

## Structural Characterization and Bioactivity of a Titanium(IV)-Oxo Complex Stabilized by Mandelate Ligands

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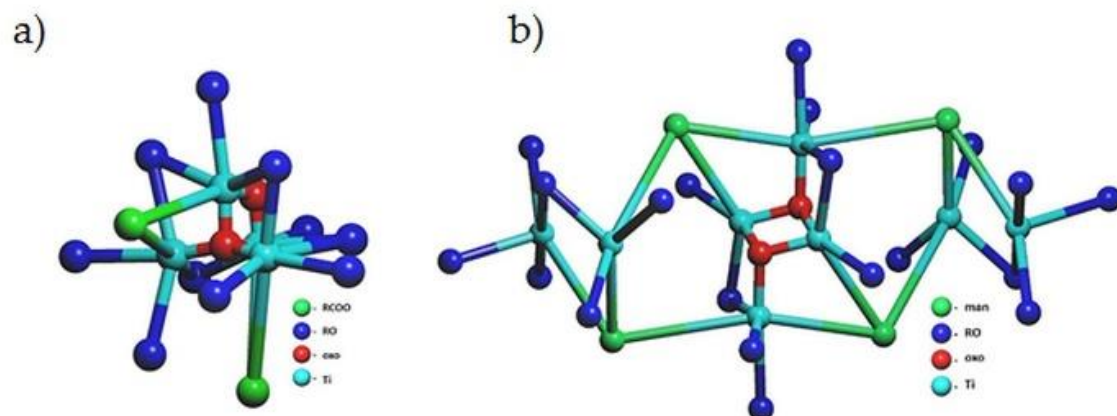
**Table S1.** Selected bond lengths [Å] and bond angles [°] in (1).

	Distance [Å]		Angles [°]		Angles [°]
Ti1-O21	1.798(3)	O21-Ti1-O10	106.35(13)	O3-Ti2-O31 <sup>i</sup>	88.97(12)
Ti1-O10	1.867(3)	O21-Ti1-O31	95.00(13)	O10-Ti2-O31 <sup>i</sup>	75.77(11)
Ti1-O31	1.952(3)	O10-Ti1-O31	104.11(12)	O12-Ti2-O31 <sup>i</sup>	82.35(12)
Ti1-O1	2.055(3)	O21-Ti1-O1	93.57(13)	O81-Ti3-O71	93.59(19)
Ti1-O3	2.058(3)	O10-Ti1-O1	147.75(13)	O81-Ti3-O61	108.5(2)
Ti1-O10 <sup>i</sup>	2.074(3)	O31-Ti1-O1	98.98(12)	O71-Ti3-O61	99.92(18)
Ti1-Ti1 <sup>i</sup>	3.0086(13)	O21-Ti1-O3	92.88(13)	O81-Ti3-O13	171.30(16)
Ti1-Ti2	3.1036(10)	O10-Ti1-O3	78.25(11)	O71-Ti3-O13	94.42(16)
Ti1-Ti2 <sup>i</sup>	3.1940(10)	O31-Ti1-O3	170.73(13)	O61-Ti3-O13	73.42(15)
Ti2-O41	1.769(3)	O1-Ti1-O3	75.62(11)	O81-Ti3-O11	100.03(18)
Ti2-O51	1.807(3)	O21-Ti1-O10 <sup>i</sup>	171.33(13)	O71-Ti3-O11	93.70(16)
Ti2-O3	2.006(3)	O10-Ti1-O10 <sup>i</sup>	80.61(12)	O61-Ti3-O11	147.34(15)
Ti2-O10	2.040(3)	O31-Ti1-O10 <sup>i</sup>	78.06(12)	O13-Ti3-O11	76.06(13)
Ti2-O12	2.054(3)	O1-Ti1-O10 <sup>i</sup>	82.53(11)	O81-Ti3-O2 <sup>i</sup>	82.89(16)
Ti2-O31 <sup>i</sup>	2.091(3)	O3-Ti1-O10 <sup>i</sup>	93.64(11)	O71-Ti3-O2 <sup>i</sup>	173.50(17)
Ti3-O81	1.784(4)	O41-Ti2-O51	97.93(16)	O61-Ti3-O2 <sup>i</sup>	86.41(14)
Ti3-O71	1.795(4)	O41-Ti2-O3	95.43(15)	O13-Ti3-O2 <sup>i</sup>	88.81(13)
Ti3-O61	1.933(4)	O51-Ti2-O3	95.79(13)	O11-Ti3-O2 <sup>i</sup>	81.59(12)
Ti3-O13	2.038(4)	O41-Ti2-O10	98.47(14)	O101-Ti4-O111	101.9(3)
Ti3-O11	2.070(3)	O51-Ti2-O10	162.13(14)	O101-Ti4-O91	111.3(3)
Ti3-O2 <sup>i</sup>	2.172(3)	O3-Ti2-O10	75.65(11)	O111-Ti4-O91	100.0(3)
Ti3-Ti4	3.2486(15)	O41-Ti2-O12	91.80(15)	O101-Ti4-O13	118.1(3)
Ti4-O101	1.773(5)	O51-Ti2-O12	96.26(14)	O111-Ti4-O13	91.02(19)
Ti4-O111	1.787(5)	O3-Ti2-O12	164.96(12)	O91-Ti4-O13	125.55(19)
Ti4-O91	1.801(5)	O10-Ti2-O12	90.27(12)	O101-Ti4-O61	90.6(3)
Ti4-O13	1.979(3)	O41-Ti2-O31 <sup>i</sup>	171.70(14)	O111-Ti4-O61	161.70(19)
Ti4-O61	2.098(4)	O51-Ti2-O31 <sup>i</sup>	88.60(14)	O91-Ti4-O61	87.5(2)
				O13-Ti4-O61	71.20(14)

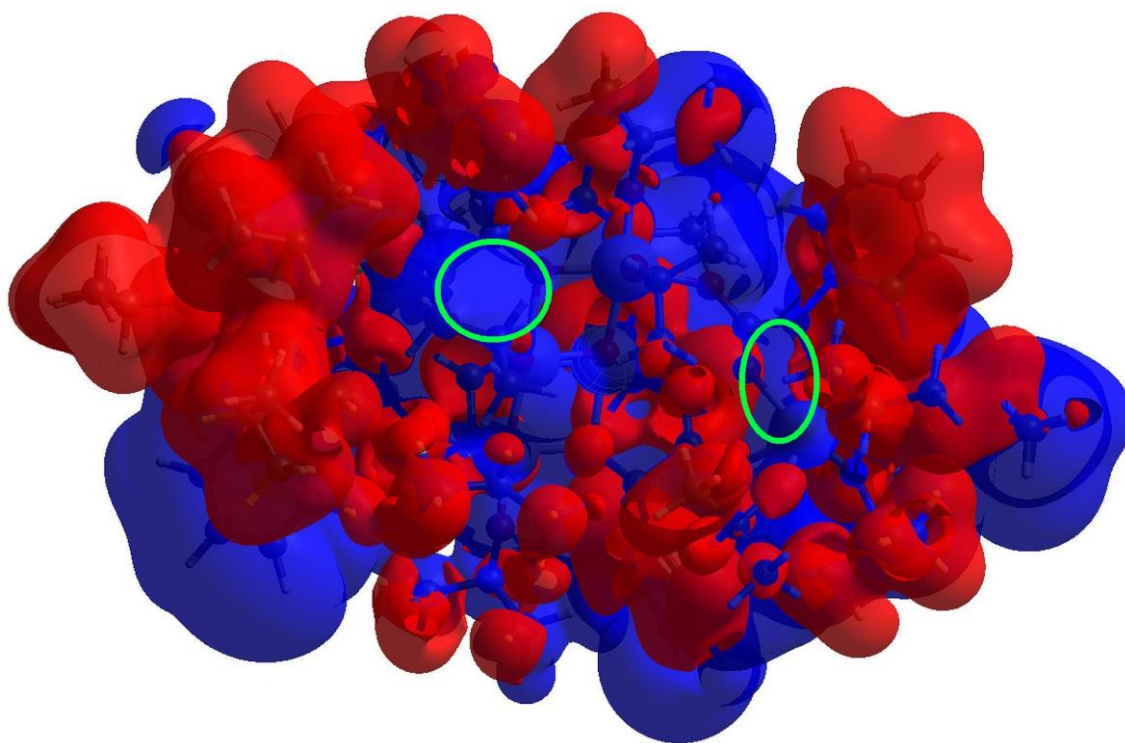
**Table S2.** Coordination modes in (1).

Coordination sphere content – number of atoms involved in Ti(IV) binding						
Central atom	Coordination number	mandelate		iPrO <sup>-</sup> anion		Oxo anion
		RCOO <sup>-</sup>	RO <sup>-</sup>	terminal	bridging	
Ti1	6	1	<b>1</b>	1	1	2
Ti2	6	1	1	2	1	1
Ti3	6	2	<b>1</b>	2	1	-
Ti4	5	-	1	3	1	-

In bold are marked hydroxyl groups involved in five-membered chelate ring with one oxygen atom from carboxylic group



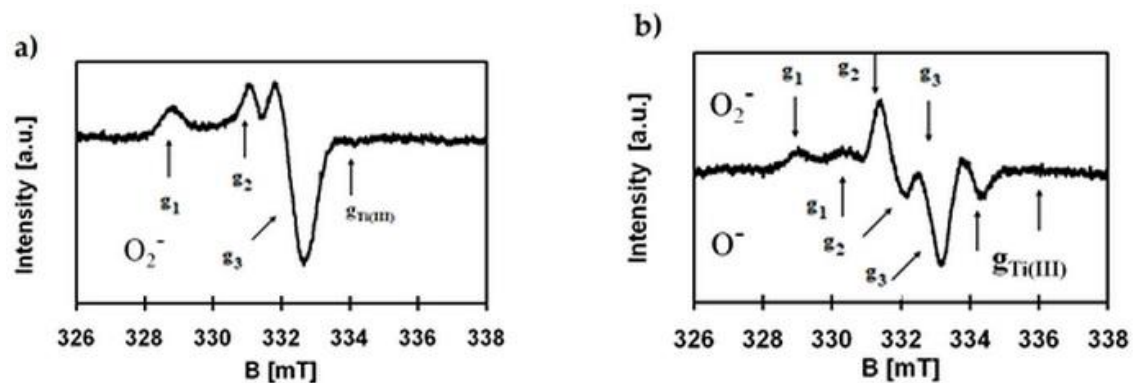
**Figure S1.** The topological analysis of the cluster with  $\{\text{Ti}_4\text{O}_2\}$  core ([7] left) (a), and  $\{\text{Ti}_8\text{O}_2\}$  (**1**) (this paper, right) cores performed in TOPOS with titanium cations in cyan, oxo anions in red, mandelate (carboxylate) anions in green and propionate anions in blue.



**Figure S2.** 3D-deformation density map for (1) showing the presence of charge depletion regions (in red) and charge concentration regions (in blue), mapped using Crystal Explorer 21.5. The isosurfaces are drawn at 0.008 eau<sup>-3</sup>. The green circles show two of four chelate rings present in this molecule. In all of them the same feature occurs – the blue color prevails pointing at charge concentration in this region. The wavefunction was calculated at the level B3LYP/6-31G(d,p) [80-83].

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**Figure S3.** EPR spectra of powdered TOCs (a) and PMMA + (1) wt.20% composite (b) of TOCs. Some experimental conditions: room temperature, microwave frequency: 9.31648 GHz (a) 9.32357 GHz (b); modulation amplitude: 1 mT; sweep: 20 mT; sweep time: 4 min.; time constant: 0.1 s; receiver gain:  $4 \times 10^5$ .