



Synthesis and Structure of Copper Complexes of a N₆O₄ Macrocyclic Ligand and Catalytic Application in Alcohol Oxidation

Complex	T range (°C)	Weight loss (%)	Assignment of the released
			fragment
1	$T_i - 200$	1.9	solvents
	200 - 430	52.3	Two $N(C_2H_4)_2$ and four SO_3CF_3
			groups
	430 - 575	33.7	CH ₂ PhO fragments
2	$T_i - 150$	17.7	solvents
	250 - 450	32.1	Two $N(C_2H_4)_2$ and four SO ₃ and
			CH ₃ groups
	450 - 720	39.6	CH ₂ PhO fragments
3	$T_i - 175$	19.6	solvents
	210 - 270	34.5	NO ₃ and all CH ₂ fragments
	375 - 548	28.4	PhO fragments
5	$T_i - 162$	7.1	Solvents
	189 - 375	38.8	Four phenyl groups, two
			CH_2CH_2 and two $C_4H_{11}N_3$
			groups
	375 - 380	9.5	Four CO ₂ groups
	380 - 444	8.6	Four CH ₂ and O- groups of the
			ligand
	444 - 600	22.9	Four aryl groups of the ligand
6	$T_i - 110$	6.9	Solvents
	165 - 230	22.4	Two CH_2CH_2 and two $C_4H_{11}N_3$
			of the ligand
	230 - 470	23.2	Four O ₂ CMe ligands
	470 - 800	33.1	CH ₂ PhO fragments

Table S1. Decomposition processes in TG-DTA of the complexes 1-3, 5 and 6.

^{*a*} T_i = initial temperature.



Figure S1-1. A view of the crystal packing of compound **1** along the *a* axis.



Figure S1-2. A view of the crystal packing of compound **2** along the *a* axis.



Figure S1-3. A view of the crystal packing of compound **3** along the *c* axis.



Figure S1-4. A view of the crystal packing of compound **4** along the *a* axis.



Figure S1-5. A view of the crystal packing of compound **5** along the *a* axis.



Figure S1-6. A view of the crystal packing of compound **6** along the *a* axis.



Figure S2-1. Experimental and simulated EPR spectra of a DMF solution of 1.



Figure S2-2. Experimental and simulated EPR spectra of a DMF solution of 2.







Figure S2-4. Experimental and simulated EPR spectra of a dichloromethane:methanol (0.85:0.15) solution of **5**.



Figure S2-5. Experimental and simulated EPR spectra of a dichloromethane:methanol (0.85:0.15) solution of **6**.



Figure S3-1. TG-DTA curves of compound 1.



Figure S3-2. TG-DTA curves of compound 2.



Figure S3-3. TG-DTA curves of compound 3.



Figure S3-4. TG-DTA curves of compound 5.



Figure S3-5. TG-DTA curves of compound 6.