

## Interactions of di-Imine Copper(II) Complexes with Albumin: Competitive Equilibria, Promoted Oxidative Damage and DFT Studies

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**Table S1.** Bond critical point properties (a.u.) of complexes [CuL] **1-6** and [Cu(BSA)]<sup>+</sup> at the BP86/TZVP level

Bonds	[Cu(apzpn)] <sup>2+</sup>					Bonds	[Cu(apzepy)(H <sub>2</sub> O)] <sup>2+</sup>				
	ρ <sub>b</sub>	∇ <sup>2</sup> ρ <sub>b</sub>	G <sub>b</sub>	V <sub>b</sub>	H <sub>b</sub>		ρ <sub>b</sub>	∇ <sup>2</sup> ρ <sub>b</sub>	G <sub>b</sub>	V <sub>b</sub>	H <sub>b</sub>
C-N	0.332	-0.878	0.499	-1.217	-0.718	C-N	0.332	-0.858	0.503	-1.220	-0.717
C-N	0.331	-0.865	0.498	-1.212	-0.714	C-N	0.319	-0.876	0.444	-1.108	-0.663
C-N	0.319	-0.878	0.444	-1.107	-0.663	C-N	0.358	-0.920	0.573	-1.376	-0.803
C-N	0.360	-0.936	0.575	-1.384	-0.809	C-N	0.256	-0.576	0.280	-0.704	-0.424
C-N	0.251	-0.548	0.263	-0.662	-0.400	C-N	0.315	-0.850	0.439	-1.090	-0.651
C-N	0.359	-0.952	0.573	-1.384	-0.811	C-N	0.317	-0.850	0.446	-1.106	-0.659
	<b>0.325<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>-0.843</b>	<b>0.475</b>	<b>-1.161</b>	<b>-0.686</b>		<b>0.316</b>	<b>-0.822</b>	<b>0.448</b>	<b>-1.101</b>	<b>-0.653</b>
Cu-N	0.092	0.323	0.028	0.026	0.053	Cu-N	0.090	0.323	0.026	0.029	0.055
Cu-N	0.086	0.312	0.024	0.030	0.054	Cu-N	0.094	0.316	0.028	0.023	0.051
Cu-N	0.094	0.325	0.029	0.024	0.052	Cu-N	0.096	0.328	0.030	0.023	0.052
Cu-N	0.086	0.311	0.024	0.030	0.054		<b>0.093</b>	<b>0.322</b>	<b>0.028</b>	<b>0.025</b>	<b>0.053</b>
	<b>0.090</b>	<b>0.318</b>	<b>0.026</b>	<b>0.027</b>	<b>0.053</b>	Cu-O	<b>0.048</b>	<b>0.227</b>	<b>0.005</b>	<b>0.046</b>	<b>0.051</b>
[Cu(pyalen)] <sup>2+</sup>						[Cu(dachist)] <sup>2+</sup>					
Bonds	ρ <sub>b</sub>	∇ <sup>2</sup> ρ <sub>b</sub>	G <sub>b</sub>	V <sub>b</sub>	H <sub>b</sub>	Bonds	ρ <sub>b</sub>	∇ <sup>2</sup> ρ <sub>b</sub>	G <sub>b</sub>	V <sub>b</sub>	H <sub>b</sub>
C-N	0.370	-0.855	0.612	-1.438	-0.826	C-N	0.250	-0.545	0.257	-0.650	-0.393
C-N	0.252	-0.556	0.268	-0.675	-0.407	C-N	0.361	-0.953	0.578	-1.394	-0.816
C-N	0.252	-0.556	0.268	-0.675	-0.407	C-N	0.361	-0.944	0.342	-0.921	-0.578
C-N	0.370	-0.858	0.612	-1.438	-0.826	C-N	0.250	-0.546	0.258	-0.652	-0.394
C-N	0.313	-0.864	0.414	-1.044	-0.630	C-N	0.297	-0.748	0.375	-0.937	-0.562
C-N	0.331	-0.894	0.491	-1.206	-0.715	C-N	0.337	-0.970	0.483	-1.210	-0.726
C-N	0.330	-0.888	0.491	-1.204	-0.713	C-N	0.337	-0.971	0.483	-1.209	-0.726
C-N	0.313	-0.864	0.414	-1.044	-0.630	C-N	0.297	-0.747	0.375	-0.937	-0.562
	<b>0.316</b>	<b>-0.792</b>	<b>0.446</b>	<b>-1.091</b>	<b>-0.644</b>		<b>0.311</b>	<b>-0.803</b>	<b>0.394</b>	<b>-0.989</b>	<b>-0.595</b>
Cu-N	0.096	0.336	0.030	0.024	0.054	Cu-N	0.088	0.304	0.025	0.026	0.051
Cu-N	0.096	0.335	0.030	0.024	0.054	Cu-N	0.088	0.306	0.025	0.027	0.052
Cu-N	0.084	0.300	0.023	0.029	0.052	Cu-N	0.094	0.347	0.028	0.030	0.059
Cu-N	0.084	0.300	0.023	0.029	0.052	Cu-N	0.094	0.347	0.028	0.030	0.058
	<b>0.090</b>	<b>0.318</b>	<b>0.027</b>	<b>0.026</b>	<b>0.053</b>		<b>0.091</b>	<b>0.326</b>	<b>0.027</b>	<b>0.028</b>	<b>0.055</b>

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**Table S1.** Bond critical point properties (a.u.) of complexes [CuL] **1-6** and [Cu(BSA)]<sup>+</sup> at the BP86/TZVP level (cont.)

Bonds	[Cu(BSA)] <sup>+</sup>					Bonds	[Cu(apyepy)(H <sub>2</sub> O)] <sup>2+</sup>				
	ρ <sub>b</sub>	∇ <sup>2</sup> ρ <sub>b</sub>	G <sub>b</sub>	V <sub>b</sub>	H <sub>b</sub>		ρ <sub>b</sub>	∇ <sup>2</sup> ρ <sub>b</sub>	G <sub>b</sub>	V <sub>b</sub>	H <sub>b</sub>
C-N	0.247	-0.529	0.248	-0.629	-0.380	C-N	0.328	-0.867	0.485	-1.187	-0.702
C-N	0.292	-0.769	0.335	-0.862	-0.527	C-N	0.317	-0.875	0.432	-1.082	-0.650
C-N	0.241	-0.487	0.236	-0.594	-0.358	C-N	0.359	-0.917	0.578	-1.385	-0.807
C-N	0.271	-0.633	0.281	-0.720	-0.439	C-N	0.252	-0.558	0.267	-0.673	-0.406
C-N	0.240	-0.489	0.221	-0.563	-0.343	C-N	0.318	-0.860	0.450	-1.114	-0.665
C-N	0.342	-1.001	0.498	-1.247	-0.748	C-N	0.318	-0.850	0.452	-1.116	-0.664
C-N	0.294	-0.733	0.366	-0.916	-0.550		<b>0.315</b>	<b>-0.821</b>	<b>0.444</b>	<b>-1.093</b>	<b>-0.649</b>
	<b>0.275</b>	<b>-0.663</b>	<b>0.312</b>	<b>-0.790</b>	<b>-0.478</b>	Cu-N	0.095	0.343	0.029	0.028	0.057
Cu-N	0.043	-0.033	0.134	0.005	0.024	Cu-N	0.094	0.319	0.028	0.023	0.051
Cu-N	0.073	-0.058	0.232	0.018	0.022	Cu-N	0.098	0.343	0.031	0.023	0.055
Cu-N	0.075	-0.063	0.251	0.018	0.027		<b>0.096</b>	<b>0.335</b>	<b>0.030</b>	<b>0.025</b>	<b>0.054</b>
Cu-N	0.102	-0.097	0.387	0.033	0.031	Cu-O	<b>0.059</b>	<b>0.277</b>	<b>0.010</b>	<b>0.049</b>	<b>0.059</b>
	<b>0.064</b>	<b>-0.051</b>	<b>0.206</b>	<b>0.013</b>	<b>0.024</b>						
[Cu(apzhist)(H <sub>2</sub> O)] <sup>2+</sup>											
Bonds	ρ <sub>b</sub>	∇ <sup>2</sup> ρ <sub>b</sub>	G <sub>b</sub>	V <sub>b</sub>	H <sub>b</sub>						
C-N	0.336	-0.962	0.238	-0.717	-0.479						
C-N	0.296	-0.739	0.192	-0.569	-0.377						
C-N	0.327	-0.848	0.271	-0.753	-0.483						
C-N	0.297	-0.678	0.245	-0.660	-0.415						
C-N	0.252	-0.556	0.132	-0.404	-0.271						
C-N	0.359	-0.923	0.343	-0.917	-0.574						
	<b>0.311</b>	<b>-0.784</b>	<b>0.237</b>	<b>-0.670</b>	<b>-0.433</b>						
Cu-N	0.102	0.371	0.125	-0.158	-0.033						
Cu-N	0.087	0.285	0.096	-0.121	-0.025						
Cu-N	0.092	0.332	0.111	-0.138	-0.028						
	<b>0.094</b>	<b>0.329</b>	<b>0.111</b>	<b>-0.139</b>	<b>-0.029</b>						
Cu-O	<b>0.049</b>	<b>0.229</b>	<b>0.063</b>	<b>-0.069</b>	<b>-0.006</b>						

<sup>a</sup> Average values are depicted in bold type.