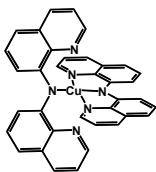


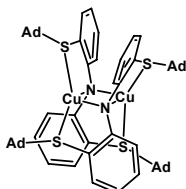
## **Appendix B**

Undiscussed solid-state molecular structures

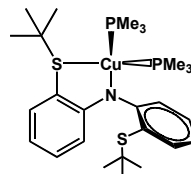
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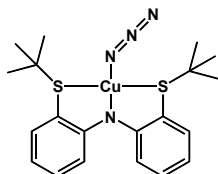
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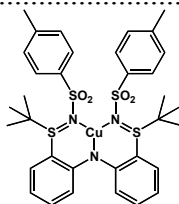
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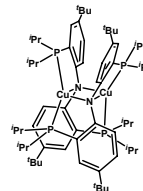
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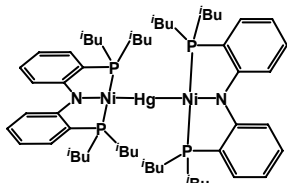
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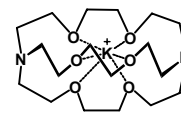
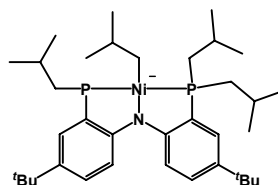
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{{(tBu<sub>2</sub>-<sup>i</sup>PrPNP)Cu}<sub>2</sub> ..... B-9



{{(PNP)Ni}<sub>2</sub>Hg ..... B-10



[(PNP')Ni-CH<sub>2</sub>CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>][(crypt)K] ..... B-11

Table B.1: X-ray parameters for assorted copper and nickel amide complexes. <sup>a</sup>

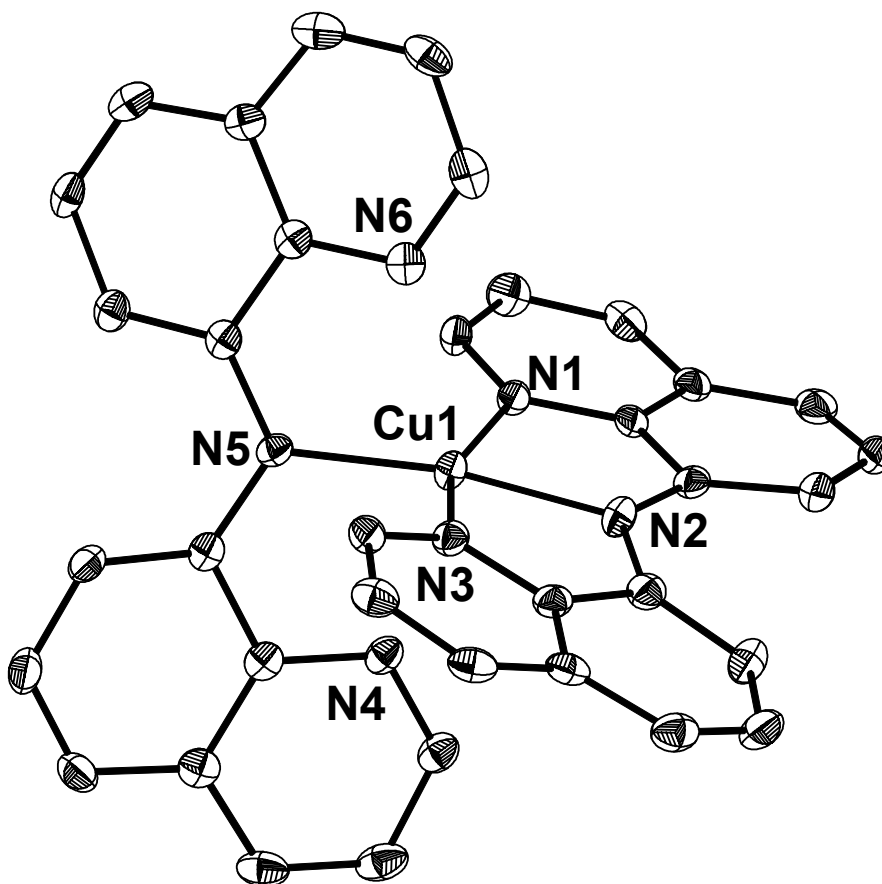
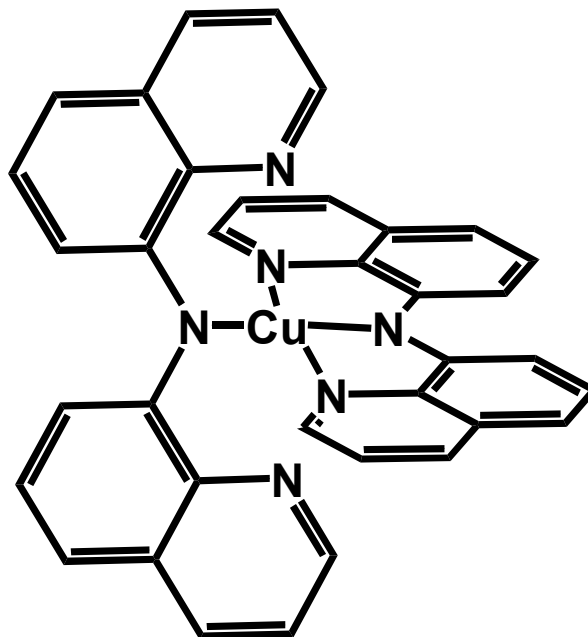
	Page B-4	Page B-5	Page B-6	Page B-7	Page B-8	Page B-9	Page B-10	Page B-11
Chemical Formula	C <sub>36</sub> H <sub>24</sub> CuN <sub>6</sub>	C <sub>64</sub> H <sub>76</sub> Cu <sub>2</sub> N <sub>2</sub> S <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>26</sub> H <sub>44</sub> CuN <sub>2</sub> P <sub>2</sub> S <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>20</sub> H <sub>26</sub> CuN <sub>4</sub> S <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>34</sub> H <sub>40</sub> CuN <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub> S <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>64</sub> H <sub>104</sub> Cu <sub>2</sub> N <sub>2</sub> P <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>56</sub> H <sub>88</sub> HgN <sub>2</sub> Ni <sub>2</sub> P <sub>4</sub>	[C <sub>36</sub> H <sub>60</sub> NP <sub>2</sub> Ni] [C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>36</sub> KN <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> ]
Formula Weight	604.15	1128.65	560.22	499.09	746.47	1152.45	1231.17	1043.09
T (K)	100(2)	98(2)	98(2)	98(2)	100(2)	100(2)	100(2)	100(2)
$\lambda$ (Å)	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073
a (Å)	14.0498(9)	23.875(6)	9.7826(8)	8.9030(6)	10.979(3)	22.778(2)	20.2832(5)	13.297(5)
b (Å)	29.936(2)	21.522(5)	9.8845(8)	25.869(2)	20.300(4)	14.334(1)	16.7095(4)	21.98(1)
c (Å)	13.4935(8)	25.877(7)	16.210(1)	9.0191(6)	16.544(3)	38.483(3)	16.7667(5)	20.600(9)
$\alpha$ (°)	90	90	82.890(1)	90	90	90	90	90
$\beta$ (°)	104.211(1)	90	79.295(1)	91.2610(10)	109.19(2)	94.282(1)	93.390(1)	102.17(3)
$\gamma$ (°)	90	90	73.818(1)	90	90	90	90	90
V (Å <sup>3</sup> )	5501.5(6)	13297(6)	1474.8(2)	2076.7(2)	3482.4(13)	12529(2)	5672.7(3)	5886(5)
Crystal System	Monoclinic	Orthorhombic	Triclinic	Monoclinic	Monoclinic	Monoclinic	Monoclinic	Monoclinic
Space Group	Cc (#9)	Pbca (#61)	P-1 (#2)	P2(1)/n (#14)	P2(1)/c (#14)	P 2(1)/c (#14)	C 2/c (#15)	P 2(1)/c (#14)
Z	8	8	2	2	4	8	4	4
D <sup>calcd</sup> (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	1.459	1.350	1.262	1.440	1.424	1.222	1.442	1.177
$\mu$ (mm <sup>-1</sup> )	0.833	1.017	1.005	1.265	0.909	0.820	3.506	0.501
R1	0.0473	0.0842	0.0254	0.0320	0.0513	0.0514	0.0335	0.0470
wR2	0.0707	0.1836	0.0667	0.0656	0.0765	0.0888	0.0665	0.0796
(I>2 $\sigma$ (I))								

<sup>a</sup> R1 =  $\Sigma ||F_o| - |F_c|| / \Sigma |F_o|$ , wR2 =  $\{\Sigma [w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2] / \Sigma [w(F_o^2)]\}^{1/2}$

**(BQA)<sub>2</sub>Cu**Bond Lengths and Angles

Cu1-N1	2.070(2) Å
Cu1-N3	2.053(2) Å
Cu1-N2	1.969(2) Å
Cu1-N5	2.002(2) Å
Cu1-N6	2.482(2) Å
Cu1-N4	2.359(2) Å

N1-Cu1-N3	159.76(8)°
N2-Cu1-N5	171.12(9)°
N1-Cu1-N2	80.50(9)°
N3-Cu1-N2	80.60(8)°
N3-Cu1-N5	96.58(8)°
N1-Cu1-N5	103.17(8)°

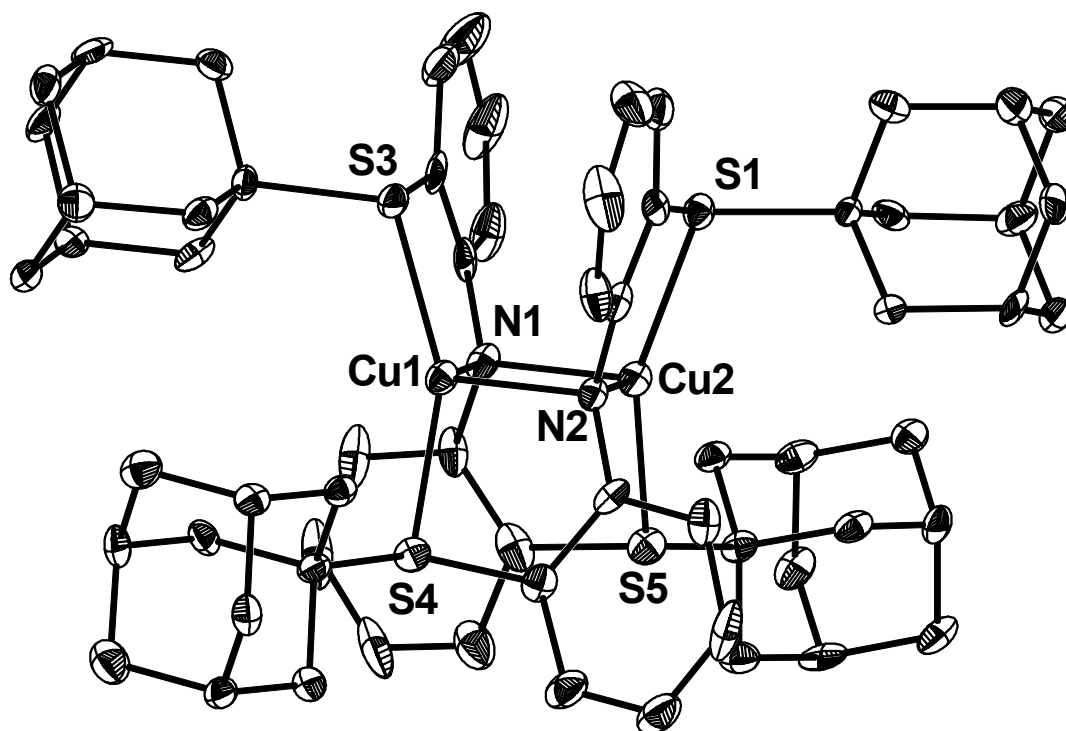
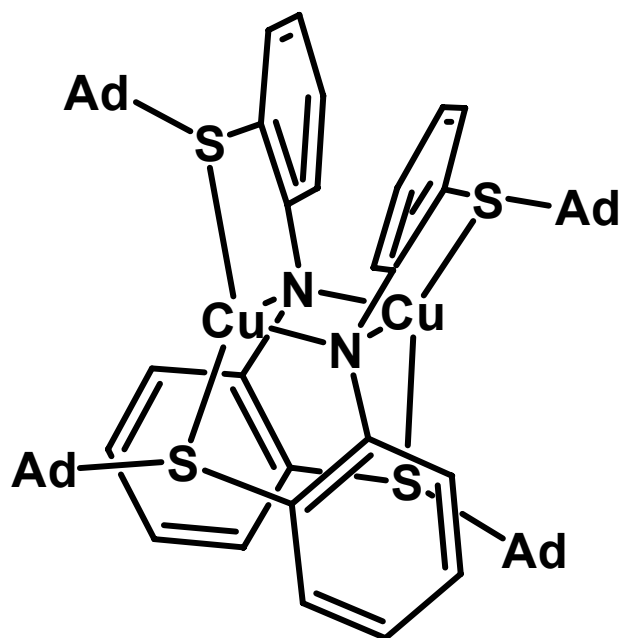


# $\{(\text{AdSNS})\text{Cu}\}_2$

## Bond Lengths and Angles

Cu1–Cu2	2.6184(12) Å
N1–Cu1	2.119(5) Å
N1–Cu2	2.137(4) Å
N2–Cu1	2.132(4) Å
N2–Cu2	2.128(5) Å
Cu1–S4	2.263(2) Å
Cu1–S3	2.267(2) Å
Cu2–S1	2.267(2) Å
Cu2–S5	2.265(2) Å

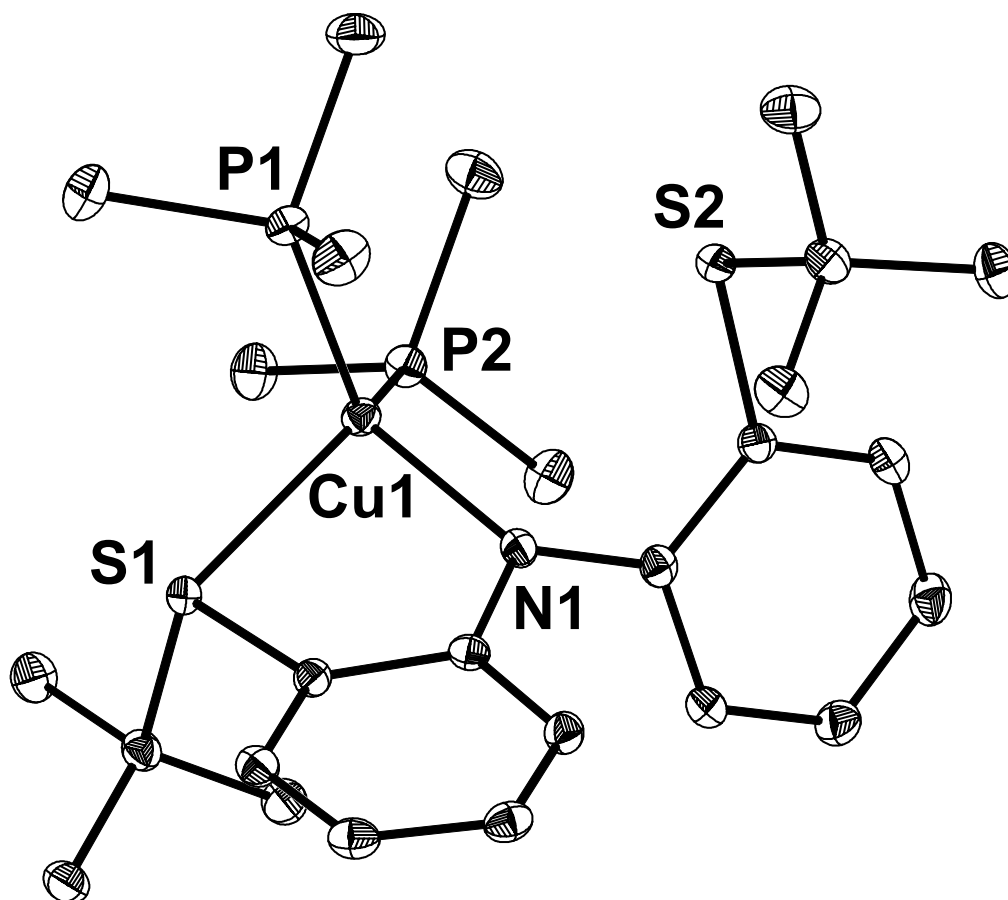
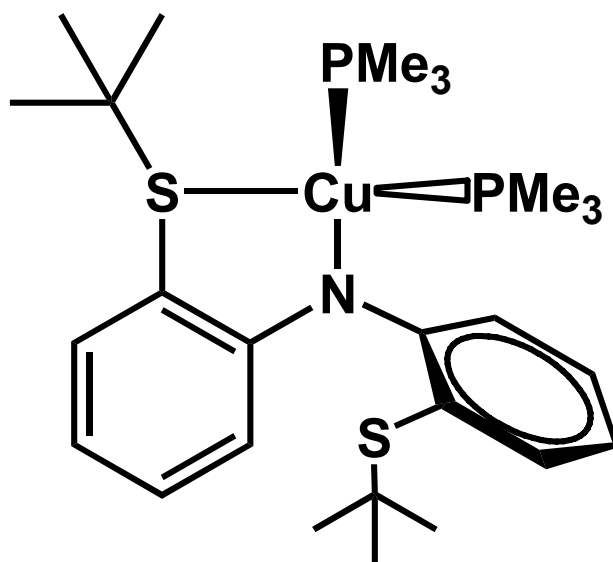
N1–Cu1–N2	104.35(18)°
N1–Cu2–N2	103.87(18)°
Cu1–N1–Cu2	75.92(16)°
Cu1–N2–Cu2	75.85(16)°
S3–Cu1–S4	152.95(7)°
S1–Cu2–S5	153.54(8)°



**(PMe<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>Cu(SNS)**Bond Lengths and Angles

Cu1-N1	2.043(1) Å
Cu1-S1	2.393(1) Å
Cu1-P1	2.275(2) Å
Cu1-P2	2.229(1) Å
Cu1-S2	3.536(1) Å

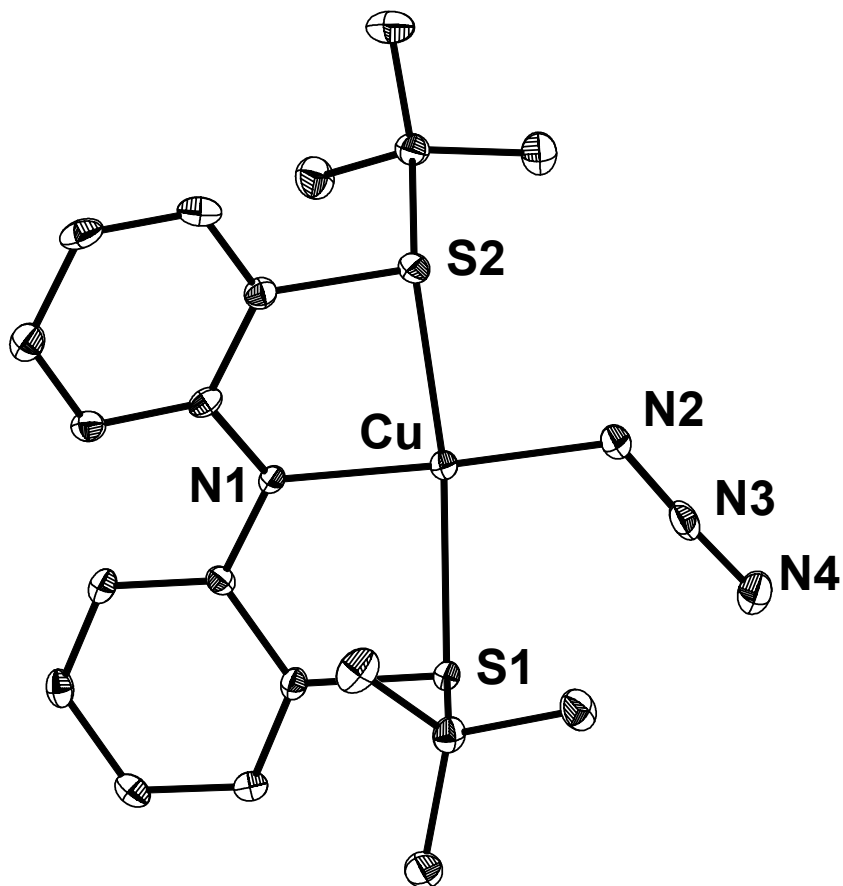
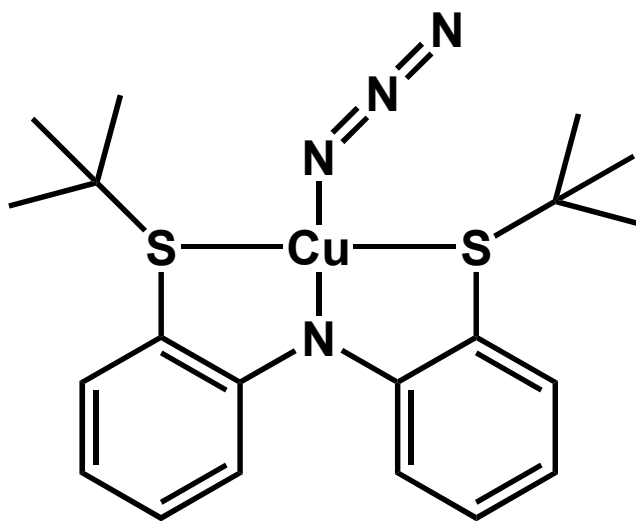
N1-Cu1-S1	85.28(3)°
N1-Cu1-P1	111.26(3)°
N1-Cu1-P2	114.85(4)°
P2-Cu1-P1	118.39(2)°
P1-Cu1-S1	95.58(1)°
S1-Cu1-P2	126.15(1)°



**(SNS)CuN<sub>3</sub>****Bond Lengths and Angles**

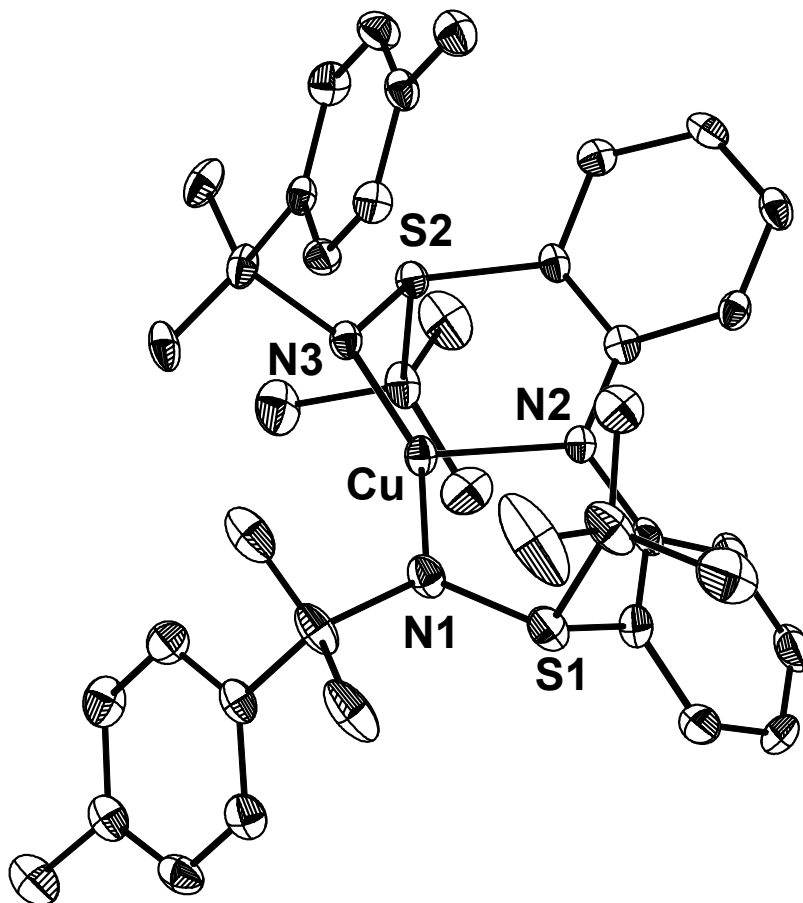
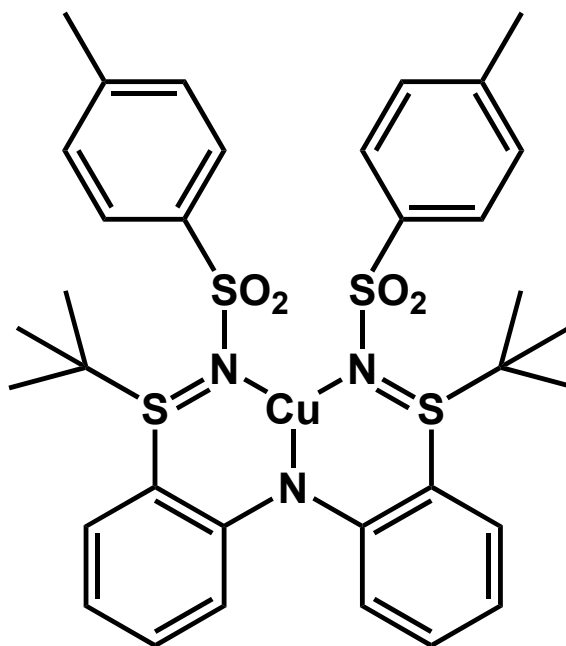
Cu-N1	1.911(2) Å
Cu-S1	2.342(1) Å
Cu-S2	2.370(1) Å
Cu-N2	1.930(2) Å
N2-N3	1.200(2) Å
N3-N4	1.154(2) Å

S1-Cu-N1	86.14(5)°
N1-Cu-S2	85.88(5)°
S2-Cu-N2	93.28(5)°
N2-Cu-S1	96.17(5)°
Cu-N2-N3	123.81(14)°
N2-N3-N4	177.01(19)°
S1-Cu-S2	162.45(2)°
N1-Cu-N2	174.26(7)°



**$((\text{TosN})_2\text{-SNS})\text{Cu}$** **Bond Lengths and Angles**

Cu-N1	1.898(18) Å
Cu-N2	2.017(3) Å
Cu-N3	1.903(18) Å
N1-S1	1.649(12) Å
N3-S2	1.652(10) Å
N1-Cu-N2	102.87(12)°
N2-Cu-N3	103.66(12)°
N3-Cu-N1	153.47(14)°
Cu-N1-S1	120.06(19)°
Cu-N3-S2	118.36(17)°

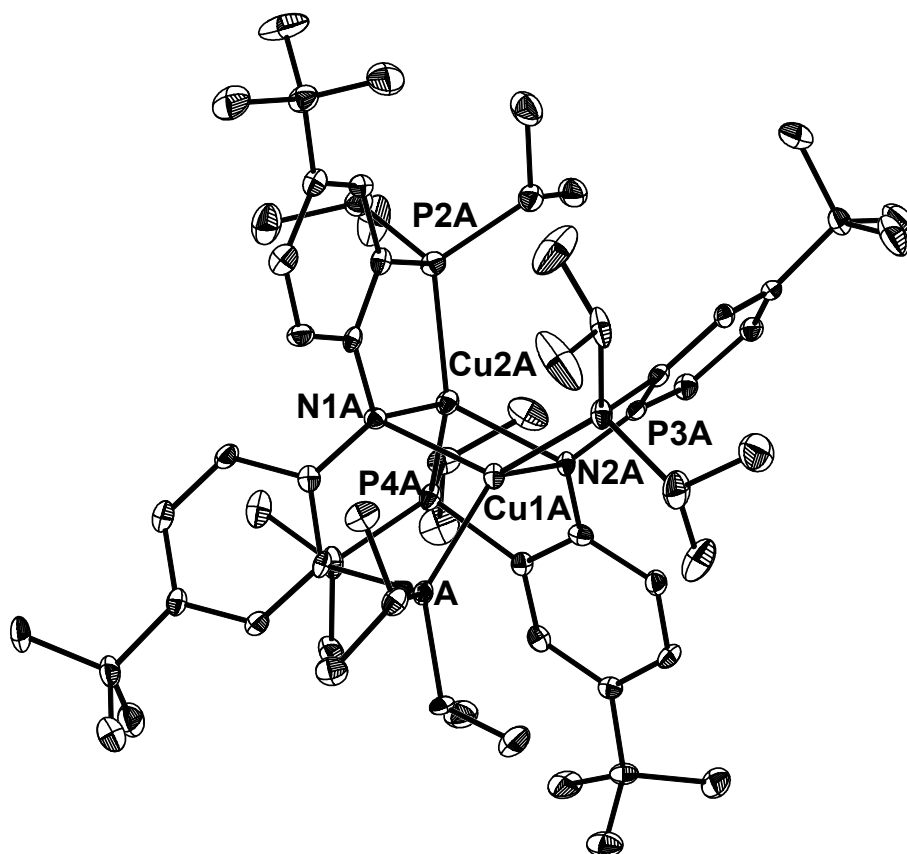
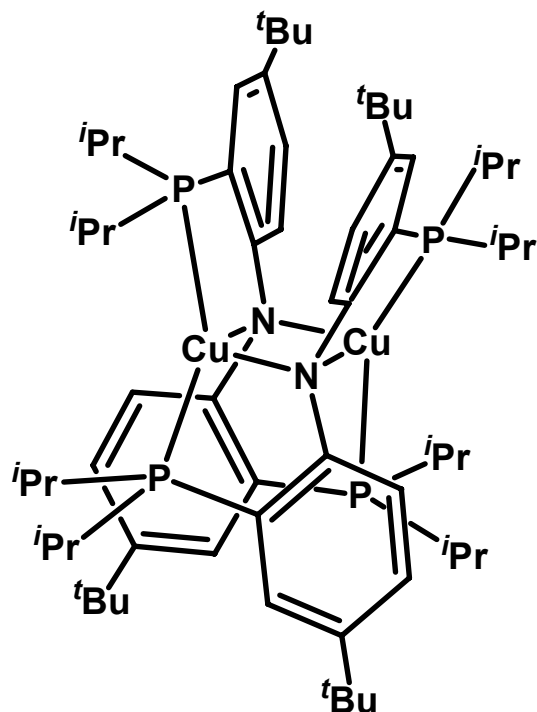




# $\{(\text{tBu}_2\text{-iPrPNP})\text{Cu}\}_2$

## Bond Lengths and Angles

Cu1A-Cu2A	2.7027(6) Å
Cu1A-N1A	2.143(3) Å
Cu1A-N2A	2.171(2) Å
Cu2A-N1A	2.186(2) Å
Cu2A-N2A	2.169(3) Å
Cu1A-P1A	2.237(1) Å
Cu1A-P3A	2.215(1) Å
Cu2A-P2A	2.215(1) Å
Cu2A-P4A	2.221(1) Å
N1A-Cu1A-N2A	103.50(9)°
N1A-Cu2A-N2A	102.17(9)°
Cu1A-N1A-Cu2A	77.26(8)°
Cu1A-N2A-Cu2A	77.04(8)°
P1A-Cu1A-P3A	128.82(4)°
P2A-Cu2A-P4A	137.75(4)°

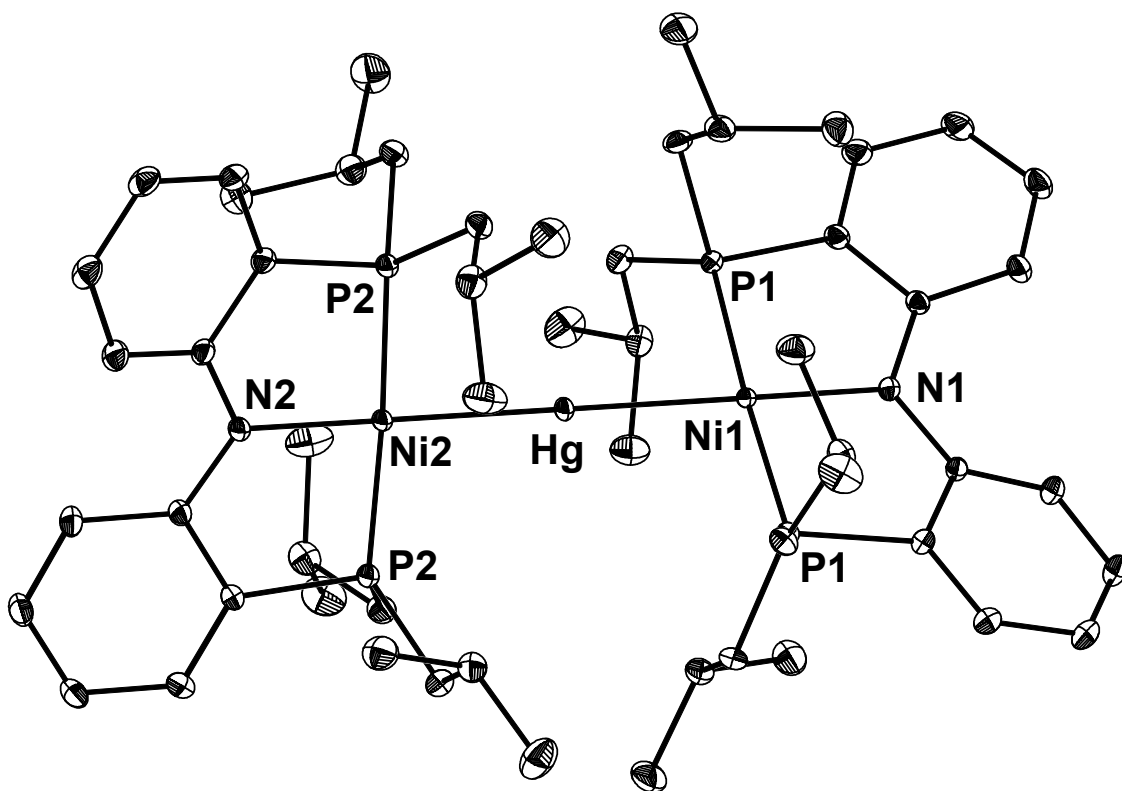
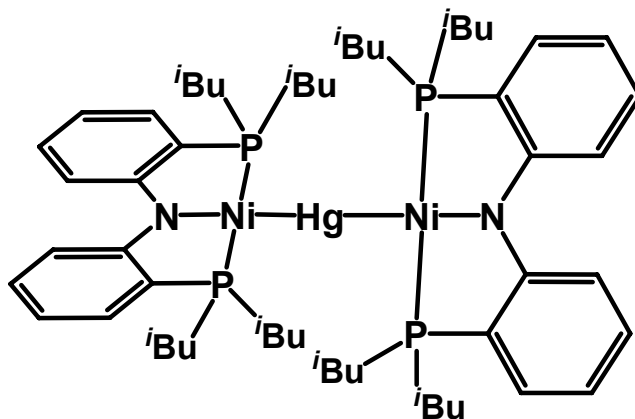


## $\{(\text{PNP})\text{Ni}\}_2\text{Hg}$

### Bond Lengths and Angles

Ni1–P1	2.135(1) Å
Ni1–N1	1.969(2) Å
Ni2–P2	2.141(1) Å
Ni2–N2	1.969(2) Å
Ni2–Hg	2.509(0) Å
Ni1–Hg	2.514(0) Å

P1–Ni1–N1	88.63(1)°
P1–Ni1–P1	177.25(1)°
P2–Ni2–N2	88.25(1)°
P2–Ni2–P2	176.49(1)°
N1–Ni1–Hg	180.00(3)°
Ni1–Hg–Ni2	180.0°
Hg–Ni2–N2	180.00(3)°



# [(PNP')Ni-CH<sub>2</sub>CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>][[(crypt)K]

## Bond Lengths and Angles

N1–Ni	1.960(6)
P1–Ni	2.142(24)
P2–Ni	2.201(15)
C33–Ni	1.964(12)
N1–Ni–P1	86.35(6)°
P1–Ni–C33	95.18(7)°
Ni–P2–C33	40.27(5)°
P2–Ni–N1	87.79(6)°
N1–Ni–C33	170.52(9)°
P1–Ni–P2	162.54(4)°

