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TRINUCLEAR MIXED-VALENT MANGANESE COMPLEX WITH NON-SCHIFF-BASE TETRADENTATE LIGAND SHOWING A FERROMAGNETIC COUPLING

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Abstract. Mixed-valent trinuclear manganese complex with N,N'-bis(2-hydroxy-3,5-dimethylbenzyl-N,N'-dimethyl-1,2-ethanediamine (H₂hdde), [Mn₃(hdde)₂(CH₃CO₂)₂(CH₃O)₂], was synthesized. The X-ray crystal structure analysis revealed that compound is a trinuclear manganese complex with linearly arrangement of Mn^{III}-Mn^{III}, where two manganese ions of each Mn^{III}-Mn^{III} pair are bridged by μ -phenolato-oxygen of hdde²⁻ ligand, μ -methanolato-oxygen, and μ -acetato ion. Temperature dependence of magnetic susceptibilities showed an increase of magnetic moment as the temperature lowers in the range of 300—6 K and a decrease below 6 K. The magnetic analysis based on Heisenberg model yielded ferromagnetic coupling ($J = 2.62 \text{ cm}^{-1}$) between Mn^{III} and Mn^{II} ions.

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