

## **Supporting Information**

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# Synthesis and Relaxometric Studies of a Dendrimer-based pH responsive MRI Contrast Agent

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#### **Electronic Supplementary Information S1**

#### Table S1. Crystallographic data for 5

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Identification code} & \text{jf1426ffmi} \\ \\ \text{Empirical formula} & C_{18}H_{30}N_2O_8P_2 \end{array}$ 

Formula weight 464.38

Temperature 90(2) K

Wavelength 0.71073 Å

Crystal system Orthorhombic

Space group P n a 2<sub>1</sub>

Unit cell dimensions a = 19.2299(12) Å  $\alpha = 90^{\circ}$ .

b = 15.1795(9) Å  $\beta = 90^{\circ}.$ 

c = 15.6480(10) Å  $\gamma = 90^{\circ}$ .

Volume 4567.7(5) Å<sup>3</sup>

Z 8

Density (calculated)  $1.351 \text{ Mg/m}^3$ Absorption coefficient  $0.236 \text{ mm}^{-1}$ F(000) 1968

Crystal size 0.46 x 0.41 x 0.25 mm<sup>3</sup>
Crystal color and habit Colorless Irregular Block
Diffractometer Bruker SMART1000

Theta range for data collection  $1.71 \text{ to } 30.00^{\circ}.$ 

Index ranges -27 = h = 27, -21 = k = 21, -22 = 1 = 22

Reflections collected 51060

Independent reflections 13322 [R(int) = 0.0393]

Observed reflections (I > 2 sigma(I)) 11744Completeness to theta =  $30.00^{\circ}$  100.0%

Absorption correction SADABS, Analytical Max. and min. transmission 0.9430 and 0.8994

Solution method SHELXS-97 (Sheldrick, 1990)

Refinement method SHELXL-97 (Sheldrick, 1997) Full-matrix least-

squares on F2

Data / restraints / parameters 13322 / 27 / 645

Goodness-of-fit on F<sup>2</sup> 1.118

Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)] R1 = 0.0572, wR2 = 0.1202 R indices (all data) R1 = 0.0655, wR2 = 0.1239

Absolute structure parameter 0.38(9)

Largest diff. peak and hole 0.450 and -0.458 e.Å<sup>-3</sup>

### **Electronic Supplementary Information S2**

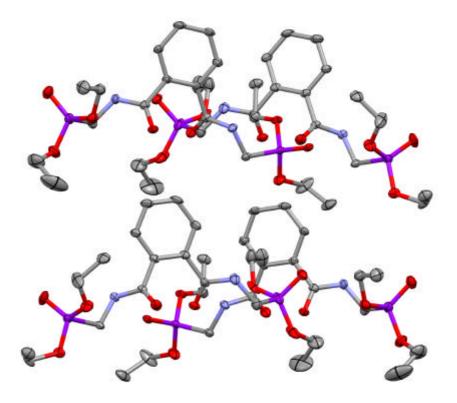


Figure S1. Packing diagram of the crystal structure of 5 view down the c-axis

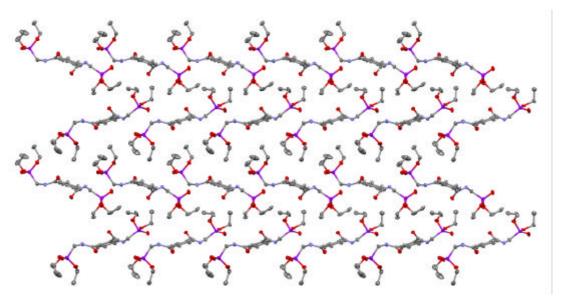


Figure S2. Packing diagram of the crystal structure of 5 view down the b-axis