



Spectroscopic and photophysical properties of chalcogenide-capped octahedral hexarhenium complexes with N-heteroaromatic ligands

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Summary of Sulfide-capped Hexarhenium Complexes with N-heteroaromatic Ligands Synthesis of the Complexes The reaction of [Re₆S₈Cl₆]³⁻ with excess amount of N-heteroaromatic ligand in refluxing DMF gave trans-, cis-[Re₆S₈Cl₄(N-heteroaromatic ligand)₂]²⁻ and mer-[Re₆S₈Cl₃(N-heteroaromatic ligand)₃]⁻. The photoirradiation of [Re₆S₈Cl₆]⁴⁻ with excess amount of N-heteroaromatic ligand in CH₃CN at RT afforded [Re₆S₈Cl₅(N-heteroaromatic ligand)]³⁻. **Electrochemical Properties** The $\text{Re}_6(23e/24e)$ process at the ground and excited state were controlled by the donating ability of the N-heteroaromatic ligand and the number and combination of chloride and N-heteroaromatic Ligands Spectroscopic and Photophysical Prperties The complexes showed Re₆ core-centered or MLCT character in the excited state. The complex with low-lying π^* orbital showed MLCT excited state.

























