Table 1 Selected Distances, Angles, and Torsions for **1**

Bond	Distance (Å)	
	Experimental	Calculated
Re(1)-C(16)	1.89(1)	1.916
Re(1)-C(17)	1.934(8)	1.936
Re(1)-C(18)	1.90(1)	1.918
Re(1)-N(1)	2.162(6)	2.197
Re(1)-N(2)	2.236(9)	2.293
Re(1)-Cl(1)	2.496(2)	2.525
Angle	**Degrees (°)**	
	Experimental	Calculated
C(16)-Re(1)-C(17)	87.6(4)	86.877
C(16)-Re(1)-C(18)	88.3(4)	90.613
C(17)-Re(1)-C(18)	87.3(4)	89.557
C(16)-Re(1)-N(1)	96.4(3)	96.240
C(17)-Re(1)-N(1)	174.9(3)	175.600
C(18)-Re(1)-N(1)	95.9(3)	93.506
C(16)-Re(1)-N(2)	169.3(3)	170.368
C(17)-Re(1)-N(2)	101.1(3)	102.755
C(18)-Re(1)-N(2)	98.3(3)	89.415
N(2)-Re(1)-N(1)	74.5(3)	74.146
C(16)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	91.7(3)	91.453
C(17)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	91.7(3)	94.786
C(18)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	179.9(3)	175.286
N(1)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	84.0(2)	82.058
N(2)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	81.6(2)	87.840
O(1)-C(16)-Re(1)	179.6(9)	178.224
O(2)-C(17)-Re(1)	176.0(8)	176.907
O(3)-C(18)-Re(1)	177.3(9)	179.317
Torsion	**Degrees (°)**	
	Experimental	Calculated
N(1)-C(5)-C(6)-N(2)	16(1)	15
N(2)-C(10)-C(11)-N(3)	41(1)	139

Table 2 Selected Distances, Angles, and Torsions for **2**

Bond	Distance (Å)	
	Experimental	Calculated
Re(1)-C(16)	1.926(9)	1.92438
Re(1)-C(17)	1.975(10)	1.90687
Re(1)-N(1)	2.119(7)	2.13186
Re(1)-N(2)	2.080(7)	2.08705
Re(1)-N(3)	2.126(7)	2.13185
Re(1)-Cl(1)	2.489(3)	2.53337
N(1)-N(3)	4.14(1)	4.14772
Angle	Degrees (°)	
	Experimental	Calculated
C(16)-Re(1)-C(17)	91.5(4)	89.188
C(16)-Re(1)-N(2)	173.7(4)	172.050
C(17)-Re(1)-N(2)	94.6(3)	98.762
C(16)-Re(1)-N(1)	103.9(3)	102.980
C(17)-Re(1)-N(1)	92.7(3)	93.429
N(2)-Re(1)-N(1)	77.3(3)	76.684
C(16)-Re(1)-N(3)	101.8(3)	102.986
C(17)-Re(1)-N(3)	91.7(3)	93.419
N(2)-Re(1)-N(3)	76.6(3)	76.684
N(1)-Re(1)-N(3)	153.7(3)	153.210
C(16)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	91.8(3)	89.136
C(17)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	176.5(2)	178.324
N(2)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	82.1(2)	82.913
N(1)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	85.4(2)	86.953
N(3)-Re(1)-Cl(1)	88.7(2)	86.953
O(1)-C(16)-Re(1)	177.9(9)	179.079
O(2)-C(17)-Re(1)	173.2(8)	179.182
Selected Torsions (deg)		
N(1)-C(5)-C(6)-N(2)	1(1)	2
N(2)-C(10)-C(11)-N(3)	-4(1)	-2

Table 3 Selected Distances, Angles, and Torsions for **3**

Bond	Distance (Å)	
	Experimental	Calculated
Re(1)-C(16)	1.911(3)	
Re(1)-C(17)	1.890(3)	
Re(1)-C(18)	1.921(4)	
Re(1)-N(1)	2.173(3)	
Re(1)-N(2)	2.232(2)	
Re(1)-Br(1)	2.6410(4)	
Angle	**Degrees (°)**	
	Experimental	Calculated
C(16)-Re(1)-C(17)	89.1(1)	
C(16)-Re(1)-C(18)	85.9(1)	
C(16)-Re(1)-N(1)	97.9(1)	
C(17)-Re(1)-N(1)	92.5(1)	
C(18)-Re(1)-N(1)	175.4(1)	
C(16)-Re(1)-N(2)	171.2(1)	
C(17)-Re(1)-N(2)	96.0(1)	
C(18)-Re(1)-N(2)	101.3(1)	
N(1)-Re(1)-N(2)	74.7(1)	
C(16)-Re(1)-Br(1)	92.7(1)	
C(17)-Re(1)-Br(1)	177.6(1)	
C(18)-Re(1)-Br(1)	91.6(1)	
N(1)-Re(1)-Br(1)	85.74(7)	
N(2)-Re(1)-Br(1)	82.07(7)	
O(1)-C(16)-Re(1)	178.6(3)	
O(2)-C(17)-Re(1)	179.5(3)	
O(3)-C(18)-Re(1)	179.9(3)	
Selected Torsions (deg)		
N(1)-C(6)-C(1)-N(2)	-15.4(4)	
N(2)-C(5)-C(11)-N(3)	141.1(3)	

Table 4 Selected Distances, Angles, and Torsions for **5**

Axial CN			Planar CN		
Bond	Distance (Å)		Bond	Distance (Å)	
	Exp.	Calc.		Exp.	Calc.
Re(2)-C(35)	2.148(7)		Re(1)-C(19)	2.105(8)	
Re(2)-C(36)	1.926(6)		Re(1)-C(16)	1.928(5)	
Re(2)-C(37)	1.954(7)		Re(1)-C(18)	1.96(1)	
Re(2)-C(38)	1.902(9)		Re(1)-C(17)	1.918(7)	
Re(2)-N(5)	2.242(7)		Re(1)-N(1)	2.253(5)	
Re(2)-N(6)	2.168(5)		Re(1)-N(2)	2.176(4)	
C(35)-N(8)	1.138(9)		C(19)-O(3)	1.17(1)	
C(36)-O(4)	1.145(8)		C(16)-N(4)	1.149(7)	
C(37)-O(5)	1.151(9)		C(18)-O(2)	1.14(1)	
C(38)-O(6)	1.17(1)		C(17)-O(1)	1.130(8)	
Angle	Degrees (°)		Angle	Degrees (°)	
	Exp.	Calc.		Exp.	Calc.
C(16)-Re(1)-C(17)	87.8(3)		C(36)-Re(2)-C(38)	87.7(3)	
C(16)-Re(1)-C(18)	87.0(3)		C(36)-Re(2)-C(37)	88.0(3)	
C(16)-Re(1)-C(19)	92.5(3)		C(36)-Re(2)-C(35)	92.1(3)	
C(17)-Re(1)-C(18)	88.7(3)		C(38)-Re(2)-C(37)	88.5(3)	
C(17)-Re(1)-C(19)	90.5(3)		C(38)-Re(2)-C(35)	90.8(3)	
C(18)-Re(1)-C(19)	179.1(3)		C(37)-Re(2)-C(35)	179.2(3)	
C(16)-Re(1)-N(1)	102.2(2)		C(36)-Re(2)-N(5)	100.6(3)	
C(16)-Re(1)-N(2)	175.9(2)		C(36)-Re(2)-N(6)	174.2(3)	
C(17)-Re(1)-N(1)	168.3(3)		C(38)-Re(2)-N(5)	169.3(3)	
C(17)-Re(1)-N(2)	95.9(3)		C(38)-Re(2)-N(6)	96.6(3)	
C(18)-Re(1)-N(1)	97.7(3)		C(37)-Re(2)-N(5)	98.4(2)	
C(18)-Re(1)-N(2)	94.8(3)		C(37)-Re(2)-N(6)	96.0(2)	
C(19)-Re(1)-N(1)	83.2(2)		C(35)-Re(2)-N(5)	82.3(2)	
C(19)-Re(1)-N(2)	85.7(2)		C(35)-Re(2)-N(6)	83.9(2)	
N(1)-Re(1)-N(2)	73.9(2)		N(5)-Re(2)-N(6)	74.7(2)	
O(1)-C(17)-Re(1)	178.2(7)		O(6)-C(38)-Re(2)	179.4(7)	
O(2)-C(18)-Re(1)	172.0(7)		O(5)-C(37)-Re(2)	175.5(6)	
O(3)-C(19)-Re(1)	178.0(6)		N(8)-C(35)-Re(2)	178.0(6)	
N(4)-C(16)-Re(1)	178.7(6)		O(4)-C(36)-Re(2)	179.0(7)	
Torsion	Degrees (°)		Torsion	Degrees (°)	
	Exp.	Calc.		Exp.	Calc.
N(1)-C(1)-C(6)-N(2)	12.5(8)		N(5)-C(20)-C(25)-N(6)	14.5(9)	
N(1)-C(5)-C(11)-N(3)	43.7(9)		N(5)-C(24)-C(30)-N(7)	41(1)	

Table 5 Selected Distances, Angles and Torsions for Acetonitrile Adduct of **8**

Bond	Distance (Å)	
	Experimental	Calculated
Re(1)-C(16)	1.889(4)	1.92288
Re(1)-C(17)	1.885(3)	1.92394
Re(1)-N(1)	2.091(3)	2.10787
Re(1)-N(2)	2.135(3)	2.15342
Re(1)-N(3)	2.131(3)	2.16262
Re(1)-N(4)	2.160(3)	2.14739
N(2)-N(3)	4.138(4)	4.19048
Angle	Degrees (°)	
	Experimental	Calculated
C(16)-Re(1)-C(17)	87.69(16)	
C(16)-Re(1)-N(1)	175.95(12)	
C(17)-Re(1)-N(1)	96.35(12)	
C(16)-Re(1)-N(3)	103.81(13)	
C(17)-Re(1)-N(3)	94.03(12)	
N(1)-Re(1)-N(3)	76.20(10)	
C(16)-Re(1)-N(2)	103.58(13)	
C(17)-Re(1)-N(2)	93.73(12)	
N(1)-Re(1)-N(2)	75.99(10)	
N(3)-Re(1)-N(2)	151.77(11)	
C(16)-Re(1)-N(4)	90.50(14)	
C(17)-Re(1)-N(4)	178.10(12)	
N(1)-Re(1)-N(4)	85.46(10)	89.737
N(3)-Re(1)-N(4)	86.94(10)	
N(2)-Re(1)-N(4)	86.15(10)	86.044
O(1)-C(16)-Re(1)	179.1(3)	178.587
O(2)-C(17)-Re(1)	178.0(3)	178.820
Torsion	Degrees (°)	
	Experimental	Calculated
N(1)-C(1)-C(6)-N(2)	1.7(4)	-1.3
N(1)-C(5)-C(11)-N(3)	-1.8(4)	-0.3

Table 6 Selected Distances, Angles, and Torsions for κ^2(terpy)Mn(CO)$_3$Br from Compain et. al.

Selected Distances (Å)	
Mn(1)-N(1)	2.045(1)
Mn(1)-N(2)	2.105(2)
N(1)-N(2)	2.636(2)
Selected Angles (deg)	
N(1)-Mn(1)-N(2)	78.84(6)
Selected Torsions (deg)	
N(1)-C(8)-C(9)-N(2)	-16.5(2)
N(2)-C(13)-C(14)-N(3)	143.2(2)

Table 7 Crystal data and structure refinement for compounds **1**, **3**, **5**, and **7**

Compound	**1**	**3**	**5**	**7**
Empirical formula	$C_{19}H_{11}N_3O_3ReCl$	$C_{19}H_{11}N_3O_3ReBr$	$C_{20}H_{11}N_4O_3Re$	$C_{22}H_{14}N_4O_6F_3SRe$
Formula weight (g/mol)	538.96	583.41	530.04	693.63
Temperature (K)	200(2)	200	200	200
Wavelength (Å)	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073
Crystal System	Triclinic	Monoclinic	Triclinic	
Space Group	P-1	C2/c	P-1	
a (Å)	9.8736(4)	31.1537(7)	9.9196(9)	
b (Å)	14.8202(4)	7.1176(2)	14.9902(14)	
c (Å)	16.3472(4)	16.8519(4)	16.5187(15)	
α (deg)	69.2890(10)	90.000	68.363(2)	
β (deg)	80.801(2)	111.0230(10)	80.929(2)	
γ (deg)	79.836(2)	90.000	79.975(2)	
Volume ($Å^3$)	2190.00(12)	3488.00	2236.6(4)	
Z, r (calc) (Mg/m^3)	2, 1.997	8, 2.222	2, 1.927	
Absorption coefficient (mm^{-1})	6.063	9.282	5.821	
Absorption correction		Semi-empirical from equivalents		
Final R indices [I≥2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0397, wR2 = 0.0839	R1 = 0.0232, wR2 = 0.0614	R1 = 0.0390, wR2 = 0.0921	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0604, wR2 = 0.0951	R1 = 0.0285, wR2 = 0.0642	R1 = 0.0500, wR2 = 0.0961	

Table 8 Crystal data and structure refinement for compounds **2**, **4**, **6**, and **8**

Compound	**2**	**4**	**6**	**8**
Empirical formula	$C_{18}H_{11}N_3O_2ReCl$	$C_{18}H_{11}N_3O_2ReBr$	$C_{19}H_{11}N_4O_2Re$	$C_{21}H_{14}N_4O_5F_3SRe$
Formula weight (g/mol)	510.95	530.04	502.04	665.61
Temperature (K)	200(2)	200	200	200
Wavelength (Å)	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073	0.71073
Crystal System	Triclinic			Triclinic
Space Group	P-1			P-1
a (Å)	8.5275(3)			8.5745(4)
b (Å)	14.2421(5)			11.9805(5)
c (Å)	17.4637(6)			13.0970(5)
α (deg)	77.948(2)			79.748(2)
β (deg)	85.684(2)			81.106(2)
γ (deg)	79.890			88.091(2)
Volume ($Å^3$)	2041.79(12)			1307.99(10)
Z, r (calc) (Mg/m^3)	4, 2.050			2, 1.993
Absorption coefficient (mm^{-1})	6.494			5.094
Absorption correction		Semi-empirical from equivalents		
Final R indices [I≥2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0636, wR2 = 0.1018			R1 = 0.0294, wR2 = 0.0673
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0985, wR2 = 0.1110			R1 = 0.0366, wR2 = 0.0700

Table 9 Solvated and Gas Phase Energies of Axial & Trans $\kappa^{x}-(terpy)-Re(CO)_{5-x}CN$ (x=2,3)

Geometry	Bidentate		Terdentate	
	E(gas)[a]	E(solution)[b]	E(gas)[a]	E(solution)[b]
Axial	-1254.96132	-1254.99059	-1141.57255	-1141.60827
Trans	-1254.93788	-1254.97168	-1141.54660	-1141.58209
Difference	0.02343	0.01891	0.02595	0.02612
Difference (kJ/mol)	14.70	11.87	16.28	16.43

[a] B3LYP SCF energy in hartrees.
[b] B3LYP SCF energy in hartrees with PCM solvation in acetonitrile.