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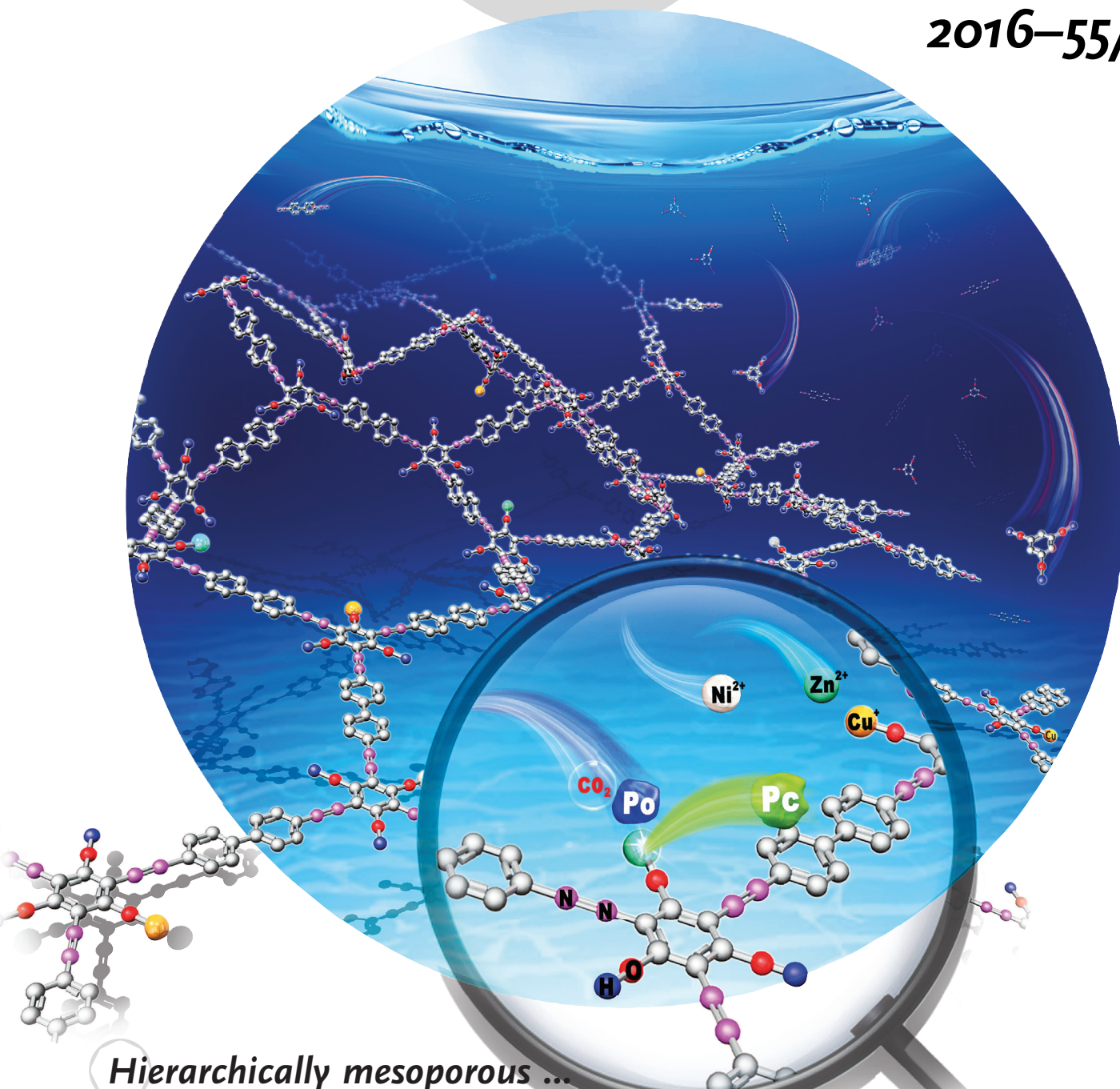
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Hierarchically mesoporous ...

... *o*-hydroxyazobenzene polymers with high surface areas can be synthesized without the use of templates in water. In their Communication on page 9685 ff., Z. M. Liu and co-workers show that these kinds of porous polymers have multiple functions, including excellent dispersity in polar and apolar solvents, good chelation to metal ions (Zn^{2+} , Cu^{2+} , etc.), ultrahigh selectivity for CO_2/N_2 separation, and excellent performance for catalyzing CO_2 conversion.

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