

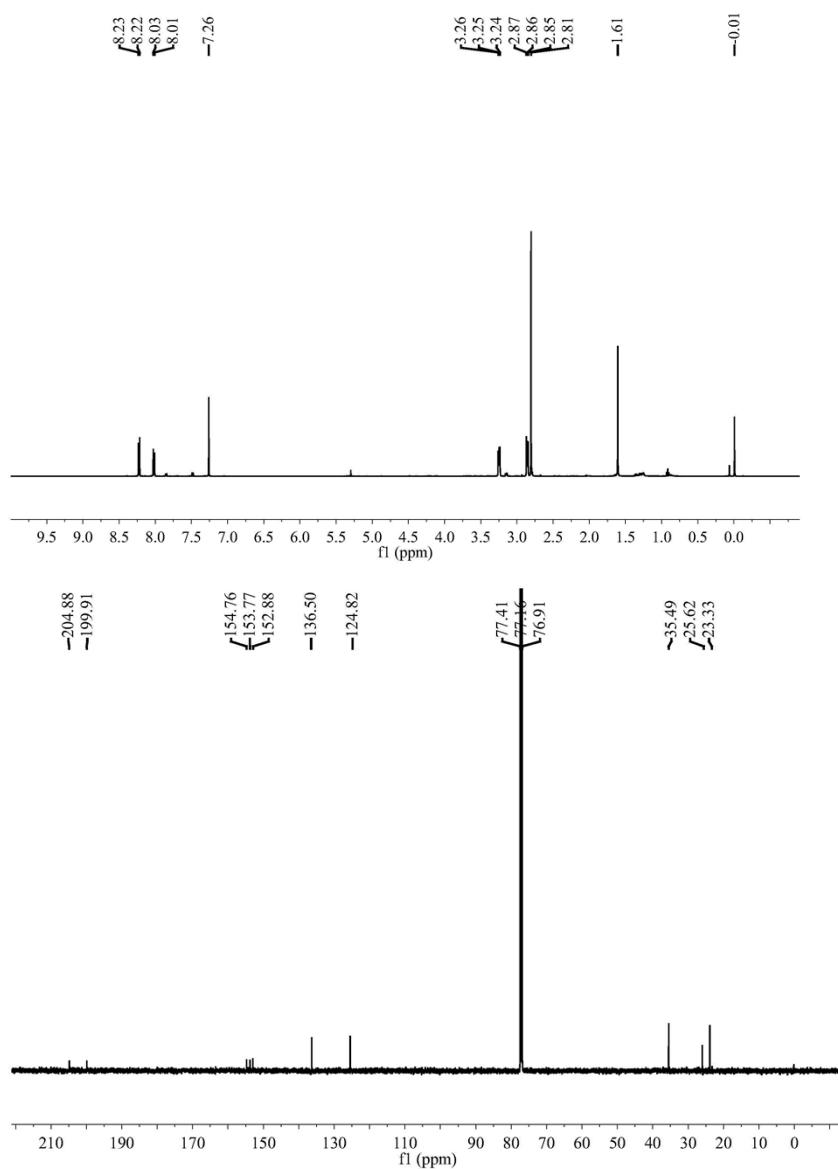
## Supporting Information

for

# Constrained formation of 2-(1-(arylimino)ethyl)-7-arylimino-6,6-dimethylcyclopentapyridines and their cobalt(II) chloride complexes: synthesis, characterization and ethylene polymerization

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NMR spectra for 2-acetyl-cyclopentapyridin-7-one



## Cartesian coordinates of selected optimized structures

53				N	2.358179	0.441721	0.141764
C1'.log E(UB3LYP) = -2158.28974397				C	-1.337739	1.949186	0.053746
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