

## Supplementary Information

### 4-mercaptophenyldiphenylphosphine as linker to immobilize Pd onto the surface of magnetite nanoparticles. Excellent catalytic efficiency of the system after partial linker removal

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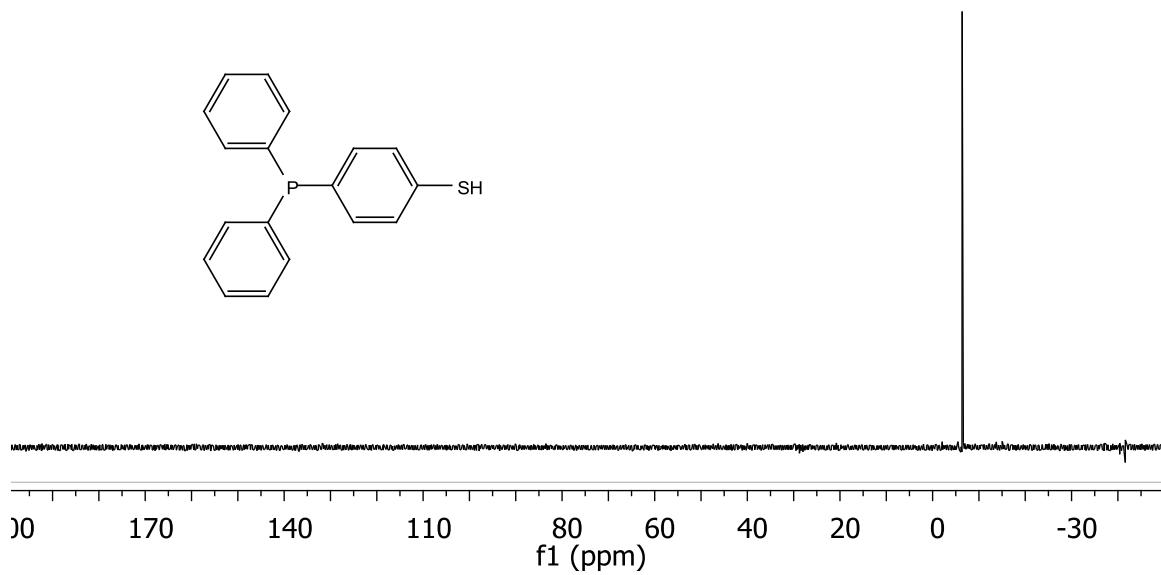
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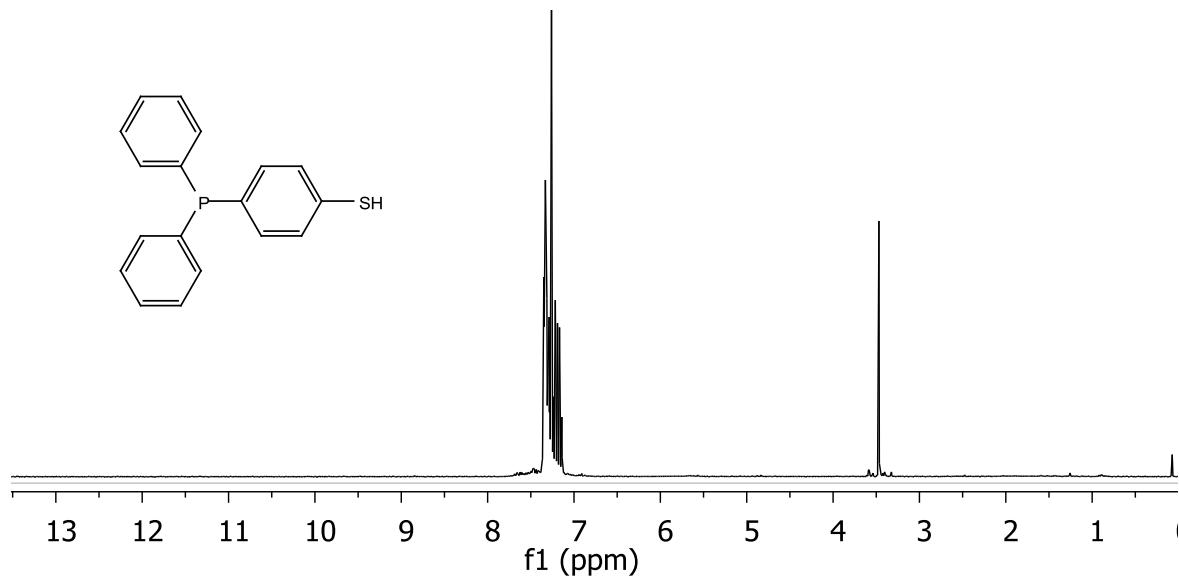
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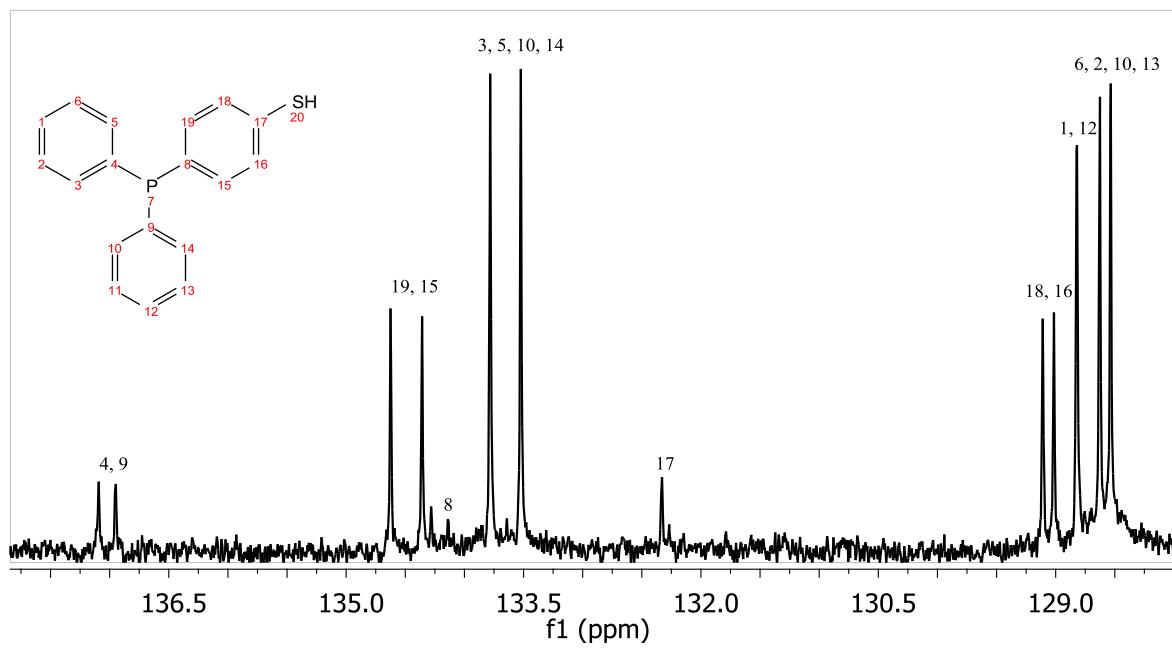
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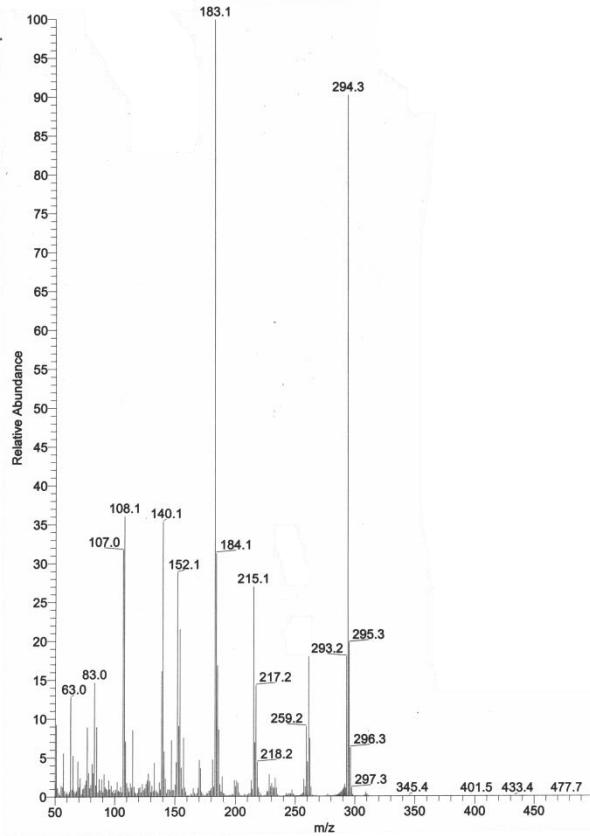
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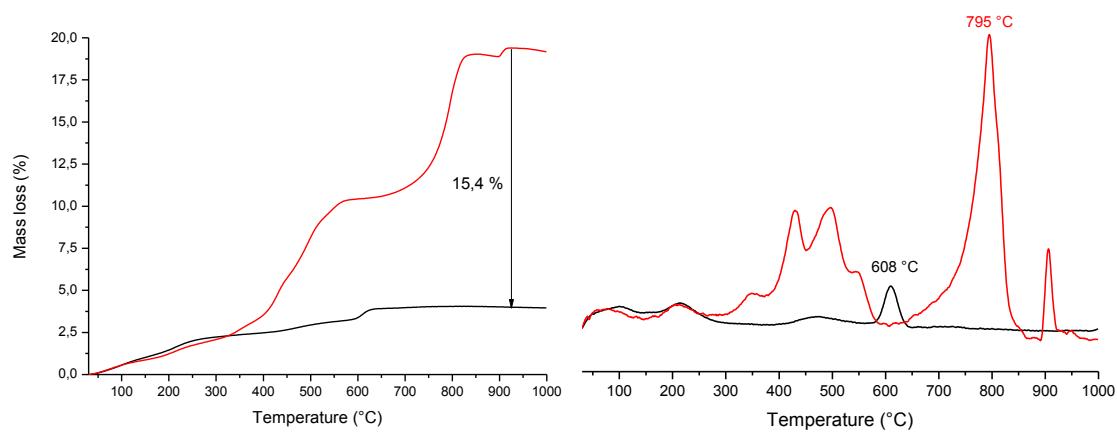
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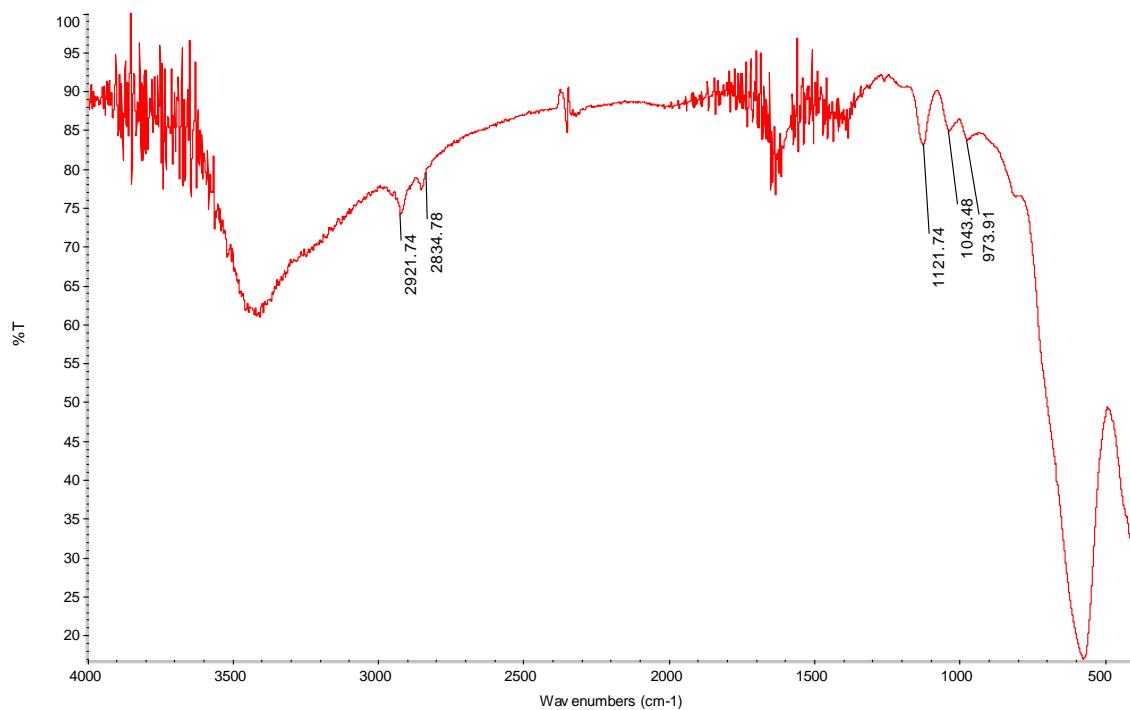
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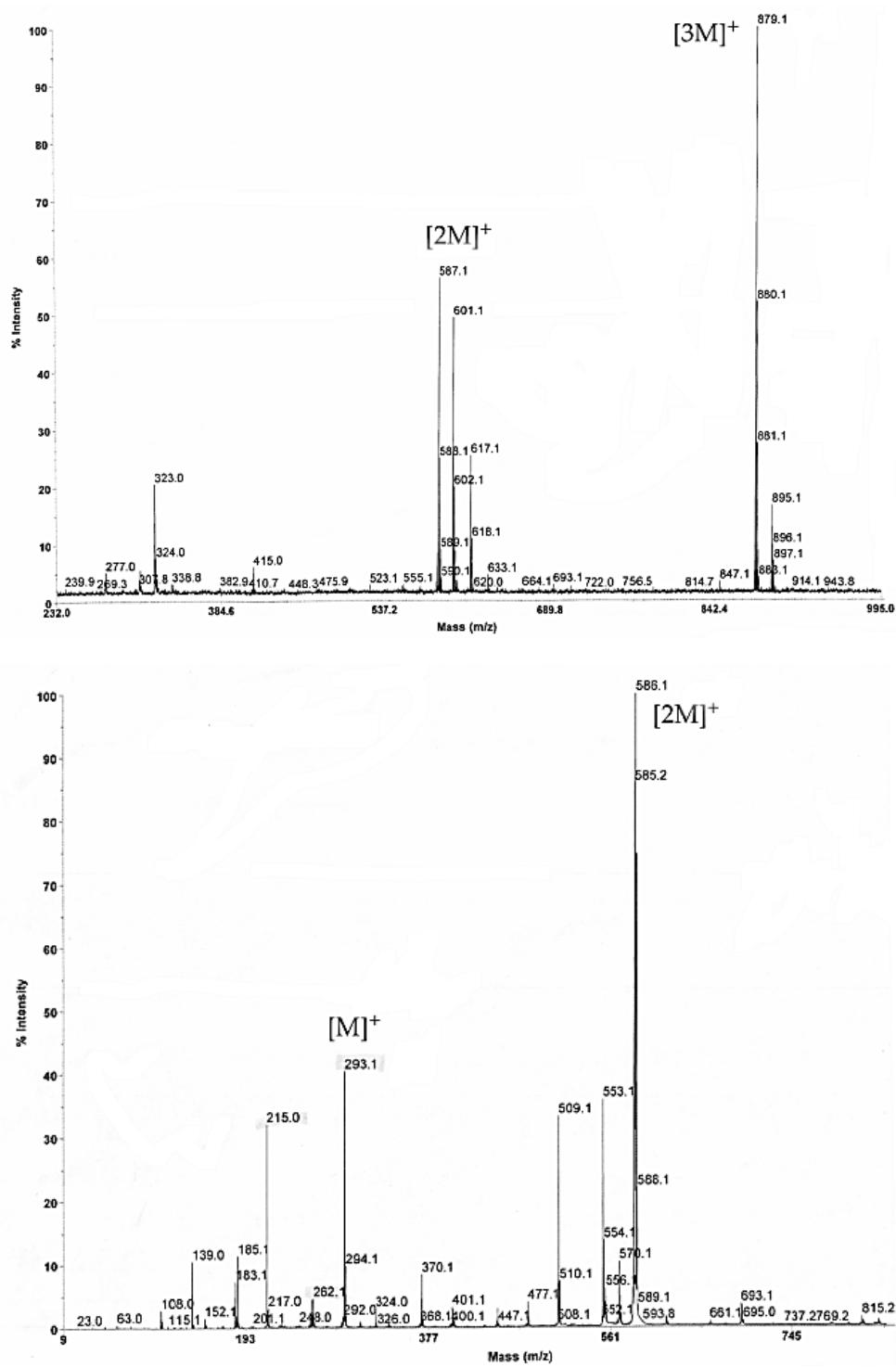
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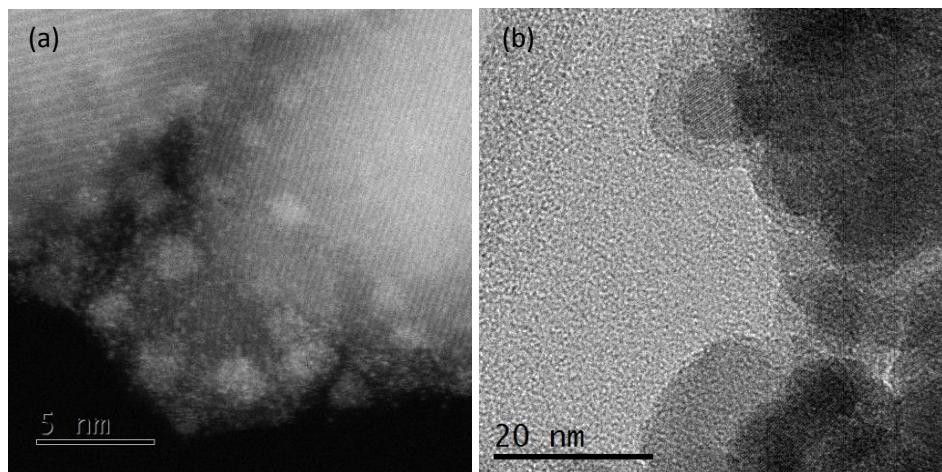
**Fig. S5** Left: TGA of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{Sdp}$  and right, its DTGA. Black:  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$ , Red:  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{Sdp}$ .



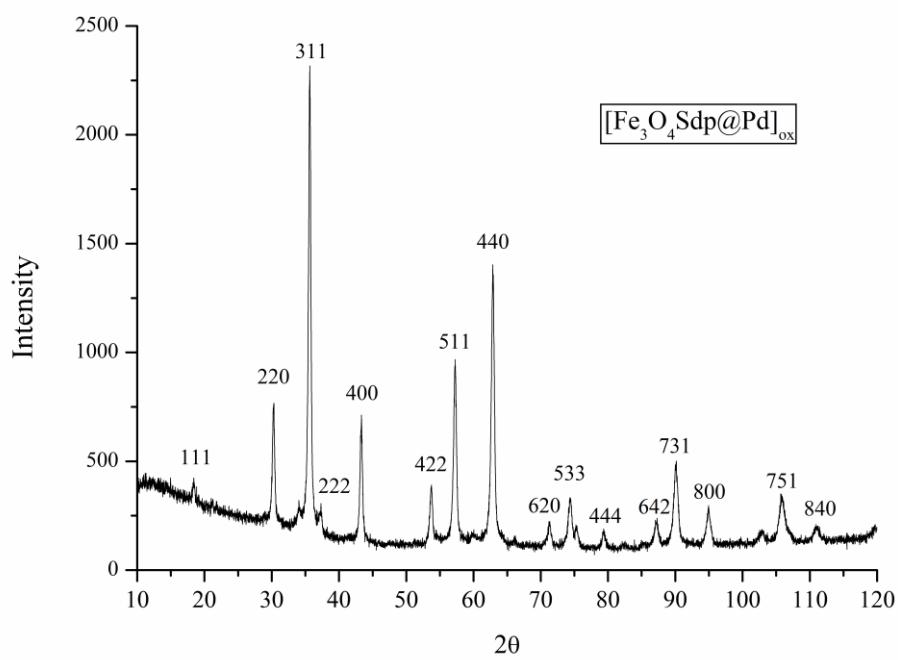
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**Fig. S8** (a) HAADF-STEM of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{Sdp}@\text{Pd}$  NPs showing small Pd NPs on the magnetite surface. (b) TEM of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{Sdp}@\text{Pd}$  NPs showing the organic layer surrounding the magnetite.



**Fig. S9** XRD of  $\text{[Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{Sdp}@\text{Pd}]_{\text{ox}}$ .

**Table S1** Reusability of  $[\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{Sdp}@\text{Pd}]_{\text{ox}}$  catalyst in the Suzuki-Miyaura cross-coupling reaction of 4-bromonitrobenzene with phenylboronic acid.

Cycle	1	2	3	4
Yield(%)	100	100	92	88

*Reaction conditions:* 0.1 mmol BB, 0.12 mmol phenylboronic acid,  $5 \times 10^{-4}$  mmol Pd in catalyst, 4h, 0.3 mmol KOH, EtOH:H<sub>2</sub>O, 65°C

**Table S2** Reusability of  $[\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{Sdp}@\text{Pd}]_{\text{ox}}$  catalyst in the hydrogenation of 4-nitrophenol.

Cycle	1	2	3	4	5
Yield(%)	100	100	100	100	90

*Reaction conditions:* 0.22 μmol 4-nitrophenol,  $3.6 \times 10^{-3}$  μmol Pd in catalyst, 15 min, H<sub>2</sub>O, r.t.

**Table S3** Reusability of  $[\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4\text{Sdp}@\text{Pd}]_{\text{ox}}$  catalyst in the hydrogenation of styrene.

Cycle	1	2	3	4	5	6
Yield(%)	100	100	100	100	83	69

*Reaction conditions:* 3.0 mmol styrene, 1 μmol Pd in catalyst, 1h, ethanol, 3 bar H<sub>2</sub>, r.t.