

## Luminescence studies of new [C,N,N'] cyclometallated platinum(II) and platinum(IV) compounds

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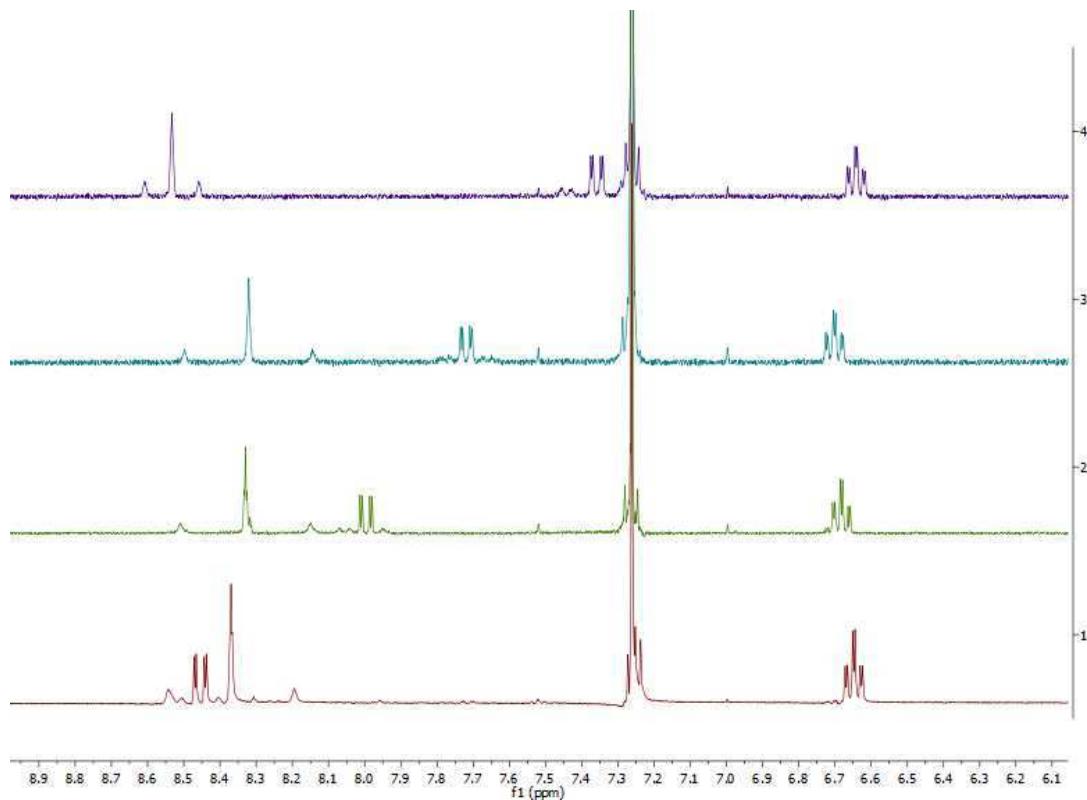
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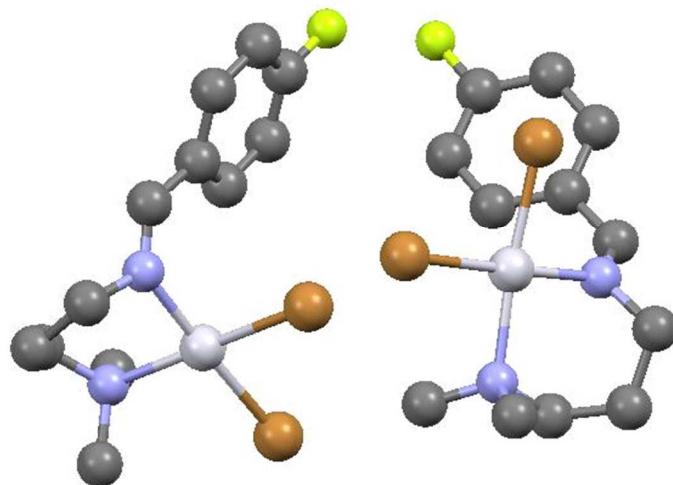
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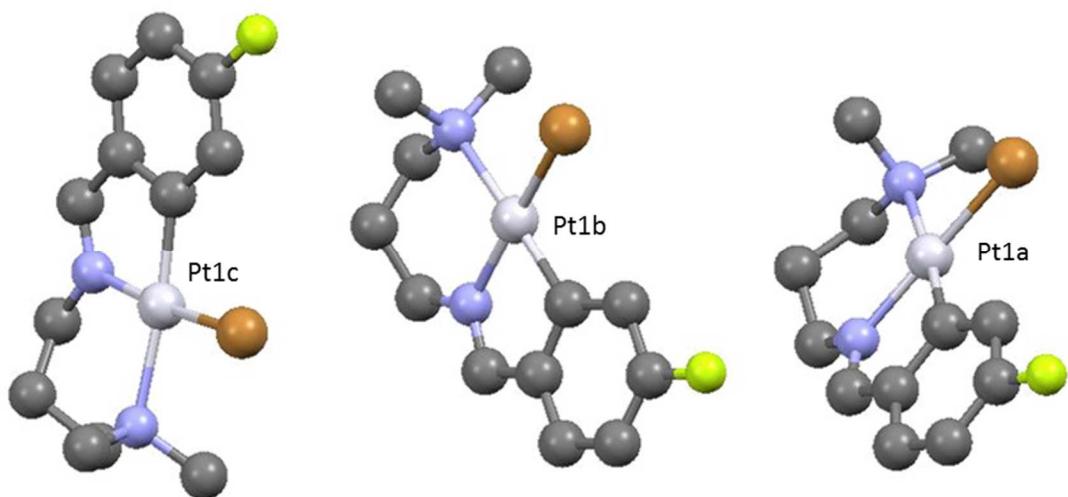
## Supporting Information



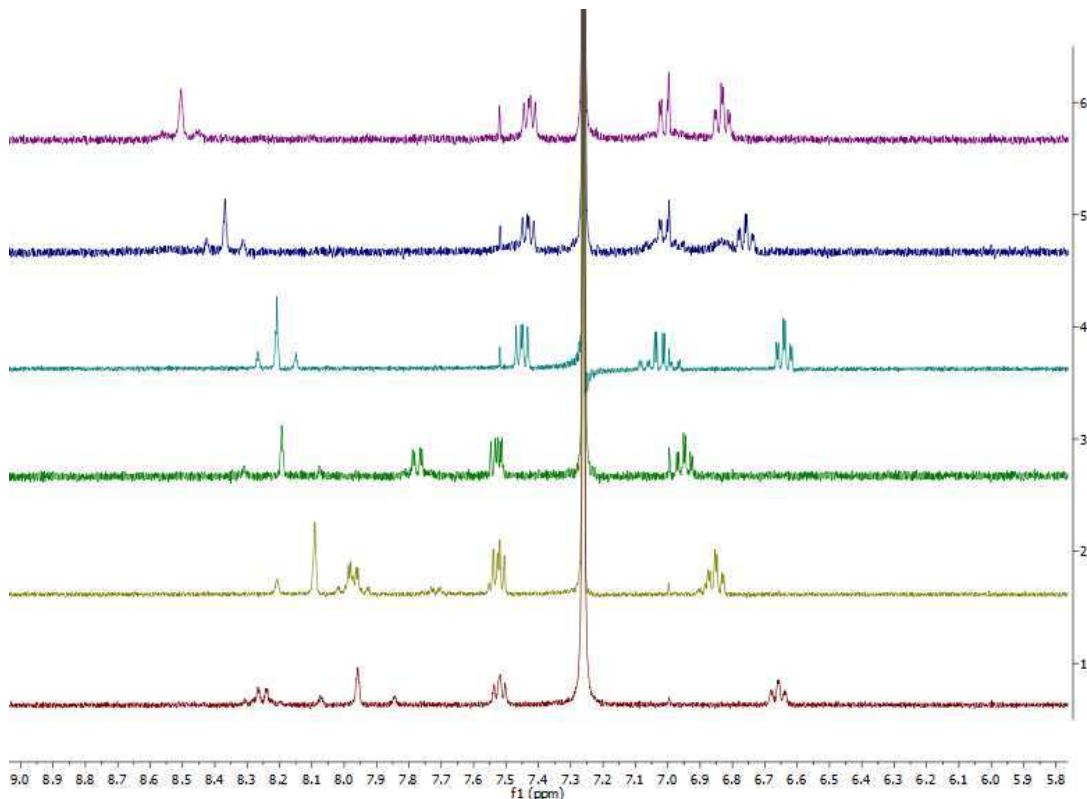
**Figure S1.** Aromatic region of the  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectra in  $\text{CDCl}_3$  of the cyclometallated platinum(II) compounds: **1** (purple), **2a** (blue), **2b** (green), **2c** (red).



**Figure S2.** Unit cell of compound **Ib** showing the presence of two independent molecules without any  $\text{Pt}\cdots\text{Pt}$  contact (distance: 7.165 Å). Grey: platinum; blue: nitrogen; green: fluorine; brown: bromide; Hydrogens have been omitted for clarity.

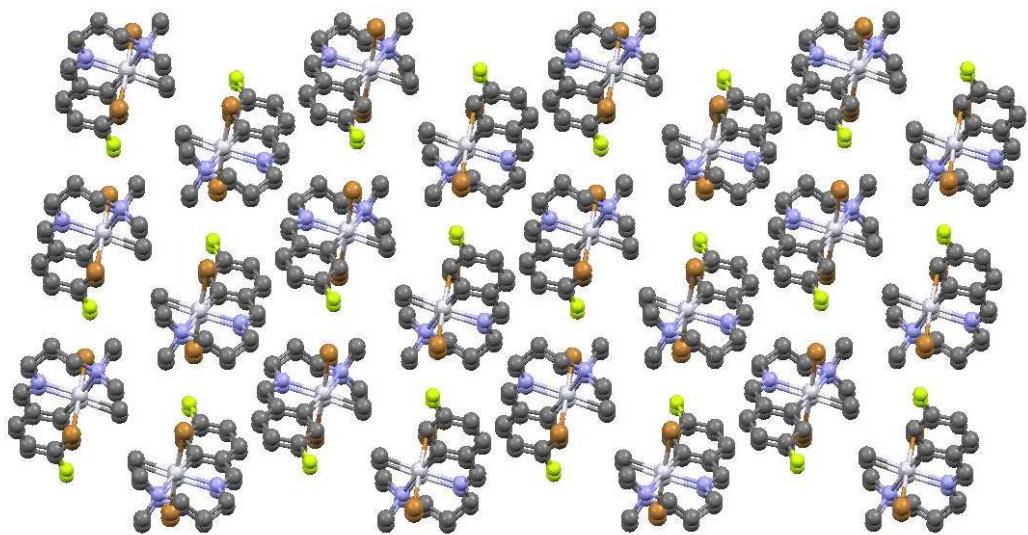


**Figure S3.** Unit cell of compound **2b** showing the presence of three independent molecules without any Pt···Pt contact (Pt1a-Pt1b distance: 8.329 and Pt1b-Pt1c distance: 7.892 Å). Grey: platinum; blue: nitrogen; green: fluorine; brown: bromide; Hydrogens have been omitted for clarity.

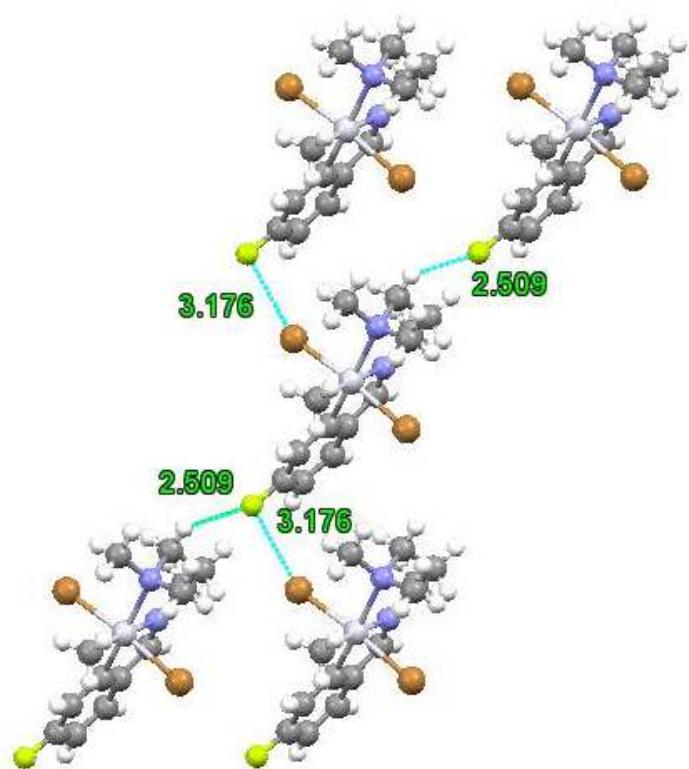


**Figure S4.** Aromatic region of the  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectra in  $\text{CDCl}_3$  of the cyclometallated platinum(IV) compounds: **3a** (purple), **3b** (dark blue), **3c** (light blue), **4a** (dark green), **4b** (light green), **4c** (red).

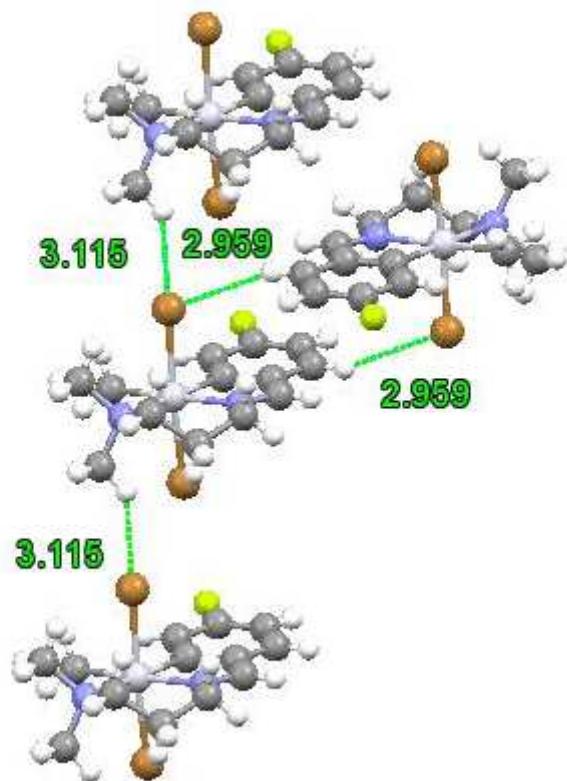
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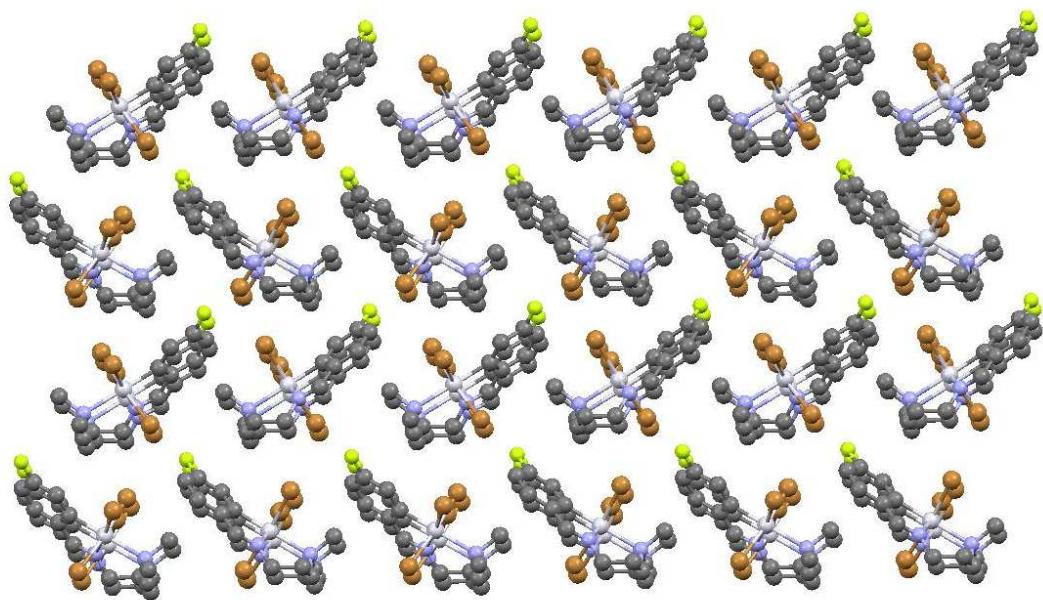


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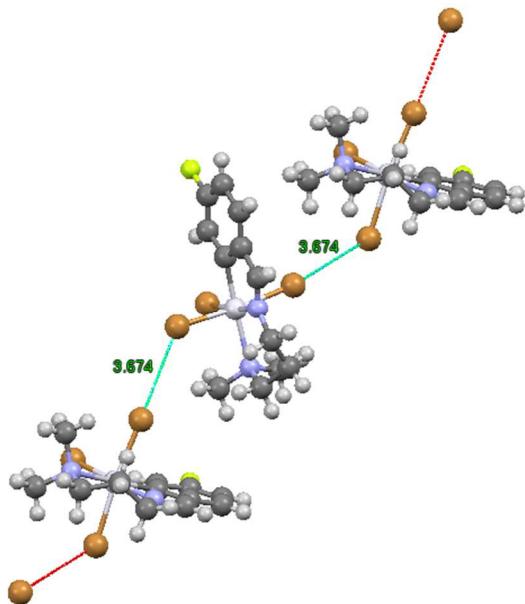


**Figure S5.** **A)** 3D packing of compound **3b**. Grey: platinum; blue: nitrogen; green: fluorine; brown: bromide; Hydrogens have been omitted for clarity. **B)** Figure highlighting the intramolecular C-F $\cdots$ Br-Pt and C-F $\cdots$ H<sub>3</sub>CN interactions. **C)** Figure highlighting the intramolecular Br $\cdots$ H(aromatic) and Br $\cdots$ H(methyl) interactions.

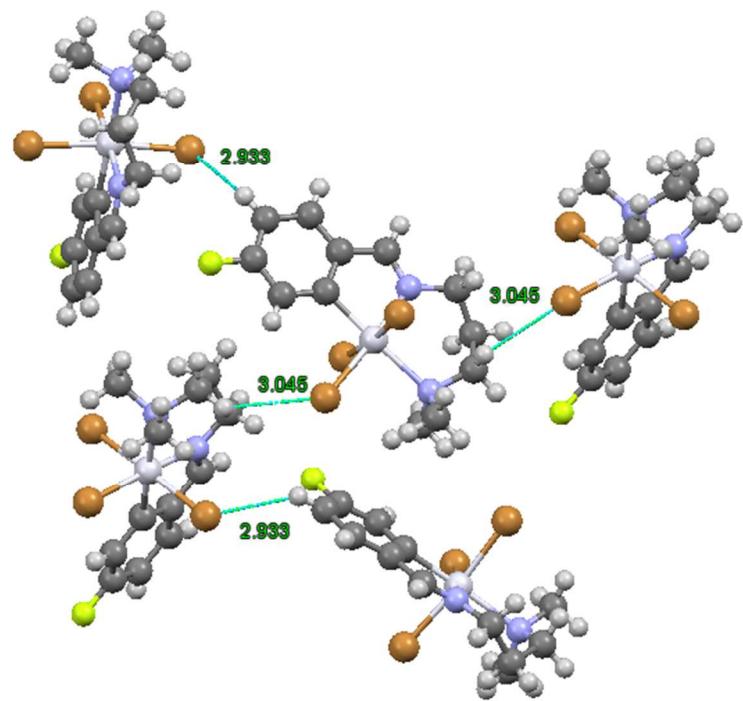
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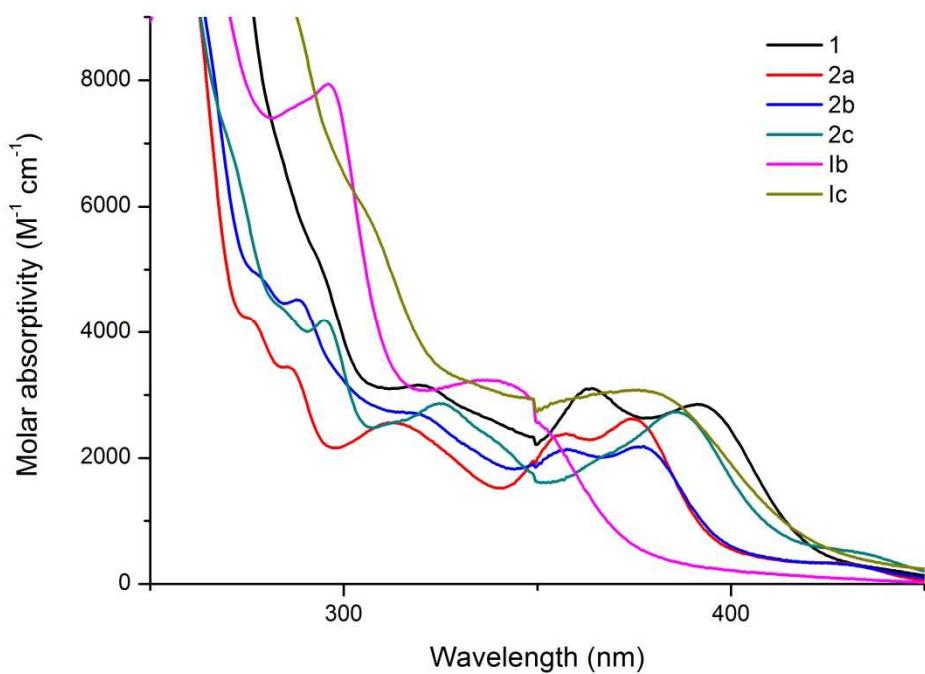
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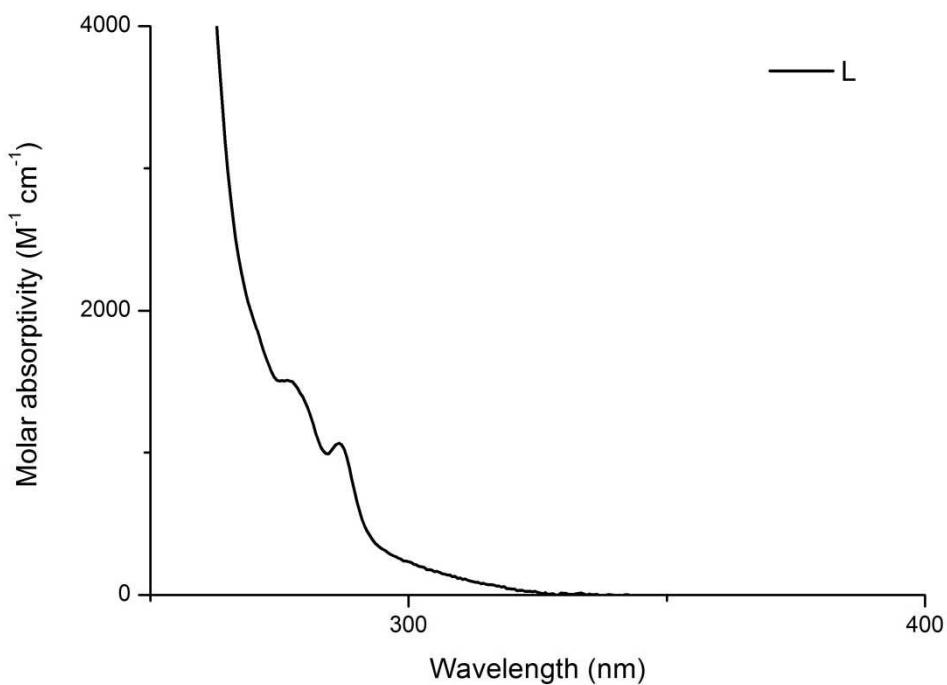
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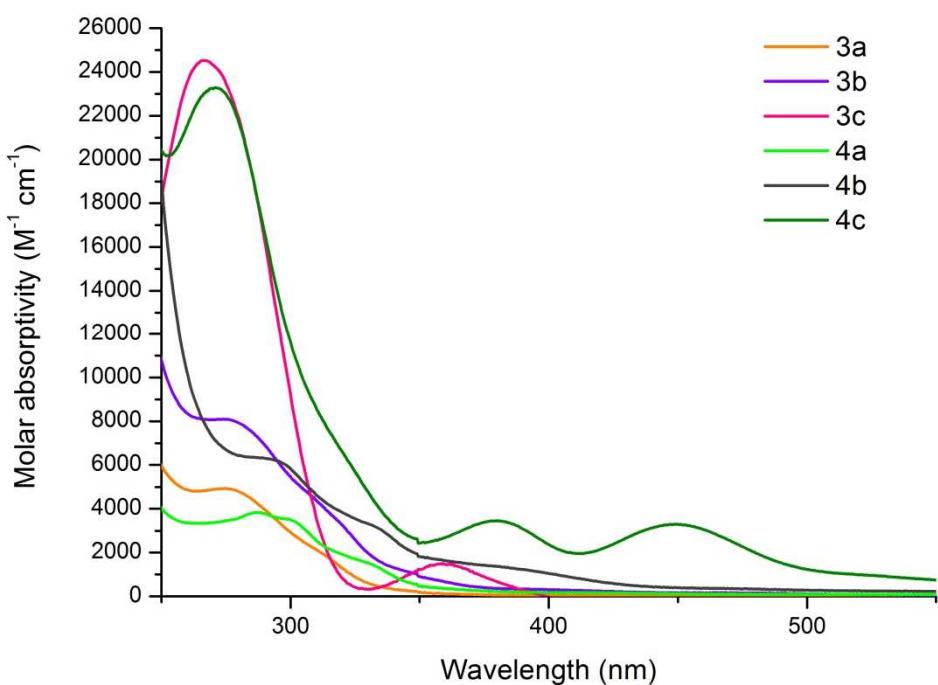
**Figure S6.** **A)** 3D packing of compound **4b**. Grey: platinum; blue: nitrogen; green: fluorine; brown: bromide; Hydrogens have been omitted for clarity. **B)** Figure highlighting the intramolecular Br···Br interactions. **C)** Figure highlighting the intramolecular Br···H(aromatic) and Br···H(methylene) interactions.



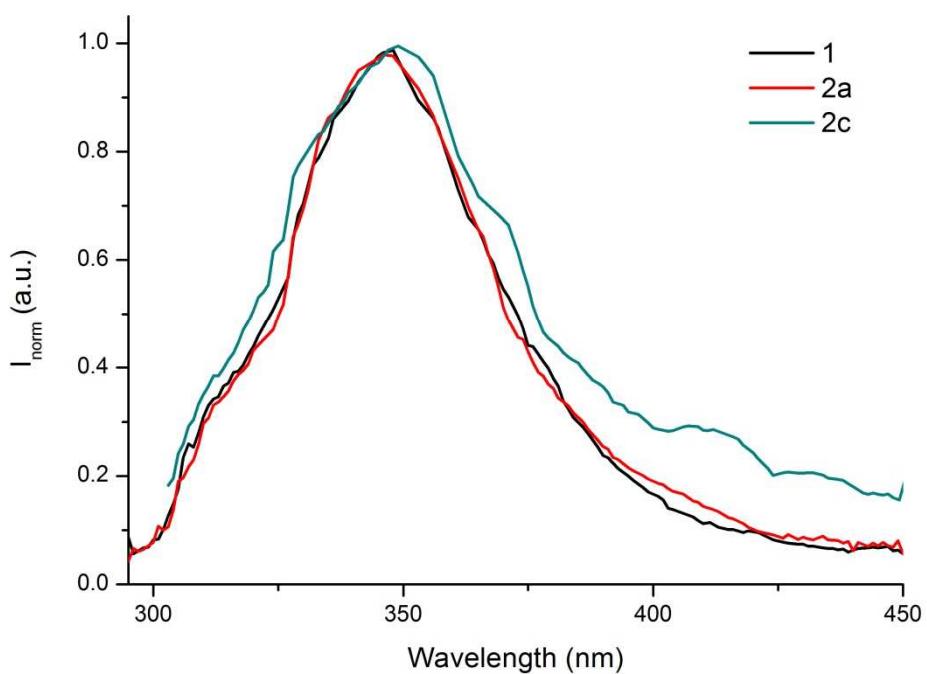
**Figure S7.** Absorption spectra of  $10^{-4}$  M dichloromethane solution of Pt(II) compounds at 298 K.



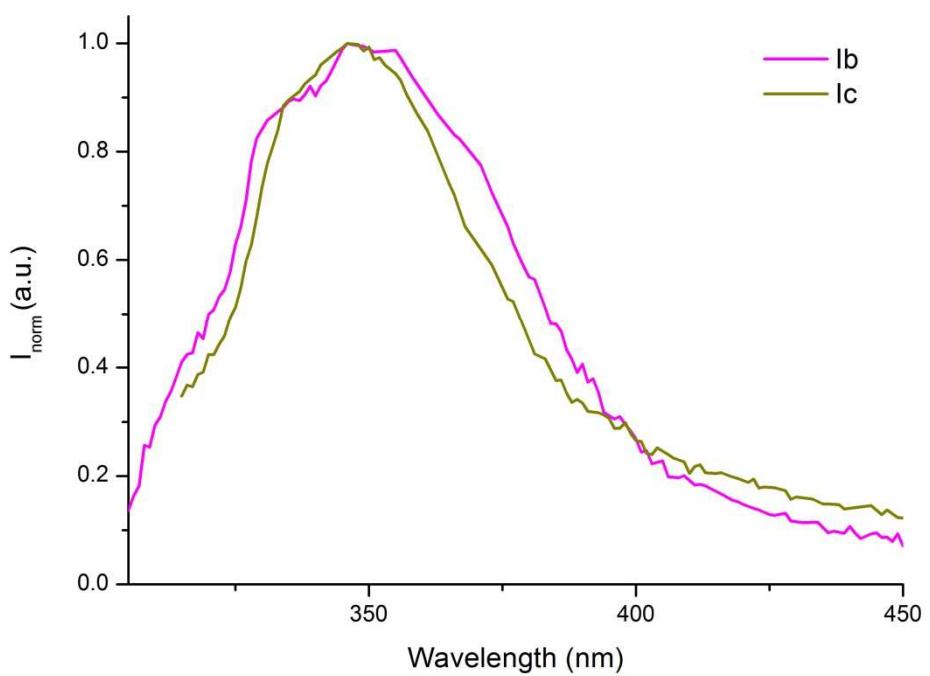
**Figure S8.** Absorption spectra of  $10^{-4}$  M dichloromethane solution of the ligand **L** at 298 K.



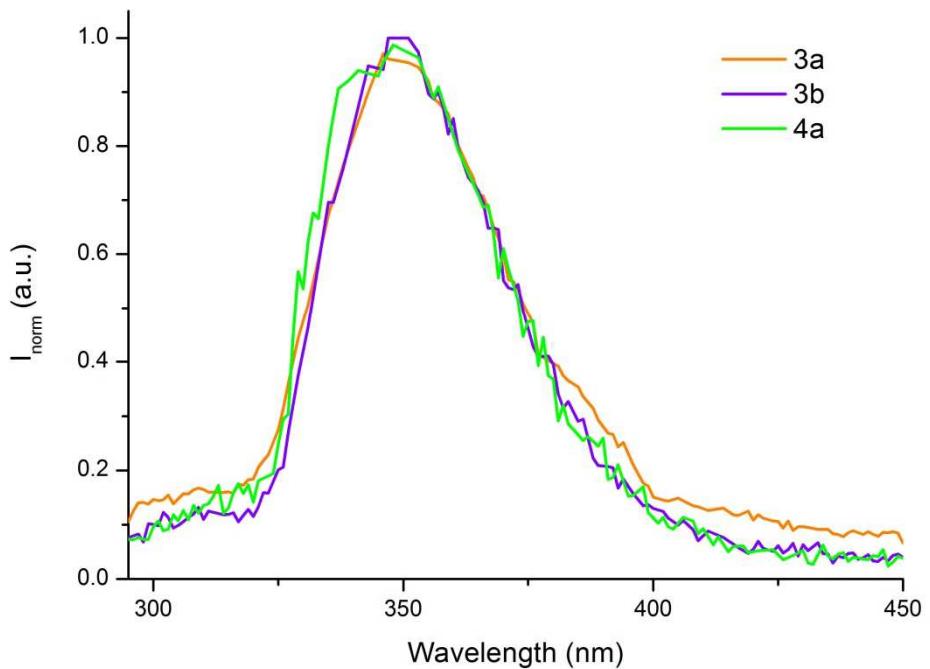
**Figure S9.** Absorption spectra of  $10^{-4}$  M dichloromethane solution of platinum(IV) compounds at 298 K.



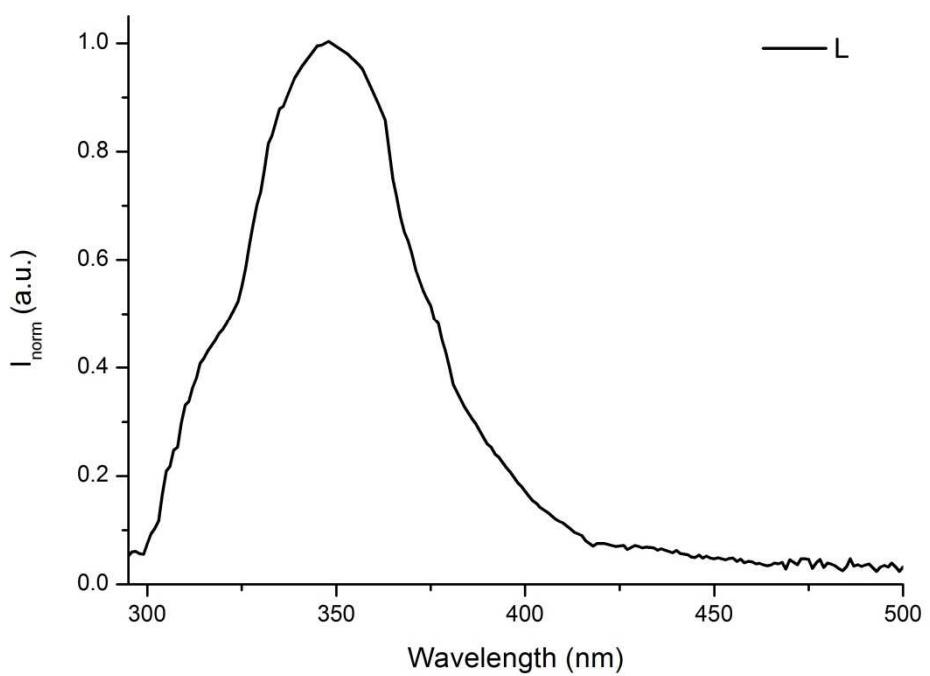
**Figure S10.** Emission spectra of platinum(II) compounds in dichloromethane solution at 298 K.  $\lambda_{\text{exc}}$  (nm) = 285 (**1**), 285 (**2a**), 295 (**2c**).



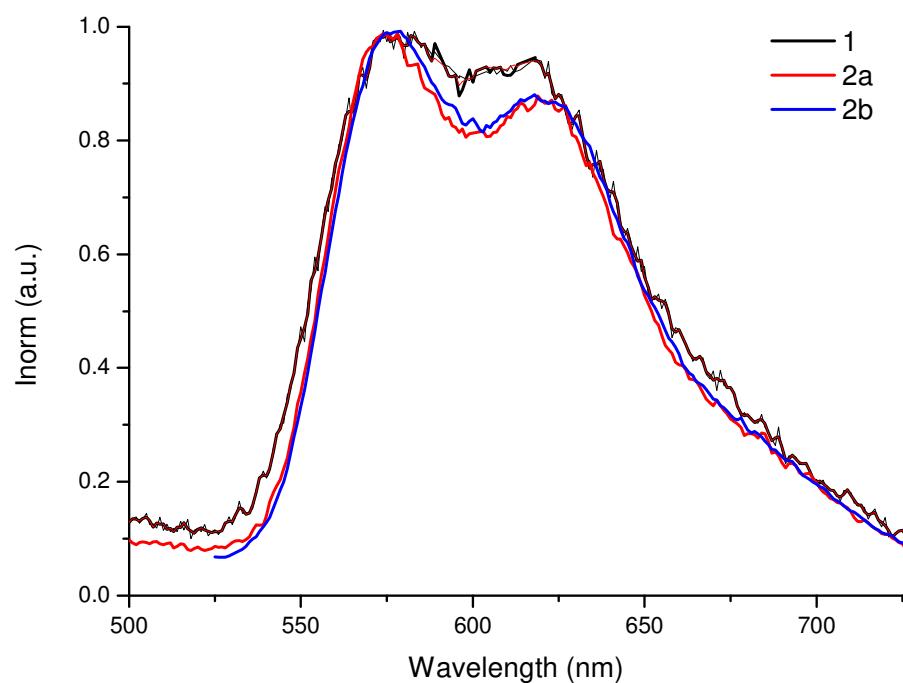
**Figure S11.** Emission spectra of platinum(II) coordination compounds in dichloromethane solution at 298 K.  $\lambda_{\text{exc}}$  (nm) = 295 (**I<sup>b</sup>**), 305 (**I<sup>c</sup>**).



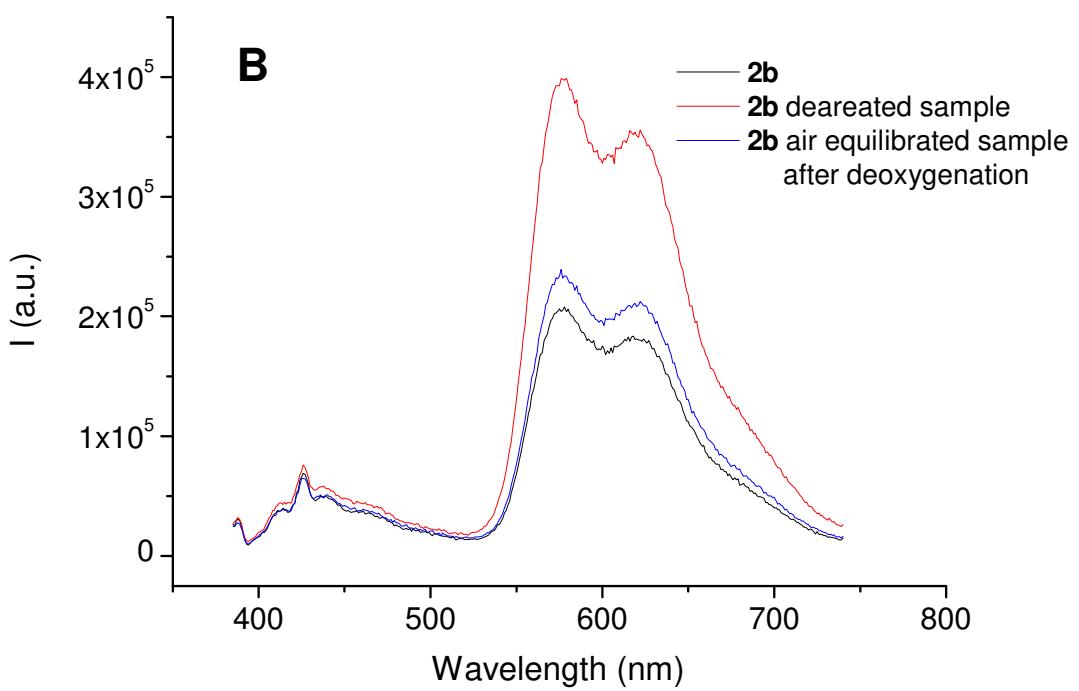
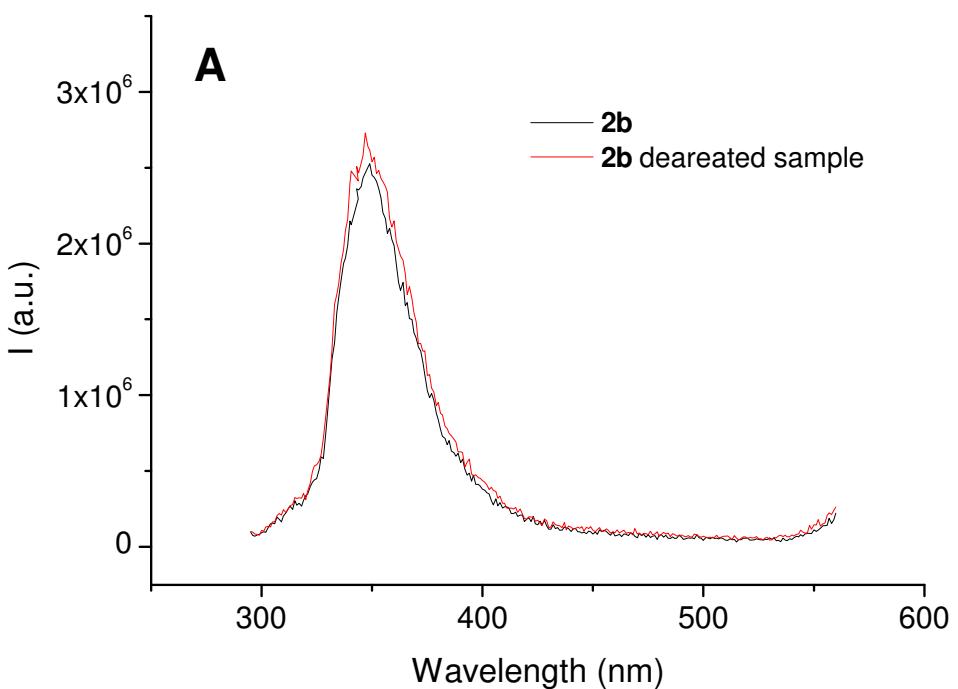
**Figure S12.** Emission spectra of platinum(IV) compounds in dichloromethane solution at 298 K.  $\lambda_{\text{exc}}$  (nm) = 275 (**3a**), 275 (**3b**), 295 (**4b**).



**Figure S13.** Emission spectra of the ligand **L** in dichloromethane solution at 298 K.  $\lambda_{\text{exc}}$  (nm) = 285.



**Figure S14.** Emission spectra of platinum(II) compounds in dichloromethane solution at 298K K:  $\lambda_{\text{exc}}$  (nm) = 375 (**1**), 390 (**2a**).



**Figure S15.** Emission spectra of **2b** in the presence and in the absence of oxygen and upon excitation the sample at 285 nm (A) and 375 nm (B).