

Supporting information

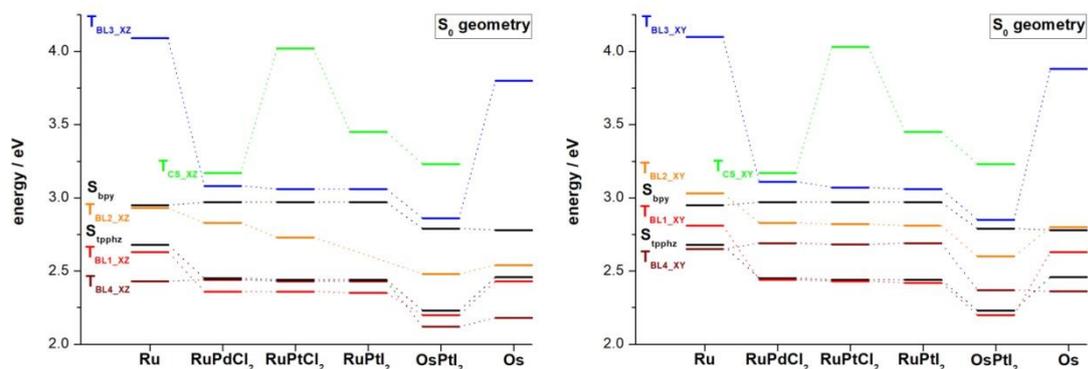
**Excited state properties of a series of molecular  
photocatalysts investigated by time-dependent density  
functional theory**

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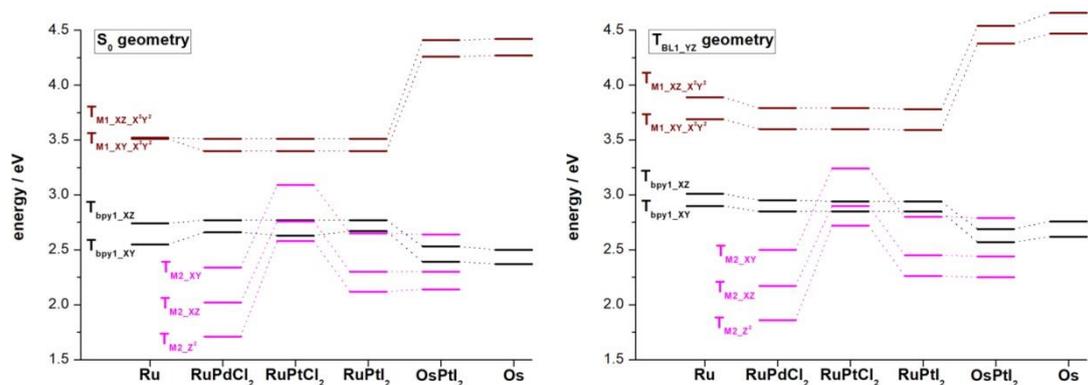
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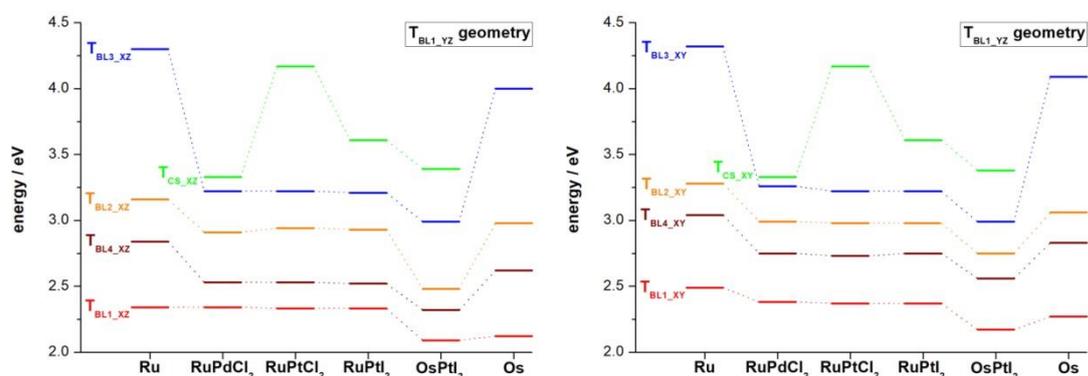
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**Figure S1.** Excited states energy diagram calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry.



**Figure S2.** Excited states energy diagram calculated at the  $S_0$  and  $T_{BL1\_YZ}$  geometries.



**Figure S3.** Excited states energy diagram calculated at the  $T_{BL1\_YZ}$  geometry.

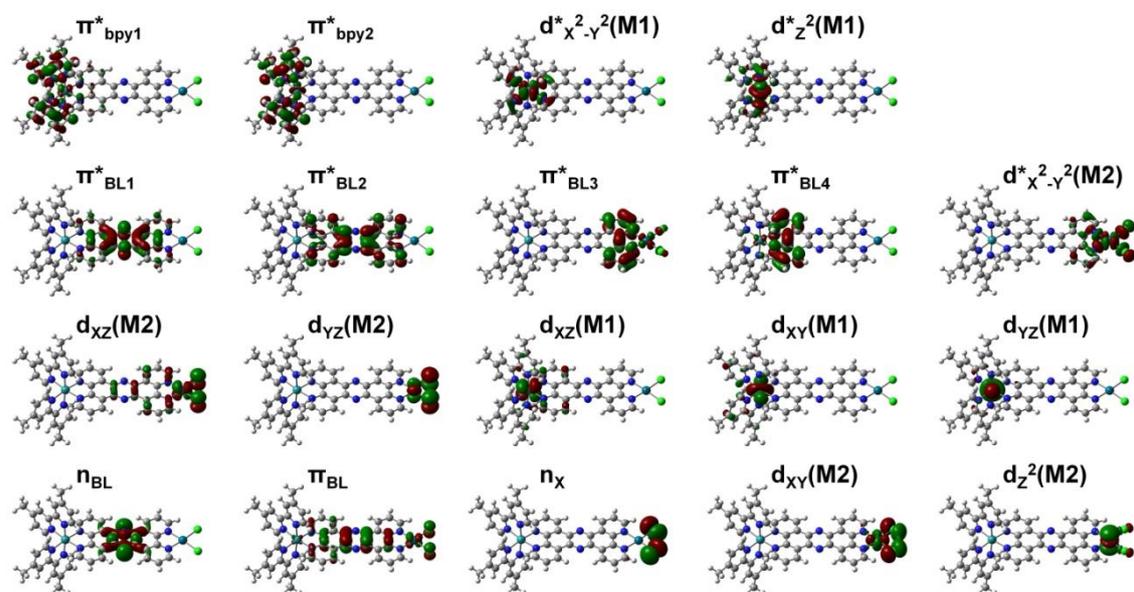


Figure S4. Frontier orbitals ( $\text{RuPdCl}_2$  at the  $S_0$  geometry) and employed nomenclature.

## Singlet-singlet transitions:

**Table S1** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ), oscillator strengths (f) and singly-excited configurations of the main singlet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **Ru**.

State	Transition	Weight (%) <sup>a</sup>	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)	f
S <sub>6</sub> (S <sub>1pphz</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	82	2.68	463	0.126
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	11			
S <sub>11</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	34	2.95	421	0.161
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	25			
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	18			
S <sub>12</sub> (S <sub>bpy</sub> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	47	2.95	421	0.158
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	40			
S <sub>13</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	67	3.06	405	0.067
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	29			
S <sub>14</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	83	3.09	401	0.019
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	12			
S <sub>15</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	36	3.22	385	0.010
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	27			

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S2** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ), oscillator strengths (f) and singly-excited configurations of the main singlet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **RuPdCl<sub>2</sub>**.

State	Transition	Weight (%) <sup>a</sup>	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)	f
S <sub>2</sub> (S <sub>1pphz</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	96	2.45	506	0.058
S <sub>13</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	67	2.83	438	0.036
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	26			
S <sub>15</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	41	2.86	434	0.062
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	36			
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	16			
S <sub>16</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	62	2.88	430	0.037
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	20			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	12			
S <sub>17</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	40	2.93	423	0.205
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	23			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	21			
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	11			
S <sub>19</sub> (S <sub>bpy</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	52	2.97	418	0.142
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	44			

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S3** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ), oscillator strengths (f) and singly-excited configurations of the main singlet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **RuPtCl<sub>2</sub>**.

State	Transition	Weight (%) <sup>a</sup>	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)	f
S <sub>2</sub> (S <sub>1pphz</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	95	2.44	507	0.058
S <sub>9</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	75	2.82	439	0.022
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	17			
S <sub>11</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	44	2.86	434	0.088
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	39			
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	10			
S <sub>12</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	46	2.88	431	0.034
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	26			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	19			
S <sub>15</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	40	2.93	423	0.220
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	25			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	19			
S <sub>16</sub> (S <sub>bpy</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	51	2.97	417	0.144
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	44			

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S4** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ), oscillator strengths (f) and singly-excited configurations of the main singlet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **RuPtI<sub>2</sub>**.

State	Transition	Weight (%) <sup>a</sup>	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)	f
<b>S<sub>2</sub> (S<sub>1pphz</sub>)</b>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	95	2.44	508	0.065
S <sub>12</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	70	2.81	440	0.034
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	21			
S <sub>16</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	39	2.85	434	0.137
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	32			
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	16			
S <sub>17</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	56	2.87	431	0.032
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	22			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	14			
S <sub>18</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	81	2.88	430	0.129
S <sub>21</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	39	2.93	423	0.128
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	23			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	19			
S <sub>22</sub> (S <sub>bpy</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	53	2.97	418	0.144
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	42			

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.**Table S5** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ), oscillator strengths (f) and singly-excited configurations of the main singlet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **OsPtI<sub>2</sub>**.

State	Transition	Weight (%) <sup>a</sup>	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)	f
<b>S<sub>3</sub> (S<sub>1pphz</sub>)</b>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	93	2.23	555	0.061
S <sub>8</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	79	2.49	498	0.014
S <sub>9</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	60	2.59	479	0.071
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	22			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	10			
S <sub>10</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	68	2.62	472	0.030
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	13			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	12			
S <sub>11</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	42	2.63	472	0.013
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	32			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	15			
S <sub>15</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	78	2.67	464	0.035
S <sub>17</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	46	2.77	447	0.312
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	29			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	14			
S <sub>18</sub> (S <sub>bpy</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	60	2.79	443	0.157
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	34			
S <sub>21</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	82	2.84	436	0.011

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S6** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ), oscillator strengths (f) and singly-excited configurations of the main singlet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **Os**.

State	Transition	Weight (%) <sup>a</sup>	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)	f
<b>S<sub>6</sub> (S<sub>1pphz</sub>)</b>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	80	2.46	503	0.124
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	14			
<b>S<sub>8</sub></b>	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	41	2.61	475	0.025
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	31			
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	19			
<b>S<sub>9</sub></b>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	47	2.62	473	0.026
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	24			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	21			
<b>S<sub>11</sub></b>	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	30	2.78	446	0.132
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	28			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	19			
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	13			
<b>S<sub>12</sub> (S<sub>bpy</sub>)</b>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	49	2.78	446	0.163
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	41			
<b>S<sub>13</sub></b>	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	60	2.85	435	0.130
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	30			
<b>S<sub>14</sub></b>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	92	2.88	430	0.026
<b>S<sub>15</sub></b>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	47	3.06	404	0.031
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	26			

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

## Singlet-triplet transitions:

**Table S7** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ) and singly-excited configurations of the main triplet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **Ru**.

State	Transition	Weight (%)	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)
T <sub>1</sub> (T <sub>BL4_YZ</sub> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	34	2.32	533
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	26		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	20		
T <sub>2</sub> (T <sub>BL4_XZ</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	42	2.43	510
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	33		
T <sub>3</sub> (T <sub>bpy2_YZ</sub> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	76	2.46	503
T <sub>4</sub> (T <sub>bpy1_YZ</sub> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	56	2.48	499
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	25		
T <sub>5</sub> (T <sub>bpy1_XY</sub> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	23	2.55	487
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	20		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	15		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	10		
T <sub>6</sub> (T <sub>bpy2_XY</sub> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	57	2.59	479
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	16		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	10		
T <sub>7</sub> (T <sub>BL1_YZ</sub> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	37	2.61	475
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	16		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	14		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	12		
T <sub>8</sub> (T <sub>BL1_XZ</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	55	2.63	470
	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	13		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	10		
T <sub>9</sub> (T <sub>BL4_XY</sub> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	28	2.65	468
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	26		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	23		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	12		
T <sub>10</sub>	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[201] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	28	2.67	463
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	12		
	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	10		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	10		
T <sub>11</sub> (T <sub>bpy1_XZ</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	47	2.74	452
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	26		
T <sub>12</sub> (T <sub>bpy2_XZ</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	46	2.77	447
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	25		
T <sub>13</sub> (T <sub>BL1_XY</sub> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	49	2.81	441
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	30		
T <sub>14</sub> (T <sub>BL2_YZ</sub> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	71	2.83	437
T <sub>15</sub>	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	70	2.92	425
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	14		
T <sub>16</sub> (T <sub>BL2_XZ</sub> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	55	2.93	422
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[201] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	17		
T <sub>17</sub> (T <sub>IL</sub> )	$n_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	83	2.99	414
T <sub>18</sub> (T <sub>BL2_XY</sub> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	83	3.03	409
T <sub>19</sub> (T <sub>Ru_YZ_Z<sup>2</sup></sub> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	68	3.16	391
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[223]$	13		
T <sub>20</sub> (T <sub>Ru_YZ_X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></sub> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	58	3.18	390
T <sub>21</sub>	$\pi_{\text{bpy}}[198] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	30	3.21	385
	$\pi_{\text{bpy}}[197] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	24		
	$\pi_{\text{bpy}}[197] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	11		
T <sub>22</sub>	$\pi_{\text{bpy}}[197] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	22	3.22	385
	$\pi_{\text{bpy}}[198] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	20		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	19		
T <sub>23</sub>	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[195] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	32	3.29	376
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[195] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	10		

T <sub>24</sub>	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}2}^*$	54	3.30	376
	$\pi_{\text{BL}[201]} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}1}^*$	23		
T <sub>25</sub> ( <b>TRu<sub>XY</sub>Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{\text{XY}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{\text{Z}^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	48	3.41	364
	$d_{\text{XZ}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{\text{X}^2\text{Y}^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	30		
T <sub>26</sub>	$\pi_{\text{BL}[201]} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}2}^*$	36	3.50	354
	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}4}^*$	33		
T <sub>27</sub> ( <b>TRu<sub>XY</sub>X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{\text{XY}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{\text{X}^2\text{Y}^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	37	3.51	352
	$d_{\text{XZ}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{\text{Z}^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	35		
T <sub>28</sub> ( <b>TRu<sub>XZ</sub>X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{\text{XZ}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{\text{X}^2\text{Y}^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	50	3.52	352
	$d_{\text{XY}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{\text{Z}^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	25		
T <sub>29</sub>	$\sigma_{\text{BL}[199]} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}1}^*$	87	3.55	349
T <sub>30</sub>	$\pi_{\text{BL}[201]} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}3}^*$	40	3.55	348
	$\pi_{\text{BL}[195]} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}4}^*$	14		
	$\pi_{\text{BL}[201]} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}4}^*$	13		
T <sub>33</sub> ( <b>TRu<sub>XZ</sub>Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{\text{XY}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{\text{X}^2\text{Y}^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	37	3.59	345
	$d_{\text{XZ}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{\text{Z}^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	32		
T <sub>47</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>3</sub>YZ</b> )	$d_{\text{YZ}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}3}^*$	98	3.93	315
T <sub>59</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>3</sub>XZ</b> )	$d_{\text{XZ}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}3}^*$	69	4.09	302
T <sub>60</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>3</sub>XY</b> )	$d_{\text{XY}}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi_{\text{BL}3}^*$	98	4.10	302

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S8** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ) and singly-excited configurations of the main triplet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **RuPdCl<sub>2</sub>**.

State	Transition	Weight (%)	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)
T <sub>1</sub> ( <b>TPd<sub>z</sub><sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{z^2}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow d^*_{x^2-y^2}(\text{Pd})$	80	1.71	724
	$d_{z^2}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	18		
T <sub>2</sub> ( <b>TPd<sub>yz</sub></b> )	$d_{yz}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow d^*_{x^2-y^2}(\text{Pd})$	70	1.87	662
	$d_{yz}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	16		
T <sub>3</sub> ( <b>TPd<sub>xz</sub></b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow d^*_{x^2-y^2}(\text{Pd})$	61	2.02	614
	$d_{xz}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	14		
T <sub>4</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>yz</sub></b> )	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	59	2.23	554
	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	27		
T <sub>5</sub> ( <b>TPd<sub>xy</sub></b> )	$d_{xy}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow d^*_{x^2-y^2}(\text{Pd})$	70	2.34	529
	$d_{xy}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	16		
T <sub>6</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>xz</sub></b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	54	2.36	524
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	31		
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	10		
T <sub>7</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>4</sub><sub>yz</sub></b> )	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	36	2.38	521
	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	24		
	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	10		
T <sub>8</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>4</sub><sub>xz</sub></b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	37	2.44	508
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	24		
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	13		
T <sub>9</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>xy</sub></b> )	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	76	2.44	507
T <sub>10</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>2</sub><sub>yz</sub></b> )	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}2}$	79	2.49	498
T <sub>11</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>1</sub><sub>yz</sub></b> )	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	66	2.51	493
	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	17		
T <sub>12</sub> ( <b>TBL</b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	16	2.58	480
	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	15		
	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	15		
	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	13		
	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	11		
T <sub>13</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>2</sub><sub>xy</sub></b> )	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}2}$	72	2.61	475
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	13		
T <sub>14</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>2</sub><sub>yz</sub></b> )	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	79	2.65	468
T <sub>15</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>1</sub><sub>xy</sub></b> )	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	44	2.66	466
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}2}$	14		
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	10		
T <sub>16</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>4</sub><sub>xy</sub></b> )	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	61	2.69	461
T <sub>17</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>1</sub><sub>xz</sub></b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	55	2.77	447
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	15		
T <sub>18</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>2</sub><sub>xz</sub></b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}2}$	43	2.79	444
	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	26		
T <sub>19</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>2</sub><sub>xz</sub></b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	36	2.83	438
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[220] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	17		
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}2}$	14		
T <sub>20</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>2</sub><sub>xy</sub></b> )	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	82	2.83	437
T <sub>21</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>3</sub><sub>yz</sub></b> )	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	84	2.95	420
	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{x^2-y^2}(\text{Pd})$	14		
T <sub>22</sub> ( <b>TMLCT</b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	47	2.97	417
	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	39		
T <sub>23</sub> ( <b>TIL</b> )	$n_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	89	2.99	414
T <sub>24</sub> ( <b>TCS<sub>yz</sub></b> )	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{x^2-y^2}(\text{Pd})$	85	3.02	410
	$d_{yz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	14		
T <sub>25</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>3</sub><sub>xz</sub></b> )	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	71	3.08	402
	$d_{xz}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{x^2-y^2}(\text{Pd})$	13		
T <sub>26</sub>	$d_{yz}(\text{Pd}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	21	3.10	399
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[220] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	13		
T <sub>27</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>3</sub><sub>xy</sub></b> )	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	82	3.11	398
	$d_{xy}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{x^2-y^2}(\text{Pd})$	13		

T <sub>28</sub> ( <b>TRu_YZ_X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	76	3.16	392
T <sub>29</sub> ( <b>Tcs_xz</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pd})$	82	3.17	391
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	16		
T <sub>30</sub> ( <b>Tcs_xy</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pd})$	85	3.17	390
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	14		
T <sub>31</sub> ( <b>TRu_YZ_Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	53	3.18	389
T <sub>39</sub> ( <b>TRu_XY_X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	59	3.40	364
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	23		
T <sub>43</sub> ( <b>TRu_XZ_X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	40	3.51	353
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	32		
T <sub>44</sub> ( <b>TRu_XZ_Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	49	3.52	352
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	24		
T <sub>49</sub> ( <b>TRu_XY_Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	42	3.58	346
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	36		

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S9** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ) and singly-excited configurations of the main triplet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **RuPtCl<sub>2</sub>**.

State	Transition	Weight (%)	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)
T <sub>1</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BLL</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	61	2.23	556
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	26		
T <sub>2</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BLL</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	58	2.36	525
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	28		
T <sub>3</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL4</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	34	2.37	522
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	25		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	10		
T <sub>4</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL4</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	33	2.43	510
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	28		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	14		
T <sub>5</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BLL</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	77	2.43	509
T <sub>6</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy2</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	79	2.49	498
T <sub>7</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy1</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	68	2.51	493
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	15		
T <sub>8</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Pt</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	65	2.56	484
T <sub>9</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	24	2.57	483
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	12		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	10		
T <sub>10</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Pt</sub>_Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	88	2.58	479
T <sub>11</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy2</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	72	2.61	475
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	12		
T <sub>12</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy1</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	30	2.63	471
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	13		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	12		
T <sub>13</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL2</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	78	2.64	470
T <sub>14</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL4</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	47	2.68	462
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	23		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	17		
T <sub>15</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL2</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	46	2.73	453
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	16		
T <sub>16</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Pt</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	85	2.76	449
T <sub>17</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy1</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	54	2.77	448
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	13		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	10		
T <sub>18</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy2</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	56	2.80	442
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	24		
T <sub>19</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL2</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	78	2.82	439
T <sub>20</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	75	2.84	437
T <sub>21</sub> ( <b>T<sub>MLCT</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	65	2.88	430
	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	22		
T <sub>22</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	59	2.91	425
T <sub>23</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	39	2.92	425
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[221] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	12		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	12		
T <sub>24</sub>	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	52	2.93	423
	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	30		
T <sub>25</sub> ( <b>T<sub>IL</sub></b> )	$n_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	76	2.99	414
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[217] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	12		
T <sub>26</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	55	3.01	412
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	26		
T <sub>27</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	94	3.06	404
T <sub>28</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	98	3.07	403
T <sub>29</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Pt</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	92	3.09	401
T <sub>30</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>_YZ_X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	77	3.16	392
T <sub>32</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>_YZ_Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	53	3.18	389
T <sub>40</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>_XY_X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	59	3.40	364

	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{Z^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	22		
T <sub>43</sub> ( <b>TRu<sub>XZ</sub>X<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{X^2-Y^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	38	3.51	353
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{Z^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	33		
T <sub>44</sub> ( <b>TRu<sub>XZ</sub>Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{Z^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	47	3.52	352
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{X^2-Y^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	23		
T <sub>49</sub> ( <b>TRu<sub>XY</sub>Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{X^2-Y^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	41	3.58	346
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{Z^2}^*(\text{Ru})$	35		
T <sub>66</sub> ( <b>TCS<sub>YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{X^2-Y^2}^*(\text{Pt})$	99	3.87	320
T <sub>75</sub> ( <b>TCS<sub>XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{X^2-Y^2}^*(\text{Pt})$	99	4.02	308
T <sub>77</sub> ( <b>TCS<sub>XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d_{X^2-Y^2}^*(\text{Pt})$	99	4.03	307

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S10** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ) and singly-excited configurations of the main triplet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **RuPtI<sub>2</sub>**.

State	Transition	Weight (%)	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)
T <sub>1</sub> ( <b>TPt<sub>YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	47	2.11	586
	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	24		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	18		
T <sub>2</sub> ( <b>TPt<sub>Z^2</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	35	2.12	584
	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	31		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	24		
T <sub>3</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	61	2.23	555
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	25		
T <sub>4</sub> ( <b>TPt<sub>XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	85	2.30	538
	$n_{\text{I}}[205] \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	11		
T <sub>5</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	61	2.35	526
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	27		
T <sub>6</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>4YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	33	2.37	522
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	22		
T <sub>7</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	75	2.42	511
T <sub>8</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>4XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	31	2.43	510
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	31		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	14		
T <sub>9</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>2YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	80	2.50	496
T <sub>10</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>1YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	68	2.52	492
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	13		
T <sub>11</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	17	2.55	486
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	17		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	16		
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[209] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	10		
T <sub>12</sub>	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	22	2.60	477
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	20		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	15		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	10		
T <sub>13</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>2XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	74	2.60	476
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	12		
T <sub>14</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>2YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	80	2.65	468
T <sub>15</sub> ( <b>TPt<sub>XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	49	2.65	467
	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	39		
T <sub>16</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>1XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	42	2.67	465
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	18		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	16		
T <sub>17</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>4XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	35	2.69	461
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	26		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	17		
T <sub>18</sub> ( <b>TMLCT</b> )	$n_{\text{I}} \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	33	2.75	451
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	32		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	26		
T <sub>19</sub>	$n_{\text{I}} \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	34	2.76	448
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	26		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	13		
T <sub>20</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>1XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	28	2.77	448
	$n_{\text{I}} \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	26		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	11		
T <sub>21</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	36	2.78	446
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	21		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	13		
T <sub>22</sub> ( <b>Tbpy<sub>2XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	52	2.80	443
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	19		
T <sub>23</sub>	$n_{\text{I}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	92	2.81	440
T <sub>24</sub> ( <b>TBL<sub>2XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	67	2.81	440

T <sub>25</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	30	2.82	440
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	25		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	12		
T <sub>26</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	27	2.88	430
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[209] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	26		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	19		
T <sub>27</sub>	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	32	2.89	429
	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	25		
	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	20		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	17		
T <sub>28</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3</sub>YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	98	2.92	424
T <sub>29</sub> ( <b>T<sub>IL</sub></b> )	$n_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	87	2.99	415
T <sub>30</sub>	$n_{\text{I}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	92	3.03	409
T <sub>32</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3</sub>XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	86	3.06	405
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	10		
T <sub>33</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3</sub>XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	98	3.06	404
T <sub>38</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>YZX<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	73	3.17	391
T <sub>40</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>YZZ<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	50	3.19	389
T <sub>45</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Cs</sub>YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	99	3.31	374
T <sub>47</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>XYX<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	58	3.40	364
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	22		
T <sub>48</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Cs</sub>XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	98	3.45	359
T <sub>49</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Cs</sub>XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	99	3.45	359
T <sub>55</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>XZX<sup>2</sup>Y<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	36	3.51	353
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	35		
T <sub>56</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>XZZ<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	42	3.52	352
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	17		
T <sub>60</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Ru</sub>XYZ<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Ru})$	42	3.58	346
	$d_{XY}(\text{Ru}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Ru})$	35		

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S11** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ) and singly-excited configurations of the main triplet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for **OsPtI<sub>2</sub>**.

State	Transition	Weight (%)	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)
T <sub>1</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BLL</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	58	1.96	633
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	26		
T <sub>2</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Pt</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	62	2.11	586
	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	20		
T <sub>3</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL4</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	34	2.12	585
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	28		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	20		
T <sub>4</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL4</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	33	2.12	585
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	31		
T <sub>5</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Pt</sub>_Z<sup>2</sup></b> )	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	61	2.14	580
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	19		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	13		
T <sub>6</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BLL</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	49	2.20	563
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	12		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	12		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	11		
T <sub>7</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BLL</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	56	2.20	562
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	14		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	11		
T <sub>8</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy1</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	57	2.22	558
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	21		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	12		
T <sub>9</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy2</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	85	2.24	553
T <sub>10</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Pt</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	85	2.30	538
	$n_{\text{I}}[205] \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	11		
T <sub>11</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy2</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	67	2.35	527
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	16		
T <sub>12</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL4</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	32	2.37	522
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	17		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	14		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	12		
T <sub>13</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL2</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	71	2.38	520
T <sub>14</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy1</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	47	2.39	519
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	31		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	16		
T <sub>15</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL2</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	46	2.48	499
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	15		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	11		
T <sub>16</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy1</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	47	2.53	490
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL4}}$	22		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	17		
T <sub>17</sub> ( <b>T<sub>bpy2</sub>_XZ</b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	50	2.58	479
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy1}}$	15		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	10		
T <sub>18</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	27	2.59	478
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy2}}$	22		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	22		
T <sub>19</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL2</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL2}}$	87	2.60	477
T <sub>20</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Pt</sub>_XY</b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	73	2.64	469
	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	15		
T <sub>21</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3</sub>_YZ</b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	98	2.65	468
T <sub>22</sub> ( <b>T<sub>MLCT</sub></b> )	$n_{\text{I}} \rightarrow d^*_{\text{X}^2\text{-Y}^2}(\text{Pt})$	37	2.75	450
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	30		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	19		
T <sub>23</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	53	2.76	448
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[210] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	11		

T <sub>24</sub>	$n_I \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	55	2.77	447
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	23		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	12		
T <sub>25</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	34	2.81	441
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	29		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	13		
	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	10		
T <sub>26</sub>	$n_I \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	92	2.83	438
T <sub>27</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3_XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	97	2.85	435
T <sub>28</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	42	2.86	434
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[210] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	24		
T <sub>29</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3_XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	59	2.86	433
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	23		
T <sub>30</sub>	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	49	2.91	426
	$d_{Z^2}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	30		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Pt}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL3}}$	10		
T <sub>31</sub> ( <b>T<sub>IL</sub></b> )	$n_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL1}}$	88	2.99	415
T <sub>32</sub> ( <b>T<sub>CS_YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	99	3.03	409
T <sub>42</sub> ( <b>T<sub>CS_XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	98	3.23	384
T <sub>43</sub> ( <b>T<sub>CS_XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Pt})$	97	3.23	383
T <sub>89</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_YZ_Z^2</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	52	3.96	312
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [249]$	23		
T <sub>91</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_YZ_X^2Y^2</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	39	3.98	311
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}}[233]$	27		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [248]$	13		
T <sub>109</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_XY_X^2Y^2</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	50	4.26	290
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [248]$	16		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	15		
T <sub>119</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_XY_Z^2</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	39	4.34	285
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [249]$	16		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	16		
T <sub>124</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_XZ_Z^2</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	34	4.36	284
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	16		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [249]$	14		
T <sub>131</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_XZ_X^2Y^2</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	52	4.41	281
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [248]$	16		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	13		

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.

**Table S12** Vertical excitation energies (VEE), wavelengths ( $\lambda$ ) and singly-excited configurations of the main triplet excited states calculated at the  $S_0$  geometry for Os.

State	Transition	Weight (%)	VEE (eV)	$\lambda$ (nm)
T <sub>1</sub> (T <sub>BL4_YZ</sub> )	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	38	2.05	605
	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy1}$	27		
	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	25		
T <sub>2</sub> (T <sub>BL4_XZ</sub> )	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy1}$	50	2.18	568
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	24		
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	11		
T <sub>3</sub> (T <sub>bpy1_YZ</sub> )	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy1}$	53	2.19	566
	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	38		
T <sub>4</sub> (T <sub>bpy2_YZ</sub> )	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy2}$	87	2.21	562
T <sub>5</sub> (T <sub>BL1_YZ</sub> )	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	53	2.32	534
	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	11		
T <sub>6</sub> (T <sub>bpy2_XY</sub> )	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy2}$	63	2.33	531
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	22		
T <sub>7</sub> (T <sub>BL4_XY</sub> )	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	32	2.36	524
	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	29		
	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	15		
T <sub>8</sub> (T <sub>bpy1_XY</sub> )	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy1}$	45	2.37	522
	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	24		
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy2}$	22		
T <sub>9</sub> (T <sub>BL1_XZ</sub> )	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	63	2.43	510
	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL2}$	17		
T <sub>10</sub> (T <sub>bpy1_XZ</sub> )	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy1}$	39	2.50	495
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	27		
	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy2}$	21		
T <sub>11</sub> (T <sub>BL2_XZ</sub> )	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	27	2.54	488
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL2}$	26		
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy2}$	13		
T <sub>12</sub> (T <sub>BL2_YZ</sub> )	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL2}$	70	2.57	482
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	10		
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	10		
T <sub>13</sub> (T <sub>bpy2_XZ</sub> )	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy2}$	55	2.57	482
	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy1}$	11		
T <sub>14</sub> (T <sub>BL1_XY</sub> )	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL1}$	32	2.63	472
	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy1}$	20		
	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL4}$	16		
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL2}$	12		
T <sub>15</sub>	$\pi_{BL} \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL1}$	38	2.79	445
	d <sub>XZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL2}$	34		
T <sub>16</sub> (T <sub>BL2_XY</sub> )	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{BL2}$	91	2.80	442
T <sub>17</sub>	$\pi_{BL}[200] \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL1}$	87	2.88	430
T <sub>18</sub> (T <sub>BL</sub> )	$\pi_{BL} \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL1}$	84	2.99	414
T <sub>19</sub>	$\pi_{bpy}[198] \rightarrow \pi^*_{bpy2}$	27	3.17	390
	$\pi_{bpy}[197] \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL4}$	17		
	$\pi_{bpy}[197] \rightarrow \pi^*_{bpy1}$	14		
T <sub>20</sub>	$\pi_{bpy}[197] \rightarrow \pi^*_{bpy2}$	29	3.18	390
	$\pi_{bpy}[198] \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL4}$	20		
	$\pi_{bpy}[198] \rightarrow \pi^*_{bpy1}$	17		
T <sub>21</sub>	$\pi_{BL}[200] \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL2}$	34	3.28	378
	$\pi_{BL} \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL1}$	15		
	$\pi_{BL}[195] \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL1}$	15		
T <sub>22</sub>	$\pi_{BL}[200] \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL2}$	26	3.29	376
	$\pi_{BL}[195] \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL1}$	13		
	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy}[211]$	13		
	$\pi_{BL} \rightarrow \pi^*_{BL1}$	11		
T <sub>23</sub>	d <sub>YZ</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy}[211]$	56	3.29	376
T <sub>24</sub>	d <sub>XY</sub> (Os) $\rightarrow$ $\pi^*_{bpy}[211]$	48	3.35	369

	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[214]$	20		
T <sub>25</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[213]$	41	3.37	368
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[211]$	17		
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[215]$	12		
T <sub>26</sub>	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[215]$	47	3.47	357
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[215]$	15		
T <sub>27</sub>	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	39	3.50	354
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[200] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	26		
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[200] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}1}$	12		
T <sub>28</sub>	$\sigma_{\text{BL}}[199] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}1}$	87	3.55	349
T <sub>29</sub>	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[211]$	49	3.55	349
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{bpy}}[213]$	33		
T <sub>30</sub>	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	39	3.56	348
	$\pi_{\text{BL}} \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	12		
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[195] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}4}$	11		
T <sub>34</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3_YZ</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	98	3.66	338
T <sub>41</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3_XZ</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	63	3.80	326
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[200] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	19		
T <sub>47</sub> ( <b>T<sub>BL3_XY</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	98	3.88	319
T <sub>48</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_YZ_X^2Y^2</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	64	3.95	314
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [227]$	24		
T <sub>50</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_YZ_Z^2</sub></b> )	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	36	3.96	313
	$d_{YZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [228]$	14		
	$\pi_{\text{BL}}[200] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}3}$	11		
T <sub>69</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_XY_X^2Y^2</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	45	4.27	290
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	22		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [227]$	16		
T <sub>75</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_XY_Z^2</sub></b> )	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	42	4.34	285
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	19		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [228]$	15		
T <sub>77</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_XZ_Z^2</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	37	4.35	285
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	16		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [228]$	14		
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}}[216]$	13		
T <sub>85</sub> ( <b>T<sub>Os_XZ_X^2Y^2</sub></b> )	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{X^2-Y^2}(\text{Os})$	32	4.42	280
	$d_{XY}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow d^*_{Z^2}(\text{Os})$	14		
	$\pi_{\text{bpy}}[197] \rightarrow \pi^*_{\text{BL}2}$	11		
	$d_{XZ}(\text{Os}) \rightarrow [227]$	11		

<sup>a</sup> Weights larger than 10%.