

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Three-Metal-Center Spin Interactions through the Intercalation of Metal Azaporphines and Porphines into an Organic Pillared Coordination Box

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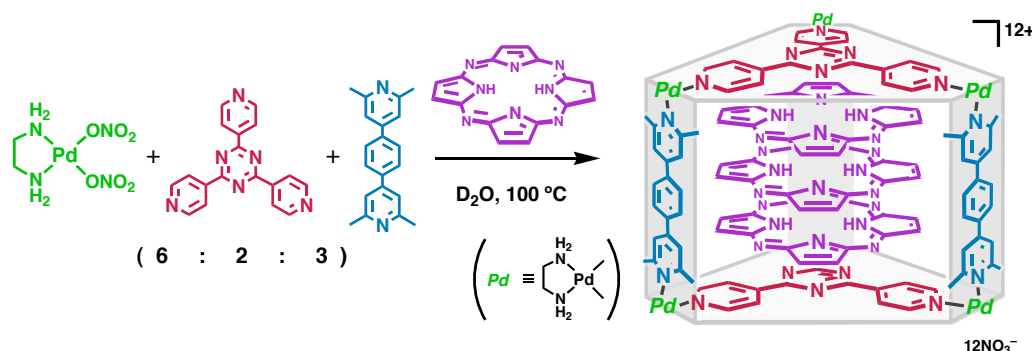
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■ Materials and instrumentations.

NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker DRX-500 (500 MHz) spectrometer. TMS (CDCl₃ solution) in a capillary served as external standard (δ 0 ppm). CSI-MS (cold-spray ionization mass spectroscopy) data were measured on a four-sector (BE/BE) tandem mass spectrometer (JMS-700C, JEOL) equipped with the CSI source. IR measurements (ATR) were carried out using a DIGILAB Scimitar FTS-2000 instrument. UV-visible and ESR spectral data were recorded on a SHIMADZU UV-3150 and JEOL JMS-RE1X, respectively. Melting points were determined on a Yanaco MF-500 V micro melting point apparatus. Solvents and reagents were purchased from TCI Co., Ltd., WAKO Pure Chemical Industries Ltd., and Sigma-Aldrich Co. Deuteration H₂O was acquired from Cambridge Isotope Laboratories, Inc. and used as supplied for the complexation reactions and NMR measurements. Tetrazaporphine (**6a**) was prepared from maleinitrile (ref. *J. Chem. Soc.*, **1952**, 4839–4846).

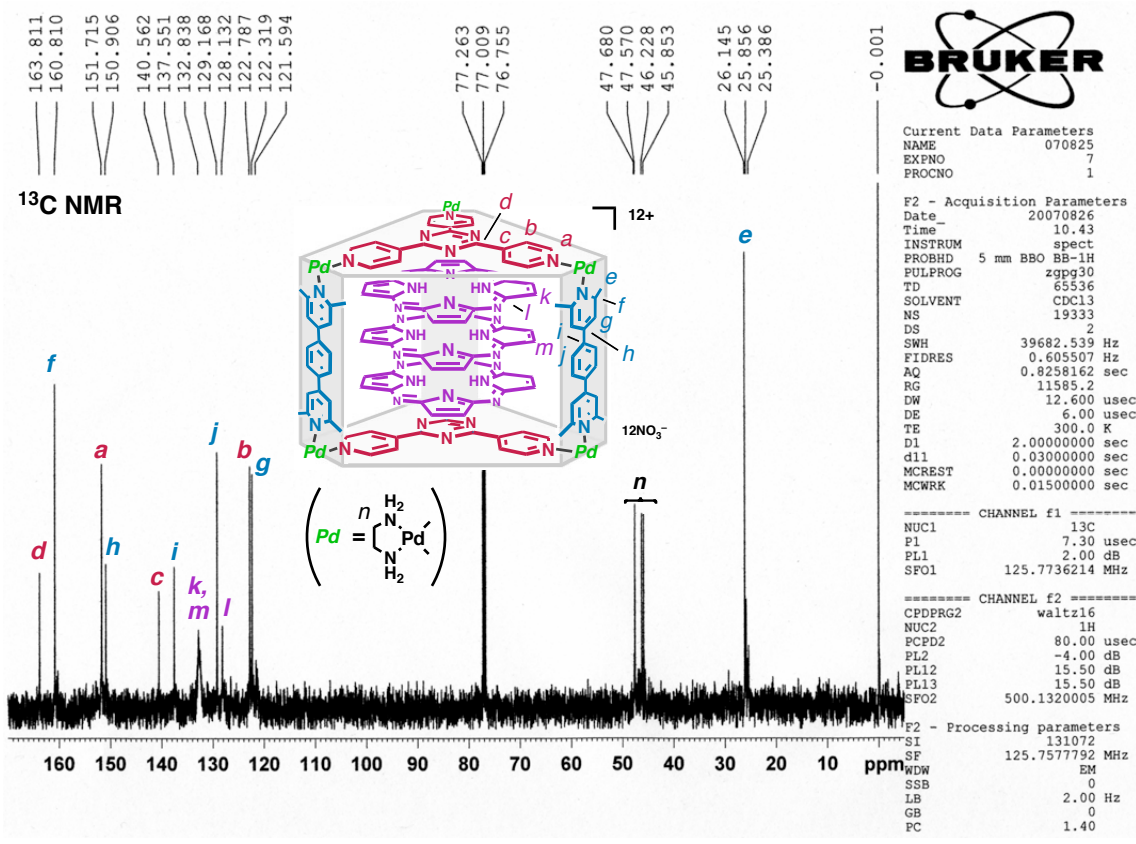
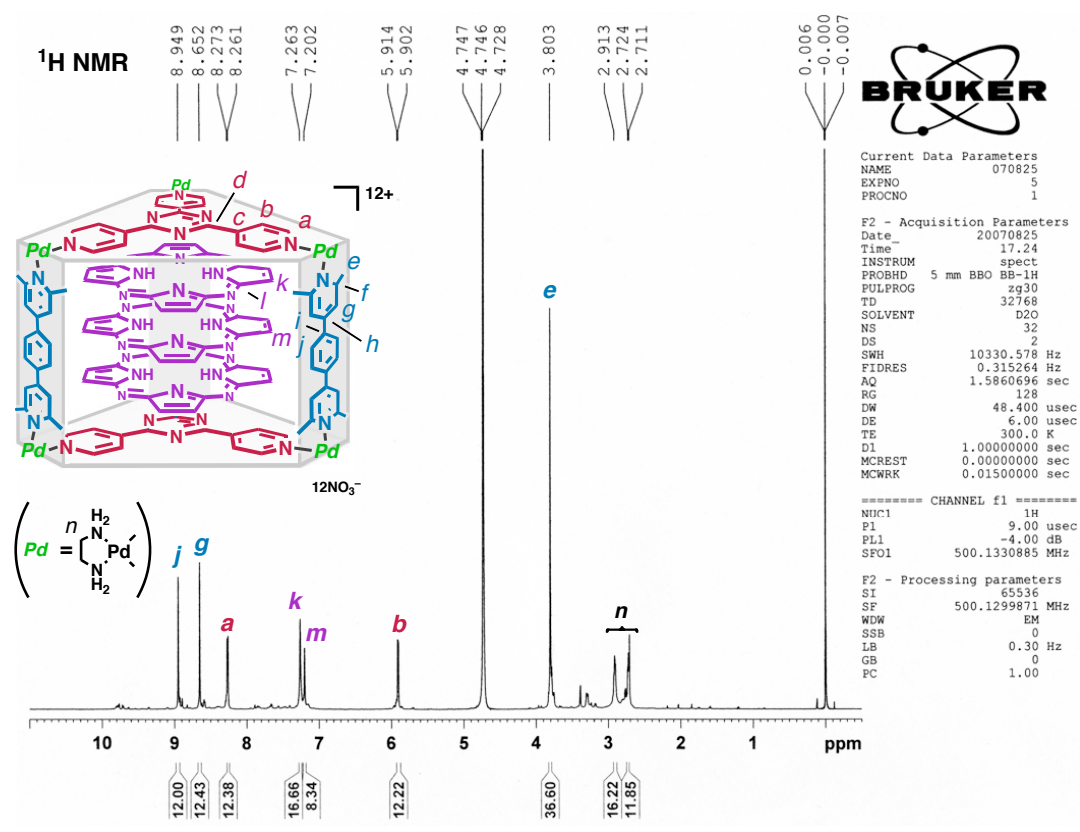
■ Synthesis of 1D(**6a**)₃.

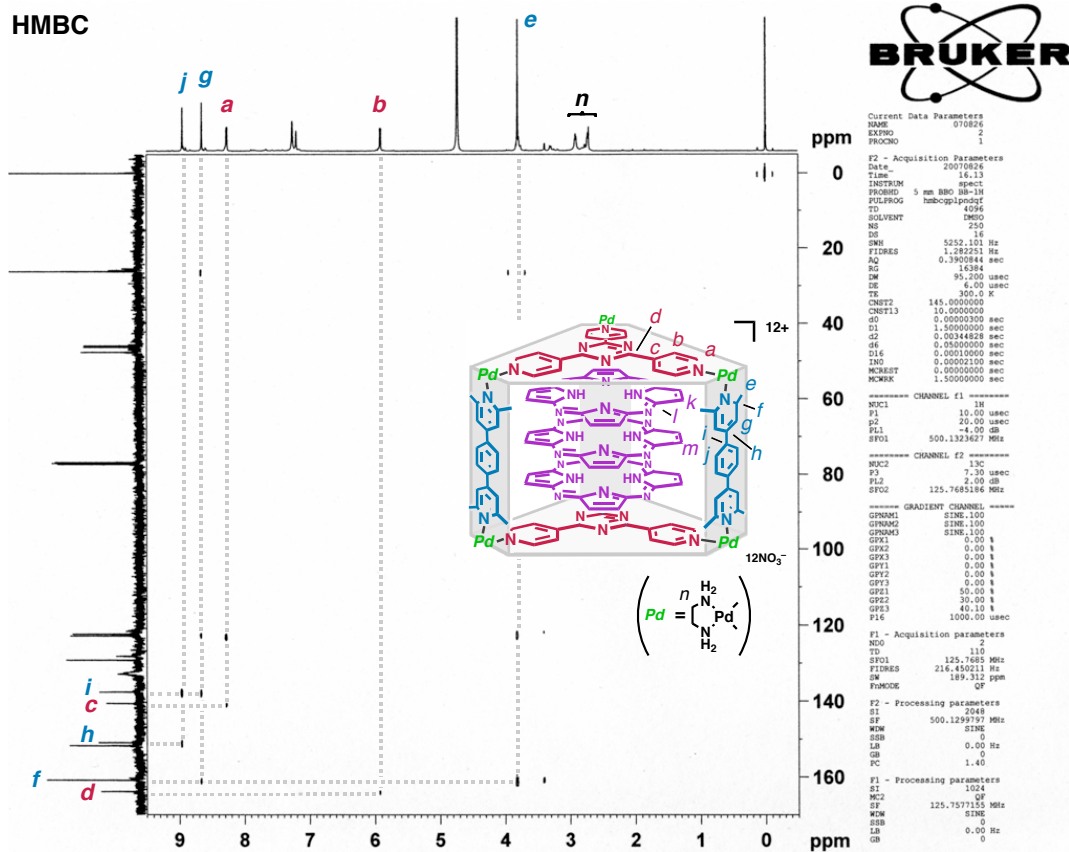
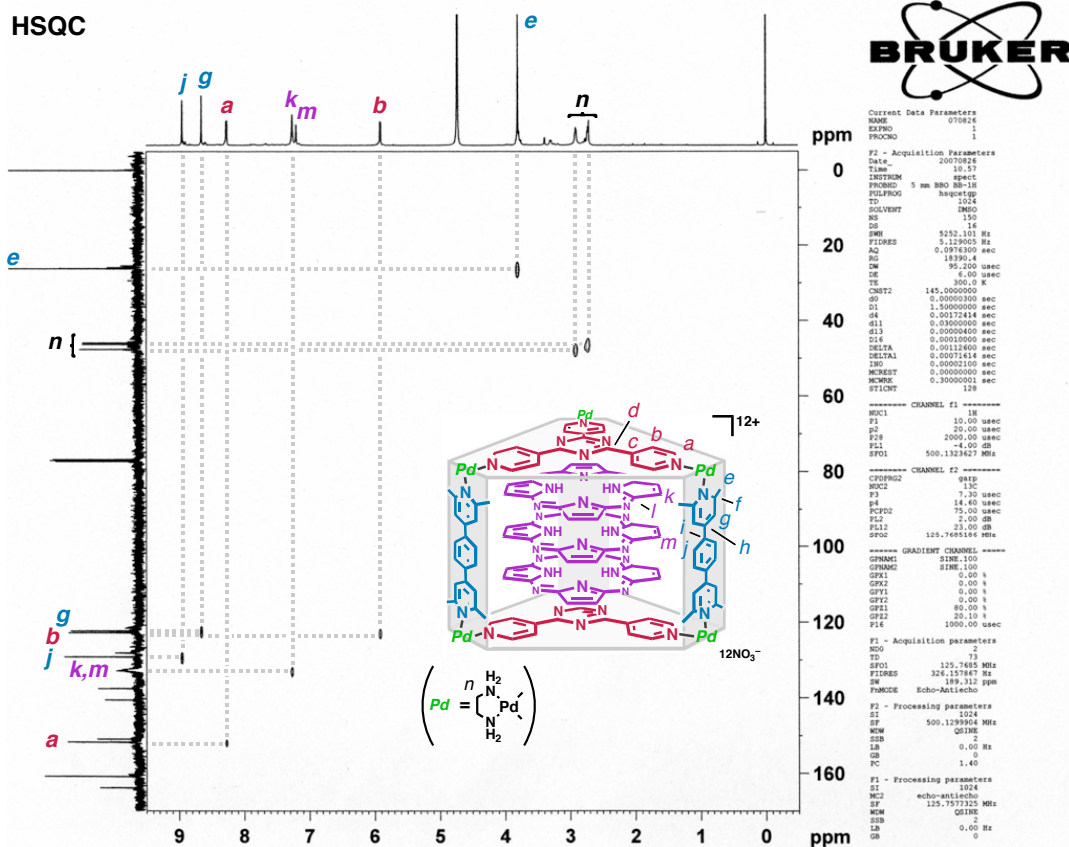


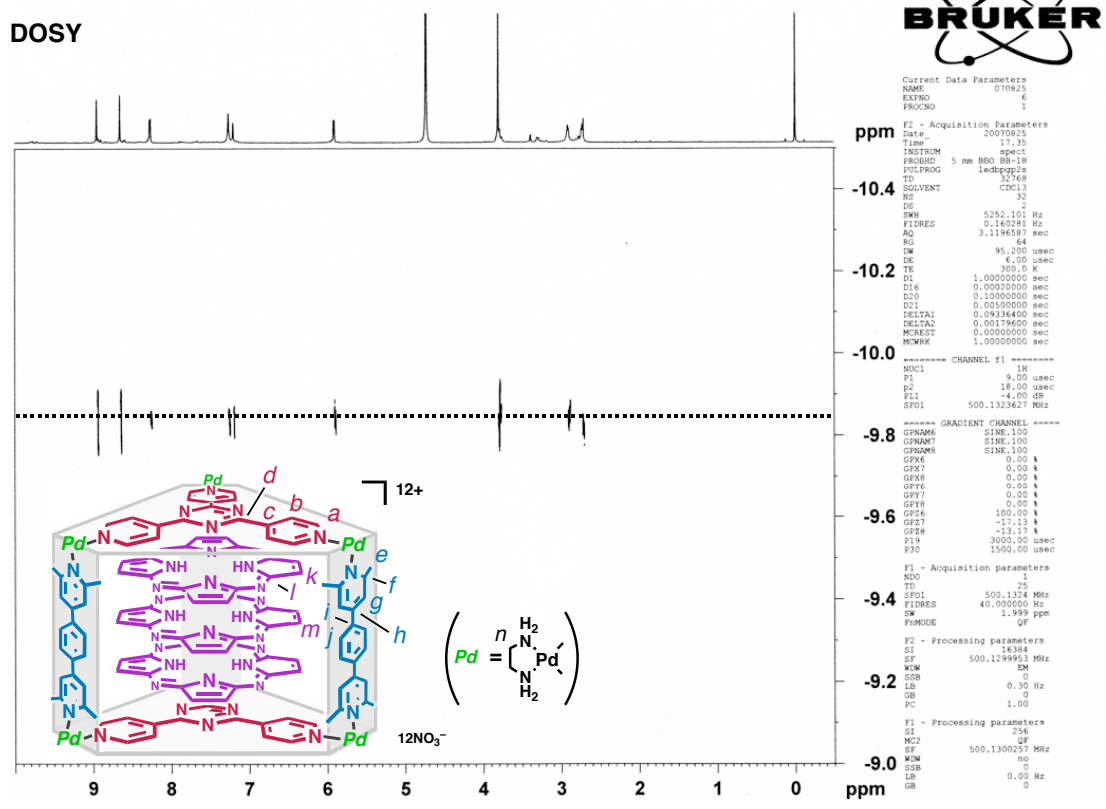
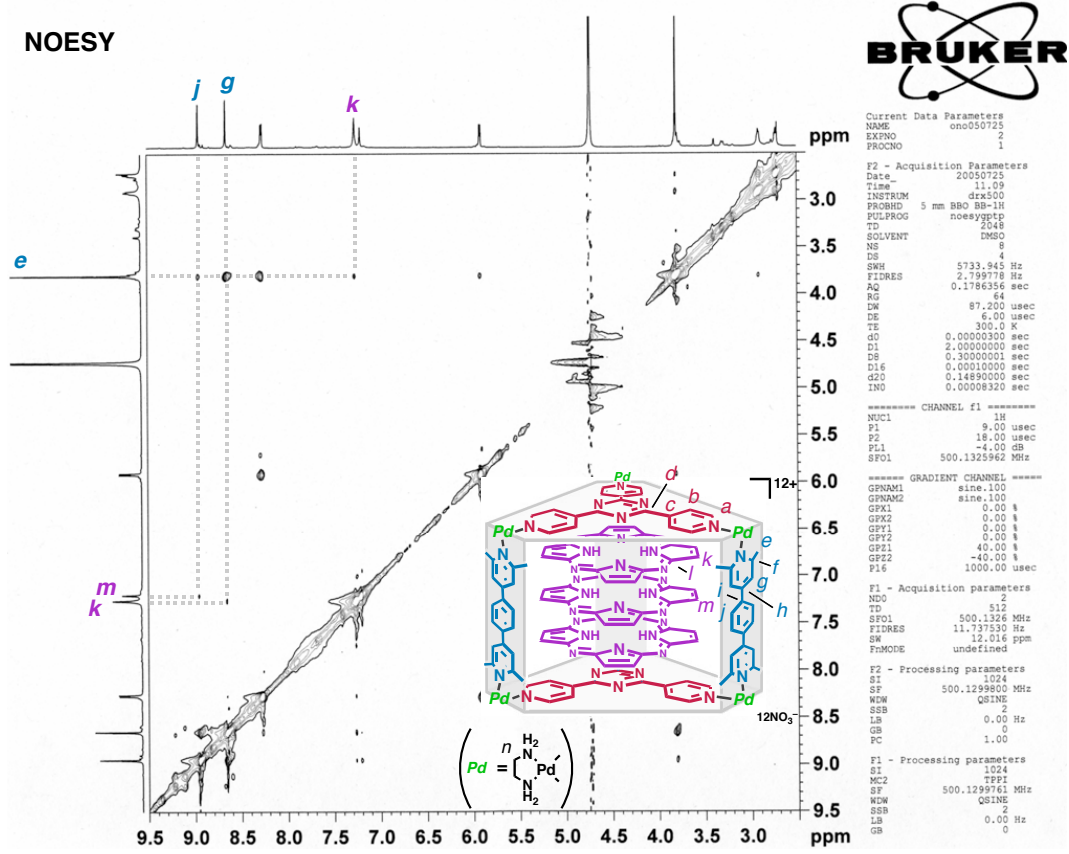
Typical procedure: (en)Pd(NO₃)₂ (**4**, 17.43 mg; 60.0 μ mol), tris(4-pyridyl)triazine (**2**, 6.25 mg; 20.0 μ mol), 1,4-bis(2,6-dimethyl-4-pyridyl)benzene (**3**, 8.65 mg; 15.0 μ mol), and tetrazaporphine (**6a**, 12.56 mg; 40.0 μ mol, 4 eq. per **1**) was suspended in a D₂O solution (1.0 mL) and the mixture was stirred at 100 °C for 2 h. After filtration of the dark purple solution, the ¹H NMR spectrum revealed the selective formation of 1D(**6a**)₃ complex. The solution was evaporated and dried by vacuum freeze-drying equipment to give a purple solid of 1D(**6a**)₃ complex (37.9 mg; 9.08 μ mol) in 91% yield.

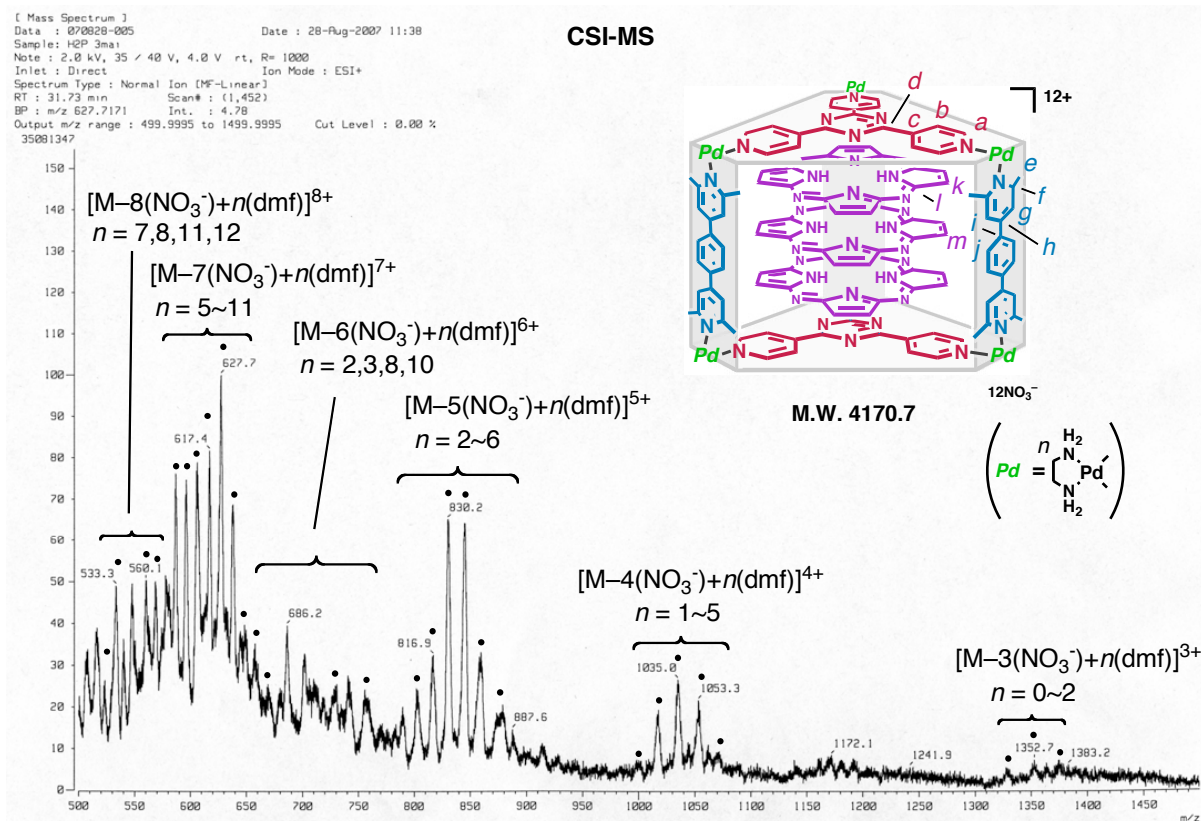
Physical data of 1D(**6a**)₃: ¹H NMR (500 MHz, D₂O, 27 °C): δ 8.95 (s, 12H, **1**), 8.65 (s, 12H, **1**), 8.27 (d, J = 5.0 Hz, 12H, **1**), 7.26 (s, 16H, **6a**), 7.20 (s, 8H, **6a**), 5.91 (d, J = 5.0 Hz, 12H, **1**), 3.80 (s, 36H, **1**), 2.91 (br, 12H, **1**), 2.72 (br, 12H, **1**); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, D₂O, 27 °C): δ 163.8 (C_q, **1**), 160.8 (C_q, **1**), 151.7 (CH, **1**), 150.9 (C_q, **1**), 140.6 (C_q, **1**), 137.6 (C_q, **1**), 132.8

(C_q, **6a**), 129.2 (CH, **1**), 128.1 (CH, **6a**), 122.8 (CH, **1**), 122.3 (CH, **1**), 47.7 (CH₂, **1**), 46.2 (CH₂, **1**), 26.1 (CH₃, **1**); DOSY-NMR (cm²/s): *D* = -9.85; IR (ATR, cm⁻¹): 3429 (br), 3213 (br), 3102 (br), 1615, 1519, 1329, 1157, 1053, 828; m.p.: ~200 °C (decomposed); CSI-MS (H₂O:DMF = 20:1): *m/z* 4170.7 [1D(**6a**)₃-3•NO₃⁻]³⁺, 1327.3 [1D(**6a**)₃-3•NO₃⁻+DMF]³⁺, 1352.8 [1D(**6a**)₃-3•NO₃⁻+2•DMF]³⁺, 1377.0 [1D(**6a**)₃-4•NO₃⁻+DMF]⁴⁺, 998.2 [1D(**6a**)₃-4•NO₃⁻+2•DMF]⁴⁺, 1017.5 [1D(**6a**)₃-4•NO₃⁻+3•DMF]⁴⁺, 1035.0 [1D(**6a**)₃-4•NO₃⁻+4•DMF]⁴⁺, 1053.3 [1D(**6a**)₃-4•NO₃⁻+5•DMF]⁴⁺, 1071.7 [1D(**6a**)₃-5•NO₃⁻+2•DMF]⁵⁺, 802.0 [1D(**6a**)₃-5•NO₃⁻+3•DMF]⁵⁺, 816.9 [1D(**6a**)₃-5•NO₃⁻+4•DMF]⁵⁺, 830.2 [1D(**6a**)₃-5•NO₃⁻+5•DMF]⁵⁺, 845.0 [1D(**6a**)₃-5•NO₃⁻+6•DMF]⁵⁺, 859.4 [1D(**6a**)₃-6•NO₃⁻+2•DMF]⁶⁺, 657.8 [1D(**6a**)₃-6•NO₃⁻+3•DMF]⁶⁺, 669.5 [1D(**6a**)₃-6•NO₃⁻+8•DMF]⁶⁺, 730.6 [1D(**6a**)₃-6•NO₃⁻+10•DMF]⁶⁺, 755.8 [1D(**6a**)₃-7•NO₃⁻+5•DMF]⁷⁺, 587.0 [1D(**6a**)₃-7•NO₃⁻+6•DMF]⁷⁺, 596.8 [1D(**6a**)₃-7•NO₃⁻+7•DMF]⁷⁺, 606.6 [1D(**6a**)₃-7•NO₃⁻+8•DMF]⁷⁺, 617.4 [1D(**6a**)₃-7•NO₃⁻+9•DMF]⁷⁺, 627.7 [1D(**6a**)₃-7•NO₃⁻+10•DMF]⁷⁺, 638.2 [1D(**6a**)₃-7•NO₃⁻+11•DMF]⁷⁺, 648.5 [1D(**6a**)₃-8•NO₃⁻+7•DMF]⁸⁺, 523.2 [1D(**6a**)₃-8•NO₃⁻+8•DMF]⁸⁺, 533.3 [1D(**6a**)₃-8•NO₃⁻+11•DMF]⁸⁺, 560.1 [1D(**6a**)₃-8•NO₃⁻+12•DMF]⁸⁺, 568.5; UV-vis (H₂O, nm): λ_{max} 621 (ε = 1.5 × 10⁴), 544 (ε = 2.0 × 10⁴).

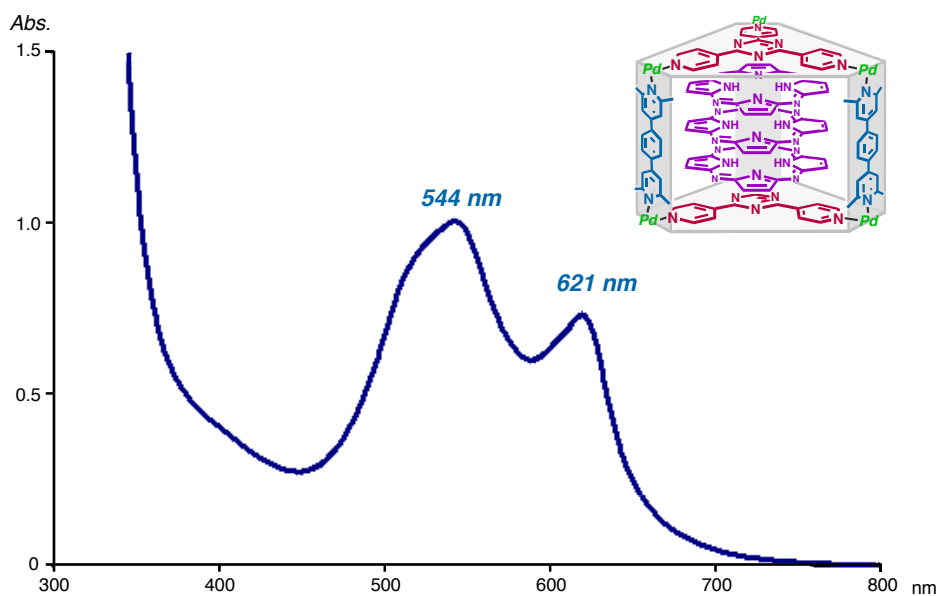




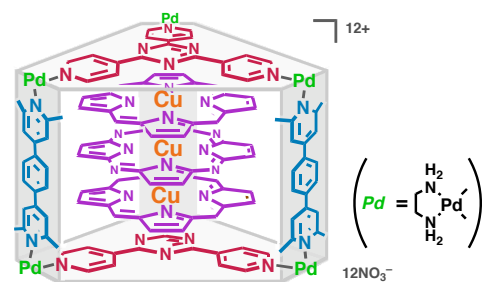




UV-vis (H₂O, r.t., 0.5 mM, l = 1 mm)



■ Physical data of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{6b})_3$:

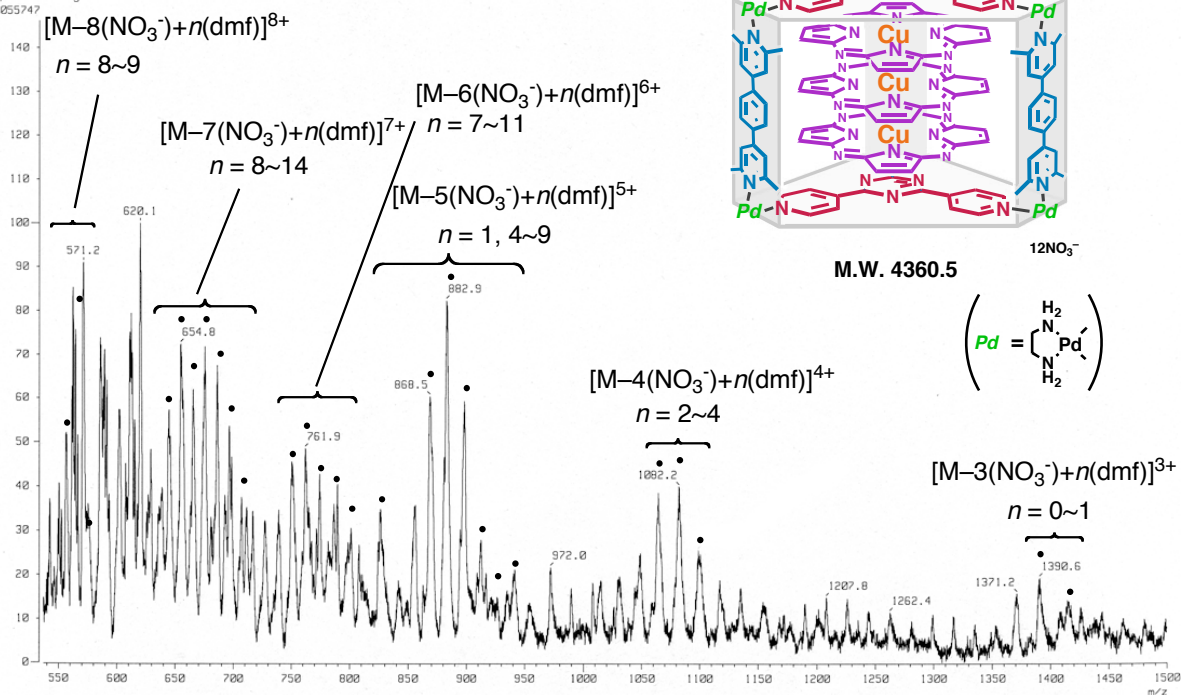


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			1082.3	$[1\text{D}(\mathbf{6b})_3-4\bullet NO_3^-+3\bullet DMF]^{4+}$,	1100.5
			825.6	$[1\text{D}(\mathbf{6b})_3-5\bullet NO_3^-+4\bullet DMF]^{5+}$,	869.2
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			686.1	$[1\text{D}(\mathbf{6b})_3-7\bullet NO_3^-+10\bullet DMF]^{7+}$,	696.5
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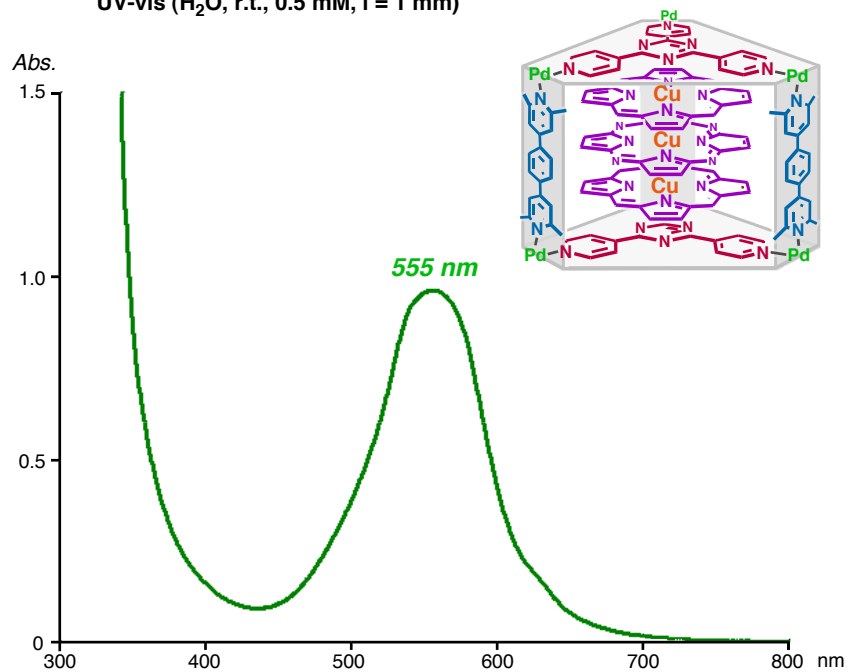
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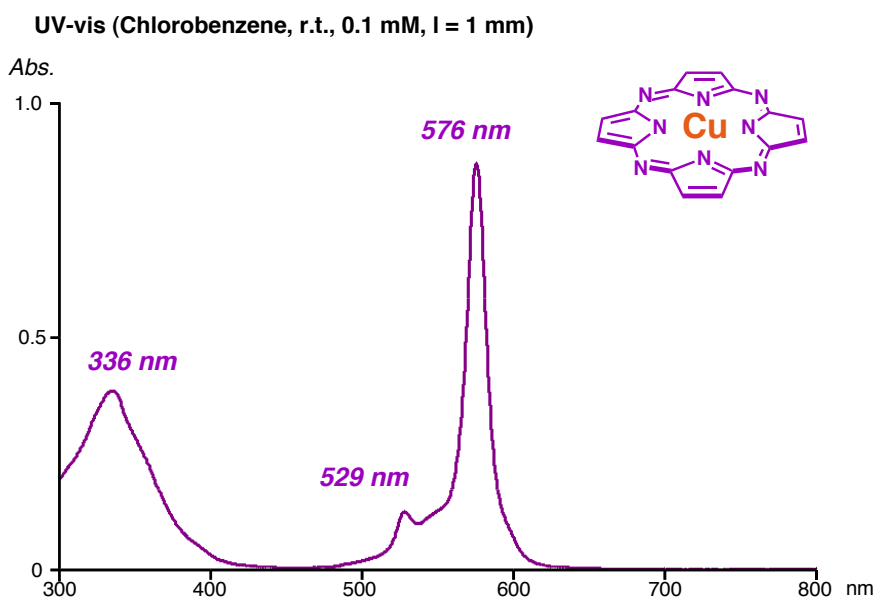
CSI-MS



UV-vis (H_2O , r.t., 0.5 mM, l = 1 mm)

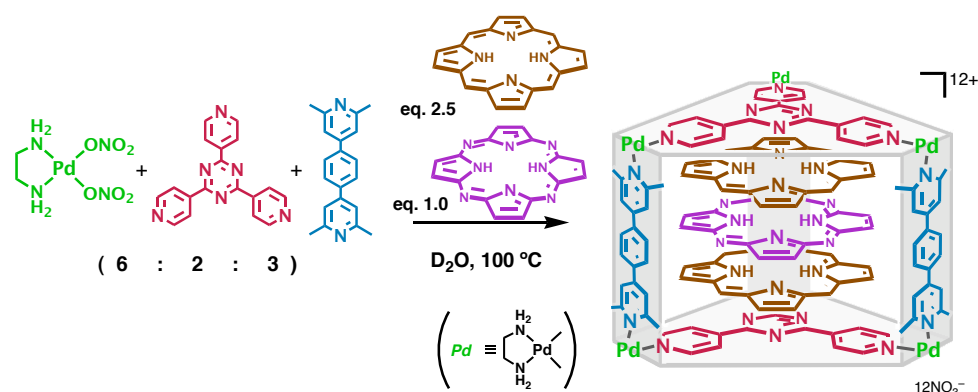


■ UV spectrum of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{6b})_3$:



UV-vis (H_2O , nm): λ_{max} 576 ($\epsilon = 8.8 \times 10^4$), 529 ($\epsilon = 1.2 \times 10^4$), 336 ($\epsilon = 3.9 \times 10^4$).

■ Synthesis of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{5a}\cdot\mathbf{6a}\cdot\mathbf{5a})$.



Typical procedure: (en) $\text{Pd}(\text{NO}_3)_2$ (**4**, 17.43 mg; 60.0 μmol), tris(4-pyridyl)triazine (**2**, 6.25 mg; 20.0 μmol), 1,4-bis(2,6-dimethyl-4-pyridyl)benzene (**3**, 8.65 mg; 15.0 μmol), tetrazaporphine (**6a**, 3.14 mg; 10.0 μmol , 1 eq. per **1**), and porphine (**5a**, 7.75 mg; 25 μmol , 2.5 eq. per **1**) was suspended in a D_2O solution (1.0 mL) and the mixture was stirred at 100 °C for 2 h. After decantation of the solution, ^1H NMR spectrum of the resolved dark red-purple precipitation revealed the selective formation of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{5a}\cdot\mathbf{6a}\cdot\mathbf{5a})$ complex. The solution was evaporated and dried by vacuum freeze-drying equipment to give a red-purple solid of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{5a}\cdot\mathbf{6a}\cdot\mathbf{5a})$ complex (13.2 mg; 3.17 μmol) in 31% yield.

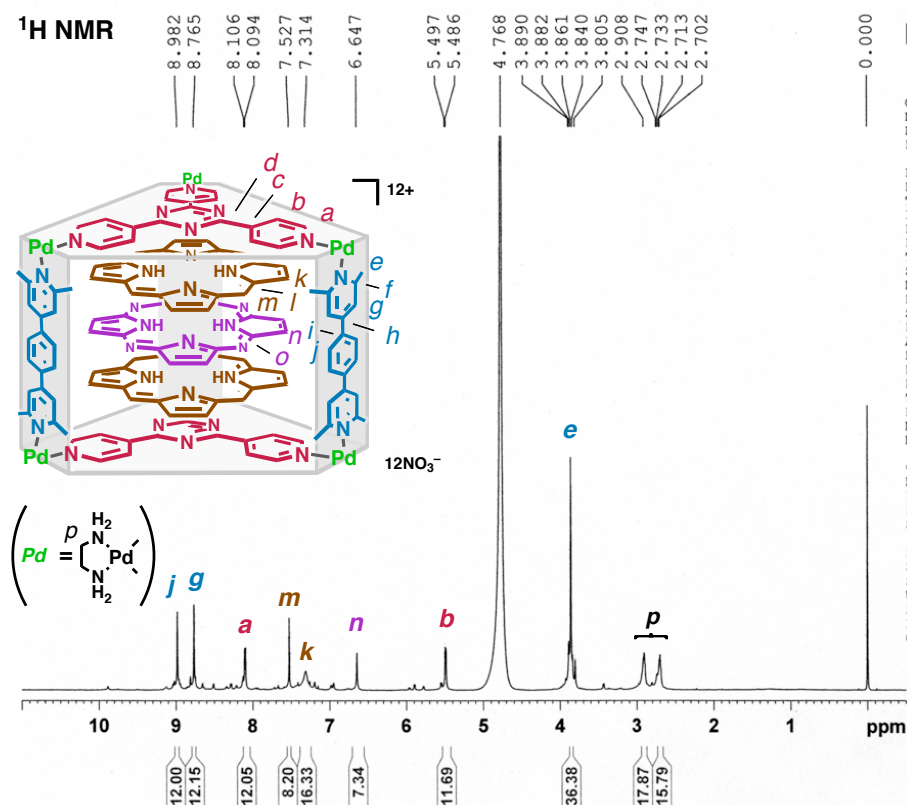
Physical data of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{5a}\cdot\mathbf{6a}\cdot\mathbf{5a})$: ^1H NMR (500 MHz, D_2O , 27 °C): δ 8.98 (s, 12H, **1**), 8.77 (s,

12H, **1**), 8.10 (d, $J = 5.0\text{Hz}$, 12H, **1**), 7.53 (s, 8H, **5a**), 7.31 (s, 16H, **5a**), 6.65 (s, 8H, **6a**), 5.49 (d, $J = 5.0\text{Hz}$, 12H, **1**), 3.86 (s, 36H, **1**), 2.91 (br, 12H, **1**), 2.71 (br, 12H, **1**); ^{13}C NMR (125 MHz, D_2O , 27°C): δ 162.6 (C_q , **1**), 160.9 (C_q , **1**), 151.7 (C_q , **3a**), 151.2 (C_q , **1**), 150.7 (CH, **1**), 140.8 (C_q , **1**), 137.5 (C_q , **1**), 132.1 (CH, **6a**), 129.2 (CH, **1**), 128.2 (C_q , **6a**), 122.7 (CH, **1**), 122.3 (CH, **1**), 121.7 (CH, **5a**), 100.6 (CH, **5a**), 47.4 (CH_2 , **1**), 46.2 (CH_2 , **1**), 26.1 (CH_3 , **1**); DOSY-NMR (cm^2/s): $D = -9.85$; IR (ATR, cm^{-1}): 3452 (br), 3206 (br), 3107 (br), 1659, 1613, 1514, 1329, 1139, 1055, 949; m.p.: $\sim 200^\circ\text{C}$ (decomposed); CSI-MS ($\text{H}_2\text{O}:\text{DMF} = 20:1$): m/z

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¹H NMR



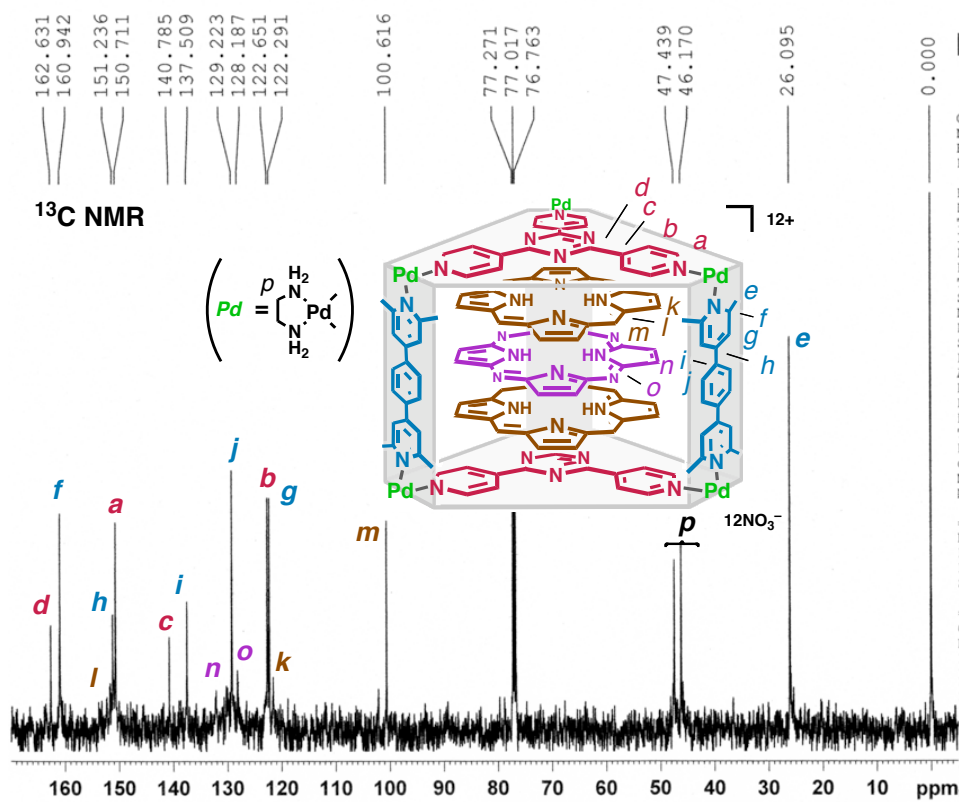
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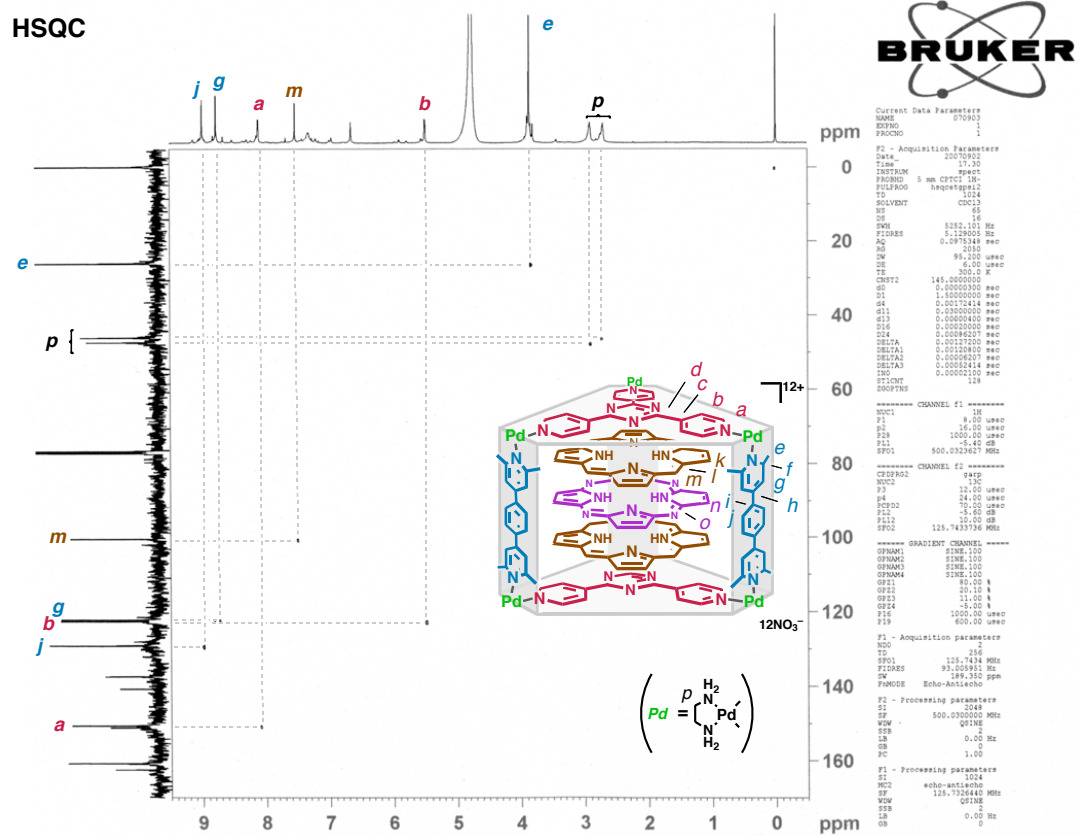
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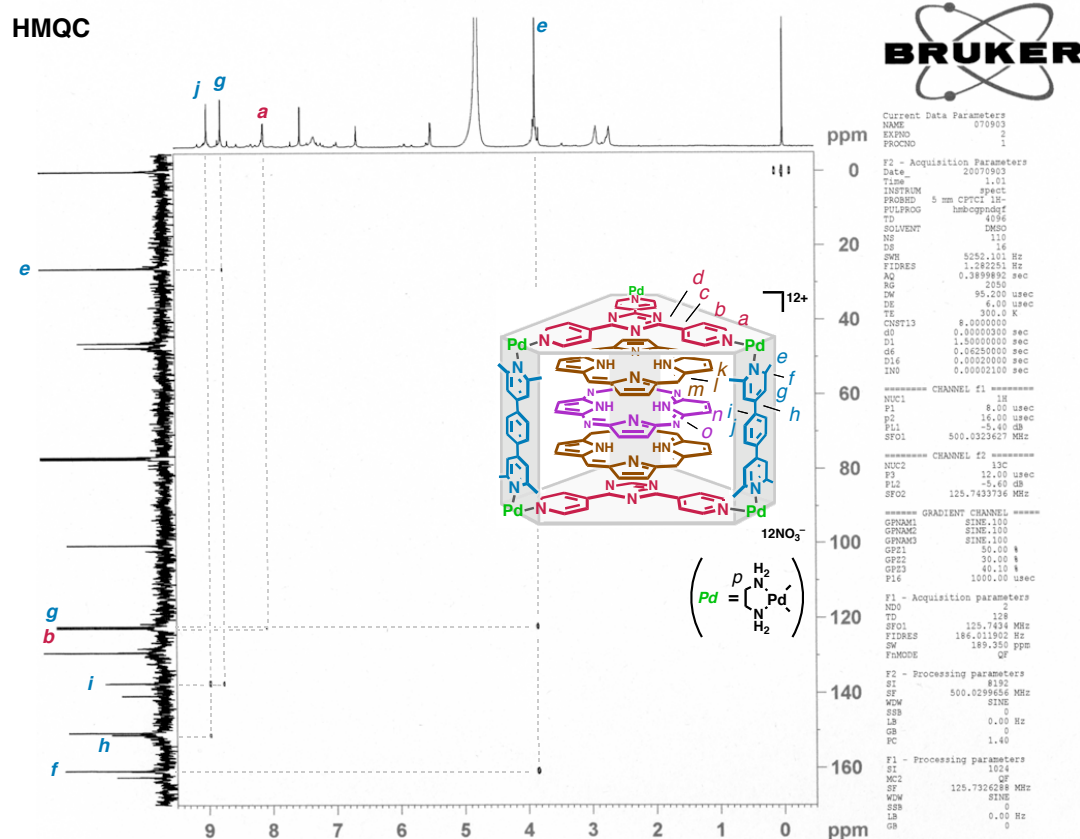
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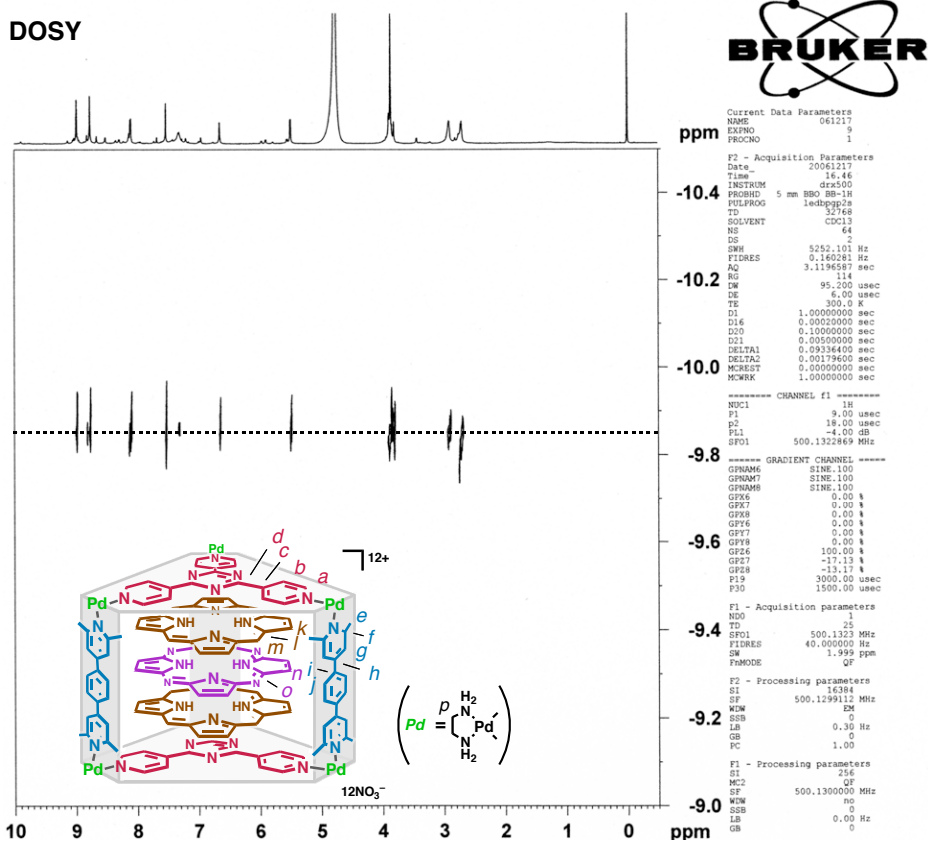
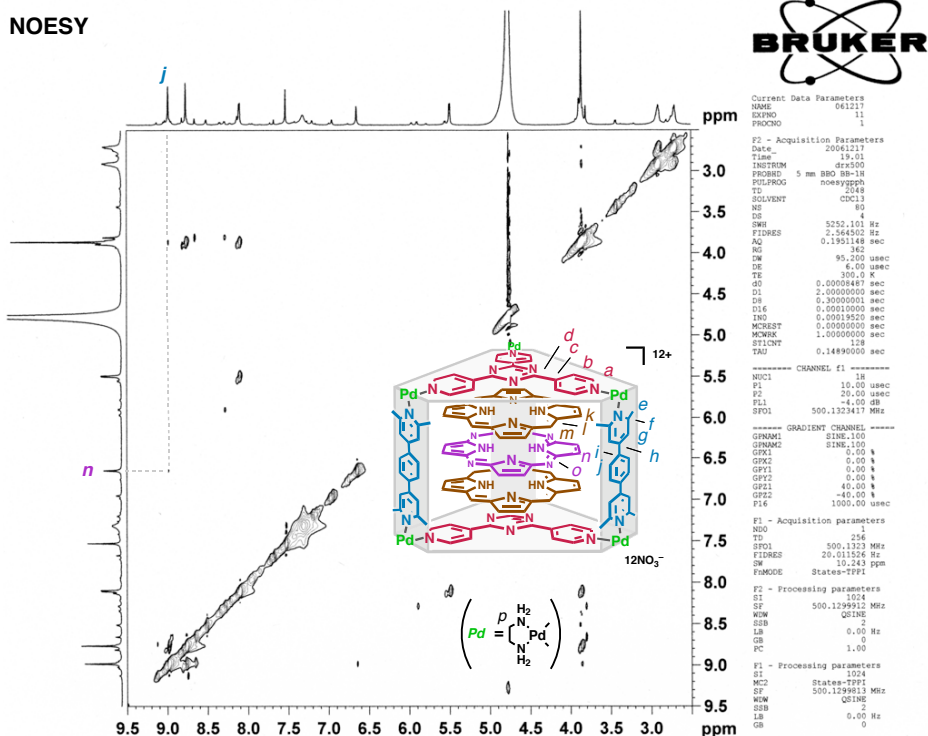
F2 - Processing parameters
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SF 125.7577783 MHz
WDW EM
SSB 0
LB 5.00 Hz
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PC 1.00

HSQC



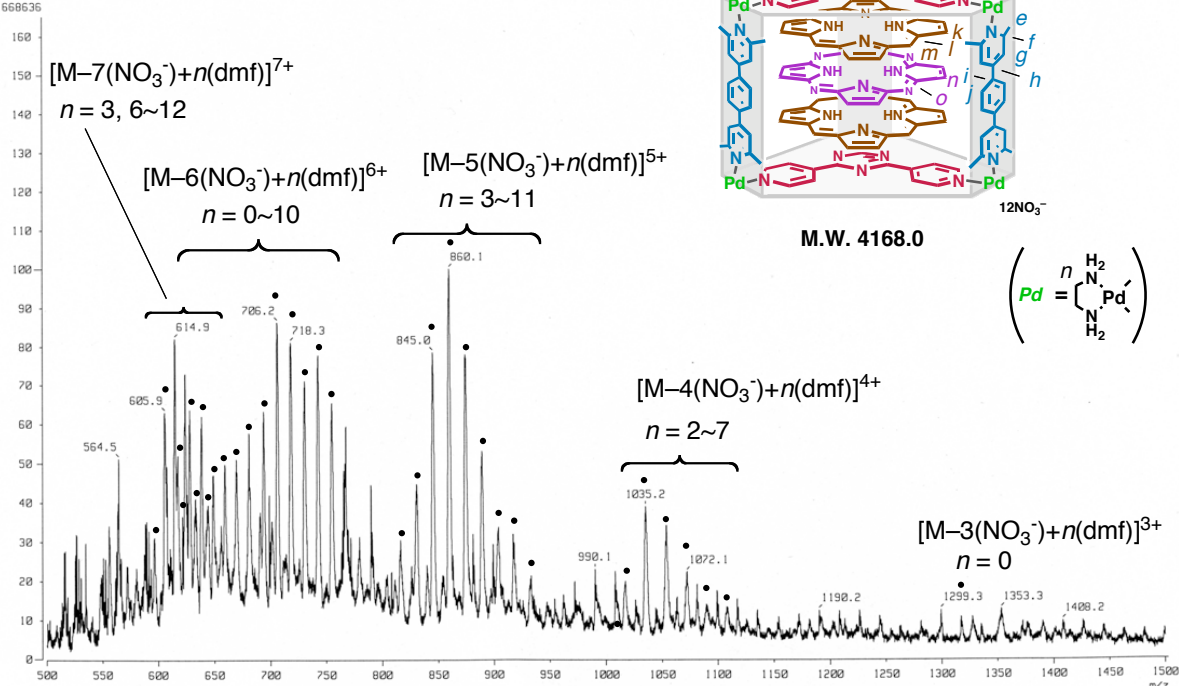
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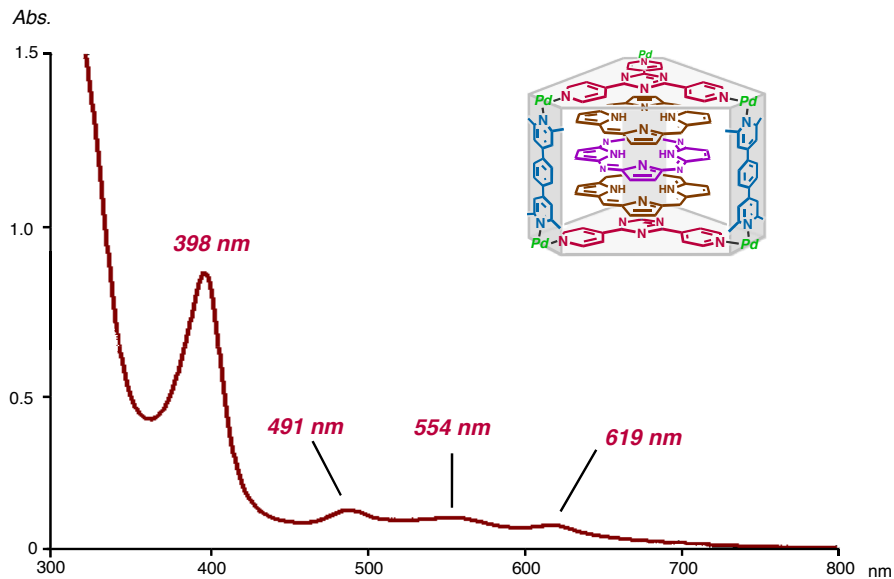


[Mass Spectrum]
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 Sample: H2P H2T H2P 3ma
 Note : 2.0 kV, 20 / 100 V, 10 V rt, R= 1000
 Inlet : Direct Ion Mode : ESI+
 Spectrum Type : Normal Ion [MF-Linear]
 RT : 8.15 min Scan# : (1,105)
 BP : m/z 850,8541 Int. : 33.91
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 61668636

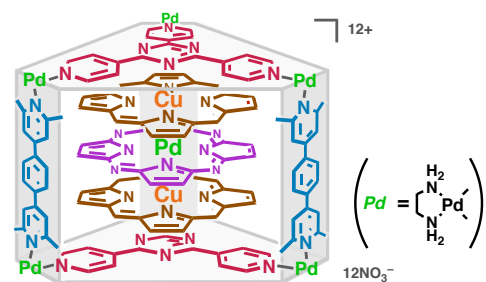
CSI-MS



UV-vis (H_2O , r.t., 0.1 mM, $l = 1$ mm)

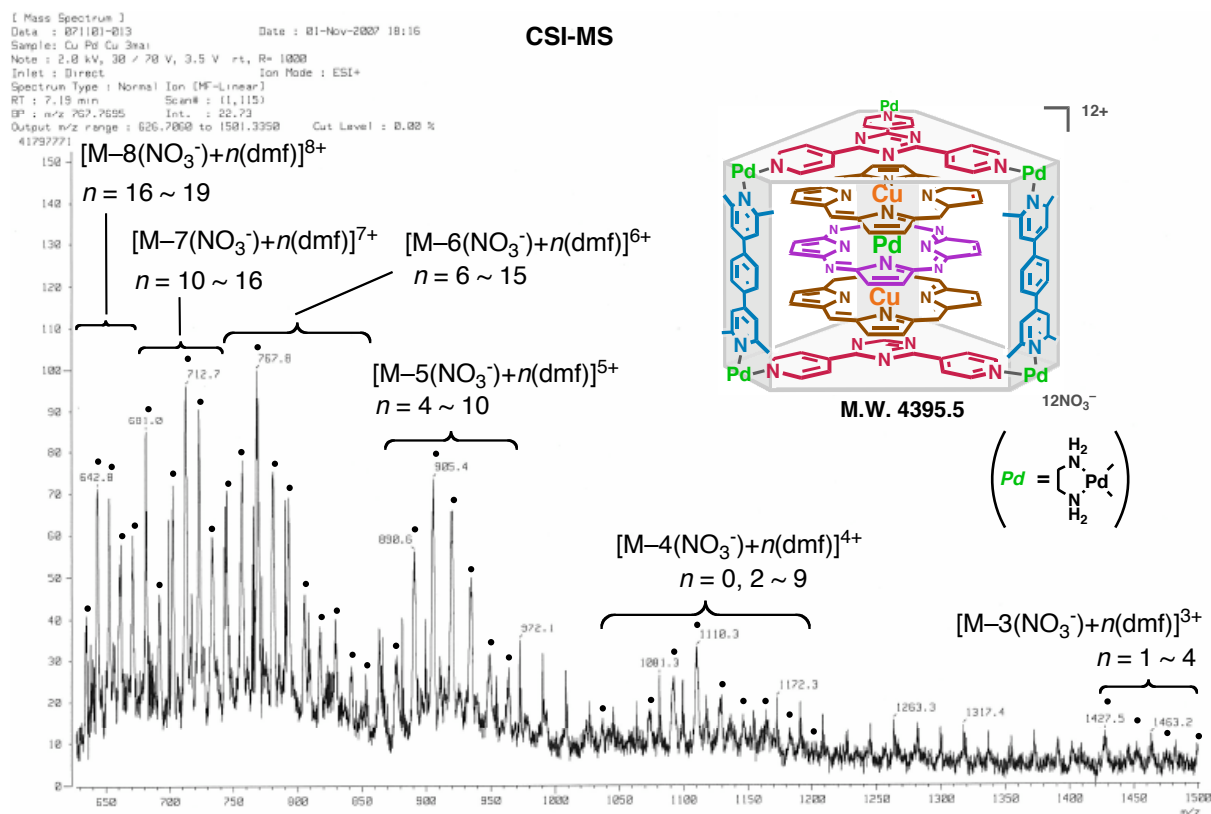


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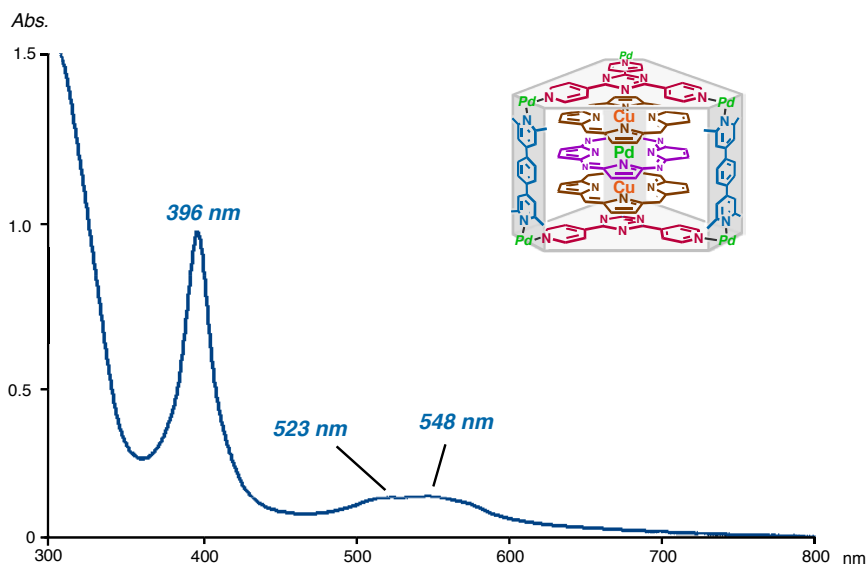


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			[1D(5b•6c•5b) –3•NO ₃ [–] +2•DMF] ³⁺ ,	1452.4
			[1D(5b•6c•5b) –3•NO ₃ [–] +3•DMF] ³⁺ ,	1475.6
			[1D(5b•6c•5b) –3•NO ₃ [–] +4•DMF] ³⁺ ,	1499.8
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			[1D(5b•6c•5b) –4•NO ₃ [–] +3•DMF] ⁴⁺ ,	1092.2
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			[1D(5b•6c•5b) –5•NO ₃ [–] +5•DMF] ⁵⁺ ,	890.6
			[1D(5b•6c•5b) –5•NO ₃ [–] +6•DMF] ⁵⁺ ,	905.4
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			[1D(5b•6c•5b) –8•NO ₃ [–] +18•DMF] ⁸⁺ ,	652.3
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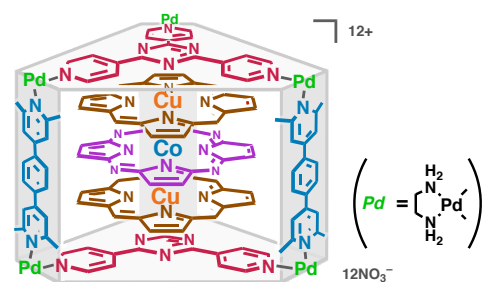
IR (ATR, cm^{–1}): 3412 (br), 3206 (br), 3104 (br), 1614, 1519, 1331(br), 1152, 1057, 996, 827, 804; m.p.: ~200 °C (decomposed); UV-vis (H₂O, nm): λ_{max} 548 (ε = 1.3 × 10⁴), 523 (ε = 1.2 × 10⁴), 396 (ε = 9.5 × 10⁴).



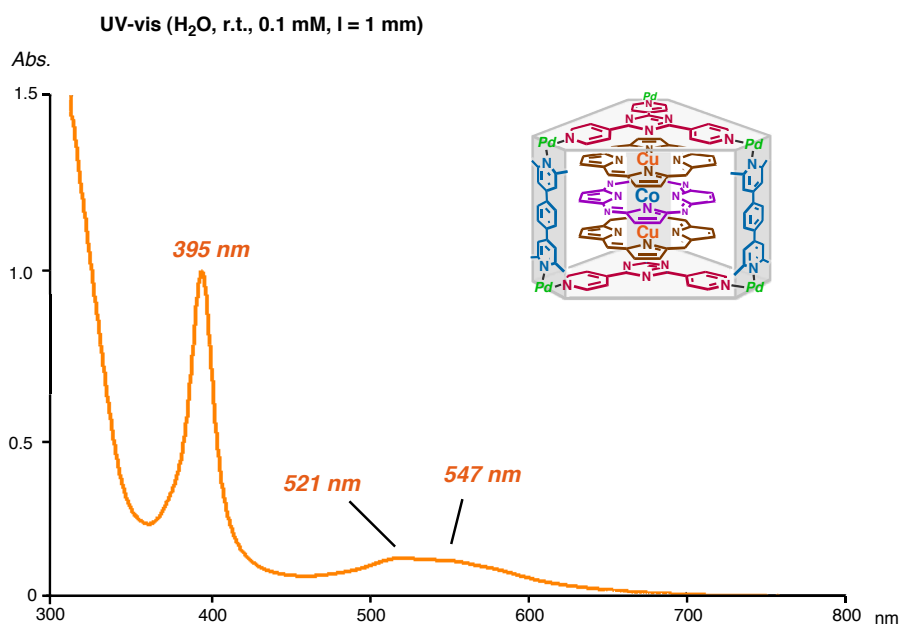
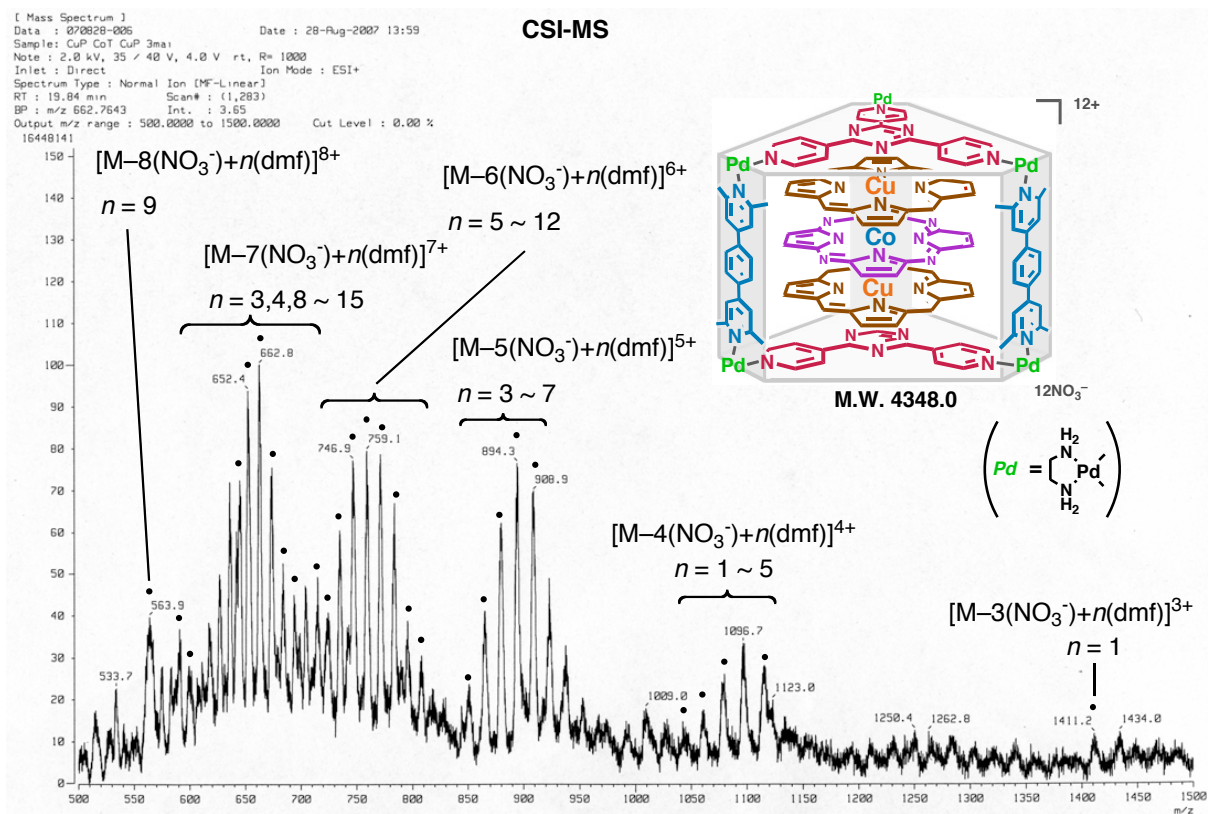
UV-vis (H₂O, r.t., 0.1 mM, l = 1 mm)



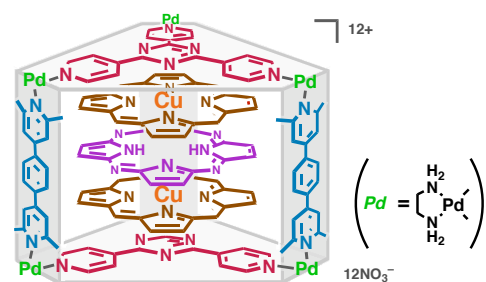
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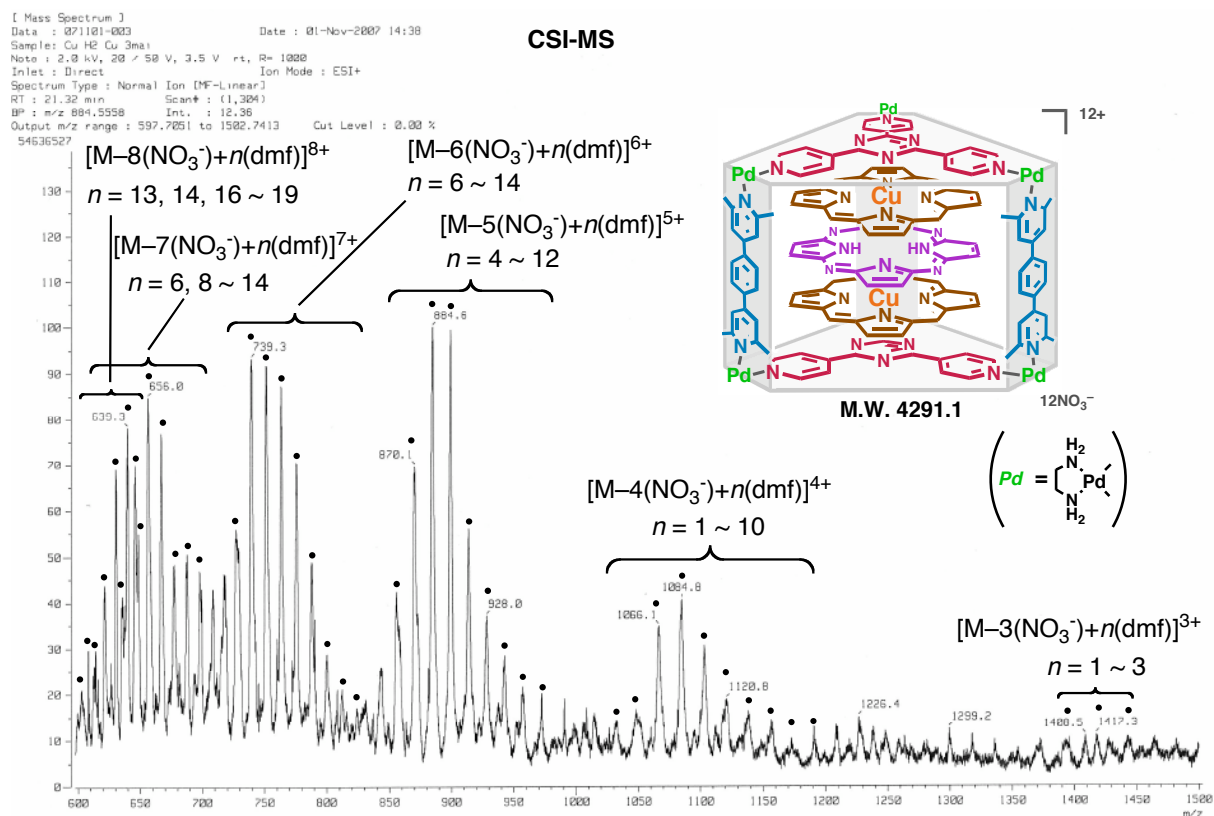
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 [1(**5b**•**6d**•**5b**)-8•NO₃⁻+9•DMF]⁸⁺, 563.9; IR (ATR, cm⁻¹): 3425 (br), 3211 (br), 3108 (br),
 1613, 1524, 1519, 1331(br), 1153, 1059, 994; m.p.: ~200 °C (decomposed); UV-vis (H₂O,
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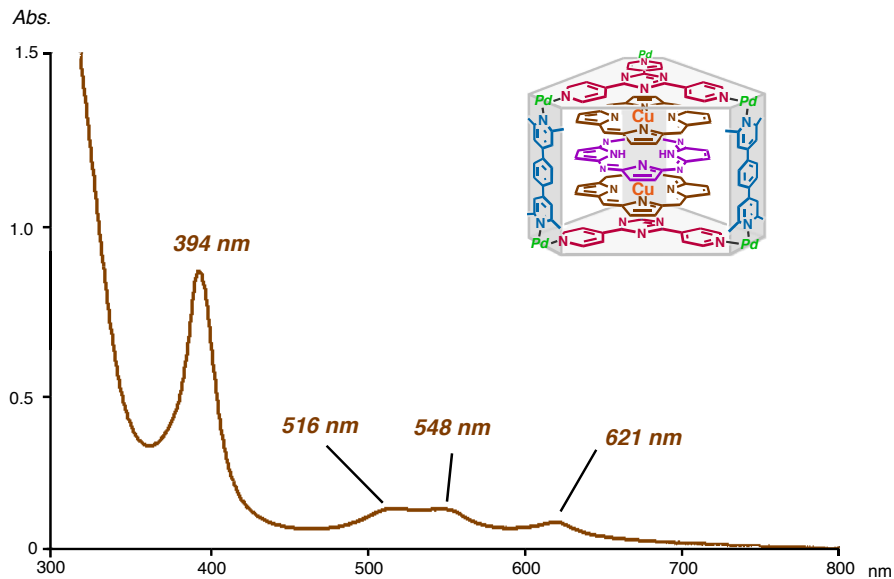
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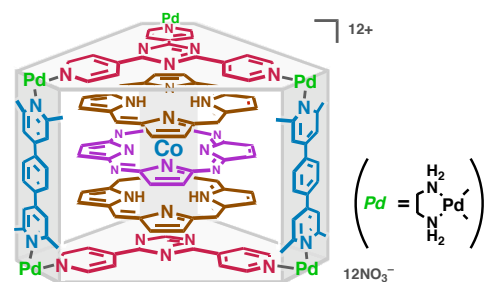
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		[1 (5b • 6a • 5b)–5•NO ₃ [–] +4•DMF] ⁵⁺ ,	855.6
		[1 (5b • 6a • 5b)–5•NO ₃ [–] +5•DMF] ⁵⁺ ,	870.1
		[1 (5b • 6a • 5b)–5•NO ₃ [–] +6•DMF] ⁵⁺ ,	884.6
		[1 (5b • 6a • 5b)–5•NO ₃ [–] +7•DMF] ⁵⁺ ,	899.0
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		[1 (5b • 6a • 5b)–8•NO ₃ [–] +18•DMF] ⁸⁺ ,	647.8;
		IR (ATR, cm ^{–1}): 3406 (br), 3204 (br), 3102 (br),	
		1614, 1519, 1454, 1327(br), 1152, 1057, 995, 937, 827, 805; m.p.: ~200 °C (decomposed);	
		UV-vis (H ₂ O, nm): λ _{max} 621 (ε = 7.8 × 10 ³), 548 (ε = 1.2 × 10 ⁴), 516 (ε = 1.2 × 10 ⁴), 394 (ε =	
		8.4 × 10 ⁴).	



UV-vis (H_2O , r.t., 0.1mM, l = 1 mm)

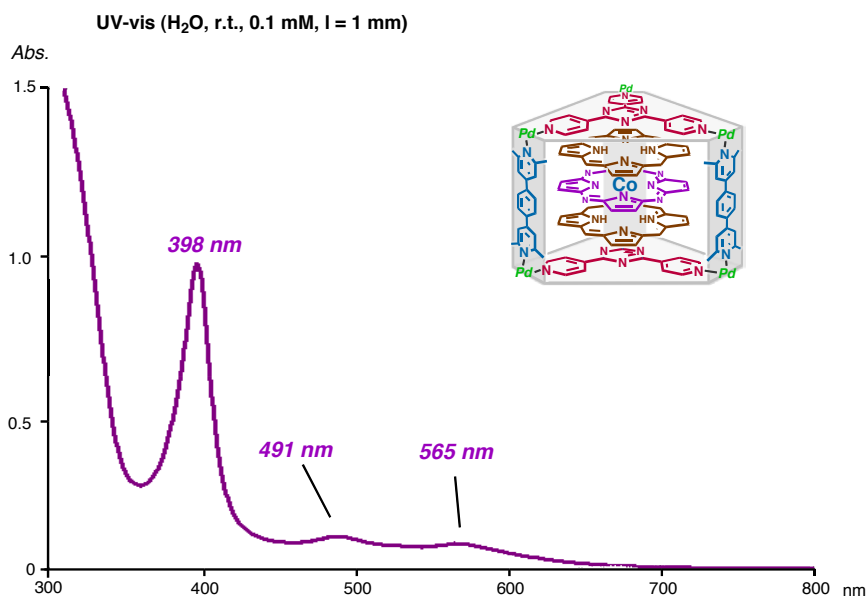
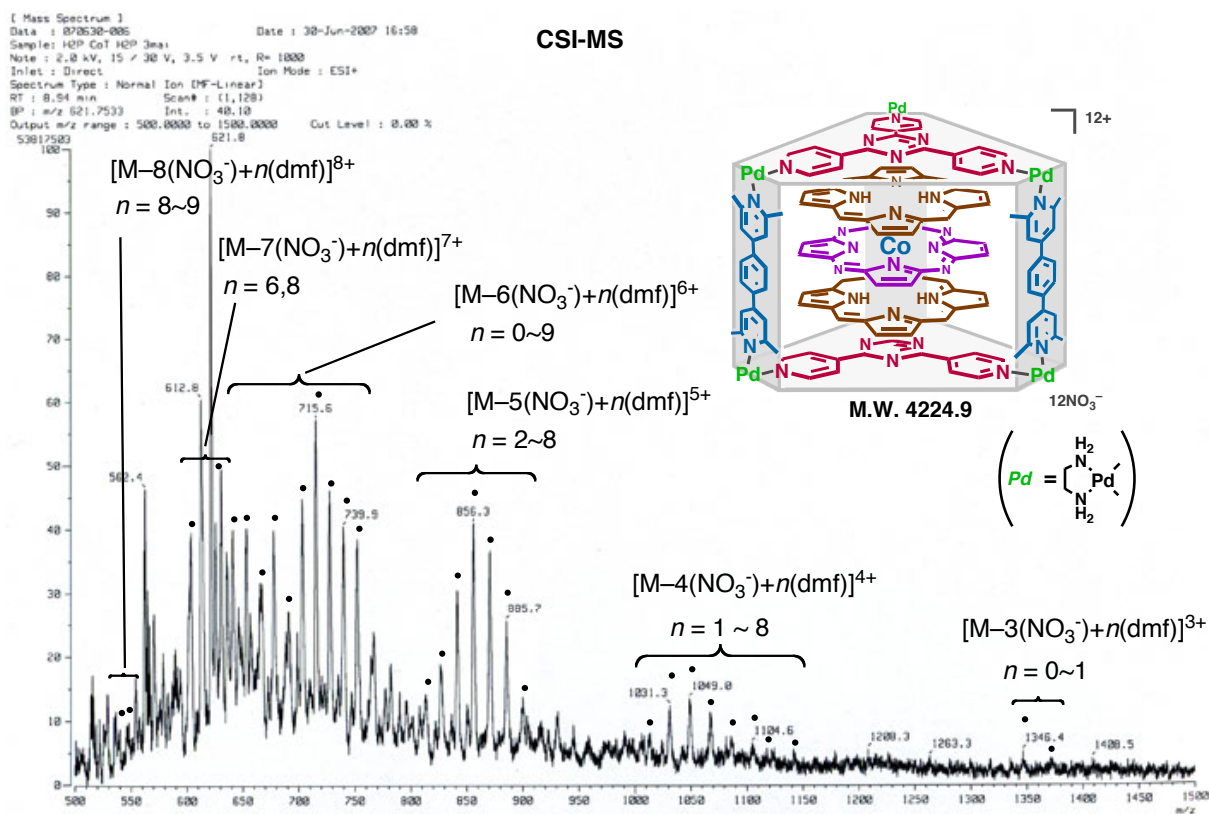


■ Physical data of **1**(**5a**•**6d**•**5a**):

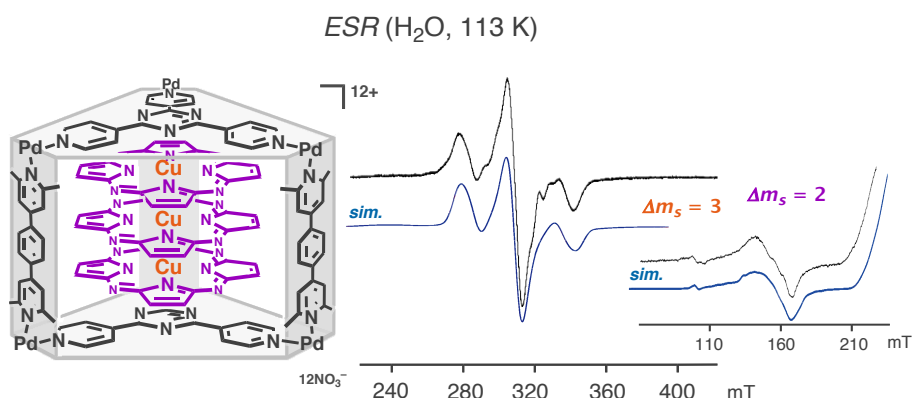


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[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–3•NO ₃ [–] +DMF] ³⁺ ,	1371.5	[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–4•NO ₃ [–] +DMF] ⁴⁺ ,	1013.2	
[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–4•NO ₃ [–] +2•DMF] ⁴⁺ ,	1031.3	[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–4•NO ₃ [–] +3•DMF] ⁴⁺ ,	1049.0	
[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–4•NO ₃ [–] +4•DMF] ⁴⁺ ,	1067.2	[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–4•NO ₃ [–] +5•DMF] ⁴⁺ ,	1085.9	
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[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–6•NO ₃ [–] +8•DMF] ⁶⁺ ,	739.9	[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–6•NO ₃ [–] +9•DMF] ⁶⁺ ,	752.4	
[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–7•NO ₃ [–] +6•DMF] ⁷⁺ ,	603.8	[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–7•NO ₃ [–] +8•DMF] ⁷⁺ ,	625.7	
[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–8•NO ₃ [–] +8•DMF] ⁸⁺ ,	539.8	[1 (5a • 6d • 5a)–8•NO ₃ [–] +9•DMF] ⁸⁺ ,	547.6;	

IR (ATR, cm^{–1}): 3413 (br), 3201 (br), 3098 (br), 1659, 1613, 1514, 1329(br), 1137, 1055, 989, 951;
 m.p.: ~200 °C (decomposed); UV-vis (H₂O, nm): λ_{max} 565 (ε = 7.8 × 10³), 491 (ε = 9.9 × 10³),
 398 (ε = 9.5 × 10⁴).

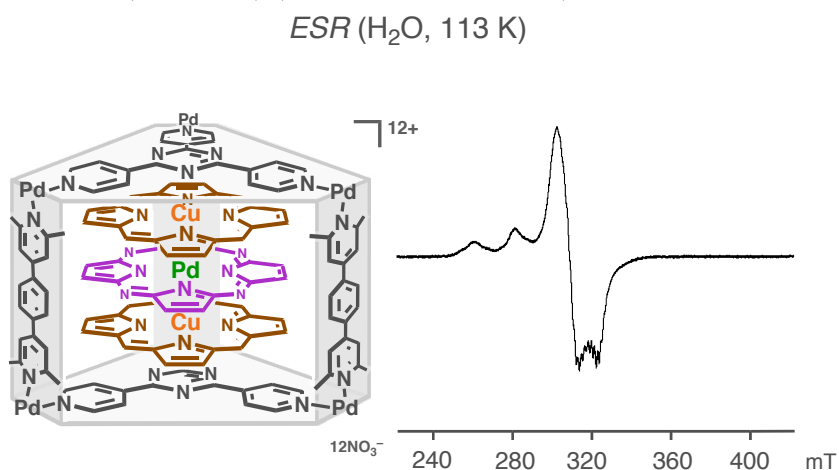


■ ESR data of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{6b})_3$ (113 K):

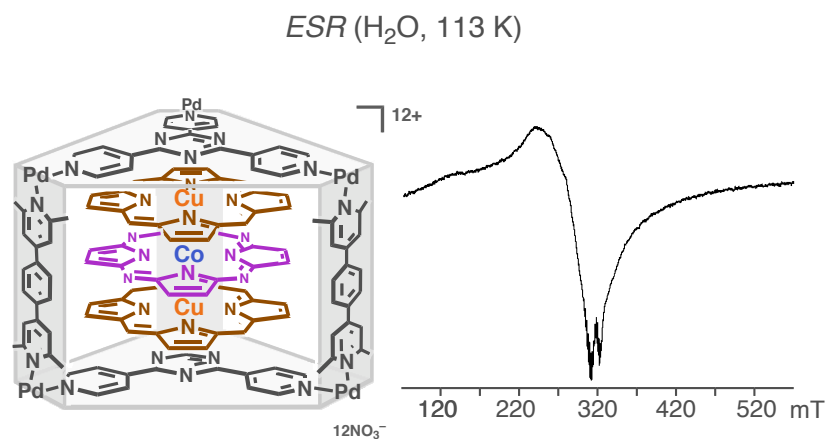


The observed spectrum is reproduced by the simulation using the following parameters. Spin quantum number: $S = 3/2$, g tensor: $g = (2.01, 2.01, 2.147)$, hyperfine coupling tensor of Cu nuclear spin: $A_{\text{Cu}} = (1.03, 1.03, 7.17) / \text{mT}$, spin-spin dipole interaction parameters : $D = 27.3 / \text{mT}$, $E = 1.5 / \text{mT}$.

■ ESR spectrum of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{5b}\cdot\mathbf{6c}\cdot\mathbf{5b})$ (113 K, SW = 100 mT):

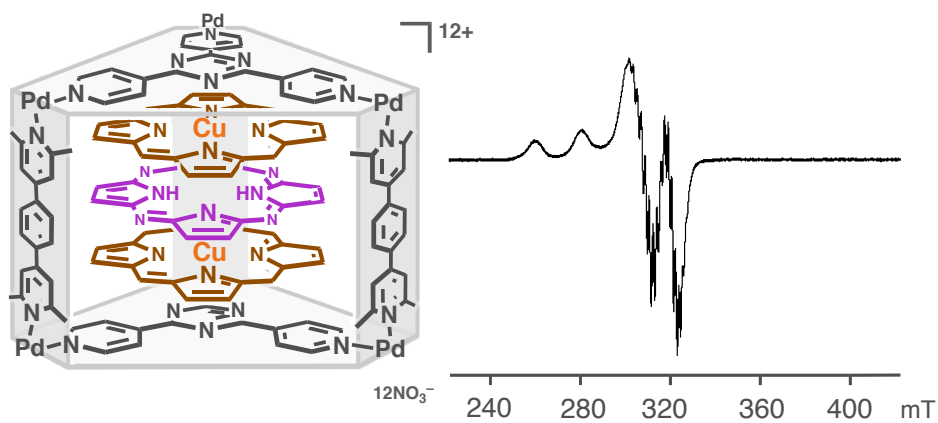


■ ESR spectrum of $1\text{D}(\mathbf{5b}\cdot\mathbf{6d}\cdot\mathbf{5b})$ (113 K, SW = 250 mT):



■ ESR spectrum of $12\text{D}(\mathbf{5b}\cdot\mathbf{6a}\cdot\mathbf{5b})$ (113 K, SW = 100 mT)

ESR (H_2O , 113 K)



■ ESR spectrum of $12\text{D}(\mathbf{5a}\cdot\mathbf{6d}\cdot\mathbf{5a})$ (113 K, SW = 250 mT)

ESR (H_2O , 113 K)

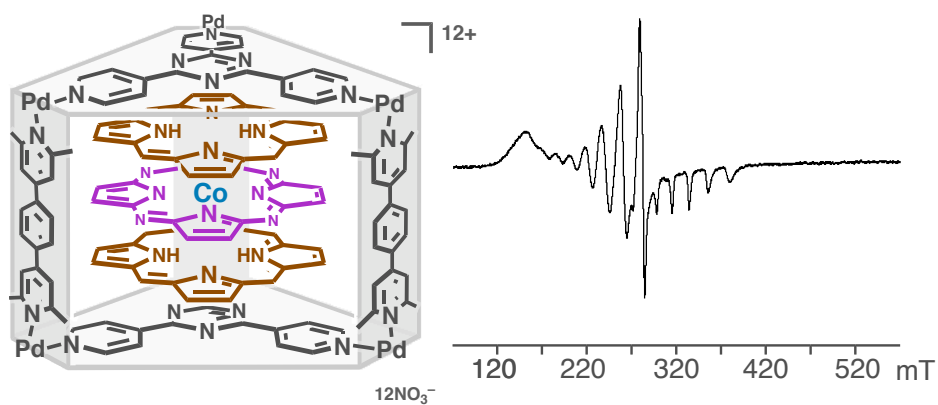


Table S1. Crystal data and structure refinement for **1'**⊃(**6a**)₃.

Identification code	3p-1	
Empirical formula	C168 H186 N64.75 O104.5 Pd6	
Formula weight	5404.12	
Temperature	80(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Triclinic	
Space group	P-1	
Unit cell dimensions	$a = 20.025(3)$ Å	$\alpha = 107.593(2)^\circ$
	$b = 26.094(4)$ Å	$\beta = 102.779(2)^\circ$
	$c = 26.215(4)$ Å	$\gamma = 95.762(2)^\circ$
Volume	12526(3) Å ³	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.438 Mg/m ³	
Absorption coefficient	0.525 mm ⁻¹	
F(000)	5519	
Crystal size	0.20 x 0.10 x 0.10 mm ³	
Theta range for data collection	1.95 to 27.62°	
Index ranges	-26 ≤ h ≤ 25, -32 ≤ k ≤ 30, -31 ≤ l ≤ 32	
Reflections collected	99554	
Independent reflections	50850 [R(int) = 0.0302]	
Completeness to theta = 27.62°	87.3 %	
Absorption correction	None	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F ²	
Data / restraints / parameters	50850 / 1141 / 3085	
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.023	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0752, wR2 = 0.2028	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1319, wR2 = 0.2556	
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.762 and -0.995 e.Å ⁻³	
CCDC No.	666139	

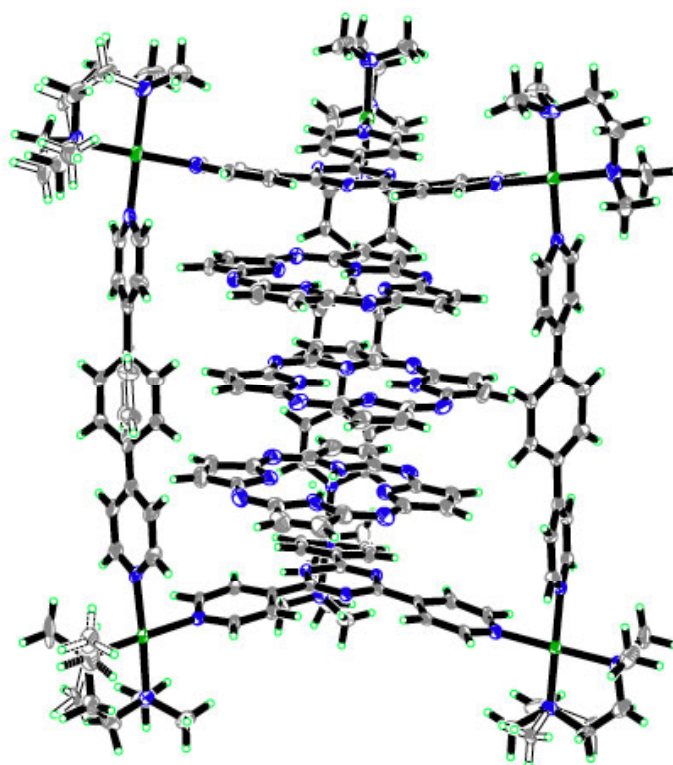


Figure S2. ORTEP drawing (30% probability ellipsoids) of $1'\supset(6a)_2$: crystal structure of $1'\supset(6a)_2$ without NO_3^- ions and oxygen atoms.