

## Electronic Supplementary Information for

### Sterically Enriched Bulky 1,3-Bis(*N,N'*-Aralkyl)Benzimidazolium based Pd-PEPPSI Complexes for Buchwald-Hartwig Amination Reactions

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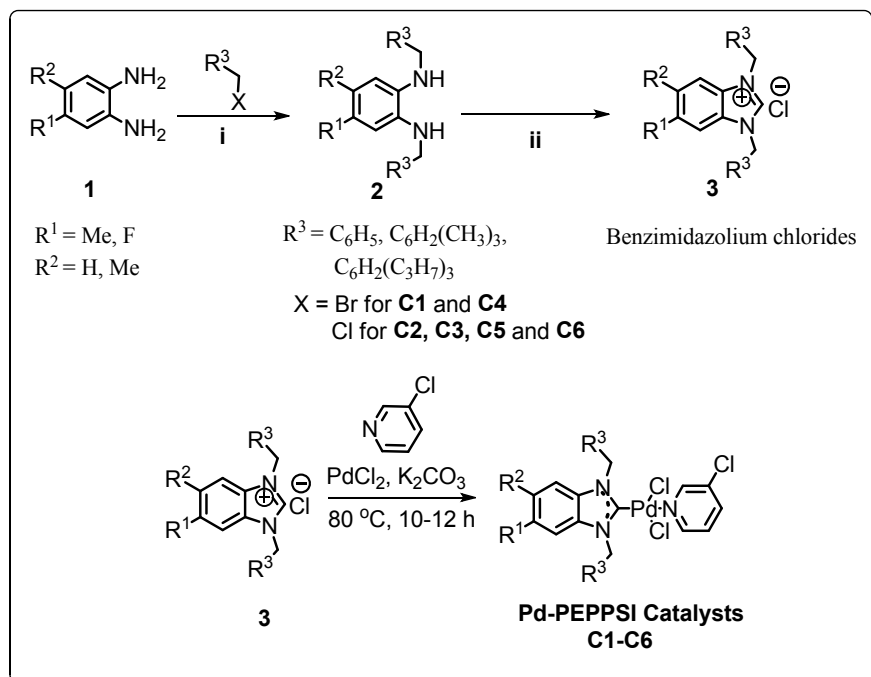
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## I. General Scheme for the preparation of benzimidazolium Pd-PEPPSI complexes **C1-C6**

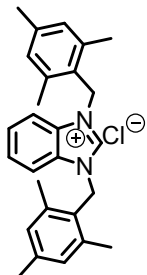
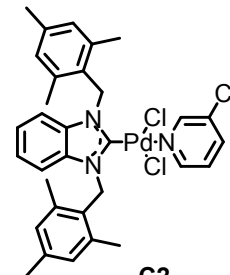
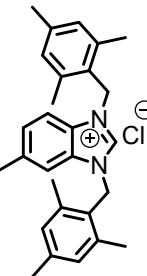
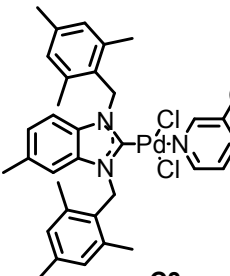
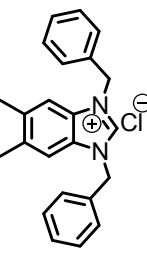
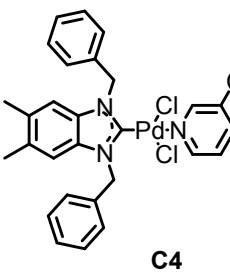
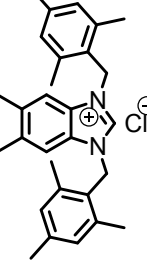
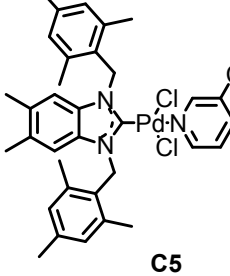
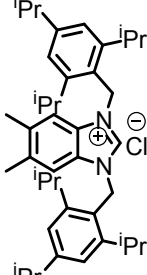
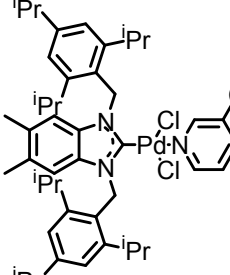


Reagents and conditions for benzimidazolium chlorides: (i) *o*-phenylenediamine (1.0 mmol), alkyl halide (2.0 mmol),  $\text{NEt}_3$  (2.0 mmol), acetonitrile (10 mL), reflux, 3h; (ii)  $\text{HC}(\text{OEt})_3$  (1.0 mmol), conc.  $\text{HCl}$  (1.0 mmol), 120 °C, 3h.

**II. Table 1.** Preparation of Pd-PEPPSI complexes **C1-C6**

| Entry | Benzimidazolium chloride | Pd-PEPPSI Complex | Time (h) | Yield <sup>a</sup> (%) |
|-------|--------------------------|-------------------|----------|------------------------|
| 1     |                          |                   | 12       | 63                     |

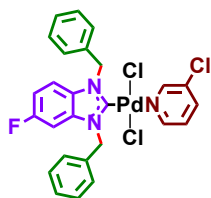
**C1**

|   |                                                                                                  |    |    |
|---|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|----|
| 2 |                 | 10 | 71 |
|   | <br><b>C2</b>   |    |    |
| 3 |                 | 11 | 85 |
|   | <br><b>C3</b>   |    |    |
| 4 |                | 10 | 69 |
|   | <br><b>C4</b>  |    |    |
| 5 |               | 10 | 82 |
|   | <br><b>C5</b> |    |    |
| 6 |               | 10 | 79 |
|   | <br><b>C6</b> |    |    |

Reaction conditions: benzimidazolium chloride (1.0 mmol), PdCl<sub>2</sub> (1.0 mmol), K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (3.0 mmol), 3-chloro pyridine (4 mL), 80 °C. Non-inert atmosphere. <sup>a</sup>Isolated yield.

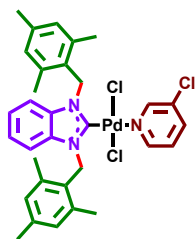
### III. Characteristic data of Pd-PEPPSI complexes **C1-C6**

#### **C1:** [1,3-Dibenzyl)-5-fluorobenzimidazol-2-ylidene]-*N*-(3-chloropyridine)dichloropalladium(II)



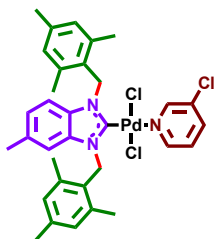
Yellow solid (381 mg, 63%); m.p. 146-148 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3095 (Ar-C-H), 2911 (Allyl-C-H), 1714 (-C=N), 1552 (Ar-C=C), 1410 (Pd-Ccarbene);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 9.05 (d,  $J$  = 2.8 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 8.95 (d,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.61 (t,  $J$  = 6.8 Hz, 6H, Ar-H), 7.41 (d,  $J$  = 4.8 Hz, 4H, Ar-H), 7.40 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 7.38-7.30 (m, 2H, Ar-H), 6.81 (d,  $J$  = 9.2 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.22 (d,  $J$  = 9.6 Hz, 4H, Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>-);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 158.08 (d,  $J$  = 1.4 Hz, Ar-C), 156.36 (Ar-C), 150.40 (Ar-C), 149.31 (Ar-C), 138.34 (Ar-C), 134.69 (Ar-C), 134.45 (Ar-C), 132.80 (Ar-C), 131.10 (Ar-C), 129.17 (Ar-C), 129.11 (Ar-C), 128.60 (Ar-C), 128.53 (Ar-C), 128.07 (Ar-C), 128.03 (Ar-C), 124.99 (Ar-C), 112.45 (d,  $J$  = 10.1 Hz, Ar-C), 111.75 (d,  $J$  = 25.4 Hz, Ar-C), 99.13 (Ar-C), 98.85 (Ar-C), 53.57 (Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{22}\text{Cl}_3\text{FN}_3\text{Pd}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$   $m/z$  = 605.9898, found 605.9905.

#### **C2:** [Bis-1,3-(2,4,6-trimethylbenzyl)benzimidazol-2-ylidene]-*N*-(3-chloropyridine)dichloropalladium(II)



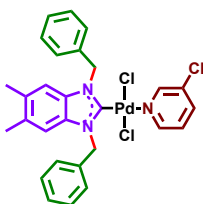
Yellow solid (477 mg, 71%); m.p. 140-142 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3020 (Ar-C-H), 2950 (Allyl-C-H), 1699 (-C=N), 1533 (Ar-C=C), 1406 (Pd-Ccarbene);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.93 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.88 (d,  $J$  = 5.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.77 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.32 (t,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.91 (s, 4H, Ar-H), 6.87-6.84 (m, 2H, Ar-H), 6.50 (d,  $J$  = 3.2 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.20 (s, 4H, Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.32 (s, 18H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 162.96 (Ar-C), 150.37 (Ar-C), 149.28 (Ar-C), 138.83 (Ar-C), 138.60 (Ar-C), 138.14 (Ar-C), 134.83 (Ar-C), 132.63 (Ar-C), 129.74 (Ar-C), 127.69 (Ar-C), 124.87 (Ar-C), 122.94 (Ar-C), 111.26 (Ar-C), 50.24 (Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 21.17 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 20.94 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{32}\text{H}_{35}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_3\text{Pd}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$   $m/z$  = 672.0931, found 672.0937.

**C3:** [Bis-1,3-(2,4,6-trimethylbenzyl)-5-methylbenzimidazol-2-ylidene]-*N*-(3-chloropyridine)dichloropalladium(II)



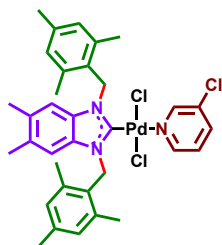
Yellow solid (583 mg, 85%); m.p. 150-152 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$  : 3065 (Ar-C-H), 2918 (Al-C-H), 1700 (-C=N), 1561 (Ar-C=C), 1407 (Pd-Ccarbene);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.89 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.85 (d,  $J$  = 5.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.76 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.31 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.92 (d,  $J$  = 4.4 Hz, 4H, Ar-H), 6.68 (d,  $J$  = 8.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.34 (t,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.17 (s, 2H, Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 6.11 (s, 2H, Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.32 (s, 18H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.14 (s, 3H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 161.87 (Ar-C), 150.36 (Ar-C), 149.26 (Ar-C), 138.86 (Ar-C), 138.54 (Ar-C), 138.47 (Ar-C), 138.08 (Ar-C), 135.20 (Ar-C), 132.83 (Ar-C), 132.57 (Ar-C), 129.66 (Ar-C), 127.96 (Ar-C), 124.83 (Ar-C), 124.26 (Ar-C), 111.19 (Ar-C), 110.80 (Ar-C), 50.23 (Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 49.72 (Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 21.54 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 21.18 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 21.15 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 20.99 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 20.91 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{33}\text{H}_{37}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_3\text{Pd}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$   $m/z$  = 686.1088, found 686.1095.

**C4:** [1,3-Dibenzyl)-5,6-dimethylbenzimidazol-2-ylidene]-*N*-(3-chloropyridine)dichloropalladium(II)



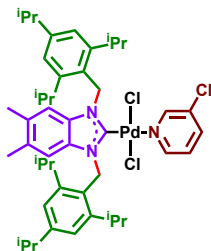
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**C5:** [Bis-1,3-(2,4,6-trimethylbenzyl)-5,6-dimethylbenzimidazol-2-ylidene]-*N*-(3-chloropyridine) dichloropalladium(II)



Yellow solid (574 mg, 82%); m.p. 163-164 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$  : 3076 (Ar-C-H), 2926 (Allyl-C-H), 1693 (-C=N), 1569 (Ar-C=C), 1409 (Pd-Ccarbene);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.86 (d,  $J$  = 2.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 8.82 (dd,  $J$  = 1.2 Hz and 1.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.76 (qd,  $J$  = 1.2 Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.30 (q,  $J$  = 5.6 Hz and 5.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.90 (s, 4H, Ar-H), 6.23 (s, 2H, Ar-H), 6.09 (s, 4H, Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 2.31 (s, 18H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.01 (s, 6H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 160.51 (Ar-C), 150.36 (Ar-C), 149.26 (Ar-C), 138.91 (Ar-C), 138.43 (Ar-C), 138.00 (Ar-C), 133.47 (Ar-C), 132.53 (Ar-C), 131.82 (Ar-C), 129.57 (Ar-C), 128.04 (Ar-C), 124.77 (Ar-C), 111.46 (Ar-C), 49.78 (Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 21.13 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 20.93 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 20.38 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{34}\text{H}_{39}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_3\text{Pd}$   $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$   $m/z$  = 700.1244, found 700.1251.

**C6:** [Bis-1,3-(2,4,6-triisopropylbenzyl)-5,6-dimethylbenzimidazol-2-ylidene]-*N*-(3-Chloropyridine) dichloropalladium(II)

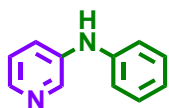


Yellow solid (686 mg, 79%); m.p. 172-174 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3080 (Ar-C-H), 2957 (Allyl-C-H), 1695 (-C=N), 1550 (Ar-C=C), 1409 (Pd-Ccarbene);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 9.18 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 9.10 (d,  $J$  = 3.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.82 (d,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.40 (t,  $J$  = 4.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.11 (s, 4H, Ar-H), 6.35 (s, 4H, Ar-H), 5.75 (s, 2H, Ar-H), 3.50-3.44 (m, 4H, Ar-CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 3.01-2.93 (m, 2H, Ar-CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 1.85 (s, 6H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 1.32 (d,  $J$  = 5.6 Hz, 12H, Ar-CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 1.12 (s, 24H, Ar-CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 160.50 (Ar-C), 150.49 (Ar-C), 150.30 (Ar-C), 149.58 (Ar-C), 149.46 (Ar-C), 138.12 (Ar-C), 133.76 (Ar-C), 132.77 (Ar-C), 130.79 (Ar-C), 125.47 (Ar-C), 124.98 (Ar-C), 121.56 (Ar-C), 112.31 (Ar-C), 48.73 (Ar-CH<sub>2</sub>), 34.52 (Ar-CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>),

29.70 (Ar-CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 24.24 (Ar-CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 24.22 (Ar-CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>), 19.88 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>46</sub>H<sub>63</sub>Cl<sub>3</sub>N<sub>3</sub>Pd [M+H]<sup>+</sup> m/z = 868.3122, found 868.3127.

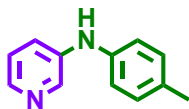
#### IV. Characteristic data of compounds 6a - 6cb

##### *N*-Phenyl pyridin-3-amine (**6a**)<sup>1</sup>



Pale brown solid (156 mg, 91%); m.p. 90-92 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3321 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3062 (Ar-C-H), 1634 (Ar-C=N), 1437 (Ar-C=C); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.37 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.16 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 7.41 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.31 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 7.18 (q, *J* = 4.8 Hz and 4.8 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.09 (d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.01 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H), 5.814 (s, 1H, Ar-NH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>,  $\delta$  ppm): 147.23 (Ar-C), 141.95 (Ar-C), 140.11 (Ar-C), 139.84 (Ar-C), 129.56 (Ar-C), 123.70 (Ar-C), 123.45 (Ar-C), 122.07 (Ar-C), 118.35 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>11</sub>N<sub>2</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup> m/z = 171.0922, found 171.0920.

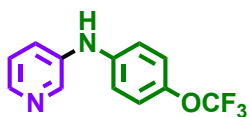
##### *N*-p-Tolyl pyridin-3-amine (**6b**)<sup>1</sup>



Pale brown solid (181 mg, 98%); m.p. 85-88 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3325 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3051 (Ar-C-H), 2972 (Al-C-H), 1627 (Ar-C=N), 1425 (Ar-C=C); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.32 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.11 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 7.33 (d, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.14 - 7.10 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.01 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 5.73 (s, 1H, Ar-NH), 2.31 (s, 3H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>,  $\delta$  ppm): 141.18 (Ar-C), 140.64 (Ar-C), 139.33 (Ar-C), 139.09 (Ar-C), 132.05 (Ar-C), 130.07 (Ar-C), 123.70 (Ar-C), 122.41 (Ar-C), 119.39 (Ar-C), 20.74 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>N<sub>2</sub> [M+H]<sup>+</sup> m/z = 185.1079, found 185.1081.

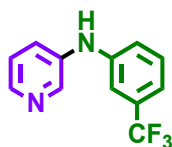
##### *N*-(4-(Trifluoromethoxy)phenyl)pyridin-3-amine (**6c**)<sup>1</sup>

Colourless crystalline solid (235 mg, 92%); m. p. 93-95 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$



(KBr)/cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3313 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3057 (Ar-C-H), 1614 (Ar-C=N), 1431 (Ar-C=C); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ (ppm) 8.38 (d, *J* = 2.8 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 8.21 (dd, *J* = 0.8 Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.42 (qd, *J* = 1.6 Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.21 (q, *J* = 4.8 Hz and 4.8 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.15 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.07 - 7.04 (m, 2H, Ar-H), 5.94 (s, 1H, Ar-NH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.57 (Ar-C), 142.55 (Ar-C), 141.00 (Ar-C), 140.20 (Ar-C), 139.39 (Ar-C), 123.98 (d, *J* = 16.6 Hz, Ar-OCF<sub>3</sub>), 122.53 (Ar-C), 121.84 (Ar-C), 119.29 (Ar-C), 118.86 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>10</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O [M+H]<sup>+</sup> *m/z* = 255.0745, found 255.0737.

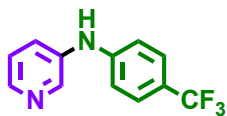
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Colourless solid (198 mg, 83%); m. p. 85-87 °C; *v*<sub>max</sub> (KBr)/cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3317 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3042 (Ar-C-H), 1618 (Ar-C=N), 1429 (Ar-C=C); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ (ppm) 8.35 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.18 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 7.39 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.32 (t, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.15 (t, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 4H, Ar-H), 6.16 (s, 1H, Ar-NH); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, δ ppm): 143.04 (Ar-C), 141.04 (Ar-C), 132.49 (q, *J* = 35.4 Hz and 32.0 Hz, Ar-C), 130.08 (Ar-C), 128.00 (Ar-C), 125.29 (Ar-C), 124.79 (Ar-C), 122.58 (Ar-C), 120.27 (Ar-C), 119.87 (Ar-C), 118.05 (q, *J* = 3.7 Hz and 3.9 Hz, Ar-C), 113.91 (d, *J* = 3.9 Hz, Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>10</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup> *m/z* = 239.0796, found 239.0793.

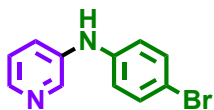
*N*-(4-(Trifluoromethyl)phenyl)pyridin-3-amine (**6e**)

Colorless solid (213 mg, 89%); m. p. 113-115 °C; *v*<sub>max</sub> (KBr)/cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3328 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3057 (Ar-C-H), 1622 (Ar-C=N), 1431 (Ar-C=C); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ (ppm) 8.46 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.29 (d, *J* = 4.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 8.4 Hz, 3H, Ar-H), 7.27 (t, *J* = 4 Hz, 1H, Ar-



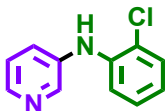
H), 7.080 (d,  $J = 8.4$  Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.11 (s, 1H, Ar-NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 145.76 (Ar-C), 143.77 (Ar-C), 142.01 (Ar-C), 138.02 (Ar-C), 126.96 (q,  $J = 3.7$  Hz and 3.7 Hz, Ar-C), 126.05 (Ar-C), 123.89 (Ar-C), 123.05 (d,  $J = 5.6$  Hz, Ar-C), 115.89 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{10}\text{F}_3\text{N}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z = 239.0796$ , found 239.0793.

#### *N*-(4-Bromophenyl)pyridin-3-amine (**6f**)<sup>2</sup>



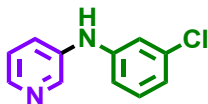
Pale black solid (219 mg, 88%); m. p. 108-110 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3331 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3049 (Ar-C-H), 1613 (Ar-C=N), 1426 (Ar-C=C), 653 (C-Br);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.37 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.20 (d,  $J = 4.0$  Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.39 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 3H, Ar-H), 7.20 (q,  $J = 4.8$  Hz and 4.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.96 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 2H), 5.86 (s, 1H, Ar-NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 142.27 (Ar-C), 140.75 (Ar-C), 140.27 (Ar-C), 139.53 (Ar-C), 129.52 (Ar-C), 126.68 (Ar-C), 123.81 (Ar-C), 123.75 (Ar-C), 119.40 (Ar-C). HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{10}\text{BrN}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z = 249.0027$ , found 249.0037.

#### *N*-(2-Chlorophenyl)pyridin-3-amine (**6g**)



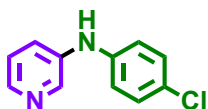
Colourless solid (162 mg, 79%); m. p. 80-81 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3332 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3051 (Ar-C-H), 1621 (Ar-C=N), 1421 (Ar-C=C), 694 (Ar-Cl);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.47 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.27 (d,  $J = 4.4$  Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.49 (qd,  $J = 1.2$  Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.40 (dd,  $J = 1.2$  Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.25 (q,  $J = 4.8$  Hz and 4.8 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.17 (t,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.90 (t,  $J = 8.0$  Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.09 (s, 1H, Ar-NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 143.48 (Ar-C), 142.06 (Ar-C), 139.26 (Ar-C), 138.36 (Ar-C), 130.02 (Ar-C), 127.60 (Ar-C), 126.08 (Ar-C), 123.79 (Ar-C), 122.47 (Ar-C), 121.62 (Ar-C), 116.08 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{10}\text{ClN}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z = 205.0533$ , found 205.0537.

***N*-(3-Chlorophenyl)pyridin-3-amine (6h)**



Colourless solid (170 mg, 83%); m. p. 88-90 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3332 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3051 (Ar-C-H), 1620 (Ar-C=N), 1469 (Ar-C=C), 693 (Ar-Cl);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.39 (d,  $J$  = 2.8 Hz, 1H, Ar-Cl), 8.22 (dd,  $J$  = 1.2 Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.46 (qd,  $J$  = 1.2 Hz and 1.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.22 - 7.16 (m, 2H, Ar-H), 7.05 (t,  $J$  = 2.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.935 (qd,  $J$  = 2.0 Hz and 1.6 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.14 (s, 1H, Ar-NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 143.74 (Ar-C), 142.80 (Ar-C), 140.98 (Ar-C), 138.93 (Ar-C), 135.21 (Ar-C), 130.55 (Ar-C), 124.71 (Ar-C), 123.86 (Ar-C), 121.54 (Ar-C), 117.32 (Ar-C), 115.63 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{10}\text{ClN}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z$  = 205.0533, found 205.0537.

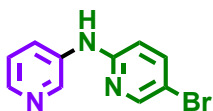
***N*-(4-Chlorophenyl)pyridin-3-amine (6i)<sup>3</sup>**



Off white solid (178 mg, 87%); m. p. 90-92 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3330 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3053 (Ar-C-H), 1618 (Ar-C=N), 1449 (Ar-C=C);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.36 (d,  $J$  = 2.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 8.18 (dd,  $J$  = 1.2 Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.39 (qd,  $J$  = 1.2 Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.26-7.22 (m, 2H, Ar-H), 7.19 (q,  $J$  = 4.8 Hz and 4.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.02-6.98 (m, 2H, Ar-H), 6.00 (s, 1H, Ar-NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 168.37 (Ar-C), 157.97 (Ar-C), 156.29 (Ar-C), 152.73 (Ar-C), 139.76 (Ar-C), 135.52 (Ar-C), 129.62 (Ar-C), 125.62 (Ar-C), 124.96 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_{10}\text{ClN}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z$  = 205.0533, found 205.0537.

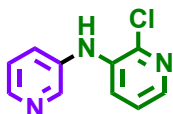
**5-Bromo-*N*-(pyridin-3-yl)pyridin-2-amine (6j)**

Pale yellow crystalline solid (212 mg, 85%); m. p. 85-88 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3445 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3051 (Ar-C-H), 1611 (Ar-C=N), 1467



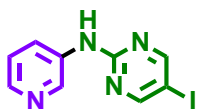
(Ar-C=C), 684 (C-Br);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.08 (s, 2H, Ar-H), 7.49 (dd,  $J$  = 2.4 Hz and 2.8 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.42 (d,  $J$  = 8.8 Hz, 3H, Ar-H), 4.685 (s, 1H, Ar-NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 157.17 (Ar-C), 148.55 (Ar-C), 140.12 (Ar-C), 110.14 (Ar-C), 108.09 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_9\text{BrN}_3$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z$  = 249.9980, found 249.9982.

#### 2-Chloro-*N*-(pyridin-3-yl)pyridin-3-amine (**6k**)<sup>4</sup>



Pale black solid (167 mg, 81%); m. p. 81-83 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3331 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3150 (Ar-C-H), 1609 (Ar-C=N), 1512 (Ar-C=C);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 7.79 (t,  $J$  = 2.8 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 7.04 (d,  $J$  = 3.2 Hz, 5H, Ar-H), 4.167 (s, 1H, Ar-NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 139.75 (Ar-C), 138.51 (Ar-C), 136.90 (Ar-C), 123.38 (Ar-C), 122.44 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_9\text{ClN}_3$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$  = 206.0485, found 206.0486.

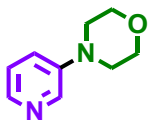
#### 5-Iodo-*N*-(pyrid-3-yl)pyrimidin-2-amine (**6l**)



Colourless solid (245 mg, 82%); m. p. 90-93 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3323 (Ar-NH-Ar), 3175 (Ar-C-H), 1636 (Ar-C=N), 1474 (Ar-C=C), 527 (C-I);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.40 (s, 4H, Ar-H), 7.26 (s, 2H, Ar-H), 5.06 (s, 1H, Ar-NH);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 142.52 (Ar-C), 141.28 (Ar-C), 140.51 (Ar-C), 139.25 (Ar-C), 132.45 (Ar-C), 124.01 (Ar-C), 123.80 (Ar-C), 119.59 (Ar-C), 113.89 (Ar-C); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_9\text{H}_8\text{IN}_4$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z$  = 298.9794, found 298.9794.

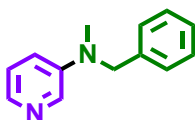
#### 4-(Pyridin-3-yl)morpholine (**6aa**)<sup>5</sup>

Pale yellow liquid (153 mg, 93%);  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3019 (Ar-C-H),



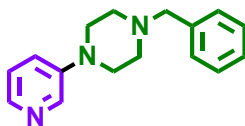
2962 (Ali-C-H), 1621 (Ar-C=N), 1483 (Ar-C=C), 1242 (C-N), 1121 (C-O);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.31 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.13 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 7.18 (s, 2H, Ar-H), 3.88 (t,  $J = 4.8$  Hz, 4H,  $-\text{CH}_2-\text{O}-\text{CH}_2-$ ), 3.20 (t,  $J = 4.8$  Hz, 4H, Ar-N- $\text{CH}_2-$ );  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 146.75 (Ar-C), 141.02 (Ar-C), 138.23 (Ar-C), 123.57 (Ar-C), 122.13 (Ar-C), 66.66 ( $-\text{CH}_2-\text{O}-\text{CH}_2-$ ), 48.58 (Ar-N- $\text{CH}_2-$ ); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_9\text{H}_{13}\text{N}_2\text{O}$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z = 165.1028$ , found 165.1022.

#### *N*-Benzyl-*N*-methyl pyridin-3-amine (**6ab**)<sup>6</sup>



Pale yellow liquid (179 mg, 90%); dried to solid slowly upon washing with ether; m. p. 89-91 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3021 (Ar-C-H), 2985 (Ali-C-H), 1617 (Ar-C=N), 1483 (Ar-C=C); 1367 (C-N);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.16 (d,  $J = 2.8$  Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.95 (d,  $J = 3.6$  Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.32 (t,  $J = 6.8$  Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 7.25 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.19 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 7.08 (q,  $J = 4.8$  Hz and 4.8 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 6.97 (dd,  $J = 2.0$  Hz and 1.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 4.51 (s, 2H, Ar- $\text{CH}_2-$ ), 3.03 (s, 3H, Ar-N- $\text{CH}_3-$ );  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 145.36 (Ar-C), 137.91 (Ar-C), 134.97 (Ar-C), 128.74 (Ar-C), 127.19 (Ar-C), 126.66 (Ar-C), 123.49 (Ar-C), 118.61 (Ar-C), 56.18 (Ar- $\text{CH}_2-$ ), 38.38 (Ar-N- $\text{CH}_3-$ ); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z = 199.1235$ , found 199.1236.

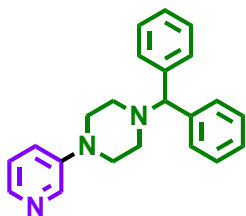
#### 1-Benzyl-4-(pyridin-3-yl)piperazine (**6ac**)<sup>7</sup>



Pale brown solid (221 mg, 87%); m. p. 63-65 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3032 (Ar-C-H), 2957 (Ali-C-H), 1611 (Ar-C=N), 1477 (Ar-C=C); 1243 (C-N);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.29 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.08 (dd,  $J = 2.0$  Hz and 2.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.36-7.27 (m, 5H, Ar-H), 7.16 (t,  $J = 2.4$  Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 3.57 (s, 2H, Ar- $\text{CH}_2-$ ), 3.23 (t,  $J = 4.8$  Hz, 4H, Ar-N- $\text{CH}_2-$ ), 2.62 (t,  $J = 5.2$  Hz, 4H, Ar- $\text{CH}_2-\text{N}-\text{CH}_2-$ );

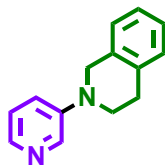
$^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 147.02 (Ar-C), 140.51 (Ar-C), 138.45 (Ar-C), 137.80 (Ar-C), 129.20 (Ar-C), 128.33 (Ar-C), 127.24 (Ar-C), 123.47 (Ar-C), 122.28 (Ar-C), 63.01 (Ar- $\text{CH}_2$ -), 52.78 (Ar-N- $\text{CH}_2$ -), 48.41 (Ar- $\text{CH}_2$ -N- $\text{CH}_2$ -); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{20}\text{N}_3$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z$  = 254.1657, found 254.1649.

#### 1-Benzhydryl-4-(pyridin-3-yl)piperazine (**6ad**)



Brown liquid (277 mg, 84%);  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3039 (Ar-C-H), 1624 (Ar-C=N), 1475 (Ar-C=C); 1325 (C-N);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.27 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.08 (t,  $J$  = 2.8 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.45 (d,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 4H, Ar-H), 7.30 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 4H, Ar-H), 7.21 (t,  $J$  = 7.2 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 7.14 (q,  $J$  = 1.6 Hz and 1.2 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 4.27 (s, 1H, (Ar) $_2$ -CH-), 3.23 (t,  $J$  = 4.8 Hz, 4H, Ar-N- $\text{CH}_2$ -), 2.57 (t,  $J$  = 5.2 Hz, 4H, (Ar) $_2$ -CH-N- $\text{CH}_2$ -);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 146.97 (Ar-C), 142.46 (Ar-C), 140.42 (Ar-C), 138.21 (Ar-C), 128.61 (Ar-C), 127.90 (Ar-C), 127.12 (Ar-C), 123.46 (Ar-C), 122.10 (Ar-C), 76.15 (Ar) $_2$ -CH-, 51.65 (Ar-N- $\text{CH}_2$ -), 48.52 ((Ar) $_2$ -CH-N- $\text{CH}_2$ -); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_3$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z$  = 330.1970, found 330.1972.

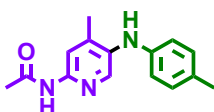
#### 2-(Pyridin-3-yl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline (**6ae**)<sup>8</sup>



Brown liquid (192 mg, 91%);  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3036 (Ar-C-H), 2921 (Ali-C-H), 1608 (Ar-C=N), 1429 (Ar-C=C); 1322 (C-N);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.57 (d,  $J$  = 2.4 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 8.37 (dd,  $J$  = 1.6 Hz and 1.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 8.24 (d,  $J$  = 2.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 8.05 (d,  $J$  = 8.0 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.95 (d,  $J$  = 3.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.69 (qd,  $J$  = 1.6 Hz and 1.2 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.39 (t,  $J$  = 7.6 Hz, 1H, Ar-H), 7.35-7.21 (m, 1H, Ar-H), 4.30 (s, 2H, Ali-H), 3.91 (t,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 1H, Ali-H), 3.45 (d,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H, Ali-H), 3.05 (t,  $J$

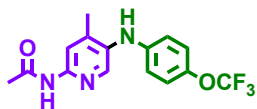
= 6.4 Hz, 1H, Ali-H); 2.88 (t,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 1H, Ali-H).  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 164.34 (Ar-C), 146.91 (Ar-C), 139.34 (Ar-C), 137.13 (Ar-C), 134.56 (Ar-C), 128.51 (Ar-C), 126.26 (Ar-C), 123.59 (Ar-C), 121.04 (Ar-C), 49.75 (Ali-CH), 45.64 (Ali-CH), 28.78 (Ali-CH); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{15}\text{N}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z$  = 211.1235, found 211.1237.

*N*-(4-Methyl-5-(*p*-tolylamino)pyridin-2-yl)acetamide (**6ba**)



Colourless solid (213 mg, 83%); m. p. 120-122 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3026 (Ar-C-H), 2897 (Ali-C-H), 1611 (Ar-C=N), 1438 (Ar-C=C); 1322 (C-N);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.70 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 8.07 (s, 2H, Ar-H), 7.05 (d,  $J$  = 6.0 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.75 (d,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 5.19 (s, 1H, Ar-H), 2.28 (s, 3H, Ar-NHCOCH<sub>3</sub>), 2.25 (s, 3H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.16 (s, 3H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 168.48 (Ar-NHCO-), 146.73 (Ar-C), 141.95 (Ar-C), 141.64 (Ar-C), 139.78 (Ar-C), 135.07 (Ar-C), 130.19 (Ar-C), 129.99 (Ar-C), 116.89 (Ar-C), 115.90 (Ar-C), 24.59 (Ar-NHCOCH<sub>3</sub>), 20.58 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>), 17.97 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_3\text{O}$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ ) $^+$   $m/z$  = 256.1450, found 256.1451.

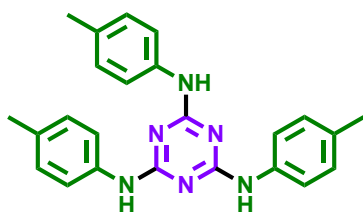
*N*-(4-Methyl-5-(4-(trifluoromethoxy)phenyl)amino)pyridin-2-yl)acetamide (**6bb**)



Colourless solid (258 mg, 79%); m. p. 125-127 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3039 (Ar-C-H), 2921 (Ali-C-H), 1623 (Ar-C=N), 1429 (Ar-C=C); 1322 (C-N);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.58 (s, 1H, Ar-NH-CO-), 8.04 (d,  $J$  = 16.8 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.98 (d,  $J$  = 5.6 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 6.64 (d,  $J$  = 6.4 Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 5.30 (s, 1H, Ar-NH-), 2.17 (s, 3H, Ar-NHCOCH<sub>3</sub>), 2.10 (s, 3H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 168.63 (Ar-

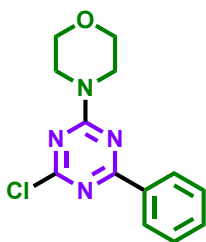
NHCO-), 147.93 (Ar-C), 144.28 (Ar-C), 143.71 (Ar-C), 142.24 (Ar-C), 133.65 (Ar-OCF<sub>3</sub>), 122.53 (Ar-C), 121.60 (Ar-C), 119.59 (Ar-C), 116.00 (Ar-C), 24.60 (Ar-NHCOCH<sub>3</sub>), 17.98 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>15</sub>H<sub>15</sub>F<sub>3</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup> m/z = 326.1116, found 326.1120.

*N*<sup>2</sup>,*N*<sup>4</sup>,*N*<sup>6</sup>-Tri-*p*-tolyl-1,3,5-triazine-2,4,6-triamine (**6ca**)



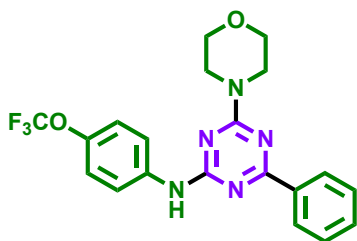
Colourless solid (365 mg, 92%); m. p. 137-139 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3043 (Ar-C-H), 2947 (Al-C-H), 1611 (Ar-C=N), 1429 (Ar-C=C); 1322 (C-N); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  (ppm) 7.42 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 6H, Ar-H), 7.11 (d, *J* = 8.0 Hz, 6H, Ar-H), 7.05 (s, 3H, Ar-NH-), 2.32 (s, 9H, Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>,  $\delta$  ppm): 164.30 (Ar-C), 135.94 (Ar-C), 133.10 (Ar-C), 129.38 (Ar-C), 121.06 (Ar-C), 20.93 (Ar-CH<sub>3</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>25</sub>N<sub>6</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup> m/z = 397.2141, found 397.2137.

4-(4-chloro-6-phenyl-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl)morpholine (Step ii, int **2** in **6cb** synthesis)



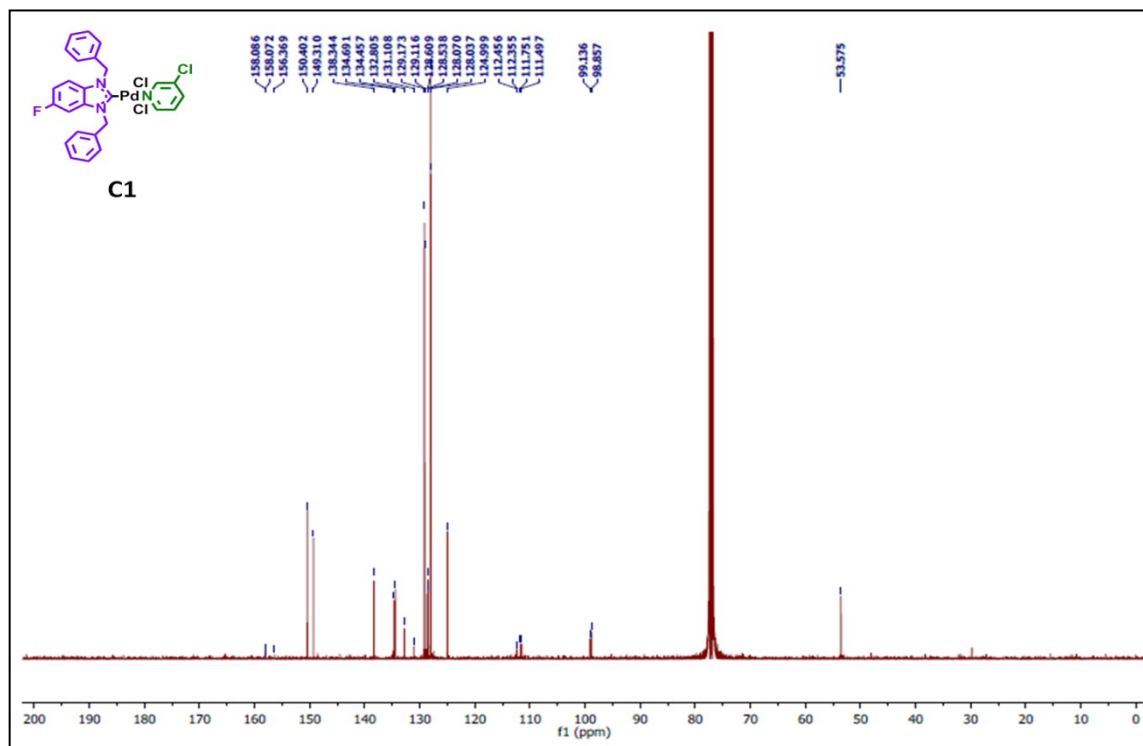
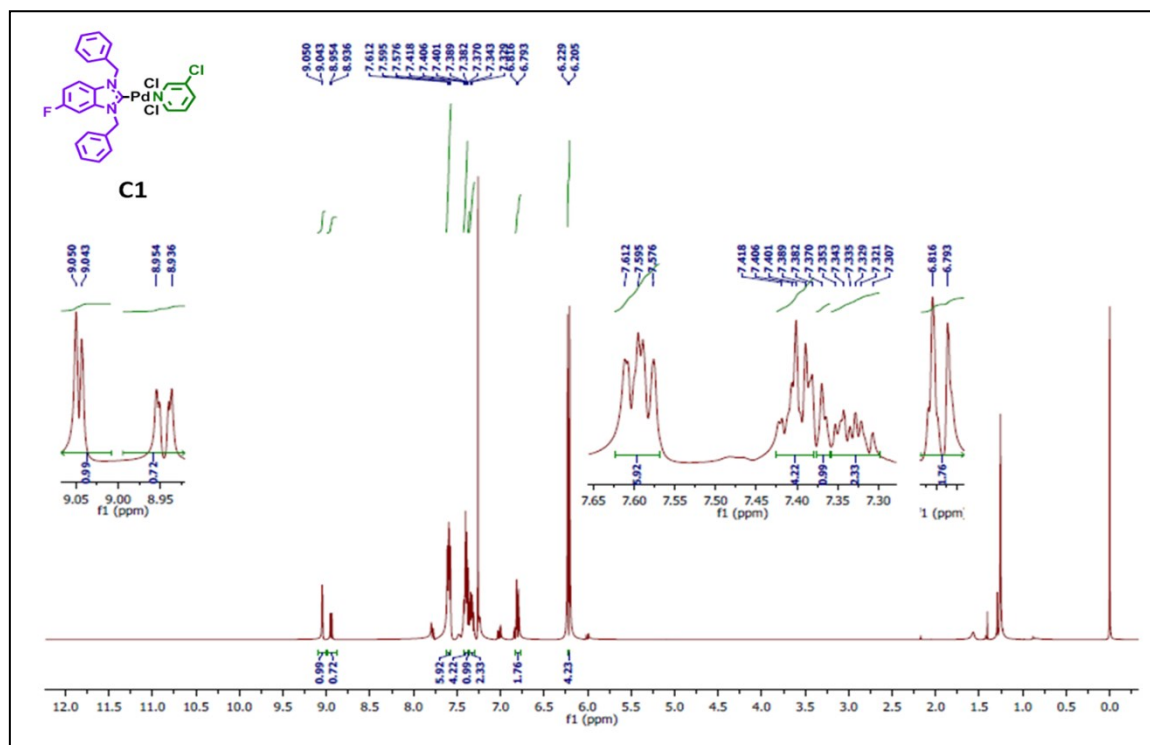
Colorless solid (94%); m. p. 87-89 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/cm<sup>-1</sup>: 3016 (Ar-C-H), 2958 (Al-C-H), 1617 (Ar-C=N), 1421 (Ar-C=C); 1328 (C-N), 1161 (C-O); <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.41-8.39 (m, 2H, Ar-H), 7.57-7.54 (m, 1H, Ar-H), 7.48-7.45 (m, 2H, Ar-H), 4.06 (t, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 2H, -CH<sub>2</sub>-N-CH<sub>2</sub>-), 3.93 (t, *J* = 3.6 Hz, 2H, -CH<sub>2</sub>-N-CH<sub>2</sub>-), 3.81-3.77 (m, 4H, -CH<sub>2</sub>-O-CH<sub>2</sub>-); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>,  $\delta$  ppm): 172.33 (Ar-C), 170.99 (Ar-C), 164.75 (Ar-C), 134.92 (Ar-C), 132.73 (Ar-C), 128.90 (Ar-C), 128.47 (Ar-C), 66.58 (-CH<sub>2</sub>-O-CH<sub>2</sub>-), 44.12 (-CH<sub>2</sub>-N-CH<sub>2</sub>-), 43.58 (-CH<sub>2</sub>-N-CH<sub>2</sub>-).

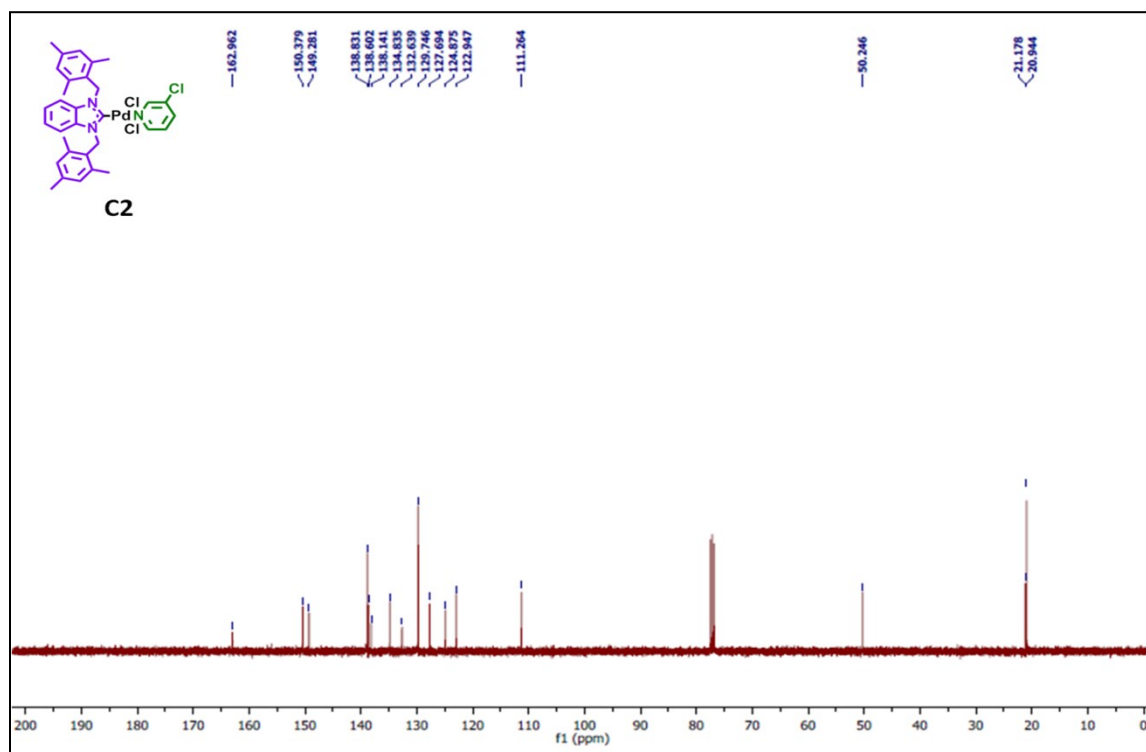
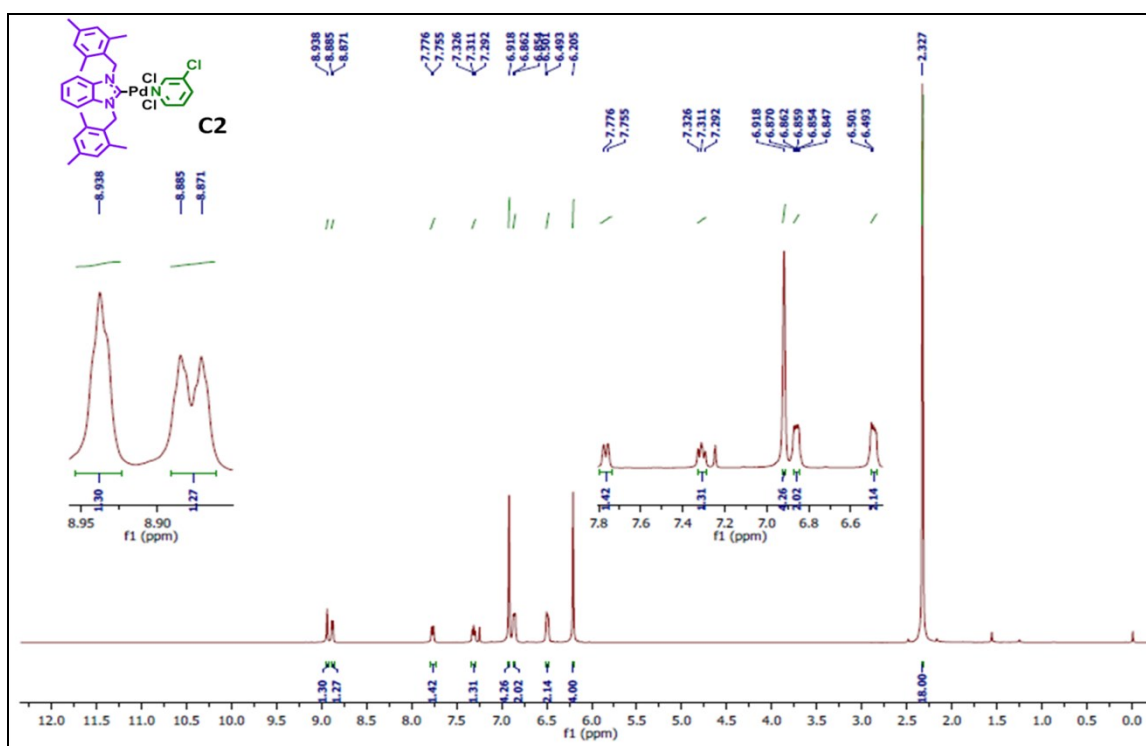
4-Morpholino-6-phenyl-*N*-(4-(trifluoromethoxy)phenyl)-1,3,5-triazin-2-amine (**6cb**)

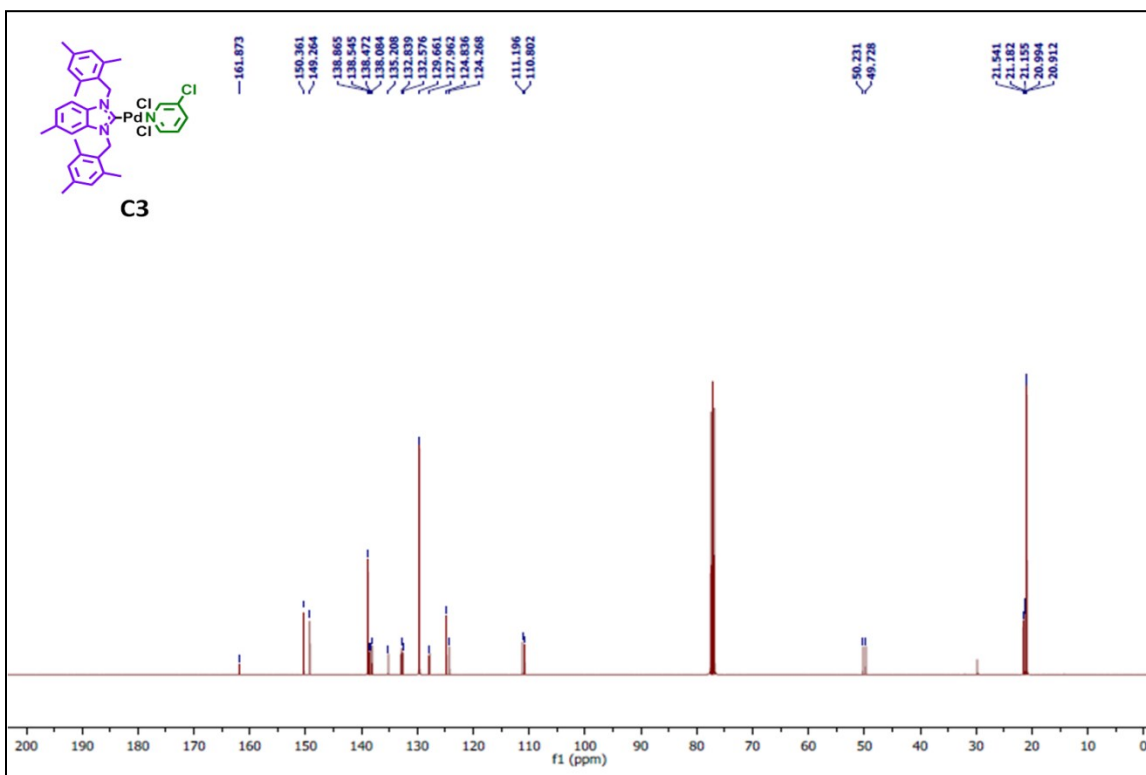
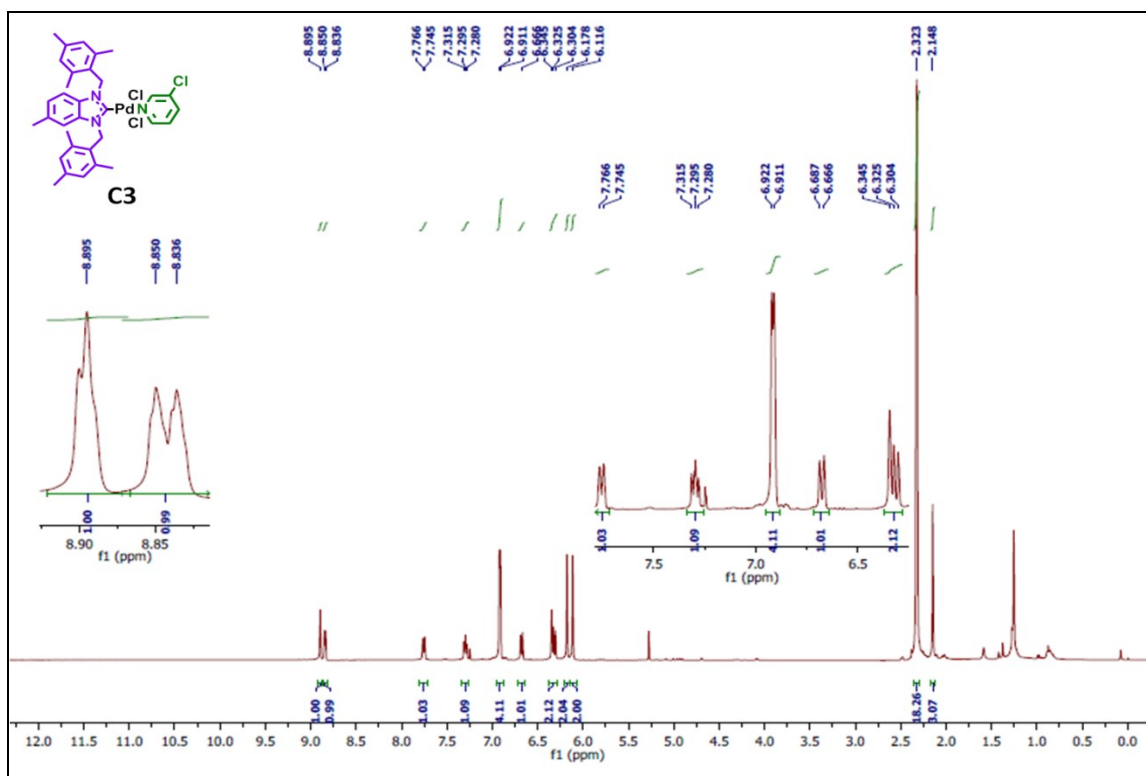


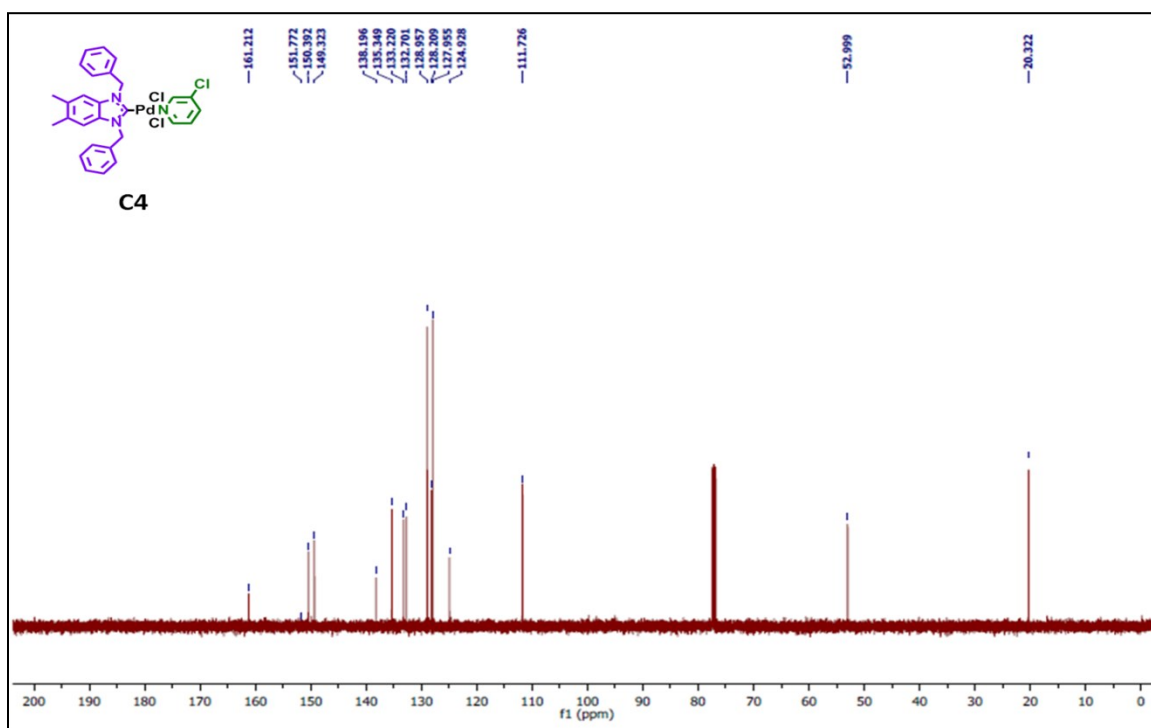
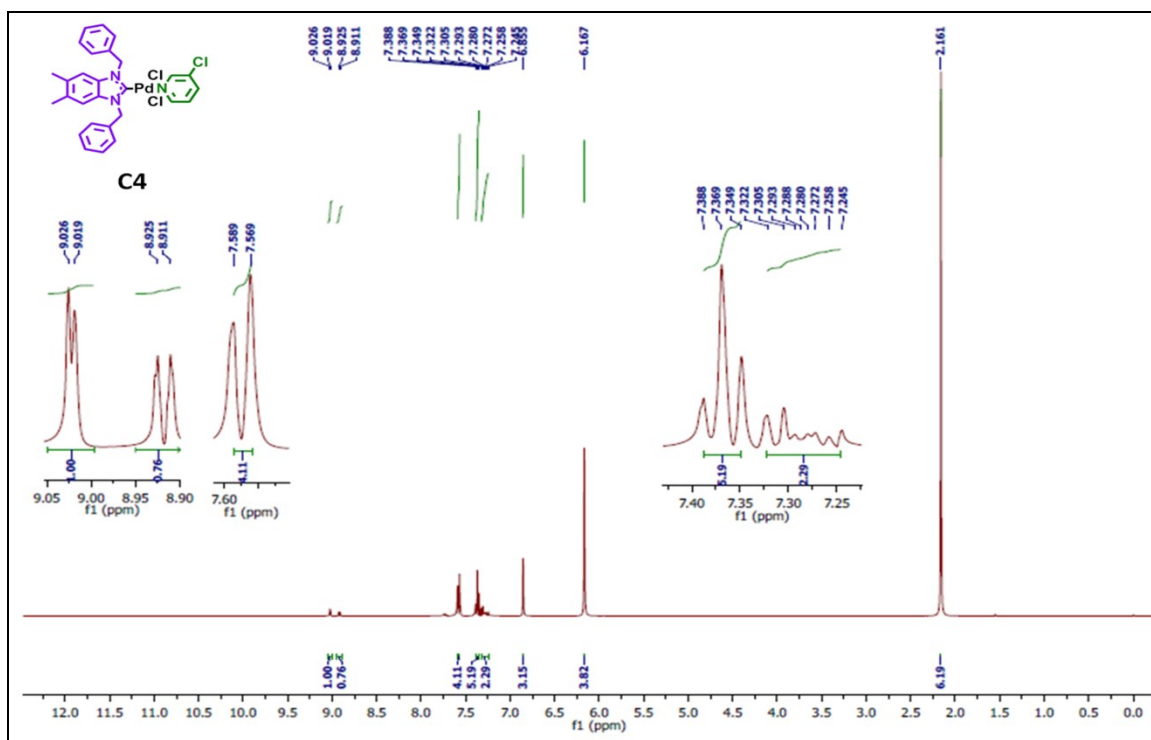
Colourless solid (347 mg, 83%); m. p. 141-143 °C;  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  (KBr)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$ : 3029 (Ar-C-H), 2953 (Alk-C-H), 1601 (Ar-C=N), 1421 (Ar-C=C); 1318 (C-N), 1167 (C-O);  $^1\text{H}$  NMR (400 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ):  $\delta$  (ppm) 8.38 (d,  $J = 7.2$  Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 7.64 (d,  $J = 9.2$  Hz, 2H, Ar-H), 7.52-7.43 (m, 3H, Ar-H), 7.20 (d,  $J = 8.8$  Hz, 3H, Ar-H & Ar-NH), 4.01-3.88 (m, 4H, -CH<sub>2</sub>-O-CH<sub>2</sub>-), 3.80 (t,  $J = 5.2$  Hz, 4H, Ar-N-CH<sub>2</sub>);  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (100 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ ,  $\delta$  ppm): 171.26 (Ar-C), 165.22 (Ar-C), 164.57 (Ar-C), 144.41 (d,  $J = 2.0$  Hz, Ar-C), 137.71 (Ar-C), 136.75 (Ar-C), 131.82 (Ar-C), 128.43 (d,  $J = 2.3$  Hz, Ar-OCF<sub>3</sub>), 121.91 (Ar-C), 121.70 (Ar-C), 120.92 (Ar-C), 66.86 (-CH<sub>2</sub>-O-CH<sub>2</sub>-), 43.87 (Ar-N-CH<sub>2</sub>); HRMS (ESI-TOF) calcd for  $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{19}\text{F}_3\text{N}_5\text{O}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}$ )<sup>+</sup>  $m/z = 418.1491$ , found 418.1496.

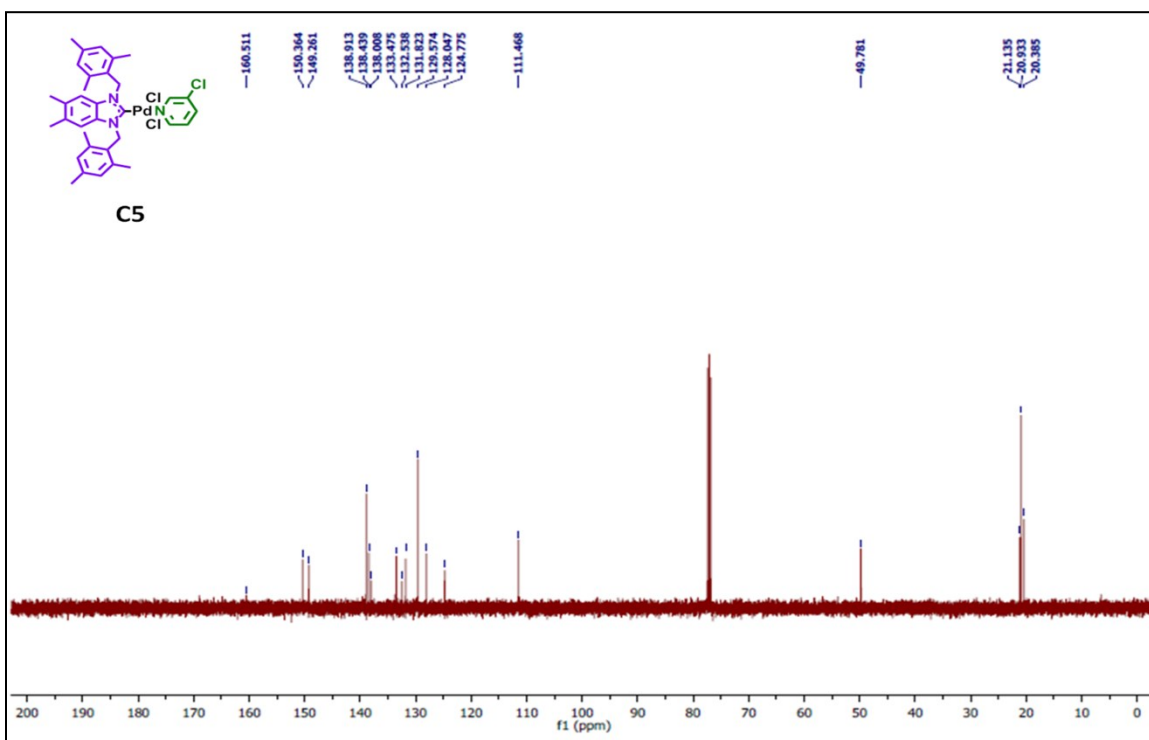
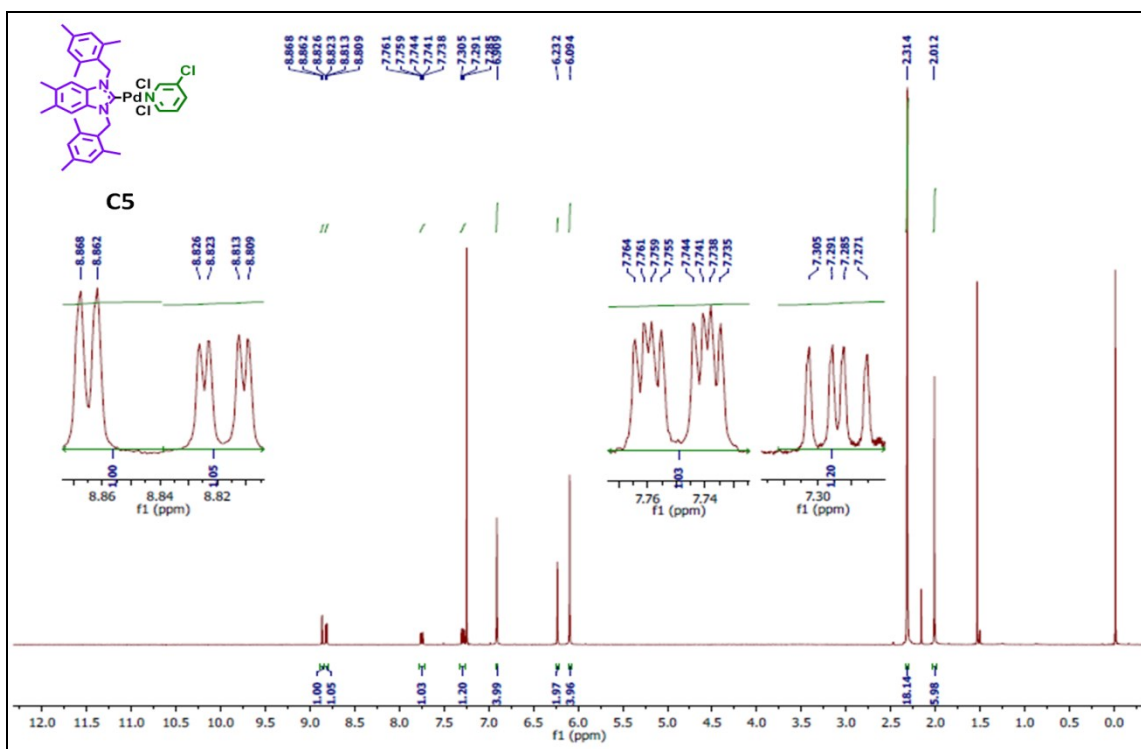
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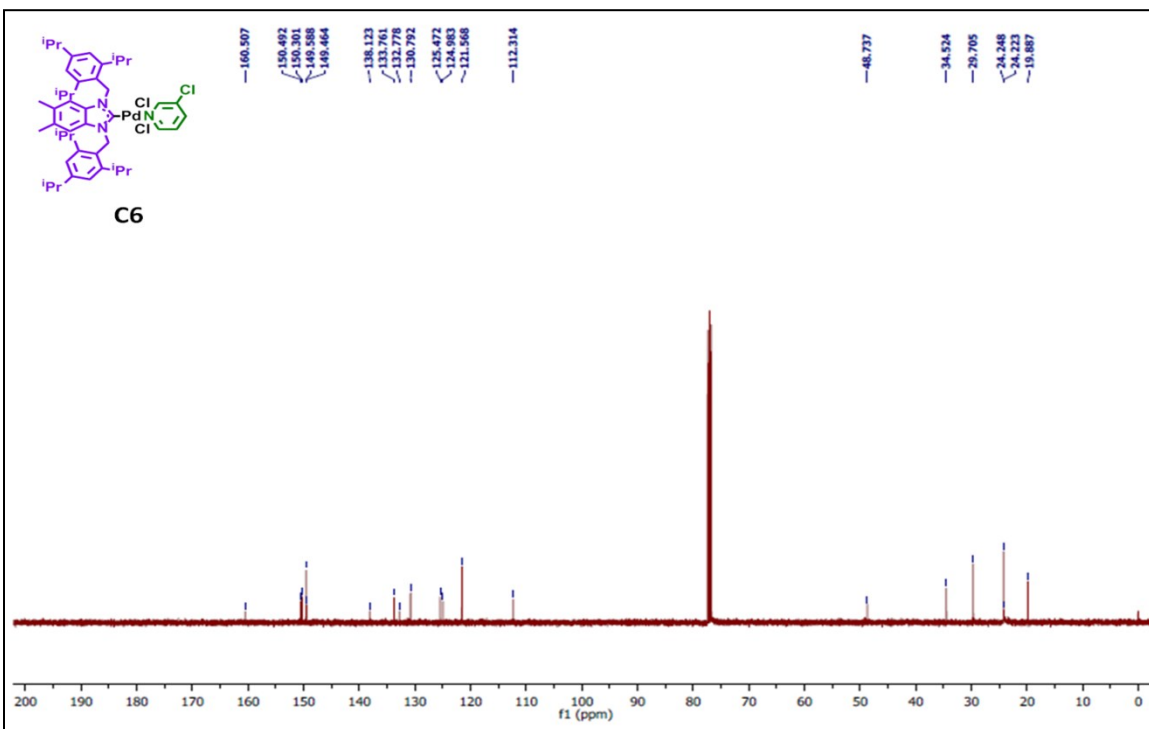
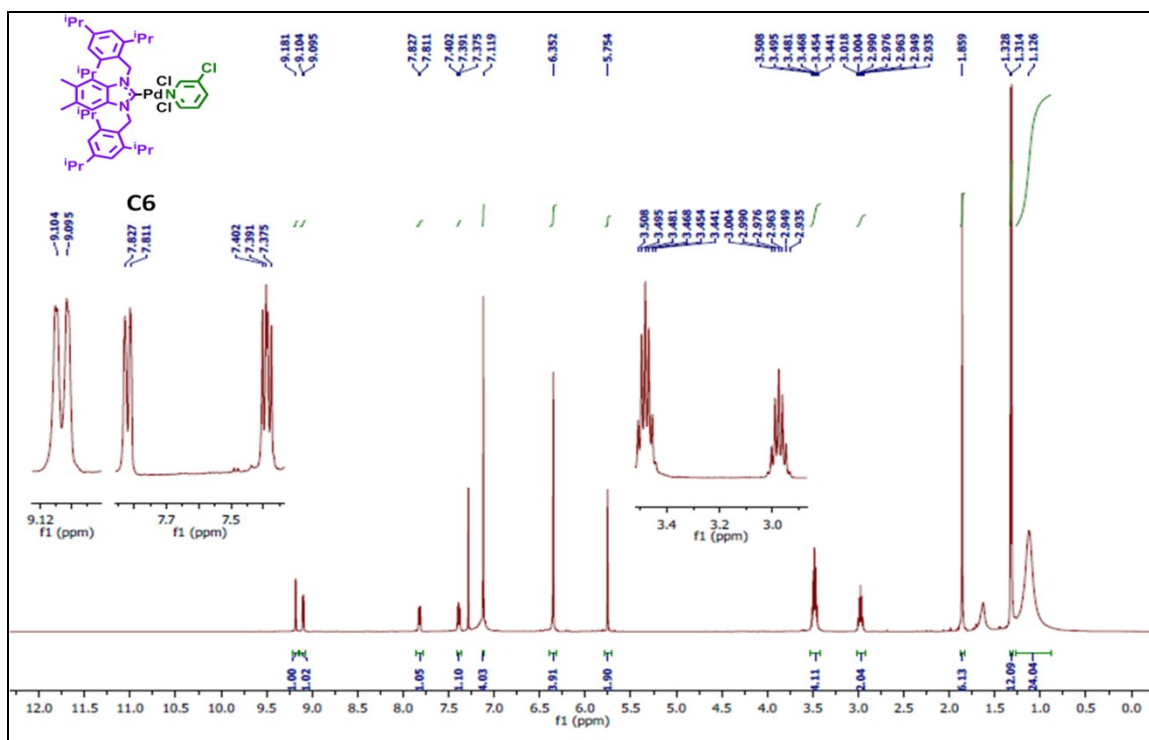


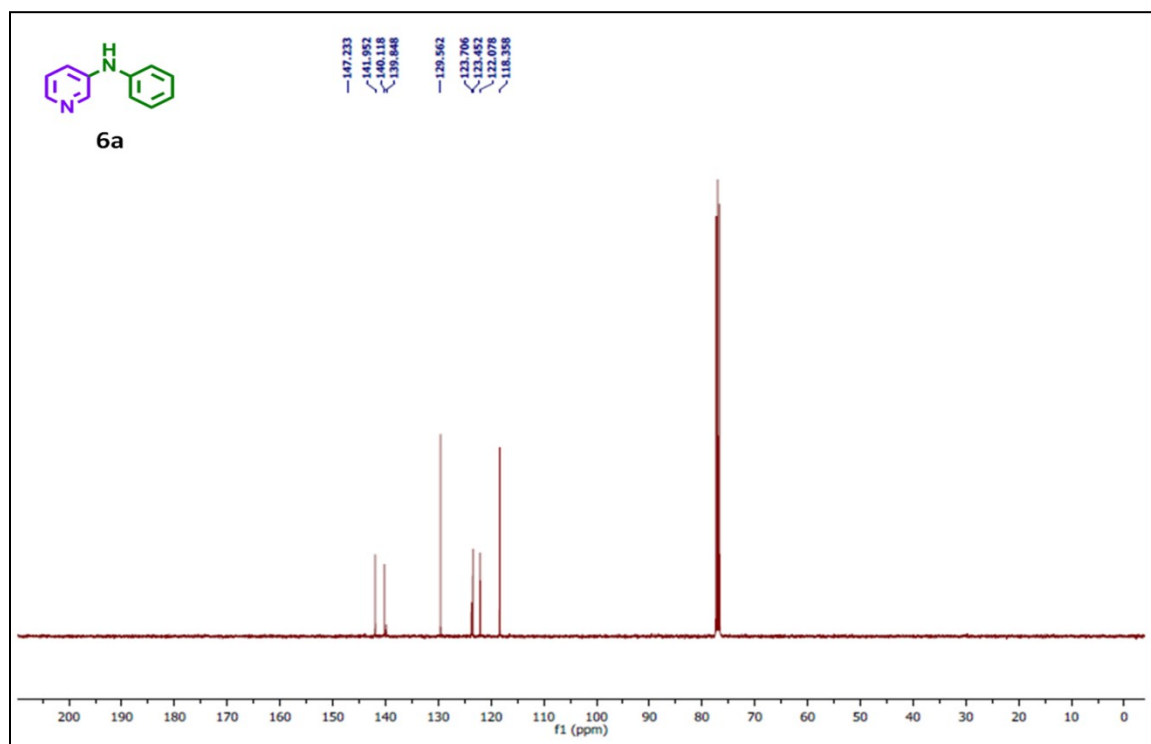
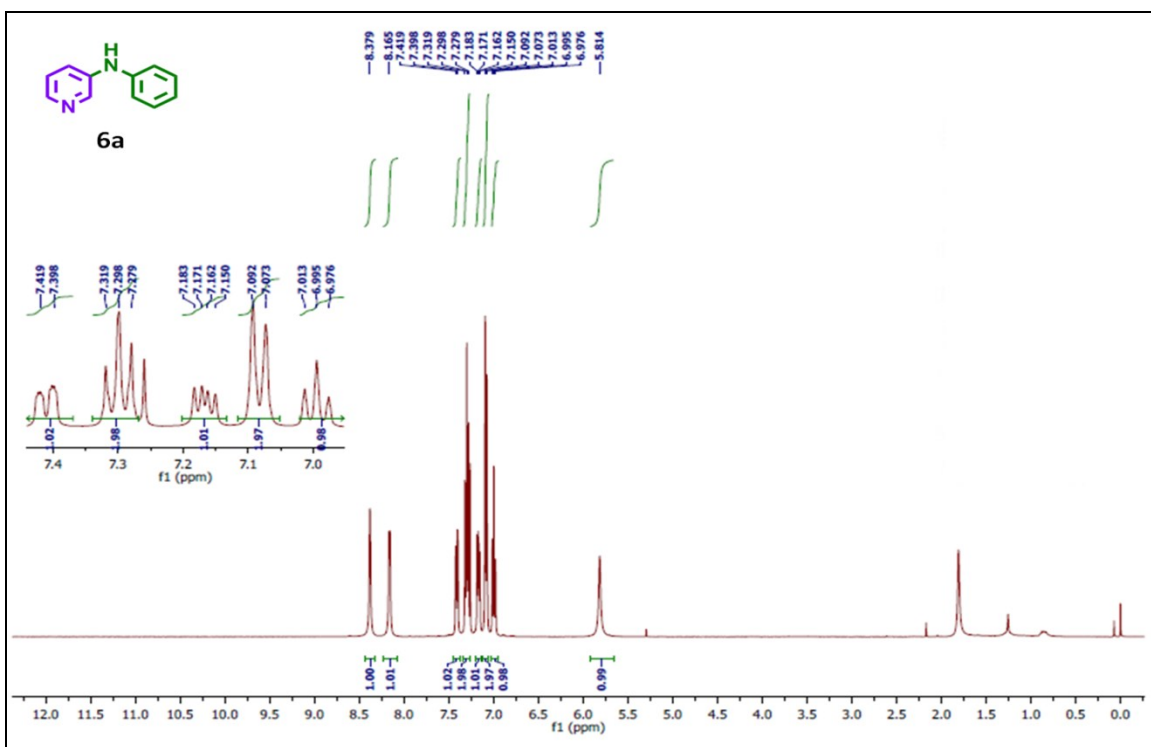


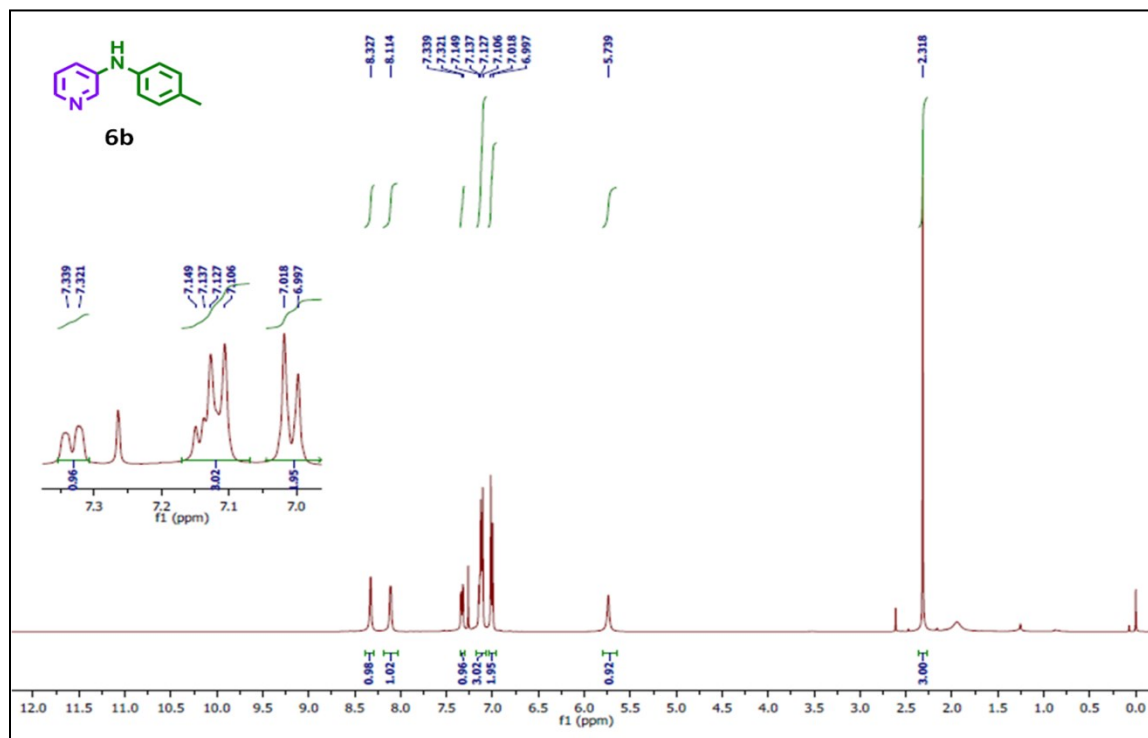
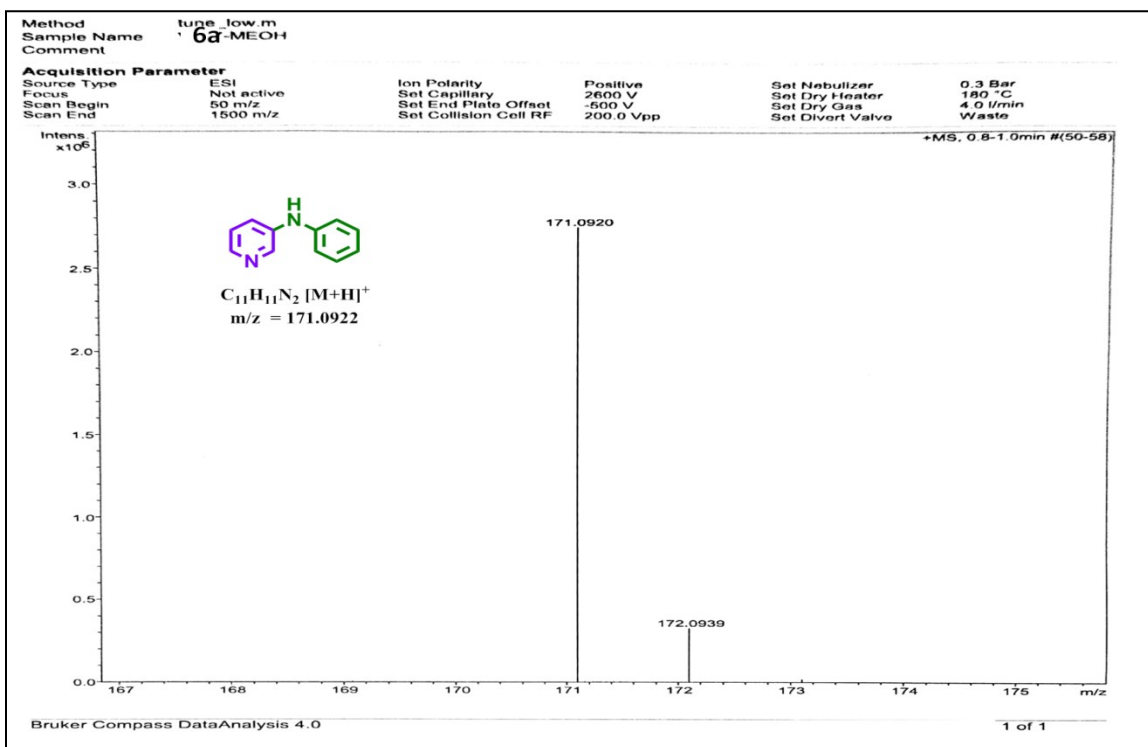


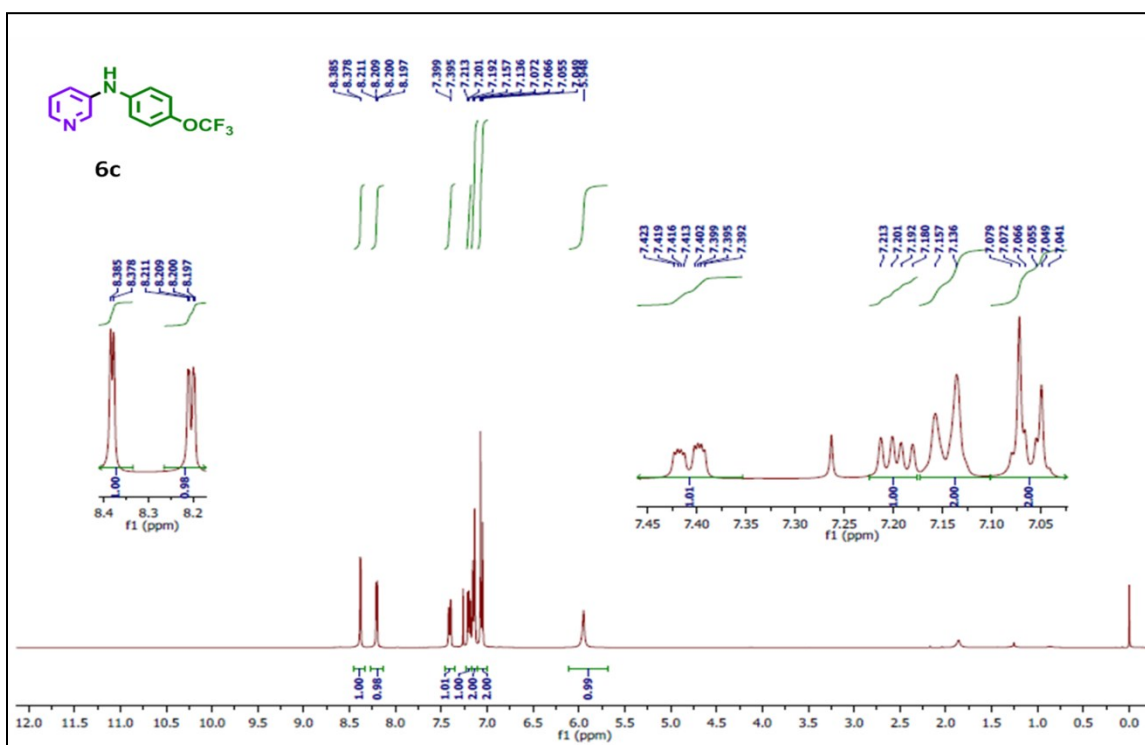
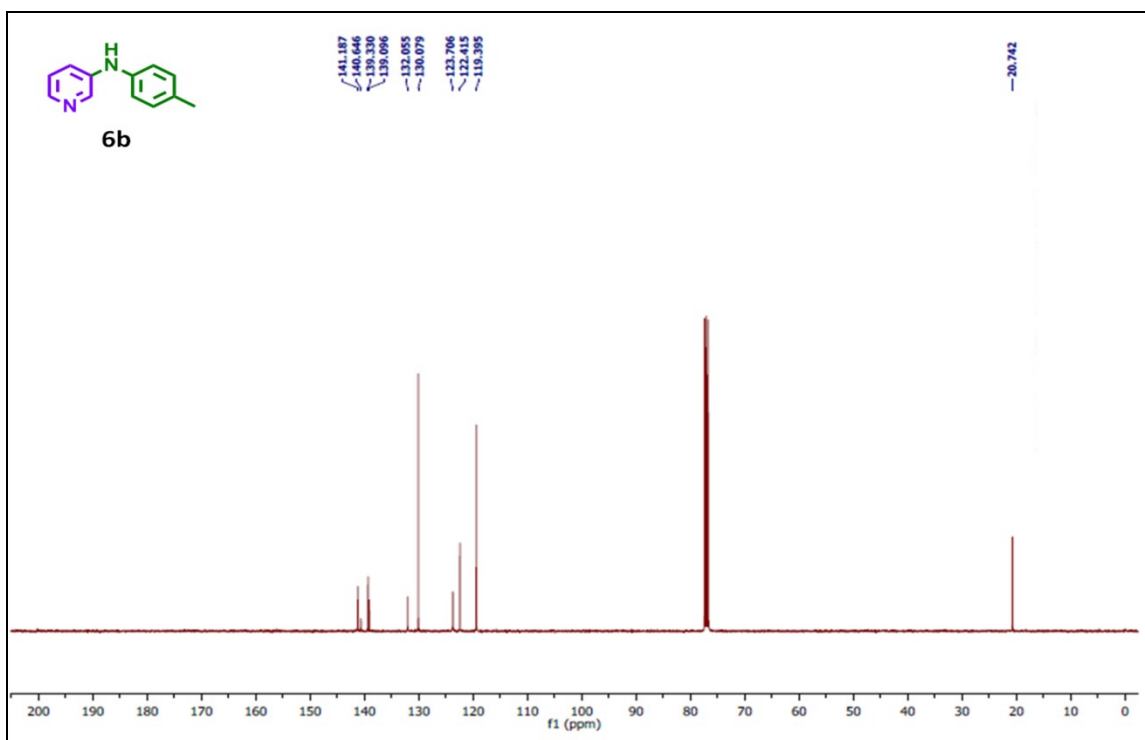




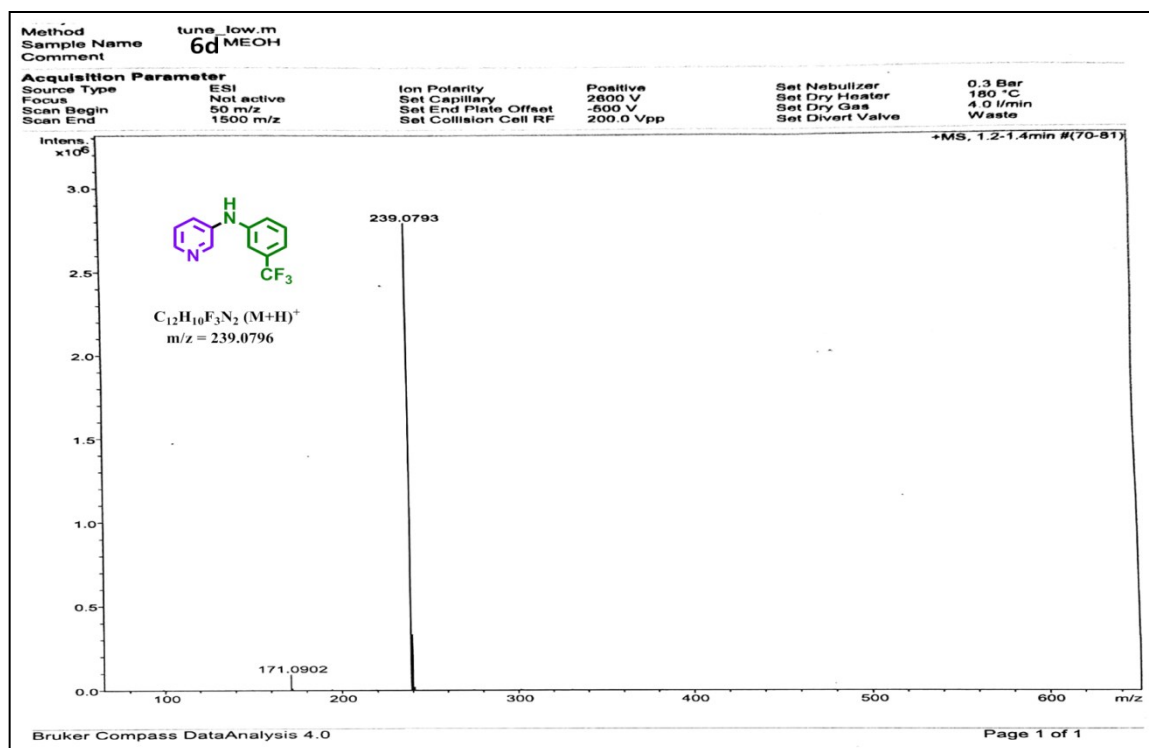
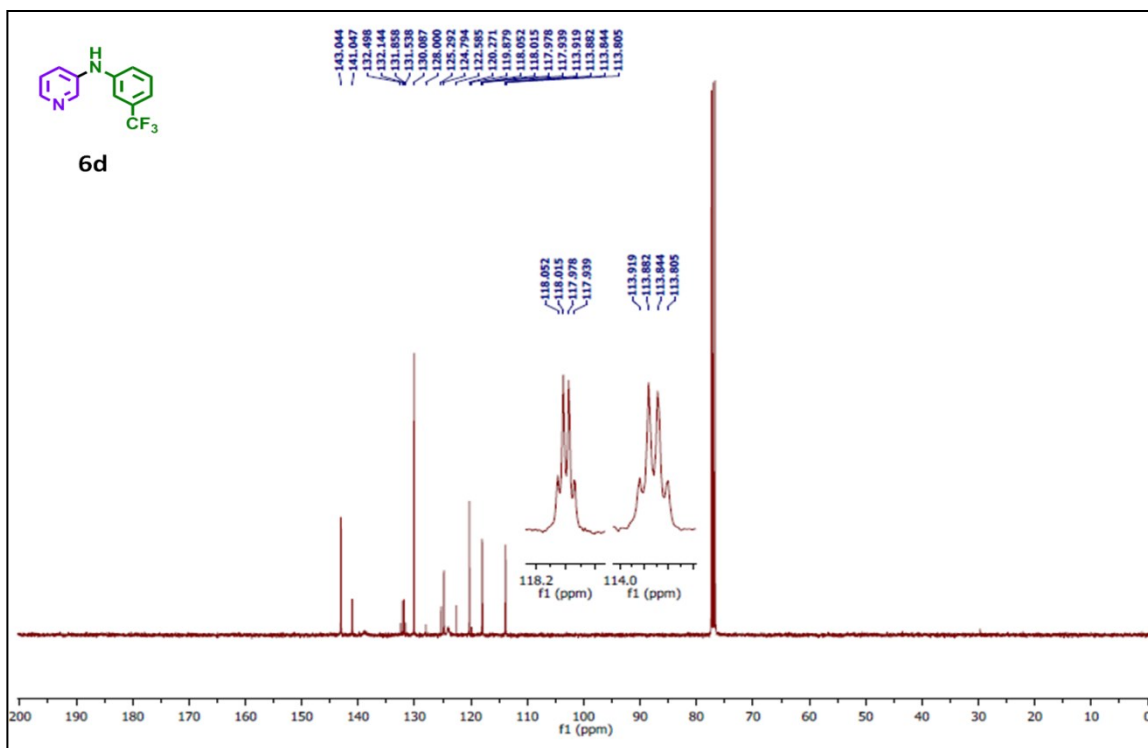


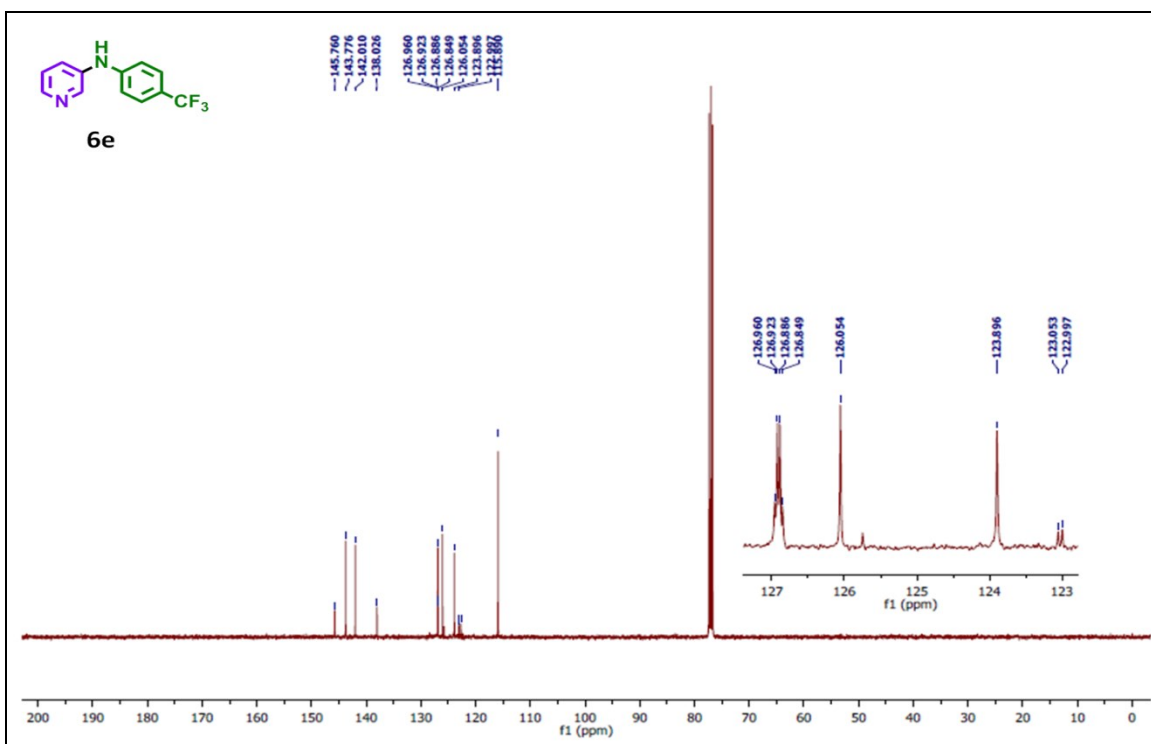
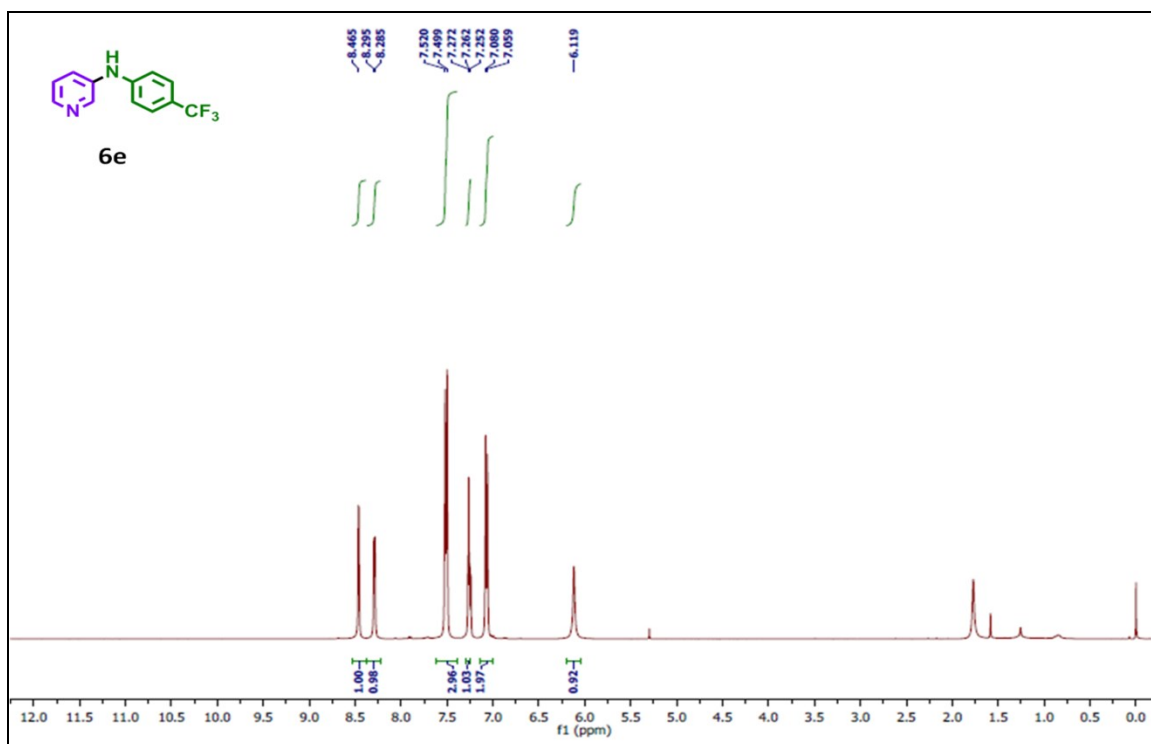


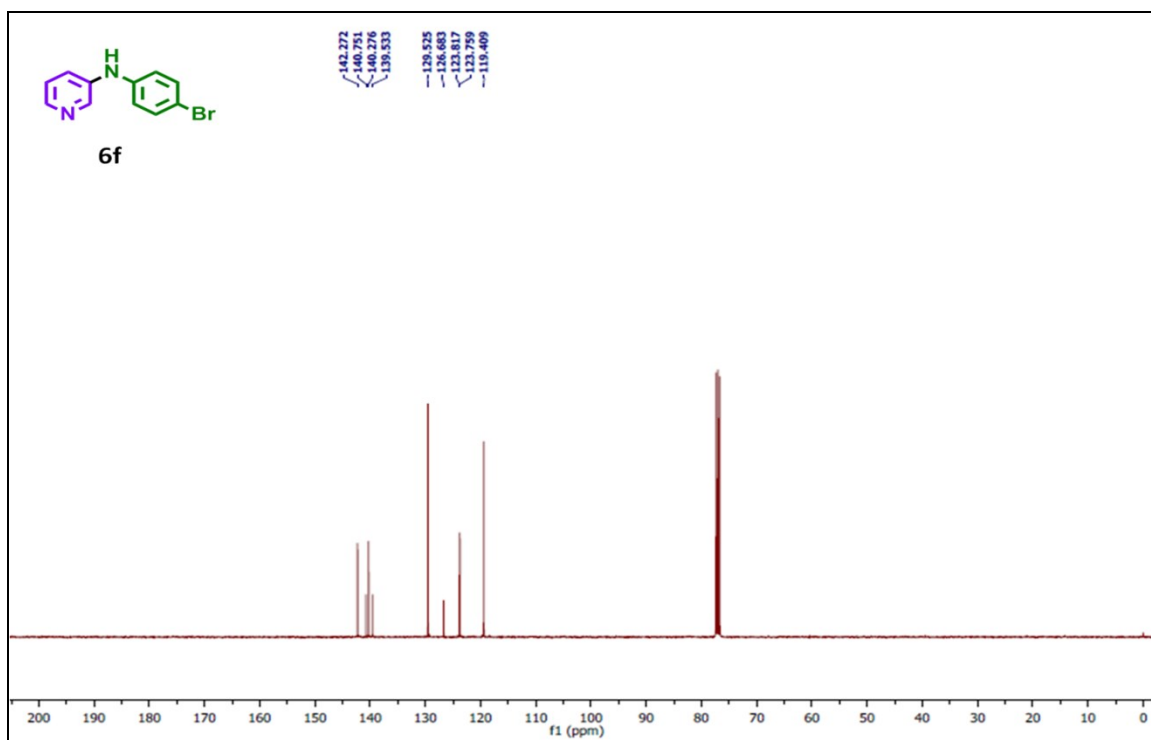
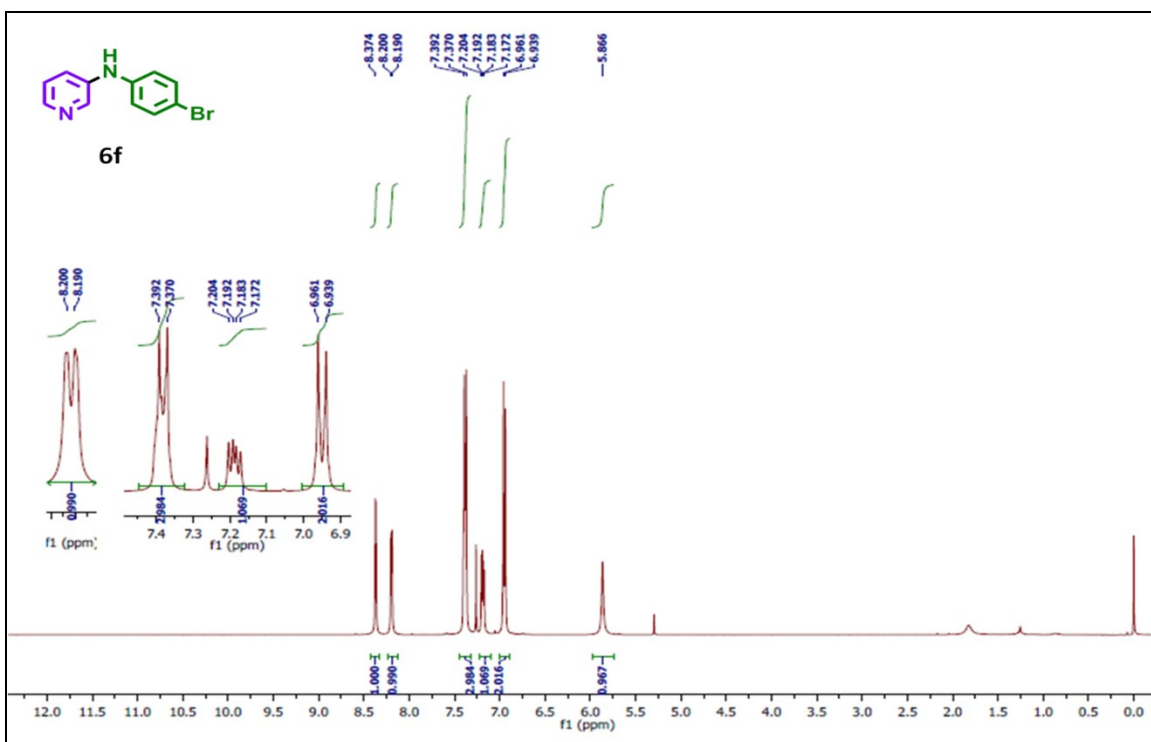


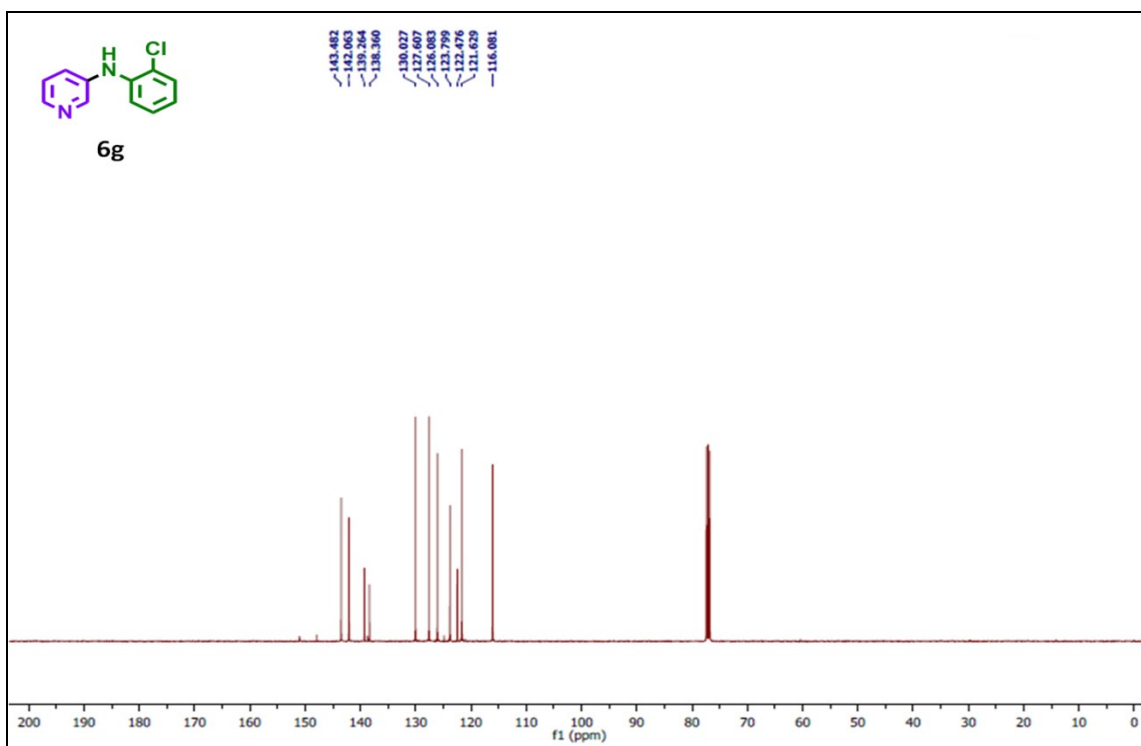
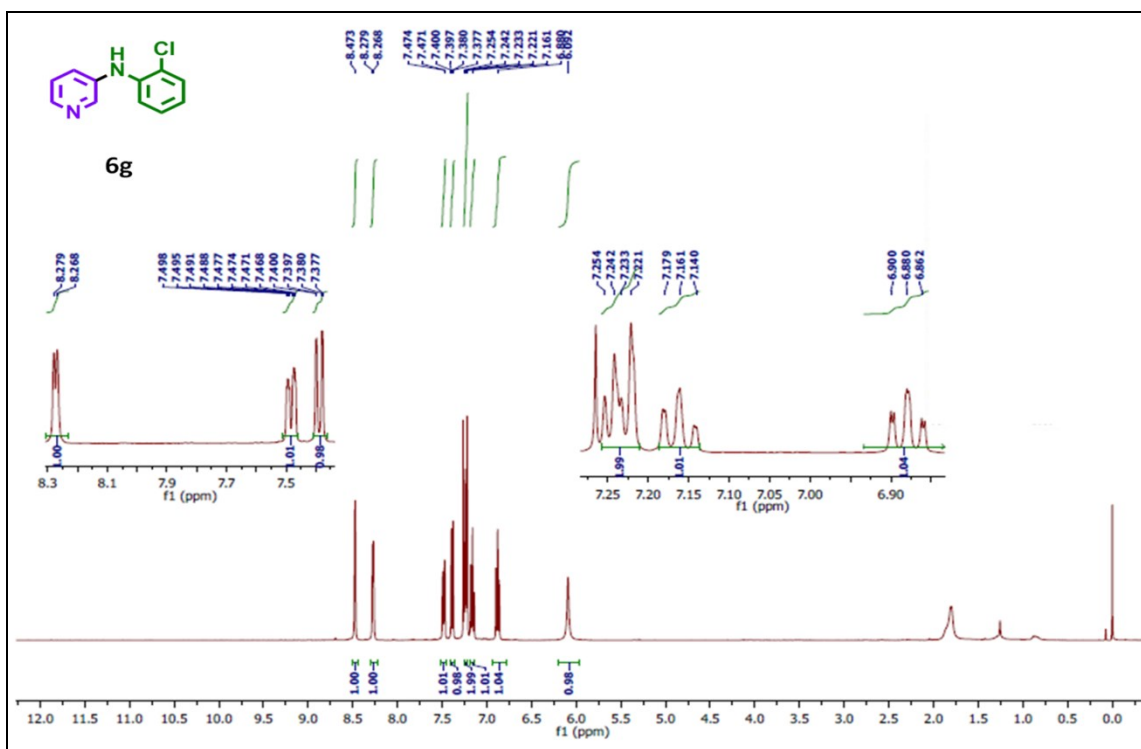


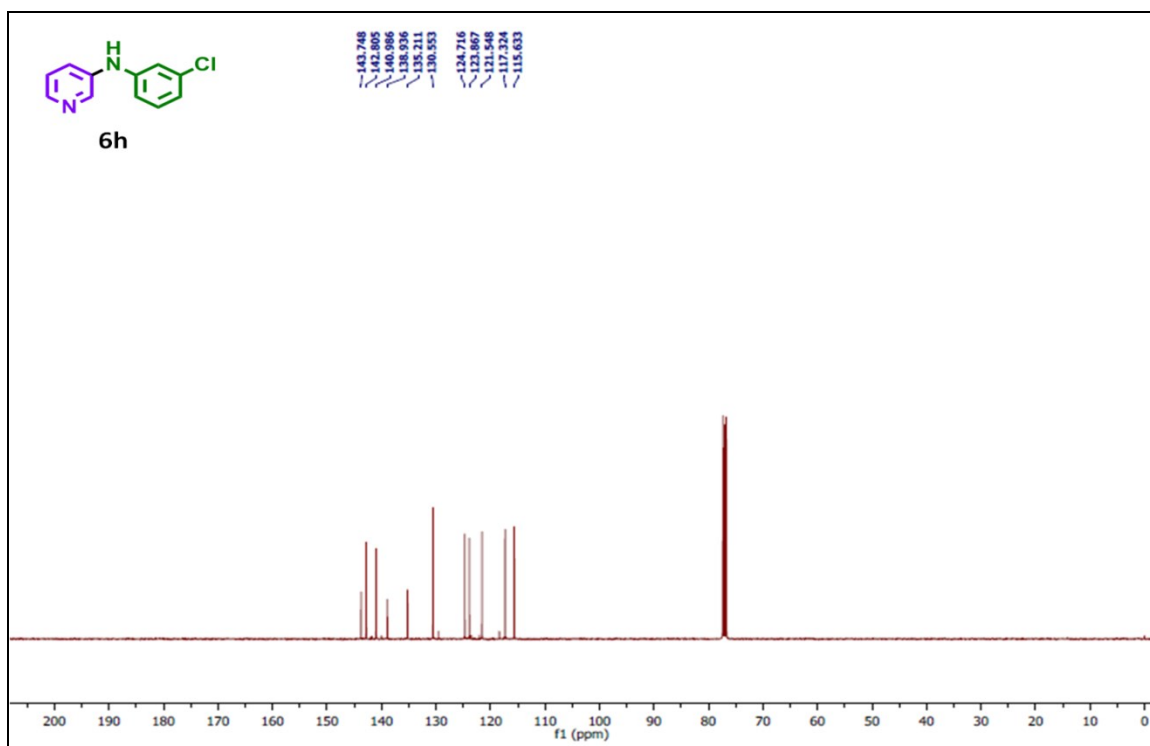
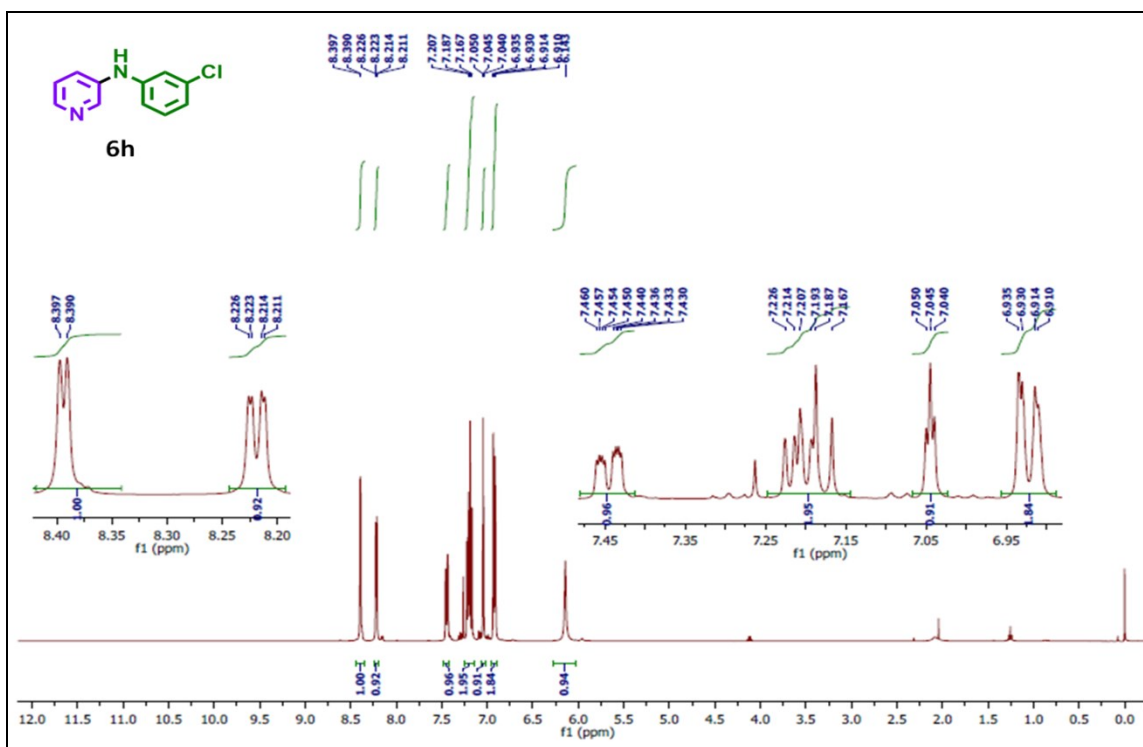




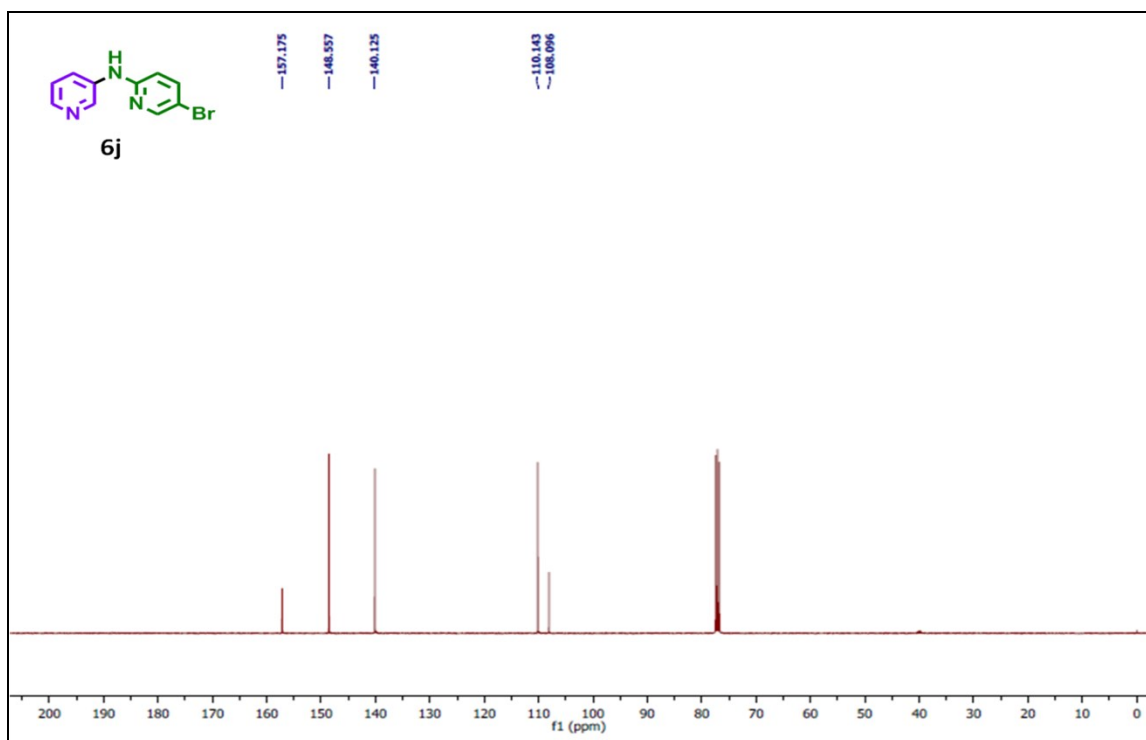
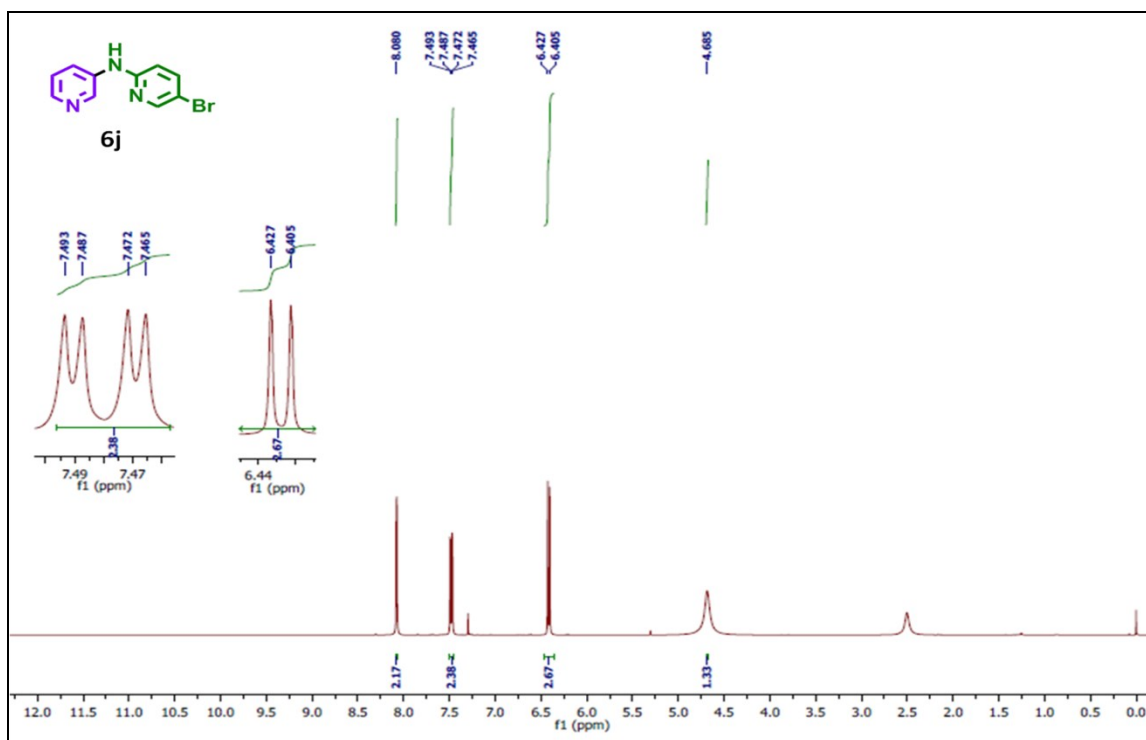


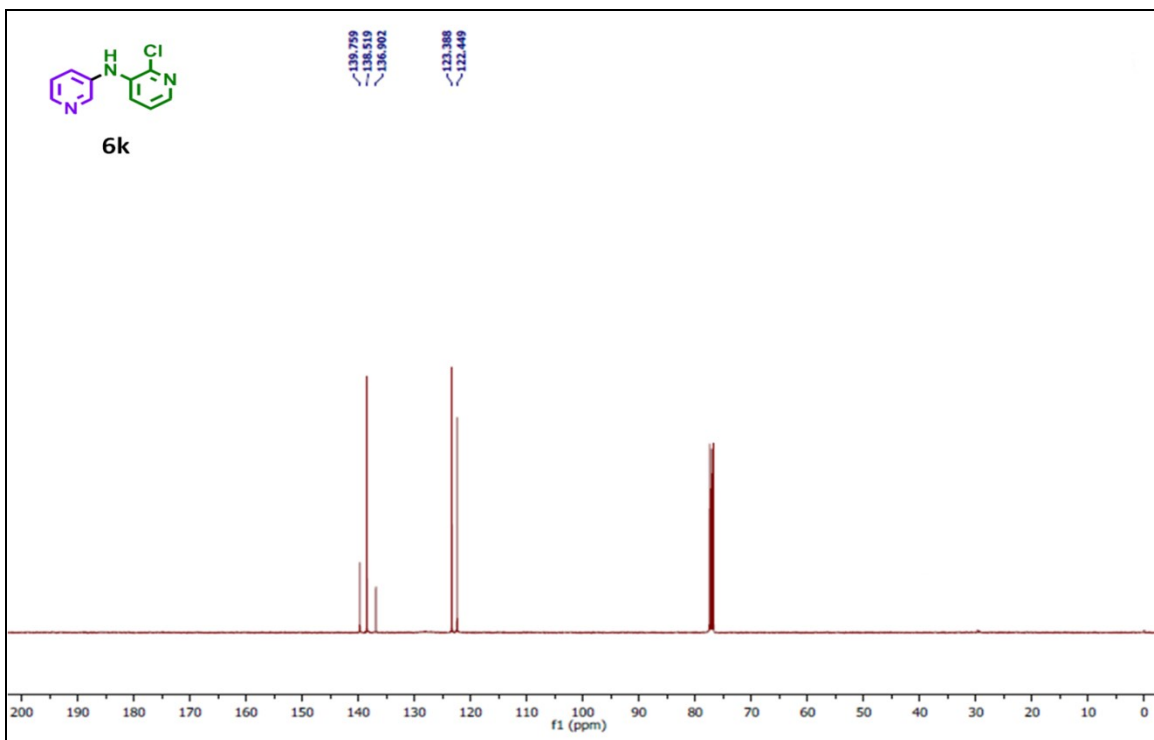
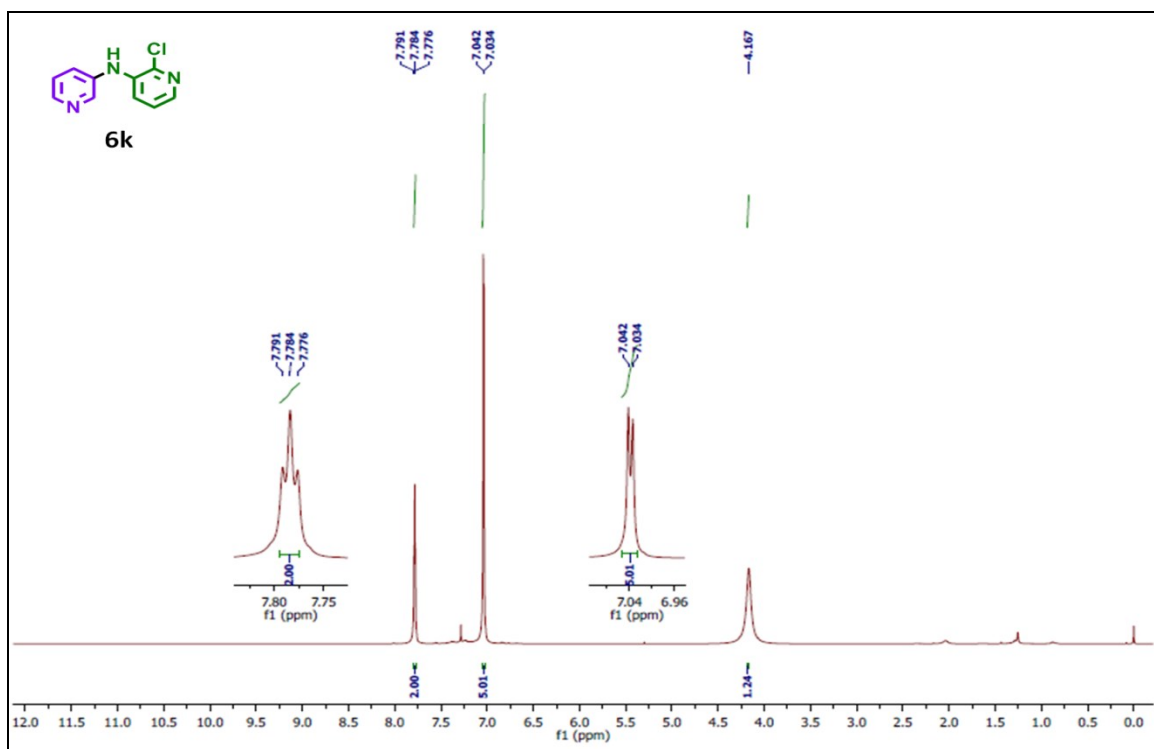


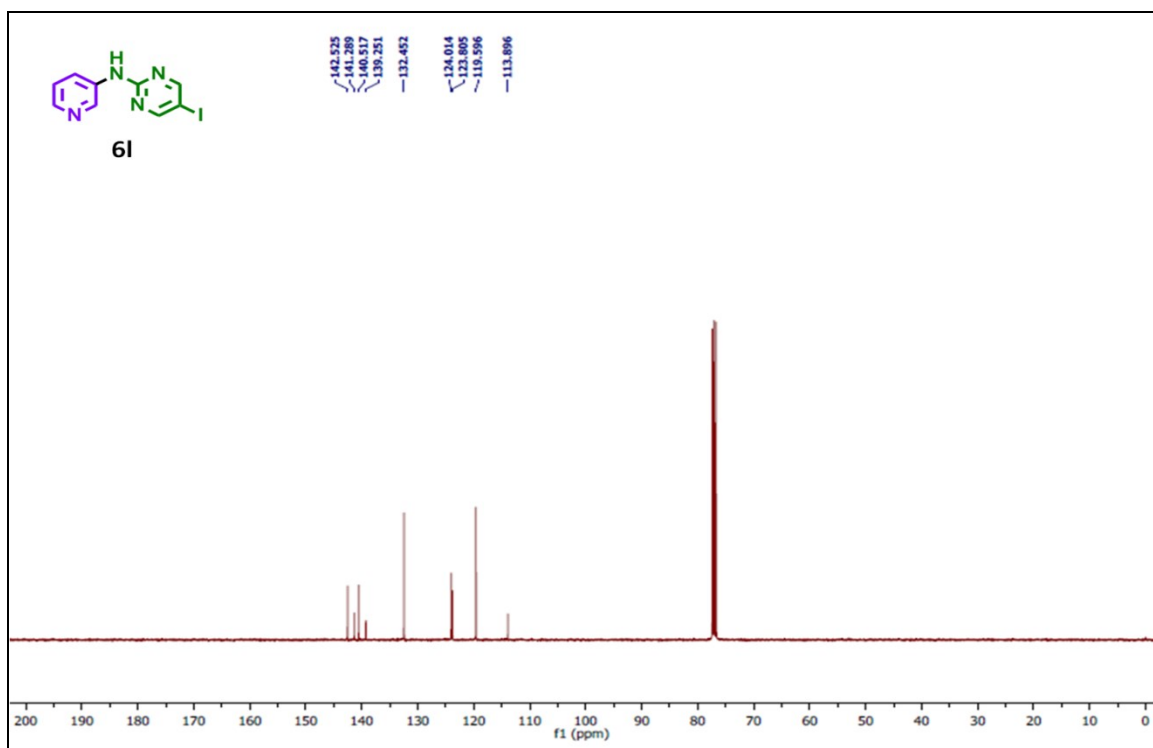
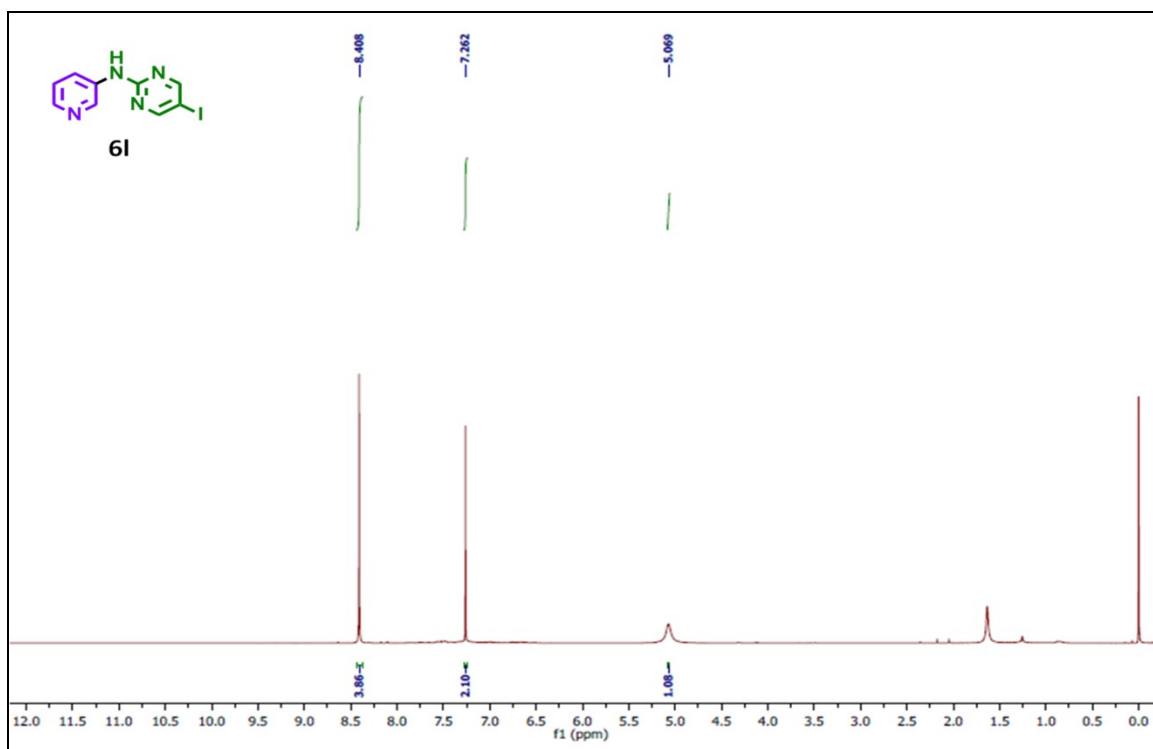


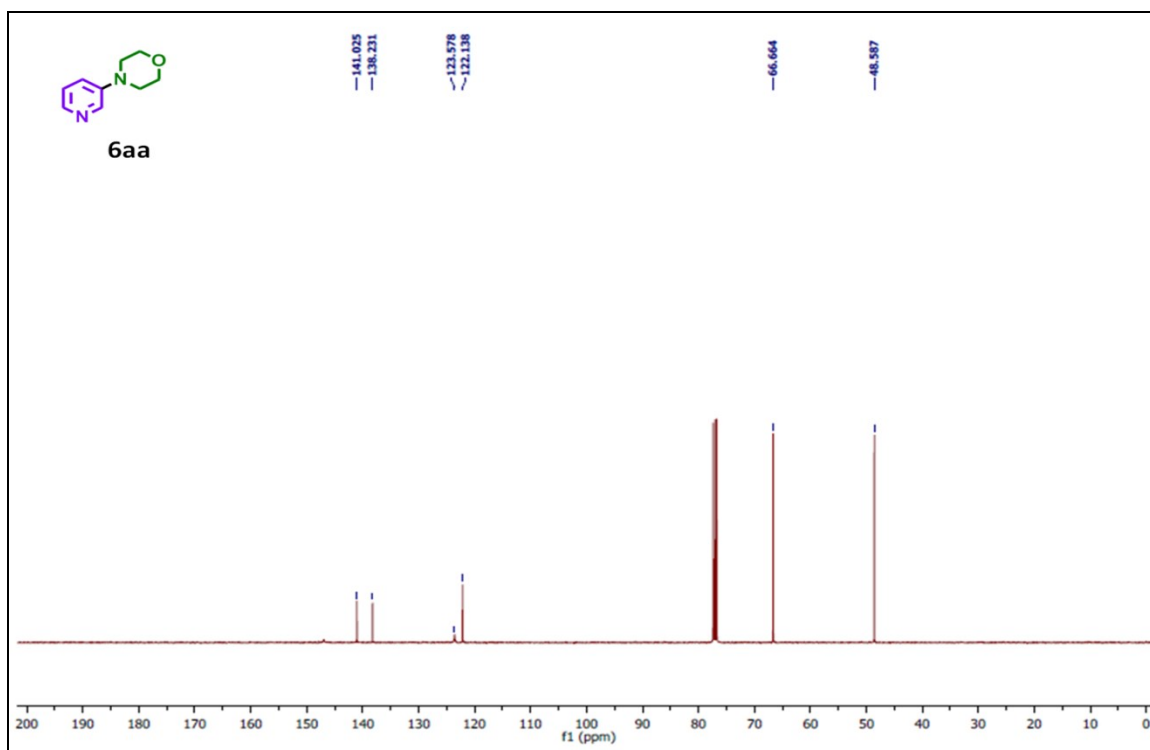
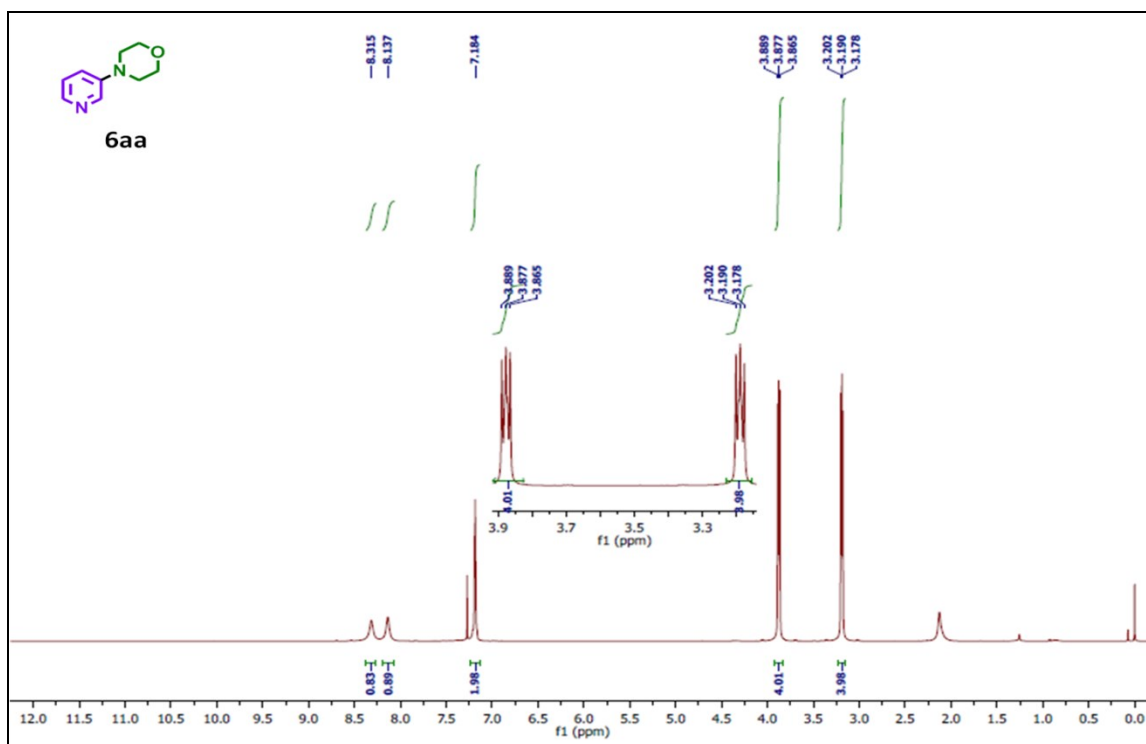


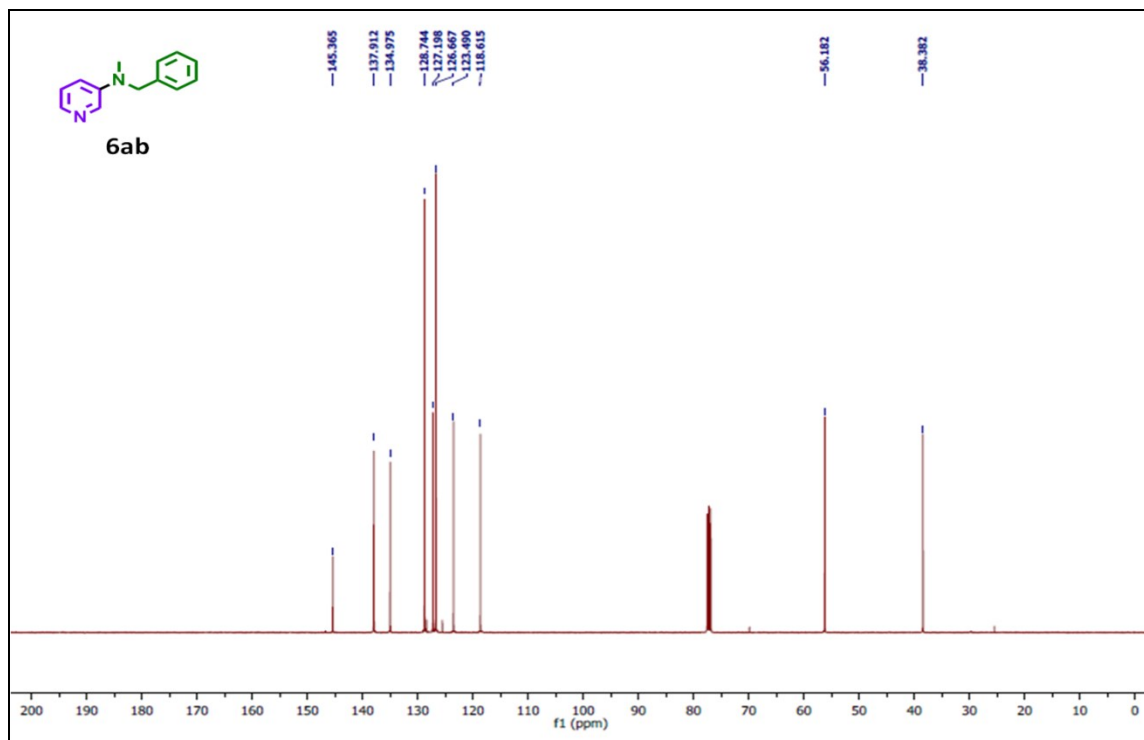
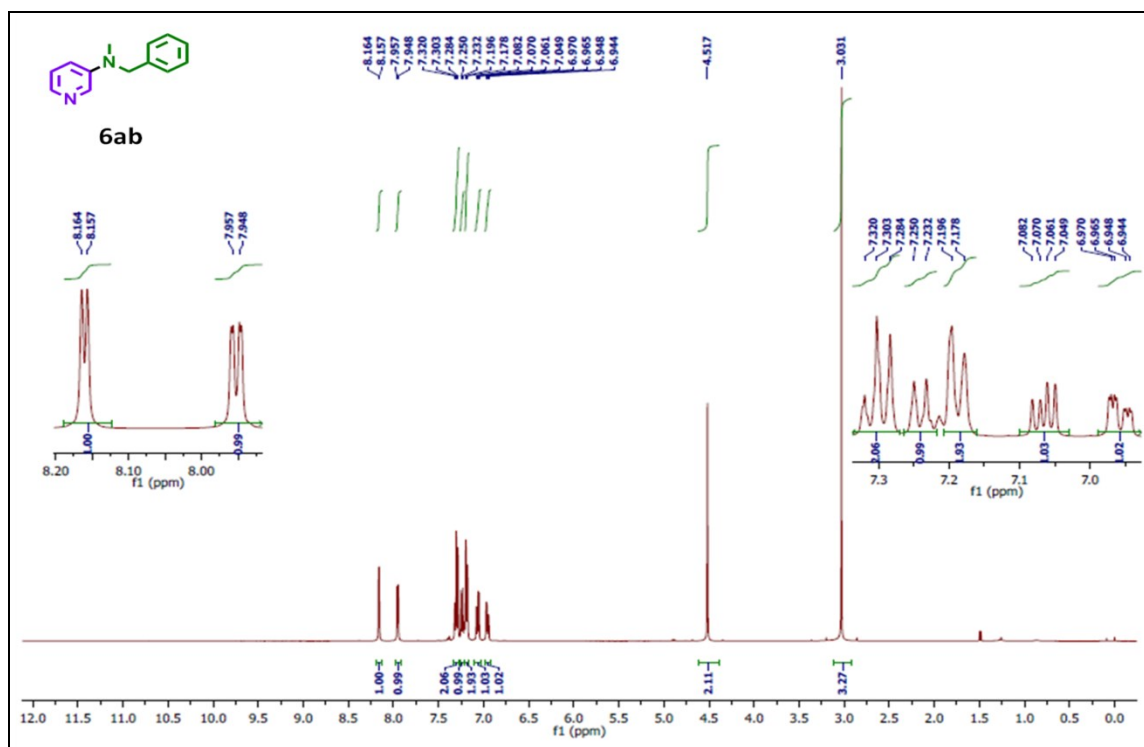


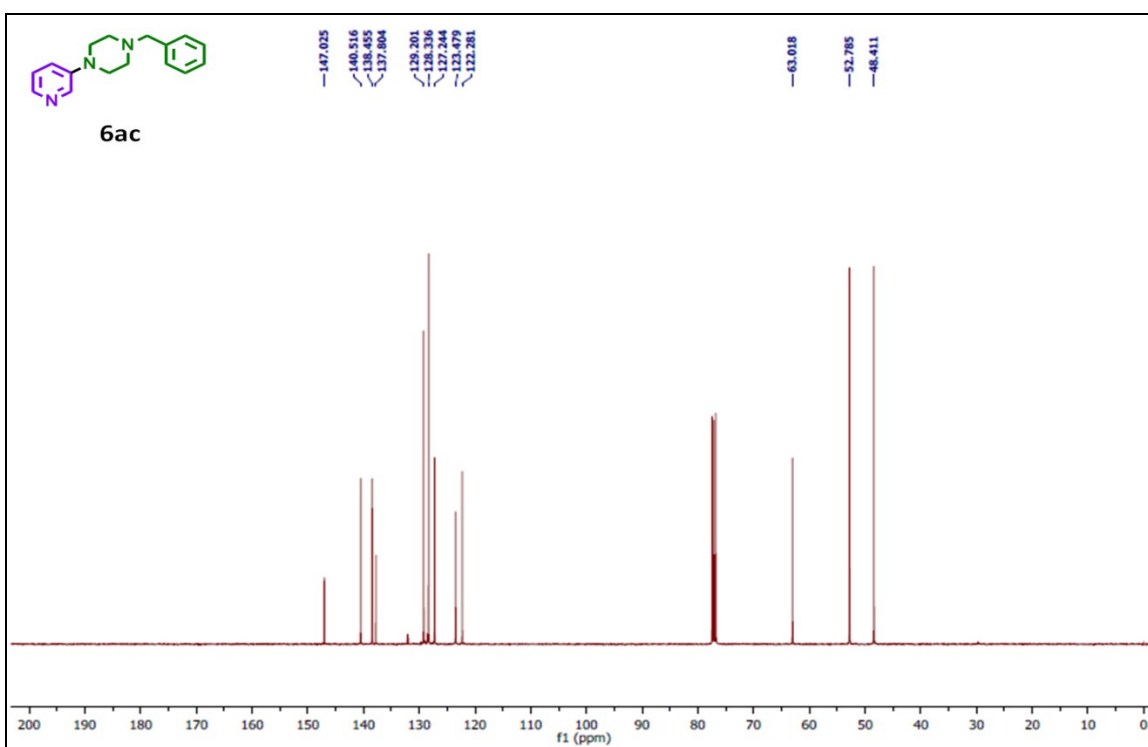
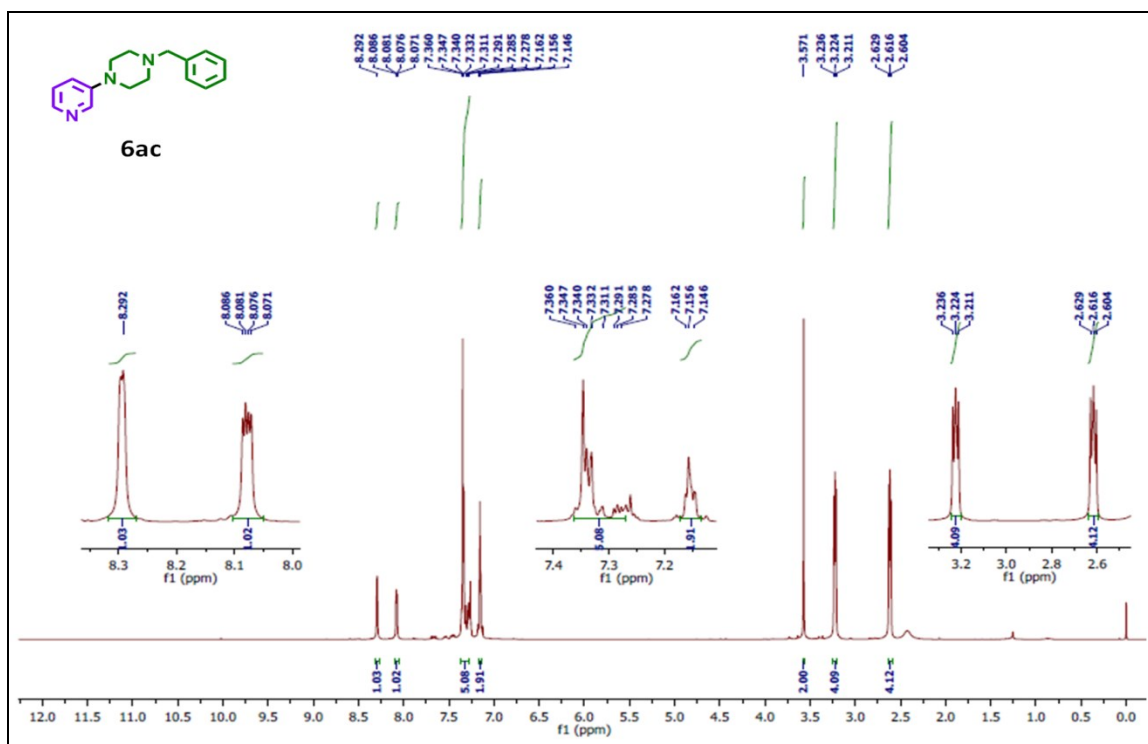


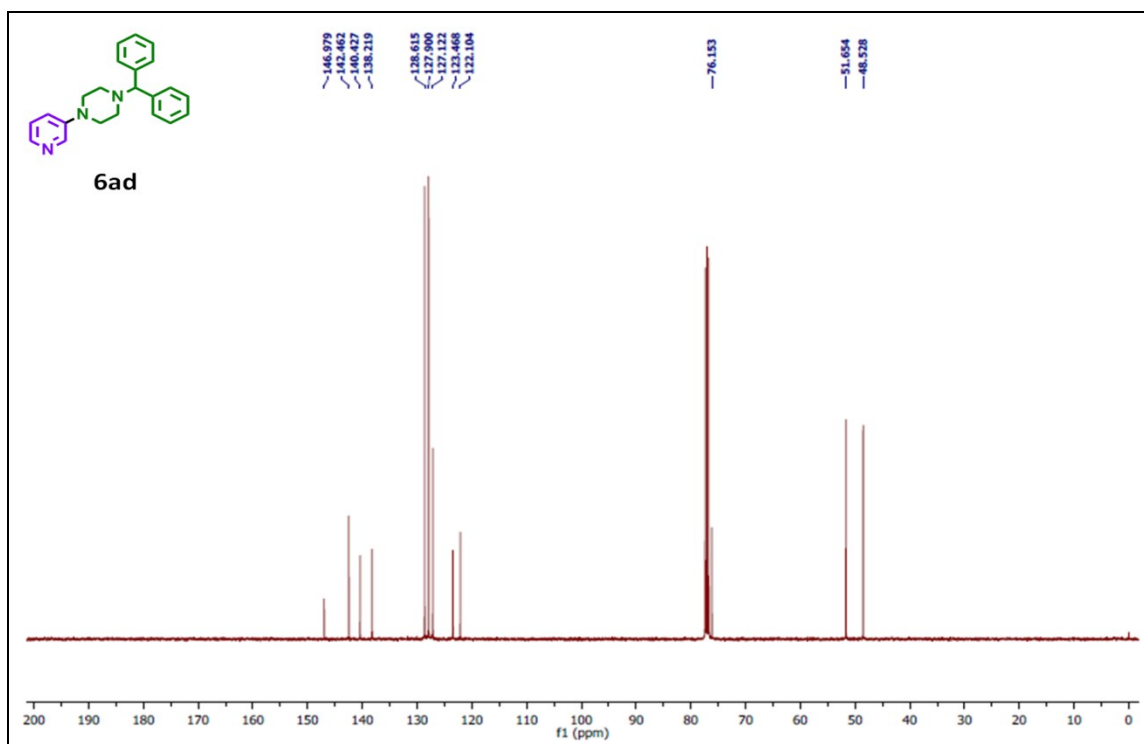
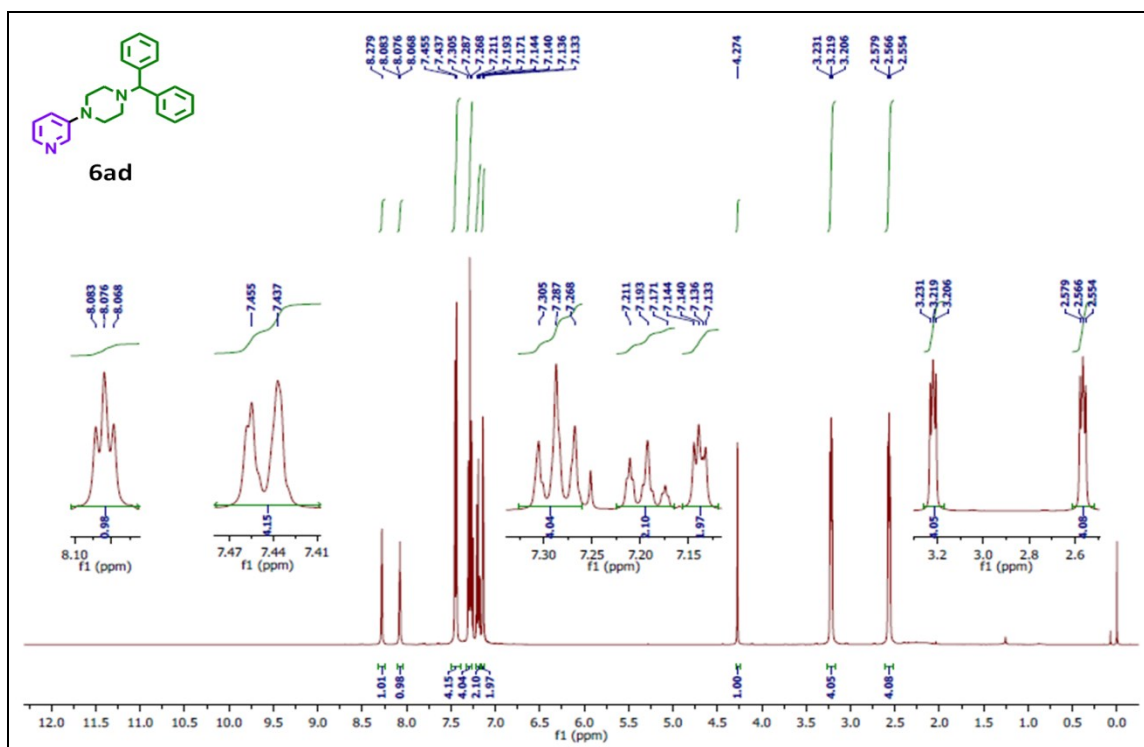


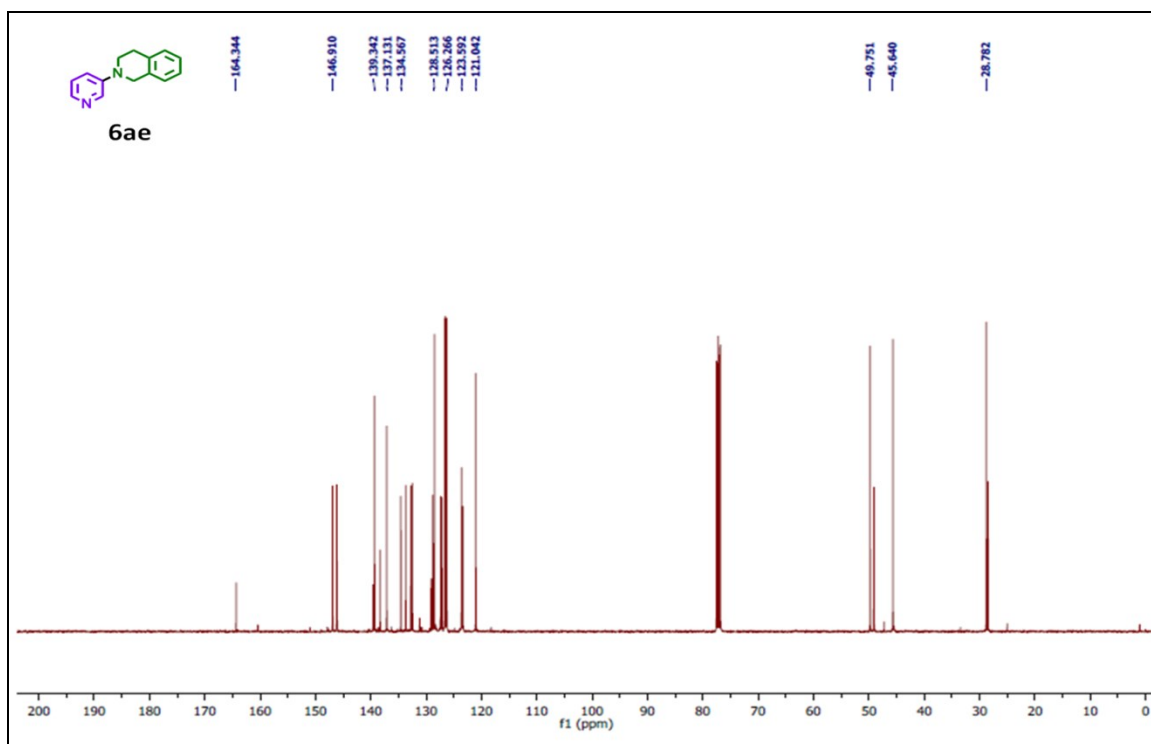
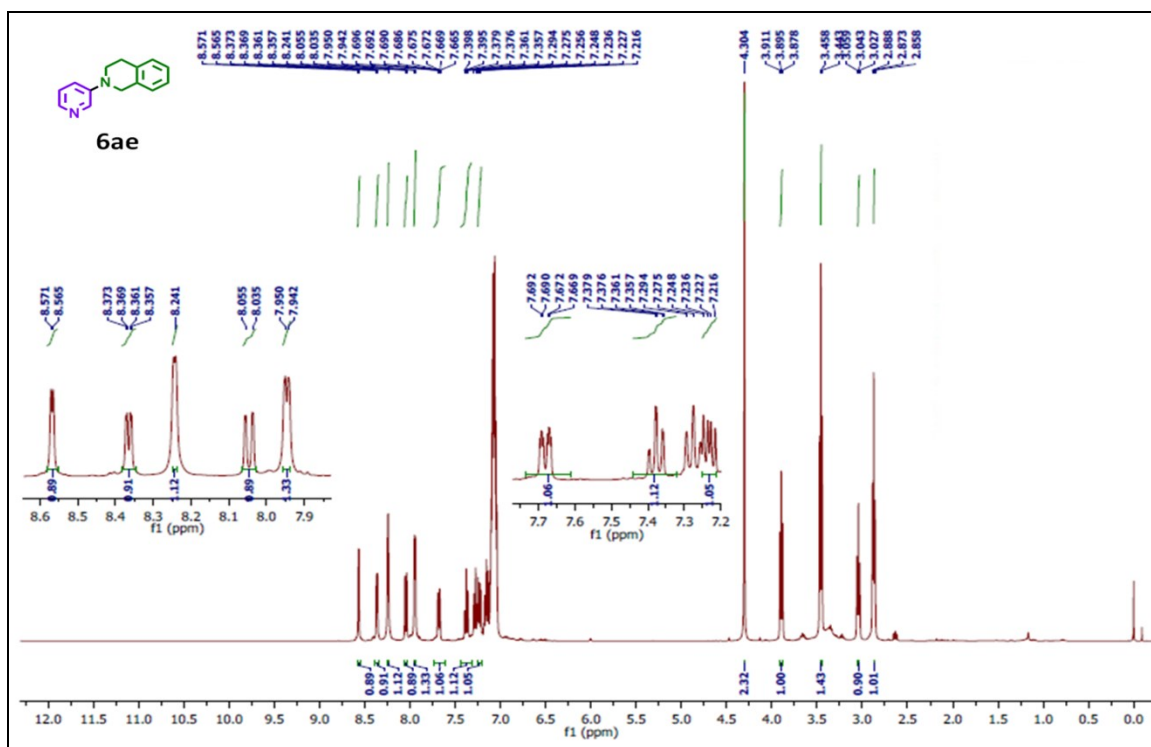


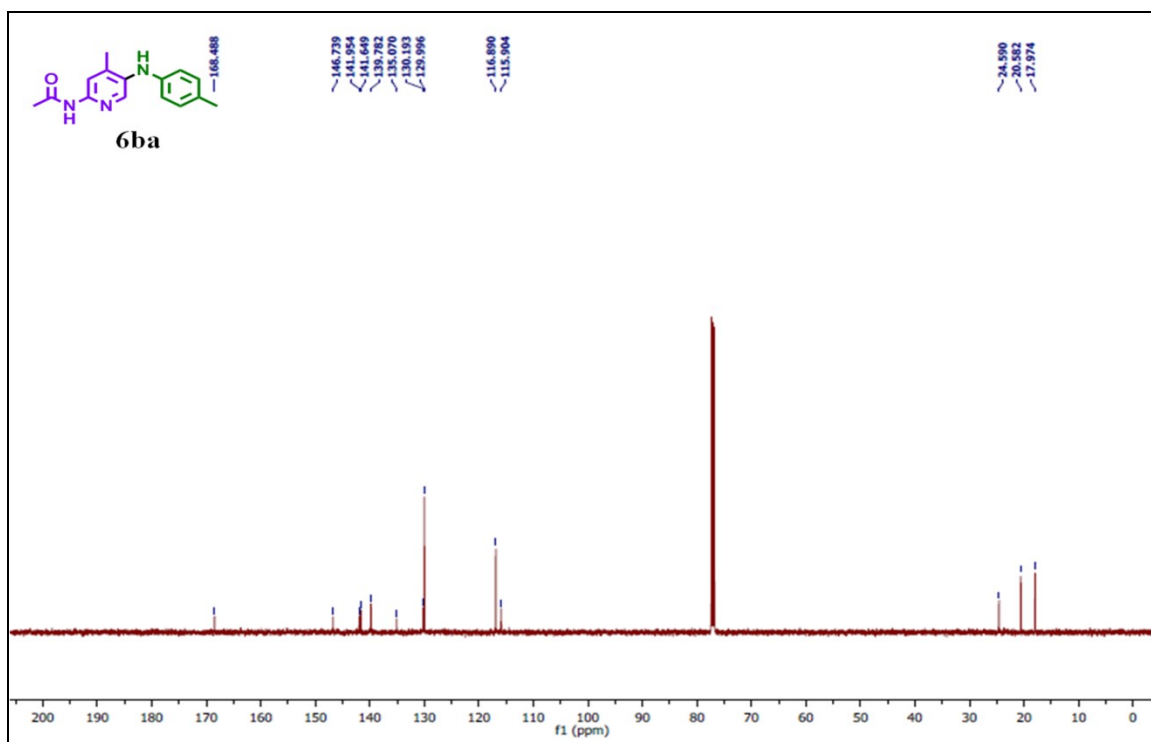
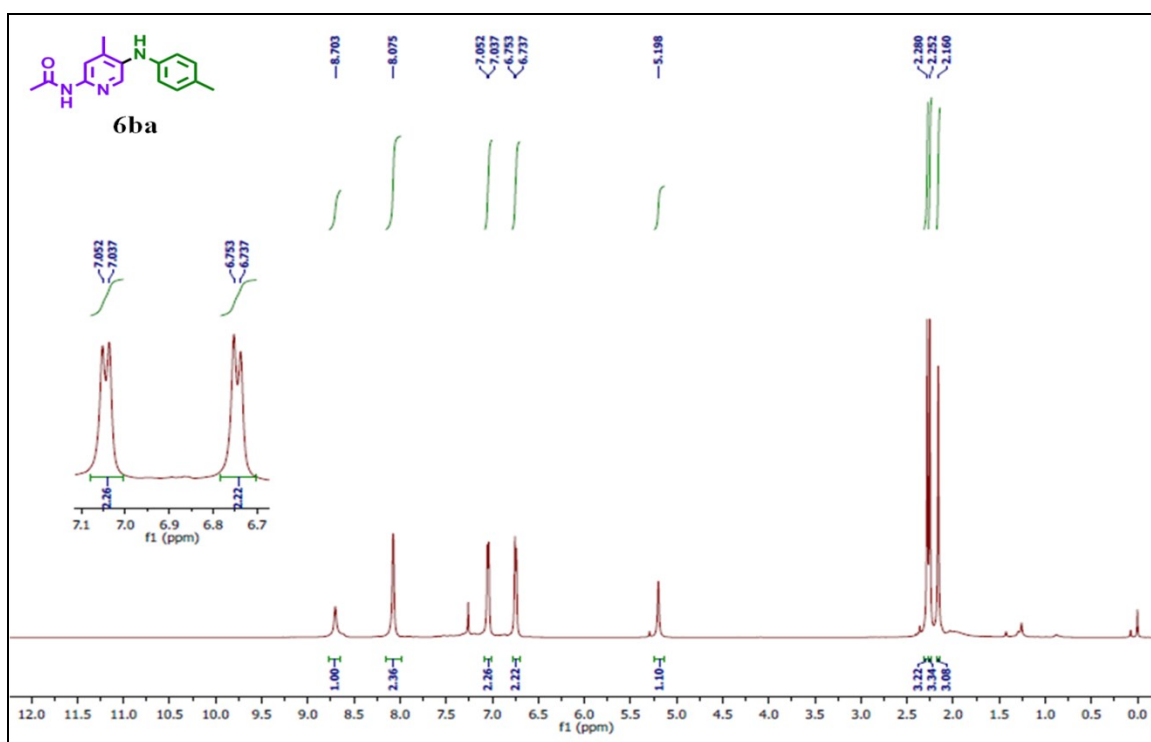


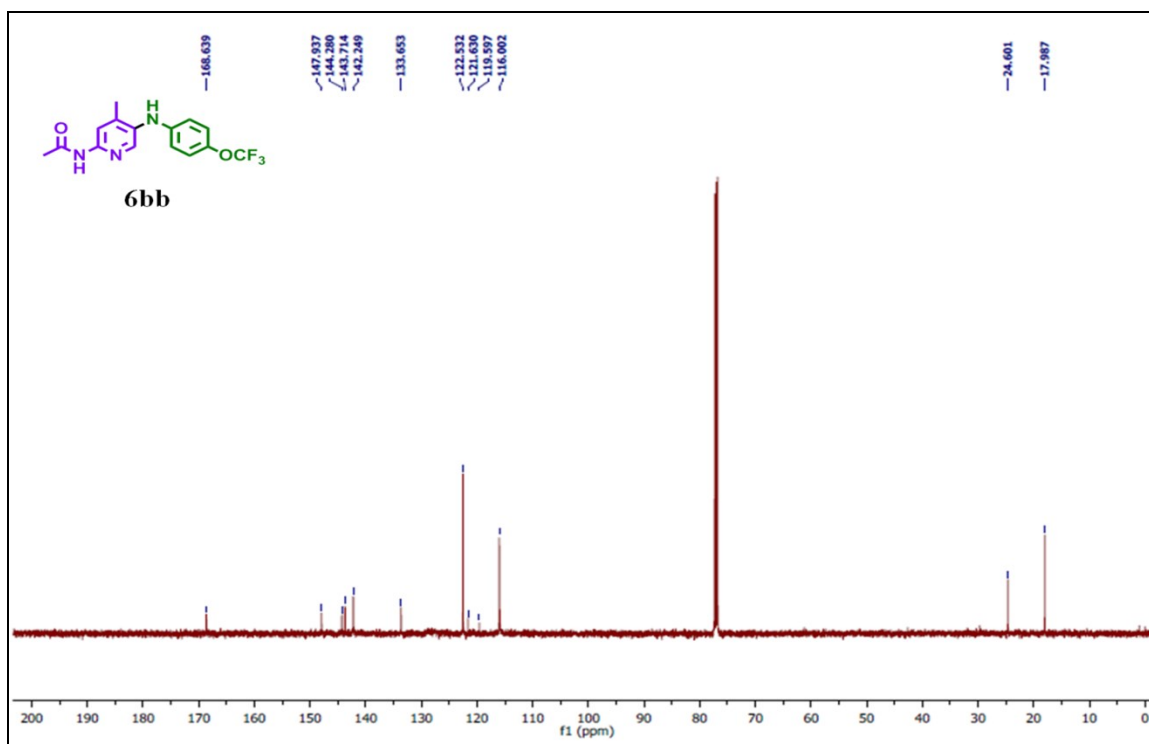
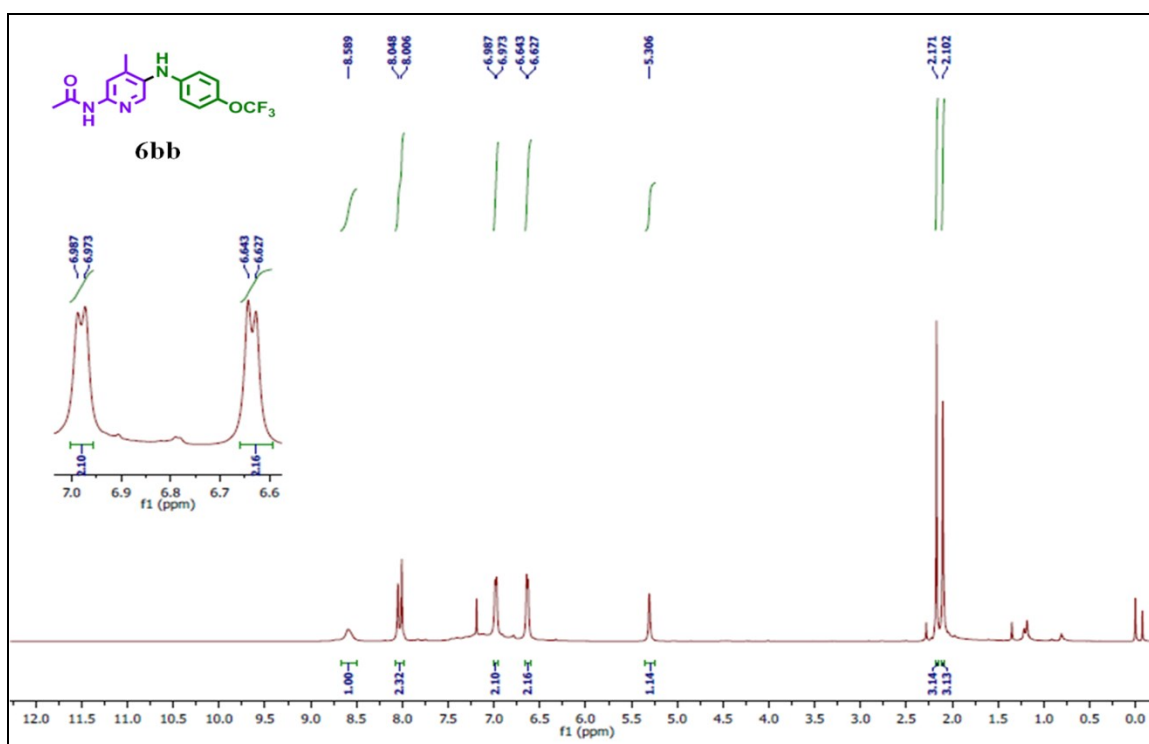


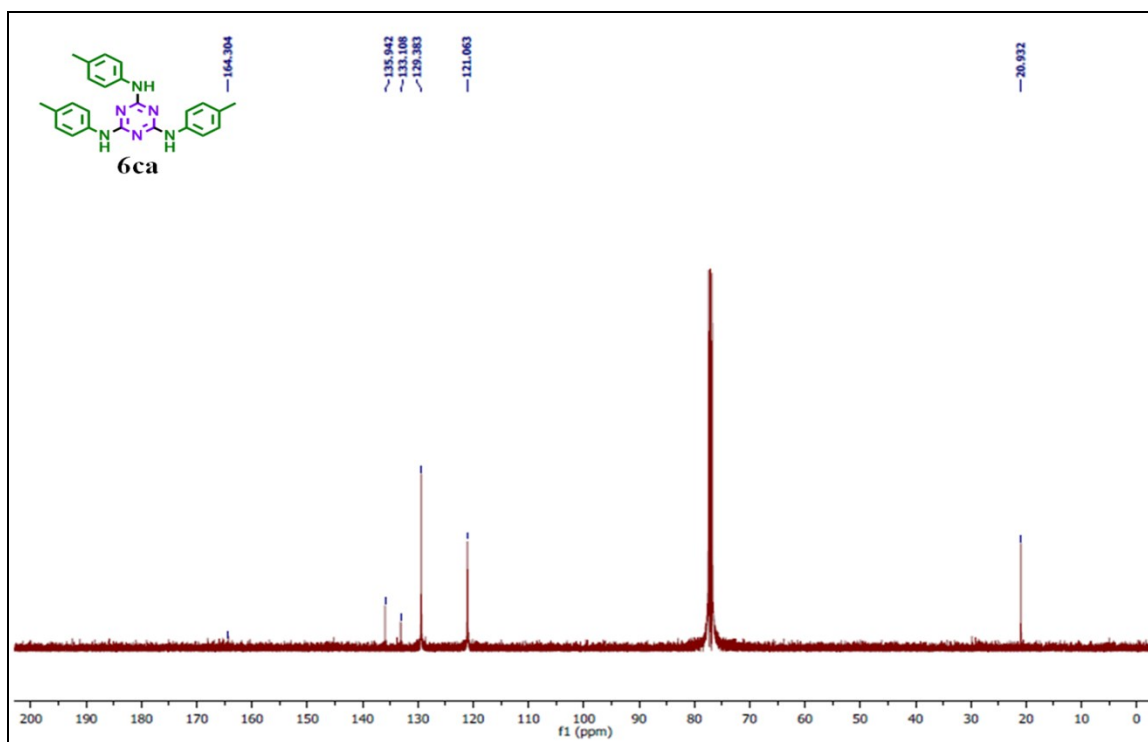
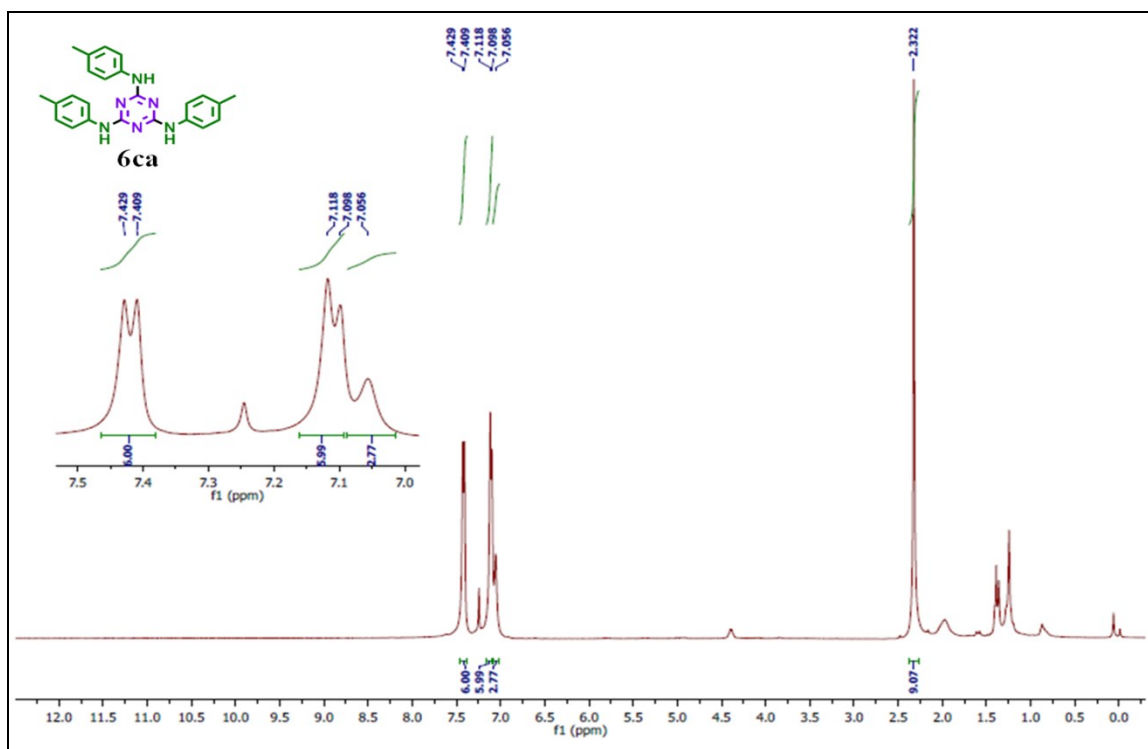


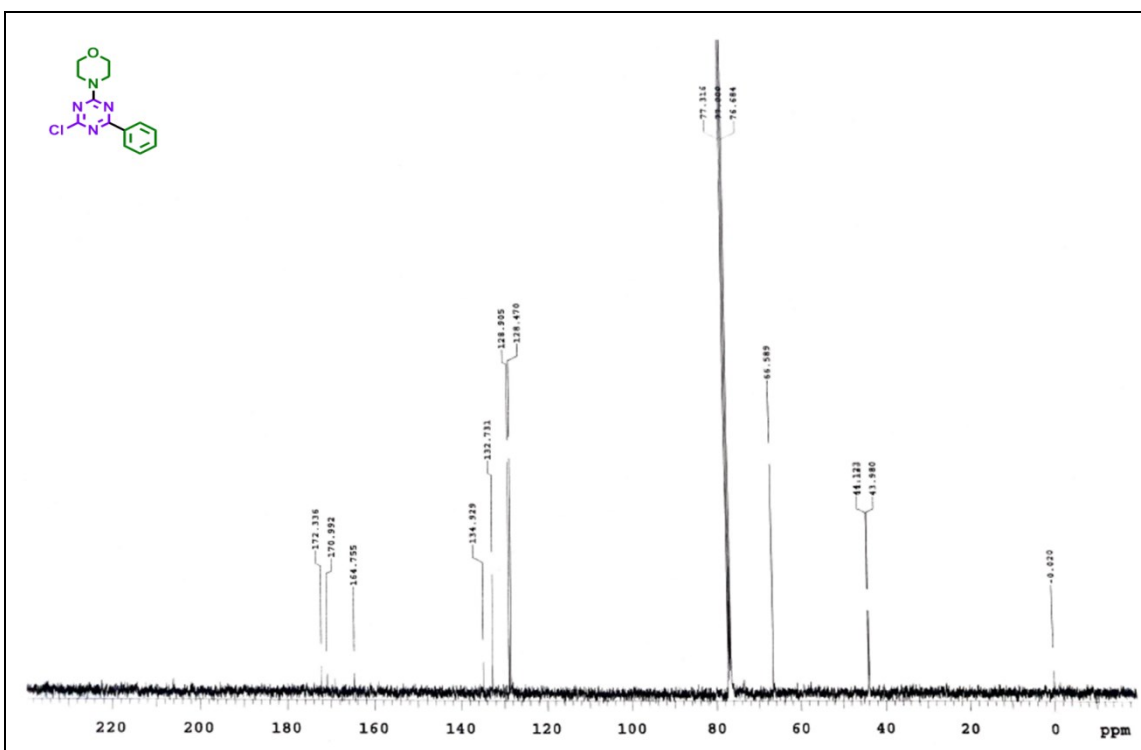
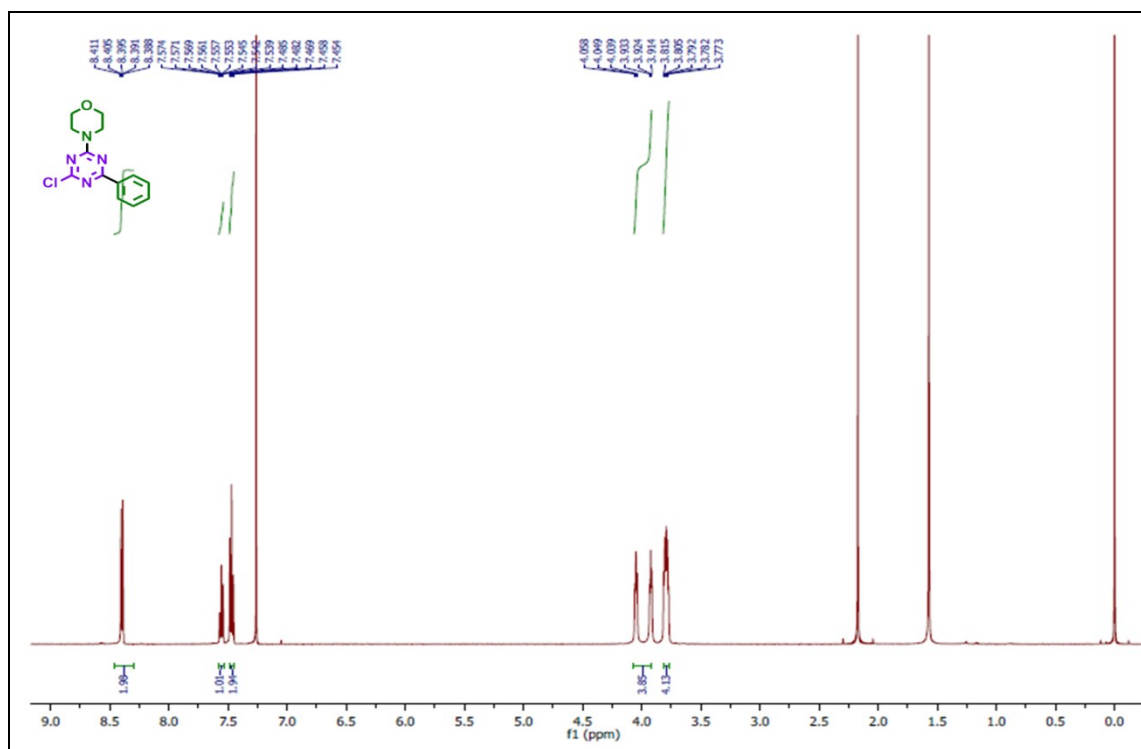


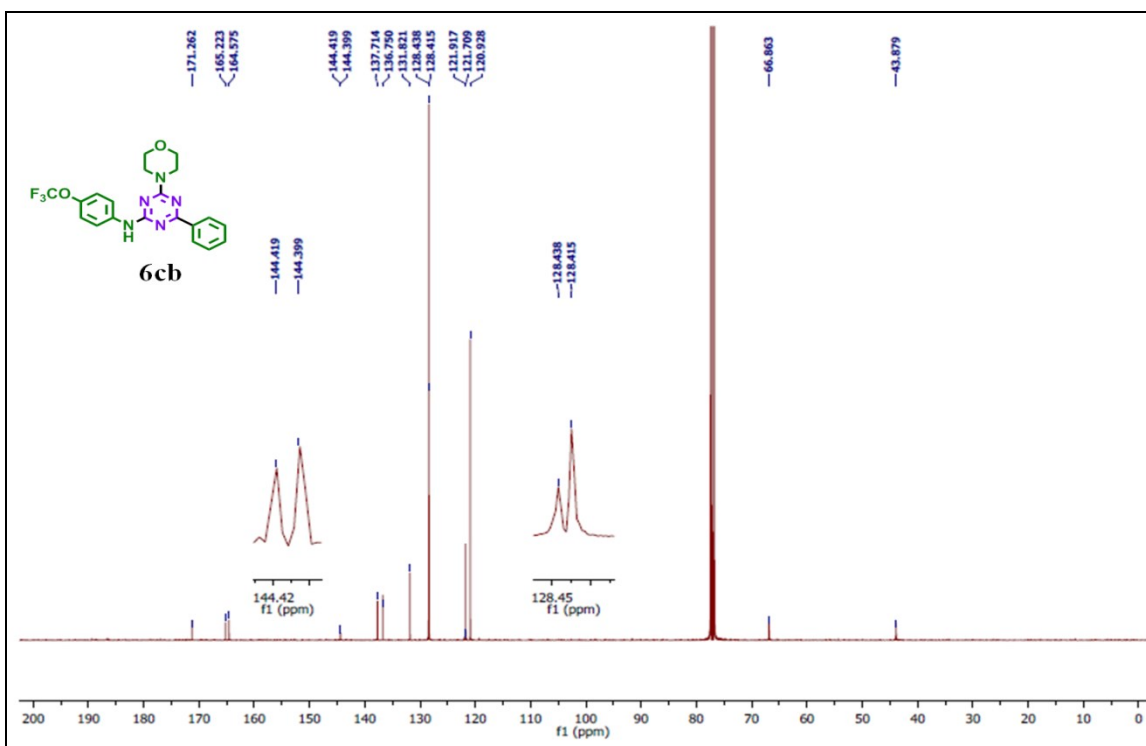
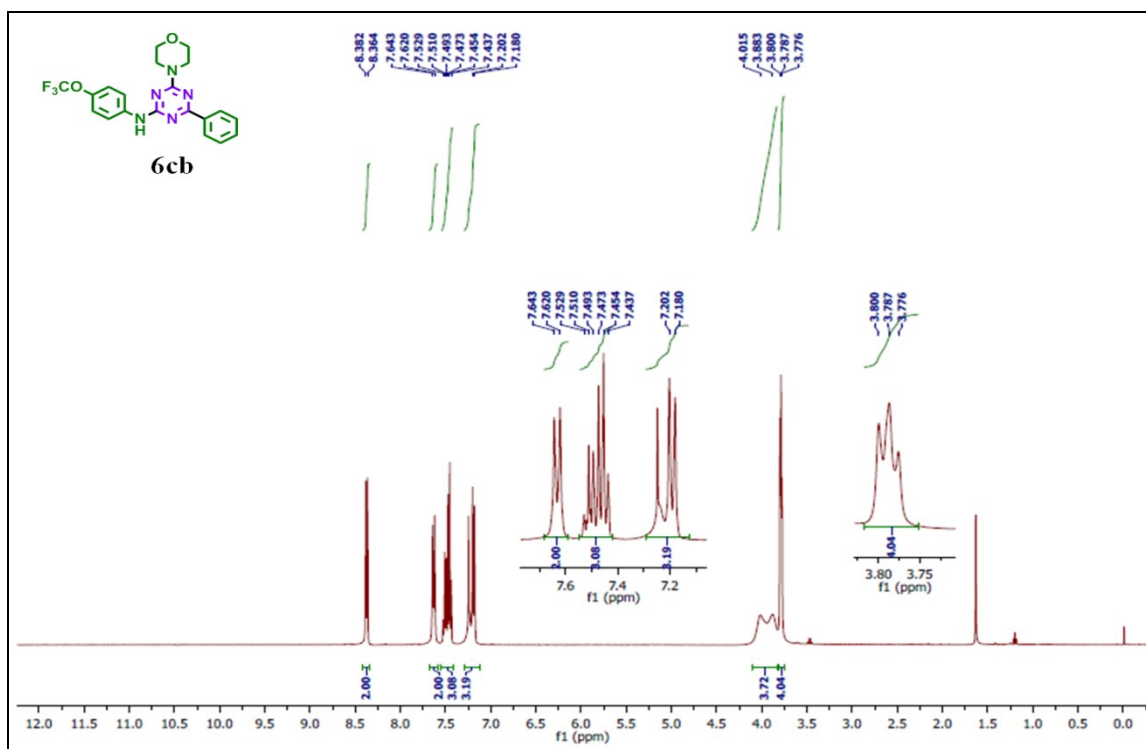












## VI. X-ray crystallography data for Pd-PEPPSI complex, C6

**Table 2.** Crystal data and structure refinement.

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| Empirical formula               | C <sub>46</sub> H <sub>62</sub> Cl <sub>3</sub> N <sub>3</sub> Pd |
| Formula weight                  | 869.73                                                            |
| Temperature                     | 296(2) K                                                          |
| Wavelength                      | 0.71073 Å                                                         |
| Crystal system                  | Monoclinic                                                        |
| Space group                     | P2 <sub>1</sub> /n                                                |
| Unit cell dimensions            | a = 18.9613(9) Å      a = 90°.                                    |
| b = 9.3523(4) Å                 | b = 91.116(2)°.                                                   |
| c = 26.6508(12) Å               | g = 90°.                                                          |
| Volume                          | 4725.1(4) Å <sup>3</sup>                                          |
| Z                               | 4                                                                 |
| Density (calculated)            | 1.223 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>                                           |
| Absorption coefficient          | 0.594 mm <sup>-1</sup>                                            |
| F(000)                          | 1824                                                              |
| Crystal size                    | 0.200 x 0.150 x 0.150 mm <sup>3</sup>                             |
| Theta range for data collection | 2.149 to 25.000°.                                                 |
| Index ranges                    | -22 ≤ h ≤ 22, -11 ≤ k ≤ 11, -<br>31 ≤ l ≤ 31                      |
| Reflections collected           | 60323                                                             |
| Independent reflections         | 8307 [R(int) = 0.0764]                                            |
| Completeness to theta = 25.000° | 100.0 %                                                           |
| Absorption correction           | Semi-empirical from equivalents                                   |
| Max. and min. transmission      | 0.7453 and 0.6238                                                 |
| Refinement method               | Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>                       |
| Data / restraints / parameters  | 8307 / 294 / 601                                                  |

|                                      |                                    |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Goodness-of-fit on F2                | 1.052                              |
| Final R indices [ $I > 2\sigma(I)$ ] | R1 = 0.0535, wR2 = 0.1151          |
| R indices (all data)                 | R1 = 0.0966, wR2 = 0.1440          |
| Extinction coefficient               | 0.00137(17)                        |
| Largest diff. peak and hole          | 0.594 and -1.046 e.Å <sup>-3</sup> |

**Table 3.** Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for **C6**.  $U(\text{eq})$  is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U_{ij}$  tensor.

|       | <b>X</b> | <b>y</b> | <b>z</b> | <b>U(eq)</b> |
|-------|----------|----------|----------|--------------|
| Pd(1) | 6672(1)  | 7884(1)  | 5265(1)  | 53(1)        |
| Cl(1) | 7724(1)  | 9024(2)  | 5137(1)  | 90(1)        |
| Cl(2) | 5698(1)  | 6465(1)  | 5410(1)  | 75(1)        |
| Cl(3) | 4406(1)  | 11187(2) | 6007(1)  | 132(1)       |
| C(1)  | 5185(3)  | 11218(6) | 5681(2)  | 75(2)        |
| C(2)  | 5456(4)  | 12465(6) | 5508(3)  | 80(2)        |
| C(3)  | 6062(4)  | 12404(6) | 5254(3)  | 84(2)        |
| C(4)  | 6390(3)  | 11102(6) | 5181(2)  | 80(2)        |
| C(5)  | 5526(3)  | 9941(6)  | 5597(2)  | 69(2)        |
| C(6)  | 7903(3)  | 4246(5)  | 5357(2)  | 57(1)        |
| C(7)  | 7833(3)  | 4352(5)  | 4843(2)  | 57(1)        |
| C(8)  | 8179(3)  | 3391(6)  | 4536(2)  | 72(2)        |
| C(9)  | 8600(3)  | 2349(6)  | 4748(3)  | 75(2)        |
| C(10) | 8685(3)  | 2268(6)  | 5270(3)  | 71(2)        |
| C(11) | 8334(3)  | 3209(6)  | 5577(2)  | 72(2)        |
| C(12) | 9172(3)  | 1160(6)  | 5510(3)  | 102(2)       |
| C(13) | 8956(4)  | 1278(7)  | 4413(3)  | 113(3)       |
| C(14) | 7195(3)  | 6264(6)  | 4272(2)  | 73(2)        |
| C(15) | 7441(3)  | 5515(6)  | 3810(2)  | 70(2)        |
| C(16) | 8087(4)  | 5869(7)  | 3597(2)  | 82(2)        |

|        |          |          |          |         |
|--------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
| C(17)  | 8301(4)  | 5113(8)  | 3176(3)  | 102(2)  |
| C(18)  | 7900(5)  | 4027(8)  | 2967(3)  | 103(2)  |
| C(19)  | 7269(4)  | 3725(7)  | 3178(2)  | 97(2)   |
| C(20)  | 7028(4)  | 4418(6)  | 3597(2)  | 77(2)   |
| C(21)  | 6327(4)  | 3984(8)  | 3818(3)  | 96(2)   |
| C(22)  | 5712(4)  | 4723(9)  | 3549(3)  | 126(3)  |
| C(23)  | 6225(6)  | 2390(9)  | 3833(4)  | 169(4)  |
| C(24)  | 8583(12) | 6920(20) | 3864(11) | 124(6)  |
| C(25)  | 8589(16) | 8230(30) | 3539(12) | 151(9)  |
| C(26)  | 9306(12) | 6210(20) | 3922(14) | 153(8)  |
| C(24') | 8554(13) | 7130(20) | 3781(9)  | 122(6)  |
| C(25') | 8935(17) | 8040(30) | 3395(10) | 155(8)  |
| C(26') | 9078(15) | 6690(30) | 4205(10) | 151(8)  |
| C(27)  | 8155(14) | 3120(20) | 2528(6)  | 156(5)  |
| C(28)  | 8633(17) | 1940(30) | 2712(8)  | 181(9)  |
| C(29)  | 8380(20) | 4010(30) | 2107(11) | 187(9)  |
| C(27') | 8200(20) | 3210(50) | 2522(11) | 161(8)  |
| C(28') | 8940(20) | 2700(70) | 2584(17) | 177(11) |
| C(29') | 7990(30) | 3880(60) | 2033(15) | 173(11) |
| C(30)  | 7317(4)  | 5676(7)  | 6085(2)  | 91(2)   |
| C(31)  | 7809(4)  | 5023(7)  | 6477(2)  | 81(2)   |
| C(32)  | 8435(5)  | 5698(7)  | 6596(3)  | 98(2)   |
| C(33)  | 8863(5)  | 5101(9)  | 6977(3)  | 118(3)  |
| C(34)  | 8677(5)  | 3868(9)  | 7219(3)  | 111(3)  |
| C(35)  | 8061(4)  | 3238(8)  | 7087(3)  | 102(2)  |
| C(36)  | 7608(4)  | 3771(8)  | 6713(2)  | 90(2)   |
| C(37)  | 6957(5)  | 2916(12) | 6560(3)  | 126(3)  |
| C(38)  | 6333(6)  | 3270(15) | 6874(4)  | 203(6)  |
| C(39)  | 7077(6)  | 1323(12) | 6531(4)  | 188(5)  |

|        |          |          |          |         |
|--------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
| C(40)  | 9296(12) | 3200(20) | 7544(8)  | 167(7)  |
| C(41)  | 9024(12) | 3130(30) | 8056(9)  | 186(9)  |
| C(42)  | 9529(8)  | 1768(18) | 7369(5)  | 170(7)  |
| C(40') | 9092(15) | 3070(40) | 7647(10) | 144(8)  |
| C(41') | 8686(17) | 2610(40) | 8092(13) | 142(9)  |
| C(42') | 9693(15) | 4010(30) | 7831(12) | 184(11) |
| C(43)  | 8770(20) | 6970(30) | 6337(12) | 133(7)  |
| C(44)  | 9220(20) | 6630(40) | 5876(12) | 136(9)  |
| C(45)  | 9190(30) | 8080(30) | 6636(11) | 162(9)  |
| C(43') | 8594(12) | 7077(16) | 6330(8)  | 122(5)  |
| C(44') | 9322(13) | 6910(30) | 6119(11) | 171(8)  |
| C(45') | 8572(16) | 8337(16) | 6671(6)  | 141(7)  |
| C(46)  | 7212(2)  | 6141(5)  | 5185(2)  | 49(1)   |
| N(1)   | 6118(2)  | 9864(4)  | 5354(2)  | 61(1)   |
| N(2)   | 7500(2)  | 5356(4)  | 5559(2)  | 58(1)   |
| N(3)   | 7406(2)  | 5553(4)  | 4749(2)  | 53(1)   |

**Table 4.** Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°]

|             |            |
|-------------|------------|
| Pd(1)-C(46) | 1.939(5)   |
| Pd(1)-N(1)  | 2.144(4)   |
| Pd(1)-Cl(1) | 2.2939(15) |
| Pd(1)-Cl(2) | 2.3139(14) |
| Cl(3)-C(1)  | 1.729(6)   |
| C(1)-C(2)   | 1.358(8)   |
| C(1)-C(5)   | 1.378(7)   |
| C(2)-C(3)   | 1.347(8)   |
| C(3)-C(4)   | 1.383(8)   |
| C(4)-N(1)   | 1.351(7)   |
| C(5)-N(1)   | 1.309(7)   |

|               |           |
|---------------|-----------|
| C(6)-C(7)     | 1.377(7)  |
| C(6)-C(11)    | 1.390(7)  |
| C(6)-N(2)     | 1.401(6)  |
| C(7)-C(8)     | 1.389(7)  |
| C(7)-N(3)     | 1.405(6)  |
| C(8)-C(9)     | 1.375(8)  |
| C(9)-C(10)    | 1.398(8)  |
| C(9)-C(13)    | 1.512(8)  |
| C(10)-C(11)   | 1.382(8)  |
| C(10)-C(12)   | 1.521(8)  |
| C(14)-N(3)    | 1.484(6)  |
| C(14)-C(15)   | 1.499(7)  |
| C(15)-C(16)   | 1.400(8)  |
| C(15)-C(20)   | 1.403(8)  |
| C(16)-C(17)   | 1.394(8)  |
| C(16)-C(24)   | 1.528(15) |
| C(16)-C(24')  | 1.546(14) |
| C(17)-C(18)   | 1.381(9)  |
| C(18)-C(19)   | 1.362(9)  |
| C(18)-C(27')  | 1.528(17) |
| C(18)-C(27)   | 1.530(12) |
| C(19)-C(20)   | 1.377(8)  |
| C(20)-C(21)   | 1.519(9)  |
| C(21)-C(23)   | 1.504(10) |
| C(21)-C(22)   | 1.524(10) |
| C(24)-C(25)   | 1.493(17) |
| C(24)-C(26)   | 1.532(19) |
| C(24')-C(25') | 1.531(18) |
| C(24')-C(26') | 1.546(17) |

|               |           |
|---------------|-----------|
| C(27)-C(29)   | 1.466(17) |
| C(27)-C(28)   | 1.505(16) |
| C(27')-C(29') | 1.495(19) |
| C(27')-C(28') | 1.50(2)   |
| C(30)-N(2)    | 1.481(6)  |
| C(30)-C(31)   | 1.516(8)  |
| C(31)-C(32)   | 1.377(9)  |
| C(31)-C(36)   | 1.387(9)  |
| C(32)-C(33)   | 1.402(9)  |
| C(32)-C(43')  | 1.505(13) |
| C(32)-C(43)   | 1.519(16) |
| C(33)-C(34)   | 1.371(10) |
| C(34)-C(35)   | 1.350(10) |
| C(34)-C(40')  | 1.564(17) |
| C(34)-C(40)   | 1.575(14) |
| C(35)-C(36)   | 1.394(9)  |
| C(36)-C(37)   | 1.521(11) |
| C(37)-C(38)   | 1.498(12) |
| C(37)-C(39)   | 1.509(13) |
| C(40)-C(41)   | 1.470(16) |
| C(40)-C(42)   | 1.486(16) |
| C(40')-C(41') | 1.488(19) |
| C(40')-C(42') | 1.511(19) |
| C(43)-C(45)   | 1.523(19) |
| C(43)-C(44)   | 1.545(19) |
| C(43')-C(45') | 1.490(16) |
| C(43')-C(44') | 1.509(17) |
| C(46)-N(3)    | 1.342(6)  |
| C(46)-N(2)    | 1.346(6)  |

|                   |            |
|-------------------|------------|
| C(46)-Pd(1)-N(1)  | 177.45(19) |
| C(46)-Pd(1)-Cl(1) | 84.93(14)  |
| N(1)-Pd(1)-Cl(1)  | 92.54(13)  |
| C(46)-Pd(1)-Cl(2) | 87.77(14)  |
| N(1)-Pd(1)-Cl(2)  | 94.74(13)  |
| Cl(1)-Pd(1)-Cl(2) | 172.47(6)  |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(5)    | 120.5(6)   |
| C(2)-C(1)-Cl(3)   | 121.2(5)   |
| C(5)-C(1)-Cl(3)   | 118.4(5)   |
| C(3)-C(2)-C(1)    | 117.8(6)   |
| C(2)-C(3)-C(4)    | 119.8(6)   |
| N(1)-C(4)-C(3)    | 122.1(6)   |
| N(1)-C(5)-C(1)    | 122.5(5)   |
| C(7)-C(6)-C(11)   | 120.9(5)   |
| C(7)-C(6)-N(2)    | 106.5(4)   |
| C(11)-C(6)-N(2)   | 132.5(5)   |
| C(6)-C(7)-C(8)    | 120.2(5)   |
| C(6)-C(7)-N(3)    | 106.2(4)   |
| C(8)-C(7)-N(3)    | 133.5(5)   |
| C(9)-C(8)-C(7)    | 119.4(6)   |
| C(8)-C(9)-C(10)   | 120.2(5)   |
| C(8)-C(9)-C(13)   | 119.2(7)   |
| C(10)-C(9)-C(13)  | 120.5(6)   |
| C(11)-C(10)-C(9)  | 120.4(5)   |
| C(11)-C(10)-C(12) | 118.7(6)   |
| C(9)-C(10)-C(12)  | 120.8(6)   |
| C(10)-C(11)-C(6)  | 118.7(6)   |
| N(3)-C(14)-C(15)  | 114.3(4)   |
| C(16)-C(15)-C(20) | 119.7(5)   |

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| C(16)-C(15)-C(14)    | 120.7(5)  |
| C(20)-C(15)-C(14)    | 119.6(6)  |
| C(17)-C(16)-C(15)    | 118.5(6)  |
| C(17)-C(16)-C(24)    | 121.0(13) |
| C(15)-C(16)-C(24)    | 120.0(13) |
| C(17)-C(16)-C(24')   | 117.9(12) |
| C(15)-C(16)-C(24')   | 123.5(12) |
| C(18)-C(17)-C(16)    | 122.1(7)  |
| C(19)-C(18)-C(17)    | 117.9(6)  |
| C(19)-C(18)-C(27')   | 124(2)    |
| C(17)-C(18)-C(27')   | 118(2)    |
| C(19)-C(18)-C(27)    | 119.7(12) |
| C(17)-C(18)-C(27)    | 122.4(13) |
| C(18)-C(19)-C(20)    | 123.1(7)  |
| C(19)-C(20)-C(15)    | 118.8(6)  |
| C(19)-C(20)-C(21)    | 119.6(6)  |
| C(15)-C(20)-C(21)    | 121.6(6)  |
| C(23)-C(21)-C(20)    | 113.0(7)  |
| C(23)-C(21)-C(22)    | 111.4(8)  |
| C(20)-C(21)-C(22)    | 111.3(6)  |
| C(25)-C(24)-C(16)    | 106(2)    |
| C(25)-C(24)-C(26)    | 113.6(17) |
| C(16)-C(24)-C(26)    | 107.7(17) |
| C(25')-C(24')-C(26') | 109.5(15) |
| C(25')-C(24')-C(16)  | 119(2)    |
| C(26')-C(24')-C(16)  | 112.8(16) |
| C(29)-C(27)-C(28)    | 118.9(15) |
| C(29)-C(27)-C(18)    | 112(2)    |
| C(28)-C(27)-C(18)    | 110.8(14) |

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| C(29')-C(27')-C(28') | 118(2)    |
| C(29')-C(27')-C(18)  | 112(3)    |
| C(28')-C(27')-C(18)  | 116(3)    |
| N(2)-C(30)-C(31)     | 114.8(5)  |
| C(32)-C(31)-C(36)    | 121.8(6)  |
| C(32)-C(31)-C(30)    | 119.4(7)  |
| C(36)-C(31)-C(30)    | 118.9(7)  |
| C(31)-C(32)-C(33)    | 117.9(7)  |
| C(31)-C(32)-C(43')   | 117.6(10) |
| C(33)-C(32)-C(43')   | 124.3(11) |
| C(31)-C(32)-C(43)    | 128.1(17) |
| C(33)-C(32)-C(43)    | 113.7(18) |
| C(34)-C(33)-C(32)    | 121.7(8)  |
| C(35)-C(34)-C(33)    | 118.3(7)  |
| C(35)-C(34)-C(40')   | 113.7(13) |
| C(33)-C(34)-C(40')   | 128.0(14) |
| C(35)-C(34)-C(40)    | 127.0(11) |
| C(33)-C(34)-C(40)    | 113.5(12) |
| C(34)-C(35)-C(36)    | 123.2(7)  |
| C(31)-C(36)-C(35)    | 117.1(7)  |
| C(31)-C(36)-C(37)    | 123.4(7)  |
| C(35)-C(36)-C(37)    | 119.3(7)  |
| C(38)-C(37)-C(39)    | 111.6(10) |
| C(38)-C(37)-C(36)    | 112.3(9)  |
| C(39)-C(37)-C(36)    | 114.2(8)  |
| C(41)-C(40)-C(42)    | 111.2(17) |
| C(41)-C(40)-C(34)    | 104.9(18) |
| C(42)-C(40)-C(34)    | 114.1(13) |
| C(41')-C(40')-C(42') | 108(2)    |

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| C(41')-C(40')-C(34)  | 117(2)    |
| C(42')-C(40')-C(34)  | 108.9(19) |
| C(32)-C(43)-C(45)    | 121(2)    |
| C(32)-C(43)-C(44)    | 116(3)    |
| C(45)-C(43)-C(44)    | 105.0(18) |
| C(45')-C(43')-C(32)  | 112.5(14) |
| C(45')-C(43')-C(44') | 110.2(15) |
| C(32)-C(43')-C(44')  | 106.3(17) |
| N(3)-C(46)-N(2)      | 107.6(4)  |
| N(3)-C(46)-Pd(1)     | 126.5(4)  |
| N(2)-C(46)-Pd(1)     | 125.8(4)  |
| C(5)-N(1)-C(4)       | 117.2(5)  |
| C(5)-N(1)-Pd(1)      | 121.9(4)  |
| C(4)-N(1)-Pd(1)      | 120.8(4)  |
| C(46)-N(2)-C(6)      | 109.7(4)  |
| C(46)-N(2)-C(30)     | 119.4(4)  |
| C(6)-N(2)-C(30)      | 130.6(4)  |
| C(46)-N(3)-C(7)      | 109.9(4)  |
| C(46)-N(3)-C(14)     | 118.9(4)  |
| C(7)-N(3)-C(14)      | 131.1(4)  |

Symmetry transformations are used to generate equivalent atoms

**Table 5.** Anisotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ). The anisotropic displacement factor exponent takes the form:  $-2\pi^2 [h^2 a^{*2} U^{11} + \dots + 2 h k a^* b^* U^{12}]$ .

|       | $U^{11}$ | $U^{22}$ | $U^{33}$ | $U^{23}$ | $U^{13}$ | $U^{12}$ |
|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Pd(1) | 60(1)    | 42(1)    | 56(1)    | -1(1)    | 0(1)     | 2(1)     |
| Cl(1) | 68(1)    | 61(1)    | 142(2)   | -9(1)    | 14(1)    | -17(1)   |
| Cl(2) | 62(1)    | 47(1)    | 118(1)   | 8(1)     | 7(1)     | -3(1)    |

|        |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Cl(3)  | 120(2)  | 81(1)   | 198(2)  | 3(1)    | 73(2)   | 21(1)   |
| C(1)   | 77(4)   | 57(4)   | 92(5)   | -3(3)   | 9(3)    | 10(3)   |
| C(2)   | 97(5)   | 47(3)   | 97(5)   | 1(3)    | -5(4)   | 14(3)   |
| C(3)   | 101(5)  | 50(4)   | 103(5)  | 15(3)   | 6(4)    | 4(3)    |
| C(4)   | 91(4)   | 59(4)   | 90(5)   | 16(3)   | 16(4)   | 3(3)    |
| C(5)   | 81(4)   | 52(3)   | 75(4)   | -1(3)   | 11(3)   | 2(3)    |
| C(6)   | 59(3)   | 47(3)   | 65(4)   | -5(3)   | 0(3)    | 6(2)    |
| C(7)   | 62(3)   | 44(3)   | 65(4)   | -4(3)   | 4(3)    | 4(2)    |
| C(8)   | 97(4)   | 48(3)   | 72(4)   | -2(3)   | 12(3)   | 10(3)   |
| C(9)   | 79(4)   | 44(3)   | 102(5)  | -4(3)   | 28(4)   | 4(3)    |
| C(10)  | 58(3)   | 43(3)   | 111(5)  | -2(3)   | -1(3)   | 3(3)    |
| C(11)  | 78(4)   | 60(4)   | 76(4)   | -1(3)   | -10(3)  | 17(3)   |
| C(12)  | 75(4)   | 57(4)   | 172(7)  | -5(4)   | -30(4)  | 17(3)   |
| C(13)  | 142(7)  | 61(4)   | 137(7)  | 3(4)    | 58(5)   | 33(4)   |
| C(14)  | 106(5)  | 59(3)   | 53(3)   | 2(3)    | 1(3)    | 13(3)   |
| C(15)  | 99(5)   | 57(3)   | 53(3)   | -4(3)   | 8(3)    | 1(3)    |
| C(16)  | 95(5)   | 76(4)   | 76(4)   | -15(3)  | 10(4)   | -13(4)  |
| C(17)  | 119(6)  | 101(5)  | 87(5)   | -13(4)  | 44(4)   | -15(5)  |
| C(18)  | 152(7)  | 85(5)   | 74(5)   | -23(4)  | 36(5)   | -19(5)  |
| C(19)  | 135(6)  | 84(5)   | 74(5)   | -14(4)  | 19(4)   | -26(5)  |
| C(20)  | 108(5)  | 65(4)   | 58(4)   | 3(3)    | 13(3)   | -11(4)  |
| C(21)  | 106(5)  | 89(5)   | 94(5)   | 12(4)   | 14(4)   | -21(4)  |
| C(22)  | 113(6)  | 140(7)  | 125(7)  | 15(6)   | 5(5)    | -32(6)  |
| C(23)  | 197(11) | 107(7)  | 205(11) | 33(7)   | 60(9)   | -45(7)  |
| C(24)  | 128(11) | 118(11) | 128(12) | -27(10) | 27(10)  | -40(10) |
| C(25)  | 178(19) | 106(13) | 170(18) | -26(13) | 31(16)  | -75(15) |
| C(26)  | 136(15) | 154(16) | 169(18) | -49(14) | -18(14) | -56(13) |
| C(24') | 130(11) | 120(12) | 117(11) | -26(11) | 14(10)  | -40(10) |
| C(25') | 170(18) | 109(13) | 186(17) | -3(13)  | 54(14)  | -62(14) |

|        |         |         |         |         |          |         |
|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------|
| C(26') | 149(16) | 154(16) | 151(17) | -28(14) | -9(14)   | -57(14) |
| C(27)  | 227(13) | 147(11) | 97(9)   | -34(8)  | 77(9)    | -17(10) |
| C(28)  | 234(19) | 147(16) | 164(14) | -59(12) | 71(13)   | 31(14)  |
| C(29)  | 240(20) | 201(15) | 122(14) | -25(12) | 103(15)  | -43(17) |
| C(27') | 229(16) | 154(14) | 103(13) | -35(13) | 77(13)   | -9(14)  |
| C(28') | 220(20) | 170(20) | 144(19) | -32(19) | 68(19)   | 20(20)  |
| C(29') | 230(20) | 210(20) | 85(15)  | -53(16) | 80(20)   | -30(20) |
| C(30)  | 119(5)  | 106(5)  | 47(3)   | 2(3)    | -3(3)    | 48(4)   |
| C(31)  | 115(5)  | 76(4)   | 53(4)   | -2(3)   | -15(4)   | 24(4)   |
| C(32)  | 152(7)  | 69(4)   | 73(5)   | 10(4)   | -25(5)   | 0(5)    |
| C(33)  | 149(7)  | 108(6)  | 97(6)   | 17(5)   | -45(5)   | -28(6)  |
| C(34)  | 144(7)  | 99(6)   | 89(5)   | 20(5)   | -51(5)   | -1(5)   |
| C(35)  | 135(7)  | 86(5)   | 84(5)   | 22(4)   | -20(5)   | -3(5)   |
| C(36)  | 115(6)  | 90(5)   | 65(4)   | -1(4)   | -16(4)   | 11(4)   |
| C(37)  | 117(7)  | 160(9)  | 100(6)  | 9(6)    | -13(5)   | -19(7)  |
| C(38)  | 145(10) | 306(17) | 159(10) | -11(11) | 31(8)    | -44(11) |
| C(39)  | 223(13) | 150(10) | 190(12) | -19(9)  | -24(9)   | -63(10) |
| C(40)  | 220(15) | 158(11) | 119(11) | 75(9)   | -77(11)  | -36(12) |
| C(41)  | 200(20) | 199(19) | 159(14) | 39(15)  | -39(16)  | 45(15)  |
| C(42)  | 190(14) | 181(15) | 136(12) | 26(11)  | -28(10)  | 104(12) |
| C(40') | 171(16) | 178(14) | 81(12)  | 77(12)  | -64(13)  | -16(13) |
| C(41') | 150(20) | 158(19) | 119(15) | 90(14)  | -39(16)  | -28(16) |
| C(42') | 190(20) | 200(20) | 154(19) | 76(17)  | -104(17) | -29(18) |
| C(43)  | 178(16) | 106(12) | 115(12) | 16(11)  | -17(13)  | -24(13) |
| C(44)  | 165(18) | 122(16) | 121(19) | -7(15)  | -20(16)  | -39(14) |
| C(45)  | 230(20) | 110(15) | 145(16) | 9(13)   | -6(19)   | -47(17) |
| C(43') | 164(12) | 93(8)   | 109(9)  | 15(8)   | -20(9)   | -19(9)  |
| C(44') | 201(16) | 147(15) | 166(18) | 29(15)  | 3(16)    | -56(14) |
| C(45') | 228(19) | 78(9)   | 117(10) | 10(8)   | -19(13)  | -42(12) |

|       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| C(46) | 55(3) | 42(3) | 51(3) | -4(2) | 1(2)  | -3(2) |
| N(1)  | 75(3) | 46(3) | 62(3) | 1(2)  | -1(2) | 5(2)  |
| N(2)  | 69(3) | 56(3) | 50(3) | -3(2) | -4(2) | 13(2) |
| N(3)  | 63(3) | 47(2) | 50(2) | -3(2) | 2(2)  | 4(2)  |

**Table 6.** Hydrogen coordinates (  $\times 10^4$ ) and isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ) for **C6**.

|        | x    | y     | z    | U(eq) |
|--------|------|-------|------|-------|
| H(2)   | 5231 | 13332 | 5564 | 97    |
| H(3)   | 6260 | 13237 | 5127 | 101   |
| H(4)   | 6811 | 11077 | 5009 | 96    |
| H(5)   | 5329 | 9103  | 5719 | 83    |
| H(8)   | 8126 | 3452  | 4189 | 87    |
| H(11)  | 8385 | 3150  | 5924 | 86    |
| H(12A) | 9650 | 1359  | 5420 | 153   |
| H(12B) | 9042 | 224   | 5392 | 153   |
| H(12C) | 9132 | 1198  | 5868 | 153   |
| H(13A) | 8831 | 1473  | 4069 | 169   |
| H(13B) | 8807 | 330   | 4498 | 169   |
| H(13C) | 9459 | 1351  | 4458 | 169   |
| H(14A) | 7381 | 7230  | 4274 | 87    |
| H(14B) | 6684 | 6332  | 4256 | 87    |
| H(17)  | 8729 | 5346  | 3032 | 122   |
| H(19)  | 6987 | 3017  | 3033 | 117   |
| H(21)  | 6331 | 4321  | 4166 | 115   |
| H(22A) | 5706 | 4461  | 3200 | 189   |
| H(22B) | 5764 | 5740  | 3579 | 189   |
| H(22C) | 5277 | 4433  | 3697 | 189   |
| H(23A) | 6087 | 2053  | 3506 | 253   |

|        |      |      |      |     |
|--------|------|------|------|-----|
| H(23B) | 5864 | 2160 | 4068 | 253 |
| H(23C) | 6659 | 1938 | 3936 | 253 |
| H(24)  | 8400 | 7165 | 4195 | 149 |
| H(25A) | 8894 | 8934 | 3689 | 227 |
| H(25B) | 8757 | 7978 | 3213 | 227 |
| H(25C) | 8119 | 8604 | 3508 | 227 |
| H(26A) | 9266 | 5380 | 4133 | 230 |
| H(26B) | 9468 | 5919 | 3598 | 230 |
| H(26C) | 9635 | 6867 | 4070 | 230 |
| H(24') | 8225 | 7788 | 3941 | 146 |
| H(25D) | 8609 | 8313 | 3131 | 232 |
| H(25E) | 9120 | 8887 | 3555 | 232 |
| H(25F) | 9315 | 7504 | 3256 | 232 |
| H(26D) | 8839 | 6120 | 4448 | 227 |
| H(26E) | 9458 | 6154 | 4066 | 227 |
| H(26F) | 9263 | 7537 | 4365 | 227 |
| H(27)  | 7731 | 2630 | 2402 | 187 |
| H(28A) | 8418 | 1455 | 2986 | 271 |
| H(28B) | 8711 | 1276 | 2444 | 271 |
| H(28C) | 9077 | 2340 | 2822 | 271 |
| H(29A) | 8023 | 4714 | 2033 | 280 |
| H(29B) | 8814 | 4484 | 2196 | 280 |
| H(29C) | 8448 | 3421 | 1818 | 280 |
| H(27') | 7927 | 2318 | 2522 | 193 |
| H(28D) | 9010 | 2298 | 2913 | 266 |
| H(28E) | 9038 | 1988 | 2336 | 266 |
| H(28F) | 9260 | 3493 | 2544 | 266 |
| H(29D) | 7498 | 4155 | 2042 | 259 |
| H(29E) | 8271 | 4707 | 1975 | 259 |

|        |       |      |      |     |
|--------|-------|------|------|-----|
| H(29F) | 8050  | 3202 | 1766 | 259 |
| H(30A) | 6843  | 5335 | 6142 | 109 |
| H(30B) | 7316  | 6705 | 6129 | 109 |
| H(33)  | 9284  | 5552 | 7067 | 142 |
| H(35)  | 7932  | 2406 | 7253 | 122 |
| H(37)  | 6832  | 3223 | 6218 | 151 |
| H(38A) | 5932  | 2730 | 6757 | 305 |
| H(38B) | 6232  | 4273 | 6847 | 305 |
| H(38C) | 6437  | 3032 | 7218 | 305 |
| H(39A) | 7238  | 977  | 6852 | 282 |
| H(39B) | 7427  | 1124 | 6284 | 282 |
| H(39C) | 6644  | 855  | 6438 | 282 |
| H(40)  | 9700  | 3851 | 7542 | 200 |
| H(41A) | 8588  | 2605 | 8053 | 280 |
| H(41B) | 8946  | 4077 | 8179 | 280 |
| H(41C) | 9362  | 2649 | 8271 | 280 |
| H(42A) | 9923  | 1452 | 7571 | 254 |
| H(42B) | 9666  | 1830 | 7024 | 254 |
| H(42C) | 9148  | 1098 | 7397 | 254 |
| H(40') | 9299  | 2209 | 7500 | 173 |
| H(41D) | 9002  | 2500 | 8375 | 212 |
| H(41E) | 8458  | 1714 | 8021 | 212 |
| H(41F) | 8337  | 3319 | 8166 | 212 |
| H(42D) | 9525  | 4963 | 7878 | 276 |
| H(42E) | 10060 | 4005 | 7588 | 276 |
| H(42F) | 9875  | 3642 | 8144 | 276 |
| H(43)  | 8364  | 7509 | 6199 | 160 |
| H(44A) | 9404  | 7509 | 5742 | 204 |
| H(44B) | 9605  | 6022 | 5976 | 204 |

|        |      |      |      |     |
|--------|------|------|------|-----|
| H(44C) | 8935 | 6164 | 5625 | 204 |
| H(45A) | 9358 | 8801 | 6413 | 243 |
| H(45B) | 8893 | 8508 | 6882 | 243 |
| H(45C) | 9583 | 7619 | 6801 | 243 |
| H(43') | 8252 | 7213 | 6054 | 147 |
| H(44D) | 9330 | 6098 | 5900 | 256 |
| H(44E) | 9441 | 7756 | 5934 | 256 |
| H(44F) | 9658 | 6778 | 6389 | 256 |
| H(45D) | 8676 | 9189 | 6486 | 212 |
| H(45E) | 8110 | 8416 | 6810 | 212 |
| H(45F) | 8915 | 8219 | 6938 | 212 |

**Table 7.** Torsion angles [°]

|                        |           |
|------------------------|-----------|
| C(5)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)    | 0.3(10)   |
| Cl(3)-C(1)-C(2)-C(3)   | -179.5(5) |
| C(1)-C(2)-C(3)-C(4)    | -0.7(10)  |
| C(2)-C(3)-C(4)-N(1)    | 0.8(10)   |
| C(2)-C(1)-C(5)-N(1)    | 0.1(10)   |
| Cl(3)-C(1)-C(5)-N(1)   | 179.9(5)  |
| C(11)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)   | 1.9(8)    |
| N(2)-C(6)-C(7)-C(8)    | 179.7(5)  |
| C(11)-C(6)-C(7)-N(3)   | -176.1(5) |
| N(2)-C(6)-C(7)-N(3)    | 1.7(5)    |
| C(6)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)    | -1.1(8)   |
| N(3)-C(7)-C(8)-C(9)    | 176.2(5)  |
| C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(10)   | -0.6(9)   |
| C(7)-C(8)-C(9)-C(13)   | 178.1(5)  |
| C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11)  | 1.6(9)    |
| C(13)-C(9)-C(10)-C(11) | -177.2(6) |

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|--------------------------|------------|
| C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(12)    | -177.5(5)  |
| C(13)-C(9)-C(10)-C(12)   | 3.8(9)     |
| C(9)-C(10)-C(11)-C(6)    | -0.8(9)    |
| C(12)-C(10)-C(11)-C(6)   | 178.3(5)   |
| C(7)-C(6)-C(11)-C(10)    | -0.9(8)    |
| N(2)-C(6)-C(11)-C(10)    | -178.1(5)  |
| N(3)-C(14)-C(15)-C(16)   | -91.4(7)   |
| N(3)-C(14)-C(15)-C(20)   | 86.7(7)    |
| C(20)-C(15)-C(16)-C(17)  | 0.1(10)    |
| C(14)-C(15)-C(16)-C(17)  | 178.2(6)   |
| C(20)-C(15)-C(16)-C(24)  | -172.2(13) |
| C(14)-C(15)-C(16)-C(24)  | 5.9(15)    |
| C(20)-C(15)-C(16)-C(24') | 175.5(12)  |
| C(14)-C(15)-C(16)-C(24') | -6.4(14)   |
| C(15)-C(16)-C(17)-C(18)  | -0.4(11)   |
| C(24)-C(16)-C(17)-C(18)  | 171.8(14)  |
| C(24')-C(16)-C(17)-C(18) | -176.1(13) |
| C(16)-C(17)-C(18)-C(19)  | 1.4(12)    |
| C(16)-C(17)-C(18)-C(27') | -176.8(19) |
| C(16)-C(17)-C(18)-C(27)  | -175.5(12) |
| C(17)-C(18)-C(19)-C(20)  | -2.1(12)   |
| C(27')-C(18)-C(19)-C(20) | 176(2)     |
| C(27)-C(18)-C(19)-C(20)  | 174.9(12)  |
| C(18)-C(19)-C(20)-C(15)  | 1.8(11)    |
| C(18)-C(19)-C(20)-C(21)  | -178.2(7)  |
| C(16)-C(15)-C(20)-C(19)  | -0.7(9)    |
| C(14)-C(15)-C(20)-C(19)  | -178.9(6)  |
| C(16)-C(15)-C(20)-C(21)  | 179.3(6)   |
| C(14)-C(15)-C(20)-C(21)  | 1.1(9)     |

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| C(19)-C(20)-C(21)-C(23)   | 42.2(10)   |
| C(15)-C(20)-C(21)-C(23)   | -137.8(8)  |
| C(19)-C(20)-C(21)-C(22)   | -83.9(8)   |
| C(15)-C(20)-C(21)-C(22)   | 96.1(8)    |
| C(17)-C(16)-C(24)-C(25)   | 76(2)      |
| C(15)-C(16)-C(24)-C(25)   | -111.7(19) |
| C(17)-C(16)-C(24)-C(26)   | -45(3)     |
| C(15)-C(16)-C(24)-C(26)   | 127(2)     |
| C(17)-C(16)-C(24')-C(25') | 35(3)      |
| C(15)-C(16)-C(24')-C(25') | -141(2)    |
| C(17)-C(16)-C(24')-C(26') | -96(2)     |
| C(15)-C(16)-C(24')-C(26') | 89(2)      |
| C(19)-C(18)-C(27)-C(29)   | 130(2)     |
| C(17)-C(18)-C(27)-C(29)   | -53(3)     |
| C(19)-C(18)-C(27)-C(28)   | -95(2)     |
| C(17)-C(18)-C(27)-C(28)   | 82(2)      |
| C(19)-C(18)-C(27')-C(29') | 91(4)      |
| C(17)-C(18)-C(27')-C(29') | -91(4)     |
| C(19)-C(18)-C(27')-C(28') | -130(4)    |
| C(17)-C(18)-C(27')-C(28') | 48(5)      |
| N(2)-C(30)-C(31)-C(32)    | 81.9(8)    |
| N(2)-C(30)-C(31)-C(36)    | -99.3(7)   |
| C(36)-C(31)-C(32)-C(33)   | -1.5(11)   |
| C(30)-C(31)-C(32)-C(33)   | 177.1(7)   |
| C(36)-C(31)-C(32)-C(43')  | -178.0(11) |
| C(30)-C(31)-C(32)-C(43')  | 0.7(13)    |
| C(36)-C(31)-C(32)-C(43)   | 172.9(19)  |
| C(30)-C(31)-C(32)-C(43)   | -8(2)      |
| C(31)-C(32)-C(33)-C(34)   | 1.2(13)    |

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|---------------------------|------------|
| C(43')-C(32)-C(33)-C(34)  | 177.4(12)  |
| C(43)-C(32)-C(33)-C(34)   | -174.0(16) |
| C(32)-C(33)-C(34)-C(35)   | -0.7(14)   |
| C(32)-C(33)-C(34)-C(40')  | 179.9(19)  |
| C(32)-C(33)-C(34)-C(40)   | 167.2(12)  |
| C(33)-C(34)-C(35)-C(36)   | 0.6(14)    |
| C(40')-C(34)-C(35)-C(36)  | -180.0(16) |
| C(40)-C(34)-C(35)-C(36)   | -165.6(13) |
| C(32)-C(31)-C(36)-C(35)   | 1.4(10)    |
| C(30)-C(31)-C(36)-C(35)   | -177.3(6)  |
| C(32)-C(31)-C(36)-C(37)   | -174.0(7)  |
| C(30)-C(31)-C(36)-C(37)   | 7.3(10)    |
| C(34)-C(35)-C(36)-C(31)   | -0.9(12)   |
| C(34)-C(35)-C(36)-C(37)   | 174.7(8)   |
| C(31)-C(36)-C(37)-C(38)   | -96.4(10)  |
| C(35)-C(36)-C(37)-C(38)   | 88.3(11)   |
| C(31)-C(36)-C(37)-C(39)   | 135.3(9)   |
| C(35)-C(36)-C(37)-C(39)   | -40.0(11)  |
| C(35)-C(34)-C(40)-C(41)   | -71(2)     |
| C(33)-C(34)-C(40)-C(41)   | 122.2(17)  |
| C(35)-C(34)-C(40)-C(42)   | 51(3)      |
| C(33)-C(34)-C(40)-C(42)   | -115.8(17) |
| C(35)-C(34)-C(40')-C(41') | -46(3)     |
| C(33)-C(34)-C(40')-C(41') | 133(3)     |
| C(35)-C(34)-C(40')-C(42') | -169(2)    |
| C(33)-C(34)-C(40')-C(42') | 10(3)      |
| C(31)-C(32)-C(43)-C(45)   | 146(3)     |
| C(33)-C(32)-C(43)-C(45)   | -40(4)     |
| C(31)-C(32)-C(43)-C(44)   | -85(4)     |

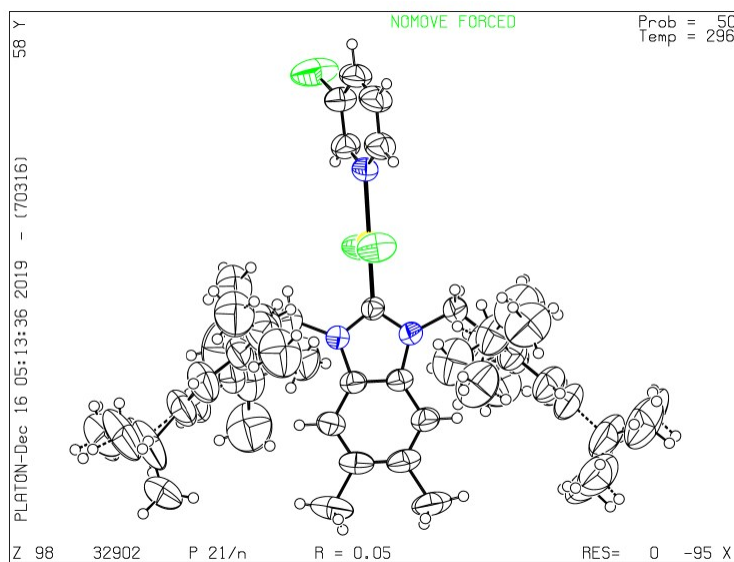
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| C(33)-C(32)-C(43)-C(44)   | 89(3)      |
| C(31)-C(32)-C(43')-C(45') | 110.9(18)  |
| C(33)-C(32)-C(43')-C(45') | -65(2)     |
| C(31)-C(32)-C(43')-C(44') | -128.4(17) |
| C(33)-C(32)-C(43')-C(44') | 55(2)      |
| C(1)-C(5)-N(1)-C(4)       | -0.1(9)    |
| C(1)-C(5)-N(1)-Pd(1)      | 176.4(4)   |
| C(3)-C(4)-N(1)-C(5)       | -0.3(9)    |
| C(3)-C(4)-N(1)-Pd(1)      | -176.9(5)  |
| N(3)-C(46)-N(2)-C(6)      | 1.2(5)     |
| Pd(1)-C(46)-N(2)-C(6)     | -174.7(3)  |
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| Pd(1)-C(46)-N(2)-C(30)    | 10.0(7)    |
| C(7)-C(6)-N(2)-C(46)      | -1.9(6)    |
| C(11)-C(6)-N(2)-C(46)     | 175.6(6)   |
| C(7)-C(6)-N(2)-C(30)      | 172.7(6)   |
| C(11)-C(6)-N(2)-C(30)     | -9.8(10)   |
| C(31)-C(30)-N(2)-C(46)    | -164.1(5)  |
| C(31)-C(30)-N(2)-C(6)     | 21.7(10)   |
| N(2)-C(46)-N(3)-C(7)      | -0.1(5)    |
| Pd(1)-C(46)-N(3)-C(7)     | 175.8(3)   |
| N(2)-C(46)-N(3)-C(14)     | -176.3(4)  |
| Pd(1)-C(46)-N(3)-C(14)    | -0.4(7)    |
| C(6)-C(7)-N(3)-C(46)      | -1.1(6)    |
| C(8)-C(7)-N(3)-C(46)      | -178.7(6)  |
| C(6)-C(7)-N(3)-C(14)      | 174.6(5)   |
| C(8)-C(7)-N(3)-C(14)      | -3.0(10)   |
| C(15)-C(14)-N(3)-C(46)    | 179.9(5)   |
| C(15)-C(14)-N(3)-C(7)     | 4.6(8)     |

**Table 8.** Hydrogen Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms bonds [ $\text{\AA}$  and  $^\circ$ ].

| D-H...A              | d(D-H) | d(H...A) | d(D...A) | <(DHA) |
|----------------------|--------|----------|----------|--------|
| C(4)-H(4)...Cl(1)    | 0.93   | 2.60     | 3.194(6) | 121.9  |
| C(5)-H(5)...Cl(2)    | 0.93   | 2.70     | 3.306(6) | 123.8  |
| C(14)-H(14A)...Cl(1) | 0.97   | 2.91     | 3.591(6) | 128.1  |

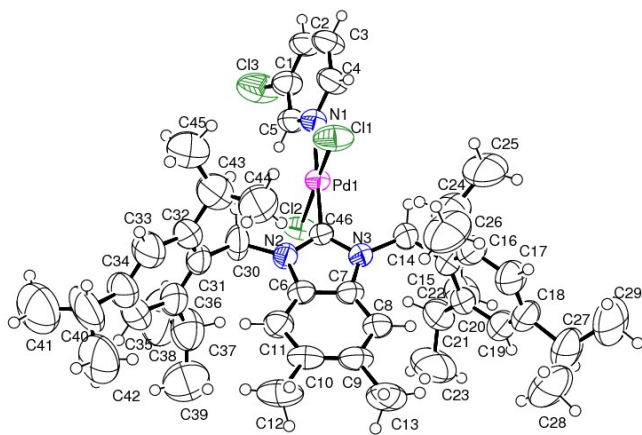
Symmetry transformations used to generate equivalent atoms

## VII. X-ray Crystallography Structure of Pd-PEPPSI complex C6



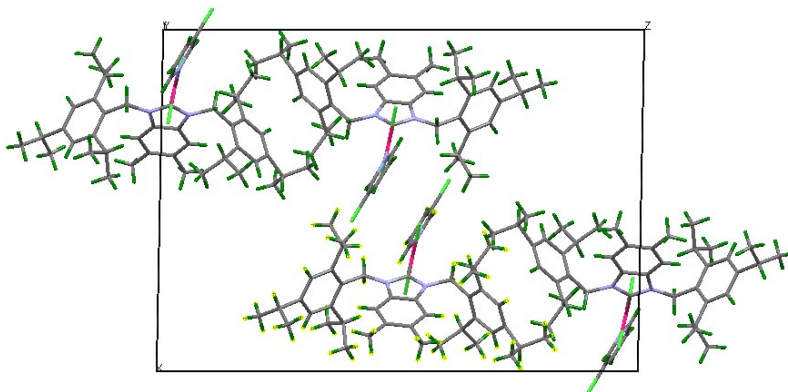
Single crystal XRD Structure for **C6**

## Packed structures

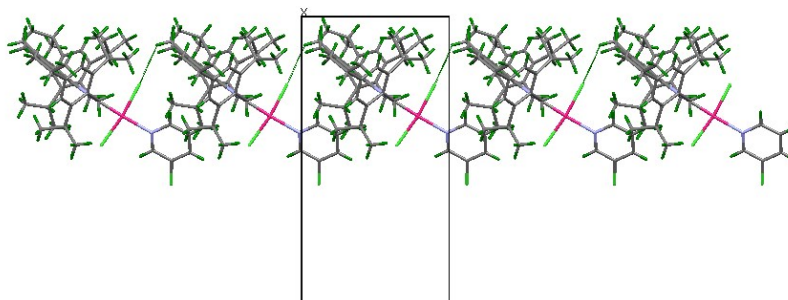


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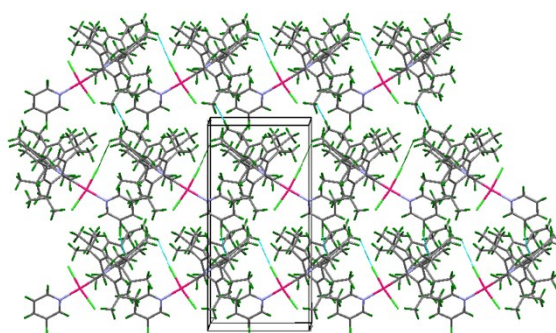
ORTEP diagrams drawn with 50% ellipsoid probability for non-H atoms of the crystal structure of Pd-PEPPSI complex **C6** determined at 296 K (CCDC Deposit No. 1982273).



(2)



(3)



(4) Crystal packing of **C6** displaying non-linear interactions

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