

# Supporting Information

## Half-sandwich scandium dibenzyl complexes bearing penta- or tetra-arylcylopentadienyl ligands: Synthesis, structure and syndiospecific styrene polymerization activity

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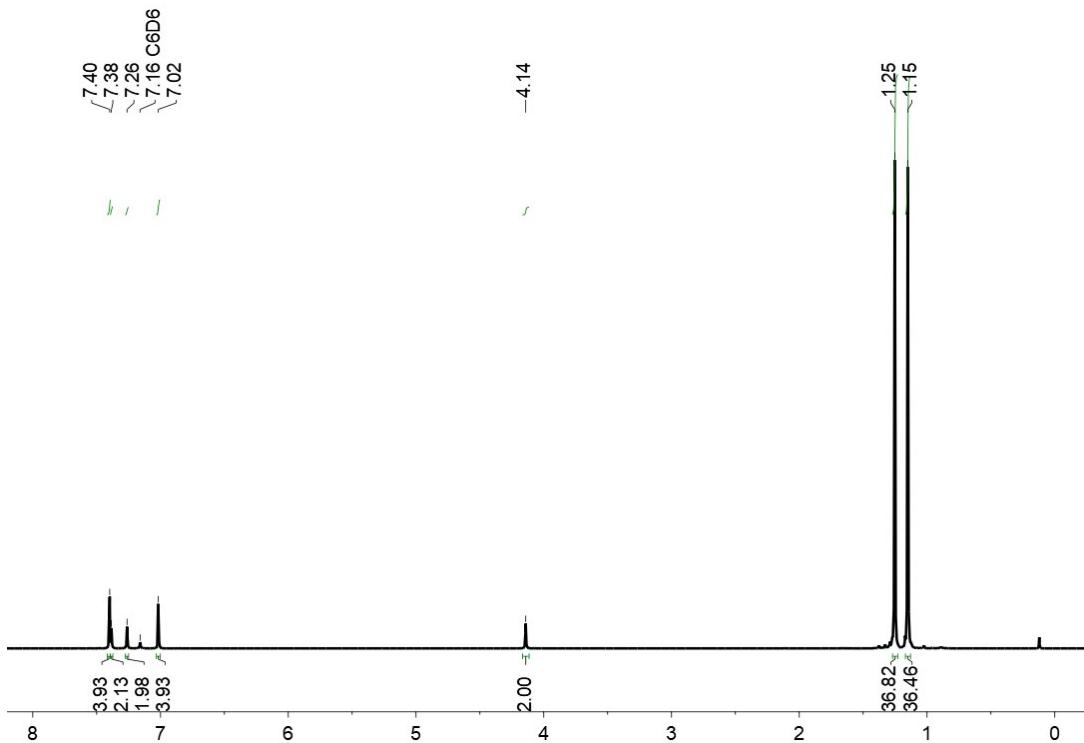
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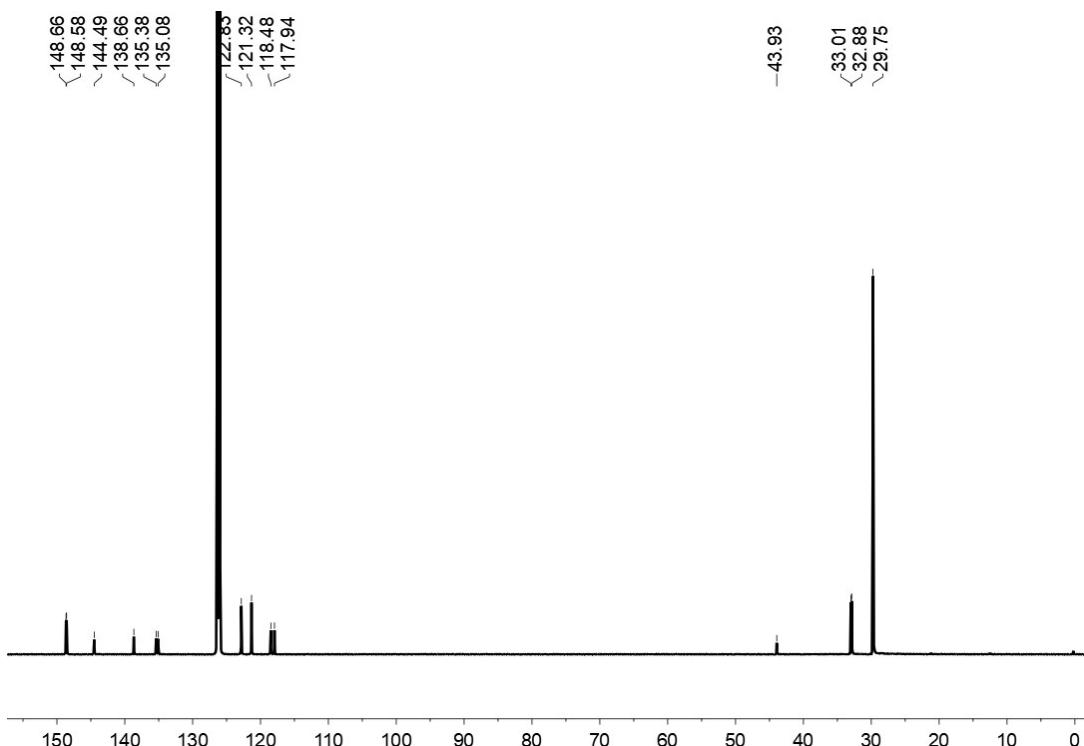
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### 1. Selected NMR spectra

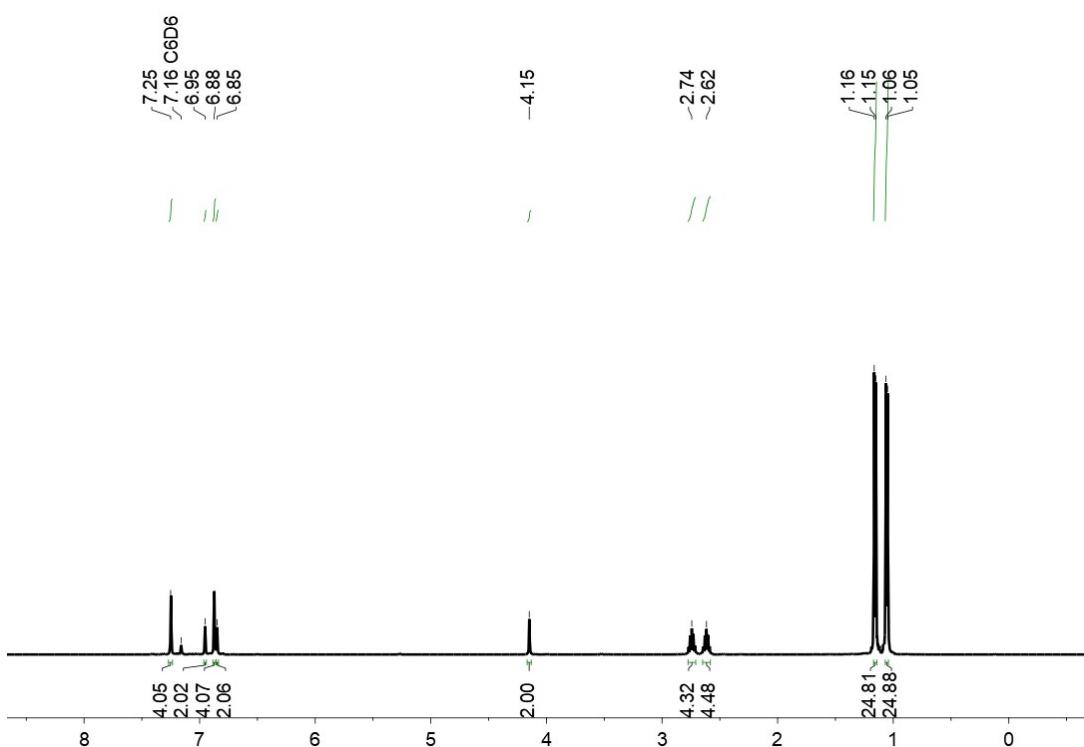


**Figure S1.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of **L<sub>3</sub>** in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at 25 °C.

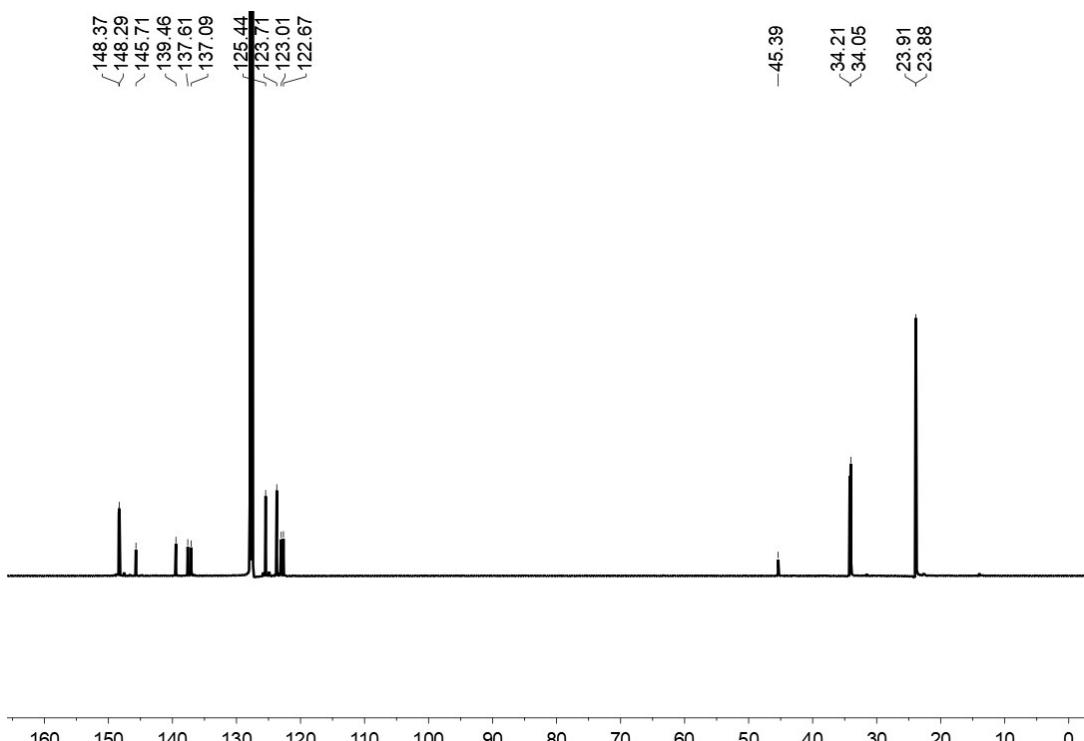


**Figure S2.** <sup>13</sup>C {<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectrum (126 MHz) of **L<sub>3</sub>** in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at 25 °C.

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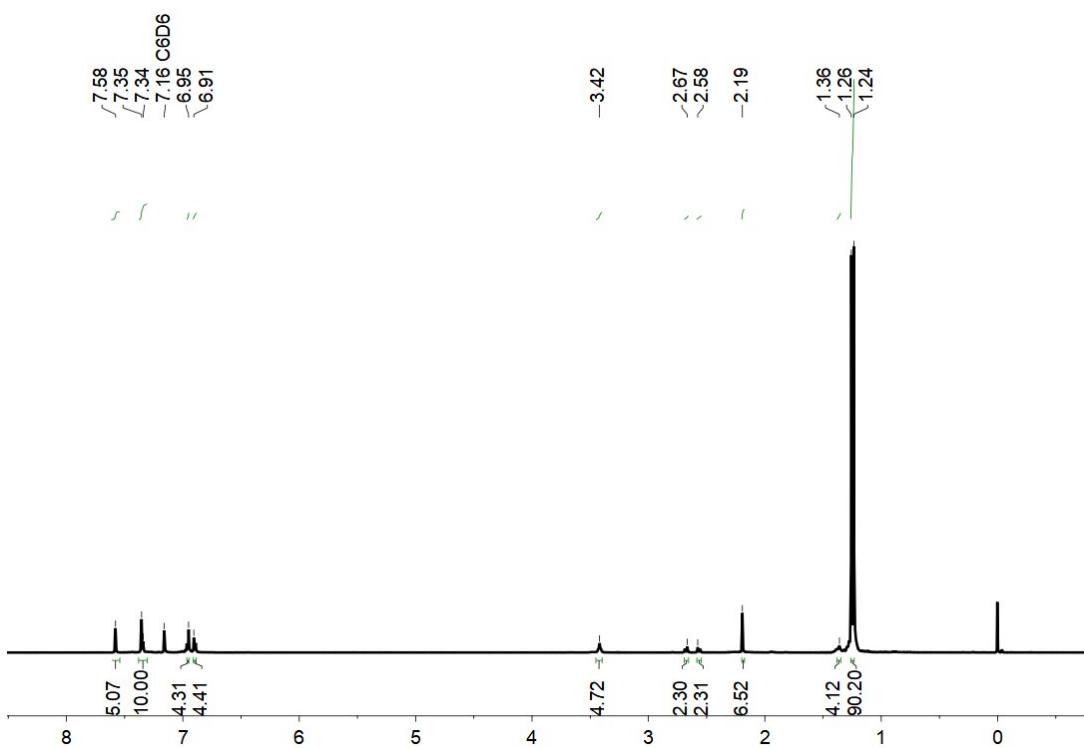


**Figure S3.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of  $\text{L}_4$  in  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$  at 25 °C.

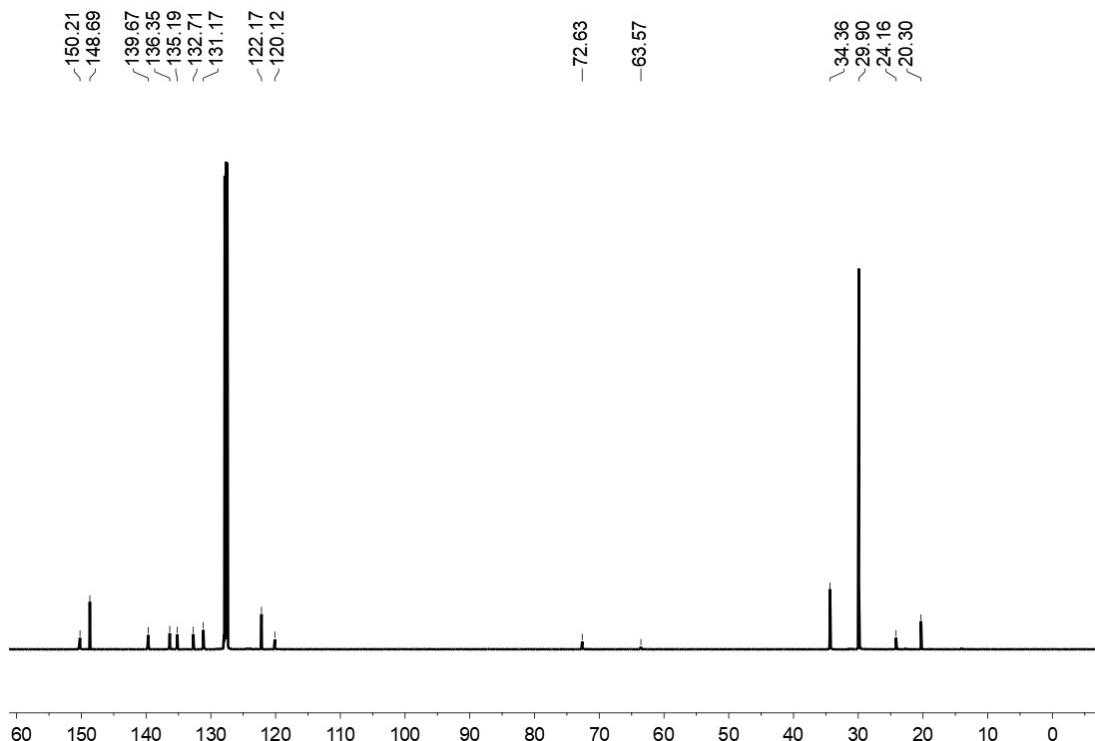


**Figure S4.**  $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$  NMR spectrum (126 MHz) of  $\text{L}_4$  in  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$  at 25 °C.

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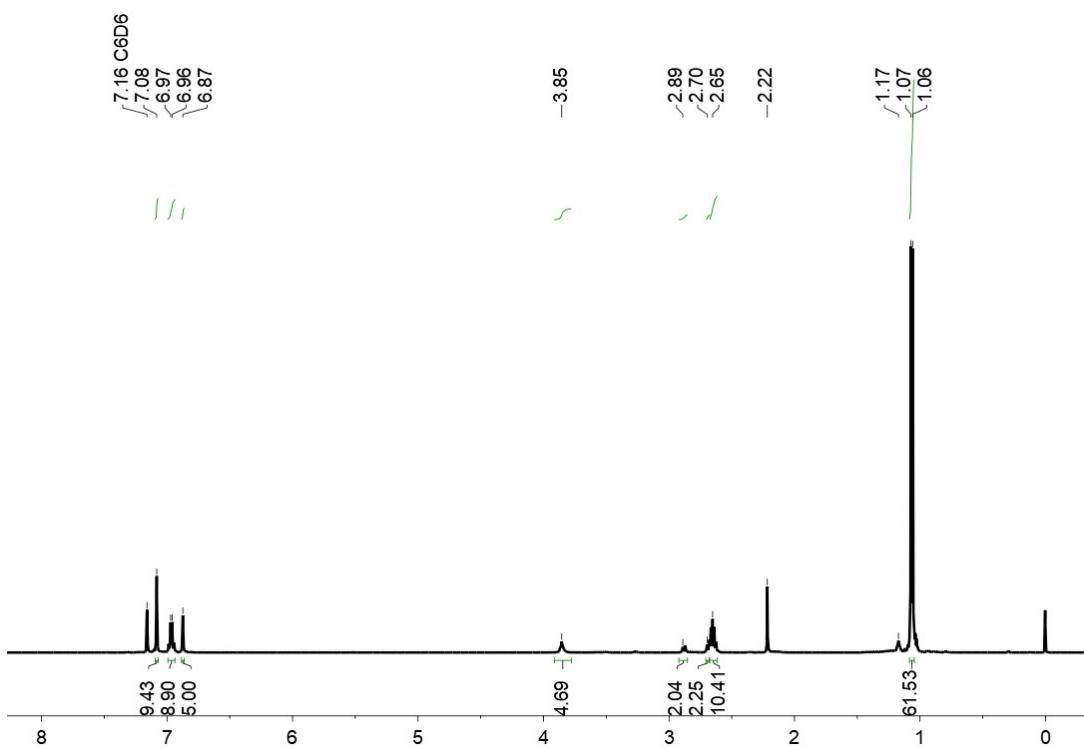


**Figure S5.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of complex **1** in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at 25 °C.

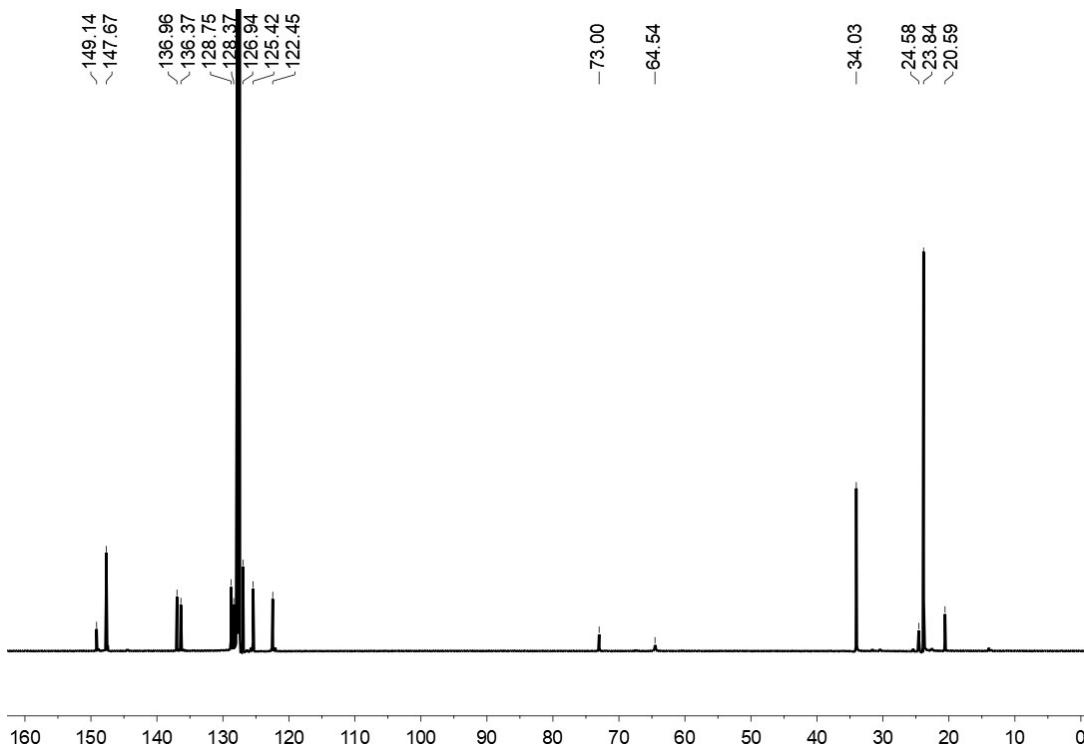


**Figure S6.** <sup>13</sup>C {<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectrum (126 MHz) of complex **1** in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at 25 °C.

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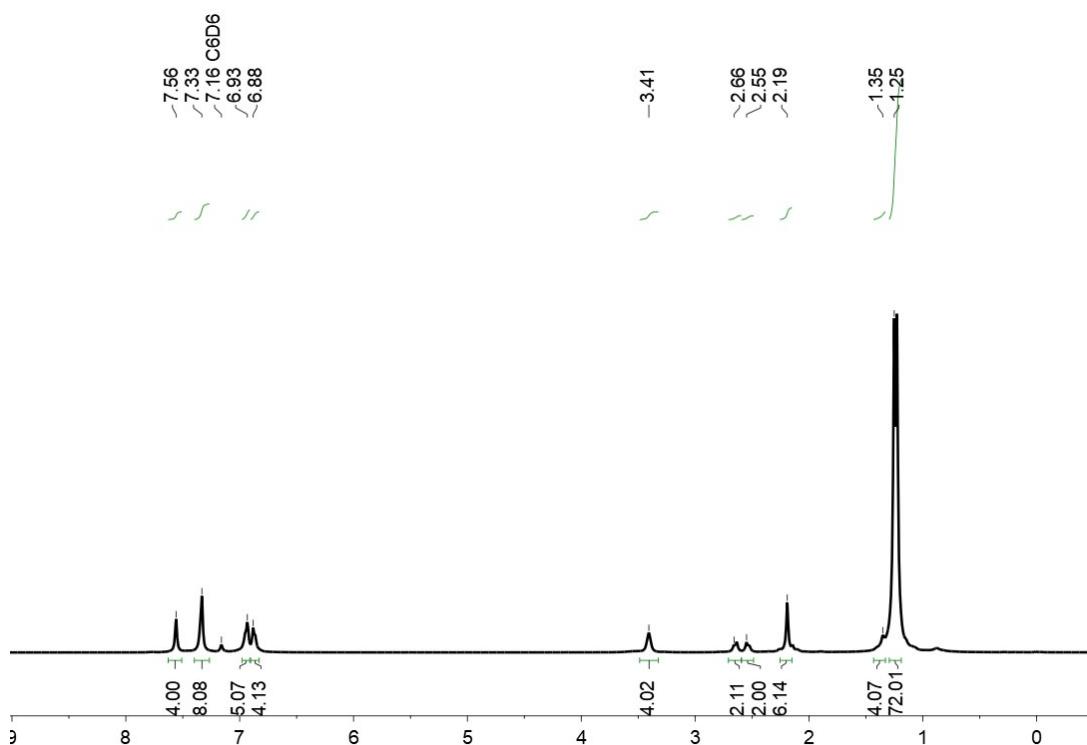


**Figure S7.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of complex **2** in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at 25 °C.

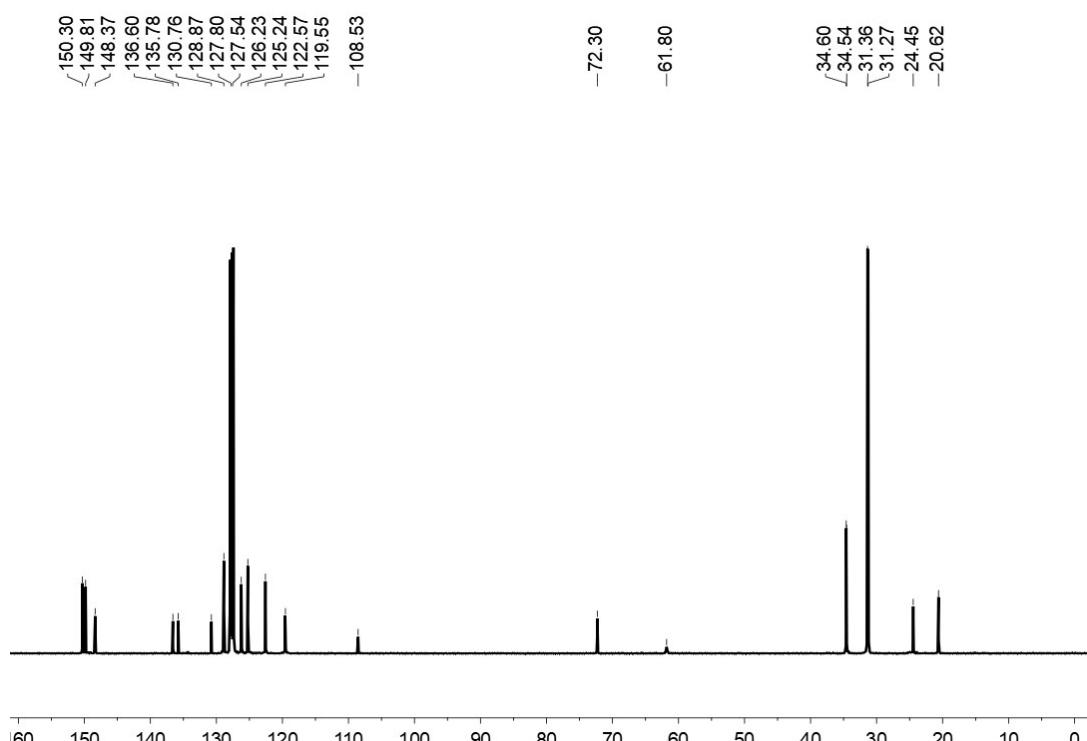


**Figure S8.** <sup>13</sup>C {<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectrum (126 MHz) of complex **2** in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at 25 °C.

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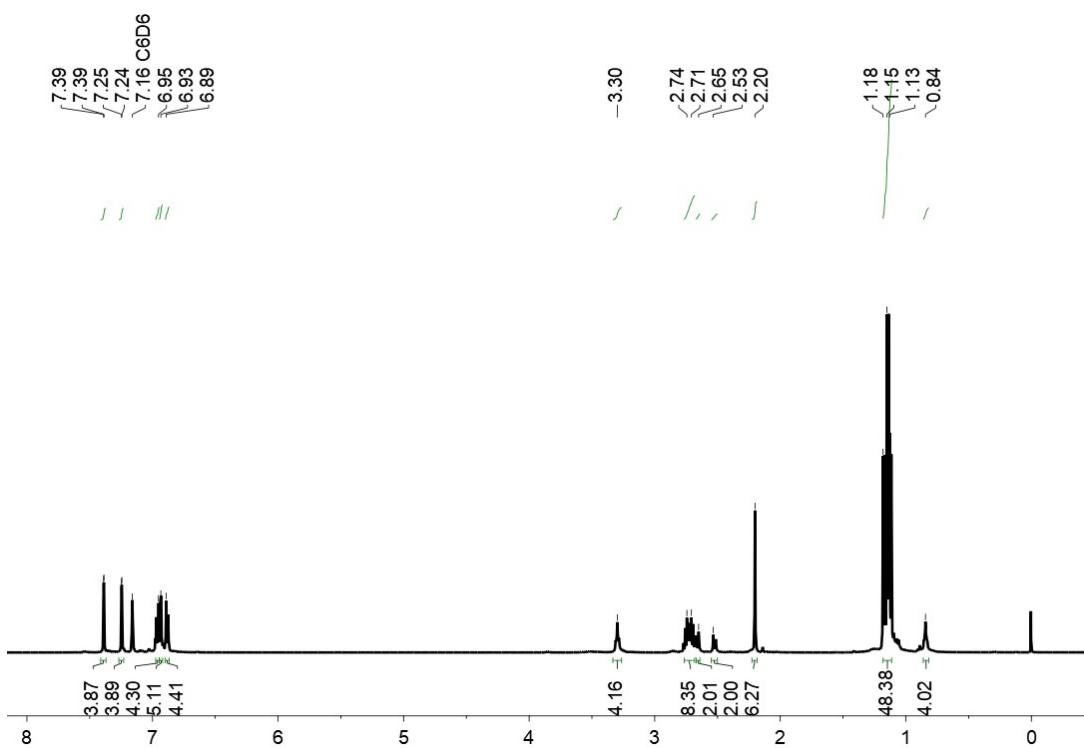


**Figure S9.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of complex **3** in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at 25 °C.

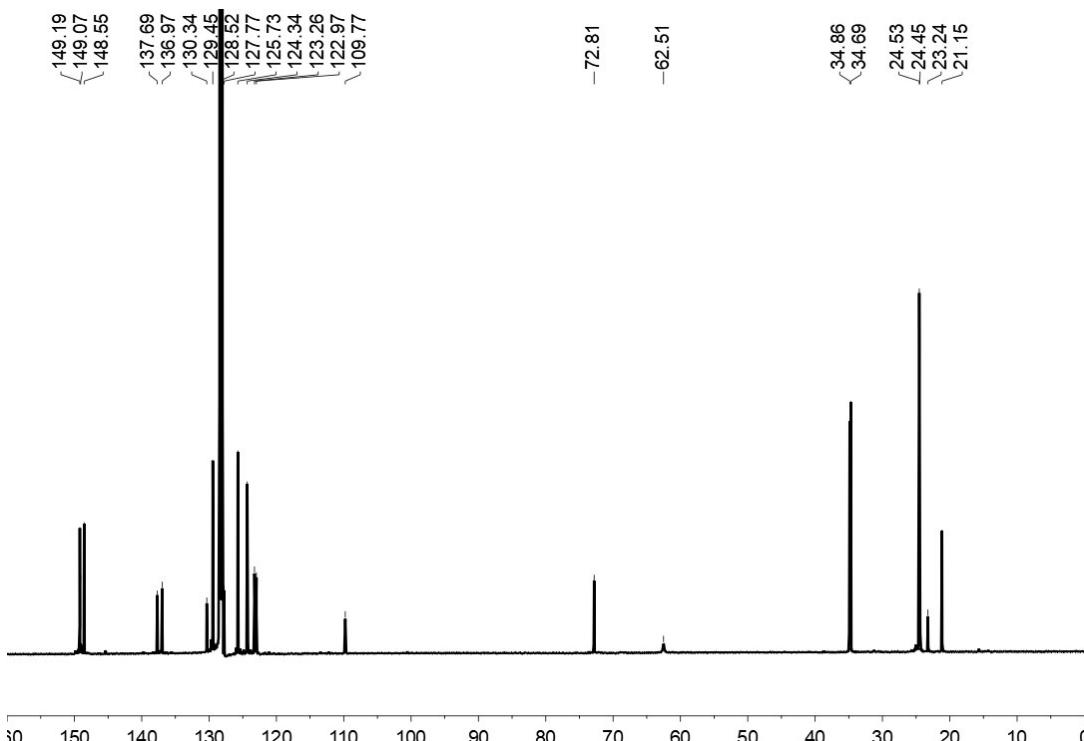


**Figure S10.** <sup>13</sup>C {<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectrum (126 MHz) of complex **3** in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at 25 °C.

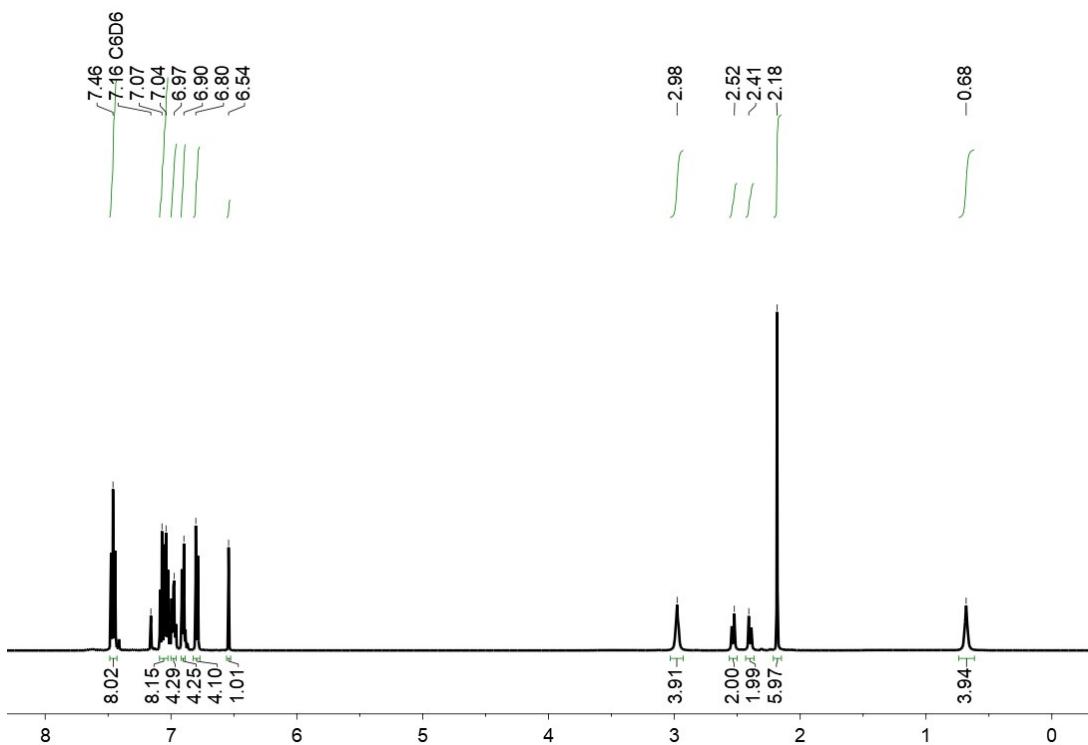
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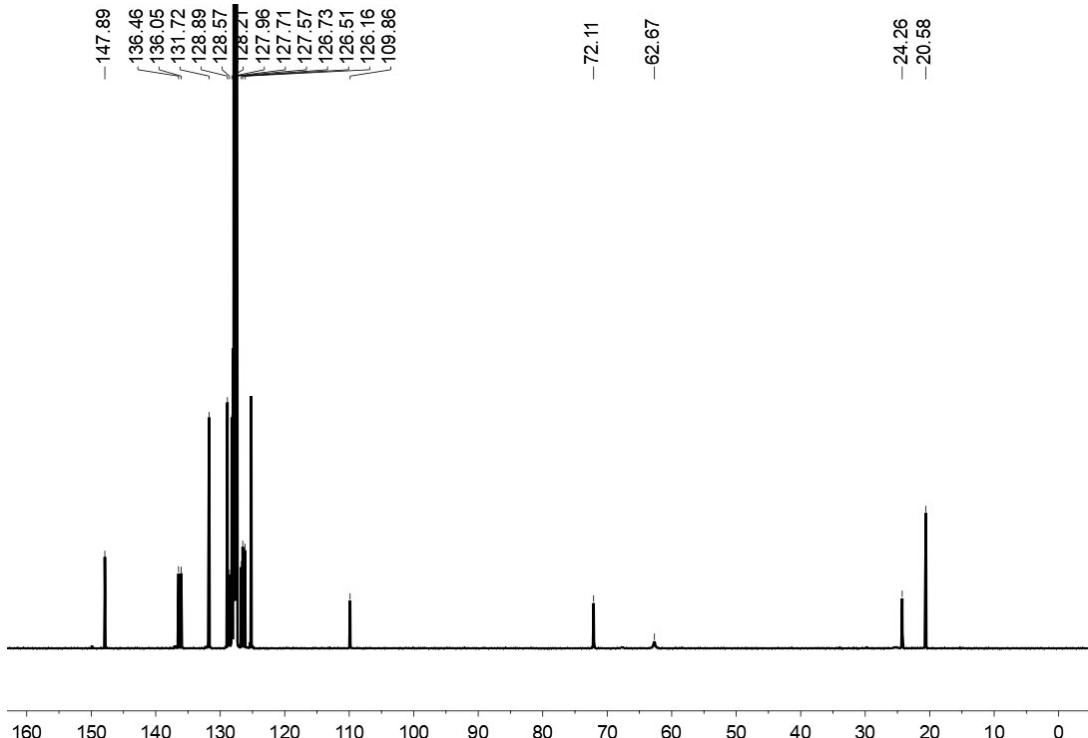
**Figure S11.**  $^1H$  NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of complex **4** in  $C_6D_6$  at 25 °C.



**Figure S12.**  $^{13}C\{^1H\}$  NMR spectrum (126 MHz) of complex **4** in  $C_6D_6$  at 25 °C.

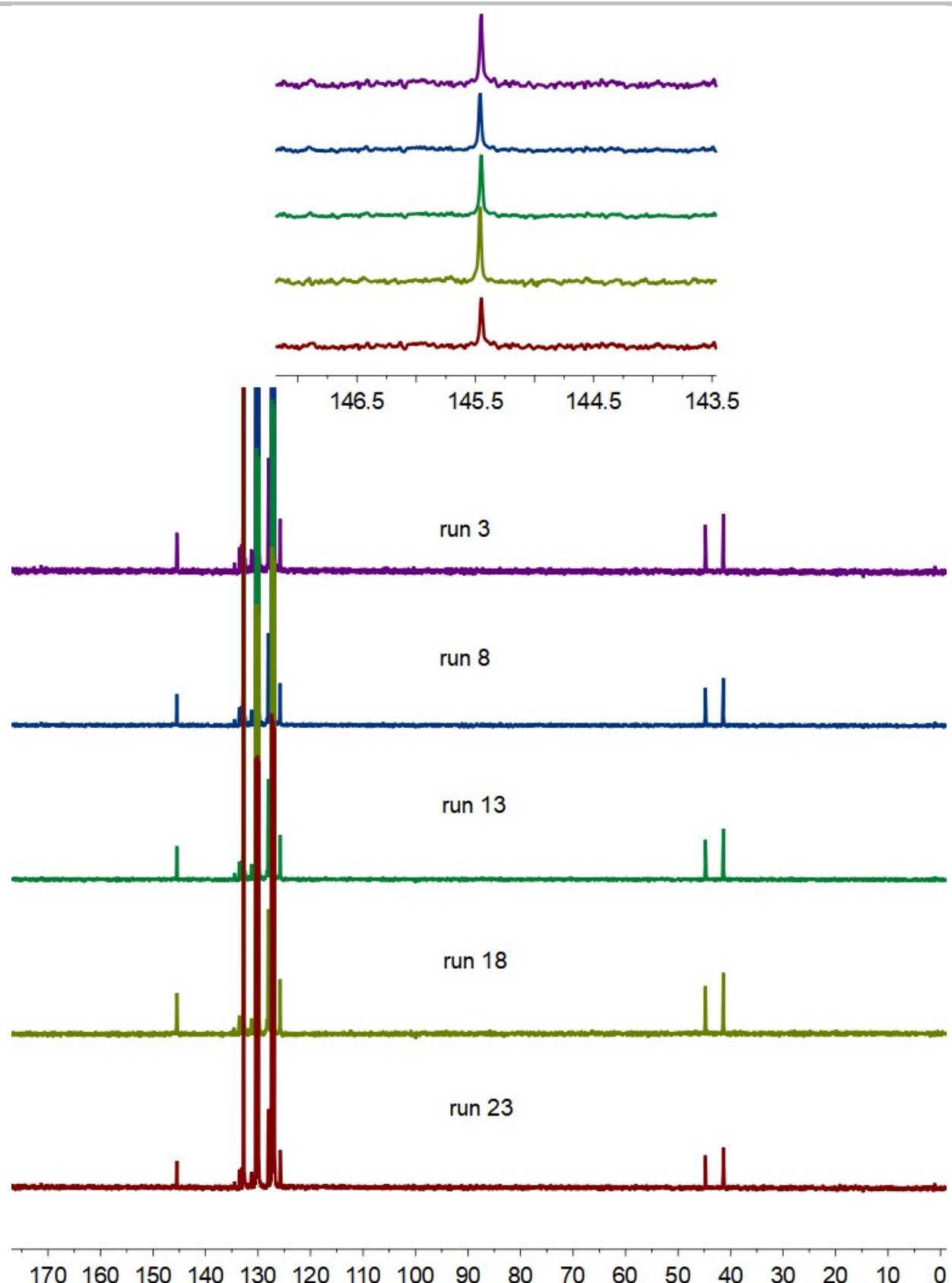


**Figure S13.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of complex **5** in  $C_6D_6$  at 25 °C.

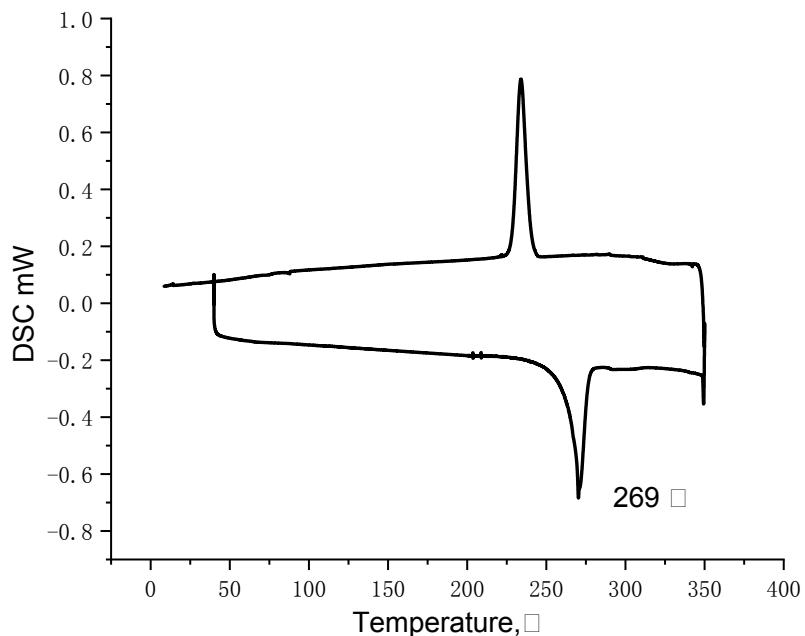


**Figure S14.** <sup>13</sup>C {<sup>1</sup>H} NMR spectrum (126 MHz) of complex **5** in  $C_6D_6$  at 25 °C.

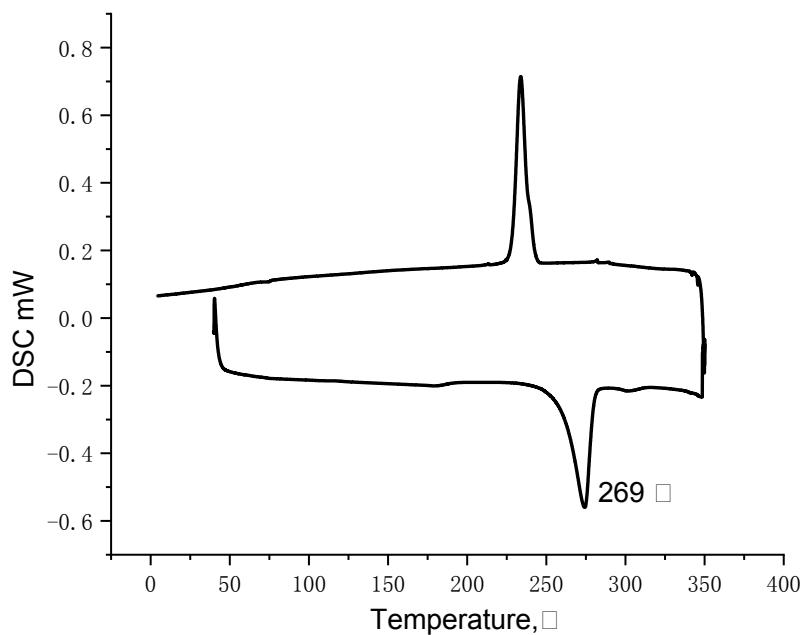
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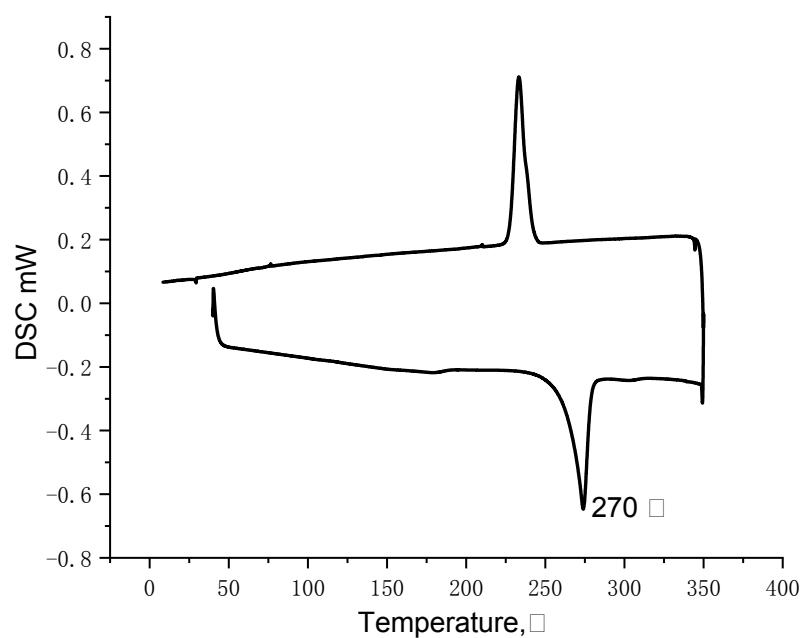
**Figure S15.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  { $^1\text{H}$ } NMR spectrum of sPs in  $\text{C}_6\text{D}_4\text{Cl}_2$  (rrrr >99%) at 100°C, obtained with complexes **1-5** (run 3, 8, 13, 18, 23 in Table 1).



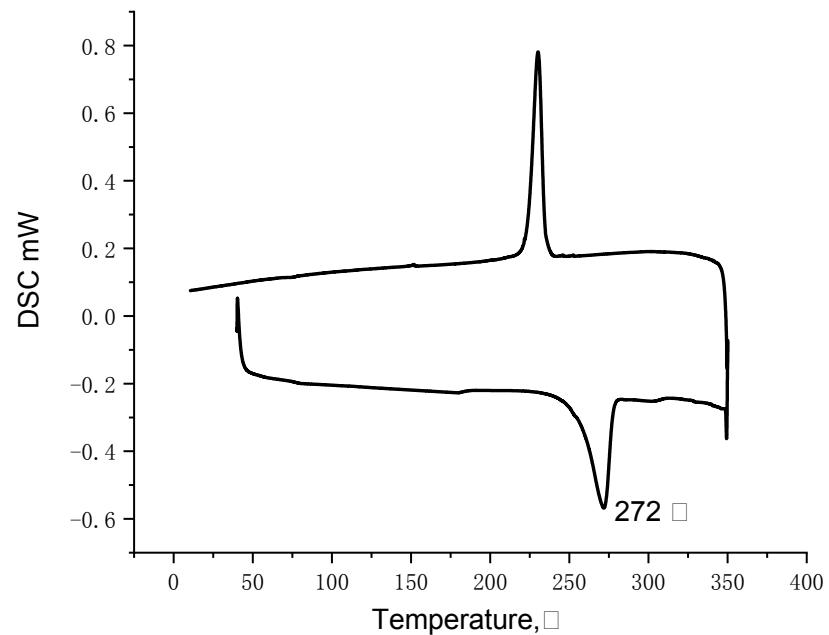
**Figure S16.** DSC curve of sPS (run 3 in Table 2).



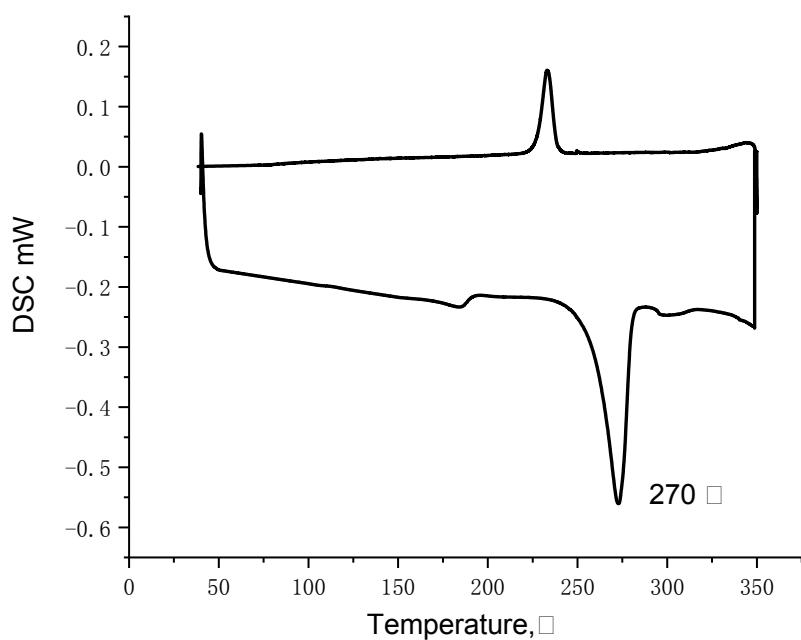
**Figure S17.** DSC curve of sPS (run 8 in Table 2).



**Figure S18.** DSC curve of sPS (run 13 in Table 2).



**Figure S19.** DSC curve of sPS (run 18 in Table 2).



**Figure S20.** DSC curve of sPS (run 23 in Table 2).