

## **Electronic Supplementary Information**

### **Monothia [22]pentaphyrin(2.0.1.1.0): A core modified isomer of Sapphyrin**

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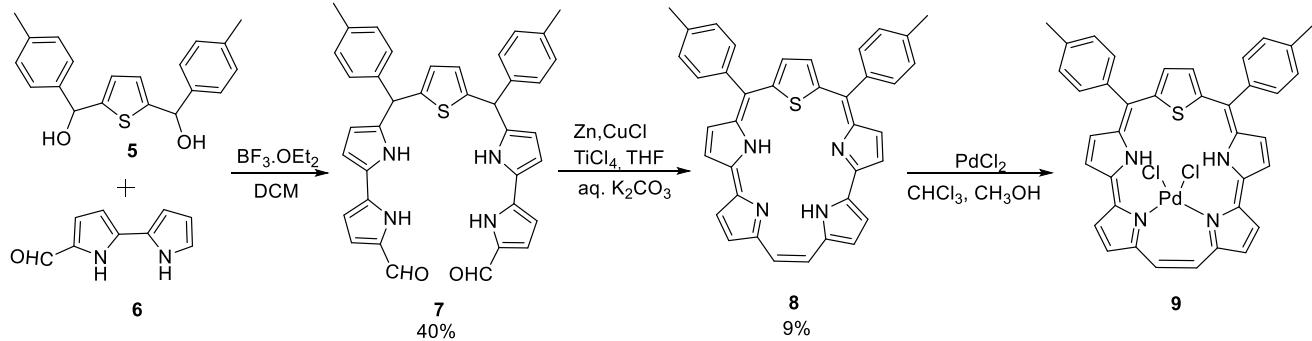
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### Instrumentation and reagents:

NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker Ascend-500 and Bruker Avance-500 MHz FT NMR spectrometer using tetramethylsilane (TMS,  $\delta = 0$ ) as an internal standard at room temperature. Mass spectral determinations were carried out by Bruker Maxis HRMS by ESI techniques. UV Visible-NIR spectra were recorded on a Perkin Elmer Lambda 35 UV-Visible spectrometer. Fluorescence spectra was recorded on a JASCO FP-8500 spectrofluorometer. Spectroscopic grade solvents were used for all absorbance measurement. Commercially available solvents were distilled before use. Reagents were used as received.

All crystallographic data were collected in Rigaku XtaLAB Synergy, single source X-ray diffractometer. Mo-K $\alpha$  ( $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$ ) radiation was used to collect the X-ray reflections of the crystal. Data reduction was performed using CrysAlisPro 1.171.40.35a.<sup>S1</sup> Intensities for absorption were corrected using CrysAlisPro 1.171.40.35a.<sup>S1</sup> and refined using SHELXL2014/7.<sup>S2a,S2b</sup> with anisotropic displacement parameters for non-H atoms. Crystallographic data (including the structure factor) for all structures in this paper have been deposited in the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre as supplementary publication number CCDC 2125056-2125057.

## Experimental Procedures



Compound **5** and **6** has been synthesized following reported literature.<sup>53</sup>

### Synthesis of 5',5'''-(thiophene-2,5-diylbis(p-tolylmethylene))bis((1H,1'H-[2,2'-bipyrrole]-5-carbaldehyde) **7**:

2,5-Bis(4-tolylhydroxymethyl)thiophene (**5**) (200 mg, 0.62 mmol) and [2,2'-bipyrrole]-5-carbaldehyde (**6**) (247 mg, 1.54 mmol) were taken in an oven dried 500 mL two necked RB and dissolved in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (300 mL). The solution was bubbled with  $\text{N}_2$  for 20 min and then  $\text{BF}_3 \cdot \text{OEt}_2$  (60  $\mu\text{L}$ ) was added to it. The mixture was stirred at room temperature in dark under  $\text{N}_2$  atmosphere for 6 h. Then the reaction mixture was washed with water and organic layer was dried over anhydrous  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$  and then concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting solid was purified by column chromatography with 20% ethyl acetate:hexane mixture to obtain **7** as bright yellow coloured solid. Yield: 40%; Decomposed  $>180$  °C before melting.<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO- $\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  in ppm: 11.89 (s, 2H), 11.06 (s, 2H), 9.31 (s, 2H), 7.18 (d,  $J = 8.28$  Hz, 4H), 7.14 (d,  $J = 8.13$  Hz, 4H), 6.99 (dd,  $J = 2.27$  Hz, 2H), 6.62 (s, 2H), 6.60 (t,  $J = 2.84$  Hz, 2H), 6.51 (dd,  $J = 2.24$  Hz, 2H), 5.82 (t,  $J = 2.66$  Hz, 2H), 5.58 (s, 2H), 2.51 (s, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz, DMSO- $\text{D}_6$ )  $\delta$  in ppm: 177.7, 146.4, 140.4, 136.4, 136.2, 134.7, 132.3, 129.5, 128.5, 125.4, 123.7, 109.0, 108.2, 106.9, 45.3, 21.1; HRMS(ESI+): m/z calculated for  $\text{C}_{38}\text{H}_{32}\text{N}_4\text{SO}_2$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}^+$ ): 609.2323; found: 609.2325; IR ( $\nu$  in  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 3259, 3212, 1599, 1544, 1509.

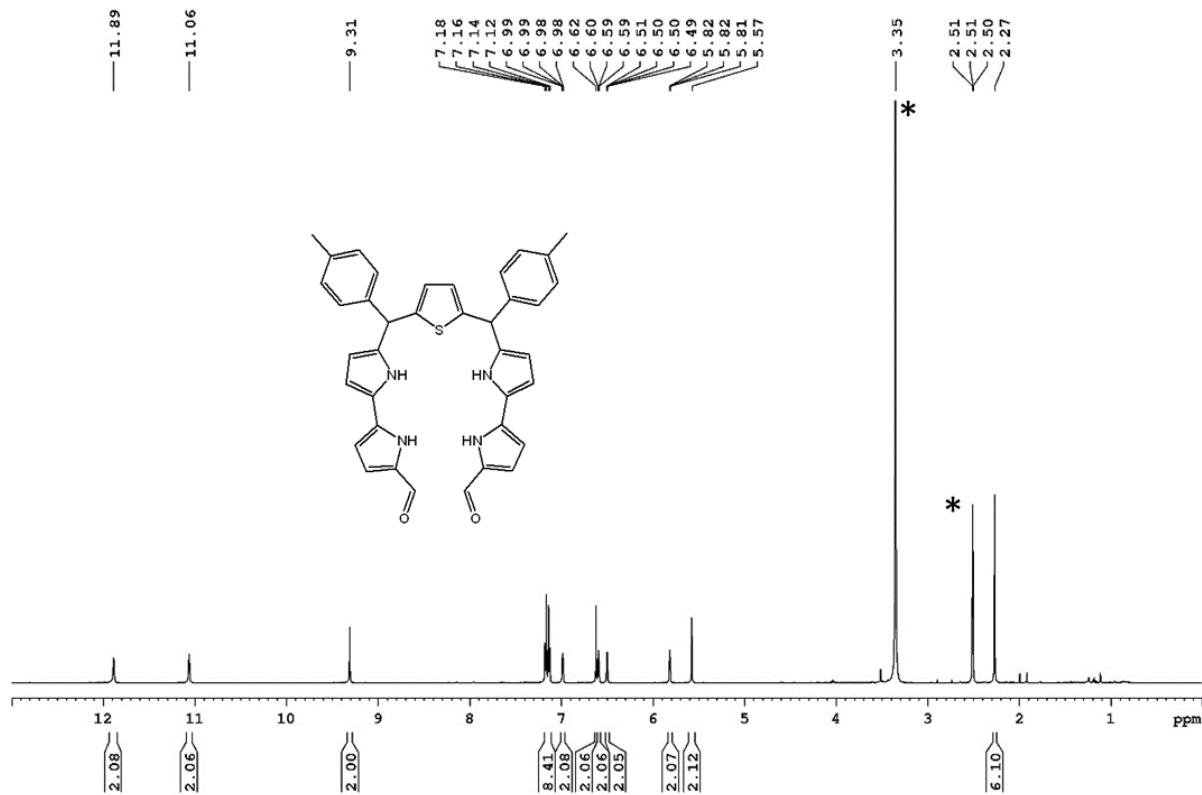
### Synthesis of sapphycene **8**:

A low-valent titanium reagent was prepared in situ by adding  $\text{TiCl}_4$  (0.36 mL, 3.28 mmol) to a solution of activated Zn (426 mg, 6.56 mmol),  $\text{CuCl}$  (64.98 mg, 0.656 mmol) and THF in a three-necked RB at 0 °C and then heating to reflux for 3 h. To this slurry, THF solution of compound **7** (100mg, 0.164 mmol) was added dropwise for 1 h under reflux condition. After completion of addition, the reaction mixture was kept for refluxing for additional 2 h and then slowly brought to room temperature. Then it was cooled to 0 °C and hydrolysed with aqueous  $\text{K}_2\text{CO}_3$  solution. It was kept for open air oxidation overnight and then the reaction mixture was filtered using celite. The filtrate was washed with water and the organic layer was dried over anhydrous  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$  and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude reaction mixture was purified by silicagel column chromatography with 80:20 of hexane-ethyl acetate mixture as eluent to obtain **8** as blue colour solid. Yield: 9%. M.P: >300 °C. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  in ppm: 10.38 (s, 2H), 10.36 (d,  $J = 4.17$  Hz, 2H), 10.19 (d,  $J = 4.61$  Hz, 2H), 9.99 (s, 2H), 9.68 (d,  $J = 4.17$  Hz, 2H), 9.43 (d,  $J = 4.59$  Hz, 2H), 8.37 (d,  $J = 7.74$  Hz, 4H), 7.76 (d,  $J = 7.53$  Hz, 4H), 2.81 (s, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )  $\delta$  in ppm: 144.6, 143.4, 141.0, 138.8, 138.1, 134.3, 134.3, 132.5, 132.4, 129.3, 128.4, 128.4, 127.8, 126.7, 126.2, 112.9, 21.6; UV-vis-NIR data in  $\text{CHCl}_3$  ( $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  nm, log  $\epsilon$ ): 447 (5.50), 467 (5.24), 542 (3.98), 579 (4.27), 622 (4.79), 699 (3.86), 773 (4.61); HRMS (ESI+): m/z calculated for  $\text{C}_{38}\text{H}_{28}\text{N}_4\text{S}$  ( $\text{M}+\text{H}^+$ ): 573.2113; found: 573.2100; IR ( $\nu$  in  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 2920, 2581, 1597, 1510.

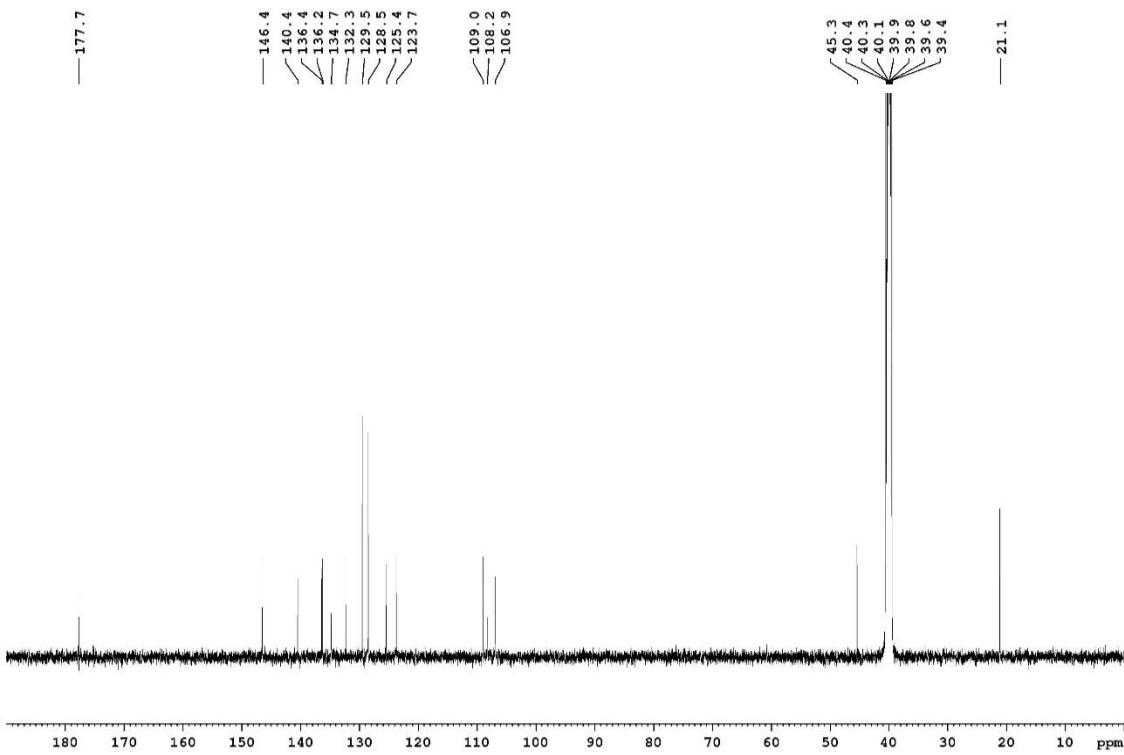
### Synthesis of palladium(II)-sapphycene **9**:

Thiasapphycene **8** (2 mg) was taken in a two-necked RB in  $\text{N}_2$  atmosphere and dissolved in 5 mL chloroform and methanol (1 mL) was added to it and then  $\text{PdCl}_2$  (25 mg) was added to the above solution and kept for stirring at rt. Reaction was monitored using TLC and absorption spectroscopy. After 10-15 min all the starting material was consumed and it was concentrated under reduced pressure. Then the crude product was purified by silicagel column chromatography to yield **9** as brown colour solid. Yield: quantitative.<sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  in ppm: 10.58 (s, 2H), 10.21 (s, 2H), 10.06 (d,  $J = 4.46$  Hz, 2H), 9.81 (d, 2H,  $J = 4.47$  Hz), 9.66 (d,  $J = 4.44$  Hz, 2H), 9.27 (d,  $J = 4.57$  Hz, 2H), 8.71 (bs, 4H), 7.94 (d,  $J = 7.66$  Hz, 4H), 2.84 (s, 6H); <sup>13</sup>C NMR (125 MHz,  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ )  $\delta$  in ppm: 149.7, 142.2, 140.2, 138.3, 138.0, 137.1, 136.3, 134.8, 132.4, 129.7, 129.6, 129.4, 126.7, 124.2, 115.5, 21.4; UV-vis-NIR data in  $\text{CHCl}_3$  ( $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  nm, log  $\epsilon$ ): 491 (5.13), 623 (4.12), 667 (3.96), 804 (4.27); HRMS (ESI+): m/z calculated for  $\text{C}_{38}\text{H}_{28}\text{ClN}_4\text{PdS}$  ( $\text{M}-\text{Cl}$ ): 713.0757, found: 713.0754; IR ( $\nu$  in  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ): 2959, 2918, 2851, 1588.

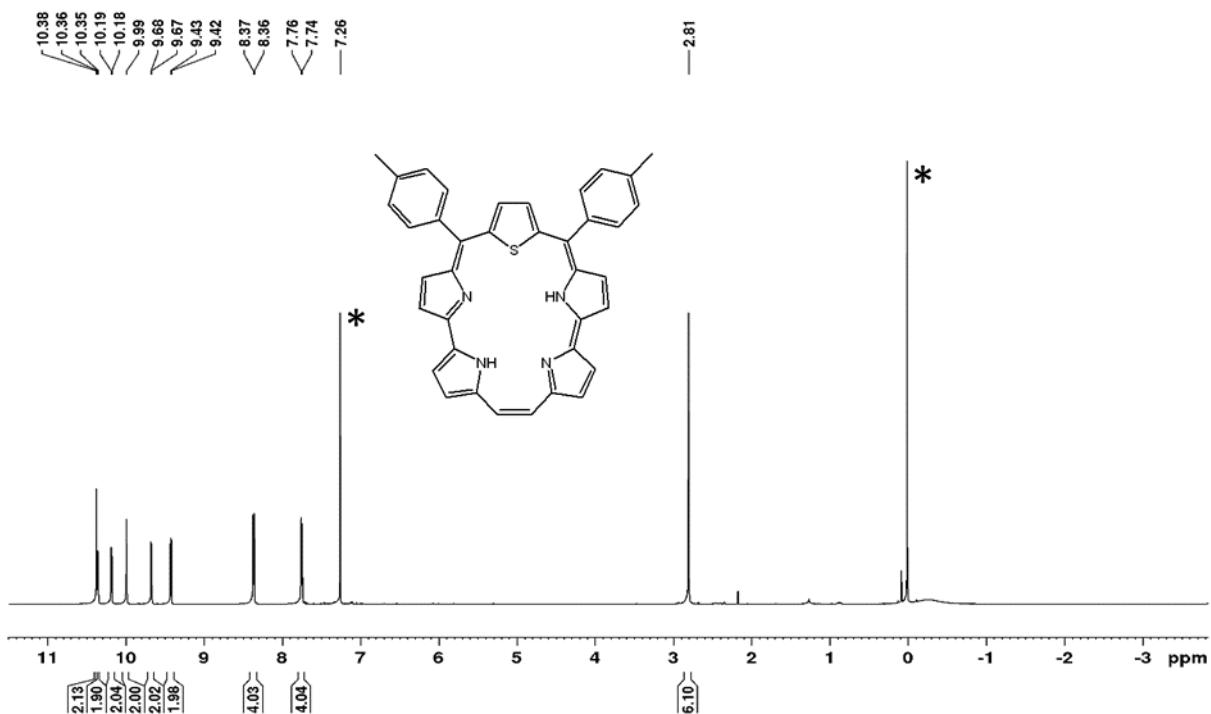
## Results and Discussion



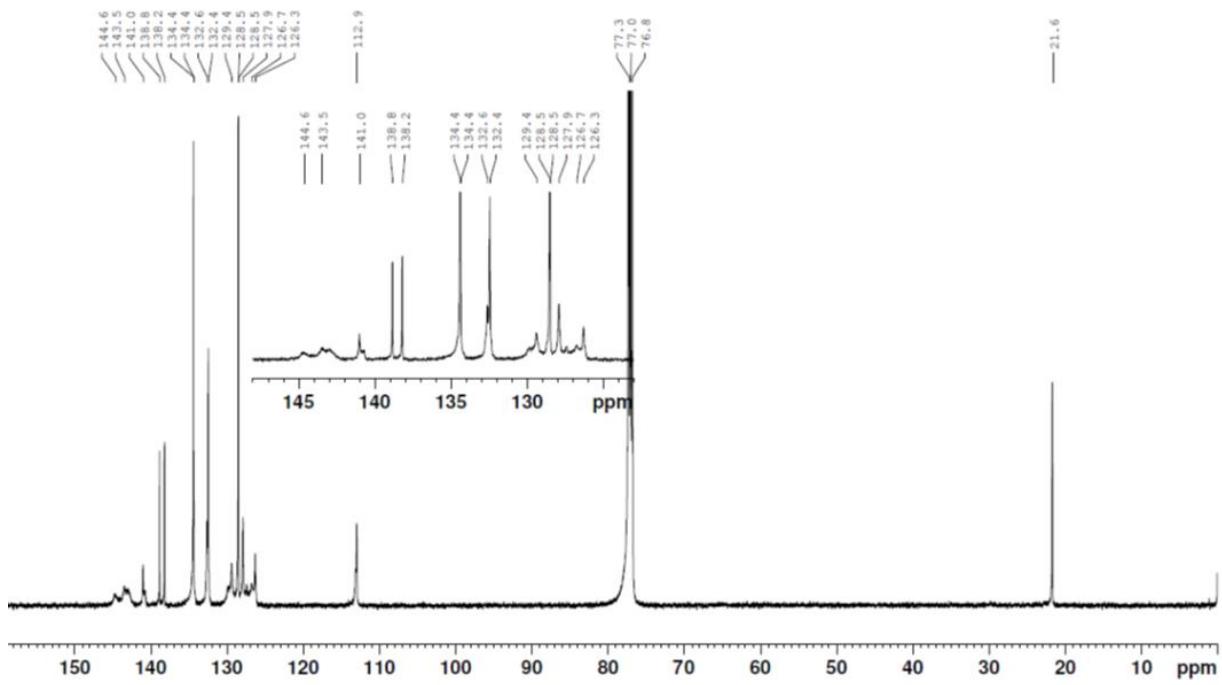
**Figure S1:**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **7** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$  (\*water and residual protons of solvent).



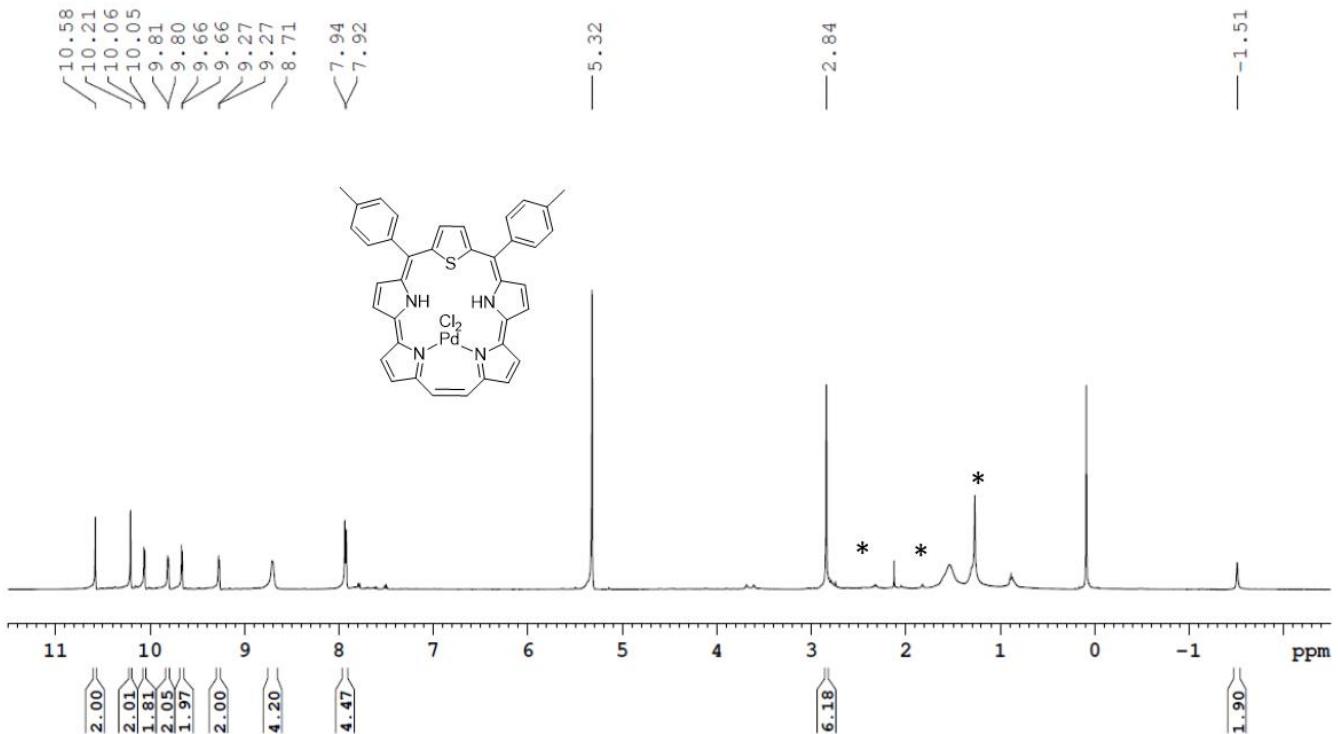
**Figure S2:**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **7** in  $\text{DMSO}-D_6$ .



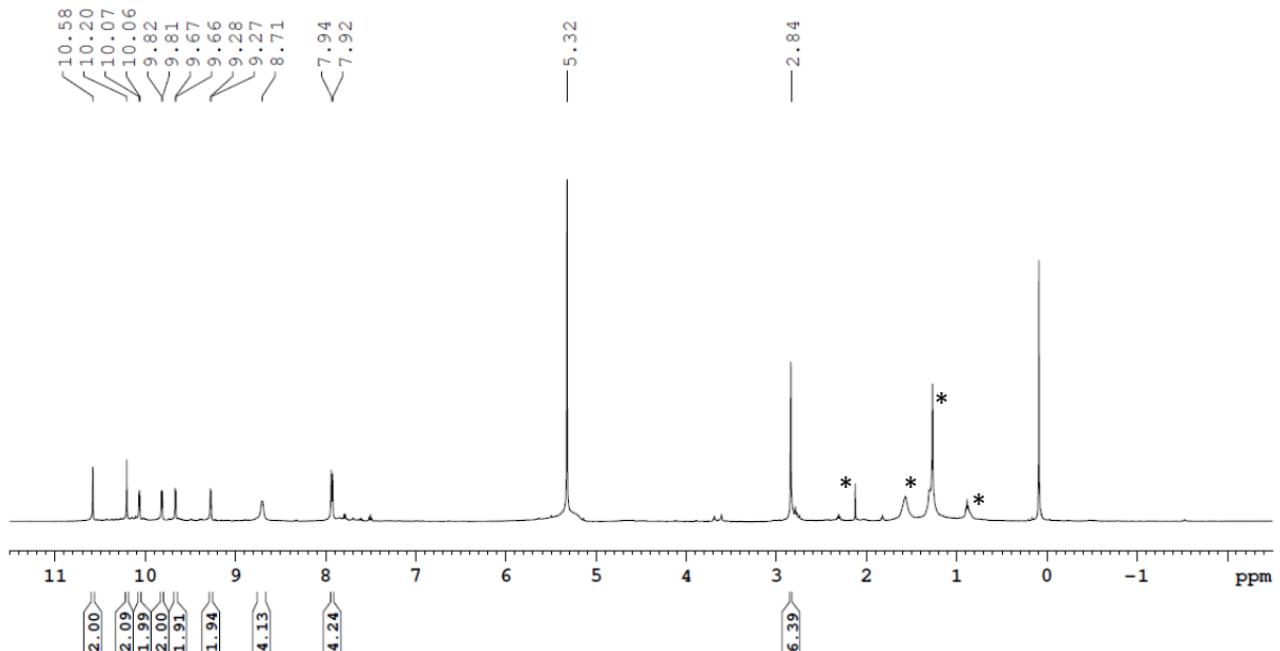
**Figure S3:**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of compound 8 in  $\text{CDCl}_3$  (\* water and residual protons of solvent).



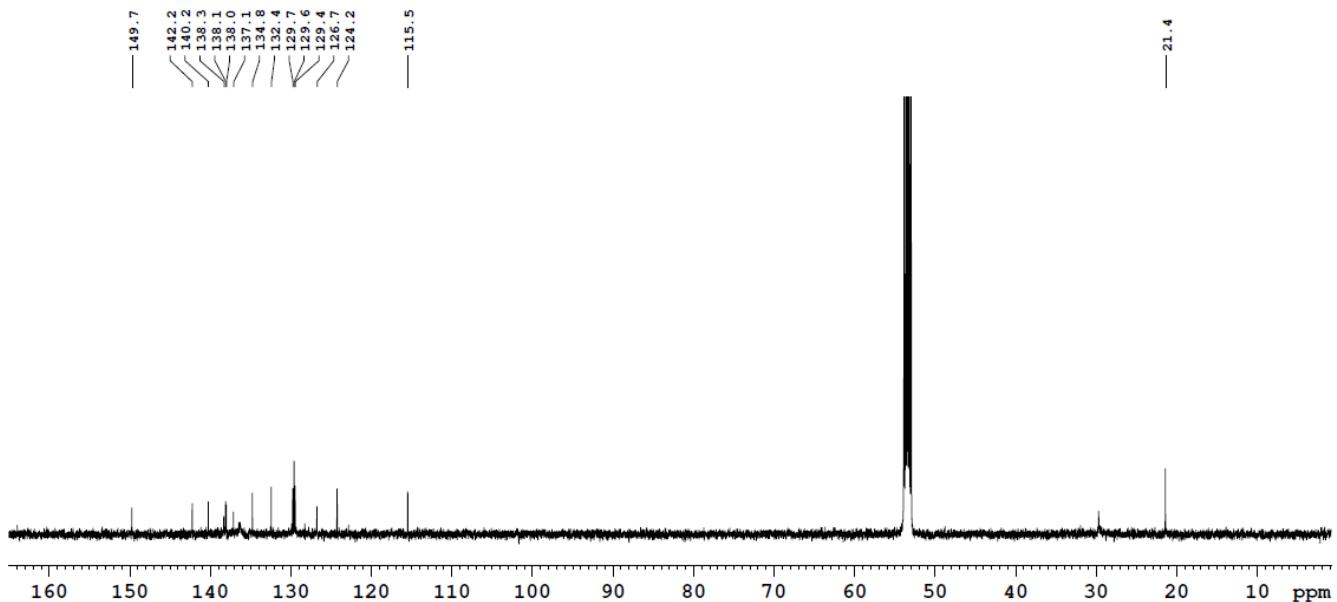
**Figure S4:**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of 8 in  $\text{CDCl}_3$ .



**Figure S5:**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of **9** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$  (\* water and residual protons of solvent and impurities due to less solubility of sample).



**Figure S6:** D<sub>2</sub>O exchange <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of **9** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (\* water and residual protons of solvent and impurities due to less solubility of sample).



**Figure S7:**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of **9** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ .

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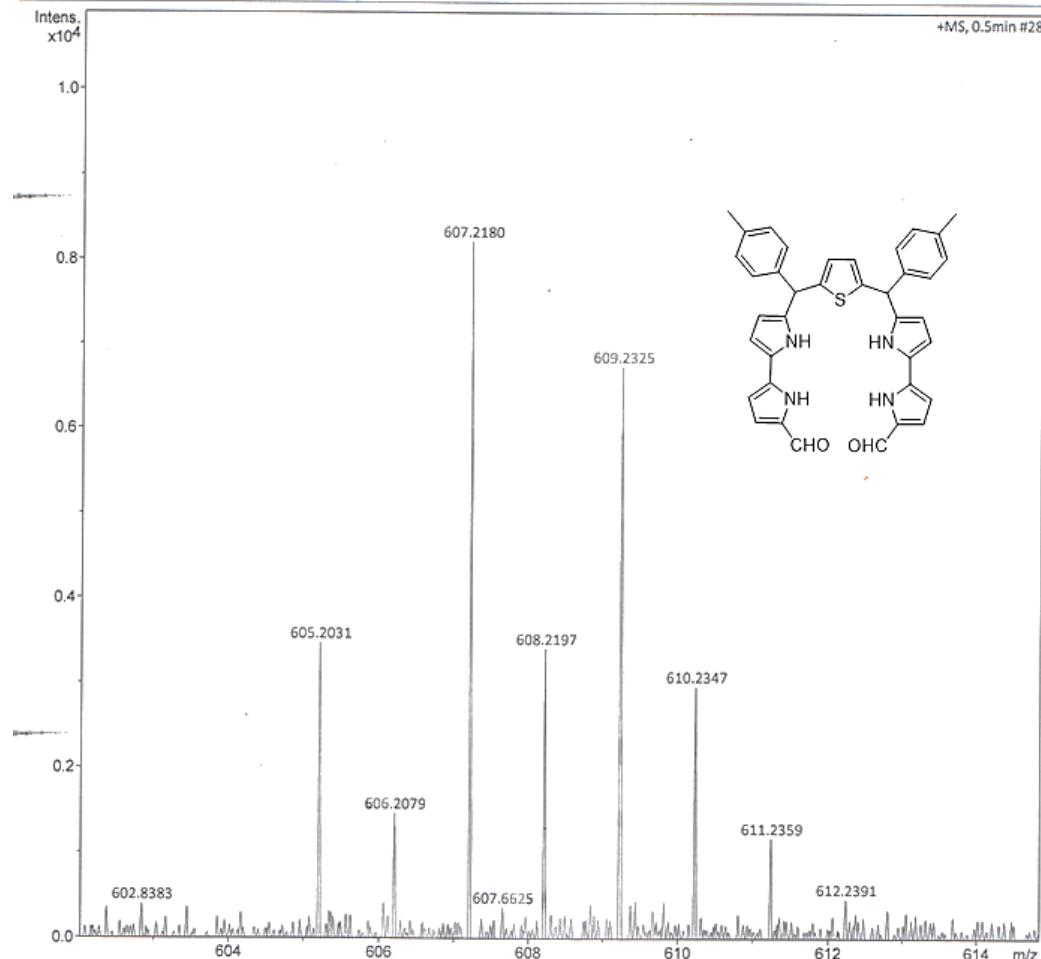
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**Figure S8:** HRMS data of **7**: m/z calculated for  $C_{38}H_{32}N_4SO_2$  ( $M+H^+$ ): 609.2323; found: 609.2325.

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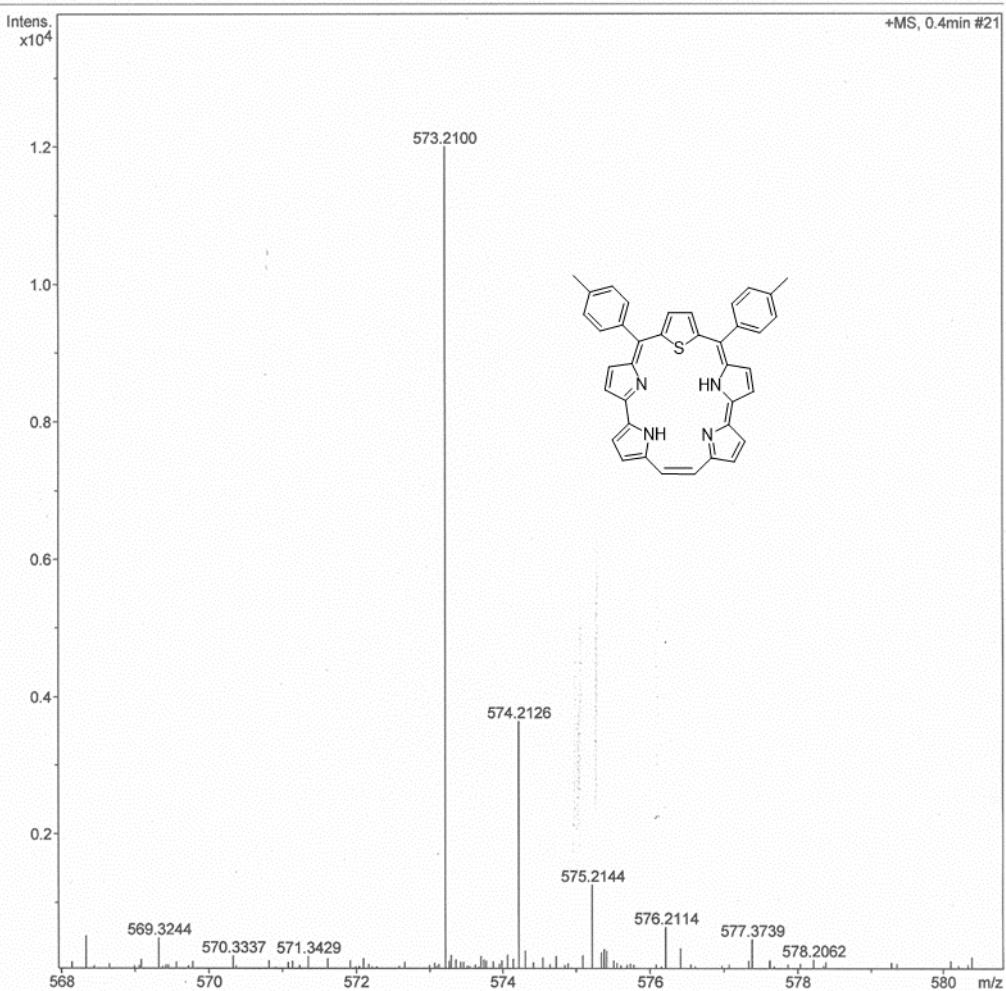
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**Figure S9:** HRMS data of **8**. Calculated m/z C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>28</sub>N<sub>4</sub>S (M+H<sup>+</sup>): 573.2113; found:573.2100.

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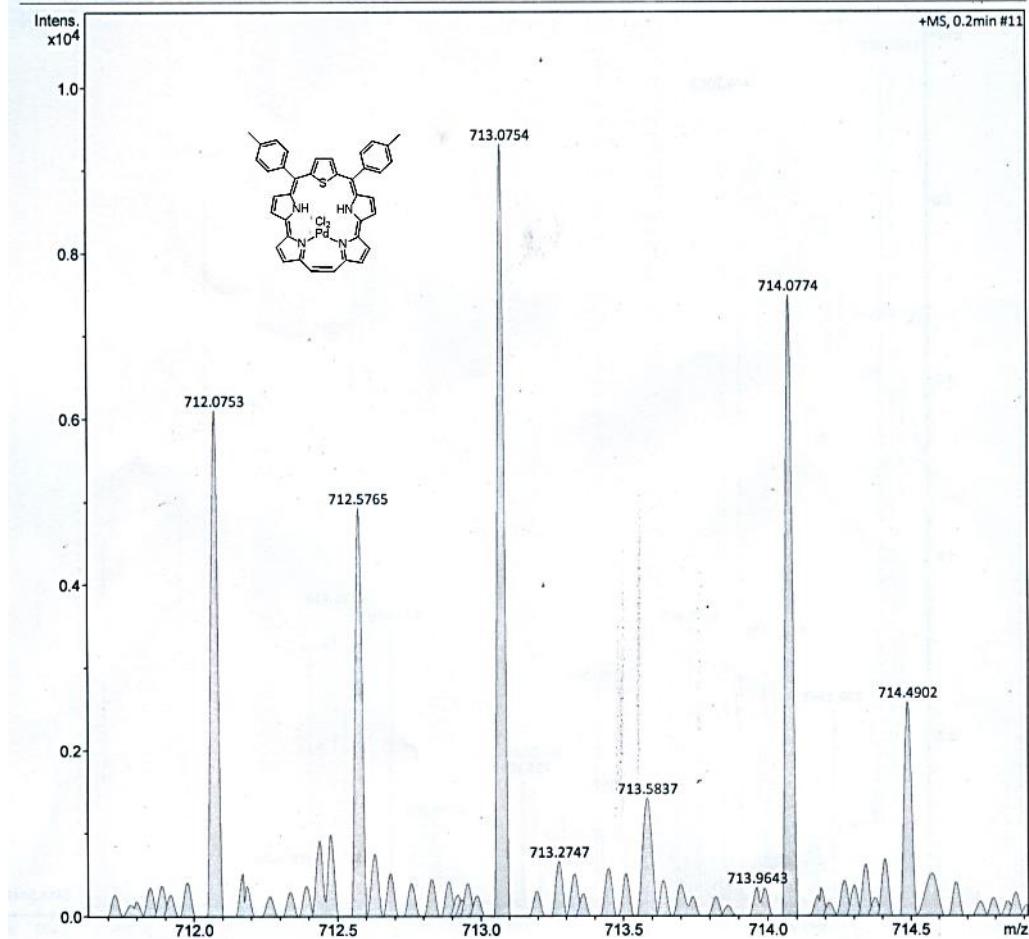
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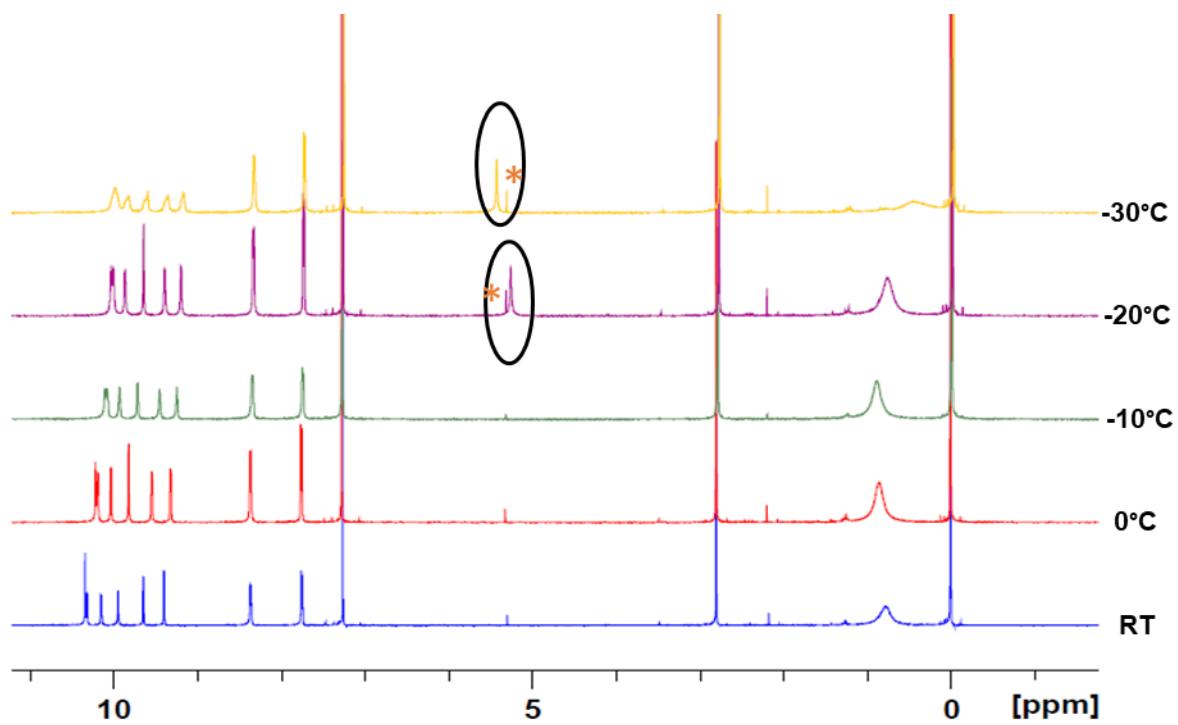
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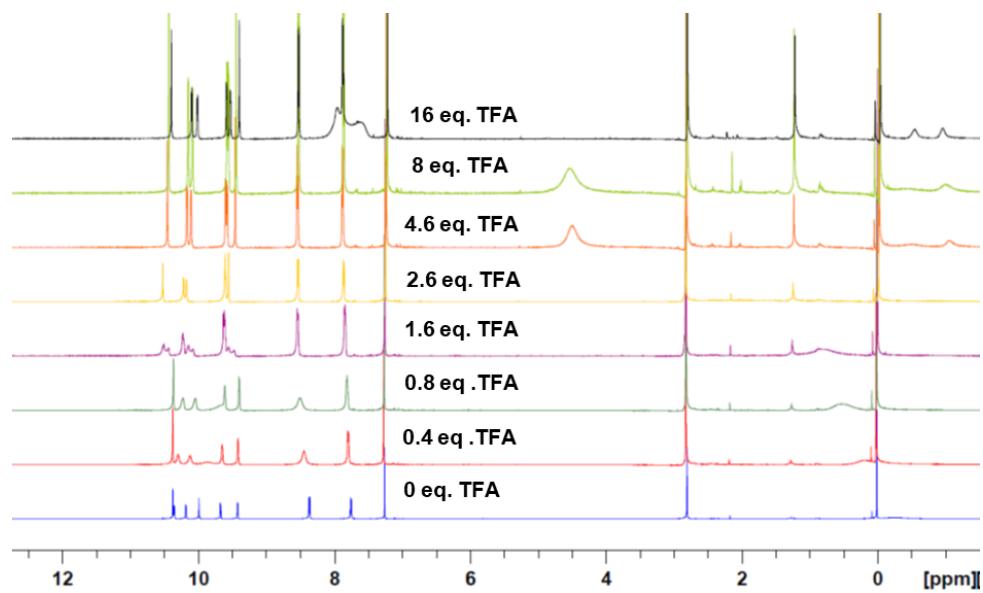
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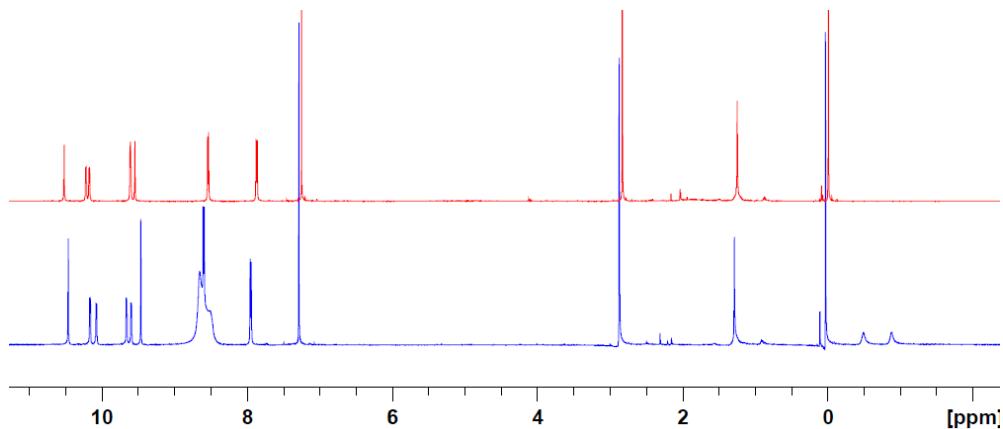
**Figure S10:** HRMS data of 9: m/z calculated for C<sub>38</sub>H<sub>28</sub>CIN<sub>4</sub>PdS (M-Cl<sup>-</sup>): 713.0757; found: 713.0754.



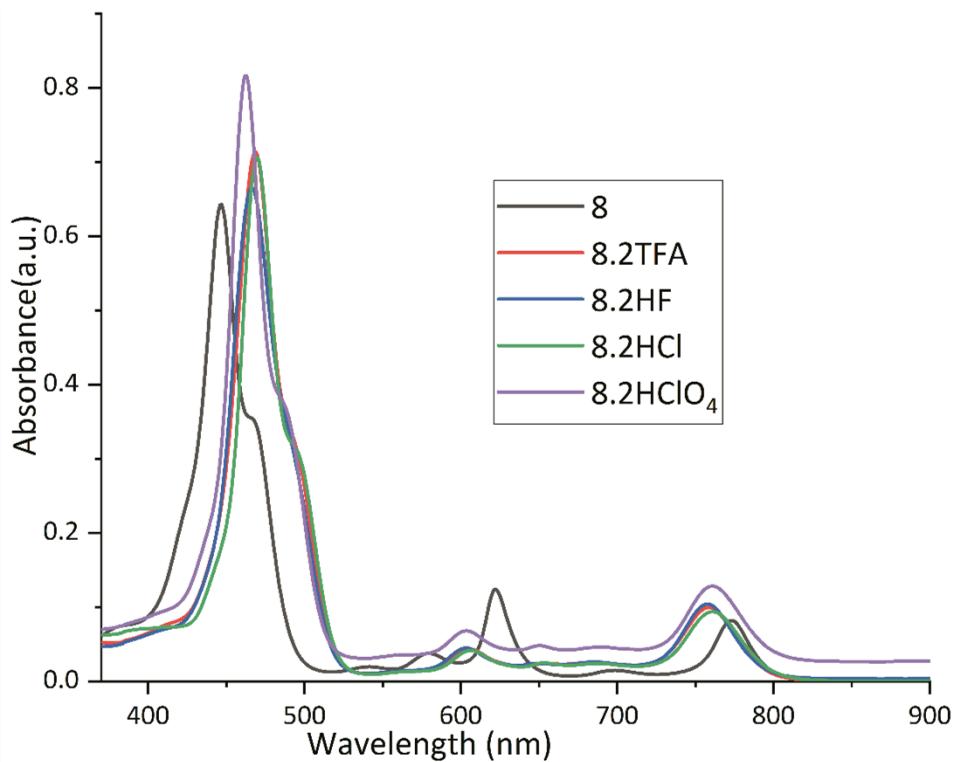
**Figure S11:** Variable temperature <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra of **8** in  $\text{CDCl}_3$  (\*DCM impurity).



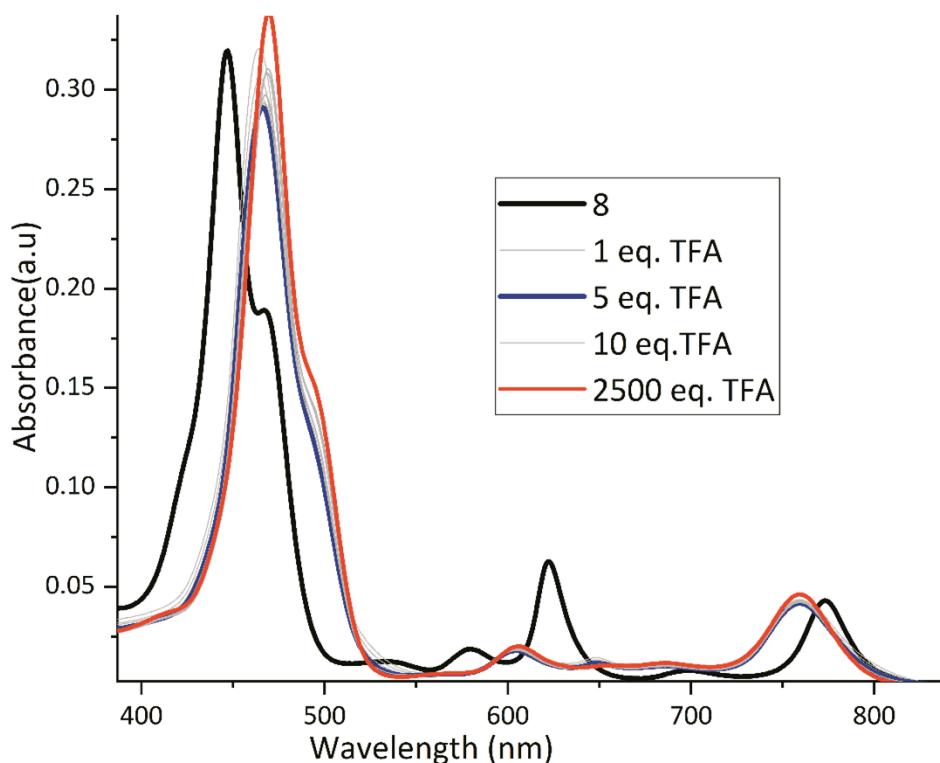
**Figure S12:** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra of compound **8** in  $\text{CDCl}_3$  titrated with TFA.



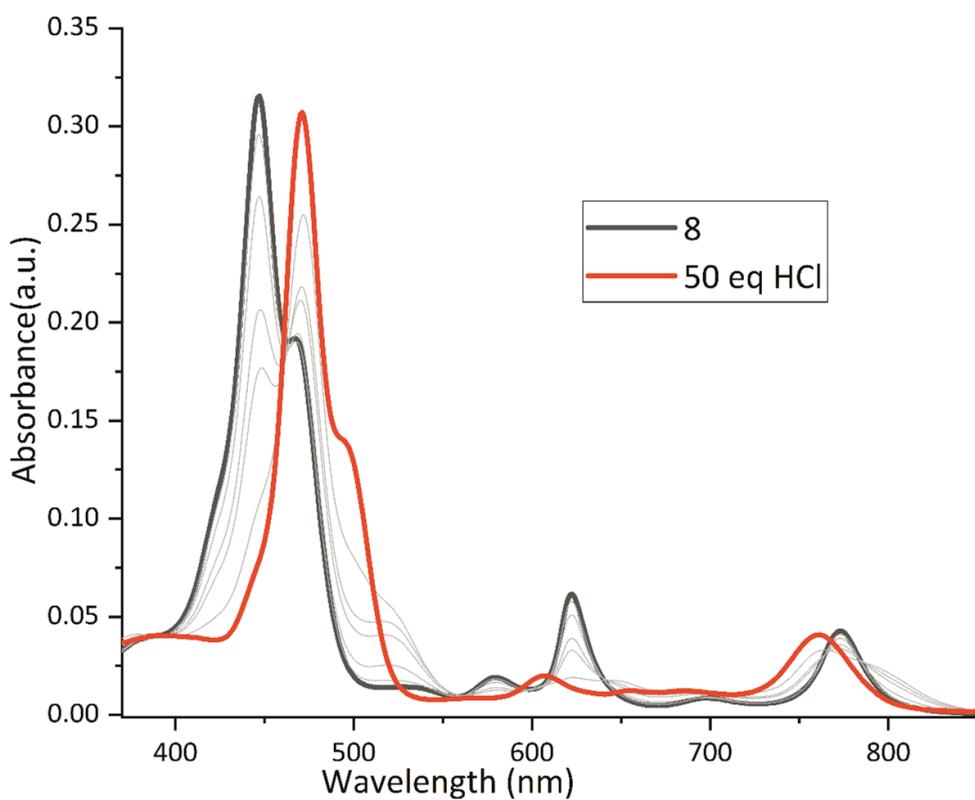
**Figure S13:** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra of **8.2TFA** (blue) and **8.2TFA** with  $\text{D}_2\text{O}$  (red) in  $\text{CDCl}_3$ .



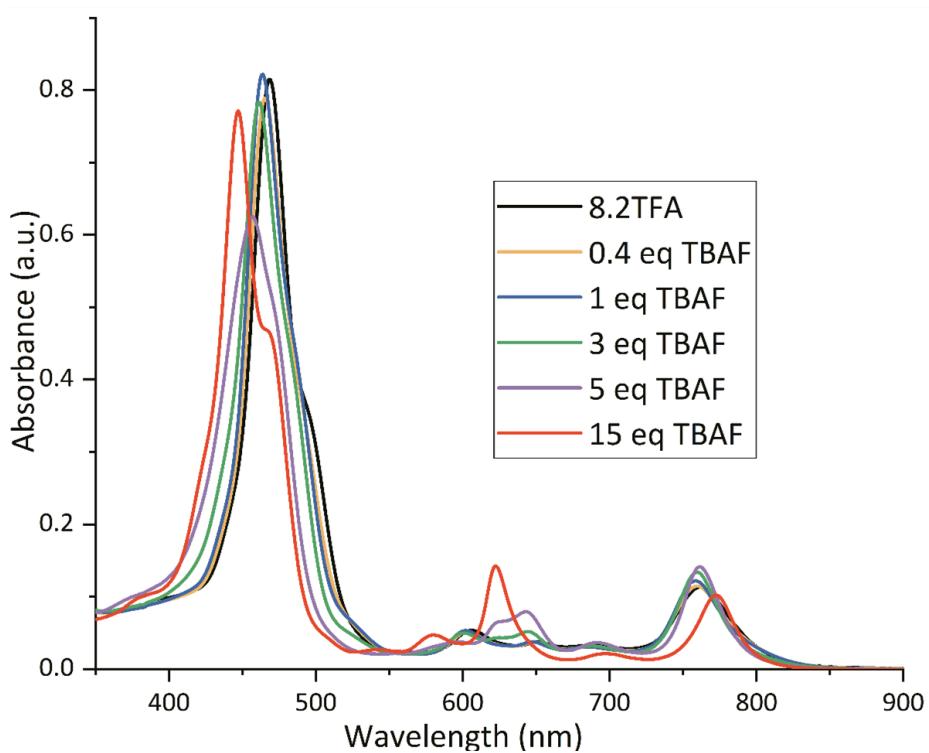
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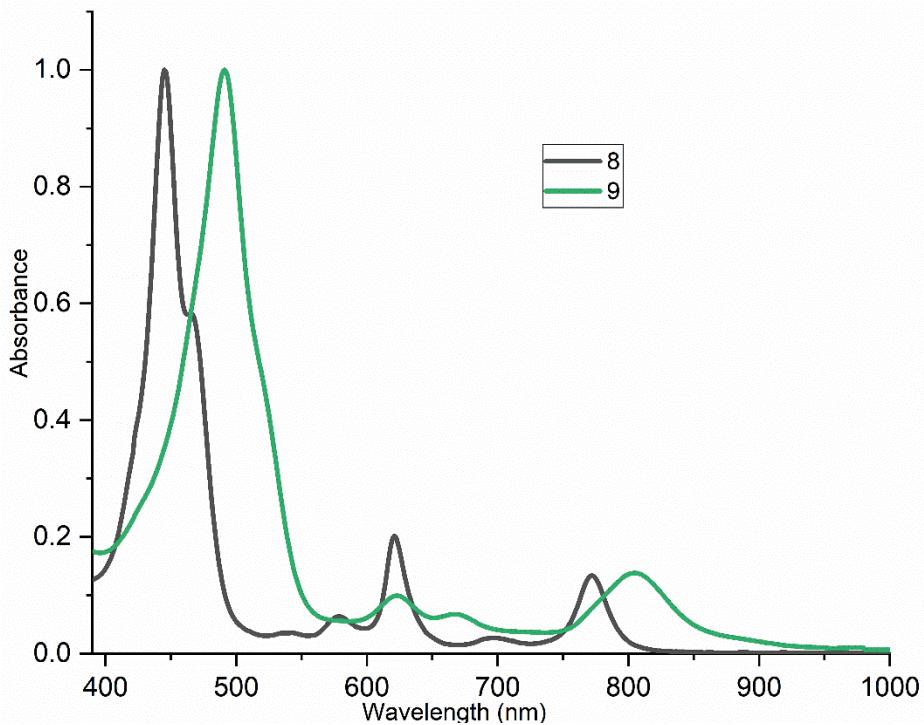
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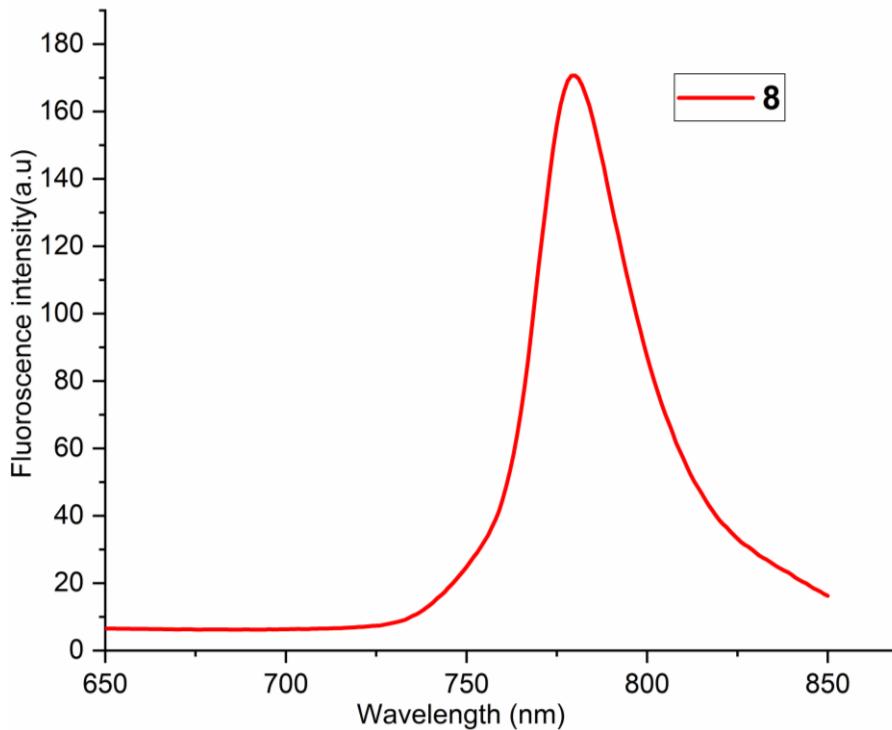
**Figure S16:** UV-vis-NIR spectra of compound **8** (1  $\mu\text{M}$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ ) titration against HCl (in methanol).



**Figure S17:** Fluoride binding with **8.TFA** (10  $\mu\text{M}$ ) using  $\text{TBAF} \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ .



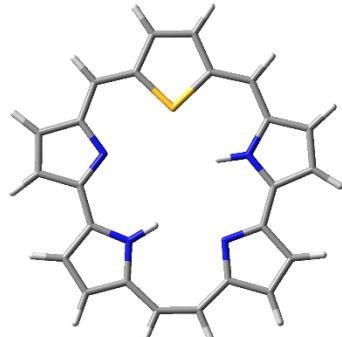
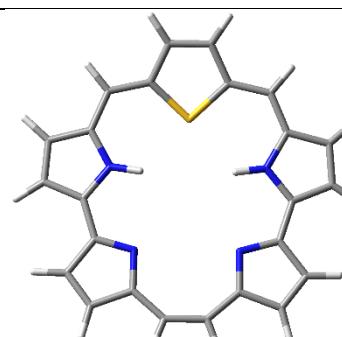
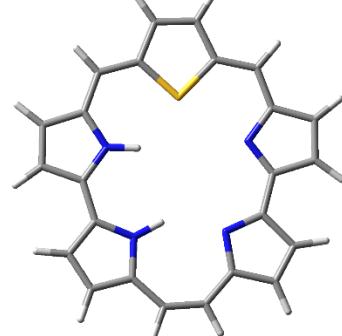
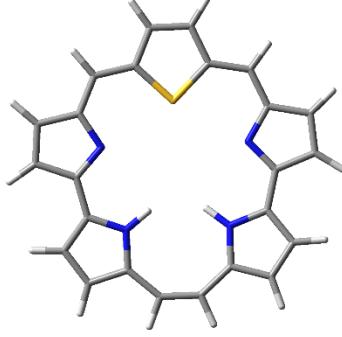
**Figure S18:** UV-vis-NIR spectra of **8** and **9** in  $\text{CHCl}_3$ .



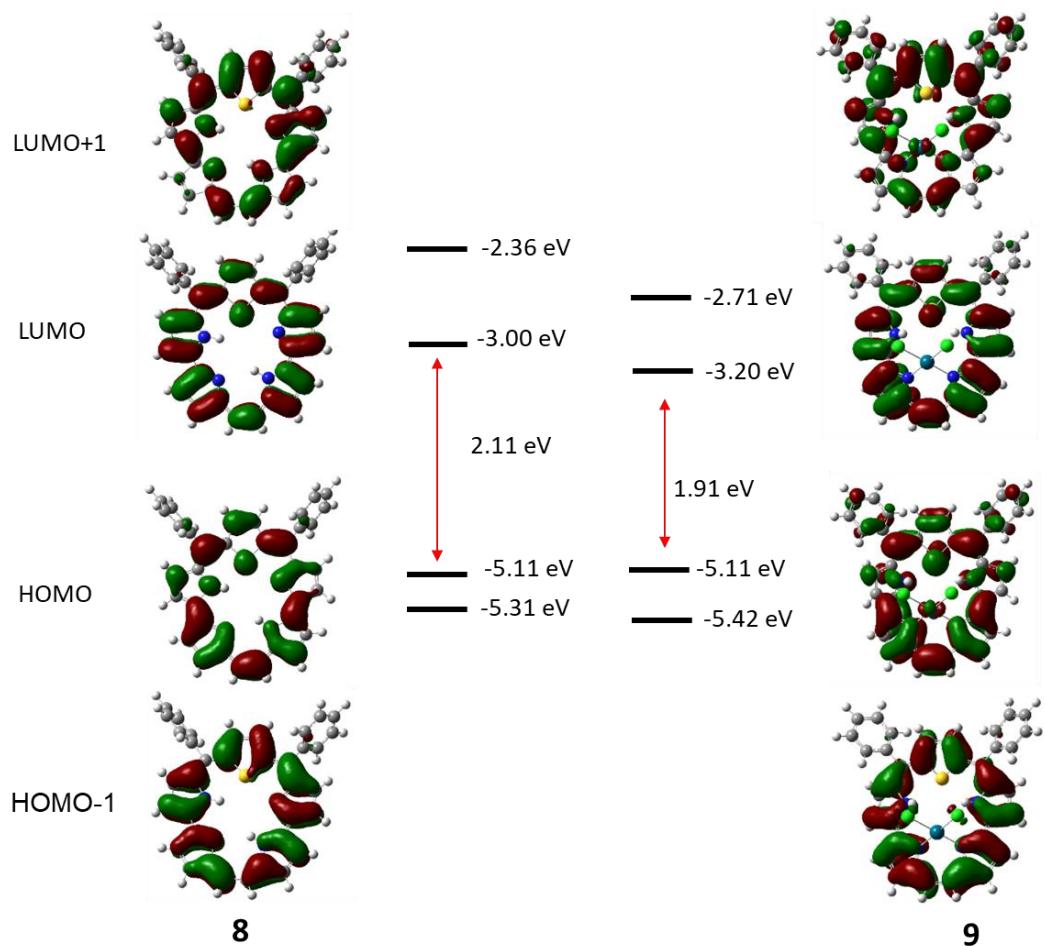
**Figure S19:** Emission spectrum of **8** in chloroform ( $\lambda_{\text{ex}}$ : 428 nm).

## Computational studies

All quantum mechanical calculations are performed by Gaussian 09 programme<sup>S4</sup> provided by CMSD facility at University of Hyderabad. Ground state optimisation has been performed by density functional theory (DFT) using Becke's three-parameter hybrid exchange functional and the Lee-Yang-Parr correlation functional (B3LYP) employing 6-31G(D,P) basis set for C, H, N, S and LANL2DZ for Pd atom. The NICS values were obtained with gauge independent atomic orbital (GIAO) method based on the optimized geometries.<sup>S5</sup> HOMA (Harmonic Oscillator Model of Aromaticity) indices were calculated by using Ropt (C-C) = 1.388 Å and Ropt = 1.334 Å.<sup>S6-S8</sup> The molecular orbitals were visualized using Gauss view 5.

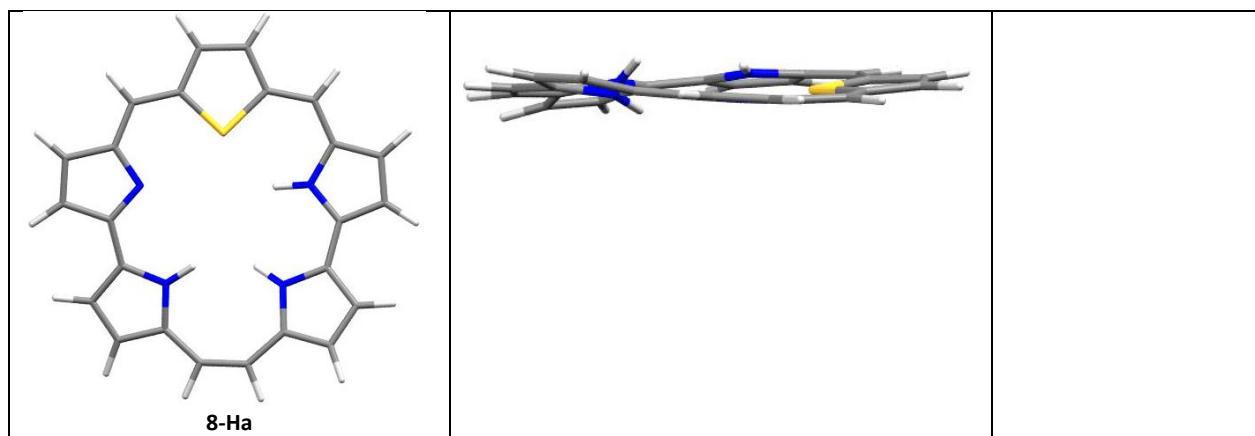
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 <i>8-cis1</i>	 	12.9	48.20	10.37
 <i>8-cis2</i>	 	6.68	48.20	5.07
 <i>8-cis3</i>	 	4.15	50.73	3.22

**Table S1:** Optimised properties of different tautomers of **8** (tolyl groups are removed for clarity).



**Figure S20:** Frontier orbital diagram of **8** and **9**.

Front View	Side Views	Relative energies(kcal/mol)
		0
		4.76



**Table S2:** Relative energies of optimized geometries of different modes of mono-protonation of **8** in chloroform (tolyl groups are removed for clarity).

Front View	Side Views	Relative energies (kcal/mol)
		0
		9.68

**Table S3:** Relative energies of conformations having different mode of binding of Pd to **8** (tolyl groups are removed for clarity).

**Table S4:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of 1:

Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z
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2	C	0.682926	4.785286	0.00042
3	C	-0.68286	4.785294	0.000054
4	C	-1.13782	3.423058	-0.00016
5	N	0.000022	2.632457	0.000069
6	C	-3.88673	-0.18532	-7.8E-05
7	C	-5.09211	0.63036	-0.00035
8	C	-4.67098	1.9202	-0.00061
9	C	-3.21022	1.878171	-0.00045
10	N	-2.75389	0.595987	-0.00017
11	C	-2.4864	3.084049	-0.00047
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13	C	-1.55291	-4.32334	0.000602
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21	N	1.524465	-2.07583	-0.00012
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25	C	3.210254	1.878127	0.000322
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28	C	-3.93064	-1.57914	0.000252
29	C	3.930612	-1.57919	-0.0005
30	H	1.347371	5.638613	0.000667
31	H	-1.34729	5.638629	-4.3E-05
32	H	0.000018	1.623225	-4.9E-05
33	H	-6.10569	0.24956	-0.00036
34	H	-5.26758	2.823903	-0.00087
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36	H	-1.20868	-5.34731	0.000781
37	H	-3.75812	-4.4919	0.000945
38	H	-1.28612	-1.08701	-7.5E-05
39	H	1.208601	-5.34733	-0.00033
40	H	3.758054	-4.49195	-0.00086
41	H	1.286101	-1.08703	0.000164
42	H	6.105692	0.249469	-0.0003
43	H	5.267626	2.823826	0.000441
44	H	3.123522	3.964607	0.000825
45	H	-4.9149	-2.03775	0.000372
46	H	4.914866	-2.03782	-0.00074

**Table S5:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of 2:

Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z
1	C	-1.129715	2.888314	0.000583
2	C	-0.692927	4.243636	0.000344
3	C	0.692776	4.243665	-0.000023
4	C	1.129634	2.888357	0.000014
5	N	-0.000014	2.117153	0.000489
6	C	3.947799	0.783671	-0.000283
7	C	4.637645	2.062075	-0.000628
8	C	3.670342	3.025883	-0.000557
9	C	2.413374	2.31235	-0.00022
10	N	2.595597	0.962745	-0.000128
11	C	0.71388	-2.85653	0.000159
12	C	1.446223	-4.08365	0.000341
13	C	2.787641	-3.793923	0.000457
14	C	2.935816	-2.382249	0.000292
15	N	1.657392	-1.841635	0.000088
16	C	-0.713807	-2.856549	0.000087
17	C	-1.446169	-4.083679	-0.00002
18	C	-2.787573	-3.793979	-0.000345
19	C	-2.935743	-2.382286	-0.000253
20	N	-1.657317	-1.841659	0.000031
24	C	-2.413416	2.312226	0.000387
25	N	-2.595623	0.962673	0.000021
26	C	4.199282	-1.756075	0.000194
27	C	-4.199181	-1.756131	-0.000386
28	C	4.63919	-0.443263	-0.000108
29	C	-4.639201	-0.443354	-0.00059
30	H	-1.344023	5.106147	0.000509
31	H	1.343841	5.106199	-0.000318
32	H	-0.000016	1.111	0.000127
33	H	5.712229	2.194139	-0.000831
34	H	3.795722	4.100451	-0.000695
35	H	1.011245	-5.069663	0.000277
36	H	3.611179	-4.494427	0.000583
37	H	1.547796	-0.82154	0.000062
38	H	-1.011151	-5.069674	0.000247
39	H	-3.61114	-4.494453	-0.00059
40	H	-1.547714	-0.82157	-0.000085
41	H	-5.712265	2.19409	-0.000099
42	H	-3.795746	4.100383	0.000794
43	H	4.998017	-2.494102	0.000328

21	C	-3.947866	0.783603	-0.000214		44	H	5.721257	-0.333586	-0.000204
22	C	-4.637681	2.06201	-0.000033		45	H	-5.721264	-0.33378	-0.000877
23	C	-3.670373	3.025816	0.00045		46	H	-4.997899	-2.494185	-0.000615

**Table S6:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of 3:

Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z	Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z
1	C	-4.403494	1.310985	0.000007	24	N	2.741451	1.443464	-7E-06
2	C	-4.126718	-0.057968	-0.000005	25	C	2.577124	2.804757	0.000016
3	N	-2.835334	-0.557149	-0.000038	26	C	3.880668	3.36567	0.000039
4	C	-2.925621	-1.892387	-0.000009	27	C	4.80243	2.320942	0.000028
5	C	-4.313905	-2.317508	0.000037	28	C	0.149711	2.698223	-8.2E-05
6	C	-5.062321	-1.169318	0.000041	29	C	1.296287	3.441997	0.000009
7	C	-1.731082	-2.681655	-0.000008	30	H	-5.44041	1.63243	0.000054
8	N	-0.498405	-2.073796	-0.000025	31	H	-4.6717	-3.33868	0.000065
9	C	0.51412	-2.996352	-0.000006	32	H	-6.14203	-1.08711	0.00007
10	C	-0.104548	-4.266216	0.000023	33	H	-0.35794	-1.07616	-3.8E-05
11	C	-1.490535	-4.071158	0.000022	34	H	0.414276	-5.2143	0.000041
12	C	1.894056	-2.61395	-0.000003	35	H	-2.2525	-4.83784	0.000038
13	N	2.293745	-1.330427	-0.000004	36	H	5.17698	-3.05912	0.000001
14	C	3.68066	-1.364237	-0.000002	37	H	2.971388	-4.60745	0
15	C	4.141614	-2.742039	0	38	H	5.576038	-0.40764	0.00001
16	C	3.024336	-3.526876	-0.000001	39	H	-4.28085	4.357883	0.000119
17	C	4.502789	-0.240986	0.000003	40	H	-1.72775	5.190419	0.000091
18	C	-3.395316	2.305973	-0.000022	41	H	-1.86137	0.929505	-0.00011
19	C	4.073936	1.103037	0.000004	42	H	2.045767	0.699008	0.00001
20	C	-3.397995	3.732657	0.000057	43	H	4.095602	4.425563	0.000053
21	C	-2.072139	4.165676	0.000045	44	H	5.880931	2.401435	0.000035
22	C	-1.23907	3.009732	-0.000049	45	H	0.294179	1.620176	-0.00019
23	N	-2.079913	1.936469	-0.000099	46	H	1.278639	4.527973	0.000092

**Table S7:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of 4:

Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z	Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.806784	-3.043877	-0.000336	24	C	4.343076	-2.438044	-0.001126
2	C	0.438406	-4.422792	-0.000388	25	C	3.764328	-1.10777	-0.000454
3	C	-0.93378	-4.496766	0.000361	26	N	2.400978	-1.16597	-0.000208
4	C	-1.464015	-3.168065	0.000684	27	C	4.601099	0.034215	0.000091
5	N	-0.362973	-2.321055	0.000228	28	C	4.361786	1.393027	0.000845
6	C	-3.973022	0.584305	-0.00016	29	H	1.135472	-5.247431	-0.000876
7	C	-5.207749	-0.124883	0.000192	30	H	-1.544628	-5.38927	0.000537
8	C	-4.916456	-1.472869	0.000791	31	H	-6.184438	0.339055	-0.000006
9	C	-3.495296	-1.629068	0.000808	32	H	-5.615587	-2.298073	0.001172
10	C	-2.818903	-2.853594	0.001084	33	H	-0.550422	5.267089	-0.001425
11	C	-0.365681	2.997764	-0.000343	34	H	-3.182153	4.754968	-0.002046
12	C	-1.030959	4.299836	-0.001096	35	H	1.585757	5.078609	0.001175
13	C	-2.364393	4.045551	-0.001447	36	H	4.118871	4.201165	0.002114
14	C	-2.502987	2.601145	-0.000891	37	H	3.339351	-4.395899	-0.001709
15	N	-1.263465	1.987029	-0.000246	38	H	5.402792	-2.659586	-0.001441
16	C	1.054606	2.914724	0.000269	39	H	5.657752	-0.224618	-0.000025
17	C	1.914095	4.050984	0.000964	40	H	5.258462	2.008314	0.001336

18	C	3.216676	3.605163	0.001492		41	H	1.598733	0.812111	-0.000017
19	C	3.192919	2.184643	0.000955		42	H	-0.363322	-1.312572	0.000796
20	N	1.86813	1.799412	0.000331		43	N	-2.966318	-0.355242	0.000217
21	C	-3.740742	1.963268	-0.000789		44	H	-2.001075	-0.035155	0.000209
22	C	2.104649	-2.499129	-0.00064		45	H	-4.621708	2.597732	-0.001197
23	C	3.299561	-3.315304	-0.001258		46	H	-3.472332	-3.720455	0.001499

**Table S8:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of **8-trans**:

Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z		Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z
1	C	2.782798	2.63726	-0.00108		34	H	-3.63534	2.422627	-0.00903
2	C	2.642509	4.057078	0.054295		35	H	0.316997	-5.83795	-0.08665
3	C	1.298931	4.352392	0.057504		36	H	-2.22752	-5.00789	-0.09414
4	C	0.559426	3.125389	0.000142		37	H	2.570975	-5.83642	-0.00859
5	N	1.515938	2.118437	-0.03542		38	H	5.163934	-5.12801	-0.01837
6	C	-2.29509	-0.67861	0.002646		39	H	2.847753	-1.59205	0.009348
7	C	-3.35348	0.262024	0.004982		40	H	5.507776	3.533421	0.016589
8	C	-2.94928	1.585233	0.000715		41	H	7.24436	1.469424	0.00262
9	C	-1.54286	1.754203	0.011326		42	H	7.092724	-0.93136	-0.01809
10	S	-0.75764	0.173061	0.022565		43	H	6.438059	-3.06549	-0.01868
11	C	-0.83972	2.977899	0.009913		44	C	-4.28469	-3.34899	1.101117
12	C	0.775972	-3.6071	0.00723		45	C	-5.56418	-3.91027	1.079207
13	C	-0.04116	-4.81877	-0.04465		46	C	-6.35421	-3.81468	-0.06955
14	C	-1.33513	-4.40016	-0.04625		47	C	-5.85708	-3.15387	-1.19658
15	C	-1.28977	-2.94421	0.010752		48	C	-4.57933	-2.58975	-1.17323
16	N	0.00906	-2.503	0.041494		49	C	-3.7763	-2.682	-0.02487
17	C	2.195255	-3.64437	0.004906		50	H	-3.67412	-3.42128	1.996436
18	C	2.973705	-4.8349	-0.0065		51	H	-5.94271	-4.42018	1.960584
19	C	4.302438	-4.47455	-0.01087		52	H	-7.34821	-4.25217	-0.08702
20	C	4.377479	-3.05303	-0.005		53	H	-6.46144	-3.0798	-2.09625
21	N	3.079724	-2.58342	0.006965		54	H	-4.19256	-2.084	-2.05331
22	C	-2.40228	-2.08547	-0.00058		55	C	-1.65048	4.241635	0.026141
23	C	3.9675	1.87303	-0.00572		56	C	-2.29817	4.659577	1.199214
24	C	5.285916	2.475081	0.006421		57	C	-3.05178	5.836007	1.21552
25	C	6.162281	1.433414	-0.00152		58	C	-3.17215	6.608982	0.057118
26	C	5.361429	0.218654	-0.01427		59	C	-2.53359	6.199776	-1.11672
27	N	4.029038	0.508716	-0.01859		60	C	-1.77762	5.024528	-1.13172
28	C	6.009964	-1.03933	-0.01586		61	H	-2.20234	4.062041	2.101312
29	C	5.607904	-2.3626	-0.01348		62	H	-3.54191	6.148446	2.133205
30	H	3.461156	4.760134	0.097561		63	H	-3.75906	7.522821	0.069181
31	H	0.847556	5.331882	0.106369		64	H	-2.62417	6.792924	-2.02226
32	H	1.348971	1.123893	-0.08921		65	H	-1.28531	4.706392	-2.04629
33	H	-4.39056	-0.0486	0.008193						

**Table S9:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of **8-cis-1**:

Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z		Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z
1	C	-1.90274	-3.43756	-0.14224		33	H	-1.91848	5.643807	-0.41792
2	C	-1.34708	-4.73332	-0.30249		34	H	0.752894	5.397357	-0.41604

3	C	0.029917	-4.6067	-0.29767		35	H	-4.36411	5.012324	-0.14011
4	C	0.3586	-3.22696	-0.13159		36	H	-6.52689	3.421095	0.113632
5	N	-0.85213	-2.55948	-0.05754		37	H	-4.36155	-5.01448	-0.14136
6	C	1.954552	1.289536	-0.04307		38	H	-6.52516	-3.42439	0.112277
7	C	3.212144	0.689493	0.243786		39	H	-6.92503	-1.09392	0.30833
8	C	3.212504	-0.68781	0.243837		40	H	-6.92556	1.090346	0.308788
9	C	1.955236	-1.28852	-0.04301		41	C	2.946482	4.457185	1.156222
10	S	0.787366	0.00018	-0.38306		42	C	4.020299	5.346123	1.244967
11	C	1.655121	-2.65773	-0.05532		43	C	4.965953	5.41089	0.217719
12	C	-1.90452	3.436663	-0.14204		44	C	4.832315	4.579589	-0.89808
13	C	-1.34952	4.732685	-0.30229		45	C	3.761604	3.686861	-0.98384
14	C	0.027556	4.60671	-0.29764		46	C	2.80343	3.615394	0.040813
15	C	0.356896	3.227131	-0.13171		47	H	2.2158	4.406319	1.95808
16	N	-0.8535	2.559053	-0.05749		48	H	4.118626	5.985286	2.117763
17	C	-3.25595	3.026383	-0.05838		49	H	5.799675	6.103637	0.28591
18	C	-4.39668	3.933867	-0.06003		50	H	5.559023	4.627307	-1.70406
19	C	-5.48431	3.131059	0.07055		51	H	3.656483	3.045804	-1.85431
20	C	-4.98486	1.750941	0.132241		52	C	2.805303	-3.61396	0.041047
21	N	-3.6229	1.73269	0.056139		53	C	2.948742	-4.45554	1.156593
22	C	1.653725	2.658559	-0.05547		54	C	4.022977	-5.34395	1.245484
23	C	-3.25437	-3.02799	-0.05877		55	C	4.968684	-5.40841	0.218258
24	C	-4.39465	-3.93606	-0.06094		56	C	4.83466	-4.57734	-0.89766
25	C	-5.48271	-3.13384	0.069573		57	C	3.763521	-3.68514	-0.98358
26	C	-4.98396	-1.75347	0.131779		58	H	2.218046	-4.4049	1.958448
27	N	-3.62201	-1.73452	0.056099		59	H	4.121608	-5.98295	2.118368
28	C	-5.91156	-0.70153	0.235173		60	H	5.802733	-6.10075	0.286528
29	C	-5.9119	0.698483	0.235412		61	H	5.561404	-4.62483	-1.70362
30	H	0.755615	-5.39703	-0.41602		62	H	3.658074	-3.04427	-1.85415
31	H	4.08323	1.286661	0.480905		63	H	-1.01111	1.577446	0.129126
32	H	4.083921	-1.28452	0.480889		64	H	-1.01017	-1.578	0.129426
						65	H	-1.9156	-5.64471	-0.41819

**Table S10:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of **8-cis-2**:

Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z		Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z
1	C	-0.97388	-3.45446	-0.05094		34	H	-3.24118	4.821377	-0.21117
2	C	-0.24173	-4.73058	0.000627		35	H	-0.61613	5.323861	-0.24247
3	C	1.07851	-4.41903	0.021242		36	H	-5.27356	3.711141	0.08095
4	C	1.143842	-2.9612	-0.02911		37	H	-7.16482	1.799109	0.126668
5	N	-0.10689	-2.41815	-0.0723		38	H	-3.41545	-0.14385	0.008282
6	C	1.668064	1.687299	-0.02712		39	H	-2.77172	-5.64719	-0.0991
7	C	3.067243	1.448491	0.031749		40	H	-5.35191	-4.91028	-0.05881
8	C	3.404448	0.109799	0.032717		41	H	-6.56721	-2.84996	0.028189
9	C	2.297768	-0.78014	-0.00469		42	H	-7.20808	-0.68665	0.097988
10	S	0.806506	0.144162	-0.0884		43	C	1.919607	5.013059	1.079225
11	C	2.321641	-2.18573	0.000663		44	C	2.714125	6.162171	1.06673
12	C	-2.62213	2.693501	0.001915		45	C	3.463044	6.486178	-0.068
13	C	-2.44434	4.098256	-0.12145		46	C	3.414511	5.653121	-1.18924
14	C	-1.08876	4.359197	-0.137		47	C	2.623336	4.501853	-1.17494

15	C	-0.38501	3.125916	-0.02089		48	C	1.864712	4.168529	-0.04126	
16	N	-1.36739	2.141111	0.057901		49	H	1.342769	4.761239	1.964451	
17	C	-3.85575	2.000583	0.038312		50	H	2.749516	6.80132	1.944354	
18	C	-5.12264	2.641835	0.070134		51	H	4.079751	7.380156	-0.07825	
19	C	-6.09259	1.66354	0.097198		52	H	3.990191	5.899227	-2.07692	
20	C	-5.4447	0.399537	0.077425		53	H	2.583179	3.858594	-2.04922	
21	N	-4.08407	0.635858	0.048555		54	C	3.649914	-2.87444	0.052484	
22	C	1.016833	2.931958	-0.02723		55	C	4.442546	-2.82374	1.210814	
23	C	-2.39371	-3.40583	-0.05079		56	C	5.677403	-3.4752	1.259293	
24	C	-3.16864	-4.64357	-0.06984		57	C	6.141259	-4.18543	0.148355	
25	C	-4.4743	-4.27637	-0.05153		58	C	5.361476	-4.24115	-1.01008	
26	C	-4.48571	-2.82266	-0.01661		59	C	4.125533	-3.59124	-1.05747	
27	N	-3.21952	-2.31321	-0.02174		60	H	4.080012	-2.2818	2.079626	
28	C	-5.73202	-2.15289	0.02764		61	H	6.273443	-3.43151	2.166479	
29	C	-6.13052	-0.83052	0.070724		62	H	7.101159	-4.69231	0.185769	
30	H	-0.67237	-5.72048	0.035166		63	H	5.714397	-4.78922	-1.8791	
31	H	1.920293	-5.09466	0.076691		64	H	3.523415	-3.63298	-1.96044	
32	H	3.793108	2.250587	0.077612		65	H	-1.18798	1.15797	0.210808	
33	H	4.42381	-0.2535	0.065632							

**Table S11:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of **8-cis3**:

Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z		Label	Symbol	X	Y	Z	
1	C	1.797309	-3.40845	-0.0417		34	H	1.87435	5.67696	0.191728	
2	C	1.28586	-4.77294	-0.1068		35	H	-0.79917	5.456824	0.076235	
3	C	-0.06858	-4.66166	-0.04325		36	H	4.244591	4.970843	0.456514	
4	C	-0.35901	-3.23238	0.051544		37	H	6.448017	3.415853	0.461896	
5	N	0.812874	-2.50774	0.060127		38	H	3.045714	1.011929	-0.2707	
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7	C	-3.1905	0.692872	-0.02405		40	H	6.447581	-3.41661	-0.46214	
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10	S	-0.67142	0.000036	0.000159		43	C	-3.15776	4.295987	-1.22213	
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14	C	-0.06801	4.661672	0.043071		47	C	-3.58891	3.774407	1.096881	
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18	C	4.289495	3.901206	0.312255		51	H	-5.85905	6.028615	-0.07619	
19	C	5.423967	3.100116	0.316891		52	H	-5.26093	4.787957	1.997619	
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23	C	3.176484	-3.06301	-0.10434		56	C	-4.67794	-4.64937	-1.09171	
24	C	4.289001	-3.90169	-0.31249		57	C	-5.01243	-5.34841	0.07188	
25	C	5.423575	-3.10075	-0.31709		58	C	-4.25007	-5.1682	1.228902	
26	C	5.030999	-1.75495	-0.11321		59	C	-3.15803	-4.29595	1.222081	

27	N	3.653781	-1.77223	0.004679		60	H	-3.32918	-3.23579	-2.00381	
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29	C	5.97025	0.686086	0.054673		62	H	-5.85977	-6.02795	0.076228	
30	H	1.873659	-5.67715	-0.19211		63	H	-4.50322	-5.70573	2.138361	
31	H	-0.79983	-5.45672	-0.07647		64	H	-2.56685	-4.1568	2.122585	
32	H	-4.09116	1.292316	-0.05049		65	H	3.045598	-1.01229	0.270668	
33	H	-4.09132	-1.2918	0.051109							

**Table S12:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of **8-H**:

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3	C	0.209588	4.48213	-0.4769		36	H	-0.91652	-5.26728	-0.70469	
4	C	-0.24855	3.15724	-0.18093		37	H	3.952992	-5.03932	-0.01849	
5	N	0.896043	2.376824	-0.07324		38	H	6.281899	-3.75388	0.353778	
6	C	-2.10895	-1.18485	-0.01585		39	H	3.258839	-0.82244	0.029533	
7	C	-3.28108	-0.54331	0.445041		40	H	4.421531	4.668118	-0.35331	
8	C	-3.2101	0.840881	0.459057		41	H	6.61889	3.156888	0.034891	
9	C	-1.97861	1.368288	0.008206		42	H	7.08604	0.83913	0.424576	
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11	C	-1.58267	2.725124	-0.03844		44	C	-3.04038	-4.51321	1.006543	
12	C	1.708488	-3.30629	-0.18216		45	C	-4.131	-5.38023	1.094869	
13	C	1.165538	-4.59163	-0.47816		46	C	-5.19819	-5.26087	0.19942	
14	C	-0.20706	-4.48431	-0.48397		47	C	-5.17287	-4.26509	-0.78243	
15	C	-0.55799	-3.13098	-0.19426		48	C	-4.08906	-3.39001	-0.86601	
16	N	0.647202	-2.45006	-0.04467		49	C	-3.0061	-3.50653	0.024617	
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23	C	3.354951	2.678255	-0.15169		56	C	-2.57138	4.743303	1.099814	
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25	C	5.585281	2.838627	-0.00531		58	C	-4.64443	5.729705	0.327923	
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28	C	6.07949	0.439341	0.330232		61	H	-1.74324	4.730074	1.801821	
29	C	6.045796	-0.94364	0.390783		62	H	-3.50199	6.457068	2.008686	
30	H	2.229408	5.304426	-0.74228		63	H	-5.41629	6.487921	0.418592	
31	H	-0.43859	5.324743	-0.66432		64	H	-5.55527	4.773069	-1.37985	
32	H	0.928685	1.42138	0.252659		65	H	-3.79767	3.0444	-1.58651	
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**Table S13:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of **8-Ha**:

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3	C	-0.68486	4.526709	-0.1315		36	H	1.623902	-5.25006	0.047041	

4	C	-0.12487	3.229022	0.092654		37	H	-3.31448	-5.48477	0.673394
5	N	-1.20943	2.361843	0.171423		38	H	-5.76083	-4.37403	0.714559
6	C	2.15185	-0.96031	-0.03628		39	H	-2.93974	-1.43628	-0.41248
7	C	3.327919	-0.18054	0.045147		40	H	-4.94947	4.145605	-0.75183
8	C	3.109502	1.184392	0.121529		41	H	-6.90539	2.30729	-0.8056
9	C	1.745226	1.552321	0.070258		42	H	-7.13883	-0.08056	-0.1962
10	S	0.749959	0.096338	-0.06603		43	H	-6.7393	-2.22613	0.19305
11	C	1.237234	2.873871	0.100689		44	C	3.806707	-3.77328	-1.26773
12	C	-1.22561	-3.56501	0.045311		45	C	5.010391	-4.48321	-1.28829
13	C	-0.53107	-4.85008	0.114947		46	C	5.798365	-4.56303	-0.13651
14	C	0.792149	-4.56095	0.022663		47	C	5.378555	-3.92781	1.036345
15	C	0.887426	-3.10515	-0.08559		48	C	4.178634	-3.21227	1.056972
16	N	-0.36642	-2.53897	-0.08762		49	C	3.380295	-3.13016	-0.09503
17	C	-2.63501	-3.43567	0.148153		50	H	3.197222	-3.712	-2.16461
18	C	-3.56566	-4.45516	0.46621		51	H	5.329662	-4.97304	-2.20339
19	C	-4.82333	-3.8841	0.491204		52	H	6.732008	-5.11726	-0.15199
20	C	-4.69981	-2.50024	0.187719		53	H	5.982455	-3.99024	1.936736
21	N	-3.349	-2.26137	0.001934		54	H	3.853932	-2.72588	1.972318
22	C	2.084422	-2.37579	-0.08227		55	C	2.22078	4.003078	0.104937
23	C	-3.66822	2.44744	-0.11683		56	C	3.062247	4.224796	-0.99818
24	C	-4.8647	3.098825	-0.4992		57	C	3.967742	5.287918	-0.99353
25	C	-5.87121	2.151553	-0.53271		58	C	4.051731	6.13532	0.115758
26	C	-5.31995	0.892926	-0.17794		59	C	3.221594	5.918366	1.219327
27	N	-3.97087	1.1027	0.052255		60	C	2.307356	4.862059	1.212944
28	C	-6.07928	-0.29883	-0.09181		61	H	2.995724	3.573776	-1.86481
29	C	-5.82618	-1.64395	0.100872		62	H	4.604944	5.454384	-1.85682
30	H	-2.76282	5.200456	-0.39961		63	H	4.75895	6.959177	0.119341
31	H	-0.10585	5.428657	-0.25822		64	H	3.283842	6.569731	2.085822
32	H	-1.13626	1.380004	0.39356		65	H	1.66628	4.694691	2.073442
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**Table S14:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of **9**:

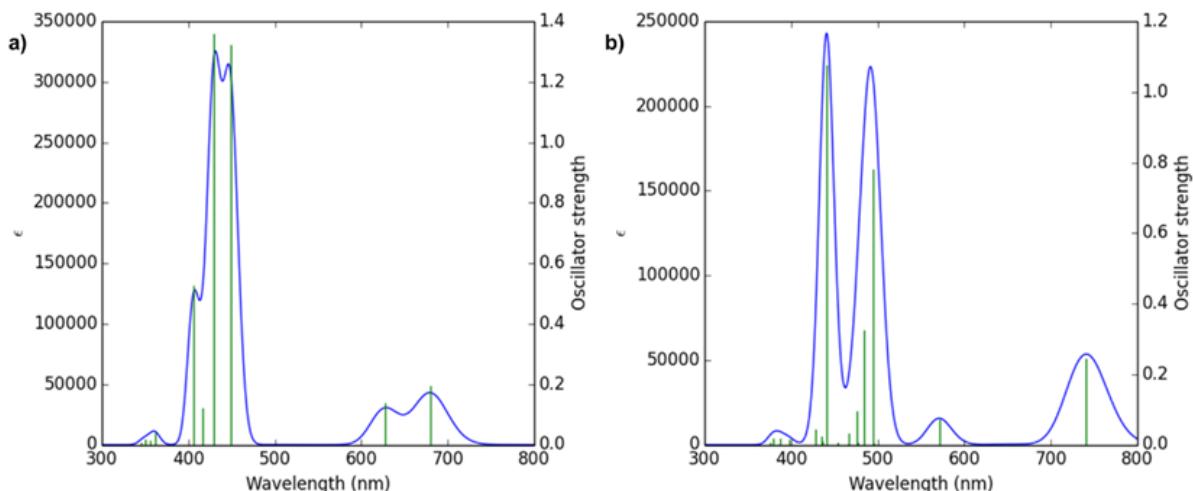
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3	S	1.471644	0.000194	-0.53787		37	H	-0.3326	-1.7632	0.41242
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5	N	-0.18871	2.408498	-0.36929		39	C	-4.50997	-1.66265	-0.47146
6	H	-0.33328	1.762639	0.411567		40	C	-1.25379	-3.11024	-0.86376
7	C	3.370237	3.64413	-0.09613		41	C	2.274587	-2.64675	-0.20365
8	C	-4.51076	1.660736	-0.47139		42	C	3.711807	-0.69167	0.574361
9	C	-1.25523	3.109712	-0.86402		43	H	4.506712	-1.29173	0.999008
10	C	2.273408	2.647594	-0.20431		44	C	-2.61416	-2.72903	-0.79722
11	C	3.711506	0.693341	0.574157		45	C	-4.84648	-2.986	-0.93116
12	H	4.506143	1.293892	0.99862		46	H	-5.85344	-3.34625	-1.0938
13	C	-2.61544	2.727958	-0.79729		47	C	0.989418	-3.11604	-0.55578
14	C	-4.84789	2.984001	-0.93087		48	C	5.623295	-4.38855	-0.64463
15	H	-5.85502	3.343849	-1.09332		49	H	6.565486	-4.22013	-1.15828

16	C	0.988031	3.116312	-0.5564		50	C	4.209061	-5.76998	0.742356
17	C	5.62156	4.39079	-0.64435		51	H	4.052705	-6.67083	1.328607
18	H	6.563922	4.222905	-1.15777		52	C	4.606473	-3.44047	-0.74033
19	C	4.206507	5.77132	0.742692		53	H	4.754377	-2.54546	-1.33641
20	H	4.049799	6.671694	1.329418		54	C	-3.67113	-3.63399	-1.16999
21	C	4.605073	3.442384	-0.74061		55	H	-3.53452	-4.63836	-1.54413
22	H	4.753398	2.547712	-1.33701		56	C	-5.51546	-0.69173	-0.25921
23	C	-3.67284	3.632523	-1.16978		57	H	-6.50812	-1.13388	-0.21028
24	H	-3.53671	4.637001	-1.54382		58	C	-0.72751	-4.30462	-1.44713
25	C	-5.51579	0.689348	-0.25915		59	H	-1.30448	-5.04111	-1.98657
26	H	-6.50866	1.131001	-0.21013		60	C	0.634455	-4.31564	-1.24525
27	C	-0.72952	4.304452	-1.44714		61	H	1.341158	-5.05185	-1.59869
28	H	-1.30688	5.040897	-1.9862		62	C	2.557262	-1.2739	0.000455
29	C	0.632477	4.315943	-1.2455		63	C	5.42889	-5.55604	0.09742
30	H	1.338818	5.052568	-1.59878		64	C	3.189092	-4.82449	0.646641
31	C	2.556716	1.274903	0.000052		65	H	2.249176	-4.98428	1.165338
32	C	5.426588	5.557942	0.098059		66	Cl	-1.57506	1.647428	2.322519
33	C	3.186881	4.82552	0.646434		67	H	6.220293	6.295401	0.173447
34	H	2.246823	4.984751	1.164966		68	H	6.222825	-6.2933	0.172342

**Table S15:** Coordinates of optimized geometry of 9'.

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2	Cl	0.034982	0.769378	2.324775		36	H	0.118788	-1.81701	0.082928
3	S	1.332443	0.184743	-0.85831		37	C	4.242678	-2.67057	-0.16246
4	N	-3.46846	0.555515	-0.44723		38	C	-3.87629	-3.19614	-0.2655
5	N	-1.13172	2.039114	-0.54258		39	C	-0.32207	-3.77401	-0.59849
6	C	1.952547	4.200092	-0.1622		40	C	2.881288	-2.09021	-0.31727
7	C	-4.76925	0.128438	-0.45731		41	C	3.653341	0.232034	0.311011
8	C	-2.27244	2.542409	-1.09536		42	H	4.582088	-0.09119	0.76335
9	C	1.204905	2.927131	-0.357		43	C	-1.73167	-3.82543	-0.54553
10	C	3.206707	1.53921	0.317168		44	C	-3.85276	-4.59975	-0.49812
11	H	3.746008	2.359361	0.772239		45	H	-4.73236	-5.22686	-0.53914
12	C	-3.46375	1.798114	-1.04307		46	C	1.803441	-2.9841	-0.48776
13	C	-5.59555	1.153503	-1.05672		47	C	6.589287	-2.74631	-0.80432
14	H	-6.66343	1.064008	-1.20827		48	H	7.402301	-2.37883	-1.42372
15	C	-0.17056	3.020121	-0.65836		49	C	5.766241	-4.23822	0.907706
16	C	3.815984	5.674153	-0.68681		50	H	5.940208	-5.02215	1.63897
17	H	4.719723	5.874983	-1.25507		51	C	5.314547	-2.20043	-0.94335
18	C	2.166747	6.358068	0.940898		52	H	5.135256	-1.41646	-1.67242
19	H	1.793064	7.083737	1.657377		53	C	-2.54096	-4.98329	-0.68568
20	C	3.133572	4.473539	-0.87561		54	H	-2.17281	-5.97777	-0.89184
21	H	3.501767	3.746435	-1.59301		55	C	-5.05419	-2.44268	-0.05744
22	C	-4.77712	2.176115	-1.45316		56	H	-5.91016	-3.09645	0.093738
23	H	-5.04819	3.092487	-1.95872		57	C	0.561004	-4.83819	-0.93216
24	C	-5.39389	-1.10707	-0.12271		58	H	0.25119	-5.83234	-1.2191
25	H	-6.46878	-0.96273	-0.03059		59	C	1.850751	-4.36032	-0.85948
26	C	-2.05624	3.870024	-1.60196		60	H	2.758092	-4.89886	-1.08724

27	H	-2.78542	4.48083	-2.11591		61	C	2.740838	-0.68281	-0.26344
28	C	-0.76257	4.18109	-1.30191		62	C	6.819535	-3.76668	0.121434
29	H	-0.22368	5.081237	-1.55937		63	C	4.488999	-3.69721	0.767467
30	C	1.923997	1.71515	-0.24998		64	H	3.677232	-4.05077	1.395074
31	C	3.335487	6.619396	0.222922		65	Cl	-2.74493	-0.97455	2.351427
32	C	1.478297	5.160691	0.749268		66	H	3.870089	7.553096	0.371795
33	H	0.58123	4.947054	1.321636		67	H	7.81392	-4.18937	0.231232
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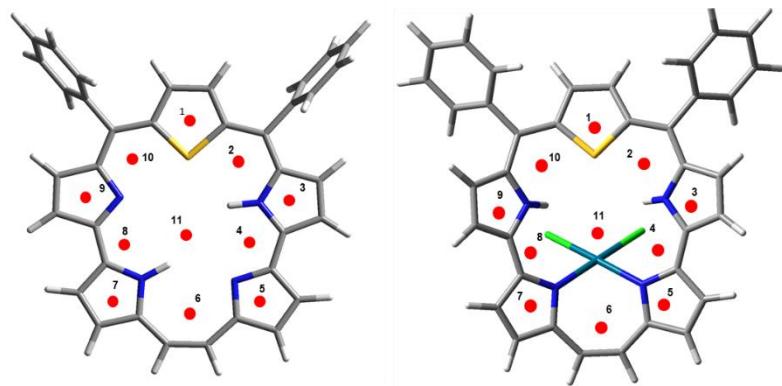
**Figure S21:** Calculated absorption spectra of a) sapphycene **8** and b) its Pd(II)-complex **9** in chloroform.

**Table S16:** Calculated electronic transition of **8** in chloroform.

Sl. No	Wavelength(nm)	Oscillator strength	Electronic transition
1	406	0.528	H-3 → LUMO (81%), H-1 → L+1 (11%)
2	429	1.360	H-1 → L+1 (68%), HOMO → LUMO (15%)
3	448	1.324	HOMO → L+1 (67%), H-1 → LUMO (26%)
4	627	0.1379	H-1 → LUMO (57%), HOMO → L+1 (21%)
5	679	0.196	HOMO → LUMO (63%), H-1 → LUMO (15%), H-1 → L+1 (15%)

**Table S17:** Calculated electronic transition of **9** in chloroform.

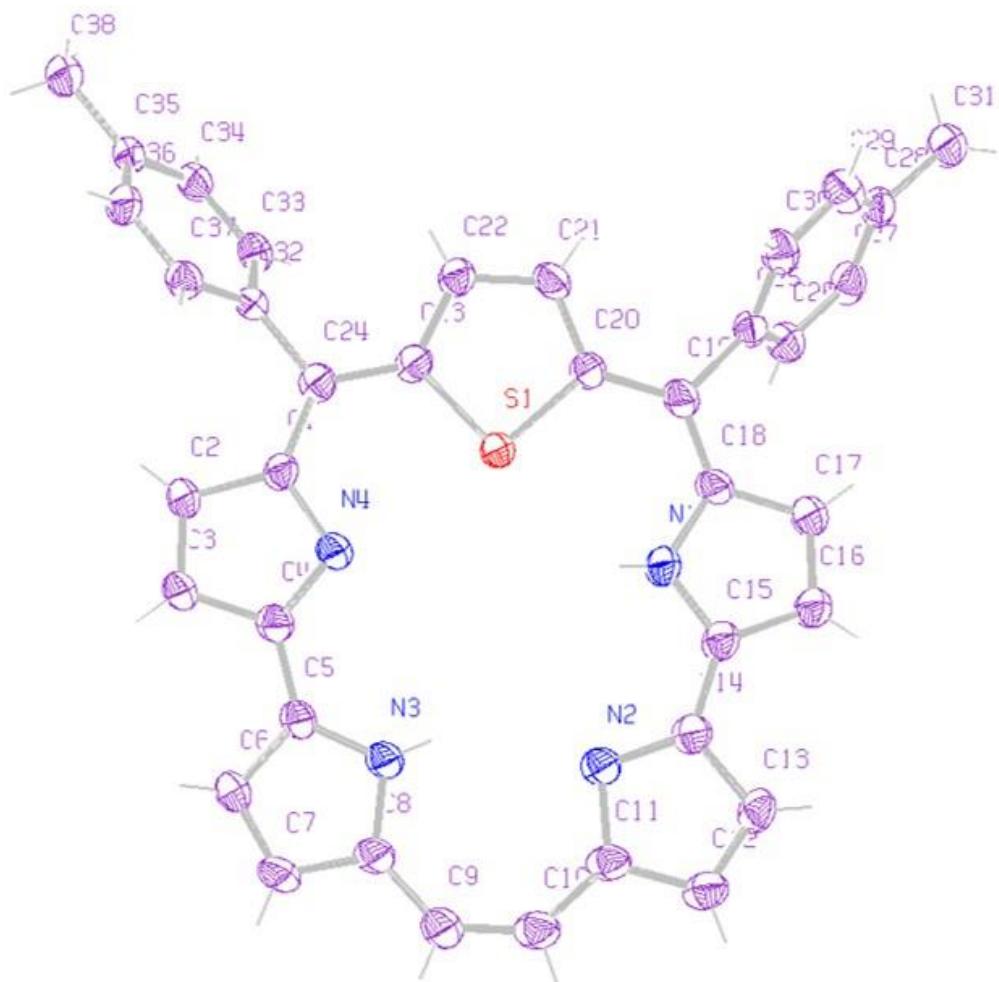
Sl. No	Wavelength(nm)	Oscillator strength	Electronic transition
1	441	1.078	H-1 → L+1 (44%), H-1 → L+2 (37%)
2	484	0.326	H-1 → L+1 (32%), H-1 → L+2 (57%)
3	494	0.782	H-1 → LUMO (26%), HOMO → L+1 (40%), HOMO → L+2 (20%)
4	740	0.246	HOMO → LUMO (82%)



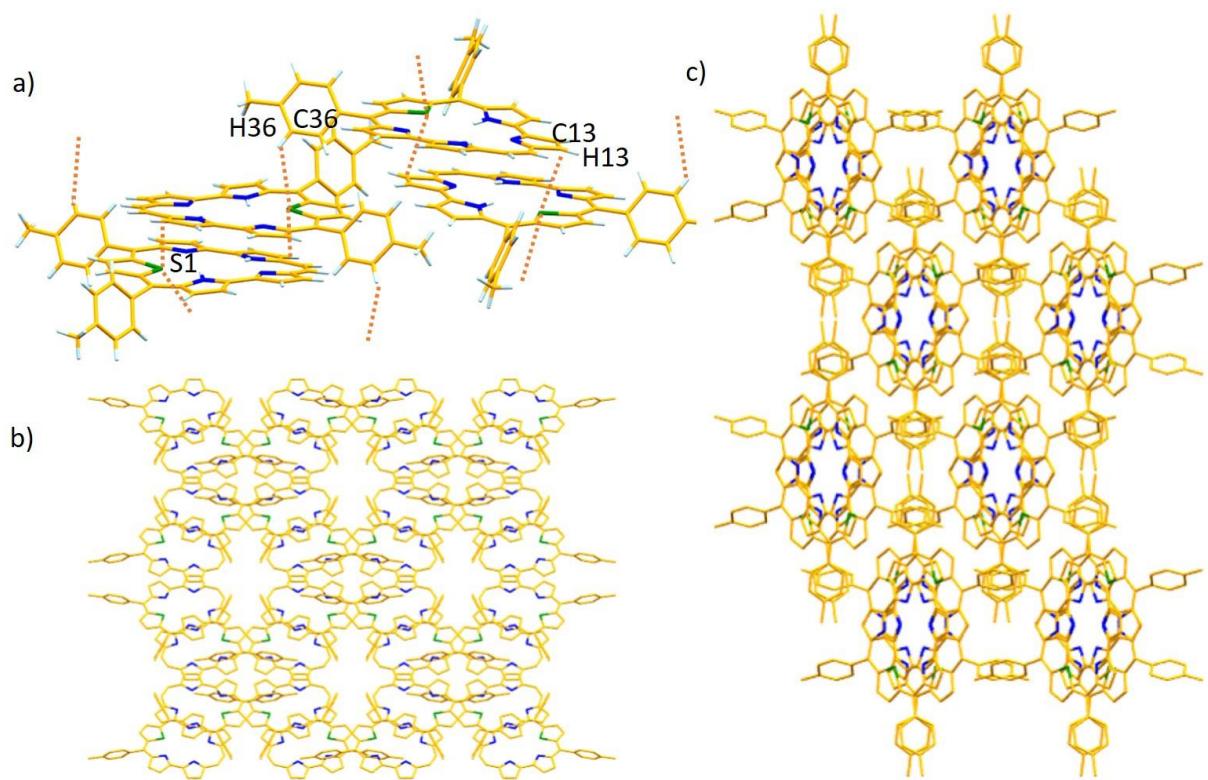
Positions	NICS(0) for <b>8</b>	NICS(0) for <b>9</b>
1	-20.4	-19.2
2	-22.7	-22.2
3	-13.5	-13.9
4	-29.6	-29.1
5	-2.9	-7.2
6	-21.5	-20.5
7	-14.7	-7.2
8	-29.7	-29.1
9	-0.8	-13.9
10	-21.9	-22.2
11	-13.6	-10.1

Compounds	NICS(0)	NICS <sub>zz</sub> (1)	HOMA
<b>8</b>	-13.6	-12.7	0.738
<b>9</b>	-10.1	-11.9	0.669

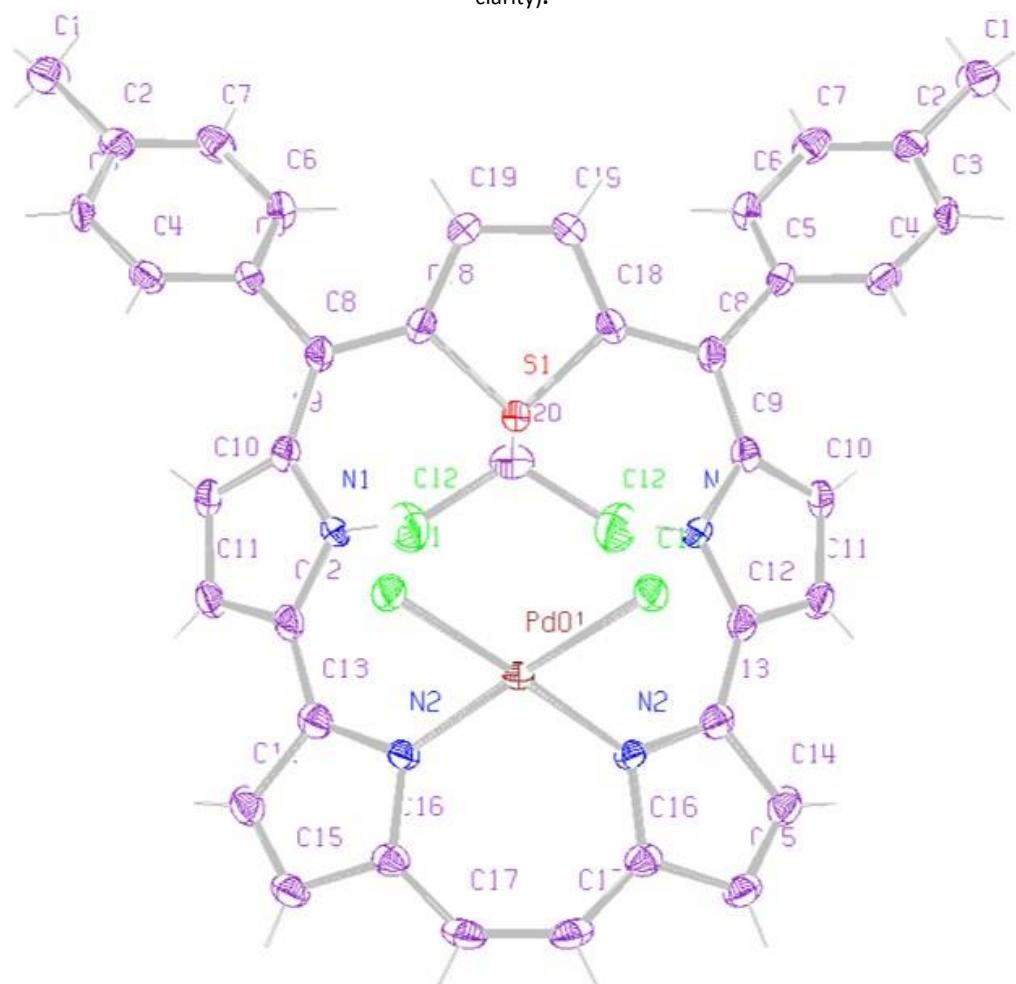
**Figure S22.** NICS(0), NICS<sub>zz</sub>(1) and HOMA indices of **8** and **9** calculated from optimized geometries.



**Figure S23:** ORTEP diagram (with 40% thermal ellipsoid) of **8**.



**Figure S24:** packing diagram of **8**: a) showing alignment of  $\pi$ -stacked planes, b) along *a*-axis, c) along *c*-axis (hydrogens are removed for clarity).



**Figure S25:** ORTEP diagram (with 40% thermal ellipsoid) of **9**.

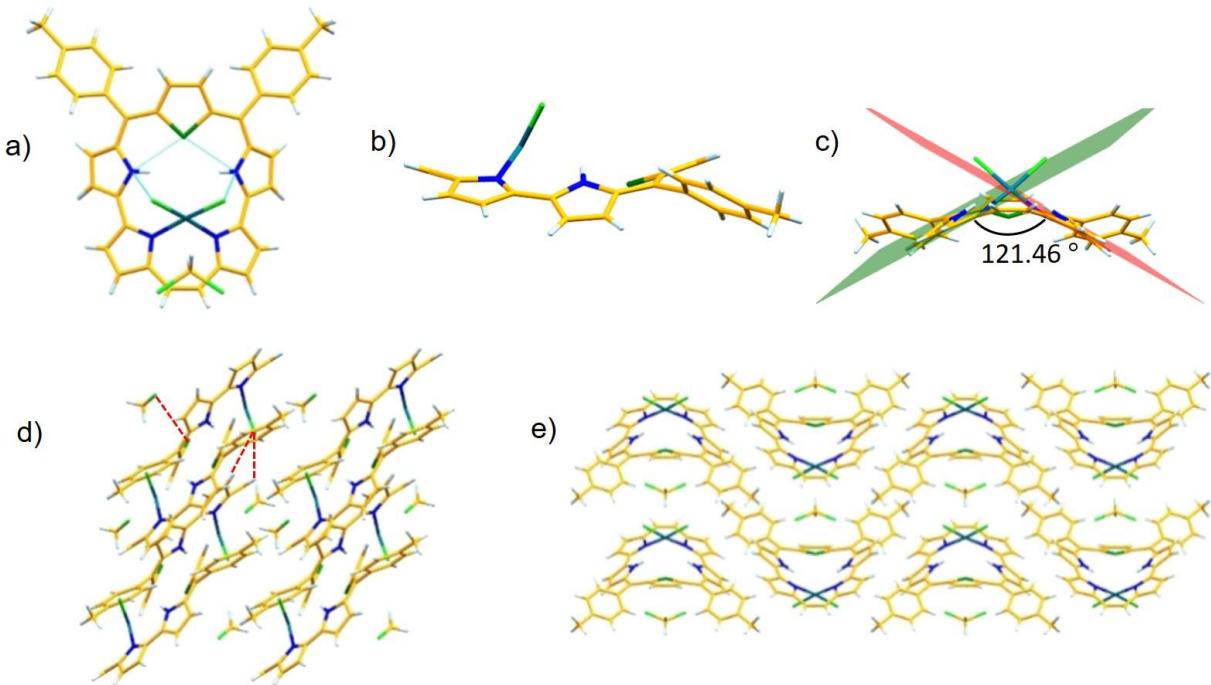


Figure S26: crystal structure of 9: a) front view b) side view c) side view showing dihedral planes of bipyrroles and d) packing diagram along *b*-axis e) packing diagram along *a*-axis.

**Table S18:** Crystal data and structure refinement parameters for sapphycene **8**:

Empirical formula	C <sub>38</sub> H <sub>28</sub> N <sub>4</sub> S
Formula weight	572.2
Temperature	109(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Monoclinic, I 2/a
Unit cell dimensions	alpha = 90 deg.      a = 12.4940(3) Å beta = 91.562(2) deg.      b = 22.0708(8) Å gamma = 90 deg.      c = 20.4806(8) Å
Volume	5645.5(3) Å <sup>3</sup>
Z, Calculated density	8, 1.348 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	0.151 mm <sup>-1</sup>
F(000)	3150
Crystal size	0.14 x 0.12 x 0.08 mm
Theta range for data collection	1.874 to 25.999 deg.
Limiting indices	-15 ≤ h ≤ 15, -27 ≤ k ≤ 27, -24 ≤ l ≤ 25
Reflections collected / unique	24633 / 5472 [R(int) = 0.1331]
Completeness to theta = 25.242	98.6 %
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	5472 / 12 / 398
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.017
Final R indices [ $>2\sigma(I)$ ]	R1 = 0.0723, wR2 = 0.1720
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.1337, wR2 = 0.2162
Extinction coefficient	n/a
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.663 and -0.802 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

**Table S19:** Crystal data and structure refinement data for Pd(II)sapphycene **9**:

Empirical formula	C <sub>39</sub> H <sub>30</sub> Cl <sub>4</sub> N <sub>4</sub> PdS
Formula weight	834.93
Temperature	293(2) K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system, space group	Monoclinic, P 21/m
Unit cell dimensions	alpha = 90 deg.      a = 7.9019(2) Å

	beta = 102.071(3) deg. b = 22.3765(6) Å gamma = 90 deg. c = 9.7921(4) Å
Volume	1693.13(9) Å <sup>3</sup>
Z, Calculated density	2, 1.638 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	0.963 mm <sup>-1</sup>
F(000)	844
Crystal size	0.200 x 0.150 x 0.100 mm
Theta range for data collection	2.313 to 25.026 deg.
Limiting indices	-9 ≤ h ≤ 9, -26 ≤ k ≤ 26, -11 ≤ l ≤ 11
Reflections collected / unique	10880 / 3009 [R(int) = 0.0686]
Completeness to theta = 25.026	97.6 %
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	3009 / 0 / 227
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.081
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0432, wR2 = 0.1044
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0548, wR2 = 0.1124
Extinction coefficient	n/a
Largest diff. peak and hole	1.0158 and -1.000 e. Å <sup>-3</sup>

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