

## Electronic Supporting Information

### **Platinum(II)-Gold(I) Heterotrinnuclear Complexes with N,N'- Diarylamine-functionalized Acetylide Ligands for Red Electroluminescence**

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## Experimental Section

**Pt(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>(C≡C-TPA)<sub>2</sub> (Pt-1).** Under dry argon atmosphere, Pt(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> (0.4 mmol), 4-ethynyl-N,N'-diphenylaniline (1.0 mmol), CuI (1 mg) and Et<sub>3</sub>N (1 mL) were dissolved in 40 mL CHCl<sub>3</sub> with stirring at 60°C for 6 h. The reaction was monitored by thin layer chromatography (TLC). After completion of reaction, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The product was purified by silica gel column chromatography using CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>-petroleum (4:1, v/v) as eluent to give yellow powder. Yield: 53%. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 8.16-7.70 (m, 12H), 7.60-7.34 (m, 24H), 7.23-6.90 (m, 16H), 6.79-6.54 (m, 3H), 6.35-6.00 (m, 3H). <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 19.3 (s, 1P, *J*<sub>Pt-P</sub> = 2668 Hz).

**Pt(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>(C≡C-N,N-diphenylthiophen-2-amine)<sub>2</sub> (Pt-2).** This compound was prepared by the same synthetic procedure as that of **Pt-1** except for the use of 5-ethynyl-N,N-diphenylthiophen-2-amine in place of 4-ethynyl-N,N'-diphenylaniline. Yield: 48%. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 7.77-7.70 (m, 12H), 7.40-7.32 (m, 18H), 7.23-7.16 (m, 8H), 7.07-6.92 (m, 12H), 6.21-6.05 (d, 2H, *J* = 4.0 Hz), 5.77-5.70 (d, 2H, *J* = 4.0 Hz). <sup>31</sup>P NMR (162 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 17.7 (s, 1P, *J*<sub>Pt-P</sub> = 2625 Hz).

**Pt(PPh<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>(C≡C-4-phenyl-4H-dithieno[3,2-b:2',3'-d]pyrrole)<sub>2</sub> (Pt-3).** This compound was prepared by the same synthetic procedure as that of **Pt-1** except for the use of 2-ethynyl-4-phenyl-4H-dithieno[3,2-b:2',3'-d]pyrrole in place of 4-ethynyl-N,N'-diphenylaniline. In addition, the product was purified by silica gel column chromatography using CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>-petroleum (2 : 1, v/v) as eluent to give yellow powder. Yield: 41%. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 7.82-7.74 (m, 12H), 7.53-7.48 (m, 4H), 7.46-7.37 (m, 24H), 7.10-7.08 (d, 2H, *J* = 5.4 Hz), 7.06-7.04 (d, 2H, *J* = 5.4 Hz), 5.95 (s, 2H). <sup>31</sup>P NMR (243 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>, ppm): 18.6 (s, 1P, *J*<sub>Pt-P</sub> = 2624 Hz).

**Table S1.** Crystallographic Data of Complexes **1**·5CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, **2**·4CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> and **3**·8CHCl<sub>3</sub>.

|                                                        | <b>1</b> ·5CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>                                                                                                         | <b>2</b> ·4CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>                                                                                                        | <b>3</b> ·8CHCl <sub>3</sub>                                                                                                                      |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| empirical formula                                      | C <sub>119</sub> H <sub>112</sub> Au <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>10</sub> F <sub>6</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub><br>P <sub>6</sub> PtS <sub>2</sub> | C <sub>114</sub> H <sub>106</sub> Au <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>8</sub> F <sub>6</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> P <sub>6</sub><br>PtS <sub>4</sub> | C <sub>114</sub> H <sub>98</sub> Au <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>24</sub> F <sub>6</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>6</sub> P <sub>6</sub><br>PtS <sub>6</sub> |
| formula weight                                         | 2973.56                                                                                                                                            | 2900.68                                                                                                                                           | 3523.94                                                                                                                                           |
| crystal system                                         | Triclinic                                                                                                                                          | Triclinic                                                                                                                                         | Monoclinic                                                                                                                                        |
| space group                                            | <i>P</i> $\bar{1}$                                                                                                                                 | <i>P</i> $\bar{1}$                                                                                                                                | <i>P</i> 2 <sub>1</sub> / <i>n</i>                                                                                                                |
| <i>a</i> (Å)                                           | 17.6188(12)                                                                                                                                        | 15.1545(3)                                                                                                                                        | 15.4306(3)                                                                                                                                        |
| <i>b</i> (Å)                                           | 21.4619(15)                                                                                                                                        | 15.4046(3)                                                                                                                                        | 22.5884(5)                                                                                                                                        |
| <i>c</i> (Å)                                           | 21.4844(14)                                                                                                                                        | 15.8278(3)                                                                                                                                        | 19.2667(4)                                                                                                                                        |
| $\alpha$ (deg)                                         | 116.219(2)                                                                                                                                         | 113.413(1)                                                                                                                                        | 90                                                                                                                                                |
| $\beta$ (deg)                                          | 99.238(2)                                                                                                                                          | 115.969(1)                                                                                                                                        | 98.195(1)                                                                                                                                         |
| $\gamma$ (deg)                                         | 105.677(2)                                                                                                                                         | 95.620(1)                                                                                                                                         | 90                                                                                                                                                |
| <i>V</i> (Å <sup>3</sup> )                             | 6638.3(8)                                                                                                                                          | 2878.04(10)                                                                                                                                       | 6646.9(2)                                                                                                                                         |
| <i>Z</i>                                               | 2                                                                                                                                                  | 1                                                                                                                                                 | 2                                                                                                                                                 |
| <i>F</i> (000)                                         | 2940.0                                                                                                                                             | 1432.0                                                                                                                                            | 3456.0                                                                                                                                            |
| $\rho_{\text{calcd}}$ (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )             | 1.488                                                                                                                                              | 1.674                                                                                                                                             | 1.761                                                                                                                                             |
| $\mu$ (mm <sup>-1</sup> )                              | 3.618                                                                                                                                              | 4.160                                                                                                                                             | 3.961                                                                                                                                             |
| Radiation ( $\lambda$ , Å)                             | 0.71073                                                                                                                                            | 0.71073                                                                                                                                           | 0.71073                                                                                                                                           |
| temperature (K)                                        | 150                                                                                                                                                | 150                                                                                                                                               | 150                                                                                                                                               |
| GOF                                                    | 1.023                                                                                                                                              | 1.025                                                                                                                                             | 1.015                                                                                                                                             |
| Data Completeness                                      | 0.984                                                                                                                                              | 0.981                                                                                                                                             | 0.988                                                                                                                                             |
| R1 ( <i>F<sub>o</sub></i> ) <sup>a</sup>               | 0.0395(18966)                                                                                                                                      | 0.0329(9588)                                                                                                                                      | 0.0292(10747)                                                                                                                                     |
| wR2 ( <i>F<sub>o</sub></i> <sup>2</sup> ) <sup>b</sup> | 0.1192(24168)                                                                                                                                      | 0.0883(10361)                                                                                                                                     | 0.072(12067)                                                                                                                                      |

<sup>a</sup> R1 =  $\Sigma|F_o - F_c|/\Sigma F_o$ , <sup>b</sup> wR2 =  $\Sigma[w(F_o^2 - F_c^2)^2]/\Sigma[w(F_o^2)]^{1/2}$

**Table S2.** The Partial Molecular Orbital Compositions (%) by SCPA Approach in the Ground State and the Absorption Transitions for Complex **1** in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> Calculated by TD-DFT Method at the PBE1PBE-GD3 Level.

| orbital | energy<br>(eV) | MO contribution (%) |                  |        |         |
|---------|----------------|---------------------|------------------|--------|---------|
|         |                | Pt (s/p/d)          | Au (s/p/d)       | dTolmp | C≡C-TPA |
| LUMO+8  | -1.16          | 8.45 (0/66/34)      | 8.77 (26/58/16)  | 46.38  | 36.40   |
| LUMO+7  | -1.29          | 2.70 (0/83/17)      | 7.13 (26/53/21)  | 83.52  | 6.65    |
| LUMO+4  | -1.41          | 1.71 (0/49/51)      | 14.05 (60/31/9)  | 82.61  | 1.63    |
| LUMO+3  | -1.50          | 7.31 (0/82/18)      | 8.57 (41/47/12)  | 83.11  | 1.01    |
| LUMO    | -2.41          | 12.07 (0/96/4)      | 18.41 (48/42/10) | 63.44  | 6.09    |
| HOMO    | -5.47          | 5.33 (0/6/94)       | 0.40 (37/34/29)  | 2.52   | 91.76   |
| HOMO-1  | -5.62          | 1.24 (0/27/72)      | 0.84 (48/32/20)  | 3.63   | 94.29   |
| HOMO-2  | -6.62          | 35.15 (24/0/76)     | 38.49 (41/9/50)  | 24.70  | 1.67    |
| HOMO-3  | -6.72          | 18.90 (0/2/98)      | 1.00 (37/25/38)  | 5.97   | 74.13   |
| HOMO-4  | -6.88          | 25.41 (0/3/97)      | 1.78 (75/6/19)   | 14.20  | 58.60   |

| state           | <i>E</i> , nm (eV) | O.S.   | transition (contrib.) | assignment                                            | measured (nm) |
|-----------------|--------------------|--------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| S <sub>1</sub>  | 499 (2.49)         | 0.2536 | HOMO→LUMO (96%)       | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  | 473           |
| S <sub>3</sub>  | 384 (3.23)         | 0.6407 | HOMO-2→LUMO (97%)     | <sup>1</sup> MLCT/ <sup>1</sup> MC/ <sup>1</sup> IL   | 395           |
| S <sub>8</sub>  | 351 (3.53)         | 0.4179 | HOMO-4→LUMO (49%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> MC/ <sup>1</sup> IL   | 345           |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+4 (27%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  |               |
| S <sub>12</sub> | 342 (3.62)         | 0.6794 | HOMO→LUMO+7 (32%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT                                     |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO-1→LUMO+3 (27%)   | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+8 (9%)      | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT |               |
| S <sub>15</sub> | 334 (3.71)         | 0.6064 | HOMO-1→LUMO+3 (47%)   | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+8 (24%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO-1→LUMO+8 (9%)    | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT |               |

**Table S3.** The Partial Molecular Orbital Compositions (%) by SCPA Approach in the Lowest-Energy Triplet State and the Emission Transitions for Complex **1** in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> Calculated by TD-DFT Method at the PBE1PBE-GD3 Level.

| orbital | energy (eV) | MO Contribution (%) |                  |        |         |
|---------|-------------|---------------------|------------------|--------|---------|
|         |             | Pt (s/p/d)          | Au (s/p/d)       | dTolmp | C≡C-TPA |
| LUMO    | -2.67       | 12.48 (0/96/4)      | 22.49 (60/29/10) | 58.74  | 6.30    |
| HOMO    | -5.40       | 5.64 (0/7/93)       | 0.45 (36/30/34)  | 2.50   | 91.41   |

| state          | <i>E</i> , nm (eV) | O.S.   | transition (Contrib.) | assignment                           | measured (nm) |
|----------------|--------------------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|
| T <sub>1</sub> | 622 (1.99)         | 0.0000 | HOMO→LUMO (83%)       | <sup>3</sup> LLCT/ <sup>3</sup> LMCT | 609           |

**Table S4.** The Partial Molecular Orbital Compositions (%) by SCPA Approach in the Ground State and the Absorption Transitions for Complex **2** in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> Calculated by TD-DFT Method at the PBE1PBE-GD3 Level.

| orbital | energy<br>(eV) | MO contribution (%) |                  |        |                                  |
|---------|----------------|---------------------|------------------|--------|----------------------------------|
|         |                | Pt (s/p/d)          | Au (s/p/d)       | dTolmp | C≡C-N,N-diphenylthiophen-2-amine |
| LUMO+18 | -0.74          | 8.39 (69/11/21)     | 13.60 (69/26/5)  | 14.04  | 63.96                            |
| LUMO+17 | -0.74          | 5.12 (26/67/7)      | 18.03 (56/39/5)  | 17.59  | 59.26                            |
| LUMO+13 | -1.02          | 14.18 (2/98/0)      | 36.77 (91/7/2)   | 42.97  | 6.08                             |
| LUMO+4  | -1.49          | 11.08 (0/100/0)     | 16.48 (22/67/11) | 62.61  | 9.84                             |
| LUMO+2  | -1.59          | 4.45 (10/78/12)     | 8.95 (15/70/15)  | 73.49  | 13.11                            |
| LUMO+1  | -1.60          | 4.35 (33/19/48)     | 13.85 (24/70/6)  | 67.58  | 14.22                            |
| LUMO    | -2.56          | 10.75 (0/100/0)     | 17.62 (45/41/13) | 58.58  | 13.05                            |
| HOMO    | -5.52          | 7.64 (20/0/80)      | 1.10 (56/24/19)  | 1.90   | 89.36                            |
| HOMO-1  | -5.69          | 0.29 (0/97/1)       | 2.35 (60/11/28)  | 3.68   | 93.68                            |
| HOMO-2  | -6.58          | 33.74 (32/0/68)     | 40.34 (42/12/46) | 25.06  | 0.86                             |

| state           | <i>E</i> , nm (eV) | O.S.   | transition (contrib.) | assignment                                            | measured (nm) |
|-----------------|--------------------|--------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| S <sub>1</sub>  | 524 (2.36)         | 0.4468 | HOMO→LUMO (97%)       | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  | 490           |
| S <sub>3</sub>  | 383 (3.24)         | 0.654  | HOMO-2→LUMO (97%)     | <sup>1</sup> MLCT/ <sup>1</sup> MC/ <sup>1</sup> IL   | 391           |
| S <sub>4</sub>  | 373 (3.33)         | 0.7108 | HOMO→LUMO+2 (38%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL                    | 356           |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+1 (22%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT |               |
| S <sub>7</sub>  | 358 (3.46)         | 0.1326 | HOMO→LUMO+4 (60%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+2 (19%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL                    |               |
| S <sub>28</sub> | 313 (3.96)         | 0.1452 | HOMO→LUMO+13 (45%)    | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  | 305           |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+17 (14%)    | <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO-1→LUMO+18 (10%)  | <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT/ <sup>1</sup> LLCT |               |
| S <sub>30</sub> | 305 (4.06)         | 0.1741 | HOMO→LUMO+13 (33%)    | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+17 (22%)    | <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO-1→LUMO+18 (13%)  | <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT/ <sup>1</sup> LLCT |               |

**Table S5.** The Partial Molecular Orbital Compositions (%) by SCPA Approach in the Lowest-Energy Triplet State and the Emission Transitions for Complex **2** in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> Calculated by TD-DFT Method at the PBE1PBE-GD3 Level.

| orbital | energy<br>(eV) | MO contribution (%) |                  |        |                                  |
|---------|----------------|---------------------|------------------|--------|----------------------------------|
|         |                | Pt (s/p/d)          | Au (s/p/d)       | dTolmp | C≡C-N,N-diphenylthiophen-2-amine |
| LUMO    | -2.73          | 13.41 (0/100/0)     | 25.46 (62/26/12) | 51.37  | 9.76                             |
| HOMO    | -5.21          | 10.66 (36/0/64)     | 2.05 (42/41/17)  | 3.40   | 83.89                            |

| state          | <i>E</i> , nm (eV) | O.S.   | transition (Contrib.) | assignment                           | measured (nm) |
|----------------|--------------------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|
| T <sub>1</sub> | 657 (1.89)         | 0.0000 | HOMO→LUMO (85%)       | <sup>3</sup> LLCT/ <sup>3</sup> LMCT | 640           |

**Table S6.** The Partial Molecular Orbital Compositions (%) by SCPA Approach in the Ground State and the Absorption Transitions for Complex **3** in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> Calculated by TD-DFT Method at the PBE1PBE-GD3 Level.

| orbital | energy<br>(eV) | MO Contribution (%) |                  |        |                                                     |
|---------|----------------|---------------------|------------------|--------|-----------------------------------------------------|
|         |                | Pt (s/p/d)          | Au (s/p/d)       | dTolmp | C≡C-4-phenyl-4H-dithieno-<br>(3,2-b:2',3'-d)pyrrole |
| LUMO+9  | -1.27          | 4.25 (0/100/0)      | 10.71 (36/32/31) | 83.04  | 2.00                                                |
| LUMO+8  | -1.30          | 13.13 (0/100/0)     | 11.27 (36/47/16) | 53.68  | 21.92                                               |
| LUMO+6  | -1.44          | 5.35 (0/100/0)      | 8.80 (51/18/31)  | 69.71  | 16.14                                               |
| LUMO+3  | -1.55          | 14.08 (52/0/48)     | 10.82 (44/40/16) | 67.03  | 8.07                                                |
| LUMO+2  | -1.64          | 4.69 (0/100/0)      | 24.18 (65/32/3)  | 67.51  | 3.62                                                |
| LUMO+1  | -1.64          | 7.82 (49/0/51)      | 14.50 (50/49/1)  | 60.88  | 16.80                                               |
| LUMO    | -2.57          | 10.61 (0/100/0)     | 16.73 (45/38/17) | 57.64  | 15.01                                               |
| HOMO    | -5.55          | 10.15 (6/0/94)      | 0.91 (49/18/33)  | 1.94   | 86.99                                               |
| HOMO-1  | -5.84          | 1.35 (0/99/0)       | 4.75 (37/19/44)  | 5.72   | 88.18                                               |
| HOMO-2  | -6.29          | 0.90 (49/0/50)      | 0.49 (62/20/18)  | 1.62   | 96.98                                               |
| HOMO-3  | -6.29          | 1.07 (0/100/0)      | 1.23 (49/41/10)  | 1.02   | 96.67                                               |
| HOMO-4  | -6.58          | 33.16 (29/0/71)     | 39.98 (37/14/49) | 25.97  | 0.89                                                |
| HOMO-5  | -7.18          | 32.89 (28/0/72)     | 1.90 (25/37/39)  | 14.69  | 50.52                                               |

| state           | <i>E</i> , nm (eV) | O.S.   | transition (Contrib.) | assignment                                            | measured (nm) |
|-----------------|--------------------|--------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| S <sub>1</sub>  | 518 (2.39)         | 0.819  | HOMO→LUMO (98%)       | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  | 495           |
| S <sub>3</sub>  | 384 (3.23)         | 0.6264 | HOMO-4→LUMO (96%)     | <sup>1</sup> MLCT/ <sup>1</sup> MC/ <sup>1</sup> IL   | 390           |
| S <sub>11</sub> | 348 (3.57)         | 0.3466 | HOMO→LUMO+6 (79%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> MC   | 359           |
| S <sub>13</sub> | 339 (3.65)         | 0.3643 | HOMO-1→LUMO+1 (31%)   | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT | 339           |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+8 (27%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO→LUMO+9 (13%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> MC                    |               |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO-5→LUMO (10%)     | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> MC/ <sup>1</sup> IL   |               |
| S <sub>30</sub> | 302 (4.11)         | 0.2425 | HOMO-3→LUMO+1 (45%)   | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT/ <sup>1</sup> IL | 309           |
|                 |                    |        | HOMO-2→LUMO+2 (15%)   | <sup>1</sup> LLCT/ <sup>1</sup> LMCT                  |               |

**Table S7.** The Partial Molecular Orbital Compositions (%) by SCPA Approach in the Lowest-Energy Triplet State and the Emission Transitions for Complex **3** in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> Calculated by TD-DFT Method at the PBE1PBE-GD3 Level.

| orbital | energy<br>(eV) | MO contribution (%) |                  |        |                                                     |
|---------|----------------|---------------------|------------------|--------|-----------------------------------------------------|
|         |                | Pt (s/p/d)          | Au (s/p/d)       | dTolmp | C≡C-4-phenyl-4H-dithieno-<br>(3,2-b:2',3'-d)pyrrole |
| LUMO    | -2.76          | 12.28 (0/100/0)     | 17.92 (52/31/17) | 54.58  | 15.22                                               |
| HOMO    | -5.39          | 10.45 (5/0/95)      | 0.94 (39/26/34)  | 1.85   | 86.76                                               |

| state          | <i>E</i> , nm (eV) | O.S.   | transition (contrib.) | assignment                           | measured (nm) |
|----------------|--------------------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|
| T <sub>1</sub> | 652 (1.90)         | 0.0000 | HOMO→LUMO (77%)       | <sup>3</sup> LLCT/ <sup>3</sup> LMCT | 634           |

**Table S8.** The Optimization Procedures of the Devices Based on PtAu<sub>2</sub> Complex **1** by Modifying Doping Ratios, Host Materials and ETL Thickness.<sup>a</sup>

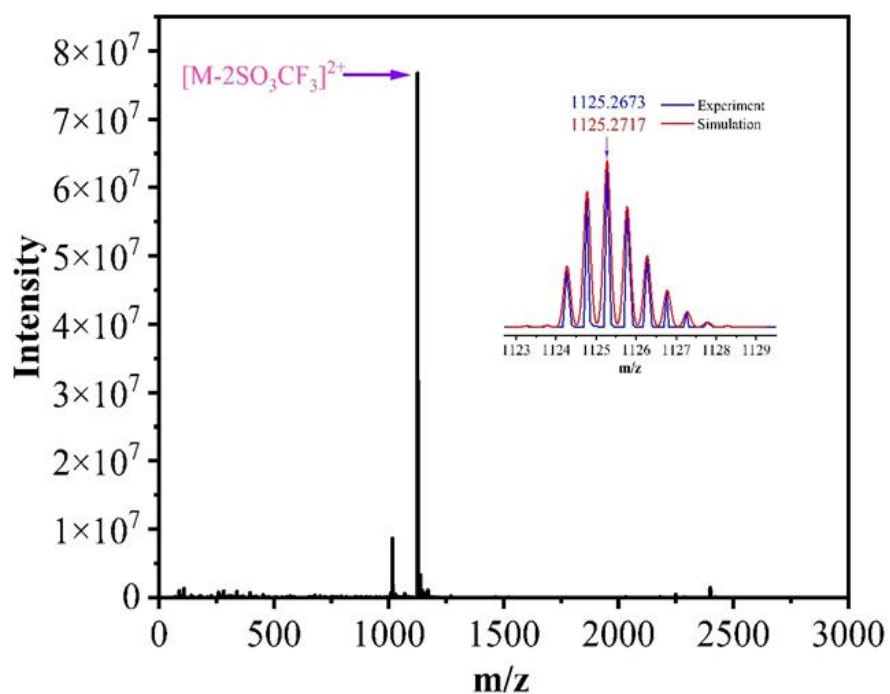
| doping ratio | host material    | thickness of ETL <sup>b</sup> (nm) | L <sub>max</sub> (cd m <sup>-2</sup> ) | V <sub>on</sub> (V) | CE <sub>max</sub> (cd A <sup>-1</sup> ) | PE <sub>max</sub> (lm W <sup>-1</sup> ) | EQE <sub>max</sub> (%) |
|--------------|------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 5%           | mCP:OXD-7 (1:1)  | 40                                 | 4719                                   | 5.0                 | 17.2                                    | 8.7                                     | 5.2                    |
| 5%           | TCTA:OXD-7 (1:1) | 40                                 | 12365                                  | 3.5                 | 24.5                                    | 13.8                                    | 7.4                    |
| 5%           | TCTA:OXD-7 (1:1) | 45                                 | 12121                                  | 4.4                 | 37.4                                    | 15.0                                    | 11.4                   |
| 5%           | TCTA:OXD-7 (1:1) | 50                                 | 10198                                  | 3.2                 | 54.3                                    | 39.7                                    | 16.5                   |
| 3%           | TCTA:OXD-7 (1:1) | 50                                 | 13407                                  | 3.4                 | 48.5                                    | 31.7                                    | 14.7                   |
| 8%           | TCTA:OXD-7 (1:1) | 50                                 | 12021                                  | 3.4                 | 45.2                                    | 32.4                                    | 13.7                   |

<sup>a</sup> Device structure: ITO / PEDOT : PSS (40 nm) / Poly-TPD (50 nm) / host materials : PtAu<sub>2</sub> complex (50 nm) / BmPyPb / LiF (1 nm) / Al (100 nm). <sup>b</sup> ETL = electron transport layer.

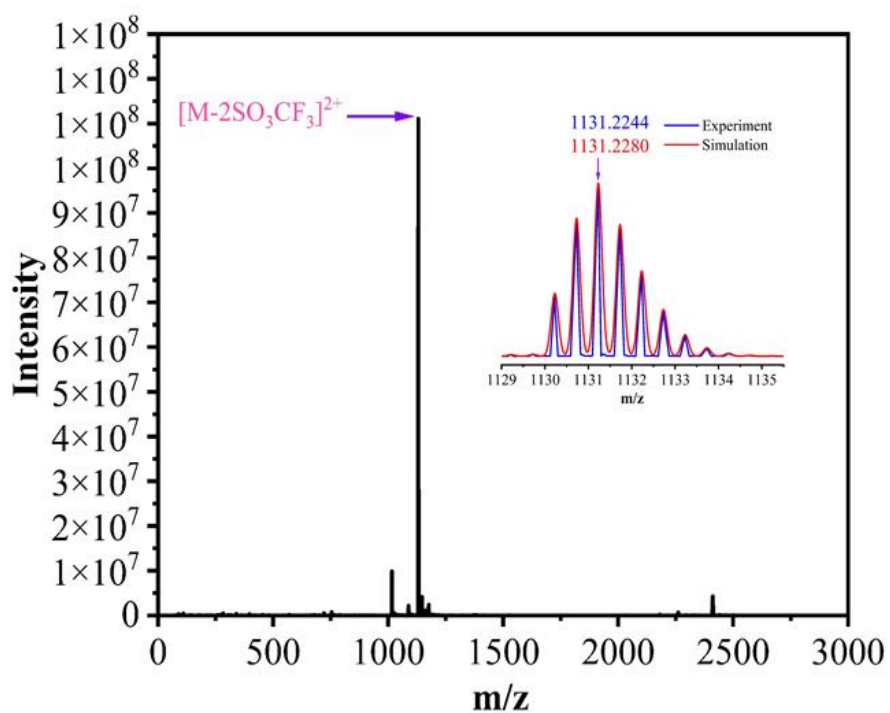
**Table S9.** The UV-Vis Absorption and Emission Data of Mononuclear Pt(II) Precursors **Pt-1**, **Pt-2** and **Pt-3** in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> solutions.

|             | $\lambda_{\text{abs}}$ /nm ( $\epsilon$ / dm <sup>3</sup> mol <sup>-1</sup> cm <sup>-1</sup> ) <sup>a</sup> | $\lambda_{\text{em}}$ (nm) / $\tau$ (ns) / $\Phi$ (%) |
|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Pt-1</b> | 277(43700), 288(44700), 381(52700)                                                                          | 431 / 0.96 / < 0.5                                    |
| <b>Pt-2</b> | 297(22800), 393(27800)                                                                                      | 572 / 2.1 $\mu$ s / < 0.5<br>463 / 1.5 / < 0.5        |
| <b>Pt-3</b> | 325(51600), 413(87400)                                                                                      | 596 / 2.6 $\mu$ s / < 0.5<br>432 / 0.69 / < 0.5       |

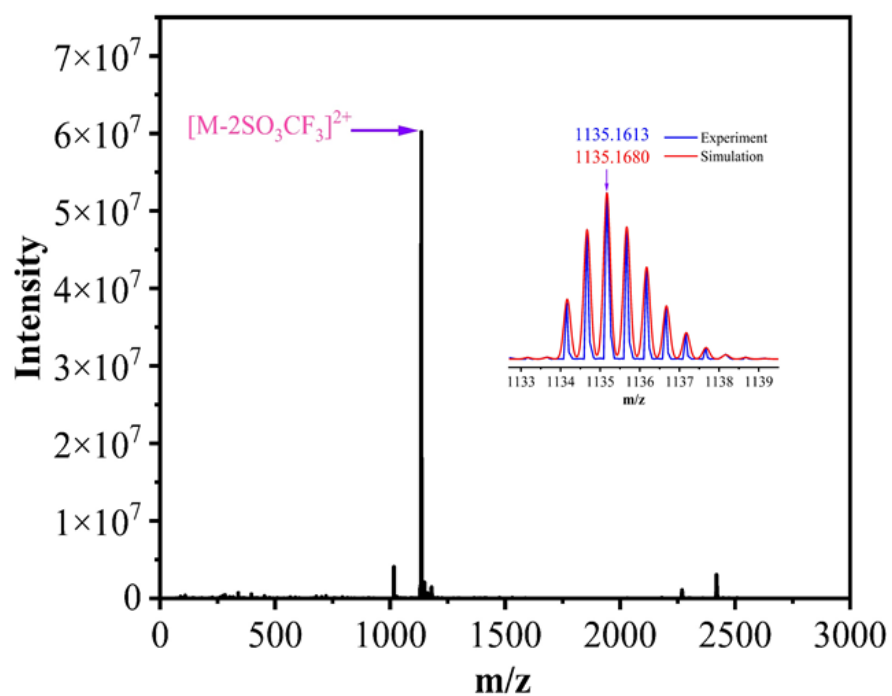
<sup>a</sup> Measured at a concentration of  $1 \times 10^{-5}$  M.



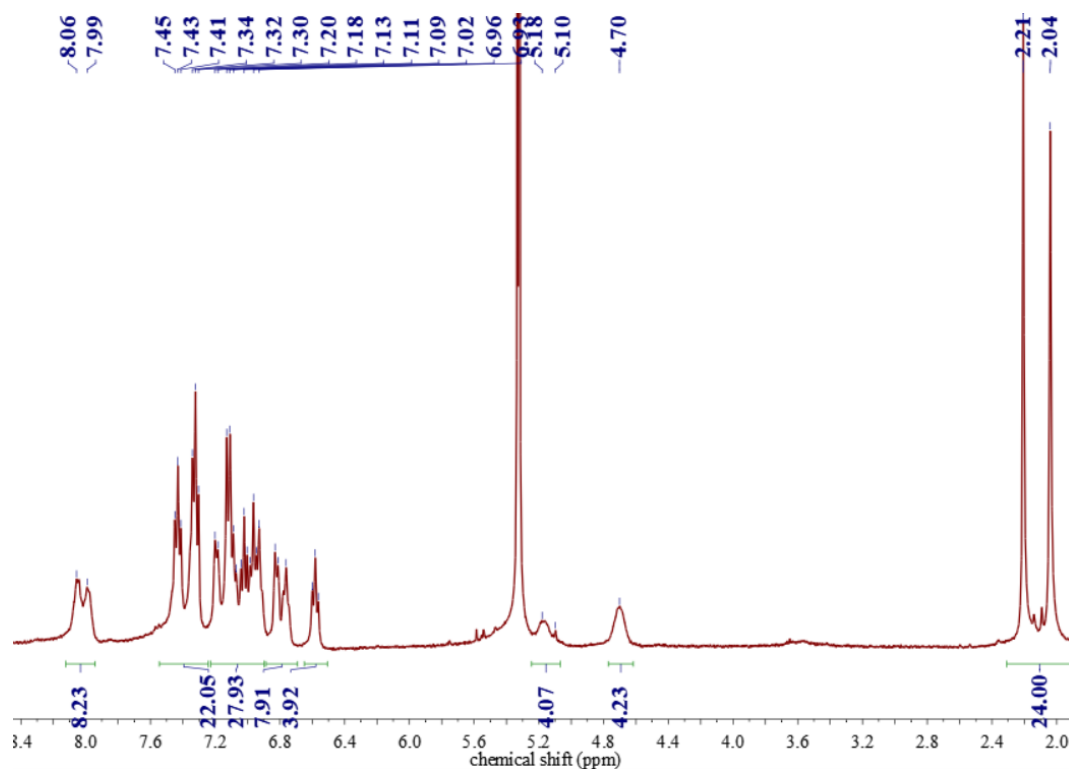
**Fig. S1** The high-resolution mass spectrometry of complex 1. Inset: The measured and simulated isotopic patterns.



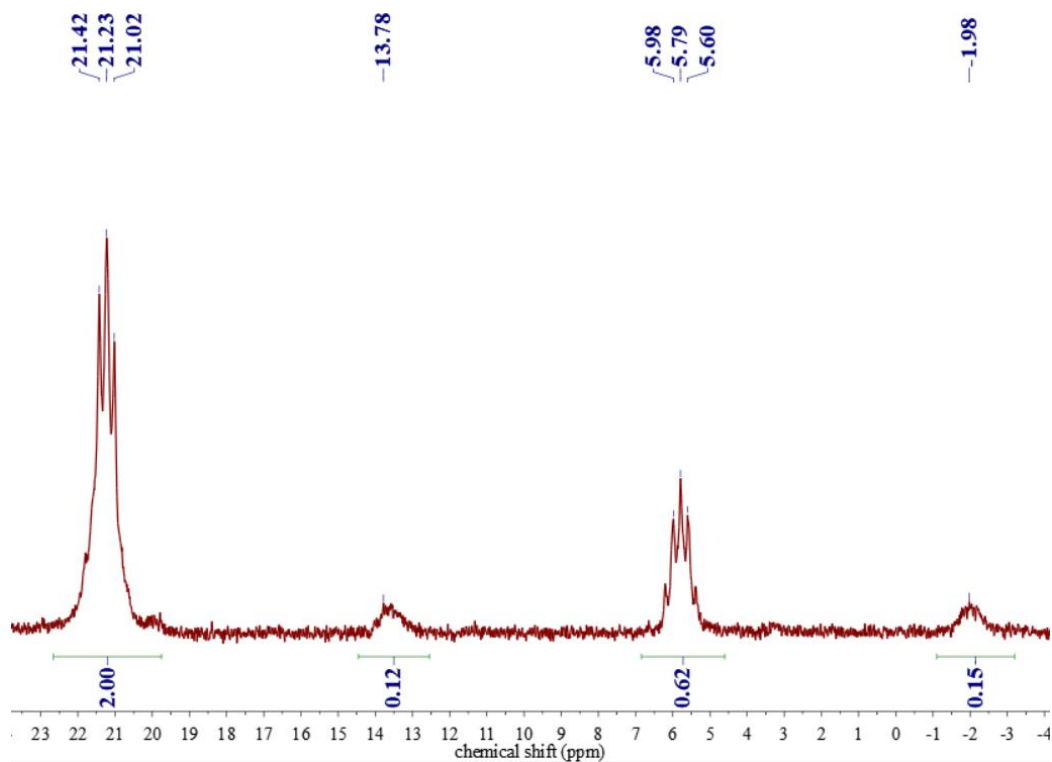
**Fig. S2** The high-resolution mass spectrometry of complex 2. Inset: The measured and simulated isotopic patterns.



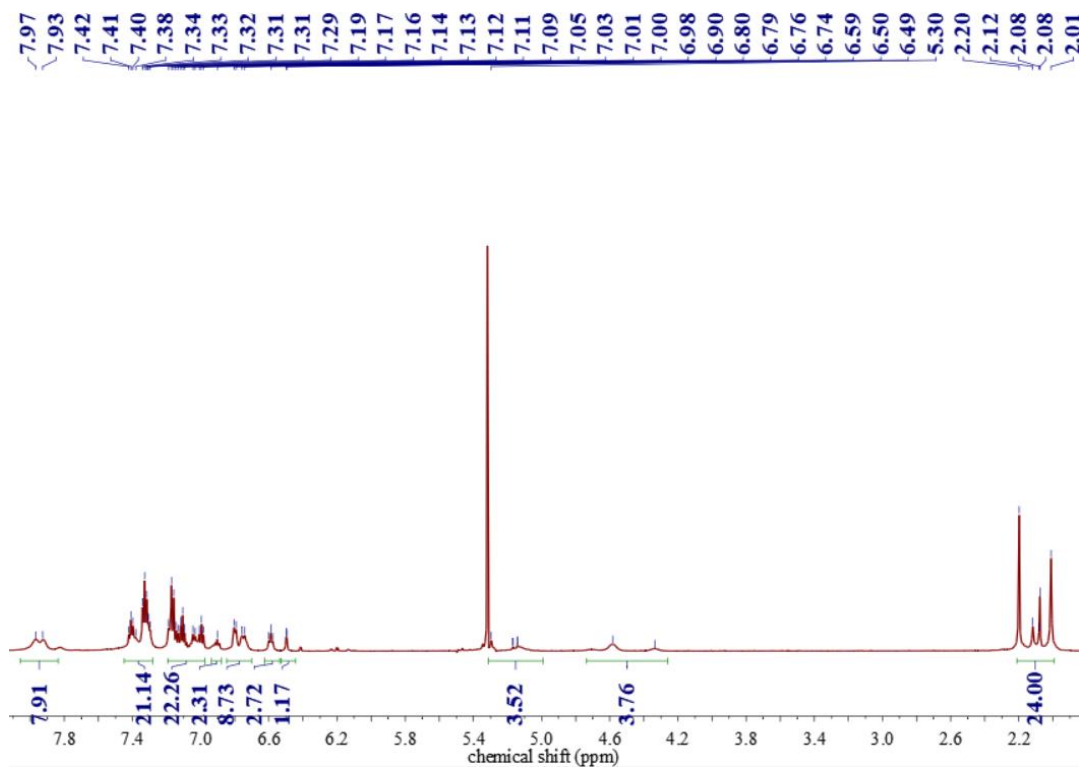
**Fig. S3** The high-resolution mass spectrometry of complex **3**. Inset: The measured and simulated isotopic patterns.



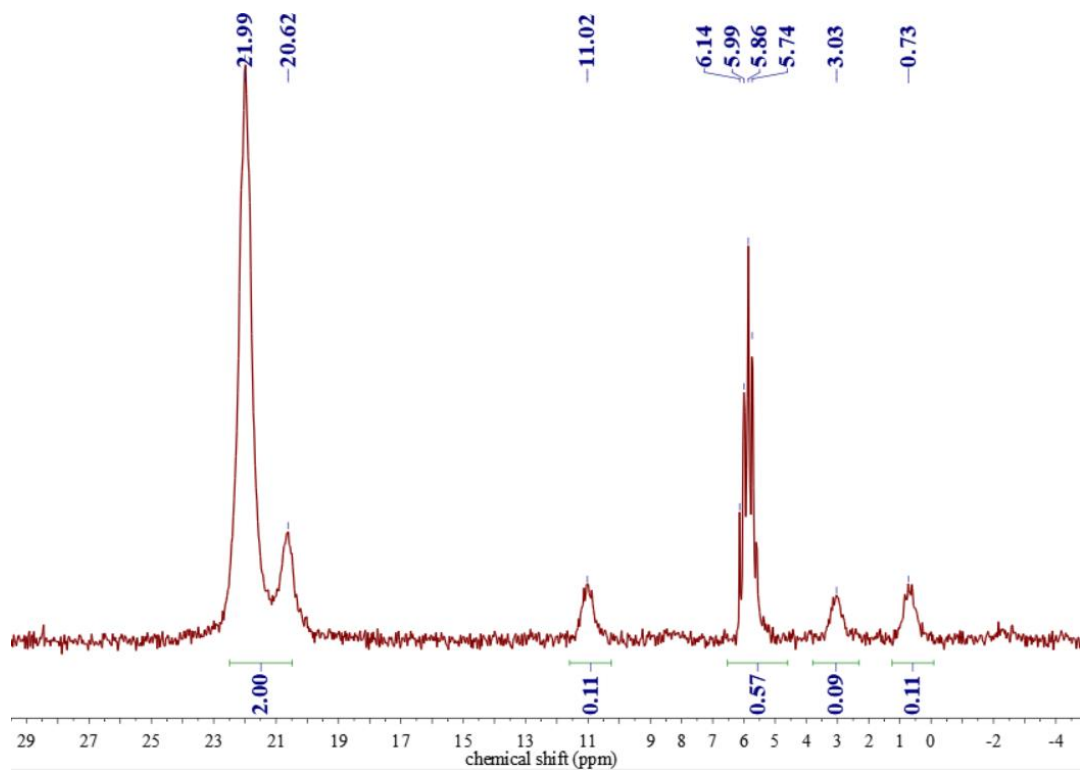
**Fig. S4** The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of complex **1** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$  solution at ambient temperature.



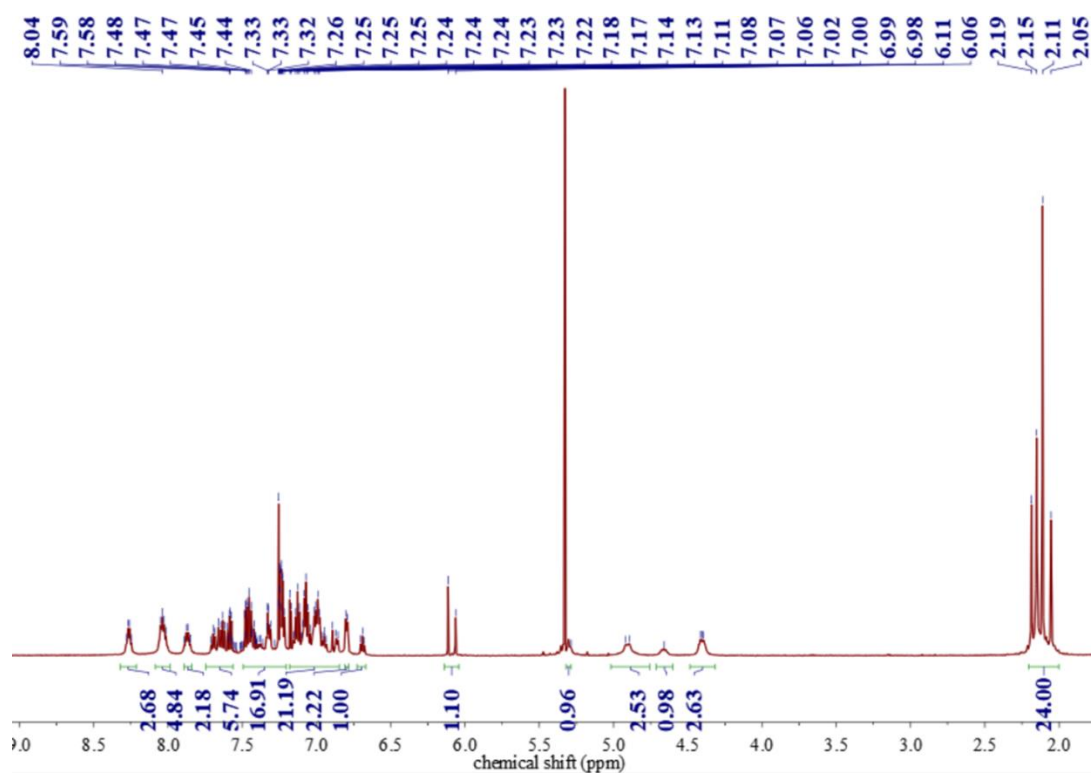
**Fig. S5** The <sup>31</sup>P NMR spectrum of complex **1** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> solution at ambient temperature.



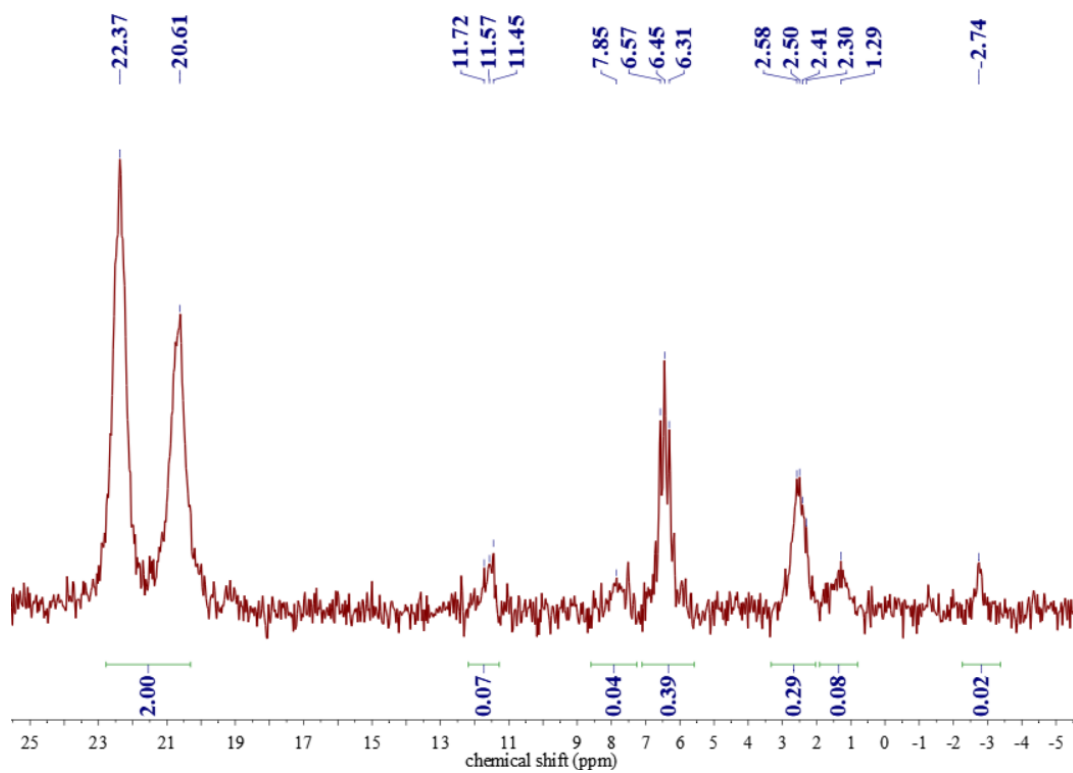
**Fig. S6** The <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of complex **2** in CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> solution at ambient temperature.



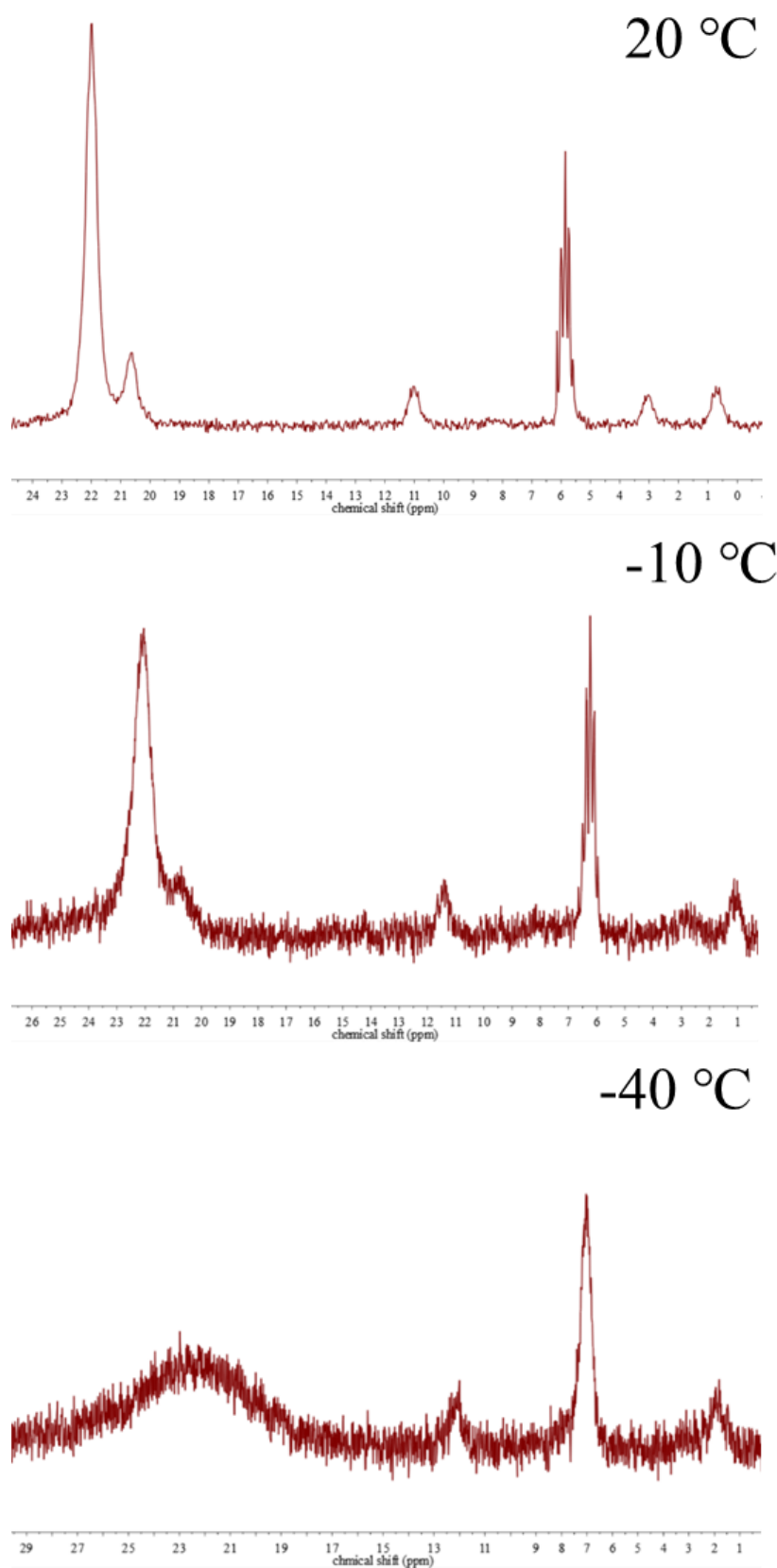
**Fig. S7** The  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR spectrum of complex **2** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$  solution at ambient temperature.



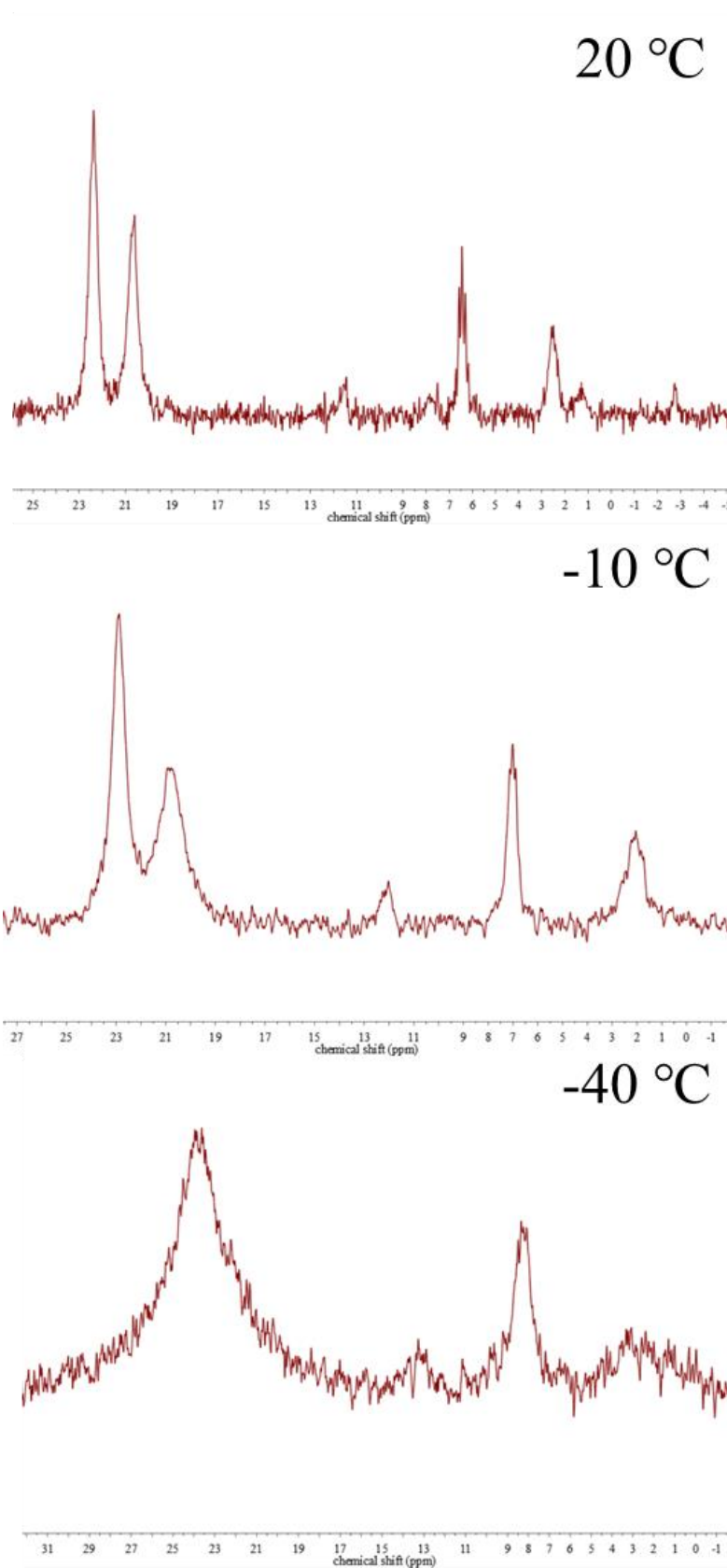
**Fig. S8** The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of complex **3** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$  solution at ambient temperature.



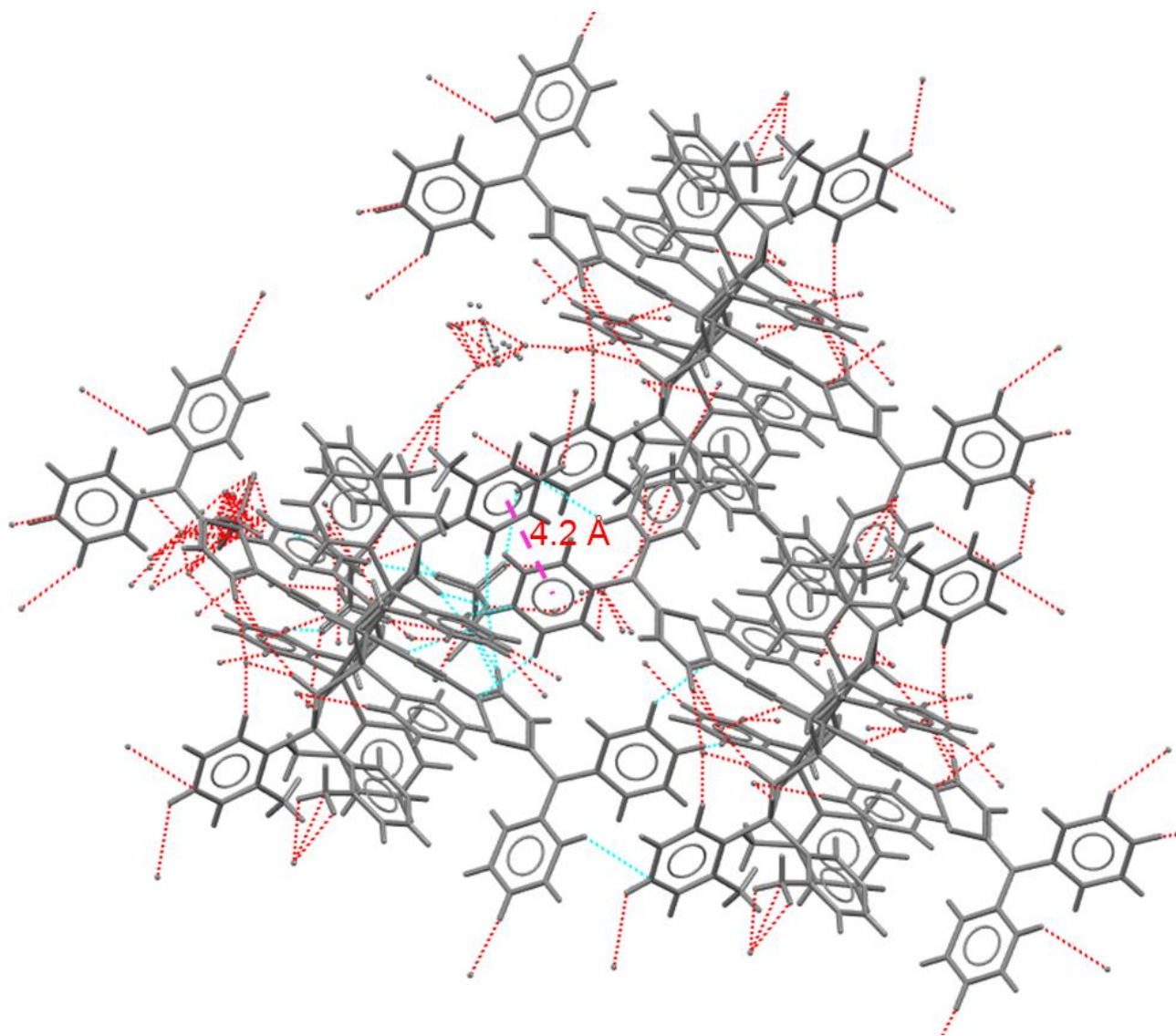
**Fig. S9** The  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR spectrum of complex 3 in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$  solution at ambient temperature.



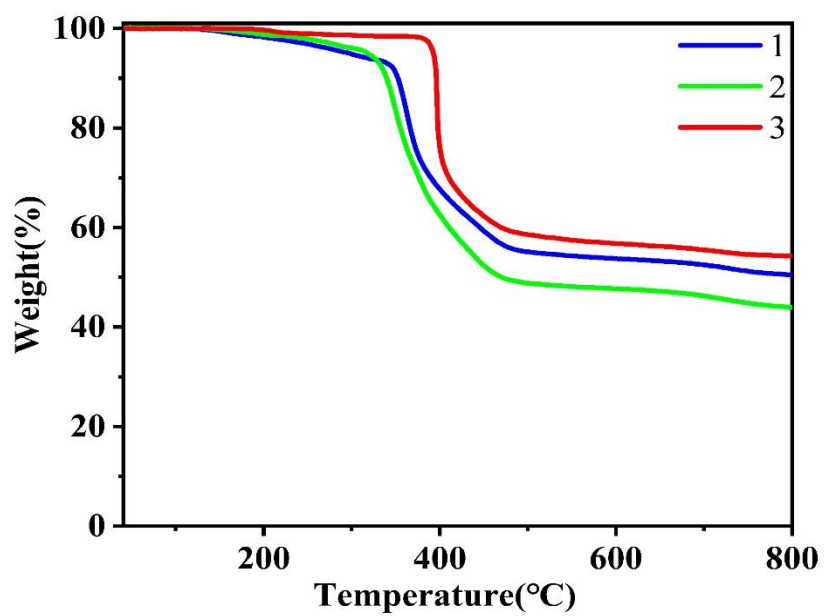
**Fig. S10** The  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR spectra of complex **2** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$  solution at 20, -10 and -40 °C.



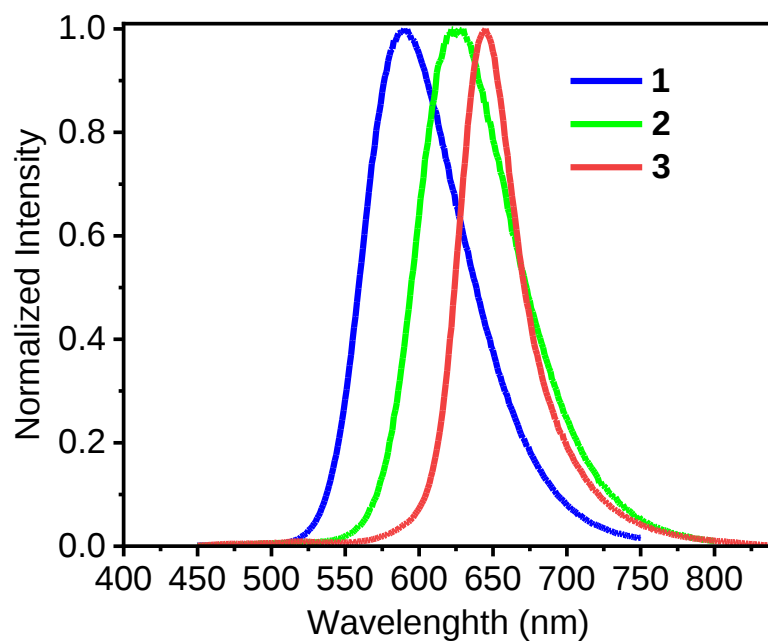
**Fig. S11** The  $^{31}\text{P}$  NMR spectra of complex **3** in  $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$  solution at 20,  $-10$  and  $-40$  °C.



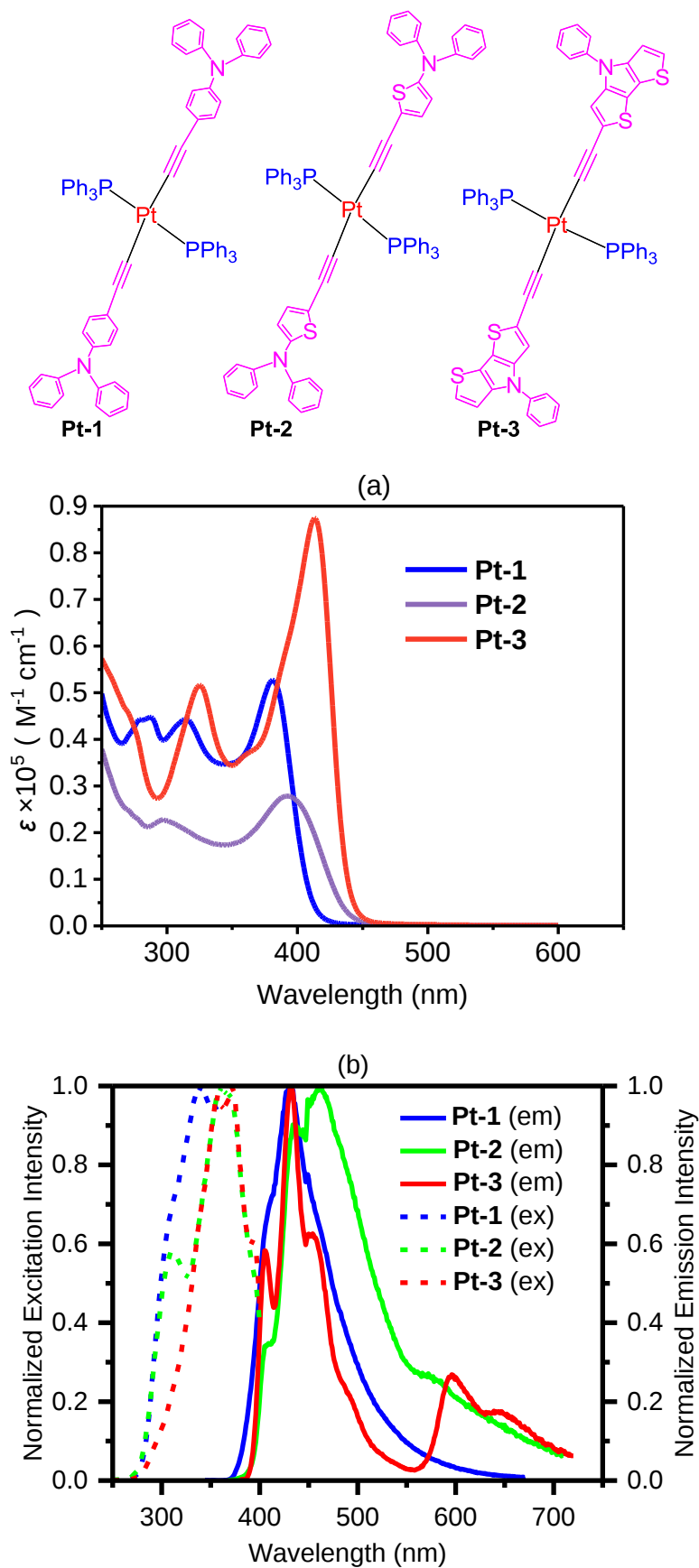
**Fig. S12** The packing diagram of complex 2, showing  $\pi$ - $\pi$  stacking between phenyl rings and C-H $\cdots$ O hydrogen bonds between phenyl/thiophene C-H and trifluoromethanesulfonate O atoms.



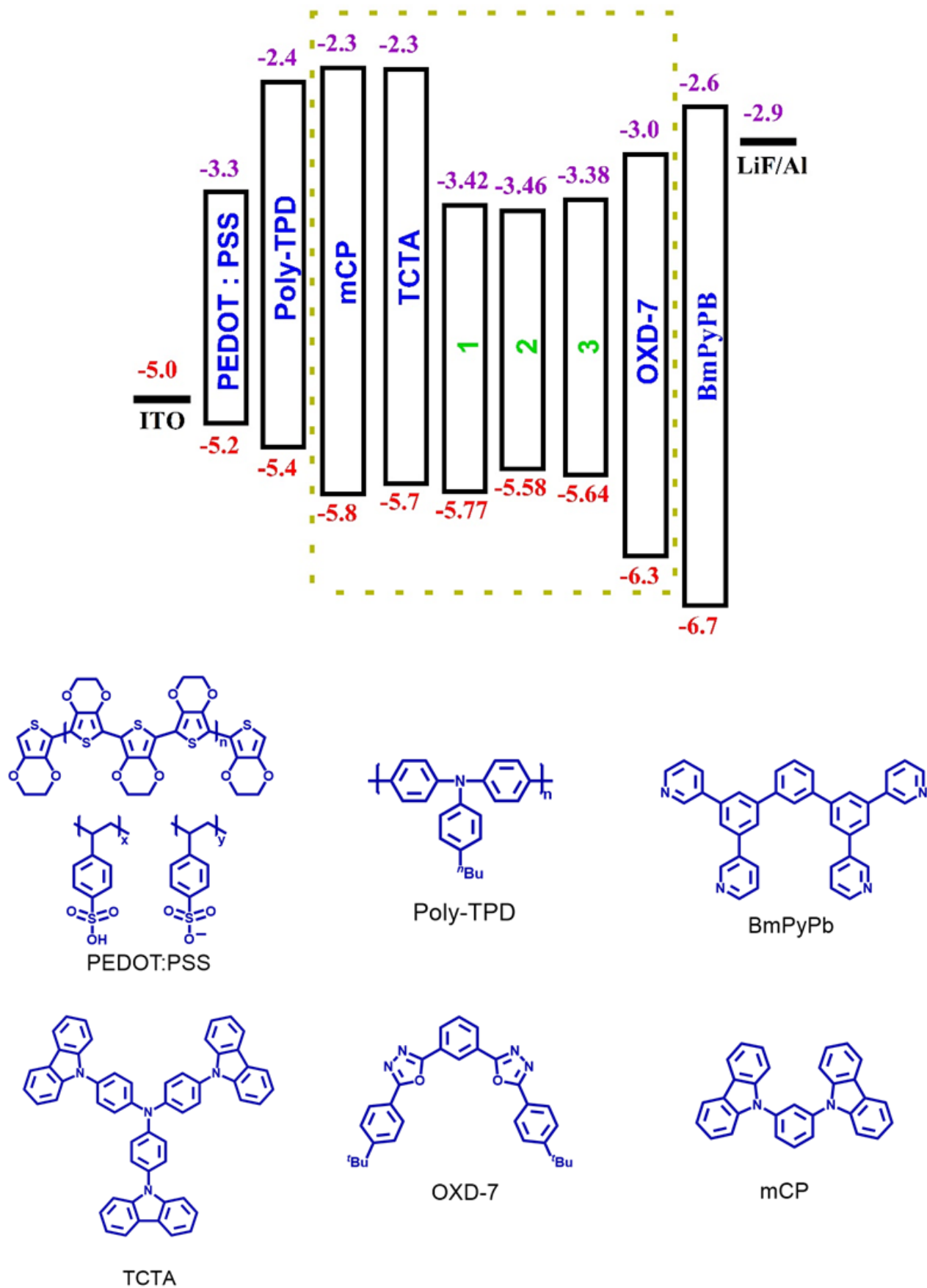
**Fig. S13** The polts of thermogravimetric analyses of PtAu<sub>2</sub> complexes 1–3.



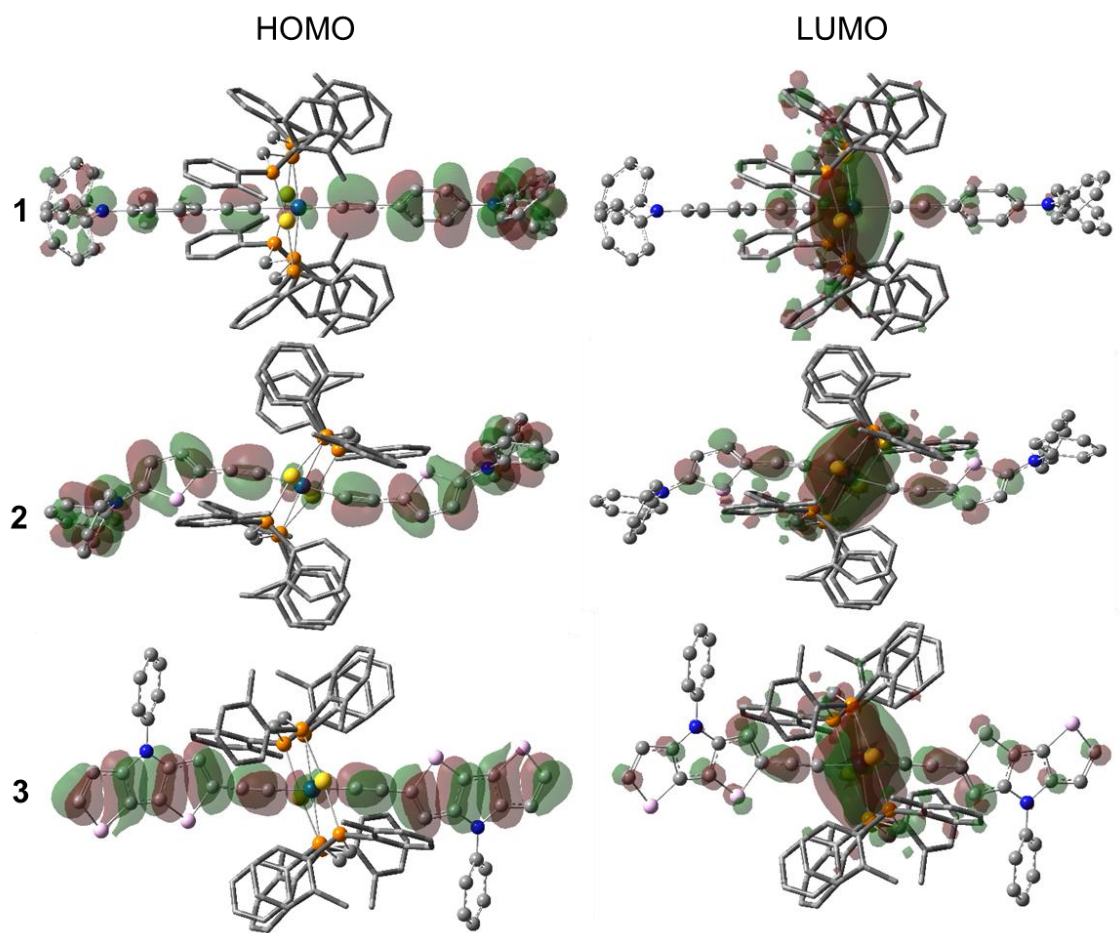
**Fig. S14** The emission spectra of complexes 1–3 in solid state.



**Fig. S15** The UV-Vis absorption spectra (a) together with excitation and emission (b) spectra of mononuclear platinum(II) precursors **Pt-1**, **Pt-2** and **Pt-3** in  $\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$  solutions at ambient temperature.



**Fig. S16** Energy level diagrams in devices together with chemical structures of the materials used in OLEDs.



**Fig. S17** Plots of the HOMO and LUMO involved in the absorption transition (isovalue = 0.02) for complexes 1–3 by TD-DFT method at the PBE1PBE-GD3 level.