

Newly synthesized palladium(II) complexes with dialkyl esters of (*S,S*)-propylenediamine-*N,N'*-di-(2,2'-di-(4-hydroxy-benzil)) acetic acid: *In vitro* investigation of biological activities and HSA/DNA binding

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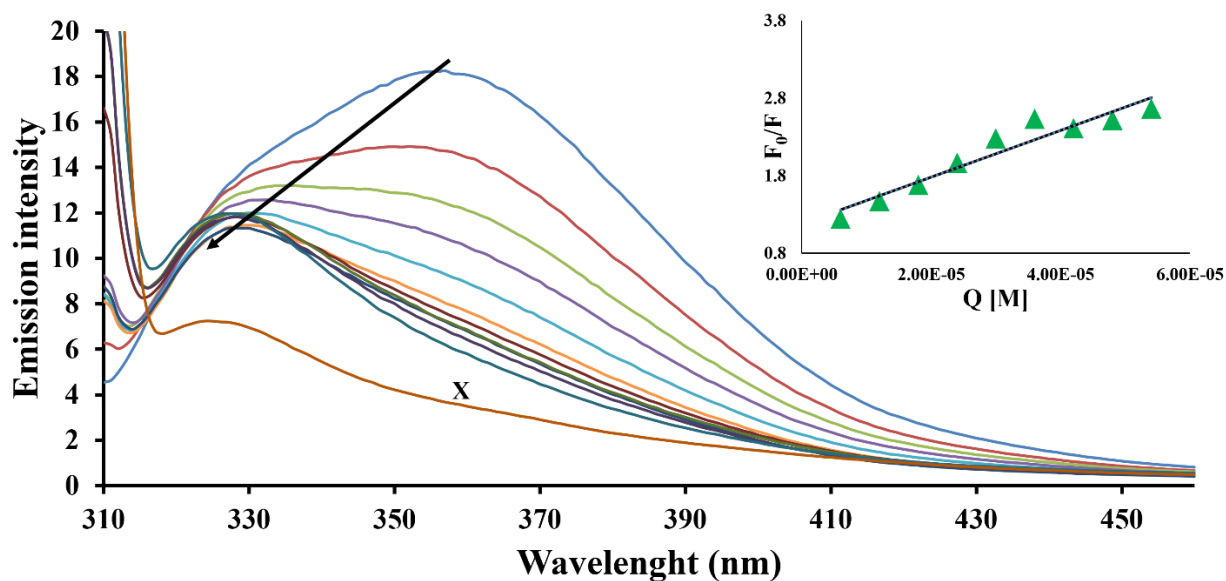


Fig. S1 Fluorescence emission spectra of HSA in the presence of various concentrations of **C2** ($T = 298 \text{ K}$, $\text{pH} = 7.4$). $[\text{HSA}] = 2 \mu\text{M}$; $[\text{C2}] = 0\text{-}80 \mu\text{M}$. The inset shows the Stern–Volmer plots of the fluorescence quenching of HSA by $[\text{C2}]$. x represents $80 \mu\text{M} [\text{C2}]$ only.

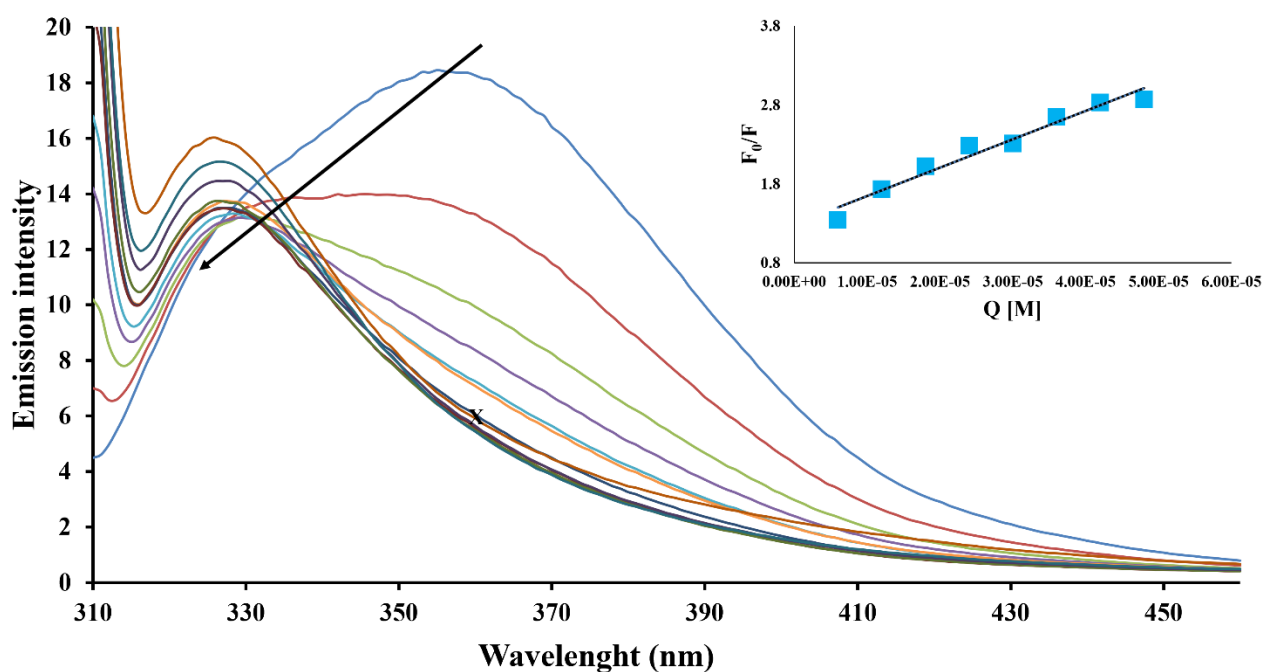


Fig. S2 Fluorescence emission spectra of HSA in the presence of various concentrations of **C3** ($T = 298 \text{ K}$, $\text{pH} = 7.4$). $[\text{HSA}] = 2 \mu\text{M}$; $[\text{C3}] = 0\text{-}80 \mu\text{M}$. The inset shows the Stern–Volmer plots of the fluorescence quenching of HSA by $[\text{C3}]$. x represents $80 \mu\text{M} [\text{C3}]$ only.

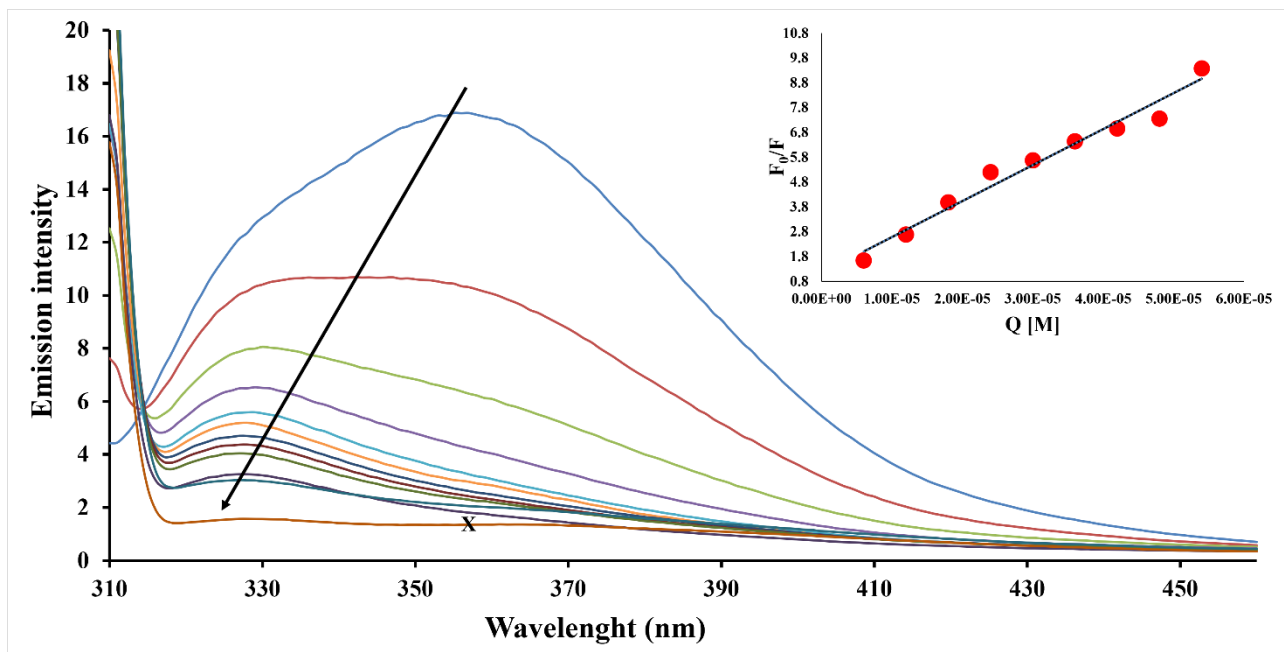


Fig. S3 Fluorescence emission spectra of HSA in the presence of various concentrations of C4 (T = 298 K, pH = 7.4). [HSA] = 2 μ M; [C4] = 0-80 μ M. The inset shows the Stern–Volmer plots of the fluorescence quenching of HSA by [C4]. x represents 80 μ M [C4] only.

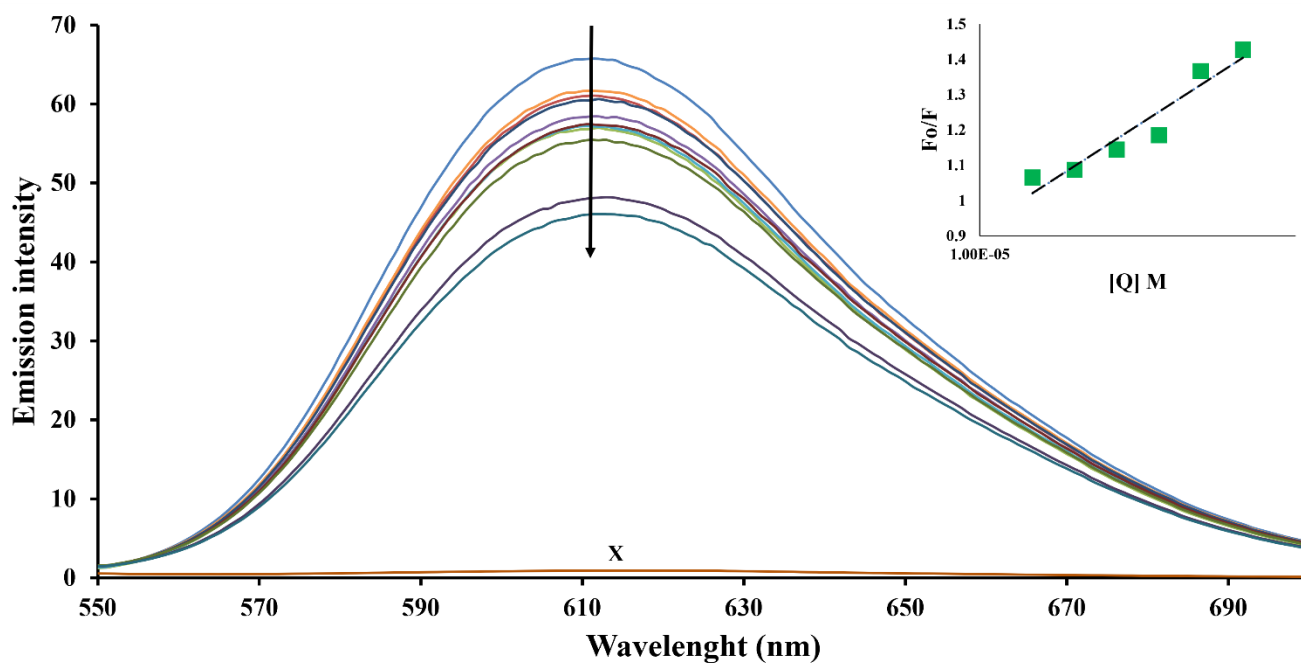


Fig. S4 The fluorescence emission spectra of EB-DNA in the absence and presence of increasing amounts of C2 (T = 298 K, pH = 7.4). [DNA] = 2.27×10^{-5} M; [EB] = 2×10^{-5} M; [C2] = 0-6 $\times 10^{-5}$ M; The inset shows the plot of F_0/F vs. [Q]. X represents 6×10^{-5} [C2] only.

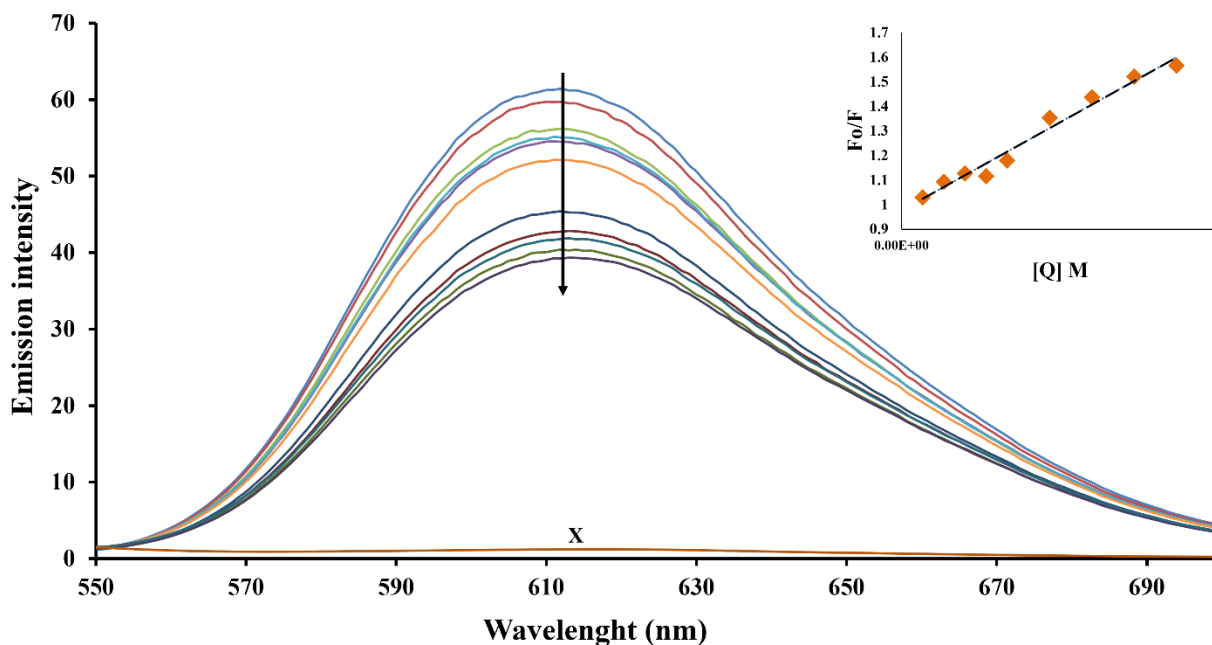


Fig. S5 The fluorescence emission spectra of EB–DNA in the absence and presence of increasing amounts of **C3** (T = 298 K, pH = 7.4). [DNA] = 2.27×10^{-5} M; [EB] = 2×10^{-5} M; [C3] = $0-6 \times 10^{-5}$ M; The inset shows the plot of F_0/F vs. [Q]. X represents 6×10^{-5} [C3] only.

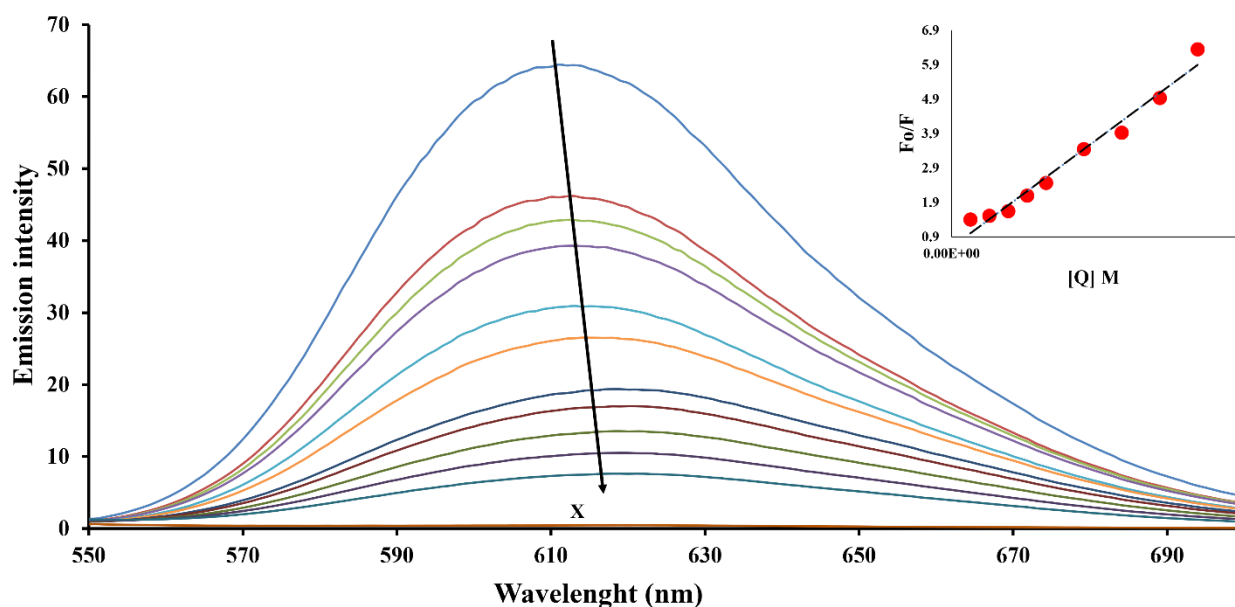


Fig. S6 The fluorescence emission spectra of EB–DNA in the absence and presence of increasing amounts of **C4** (T = 298 K, pH = 7.4). [DNA] = 2.27×10^{-5} M; [EB] = 2×10^{-5} M; [C4] = $0-6 \times 10^{-5}$ M; The inset shows the plot of F_0/F vs. [Q]. X represents 6×10^{-5} [C4] only.

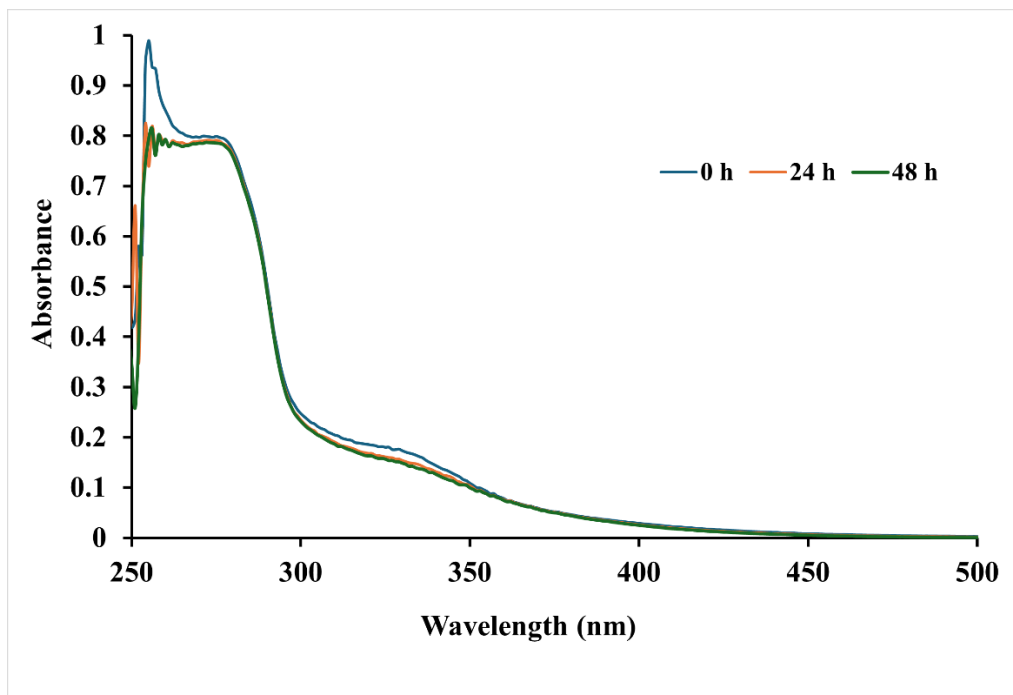


Fig. S7 Stability of the C1 complex in DMSO during 0, 24, and 48 hours

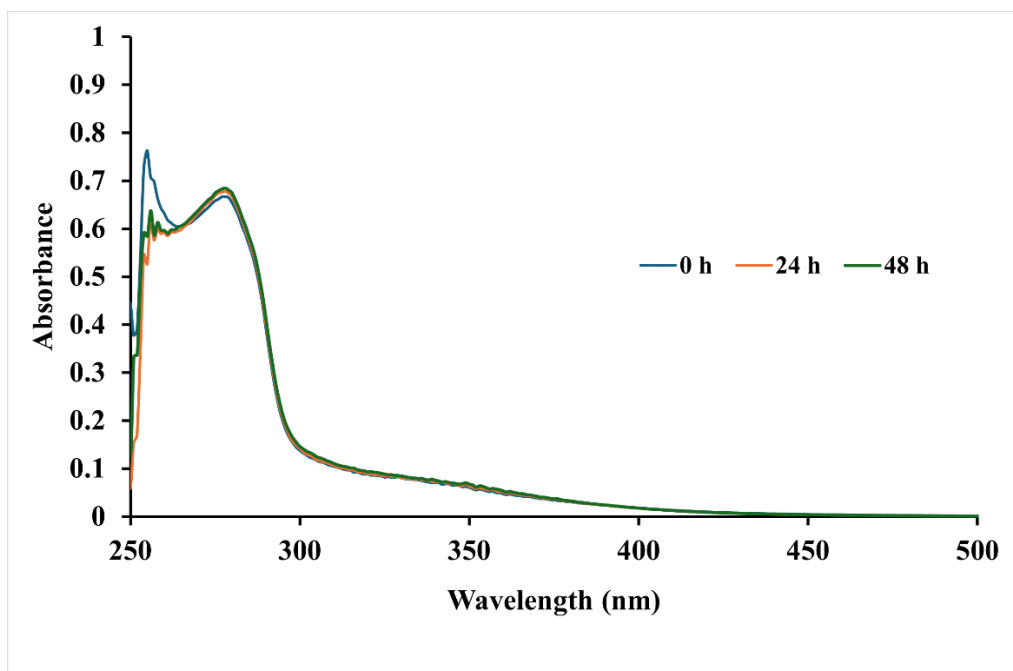


Fig. S8 Stability of the C2 complex in DMSO during 0, 24, and 48 hours

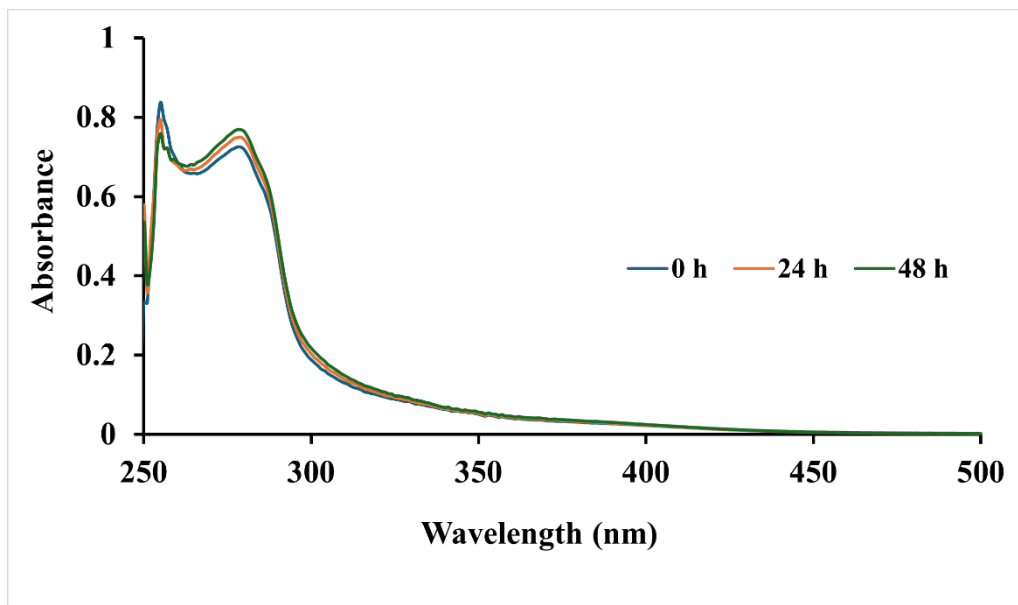


Fig. S9 Stability of the C3 complex in DMSO during 0, 24, and 48 hours

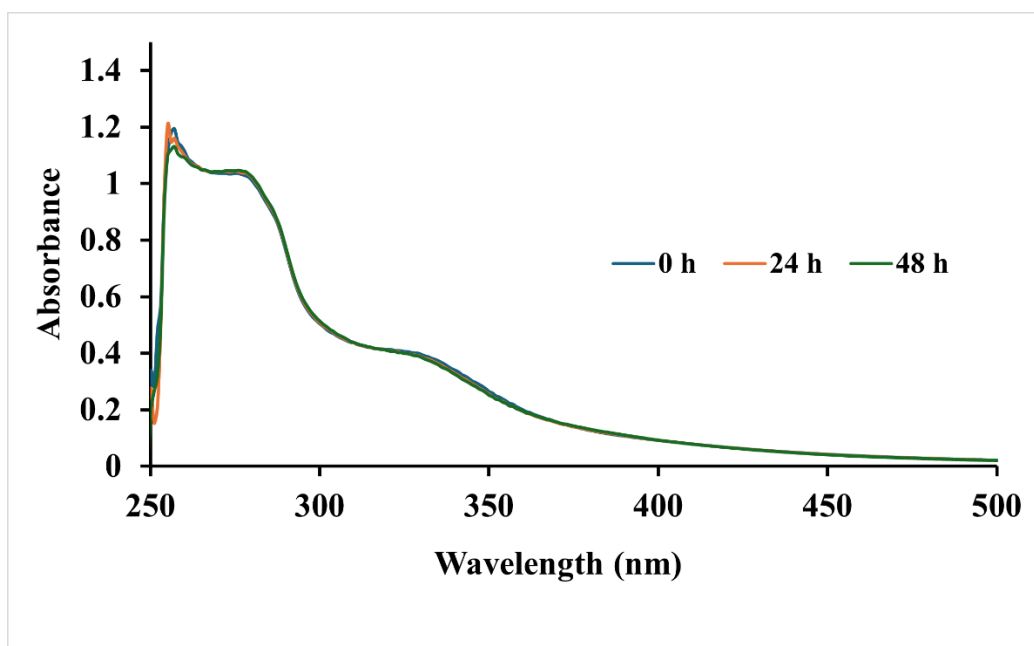


Fig. S10 Stability of the C4 complex in DMSO during 0, 24, and 48 hours

Values of conductometric measurements: C1 Mol. Cond. (DMSO, $\Omega^{-1} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$) = 15.3; C2 Mol. Cond. (DMSO, $\Omega^{-1} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$) = 13.8; C3 Mol. Cond. (DMSO, $\Omega^{-1} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$) = 10.2; C4 Mol. Cond. (DMSO, $\Omega^{-1} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$) = 8.7. Based on the measured values, we come to the conclusion that the complexes are neutral.