

Palladium(0) and Juglone: a New Alliance in the Fight Against Ovarian Cancer

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NMR SPECTRA

1D NMR and 2D NMR spectrum were recorded on Bruker 300 or 400 Advance spectrometers. Chemical shifts values (ppm) are given relative to TMS (^1H and ^{13}C), H_3PO_4 (^{31}P) and CCl_3F (^{19}F).

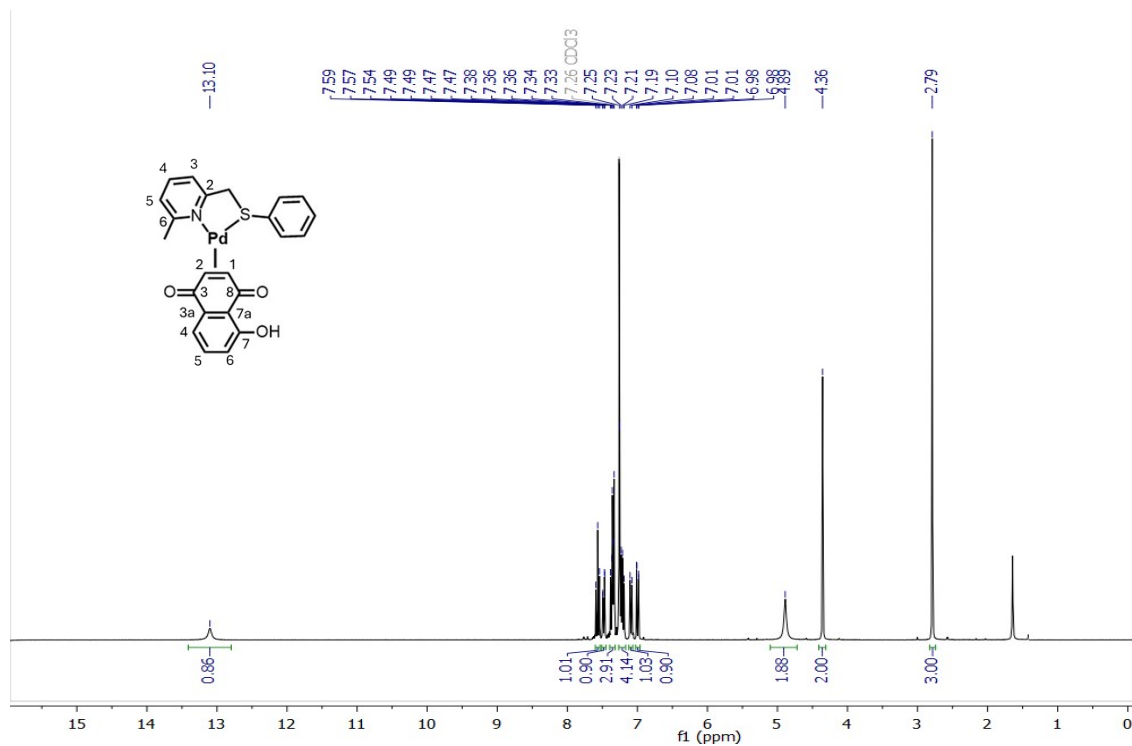


Figure S1. ^1H NMR spectrum of **A** in CDCl_3 .

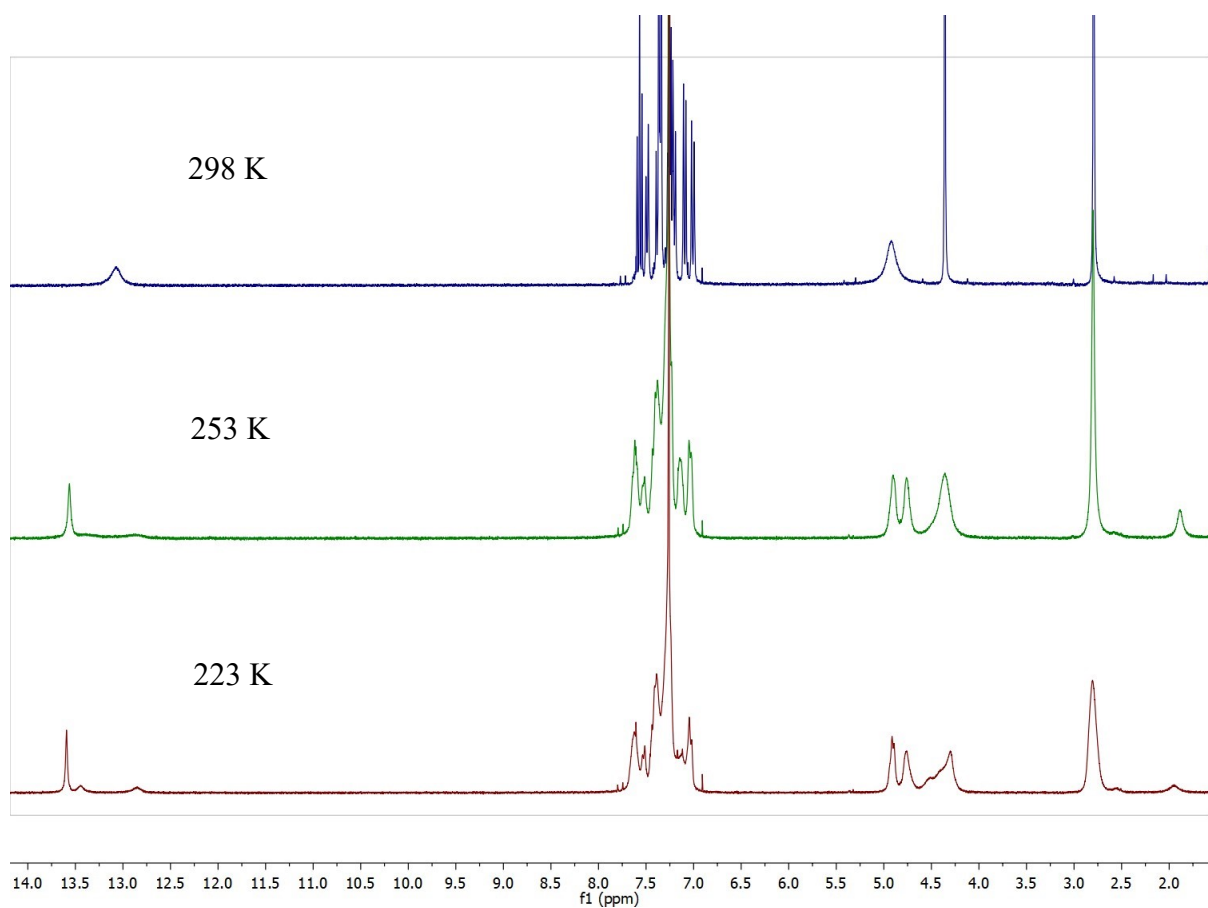


Figure S2. ^1H NMR spectrum of **A** in CDCl_3 at different temperatures.

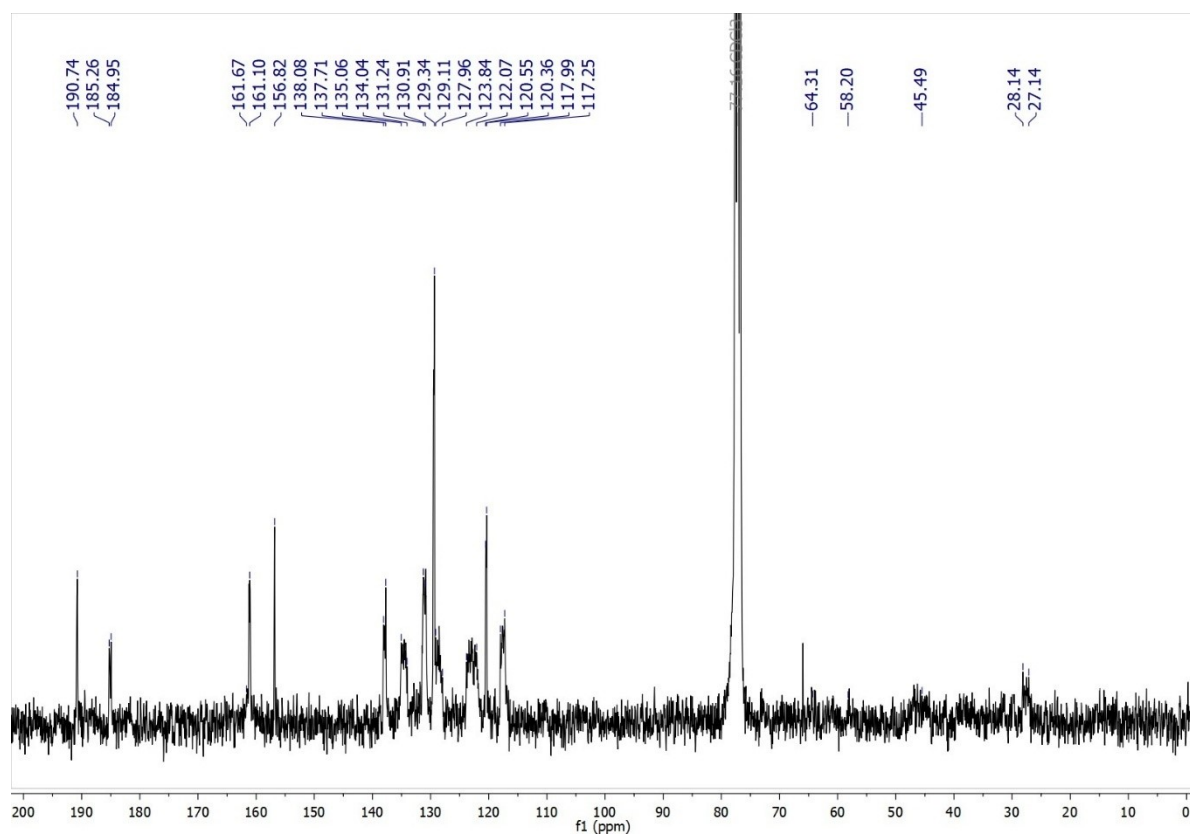


Figure S3. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of A in CDCl_3 at 298K.

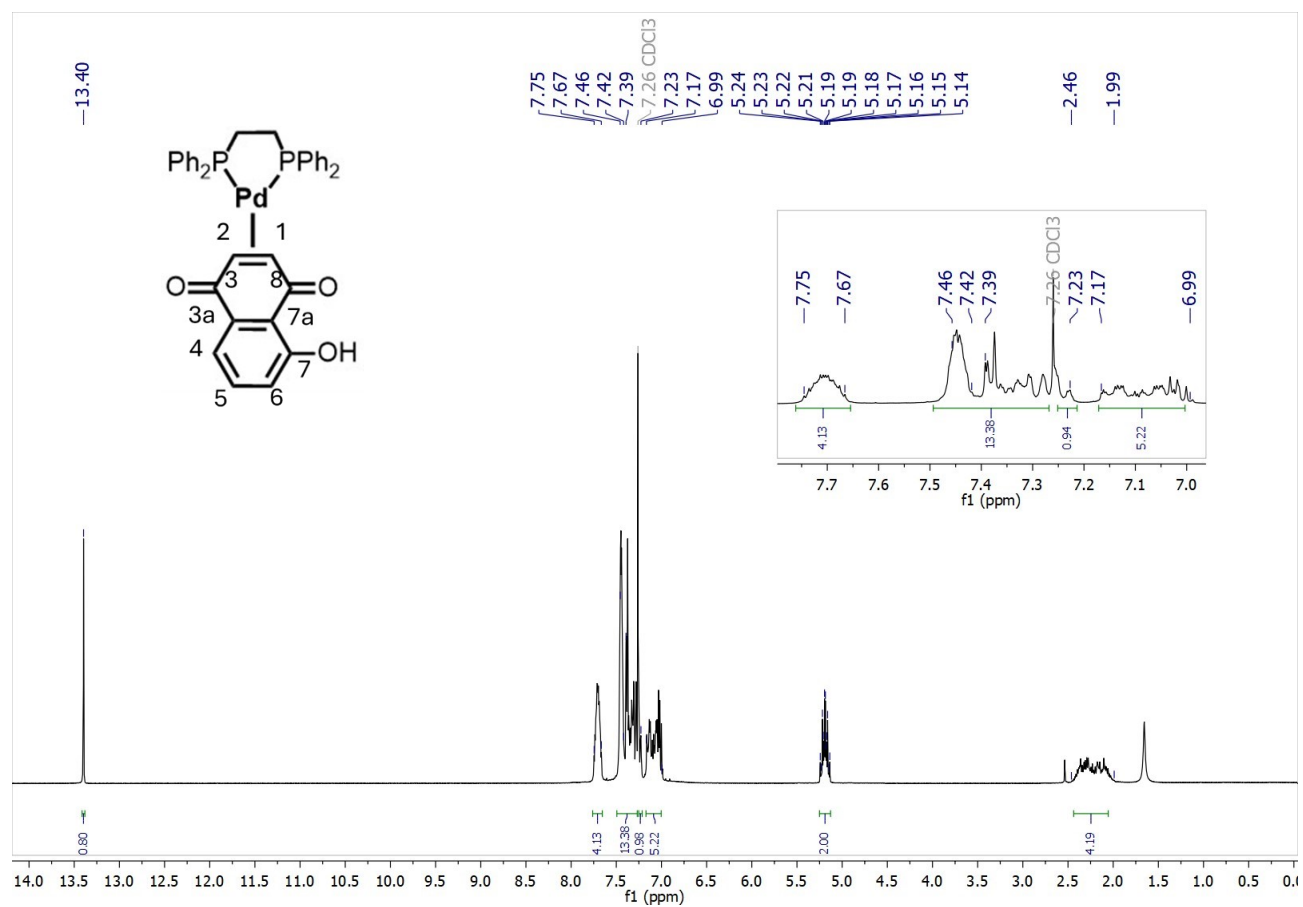


Figure S4. ¹H NMR spectrum of **1** in CDCl₃.

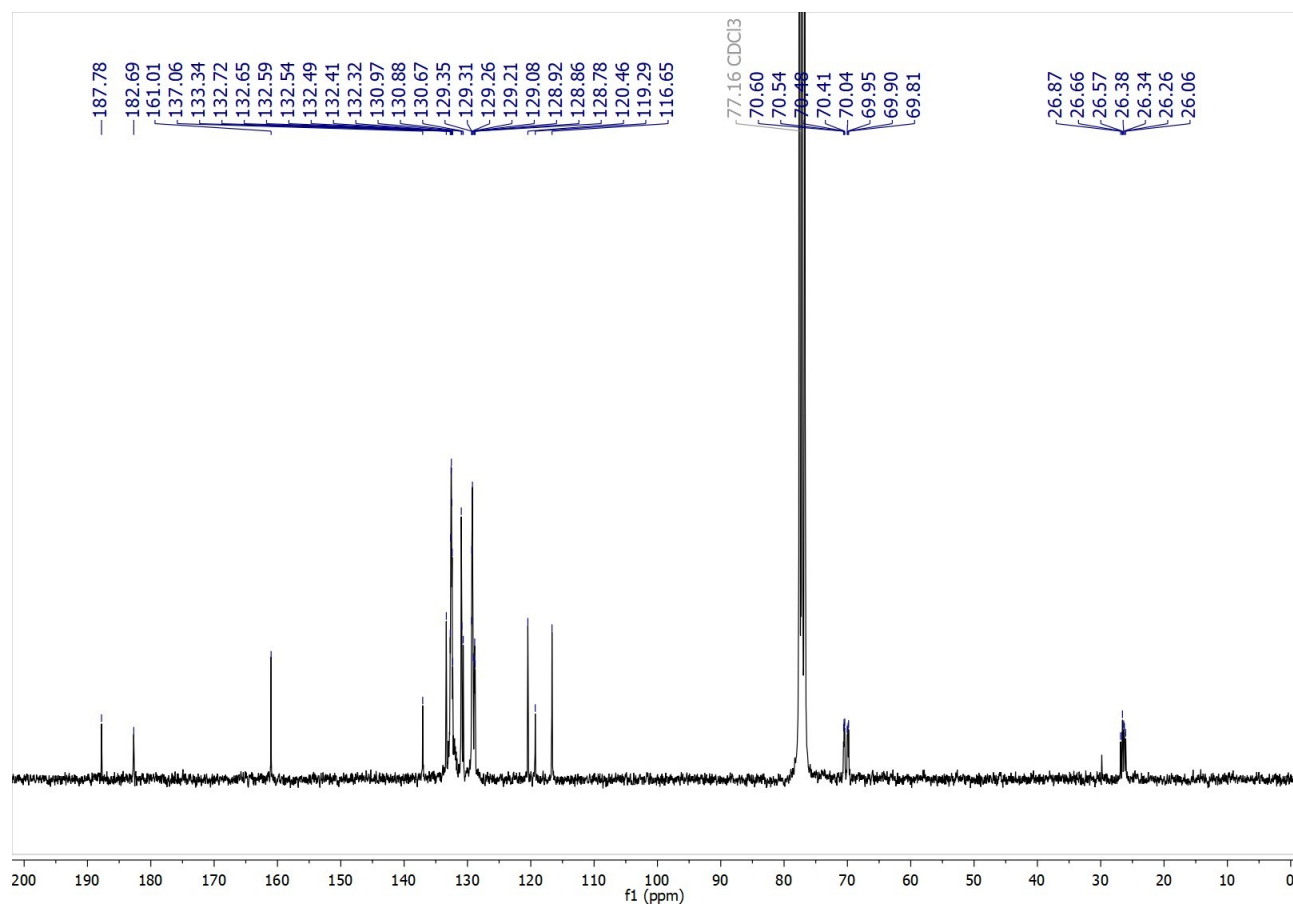


Figure S5. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **1** in CDCl_3 .

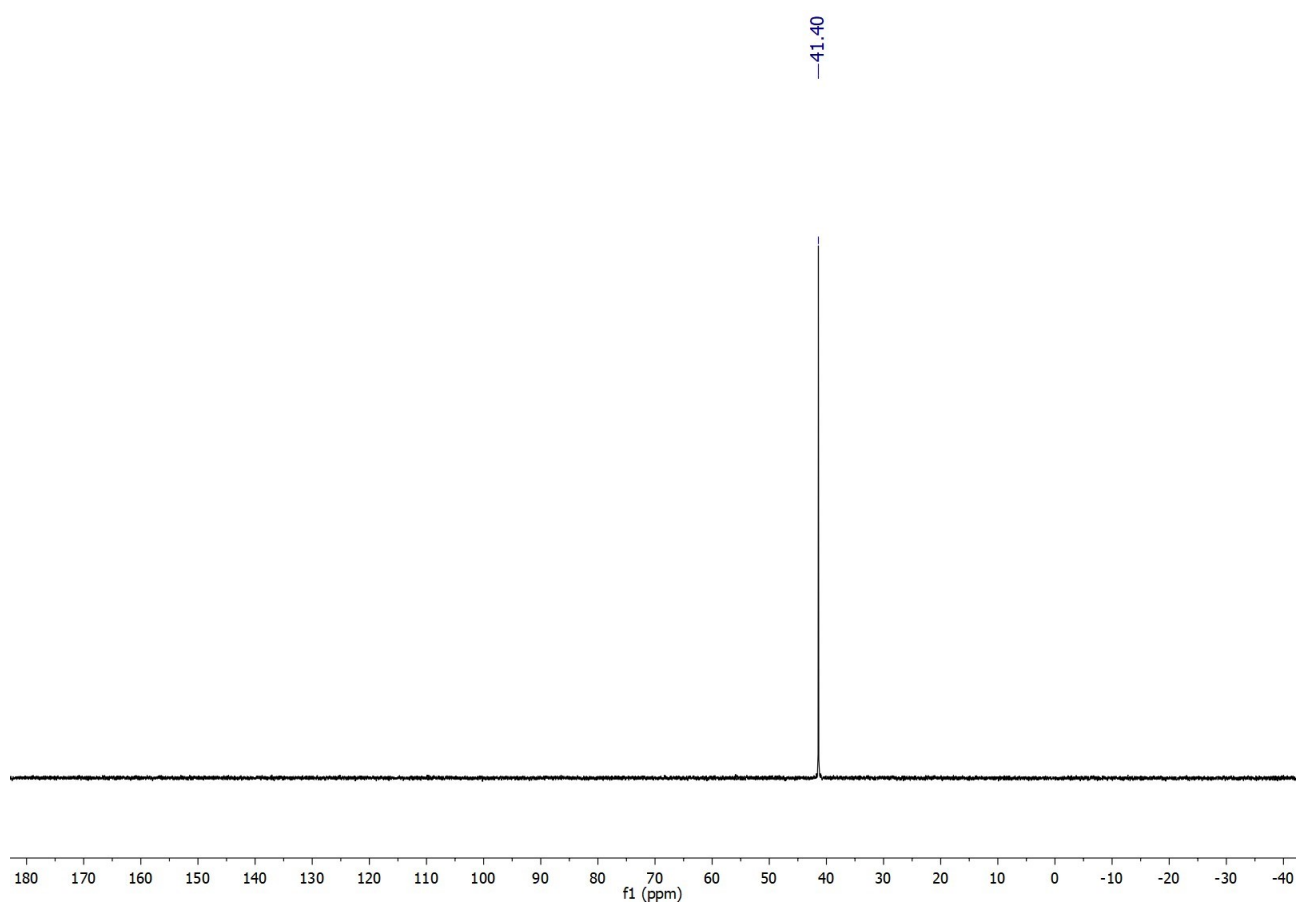


Figure S6. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **1** in CDCl_3 .

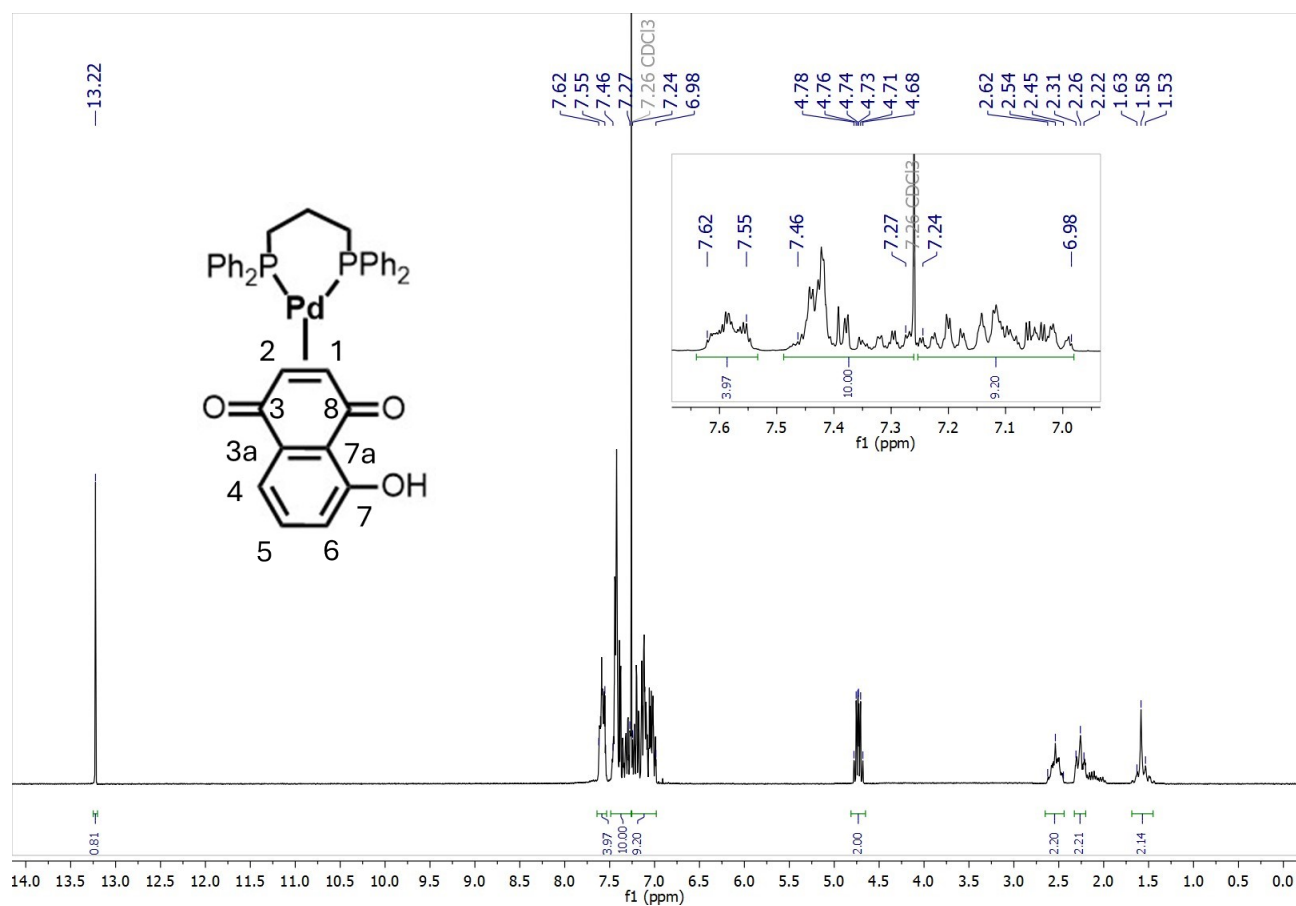


Figure S7. ¹H NMR spectrum of **2** in CDCl₃.

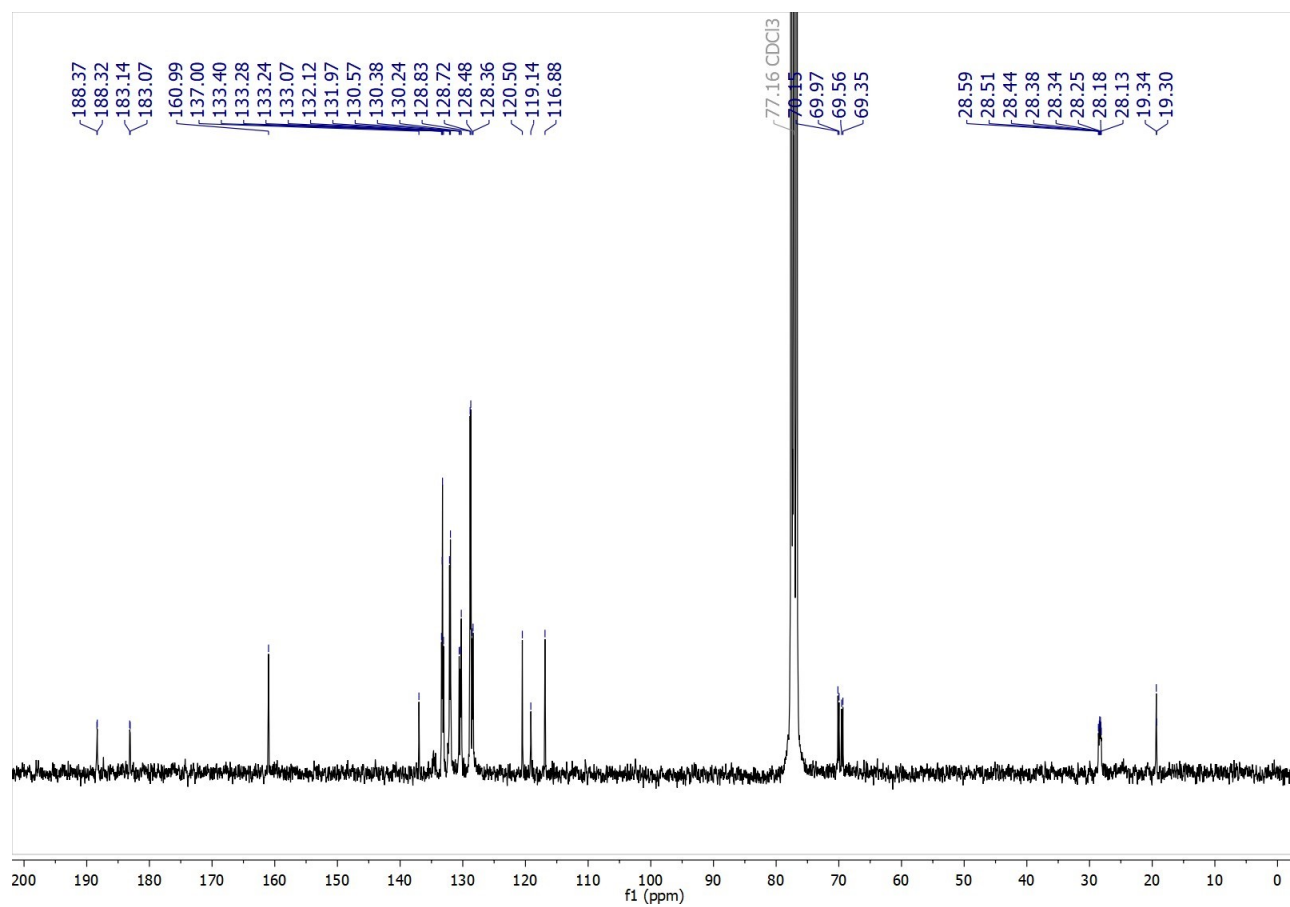


Figure S8. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **2** in CDCl_3 .

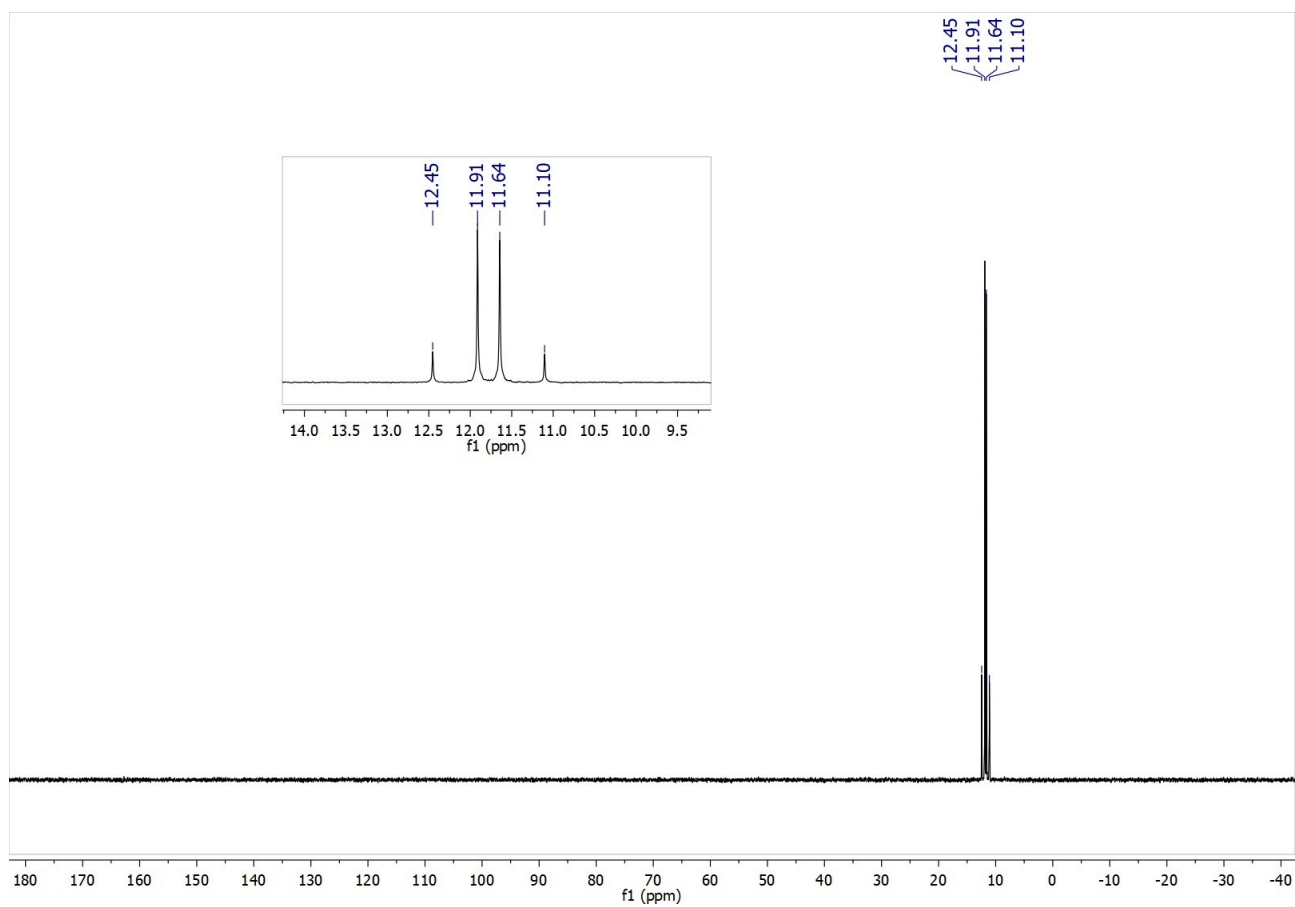


Figure S9. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **2** in CDCl_3 .

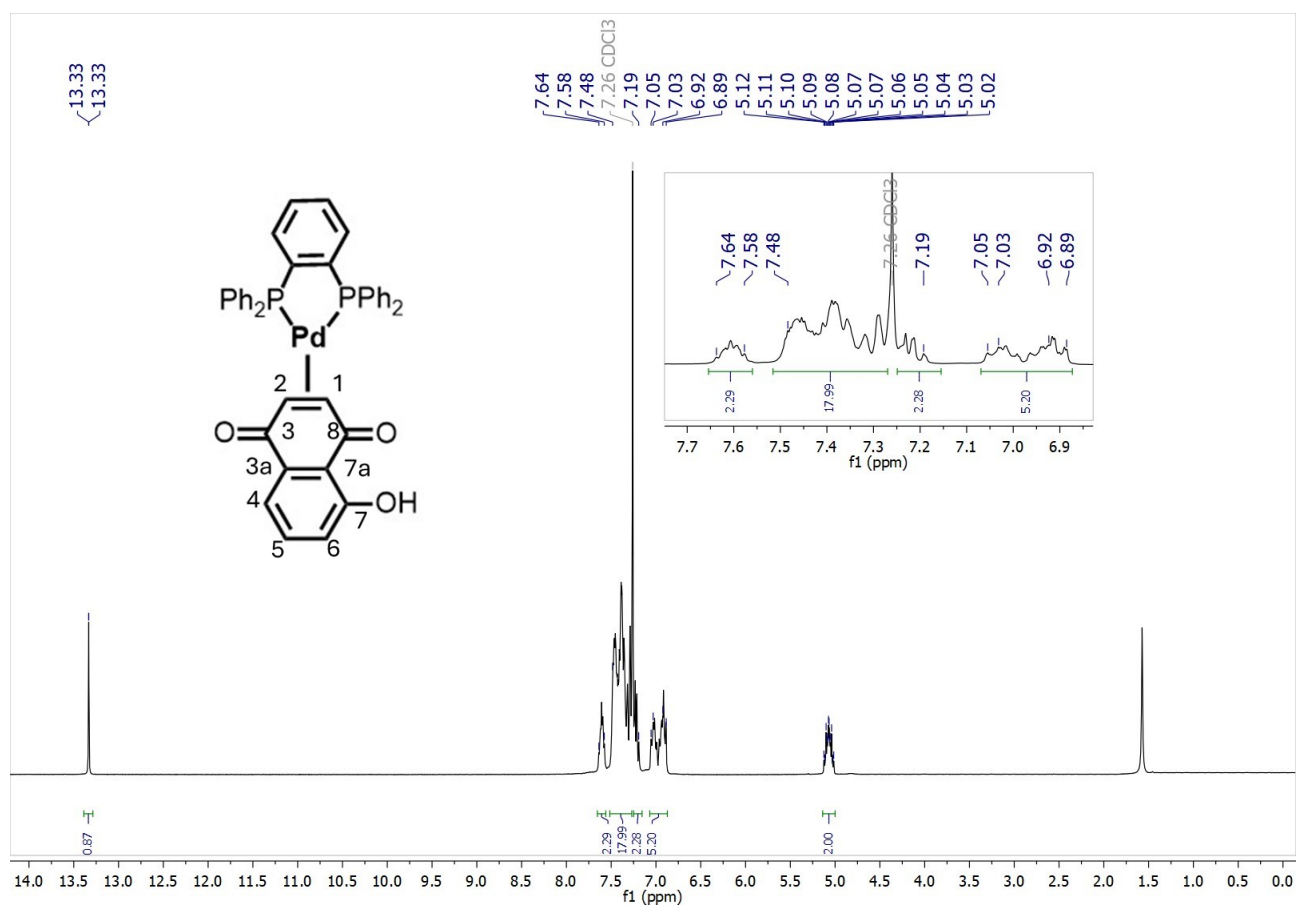


Figure S10. ¹H NMR spectrum of **3** in CDCl₃.

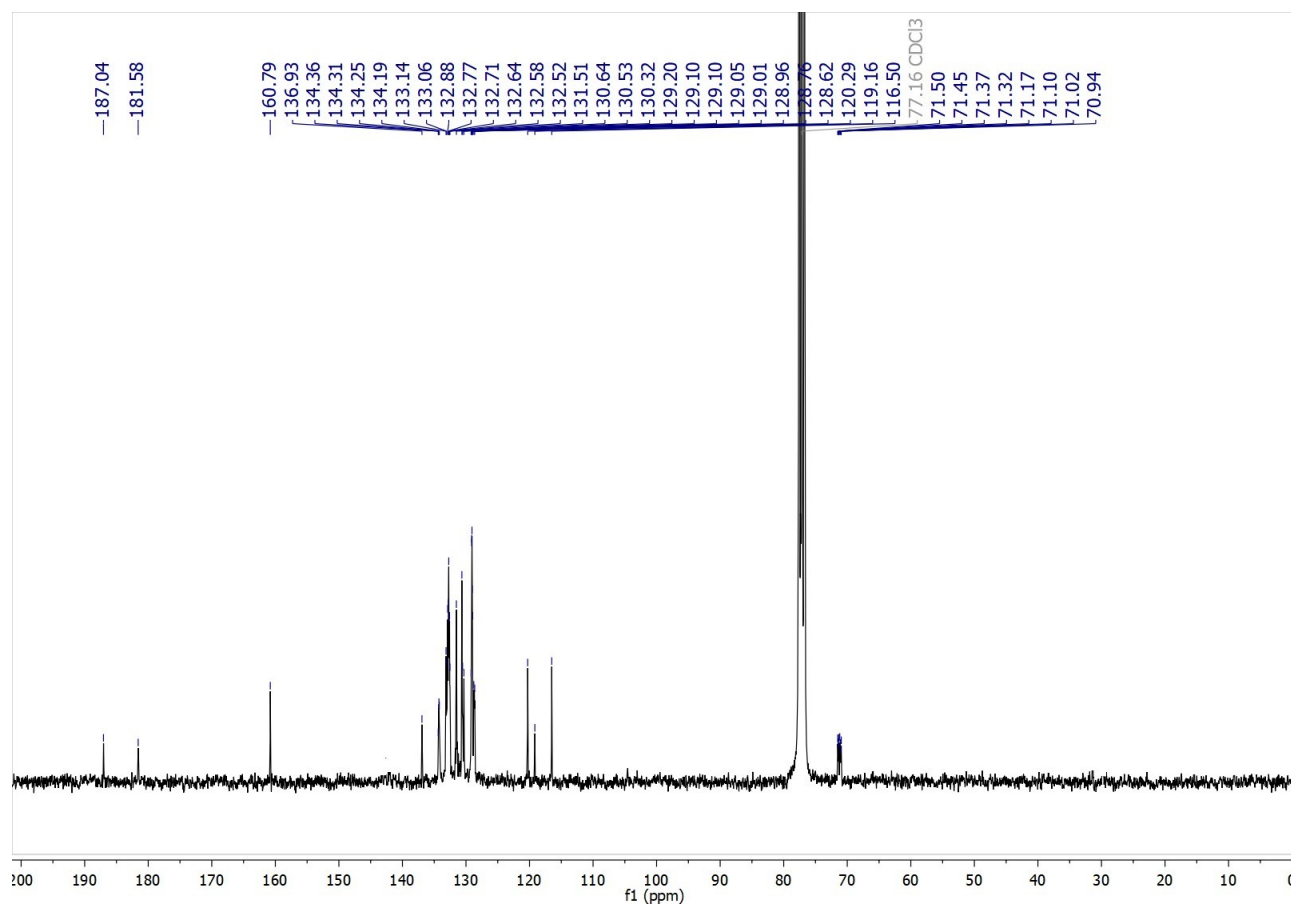


Figure S11. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **3** in CDCl_3 .

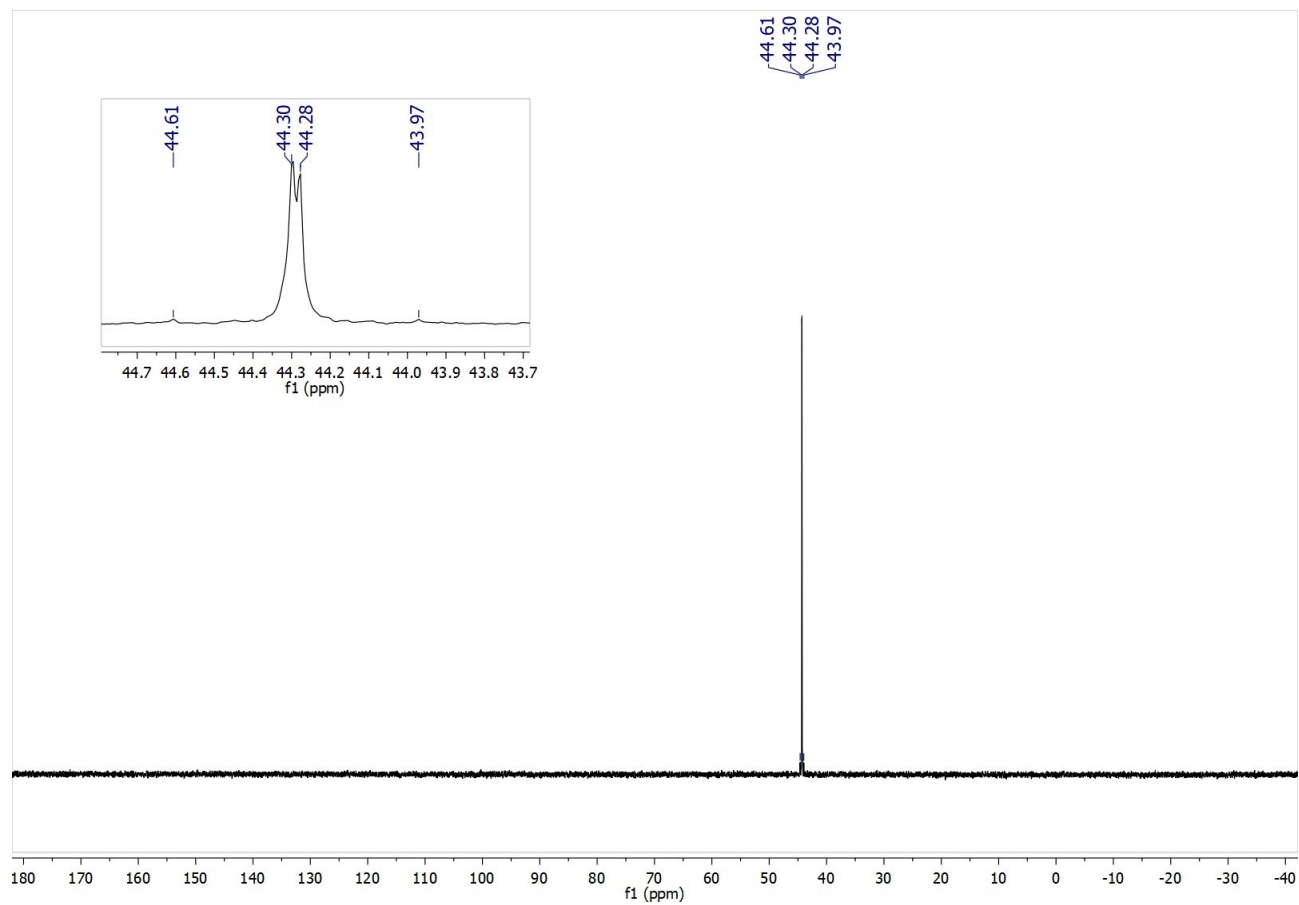


Figure S12. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **3** in CDCl_3 .

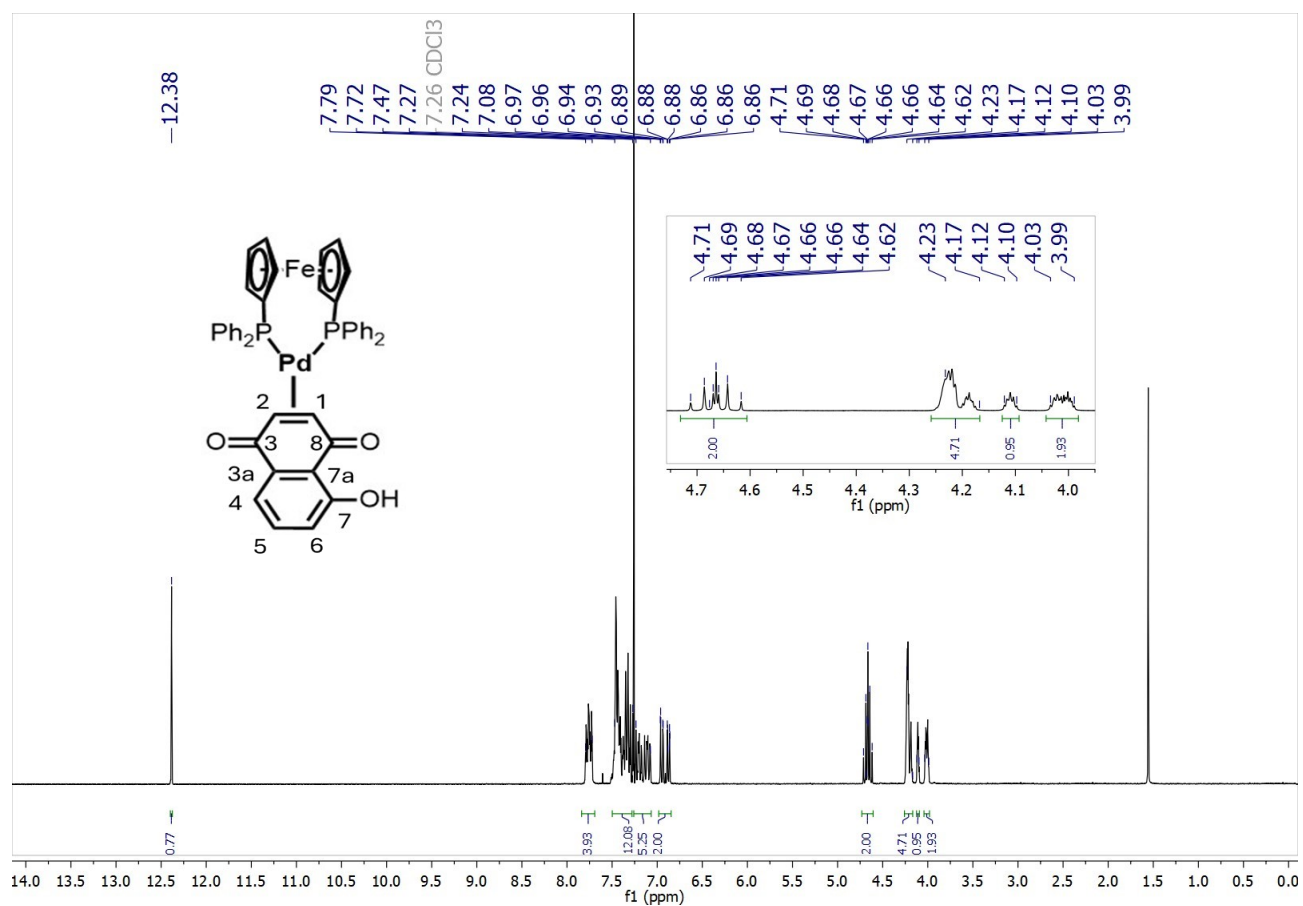


Figure S13. ¹H NMR spectrum of **4** in CDCl₃.

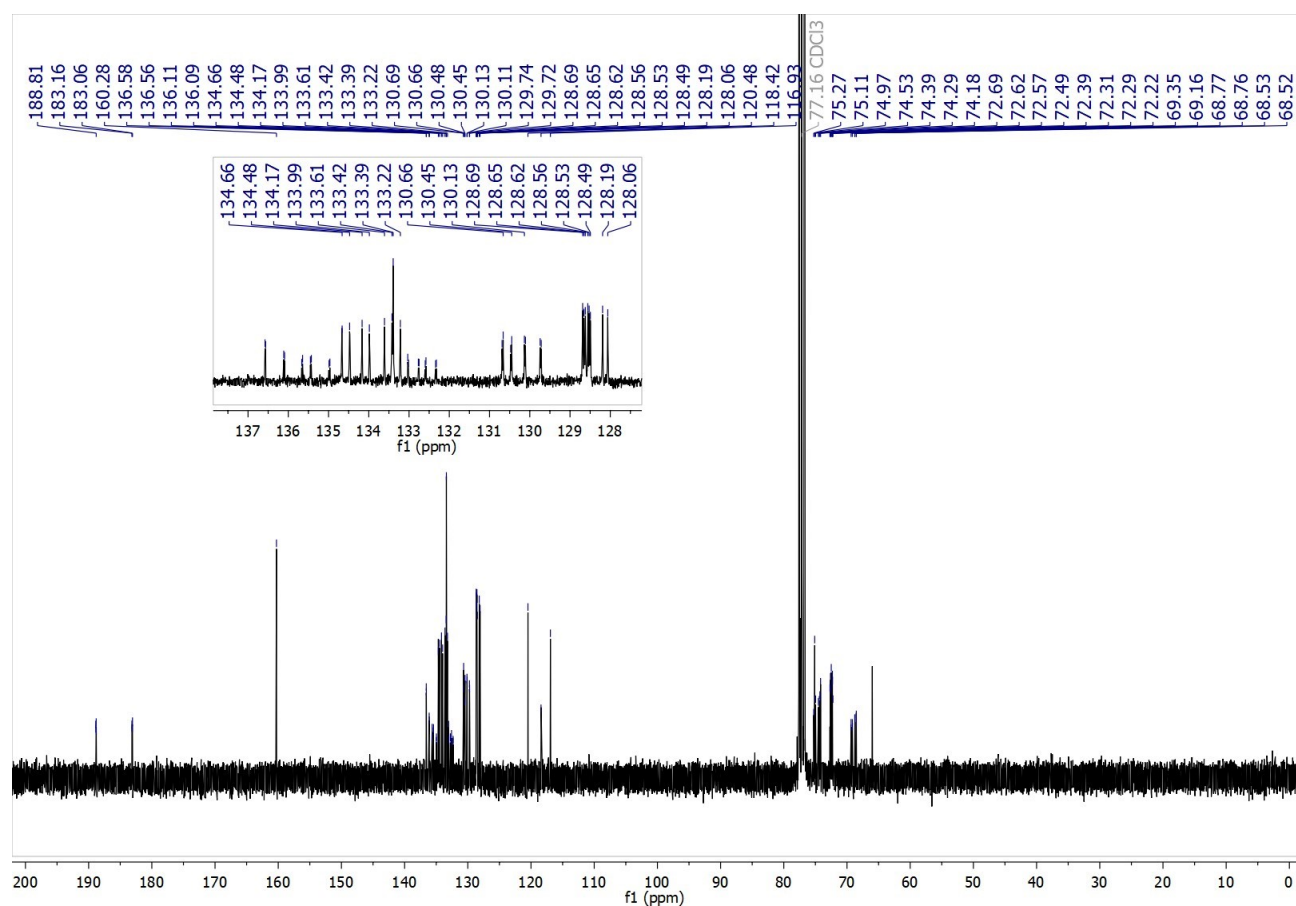


Figure S14. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **4** in CDCl_3 .

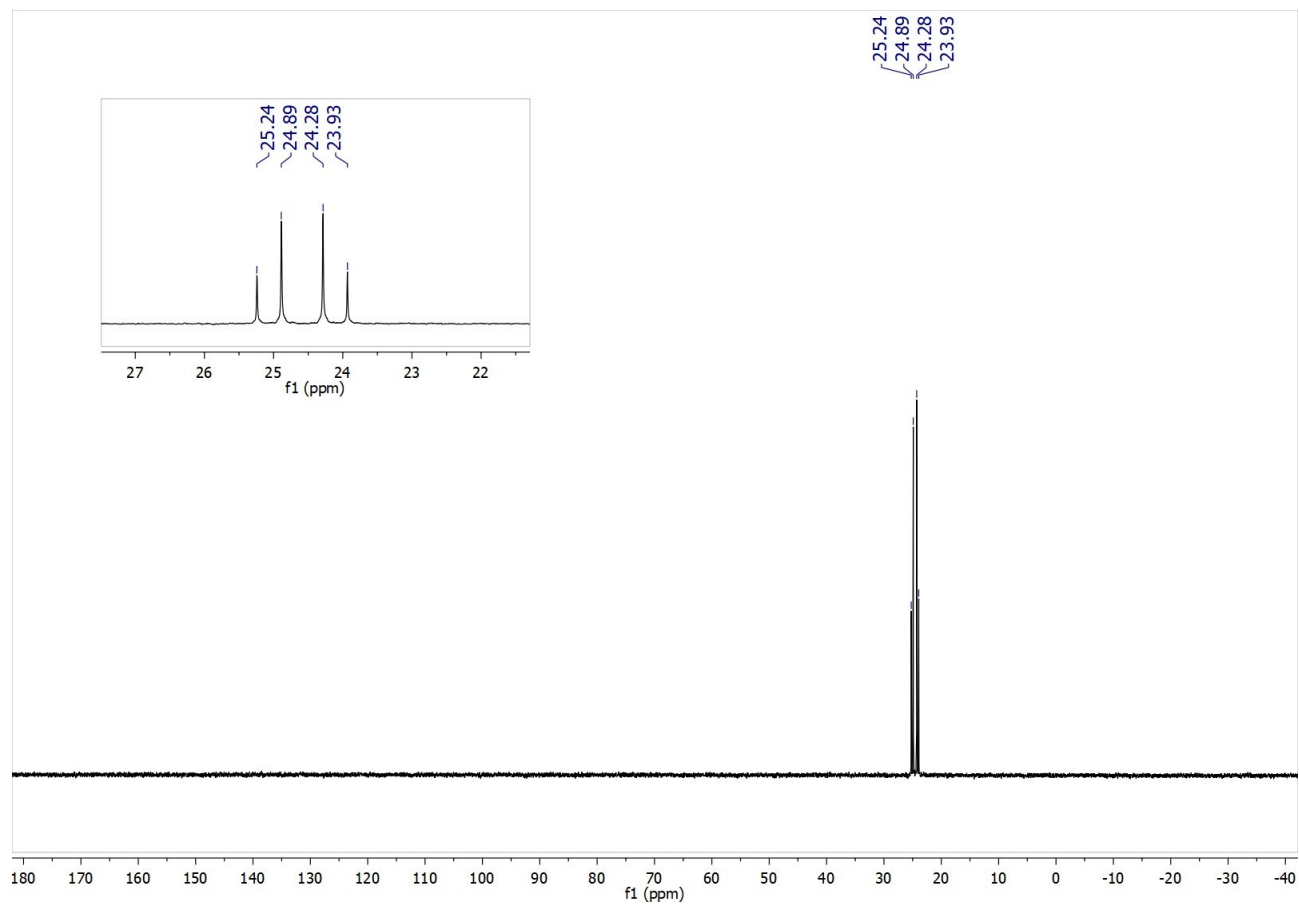
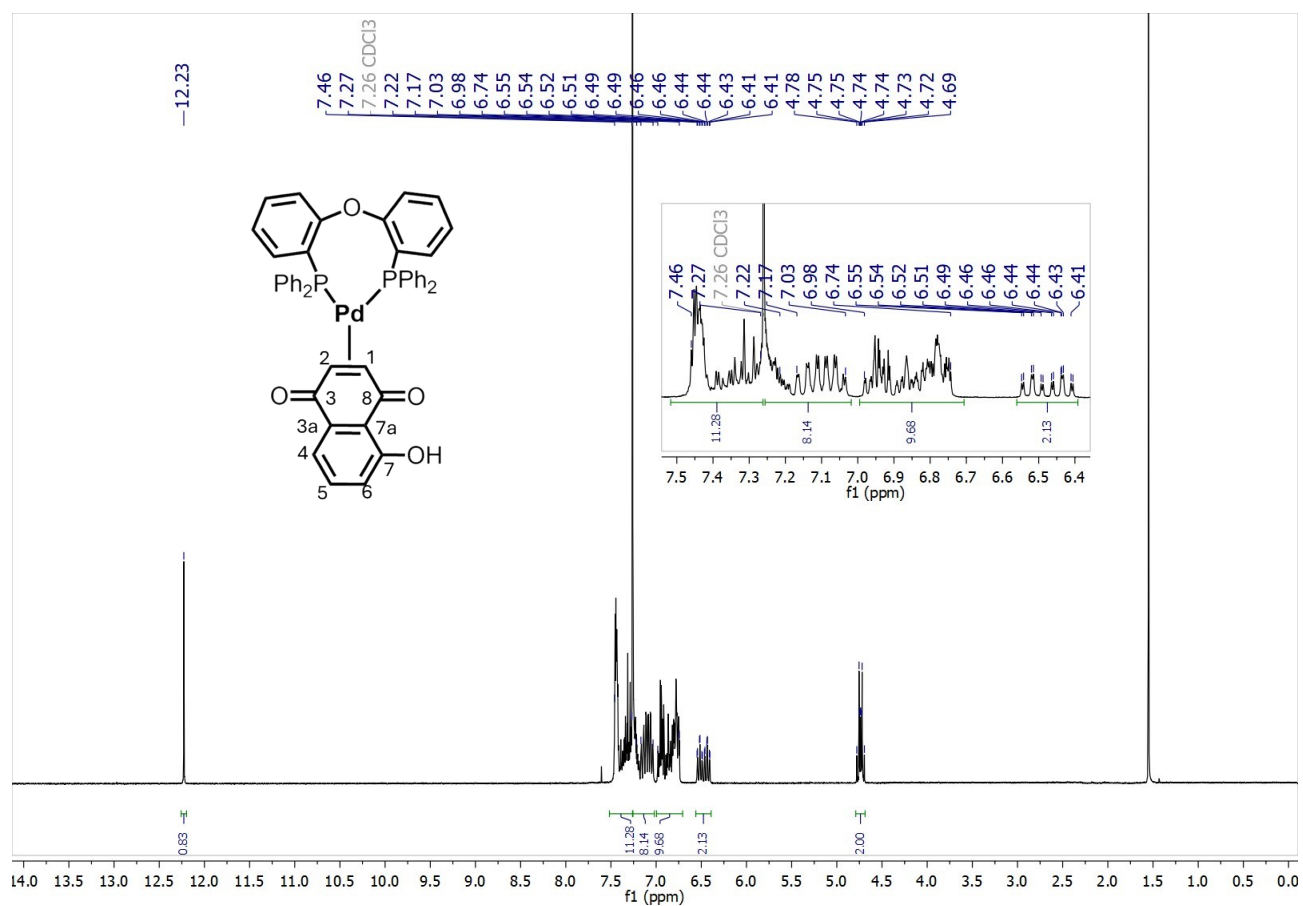


Figure S15. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **4** in CDCl_3 .



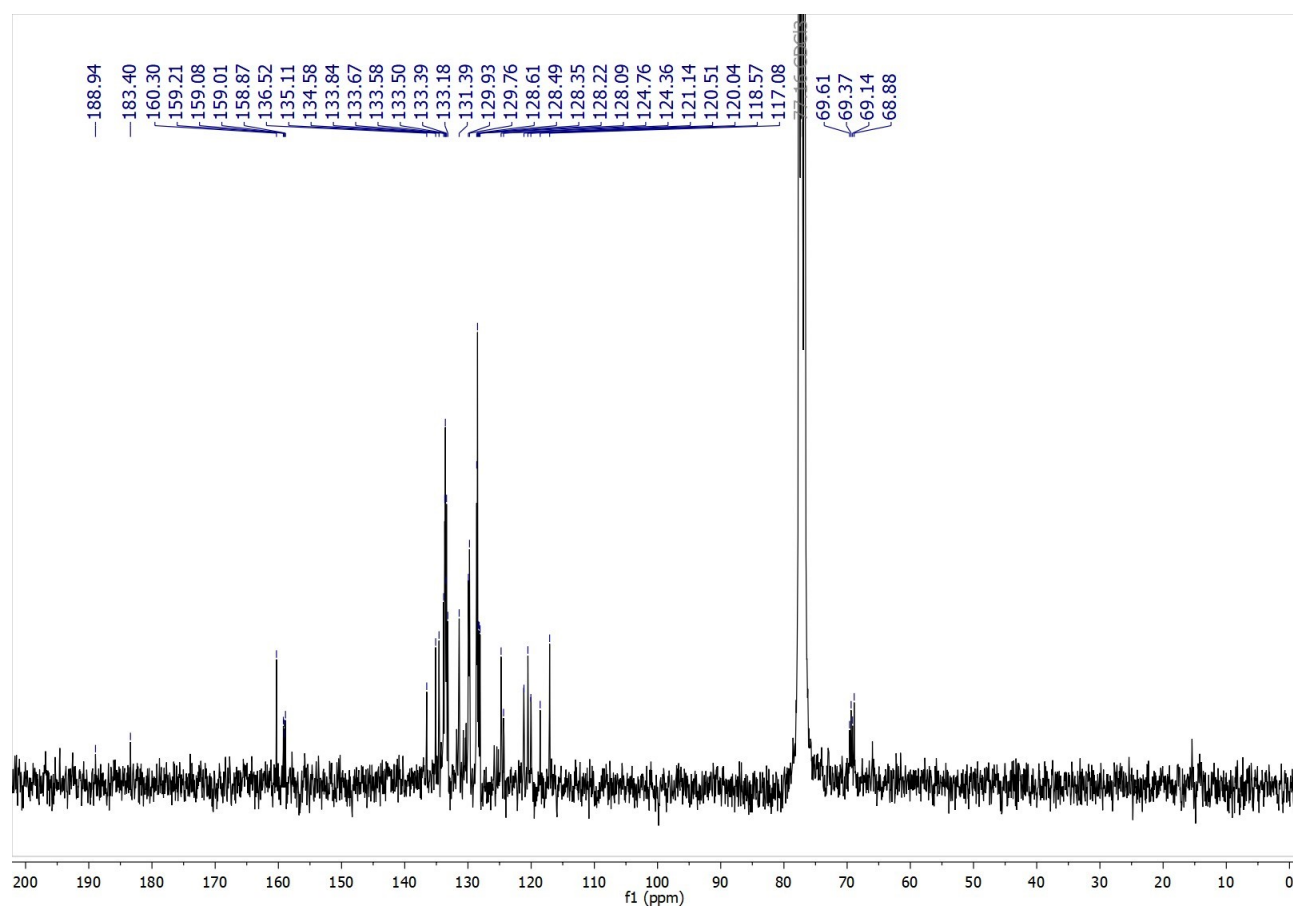


Figure S17. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **5** in CDCl_3 .

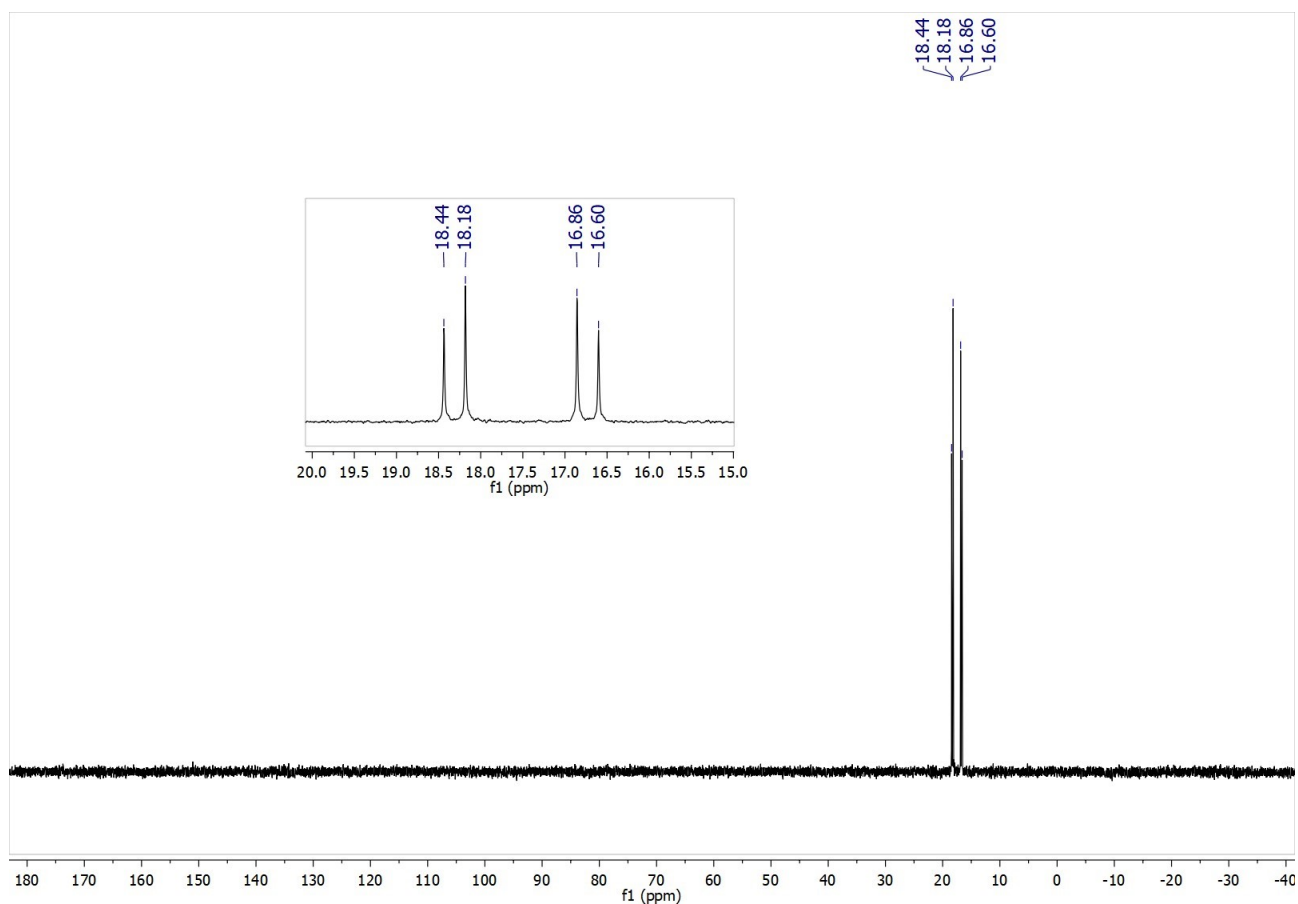


Figure S18. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **5** in CDCl_3 .

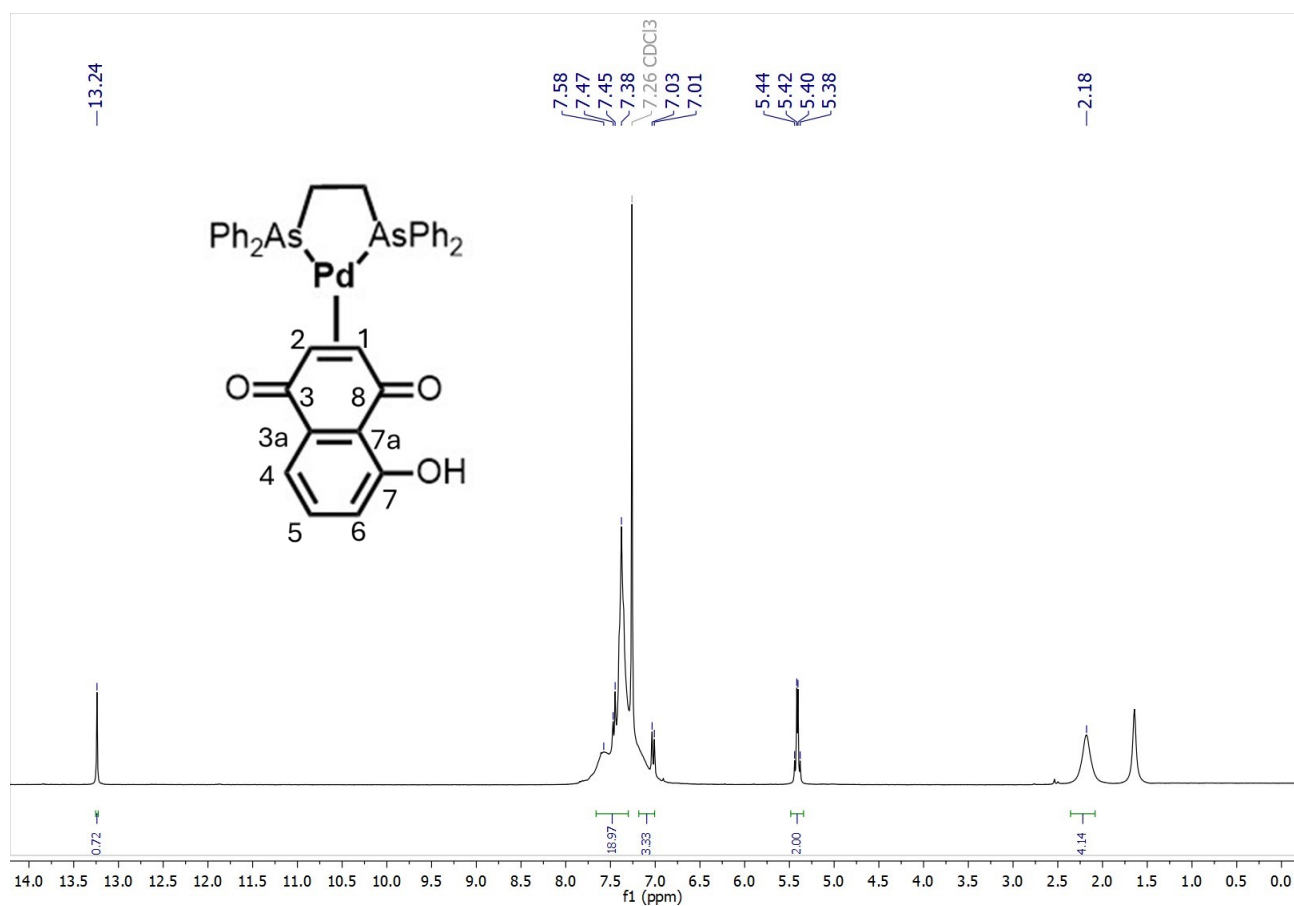


Figure S19. ^1H NMR spectrum of **6** in CDCl_3 .

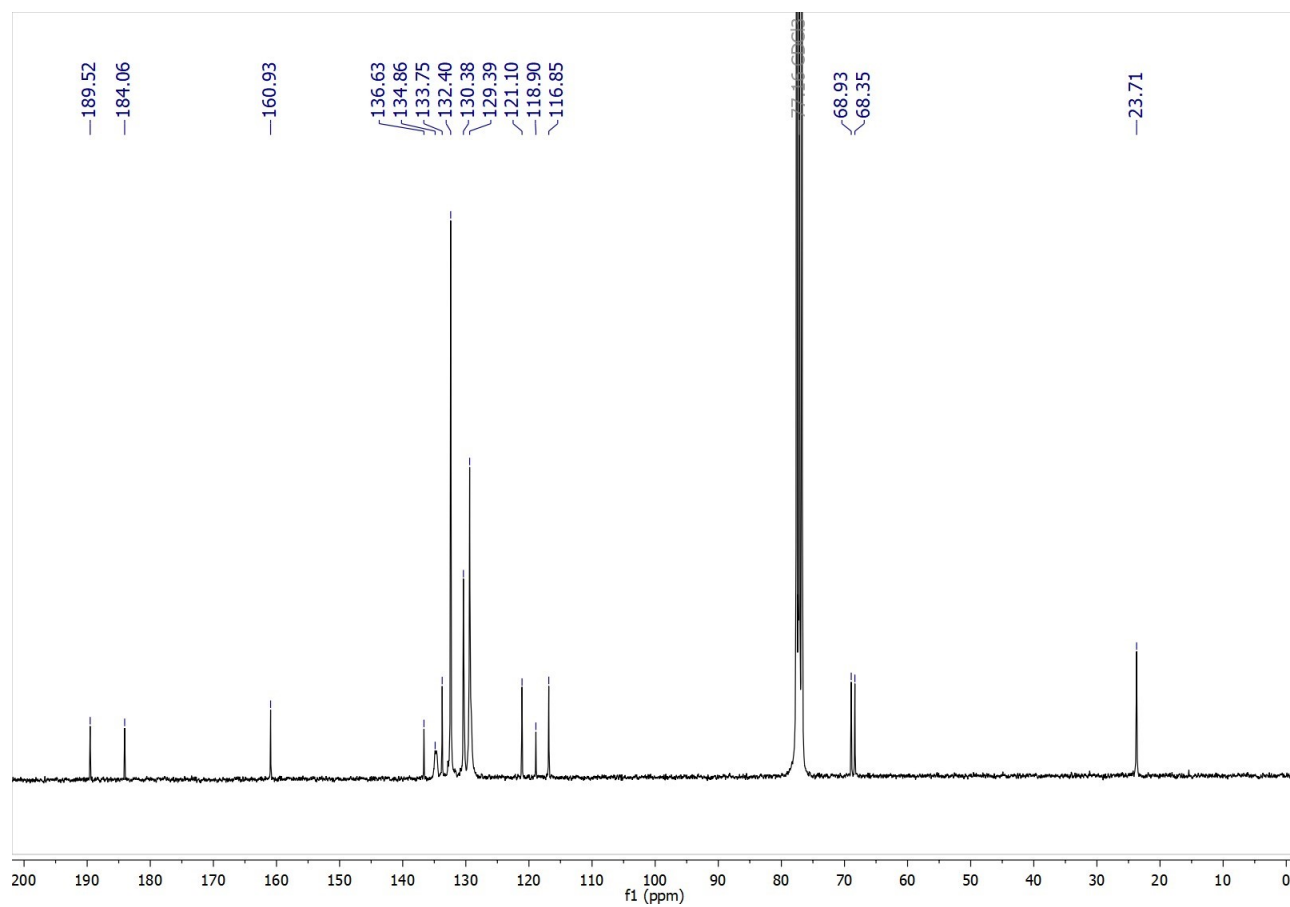


Figure S20. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **6** in CDCl_3 .

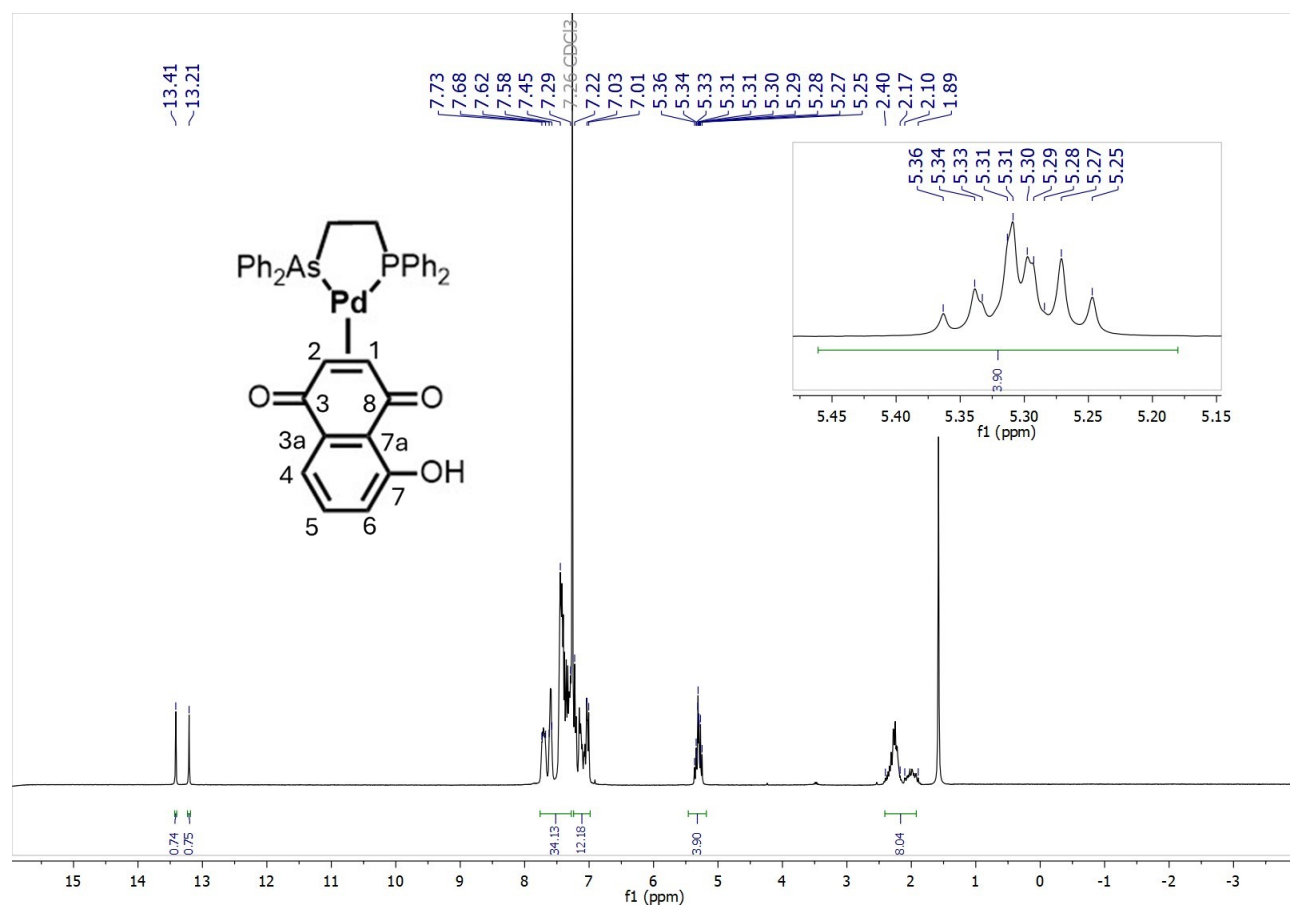


Figure S21. ¹H NMR spectrum of **7** in CDCl₃.

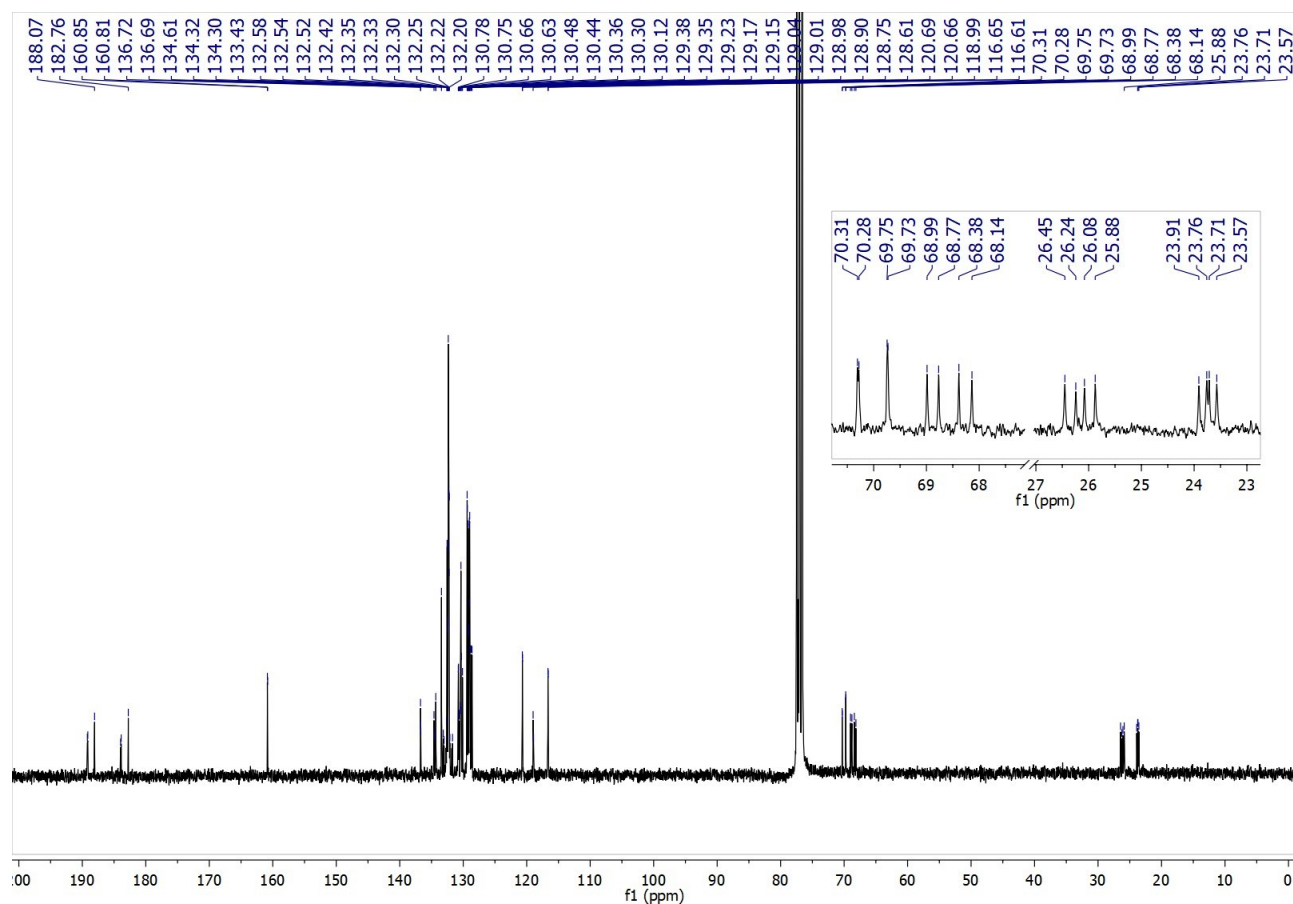


Figure S22. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **7** in CDCl_3 .

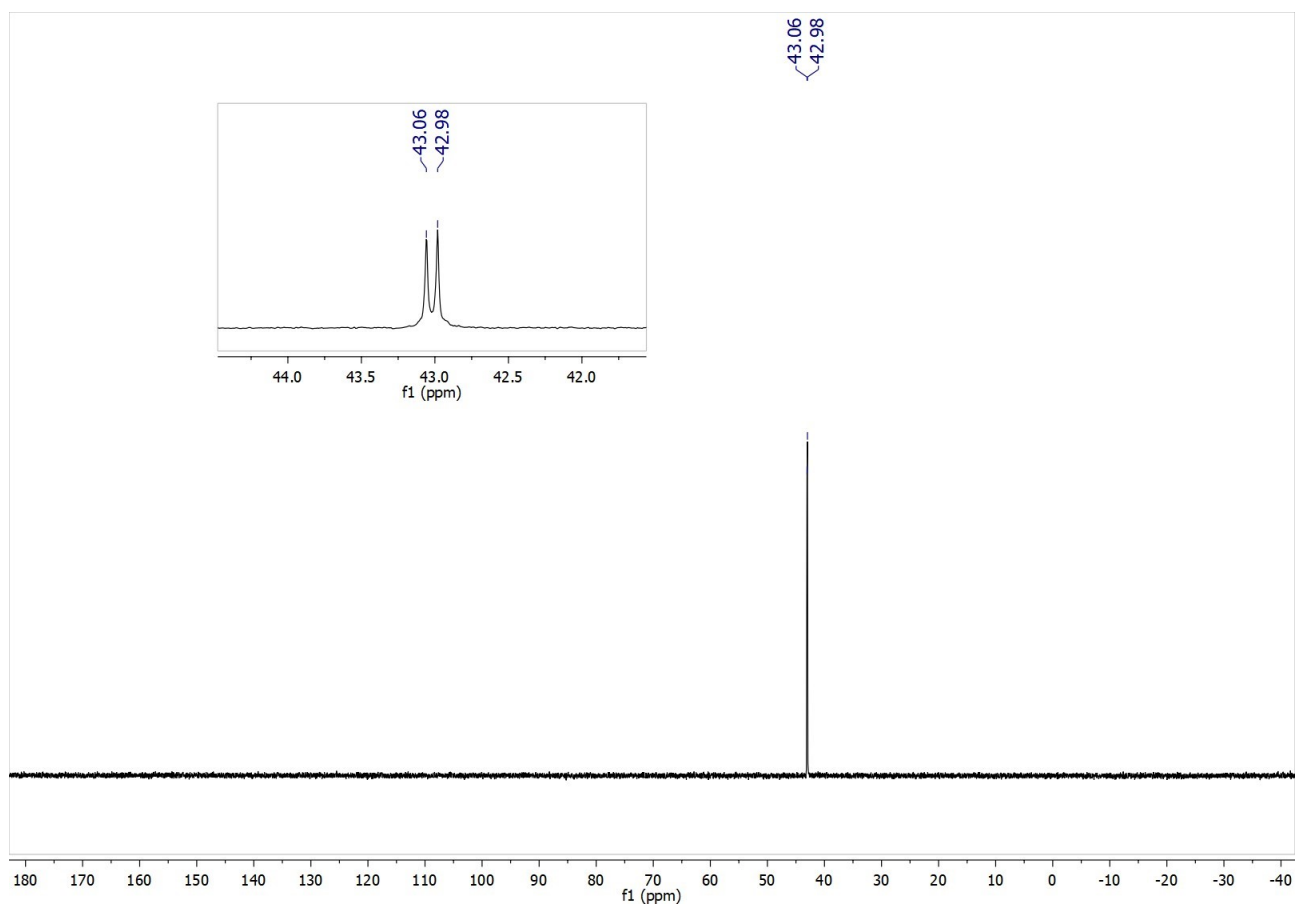


Figure S23. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **7** in CDCl_3 .

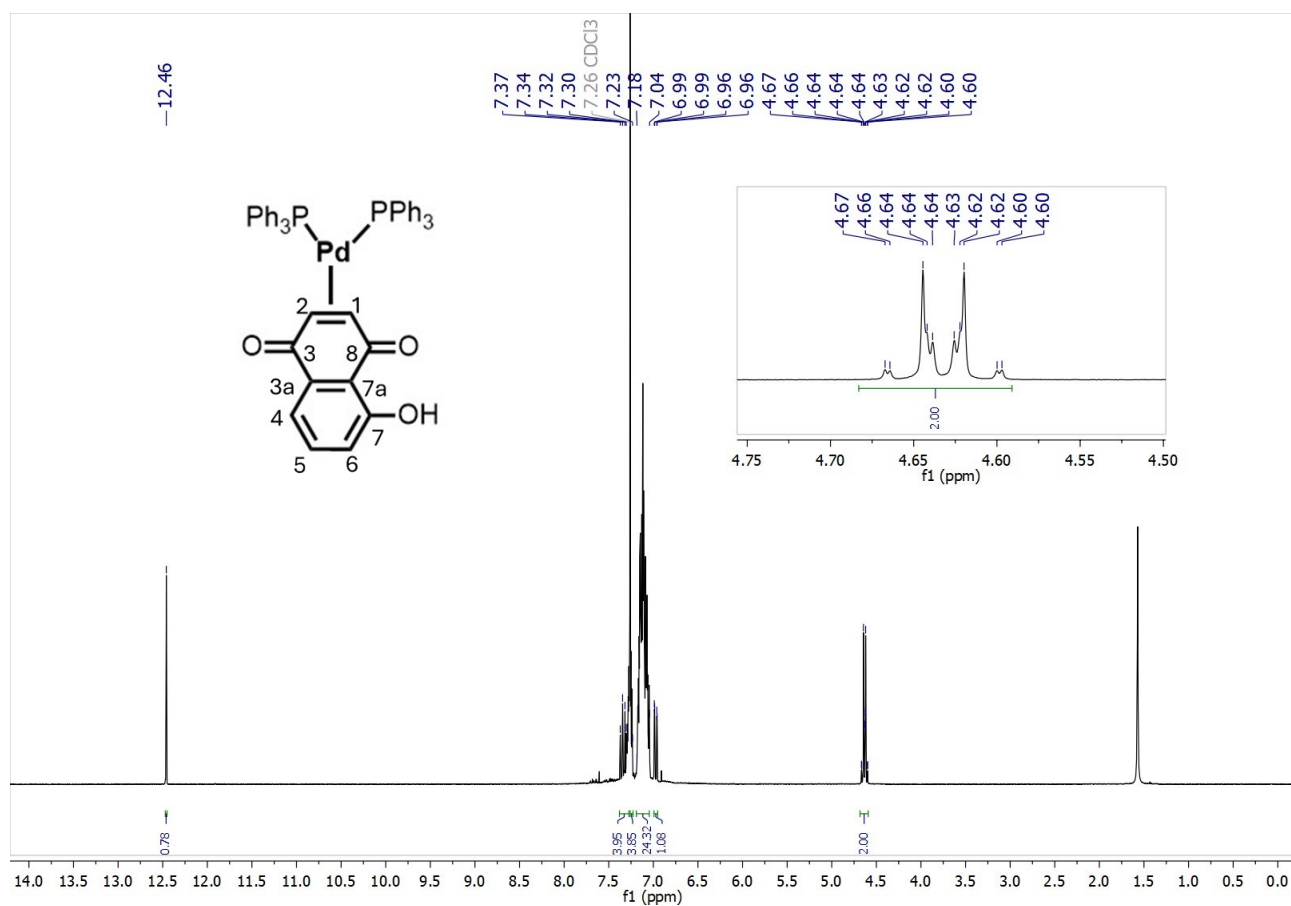


Figure S24. ¹H NMR spectrum of **8** in CDCl₃.



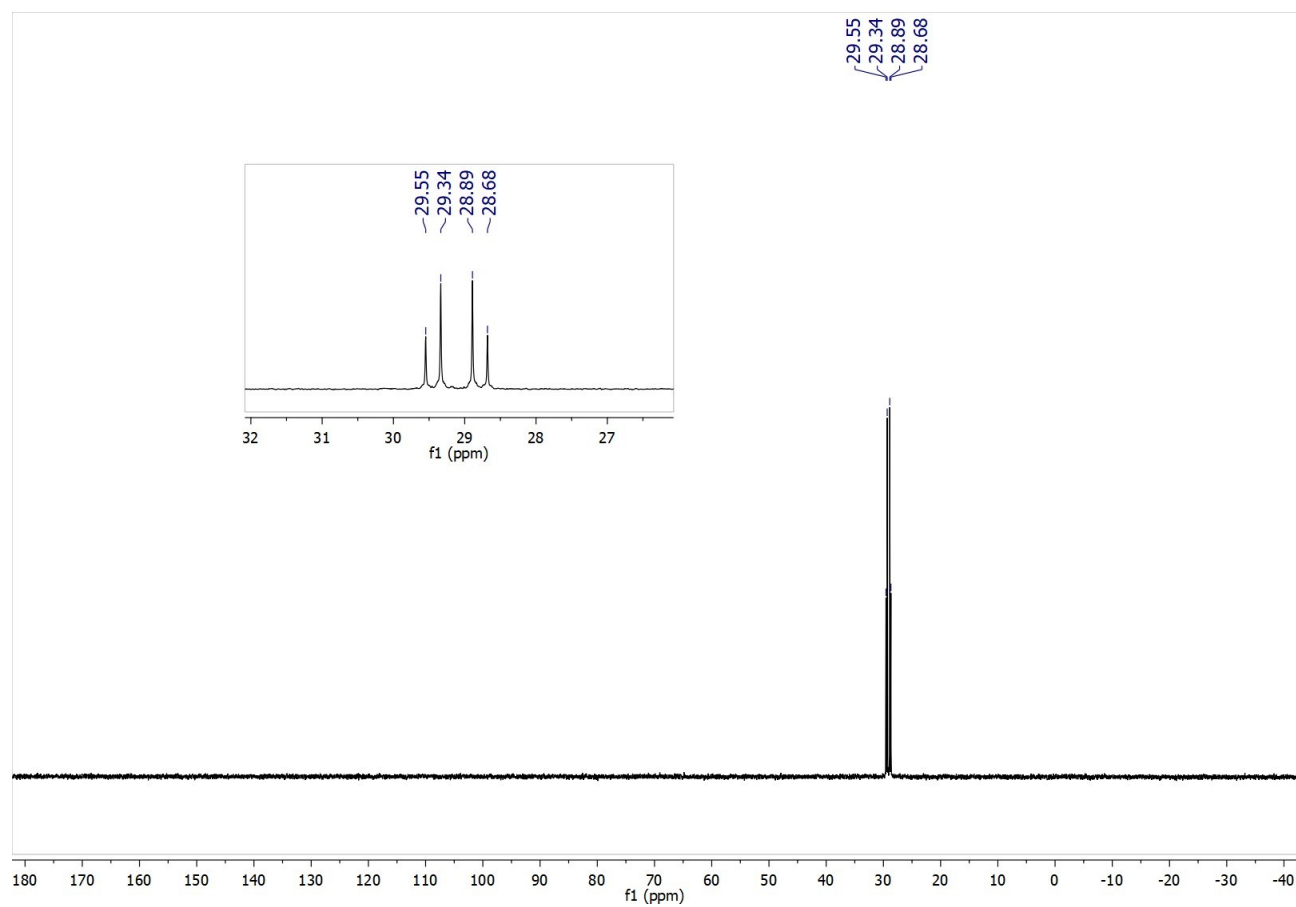


Figure S26. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **8** in CDCl_3 .

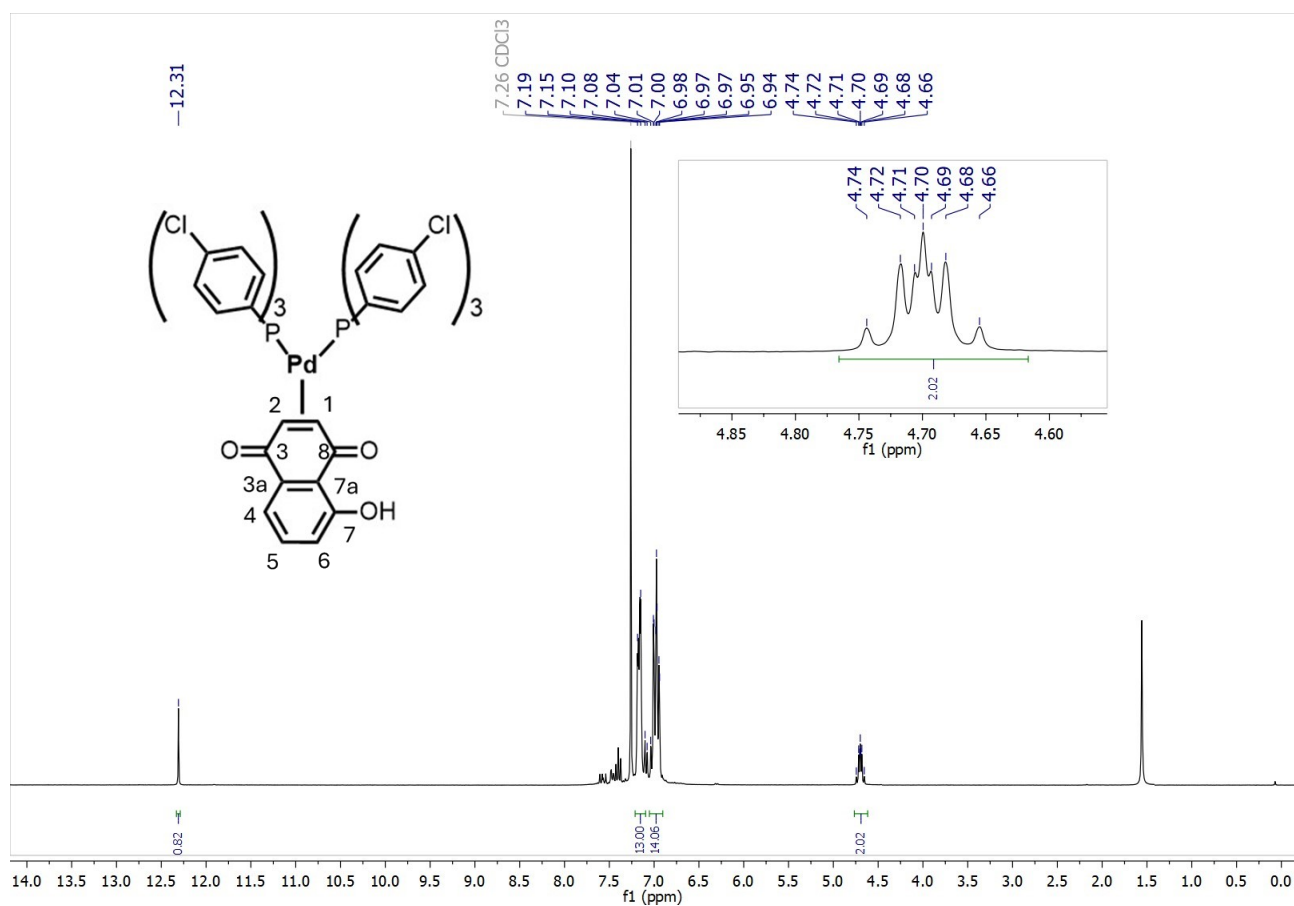


Figure S27. ¹H NMR spectrum of **9** in CDCl₃.

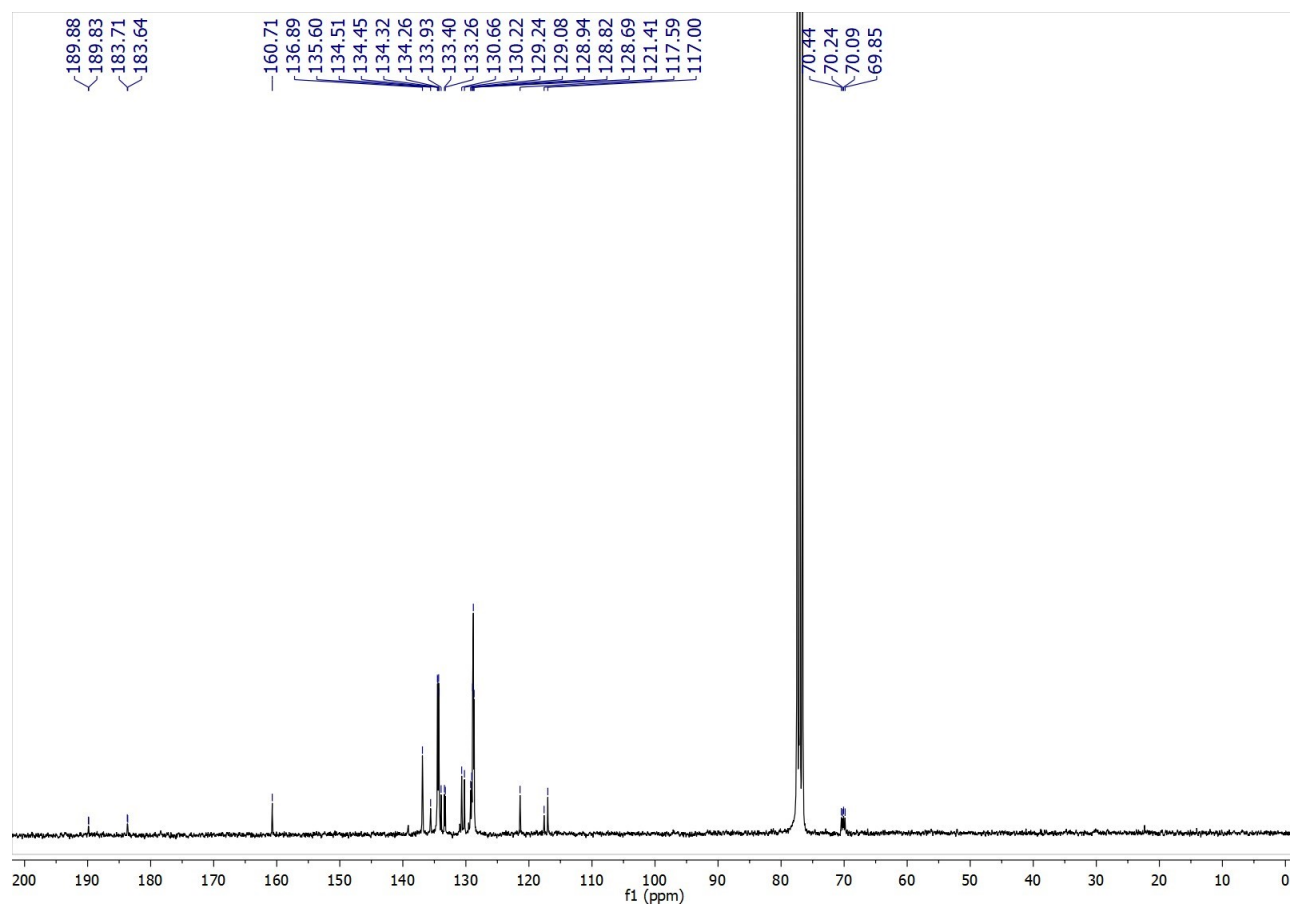


Figure S28. ¹³C{¹H} NMR spectrum of **9** in CDCl₃.

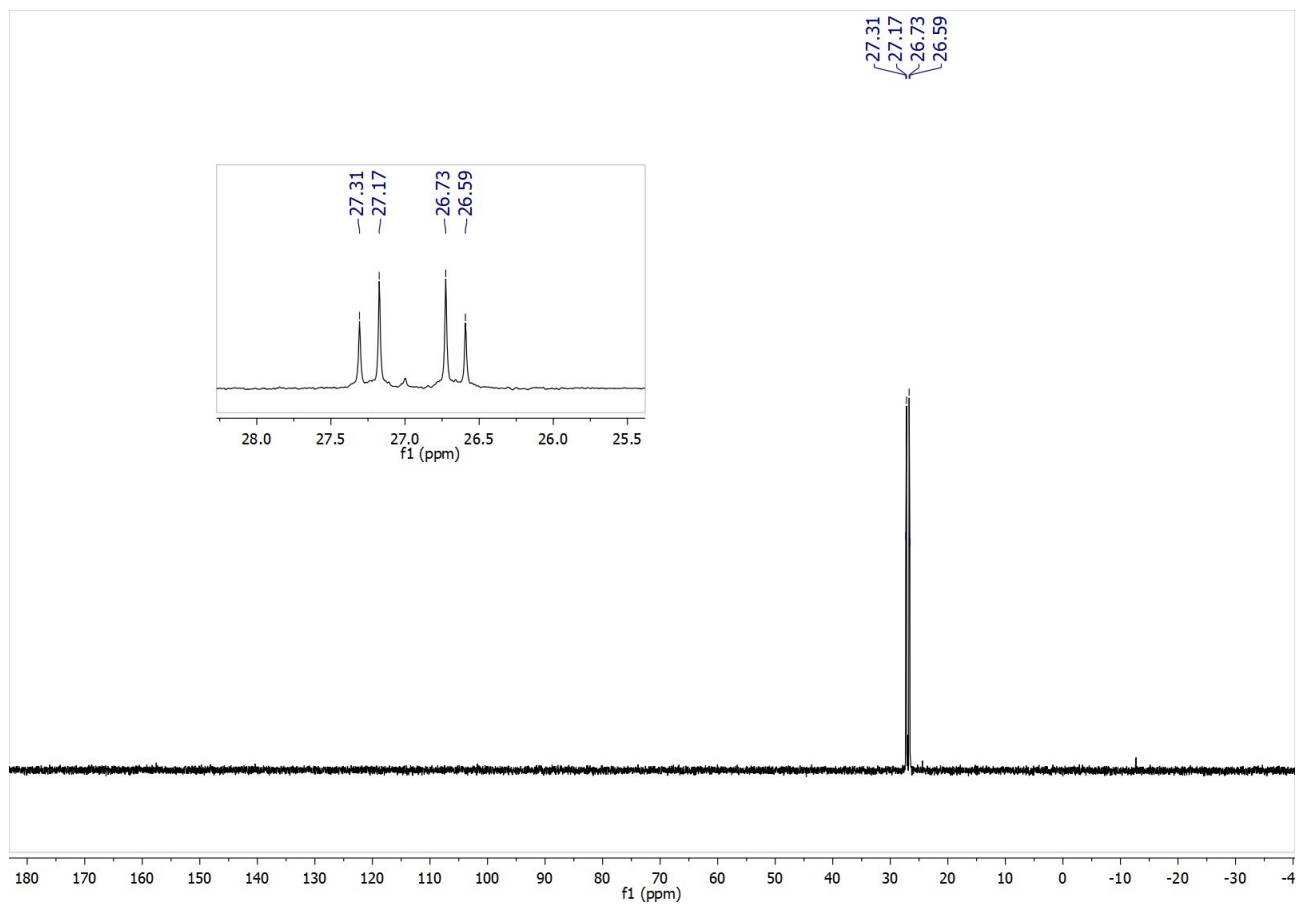


Figure S29. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **9** in CDCl_3 .

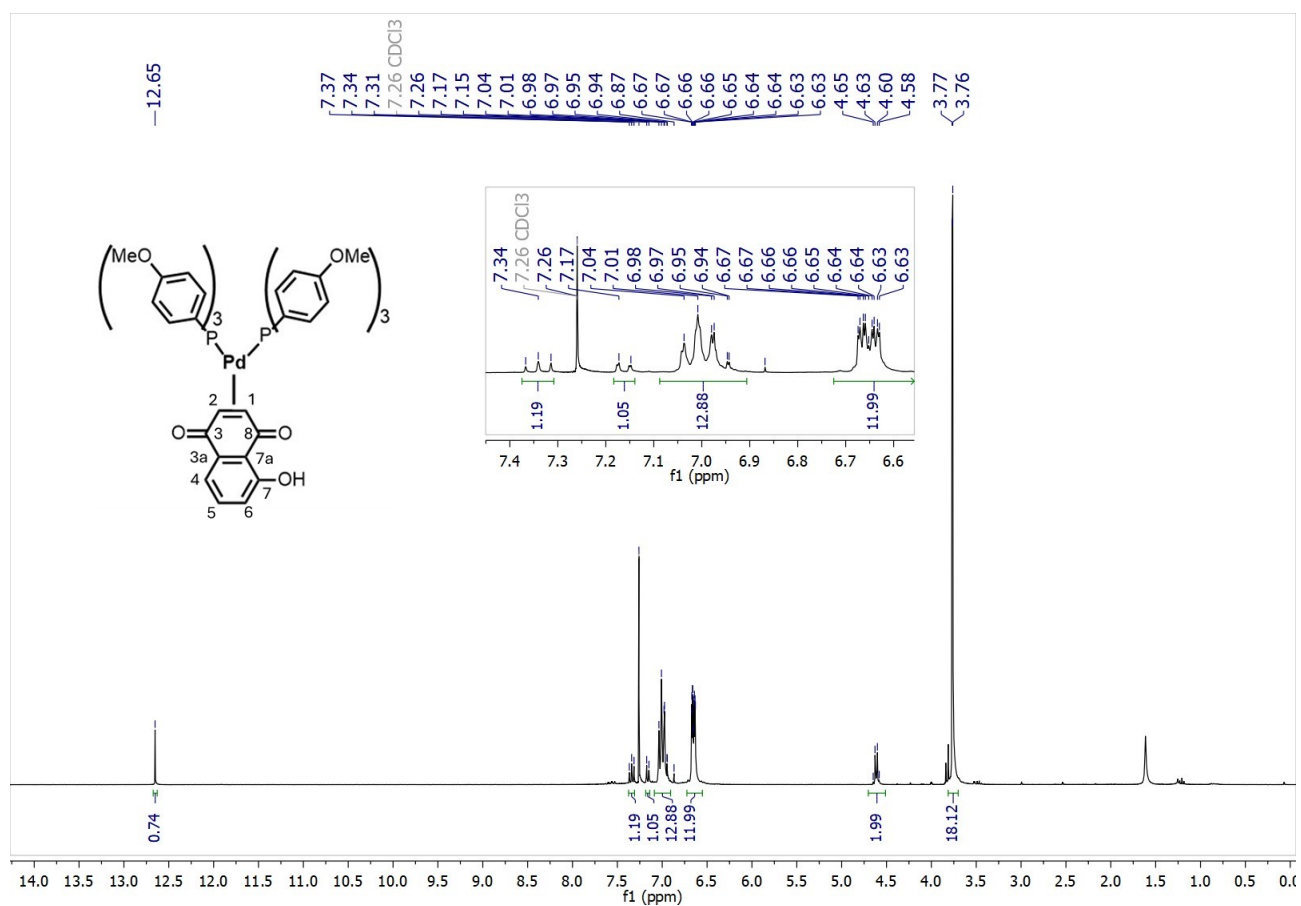


Figure S30. ^1H NMR spectrum of **10** in CDCl_3 .

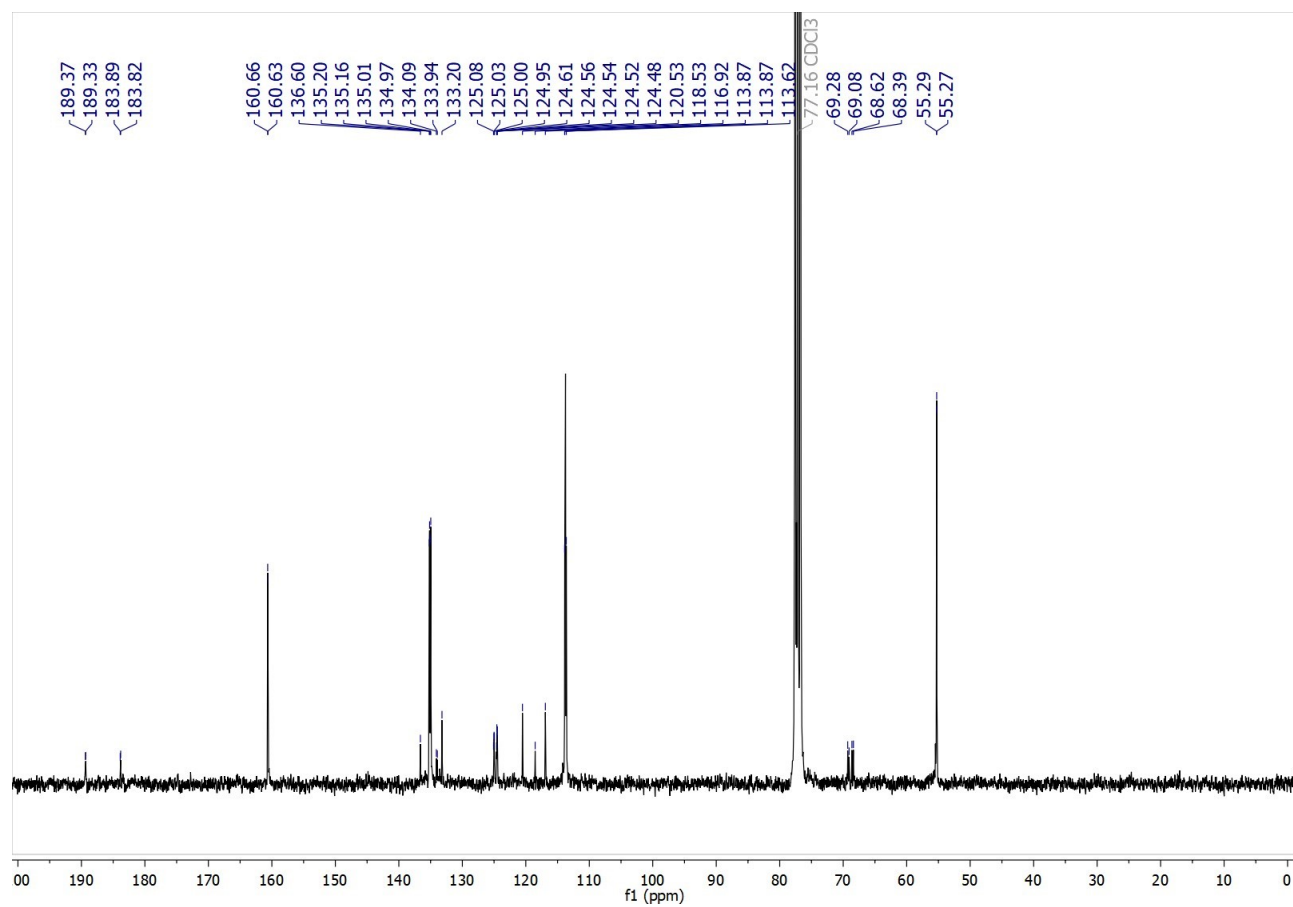


Figure S31. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **10** in CDCl_3 .

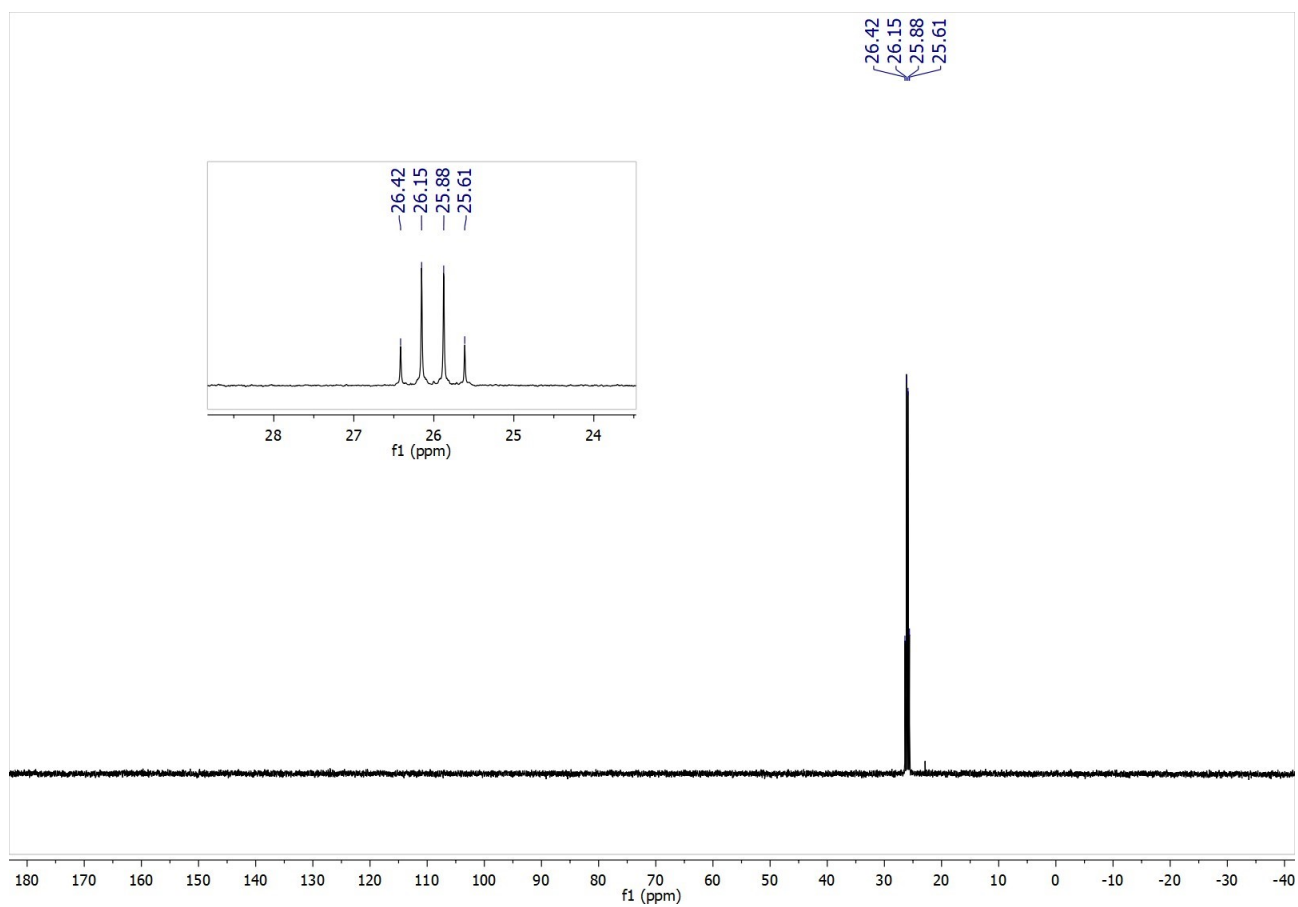


Figure S32. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **10** in CDCl_3 .

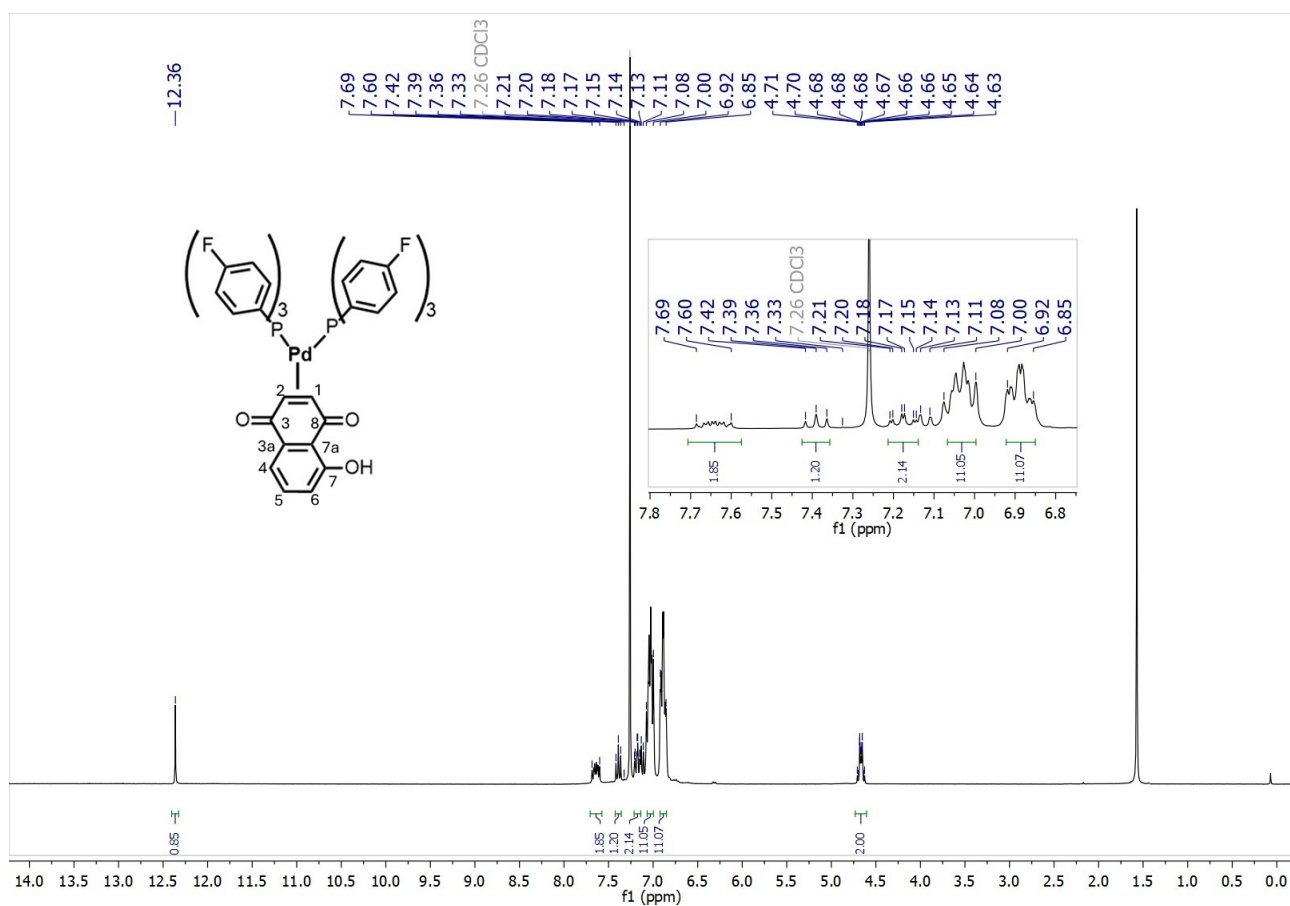


Figure S33. ¹H NMR spectrum of **11** in CDCl₃.

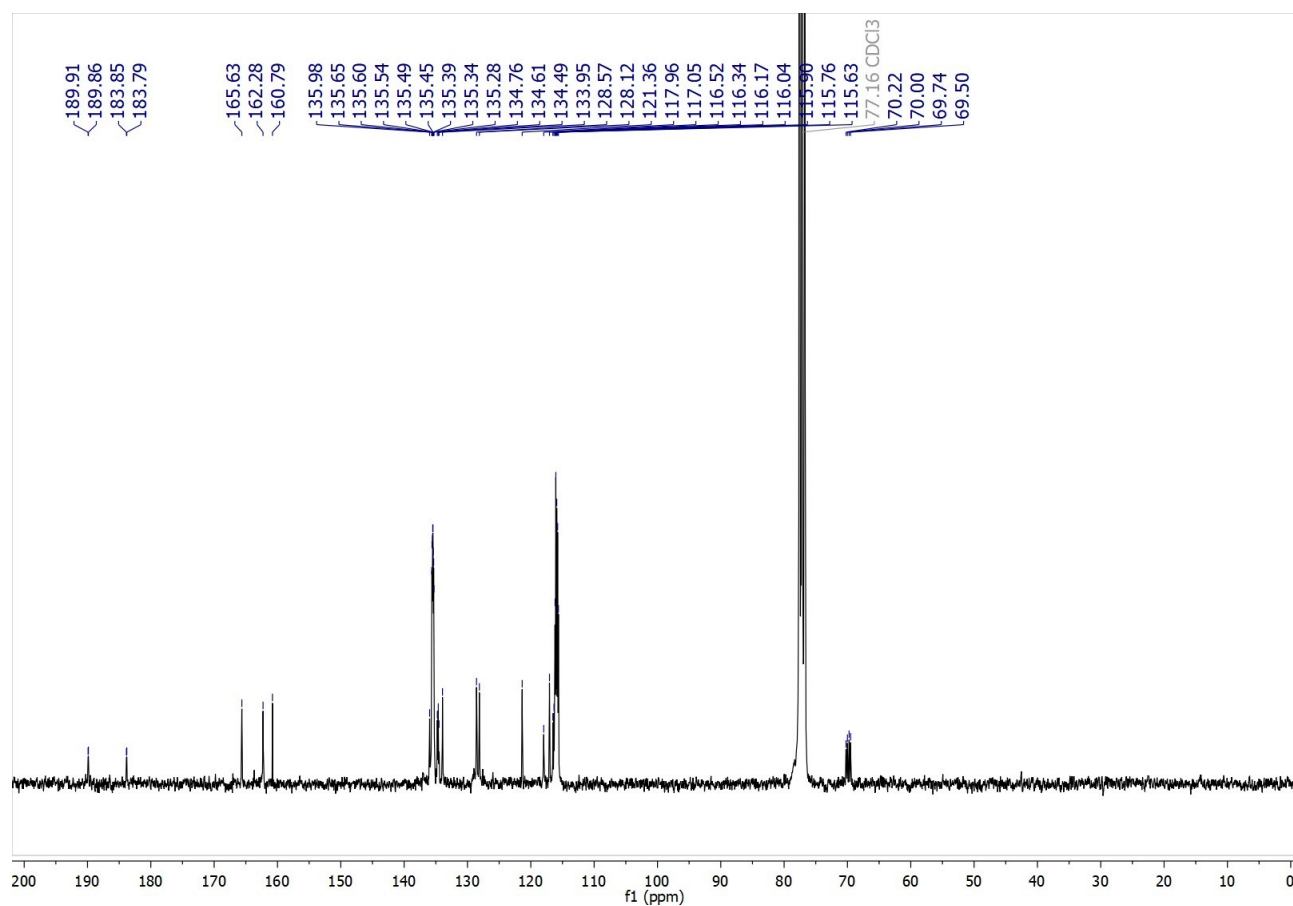


Figure S34. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **11** in CDCl_3 .

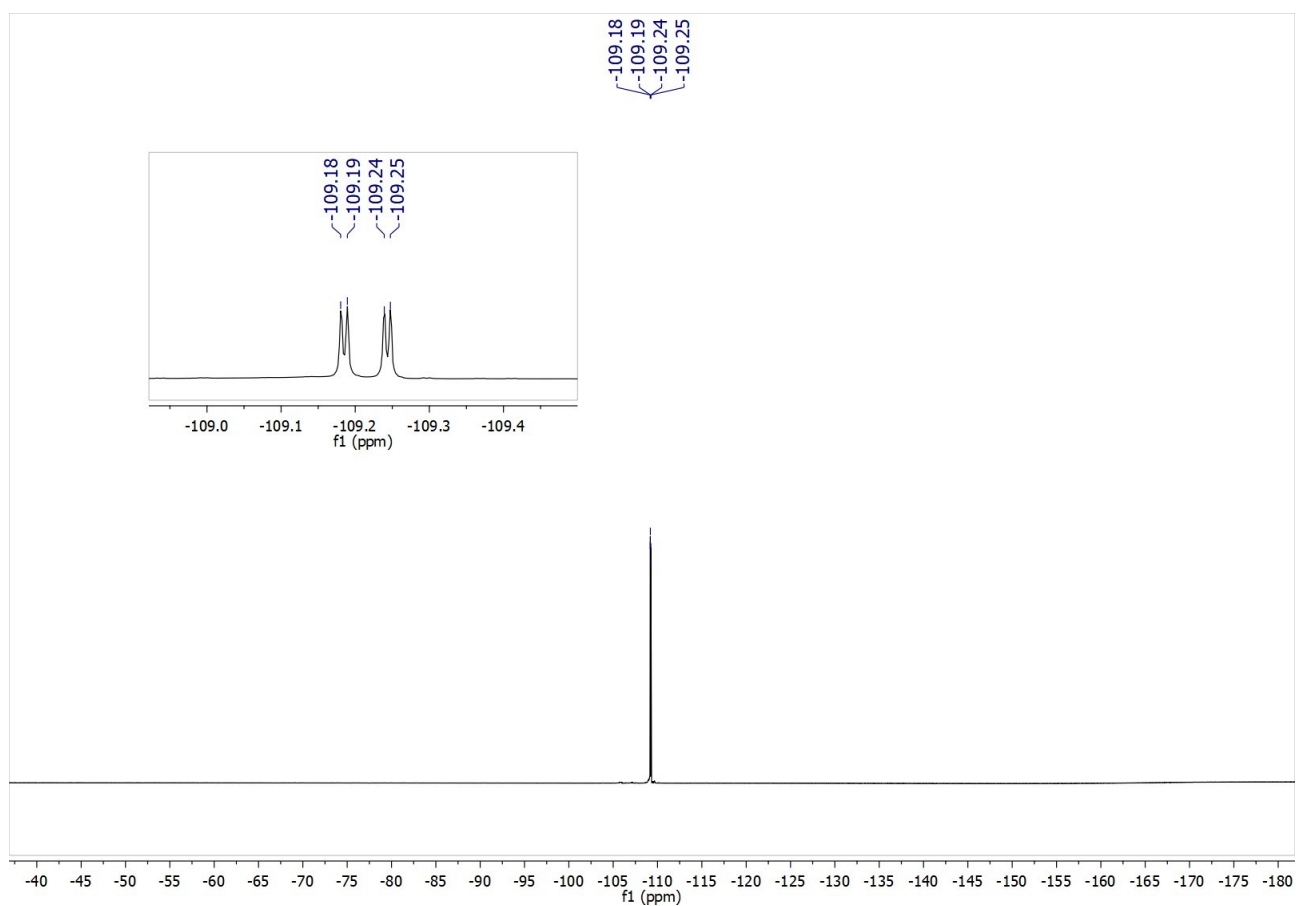


Figure S35. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **11** in CDCl_3 .

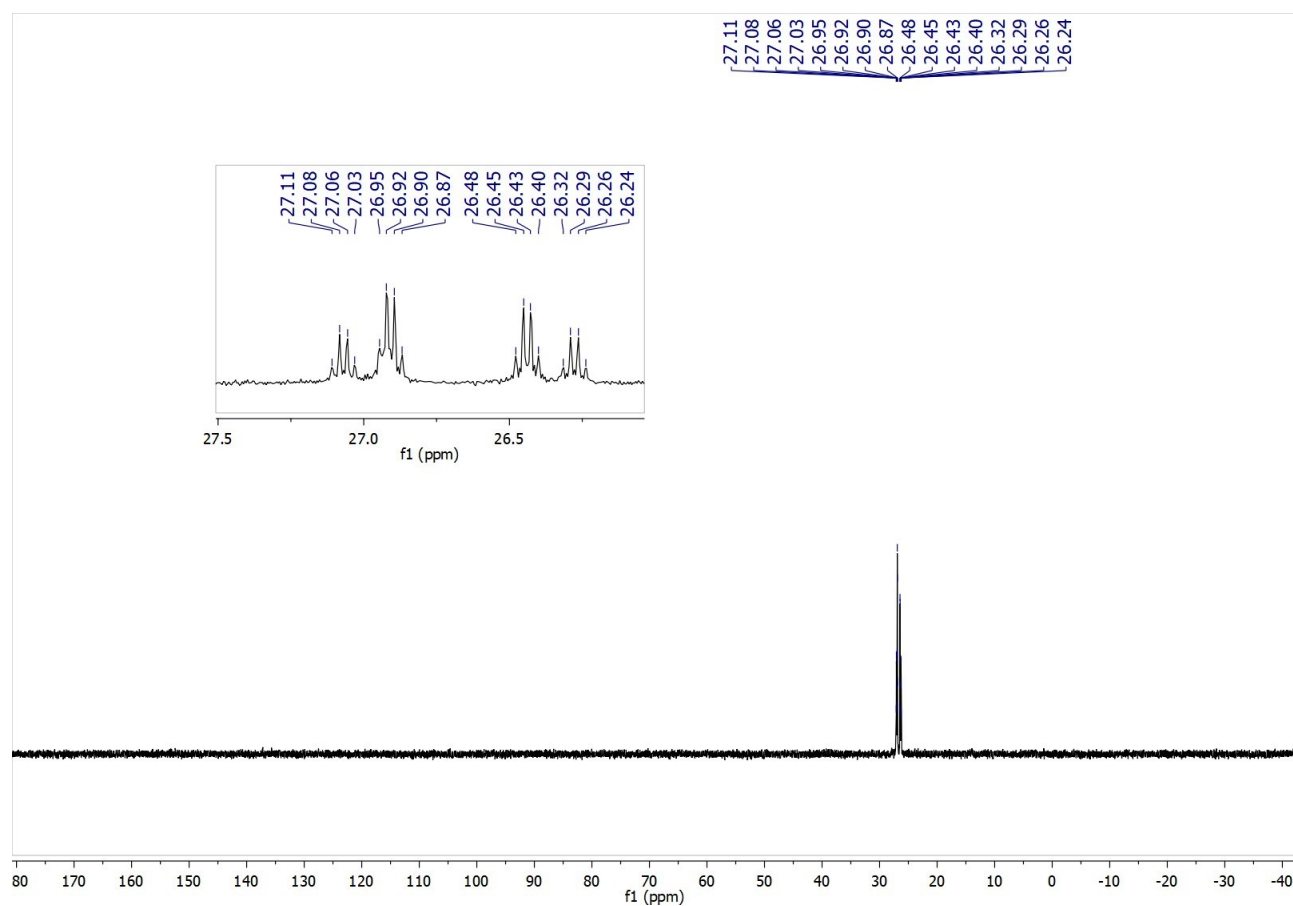


Figure S36. $^{19}\text{F}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **11** in CDCl_3 .

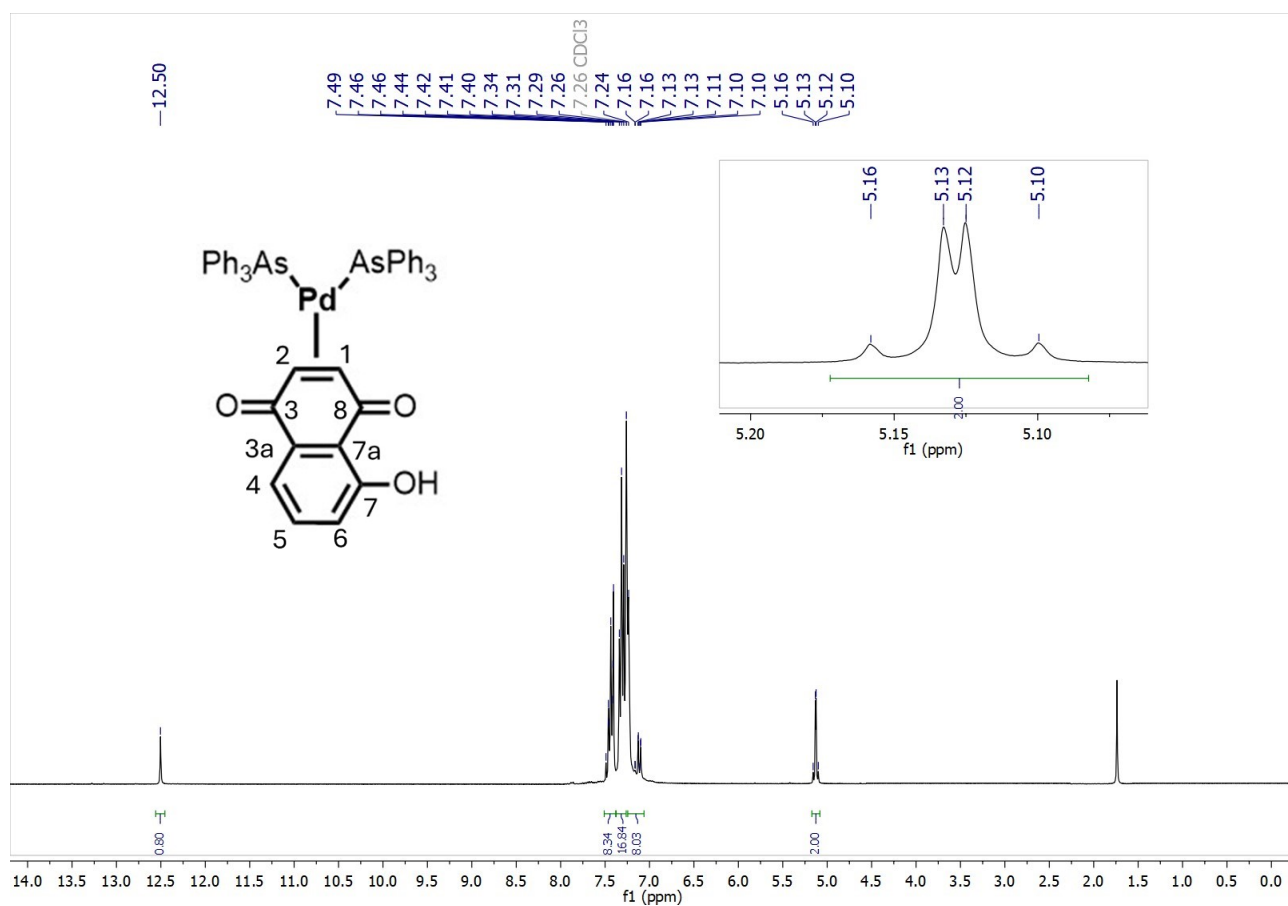


Figure S37. ^1H NMR spectrum of **12** in CDCl_3 .

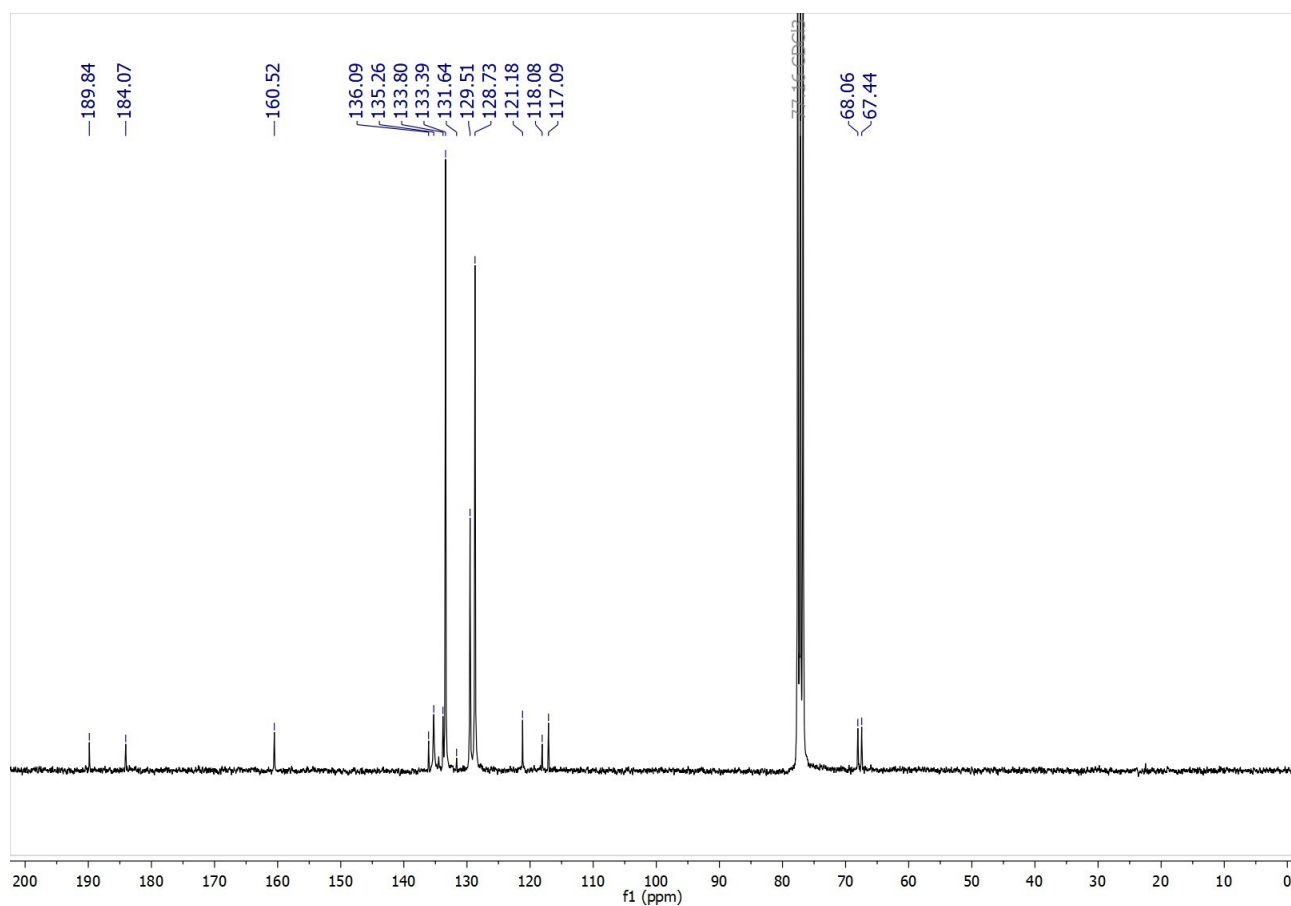


Figure S38. ¹³C{¹H} NMR spectrum of **12** in CDCl₃.

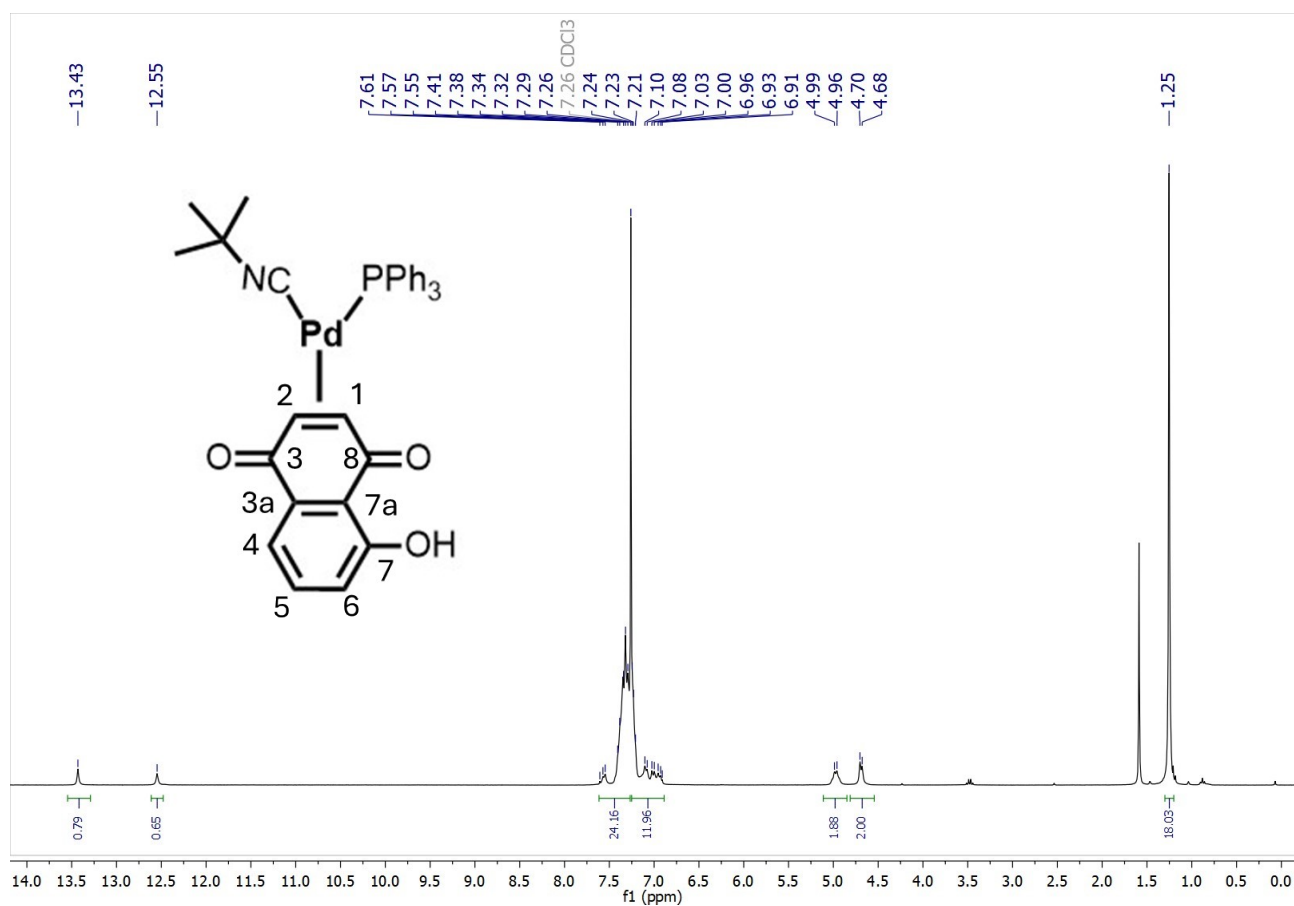


Figure S39. ¹H NMR spectrum of **13** in CDCl₃.

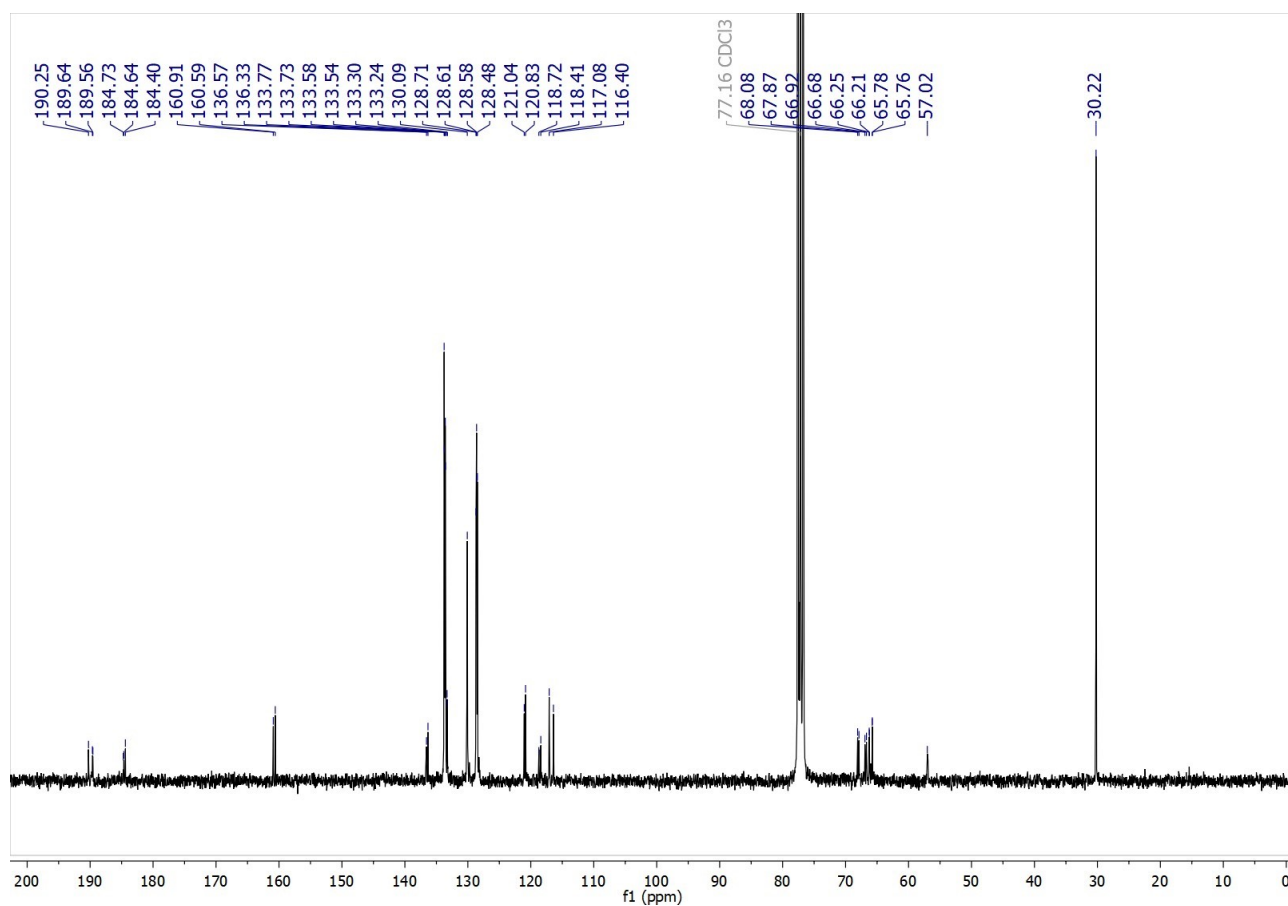


Figure S40. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **13** in CDCl_3 .

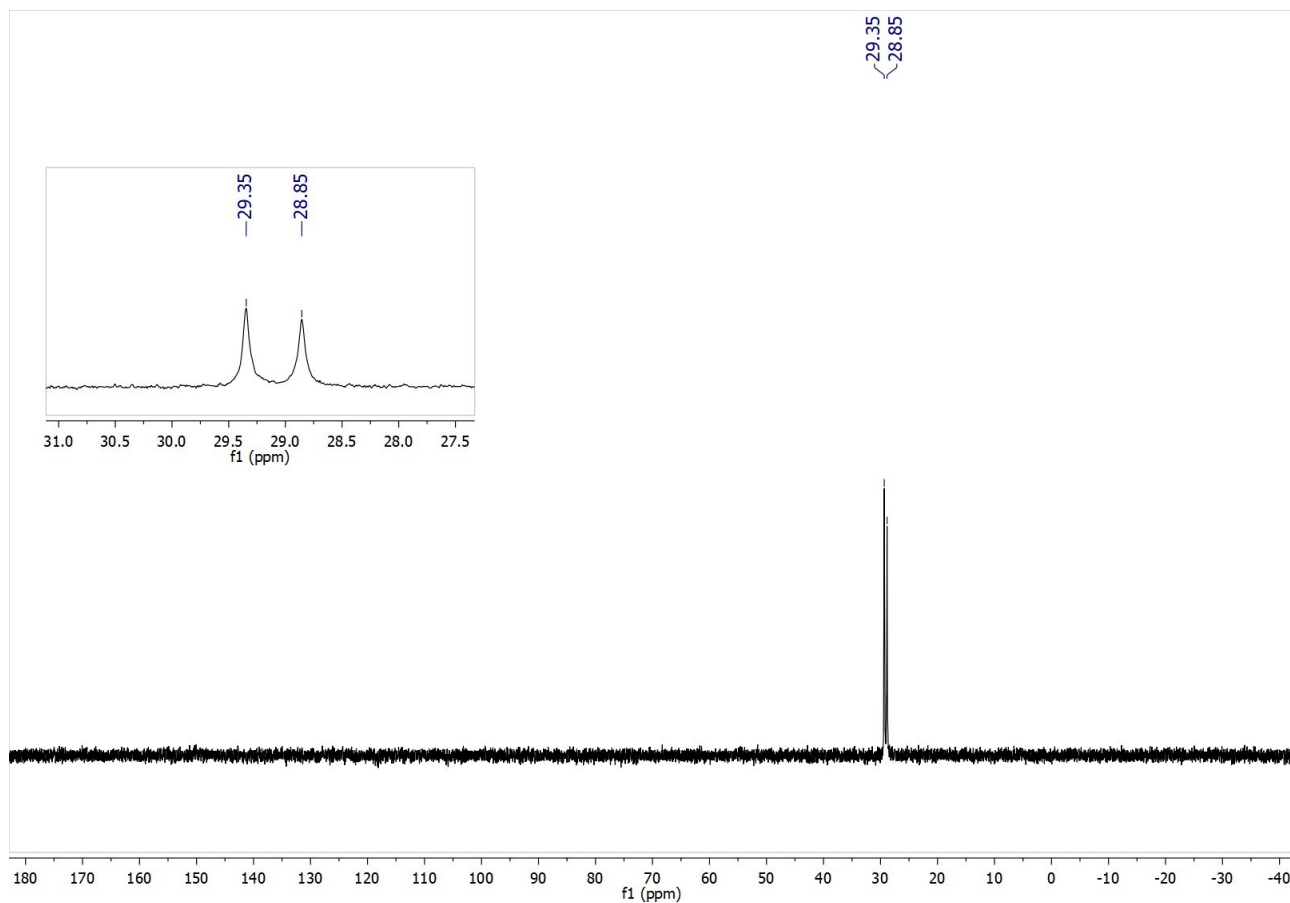


Figure S41. $^{31}\text{P}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **13** in CDCl_3 .

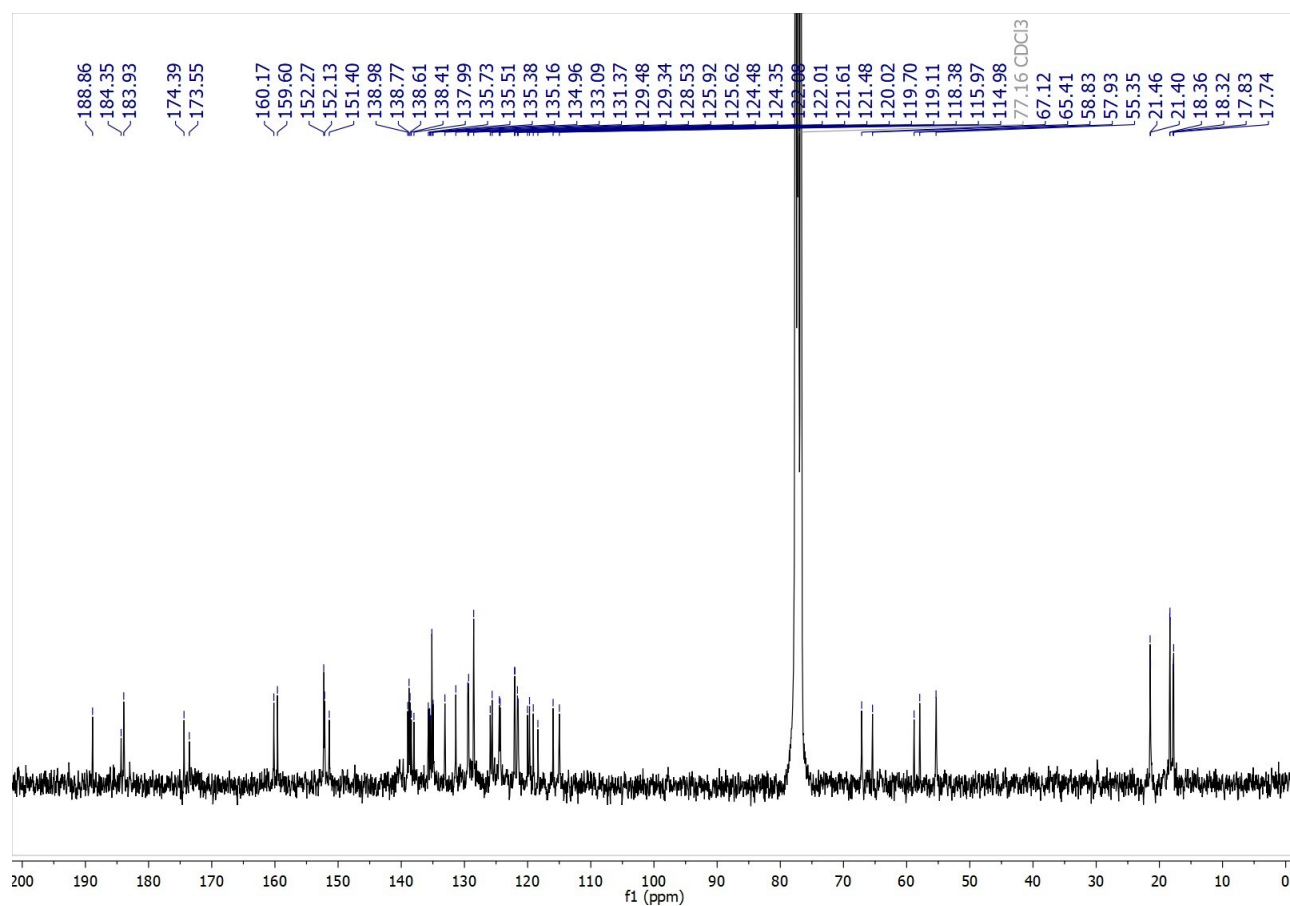


Figure S43. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR spectrum of **14** in CDCl_3 .

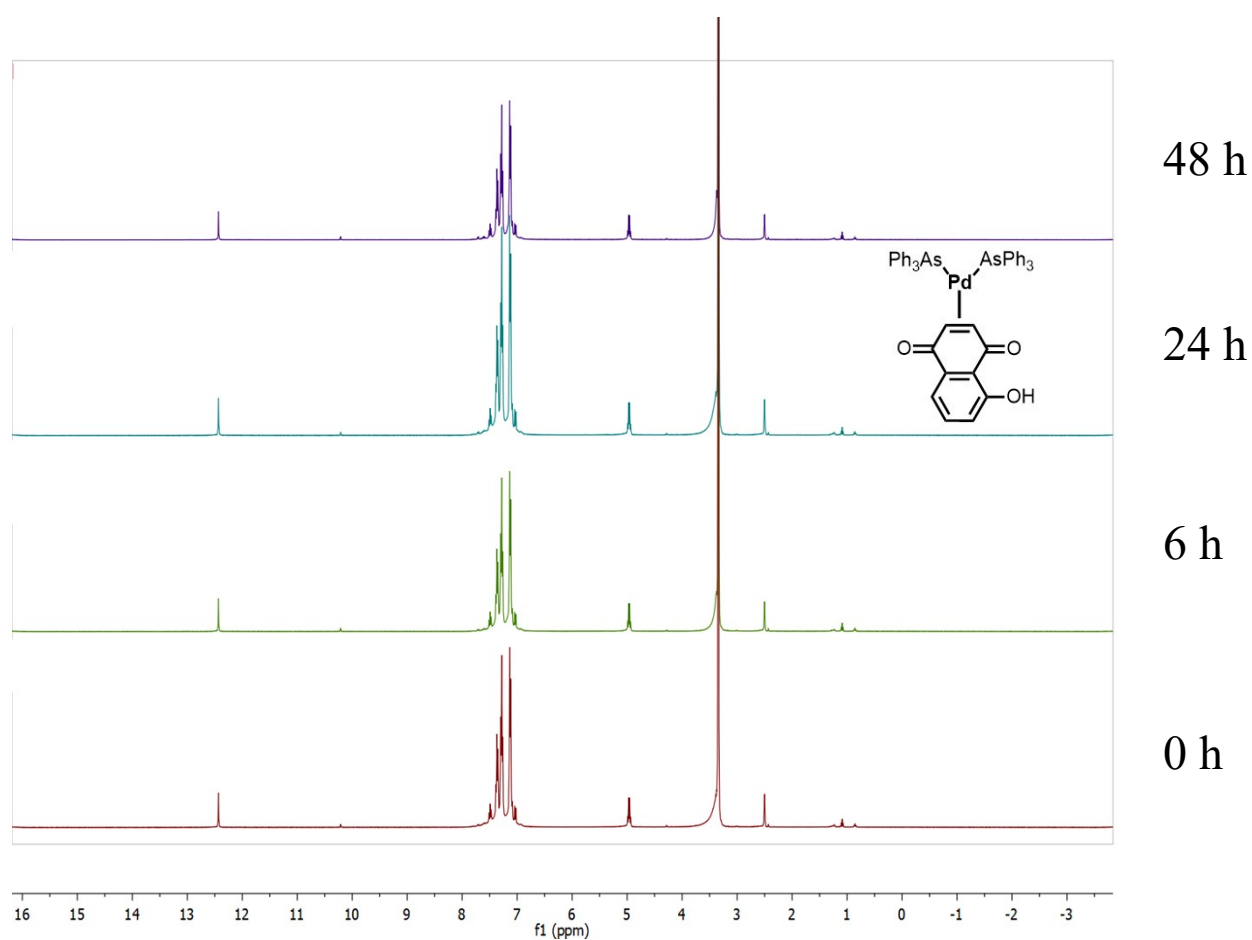


Figure S44. ^1H spectrum of **12** in a 1:10 DMSO/ H_2O solution containing 100 mM NaCl at different time points.

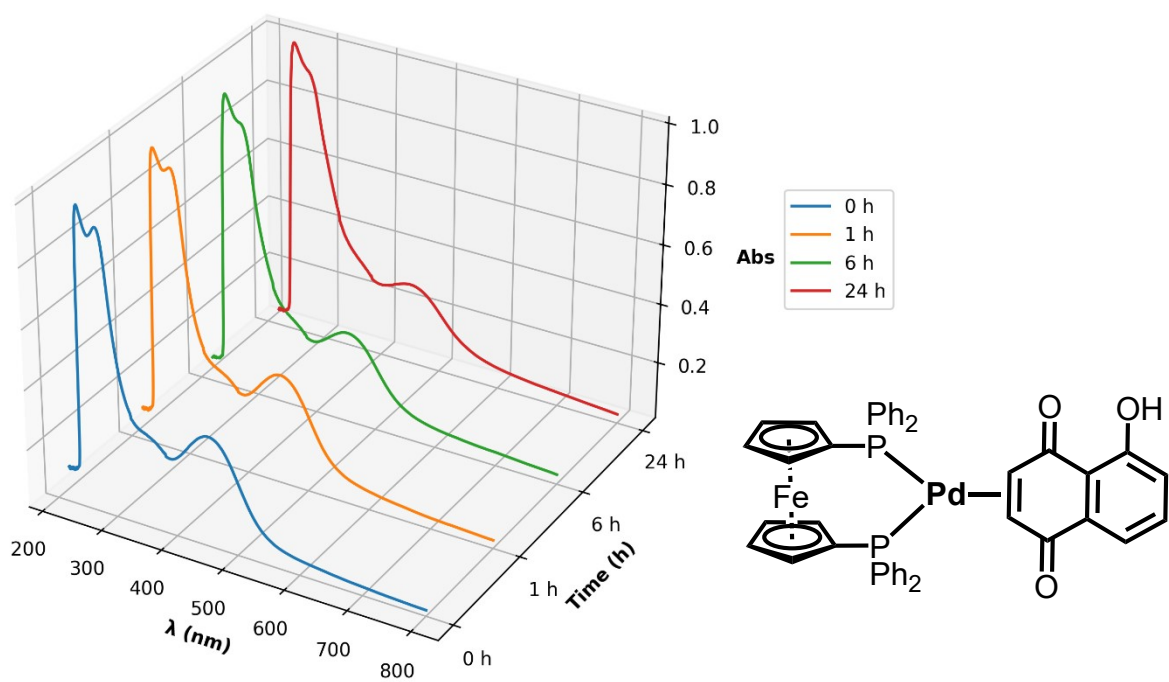


Figure S45. UV-VIS spectrum of **4** in DMEM/F12 medium at different time points.

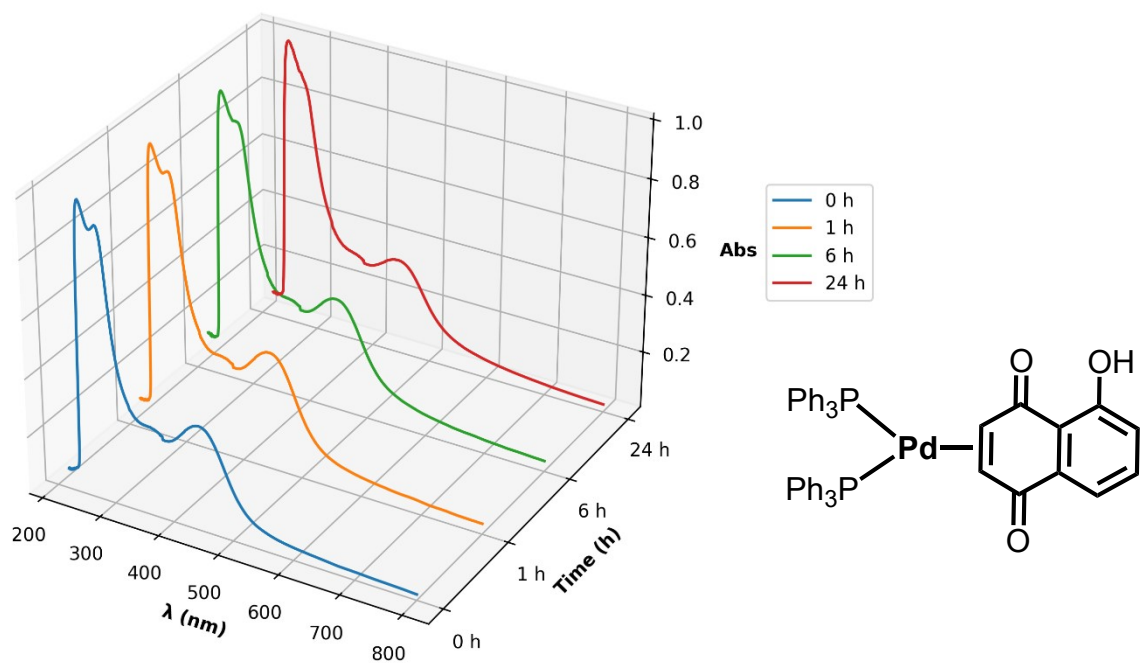


Figure S46. UV-VIS spectrum of **8** in DMEM/F12 medium at different time points.

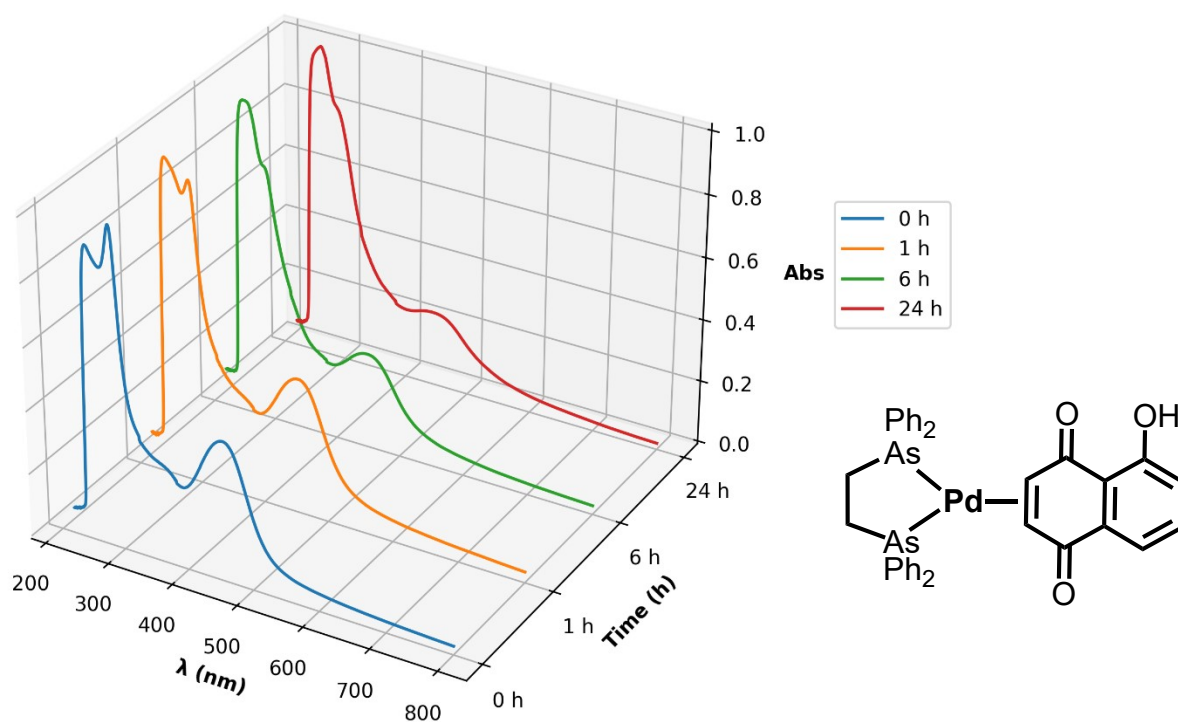


Figure S47. UV-VIS spectrum of **6** in DMEM/F12 medium at different time points.

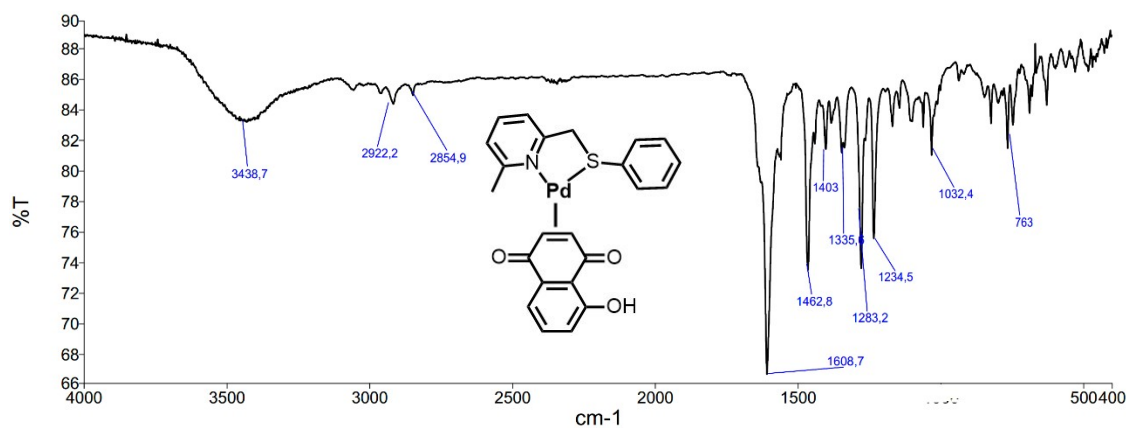


Figure S48. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of A at 298K.

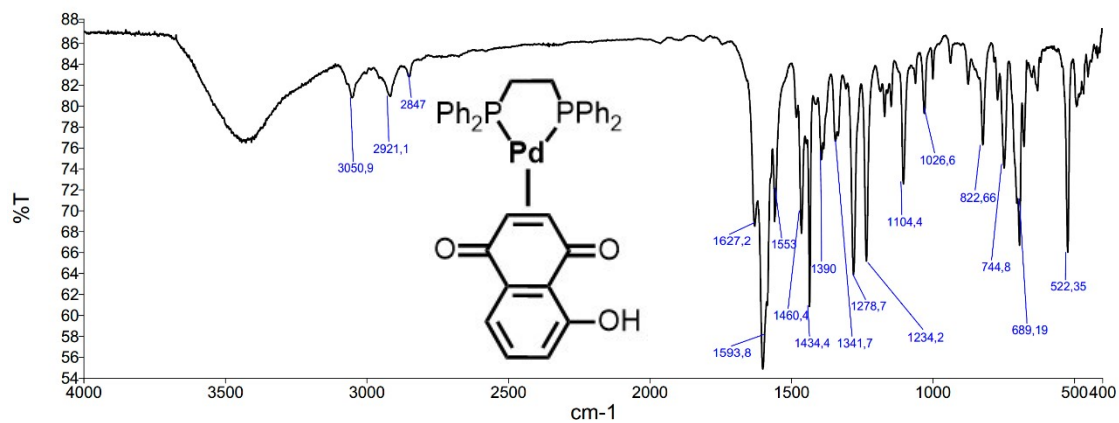


Figure S49. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of 1 at 298 K.

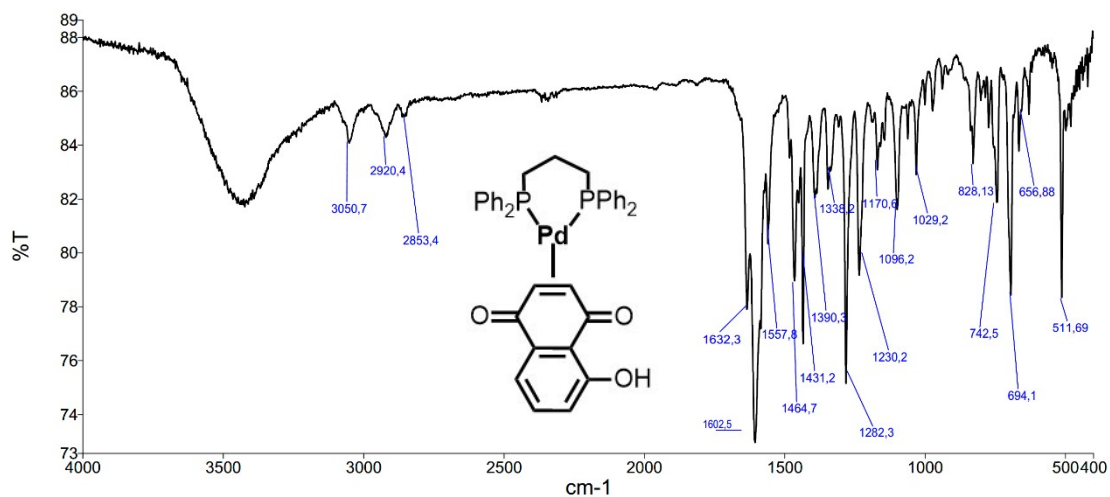


Figure S50. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of 2 at 298 K.

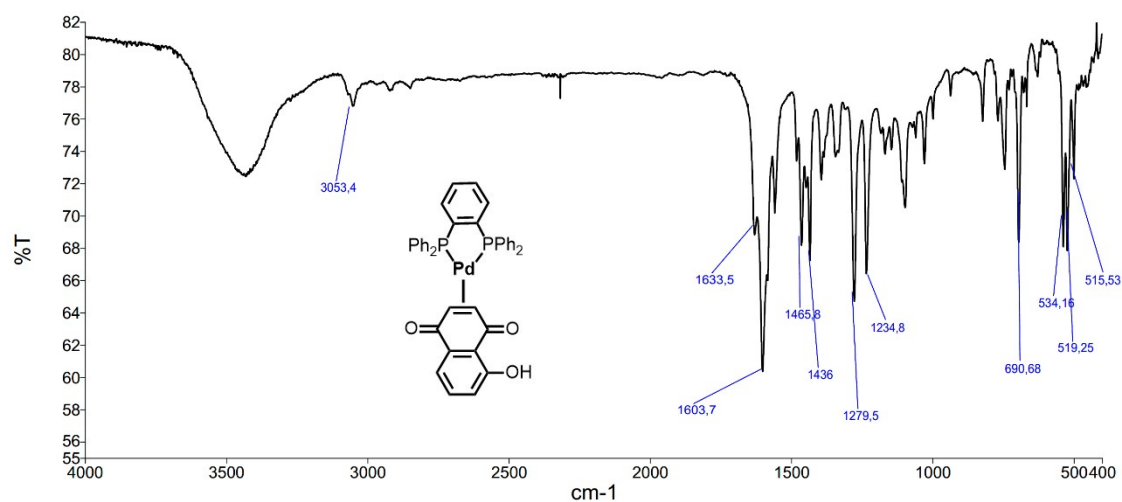


Figure S51. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **3** at 298 K.

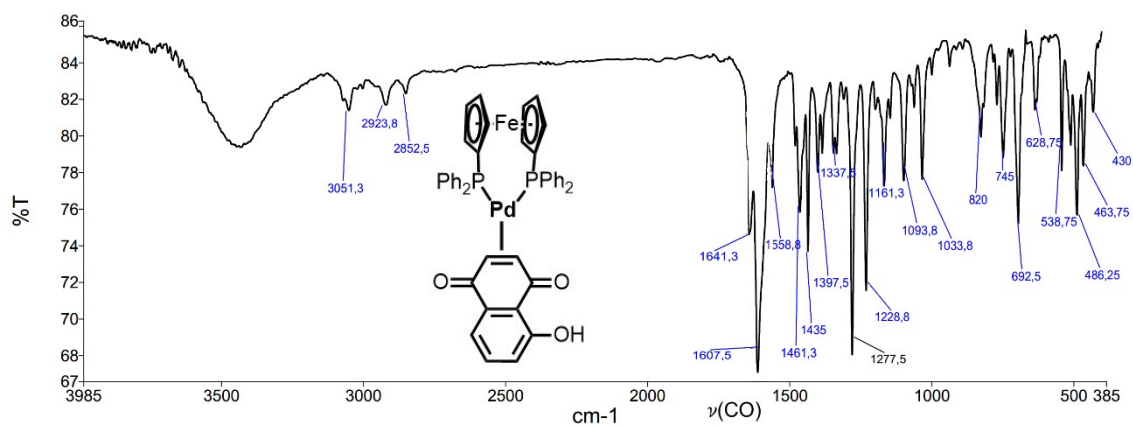


Figure S52. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **4** at 298 K.

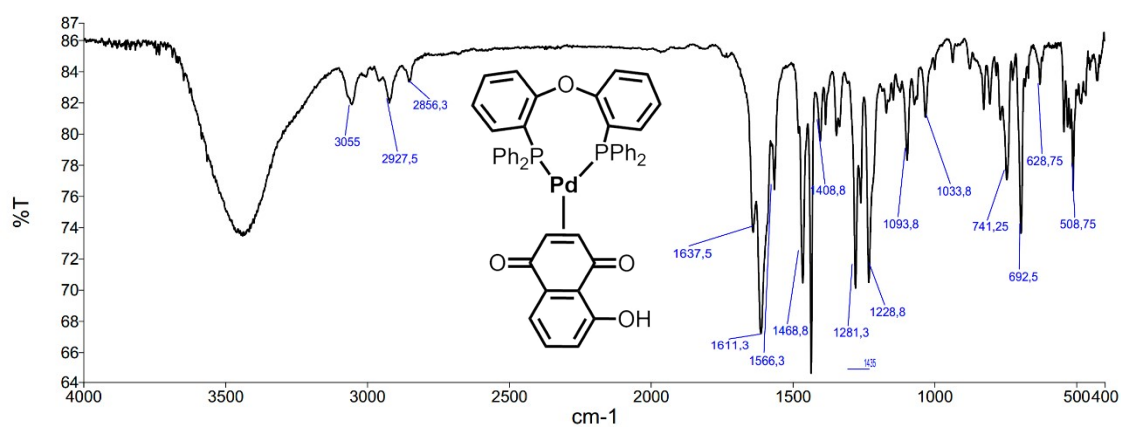


Figure S53. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **5** at 298 K.

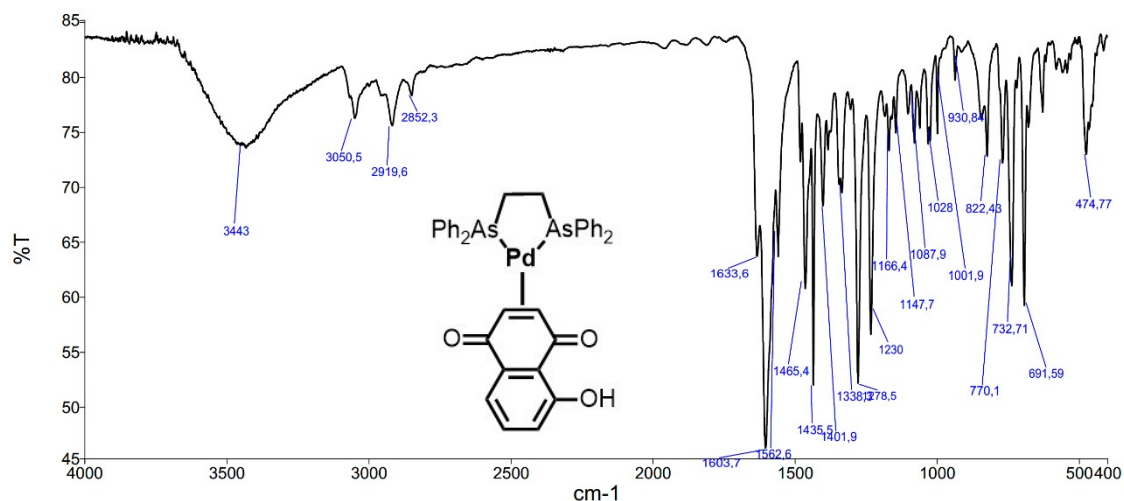


Figure S54. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **6** at 298 K.

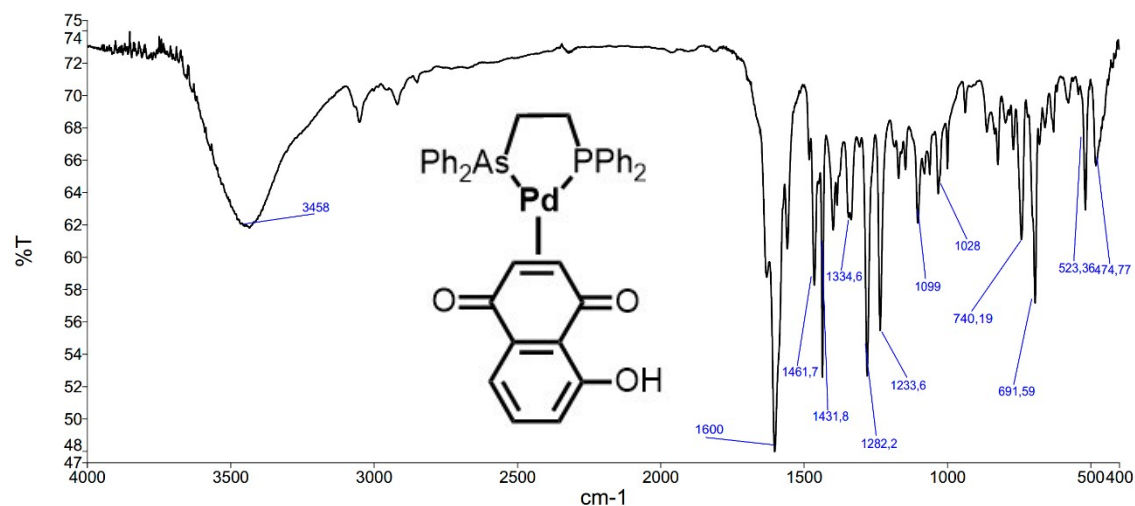


Figure S55. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **7** at 298 K.

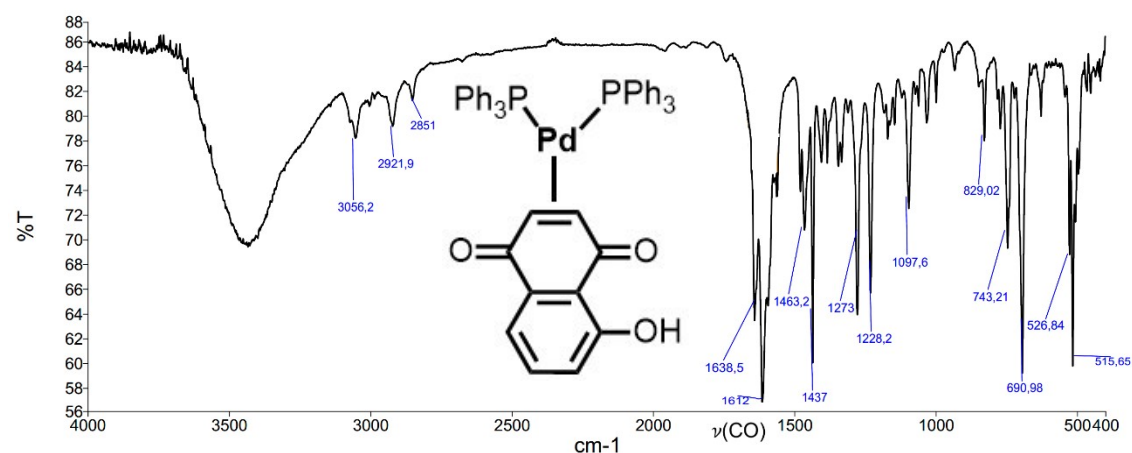


Figure S56. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **8** at 298 K.

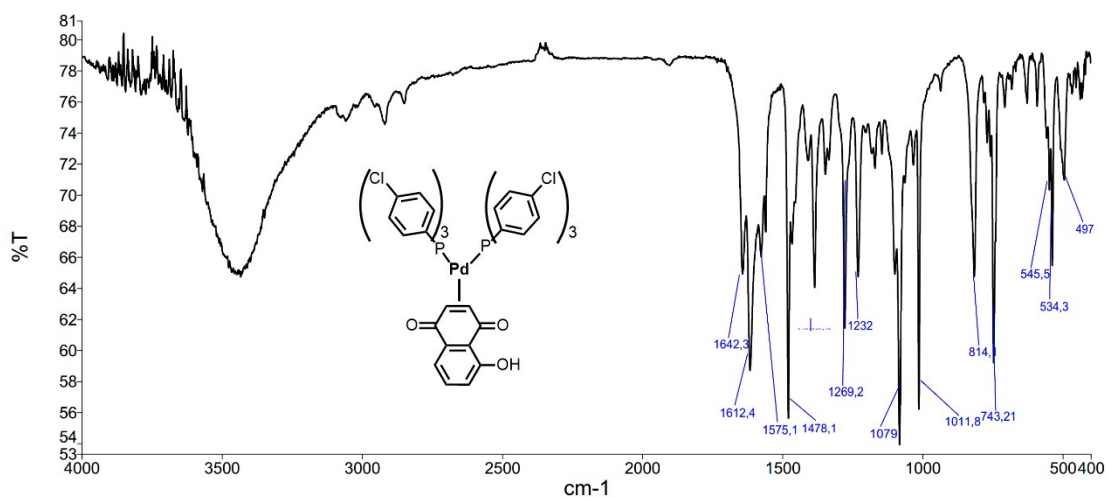


Figure S57. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **9** at 298 K.

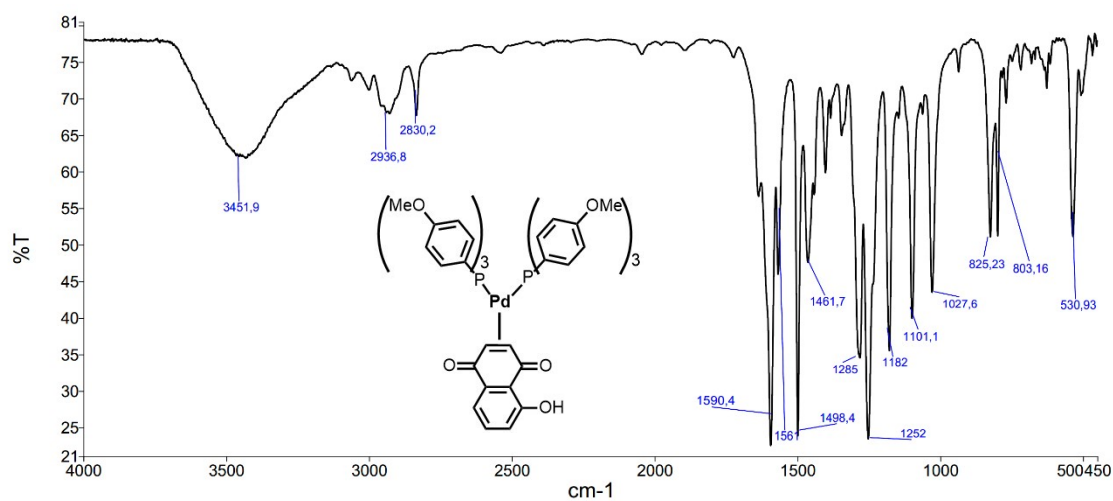


Figure S58. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **10** at 298 K.

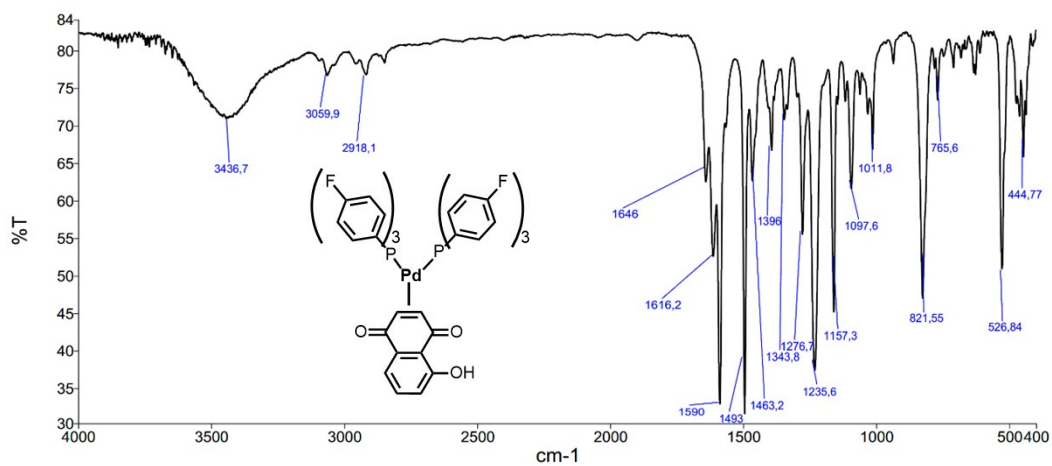


Figure S59. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **11** at 298 K.

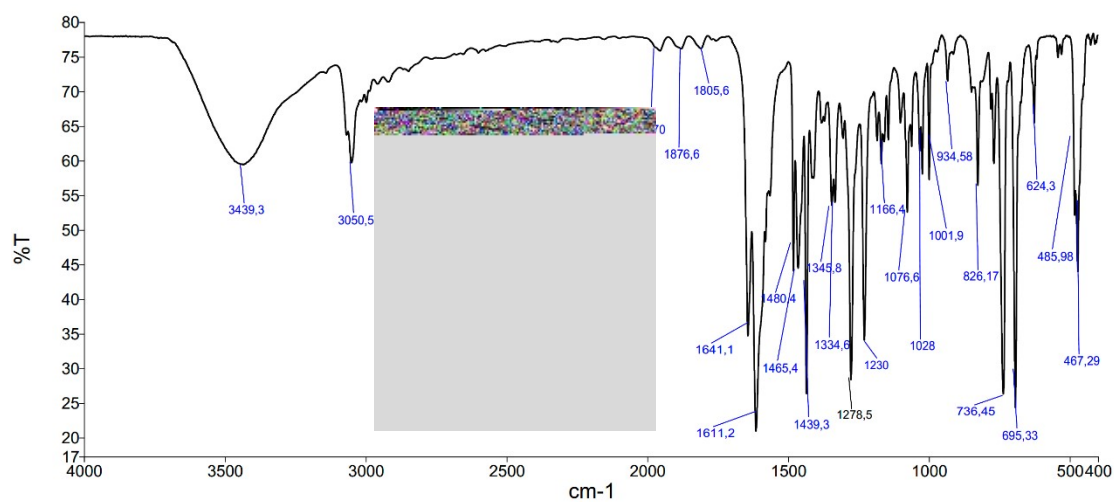


Figure S60. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **12** at 298 K.

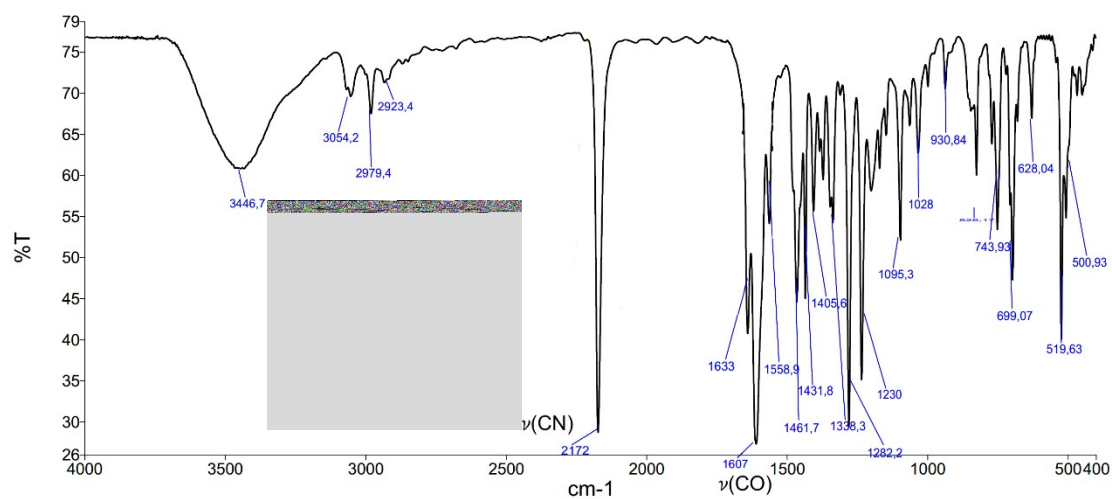


Figure S61. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **13** at 298 K.

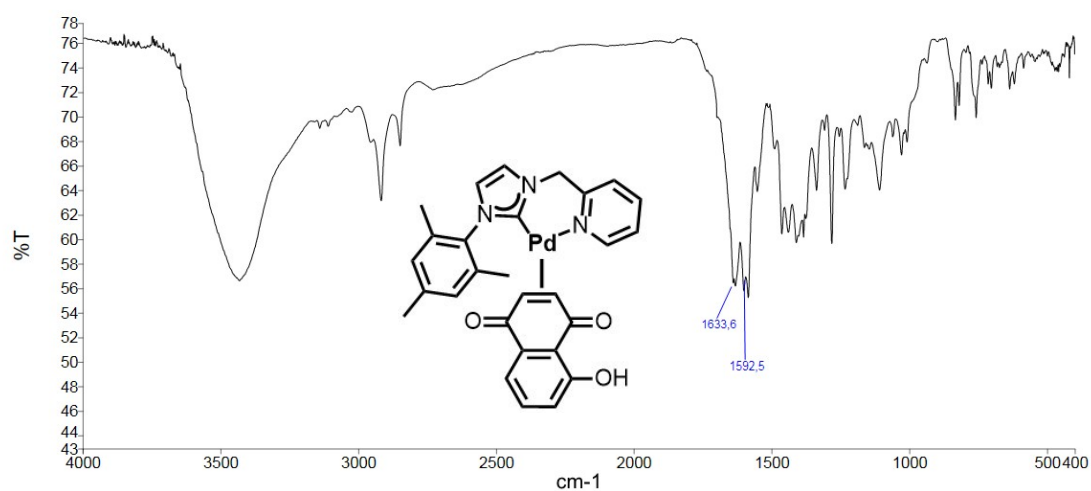


Figure S62. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **14** at 298 K.

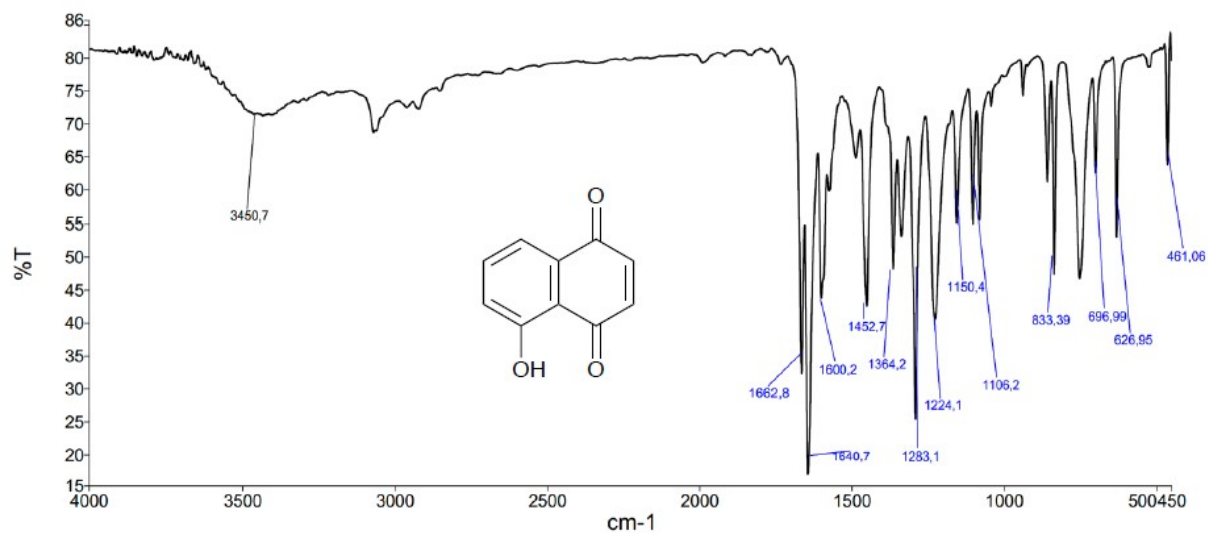


Figure S63. IR spectrum (KBr pellet) of **Juglone** at 298 K.

Table 1SI. CO stretching of synthesized complexes.

Complex	$\nu(\text{CO})$ (cm ⁻¹)	$\nu(\text{CO})$ Free Juglone (cm ⁻¹)
A	1609	1640
1	1594	
2	1602	
3	1604	
4	1607	
5	1611	
6	1604	
7	1600	
8	1612	
9	1612	
10	1590	
11	1590	
12	1611	
13	1607	
14	1592	

Table 2SI. Crystallographic data.

Compound	5@100 K	7@100 K	13@100 K	13@298 K
Formula	PdC ₄₆ H ₃₄ O ₄ P ₂ ·2CHCl ₃	PdC ₃₆ H ₃₀ AsO ₃ P· ¹ / ₂ CHCl ₃	PdC ₃₃ H ₃₀ NO ₃ P	PdC ₃₃ H ₃₀ NO ₃ P
M/g·mol ⁻¹	1057.81	782.57	625.95	625.95
Space group	<i>P</i> -1	<i>P</i> 2 ₁ /c	<i>P</i> bca	<i>P</i> bca
Crystal system	Triclinic	Monoclinic	Orthorhombic	Orthorhombic
<i>a</i> /Å	11.024(2)	38.767(8)	22.714(5)	22.850(5)
<i>b</i> /Å	12.556(3)	9.041(2)	18.484(4)	18.790(4)
<i>c</i> /Å	16.672(3)	18.570(4)	26.741(5)	27.065(5)
α /°	84.30(3)	90	90	90
β /°	80.22(3)	100.26(3)	90	90
γ /°	78.01(3)	90	90	90
V/Å ³	2219.6(8)	6405(2)	11277(4)	11620(4)
<i>Z</i>	2	8	16	16
T/K	100(2)	100(2)	100(2)	100(2)
D/g·cm ⁻³	1.583	1.623	1.481	1.431
F(000)	1068	3144	5120	5120
μ /mm ⁻¹	0.608	1.251	0.518	0.501
Measured Reflections	104700	72954	264364	199826
Unique Reflections	19342	21164	24860	25755
R _{int}	0.0387	0.1205	0.0743	0.0467
Obs. Refl.ns [I≥2σ(I)]	18504	8556	20807	15915
$\theta_{\min}$ - $\theta_{\max}$ /°	1.08 – 31.10	0.93 – 27.11	1.33 – 31.10	1.31 – 31.10
hkl ranges	-16,16; -20,20; -25,25	-56,56; -13,13; -25,27	-33,33; -30,30; -40,40	-33,33; -30,30; -39,41
R(F ²) (Obs.Refl.ns)	0.0303	0.0832	0.0367	0.04607
wR(F ²) (All Refl.ns)	0.0802	0.2656	0.0986	0.1479
No. Variables	616	792	711	711
Goodness of fit	1.047	0.955	1.024	1.012
$\Delta\rho_{\max}$; $\Delta\rho_{\min}$ /e·Å ⁻³	2.28; -1.17	1.80; -0.89	1.71; -1.73	1.21; -0.40
CCDC Deposition N.	2441626	2441623	2441624	2441625

Table 3SI. Selected palladium distances and angles for **5** at 100 K.

5 (100 K) – PdC₄₆H₃₄O₄P₂

Distances		Angles	
	(Å)		(°)
Pd_1-C2_2	2.156(1)	C2_2-Pd_1-C3_2	38.61(4)
Pd_1-C3_2	2.145(2)	P10_3-Pd_1-C3_2	105.96(3)
Pd_1-C1_2	2.845(2)	P10_3-Pd_1-P30_3	105.94(1)
Pd_1-C4_2	2.822(2)	P30_3-Pd_1- C2_2	109.76(3)
Pd_1-P10_3	2.313(1)	Pd-Juglone Ave Plane ^a	85.55(2)
Pd_1-P30_3	2.332(1)	Juglone Ave Plane ^b	3.84(4)

^aAverage angle between the mean metal coordination plane and the mean juglone plane; ^bAverage angle between quinone and phenolic rings in juglone

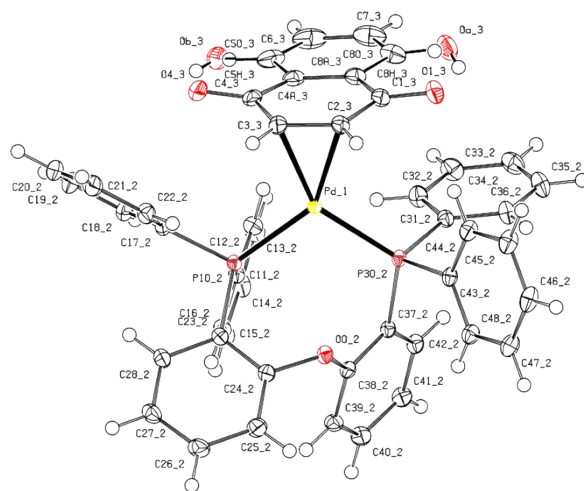
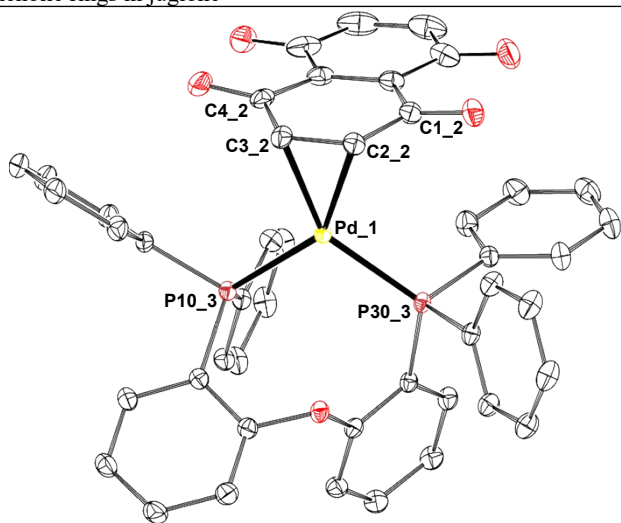


Table 4SI. Selected palladium distances and angles for **7** at 100 K. Associated molecular representations omit disorder for clarity.

7 (100 K) – PdC ₃₆ H ₃₀ AsO ₃ P							
ASU Molecule 1				ASU Molecule 2			
Distances	(Å)	Angles	(°)	Distances	(Å)	Angles	(°)
Pd_1-C2_2	2.151(9)	C2_2-Pd_1-C3_2	38.3(3)	Pd_1-C2_2	2.160(10)	C2_2-Pd_1-C3_2	38.2(4)
Pd_1-C3_2	2.141(8)	P_3-Pd_1-C_2 ^a	119.3(3)	Pd_1-C3_2	2.160(10)	P_3-Pd_1-C_2 ^a	117.9(3)
Pd_1-C1_2	2.750(10)	P_3-Pd_1-As_3	87.2(2)	Pd_1-C1_2	2.780(10)	P_3-Pd_1-As_3	85.8(2)
Pd_1-C4_2	2.750(10)	As_3-Pd_1- C_2 ^a	119.4(2)	Pd_1-C4_2	2.780(10)	As_3-Pd_1- C_2 ^a	117.9(3)
Pd_1-P_3	2.338(7)	Pd-Juglone Ave Plane ^a	87.1(2)	Pd_1-P_3	2.332(6)	Pd-Juglone Ave Plane ^b	88.9(2)
Pd_1-As_3	2.332(3)	Juglone Ave Plane ^b	5.5(3)	Pd_1-As_3	2.339(3)	Juglone Ave Plane ^c	3.7(4)

^aAverage angle with closer C; ^bAverage angle between the mean metal coordination plane and the mean juglone plane; ^cAverage angle between quinone and phenolic rings in juglone

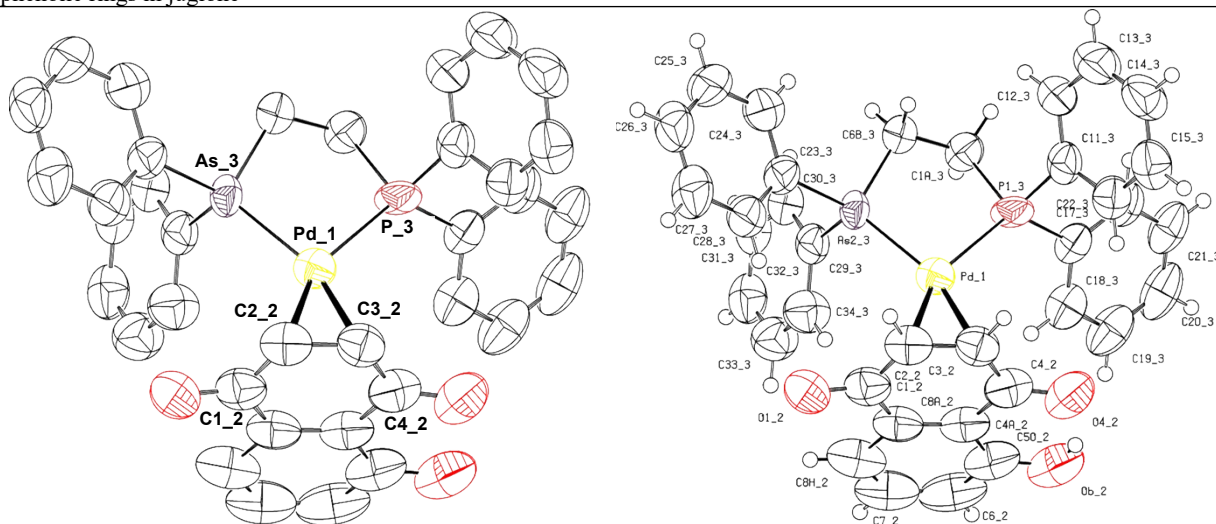
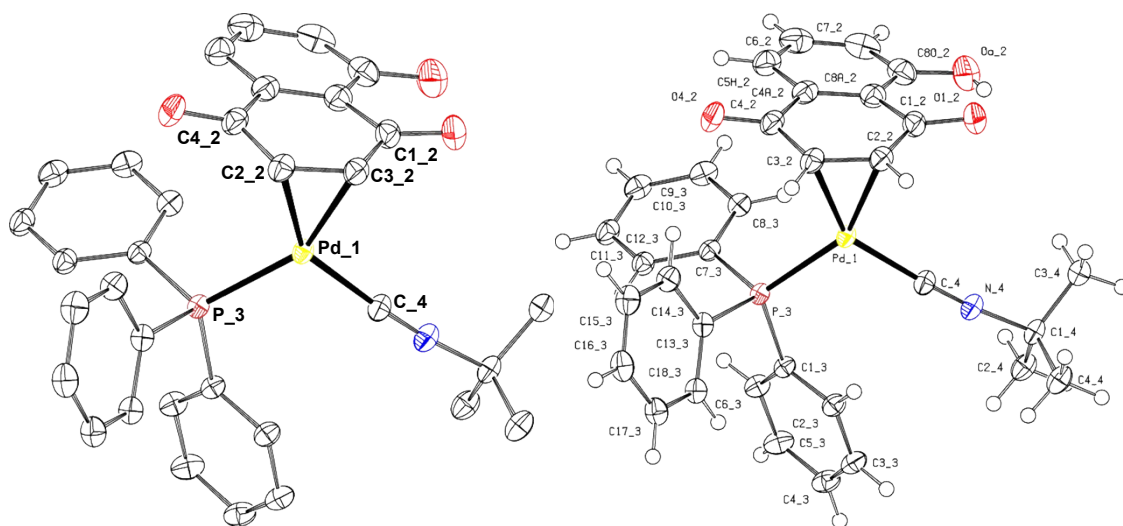


Table 5SI. Selected palladium distances and angles for **13** at 100 K and 298 K.

13 (100 K) – PdC ₃₃ H ₃₀ NO ₃ P							
ASU Molecule ‘A’				ASU Molecule ‘B’			
Distances	(Å)	Angles	(°)	Distances	(Å)	Angles	(°)
Pd_1-C2_2	2.147(2)	C2_2-Pd_1-C3_2	38.50(6)	Pd_1-C2_2	2.153(2)	C2_2-Pd_1-C3_2	38.73(6)
Pd_1-C3_2	2.144(2)	P_3-Pd_1-C3_2	111.11(5)	Pd_1-C3_2	2.122(2)	P_3-Pd_1-C3_2	109.40(5)
Pd_1-C1_2	2.696(2)	P_3-Pd_1-C_4	103.41(5)	Pd_1-C1_2	2.796(2)	P_3-Pd_1-C_4	99.02(5)
Pd_1-C4_2	2.809(2)	C_4-Pd_1- C2_2	106.96(7)	Pd_1-C4_2	2.856(2)	C_4-Pd_1- C2_2	112.83(7)
Pd_1-P_3	2.312(1)	Pd-Juglone Ave Plane ^a	80.32(3)	Pd_1-P_3	2.312(1)	Pd-Juglone Ave Plane ^a	87.83(3)
Pd_1-C_4	2.001(2)	Juglone Ave Plane ^b	8.14(5)	Pd_1-C_4	2.012(2)	Juglone Ave Plane ^b	5.48(6)
^a Average angle between the mean metal coordination plane and the mean juglone plane; ^b Average angle between quinone and phenolic rings in juglone							

^aAverage angle between the mean metal coordination plane and the mean juglone plane; ^bAverage angle between quinone and phenolic rings in juglone



13 (298 K) – PdC₃₃H₃₀NO₃P

ASU Molecule 'A'				ASU Molecule 'B'			
Distances	(Å)	Angles	(°)	Distances	(Å)	Angles	(°)
Pd_1-C2_2	2.144(3)	C2_2-Pd_1-C3_2	38.30(10)	Pd_1-C2_2	2.156(3)	C2_2-Pd_1-C3_2	38.38(9)
Pd_1-C3_2	2.141(3)	P_3-Pd_1-C3_2	111.20(8)	Pd_1-C3_2	2.123(2)	P_3-Pd_1-C3_2	109.71(7)
Pd_1-C1_2	2.706(3)	P_3-Pd_1-C_4	104.15(8)	Pd_1-C1_2	2.811(3)	P_3-Pd_1-C_4	99.25(7)
Pd_1-C4_2	2.807(3)	C_4-Pd_1- C2_2	106.30(10)	Pd_1-C4_2	2.851(3)	C_4-Pd_1- C2_2	112.70(10)
Pd_1-P_3	2.318(1)	Pd-Juglone Ave Plane ^a	82.11(4)	Pd_1-P_3	2.318(1)	Pd-Juglone Ave Plane ^a	89.54(5)
Pd_1-C_4	2.004(2)	Juglone Ave Plane ^b	7.65(9)	Pd_1-C_4	2.016(2)	Juglone Ave Plane ^b	4.44(8)

^aAverage angle between the mean metal coordination plane and the mean juglone plane; ^bAverage angle between quinone and phenolic rings in juglone

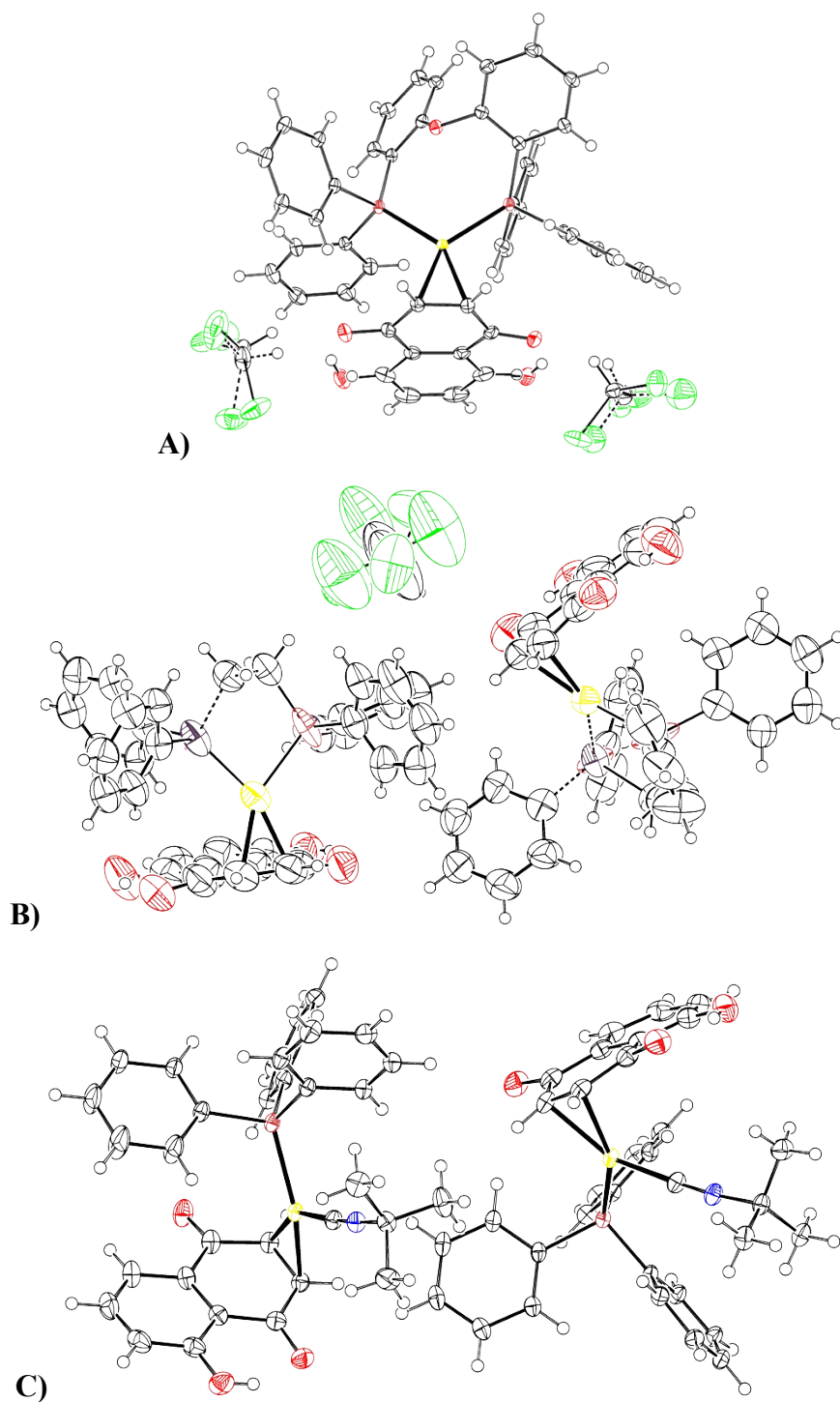
Structural characterization of **5**, **7** and **13**.

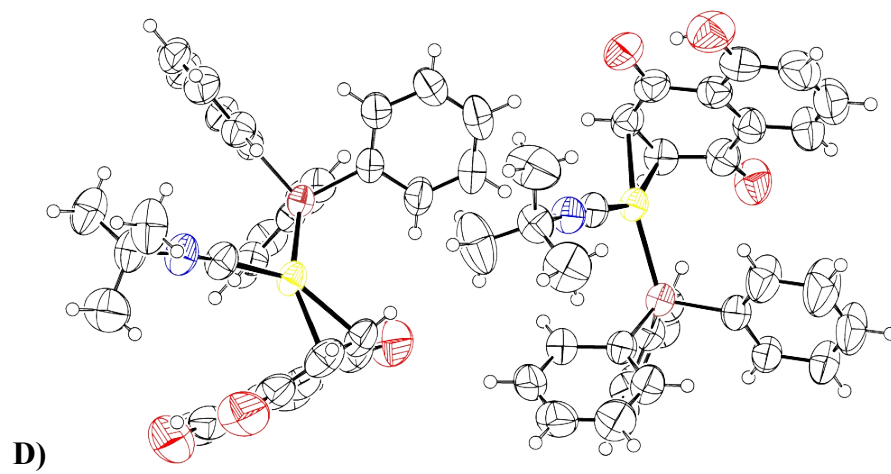
5, **7** and **13** molecules have been crystallized by slow diffusion of diethyl ether in a dichloromethane solution of complex. The characterization through XRD and show square planar Palladium coordination spheres (**Tables 2SI-5SI**). Bite angle differences in phosphine ligands impact the complex geometries with minor effect on Juglone binding as shown in **Figure S2**. A η^2 -coordination has been detected in all the systems as previously reported for Pd-ethylene- or quinone-based phosphine complexes.[1S, 2S] Steric hindrance of ligands control binding of juglone which is disordered when the bidentate phosphine/arsine bears two almost equivalent binding groups. Some planarity distortion of juglone naphthalene core has been detected and it is more prominent in the asymmetric coordination environment of **13**.

Crystal packing shows hydrophobic contacts among neighbour molecules, involving weak intermolecular $\pi \cdots \pi$ and $\text{CH} \cdots \pi$ interactions, involving aromatic rings in close contacts. Solvent molecules have been found in the crystal packing of **5** and **7** (*i.e.* heavily disordered chloroform). Minor cell volume contraction has been found in **13** (~3%) upon cooling, with no significant packing rearrangements.

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Figure S64. Ortep representations of asymmetric unit contents for **5** at 100 K (A), **7** at 100 K (B), **13** at 100 K (C) and **13** at 298 K (D). Ellipsoids correspond to 50% probability.





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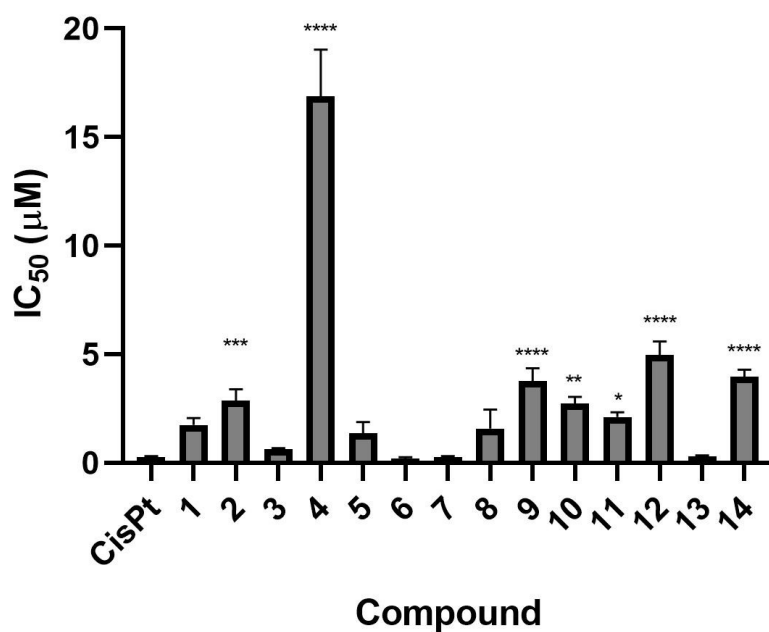


Figure S65. ANOVA test between IC₅₀ of complexes vs Cisplatin (control) in A2780 cell line.

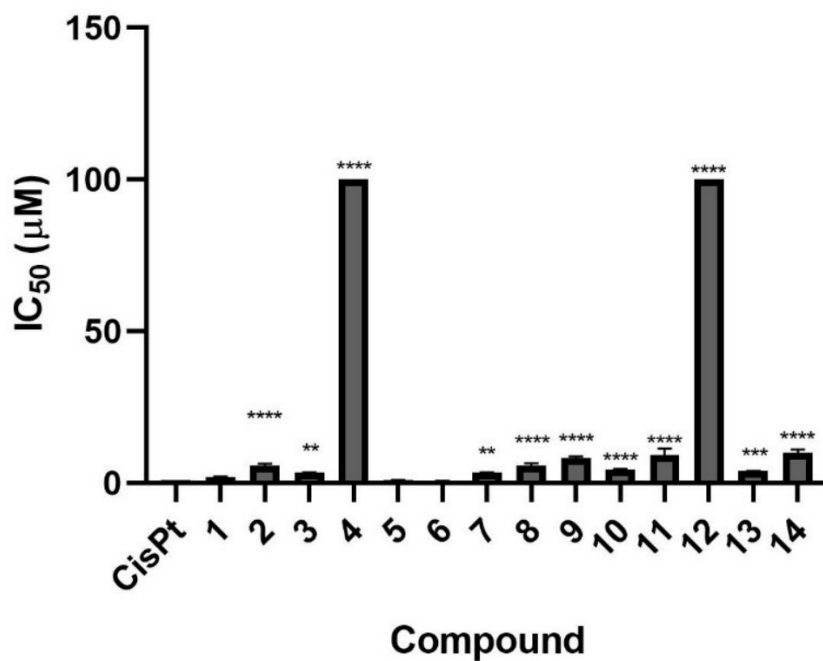


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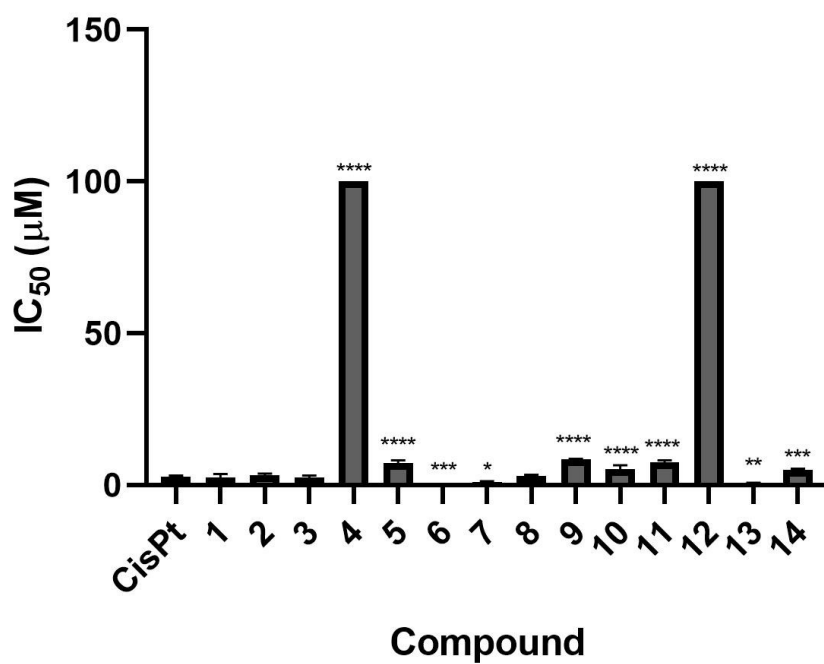


Figure S67. ANOVA test between IC₅₀ of complexes vs Cisplatin (control) in KURAMOCHI cell line.

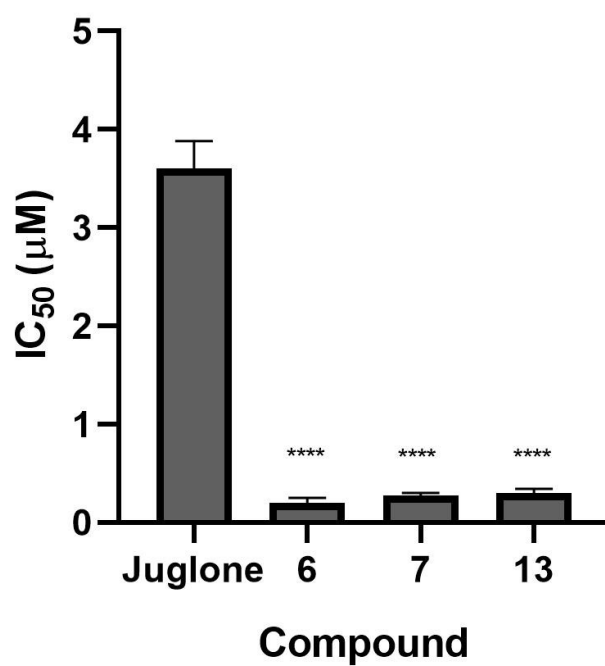


Figure S68. ANOVA test between IC₅₀ complexes 6, 7, 13 vs Juglone (control) in A2780 cell line.

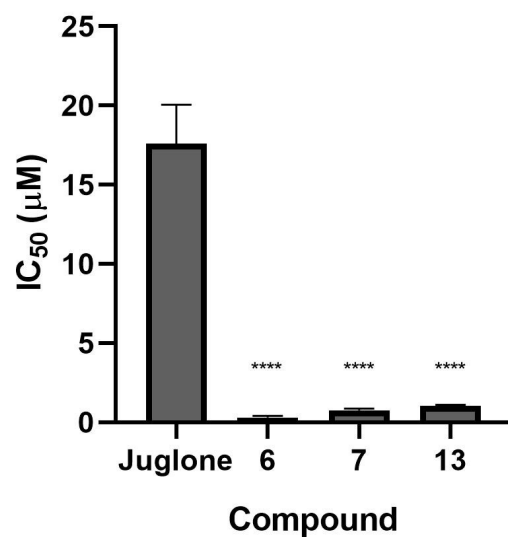


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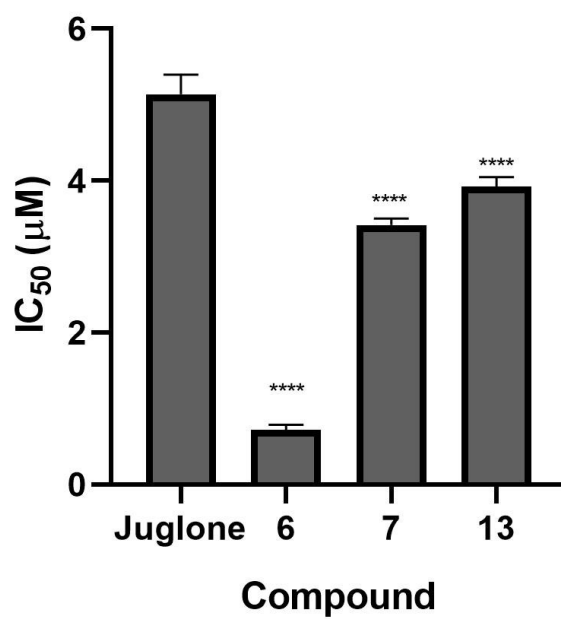


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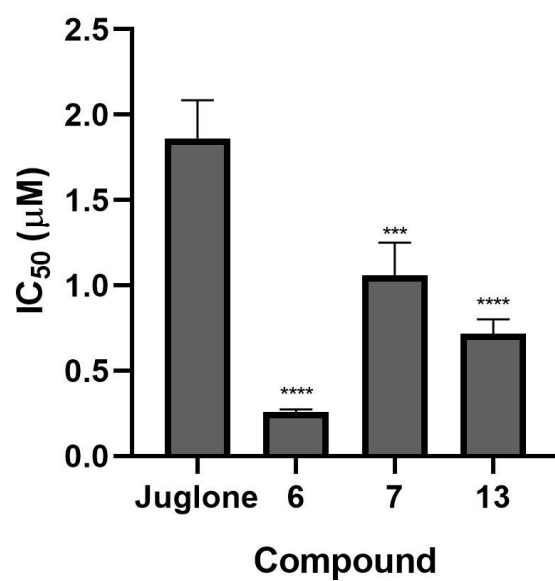


Figure S71. ANOVA test between IC₅₀ complexes 6, 7, 13 vs Juglone (control) in KURAMOCHI cell line.

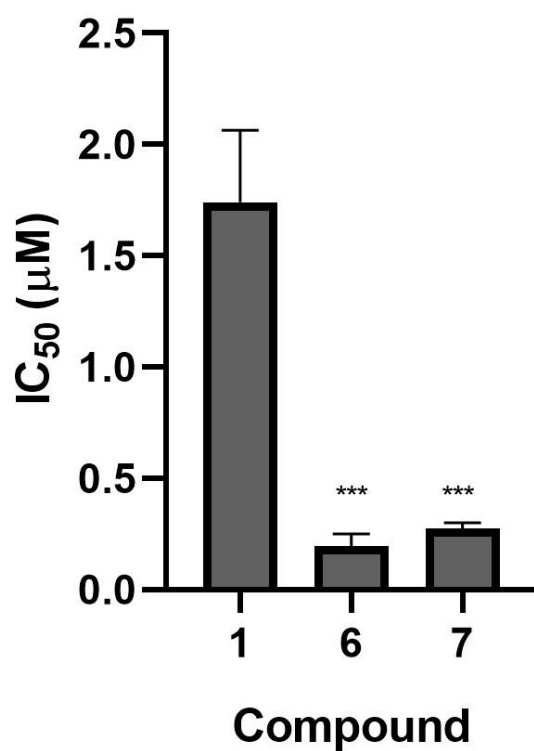


Figure S72. ANOVA test between IC₅₀ complexes 6, 7 vs 1 in A2780 cell line.

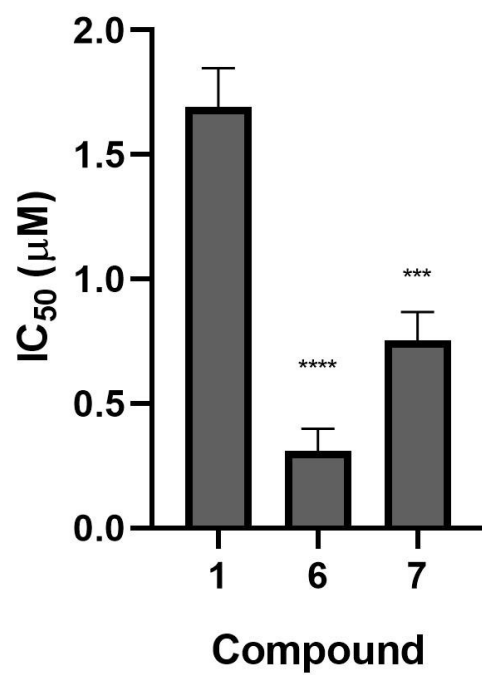


Figure S73. ANOVA test between IC_{50} complexes 6, 7 vs 1 in A2780cis cell line.

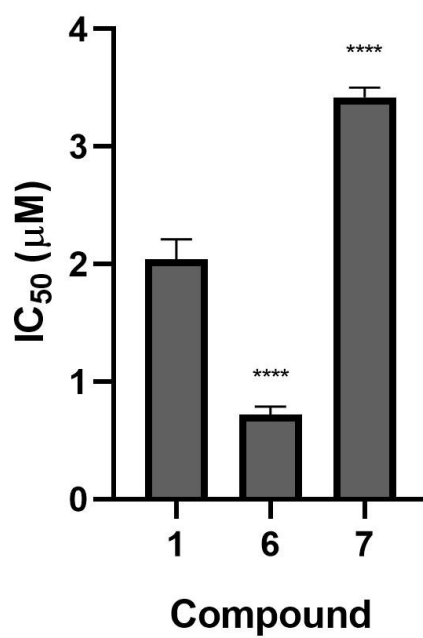


Figure S74. ANOVA test between IC_{50} complexes 6, 7 vs 1 in OVCAR-5 cell line.

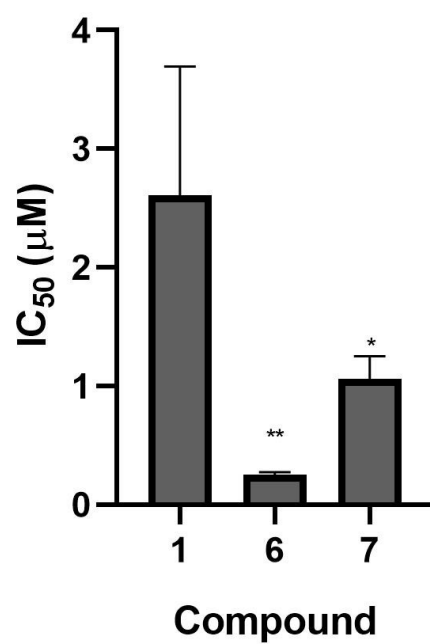


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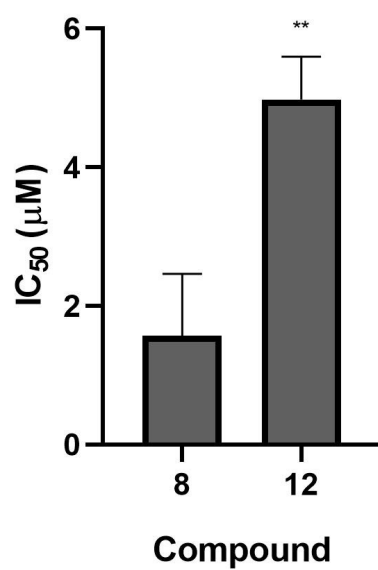


Figure S76. t test between IC₅₀ of complex 12 vs 8 in A2780 cell line.

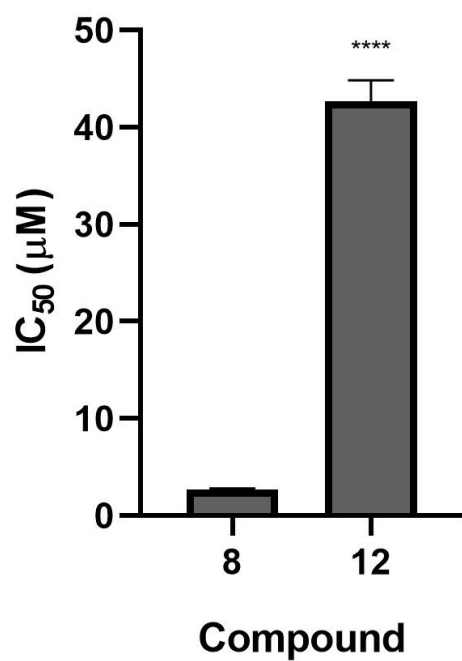


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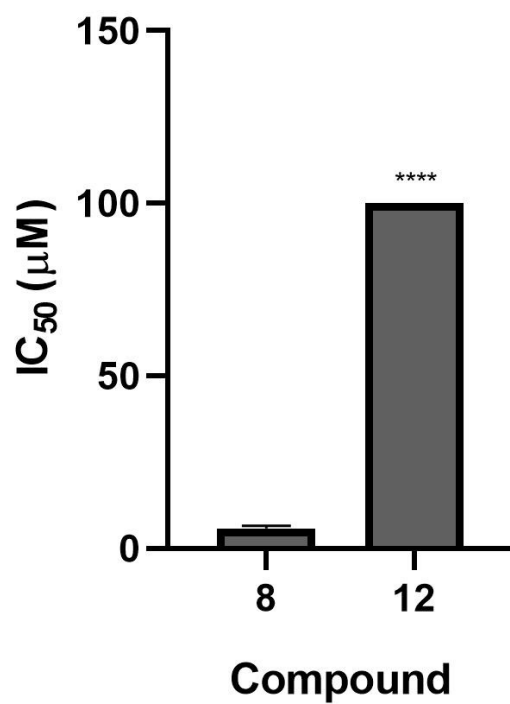


Figure S78. t test between IC₅₀ of complex 12 vs 8 in KURAMOCHI cell line.

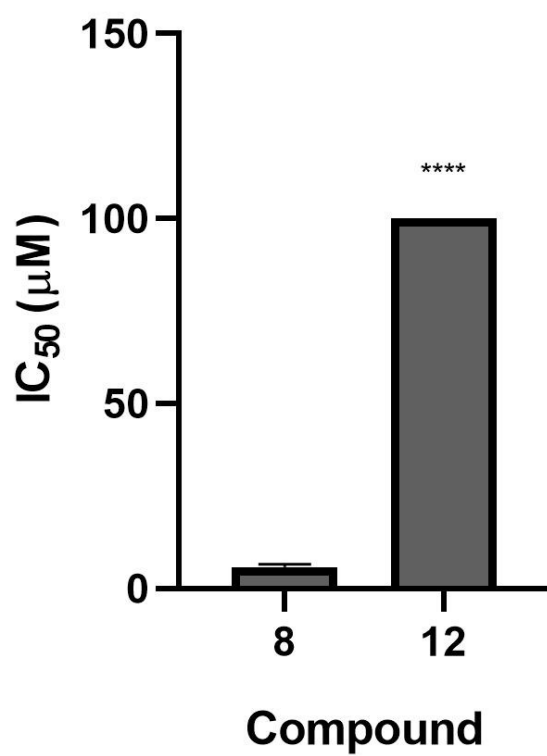


Figure S79. t test between IC₅₀ of complex 12 vs 8 in OVCAR-5 cell line.