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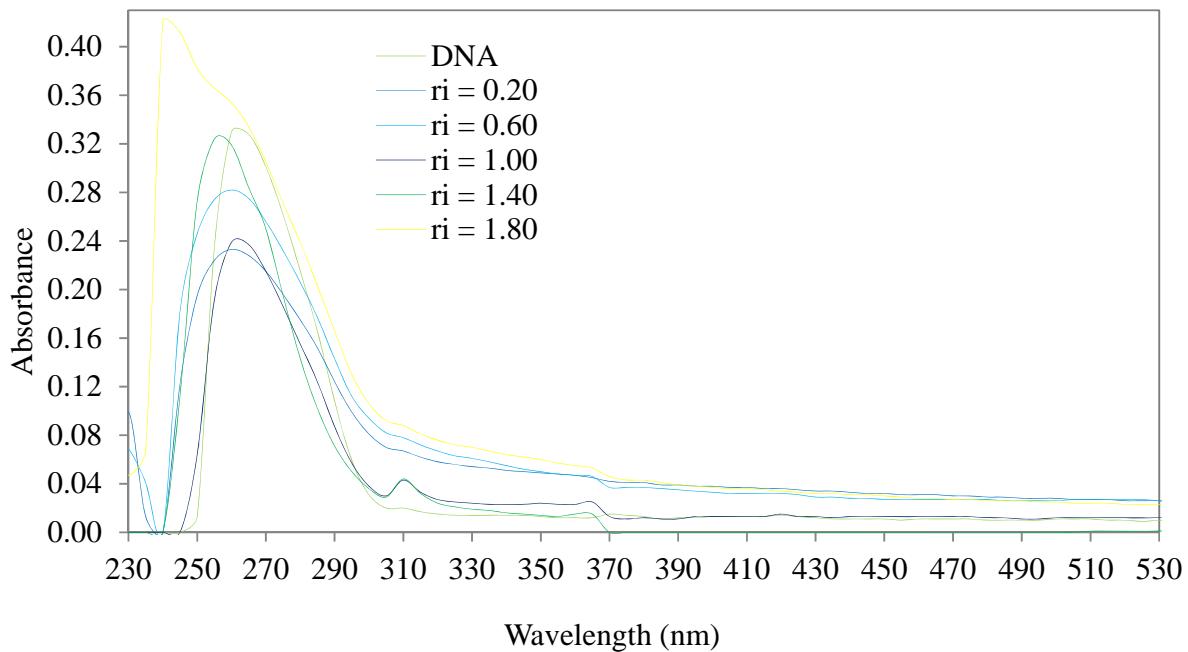
**Experimental Section**

**General procedure for synthesis of Pt(IV)Cl<sub>4</sub>(BADs)<sub>2</sub> complexes**

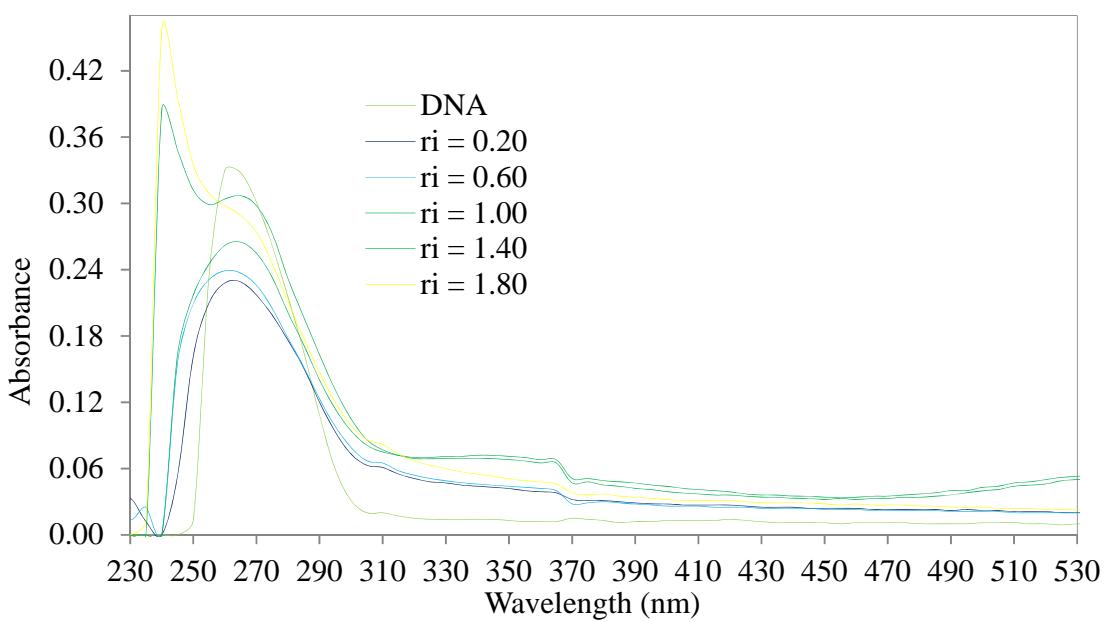
Initially, the K<sub>2</sub>PtCl<sub>4</sub> and BADs (molar ratio 1:2 respectively) were separately dissolved in freshly prepared solvent (absolute ethanol and Milli-Q water in 4:6 ratios respectively) using 1 MLH magnetic stirrer, REMI. Then the BADs solution was added drop wise in K<sub>2</sub>PtCl<sub>4</sub> solution with a continuous stirring at room temperature. After 10 h, the mixture turned from light red brown into yellow and after 24 h, a yellow precipitate was formed on a completion of reaction. The ppt was filtered off, washed several times with water and ethanol, and was kept overnight in vacuum oven at room temperature for absolute dryness.

**Table 1.** Absorption at 240 nm for MBA, M2CBA, M3CBA, M4CBA and at 245 nm for M4FBA before and after DNA binding.

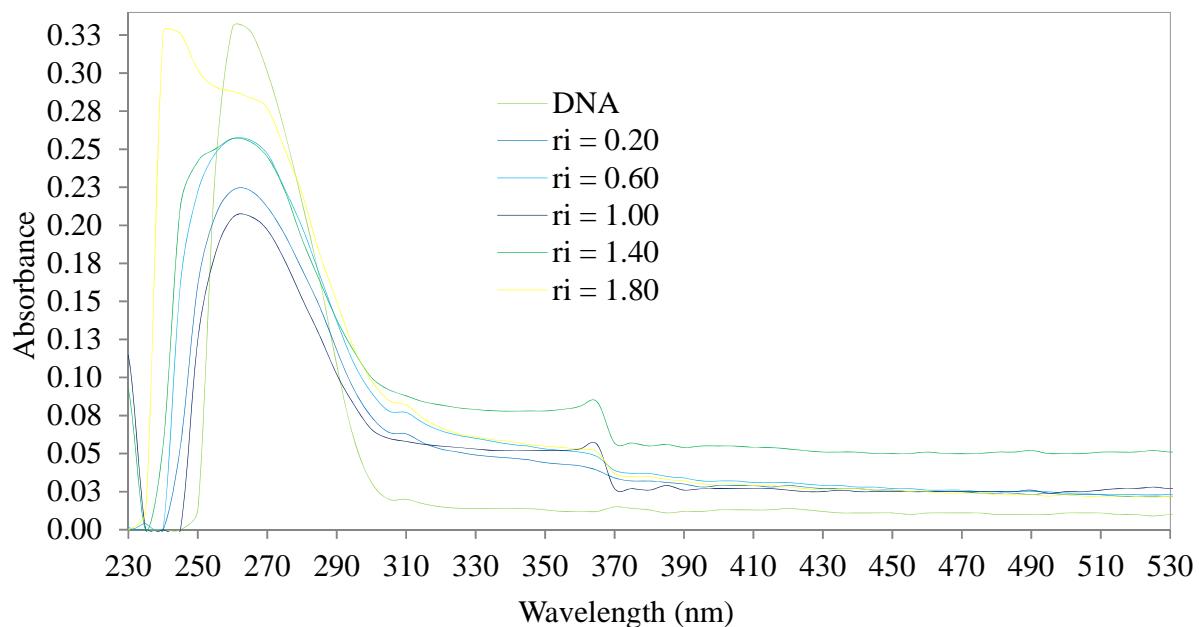
Conc. /M	MBA		M2CBA		M3CBA		M4CBA		M4FBA	
	Before	After								
1 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	0.352	0	0.231	0	0.245	0	0.291	0	0.200	0
3 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	0.621	0	0.651	0	0.520	0	0.659	0	0.290	0
5 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	0.820	0	0.819	0	0.766	0	0.942	0	0.368	0.037
7 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	1.109	0	0.926	0.385	0.924	0.055	1.109	0	0.510	0.135
9 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	1.396	0.421	1.033	0.458	1.201	0.327	1.240	0.216	0.809	0.224



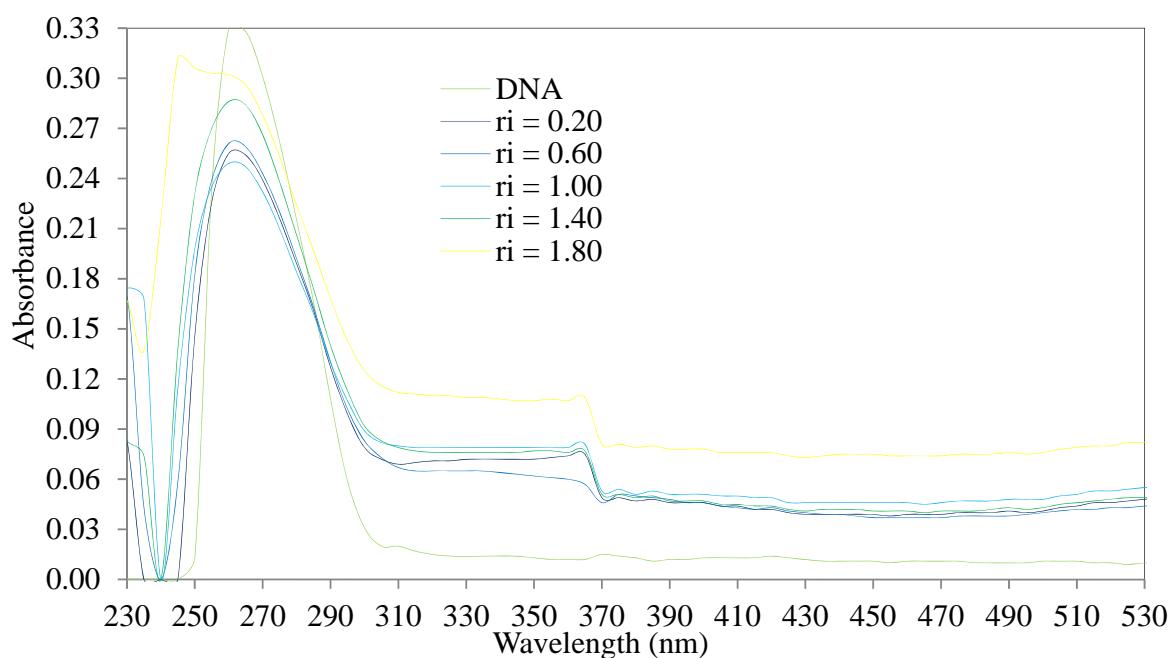
**Fig. 1** Absorption spectra of DNA ( $5 \times 10^{-5}$ M) in absence and presence of increasing amounts of MBA ( $r_i = [\text{complex}]/[\text{DNA}]$ ).



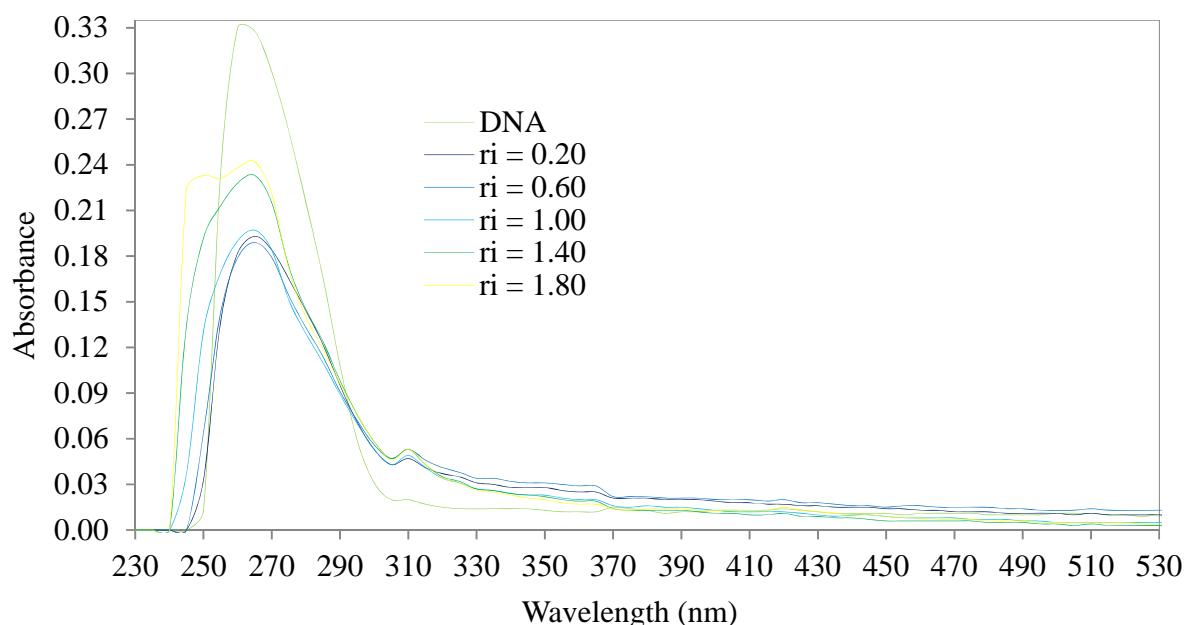
**Fig. 2** Absorption spectra of DNA ( $5 \times 10^{-5}$ M) in absence and presence of increasing amounts of M2CBA ( $r_i = [\text{complex}]/[\text{DNA}]$ ).



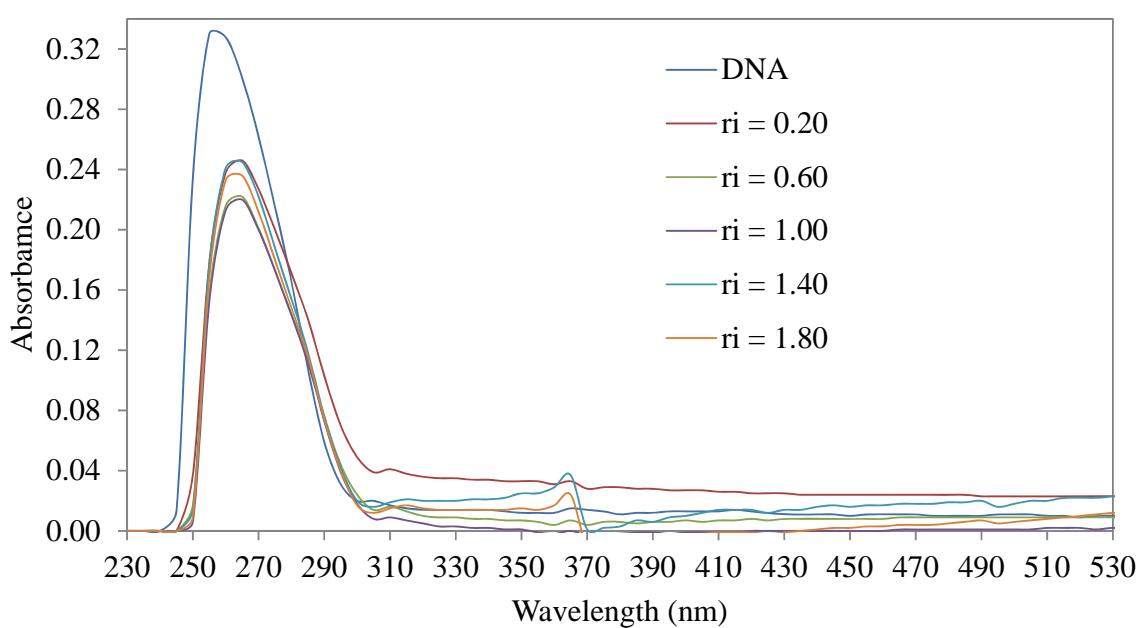
**Fig. 3** Absorption spectra of DNA ( $5 \times 10^{-5}$  M) in absence and presence of increasing amounts of M3CBA ( $r_i = [\text{complex}]/[\text{DNA}]$ ).



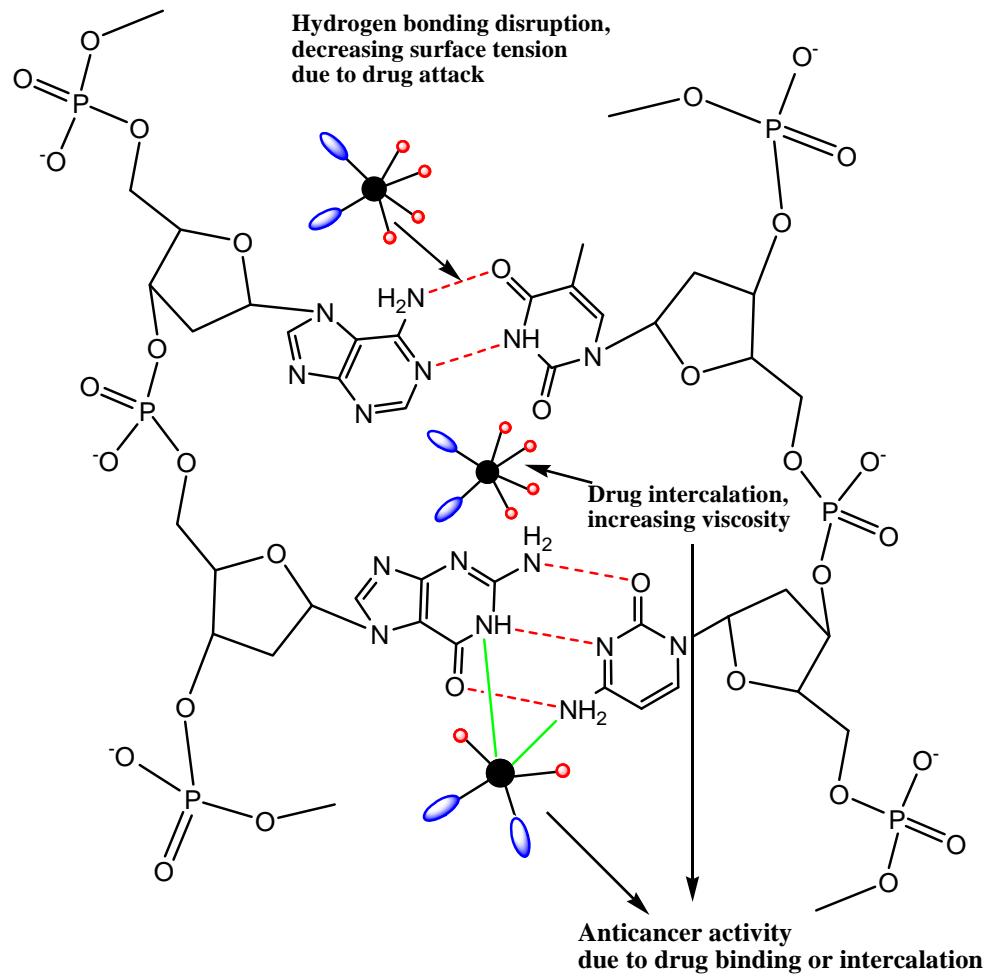
**Fig. 4** Absorption spectra of DNA ( $5 \times 10^{-5}$  M) in absence and presence of increasing amounts of M4CBA ( $r_i = [\text{complex}]/[\text{DNA}]$ ).



**Fig. 5** Absorption spectra of DNA ( $5 \times 10^{-5}$  M) in absence and presence of increasing amounts of M4CBA ( $ri = [\text{complex}]/[\text{DNA}]$ ).



**Fig. 6** Absorption spectra of DNA ( $5 \times 10^{-5}$  M) in absence and presence of increasing amounts of ligand phenylmethanamine ( $ri = [\text{phenylmethanamine}]/[\text{DNA}]$ ).



**Fig. 7** Drug-Friccohesity Interaction model which support to anticancer activity of drug.