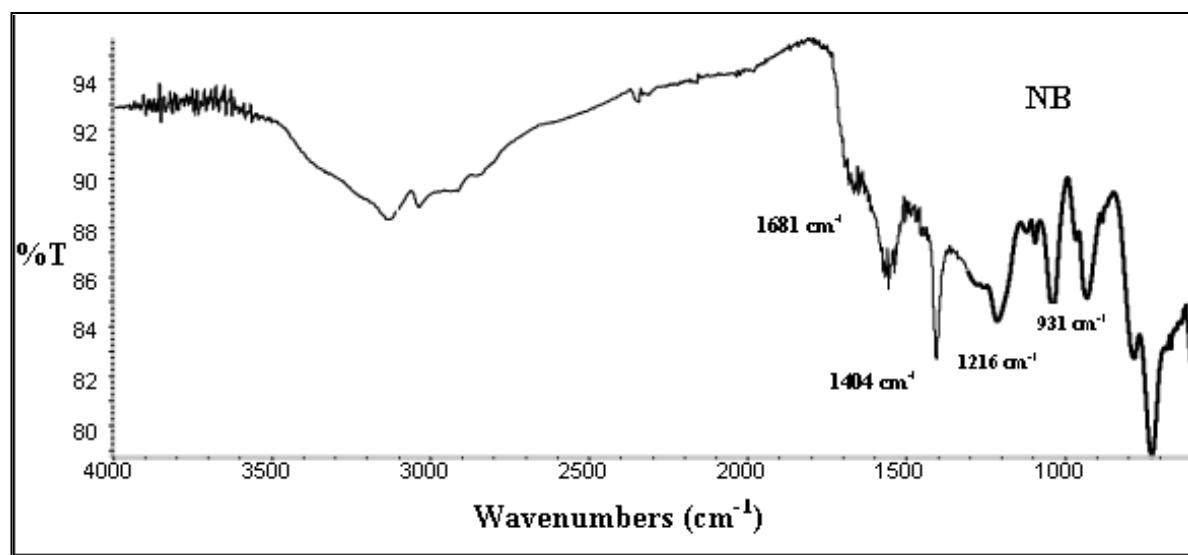
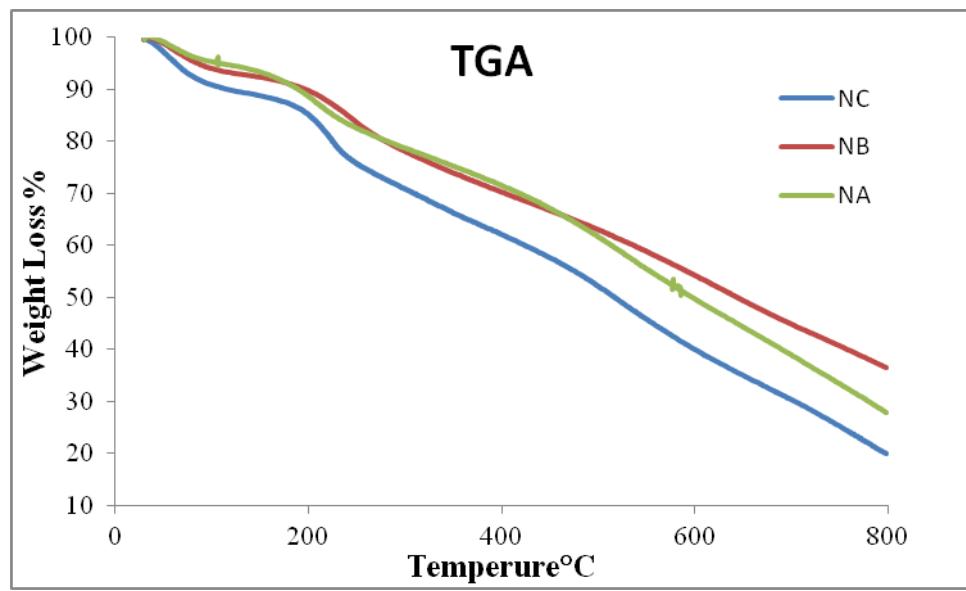


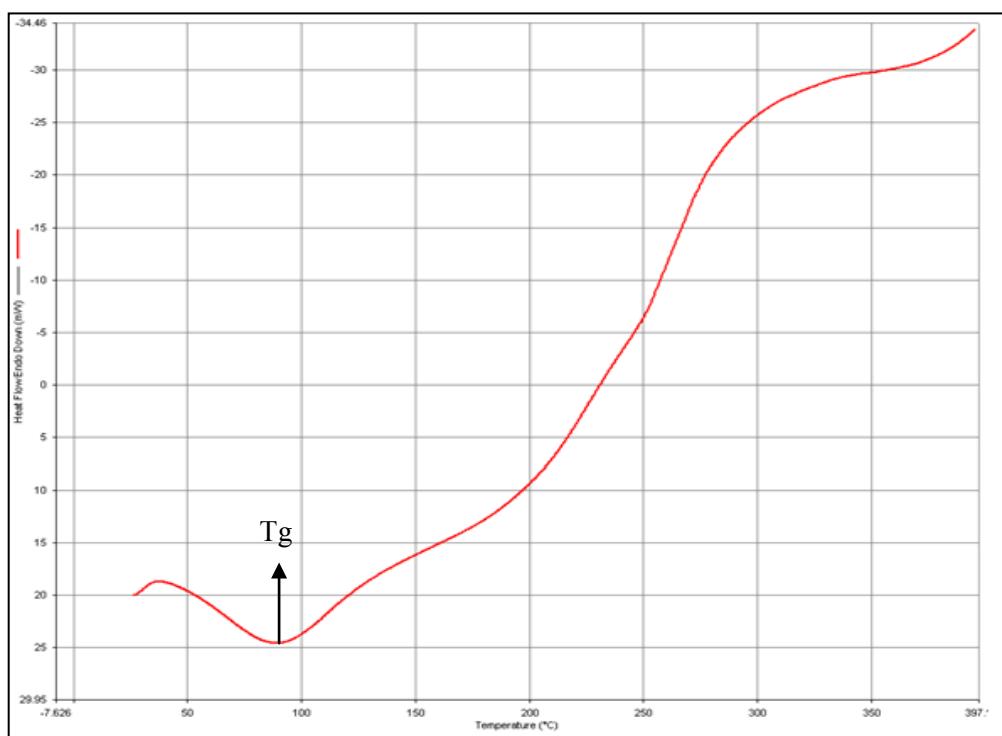
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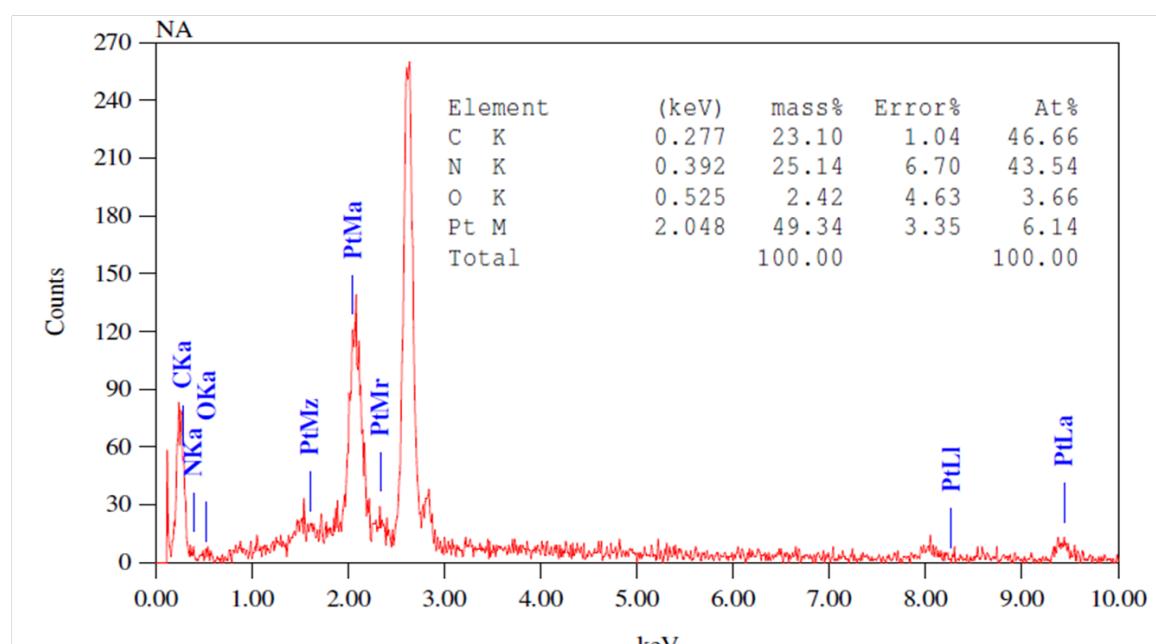
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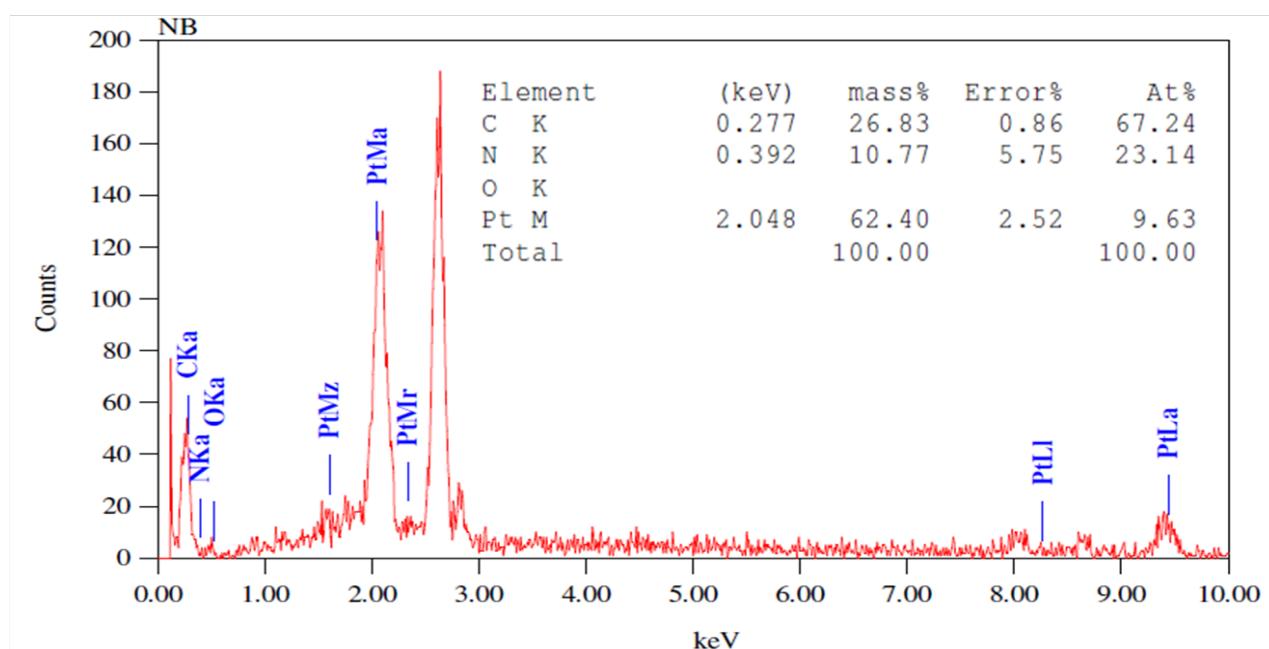
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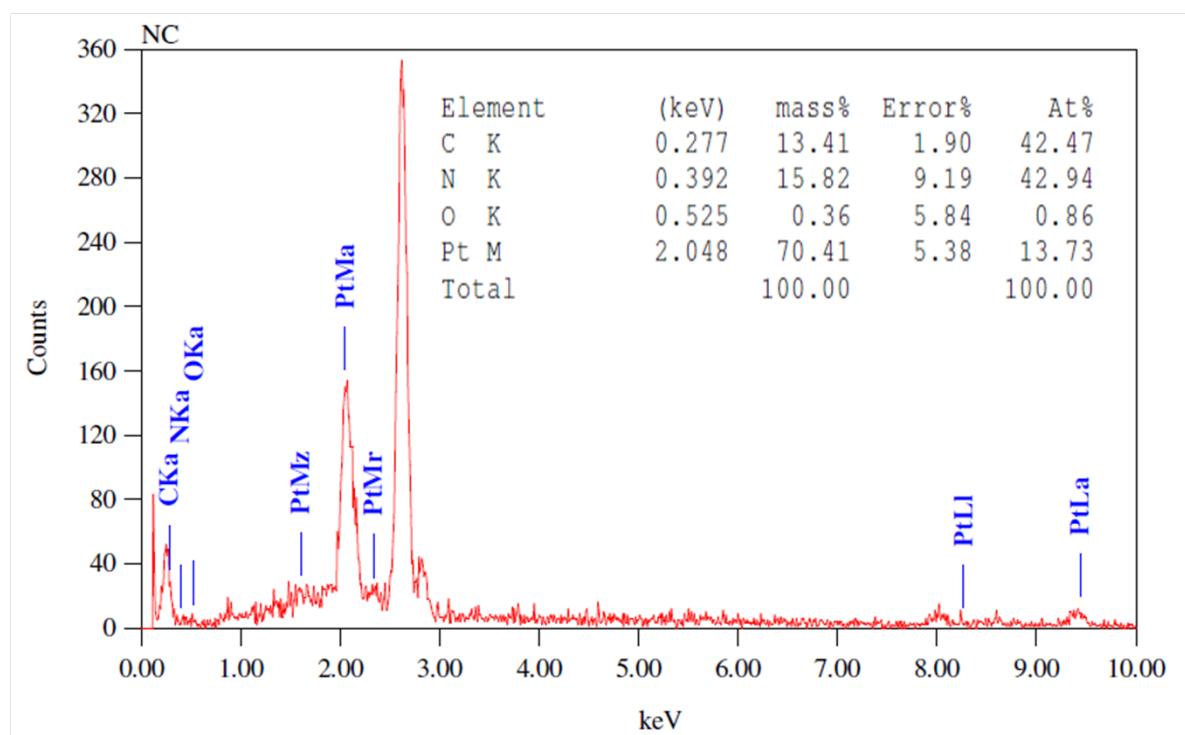
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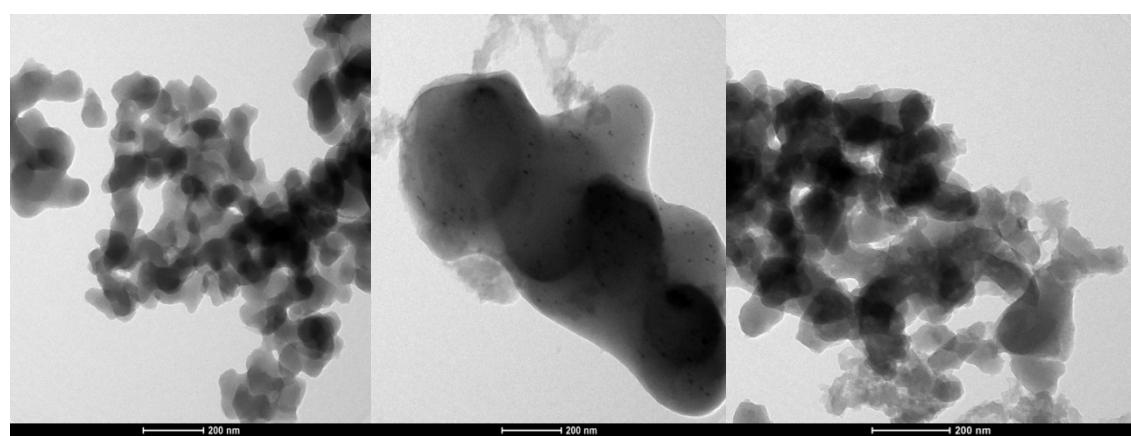
ESI. Fig. 4. Elemental analysis of sample NA by EDAX; the atomic % of Pt is about 6% in the sample.



ESI. Fig. 5. Elemental analysis of sample NB by EDAX; the atomic % of Pt is about 9.6% in the sample.



ESI. Fig. 6. Elemental analysis of sample NC by EDAX; the atomic % of Pt is about 13.7% in the sample.



ESI. Fig. 7. TEM images of sample prepared at 100°C (A); 150°C (B) and 200°C (C) of Pt /PPy nano-composite; (scale bar is 200 nm for all the images)