

Supporting Information.

Iridium- and platinum-free ring opening of indan

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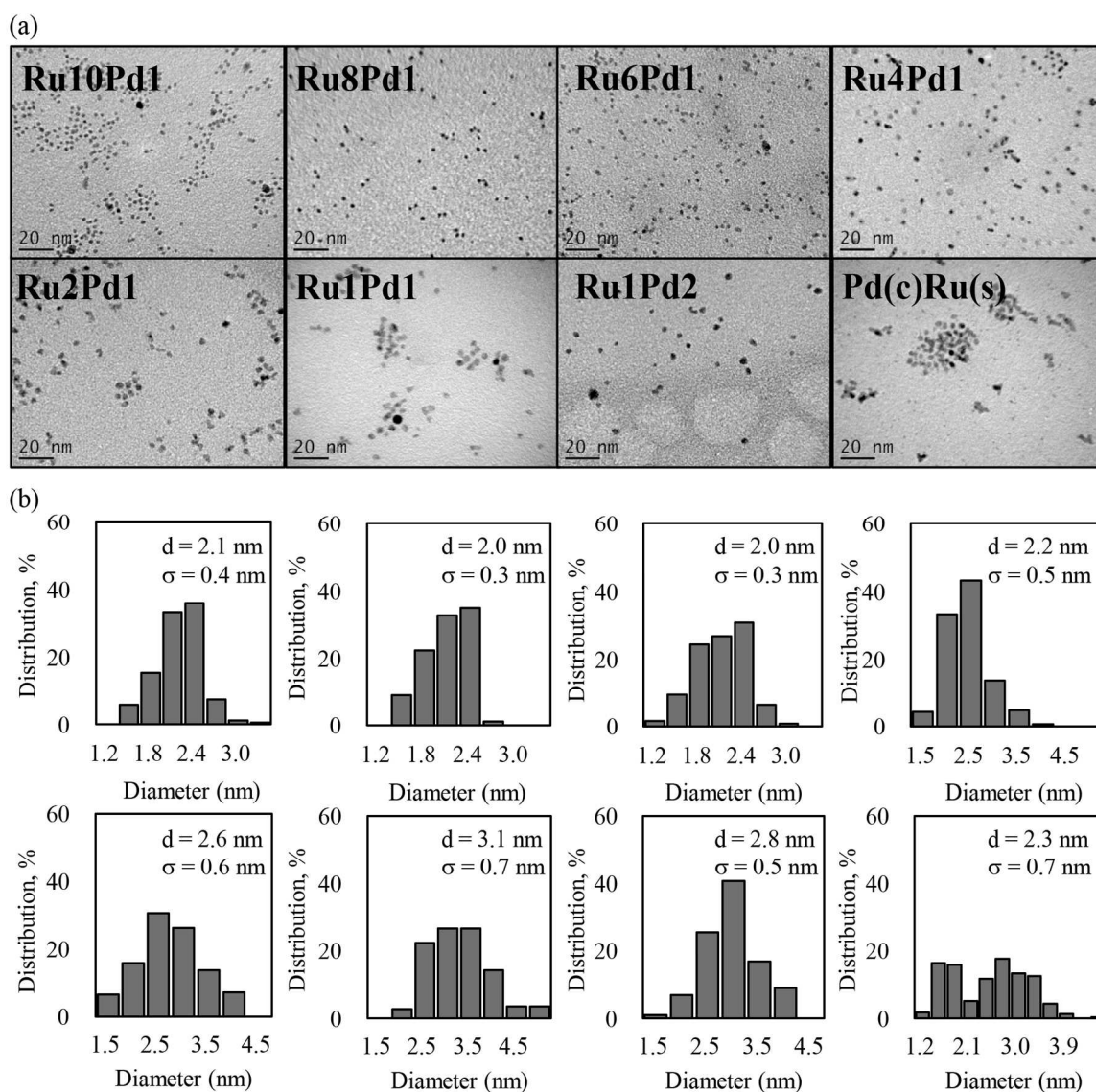


Figure S1. TEM images of PVP-stabilized bimetallic Ru-Pd colloids (the scale bar is 20 nm) and corresponding size distribution histograms

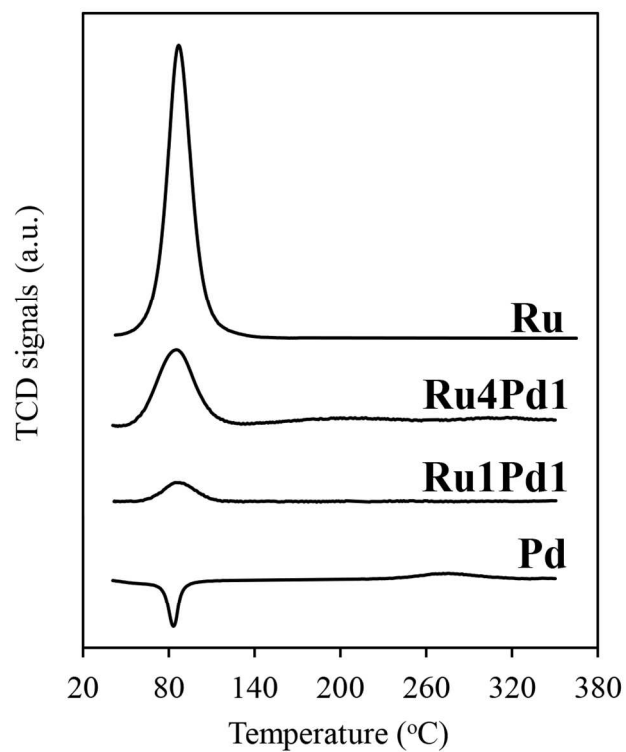


Figure S2. TPR profiles of selected mono- and bimetallic Ru-Pd catalysts in H₂/Ar flow (the TCD signal is inverted so that the positive peaks correspond to hydrogen consumption)