

Supporting Information for:

Influence of Backbone Substituents on the Ethylene (Co)Polymerization Properties of α -diimine Pd(II) and Ni(II) Catalysts

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1. Tables

1.1 Effect of Time on Ethylene Polymerization.

Table S1. Effect of Time on Ethylene Polymerization at 40 °C^a.

Ent.	Cat.	Time (min)	Yield (g)	Act. ^b
1	Ni-5	5	0.42	5.0
2	Ni-5	10	0.86	5.2
3	Ni-5	30	2.3	4.6
4	Ni-5	60	3.45	3.5
5	Ni-6	5	1.2	14.4
6	Ni-6	10	2.34	14.0
7	Ni-6	30	3.52	7.0
8	Ni-6	60	4.2	4.2

^aConditions: 1 μ mol pre-catalyst, 500 eq. cocatalyst, 1 mL CH₂Cl₂, 49 mL toluene, 9 atm.

^bActivity (Act.) = 10⁶ g/(mol Ni·h).

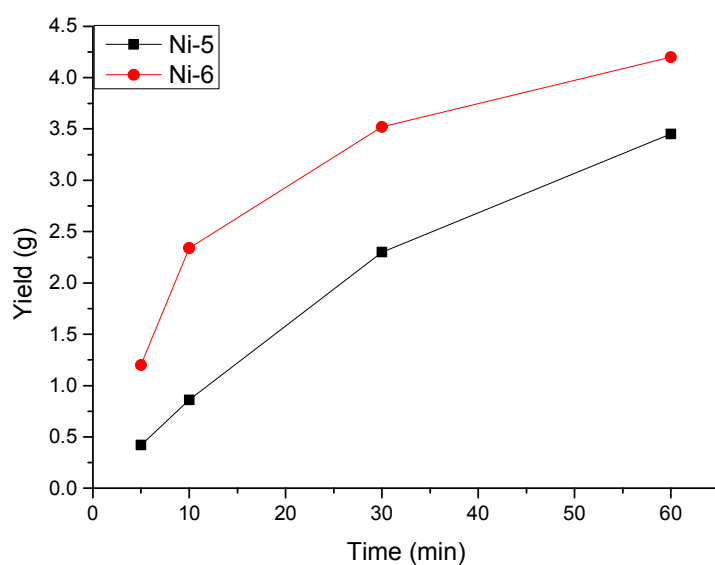


Figure S1. Yield versus time for catalyst Ni-5, Ni-6.

1.2 The Tables of Ethylene (Co)Polymerization.

Table S2. Ethylene polymerization with nickel complexes Ni-1~Ni-6.^a

Ent.	Cat.	<i>T</i> (°C)	t (min)	Yield (g)	Average Yield(g)
1	Ni-1	20	10	2.6	2.65
				3.0	
				2.35	
2	Ni-2	20	10	2.22	2.34
				2.46	
3	Ni-3	20	10	2.92	2.70
				2.48	
4	Ni-4	20	10	2.2	2.35
				2.5	
5	Ni-5	20	10	1.09	1.08
				1.11	
				1.04	
6	Ni-6	20	10	2.32	2.88
				3.44	
7	Ni-1	20	30	3.64	3.42
				2.78	
				3.84	
8	Ni-5	20	30	1.91	1.82
				1.8	
				1.75	
9	Ni-6	20	30	3.87	3.62
				3.3	
				3.69	
10	Ni-1	40	10	2.24	2.31
				2.38	
11	Ni-1	60	10	2.05	2.10
				2.14	
12	Ni-1	80	10	1.32	1.63
				1.94	
13	Ni-5	40	10	0.87	0.86
				0.78	
				0.93	
14	Ni-5	60	10	0.7	0.74
				0.86	
				0.66	
15	Ni-5	80	10	0.88	0.72
				0.6	
				0.68	
16	Ni-6	40	10	2.14	2.34
				2.54	
17	Ni-6	60	10	1.8	2.0
				2.2	

18	Ni-6	80	10	$\frac{1.45}{1.01}$	1.23
19 ^b	Ni-5	20	10	$\frac{0.94}{1.05}$	1.00
20 ^c	Ni-5	20	10	$\frac{0.8}{0.83}$	0.82

^aConditions: 1 μ mol Ni, MAO cocatalyst, Al/Ni=500, 1 mL CH₂Cl₂, 49 mL toluene, 9 atm.

^bCocatalyst: Et₂AlCl. ^cCocatalyst: EtAlCl₂.

Table S3. Ethylene polymerization with palladium complexes Pd-1~Pd-6.^a

Ent.	Cat.	<i>T</i> (°C)	Yield (g) ^b	Average Yield(g)
1	Pd-1	20	0.26	0.22
			0.22	
			0.18	
2	Pd-2	20	0.21	0.23
			0.24	
3	Pd-3	20	0.32	0.35
			0.37	
4	Pd-4	20	0.31	0.28
			0.24	
5	Pd-5	20	0.43	0.51
			0.57	
			0.53	
6	Pd-6	20	0.23	0.27
			0.34	
			0.24	
7	Pd-1	40	1.0	0.96
			0.92	
8	Pd-1	60	0.29	0.21
			0.13	
9	Pd-1	80	0.07	0.11
			0.15	
10	Pd-5	40	1.65	1.73
			1.68	
			1.86	
11	Pd-5	60	0.71	0.69
			0.73	
			0.63	
12	Pd-5	80	0.12	0.15
			0.2	
			0.13	
13	Pd-6	40	1.25	1.31
			1.37	
14	Pd-6	60	0.29	0.35
			0.4	

15	Pd-6	80	$\frac{0.14}{0.06}$	0.1
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^aConditions: 10 μ mol pre-catalyst, 1.2 eq. NaBAF, 2 mL of CH₂Cl₂, 48 mL toluene, 9 atm, 1 h.

Table S4. Copolymerization of Ethylene and MA with complexes Pd-1~Pd-6.^a

Ent.	Cat.	[MA] (M)	Yield (g)	Average Yield(g)
1	Pd-1	-	$\frac{1.65}{1.74}$	1.7
2	Pd-1	1	$\frac{0.33}{0.21}$	0.27
3	Pd-1	2	$\frac{0.23}{0.15}$	0.19
4	Pd-2	-	$\frac{1.82}{2.1}$	1.96
5	Pd-2	1	$\frac{0.5}{0.37}$	0.44
6	Pd-2	2	$\frac{0.31}{0.21}$	0.26
7	Pd-3	-	$\frac{2.04}{2.27}$	2.16
8	Pd-3	1	$\frac{0.34}{0.45}$	0.40
9	Pd-3	2	$\frac{0.27}{0.22}$	0.25
10	Pd-4	-	$\frac{2.2}{2.08}$	2.14
11	Pd-4	1	$\frac{1.39}{1.6}$	1.5
12	Pd-4	2	$\frac{0.68}{0.8}$	0.74
13	Pd-5	-	$\frac{2.01}{2.15}$	2.08
14	Pd-5	1	$\frac{0.65}{0.63}$ 0.58	0.62
15	Pd-5	2	$\frac{0.4}{0.51}$ 0.45	0.45
16	Pd-6	-	$\frac{1.79}{1.61}$	1.7
17	Pd-6	1	$\frac{0.32}{0.27}$	0.3
18	Pd-6	2	$\frac{0.21}{0.19}$	0.2

^aConditions: 0.030 mmol pre-catalyst, 1.2 eq. NaBAF, total volume of DCM and MA: 25 mL, 30 °C, 1 atm, 15 h.

2. Spectra Data

2.1 ^1H , ^{13}C NMR of ligands L1, L2, L3, L4 (Figure S2-S8).

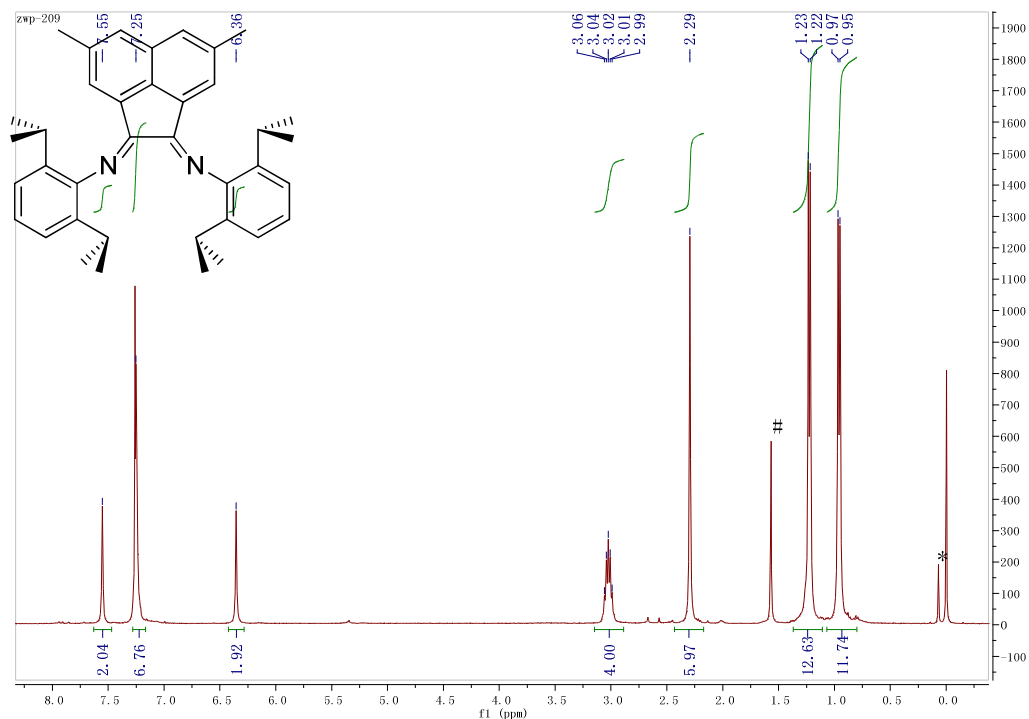


Figure S2. ^1H NMR spectrum of L1 in CDCl_3 . * silicone grease, # H_2O .

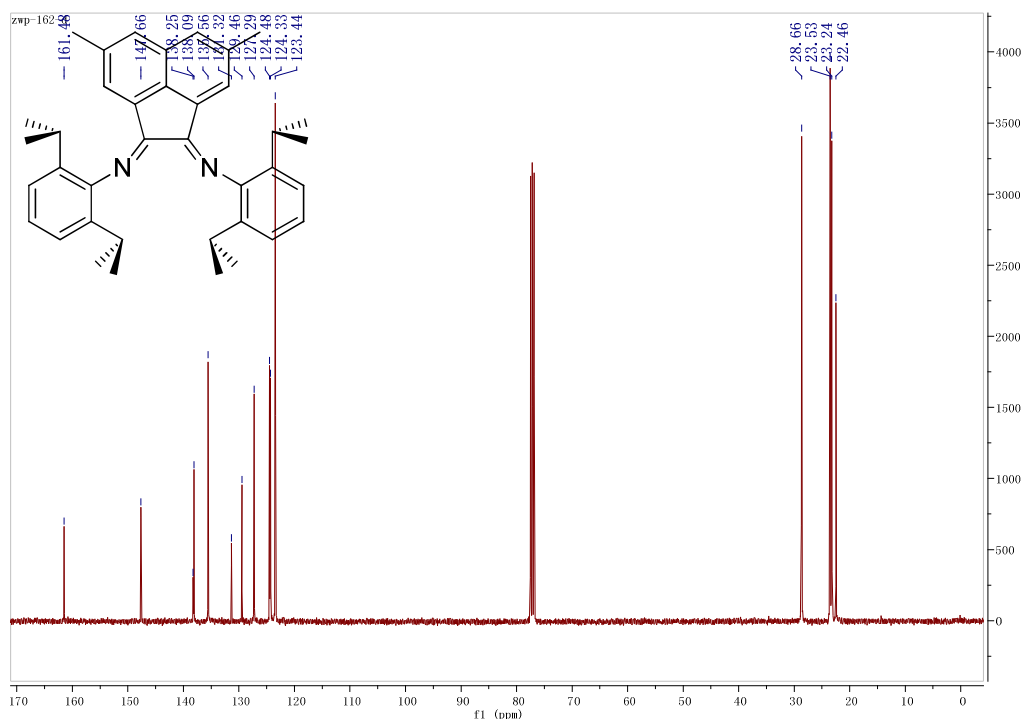


Figure S3. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of L1 in CDCl_3 .

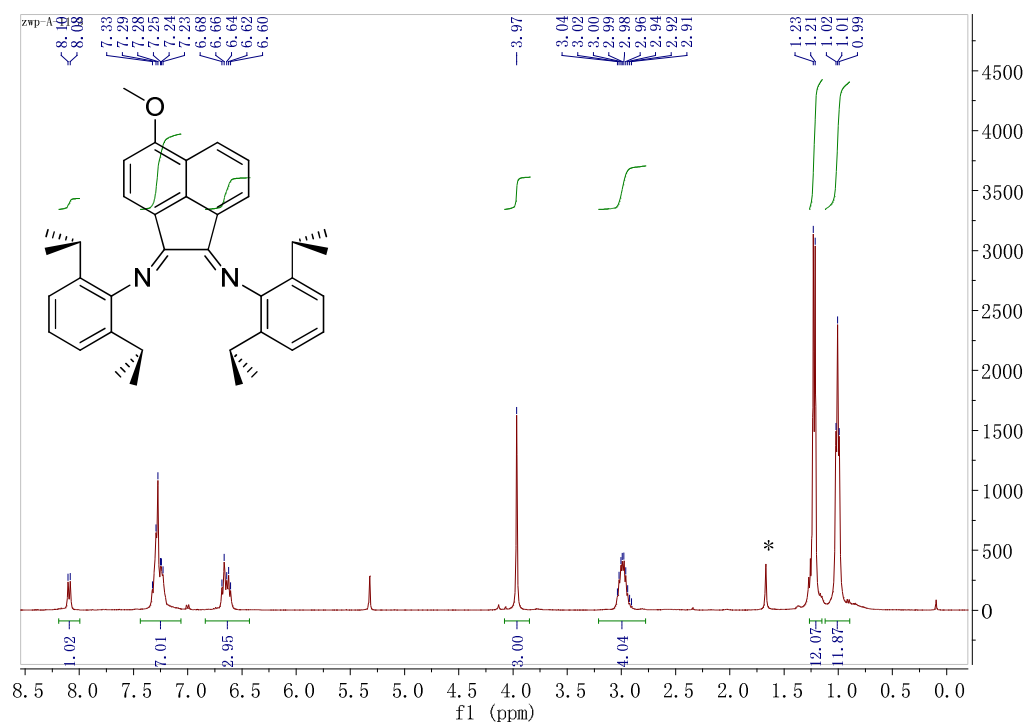


Figure S4. ^1H NMR spectrum of **L2** in CD_2Cl_2 . * H_2O .

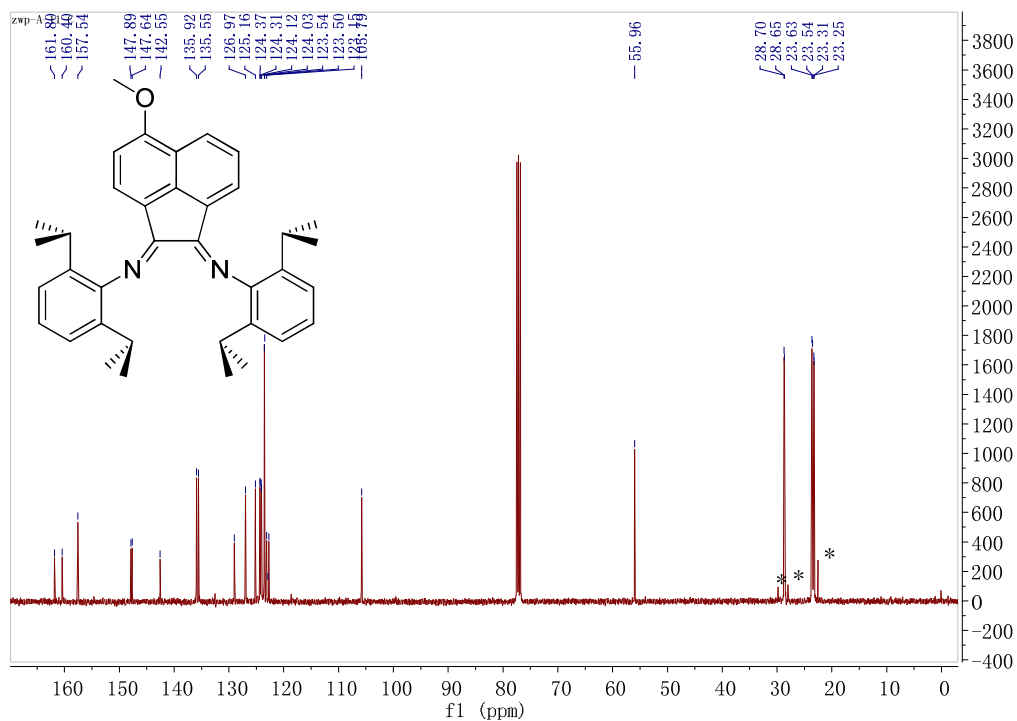


Figure S5. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of **L2** in CDCl_3 . * n-hexane.

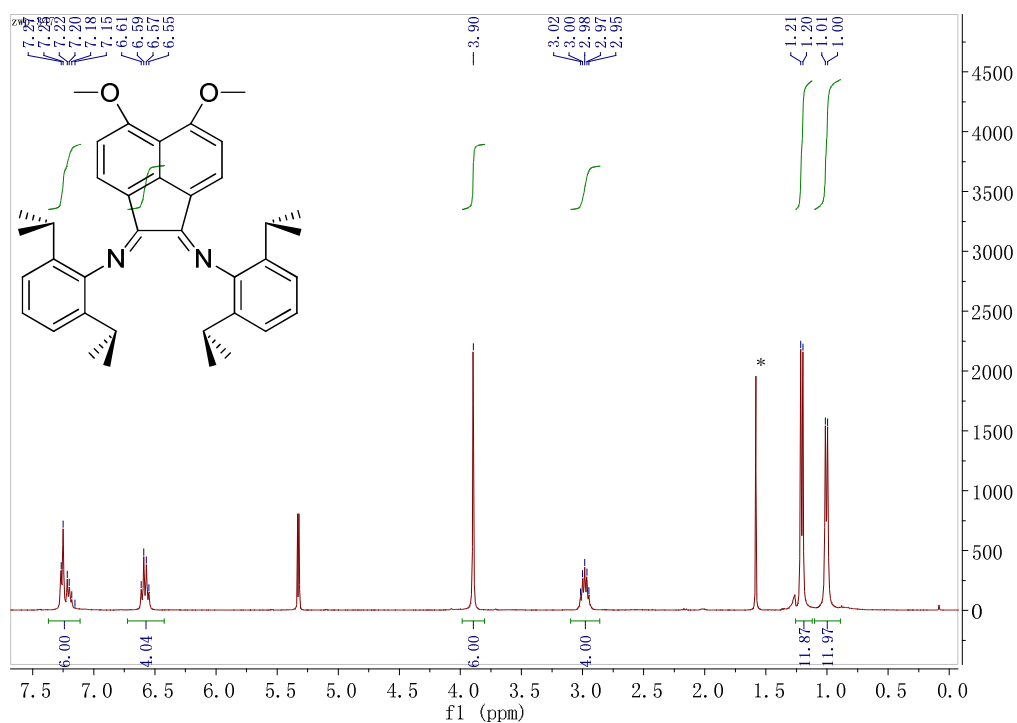


Figure S6. ¹H NMR spectrum of **L3** in CD₂Cl₂. * H₂O.

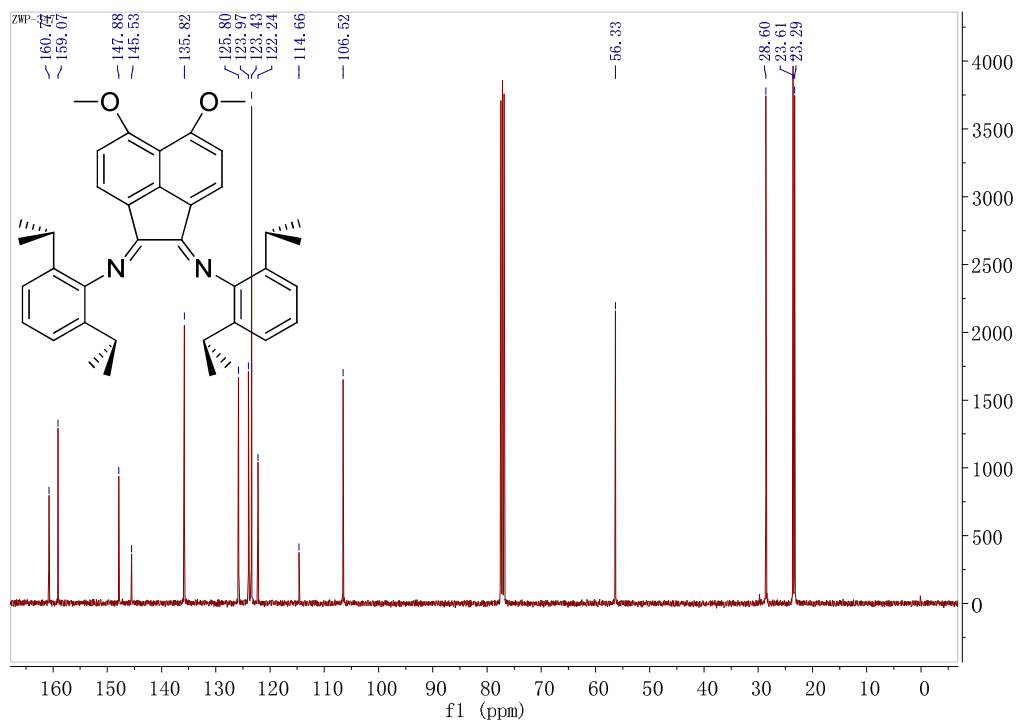


Figure S7. ¹³C NMR spectrum of **L3** in CDCl₃.

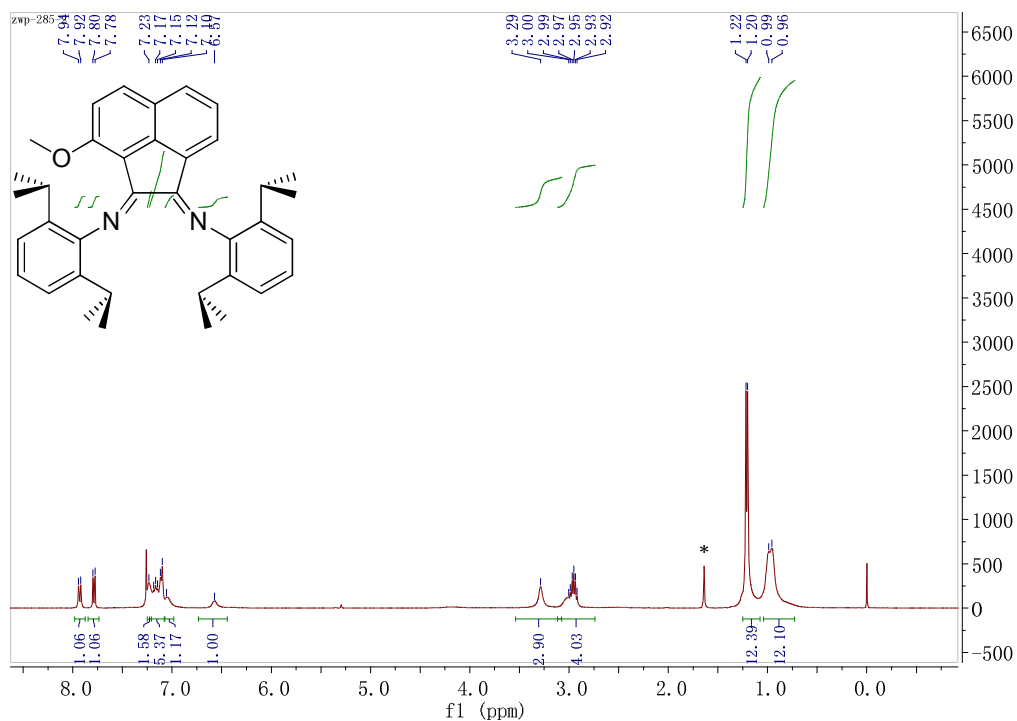


Figure S8. ¹H NMR spectrum of L4 in CDCl₃. * H₂O.

2.2 ¹H, ¹³C NMR of Complexes Pd-1~Pd-5 (Figure S9- S18).

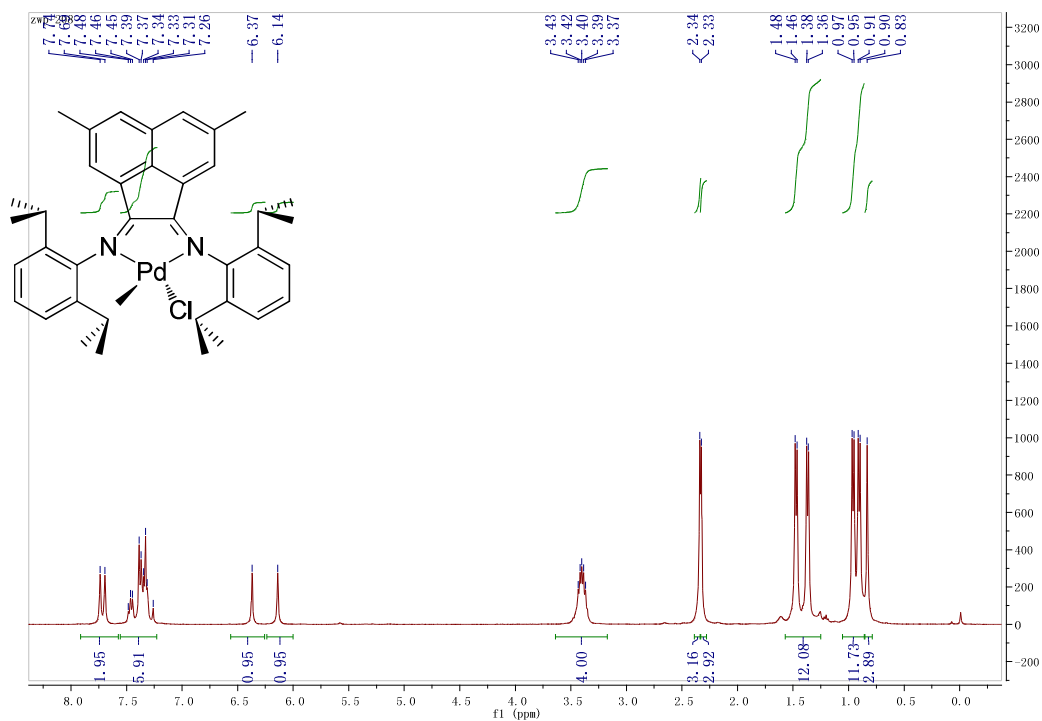


Figure S9. ¹H NMR spectrum of (4,7-diMe-N^N)PdMeCl (Pd-1) in CDCl₃.

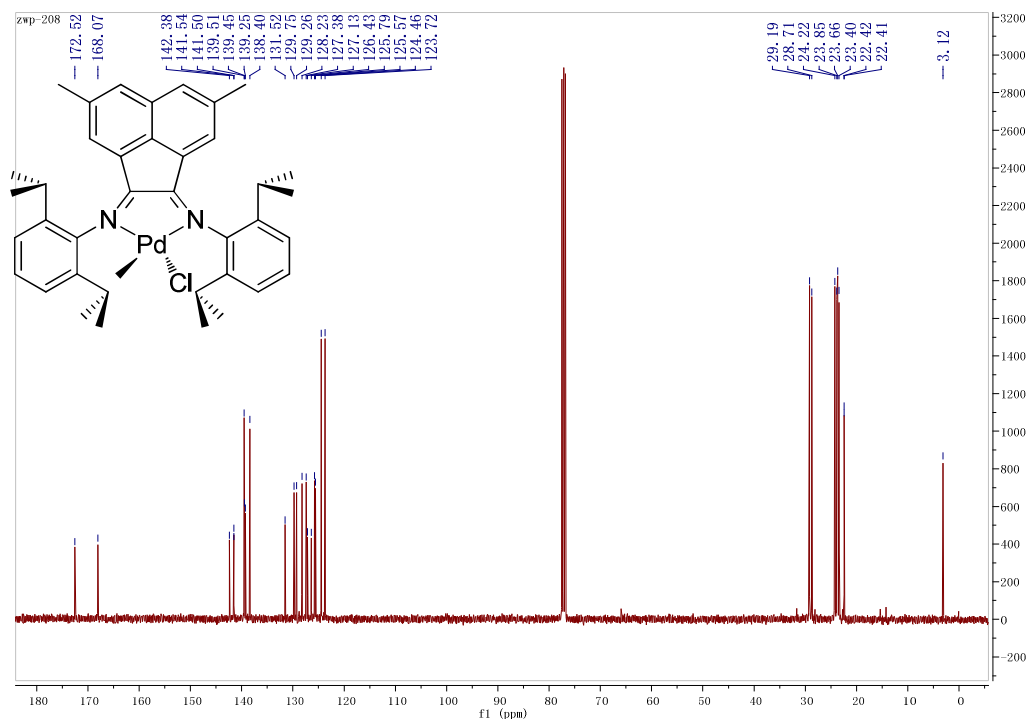


Figure S10. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of $(\text{MeN}^{\text{N}})\text{PdMeCl}$ (Pd-1) in CDCl_3 .

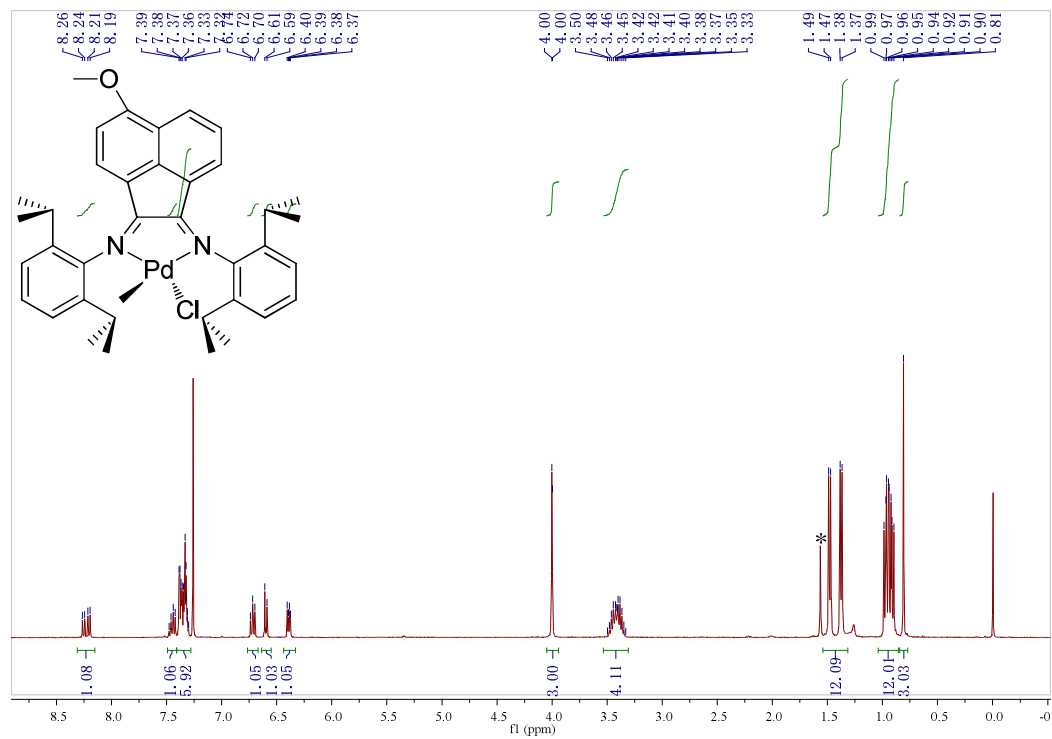


Figure S11. ^1H NMR spectrum of $(5\text{-OMeN}^{\text{N}})\text{PdMeCl}$ (Pd-2) in CDCl_3 . * H_2O .

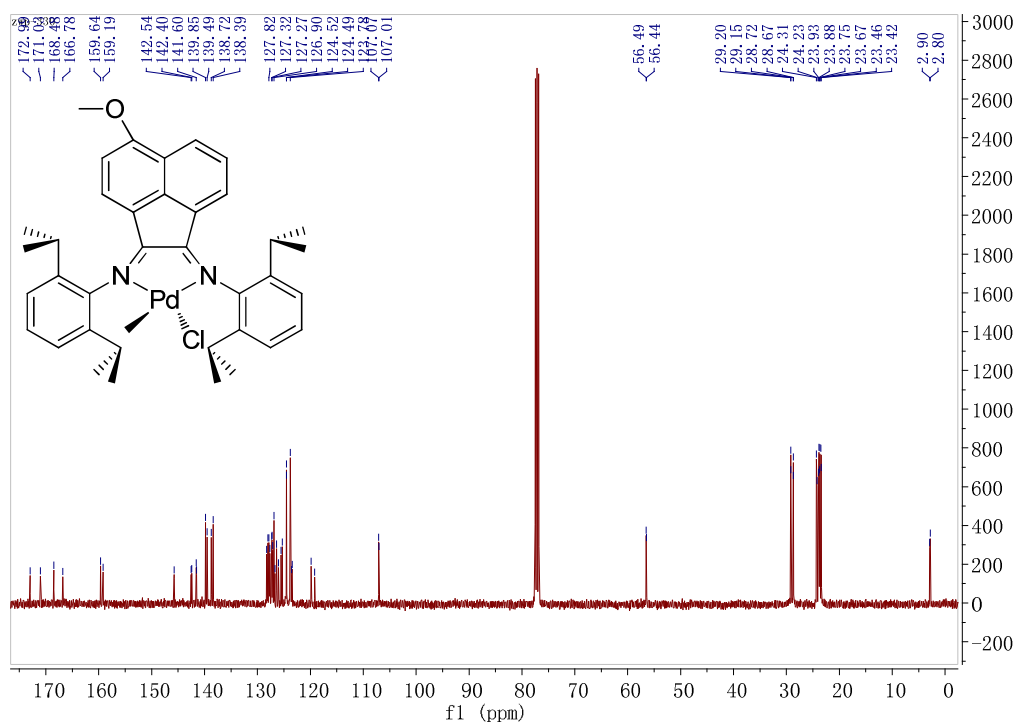


Figure S12. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of ($^5\text{-OMeN}^{\wedge}\text{N}$)PdMeCl (Pd-2) in CDCl_3 .

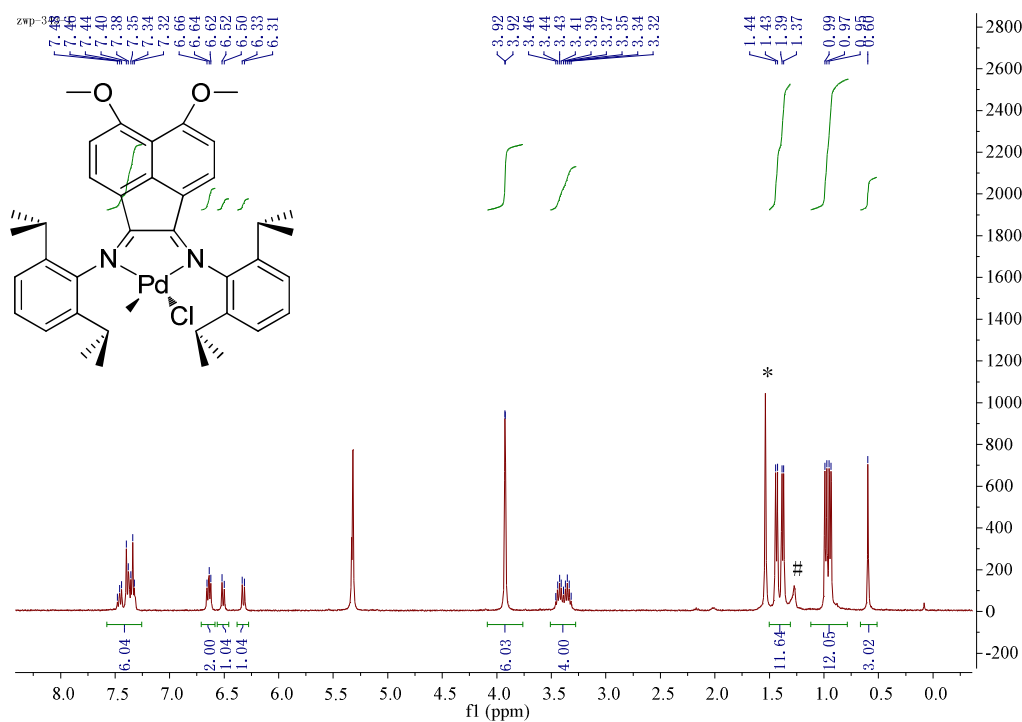


Figure S13. ^1H NMR spectrum of ($^5, ^6\text{-diOMeN}^{\wedge}\text{N}$)PdMeCl (Pd-3) in CD_2Cl_2 . * H_2O , #n-hexane.

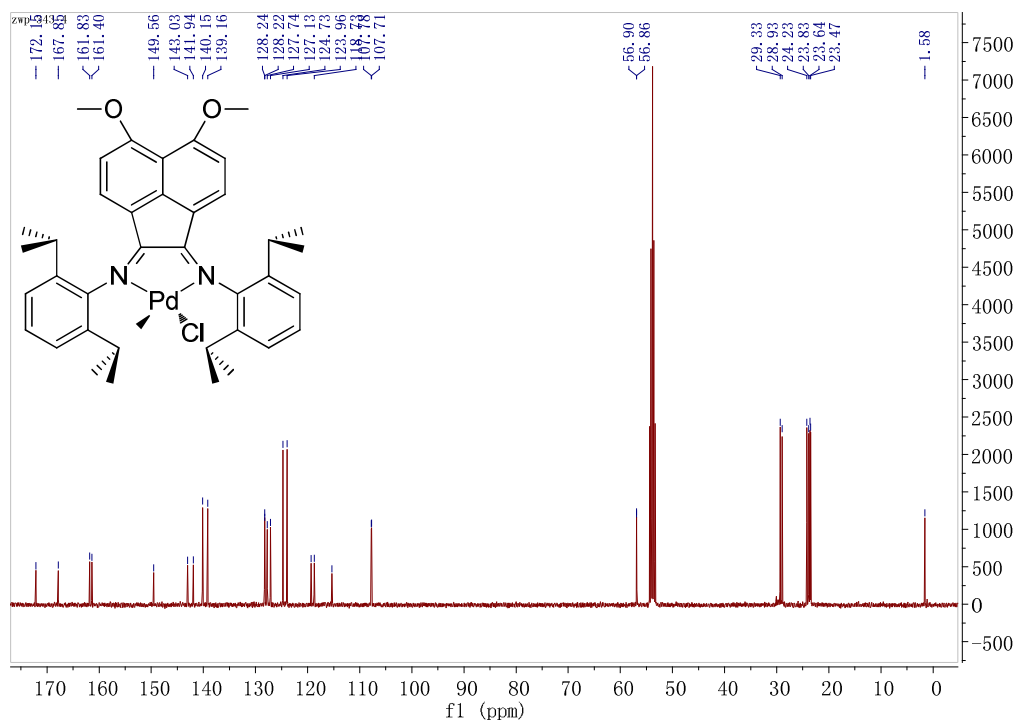


Figure S14. ¹³C NMR spectrum of (5,6-diOMeN^N)PdMeCl (Pd-3) in CD₂Cl₂.

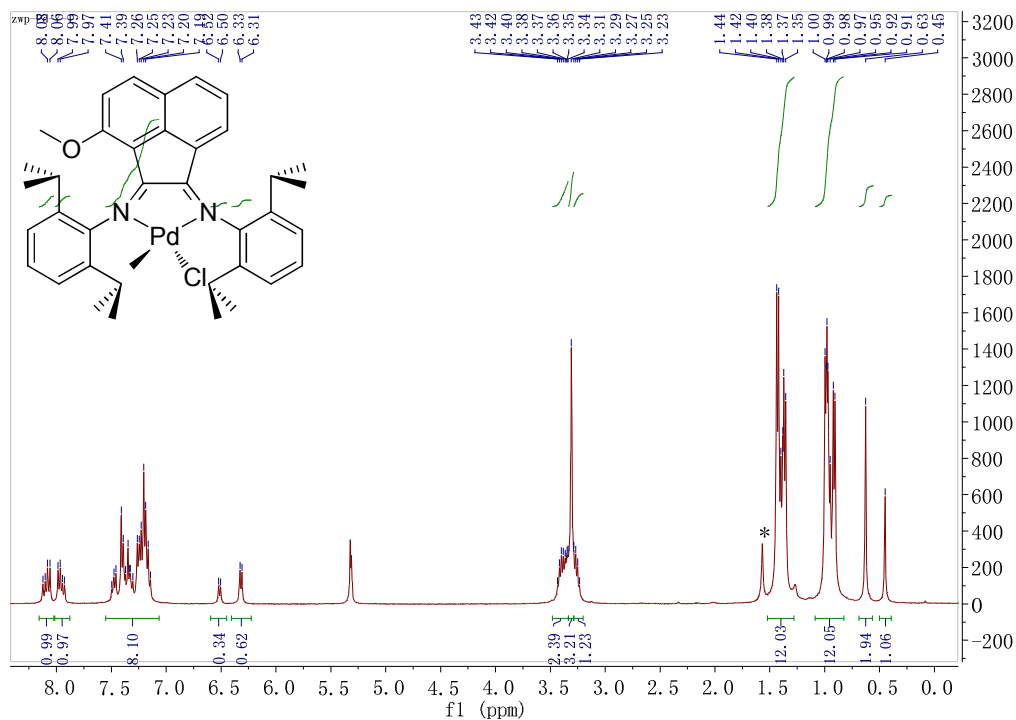


Figure S15. ¹H NMR spectrum of (3-OMeN^N)PdMeCl (Pd-4) in CD₂Cl₂·*H₂O.

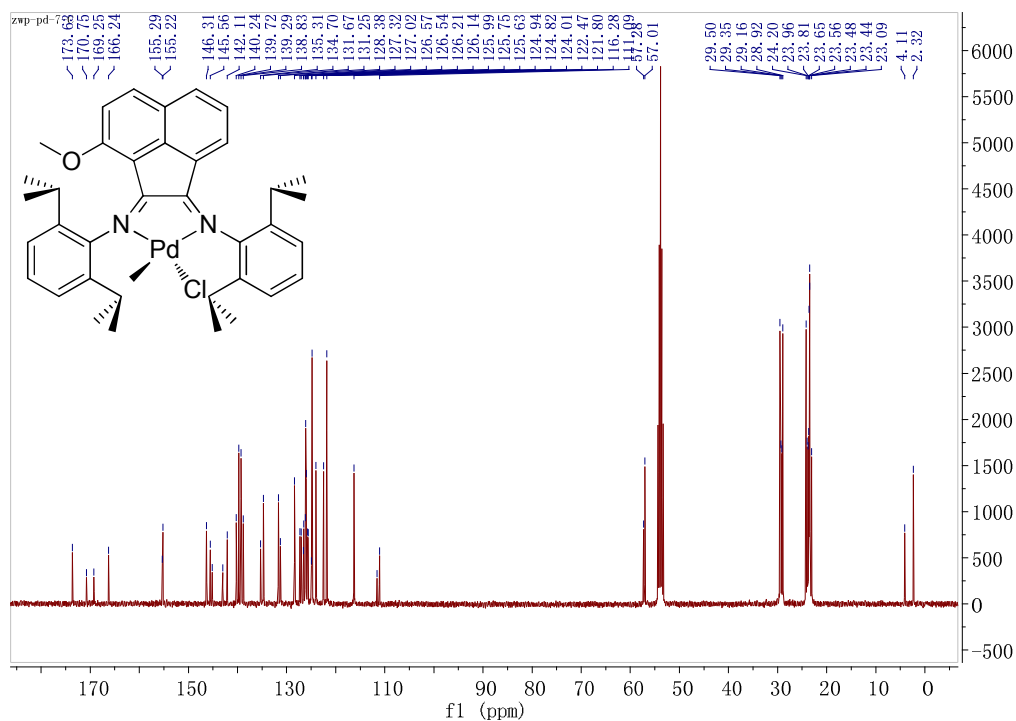


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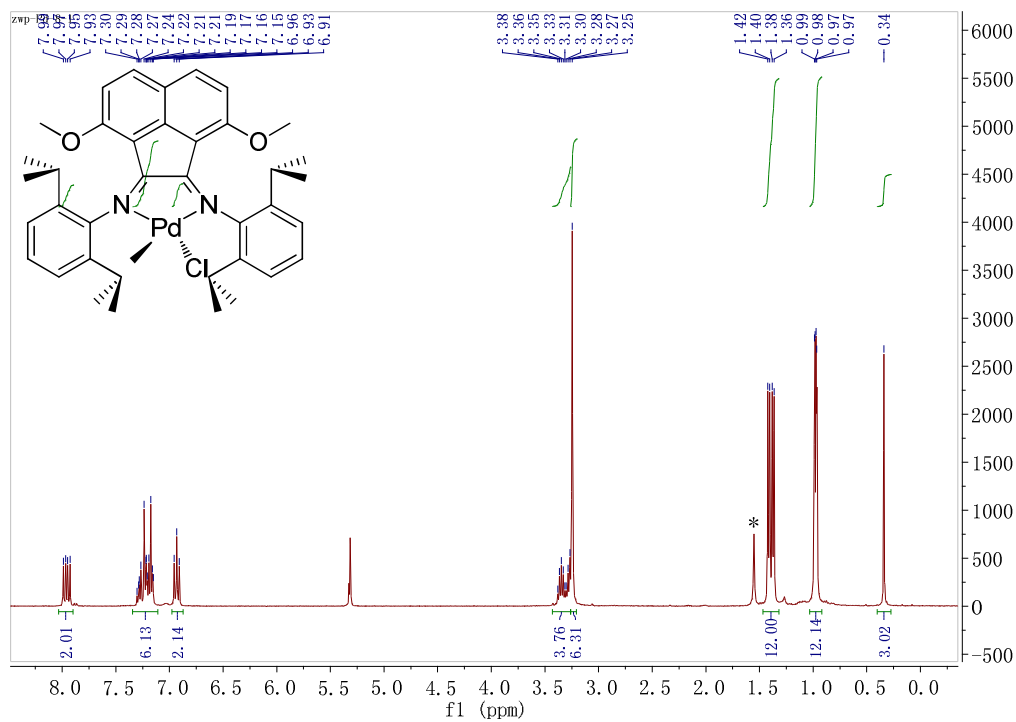


Figure S17. ¹H NMR spectrum of (3,8-diOMeN^N)PdMeCl (Pd-5) in CD₂Cl₂. *H₂O.

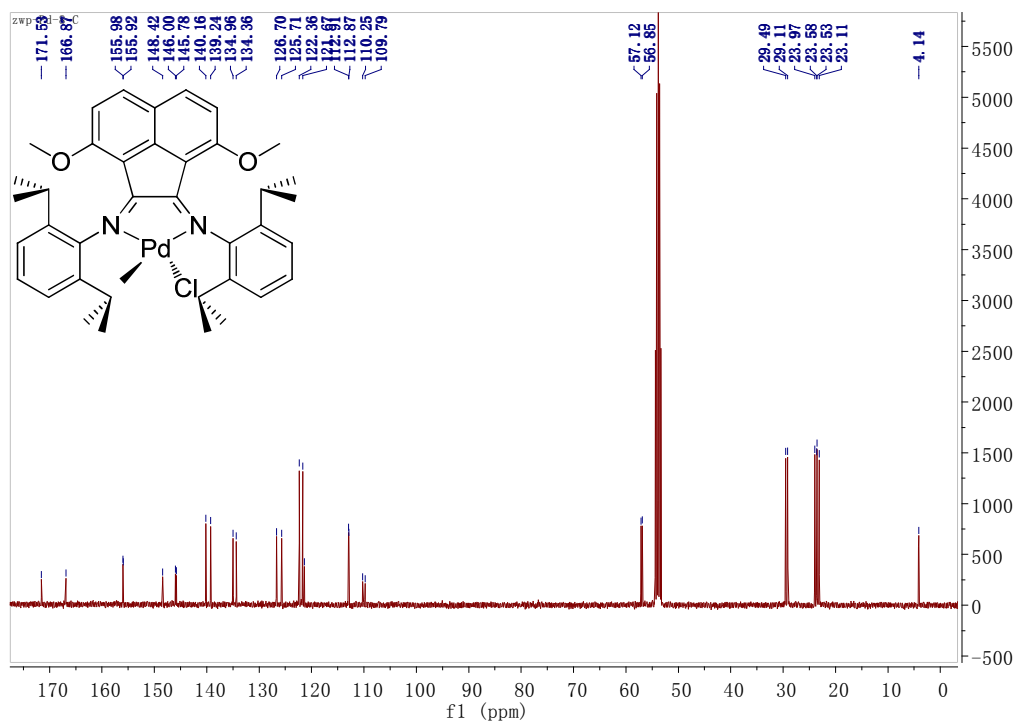


Figure S18. ¹H NMR spectrum of (³,8-diOMe N^N)PdMeCl (Pd-5) in CD₂Cl₂.

2.3 HRMS (m/z) of L1~L5 (Figure S19~S23).

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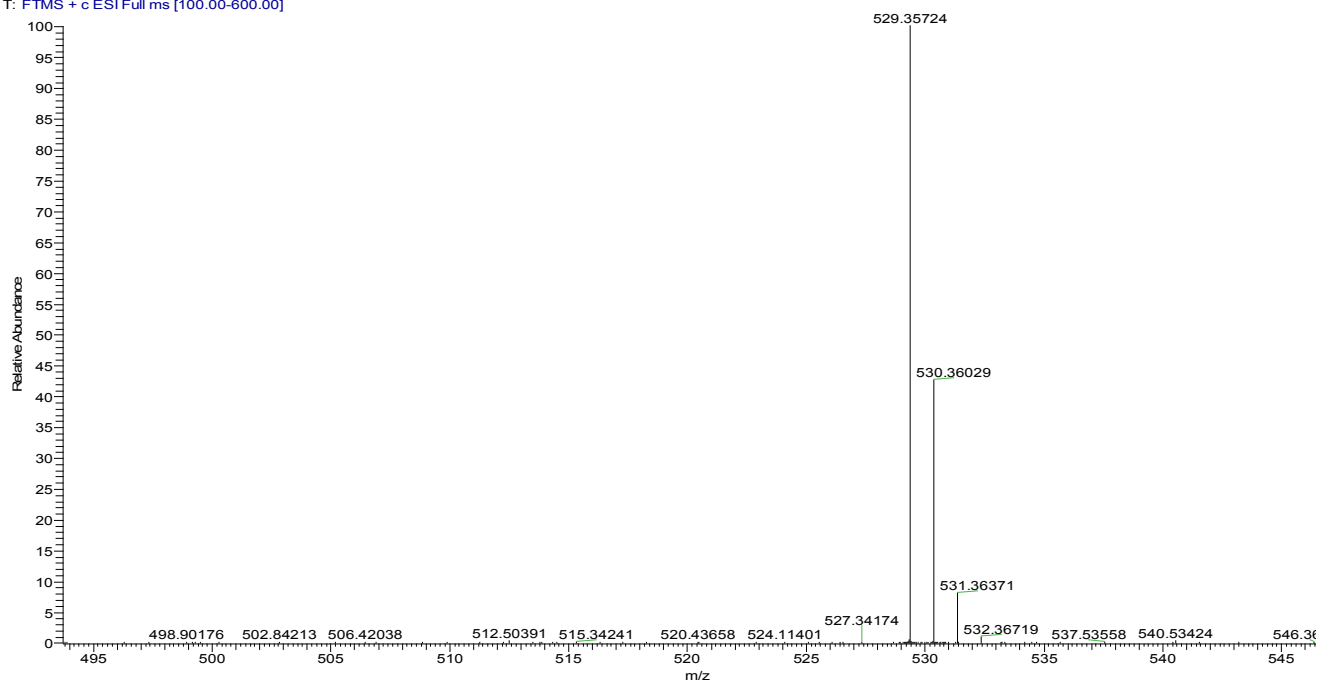


Figure S19. HRMS (m/z) of L1.

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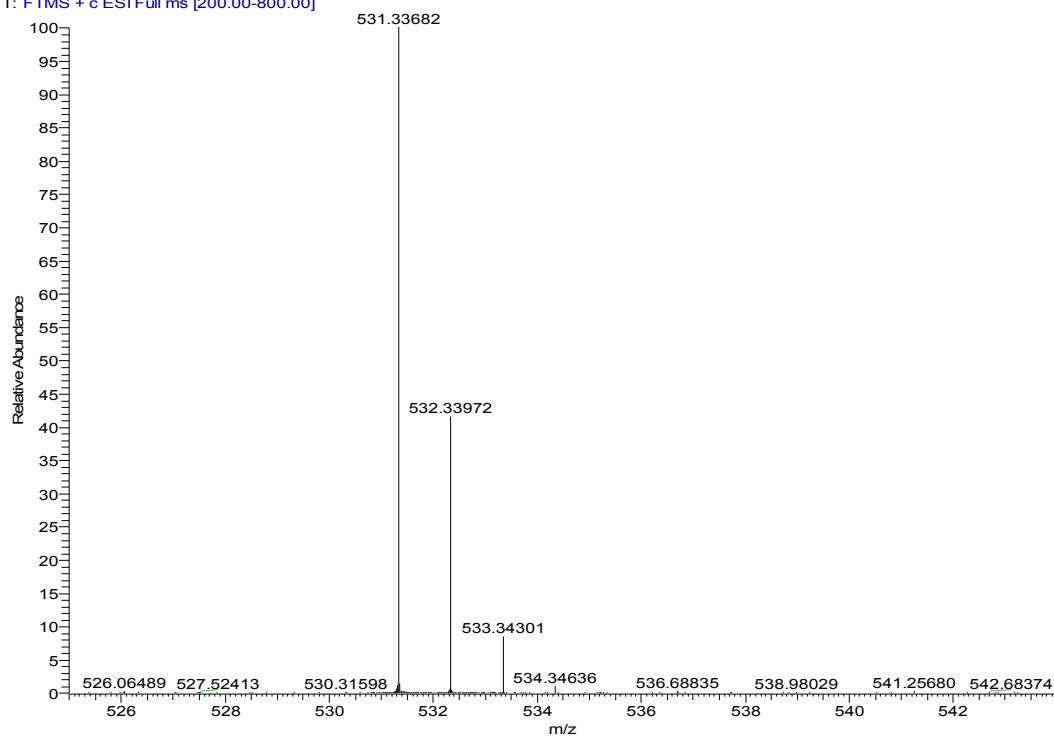


Figure S20. HRMS (m/z) of L2.

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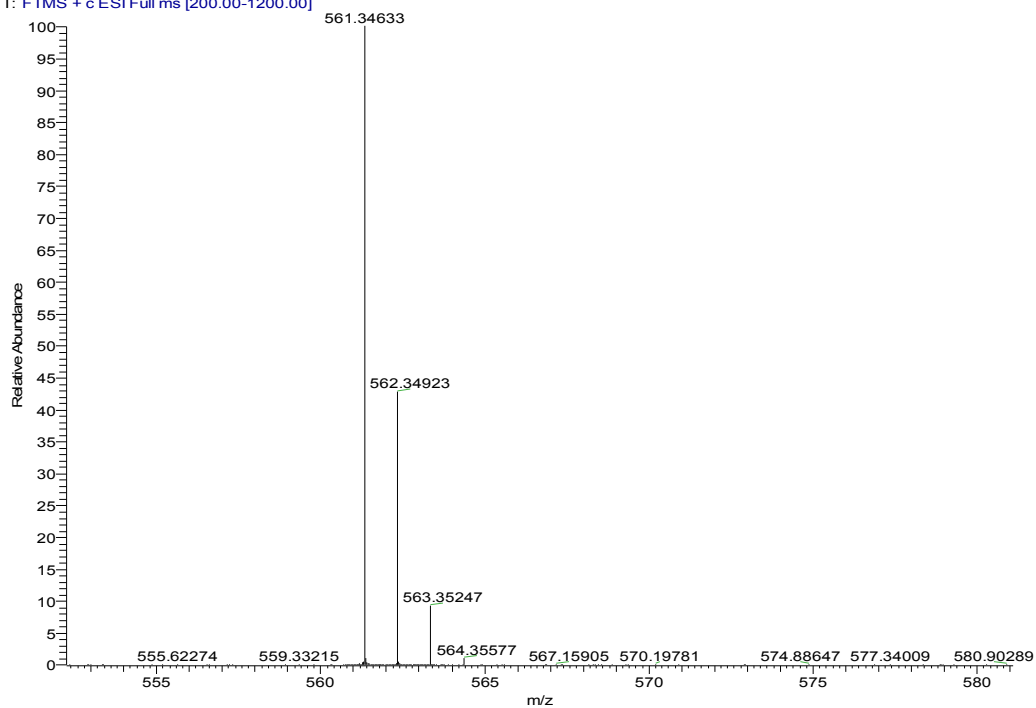


Figure S21. HRMS (m/z) of L3.

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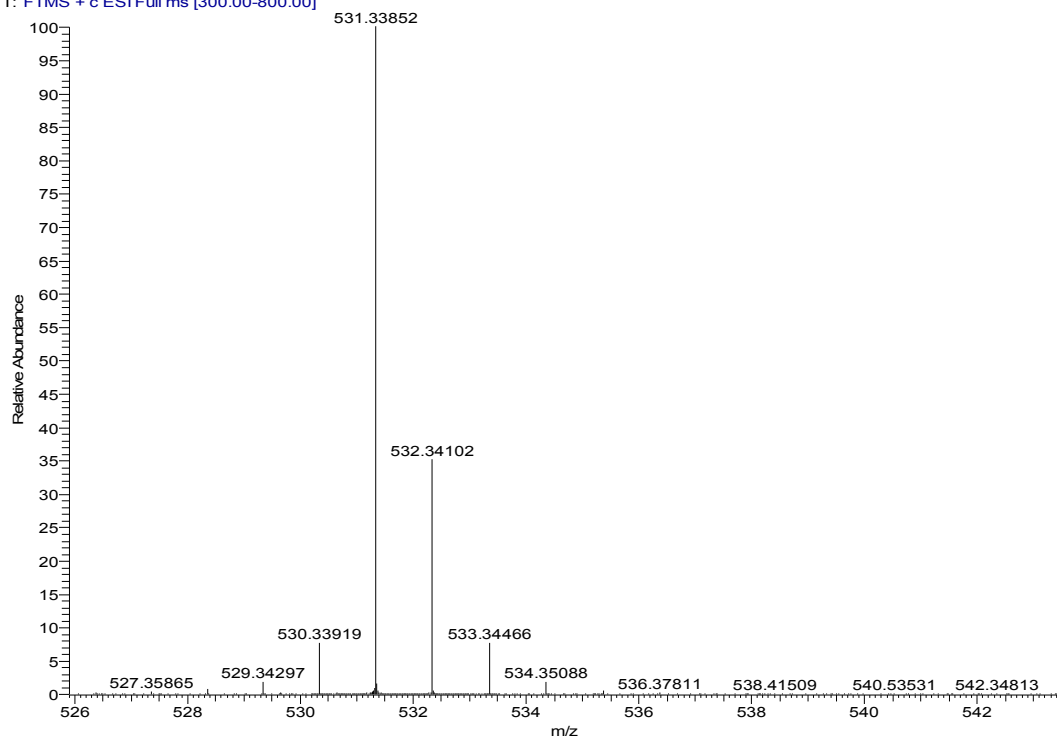


Figure S22. HRMS (m/z) of L4.

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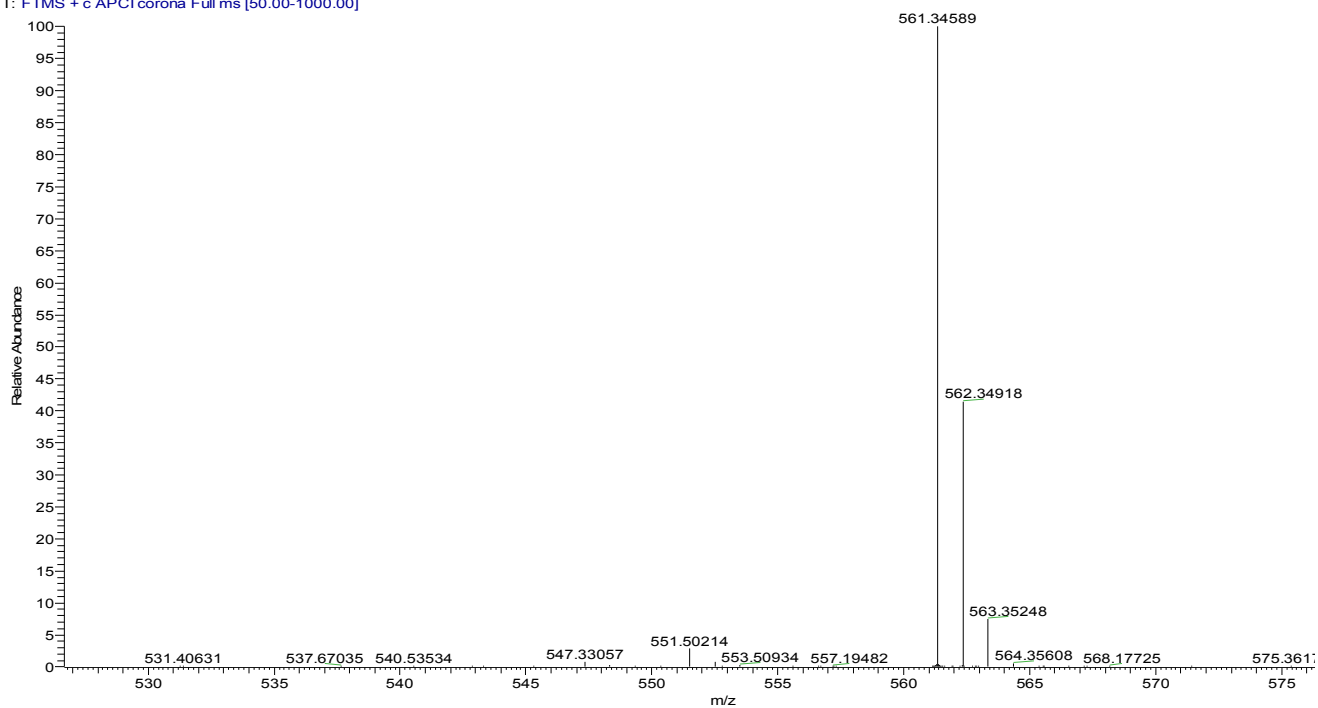


Figure S23. HRMS (m/z) of L5.

2.4 MALDI-TOF-MS (m/z) of Complexes 1~5 (Figure S24~S28).

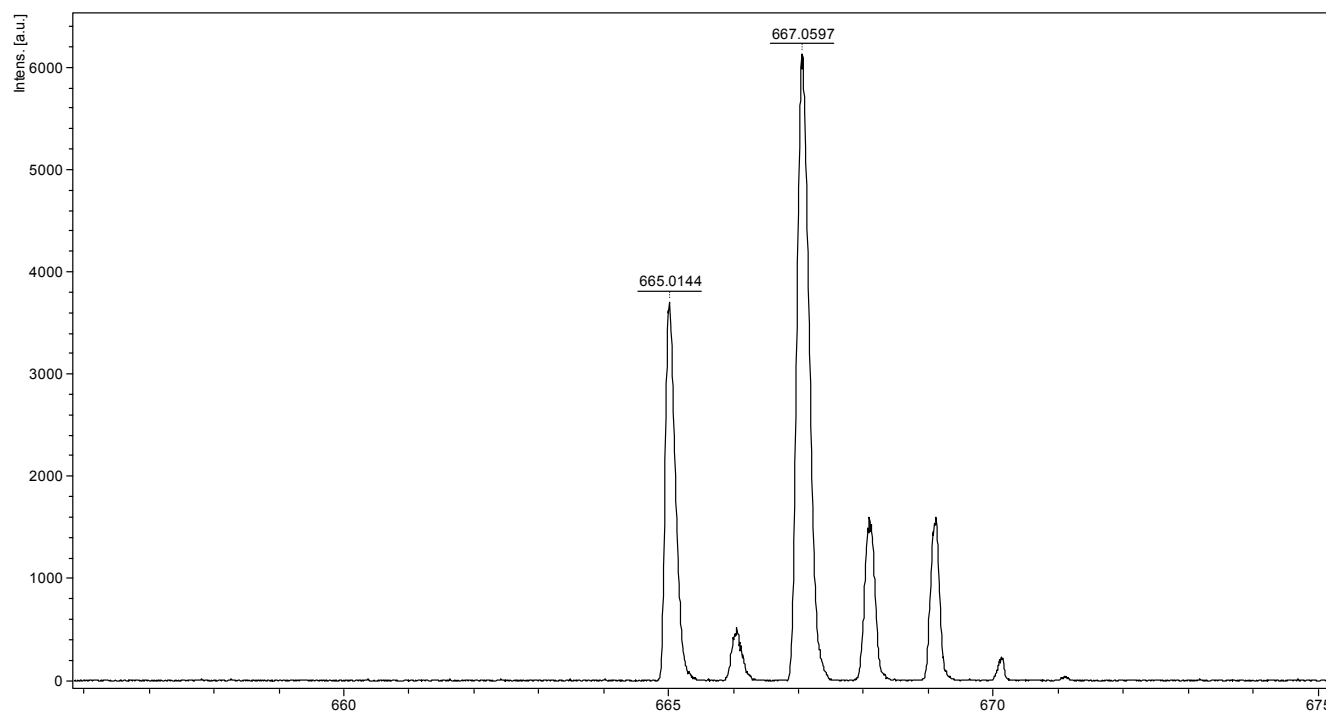


Figure S24. MALDI-TOF-MS (m/z) of (^{4,7-diMe}N^N)NiBr₂(Ni-1).

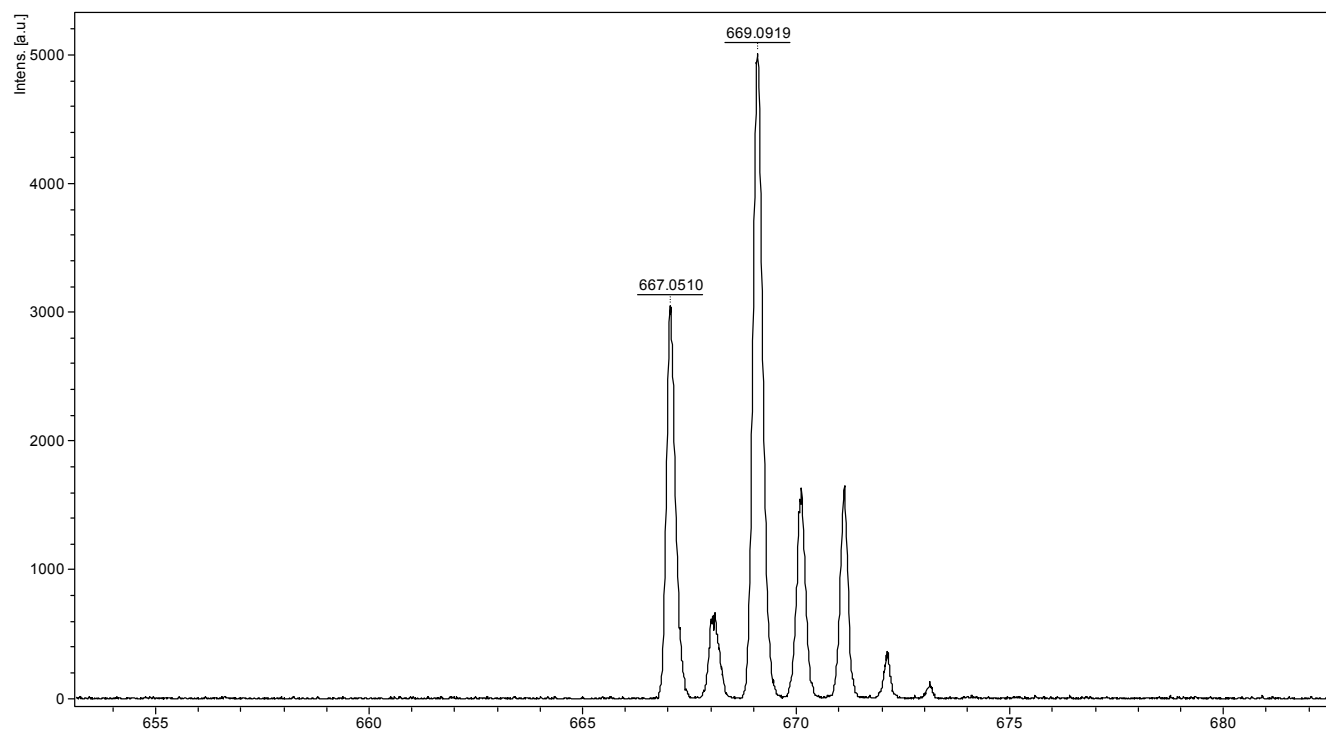


Figure S25. MALDI-TOF-MS (m/z) of (^{5-OMe}N^N)NiBr₂(Ni-2).

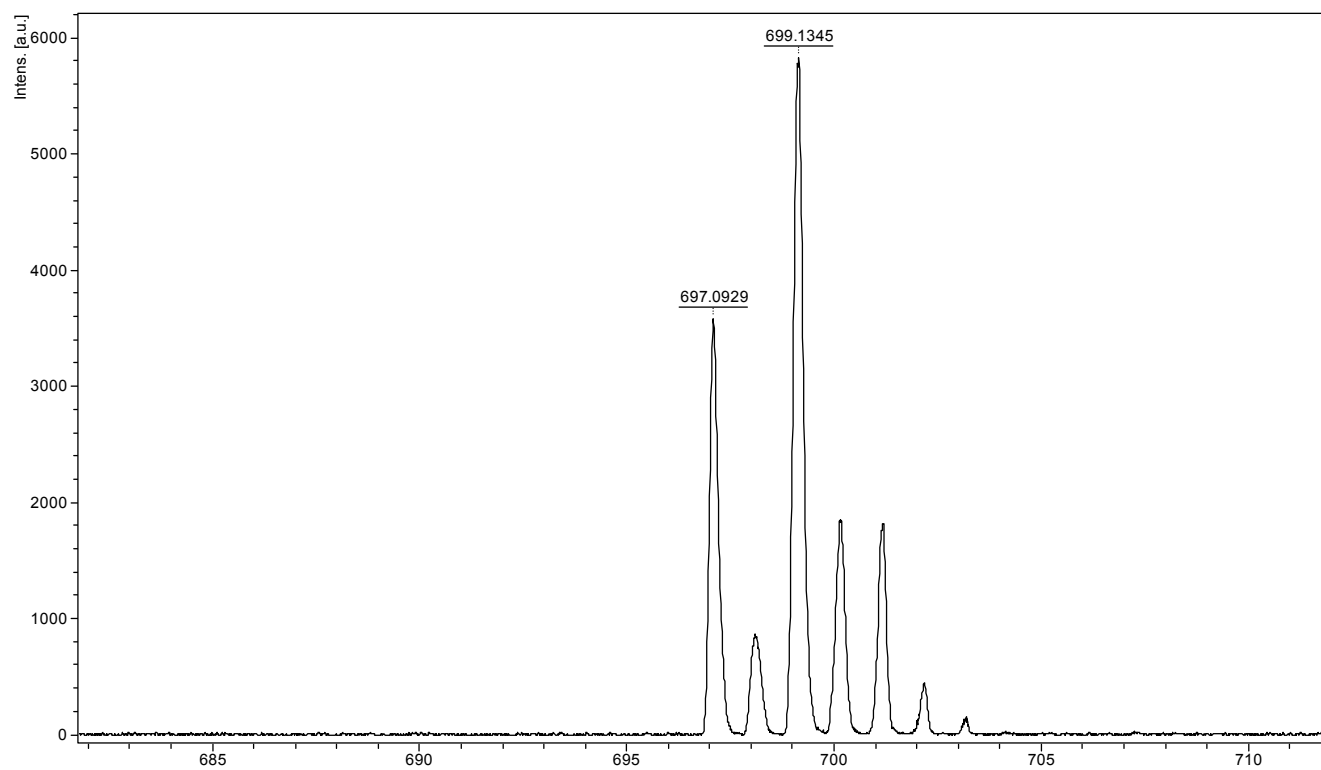


Figure S26. MALDI-TOF-MS (m/z) of $(^{5,6}\text{-diOMe-N}^{\text{N}})\text{NiBr}_2$ (Ni-3).

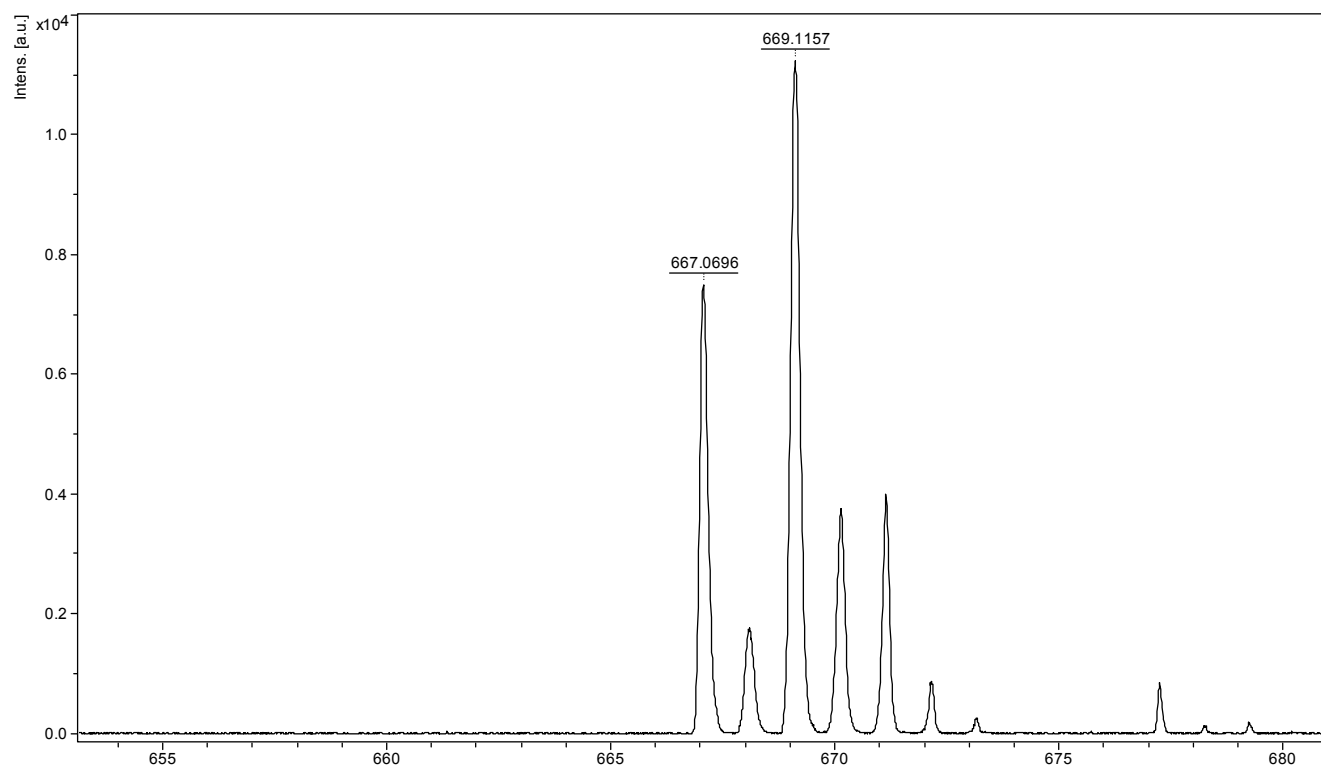


Figure S27. MALDI-TOF-MS (m/z) of $(^3\text{-OMe-N}^{\text{N}})\text{NiBr}_2$ (Ni-4).

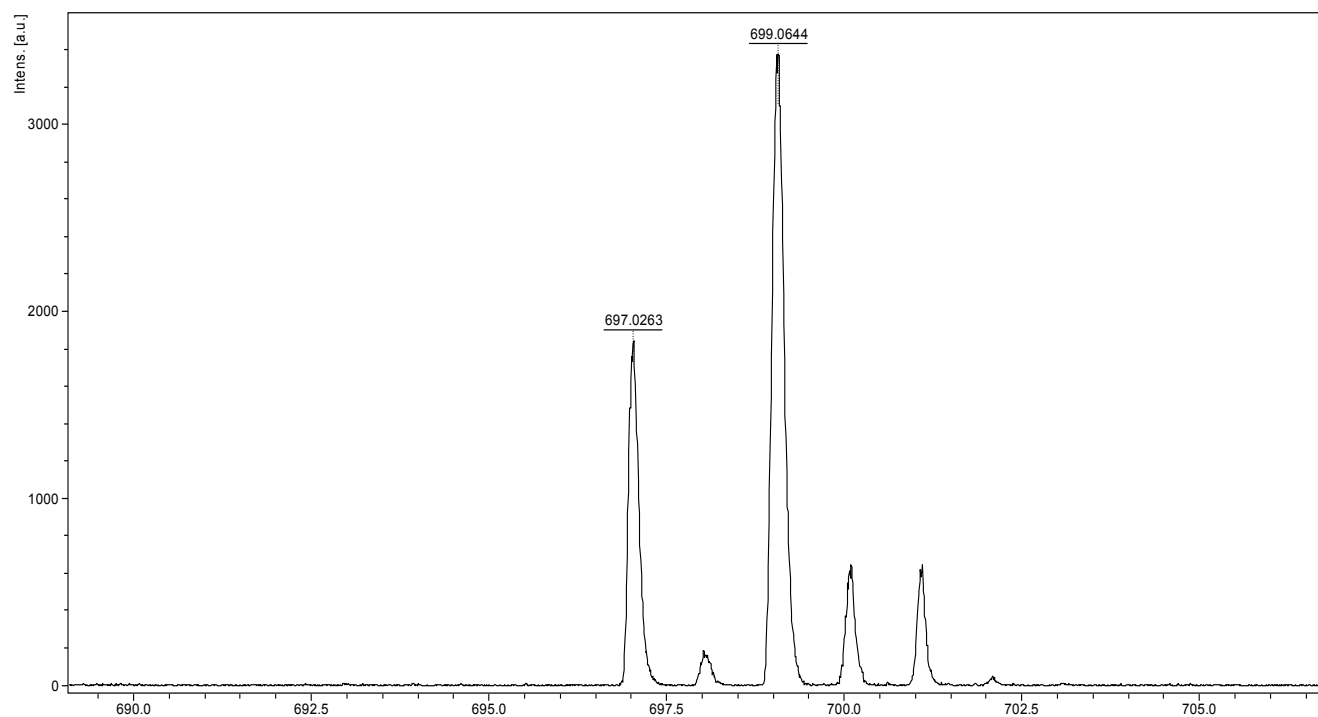


Figure S28. MALDI-TOF-MS (m/z) of (³,8-diOMe^N^N)NiBr₂ (Ni-5).

2.5 ¹H and ¹³C NMR of polymer and copolymer (Figure S29- S36).

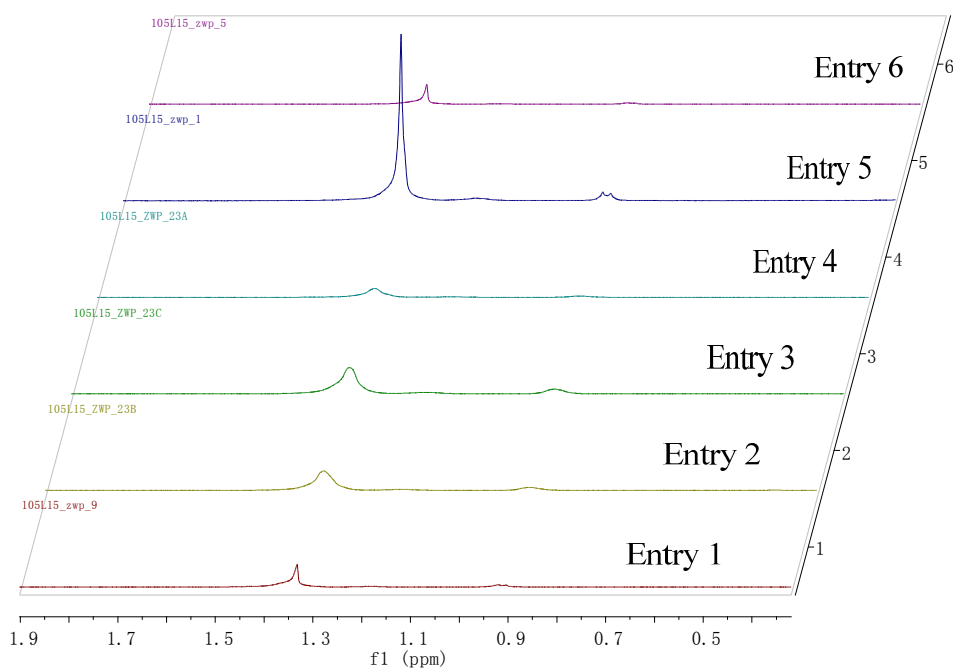


Figure S29. ¹H NMR spectrum of the polymer from table 1, entry 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6. (d⁸-toluene, 80°C).

Table S5. Polymer Branching Distributions and Number of Branches per 1000 Carbons.*

Ent.	Cat.	T (°C)	t (min)	branched chain (%)				Total(^{13}C) ^a	Total(^1H) ^b
				Me	Et	Pr	Lg		
1	Ni-1	20	10	70.9	9.3	9.1	10.7	83	81
5	Ni-5	20	10	80.1	4.1	5.4	10.4	54	52
6	Ni-6	20	10	78.7	5.1	6.2	10.0	77	79

*polymer from table 1, entry 1, 5 and 6. $^{13}\text{C}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR: 100 MHz, pulse width 60°, acquisition time 4.0 s; pulse delay 4.0 s.

^a Measured by ^{13}C NMR in $\text{CDCl}_2\text{CDCl}_2$ at 120 °C. $\text{BD} = 1000 \times (\text{I}_{\text{CH}_3} + \text{I}_{\text{Et}} + \text{I}_{\text{Pr}} + \text{I}_{\text{Lg}}) / (\text{I}_{\text{total}})$.

^b Measured by ^1H NMR in d^8 -toluene at 80°C.

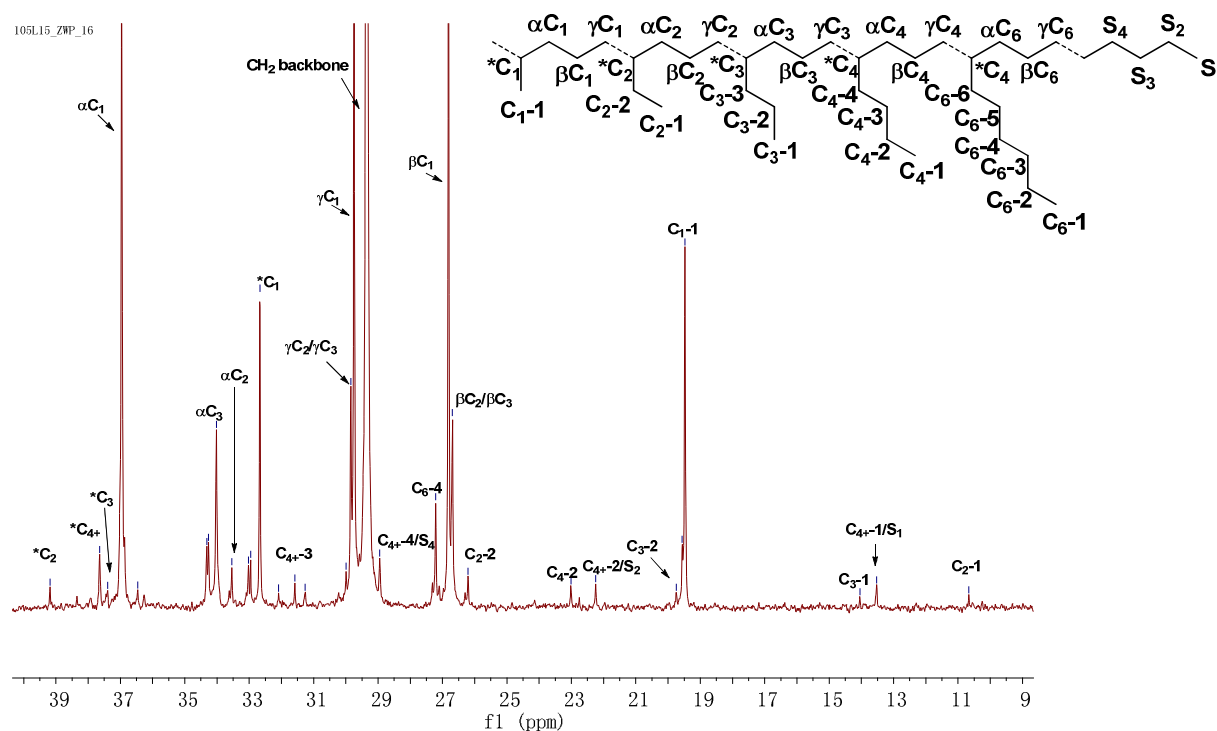


Figure S30. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of the polymer from table 1, entry 5. ($\text{C}_2\text{D}_2\text{Cl}_4$, 120°C).

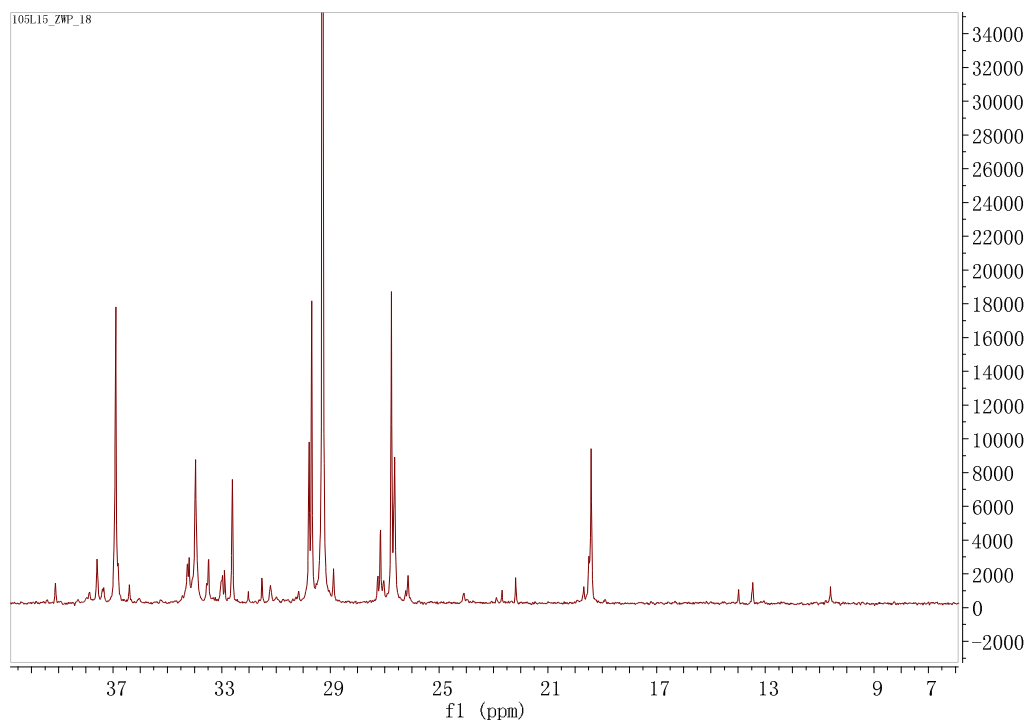


Figure S31. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of the polymer from table 1, entry 1. ($\text{C}_2\text{D}_2\text{Cl}_4$, 120°C).

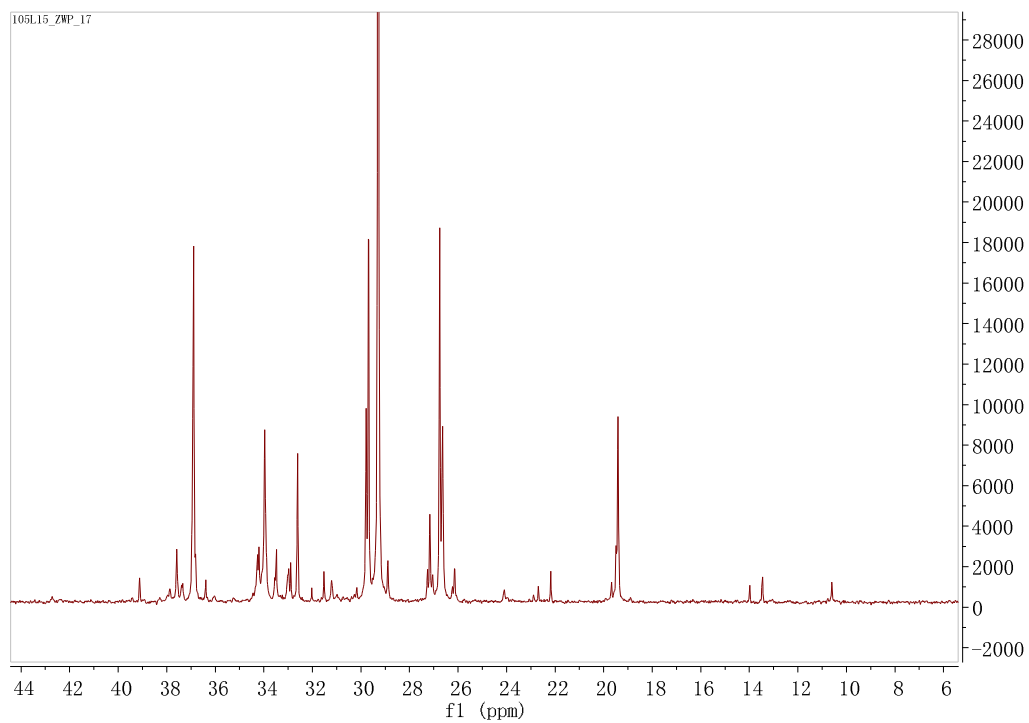


Figure S32. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of the polymer from table 1, entry 6. ($\text{C}_2\text{D}_2\text{Cl}_4$, 120°C).

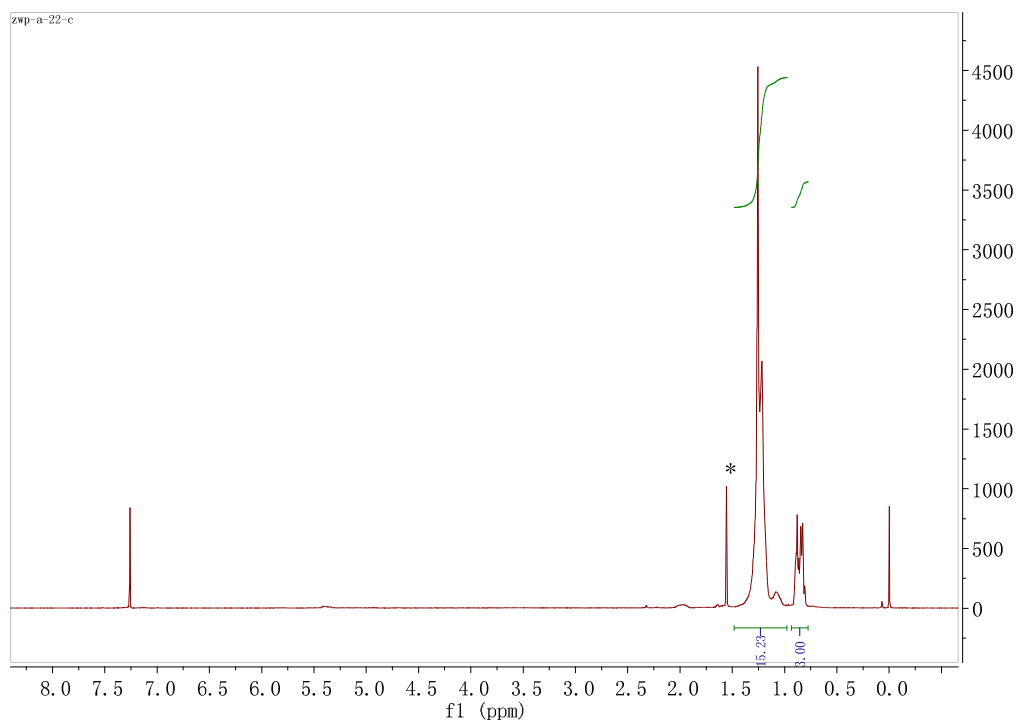


Figure S33. ^1H NMR spectrum of the polymer from table 2, entry 5 in $\text{CDCl}_3 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$.

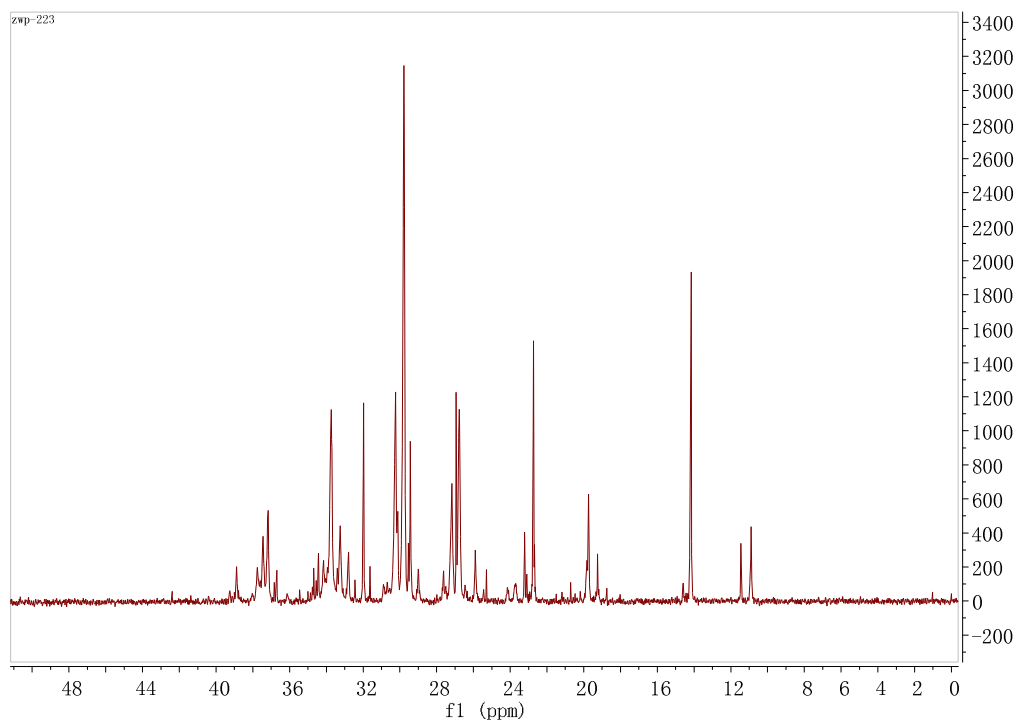


Figure S34. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of the polymer from table 2, entry 5 in CDCl_3 .

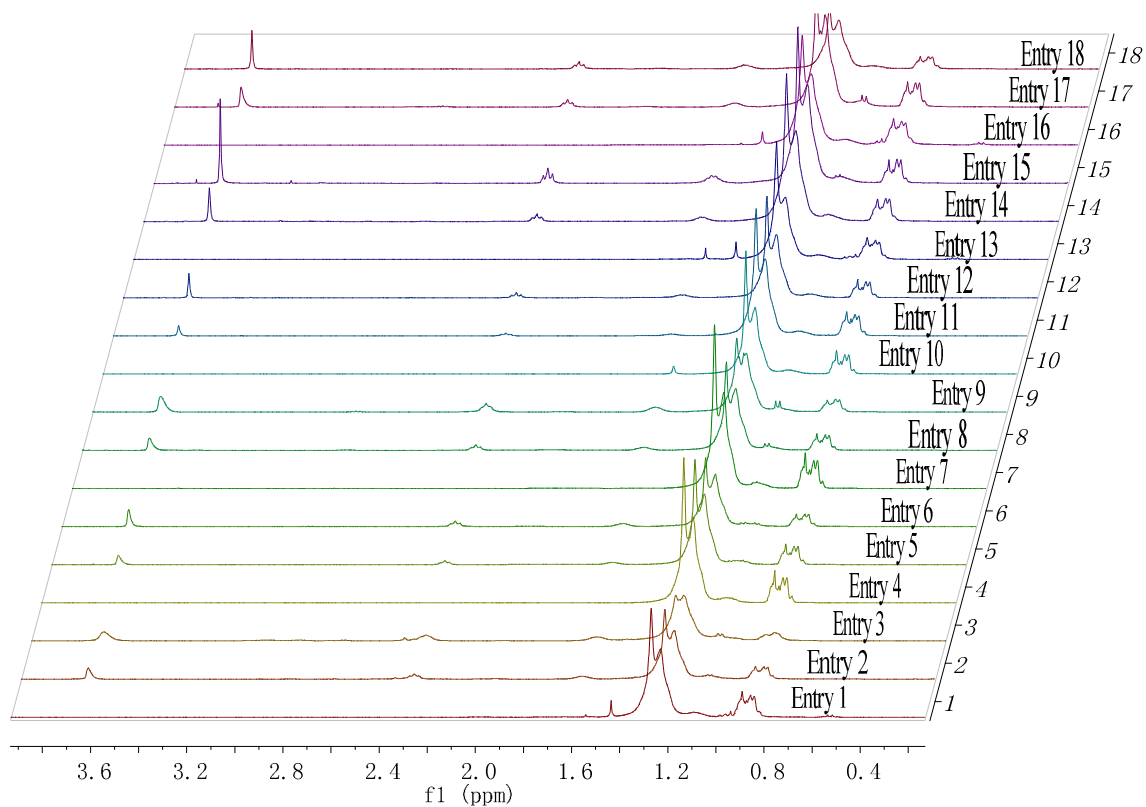


Figure S35. ^1H NMR spectrum of the polymer from table 3.

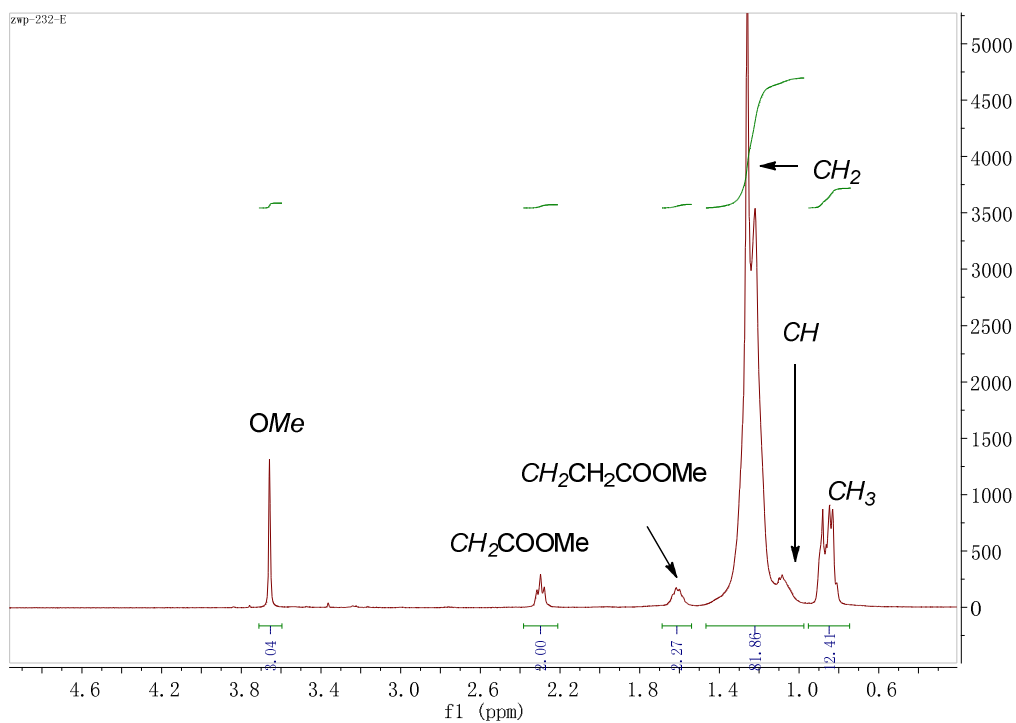


Figure S36. ^1H NMR spectrum of the polymer from table 3, entry 14 in CDCl_3 .

2.6 DSC of polymer (Figure S37-S41).

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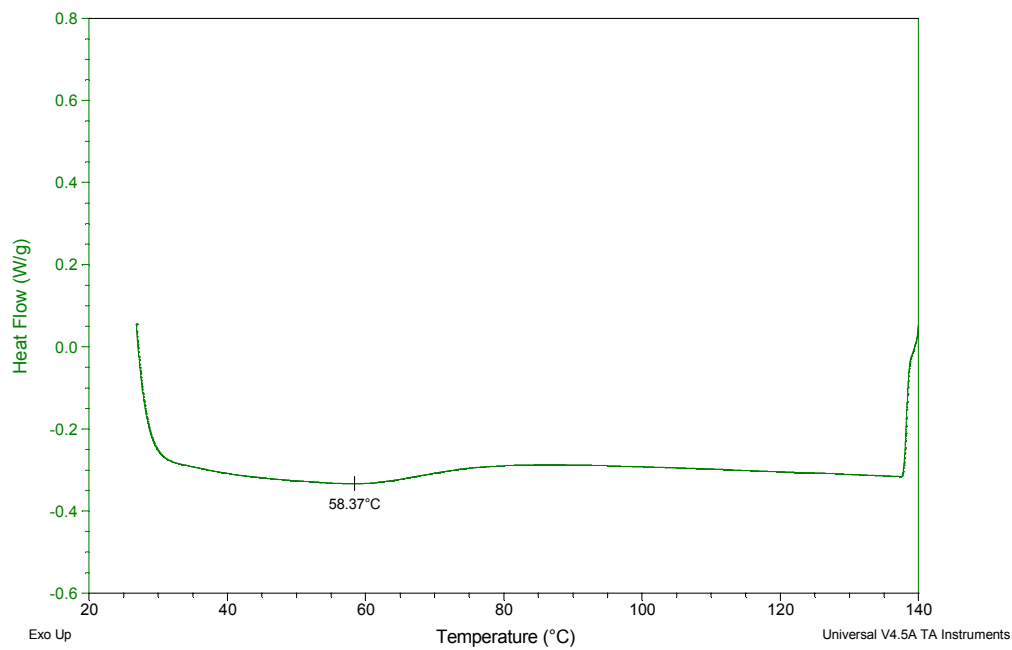


Figure S37. DSC of the polymer from table 1, entry 1.

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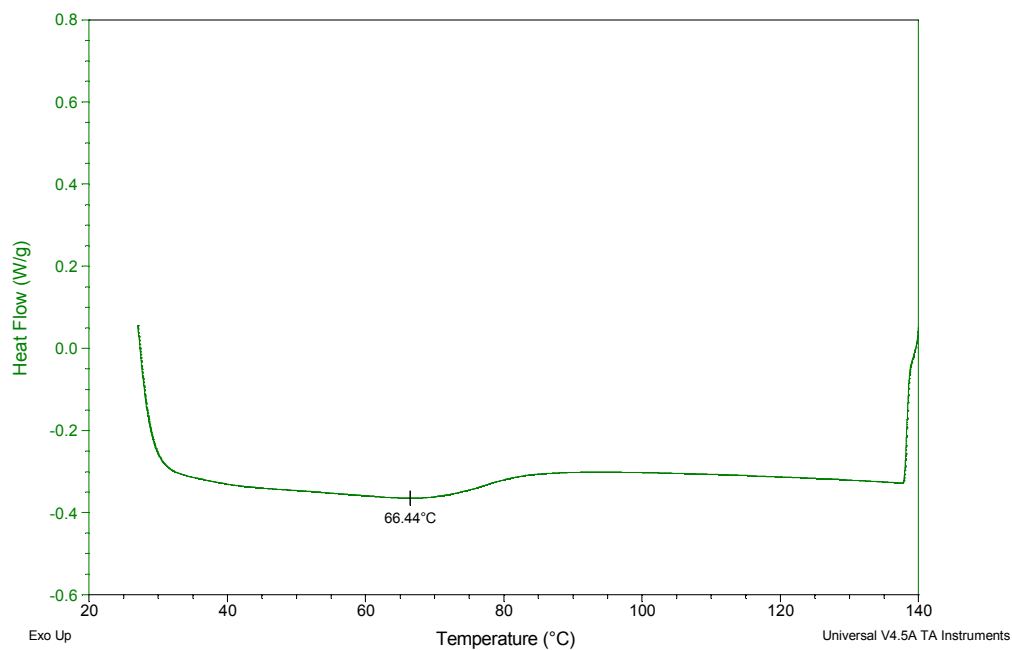


Figure S38. DSC of the polymer from table 1, entry 2.

Sample: zwp-23C
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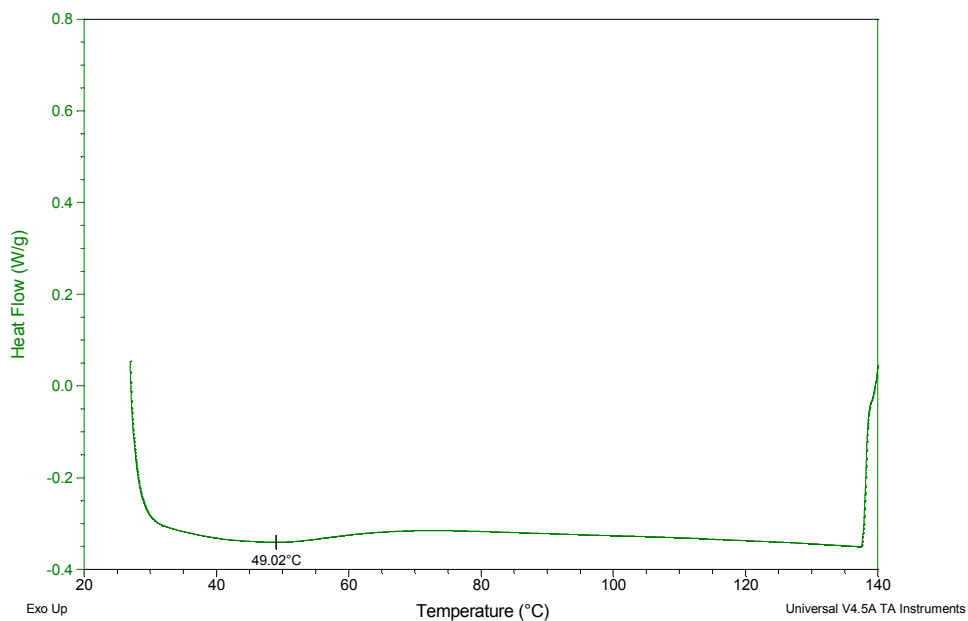


Figure S39. DSC of the polymer from table 1, entry 3.

Sample: zwp-23A
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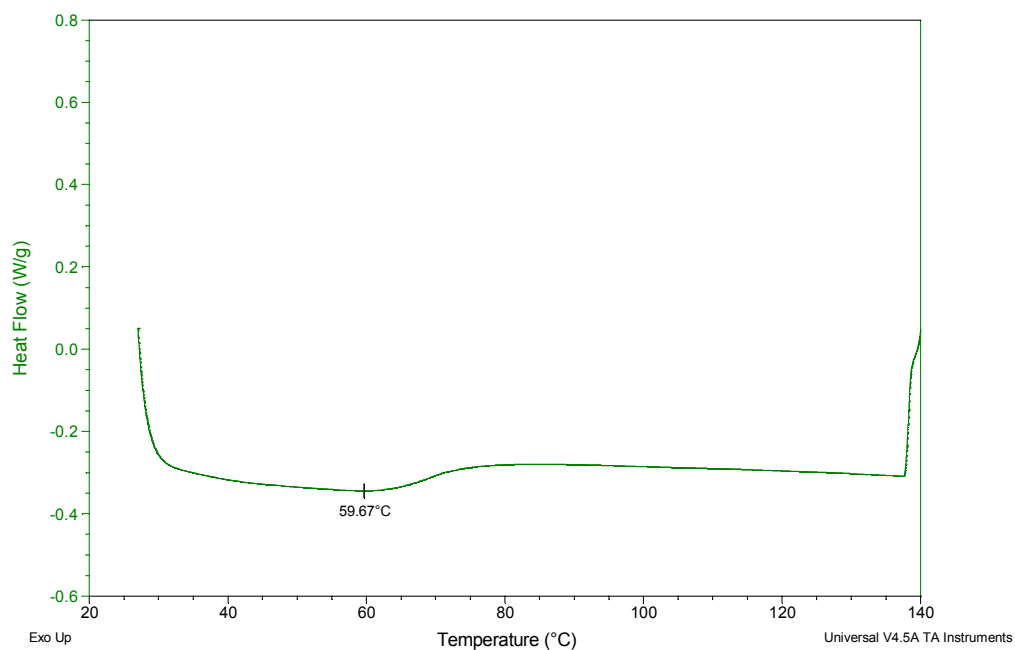


Figure S40. DSC of the polymer from table 1, entry 4.

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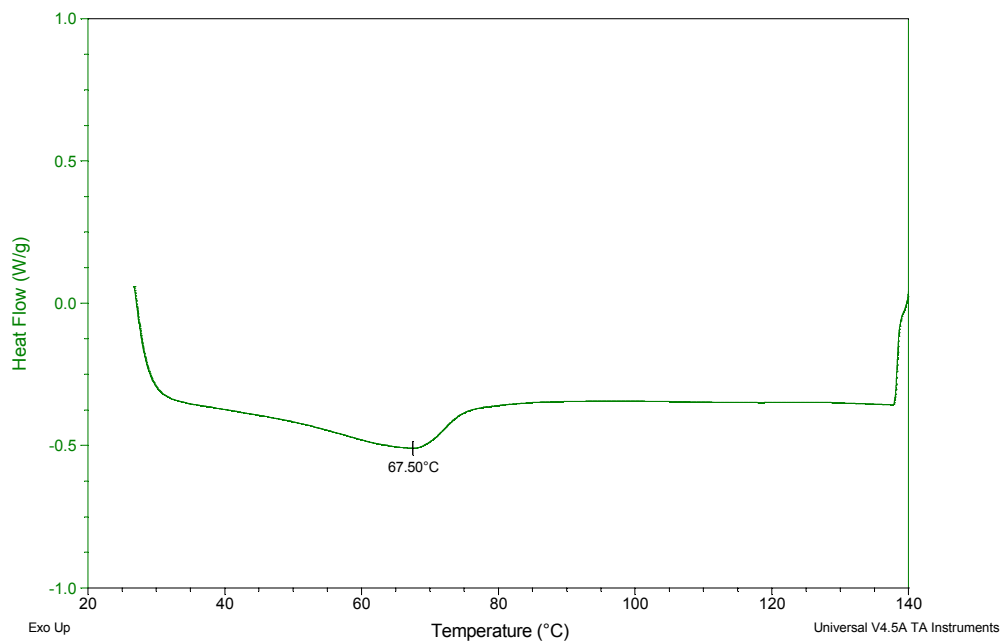


Figure S41. DSC of the polymer from table 1, entry 5.

3. X-Ray Crystallography of complexes Ni-1, Ni-5, Pd-1 and Pd-5.

Experimental for Ni-1

Single crystals of $C_{76}H_{88}Br_4N_4Ni_2$ [Ni-1] were [brown]. A suitable crystal was selected and mounted on a Xcalibur, Sapphire3, Gemini ultra diffractometer. The crystal was kept at 291(2) K during data collection. Using Olex2 [1], the structure was solved with the ShelXS [2] structure solution program using Direct Methods and refined with the ShelXL [3] refinement package using Least Squares minimisation.

Crystal structure determination of [Ni-1]

Crystal Data for $C_{76}H_{88}Br_4N_4Ni_2$ ($M=1494.56$ g/mol): triclinic, space group P-1 (no. 2), $a = 12.4568(14)$ Å, $b = 12.5749(15)$ Å, $c = 14.017(2)$ Å, $\alpha = 64.779(14)^\circ$, $\beta = 65.643(14)^\circ$, $\gamma = 69.541(10)^\circ$, $V = 1768.9(5)$ Å³, $Z = 1$, $T = 291(2)$ K, $\mu(\text{CuK}\alpha) = 3.635$ mm⁻¹, $D_{\text{calc}} = 1.403$ g/cm³, 11055 reflections measured ($7.95^\circ \leq 2\theta \leq 139.548^\circ$), 6455 unique ($R_{\text{int}} = 0.0234$, $R_{\text{sigma}} = 0.0380$) which were used in all calculations. The final R_1 was 0.0388 ($I > 2\sigma(I)$) and wR_2 was 0.1178 (all data).

Refinement model description

Number of restraints - 0, number of constraints - unknown.

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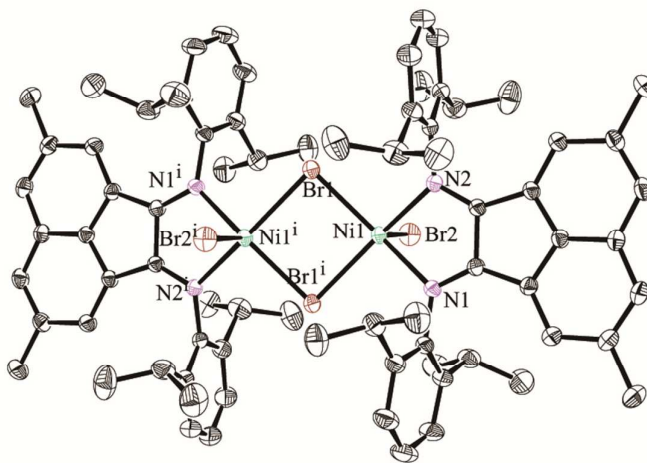


Figure S42. Molecular structure of Ni-1.

Table S6. Crystal data and structure refinement for Ni-1 (zwp-202).

Identification code	zwp-202
Empirical formula	$C_{76}H_{88}Br_4N_4Ni_2$
Formula weight	1494.56
Temperature/K	291(2)

Crystal system	triclinic
Space group	P-1
a/Å	12.4568(14)
b/Å	12.5749(15)
c/Å	14.017(2)
$\alpha/^\circ$	64.779(14)
$\beta/^\circ$	65.643(14)
$\gamma/^\circ$	69.541(10)
Volume/Å ³	1768.9(5)
Z	1
$\rho_{\text{calc}}/\text{g}/\text{cm}^3$	1.403
μ/mm^{-1}	3.635
F(000)	768.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.380 × 0.360 × 0.320
Radiation	CuK α (λ = 1.54184)
2 Θ range for data collection/ $^\circ$	7.95 to 139.548
Index ranges	-15 ≤ h ≤ 14, -13 ≤ k ≤ 15, -12 ≤ l ≤ 16
Reflections collected	11055
Independent reflections	6455 [R_{int} = 0.0234, R_{sigma} = 0.0380]
Data/restraints/parameters	6455/0/398
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.083
Final R indexes [$I \geq 2\sigma(I)$]	R_1 = 0.0388, wR_2 = 0.1101
Final R indexes [all data]	R_1 = 0.0461, wR_2 = 0.1178
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.38/-0.72

Experimental for Ni-5

Single crystals of C₃₈H₄₄Br₂N₂NiO₂ [Ni-5] were [brown]. A suitable crystal was selected and **mounted** on a diffractometer. The crystal was kept at 290(2) K during data collection. Using Olex2 [1], the structure was solved with the ShelXS [2] structure solution program using Direct Methods and refined with the ShelXL [3] refinement package using Least Squares minimisation.

Crystal structure determination of [Ni-5]

Crystal Data for C₃₈H₄₄Br₂N₂NiO₂ (M = 779.28 g/mol): orthorhombic, space group P2₁2₁2₁ (no. 19), a = 11.2644(7) Å, b = 14.2298(12) Å, c = 22.702(2) Å, V = 3638.9(5) Å³, Z = 4, T = 290(2) K, $\mu(\text{MoK}\alpha)$ = 2.763 mm⁻¹, D_{calc} = 1.422 g/cm³, 11383 reflections measured ($6.758^\circ \leq 2\Theta \leq 58.328^\circ$), 7535 unique (R_{int} = 0.0451, R_{sigma} = 0.0932) which were used in all calculations. The final R_1 was 0.0558 ($I > 2\sigma(I)$) and wR_2 was 0.1808 (all data).

Refinement model description

Number of restraints - 0, number of constraints - unknown.

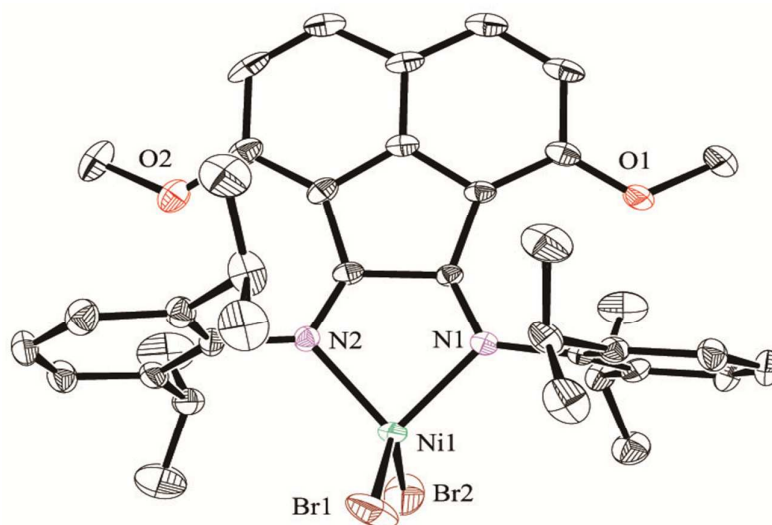


Figure S43. Molecular structure of Ni-5.

Table S7. Crystal data and structure refinement for Ni-5 (zwp-201).

Identification code	zwp-201
Empirical formula	C ₃₈ H ₄₄ Br ₂ N ₂ NiO ₂
Formula weight	779.28
Temperature/K	290(2)
Crystal system	orthorhombic
Space group	P2 ₁ 2 ₁ 2 ₁
a/Å	11.2644(7)
b/Å	14.2298(12)
c/Å	22.702(2)
α /°	90
β /°	90
γ /°	90
Volume/Å ³	3638.9(5)
Z	4
$\rho_{\text{calc}}/\text{g cm}^{-3}$	1.422
μ/mm^{-1}	2.763
F(000)	1600.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.330 × 0.250 × 0.240
Radiation	MoK α (λ = 0.71073)
2 θ range for data collection/°	6.758 to 58.328
Index ranges	-14 ≤ h ≤ 13, -5 ≤ k ≤ 19, -17 ≤ l ≤ 29
Reflections collected	11383

Independent reflections	7535 [$R_{\text{int}} = 0.0451$, $R_{\text{sigma}} = 0.0932$]
Data/restraints/parameters	7535/0/416
Goodness-of-fit on F^2	1.104
Final R indexes [$I \geq 2\sigma(I)$]	$R_1 = 0.0558$, $wR_2 = 0.1210$
Final R indexes [all data]	$R_1 = 0.1152$, $wR_2 = 0.1808$
Largest diff. peak/hole / $e \text{ \AA}^{-3}$	0.51/-0.66
Flack parameter	-0.001(7)

Experimental for Pd-1

Single crystals of $C_{39}H_{47}ClN_2Pd$ [**Pd-1**] were **[orange]**. A suitable crystal was selected and **mounted** on a diffractometer. The crystal was kept at 291(2) K during data collection. Using Olex2 [1], the structure was solved with the ShelXS [2] structure solution program using Direct Methods and refined with the ShelXL [3] refinement package using Least Squares minimisation.

Crystal structure determination of [Pd-1]

Crystal Data for $C_{39}H_{47}ClN_2Pd$ ($M = 685.63 \text{ g/mol}$): monoclinic, space group $P2_1$ (no. 4), $a = 9.1419(5) \text{ \AA}$, $b = 21.4966(11) \text{ \AA}$, $c = 9.6747(7) \text{ \AA}$, $\beta = 98.435(6)^\circ$, $V = 1880.7(2) \text{ \AA}^3$, $Z = 2$, $T = 291(2) \text{ K}$, $\mu(\text{MoK}\alpha) = 0.591 \text{ mm}^{-1}$, $D_{\text{calc}} = 1.211 \text{ g/cm}^3$, 12417 reflections measured ($6.904^\circ \leq 2\theta \leq 58.464^\circ$), 7637 unique ($R_{\text{int}} = 0.0270$, $R_{\text{sigma}} = 0.0476$) which were used in all calculations. The final R_1 was 0.0528 ($I > 2\sigma(I)$) and wR_2 was 0.1751 (all data).

Refinement model description

Number of restraints - 67, number of constraints - unknown.

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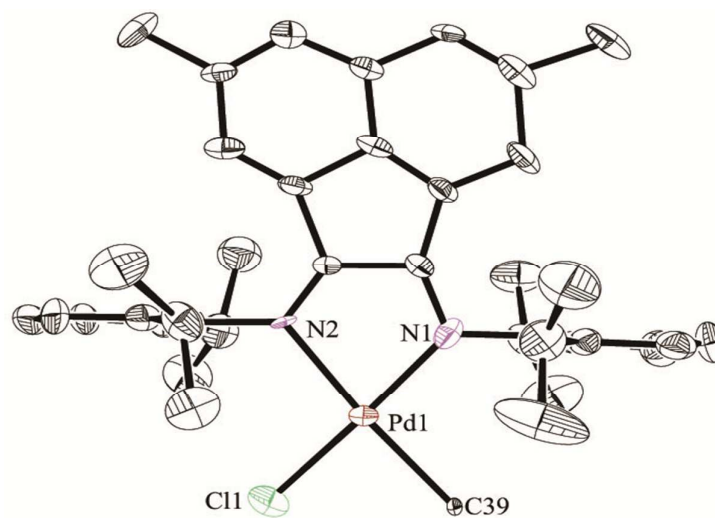


Figure S44. Molecular structure of **Pd-1**.

Table S8. Crystal data and structure refinement for Pd-1 (zwp-208).

Identification code	zwp-208
Empirical formula	C ₃₉ H ₄₇ ClN ₂ Pd
Formula weight	685.63
Temperature/K	291(2)
Crystal system	monoclinic
Space group	P2 ₁
a/Å	9.1419(5)
b/Å	21.4966(11)
c/Å	9.6747(7)
α /°	90
β /°	98.435(6)
γ /°	90
Volume/Å ³	1880.7(2)
Z	2
ρ_{calc} /cm ³	1.211
μ /mm ⁻¹	0.591
F(000)	716.0
Crystal size/mm ³	0.330 × 0.310 × 0.310
Radiation	MoK α (λ = 0.71073)
2 Θ range for data collection/°	6.904 to 58.464
Index ranges	-12 ≤ h ≤ 10, -29 ≤ k ≤ 28, -12 ≤ l ≤ 10
Reflections collected	12417
Independent reflections	7637 [R _{int} = 0.0270, R _{sigma} = 0.0476]
Data/restraints/parameters	7637/67/399
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.118
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2 σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0528, wR ₂ = 0.1450
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0730, wR ₂ = 0.1751
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	0.74/-0.76
Flack parameter	0.49(4)

Experimental for Pd-5

Single crystals of C₄₁H₄₉Cl₇N₂O₂Pd [**Pd-5**] were [orange]. A suitable crystal was selected and **amounted** on a **Xcalibur, Sapphire3, Gemini ultra** diffractometer. The crystal was kept at 293(2) K during data collection. Using Olex2 [1], the structure was solved with the ShelXS [2] structure solution program using Direct Methods and refined with the ShelXL [3] refinement package using Least Squares minimisation.

Crystal structure determination of [Pd-5]

Crystal Data for $C_{41}H_{49}Cl_7N_2O_2Pd$ ($M=956.37$ g/mol): orthorhombic, space group Pbca (no. 61), $a = 22.5591(3)$ Å, $b = 17.8864(2)$ Å, $c = 22.5836(3)$ Å, $V = 9112.5(2)$ Å³, $Z = 8$, $T = 293(2)$ K, $\mu(\text{CuK}\alpha) = 7.335$ mm⁻¹, $D_{\text{calc}} = 1.394$ g/cm³, 40651 reflections measured ($7.424^\circ \leq 2\theta \leq 139.326^\circ$), 8514 unique ($R_{\text{int}} = 0.0373$, $R_{\text{sigma}} = 0.0279$) which were used in all calculations. The final R_1 was 0.0536 ($I > 2\sigma(I)$) and wR_2 was 0.1641 (all data).

Refinement model description

Number of restraints - 14, number of constraints - unknown.

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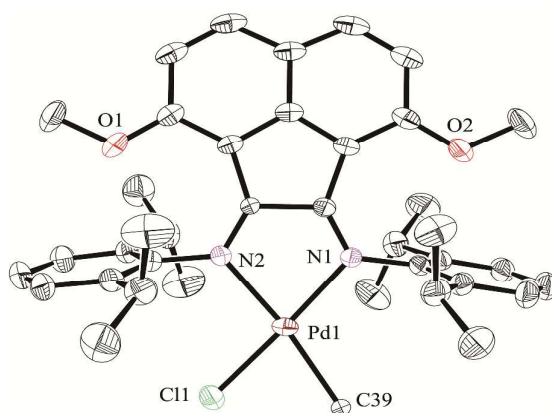


Figure S45. Molecular structure of **Pd-5**.

Table S9. Crystal data and structure refinement for **Pd-5 (zwp-175)**.

Identification code	zwp-175
Empirical formula	$C_{41}H_{49}Cl_7N_2O_2Pd$
Formula weight	956.37
Temperature/K	293(2)
Crystal system	orthorhombic
Space group	Pbca
$a/\text{\AA}$	22.5591(3)
$b/\text{\AA}$	17.8864(2)
$c/\text{\AA}$	22.5836(3)
$\alpha/^\circ$	90
$\beta/^\circ$	90
$\gamma/^\circ$	90
Volume/Å ³	9112.5(2)
Z	8
$\rho_{\text{calc}}/\text{g/cm}^3$	1.394
μ/mm^{-1}	7.335
$F(000)$	3920.0

Crystal size/mm ³	0.360 × 0.300 × 0.300
Radiation	CuKα (λ = 1.54184)
2θ range for data collection/°	7.424 to 139.326
Index ranges	-25 ≤ h ≤ 27, -16 ≤ k ≤ 21, -27 ≤ l ≤ 27
Reflections collected	40651
Independent reflections	8514 [R _{int} = 0.0373, R _{sigma} = 0.0279]
Data/restraints/parameters	8514/14/490
Goodness-of-fit on F ²	1.050
Final R indexes [I ≥ 2σ (I)]	R ₁ = 0.0536, wR ₂ = 0.1537
Final R indexes [all data]	R ₁ = 0.0611, wR ₂ = 0.1641
Largest diff. peak/hole / e Å ⁻³	1.00/-0.72

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