

## **Supplementary Information**

### **Post-functionalization of organometallic complexes *via* click-reaction**

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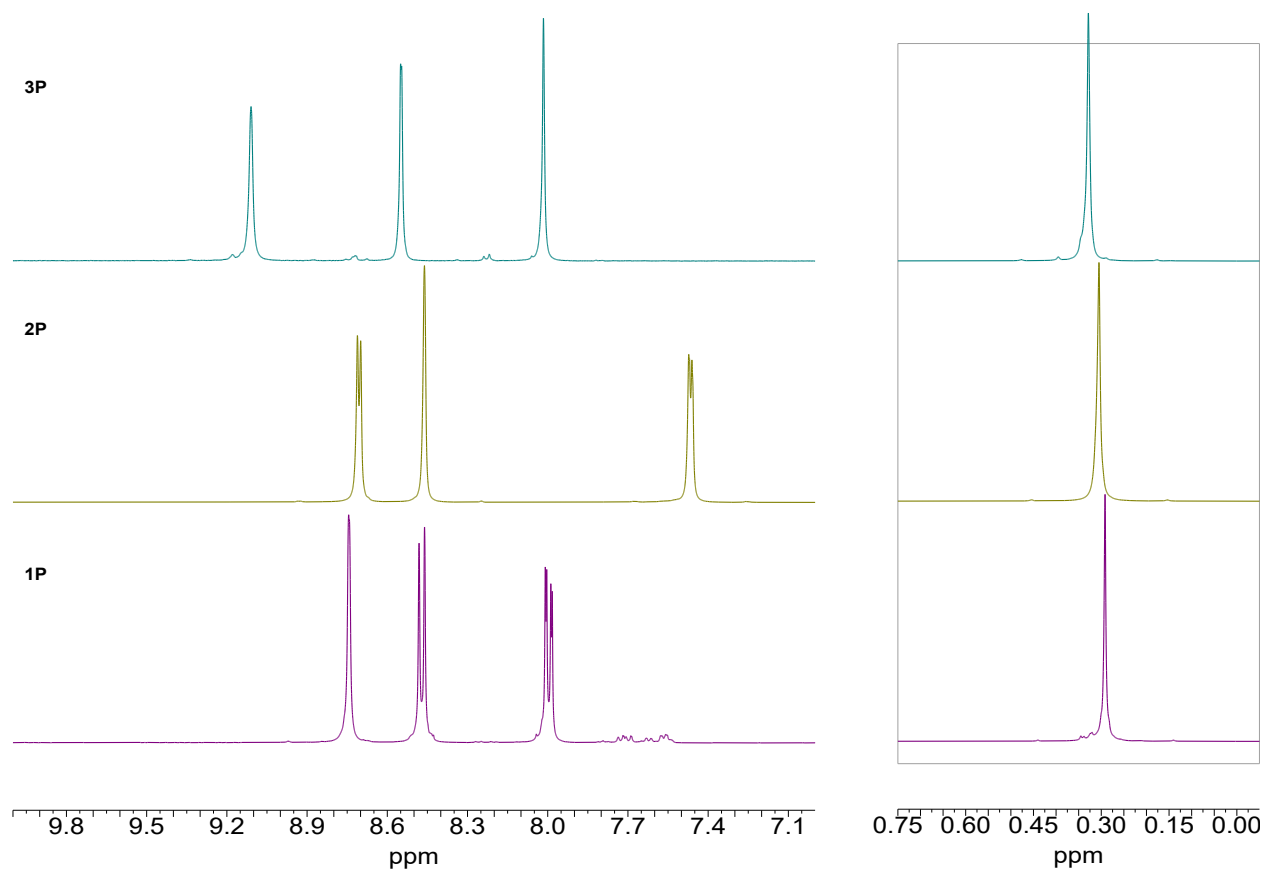
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### X-ray structure determination

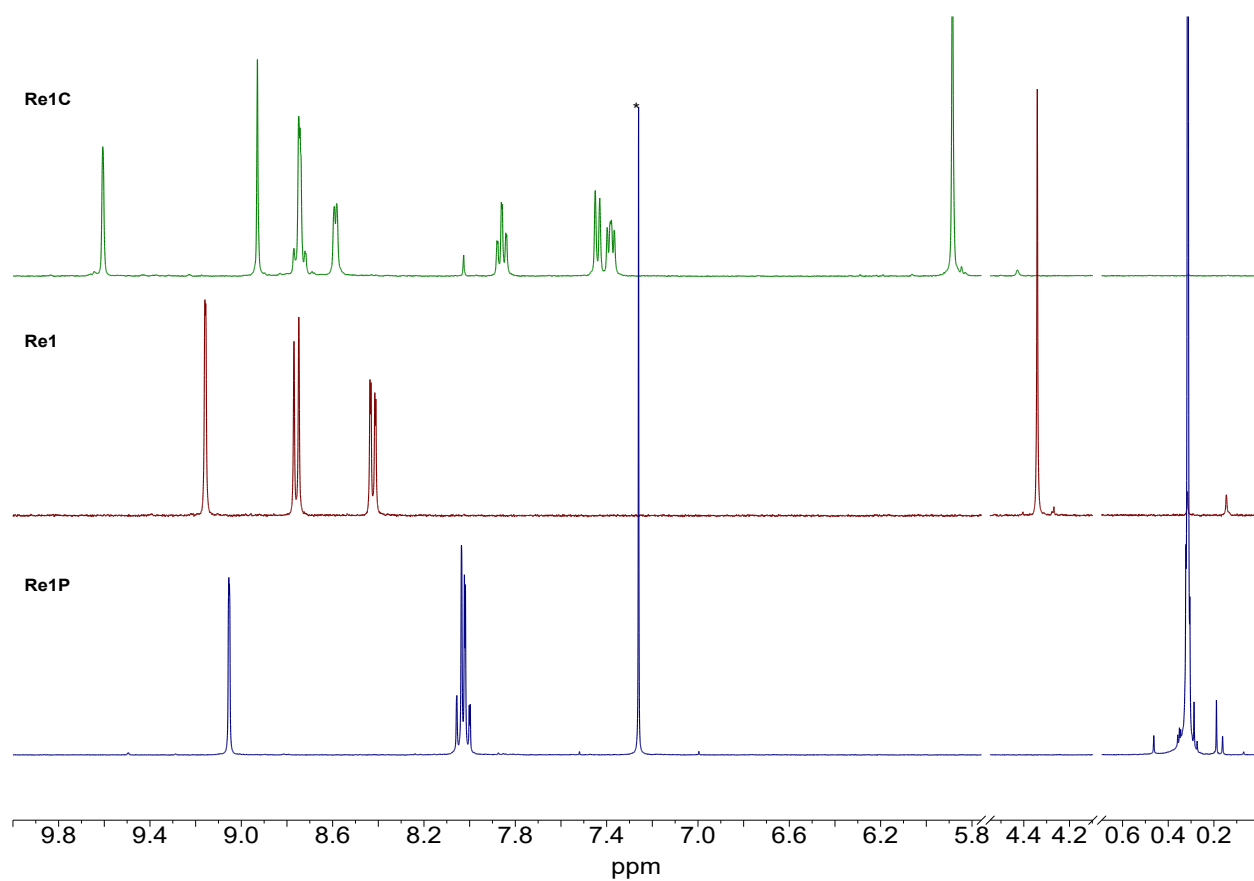
The crystal structure of **Pt(dtpby)c** was determined by the means of single crystal X-ray diffraction analysis. Crystal was fixed on a micro mount and the diffraction data have been collected on the Agilent Supernova diffractometer at a temperature of 170K using monochromated Cu  $K_\alpha$  radiation. Data were integrated and corrected for background, Lorentz, and polarization effects. An empirical absorption correction based on spherical harmonics implemented in the SCALE3 ABSPACK algorithm was applied in *CrysAlisPro* program [1]. The unit-cell parameters (Table S1) were refined by the least-squares techniques. The structure were solved by dual-space algorithm and refined using the *SHELX* programs [2,3] incorporated in the *OLEX2* program package [4]. The final model included coordinates and anisotropic displacement parameters for all non-H atoms. The carbon-bound H atoms were placed in calculated positions and were included in the refinement in the ‘riding’ model approximation,  $U_{iso}(H)$  set to  $1.5U_{eq}(C)$  and C–H 0.96 Å for the CH<sub>3</sub> groups,  $U_{iso}(H)$  set to  $1.2U_{eq}(C)$  and C–H 0.97 Å for the CH<sub>2</sub> groups,  $U_{iso}(H)$  set to  $1.2U_{eq}(C)$  and C–H 0.93 Å for the CH groups. Supplementary crystallographic data for this paper have been deposited at Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre (CCDC 2204302) and can be obtained free of charge via [www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/structures/](http://www.ccdc.cam.ac.uk/structures/).

**Table S1.** Crystallographic data for compound **Pt(dtbpy)<sup>C</sup>**.

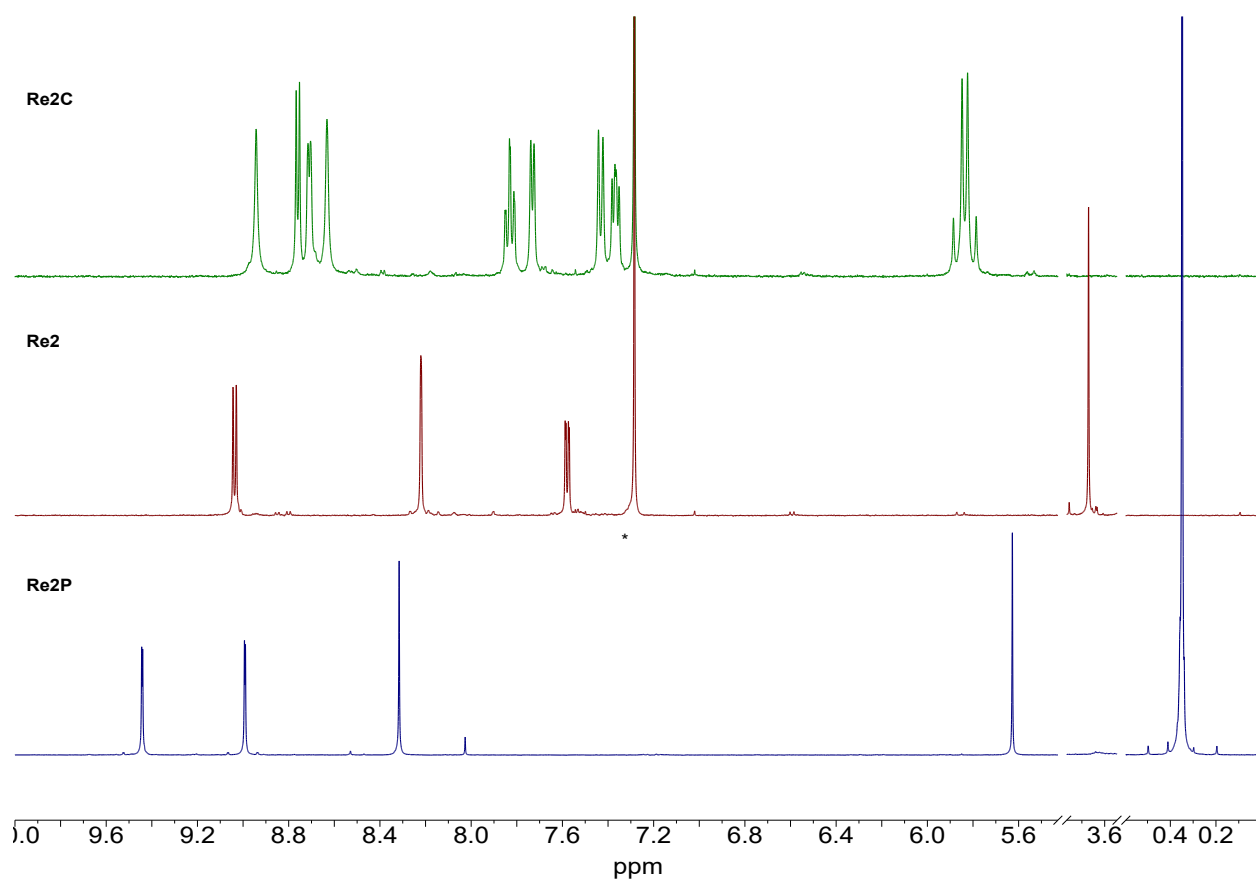
Compound	<b>Pt(dtbpy)<sup>C</sup></b>
Formula	C <sub>49</sub> H <sub>52</sub> N <sub>10</sub> OPt
Crystal system	monoclinic
<i>a</i> (Å)	11.56500(10)
<i>b</i> (Å)	20.6552(2)
<i>c</i> (Å)	18.3102(2)
$\alpha$ (°)	90
$\beta$ (°)	99.1890(10)
$\gamma$ (°)	90
<i>V</i> (Å <sup>3</sup> )	4317.76(7)
Molecular weight	992.09
Space group (number)	<i>P</i> 2 <sub>1</sub> / <i>n</i> (14)
$\mu$ (mm <sup>-1</sup> )	6.473
Temperature (K)	170(100)
<i>Z</i>	4
$\rho_{\text{calc}}$ (g/cm <sup>-3</sup> )	1.526
Crystal size (mm <sup>3</sup> )	0.12×0.15×0.21
Diffractometer	SuperNova, Dual, Cu at zero, Atlas
Radiation	Cu <i>K</i> <sub><math>\alpha</math></sub>
Total reflections	71362
Unique reflections	8187
Angle range 2 $\theta$ (°)	6.50 to 140.00 (0.82 Å)
Reflections with $ F_o  \geq 4\sigma_F$	7906
<i>R</i> <sub>int</sub>	0.0406
<i>R</i> <sub><math>\sigma</math></sub>	0.0154
<i>R</i> <sub>1</sub> ( $ F_o  \geq 4\sigma_F$ )	0.0247
<i>wR</i> <sub>2</sub> ( $ F_o  \geq 4\sigma_F$ )	0.0645
<i>R</i> <sub>1</sub> (all data)	0.0254
<i>wR</i> <sub>2</sub> (all data)	0.0650
Goodness-of-fit on <i>F</i> <sup>2</sup>	1.107
$\rho_{\text{max}}, \rho_{\text{min}}$ (e/Å <sup>3</sup> )	3.17/−0.62
CCDC number	2204302



**Figure S1.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of NN compounds **XP** ( $X = 1-3$ ). Aromatic (left) and aliphatic (right) regions are shown on a different vertical scale.

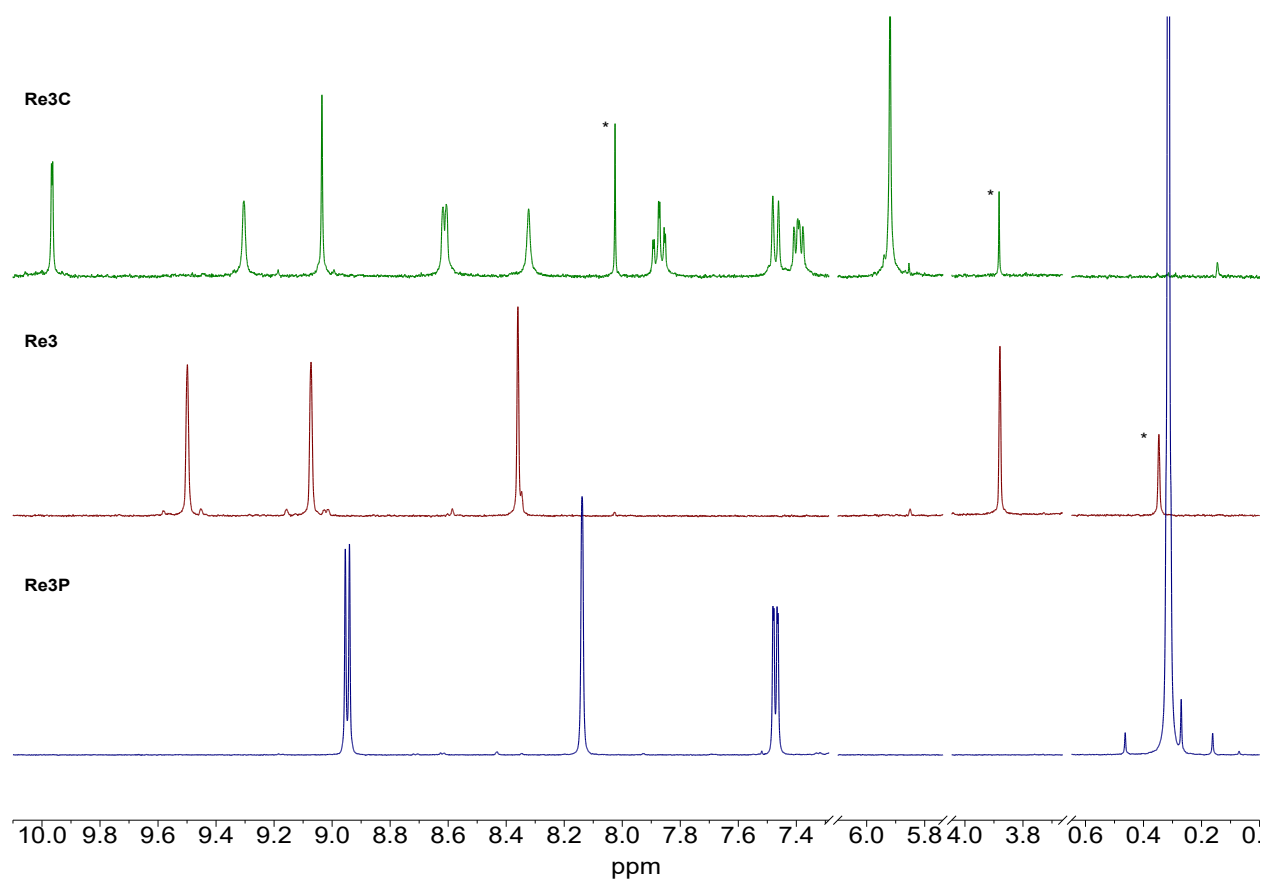


**Figure S2.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of **Re1<sup>x</sup>** complexes. The residual solvent peak of  $\text{CDCl}_3$  is marked by asterisk.

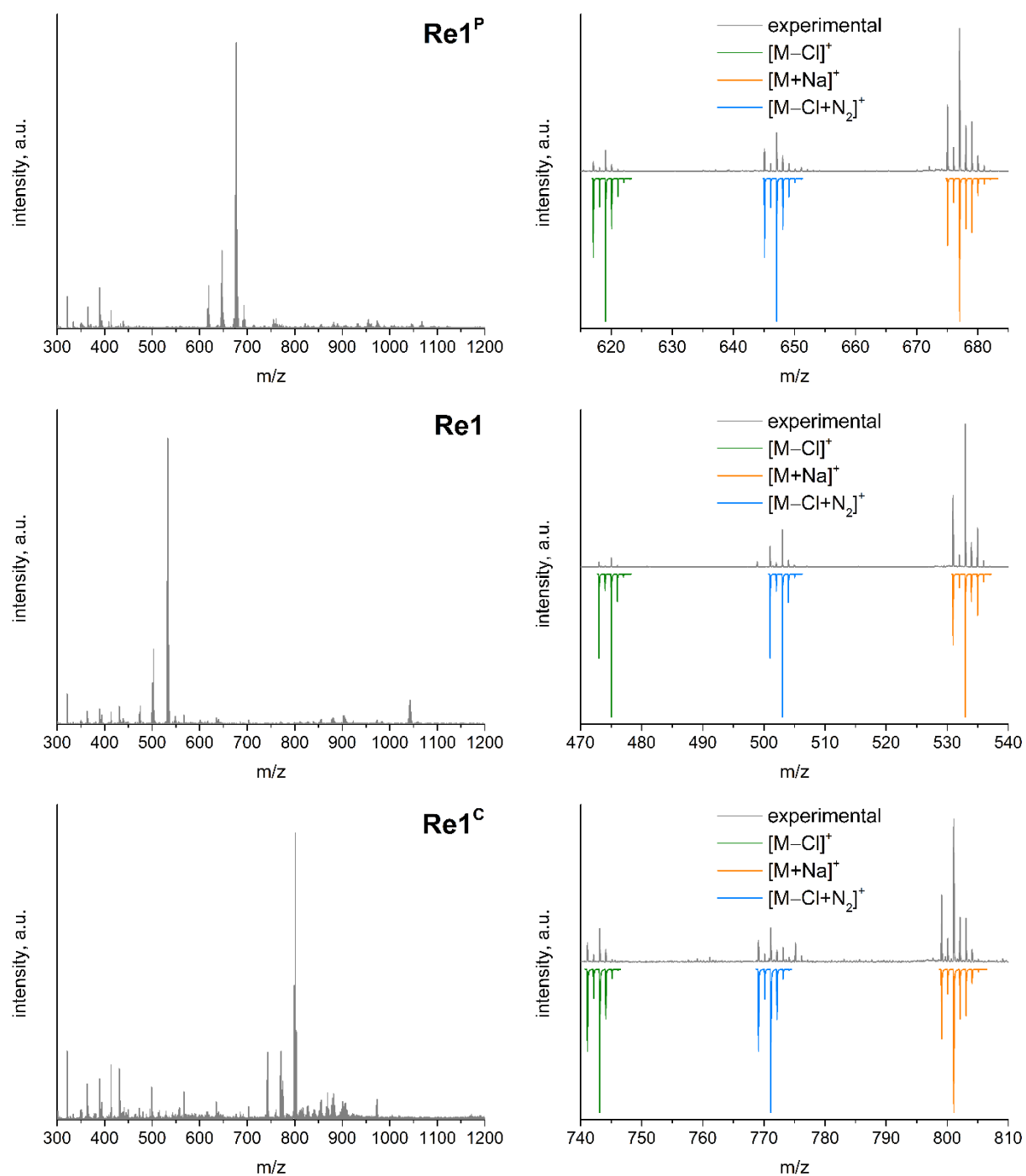


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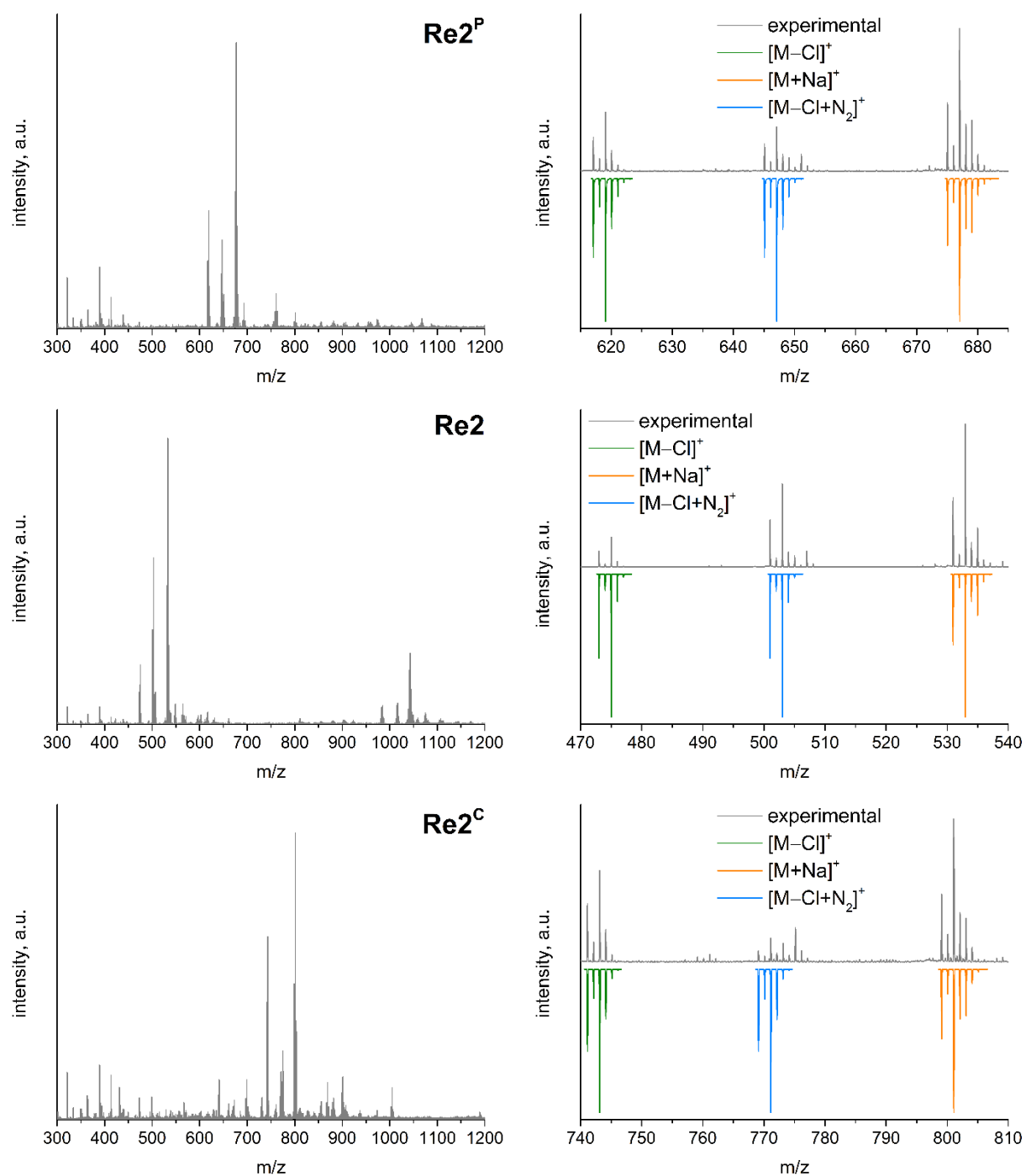




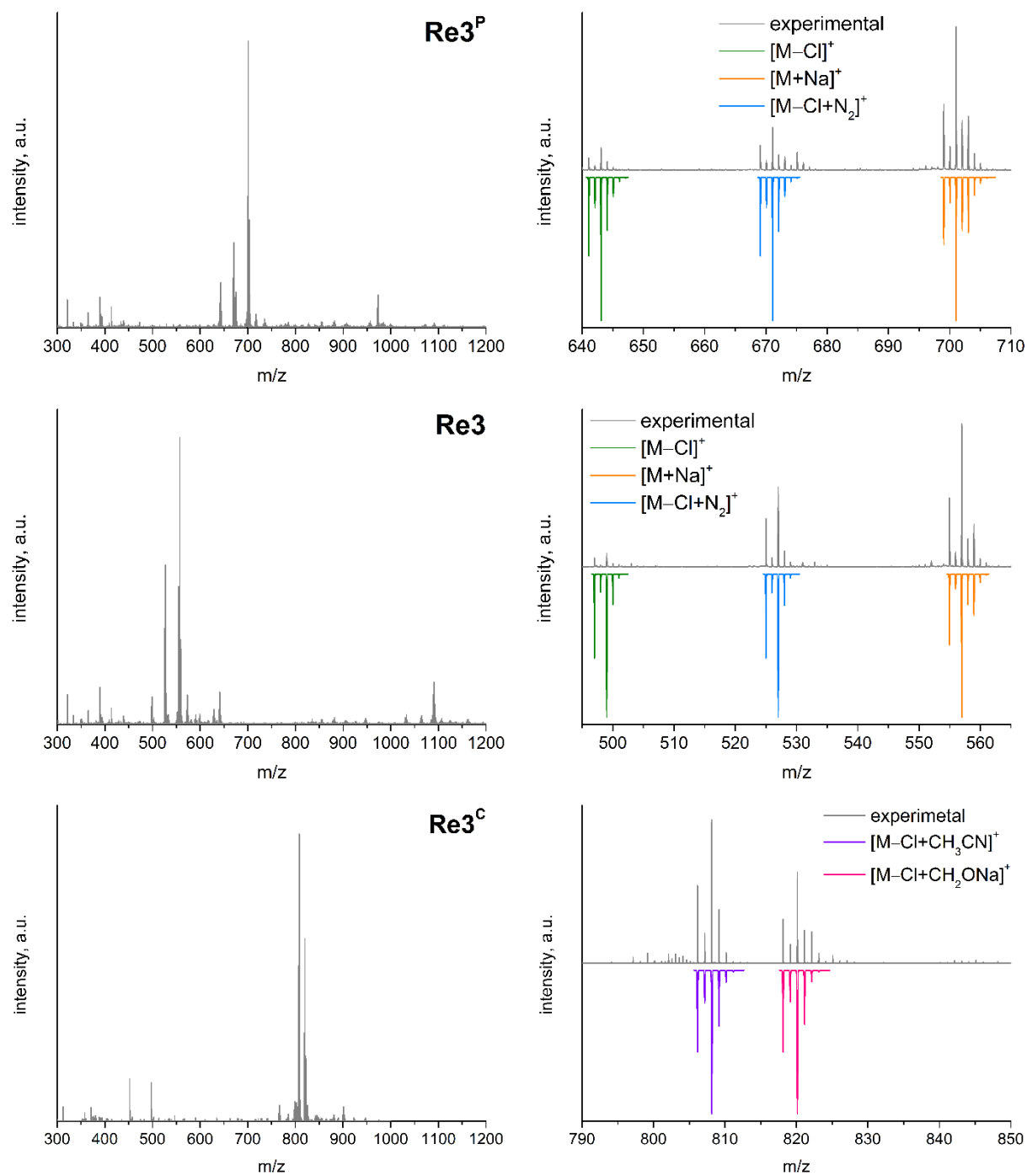
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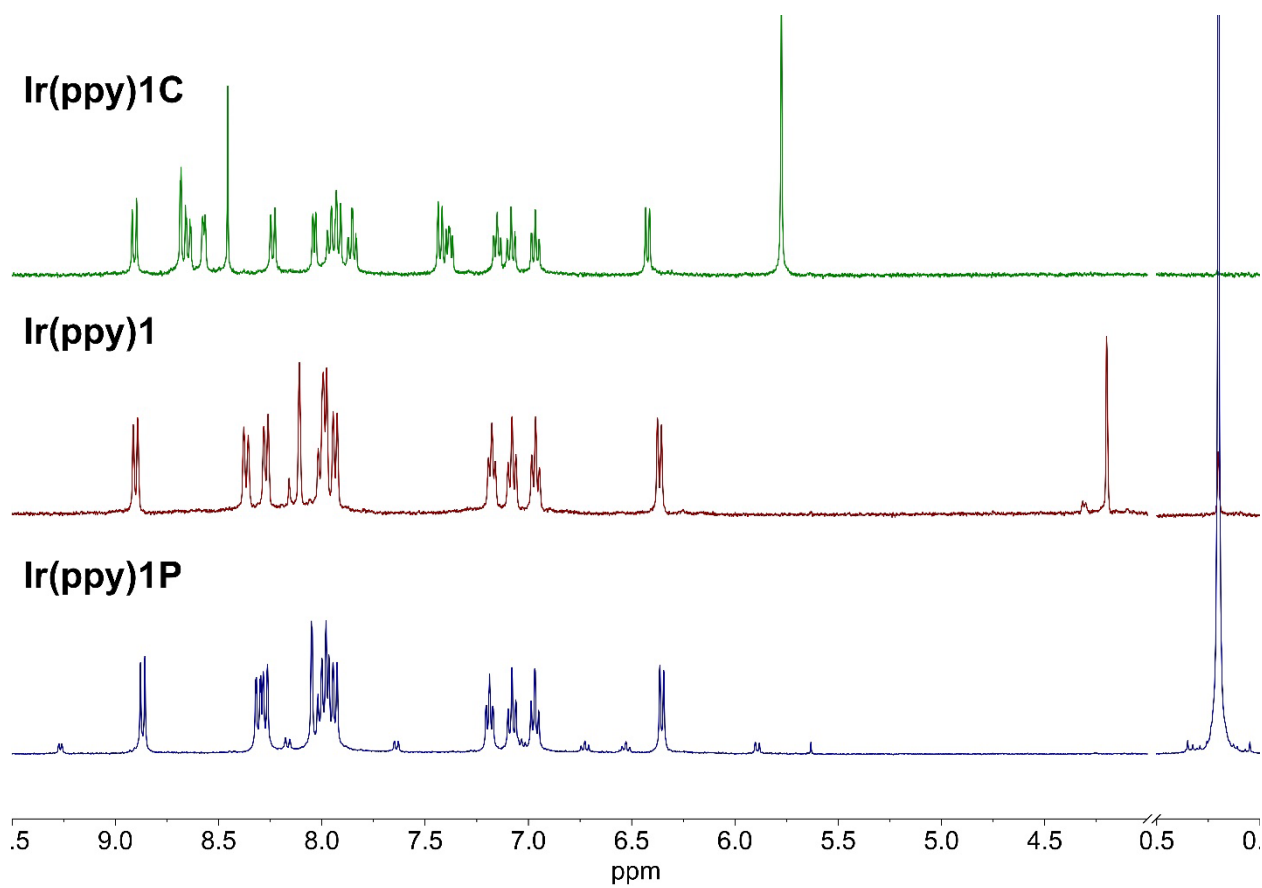
**Figure S5.** ESI<sup>+</sup> MS spectra of **Re1<sup>X</sup>** complexes with isotope pattern of key signals.



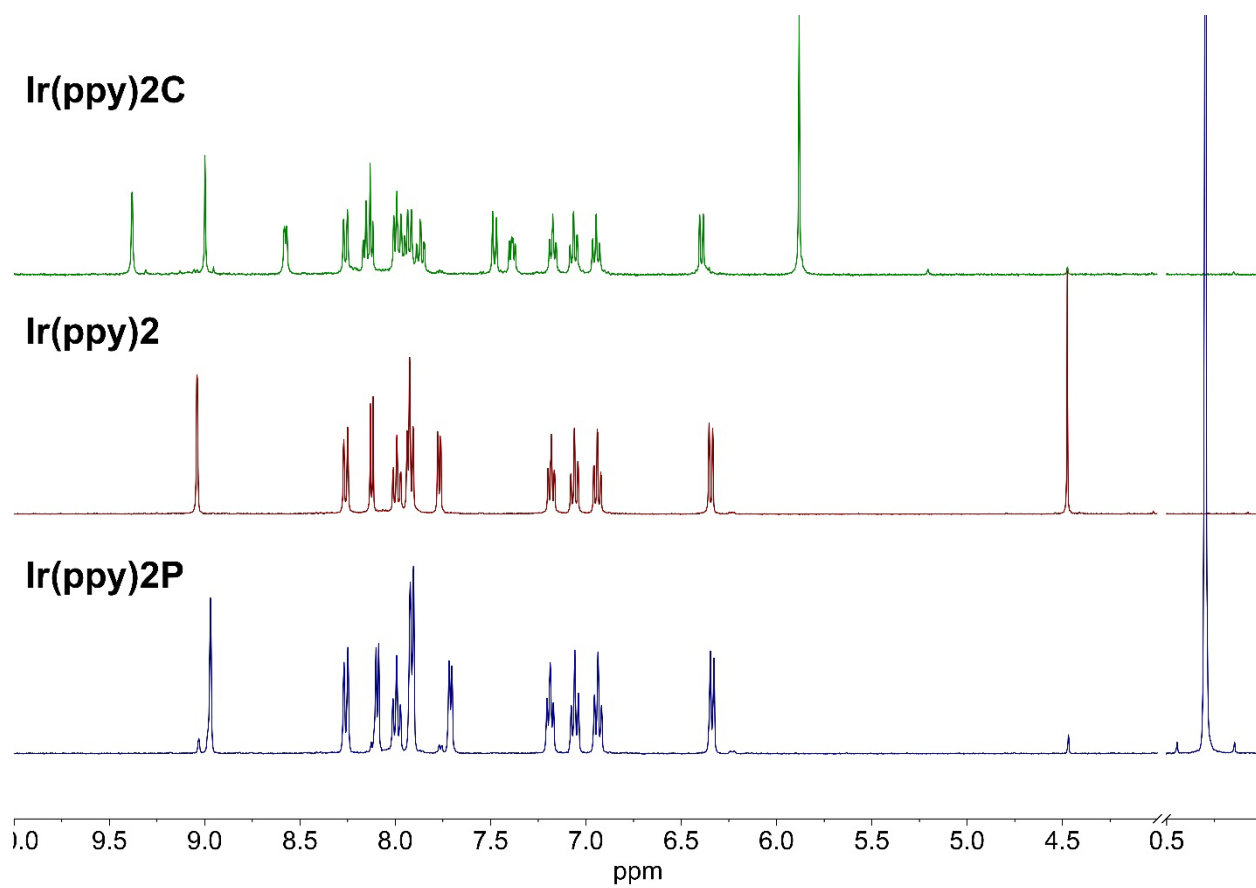
**Figure S6.** ESI<sup>+</sup> MS spectra of  $\text{Re}_2^{\text{X}}$  complexes with isotope pattern of key signals.



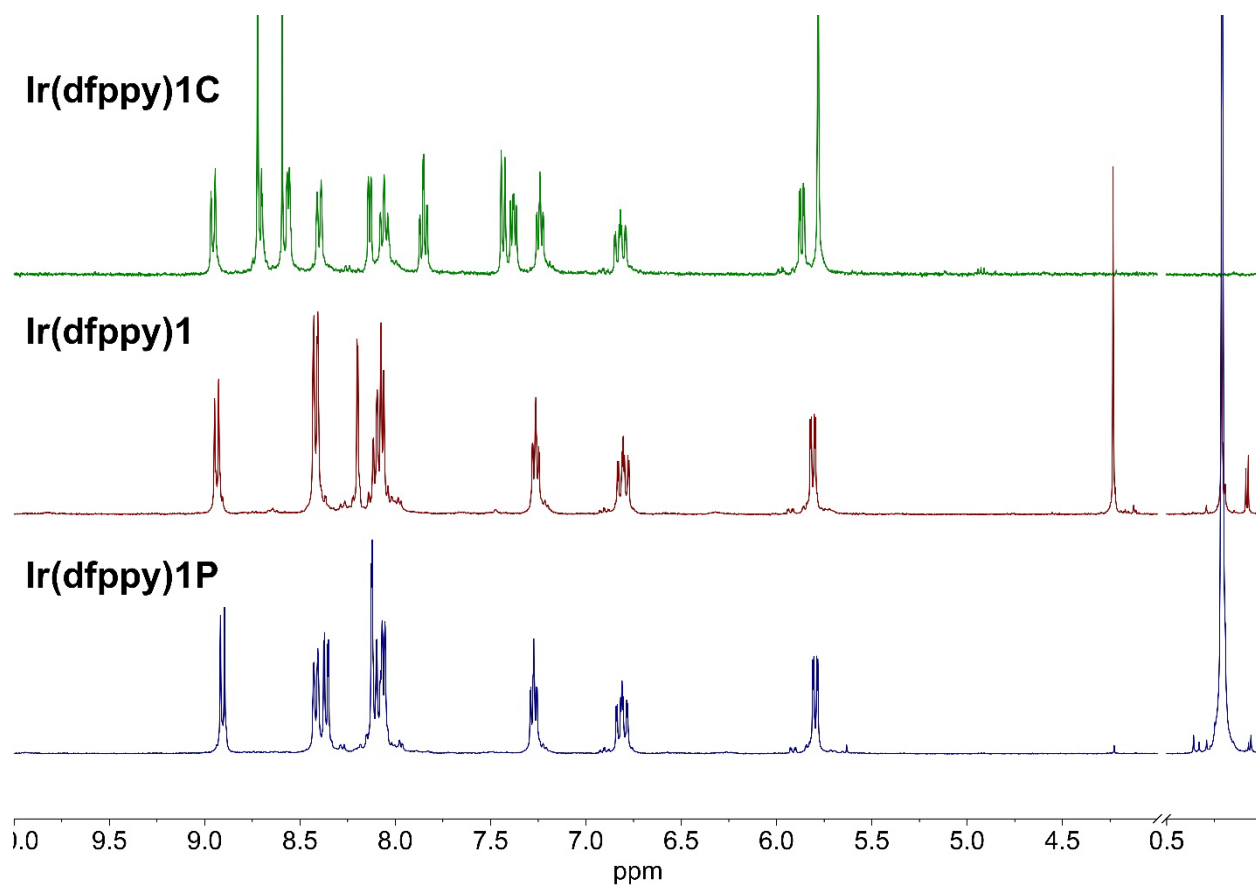
**Figure S7.** ESI<sup>+</sup> MS spectra of **Re3<sup>X</sup>** complexes with isotope pattern of key signals.



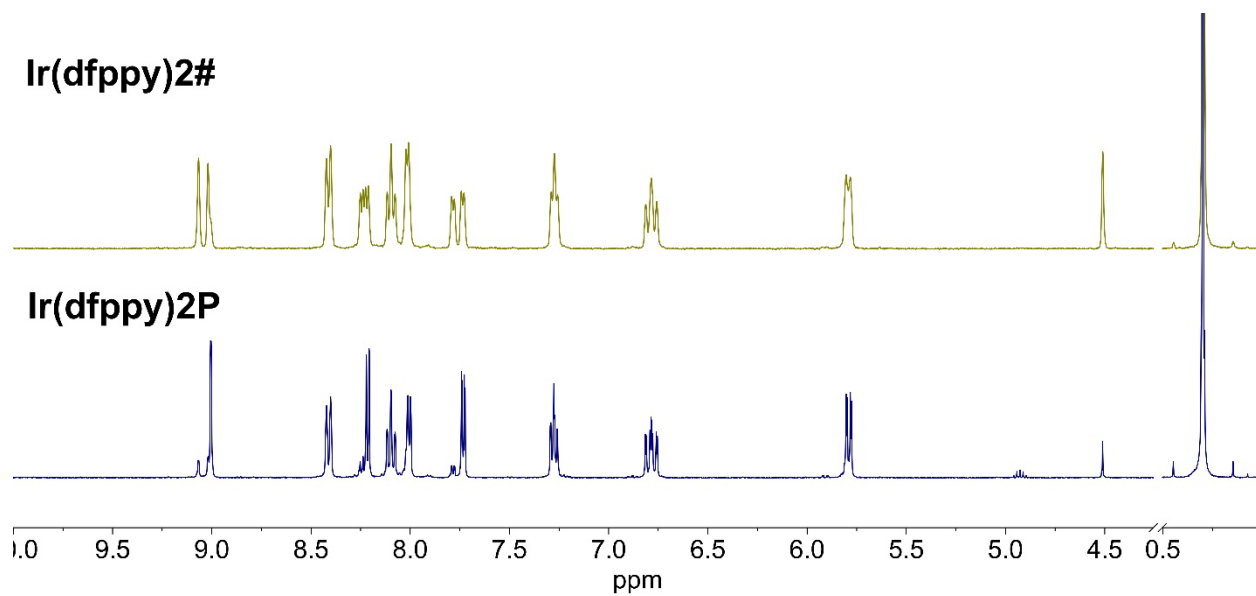
**Figure S8.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of Ir(ppy) $1^X$  complexes.



**Figure S9.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of Ir(ppy) $_2^{\text{X}}$  complexes.

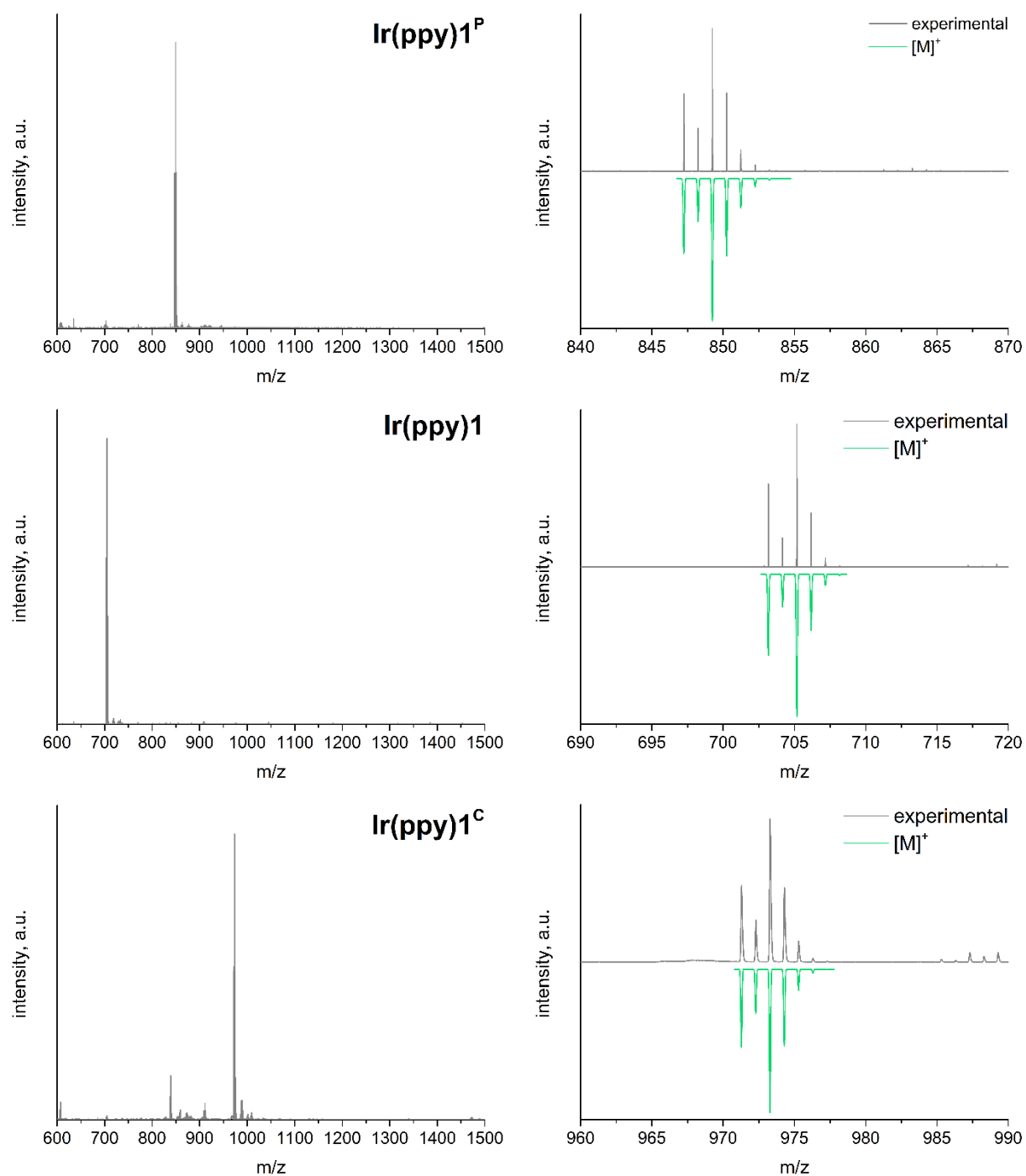


**Figure S10.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of  $\text{Ir}(\text{dfppy})1^{\text{X}}$  complexes.



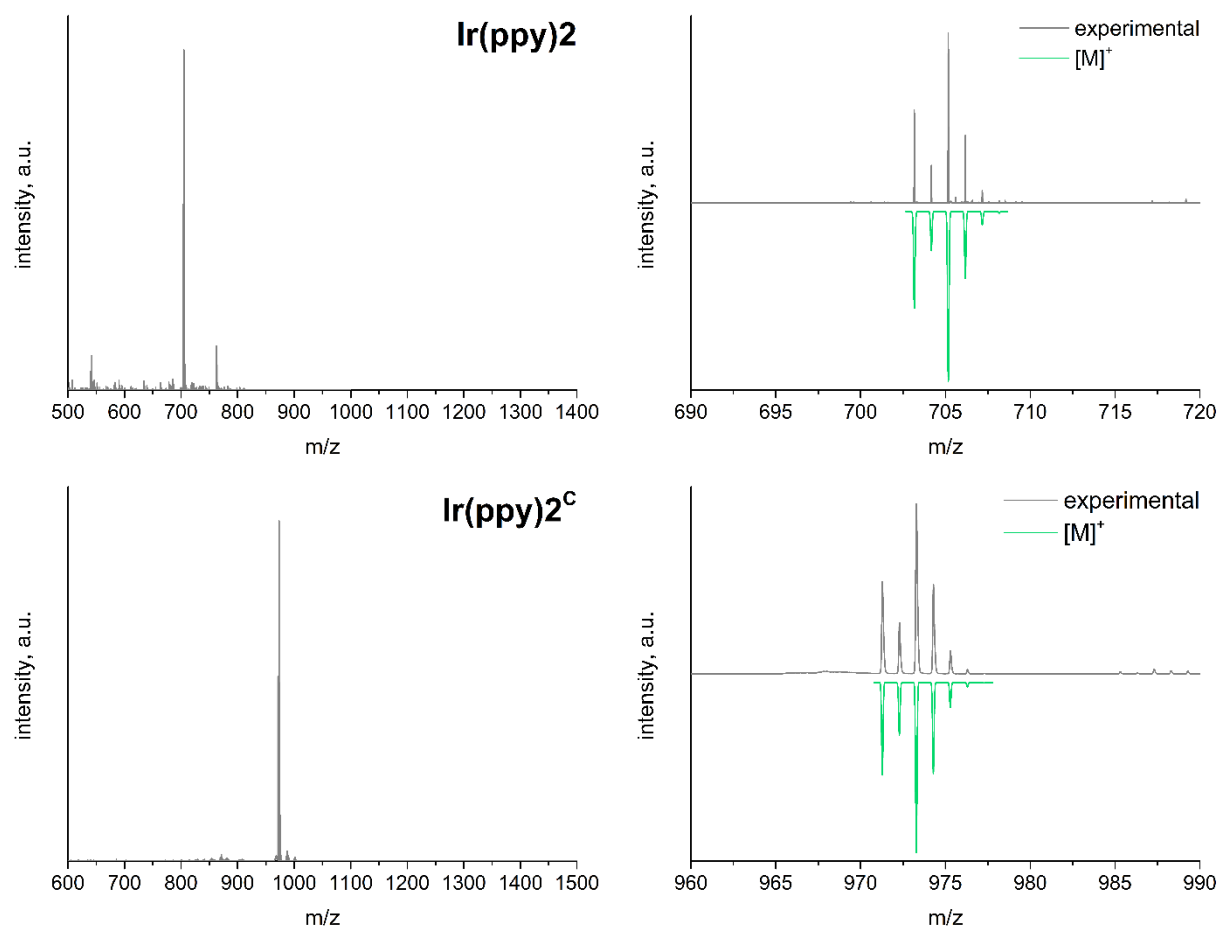
**Figure S11.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of  $\text{Ir}(\text{dfppy})2^{\text{X}}$  complexes.

<sup>#</sup>Mixture of  $\text{Ir}(\text{dfppy})2^{\text{P}}$  and  $\text{Ir}(\text{dfppy})2$ .

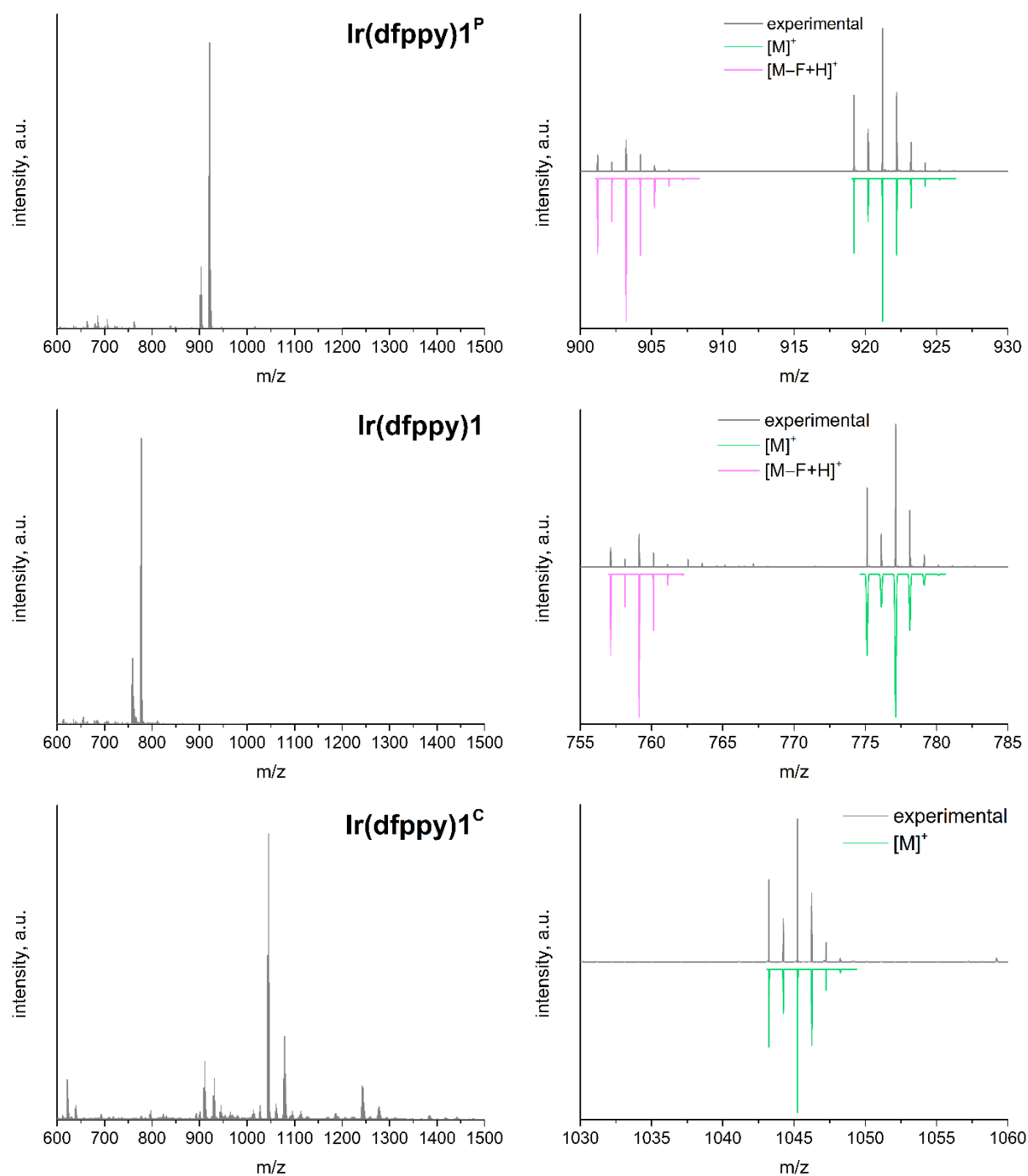


**Figure S12.** ESI<sup>+</sup> MS spectra of Ir(ppy)<sub>1</sub><sup>X</sup> complexes with isotope pattern of key signals.

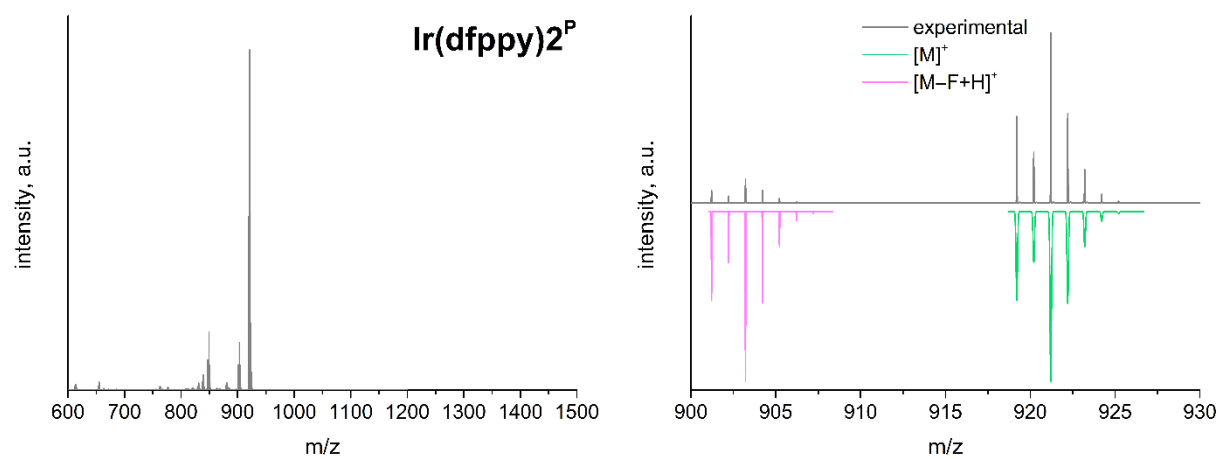




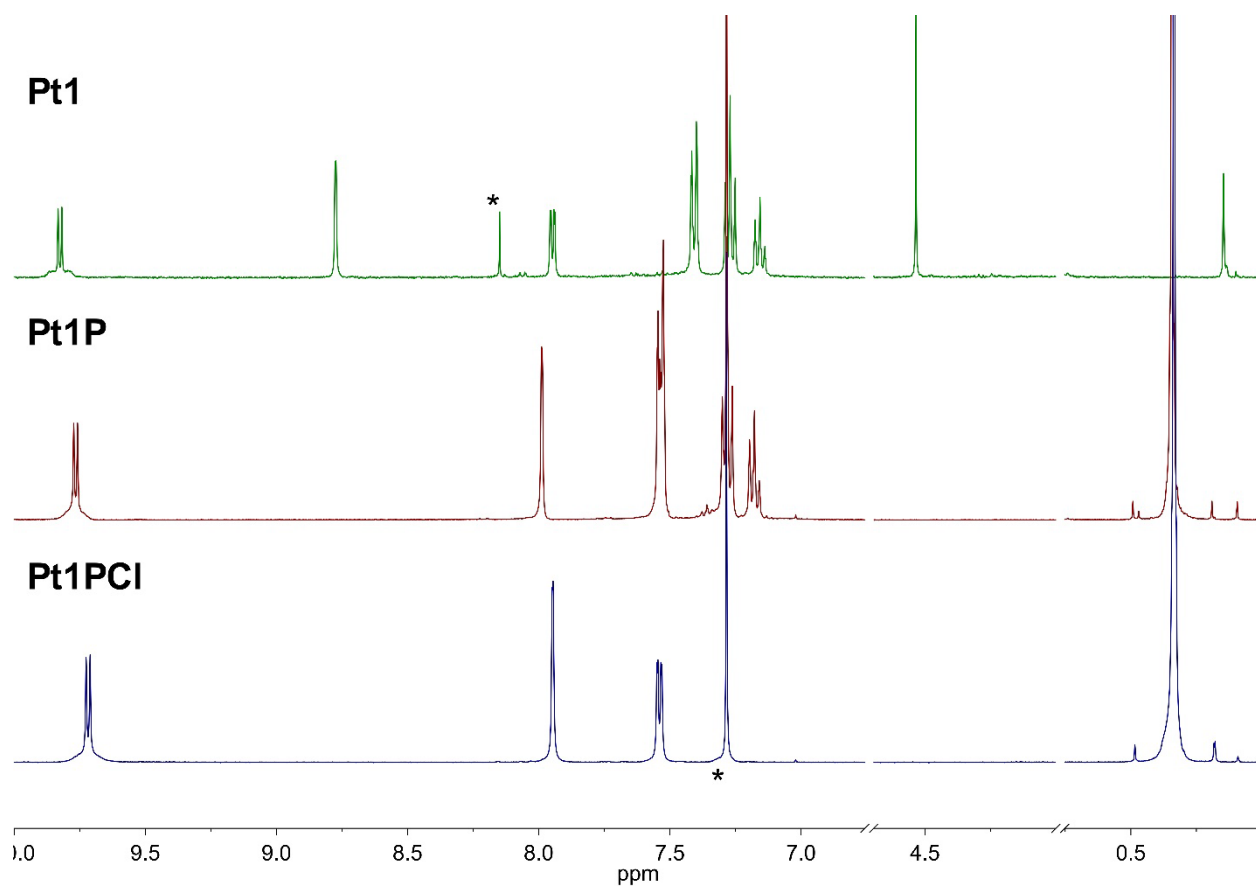
**Figure S13.** ESI<sup>+</sup> MS spectra of Ir(ppy)<sub>2</sub><sup>X</sup> complexes with isotope pattern of key signals.



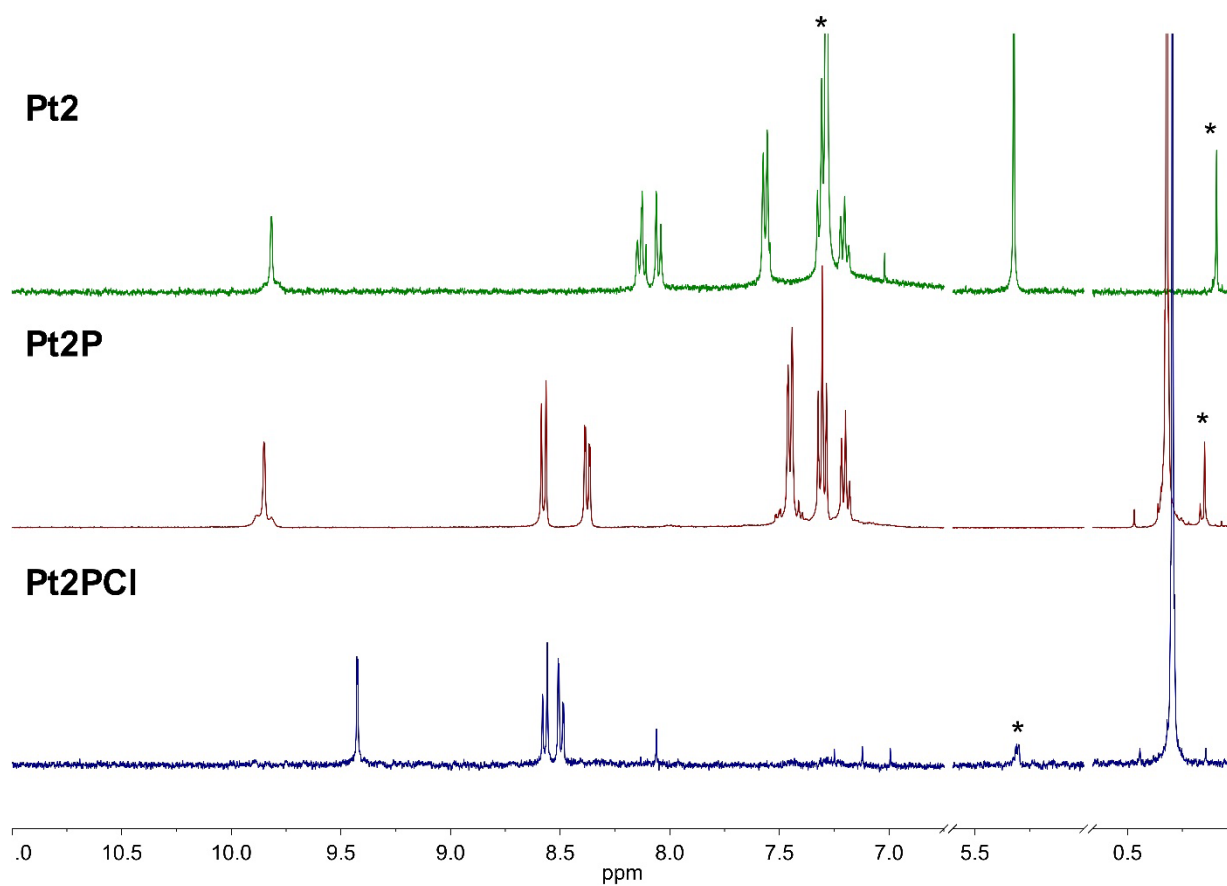
**Figure S14.** ESI<sup>+</sup> MS spectra of  $\text{Ir}(\text{dfppy})1^{\text{X}}$  complexes with isotope pattern of key signals.



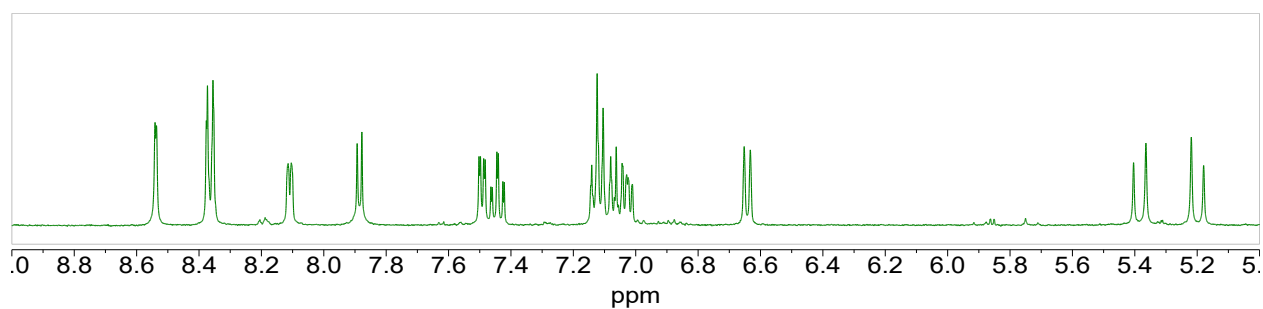
**Figure S15.** ESI<sup>+</sup> MS spectra of  $\text{Ir(dfppy)}_2\text{P}$  complexes with isotope pattern of key signals.



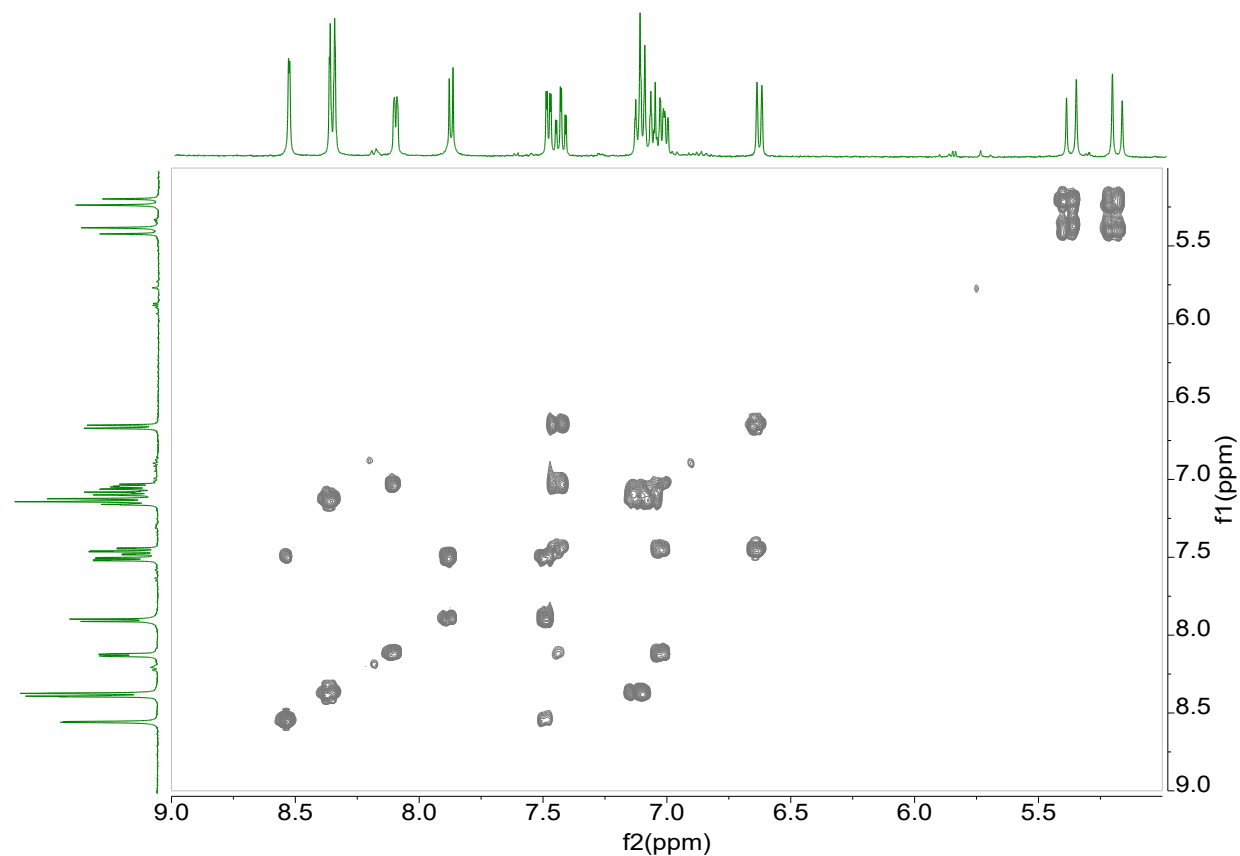
**Figure S16.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of **Pt1<sup>X</sup>** complexes. Asterisks mark the resonances of admixtures and the residual solvent peak of  $\text{CDCl}_3$  (7.29 ppm).



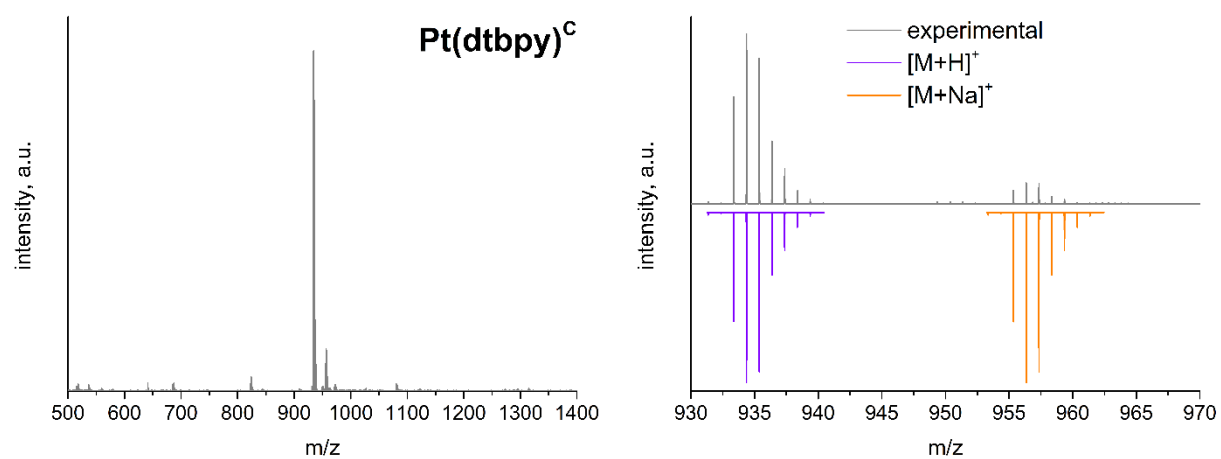
**Figure S17.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of **Pt2<sup>x</sup>** complexes. Asterisks mark the resonances of admixtures and the residual solvent peak of  $\text{CDCl}_3$  (7.29 ppm).



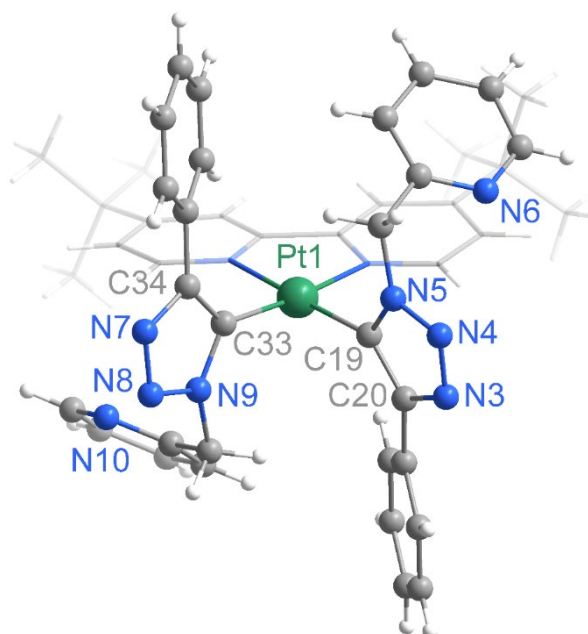
**Figure S18.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of  $\text{Pt}(\text{btbp})^{\text{C}}$  complexes in aromatic region,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ , RT.



**Figure S19.**  $^1\text{H}$  $^1\text{H}$  COSY NMR spectrum of  $\text{Pt}(\text{btbp})^{\text{C}}$  complexes in aromatic region,  $\text{DMSO-d}_6$ , RT.



**Figure S20.** ESI<sup>+</sup> MS spectrum of  $\text{Pt}(\text{dtbpy})^{\text{C}}$  complex with isotope pattern of key signals.



**Figure S21.** Molecular structure of  $\text{Pt}(\text{dtbpy})^{\text{C}}$  complex with key atoms numeration.

**Table S2.** Selected structural parameters for compound **Pt(dtbp)<sup>C</sup>** and literature data for Pt(II) triazolyl derivatives [5,6].

Bond lengths, Å		Literature reported range, Å
Pt1–N1	2.078(2)	1.959 – 2.077
Pt1–N2	2.079(2)	
Pt1–C19	2.010(2)	1.989 – 2.007
Pt1–C33	2.001(3)	
C19–C20	1.394(4)	1.376 – 1.407
C33–C34	1.394(4)	
N3–N4	1.305(3)	1.306 – 1.322
N7–N8	1.309(3)	
N4–N5	1.354(3)	1.351 – 1.386
N8–N9	1.354(3)	
Bond angles, °		Literature data, °
N1–Pt1–N2	78.29 (9)	76.86
C19–Pt1–C40	88.02(10)	88.55
Plane angle, °		Literature data, °
Pt–N1–N2 ring–C19 ring	95.543	87.38
Pt–N1–N2 ring–C33 ring	95.586	

**Table S3.** Photophysical properties of “clicked” complexes **ReX<sup>C</sup>** and **IrX<sup>C</sup>**, DCE, r.t., 10<sup>−5</sup> M.

	$\lambda$ , nm ( $\epsilon$ , 10 <sup>−3</sup> cm <sup>−1</sup> M <sup>−1</sup> )	$\lambda_{\text{em}}$ , nm	$\Phi$ , %		$\tau$ , $\mu$ s	
			A	D	A	D
<b>Re1<sup>C</sup></b>	291 (28.5), 351 (31.8), 365 (32)	660	<1	<1	0.24	0.22
<b>Re2<sup>C</sup></b>	291 (43.4)	650	<1	<1	0.49	0.52
<b>Re3<sup>C</sup></b>	280 (47.8), 342 (31.8)	645	<1	<1	0.88	0.87
<b>Ir(dfppy)1<sup>C</sup></b>	252 (33.9), 307 (25.3), 357 (26.1)	533	7.7	42.7	0.79	2.14
<b>Ir(ppy)1<sup>C</sup></b>	254 (65.7), 297 (50.8), 343 (42.5), 357 (43.1)	626	7.7	19.2	0.22	0.35
<b>Ir(ppy)2<sup>C</sup></b>	267 (94.4), 365 (18.8)	609	7.1	37.9	0.22	0.42

A = aerated. D = degassed.



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