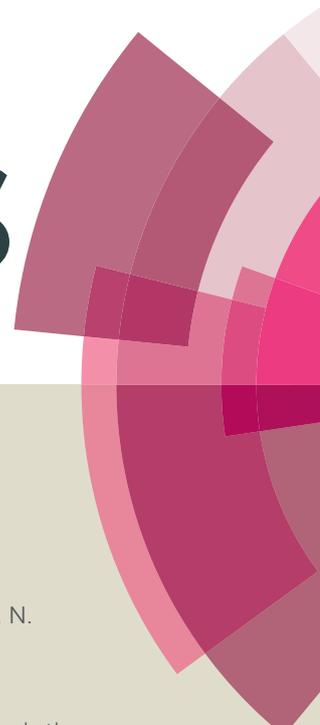


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## Chelate *N,O*-palladium(II) complexes: synthesis, characterization and biological activity

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The four *trans* chelate *N,O*-palladium(II) complexes were synthesized starting from salicylaldehyde anil Schiff bases, as ligands. Their structure was elucidated using experimental and theoretical tools. The structures of the theoretically possible *cis* isomers are examined using DFT method. The biological activity, *in vitro* cytotoxic and prooxidative effects against human breast carcinoma MDA-MB-231, human colon carcinoma HCT-116, and human fibroblast healthy MRC-5 cell lines of investigated compounds were determined. Schiff bases show moderate or weak cytotoxic effect. On the other hand, complexes **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** show significant cytotoxic effect on all three cell lines, with IC<sub>50</sub> values in range of 0.6 to 17.1 μM on HCT-116 cells, 7.2 to 55.6 μM on MDA-MB-231 cells and 34.5 to 48.1 μM on MRC-5 cells. Also, **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** induce extreme oxidative stress in the all treated cell lines. At this stage of investigations, **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** showed no selectivity towards cancer cells, i.e. they were also cytotoxic to MRC-5 cells in the similar extent. Taking into account these facts, it could be further investigated how the most active substances impact on the type of the cell death (apoptotic and/or necrotic pathways).

### Introduction

Azomethines, also known as Schiff bases, are important class of organic compounds.<sup>1</sup> If these compounds contain aniline moiety (or substituted aniline), they are get the anil in the part of their names.<sup>1</sup> Some of these compounds have wide applications in organic synthesis, catalysis, analytical chemistry, food industry, as well as industry of pigments and dyes.<sup>2</sup> Azomethine group, as structural fragment of these compounds, is present in various natural and synthetic products and it is responsible for a broad range of biological activities,<sup>3</sup> including antibacterial, antifungal, antimalarial, anti-inflammatory, antiviral, antiproliferative, and antipyretic properties.<sup>3c,4</sup>

Moreover, Schiff bases are a special class of ligands with a variety of donor atoms. If these compounds possess donor atoms such O, N or S, than they can act as chelating ligands in designing of many metal complexes. The high affinity of these compounds for complexation with transition metal ions is utilized for preparation different complexes.<sup>5</sup> Phenolic Schiff bases as bidentate ligands play very important role in coordination chemistry and their metal complexes have significant importance. It should be noted that these complexes possess a number of important properties such as, easy

synthesis, stability and wide application.<sup>6</sup> A large number of Schiff base complexes have been reported so far, and their catalytic and biological properties have been studied intensively.<sup>7</sup> It is worth pointing out that complexation of the ligands with various metals ions results an increasing biological activity.<sup>8</sup>

The antibacterial and antifungal activities of different transition metal complexes (Mn(II), Co(II), Ni(II), Cu(II) and Pd(II)) with Schiff bases ligands have been reported.<sup>9</sup> On the basis of the fact that there is structural and thermodynamic analogy between platinum(II) and palladium(II) complexes, the study of anticancer activity of palladium(II) complexes is of considerable importance. In addition, platinum based compounds had not entered clinical trial for more than a decade, which influenced development in research of other metal compounds.<sup>10</sup> A cytotoxic activities of different Schiff base Pd(II) complexes was evaluated on wide range of cancer cell lines.<sup>11</sup> However, the results related to the examination of anticancer activity of palladium(II) complexes with Schiff bases as ligands are limited. One of the possible causes may be the fact that many of them hydrolyse very fast, and that reaction produces reactive compounds unable to act as potential drugs.<sup>10,12</sup>

In the further course of our investigations of anil Schiff bases,<sup>13</sup> our advanced step was to evaluate their cytotoxic activity and oxidative stress status. Furthermore, we used four of them as *N,O*-bidentate ligands to synthesize stable Pd(II) complexes, and to test them for their cytotoxic activity and oxidative stress status, also. For this purpose we used human adherent colorectal cancer cell line (HCT-116), human metastatic mammary gland breast carcinoma cell line (MDA-MB-231) and human fibroblast healthy cell line (MRC-5). Moreover, we used cisplatin (**CisPt**) as positive control, while untreated cells were considered as negative control.

## Results and discussion

In our previous work we presented antioxidative activity of some salicylaldehyde and vanillic anil Schiff bases.<sup>13</sup> In addition to this, we synthesized four palladium(II) complexes, starting from *N*-salicylidene aniline Schiff bases (**1**, **3**, **5**, and **6** from reference 13,) and palladium(II) acetate (molar ratio 2:1). Our efforts to synthesize pure chelate complexes with the Schiff bases **2**, **4**, and **7** were unsuccessful. However, the Schiff bases examined in this paper are presented on Fig. 1. The structure of the prepared complexes was elucidated using experimental and theoretical tools. Biological activity of these complexes and of their precursors was examined. It is worth pointing out that some structural characterizations of investigated complexes can be found in literature,<sup>14</sup> except for **Pd-3** which structural characterization was given first time now. Nevertheless, to our best knowledge, this kind of characterization for investigated complexes has not been reported until now.

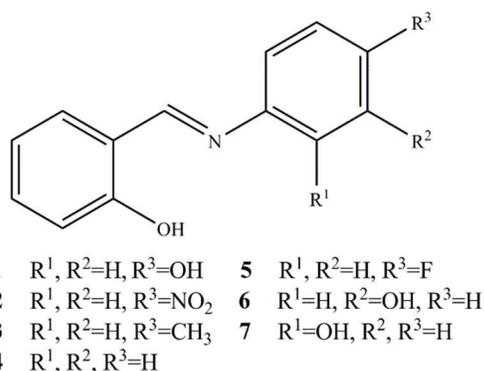


Fig. 1. The Schiff bases examined

### Structural characterization of the investigated complexes

The optimized *trans* and *cis* geometries of investigated complexes (**Pd-1**, **Pd-3**, **Pd-5**, and **Pd-6**) are presented in Fig. 2 and Fig. S1. Experimental and simulated IR spectra of palladium(II) complexes and of their Schiff base precursors are depicted in Figs. 3 and S2, while <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectral characterization is presented in Table 1 and Table S1. Bond lengths, angles, and dihedral angles of all complexes calculated are listed in Tables S1-S4, while corresponding atom labelling is depicted in Fig. S3.

All complexes exhibit nearly ideal square planar coordination, with angles around palladium close to 90° (Fig. 2 and Tables S2-S5). Each ligand (one nitrogen and one oxygen donating atom) forms six-membered ring with palladium. It is worth pointing out that the optimized parameters (bond distances, angles, and dihedral angles) for **Pd-1** are in agreement with reported values for X-ray structure.<sup>14</sup>

The NBO analysis revealed that, in all cases, there are no covalent bonds of palladium with ligating atoms. Instead, there is strong donation of electron density from the donor atoms to palladium. Particularly, nitrogens delocalized their lone pairs from the sp<sup>3</sup> orbitals to the formally empty d orbital of palladium(II), while oxygens contribute with lone pairs from pure p orbitals. As a consequence, occupancies in the orbitals of the donor atoms are reduced (1.62 and 1.67 respectively), while the occupancy of palladium(II) formally empty d orbital is increased (0.99).

Next, we wanted to confirm that suggested structures correspond to the experimentally obtained complexes. For this purpose we applied IR and NMR spectroscopy, as well as Density Functional Theory. Namely, experimental data (IR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra) are compared to those theoretically obtained for *trans* and *cis* isomers. It is worth pointing out that in all cases *trans* isomers are more stable than the *cis* ones, Table 2.

Table 2. Difference in free energy (kJ/mol) of the corresponding *cis* and *trans* complexes

	$\Delta G_g$ (kJ/mol)	$\Delta G_{solvent}$ (kJ/mol)
<b>Pd-1</b>	14.56102	5.849614
<b>Pd-3</b>	9.646087	4.891306
<b>Pd-5</b>	16.75857	10.73304
<b>Pd-6</b>	16.5249	5.608068

On the basis of these facts, and experimental data (ref. 14), one can undoubtedly conclude that obtained complexes are *trans* isomers.

### IR spectral characterization

At first glance, good agreement between experimental and calculated spectra is achieved, Fig. 3. In all calculated spectra, deviations from the experimental values are observed in the region above 3000 cm<sup>-1</sup>. OH stretching vibrations are underestimated in case of ligands, while in the spectra of the complexes (where OH group is still present), these bands are overestimated. This can be attributed to the negligence of the intermolecular forces present in the solid state. Nevertheless, the calculated spectra of Schiff base ligands and corresponding palladium complexes reveal the difference in their structure. Namely, in the spectra of complexes **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** bands assigned to OH stretching vibrations are somewhat changed, while in cases of complexes **Pd-3** and **Pd-5**, these bands are completely absent from the spectra. This fact clearly shows that the salicylaldehyde originating oxygen (from the deprotonated phenolic group) became coordinated to palladium.

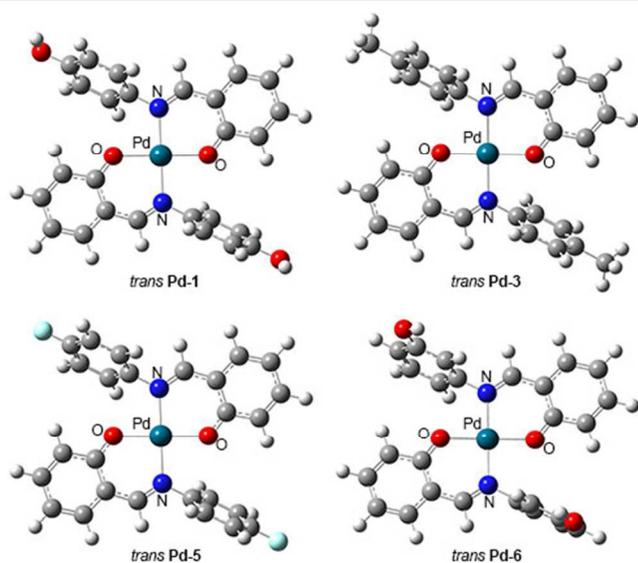


Fig. 2 The optimized geometries of *trans* complexes investigated.

In the spectra of ligands the bands in region 1615-1620  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and 1620-1630  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (experimental and calculated values respectively) are assigned to the C=N stretching vibrations. In the spectra of the corresponding complexes (*trans* and *cis*), these vibrations are shifted to somewhat lower frequencies: 1600-1610  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and 1590-1600  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , respectively. These shifts are obviously a consequence of the formation of the palladium complexes, and are in agreement with the NBO analysis, which revealed donation of nitrogen's lone pair to the formally empty d orbital of palladium. Furthermore, comparison of the experimental spectra of ligands and analogous spectra of the complexes in the region of 505-540  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and 460-470  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  showed that two new bands appeared in each spectrum of the complexes. These new bands are assigned to newly established Pd-O and Pd-N coordinative bonds, respectively. In addition, inspection of the calculated spectra confirmed this assumption, with the difference that these bands are slightly overestimated (525-560  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and 490-525  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ). It is worth pointing out that on the basis of theoretical results for *cis* isomers (Fig. S3) of investigated complexes, one can conclude that their IR spectra are very similar to the IR spectra of the *trans* isomers.

#### NMR SPECTRAL CHARACTERIZATION

The summary of  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data is presented in Table 1. The  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR properties of the ligands and corresponding complexes were predicted, and the chemical shifts for all carbon atoms were calculated relative to TMS. On the basis of the experimental and calculated shifts for the Schiff base ligands, one can conclude that theoretical model reproduced experimental NMR spectra with satisfactory accuracy. Namely, the Absolute Average Errors (AAE) for  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR amount to 2-6 ppm. In addition, the correlation coefficients (R) for the dependencies of the calculated chemical shifts on the experimental values are larger than 0.95. Theoretical model

predicted the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra with high accuracy (AAE amount to 2 - 5, and R above 0.97), also.

Comparison of the chemical shifts in the Schiff bases and corresponding complexes (*trans* and *cis*) revealed that values for carbon atom from azomethine group, for the one from phenyl ring substituted with oxygen (salicylaldehyde originating oxygen), as well as for the carbon from phenyl ring bonded to nitrogen (aniline originating), are slightly elevated to higher values (Table 1). In accordance to these are predicted chemical shifts values. Similarly to the case of IR characterization, this clearly points out that the nitrogen from azomethine group and the salicylaldehyde originating oxygen became coordinated to palladium. It is worth pointing out that, as a consequence of Schiff bases coordination to the palladium, chemical shifts for all aromatic carbons are to some extent elevated, in both, experimental and theoretical spectra. Similarly to the case of IR spectral characterisation, on the basis of the obtained data, one can observe significant similarity between  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra of the *cis* isomers and corresponding *trans* isomers.

#### Biological evaluation

##### CYTOTOXIC EFFECTS

The cytotoxicity of investigated substances was determined by MTT assay. The cytotoxic effects expressed as  $\text{IC}_{50}$  values for Schiff bases and their corresponding Pd(II) complexes on HCT-116 and MDA-MB-231 cancer cell lines and on human fibroblast healthy MRC-5 cell line are depicted in Table 3. It was shown that **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** show significant cytotoxic effects on all three cell lines, with  $\text{IC}_{50}$  values in range of 0.6 to 17.1  $\mu\text{M}$  on HCT-116 cells, 7.2 to 55.6  $\mu\text{M}$  on MDA-MB-231 cells (with exception of **Pd-1** after 24 h from treatment,  $\text{IC}_{50} = 276.9 \mu\text{M}$ ) and 34.5 to 48.1  $\mu\text{M}$  on MRC-5 cells. Bearing in mind that  $\text{IC}_{50}$  values obtained with **CisPt** on same cell lines are in range of 26.9- >500  $\mu\text{M}$ , results obtained with **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** are very promising. Also, **Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub>**, **Pd-3**, and **1** exerted higher cytotoxic effect in comparison to other Schiff bases and their complexes. One should take in consideration great influence of palladium(II) on cytotoxicity, especially in **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** complexes, whose ligands **1** and **6** do not exert such a significant cytotoxic effects. Investigation of **Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub>**, **Pd-3** and **Pd-5** complexes suggests that effects of investigated Pd(II) complexes primarily depend on chemical structure, rather than on possible hydrolyses of complexes. This assumption is supported by fact that  $\text{IC}_{50}$  values for **Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub>**, **Pd-3** and **Pd-5** are much higher than  $\text{IC}_{50}$  values of **Pd-1** and **Pd-6**. Hydrolysed complexes should possess similar cytotoxic activity as **Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub>**, which under our measuring condition was not recorded. Results presented in this work indicate that HCT-116 cells are more sensitive than MDA-MB-231 cells, which is in agreement with our earlier findings.<sup>15</sup> It is important to point out that significant difference in the sensitivity of the examined cells arises from differences in origin of the tested cells. HCT-116 cells are of primary tumour origin, while MDA-MB-231 cells are

metastatic, and thus more resistant cells. On the other hand, human fibroblast healthy MRC-5 cells are also sensitive to investigated substances.

Table 3. IC<sub>50</sub> values (μM) of the investigated compounds

	IC <sub>50</sub> , μM					
	HCT-116		MDA-MB-231		MRC-5	
	24 h	72 h	24 h	72 h	24 h	72 h
<b>1</b>	142.3	368.0	440.2	133.6	-	-
<b>Pd-1</b>	11.8	17.1	276.9	7.2	34.5	48.1
<b>2</b>	>500	>500	>500	>500	-	-
<b>3</b>	>500	>500	>500	383.4	-	-
<b>Pd-3</b>	135.7	>500	>500	>500	>500	>500
<b>4</b>	>500	295.3	>500	>500	-	-
<b>5</b>	>500	>500	>500	>500	-	-
<b>Pd-5</b>	>500	>500	>500	145.3	>500	>500
<b>6</b>	>500	277.6	>500	>500	-	-
<b>Pd-6</b>	5.8	0.6	55.6	40.7	36.6	42.5
<b>7</b>	>500	34.7	>500	>500	-	-
<b>8</b>	>500	111.2	>500	>500	-	-
<b>9</b>	>500	>500	>500	>500	-	-
<b>10</b>	>500	>500	>500	>500	-	-
<b>Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub></b>	111.7	91.2	>500	>500	-	-
<b>CisPt</b>	254.9	28.7	>500	57.7	200.4	26.9

### SUPEROXIDE ANION RADICAL (O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup>) CONTENT CHANGES

Superoxide anion radical, important indicator of reactive oxygen species (ROS) level, was determined by spectrophotometric NBT assay. Results representing O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> changes 24 h from treatment are summarized in Table S6. Measurement on HCT-116 and MDA-MB-231 cells revealed that **1** induced significant increase of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup>. Compounds **3** and **5** also increased O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup>, but in much reduced extent, while compound **6** even decreased O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> content. Palladium(II) complexes of these ligands induced increasing of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup>. Although it appears that increase of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> for **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** is not extreme, we should bear in mind that produced O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> was at significant level proportionally to the number of survived cells (Figure S4). Similarly, one bear in mind that **CisPt** decreased O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> content in high concentrations, but relating to the number of survived cells, **CisPt** practically significantly increased O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup>. We conclude that the cells affected by investigated complexes are under enormous oxidative stress.

Regarding the above described results (obtained 24 h from treatment), we found it appropriate to estimate whether the effect of the investigated substances is acute or permanent. Thus, we measured effects of substances 72 h from treatment. With regards to the cytotoxicity assay, which revealed greater cytotoxicity after 72 h, we expected that increasing of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> content could be greater when compared to 24 h, what we have confirmed (Table S7). Toxic **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** induced significant increasing of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup>. Taking into account

content of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> in relation to the number of survived cells, this increasing is even greater (Figure S5). Thus, we conclude that cells are under greater oxidative stress 72 h, compared to 24 h from treatment.

Significant cytotoxic effects of investigated substances on tumour cells turned our focus towards investigation on healthy MRC-5 cells. Similarly to cancer cells, it was found that toxic **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** also induce great oxidative stress in MRC-5 cells, causing significant cytotoxicity. Results of production of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> are represented in Tables S6 and S7 and in Figures S4 and S5 for 24 h and 72 h from treatment respectively. **Pd-1**, **Pd-6** and **CisPt** (after 72 h) induced great production of superoxide anion radical. Considering the number of survived cells, we also concluded that MRC-5 cells are under enormous oxidative stress, especially in treatment with toxic **Pd-1** and **Pd-6**. Comparing these three cell lines, one could conclude that treatment with toxic **Pd-1**, **Pd-6** and **CisPt** significantly induced increasing of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup>. The greatest increasing is observed with MRC-5 and HCT-116. Chemically induced increase of production of free radicals is usually followed by increased cytotoxicity,<sup>16</sup> which was also shown in this investigation. Substances which increased O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> content exerted increased cytotoxicity and *vice versa*. The greatest effect on increased production of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup> was recorded for **1**, **Pd-1** and **Pd-6**. **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** show greater increasing of O<sub>2</sub><sup>•-</sup>, as well as the greater cytotoxicity on the tested cell lines than **CisPt**.

### NITRITE (NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>) CONTENT CHANGES

Nitrite concentration may indicate the level of NO and other reactive nitrogen species (RNS) in cells. Results of nitrite level measurements 24 h from treatment are presented in Table S8. On HCT-116 cells we observed that **1** and **3** significantly increased, while **5** and **6** decreased NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> content. On the other hand, we observed increase of nitrites with Pd(II) complexes, with exception of **Pd-6**. On the other hand, considering the number of remained viable cells, we conclude that cells are under the extreme oxidative stress, i.e. cells increased nitrite content, especially in treatment with **Pd-1**, **Pd-6** and **Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub>** (Figure S6). On MDA-MB-231 cells all substances increased nitrite level. This effect is more obvious for **1** and **Pd-6**. Similarly to NBT assay, the great increasing of nitrite level 24 h from treatment opened the question whether the effect of the investigated substances is acute or permanent. Thus, we investigated substances also 72 h from treatment (Table S9). Obtained results show more significant increasing in nitrite level, so we conclude that the effect of investigated substances is not acute. Considering these results in relation to the number of survived cells, we concluded that HCT-116 and MDA-MB-231 cells are under great oxidative stress (Figure S7). In addition to the tests on the tumour cells, it was estimated the impact of Pd(II) complexes and **CisPt** on healthy MRC-5 cells. It was found that toxic **Pd-1** and **Pd-6** significantly increased nitrites 24 and 72 h from treatment (Figures S6 and S7). Comparing investigated cell lines, we found that after 24 h **Pd-1** possess the greatest effect on MRC-5 and HCT-116 cells. **Pd-6** induces similar increasing of nitrites in all three cell lines. After 72 h, **Pd-1** affects all three cell lines in similar extent,

while **Pd-6** shows the most significant effect on HCT-116 cell line.

### REDUCED GLUTATHIONE (GSH) CONTENT CHANGES

Glutathione is a tripeptide responsible for the defence of eukaryotic cells from the influence of ROS and RNS.<sup>17</sup> Table S10 represents the effects of tested compounds on change of content of GSH 24 h from treatment. It was observed that only **1** increased GSH level on HCT-116 cells, while on MDA-MB-231 cells **1** induced no changes. **3**, **5** and **6** mostly induced decrease of GSH level on both cell lines. Considering the production of remained survived cells, **1** actually significantly increased GSH level, especially on HCT-116 cells. Pd(II) complexes mostly induced significant increase of glutathione, especially when we take in consideration the number of viable cells (Figure S8). Compounds **1**, **Pd-1**, **Pd-6** and **Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub>** showed the greatest effect. Similarly as in NBT and Griess assays, we tested the GSH level 72 h from treatment (Table S11 and Figure S9). Similarly as after 24 h it was estimated significant increasing of GSH content 72 h from treatment, especially for toxic **Pd-1** and **Pd-6**. **CisPt** and **Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub>** also significantly increased GSH level.

Measuring of GSH level on healthy MRC-5 cells revealed that GSH also increased for toxic **Pd-1**, **Pd-6** and **CisPt** (Figures S8 and S9). Practically, all three cell lines possess similar positive feedback on GSH synthesis due to the influence of toxic substances, which introduced cells into enormous oxidative stress. Our assumption is that glutathione reacts with produced ROS/RNS reactive species and we may expect that some part of GSH reacted with applied substances.<sup>18</sup>

### Conclusions

The results presented in this paper include the synthesis of the four *trans* chelate *N,O*-palladium(II) complexes, investigation of their structure using experimental and theoretical tools. The structures of the theoretically possible *cis* isomers are examined using DFT method, also. Study of biological activity of the complexes, as well as biological activity of the starting salicylaldehyde anil Schiff bases was performed. From the presented results it can be conclude that the investigated compounds act as prooxidants on the investigated cancer HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and healthy MRC-5 cell lines, due to increased production of superoxide anion radical and nitrites. Greater production of ROS/RNS induced increasing in cytotoxicity, especially in treatment with **Pd-1** and **Pd-6**. Less cytotoxic ligands, and their complexes, taken as a relation to the number of survived cells, possess certain but not such a denominated prooxidative character as **Pd-1** and **Pd-6**. ROS/RNS induced disruption of redox equilibrium is related to the cell self-defence system, which influenced the enhanced production of the glutathione. The significant difference in activity of the investigated compounds may be attributed to the presence of phenolic OH groups in the complex ligands **1** and **6** and to the fact that these ligands are activated by the metal ion.

Significant prooxidative and cytotoxic potential of the most active compounds open questions regarding estimation of the type of the cell death (apoptosis/necrosis cell pathways), and deserve further investigations.

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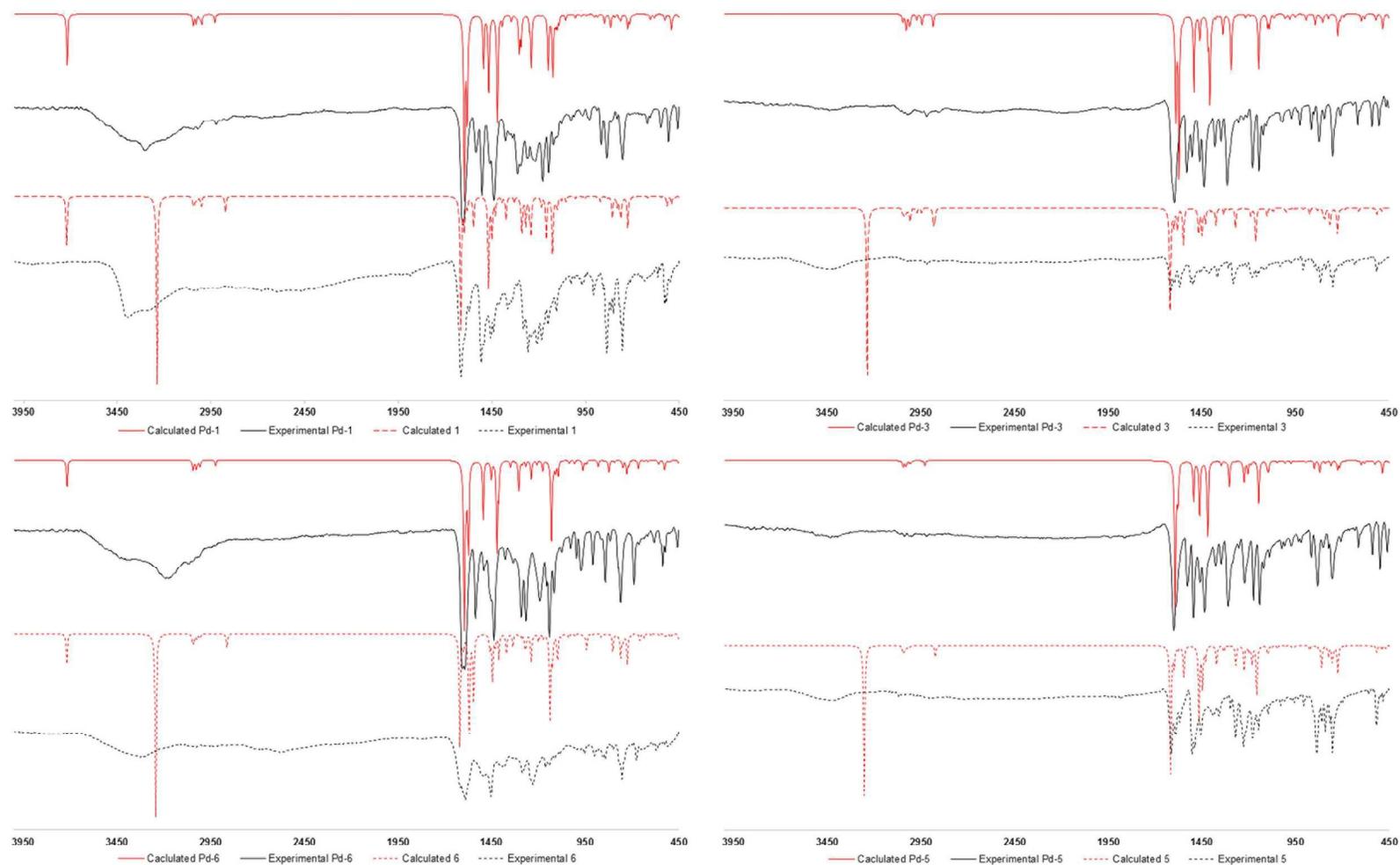


Fig. 3. Calculated and experimental IR spectra of *trans* complexes **Pd-1**, **Pd-3**, **Pd-5**, and **Pd-6**, and of Schiff base ligands **1**, **3**, **5**, and **6**

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Table 1.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR chemical shifts for the investigated Schiff bases and corresponding *trans* palladium complexes. R and AAE stand for correlation coefficient and Average Absolute Error.

Compound	C=N		Ar C-O <sup>-</sup>		Ar C-N		Ar C				CH <sub>3</sub>	
	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.
<b>1</b>	R 0.95	AAE 6					132.62	119.08	140.71	117.89	/	/
							132.28	116.57	135.45	117.22		
							122.72	116.10	134.85	116.20		
							119.58		129.58			
<b>Pd-1</b>	R 0.99	AAE 2					140.92	120.43	142.59	119.59	/	/
							135.22	119.74	138.20	117.99		
							134.84	114.70	130.07	112.47		
							125.70	114.36	126.44	111.69		
<b>3</b>	R 0.99	AAE 2					136.86	120.97	137.20	117.80	21.00	22.42
							132.86	119.34	135.44	117.07		
							132.08	118.94	130.06	116.79		
							129.98	117.22	126.87	116.28		
<b>Pd-3</b>	R 0.99	AAE 2					136.07	124.40	137.76	124.99	21.10	21.81
							135.00	120.70	135.70	123.02		
							134.38	120.33	134.93	116.43		
							128.63	115.03	127.96	110.92		
<b>5</b>	R 0.97	AAE 4					159.23	122.66	145.82	118.04	/	/
							144.74	122.49	135.83	116.91		
							133.20	119.12	135.41	116.10		
							132.26	116.42	127.40	115.62		
<b>Pd-5</b>	R 0.97	AAE 5					158.78	126.23	146.80	120.61	/	/
							145.40	126.07	138.38	118.06		
							135.49	120.31	130.16	114.73		
							134.51	114.89	126.93	112.67		
<b>6</b>	R 0.98	AAE 3					149.42	119.22	151.52	116.95	/	/
							133.33	116.68	137.64	116.50		
							132.67	114.21	135.84	115.48		
							130.29	112.15	131.29	111.99		
<b>Pd-6</b>	R 0.99	AAE 2					150.23	120.04	151.73	116.97	/	/
							135.35	115.45	137.66	116.47		
							135.11	114.82	136.81	111.58		
							128.78	113.37	128.64	109.37		
							120.30	112.04	117.11	108.28		

## Experimental

## Materials and reagents

The compounds salicylaldehyde, aniline, 4-fluoroaniline, 4-nitroaniline, toluidine, 2-hydroxyaniline, 3-hydroxyaniline, 4-

hydroxyaniline, palladium(II) acetate and 5,5'-dithio-bis(2-nitrobenzoic acid) were obtained from Aldrich Chemical Co. The NMR spectra were run in DMSO and CDCl<sub>3</sub> on a Varian Gemini 200 MHz spectrometer. Melting points were determined on a Mel-Temp capillary melting points apparatus, model 1001. Elemental microanalysis for carbon, hydrogen, and nitrogen were performed at the Faculty of Chemistry,

University of Belgrade. Dulbecco's Modified Eagle Medium (DMEM) and PBS were obtained from GIBCO, Invitrogen, USA. Foetal bovine serum (FBS) and trypsin-EDTA were from PAA (The Cell Culture Company, Pasching, Austria). Dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO), 3-[4,5-dimethylthiazol-2-yl]-2,5-diphenyltetrazolium bromide (MTT), and nitro blue tetrazolium (NBT) were obtained from SERVA, Heidelberg, Germany. *N*-1-naphthylethylenediamine dihydrochloride was purchased from Fluka chemie GMBH, Buchs, Switzerland. Sulfanilamide and sulphosalicylic acid were purchased from MP Hemija Belgrade, Serbia. All solvents and chemicals were of analytical grade.

### SYNTHESIS OF SCHIFF BASES

Schiff bases (**1-7**) were prepared according to procedure in our recently published paper [13].

### SYNTHESIS OF PALLADIUM(II) COMPLEXES

Palladium(II) acetate (0.5 mmol) was added to solution of corresponding Schiff base (**1**, **3**, **5**, **6**) (1 mmol) of ethanol (5 mL). The resulting mixture was heated at reflux for 3h. After completion of the reaction, the solvent was evaporated and leaving powder was washed with ethanol (3 × 2 mL). Complexes were obtained in 75-80% yield. All complexes were characterized with melting point, elemental microanalysis, <sup>1</sup>H NMR and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra (Table 1 and ESI).

**Pd-1:** orange crystals – mp > 250 °C; lit. 306 °C;<sup>14a</sup> C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Pd (FW = 530.87): C, 58.82; N, 5.28; H, 3.80%; found: C, 58.11; N, 4.98; H, 3.91%.

**Pd-3:** orange crystals – mp 243–245 °C; C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>24</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Pd (FW = 526.92): C, 63.82; N, 5.32; H, 4.59%; found: C, 63.73; N, 5.43; H, 4.70%.

**Pd-5:** yellow-orange powder – mp > 250 °C; lit. 335 °C;<sup>14b</sup> C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>18</sub>F<sub>2</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>Pd (FW = 534.85): C, 58.39; N, 5.24; H, 3.39%; found: C, 58.09; N, 5.32; H, 3.22%.

**Pd-6:** yellow powder – mp 223–225 °C; lit. 223 °C;<sup>14a</sup> C<sub>26</sub>H<sub>20</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>Pd (FW = 530.87): C, 58.82; N, 5.28; H, 3.80%; found: C, 58.72; N, 5.34; H, 3.91%.

### Computational methods

All calculations were performed with the Gaussian 09 software package.<sup>19</sup> M06 functional in combination with triple split valence basis set 6-311 + G(d,p) was used for all atoms (C, H, O, N, and F) excluding Pd, where LANL2DZ + ECP<sup>20</sup> was employed. M06 hybrid meta functional is “a method with good accuracy across-the-board for transition metals, main group thermochemistry, medium-range correlation energy, and barrier heights”.<sup>21</sup> Hybrid meta-GGA M06, developed by Zhao and Truhlar, is characterized by the way it has been parameterized. The structures of investigated compounds were fully optimised in the gas-phase, and in chloroform or dimethyl sulfoxide ( $\epsilon=24.3$  and  $\epsilon=46.8$  respectively), using the conductor-like solvation model (CPCM).<sup>22</sup> Frequency calculations were carried out to confirm that all structures are local minima (all positive eigenvalues). The gas-phase structures were used for examination of geometrical parameters, and predicting IR spectra. The computed frequencies were scaled by the factor of

0.955. The NMR properties of compounds investigated were predicted by calculating the NMR shifts for all carbon atoms relative to TMS. In this purpose, Gauge-Independent Atomic Orbital (GIAO) method was applied. The natural bond orbital analysis (Gaussian NBO version) was performed.

### CELL PREPARATION AND CULTURING

The colon cancer cell line HCT-116, breast cancer cell line MDA-MB-231 and human fibroblast healthy cell line MRC-5 were purchased from the American Tissue Culture Collection (Manassas, VA, USA). The cells were propagated in a humidified atmosphere with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> at 37 °C and maintained in DMEM supplemented with 10% foetal bovine serum, 100 IU/mL penicillin and 100 µg/mL streptomycin. The cells were grown in 75 cm<sup>2</sup> culture bottles until a confluence of 70-80% and after a few passages cells were seeded in assay plates. A number of 10<sup>4</sup> cells per well were seeded in a 96-well plate for MTT cell viability assay, determination of superoxide anion radical concentration (NBT assay) and NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> (Griess assay) and 5 × 10<sup>4</sup> cells per well for determination of reduced glutathione concentration.

### MTT ASSAY FOR CELL VIABILITY

The cell viability of the colon and breast cancer cells after exposure to the compounds was measured by MTT assay.<sup>23</sup> MTT assay is based on the colour reaction of mitochondrial dehydrogenase from living cells with MTT (3-(4,5-dimethylthiazol-2-yl)-2,5-diphenyltetrazolium bromide, a yellow tetrazole), and the fact that MTT is reduced to purple formazan in living cells. The absorbance of this coloured solution was quantified spectrophotometrically at 570 nm on microplate reader (ELISA 2100C, Hamburg, Germany). This assay was described in brief elsewhere.<sup>15a</sup> Cell proliferation was calculated as the ratio of absorbance of the treated group divided by the absorbance of the control group, multiplied by 100 to give a viability percentage. The absorbance of the control group of cells served as viability of 100%. A plot of percentage of cytotoxicity versus sample concentrations was used to calculate the concentration which showed 50% cytotoxicity (IC<sub>50</sub>).

### DETERMINATION OF SUPEROXIDE ANION RADICAL (NBT ASSAY)

This method involves estimation of the rate of the reduction of nitrobluetetrazolium (NBT) to nitroblue-formazan in the presence of O<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>.<sup>24</sup> This assay was described in brief elsewhere,<sup>16a</sup> and the results were expressed as µM.

### DETERMINATION OF NITRITES (GRIESS ASSAY)

The Griess coloured reaction represents the spectrophotometric determination of NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> (indicator of the nitric oxide – NO level).<sup>25</sup> The Griess reaction is a process of diazotization in which the NO-derived nitrosating agent (e.g., N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>), generated from the acid-catalyzed formation of nitrous acid from NO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> (or the interaction of NO with oxygen), reacts with sulfanilic acid to produce a diazonium ion that is then coupled to *N*-(1-naphthyl)ethylenediamine to form a chromophoric azo product

that absorbs strongly at 550 nm. Griess assay is performed at room temperature. This assay was described in brief elsewhere,<sup>15a</sup> and the results were expressed in  $\mu\text{M}$  of  $\text{NO}_2^-$  from a standard curve established in each test, constituted of known molar concentrations of  $\text{NO}_2^-$ .

#### DETERMINATION OF REDUCED GLUTATHIONE (GSH)

Glutathione assay is based on redox reaction of intracellular GSH with Ellmans reagent, 5,5'-dithio-bis(2-nitrobenzoic acid) (DTNB),<sup>26</sup> forming yellow product of 5'-thio-2-nitrobenzoic acid (TNB) which strongly absorbs at 405 nm. Similarly to NBT and Griess assays, this assay was described in brief elsewhere,<sup>15a</sup> and the results were expressed in  $\mu\text{M}$  of GSH from a standard curve established in each test, constituted of known molar GSH concentrations.

#### STATISTICS

The data were expressed as mean  $\pm$  standard error (SE). Biological activity was the result of 3 individual experiments, performed in triplicate for each dose. Statistical significance was determined using the Student's t-test or the one-way ANOVA test for multiple comparisons. A p value  $< 0.05$  was considered as significant. The magnitude of correlation between variables was done using SPSS (Chicago, IL) statistical software package (SPSS for Windows, version 17, 2008). The  $\text{IC}_{50}$  values were calculated from the dose curves by a computer program (CalcuSyn).

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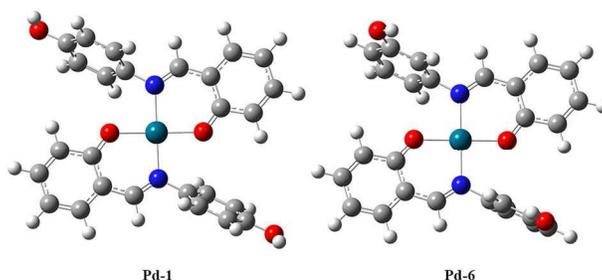
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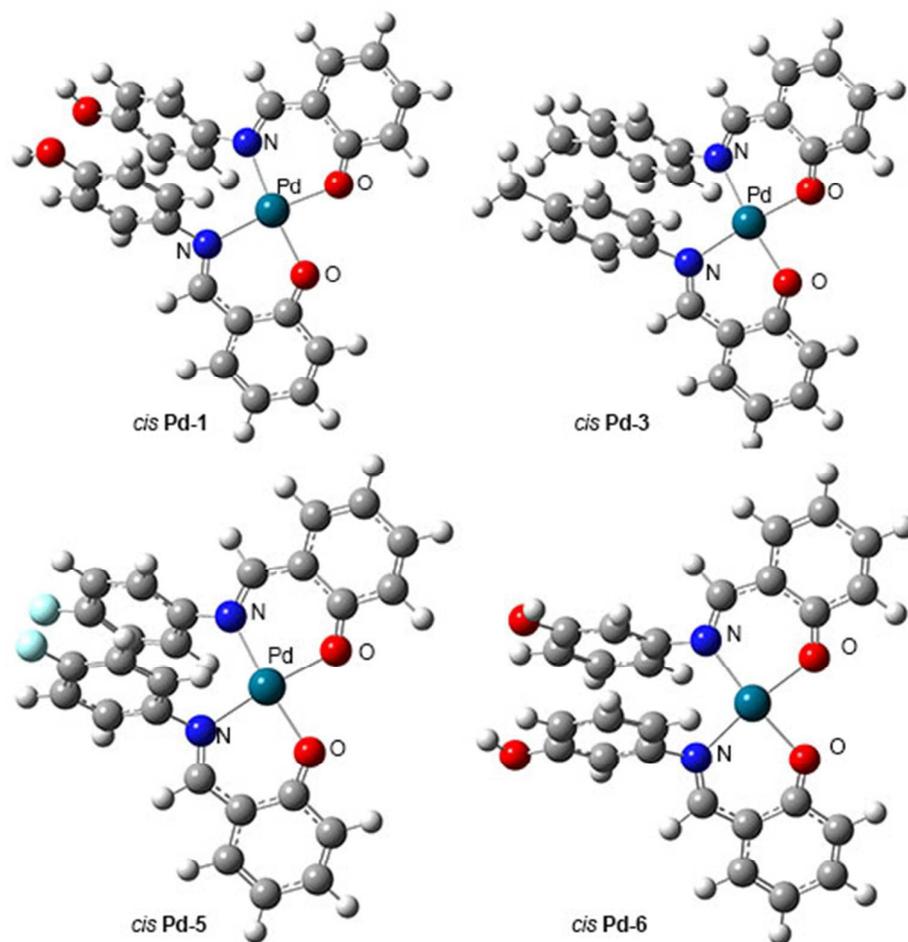


Figure S1. The optimised structures of *cis* palladium-Schiff base complexes **Pd-1**, **Pd-3**, **Pd-5**, and **Pd-6**

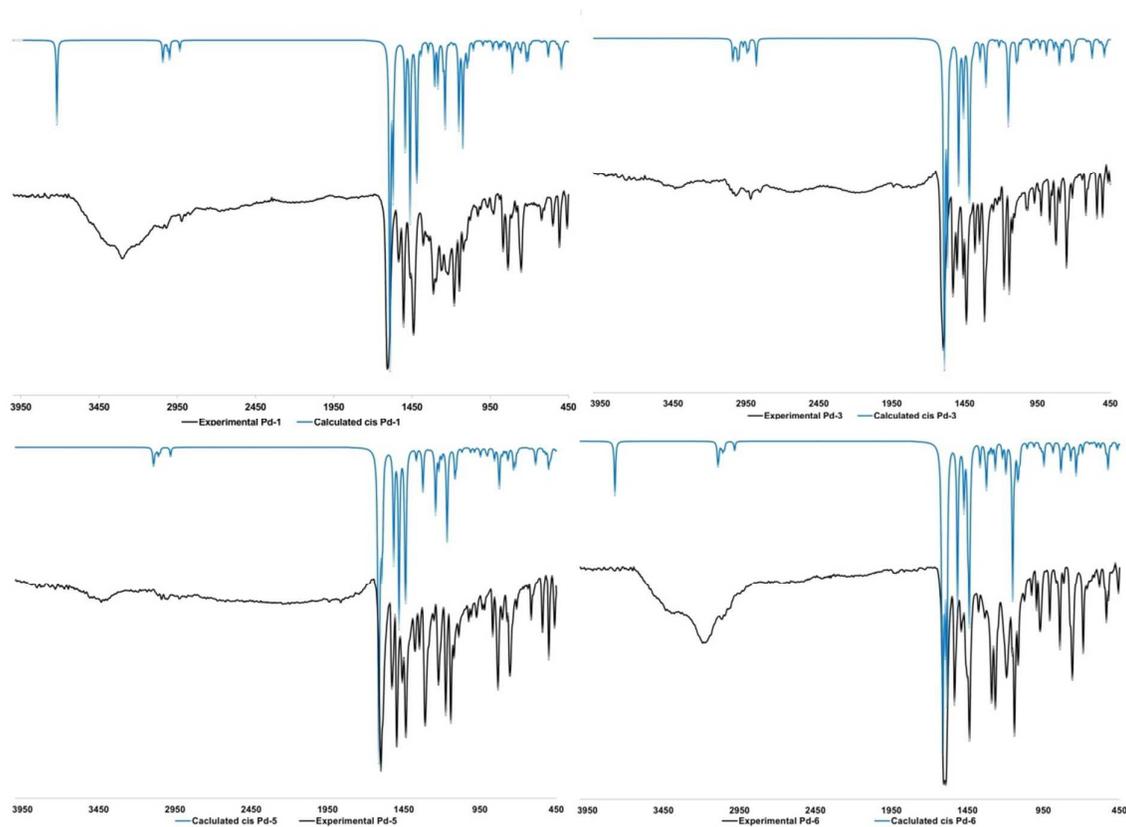


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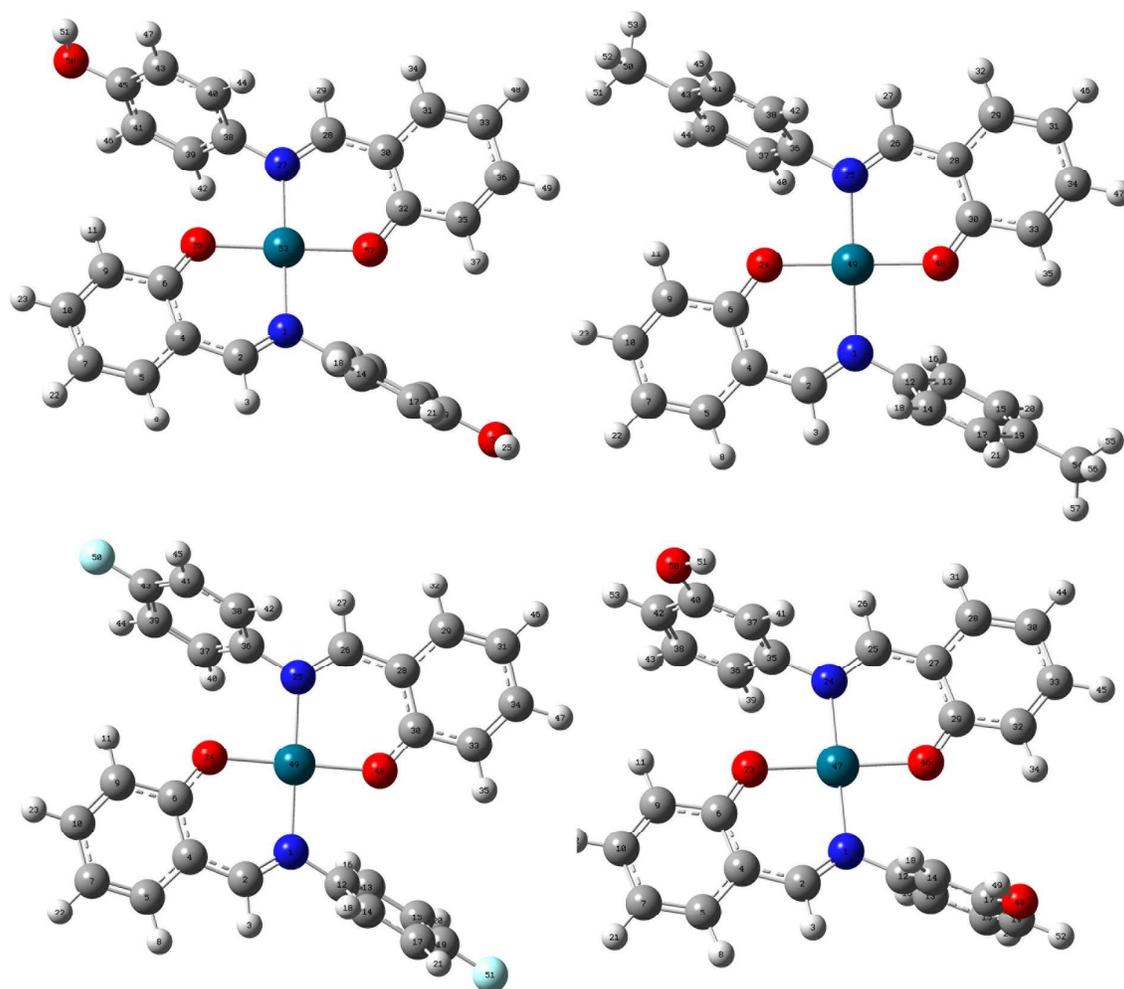


Figure S3. The optimised structures of *trans* palladium-Schiff base complexes **Pd-1**, **Pd-3**, **Pd-5**, and **Pd-6** with atoms labellings used in Tables S1-S4.

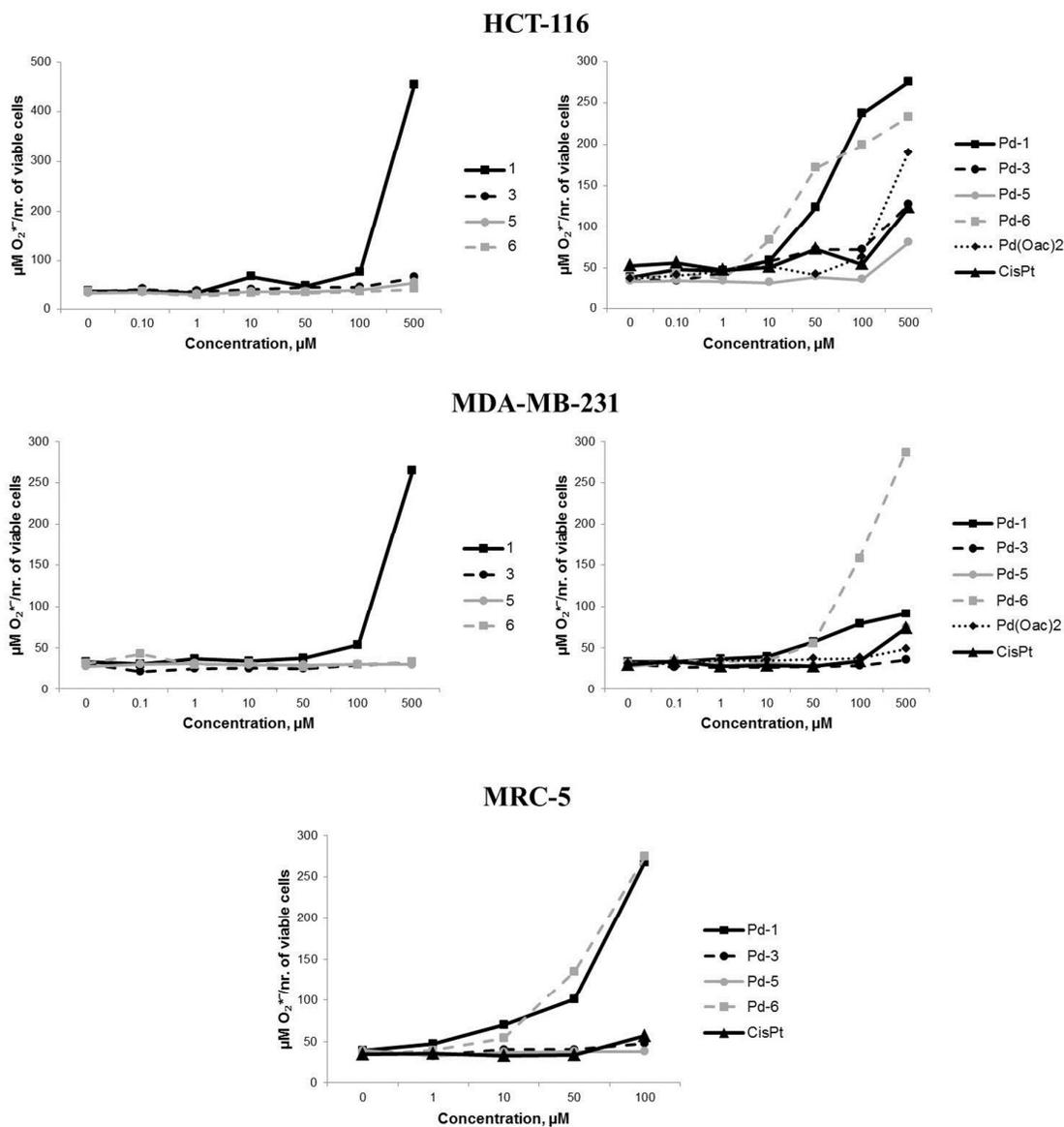


Figure S4. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the  $\text{O}_2^{\cdot-}$  concentration related to the number of viable cells, after 24 h of exposure

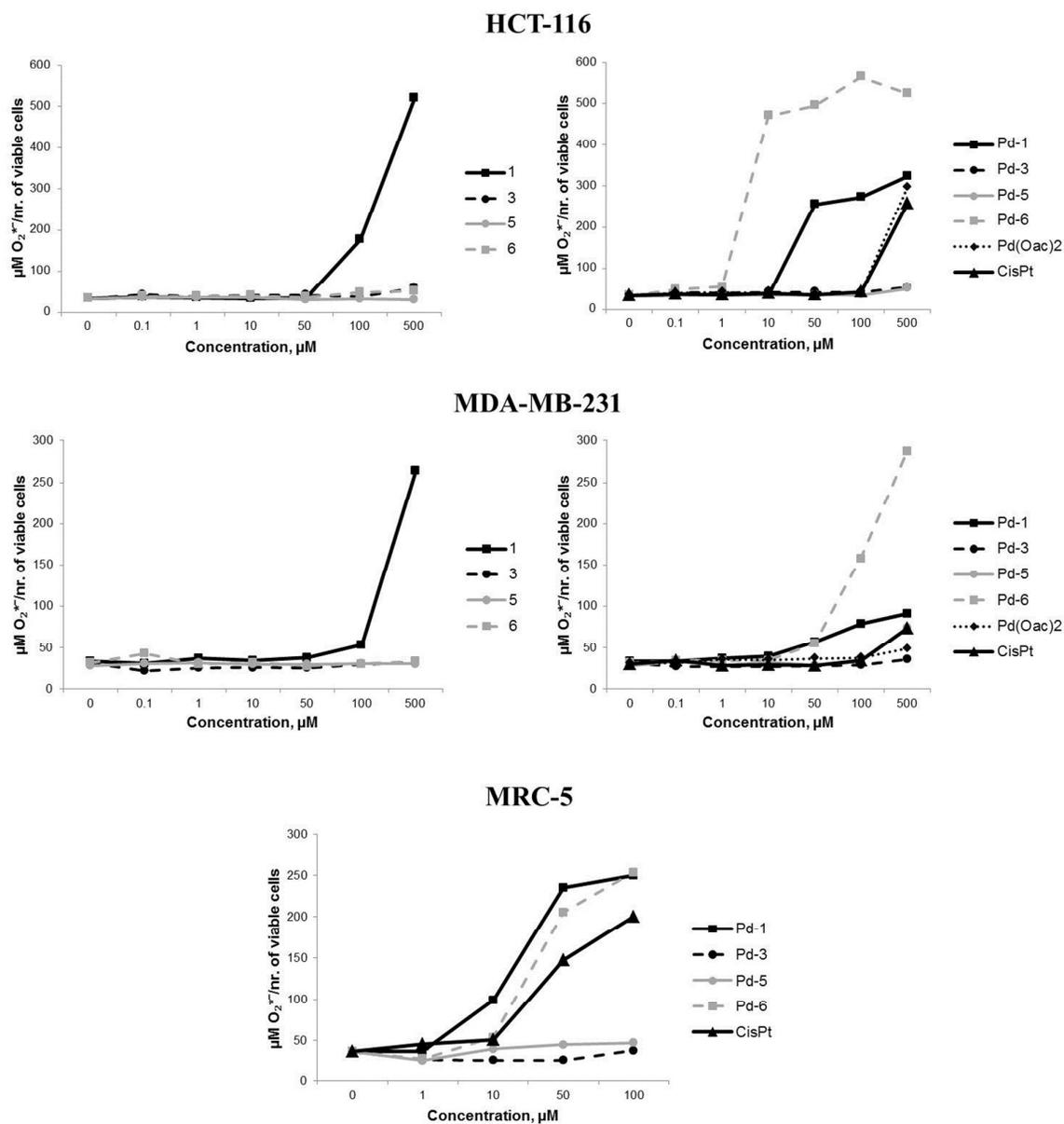


Figure S5. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the  $\text{O}_2^{\cdot-}$  concentration related to the number of viable cells, after 72 h of exposure

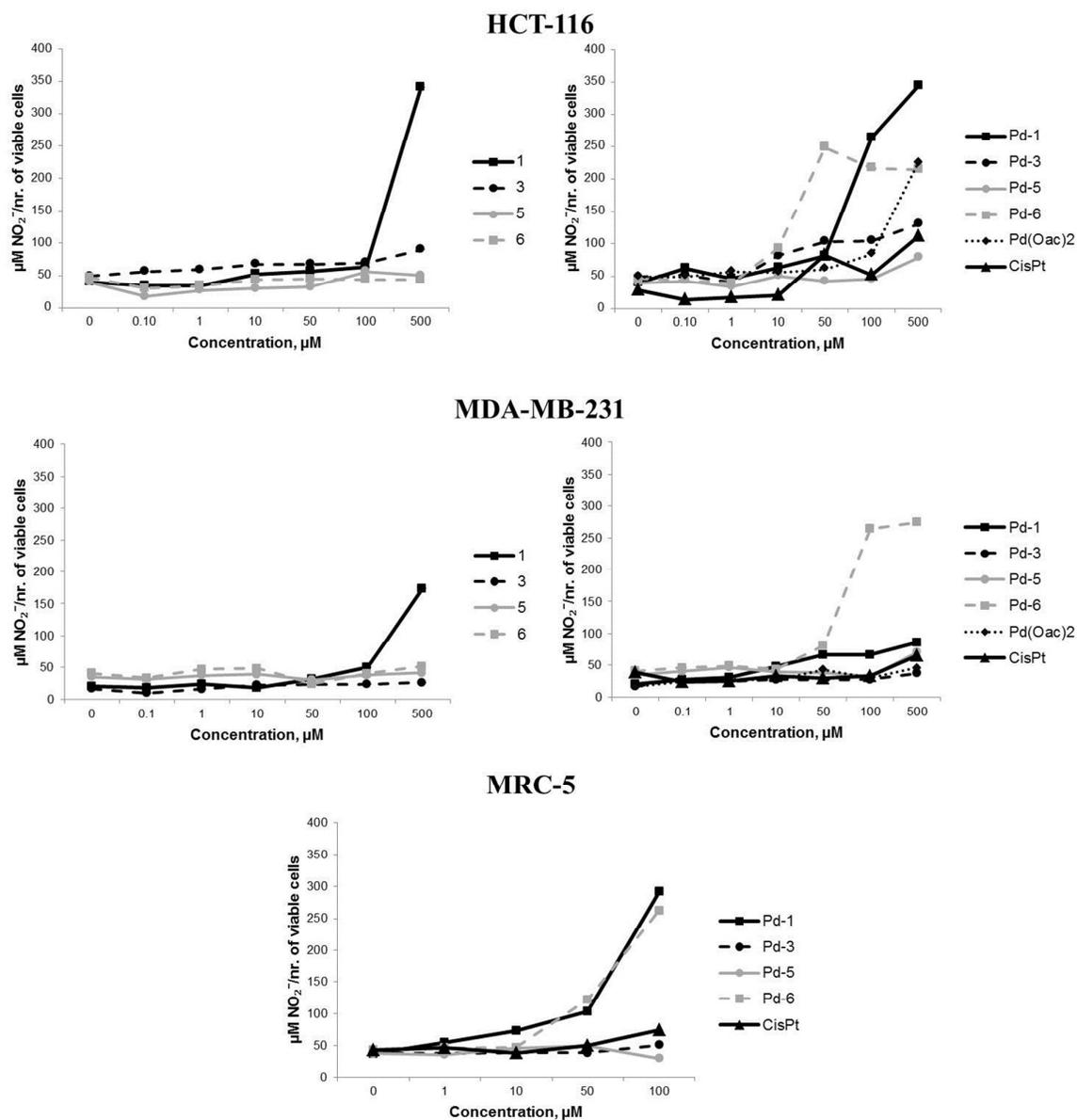


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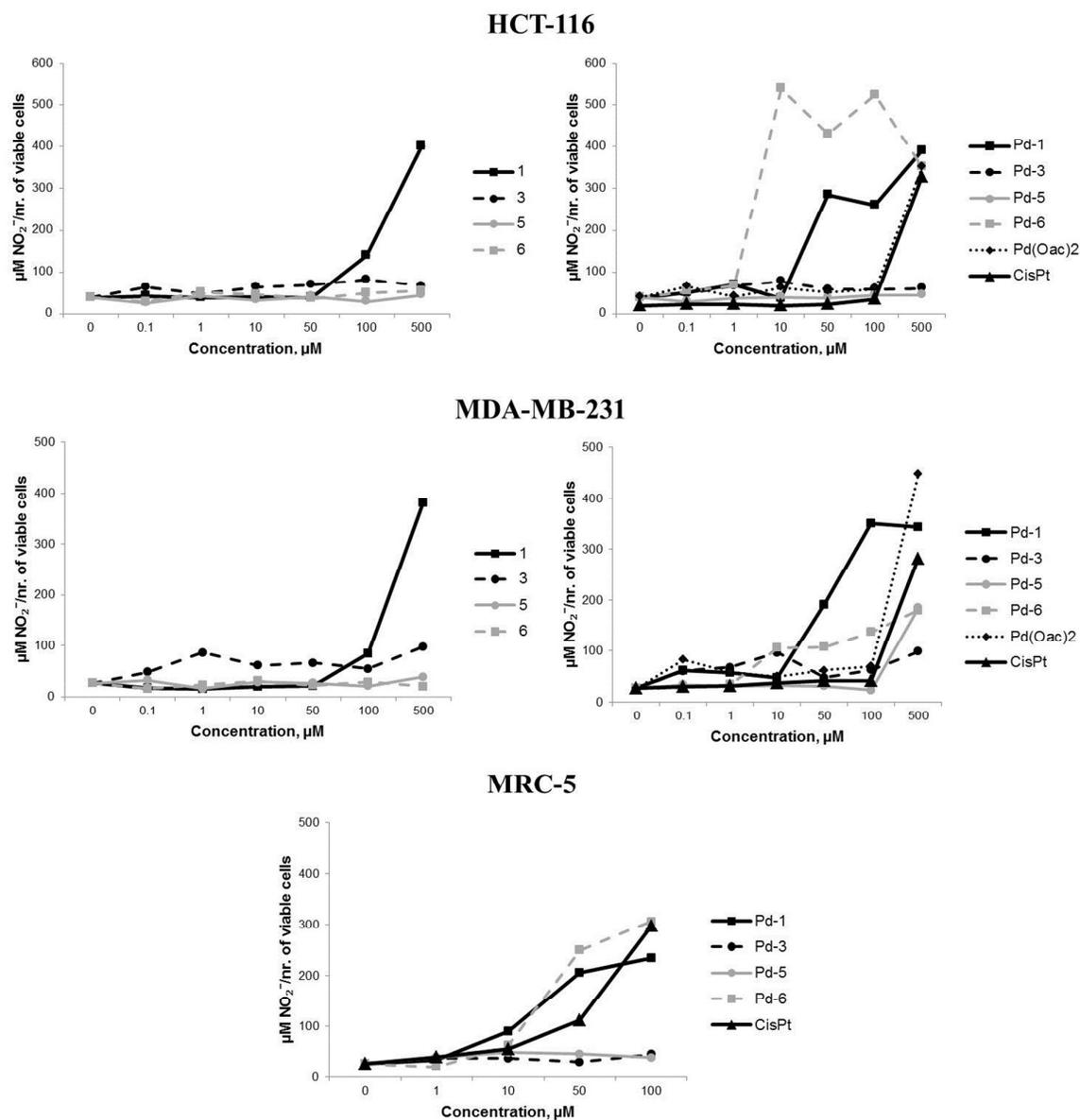


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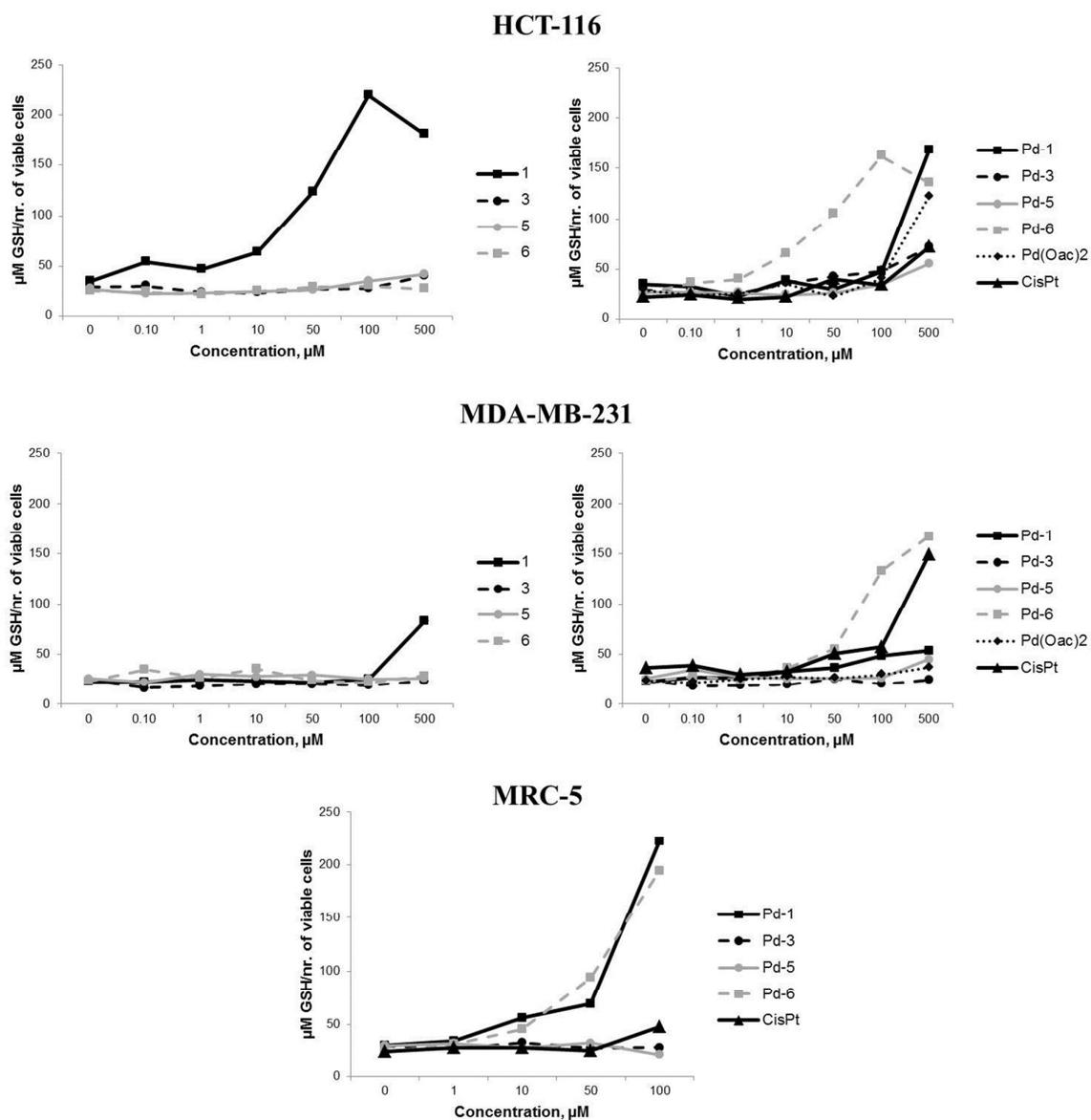


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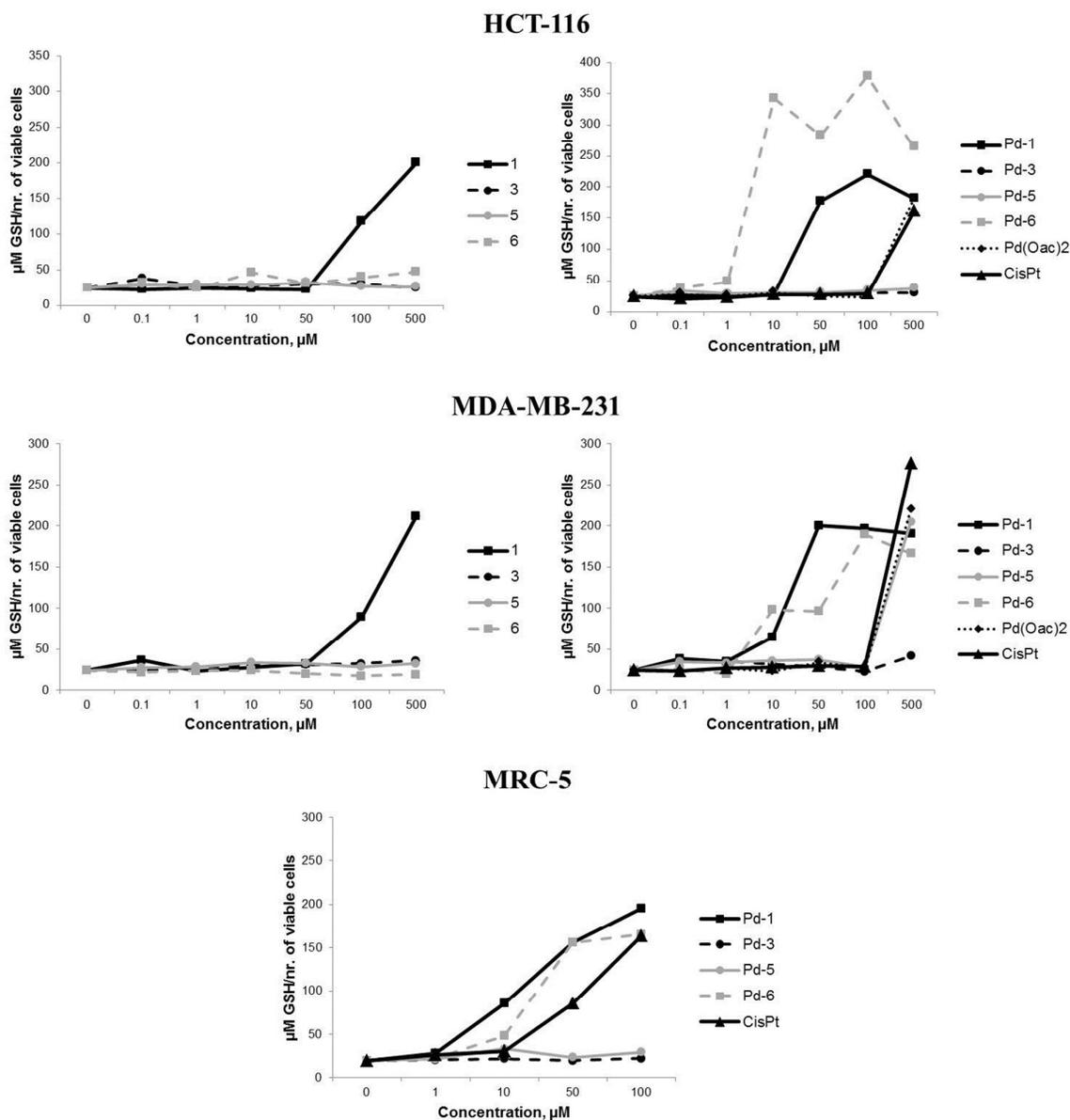


Figure S9. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the reduced glutathione (GSH) concentration related to the number of viable cells, after 72 h of exposure

Table S1.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR chemical shifts for the investigated Schiff bases and corresponding *cis* palladium complexes. R and AAE stand for correlation coefficient and Average Absolute Error.

Compound	C=N		Ar C-O'		Ar C-N		Ar C		CH <sub>3</sub>				
	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.	Exp.	Calc.			
<b>Pd-1</b> R 0.99 AAE 3							140.92	120.43	145.05	126.25			
							135.22	119.74	138.72	121.33			
		164.26	168.03	163.22	165.39	155.88	155.37	134.84	114.70	137.88	121.18	/	/
								125.70	114.36	127.98	112.79		
<b>Pd-3</b> R 0.99 AAE 2							136.07	124.40	138.38	127.55			
							135.00	120.70	136.81	125.90			
		165.26	168.41	162.68	165.79	147.12	149.68	134.38	120.33	130.81	121.30	21.10	20.83
								128.63	115.03	129.59	112.53		
<b>Pd-5</b> R 0.97 AAE 6							158.78	126.23	148.93	120.22			
							145.40	126.07	138.28	114.61			
		165.20	168.45	163.66	165.94	163.07	161.93	135.49	120.31	126.82	114.73	/	/
								134.51	114.89	121.10	112.79		
<b>Pd-6</b> R 0.99 AAE 2							150.23	120.04	155.02	120.87			
							135.35	115.45	139.00	116.64			
		164.28	168.57	163.31	165.53	157.19	156.30	135.11	114.82	138.32	113.03	/	/
								128.78	113.37	131.67	111.72		
							120.30	112.04	121.50	109.48			

Table S2. Interatomic distances, angles, and dihedral angles in **Pd-1**

Bond (Å)		Angle (°)		Dihedral angle (°)	
N1-C2	1.294	N1-C2-H3	116.141	N1-C2-C4-C5	178.784
C2-H3	1.096	N1-C2-C4	128.924	N1-C2-C4-C6	0.258
C2-C4	1.424	C2-C4-C5	116.808	C2-C4-C5-C7	-178.638
C4-C5	1.414	C2-C4-C6	123.806	C2-C4-C5-H8	1.179
C4-C6	1.427	C2-C5-C7	122.094	C2-C4-C6-C9	178.374
C5-C7	1.369	C4-C5-H8	117.981	C4-C6-C9-C10	0.213
C5-H8	1.088	C4-C6-C9	117.237	C4-C6-C9-H11	179.846
C6-C9	1.419	C6-C9-C10	121.551	C2-N1-C12-C12	178.993
C9-C10	1.370	C6-C9-H11	116.641	C2-N1-C12-C13	117.554
C9-H11	1.086	C2-N1-C12	118.093	C2-N1-C12-C14	-64.394
N1-C12	1.422	N1-C12-C13	119.933	N1-C12-C13-C15	179.575
C12-C13	1.392	N1-C12-C14	120.481	N1-C12-C13-H16	0.096
C12-C14	1.387	C12-C13-C15	120.431	N1-C12-C14-C17	-179.071
C13-C15	1.380	C12-C13-H16	118.962	N1-C12-C14-H18	-0.339
C13-H16	1.085	C12-C14-C17	120.287	C12-C14-C17-C19	0.256
C14-C17	1.388	C12-C14-H18	119.472	C12-C13-C15-H20	179.474
C14-H18	1.086	C14-C17-C19	119.864	C12-C14-C17-H21	179.725
C17-C19	1.388	C13-C15-H20	121.308	C4-C5-C7-H22	179.981
C15-H20	1.085	C14-C17-H21	120.084	C6-C9-C10-H23	179.862
C17-H21	1.088	C5-C7-H22	120.866	C14-C17-C19-O24	179.804
C7-H22	1.084	C9-C10-H23	119.193	C17-C19-O24-H25	-0.429
C10-H23	1.087	C17-C19-O24	122.713	C2-C4-C6-O26	-1.524
C19-O24	1.358	C19-O24-O25	109.820		
O24-H25	0.961	C4-C6-O26	125.530		
C6-O26	1.286	N1-Pd-N27	179.390		
Pd-N (both)	2.061	O26-Pd-O52	177.482		
PD-O (both)	2.026	N1-Pd-O52	88.581		
		N27-Pd-O52	91.406		
		N1-Pd-O26	91.406		
		N27-Pd-O26	88.581		

Table S3. Interatomic distances, angles, and dihedral angles in Pd-3

Bond (Å)		Angle (°)		Dihedral angle (°)	
N1-C2	1.294	N1-C2-H3	116.171	N1-C2-C4-C5	179.15729
C2-H3	1.096	N1-C2-C4	128.853	N1-C2-C4-C6	0.5652605
C2-C4	1.424	C2-C4-C5	116.859	C2-C4-C5-C7	-178.79058
C4-C5	1.414	C2-C4-C6	123.767	C2-C4-C5-H8	1.1141541
C4-C6	1.427	C2-C5-C7	122.092	C2-C4-C6-C9	178.5333
C5-C7	1.369	C4-C5-H8	117.981	C4-C6-C9-C10	0.1743852
C5-H8	1.088	C4-C6-C9	117.258	C4-C6-C9-H11	179.68515
C6-C9	1.420	C6-C9-C10	121.538	C4-C2-N1-C12	179.27036
C9-C10	1.370	C6-C9-H11	116.529	C2-N1-C12-C13	117.31902
C9-H11	1.086	C2-N1-C12	118.085	C2-N1-C12-C14	-64.665833
N1-C12	1.423	N1-C12-C13	119.860	N1-C12-C13-C15	179.46597
C12-C13	1.390	N1-C12-C14	120.366	N1-C12-C13-H16	0.3931708
C12-C14	1.387	C12-C13-C15	119.832	N1-C12-C14-C17	-178.96398
C13-C15	1.383	C12-C13-H16	119.061	N1-C12-C14-H18	-0.540895
C13-H16	1.086	C12-C14-C17	119.908	C12-C14-C17-C19	0.0085509
C14-C17	1.388	C12-C14-H18	119.392	C12-C13-C15-H20	179.69999
C14-H18	1.087	C14-C17-C19	121.114	C12-C14-C17-H21	179.49016
C17-C19	1.391	C13-C15-H20	119.452	C4-C5-C7-H22	-179.93577
C15-H20	1.088	C14-C17-H21	119.477	C6-C9-C10-H23	179.77455
C17-H21	1.088	C5-C7-H22	120.855	C2-C4-C6-O24	-1.3216427
C7-H22	1.084	C9-C10-H23	119.223	C14-C17-C19-C54	-178.74571
C10-H23	1.087	C4-C6-O24	125.574		
C6-O24	1.286	C14-C17-C19	121.158		
C54-H	1.094	N1-Pd-N25	179.177		
Pd-O (both)	2.024	O24-Pd-O48	177.599		
Pd-N (both)	2.060	N1-Pd-O48	88.592		
		N25-Pd-O48	91.389		
		N1-Pd-O24	91.388		
		N25-Pd-O24	88.595		

Table S4. Interatomic distances, angles, and dihedral angles in Pd-5

Bond (Å)		Angle (°)		Dihedral angle (°)	
N1-C2	1.295	N1-C2-H3	116.184	N1-C2-C4-C5	178.942
C2-H3	1.096	N1-C2-C4	128.858	N1-C2-C4-C6	0.288
C2-C4	1.423	C2-C4-C5	116.795	C2-C4-C5-C7	-178.799
C4-C5	1.415	C2-C4-C6	123.818	C2-C4-C5-H8	1.060
C4-C6	1.427	C2-C5-C7	122.059	C2-C4-C6-C9	178.608
C5-C7	1.369	C4-C5-H8	118.000	C4-C6-C9-C10	0.117
C5-H8	1.088	C4-C6-C9	117.252	C4-C6-C9-H11	179.662
C6-C9	1.419	C6-C9-C10	121.536	C4-C2-N1-C12	179.166
C9-C10	1.370	C6-C9-H11	116.673	C2-N1-C12-C13	117.131
C9-H11	1.086	C2-N1-C12	118.102	C2-N1-C12-C14	-64.699
N1-C12	1.422	N1-C12-C13	119.681	N1-C12-C13-C15	179.579
C12-C13	1.391	N1-C12-C14	120.245	N1-C12-C13-H16	0.207
C12-C14	1.389	C12-C13-C15	120.167	N1-C12-C14-C17	-179.179
C13-C15	1.383	C12-C13-H16	119.093	N1-C12-C14-H18	-0.399
C13-H16	1.085	C12-C14-C17	120.257	C12-C14-C17-C19	0.269
C14-C17	1.388	C12-C14-H18	119.418	C12-C13-C15-H20	179.493
C14-H18	1.086	C14-C17-C19	118.541	C12-C14-C17-H21	179.795
C17-C19	1.380	C13-C15-H20	121.704	C4-C5-C7-H22	-179.982
C15-H20	1.085	C14-C17-H21	121.759	C6-C9-C10-H23	179.825
C17-H21	1.084	C5-C7-H22	120.868	C2-C4-C6-O24	-1.235
C7-H22	1.084	C9-C10-H23	119.183	C14-C17-C19-C54	-2.485
C10-H23	1.087	C4-C6-O24	125.540		
C6-O24	1.287	N1-Pd-N25	179.299		
C19-F	1.340	O24-Pd-O48	177.739		
Pd-O (both)	2.025	N1-Pd-O48	88.591		
Pd-N (both)	2.060	N25-Pd-O48	91.396		
		N1-Pd-O24	91.396		
		N25-Pd-O24	88.590		

Table S5. Interatomic distances, angles, and dihedral angles in Pd-6

Bond (Å)		Angle (°)		Dihedral angle (°)	
N1-C2	1.293	N1-C2-H3	116.241	N1-C2-C4-C5	178.802
C2-H3	1.096	N1-C2-C4	128.583	N1-C2-C4-C6	-0.524
C2-C4	1.424	C2-C4-C5	116.920	C2-C4-C5-C7	-179.269
C4-C5	1.414	C2-C4-C6	123.713	C2-C4-C5-H8	0.549
C4-C6	1.427	C2-C5-C7	122.036	C2-C4-C6-C9	179.171
C5-C7	1.369	C4-C5-H8	117.999	C4-C6-C9-C10	0.093
C5-H8	1.088	C4-C6-C9	117.288	C4-C6-C9-H11	-179.920
C6-C9	1.420	C6-C9-C10	121.481	C4-C2-N1-C12	179.535
C9-C10	1.370	C6-C9-H11	116.468	C2-N1-C12-C13	103.736
C9-H11	1.086	C2-N1-C12	118.423	C2-N1-C12-C14	-78.703
N1-C12	1.424	N1-C12-C13	119.912	N1-C12-C13-C15	178.134
C12-C13	1.386	N1-C12-C14	119.118	N1-C12-C13-H16	-0.305
C12-C14	1.388	C12-C13-C15	118.891	N1-C12-C14-C17	-177.770
C13-C15	1.387	C12-C13-H16	119.418	N1-C12-C14-H18	0.419
C13-H16	1.085	C12-C14-C17	119.495	C12-C14-C17-C19	-0.648
C14-C17	1.389	C12-C14-H18	119.520	C12-C13-C15-H20	179.818
C14-H18	1.088	C14-C17-C19	121.044	C12-C14-C17-H21	179.908
C15-C19	1.386	C13-C15-H20	119.584	C6-C9-C10-H22	-179.995
C15-H20	1.086	C5-C7-H21	120.871	C2-C4-C6-O23	-0.886
C7-H21	1.084	C9-C10-H22	119.194	C4-C6-O23-Pd	0.219
C10-H20	1.087	C4-C6-O24	125.650	C12-C14-C17-O48	179.874
C6-O23	1.286	C6-O23-Pd	127.156	C14-C17-O48-H49	-2.919
C17-O48	1.357	C14-C17-O48	122.307		
O48-H49	0.961	N1-Pd-N24	179.826		
C19-H52	1.085	O23-Pd-O46	178.593		
Pd-N (both)	2.055	N1-Pd-O46	88.710		
Pd-O (both)	2.025	N24-Pd-O46	91.287		
		N1-Pd-O23	91.287		
		N24-Pd-O23	88.711		

Table S6. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the  $O_2^{\cdot-}$  concentration after 24 h of exposure. \* $p < 0.05$  as compared to the control cells

Superoxide anion radical, $O_2^{\cdot-}$ ( $\mu\text{M}$ )										
HCT-116										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu\text{M}$	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	37.07±0.28	37.07±0.28	37.07±0.28	37.07±0.28	37.07±0.28	37.07±0.28	37.07±0.28	37.07±0.28	37.07±0.28	40.03±0.33
0.1	41.15±0.91*	39.18±0.55	40.82±0.60*	38.17±0.62	35.04±0.29	38.17±1.28	37.94±0.30	33.99±0.01*	39.37±0.50*	46.16±2.58*
1	39.46±1.69	36.75±1.27	38.15±0.91	31.61±0.15*	39.32±0.48*	44.15±0.53*	38.60±0.12*	32.23±0.19*	42.51±0.31*	50.57±0.53*
10	49.45±0.65*	37.29±1.18	40.62±0.55*	31.65±0.17*	37.88±1.23	41.79±0.50*	38.98±0.67*	32.16±0.44*	41.30±0.12*	45.87±1.15*
50	43.78±0.79*	40.25±1.40	39.51±0.97*	32.43±0.55*	36.57±0.25	41.30±0.38*	43.62±0.56*	33.36±0.16*	39.10±0.92	38.05±0.43
100	40.09±0.35	36.58±1.52	36.03±0.77	31.79±0.11*	39.19±0.72	41.05±0.95*	35.89±0.35	36.71±0.50	41.67±0.92*	31.88±0.22*
500	64.04±1.06*	41.37±0.78*	41.25±0.28*	33.01±0.55*	42.36±0.62*	54.85±0.47*	51.47±0.19*	46.96±0.52*	40.96±0.90*	31.64±0.42*
MDA-MB-231										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu\text{M}$	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	31.02±0.19	31.02±0.19	31.02±0.19	31.02±0.19	31.02±0.19	31.02±0.19	31.02±0.19	31.02±0.19	31.02±0.19	30.56±0.36
0.1	30.74±0.14	31.65±0.17	35.02±0.27*	34.03±0.71*	29.46±1.34	31.15±0.21	32.51±0.74	34.81±0.21*	30.95±0.36	32.41±0.18*
1	30.97±0.08	32.67±0.23*	33.51±0.40*	28.39±0.32*	32.02±0.49	31.97±0.20	29.79±0.17	32.82±0.31*	30.53±0.38	31.61±0.19*
10	31.44±0.19	32.24±0.20*	32.94±0.03*	30.61±0.72	32.00±1.61	32.15±0.76	34.46±1.08*	27.45±0.27*	31.61±0.42	31.81±0.23*
50	34.70±0.11*	31.73±0.24	30.96±0.08	27.06±0.59*	35.70±0.41*	31.73±0.20	31.21±0.35	30.00±0.85	32.77±0.87	30.45±0.10
100	40.02±0.16*	31.71±0.30	32.54±0.14*	29.95±0.22	36.64±0.07*	34.65±0.05*	38.93±0.67*	30.24±0.57	30.95±0.22	29.81±0.03*
500	61.67±1.17*	32.24±0.17*	31.06±0.11	28.82±0.07*	37.43±1.37*	36.01±0.13*	47.63±0.56*	48.46±0.47*	31.16±0.73	30.24±0.23
MRC-5										
$\mu\text{M}$					Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	-	-	-	-	37.53±0.15	37.53±0.15	37.53±0.15	37.53±0.15	-	37.53±0.15
1	-	-	-	-	37.05±1.10	35.51±2.20	35.39±3.43	39.20±2.98	-	40.97±0.72*
10	-	-	-	-	37.91±0.43	39.54±0.04	39.02±0.64	44.03±0.41*	-	38.98±0.27
50	-	-	-	-	38.93±0.22	40.95±0.31	39.73±0.56	42.21±0.63*	-	40.23±0.15*
100	-	-	-	-	38.38±0.78	41.28±0.15	40.70±0.99	46.58±0.30*	-	41.63±0.14*

Table S7. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the  $O_2^{\cdot-}$  concentration after 72 h of exposure. \*p < 0.05 as compared to the control cells

Superoxide anion radical, $O_2^{\cdot-}$ ( $\mu$ M)										
HCT-116										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu$ M	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09	31.78±0.09
0.1	37.65±0.23*	34.08±0.66*	34.97±0.48	37.84±1.38*	31.63±0.41	31.82±0.14	33.21±1.02	31.95±0.54	31.82±0.14	29.89±0.77
1	36.29±0.88*	32.73±0.57	35.20±0.45*	35.28±1.85*	31.02±0.15	33.58±1.17	33.18±0.23	34.38±0.15*	33.58±1.17	29.37±0.18
10	34.71±0.55*	33.78±0.91	34.33±0.52*	32.21±0.41	31.25±0.15	31.60±0.25	32.65±0.18	44.43±0.69*	31.60±0.25	31.29±0.96
50	35.70±0.46*	34.98±0.59*	29.47±0.50	31.24±1.06	33.18±0.14	31.11±0.17	33.15±0.81	45.16±0.83*	31.11±0.17	32.27±1.01
100	38.65±0.61*	33.84±0.67	32.06±1.40	32.25±0.93	34.26±0.49*	31.58±0.51	32.99±1.51	50.55±1.25*	31.58±0.51	32.04±0.69
500	67.01±1.23*	41.35±0.63*	29.57±2.62	32.98±0.53	41.40±0.26*	33.54±0.21	40.69±1.77*	50.44±0.52*	33.54±0.21	29.19±0.37
MDA-MB-231										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu$ M	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	25.92±0.22	25.92±0.22	25.92±0.22	25.92±0.22	25.92±0.22	25.92±0.22	25.92±0.22	25.92±0.22	25.92±0.22	28.71±0.31
0.1	27.64±0.15	26.00±0.18	29.89±0.76*	30.45±0.28*	20.05±0.22*	23.60±0.18	26.73±0.04	25.59±0.08	25.17±0.29	29.08±0.08
1	25.33±0.72	26.04±0.06	29.81±0.40*	29.64±0.52*	19.71±1.51*	22.08±0.28*	27.56±0.27	25.49±0.30	24.60±0.34	29.20±0.28
10	25.56±0.05	25.08±0.13	28.19±0.66*	27.04±0.24	21.64±0.07*	23.72±0.15	26.07±0.07	25.07±0.03	25.40±0.12	29.01±0.07
50	26.93±0.07	24.53±0.15	25.36±0.24	28.64±0.32*	22.63±0.22*	24.36±0.38	27.53±0.11	25.76±0.14	25.47±0.09	28.87±0.44
100	36.19±0.13*	24.49±0.04	26.93±0.28	25.77±0.16	22.32±0.10*	25.12±0.19	28.91±0.27*	26.29±0.11	24.61±0.35	28.14±0.19
500	63.24±0.39*	24.20±0.54	26.91±0.31	24.48±0.06	27.93±0.60	28.76±0.08*	34.00±1.43*	32.11±0.54*	30.23±0.10*	27.16±0.11
MRC-5										
$\mu$ M					Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	-	-	-	-	37.11±0.26	37.11±0.26	37.11±0.26	37.11±0.26	-	37.11±0.26
1	-	-	-	-	38.85±0.19	34.72±0.09*	32.51±0.60*	30.85±0.78*	-	37.99±1.26
10	-	-	-	-	36.93±0.41	36.00±0.66	36.21±0.99	33.92±0.67*	-	35.78±0.68
50	-	-	-	-	36.23±0.30	35.88±0.17	43.00±0.99*	30.93±0.40*	-	37.84±1.63
100	-	-	-	-	37.66±0.13	36.52±0.44	44.48±2.01*	35.30±0.29	-	32.82±1.17*

Table S8. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the  $\text{NO}_2^-$  concentration after 24 h of exposure. \* $p < 0.05$  as compared to the control cells

Nitrites, $\text{NO}_2^-$ ( $\mu\text{M}$ )										
HCT-116										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu\text{M}$	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	43.21±0.34	43.21±0.34	43.21±0.34	43.21±0.34	43.21±0.34	43.21±0.34	43.21±0.34	43.21±0.34	43.21±0.34	28.37±0.27
0.1	41.65±0.63	46.39±0.81	19.77±1.02*	28.18±2.23*	51.92±1.17*	51.76±0.83*	47.24±2.34*	31.20±1.26*	42.40±1.45	10.96±0.43*
1	41.96±1.42	50.83±0.22*	31.92±2.20*	33.92±4.00*	45.46±2.08	35.96±0.64*	39.14±5.08	31.18±0.81*	47.40±0.24*	18.11±1.37*
10	43.62±3.41	54.13±0.99*	32.46±3.44*	37.64±2.21*	47.17±1.15*	52.40±1.89*	62.07±1.55*	33.25±2.13*	39.31±0.25*	18.00±0.98*
50	57.30±1.42*	52.43±2.19*	34.13±1.64*	38.04±0.73*	27.90±0.46*	53.31±1.96*	47.86±1.59*	45.42±2.56	50.96±0.17*	43.36±1.86*
100	38.91±2.45	49.54±2.05*	51.54±0.42*	34.60±0.38*	50.86±0.60*	53.93±0.83*	46.64±3.25	37.38±3.04*	49.46±1.74*	29.72±0.52
500	55.95±3.18*	51.01±0.24*	38.10±4.15*	31.40±2.18*	61.74±0.51*	50.89±0.79*	51.95±1.01*	40.51±1.27	43.92±1.69	31.26±1.47
MDA-MB-231										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu\text{M}$	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	28.21±0.22	28.21±0.22	28.21±0.22	28.21±0.22	28.21±0.22	28.21±0.22	28.21±0.22	28.21±0.22	28.21±0.22	39.00±0.30
0.1	27.08±0.49	24.43±0.41	26.21±0.94	18.51±1.81*	35.79±2.31*	57.98±2.98*	28.74±1.09	32.48±1.30*	42.51±1.15*	22.59±1.78*
1	29.86±0.31	35.59±1.78*	29.10±1.17	31.83±1.38*	38.89±0.57*	49.56±1.85*	35.20±3.68*	33.22±1.53*	41.90±1.05*	28.10±1.32*
10	24.31±0.57	47.55±3.22*	31.08±1.30	32.49±1.75*	57.43±0.49*	56.90±0.78*	30.72±1.98	24.22±0.98*	42.09±0.32*	36.17±1.18*
50	43.59±2.10*	50.72±3.48*	22.87±0.89*	16.65±1.90*	61.86±5.69*	52.17±3.67*	30.87±3.22*	31.20±2.47*	65.91±2.88*	31.55±0.88*
100	56.11±1.07*	42.50±3.91*	29.57±0.26	28.06±0.95	45.37±0.09*	56.72±3.08*	27.63±1.09	35.56±2.96*	43.10±0.33*	28.88±1.77*
500	60.24±1.02*	45.67±1.40*	30.89±1.31	31.72±0.97*	52.31±1.73*	64.79±1.16*	32.99±0.51*	32.63±1.17*	50.95±1.46*	26.87±0.47*
MRC-5										
$\mu\text{M}$					Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	-	-	-	-	40.27±0.27	40.27±0.24	40.27±0.27	40.27±0.27	-	40.27±0.27
1	-	-	-	-	48.57±2.13*	46.28±1.65*	44.50±1.98*	40.03±1.43	-	45.68±1.42*
10	-	-	-	-	44.82±0.72*	44.15±1.22*	54.72±2.20*	33.75±1.49*	-	39.36±1.06
50	-	-	-	-	45.23±2.62*	45.19±0.48*	58.43±1.23*	33.44±1.42*	-	50.88±0.06*
100	-	-	-	-	47.90±0.62*	49.92±3.45*	36.22±1.16*	39.14±1.83	-	47.17±2.30*

Table S9. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the  $\text{NO}_2^-$  concentration after 72 h of exposure. \* $p < 0.05$  as compared to the control cells

Nitrites, $\text{NO}_2^-$ ( $\mu\text{M}$ )										
HCT-116										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu\text{M}$	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	37.88±0.32	37.88±0.32	37.88±0.32	37.88±0.32	37.88±0.32	37.88±0.32	37.88±0.32	37.88±0.32	37.88±0.32	18.69±0.19
0.1	43.54±2.03*	51.42±1.42*	25.75±3.43*	28.00±1.29*	47.52±1.51*	37.42±1.92	28.57±0.22*	36.29±2.20	53.72±1.16*	18.63±1.21
1	41.50±4.74*	42.10±0.90*	42.74±2.29*	47.98±1.31*	63.50±1.46*	56.38±0.28*	35.67±1.41	42.88±0.61*	33.84±3.37*	18.21±0.13
10	43.85±0.39*	54.29±2.74*	31.62±0.55*	37.08±0.51	32.90±0.94*	59.95±0.35*	39.16±1.53	50.91±2.08*	50.80±1.29*	15.18±0.72*
50	39.43±1.07	59.00±1.31*	40.98±2.62	31.46±2.87*	37.14±2.13	43.91±2.06*	35.48±0.84	39.36±1.92	47.53±1.71*	20.82±0.42
100	30.71±1.51*	74.06±1.12*	29.58±3.60*	33.38±1.22*	32.76±0.89*	46.19±2.13*	43.09±1.73*	47.02±2.07*	44.81±0.59*	26.69±2.85*
500	51.64±3.00*	47.43±3.88*	44.19±3.02*	34.90±1.00*	49.76±1.75*	38.75±1.60	36.33±0.83	33.82±1.37*	39.79±2.24	37.12±1.11*
MDA-MB-231										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu\text{M}$	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24	26.51±0.24
0.1	17.44±0.44*	48.32±2.61*	31.05±0.95*	16.61±0.98*	50.43±0.96*	55.52±1.36*	30.46±2.59	28.21±1.51	63.90±5.25*	29.62±0.26
1	16.19±0.54*	75.03±2.29*	14.60±1.00*	20.64±3.50*	49.57±3.55*	56.22±2.37*	25.04±0.75	33.91±1.56*	53.71±1.04*	28.97±0.53
10	20.18±0.49*	53.53±1.29*	25.90±0.72	30.95±1.40*	25.46±0.94	78.20±4.11*	28.23±1.41	22.41±0.71*	50.33±0.56*	37.18±0.78*
50	16.94±0.19*	56.11±1.93*	23.71±0.70*	24.85±0.46	30.12±0.17*	42.94±2.13*	27.17±0.97	20.93±1.27*	59.13±2.55*	38.89±0.89*
100	24.28±0.87	46.30±2.57*	19.75±1.40*	31.17±0.62*	61.31±0.95*	62.02±0.05*	22.64±1.84*	19.10±0.26*	68.01±0.86*	39.79±0.77*
500	49.56±0.79*	62.75±2.58*	29.76±1.43*	22.93±0.56*	51.22±0.60*	72.93±4.24*	23.00±1.18	24.13±1.60	50.80±1.84*	31.87±1.00*
MRC-5										
$\mu\text{M}$					Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	-	-	-	-	26.40±0.28	26.40±0.28	26.40±0.28	26.40±0.28	-	26.40±0.28
1	-	-	-	-	35.99±2.19*	49.51±1.18*	49.40±2.49*	22.59±0.75	-	33.68±3.14*
10	-	-	-	-	33.84±1.62*	51.09±2.10*	44.14±1.48*	39.57±0.38*	-	39.16±2.01*
50	-	-	-	-	31.65±2.73*	40.79±1.19*	43.69±1.70*	37.57±1.70*	-	28.73±0.93
100	-	-	-	-	35.34±0.49*	43.26±1.37*	36.80±1.72*	42.69±1.30*	-	48.75±1.18*

Table S10. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the reduced glutathione (GSH) concentration after 24 h of exposure. \*p < 0.05 as compared to the control cells

GSH ( $\mu\text{M}$ )										
HCT-116										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu\text{M}$	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	29.56±0.25	29.56±0.25	29.56±0.25	29.56±0.25	29.56±0.25	29.56±0.25	29.56±0.25	29.56±0.25	29.56±0.25	22.85±0.25
0.1	35.35±1.36*	28.05±0.58	26.30±1.66	28.93±0.69	31.45±1.40	29.19±0.26	29.56±0.59	31.78±0.59	23.77±0.22*	20.6±0.20*
1	35.16±0.87*	23.24±0.11*	27.87±0.82	27.02±1.40	23.03±0.83*	25.77±1.16*	30.33±0.70	39.45±0.86*	23.95±0.05*	22.23±0.54
10	36.46±0.96*	21.29±0.49*	27.50±2.19	27.23±0.14	25.43±1.70*	26.02±0.42*	29.41±0.93	28.70±3.22	27.92±1.11	20.28±0.98*
50	32.76±0.40	23.81±0.73*	27.84±0.80	30.98±2.93	23.98±0.68*	24.49±0.41*	29.22±0.34	23.40±0.88*	21.49±0.24*	21.21±0.08
100	32.55±1.52	22.24±0.39*	31.38±0.60	29.65±0.25	22.71±0.31*	27.52±0.33	34.61±0.58*	33.91±1.94	26.89±0.85*	20.21±0.08*
500	25.09±1.27*	25.59±0.52*	31.37±1.03	24.47±0.85*	21.29±0.29*	31.07±1.24	35.30±0.59*	31.09±1.80	26.50±0.36*	20.22±1.77
MDA-MB-231										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
$\mu\text{M}$	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	23.68±0.24	23.68±0.24	23.68±0.24	23.68±0.24	23.68±0.24	23.68±0.24	23.68±0.24	23.68±0.24	23.68±0.24	36.24±0.24
0.1	24.23±1.18	23.43±0.54	20.90±0.15*	28.88±1.30*	26.03±1.42	20.61±0.02	28.66±1.21*	29.64±0.32*	21.64±1.63	36.27±1.18
1	22.90±1.15	23.50±0.21	26.81±0.98*	26.67±1.30	24.50±0.81	22.70±0.21	23.58±1.78	24.34±0.87	21.82±0.43	33.79±0.51
10	23.32±0.30	24.49±1.11	25.54±0.40	35.80±2.19*	29.20±0.36*	23.62±0.29	23.09±0.34	30.23±1.11*	25.00±0.05	35.66±0.43
50	21.84±0.14	24.78±0.48	25.31±0.27	24.25±0.74	25.24±0.75	29.22±1.05*	24.02±0.45	31.54±0.22*	23.39±0.27	53.53±1.31*
100	21.43±0.28	19.99±0.08*	22.59±0.90	22.33±0.21	24.74±0.67	24.44±0.66	25.94±0.63	26.80±1.00*	24.63±0.62	48.74±1.96*
500	21.64±0.12	23.67±0.16	22.07±0.16	25.77±0.69	24.33±0.62	25.09±1.23	24.08±0.59	29.66±1.24*	23.98±1.32	60.8±4.12*
MRC-5										
$\mu\text{M}$					Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	-	-	-	-	27.27±0.11	27.27±0.11	27.27±0.11	27.27±0.11	-	27.27±0.11
1	-	-	-	-	26.12±0.45	27.85±0.71	33.58±0.86*	31.95±0.46*	-	32.17±1.20
10	-	-	-	-	29.41±0.57*	31.03±1.12*	27.39±1.69	37.86±1.20*	-	32.98±1.22*
50	-	-	-	-	25.99±0.27	26.91±1.15	32.41±1.76*	30.39±0.92*	-	29.69±2.25

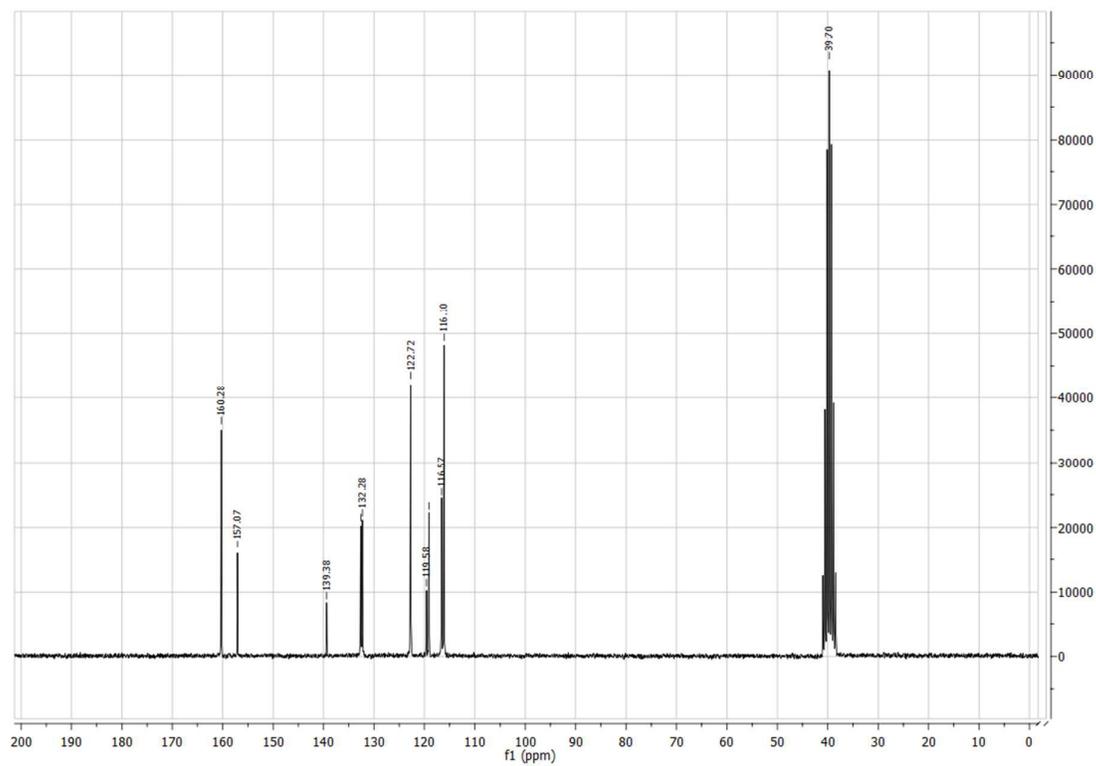
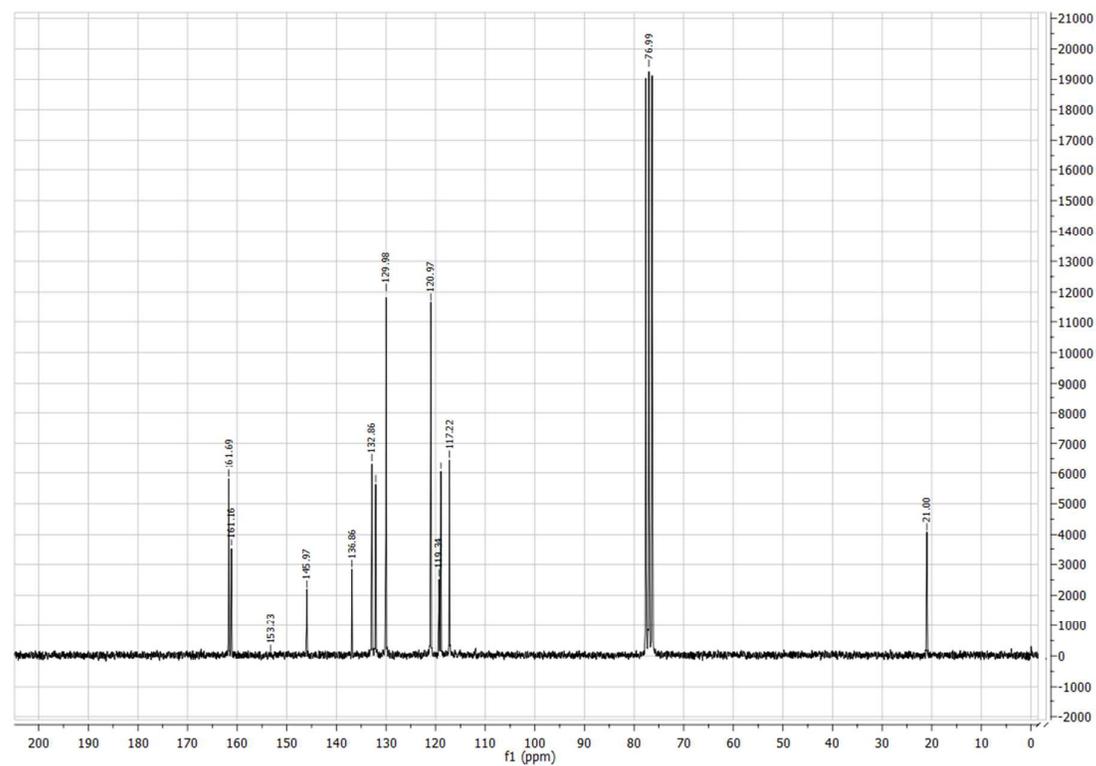
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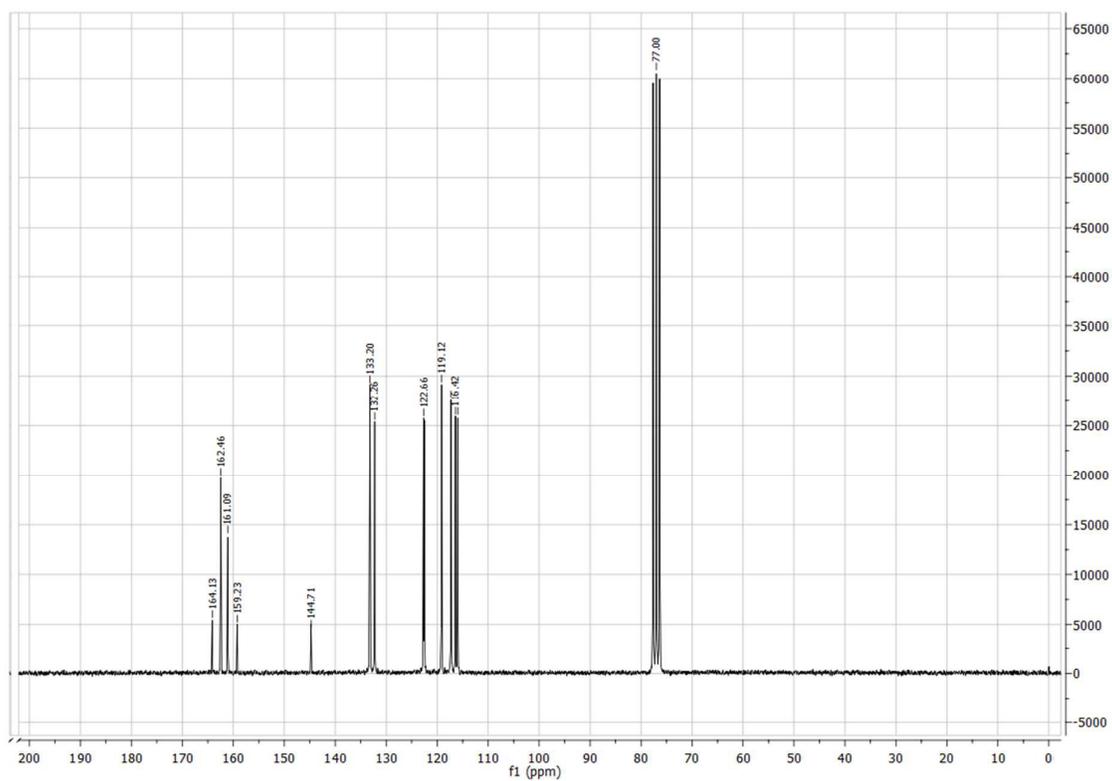
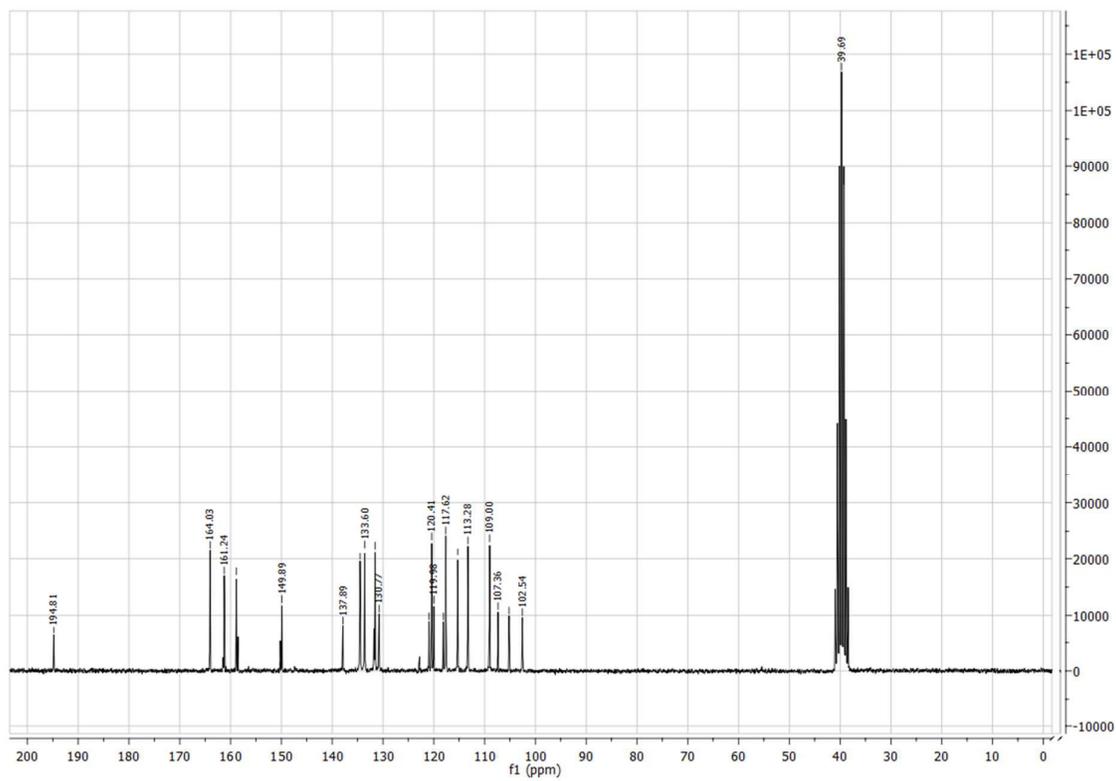
Table S11. Effects of Schiff bases and their complexes on HCT-116, MDA-MB-231 and MRC-5 cell lines, expressed as the reduced glutathione (GSH) concentration after 72 h of exposure. \*p < 0.05 as compared to the control cells

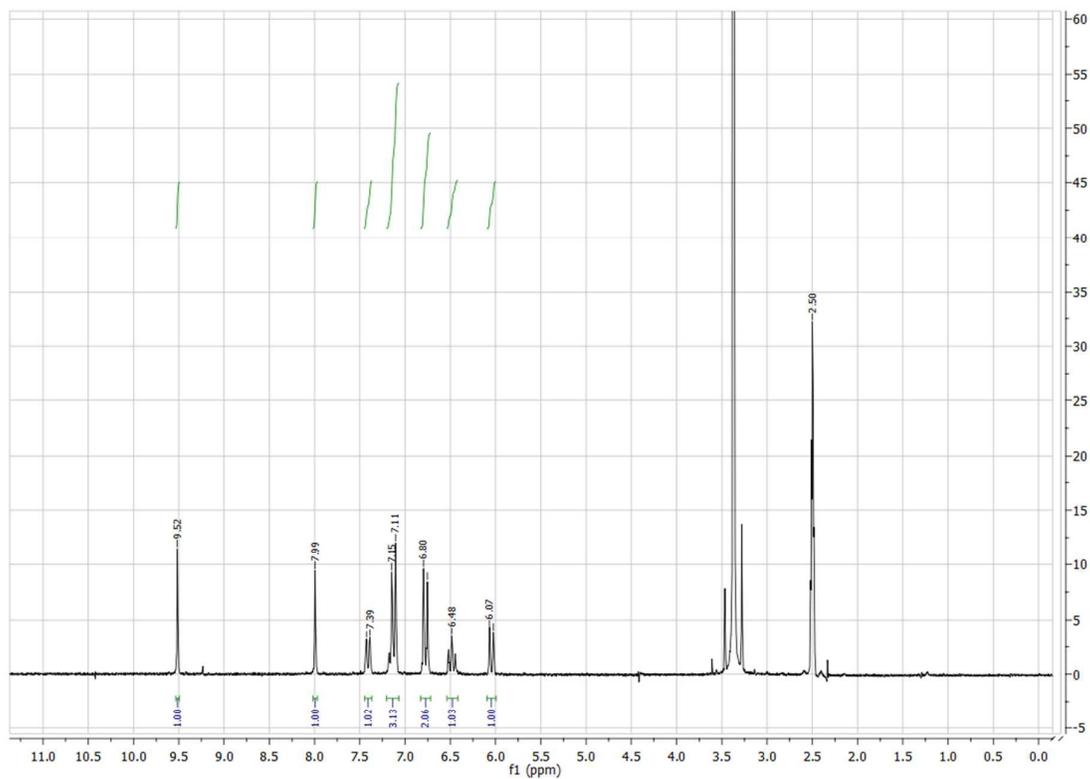
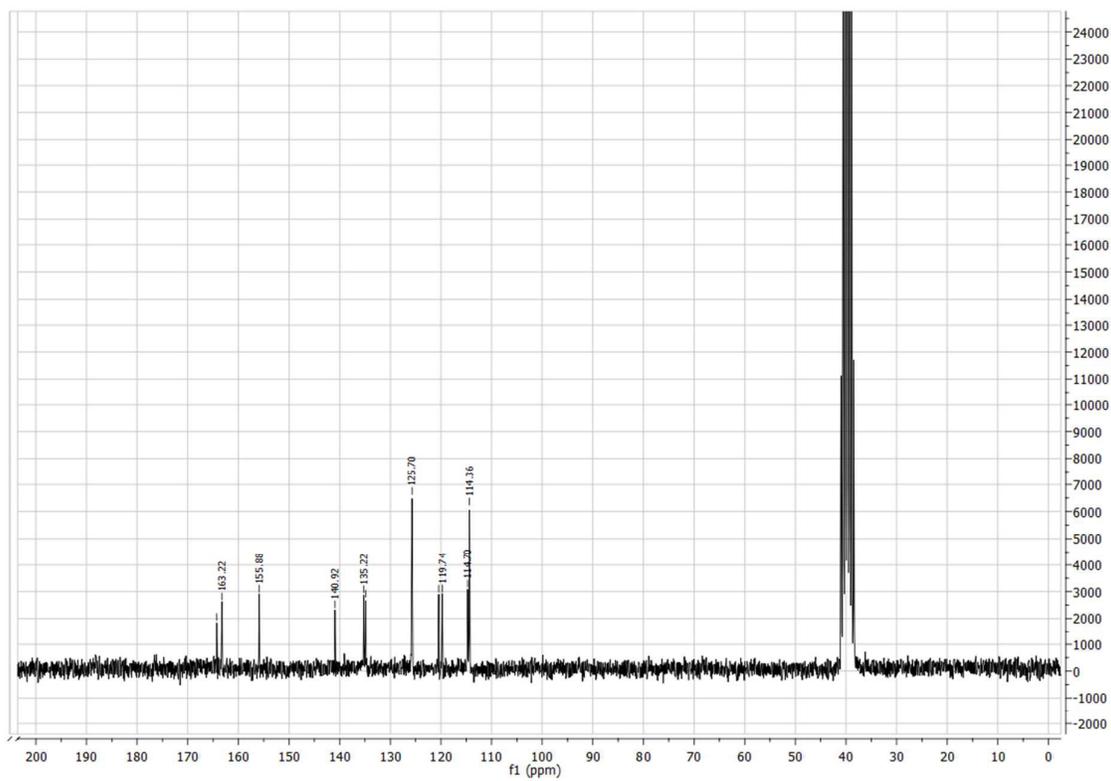
GSH (μM)										
HCT-116										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
μM	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23	24.47±0.23
0.1	23.50±0.12	31.25±0.06*	29.26±0.88*	31.57±1.35*	24.97±0.25	18.46±1.09*	34.51±0.68*	26.16±1.29	23.58±0.68	17.56±0.62*
1	25.57±0.18	24.22±1.29	29.39±0.76*	22.50±0.51	23.24±1.15	21.48±0.67	28.66±0.62*	30.73±0.82*	20.86±0.63	19.70±1.32*
10	25.70±0.48	23.38±0.13	28.23±0.18*	37.86±0.65*	24.51±0.28	23.13±0.44	30.12±0.48*	32.32±0.37*	25.50±0.28*	22.58±0.44
50	22.61±0.13	25.33±0.40	31.57±0.67*	26.76±0.79	23.13±1.62	21.59±1.69	29.16±0.61*	25.83±0.19	23.25±0.63	25.97±0.77
100	25.62±0.53	27.48±1.52	27.12±0.51*	26.99±1.54	27.76±0.47*	23.68±0.37	33.28±0.25*	33.85±0.46*	18.19±0.11*	22.24±0.40
500	25.73±0.80	17.05±0.16*	26.11±1.90	30.48±0.96*	23.25±0.71	19.49±0.65*	31.02±0.18*	25.46±0.84	20.60±1.54*	18.33±1.05*
MDA-MB-231										
Schiff bases					Complexes					
μM	1	3	5	6	Pd-1	Pd-3	Pd-5	Pd-6	Pd(OAc) <sub>2</sub>	CisPt
0	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13	24.18±0.13
0.1	39.71±0.78*	24.28±0.29	25.95±0.49	23.04±1.77	31.80±0.60*	33.30±0.43*	31.27±1.74*	25.67±0.30	23.39±1.17	23.40±0.81
1	23.86±0.83	24.43±0.41	26.86±0.63	20.84±0.49	30.17±1.78*	29.28±0.74*	26.94±1.79	20.34±1.16*	24.20±0.66	25.13±0.88
10	27.33±0.75	27.07±0.89	30.59±0.23*	23.91±0.61	34.81±0.84*	25.45±0.53	31.25±0.72*	20.76±0.80*	22.93±0.14	28.38±1.91
50	26.69±0.64	26.16±0.51	29.00±1.05*	21.78±0.72	31.61±0.11*	25.26±1.09	32.55±1.16*	18.88±0.94*	32.01±0.96*	27.69±0.21
100	25.43±0.47	27.44±0.66	26.72±0.08	18.98±0.34*	34.49±0.37*	22.25±0.02	27.13±0.91	26.26±1.34	26.98±0.64	27.69±0.35
500	27.58±0.90	23.01±0.63	24.80±1.13	21.36±0.45	28.47±0.47*	30.91±0.94*	25.56±0.63	22.29±0.34	24.92±1.83	31.34±4.12*
MRC-5										

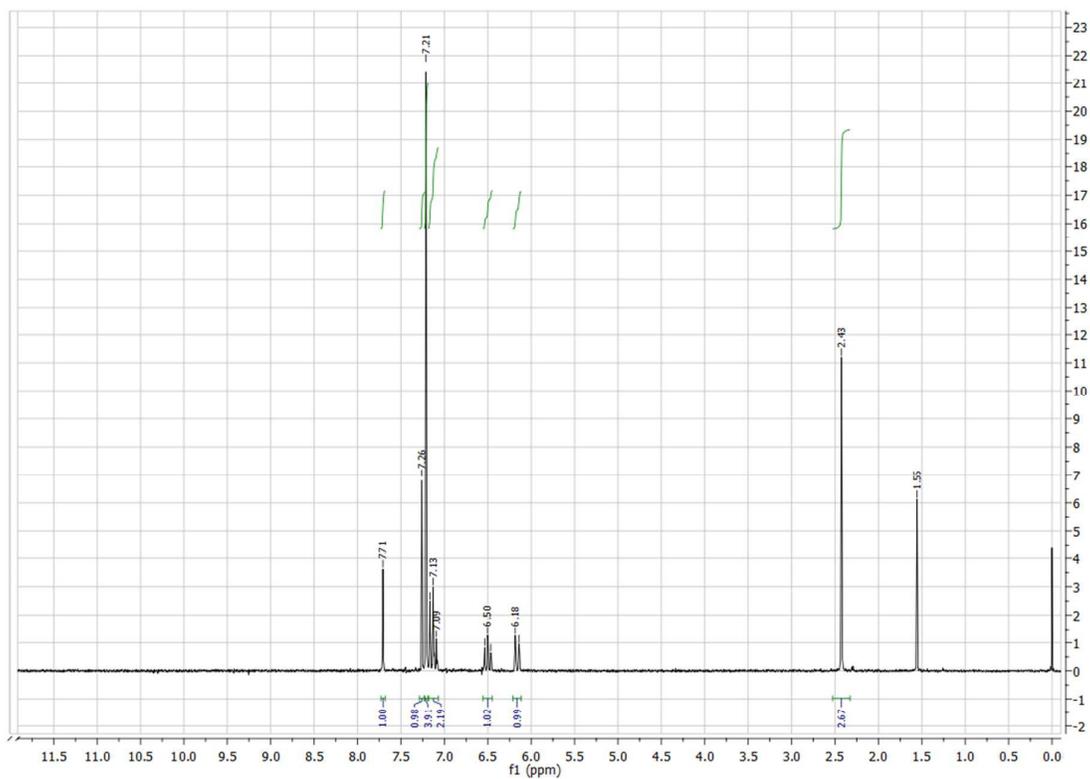
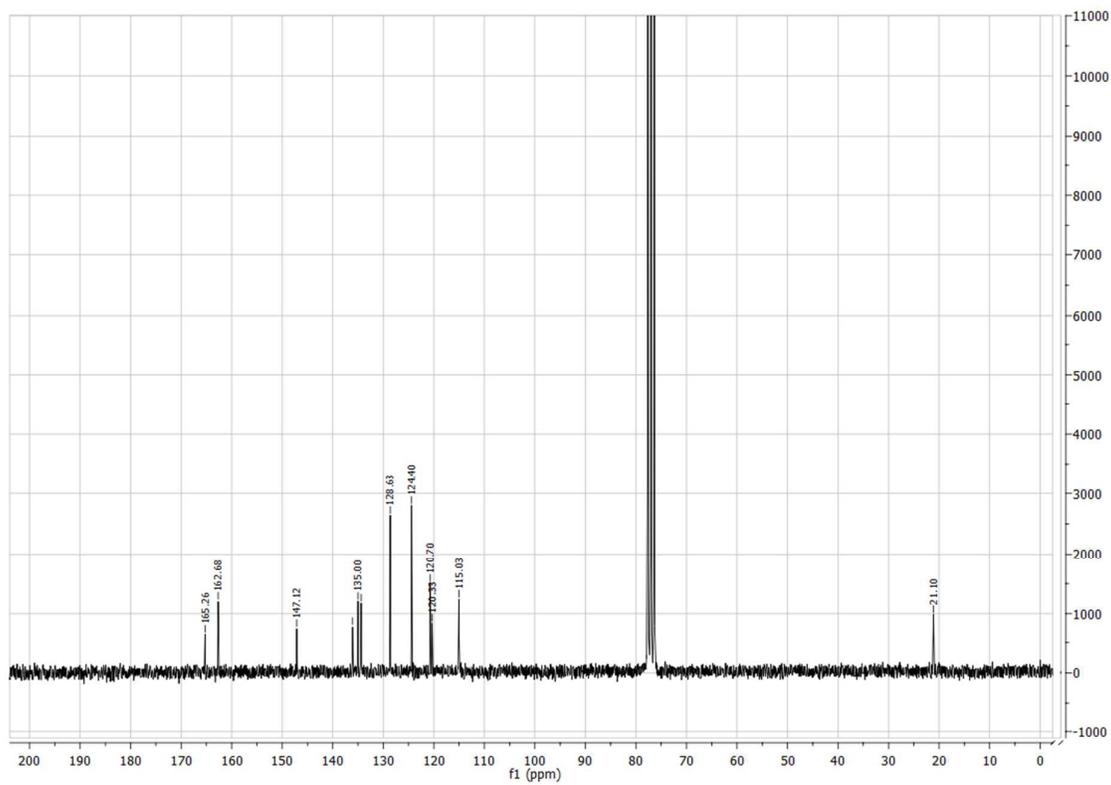
$\mu\text{M}$					<b>Pd-1</b>	<b>Pd-3</b>	<b>Pd-5</b>	<b>Pd-6</b>	<b>Pd(OAc)<sub>2</sub></b>	<b>CisPt</b>
<b>0</b>	-	-	-	-	20.38 $\pm$ 0.18	20.38 $\pm$ 0.18	20.38 $\pm$ 0.18	20.38 $\pm$ 0.18	-	20.38 $\pm$ 0.18
<b>1</b>	-	-	-	-	30.49 $\pm$ 0.43*	27.57 $\pm$ 1.84*	27.36 $\pm$ 1.05*	25.53 $\pm$ 0.30*	-	22.38 $\pm$ 0.23
<b>10</b>	-	-	-	-	31.91 $\pm$ 1.13*	30.40 $\pm$ 1.07*	30.81 $\pm$ 0.76*	30.52 $\pm$ 0.28*	-	21.75 $\pm$ 0.59
<b>50</b>	-	-	-	-	24.10 $\pm$ 0.53	27.92 $\pm$ 2.08*	22.94 $\pm$ 0.46	23.50 $\pm$ 1.33	-	22.08 $\pm$ 0.20
<b>100</b>	-	-	-	-	29.51 $\pm$ 1.11*	21.68 $\pm$ 0.42	28.16 $\pm$ 0.52*	23.09 $\pm$ 1.44	-	26.81 $\pm$ 0.50*

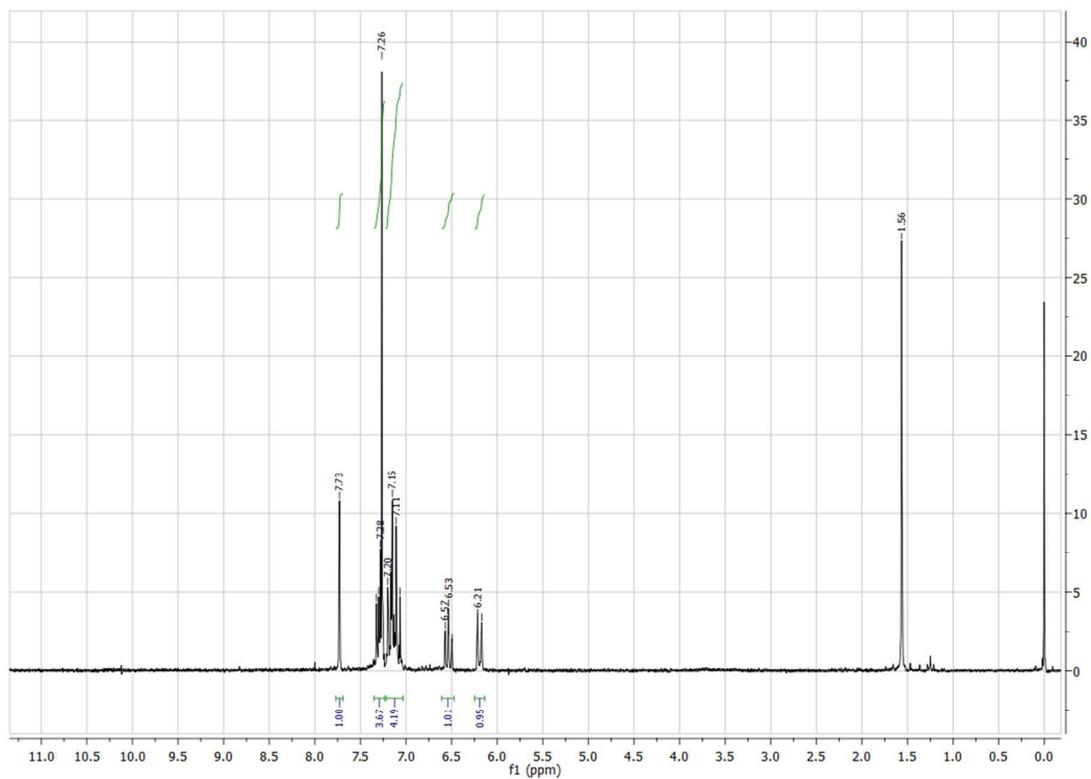
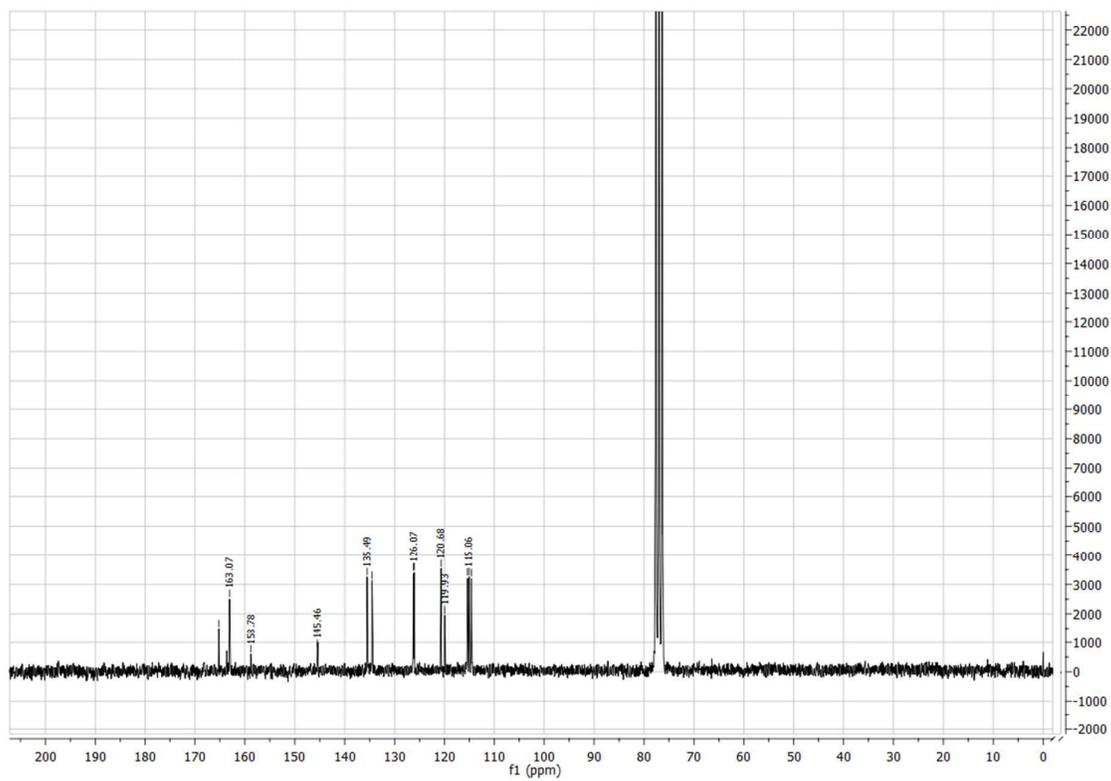
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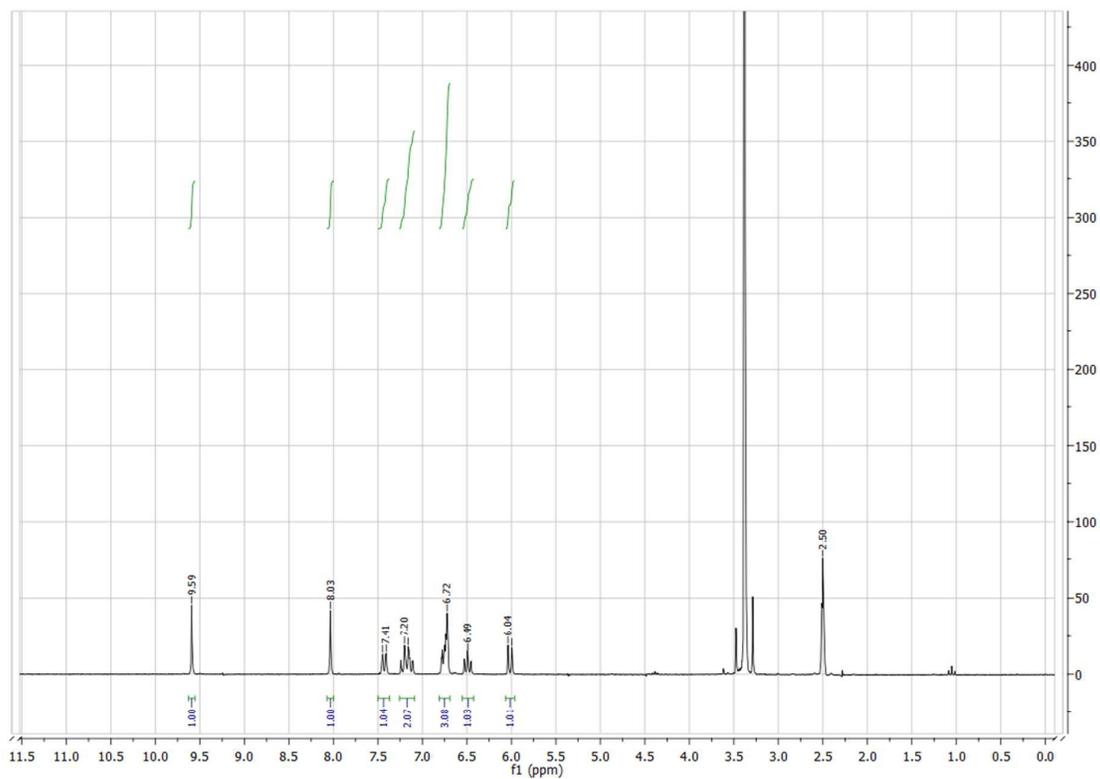
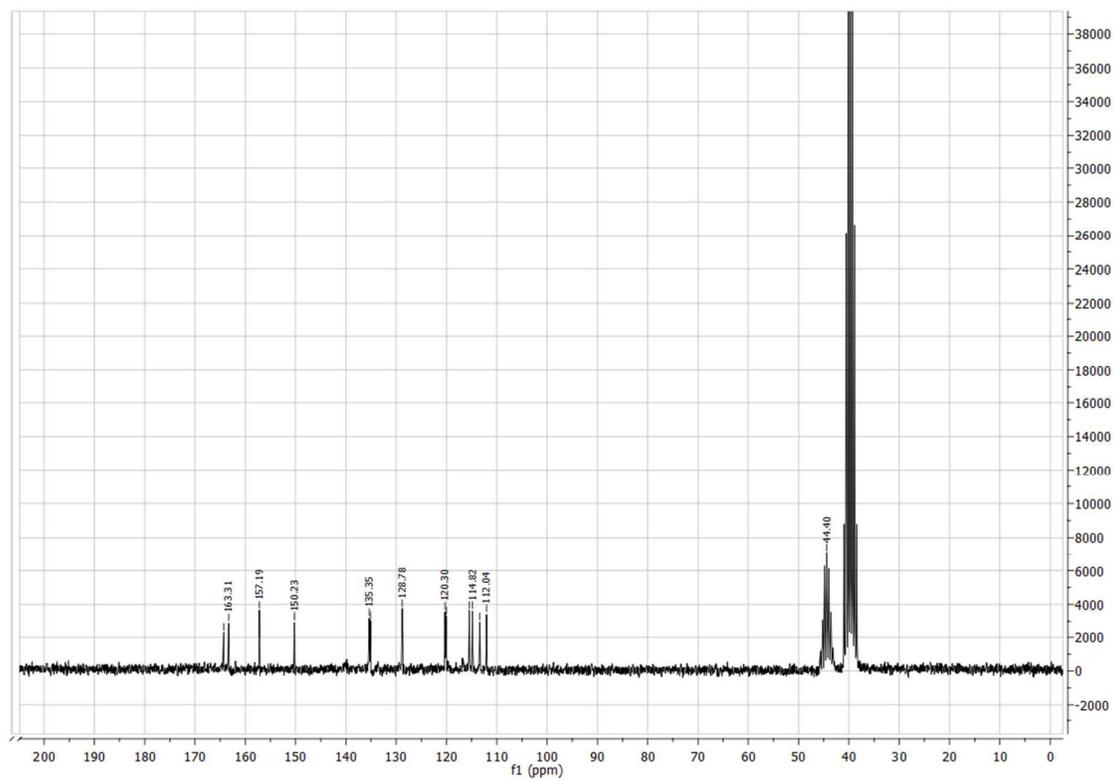
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**Pd-1**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR (DMSO)**Pd-3**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

Pd-3  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )Pd-5  $^1\text{H}$  NMR ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

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## Cartesian coordinates of the optimised structures

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C	4.52065400	1.37564400	1.33478100
H	2.57572400	1.31058500	2.28100900
C	4.52500200	1.77825800	-1.02842800

H	2.57977300	2.04550900	-1.93172200
C	5.22072700	1.52773700	0.14865900
H	5.06523500	1.17720100	2.25285600
H	-2.84039900	6.07398400	0.03639400
H	-4.64371000	4.35247500	0.08422500
O	-1.77245900	0.97790200	0.16185200
Pd	0.00000800	-0.00006300	0.18648000
O	-5.24970500	-1.91676400	-2.16688900
H	-4.66124200	-2.03972000	-2.91658600
O	5.24963200	1.91836700	-2.16690700
H	4.66113300	2.04181500	-2.91649500
H	-6.30241600	-1.45383100	0.11111700
H	6.30243900	1.45387900	0.11080300

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N	-1.09810100	-1.74370300	0.06270300
C	-0.56008900	-2.91359400	-0.06425000
H	-1.25277400	-3.76227400	-0.10100700
C	0.81924000	-3.26103000	-0.13782900
C	1.12517500	-4.63697400	-0.25061800
C	1.88161600	-2.31102900	-0.07347600
C	2.41478400	-5.09356400	-0.30153300
H	0.29758900	-5.34206100	-0.29416400
C	3.20768000	-2.81483700	-0.12507900
C	3.46094600	-4.15668100	-0.23655600
H	4.00898900	-2.08292900	-0.07795800
C	-2.51772900	-1.65872000	0.09036900
C	-3.16244700	-1.17200600	1.22397100
C	-3.26568100	-2.01977400	-1.01986100
C	-4.53868300	-1.07694600	1.25870600
H	-2.56534600	-0.86101300	2.07546900
C	-4.64985800	-1.91702600	-0.99509900
H	-2.75873500	-2.36424600	-1.91690300
C	-5.28785700	-1.44566500	0.14444100
H	-5.05637200	-0.70758100	2.13792700
H	-5.23326900	-2.19702200	-1.86973800
H	2.62662900	-6.15341600	-0.38782600
H	4.49136600	-4.50028700	-0.27503500
O	-6.63694300	-1.31807800	0.23045700
H	-7.04342500	-1.59131200	-0.59626100
O	1.73966300	-1.03657200	0.02922500
N	1.09810400	1.74369500	0.06287600
C	0.56008500	2.91359400	-0.06396900
H	1.25276600	3.76228000	-0.10065100
C	-0.81924600	3.26103200	-0.13750800
C	-1.12518700	4.63698700	-0.25014200
C	-1.88162200	2.31101700	-0.07325500
C	-2.41479800	5.09357800	-0.30100100
H	-0.29760300	5.34208200	-0.29361200
C	-3.20768700	2.81482700	-0.12480300
C	-3.46095700	4.15668400	-0.23612700
H	-4.00899300	2.08291200	-0.07776800
C	2.51773100	1.65871600	0.09053100
C	3.16245500	1.17192300	1.22409600
C	3.26568300	2.01986800	-1.01966700
C	4.53869100	1.07686500	1.25882200
H	2.56535800	0.86086700	2.07557400
C	4.64986100	1.91712500	-0.99491500
H	2.75873800	2.36441100	-1.91668400
C	5.28786200	1.44567300	0.14458600
H	5.05638100	0.70743500	2.13801600
H	5.23326900	2.19719500	-1.86953100
H	-2.62665100	6.15343800	-0.38717100
H	-4.49137600	4.50029400	-0.27456900
O	6.63695000	1.31808600	0.23059000
H	7.04342900	1.59140800	-0.59610000
O	-1.73966000	1.03655400	0.02931300
Pd	0.00000300	-0.00000700	0.07376700

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N	-1.11039300	-1.73516700	0.05864600
C	-0.58272000	-2.90812300	-0.08082500
H	-1.28208900	-3.75112400	-0.12144600
C	0.79385200	-3.26441100	-0.16494200
C	1.09056000	-4.64037400	-0.29882600
C	1.86266300	-2.32222500	-0.09238100
C	2.37708500	-5.10400500	-0.36448500
H	0.25836800	-5.33961300	-0.34823700
C	3.18536600	-2.83307800	-0.15974600

C	3.42954900	-4.17460100	-0.29264700
H	3.98997200	-2.10487800	-0.10871400
C	-2.52938400	-1.63976700	0.10114700
C	-3.15678800	-1.16036200	1.24503100
C	-3.28901200	-1.98390000	-1.00768100
C	-4.53502800	-1.05748800	1.28169200
H	-2.54912400	-0.85787000	2.09234700
C	-4.67136100	-1.86674100	-0.96299600
H	-2.78989800	-2.31892100	-1.91295800
C	-5.31722300	-1.40731400	0.18012400
H	-5.01988800	-0.68612700	2.18183800
H	-5.25937900	-2.13052300	-1.83899600
H	2.58167200	-6.16372700	-0.46823200
H	4.45739300	-4.52433000	-0.34418200
O	1.73050000	-1.04889500	0.03156900
N	1.111038500	1.73509600	0.05878500
C	0.58269900	2.90805800	-0.08062400
H	1.28206300	3.75106900	-0.12112900
C	-0.79386800	3.26435300	-0.16478100
C	-1.09058700	4.64036100	-0.29818900
C	-1.86267300	2.32212000	-0.09275800
C	-2.37711300	5.10399000	-0.36383300
H	-0.25840400	5.33963800	-0.34721800
C	-3.18537900	2.83296700	-0.16011300
C	-3.42957200	4.17453700	-0.29250700
H	-3.98997400	2.10472600	-0.10948800
C	2.52938200	1.63974100	0.10128100
C	3.15682300	1.16042700	1.24517600
C	3.28898200	1.98387600	-1.00757300
C	4.53507700	1.05765900	1.28183300
H	2.54919100	0.85792600	2.09250900
C	4.67133500	1.86682200	-0.96289300
H	2.78983300	2.31883400	-1.91285500
C	5.31724000	1.40750100	0.18025400
H	5.01996600	0.68637400	2.18199300
H	5.25932800	2.13060800	-1.83890800
H	-2.58170700	6.16374900	-0.46718500
H	-4.45741500	4.52426900	-0.34403700
O	-1.73050000	1.04874000	0.03062400
Pd	0.00000900	-0.00004400	0.07350800
C	6.81032700	1.30719200	0.23915700
H	7.13117300	0.43678200	0.81976100
H	7.24680100	1.22774900	-0.76057500
H	7.24718600	2.19219200	0.71711400
C	-6.81029700	-1.30681900	0.23904700
H	-7.13101400	-0.43573000	0.81870900
H	-7.24685100	-1.22844900	-0.76073200
H	-7.24718800	-2.19123600	0.71805000

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N	1.09241400	1.74600300	0.05818700
C	0.55199000	2.91551700	-0.06834600
H	1.24250600	3.76588900	-0.10581400
C	-0.82723800	3.25856100	-0.14175400
C	-1.13700800	4.63399500	-0.25744000
C	-1.88703000	2.30557800	-0.07726500
C	-2.42762400	5.08584600	-0.31173500
H	-0.31165900	5.34154900	-0.30109500
C	-3.21413700	2.80479400	-0.13389900
C	-3.47107100	4.14563600	-0.24824400
H	-4.01355500	2.07068600	-0.08976800
C	2.51166900	1.66383800	0.08980600
C	3.14847100	1.18437800	1.22933800
C	3.25818800	2.02415500	-1.02438400
C	4.52791500	1.09202800	1.26778600

H	2.54805800	0.87601800	2.07902100
C	4.64239800	1.92793600	-0.99963400
H	2.74815400	2.36278300	-1.92154200
C	5.25045000	1.46386100	0.14846400
H	5.05062500	0.72942700	2.14619200
H	5.24886700	2.19954000	-1.85664100
H	-2.64298600	6.14466900	-0.40076500
H	-4.50234000	4.48580900	-0.29119600
O	-1.74175600	1.03129800	0.03080500
N	-1.09241600	-1.74600400	0.05813600
C	-0.55199100	-2.91551500	-0.06841700
H	-1.24250600	-3.76588700	-0.10590900
C	0.82723700	-3.25855800	-0.14182700
C	1.13700300	-4.63398800	-0.25756600
C	1.88703100	-2.30558000	-0.07729100
C	2.42761800	-5.08584200	-0.31187500
H	0.31165300	-5.34153800	-0.30125400
C	3.21413600	-2.80480000	-0.13394100
C	3.47106800	-4.14563800	-0.24834000
H	4.01355700	-2.07069700	-0.08977500
C	-2.51167000	-1.66383800	0.08975100
C	-3.14847500	-1.18439600	1.22929000
C	-3.25818500	-2.02413100	-1.02444900
C	-4.52791900	-1.09204300	1.26773400
H	-2.54806300	-0.87605100	2.07898000
C	-4.64239500	-1.92791000	-0.99970200
H	-2.74814700	-2.36274500	-1.92161000
C	-5.25045000	-1.46385500	0.14840200
H	-5.05063100	-0.72945700	2.14614400
H	-5.24886100	-2.19949700	-1.85671700
H	2.64297600	-6.14466200	-0.40094600
H	4.50233500	-4.48581100	-0.29130200
O	1.74176200	-1.03130500	0.03083600
Pd	0.00000200	-0.00000500	0.07076000
F	-6.58658600	-1.36704100	0.18079500
F	6.58658600	1.36705000	0.18086000

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N	-1.03292700	-1.77648300	0.18333300
C	-0.46213000	-2.93525800	0.12931200
H	-1.13025800	-3.80422600	0.10860300
C	0.92887500	-3.23998700	0.10692600
C	1.28408500	-4.60850700	0.07162500
C	1.95721400	-2.25036800	0.13220000
C	2.58945400	-5.01973600	0.06255500
H	0.48247800	-5.34401200	0.05443000
C	3.30100200	-2.70778800	0.12322800
C	3.60168200	-4.04376100	0.08973700
H	4.07284300	-1.94346400	0.14406700
C	-2.45581800	-1.72124300	0.18492600
C	-3.13639000	-1.46437500	1.36511700
C	-3.13916800	-1.87637800	-1.01337400
C	-4.52058800	-1.37647500	1.33514400
H	-2.57561900	-1.31213500	2.28134900
C	-4.52502600	-1.77745800	-1.02834400
H	-2.57983300	-2.04416100	-1.93188600
C	-5.22070300	-1.52773300	0.14894400
H	-5.06513200	-1.17865700	2.25337600
H	2.84036000	-6.07415500	0.03681700
H	4.64368700	-4.35264400	0.08403700
O	1.77246600	-0.97803700	0.16140600
N	1.03294400	1.77637300	0.18337900
C	0.46212400	2.93513200	0.12919400
H	1.13023700	3.80410800	0.10834200
C	-0.92888500	3.23984400	0.10684700

C	-1.28411000	4.60835600	0.07131700
C	-1.95721700	2.25022800	0.13245300
C	-2.58948400	5.01957300	0.06232400
H	-0.48251200	5.34386400	0.05387800
C	-3.30101000	2.70763500	0.12358300
C	-3.60170300	4.04359800	0.08984800
H	-4.07283400	1.94330200	0.14469500
C	2.45582900	1.72115300	0.18487800
C	3.13645900	1.46348400	1.36486500
C	3.13914100	1.87712900	-1.01333800
C	4.52065400	1.37564400	1.33478100
H	2.57572400	1.31058500	2.28100900
C	4.52500200	1.77825800	-1.02842800
H	2.57977300	2.04550900	-1.93172200
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H	5.06523500	1.17720100	2.25285600
H	-2.84039900	6.07398400	0.03639400
H	-4.64371000	4.35247500	0.08422500
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O	5.24963200	1.91836700	-2.16690700
H	4.66113300	2.04181500	-2.91649500
H	-6.30241600	-1.45383100	0.11117700
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