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Cyclic Platina(borasiloxane)s and Platina(siloxane)s and Their **Chemical Properties**

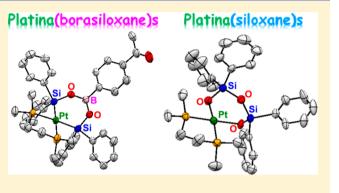
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Supporting Information

ABSTRACT: $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ (dmpe = 1,2-bis(dimethylphosphino)ethane) reacts with arylboronic acids to produce six-membered platinacycles [Pt(SiPh₂-O-BAr-O-SiPh₂)(dmpe)] (Ar = C_6H_4 -4-COMe (1a), C_6H_4 -4-CF₃ (1b)). X-ray crystallography of 1a revealed the structure having a planar six-membered ring, composed of Pt, O, B, and Si atoms. Reaction of H₂O with $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ formed a four-membered cyclic complex, [Pt(SiPh₂-O-SiPh₂)(dmpe)] (2), which was observed in the initial reaction mixture of 4-acetylphenylboronic acid with [Pt(SiH- Ph_2 (dmpe)]. Exposure of solutions of $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ and of $[Pt(SiHAr_2)_2(PMe_3)_2]$ (Ar = Ph, C₆H₄-4-Me) to air resulted

in the formation of the cyclic platina(siloxane)s, [Pt(O-SiPh₂-O-



SiPh₂-O)(dmpe)] (3) and $[Pt(O-SiAr_2-O-SiAr_2-O)(PMe_3)_2]$ (4: Ar = Ph; 5: Ar = C₆H₄-4-Me), respectively. The six-membered platina (borasiloxane) 1a reacts with H_2GePh_2 and with CF_3CO_2H to release the cyclic borasiloxanes as the products. The former reaction affords $[Pt(GeHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$, while the latter produces $[Pt(OCOCF_3)_2(dmpe)]$ as the Pt-containing products. A similar reaction of HCl with platina(siloxane) 4 gives a disiloxanediol via cleavage of the Pt-O bonds. Complex 4 reacts with H_2SiPh_2 to form a triplatinum complex, $[{Pt(PMe_3)}_3(\mu-SiPh_2)_3]$ (15), which is obtained under milder conditions than the previously reported reaction starting from $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(PMe_3)_2]$.

■ INTRODUCTION

Linear, branched, cyclic, and cage-shaped polysiloxanes, composed of the Si-O-Si bonds, have been known as extensively used inorganic polymers.^{1,2} They have advantages in thermal stability, water-repellent properties, as well as biocompatibility. These properties of the polysiloxanes are attributed to high stability of the Si–O bond with bond energy of 452 kJ mol⁻¹ and weak cohesive force of the molecules having -Si-O-Si-linkage and alkyl substituents on the Si atoms. Linear and cyclic oligosiloxanes are easily available as the starting materials of the polysiloxanes.

Polymers with borasiloxane units, containing both Si-O bonds and B–O bonds (bond energy 536 kJ mol⁻¹), are expected to show new properties arising from the presence of a B atom in the polymer chain. Several research groups have reported on the synthesis of borasiloxane polymers and oligomers. Condensation reactions of phenylboronic acid with 1,3-dichlorodisiloxane and trisiloxane derivatives yield the six- and eight-membered cyclic compounds containing both Si-O and B-O bonds.^{3,4} π -Conjugated polymers, containing an eight-membered cyclic borasiloxane group, change their color rapidly on exposure to amine moisture.⁵ Polysiloxane, having a boronic acid terminus, exhibits self-healing properties because of the network formation via intermolecular coordination of the OH groups to the B atom.⁶ A 10-membered cyclic compound having B–O–Si bonds was prepared by dimerization of the five-membered cyclic precursor.⁷ Recently, Matsumi et al. reported dehydrogenative copolymerization of diphenyldisilanol with mesitylborane catalyzed by Rh and Pd complexes. The obtained polymer has a regulated structure, composed of $-O-B(C_6H_2-2,4,6-Me_3)-$ O-SiPh₂- repeating units and functions as an efficient sensor of fluoride anion.⁸ Dehydrogenative condensation of diorganosilanes with arylboronic acids using transition metal catalysis would also form the -B-O-Si-O- linkage because Tilley, Esteruelas, and Zargarian already reported condensation of organosilanes with OH-containing compounds to form the Si-O bonds.9 In this study, we conducted reactions of arylboronic acids with Pt complexes having SiHPh₂ ligands and obtained new platinacyclohexanes that contain two Si-O-B bonds in the molecule. The reaction proceeds via unexpected double condensation of the boronic acid with the Si ligands rather than formation of the -OBOAr ligand and its coupling with the silvl ligands. This paper presents the synthesis, structure, and chemical properties of the Pt complexes with a new ligand.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Bis(silyl)platinum complex [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] reacts with 4-acetylphenylboronic acid and with 4-(trifluoromethyl)phenylboronic

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acid to form six-membered cyclic platinum complexes [$Pt(SiPh_2-O-B(C_6H_4-4-R)-O-SiPh_2)(dmpe)$] (1a: R = COMe; 1b: R = CF₃) in 87 and 50% isolated yields, respectively, as shown in

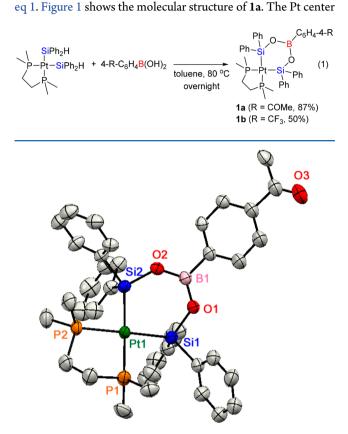


Figure 1. Thermal ellipsoids of **1a** (50% probability). Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (deg): Pt1–P1 2.338(3), Pt1–P2 2.322(3), Pt1–Si1 2.352(3), Pt1–Si2 2.354(3), Si1–O1 1.687(8), B1–O1 1.35(2), B1–O2 1.35(2), Si2–O2 1.678(8). P1–Pt1–P2 84.4(1), Si1–Pt1–Si2 83.3(1), P1–Pt1–Si1 97.6(1), P2–Pt1–Si2 94.7(1), P1–Pt1–Si2 178.9(1), P2–Pt1–Si1 174.5(1).

adopts a square-planar coordination with common Pt–Si bond distances (Pt–Si = 2.352(3), 2.354(3) Å). The six-membered cyclic platina(borasiloxane) is almost planar, and the two axial phenyl substituents on the Si atoms are orientated to the same side relative to the PtP₂Si₂ plane. Boardman synthesized a sixmembered cyclic platina(siloxane), [PtH(Cp)(SiMe₂-O-SiMe₂-O-SiMe₂)] (Cp = cyclopentadienyl), from the reaction of trisiloxane with the Pt precursor, but did not report its crystal structure.¹⁰ The ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectrum of **1a** contains a single signal at $\delta_{\rm P}$ 36.2 with a ¹⁹⁵Pt–³¹P coupling constant of 1331 Hz, which is smaller than that of [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] (1445 Hz). The ²⁹Si{¹H} NMR signal at $\delta_{\rm Si}$ 19.4 is observed with coupling constants of ²J_{PSi} = 12, 157 Hz and J_{PtSi} = 1318 Hz, while the ¹¹B{¹H} NMR signal is broadened significantly ($\delta_{\rm B}$ 1.46).

The above reaction involves double condensation between the OH groups of the arylboronic acid and the two SiHPh₂ ligands. We conducted the reaction of water with $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ with expectation of a similar dehydrogenative condensation of the OH and SiH groups. Keeping a hydrated acetone solution of $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ under nitrogen atmosphere at room temperature produces a platinacycle having an oxygen and two Si atoms within the four-membered ring, $[Pt(SiPh_2-O-SiPh_2)(dmpe)]$

(2, eq 2). Figure 2 shows the molecular structure of complex 2. The Pt center has a square-planar coordination with Pt-Si bond

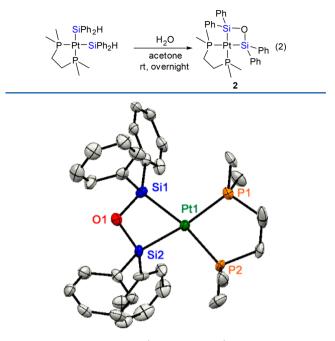


Figure 2. Thermal ellipsoids (50% probability) of **2**. Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (deg): Pt1–P1 2.307(3), Pt1–P2 2.299(3), Pt1–Si1 2.353(1), Pt1–Si2 2.332(3), Si1–O1 1.70(1), Si2–O1 1.70(1), P1–Pt1–P2 84.7(1), Si1–Pt1–Si2 65.6(1), P1–Pt1–Si1 106.2(1), P2–Pt1–Si2 103.6(1), P1–Pt1–Si2 166.3(1), P2–Pt1–Si1 169.1(1).

distances of 2.353(1) and 2.332(3) Å. The Si1–Pt1–Si2 angle (65.6(1)°) is smaller than that of **1a** (83.3(1)°) because of the four-membered chelate ring. Complex **2** is the major product of the reaction, as revealed by the NMR spectra of the reaction mixture, but its isolation in high yields by fractional crystallization was not feasible due to its slow conversion to other complexes in the solution.

Figure 3 shows a change of the ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectra during the reaction of 4-acetylphenylboronic acid with $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2-(dmpe)]$, which affords complex 1a as the final product (eq 1). The spectrum after the reaction for 1 h at room temperature indicated the formation of four-membered platinacycle 2 (δ_p 38.0, $J_{PtSi} = 1443$ Hz) and six-membered platina(borasiloxane) 1a. Further reaction caused decrease of once formed 2 and formation of an insoluble solid. Dissolution of the insoluble products in CD₂Cl₂ and NMR analyses of the solution did not reveal the structure.

The reaction of 2-methoxyphenylboronic acid with [Pt(SiH-Ph₂)₂(dmpe)] formed complex **2** after 2 h at room temperature, and it became the major species in 24 h, as monitored by ${}^{31}P{}^{1}H{}$ NMR spectroscopy (Figure 4). Heating the solution at 60 °C caused the appearance of a minor signal at δ_{P} 35.2 (J_{PtP} = 1310 Hz), which was assigned to platina(borasiloxane) complex

Schemes 1 and 2 depict possible pathways for the formation of the platina(borasiloxane) (eq 1). As shown in Scheme 1, dehydrocoupling of an OH group of the arylboronic acid with an SiH group of the bis(silyl)platinum complex results in the formation of an acyclic intermediate A having a new Si-O-Bbond. The second intramolecular Si-O bond formation occurs

 $^{[\}dot{Pt}(SiPh_2-O-B(C_6H_4-2-OMe)-O-\dot{SiPh}_2)(dmpe)] (1c).$

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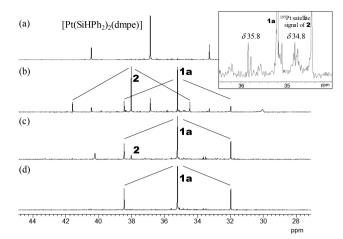


Figure 3. ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectra (202 M Hz, toluene-*d*₈, rt) of the reaction mixtures of [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] and 4-acetylphenylboronic acid in 1:2 ratio at 60 °C: (a) before addition of the arylboronic acid, (b) after 1 h. Inset: Expanded spectrum around **1a** after 1 h exhibiting two doublets at δ_p 34.8 and δ_p 35.8 (²*J*_{PP} = 12 Hz), (c) after 3.5 h, and (d) after 20 h.

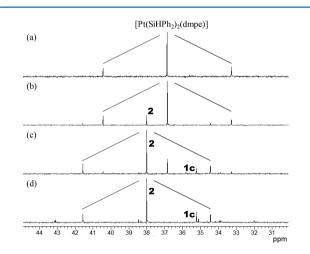
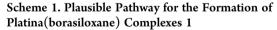
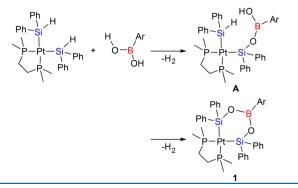


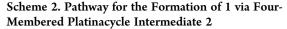
Figure 4. ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectra (202 M Hz, toluene- d_8 , rt) of the reaction mixture of [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] and 2-methoxyphenylboronic acid in 1:2 ratio (a) before addition of the boronic acid, (b) for 2 h at rt after addition of the arylboronic acid, (c) after 24 h at rt, and (d) after heating for 6.5 h at 60 °C.

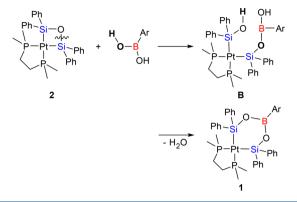




more easily than the intermolecular one and produces stable sixmembered cyclic platina(borasiloxane) complexes 1.

Scheme 2 depicts the other pathway. An OH bond of the arylboronic acids adds to an Si–O bond of the ring-strained



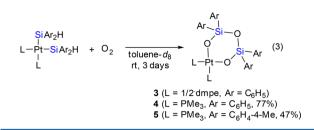


complex **2**, resulting in the formation of an acyclic intermediate **B** with a new Si–O–B bond. The subsequent intramolecular bond exchange releases an H₂O molecule and produces stable sixmembered cyclic platina(borasiloxane) complexes **1**. Arylboronic acid is equilibrated with the corresponding boroxine via reversible cyclotrimerization and hydration of the formed boroxine. Water, generated by the former reaction, may be responsible for formation of complex **2** from [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)]. The reaction of water with [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] (eq 2) occurs at a temperature lower than that of the arylboronic acids in reaction (eq 1), although the arylboronic acid is a stronger Brønsted acid (pK_a = 8.83) than water.

In order to compare the pathways in Schemes 1 and 2, we conducted the reaction of 4-acetylphenylboronic acid with complex 2. An excess amount of 4-acetylphenylboronic acid reacts with complex 2 (5:1 molar ratio) at 70 °C to form 1a as the major product. An equimolar reaction at the same temperature, however, results in generation of multiple uncharacterized complexes in considerable amounts. Thus, equimolar reaction of 4-acetylphenylboronic acid with [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] (eq 1) occurs via the pathway shown in Scheme 1 rather than that involving complex 2 as the intermediate (Scheme 2). The spectra in Figure 3c,d suggest the disappearance of once formed 2, but it is due to its conversion into uncharacterized insoluble product rather than to formation of 1a via the pathway in Scheme 2. 2-Methoxyphenylboronic acid shows reactivity much lower than that of 4-acetylphenylboronic acid, and the reaction yielded complex 2 via contact of H_2O with $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ as the main product.

West reported the reaction of oxygen with platinum- η^2 -disilene complexes $[Pt(\eta^2 - R_2Si = SiR_2)(dppe)]$ (R = Me, ^{*i*}Pr; dppe = 1,2-bis(diphenylphosphino)ethane) to produce the complex having a Pt-Si-O-Si four-membered ring, [Pt(SiR₂-O-SiR₂)-(dppe)], which has a similar structure to complex **2**.¹¹ Dioxygen cleaved the Si-Si bond of the complex to form the fourmembered platinacycle. In order to compare the reaction with those in this study, we conducted the reaction of oxygen with [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)]. Exposure of a solution of [Pt(SiH- $Ph_2)_2(dmpe)$ to air at room temperature produces the complex [Pt(O-SiPh₂-O-SiPh₂-O)(dmpe)] (3) which shows the ³¹P{¹H} NMR signal at $\delta_{\rm P}$ 18.0 with a large Pt–P coupling constant (3566 Hz), as shown in eq 3. Similar complexes having PMe₃ ligands, $[Pt(O-SiAr_2-O-SiAr_2-O)(PMe_3)_2]$ (4: Ar = C₆H₅, 77%, **5**: Ar = C_6H_4 -4-Me, 47%), were obtained from O_2 exposure of a toluene solution of $[Pt(SiHAr_2)_2(PMe_3)_2]$ (Ar = C₆H₅, C_6H_4 -4-Me) at room temperature.

The isolated complexes, **3–5**, were identified by X-ray crystallography and NMR spectroscopy. The molecule of **3** has a sixmembered ring containing two Pt–O bonds (Figure 5). The Pt



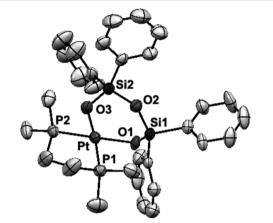
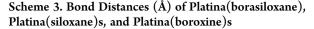
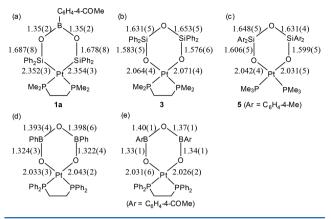


Figure 5. Thermal ellipsoids (50% probability) of **3**. Selected bond distances (Å) and angles (deg): Pt-P1 2.196(3), Pt-P2 2.192(2), Pt-O1 2.071(5), Pt-O3 2.064(4), O1-Si1 1.576(5), Si1-O2 1.653(5), O2-Si2 1.631(5), Si2-O3 1.583(5). P1-Pt-P2 87.13(8), O1-Pt-O3 92.8(2), P1-Pt-O1 91.2(2), P2-Pt-O3 89.0(2), P1-Pt-O3 174.9(2), P2-Pt-O1 176.6(2).

center adopted a typical square-planar coordination. The Pt-O bond lengths of 3-5(2.031(5)-2.071(5) Å) are similar to those of the reported bis(silanolate)platinum complexes (1.982(7)-2.036(4) Å).¹² The six-membered ring containing a Pt center has skewed (3 and 4) or distorted boat (5) conformation. The ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectra of **3–5** show a singlet with large J_{PtP} values (3518-3566 Hz). The coupling constants are similar to the reported coupling constants of other bis(silanolate) platinum complexes, $[Pt(OSiMe_3)_2(dppe)]$ ($J_{PtP} = 3595 \text{ Hz}$)¹⁵ and $[Pt(OSiMe_3)_2(PMe_3)_2]$ ($J_{PtP} = 3400 \text{ Hz}$),¹⁴ and much larger than those of 1 (1304–1336 Hz) due to smaller trans influence of the O ligand than the Si ligand. The ²⁹Si{¹H} NMR spectrum of 4 exhibits a resonance at $\delta_{\rm Si}$ –37.0, which is close to the position of hexaphenylcyclotrisiloxane (δ_{si} –33.8).¹⁵ The ¹H NMR spectra of 3-5 show a single resonance for the *ortho*-hydrogens of the aryl group, indicating that the platinasiloxane ring undergoes rapid inversion between the conformers on the NMR time scale. The reaction in eq 3 involves insertion of an oxygen atom into the Pt-Si bond. Schubert reported oxygenation of the two Pt-Si bonds of $[(\kappa^2 - P, N) - (PN)Pt\{o - (SiMe_2)_2C_6H_4\}]$ (PN = 2-(diphenylphosphino)-N,N-dimethylaniline) to form the bis(silanolate)complex $[(\kappa^2 - P, N) - (PN)Pt\{o - (OSiMe_2)_2C_6H_4\}]$.^{12b} The formation of complexes 3-5 also involves the reaction of oxygen to form Si-O-Pt bonds, and it is accompanied by elimination of the two Si-H hydrogens and formation of a new O-Si-O bond.

Scheme 3 compares the bond parameters of the cyclic platina-(borasiloxane), platina(siloxane)s, and platina(boroxine)s. We reported that arylboronic acid reacts with dichloroplatinum (II) complex to produce the six-membered cyclic complexes having a

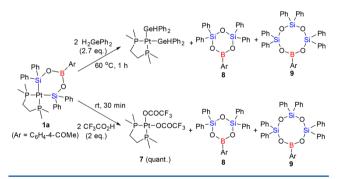




Pt–O–B–O–B–O linkage.¹⁶ Its bond parameters and NMR data are compared with those of complexes **1a**, **3**, and **5**. The Si–O (1.687(8), 1.678(8) Å) and B–O bonds (1.35(2) Å) of **1a** are almost within the range of the typical bond distances (Si–O: 1.66, B–O: 1.36 Å).¹⁷ The Si–O bonds close to the Pt center of **3** (1.583(5), 1.576(6) Å) and **5** (1.599(5), 1.606(5) Å) are shorter than the other Si–O bonds (1.631(4)–1.653(5) Å). The electron-rich oxygen atom coordinated by the Pt atom¹⁸ interacts with the Si atom more significantly than that in the Si–O–Si linkage. Similar contraction of the proximal B–O bonds to the Pt center (1.322(4)–1.34(1) Å) is shown compared to the B–O bonds within the B–O–B linkage of the platina(boroxine)s (1.37(1)–1.40(1) Å).

Complex 1a reacts with an excess amount of H_2GePh_2 and 2 equiv of CF_3CO_2H to release the cyclic borasiloxanes (sixmembered 8 and eight-membered 9), as shown in Scheme 4.

Scheme 4. Formation of Cyclic Borasiloxanes from the Pt Precursor 1a



The cyclic borasiloxanes were characterized by mass spectrometry, and the former reaction forms 8 as the product. These reactions form the platinum complex with two germyl ligands $[Pt(GeHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ and that with two carboxylate ligands, $[Pt(OCOCF_3)_2(dmpe)]^{19}$ (7), respectively. The ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectrum in the former reaction mixture displays the signals of $[Pt(GeHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ and unreacted complex 1a, which suggests clean exchange of Ge–H bonds with Pt–Si bonds of the complex (Figure 6). Continuing the reaction causes formation of Ge-containing metallacycles, $[Pt(GePh_2GePh_2GePh_2)(dmpe)]$ $(\delta_p = 36.4, J_{PtP} = 1816 \text{ Hz})$ or $[Pt(GePh_2GePh_2GePh_2GePh_2)-$ (dmpe)] ($\delta_p = 34.1, J_{PtP} = 1890 \text{ Hz})$,²⁰ which are characterized by ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectroscopy. Recently, we reported

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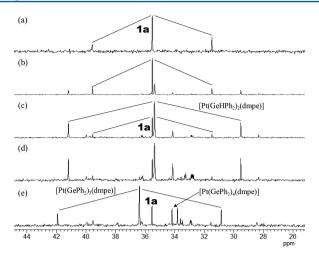
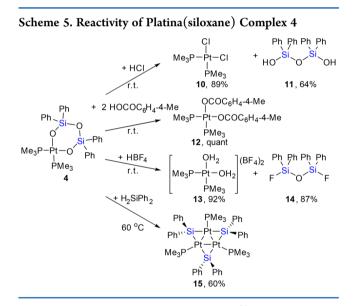


Figure 6. ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectra (162 M Hz, toluene- d_8 , rt) of the reaction mixture of 1a and H₂GePh₂ in a 1:2.7 ratio at 60 °C (a) before addition of H₂GePh₂, (b) 1 h after addition of H₂GePh₂, (c) after 1 day, (d) after 2 days, and (e) after 6 days.

formation of the metallacycles from the dehydrogenative condensations of [Pt(GeHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] with an excess amount of H₂GePh₂. Scheme 5 summarizes the reactivity of the cyclic platina(siloxane) complex 4. The reactions with excess HCl occur immediately



to produce a mixture of *cis*-[PtCl₂(PMe₃)₂]²¹ (10) and 1,1,3,3tetraphenyldisiloxane-1,3-diol²² (11) in 89 and 64% yields. A similar reaction of 4 with 4-methylbenzoic acid in 1:2 ratio yielded a bis(carboxylate)platinum complex *cis*-[Pt(OCOC₆H₄-4-Me)₂(PMe₃)₂] (12) in a quantitative yield. The siloxane byproduct was not identified in the reaction. The acid interacts favorably with the M–O bonds of 4, similar to the alkoxide or aryloxide complexes of group 10 metals, because the oxygen bonded to the late transition metals exhibits high affinity to the proton due to repulsion between filled d^π orbitals of the metals and p orbital of the O atom.¹⁸ In contrast, the reaction of HBF₄ with 4 yields the cationic Pt complex *cis*-[Pt(OH₂)₂(PMe₃)₂]-(BF₄)₂²³ (13, 92%) and 1,3-difluoro-1,1,3,3-tetraphenyldisiloxane²⁴ (14, 87%). The F⁻ ion generated from HBF₄ attacks the electropositive Si atom, forming the stable Si–F bonds.

The reaction of 4 with H₂SiPh₂ in a 1:3 molar ratio at 60 °C produced [{Pt(PMe₃)}₃(μ -SiPh₂)₃] (15)²⁵ in 60% yield.

The formal trimerization of a Pt-silylene complex^{26,27} occurs, but it can be ascribed to initial formation of $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(PMe_3)_2]$ or $[Pt(SiHPh_2)(OSiPh_2OSiPh_2OH)(PMe_3)_2]$ and subsequent condensation of such monoplatinum complexes. Previously, we reported that heating of bis(silyl)platinum complex $[Pt-(SiHPh_2)_2(PMe_3)_2]$ at 100 °C also formed **15** in much lower yield (28%).^{25a}

In summary, we presented the preparation and characterization of the six-membered platinacycles composed of borasiloxane or siloxane rings. The platina(borasiloxane)s were obtained from the double condensation of the arylboronic acids with two Si–H groups of $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$. It is contrasted with the previous reports on the catalytic dehydrogenative condensation of organosilanes with OH compounds, which proceeds via coupling of the Si and O ligands. Cyclic platina(siloxane)s are produced by the reactions of O₂ with the same starting material via a cyclic four-membered intermediate complex. The platina(borasiloxane)s and platina(siloxane)s release the corresponding siloxane units via the exchange reactions of the Pt–Si and Pt–O bonds.

EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

General Procedures. All manipulations were carried out using standard Schlenk line techniques under an atmosphere of argon or nitrogen or in a nitrogen-filled glovebox (Miwa MFG). Hexane, toluene, and tetrahydrofuran (THF) were purified by using a Grubbs-type solvent purification system (Glass Contour).²⁸ Dehydrated CH_2Cl_2 and acetone were purchased from Kanto Chemical and used as received. ¹H, ¹¹B{¹H}, ¹³C{¹H}, ¹⁹F{¹H}, ²⁹Si{¹H}, and ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectra were recorded on Varian Mercury 300 MHz, Bruker Biospin Avance III 400 MHz, and Avance III HD 500 MHz NMR spectrometers. The chemical shifts in the ¹H and ¹³C{¹H} NMR spectra were referenced to the residual peaks of the solvents used.²⁹ The peak positions of the $^{11}B\{^1H\},\,^{19}F\hat{\{}^1H\},\,^{29}Si\{^{1}H\},\,and\,\,^{31}P\{^1H\}$ NMR spectra were referenced to external BF₃·OEt₂ (δ 0), CFCl₃ (δ 0), SiMe₄ (δ 0), and 85% H₃PO₄ $(\delta 0)$ in deuterated solvents. The IR spectrum was recorded on a JASCO FTIR-4100 spectrometer. Mass spectroscopic data were obtained on a Bruker Daltonics micrOTOF II (ESI and APCI) spectrometer. Elemental analyses were performed using a J-science JM10 or Yanaco HSU-20 autorecorder. The chemical reagents, 4-acetylphenylboronic acid (Combi-Blocks), 4-(trifluoromethyl)phenylboronic acid (TCI), 2-methoxyphenylboronic acid (Aldrich), CF₃CO₂H (TCI), 4.0 M HCl in 1,4-dioxane (Aldrich), 54 wt % HBF₄ in Et₂O (Aldrich), and 4-methylbenzoic acid (TCI) were used as received. [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] and [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(PMe₃)₂] were prepared according to the literature.³⁰ H₂GePh₂ was obtained from reduction of Cl₂GePh₂ (Aldrich) by LiAlH₄.

Preparation of [Pt(SiPh2-O-B(C6H4-4-COMe)-O-SiPh2)(dmpe)] (1a). To a toluene (8 mL) solution of $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ (712 mg, 1.0 mmol) was added 4-acetylphenylboronic acid (164 mg, 1.0 mmol). The orange solution was stirred at 80 °C overnight, resulting in precipitation of a small amount of dark green solid. To remove the impurity by filtration, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid, which was washed with hexane (3 mL) and $\text{Et}_2O(1 \text{ mL})$ and dried in vacuo to give 1a as a yellow solid (756 mg, 87%). Recrystallization of 1a in THF/hexane at -18 °C under inert gas gave a small amount of crystals suitable for X-ray crystallography. Anal. Calcd for C₃₈H₄₃BO₃P₂Si₂Pt: C, 52.36; H, 4.97. Found; C, 52.05; H, 5.03. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , rt): δ 7.93 (d, 2H, BC_6H_4 ortho, ${}^{3}J_{HH} =$ 8.0 Hz), 7.81 (d, 2H, BC₆ H_4 meta, ${}^{3}J_{HH}$ = 7.5 Hz), 7.61 (d, 8H, SiC₆ H_5 ortho, ${}^{3}J_{HH} = 6.0 \text{ Hz}$), 7.24–7.27 (m, 12H, SiC₆H₅ meta and para), 2.53 (s, 3H, COCH₃), 1.58–1.54 (m, 4H, PCH₂), 0.88 (m, 12H, PCH₃, ²J_{PH} = 10 Hz). ¹¹B{¹H} NMR (160 MHz, CD₂Cl₂, rt): δ 1.46 (br). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (126 MHz, CD₂Cl₂, rt): δ 198.9 (COCH₃), 147.3 (apparent triplet, SiC_6H_5 ipso, ${}^3J_{PC} = 7.0$ Hz), 138.6 (CH₃COC and BC, overlapped), 135.6 (apparent triplet, SiC₆H₅ ortho, ${}^{4}J_{PC}$ = 7.5 Hz), 135.2, 128.3, 127.6, and 127.2 (SiC₆H₅ meta or para, or BC₆H₄ ortho or meta), 30.6 (m, PCH₂), 27.0 (COCH₃), 13.3 (m, PCH₃). ²⁹Si{¹H} NMR (99 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , rt): δ 19.4 (dd, ${}^2J_{PSi}$ = 12, 157 Hz, J_{PtSi} = 1318 Hz).

³¹P{¹H} NMR (202 MHz, CD₂Cl₂, rt): δ 36.2 (²J_{SiP} = 12, 157 Hz, J_{PtP} = 1331 Hz). In a NMR tube, to a toluene-d₈ solution (0.5 mL) of [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] (5.0 mg, 7 μ mol) was added 2 equiv of 4-acetylphenylboronic acid (2.3 mg, 14 μ mol). The reaction mixture was monitored by the ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectroscopy, as shown in Figure 3.

Preparation of [Pt(SiPh2-O-B(C6H4-4-CF3)-O-SiPh2)(dmpe)] (1b). The reaction of $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ (71 mg, 0.1 mmol) and 4-(trifluoromethyl)phenylboronic acid (38 mg, 0.2 mmol) gave 1b (45 mg, 50%) as a green solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , rt): δ 7.97 (d, 2H, BC_6H_4 ortho, ${}^{3}J_{HH} = 10$ Hz), 7.61 (d, 8H, SiC_6H_5 ortho, ${}^{3}J_{HH} =$ 5.0 Hz), 7.51 (d, 2H, BC_6H_4 meta, ${}^3J_{HH} = 10$ Hz), 7.25–7.26 (m, 12H, C₆H₅ meta and para), 1.55–1.58 (m, 4H, PCH₂), 0.88 (d, 12H, PCH₃, ${}^{2}J_{PH} = 10 \text{ Hz}$). ${}^{11}B{^{1}H} \text{ NMR (160 MHz, CD}_{2}Cl_{2}, \text{ rt}): \delta 1.27 (br)$. ${}^{13}C{^{1}H} \text{ NMR (126 MHz, CD}_{2}Cl_{2}, \text{ rt}): 147.2 (apparent triplet, SiC₆H₅).$ *ipso*, ${}^{3}J_{PC} = 6.3 \text{ Hz}$), 135.2 (apparent triplet, SiC₆H₅ ortho, ${}^{4}J_{PC} = 7.5 \text{ Hz}$), 134.9, 127.9, 127.2 (SiC₆H₅ meta, para and BC₆H₄ ortho, meta), 123.6 (quartet, BC_6H_4 meta, ${}^{3}J_{FC} = 3.8 \text{ Hz}$), 30.3 (m, PCH_2), 12.9 (m, PCH_3). The *ipso* carbon was not observed due to low intensity. ¹⁹F{¹H} NMR $(471 \text{ MHz}, \text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2, \text{rt}): \delta - 62.9 \text{ (s)}. {}^{29}\text{Si}\{^1\text{H}\} \text{ NMR} (99 \text{ MHz}, \text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2)$ rt): δ 19.6 (dd, ${}^{2}J_{PSi}$ = 12, 158 Hz, J_{PtSi} = 1313 Hz). ${}^{31}P{}^{1}H{}$ NMR (202 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , rt): δ 36.2 (² J_{SiP} = 12, 158 Hz, J_{PtP} = 1336 Hz). HRMS (ESI): calcd for $C_{37}H_{40}BF_3NaO_2P_2PtSi_2 [M + Na]^+ 920.1638;$ found m/z 920.1614.

Preparation of [\dot{Pt} (SiPh₂-O-SiPh₂)(dmpe)] (2). To an acetone (2 mL) solution of [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] (36 mg, 0.05 mmol) was added an excess amount of H₂O (200 μ L). The light yellow solution was stirred at room temperature overnight, and the solution color changed to green. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to give a light green solid (24 mg) containing 2. The solid product recovered from the solution containing complex 2 [$^{31}P{}^{1}H$ } NMR (202 MHz, toluene- d_8 , rt): δ 38.0 (J_{PtP} = 1443 Hz)] as the major species, but its isolation as the analytically pure crystals was not feasible because complex 2 was easily oxidized at room temperature under air, resulting in the formation of 3 and the oxidized products.

Reaction of [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] with 2-Methoxyphenylboronic Acid. To a toluene (8 mL) solution of $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$ (71.2 mg, 0.1 mmol) was added 2-methoxyphenylboronic acid (30.4 mg, 0.2 mmol). The light yellow solution was stirred at 60 °C for 3 h, resulting in a change to orange and precipitation of a gray solid. After filtration, the solvent was removed to give a brown solid containing 2, $[Pt(SiPh_2-O-B(C_6H_4-2-OMe)-O-SiPh_2)(dmpe)]$ (1c), and unreacted $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(dmpe)]$. Data for 1c: ³¹P{¹H} NMR (202 MHz, toluene d_8 , rt): δ 35.2 (J_{PtP} = 1310 Hz). Recrystallization of this solid in CH₂Cl₂/ hexane at -18 °C under inert gas gave a small amount of crystals of 2 suitable for X-ray crystallography.

Reaction of (HO)₂B(C_6H_4 -4-COMe) with 2. 4-Acetylphenylboronic acid (10.7 mg, 65 μ mol) was added to a toluene- d_8 solution (0.5 mL) of 2 (10.0 mg, 13 μ mol), which was obtained as a crude product. The ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectrum of the mixture at 70 °C for 1 h showed the major signals of 1a (δ 35.2, J_{PtP} = 1314 Hz), accompanied by unidentified products. Further reaction for 5.5 h at the same temperature increased the signal of 2 as the major product and disappearance of the signal of 2. An equimolar reaction at the same temperature, however, resulted in the complexes being composed of multiple uncharacterized products.

Preparation of [Pt(O-SiPh₂-O-SiPh₂-Ö)(dmpe)] (3). In a NMR tube, a toluene- d_8 solution of [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)] (5.0 mg, 7 μ mol) was stored at room temperature in air. After 3 days, the ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectrum of the mixture showed two ³¹P signals assigned as 3 (δ 18.0, J_{PtP} = 3566 Hz) and unreacted [Pt(SiHPh₂)₂(dmpe)]. Slow evaporation of the solution at room temperature afforded a tiny amount of colorless crystals of 3, which was suitable for X-ray crystallography.

Preparation of $[Pt(O-SiPh_2-O-SiPh_2-O)(PMe_3)_2]$ (4). A toluene (10 mL) suspension of $[Pt(SiHPh_2)_2(PMe_3)_2]$ (503 mg, 0.70 mmol) was stirred under O₂ atmosphere for 15 h at room temperature. The complex was dissolved in toluene. The solution gradually turned from yellow to brown, accompanied by precipitation of a white solid. The solid was collected through filtration and washed with hexane three times (10 mL)

and dried in vacuo to afford 4 as a white solid (412 mg, 77%). The crystals of 4 suitable for X-ray crystallography were obtained by slow diffusion of toluene to hexane solution. Anal. Calcd for $C_{30}H_{38}O_3P_2PtSi_2$: *C*, 47.42; H, 5.04. Found: *C*, 47.18; H, 4.96. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ 7.76 (d, 8H, C_6H_5 ortho, ³*J*_{HH} = 8.0 Hz), 7.24–7.29 (m, 12H, C_6H_5 meta and para), 1.40 (d, 18H, PCH₃, ²*J*_{HP} = 11 Hz). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ 141.0 (C_6H_5 ipso), 134.6 (C_6H_5 ortho), 128.2 (C_6H_5 para), 127.0 (C_6H_5 meta), 14.7 (m, PCH₃). ³¹P{¹H} NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃): δ –28.9 (J_{PPt} = 3526 Hz). ²⁹Si{¹H} NMR (79 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ –37.0. IR (KBr): 1115 (ν_{Si-OSi}), 996 and 947 (ν_{Si-OPt}) cm⁻¹.

Preparation of [Pt{O-Si(Tol)₂–**O-Si(Tol)**₂–**O}(PMe**₃)₂] (5). Complex 5 was obtained similarly in 47% yield, and the crystals of 5 suitable for X-ray crystallography were obtained by slow diffusion of toluene to hexane solution. Anal. Calcd for C₃₄H₄₆O₃P₂PtSi₂: *C*, 50.05; H, 5.68. Found: C, 50.17; H, 5.86. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ 7.62 (d, 8H, C₆H₄ ortho, ³J_{HH} = 7.6 Hz), 7.05 (d, 8H, C₆H₄ meta, ³J_{HH} = 7.6 Hz), 2.30 (s, C₆H₄CH₃, 12H), 1.41 (d, 18H, PCH₃, ²J_{HP} = 11 Hz). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ 137.9 (C₆H₄ ipso), 137.6 (C₆H₄ para), 134.7 (C₆H₄ ortho), 127.8 (C₆H₄ meta), 21.5 (s, C₆H₄CH₃), 14.7 (m, PCH₃). ³¹P{¹H} NMR (162 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ -29.0 (J_{PPt} = 3518 Hz).

Reaction of H₂GePh₂ with 1a. To a toluene- d_8 solution (0.6 mL) of 1a (8.7 mg, 10 μ mol) in a J-Young NMR tube under inert gas was added H₂GePh₂ (5.0 μ L, 27 μ mol). The ³¹P{¹H} NMR spectrum of the reaction mixture after 1 h at 60 °C appeared at δ 35.5 (J_{PtP} = 1890 Hz), which was assigned to [Pt(GeHPh₂)₂(dmpe)].²⁰ Further reaction at the same temperature caused the formation of [Pt(GePh₂GePh₂GePh₂).

(dmpe)] ($\delta_p = 36.4$, $J_{PtP} = 1816$ Hz) or [Pt(GePh₂GePh₂GePh₂GePh₂)-(dmpe)] ($\delta_p = 34.1$, $J_{PtP} = 1890$ Hz). The HRMS data (APCI) of the mixture revealed the signals assigned as cyclic borasiloxanes (MeCO-4-C₆H₄BO)(SiPh₂O)₂ (8) and (MeCO-4-C₆H₄BO)(SiPh₂O)₃ (9). Data for 8: calcd for C₃₂H₂₈BO₄Si₂ [M + H]⁺ 543.1620; found *m/z* 543.1604. Data for 9: calcd for C₄₄H₃₈BO₅Si₃ [M + H]⁺ 741.2123; found *m/z* 741.2120.

Reaction of 1a with CF₃CO₂H. To a THF solution of 1a (174 mg, 0.2 mmol) was added trifluoroacetic acid (31 μ L, 0.4 mmol). The solution changed from yellow to dark green after being stirred at room temperature for 30 min, and the reaction was continued overnight. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure to give a mixture of $[Pt(OCOCF_3)_2(dmpe)]^{19}$ (7) and the borasiloxane compound. The latter product was extracted by 15 mL of Et₂O and evaporated to give a mixture of cyclic borasiloxanes 8 and 9 in a 7:3 ratio as a brown solid (106 mg), which was identified as mixtures by HRMS (APCI) and NMR spectroscopy. ¹H NMR assignment for 8 (400 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , rt): δ 8.13 (d, 2H, BC₆H₄ ortho, ${}^{3}J_{HH}$ = 8.0 Hz), 7.96 (d, 2H, BC₆H₄ meta, ${}^{3}J_{HH}$ = 8.0 Hz), 7.72 (d, 8H, SiC₆H₅ ortho, ${}^{3}J_{HH} = 6.8$ Hz), 7.38–7.43 (m, 12H, SiC₆H₅ meta and para), 2.60 (s, 3H, COCH₃). ¹H NMR assignment for **9**: δ 8.17 (d, 2H, BC₆H₄ ortho, ³J_{HH} = 8.3 Hz), 8.00 (d, 2H, BC₆H₄ meta, ${}^{3}J_{\text{HH}}$ = 8.3 Hz), 2.62 (s, 3H, COCH₃). The SiC₆H₅ signals are not characterized clearly due to overlapping with other signals. $^{29}\text{Si}\{^1\text{H}\}$ NMR (99 MHz, CD_2Cl_2 , rt): δ -21.7 (s for 8), -39.5 (s, 1Si for 9), -41.5 (s, 2Si for 9). ¹¹B $\{$ ¹H $\}$ NMR (160 MHz, CD₂Cl₂, rt): δ 16.8 (br for 8 and 9). IR (KBr): 1319, 997 ($\nu_{\rm BOSi}$), 1126 cm⁻¹ ($\nu_{\rm SiOSi}$).

Reaction of 4 with HCI. To a CH₂Cl₂ solution (5 mL) of 4 (248 mg, 0.33 mmol) was added three times molar amounts of 4.0 M HCl in 1,4-dioxane (248 μ L, 0.99 mmol). A white solid was rapidly precipitated from the reaction mixture. The solid was collected through filtration, washed with hexane twice (3 mL), and dried in vacuo to give *cis*-[PtCl₂(PMe₃)₂] (**10**, 123 mg, 89%), which was consistent with the literature data (δ –23.9, *J*_{PPt} = 3468 Hz).²¹ 1,1,3,3-Tetraphenyldisiloxane-1,3-diol was isolated from the supernatant solution (**11**, 87 mg, 64%) and characterized by IR spectroscopy.²² IR (KBr): 3230 (ν _{OH}), 1128 (ν _{SiO}), 1086, 885, 848 (ν _{SiOH}) cm⁻¹.

Reaction of 4 with 4-Methylbenzoic Acid. To a toluene suspension (5 mL) of 4 (145 mg, 0.19 mmol) was added 4-methylbenzoic acid (52 mg, 0.38 mmol) under air to become a yellow solution immediately with stirring for 1 h. The solution was passed through filter paper and evaporated under reduced pressure. Addition of 2 mL of ether to the resulting material separated a platinum complex as a white solid.

The solid was collected through filtration, washed with 2 mL of ether three times, and dried in vacuo to obtain a di(carboxylate)platinum complex *cis*-[Pt(OCOCF₃)₂(PMe₃)₂] (**12**, 109 mg, 93%), which was crystallized by toluene/hexane solutions. The organosiloxane compounds as byproducts were not characterized in the mixture. Data for **12**: Anal. Calcd for C₂₂H₃₂O₄P₂Pt: C, 42.79; H, 5.22. Found: C, 43.39; H, 5.40. ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ 7.87 (d, 4H, C₆H₄, J_{HH} = 8.1 Hz), 7.07 (d, 4H, C₆H₄, J_{HH} = 8.1 Hz), 2.30 (s, 6H, C₆H₄CH₃), 1.68 (d, 18H, PCH₃, J_{HP} = 11 Hz, J_{HPt} = 50 Hz). ¹³C{¹H} NMR (75 MHz, acetone-d₆, rt): δ 206.1 (C==O), 140.7 (C₆H₄ para), 135.6 (C₆H₄ ipso), 130.4 (C₆H₄ ortho), 128.9 (C₆H₄ meta), 21.3 (C₆H₄CH₃), 15.0 (d, PCH₃, J_{CP} = 43 Hz, ²J_{CPt} = 31 Hz). ³¹P{¹H} NMR (121 MHz, C₆D₆, rt): δ -31.2 (J_{PPt} = 3650 Hz). IR (KBr): 1611 (ν _{C=O}), 1556 and 1363 (ν _{CO}) cm⁻¹.

Reaction of 4 with HBF₄. To a CH₂Cl₂ solution (5 mL) of 4 (109 mg, 0.14 mmol) was added three times molar amounts of 54 wt % HBF₄ in diethyl ether (98 μ L, 0.43 mmol). Immediately, a white solid was precipitated from the reaction mixture. The solid was collected through filtration, washed with hexane twice (3 mL), and dried in vacuo to give a dicationic aquaplatinum complex *cis*-[Pt(OH₂)₂(PMe₃)₂](BF₄)₂⁻²³ (13) (72 mg, 92%). 1,3-Difluoro-1,1,3,3-tetraphenyldisiloxane²⁴ (14) was isolated as a white solid from the supernatant solution (51 mg, 87%). Data for 13: ¹H NMR (300 MHz, acetone-*d*₆, rt): δ 1.94 (m, 18H, C₆H₄ *ortho*, *J*_{HH} = 7.5 Hz). ³¹P{¹H} NMR (162 MHz, acetone-*d*₆, rt): δ -24.6 (*J*_{PPt} = 3752 Hz). Data for 14: ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ 7.66 (m, 8H, C₆H₄ *ortho*, *J*_{HH} = 7.5 Hz), 7.50 (m, 4H, C₆H₄ *para*, *J*_{HH} = 7.5 Hz), 7.39 (m, 8H, C₆H₄ *meta*, *J*_{HH} = 7.2 Hz). ²⁹Si{¹H} NMR (79 MHz, CDCl₃, rt): δ -36.1, *J*_{SFF} = 281 Hz). GC-MS (70 eV): *m/z* = 418.

Reaction of 4 with H₂SiPh₂. To a toluene solution (5 mL) of complex 4 (399 mg, 0.53 mmol) was added three times molar amounts of H₂SiPh₂ (292 μ L, 1.58 mmol). The solution was stirred at 60 °C for 12 h, and the resultant red solution was evaporated to dryness. The solid product was washed with Et₂O (5 mL) and dried in vacuo to yield [{Pt(PMe₃)}₃(μ -SiPh₂)₃]^{25a} (15, 145 mg, 60%). The ¹H NMR spectrum of the supernatant solution showed the presence of octaphenylcyclotetrasiloxane (OSiPh₂)₄ that was characterized by ¹H and ²⁹Si{¹H} NMR spectroscopy. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz, rt): δ 7.48 (d, 16H, SiC₆H₅ ortho, ³J_{HH} = 5 Hz), 7.35 (t, 8H, SiC₆H₅ para, ³J_{HH} = 7.5 Hz), 7.18 (t, 16H, SiC₆H₅ meta, ³J_{HH} = 7.5 Hz). ²⁹Si{¹H} NMR (CDCl₃, 99 MHz, rt) δ -43.0.

X-ray Crystal Structure Analyses. Single crystals of **1a**, **2**, **3**, **4**, **5**, and **12** suitable for X-ray diffraction were mounted on MicroMounts (MiTeGen). The crystallographic data were collected on Rigaku Saturn CCD area detector for **1a**, **2**, **3**, **4**, and **12** or Rigaku AFC5R automated four-cycle diffractometer for **5** equipped with monochromated Mo K α radiation ($\lambda = 0.71073$ Å) at 113 or 293 K. Calculations were carried out using the program package Crystal Structure 4.2 for Windows. The positional and thermal parameters of non-hydrogen atoms were refined anisotropically on F^2 by the full-matrix least-squares method using SHELXL-2014. Hydrogen atoms were placed at calculated positions and refined with a riding mode on their corresponding carbon atoms.

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