

Synthesis of Silsesquioxanes with Substituted Triazole Ring Functionalities and Their Coordination Ability†

Monika Rzonsowska ^{1,2,*}, Katarzyna Kozakiewicz ¹, Katarzyna Mituła ^{1,2},
Julia Duszczyk ^{1,2}, Maciej Kubicki ³, Beata Dudziec ^{1,2,*}

¹ Department of Organometallic Chemistry, Faculty of Chemistry, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań, Uniwersytetu Poznańskiego 8, 61-614 Poznań, Poland

² Centre for Advanced Technologies, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań, Uniwersytetu Poznańskiego 10, 61-614 Poznań, Poland

³ Faculty of Chemistry, Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań, Uniwersytetu Poznańskiego 8, 61-614 Poznań, Poland

* Correspondence: mrzons@amu.edu.pl (M. R.); beata.dudziec@gmail.com (B.D.)

†Dedicated to Professor Julian Chojnowski on the occasion of his 85th birthday.

Table of content

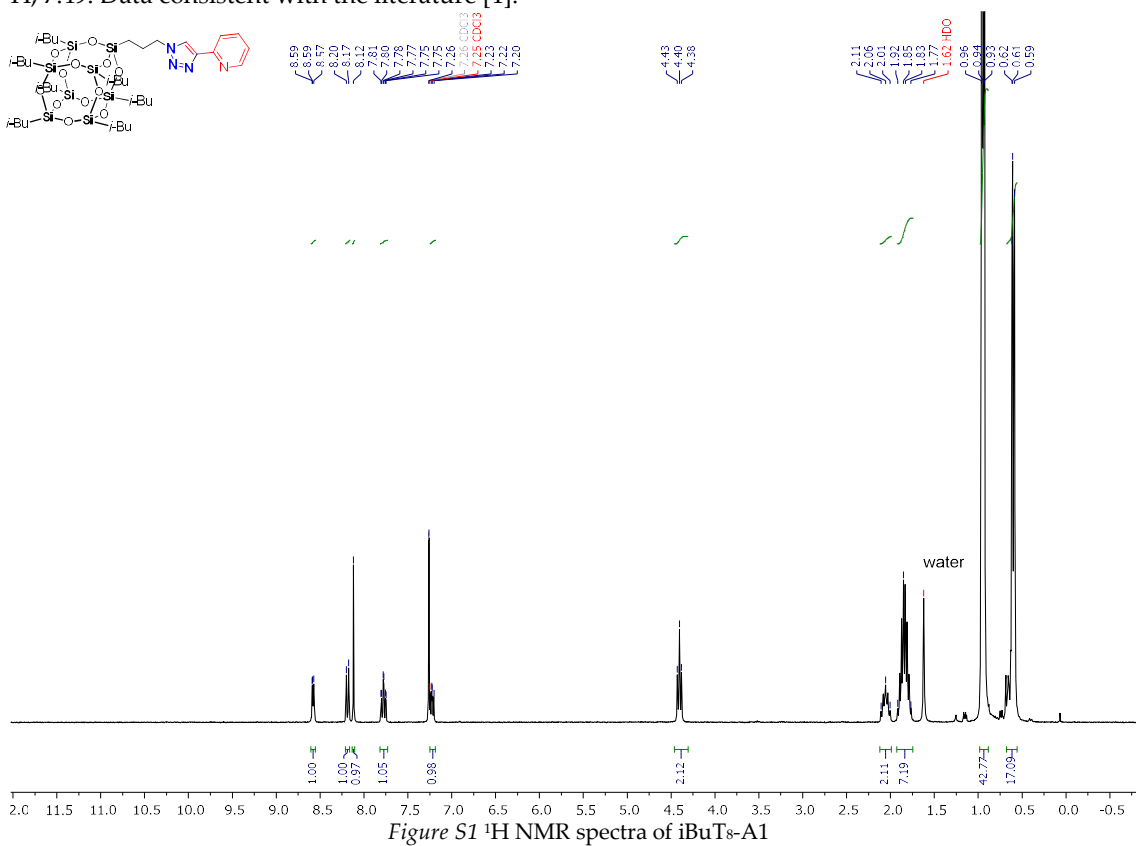
Spectra of obtained products:	S-2
iBuT ₈ -A1	S-2
iBuT ₈ -A2	S-4
iBuT ₈ -A3	S-6
iBuT ₈ -A4	S-8
iBuT ₈ -A5	S-9
iBuT ₈ -A6	S-11
iBuT ₈ -A7	S-13
iBuT ₈ -A8	S-15
iBuT ₈ -A9	S-17
iBuT ₈ -A10	S-19
DDSQ-2A1	S-21
DDSQ-2A2	S-23
DDSQ-2-A3	S-24
DDSQ-2-A4	S-26
DDSQ-2-A11	S-27
Spectra of obtained complexes:	S-29
(iBuT ₈ -A1) ₂ -Rh(N [^] N)	S-29
iBuT ₈ -A1-Pt(N [^] N)	S-31
iBuT ₈ -A1-Pd(N [^] S)	S-33
DDSQ-A1-[Pd(N [^] N)] ₂	S-35
Comparison of the ¹ H NMR spectra of ligand iBuT ₈ -A1 and complex iBuT ₈ -A1-Pt(N [^] N)	S-37
Comparison of the ¹ H NMR spectra of ligand iBuT ₈ -A7 and complex iBuT ₈ -A7-Pd(N [^] S)	S-37
References	S-38

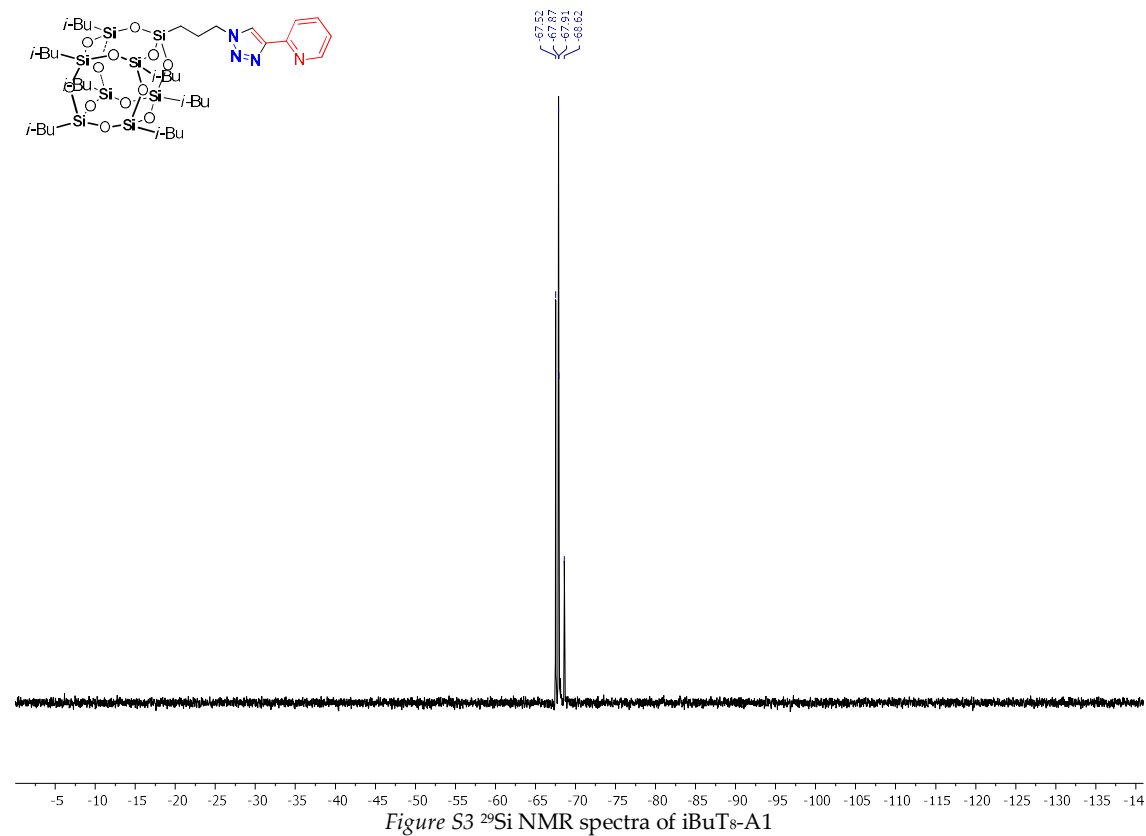
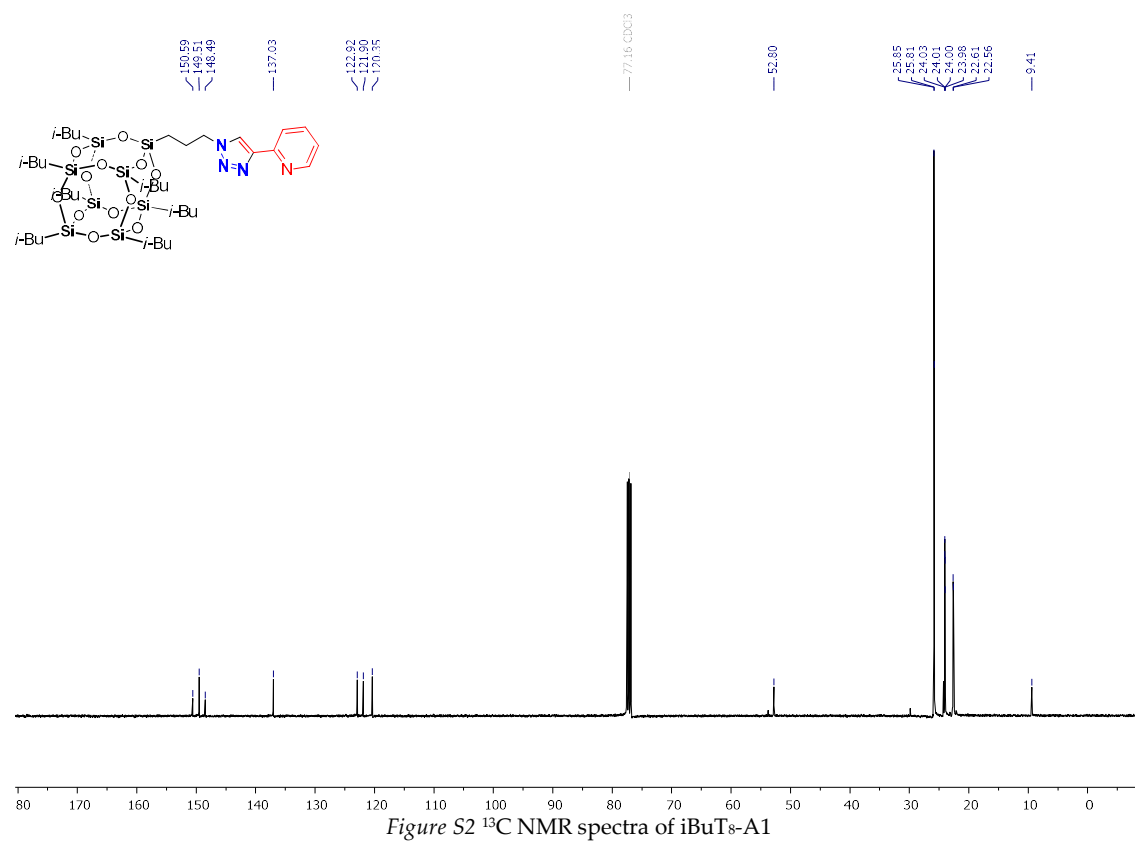
Spectra of obtained products:

*i*BuT₈-A1

White solid, 78%

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 8.58 (d, 1H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 4.1 Hz, PyH), 8.19 (d, 1H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.9 Hz, PyH), 8.12 (s, 1H, NCH), 7.78 (td, 1H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.7, 1.8 Hz, PyH), 7.23-7.20 (m, 1H, PyH), 4.40 (t, 2H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.2 Hz, N-CH₂), 2.11-2.01 (m, 2H, CH₂CH₂CH₂), 1.92 (sext, 7H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.96-0.93 (m, 42H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.65 (overlapped, 2H, CH₂Si), 0.62-0.59 (m, 14H, CH₂CH(CH₃)₂); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 150.59, 149.51, 148.49, 137.03, 122.92, 121.9, 120.35, 52.80, 25.85, 25.81, 24.03, 23.98, 22.68, 22.61, 22.56, 9.41; ²⁹Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = -67.52, -67.87, -67.91, -68.62; IR (cm⁻¹): 2952.14, 2868.04, 1463.36, 1229.26, 1092.96, 741.26, 479.68; EA: Anal. calcd for C₃₈H₇₄N₄O₁₂Si₈ (%): C, 45.47, H, 7.43; found: C, 45.51; H, 7.49. Data consistent with the literature [1].





White solid, 90%

Figure S10. ^1H NMR spectrum of compound **10** in CDCl_3 . The spectrum shows peaks at 7.28, 7.26, 7.25, 7.18, 7.19, 7.18, 4.29, 4.27, 4.25, 3.02, 1.97, 1.85, 1.83, 1.79, 0.97, 0.94, 0.62, and 0.59 ppm. Integration values are 5.02, 1.01, 2.01, 2.10, 7.85, 42.50, and 14.16. The chemical structure of compound **10** is shown in the top left corner.

Figure S4 ^1H NMR spectra of iBuT₈-A2

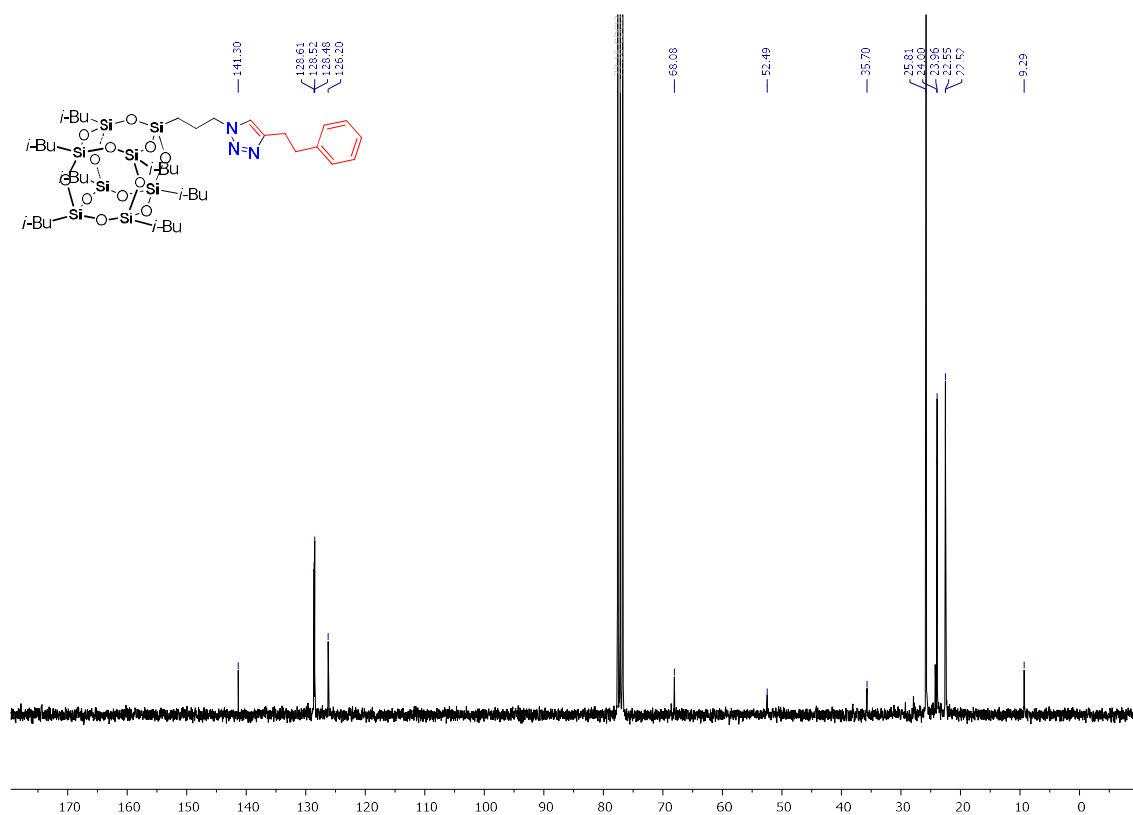


Figure S5 ^{13}C NMR spectra of iBuT8-A2

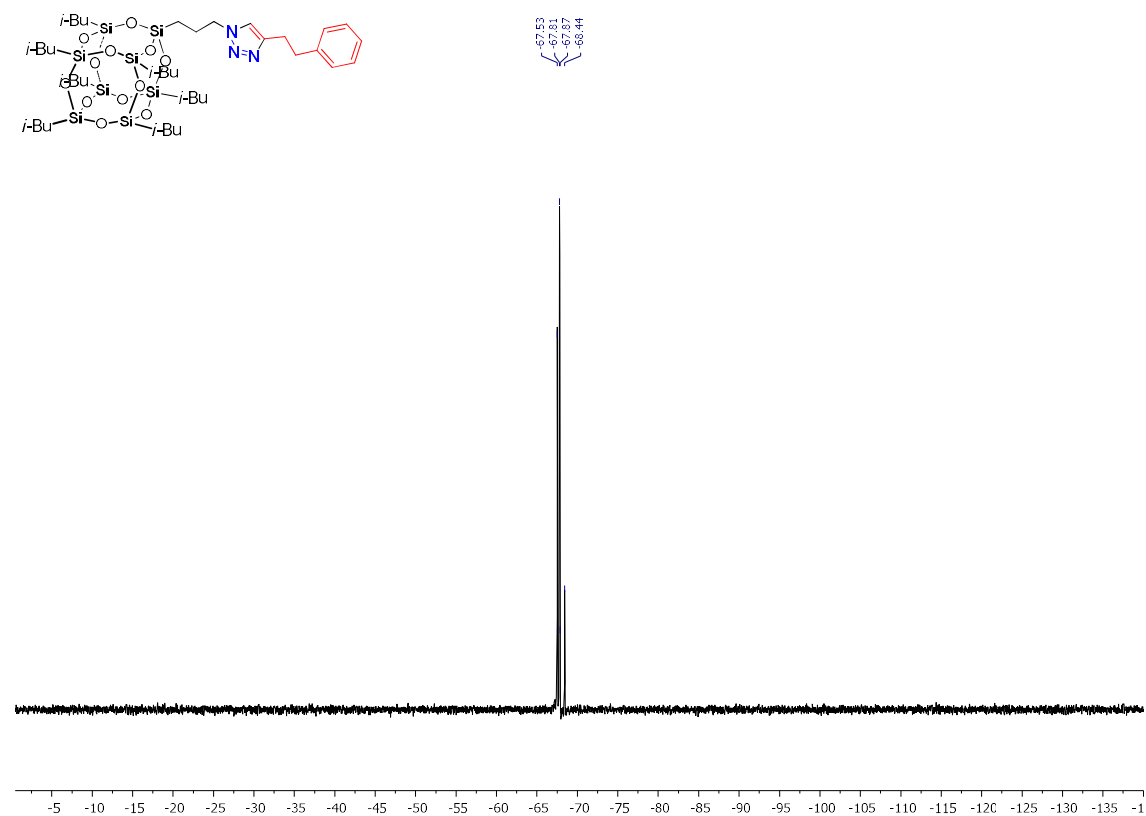


Figure S6 ^{29}Si NMR spectra of iBuT8-A2

***i*BuT₈-A3**

White solid, 83%

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 7.84 (m, 2H, J_{H-H} = 1.4 Hz, PhH), 7.72 (s, 1H, NCH), 7.45-7.41 (m, 2H, PhH), 7.34 (d, J_{H-H} = 7.4 Hz, 1H, PhH), 4.39 (t, J_{H-H} = 7.2 Hz 2H, N-CH₂), 2.05 (q, 2H, CH₂CH₂CH₂), 1.84 (m, 7H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.95 (d, J_{H-H} = 6.6 Hz, 42H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.60 (dd, 14H, J_{H-H} = 7.0, 3.4 Hz, CH₂CH(CH₃)₂), 0.57 (overlapped, 2H, CH₂Si); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 147.88, 130.88, 128.97, 128.22, 125.82, 119.38, 52.65, 29.86, 25.83, 24.36, 24.00 22.60, 9.38; ²⁹Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = -67.54, -67.58, -67.85, -67.87, -67.91 -68.55; IR (cm⁻¹): 2953.75, 2925.62, 2868.91, 2098.11, 1464.52, 1264.41, 1228.27, 1090.54, 735.82, 476.42; EA: Anal. calcd for C₃₉H₇₅N₃O₁₂Si₈ (%): C, 46.72, H, 7.54; found: C, 46.81; H, 7.73.

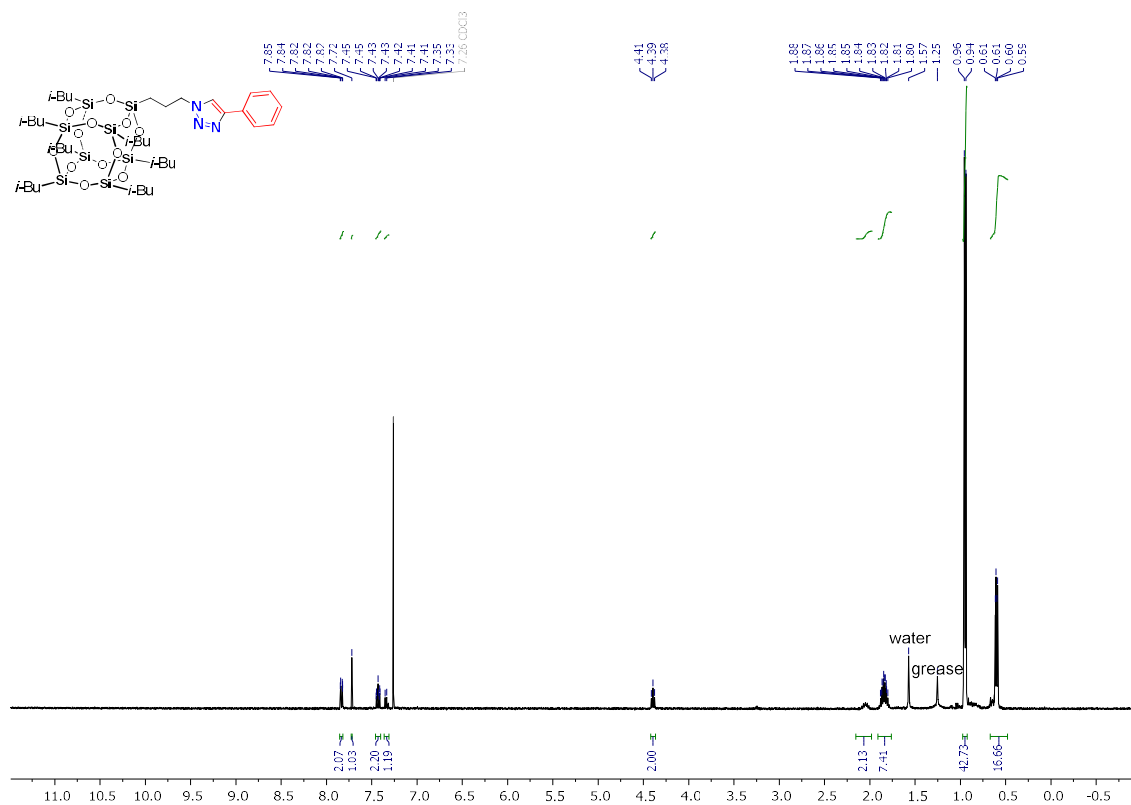


Figure S7 ¹H NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A3

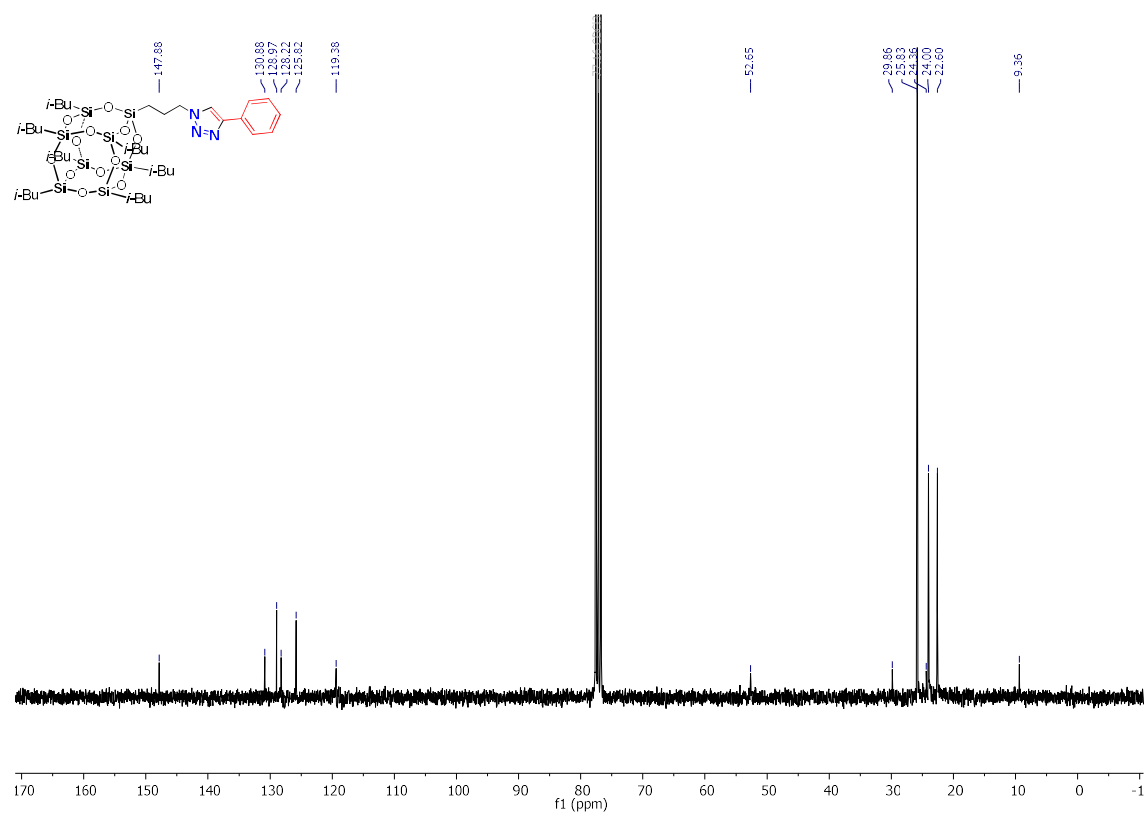


Figure S8 ¹³C NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A3

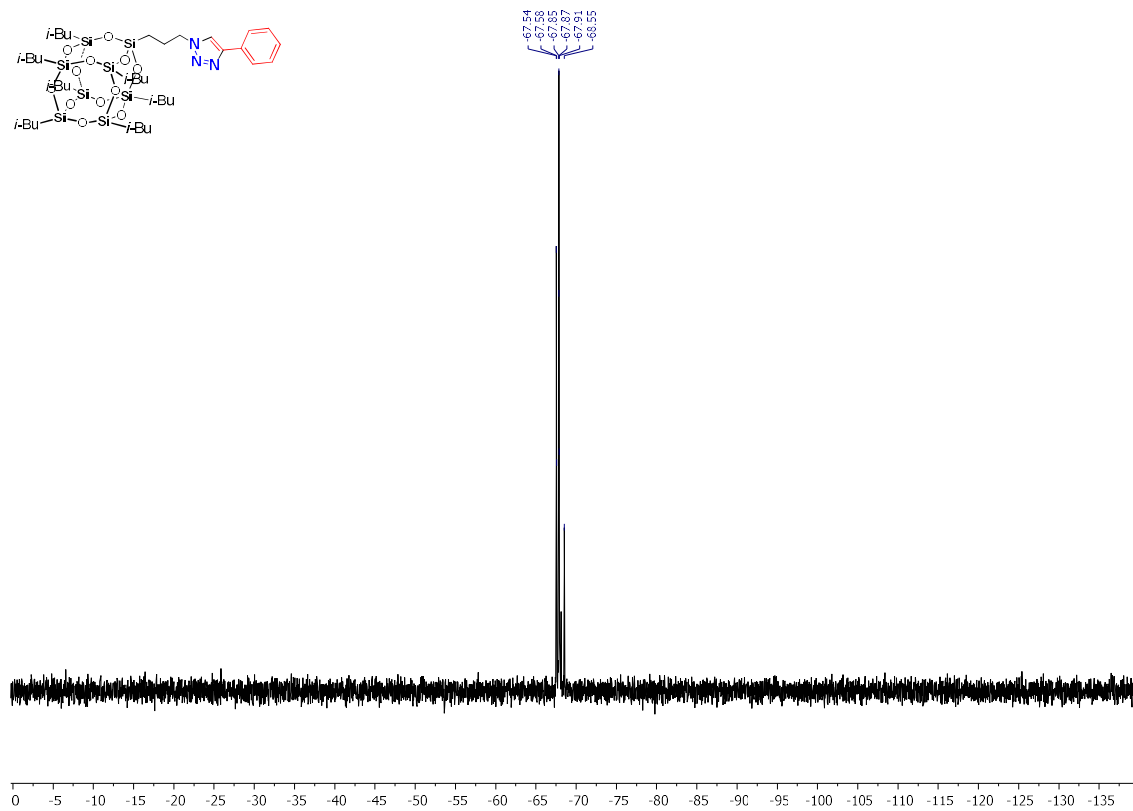
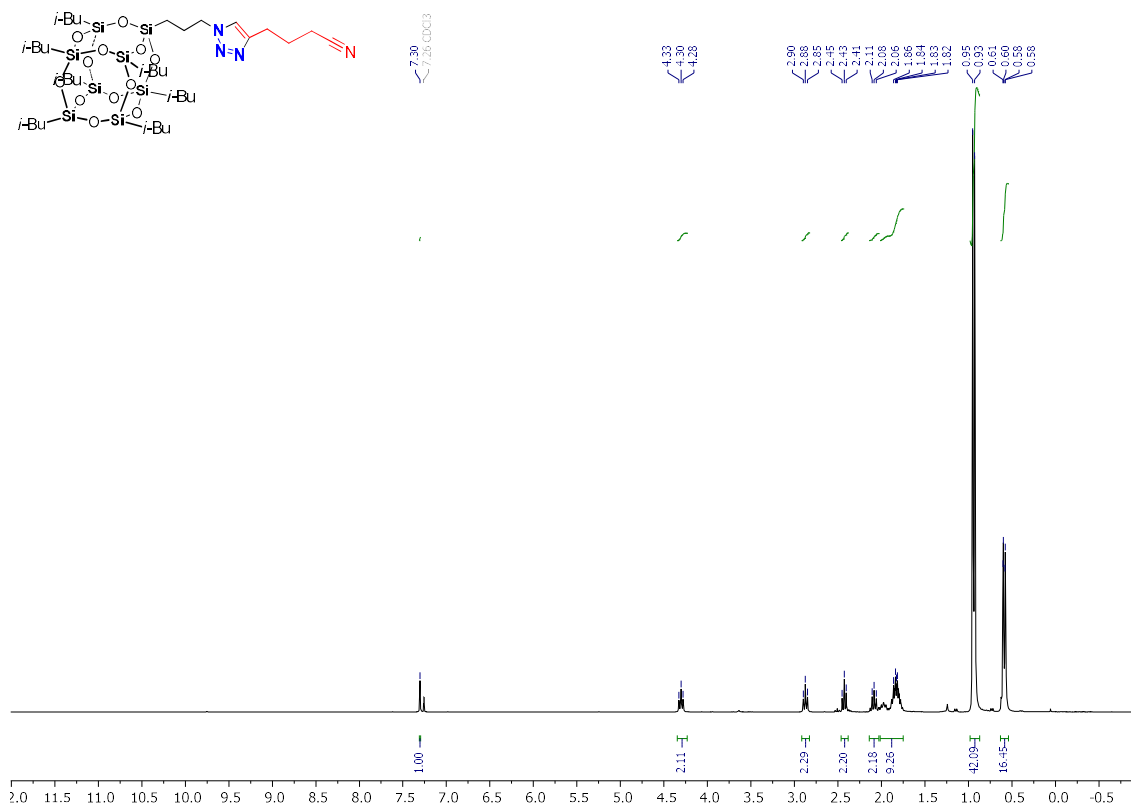


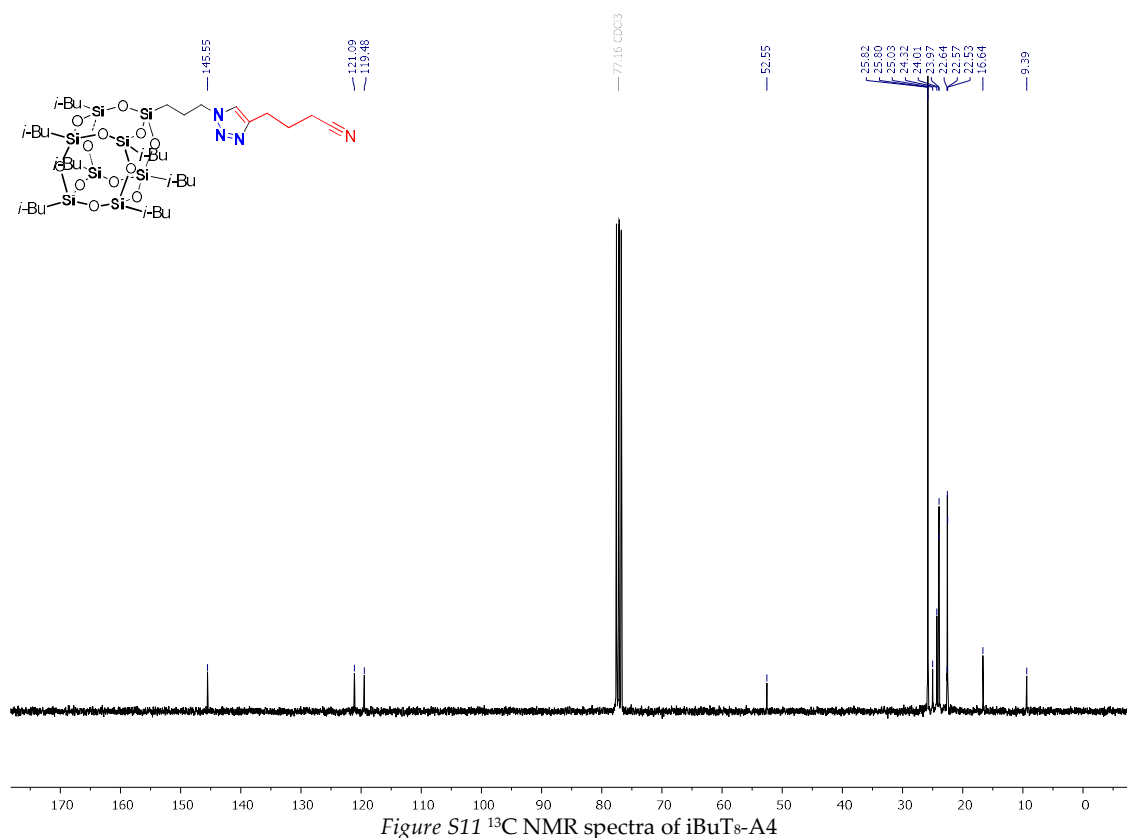
Figure S9 ²⁹Si NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A3

***i*BuT₈-A4**

White solid, 82%

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 7.30 (s, 1H, NCH), 4.30 (t, 2H, J_{H-H} = 7.2 Hz, N-CH₂), 2.88 (t, 2H, J_{H-H} = 7.3 Hz, CH₂(CH₂)₂CN), 2.43 (t, 2H, J_{H-H} = 7.1 Hz, CH₂CH₂CN), 2.08 (t, 2H, J_{H-H} = 7.2 Hz, CH₂CN), 1.84 (m, 7H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.94 (d, 42H, J_{H-H} = 6.6 Hz, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.60 (overlapped, 2H, J_{H-H} = 1.2 Hz, CH₂Si), 0.58 (d, 14H, J_{H-H} = 1.2 Hz, CH₂CH(CH₃)₂); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 145.55, 121.09, 119.48, 52.55, 25.82, 25.80, 25.03, 24.32, 24.01, 23.97, 22.64, 22.57, 22.53, 16.64, 9.39; IR (cm⁻¹): 2952.09, 2868.29, 1463.91, 1229.24, 1092.4, 740.71, 479.83; EA: Anal. calcd for C₃₇H₇₆N₄O₁₂Si₈ (%): C, 44.72, H, 7.71; found: C, 44.85; H, 7.83.

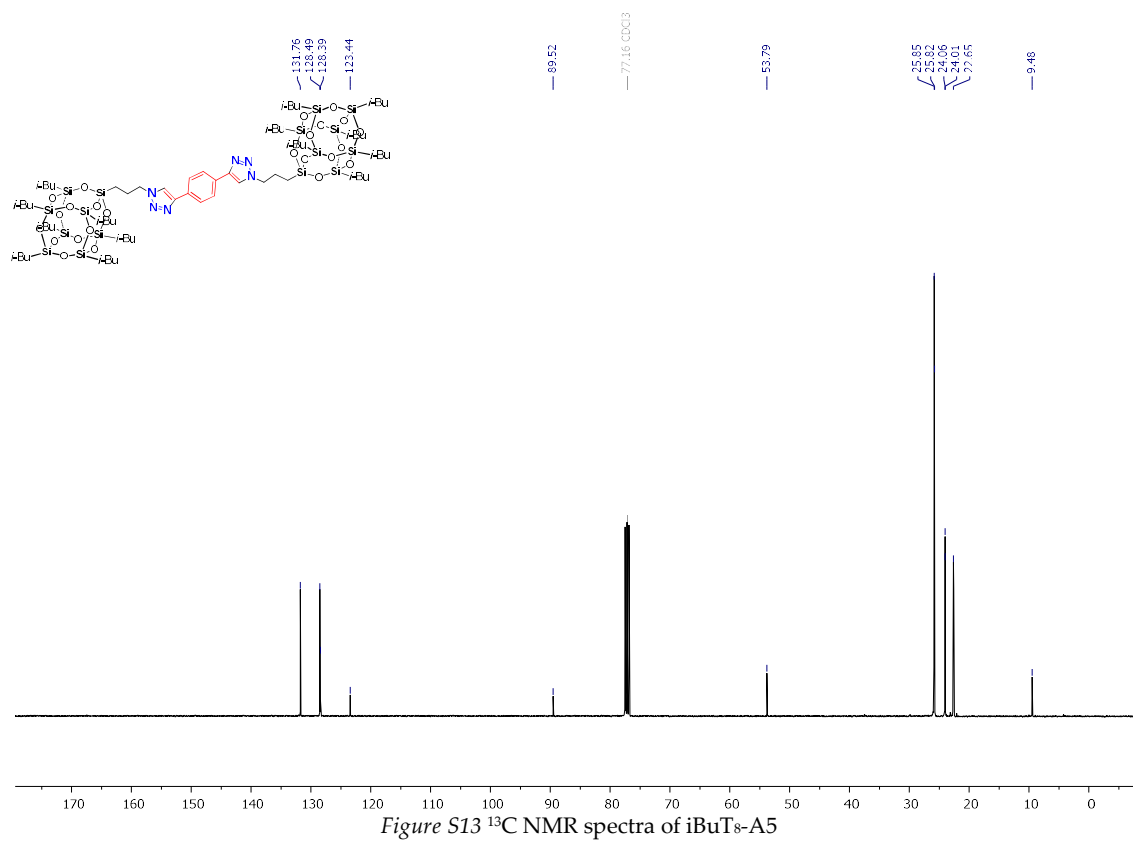
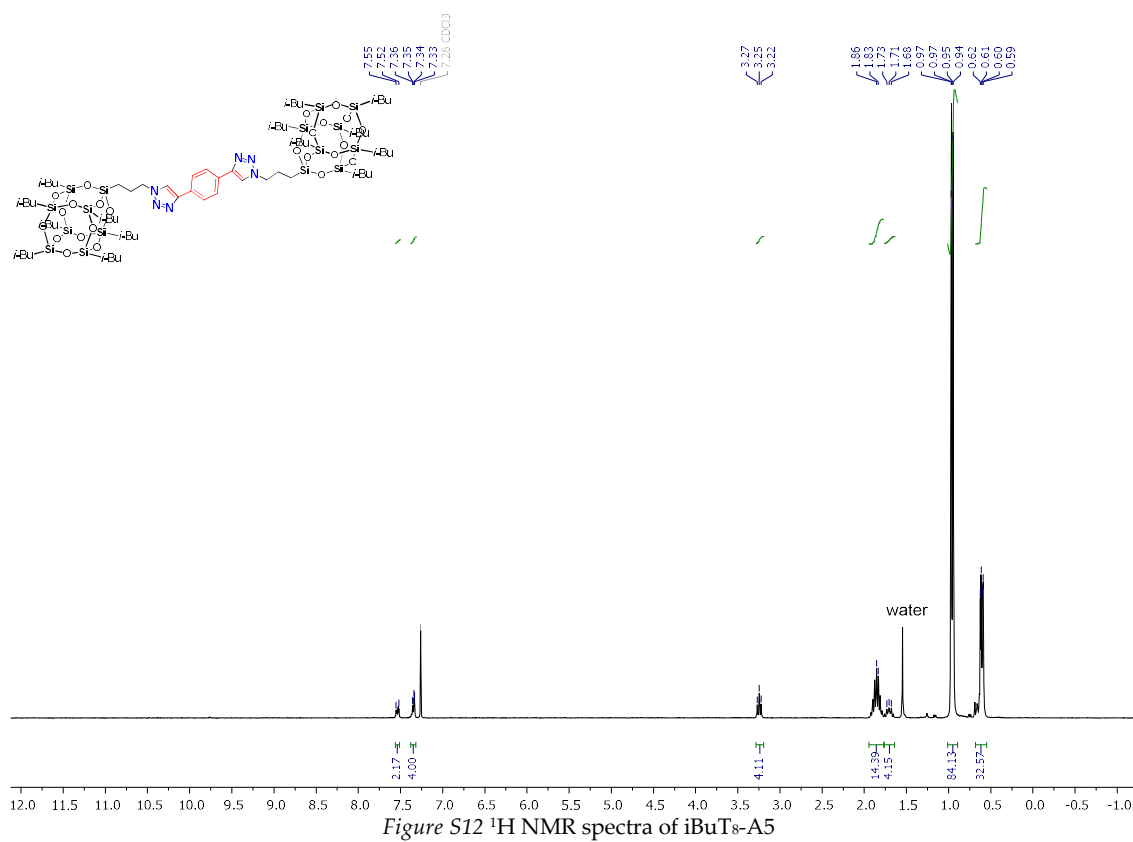




iBuTs-A5

White solid, 91.8%

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 7.55-7.52 (m, 2H, NCH), 7.50-7.33 (m, 4H, PhH), 3.25 (t, 4H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.1 Hz, N- CH_2), 1.84 (hept, 14H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 6.7 Hz, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$), 1.73-1.68 (m, 4H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$), 0.96 (dd, 84H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 6.6, 1.2 Hz, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$), 0.62 (overlapped, d, 4H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 2.5 Hz, CH_2Si), 0.60 (d, 28H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 2.6 Hz, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 131.76, 128.49, 128.39, 123.44, 89.52, 53.79, 25.85, 25.82, 24.06, 24.01, 22.65, 9.48; ^{29}Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = -67.46, -67.54, -67.80, -67.83, -68.08; IR (cm^{-1}): 2954.61, 2868.95, 2098.35, 1264.18, 1228.74, 1096.79, 733.20, 689.83, 480.52; EA: Anal. calcd for $\text{C}_{72}\text{H}_{144}\text{N}_6\text{O}_{24}\text{Si}_{16}$ (%): C, 44.87, H, 7.53; found: C, 44.89; H, 7.63.



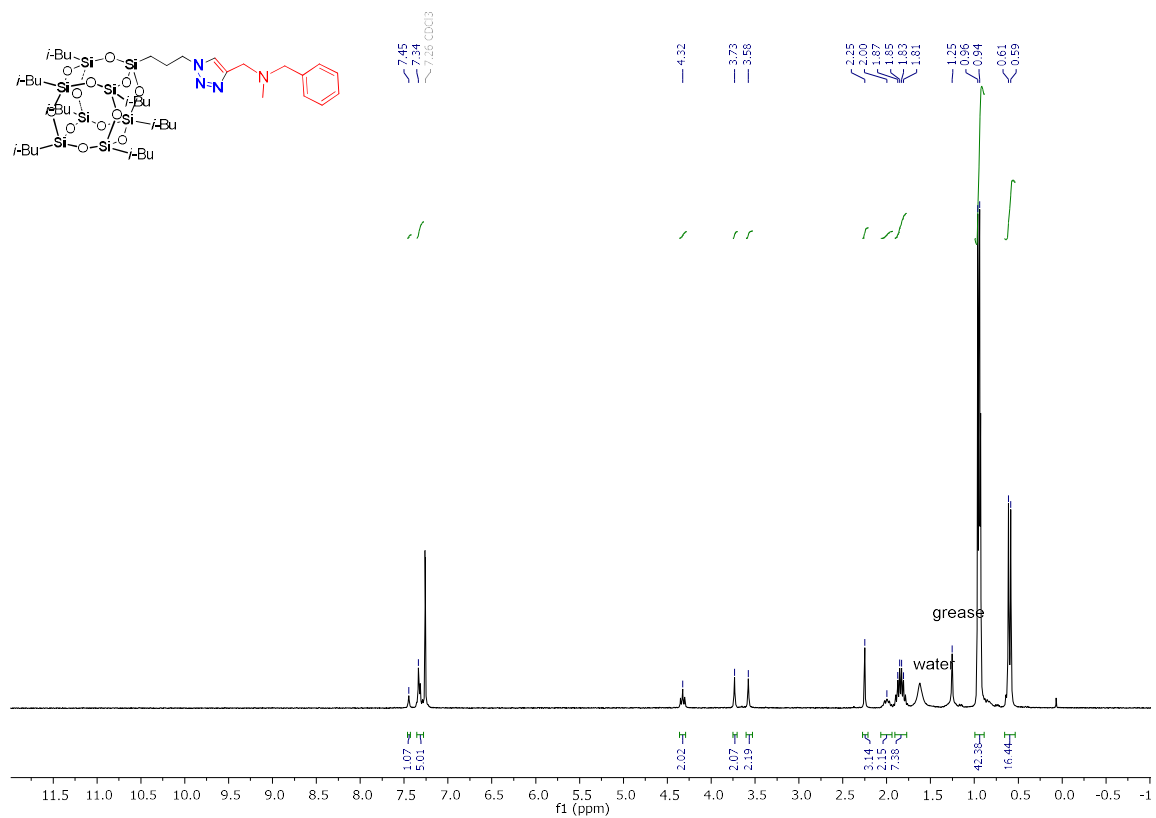


Figure S15 ¹H NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A6

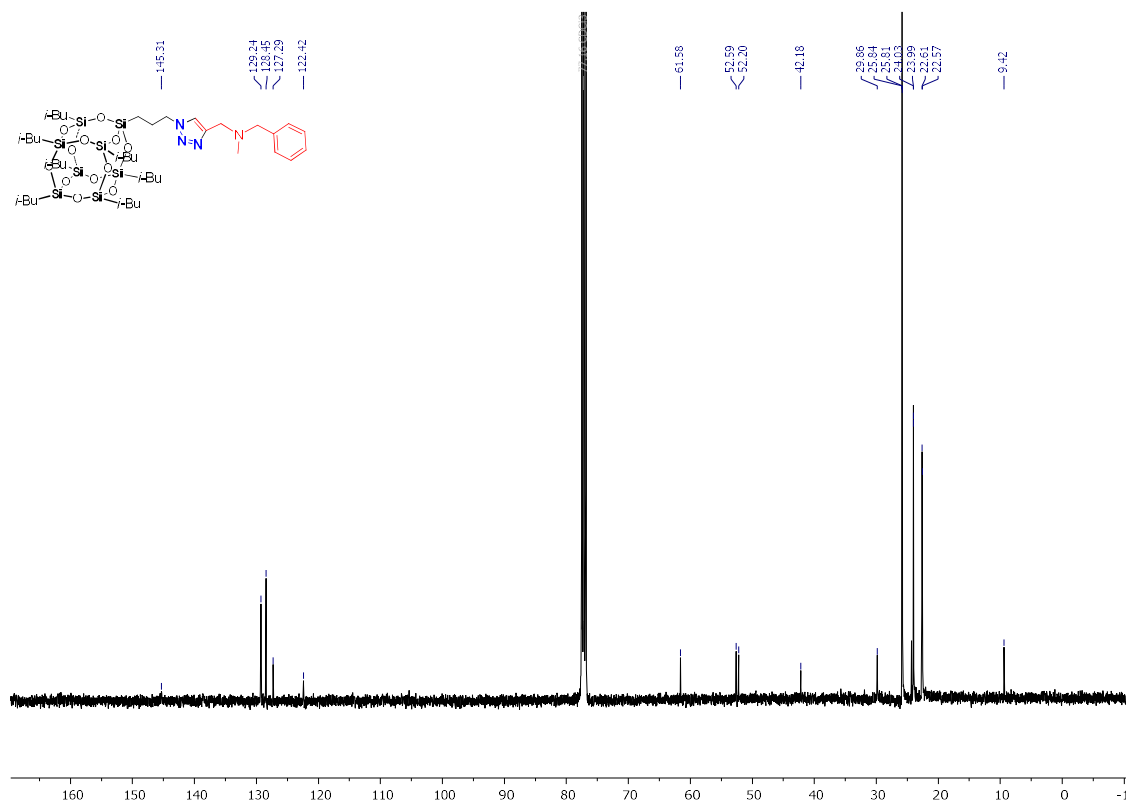
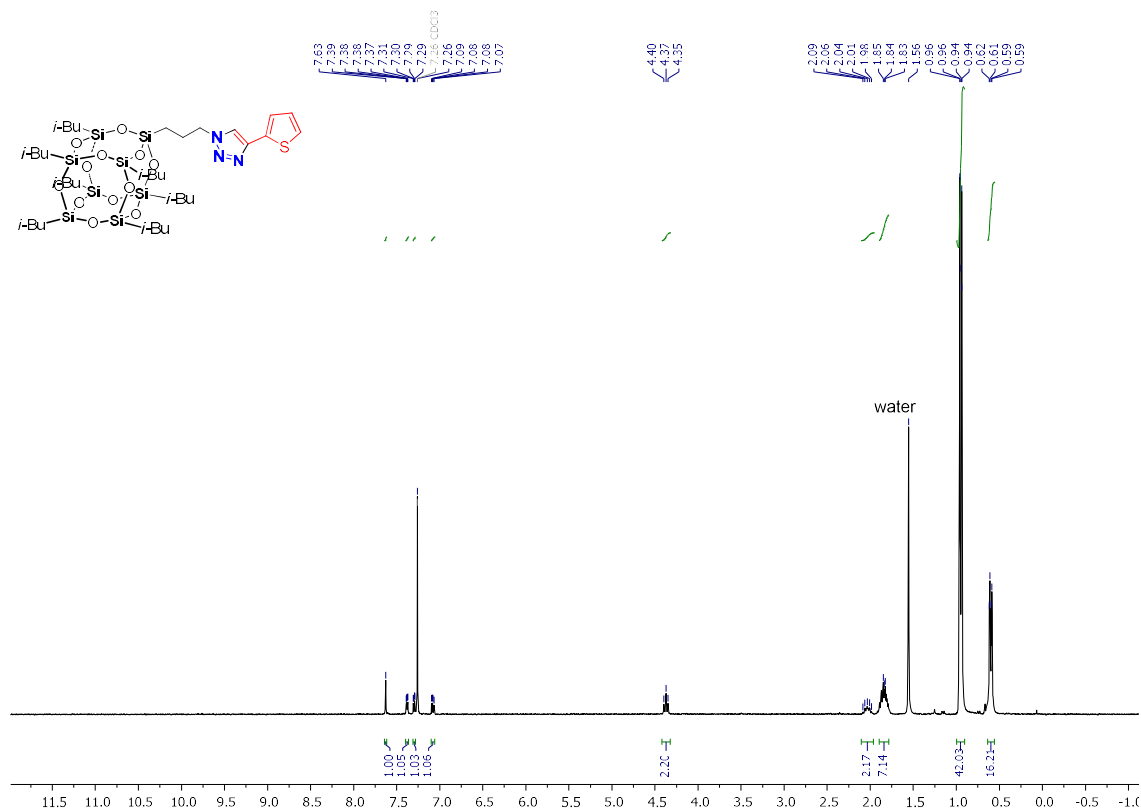


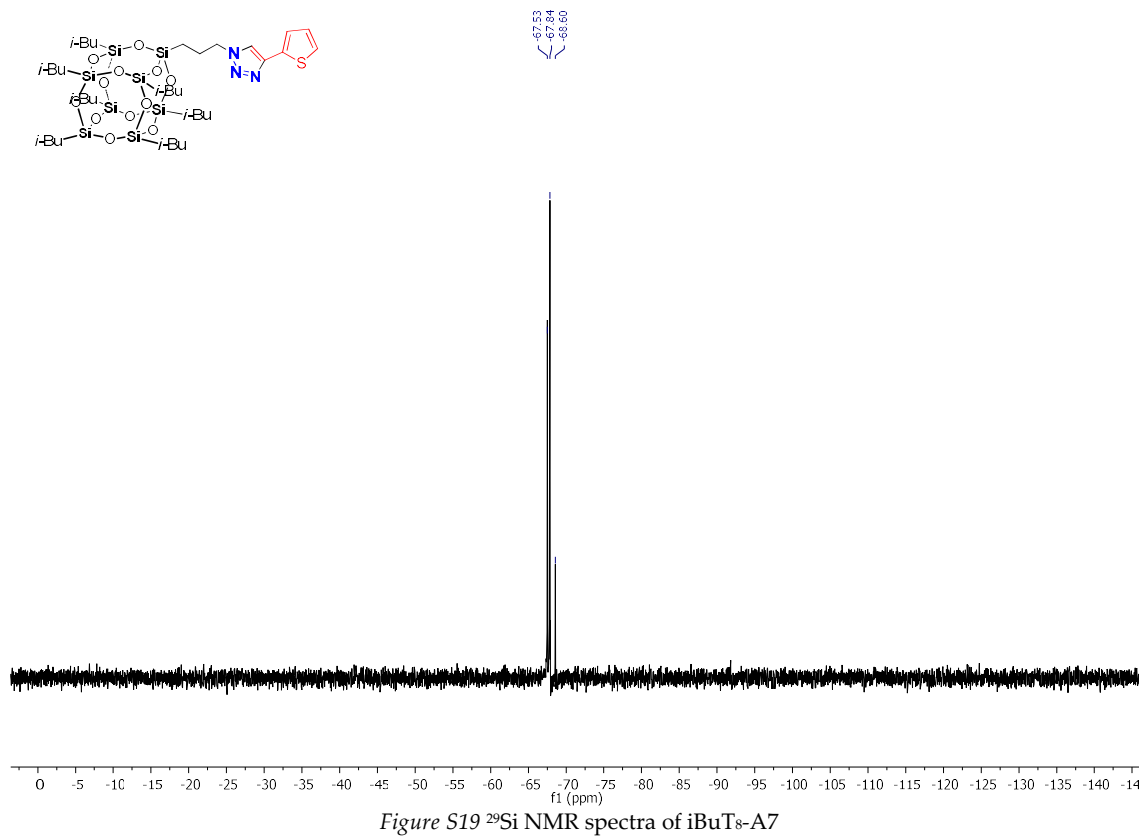
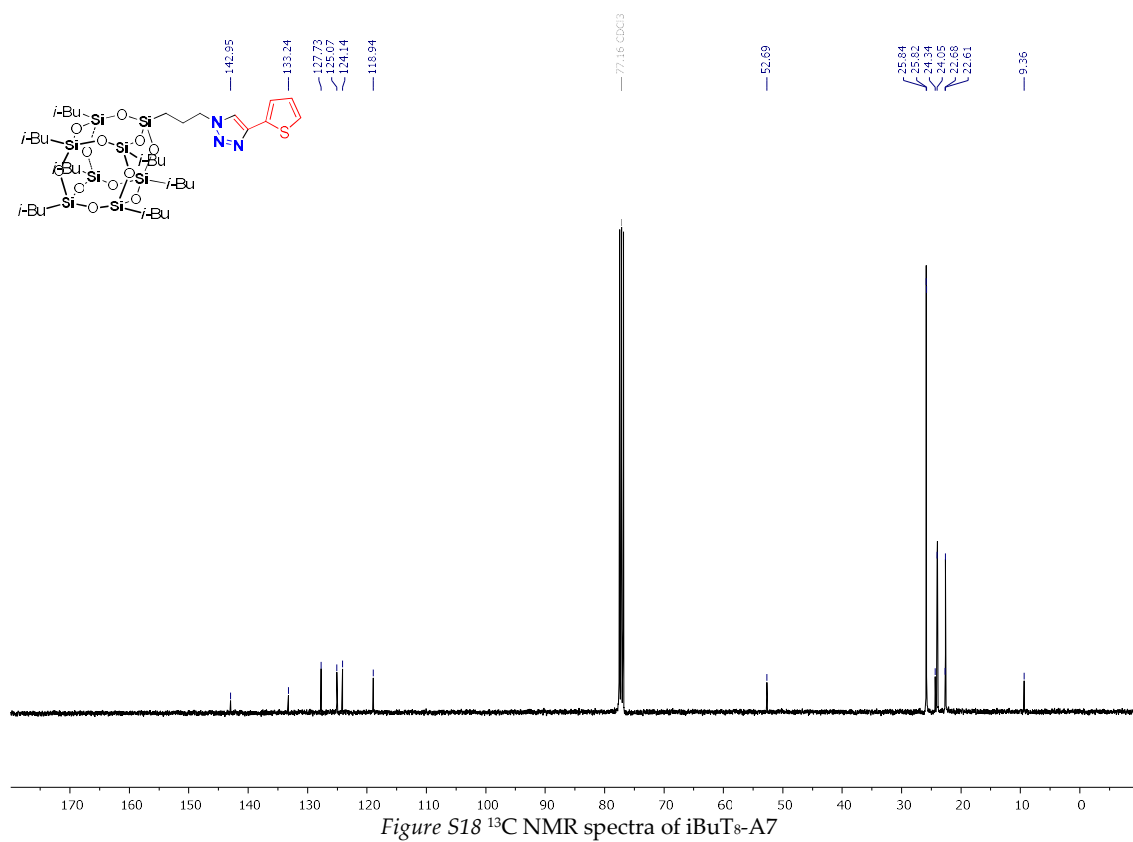
Figure S16 ¹³C NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A6

iBuT₈-A7

Pale yellow solid, 81%

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 7.63 (s, 1H, NCH), 7.38 (dd, 1H, J_{H-H} = 3.6, 1.2Hz, thiophene-H), 7.30 (dd, 1H, J_{H-H} = 5.1, 1.2Hz, thiophene-H), 7.08 (dd, 1H, J_{H-H} = 5.1, 3.5Hz, thiophene-H), 4.37 (t, 2H, J_{H-H} = 7.2Hz, N-CH₂), 2.09-1.98 (m, 2H, CH₂CH₂CH₂), 1.85-1.83 (m, 7H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.95 (dd, 42H, J_{H-H} = 6.0, 1.1Hz, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.60 (dd, 14H, J_{H-H} = 7.1, 2.6Hz, CH₂CH(CH₃)₂). ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 142.95, 133.24, 127.73, 125.07, 124.14, 118.94, 52.69, 25.84, 25.82, 24.34, 24.05, 22.68, 22.61, 9.36; ²⁹Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = -67.53, -67.84, -68.60; IR (cm⁻¹): 3118.39, 2951.56, 2925.73, 2867.66, 2625.33, 2625.33, 1463.32, 1365.63, 1331.36, 1288.82, 1168.24, 1088.81, 1051.23, 837.70, 740.20, 477.52; EA: Anal. calcd for C₃₇H₇₃N₃O₁₂SSi₈ (%): C, 44.05, H, 7.29; found: C, 44.09; H, 7.33.

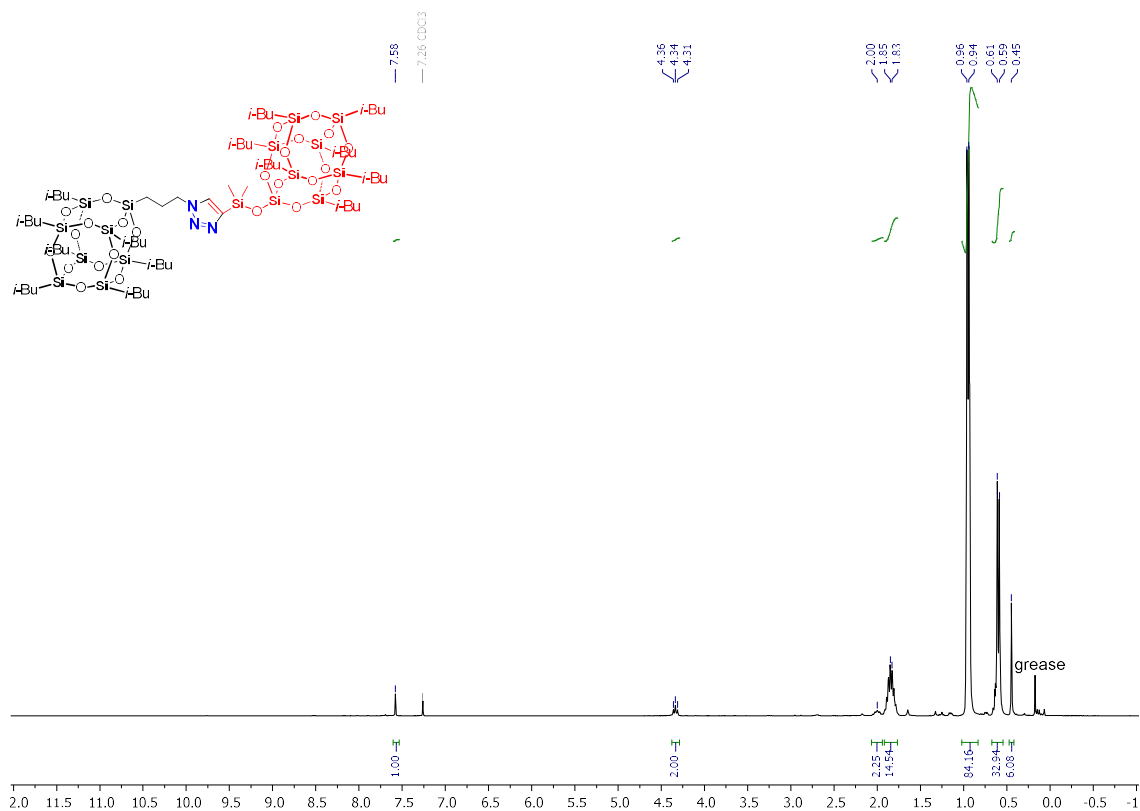
Figure S17 ¹H NMR spectra of iBuT₈-A7



iBuT₈-A8

White solid, 84 %

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 7.58 (s, 1H, NCH), 4.34 (t, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.3 Hz, 2H, N-CH₂), 2.00 (quin, 2H, CH₂CH₂CH₂), 1.83-1.85 (m, 14H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.96-0.94 (m, 82H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.61 (overlapped, s, 4H, CH₂Si), 0.59 (s, 28H, CH₂CH(CH₃)₂), 0.45 (s, 6H, (CH₃)₂Si); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 145.66, 129.41, 52.15, 25.85, 24.56, 24.03, 24.00, 23.95, 22.63, 22.59, 9.61, 0.82, -0.01; ²⁹Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = -3.57, -66.74, -66.99, -67.55, -67.84, -67.87, -68.57, -109.66; IR (cm⁻¹): 2953.16, 2906.19, 2868.38, 1464.54, 1264.22, 1229.19, 1094.67, 737.09, 480.11; EA: Anal. calcd for C₆₃H₁₃₉N₃O₂₅Si₁₇ (%): C, 41.66, H, 7.71; found: C, 41.79; H, 7.87.

Figure S20 ¹H NMR spectra of *iBuT₈-A8*

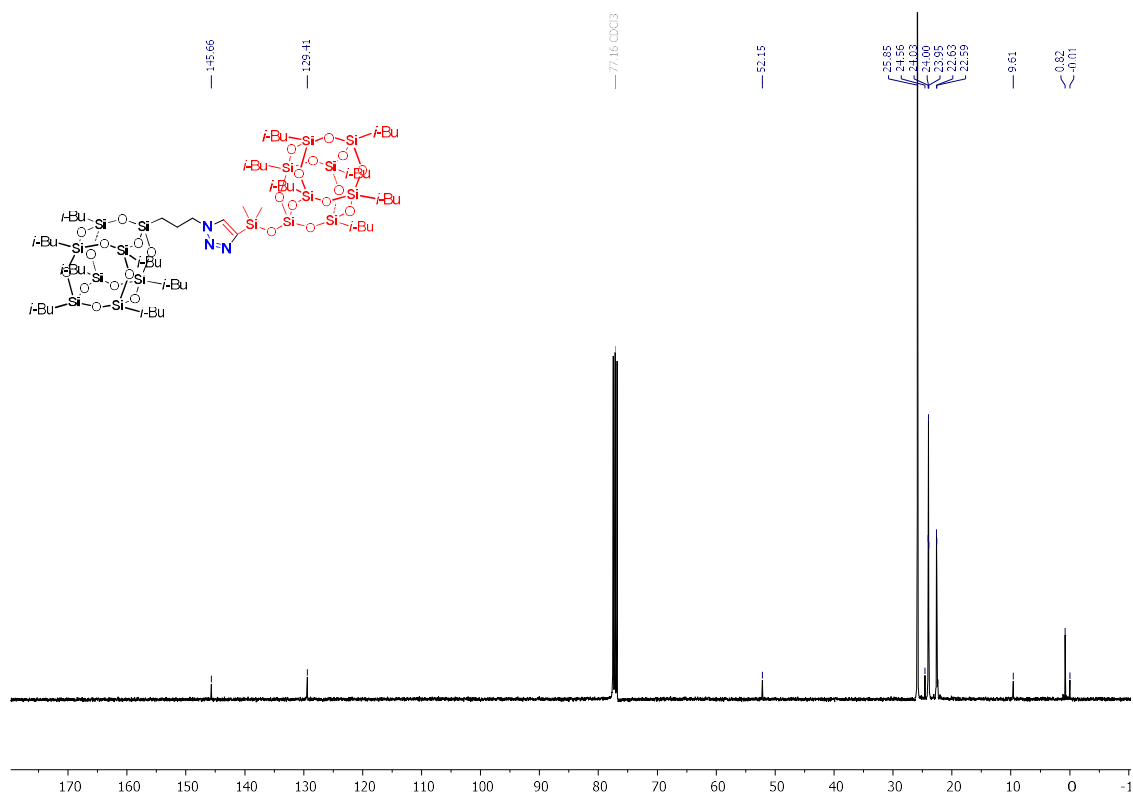


Figure S21 ^{13}C NMR spectra of iBuT₈-A8

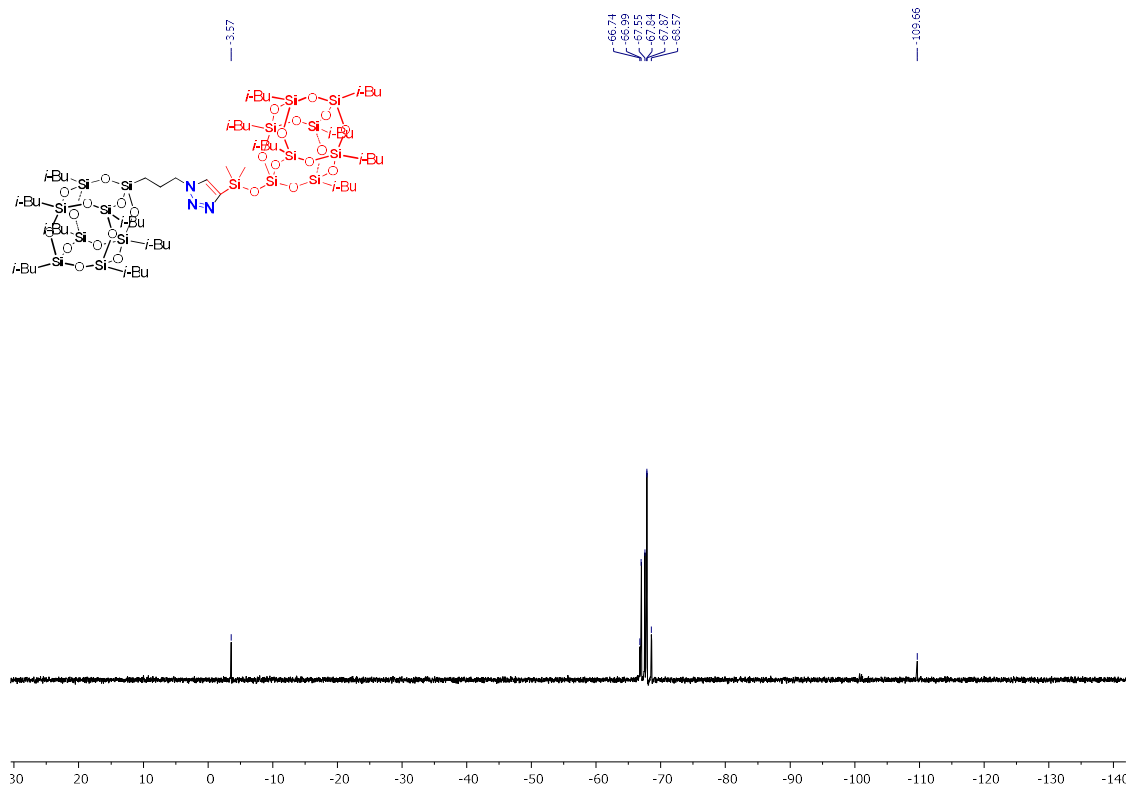
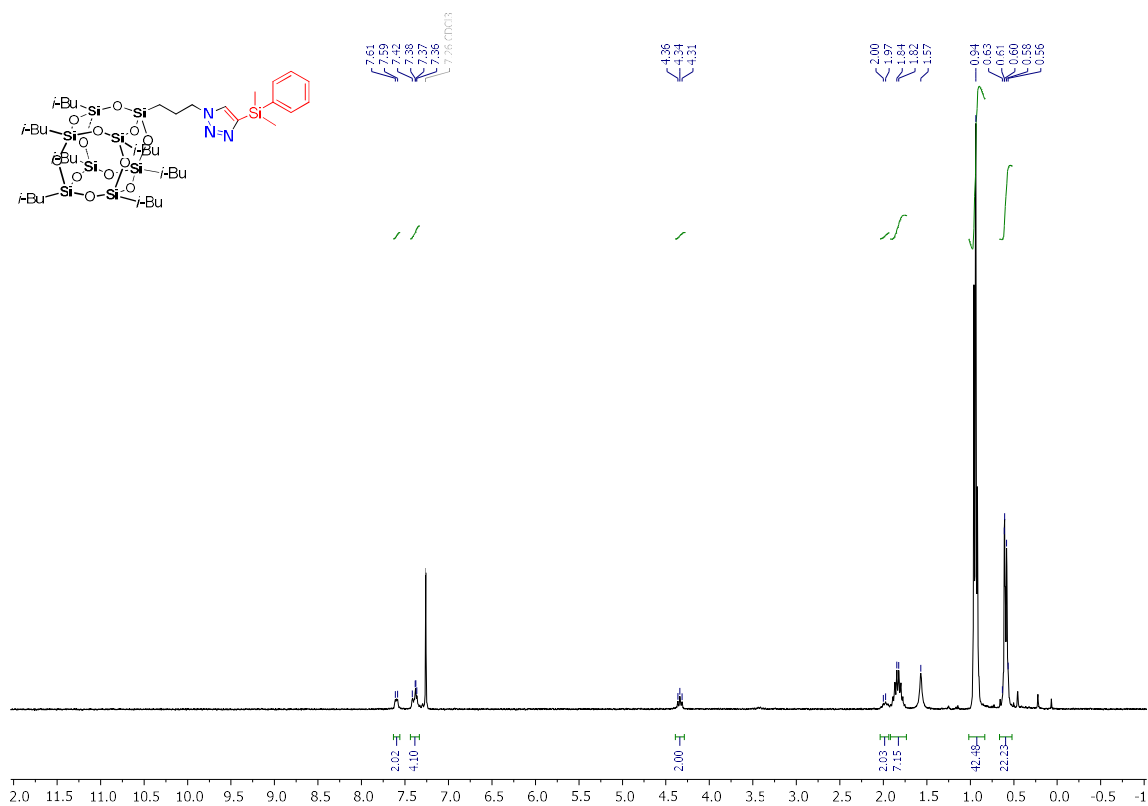


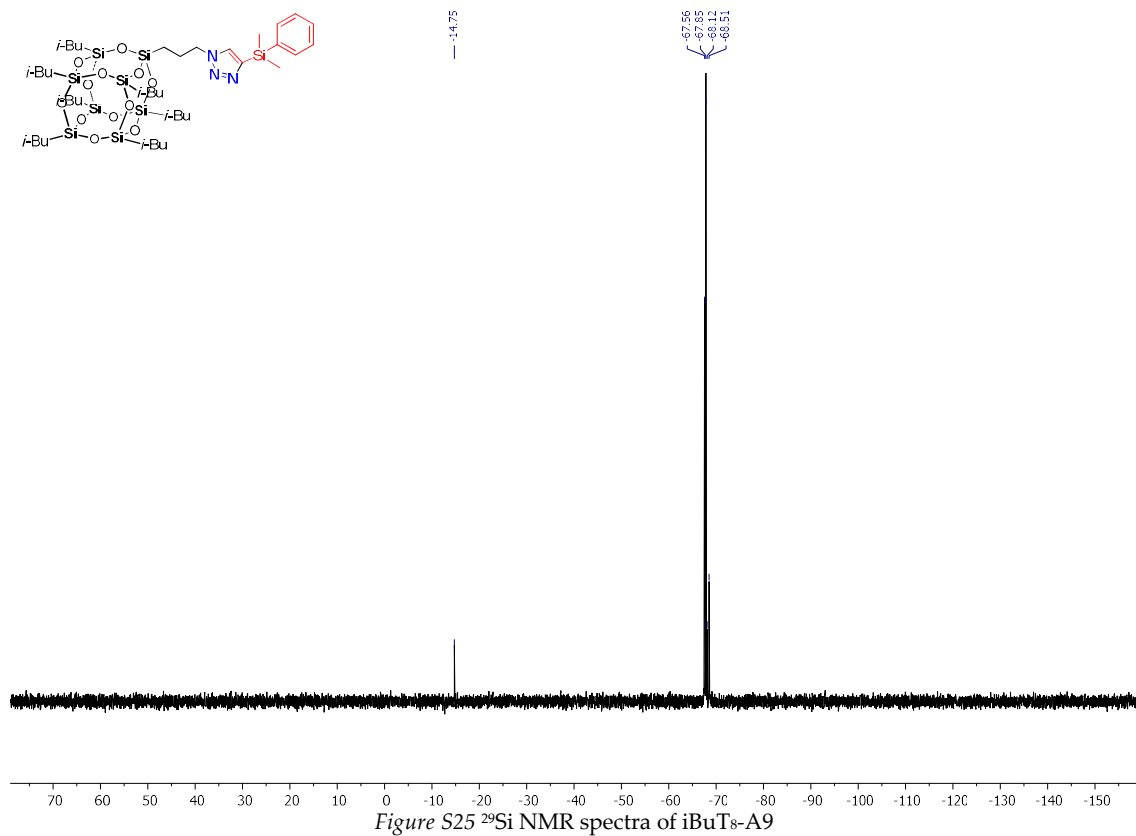
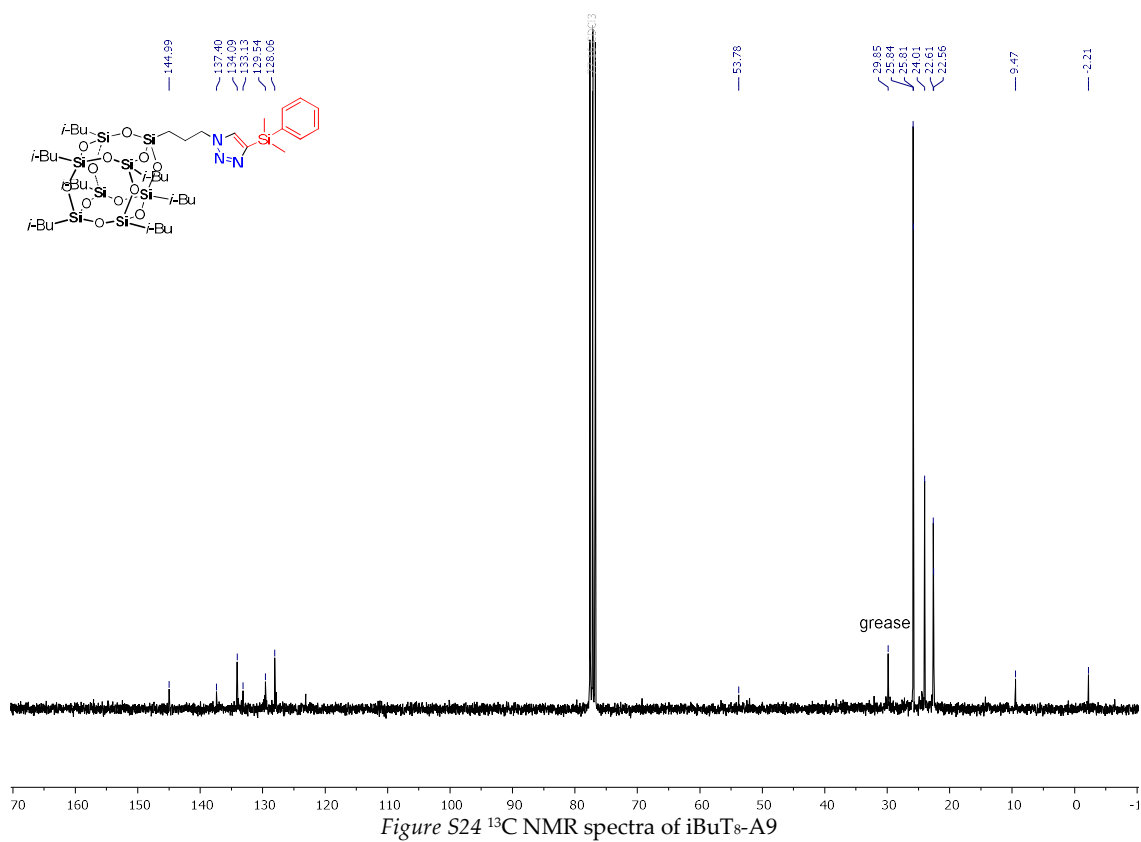
Figure S22 ^{29}Si NMR spectra of iBuT₈-A8

iBuT₈-A9

White solid, 70%

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C) δ = 7.61-7.59 (m, 2H, PhH), 7.42-7.36 (m, 4H, PhH(3), NCH(1)), 4.34 (t, 2H, $J_{\text{H-H}} = 7.4$ Hz, N-CH₂), 2.04-1.96 (m, 2H, CH₂CH₂CH₂), 1.91-1.80 (m, 7H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.97-0.93 (m, 42H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.63 (overlapped, 2H, CH₂Si), 0.61-0.58 (m, 14H, CH₂CH(CH₃)₂), 0.56 (overlapped, 6H, CH(CH₃)₂); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C) δ = 144.99, 137.40, 134.09, 133.13, 129.54, 128.06, 53.78, 25.84, 25.81, 24.01, 22.61, 22.56, 9.47, -2.21; ^{29}Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C) δ = -14.75, -67.56, -67.85, -68.12, -68.51; IR (cm^{-1}): 2954.07, 2925.88, 2869.02, 2098.85, 1464.59, 1264.39, 1228.48, 1092.26, 735.14, 476.68; EA: Anal. calcd for $\text{C}_{41}\text{H}_{81}\text{N}_3\text{O}_{12}\text{Si}_9$ (%): C, 46.42, H, 7.70; found: C, 46.59; H, 7.83.

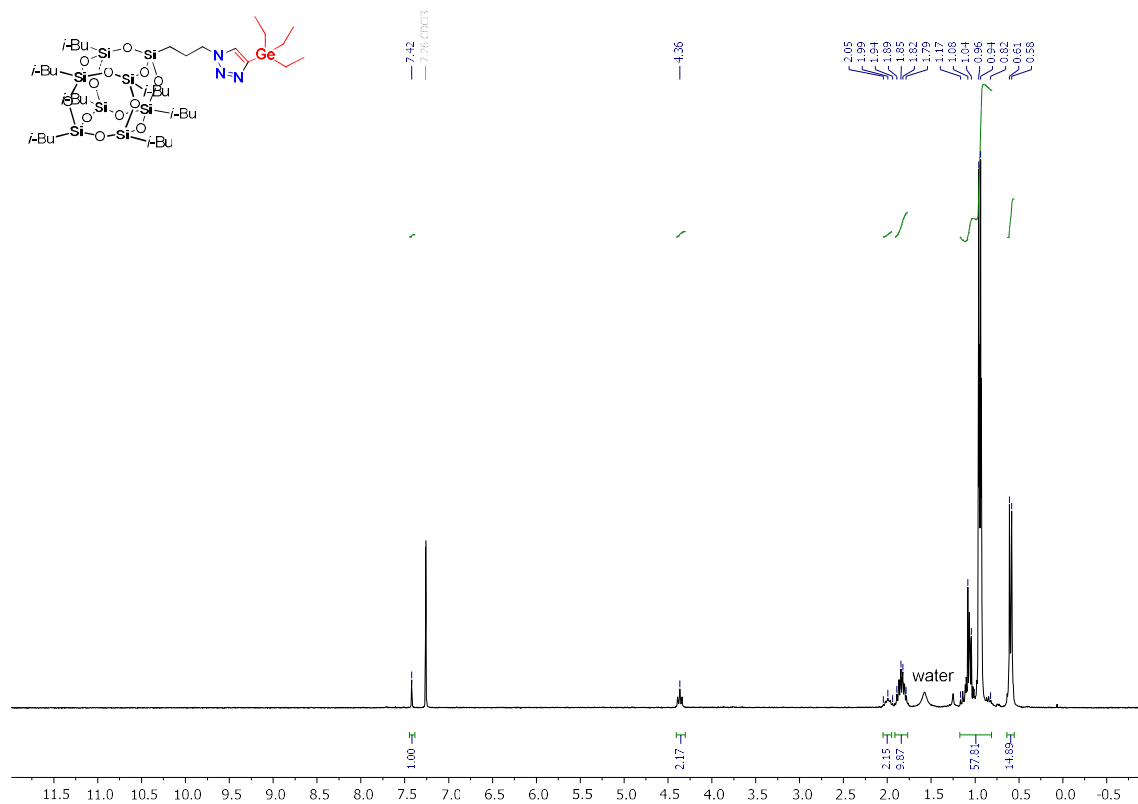
Figure S23 ^1H NMR spectra of *iBuT₈-A9*

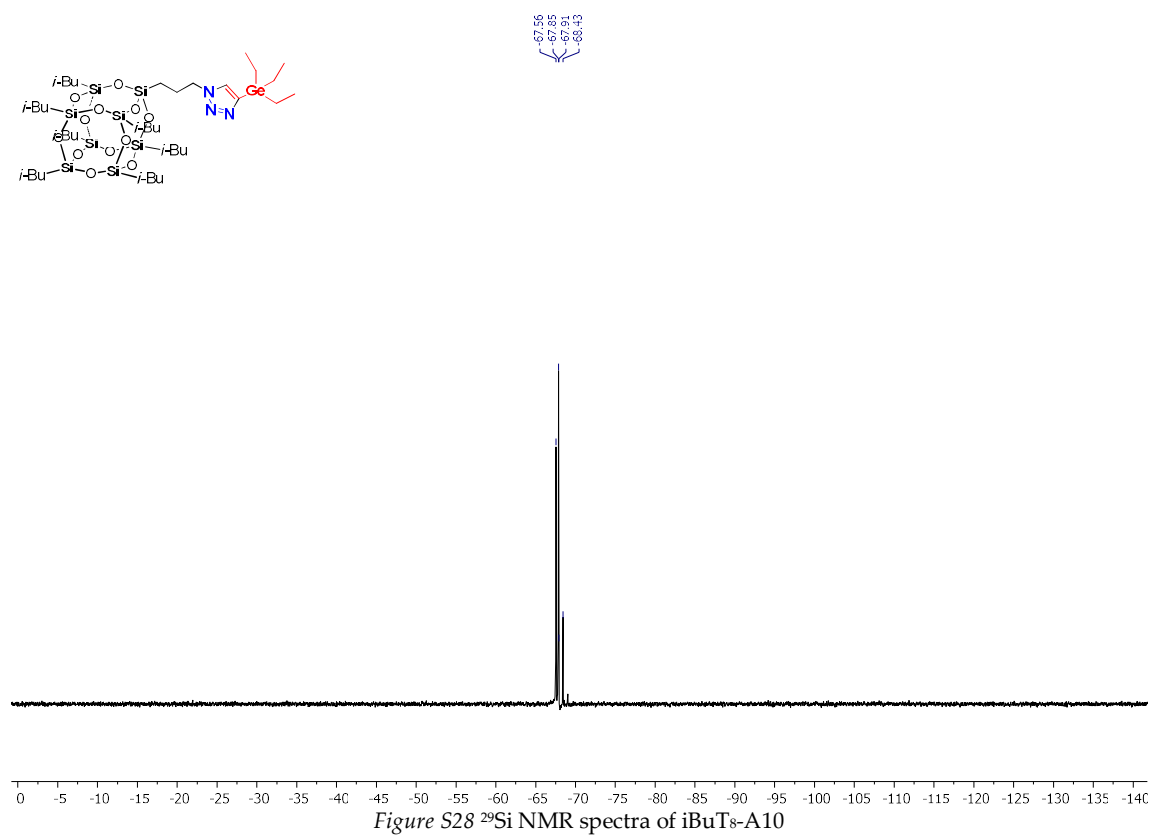
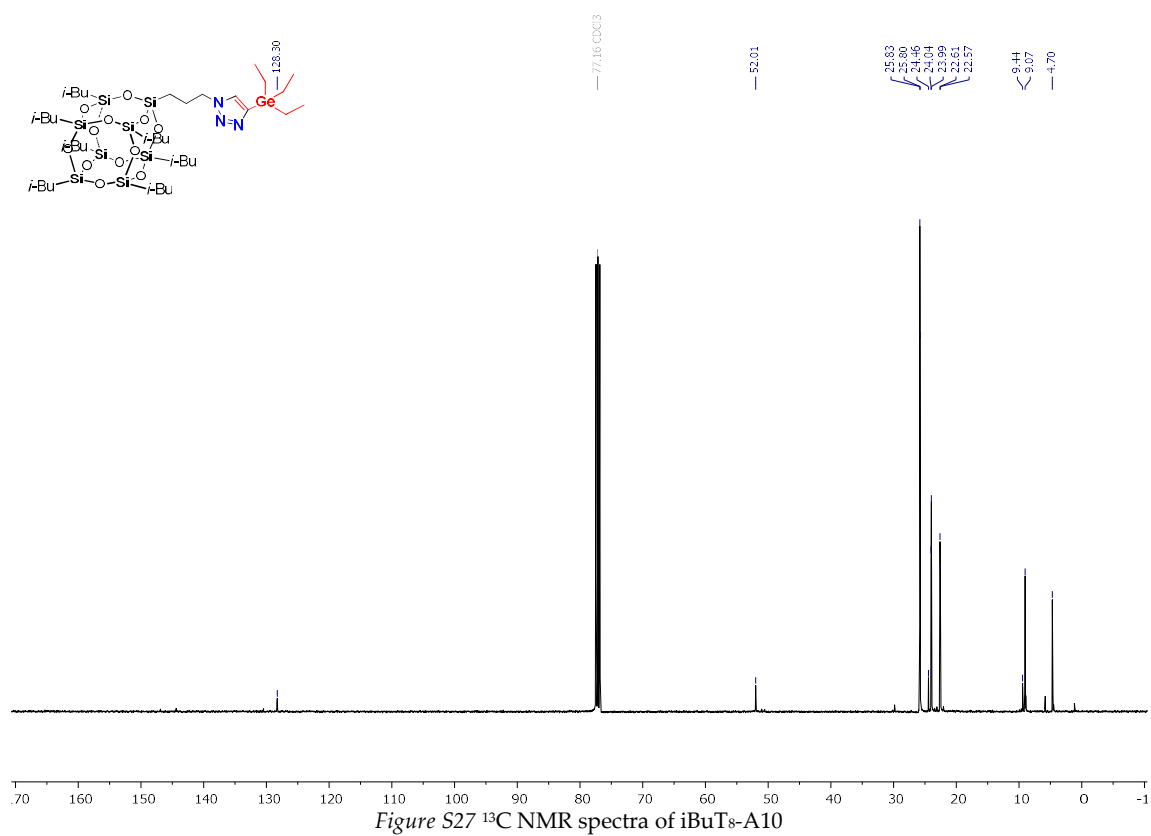


iBuT₈-A10

Yellow solid, 85%

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C) δ = 7.42 (s, 1H, NCH), 4.3 (t, 2H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.4 Hz, N- CH_2), 2.04-1.96 (m, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$), 1.89-1.79 (m, 7H, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$), 1.17-0.82 (m, 57H, $\text{Ge}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_3$ (15), $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$ (42)), 0.64 (overlapped, 2H, CH_2Si), 0.63-0.60 (m, 14H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C) δ = 128.30, 52.01, 25.83, 25.80, 24.46, 24.04, 23.99, 22.61, 22.57, 9.44, 9.07, 4.70; ^{29}Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 °C) δ = -67.56, -67.85, -67.91, -68.43; IR (cm^{-1}): 2951.73, 2905.47, 2870.66, 1463.27, 1356.64, 1228.50, 1088.06, 837.21, 739.46, 474.09; EA: Anal. calcd for $\text{C}_{39}\text{H}_{85}\text{GeN}_3\text{O}_{12}\text{Si}_8$ (%): C, 43.16, H, 7.89; found: C, 43.29; H, 7.93.

Figure S26 ^1H NMR spectra of *iBuT₈-A10*



DDSQ-2A1

White solid, 85%

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 8.57-8.56 (m, 2H, PyH), 8.11 (d, 2H, $J_{\text{H-H}} = 7.9$ Hz, PyH), 7.84 (s, 2H, NCH), 7.75 (td, 2H, $J_{\text{H-H}} = 7.1, 1.8$ Hz, PyH), 7.50- 7.18 (m, 40H, Ph), 4.21 (t, 4H, $J_{\text{H-H}} = 7.1$ Hz, N- CH_2), 1.95 (quin, 4H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$), 0.75-0.70 (m, 4H, CH_2Si), 0.30 (s, 6H, $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3$); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 150.52, 149.46, 148.37, 136.91, 134.09, 133.93, 131.64, 130.82, 130.69, 128.06, 127.99, 127.94, 127.85, 122.82, 120.28, 52.82, 24.11, 13.77, -0.78; ^{29}Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = -20.52, -80.22, -81.31; IR (cm^{-1}): 3071.85, 3050.34, 3025.77, 1429.81, 1082.52, 730.61, 696.69, 487.88; EA: Anal. calcd for $\text{C}_{70}\text{H}_{68}\text{N}_8\text{O}_{14}\text{Si}_{10}$ (%): C, 55.09, H, 4.49; found: C, 55.19; H, 4.53.

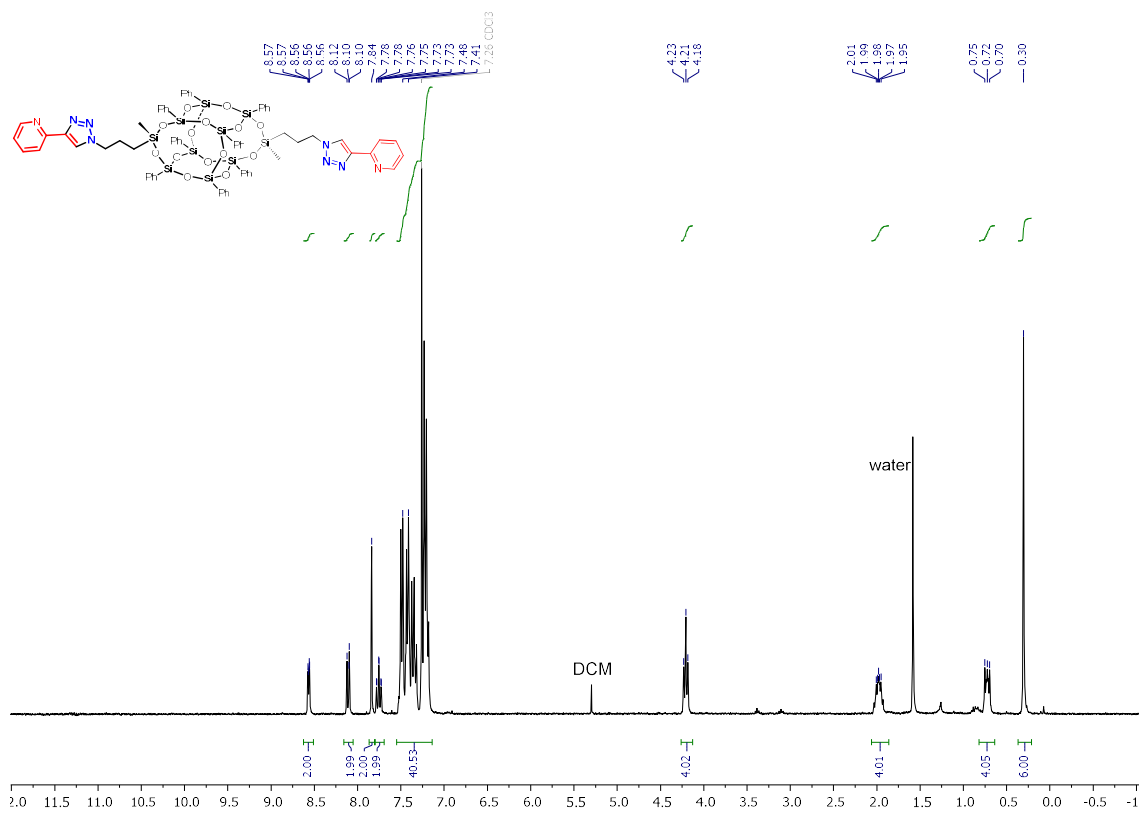
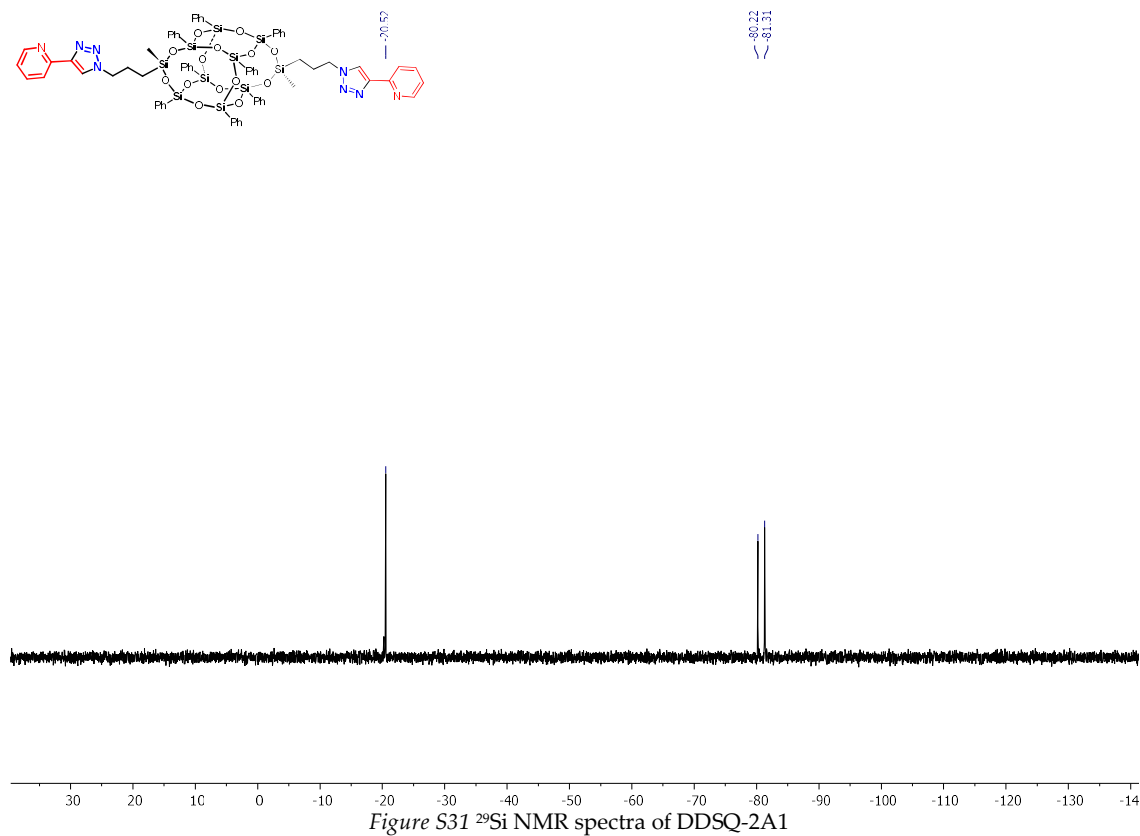
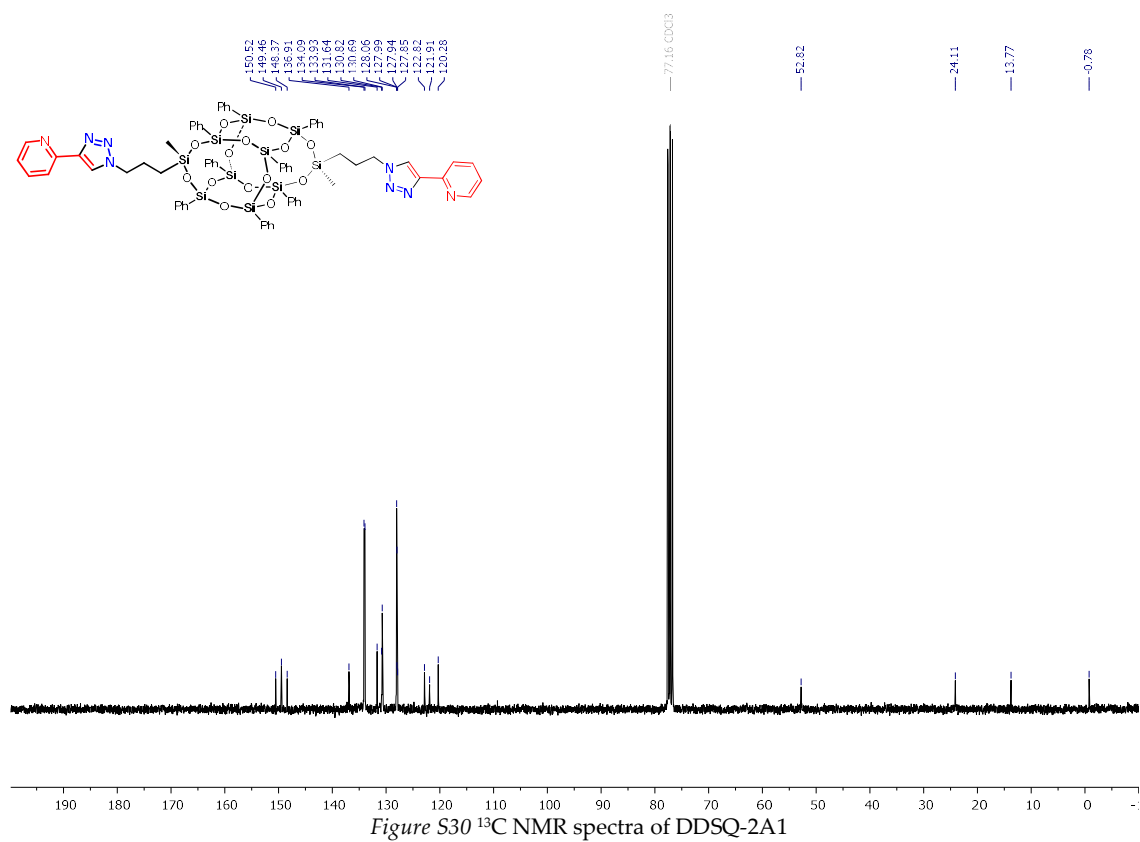


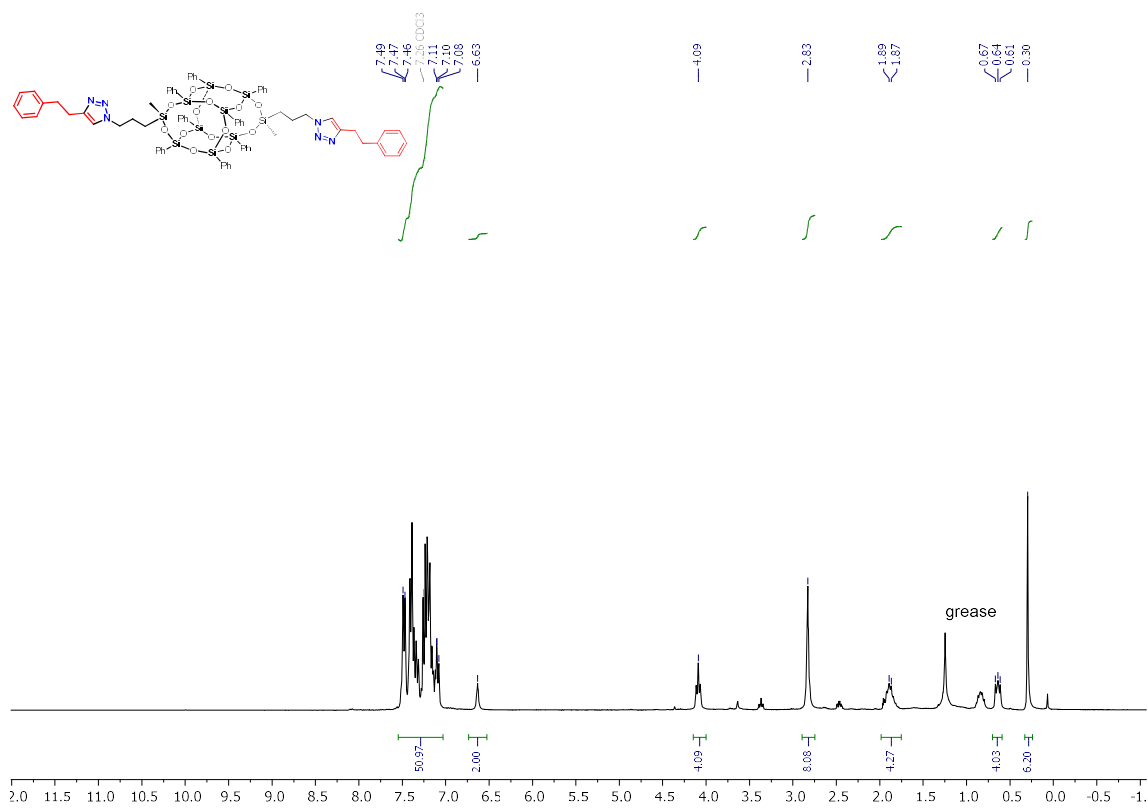
Figure S29 ^1H NMR spectra of DDSQ-2A1



DDSQ-2A2

White solid, 60%

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 7.49-7.08 (m, 52H, Ph), 6.64 (s, 2H, NCH), 4.10 (t, 4H, $J_{\text{H-H}} = 7.1$ Hz, N- CH_2), 2.83 (s, 8H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Ph}$), 1.93-1.88 (m, 4H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$), 0.68-0.62 (m, 4H, CH_2Si), 0.30 (s, 6H, $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_3$); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 141.34, 134.02, 133.96, 133.91, 131.61, 130.86, 130.79, 130.75, 128.51, 128.45, 128.07, 127.89, 127.96, 127.85, 126.14, 52.32, 35.66, 29.82, 27.53, 24.10, 13.58, -0.73; IR (cm^{-1}): 3071.87, 3026.15, 2923.83, 1429.73, 1076.50, 727.11, 695.38, 481.92.



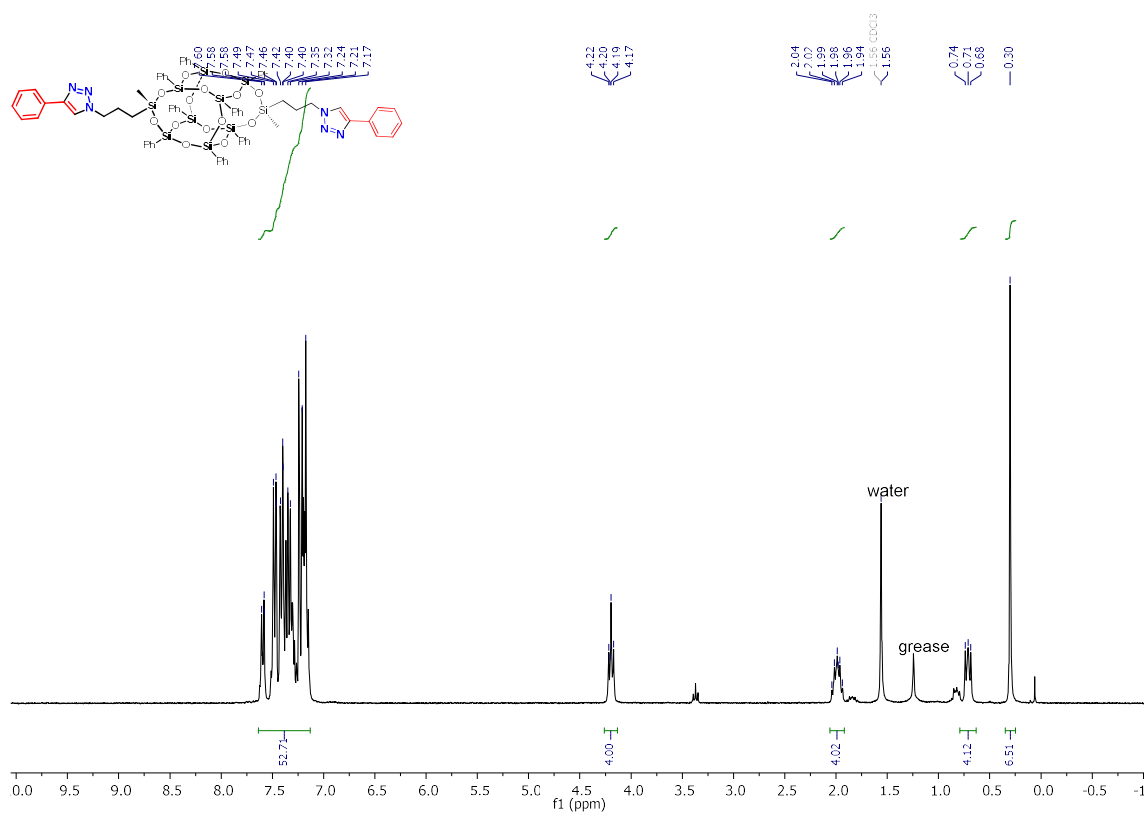


Figure S34 ¹H NMR spectra of DDSQ-2A3

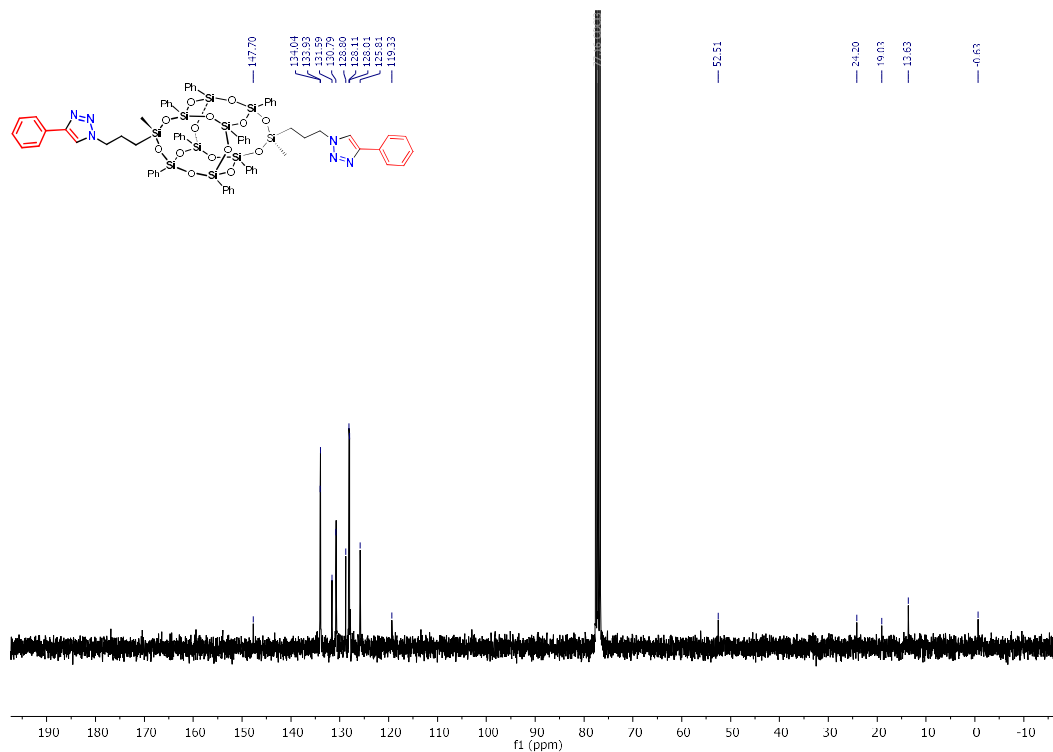


Figure S35 ¹³C NMR spectra of DDSQ-2A3

DDSQ-2A4

White solid, 78%

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 7.50-7.22 (m, 40H, Ph), 6.75 (s, 2H, NCH), 4.15 (t, 4H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.3 Hz, N- CH_2), 2.61 (t, 4H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.4 Hz, $\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2)_2\text{CN}$), 2.28 (t, 4H, $J_{\text{H-H}}$ = 7.1 Hz, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$), 2.00-1.86 (m, 4H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$), 0.71-0.66 (m, 4H, CH_2Si), 0.32 (s, 6H, $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_2$); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 145.43, 134.02, 131.53, 130.82, 130.77, 128.11, 128.01, 120.92, 119.50, 52.34, 24.94, 24.22, 24.12, 16.59, 13.55, -0.67; IR (cm^{-1}): 3072.18, 2930.43, 1429.93, 1089.08, 729.48, 698.44, 491.

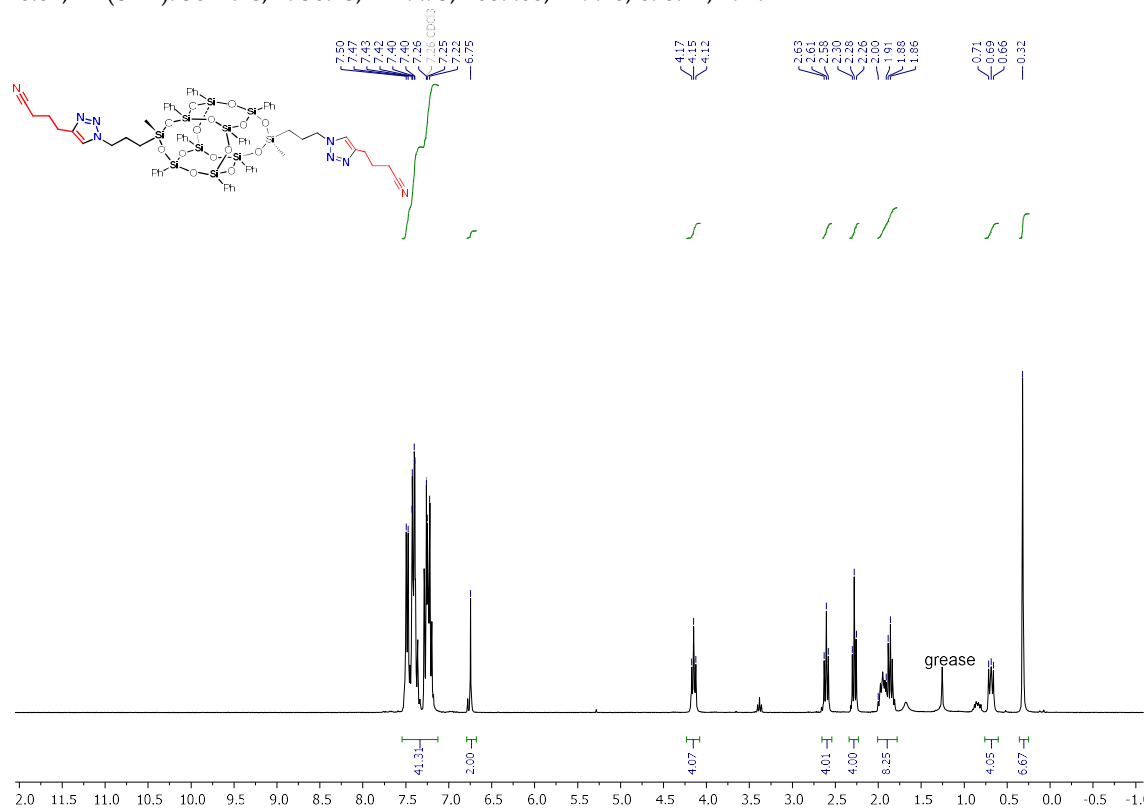
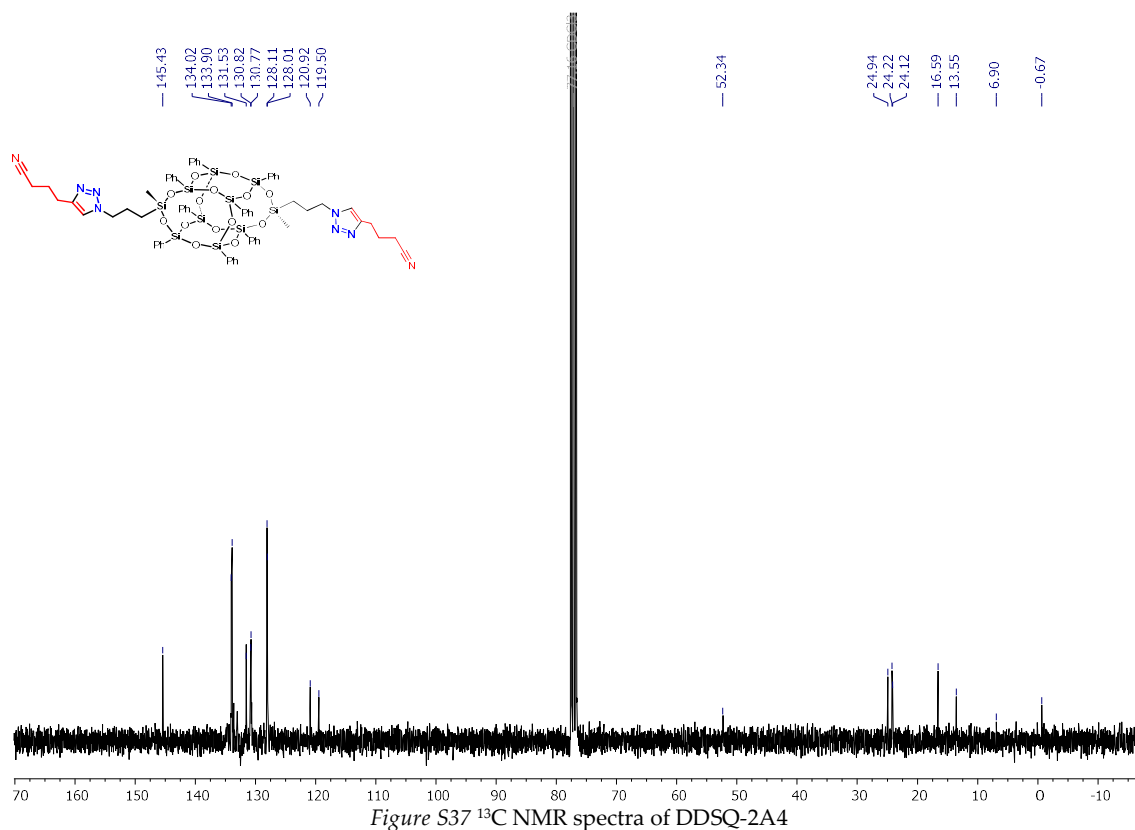


Figure S36 ^1H NMR spectra of DDSQ-2A4



DDSQ-2A11

White solid, 84%

^1H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 7.51-7.19 (m, 40H, Ph), 6.73 (s, 2H, NCH), 4.13 (t, 4H, $J_{\text{H-H}} = 7.3\text{Hz}$, N- CH_2), 2.55-2.50 (m, 4H, $\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{CH}_3$), 1.99-1.88 (m, 4H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2$), 1.52 (quin, 4H, $\text{CH}_2(\text{CH}_2)_3\text{CH}_3$), 1.29-1.26 (m, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$), 1.19 (sext, 4H, CH_2CH_3), 1.17 (quin, 4H, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$), 0.77 (t, 6H, CH_2CH_3), 0.61 (t, 4H, CH_2Si), 0.23 (s, 6H, $\text{Si}(\text{CH}_3)_2$); ^{13}C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl_3 , 25 $^\circ\text{C}$) δ = 148.36, 134.03, 133.92, 131.62, 130.90, 130.73, 128.06, 127.96, 120.28, 52.29, 31.62, 29.28, 25.70, 24.15, 22.54, 14.18, 13.62; IR (cm^{-1}): 3072.28, 3050.43, 2926.54, 2856.12, 1429.88, 1085.16, 728.60, 697.24, 488.54.

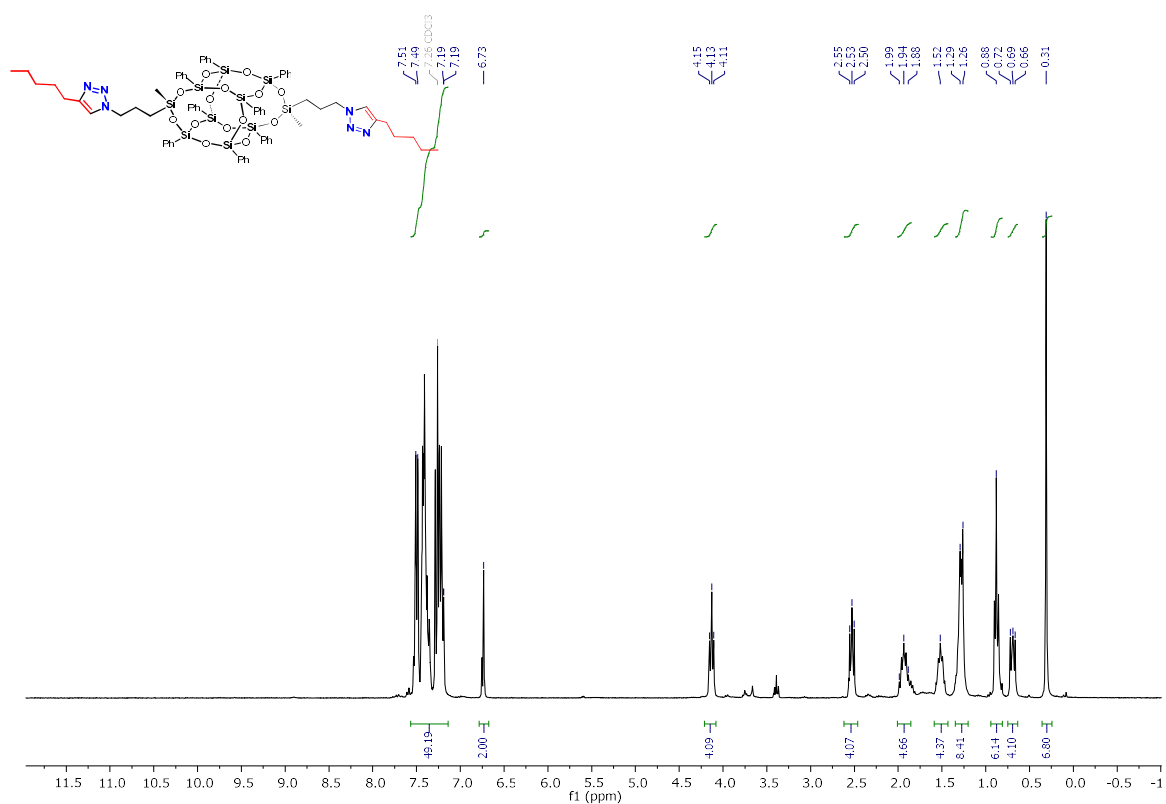


Figure S38 ¹H NMR spectra of DDSQ-2A11

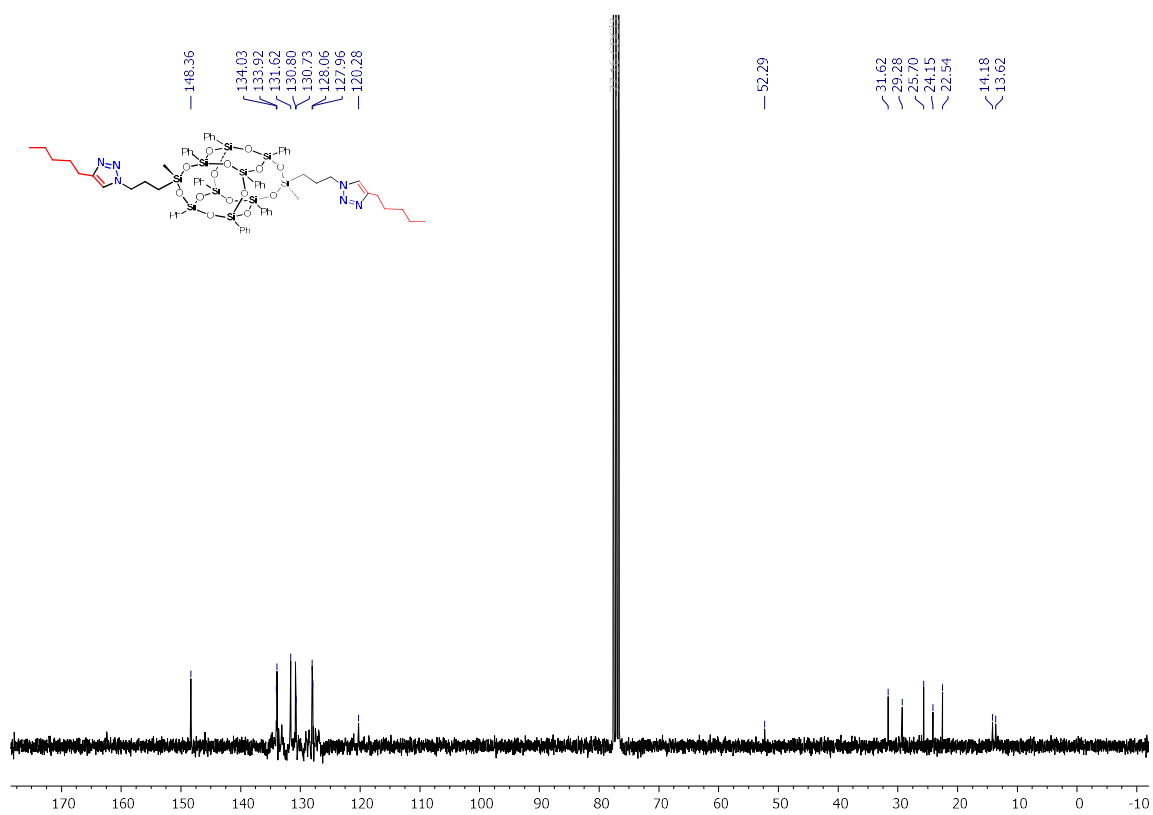


Figure S39 ¹³C NMR spectra of DDSQ-2A11

Spectra of obtained complexes:

(iBuT₈-A1)₂-Rh(N[^]N)

Orange solid, 55%

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 10.47 (s, 2H, NCH), 8.93 (d, 2H, J = 8.0 Hz, PyH), 8.02 (s, 2H, PyH), 7.65 (s, 2H, PyH), 7.38 (s, 2H, PyH), 4.53 (t, 4H, N-CH₂), 2.11-2.08 (m, 4H, CH₂CH₂CH₂), 1.88-1.77 (m, 14H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.94-0.92 (m, 84H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.66-0.57 (m, 32H, CH₂Si(4), Si(CH₃)(28)); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 150.33, 148.49, 147.40, 141.63, 128.79, 128.29, 125.31, 54.52, 31.33, 28.14, 25.86, 25.83, 25.79, 24.05, 24.01, 23.98, 23.96, 22.64, 22.59, 22.56, 22.53, 9.13; ²⁹Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = -67.54, -67.89, -68.73; ESI-MS calcd for C₇₆H₁₄₉Cl₂N₈O₂₄Rh₂Si₁₆⁺ [M + H]⁺: 2281.4475, found 2281.6539; IR (cm⁻¹): 2952.93, 2924.64, 2869.19, 1464.05, 1331.71, 1104.40, 742.48, 483.52.

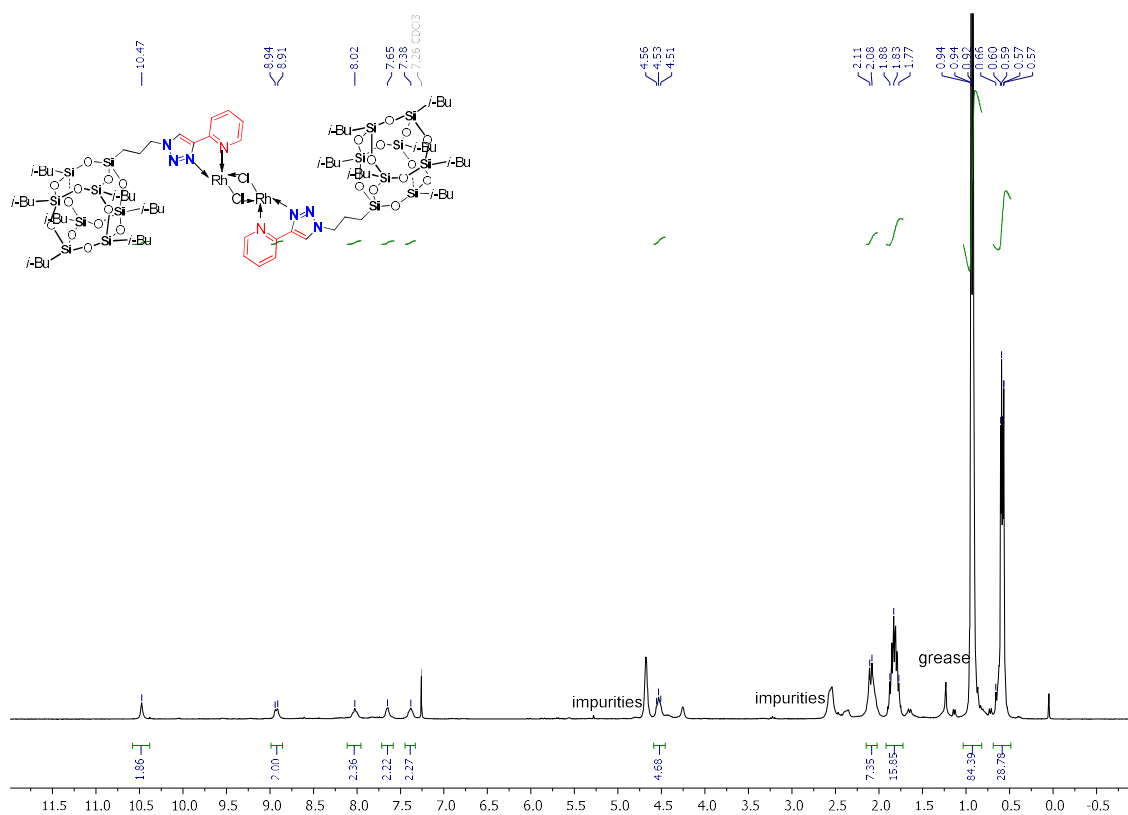
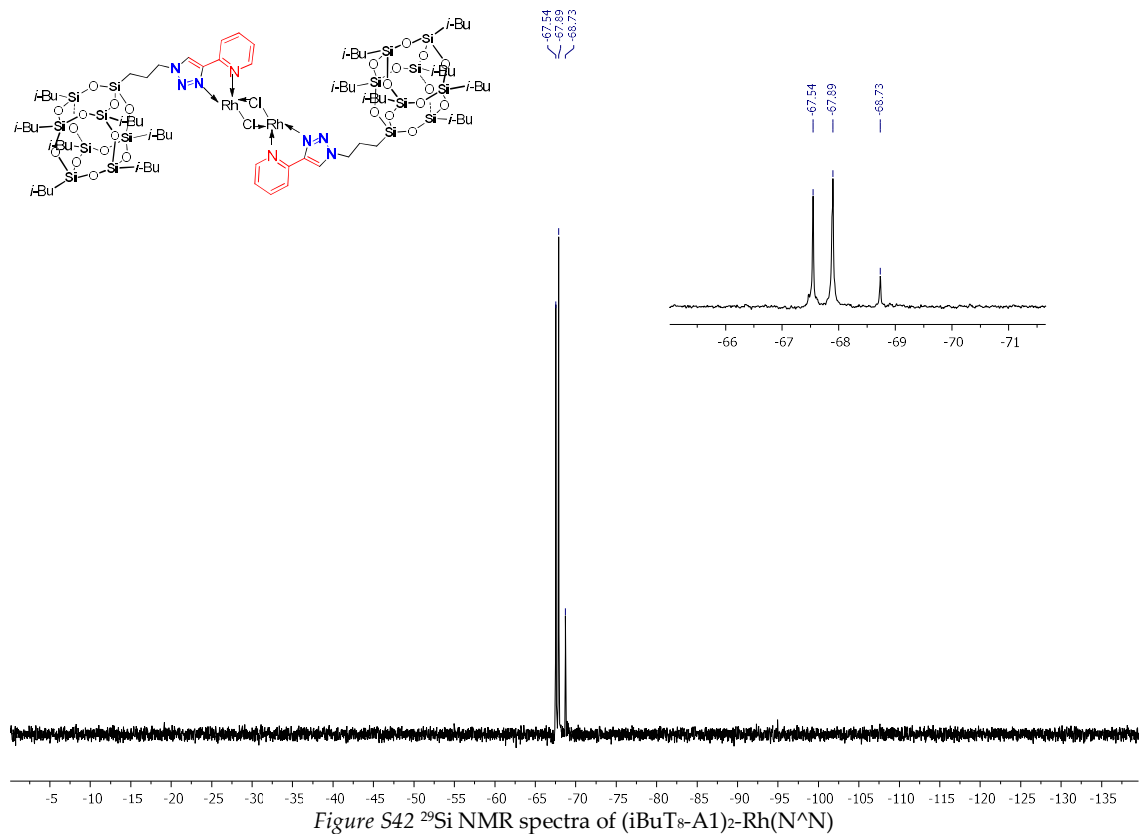
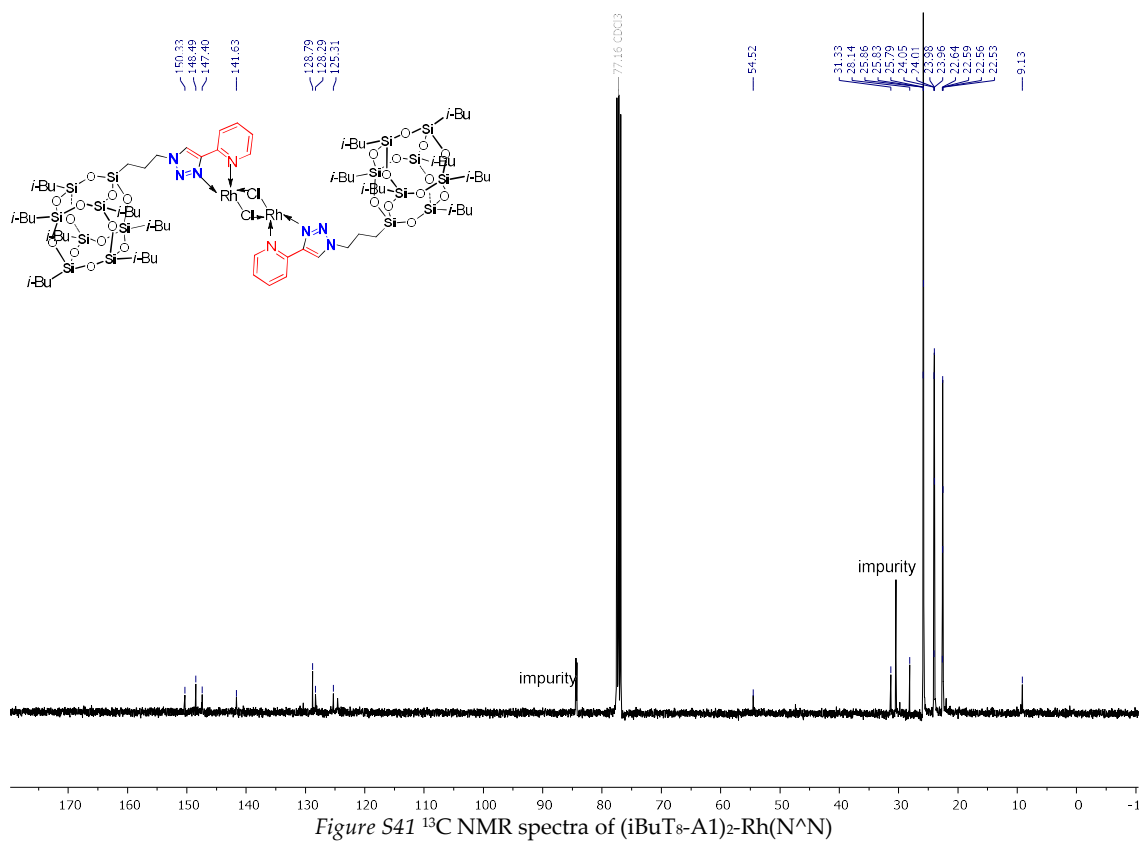


Figure S40 ¹H NMR spectra of (iBuT₈-A1)₂-Rh(N[^]N)



***i*BuT₈-A1-Pt(N[^]N)**

Yellow solid, 87%

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₂Cl₂, 25 °C) δ = 9.19 (d, J_{H-H} = 5.9 Hz,), 8.52 (s,), 8.12-7.98 (m,), 7.37-7.33 (m,), 4.56 (t, J_{H-H} = 7.2 Hz,), 2.09 (dt, J_{H-H} = 15.3, 7.4 Hz,), 1.86 (dd, J_{H-H} = 13.2, 9.2 Hz,), 0.95 (d, J_{H-H} = 6.6 Hz,), 0.63-0.59 (m,); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CD₂Cl₂, 25 °C) δ = 150.02, 149.28, 149.03, 140.22, 137.27, 125.76, 125.70, 123.22, 122.85, 122.44, 120.32, 56.20, 26.05, 26.03, 24.49, 24.42, 24.26, 23.01, 22.95, 22.89, 9.76; ²⁹Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CD₂Cl₂, 25 °C) δ = -67.40, -67.79, -69.04; IR (cm⁻¹): 3092.64, 2952.61, 2905.71, 2869.24, 1625.06, 1464.15, 1365.69, 1331.72, 1228.25, 1167.93, 1095.88, 1037.28, 836.73, 741.60; EA: Anal. calcd for C₃₈H₇₄Cl₂N₄O₁₂PtSi₈ (%): C, 35.95, H, 5.87; found: C, 36.09; H, 5.93.

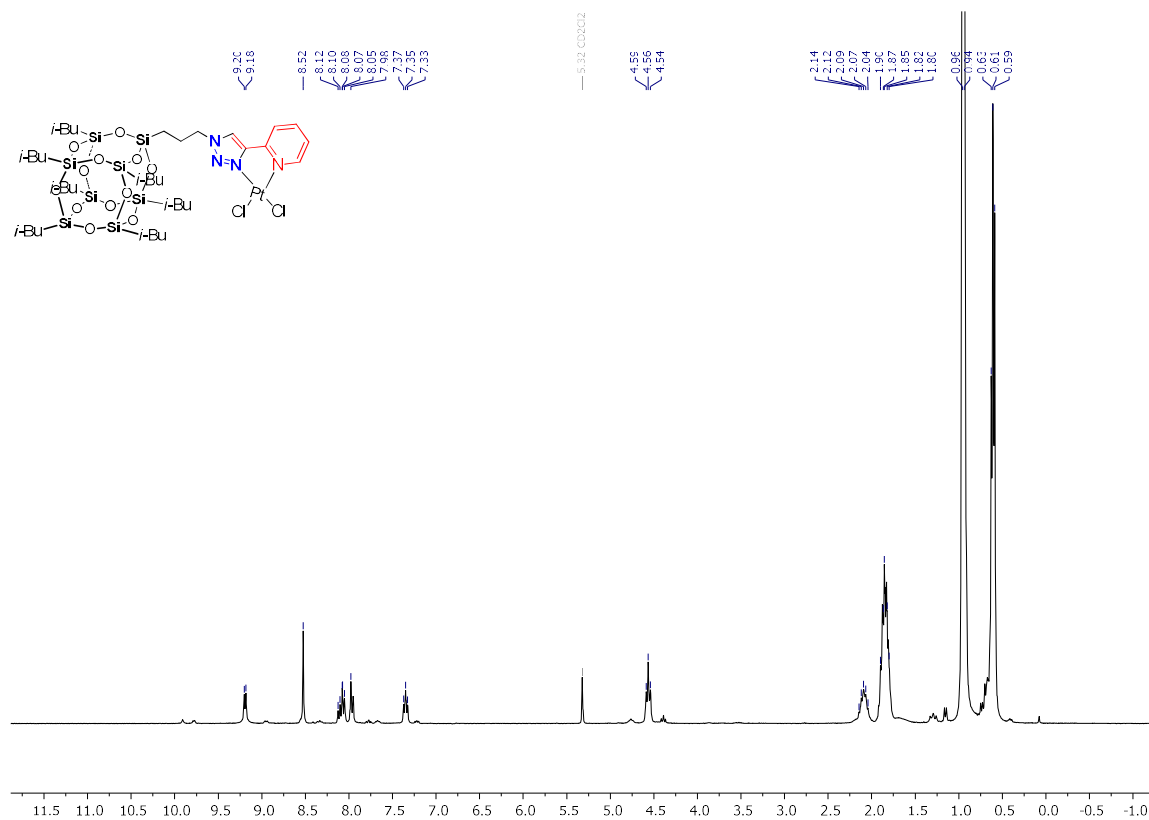


Figure S43 ¹H NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A1-Pt(N[^]N)

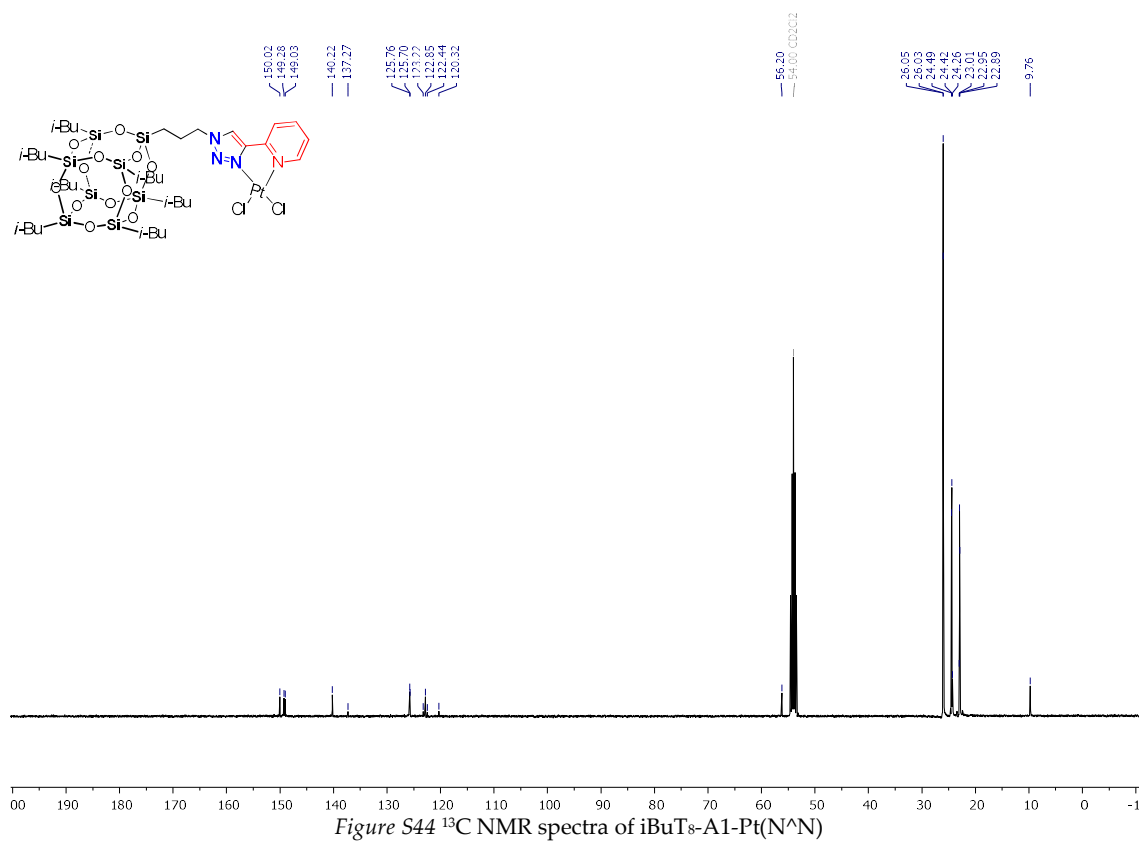


Figure S44 ¹³C NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A1-Pt(N^N)

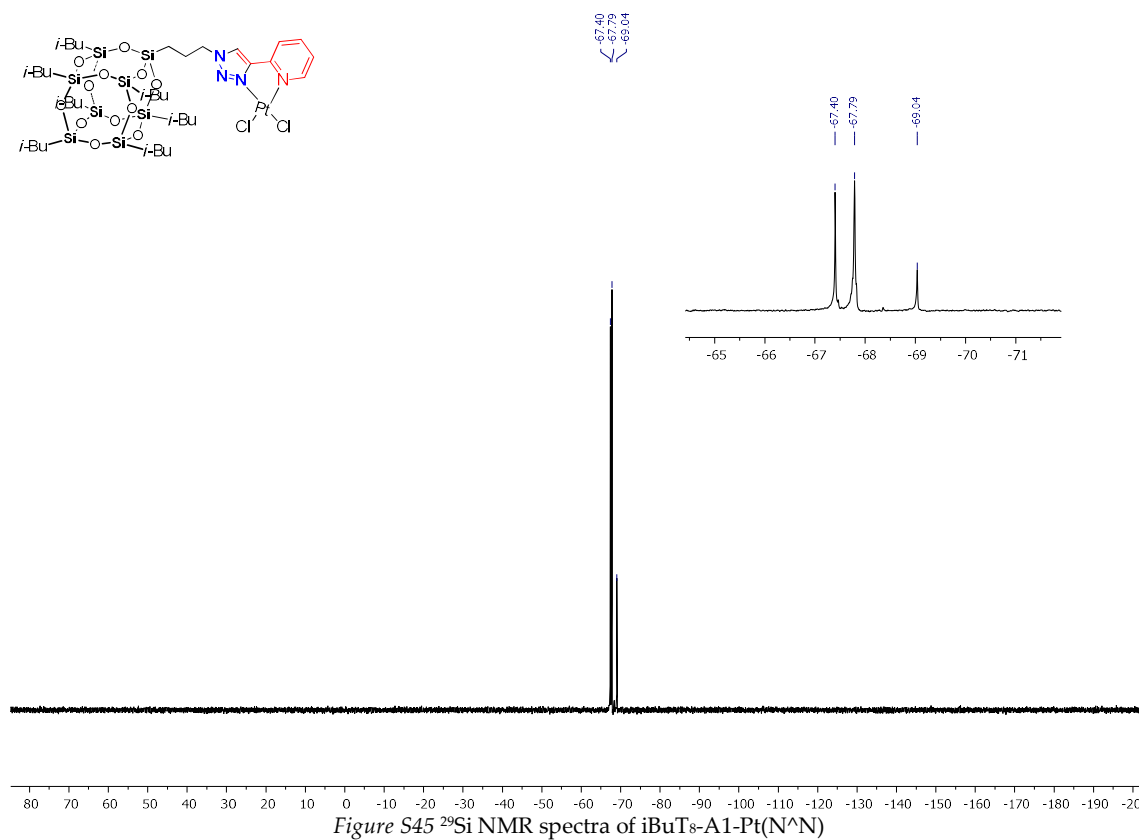


Figure S45 ²⁹Si NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A1-Pt(N^N)

***i*BuT₈-A7-Pd(N[^]S)**

Yellow solid, 60%

¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 8.33 (s, 1H, PyH), 7.65 (s, 1H, PyH), 7.53 (s, 1H, NCH), 7.51 (s, 1H, PyH), 7.22 (s, 1H), 4.41 (t, 2H, J_{H-H} = 7.8 Hz, N-CH₂), 2.07 (q, 2H, CH₂-CH₂-CH₂-), 1.88-1.81 (m, 7H, CH(CH₃)₂), 0.98-0.94 (m, 42H, (CH₃)₂CHCH₂Si), 0.64-0.62 (m, 14H, SiCH₂); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = 143.97, 129.14, 128.56, 127.93, 127.72, 121.98, 54.32, 25.85, 25.82, 24.06, 24.04, 24.00, 23.97, 23.70, 23.62, 22.60, 22.58, 9.42; ²⁹Si NMR (79.5 MHz, CDCl₃, 25 °C) δ = -67.45, -67.83, -67.86, -69.02; IR (cm⁻¹): 3074.10, 2952.38, 2925.98, 2869.07, 1464.33, 1331.82, 1228.06, 1091.63, 1037.85, 741.12, 479.99; EA: Anal. calcd for C₃₇H₇₃Cl₂N₃O₁₂PdSSi₈ (%): C, 37.47, H, 6.20; found: C, 37.49; H, 6.33.

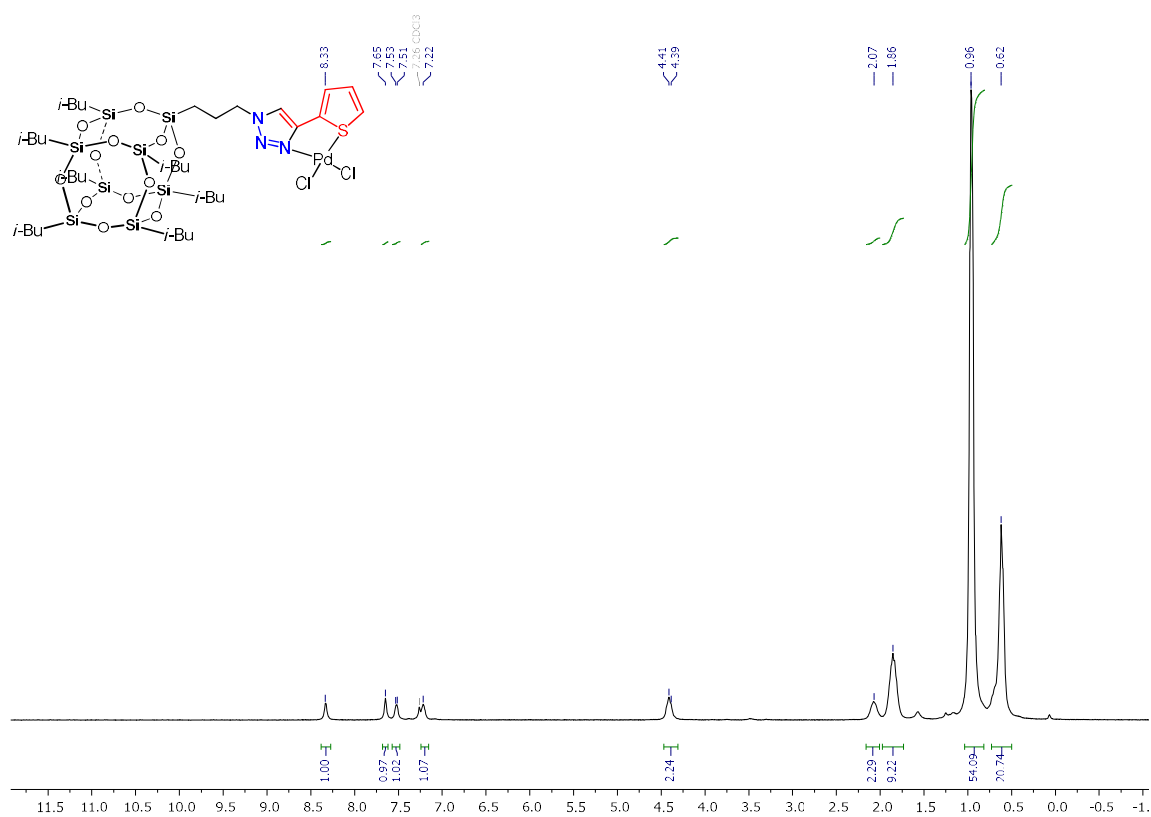


Figure S46 ¹H NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A7-Pd(N[^]S)

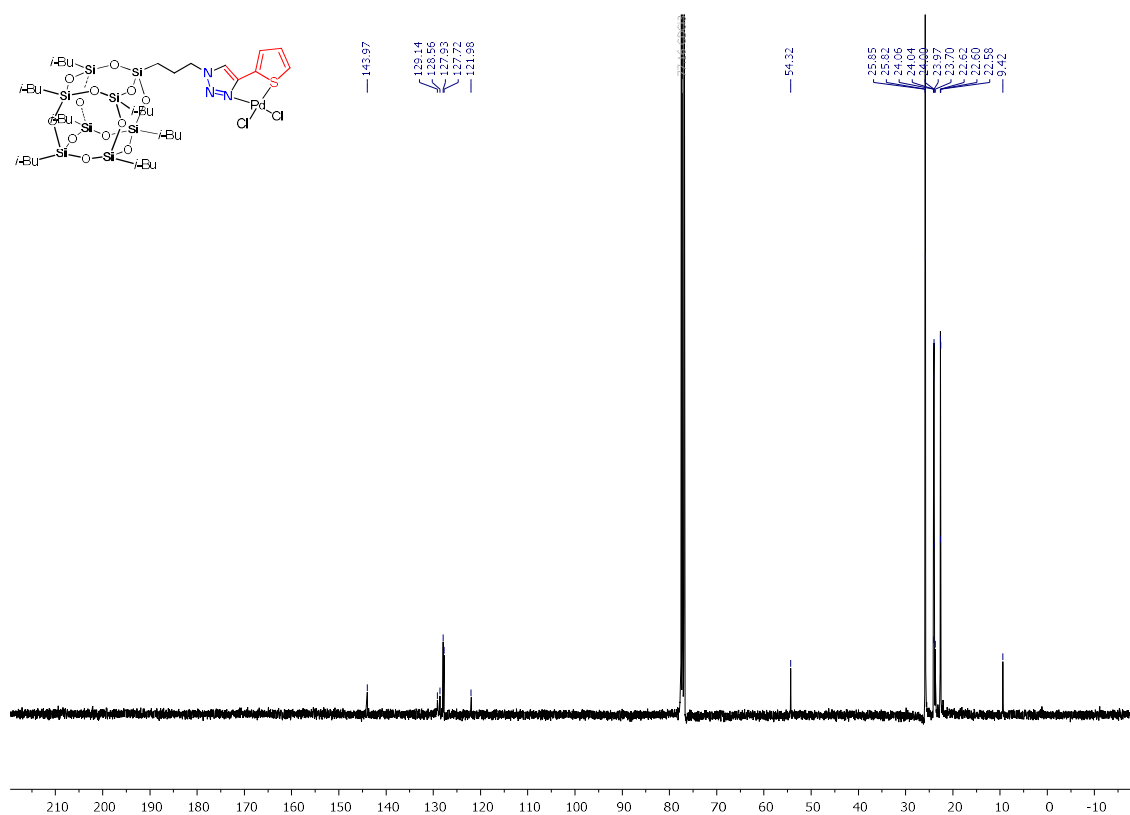


Figure S47 ¹³C NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A7-Pd(N^S)

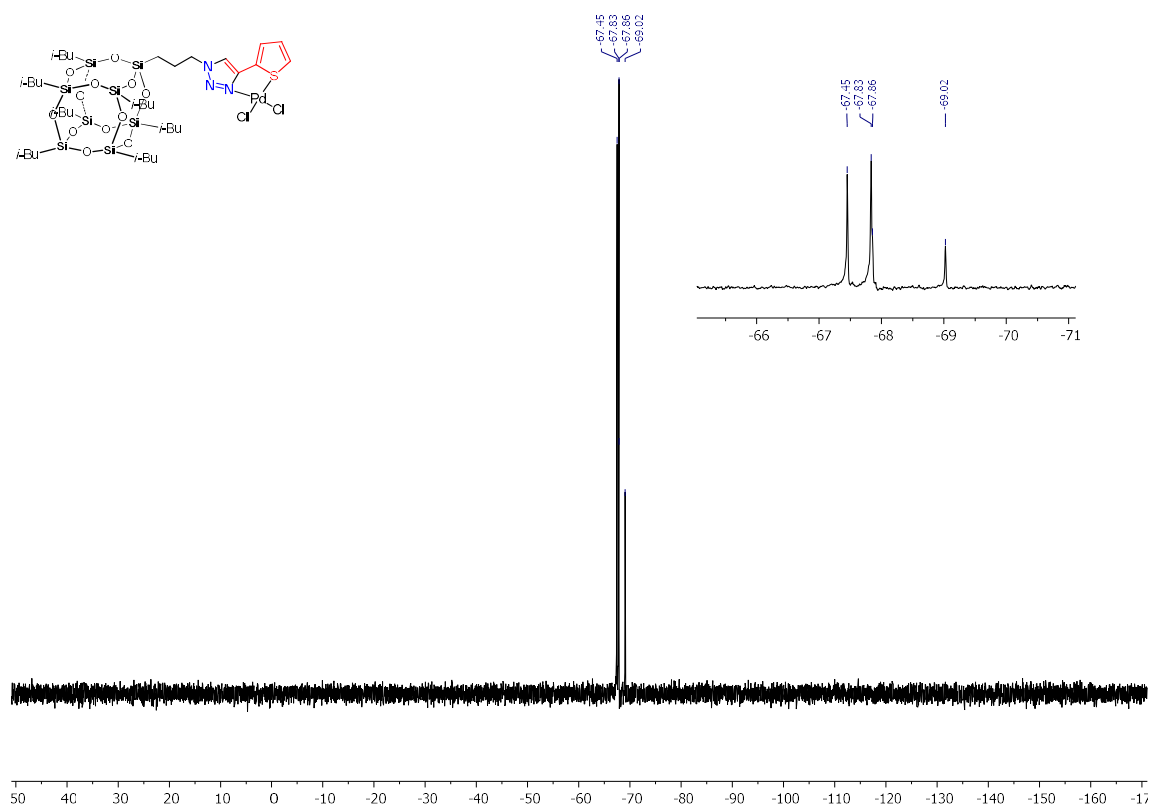


Figure S48 ²⁹Si NMR spectra of *i*BuT₈-A7-Pd(N^S)

DDSQ-A1-[Pd(N[^]N)]₂

Yellow solid, 93%

¹H NMR (300 MHz, DMF-d₇, 25 °C) δ = 9.14 (d, 2H, J=1.4Hz, NCH), 9.09 (dd, 2H, J = 5.8, 1.3 Hz, PyH), 8.31 (t, 2H, J = 7.7 Hz, PyH), 8.15 – 8.09 (m, 2H, PyH), 7.72 (m, 2H, PyH), 7.64 – 7.60 (m, 5H, Ph), 7.49–7.23 (m, 35H, Ph), 4.61 (t, 4H, J=7.1Hz, N-CH₂), 2.12 (d, 4H, J=8.8Hz, CH₂CH₂CH₂), 0.98–0.91 (m, 4H, CH₂Si), 0.43 (s, 6H, CH₃Si); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMF-d₇, 25 °C) δ = 150.82, 149.88, 148.84, 142.38, 134.85, 134.82, 134.79, 132.31, 132.21, 132.18, 131.45, 129.39, 129.33, 129.29, 129.21, 126.56, 126.50, 123.13, 55.80, 24.76, 14.11, -0.49; ²⁹Si NMR (79.5 MHz DMF-d₇, 25 °C) δ = -17.16, -77.78, -79.04; ESI-MS calcd for C₃₈H₇₄N₄O₁₂Si₈PdCl₂K [M + H]⁺: 1876.9450, found 1877.0601; IR (cm⁻¹): 3072.03, 3048.83, 2921.62, 1429.57, 1264.09, 1078.01, 727.16, 696.17, 482.53; Anal. calcd for C₇₀H₆₈Cl₄N₈O₁₄Pd₂Si₁₀ (%): C, 44.70, H, 3.64; found: C, 44.79; H, 3.71.

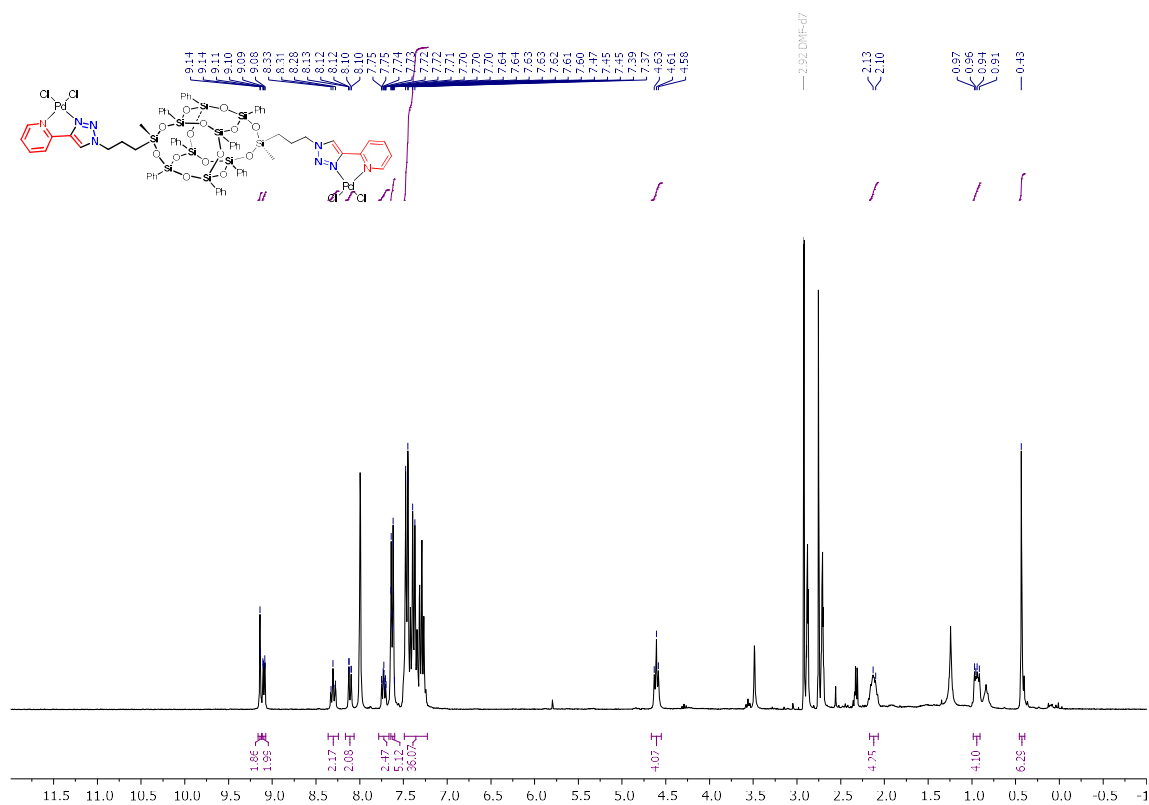
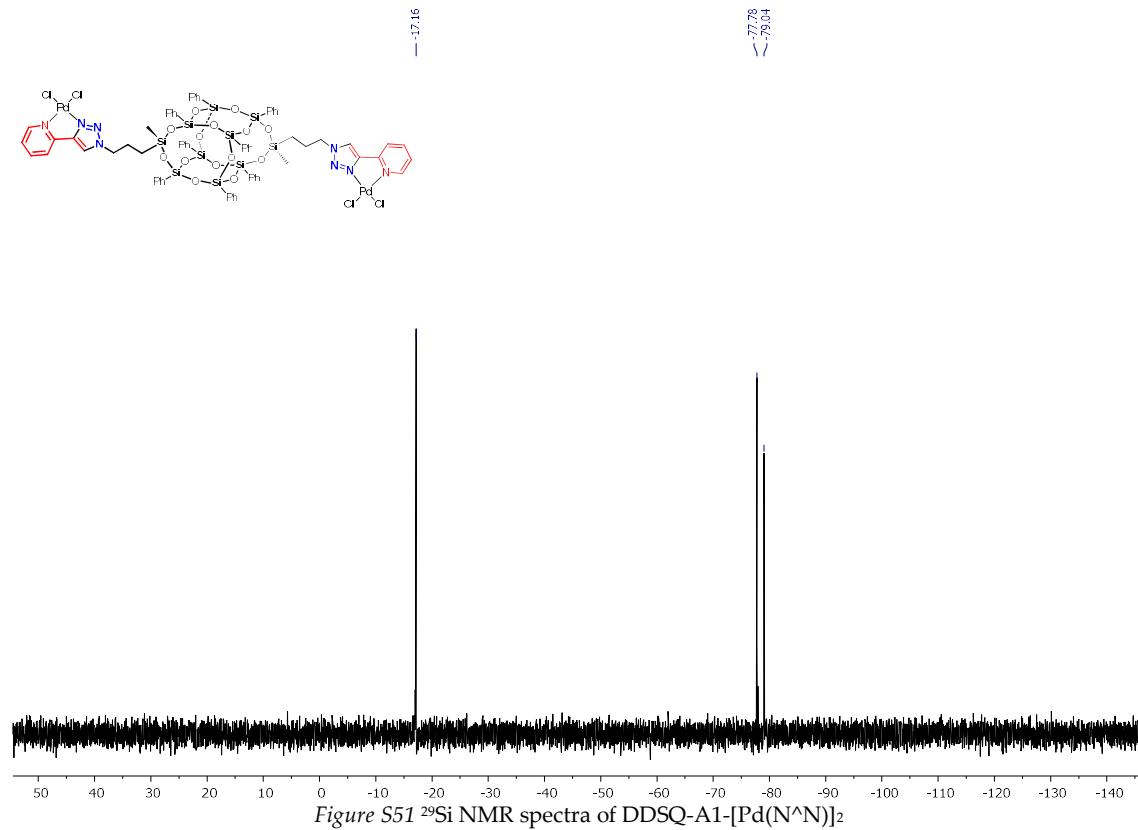
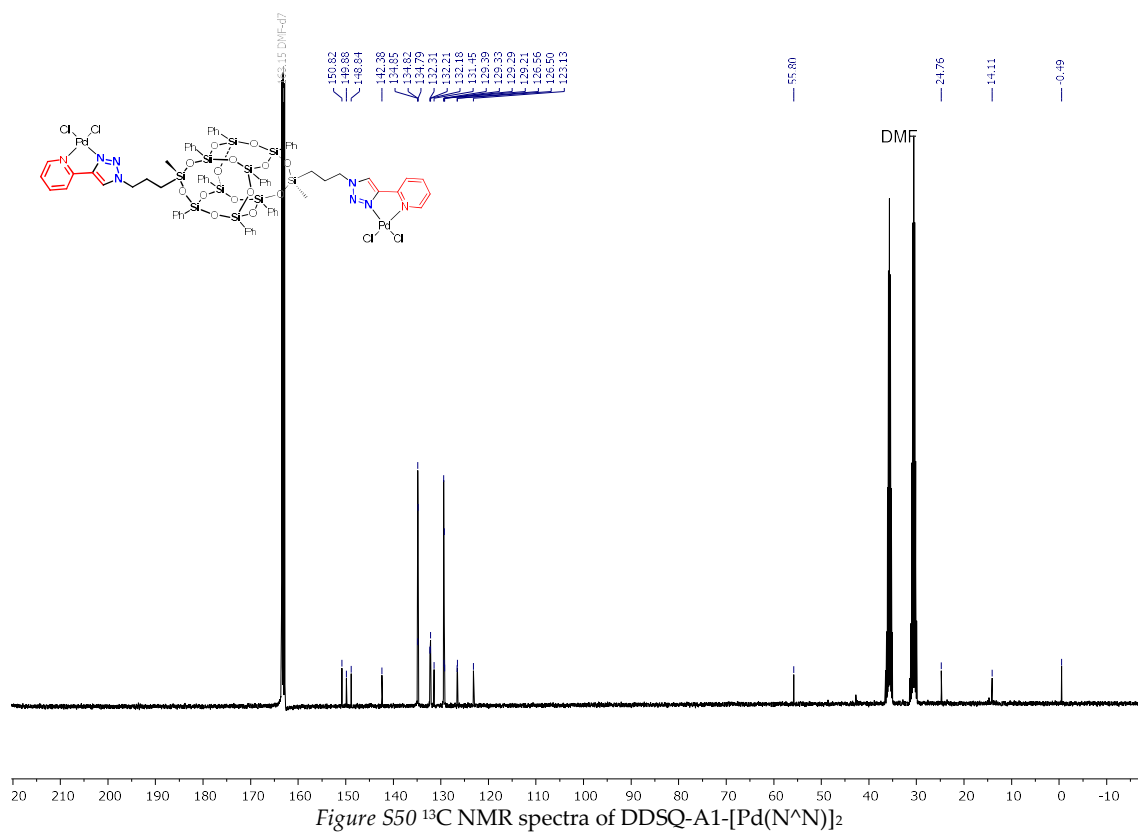


Figure S49 ¹H NMR spectra of DDSQ-A1-[Pd(N[^]N)]₂



The respective comparison of the ^1H NMR stacked spectra of ligand **iBuT₈-A1** and respective complex **iBuT₈-A1-Pt(N[^]N)** are presented below:

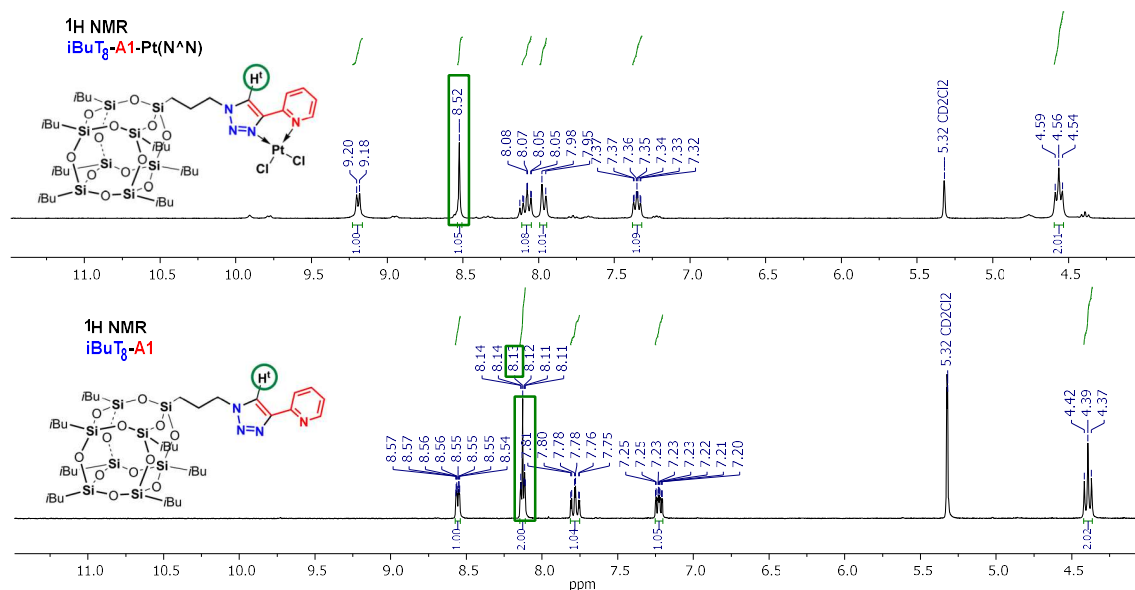


Figure S52 Stacked ^1H NMR spectra of ligand **iBuT₈-A1** and respective complex **iBuT₈-A1-Pt(N[^]N)**

The respective comparison of the ^1H NMR stacked spectra of ligand **iBuT₈-A7** and respective complex **iBuT₈-A7-Pd(N[^]S)** are presented below:

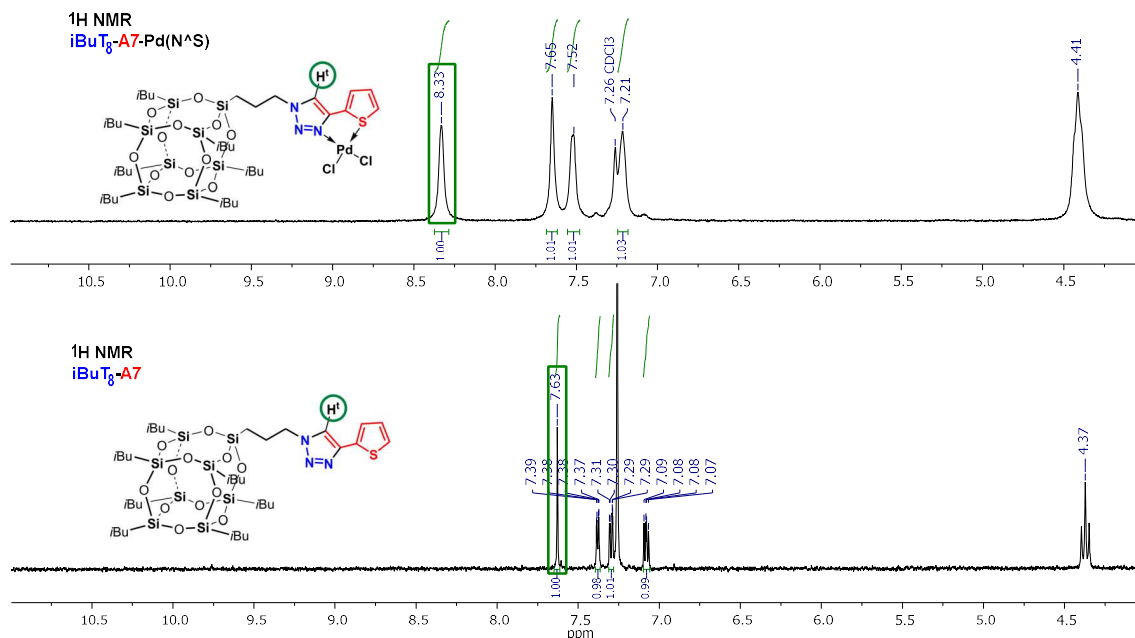


Figure S53 Stacked ^1H NMR spectra of ligand **iBuT₈-A7** and respective complex **iBuT₈-A7-Pt(N[^]S)**

References:

- [1] Ervithayasuporn, V.; Kwanplod, K.; Boonmak, J.; Youngme, S.; Sangtrirutnugul, P.; Homogeneous and heterogeneous catalysts of organopalladium functionalized-polyhedral oligomeric silsesquioxanes for Suzuki–Miyaura reaction. *J. of Catal.* **2015**, 332, 62-69.