Supporting Information for

Development of a series of flurbiprofen and zaltoprofen

platinum(IV) complexes with anti-metastasis competence targeting COX-2, PD-L1 and DNA

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1. The synthetic route of flurbiprofen and zaltoprofen platinum(IV) complexes

Scheme S1 Synthetic route for flurbiprofen and zaltoprofen platinum(IV) complexes 1-9.

2. The antitumor activities in vivo

To compare the antitumor activities of NSAIDs platinum(IV) complexes extensively, platinum(IV) complexes **1-10** with ketoprofen and loxoprofen ligands listed in our previous work ^{\$1} (signed as **J1-J10** in this manuscript) and complexes **1-9** bearing flurbiprofen, zaltoprofen in this work were tested at the same time both *in vitro* and *in vivo* with same control groups. The MTT results were given in Table 1 with cisplatin and oxaliplatin as reference drugs. Meanwhile, the antitumor activities for complexes **1**, **2**, **5**, **6**, **J1**, **J7**, **J9**, cisplatin and oxaliplatin *in vivo* against CT26 tumors were shown in Figure S1 and Figure 3, the antitumor activities *in vivo* against 4T1 tumors were shown in Figure S2 and Figure 4, and the anti-metastasis properties against 4T1 breast carcinoma tumors *in vivo* were shown in Figure S6 and Figure 5.





Figure S1 *In vivo* antitumor activities to CT-26 tumors in BALB/c mice (n = 6). (a) Schematic illustration of the experimental design. (b) Survival analysis of mice during the treatment of **1**, **2**, **5**, **6**, cisplatin and oxaliplatin. (c) Images of tumors treated by **1**, **2**, oxaliplatin and blank. (d) Images of tumors treated by **5**, **6**, oxaliplatin and blank. Figure 3d is a combination of images (c) and (d). (e) Full images of tumors treated by **1**, **2**, **5**, **6**, **J1**, **J7** (**VII**), **J9** and oxaliplatin and blank. Reprinted with permission from Li et al., *J. Med. Chem.*, 2021, **64**, 17920. Copyright 2021 American Chemical Society ^{S1}.



Figure S2 *In vivo* antitumor activities to 4T1 tumors in BALB/c mice (n = 5). (a) Schematic illustration of the experimental design. (b) Full images of tumors treated by drugs **1**, **2**, **J7** (**VII**), cisplatin and oxaliplatin and blank. Reprinted with permission from Li et al., *J. Med. Chem.*, 2021, **64**, 17920. Copyright 2021 American Chemical Society ^{S1}.



Figure S3 H&E staining of liver, spleen and kidney from mice treated by complexes 1, 2, 5, 6 and oxaliplatin and saline.



Figure S4 H&E staining of tumor tissues from mice treated by complexes 1, 2, 5, 6 and oxaliplatin and saline.



Figure S5 Platinum accumulation in tumors tissues treated by complexes 1, 2 and oxaliplatin.



Figure S6 Pulmonary metastasis inhibition of compounds 1, 2, VII(J7) cisplatin and oxaliplatin against 4T1 breast carcinoma tumors *in vivo* (n = 5). (a) Schematic illustration of the experimental design. (b) Full images of lungs from each group at the end of the experiment. Reprinted with permission from Li et al., *J. Med. Chem.*, 2021, 64, 17920. Copyright 2021 American Chemical Society ^{S1}.

3. Metastasis inhibitory activities in vitro



Figure S7 Migration inhibition to 4T1 cells of complex **2** (2 μ M), cisplatin (10 μ M) and oxaliplatin (10 μ M) *in vitro*. The untreated group was set as blank. The extent of wound healing was observed at 0, 12, and 24 h. (a) Representative images; (b) Analysis of wound closure.





Figure S8 HPLC spectra of compound **2** in different media incubated at 37 °C. (a) Compound **2** (0.5 mM) in PBS; (b) Compound **2** (0.5 mM) in RPMI 1640; (c) Compound **2** (0.25 mM) in RPMI 1640 with AsA (1 mM); (d) Solution of compound **2** (0.25 mM) in RPMI 1640 with AsA (1 mM) and 5'-GMP (3 mM) incubated for 24 h; (e) The formation of platinated GMP (Pt-GMP)^{S2}.



Figure S9 Stability of complex 2 in whole blood incubated at 37 °C.

5. ¹H NMR, ¹³C NMR and MS spectra



¹³C NMR spectrum for complex **1**









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¹³C NMR spectrum for complex **3**

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* Peaks 3.07 ppm (q) and 1.19 ppm (t) are ascribed to Et_2O . ¹H NMR spectrum for complex 4



Peaks 19.73 ppm and 63.21 ppm are ascribed to Et_2O . ^{13}C NMR spectrum for complex 4







¹³C NMR spectrum for complex **5**







MS spectrum for complex 6







¹³C NMR spectrum for complex 7











¹H NMR spectrum for complex 9



¹³C NMR spectrum for complex 9



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