Supporting Information

Sustainable Carbonaceous Nanomaterial Supported Palladium as an Efficient Ligand-Free Heterogeneous Catalyst for Suzuki-Miyaura Coupling

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The analytical data of biphenyl derivatives

1. [**1,1'-biphenyl**]-**4-ol** (**1f**): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 9.55 (s, 1H), 7.60 – 7.53 (m, 2H), 7.48 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.40 (t, J = 7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.27 (t, J = 7.4 Hz, 1H), 6.84 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H); MS, *m*/*z* (%): 170 [M⁺].



Figure 1A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of [1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ol (1f)



Figure 1B: GC-MS spectrum of [1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ol (1f)

2. 4-(naphthalen-1-yl)phenol (2f): MS, *m/z* (%): 220 [M⁺].



Figure 2A: GC-MS spectrum of 4-(naphthalen-1-yl)phenol (2f)

3. 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ol (3f): ¹Η NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 9.45 (s, 1H), 7.49 (dd, J = 8.5, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 7.41 (dd, J = 8.4, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 6.97 (dd, J = 8.5, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 6.81 (dd, J = 8.5, 1.5 Hz, 2H), 3.77 (s, 3H); 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 158.11, 156.51, 132.76, 130.75, 127.24, 127.02, 115.64, 114.23, 55.12; MS, *m/z* (%): 200 [M⁺].



Figure 3A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ol (3f)



Figure 3B: GC-MS spectrum of 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ol (3f)



Figure 3C: 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) of 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ol (3f)

4. 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (**4f**) : ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 7.61 (dd, J = 8.4, 3.1 Hz, 4H), 7.43 (t, J = 7.5 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (t, J = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 3.80 (s, 3H.MS, *m*/*z* (%): 184 [M⁺].



Figure 4A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (4f)



Figure 4B: GC-MS spectrum of 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (4f)

5. 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)naphthalene (5f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.03 – 7.96 (m, 1H), 7.92 (dd, J = 8.3, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.83 (dd, J = 8.3, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.60 – 7.37 (m, 6H), 7.14 – 7.06 (m, 2H), 3.84 (s, 3H).MS, *m/z* (%): 234 [M⁺].



Figure 5A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)naphthalene (5f)



Figure 5B: GC-MS spectrum of 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)naphthalene (5f)

6. 4,4'-dimethoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (6f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 7.83 – 7.16 (m, 4H), 7.09 – 6.77 (m, 4H), 3.78 (s, 6H).MS, *m/z* (%): 214 [M⁺].



Figure 6A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4,4'-dimethoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (6f)



Figure 6B: GC-MS spectrum of 4,4'-dimethoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (6f)

7. 1,1'-biphenyl (7f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.06 (d, J = 0.9 Hz, 1H), 7.79 (dt, J = 7.8, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.66 (dd, J = 8.2, 1.4 Hz, 2H), 7.47 (dd, J = 8.3, 7.1 Hz, 3H), 7.44 – 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.39 – 7.29 (m, 2H). MS, *m/z* (%): 154 [M⁺].



Figure 7A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 1,1'-biphenyl (7f)



Figure 7B: GC-MS spectrum of 1,1'-biphenyl (7f)

8. 1-phenylnaphthalene (8f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 7.99 (dd, J = 18.8, 8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.80 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 1H), 7.63 - 7.40 (m, 9H). MS, *m/z* (%): 204 [M⁺].



Figure 8A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 1-phenylnaphthalene (8f)



Figure 8B: GC-MS spectrum of 1-phenylnaphthalene (8f)

9. 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (9f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 7.65 – 7.57 (m, 4H), 7.43 (dd, J = 8.3, 7.1 Hz, 2H), 7.31 (td, J = 7.2, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 7.07 – 7.00 (m, 2H), 3.80 (s, 3H); 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 158.89, 139.84, 132.53, 128.86, 127.76, 126.70, 126.18, 114.36, 55.17; MS, *m/z* (%): 184 [M⁺].



Figure 9A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (9f)



Figure 9B: GC-MS spectrum of 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (9f)



Figure 9C: 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (9f)

10. 4-nitro-1,1'-biphenyl (**10f**): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.35 – 8.27 (m, 2H), 8.01 – 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.83 – 7.76 (m, 2H), 7.59 – 7.44 (m, 3H); 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 146.46, 146.41, 137.61, 129.03, 128.85, 127.65, 127.06, 123.88; MS, *m/z* (%): 199 [M⁺].



Figure 10A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-nitro-1,1'-biphenyl (10f)



Figure 10B: GC-MS spectrum of 4-nitro-1,1'-biphenyl (10f)



Figure 10C: 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) of 4-nitro-1,1'-biphenyl (10f)

11. 1-(4-nitrophenyl)naphthalene (11f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.38 (dt, J = 8.4, 1.9 Hz, 2H), 8.09 – 8.02 (m, 2H), 7.82 – 7.73 (m, 3H), 7.68 – 7.48 (m, 4H). MS, *m/z* (%): 249 [M⁺].



Figure 11A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 1-(4-nitrophenyl)naphthalene (11f)



Figure 11B: GC-MS spectrum of 1-(4-nitrophenyl)naphthalene (11f)

12. 4-methoxy-4'-nitro-1,1'-biphenyl (12f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.26 (d, J = 8.6 Hz, 2H), 7.91 (d, J = 8.5 Hz, 2H), 7.76 (d, J = 8.4 Hz, 2H), 7.09 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H); 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 160.20, 146.30, 146.02, 129.94, 128.60, 127.03, 124.12, 114.71, 55.34; MS, *m/z* (%): 229 [M⁺].



Figure 12A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methoxy-4'-nitro-1,1'-biphenyl (12f)



Figure 12B: GC-MS spectrum of 4-methoxy-4'-nitro-1,1'-biphenyl (12f)



Figure 12C: 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methoxy-4'-nitro-1,1'-biphenyl (12f)

13. [1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbonitrile (13f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 7.96 – 7.84 (m, 4H), 7.78 – 7.71 (m, 2H), 7.56 – 7.49 (m, 2H), 7.49 – 7.41 (m, 1H).



14. 4-(naphthalen-1-yl)benzonitrile (14f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.06 – 7.95 (m, 4H), 7.76 – 7.64 (m, 3H), 7.65 – 7.50 (m, 3H), 7.47 (dd, J = 7.1, 1.3 Hz, 1H). MS, *m/z* (%): 229 [M⁺].



Figure 14A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-(naphthalen-1-yl)benzonitrile (14f)



Figure 14B: GC-MS spectrum of 4-(naphthalen-1-yl)benzonitrile (14f)

15. 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbonitrile (15f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 7.91 – 7.80 (m, 4H), 7.76 – 7.67 (m, 2H), 7.07 (dd, J = 8.7, 1.3 Hz, 2H), 3.81 (d, J = 1.1 Hz, 3H). MS, *m/z* (%): 209 [M⁺].



Figure 15A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbonitrile (15f)



Figure 15B: GC-MS spectrum of 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbonitrile (15f)

16. 4-methyl-1,1'-biphenyl (16f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.07 (s, 1H), 7.84 – 7.78 (m, 1H), 7.62 (s, 1H), 7.54 (s, 1H), 7.48 – 7.37 (m, 2H), 7.36 – 7.29 (m, 2H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 2.34 (s, 3H). MS, *m/z* (%): 168 [M⁺].



Figure 16A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methyl-1,1'-biphenyl (16f)



Figure 16B: GC-MS spectrum of 4-methyl-1,1'-biphenyl (16f)

17. 1-(p-tolyl)naphthalene (17f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.10 – 7.97 (m, 1H), 7.94 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.82 (d, J = 8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.62 – 7.45 (m, 3H), 7.44 – 7.31 (m, 5H), 2.41 (s, 3H). MS, *m/z* (%): 218 [M⁺].



Figure 17A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 1-(p-tolyl)naphthalene (17f)



Figure 17B: GC-MS spectrum of 1-(p-tolyl)naphthalene (17f)

18. 4-methoxy-4'-methyl-1,1'-biphenyl (18f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 7.61 – 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.50 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, J = 7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.05 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H), 2.32 (s, 3H); 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 159.08, 137.39, 136.29, 132.90, 129.87, 127.89, 126.42, 114.73, 55.57, 21.04; MS, *m*/*z* (%): 183 [M⁺].



Figure 18A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methoxy-4'-methyl-1,1'-biphenyl (18f)



Figure 18B: GC-MS spectrum of 4-methoxy-4'-methyl-1,1'-biphenyl (18f)



Figure 18C: 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methoxy-4'-methyl-1,1'-biphenyl (18f)

19. [1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbaldehyde (19f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 10.06 (s, 1H), 8.04 – 7.97 (m, 2H), 7.95 – 7.88 (m, 2H), 7.81 – 7.69 (m, 2H), 7.52 (dd, J = 8.3, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 7.49 – 7.41 (m, 1H).



20. 4-(naphthalen-1-yl)benzaldehyde (20f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 10.13 (s, 1H), 8.11 – 7.99 (m, 4H), 7.78 (dd, J = 8.5, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 7.75 – 7.69 (m, 2H), 7.68 – 7.54 (m, 2H), 7.57 – 7.47 (m, 2H); 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) δ 193.09, 146.35, 138.47, 135.41, 133.63, 130.82, 130.60, 129.89, 128.72, 128.67, 127.31, 126.98, 126.38, 125.79, 125.10.



Figure 20A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-(naphthalen-1-yl)benzaldehyde (20f)



Figure 20B: 13C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO) of 4-(naphthalen-1-yl)benzaldehyde (20f)

21. 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbaldehyde (21f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 10.03 (s, 1H), 8.00 - 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.92 - 7.85 (m, 2H), 7.79 - 7.71 (m, 2H), 7.12 - 7.04 (m, 2H), 3.82 (s, 3H). MS, *m/z* (%): 212 [M⁺].



Figure 21A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbaldehyde (21f)



Figure 21B: GC-MS spectrum of 4'-methoxy-[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-carbaldehyde (21f)

22. 1,1'-biphenyl (22f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.05 (s, 1H), 7.82 – 7.76 (m, 1H), 7.66 (dd, 2H), 7.57 – 7.42 (m, 4H), 7.41 – 7.30 (m, 2H). MS, *m/z* (%): 154 [M⁺].



Figure 22A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 1,1'-biphenyl (22f)



Figure 22B: GC-MS spectrum of 1,1'-biphenyl (22f)

23. 1-phenylnaphthalene (23f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 8.10 – 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.84 – 7.77 (m, 1H), 7.68 – 7.36 (m, 9H). MS, *m/z* (%): 204 [M⁺].



Figure 23A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 1-phenylnaphthalene (23f)



Figure 23B: GC-MS spectrum of 1-phenylnaphthalene (23f)

24. 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (24f): ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) δ 7.64 – 7.56 (m, 4H), 7.43 (t, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.35 – 7.26 (m, 1H), 7.06 – 6.98 (m, 2H), 3.79 (s, 3H).



Figure 24A: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO) of 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (24f)

25. 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (25f): MS, m/z (%): 184 [M⁺].



Figure 25A: GC-MS spectrum of 4-methoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (25f)

26. 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)naphthalene (26f): MS, m/z (%): 234 [M⁺].



Figure 26A: GC-MS spectrum of 1-(4-methoxyphenyl)naphthalene (26f)

27. 4,4'-dimethoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (27f): MS, *m/z* (%): 214 [M⁺].



Figure 27A: GC-MS spectrum of 4,4'-dimethoxy-1,1'-biphenyl (27f)

28. 1,1'-biphenyl (28f): MS, *m*/*z* (%): 154 [M⁺].



Figure 28A: GC-MS spectrum of 1,1'-biphenyl (28f)

29. GC-MS spectrum of Hot filtration analysis.

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[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-ol: MS, *m*/*z* (%): 170 [M⁺].

