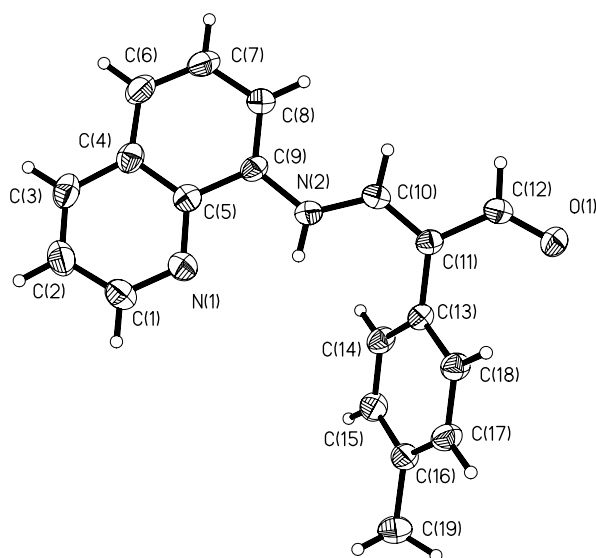


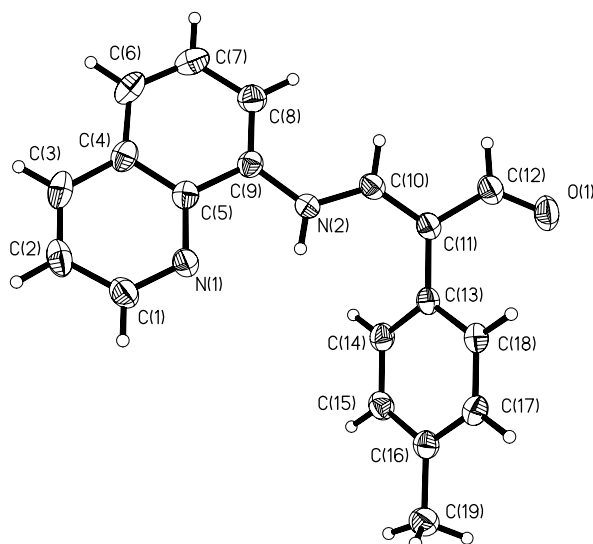
## Synthesis and structures of acyclic monoanionic tetradentate aza $\beta$ -diketiminato complexes of magnesium, zinc, and cadmium

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### Electronic Supporting Information



**Fig. 1** ORTEP diagram of (BDI<sup>O</sup>)OH, **5** (monoclinic crystal system) with thermal ellipsoids drawn at the 50 % probability level.



**Fig. 2** ORTEP diagram of (BDI<sup>O</sup>)OH, **5'** (triclinic crystal system) with thermal ellipsoids drawn at the 50 % probability level.