## **Electronic Supplementary Information**

## Terminal Nickel(II) Amide, Alkoxide, and Thiolate Complexes Containing Amido Diphosphine Ligands of the Type $[N(o-C_6H_4PR_2)_2]^-$ (R = Ph, <sup>*i*</sup>Pr, Cy)

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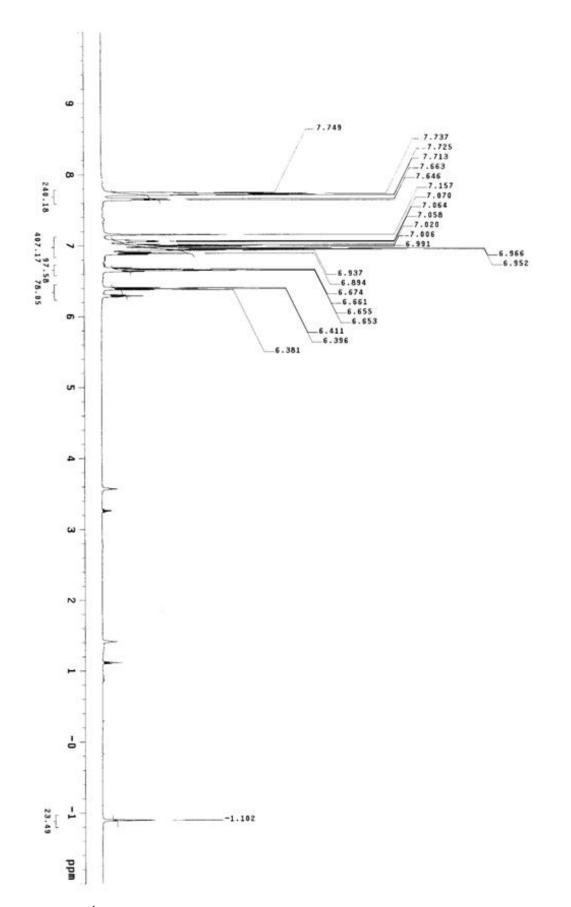


Figure S1. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of [Ph-PNP]Ni(NHPh) in  $C_6D_6$  at room temperature

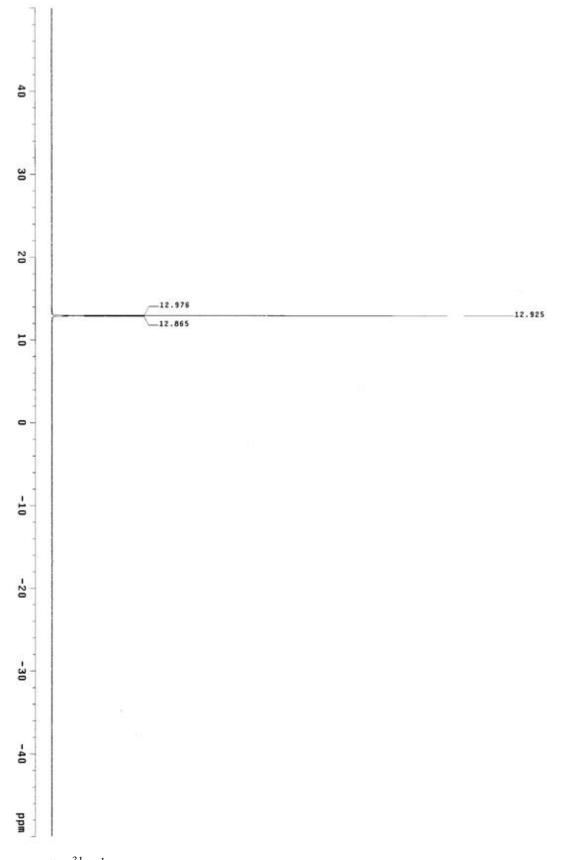


Figure S2.  ${}^{31}P{}^{1}H$  NMR spectrum (202 MHz) of [Ph-PNP]Ni(NHPh) in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at room temperature

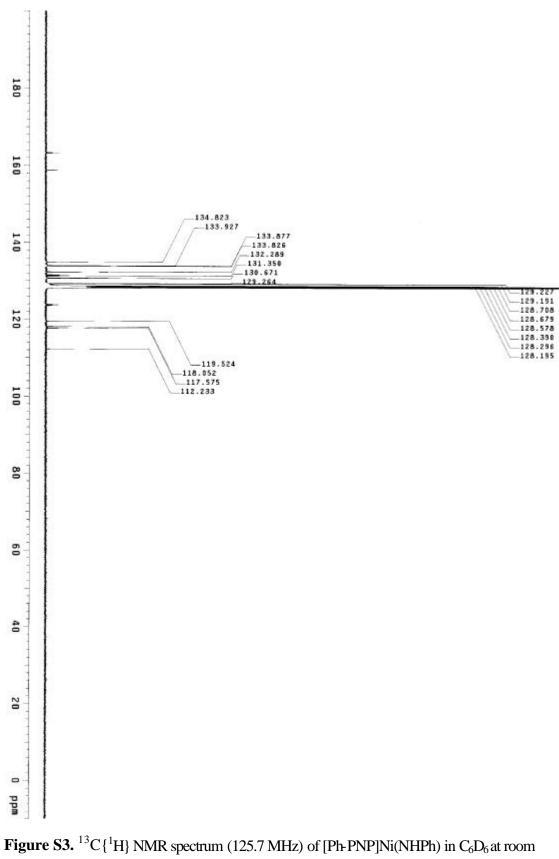


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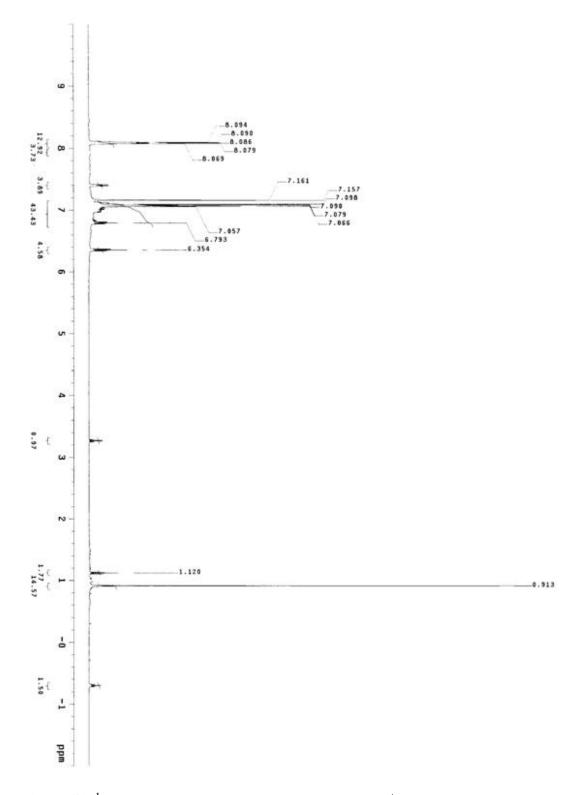


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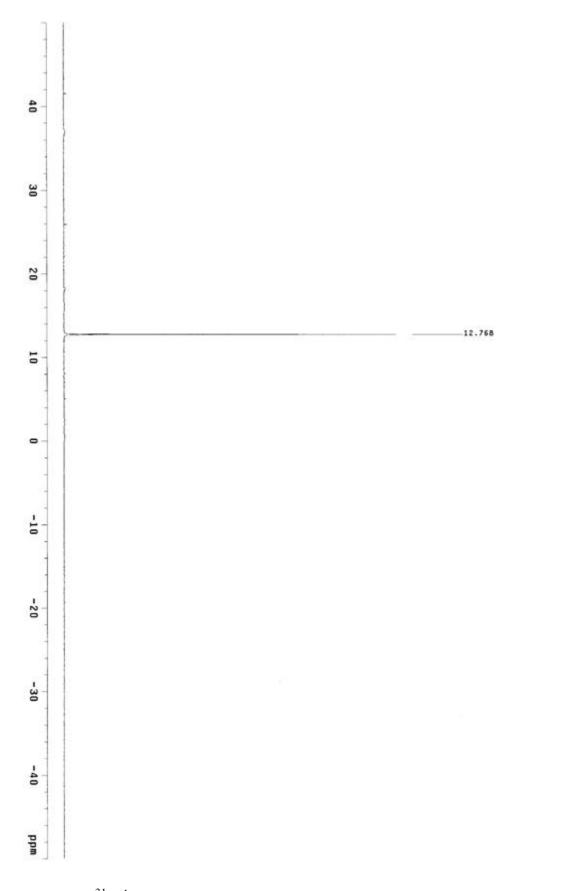


Figure S5.  ${}^{31}P{}^{1}H$  NMR spectrum (202 MHz) of [Ph-PNP]Ni(NH<sup>t</sup>Bu) in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at room temperature

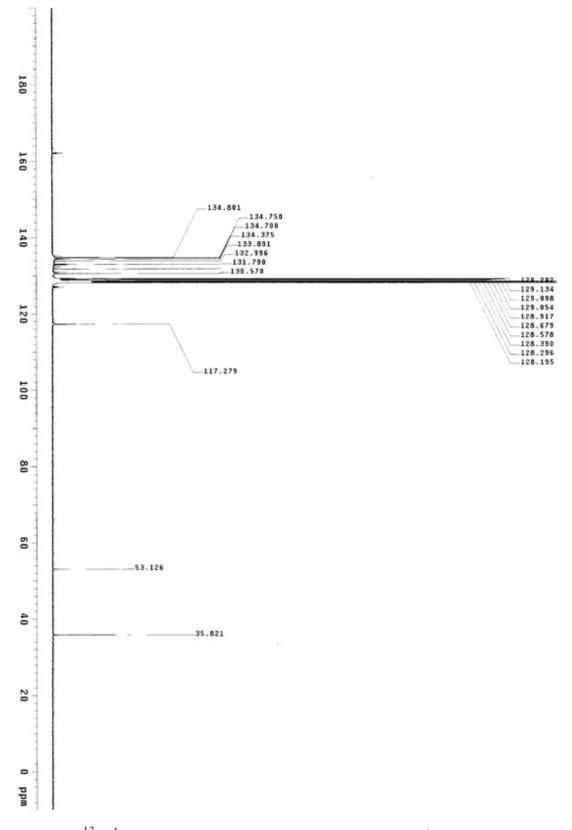


Figure S6.  ${}^{13}C{}^{1}H$  NMR spectrum (125.7 MHz) of [Ph-PNP]Ni(NH<sup>f</sup>Bu) in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at room temperature

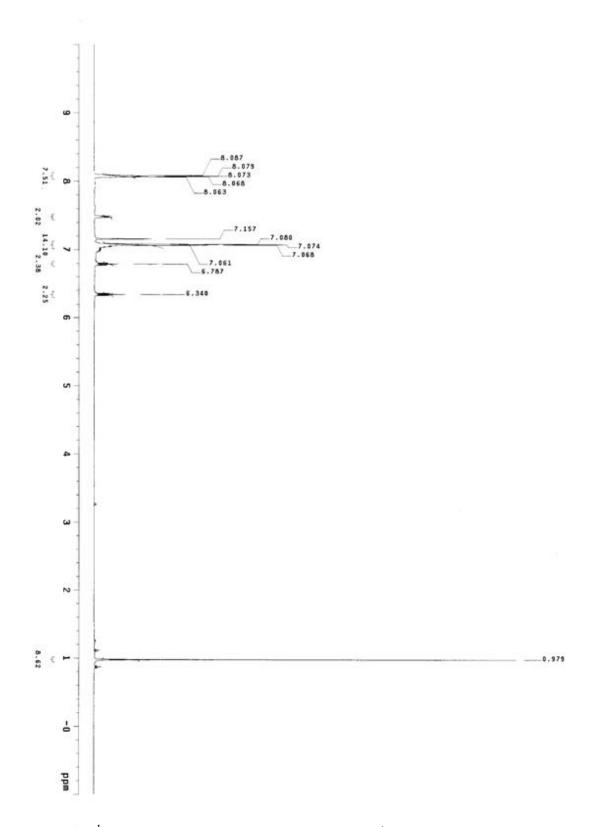


Figure S7. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum (500 MHz) of [Ph-PNP]Ni(O'Bu) in C<sub>6</sub>D<sub>6</sub> at room temperature

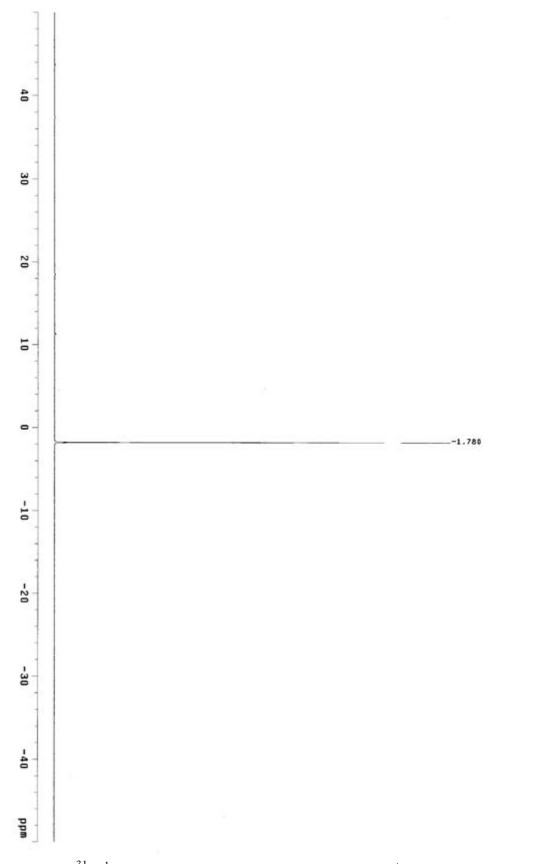
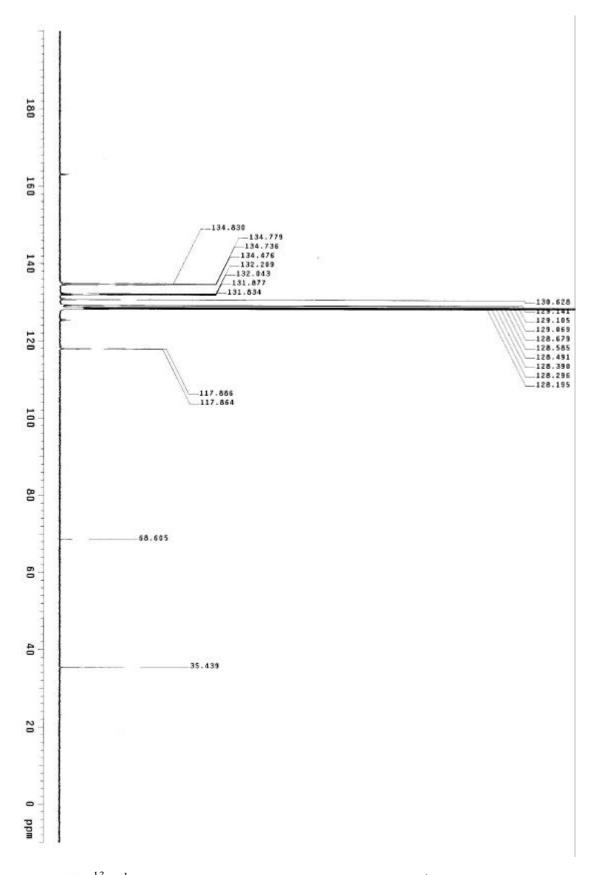


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