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New Electronic Structure Methodologies for Electronic Excited States

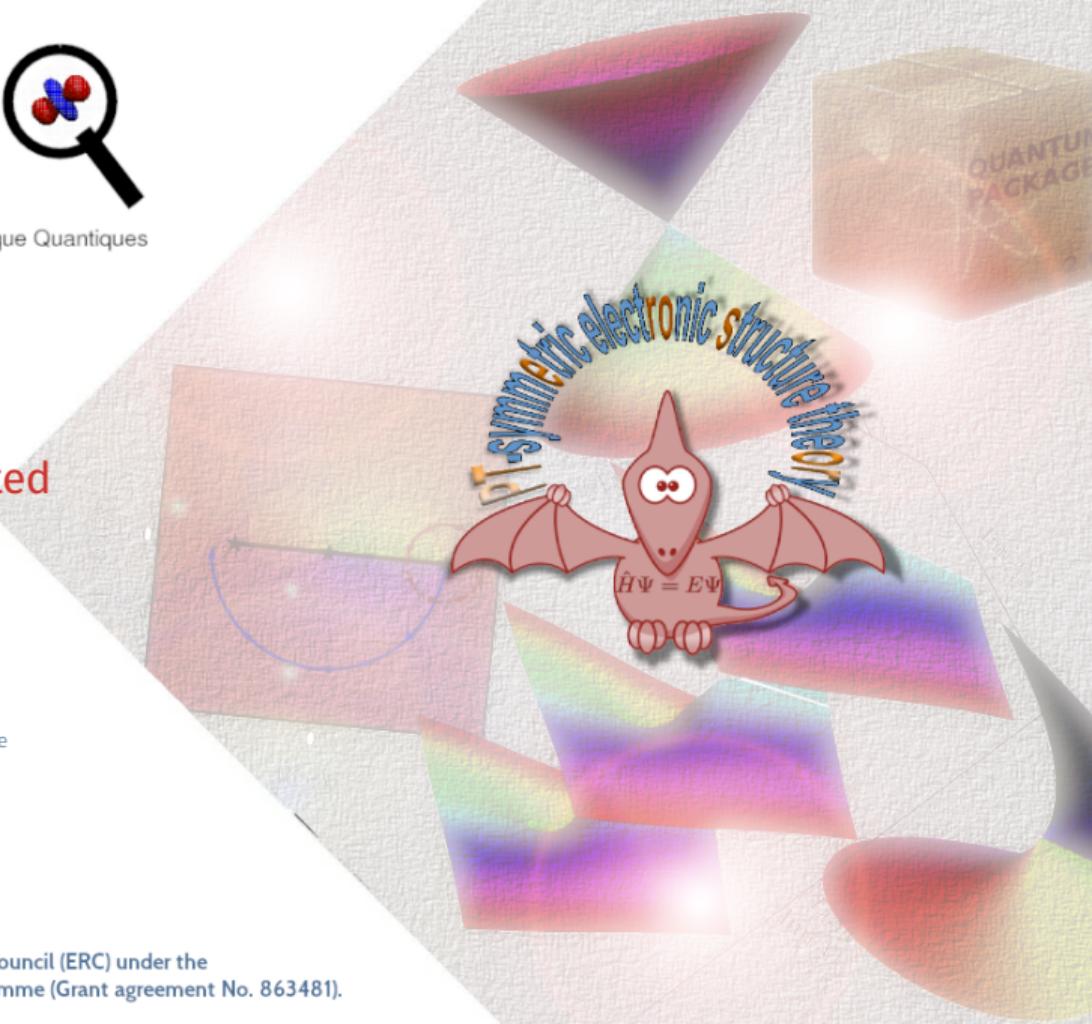
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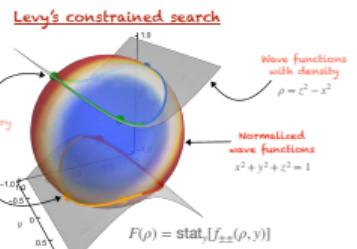
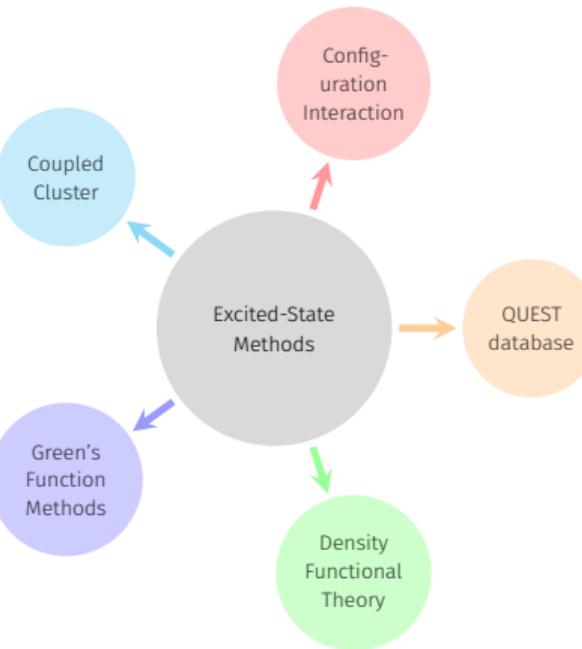
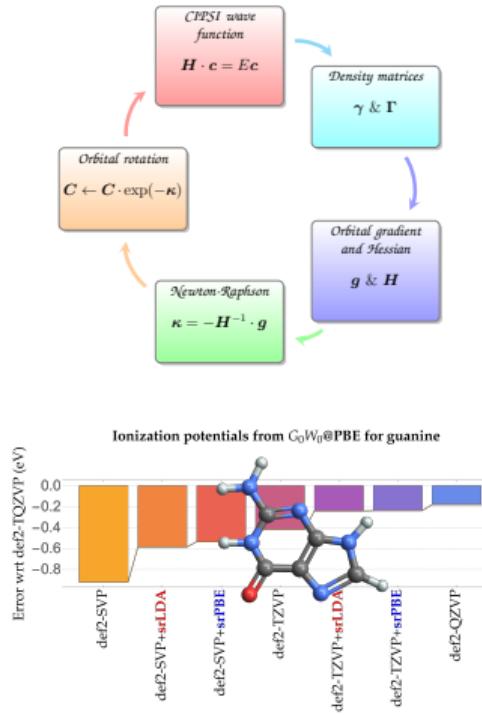
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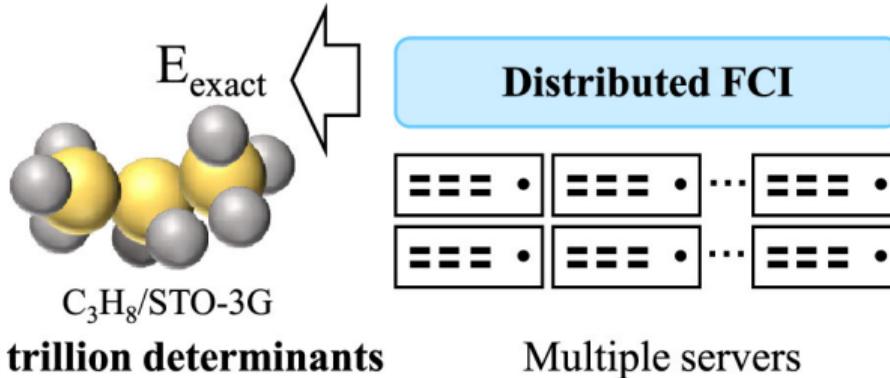
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General Overview of our Research Group



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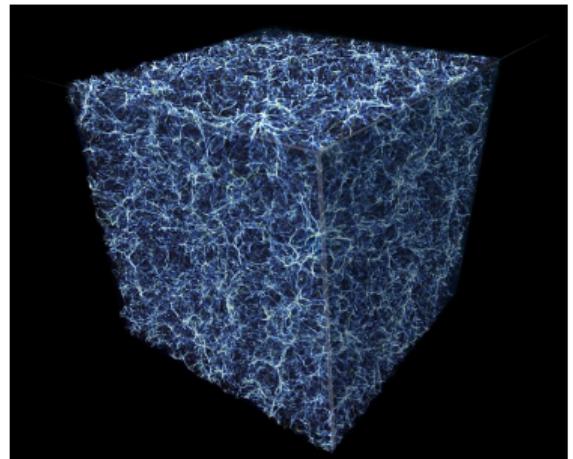
- ❗ FCI energy of propane (C_3H_8) in STO-3G
- ❗ Active space of 26 electrons in 23 orbitals $\Rightarrow 1.3 \times 10^{12}$ determinants!
- ❗ 512 processes on 256 nodes (40 cores each) for a total wall time of 113.6 hours
 $\Rightarrow \approx 10^6$ CPU hours $\Rightarrow \approx 10$ MW h $\Rightarrow \approx 2$ household years
- ❗ 19 TB of memory required!

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\text{green leaf}\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\text{brown leaf}\rangle$$



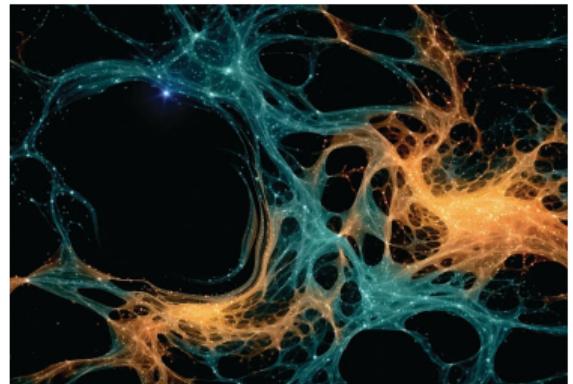
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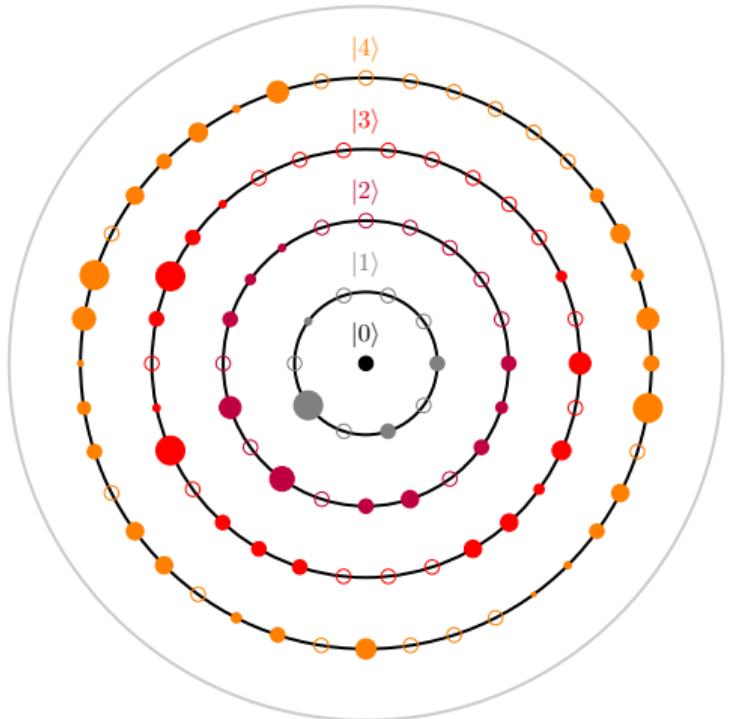


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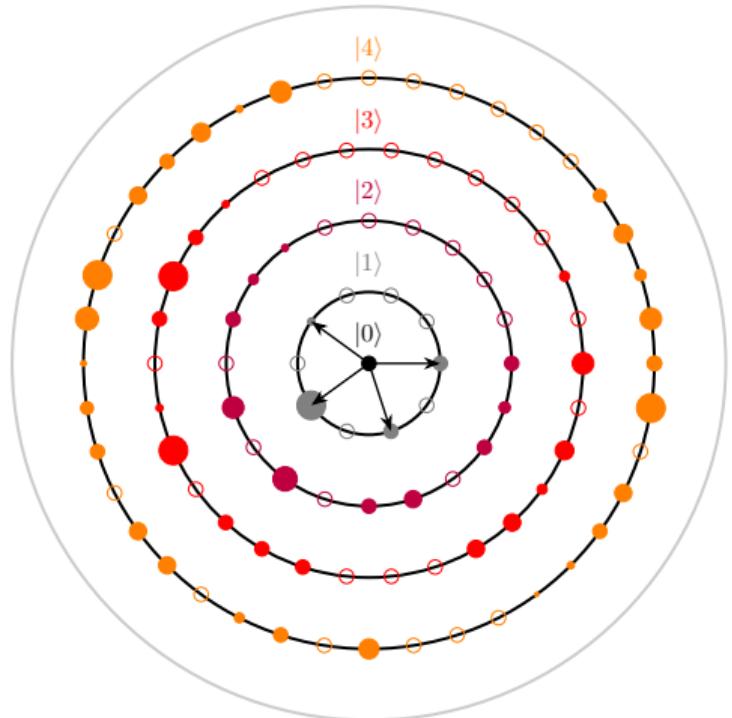
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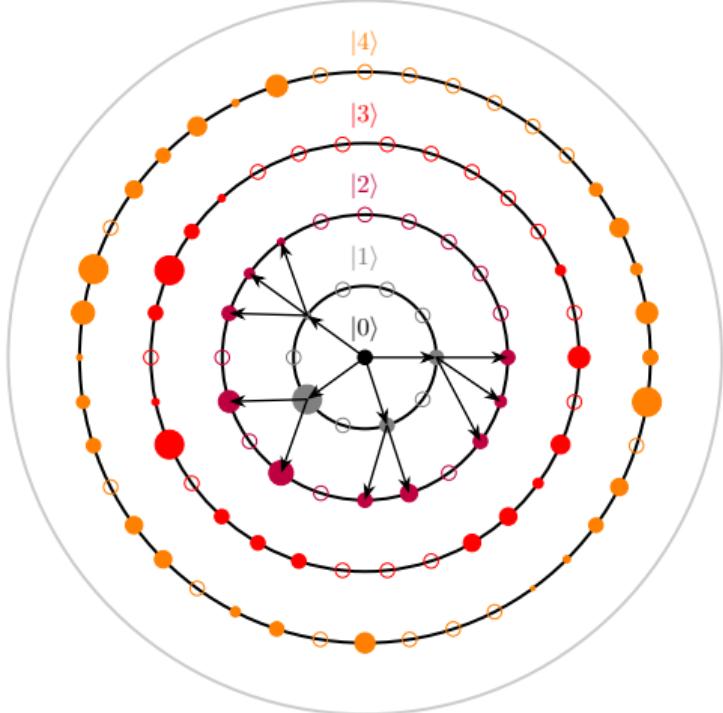
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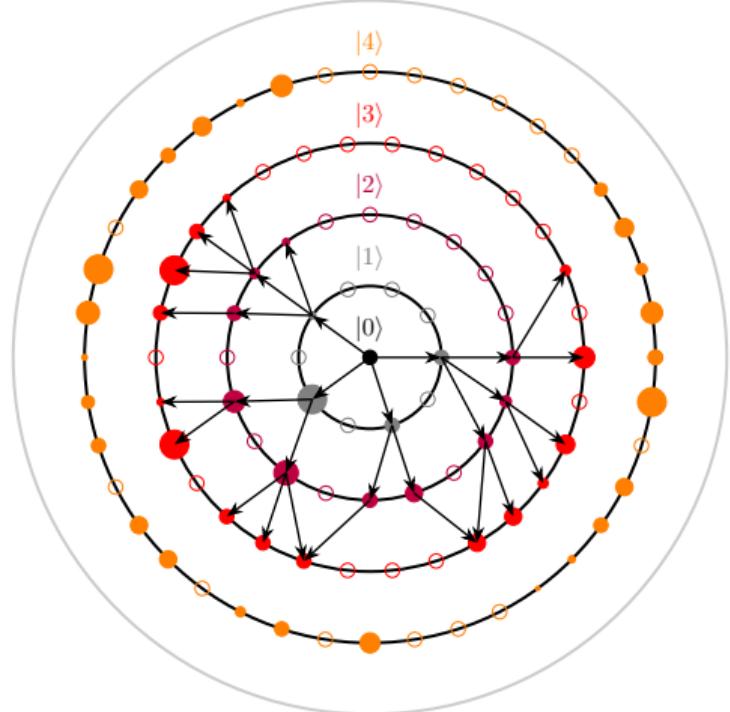
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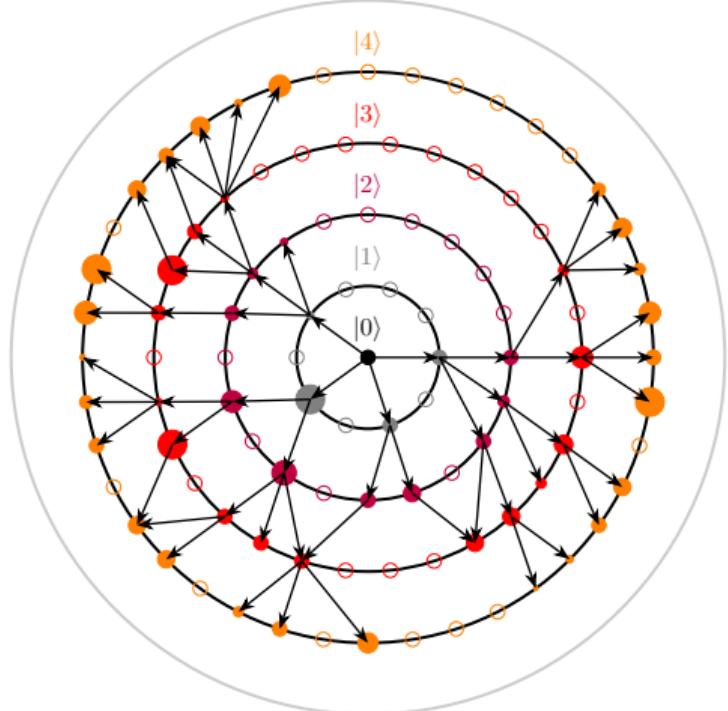
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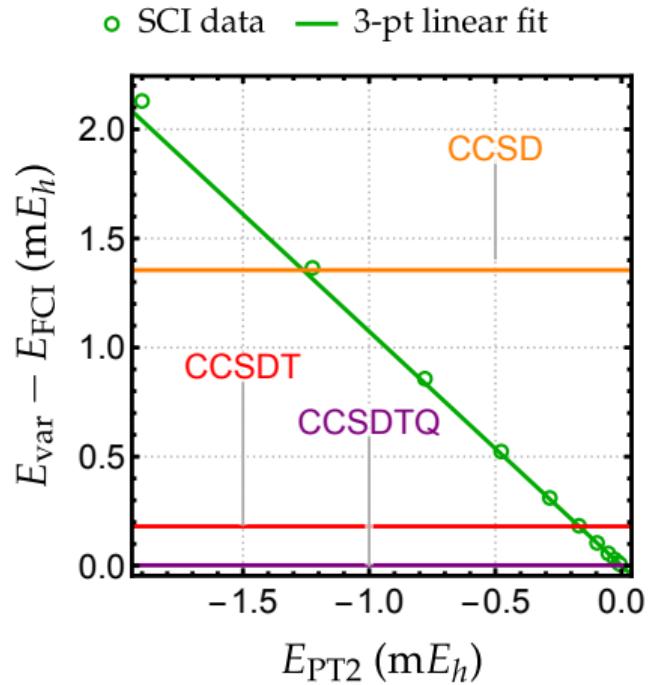
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Energy of C₃H₈ in STO-3G basis

Method	Energy (E_h)	Error wrt FCI
FCI ¹	-117.100 122 681 461	
CCSD	-117.098 767	1.355 m E_h
CCSD(T)	-117.099 708	0.414 m E_h
CCSDT	-117.099 942 158	0.181 m E_h
CCSDTQ	-117.100 120 230	2.451 μE_h
SCI ²	-117.100 093 52	0.029 m E_h
SCI+PT2 ³	-117.100 120 66	2.021 μE_h
exFCI ⁴	-117.100 122 89(6)	-0.21(6) μE_h



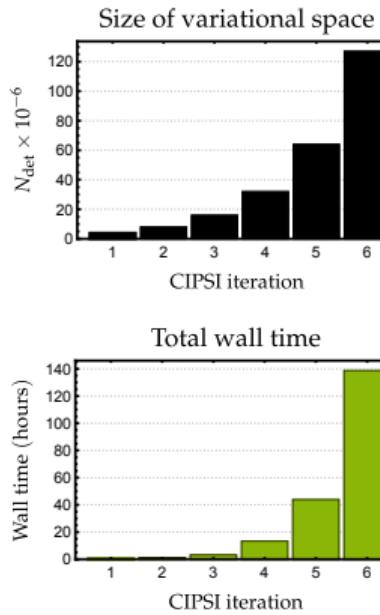
¹Gao et al. JCTC 20 (2024) 1185

²Variational energy obtained with $N_{\text{det}} = 32 \times 10^6$

³Perturbatively-corrected variational energy obtained with $N_{\text{det}} = 32 \times 10^6$

⁴Extrapolated FCI value obtained via a 3-point linear fit using $N_{\text{det}} = 32 \times 10^6$ as the largest variational space

Memory, CPU & Energy Consumptions



N_{det}	Wall time (hh:mm)	Memory consump.	Energy consump.	Error wrt FCI
2×10^6	00:14	5.3 GB	74 W h	$3 \mu E_h$
4×10^6	00:33	8.1 GB	176 W h	$3 \mu E_h$
8×10^6	01:19	15 GB	438 W h	$2 \mu E_h$
16×10^6	03:12	25 GB	1.1 kW h	$1 \mu E_h$
32×10^6	13:16	47 GB	4.1 kW h	$0.2 \mu E_h$
64×10^6	43:54	83 GB	13 kW h	$0.08 \mu E_h$
127×10^6	138:44	138 GB	42 kW h	$0.01 \mu E_h$

Burton & Loos JCP 160 (2024) 104102; Loos et al, arXiv:2402.13111¹

¹Single-node calculation (dual-socket Intel Skylake 6140 CPU@2.3 Ghz with 192 GB of memory and 36 physical CPU cores)



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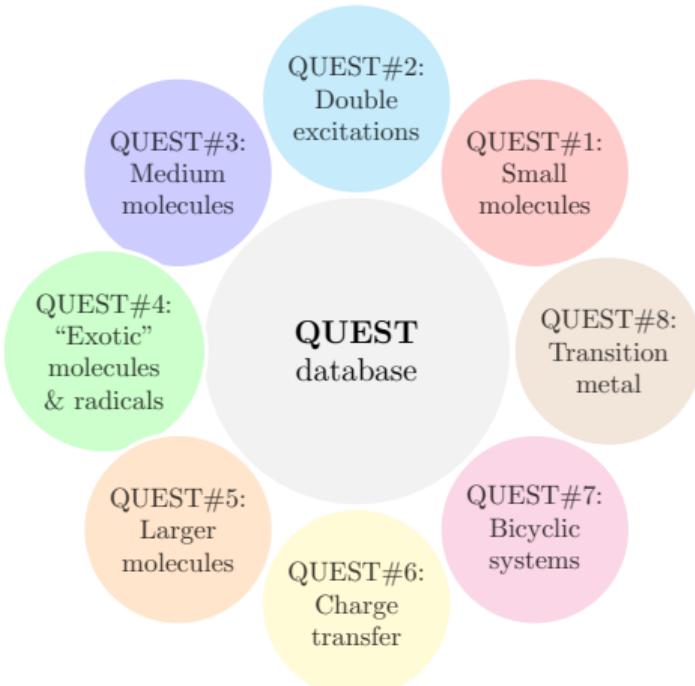
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Highly-accurate excitation energies: The QUEST project

"The QUEST project aims to provide to the community a large set of highly-accurate excitation energies for various types of excited states"

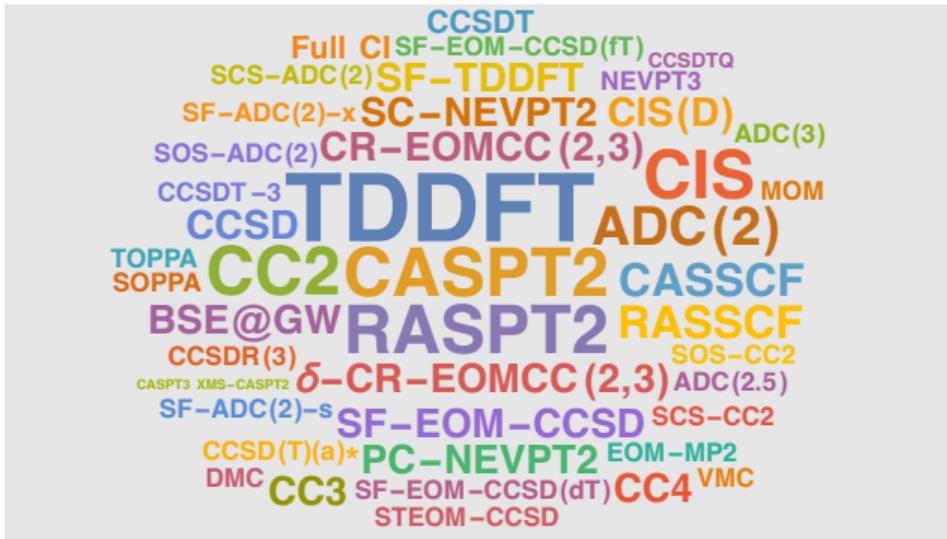


- ▶ #1: JCTC 14 (2018) 4360
- ▶ #2: JCTC 15 (2019) 1939; arXiv:2403.19597
- ▶ #3: JCTC 16 (2020) 1711
- ▶ #4: JCTC 16 (2020) 3720
- ▶ #5: WIREs 11 (2021) e1517
- ▶ #6: JCTC 17 (2021) 3666
- ▶ #7: JPCA 125 (2021) 10174
- ▶ #8: JCTC 19 (2023) 8782

Zoo of functionals...

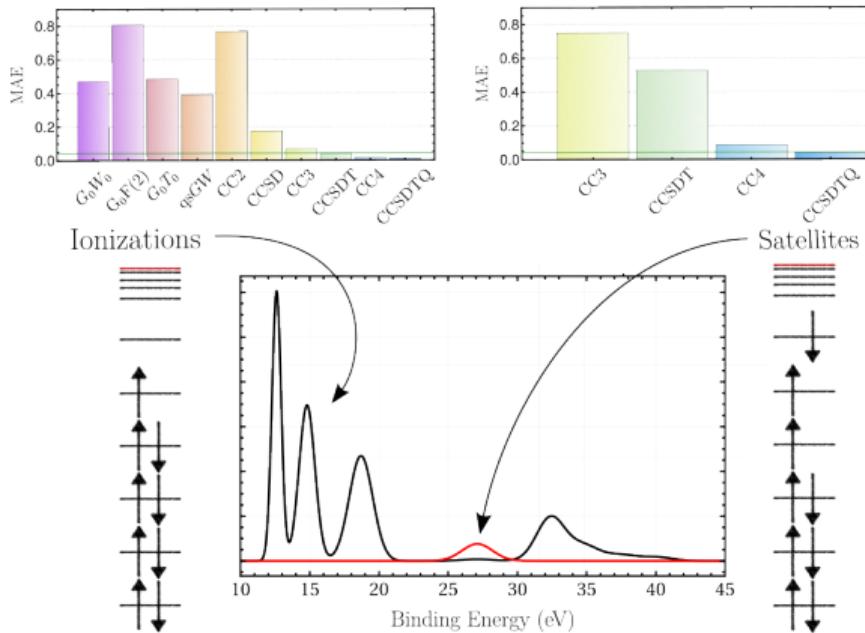


And this is just for excited states...

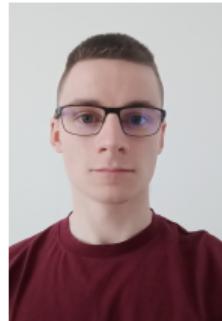
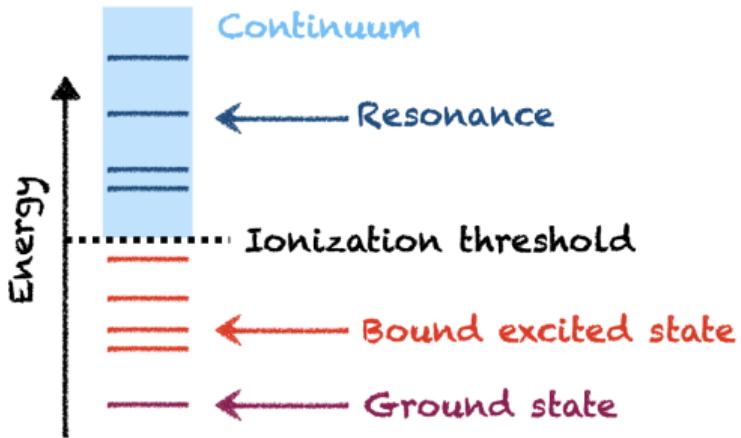


- ▶ Head-Gordon's group: orbital-optimized DFT for double excitations [JCTC 16 (2020) 1699; JPCL 12 (2021) 4517] and TD-DFT benchmark [JCTC 18 (2022) 3460]
- ▶ Kaupp's group: assessment of hybrid functionals [JCP 155 (2021) 124108]
- ▶ Kallay's and Goerigk's groups: double hybrids [JCTC 15 (2019) 4735; JCTC 17 (2021) 927; JCTC 17 (2021) 5165; JCTC 17 (2021) 4211]
- ▶ Truhlar/Gagliardi's group: p-DFT [JCTC 18 (2022) 6065]
- ▶ Bartlett's group: Variants of EOM-CC for doubly-excited states [JCP 156 (2022) 201102; JPCA 127 (2023) 828; JCP 159 (2023) 094101]
- ▶ Neuscamman's group: QMC for doubly-excited states [JCP 153 (2022) 234105]
- ▶ Filippi's group: QMC for excited states [JCTC 15 (2019) 4889; JCTC 17 (2021) 3426; JCTC 18 (2022) 1089; JCTC 18 (2022) 6722]
- ▶ Gould's group: ensemble DFT [JPCL 13 (2022) 2452; arXiv:2406.18105]

Extension to Charged Excitations



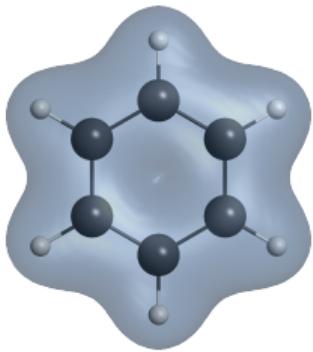
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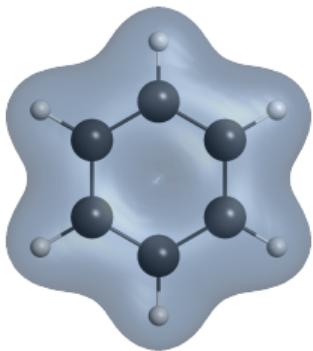
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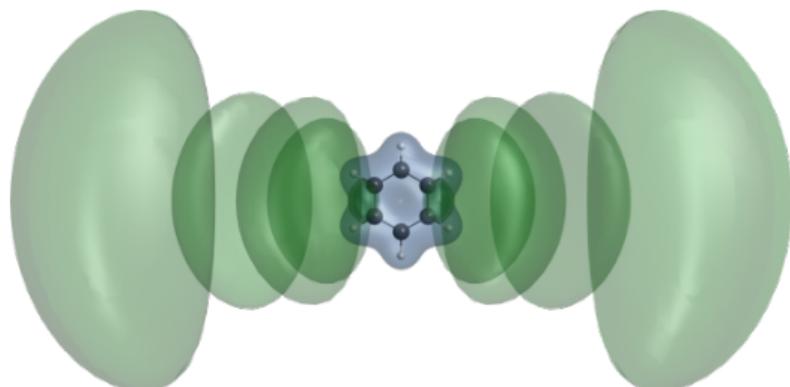
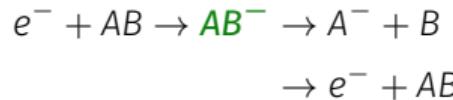
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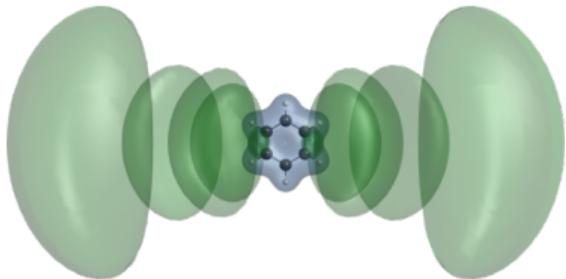


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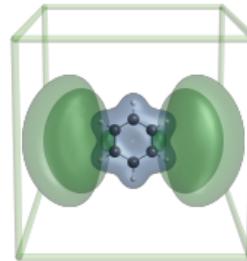
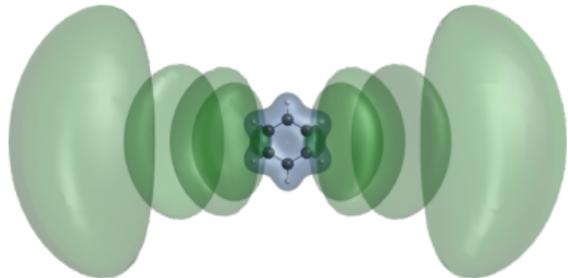
Low-energy electron-induced chemistry



Resonance

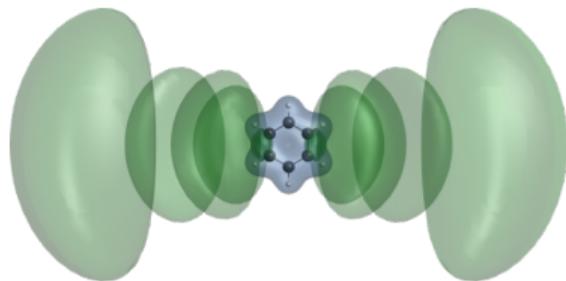


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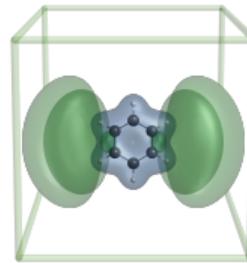
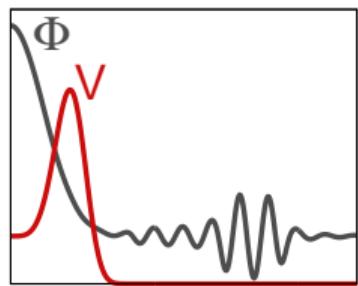


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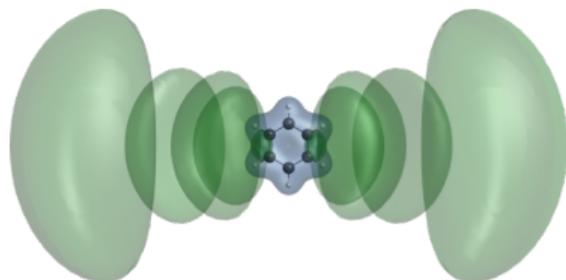


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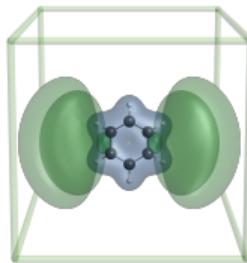
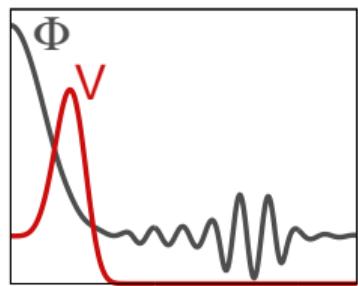


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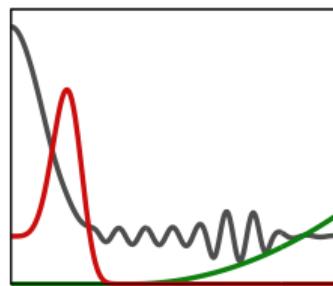
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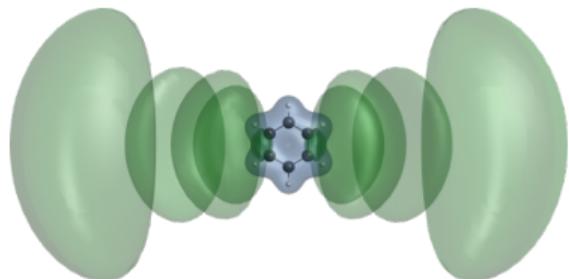


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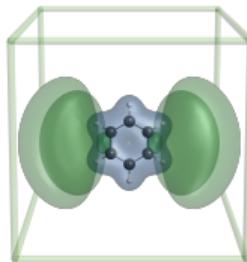
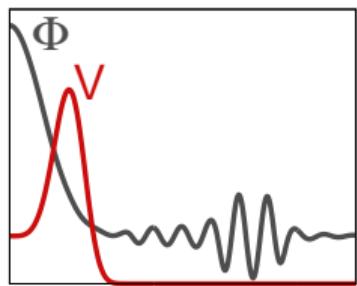


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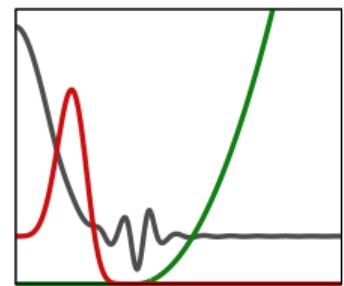
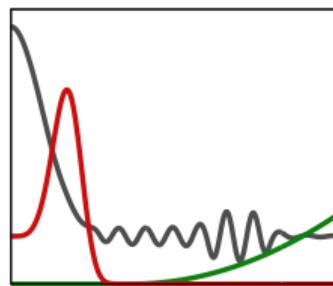
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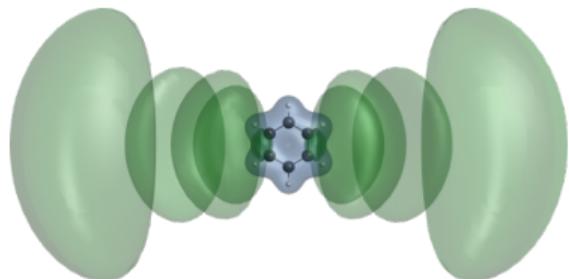
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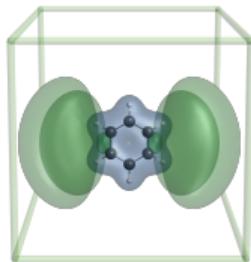
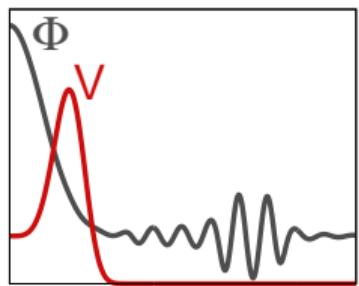
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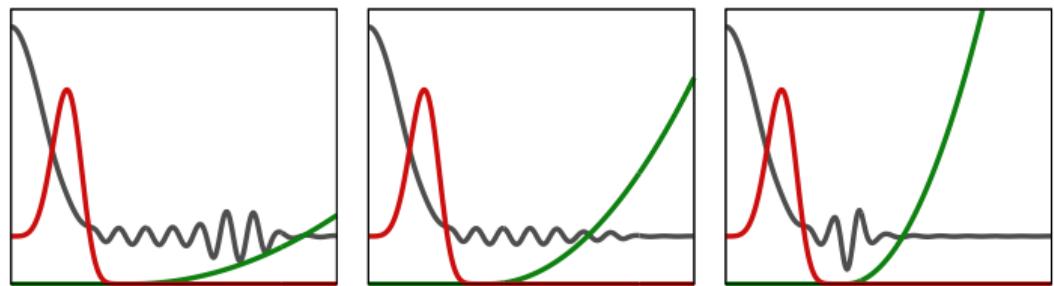
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Complex-valued energy

CAP Hamiltonian Absorbing potential

$$\hat{H}(\eta) = \hat{T} + \hat{V} - i\eta \hat{W} \quad (\eta > 0)$$

Energy Resonance width

$$E = E_R - i \Gamma / 2$$

Resonance position

NB: $1/\Gamma$ is proportional to the resonance lifetime

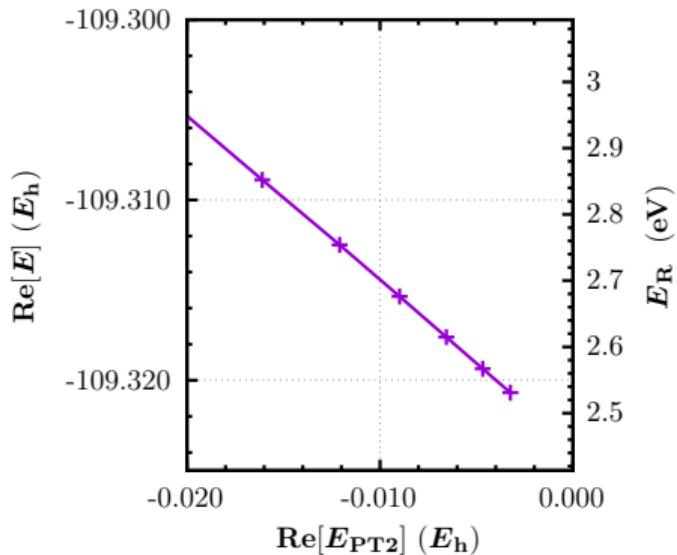
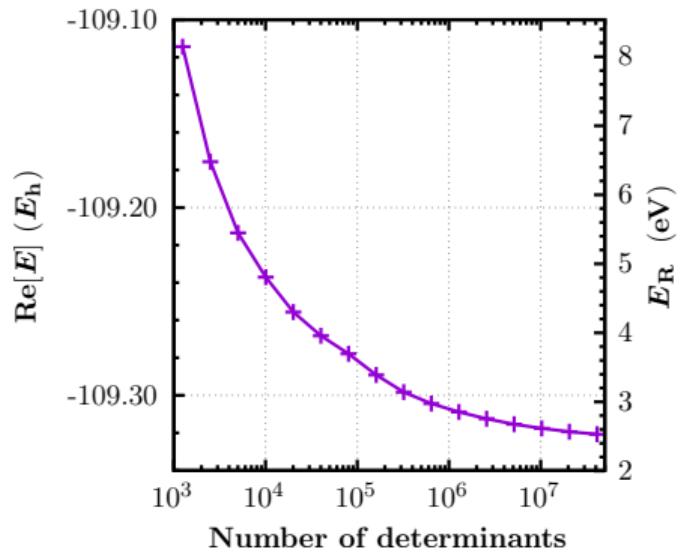
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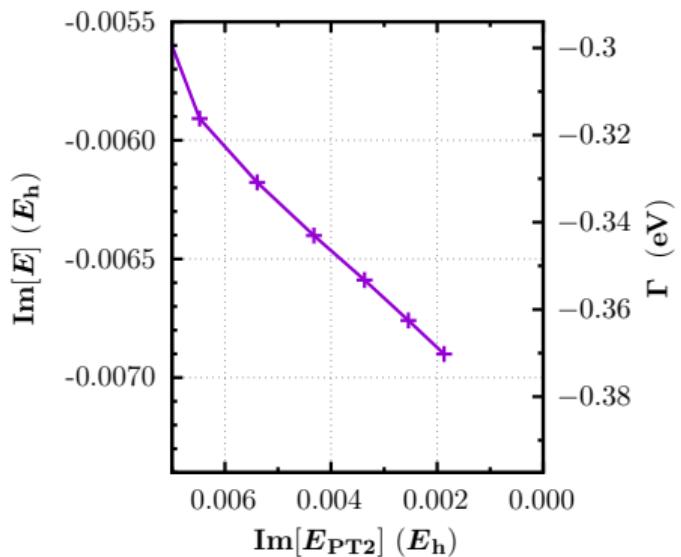
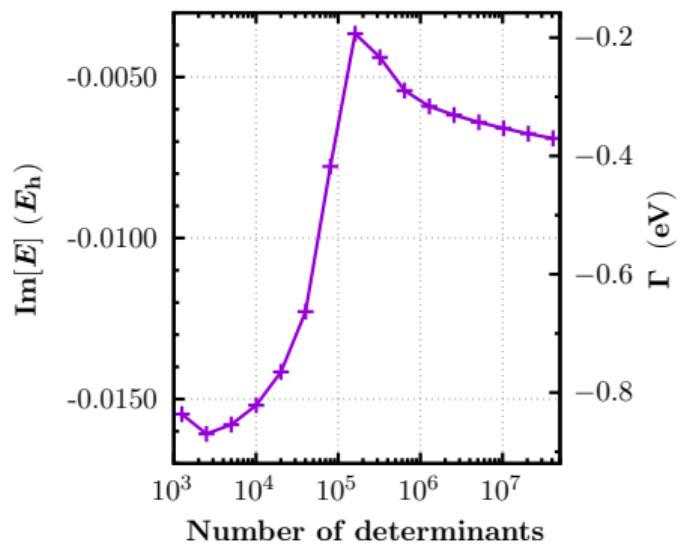
Method	E_R (eV)	Γ (eV)
Experiment ^a	2.316	0.414
CAP-EA-EOM-CCSD ^b	2.487	0.417
CAP-CIPSI	2.45	0.39

^a Berman et al. PRA 28 (1983) 1363

^b Zuev et al. JCP 141 (2014) 024102

Resonance Position





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