

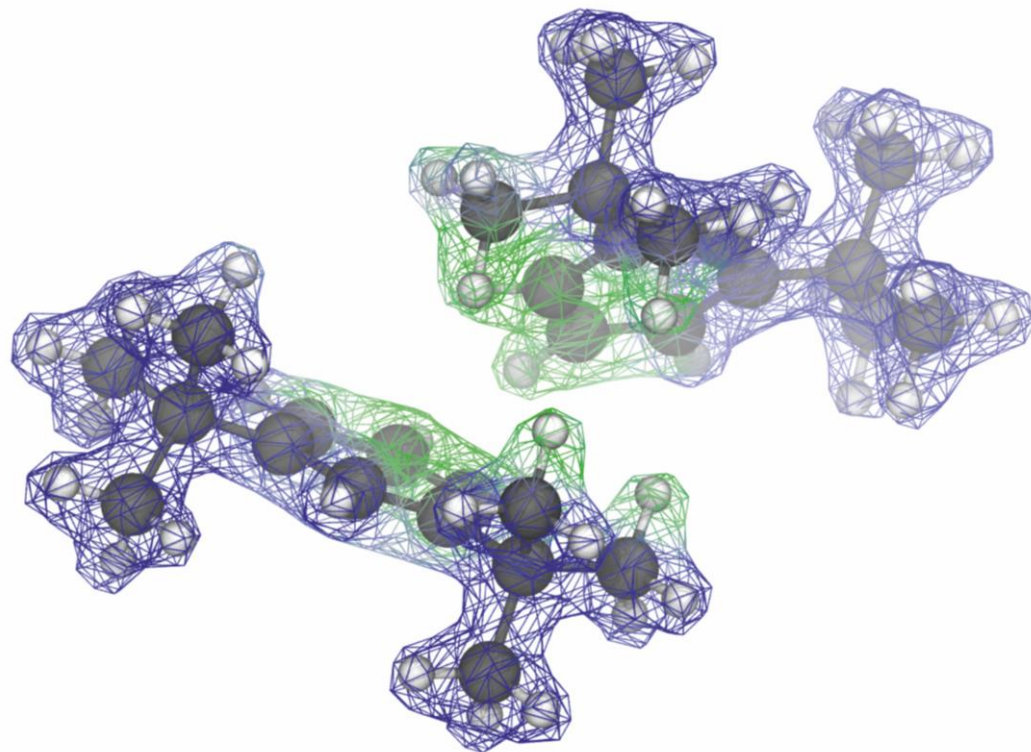
# Elucidation of London Dispersion Interactions

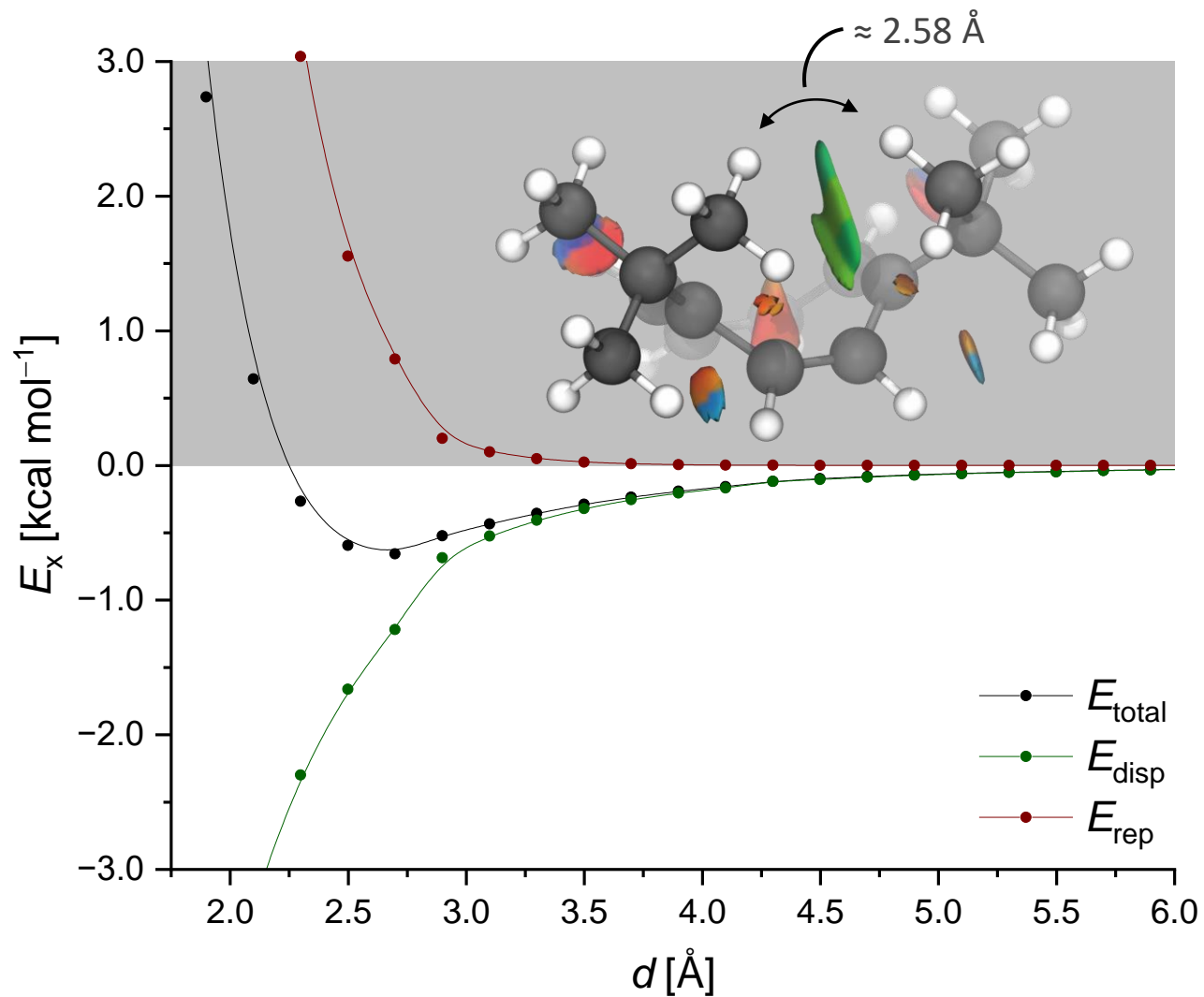
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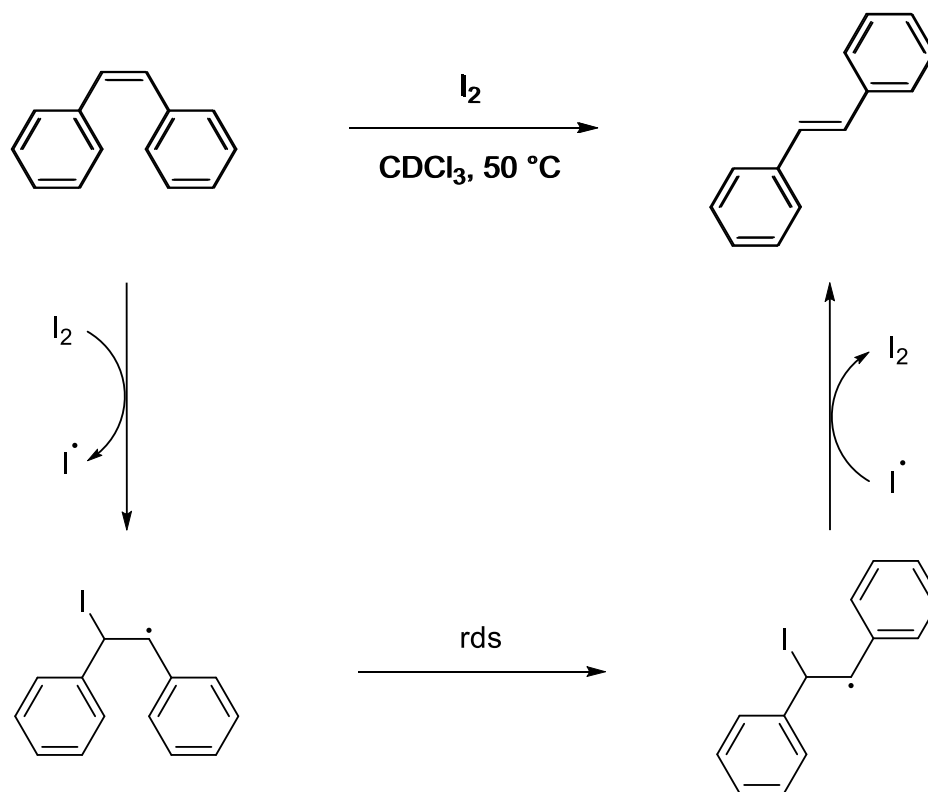
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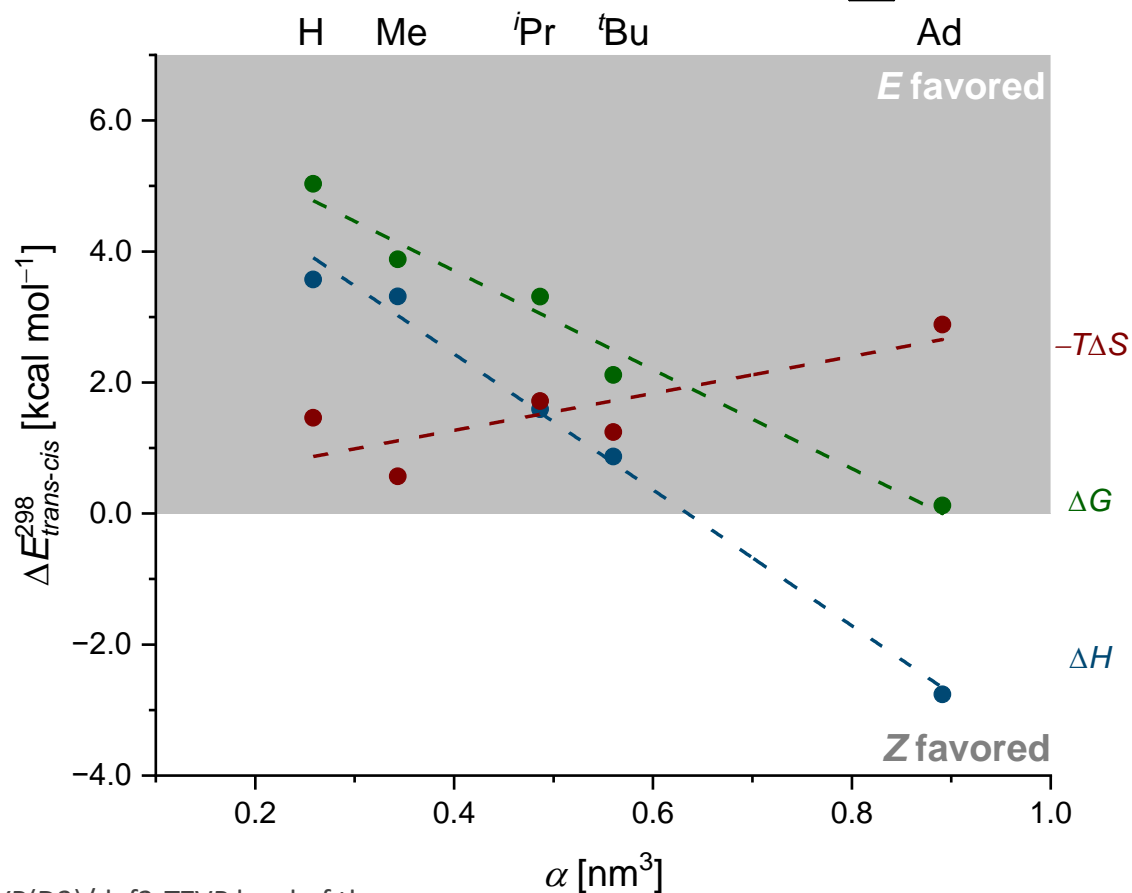
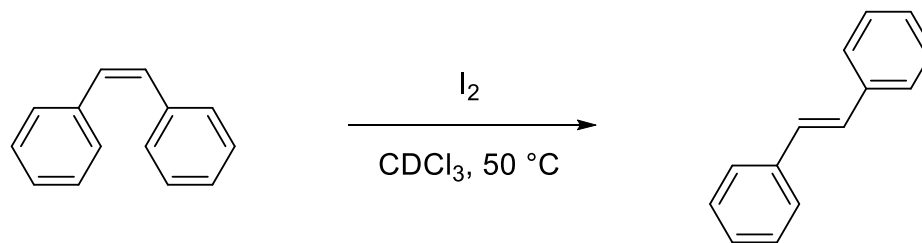
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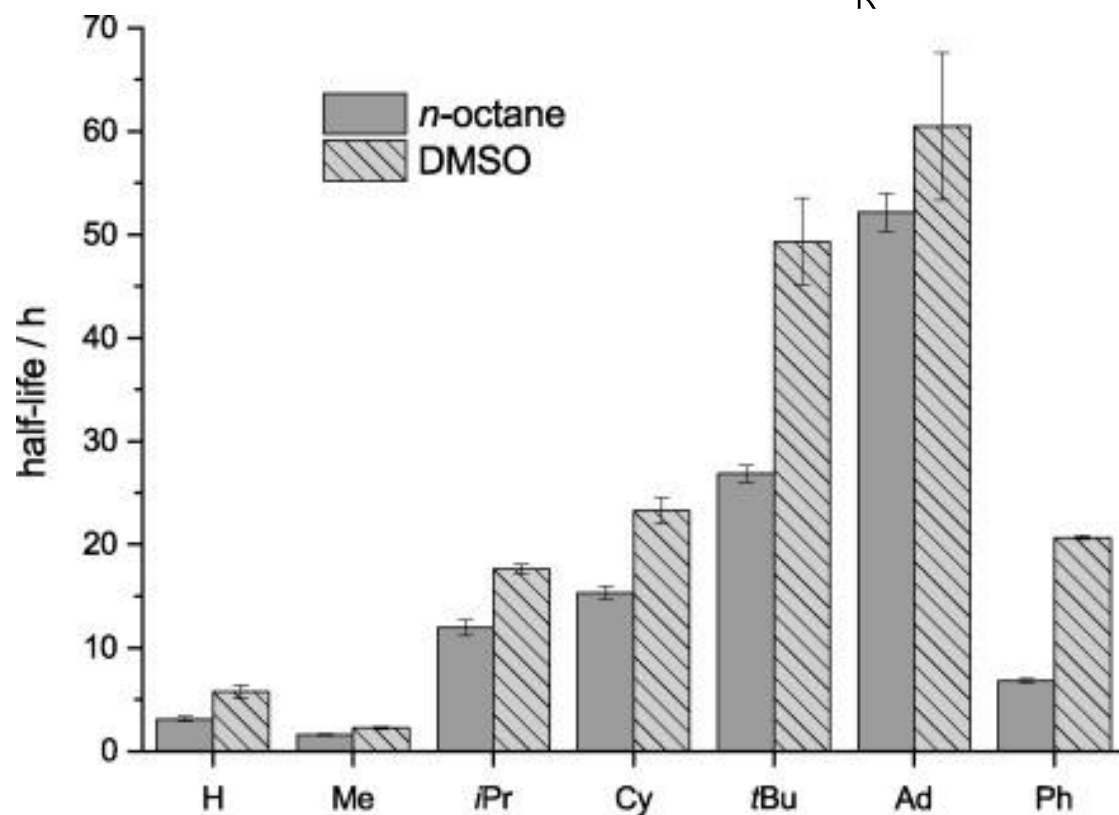
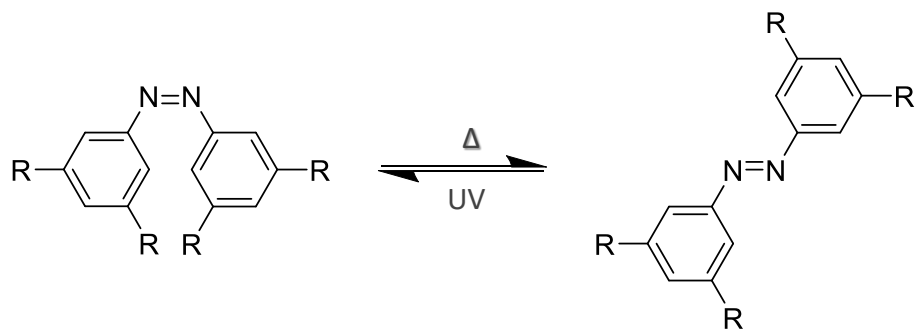


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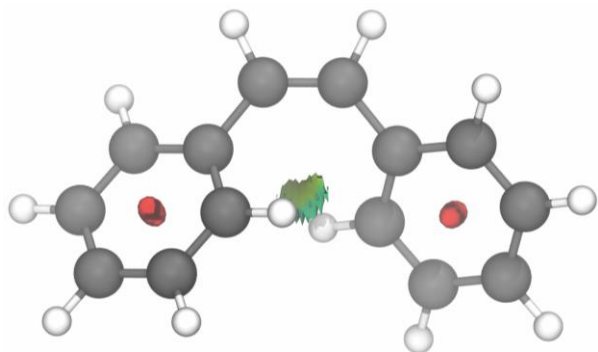
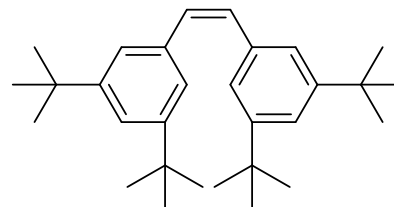
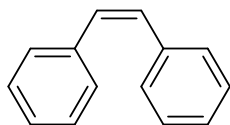


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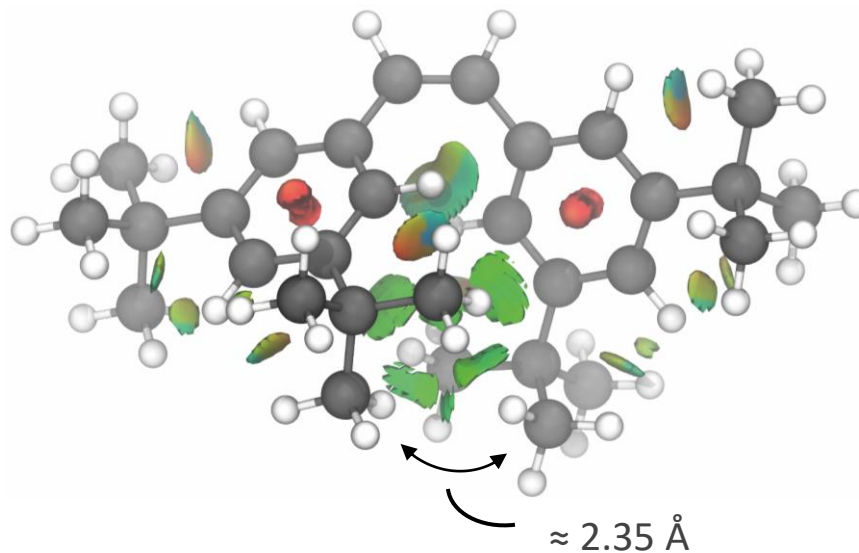




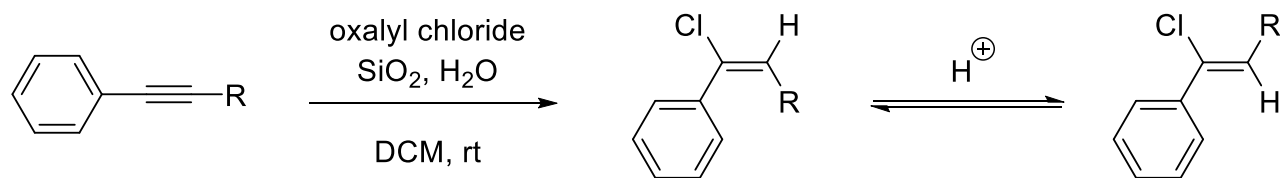
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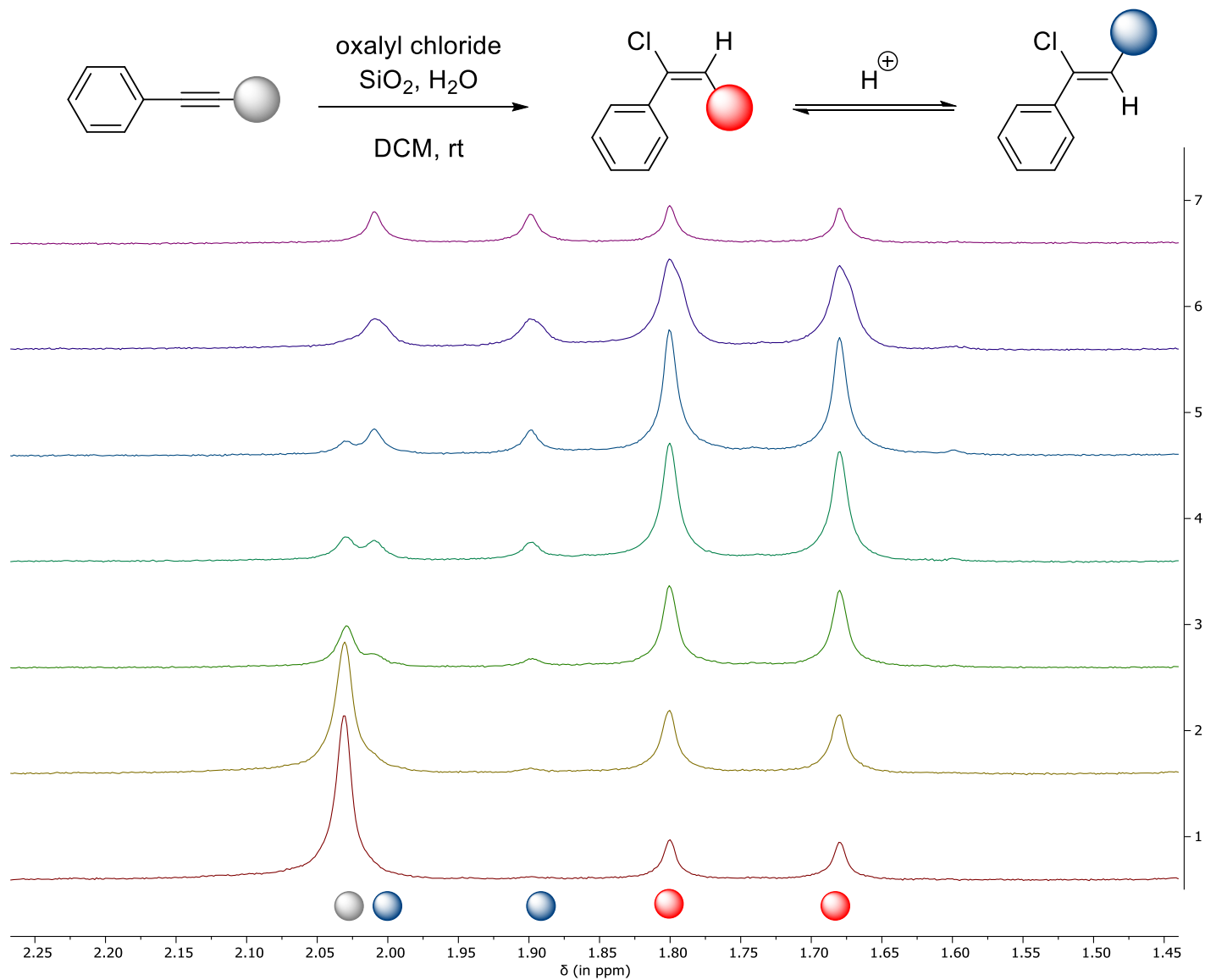


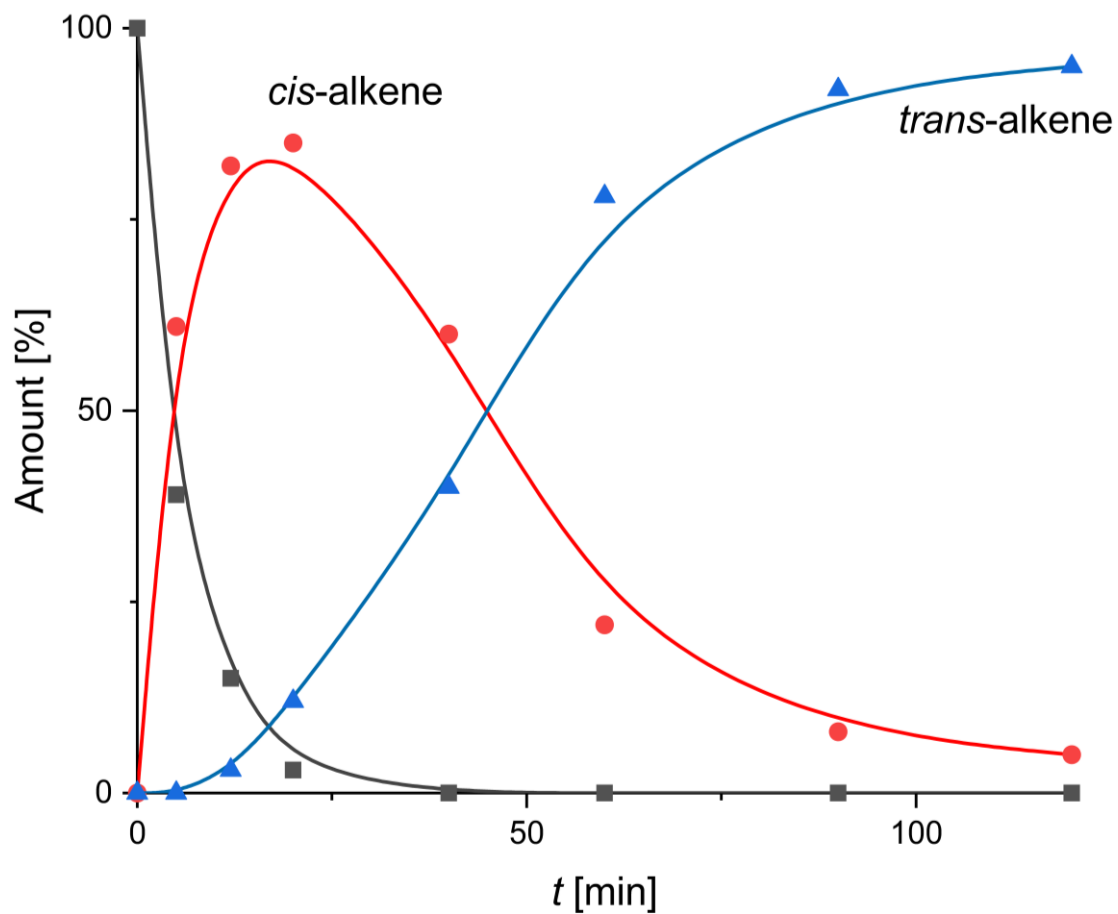
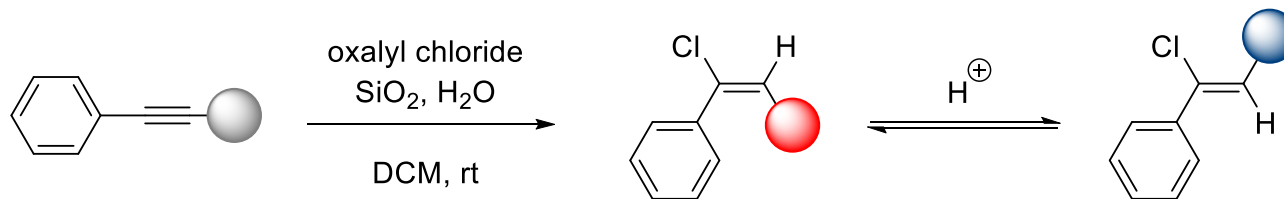
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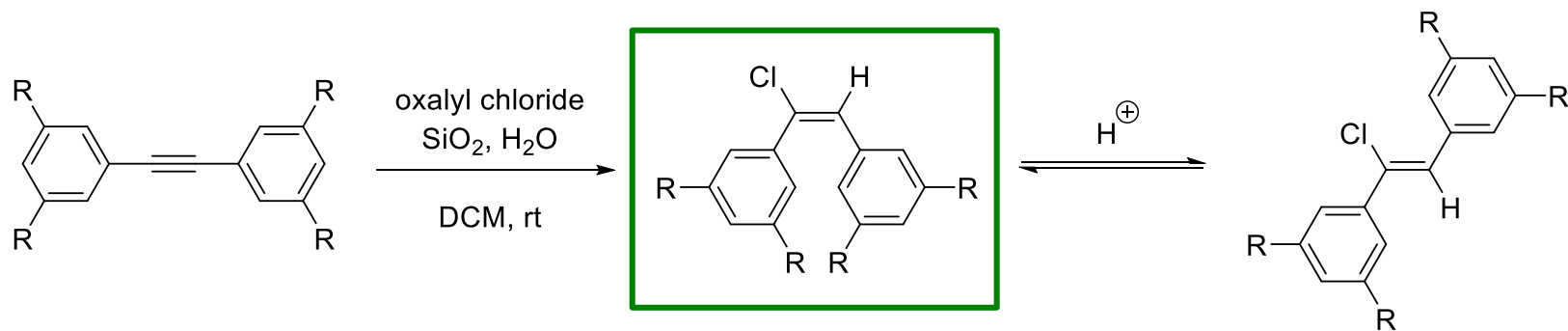


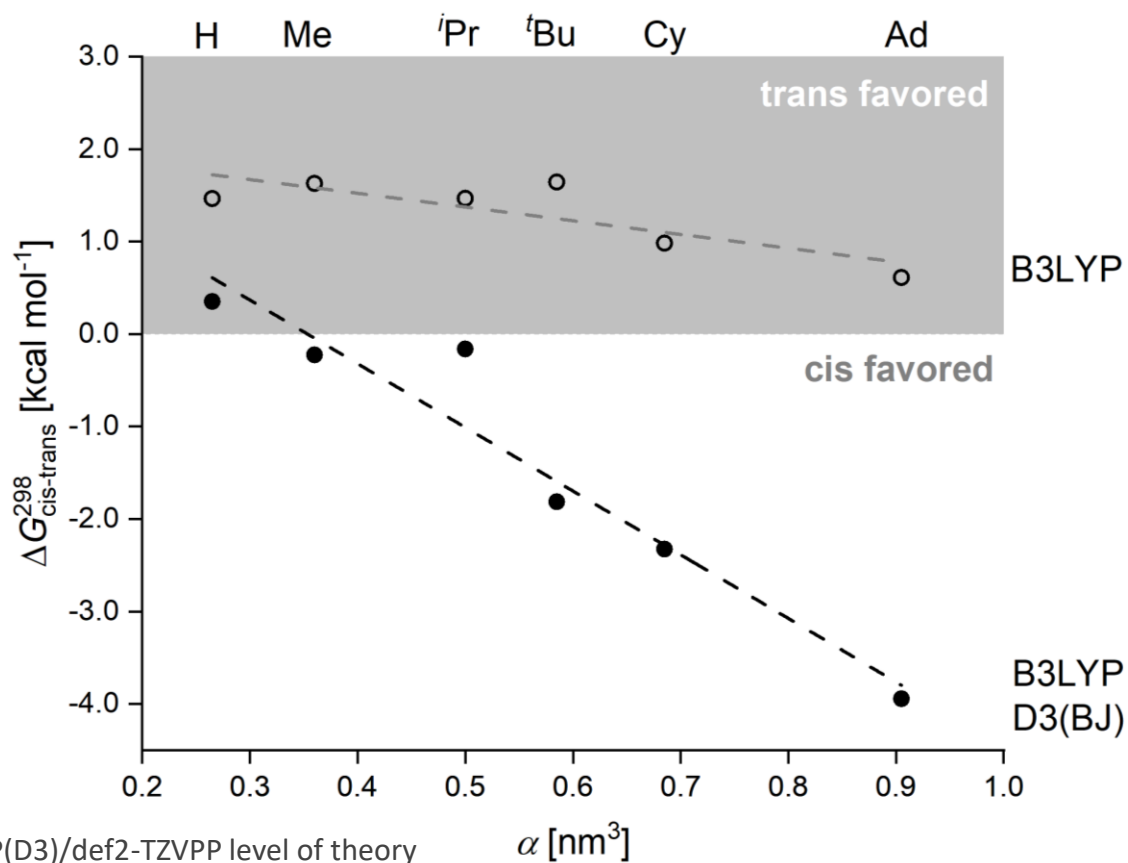
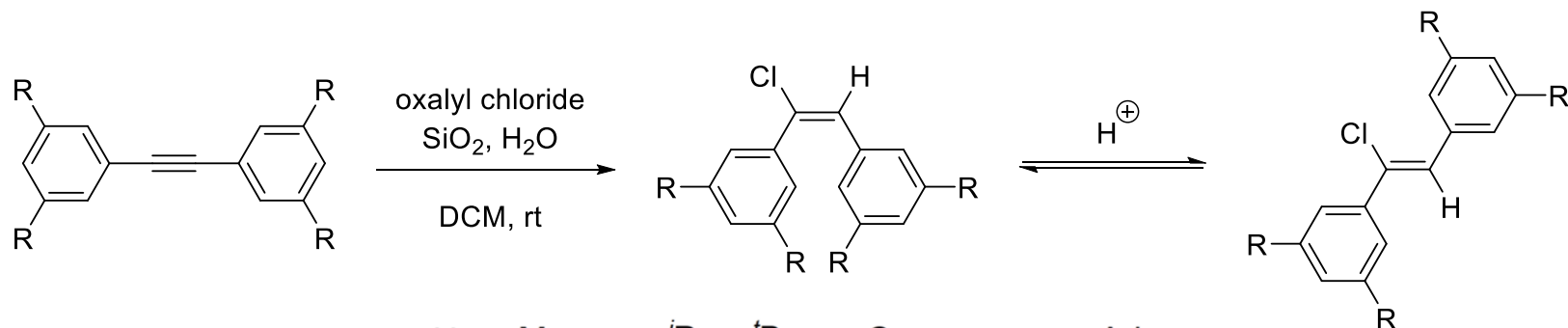
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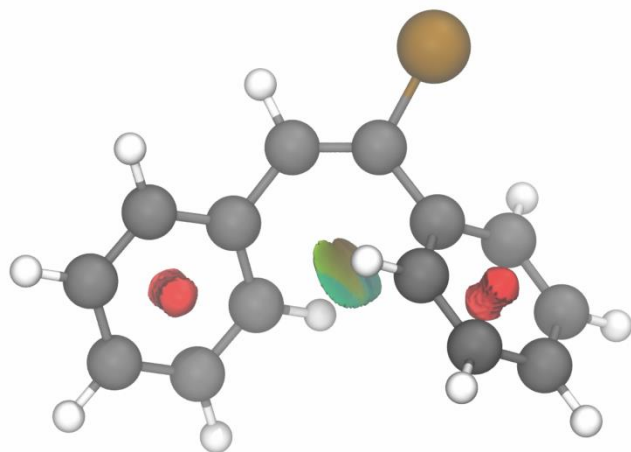
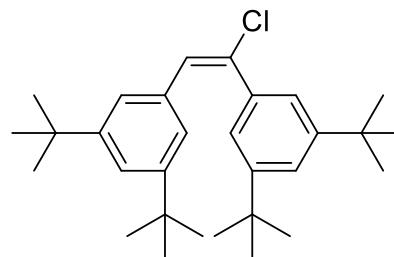
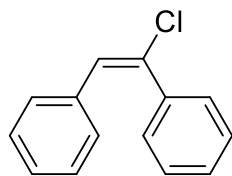




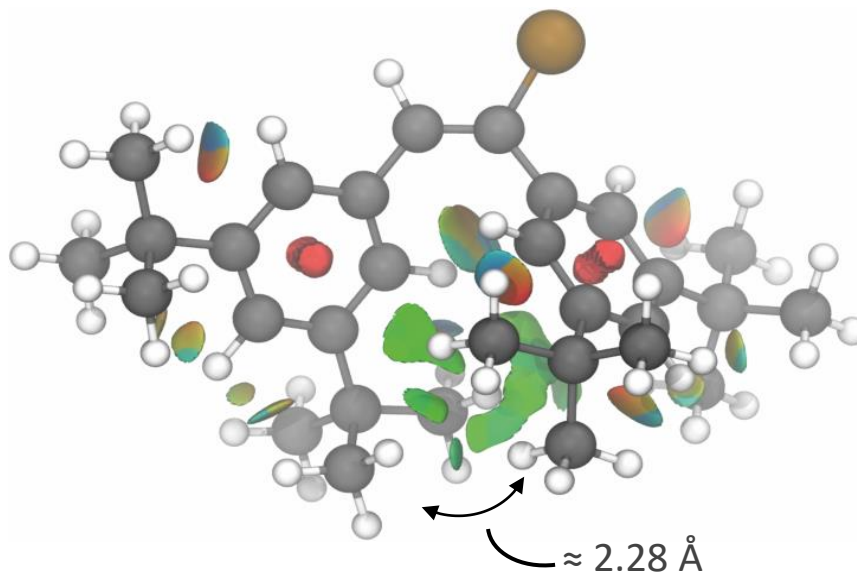
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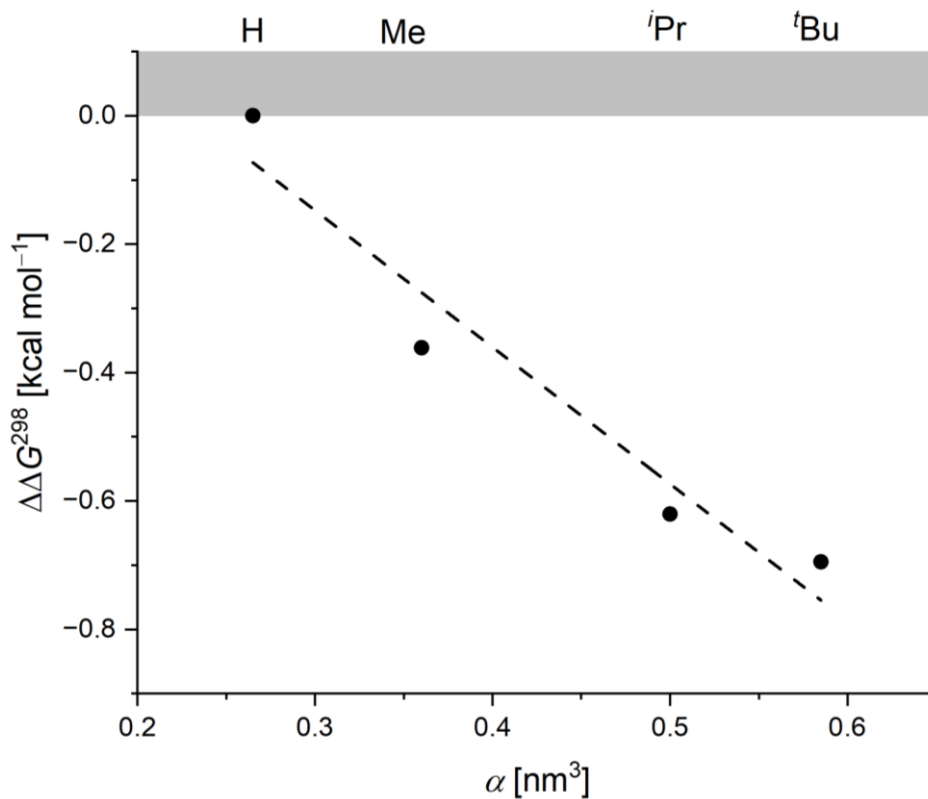
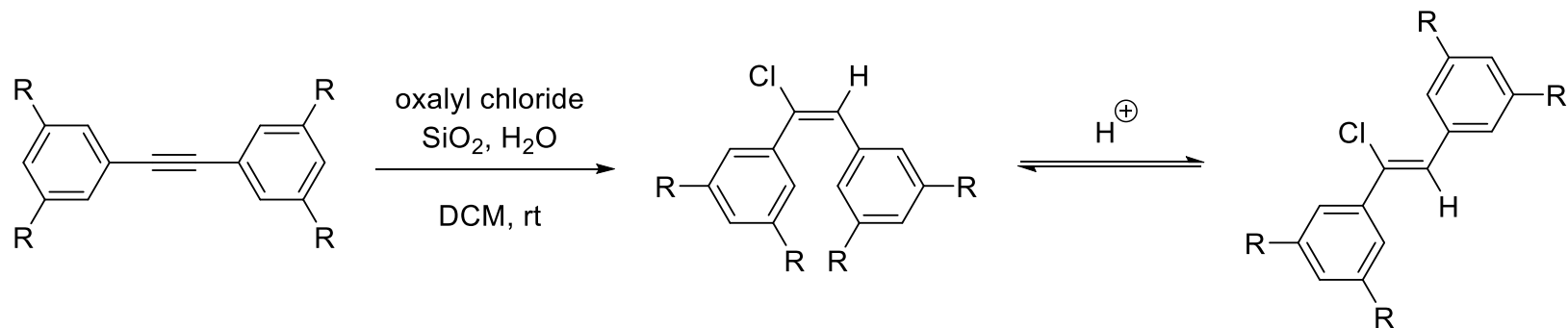
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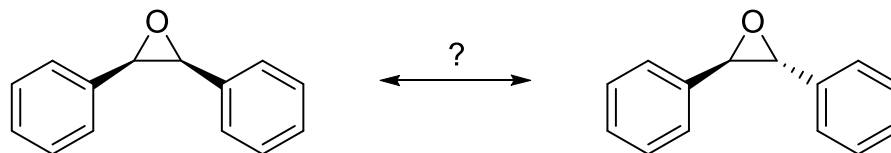
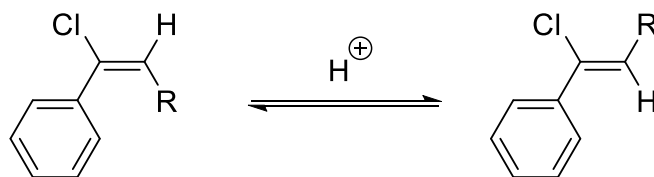
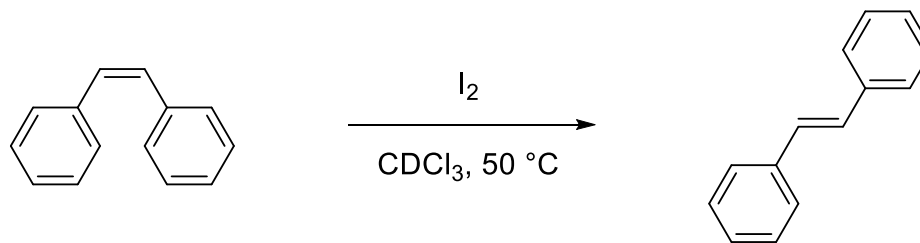


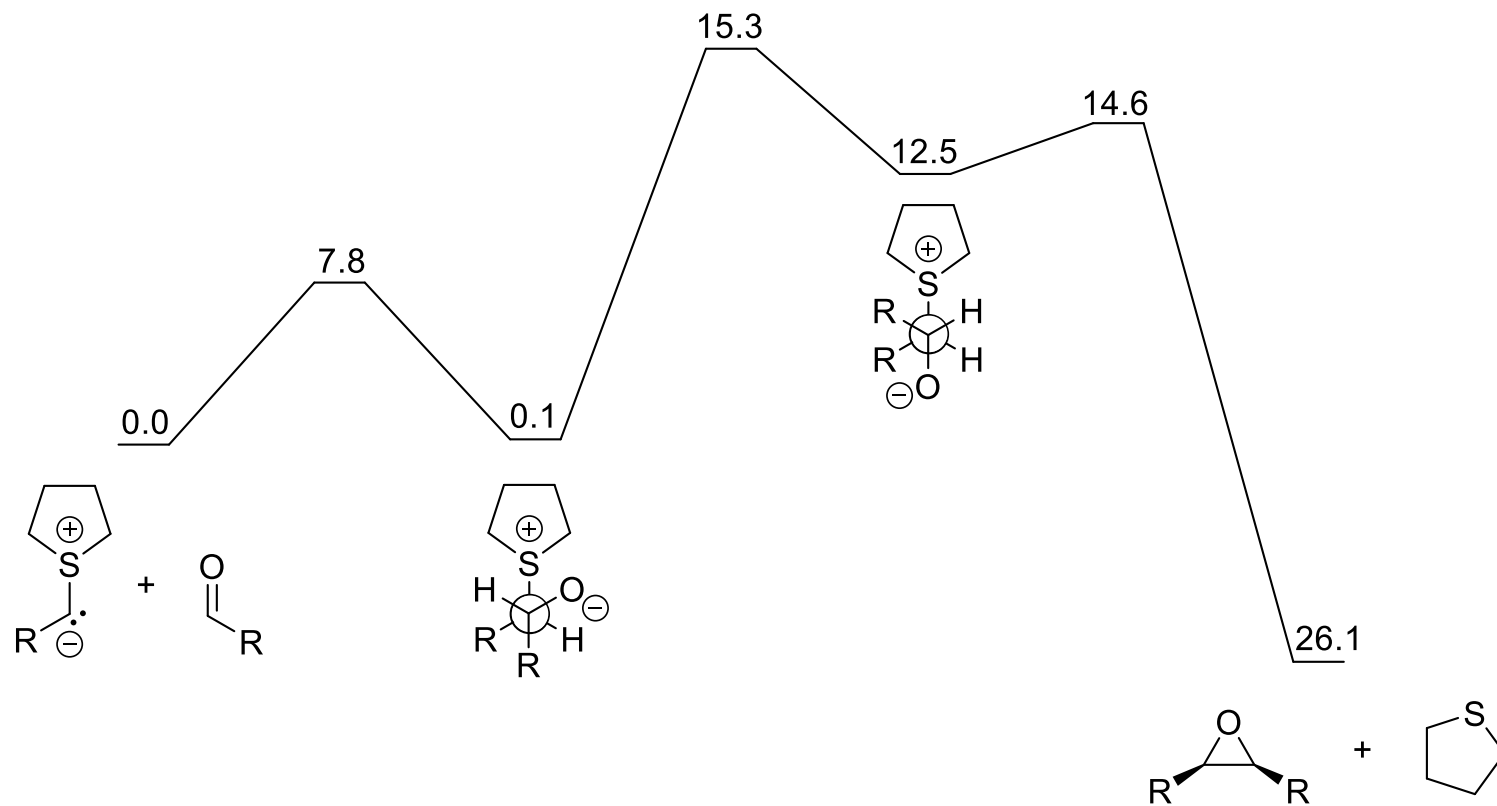
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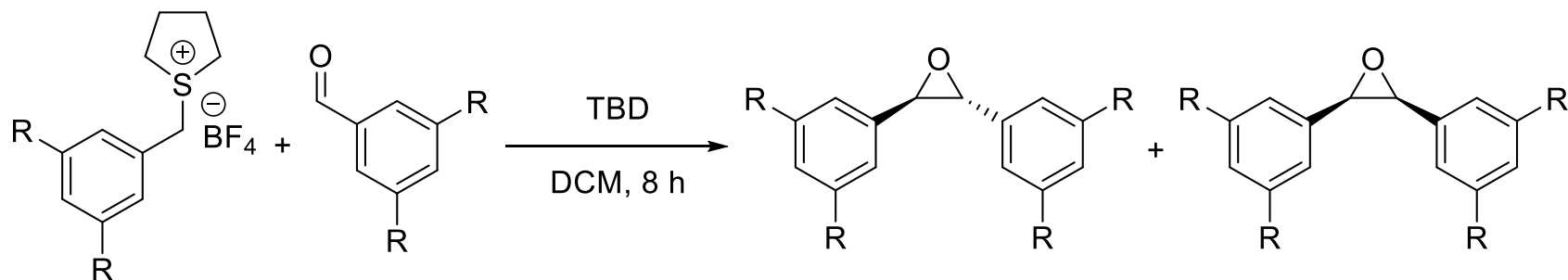




\*  $\Delta G_{298}$  given in kcal mol<sup>-1</sup> for R = Ph. Computations on a B3LYP(D3)/def2-SVP level of theory

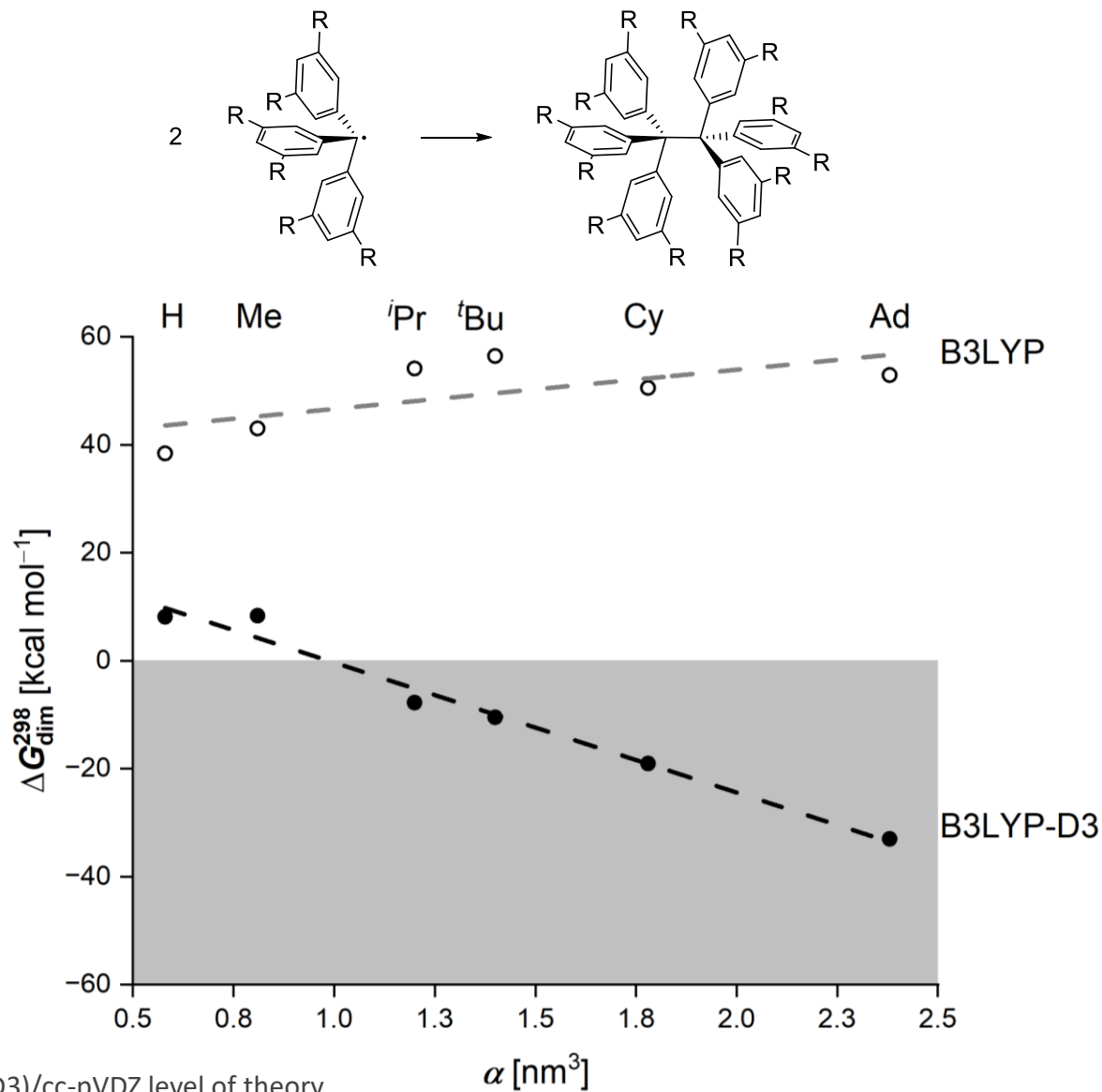
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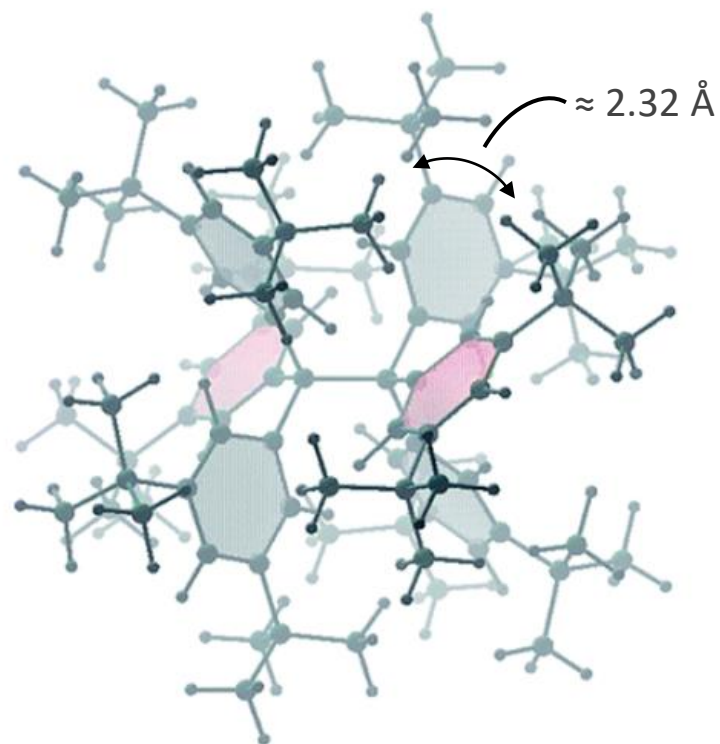
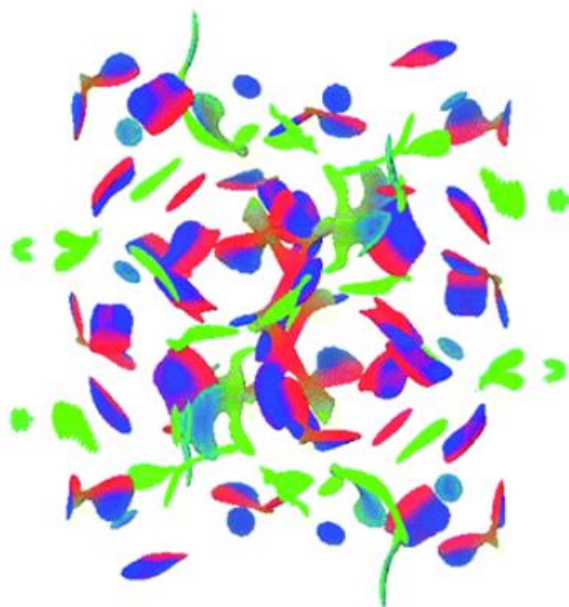
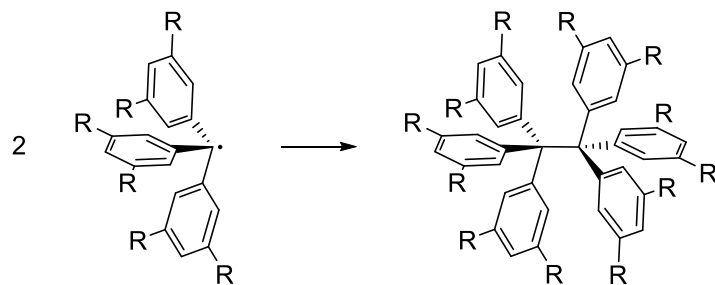


R	<i>cis</i> -Epoxide	<i>trans</i> -Epoxide	$\Delta G^{298}$ [kcal mol <sup>-1</sup> ]
H	0.30	1	0.7
Me	0.28	1	0.8
<i>t</i> Bu	0.90	1	0.1

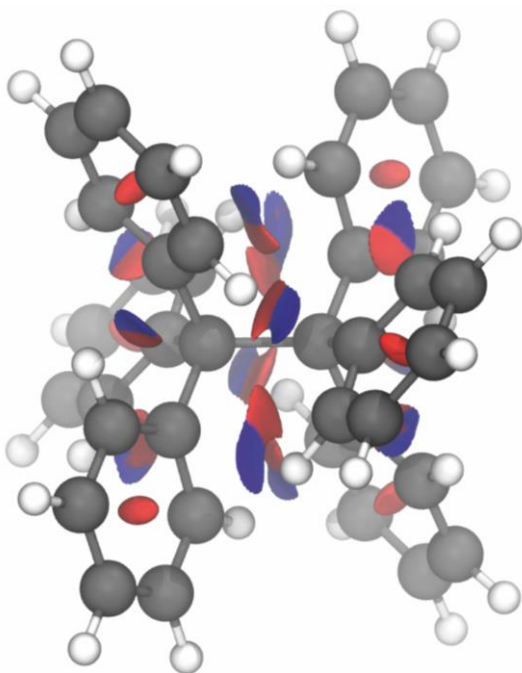
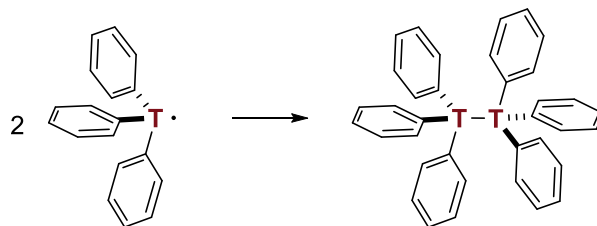
$$\Delta\Delta G^{298} = 0.6 \text{ kcal mol}^{-1}$$



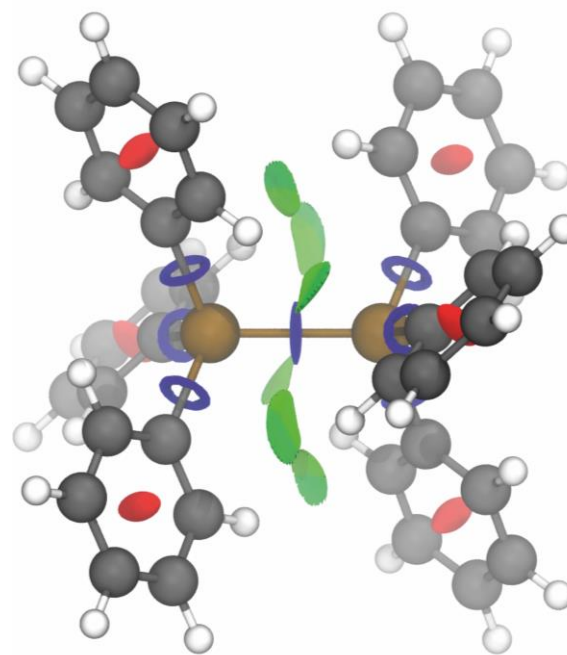
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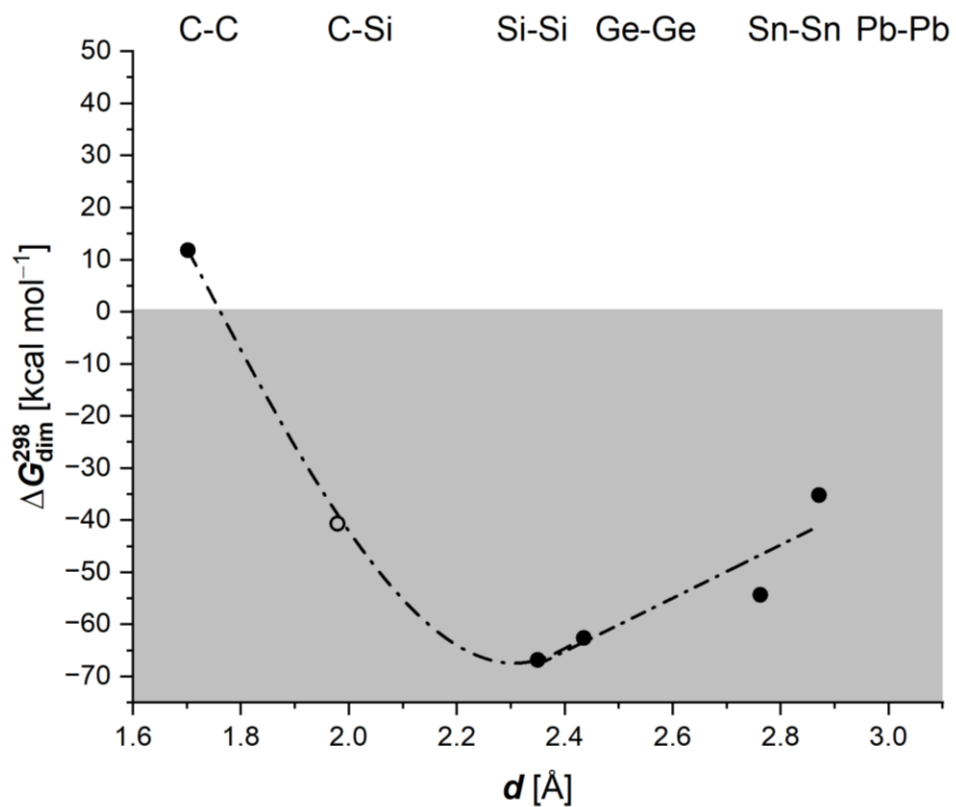
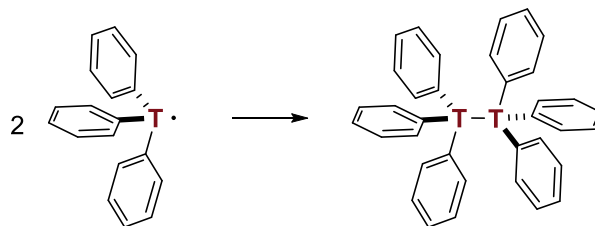


$$R_{C-C} = 1.70 \text{ \AA}$$

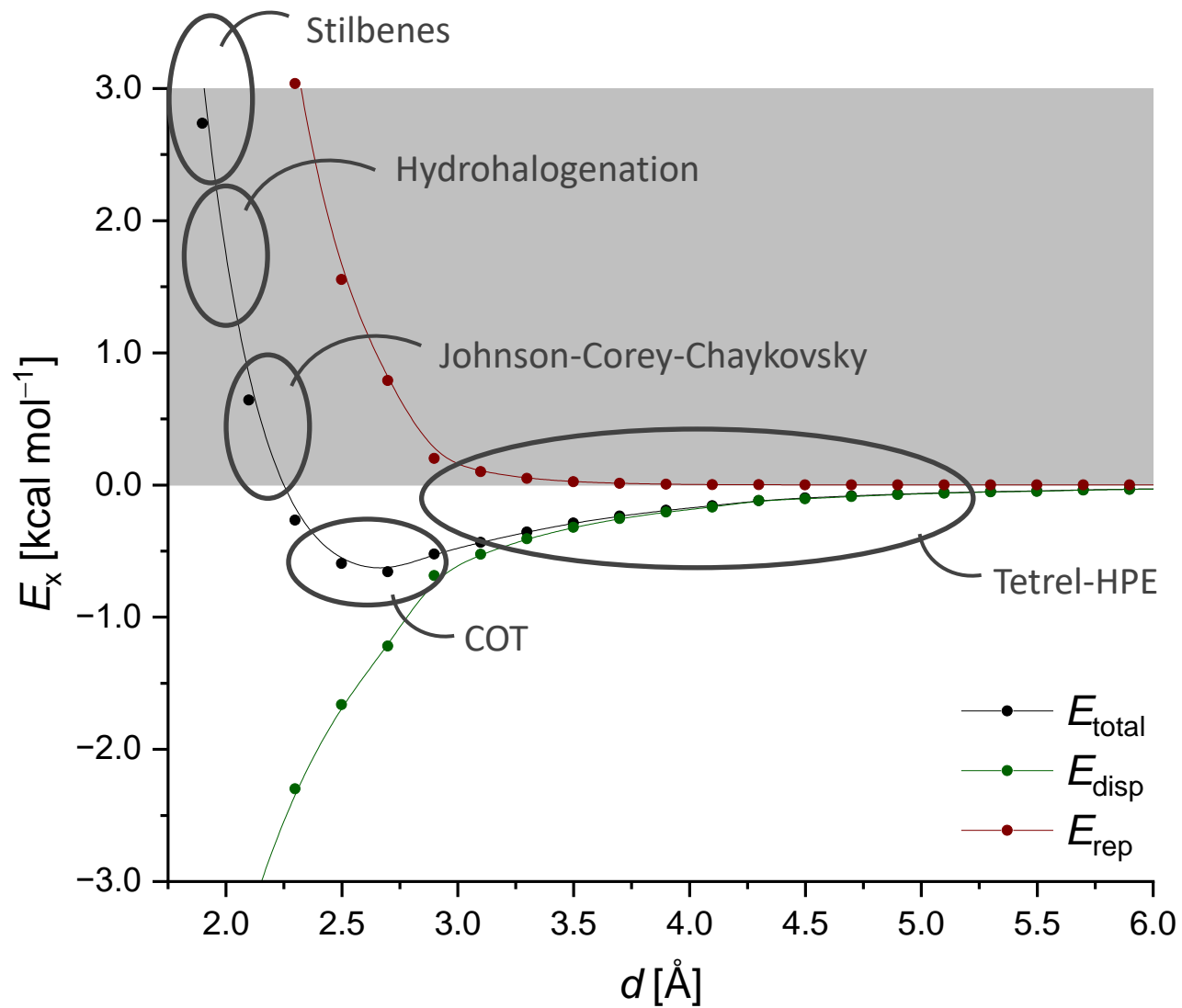


$$R_{Pb-Pb} = 2.86 \text{ \AA}$$

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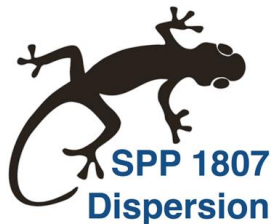
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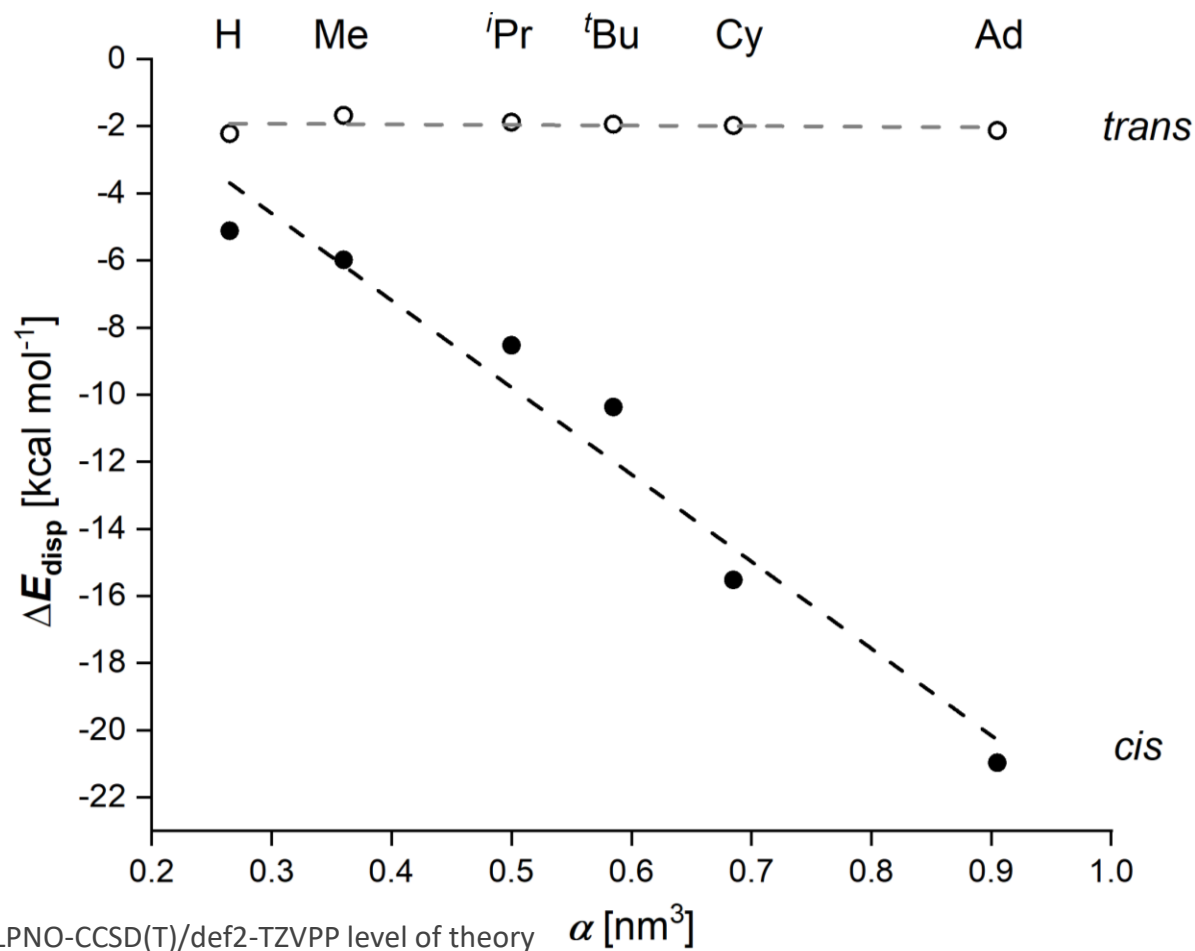
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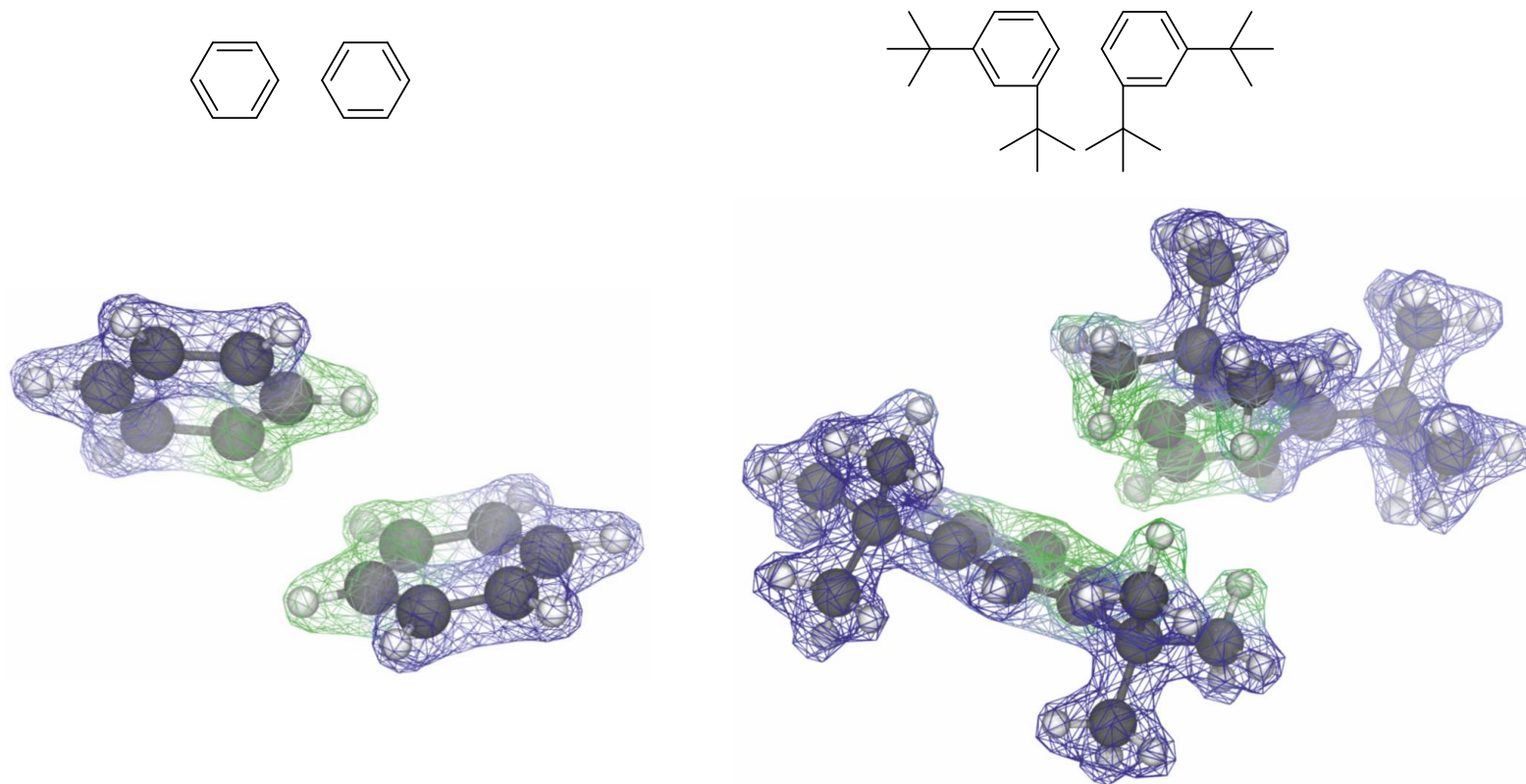
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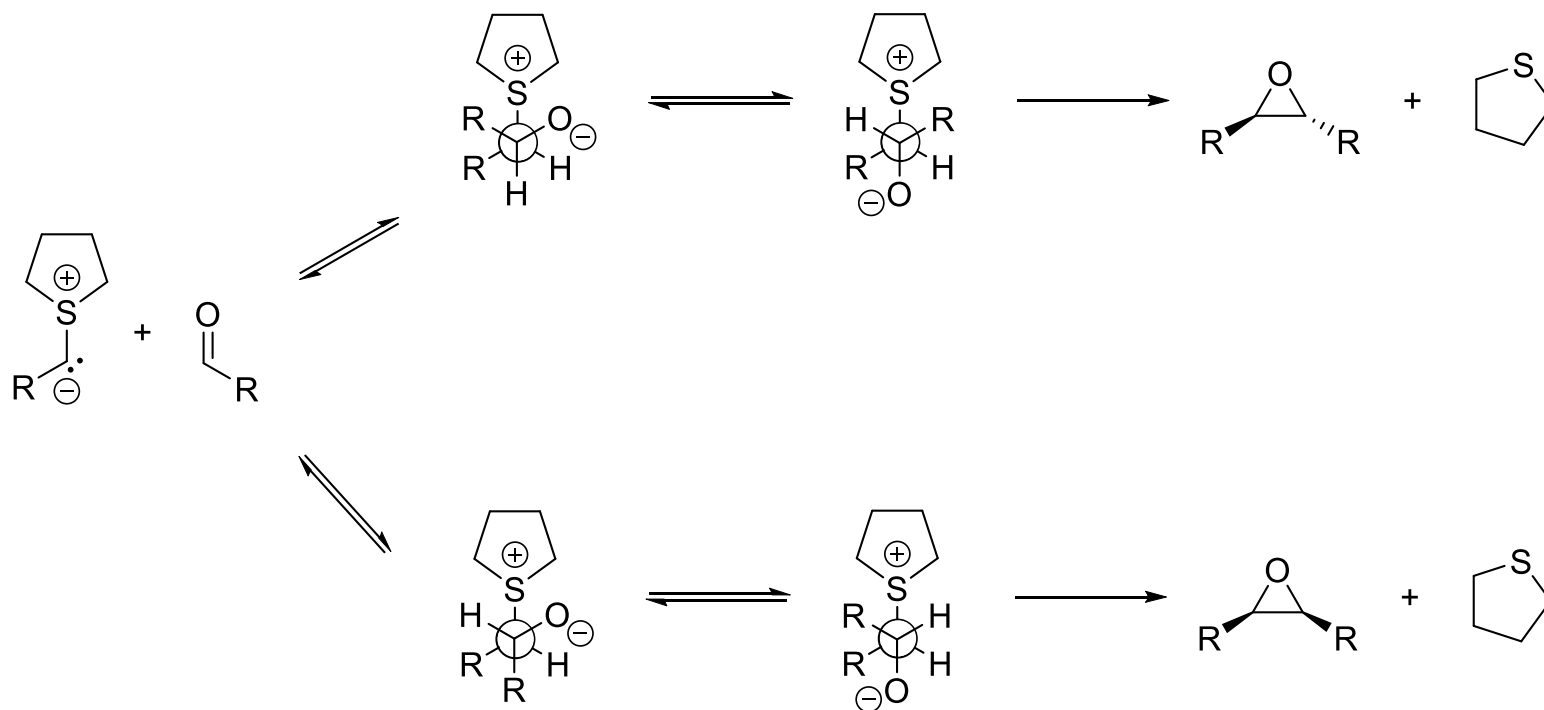


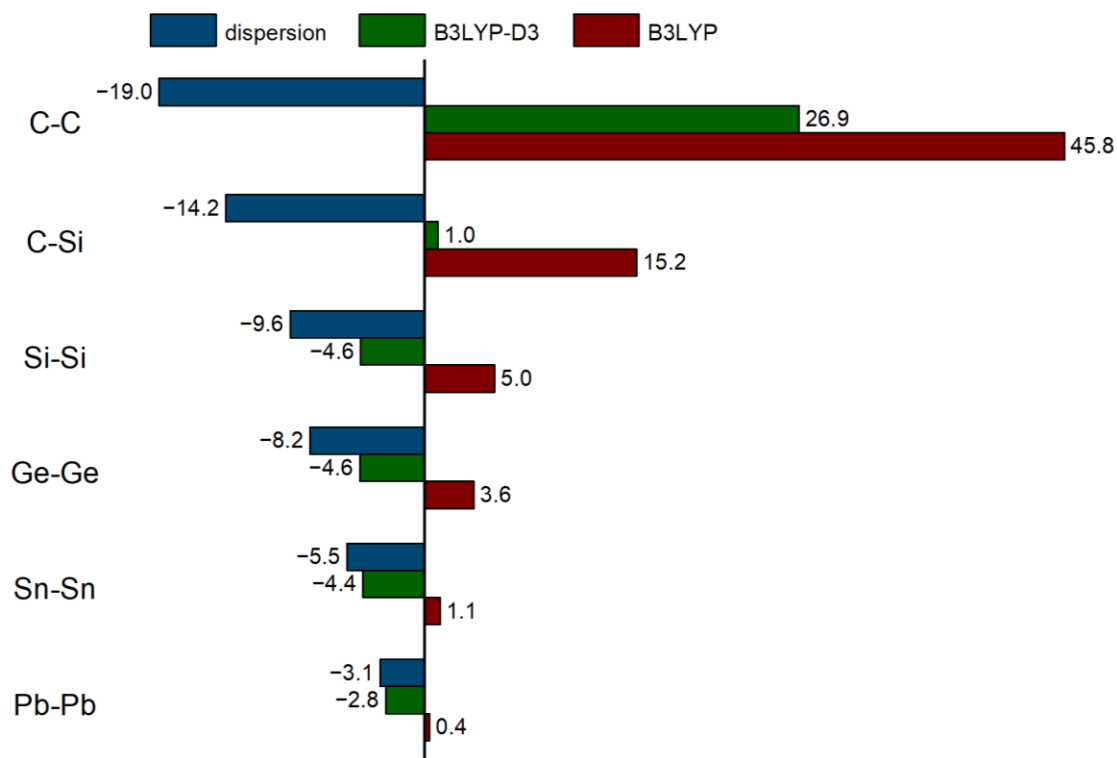
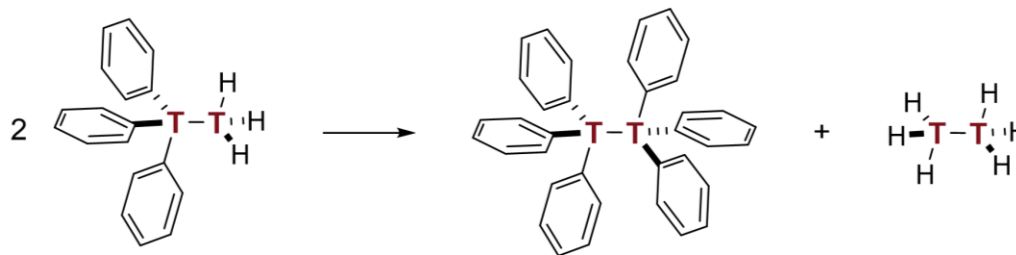
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## Dispersion Interaction Density Plots







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