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## ABSTRACT

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While the spin trapping properties of thiols have been investigated through EPR analysis and kinetics studies, few groups have studied these properties using strictly computational methods. In particular,  $\alpha$ -lipoic acid (ALA) and its reduced form, dihydrolipoic acid (DHLA), one of the strongest endogenously produced antioxidants, show potential for being effective, naturally occurring spin traps for the trapping of reactive oxygen species. This research covers electronic structure calculations of ALA, DHLA, and their corresponding hydroxyl radical spin adducts, performed at the cc-pVDZ/B3LYP/DFT level of theory. The effects on DHLA introduced by other radicals such as  $\cdot\text{OOH}$ ,  $\cdot\text{OCH}_3$ , and  $\cdot\text{OOCH}_3$  are reported. Explicit solvation was carried out using open-source molecular packing software and was studied using MOPAC PM6 semi-empirical geometry optimizations. Complete Basis Set (CBS) limit extrapolations were performed using cc-pVXZ (X = D, T, Q) Dunning basis sets under the DFT/B3LYP level of theory, and results are compared to the literature.

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## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AFMK	N(1)-acetyl-N(2)-formyl-5-methoxykynurenine
ALA	$\alpha$ -Lipoic acid
AM1	Austin Model 1
AMBER	Assisted Model Building and Energy Refinement
ASA	Accessible Surface Area
CBS	Complete Basis Set
CC	Coupled Cluster
CoQ10	Coenzyme Q10
DEPMPO	5-(Diethoxyphosphoryl)-5-methyl-1-pyrroline-N-oxide
DFT	Density Function Theory
DHLA	Dihydrolipoic Acid
DMPO	5,5-dimethyl-pyrroline-N-oxide
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid
DPPH·	2,2-diphenyl-1-picrylhydrazyl
EPR	Electron Paramagnetic Resonance
GB	General Born
GGA	Generalized Gradient Approximation
GO·	Geometry Optimization
GSH	Glutathione
GTO	Gaussian-type Orbital
HAT	Hydrogen Atom Transfer
HF	Hartree-Fock
HT	Hydrogen Transfer
IST	Immuno Spin Trapping
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KS	Kohn-Sham
LDA	Local Density Approximation
LSDA	Local Spin Density Approximation
MD	Molecular Dynamics
MM	Molecular Mechanics
MMFF	Merck Molecular Force Field
MNDO	Modified Neglect of Diatomic Overlap
MP2	Möller-Plesset Second-order Perturbation
NADPH	Nicotinamide Adenine Dinucleotide Phosphate
NDDO	Neglect of Diatomic Differential Overlap
PBE	Poisson-Boltzmann equation
PES	Potential Energy Surface
PM	Parametric Method
RNS	Reactive Nitrogen Species
ROS	Reactive Oxygen Species
SCF	Self-Consistent Field

SE	Semi-empirical
SET-PT	single electron transfer then proton transfer
SPC	Simple Point Charge
SPLET	Sequential Proton Loss Transfer
STO	Slater-type Orbital
TF	Thomas-Fermi (model)
UFF	Universal Force Field
VitC	Vitamin C
$\alpha$ -TOH	$\alpha$ -Tocopherol

## CHAPTER 1. INTRODUCTION

### *Free Radicals*

Free radicals are any molecular species with one or more unpaired electrons in its valence shell.<sup>1</sup> The unpaired electrons render it more unstable and hence more reactive to other nearby species.<sup>1</sup> There are several endogenous sources of free radicals such as mitochondrial production of adenosine triphosphate (ATP), endoplasmic reticulum, and phagocytic cells.<sup>2–5</sup> External sources such as various medications, air pollution, and inhalation of cigarette smoke can also induce the formation of free radicals in biological systems.<sup>1,2,4–6</sup> To restabilize themselves, free radicals abstract an electron from another molecule which induces a chain reaction of single-electron abstractions from other molecules in the effort to regain stability.<sup>2</sup> Most free radicals are reactive oxygen species (ROS) or reactive nitrogen species (RNS) and constitute most other non-radical reactive species.<sup>2</sup> Examples of common ROS are hydroxyl radical ( $\cdot\text{OH}$ ), superoxide anion ( $\cdot\text{O}_2^-$ ), and peroxide radical ( $\cdot\text{O}_2^{2-}$ ), with the most reactive of the three being hydroxyl radical due to its extreme instability.<sup>7</sup> Examples of RNS include nitrogen dioxide radical ( $\cdot\text{NO}_2$ ), peroxynitrite anion ( $\text{ONOO}^-$ ), and nitroxyl anion ( $\text{NO}^-$ ), which are generally derived from nitric oxide.<sup>8</sup> Excess concentrations of free radicals and other ROS/RNS results in oxidative stress which is detrimental to cell structures and deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) and can denature proteins that are essential for enzymatic activity.<sup>9</sup> Oxidative stress is known to cause cancer,<sup>10,11</sup> neurological disorders,<sup>12,13</sup> cardiovascular disease,<sup>14</sup> and respiratory diseases,<sup>15</sup> so it is important to take measures to maintain healthy concentrations of free radicals in the body.<sup>9,15</sup> Our bodies have their own mechanisms for reducing excess concentrations of free radicals by producing chemicals that decrease free radical interactions. Antioxidants are defined as substances that inhibit oxidation or reactions promoted by oxygen, peroxides, or free radicals.<sup>16</sup> Since free

radicals require gaining another electron to become stable, antioxidants can terminate the chain reaction to prevent cellular structures from being damaged. While several natural antioxidants are produced endogenously, the most effective antioxidants are  $\alpha$ -tocopherol (VitE), ascorbic acid (VitC), and  $\beta$ -carotene, which cannot be produced in the body and must be consumed through diet.<sup>3,17,18</sup> Glutathione, found in the cytosol of cells in concentrations of 1-10 mM,<sup>19</sup> is another common antioxidant but is endogenously produced by cells and is the most abundant low-molecular weight physiological thiol.<sup>20</sup>

### *Spin Traps*

Accurate *in vitro* and *in vivo* detection of free radicals could be beneficial to monitoring oxidative stress in biological systems thus preventing disease development.<sup>21,22</sup> Electron paramagnetic resonance spectroscopy (EPR) is commonly used to precisely determine concentrations of oxygen-derived free radicals in various chemical and biological systems by employing spin traps.<sup>23,24</sup> Spin traps could be considered a sort of antioxidant that are used in EPR analysis since they can stabilize a free radical. Spin traps are defined as diamagnetic reagents that directly combine with transient radicals and form a more stable radical, called the spin adduct, composed of the original reagent and the radical where no atoms are lost in the process.<sup>25</sup> Without the formation of the spin adduct, the half-life of the free radical remains far too brief ( $10^{-7}$ - $10^{-10}$  s) to be detected, where the formed spin adduct has a half-life far longer than those of hydroxyl or superoxide radicals.<sup>2,23</sup> While a spin trap could be an antioxidant, an antioxidant is not necessarily a spin trap, depending on its reaction pathway. An antioxidant can donate a proton to a radical, which in turn, stabilizes the radical but an adduct is not formed and the radical is now located on the antioxidant. Such is the case for VitE neutralizing a peroxy radical. The spin trap, however, will “neutralize” the former radical while taking on a portion of

its spin density and forming the spin adduct. Nitrones, such as 5,5-dimethyl pyrroline-N-oxide (DMPO), are among the most commonly used spin traps in EPR analysis due to their ability to form stable, long-lasting spin adducts with multiple types of free radicals while maintaining their paramagnetism.<sup>23</sup>

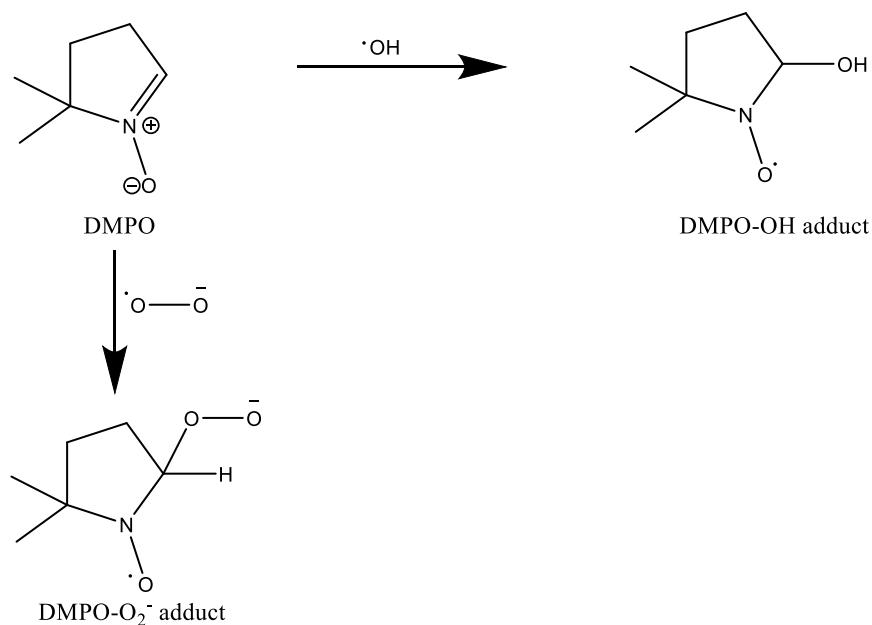


Figure 1: Formation of DMPO-OH and DMPO- $\text{O}_2^-$  spin adducts

The DMPO spin adduct, like other nitrone spin traps, is resonance stabilized since the free radical can be delocalized to the oxygen atom. Another popular nitrone spin trap is 5-(Diethoxyphosphoryl)-5-methyl-1-pyrroline-N-oxide (DEPMPO) since it forms a spin adduct with hydroxyl radical that has a half-life of around 14 minutes, enabling detection by EPR instruments.<sup>23</sup>

Nitronе and nitroso compounds have been used to study free radicals in biological systems via immuno-spin trapping (IST).<sup>26-28</sup> Immuno-spin trapping is based on the reaction of a spin trap with a free radical to form a stable adduct followed by a method of detection. DMPO appears more than any other nitrone compound in most IST-related literature due to its high

sensitivity in EPR spectroscopy, good membrane permeability, and effectiveness in trapping free radicals.<sup>28</sup> For *in vivo* IST, the choice of spin trap is dependent upon not only its spin-trapping effectiveness but also its toxicity to the system in which it is employed. Khoo *et al.*<sup>29</sup> performed *in vivo* IST using DMPO in rats with diet-induced obesity to measure the presence of radicals in lipids in areas of high-fat density. The toxicity of DMPO, as well as other synthetic spin traps, is not well-documented and remains unknown up to this point since current literature is devoid of their pharmacodynamics and pharmacokinetics. In fact, some find that a spin trap that is known to be non-toxic and readily accepted by the body would be of interest in many fields of medicine. Perhaps chemicals such as antioxidants that are already produced in our bodies and other living systems pose a possible solution to this issue.

Melatonin, naturally produced from tryptophan in the brain, is a popular example of an endogenously produced chemical that has been extensively studied both experimentally and computationally for its antioxidant and spin trapping capabilities.<sup>30-34</sup> Melatonin can readily react with a multitude of ROS because of its hyperconjugation within its rings and its oxidation products are well known. An example of one of melatonin's main oxidation products is N(1)-acetyl-N(2)-formyl-5-methoxykynurenone (AFMK), which has been shown to mitigate X-ray-induced oxidative damage to DNA, proteins, and lipids in mice.<sup>35</sup> Melatonin reacts with singlet oxygen ( ${}^1\text{O}_2$ ) to form AFMK:<sup>36</sup>

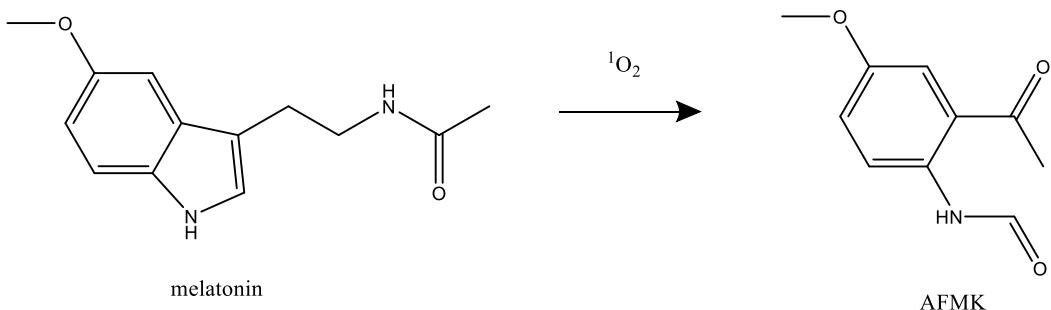


Figure 2: Melatonin reacting with  $^1\text{O}_2$  to form AFMK

### *Lipoic and Dihydrolipoic Acid*

Thiols, molecules that contain an -SH group, pose another potentially useful type of spin trap that differs from the typical nitron or nitrosyl compounds commonly used in EPR spectroscopy. Specifically,  $\alpha$ -lipoic acid (ALA) is a short chain fatty acid with two sulfur atoms that can be reduced to its dithiol form, dihydrolipoic acid (DHLA).

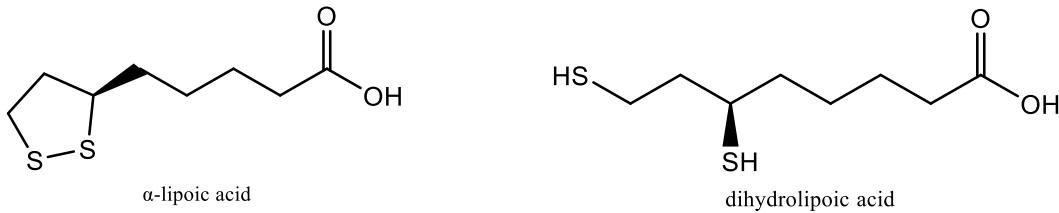


Figure 3: (*R*) enantiomeric structures of ALA and DHLA

ALA is an organic compound that is produced by animals, in which it is necessary for aerobic metabolism, and is primarily found in the heart and kidneys of humans where it functions as a cofactor in multienzyme energy production processes.<sup>37-39</sup> Since its discovery in 1937, ALA has been known to have many biochemical roles such as enhancing cellular glucose uptake,<sup>40</sup> serving as a cofactor for oxidative decarboxylations of  $\alpha$ -keto acids,<sup>41</sup> managing and treating diabetic mellitus in patients with diabetic neuropathy,<sup>42</sup> and reducing the oxidized forms of other

important antioxidants including VitC, VitE, and glutathione (GSH).<sup>37,40</sup> ALA is an endogenously produced antioxidant and its ROS scavenging abilities have been studied by various groups and their effectiveness determined.<sup>37,43</sup> While racemic amounts of both the *R*- and *S*- enantiomers of ALA and DHLA exist, only the *R*- enantiomer is synthesized by organisms and is biologically active.<sup>44</sup> It has been shown that phenolic antioxidants (ArOH's) are able to deactivate galvinoxyl radical (GO·) and 2,2-diphenyl-1-picrylhydrazyl (DPPH·) through various mechanisms such as hydrogen atom transfer (HAT) and sequential proton loss electron transfer (SPLET).<sup>44,45</sup> Mikulski *et al.*<sup>44</sup> considered the close similarity between the O-H and S-H bonds and proposed that both the HAT and SPLET mechanisms can apply to ALA and DHLA for the trapping of ROS (Figure 4).

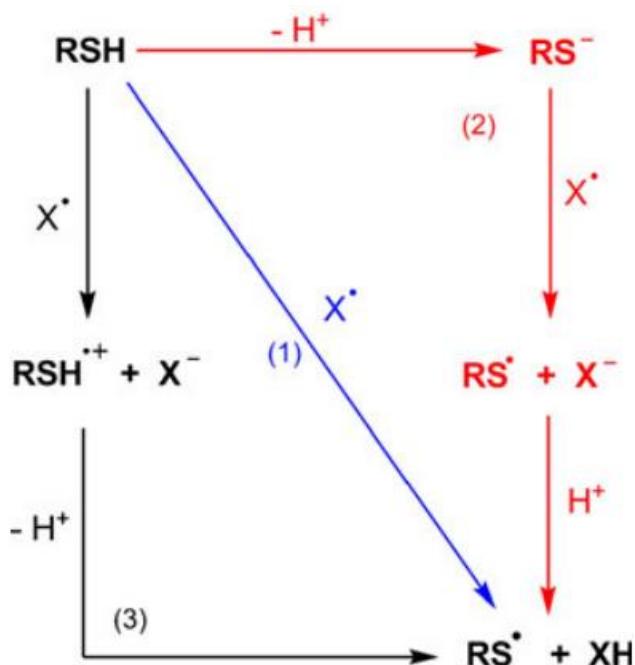


Figure 4: General antioxidant mechanisms of thiol compounds; HAT (blue), SPLET (black), SET-PT (red)<sup>44</sup>

The single electron transfer followed by proton transfer (SET-PT) mechanism differs only slightly from the SPLET mechanism in that the proton loss occurs before the interaction with the

free radical and the proton then stabilizes the now negatively charged X-ion.<sup>44</sup> Theoretical calculations by Castañ Eda-Arriaga *et al.*<sup>46</sup> revealed that the termination of ROS by DHLA, specifically with peroxy radicals, most likely proceeds via the HAT mechanism and that DHLA is the main form of lipoic acid that has antioxidant properties. While ALA can react with strongly reactive free radicals to form a stable adduct, it has been observed that the reduced form, DHLA, is the main proponent in exhibiting antioxidant properties due to its two thiol groups.<sup>44,46</sup> Suzuki *et al.*<sup>47</sup> determined, through EPR analysis, that DHLA was significantly more effective than ALA at eliminating superoxide radical ( $O_2^{-\cdot}$ ). Both ALA and DHLA were effective antioxidants in the presence of  $OH^-$  due to its high reactivity. Shorter chain homologues of DHLA, such as 2,4-bisthiobutanoic acid and 4,6-bisthiohexanoic acid (Figure 5) were shown to have better antioxidant properties against  $O_2^{-\cdot}$  compared to the longer chain homologues and the effectiveness against ROS varied in different environment polarities. DHLA performed better against  $ROO^-$  in nonpolar environments and against  $O_2^{-\cdot}$  in polar environments.<sup>47,48</sup>

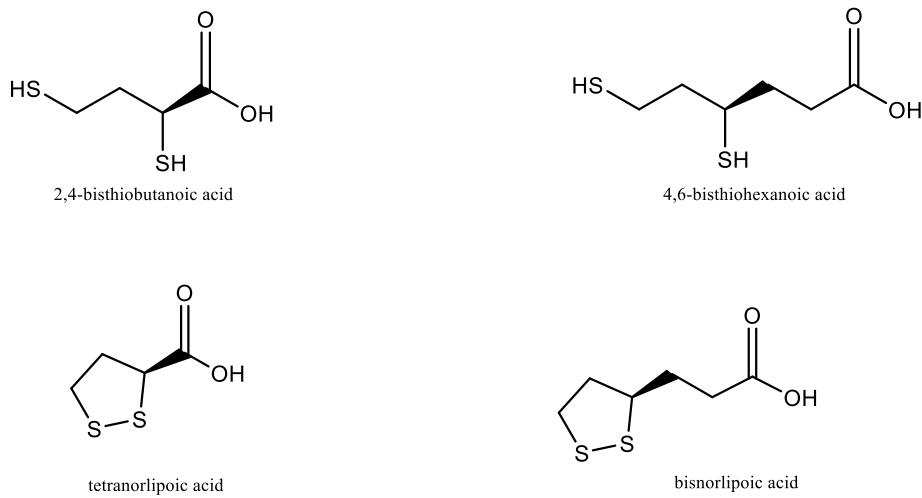


Figure 5: Homologues of ALA and DHLA

The role of ALA and DHLA in physiological systems is illustrated in Figure 6, which describes the peroxidation of unsaturated lipids. The lipid peroxy radical, created after the lipid

is exposed to OH<sup>·</sup>, abstracts a proton from α-tocopherol (α-TOH) to form α-TO<sup>·</sup>. The peroxy radical reacting with α-TO<sup>·</sup> is 1000-fold faster than it reacting with another unsaturated lipid, so the formation of α-TO<sup>·</sup> is far more likely and the antioxidant pathway will proceed. Alpha-tocopherol is regenerated by the presence of other antioxidants such as coenzyme Q<sub>10</sub> (CoQ<sub>10</sub>), VitC, and GSH. These antioxidants are oxidized after regenerating α-TOH but are then reduced back to their antioxidant states by DHLA, which is oxidized to ALA. Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate (NADPH), an essential electron donor in all living organisms, reduces ALA back to DHLA, which is then ready to regenerate the other antioxidants. Although Figure 6 depicts the main task of the ALA/DHLA pair as an antioxidant regenerator in a biological system, it suggests that it may be possible for ALA and DHLA to follow a path similar to that of the lipid after its interaction with OH<sup>·</sup> and form a spin adduct with ROS. However, for the formation and existence of the spin adduct, this implies that a stable radical species involving either ALA or DHLA must exist. This species would most likely form during the ‘Initiation’ step in Figure 6, where OH<sup>·</sup> would be introduced to ALA or DHLA. However, an addition of the hydroxyl radical to some part of the molecule through some mechanism must generate a spin adduct. If a hydrogen abstraction should occur, another radical species may react to form a singlet-state adduct with ALA<sup>·</sup> or DHLA<sup>·</sup> and this would indicate a lack of spin trapping properties.

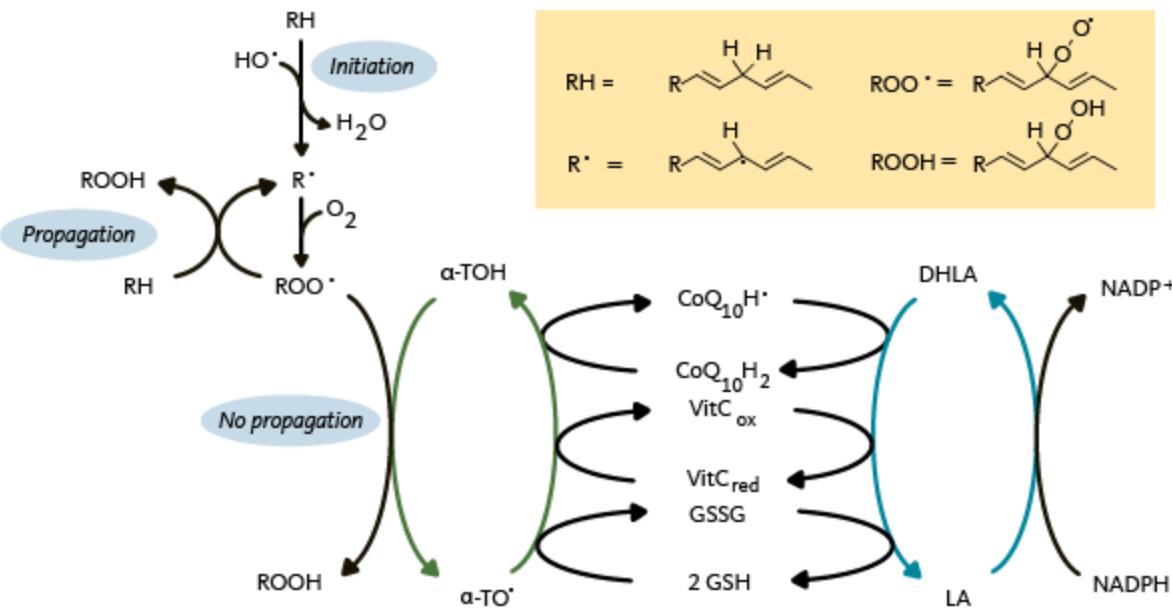


Figure 6: Role of ALA and DHLA in lipid peroxidation pathway<sup>49</sup>

#### Research Aims and Goals

The goal of this research is to investigate the spin trapping properties of both ALA and DHLA by way of computational analysis. This analysis is part of the search for naturally produced spin traps for use in *in vivo* EPR spectroscopy applications. Density Functional Theory geometry optimizations will provide sufficiently accurate results and could provide insight into any possible spin trap formation and trapping mechanisms that may be possible. Geometry optimizations and single-point energy calculations will allow for the determination of radical binding energies on ALA and DHLA which will help pinpoint the more likely candidate for adduct formation. Assuming a radical addition could generate a stable doublet-state anion in solution, binding energies and molecular orbital surface calculations may indicate the most likely site for radical addition. Spin density profiles for proposed adducts may illustrate quantitatively the relative extent of radical delocalization from the free radical to ALA or DHLA. Geometry

optimizations for ALA and DHLA radical adducts with other free radical ROS will paint a clearer picture for predicting which interactions are the most energetically favorable. Since EPR spectra can be computationally generated, doublet-state adducts formed with several different free radicals could be analyzed and the spin trapping properties of ALA and DHLA could be determined.

## CHAPTER 2. QUANTUM MECHANICS

### *Introduction to Computational Chemistry*

The inception of powerful processing units in today's computers has opened the door for extensive applications of quantum mechanics to analyze complex biological and chemical systems and are central to solving some of the most relevant issues in chemistry such as in the discovery of new pharmaceuticals.<sup>50</sup> While the past 40 years have offered protein crystallography and nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) spectroscopy, enabling the 3D modelling of protein-ligand complexes to determine drug selectivity, computational methods have established ways to predict molecular interactions and *in silico* characterization of these complexes.<sup>51</sup> Computational methods have also offered valuable insight on the mechanism of various catalytic processes such transition metal-mediated C-C bond activation, reduction of atmospheric CO<sub>2</sub>, and the splitting of water as a potentially revolutionary source of clean renewable energy.<sup>52-54</sup>

Many-body systems can be analyzed and approximated by applying theoretical approximation methods to calculate chemical properties such as possible geometrical conformations, relative energies, and reaction rates. Theoretical calculations of many-body systems could have hardly been roughly approximated before the introduction of electronic computers in the 1960s and 70s since an immense number of iterations are needed to obtain reasonably accurate approximations.<sup>55</sup> While today's computers have been and are still mostly used as analytical tools to feed other disciplines of chemistry, the increasing performance of modern-day computers has paved the way to a newer branch of chemistry, computational chemistry. In this discipline of chemistry, the computer is used as the main "experimental" tool to analyze chemical systems down to the atomic level. While developing new theoretical

methods allows for the analysis of a larger variety of systems, the primary focus of many computational chemists is to use methods that are currently available to analyze the problems at hand.<sup>55</sup> Fundamental chemical theory becomes increasingly useful as the processing power of modern computers becomes more capable.<sup>56</sup> While the Schrödinger equation cannot provide exact wavefunctions for molecules of any significant size, quantum mechanics can allow extremely accurate approximations of bond energies, transition states, and optimized molecular structures.

#### *Common Methodologies of Computational Chemistry*

Depending on the size of the molecule or chemical system, various computational methods can be applied to maximize accuracy without incurring substantial computation time. For large biological molecules such as cholesterol and proteins, a computational method called molecular mechanics (MM) can be applied to the system, which classically treats the atoms and bonds as a collection of “balls and springs.”<sup>57</sup> The individual bonds are each assigned their own continuous interaction potentials which can be gathered from empirical data. Invoking classical mechanical treatment of quantum mechanical systems by using MM force-fields drastically decreases computation time by several orders of magnitude, depending on the size of the system.<sup>58</sup> Geometry optimizations using molecular mechanics can be performed in a matter of seconds on most computers due to the simplification of the molecule via classical interpretations.<sup>57</sup> Although MM calculations for large molecules take relatively little time, they can still yield very accurate results when the correct parameters are available. However, MM cannot generate geometries relating to the formation and breaking of bonds during a chemical reaction since parameters of only ground state molecules are considered.<sup>59</sup>

*Ab initio* methodology is another valuable tool in computation chemistry and utilizes the Schrödinger equation to calculate a wavefunction for the chemical system. The wavefunction is then used to derive the electron distribution around the target molecule or system and can allocate several properties such as polarity, vibrational modes, and optimized geometry along a potential energy surface (PES).<sup>57,58,60</sup> Popular *ab initio* methods include Hartree-Fock theory (HF),<sup>61,62</sup> second-order Møller-Plesset (MP2) perturbation theory,<sup>62</sup> and coupled cluster (CC).<sup>60,63</sup> Though several post-HF methods have been developed to overcome the shortcomings of the original, it still remains an iconic starting point in *ab initio* methods. While *ab initio* methods yield desirable results for relatively small molecules, calculations performed on larger molecules are not computationally economical and require the use of extremely powerful computers to keep computation time practical.<sup>60</sup>

Density Functional Theory (DFT) is another increasingly popular and useful computational tool that is also based on the Schrödinger equation, however, this method does not involve the computation of the wavefunction in order calculate the molecular electron density. The inclusion of interelectron repulsion in DFT methods has allowed these calculations to be much more accurate than HF especially when dealing with larger molecules and keeps computational costs low, making it arguably the most widely used quantum mechanical computational method today.<sup>57,64,65</sup> Two commonly used DFT hybrid functionals are Becke, 3-paramter, Lee-Yang-Parr (B3LYP) and Generalized Gradient Approximation (GGA), each with their own primary applications.<sup>66–69</sup>

Semi-empirical (SE) methods are like *ab initio* calculations in that they calculate a wavefunction using the Schrödinger equation, but the resultant complex integrals are not evaluated. Instead, best-fit experimental values (hence *empirical*) are plugged into the

mathematical procedure using a process called parametrization. This half-experimental, half-theoretical approach allows semi-empirical calculations to be orders of magnitude faster than *ab initio* methods while still maintaining reasonable accuracy for calculations such as geometry optimizations of large biomolecules.<sup>57</sup> For such large-scale molecules, the most popular semi-empirical methods approximate HF theory to streamline the evaluation of millions or billions of biomolecular interactions.<sup>70</sup> The most popular SE methods are based on the Neglect of Diatomic Differential Overlap (NDDO) approximation and include Austin Model 1 (AM1)<sup>71</sup> and Parametric Method (PM) series models (*e.g.* PM3<sup>72</sup>, PM6<sup>73</sup>). AM1 showed potential by being able to better reproduce hydrogen bonds compared to the Modified Neglect of Diatomic Overlap (MNDO) approximation, which also stems from NDDO.<sup>72</sup> The PM3 method is an improvement upon AM1 by introducing automatically optimizable spectroscopic parameters,<sup>72</sup> while PM6 yields smaller errors in heats of formation for main-group elements, offering an extension of NDDO method to all transition metals and improved core-core repulsion potentials for lighter first- and second-row p-block elements.<sup>70,73</sup>

### *Schrödinger Equation*

The time-dependent Schrödinger equation originates from classical mechanics but describes the state of a quantum mechanical system and how it changes with the evolution of time:<sup>74,75</sup>

$$\frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi(x, t)}{\partial x^2} + V(x)\Psi(x, t) = -i\hbar \frac{\partial \Psi(x, t)}{\partial t} \quad (2-1)$$

where  $\hbar$  is Plank's constant,  $h$ , divided by  $2\pi$ , the reduced Planck constant,  $\Psi(x, t)$  is the wavefunction of the system as a function of 1-dimensional position,  $x$ , and time,  $t$ ,  $m$  is the total mass of the quantum system,  $V$  is the potential energy operator, and  $i$  is the imaginary operator

( $i = \sqrt{-1}$ ). The term on the right side of Equation 2-1 is equivalent to the Hamiltonian operator. From the time-dependent equation, the time-independent Schrödinger equation can be derived by evaluating the time evolution of the wavefunction:

$$\hat{H}\Psi = i\hbar \frac{\partial\Psi}{\partial t} \quad \frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{\partial^2\Psi(x)}{\partial x^2} + V(x)\Psi(x) = E\Psi(x) \quad (2-2)$$

where  $\hat{H}$  is the Hamiltonian operator. Note that the time-independent equation is only a function of position  $x$ . The Hamiltonian operating on the wavefunction produces an eigenvalue  $E$  which represents the total scalar energy of the wave state. Both the time-dependent and time-independent equations show that the total energy of the system is equal to the sum of the kinetic energy and potential energy. While Equations 2-1 and 2-2 represent space in one dimension, the equations can be expanded to three spatial dimensions in both scalar and polar coordinates.

$$\frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \left[ \frac{\partial^2\Psi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2\Psi}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2\Psi}{\partial z^2} \right] + V(x, y, z)\Psi(x, y, z) = E\Psi(x, y, z) \quad (2-3)$$

Using a Laplacian operator further simplifies the three-dimensional equation, making it far less laborious to write.

$$\nabla^2 f = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} \quad (2-4)$$

$$\frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 \Psi + V(x, y, z)\Psi(x, y, z) = E\Psi(x, y, z) \quad (2-5)$$

The equation can also be written using polar coordinates, which is preferred when describing a spherically symmetric quantum state.

$$\frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 \Psi + V(r, \theta, \phi) \Psi(r, \theta, \phi) = E \Psi(r, \theta, \phi) \quad (2-6)$$

The Schrödinger equation cannot be solved exactly for systems larger than a hydrogen atom because anything larger, such as a helium atom, introduces a third body to the system and poses the issue of the Three-Body problem. This problem has no currently defined solution with the mathematics that are available but making reasonable assumptions about the system can yield accurate approximations when deriving the wavefunction of more complex systems. Applying these approximations is essential to obtaining experimentally accurate results in computational chemistry. However, there is a trade-off between accuracy and computational economy.

### *Hamiltonian Operator*

In quantum mechanics, an operator carries out an operation on a defined function  $\Psi$ , which represents the wavefunction of a quantum state. The most well-known operator in quantum mechanics is the Hamiltonian operator which appears in the Schrödinger equation (Equation 2-6). Equation 2-2 defines the Hamiltonian operator  $\hat{H}$  as the sum of the kinetic energy and potential energy operators of the quantum system. The resulting eigenvalue produced by the operation on the wavefunction corresponds to the total energy of the system.

$$\hat{H} = \hat{T} + \hat{V} \quad (2-7)$$

where  $\hat{T}$  is the kinetic energy operator and  $\hat{V}$  is the potential energy operator of a hydrogen atom,

$$\hat{T} = \frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \left[ \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} \right] \quad (2-8)$$

$$\hat{V} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q_1 q_2}{r_{12}} = -\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{e^2}{r} \quad (2-9)$$

where  $\epsilon_0$  is the permittivity of free space,  $q_1$  and  $q_2$  correspond to the charges of particle 1 and particle 2,  $e$  is the charge of a proton and  $r_{12}$  is the distance between the two interacting particles. The potential energy operator in Equation 2-9 depicts the Coulomb potential of a two-particle system. By inspection, the potential energy of the system increases as the distance between the particles decreases since it results in higher Coulomb attraction.

Since atoms contain both electrons and nuclei, the kinetic and potential energies of all components must be factored into the Hamiltonian. For example, the components of the total Hamiltonian shown in Equation 2-10. Equation 2-11 expands Equation 2-10 for a molecule.

$$\hat{H} = \hat{H}_{elec}^{kin} + \hat{H}_{nuc}^{kin} + \hat{H}_{elec-elec}^{pot} + \hat{H}_{elec-nuc}^{pot} + \hat{H}_{nuc-nuc}^{pot} \quad (2-10)$$

$$\hat{H} = -\sum_i \frac{\hbar^2}{2m_e} \nabla_{r_i}^2 - \sum_i \frac{\hbar^2}{2M_m} \nabla_{R_m}^2 + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r_{ij}} - \sum_i \sum_j \frac{Z_M e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r_{iM}} + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \frac{Z_M Z_N e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r_{MN}} \quad (2-11)$$

$\hat{H}_{elec}^{kin}$  and  $\hat{H}_{nuc}^{kin}$  are the kinetic energy terms for the electrons and the nuclei, respectively.

$\hat{H}_{elec-elec}^{pot}$  is the potential energy between the electrons,  $\hat{H}_{elec-nuc}^{pot}$  is the potential energy between the electrons and nucleus, and  $\hat{H}_{nuc-nuc}^{pot}$  is the potential energy between the nuclei, assuming a polyatomic system. The terms in Equation 2-11 are in respective order as those in Equation 2-10. The third term denotes interelectronic distance of  $I$  and  $j$  as radius  $r_{ij}$ , the fourth term denotes a distance between electron  $i$  and nucleus  $M$  by radius  $r_{iM}$ , and the fifth term denotes internuclear distance of radius  $r_{MN}$ .

### Atomic Units

The inherent intricacy of the Hamiltonian suggests that it can be simplified to allow more facile calculation of the energy of the system.<sup>74-76</sup> By reducing the constants to atomic units (a.u.), the Hamiltonian becomes more suitable for quantitative analysis. Energy is measured in units of hartree ( $E_h$ ) and one hartree is equivalent to the Coulombic repulsion force between 2 electrons that are separated by the distance of one Bohr radius,  $a_0$ . Reducing to atomic units gives us:<sup>61</sup>

$$\hbar = e = m_e = a_0 = 1 \text{ a.u.} \quad (2-12)$$

which simplifies Equation 2-11:

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{H} = & -\frac{1}{2} \sum_i \nabla_{r_i}^2 - \frac{1}{2} \sum_i \frac{1}{M_m} \nabla_{R_m}^2 + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \frac{1}{r_{ij}} - \sum_i \sum_j \frac{Z_m}{r_{im}} \\ & + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \frac{Z_m Z_n}{r_{mn}} \end{aligned} \quad (2-13)$$

$$E_h = \frac{\hbar^2}{m_e a_0^2} = 4.3597447 \times 10^{-18} J \quad (2-14)$$

$$a_0 = \frac{4\pi\epsilon_0\hbar^2}{m_e e^2} = 5.2917721 \times 10^{-11} m \quad (2-15)$$

### Born-Oppenheimer Approximation

The Born-Oppenheimer approximation greatly simplifies the Hamiltonian by allowing for separate treatment of the wavefunctions for the nuclei and electrons.

$$\Psi_{total} = \Psi_{elec} \Psi_{nuc} \quad (2-16)$$

For example, for a two-electron and two-nuclei system:

$$\Psi(q_i, q_j, N_m, N_n) = \Psi(q_i, q_j; N_m, N_n) \Psi(N_m, N_n) \quad (2-17)$$

the wavefunction, which is originally a function of the positions of Electrons 1 and 2 ( $q_i, q_j$ ) and nuclei  $m$  and  $n$  ( $N_m, N_n$ ), is split into an electronic and nuclear component.  $\Psi_{elec}$  is the electronic component of the wavefunction and  $\Psi_{nuc}$  is the nuclear component. The electronic component is only a factor of the positions of the electrons which are only parametrically dependent on positions of the nuclei. In the case of a hydrogen atom, the Equipartition Theorem asserts the kinetic energies of the electron is equal to that of the nucleus so it can be assumed that because the velocity of the electron is far greater than that of the nucleus and the nucleus is therefore stationary in relation to the electron; the Born-Oppenheimer Approximation.

$$m_N \gg m_e; \quad T_N = T_e \quad (2-18)$$

By assuming a stationary nucleus, the nuclear kinetic energy component of the Hamiltonian can be neglected, thus simplifying the electronic Hamiltonian.<sup>77</sup> Equation 2-13 is reduced to Equation 2-19:

$$\hat{H} = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_i \nabla_{r_i}^2 + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \frac{1}{r_{ij}} - \sum_i \sum_j \frac{Z_m}{r_{im}} + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \frac{Z_m Z_n}{r_{mn}} \quad (2-19)$$

The eigenfunction of the electronic motion in the system is calculated using Equation 2-20:

$$\hat{H}_{elec} \Psi_{elec} = E_{elec} \Psi_{elec} \quad (2-20)$$

and, using atomic units,  $\hat{H}_{elec}$  is defined as:

$$\hat{H}_{elec} = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_i \nabla_{r_i}^2 + \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \frac{1}{r_{ij}} - \sum_i \sum_j \frac{Z_m}{r_{im}} \quad (2-21)$$

From Equation 2-19, the internuclear potential energy  $V_{nuc}$  is defined as:

$$V_{nuc} = \sum_i \sum_{j>i} \frac{Z_m Z_n}{r_{mn}} \quad (2-22)$$

Under the Born-Oppenheimer approximation, combining Equations 2-21 and 2-22 gives the total energy,  $U$ , of the system.

$$U = E_{elec} + V_{nuc} \quad (2-23)$$

### *The Hartree-Fock Self-Consistent Field Theory*

The Hartree-Fock Self-Consistent Field Theory (HF-SCF) method provides an approximation for calculating the wavefunction of a quantum mechanical many-body system. As previously stated, the exact wavefunction of a hydrogen atom can be determined but anything larger requires approximations to overcome the many-body problem and additional interelectronic repulsion terms.<sup>61</sup> The Hartree-Fock procedure calculates the energy as a product of atomic orbitals while in accordance with the Pauli Exclusion principle, which states that two fermions cannot occupy the same quantum state. For example, starting with the helium atom, the

total wavefunction of the system is equal to the product of the wavefunctions for Electrons 1 and 2 located at point  $\vec{r}_1$  and  $\vec{r}_2$  respectively (Equation 2-24).

$$\Psi(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2) = \Psi(\vec{r}_1)\Psi(\vec{r}_2) \quad (2-24)$$

Rather than an electron feeling the exact point charge of the other, it instead feels the mean field of the other electron: its effective potential  $V_r^{eff}$ . The potential that Electron 1 feels at point  $\vec{r}_1$  from the mean field produced by Electron 2 is:

$$V_1^{eff}(\vec{r}_1) = \int \Psi^*(\vec{r}_2) \frac{1}{r_{12}} \Psi(\vec{r}_2) d\vec{r}_2 \quad (2-25)$$

where  $\frac{1}{r_{12}}$  is the interelectronic repulsion operator denoting the distance  $r_{12}$  between Electrons 1 and 2. This probability distribution can also be classically interpreted as the charge density of Electron 2.<sup>78</sup> The effective Hamiltonian of Electron 1 is defined in Eq. 2-27 as

$$\hat{H}_1^{eff} = \hat{T}_1 + V_1^{eff} \quad (2-26)$$

$$\hat{H}_1^{eff} = -\frac{1}{2} \nabla_1^2 - \frac{2}{r_1} + V^{eff} \quad (2-27)$$

where the first term is the electronic kinetic energy, the second term is the potential between the electron and nucleus, and the third is the effect of the second electron. The Hartree-Fock equation can be written as

$$\hat{H}_1^{eff}(\vec{r}_1)\Psi(\vec{r}_1) = E_1\Psi(\vec{r}_1) \quad (2-28)$$

which gives the best orbital wavefunction for a helium atom.<sup>78</sup> In general, the Hartree product (Equation 2-29) suggests that the overall orbital wavefunction is equal to the product of the individual atomic orbital wavefunctions for an N-body system.

$$\Psi_{HP}(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2, \dots, \vec{r}_N) = \phi_1(\vec{r}_1)\phi_2(\vec{r}_2) \dots \phi_N(\vec{r}_N) \quad (2-29)$$

The Hartree product is a simple and concise way of describing the orbital wavefunction but fails to satisfy the anti-symmetry principle, which states that electrons are described by wavefunctions that are anti-symmetric with respect to the interchange of the coordinates of an electron pair.<sup>78-81</sup>

For a two-electron system, the coordinates of the electrons can be switched to give Equation 2-30:

$$\Psi_{HP}(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2) = \phi_1(\vec{r}_2)\phi_2(\vec{r}_1) \quad (2-30)$$

such that Electron 1 is located at  $\vec{r}_2$  and Electron 2 is located at  $\vec{r}_1$ . Applying the anti-symmetry principle, the original wavefunction can only be obtained by:

$$\phi_1(\vec{r}_2)\phi_2(\vec{r}_1) = -\phi_1(\vec{r}_1)\phi_2(\vec{r}_2) \quad (2-31)$$

which is not generally true for complete sets with N electrons.<sup>80</sup>

### *Slater Determinants*

For multi-fermionic systems, Slater determinants provide wavefunctions that satisfy the anti-symmetry principle and, therefore, the Pauli exclusion principle. Upon interchange of two electrons, the wavefunction produced by the Slater determinant automatically changes signs for those electrons as a function of their spin and position. For a two-electron system, a linear combination of both sides of Equation 2-31 is taken:

$$\Psi(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2) = c[\phi_1(\vec{r}_1)\phi_2(\vec{r}_2) - \phi_1(\vec{r}_2)\phi_2(\vec{r}_1)] \quad (2-32)$$

where  $c$  is a normalization constant. Equation 2-33 can be expressed as a Slater determinant (Equation 2-33).

$$\Psi(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{vmatrix} \phi_1(\vec{r}_1) & \phi_2(\vec{r}_1) \\ \phi_1(\vec{r}_2) & \phi_2(\vec{r}_2) \end{vmatrix} \quad (2-33)$$

For a multi-electron case with  $N$  electrons, the Slater determinant takes the following generalized form:

$$\Psi(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2, \dots, \vec{r}_N) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N!}} \begin{vmatrix} \phi_1(\vec{r}_1) & \phi_2(\vec{r}_1) & \cdots & \phi_N(\vec{r}_1) \\ \phi_1(\vec{r}_2) & \phi_2(\vec{r}_2) & \cdots & \phi_N(\vec{r}_2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \phi_1(\vec{r}_N) & \phi_2(\vec{r}_N) & \cdots & \phi_N(\vec{r}_N) \end{vmatrix} \quad (2-34)$$

where  $N$  is the number electrons modeled by the Slater determinant. Constructing determinants for small systems of 3 or 4 electrons is feasible but anything larger becomes tedious and time-consuming. An important consequence of this mathematical form is that it suggests all electrons represented within a wavefunction are indistinguishable, which satisfies the Pauli exclusion principle.

### *Variational Principle*

Assuming a normalized wavefunction, the electronic energy of a system can be represented using Dirac notation:

$$E_{trial} = \frac{\langle \Psi_{trial} | \hat{H}_{elec} | \Psi_{trial} \rangle}{\langle \Psi_{trial} | \Psi_{trial} \rangle} \quad (2-36)$$

where  $\hat{H}_{elec}$  was previously defined in Equation 2-21. For symmetric energy expressions such as Equation 2-27, the variational theorem states that the approximated energy of the system is always greater than that of the true energy.<sup>82</sup>

$$E_{trial} \geq E_o \quad (2-37)$$

where  $E_{trial}$  is the energy calculated using a trial wavefunction  $\Psi_{trial}$ . The calculated trial energy is always an upper bound to the true energy of the system. The denominator in Equation 2-36 is necessary only if  $\Psi_{trial}$  is not initially normalized. The trial function is dependent upon a set of variational parameters and determines the accuracy of the function in relation to the true wavefunction.<sup>82</sup>

### *The Hartree Procedure*

The helium model is a special case regarding the construction of the Slater determinant since the wavefunction can be split into its spatial and spin parts, but this cannot be done for systems with more than two electrons. For simplicity, consider a closed-shell system with  $2N$  electrons:

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{H} &= -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \nabla_j^2 - \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \frac{Z}{r_j} + \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \sum_{j>i} \frac{1}{r_{ij}} \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \hat{h}_j + \sum_{j=1}^{2N} \sum_{j>i} \frac{1}{r_{ij}}\end{aligned}\tag{2-38}$$

where

$$\hat{h}_j = -\frac{1}{2} \nabla_j^2 - \frac{Z}{r_j}\tag{2-39}$$

and the atomic orbital wavefunction takes the form of a complete Slater determinant. For the sake of this example, the complete set will incorporate electron spin for each atomic order.

$$\Psi(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2, \dots, \vec{r}_{2N}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(2N)!}} \begin{vmatrix} \phi_1\alpha(\vec{r}_1) & \phi_1\beta(\vec{r}_1) & \cdots & \phi_N\alpha(\vec{r}_1) & \phi_N\beta(\vec{r}_1) \\ \phi_1\alpha(\vec{r}_2) & \phi_1\beta(\vec{r}_2) & \cdots & \phi_N\alpha(\vec{r}_2) & \phi_N\beta(\vec{r}_2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \phi_1\alpha(\vec{r}_{2N}) & \phi_1\beta(\vec{r}_{2N}) & \cdots & \phi_N\alpha(\vec{r}_{2N}) & \phi_N\beta(\vec{r}_{2N}) \end{vmatrix}\tag{2-40}$$

where  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  represent spin-up and spin-down orientations of electrons. Evaluating the energy of the system is done similarly to Equation 2-35 and the result becomes:

$$E = 2 \sum_{j=1}^N I_j + \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N (2J_{ij} - K_{ij}) \quad (2-41)$$

where:

$$I_j = \int \Psi_j^*(\vec{r}_1) \hat{h}_j(\vec{r}_1) \Psi_j d\vec{r}_1 \quad (2-42)$$

$$J_{ij} = \iint \Psi_i^*(\vec{r}_1) \Psi_j^*(\vec{r}_2) \frac{1}{r_{12}} \Psi_i(\vec{r}_1) \Psi_j(\vec{r}_2) d\vec{r}_1 d\vec{r}_2 \quad (2-43)$$

$$K_{ij} = \iint \Psi_i^*(\vec{r}_1) \Psi_j^*(\vec{r}_2) \frac{1}{r_{12}} \Psi_i(\vec{r}_2) \Psi_j(\vec{r}_1) d\vec{r}_1 d\vec{r}_2 \quad (2-44)$$

where  $J_{ij}$  is the coulomb integral and  $K_{ij}$  is the exchange integral. There are no orbitals involving integration over more than 2 electrons since Equation 2-40 only involves 1- and 2-electron operators.<sup>78</sup> Applying the Variational Principle to Equation 2-40 gives the Fock operator,  $\hat{F}$ , which allows for determining the spatial orbital wavefunctions,  $\Psi_i(\vec{r}_1)$ :

$$\hat{F}(\vec{r}_1) \Psi_i(\vec{r}_1) = \varepsilon_i \Psi_i(\vec{r}_1); \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, N \quad (2-45)$$

Energy,  $\varepsilon_i$ , is the Hartree-Fock orbital energy. The values of  $i$  do not progress to  $2N$  since the spatial component of the orbital wavefunction does not have *up* and *down* states like the electron spin component. The Fock operator is given by:

$$\hat{F}(\vec{r}_1) = \hat{h}(\vec{r}_1) + \sum_j^N [2\hat{J}_j(\vec{r}_1) - \hat{K}_j(\vec{r}_1)] \quad (2-46)$$

where  $\hat{J}$  is the Coulomb operator and  $\hat{K}$  is the exchange operator.

$$\hat{J}_j(\vec{r}_1)\Psi_i(\vec{r}_1) = \Psi_i(\vec{r}_1) \int \Psi_j^*(\vec{r}_2) \frac{1}{r_{12}} \Psi_j d\vec{r}_2 \quad (2-47)$$

$$\hat{K}_j(\vec{r}_1)\Psi_i(\vec{r}_1) = \Psi_j(\vec{r}_1) \int \Psi_j^*(\vec{r}_2) \frac{1}{r_{12}} \Psi_i(\vec{r}_2) d\vec{r}_2 \quad (2-48)$$

Solving for the energy of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  molecular orbital of the system gives:

$$\varepsilon_i = \int \Psi_i^*(\vec{r}_1) \hat{F}(\vec{r}_1) \Psi_i(\vec{r}_1) d\vec{r}_1 \quad (2-49)$$

such that Equation 2-49 becomes:

$$\varepsilon_i = I_i + \sum_{j=1}^N (2J_{ij} - K_{ij}) \quad (2-50)$$

Comparing Equation 2-50 to Equation 2-41 gives the total energy  $E$  of the system:

$$E = \sum_{i=1}^N (I_i + \varepsilon_i) \quad (2-51)$$

which sums up the first iteration of approximating the total energy of the system by entering a trial wavefunction to solve the Fock operator, generating a new wavefunction. This is a self-consistent procedure that forms the basis of all Hartree-Fock computational calculations. The process continues until wavefunctions converge and there are no longer any remaining changes to the initial guess that are outside of the predetermined tolerance limits. Figure 7 shows a visual schematic of the HF-SCF procedure. However, it must be recognized that this theory treats electrons as if they do not “feel” repulsion from other individual electrons from any specific point but rather the overall mean field produced by the movement of other electrons, eliminating the need to solve a many-body problem. The use of Slater Determinant also improves this theory by introducing anti-symmetric wavefunctions.

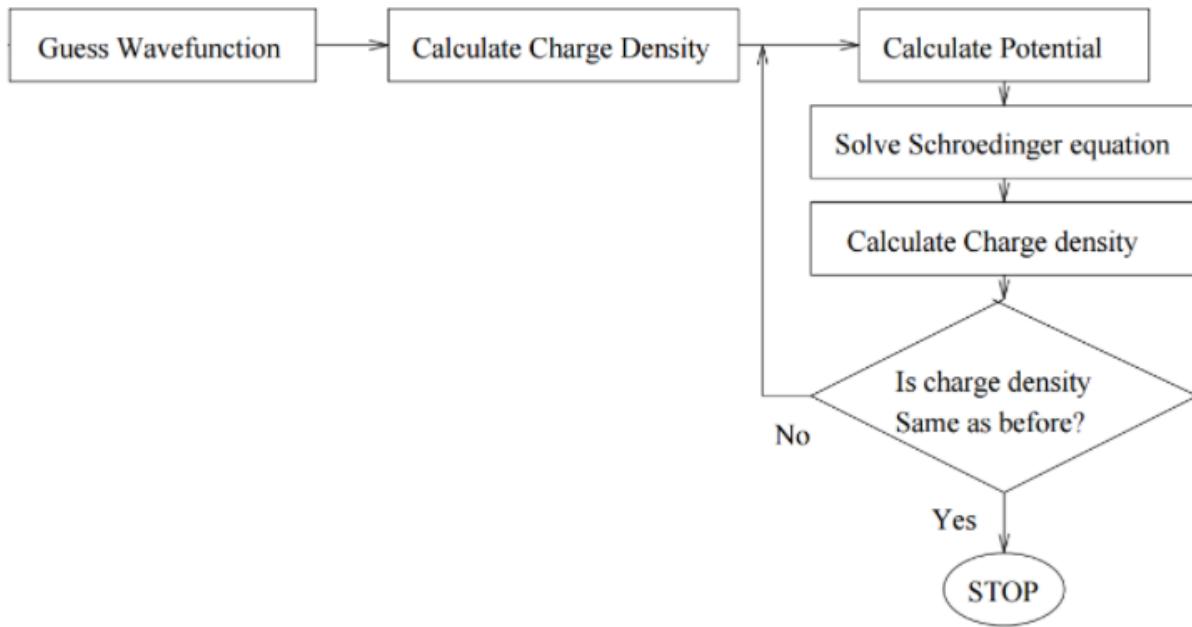


Figure 7: Flow chart of the Self-Consistent Hartree procedure<sup>83</sup>

### *Density Functional Theory*

Modern Density Functional Theory (DFT) is an improvement upon Thomas-Fermi (TF) theory, whose creators, Llewellyn Thomas and Enrico Fermi, independently published atomic orbital calculations in 1927 without incorporating a wavefunction but rather by calculating the electron density of the system.<sup>84-86</sup> DFT is based on the 2 Hohenberg-Kohn theorems:<sup>87,88</sup>

- 1.) The ground-state properties of an atom or molecule are determined by electron density  $\rho(r)$
- 2.) According to the variational theorem, a trial electron density must give an energy greater than or equal to the true energy

Electron density is defined as the quantity of electrons within a defined volume:

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\# \text{ of electrons}}{V} \quad (2-52)$$

but electron density can also be related to the wavefunction of the system by:

$$\rho(r) = \sum_{i=1}^N |\Psi_i|^2 \quad (2-53)$$

where  $N$  is the number of electrons and  $|\Psi_i|^2$  is the probability density of an electron in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  state.

Unlike the wavefunction, the electron density of a system is experimentally observable. The total partitioned electronic energy of a system is written as Equation 2-54:

$$E_{\text{tot}} = E_T + E_V + E_J + E_{XC} \quad (2-54)$$

where  $E_T$ ,  $E_V$ , and  $E_J$  represent the electronic kinetic energy, the energy of attraction between the electrons and nuclei, and the Coulombic repulsion between two electrons, respectively. These

first three terms were first introduced by TF theory, but this approximation had significant flaws in that it was not capable of calculating atomic orbital shell structure.<sup>87</sup> The electronic exchange energy term  $E_{XC}$ . was later independently introduced by Paul Dirac and Eugene Wigner in the 1930s.<sup>89,90</sup> The exchange energy term compensates for the oversimplification of electron repulsion introduced by  $E_J$ . which does not account for the correlation of the electrons with respect to their spin and motion. Hohenberg and Kohn showed that the atomic electronic energy can be calculated in terms of electron density  $\rho(r)$ . and all other components of the system are functionals,  $E[\rho(r)]$ , of electron density.<sup>91,92</sup> By incorporating electron density, Equation 2-54 can be rewritten as:

$$E_{tot}[n] = E_T[n] + E_V[n] + E_J[n] + E_{XC}[n] \quad (2-55)$$

where each energy term is now written as a functional of electron density. Equation 2-55 represents the Schrödinger equation of a “fictitious system of noninteracting electrons that generate the same density as the system of interest.”<sup>84,91</sup> This fictitious system mitigates two huge problems in DFT:

- 1.) The exact energy functional is unknown
- 2.) An accurate *a priori* electron density is unknown

This method is considered the Kohn-Sham (KS) approach where the molecular energy can be expressed as the sum of terms including an unknown functional and an initial guess of  $\rho(r)$  is used to calculate the initial guess of KS orbital and energy levels.<sup>89</sup> The KS approach is analogous to the variational approach in that an initial guess is made and tested with the wavefunction to obtain a new guess. The ground-state energy of the atomic or molecular system is represented by:<sup>88,92</sup>

$$E_0 = \langle T[\rho(r)] \rangle + \langle V_{Ne}[\rho(r)] \rangle + \langle V_{ee}[\rho(r)] \rangle \quad (2-56)$$

where the first term represents the kinetic energy of the system, the second represents the attraction between the nucleus and electrons, and the third represents the Coulombic repulsion term. Note that all three terms are functionals of electron density. Evaluating the second term using the potential energy operator  $\hat{V}_{Ne}$  and applying the definition of an expectation value:

$$\hat{V}_{Ne} = \sum_{i=1}^{2N} v(r_i) \quad (2-57)$$

$$\langle V_{Ne} \rangle = \langle \Psi | \hat{V}_{Ne} | \Psi \rangle = \int \rho(r) v(r) dr \quad (2-58)$$

where  $v(r_i)$  is the external potential caused by the attraction of electron  $i$  at distance  $r$  away from the nucleus. The ground-state energy equation can be rewritten as:

$$E_0 = \langle T[\rho(r)] \rangle + \int \rho(r) v(r) dr + \langle V_{ee}[\rho(r)] \rangle \quad (2-59)$$

while the first and third functionals cannot be evaluated exactly. The KS reference method instead incorporates the deviation of the real electronic kinetic and real potential energies from those of the reference.<sup>92</sup>

$$\Delta \langle T[\rho_0] \rangle = \langle T[\rho_0] \rangle_{real} - \langle T[\rho_0] \rangle_{ref} \quad (2-60)$$

$$\Delta \langle V_{ee}[\rho_0] \rangle = \langle V_{ee}[\rho_0] \rangle_{real} - \frac{1}{2} \iint \frac{\rho_0(r_1)\rho_0(r_2)}{r_{12}} dr_1 dr_2 \quad (2-61)$$

Equation 2-59 becomes:

$$E_0 = \langle T[\rho(r)] \rangle_{ref} + \int \rho(r) v(r) dr + \frac{1}{2} \iint \frac{\rho_0(r_1)\rho_0(r_2)}{r_{12}} dr_1 dr_2 + E_{XC}[\rho_0] \quad (2-62)$$

$$\langle T[\rho(r)] \rangle_{ref} = \langle \Psi_r \left| \sum_{i=1}^{2N} -\frac{1}{2} \nabla_i^2 \right| \Psi_r \rangle \quad (2-63)$$

where  $E_{XC}[\rho_0]$  is the electron exchange-correlation energy functional and is equivalent to the sum of  $\Delta \langle T[\rho_0] \rangle$  and  $\Delta \langle V_{ee}[\rho_0] \rangle$ . Taking half of the double integral prevents the inclusion of redundant repulsion energies (e.g.  $r_1/r_2$  and  $r_2/r_1$  cause the same repulsion).

Density Functional Theory is both feasible and applicable because electron density can be represented as the sum of the square of  $N$  orbital densities which define a single Slater determinant. As previously mentioned, finding the exact form of the electronic exchange-correlation energy  $E_{XC}$  is an established problem in DFT but the Schrödinger equation of a many-electron system can be solved self-consistently, analogous to HF-SCF method.

$$\hat{H}_{KS} \Psi_i(\vec{r}) = \varepsilon_i \Psi_i(\vec{r}) \quad (2-64)$$

$$\hat{H}_{KS} = -\frac{1}{2} \nabla^2 + v_{KS}(r) \quad (2-65)$$

$$v_{KS} = v_{ext}(r) + v_H(r) + v_{XC}(r) \quad (2-66)$$

where  $\hat{H}_{KS}$  is the KS Hamiltonian represented by Equation 2-65. The KS potential (Equation 2-66) is defined as the sum of the external potential  $v_{ext}$ , the Hartree potential  $v_H$ , and the

electronic exchange-correlation potential  $v_{XC}$ . A self-consistent process would begin with a guess of the initial trial electron density which is then used to calculate the KS potential. A new electron density can be found using Equation 2-53 and Equation 2-64. This iterative process is repeated until the initial guess is equivalent to the new guess.<sup>89,92</sup> This calculation must be done computationally due to its complexity, but approximations are made to reduce the amount of time required for such a calculation to be performed.

### *DFT Exchange-Correlation Functionals*

Approximations are made when using DFT for computational calculations since they reduce the amount of processing power required to obtain reasonably accurate results. The simplest approximation model of DFT is the Local Density Approximation (LDA), which takes the electronic exchange energy at each point in space to be the same for a homogenous electron gas with electron density  $\rho(r)$  for that point. Local Density Approximation defines the electronic exchange energy functional as:

$$E_X^{LDA}[\rho(r)] = \int \rho(r) \varepsilon_X^{LDA} [\rho(r)] dr \quad (2-67)$$

where  $\varepsilon_X^{LDA}$  is the exchange and correlation energy per electron in a homogeneous electron gas with electron density  $\rho(r)$ .<sup>88</sup> LDA can also be applied to spin-polarized systems by incorporating spin-up and spin-down elements:<sup>93</sup>

$$E_{XC}^{LSDA}[\rho_\alpha, \rho_\beta] = \int \rho(r) \varepsilon_{XC}^{LSDA} [\rho_\alpha, \rho_\beta] dr \quad (2-68)$$

where  $\rho_\alpha$  and  $\rho_\beta$  represent the electron density of spin-up and spin-down electrons, respectively. LDA tends to underestimate exchange energy by roughly 10% and overestimates correlation energy. While this deviation from ideality from both energies balances itself to a degree, better

approximations can be made to consider atomic and molecular systems. An electron density gradient can be considered to correct this error to account for non-homogeneity.<sup>90</sup> The GGA model is used to incorporate these gradients:<sup>94-97</sup>

$$E_{XC}^{GGA}[\rho_\alpha, \rho_\beta] = \int \rho(r) \varepsilon_{XC}^{GGA} [\rho_\alpha, \rho_\beta, \nabla \rho_\alpha, \nabla \rho_\beta] d^3r \quad (2-69)$$

where  $\nabla \rho_\alpha$  and  $\nabla \rho_\beta$  are the electron density gradient functions for spin-up and spin-down electrons, respectively. The B88 DFT functional, named after its creator and publication year, is one of the first proposed LDA functionals and serves as the foundation of many modern DFT functionals.<sup>97</sup>

$$E_X = E_X^{LDA} - \beta \sum_{\sigma} \int \rho_{\sigma}^{4/3} \frac{x_{\sigma}^2}{1 + 6\beta x_{\sigma} \sinh^{-1}} d^3r \quad (2-70)$$

where  $\beta$  is a parametric constant,  $\sigma$  denotes spin-up or spin-down electrons, and  $x_{\sigma}$  is a dimensionless ratio of the electronic density gradient function  $\nabla \rho_0$  and the spherical density  $\rho_{\sigma}^{4/3}$ . The PW91 functional, developed by Perdew and Wang in 1991, is a popular GGA functional used in solid-state DFT band structure calculations and comprises a non-empirical structure.<sup>95,98</sup> Rather than incorporating parameters that match experimental data, the PW91 functional exactly calculates the *ab initio* quantum mechanical relations and is an analytical fit to the GGA functional but can also accept modifications to fit other exact parameters.<sup>95,99</sup> An advancement of exchange-correlation functionals are hybrid functions, which incorporates a portion of Hartree-Fock exact exchange energy while the rest of the exchange-correlation energy comes from *ab initio* or semi-empirical sources. Equation 2-71 describes the *adiabatic connection* model which demonstrates the “switching on” of interelectronic repulsion:

$$E_{XC} = \int_0^1 \langle \Psi(\lambda) | V_{XC} | \Psi(\lambda) \rangle \quad (2-71)$$

where  $\lambda$  is the coupling parameter. There is no interelectronic interaction when  $\lambda = 0$  and the exact system is represented when  $\lambda = 1$ .

The sum of the entire area under the curve, including the HF exchange energy area, is equal to  $E_{XC}$ . Equation 2-72 incorporates a factor  $z$ , which is an optimizable parameter that represents the fraction of the upper rectangle included under the curve. The exchange-correlation energy can also be defined as:<sup>69,100</sup>

$$E_{XC} = E_X^{HF} - z \left( \sum_{XC}^{DFT} - \sum_X^{HF} \right) \quad (2-72)$$

Becke used this equivalence and set  $z = 0.5$  when applying it to the G1 test set in his paper.<sup>67</sup> The error in enthalpy of formation for this test set was only 6.4 kcal/mol and this approximation was termed the Half-and-Half method.<sup>67,69</sup> This led to Becke developing his 3-parameter DFT functional (B3PW91) based on the PW91 functional and was later improved by Lee, Yang, and Par to produce the Becke, 3-parameter, Lee-Yang-Par (B3LYP) functional:<sup>67,68,93,101,102</sup>

$$E_{XC}^{B3LYP} = (1 - a)E_X^{LSDA} - aE_X^{HF} + b\nabla E_X^B + (1 - c)E_C^{LSDA} + cE_C^{LYP} \quad (2-73)$$

where  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  are variable parameters that were experimentally determined to be 0.20, 0.72, and 0.81, respectively. The first term is the LSDA exchange energy, the second term is a percentage of HF exchange energy that replaces the LSDA exchange energy, the third term is the scaled GGA exchange correction, the fourth term is the LSDA correlation energy, and the fifth term is the percentage of generalized gradient of LSDA correlation energy. A report from 2007

shows that B3LYP was by far the most used DFT functional among several others over a period of 5 years.<sup>102</sup> While B3LYP can accurately calculate small molecular systems, it tends to degrade with the inclusion of metals and solid-state systems since it lacks a good description of a “free-electron-like” system.<sup>103</sup> A useful functional for studying solid-state or semi-conductor systems is PBE0, a hybrid version of the original PBE functional, however the performance of B3LYP is still comparable depending on the system.<sup>103–105</sup>

### Basis Sets

A basis set is a set of functions that describes an electronic wavefunction generated via HF or DFT methods. Such functions used in chemistry-related *ab initio* calculations are Gaussian-type functions since they best represent atomic and molecular orbitals.<sup>57</sup> Atomic orbitals can be represented by either Slater-type (STO) or Gaussian-type orbitals (GTO). STO’s are solutions to the Schrödinger equation of hydrogen-like atoms and they decay exponentially as the distance from the nucleus increases. These functions represent atomic orbitals and can be linearly combined to form molecular orbital functions. Taking the following form:

$$\chi_{n,l,m}(r, \theta, \phi) = N_{n,l,m,\xi} Y_{l,m}(\theta, \phi) r^{n-1} e^{-\xi r} \quad (2-74)$$

where  $N_{n,l,m,\xi}$  represents a normalization constant;  $n$ ,  $l$ , and  $m$ , the quantum numbers, and characterize the STO while  $r$ ,  $\theta$ , and  $\phi$  are the spherical coordinates.  $Y_{l,m}$  is a spherical harmonic.

The exact wavefunction for a hydrogen-like atom is known but this is not useful when factoring in intramolecular interactions from the surrounding atoms which alter the electron density around the atom being described. Therefore, the STO’s do not accurately describe

electron correlation and calculating the 2-electron integrals is computationally expensive. S.F. Boys<sup>103</sup> stated that STO's can be approximated as linear combinations of GTO's and do not require the laborious evaluation of these complex 2-electron integrals.<sup>103</sup> This discovery led to the development of STO basis sets formed by the combination of primitive Gaussian functions which take the general form:

$$\chi_{a,b,c}(r, \theta, \phi) = N_{a,b,c,\alpha} \mathbf{x}^a \mathbf{y}^b \mathbf{z}^c e^{-\alpha r^2} \quad (2-75)$$

where  $\mathbf{x}$ ,  $\mathbf{y}$ , and  $\mathbf{z}$  are cartesian coordinates and  $r = x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ .

Minimal basis sets prescribe a certain number of Gaussian functions to a single STO in an atom. The number of GTOs used in a minimal basis set is denoted by the notation used these sets: STO- $nG$ , where  $n$  is the number of GTOs used to approximate the single STO. For example, considering a carbon atom that has electron configuration [1s, 2s, 2p], 5 STOs would be required to describe the atomic orbitals since the 1s and 2s orbitals require 1 STO each, and the 2p orbital requires 3 STOs since it can be broken into a 2p<sub>x</sub>, 2p<sub>y</sub>, and 2p<sub>z</sub> orbital. For an STO-3G basis set, 3 Gaussians will be combined for each STO used in the evaluation of each atomic orbital. A larger number of Gaussians used in a minimal basis set typically increases the accuracy of the calculation up to a point. Minimal basis sets are computationally cheap but are insufficient for obtaining research-level quantitative results since a single Slater function is used to describe an atomic orbital. Typical minimal basis sets that are used are STO-3G, -4G, -5G, and -6G while additional functions can be included to account for polarization. Polarization functions are typically denoted by an asterisk (*e.g.* STO- $nG^*$ ) which adds empty valence orbital functions to the basis set. For hydrogen, a polarized set would add a 2s function and 3 2p functions which allows for the electron containing orbitals to be more asymmetric about the

nucleus. Inclusion of a polarization function for an atom with valence  $p$  orbitals adds 5  $d$  orbital functions and so on.

The most common type of basis sets suitable for accurate *ab initio* calculations are split-valence basis sets. Made famous by John Pople,<sup>104</sup> split-valence sets prescribe more than one basis function for each valence orbital. Pople basis set notation takes the form X-YZG, where X is the number of primitive Gaussians assigned to each core atomic orbital, Y is the number of Gaussians of one type assigned for each valence orbital, and Z is the number of Gaussians of another type assigned for each valence orbital. Since there are two different types of GTOs used for the valence orbital, this notation implies a doubly-split split-valence basis set. The importance of using GTOs is outlined by analyzing the zeta component of a typical 1s Gaussian orbital function:

$$f_{1s}(r) = N_{1s} e^{-\zeta r^2} \quad (2-76)$$

where  $N_{1s}$  is a constant for the 1s orbital,  $r$  is the distance away from the nucleus, and  $\zeta$  (zeta) is the orbital exponent. The orbital exponent determines the size of the orbital and, in turn, determines its diffuseness over the distance,  $r$ , from the nucleus. The orbital exponent for a 1s orbital  $\zeta_{1s}$  is known exactly but unknown when in a molecule due to electron density distortions caused by other atoms in its surroundings. Using two types (double zeta) of 1s-type orbital in the set allows for variations in electron density of the atom due to bonding and other intramolecular interactions. By including a second 1s-type orbital with a different orbital exponent, one that makes the function broader and more diffuse, the representation of the electron density becomes closer to that of the true system. Figure 8 depicts two different 1s-type orbitals with different orbital exponents, where  $\zeta = 3.0 \text{ \AA}^{-2}$  for Function 1 and  $\zeta = 1.0 \text{ \AA}^{-2}$  for Function 2.<sup>105</sup>

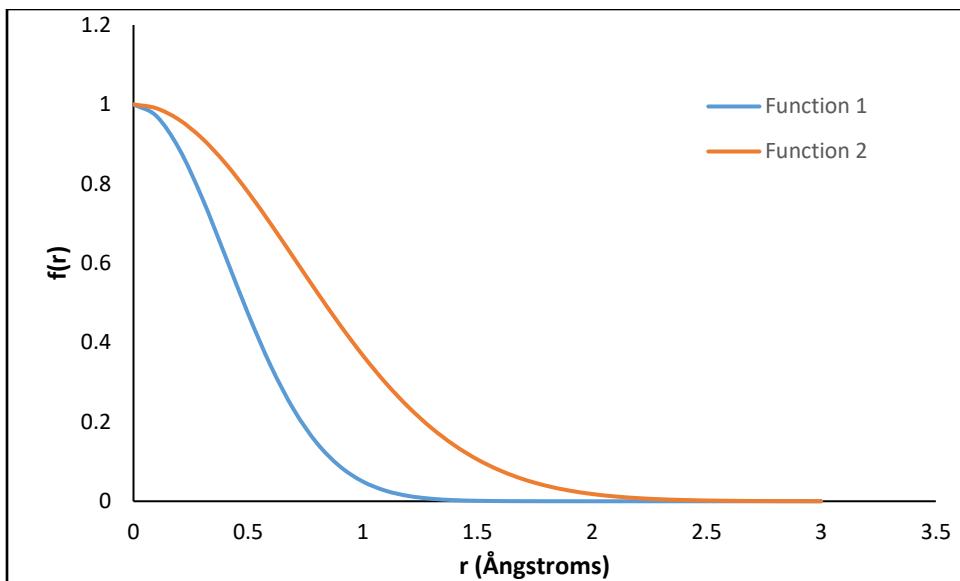


Figure 8: Representation of two 1s-type orbitals with different orbital exponents

Commonly used doubly split Pople basis sets include 3-21G, 3-21G\*, 6-31G, and 6-31G\*, where the asterisk denotes added polarization. Extended Pople basis sets can also include diffuse functions which are denoted by (+). The 6-31+G\* represents a set that uses a linear combination of 6 GTOs to describe each core orbital, 3 GTOs of one type and 1 GTO of another type to describe the valence orbitals, a diffuse function, and polarization function. Diffuse functions have very small orbital exponents, so they decay slowly with distance  $r$  from the nucleus and are useful for calculating the energy of molecules with anions, weak bonds, and calculating NMR chemical shifts and dipole moments.<sup>106–110</sup> Higher order split-valence Pople basis sets exist (e.g. 6-311++G\*\*) with even more diffuse functions and extensive polarization and offer extreme accuracy but are very computationally expensive.

Another widely used category of split-valence basis sets is the *correlation-consistent* category, proposed by Dunning and coworkers, and a systematic pathway for symmetric convergence of post-Hartree-Fock calculations and empirical extrapolation to an infinitely large

basis set.<sup>111–115</sup> Correlation-consistent basis sets add shells of functions upon the core atomic functions. Also referred to as Dunning basis sets, the notation takes the form *cc-pVNZ*, where *cc-p* is *correlation-consistent-polarized*, *V* indicates these are valence-only functions, and *NZ* indicates the amount splitting or number of valence functions added to the core functions. Common correlation-consistent basis sets include *cc-pVDZ*, *cc-pVTZ*, *cc-pVQZ*, *cc-pV5Z*, etc.; each set indicates increasing zeta splitting as *N* increases. For first and second row atoms, a *cc-pVDZ* basis set will add an s-type, a p-type, and a d-type function to the core function. Diffuse functions can also be added and are represented as *aug-cc-pVNZ*, where *aug* indicates the addition of diffuse functions. Heavier second row atoms (Na-Ar) can be better represented using additional d-type orbitals and these basis sets are written as *cc-pV(n+d)Z*, where *n+d* indicates the number of tight d-type functions added to the original basis set. These correlation-consistent basis sets allow extrapolation to an infinitely large basis set. This method requires data from typically three or more different calculations with different basis sets (*e.g.* -VDZ, -VTZ, and -VQZ) and is then fit to a power function:

$$E_X^{corr} = E_{\infty}^{corr} + AN^{-3} \quad (2-77)$$

where  $E_X^{corr}$  is the correlation energy obtained by the basis set with *N* splitting indicated by the Dunning set notation (D = 2, T = 3, etc.),  $E_{\infty}^{corr}$  is the basis set limit of the correlation energy, and *A* is a fitting parameter.<sup>116</sup> In the case of a two-point data set obtained by using correlation-consistent basis sets with N values of X and Y, the basis set limit of the correlation energy,  $E_{XY}^{\infty}$  produced by extrapolating said basis sets can be calculated using Equation 2-78.

$$E_{XY}^{\infty} = \frac{E_X^{corr}X^3 - E_Y^{corr}Y^3}{X^3 - Y^3} \quad (2-78)$$

Two-point Complete Basis Set (CBS) extrapolations are possible using this method when higher-order Dunning sets are used such as when X=5 and Y=6 but these basis sets are computationally expensive and will increase wall time significantly depending on the calculation hardware's capability. It may be easier to use a three-point CBS extrapolation that utilizes lower-order sets such as double- and triple-zeta sets, but these lower-order sets contain little information about the asymptotic convergence of the dynamical correlation energy and results in larger absolute error, on the scale of mHa, in the energy.<sup>116</sup>

### *Solvation Models*

While gas-phase *in vacuo* calculations yield good thermodynamic data, it may be necessary to observe the interactions between the molecule of interest and a solvent. The way that the solvent is portrayed or treated in a calculation is called the solvent model and knowing which model to choose for a calculation is an important criterion for obtaining useful data. This is particularly useful in novel drug synthesis as the drug must be able to function as intended while solvated with water. The two main solvent models used in computational chemistry are *implicit* and *explicit* solvent models.

Implicit solvent models represent the solvent as a continuous isotropic medium (continuum) and are often used to observe biomolecular solute-solvent interactions such as protein folding or the behavior of drugs passing through a biological membrane.<sup>117–120</sup> The solvent properties are calculated as the mean behavior of several solvent molecules and have specific dielectric properties. The solute is placed in a cavity within the continuum and is subjected to approximated intermolecular forces.<sup>121</sup> The charge distribution of the solute polarizes the solvent medium at the solute-solvent interface. The Hamiltonian of the total

implicitly represented system can be represented by the sum of energy operators which are functions of the solute molecule coordinates:

$$\hat{H}^{total}(r_m) = \hat{H}^{molecule}(r_m) + \hat{V}^{molecule+solvent}(r_m) \quad (2-79)$$

where  $\hat{H}^{molecule}(r_m)$  is the Hamiltonian for the solute molecule and  $\hat{V}^{molecule+solvent}(r_m)$  is the potential energy operator of the energy potential between the solute molecule and solvent medium.<sup>121</sup> A continuous function of the solute geometry determines the effects that the first solvent shell has on the solute molecule, which includes charge transfer, approximated hydrogen bonding, and dispersion interactions. This serves as the basis for the *accessible surface area* (ASA) method which defines the Gibbs energy of the solvent as the sum of the products of the solute's ASA and solvation parameter:

$$\Delta G_{solv} = \sum_i \sigma_i ASA_i \quad (2-80)$$

where  $\sigma_i$  is the solvation parameter and is a contribution of free energy from the solvent per unit area. The free energy of solvation can also be represented by the sum of thermodynamic portions of the system:

$$\Delta G_{solv} = \Delta G_{cavity} + \Delta G_{disp} + \Delta G_{elec} + \Delta G_{hb} \quad (2-81)$$

where  $\Delta G_{cavity}$  is the energy required to form the solute cavity in the medium,  $\Delta G_{disp}$  is the energy of dispersion in the first solvent shell,  $\Delta G_{elec}$  is the electrostatic energy or polarization induced by the molecule,  $\Delta G_{hb}$  is the hydrogen bonding component. For calculating the electrostatic contribution to the total free energy of solvation, the Poisson-Boltzmann equation is

used and particularly useful in this continuum model for analyzing solvents that contain ions.<sup>122-</sup>

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$$\vec{\nabla} * [\varepsilon(\vec{r}) \vec{\nabla} \Psi(\vec{r})] = -\rho^f(\vec{r}) - \sum_i c_i^\infty z_i q \lambda(\vec{r}) \exp\left(\frac{-z_i q \Psi(\vec{r})}{kT}\right) \quad (2-81)$$

where  $\varepsilon(\vec{r})$  is the solvent dielectric constant,  $\Psi(\vec{r})$  is the electrostatic potential,  $\rho^f(\vec{r})$  is the charge density of the solute,  $c_i^\infty$  is the concentration of ion  $i$  at infinite distance from the solute,  $z_i$  is the ion's valence number,  $q$  is the charge of a proton,  $\lambda(\vec{r})$  is a factor of ion accessibility to the solute,  $k$  is Boltzmann's constant, and  $T$  is temperature. The Poisson-Boltzmann equation (PBE) can be computationally expensive without applying approximations and is not suitable for molecular dynamics calculations, but it can be linearized if the electrostatic potential is not too large, which reduces computational cost.<sup>126</sup> The Generalized-Born (GB) model is based on the linearized approximation of the PBE and treats the solute as a collection of spheres with an interior dielectric constant different from that of the solvent continuum. The GB model of the electrostatic energy is represented by:

$$\Delta G_{solv}^{el} = \frac{1}{2} \sum \frac{q_i q_j}{f_{ij}} \left( \frac{\exp(-kf_{ij})}{\varepsilon_{out}} - \frac{1}{\varepsilon_{in}} \right) \quad (2-83)$$

$$f_{ij} = \sqrt{r_{ij}^2 + B_i B_j \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{4B_i B_j}\right)} \quad (2-84)$$

$$B_i = -\frac{q_i^2}{2\varepsilon_{in} \Delta G_i} \quad (2-85)$$

where  $q_i$  and  $q_j$  are the charges of the solute spheres  $i$  and  $j$ ,  $\varepsilon_{in}$  is the dielectric constant of the solute,  $\varepsilon_{out}$  is the dielectric constant of continuum that extends to  $r = \infty$ ,  $r_{ij}$  is the distance

between sphere  $i$  and  $j$ , and  $B_i$  and  $B_j$  are the effective Born radii of the  $i^{th}$  and  $j^{th}$  spheres. The effective Born radius can be thought as the distance from the center or “nucleus” of the sphere to the molecular surface and proper estimation of this radius is crucial to the accuracy of GB model calculations. The averaged continuum model makes for fast approximations that are accurate for observing solvated biomolecules such as pharmaceuticals and proteins but the short-range physics of solvation such as hydrogen bonding cannot be accurately represented.

The explicit solvent model treats the solvent as individual explicit solvent molecules surrounding the solute, which produces a more intuitively realistic picture for observing the physics of solute-solvent interactions. Explicit solvation is commonly used in molecular mechanics, molecular dynamics,<sup>127</sup> and Monte Carlo calculations,<sup>128</sup> and is typically evaluated quantum mechanically. Zheng and coworkers<sup>129</sup> compared PB and GB implicit models and explicit models for calculating the solvation free energy in organic solvents and found that the implicit models gave poor agreement with explicit models and even worse agreement with experimental values. They determined that the main source of error was from not being able to correctly predict the nonpolar free energy contribution to the total solvation free energy:

$$\Delta G_{solv} = \Delta G_{polar} + \Delta G_{apolar} \quad (2-86)$$

implicit models crudely approximate  $\Delta G_{solv}$  by uncoupling polar electrostatic and nonpolar interactions.<sup>129</sup>

Explicit solvation interactions can be evaluated quantum mechanically using HF, DFT, MP2, etc., but can also be calculated using MM forcefield models such as Simple Point Charge (SPC). Forcefields simplify the structure of the solvent molecules by treating them as point charges but retaining their dispersion and repulsion parameters. The treatment of these point

charges is entirely dependent on the type of model used as there are several different parameters that can be modified according to the forcefield, such as temperature-dependent maximum density, critical point, dielectric constant, bond angles, and bond lengths.<sup>130</sup>

### *Conformer Analysis*

Searching for stable low-energy conformers is useful for generating a good starting structure before performing a geometry optimization or calculating vibrational frequencies of the molecule. A conformational search utilizes MM or MD to identify a likely molecular conformation, an arrangement of atoms in a molecule introduced by the rotation of a sigma bond, that exhibits the actual behavior of the molecule at a minimum along the potential energy surface (PES).<sup>131</sup> During a conformer search, several conformers are tried and tested and are either higher or lower in energy relative to the base molecule. For example, butane has higher and lower energy conformations based upon the central sigma bond. Rotation about this bond introduces the lower energy “staggered” and higher energy “eclipsed” conformations, dependent upon the relative locations of the methyl groups. There are various methods for conformational analysis:<sup>131</sup>

1. *Systematic/Grid Search:* The dihedral angles are systematically varied while keeping the bond lengths and angles fixed. This method generates a possibly large number of conformers but does not identify those with the lowest energies.
2. *Structure-based:* This manipulates smaller fragments of the molecule and considers each fragment to be independent of one another.
3. *Random:* The base molecule is modified through random movement of the Cartesian space in which it lies, and each new generated structure is added to a library. This iterative process of random change and measurement persists until either the desired

structure is obtained, all structures are sampled, or a desired number of steps are performed.

4. *Distance Geometry*: Many independent structures are generated in the conformational space within the specified constraints. Each structure is evaluated for its energy using force fields.<sup>132</sup> Since each molecule can be described with minimum and maximum distances between each pair of atoms, a matrix is generated, and conformers are made using these upper- and lower-bound conditions.
5. *Monte Carlo*: Random changes to the dihedral angles and coordinates of atoms generate new conformers, which are added to the list if the energy is lower than that of the starting structure. However, if the newly generated structure is higher than the base structure in energy, it is accepted by analyzing its algorithmic probability, applying the energy to a probability distribution function (*e.g.* Boltzmann distribution).
6. *Genetic algorithm*: A random pool size of  $n$  conformers is generated and all structures are energy minimized. At least 2 lowest-energy conformers are selected before a genetic operation is performed. A “roulette wheel” decision is performed on the selection of the conformers. A fitness function assigns a “fitness level” or probability to each conformer. The probability of a specific sample being selected is dependent upon its energy and can be envisioned similarly to placing a bet on a casino roulette wheel, where certain bets bear higher or lower probability of a payout. A mutation is performed on the selected conformers and the energies of the resulting “children” structures are minimized. This new generation comprises the lowest energy conformers and the iterative process is repeated until the desired number of conformers is obtained.<sup>133</sup> This method has been

shown to outperform Monte Carlo conformational analyses for longer unbranched alkanes (18-38 carbons).<sup>134</sup>

Force fields are used to estimate intramolecular and intermolecular forces in MM and MD calculations without being computationally costly. A force field can be described as a set of parameters that calculate the potential energy of an atom or molecule in the simulation.<sup>135</sup> In comparison to QM methods such as DFT and Coupled Cluster theory,<sup>136</sup> force field calculations do not describe the intramolecular interactions and electron polarization as accurately.<sup>135</sup> Several different force fields exist and are implemented depending on the molecular system being described. One of the earliest force fields developed for molecular mechanics calculations as the MM2 force field, initially created for precisely analyzing and modeling hydrocarbons and small organic molecules.<sup>137</sup> Additions to the MM2 force field included improved treatment of aliphatic hydrocarbons (MM3)<sup>138</sup> and calculations of vibrational frequencies and rotational barriers for alkanes a cycloalkanes (MM4).<sup>139</sup> The Assisted Model Building and Energy Refinement (AMBER) is a collection of various force fields used to describe proteins and other large biomolecules.<sup>140</sup> The Merck Molecular Force Field (MMFF) is a family of force fields that were developed to model a wide range of organic molecules, with the first of them published being MMFF94. This force field parametrizes several properties of the molecule against several crystallographically determined structures.<sup>141</sup> Universal Force Field (UFF), like MMFF, was developed to serve as a universal force field (hence the name) for a wide variety of molecules but while also including parameters for the rest of the periodic table, including actinides. However, its overall generality introduces inaccuracies (mHa scale) in molecules other than hydrocarbons and those that contain heteroatoms.<sup>142</sup>

This chapter has outlined the fundamental concepts of quantum mechanics and computational methods necessary for undertaking the bulk of this research. While these fundamentals will not be further expanded upon in detail, they are still prevalent in the background while utilizing various basis sets, theories (HF, MP2, or DFT), functionals, force fields, conformer searches, and *ab initio* or semi-empirical (PM6) calculations involving geometry optimizations.

## CHAPTER 3. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

### *Computational Details*

All *ab initio* calculations were performed using NWChem,<sup>143</sup> developed and maintained by the Environment Molecular Sciences Laboratory located at the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory. Semi-empirical calculations were performed using the Molecular Orbital PACkage (MOPAC) PM6 parameterization method.<sup>73</sup> Initial solvent configurations for explicit solvation calculations were generated by an open-source program, PACKMOL, which was developed by the Institute of Chemistry and Institute of Mathematics at the University of Campinas, and by the Institute of Mathematics and Statistics at the University of São Paulo.<sup>144</sup> Force field optimizations and conformational analyses were performed using Avogadro, an open-source molecular modeling and visualization program.<sup>145,146</sup> All geometries of DHLA, ALA, and their hydroxyl radical adducts were optimized using DFT/B3LYP level of theory with 6-31G\* and cc-pVDZ basis sets. Complete basis set (CBS) energies were calculated through extrapolation using fully reoptimized geometries obtained by cc-pVDZ, cc-pVTZ, and cc-pVQZ DFT and HF optimizations, and were compared to energies obtained using DFT/B3LYP/6-31G\* level of theory. The WebMO quantum chemistry package was used for the molecular editor and graphic visualizations software when running and queueing *ab initio* and semi-empirical calculations.<sup>147</sup>

### *Energies and Geometries of ALA and DHLA*

It should be noted that all *ab initio* (NWChem) geometry optimizations were performed in the gas-phase. Before submitting a job into WebMO, the structure of interest was derived from a 50-children genetic algorithm conformational analysis, performed in Avogadro, using a UFF force field. Analyzing and understanding the initial optimized geometry of the parent molecules, DHLA and ALA, gives a better understanding of the effects that free radicals have on them after the formation of a spin adduct. The bond lengths and angles of interest for DHLA and ALA are listed in Table 1. The labeling scheme for both molecules is in Figure 9.

Table 1: Calculated bond lengths and angles for DHLA and ALA, optimized at DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ

DHLA		ALA	
Set of atoms	Bond length ( $\text{\AA}$ ) or angle (deg.)	Set of atoms	Bond length ( $\text{\AA}$ ) or angle (deg.)
C1-S2	1.855	S1-S2	2.124
C3-S1	1.880	C1-S2	1.839
S1-H1	1.359	C3-S1	1.885
S2-H2	1.359		
S1-C3-C2	111.481	S1-C3-C2	111.710
S2-C1-C2	112.692	S2-C1-C2	106.370
S1-C3-C4	113.110	S1-C3-C4	112.837
C2-C3-C4	113.299	C2-C3-C4	112.362
C1-C2-C3	118.524	C1-C2-C3	112.581

*Note:* All other bond lengths and angles not listed are found in Appendix A1

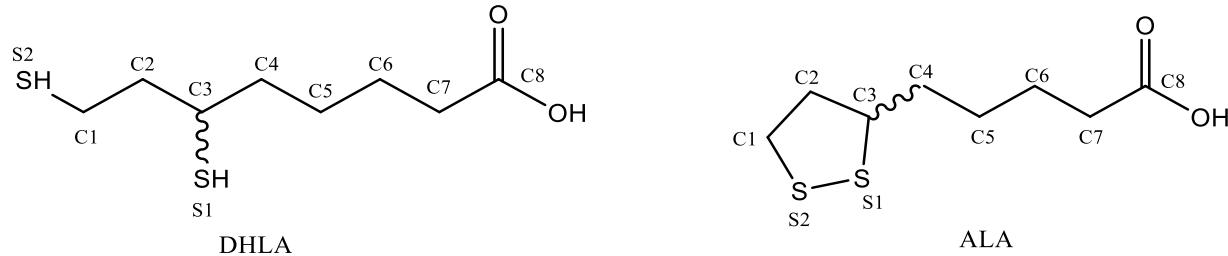


Figure 9: Labeling scheme for DHLA and ALA

The S2-C1 bond ( $1.855 \text{ \AA}$ ) is just longer than the S2-C1 bond in ALA ( $1.839 \text{ \AA}$ ) since S2 can rotate freely along C1-C2 and C2-C3. The same reasoning can be used to describe the differences in bond angles, especially within the 3-carbon chain of the ring: C1-C2-C3. The distance between S1 and S2 in DHLA was not listed in Table 1 since they are not bonded like they are in ALA and their distance is not relevant to this study.

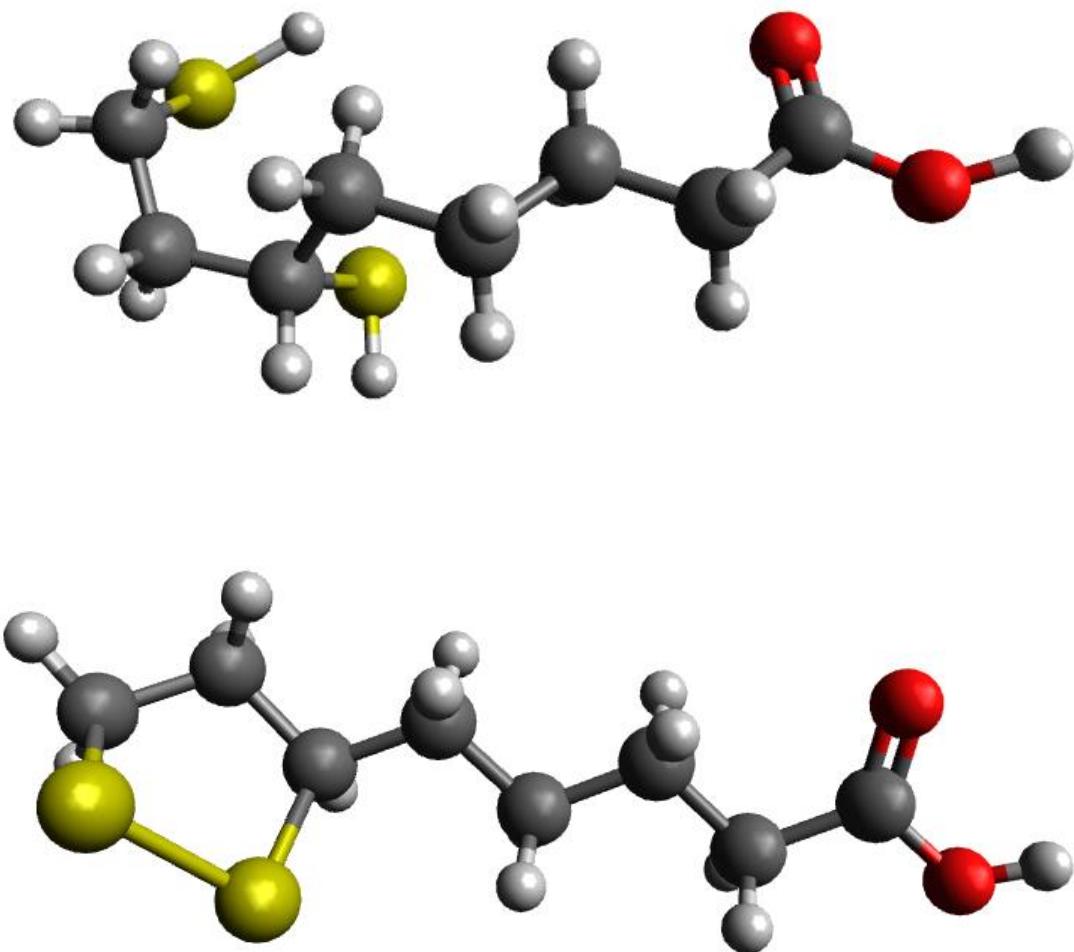


Figure 10: Avogadro 3-D representations of DHLA and ALA

Table 2: Geometry-optimized energies of ALA and DHLA under HF and DFT/B3LYP with various Pople and Dunning basis sets

ALA	HF/MP2/6-31G* (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1255.85496		
	DFT/B3LYP/6-31G* (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1260.12244		
	DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1260.19892		
	DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVTZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1260.38501	ECBS limit (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1260.45256
	DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVQZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1260.43457		
	HF/cc-pVDZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1255.94339		
	HF/cc-pVTZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1256.10822	ECBS limit (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1256.160861
DHLA	HF/cc-pVQZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1256.14812		
	HF/MP2/6-31G* (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1257.00987		
	DFT/B3LYP/6-31G* (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1261.32224		
	DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1261.39606	ECBS limit (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1261.65587
	DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVTZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1261.58990		
	DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVQZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1261.63912		
	HF/cc-pVDZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1257.11099	ECBS limit (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1257.32671
	HF/cc-pVTZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1257.27377		
	HF/cc-pVQZ (E <sub>h</sub> )	-1257.31371		

Note: Complete basis set energies (E<sub>CBS</sub>) were calculated using the exponential function<sup>116,148</sup>

Table 3: Gas-phase energies of optimized structures of DHLA-OH adducts and their binding energies at DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ

Adduct	Energy (E <sub>h</sub> )	Binding Energy (E <sub>h</sub> )	Binding energy (kcal/mol) <sup>a</sup>
DHLA-OH(S1)	-1337.1582	-0.79146	-496.64115
DHLA-OH(S2)	-1337.15944	-0.79270	-497.41925
DHLA-OH(S1) (Habs) <sup>b</sup>	-1336.61381	-0.24707	-155.03642
DHLA-OH(S2) (Habs)	-1336.60453	-0.23779	-149.21322
DHLA-OH(C1)	-1337.1829	-0.81616	-512.14040
DHLA-OH(C2)	-1337.17566	-0.80892	-507.59730
DHLA-OH(C3)	-1337.18401	-0.81727	-512.83692
DHLA-OH(C1) (Habs)	-1329.35737	7.00937	4398.37967
DHLA-OH(C2) (Habs)	-1329.35018	7.01656	4402.89140
DHLA-OH(C3) (Habs)	-1336.63018	-0.26344	-165.30860

Table 4: Gas-phase energies of optimized structures of ALA-OH adducts and their binding energies at DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ

Adduct	Energy (E <sub>h</sub> )	Binding Energy (E <sub>h</sub> )	Binding energy (kcal/mol)
ALA-OH(S1)	-1335.96142	-0.79182	-496.86705
ALA-OH(S2)	-1335.96590	-0.7963	-499.67825
ALA-OH(C1)	-1336.00778	-0.83818	-525.95795
ALA-OH(C2)	-1335.96656	-0.79696	-500.0924
ALA-OH(C3)	-1336.01069	-0.84109	-527.783975
ALA-OH(C1) (Habs)	-1328.18541	6.984181	4382.573578
ALA-OH(C2) (Habs)	-1335.41673	-0.24713	-155.074075
ALA-OH(C3) (Habs)	-1328.19190	6.9777	4378.50675

Notes: Adducts are named [parent]-[radical](binding site)

'Habs' refers to a reaction where the hydrogen atom is abstracted and replaced by ·OH

$$\text{Binding energy } (\Delta E) = E_{\text{product(s)}} - E_{\text{reactants}} = [E_{\text{adduct}} + E_{\text{side product}}] - [E_{\text{parent}} + 2 * E_{\text{radical}}]$$

$$\text{Example: } \Delta E_{\text{ALA-OH(S1)}} = [-1335.96142 - 76.42184] - [-1260.19892 - 2 * 75.69626] = \\ -0.79182$$

$$E_{\text{water}} = -76.42184 \text{ E}_h; E_{\cdot\text{OH}} = -75.69626 \text{ E}_h$$

Table 2 shows the calculated energies of the geometry-optimized structures of ALA and DHLA under HF and DFT with various basis sets. The energies calculated for ALA in Table 2 are comparable to those found by Mikulski *et al.*, who used MP2 with both Dunning and Pople basis sets [-DZ, -TZ, -QZ, 6-31G(3df,2p), 6-31+G(3df,2p), 6-31++G(3df,2p), and 6-311++G(3df,2p)],<sup>44</sup> and this suggests that these data obtained using correlation-consistent basis sets are in acceptable agreement with literature data. The DHLA energies are about 1 E<sub>h</sub> lower in energy than those for ALA because of the presence of 2 additional hydrogens from the dithiol. The energies derived from DFT optimizations are roughly 4 E<sub>h</sub> lower than those calculated under

HF. Tables 3 and 4 contain the optimized geometry energies of DHLA-OH and ALA-OH, which are the spin adducts formed after a reaction with  $\cdot\text{OH}$ . Each adduct is labeled such that it is easy to determine to which atom  $\cdot\text{OH}$  is directly bonded. For example, DHLA-OH(S1) has  $\cdot\text{OH}$  bonded to sulfur S1 as shown in Figure 9. The term “Habs” refers to reaction in which a hydrogen is abstracted the residual radical is quenched by  $\cdot\text{OH}$ , forming a singlet state adduct. Adducts that do not involve a hydrogen abstraction are also considered but their optimized structures suggest that  $\cdot\text{OH}$  addition is not favorable so a doublet state not likely to be obtained.

#### *Determining Primary Binding Sites*

The binding energies for DHLA-OH are mostly negative, which indicates thermodynamically favored adduct formations, aside from the “DHLA-OH(C1) Habs” and “DHLA-OH(C2) Habs” isomers which exhibit largely endergonic reactions. Surprisingly, the most negative binding energies belong to the formations of DHLA-OH(C1, C2, and C3) adducts in absence of a hydrogen abstraction but, as previously stated, these addition products are not expected. Previous computational literature on DHLA and ALA indicate that the more likely binding sites for  $\cdot\text{OH}$  is at the sulfurs since the HOMO are located on the sulfur atoms and their transition state calculations support this.<sup>44,46</sup> Although kinetics calculations were not performed as a part of this research, kinetics data from literature strongly suggests that DHLA is the dominant radical-quenching species.<sup>39,44,46–48</sup> Literature also suggests that the sulfur atoms are the most likely binding sites for adduct formation, but this still raises a question of whether a hydrogen will be abstracted in the process. These considerations suggest that a radical hydrogen abstraction from DHLA by free  $\cdot\text{OH}$  is likely to occur before a second  $\cdot\text{OH}$  bonds to the abstraction site, forming the spin adduct. The HOMO surfaces for DHLA and ALA were generated and are shown in Figure 11.

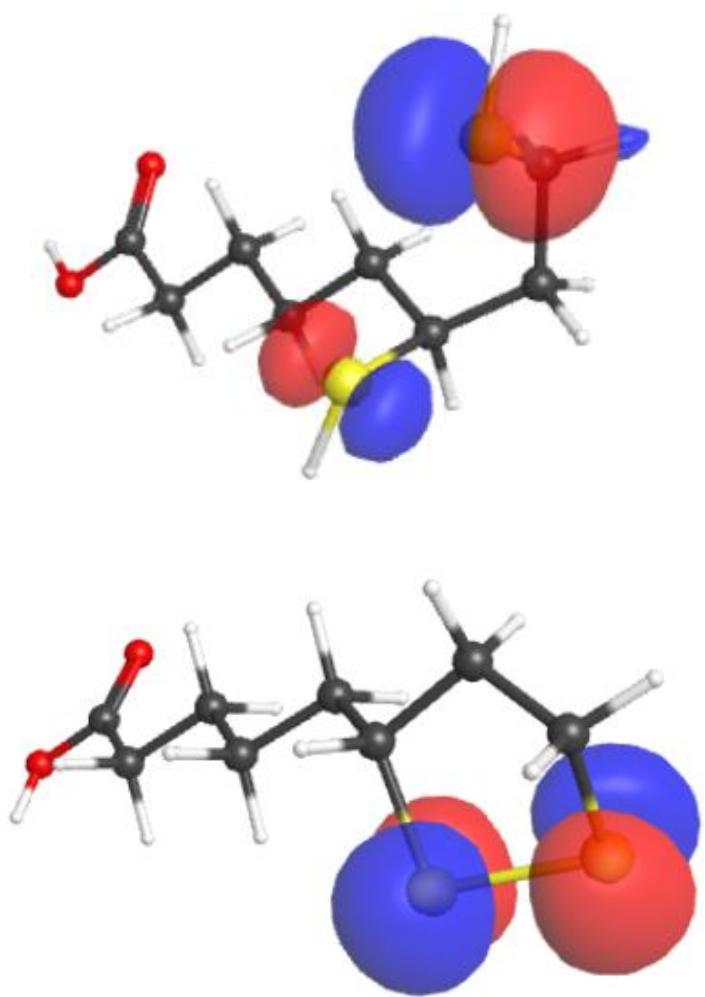


Figure 11: HOMO in DHLA (top) and ALA (bottom)

### Proposing a Mechanism

Since a hydrogen abstraction with DHLA may be suggested based on the results of found in this study, the energies of several single radical hydrogen-abstracted isomers are analyzed and listed in Table 5. This hydrogen transfer study was adapted from a publication by Castañ et al.<sup>46</sup> and an illustrated representation of it is found in Figure 12.

Table 5: Gas-phase energies of single hydrogen abstractions from DHLA calculated at DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ

<b>Radical structure</b>	<b>Energy (E<sub>h</sub>)</b>	<b>Abstraction energy (E<sub>h</sub>)</b>	<b>Abstraction energy (kcal/mol)</b>
HTC1	-1260.74288	-0.07240	-45.43100
HTC2	-1260.73912	-0.06864	-43.07160
HTC3	-1260.74548	-0.07500	-47.06250
HTC4	-1260.73481	-0.06433	-40.36707
HTC5	-1260.73066	-0.06018	-37.76295
HTC6	-1260.73073	-0.06025	-37.80687
HTC7	-1260.66396	0.00652	4.09130
HTS1	-1260.754835	-0.084355	-52.93276
HTS2	-1260.76049	-0.090017	-56.48566

$$\text{Abstraction energy} = E_{\text{product(s)}} - E_{\text{reactants}} = [E_{\text{DHLA}\cdot} + E_{\text{water}}] - [E_{\text{parent}} + E_{\text{radical}}]$$

Table 5 indicates that the most energetically favorable hydrogen abstractions in DHLA occur at the sulfur atoms, with sulfur S2 having a slightly thermodynamic preference of about 3.5 kcal/mol over sulfur S1. This further suggests that a hydrogen abstraction from sulfur S1 or S2 is thermodynamically favored over an abstraction occurring at any of the carbons. An abstraction from carbon C7 (HTC7) yielded a net positive  $\Delta E$  which is likely due to its proximity to the -COOH moiety. The protonated form (-COOH instead of -COO<sup>-</sup>) was studied in the gas-phase, however the deprotonated form would be the dominant in aqueous media since the pKa of -COOH ~5 and the pH of most physiological systems have a pH of 7.4. The protonated form

would be tested in lipid/nonpolar media since deprotonation of the carboxylic acid moiety is less likely to occur. When calculating abstraction energies, it is necessary to consider the solvent medium within which the molecule exists so that the proper form is considered to best simulate a real environment and choice of solvent affects energy calculations. The trend of thermodynamic stability between all samples in Table 5 follows the same trend found in the literature, however these values were calculated in both water and lipid continuums.<sup>46</sup> These energies are roughly 15-19 kcal/mol higher in water than they are *in vacuo*. The differences in abstraction energy from the sulfur atoms and the other carbon atoms suggests that a S-H abstraction is far more likely than a C-H abstraction.

Another common theoretical calculation done with DHLA and ALA is the single-electron transfer mechanism (SET), but this was not performed in this study due to time constraints because Castañ *et al.* states that SET is an endergonic process in both polar and nonpolar media. On the other hand, SET in ALA is exergonic in aqueous media but endergonic in lipid media. A nonpolar medium (*e.g.* lipid) prevents SET from being a favorable mechanism since anionic products are not stabilized in a nonpolar solvent. A similar hydrogen abstraction study was also performed by Galano and Alvarez-Idaboy for glutathione (GSH) and it was found also found that the thiol group held the greatest potential for a HT mechanism.<sup>149</sup> In agreement with the literature, it can be concluded that the sulfurs in DHLA are the primary reaction site for any radical scavenging activity.

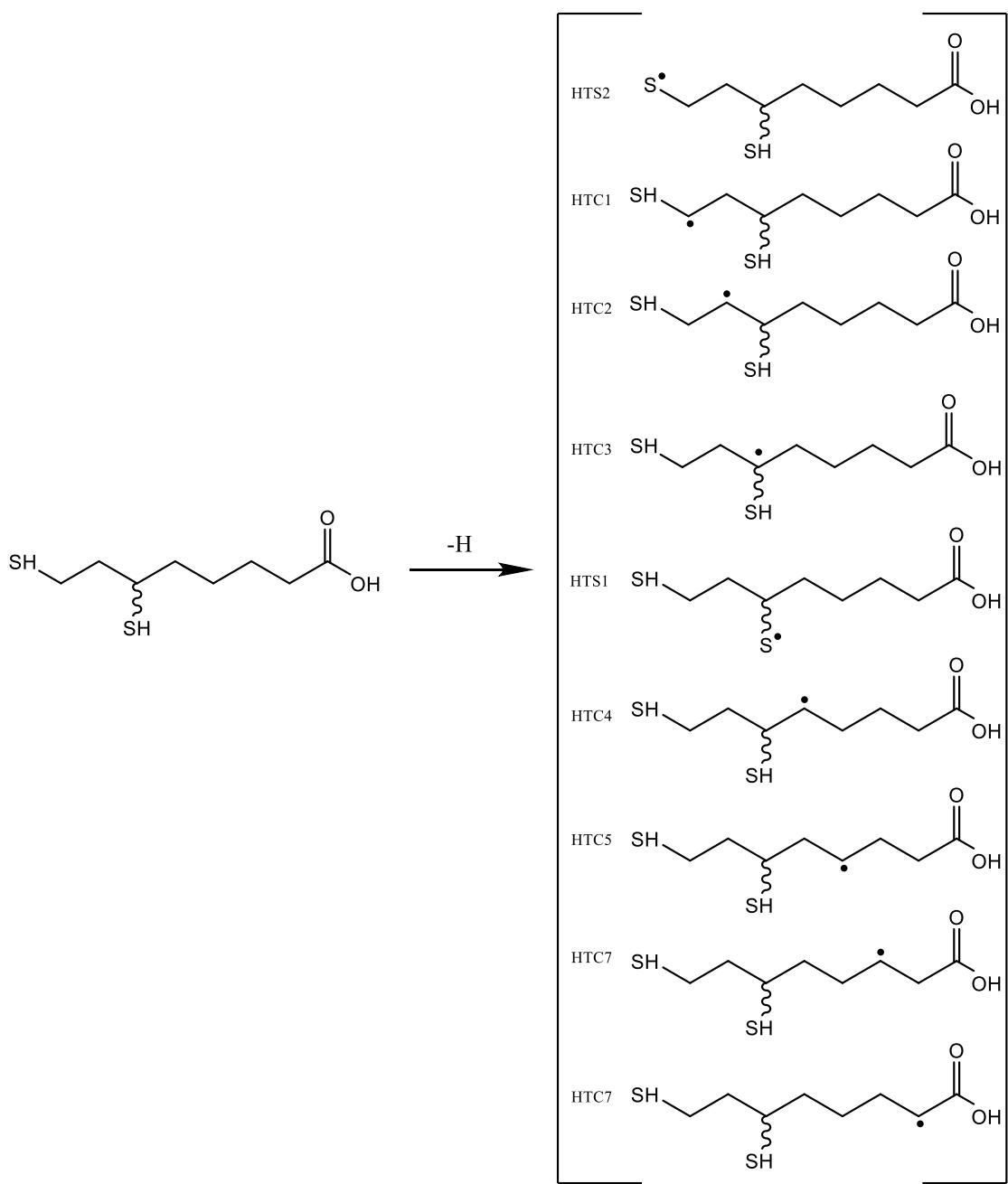


Figure 12: Visual representation of hydrogen abstraction study

### *Radical Delocalization in Doublet and Triplet States*

Spin density calculations for the DHLA-OH adduct were performed to determine the extent to which radical delocalization occurs upon addition of hydroxyl radical to one of the sulfur atoms. Spin density is defined as the difference in electron densities of spin-up and spin-down electrons and is represented by Equation 3-1:

$$\rho_e = \rho_\alpha - \rho_\beta \quad (3-1)$$

where  $\rho_e$  is the total spin density,  $\rho_\alpha$  is the density of spin-up electrons, and  $\rho_\beta$  is the density of spin-down electrons. The DHLA-OH(S1) (Habs) and DHLA-OH(S2) (Habs) anion adducts, where ·OH is bound to sulfur S1 or S2 after a hydrogen abstraction, were used as the model for calculations. Spin density files were generated using the NWChem dplot task. Since the dplot command enables Gaussian ‘.cube’ files to be generated, the spin density surface can be visualized in Avogadro. Figure 13 shows the spin density surfaces over DHLA-OH(S1) for both the doublet-multiplicity anion and triplet-multiplicity versions.

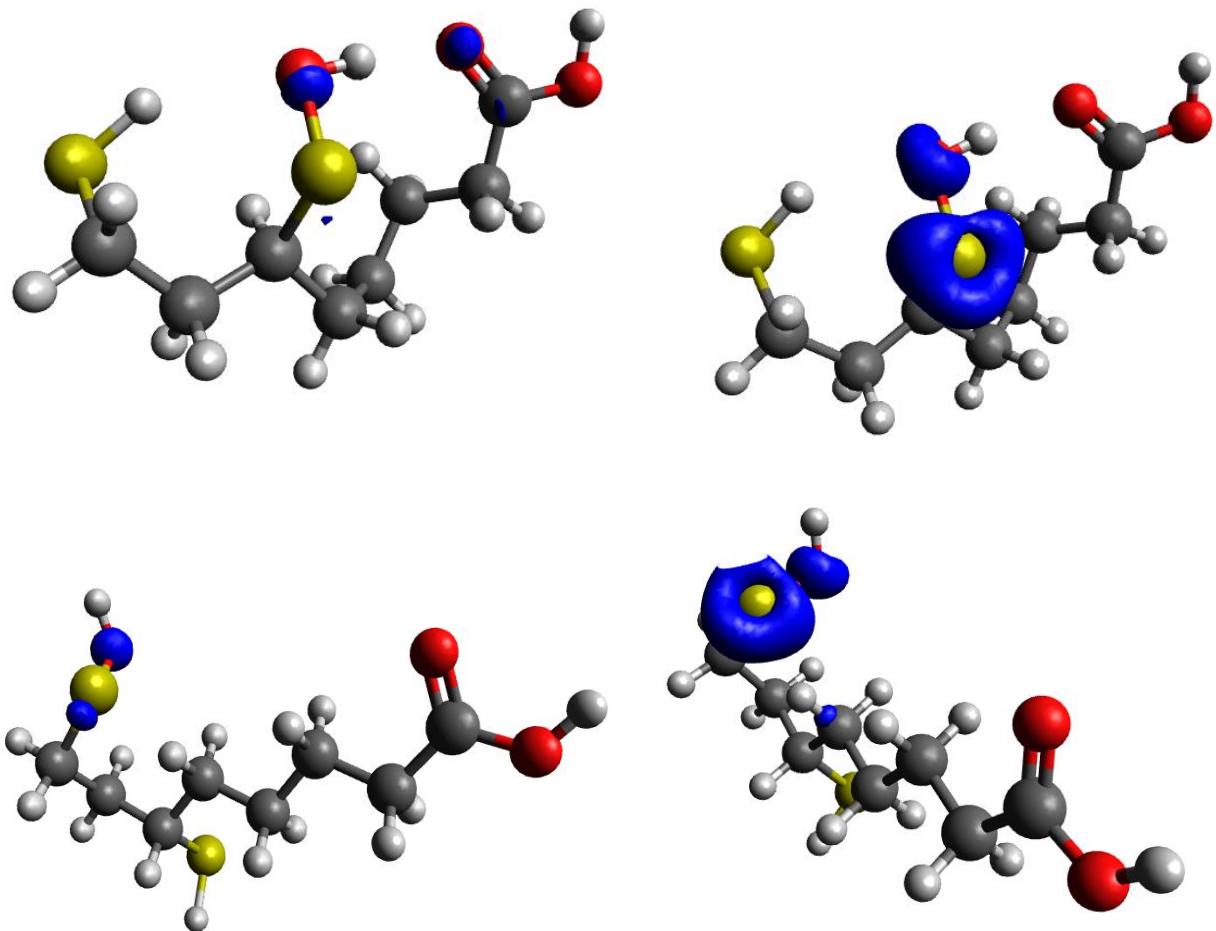


Figure 13: Spin density surfaces (blue) generated for DHLA-OH(S1) doublet anion (top left), DHLA-OH(S1) triplet (top right), DHLA-OH(S2) doublet anion (bottom left), and DHLA-OH(S2) triplet (bottom right)

\*All surfaces were generated in Avogadro and were assigned an iso-value of 0.02

Since the iso-value is set to 0.02 in Avogadro for all four images in Figure 13, it could be said that the spin density surfaces can be directly compared. The doublet anion versions of DHLA-OH (both S1 and S2) are notably different when comparing which atoms the spin density surfaces cover. For DHLA-OH(S1), the doublet anion conformer shows most of the surface covering the hydroxyl oxygen and the carbonyl oxygen. There seems to also be a very small portion of spin density over sulfur S1, which indicates that a delocalization of the radical to the sulfur is possible but not necessarily probable. This sharing of spin density between the ·OH oxygen and C=O oxygen may suggest that a transition state involving hydrogen bonding between the -COOH moiety and hydrogen on the hydroxyl radical is possible, assuming the overall adduction mechanism involves the formation of a stable anionic doublet state. Strangely, there is also some shared spin density on the C=O carbon, which is likely due to the tight carbonyl double bond. As touched on previously, this state would be unlikely to form in a nonpolar medium since anionic structures are not stabilized in this medium, so an aqueous environment would be necessary for this to be considered. As for the triplet state, it would be more appropriate to model the addition of a diradical such as triplet oxygen ( ${}^3\text{O}_2$ ) paired with an abstraction to the other sulfur. These possibilities were not considered at the time of spin density data acquisition so it will necessary to expand on this in future work. It would be beneficial to analyze the effect on spin densities observed when other biologically relevant ROS are bound to DHLA to in hopes that it would paint a better picture for understanding the degree of delocalization. While testing both the doublet anionic and triplet states of the adduct is good practice, a proper mechanism must be established to accurately represent the spin density.

### *Optimizations of Various Radical Adducts*

To observe the effects that the adduct formation of various free radicals have on binding energies, geometry optimizations were calculated at DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ for DHLA, with the ROS bound to sulfur S1. The molecular energies and binding energies for the spin adducts are listed in Table 6. Calculating binding energy requires geometrically optimizing and calculating energies of the new radicals (Table 7) and energies of their products after abstracting a hydrogen (Table 8). The graphic representations of geometry optimized structures of each DHLA spin adduct is shown in Figure 14. A ChemDraw diagram listing all tested adducts is included in Figure 15.

Table 6: Gas-phase molecular and binding energies of DHLA-rad(S1) adducts at DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ

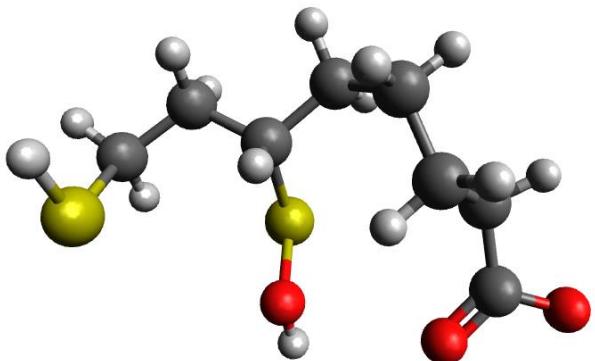
<b>Spin adduct (S1 site)</b>	<b>Energy (Eh)</b>	<b>Binding energy (Eh)</b>	<b>Binding energy (kcal/mol)</b>
DHLA-·OH	-1336.61381	-0.24707	-155.03642
DHLA-·CH <sub>3</sub>	-1300.713649	-0.15499	-97.25622
DHLA-·OOH	-1411.72953	-0.051315	-32.20016
DHLA-·OCH <sub>3</sub>	-1375.911849	-0.207962	-130.49615
DHLA-·OOCH <sub>3</sub>	-1451.047558	-0.057647	-36.17349
DHLA-·OOCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	-1490.373611	-0.058613	-36.77965
DHLA-·OOCCl <sub>3</sub>	-2829.897813	-0.078652	-49.35413

Table 7: Optimized energies and dipole moments of various free radicals

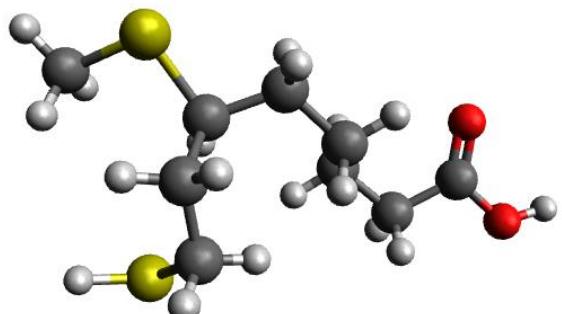
<b>Radical</b>	<b>Energy (E<sub>h</sub>)</b> <b>HF/6-31G*</b>	<b>Energy (E<sub>h</sub>)</b> <b>DFT/6-31G*</b>	<b>Energy (E<sub>h</sub>)</b> <b>DFT/cc-pVDZ</b>	<b>Dipole moment (Debye) (DFT/cc- pVDZ)</b>
·OH	-75.21347	-75.68641	-75.69626	1.685
·CH <sub>3</sub>	-39.55472	-39.83829	-39.83987	0
·OOH	-150.16478	-150.89915	-150.91764	2.219
·OCH <sub>3</sub>	-114.41623	-115.01028	-115.01614	2.146
·OOCH <sub>3</sub>	-189.19641	-190.21394	-190.22914	2.643
·OOCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	-228.23679	-229.53501	-229.55222	2.663
·OOCCl <sub>3</sub>	-1565.86305	-1568.96762	-1569.06181	1.076

Table 8: Energies of other coproducts as a result of a hydrogen abstraction at DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ

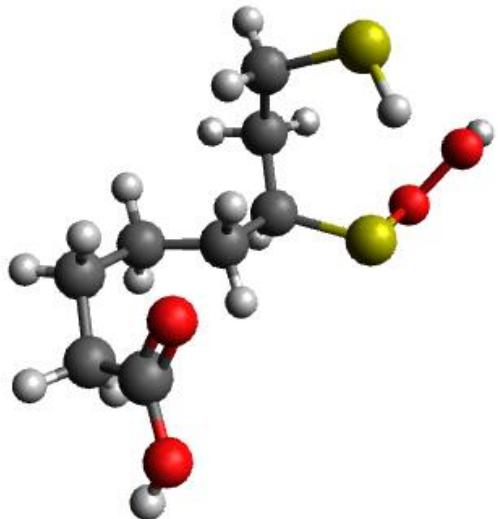
<b>Coproducts</b>	<b>Energy (Eh)</b>
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CH <sub>4</sub>	-40.517141
H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	-151.553139
CH <sub>3</sub> OH	-115.724461
HOOCH <sub>3</sub>	-190.864429
HOOCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	-230.185512
HOOCCl <sub>3</sub>	-1569.700523



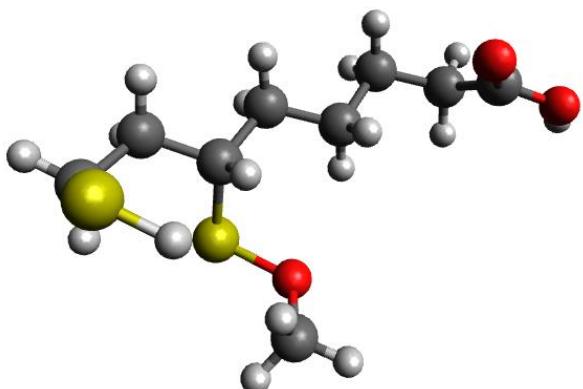
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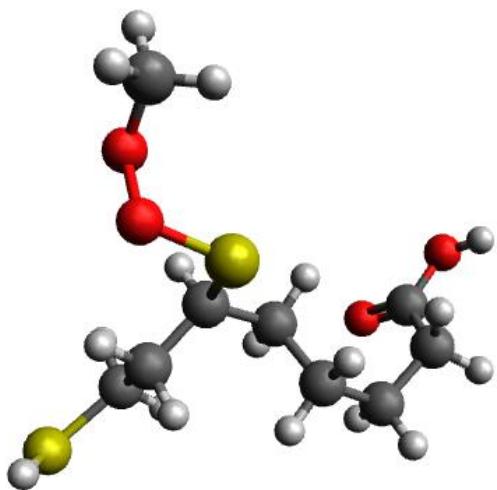
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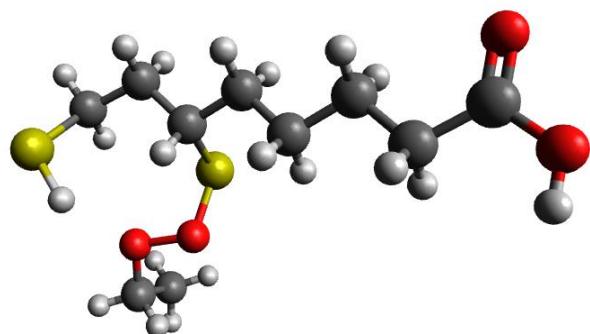
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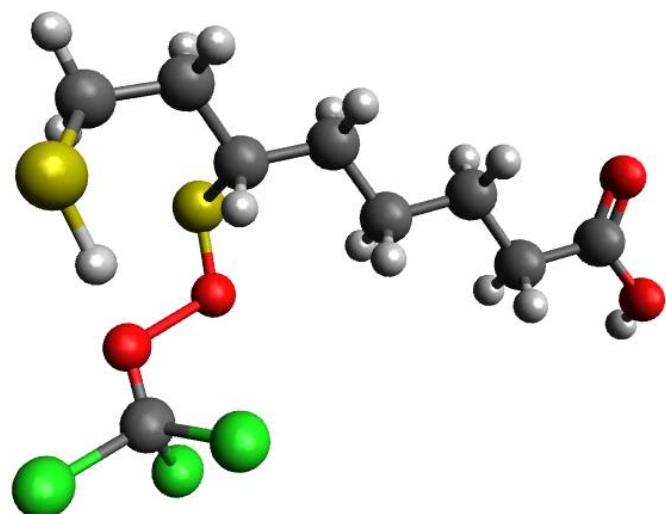
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DHLA-OOCH<sub>3</sub>



DHLA-OOCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>



DHLA-OOCCL<sub>3</sub>

Figure 14: 3-D representations of geometry optimized spin adducts of DHLA with different radicals

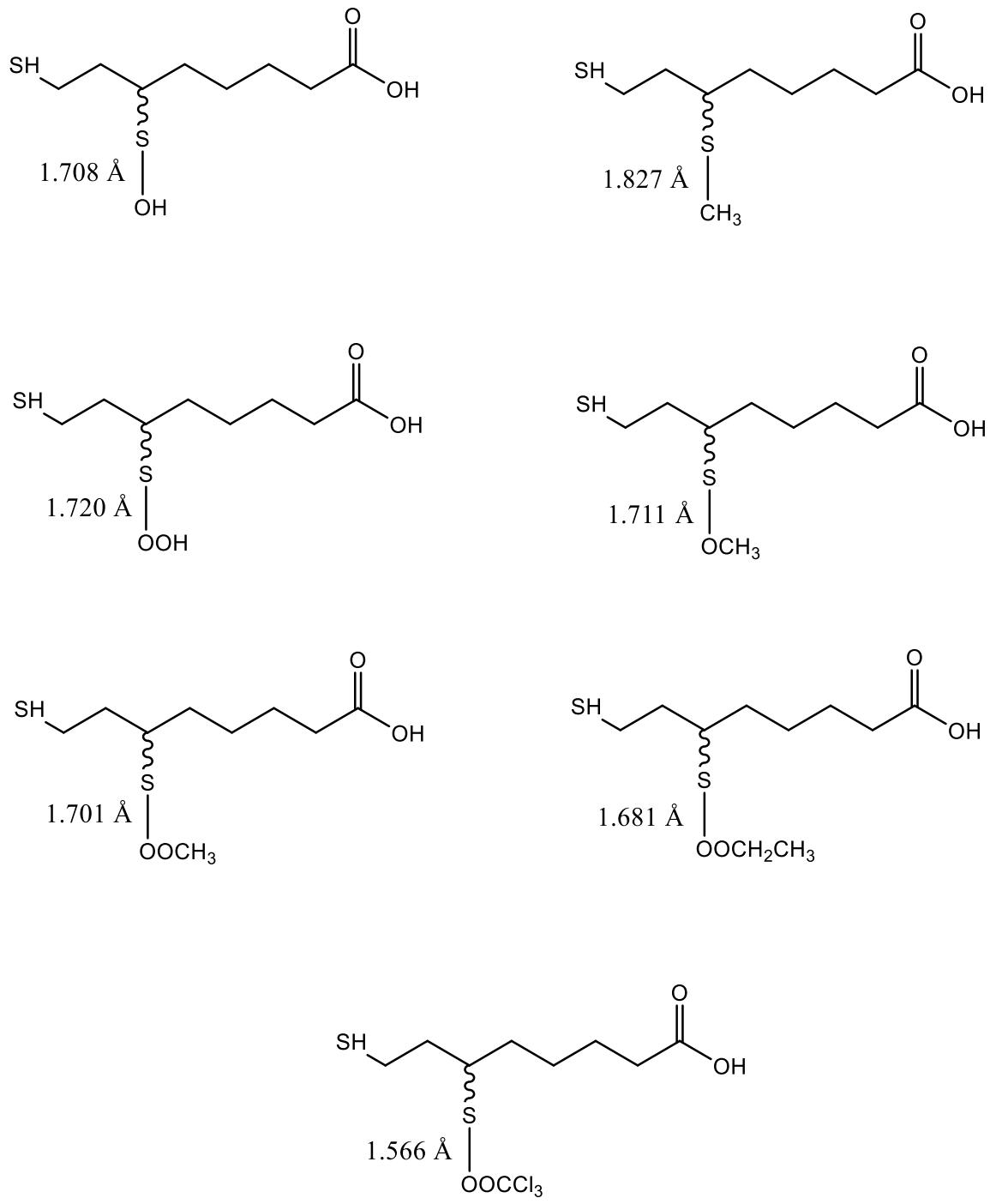


Figure 15: ChemDraw structures of tested DHLA-radical adducts and their corresponding bond S1-radical bond distances labeled

Geometry optimizations at DFT/B3LYP/cc-pVDZ of the different DHLA radical adducts show the following species ranked in decreasing thermodynamic favorability:  $\cdot\text{OH} > \cdot\text{OCH}_3 > \cdot\text{CH}_3 > \cdot\text{OOCCl}_3 > \cdot\text{OOCH}_2\text{CH}_3 \sim \cdot\text{OOCH}_3 > \cdot\text{OOH}$ . As expected, the addition of  $\cdot\text{OH}$  to sulfur S1 yields the largest binding energy and is the most thermodynamically favored due to its high reactivity, followed by methoxy radical,  $\cdot\text{OCH}_3$ . Thermodynamic favorability significantly decreases as the number of oxygens within the radical increases, with an 81.2 kcal/mol increase in binding energy between  $\cdot\text{OCH}_3$  and  $\cdot\text{OOCCl}_3$ . The reasoning for this is that the partial negative charge of the inside oxygen in  $\cdot\text{OOCCl}_3$  pulls electron density from the reaction site on the other oxygen, reducing the reactivity of the overall radical. In  $\cdot\text{OCH}_3$ , the carbon is not electronegative enough to significantly delocalize the oxygen's valence electrons, so its reactivity is more like that of  $\cdot\text{OH}$ . In  $\cdot\text{OOCCl}_3$ , the central carbon acts as a sort of insulator to halt delocalization by the strong electron withdrawing trichloride group, making it more reactive than  $\cdot\text{OOCH}_2\text{CH}_3$ ,  $\cdot\text{OOCH}_3$ , and  $\cdot\text{OOH}$ , which all have another oxygen bonded to the reaction site. Electron density surfaces should be mapped to properly visualize electron densities over each radical. The choice of radicals was based on the choices found in a similar study by Galano *et al.*<sup>149</sup> Methyl radical was used as a reference to measure the effect of adding an adjacent electronegative atom ( $\cdot\text{OCH}_3$ ).  $\cdot\text{OOCH}_3$  was selected to illustrate the effect of adding another oxygen ( $\cdot\text{OCH}_3$  vs.  $\cdot\text{OOCH}_3$ ).  $\cdot\text{OOCH}_2\text{CH}_3$  was used to show the effect of an additional carbon ( $\cdot\text{OOCH}_3$  vs.  $\cdot\text{OOCH}_2\text{CH}_3$ ), and  $\cdot\text{OOCCl}_3$  showed the effect on binding energy when a strongly electron-withdrawing group was present (trichloride). Hydroperoxyl radical ( $\cdot\text{OOH}$ ) was included in this list since it is among the most common ROS present in physiological systems, along with hydroxyl radical.<sup>3</sup> The bond length between the sulfur S1 and the adducted radical

was determined at DFT/cc-VDZ for all previously mentioned radicals. These bond lengths are shown in Table 9.

Table 9: Bond lengths between sulfur S1 in DHLA and various free radicals after adduct formation; C3-S1-rad. bond angles are included

<b>Bond</b>	<b>Bond length (Å)</b>	<b>Bond angle (deg.) (C3-S1-rad.)</b>
S1-OH·	1.708	101.279
S1-CH <sub>3</sub> ·	1.827	100.827
S1-OOH·	1.720	99.684
S1-OCH <sub>3</sub> ·	1.711	102.214
S1-OOCH <sub>3</sub> ·	1.701	99.650
S1-OOCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub> ·	1.681	101.715
S1-OOC <sub>Cl</sub> <sub>3</sub> ·	1.566	104.211

The differences in S1-rad. bond lengths vary slightly, with the longest bond length belonging to S1-CH<sub>3</sub>· (1.827 Å) and shortest being S1-OOC<sub>Cl</sub><sub>3</sub>· (1.566 Å). As expected, the shortest bond length species corresponds to the largest C3-S1-rad. bond angle. Aside from the S1-CH<sub>3</sub>· bond, the rest of the S1-rad. follow the same trend, where longer bond lengths correspond to smaller bond angles. As the distance between the sulfur and the bound radical decreases, electronic repulsion and steric hinderance increases, causing the bond to slightly open and achieve stability. Comparing the DHLA adducts of OOCH<sub>3</sub>· and OOCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>·, the additional -CH<sub>2</sub>- introduces more hinderance between the radical and DHLA and results in a 2 degree increase in bond angle. However, the opposite is observed when comparing adducts with -OH· and -OOH·, where the presence of an additional oxygen corresponds to the smaller bond angle.

### *Explicit Solvation Study*

Most outside literature mentioned in this work has utilized a continuum, or implicit, solvent model to observe solvent effects on antioxidant properties of variety of molecules.<sup>44,149–151</sup> As previously stated, continuum solvents provide the benefit of reduced computational power requirements and cleaner input structures. Continuum models are useful for solvating large biomolecules and studying the long-range chemistry interactions between the solute and the “solvent.” However, this does not accurately represent a “real” chemical system and the short-range physics between the target molecule and solvent cannot be properly observed. ALA and DHLA were explicitly solvated and their interactions with water molecules was observed. Initial molecular configurations were generated using PACKMOL before semi-empirical PM6 geometry optimizations were performed to calculate the total energy of the system. The energies of ALA, DHLA, and DHLA-OH(S2) were compared against different quantities of water solvent molecules and the results are listed in Table 10 for ALA, Table 11 for DHLA, and Table 12 for DHLA-OH. Graphs were also constructed, plotting molecular energy against the number of solvent water molecules in the system for ALA, DHLA, and DHLA-OH(S2) and are shown in Figure 16. The PM6 heat of formation of water was calculated to be 56.30636 kcal/mol.

Table 10: Energy of the explicit solvent system and ALA against the number of water molecules using PM6

<b>No. H<sub>2</sub>O</b>	<b>System Energy (kcal/mol)</b>	<b>Molecular Energy (kcal/mol)</b>
0	-116.17344	-116.17344
1	-175.71132	-121.40496
2	-237.77244	-129.15972
3	-298.80915	-135.89007
4	-364.29907	-147.07363
5	-425.59754	-154.06574
6	-484.20536	-158.3672
7	-544.54049	-164.39597
8	-608.61466	-174.16378
9	-665.72565	-176.96841
10	-732.29992	-189.23632
20	-1362.67072	-276.54352

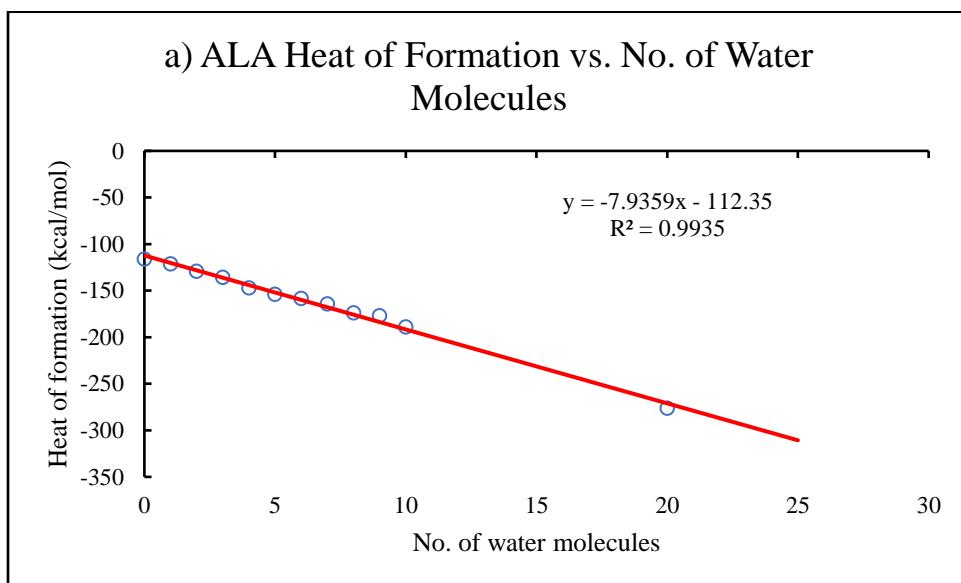
Molecular energy = [E<sub>system</sub>] – [No. of H<sub>2</sub>O] \* [E<sub>parent</sub>]; where E<sub>parent</sub> is the PM6 heat of formation of the target molecule

Table 11: Energy of the system and DHLA against the number of water molecules using PM6

<b>No. H<sub>2</sub>O</b>	<b>System Energy (kcal/mol)</b>	<b>Molecular Energy (kcal/mol)</b>
0	-121.85158	-121.85158
1	-179.31407	-125.00771
2	-240.02213	-131.40941
3	-298.00399	-135.08491
4	-365.66981	-148.44437
5	-424.26419	-152.73239
6	-492.50411	-166.66595
7	-551.36009	-171.21557
8	-606.91593	-172.46505
9	-677.16348	-188.40624
10	-730.90424	-187.84064
20	-1367.74118	-281.61398

Table 12: Energy of the system and DHLA-OH(S2) against the number of water molecules using PM6

No. H <sub>2</sub> O	System energy (kcal/mol)	Molecular energy (kcal/mol)
0	-175.15459	-175.15459
1	-234.4486	-180.14224
2	-296.3106	-187.69788
3	-359.02006	-196.10098
4	-419.59229	-202.36685
5	-479.05848	-207.52668
6	-545.98102	-220.14286
7	-608.86094	-228.71642
8	-668.65395	-234.20307
9	-733.60052	-244.84328
10	-790.87578	-247.81218
20	-1426.19665	-340.06945



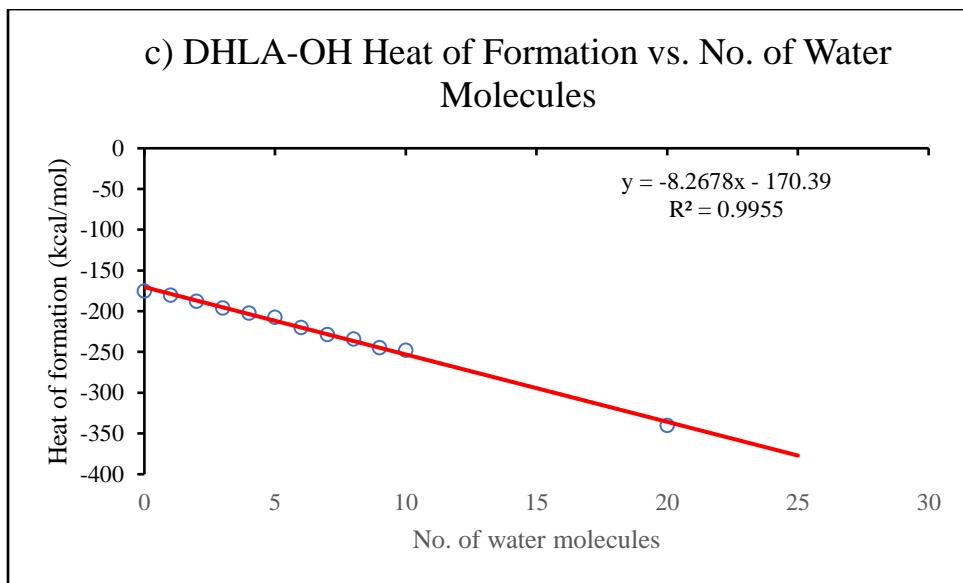
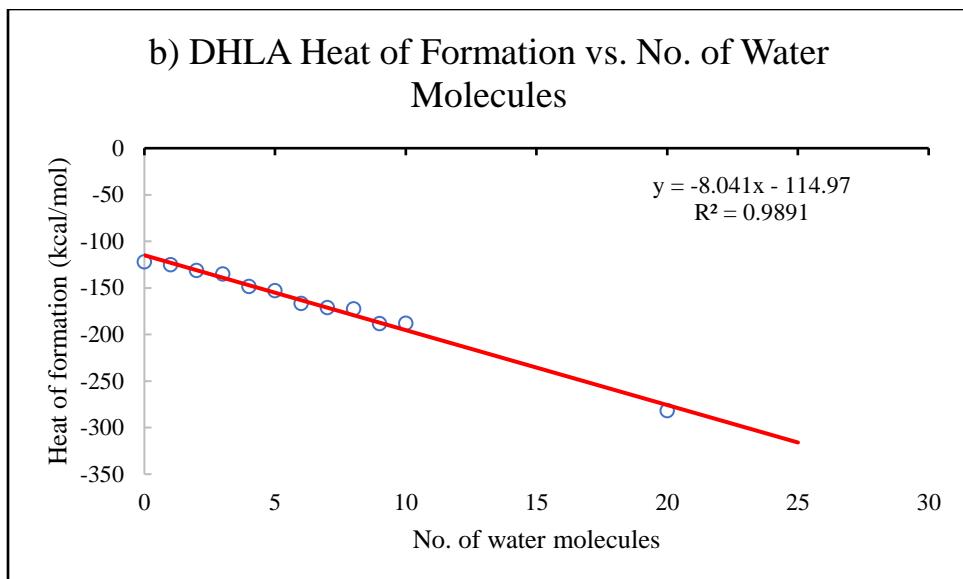


Figure 16: Molecular energy of (a) ALA, (b) DHLA, and (c) DHLA-OH(S2)

Figures 16a, 16b, and 16c depict a linear decrease in energy with the number of solvent water molecules but linear trends were not expected for this. When observing the final geometry optimized systems, water molecules tended to group near the acid group or near the sulfurs in all

three cases shown above. It is hypothesized that there were simply not enough water molecules added to the system to consider it a “solvated” solute and it was expected for these trends to slowly approach an asymptotic heat of formation after 5-7 water molecules were added. One study by Rognoni *et al.* analyzed computationally derived power spectra of solvent cages made of explicit water molecules and found that it may be necessary to have over 20 water molecules to solvate a solute.<sup>152</sup> However, based on searches for relevant literature, the optimization of explicit solvent models is not a hugely popular topic and further investigation must be done. It is also possible that the semi-empirical method employed was not sufficient for generating accurate energies of the explicitly solvated ALA and DHLA, so it may be beneficial to test other levels of theory.

## CHAPTER 4. CONCLUSIONS AND FUTURE WORK

All calculations performed in this work, other than the explicit solvation study, were done in the gas phase, so future work on ALA, DHLA, and their adducts should include aqueous and nonaqueous solvent mediums to better emulate a physiological system. The initial goal of this research was to determine whether ALA or DHLA would make for an effective spin trap, but the data shows that they do the opposite and DHLA simply quenches ROS due to its well-established antioxidant properties. The quenching of ROS by DHLA results in a singlet-state adduct, which is not EPR-active and, therefore, cannot be considered a spin trap. Establishing a spin trapping mechanism of DHLA has proved itself to be beyond the scope of this work, but it was learned that DHLA shows far better antioxidant properties than ALA in both aqueous and non-aqueous media and that the most likely binding sites for transient radicals are the sulfur atoms, indicated by the HOMO and spin density surfaces. This helps narrow down the search for a viable transition state which can be computationally determined through saddle point optimizations. Saddle point calculations were attempted but were ultimately unsuccessful due to time and resource limitations. It is drawn from the data that a hydrogen transfer prior to the addition of a radical species is the most likely route for radical quenching. A transition state may be expected to involve an intramolecular hydrogen transfer between either the two sulfurs or between the radical-bound sulfur and -COOH moiety, but this hypothesis requires its own study to confirm. The ability of the DHLA-radical adduct to cyclize due to its network of single bonds may offer insight into choosing proper starting geometries for transition state calculations. The doublet anion DHLA-OH(S<sup>2-</sup>) spin density calculation indicates that cyclization and hydrogen transfer may be possible since there is shared spin density at the bound radical and -COOH. The fact that the carboxylic acid group is most likely deprotonated at physiological pH holds greater

weight for considering the doublet anion adduct. Generating additional spin density plots with other radical species would provide insight into the credibility of the DHLA-OH calculations and looking at electron density surfaces for each individual radical species would help explain the binding energy trends observed. While qualitatively analyzing spin density surfaces on the spin adducts paints a general picture, being able to quantify the results would also prove useful for comparing systems that share similar spin density surface qualities. This should be done by computationally generating EPR spectra and analyzing partial charge distribution on each atom. This would allow for a quantitative comparison of spin density clouds on each sulfur, which may suggest the likelihood of one adduct forming over the other.

HF and HF/MP2 analysis of the adduct energies should be performed since most of the energies calculated in this research were done under DFT. While DFT is useful for fast and sufficiently accurate calculations, HF/MP2 data are more prevalent in today's literature and serves as the standard for most quantum mechanical calculations and applying it to this work would allow for a more direct comparison of values to those found in the literature. Establishing a mechanism may also require implementing molecular mechanics and kinetics calculations. There are sufficient kinetics data in literature indicating the rates of radical stabilization by DHLA in various solvent media. These data also reveal that the radical scavenging activity of DHLA is far higher than that of many other well-known radical scavengers such as melatonin, caffeine, canolol, dopamine, and glutathione.

While DHLA forms a singlet state upon the quenching of ROS, it is possible that making modifications to the structure of DHLA may allow the generation of EPR-active spin adducts. Modifying the length of the carbon chain could increase or decrease the energy required for intramolecular proton transfer between -COOH and the sulfur(s). Of course, this is mere

speculation but an example of another path that could be taken in future work. It must, however, be determined whether the modified structures of ALA and DHLA remain non-toxic in physiological systems to make such modifications justifiable in the future.

Lastly, successful explicit solvation calculations of ALA and DHLA should be pursued since they could possibly reveal the physical solute/solvent interactions and give a better idea of their behavior in physiological systems and would contribute to the research of other antioxidant mechanisms. Further investigation into explicit solvation in this study was halted early on and focus was diverted toward quantum mechanical gas-phase calculations when it was noticed that solvation energy trends were linear. Using a solvent shell consisting of at least 20-30 water molecules may be a good starting point for whoever continues work with ALA and DHLA. Utilizing PACKMOL proved to be an efficient method for generating starting structures and should be used in the continuation of this project.

While these data conclude that ALA and DHLA do not possess spin trapping capabilities, the search for naturally produced compounds with sufficient spin trapping ability should continue to be pursued in hopes of developing methods for safe *in vivo* analysis of free radical presence in physiological systems. While synthetic spin traps such as DMPO, DEPMPO, and PBN are commonly used in EPR spectroscopy, their toxicity to living systems is not well-documented. Computational research of endogenous antioxidants for potential use as spin traps is a small niche that offers plenty of opportunity to expand upon and generate new curiosity for computational chemists and biochemists alike.

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## APPENDICES

### *Appendix A: ALA and DHLA*

#### **AA1:** DHLA

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
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H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
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H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
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H 3 B21 2 A20 1 D19  
H 2 B22 1 A21 3 D20  
H 2 B23 1 A22 3 D21  
S 1 B24 2 A23 3 D22  
H 25 B25 1 A24 2 D23  
H 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
H 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25  
variables  
B1 1.535842765  
B2 1.543888921  
A1 114.5141161  
B3 1.542826627  
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D1 60.70137409  
B4 1.537927827  
A3 112.9211509  
D2 -179.3341932  
B5 1.534145039

A4 110.8459887  
D3 60.75882362  
B6 1.536330043  
A5 111.1043359  
D4 -179.3471996  
B7 1.506693068  
A6 113.0995356  
D5 -179.2945423  
B8 1.348746084  
A7 119.0206298  
D6 -179.5466289  
B9 0.967938531  
A8 121.4931233  
D7 179.5430309  
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A9 121.2292950  
D8 0.159808454  
B11 1.111302839  
A10 109.1534477  
D9 60.41800900  
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D13 -59.13861529  
B16 1.112271999  
A15 109.2621036  
D14 -178.4138838  
B17 1.112524157  
A16 108.7823658  
D15 60.77261441  
B18 1.111494939  
A17 109.0763596  
D16 -57.20539857  
B19 1.833669000  
A18 110.4804353  
D17 -61.37553157  
B20 1.408078833  
A19 93.61785439

D18 -110.7907257  
B21 1.111196202  
A20 108.9632393  
D19 178.5897956  
B22 1.111664068  
A21 107.9806840  
D20 -121.8214367  
B23 1.111786850  
A22 108.1041918  
D21 121.6243320  
B24 1.823650460  
A23 112.0271123  
D22 60.65151608  
B25 1.408486067  
A24 93.64939884  
D23 -127.1839729  
B26 1.110141432  
A25 110.0749639  
D24 -61.65087766  
B27 1.109687343  
A26 109.8620467  
D25 -179.1406717  
end

**AA2:** ALA

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
O 8 B9 7 A8 6 D7  
H 10 B10 8 A9 7 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15

H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
S 1 B20 2 A19 3 D18  
H 3 B21 2 A20 1 D19  
H 2 B22 1 A21 21 D20  
H 2 B23 1 A22 21 D21  
H 1 B24 2 A23 3 D22  
H 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
variables  
B1 1.513839159  
B2 1.522495320  
A1 107.4571364  
B3 1.539246894  
A2 110.0740930  
D1 -177.6238911  
B4 1.537080675  
A3 112.7180322  
D2 179.1020951  
B5 1.533829521  
A4 110.8474469  
D3 176.7940334  
B6 1.535320162  
A5 111.1762357  
D4 176.6835552  
B7 1.510571415  
A6 113.0738839  
D5 179.3023298  
B8 1.222250384  
A7 120.9841081  
D6 -1.306352150  
B9 1.348719393  
A8 119.9131233  
D7 178.6575293  
B10 0.967885840  
A9 121.5290903  
D8 -0.645697637  
B11 1.111122405  
A10 109.5770974  
D9 58.36214989  
B12 1.111680710  
A11 108.8391356  
D10 -60.43173255  
B13 1.112616286  
A12 109.3650806  
D11 56.57344432  
B14 1.113221451

A13 108.9615700  
D12 -62.31145006  
B15 1.112297173  
A14 109.7266080  
D13 56.21325395  
B16 1.110979748  
A15 109.3135086  
D14 -63.04847100  
B17 1.112881845  
A16 109.8498468  
D15 57.40649948  
B18 1.113040431  
A17 108.1718062  
D16 -60.74749065  
B19 1.824780809  
A18 106.5939485  
D17 -55.98834846  
B20 1.816887999  
A19 108.4085585  
D18 53.37811007  
B21 1.113149586  
A20 110.0709710  
D19 61.99906205  
B22 1.113246603  
A21 109.0455529  
D20 -65.26991699  
B23 1.111115656  
A22 110.4122934  
D21 175.4204252  
B24 1.111084605  
A23 110.4500761  
D22 -66.08044922  
B25 1.110395425  
A24 108.8672092  
D23 173.2794620  
End

*Appendix B: DHLA-OH Adducts*

**AB1:** DHLA-OH(S1)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
C 1 B2 2 A1  
S 3 B3 1 A2 2 D1  
H 4 B4 3 A3 1 D2  
H 3 B5 4 A4 5 D3  
H 3 B6 4 A5 5 D4  
H 1 B7 2 A6 3 D5  
C 1 B8 2 A7 3 D6  
H 9 B9 1 A8 2 D7  
C 9 B10 10 A9 1 D8  
H 11 B11 9 A10 10 D9  
C 11 B12 12 A11 9 D10  
H 13 B13 11 A12 12 D11  
C 13 B14 14 A13 11 D12  
H 15 B15 13 A14 14 D13  
C 15 B16 16 A15 13 D14  
H 17 B17 15 A16 16 D15  
C 17 B18 18 A17 15 D16  
O 19 B19 17 A18 18 D17  
H 20 B20 19 A19 17 D18  
O 19 B21 17 A20 18 D19  
H 17 B22 18 A21 15 D20  
H 15 B23 16 A22 13 D21  
H 13 B24 14 A23 11 D22  
H 11 B25 12 A24 9 D23  
S 9 B26 10 A25 1 D24  
O 27 B27 9 A26 10 D25  
H 28 B28 27 A27 9 D26  
H 27 B29 9 A28 10 D27  
variables  
B1 1.112373139  
B2 1.535023778  
A1 107.8483724  
B3 1.823195272  
A2 112.0065574  
D1 -61.17166164  
B4 1.408667455  
A3 93.38352655  
D2 -136.8705640  
B5 1.109110004

A4 109.8155666  
D3 -14.72748089  
B6 1.110449909  
A5 108.2123345  
D4 102.4101420  
B7 1.111408566  
A6 107.9757329  
D5 116.5171214  
B8 1.544193641  
A7 108.6163085  
D6 -125.4051556  
B9 1.112117800  
A8 109.8608542  
D7 59.93848829  
B10 1.545946312  
A9 107.1303016  
D8 119.8144563  
B11 1.111996853  
A10 109.6926642  
D9 -62.15059547  
B12 1.541030824  
A11 108.8561184  
D10 -124.0596392  
B13 1.111966726  
A12 109.8581913  
D11 59.21061772  
B14 1.532331883  
A13 110.3702029  
D12 123.7062864  
B15 1.111306438  
A14 109.9821777  
D13 -59.42578406  
B16 1.537792574  
A15 110.4534405  
D14 -121.8140498  
B17 1.111099005  
A16 109.4649040  
D15 60.31919013  
B18 1.504566383  
A17 108.8078668  
D16 124.6072343  
B19 1.350025926  
A18 118.8192572  
D17 59.48039343  
B20 0.967447673  
A19 121.5391807

D18 178.8645394  
B21 1.223121825  
A20 121.2808216  
D19 -121.3568469  
B22 1.112198723  
A21 108.6162872  
D20 -118.7689300  
B23 1.113120838  
A22 108.9836500  
D21 119.0372300  
B24 1.108769588  
A23 108.3762780  
D22 -119.8908030  
B25 1.113082656  
A24 108.3169482  
D23 117.7603711  
B26 1.832195132  
A25 108.4179655  
D24 -123.4336987  
B27 1.713052247  
A26 178.2427859  
D25 4.580523088  
B28 0.992989929  
A27 103.2814963  
D26 -91.51346545  
B29 1.406473604  
A28 89.91524363  
D27 39.82012167  
End

### **AB2:** DHLA-OH(S2)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
S 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
O 5 B5 4 A4 1 D3  
H 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
H 5 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
H 4 B8 5 A7 6 D6  
H 4 B9 5 A8 6 D7  
C 1 B10 2 A9 3 D8

H 11 B11 1 A10 2 D9  
S 11 B12 12 A11 1 D10  
H 13 B13 11 A12 12 D11  
C 11 B14 12 A13 1 D12  
H 15 B15 11 A14 12 D13  
H 15 B16 16 A15 11 D14  
C 15 B17 16 A16 11 D15  
H 18 B18 15 A17 16 D16  
H 18 B19 19 A18 15 D17  
C 18 B20 19 A19 15 D18  
H 21 B21 18 A20 19 D19  
H 21 B22 22 A21 18 D20  
C 21 B23 22 A22 18 D21  
H 24 B24 21 A23 22 D22  
H 24 B25 25 A24 21 D23  
C 24 B26 25 A25 21 D24  
O 27 B27 24 A26 25 D25  
H 28 B28 27 A27 24 D26  
O 27 B29 24 A28 25 D27

variables

B1 1.111390570  
B2 1.112150170  
A1 107.6912923  
B3 1.536302379  
A2 109.4722175  
D1 -113.2170982  
B4 1.815865083  
A3 118.2493163  
D2 -53.69327338  
B5 1.714661774  
A4 178.3548323  
D3 -109.3350773  
B6 0.993795251  
A5 102.9856550  
D4 -96.20213303  
B7 1.402703105  
A6 89.75044698  
D5 -90.19964412  
B8 1.108623471  
A7 108.7415480  
D6 19.67852595  
B9 1.109155535  
A8 104.2909293  
D7 130.0825435  
B10 1.547104715  
A9 110.2376872

D8 115.9982290  
B11 1.112472472  
A10 109.6276178  
D9 57.58798140  
B12 1.835969771  
A11 108.9220837  
D10 -120.6698097  
B13 1.407732219  
A12 93.75833316  
D11 2.119749618  
B14 1.550608268  
A13 109.9657944  
D12 119.1498569  
B15 1.111915464  
A14 109.1970481  
D13 -60.67658169  
B16 1.113307235  
A15 108.0935993  
D14 117.1061053  
B17 1.539622356  
A16 108.6263462  
D15 -126.2728367  
B18 1.110851025  
A17 109.8229159  
D16 59.54934333  
B19 1.110204936  
A18 108.8240810  
D17 -120.2311299  
B20 1.539031839  
A19 110.3715049  
D18 121.8620123  
B21 1.112569548  
A20 109.6366606  
D19 -60.84096302  
B22 1.113169349  
A21 108.7254855  
D20 118.8173411  
B23 1.536440367  
A22 109.5838893  
D21 -122.7566131  
B24 1.110678171  
A23 109.2946724  
D22 60.68518795  
B25 1.111735580  
A24 108.7674866  
D23 -119.0978308

B26 1.507996684  
A25 108.5108852  
D24 123.8592682  
B27 1.349801467  
A26 119.0763640  
D25 58.90137626  
B28 0.968073344  
A27 121.5193155  
D26 179.5991439  
B29 1.223568551  
A28 121.2228386  
D27 -121.5296799  
End

**AB3:** DHLA-OH(S1) (Habs)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
S 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 5 B5 4 A4 1 D3  
H 4 B6 5 A5 6 D4  
H 4 B7 5 A6 6 D5  
C 1 B8 2 A7 3 D6  
H 9 B9 1 A8 2 D7  
S 9 B10 10 A9 1 D8  
O 11 B11 9 A10 10 D9  
H 12 B12 11 A11 9 D10  
C 9 B13 10 A12 1 D11  
H 14 B14 9 A13 10 D12  
H 14 B15 15 A14 9 D13  
C 14 B16 15 A15 9 D14  
H 17 B17 14 A16 15 D15  
H 17 B18 18 A17 14 D16  
C 17 B19 18 A18 14 D17  
H 20 B20 17 A19 18 D18  
H 20 B21 21 A20 17 D19  
C 20 B22 21 A21 17 D20  
H 23 B23 20 A22 21 D21  
H 23 B24 24 A23 20 D22  
C 23 B25 24 A24 20 D23  
O 26 B26 23 A25 24 D24

H 27 B27 26 A26 23 D25

O 26 B28 23 A27 24 D26

variables

B1 1.111570061

B2 1.111300589

A1 107.9421139

B3 1.535301273

A2 107.7534593

D1 -116.7348992

B4 1.823832777

A3 112.0044535

D2 -61.17108693

B5 1.407122241

A4 93.84539099

D3 -116.7383075

B6 1.110297708

A5 109.9292907

D4 6.749194220

B7 1.109587311

A6 107.8349695

D5 122.4018307

B8 1.544624874

A7 109.3036920

D6 118.2593729

B9 1.111217800

A8 109.4694780

D7 60.08775718

B10 1.838254879

A9 110.3446871

D8 -121.6310266

B11 1.717704573

A10 94.06562115

D9 62.86796567

B12 0.990362055

A11 104.6172761

D10 -95.08780374

B13 1.542200376

A12 107.1813833

D11 118.9306590

B14 1.112498090

A13 108.9192921

D12 -59.30659160

B15 1.112252669

A14 108.2973829

D13 118.3621723

B16 1.538370567

A15 107.7214865  
D14 -123.1669206  
B17 1.111960881  
A16 109.2499497  
D15 -57.93655397  
B18 1.110666467  
A17 108.7319022  
D16 -120.2369477  
B19 1.534683355  
A18 109.7414553  
D17 121.2985287  
B20 1.112367295  
A19 109.5546902  
D18 179.1836750  
B21 1.113150933  
A20 108.8742202  
D19 118.7545101  
B22 1.535303227  
A21 109.2663957  
D20 -122.2762208  
B23 1.111963129  
A22 109.2606628  
D21 62.74340595  
B24 1.110734442  
A23 108.7285186  
D22 -119.1815111  
B25 1.507519817  
A24 108.4811205  
D23 123.5763376  
B26 1.348927722  
A25 119.0902574  
D24 59.08641867  
B27 0.967728268  
A26 121.4731189  
D25 179.4078181  
B28 1.223103021  
A27 121.1816502  
D26 -121.3734015  
End

**AB4:** DHLA-OH(S2) (Habs)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
S 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
O 5 B5 4 A4 1 D3  
H 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
H 4 B7 5 A6 6 D5  
H 4 B8 5 A7 6 D6  
C 1 B9 2 A8 3 D7  
H 10 B10 1 A9 2 D8  
S 10 B11 11 A10 1 D9  
H 12 B12 10 A11 11 D10  
C 10 B13 11 A12 1 D11  
H 14 B14 10 A13 11 D12  
H 14 B15 15 A14 10 D13  
C 14 B16 15 A15 10 D14  
H 17 B17 14 A16 15 D15  
H 17 B18 18 A17 14 D16  
C 17 B19 18 A18 14 D17  
H 20 B20 17 A19 18 D18  
H 20 B21 21 A20 17 D19  
C 20 B22 21 A21 17 D20  
H 23 B23 20 A22 21 D21  
H 23 B24 24 A23 20 D22  
C 23 B25 24 A24 20 D23  
O 26 B26 23 A25 24 D24  
H 27 B27 26 A26 23 D25  
O 26 B28 23 A27 24 D26  
variables  
B1 1.113003594  
B2 1.111964478  
A1 107.8876025  
B3 1.536743310  
A2 108.1959130  
D1 -116.7412538  
B4 1.828312063  
A3 111.7617391  
D2 -61.24766123  
B5 1.719188471  
A4 94.08809019  
D3 60.70668010

B6 0.991447931  
A5 104.5694114  
D4 127.9753876  
B7 1.110367507  
A6 110.7911832  
D5 -176.9706758  
B8 1.110987399  
A7 107.9921375  
D6 -59.24504923  
B9 1.544322181  
A8 109.1538065  
D7 118.1071313  
B10 1.112016187  
A9 108.9146345  
D8 -177.7678574  
B11 1.834405898  
A10 109.2260718  
D9 -120.6816467  
B12 1.408582266  
A11 93.51483938  
D10 8.008383477  
B13 1.542439950  
A12 107.7934693  
D11 119.6815942  
B14 1.112247275  
A13 108.9896346  
D12 -60.36462981  
B15 1.111839017  
A14 108.3248114  
D13 118.3656321  
B16 1.538427769  
A15 108.0798440  
D14 -123.1430866  
B17 1.112347518  
A16 109.3115602  
D15 62.42998952  
B18 1.110345442  
A17 108.6943730  
D16 -120.0476531  
B19 1.534420086  
A18 109.6846327  
D17 121.7394422  
B20 1.112088576  
A19 109.5246611  
D18 -61.18178972  
B21 1.112124993

A20 108.9331992  
D19 118.8972915  
B22 1.536544825  
A21 109.4915179  
D20 -122.0233631  
B23 1.111145355  
A22 109.2990980  
D21 62.71869240  
B24 1.110849225  
A23 108.7103205  
D22 -119.0992037  
B25 1.507442205  
A24 108.4938932  
D23 123.5982932  
B26 1.350334033  
A25 118.9178552  
D24 59.14618553  
B27 0.967641463  
A26 121.4224216  
D25 179.4339054  
B28 1.221482706  
A27 121.2723229  
D26 -121.2853638  
End

**AB5:** DHLA-OH(C1)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14

H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
H 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18  
H 3 B21 2 A20 1 D19  
H 2 B22 1 A21 3 D20  
H 2 B23 1 A22 3 D21  
S 1 B24 2 A23 3 D22  
H 25 B25 1 A24 2 D23  
O 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
H 27 B27 1 A26 2 D25  
H 1 B28 2 A27 3 D26  
H 1 B29 2 A28 3 D27  
variables  
B1 1.621718225  
B2 1.565138333  
A1 122.5105984  
B3 1.549599626  
A2 107.4707949  
D1 -172.0863925  
B4 1.531885766  
A3 115.4806037  
D2 -176.9588341  
B5 1.537470000  
A4 109.7114388  
D3 177.1107991  
B6 1.532907695  
A5 110.9680664  
D4 -178.0149820  
B7 1.505967463  
A6 113.3771630  
D5 178.8081056  
B8 1.348718280  
A7 118.8650023  
D6 -179.7872008  
B9 0.967019131  
A8 121.6468199  
D7 179.7769280  
B10 1.223101795  
A9 121.3108123  
D8 -0.052572028  
B11 1.111332084  
A10 108.9709064  
D9 58.46540633  
B12 1.110508442  
A11 109.0062678

D10 -60.28480626  
B13 1.113449146  
A12 109.5913403  
D11 60.69298639  
B14 1.113696996  
A13 109.1309784  
D12 -58.08233359  
B15 1.110236912  
A14 109.6100737  
D13 58.43117580  
B16 1.111904222  
A15 109.8640162  
D14 -61.43264898  
B17 1.113838857  
A16 108.4943226  
D15 61.32270271  
B18 1.111802590  
A17 108.5654867  
D16 -56.09006822  
B19 1.837965723  
A18 109.9228181  
D17 68.15396922  
B20 1.407648038  
A19 94.66031454  
D18 -119.0289409  
B21 1.112077335  
A20 112.1227766  
D19 -54.00291572  
B22 1.117100264  
A21 103.7874808  
D20 -118.7716579  
B23 1.130655120  
A22 116.8943554  
D21 123.0323231  
B24 1.842924307  
A23 105.0731589  
D22 30.20358795  
B25 1.417885045  
A24 100.7226717  
D23 -115.2272266  
B26 1.414888335  
A25 83.09471812  
D24 -154.1578783  
B27 0.997666778  
A26 109.2122537  
D25 -88.30034054

B28 1.100164079  
A27 80.35470815  
D26 -48.70014699  
B29 1.111045454  
A28 175.6958345  
D27 63.23525379  
End

**AB6:** DHLA-OH(C2)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
S 2 B2 1 A1  
H 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
H 2 B4 1 A3 3 D2  
H 2 B5 1 A4 3 D3  
C 1 B6 2 A5 3 D4  
C 7 B7 1 A6 2 D5  
C 8 B8 7 A7 1 D6  
C 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
C 10 B10 9 A9 8 D8  
C 11 B11 10 A10 9 D9  
O 12 B12 11 A11 10 D10  
H 13 B13 12 A12 11 D11  
O 12 B14 11 A13 10 D12  
H 11 B15 10 A14 9 D13  
H 11 B16 10 A15 9 D14  
H 10 B17 9 A16 8 D15  
H 10 B18 9 A17 8 D16  
H 9 B19 8 A18 7 D17  
H 9 B20 8 A19 7 D18  
H 8 B21 7 A20 1 D19  
H 8 B22 7 A21 1 D20  
S 7 B23 1 A22 2 D21  
H 24 B24 7 A23 1 D22  
H 7 B25 1 A24 2 D23  
O 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
H 27 B27 1 A26 2 D25  
H 1 B28 2 A27 3 D26  
H 1 B29 2 A28 3 D27  
variables  
B1 1.567713622  
B2 1.843008681

A1 114.0226385  
B3 1.415910661  
A2 93.53129527  
D1 -70.03297933  
B4 1.116803027  
A3 110.2975082  
D2 -117.7593317  
B5 1.115399928  
A4 113.6959922  
D3 125.4561854  
B6 1.579870881  
A5 174.3110019  
D4 55.36488446  
B7 1.562987204  
A6 118.6400084  
D5 175.2808849  
B8 1.546637643  
A7 109.2956510  
D6 172.7050499  
B9 1.530055555  
A8 114.9781653  
D7 177.3456182  
B10 1.542901487  
A9 108.8821988  
D8 -178.1840101  
B11 1.501736994  
A10 114.2621014  
D9 177.2000185  
B12 1.350724250  
A11 118.7739959  
D10 -178.4798898  
B13 0.967667815  
A12 121.7514866  
D11 178.7499199  
B14 1.222403370  
A13 121.2957640  
D12 0.744384844  
B15 1.112343023  
A14 108.9987751  
D13 57.14748009  
B16 1.112523708  
A15 109.3901130  
D14 -61.07863354  
B17 1.112311108  
A16 110.2490723  
D15 60.95780594

B18 1.111460751  
A17 109.1011881  
D16 -58.96699122  
B19 1.108312230  
A18 109.4571180  
D17 57.28108559  
B20 1.112578087  
A19 108.4576743  
D18 -60.77777073  
B21 1.111081455  
A20 111.1363710  
D19 53.89922743  
B22 1.112280540  
A21 109.7465844  
D20 -65.63990050  
B23 1.848470990  
A22 108.0150932  
D21 51.91562149  
B24 1.408104044  
A23 92.75085140  
D22 -90.28672558  
B25 1.119284146  
A24 109.0516117  
D23 -63.82721020  
B26 1.418327889  
A25 91.11752220  
D24 -69.68160863  
B27 0.997884763  
A26 109.6273787  
D25 91.85608626  
B28 1.113820003  
A27 90.92857212  
D26 172.2216042  
B29 1.110261231  
A28 86.75751267  
D27 51.57606885  
End

**AB7:** DHLA-OH(C3)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
S 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1

H 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
H 3 B5 2 A4 1 D3  
H 3 B6 2 A5 1 D4  
H 2 B7 3 A6 4 D5  
H 2 B8 3 A7 4 D6  
C 1 B9 2 A8 3 D7  
C 10 B10 1 A9 2 D8  
C 11 B11 10 A10 1 D9  
C 12 B12 11 A11 10 D10  
C 13 B13 12 A12 11 D11  
O 14 B14 13 A13 12 D12  
H 15 B15 14 A14 13 D13  
O 14 B16 13 A15 12 D14  
H 13 B17 12 A16 11 D15  
H 13 B18 12 A17 11 D16  
H 12 B19 11 A18 10 D17  
H 12 B20 11 A19 10 D18  
H 11 B21 10 A20 1 D19  
H 11 B22 10 A21 1 D20  
H 10 B23 1 A22 2 D21  
H 10 B24 1 A23 2 D22  
S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
O 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25  
H 28 B28 1 A27 2 D26  
H 1 B29 2 A28 3 D27  
variables  
B1 1.616230491  
B2 1.489942616  
A1 127.4095218  
B3 1.808572918  
A2 108.9619394  
D1 -179.2695115  
B4 1.393347767  
A3 88.81574382  
D2 -143.4662233  
B5 1.101047229  
A4 110.6223798  
D3 53.66593623  
B6 1.122858851  
A5 104.5272200  
D4 -62.68300103  
B7 1.156749325  
A6 95.35596565  
D5 36.63161272  
B8 1.120972346

A7 103.4531593  
D6 -69.77937328  
B9 1.565456483  
A8 161.5606736  
D7 60.62654127  
B10 1.494272398  
A9 137.3723299  
D8 60.83611912  
B11 1.560541573  
A10 104.9519425  
D9 -179.3328035  
B12 1.478232729  
A11 108.6657572  
D10 -179.3119643  
B13 1.490093286  
A12 112.3498877  
D11 -59.26002277  
B14 1.341498416  
A13 117.4018421  
D12 -178.1407373  
B15 0.961884089  
A14 121.1296645  
D13 178.9776335  
B16 1.225341177  
A15 122.1761500  
D14 1.154623992  
B17 1.105773937  
A16 106.5391574  
D15 -179.2294372  
B18 1.110205386  
A17 107.5216394  
D16 61.90516867  
B19 1.127249307  
A18 111.9937568  
D17 60.31347117  
B20 1.119987053  
A19 110.1134846  
D18 -57.18321966  
B21 1.104744767  
A20 108.1343120  
D19 62.26781352  
B22 1.114352278  
A21 109.2532799  
D20 -60.35864609  
B23 1.104071103  
A22 103.0525071

D21 -45.38022468  
B24 1.120468206  
A23 105.3332245  
D22 -151.9613264  
B25 1.893324061  
A24 106.2808125  
D23 -51.52019622  
B26 1.403032787  
A25 105.8357770  
D24 71.85918301  
B27 1.415862635  
A26 75.18422672  
D25 128.3707310  
B28 1.001695563  
A27 108.3975541  
D26 -97.04103201  
B29 1.124008007  
A28 88.67659437  
D27 -126.9770691  
End

**AB8:** DHLA-OH(C1) (Habs)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
H 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18

H 3 B21 2 A20 1 D19  
H 2 B22 1 A21 3 D20  
H 2 B23 1 A22 3 D21  
S 1 B24 2 A23 3 D22  
H 25 B25 1 A24 2 D23  
H 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
O 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25  
H 28 B28 1 A27 2 D26

variables

B1 1.542524554  
B2 1.545960543  
A1 114.6304889  
B3 1.541745439  
A2 110.2859714  
D1 -179.3108452  
B4 1.537727544  
A3 112.9401194  
D2 -59.30797938  
B5 1.533961538  
A4 110.8985463  
D3 -59.30228000  
B6 1.536366167  
A5 111.0873085  
D4 -179.2242386  
B7 1.507187447  
A6 113.0954644  
D5 -179.2753992  
B8 1.349729973  
A7 118.9817652  
D6 -179.5276091  
B9 0.967496770  
A8 121.4341734  
D7 179.5061167  
B10 1.222060555  
A9 121.1952487  
D8 0.109639017  
B11 1.111023402  
A10 109.1941984  
D9 60.41060683  
B12 1.111276743  
A11 109.2228426  
D10 -58.33982258  
B13 1.112036870  
A12 109.5603004  
D11 59.71383714  
B14 1.113030548

A13 108.8244244  
D12 -59.26433851  
B15 1.110963996  
A14 109.8803199  
D13 -178.9980214  
B16 1.112126791  
A15 109.3546224  
D14 61.79035095  
B17 1.112374937  
A16 108.9372220  
D15 -179.3629324  
B18 1.112176695  
A17 108.9524905  
D16 62.65444177  
B19 1.833995638  
A18 110.5527434  
D17 58.57477009  
B20 1.408685203  
A19 93.53296718  
D18 -110.7419890  
B21 1.112040017  
A20 108.8447346  
D19 -61.39759087  
B22 1.112002248  
A21 108.4170783  
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B23 1.112266155  
A22 108.1593548  
D21 121.5330939  
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A23 112.3667904  
D22 60.73026194  
B25 1.409029808  
A24 93.58137985  
D23 -132.4347343  
B26 1.109892788  
A25 108.4110118  
D24 -58.66377694  
B27 1.402525223  
A26 110.6542291  
D25 -176.0076668  
B28 0.993481253  
A27 107.1507017  
D26 -66.67363975  
End

**AB9: DHLA-OH(C2) (Habs)**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
H 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18  
H 3 B21 2 A20 1 D19  
O 2 B22 1 A21 3 D20  
H 23 B23 2 A22 1 D21  
H 2 B24 1 A23 3 D22  
S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
H 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25  
H 1 B28 2 A27 3 D26  
variables  
B1 1.536922249  
B2 1.545786855  
A1 114.9825420  
B3 1.543189230  
A2 110.1525654  
D1 -179.2954135  
B4 1.537775991  
A3 113.1118095  
D2 -179.3001510  
B5 1.534224234  
A4 110.9758343  
D3 60.69604943

B6 1.538046163  
A5 110.9711437  
D4 -179.3124909  
B7 1.505860883  
A6 113.1420013  
D5 -179.2903226  
B8 1.350947075  
A7 118.8836943  
D6 -179.6261225  
B9 0.967664198  
A8 121.5673063  
D7 179.6648398  
B10 1.220626478  
A9 121.3589060  
D8 0.198384428  
B11 1.111990558  
A10 109.0331357  
D9 60.45166766  
B12 1.110195478  
A11 109.2540770  
D10 -58.26598046  
B13 1.112641002  
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D11 59.69703751  
B14 1.112501236  
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D12 -59.30262493  
B15 1.110596686  
A14 109.9517484  
D13 -58.90819731  
B16 1.112812653  
A15 109.3201892  
D14 -178.1586718  
B17 1.112018435  
A16 109.1875835  
D15 60.09403926  
B18 1.112565054  
A17 108.6136366  
D16 -57.80642596  
B19 1.832952536  
A18 110.8091568  
D17 58.45123907  
B20 1.409214675  
A19 93.26851151  
D18 -113.1682752  
B21 1.111933901

A20 108.5179874  
D19 -61.04746601  
B22 1.113102421  
A21 108.5456868  
D20 -122.0001032  
B23 0.969149627  
A22 109.4541748  
D21 64.04267717  
B24 1.111561964  
A23 107.2804855  
D22 121.6097661  
B25 1.822108669  
A24 112.5517910  
D23 -179.2663505  
B26 1.411076894  
A25 93.14177910  
D24 -132.2831890  
B27 1.109445808  
A26 109.3873695  
D25 59.05643418  
B28 1.110978848  
A27 109.8016416  
D26 -58.11300932  
End

**AB10:** DHLA-OH(C3) (Habs)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
O 8 B9 7 A8 6 D7  
H 10 B10 8 A9 7 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14

H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
H 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18  
O 3 B21 2 A20 1 D19  
H 22 B22 3 A21 2 D20  
H 2 B23 1 A22 3 D21  
H 2 B24 1 A23 3 D22  
S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
H 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25  
H 1 B28 2 A27 3 D26  
variables  
B1 1.532241483  
B2 1.540064455  
A1 113.7281927  
B3 1.544244191  
A2 112.5830966  
D1 -68.64858334  
B4 1.533879359  
A3 115.3797365  
D2 171.9632432  
B5 1.537102063  
A4 113.7335479  
D3 -177.8373315  
B6 1.531459596  
A5 115.0442793  
D4 -70.41899105  
B7 1.514184230  
A6 113.4184538  
D5 -70.27274013  
B8 1.209837974  
A7 126.0996922  
D6 -8.850183658  
B9 1.355115341  
A8 111.3965967  
D7 172.2888048  
B10 0.975287160  
A9 105.8824568  
D8 179.0035195  
B11 1.104127291  
A10 110.5439111  
D9 170.3389822  
B12 1.102006043  
A11 112.8814245  
D10 53.00367870

B13 1.101043364  
A12 108.5795729  
D11 168.2737294  
B14 1.103678770  
A13 109.4929909  
D12 51.88234005  
B15 1.101790379  
A14 110.8227374  
D13 58.70230473  
B16 1.103926797  
A15 108.5118233  
D14 -58.01540664  
B17 1.103458575  
A16 107.0040549  
D15 51.28125413  
B18 1.102732480  
A17 107.9694420  
D16 -63.25305479  
B19 1.892907044  
A18 109.1636831  
D17 173.4719240  
B20 1.357985510  
A19 94.69814622  
D18 -59.09203136  
B21 1.413654720  
A20 106.2199830  
D19 54.55832175  
B22 0.968893825  
A21 107.5796859  
D20 169.6658480  
B23 1.100643571  
A22 110.5780197  
D21 -122.8178353  
B24 1.101349758  
A23 108.4386867  
D22 120.1757563  
B25 1.852320332  
A24 108.5597129  
D23 -175.6300054  
B26 1.358282421  
A25 96.41179622  
D24 177.2715356  
B27 1.099517674  
A26 111.5688309  
D25 65.04091970  
B28 1.097885805

A27 109.8444953

D26 -55.96636123

End

*Appendix C: ALA-OH Adducts*

**AC1:** ALA-OH(S1)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
C 1 B2 2 A1  
H 3 B3 1 A2 2 D1  
C 3 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 5 B5 3 A4 1 D3  
C 5 B6 3 A5 1 D4  
H 7 B7 5 A6 3 D5  
C 7 B8 5 A7 3 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 5 D7  
C 9 B10 7 A9 5 D8  
H 11 B11 9 A10 7 D9  
C 11 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
H 13 B13 11 A12 9 D11  
C 13 B14 11 A13 9 D12  
O 15 B15 13 A14 11 D13  
H 16 B16 15 A15 13 D14  
O 15 B17 13 A16 11 D15  
H 13 B18 11 A17 9 D16  
H 11 B19 9 A18 7 D17  
H 9 B20 7 A19 5 D18  
H 7 B21 5 A20 3 D19  
S 5 B22 3 A21 1 D20  
S 1 B23 2 A22 3 D21  
O 23 B24 5 A23 3 D22  
H 25 B25 23 A24 5 D23  
H 3 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
H 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25  
variables  
B1 1.111830922  
B2 1.546103489  
A1 110.0504262  
B3 1.111410815  
A2 111.3959080  
D1 58.17234951  
B4 1.531697751  
A3 109.1007835  
D2 -64.64694995  
B5 1.112941148  
A4 108.4852602  
D3 68.24672637

B6 1.535197707  
A5 113.1324119  
D4 -170.0169948  
B7 1.112551572  
A6 108.3104972  
D5 -59.64214766  
B8 1.535779607  
A7 111.0967286  
D6 -179.2977367  
B9 1.112095769  
A8 109.2021481  
D7 -179.6930753  
B10 1.531977154  
A9 111.4795209  
D8 -59.31593826  
B11 1.113223248  
A10 109.0967979  
D9 -58.79965661  
B12 1.535872716  
A11 110.6103820  
D10 -179.2813245  
B13 1.111611443  
A12 109.3521667  
D11 60.00349472  
B14 1.509694671  
A13 113.2483560  
D12 -179.3133854  
B15 1.349264244  
A14 119.8162555  
D13 179.5254772  
B16 0.967737568  
A15 121.4957809  
D14 -0.100430345  
B17 1.221663620  
A16 121.0322670  
D15 -0.443181617  
B18 1.111915464  
A17 109.1177589  
D16 -58.68096403  
B19 1.112467528  
A18 109.3819709  
D17 60.30225642  
B20 1.111761665  
A19 109.5044568  
D18 61.35490156  
B21 1.111880389

A20 110.0159530  
D19 58.91909981  
B22 1.798348409  
A21 100.9781036  
D20 -48.60934327  
B23 1.848360895  
A22 108.9071528  
D21 -122.2258086  
B24 1.719430720  
A23 92.54918698  
D22 116.9782643  
B25 0.990615970  
A24 104.2711785  
D23 112.3869323  
B26 1.114109959  
A25 107.5784706  
D24 176.5837599  
B27 1.110203585  
A26 109.1404688  
D25 118.8492757  
End

**AC2:** ALA-OH(S2)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
C 1 B2 2 A1  
H 3 B3 1 A2 2 D1  
C 3 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 5 B5 3 A4 1 D3  
C 5 B6 3 A5 1 D4  
H 7 B7 5 A6 3 D5  
C 7 B8 5 A7 3 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 5 D7  
C 9 B10 7 A9 5 D8  
H 11 B11 9 A10 7 D9  
C 11 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
H 13 B13 11 A12 9 D11  
C 13 B14 11 A13 9 D12  
O 15 B15 13 A14 11 D13  
H 16 B16 15 A15 13 D14  
O 15 B17 13 A16 11 D15  
H 13 B18 11 A17 9 D16  
H 11 B19 9 A18 7 D17

H 9 B20 7 A19 5 D18  
H 7 B21 5 A20 3 D19  
S 5 B22 3 A21 1 D20  
S 1 B23 2 A22 3 D21  
O 24 B24 1 A23 2 D22  
H 25 B25 24 A24 1 D23  
H 3 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
H 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25  
variables  
B1 1.111363577  
B2 1.525813553  
A1 109.7703302  
B3 1.111545771  
A2 110.0652954  
D1 53.97018636  
B4 1.556582475  
A3 110.3438839  
D2 -70.10028601  
B5 1.112570897  
A4 108.8259192  
D3 63.94566029  
B6 1.540672905  
A5 108.8409766  
D4 -176.9074489  
B7 1.112816696  
A6 108.4243726  
D5 -59.26681299  
B8 1.536244121  
A7 113.3562382  
D6 -179.3299756  
B9 1.112685490  
A8 109.4425498  
D7 -179.7451827  
B10 1.535361847  
A9 110.4399270  
D8 -59.24861513  
B11 1.112858032  
A10 109.1016497  
D9 -58.52997782  
B12 1.536036783  
A11 111.4791559  
D10 -179.3120196  
B13 1.111183603  
A12 109.3101653  
D11 179.8581872  
B14 1.510458540

A13 112.9443153  
D12 -59.36758102  
B15 1.349443589  
A14 119.8903412  
D13 179.4702207  
B16 0.967178370  
A15 121.5722439  
D14 -0.314549050  
B17 1.221586264  
A16 121.0771104  
D15 -0.517414020  
B18 1.112157363  
A17 109.0618093  
D16 61.05728821  
B19 1.112185686  
A18 109.1402806  
D17 60.33103211  
B20 1.110999550  
A19 109.8494395  
D18 60.87461089  
B21 1.112696275  
A20 109.2220350  
D19 58.57326439  
B22 1.856643477  
A21 110.1418281  
D20 -55.03852635  
B23 1.790643739  
A22 111.5271391  
D21 -111.4111979  
B24 1.719419670  
A23 92.61112771  
D22 0.921508374  
B25 0.991429776  
A24 104.2895519  
D23 -114.4720164  
B26 1.113574874  
A25 108.2512067  
D24 171.7986923  
B27 1.109607588  
A26 109.8349674  
D25 122.8535438  
End

**AC3:** ALA-OH(C1)

geometry

zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
H 2 B2 1 A1  
C 2 B3 1 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 2 A3 1 D2  
C 4 B5 2 A4 1 D3  
H 6 B6 4 A5 2 D4  
C 6 B7 4 A6 2 D5  
H 8 B8 6 A7 4 D6  
C 8 B9 6 A8 4 D7  
H 10 B10 8 A9 6 D8  
C 10 B11 8 A10 6 D9  
H 12 B12 10 A11 8 D10  
C 12 B13 10 A12 8 D11  
O 14 B14 12 A13 10 D12  
H 15 B15 14 A14 12 D13  
O 14 B16 12 A15 10 D14  
H 12 B17 10 A16 8 D15  
H 10 B18 8 A17 6 D16  
H 8 B19 6 A18 4 D17  
H 6 B20 4 A19 2 D18  
S 4 B21 2 A20 1 D19  
S 1 B22 2 A21 3 D20  
H 2 B23 1 A22 23 D21  
O 1 B24 2 A23 3 D22  
H 25 B25 1 A24 2 D23  
H 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
H 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25  
variables  
B1 1.596086777  
B2 1.127640457  
A1 116.5054359  
B3 1.538057541  
A2 111.9608438  
D1 -123.1726998  
B4 1.114677083  
A3 110.8164925  
D2 71.05739710  
B5 1.539683409  
A4 110.9396563  
D3 -168.6661537  
B6 1.112485955  
A5 108.0186121  
D4 -58.12256438  
B7 1.535542575

A6 113.2468893  
D5 -177.7538159  
B8 1.113282534  
A7 109.3057548  
D6 58.09433178  
B9 1.534343508  
A8 109.8971767  
D7 178.0823527  
B10 1.112340775  
A9 108.9434373  
D8 -58.53763559  
B11 1.535391155  
A10 112.0157460  
D9 -178.9502491  
B12 1.111530027  
A11 109.1956347  
D10 59.26472240  
B13 1.511022171  
A12 112.6071420  
D11 179.6474782  
B14 1.349320570  
A13 119.9922563  
D12 -179.6853393  
B15 0.966314649  
A14 121.5970811  
D13 0.069376894  
B16 1.222476585  
A15 121.0231339  
D14 0.185215184  
B17 1.110962196  
A16 109.3618047  
D15 -59.66141855  
B18 1.112877801  
A17 109.0194978  
D16 60.18235566  
B19 1.111719389  
A18 110.1718231  
D17 -61.31154562  
B20 1.111924458  
A19 109.5983306  
D18 59.82417404  
B21 1.803511575  
A20 104.8023681  
D19 -47.13486639  
B22 1.835238132  
A21 104.7333974

D20 127.7178767  
B23 1.125024889  
A22 108.9037028  
D21 -109.8854737  
B24 1.412518672  
A23 81.48696329  
D22 -57.16676504  
B25 0.995949798  
A24 107.6990164  
D23 122.4229156  
B26 1.115351962  
A25 82.40355970  
D24 52.07760862  
B27 1.112031474  
A26 172.9899665  
D25 -173.6257876  
End

**AC4:** ALA-OH(C2)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
H 2 B2 1 A1  
H 2 B3 3 A2 1 D1  
S 2 B4 3 A3 1 D2  
S 5 B5 2 A4 3 D3  
C 1 B6 2 A5 3 D4  
H 7 B7 1 A6 2 D5  
C 7 B8 1 A7 2 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 1 D7  
C 9 B10 7 A9 1 D8  
H 11 B11 9 A10 7 D9  
C 11 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
H 13 B13 11 A12 9 D11  
C 13 B14 11 A13 9 D12  
H 15 B15 13 A14 11 D13  
C 15 B16 13 A15 11 D14  
O 17 B17 15 A16 13 D15  
H 18 B18 17 A17 15 D16  
O 17 B19 15 A18 13 D17  
H 15 B20 13 A19 11 D18  
H 13 B21 11 A20 9 D19  
H 11 B22 9 A21 7 D20  
H 9 B23 7 A22 1 D21

O 1 B24 2 A23 3 D22  
H 25 B25 1 A24 2 D23  
H 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
H 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25

variables

B1 1.598979049  
B2 1.113658835  
A1 107.4236361  
B3 1.118243265  
A2 107.8969082  
D1 123.1201622  
B4 1.829475608  
A3 106.0006797  
D2 -127.6940068  
B5 2.086042665  
A4 92.57077437  
D3 123.5769807  
B6 1.580248398  
A5 92.89329232  
D4 -87.83153249  
B7 1.120040178  
A6 112.2359412  
D5 60.60082394  
B8 1.558931044  
A7 111.6420504  
D6 178.8810298  
B9 1.112872859  
A8 109.0323958  
D7 -55.85885022  
B10 1.539803884  
A9 113.7007620  
D8 -174.6262401  
B11 1.112286384  
A10 108.9285626  
D9 59.65817278  
B12 1.534603532  
A11 109.9352558  
D10 179.7206983  
B13 1.112680547  
A12 109.0890544  
D11 -56.16027520  
B14 1.536156568  
A13 112.2286009  
D12 -176.2371965  
B15 1.112008093  
A14 108.9311042

D13 60.03454643  
B16 1.512534628  
A15 112.5073368  
D14 -179.8225981  
B17 1.348423153  
A16 120.0674834  
D15 -178.4269724  
B18 0.967187159  
A17 121.6853709  
D16 0.605045364  
B19 1.221962356  
A18 120.9692474  
D17 1.399588660  
B20 1.111390570  
A19 109.7277852  
D18 -58.83593386  
B21 1.112578986  
A20 108.8004956  
D19 62.47308892  
B22 1.111410815  
A21 110.8671315  
D20 -59.77609349  
B23 1.111912766  
A22 109.5166832  
D21 62.11268028  
B24 1.426027700  
A23 90.49698092  
D22 87.82716610  
B25 1.004801971  
A24 113.8831873  
D23 -70.32445091  
B26 1.111511134  
A25 120.1397481  
D24 177.4276452  
B27 1.116377624  
A26 120.6400683  
D25 0.023016933  
End

**AC5:** ALA-OH(C1) (Habs)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
C 1 B2 2 A1

H 3 B3 1 A2 2 D1  
C 3 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 5 B5 3 A4 1 D3  
C 5 B6 3 A5 1 D4  
H 7 B7 5 A6 3 D5  
C 7 B8 5 A7 3 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 5 D7  
C 9 B10 7 A9 5 D8  
H 11 B11 9 A10 7 D9  
C 11 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
H 13 B13 11 A12 9 D11  
C 13 B14 11 A13 9 D12  
O 15 B15 13 A14 11 D13  
H 16 B16 15 A15 13 D14  
O 15 B17 13 A16 11 D15  
H 13 B18 11 A17 9 D16  
H 11 B19 9 A18 7 D17  
H 9 B20 7 A19 5 D18  
H 7 B21 5 A20 3 D19  
S 5 B22 3 A21 1 D20  
S 1 B23 2 A22 3 D21  
H 3 B24 1 A23 2 D22  
O 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
variables  
B1 1.114459510  
B2 1.517891300  
A1 111.2486744  
B3 1.111427910  
A2 110.6118912  
D1 57.78977815  
B4 1.521206758  
A3 107.5557740  
D2 -63.91675187  
B5 1.113428040  
A4 109.7365267  
D3 62.77479012  
B6 1.539364479  
A5 110.0730870  
D4 -176.8056291  
B7 1.113287923  
A6 108.3514755  
D5 -59.39425990  
B8 1.537162646  
A7 112.5721180  
D6 -179.2750285

B9 1.113113651  
A8 109.4463045  
D7 -179.8335323  
B10 1.533402100  
A9 110.8454200  
D8 -59.31162714  
B11 1.113040431  
A10 109.1193487  
D9 -58.48457937  
B12 1.535689422  
A11 111.1267325  
D10 -179.2789235  
B13 1.111686107  
A12 109.3880091  
D11 179.9353985  
B14 1.510701493  
A13 113.0381616  
D12 -59.28846222  
B15 1.349709969  
A14 119.8171861  
D13 179.3117649  
B16 0.966948809  
A15 121.5094172  
D14 -0.394058415  
B17 1.221682856  
A16 121.0669428  
D15 -0.685032468  
B18 1.110837522  
A17 109.0047891  
D16 61.10964777  
B19 1.112545729  
A18 109.2374558  
D17 60.41569008  
B20 1.111529127  
A19 109.5941657  
D18 61.01493729  
B21 1.112717844  
A20 109.7154859  
D19 58.80909118  
B22 1.824507057  
A21 106.9569007  
D20 -55.19579451  
B23 1.816927076  
A22 107.8234234  
D21 -118.1409951  
B24 1.114412401

A23 109.1545761  
D22 177.2886758  
B25 1.401335791  
A24 110.5781959  
D23 122.6119439  
B26 0.992920440  
A25 106.5968605  
D24 -48.02925788  
End

**AC6:** ALA-OH(C2) (Habs)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
C 1 B2 2 A1  
O 3 B3 1 A2 2 D1  
H 4 B4 3 A3 1 D2  
C 3 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
H 6 B6 3 A5 1 D4  
C 6 B7 3 A6 1 D5  
H 8 B8 6 A7 3 D6  
C 8 B9 6 A8 3 D7  
H 10 B10 8 A9 6 D8  
C 10 B11 8 A10 6 D9  
H 12 B12 10 A11 8 D10  
C 12 B13 10 A12 8 D11  
H 14 B14 12 A13 10 D12  
C 14 B15 12 A14 10 D13  
O 16 B16 14 A15 12 D14  
H 17 B17 16 A16 14 D15  
O 16 B18 14 A17 12 D16  
H 14 B19 12 A18 10 D17  
H 12 B20 10 A19 8 D18  
H 10 B21 8 A20 6 D19  
H 8 B22 6 A21 3 D20  
S 6 B23 3 A22 1 D21  
S 1 B24 2 A23 3 D22  
H 3 B25 1 A24 2 D23  
H 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
variables  
B1 1.111051217  
B2 1.519054288  
A1 111.0987367

B3 1.405806229  
A2 111.2461854  
D1 58.38388462  
B4 0.993539693  
A3 107.7782247  
D2 -62.56968296  
B5 1.530658265  
A4 107.8478145  
D3 -65.24216017  
B6 1.112450240  
A5 109.8214287  
D4 63.51123438  
B7 1.541322123  
A6 110.6988217  
D5 -175.5548697  
B8 1.112131217  
A7 108.6013037  
D6 -59.56122444  
B9 1.536562744  
A8 112.5018777  
D7 -179.2934949  
B10 1.112438775  
A9 109.4327907  
D8 -59.76715840  
B11 1.533847476  
A10 110.8987070  
D9 60.73895028  
B12 1.112955125  
A11 109.0789671  
D10 -58.58542688  
B13 1.536727661  
A12 111.0899286  
D11 -179.2748834  
B14 1.111031105  
A13 109.3886349  
D12 59.85204382  
B15 1.509620710  
A14 113.0597299  
D13 -179.3181001  
B16 1.349720763  
A15 119.8542732  
D14 179.2242352  
B17 0.967763446  
A16 121.5055008  
D15 -0.281063158  
B18 1.221759875

A17 121.0641115  
D16 -0.694426702  
B19 1.111835568  
A18 109.0019988  
D17 -58.85668835  
B20 1.111497734  
A19 109.2686929  
D18 60.37686629  
B21 1.111446958  
A20 109.6736119  
D19 -178.9346171  
B22 1.112570699  
A21 109.6808051  
D20 58.78256992  
B23 1.826279066  
A22 106.8204422  
D21 -53.98118738  
B24 1.815451941  
A23 108.8644786  
D22 -118.8925081  
B25 1.113562527  
A24 108.2534031  
D23 177.1220556  
B26 1.110320083  
A25 109.8425154  
D24 120.6948303  
End

**AC7:** ALA-OH(C3) (Habs)

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
C 4 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
O 7 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
H 8 B8 7 A7 4 D6  
C 7 B9 4 A8 1 D7  
H 10 B10 7 A9 4 D8  
H 10 B11 7 A10 4 D9  
C 10 B12 7 A11 4 D10

C 13 B13 10 A12 7 D11  
C 14 B14 13 A13 10 D12  
H 15 B15 14 A14 13 D13  
H 15 B16 14 A15 13 D14  
C 15 B17 14 A16 13 D15  
O 18 B18 15 A17 14 D16  
O 18 B19 15 A18 14 D17  
H 20 B20 18 A19 15 D18  
H 14 B21 13 A20 10 D19  
H 14 B22 13 A21 10 D20  
H 13 B23 10 A22 7 D21  
H 13 B24 10 A23 7 D22  
S 7 B25 4 A24 1 D23  
S 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
variables  
B1 1.110245919  
B2 1.109622458  
A1 109.6200529  
B3 1.514963036  
A2 110.9366969  
D1 -120.3462733  
B4 1.113293313  
A3 108.5746892  
D2 175.5679957  
B5 1.112144775  
A4 110.5471031  
D3 57.01008543  
B6 1.530717805  
A5 108.1547847  
D4 -65.70787741  
B7 1.407555683  
A6 110.9203490  
D5 62.73488728  
B8 0.993507423  
A7 107.7608231  
D6 60.17542634  
B9 1.549080695  
A8 109.9905630  
D7 -174.7174572  
B10 1.112480562  
A9 109.5353533  
D8 58.92956954  
B11 1.112478764  
A10 108.5642310  
D9 -58.84900154  
B12 1.538644208

A11 113.0417009  
D10 -179.3107440  
B13 1.533131762  
A12 111.0119413  
D11 60.69282415  
B14 1.536364866  
A13 110.9690571  
D12 -179.3104155  
B15 1.112294026  
A14 109.3239608  
D13 60.02496484  
B16 1.112126791  
A15 109.0802654  
D14 -58.63225359  
B17 1.509384312  
A16 113.2145298  
D15 -179.3121061  
B18 1.221828548  
A17 121.0455428  
D16 -0.455480768  
B19 1.349253868  
A18 119.8857043  
D17 179.4771432  
B20 0.967517442  
A19 121.5175781  
D18 -0.204918610  
B21 1.112334932  
A20 109.4285347  
D19 60.28706827  
B22 1.112757835  
A21 109.1085597  
D20 -58.79387326  
B23 1.111397319  
A22 109.5656006  
D21 -59.51237139  
B24 1.110525551  
A23 109.6555599  
D22 -178.7920448  
B25 1.826969075  
A24 106.1329492  
D23 -54.89328273  
B26 1.815518934  
A25 109.1503901  
D24 120.6499840  
End

*Appendix D: Side Products Following H Abstraction*

**AD1:** H<sub>2</sub>O

```
geometry
zmatrix
O
H 1 B1
H 1 B2 2 A1
variables
B1 1.050000000
B2 1.050000000
A1 109.4712206
End
```

**AD2:** CH<sub>4</sub>

```
geometry
zmatrix
C
H 1 B1
H 1 B2 2 A1
H 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1
H 1 B4 2 A3 3 D2
variables
B1 1.112999513
B2 1.112999513
A1 109.4712206
B3 1.112999513
A2 109.4712206
D1 120.0000000
B4 1.112999513
A3 109.4712206
D2 -120.0000000
End
```

**AD3:** H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

```
geometry
zmatrix
O
O 1 B1
H 2 B2 1 A1
H 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1
variables
```

B1 1.427753993  
B2 0.941376263  
A1 98.50397771  
B3 0.941376263  
A2 98.50397771  
D1 -118.5656522  
End

**AD4:** CH<sub>3</sub>OH

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
O 1 B1  
H 2 B2 1 A1  
H 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 1 B4 2 A3 3 D2  
H 1 B5 2 A4 3 D3  
variables  
B1 1.406998428  
B2 0.942304043  
A1 107.3762717  
B3 1.114972412  
A2 108.6937696  
D1 -179.9999991  
B4 1.114928887  
A3 108.6973130  
D2 -59.82522375  
B5 1.114928887  
A4 108.6973130  
D3 59.82522375  
End

**AD5:** HOOCH<sub>3</sub>

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
O 1 B1  
O 2 B2 1 A1  
H 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
H 1 B4 2 A3 3 D2  
H 1 B5 2 A4 3 D3  
H 1 B6 2 A5 3 D4

```
variables
B1 1.500000000
B2 1.460000000
A1 109.4712206
B3 1.050000000
A2 109.4712206
D1 25.46348938
B4 1.090000000
A3 109.4712206
D2 -180.0000000
B5 1.090000000
A4 109.4712206
D3 -60.00000000
B6 1.090000000
A5 109.4712206
D4 60.00000000
End
```

### **AD6: HOOCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>**

```
geometry
zmatrix
C
C 1 B1
H 2 B2 1 A1
H 2 B3 1 A2 3 D1
H 2 B4 1 A3 3 D2
O 1 B5 2 A4 3 D3
O 6 B6 1 A5 2 D4
H 7 B7 6 A6 1 D5
H 1 B8 2 A7 3 D6
H 1 B9 2 A8 3 D7
variables
B1 1.540000000
B2 1.090000000
A1 109.4712206
B3 1.090000000
A2 109.4712206
D1 120.0000000
B4 1.090000000
A3 109.4712206
D2 -120.0000000
B5 1.500000000
A4 109.4712206
D3 180.0000000
```

B6 1.460000000  
A5 109.4712206  
D4 -80.33025365  
B7 1.050000000  
A6 109.4712206  
D5 19.66044547  
B8 1.090000000  
A7 109.4712206  
D6 60.00000000  
B9 1.090000000  
A8 109.4712206  
D7 -60.00000000  
End

**AD7:** HOOCl<sub>3</sub>

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
O 1 B1  
O 2 B2 1 A1  
H 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
Cl 1 B4 2 A3 3 D2  
Cl 1 B5 2 A4 3 D3  
Cl 1 B6 2 A5 3 D4  
variables  
B1 1.500000000  
B2 1.460000000  
A1 109.4712206  
B3 1.050000000  
A2 109.4712206  
D1 -0.000000000  
B4 1.760000000  
A3 109.4712206  
D2 -60.000000000  
B5 1.760000000  
A4 109.4712206  
D3 -179.9999988  
B6 1.760000000  
A5 109.4712206  
D4 60.000000000  
End

*Appendix E: DHLA Hydrogen Abstractions*

**AE1:** DHLA HTC1

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
S 2 B2 1 A1  
H 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
H 2 B4 1 A3 3 D2  
C 1 B5 2 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 1 D5  
C 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
C 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
C 10 B10 9 A9 8 D8  
O 11 B11 10 A10 9 D9  
O 11 B12 10 A11 9 D10  
H 13 B13 11 A12 10 D11  
H 10 B14 9 A13 8 D12  
H 10 B15 9 A14 8 D13  
H 9 B16 8 A15 7 D14  
H 9 B17 8 A16 7 D15  
H 8 B18 7 A17 6 D16  
H 8 B19 7 A18 6 D17  
H 7 B20 6 A19 1 D18  
H 7 B21 6 A20 1 D19  
S 6 B22 1 A21 2 D20  
H 23 B23 6 A22 1 D21  
H 6 B24 1 A23 2 D22  
H 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
variables  
B1 1.542063877  
B2 1.825719036  
A1 116.0933397  
B3 1.404434762  
A2 95.13972859  
D1 -99.18666997  
B4 1.109878372  
A3 110.0600894  
D2 122.6033344  
B5 1.552615213  
A4 115.9378952  
D3 -58.44872838  
B6 1.548089145

A5 110.2160490  
D4 -162.9968171  
B7 1.541358492  
A6 113.2192663  
D5 -176.1448805  
B8 1.534809760  
A7 111.8543207  
D6 -174.6878894  
B9 1.539128325  
A8 110.6065122  
D7 -172.2321398  
B10 1.509194818  
A9 113.4278797  
D8 -178.8579254  
B11 1.218754692  
A10 121.1653405  
D9 2.338054165  
B12 1.351529504  
A11 119.7123665  
D10 -177.5295065  
B13 0.967231617  
A12 121.5588199  
D11 0.982158699  
B14 1.111783252  
A13 108.4682803  
D12 61.19499452  
B15 1.111547120  
A14 109.8453733  
D13 -57.41252416  
B16 1.112485955  
A15 109.0116501  
D14 66.44533717  
B17 1.111834970  
A16 109.7379879  
D15 -52.77929530  
B18 1.110020270  
A17 108.4495820  
D16 65.88927861  
B19 1.112072390  
A18 110.4031697  
D17 -53.27911809  
B20 1.113887337  
A19 107.8637323  
D18 63.20313787  
B21 1.110964446  
A20 110.0364181

D19 -54.79739301  
B22 1.841261253  
A21 111.7524908  
D20 73.36469215  
B23 1.407057213  
A22 96.85002006  
D21 28.94697757  
B24 1.112490000  
A23 108.1520503  
D22 -45.51414440  
B25 1.112863873  
A24 104.8237150  
D23 -177.9987962  
B26 1.112063847  
A25 110.7184439  
D24 67.26362824  
End

## AE2: DHLA HTC2

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
C 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
H 6 B6 4 A5 1 D4  
C 6 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
H 8 B8 6 A7 4 D6  
H 8 B9 6 A8 4 D7  
C 8 B10 6 A9 4 D8  
H 11 B11 8 A10 6 D9  
H 11 B12 8 A11 6 D10  
C 11 B13 8 A12 6 D11  
H 14 B14 11 A13 8 D12  
H 14 B15 11 A14 8 D13  
C 14 B16 11 A15 8 D14  
H 17 B17 14 A16 11 D15  
H 17 B18 14 A17 11 D16  
C 17 B19 14 A18 11 D17  
O 20 B20 17 A19 14 D18  
O 20 B21 17 A20 14 D19  
H 22 B22 20 A21 17 D20

S 6 B23 4 A22 1 D21  
H 24 B24 6 A23 4 D22  
S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24

variables

B1 1.110163051  
B2 1.108812428  
A1 105.9875913  
B3 1.533018265  
A2 108.8753729  
D1 -118.7890169  
B4 1.111649675  
A3 111.8511250  
D2 70.31003492  
B5 1.541082087  
A4 116.4094575  
D3 -59.89728608  
B6 1.111602897  
A5 107.9714060  
D4 177.8148037  
B7 1.541131403  
A6 109.6075845  
D5 60.67709086  
B8 1.112738963  
A7 108.0378703  
D6 60.57899916  
B9 1.112863873  
A8 109.7978319  
D7 -57.33197014  
B10 1.538214874  
A9 112.8150222  
D8 -179.2486061  
B11 1.110175211  
A10 109.1107202  
D9 -179.3350149  
B12 1.111126005  
A11 109.8123246  
D10 61.43270127  
B13 1.534404771  
A12 111.3468123  
D11 -59.28748607  
B14 1.112894424  
A13 109.0836578  
D12 59.65612786  
B15 1.112063847  
A14 109.4759803

D13 -59.44381373  
B16 1.537432925  
A15 110.7076633  
D14 -179.2616992  
B17 1.111464349  
A16 108.6420243  
D15 -59.49120579  
B18 1.111261445  
A17 109.6220146  
D16 -178.1550806  
B19 1.509507536  
A18 113.3085809  
D17 60.69716028  
B20 1.221039311  
A19 121.1328704  
D18 1.818338198  
B21 1.350123328  
A20 119.7589110  
D19 -178.0894972  
B22 0.967699850  
A21 121.5395726  
D20 0.859092634  
B23 1.833982279  
A22 111.7031935  
D21 -63.19350957  
B24 1.407736126  
A23 94.63282658  
D22 49.30945825  
B25 1.822906470  
A24 107.8755816  
D23 116.8117746  
B26 1.406821950  
A25 93.76659902  
D24 34.00388077  
End

### **AE3: DHLA HTC3**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2

H 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
C 4 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
C 7 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
H 8 B8 7 A7 4 D6  
H 8 B9 7 A8 4 D7  
C 8 B10 7 A9 4 D8  
H 11 B11 8 A10 7 D9  
H 11 B12 8 A11 7 D10  
C 11 B13 8 A12 7 D11  
H 14 B14 11 A13 8 D12  
H 14 B15 11 A14 8 D13  
C 14 B16 11 A15 8 D14  
H 17 B17 14 A16 11 D15  
H 17 B18 14 A17 11 D16  
C 17 B19 14 A18 11 D17  
O 20 B20 17 A19 14 D18  
O 20 B21 17 A20 14 D19  
H 22 B22 20 A21 17 D20  
S 7 B23 4 A22 1 D21  
H 24 B24 7 A23 4 D22  
S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
variables  
B1 1.111113856  
B2 1.111083255  
A1 106.0120541  
B3 1.537057579  
A2 108.9777452  
D1 -118.9195612  
B4 1.112036870  
A3 105.1217647  
D2 54.08710259  
B5 1.111439157  
A4 110.7311121  
D3 -61.66397920  
B6 1.545388301  
A5 115.0171775  
D4 172.0688108  
B7 1.542302175  
A6 111.2456921  
D5 -162.0661651  
B8 1.111527328  
A7 107.9152846  
D6 58.18346805  
B9 1.111566012  
A8 109.7361336

D7 -59.79751922  
B10 1.537070265  
A9 112.9234140  
D8 177.9048617  
B11 1.110565622  
A10 109.2384221  
D9 64.27565137  
B12 1.111880389  
A11 109.7965411  
D10 -55.04854233  
B13 1.533859511  
A12 111.1161140  
D11 -175.8233073  
B14 1.112816696  
A13 109.0486886  
D12 63.45275806  
B15 1.112552021  
A14 109.4696953  
D13 -55.56347791  
B16 1.536061522  
A15 111.0042551  
D14 -175.4447309  
B17 1.112187035  
A16 108.7100810  
D15 60.50329527  
B18 1.111669015  
A17 109.7087973  
D16 -58.19077179  
B19 1.510198331  
A18 113.2795456  
D17 -179.3947828  
B20 1.222099832  
A19 120.9872150  
D18 1.817566150  
B21 1.348816518  
A20 119.9142845  
D19 -178.0042384  
B22 0.967737051  
A21 121.5209432  
D20 0.840041331  
B23 1.833340394  
A22 112.3602340  
D21 72.05395045  
B24 1.407610742  
A23 93.86278639  
D22 59.13828913

B25 1.823429187  
A24 106.9936712  
D23 116.3010267  
B26 1.406904048  
A25 93.67438484  
D24 34.38851038  
End

#### **AE4: DHLA HTC4**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
C 4 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
H 7 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
C 7 B8 4 A7 1 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 4 D7  
C 9 B10 7 A9 4 D8  
H 11 B11 9 A10 7 D9  
H 11 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
C 11 B13 9 A12 7 D11  
H 14 B14 11 A13 9 D12  
H 14 B15 11 A14 9 D13  
C 14 B16 11 A15 9 D14  
H 17 B17 14 A16 11 D15  
H 17 B18 14 A17 11 D16  
C 17 B19 14 A18 11 D17  
O 20 B20 17 A19 14 D18  
O 20 B21 17 A20 14 D19  
H 22 B22 20 A21 17 D20  
S 7 B23 4 A22 1 D21  
H 24 B24 7 A23 4 D22  
S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
variables  
B1 1.111766162  
B2 1.109984234  
A1 105.8911448  
B3 1.539555780  
A2 108.9026366

D1 -118.9246011  
B4 1.112441459  
A3 105.3320390  
D2 -177.4584965  
B5 1.111076505  
A4 110.3054384  
D3 66.87188034  
B6 1.547163857  
A5 115.5448401  
D4 -59.38399729  
B7 1.111346031  
A6 107.8898611  
D5 177.4338044  
B8 1.539572018  
A7 109.9120765  
D6 60.72511049  
B9 1.112820740  
A8 110.7738773  
D7 -55.34468520  
B10 1.533506113  
A9 113.4852910  
D8 -179.3088247  
B11 1.110993249  
A10 109.0300101  
D9 60.44384734  
B12 1.112364149  
A11 109.8763435  
D10 -58.84358944  
B13 1.531799595  
A12 111.0038164  
D11 -179.3125596  
B14 1.113521441  
A13 109.0761899  
D12 179.5540517  
B15 1.112748399  
A14 109.5456040  
D13 60.45835600  
B16 1.536992518  
A15 110.6159510  
D14 -59.27422626  
B17 1.112266155  
A16 108.6342619  
D15 60.55995337  
B18 1.111749972  
A17 109.6718667  
D16 -58.06768416

B19 1.508953942  
A18 113.4530503  
D17 -179.3171910  
B20 1.222261429  
A19 121.0220609  
D18 1.965252239  
B21 1.348756464  
A20 119.8862342  
D19 -177.9002411  
B22 0.968300573  
A21 121.4730428  
D20 0.889884767  
B23 1.833033551  
A22 112.6605256  
D21 -62.97609419  
B24 1.407228126  
A23 94.25239256  
D22 51.41896641  
B25 1.823741484  
A24 106.9988391  
D23 116.1123189  
B26 1.406607266  
A25 93.94721948  
D24 31.88013162  
End

#### **AE5:** DHLA HTC5

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
C 4 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
H 7 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
C 7 B8 4 A7 1 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 4 D7  
H 9 B10 7 A9 4 D8  
C 9 B11 7 A10 4 D9  
H 12 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
C 12 B13 9 A12 7 D11  
H 14 B14 12 A13 9 D12

H 14 B15 12 A14 9 D13  
C 14 B16 12 A15 9 D14  
H 17 B17 14 A16 12 D15  
H 17 B18 14 A17 12 D16  
C 17 B19 14 A18 12 D17  
O 20 B20 17 A19 14 D18  
O 20 B21 17 A20 14 D19  
H 22 B22 20 A21 17 D20  
S 7 B23 4 A22 1 D21  
H 24 B24 7 A23 4 D22  
S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
variables  
B1 1.111109806  
B2 1.110746596  
A1 105.7713535  
B3 1.539424893  
A2 108.8668967  
D1 -118.8686269  
B4 1.111771559  
A3 105.1217575  
D2 -177.3330417  
B5 1.112128590  
A4 110.3368229  
D3 67.16075947  
B6 1.550545065  
A5 115.6618979  
D4 -59.19767965  
B7 1.112495393  
A6 107.9657646  
D5 177.8441077  
B8 1.543163634  
A7 110.2741271  
D6 60.67835109  
B9 1.112705711  
A8 108.1913164  
D7 61.12772475  
B10 1.112205467  
A9 110.0569465  
D8 -57.04106743  
B11 1.535207152  
A10 112.6313669  
D9 -179.2937257  
B12 1.110525101  
A11 109.4141139  
D10 -60.58697015

B13 1.530390146  
A12 111.6942154  
D11 60.71537017  
B14 1.112942496  
A13 108.8173560  
D12 60.03964173  
B15 1.112310658  
A14 109.6102581  
D13 -59.11443940  
B16 1.534834845  
A15 110.5264931  
D14 -179.2998586  
B17 1.112033273  
A16 108.7344437  
D15 60.57556819  
B18 1.111756268  
A17 109.6255617  
D16 -58.09461880  
B19 1.510269512  
A18 113.2407488  
D17 -179.2856414  
B20 1.221745063  
A19 121.0345341  
D18 1.729838762  
B21 1.349509911  
A20 119.8545891  
D19 -178.0854474  
B22 0.967603741  
A21 121.5113305  
D20 0.824103150  
B23 1.833938112  
A22 112.1957247  
D21 -63.00235214  
B24 1.407905537  
A23 94.25373865  
D22 52.81965411  
B25 1.822861761  
A24 106.9203983  
D23 116.2432138  
B26 1.406915776  
A25 93.80692072  
D24 32.09098758  
End

## **AE6:** DHLA HTC6

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
C 4 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
H 7 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
C 7 B8 4 A7 1 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 4 D7  
H 9 B10 7 A9 4 D8  
C 9 B11 7 A10 4 D9  
H 12 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
H 12 B13 9 A12 7 D11  
C 12 B14 9 A13 7 D12  
H 15 B15 12 A14 9 D13  
C 15 B16 12 A15 9 D14  
H 17 B17 15 A16 12 D15  
H 17 B18 15 A17 12 D16  
C 17 B19 15 A18 12 D17  
O 20 B20 17 A19 15 D18  
O 20 B21 17 A20 15 D19  
H 22 B22 20 A21 17 D20  
S 7 B23 4 A22 1 D21  
H 24 B24 7 A23 4 D22  
S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24  
variables  
B1 1.110846074  
B2 1.110243667  
A1 105.9028213  
B3 1.540241864  
A2 108.8069172  
D1 -118.8539838  
B4 1.112720989  
A3 105.0870462  
D2 -177.3770781  
B5 1.111887135  
A4 110.4075741  
D3 67.17329344  
B6 1.549468619  
A5 115.6121126

D4 -59.25723869  
B7 1.112049459  
A6 107.8811734  
D5 57.81595597  
B8 1.545599560  
A7 110.3780354  
D6 -59.30292351  
B9 1.112795579  
A8 108.3702224  
D7 60.92008369  
B10 1.112475168  
A9 109.7916805  
D8 -57.13045578  
B11 1.536610230  
A10 112.8910125  
D9 -179.3110832  
B12 1.110900086  
A11 109.6536065  
D10 60.38131933  
B13 1.111914565  
A12 109.6836169  
D11 -59.18851930  
B14 1.530701147  
A13 111.0151333  
D12 -179.3016518  
B15 1.112259862  
A14 110.2020757  
D13 61.66672642  
B16 1.533500897  
A15 111.1537257  
D14 -59.31272399  
B17 1.111462550  
A16 108.7496206  
D15 -179.7753718  
B18 1.111108456  
A17 109.6012075  
D16 61.42910860  
B19 1.507680006  
A18 112.8811507  
D17 -59.26455924  
B20 1.221554747  
A19 120.9993227  
D18 1.897239914  
B21 1.348888431  
A20 119.8330554  
D19 -178.1908630

B22 0.968070762  
A21 121.5276492  
D20 0.916468500  
B23 1.833688632  
A22 112.2096166  
D21 177.0237531  
B24 1.408037997  
A23 94.26337491  
D22 52.41122942  
B25 1.823895282  
A24 106.9555110  
D23 116.2459828  
B26 1.407143916  
A25 93.84430469  
D24 31.68547867  
End

#### **AE7: DHLA HTC7**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
C 4 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
H 7 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
C 7 B8 4 A7 1 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 4 D7  
H 9 B10 7 A9 4 D8  
C 9 B11 7 A10 4 D9  
H 12 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
H 12 B13 9 A12 7 D11  
C 12 B14 9 A13 7 D12  
H 15 B15 12 A14 9 D13  
H 15 B16 12 A15 9 D14  
C 15 B17 12 A16 9 D15  
H 18 B18 15 A17 12 D16  
C 18 B19 15 A18 12 D17  
O 20 B20 18 A19 15 D18  
O 20 B21 18 A20 15 D19  
H 22 B22 20 A21 18 D20  
S 7 B23 4 A22 1 D21

H 24 B24 7 A23 4 D22

S 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23

H 26 B26 1 A25 2 D24

variables

B1 1.110954094

B2 1.110490432

A1 105.7838702

B3 1.539431713

A2 108.8074664

D1 -118.8165490

B4 1.112550673

A3 105.0284608

D2 -177.3832312

B5 1.111126005

A4 110.3914804

D3 67.13831076

B6 1.549802891

A5 115.6296961

D4 -59.31486503

B7 1.112865670

A6 107.8790603

D5 -62.17144349

B8 1.545260172

A7 110.3103471

D6 -179.2705922

B9 1.112291778

A8 108.1349166

D7 -59.12460541

B10 1.112230642

A9 109.7372266

D8 -177.1258616

B11 1.538421594

A10 113.0543901

D9 60.71110708

B12 1.110244568

A11 109.2693088

D10 60.53006296

B13 1.113039981

A12 109.8300424

D11 -58.69122513

B14 1.531960182

A13 111.1747346

D12 -179.2559044

B15 1.112288182

A14 109.0550943

D13 -59.87300688

B16 1.112628420  
A15 109.7936905  
D14 -179.2537794  
B17 1.532951728  
A16 110.3801684  
D15 60.70670529  
B18 1.111178204  
A17 109.0844716  
D16 59.33285975  
B19 1.507786789  
A18 113.7473095  
D17 -179.2956903  
B20 1.222967293  
A19 121.0391292  
D18 1.099976853  
B21 1.348320808  
A20 119.8115214  
D19 -178.7842371  
B22 0.967733951  
A21 121.4716590  
D20 0.907036224  
B23 1.833841324  
A22 112.2081763  
D21 56.97875705  
B24 1.406986141  
A23 94.29545028  
D22 52.13113580  
B25 1.823385313  
A24 106.9960783  
D23 116.2584029  
B26 1.406943496  
A25 93.85515254  
D24 31.30974884  
End

#### **AE8: DHLA HTS1**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3

C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
O 8 B9 7 A8 6 D7  
H 10 B10 8 A9 7 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
H 3 B20 2 A19 1 D18  
H 2 B21 1 A20 3 D19  
H 2 B22 1 A21 3 D20  
S 1 B23 2 A22 3 D21  
H 24 B24 1 A23 2 D22  
H 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24

variables

B1 1.538463519  
B2 1.548008398  
A1 115.4731453  
B3 1.542717732  
A2 109.8256141  
D1 60.66217277  
B4 1.538444344  
A3 112.6343928  
D2 -179.3151872  
B5 1.533436011  
A4 111.1048261  
D3 -59.22534748  
B6 1.536247701  
A5 110.8737306  
D4 -179.3431946  
B7 1.509739381  
A6 113.1998998  
D5 -59.30740614  
B8 1.221855147  
A7 121.0380225  
D6 0.318785134  
B9 1.349329463  
A8 119.8839663  
D7 -179.6793301

B10 0.968136870  
A9 121.5040393  
D8 0.112936472  
B11 1.111024752  
A10 109.1035338  
D9 -179.8997181  
B12 1.111950538  
A11 109.2885186  
D10 61.37701542  
B13 1.112576290  
A12 109.1217571  
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A13 109.3189454  
D12 -59.05392507  
B15 1.112084979  
A14 108.9093060  
D13 -179.5889995  
B16 1.110994599  
A15 110.1770758  
D14 61.25221016  
B17 1.112924526  
A16 109.6531681  
D15 57.88511664  
B18 1.112408648  
A17 108.7387628  
D16 -60.26530215  
B19 1.829563882  
A18 111.9062222  
D17 -177.5434303  
B20 1.111950538  
A19 108.1678779  
D18 -57.13562656  
B21 1.111665867  
A20 110.4664635  
D19 -126.7924774  
B22 1.112642350  
A21 104.9704433  
D20 117.5390272  
B23 1.822566597  
A22 114.7337352  
D21 60.74310165  
B24 1.408869760  
A23 93.33351425  
D22 -101.8768780  
B25 1.110885683

A24 110.5741630  
D23 -64.49579345  
B26 1.110484579  
A25 109.0545728  
D24 179.4645422  
End

### **AE9: DHLA HTS2**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
H 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18  
H 3 B21 2 A20 1 D19  
H 2 B22 1 A21 3 D20  
H 2 B23 1 A22 3 D21  
S 1 B24 2 A23 3 D22  
H 1 B25 2 A24 3 D23  
H 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
variables  
B1 1.538779386  
B2 1.550313839  
A1 116.0107626  
B3 1.544497653  
A2 109.8490132  
D1 60.69129963

B4 1.538039661  
A3 113.4938754  
D2 60.73677715  
B5 1.534729618  
A4 110.8233416  
D3 60.65790184  
B6 1.535601511  
A5 111.2002972  
D4 -179.2616030  
B7 1.510296660  
A6 113.1115585  
D5 60.71124145  
B8 1.349161962  
A7 119.8939681  
D6 -178.1963285  
B9 0.967500904  
A8 121.5084209  
D7 0.837789201  
B10 1.222132971  
A9 121.0040307  
D8 1.730501151  
B11 1.111609194  
A10 108.7498031  
D9 -59.42434359  
B12 1.110937442  
A11 109.6916494  
D10 -178.1435028  
B13 1.112960916  
A12 109.0064910  
D11 59.54567587  
B14 1.112249972  
A13 109.3121259  
D12 -59.34058477  
B15 1.110654762  
A14 109.3965163  
D13 -59.19769249  
B16 1.111919511  
A15 109.9146432  
D14 -178.6431044  
B17 1.113232231  
A16 108.3439565  
D15 -59.45396079  
B18 1.112109707  
A17 109.4751027  
D16 -177.2864485  
B19 1.832946808

A18 112.4773348  
D17 -62.88886242  
B20 1.407205031  
A19 94.13947208  
D18 54.68322648  
B21 1.110976597  
A20 108.0233929  
D19 177.9609513  
B22 1.113003594  
A21 105.2808674  
D20 -118.0654973  
B23 1.112205467  
A22 110.0164405  
D21 126.4994982  
B24 1.819589514  
A23 114.3744891  
D22 60.72303260  
B25 1.110687175  
A24 108.0046626  
D23 -57.10336112  
B26 1.110773604  
A25 110.3027971  
D24 -174.7675809  
End

*Appendix F: DHLA Adducts with Various Radicals*

**AF1:** DHLA-CH<sub>3</sub>

geometry

zmatrix

C

C 1 B1

C 2 B2 1 A1

C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1

C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2

C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3

C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4

C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5

O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6

H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7

O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8

H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9

H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10

H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11

H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12

H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13

H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14

H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15

H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16

S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17

C 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18

H 21 B21 20 A20 3 D19

H 21 B22 20 A21 3 D20

H 21 B23 20 A22 3 D21

H 3 B24 2 A23 1 D22

H 2 B25 1 A24 3 D23

H 2 B26 1 A25 3 D24

S 1 B27 2 A26 3 D25

H 28 B28 1 A27 2 D26

H 1 B29 2 A28 3 D27

H 1 B30 2 A29 3 D28

variables

B1 1.543411157

B2 1.551211462

A1 117.3777485

B3 1.549758046

A2 111.8004060

D1 -59.27385010

B4 1.544437762

A3 117.1855721

D2 60.69136770

B5 1.536329717  
A4 115.0962720  
D3 60.71972445  
B6 1.535841789  
A5 111.4789034  
D4 -179.2883810  
B7 1.507510199  
A6 112.6925118  
D5 -59.32429598  
B8 1.349782946  
A7 119.1132503  
D6 -179.7278960  
B9 0.967585138  
A8 121.3481459  
D7 179.8105662  
B10 1.223418980  
A9 121.2129375  
D8 0.126128129  
B11 1.111044104  
A10 109.2270920  
D9 -179.8252882  
B12 1.111072005  
A11 109.3784296  
D10 61.27940493  
B13 1.112696275  
A12 109.0121784  
D11 60.37944430  
B14 1.101347357  
A13 110.6738672  
D12 -60.21363503  
B15 1.111781453  
A14 109.9424489  
D13 -64.92388857  
B16 1.113186867  
A15 106.2819584  
D14 178.5830493  
B17 1.112944743  
A16 106.2090813  
D15 -56.53619188  
B18 1.110886583  
A17 110.7615892  
D16 -173.1117561  
B19 1.839725251  
A18 110.3352185  
D17 173.1495205  
B20 1.824555562

A19 96.83872495  
D18 -59.29631111  
B21 1.108480040  
A20 108.3505974  
D19 -171.0634839  
B22 1.108809271  
A21 110.2711949  
D20 70.09097605  
B23 1.110489081  
A22 110.7988618  
D21 -53.93986321  
B24 1.112588423  
A23 104.8967302  
D22 56.22687914  
B25 1.111470198  
A24 109.4702110  
D23 -125.4484207  
B26 1.113363822  
A25 105.8950932  
D24 119.5011224  
B27 1.822317481  
A26 114.7639499  
D25 -59.30281683  
B28 1.408716792  
A27 93.23478281  
D26 -94.81236377  
B29 1.109549007  
A28 111.5780607  
D27 175.0456579  
B30 1.110181967  
A29 108.7340398  
D28 59.53454272  
End

## **AF2: DHLA-OOH**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4

C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
O 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18  
O 21 B21 20 A20 3 D19  
H 22 B22 21 A21 20 D20  
H 3 B23 2 A22 1 D21  
H 2 B24 1 A23 3 D22  
H 2 B25 1 A24 3 D23  
S 1 B26 2 A25 3 D24  
H 27 B27 1 A26 2 D25  
H 1 B28 2 A27 3 D26  
H 1 B29 2 A28 3 D27  
variables  
B1 1.540049773  
B2 1.548708290  
A1 115.7190979  
B3 1.544824560  
A2 109.9381072  
D1 60.74735766  
B4 1.539248737  
A3 113.0170730  
D2 60.68575858  
B5 1.534388538  
A4 111.0146404  
D3 -179.2896122  
B6 1.535631091  
A5 110.9903482  
D4 -59.30739529  
B7 1.510012318  
A6 113.2451028  
D5 60.78431560  
B8 1.348140614  
A7 119.9610334  
D6 -179.2156744  
B9 0.967889498

A8 121.4698654  
D7 0.319986434  
B10 1.222217352  
A9 120.9764322  
D8 0.666558351  
B11 1.111631988  
A10 109.0622217  
D9 -59.67551002  
B12 1.112081564  
A11 109.3628054  
D10 -178.3740226  
B13 1.112594489  
A12 109.1988011  
D11 179.8721625  
B14 1.112406467  
A13 109.1995914  
D12 60.91834202  
B15 1.110394339  
A14 109.7997431  
D13 60.55157262  
B16 1.111764205  
A15 109.3732786  
D14 -58.73289382  
B17 1.112326042  
A16 108.5904886  
D15 -59.00044283  
B18 1.112592522  
A17 109.4483046  
D16 -177.0115767  
B19 1.837177127  
A18 111.8618390  
D17 -61.21114362  
B20 1.718893467  
A19 94.04691877  
D18 -59.31591571  
B21 1.316711620  
A20 104.4972403  
D19 -179.2874272  
B22 0.991261449  
A21 104.7258301  
D20 -149.8061096  
B23 1.113193751  
A22 107.7304307  
D21 177.1822733  
B24 1.112921687  
A23 105.1383457

D22 -117.7368936  
B25 1.111695184  
A24 110.3225988  
D23 126.6719302  
B26 1.821031727  
A25 113.9411800  
D24 60.67847451  
B27 1.407959310  
A26 92.64142904  
D25 173.1699290  
B28 1.111001589  
A27 107.5842161  
D26 -57.16205784  
B29 1.110725080  
A28 109.0527993  
D27 -175.9213931  
End

**AF3: DHLA-OCH<sub>3</sub>**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
O 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18  
C 21 B21 20 A20 3 D19  
H 22 B22 21 A21 20 D20

H 22 B23 21 A22 20 D21  
H 22 B24 21 A23 20 D22  
H 3 B25 2 A24 1 D23  
H 2 B26 1 A25 3 D24  
H 2 B27 1 A26 3 D25  
S 1 B28 2 A27 3 D26  
H 29 B29 1 A28 2 D27  
H 1 B30 2 A29 3 D28  
H 1 B31 2 A30 3 D29  
variables  
B1 1.542642862  
B2 1.552193609  
A1 117.2015867  
B3 1.551783812  
A2 111.7093572  
D1 -59.31485936  
B4 1.543810869  
A3 117.1475888  
D2 -179.2683423  
B5 1.536750468  
A4 114.6877831  
D3 -179.2614498  
B6 1.535723282  
A5 111.4660436  
D4 -179.3297431  
B7 1.507972811  
A6 112.7205608  
D5 -59.28378723  
B8 1.350175174  
A7 119.0467064  
D6 -179.6013375  
B9 0.966886239  
A8 121.3520762  
D7 179.7535758  
B10 1.222332197  
A9 121.2250770  
D8 0.246718723  
B11 1.111023402  
A10 109.1142794  
D9 -179.6993450  
B12 1.111338382  
A11 109.4361959  
D10 61.38536867  
B13 1.112809957  
A12 108.9451649  
D11 60.27603505

B14 1.099251564  
A13 111.1164065  
D12 -59.88393296  
B15 1.111305539  
A14 110.0289550  
D13 54.35152953  
B16 1.112513371  
A15 106.4088211  
D14 -62.19376203  
B17 1.112737166  
A16 105.6040909  
D15 63.55252453  
B18 1.109488621  
A17 111.4225404  
D16 -52.96411956  
B19 1.834556350  
A18 110.2830029  
D17 171.6158452  
B20 1.727999421  
A19 93.69096848  
D18 -179.2925049  
B21 1.401514181  
A20 107.1670299  
D19 60.66155733  
B22 1.108574761  
A21 108.3866459  
D20 171.6300042  
B23 1.113000449  
A22 111.7257474  
D21 54.36199668  
B24 1.111435558  
A23 110.4579295  
D22 -70.35527754  
B25 1.111977518  
A24 104.6033336  
D23 56.91189801  
B26 1.111441406  
A25 109.5161330  
D24 -125.2507773  
B27 1.112646395  
A26 105.9765829  
D25 119.6371159  
B28 1.821667643  
A27 114.7546406  
D26 60.73825795  
B29 1.409123841

A28 93.09711876  
D27 -91.80739799  
B30 1.109440399  
A29 111.6545866  
D28 -64.73743502  
B31 1.110288701  
A30 108.7653414  
D29 179.8416217  
End

**AF4:** DHLA-OOCH<sub>3</sub>

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
O 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18  
O 21 B21 20 A20 3 D19  
C 22 B22 21 A21 20 D20  
H 23 B23 22 A22 21 D21  
H 23 B24 22 A23 21 D22  
H 23 B25 22 A24 21 D23  
H 3 B26 2 A25 1 D24  
H 2 B27 1 A26 3 D25  
H 2 B28 1 A27 3 D26  
S 1 B29 2 A28 3 D27

H 30 B30 1 A29 2 D28

H 1 B31 2 A30 3 D29

H 1 B32 2 A31 3 D30

variables

B1 1.540619681

B2 1.547248526

A1 115.6447555

B3 1.544470783

A2 110.1764660

D1 -59.26067577

B4 1.536053384

A3 112.3441259

D2 -59.32579110

B5 1.531592962

A4 111.7845476

D3 -179.2593005

B6 1.536237286

A5 110.4172064

D4 60.67149610

B7 1.508797203

A6 113.3971076

D5 -59.28037752

B8 1.349051519

A7 119.7953535

D6 -179.3867125

B9 0.967952995

A8 121.5043089

D7 0.369279855

B10 1.221815862

A9 121.0322962

D8 0.686352620

B11 1.112193329

A10 109.0187121

D9 -179.8513939

B12 1.112313355

A11 109.3300061

D10 61.54413531

B13 1.112820291

A12 109.1465683

D11 -59.78884640

B14 1.112070591

A13 109.4408779

D12 -178.9673847

B15 1.110723638

A14 109.6652396

D13 60.17225620

B16 1.112667965  
A15 108.9197417  
D14 -59.14759559  
B17 1.113053458  
A16 108.6014733  
D15 -178.4735125  
B18 1.111957283  
A17 109.8016097  
D16 63.28769656  
B19 1.838241007  
A18 111.4188838  
D17 178.9217594  
B20 1.720865480  
A19 94.11373634  
D18 -59.26899027  
B21 1.321334553  
A20 104.9059300  
D19 -59.30008781  
B22 1.405281822  
A21 106.9363284  
D20 -59.31060052  
B23 1.109274988  
A22 108.5339768  
D21 144.9747880  
B24 1.114425861  
A23 113.0621697  
D22 26.90021834  
B25 1.108254935  
A24 109.8824849  
D23 -96.57740200  
B26 1.113031895  
A25 108.0099497  
D24 57.09170939  
B27 1.113140153  
A26 104.8220663  
D25 -118.0344869  
B28 1.111719839  
A27 110.5243127  
D26 126.4467555  
B29 1.822494444  
A28 115.2000075  
D27 -179.2934471  
B30 1.405815422  
A29 93.31379262  
D28 -61.93342113  
B31 1.110824018

A30 109.4354495  
D29 60.12173160  
B32 1.111300589  
A31 109.5008909  
D30 -56.46112056  
End

**AF5:** DHLA-OOCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
C 1 B1  
C 2 B2 1 A1  
C 3 B3 2 A2 1 D1  
C 4 B4 3 A3 2 D2  
C 5 B5 4 A4 3 D3  
C 6 B6 5 A5 4 D4  
C 7 B7 6 A6 5 D5  
O 8 B8 7 A7 6 D6  
H 9 B9 8 A8 7 D7  
O 8 B10 7 A9 6 D8  
H 7 B11 6 A10 5 D9  
H 7 B12 6 A11 5 D10  
H 6 B13 5 A12 4 D11  
H 6 B14 5 A13 4 D12  
H 5 B15 4 A14 3 D13  
H 5 B16 4 A15 3 D14  
H 4 B17 3 A16 2 D15  
H 4 B18 3 A17 2 D16  
S 3 B19 2 A18 1 D17  
O 20 B20 3 A19 2 D18  
O 21 B21 20 A20 3 D19  
C 22 B22 21 A21 20 D20  
C 23 B23 22 A22 21 D21  
H 24 B24 23 A23 22 D22  
H 24 B25 23 A24 22 D23  
H 24 B26 23 A25 22 D24  
H 23 B27 22 A26 21 D25  
H 23 B28 22 A27 21 D26  
H 3 B29 2 A28 1 D27  
H 2 B30 1 A29 3 D28  
H 2 B31 1 A30 3 D29  
S 1 B32 2 A31 3 D30  
H 33 B33 1 A32 2 D31

H 1 B34 2 A33 3 D32

H 1 B35 2 A34 3 D33

variables

B1 1.535120191

B2 1.546193390

A1 114.7569990

B3 1.545320032

A2 109.2530522

D1 -177.9489576

B4 1.534074966

A3 113.0560796

D2 175.6153370

B5 1.532176883

A4 111.7543384

D3 -176.7719294

B6 1.536938515

A5 110.3083156

D4 -179.5920911

B7 1.507987400

A6 113.4306229

D5 179.8316337

B8 1.349792947

A7 119.7690275

D6 -179.6699004

B9 0.967878608

A8 121.4311632

D7 0.065836483

B10 1.221218244

A9 121.0666745

D8 0.201743732

B11 1.111195302

A10 109.0820561

D9 59.21754751

B12 1.111963129

A11 109.1664439

D10 -59.35093603

B13 1.112002248

A12 109.4064937

D11 59.89274634

B14 1.113021563

A13 109.2745717

D12 -59.32500926

B15 1.108901258

A14 109.7326142

D13 63.39321251

B16 1.111378423

A15 109.0385159  
D14 -56.53119481  
B17 1.113181926  
A16 108.1928301  
D15 56.26144019  
B18 1.112184337  
A17 109.7730622  
D16 -61.66431249  
B19 1.842117532  
A18 109.5434318  
D17 59.34146601  
B20 1.723140737  
A19 95.35039224  
D18 -155.3866295  
B21 1.320476051  
A20 105.5180801  
D19 84.72613951  
B22 1.409736855  
A21 106.5823785  
D20 -143.4067690  
B23 1.522858825  
A22 110.0865009  
D21 -100.4377057  
B24 1.110334634  
A23 110.0485075  
D22 -58.82968062  
B25 1.111257846  
A24 109.6957373  
D23 -178.5399921  
B26 1.110506641  
A25 110.2193413  
D24 61.69845956  
B27 1.109967117  
A26 108.4407751  
D25 139.6913778  
B28 1.115282027  
A27 112.9699297  
D26 22.11187565  
B29 1.110417489  
A28 107.5997561  
D27 -59.60780870  
B30 1.112560111  
A29 107.7901300  
D28 -122.0104330  
B31 1.112316951  
A30 108.0529320

D29 121.7110864  
B32 1.822141872  
A31 112.3460049  
D30 62.34195588  
B33 1.408668165  
A32 93.23581035  
D31 -97.54289418  
B34 1.110011261  
A33 111.6450492  
D32 -61.42588584  
B35 1.111149855  
A34 109.5366151  
D33 -178.1249952  
End

**AF6: DHLA-OOC<sub>Cl</sub><sub>3</sub>**

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
H 1 B1  
H 1 B2 2 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
C 4 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
H 7 B7 4 A6 1 D5  
C 7 B8 4 A7 1 D6  
H 9 B9 7 A8 4 D7  
H 9 B10 7 A9 4 D8  
C 9 B11 7 A10 4 D9  
H 12 B12 9 A11 7 D10  
H 12 B13 9 A12 7 D11  
C 12 B14 9 A13 7 D12  
H 15 B15 12 A14 9 D13  
H 15 B16 12 A15 9 D14  
C 15 B17 12 A16 9 D15  
H 18 B18 15 A17 12 D16  
H 18 B19 15 A18 12 D17  
C 18 B20 15 A19 12 D18  
O 21 B21 18 A20 15 D19  
H 22 B22 21 A21 18 D20

O 21 B23 18 A22 15 D21  
S 7 B24 4 A23 1 D22  
O 25 B25 7 A24 4 D23  
O 26 B26 25 A25 7 D24  
C 27 B27 26 A26 25 D25  
Cl 28 B28 27 A27 26 D26  
Cl 28 B29 27 A28 26 D27  
Cl 28 B30 27 A29 26 D28  
S 1 B31 2 A30 3 D29  
H 32 B32 1 A31 2 D30  
variables  
B1 1.110914938  
B2 1.109800883  
A1 105.9227712  
B3 1.535953775  
A2 111.1942712  
D1 -119.1872137  
B4 1.112013489  
A3 107.8089145  
D2 177.1141898  
B5 1.111543521  
A4 108.2308788  
D3 60.55755420  
B6 1.544592503  
A5 114.5229952  
D4 -61.08701353  
B7 1.111260995  
A6 107.3398704  
D5 -59.47354231  
B8 1.542907321  
A7 110.0095747  
D6 -177.3790351  
B9 1.112310209  
A8 108.2894088  
D7 56.08344217  
B10 1.112450448  
A9 109.7715325  
D8 -62.15432201  
B11 1.536376256  
A10 112.5532816  
D9 175.3827862  
B12 1.109631921  
A11 109.8945248  
D10 62.49985990  
B13 1.109931980  
A12 108.8395069

D11 -56.93861870  
B14 1.532096929  
A13 111.6168594  
D12 -176.7298158  
B15 1.112795579  
A14 109.1725564  
D13 59.39474124  
B16 1.112516966  
A15 109.4663620  
D14 -59.87816342  
B17 1.537114830  
A16 110.4259004  
D15 179.5391031  
B18 1.111632133  
A17 109.0694052  
D16 60.06999732  
B19 1.111254246  
A18 109.1478502  
D17 -58.58041338  
B20 1.508093498  
A19 113.3711422  
D18 -179.1843270  
B21 1.348236626  
A20 119.8372960  
D19 179.9813443  
B22 0.968643381  
A21 121.4649412  
D20 0.103165633  
B23 1.222900241  
A22 121.0446310  
D21 0.147802581  
B24 1.840107606  
A23 109.9086542  
D22 59.89363369  
B25 1.721482501  
A24 94.53527334  
D23 -145.4394416  
B26 1.320893637  
A25 104.8629510  
D24 83.79767421  
B27 1.407213559  
A26 107.0803249  
D25 -165.1924136  
B28 1.783004767  
A27 110.5712701  
D26 -70.77561208

B29 1.777783733

A28 108.1173042

D27 170.9001347

B30 1.790061451

A29 112.5008103

D28 52.76712953

B31 1.823481560

A30 109.7624114

D29 115.9808681

B32 1.405952346

A31 93.45161874

D30 16.94160717

End

*Appendix G: Various Tested Radicals*

**AG1:** •OH

```
geometry
zmatrix
O
H 1 B1
variables
B1 0.974454000
End
```

**AG2:** •CH<sub>3</sub>

```
geometry
zmatrix
C
H 1 B1
H 1 B2 2 A1
H 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1
variables
B1 1.089993270
B2 1.089993270
A1 120.0000000
B3 1.089993270
A2 120.0000000
D1 180.0000000
End
```

**AG3:** •OOH

```
geometry
zmatrix
O
O 1 B1
H 1 B2 2 A1
variables
B1 1.462206886
B2 0.941970347
A1 108.8570969
End
```

**AG4:** •OCH<sub>3</sub>

```
geometry
zmatrix
C
O 1 B1
H 1 B2 2 A1
H 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1
H 1 B4 2 A3 3 D2
variables
B1 1.500000000
B2 1.090000000
A1 109.4712206
B3 1.090000000
A2 109.4712206
D1 120.0000000
B4 1.090000000
A3 109.4712206
D2 -120.0000000
End
```

**AG5:** •OOCH<sub>3</sub>

```
geometry
zmatrix
C
O 1 B1
O 2 B2 1 A1
H 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1
H 1 B4 2 A3 3 D2
H 1 B5 2 A4 3 D3
variables
B1 1.501655127
B2 1.462091300
A1 111.3803608
B3 1.112931979
A2 110.2453232
D1 0.000000000
B4 1.112959068
A3 109.5365628
D2 120.1348991
B5 1.112959068
A4 109.5365628
D3 -120.1348991
End
```

**AG6:** •OOCH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>3</sub>

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
O 1 B1  
O 2 B2 1 A1  
C 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1  
H 4 B4 1 A3 2 D2  
H 4 B5 1 A4 2 D3  
H 4 B6 1 A5 2 D4  
H 1 B7 2 A6 3 D5  
H 1 B8 2 A7 3 D6  
variables  
B1 1.501260593  
B2 1.460531437  
A1 109.8832803  
B3 1.528914860  
A2 108.9068436  
D1 -54.56286889  
B4 1.114682287  
A3 111.4525949  
D2 -179.4171236  
B5 1.113905143  
A4 110.2607915  
D3 -58.91178529  
B6 1.113906093  
A5 110.3461515  
D4 60.10712325  
B7 1.114747112  
A6 108.9185636  
D5 66.38638885  
B8 1.114752101  
A7 108.8438734  
D6 -175.4299883  
End

**AG7:** •OOCCl<sub>3</sub>

geometry  
zmatrix  
C  
O 1 B1  
O 2 B2 1 A1  
Cl 1 B3 2 A2 3 D1

C1 1 B4 2 A3 3 D2

C1 1 B5 2 A4 3 D3

variables

B1 1.503119058

B2 1.460728681

A1 110.1226209

B3 1.796990920

A2 108.0617856

D1 -54.28713494

B4 1.796976017

A3 107.7293273

D2 -174.2376453

B5 1.796989978

A4 107.9811182

D3 65.85367634

End

*Appendix H: ALA Explicitly Solvated by Water*

**AH1:** 1 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3448	0.7120	0.2194
3	C	2.4918	-0.2658	0.5514
4	C	3.8548	0.4037	0.3410
5	C	5.0683	-0.3805	0.8684
6	C	6.3743	0.3629	0.5113
7	C	7.6185	-0.5384	0.3862
8	C	8.6242	-0.0033	-0.6252
9	O	8.3811	0.6273	-1.6240
10	O	9.8938	-0.3269	-0.3254
11	H	10.3775	0.0766	-1.0638
12	H	7.3311	-1.5479	0.0115
13	H	8.0936	-0.6699	1.3868
14	H	6.5651	1.1820	1.2488
15	H	6.2144	0.8859	-0.4589
16	H	5.0552	-1.3959	0.4099
17	H	4.9949	-0.5137	1.9738
18	H	3.8556	1.4153	0.8109
19	H	3.9649	0.5331	-0.7617
20	S	2.3091	-1.6333	-0.5915
21	S	0.3369	-1.4252	-1.0295
22	H	2.3824	-0.6489	1.5937
23	H	1.2475	1.4878	1.0156
24	H	1.5951	1.2288	-0.7358
25	H	-0.7423	0.6660	-0.5030
26	H	-0.4255	-0.3474	0.9702
27	H	6.5234	0.6217	-2.7095
28	O	6.2074	-0.2647	-2.7572
29	H	6.9183	-0.7635	-2.3895

**AH2:** 2 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.4194	0.5511	0.1867
3	C	2.4384	-0.5931	0.3268
4	C	3.8601	-0.0418	0.2355
5	C	4.9233	-1.0786	0.6061
6	C	6.3034	-0.4064	0.5999

7	C	7.3627	-1.3000	1.2552
8	C	8.6167	-0.5145	1.6032
9	O	8.9703	-0.2994	2.7439
10	O	9.2874	-0.0891	0.4827
11	H	9.9308	0.1995	1.1542
12	H	7.5990	-2.1677	0.5962
13	H	6.9608	-1.7078	2.2130
14	H	6.2504	0.5594	1.1565
15	H	6.5936	-0.1576	-0.4498
16	H	4.9097	-1.9368	-0.1065
17	H	4.6983	-1.4849	1.6210
18	H	3.9416	0.8265	0.9318
19	H	4.0436	0.3247	-0.8015
20	S	2.1013	-1.7331	-1.0114
21	S	0.1247	-1.3088	-1.2162
22	H	2.2747	-1.1263	1.2937
23	H	1.4708	1.2381	1.0646
24	H	1.6836	1.1364	-0.7245
25	H	-0.6944	0.7930	-0.3611
26	H	-0.3871	-0.4207	0.9574
27	H	7.4878	1.1496	3.2887
28	O	6.6287	1.1397	3.6747
29	H	6.7392	1.5704	4.5037
30	H	5.3752	-0.7895	4.3219
31	O	4.5677	-0.3470	4.1251
32	H	4.8603	0.3736	3.5920

### AH3: 3 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3130	0.6897	-0.4085
3	C	2.5250	-0.1357	0.0580
4	C	3.8567	0.3302	-0.5395
5	C	4.9860	-0.6128	-0.1037
6	C	6.3588	-0.2083	-0.6618
7	C	7.4539	-1.1847	-0.2019
8	C	8.8352	-0.8106	-0.7016
9	O	9.1364	0.1178	-1.4105
10	O	9.7768	-1.6599	-0.2540
11	H	10.5870	-1.2965	-0.6490
12	H	7.2170	-2.2121	-0.5664
13	H	7.4840	-1.2103	0.9129
14	H	6.6076	0.8227	-0.3140

15	H	6.3164	-0.1872	-1.7770
16	H	4.7408	-1.6464	-0.4442
17	H	5.0404	-0.6245	1.0104
18	H	4.0747	1.3731	-0.2094
19	H	3.7801	0.3284	-1.6515
20	S	2.1971	-1.8227	-0.4455
21	S	0.1680	-1.7213	-0.4629
22	H	2.5759	-0.1151	1.1725
23	H	1.3604	1.7287	-0.0036
24	H	1.3352	0.7493	-1.5216
25	H	-0.8817	0.4506	-0.5118
26	H	-0.1505	0.0605	1.1026
27	H	3.9135	-1.2936	3.7081
28	O	3.6767	-1.9972	3.1308
29	H	4.3351	-2.6575	3.2701
30	H	4.7825	-4.1532	1.3593
31	O	5.2749	-3.4257	1.6995
32	H	4.6945	-2.7114	1.4906
33	H	2.7560	-2.8134	1.7369
34	O	2.9233	-3.3810	1.0030
35	H	2.0901	-3.4800	0.5795

#### AH4: 4 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.2132	0.9398	0.0906
3	C	2.4967	0.1413	0.3853
4	C	3.7687	0.9744	0.1994
5	C	5.0300	0.1632	0.5318
6	C	6.2925	1.0386	0.5030
7	C	7.5569	0.2485	0.8728
8	C	8.7136	1.1614	1.2310
9	O	8.7064	2.0672	2.0302
10	O	9.8241	0.8773	0.5293
11	H	10.4530	1.5400	0.8584
12	H	7.8292	-0.4360	0.0348
13	H	7.3693	-0.3952	1.7619
14	H	6.1541	1.8824	1.2169

15	H	6.4235	1.4917	-0.5080
16	H	5.1338	-0.6824	-0.1892
17	H	4.9226	-0.2763	1.5511
18	H	3.7109	1.8802	0.8476
19	H	3.8238	1.3185	-0.8597
20	S	2.4993	-1.2312	-0.7647
21	S	0.4929	-1.3558	-1.0603
22	H	2.4439	-0.2694	1.4224
23	H	1.0492	1.7269	0.8645
24	H	1.3285	1.4464	-0.8959
25	H	-0.8944	0.5142	-0.4224
26	H	-0.2529	-0.4077	1.0058
27	H	3.5242	-1.1703	4.5114
28	O	4.2879	-0.7223	4.1937
29	H	3.9670	0.1128	3.8982
30	H	4.7578	2.7545	3.8099
31	O	4.5081	1.8653	3.6316
32	H	5.2800	1.5541	3.1875
33	H	5.8663	0.7632	4.6375
34	O	6.5434	0.3545	4.1231
35	H	6.2350	-0.5332	4.0735
36	H	7.4495	3.4134	3.1508
37	O	6.7917	2.8864	3.5676
38	H	7.1806	2.0268	3.5470

### AH5: 5 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.2988	0.7040	0.4249
3	C	2.5309	-0.1197	0.0052
4	C	3.8381	0.6662	0.1358
5	C	5.0422	-0.1415	-0.3715
6	C	6.2926	0.7444	-0.4846
7	C	7.5307	-0.0240	-0.9706
8	C	8.6548	0.9052	-1.3844
9	O	8.6199	2.1114	-1.4367
10	O	9.7482	0.2291	-1.7777
11	H	10.2847	0.9292	-2.1854
12	H	7.2674	-0.6518	-1.8538
13	H	7.8943	-0.7000	-0.1619
14	H	6.5163	1.2116	0.5039

15	H	6.0677	1.5732	-1.1945
16	H	4.7999	-0.5715	-1.3721
17	H	5.2426	-0.9956	0.3171
18	H	4.0002	0.9667	1.1979
19	H	3.7398	1.5989	-0.4654
20	S	2.2580	-0.5590	-1.7095
21	S	0.2273	-0.4868	-1.7078
22	H	2.5790	-1.0603	0.6042
23	H	1.3057	0.8985	1.5237
24	H	1.3347	1.6855	-0.1028
25	H	-0.8869	0.6696	0.0937
26	H	-0.1654	-0.9154	0.6136
27	H	6.0132	1.8452	-3.7644
28	O	6.4210	1.0153	-3.9487
29	H	5.6781	0.4463	-3.8568
30	H	6.4856	3.9507	-3.3773
31	O	5.7941	3.6061	-2.8400
32	H	5.9952	4.0006	-2.0101
33	H	8.3320	3.9249	-2.5767
34	O	8.0492	4.5735	-1.9543
35	H	8.3446	4.2144	-1.1363
36	H	7.8778	2.2342	-4.7366
37	O	8.0377	2.8003	-4.0034
38	H	7.6421	2.3129	-3.3001
39	H	3.1839	1.5697	-3.2949
40	O	4.1222	1.5428	-3.2461
41	H	4.3737	2.3712	-2.8719

**AH6:** 6 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3088	0.7489	0.3043
3	C	2.5298	-0.1732	0.1193
4	C	3.8626	0.5835	0.1531
5	C	5.0651	-0.3501	-0.0627
6	C	6.3991	0.3709	0.1768
7	C	7.6206	-0.5542	0.0433
8	C	8.8878	0.0795	0.6059
9	O	8.9326	1.1821	1.1133
10	O	9.9237	-0.8217	0.5904
11	H	10.2868	-0.1736	1.2188
12	H	7.7634	-0.8447	-1.0252
13	H	7.4556	-1.4957	0.6171
14	H	6.3837	0.7983	1.2047

15	H	6.4951	1.2244	-0.5356
16	H	5.0421	-0.7590	-1.1003
17	H	4.9978	-1.2117	0.6408
18	H	3.9503	1.0998	1.1375
19	H	3.8568	1.3692	-0.6389
20	S	2.2975	-0.9649	-1.4704
21	S	0.2680	-0.8741	-1.5397
22	H	2.5115	-0.9634	0.9074
23	H	1.2804	1.1884	1.3299
24	H	1.3972	1.5870	-0.4243
25	H	-0.8632	0.6989	-0.1007
26	H	-0.2235	-0.7424	0.8014
27	H	5.5237	-1.9303	3.4902
28	O	4.8831	-1.2404	3.4184
29	H	5.3978	-0.4787	3.2127
30	H	2.7066	2.7611	3.6535
31	O	3.6346	2.6606	3.5324
32	H	3.7423	1.7238	3.5955
33	H	5.5178	2.0299	4.2674
34	O	5.7933	1.4582	3.5715
35	H	5.4887	1.9153	2.8051
36	H	8.0659	0.5049	2.9431
37	O	7.7579	-0.2885	3.3465
38	H	6.9957	0.0074	3.8155
39	H	2.4104	2.9773	-2.5525
40	O	1.9913	2.2597	-2.9967
41	H	2.3823	1.4844	-2.6302
42	H	1.8593	-0.3794	3.3132
43	O	2.4818	0.2645	3.6048
44	H	3.2607	-0.2314	3.8009

### AH7: 7 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.2575	0.8635	0.1995
3	C	2.5185	-0.0188	0.2783
4	C	3.8314	0.7687	0.2071
5	C	5.0523	-0.1640	0.2658
6	C	6.3720	0.6264	0.2897
7	C	7.5957	-0.2779	0.5111
8	C	8.8868	0.4935	0.7699
9	O	8.9396	1.6059	1.2517
10	O	9.9858	-0.2094	0.3283

11	H	10.4421	0.6030	0.6043
12	H	7.7305	-0.9198	-0.3911
13	H	7.4156	-0.9561	1.3786
14	H	6.3075	1.3822	1.1044
15	H	6.4988	1.1856	-0.6682
16	H	5.0456	-0.8581	-0.6085
17	H	4.9781	-0.7894	1.1868
18	H	3.8674	1.4944	1.0540
19	H	3.8620	1.3504	-0.7428
20	S	2.4120	-1.1484	-1.1070
21	S	0.3901	-1.1516	-1.3137
22	H	2.4871	-0.6200	1.2181
23	H	1.1556	1.5033	1.1071
24	H	1.3500	1.5396	-0.6811
25	H	-0.8919	0.6095	-0.2755
26	H	-0.2324	-0.5776	0.9242
27	H	4.0279	-2.4671	3.6610
28	O	4.4643	-1.6487	3.8200
29	H	4.3319	-1.4749	4.7373
30	H	2.7299	0.1254	3.6937
31	O	2.1302	0.8548	3.6574
32	H	1.3818	0.5792	4.1554
33	H	6.4764	1.9170	3.6241
34	O	6.8415	2.6356	3.1327
35	H	7.5413	2.2363	2.6566
36	H	5.4339	0.2560	3.9516
37	O	6.3388	0.0637	3.7685
38	H	6.3270	-0.8748	3.7217
39	H	2.0185	2.5819	-2.9233
40	O	2.3507	1.7636	-3.2542
41	H	2.9649	1.9668	-2.5687
42	H	3.6320	2.1491	3.3704
43	O	4.4846	2.0894	3.7670
44	H	5.0183	2.6792	3.2645
45	H	3.5903	0.6919	6.3211
46	O	3.8005	0.1410	5.5887
47	H	3.8538	0.7476	4.8704

### AH8: 8 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.2460	0.8968	-0.0441
3	C	2.5219	0.0411	0.0370

4	C	3.7937	0.8471	-0.2428
5	C	5.0534	-0.0088	-0.0498
6	C	6.3463	0.7987	-0.2503
7	C	7.5940	-0.0504	0.0407
8	C	8.9026	0.7056	-0.1476
9	O	8.9860	1.8480	-0.5460
10	O	9.9719	-0.0657	0.2496
11	H	10.4498	0.7590	0.0457
12	H	7.5980	-0.9398	-0.6332
13	H	7.5527	-0.4189	1.0932
14	H	6.3408	1.6868	0.4252
15	H	6.3819	1.1742	-1.3005
16	H	5.0316	-0.8614	-0.7699
17	H	5.0466	-0.4378	0.9795
18	H	3.8283	1.7308	0.4365
19	H	3.7549	1.2212	-1.2918
20	S	2.3224	-1.2419	-1.1958
21	S	0.2915	-1.3159	-1.1787
22	H	2.5709	-0.4468	1.0392
23	H	1.2145	1.6569	0.7724
24	H	1.2506	1.4317	-1.0214
25	H	-0.9246	0.5596	-0.2713
26	H	-0.1179	-0.4398	1.0169
27	H	3.7743	-3.1140	3.3501
28	O	4.6192	-3.0615	3.7602
29	H	4.4249	-2.5373	4.5200
30	H	2.7331	1.4947	3.3926
31	O	3.5803	1.1460	3.1695
32	H	4.0481	1.8810	2.8163
33	H	6.9237	0.8689	3.3369
34	O	6.2208	1.4928	3.2914
35	H	5.4872	0.9669	3.5626
36	H	6.0229	-1.7308	4.0571
37	O	5.9455	-0.9290	3.5706
38	H	5.4405	-1.1969	2.8215
39	H	1.6406	1.9206	-3.6962
40	O	2.2560	2.5168	-3.3044
41	H	2.6721	2.9595	-4.0240
42	H	0.1732	0.7093	4.0920
43	O	1.0443	0.6785	3.7386
44	H	1.0843	-0.1048	3.2151
45	H	5.3424	3.1563	3.4490
46	O	4.5910	3.6263	3.1268
47	H	4.9140	4.4852	2.9227
48	H	2.6393	-0.3739	4.3338
49	O	3.1281	-1.1152	4.0266

50 H 3.8335 -0.6765 3.5794

**AH9: 9 water**

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.2661	0.8166	0.3041
3	C	2.5276	-0.0302	0.0586
4	C	3.8195	0.7916	0.0824
5	C	5.0543	-0.1034	-0.0993
6	C	6.3515	0.7199	-0.1118
7	C	7.5988	-0.1765	-0.1536
8	C	8.8859	0.6119	-0.0111
9	O	8.9982	1.7697	0.2988
10	O	9.9712	-0.1391	-0.2642
11	H	10.6998	0.4901	-0.1274
12	H	7.6167	-0.7434	-1.1139
13	H	7.5652	-0.9134	0.6828
14	H	6.3827	1.3595	0.8007
15	H	6.3511	1.4049	-0.9927
16	H	4.9646	-0.6842	-1.0484
17	H	5.0976	-0.8405	0.7368
18	H	3.8963	1.3425	1.0487
19	H	3.7793	1.5476	-0.7353
20	S	2.3098	-0.7801	-1.5533
21	S	0.2780	-0.7825	-1.5858
22	H	2.5718	-0.8468	0.8169
23	H	1.2436	1.2058	1.3491
24	H	1.2882	1.6888	-0.3890
25	H	-0.9085	0.6439	-0.0420
26	H	-0.1507	-0.7927	0.7685
27	H	3.2350	-1.7161	2.7355
28	O	3.9908	-1.3451	3.1533
29	H	4.6493	-1.9681	2.8969
30	H	4.1597	0.6519	3.2512
31	O	3.3653	0.9436	3.6647
32	H	3.0646	0.1359	4.0426
33	H	6.5406	0.5189	2.6510
34	O	6.2451	0.8873	3.4680
35	H	6.4299	1.8085	3.4106
36	H	7.1773	-1.2335	3.8339
37	O	6.4327	-1.5038	3.3275
38	H	5.7556	-0.9236	3.6432
39	H	2.5886	1.1203	-3.5831

40	O	2.2243	1.9338	-3.2712
41	H	2.2147	1.8453	-2.3349
42	H	3.0201	3.7412	3.3031
43	O	2.5217	3.3096	2.6281
44	H	2.4266	2.4268	2.9401
45	H	3.4011	-3.4616	0.8081
46	O	3.7206	-3.3066	1.6802
47	H	4.0582	-4.1349	1.9773
48	H	5.4647	0.9866	-3.4053
49	O	4.5238	1.0180	-3.3808
50	H	4.2996	1.9350	-3.3884
51	H	4.3800	2.8472	2.7252
52	O	4.8685	3.0386	3.5086
53	H	4.7421	2.2597	4.0269

**AH10:** 10 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3301	0.7692	-0.0474
3	C	2.5187	-0.1743	0.2326
4	C	3.8816	0.4858	-0.0238
5	C	5.0887	-0.3821	0.3773
6	C	6.3986	0.4339	0.3434
7	C	7.6400	-0.4041	0.7053
8	C	8.8981	0.4343	0.9253
9	O	8.9667	1.3548	1.6996
10	O	9.8773	0.1157	0.0422
11	H	10.5170	0.8546	0.0734
12	H	7.8289	-1.1883	-0.0667
13	H	7.4441	-0.9310	1.6653
14	H	6.3058	1.2519	1.0962
15	H	6.5352	0.8978	-0.6647
16	H	5.1632	-1.2643	-0.3008
17	H	4.9203	-0.7866	1.4021
18	H	3.9221	1.4502	0.5360
19	H	3.9585	0.7184	-1.1117
20	S	2.2762	-1.5605	-0.8758
21	S	0.2485	-1.4745	-0.9848
22	H	2.4524	-0.5433	1.2845
23	H	1.3232	1.6329	0.6583
24	H	1.4487	1.1753	-1.0773
25	H	-0.8464	0.5966	-0.4121
26	H	-0.2434	-0.3010	1.0445

27	H	5.6667	-2.9988	2.6718
28	O	4.7717	-3.1943	2.8904
29	H	4.7582	-2.9948	3.8092
30	H	2.8226	1.1387	2.8281
31	O	2.1877	1.6698	3.2789
32	H	2.2707	1.3828	4.1711
33	H	4.7084	-4.6006	1.1747
34	O	4.4065	-3.9576	0.5563
35	H	4.0360	-3.3012	1.1209
36	H	6.7709	4.0379	2.8865
37	O	6.9593	3.1196	2.9700
38	H	7.5446	2.9155	2.2643
39	H	6.6588	1.3471	4.4038
40	O	6.9390	0.6617	3.8242
41	H	7.4425	1.1302	3.1802
42	H	1.9011	2.1442	-2.8488
43	O	2.6632	1.9947	-3.3810
44	H	3.2405	2.7149	-3.1925
45	H	2.8037	3.1581	1.9624
46	O	3.6206	3.5324	2.2487
47	H	3.4750	3.6129	3.1757
48	H	4.1204	1.9013	3.9157
49	O	4.8093	2.2692	4.4448
50	H	5.4159	2.6067	3.8179
51	H	4.7625	-0.0149	4.1834
52	O	3.9219	-0.2736	3.8390
53	H	4.5069	-0.8827	3.4289
54	H	6.4105	-1.0876	3.2599
55	O	6.2944	-1.6463	4.0084
56	H	6.7896	-1.1688	4.6477

### AH11: 20 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.1070	1.0658	-0.0460
3	C	2.4705	0.4097	0.2334
4	C	3.6582	1.3385	-0.0204
5	C	4.9760	0.6605	0.3681
6	C	6.1885	1.5925	0.3099
7	C	7.4761	0.7769	0.4857
8	C	8.6929	1.6249	0.8028
9	O	8.6406	2.8011	1.0691
10	O	9.8400	0.8643	0.7467

11	H	10.2286	1.7268	0.9617
12	H	7.6632	0.1686	-0.4302
13	H	7.3624	0.0901	1.3523
14	H	6.0949	2.3545	1.1169
15	H	6.2073	2.1453	-0.6576
16	H	5.1677	-0.2061	-0.2976
17	H	4.9020	0.2523	1.4000
18	H	3.5246	2.2851	0.5513
19	H	3.6703	1.5958	-1.1018
20	S	2.5635	-0.9951	-0.8728
21	S	0.5686	-1.3421	-1.0402
22	H	2.4899	0.0334	1.2832
23	H	0.8952	1.8913	0.6744
24	H	1.1291	1.5003	-1.0727
25	H	-0.9749	0.3953	-0.3679
26	H	-0.1295	-0.3847	1.0381
27	H	6.0400	-2.9520	1.3583
28	O	6.5687	-2.3952	0.8100
29	H	7.4141	-2.4509	1.2231
30	H	3.7035	-2.8730	1.5169
31	O	4.2693	-2.3521	2.0609
32	H	4.6506	-1.7835	1.4121
33	H	5.1421	-2.2833	-0.3885
34	O	4.2373	-2.5440	-0.4025
35	H	3.9742	-2.2886	-1.2695
36	H	5.7057	3.2333	4.5632
37	O	5.1495	3.9564	4.3178
38	H	5.1991	3.9790	3.3738
39	H	7.6231	2.2016	2.8634
40	O	7.1031	2.3129	3.6388
41	H	7.5311	1.7131	4.2258
42	H	6.2666	1.7066	-2.7302
43	O	6.7755	0.9398	-2.9287
44	H	7.6367	1.1841	-2.6370
45	H	6.7790	4.3290	3.2837
46	O	6.6904	4.6782	2.4101
47	H	7.4798	4.3906	1.9823
48	H	5.1750	-0.3548	-2.7721
49	O	4.4213	-0.8754	-2.5429
50	H	3.7323	-0.4438	-3.0168
51	H	5.3148	1.3336	-4.2044
52	O	5.0686	0.5504	-4.6695
53	H	5.8544	0.0352	-4.6079
54	H	3.7065	2.5070	-2.8512
55	O	4.5710	2.7214	-3.1639
56	H	4.6747	3.6064	-2.8591

57	H	7.1235	-1.8989	3.9581
58	O	7.3083	-2.0046	3.0412
59	H	6.6804	-1.4076	2.6637
60	H	4.1631	1.6199	6.1563
61	O	4.6053	1.3254	5.3812
62	H	3.9384	0.8820	4.8859
63	H	7.9886	-0.2633	3.6031
64	O	8.6831	0.3744	3.5809
65	H	9.4199	-0.1050	3.2474
66	H	3.7402	2.5122	3.7082
67	O	4.2290	2.0834	3.0266
68	H	5.0858	2.0239	3.4095
69	H	4.0197	-0.0897	3.1988
70	O	3.4871	-0.5150	3.8534
71	H	3.1287	-1.2557	3.4015
72	H	3.4776	1.3929	-4.2101
73	O	2.7077	1.1223	-3.7334
74	H	2.3822	0.4022	-4.2431
75	H	5.8740	0.7886	4.1043
76	O	5.9957	-0.1256	3.9182
77	H	5.4078	-0.5378	4.5306
78	H	3.1089	5.0885	-1.1481
79	O	3.7637	4.4872	-1.4576
80	H	4.0829	4.0608	-0.6811
81	H	5.7225	-3.1632	3.8194
82	O	5.3115	-2.6424	4.4907
83	H	4.5716	-2.2659	4.0390
84	H	8.3242	3.1826	-0.9983
85	O	8.4838	2.7063	-1.7948
86	H	9.1452	3.2011	-2.2415

*Appendix I: DHLA Explicitly Solvated by Water*

**AI1:** 1 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.2736	0.7280	-0.4751
3	C	2.6027	-0.0464	-0.3259
4	C	3.8118	0.9070	-0.4403
5	C	5.1611	0.2311	-0.1398
6	C	6.3277	1.2303	-0.1906
7	C	7.6654	0.5421	0.1169
8	C	8.8306	1.5074	0.1817
9	O	8.8337	2.6845	-0.0867
10	O	9.9539	0.9022	0.6041
11	H	10.5987	1.6291	0.5872
12	H	7.8853	-0.2203	-0.6666
13	H	7.5890	0.0187	1.0984
14	H	6.1492	2.0439	0.5529
15	H	6.3698	1.7003	-1.2024
16	H	5.3626	-0.5862	-0.8691
17	H	5.1198	-0.2395	0.8707
18	H	3.6869	1.7325	0.2998
19	H	3.8349	1.3892	-1.4460
20	S	2.7488	-1.3224	-1.6353
21	H	1.9975	-2.2742	-1.0556
22	H	2.6406	-0.5168	0.6854
23	H	1.3631	1.6252	0.1830
24	H	1.1565	1.1408	-1.5054
25	S	-0.7117	-1.0758	-1.2978
26	H	-1.0444	-0.1169	-2.1816
27	H	-0.7730	0.7529	0.2841
28	H	0.2205	-0.5927	0.9171
29	H	4.8031	-1.2816	-3.2839
30	O	5.1343	-0.4397	-3.5471
31	H	4.4895	0.1699	-3.2322

**AI2:** 2 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

2	C	1.2401	0.6274	-0.6672
3	C	2.5690	-0.1524	-0.5446
4	C	3.7821	0.7952	-0.6912
5	C	5.1383	0.1269	-0.3968
6	C	6.2962	1.1401	-0.3516
7	C	7.6355	0.4596	-0.0206
8	C	8.7943	1.4349	0.0998
9	O	8.7535	2.6139	-0.1665
10	O	9.8997	0.8068	0.5564
11	H	9.6981	-0.1360	0.6684
12	H	7.8881	-0.2796	-0.8166
13	H	7.5391	-0.0911	0.9443
14	H	6.0826	1.9160	0.4225
15	H	6.3704	1.6593	-1.3370
16	H	5.3656	-0.6415	-1.1722
17	H	5.0797	-0.4037	0.5822
18	H	3.6661	1.6343	0.0346
19	H	3.7934	1.2589	-1.7064
20	S	2.6843	-1.4309	-1.8625
21	H	2.0424	-2.4329	-1.2364
22	H	2.6219	-0.6238	0.4651
23	H	1.3875	1.5943	-0.1301
24	H	1.0375	0.9164	-1.7256
25	S	-0.7127	-1.3587	-0.9861
26	H	-1.0797	-0.6264	-2.0535
27	H	-0.7873	0.7814	0.1213
28	H	0.2566	-0.3574	1.0240
29	H	4.5111	0.2177	2.7751
30	O	5.3008	0.6620	3.0334
31	H	5.0339	1.5632	2.9757
32	H	2.4985	1.4871	3.4989
33	O	2.9273	1.3352	2.6745
34	H	2.3421	1.6791	2.0232

### AI3: 3 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.4210	0.6000	-0.1170
3	C	2.6860	-0.1590	0.3530
4	C	3.9260	0.7930	0.3200
5	C	5.3090	0.1230	0.4680
6	C	6.4750	1.1240	0.5160
7	C	7.8290	0.3980	0.5120

8	C	9.0050	1.3490	0.5440
9	O	8.9300	2.5680	0.5460
10	O	10.1940	0.7010	0.5690
11	H	10.1170	-0.2720	0.5600
12	H	7.9200	-0.2100	-0.3960
13	H	7.8990	-0.2570	1.3880
14	H	6.3940	1.7500	1.4120
15	H	6.4240	1.7970	-0.3480
16	H	5.4900	-0.5370	-0.3870
17	H	5.3240	-0.4950	1.3730
18	H	3.8070	1.5360	1.1210
19	H	3.9180	1.3610	-0.6200
20	S	2.9880	-1.6240	-0.7070
21	H	1.8150	-2.2270	-0.4440
22	H	2.5420	-0.5040	1.3840
23	H	1.3810	1.5550	0.4270
24	H	1.5650	0.8930	-1.1670
25	S	-0.2580	-1.7880	0.1710
26	H	-1.1110	-1.9300	-0.8580
27	H	-0.5750	0.3200	-0.8770
28	H	-0.5040	0.4530	0.8610
29	H	5.0280	-2.6120	4.2830
30	O	4.0350	-2.6770	4.3840
31	H	3.6740	-1.8020	4.7060
32	H	4.8090	-2.8000	1.7370
33	O	4.1110	-2.2570	2.2040
34	H	3.2720	-2.7920	2.2870
35	H	2.4100	2.2890	4.3840
36	O	2.2800	1.3310	4.6410
37	H	2.1660	0.7770	3.8170

#### AI4: 4 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.1770	0.3294	-0.9380
3	C	2.4911	-0.4326	-0.6515
4	C	3.7230	0.4572	-0.9224
5	C	5.0632	-0.1870	-0.5259
6	C	6.2260	0.8168	-0.6179
7	C	7.5633	0.1573	-0.2460
8	C	8.7312	1.1274	-0.2340
9	O	8.6952	2.2866	-0.5860
10	O	9.8407	0.5134	0.2291

11	H	9.6012	-0.3955	0.4780
12	H	7.7998	-0.6515	-0.9780
13	H	7.4813	-0.2993	0.7693
14	H	6.0306	1.6738	0.0723
15	H	6.2830	1.2255	-1.6559
16	H	5.2847	-1.0589	-1.1864
17	H	4.9964	-0.5647	0.5219
18	H	3.6188	1.3916	-0.3203
19	H	3.7484	0.7654	-1.9949
20	S	2.5953	-1.9302	-1.7156
21	H	2.0420	-2.8208	-0.8725
22	H	2.5210	-0.7217	0.4245
23	H	1.3755	1.4158	-0.7804
24	H	0.8783	0.2581	-2.0112
25	S	-0.6872	-1.6600	-0.3163
26	H	-1.0832	-1.4451	-1.5836
27	H	-0.8069	0.7586	-0.1332
28	H	0.3259	0.0689	1.0627
29	H	1.4047	-1.3624	2.8946
30	O	2.1400	-0.8015	3.0614
31	H	1.7990	0.0768	3.0016
32	H	4.6600	1.1196	4.0752
33	O	3.7629	1.2626	3.8331
34	H	3.5989	0.5774	3.2013
35	H	3.9397	-1.0852	3.8432
36	O	4.5831	-1.1182	3.1549
37	H	4.0411	-1.2904	2.4032
38	H	2.3353	2.0528	2.9721
39	O	1.9791	1.8389	2.1269
40	H	2.4290	2.4225	1.5410

### AI5: 5 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.2344	0.9221	-0.0309
3	C	2.6263	0.2482	-0.0073
4	C	3.7264	1.2935	0.2713
5	C	5.1600	0.7463	0.4369
6	C	6.1393	1.9275	0.4827
7	C	7.6236	1.5531	0.5478
8	C	8.4878	2.7960	0.4113
9	O	8.0642	3.9124	0.2117
10	O	9.7913	2.4785	0.5720

11	H	9.8805	1.5101	0.6385
12	H	7.8764	0.8628	-0.2895
13	H	7.8556	1.0443	1.5129
14	H	5.8780	2.5916	1.3410
15	H	5.9927	2.5061	-0.4567
16	H	5.4571	0.0895	-0.4128
17	H	5.2380	0.1334	1.3653
18	H	3.4789	1.8555	1.2038
19	H	3.7115	2.0475	-0.5488
20	S	3.0115	-0.5070	-1.6370
21	H	2.5278	-1.7404	-1.4214
22	H	2.6482	-0.5100	0.8103
23	H	1.1684	1.5235	0.9090
24	H	1.1626	1.6659	-0.8610
25	S	-0.3467	-0.7779	-1.6164
26	H	-0.5041	0.3498	-2.3333
27	H	-0.8981	0.6003	0.2798
28	H	0.1316	-0.7792	0.7851
29	H	2.1238	0.9458	-3.2870
30	O	1.8708	1.7439	-3.7190
31	H	2.5167	1.8189	-4.4011
32	H	3.3348	4.2447	-2.0670
33	O	3.5548	3.5184	-2.6294
34	H	2.6816	3.2453	-2.8277
35	H	5.7108	4.5910	-0.3896
36	O	4.8631	4.6557	-0.8116
37	H	4.9869	4.2368	-1.6518
38	H	4.1007	1.5253	-2.8284
39	O	4.5752	1.4795	-3.6437
40	H	4.8042	2.3877	-3.7647
41	H	1.1830	5.3041	-1.5497
42	O	1.3930	4.4986	-1.9878
43	H	0.5689	4.1433	-2.2644

### AI6: 6 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.5244	0.1020	-0.2217
3	C	2.3790	-0.9133	0.5635
4	C	2.2436	-0.8680	2.1034
5	C	2.1761	0.5042	2.8011
6	C	3.5028	1.2792	2.8548
7	C	4.6916	0.5814	3.5423

8	C	4.5154	0.1996	4.9954
9	O	3.6387	0.5688	5.7328
10	O	5.5053	-0.6430	5.3756
11	H	6.0910	-0.8027	4.6191
12	H	5.5728	1.2668	3.5272
13	H	4.9708	-0.3452	2.9897
14	H	3.3338	2.2771	3.3222
15	H	3.8031	1.5099	1.8102
16	H	1.7978	0.3718	3.8426
17	H	1.4047	1.1446	2.3144
18	H	3.0560	-1.4695	2.5728
19	H	1.3076	-1.4165	2.3715
20	S	4.1581	-0.7927	0.0703
21	H	4.2945	0.5370	-0.0632
22	H	2.0770	-1.9374	0.2377
23	H	1.8495	1.1278	0.0734
24	H	1.7441	0.0199	-1.3145
25	S	-0.6708	-1.5575	-0.6921
26	H	-0.4211	-1.3162	-1.9925
27	H	-0.5080	0.8690	-0.4822
28	H	-0.2440	0.0573	1.0855
29	H	3.4676	-1.5223	6.3734
30	O	2.6735	-1.8617	5.9939
31	H	2.3195	-1.1236	5.5280
32	H	1.3652	2.6688	4.4057
33	O	1.2786	3.5887	4.2101
34	H	0.9201	3.9384	5.0077
35	H	4.2356	2.7129	6.3392
36	O	4.5412	3.3384	5.6888
37	H	3.9195	4.0541	5.7289
38	H	8.1339	0.7301	5.1584
39	O	8.0168	0.1523	4.4242
40	H	8.8318	0.1804	3.9540
41	H	0.9205	3.7288	-1.3062
42	O	1.4691	3.1096	-1.7651
43	H	0.9764	2.8639	-2.5317
44	H	2.3529	1.8317	6.7856
45	O	2.2143	2.6140	6.2817
46	H	2.7021	2.4818	5.4823

### AI7: 7 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

2	C	1.2778	0.0479	-0.8585
3	C	2.5510	-0.5652	-0.2415
4	C	3.8225	0.1526	-0.7417
5	C	5.0959	-0.2802	0.0018
6	C	6.2914	0.6435	-0.2718
7	C	7.5190	0.2208	0.5518
8	C	8.4684	1.3674	0.8294
9	O	8.1472	2.5381	0.8106
10	O	9.6878	0.9178	1.1936
11	H	9.7344	-0.0451	1.0484
12	H	8.0382	-0.6234	0.0412
13	H	7.2180	-0.1376	1.5611
14	H	5.9949	1.6880	-0.0199
15	H	6.5427	0.6461	-1.3597
16	H	5.3748	-1.3302	-0.2445
17	H	4.8915	-0.2663	1.0930
18	H	3.6986	1.2494	-0.5787
19	H	3.9494	0.0098	-1.8401
20	S	2.6633	-2.3444	-0.6947
21	H	2.9537	-2.8428	0.5210
22	H	2.4960	-0.4384	0.8632
23	H	1.4800	1.1358	-0.9965
24	H	1.0936	-0.3584	-1.8807
25	S	-0.6311	-1.6959	0.2499
26	H	-0.7931	-2.0278	-1.0456
27	H	-0.7946	0.6057	-0.4974
28	H	0.1898	0.4787	0.9884
29	H	4.9368	-2.3624	2.4111
30	O	4.1190	-2.5199	2.8489
31	H	4.3680	-2.3368	3.7397
32	H	1.4974	-1.3321	3.7630
33	O	1.3452	-0.5308	3.2923
34	H	0.4597	-0.6026	2.9770
35	H	6.4819	2.1808	3.3009
36	O	6.1180	1.3351	3.5029
37	H	5.1985	1.5241	3.6228
38	H	5.4279	-0.3967	3.3669
39	O	6.0432	-1.0657	3.6013
40	H	6.7256	-0.5193	3.9520
41	H	1.6732	2.8994	-3.9651
42	O	1.4025	2.1587	-3.4507
43	H	1.3465	1.4420	-4.0585
44	H	5.7294	2.6538	1.5331
45	O	4.9318	2.7328	2.0361
46	H	4.6152	1.8458	2.1233
47	H	2.9385	0.6999	3.2287

48	O	3.7352	0.2314	3.0558
49	H	3.4056	-0.6327	2.8796

**AI8: 8 water**

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3004	0.6417	-0.5208
3	C	2.6152	-0.0030	-0.0331
4	C	3.8247	0.8792	-0.4055
5	C	5.1702	0.3543	0.1241
6	C	6.2970	1.3826	-0.0633
7	C	7.6520	0.8435	0.4195
8	C	8.7825	1.8387	0.2387
9	O	8.6639	2.9751	-0.1674
10	O	9.9618	1.2860	0.5899
11	H	9.8047	0.3762	0.8922
12	H	7.9043	-0.0850	-0.1452
13	H	7.5883	0.5846	1.5022
14	H	6.0492	2.3142	0.4992
15	H	6.3690	1.6515	-1.1439
16	H	5.4516	-0.5865	-0.4036
17	H	5.0712	0.1048	1.2051
18	H	3.6629	1.8949	0.0269
19	H	3.8825	1.0135	-1.5117
20	S	2.8357	-1.6662	-0.7746
21	H	1.9582	-2.3419	-0.0110
22	H	2.5864	-0.0896	1.0783
23	H	1.3054	1.6895	-0.1372
24	H	1.2943	0.7427	-1.6315
25	S	-0.6486	-1.2514	-1.1670
26	H	-0.8998	-0.4266	-2.2005
27	H	-0.7798	0.7843	0.1439
28	H	0.1698	-0.4553	1.0019
29	H	4.9843	-2.5582	3.4941
30	O	4.6644	-1.6925	3.6738
31	H	5.3582	-1.3180	4.1943
32	H	1.2245	2.6378	2.4739
33	O	2.1557	2.5002	2.4746
34	H	2.2190	1.5633	2.5745
35	H	5.9749	1.4252	3.7085
36	O	5.8567	0.4934	3.7142
37	H	5.0889	0.4075	3.1729
38	H	7.3246	-0.8484	3.9927

39	O	7.1749	-1.6027	3.4481
40	H	6.5433	-1.2669	2.8325
41	H	1.4244	3.3980	-3.4859
42	O	1.8464	3.2590	-2.6550
43	H	2.5376	3.0727	-3.2667
44	H	1.2892	1.1205	3.8673
45	O	0.4876	1.0200	3.3779
46	H	0.2471	0.1219	3.5132
47	H	4.0913	2.9056	2.2179
48	O	4.5561	2.3959	2.8569
49	H	3.8368	2.0589	3.3631
50	H	3.5806	-0.1270	4.3566
51	O	3.0662	0.1501	3.6182
52	H	3.1721	-0.5930	3.0477

### AI9: 9 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.2550	0.4852	-0.7488
3	C	2.5212	-0.3847	-0.5802
4	C	3.7876	0.4940	-0.5282
5	C	5.1029	-0.2806	-0.3471
6	C	6.2796	0.6477	-0.0064
7	C	7.6142	-0.1172	0.0397
8	C	8.6540	0.5483	0.9246
9	O	8.4014	1.2517	1.8735
10	O	9.9097	0.2513	0.5297
11	H	9.8658	-0.3432	-0.2385
12	H	8.0011	-0.2376	-0.9993
13	H	7.4616	-1.1389	0.4526
14	H	6.0547	1.1255	0.9754
15	H	6.3623	1.4700	-0.7586
16	H	5.3595	-0.8474	-1.2715
17	H	4.9699	-1.0194	0.4770
18	H	3.6814	1.1888	0.3384
19	H	3.8566	1.1369	-1.4378
20	S	2.6398	-1.5364	-2.0141
21	H	3.4284	-2.4748	-1.4618
22	H	2.4448	-0.9505	0.3786
23	H	1.4697	1.5044	-0.3481
24	H	1.0266	0.6511	-1.8281
25	S	-0.4860	-1.6944	-0.4700
26	H	-0.7167	-1.4524	-1.7714

27	H	-0.8418	0.7032	-0.1988
28	H	0.1850	0.0245	1.0962
29	H	5.3062	-1.3213	3.4845
30	O	5.3109	-2.2471	3.2988
31	H	4.5560	-2.5462	3.7728
32	H	1.1086	0.2815	3.1548
33	O	1.1681	-0.6442	3.3188
34	H	0.3339	-0.9950	3.0628
35	H	7.4353	-0.3299	2.9901
36	O	6.6544	0.0485	3.3535
37	H	6.8045	0.9716	3.2472
38	H	7.3267	-2.0028	3.5550
39	O	7.7461	-2.2781	2.7564
40	H	7.0175	-2.6830	2.3168
41	H	2.0967	1.7015	-4.4698
42	O	2.6252	0.9865	-4.1619
43	H	2.0198	0.3005	-3.9374
44	H	2.7895	1.7674	2.2808
45	O	1.9403	1.8732	2.6722
46	H	1.8597	2.7998	2.8114
47	H	2.6121	-0.8259	4.7028
48	O	3.4194	-0.8901	4.2258
49	H	3.1057	-0.8864	3.3371
50	H	4.1982	-0.1148	-3.3894
51	O	4.9638	0.2319	-3.8163
52	H	4.5764	0.9057	-4.3487
53	H	3.5873	1.1369	3.8423
54	O	4.3387	1.3450	3.3100
55	H	4.9174	0.6308	3.5109

### AI10: 10 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.1450	0.0642	-1.0287
3	C	2.4870	-0.5628	-0.5798
4	C	3.6884	0.3848	-0.8012
5	C	5.0325	-0.1815	-0.3012
6	C	6.1776	0.8459	-0.3469
7	C	7.5211	0.2345	0.0880
8	C	8.5983	1.2658	0.3975
9	O	8.4316	2.4459	0.6342
10	O	9.8202	0.7105	0.3169
11	H	9.7116	-0.2391	0.1459

12	H	7.8793	-0.4362	-0.7289
13	H	7.3736	-0.4198	0.9789
14	H	5.9104	1.7029	0.3129
15	H	6.2823	1.2542	-1.3806
16	H	5.3310	-1.0698	-0.9044
17	H	4.9066	-0.5282	0.7500
18	H	3.4945	1.3333	-0.2450
19	H	3.7756	0.6557	-1.8804
20	S	2.7808	-2.1176	-1.5274
21	H	1.9884	-2.9431	-0.8207
22	H	2.4516	-0.7764	0.5130
23	H	1.3123	1.1482	-1.2334
24	H	0.8029	-0.3534	-2.0057
25	S	-0.3487	-1.7122	0.5351
26	H	-0.7603	-2.1948	-0.6512
27	H	-0.9223	0.4501	-0.4367
28	H	0.2672	0.6246	0.8836
29	H	5.3462	-2.5536	2.5813
30	O	5.5312	-3.3645	3.0308
31	H	6.1192	-3.0602	3.6995
32	H	0.7006	-0.9829	2.7491
33	O	1.3913	-0.4061	3.0227
34	H	1.9714	-0.9810	3.4937
35	H	4.5137	-3.3341	-0.0241
36	O	4.2837	-3.3204	0.8900
37	H	4.8619	-3.9330	1.3153
38	H	6.1427	1.8954	3.2020
39	O	6.8431	1.4138	2.8079
40	H	7.0886	2.0224	2.1404
41	H	5.9442	-0.4913	2.6394
42	O	6.3059	-1.0719	3.2891
43	H	6.8733	-0.4830	3.7535
44	H	1.7660	2.9730	-3.9960
45	O	1.7202	2.0516	-3.8073
46	H	2.3639	1.6482	-4.3646
47	H	2.7031	1.3970	3.3153
48	O	2.2984	1.9376	2.6601
49	H	1.4709	1.5047	2.5517
50	H	4.2877	1.7880	2.3397
51	O	4.6034	2.6667	2.4690
52	H	3.7970	3.1525	2.4739
53	H	3.6018	-3.1063	2.8973
54	O	3.0228	-2.3734	2.7836
55	H	2.9178	-2.3703	1.8458
56	H	3.2937	-0.2690	2.5976
57	O	4.0320	0.0518	3.0884

58 H 4.3812 -0.7337 3.4704

**AI11:** 20 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.0744	0.8242	-0.7360
3	C	2.5267	0.2914	-0.6750
4	C	3.5406	1.4566	-0.6068
5	C	5.0263	1.0546	-0.5726
6	C	5.9593	2.2548	-0.3383
7	C	7.4377	1.8397	-0.2629
8	C	8.3749	2.9664	0.1232
9	O	8.1040	4.1514	0.1168
10	O	9.5673	2.4691	0.5126
11	H	9.5167	1.5013	0.4878
12	H	7.7814	1.4306	-1.2419
13	H	7.5427	1.0252	0.4888
14	H	5.6691	2.7491	0.6164
15	H	5.8266	2.9979	-1.1588
16	H	5.3202	0.5641	-1.5280
17	H	5.1832	0.3090	0.2379
18	H	3.3294	2.0391	0.3187
19	H	3.3692	2.1599	-1.4515
20	S	2.8878	-0.7225	-2.1681
21	H	2.5559	-1.9303	-1.6829
22	H	2.6590	-0.3259	0.2424
23	H	1.0620	1.8166	-0.2276
24	H	0.7640	1.0592	-1.7819
25	S	-0.2992	-1.6163	-0.7832
26	H	-0.6712	-1.1421	-1.9849
27	H	-0.9609	0.5673	0.0090
28	H	0.2953	-0.1376	1.0648
29	H	8.2525	-0.8016	2.3312
30	O	7.7965	-1.3012	1.6756
31	H	6.8977	-1.0966	1.8793
32	H	4.5218	0.1820	2.3022
33	O	4.9843	-0.6036	2.5480
34	H	5.5693	-0.2860	3.2156
35	H	3.2452	-1.6813	2.1979
36	O	2.3646	-1.8699	2.4796
37	H	2.2283	-2.7210	2.1067
38	H	4.0556	4.5014	4.1870
39	O	4.8983	4.5030	3.7636

40	H	4.6806	4.1837	2.9010
41	H	7.3614	3.8560	2.1219
42	O	7.2283	3.1902	2.7758
43	H	6.3224	3.3137	3.0121
44	H	6.1234	2.6843	-3.4905
45	O	6.8304	2.1519	-3.8143
46	H	7.6066	2.6130	-3.5556
47	H	5.9660	5.5157	2.4572
48	O	5.9037	5.1284	1.6000
49	H	6.6790	5.3949	1.1372
50	H	5.1262	1.1348	-3.7430
51	O	4.4043	1.7379	-3.7449
52	H	3.6687	1.2089	-3.4844
53	H	5.9863	0.9340	-5.3290
54	O	6.1607	0.1016	-4.9217
55	H	6.8363	0.3273	-4.3038
56	H	3.8083	3.5316	-3.8876
57	O	3.2894	3.9916	-3.2527
58	H	2.6740	3.3247	-3.0000
59	H	7.1144	-1.9742	0.0750
60	O	6.3704	-2.3246	-0.3835
61	H	6.7332	-2.8723	-1.0574
62	H	2.1439	2.2379	3.9302
63	O	2.5949	3.0599	3.8339
64	H	2.4477	3.2995	2.9338
65	H	6.4812	1.2875	2.9179
66	O	7.2100	0.7459	3.1675
67	H	7.8571	1.4109	3.3299
68	H	4.1949	4.5406	1.2510
69	O	3.3876	4.2438	1.6317
70	H	2.7712	4.5285	0.9847
71	H	1.8785	0.1255	2.4167
72	O	2.6139	0.5274	2.8406
73	H	3.0026	-0.2141	3.2763
74	H	1.1957	2.0820	-4.7667
75	O	1.9491	1.7948	-4.2811
76	H	2.6519	1.7391	-4.9098
77	H	3.8929	1.9540	2.7421
78	O	4.7857	1.9993	3.0391
79	H	4.7002	2.5428	3.8038
80	H	3.0104	5.1707	-1.7193
81	O	3.3215	4.8734	-0.8803
82	H	4.0253	4.3080	-1.1455
83	H	4.9513	-2.1972	1.2224
84	O	4.1759	-2.5052	0.7798
85	H	4.5149	-2.6788	-0.0806

86	H	7.4209	4.4508	-1.8810
87	O	7.9766	4.1219	-2.5675
88	H	8.7380	4.6677	-2.4980

*Appendix J: DHLA-OH Explicitly Solvated by Varying Number of Water Molecules*

**AJ1:** 1 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3700	0.6220	-0.1930
3	C	2.4750	-0.4240	-0.3540
4	C	3.8630	0.2150	-0.3630
5	C	4.9870	-0.8280	-0.3030
6	C	6.3630	-0.1520	-0.2410
7	C	7.5020	-1.1750	-0.1690
8	C	7.5790	-1.8150	1.1840
9	O	7.9940	-3.1250	1.0490
10	H	8.0790	-3.5960	1.9190
11	O	7.3640	-1.3730	2.2870
12	H	8.4770	-0.6830	-0.3820
13	H	7.3890	-1.9520	-0.9580
14	H	6.4160	0.5260	0.6380
15	H	6.5100	0.4910	-1.1320
16	H	4.9340	-1.4980	-1.1860
17	H	4.8500	-1.4820	0.5810
18	H	3.9550	0.8990	0.5080
19	H	3.9920	0.8610	-1.2530
20	S	2.2200	-1.3770	-1.9010
21	H	2.1240	-0.3630	-2.7860
22	H	2.4050	-1.1860	0.4620
23	H	1.6180	1.2740	0.6720
24	H	1.3480	1.3120	-1.0700
25	S	-1.3310	1.3170	-0.0150
26	H	-0.7530	2.2560	0.7660
27	O	-0.7560	2.1730	-1.4440
28	H	-1.3100	1.8580	-2.1780
29	H	-0.2610	-0.7090	-0.8050
30	H	-0.1000	-0.5310	0.9600
31	H	5.0920	-2.1390	-4.7000
32	O	5.1240	-1.1460	-4.8080
33	H	4.2630	-0.7480	-4.4920

**AJ2: 2 water**

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3700	0.6220	-0.1930
3	C	2.4750	-0.4240	-0.3540
4	C	3.8630	0.2150	-0.3630
5	C	4.9870	-0.8280	-0.3030
6	C	6.3630	-0.1520	-0.2410
7	C	7.5020	-1.1750	-0.1690
8	C	7.5790	-1.8150	1.1840
9	O	7.9940	-3.1250	1.0490
10	H	8.0790	-3.5960	1.9190
11	O	7.3640	-1.3730	2.2870
12	H	8.4770	-0.6830	-0.3820
13	H	7.3890	-1.9520	-0.9580
14	H	6.4160	0.5260	0.6380
15	H	6.5100	0.4910	-1.1320
16	H	4.9340	-1.4980	-1.1860
17	H	4.8500	-1.4820	0.5810
18	H	3.9550	0.8990	0.5080
19	H	3.9920	0.8610	-1.2530
20	S	2.2200	-1.3770	-1.9010
21	H	2.1240	-0.3630	-2.7860
22	H	2.4050	-1.1860	0.4620
23	H	1.6180	1.2740	0.6720
24	H	1.3480	1.3120	-1.0700
25	S	-1.3310	1.3170	-0.0150
26	H	-0.7530	2.2560	0.7660
27	O	-0.7560	2.1730	-1.4440
28	H	-1.3100	1.8580	-2.1780
29	H	-0.2610	-0.7090	-0.8050
30	H	-0.1000	-0.5310	0.9600
31	H	1.0790	-0.6430	4.1050
32	O	1.9700	-0.2330	3.9090
33	H	2.1180	0.5480	4.5150
34	H	4.7890	-0.1410	4.1650
35	O	4.7280	0.8510	4.2780
36	H	4.0710	1.2210	3.6220

**AJ3: 3 water**

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3700	0.6220	-0.1930
3	C	2.4750	-0.4240	-0.3540
4	C	3.8630	0.2150	-0.3630
5	C	4.9870	-0.8280	-0.3030
6	C	6.3630	-0.1520	-0.2410
7	C	7.5020	-1.1750	-0.1690
8	C	7.5790	-1.8150	1.1840
9	O	7.9940	-3.1250	1.0490
10	H	8.0790	-3.5960	1.9190
11	O	7.3640	-1.3730	2.2870
12	H	8.4770	-0.6830	-0.3820
13	H	7.3890	-1.9520	-0.9580
14	H	6.4160	0.5260	0.6380
15	H	6.5100	0.4910	-1.1320
16	H	4.9340	-1.4980	-1.1860
17	H	4.8500	-1.4820	0.5810
18	H	3.9550	0.8990	0.5080
19	H	3.9920	0.8610	-1.2530
20	S	2.2200	-1.3770	-1.9010
21	H	2.1240	-0.3630	-2.7860
22	H	2.4050	-1.1860	0.4620
23	H	1.6180	1.2740	0.6720
24	H	1.3480	1.3120	-1.0700
25	S	-1.3310	1.3170	-0.0150
26	H	-0.7530	2.2560	0.7660
27	O	-0.7560	2.1730	-1.4440
28	H	-1.3100	1.8580	-2.1780
29	H	-0.2610	-0.7090	-0.8050
30	H	-0.1000	-0.5310	0.9600
31	H	3.8430	-2.1730	3.8130
32	O	2.9790	-2.6750	3.8610
33	H	2.2950	-2.1170	4.3280
34	H	3.7330	-3.6190	1.4280
35	O	2.9850	-3.0130	1.6970
36	H	2.1320	-3.5330	1.7390
37	H	2.1260	1.1260	4.4130
38	O	2.6330	0.2840	4.5950
39	H	2.9030	-0.1370	3.7300

**AJ4: 4 water**

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3700	0.6220	-0.1930
3	C	2.4750	-0.4240	-0.3540
4	C	3.8630	0.2150	-0.3630
5	C	4.9870	-0.8280	-0.3030
6	C	6.3630	-0.1520	-0.2410
7	C	7.5020	-1.1750	-0.1690
8	C	7.5790	-1.8150	1.1840
9	O	7.9940	-3.1250	1.0490
10	H	8.0790	-3.5960	1.9190
11	O	7.3640	-1.3730	2.2870
12	H	8.4770	-0.6830	-0.3820
13	H	7.3890	-1.9520	-0.9580
14	H	6.4160	0.5260	0.6380
15	H	6.5100	0.4910	-1.1320
16	H	4.9340	-1.4980	-1.1860
17	H	4.8500	-1.4820	0.5810
18	H	3.9550	0.8990	0.5080
19	H	3.9920	0.8610	-1.2530
20	S	2.2200	-1.3770	-1.9010
21	H	2.1240	-0.3630	-2.7860
22	H	2.4050	-1.1860	0.4620
23	H	1.6180	1.2740	0.6720
24	H	1.3480	1.3120	-1.0700
25	S	-1.3310	1.3170	-0.0150
26	H	-0.7530	2.2560	0.7660
27	O	-0.7560	2.1730	-1.4440
28	H	-1.3100	1.8580	-2.1780
29	H	-0.2610	-0.7090	-0.8050
30	H	-0.1000	-0.5310	0.9600
31	H	0.5200	-0.5530	3.2230
32	O	1.1590	-1.3220	3.2300
33	H	0.6490	-2.1810	3.2310
34	H	3.5490	2.3020	4.1010
35	O	3.3730	3.0800	3.4980
36	H	2.4970	2.9500	3.0330
37	H	4.6640	-1.1950	4.6190
38	O	3.6830	-1.0070	4.5590
39	H	3.5270	-0.0230	4.6380
40	H	2.6510	-4.0210	1.7480
41	O	2.4960	-3.1310	2.1770
42	H	3.3110	-2.5620	2.0690

**AJ5: 5 water**

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3700	0.6220	-0.1930
3	C	2.4750	-0.4240	-0.3540
4	C	3.8630	0.2150	-0.3630
5	C	4.9870	-0.8280	-0.3030
6	C	6.3630	-0.1520	-0.2410
7	C	7.5020	-1.1750	-0.1690
8	C	7.5790	-1.8150	1.1840
9	O	7.9940	-3.1250	1.0490
10	H	8.0790	-3.5960	1.9190
11	O	7.3640	-1.3730	2.2870
12	H	8.4770	-0.6830	-0.3820
13	H	7.3890	-1.9520	-0.9580
14	H	6.4160	0.5260	0.6380
15	H	6.5100	0.4910	-1.1320
16	H	4.9340	-1.4980	-1.1860
17	H	4.8500	-1.4820	0.5810
18	H	3.9550	0.8990	0.5080
19	H	3.9920	0.8610	-1.2530
20	S	2.2200	-1.3770	-1.9010
21	H	2.1240	-0.3630	-2.7860
22	H	2.4050	-1.1860	0.4620
23	H	1.6180	1.2740	0.6720
24	H	1.3480	1.3120	-1.0700
25	S	-1.3310	1.3170	-0.0150
26	H	-0.7530	2.2560	0.7660
27	O	-0.7560	2.1730	-1.4440
28	H	-1.3100	1.8580	-2.1780
29	H	-0.2610	-0.7090	-0.8050
30	H	-0.1000	-0.5310	0.9600
31	H	0.3140	-3.0620	-2.2730
32	O	0.7690	-2.8010	-3.1250
33	H	0.5140	-1.8640	-3.3650
34	H	3.6530	4.3270	-1.5510
35	O	3.3890	4.2180	-2.5100
36	H	4.0380	3.6110	-2.9670
37	H	4.5840	3.7150	0.8310
38	O	3.8260	3.3130	0.3160
39	H	3.0010	3.8600	0.4530
40	H	4.6960	-0.8180	-3.8670
41	O	5.6600	-0.5710	-3.9740
42	H	6.1330	-0.6870	-3.1020

43	H	1.5390	3.1370	-3.0890
44	O	1.9900	2.2920	-3.3770
45	H	1.3280	1.5430	-3.3750

**AJ6:** 6 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3769	0.5116	-0.4337
3	C	2.4809	-0.5550	-0.3473
4	C	3.8813	0.0646	-0.5175
5	C	5.0199	-0.9301	-0.2415
6	C	6.4056	-0.2649	-0.2326
7	C	7.5245	-1.2897	0.0166
8	C	7.4235	-1.9576	1.3755
9	O	7.9133	-3.2095	1.3627
10	H	7.7435	-3.5085	2.2722
11	O	6.9619	-1.4931	2.3860
12	H	8.5218	-0.7928	-0.0339
13	H	7.4979	-2.0587	-0.7908
14	H	6.4437	0.5293	0.5509
15	H	6.5799	0.2363	-1.2148
16	H	5.0107	-1.7391	-1.0081
17	H	4.8364	-1.4150	0.7436
18	H	3.9797	0.9093	0.2043
19	H	3.9974	0.5052	-1.5358
20	S	2.1886	-1.8394	-1.6208
21	H	2.4284	-1.0748	-2.7002
22	H	2.4294	-1.0261	0.6604
23	H	1.6247	1.3595	0.2459
24	H	1.3161	0.9461	-1.4593
25	S	-1.1031	1.4074	0.0461
26	H	-1.4233	1.9571	1.2249
27	O	-1.3619	2.3037	-1.4343
28	H	-0.8357	1.9172	-2.1129
29	H	-0.4093	-0.7474	-0.7166
30	H	0.0441	-0.4604	1.0142
31	H	4.2106	0.3396	-4.6566
32	O	3.3677	0.7205	-4.4780
33	H	3.2088	1.3166	-5.1889
34	H	5.1968	-1.6614	3.5587
35	O	4.6340	-0.9450	3.3270
36	H	5.2129	-0.3526	2.8797
37	H	2.6906	-1.3375	2.9939

38	O	2.2292	-0.5567	3.2506
39	H	2.9491	-0.0654	3.6115
40	H	2.6356	-3.3816	0.4673
41	O	3.3823	-3.8032	0.8586
42	H	3.2476	-3.6241	1.7737
43	H	1.2002	-1.9719	2.5206
44	O	1.5627	-2.8243	2.3415
45	H	1.0362	-3.4150	2.8493
46	H	2.0690	1.3846	3.2354
47	O	2.7376	1.8392	2.7510
48	H	2.5193	1.1152	2.1902

**AJ7: 7 water**

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3700	0.6220	-0.1930
3	C	2.4750	-0.4240	-0.3540
4	C	3.8630	0.2150	-0.3630
5	C	4.9870	-0.8280	-0.3030
6	C	6.3630	-0.1520	-0.2410
7	C	7.5020	-1.1750	-0.1690
8	C	7.5790	-1.8150	1.1840
9	O	7.9940	-3.1250	1.0490
10	H	8.0790	-3.5960	1.9190
11	O	7.3640	-1.3730	2.2870
12	H	8.4770	-0.6830	-0.3820
13	H	7.3890	-1.9520	-0.9580
14	H	6.4160	0.5260	0.6380
15	H	6.5100	0.4910	-1.1320
16	H	4.9340	-1.4980	-1.1860
17	H	4.8500	-1.4820	0.5810
18	H	3.9550	0.8990	0.5080
19	H	3.9920	0.8610	-1.2530
20	S	2.2200	-1.3770	-1.9010
21	H	2.1240	-0.3630	-2.7860
22	H	2.4050	-1.1860	0.4620
23	H	1.6180	1.2740	0.6720
24	H	1.3480	1.3120	-1.0700
25	S	-1.3310	1.3170	-0.0150
26	H	-0.7530	2.2560	0.7660
27	O	-0.7560	2.1730	-1.4440
28	H	-1.3100	1.8580	-2.1780
29	H	-0.2610	-0.7090	-0.8050

30	H	-0.1000	-0.5310	0.9600
31	H	4.4650	-3.7950	-0.2880
32	O	3.7030	-3.1630	-0.4340
33	H	2.9260	-3.6600	-0.8180
34	H	3.2320	1.9210	2.4410
35	O	2.9200	0.9710	2.4620
36	H	3.6640	0.3830	2.7760
37	H	5.2660	4.0600	1.6910
38	O	5.8370	3.2410	1.6250
39	H	5.2550	2.4330	1.5530
40	H	-0.0460	0.5090	3.0810
41	O	0.7940	0.1590	3.4950
42	H	0.9060	-0.8060	3.2580
43	H	1.4270	3.0680	2.9470
44	O	0.8170	2.9260	2.1680
45	H	1.1540	3.4430	1.3820
46	H	4.4390	-1.2450	4.5290
47	O	3.7110	-0.6200	4.8120
48	H	2.8610	-0.8650	4.3460
49	H	5.0140	0.1420	-3.6970
50	O	4.0330	0.3170	-3.7790
51	H	3.8260	1.2290	-3.4270

**AJ8:** 8 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.4391	0.5266	0.0508
3	C	2.4862	-0.5992	0.0100
4	C	3.9242	-0.1120	0.2710
5	C	4.9314	-1.2726	0.3698
6	C	6.2331	-0.8826	1.0850
7	C	7.2182	-2.0602	1.2030
8	C	6.7937	-3.1671	2.1595
9	O	7.8150	-3.9857	2.4866
10	H	7.3895	-4.6214	3.0840
11	O	5.7068	-3.3646	2.6350
12	H	8.1987	-1.6579	1.5532
13	H	7.3629	-2.5014	0.1882
14	H	6.0120	-0.4790	2.1022
15	H	6.7056	-0.0570	0.4992
16	H	5.1725	-1.6415	-0.6541
17	H	4.4650	-2.1221	0.9148
18	H	3.9302	0.4473	1.2352

19	H	4.2512	0.6163	-0.5088
20	S	2.4002	-1.4754	-1.5984
21	H	2.7542	-0.4498	-2.3930
22	H	2.2267	-1.3129	0.8249
23	H	1.5351	1.0873	1.0095
24	H	1.5982	1.2713	-0.7651
25	S	-1.0918	1.3373	0.4669
26	H	-1.3617	1.5535	1.7616
27	O	-1.4777	2.5577	-0.7257
28	H	-2.3448	2.3928	-1.0557
29	H	-0.2756	-0.3527	-1.0200
30	H	-0.1512	-0.8406	0.7159
31	H	2.4629	-3.0313	5.2456
32	O	1.6605	-2.7438	4.8374
33	H	1.3715	-3.4952	4.3506
34	H	2.5709	-0.4528	3.2596
35	O	3.2789	-1.0315	3.4665
36	H	2.9657	-1.4531	4.2488
37	H	3.8649	-3.2759	-2.3773
38	O	4.4222	-3.4400	-3.1192
39	H	4.0864	-4.2307	-3.4992
40	H	1.4423	-4.4493	1.2971
41	O	1.3343	-4.0829	0.4360
42	H	2.0813	-3.5099	0.3864
43	H	3.5946	-3.9083	2.8054
44	O	2.8032	-3.6388	2.3684
45	H	2.6983	-2.7461	2.6450
46	H	3.1565	1.0900	3.8208
47	O	2.2360	1.3029	3.7900
48	H	2.2019	2.2216	3.5873
49	H	4.3933	-2.4129	3.9771
50	O	4.2521	-3.0531	4.6571
51	H	5.0838	-3.4910	4.7090
52	H	5.5277	-1.8980	-2.7628
53	O	5.5933	-1.3165	-3.5003
54	H	5.1080	-1.8072	-4.1404

### AJ9: 9 water

NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3700	0.6220	-0.1930
3	C	2.4750	-0.4240	-0.3540
4	C	3.8630	0.2150	-0.3630

5	C	4.9870	-0.8280	-0.3030
6	C	6.3630	-0.1520	-0.2410
7	C	7.5020	-1.1750	-0.1690
8	C	7.5790	-1.8150	1.1840
9	O	7.9940	-3.1250	1.0490
10	H	8.0790	-3.5960	1.9190
11	O	7.3640	-1.3730	2.2870
12	H	8.4770	-0.6830	-0.3820
13	H	7.3890	-1.9520	-0.9580
14	H	6.4160	0.5260	0.6380
15	H	6.5100	0.4910	-1.1320
16	H	4.9340	-1.4980	-1.1860
17	H	4.8500	-1.4820	0.5810
18	H	3.9550	0.8990	0.5080
19	H	3.9920	0.8610	-1.2530
20	S	2.2200	-1.3770	-1.9010
21	H	2.1240	-0.3630	-2.7860
22	H	2.4050	-1.1860	0.4620
23	H	1.6180	1.2740	0.6720
24	H	1.3480	1.3120	-1.0700
25	S	-1.3310	1.3170	-0.0150
26	H	-0.7530	2.2560	0.7660
27	O	-0.7560	2.1730	-1.4440
28	H	-1.3100	1.8580	-2.1780
29	H	-0.2610	-0.7090	-0.8050
30	H	-0.1000	-0.5310	0.9600
31	H	1.8070	-2.8810	3.4690
32	O	2.8060	-2.9330	3.4300
33	H	3.0810	-3.4990	2.6540
34	H	1.2830	0.1630	2.5360
35	O	0.9420	1.0780	2.7520
36	H	-0.0520	1.0500	2.8480
37	H	5.0000	3.4580	-0.9150
38	O	5.1530	4.0690	-0.1380
39	H	4.3780	4.6920	-0.0450
40	H	1.3060	-1.6630	-4.4420
41	O	2.3030	-1.7130	-4.5090
42	H	2.6350	-0.9720	-5.0910
43	H	0.2180	-3.0510	-0.3440
44	O	0.5640	-3.1740	0.5860
45	H	1.5130	-3.4860	0.5510
46	H	2.1310	0.5820	4.5180
47	O	2.7420	1.2310	4.0640
48	H	2.3300	2.1410	4.0750
49	H	3.5560	-1.2720	4.7660
50	O	3.9610	-0.5990	4.1470

51	H	3.5680	-0.7060	3.2340
52	H	3.8600	1.6130	-3.8610
53	O	4.1900	0.7670	-4.2800
54	H	4.6460	0.2070	-3.5890
55	H	3.0850	2.4700	1.7770
56	O	3.8000	2.2850	2.4520
57	H	4.6950	2.3260	2.0100

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NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3700	0.6220	-0.1930
3	C	2.4750	-0.4240	-0.3540
4	C	3.8630	0.2150	-0.3630
5	C	4.9870	-0.8280	-0.3030
6	C	6.3630	-0.1520	-0.2410
7	C	7.5020	-1.1750	-0.1690
8	C	7.5790	-1.8150	1.1840
9	O	7.9940	-3.1250	1.0490
10	H	8.0790	-3.5960	1.9190
11	O	7.3640	-1.3730	2.2870
12	H	8.4770	-0.6830	-0.3820
13	H	7.3890	-1.9520	-0.9580
14	H	6.4160	0.5260	0.6380
15	H	6.5100	0.4910	-1.1320
16	H	4.9340	-1.4980	-1.1860
17	H	4.8500	-1.4820	0.5810
18	H	3.9550	0.8990	0.5080
19	H	3.9920	0.8610	-1.2530
20	S	2.2200	-1.3770	-1.9010
21	H	2.1240	-0.3630	-2.7860
22	H	2.4050	-1.1860	0.4620
23	H	1.6180	1.2740	0.6720
24	H	1.3480	1.3120	-1.0700
25	S	-1.3310	1.3170	-0.0150
26	H	-0.7530	2.2560	0.7660
27	O	-0.7560	2.1730	-1.4440
28	H	-1.3100	1.8580	-2.1780
29	H	-0.2610	-0.7090	-0.8050
30	H	-0.1000	-0.5310	0.9600
31	H	1.9940	-0.2630	4.1780
32	O	2.3530	-0.0800	3.2620
33	H	3.2800	0.2850	3.3340

34	H	4.8610	-2.5600	2.5420
35	O	3.9060	-2.6100	2.2490
36	H	3.4920	-1.7020	2.3000
37	H	1.2550	-3.6040	2.5860
38	O	0.7400	-2.7470	2.5660
39	H	1.3750	-1.9750	2.5590
40	H	5.7470	2.8360	-2.1930
41	O	5.3170	2.7130	-3.0880
42	H	4.7090	1.9210	-3.0600
43	H	-0.4230	0.9760	2.5280
44	O	0.2230	0.4430	3.0750
45	H	-0.1240	-0.4870	3.1880
46	H	4.1810	2.2760	4.0780
47	O	3.4270	2.4780	3.4530
48	H	3.7850	2.6100	2.5290
49	H	3.8240	-1.3490	4.7000
50	O	3.7530	-2.3080	4.4240
51	H	2.8000	-2.5260	4.2160
52	H	4.7840	-1.9460	-3.4360
53	O	4.0800	-2.5270	-3.0270
54	H	4.1510	-3.4510	-3.4000
55	H	1.7730	-4.0840	0.5010
56	O	0.8660	-3.6680	0.4220
57	H	0.4540	-3.9300	-0.4500
58	H	1.8230	3.6060	2.3780
59	O	1.5040	2.6580	2.3670
60	H	1.2350	2.3860	3.2910

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NO.	ATOM	X	Y	Z
1	C	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
2	C	1.3591	0.6915	-0.1575
3	C	2.5402	-0.2894	-0.2810
4	C	3.9090	0.3955	-0.1300
5	C	5.0657	-0.5838	0.1358
6	C	6.3609	0.1549	0.5215
7	C	7.3971	-0.7749	1.1721
8	C	6.9987	-1.2278	2.5629
9	O	7.4167	-2.4733	2.8396
10	H	6.9054	-2.6698	3.6389
11	O	6.3213	-0.6373	3.3707
12	H	8.3677	-0.2437	1.3050
13	H	7.5659	-1.6420	0.4889

14	H	6.1345	0.9911	1.2253
15	H	6.7964	0.6223	-0.3941
16	H	5.2323	-1.2423	-0.7448
17	H	4.7876	-1.2860	0.9494
18	H	3.8433	1.0715	0.7504
19	H	4.1433	1.0406	-1.0087
20	S	2.4732	-1.1537	-1.8972
21	H	2.4600	-0.0777	-2.7040
22	H	2.4471	-1.0349	0.5391
23	H	1.4836	1.3271	0.7499
24	H	1.3277	1.3928	-1.0239
25	S	-1.2461	1.2541	0.2842
26	H	-1.4468	1.7342	1.5191
27	O	-2.0738	1.9858	-1.0759
28	H	-2.1328	1.3521	-1.7695
29	H	-0.2744	-0.5820	-0.9083
30	H	-0.0002	-0.6886	0.8755
31	H	4.6812	-1.6899	4.3996
32	O	5.1158	-1.8371	5.2220
33	H	5.9247	-2.2021	4.9098
34	H	3.1255	-3.5880	0.7860
35	O	3.4068	-4.2119	1.4396
36	H	3.1785	-3.7859	2.2537
37	H	2.1321	-4.7034	0.0136
38	O	1.5483	-4.0555	-0.3385
39	H	1.9482	-3.8944	-1.1775
40	H	4.9990	1.9096	4.4009
41	O	4.6491	1.7713	3.5373
42	H	4.8238	0.8637	3.3580
43	H	6.6493	1.5450	3.2257
44	O	7.5401	1.6415	3.5221
45	H	7.5324	1.0856	4.2836
46	H	6.4851	-0.1372	5.5701
47	O	5.9315	0.6173	5.4707
48	H	5.1985	0.2268	5.0163
49	H	4.1081	3.6888	2.3540
50	O	3.3976	3.2623	1.9061
51	H	3.5206	2.3640	2.1612
52	H	1.4461	-3.7690	1.7047
53	O	1.4603	-2.8349	1.8558
54	H	1.1041	-2.5189	1.0452
55	H	1.8711	-3.1155	3.6040
56	O	2.3393	-3.7277	4.1426
57	H	2.2696	-3.2864	4.9721
58	H	4.3494	-3.5875	4.0267
59	O	4.8697	-3.2555	3.3160

60	H	4.8395	-3.9395	2.6742
61	H	1.8504	-0.5830	5.0733
62	O	1.7695	-1.3528	4.5358
63	H	1.3670	-0.9897	3.7633
64	H	5.0349	0.9943	-3.2542
65	O	5.8821	0.5900	-3.3123
66	H	6.4312	1.2096	-3.7609
67	H	2.8776	0.7028	3.8946
68	O	2.0002	0.8880	3.5904
69	H	2.0875	1.7665	3.2662
70	H	4.3841	-4.2862	-1.8345
71	O	3.9191	-4.1483	-1.0286
72	H	4.5767	-4.3468	-0.3825
73	H	4.1107	0.3662	6.4602
74	O	3.4456	0.1850	5.8173
75	H	3.6453	-0.6854	5.5078
76	H	4.3366	-2.6212	-2.6075
77	O	4.6753	-3.1333	-3.3250
78	H	5.5405	-3.3733	-3.0308
79	H	6.8399	-0.8530	-2.7234
80	O	6.5916	-1.7528	-2.8245
81	H	5.9569	-1.6948	-3.5201
82	H	-0.2074	-3.9211	-1.2887
83	O	-0.0771	-3.2225	-1.9067
84	H	0.5809	-2.6935	-1.4870
85	H	2.9658	-1.0118	3.0972
86	O	3.8341	-0.6534	3.0595
87	H	4.3652	-1.3507	2.7280
88	H	6.5985	-3.1203	-1.4051
89	O	6.3930	-4.0349	-1.3113
90	H	7.2050	-4.4794	-1.4851

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