

Supporting Information: Wavelet Formulation of the Polarizable Continuum Model. II. Use of Piecewise Bilinear Boundary Elements

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Table 1 Effect of the *a priori* matrix compression parameters a and d' on the nuclear and electronic polarization energies for benzene. Results were obtained at the Hartree–Fock level of theory either using a 6-31G or a large 6-311++G** basis set. The *piecewise constant* wavelet basis was used in the Galerkin discretization of the PCM integral operators. The *a posteriori* compression parameter was kept fixed: $b = 0.01$. All the energies reported are differences, expressed in Hartrees, with respect to the case where $a = 5.0$, $d' = 2.0$, which amounts to the least possible compression of the system matrix.

U_{NN}																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{NN} = -177.78742$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{NN} = -177.58462$)									
d'	a									d'	a								
	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0		1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	-2.01683	-1.52007	-1.19176	-0.90291	-0.60387	-0.39828	-0.29368	-0.23546	-0.19501	1.00	-0.89184	-0.38619	-0.27182	-0.21505	-0.21505	-0.21081	-0.20930	-0.20862	-0.20811
1.25	-1.74969	-1.31545	-0.93590	-0.59630	-0.35024	-0.23789	-0.17417	-0.13683	-0.11222	1.25	-0.32360	-0.20393	-0.17405	-0.16998	-0.16998	-0.16985	-0.16984	-0.16987	-0.16987
1.50	-1.53315	-1.07294	-0.65282	-0.33823	-0.20464	-0.13446	-0.09710	-0.07514	-0.06245	1.50	-0.03760	-0.00826	-0.00378	-0.00284	-0.00284	-0.00289	-0.00289	-0.00291	-0.00291
1.75	-1.33195	-0.83788	-0.37523	-0.18988	-0.10830	-0.06940	-0.04840	-0.03627	-0.02688	1.75	-0.01587	-0.00648	-0.00343	-0.00208	-0.00208	-0.00212	-0.00212	-0.00214	-0.00214
2.00	-1.14073	-0.53082	-0.20162	-0.09547	-0.05035	-0.02875	-0.01558	-0.00543	0.00000	2.00	-0.01114	-0.00444	-0.00145	0.00004	0.00004	0.00002	0.00002	0.00000	0.00000
$U_{ee}, 6-31G$																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{ee} = -177.97910$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{ee} = -177.77267$)									
d'	a									d'	a								
	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0		1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	-2.04062	-1.52926	-1.19175	-0.89847	-0.60002	-0.39574	-0.29204	-0.23429	-0.19432	1.00	-0.88603	-0.38404	-0.27132	-0.21583	-0.21583	-0.21173	-0.21027	-0.20962	-0.20913
1.25	-1.76760	-1.31847	-0.93186	-0.59205	-0.34755	-0.23611	-0.17289	-0.13601	-0.11172	1.25	-0.32137	-0.20357	-0.17434	-0.17039	-0.17039	-0.17026	-0.17025	-0.17028	-0.17028
1.50	-1.54471	-1.07110	-0.64816	-0.33532	-0.20276	-0.13318	-0.09628	-0.07464	-0.06219	1.50	-0.03718	-0.00832	-0.00386	-0.00291	-0.00291	-0.00295	-0.00295	-0.00298	-0.00298
1.75	-1.33726	-0.83288	-0.37156	-0.18779	-0.10693	-0.06852	-0.04787	-0.03597	-0.02678	1.75	-0.01594	-0.00653	-0.00348	-0.00213	-0.00213	-0.00216	-0.00216	-0.00218	-0.00218
2.00	-1.14040	-0.52622	-0.19914	-0.09390	-0.04934	-0.02812	-0.01521	-0.00529	0.00000	2.00	-0.01118	-0.00444	-0.00146	0.00004	0.00004	0.00002	0.00002	0.00000	0.00000
$U_{ee}, 6-311++G^{**}$																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{ee} = -177.86253$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{ee} = -177.65611$)									
d'	a									d'	a								
	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0		1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	-2.04013	-1.52867	-1.19108	-0.89776	-0.59936	-0.39529	-0.29177	-0.23411	-0.19419	1.00	-0.88498	-0.38368	-0.27110	-0.23553	-0.21565	-0.21155	-0.21010	-0.20944	-0.20896
1.25	-1.76705	-1.31780	-0.93117	-0.59139	-0.34714	-0.23589	-0.17275	-0.13592	-0.11167	1.25	-0.32105	-0.20341	-0.17419	-0.17119	-0.17023	-0.17011	-0.17010	-0.17012	-0.17012
1.50	-1.54406	-1.07044	-0.64747	-0.33490	-0.20256	-0.13306	-0.09622	-0.07461	-0.06217	1.50	-0.03714	-0.00831	-0.00385	-0.00301	-0.00290	-0.00295	-0.00295	-0.00297	-0.00297
1.75	-1.33661	-0.83218	-0.37108	-0.18759	-0.10683	-0.06848	-0.04786	-0.03597	-0.02678	1.75	-0.01592	-0.00652	-0.00347	-0.00231	-0.00213	-0.00216	-0.00216	-0.00218	-0.00218
2.00	-1.13972	-0.52558	-0.19890	-0.09381	-0.04931	-0.02812	-0.01521	-0.00530	0.00000	2.00	-0.01116	-0.00443	-0.00146	-0.00017	0.00004	0.00002	0.00002	0.00000	0.00000

Table 2 Effect of the *a priori* system matrix compression parameters a and d' on the nuclear and electronic polarization energies for benzene. Results were obtained at the Hartree–Fock level of theory either using a 6-31G or a large 6-311++G** basis set. The *piecewise constant* wavelet basis was used in the Galerkin discretization of the PCM integral operators. The *a posteriori* compression parameter was kept fixed: $b = 0.001$. All the energies reported are differences, expressed in Hartrees, with respect to the case where $a = 5.0, d' = 2.0$, which amounts to the least possible compression of the system matrix.

U_{NN}																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{\text{NN}} = -177.77332$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{\text{NN}} = -177.58260$)									
a										a									
d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	-1.99961	-1.49121	-1.15070	-0.86156	-0.56608	-0.36260	-0.25206	-0.19168	-0.14984	1.00	-0.88938	-0.38187	-0.26650	-0.22942	-0.20906	-0.20503	-0.20387	-0.20350	-0.20321
1.25	-1.73447	-1.29193	-0.91051	-0.57528	-0.33388	-0.21840	-0.15364	-0.11646	-0.09295	1.25	-0.32458	-0.20432	-0.17390	-0.16945	-0.16750	-0.16730	-0.16734	-0.16743	-0.16746
1.50	-1.51957	-1.05509	-0.64213	-0.33219	-0.19658	-0.12498	-0.08765	-0.06629	-0.05419	1.50	-0.03887	-0.00936	-0.00422	-0.00182	-0.00053	-0.00022	-0.00009	-0.00008	-0.00007
1.75	-1.32193	-0.83138	-0.37897	-0.19029	-0.10589	-0.06581	-0.04498	-0.03314	-0.02376	1.75	-0.01710	-0.00763	-0.00428	-0.00213	-0.00126	-0.00108	-0.00099	-0.00099	-0.00099
2.00	-1.13316	-0.53598	-0.20974	-0.09882	-0.05039	-0.02813	-0.01498	-0.00516	0.00000	2.00	-0.01234	-0.00568	-0.00250	-0.00073	-0.00016	-0.00005	0.00001	0.00000	0.00000
$U_{\text{ee}}, 6\text{-}31\text{G}$																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{\text{ee}} = -177.96507$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{\text{ee}} = -177.77069$)									
a										a									
d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	-2.02352	-1.50086	-1.15115	-0.85755	-0.56249	-0.36004	-0.25020	-0.19024	-0.14884	1.00	-0.88360	-0.37976	-0.26604	-0.22971	-0.20982	-0.20590	-0.20478	-0.20443	-0.20414
1.25	-1.75263	-1.29546	-0.90708	-0.57142	-0.33133	-0.21661	-0.15231	-0.11556	-0.09236	1.25	-0.32235	-0.20396	-0.17419	-0.16982	-0.16789	-0.16767	-0.16771	-0.16779	-0.16781
1.50	-1.53144	-1.05381	-0.63792	-0.32947	-0.19478	-0.12372	-0.08684	-0.06579	-0.05392	1.50	-0.03845	-0.00941	-0.00430	-0.00190	-0.00060	-0.00029	-0.00016	-0.00015	-0.00014
1.75	-1.32758	-0.82693	-0.37550	-0.18832	-0.10459	-0.06498	-0.04448	-0.03286	-0.02366	1.75	-0.01717	-0.00767	-0.00432	-0.00217	-0.00131	-0.00112	-0.00103	-0.00103	-0.00102
2.00	-1.13320	-0.53171	-0.20737	-0.09735	-0.04946	-0.02756	-0.01465	-0.00504	0.00000	2.00	-0.01238	-0.00567	-0.00251	-0.00074	-0.00017	-0.00006	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
$U_{\text{ee}}, 6\text{-}311++\text{G}^{**}$																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{\text{ee}} = -177.84853$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{\text{ee}} = -177.65413$)									
a										a									
d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	-2.02302	-1.50027	-1.15051	-0.85689	-0.56189	-0.35965	-0.24997	-0.19011	-0.14875	1.00	-0.88255	-0.37940	-0.26583	-0.22954	-0.20966	-0.20574	-0.20462	-0.20427	-0.20398
1.25	-1.75207	-1.29480	-0.90642	-0.57080	-0.33096	-0.21642	-0.15220	-0.11549	-0.09233	1.25	-0.32202	-0.20379	-0.17404	-0.16967	-0.16775	-0.16753	-0.16756	-0.16764	-0.16767
1.50	-1.53078	-1.05316	-0.63726	-0.32907	-0.19460	-0.12363	-0.08680	-0.06577	-0.05391	1.50	-0.03840	-0.00939	-0.00429	-0.00189	-0.00060	-0.00029	-0.00016	-0.00015	-0.00014
1.75	-1.32692	-0.82623	-0.37503	-0.18813	-0.10451	-0.06495	-0.04447	-0.03286	-0.02366	1.75	-0.01714	-0.00766	-0.00431	-0.00217	-0.00131	-0.00113	-0.00103	-0.00103	-0.00103
2.00	-1.13251	-0.53107	-0.20712	-0.09726	-0.04943	-0.02756	-0.01465	-0.00505	0.00000	2.00	-0.01235	-0.00566	-0.00250	-0.00074	-0.00017	-0.00006	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000

Table 3 Effect of the *a priori* matrix compression parameters a and d' on the static isotropic polarizability for benzene. Results were obtained at the Hartree–Fock level of theory either using a 6-31G or a large 6-311++G** basis set. The *piecewise constant* wavelet basis was used in the Galerkin discretization of the PCM integral operators. The *a posteriori* compression parameter was kept fixed: $b = 0.01$. All the values reported are differences, expressed in a_0^3 , with respect to the case where $a = 5.0$, $d' = 3.0$, which amounts to the least possible compression of the system matrix.

$\alpha_{\text{iso}}, 6\text{-31G}$																			
Patch level 2 ($\alpha_{\text{iso}} = 76.72553$)										Patch level 3 ($\alpha_{\text{iso}} = 76.67398$)									
d'	a									d'	a								
	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0		1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	1.56827	1.07276	0.73880	0.49459	0.31394	0.20132	0.13983	0.10439	0.08436	1.00	0.42493	0.13616	0.07002	0.05090	0.04358	0.04209	0.04184	0.04182	0.04193
1.25	1.33327	0.85339	0.54138	0.31316	0.18004	0.11576	0.08155	0.06059	0.04764	1.25	0.09598	0.03795	0.02795	0.02730	0.02736	0.02740	0.02740	0.02741	0.02741
1.50	1.13449	0.65281	0.35296	0.17752	0.10108	0.06507	0.04442	0.03238	0.02567	1.50	0.00657	0.00020	0.00010	0.00005	0.00005	0.00005	0.00005	0.00005	0.00005
1.75	0.91751	0.45933	0.20045	0.09650	0.05391	0.03192	0.02073	0.01450	0.01048	1.75	0.00062	0.00022	0.00009	0.00003	0.00002	0.00002	0.00002	0.00002	0.00002
2.00	0.71360	0.28199	0.10680	0.04849	0.02295	0.01159	0.00531	0.00170	0.00000	2.00	0.00075	0.00019	0.00007	0.00002	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
$\alpha_{\text{iso}}, 6\text{-311++G**}$																			
Patch level 2 ($\alpha_{\text{iso}} = 99.15263$)										Patch level 3 ($\alpha_{\text{iso}} = 99.08674$)									
d'	a									d'	a								
	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0		1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	2.18743	1.48615	1.01435	0.67360	0.42714	0.27293	0.18926	0.14263	0.11596	1.00	0.55107	0.17256	0.08854	0.06434	0.05544	0.05360	0.05323	0.05318	0.05329
1.25	1.84849	1.17610	0.73558	0.42432	0.24230	0.15522	0.11028	0.08297	0.06634	1.25	0.11746	0.04256	0.02995	0.02905	0.02907	0.02911	0.02912	0.02912	0.02912
1.50	1.57496	0.89037	0.47681	0.23731	0.13414	0.08690	0.06020	0.04491	0.03623	1.50	0.00998	0.00097	0.00045	0.00025	0.00022	0.00023	0.00023	0.00023	0.00023
1.75	1.26563	0.62078	0.26751	0.12629	0.07042	0.04221	0.02799	0.01989	0.01499	1.75	0.00224	0.00077	0.00028	0.00005	0.00001	0.00001	0.00001	0.00001	0.00001
2.00	0.97584	0.37789	0.13835	0.06159	0.02882	0.01430	0.00632	0.00199	0.00000	2.00	0.00223	0.00073	0.00027	0.00006	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000

Table 4 Effect of the *a priori* matrix compression parameters a and d' on the static isotropic polarizability for benzene. Results were obtained at the Hartree–Fock level of theory either using a 6-31G or a large 6-311++G** basis set. The *piecewise constant* wavelet basis was used in the Galerkin discretization of the PCM integral operators. The *a posteriori* compression parameter was kept fixed: $b = 0.001$. All the values reported are differences, expressed in a_0^3 , with respect to the case where $a = 5.0, d' = 3.0$, which amounts to the least possible compression of the system matrix.

$\alpha_{\text{iso}}, 6\text{-}31\text{G}$																			
Patch level 2 ($\alpha_{\text{iso}} = 76.72438$)										Patch level 3 ($\alpha_{\text{iso}} = 76.67395$)									
a										a									
d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	1.58092	1.09268	0.75677	0.50759	0.32050	0.20322	0.13864	0.10037	0.07875	1.00	0.42590	0.13633	0.06962	0.05046	0.04321	0.04174	0.04152	0.04150	0.04160
1.25	1.34555	0.86973	0.55476	0.32062	0.18302	0.11610	0.08049	0.05865	0.04528	1.25	0.09613	0.03789	0.02786	0.02716	0.02721	0.02721	0.02721	0.02721	0.02720
1.50	1.14518	0.66576	0.36187	0.18113	0.10212	0.06509	0.04386	0.03151	0.02466	1.50	0.00657	0.00020	0.00006	0.00001	-0.00003	-0.00006	-0.00006	-0.00006	-0.00006
1.75	0.92647	0.46863	0.20533	0.09801	0.05417	0.03183	0.02050	0.01420	0.01021	1.75	0.00063	0.00023	0.00011	0.00005	0.00001	-0.00001	-0.00001	0.00000	0.00000
2.00	0.72069	0.28767	0.10920	0.04908	0.02315	0.01165	0.00534	0.00170	0.00000	2.00	0.00076	0.00020	0.00009	0.00003	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
$\alpha_{\text{iso}}, 6\text{-}311++\text{G}^{**}$																			
Patch level 2 ($\alpha_{\text{iso}} = 99.14895$)										Patch level 3 ($\alpha_{\text{iso}} = 99.08655$)									
a										a									
d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
1.00	2.20332	1.50962	1.03355	0.68626	0.43148	0.27189	0.18494	0.13504	0.10672	1.00	0.55214	0.17250	0.08759	0.06312	0.05411	0.05220	0.05186	0.05180	0.05191
1.25	1.86404	1.19436	0.74963	0.43082	0.24359	0.15369	0.10722	0.07908	0.06208	1.25	0.11772	0.04255	0.02973	0.02855	0.02838	0.02833	0.02832	0.02832	0.02832
1.50	1.58784	0.90484	0.48610	0.24028	0.13420	0.08582	0.05857	0.04303	0.03427	1.50	0.01009	0.00108	0.00047	0.00020	0.00002	-0.00006	-0.00008	-0.00010	-0.00010
1.75	1.27581	0.63110	0.27290	0.12755	0.07013	0.04162	0.02732	0.01923	0.01438	1.75	0.00238	0.00092	0.00046	0.00020	0.00004	-0.00001	-0.00004	-0.00005	-0.00006
2.00	0.98393	0.38454	0.14155	0.06221	0.02899	0.01435	0.00638	0.00199	0.00000	2.00	0.00235	0.00089	0.00043	0.00019	0.00007	0.00003	0.00001	0.00000	0.00000

Table 5 Effect of the *a priori* system matrix compression parameters a and d' on the nuclear and electronic polarization energies for benzene. Results were obtained at the Hartree–Fock level of theory either using a 6-31G or a large 6-311++G** basis set. The *piecewise bilinear* wavelet basis was used in the Galerkin discretization of the PCM integral operators. The *a posteriori* compression parameter was kept fixed: $b = 0.01$. All the energies reported are differences, expressed in Hartrees, with respect to the case where $a = 5.0, d' = 3.0$, which amounts to the least possible compression of the system matrix.

U_{NN}																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{NN} = -177.71475$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{NN} = -177.60140$)									
a										a									
d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
2.00	-0.15413	-0.10463	-0.08439	-0.07606	-0.07353	-0.07325	-0.07324	-0.07324	-0.07324	2.00	-0.03528	-0.01029	-0.00606	-0.00485	-0.00433	-0.00426	-0.00425	-0.00425	-0.00425
2.25	-0.13992	-0.09530	-0.07127	-0.05991	-0.05633	-0.05601	-0.05601	-0.05601	-0.05601	2.25	-0.01662	-0.00614	-0.00410	-0.00339	-0.00332	-0.00331	-0.00330	-0.00330	-0.00330
2.50	-0.13289	-0.08570	-0.05913	-0.04234	-0.03865	-0.03780	-0.03778	-0.03778	-0.03778	2.50	-0.00894	-0.00441	-0.00324	-0.00315	-0.00313	-0.00313	-0.00313	-0.00313	-0.00313
2.75	-0.12640	-0.07690	-0.04574	-0.02521	-0.02012	-0.01928	-0.01925	-0.01925	-0.01925	2.75	-0.00390	-0.00159	-0.00138	-0.00137	-0.00137	-0.00137	-0.00137	-0.00137	-0.00137
3.00	-0.12066	-0.06603	-0.02881	-0.00752	-0.00112	-0.00006	-0.00001	0.00000	0.00000	3.00	-0.00100	-0.00003	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
$U_{ee}, 6-31G$																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{ee} = -177.90179$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{ee} = -177.78866$)									
a										a									
d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
2.00	-0.15310	-0.10398	-0.08395	-0.07576	-0.07324	-0.07296	-0.07295	-0.07295	-0.07295	2.00	-0.03461	-0.01005	-0.00593	-0.00476	-0.00426	-0.00419	-0.00419	-0.00419	-0.00419
2.25	-0.13892	-0.09470	-0.07091	-0.05967	-0.05612	-0.05580	-0.05580	-0.05580	-0.05580	2.25	-0.01625	-0.00601	-0.00402	-0.00335	-0.00328	-0.00327	-0.00326	-0.00326	-0.00326
2.50	-0.13196	-0.08517	-0.05883	-0.04216	-0.03850	-0.03765	-0.03763	-0.03763	-0.03763	2.50	-0.00873	-0.00433	-0.00320	-0.00311	-0.00310	-0.00309	-0.00309	-0.00309	-0.00309
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3.00	-0.11984	-0.06562	-0.02864	-0.00743	-0.00109	-0.00006	-0.00001	0.00000	0.00000	3.00	-0.00096	-0.00002	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
$U_{ee}, 6-311++G^{**}$																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{ee} = -177.78503$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{ee} = -177.67204$)									
a										a									
d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	d'	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
2.00	-0.15290	-0.10386	-0.08387	-0.07568	-0.07317	-0.07289	-0.07289	-0.07289	-0.07289	2.00	-0.03454	-0.01004	-0.00593	-0.00476	-0.00426	-0.00420	-0.00419	-0.00419	-0.00419
2.25	-0.13874	-0.09460	-0.07085	-0.05961	-0.05607	-0.05575	-0.05575	-0.05575	-0.05575	2.25	-0.01621	-0.00601	-0.00403	-0.00335	-0.00328	-0.00327	-0.00327	-0.00327	-0.00327
2.50	-0.13179	-0.08508	-0.05878	-0.04212	-0.03847	-0.03762	-0.03760	-0.03760	-0.03760	2.50	-0.00872	-0.00433	-0.00321	-0.00312	-0.00310	-0.00310	-0.00310	-0.00310	-0.00310
2.75	-0.12536	-0.07637	-0.04547	-0.02506	-0.02002	-0.01920	-0.01916	-0.01916	-0.01916	2.75	-0.00375	-0.00153	-0.00134	-0.00132	-0.00132	-0.00132	-0.00132	-0.00132	-0.00132
3.00	-0.11969	-0.06556	-0.02862	-0.00743	-0.00109	-0.00006	-0.00001	0.00000	0.00000	3.00	-0.00096	-0.00002	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000

Table 6 Effect of the *a priori* matrix compression parameters a and d' on the nuclear and electronic polarization energies for benzene. Results were obtained at the Hartree–Fock level of theory either using a 6-31G or a large 6-311++G** basis set. The *piecewise bilinear* wavelet basis was used in the Galerkin discretization of the PCM integral operators. The *a posteriori* compression parameter was kept fixed: $b = 0.001$. All the energies reported are differences, expressed in Hartrees, with respect to the case where $a = 5.0$, $d' = 3.0$, which amounts to the least possible compression of the system matrix.

U_{NN}																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{NN} = -177.60327$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{NN} = -177.60147$)									
d'	a									d'	a								
	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0		1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
2.00	-0.25131	-0.19457	-0.15646	-0.11574	-0.07883	-0.04654	-0.02890	-0.01871	-0.01258	2.00	-0.03519	-0.00998	-0.00555	-0.00416	-0.00346	-0.00334	-0.00331	-0.00331	-0.00330
2.25	-0.23789	-0.18807	-0.14905	-0.10314	-0.06715	-0.03744	-0.02179	-0.01340	-0.00824	2.25	-0.01667	-0.00619	-0.00412	-0.00339	-0.00331	-0.00331	-0.00331	-0.00331	-0.00331
2.50	-0.23186	-0.18119	-0.14052	-0.08947	-0.05442	-0.02885	-0.01603	-0.00853	-0.00476	2.50	-0.00904	-0.00453	-0.00338	-0.00332	-0.00332	-0.00334	-0.00335	-0.00335	-0.00335
2.75	-0.22599	-0.17370	-0.12797	-0.07943	-0.04171	-0.02201	-0.01133	-0.00521	-0.00206	2.75	-0.00400	-0.00173	-0.00154	-0.00156	-0.00158	-0.00160	-0.00161	-0.00161	-0.00161
3.00	-0.22063	-0.16401	-0.11335	-0.06817	-0.03310	-0.01623	-0.00697	-0.00248	0.00000	3.00	-0.00089	0.00006	0.00008	0.00005	0.00002	0.00001	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
$U_{ee, 6-31G}$																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{ee} = -177.79100$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{ee} = -177.78873$)									
d'	a									d'	a								
	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0		1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
2.00	-0.24965	-0.19330	-0.15541	-0.11485	-0.07802	-0.04590	-0.02845	-0.01843	-0.01240	2.00	-0.03451	-0.00975	-0.00543	-0.00409	-0.00342	-0.00330	-0.00327	-0.00327	-0.00326
2.25	-0.23627	-0.18681	-0.14804	-0.10227	-0.06637	-0.03686	-0.02143	-0.01318	-0.00812	2.25	-0.01629	-0.00605	-0.00405	-0.00334	-0.00328	-0.00327	-0.00327	-0.00327	-0.00328
2.50	-0.23032	-0.17999	-0.13953	-0.08862	-0.05372	-0.02837	-0.01575	-0.00838	-0.00469	2.50	-0.00883	-0.00444	-0.00334	-0.00328	-0.00329	-0.00330	-0.00331	-0.00331	-0.00331
2.75	-0.22451	-0.17258	-0.12703	-0.07861	-0.04109	-0.02162	-0.01111	-0.00511	-0.00202	2.75	-0.00386	-0.00166	-0.00148	-0.00150	-0.00153	-0.00154	-0.00155	-0.00155	-0.00155
3.00	-0.21920	-0.16293	-0.11246	-0.06739	-0.03256	-0.01593	-0.00683	-0.00243	0.00000	3.00	-0.00085	0.00006	0.00008	0.00005	0.00002	0.00001	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000
$U_{ee, 6-311++G^{**}}$																			
Patch level 2 ($U_{ee} = -177.67438$)										Patch level 3 ($U_{ee} = -177.67210$)									
d'	a									d'	a								
	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0		1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
2.00	-0.24933	-0.19306	-0.15523	-0.11471	-0.07791	-0.04583	-0.02840	-0.01839	-0.01238	2.00	-0.03445	-0.00973	-0.00542	-0.00409	-0.00342	-0.00330	-0.00327	-0.00327	-0.00326
2.25	-0.23596	-0.18659	-0.14787	-0.10214	-0.06628	-0.03680	-0.02139	-0.01315	-0.00810	2.25	-0.01626	-0.00604	-0.00405	-0.00334	-0.00328	-0.00327	-0.00327	-0.00327	-0.00328
2.50	-0.23002	-0.17978	-0.13937	-0.08850	-0.05364	-0.02832	-0.01572	-0.00836	-0.00468	2.50	-0.00882	-0.00444	-0.00334	-0.00328	-0.00329	-0.00330	-0.00331	-0.00331	-0.00331
2.75	-0.22422	-0.17238	-0.12688	-0.07850	-0.04102	-0.02158	-0.01109	-0.00510	-0.00202	2.75	-0.00385	-0.00166	-0.00148	-0.00150	-0.00153	-0.00154	-0.00155	-0.00155	-0.00155
3.00	-0.21893	-0.16274	-0.11232	-0.06729	-0.03251	-0.01590	-0.00681	-0.00242	0.00000	3.00	-0.00084	0.00006	0.00008	0.00005	0.00002	0.00001	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000

Table 8 Effect of the *a priori* matrix compression parameters a and d' on the static isotropic polarizability for benzene. Results were obtained at the Hartree–Fock level of theory either using a 6-31G or a large 6-311++G** basis set. The *piecewise bilinear* wavelet basis was used in the Galerkin discretization of the PCM integral operators. The *a posteriori* compression parameter was kept fixed: $b = 0.001$. All the values reported are differences, expressed in a_0^3 , with respect to the case where $a = 5.0$, $d' = 3.0$, which amounts to the least possible compression of the system matrix.

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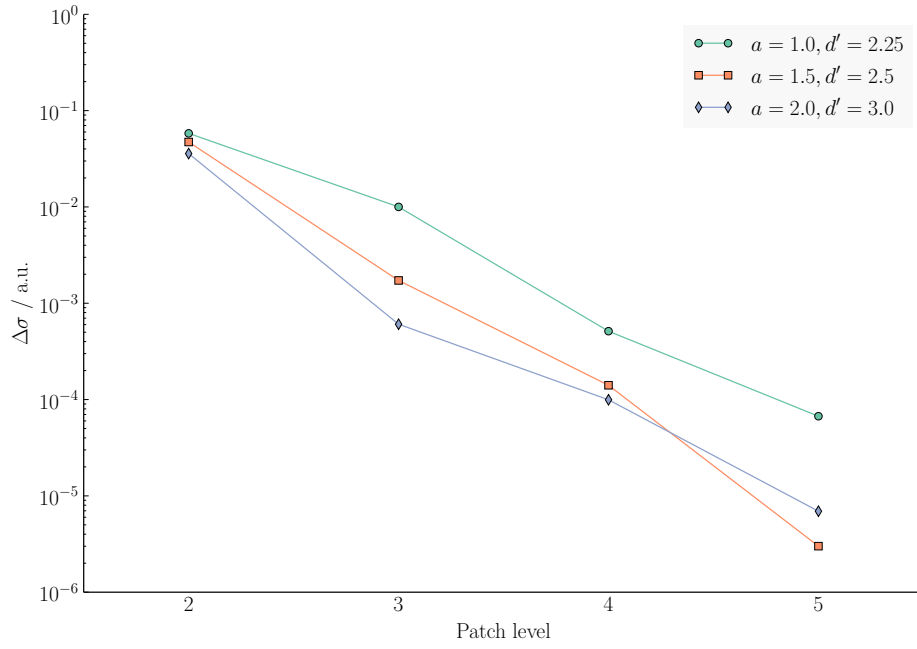


Figure 1 Convergence with respect to the patch level for the piecewise bilinear wavelet Galerkin scheme. Different *a priori* a and d' compression parameters were chosen, while the *a posteriori* compression parameter was fixed to $b = 0.01$. The nuclear charge distribution of the C_8H_{18} molecule was considered. Convergence is estimated with respect to the theoretical surface charge, i.e. the difference with respect to the value obtained by applying Gauss' theorem $\sigma_{\text{exact}} = -\frac{\varepsilon-1}{\varepsilon}Q$, where Q is the total nuclear charge. The axis has a logarithmic scale.

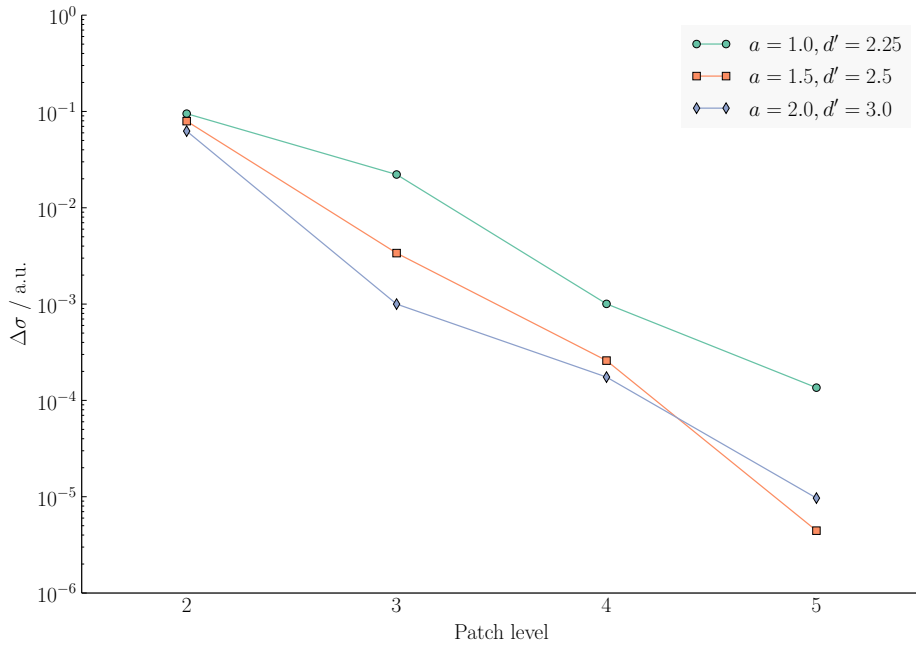


Figure 2 Convergence with respect to the patch level for the piecewise bilinear wavelet Galerkin scheme. Different *a priori* a and d' compression parameters were chosen, while the *a posteriori* compression parameter was fixed to $b = 0.01$. The nuclear charge distribution of the $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{34}$ molecule was considered. Convergence is estimated with respect to the theoretical surface charge, i.e. the difference with respect to the value obtained by applying Gauss' theorem $\sigma_{\text{exact}} = -\frac{\varepsilon-1}{\varepsilon}Q$, where Q is the total nuclear charge. The axis has a logarithmic scale.

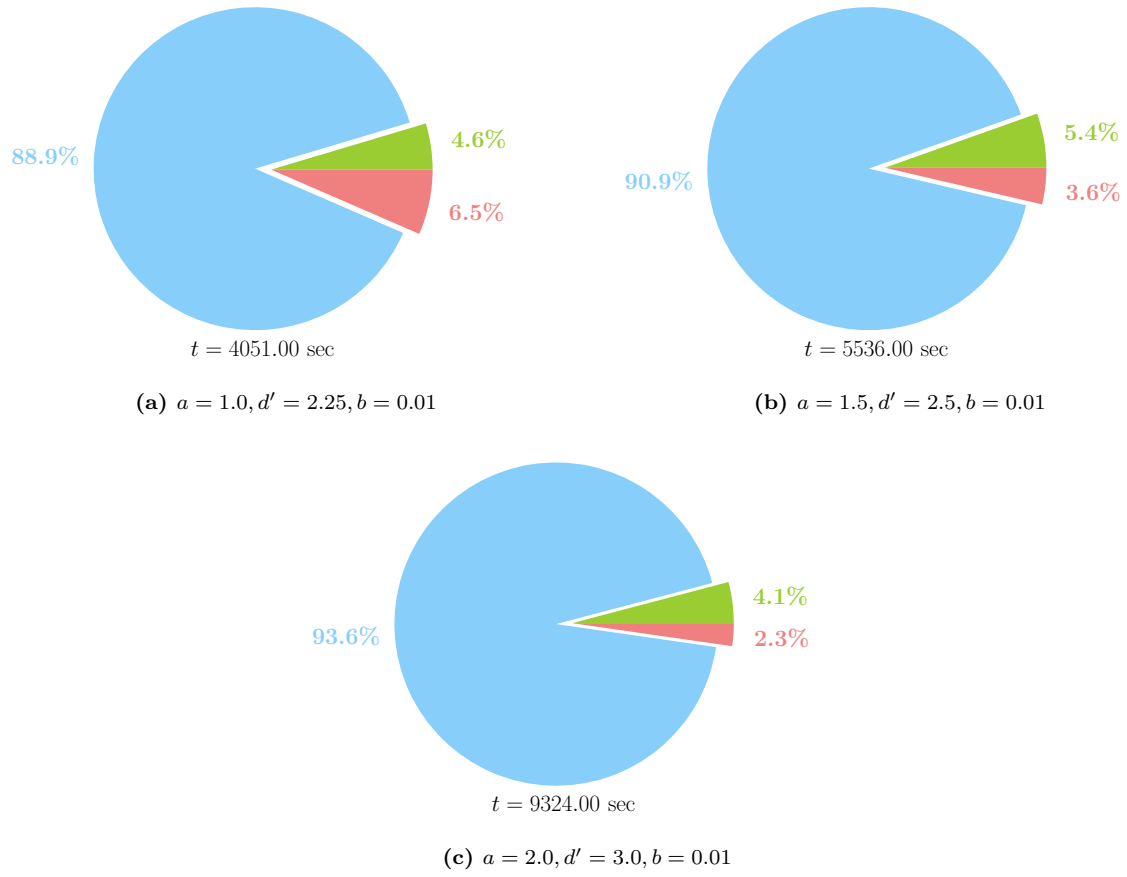


Figure 3 Timings for C_8H_{18} at patch level 5 for different values of the compression parameters. The time portions spent in assembling the system matrix, performing its compression and for the solution of the system of linear equations are reported in blue, green and red, respectively. Total times are reported below each chart.

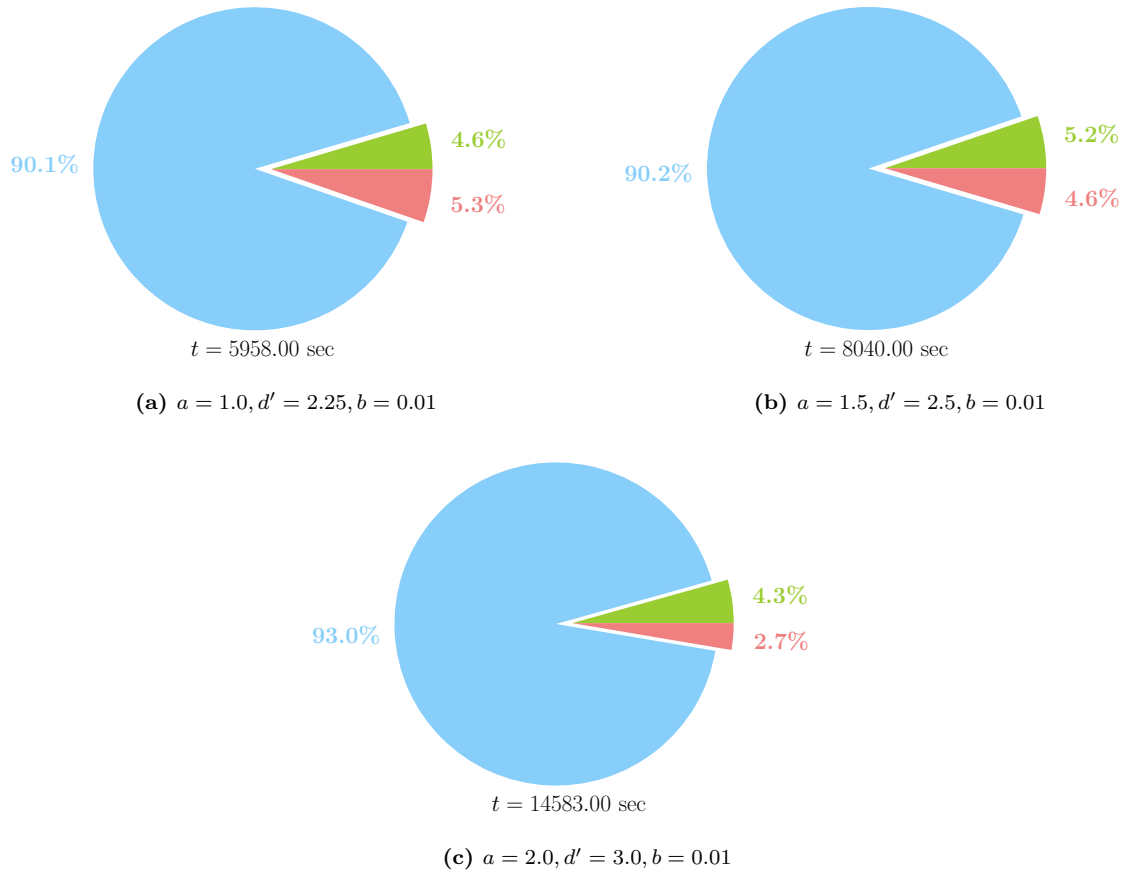
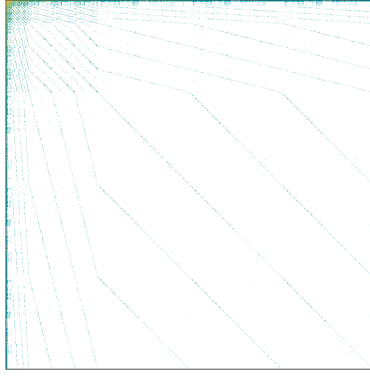
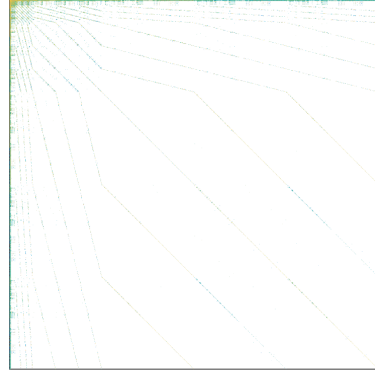


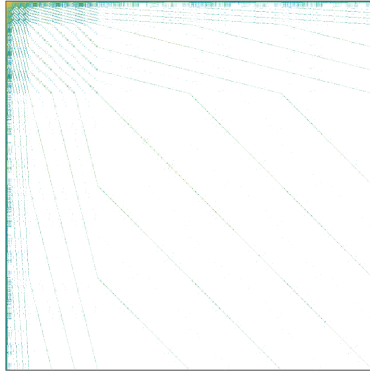
Figure 4 Timings for $C_{32}H_{66}$ at patch level 5 for different values of the compression parameters. The time portions spent in assembling the system matrix, performing its compression and for the solution of the system of linear equations are reported in blue, green and red, respectively. Total times are reported below each chart.



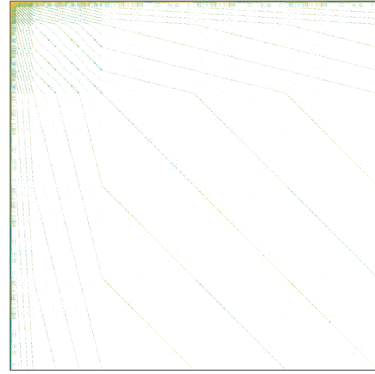
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(b) Double layer operator,
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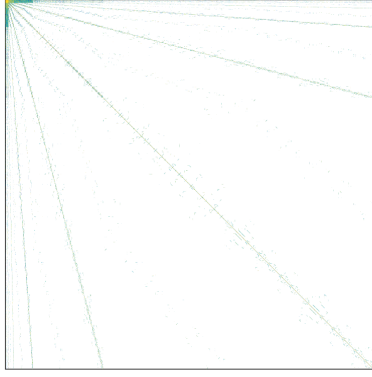


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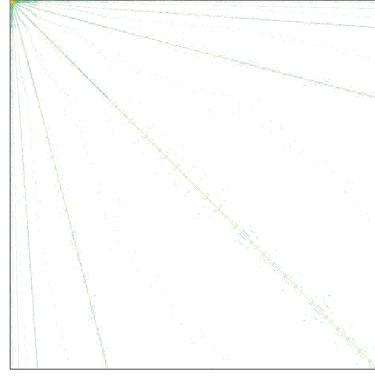


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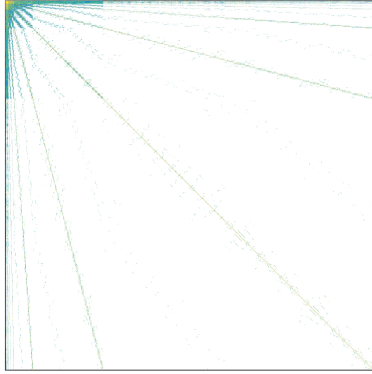
Figure 5 Sparsity pattern for the system matrices representing the single layer operator $\mathcal{S}$ and the double layer operator $\mathcal{D}$ in a piecewise constant wavelet basis for the benzene molecule with refinement level 5. The effect of matrix compression is shown, as adjusted by the *a priori* compression parameters. The *a posteriori* compression parameter b is always set to 0.001.



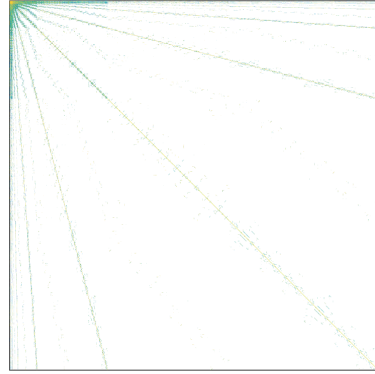
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(b) Double layer operator,
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(c) Single layer operator,
 $a = 2.0, d' = 3.0$



(d) Double layer operator,
 $a = 2.0, d' = 3.0$

Figure 6 Sparsity pattern for the system matrices representing the single layer operator $\mathcal{S}$ and the double layer operator $\mathcal{D}$ in a piecewise bilinear wavelet basis for the benzene molecule with refinement level 5. The effect of matrix compression is shown, as adjusted by the *a priori* compression parameters. The *a posteriori* compression parameter b is always set to 0.001.