

Electronic Supplementary Information

Exploring the Nature of Excitation Energies

in $[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Q}_8)\text{X}_6]^{4-}$ Clusters: A Relativistic Approach

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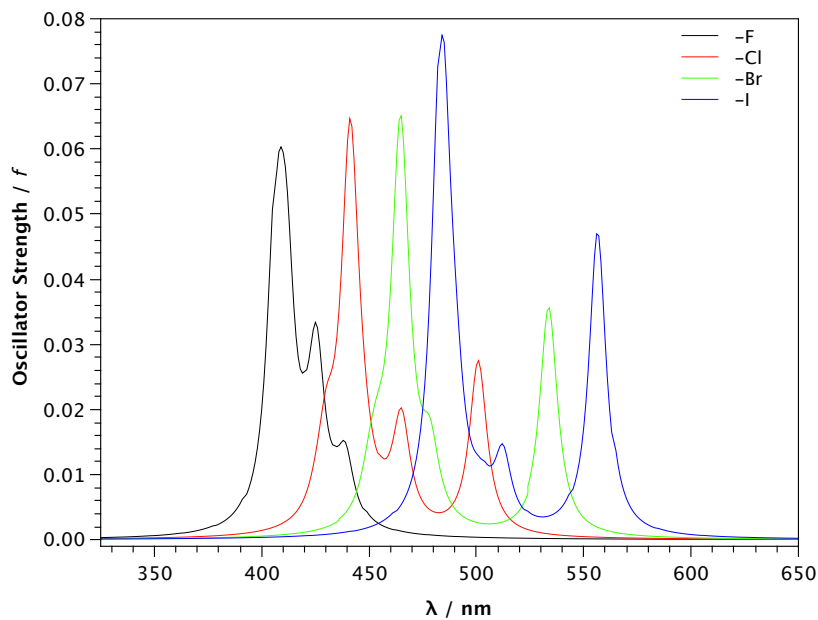


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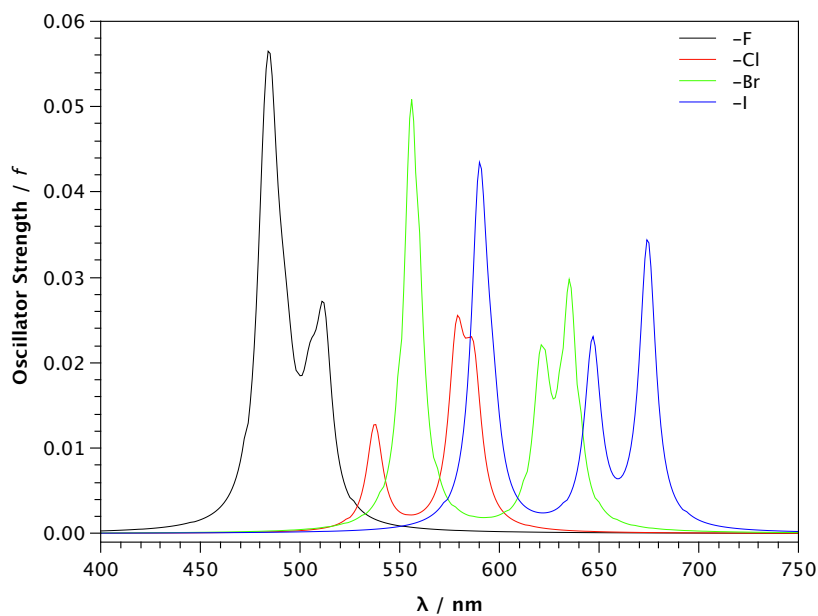


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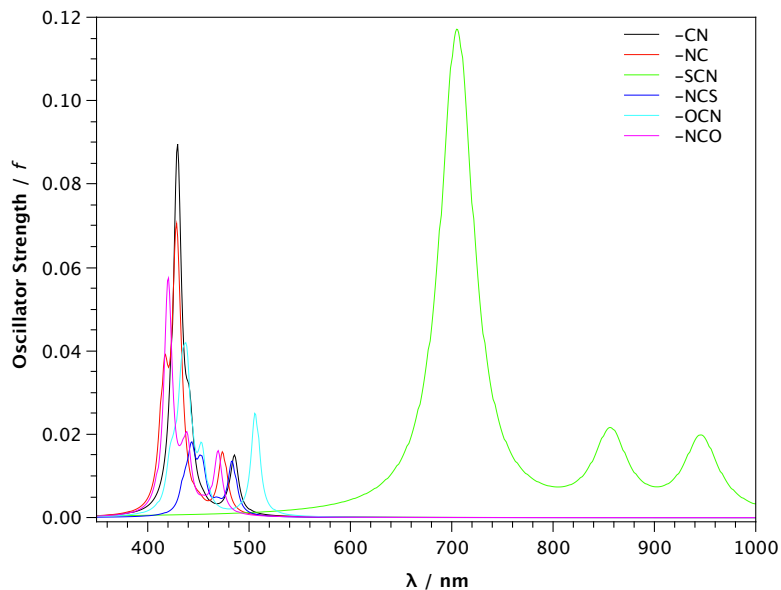


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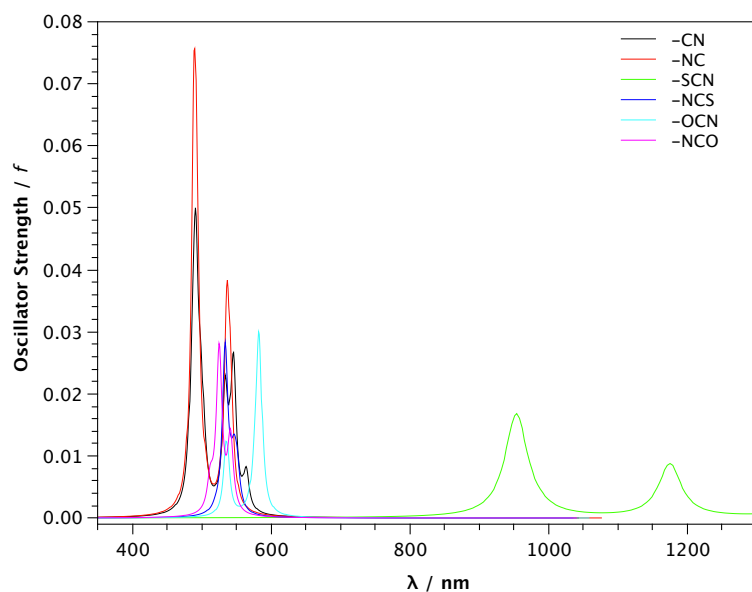
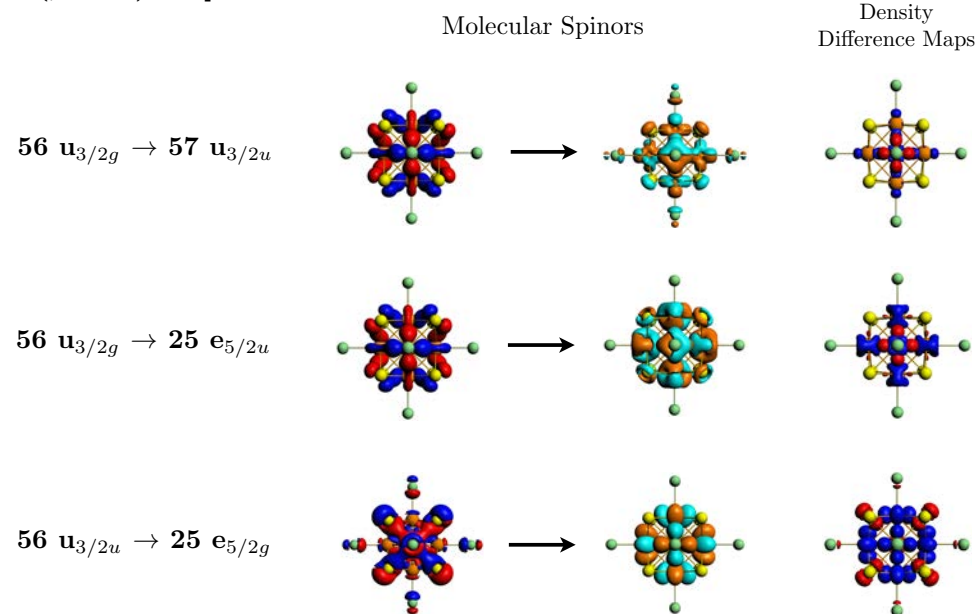
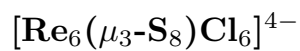
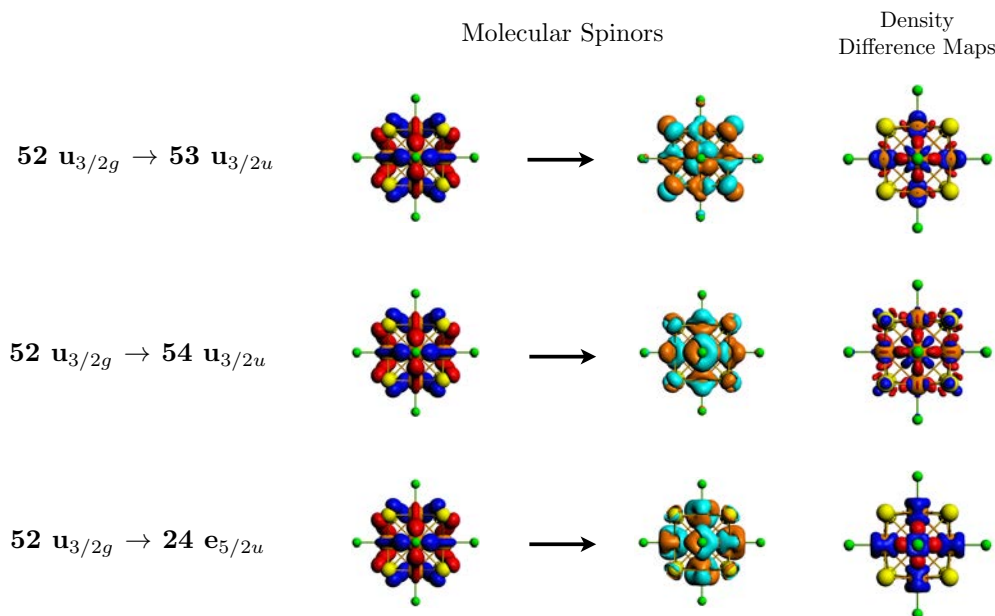
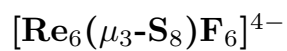
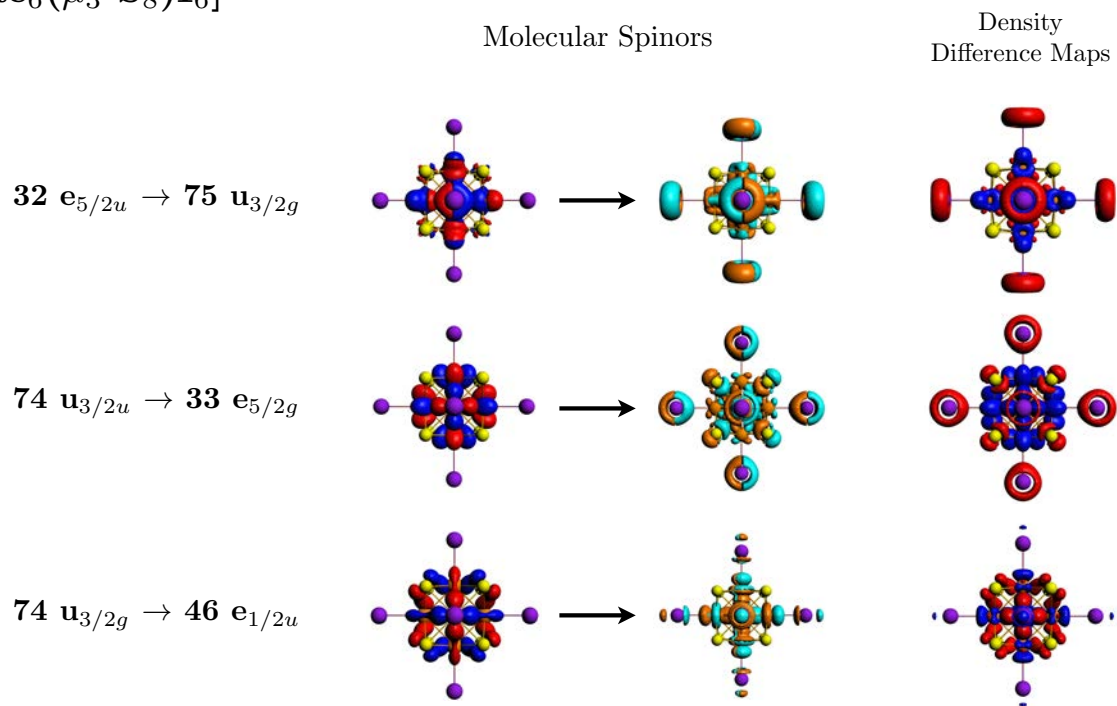
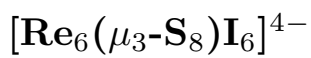
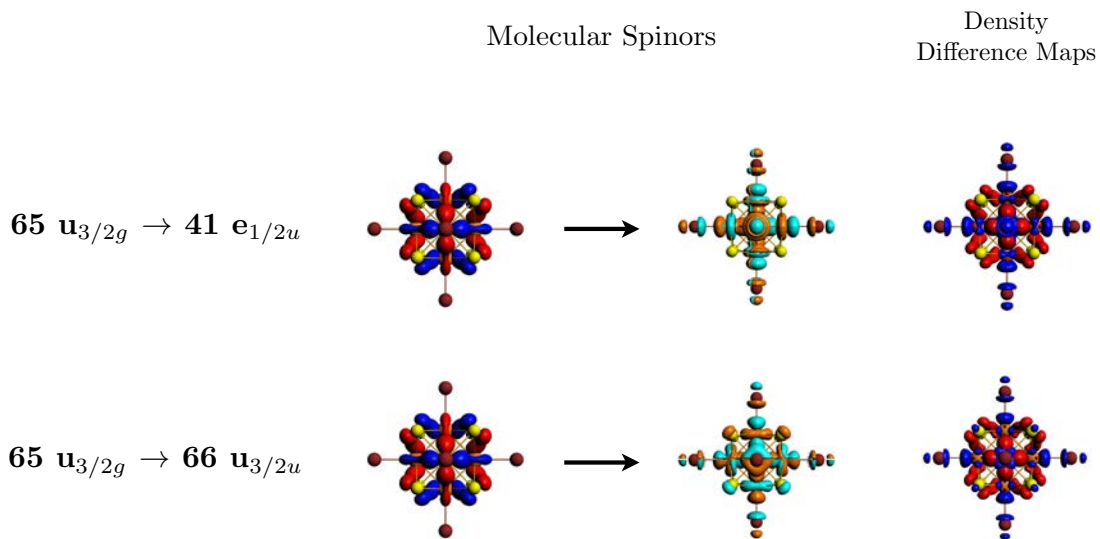
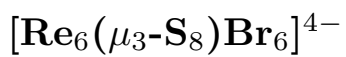
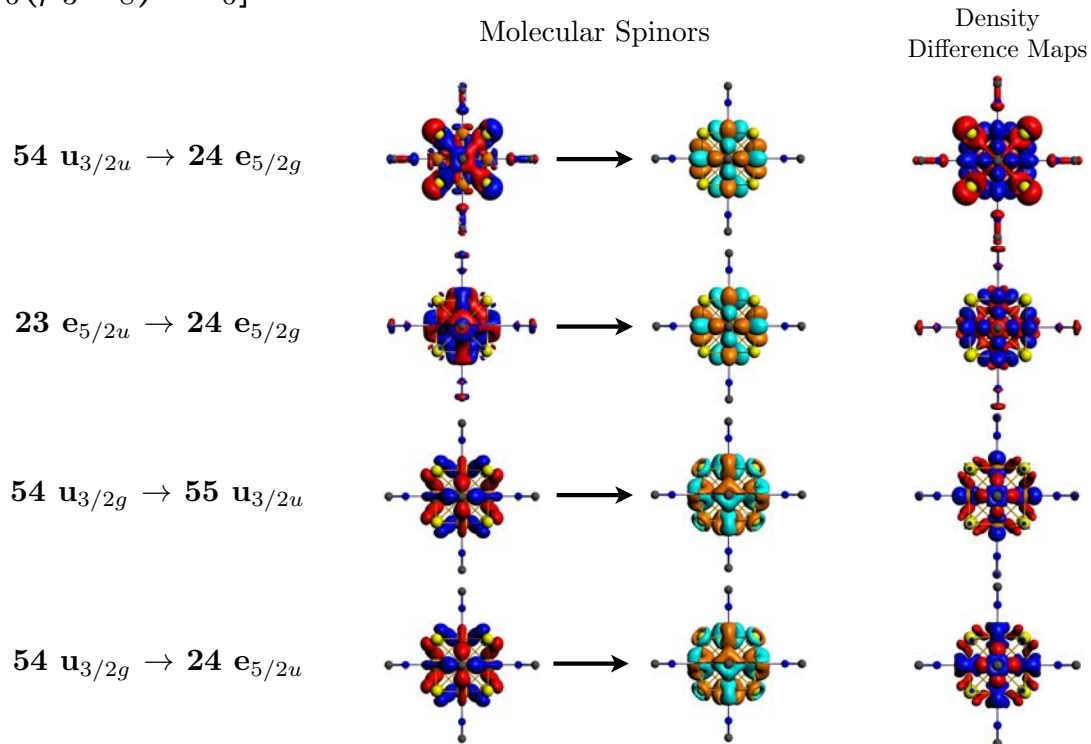
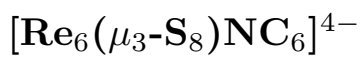
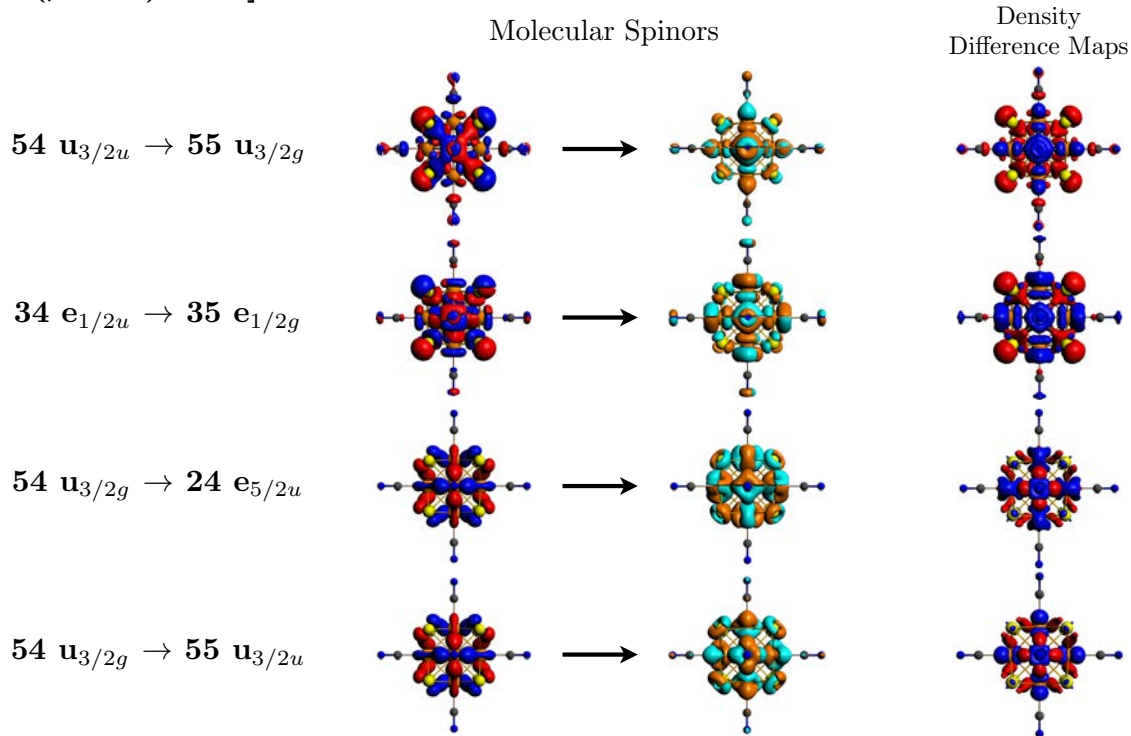
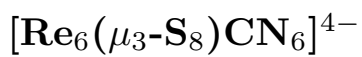
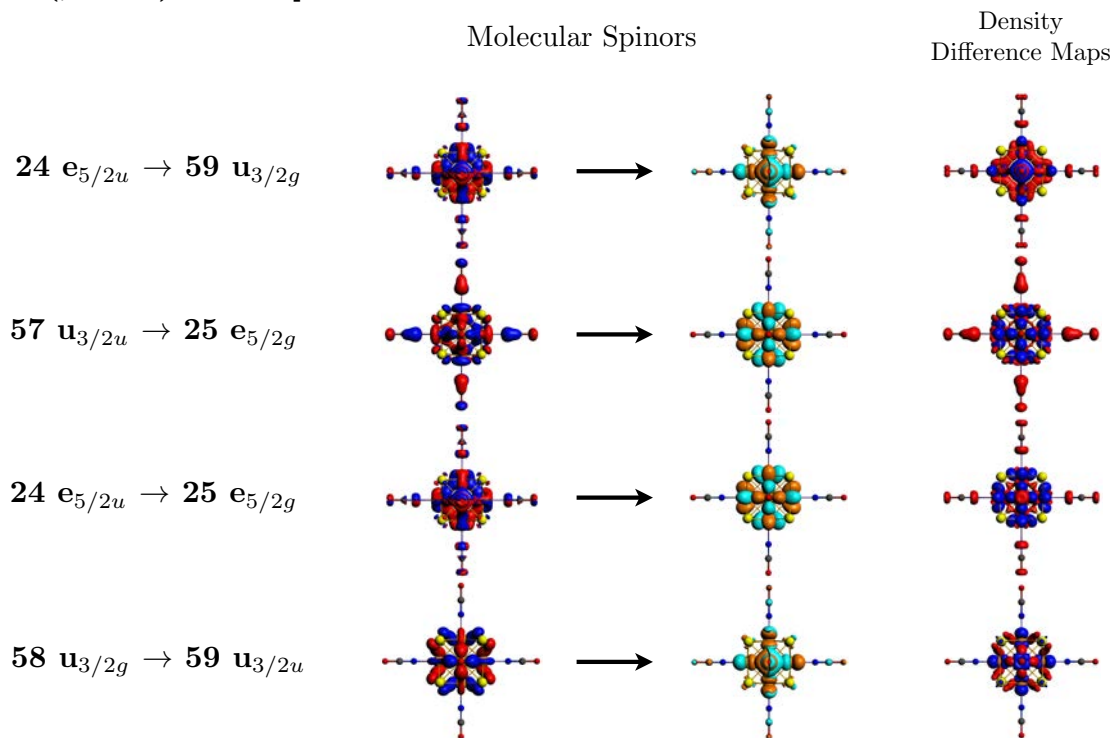
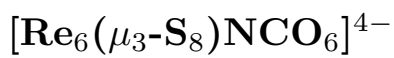
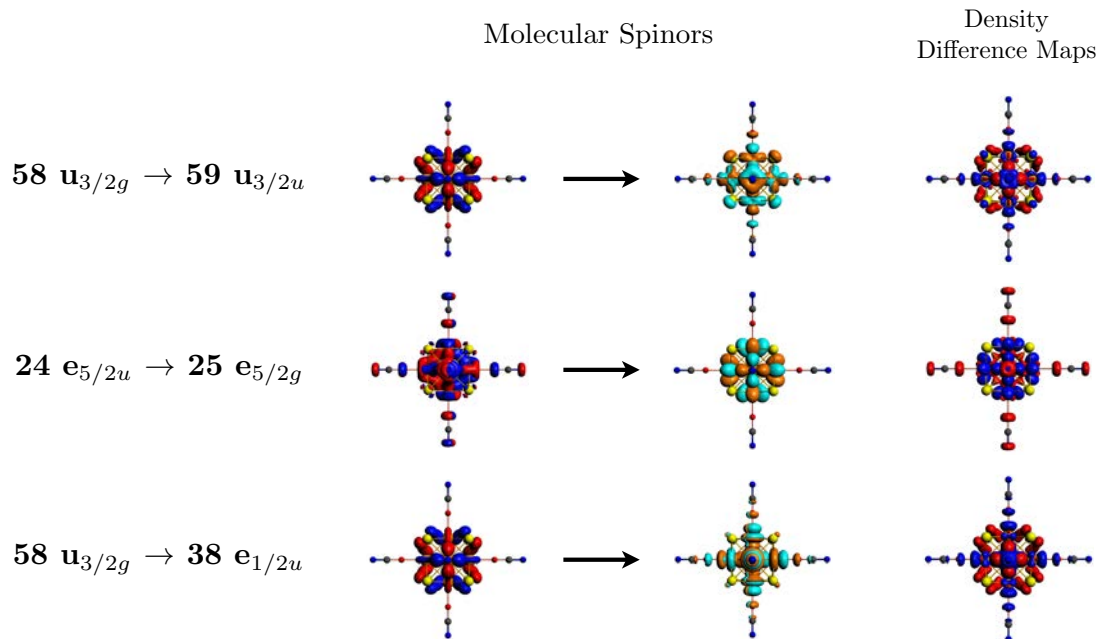
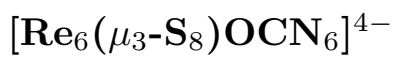


Figure S5: Molecular spinor plots and density difference maps for all the $[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Te}_8)\text{X}_6]^{4-}$ ($\text{X} = \text{CN}^-$, NC^- , SCN^- , NCS^- , OCN^- , NCO^-) clusters at spin-orbit relativistic level of theory.









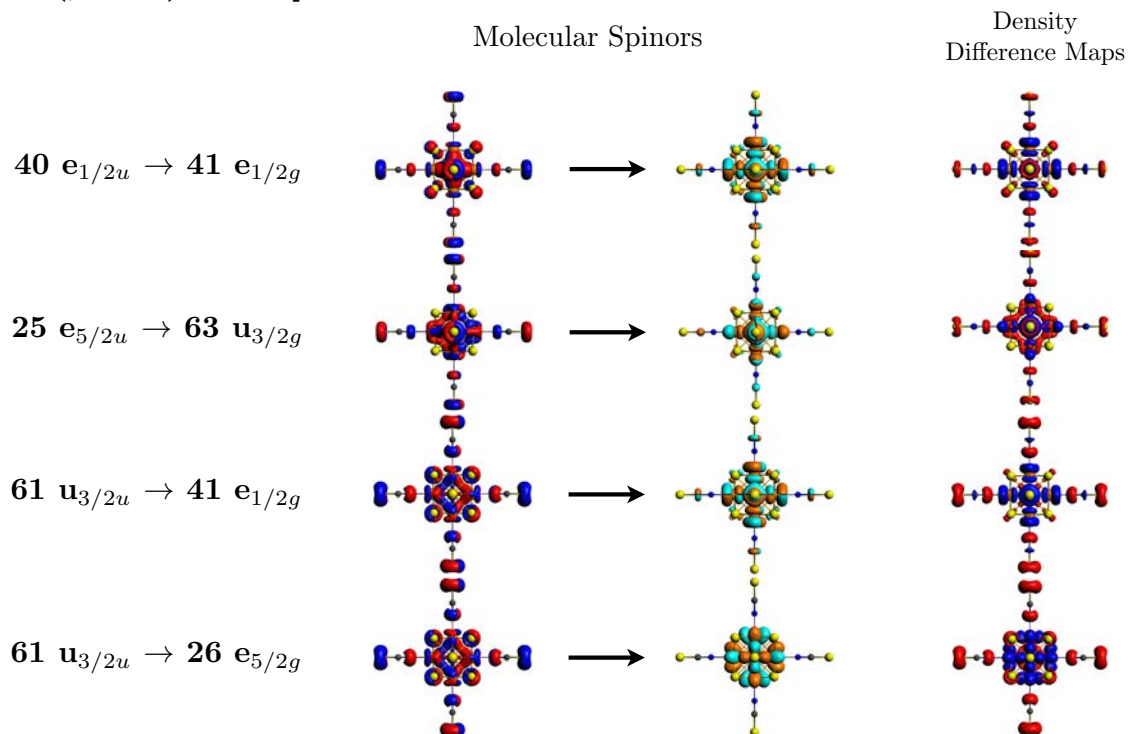
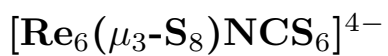
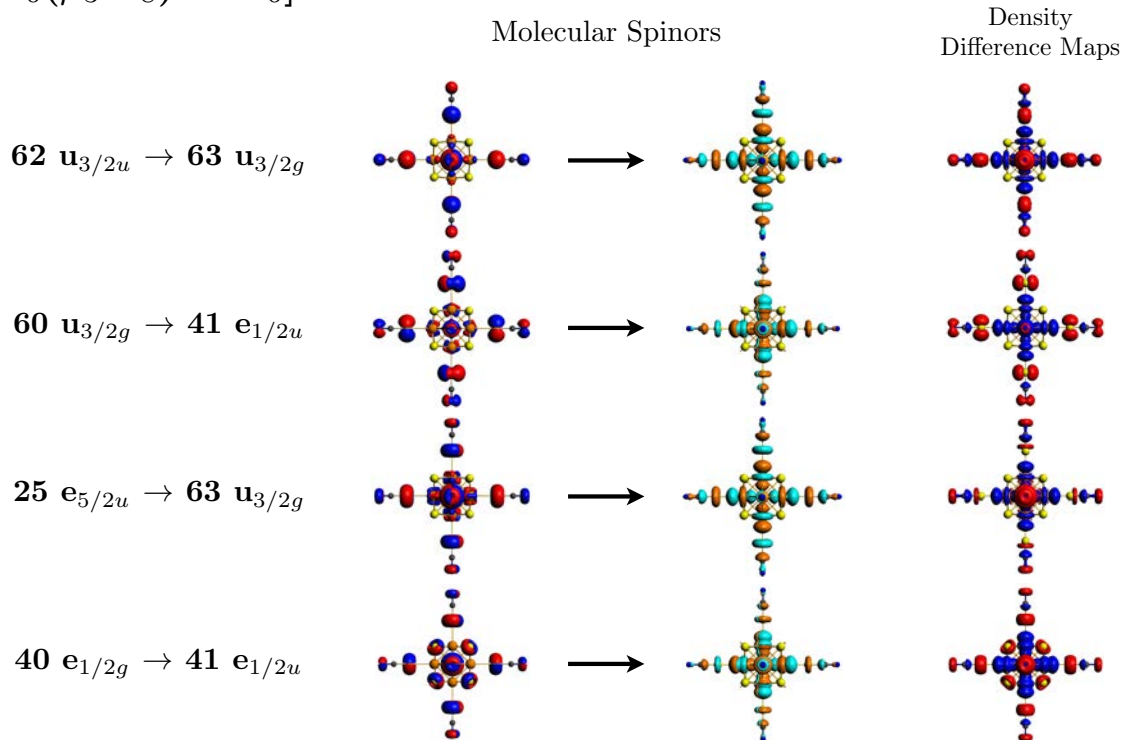
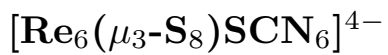


Table S1 : Excitation energies (eV), wavelengths (nm), oscillator strengths (f) and orbital assignation for the $[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Se})_8\text{X}_6]^{4-}$ complexes ($\text{X} = \text{F}^-, \text{Cl}^-, \text{Br}^-, \text{I}^-$).

Band	Energy	λ	f(x100)	Active MOs	%	Assignment
$[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Se})_8\text{F}_6]^{4-}$						
a	3.04	406	1.2812	$64\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 65\ u_{3/2u}$	57	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Se}}$
				$64\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 66\ u_{3/2u}$	19	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
				$64\ u_{3/2u} \rightarrow 30\ e_{5/2g}$	16	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
b	2.91	425	0.8608	$64\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 39\ e_{1/2u}$	86	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
c	2.83	438	0.3324	$29\ e_{5/2u} \rightarrow 30\ e_{5/2g}$	58	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
				$64\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 65\ u_{3/2u}$	18	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Se}}$
$[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Se})_8\text{Cl}_6]^{4-}$						
a	2.80 (2.84 [†])	442	1.9980	$68\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 69\ u_{3/2u}$	69	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
				$30\ e_{5/2u} \rightarrow 31\ e_{5/2g}$	15	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
				$64\ u_{3/2u} \rightarrow 31\ e_{5/2g}$	12	$\text{Lig} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
b	2.66	465	0.5482	$68\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 69\ u_{3/2u}$	36	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
				$30\ e_{5/2u} \rightarrow 31\ e_{5/2g}$	28	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
				$68\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 31\ e_{5/2u}$	25	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
c	2.47	501	0.88999	$68\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 42\ e_{1/2u}$	98	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
$[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Se})_8\text{Br}_6]^{4-}$						
a	2.66	465	2.0655	$77\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 78\ u_{3/2u}$	93	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig}$
b	2.59	468	0.35515	$77\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 78\ u_{3/2u}$	54	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig}$
				$34\ e_{5/2u} \rightarrow 35\ e_{5/2g}$	27	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
				$77\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 35\ e_{5/2u}$	10	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
c	2.32	534	1.1779	$77\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 47\ e_{1/2u}$	98	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig}$
$[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Se})_8\text{I}_6]^{4-}$						
a	2.56 (2.58 [†])	484	2.4050	$86\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 87\ u_{3/2u}$	90	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig}$
b	2.42	512	0.3568	$38\ e_{5/2u} \rightarrow 39\ e_{5/2g}$	77	$\text{Lig} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}}$
				$86\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 87\ u_{3/2u}$	15	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig}$
c	2.22	556	1.5591	$86\ u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 52\ e_{1/2u}$	97	$\text{Core}_{\text{Re}} - \text{Core}_{\text{Re}} + \text{Lig}$

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Band	Energy	λ	$f(\times 100)$	Active MOs	%	Assignment
$[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Te})_8\text{F}_6]^{4-}$						
a	2.55	485	1.0673	76 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 36 e_{5/2u}$ 75 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 77 u_{3/2u}$	48 37	Core _{Re} + Lig - Core Core _{Re} - Core
b	2.45	505	0.3414	76 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 77 u_{3/2u}$	86	Core _{Re} + Lig - Core
c	2.42	511	0.6993	76 $u_{3/2u} \rightarrow 36 e_{5/2g}$	96	Core _{Te} - Core
$[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Te})_8\text{Cl}_6]^{4-}$						
a	2.30	537	0.4141	80 $u_{3/2u} \rightarrow 37 e_{5/2g}$	99	Core _{Re} + Lig - Core _{Re}
b	2.14	579	0.6772	79 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 48 e_{1/2u}$	96	Core _{Re} - Core _{Re} + Lig
c	2.11	586	0.5436	80 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 48 e_{1/2u}$	97	Core _{Re} + Lig - Core _{Re}
$[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Te})_8\text{Br}_6]^{4-}$						
a	2.22	556	1.6695	89 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 90 u_{3/2u}$ 88 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 90 u_{3/2u}$	88 11	Core _{Te} + Lig - Core + Lig Core - Core + Lig
b	1.99	621	0.6209	88 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 53 e_{1/2u}$	98	Core - Core + Lig
c	1.95	635	0.9143	89 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 53 e_{1/2u}$	99	Core _{Te} + Lig - Core + Lig
$[\text{Re}_6(\mu_3\text{-Te})_8\text{I}_6]^{4-}$						
a	2.10	590	1.3382	98 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 99 u_{3/2u}$	91	Core + Lig - Core + Lig
b	1.91	647	0.7220	97 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 58 e_{1/2u}$	98	Core + Lig - Core + Lig
c	1.83	675	1.1250	98 $u_{3/2g} \rightarrow 58 e_{1/2u}$	99	Core + Lig - Core + Lig