

## Supporting Information

### All metallagermoxane with an adamantanoid cage structure: [(Cp\***Ru**(CO)<sub>2</sub>Ge)<sub>4</sub>(μ-O)<sub>6</sub>] (Cp\* = η<sup>5</sup>-C<sub>5</sub>Me<sub>5</sub>)

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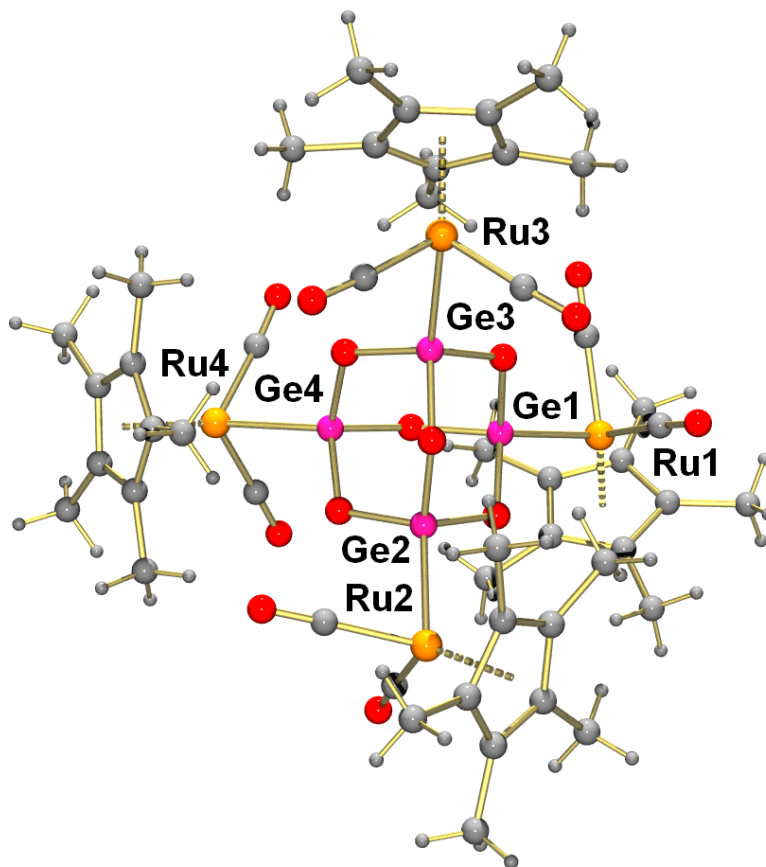
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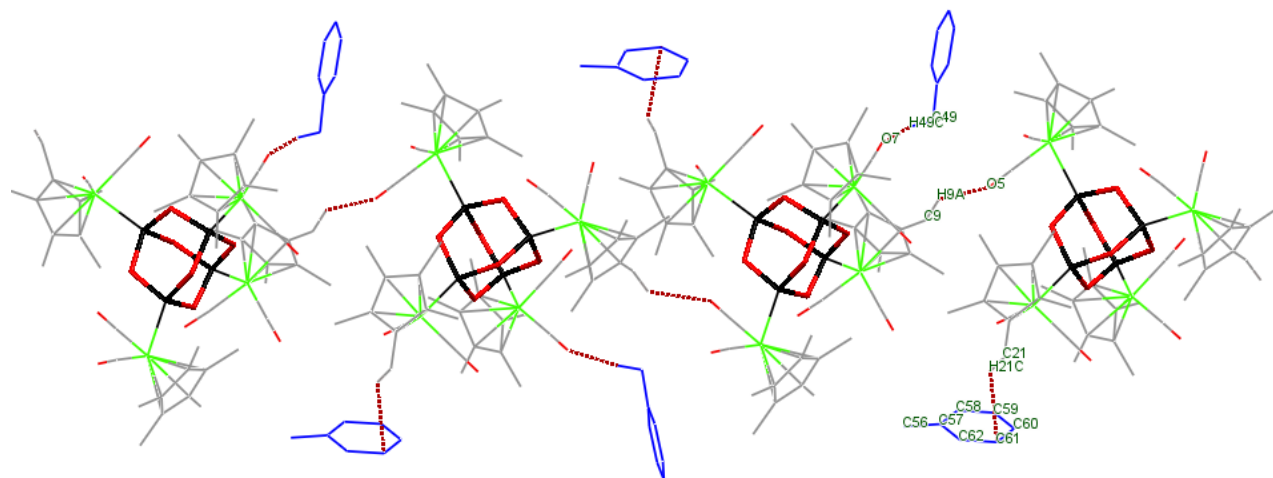
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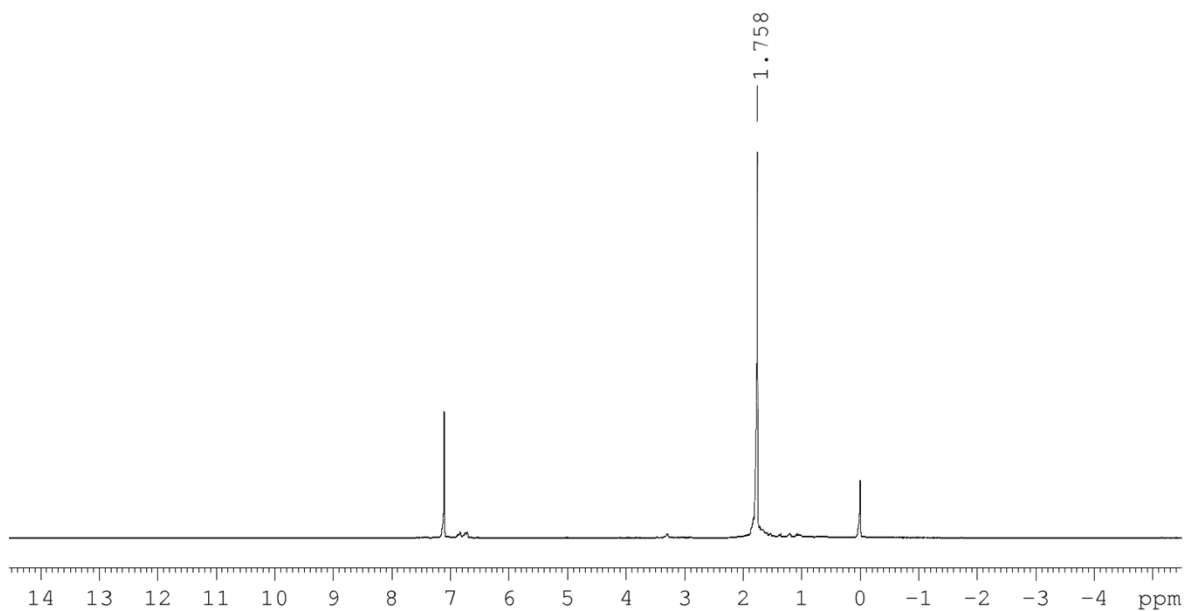
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**Figure S1.** Molecular structure of **2**. Selected bond lengths (Å) and angles (°): O9–Ge2 1.787(5), O9–Ge1 1.798(5), O10–Ge2 1.797(5), O10–Ge3 1.797(5), O11–Ge4 1.790(5), O11–Ge3 1.793(5), O12–Ge1 1.795(5), Ge1–Ru1 2.3960(11), Ge2–Ru2 2.4042(11), Ge3–Ru3 2.3993(11), Ge4–Ru4 2.4021(11); O13–Ge1–O9 104.2(2), O12–Ge1–Ru1 115.62(17), O9–Ge1–Ru1 112.40(17), O9–Ge2–O10 104.4(2), O9–Ge2–Ru2 113.72(16), O14–Ge2–Ru2 113.66(17), O11–Ge3–O10 104.5(2), O13–Ge3–Ru3 112.46(17), O11–Ge3–Ru3 113.06(16).



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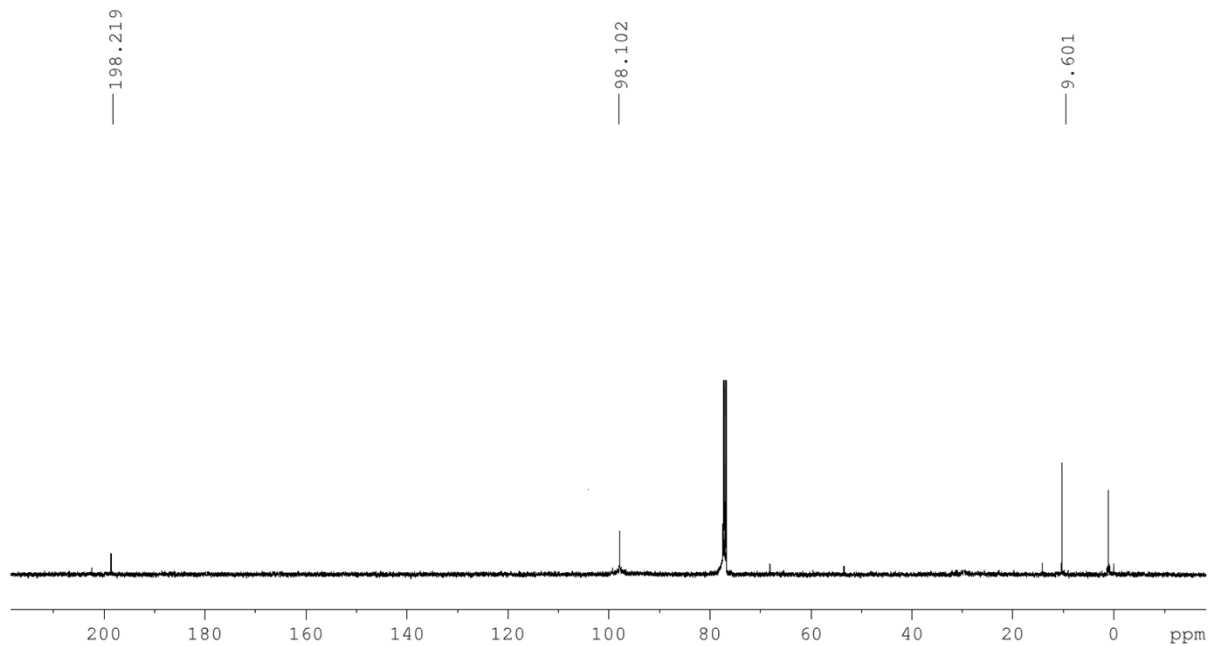


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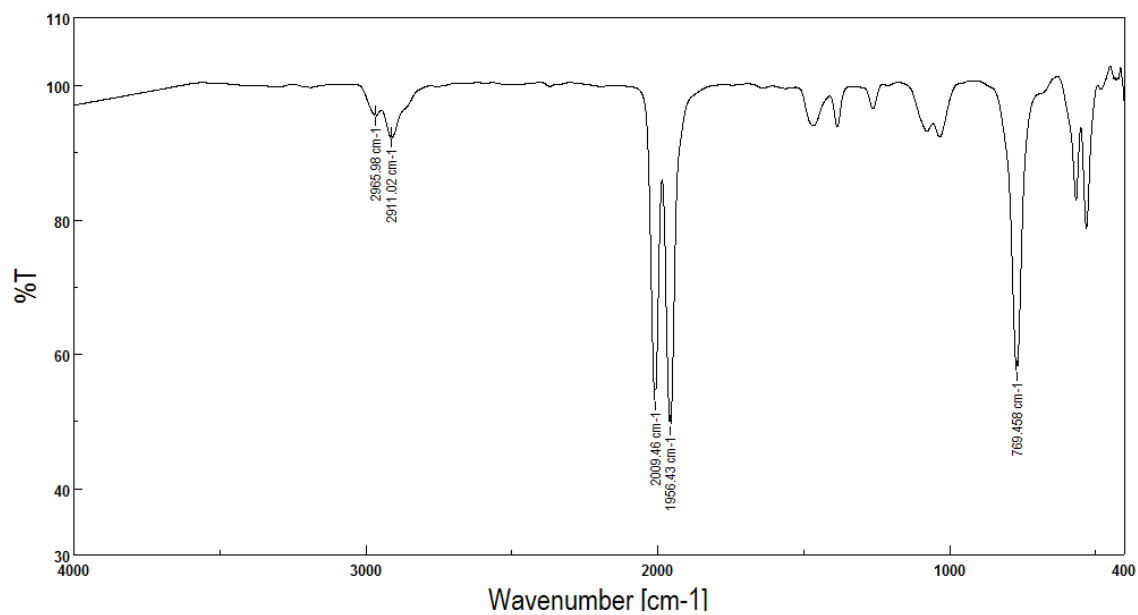
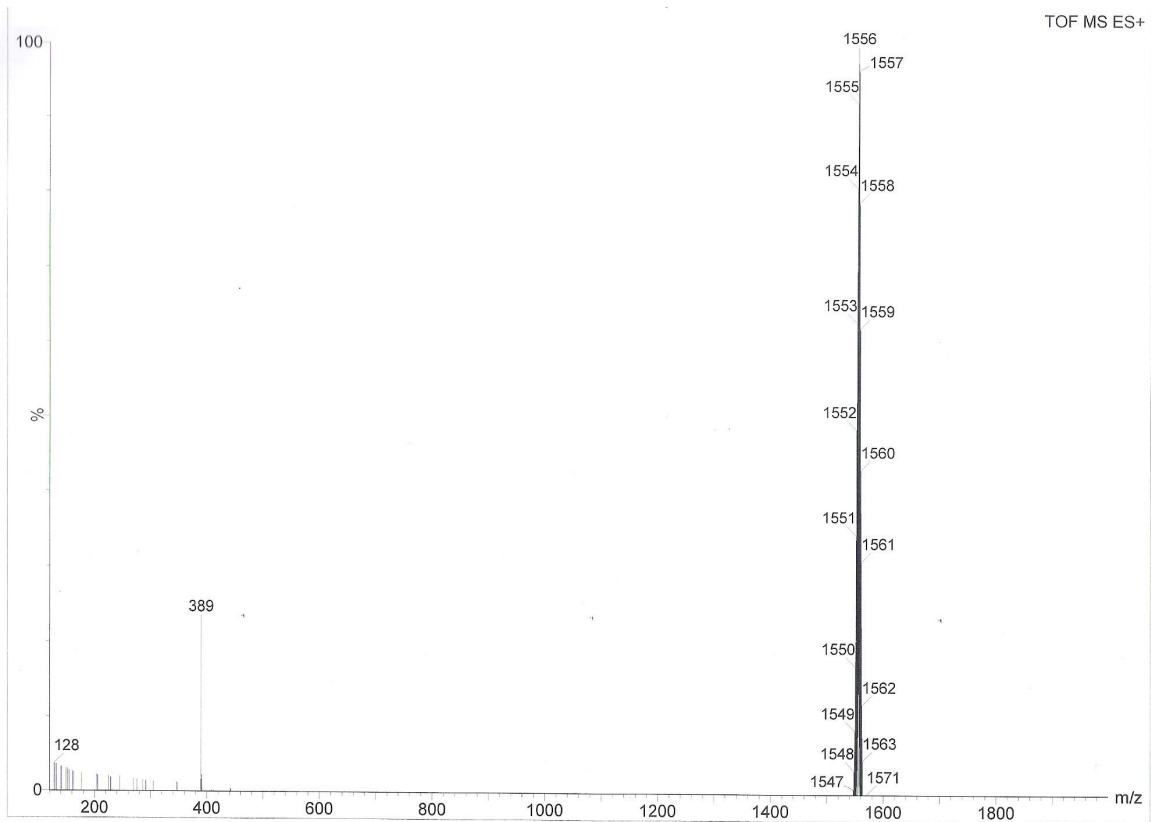


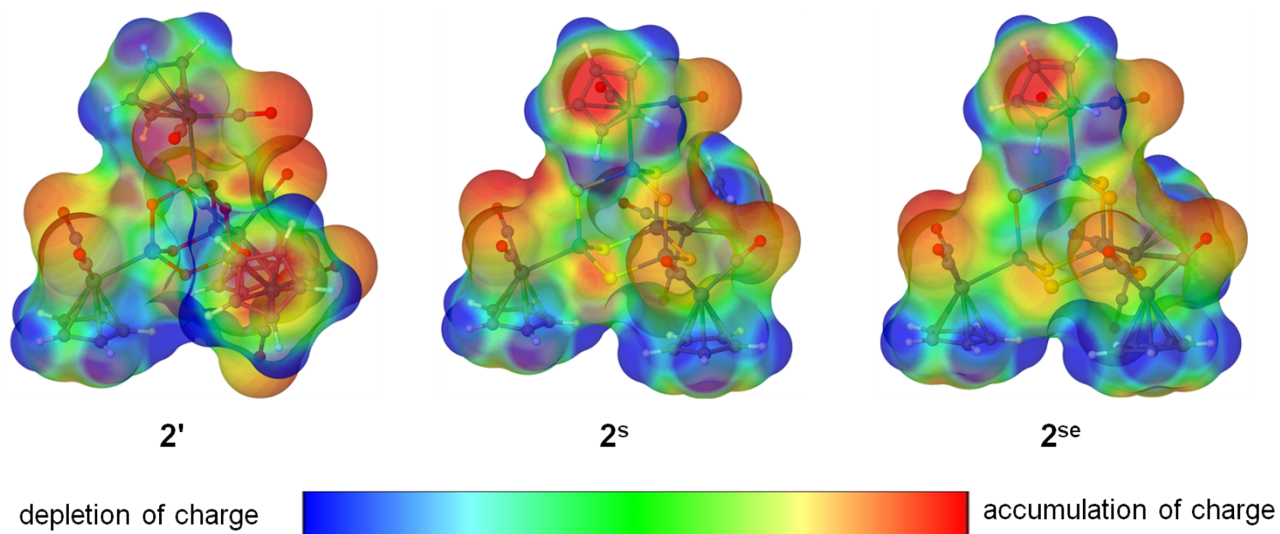
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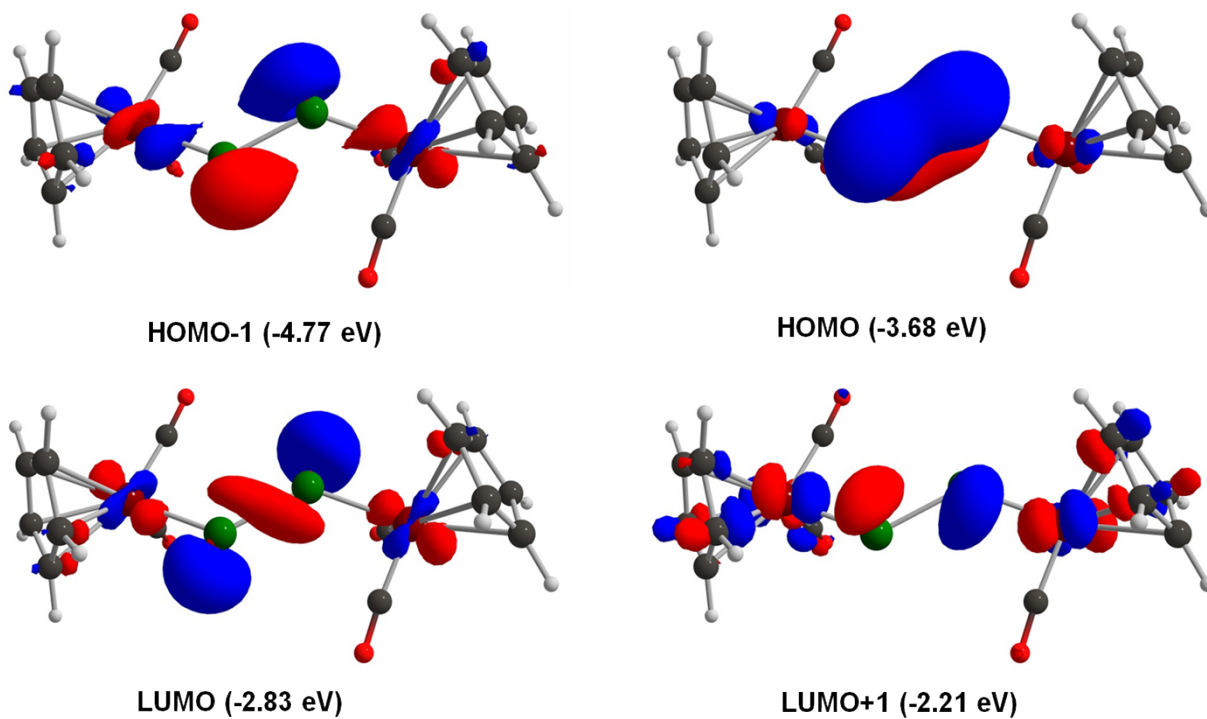
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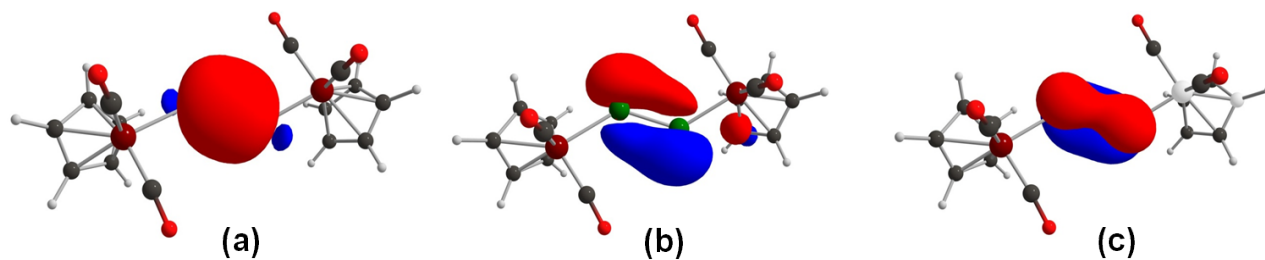
Geometry optimizations without symmetry constraints were carried out using Gaussian09<sup>1</sup> software suite. The calculations were performed using density functional theory at the BP86<sup>2</sup> level in conjunction with def2-TZVP<sup>3</sup> basis sets. The 28 core electrons of ruthenium were replaced by the quasi-relativistic effective core potential def2-ECP<sup>4</sup> for ruthenium. To save computing time all the calculations were carried out with the Cp analogue model compounds, instead of Cp\*. The model compounds were fully optimized in gaseous state (no solvent effect). Stationary points were characterized as minima by calculating the Hessian matrix analytically at the same level. Thermodynamic corrections and Kohn-Sham orbitals have been taken from these calculations. The standard state for all thermodynamic data is 298.15 K and 1 atm. NBO analysis was carried out using the NBO routine within the Gaussian09 package. For NBO analysis, BP86 functional and 6-31g\* basis set<sup>5</sup> (SDD-ECP<sup>6</sup> on Ru) was employed. Wiberg bond indexes (WBI)<sup>7</sup> and NBO second order perturbation energy values on some selected bonds are obtained on natural bond orbital (NBO) analysis.<sup>8,9</sup>



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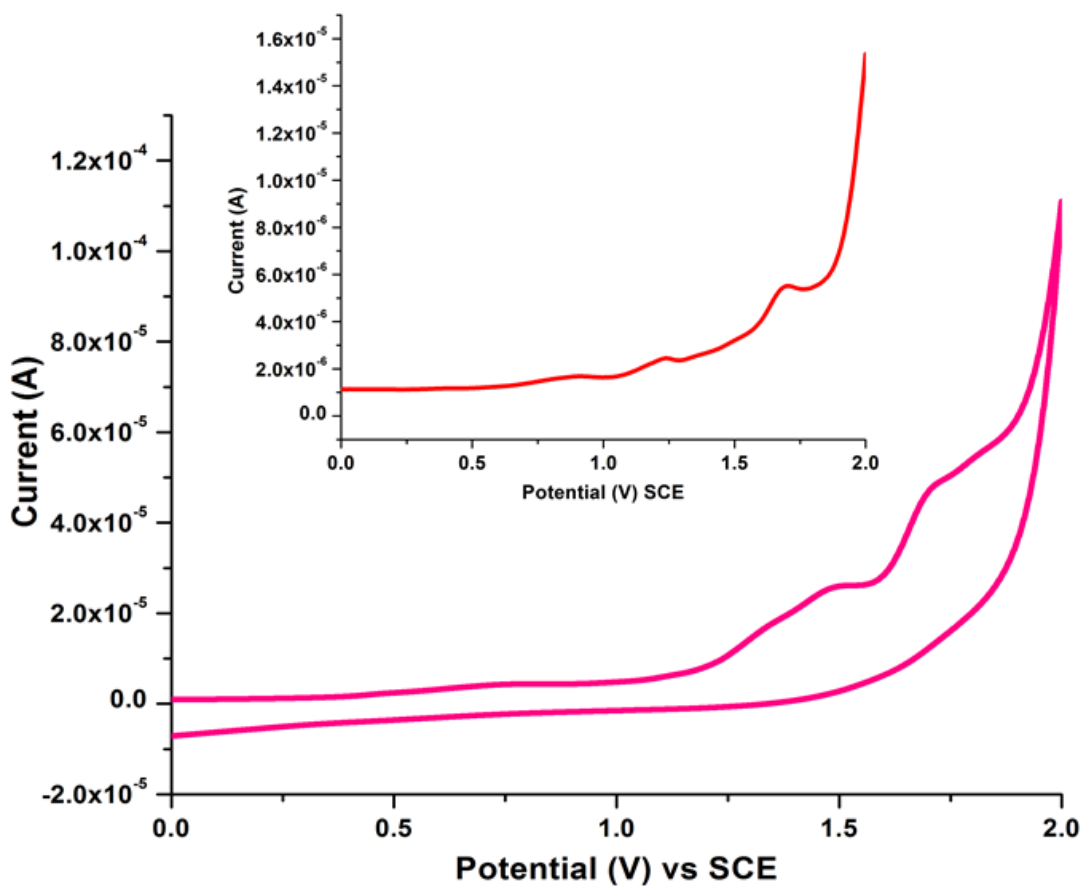


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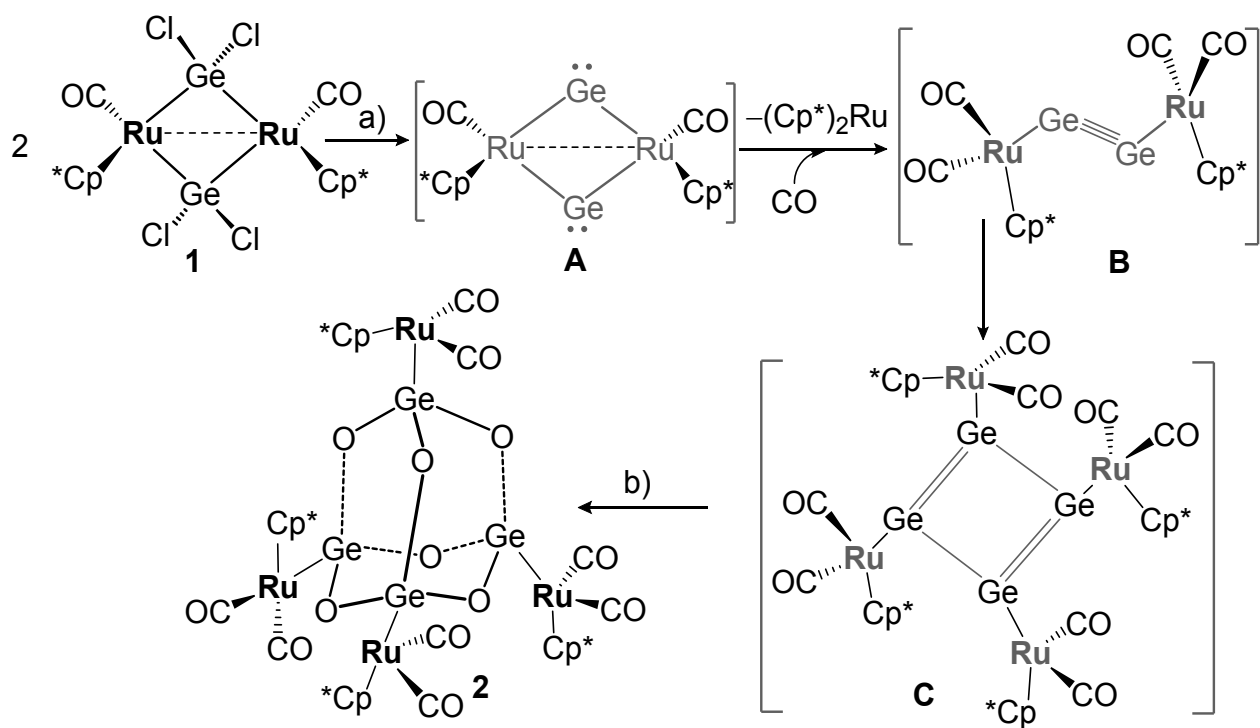


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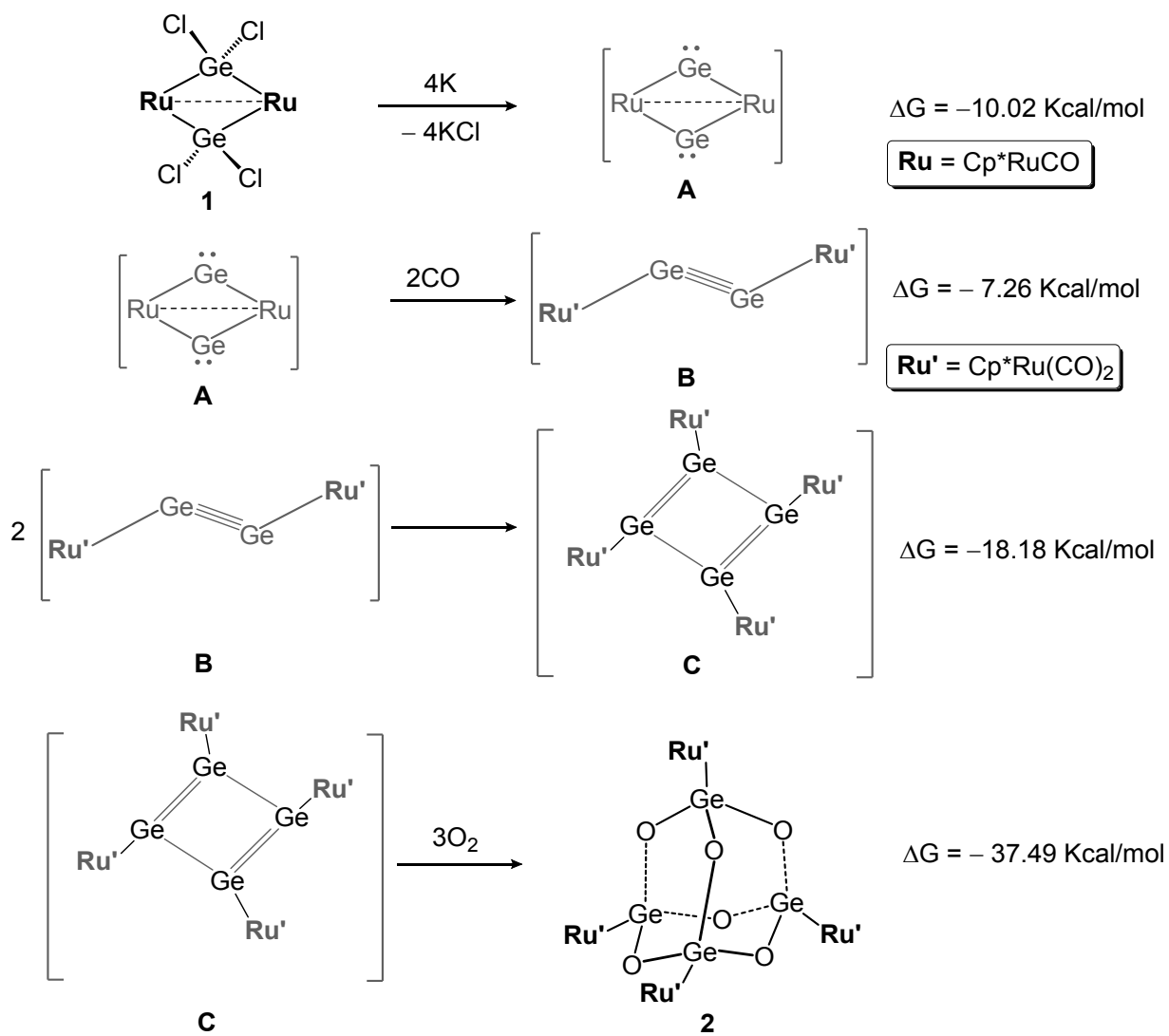




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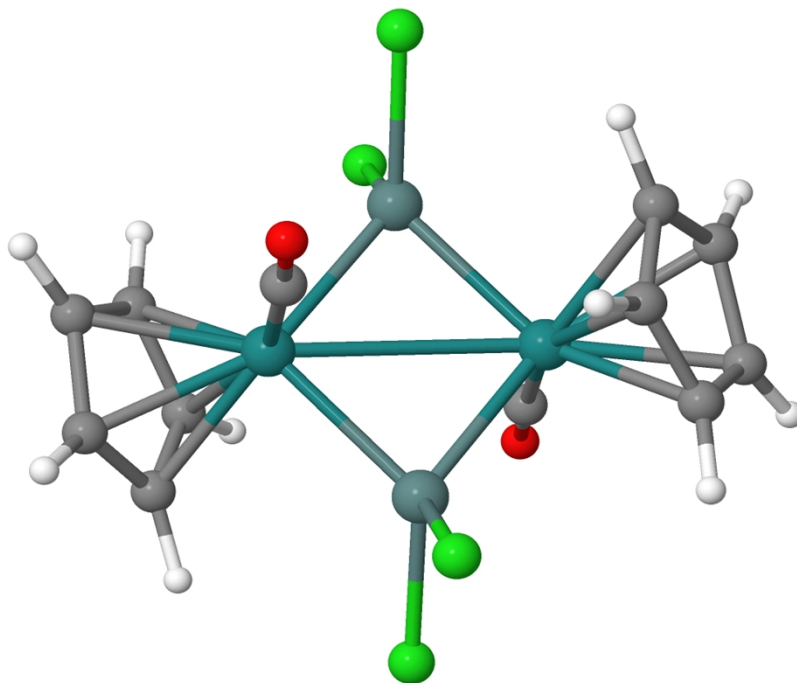
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	$q_{\text{Ru}}$	$q_{\text{Ge}}$	$q_{\text{E}}$	Pop ( $\text{Ru}_{\text{val}}$ )	Pop ( $\text{Ge}_{\text{val}}$ )	Pop ( $\text{E}_{\text{val}}$ )	$\Delta E_{\text{H-L}}$ (eV)	$\text{IP}_v$ (eV)
<b><math>2'</math></b>	-1.098	1.936	-1.150	9.092	2.042	7.144	3.36	7.89
<b><math>2^{\text{S}}</math></b>	-1.038	0.953	-0.556	9.031	2.999	6.541	2.66	6.58
<b><math>2^{\text{Se}}</math></b>	-1.031	0.705	-0.393	9.024	3.250	6.380	2.25	6.32

$\text{IP}_v$ : The vertical ionization potential computed for the compounds  $2'$ ,  $2^{\text{S}}$  and  $2^{\text{Se}}$ , corresponds to the removal of one electron from the fixed geometry of the neutral molecule.

Cartesian coordinates of the optimized molecules along with their total energies (T.E, in hartrees) including zero point vibrational correction.



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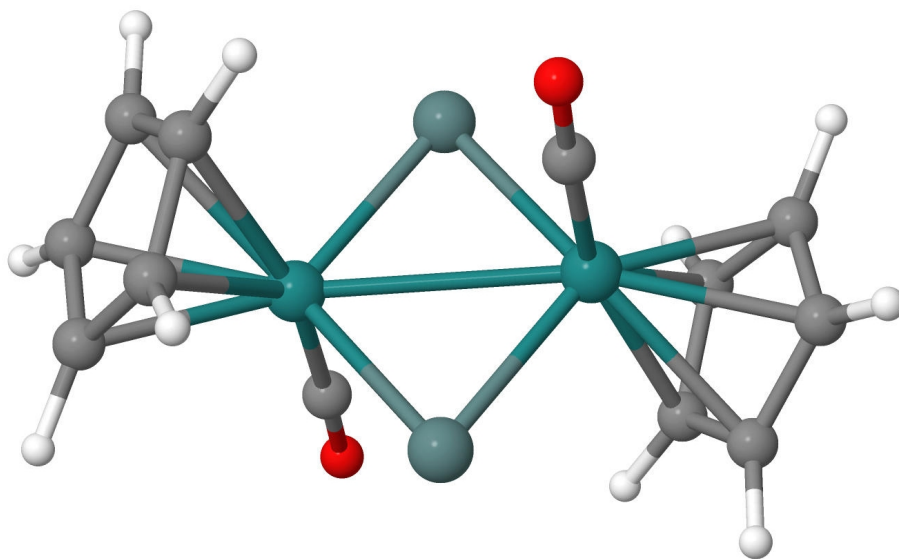
**Figure S11.** Optimized geometry of **1'**.

Cartesian coordinates for the calculated structure of **1'** (in Å).

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3	6	0	-0.267141	-3.080894	-1.185329
4	6	0	1.033552	-2.562966	-1.536453
5	6	0	1.936656	-2.837176	-0.445619
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7	17	0	-3.309903	-0.241463	1.659133
8	17	0	-3.197998	-1.078083	-1.610018
9	32	0	-1.845612	-0.398965	0.004899

10	8	0	0.130822	-0.914352	3.326071
11	44	0	0.308583	-1.470994	0.364310
12	6	0	-1.397357	3.403954	-0.573987
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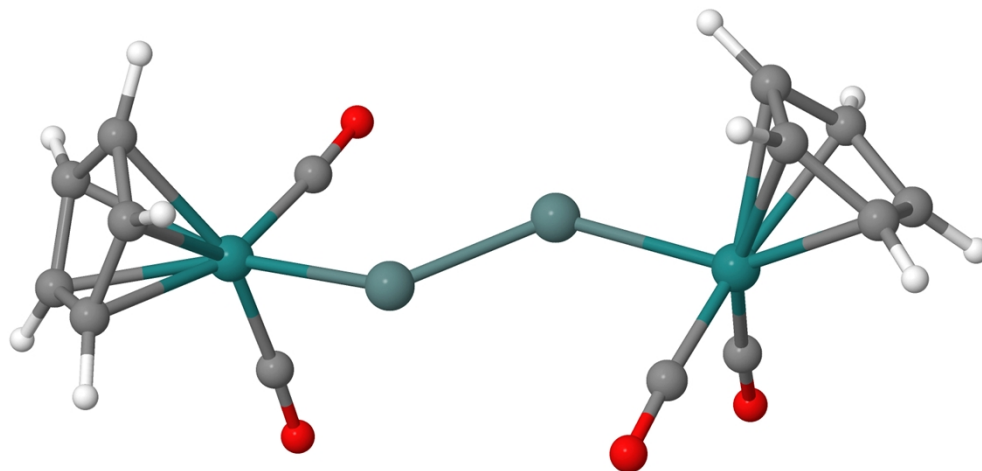


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**Figure S12.** Optimized geometry of **A**.

Cartesian coordinates for the calculated structure of **A** (in Å).

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**Figure S13.** Optimized geometry of **B**.

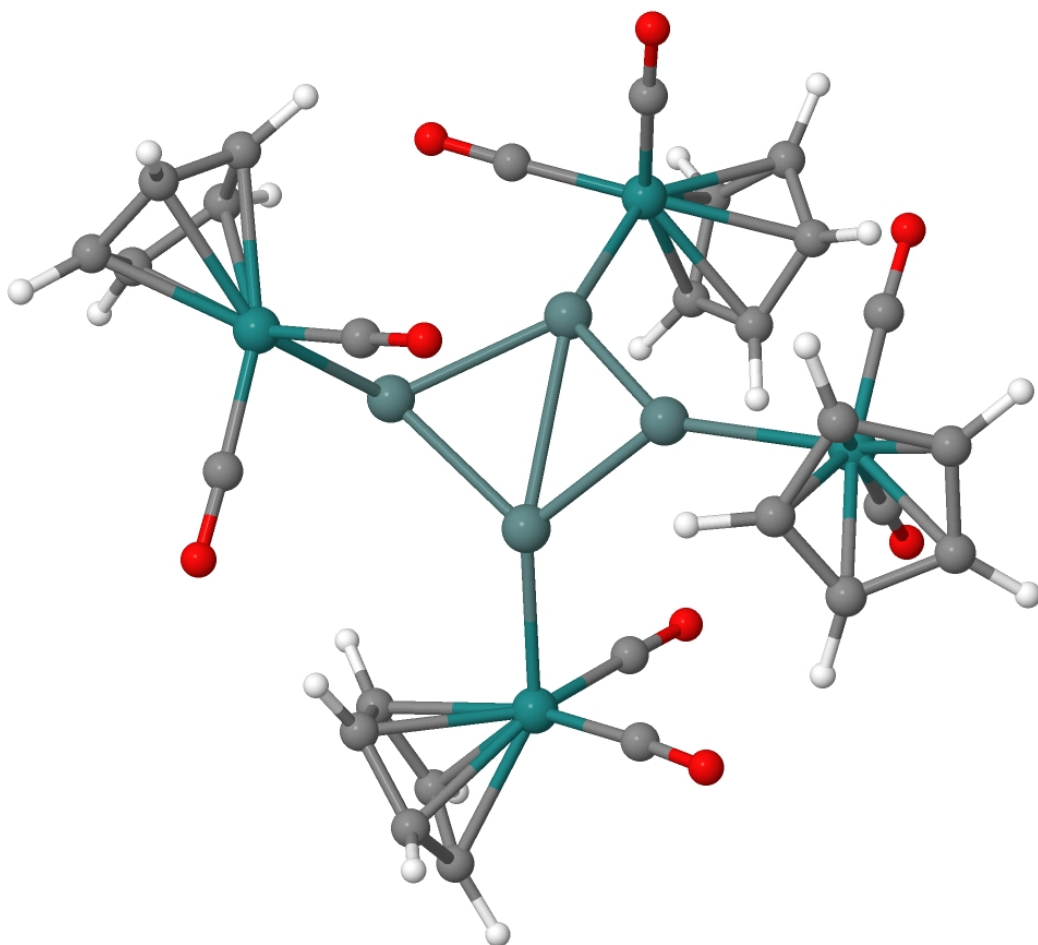
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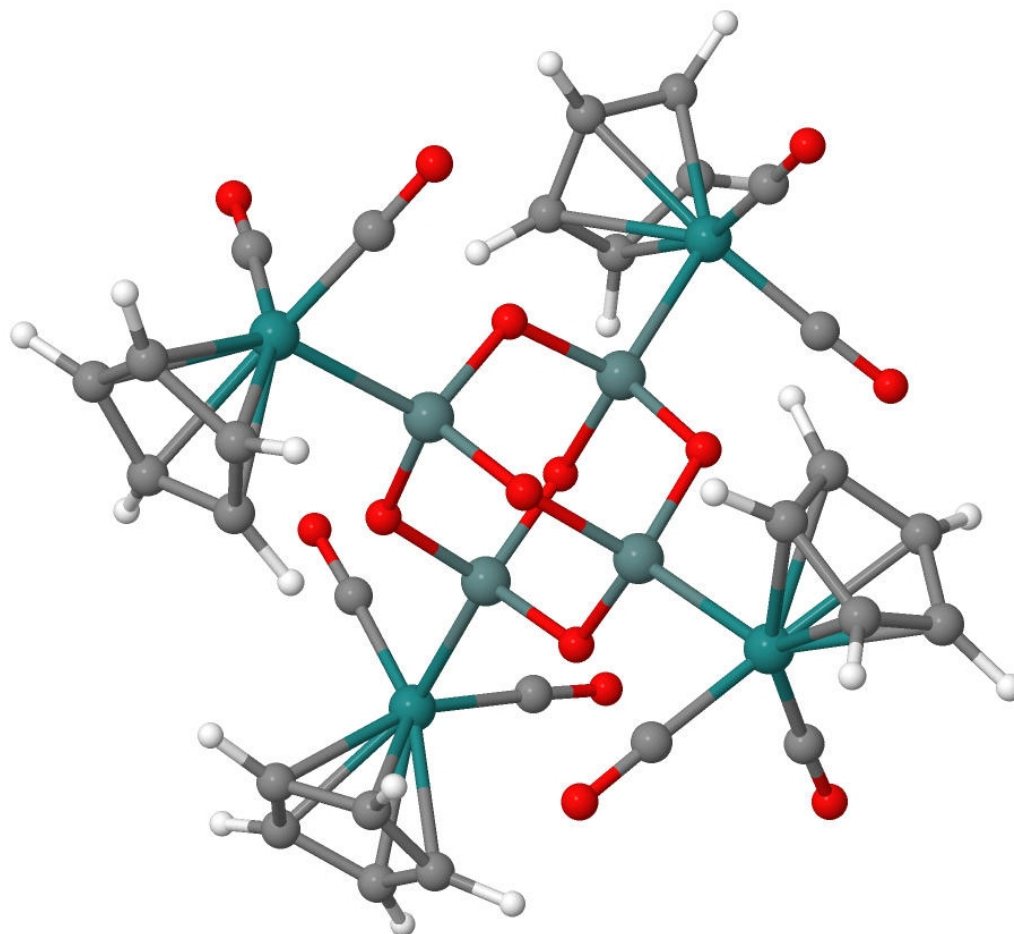
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Cartesian coordinates for the calculated structure of C (in Å).

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52	6	0	6.590559	0.261902	1.786543
53	6	0	6.321336	-0.624089	2.865150
54	6	0	5.214234	-0.088325	3.614845
55	6	0	4.831745	1.147700	3.010851
56	6	0	4.412676	-0.730845	-0.359355
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58	1	0	5.613350	2.210497	1.194225
59	1	0	7.364909	0.137974	1.034122
60	1	0	6.850942	-1.547596	3.082648
61	1	0	4.768603	-0.527754	4.502779
62	1	0	4.034163	1.803753	3.349213
63	8	0	4.444134	-0.830876	-1.519555
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T. E = -10822.737525

**Figure S15.** Optimized geometry of **2'**.

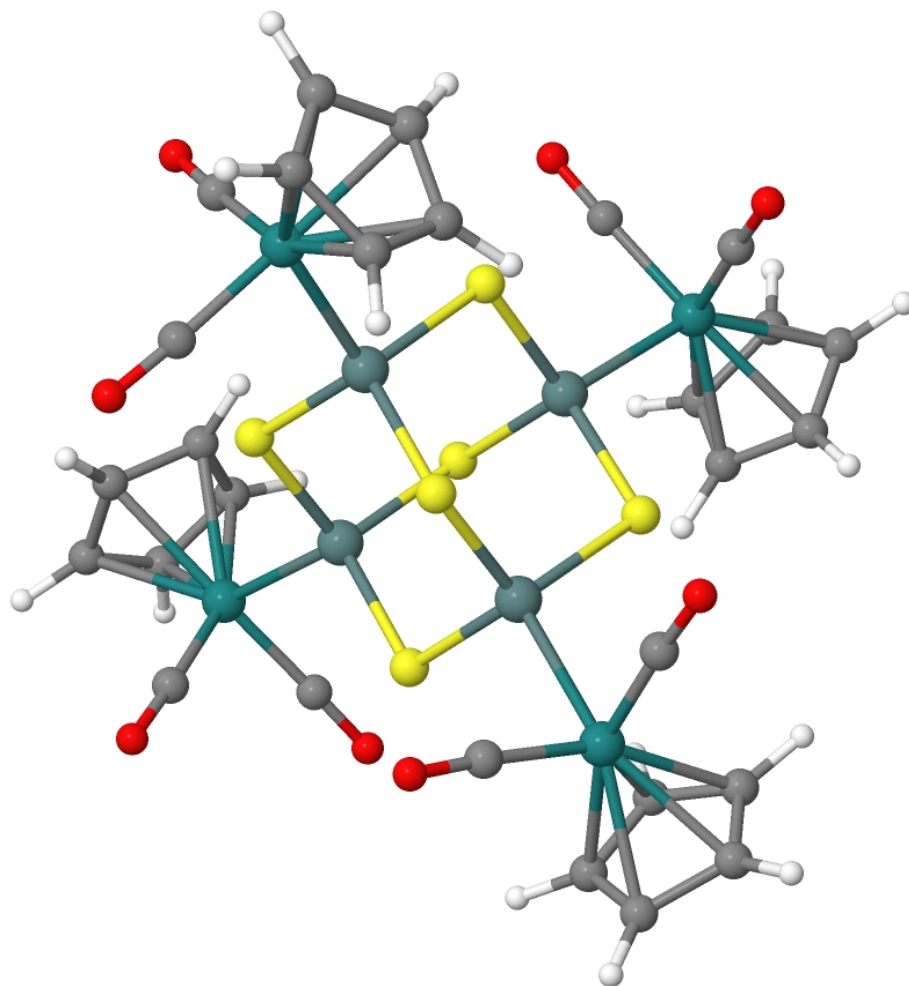
Cartesian coordinates for the calculated structure of **2'** (in Å).

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7	32	0	-1.106735	-1.110999	-1.127152
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9	32	0	-0.688581	0.127190	1.696556
10	32	0	1.769763	-0.687061	-0.027910
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12	6	0	1.952316	3.759524	-3.226170
13	6	0	1.493042	5.119915	-3.324131
14	6	0	0.186930	5.110548	-3.890959
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20	1	0	2.047927	6.002140	-3.015442
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22	1	0	-1.103566	3.390480	-4.582134
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25	8	0	-2.743629	4.413012	-1.011380
26	44	0	-2.637250	-2.502827	-2.428785
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28	6	0	-4.770965	-3.348934	-2.410786
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32	6	0	-1.645894	-3.992792	-1.890319
33	6	0	-1.502962	-2.237677	-3.885124
34	1	0	-4.514890	-3.161769	-0.172428
35	1	0	-4.984115	-4.405512	-2.548765
36	1	0	-4.833048	-2.544521	-4.502669
37	1	0	-4.277045	-0.148489	-3.337265
38	1	0	-4.089334	-0.548043	-0.663898
39	8	0	-1.078087	-4.950151	-1.565423
40	8	0	-0.832632	-2.074789	-4.819865
41	44	0	4.032327	-1.611116	-0.076594
42	6	0	4.091662	-3.013276	-1.878067
43	6	0	5.417965	-2.960376	-1.317978
44	6	0	5.887503	-1.621116	-1.427772
45	6	0	4.857412	-0.835825	-2.057235
46	6	0	3.758769	-1.705716	-2.347079
47	6	0	3.522402	-2.766251	1.301015
48	6	0	4.506119	-0.301384	1.165429
49	1	0	3.457962	-3.892601	-1.950473
50	1	0	5.963195	-3.796846	-0.889220
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52	1	0	4.909807	0.223580	-2.290251
53	1	0	2.821981	-1.425179	-2.820955

54	8	0	3.248874	-3.520047	2.138273
55	8	0	4.848356	0.510801	1.920711
56	44	0	-1.455199	0.338699	4.002178
57	6	0	0.541330	0.537887	5.081414
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63	6	0	-3.163046	0.702584	3.339984
64	1	0	1.336157	-0.192824	4.964967
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66	1	0	-2.195764	1.938014	6.465835
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68	1	0	0.984490	2.014731	3.443621
69	8	0	-2.029689	-2.633193	4.020568
70	8	0	-4.233500	0.952600	2.967280

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$$T. E = -24782.229097$$

**Figure S16.** Optimized geometry of **2<sup>S</sup>**.

Cartesian coordinates for the calculated structure of **2<sup>S</sup>** (in Å).

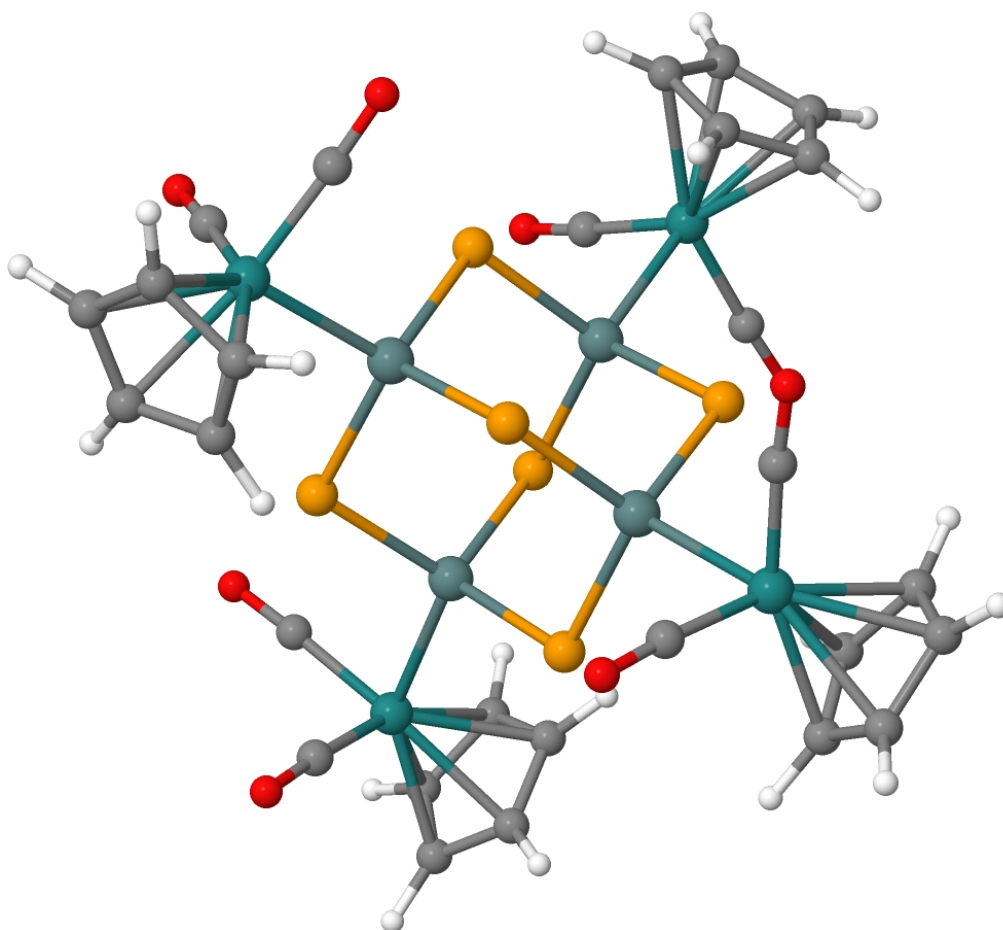
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			<i>X</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>Z</i>
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2	32	0	0.764003	0.030784	2.057340
3	32	0	-2.299531	0.105906	0.039000
4	32	0	0.565980	-1.901324	-1.073176
5	44	0	1.815260	0.061775	4.307487

6	6	0	3.691025	-1.228840	4.101067
7	6	0	3.630184	-0.744607	5.456416
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9	6	0	3.846255	1.080030	4.044898
10	6	0	3.841389	-0.098843	3.238351
11	6	0	0.519679	-1.161648	4.868847
12	6	0	0.703761	1.498344	4.746332
13	1	0	3.652747	-2.267861	3.786372
14	1	0	3.527237	-1.356652	6.348546
15	1	0	3.709764	1.337528	6.283795
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19	8	0	0.064676	2.410287	5.069540
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26	6	0	1.015944	3.041539	-3.966776
27	6	0	3.217050	3.040891	-2.456720
28	1	0	-1.159649	5.193571	-2.277908
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31	1	0	2.502991	5.257551	0.117927
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34	8	0	4.297041	2.622798	-2.530735
35	44	0	1.400344	-3.946786	-2.205255
36	6	0	3.315471	-3.274552	-3.257669
37	6	0	3.102622	-4.666394	-3.560727
38	6	0	3.169445	-5.400238	-2.342823
39	6	0	3.424865	-4.466208	-1.275528
40	6	0	3.529451	-3.162081	-1.848554
41	6	0	0.085353	-3.690901	-3.509591
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51	6	0	-5.394346	-2.125832	0.266339
52	6	0	-6.579899	-1.320837	0.418598



53	6	0	-6.456309	-0.581656	1.629206
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56	6	0	-4.863104	0.468208	-1.602650
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64	8	0	-4.735802	3.012914	0.948864
65	16	0	1.409268	-1.909376	1.047967
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**Figure S17.** Optimized geometry of **2<sup>Se</sup>**.

Cartesian coordinates for the calculated structure of **2<sup>Se</sup>** (in Å).

<i>Center Number</i>	<i>Atomic Number</i>	<i>Atomic Type</i>	<i>Coordinates (Angstroms)</i>		
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3	32	0	-2.406066	0.226071	0.056353
4	32	0	0.498531	-2.025187	-1.135523
5	44	0	1.897583	-0.043722	4.419995
6	6	0	3.718746	-1.417019	4.231647
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45	1	0	2.772515	-6.717012	-2.233932
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47	1	0	3.641105	-2.496095	-1.403987
48	8	0	-0.796361	-3.656725	-4.455117
49	8	0	-0.703314	-5.713651	-0.598986
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65	34	0	1.398210	-2.109557	1.113291
66	34	0	1.802830	1.850716	0.973626
67	34	0	-1.565009	0.250739	2.323737
68	34	0	-1.539889	2.091069	-1.201225
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