

Are noble gas molecules able to exhibit a superhalogen nature?

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Table ESI.1. The MP2/6-311++G(3df,3pd)+ECPs geometrical parameters and corresponding harmonic vibrational frequencies (in cm^{-1}) for the transition state connecting the KrF_7^- anion and its fragmentation products.

Species (Symmetry)	Geometrical parameters			Vibrational frequencies [cm^{-1}]		
KrF_7^-	$r(\text{Kr}-\text{F}_{1,4})=1.953$	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{KrF}_5)=79.79$	$\nu_1=-82$ (a_2)	$\nu_7=281$ (a_2)	$\nu_{13}=353$ (a_1)	
TS	$r(\text{Kr}-\text{F}_5)=1.988$	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{XeF}_6)=75.92$	$\nu_2=34$ (b_2)	$\nu_8=296$ (a_2)	$\nu_{14}=355$ (a_1)	
(C_{2v})	$r(\text{Kr}-\text{F}_{6,7})=1.989$	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{XeF}_7)=121.96$	$\nu_3=210$ (a_1)	$\nu_9=297$ (b_2)	$\nu_{15}=362$ (b_2)	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{KrF}_2)=81.63$	$\omega(\text{F}_1\text{KrF}_2\text{F}_6)=67.56$	$\nu_4=224$ (b_1)	$\nu_{10}=300$ (b_1)	$\nu_{16}=543$ (a_1)	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{KrF}_3)=94.75$	$\omega(\text{F}_1\text{KrF}_2\text{F}_7)=126.05$	$\nu_5=262$ (b_2)	$\nu_{11}=310$ (b_1)	$\nu_{17}=552$ (b_1)	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{KrF}_4)=159.58$	$\omega(\text{F}_2\text{KrF}_3\text{F}_4)=81.05$	$\nu_6=274$ (a_1)	$\nu_{12}=330$ (a_1)	$\nu_{18}=568$ (b_2)	

Bond lengths (r) in Å, valence angles (α) and dihedral angles (ω) in degrees.

Table ESI.2. The MP2/6-311++G(3df,3pd)+ECPs geometrical parameters and corresponding harmonic vibrational frequencies (in cm^{-1}) for the $\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_{13}^-$ and $\text{Rn}_7\text{F}_{13}^-$ anions. The E_R values (in kcal/mol) stand for the relative energies estimated for the $\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_{13}^-$ isomers with respect to its corresponding global minimum.

Species (Symmetry)	Geometrical parameters	Vibrational frequencies [cm^{-1}]					
$\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_{13}^-$ (C_2) $E_R=0.0$	$r(\text{Xe}_{1,2}-\text{F}_1)=2.269$	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{XeF}_4)=73.48$	$v_1=29$ (b)	$v_{11}=195$ (a)	$v_{21}=287$ (a)	$v_{31}=479$ (b)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_1-\text{F}_2)=2.025$	$\alpha(\text{F}_4\text{XeF}_5)=84.88$	$v_2=35$ (a)	$v_{12}=198$ (b)	$v_{22}=302$ (a)	$v_{32}=511$ (b)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_1-\text{F}_3)=3.010$	$\alpha(\text{F}_4\text{XeF}_6)=76.93$	$v_3=40$ (a)	$v_{13}=208$ (a)	$v_{23}=307$ (b)	$v_{33}=523$ (a)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_{1,2}-\text{F}_4)=1.996$	$\alpha(\text{F}_5\text{XeF}_7)=76.81$	$v_4=66$ (b)	$v_{14}=211$ (b)	$v_{24}=324$ (b)	$v_{34}=541$ (b)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_{1,2}-\text{F}_5)=1.946$	$\alpha(\text{F}_4\text{XeF}_8)=101.18$	$v_5=87$ (a)	$v_{15}=226$ (b)	$v_{25}=335$ (a)	$v_{35}=544$ (a)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_{1,2}-\text{F}_6)=1.947$	$\omega(\text{F}_4\text{XeF}_6\text{F}_7)=172.32$	$v_6=90$ (b)	$v_{16}=238$ (b)	$v_{26}=355$ (b)	$v_{36}=550$ (a)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_{1,2}-\text{F}_7)=1.950$	$\omega(\text{F}_8\text{XeF}_1\text{F}_5)=176.01$	$v_7=107$ (a)	$v_{17}=246$ (a)	$v_{27}=369$ (a)	$v_{37}=550$ (b)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_{1,2}-\text{F}_8)=1.979$	$\omega(\text{F}_8\text{XeF}_6\text{F}_5)=103.63$	$v_8=116$ (b)	$v_{18}=252$ (b)	$v_{28}=470$ (a)	$v_{38}=570$ (b)	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{XeF}_2)=71.52$	$\omega(\text{F}_8\text{XeF}_7\text{F}_4)=99.54$	$v_9=141$ (a)	$v_{19}=258$ (a)	$v_{29}=473$ (b)	$v_{39}=575$ (a)	
			$v_{10}=161$ (a)	$v_{20}=263$ (b)	$v_{30}=478$ (a)		
$\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_{13}^-$ (C_{2v}) $E_R=0.3$	$r(\text{Xe}_1-\text{F}_1)=2.547$	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_1)=69.83$	$v_1=18$ (b ₂)	$v_{10}=146$ (b ₂)	$v_{20}=285$ (b)	$v_{29}=462$ (a ₁)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_1-\text{F}_2)=2.006$	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{Xe}_1\text{F}_2)=70.62$	$v_2=26$ (b ₂)	$v_{11}=160$ (b ₂)	$v_{21}=290$ (b)	$v_{30}=481$ (b ₁)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_1-\text{F}_3)=1.946$	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{Xe}_1\text{F}_3)=71.41$	$v_3=47$ (b ₂)	$v_{12}=168$ (b ₂)	$v_{22}=304$ (b)	$v_{31}=482$ (a ₁)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_1-\text{F}_4)=1.932$	$\alpha(\text{F}_3\text{Xe}_1\text{F}_4)=82.48$	$v_4=72$ (b ₂)	$v_{13}=173$ (b ₂)	$v_{23}=331$ (b ₁)	$v_{32}=500$ (d)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_2-\text{F}_1)=2.093$	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_5)=90.89$	$v_5=84$ (b ₂)	$v_{14,15}=204$ (b ₂)	$v_{24}=373$ (b ₂)	$v_{33}=527$ (d)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_2-\text{F}_5)=1.968$	$\alpha(\text{F}_5\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_6)=89.69$	$v_6=89$ (b ₂)	$v_{16}=206$ (b ₂)	$v_{25}=384$ (a ₁)	$v_{34}=528$ (d)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_2-\text{F}_6)=1.996$	$\alpha(\text{F}_5\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_7)=88.91$	$v_7=95$ (b ₂)	$v_{17}=222$ (b ₂)	$v_{26}=397$ (c)	$v_{35}=535$ (a ₁)	
	$r(\text{Xe}_2-\text{F}_7)=1.985$	$\omega(\text{F}_1\text{Xe}_1\text{F}_3\text{F}_4)=142.32$	$v_8=123$ (b ₂)	$v_{18}=233$ (a)	$v_{27}=401$ (c)	$v_{36,37}=559$ (d)	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{Xe}_1\text{F}_1)=56.11$	$\omega(\text{F}_1\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_6\text{F}_5)=91.04$	$v_9=128$ (b ₂)	$v_{19}=253$ (a)	$v_{28}=444$ (a ₁)	$v_{38}=575$ (d)	
						$v_{39}=585$ (d)	
$\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_{13}^-$ (D_{5d}) $E_R=18.7$	$r(\text{Xe}-\text{F}_1)=2.308$	$v_1=3$ (a _{1u})	$v_{10}=73$ (a _{2u})	$v_{18}=285$ (a _{1g})	$v_{26,27}=424$ (e _{2g})	$v_{34,35}=540$ (e _{1g})	
	$r(\text{Xe}-\text{F}_2)=1.981$	$v_{2,3}=18$ (e _{1u})	$v_{11}=77$ (a _{1g})	$v_{19}=320$ (a _{2u})	$v_{28,29}=474$ (e _{2u})	$v_{36,37}=553$ (e _{1u})	
	$r(\text{Xe}-\text{F}_3)=1.865$	$v_{4,5}=32$ (e _{1g})	$v_{12,13}=95$ (e _{1u})	$v_{20,21}=340$ (e _{1g})	$v_{30,31}=474$ (e _{2g})	$v_{38}=606$ (a _{2u})	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{XeF}_2)=95.44$	$v_{6,7}=71$ (e _{2u})	$v_{14,15}=264$ (e _{1g})	$v_{22,23}=340$ (e _{1u})	$v_{32}=529$ (a _{1g})	$v_{39}=618$ (a _{1g})	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_2\text{XeF}_2)=71.62$	$v_{8,9}=72$ (e _{2g})	$v_{16,17}=265$ (e _{1u})	$v_{24,25}=423$ (e _{2u})	$v_{33}=538$ (a _{2u})		
	$\omega(\text{F}_1\text{XeF}_2\text{F}_2)=93.94$						
$\text{Xe}_2\text{F}_{13}^-$ (D_{5h}) $E_R=18.7$	$r(\text{Xe}-\text{F}_1)=2.308$	$v_1=5$ (a)	$v_{10}=73$ (a)	$v_{18}=285$ (d)	$v_{26,27}=424$ (e _{2g})	$v_{34,35}=540$ (b)	
	$r(\text{Xe}-\text{F}_2)=1.981$	$v_{2,3}=18$ (b)	$v_{11}=77$ (d)	$v_{19}=320$ (a)	$v_{28,29}=474$ (c)	$v_{36,37}=553$ (b)	
	$r(\text{Xe}-\text{F}_3)=1.865$	$v_{4,5}=32$ (b)	$v_{12,13}=94$ (b)	$v_{20,21}=340$ (b)	$v_{30,31}=475$ (a)	$v_{38}=606$ (a _{2u})	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_1\text{XeF}_2)=95.44$	$v_{6,7}=70$ (c)	$v_{14,15}=264$ (b)	$v_{22,23}=340$ (b)	$v_{32}=529$ (d)	$v_{39}=618$ (a _{1g})	
	$\alpha(\text{F}_2\text{XeF}_2)=71.62$	$v_{8,9}=73$ (a)	$v_{16,17}=265$ (b)	$v_{24,25}=423$ (c)	$v_{33}=538$ (a)		
	$\omega(\text{F}_1\text{XeF}_2\text{F}_2)=93.94$						

Species (Symmetry)	Geometrical parameters		Vibrational frequencies [cm ⁻¹]					
Rn₂F₁₃⁻ <i>(C₂)</i>	r(Rn _{1,2} -F ₁)= 2.305	α(F ₂ RnF ₄)=87.72	v ₁ =7 (b)	v ₁₀ =165 (b)	v ₁₉ =260 (b)	v ₂₈ =439 (b)		
	r(Rn ₁ -F ₂)= 2.202	α(F ₄ RnF ₅)=84.17	v ₂ =27 (a)	v ₁₁ =165 (a)	v ₂₀ =277 (b)	v ₂₉ =456 (a)		
	r(Rn ₁ -F ₃)= 2.460	α(F ₄ RnF ₆)=78.71	v ₃ =72 (a)	v ₁₂ =190 (a)	v ₂₁ =285 (a)	v _{30,31} =518 (a)		
	r(Rn _{1,2} -F ₄)= 2.039	α(F ₄ RnF ₇)=94.86	v ₄ =80 (b)	v ₁₃ =193 (b)	v ₂₂ =301 (a)	v ₃₂ =531 (a)		
	r(Rn _{1,2} -F ₅)= 2.034	α(F ₄ RnF ₈)=155.66	v ₅ =95 (a)	v ₁₄ =224 (a)	v ₂₃ =312 (b)	v ₃₃ =534 (b)		
	r(Rn _{1,2} -F ₆)= 2.016	ω(F ₄ RnF ₂ F ₈)=159.66	v ₆ =119 (a)	v ₁₅ =228 (b)	v ₂₄ =324 (b)	v ₃₄ =545 (a)		
	r(Rn _{1,2} -F ₇)= 2.038	ω(F ₄ RnF ₅ F ₈)=160.71	v ₇ =127 (b)	v ₁₆ =246 (b)	v ₂₅ =333 (a)	v _{35,36} =547 (b)		
	r(Rn _{1,2} -F ₈)= 2.049	ω(F ₈ RnF ₆ F ₄)=169.42	v ₈ =144 (a)	v ₁₇ =248 (a)	v ₂₆ =351 (b)	v ₃₇ =560 (a)		
		ω(F ₈ RnF ₇ F ₄)=156.16	v ₉ =146 (b)	v ₁₈ =260 (a)	v ₂₇ =393 (a)	v ₃₈ =560 (b)		
		ω(F ₁ RnF ₄)=132.28	ω(F ₈ RnF ₁ F ₄)=179.79			v ₃₉ =563 (a)		

Bond lengths (r) in Å, valence angles (α) and dihedral angles (ω) in degrees.