

## Electronic Supplementary Information

### THEORETICAL STUDY ON THE PHOTOOXYGENATION AND PHOTOREARRANGEMENT REACTIONS OF 3-HYDROXYFLAVONE

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Table S1 – The calculated excitation energies on the  $S_1$  optimized structures of the normal ( $N^*$ ) and phototautomeric ( $PT^*$ ) forms of 3HF in hexane.<sup>a</sup>

State	Excitation energies (eV)			
	$N^*$ form multiplicity		$PT^*$ form multiplicity	
	triplet	singlet	singlet	triplet
1	1.60	3.41	2.47	1.76
2	2.00			2.39
3	2.08			2.66
4	2.54			3.06
5	2.66			3.12
6	2.89			3.34
7	2.95			3.47
8	3.04			3.61
9	3.07			3.68
10	3.49			4.02
11	3.68			4.03
12	3.68			4.19
13	3.89			4.38
14	4.04			4.44
15	4.13			4.55
16	4.14			4.63
17	4.23			4.67
18	4.32			4.68
19	4.45			4.79
20	4.46			4.88

<sup>a</sup> The excitation energies were calculated on the optimized  $S_1$  structures employing the M062X functional with the 6-311++G\*\* basis set.

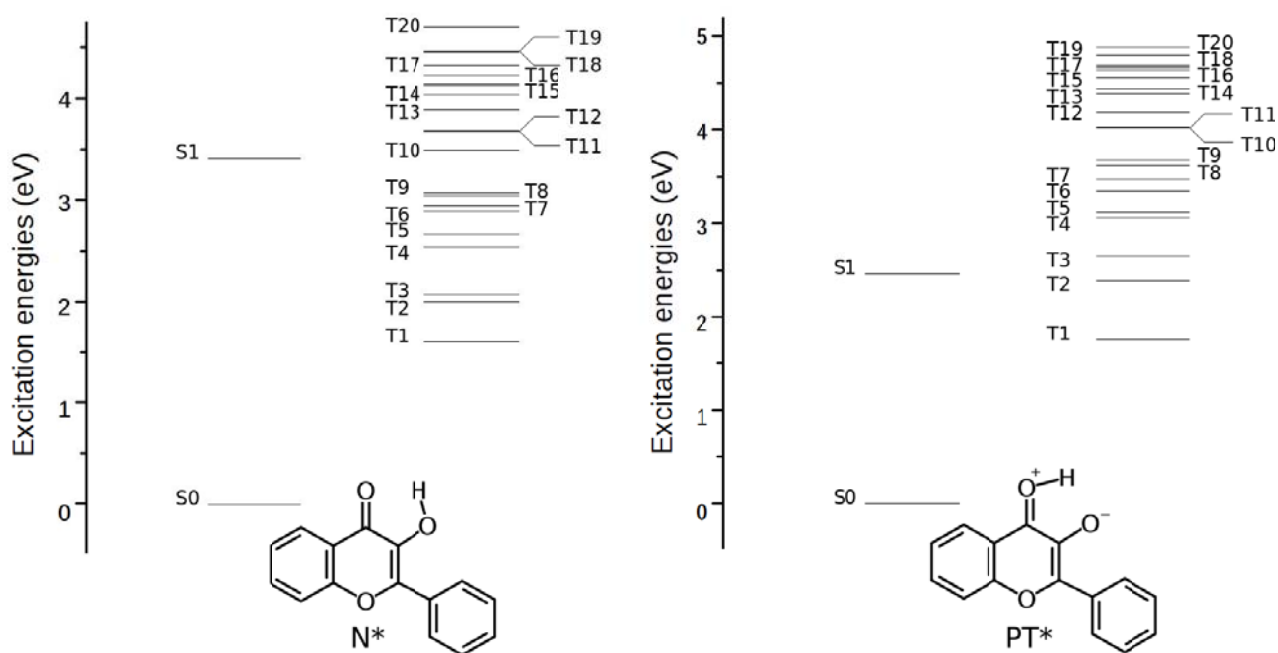


Table S2. Descartes coordinates of the stationary points in the photooxygenation reaction of 3HF with  $^3\text{O}_2$  in *n*-hexane (see Fig. 3 in the main text)

$^1\text{N}$			$^3\text{N}^*$				
C	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000		
C	0.000000	0.000000	1.401366	0.000000	1.425649		
C	1.223740	0.000000	2.082939	0.000000	2.091133		
C	2.416651	-0.004765	1.370612	0.006757	1.363646		
C	2.409772	-0.015043	-0.020238	2.414629	0.016830	-0.033670	
C	1.196638	-0.012502	-0.702590	1.186417	0.012200	-0.702756	
C	-1.283280	0.012587	2.119764	-1.221364	-0.005515	2.118965	
C	-1.509589	-0.354319	3.407300	-1.446687	0.037624	3.575396	
C	-2.846734	-0.323208	3.992115	-2.661446	-0.406126	4.172740	
C	-3.908736	0.131088	3.102721	-3.695007	-0.867001	3.234543	
C	-3.581821	0.486440	1.795014	-3.502895	-0.652054	1.867374	
O	-2.313523	0.424817	1.329209	O	-2.365625	-0.042159	1.374009
C	-4.562144	0.929689	0.902038	C	-4.469022	-1.009308	0.941560
C	-5.869265	1.009379	1.336463	C	-5.645800	-1.602589	1.389961
C	-6.218003	0.653832	2.650653	C	-5.852424	-1.833716	2.747894
C	-5.245169	0.219279	3.523802	C	-4.878732	-1.462363	3.666174
O	-3.002959	-0.677720	5.155841	O	-2.791703	-0.327872	5.411855
O	-0.533189	-0.791322	4.231100	O	-0.532939	0.547633	4.370953
H	-5.476336	-0.062762	4.543947	H	-5.014744	-1.614698	4.730302
H	-7.249366	0.723505	2.972071	H	-6.770824	-2.295871	3.086922
H	-6.635695	1.352295	0.651883	H	-6.404382	-1.884619	0.669979
H	-4.273220	1.200790	-0.105429	H	-4.290525	-0.818646	-0.109087
H	-0.980844	-1.007836	5.066755	H	-0.912339	0.488477	5.273344
H	1.241596	0.009610	3.162835	H	1.301168	-0.010658	3.170393
H	3.356882	0.000788	1.908748	H	3.380781	0.001493	1.889509
H	1.181488	-0.020119	-1.785842	H	1.162716	0.015837	-1.786186
H	-0.940638	0.004465	-0.534471	H	-0.945576	-0.005805	-0.524669
H	3.343525	-0.022685	-0.569748	H	3.341879	0.023263	-0.592742
$^1\text{N}^*$			$^1\text{PT}$				
C	-3.671874	0.339735	0.027178	C	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000
C	-2.268629	0.356271	0.006687	C	0.000000	0.000000	1.405991
C	-1.589121	-0.874487	-0.007605	C	1.227907	0.000000	2.088509
C	-2.262810	-2.075990	-0.001772	C	2.418468	-0.000021	1.371422
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O	-0.208254	-0.949250	-0.029462	C	-1.259739	-0.000022	2.138412
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C	4.728932	-0.794491	0.020975	C	-5.935027	-0.001379	1.275825
C	4.321972	0.543346	0.061719	C	-6.234347	-0.000765	2.658831
C	2.984328	0.879474	0.051591	C	-5.226679	-0.000173	3.586566
O	0.612815	2.535341	-0.047870	O	-2.881949	0.001074	5.317244
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H	5.782836	-1.044501	0.030069	H	3.342748	-0.000021	-0.570377

<sup>1</sup>PT\*

C	0.000081	-0.000015	-0.000061
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<sup>3</sup>PT\*

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O	-2.941400	-0.000600	0.461000
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H	-5.525700	-0.001100	4.602100
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H	5.784262	-0.962622	-0.341817
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## TS2a

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C	-1.401000	-1.505200	-0.012800
C	-2.181500	-0.202600	0.058600
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C	-3.525200	-0.153800	0.411100
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O	0.479400	-1.290500	1.694200
O	-1.827200	-2.551300	0.786000
O	-1.074100	-1.864700	-1.217500
H	-1.627600	-2.359200	1.712100
H	-4.019000	-1.073500	0.702600
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H	-4.085300	3.152400	-0.059100
H	-1.674600	3.068800	-0.662100
H	2.837900	-1.620600	-1.089500
H	5.180900	-1.119500	-0.448700
H	5.718000	0.997400	0.723400
H	3.911200	2.604600	1.258500
H	1.569100	2.093800	0.629000

## TS2b

O	0.803787	-1.564878	1.440490
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C	2.229042	-0.198002	-0.151246
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C	4.231595	1.083254	-0.467081
C	3.533681	2.233072	-0.103070
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H	1.083072	-2.614273	0.934817

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C	1.031529	-0.429165	3.650872
C	-0.270498	-0.453597	4.142574
C	-1.337839	-0.191610	3.291296
C	-1.108640	0.096965	1.949742
H	2.277881	-0.131729	1.924992
H	1.866161	-0.632506	4.310694
H	-0.451544	-0.676180	5.187425
H	-2.352810	-0.208548	3.669466
H	-1.936916	0.308973	1.286912
O	-0.676260	1.024272	-0.547657
C	-0.973108	0.959679	-1.877925
C	-1.773088	1.983379	-2.378965
H	-2.061294	2.790336	-1.717728
C	-2.175277	1.944140	-3.703973
H	-2.794243	2.744575	-4.091785
C	-1.791634	0.893071	-4.544118
H	-2.110922	0.877591	-5.578062
C	-1.000444	-0.120536	-4.040588
H	-0.681043	-0.951615	-4.658288
C	-0.585247	-0.098918	-2.702899
C	0.261080	-1.169622	-2.167435
O	0.549763	-2.184528	-2.746082
C	0.856135	-0.910295	-0.763461
O	1.665056	-1.652840	-0.296601
H	2.907443	1.117823	-1.352819
O	1.562585	1.258812	-0.050775
O	1.968979	1.343135	-1.419083

SA

C	0.000100	0.000900	-0.001700
C	-0.001100	0.001600	1.396900
C	1.188900	0.000800	2.108800
C	2.401600	0.001700	1.431700
C	2.424300	-0.011000	0.040600
C	1.230000	-0.016800	-0.663400
O	-1.165900	0.044800	2.140800
C	-1.999700	-1.030800	2.082600
O	-1.710400	-2.048500	1.520600
C	-1.215100	0.017100	-0.867900
O	-2.347200	0.346800	-0.225500
C	-3.272200	-0.780600	2.806600
C	-4.157400	-1.849500	2.948900
C	-5.364900	-1.662200	3.607600
C	-5.689500	-0.407800	4.118900
C	-4.807400	0.659400	3.972600
C	-3.595600	0.476500	3.317200
O	-1.191800	-0.212400	-2.048200
H	1.220700	-0.030800	-1.746100
H	3.366800	-0.017700	-0.491900
H	3.327800	0.004700	1.993500
H	1.142700	-0.003200	3.190500
H	-3.884300	-2.814600	2.539800
H	-2.903800	1.299400	3.194200
H	-5.064500	1.634300	4.368600
H	-6.053100	-2.490800	3.722200
H	-3.065900	0.313100	-0.872500
H	-6.632900	-0.261400	4.631800

Table S3. Descartes coordinates of the stationary points in the photosensitized oxygenation of 3HF in acetonitrile (see Fig. 5.in the main article)

<sup>1</sup> N			NP				
C	-0.000981	-0.005020	0.000597				
C	-0.001034	-0.005367	1.405807	O	-0.042471	0.011170	-0.008678
C	1.217611	0.018637	2.084043	C	-0.012487	-0.001080	1.409931
C	2.431621	0.043788	1.391022	C	1.498603	0.002649	1.692661
C	2.407696	0.044036	0.011413	C	1.985609	-0.926515	0.591151
C	1.189884	0.019622	-0.691292	O	1.272563	-0.342207	-0.524680
O	1.285682	0.023720	3.435482	C	1.427525	-2.296771	0.904150
C	0.164142	0.001495	4.202142	C	0.175404	-2.361583	1.521296
C	-1.066019	-0.029273	3.627249	O	-0.526460	-1.229234	1.886212
C	-1.234246	-0.035537	2.180380	C	2.102990	-3.470935	0.589962
C	0.470098	-0.019352	5.640839	C	1.528995	-4.702223	0.881899
C	1.716725	-0.496249	6.067681	C	0.277551	-4.754200	1.492341
C	2.029475	-0.526734	7.420108	C	-0.405437	-3.587327	1.814258
C	1.109753	-0.072952	8.362314	C	-0.805260	1.144563	1.961748
C	-0.125357	0.412734	7.943097	C	-1.596326	0.980487	3.096214
C	-0.449971	0.439535	6.591815	C	-2.279847	2.074045	3.619699
O	-2.207807	-0.083327	4.349539	C	-2.168846	3.323343	3.017583
O	-2.367695	-0.077113	1.703764	C	-1.370559	3.483909	1.887468
H	-0.954828	-0.024542	-0.512472	C	-0.687115	2.396205	1.357829
H	1.192890	0.020444	-1.773782	O	3.314291	-0.945915	0.311663
H	3.342517	0.063680	-0.535454	O	2.121494	0.589268	2.518838
H	3.358696	0.063066	1.949766	H	3.078672	-3.406941	0.124383
H	-2.927554	-0.125162	3.697702	H	2.055480	-5.616047	0.638431
H	-1.409048	0.824206	6.275567	H	-0.172935	-5.711775	1.723341
H	-0.841197	0.776485	8.670330	H	-1.376638	-3.610347	2.292237
H	2.993280	-0.905129	7.738668	H	-0.070946	2.513831	0.474133
H	2.434804	-0.847365	5.337880	H	-1.679046	0.007097	3.561401
H	1.356135	-0.095078	9.417151	H	-2.899386	1.947139	4.499106
				H	-1.282485	4.455202	1.416389
				H	3.674058	-0.049511	0.345174
				H	-2.703153	4.171913	3.427773
TS1			TS2a				
C	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	C	-0.004578	0.018944	0.006377
C	0.000000	0.000000	1.404363	C	-0.003629	-0.012856	1.396232
C	1.219805	0.000000	2.080763	C	1.209932	-0.009470	2.093607
C	2.432878	0.007814	1.388208	C	2.412060	0.001524	1.397229
C	2.408260	0.010647	0.009084	C	2.399655	0.016445	0.007498
C	1.190534	0.005548	-0.692417	C	1.196114	0.030957	-0.693476
O	1.293781	-0.010785	3.440041	O	1.311061	0.016463	3.472708
C	0.165567	0.005123	4.189731	C	0.144199	0.081595	4.283381
C	-1.065421	-0.009207	3.625036	C	-0.918218	0.981930	3.437496
C	-1.242382	-0.010012	2.171027	C	-1.276379	-0.113708	2.220096
C	0.423708	0.014871	5.647220	C	0.419752	0.846916	5.570815
C	0.539332	1.229872	6.321130	C	1.515678	1.700091	5.644721
C	0.791421	1.241527	7.688256	C	1.734678	2.423598	6.814534
C	0.927109	0.042142	8.380775	C	0.861669	2.300998	7.890011
C	0.808574	-1.170182	7.707983	C	-0.237168	1.449533	7.800812
C	0.555984	-1.187449	6.340764	C	-0.461686	0.717395	6.640973
O	-2.182042	-0.017146	4.371310	O	-0.478011	-1.040594	4.446203
O	-2.370439	-0.017842	1.698841	O	-1.393923	2.022508	3.595501
O	-0.166751	-2.564877	3.359334	O	-2.455396	0.323010	1.648215
O	0.978971	-2.728043	3.052101	O	-1.404150	-1.244778	2.860046
H	-2.923271	-0.037261	3.743961	H	-2.420298	1.279354	1.505127
H	-0.957020	-0.004021	-0.507683	H	-0.953987	0.025357	-0.516096
H	1.192574	0.005364	-1.774946	H	1.193298	0.049748	-1.775733
H	3.343142	0.015462	-0.538212	H	3.340335	0.025025	-0.529504
H	3.358394	0.006415	1.949616	H	3.340023	0.006453	1.955485
H	0.453799	-2.126119	5.809033	H	-1.309487	0.047746	6.566751
H	0.909795	-2.103827	8.247937	H	-0.918381	1.349726	8.636965
H	1.121790	0.052374	9.446634	H	1.036060	2.867044	8.797050
H	0.879671	2.185679	8.211952	H	2.590195	3.084841	6.879648
H	0.427497	2.159092	5.774265	H	2.190802	1.793016	4.804544

## TS2b

C	-0.002275	0.044675	0.002694
C	0.000293	-0.001880	1.394252
C	1.204902	-0.047093	2.098812
C	2.407955	-0.053234	1.404650
C	2.409750	-0.010909	0.012253
C	1.207245	0.039340	-0.685405
C	-1.282581	0.034116	2.164874
C	-1.489625	1.229590	3.112327
C	-2.766540	0.876939	3.882812
O	-2.397661	-0.779727	3.947773
O	-1.251398	-1.036834	3.117034
O	-2.399067	-0.101930	1.314708
C	-3.603282	0.500235	1.632605
C	-3.883961	0.985681	2.917046
C	-4.565865	0.563371	0.638952
C	-5.804677	1.124326	0.938560
C	-6.088202	1.616185	2.211581
C	-5.122420	1.543673	3.207784
O	-2.826970	0.978831	5.171284
O	-0.802889	2.190986	3.255848
H	1.201174	-0.080986	3.182028
H	3.342863	-0.090153	1.950043
H	3.349166	-0.015142	-0.527463
H	1.207359	0.073854	-1.767958
H	-0.940459	0.084920	-0.534364
H	-4.342541	0.171938	-0.345354
H	-6.558463	1.175841	0.162384
H	-7.056030	2.051307	2.423703
H	-5.308574	1.914916	4.208481
H	-2.279196	-0.230109	5.000968

## XP

C	0.027754	0.054916	-0.020819
C	0.003365	0.020064	1.535259
O	1.292096	0.008909	2.102035
C	2.350515	-0.592999	1.483944
C	2.429485	-0.791201	0.102036
C	1.309542	-0.403362	-0.754431
C	3.584674	-1.364285	-0.448601
C	4.641745	-1.725934	0.362578
C	4.549590	-1.514002	1.743215
C	3.414902	-0.952273	2.306513
C	-0.757708	1.194234	2.110378
C	-2.152420	1.197240	2.067040
C	-2.855347	2.289476	2.562135
C	-2.171227	3.380452	3.092275
C	-0.780555	3.377163	3.127302
C	-0.070342	2.285234	2.637324
O	-0.703262	-1.132016	1.922170
O	-0.146033	-2.231090	1.197550
O	1.304258	-0.438014	-1.959979
O	-0.945741	0.370490	-0.636264
H	-2.682208	0.349945	1.651478
H	-3.938176	2.287728	2.533094
H	-2.721648	4.230782	3.476927
H	-0.244181	4.223776	3.538310
H	1.011272	2.279611	2.667633
H	3.332936	-0.784030	3.372645
H	5.374573	-1.794626	2.387049
H	5.532766	-2.169222	-0.062319
H	3.620507	-1.513347	-1.521203
H	-0.939614	-2.630955	0.811629

## SA

C	0.002766	-0.052650	-0.002533
C	0.001973	0.016508	1.391719
C	1.205748	0.060054	2.097090
C	2.410888	0.030249	1.408265
C	2.413441	-0.038365	0.016370
C	1.212093	-0.078574	-0.687173
C	-1.259037	0.062010	2.172354
O	-1.334196	0.220481	3.361069
O	-2.350996	-0.110712	1.383464
C	-3.603749	0.012081	1.959406
C	-4.065994	1.213733	2.505949
C	-5.353872	1.245020	3.045756
C	-6.169127	0.122890	3.020296
C	-5.693777	-1.059986	2.462168
C	-4.407205	-1.117599	1.939343
C	-3.283580	2.482140	2.566608
O	-3.537844	3.382308	3.326598
O	-2.288286	2.553557	1.674487
H	-5.704391	2.174206	3.477474
H	-7.168517	0.170587	3.433367
H	-6.320044	-1.943323	2.437985
H	-4.009105	-2.029969	1.513401
H	1.183391	0.115608	3.178570
H	-0.934788	-0.081889	-0.542147
H	1.217625	-0.129557	-1.769006
H	3.346323	0.061345	1.953157
H	-1.839842	3.404596	1.790153
H	3.354129	-0.059764	-0.521083



Table S4. Descartes coordinates of the stationary points in the photorearrangement reaction of 3HF in *n*-hexane (see Fig. 7 in the main article)

<sup>1</sup> N			<sup>3</sup> N*		
C	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	C	0.000000
C	0.000000	0.000000	1.401366	C	0.000000
C	1.223740	0.000000	2.082939	C	1.260017
C	2.416651	-0.004765	1.370612	C	2.433352
C	2.409772	-0.015043	-0.020238	C	2.414629
C	1.196638	-0.012502	-0.702590	C	1.186417
C	-1.283280	0.012587	2.119764	C	-1.221364
C	-1.509589	-0.354319	3.407300	C	-1.446687
C	-2.846734	-0.323208	3.992115	C	-2.661446
C	-3.908736	0.131088	3.102721	C	-3.695007
C	-3.581821	0.486440	1.795014	C	-3.502895
O	-2.313523	0.424817	1.329209	O	-2.365625
C	-4.562144	0.929689	0.902038	C	-4.469022
C	-5.869265	1.009379	1.336463	C	-5.645800
C	-6.218003	0.653832	2.650653	C	-5.852424
C	-5.245169	0.219279	3.523802	C	-4.878732
O	-3.002959	-0.677720	5.155841	O	-2.791703
O	-0.533189	-0.791322	4.231100	O	-0.532939
H	-5.476336	-0.062762	4.543947	H	-5.014744
H	-7.249366	0.723505	2.972071	H	-6.770824
H	-6.635695	1.352295	0.651883	H	-6.404382
H	-4.273220	1.200790	-0.105429	H	-4.290525
H	-0.980844	-1.007836	5.066755	H	-0.912339
H	1.241596	0.009610	3.162835	H	1.301168
H	3.356882	0.000788	1.908748	H	3.380781
H	1.181488	-0.020119	-1.785842	H	1.162716
H	-0.940638	0.004465	-0.534471	H	-0.945576
H	3.343525	-0.022685	-0.569748	H	3.341879
<sup>1</sup> N*			TS1		
C	-3.671874	0.339735	0.027178	C	-0.084663
C	-2.268629	0.356271	0.006687	C	-0.029839
C	-1.589121	-0.874487	-0.007605	C	1.234694
C	-2.262810	-2.075990	-0.001722	C	2.394766
C	-3.666101	-2.071094	0.019245	C	2.320536
C	-4.362077	-0.868512	0.033431	C	1.071644
O	-0.208254	-0.949250	-0.029462	C	-1.282240
C	0.597193	0.139160	-0.017151	C	-1.387215
C	-0.053347	1.404037	-0.022356	C	-2.725250
C	-1.502390	1.573100	-0.004981	C	-3.514623
C	1.987078	-0.140046	-0.003171	C	-2.730406
C	2.421561	-1.499736	-0.039839	O	-2.099538
C	3.764489	-1.807693	-0.029033	C	-3.282986
C	4.728932	-0.794491	0.020975	C	-4.472381
C	4.321972	0.543346	0.061719	C	-5.199725
C	2.984328	0.879474	0.051591	C	-4.700926
O	0.612815	2.535341	-0.047870	O	-0.474863
O	-1.934825	2.748841	-0.011129	O	-3.113487
H	-4.190352	1.290499	0.037260	H	1.360254
H	-5.444902	-0.869760	0.049093	H	3.356783
H	-4.199860	-3.013059	0.023589	H	3.223303
H	-1.697975	-2.999556	-0.013638	H	0.991961
H	-0.099032	3.222360	-0.041128	H	-1.036474
H	2.695104	1.918614	0.088356	H	-5.216857
H	5.064414	1.331226	0.104569	H	-6.139357
H	4.073770	-2.845660	-0.059988	H	-4.892470
H	1.682884	-2.288055	-0.080013	H	-2.816876
H	5.782836	-1.044501	0.030069	H	0.179606

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C	-0.262160	-0.441536	0.491628
C	-0.010882	-0.367601	1.863020
C	1.131305	0.281224	2.324515
C	2.017067	0.856680	1.416061
C	1.765426	0.784541	0.051068
C	0.623249	0.133888	-0.410513
C	-1.000843	-0.987762	2.841334
C	-2.328890	-0.210587	2.961891
C	-3.414519	-1.045316	2.710858
C	-2.950206	-2.422550	2.364465
C	-1.513197	-2.349356	2.415067
C	-4.708404	-0.550131	2.762325
C	-4.885717	0.793168	3.089443
C	-3.791105	1.619132	3.350989
C	-2.488432	1.122606	3.292497
O	-0.539068	-0.995934	4.139484
O	-0.728482	-3.372994	2.127605
O	-3.641889	-3.389022	2.079224
H	-5.548457	-1.201322	2.551053
H	-5.886260	1.205472	3.140965
H	-3.955318	2.659900	3.602526
H	-1.632174	1.756888	3.490456
H	-1.154427	-0.944272	0.130551
H	1.322106	0.335298	3.389155
H	2.905654	1.359464	1.778780
H	0.421973	0.075458	-1.473346
H	2.456477	1.231650	-0.653394
H	0.202566	-3.114135	2.157439

## TS2

C	-0.002955	-0.000296	-0.022716
C	-0.064358	-0.011155	1.466966
C	1.320357	-0.022718	1.903190
C	2.296922	0.023275	0.743115
C	1.320530	0.014768	-0.453910
C	-1.046010	-0.027170	-0.937454
C	-0.729732	-0.020418	-2.293302
C	0.601006	0.005995	-2.717930
C	1.648781	0.024785	-1.798335
C	3.290399	-1.128261	0.697249
C	4.601630	-0.914271	0.283166
C	5.489971	-1.984607	0.211176
C	5.072174	-3.265773	0.552439
C	3.760187	-3.478247	0.968687
C	2.871504	-2.413104	1.041224
O	2.898927	1.260534	0.647282
O	1.716420	-0.095566	3.177601
O	-1.057549	-0.009089	2.172635
H	4.924277	0.086539	0.024170
H	6.511085	-1.813411	-0.108476
H	5.765542	-4.096521	0.498549
H	3.429495	-4.473829	1.239127
H	1.849751	-2.583294	1.366656
H	-2.072593	-0.053098	-0.591165
H	-1.522817	-0.037715	-3.031031
H	0.821882	0.010024	-3.778536
H	2.683343	0.037139	-2.120937
H	1.871811	0.773858	3.568691

<sup>3</sup>IN\*

C	-0.076879	0.142945	0.015415
C	-0.059079	-0.006390	1.404149
C	1.158386	-0.154861	2.064326
C	2.348489	-0.164300	1.339847
C	2.326753	-0.024891	-0.041550
C	1.109539	0.132042	-0.702607
C	-1.353863	0.053747	2.197534
C	-2.451727	-0.869047	1.474855
C	-3.581255	0.039432	1.038880
C	-3.225735	1.395818	1.495941
C	-2.003665	1.410059	2.155937
C	-1.495445	2.585171	2.677980
C	-2.243546	3.754175	2.528997
C	-3.467518	3.736911	1.859325
C	-3.977453	2.554549	1.330655
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