

Deprotonated Carbohydrate Anion Fragmentation Chemistry: Structural Evidence from Tandem Mass Spectrometry, Infra-Red Spectroscopy, and Theory

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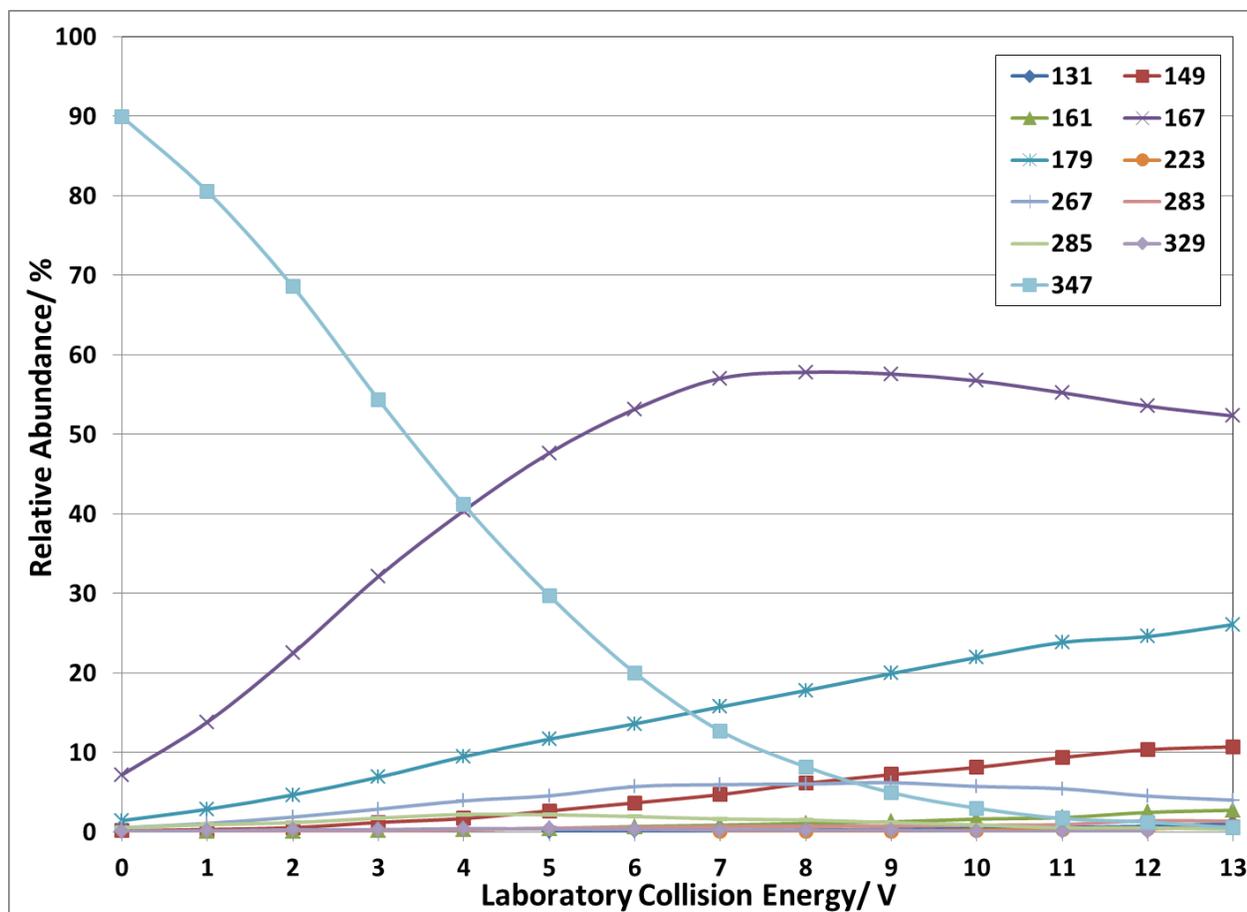


Figure S1: Energy-resolved tandem mass spectra of deprotonated lactose-(glucose- $^{13}\text{C}_6$). KEY: m/z 347, [lactose-(glucose- $^{13}\text{C}_6$)-H] $^-$; m/z 167, Z_1 ($^{13}\text{C}_6\text{H}_9\text{O}_5^-$); m/z 179, C_1 ($\text{C}_6\text{H}_{11}\text{O}_6^-$); m/z 149, $Z_1\text{-H}_2\text{O}$ ($^{13}\text{C}_6\text{H}_7\text{O}_4^-$); m/z 161, B_1 or $C_1\text{-H}_2\text{O}$ ($\text{C}_6\text{H}_9\text{O}_5^-$); m/z 285, $^{0,2}A_2$ ($^{13}\text{C}_4\text{C}_6\text{H}_{17}\text{O}_9^-$); m/z 267, $^{0,2}A_2\text{-H}_2\text{O}$ ($^{13}\text{C}_4\text{C}_6\text{H}_{15}\text{O}_8^-$).

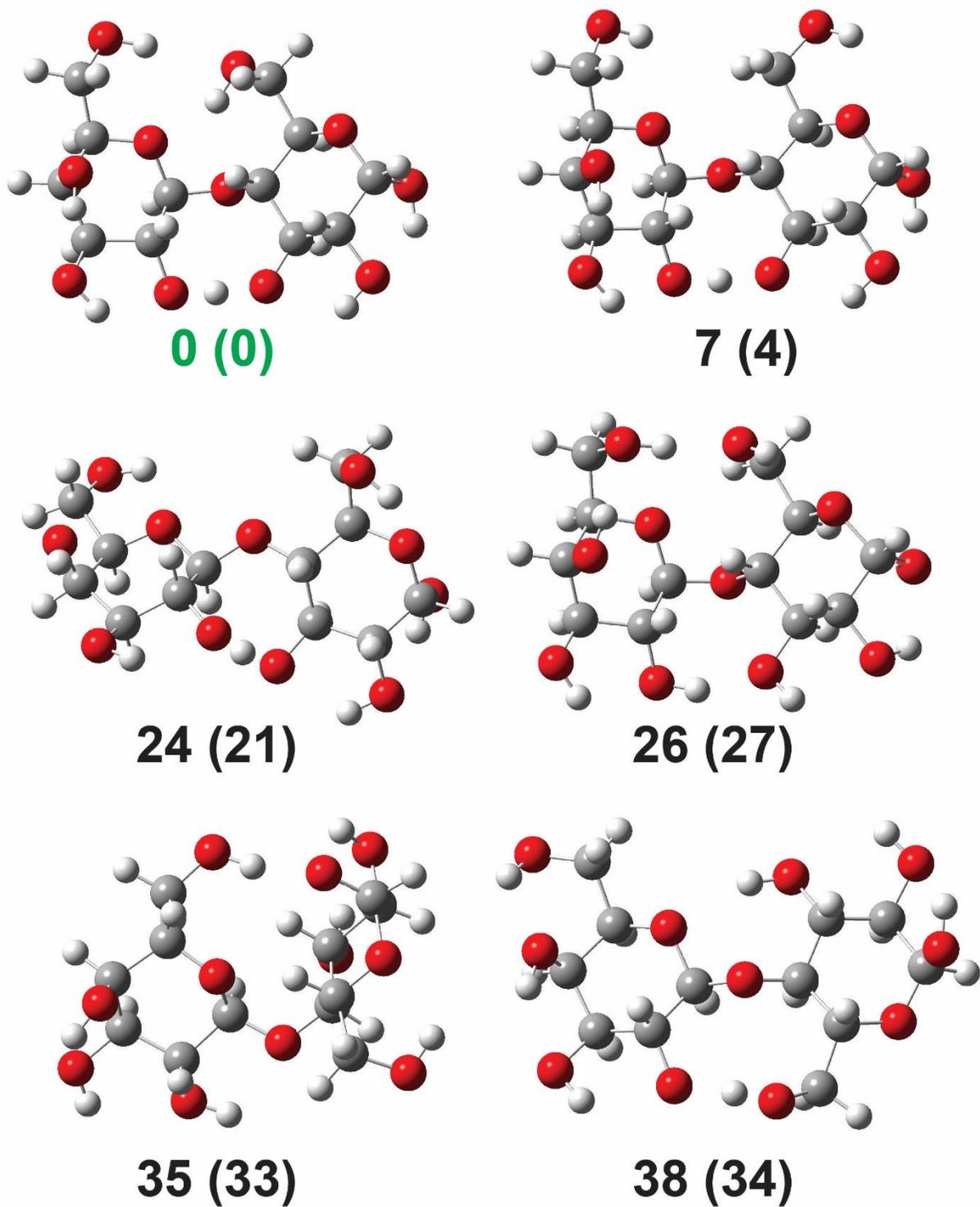
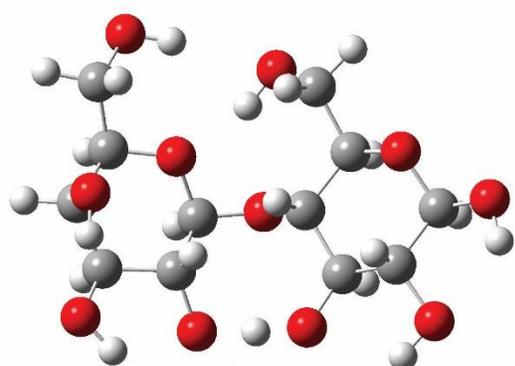
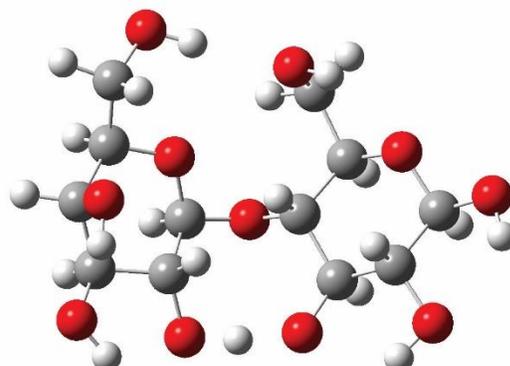


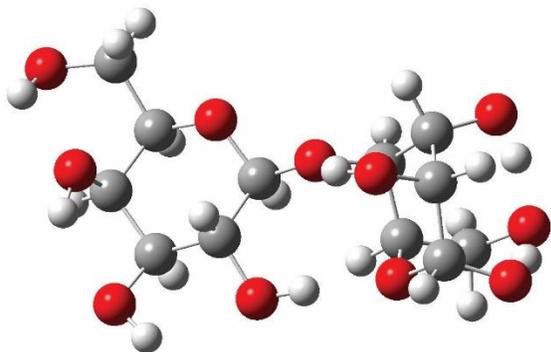
Figure S2: Relative energies of selected low-energy conformers of deprotonated lactose (β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- α -D-Glucose anomer) calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}).



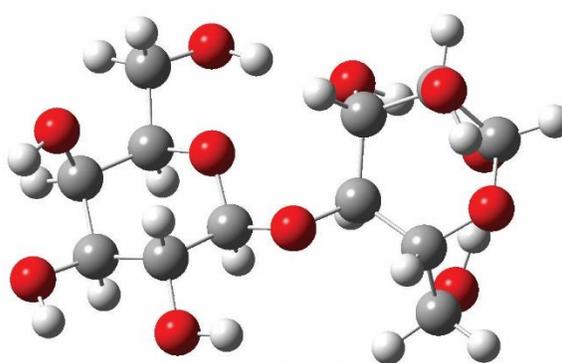
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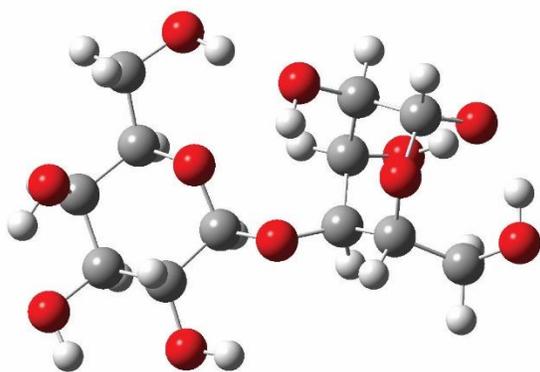
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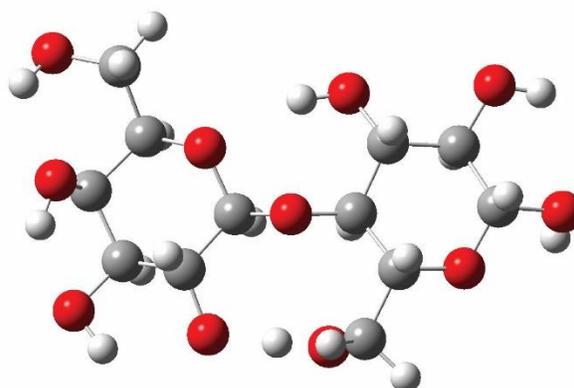
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Figure S3: Relative energies of selected low-energy conformers of deprotonated lactose (β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-Glucose anomer) calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el}+\text{ZPE},0\text{K}}$ (ΔG_{298}). The β -anomer GM is 5.0 (3.6) kJ mol^{-1} , $\Delta E_{\text{el}+\text{ZPE},0\text{K}}$ (ΔG_{298}) above the α -anomer (Table 1).

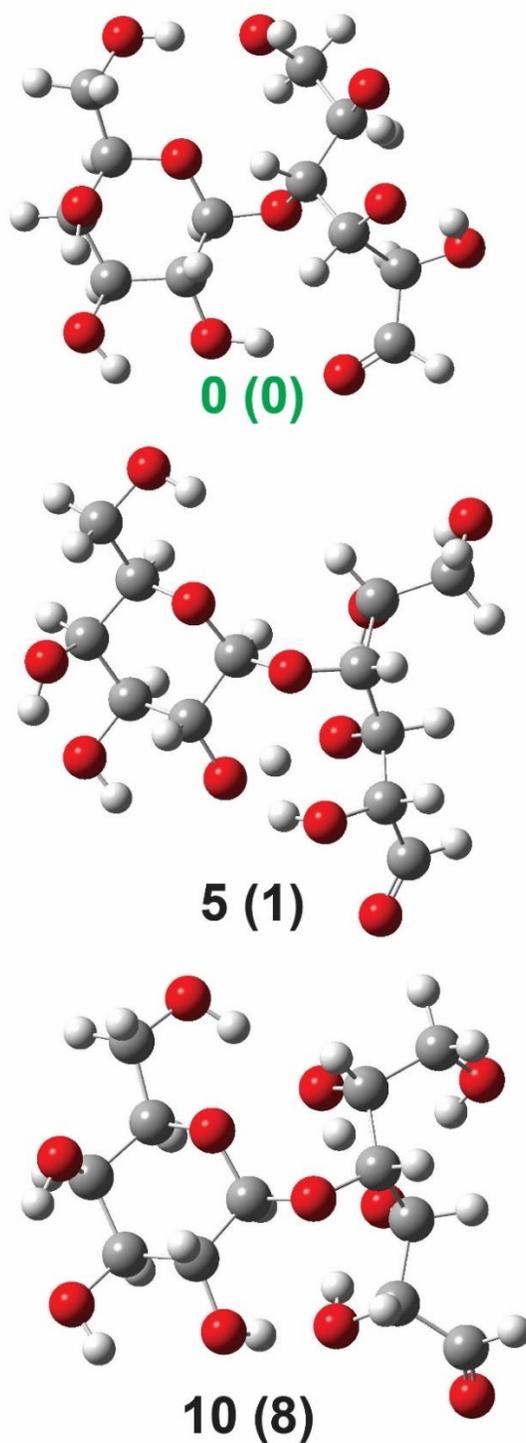


Figure S4: Relative energies of selected low-energy conformers of deprotonated lactose (β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-Glucose ring-open) calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}). The ring-open GM is 32.1 (28.1) kJ mol^{-1} , $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}) above the α -anomer (Table 1) and 27.1 (24.5) kJ mol^{-1} above the β -anomer (Table 2).

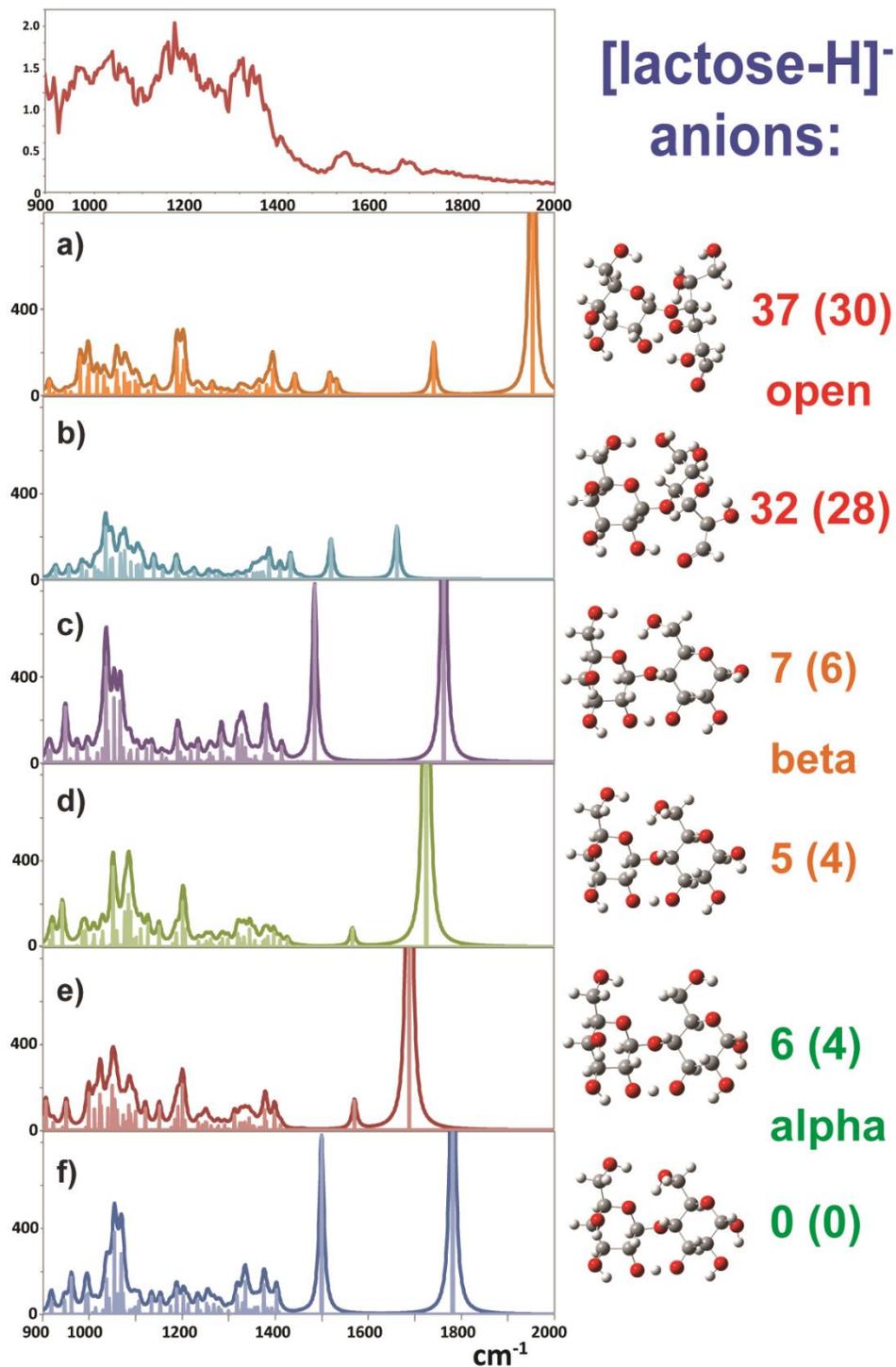


Figure S5: Comparison to the 2 lowest energy structures of deprotonated β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)-D-glucose (m/z 341.12 ($C_{12}H_{21}O_{11}^-$)) with frequencies calculated from B3LYP/6-311++G(2d,2p) optimized structures. Panels a and b are ring-open forms, panels c and d β -glucose anomers, while panels e and f are α -glucose forms. Relative energies calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el}+\text{ZPE},0\text{K}}$ (ΔG_{298}) and are normalized to the α -glucose forms. Structural changes between the 2 levels of theory are negligible.

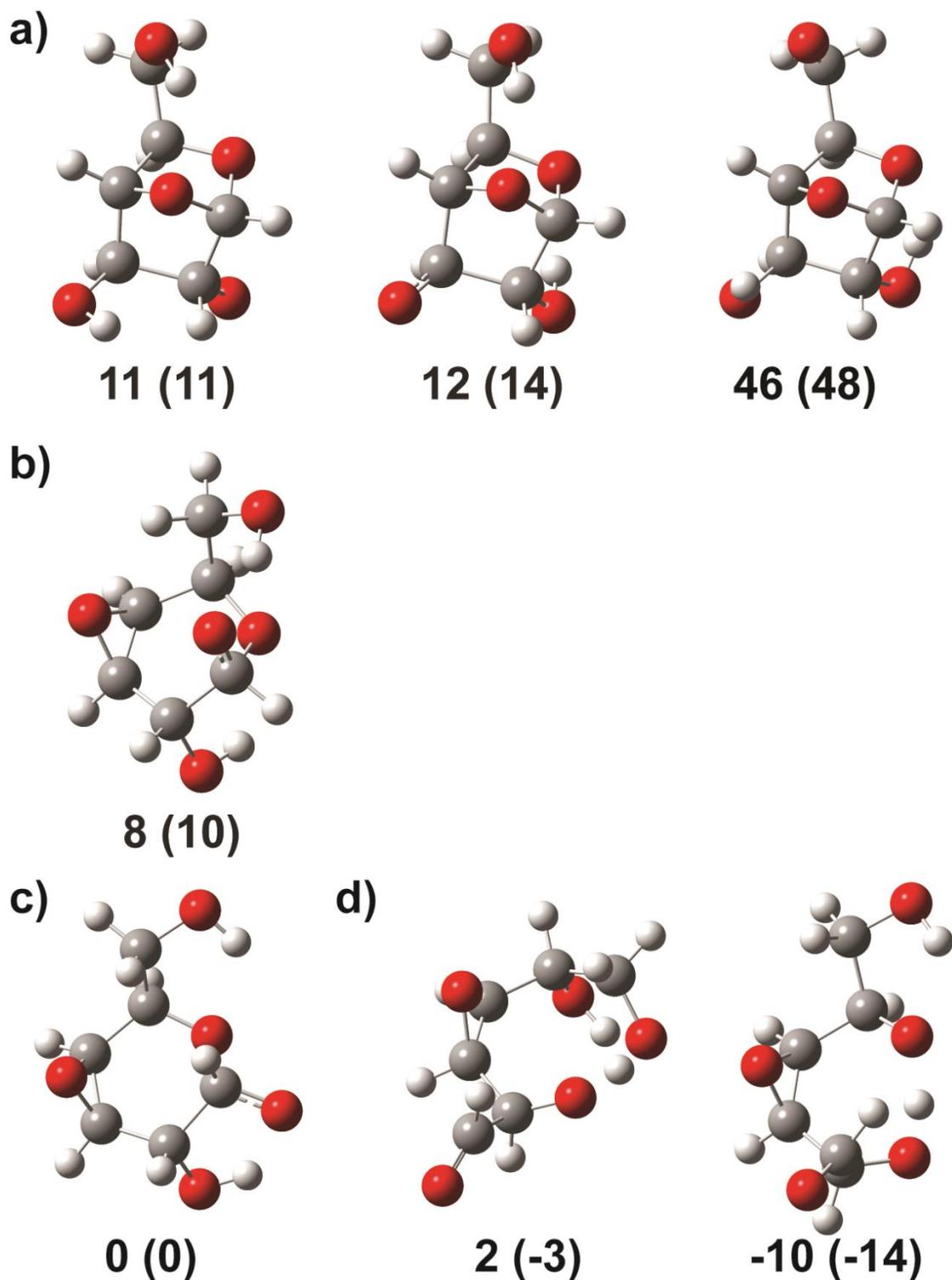
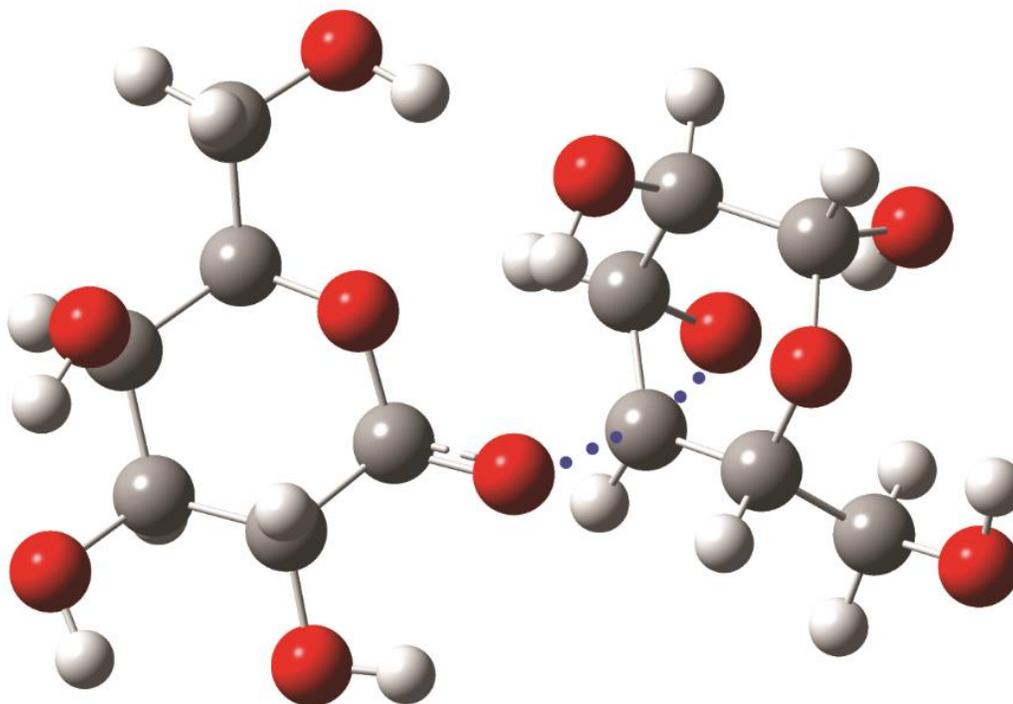


Figure S6: Selected Z_I anion low-energy conformers calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. a) deprotonated 1,4-anhydroglucose structures, [1,4-anhydroglucose-H]⁻; b) deprotonated 3,4-anhydroglucose, [3,4-anhydro- β -glucose-H]⁻; c) deprotonated 3,4-anhydroglucose [3,4-anhydro- α -glucose-H]⁻; d) deprotonated, ring-open aldehyde isomers. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}).

Minima and TSs	E_{el}/H	E_{el+ZPE}/H	$\Delta E_{el+ZPE,0K}/$ kJ mol ⁻¹	$\Delta H_{298}/$ kJ mol ⁻¹	$\Delta G_{298}/$ kJ mol ⁻¹	ΔS_{298} /J mol ⁻¹
GM	-1296.986125	-1296.624955	0	0	0	0
C ₁ -Z ₁ TS_1	-1296.909679	-1296.551085	193.9	196.5	190.0	21.8
C ₁ -Z ₁ TS_2	-1296.908922	-1296.550436	195.6	198.7	190.1	28.8
^{0,2} A ₂ formation TS_1	-1296.949413	-1296.591725	87.2	89.5	83.3	20.7
^{0,2} A ₂ formation TS_2	-1296.94447	-1296.591076	88.9	92.0	83.5	28.3
Ring-forming TS (α)	-1296.920038	-1296.562144	164.9	161.1	169.1	-26.8
Ring-forming TS (β)	-1296.924404	-1296.566837	152.6	148.7	157.2	-28.2

Table S1: Relative energies of the transition structures of deprotonated lactose (β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)-D-Glucose ring-open) calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. The ring-open GM is 32.1 kJ mol⁻¹ ($\Delta E_{el+ZPE,0K}$) above the α -anomer (Table 1).



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Figure S7: The higher-energy 3,4-anhydroglucose-forming C_1-Z_I transition structures of deprotonated lactose (β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-Glucose) calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}). The reaction coordinate is illustrated with blue dots.

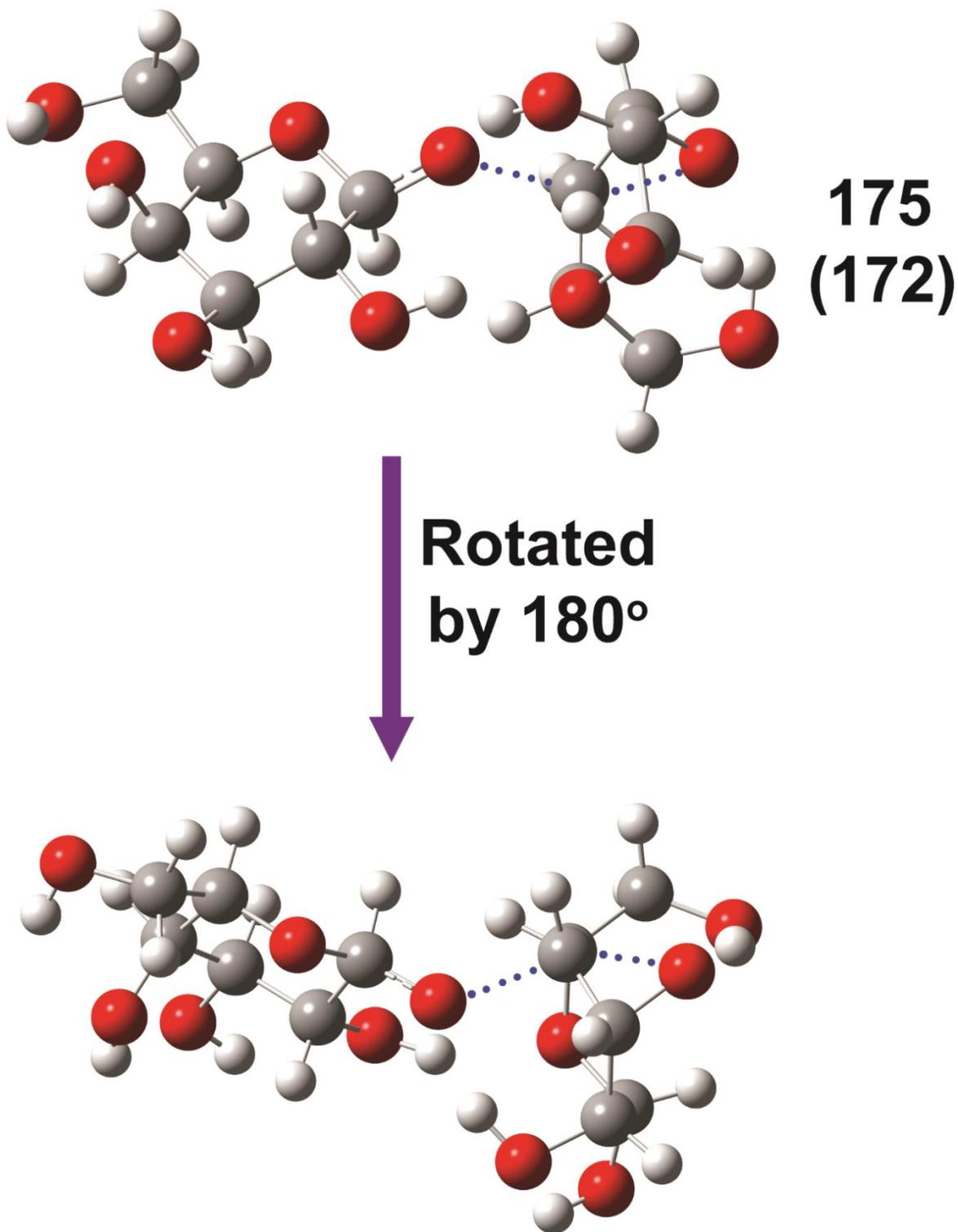


Figure S8: The lowest-energy 3,4-anhydroglucose-forming C_1-Z_1 transition structure of deprotonated lactose (β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- α -D-Glucose) calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}). The reaction coordinate is illustrated with blue dots.

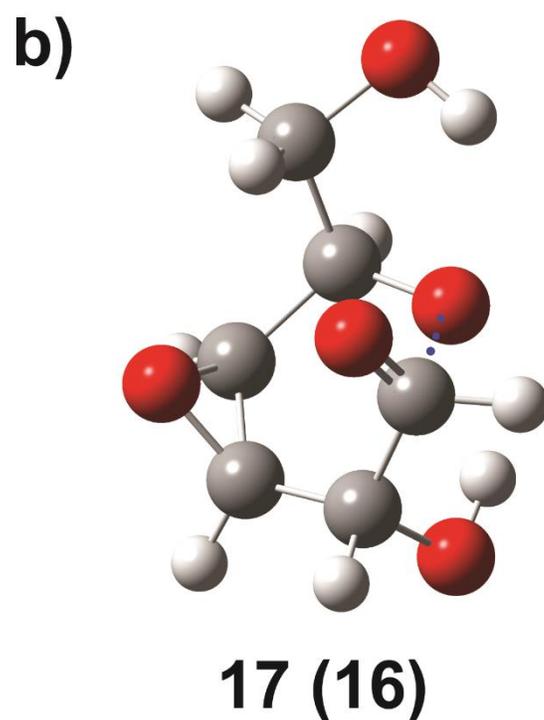
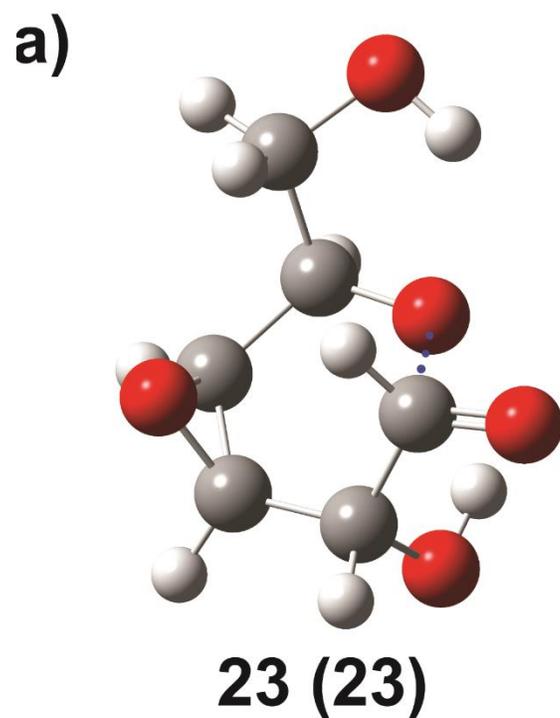


Figure S9: The low-energy Z_1 -ring-opening isomerization transition structures generated from of the a) deprotonated 3,4-anhydro- α -glucose anion and b) deprotonated 3,4-anhydro- β -glucose anion structures. Relative energies calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}). The reaction coordinate is illustrated with blue dots.

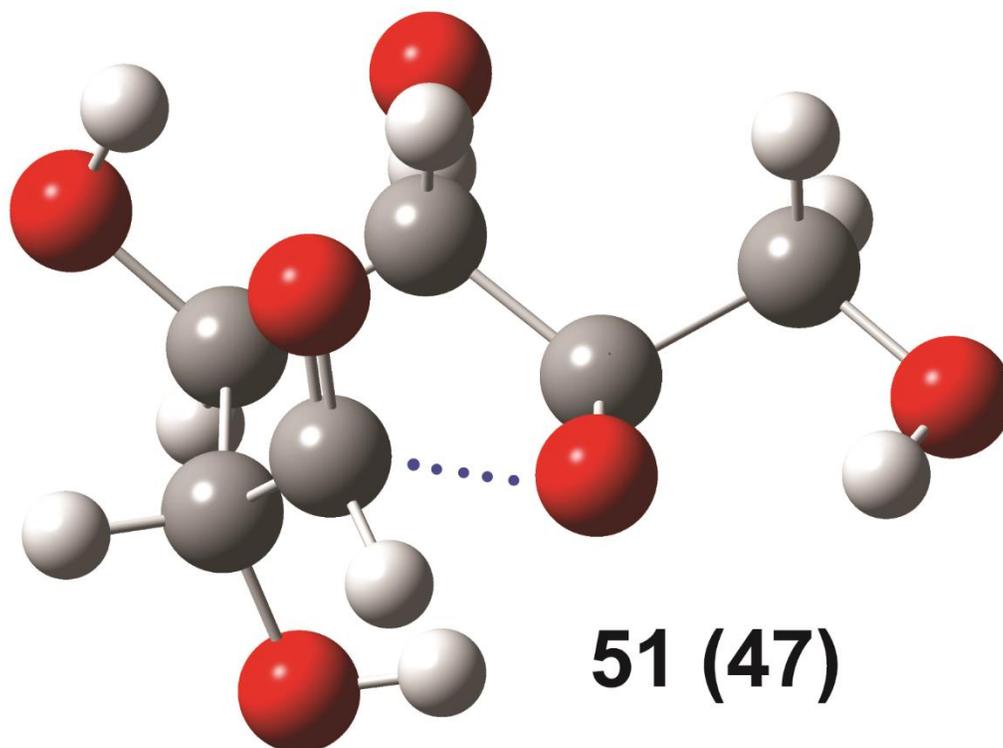


Figure S10: The low-energy C_1 -ring-opening isomerization transition structures generated from the deprotonated β -D-galactopyranose anion structures. Relative energies calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el}+\text{ZPE},0\text{K}}$ (ΔG_{298}). The reaction coordinate is illustrated with blue dots.

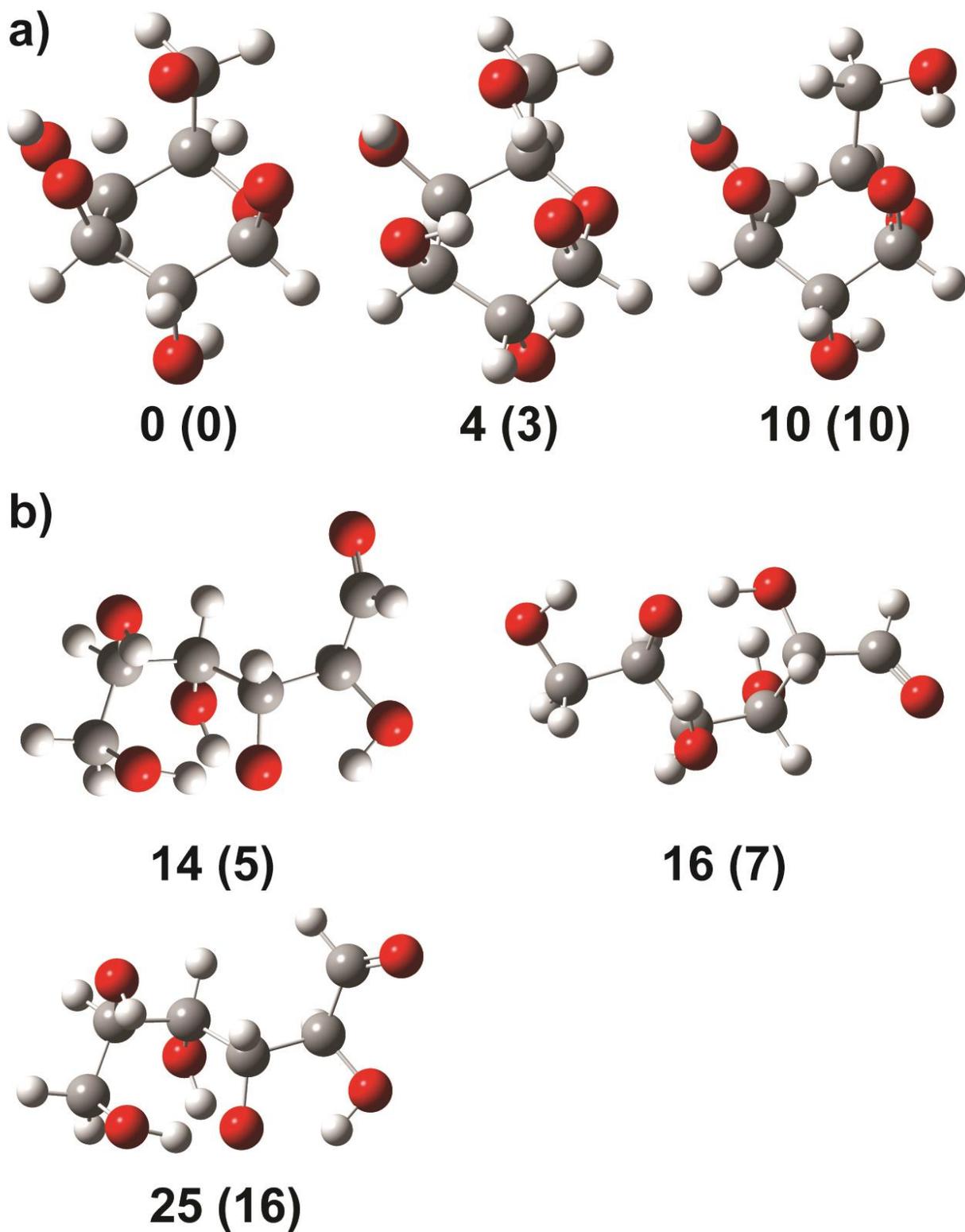
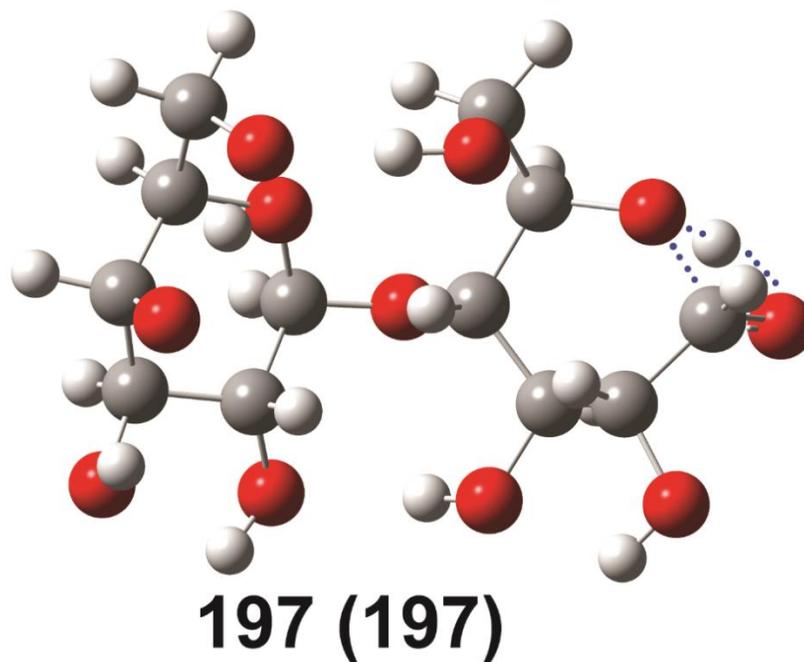


Figure S11: Selected C_1 anion low-energy conformers calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. a) deprotonated β -D-galactose C_1 structures, $[\beta\text{-D-galactose-H}]^-$; b) deprotonated, ring-open aldehyde C_1 structures. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}).

a)



b)

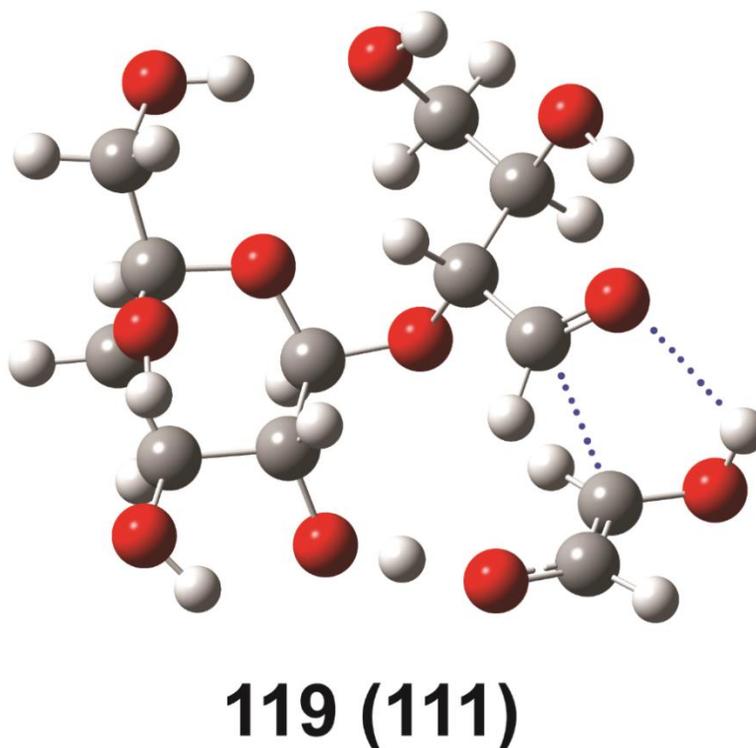
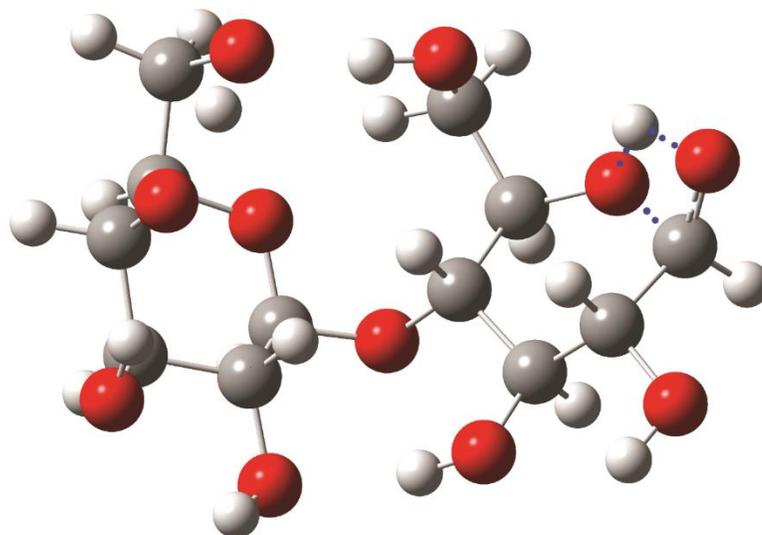


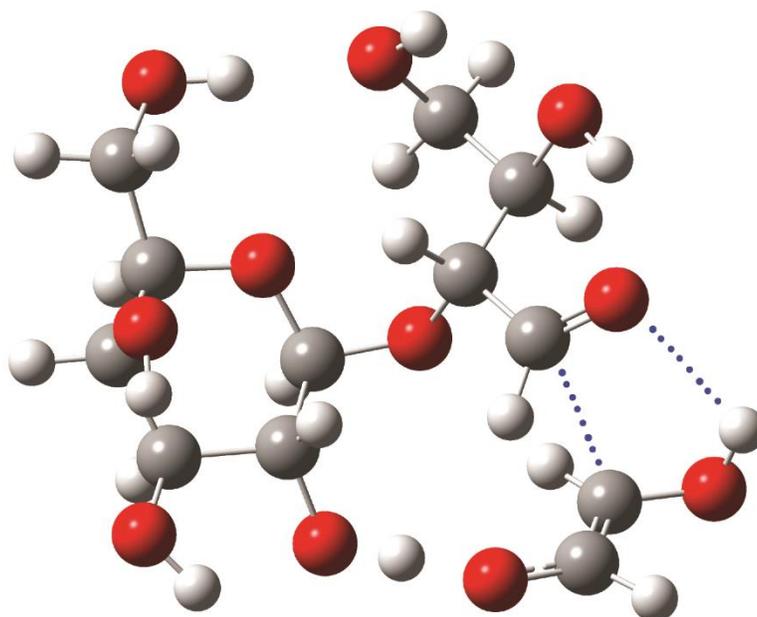
Figure S12: The lowest-energy 0,2A_2 -forming transition structures of deprotonated lactose (β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- α -D-Glucose) calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. a) ring-opening TS; b) 0,2A_2 formation TS_A. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}). The reaction coordinate is illustrated with blue dots.

a)



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b)



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Figure S13: The lowest-energy $^{0,2}A_2$ -forming transition structures of deprotonated lactose (β -D-galactopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-Glucose) calculated at the M06-2X/6-31++G(d,p) level of theory. a) ring-opening TS; b) $^{0,2}A_2$ formation TS_A. Values in kJ mol^{-1} : $\Delta E_{\text{el+ZPE,0K}}$ (ΔG_{298}). The reaction coordinate is illustrated with blue dots.