

Preparation and Reactivity of Half-Sandwich Dioxygen Complexes of Ruthenium

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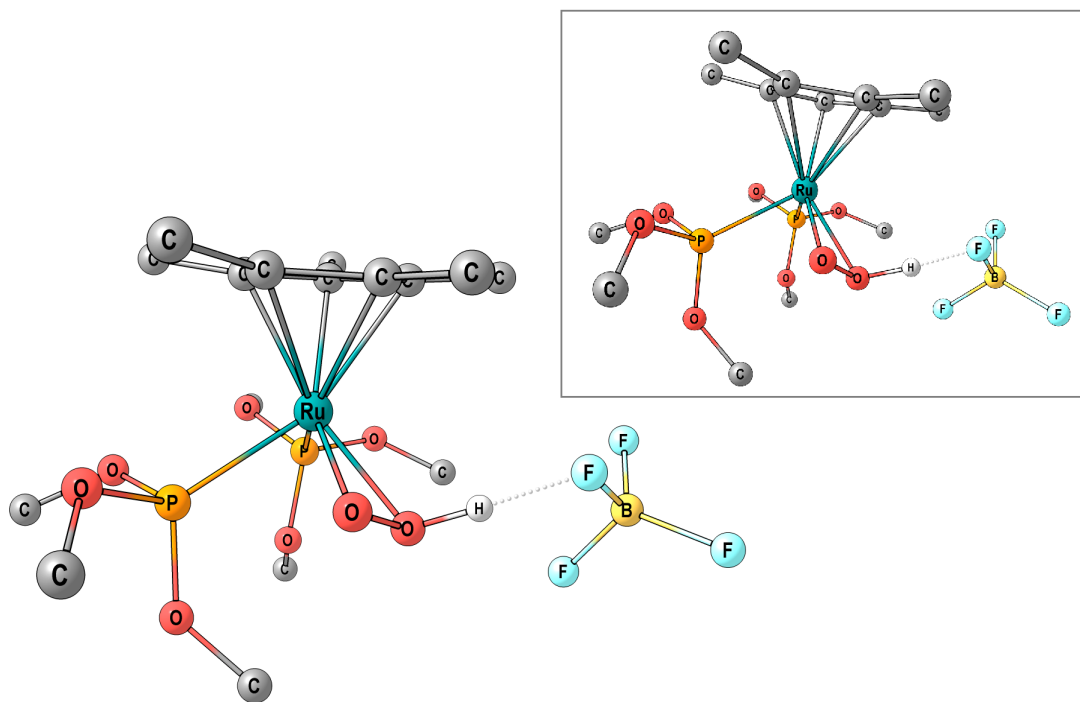


Figure S1. DFT-optimized structure of $[\text{Ru}(\eta^5\text{-C}_5\text{Me}_5)(\eta^2\text{-O}_2\text{H}\cdots\text{BF}_4)\{\text{P}(\text{OMe})_3\}_2]^+$ (singlet multiplicity). C-PCM/ ω B97X calculation, dichloromethane as continuous medium. Hydrogen atoms of the methyl substituents are omitted for clarity. $G = -2431.64183$ a.u. Inset: DFT EDF2-optimized geometry of $[\text{Ru}(\eta^5\text{-C}_5\text{Me}_5)(\eta^2\text{-O}_2\text{H}\cdots\text{BF}_4)\{\text{P}(\text{OMe})_3\}_2]^+$, $G = -2431.48189$ a.u.

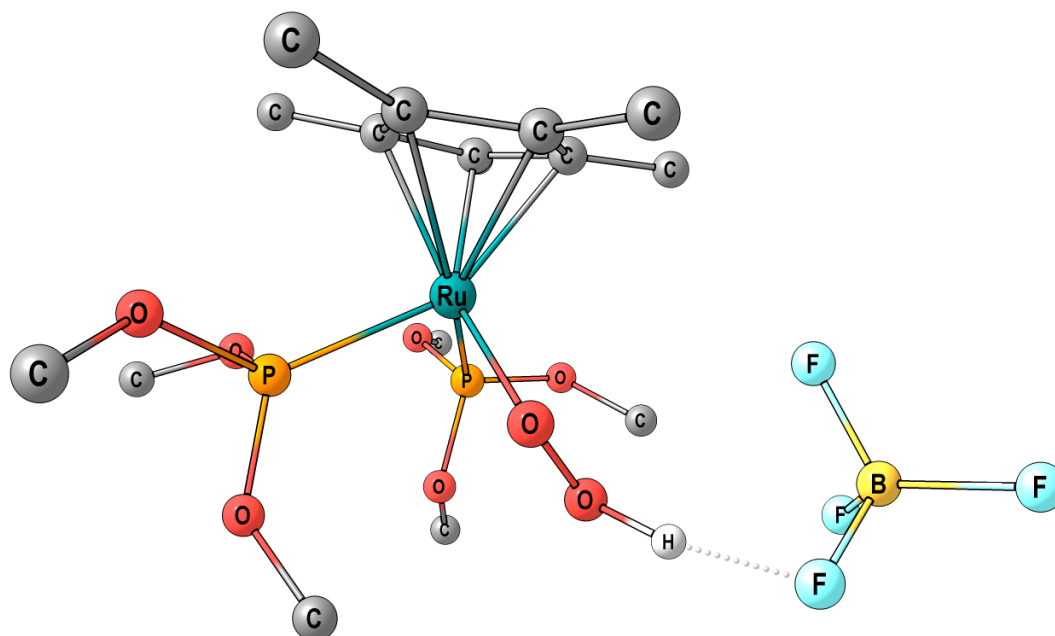


Figure S2. DFT-optimized structure of $[\text{Ru}(\eta^5\text{-C}_5\text{Me}_5)(\eta^2\text{-O}_2\text{H}\cdots\text{BF}_4)\{\text{P}(\text{OMe})_3\}_2]^+$ (triplet multiplicity). C-PCM/ ω B97X calculation, dichloromethane as continuous medium. Hydrogen atoms of the methyl substituents are omitted for clarity. $G = -2431.61654$ a.u.

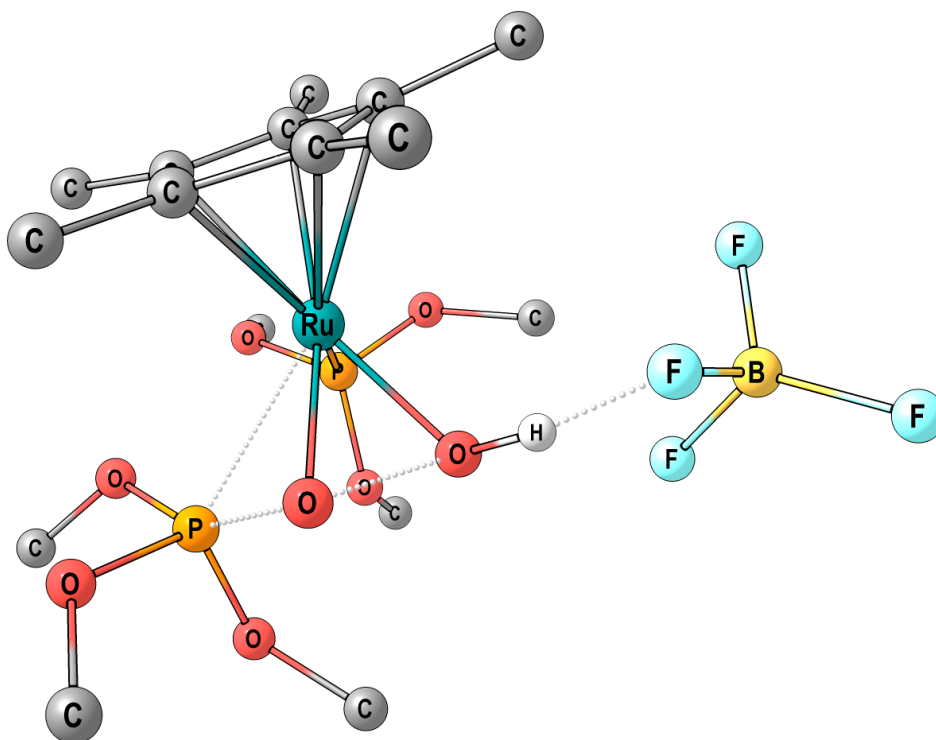


Figure S3. DFT-optimized transition state geometry for O-O dissociation and P-O formation in $[\text{Ru}(\eta^5\text{-C}_5\text{Me}_5)(\eta^2\text{-O}_2\text{H}\cdots\text{BF}_4)\{\text{P}(\text{OMe})_3\}_2]^+$. EDF2 calculation. Hydrogen atoms of the methyl substituents are omitted for clarity. $G = -2431.41483$ a.u.

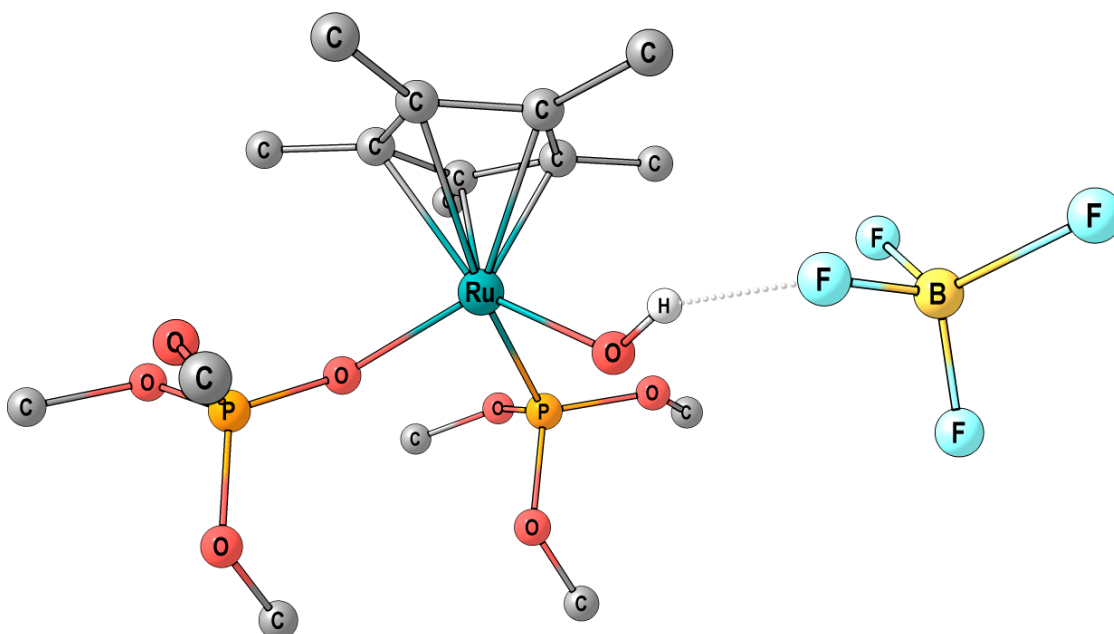


Figure S4. DFT-optimized structure of $[\text{Ru}(\eta^5\text{-C}_5\text{Me}_5)(\text{OH}\cdots\text{BF}_4)\{\text{P}(\text{OMe})_3\}\{\text{PO}(\text{OMe})_3\}]^+$. C-PCM/ ω B97X calculation, dichloromethane as continuous medium. Hydrogen atoms of the methyl substituents are omitted for clarity. $G = -2431.73446$ a.u.

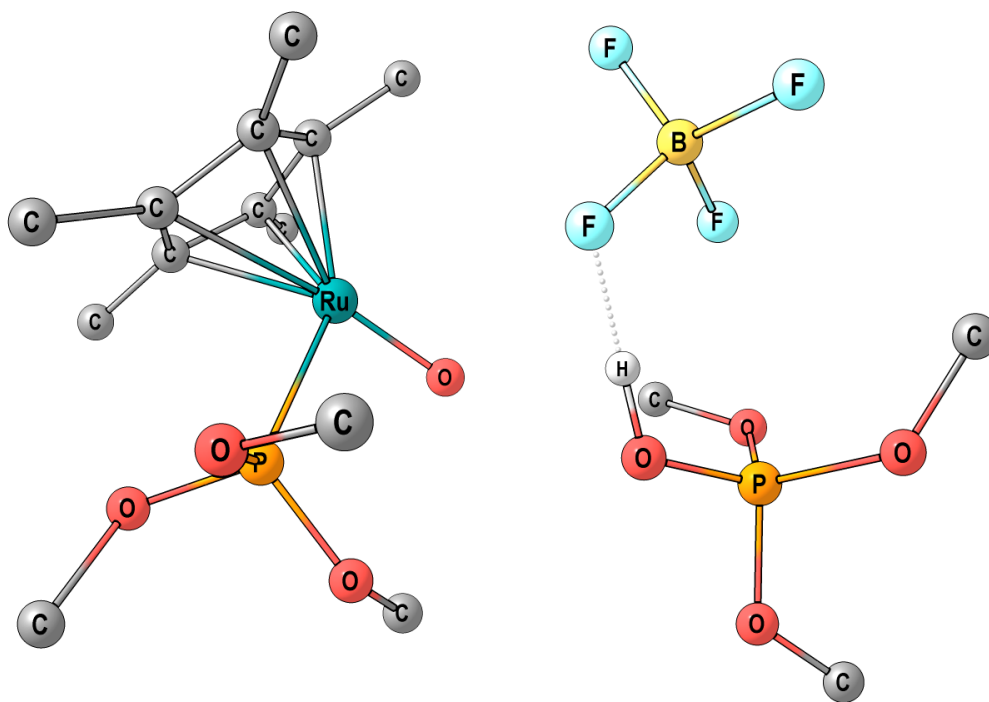


Figure S5. DFT-optimized structure of $[\text{Ru}(\eta^5\text{-C}_5\text{Me}_5)(\text{O})\{\text{P}(\text{OMe})_3\}]^+ \text{PO}(\text{OMe})_3\cdot\text{HBF}_4$. C-PCM/ ω B97X calculation, dichloromethane as continuous medium. Hydrogen atoms of the methyl substituents are omitted for clarity. $G = -2431.72417$ a.u.

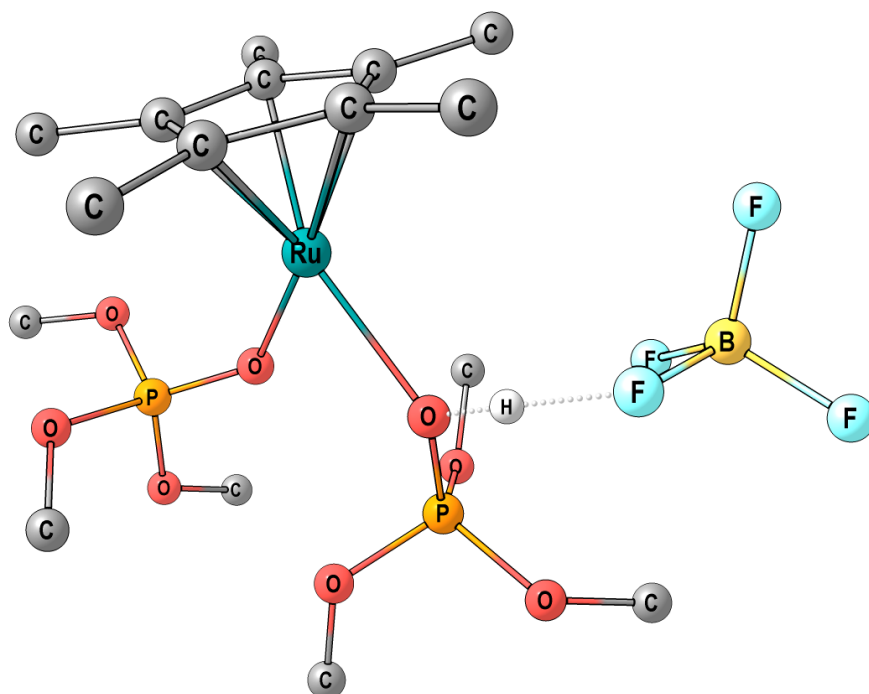


Figure S6. DFT-optimized structure of $[\text{Ru}(\eta^5\text{-C}_5\text{Me}_5)\{\text{PO}(\text{OMe})_3\}\{\text{PO}(\text{OMe})_3\cdots\text{HBF}_4\}]^+$. C-PCM/ ω B97X calculation, dichloromethane as continuous medium. Hydrogen atoms of the methyl substituents are omitted for clarity. $G = -2431.79171$ a.u.