

Supporting Information

for

**An attempt to synthesize a terthienyl-based analog of indacenedithiophene (IDT): unexpected synthesis of a naphtho[2,3-*b*]thiophene derivative.**

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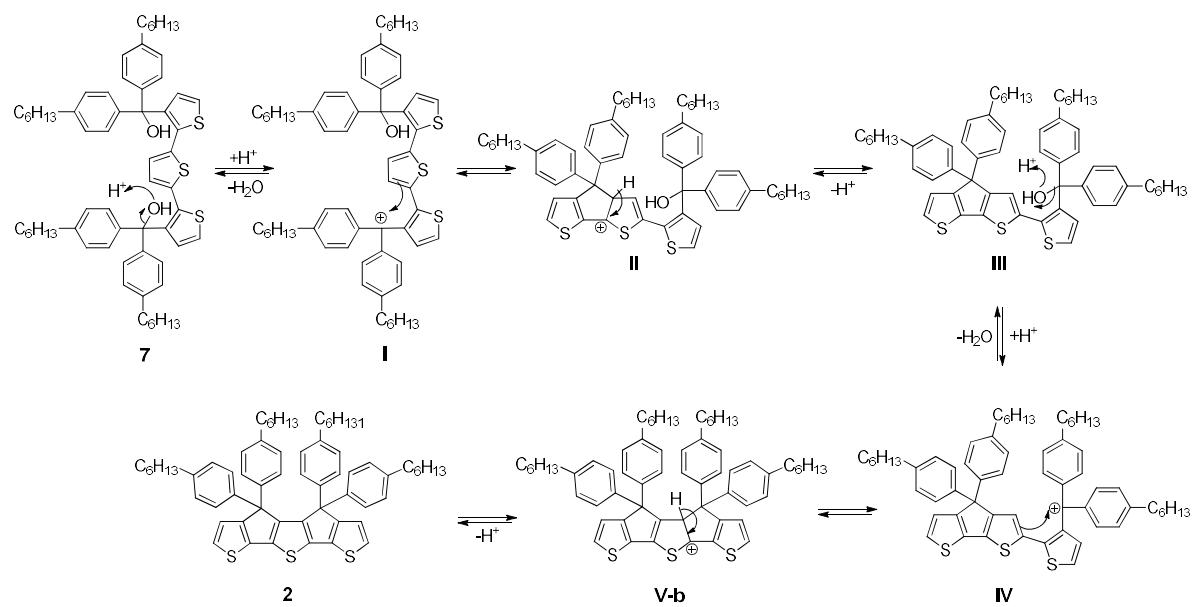
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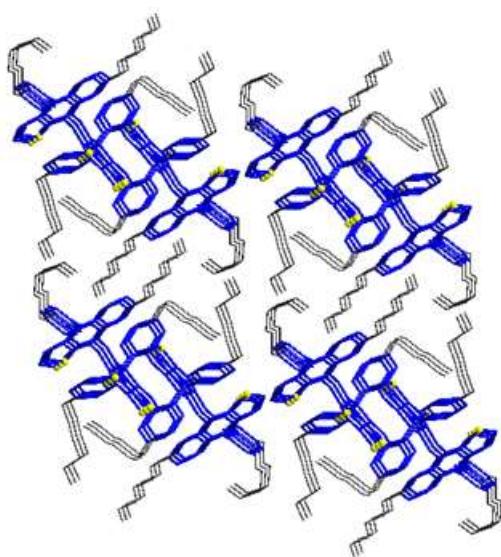
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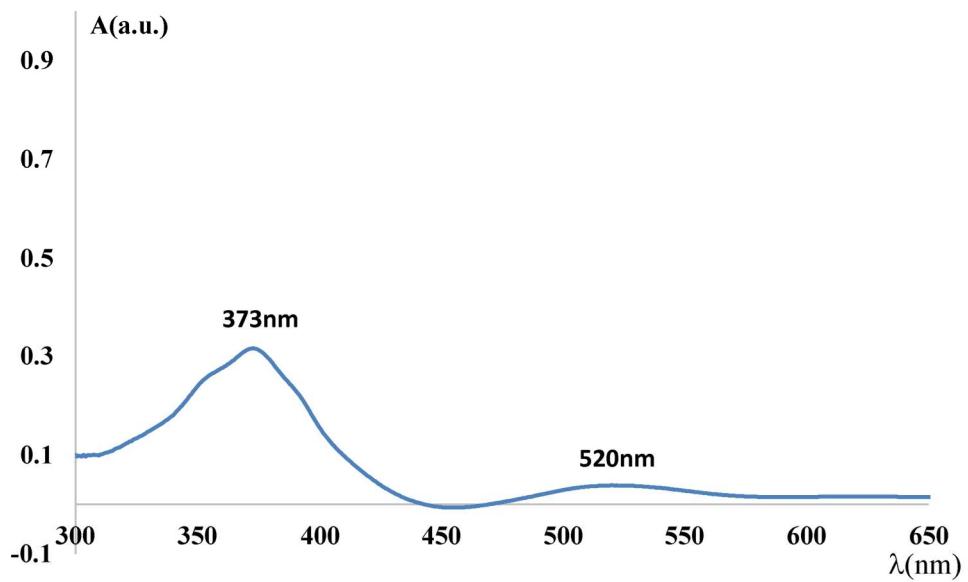
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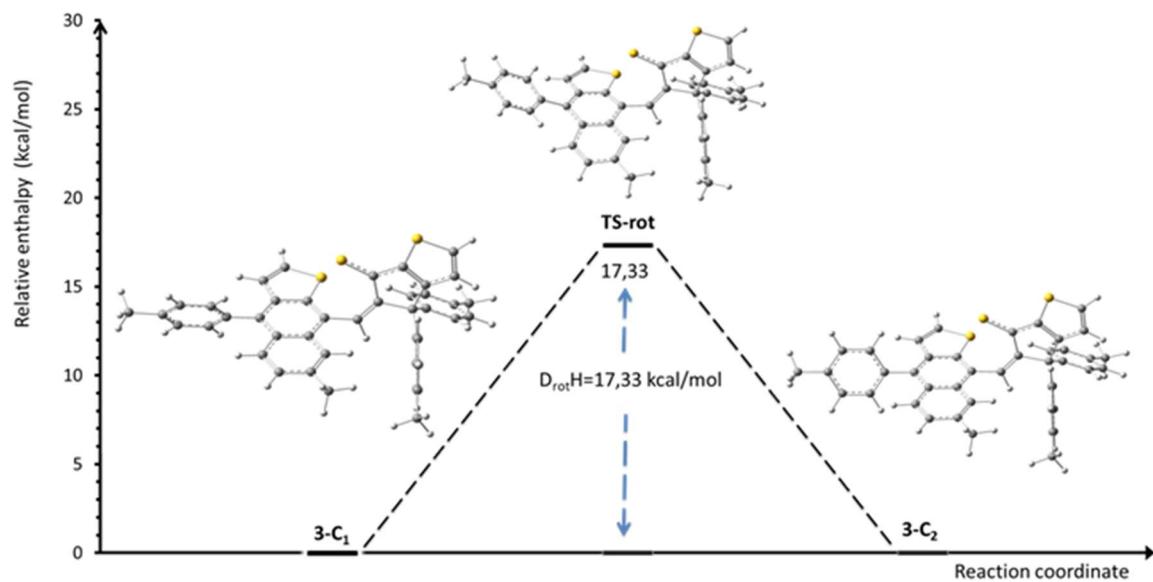
**Scheme S1. Proposed mechanism for the formation of the expected compound 2**



**Figure S1. Crystal packing of compound 3 – view along axis a**



**Figure S2.** UV-VIS spectra of compound 3 on spun-cast film on ITO from a DCM solution



**Figure S3.** Calculated relative enthalpies profile for the rotation of the phenyl group attached to the naphtho[2,3-*b*]thiophene unit in compound 3

**Table S1. Calculated enthalpies for the intermediates involved in the formation of compounds 2 and 3**

| Species                 |      | Enthalpy (Hartree) | Relative enthalpy to reactant (kcal/mol) |
|-------------------------|------|--------------------|--|
| <b>Reactant</b>         | IV-a | -2814,832947       | 0,00                                     |
|                         | IV-b | -2814,835071       | 0,00                                     |
| <b>Transition state</b> | TS-a | -2814,794167       | 24,33                                    |
|                         | TS-b | -2814,792805       | 26,52                                    |
| <b>Product</b>          | V-a  | -2814,801632       | 19,65                                    |
|                         | V-b  | -2814,794796       | 25,27                                    |

**Table S2. Calculated enthalpies for compounds involved in global transformations 7 to 3 and 7 to 2, respectively**

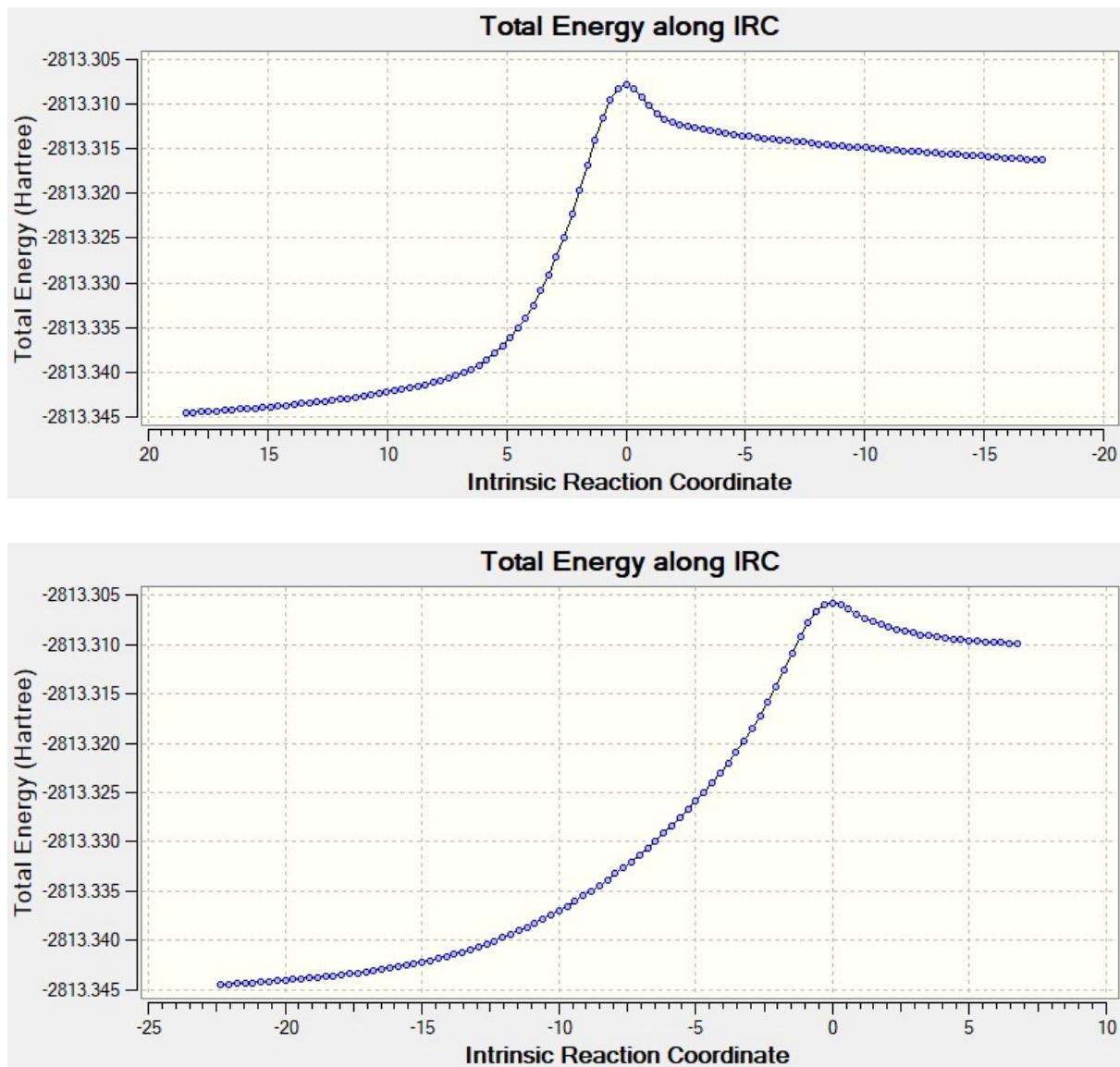
| Compound | Enthalpy (Hartree) |
|----------|--------------------|
| 7        | -2967.304186       |
| 3        | -2814.437184       |
| 2        | -2814.411166       |
| Water    | -76.444452         |

Total enthalpy balance for the obtaining of **3** (Scheme 3)

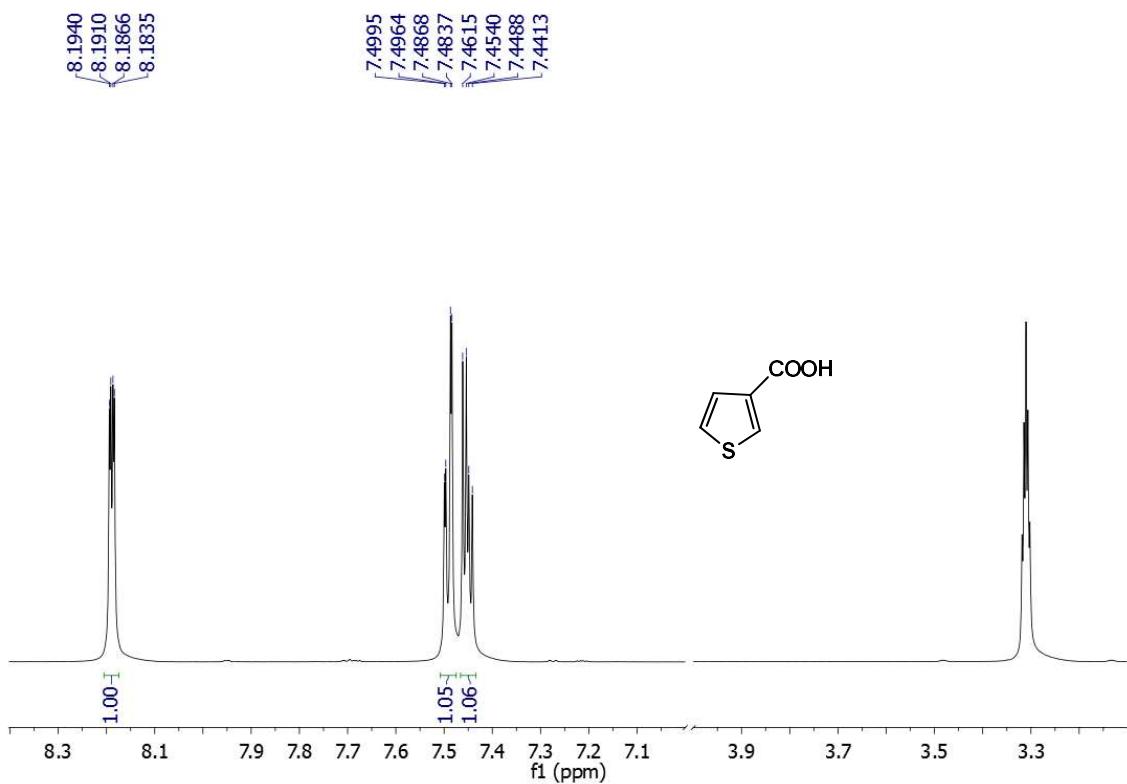
Compound **3** + 2xH<sub>2</sub>O – Compound **7** = - 0.0219 Hartree (-13.74 kcal/mol)

Total enthalpy balance for the obtaining of **1** (Scheme S1)

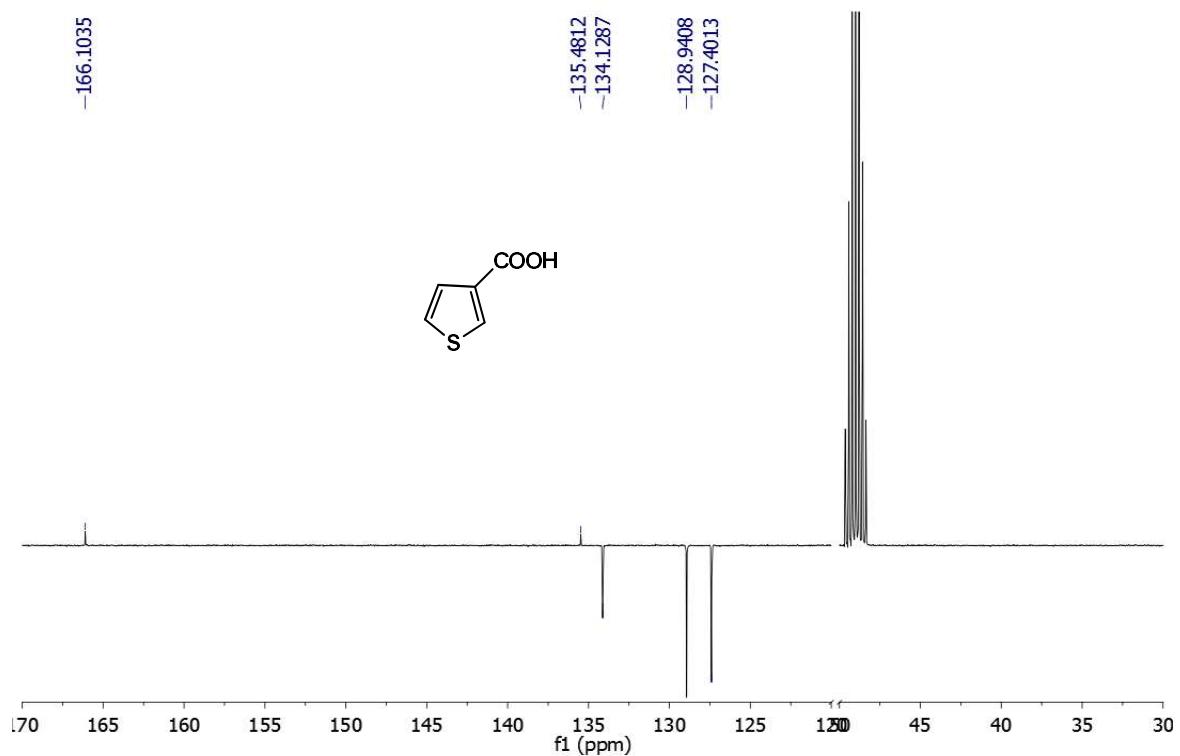
Scheme S1: Compound **2** + 2xH<sub>2</sub>O – Compound **7** = + 0.0041 Hartree (+2.58 kcal/mol)



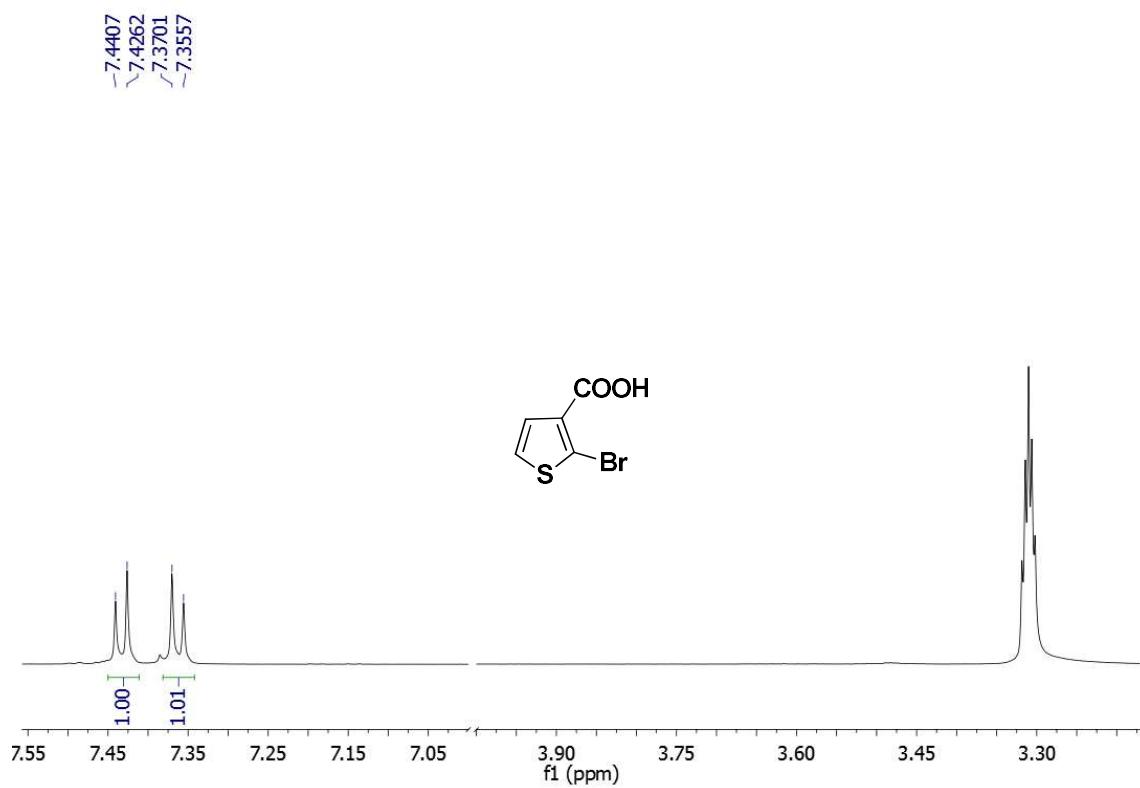
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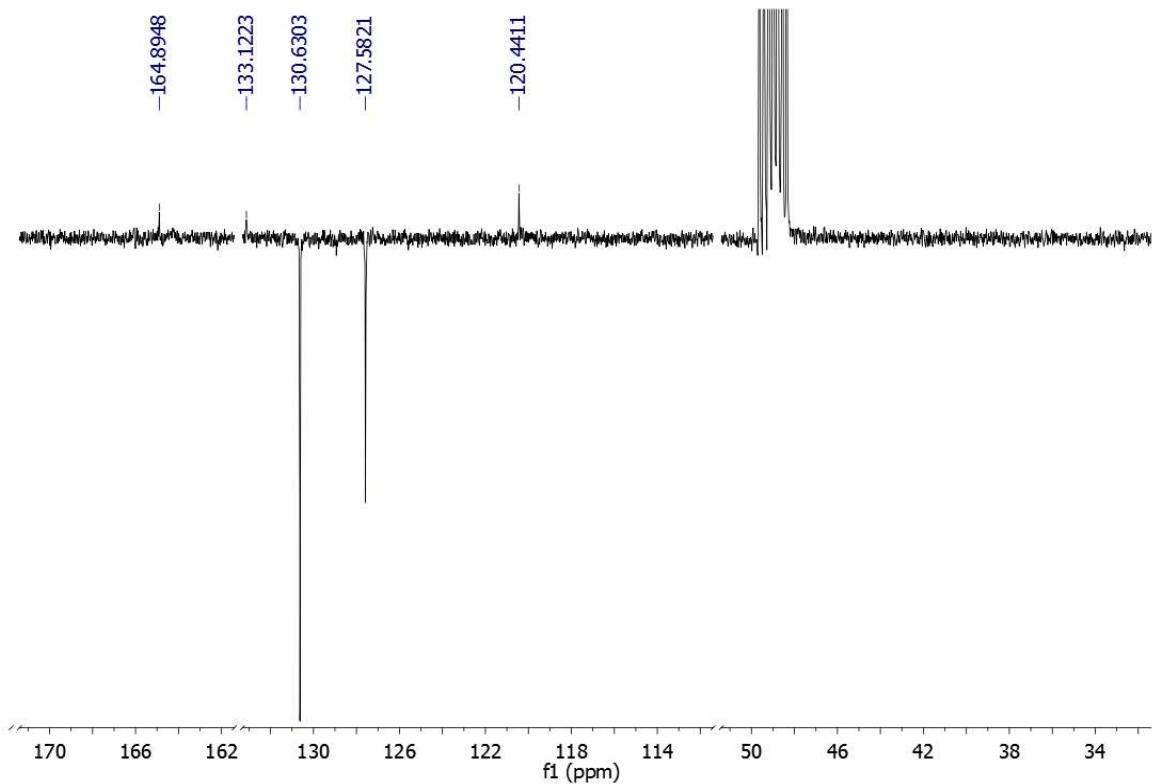
**Figure S5.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (MeOH-*d*<sub>4</sub>, 400 MHz) spectrum of thiophene-3-carboxylic acid



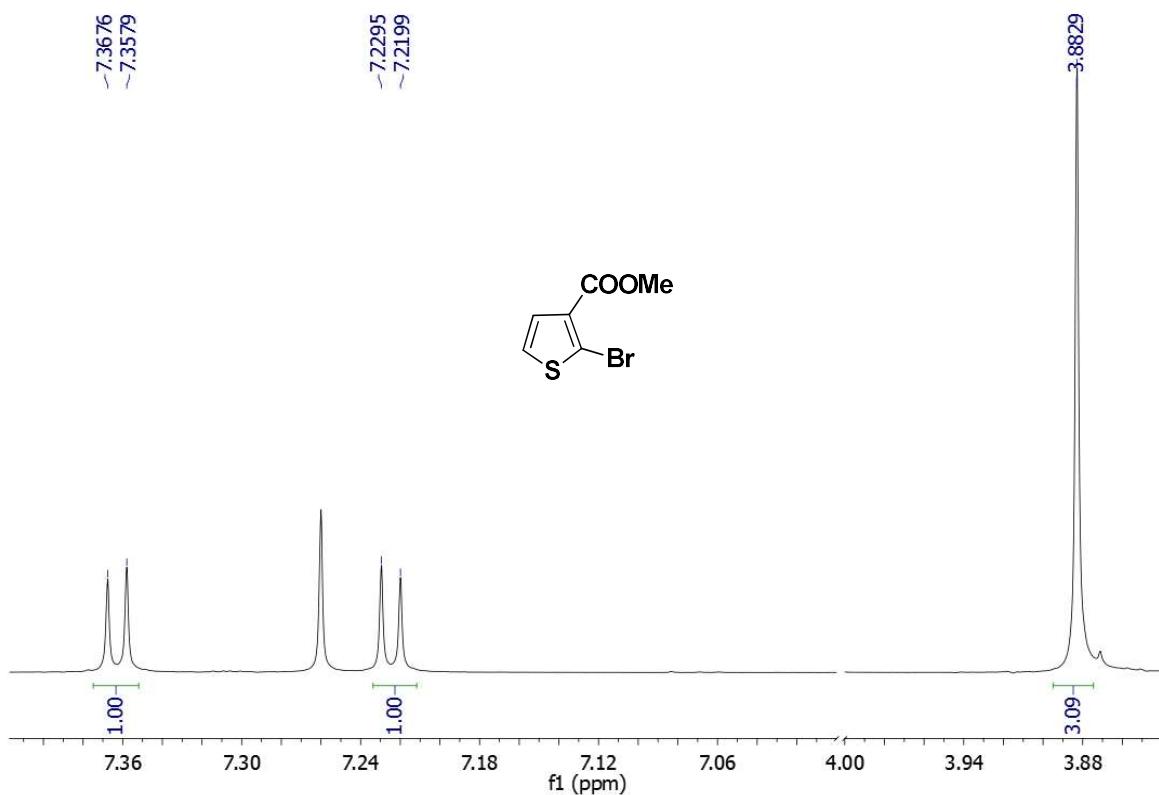
**Figure S6.** <sup>13</sup>C-APT- NMR (MeOH-*d*<sub>4</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of thiophene-3-carboxylic acid



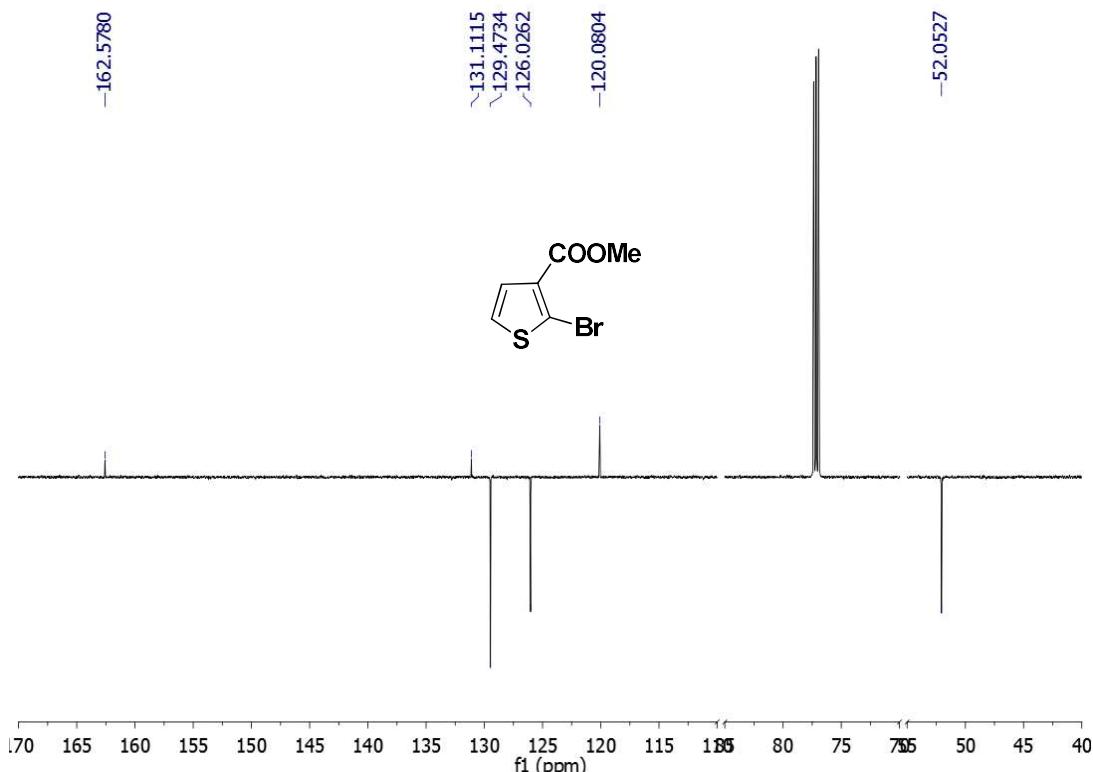
**Figure S7.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (MeOH-*d*<sub>4</sub>, 400 MHz) spectrum of 2-bromothiophene-3-carboxylic acid



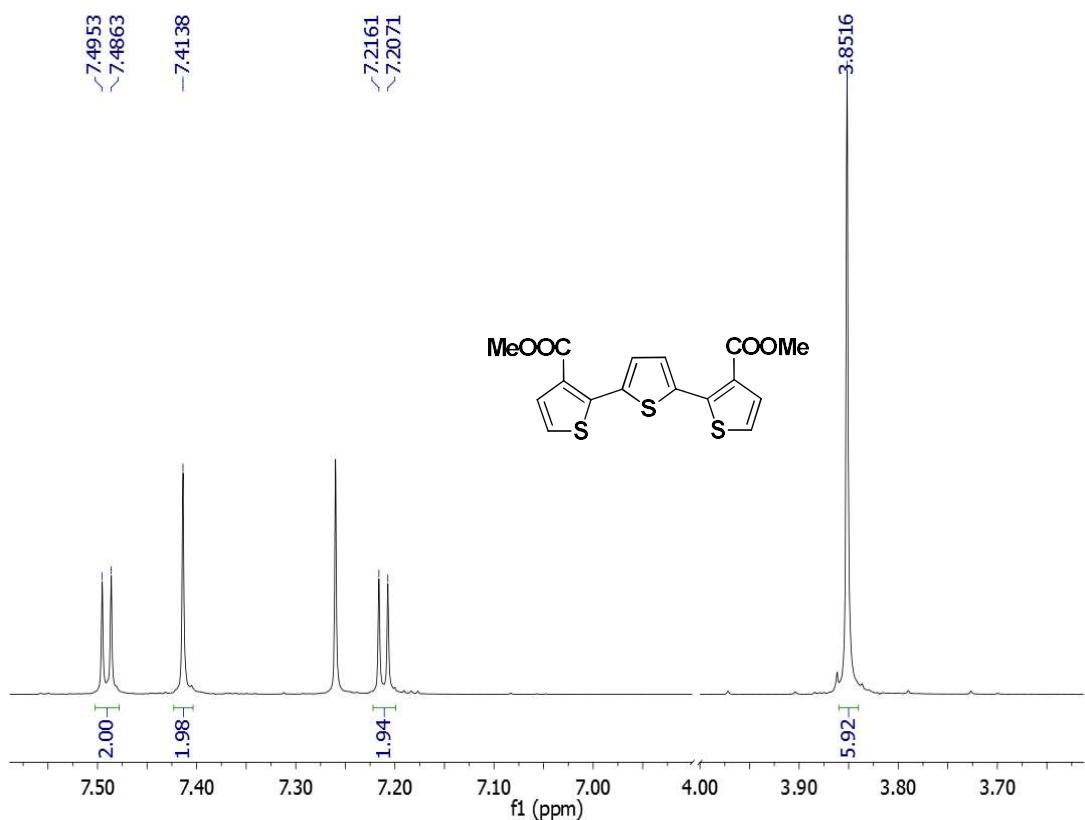
**Figure S8.** <sup>13</sup>C-APT- NMR (MeOH-*d*<sub>4</sub>, 100 MHz) spectrum of 2-bromothiophene-3-carboxylic acid



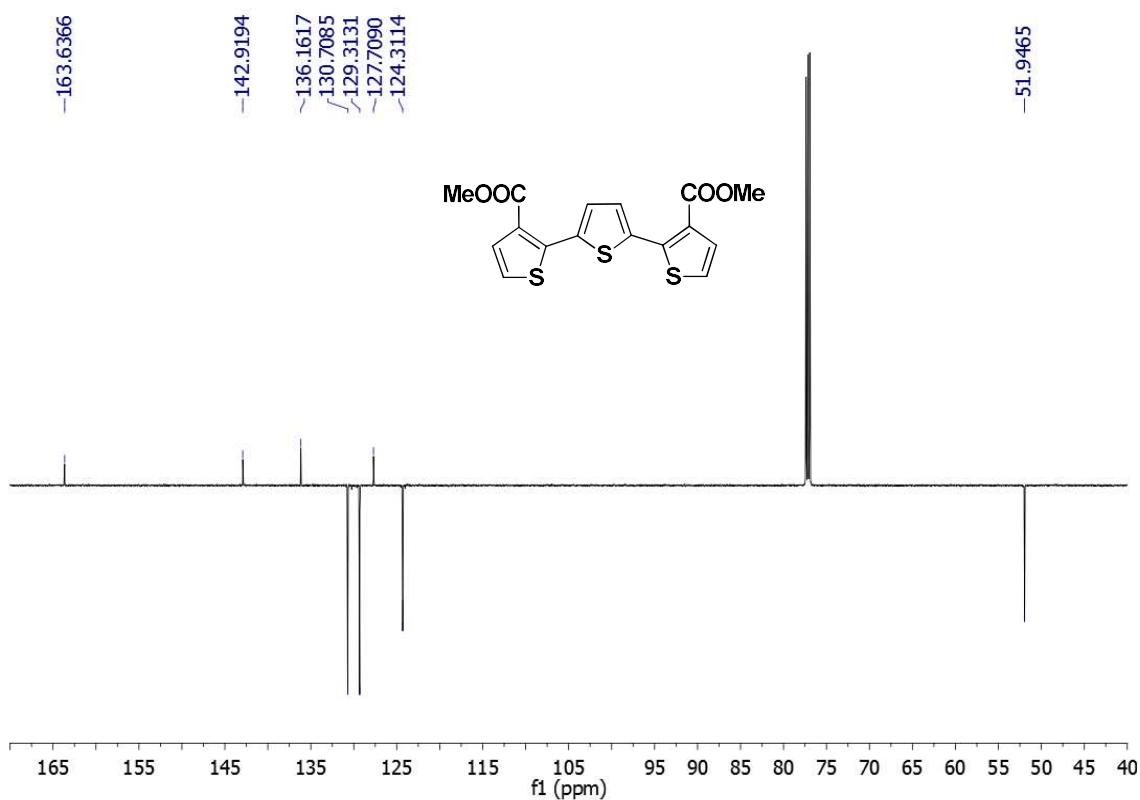
**Figure S9.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 600 MHz) spectrum of compound 5



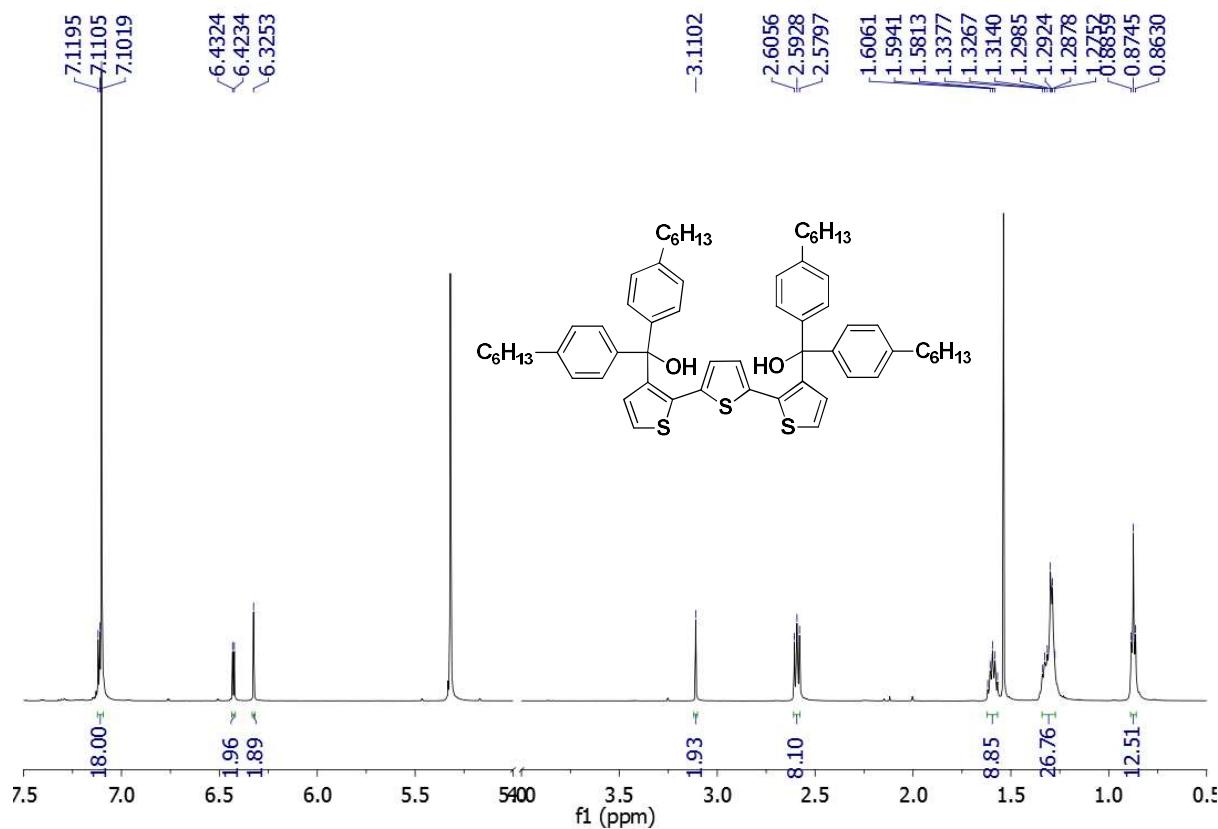
**Figure S10.** <sup>13</sup>C-APT NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 150 MHz) spectrum of compound 5



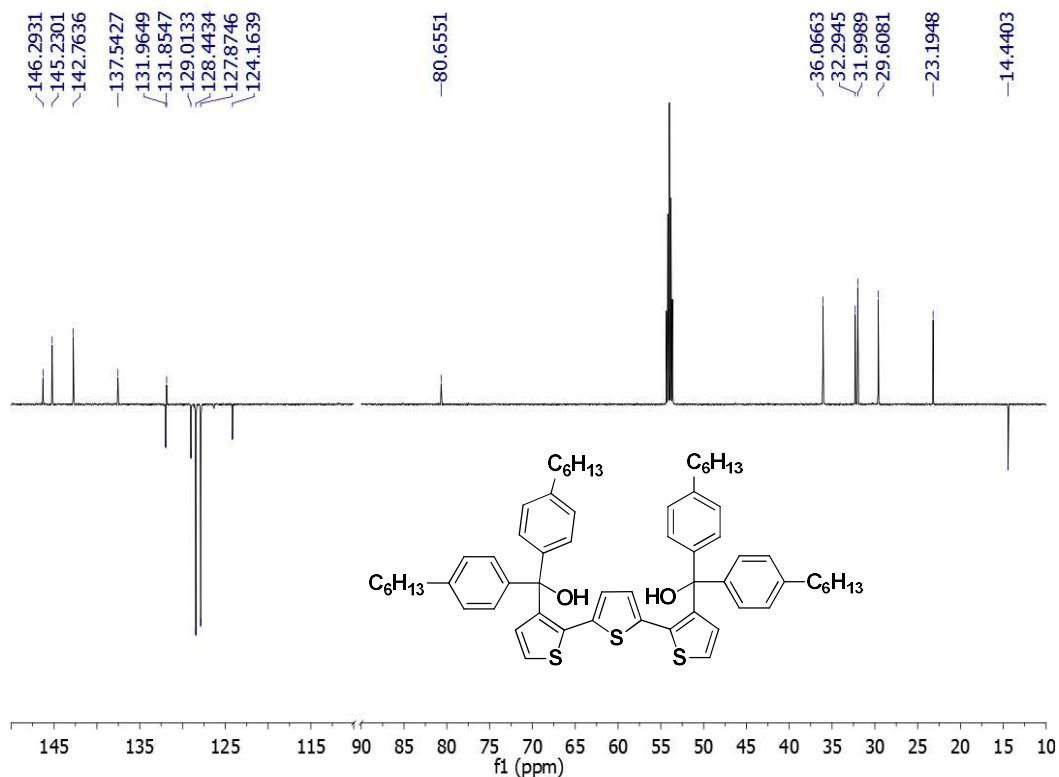
**Figure S11.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 600 MHz) spectrum of compound 6



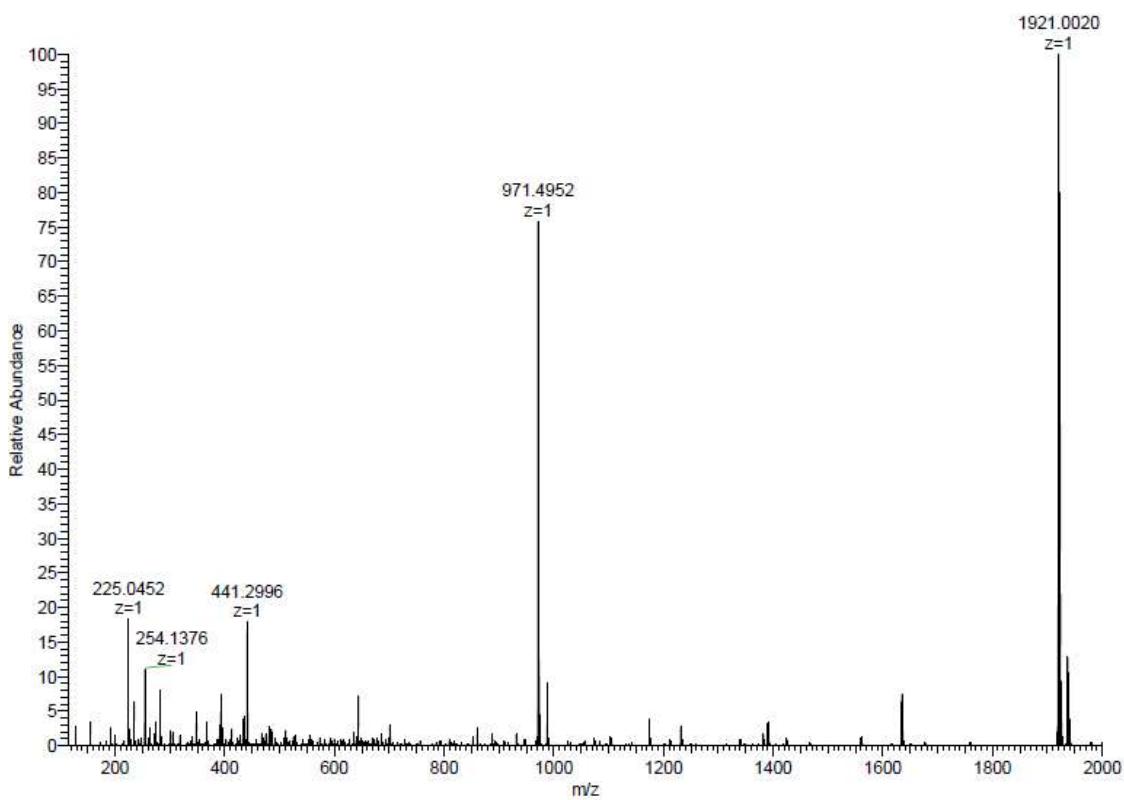
**Figure S12.** <sup>13</sup>C-APT NMR (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 150 MHz) spectrum of compound 6



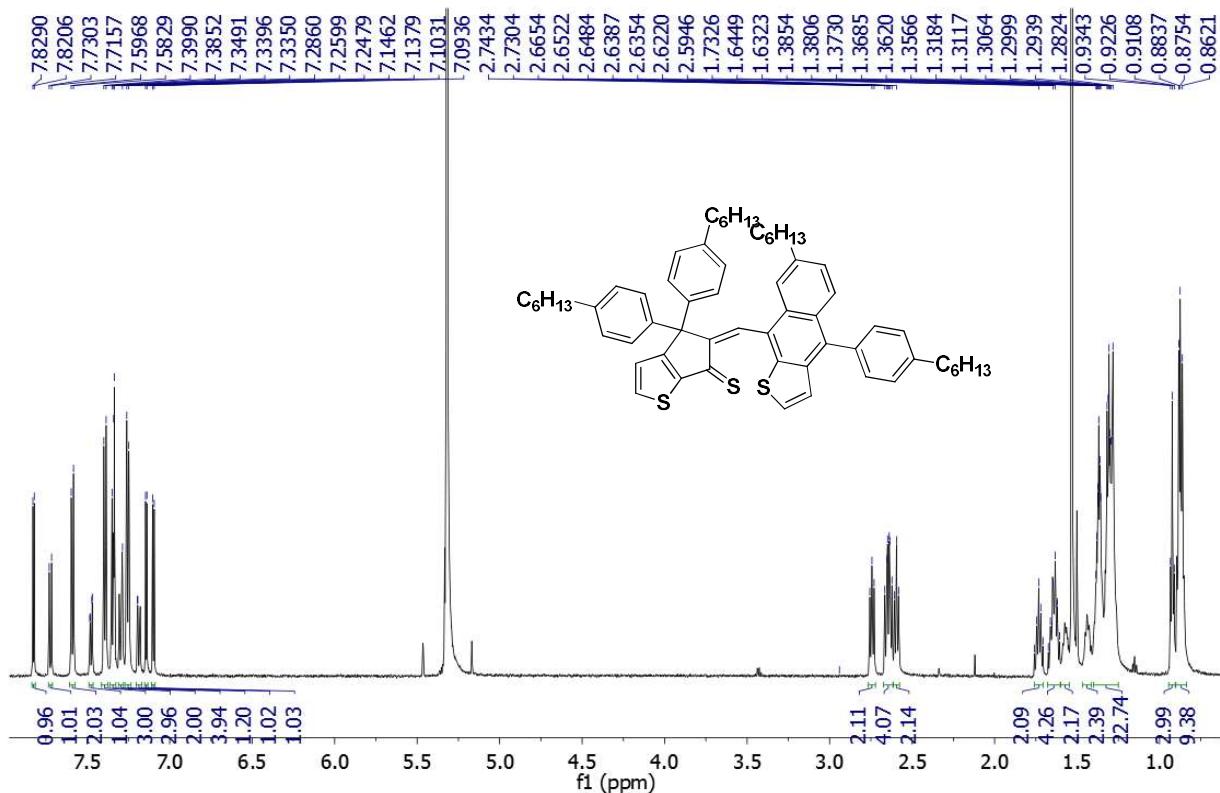
**Figure S13.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR (CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 600 MHz) spectrum of compound 7



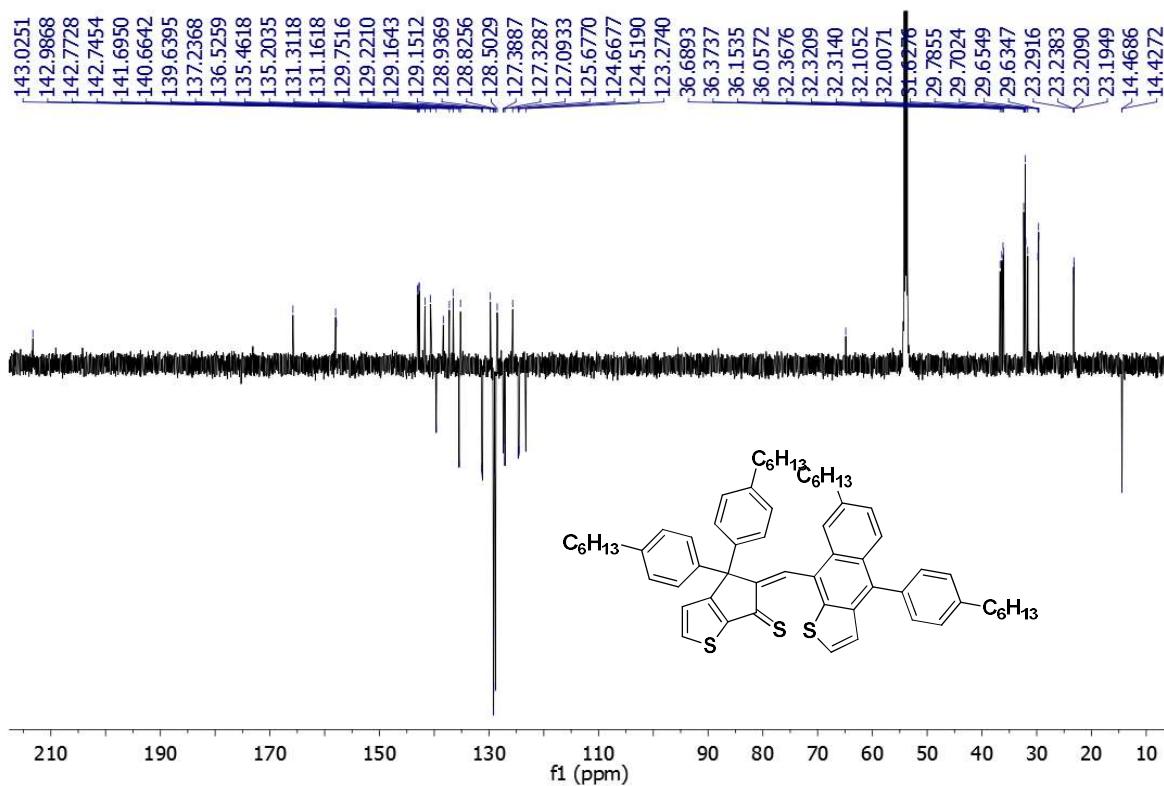
**Figure S14.** <sup>13</sup>C-APT NMR (CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 150 MHz) spectrum of compound 7



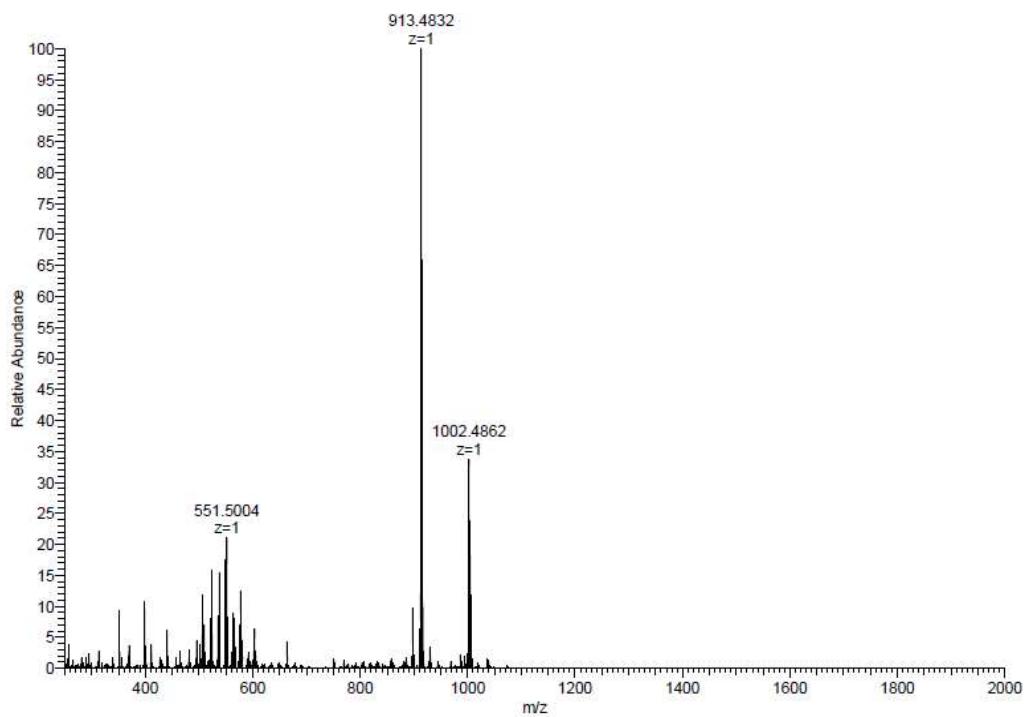
**Figure S15. ESI(+)-HRMS spectrum of 7**



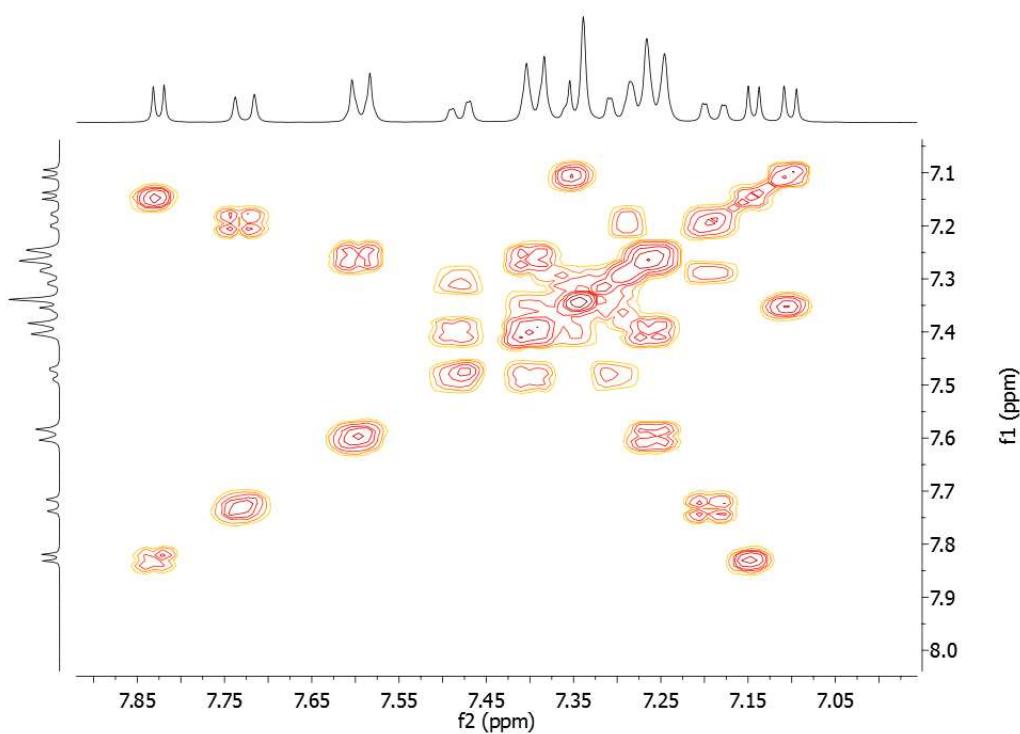
**Figure S16.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR( $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 600 MHz) spectrum of compound 3



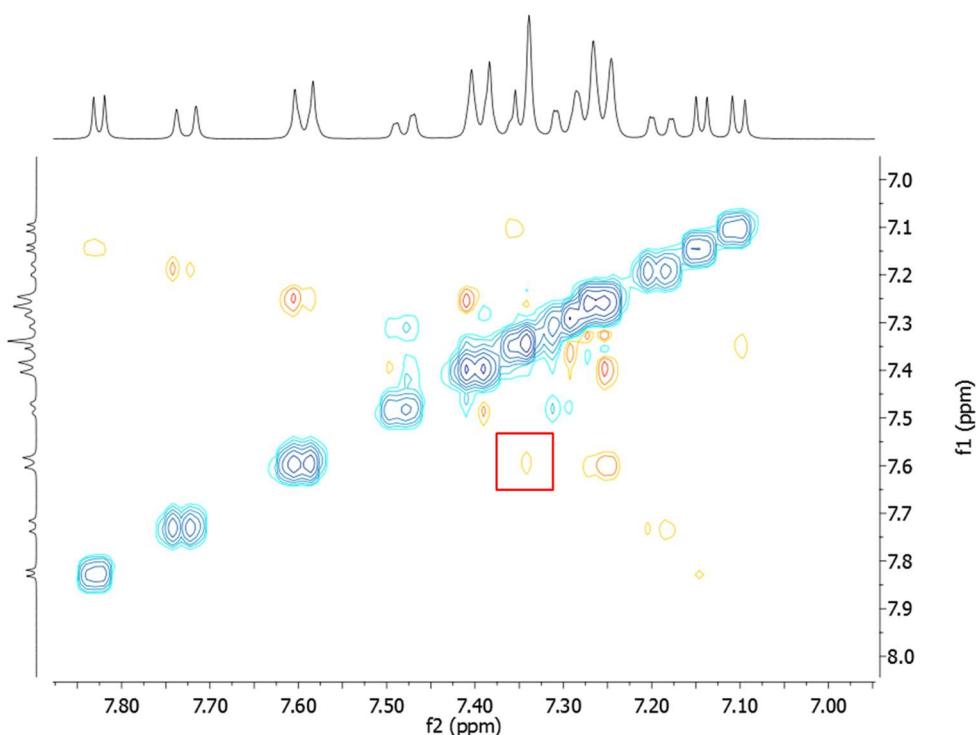
**Figure S17.**  $^{13}\text{C}$ -APT NMR ( $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 150 MHz) spectrum of compound 3



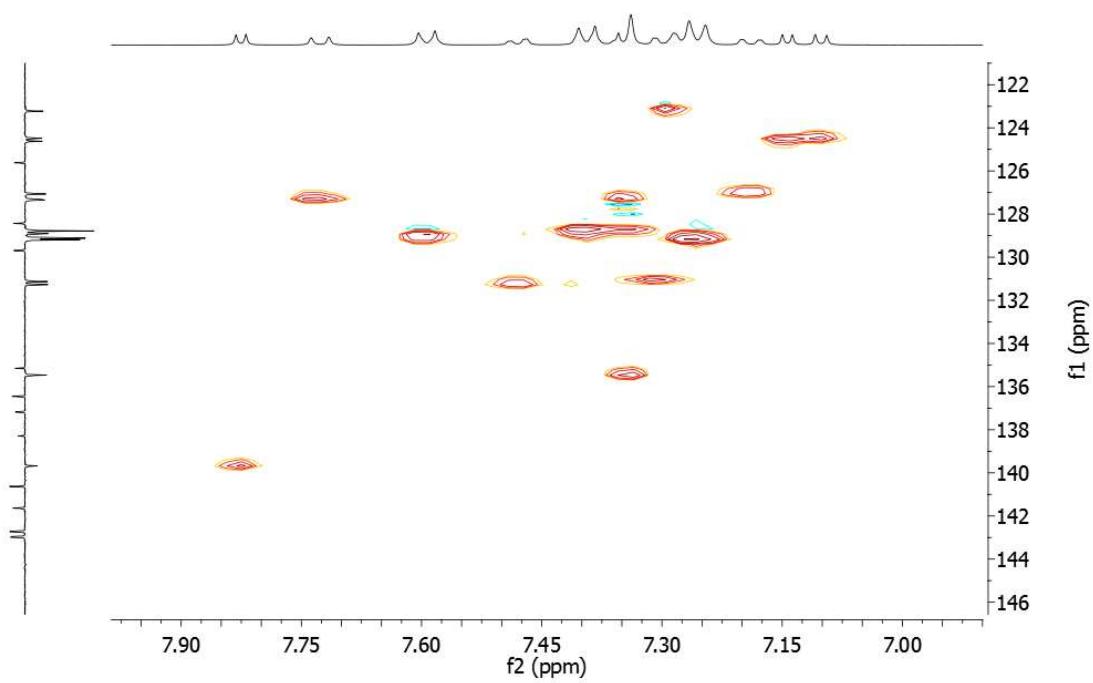
**Figure S18.** APCI(+) - HRMS spectrum of 3



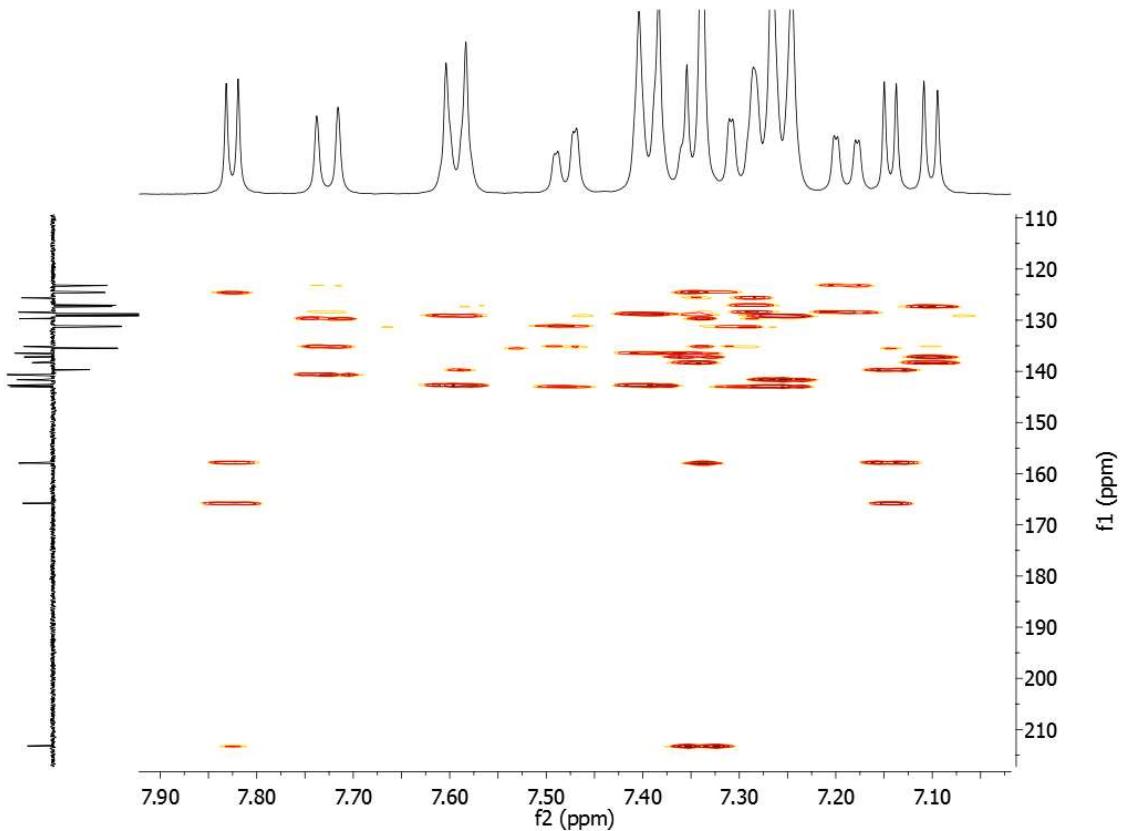
**Figure S19. COSY (H,H)-NMR (CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 600 MHz) spectrum of compound 3: aromatic region**



**Figure S20. ROESY NMR (CD<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 600 MHz) spectrum of compound 3: aromatic region**



**Figure S21.** HSQC NMR ( $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 600 MHz) spectrum of compound 3: aromatic region



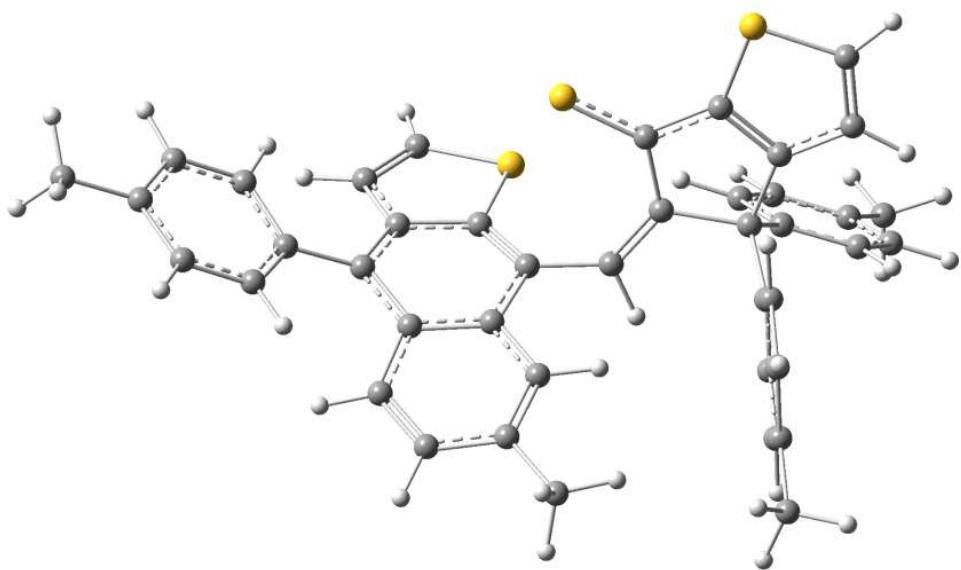
**Figure S22.** HMBC NMR ( $\text{CD}_2\text{Cl}_2$ , 600 MHz) spectrum of compound 3: aromatic region

### **Crystal structure determination**

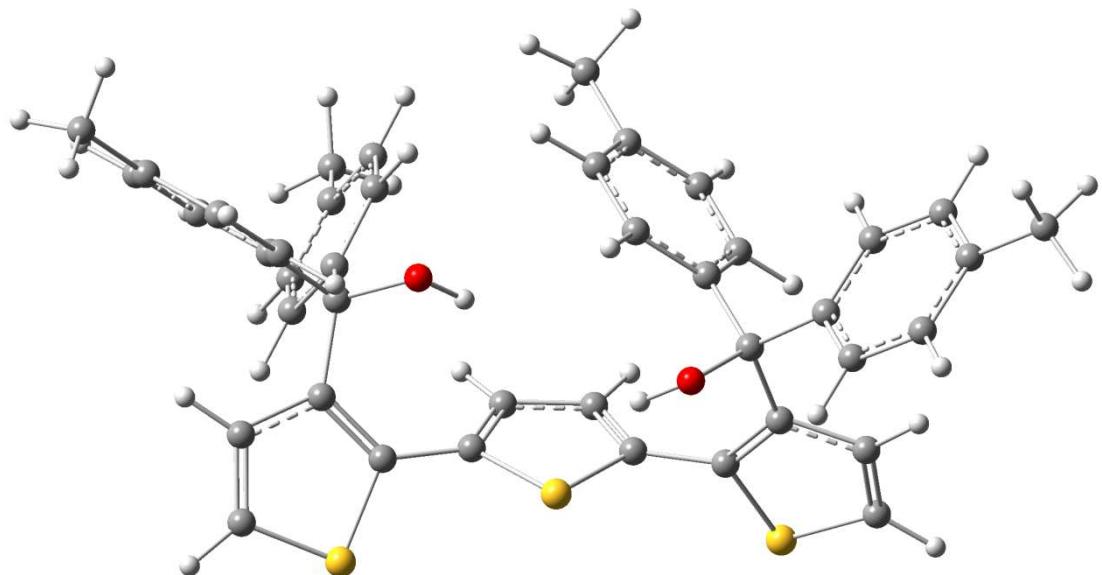
The details of the crystal structure determination and refinement for compound **3** are given in Table 1. The crystal was mounted on MiTeGen microMounts cryoloops and data were collected on a Bruker D8 VENTURE diffractometer using Mo-K $\alpha$  radiation ( $\lambda = 0.71073 \text{ \AA}$ ) from a I $\mu$ S 3.0 microfocus source with multilayer optics, at low temperature (100 K)<sup>1</sup>. For structure solving and refinement the Bruker APEX3 Software Package was used. The structure was refined with anisotropic thermal parameters for non-H atoms and hydrogen atoms were placed in fixed, idealized positions and refined with a riding model and a mutual isotropic thermal parameter. The drawings were created using the Diamond program.<sup>1</sup>

**Table S3. Crystal data and structure refinement for 3**

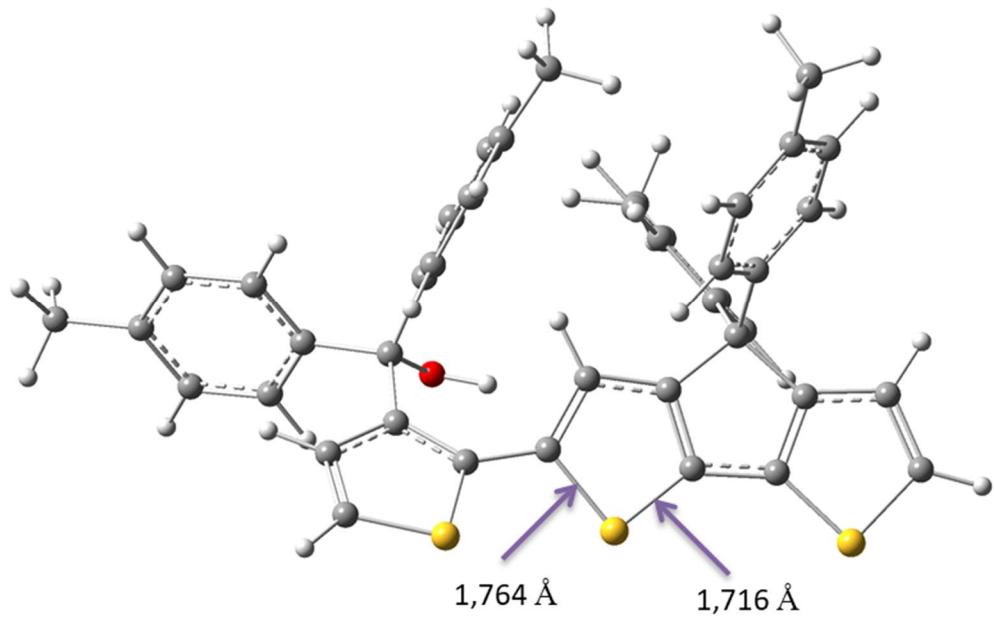
|                                   |   |   |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| Empirical formula                 | C <sub>62</sub> H <sub>72</sub> S <sub>3</sub>          |   |
| Formula weight                    | 913.37  |   |
| Temperature                       | 100(2) K  |   |
| Wavelength                        | 0.71073 Å   |   |
| Crystal system                    | Triclinic   |   |
| Space group                       | P -1  |   |
| Unit cell dimensions              | a = 10.5801(19) Å<br>b = 16.028(4) Å<br>c = 17.160(4) Å | a= 71.903(7)°.<br>b= 72.493(6)°.<br>g = 77.170(8)°. |
| Volume                            | 2611.2(9) Å <sup>3</sup>                                |   |
| Z                                 | 2   |   |
| Density (calculated)              | 1.162 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>                                 |   |
| Absorption coefficient            | 0.180 mm <sup>-1</sup>                                  |   |
| F(000)                            | 984   |   |
| Crystal size                      | 0.090 x 0.080 x 0.040 mm <sup>3</sup>                   |   |
| Theta range for data collection   | 2.280 to 28.298°.                                       |   |
| Index ranges                      | -14<=h<=14, -21<=k<=21, -22<=l<=22                      |   |
| Reflections collected             | 134242  |   |
| Independent reflections           | 12919 [R(int) = 0.0713]                                 |   |
| Completeness to theta = 25.242°   | 99.9 %  |   |
| Refinement method                 | Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>             |   |
| Data / restraints / parameters    | 12919 / 0 / 593   |   |
| Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup> | 1.063   |   |
| Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]     | R1 = 0.0545, wR2 = 0.1286                               |   |
| R indices (all data)              | R1 = 0.0825, wR2 = 0.1474                               |   |
| Largest diff. peak and hole       | 0.983 and -0.530 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>                      |   |



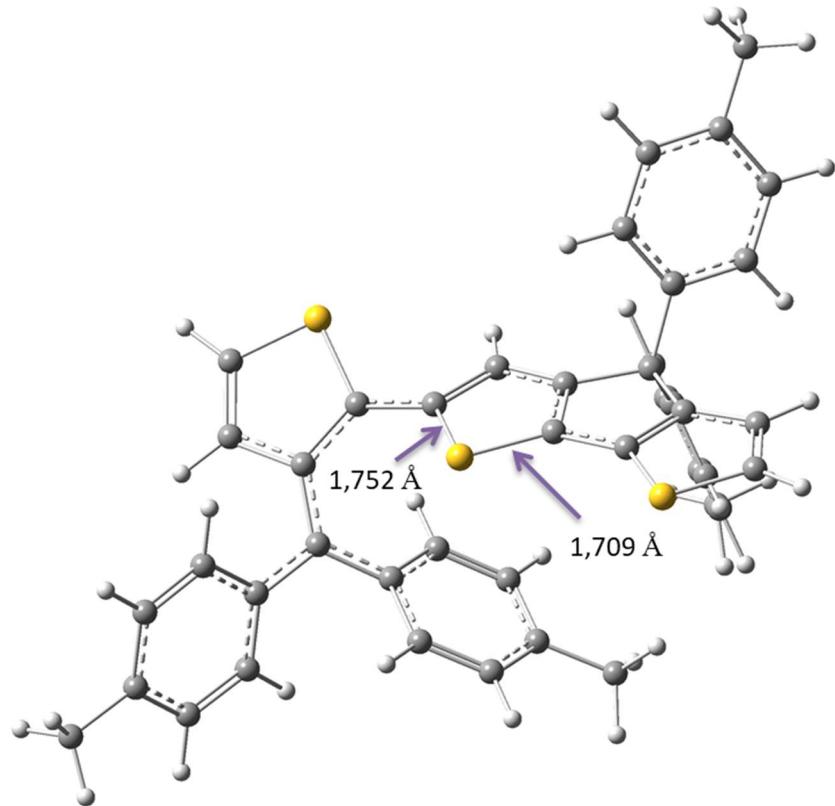
**Figure S23. DFT calculated structure of TS-rot**



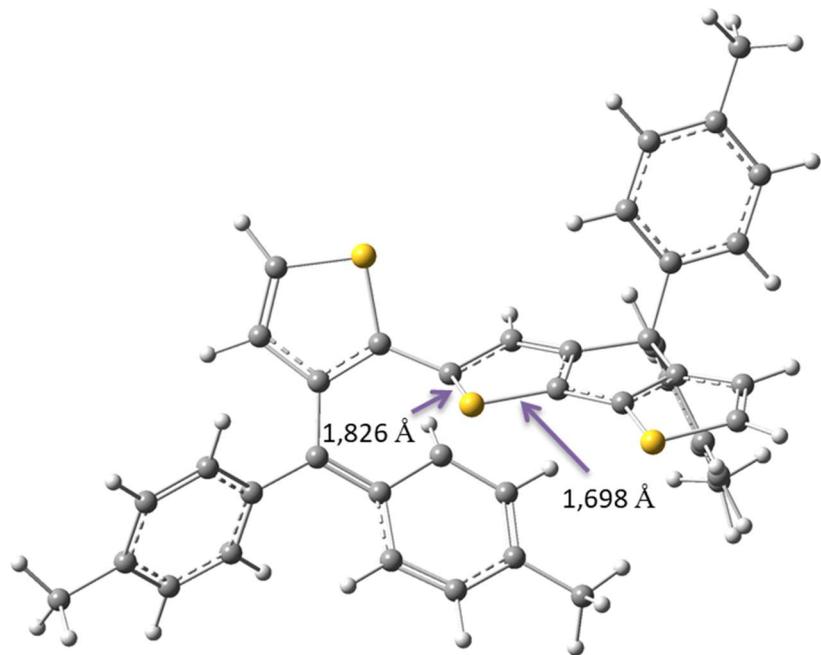
**Figure S24. DFT calculated structure of compound 7**



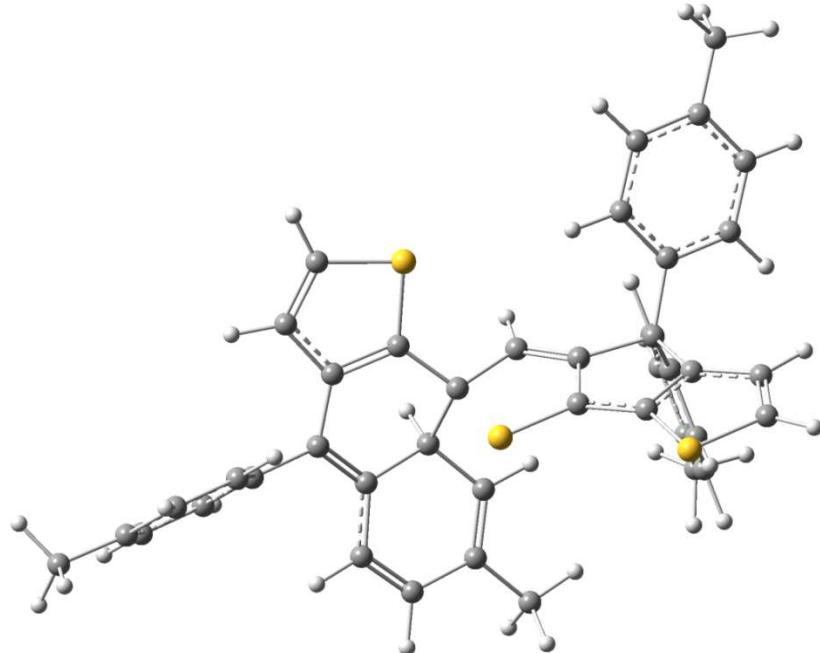
**Figure S25. DFT calculated structure of intermediate III**



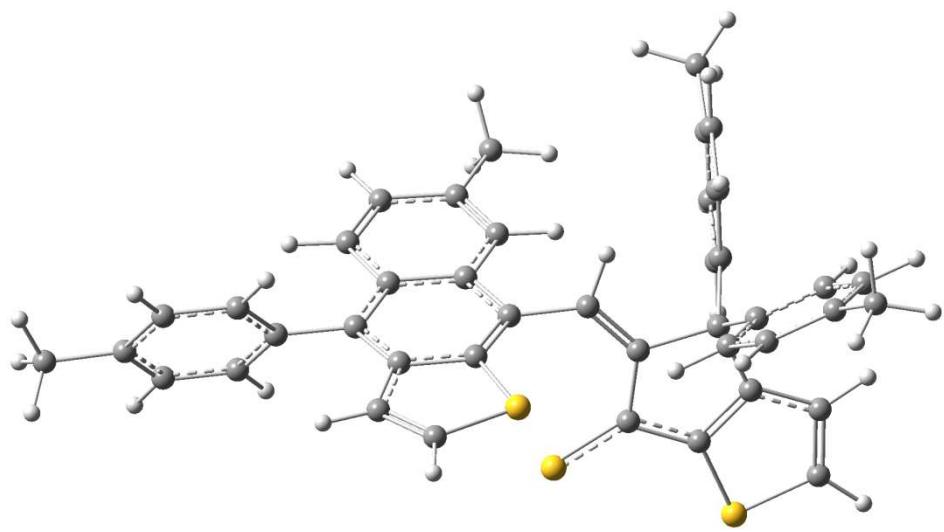
**Figure S26. DFT calculated structure of intermediate IV-a**



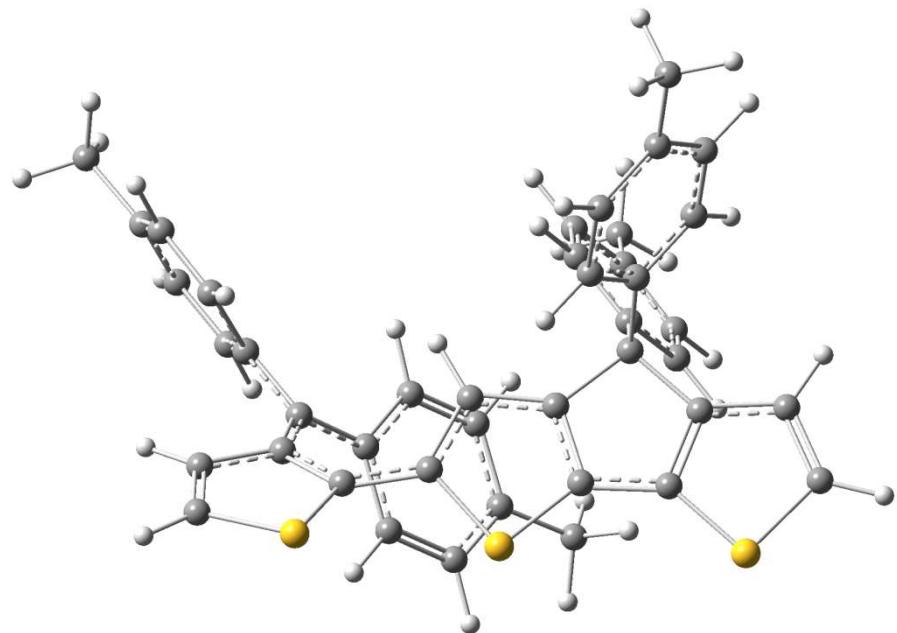
**Figure S27.** DFT calculated structure of TS-a



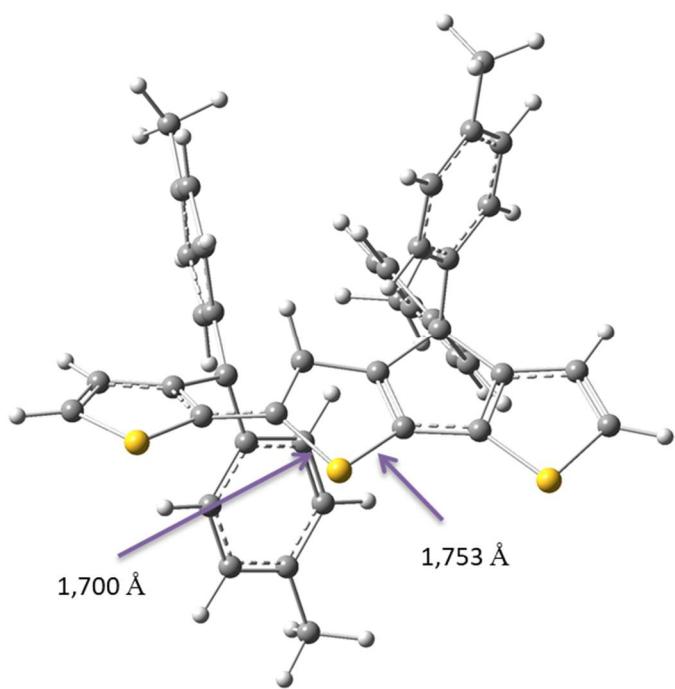
**Figure S28.** DFT calculated structure of intermediate V-a



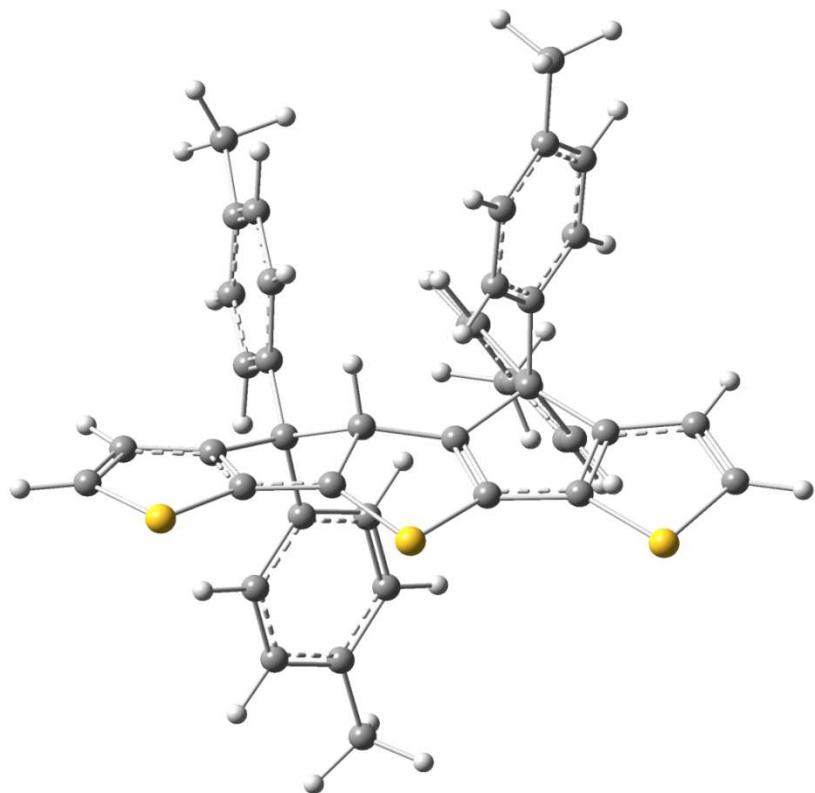
**Figure S29. DFT calculated structure of compound 3**



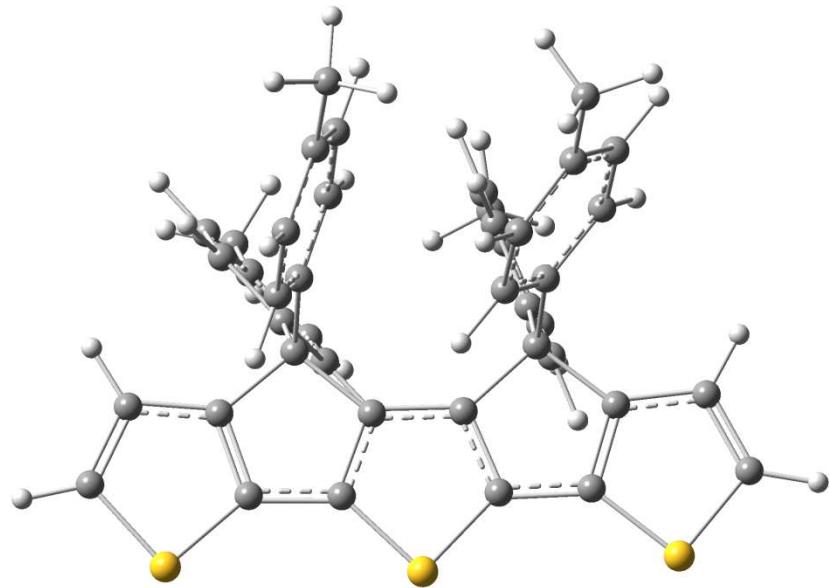
**Figure S30. DFT calculated structure of intermediate IV-b**



**Figure S31.** DFT calculated structure of TS-b



**Figure S32.** DFT calculated structure of intermediate V-b



**Figure S33. DFT calculated structure of compound 2**

**Table S4. DFT coordinates of TS-rot**

E= -2815.05596861 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2814.409565 Hartrees

| 0 1 |             |             |            |
|-----|-------------|-------------|------------|
| S   | 12.78242000 | 11.73762300 | 2.18902000 |
| S   | 10.31286800 | 9.10462300  | 2.05328100 |
| S   | 11.34911200 | 5.43697700  | 2.46949400 |
| C   | 12.98696000 | 9.15144500  | 5.17774600 |
| C   | 14.24596600 | 8.27633500  | 5.24318100 |
| C   | 15.31168600 | 8.66565500  | 6.06050400 |
| H   | 15.21163900 | 9.54003800  | 6.69075500 |
| C   | 16.49486600 | 7.94341900  | 6.08775500 |
| H   | 17.30147300 | 8.27049200  | 6.73392500 |
| C   | 16.66544100 | 6.80374500  | 5.29699200 |
| C   | 15.60708200 | 6.42605900  | 4.47431000 |
| H   | 15.70698600 | 5.55171600  | 3.84165900 |
| C   | 14.41776400 | 7.14919100  | 4.44547700 |
| H   | 13.62504500 | 6.82388100  | 3.78810600 |
| C   | 17.93986500 | 6.00488600  | 5.35604700 |
| H   | 18.05592400 | 5.37393500  | 4.47435100 |

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| H | 17.94850200 | 5.35167500  | 6.23325000  |
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| C | 11.71203600 | 10.72882900 | 6.71688400  |
| H | 11.59295800 | 11.40655800 | 5.88140600  |
| C | 10.53574700 | 10.51419100 | 10.33289400 |
| H | 10.31889100 | 9.61552600  | 10.91158400 |
| C | 11.11829600 | 7.48026800  | 4.89753800  |
| H | 11.45926700 | 7.12114300  | 5.86503100  |
| C | 9.91266800  | 6.80369400  | 4.40406800  |
| C | 8.71634200  | 6.88689900  | 5.16130800  |
| C | 8.69651600  | 7.61270500  | 6.38435500  |
| H | 9.57132700  | 8.18823700  | 6.65977600  |
| C | 7.62733900  | 7.58098100  | 7.24026300  |
| C | 6.52806100  | 6.76379500  | 6.88210300  |
| H | 5.71687600  | 6.62606700  | 7.58768500  |
| C | 6.47865100  | 6.12590500  | 5.67171300  |
| H | 5.64810300  | 5.46644200  | 5.47970900  |
| C | 7.52925800  | 6.21731700  | 4.71376100  |
| C | 7.48126500  | 5.60766300  | 3.40617700  |
| C | 8.74045200  | 5.27991800  | 2.85239400  |
| C | 9.91943400  | 5.91805900  | 3.35012800  |
| C | 9.10167500  | 4.34141700  | 1.81271500  |
| H | 8.42315000  | 3.63548400  | 1.36579100  |
| C | 10.42225400 | 4.31937800  | 1.52601100  |
| H | 10.92098000 | 3.66881500  | 0.82478300  |
| C | 6.21319100  | 5.47296500  | 2.63197400  |
| C | 6.19713200  | 5.03592100  | 1.29086500  |
| H | 7.11239900  | 4.79706300  | 0.78284100  |
| C | 5.03362400  | 4.95326900  | 0.54212700  |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| H | 5.09925000  | 4.60785400  | -0.48338400 |
| C | 3.79673100  | 5.32620400  | 1.06459700  |
| C | 3.80179600  | 5.84331500  | 2.35804700  |
| H | 2.87843500  | 6.21233100  | 2.79000600  |
| C | 4.96491600  | 5.92635400  | 3.10886000  |
| H | 4.88522500  | 6.41049800  | 4.06467000  |
| C | 2.52874000  | 5.19292100  | 0.26899400  |
| H | 2.71566800  | 5.30334600  | -0.80021900 |
| H | 1.78978600  | 5.93723300  | 0.56901800  |
| H | 2.07915100  | 4.20696200  | 0.42078900  |
| H | 9.60142400  | 11.05598400 | 10.17839300 |
| H | 11.18397200 | 11.14951800 | 10.94310800 |
| H | 18.81277700 | 6.65590700  | 5.42962500  |
| C | 7.62496200  | 8.34013900  | 8.53753800  |
| H | 8.57380800  | 8.85044600  | 8.70095300  |
| H | 6.82940200  | 9.09007300  | 8.54808700  |
| H | 7.44418700  | 7.67155400  | 9.38312900  |

**Table S5. DFT coordinates of compound 7**

E= -2968.00691912 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2967.304186 Hartrees

|   |             |             |            |
|---|-------------|-------------|------------|
| C | 0.05905500  | -2.44656700 | 4.59254100 |
| C | 1.01324100  | -1.45716300 | 4.47256600 |
| S | 0.16839000  | -3.23196000 | 6.13957100 |
| C | 1.80809300  | -1.34239100 | 5.64998900 |
| C | 1.47181000  | -2.23327300 | 6.62626900 |
| H | 2.61084700  | -0.62894000 | 5.75484900 |
| H | 1.92653500  | -2.35830100 | 7.59583300 |
| C | 1.20398300  | -0.56937700 | 3.23379500 |
| C | 0.14549100  | 0.53900000  | 3.18424200 |
| C | -0.52318600 | 0.98592300  | 4.32060900 |
| C | -0.14657200 | 1.15033700  | 1.96477400 |
| C | -1.46691700 | 2.00529500  | 4.23807600 |
| H | -0.31708600 | 0.53461800  | 5.28182200 |
| C | -1.08978700 | 2.16445400  | 1.88530300 |
| H | 0.36617000  | 0.81915200  | 1.07288000 |
| C | -1.77276400 | 2.60953300  | 3.01985500 |
| H | -1.97488200 | 2.33065000  | 5.13853400 |
| H | -1.29890800 | 2.62081900  | 0.92515400 |
| C | 2.62167900  | 0.01553600  | 3.23102400 |
| C | 2.89444700  | 1.31640900  | 3.63905300 |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 3.69351900  | -0.79852900 | 2.85788800  |
| C | 4.20241200  | 1.79449700  | 3.66943400  |
| H | 2.08726100  | 1.97005000  | 3.93995600  |
| C | 4.99380700  | -0.31721000 | 2.88403300  |
| H | 3.50252700  | -1.81601900 | 2.54595100  |
| C | 5.27461000  | 0.99091700  | 3.28977300  |
| H | 4.38570400  | 2.81269700  | 3.99271300  |
| H | 5.80785700  | -0.96937700 | 2.58823200  |
| C | 6.68686000  | 1.51269700  | 3.28926000  |
| H | 7.00489200  | 1.77166700  | 2.27537700  |
| H | 7.38627400  | 0.76346100  | 3.66474300  |
| H | 6.78173500  | 2.40845400  | 3.90378400  |
| C | -2.82172700 | 3.68451400  | 2.91897800  |
| H | -2.54385200 | 4.44197000  | 2.18420900  |
| H | -2.98062100 | 4.17832400  | 3.87817100  |
| H | -3.78018300 | 3.26269600  | 2.60300200  |
| O | 1.13753100  | -1.36053700 | 2.03474600  |
| H | 0.23221600  | -1.67603200 | 1.91438100  |
| C | -0.96646500 | -2.86857200 | 3.64398800  |
| C | -1.95340500 | -2.12029100 | 3.05066700  |
| S | -1.06103200 | -4.51934200 | 3.10309800  |
| C | -2.76060700 | -2.86083000 | 2.15162200  |
| H | -2.08885800 | -1.06958700 | 3.25720100  |
| C | -2.40400400 | -4.17760200 | 2.05005400  |
| H | -3.56234200 | -2.43209000 | 1.56940200  |
| C | -2.98296600 | -5.20995300 | 1.18974700  |
| C | -2.53453800 | -5.68636500 | -0.02619500 |
| S | -4.46455800 | -5.97812800 | 1.65466300  |
| C | -3.41568800 | -6.66722500 | -0.56569000 |
| C | -1.25833400 | -5.18183000 | -0.72375700 |
| C | -4.49604800 | -6.92465800 | 0.22805200  |
| H | -3.25370800 | -7.15455800 | -1.51435900 |
| C | -1.04807000 | -5.91259400 | -2.05768900 |
| C | -1.32783700 | -3.66071900 | -0.91804000 |
| O | -0.10767000 | -5.53410500 | 0.06463000  |
| H | -5.30191900 | -7.61742700 | 0.04544400  |
| C | -0.48029400 | -7.18938800 | -2.05353100 |
| C | -1.44823900 | -5.38098600 | -3.27964100 |
| C | -2.52720100 | -3.02816700 | -1.25190600 |
| C | -0.18928900 | -2.87425100 | -0.77955600 |
| H | -0.15704800 | -5.07184900 | 0.91235800  |
| C | -0.31668600 | -7.90180800 | -3.23274900 |
| H | -0.16867600 | -7.62772600 | -1.11619800 |
| C | -1.28602000 | -6.10062300 | -4.46046900 |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| H | -1.89091500 | -4.39637700 | -3.32635200 |
| C | -2.58276800 | -1.65542600 | -1.43511000 |
| H | -3.43226500 | -3.61292400 | -1.35406800 |
| C | -0.25035000 | -1.49381600 | -0.95333300 |
| H | 0.75359800  | -3.33680000 | -0.52340600 |
| C | -0.71567400 | -7.37131200 | -4.46206200 |
| H | 0.12631900  | -8.89074900 | -3.19751200 |
| H | -1.60829200 | -5.65829100 | -5.39614000 |
| C | -1.44430500 | -0.85885300 | -1.28506900 |
| H | -3.52903400 | -1.19105000 | -1.68897700 |
| H | 0.64997900  | -0.90758900 | -0.81817300 |
| C | -0.50755500 | -8.13767000 | -5.74104700 |
| C | -1.52181100 | 0.63138100  | -1.48037100 |
| H | -1.17000800 | -7.78259400 | -6.53120700 |
| H | -0.68530000 | -9.20490200 | -5.59760000 |
| H | 0.52039900  | -8.02578200 | -6.09760100 |
| H | -0.55780800 | 1.10874300  | -1.30539500 |
| H | -2.24845300 | 1.07785900  | -0.79836100 |
| H | -1.83941200 | 0.87682200  | -2.49671100 |

**Table S6. DFT coordinates of intermediate III**

E= -2891.53175719 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2890.857136 Hartrees

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 2.01159700  | -0.70485200 | -2.30656300 |
| C | 1.05318800  | -0.22919400 | -1.44022800 |
| C | 0.42994800  | -1.23512900 | -0.68594400 |
| C | 0.90012500  | -2.49926300 | -0.98448100 |
| S | 2.13367900  | -2.41559000 | -2.24282500 |
| C | 2.60620300  | 0.41111600  | -2.99845900 |
| C | 2.00208800  | 1.57911300  | -2.57598100 |
| S | 3.84055500  | 0.70622600  | -4.15261500 |
| C | 2.54465800  | 2.73001500  | -3.18876400 |
| C | 3.54720900  | 2.41292600  | -4.06828500 |
| H | 2.22245100  | 3.74384000  | -3.00155000 |
| H | 4.13574700  | 3.08286400  | -4.67423200 |
| C | 0.90055000  | 1.28566700  | -1.55667500 |
| C | -0.51484400 | 1.55402000  | -2.10004100 |
| C | -0.76923600 | 1.80651300  | -3.44388200 |
| C | -1.60501800 | 1.45829300  | -1.23082500 |
| C | -2.07558400 | 1.96073500  | -3.90459200 |
| H | 0.05031500  | 1.87986800  | -4.14572900 |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | -2.90200300 | 1.60621000  | -1.69347800 |
| H | -1.43798300 | 1.25775700  | -0.18127300 |
| C | -3.16469500 | 1.86394500  | -3.04254200 |
| H | -2.24357600 | 2.15779900  | -4.95713500 |
| H | -3.72750600 | 1.51582800  | -0.99648500 |
| C | 1.13979000  | 2.04189400  | -0.24598000 |
| C | 0.84736100  | 3.40656100  | -0.17619100 |
| C | 1.64233100  | 1.42367000  | 0.89515600  |
| C | 1.03926100  | 4.12023600  | 0.99708400  |
| H | 0.44616400  | 3.91241600  | -1.04550800 |
| C | 1.82875400  | 2.14161500  | 2.07363700  |
| H | 1.88427700  | 0.37021000  | 0.87932800  |
| C | 1.52495300  | 3.49837000  | 2.15102100  |
| H | 0.79997500  | 5.17729200  | 1.02128800  |
| H | 2.21033800  | 1.62845700  | 2.94881000  |
| H | -0.29301900 | -1.04551300 | 0.08742600  |
| C | 0.55090400  | -3.77385600 | -0.37872300 |
| C | -0.65608100 | -4.24778400 | 0.11587200  |
| S | 1.81140100  | -4.95504300 | -0.14470600 |
| C | -0.52428500 | -5.55057100 | 0.67518800  |
| C | -1.99176500 | -3.48706500 | 0.08959600  |
| C | 0.73745700  | -6.06167700 | 0.59813400  |
| H | -1.35049400 | -6.09260900 | 1.10810700  |
| C | -1.99516000 | -2.34573500 | 1.11833100  |
| C | -3.15668200 | -4.45259400 | 0.33109000  |
| O | -2.22628900 | -2.95145300 | -1.22638500 |
| H | 1.08553700  | -7.02660700 | 0.92966100  |
| C | -1.12950700 | -2.31851700 | 2.20960400  |
| C | -2.85661500 | -1.26503200 | 0.93440000  |
| C | -3.74735100 | -4.60152300 | 1.58169000  |
| C | -3.61205200 | -5.25835600 | -0.71407400 |
| H | -1.49828400 | -2.35791100 | -1.45478300 |
| C | -1.07889500 | -1.21268800 | 3.05108900  |
| H | -0.45627700 | -3.14693100 | 2.38479100  |
| C | -2.80440200 | -0.16308100 | 1.77726200  |
| H | -3.53942700 | -1.27003900 | 0.09610700  |
| C | -4.76713000 | -5.52771100 | 1.78316300  |
| H | -3.41292500 | -3.99629800 | 2.41324100  |
| C | -4.63266800 | -6.17592100 | -0.51108300 |
| H | -3.15928000 | -5.16368800 | -1.69106600 |
| C | -1.89498900 | -0.10232400 | 2.83518000  |
| H | -0.37376300 | -1.20487800 | 3.87413700  |
| H | -3.46542200 | 0.67644400  | 1.59503500  |
| C | -5.23202600 | -6.32848000 | 0.74220000  |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| H | -5.20760500 | -5.62343600 | 2.76889800  |
| H | -4.96823200 | -6.78896700 | -1.33996900 |
| C | -1.75845700 | 1.13824700  | 3.67561100  |
| H | -1.47092100 | 0.89796900  | 4.70018700  |
| H | -0.98229500 | 1.79004800  | 3.26272800  |
| H | -2.68786400 | 1.70837500  | 3.70213800  |
| C | 1.67615600  | 4.26355600  | 3.43851800  |
| H | 2.00544900  | 5.28784000  | 3.25634800  |
| H | 0.72160700  | 4.31920200  | 3.97004800  |
| H | 2.39501100  | 3.78520600  | 4.10461600  |
| C | -4.57756400 | 2.04402400  | -3.53028600 |
| H | -4.99353600 | 2.99334600  | -3.18174800 |
| H | -4.62767600 | 2.03886600  | -4.61935200 |
| H | -5.22788100 | 1.25105900  | -3.15505200 |
| C | -6.35861300 | -7.30604500 | 0.94682300  |
| H | -6.47362900 | -7.56793100 | 1.99917000  |
| H | -7.30755500 | -6.88132900 | 0.60701200  |
| H | -6.19471200 | -8.22441600 | 0.38034800  |

**Table S7. DFT coordinates of intermediate IV-a**

E= -2815.49147049 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2814.832947 Hartrees

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 1.10126800  | 1.14213600  | -0.60478900 |
| C | 0.28334800  | 1.53272400  | 0.44502000  |
| C | 0.18201200  | 0.56535400  | 1.44707900  |
| C | 0.89706300  | -0.58278600 | 1.14516000  |
| S | 1.75031700  | -0.42275500 | -0.37711700 |
| C | 1.11159100  | 2.17389100  | -1.60070400 |
| C | 0.26955900  | 3.19454800  | -1.19947400 |
| S | 1.85030400  | 2.50252400  | -3.11411400 |
| C | 0.22485000  | 4.26126700  | -2.12089100 |
| C | 1.02720500  | 4.02322000  | -3.20750800 |
| H | -0.36295000 | 5.15958200  | -2.00416900 |
| H | 1.18600000  | 4.65837500  | -4.06432600 |
| C | 0.92017800  | -1.79732000 | 1.91101400  |
| C | 0.88689500  | -3.14800200 | 1.48672100  |
| S | 1.11902000  | -1.70559200 | 3.61709600  |
| C | 1.06159000  | -4.05150000 | 2.59859400  |
| C | 1.14575500  | -3.42537800 | 3.79298300  |
| H | 1.03493500  | -5.12451200 | 2.49037700  |
| H | 1.20791000  | -3.86851200 | 4.77372600  |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | -0.37539200 | 2.88077800  | 0.15108800  |
| C | -1.88947200 | 2.62983900  | 0.06059900  |
| C | -2.54300200 | 2.44944000  | -1.15378000 |
| C | -2.63227800 | 2.48312100  | 1.23533300  |
| C | -3.89846500 | 2.13340200  | -1.19351700 |
| H | -1.99713000 | 2.54890700  | -2.08206200 |
| C | -3.97961000 | 2.16014000  | 1.19176000  |
| H | -2.15159700 | 2.62691000  | 2.19474200  |
| C | -4.64154700 | 1.97917000  | -0.02656500 |
| H | -4.38084400 | 2.00100000  | -2.15439500 |
| H | -4.52928000 | 2.04780700  | 2.11927600  |
| C | -0.02463900 | 3.98896100  | 1.14865100  |
| C | -0.74599500 | 5.18488300  | 1.13494400  |
| C | 1.04656000  | 3.87869500  | 2.03064700  |
| C | -0.40634200 | 6.23148400  | 1.97930700  |
| H | -1.58657600 | 5.29661200  | 0.46173200  |
| C | 1.38326600  | 4.93068800  | 2.87772600  |
| H | 1.63065000  | 2.96849500  | 2.06083000  |
| C | 0.66416400  | 6.12421100  | 2.87119000  |
| H | -0.98299000 | 7.14871800  | 1.94602000  |
| H | 2.22189800  | 4.81627000  | 3.55478700  |
| C | 1.00489200  | 7.25102700  | 3.80947100  |
| H | 0.86983200  | 8.22149200  | 3.32906500  |
| H | 0.35650100  | 7.23256500  | 4.69010800  |
| H | 2.03559100  | 7.18142400  | 4.15851600  |
| C | -6.11112600 | 1.65654600  | -0.06767200 |
| H | -6.39945700 | 1.23416000  | -1.03071100 |
| H | -6.38246800 | 0.94538600  | 0.71454200  |
| H | -6.71162500 | 2.55648900  | 0.09149500  |
| H | -0.43463200 | 0.64589500  | 2.32997200  |
| C | 0.57572300  | -3.62175900 | 0.17343300  |
| C | 1.15507400  | -4.87160300 | -0.26926700 |
| C | 2.30441200  | -7.30117100 | -1.13360500 |
| C | 0.43252800  | -5.76607800 | -1.08613800 |
| C | 2.46838900  | -5.22639800 | 0.10297100  |
| C | 3.03092000  | -6.40702900 | -0.33644300 |
| C | 0.99543000  | -6.95832800 | -1.49405000 |
| H | -0.58696200 | -5.53306900 | -1.35942800 |
| H | 3.05398100  | -4.54230700 | 0.70155500  |
| H | 4.05235000  | -6.64345800 | -0.06645600 |
| H | 0.41452800  | -7.64164800 | -2.10052000 |
| C | -0.34743600 | -2.91752100 | -0.68993000 |
| C | -2.07255600 | -1.45667100 | -2.38114500 |
| C | -0.17693500 | -2.93253300 | -2.08956700 |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | -1.01774600 | -2.20920700 | -2.91013200 |
| C | -2.26212300 | -1.46038100 | -0.99206400 |
| H | 0.65765400  | -3.46821500 | -2.51897600 |
| H | -0.85113400 | -2.21355300 | -3.97999800 |
| H | -3.08095400 | -0.89467800 | -0.56597100 |
| C | -2.95918200 | -0.65092900 | -3.28094500 |
| H | -3.93024300 | -0.46504200 | -2.82490200 |
| H | -2.50032800 | 0.32166200  | -3.48054900 |
| H | -3.10423300 | -1.14617600 | -4.24146100 |
| C | 2.90200000  | -8.60632800 | -1.56528600 |
| H | 2.49844800  | -8.93214300 | -2.52408200 |
| H | 3.98746800  | -8.54361200 | -1.63993200 |
| H | 2.66823800  | -9.38357800 | -0.83130300 |
| C | -1.42074900 | -2.17137400 | -0.16268800 |
| H | -1.59654900 | -2.17500300 | 0.90358000  |

**Table S8. DFT coordinates of TS-a**

E= -2815.45118838 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2814.794167 Hartrees

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | -1.18257900 | -0.53685200 | -3.04195200 |
| C | -2.05566000 | -0.26710900 | -1.95909800 |
| C | -2.20624400 | -1.32591800 | -1.11627500 |
| C | -1.54287300 | -2.52395200 | -1.56249400 |
| S | -0.45156700 | -2.06692300 | -2.95336400 |
| C | -1.18325500 | 0.57630700  | -3.91706100 |
| C | -2.03070400 | 1.55818800  | -3.41287900 |
| S | -0.41854100 | 1.06491200  | -5.37766800 |
| C | -2.05161600 | 2.71564600  | -4.20768900 |
| C | -1.23114400 | 2.58410000  | -5.30339200 |
| H | -2.63131100 | 3.60303300  | -4.00409900 |
| H | -1.05921100 | 3.31129100  | -6.08151900 |
| C | -1.03411800 | -3.52458700 | -0.59731000 |
| C | -1.07676600 | -4.90720300 | -0.74806600 |
| S | -0.25761800 | -3.07666400 | 0.86247700  |
| C | -0.49705600 | -5.57645200 | 0.37422600  |
| C | -0.01476100 | -4.71938300 | 1.31377500  |
| H | -0.45731100 | -6.65065600 | 0.46952200  |
| H | 0.44956900  | -4.95805800 | 2.25691800  |
| C | -2.69115000 | 1.11687200  | -2.10898800 |
| C | -4.21154000 | 0.93435100  | -2.22357700 |
| C | -4.87748100 | 0.96443200  | -3.44303000 |

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|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | -4.95160600 | 0.64492000  | -1.07360600 |
| C | -6.24581200 | 0.71208200  | -3.51353300 |
| H | -4.33562100 | 1.17364100  | -4.35503200 |
| C | -6.31087400 | 0.38825900  | -1.14883100 |
| H | -4.45986000 | 0.62667800  | -0.10922700 |
| C | -6.98713700 | 0.41740300  | -2.37319000 |
| H | -6.73821800 | 0.74180200  | -4.47828900 |
| H | -6.85980500 | 0.16303300  | -0.24186300 |
| C | -2.30300600 | 2.10076200  | -0.99671900 |
| C | -3.00113100 | 3.30310500  | -0.86923400 |
| C | -1.22163900 | 1.87319000  | -0.15023500 |
| C | -2.63044100 | 4.24254600  | 0.08147300  |
| H | -3.84772200 | 3.50422900  | -1.51323100 |
| C | -0.85501800 | 2.81764300  | 0.80352800  |
| H | -0.65352600 | 0.95587400  | -0.22700800 |
| C | -1.55166500 | 4.01684800  | 0.94041300  |
| H | -3.18991100 | 5.16755000  | 0.15903400  |
| H | -0.01103100 | 2.61310500  | 1.45177500  |
| C | -1.17811000 | 5.02407400  | 1.99444800  |
| H | -1.31206800 | 6.04466700  | 1.63263800  |
| H | -1.80866300 | 4.90876700  | 2.88058900  |
| H | -0.14147000 | 4.90449700  | 2.31063200  |
| C | -8.46797900 | 0.15908300  | -2.44008400 |
| H | -8.79895900 | -0.00213500 | -3.46603500 |
| H | -8.74237500 | -0.71693700 | -1.84923500 |
| H | -9.02838700 | 1.00731900  | -2.03796400 |
| H | -2.85235300 | -1.34937900 | -0.25058200 |
| C | -1.52377200 | -5.52471900 | -1.98505500 |
| C | -1.01130100 | -6.85140600 | -2.35233700 |
| C | -0.05204300 | -9.41393800 | -3.06505300 |
| C | -1.87125700 | -7.82212000 | -2.88498100 |
| C | 0.33773900  | -7.19107800 | -2.17708600 |
| C | 0.80533200  | -8.44436800 | -2.53697300 |
| C | -1.39881100 | -9.07987000 | -3.22544400 |
| H | -2.92138000 | -7.59048500 | -3.00579800 |
| H | 1.02634600  | -6.45858300 | -1.77740500 |
| H | 1.85528000  | -8.67665000 | -2.40517000 |
| H | -2.08880200 | -9.81787400 | -3.61650200 |
| C | -2.32101200 | -4.77642100 | -2.83394200 |
| C | -3.74486600 | -3.02297800 | -4.58712300 |
| C | -2.35998800 | -5.00347900 | -4.24812000 |
| C | -3.00230300 | -4.15165600 | -5.08566000 |
| C | -3.73435600 | -2.75668000 | -3.25543400 |
| H | -1.79701000 | -5.83278900 | -4.65210900 |

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|---|-------------|--------------|-------------|
| H | -2.96447700 | -4.31594900  | -6.15522200 |
| H | -4.30529700 | -1.92362400  | -2.86873100 |
| C | -4.51618900 | -2.18556200  | -5.56047900 |
| H | -5.20361500 | -2.80397600  | -6.14264100 |
| H | -5.08295900 | -1.40404700  | -5.05931700 |
| H | -3.83227600 | -1.71541900  | -6.27313300 |
| C | 0.46595600  | -10.76553700 | -3.47080100 |
| H | 1.30812500  | -11.07221200 | -2.84949600 |
| H | -0.31144000 | -11.52697600 | -3.40272100 |
| H | 0.81521600  | -10.74522100 | -4.50725600 |
| C | -2.96686500 | -3.55273500  | -2.32105500 |
| H | -3.43867500 | -3.68954500  | -1.35229300 |

**Table S9. DFT coordinates of intermediate V-a**

E= -2815.45996645 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2814.801632 Hartrees

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 0.83386700  | 1.29791600  | -1.01903800 |
| C | -0.05929000 | 1.54400400  | 0.09772600  |
| C | -0.35661500 | 0.45508500  | 0.80885000  |
| C | 0.22468500  | -0.83358800 | 0.32656700  |
| S | 1.29866600  | -0.29982700 | -1.22019700 |
| C | 1.04996700  | 2.51333800  | -1.67845800 |
| C | 0.28780900  | 3.52335600  | -1.07531100 |
| S | 1.96442300  | 3.09901100  | -3.01801300 |
| C | 0.44842300  | 4.76259900  | -1.69926600 |
| C | 1.32695200  | 4.67121500  | -2.75934600 |
| H | -0.03778500 | 5.68070700  | -1.40873900 |
| H | 1.63554500  | 5.47469600  | -3.41101000 |
| C | 1.07189200  | -1.56391600 | 1.29564800  |
| C | 1.31651400  | -2.92047000 | 1.17851300  |
| S | 2.00099000  | -0.84228100 | 2.55231500  |
| C | 2.24532300  | -3.36984500 | 2.16746000  |
| C | 2.69236400  | -2.36371200 | 2.96884600  |
| H | 2.55797400  | -4.39760400 | 2.27144300  |
| H | 3.37405900  | -2.43257400 | 3.80134900  |
| C | -0.52529500 | 3.00047600  | 0.10190900  |
| C | -2.03755400 | 2.97257900  | -0.18659300 |
| C | -2.52708400 | 2.96446900  | -1.49026400 |
| C | -2.94157100 | 2.80416700  | 0.86257300  |
| C | -3.88515900 | 2.79620200  | -1.73794400 |
| H | -1.85277400 | 3.07553300  | -2.32904900 |

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|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | -4.29521200 | 2.63450500  | 0.60955200  |
| H | -2.58747600 | 2.80351100  | 1.88515100  |
| C | -4.79444600 | 2.62692100  | -0.69545900 |
| H | -4.23853500 | 2.79150000  | -2.76218800 |
| H | -4.97607900 | 2.50183300  | 1.44203700  |
| C | -0.15427100 | 3.79160100  | 1.35977500  |
| C | -0.71780300 | 5.05291200  | 1.56402100  |
| C | 0.79054600  | 3.33450800  | 2.27384500  |
| C | -0.35284400 | 5.82479600  | 2.65625000  |
| H | -1.45661200 | 5.43039300  | 0.86894500  |
| C | 1.15143100  | 4.11181800  | 3.36986400  |
| H | 1.25805400  | 2.36841800  | 2.14190200  |
| C | 0.58659400  | 5.36748300  | 3.58440400  |
| H | -0.80656800 | 6.79939900  | 2.79208900  |
| H | 1.88647000  | 3.72955400  | 4.06810600  |
| C | 0.95048100  | 6.19555800  | 4.78678400  |
| H | 0.98489300  | 7.25779700  | 4.54007100  |
| H | 0.20808000  | 6.07065200  | 5.58002300  |
| H | 1.91924400  | 5.90436100  | 5.19336700  |
| C | -6.26662300 | 2.46839800  | -0.96209000 |
| H | -6.44850300 | 2.05115800  | -1.95296200 |
| H | -6.73633600 | 1.81865800  | -0.22246000 |
| H | -6.77375800 | 3.43615300  | -0.91454500 |
| H | -1.01825000 | 0.43569800  | 1.66441500  |
| C | 0.72276700  | -3.70033800 | 0.10376300  |
| C | 1.26625900  | -5.05434400 | -0.16399100 |
| C | 2.31974900  | -7.63493100 | -0.64316800 |
| C | 0.45350400  | -6.18809400 | -0.08748000 |
| C | 2.61662500  | -5.23288500 | -0.47825500 |
| C | 3.12993000  | -6.49976400 | -0.71963700 |
| C | 0.97319300  | -7.45443900 | -0.32344600 |
| H | -0.59367800 | -6.07414700 | 0.16319300  |
| H | 3.26685700  | -4.36924900 | -0.54386700 |
| H | 4.17760400  | -6.60876900 | -0.97468300 |
| H | 0.32061700  | -8.31702000 | -0.25535500 |
| C | -0.29630800 | -3.14411300 | -0.61974900 |
| C | -2.31408900 | -1.81084000 | -2.21518900 |
| C | -0.87053900 | -3.75455400 | -1.79080900 |
| C | -1.81206100 | -3.13944900 | -2.53684800 |
| C | -1.84644000 | -1.17863000 | -1.13090500 |
| H | -0.49137300 | -4.71902300 | -2.09814700 |
| H | -2.19072600 | -3.62622700 | -3.42754900 |
| H | -2.20838100 | -0.18809000 | -0.88448200 |
| C | -3.32727400 | -1.19134100 | -3.13387100 |

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|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| H | -4.22992500 | -1.80646400 | -3.18227100 |
| H | -3.60826400 | -0.19089200 | -2.80530600 |
| H | -2.93425700 | -1.12559000 | -4.15214500 |
| C | 2.88827200  | -9.01052200 | -0.86642800 |
| H | 2.13445100  | -9.69410600 | -1.25887800 |
| H | 3.72726200  | -8.98605100 | -1.56298000 |
| H | 3.25585500  | -9.43356900 | 0.07292600  |
| C | -0.87912300 | -1.80972300 | -0.17277700 |
| H | -1.43248200 | -2.01748700 | 0.76068700  |

**Table S10. DFT coordinates of compound 3**

E= -2815.08422213 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2814.437184 Hartrees

|   |             |             |            |
|---|-------------|-------------|------------|
| S | 10.85418800 | 12.37211600 | 7.23627300 |
| S | 8.81395100  | 10.04470700 | 5.37435300 |
| S | 9.98899900  | 8.81411600  | 1.87011400 |
| C | 12.80069500 | 9.19133500  | 5.91031400 |
| C | 13.90300200 | 9.42611400  | 4.86934800 |
| C | 15.23404200 | 9.52236500  | 5.28621000 |
| H | 15.48267400 | 9.35865400  | 6.32689500 |
| C | 16.24786700 | 9.81344700  | 4.38599700 |
| H | 17.26996500 | 9.87891700  | 4.74113300 |
| C | 15.97482400 | 10.02380900 | 3.03183900 |
| C | 14.64618500 | 9.94069200  | 2.62188700 |
| H | 14.39648400 | 10.10612100 | 1.58025200 |
| C | 13.62652500 | 9.64889900  | 3.52334400 |
| H | 12.60941700 | 9.60056200  | 3.16257200 |
| C | 17.08353800 | 10.30389200 | 2.05298900 |
| H | 16.70607200 | 10.78475800 | 1.15003500 |
| H | 17.57791300 | 9.37625800  | 1.75065300 |
| C | 12.51815300 | 10.50351300 | 6.60822800 |
| C | 13.26760200 | 11.41650500 | 7.37647100 |
| H | 14.31344900 | 11.31762600 | 7.62458700 |
| C | 12.49010400 | 12.47419500 | 7.77802900 |
| H | 12.79933600 | 13.32207000 | 8.36961900 |
| C | 11.20421600 | 10.88073700 | 6.44652900 |
| C | 10.43226200 | 9.94161700  | 5.68859900 |
| C | 11.39741300 | 8.88038800  | 5.30652300 |
| C | 13.12510500 | 8.06194600  | 6.90352100 |
| C | 13.85290700 | 6.93716900  | 6.51235500 |
| H | 14.30216900 | 6.90060900  | 5.52901700 |
| C | 14.01225000 | 5.85515600  | 7.36869000 |

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|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| H | 14.58162700 | 4.99570600  | 7.03392900  |
| C | 13.45284600 | 5.85314100  | 8.64724100  |
| C | 12.73791600 | 6.98407700  | 9.04020100  |
| H | 12.29552400 | 7.01988400  | 10.02888800 |
| C | 12.57509200 | 8.06786700  | 8.18514600  |
| H | 11.99939100 | 8.91993400  | 8.52244300  |
| C | 13.59202800 | 4.65950800  | 9.55344700  |
| H | 12.84734100 | 3.89763600  | 9.30533800  |
| C | 11.16201400 | 7.73301300  | 4.66273900  |
| H | 12.00723900 | 7.05627100  | 4.56528000  |
| C | 9.89310100  | 7.19452100  | 4.14437200  |
| C | 9.23886600  | 6.16560200  | 4.86882000  |
| C | 9.75550800  | 5.71291800  | 6.11387400  |
| H | 10.64956000 | 6.18107100  | 6.50710500  |
| C | 9.15582900  | 4.71281900  | 6.83400500  |
| C | 7.97790900  | 4.11841700  | 6.30860400  |
| H | 7.49936700  | 3.31920200  | 6.86296500  |
| C | 7.43884200  | 4.53475800  | 5.12354700  |
| H | 6.54158800  | 4.06073000  | 4.75104400  |
| C | 8.03306400  | 5.57851000  | 4.35827800  |
| C | 7.48550200  | 6.02350400  | 3.12645400  |
| C | 8.15468500  | 7.01666300  | 2.41706200  |
| C | 9.35701300  | 7.58132900  | 2.93671000  |
| C | 7.78961300  | 7.63081800  | 1.16447700  |
| H | 6.90742200  | 7.35962300  | 0.60456700  |
| C | 8.66295600  | 8.57950300  | 0.76386600  |
| H | 8.61309700  | 9.17792900  | -0.13246700 |
| C | 6.22215600  | 5.45618900  | 2.58644800  |
| C | 6.21918600  | 4.70604500  | 1.40891200  |
| H | 7.15449800  | 4.52201700  | 0.89472500  |
| C | 5.03603200  | 4.18730400  | 0.89637300  |
| H | 5.06378900  | 3.60116300  | -0.01503700 |
| C | 3.81526100  | 4.40367800  | 1.53706800  |
| C | 3.82132600  | 5.15373900  | 2.71484400  |
| H | 2.88823100  | 5.33686100  | 3.23525200  |
| C | 5.00197200  | 5.67101200  | 3.23206900  |
| H | 4.98100800  | 6.24983500  | 4.14712300  |
| C | 2.52916700  | 3.87139700  | 0.96278000  |
| H | 2.06063600  | 4.61252700  | 0.30872200  |
| H | 1.81153300  | 3.63186200  | 1.74879600  |
| H | 2.70011200  | 2.97296900  | 0.36836600  |
| H | 13.44588600 | 4.93277900  | 10.59888700 |
| H | 14.57475000 | 4.19614900  | 9.45311000  |
| H | 17.84679400 | 10.94861100 | 2.49211400  |

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| C | 9.71773300  | 4.24021100 | 8.14622800 |
| H | 10.59500800 | 4.81934700 | 8.43378100 |
| H | 8.97476900  | 4.32508800 | 8.94347500 |
| H | 10.00679900 | 3.18710800 | 8.09081600 |

**Table S11. DFT coordinates of intermediate IV-b**

E= -2815.49352677 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2814.835071 Hartrees

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 1.28199100  | -1.29285300 | -1.94371100 |
| C | 1.05073200  | -0.22814800 | -1.08301600 |
| C | 0.78127300  | -0.63353100 | 0.22444200  |
| C | 0.82209100  | -2.01265900 | 0.37055700  |
| S | 1.19691400  | -2.80515900 | -1.14998900 |
| C | 1.52432800  | -0.78937100 | -3.26278000 |
| C | 1.44752600  | 0.59120600  | -3.23777100 |
| S | 1.89866600  | -1.38888500 | -4.82667100 |
| C | 1.70024900  | 1.17537700  | -4.49636700 |
| C | 1.95306500  | 0.22456200  | -5.45196200 |
| H | 1.69830700  | 2.23541800  | -4.70198700 |
| H | 2.17041700  | 0.37917200  | -6.49677700 |
| C | 0.57300300  | -2.76063900 | 1.56655500  |
| C | -0.32157200 | -2.43925500 | 2.61586500  |
| S | 1.53831300  | -4.12258400 | 1.99421400  |
| C | -0.12858400 | -3.29797800 | 3.75688100  |
| C | 0.78729100  | -4.26932400 | 3.54600300  |
| H | -0.72775100 | -3.22664800 | 4.65143500  |
| H | 1.06109300  | -5.08023000 | 4.20138800  |
| C | 1.16884100  | 1.10423300  | -1.82317900 |
| C | -0.13828500 | 1.89400500  | -1.68535900 |
| C | -1.09977800 | 1.92591100  | -2.68937900 |
| C | -0.39803700 | 2.59458600  | -0.50408700 |
| C | -2.27515900 | 2.65597700  | -2.52846400 |
| H | -0.93617600 | 1.38845700  | -3.61358300 |
| C | -1.57007800 | 3.31647500  | -0.34576200 |
| H | 0.33593700  | 2.59331600  | 0.29187300  |
| C | -2.53060200 | 3.36843100  | -1.36048000 |
| H | -3.00277600 | 2.66750100  | -3.33132400 |
| H | -1.74132500 | 3.85551500  | 0.57904000  |
| C | 2.38481100  | 1.93539100  | -1.37834000 |
| C | 2.51275200  | 3.25473200  | -1.82129700 |
| C | 3.41225200  | 1.40136800  | -0.60698900 |

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|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 3.62803300  | 4.01095700  | -1.49647400 |
| H | 1.72819400  | 3.69735100  | -2.42165600 |
| C | 4.53076100  | 2.16507000  | -0.28172100 |
| H | 3.35256100  | 0.38086500  | -0.25401300 |
| C | 4.66027800  | 3.48176400  | -0.71592800 |
| H | 3.69978400  | 5.03147300  | -1.85488900 |
| H | 5.31423300  | 1.72202300  | 0.32203000  |
| C | 5.85433400  | 4.32056900  | -0.34632200 |
| H | 5.59031300  | 5.05991300  | 0.41485800  |
| H | 6.66400000  | 3.70876700  | 0.05197900  |
| H | 6.23363800  | 4.86988500  | -1.21018500 |
| C | -3.80669100 | 4.14428100  | -1.17256100 |
| H | -4.37024600 | 4.21719500  | -2.10266300 |
| H | -4.44982900 | 3.66414100  | -0.42930300 |
| H | -3.60550300 | 5.15597900  | -0.81478100 |
| C | -1.39249000 | -1.49630100 | 2.53898000  |
| C | -2.12964400 | -1.31106400 | 1.30703500  |
| C | -3.47057900 | -0.93100200 | -1.14623100 |
| C | -2.31742200 | -2.38193900 | 0.40967700  |
| C | -2.66075000 | -0.05458400 | 0.95859300  |
| C | -3.30976900 | 0.12557000  | -0.24549800 |
| C | -2.97814700 | -2.19264700 | -0.78497600 |
| H | -1.95751700 | -3.36616600 | 0.67461800  |
| H | -2.50128900 | 0.79338700  | 1.60939300  |
| H | -3.67124000 | 1.10802100  | -0.51096900 |
| H | -3.12062500 | -3.03214500 | -1.45375500 |
| C | -1.78364600 | -0.77847600 | 3.73071900  |
| C | -2.51979400 | 0.64604700  | 6.05497000  |
| C | -0.81722600 | -0.39449800 | 4.68445000  |
| C | -3.12909500 | -0.43139700 | 3.97371900  |
| C | -3.48364100 | 0.25491000  | 5.11751900  |
| C | -1.18035400 | 0.31436600  | 5.81053800  |
| H | 0.22476300  | -0.62132500 | 4.50520600  |
| H | -3.89406700 | -0.74243700 | 3.27649900  |
| H | -4.52514800 | 0.49160700  | 5.29497000  |
| H | -0.41807700 | 0.62584600  | 6.51345200  |
| C | -2.91331100 | 1.37501100  | 7.30415300  |
| H | -3.83044200 | 1.94625900  | 7.16203600  |
| H | -3.09390300 | 0.65893400  | 8.11167800  |
| H | -2.12378800 | 2.04842800  | 7.63799600  |
| C | -4.11677300 | -0.70823600 | -2.47977700 |
| H | -3.35382800 | -0.43963500 | -3.21680100 |
| H | -4.61875700 | -1.60701700 | -2.83815800 |
| H | -4.83496300 | 0.11080800  | -2.44439500 |

|   |            |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|------------|
| H | 0.58595100 | 0.02980500 | 1.05312500 |
|---|------------|------------|------------|

**Table S12. DFT coordinates of TS-b**

E= -2815.45022154 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2814.792805 Hartrees

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | -0.87325500 | -1.92014700 | -4.21639200 |
| C | -1.17042000 | -1.06039400 | -3.20050300 |
| C | -1.28603900 | -1.72077600 | -1.91633800 |
| C | -1.01845900 | -3.15057800 | -2.09801800 |
| S | -0.70509100 | -3.58953800 | -3.71021600 |
| C | -0.59220200 | -1.19649100 | -5.42715300 |
| C | -0.68184100 | 0.15132200  | -5.15212800 |
| S | -0.15890100 | -1.50169000 | -7.05753100 |
| C | -0.39436900 | 0.95892600  | -6.27322800 |
| C | -0.10012800 | 0.19815600  | -7.37500300 |
| H | -0.39846200 | 2.03862800  | -6.28058500 |
| H | 0.14974000  | 0.54039500  | -8.36661600 |
| C | -1.36924900 | -3.90815500 | -0.97322400 |
| C | -2.27552500 | -3.20267600 | -0.17693200 |
| S | -0.95651600 | -5.43133700 | -0.28679600 |
| C | -2.56798900 | -3.86437200 | 1.03012000  |
| C | -1.93513900 | -5.08013400 | 1.09151900  |
| H | -3.23955300 | -3.49811100 | 1.79113200  |
| H | -2.00434600 | -5.81154300 | 1.88182800  |
| C | -0.98689300 | 0.39106900  | -3.67281700 |
| C | -2.24333400 | 1.22461400  | -3.41811700 |
| C | -3.20513400 | 1.42130000  | -4.40503100 |
| C | -2.48894000 | 1.74345500  | -2.14461800 |
| C | -4.38619800 | 2.10097600  | -4.12213500 |
| H | -3.05030700 | 1.02520400  | -5.39917200 |
| C | -3.66338200 | 2.42501400  | -1.86927200 |
| H | -1.76185000 | 1.60717300  | -1.35558500 |
| C | -4.63997900 | 2.61132100  | -2.85085200 |
| H | -5.12281800 | 2.22842200  | -4.90650300 |
| H | -3.83228100 | 2.80160000  | -0.86832700 |
| C | 0.27847400  | 1.03414700  | -3.06189600 |
| C | 0.44167000  | 2.42003800  | -3.11616700 |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 1.32605000  | 0.27435400  | -2.54558800 |
| C | 1.60129500  | 3.02140300  | -2.64885400 |
| H | -0.34601500 | 3.03926300  | -3.52400100 |
| C | 2.48631100  | 0.88165200  | -2.07609700 |
| H | 1.26184000  | -0.80467800 | -2.51817700 |
| C | 2.64521500  | 2.26548100  | -2.11110100 |
| H | 1.69667900  | 4.09962200  | -2.70468700 |
| H | 3.28148400  | 0.26194600  | -1.67846800 |
| C | 3.88357500  | 2.92737800  | -1.56973900 |
| H | 4.15986400  | 3.79868800  | -2.16546700 |
| H | 3.72134500  | 3.27336900  | -0.54494000 |
| H | 4.72920900  | 2.23916700  | -1.55434500 |
| C | -5.91359600 | 3.34689200  | -2.53364700 |
| H | -6.64529200 | 3.24355500  | -3.33486700 |
| H | -6.36119700 | 2.97316200  | -1.61031700 |
| H | -5.72268300 | 4.41361700  | -2.39008800 |
| C | -2.84886500 | -2.00028600 | -0.84030900 |
| C | -3.92647500 | -2.32467400 | -1.84304200 |
| C | -5.92595400 | -2.90438600 | -3.76049900 |
| C | -4.45738900 | -3.61089800 | -1.96221700 |
| C | -4.42025400 | -1.33220300 | -2.69536200 |
| C | -5.39586800 | -1.61658800 | -3.63345400 |
| C | -5.43998200 | -3.89104800 | -2.90555600 |
| H | -4.12084900 | -4.40604000 | -1.31201300 |
| H | -4.03721200 | -0.32815600 | -2.62246700 |
| H | -5.74700900 | -0.82329800 | -4.28248600 |
| H | -5.83405400 | -4.89803200 | -2.97103100 |
| C | -3.09459900 | -0.85168100 | 0.08425800  |
| C | -3.52794400 | 1.25281200  | 1.92645700  |
| C | -2.06218400 | -0.38410500 | 0.90874600  |
| C | -4.35608500 | -0.26711600 | 0.22767300  |
| C | -4.56548700 | 0.75932600  | 1.13695300  |
| C | -2.27107500 | 0.65099900  | 1.80201000  |
| H | -1.07539100 | -0.82809900 | 0.85133300  |
| H | -5.18734300 | -0.62077700 | -0.36309500 |
| H | -5.55541300 | 1.19003800  | 1.22572100  |
| H | -1.44789200 | 1.00077700  | 2.41289000  |
| C | -3.74207100 | 2.41212200  | 2.85767400  |
| H | -3.52250200 | 3.35434400  | 2.34690500  |
| H | -4.77511300 | 2.46054200  | 3.20285200  |
| H | -3.08617900 | 2.35239800  | 3.72673600  |
| C | -6.99955300 | -3.19738100 | -4.77165300 |
| H | -7.95780300 | -2.78205500 | -4.44790200 |
| H | -6.76373200 | -2.74647900 | -5.73737000 |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| H | -7.13267900 | -4.26951000 | -4.91520400 |
| H | -0.71863600 | -1.26526100 | -1.11439500 |

**Table S13. DFT coordinates of intermediate V-b**

E= -2815.45399658 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -2814.794796 Hartrees

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 1.13260200  | -1.11118500 | -1.93303800 |
| C | 0.69910600  | -0.32395500 | -0.91726800 |
| C | 0.61443500  | -1.04355600 | 0.37466500  |
| C | 0.99695000  | -2.47251000 | 0.10940800  |
| S | 1.43961300  | -2.79130700 | -1.48425700 |
| C | 1.45267700  | -0.32493800 | -3.09845900 |
| C | 1.25846700  | 1.00022500  | -2.78247100 |
| S | 1.99202100  | -0.53851300 | -4.71101700 |
| C | 1.54898200  | 1.86926400  | -3.85679700 |
| C | 1.95458600  | 1.17310800  | -4.96524000 |
| H | 1.46999200  | 2.94572300  | -3.82628000 |
| H | 2.23824300  | 1.56851200  | -5.92751200 |
| C | 0.69634000  | -3.24239700 | 1.22877500  |
| C | -0.17269300 | -2.51744100 | 2.05720300  |
| S | 1.06313700  | -4.79691200 | 1.87847400  |
| C | -0.49283200 | -3.19899300 | 3.23442300  |
| C | 0.10925200  | -4.43916200 | 3.26353300  |
| H | -1.14587900 | -2.83208300 | 4.01110100  |
| H | 0.02902400  | -5.17860800 | 4.04590400  |
| C | 0.85762400  | 1.15925500  | -1.31542900 |
| C | -0.42724200 | 1.95909900  | -1.10224100 |
| C | -1.36739700 | 2.09357100  | -2.12105600 |
| C | -0.73391300 | 2.49545700  | 0.15033500  |
| C | -2.58130400 | 2.73174600  | -1.89099000 |
| H | -1.16729300 | 1.67954100  | -3.09991000 |
| C | -1.94448000 | 3.13308800  | 0.37501700  |
| H | -0.03307300 | 2.40075500  | 0.96712400  |
| C | -2.89523400 | 3.26053900  | -0.64017200 |
| H | -3.29824100 | 2.81013300  | -2.69963100 |
| H | -2.15974100 | 3.52016500  | 1.36350500  |
| C | 2.08740900  | 1.79102300  | -0.61473400 |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 2.20627900  | 3.18006100  | -0.53667400 |
| C | 3.15907000  | 1.02345900  | -0.15969300 |
| C | 3.33595400  | 3.77226000  | 0.01065800  |
| H | 1.40969700  | 3.81145700  | -0.90475300 |
| C | 4.28774800  | 1.62028700  | 0.39068400  |
| H | 3.14582000  | -0.05375800 | -0.25299800 |
| C | 4.39592000  | 3.00547300  | 0.49718500  |
| H | 3.39346800  | 4.85355700  | 0.05737500  |
| H | 5.09961100  | 0.99165900  | 0.73707100  |
| C | 5.59900300  | 3.65232800  | 1.12825200  |
| H | 5.41115700  | 3.87271600  | 2.18295200  |
| H | 6.47289600  | 3.00196300  | 1.07933000  |
| H | 5.84439100  | 4.59595600  | 0.63881400  |
| C | -4.20366100 | 3.95898200  | -0.38746500 |
| H | -4.93319700 | 3.73346000  | -1.16551200 |
| H | -4.62624800 | 3.66636900  | 0.57545100  |
| H | -4.06702100 | 5.04357700  | -0.36438700 |
| C | -0.65904600 | -1.25405300 | 1.38359700  |
| C | -1.89813400 | -1.57358600 | 0.52417200  |
| C | -4.13214300 | -2.10243800 | -1.13953700 |
| C | -2.44318600 | -2.85346200 | 0.43484600  |
| C | -2.50139600 | -0.56012700 | -0.22272100 |
| C | -3.59132400 | -0.81827200 | -1.03672000 |
| C | -3.54027900 | -3.10989700 | -0.38378300 |
| H | -2.03248300 | -3.67474900 | 1.00395900  |
| H | -2.13031000 | 0.44733500  | -0.15273800 |
| H | -4.02822800 | -0.00208400 | -1.59962700 |
| H | -3.93882200 | -4.11649700 | -0.42607500 |
| C | -0.85311200 | -0.11638700 | 2.37728400  |
| C | -1.18371300 | 1.96763600  | 4.26815100  |
| C | 0.24761200  | 0.47660200  | 3.00292900  |
| C | -2.12252400 | 0.32239400  | 2.75139400  |
| C | -2.28191600 | 1.34443400  | 3.67870100  |
| C | 0.08656600  | 1.50125500  | 3.92226200  |
| H | 1.25520300  | 0.15229800  | 2.77484400  |
| H | -3.00160200 | -0.12644900 | 2.31318400  |
| H | -3.28283600 | 1.66727700  | 3.93914500  |
| H | 0.96307900  | 1.94949200  | 4.37440900  |
| C | -1.35465700 | 3.11946500  | 5.21948200  |
| H | -2.32183700 | 3.08170800  | 5.72146200  |
| H | -0.57046500 | 3.12922000  | 5.97755100  |
| H | -1.30025900 | 4.07064300  | 4.68219200  |
| C | -5.30384500 | -2.37539700 | -2.04265000 |
| H | -5.00409500 | -2.32061200 | -3.09261500 |

H -5.72292600 -3.36593000 -1.86611600  
H -6.09446100 -1.63705700 -1.89537700  
H 1.39559400 -0.63394400 1.02148400

**Table S14. DFT coordinates of compound 2**

E= -2815.05803149 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies=-2814.411166 Hartrees

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | 1.81230300  | -0.80453500 | -2.05787600 |
| C | 0.95251500  | -0.26345800 | -1.10975400 |
| C | 0.47671000  | -1.25440900 | -0.21888000 |
| C | 1.01426300  | -2.50155500 | -0.51328800 |
| S | 2.07378800  | -2.49809100 | -1.87296200 |
| C | 2.25732500  | 0.22060600  | -2.96044700 |
| C | 1.68158400  | 1.41694000  | -2.59913400 |
| S | 3.27348300  | 0.38537500  | -4.33533500 |
| C | 2.05896200  | 2.48931100  | -3.43742400 |
| C | 2.91589300  | 2.08226000  | -4.42582200 |
| H | 1.72294800  | 3.51012900  | -3.32903300 |
| H | 3.36282500  | 2.67736500  | -5.20581300 |
| C | 0.53077900  | -3.47892700 | 0.42213300  |
| C | -0.31049600 | -2.86269200 | 1.31970600  |
| S | 0.69579300  | -5.15806500 | 0.74445300  |
| C | -0.83587600 | -3.74898700 | 2.28592400  |
| C | -0.37715900 | -5.02693700 | 2.10344700  |
| H | -1.51544300 | -3.47172100 | 3.07840400  |
| H | -0.60468900 | -5.90517500 | 2.68588000  |
| C | 0.80347700  | 1.25321800  | -1.35264900 |
| C | -0.66452300 | 1.59569500  | -1.65032400 |
| C | -1.21189300 | 1.26922000  | -2.89379800 |
| C | -1.50798000 | 2.16558400  | -0.70248200 |
| C | -2.55155800 | 1.49688800  | -3.16895700 |
| H | -0.58248500 | 0.82509300  | -3.65446800 |
| C | -2.85149900 | 2.39467400  | -0.98062900 |
| H | -1.11756600 | 2.44178500  | 0.26475300  |
| C | -3.40155400 | 2.05945800  | -2.21389400 |
| H | -2.94660600 | 1.22721100  | -4.14195700 |
| H | -3.48158500 | 2.83199400  | -0.21480200 |
| C | 1.45389900  | 2.10774800  | -0.25462200 |
| C | 1.27238900  | 3.49369400  | -0.24048200 |
| C | 2.33304100  | 1.56017200  | 0.67441700  |
| C | 1.92175800  | 4.29141500  | 0.69034100  |
| H | 0.61111200  | 3.95643900  | -0.96117800 |
| C | 2.98946100  | 2.36290900  | 1.59985300  |
| H | 2.50157400  | 0.49354600  | 0.69391000  |
| C | 2.79094000  | 3.74029900  | 1.63487000  |
| H | 1.75348300  | 5.36247800  | 0.67994800  |

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|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| H | 3.65337900  | 1.89922200  | 2.31938800  |
| C | 3.45623200  | 4.60426700  | 2.67270800  |
| H | 2.77030300  | 4.81840600  | 3.49742400  |
| H | 4.33450900  | 4.11480100  | 3.09531600  |
| H | 3.76688000  | 5.56309100  | 2.25370200  |
| C | -4.86600300 | 2.24988500  | -2.50070300 |
| H | -5.39633200 | 1.29595700  | -2.43241300 |
| H | -5.32778900 | 2.93435000  | -1.78848400 |
| H | -5.02906000 | 2.63983200  | -3.50716600 |
| C | -0.46785900 | -1.37222200 | 0.99586600  |
| C | -1.94632000 | -1.16654500 | 0.63430400  |
| C | -4.70269000 | -0.98602600 | 0.00689000  |
| C | -2.91247600 | -1.08074700 | 1.64095500  |
| C | -2.38616800 | -1.18525500 | -0.68548600 |
| C | -3.73919100 | -1.09802600 | -0.99157600 |
| C | -4.26152600 | -0.98505900 | 1.33232400  |
| H | -2.60821400 | -1.08287400 | 2.67933600  |
| H | -1.67050400 | -1.25303400 | -1.49153800 |
| H | -4.04323900 | -1.09772100 | -2.03133100 |
| H | -4.98536400 | -0.91202900 | 2.13628300  |
| C | 0.04227200  | -0.48984800 | 2.14564800  |
| C | 1.12609100  | 1.15657900  | 4.17996500  |
| C | 1.15391700  | -0.89584500 | 2.88829600  |
| C | -0.51898600 | 0.74696200  | 2.44592100  |
| C | 0.01266900  | 1.55405600  | 3.44615900  |
| C | 1.68361200  | -0.08941500 | 3.88414300  |
| H | 1.61441500  | -1.85336700 | 2.68071200  |
| H | -1.38498200 | 1.08869100  | 1.90041000  |
| H | -0.44501300 | 2.51579800  | 3.64699200  |
| H | 2.54990400  | -0.43156100 | 4.43907600  |
| C | 1.74054200  | 2.04939600  | 5.22327000  |
| H | 1.04655300  | 2.82696600  | 5.54391100  |
| H | 2.05113100  | 1.48202000  | 6.10252100  |
| H | 2.63038400  | 2.54574900  | 4.82616100  |
| C | -6.16354000 | -0.83417300 | -0.32318800 |
| H | -6.38169100 | -1.17918200 | -1.33452200 |
| H | -6.78987500 | -1.39546000 | 0.37265100  |
| H | -6.46896200 | 0.21425000  | -0.26013100 |

**Table S15. DFT coordinates of water**

E= -76.46933837 Hartrees

Sum of electronic and thermal Enthalpies= -76.444452 Hartrees

|   |            |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|------------|
| O | 0.68032400 | 0.17738800 | 0.00000000 |
| H | 1.64342900 | 0.21781400 | 0.00000000 |
| H | 0.39694400 | 1.09874000 | 0.00000000 |

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