

SI for "Origin of Unidirectional Charge Separation in Photosynthetic Reaction Centers:
Nonadiabatic Quantum Dynamics of Exciton and Charge in the Pigment-Protein
Complexes"

The parameters for the vibrational modes of pigments in the nonadiabatic quantum dynamics calculations, i.e., the frequency, ω , and the linear vibronic coupling, κ , in the following equation are summarized below (in eV).

$$h_I(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_i \frac{\omega_i}{2} (x_i^2 + p_i^2) + \sum_i \kappa_i^I x_i + H_H$$

ω_i , x_i , and p_i are the frequency, position, and momentum of the i th vibrational mode. κ_i^I is the vibronic coupling of the i th vibrational mode in the I th electronic state.

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Charge Separation in Purple Bacterial Reaction Center

ω_i for (P_LP_M) special pair

w1 = 0.456665
w2 = 0.456552
w3 = 0.435041
w4 = 0.418677
w5 = 0.396689
w6 = 0.391493
w7 = 0.367777
w8 = 0.360828
w9 = 0.310860
w10 = 0.306468
w11 = 0.270594
w12 = 0.230775
w13 = 0.205526
w14 = 0.189664
w15 = 0.173582
w16 = 0.147218
w17 = 0.129304
w18 = 0.103937
w19 = 0.091683
w20 = 0.067871
w21 = 0.047938
w22 = 0.028602
w23 = 0.022375
w24 = 0.013945
w25 = 0.009199

κ_i for an exciton on the (P_LP_M) special pair

k1 = 0.003483
k2 = 0.002648
k3 = -0.007756
k4 = -0.001183
k5 = 0.016766
k6 = 0.010517
k7 = 0.081278
k8 = -0.005178
k9 = -0.003229
k10 = 0.008399
k11 = 0.040045
k12 = -0.008091
k13 = -0.085594
k14 = 0.022482
k15 = -0.090752
k16 = 0.022279
k17 = 0.055648
k18 = -0.005350
k19 = -0.040382
k20 = -0.006683
k21 = -0.020467
k22 = -0.007660
k23 = 0.017525
k24 = 0.007628
k25 = -0.011194

κ_i for a hole on the (P_LP_M) special pair

k1 = 0.002023
k2 = 0.008927
k3 = 0.008691
k4 = -0.006803
k5 = -0.003074
k6 = 0.028962
k7 = 0.031987
k8 = 0.015664
k9 = 0.017663
k10 = -0.006522
k11 = -0.013098
k12 = -0.042542
k13 = -0.010233
k14 = 0.092059
k15 = -0.023651
k16 = 0.089663
k17 = 0.001007
k18 = -0.056907

k19 = -0.005113
k20 = -0.029656
k21 = -0.003865
k22 = -0.022719
k23 = -0.004711
k24 = 0.019485
k25 = 0.001691

ω_i for B_L and B_M

w1 = 0.466550
w2 = 0.453095
w3 = 0.444364
w4 = 0.436117
w5 = 0.418372
w6 = 0.398127
w7 = 0.388133
w8 = 0.381088
w9 = 0.335934
w10 = 0.268831
w11 = 0.238658
w12 = 0.222495
w13 = 0.204893
w14 = 0.186229
w15 = 0.168951
w16 = 0.138927
w17 = 0.121557
w18 = 0.097984
w19 = 0.082673
w20 = 0.059428
w21 = 0.043969
w22 = 0.030957
w23 = 0.020427
w24 = 0.012257
w25 = 0.008223

κ_i for an electron on B_L and B_M

k1 = 0.014938
k2 = 0.004291
k3 = 0.019477
k4 = 0.003240
k5 = 0.008527
k6 = -0.008880
k7 = 0.023322
k8 = -0.022010
k9 = -0.010981
k10 = 0.044365

k11 = -0.025966
k12 = 0.058101
k13 = 0.106698
k14 = -0.083843
k15 = 0.079829
k16 = -0.052670
k17 = -0.050604
k18 = -0.058731
k19 = 0.031184
k20 = -0.016328
k21 = -0.020984
k22 = 0.016248
k23 = -0.013256
k24 = -0.007446
k25 = -0.001703

ω_i for H_L and H_M
w1 = 0.445660
w2 = 0.433760
w3 = 0.406192
w4 = 0.402452
w5 = 0.393309
w6 = 0.384571
w7 = 0.378176
w8 = 0.364391
w9 = 0.287780
w10 = 0.222896
w11 = 0.213305
w12 = 0.202523
w13 = 0.184927
w14 = 0.169664
w15 = 0.147163
w16 = 0.128129
w17 = 0.110591
w18 = 0.088544
w19 = 0.074124
w20 = 0.055158
w21 = 0.039458
w22 = 0.029678
w23 = 0.018266
w24 = 0.010776
w25 = 0.006627

κ_i for an electron on H_L and H_M
k1 = 0.010597
k2 = -0.005122

k3 = -0.049950
k4 = -0.008288
k5 = -0.013771
k6 = -0.014190
k7 = -0.012133
k8 = -0.002712
k9 = 0.000011
k10 = -0.030611
k11 = 0.093988
k12 = -0.088225
k13 = 0.091404
k14 = 0.074692
k15 = 0.081364
k16 = 0.061694
k17 = -0.051234
k18 = 0.056532
k19 = 0.034264
k20 = -0.019669
k21 = -0.025852
k22 = 0.018031
k23 = 0.012311
k24 = 0.006028
k25 = 0.004436

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Charge Separation along the D1-Branch in Photosystem II

ω_i for Chl_{D1}

w1 = 0.466416
w2 = 0.466178
w3 = 0.449356
w4 = 0.429996
w5 = 0.414661
w6 = 0.396472
w7 = 0.386146
w8 = 0.379171
w9 = 0.345207
w10 = 0.260024
w11 = 0.212830
w12 = 0.207285
w13 = 0.190702
w14 = 0.181014
w15 = 0.160231
w16 = 0.143206

w17 = 0.127042
w18 = 0.099619
w19 = 0.090772
w20 = 0.061947
w21 = 0.057515
w22 = 0.034035
w23 = 0.031673
w24 = 0.014461
w25 = 0.011622

κ_i for an exciton on Chl_{D1}

k1 = 0.004556
k2 = -0.008440
k3 = 0.001429
k4 = -0.001527
k5 = -0.000458
k6 = 0.008118
k7 = -0.002258
k8 = -0.007274
k9 = 0.000907
k10 = -0.000309
k11 = 0.024379
k12 = 0.036338
k13 = 0.062078
k14 = 0.007892
k15 = -0.079788
k16 = 0.012623
k17 = 0.044638
k18 = 0.000018
k19 = -0.026496
k20 = 0.002882
k21 = -0.017410
k22 = -0.010967
k23 = 0.000748
k24 = -0.002657
k25 = 0.001276

κ_i for a hole on Chl_{D1}

k1 = 0.029548
k2 = 0.031546
k3 = -0.056932
k4 = 0.000867
k5 = -0.022714
k6 = 0.006662
k7 = -0.018219
k8 = 0.002338
k9 = -0.001016

k10 = -0.004759
k11 = -0.062120
k12 = 0.047298
k13 = 0.031685
k14 = 0.103938
k15 = -0.065488
k16 = 0.081568
k17 = 0.024429
k18 = 0.051135
k19 = -0.004484
k20 = 0.035136
k21 = -0.002643
k22 = -0.004312
k23 = -0.025954
k24 = 0.002943
k25 = 0.008754

ω_i for P_{D1}
w1 = 0.452609
w2 = 0.439089
w3 = 0.406988
w4 = 0.403767
w5 = 0.393584
w6 = 0.388311
w7 = 0.378154
w8 = 0.374912
w9 = 0.241293
w10 = 0.221903
w11 = 0.201736
w12 = 0.197731
w13 = 0.177892
w14 = 0.168480
w15 = 0.151672
w16 = 0.134259
w17 = 0.115341
w18 = 0.094415
w19 = 0.086410
w20 = 0.053291
w21 = 0.050067
w22 = 0.030222
w23 = 0.026889
w24 = 0.016161
w25 = 0.011622

κ_i for a hole on P_{D1}
k1 = 0.005684

k2 = 0.015802
k3 = -0.018143
k4 = 0.001962
k5 = 0.007403
k6 = 0.011369
k7 = 0.003912
k8 = 0.011787
k9 = -0.002128
k10 = -0.037253
k11 = 0.010880
k12 = -0.085149
k13 = -0.026034
k14 = -0.097229
k15 = -0.059351
k16 = -0.060356
k17 = 0.029951
k18 = -0.038131
k19 = -0.020855
k20 = 0.023242
k21 = -0.010674
k22 = 0.016428
k23 = 0.006735
k24 = 0.009863
k25 = -0.003061

ω_i for Pheo_{D1}
w1 = 0.456138
w2 = 0.448054
w3 = 0.443815
w4 = 0.432901
w5 = 0.401064
w6 = 0.393183
w7 = 0.383318
w8 = 0.371525
w9 = 0.362734
w10 = 0.315993
w11 = 0.222199
w12 = 0.209630
w13 = 0.197064
w14 = 0.178983
w15 = 0.155604
w16 = 0.138768
w17 = 0.117955
w18 = 0.095185
w19 = 0.080595
w20 = 0.059815

w21 = 0.044245
w22 = 0.031087
w23 = 0.019590
w24 = 0.014566
w25 = 0.007429

κ_i for an electron on PheD1

k1 = 0.001257
k2 = 0.001394
k3 = -0.011054
k4 = 0.019760
k5 = 0.008092
k6 = 0.018595
k7 = -0.020096
k8 = 0.012760
k9 = 0.006095
k10 = 0.000048
k11 = -0.060882
k12 = 0.081701
k13 = -0.088696
k14 = -0.075494
k15 = 0.062045
k16 = -0.070605
k17 = 0.040130
k18 = 0.047032
k19 = -0.033883
k20 = 0.018162
k21 = 0.023284
k22 = 0.021144
k23 = -0.010986
k24 = -0.007462
k25 = -0.002672

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For the exciton transfer from Chl_{D2} to Chl_{D1} via P_{D1} and P_{D2}, the vibronic parameters for Chl_{D2} are identical with those of Chl_{D1}, and 10 effective vibrational modes are considered for the intermediate exciton states on P_{D1} and P_{D2} as follows.

ω_i for P_{D1} and P_{D2}

w1 = 0.451080
w2 = 0.412854
w3 = 0.386839
w4 = 0.338898
w5 = 0.201736
w6 = 0.166850

w7 = 0.129492
w8 = 0.088103
w9 = 0.043040
w10 = 0.016315

κ_i for an exciton on P_{D1}
kd1 = 0.002888
kd2 = -0.004957
kd3 = 0.010324
kd4 = -0.002066
kd5 = -0.051456
kd6 = 0.069345
kd7 = -0.049491
kd8 = 0.034079
kd9 = -0.015433
kd10 = -0.006541

κ_i for an exciton on P_{D2}
kx1 = 0.003114
kx2 = -0.005345
kx3 = 0.011132
kx4 = -0.002228
kx5 = -0.055485
kx6 = 0.074774
kx7 = -0.053366
kx8 = 0.036747
kx9 = -0.016641
kx10 = -0.007053