

A Vinylogous Norrish Reaction as a Strategy for Light-Mediated Ring Expansion

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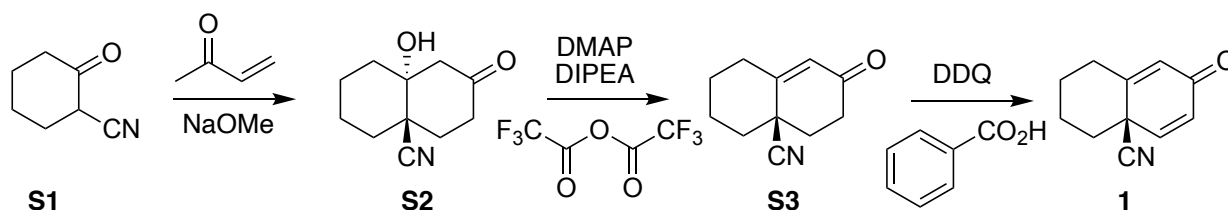
I. Materials and general methods

Infrared spectra were recorded on a Nexus 470 FT-IR spectrometer. Solid samples were handled as pressed KBr pellets or as CCl₄ thin films while liquid samples were analyzed neat between KBr plates. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker RDQ-400 (BBFO probe), Bruker DRX-400 (BBO probe), Bruker DRY-400 (BBO probe), or Bruker CFI-600 spectrometers (BBO probe). Spectra were obtained in CDCl₃ and the chemical shifts (ppm) are relative to the CHCl₃ peaks (7.27 ppm for ¹H-NMR and 77.0 ppm for ¹³C-NMR). For the photochemical reaction studies C₆D₆ and CD₃CN were used as NMR solvents. GenTech 5890 Series II SSQ 7000 and Agilent Technologies 6520 Accurate-Mass Q-TOF LC/MS instruments were used for LR MS and HR MS analyses respectively at the University of Calgary. Elemental analyses were performed on PerkinElmer Series II CHNS/O 2400 instrument at the University of Calgary. X-ray structure determination was performed at the University of Calgary, using a Nonius Kappa APEX2 CCD (Mo sealed tube (2.0 kW), 4-circle Kappa-geometry goniometer) and Bruker SMART APEX2 CCD (Cu sealed tube (1.5 kW), 3-circle fixed Chi goniometer) both using APEX2 1k CCD X-ray detector. All melting points are uncorrected. Boiling points are uncorrected and refer to measured air-bath temperatures using a Kugelrohr short path distillation apparatus. Anhydrous solvents were prepared by standard methods (Na/benzophenone for THF, LAH for ether and CaH₂ for DCM, CH₃CN, HMPA and benzene). "DriSolv" EMD Millipore grade DMF was used. Chloroform stored over K₂CO₃ was used for work with acid sensitive compounds. A LZC-4V photoreactor (Luzchem Research Inc.) was used for irradiation of the divinyl ketones and equipped with:

1. 14x8W Hitachi FL8BL-B lamps (1.2W UV Output) for UV-A irradiation (315-400 nm with 365 nm spectral peak)
2. 14x7.2W USHIO G8T5 lamps (2.2W UV Output) for UV-C irradiation (200-280 nm with 254 nm spectral peak)

A 5 mm *Wilmad*[®] quartz NMR tube was used for simultaneous samples irradiation and the reaction monitoring when small amounts (less than 10 mg) of the irradiated starting materials were used. A 4 mL or 9 mL cylindric quartz cuvette was used for the irradiation up to 400 mg of starting materials. 100 or 200 mL quartz round bottom flasks were used for reactions up to 5 g.

Preparation of the substrate **1** for irradiation experiments



(4a*S*,8a*R*)-8a-hydroxy-2-oxodecahydronaphthalene-4a-carbonitrile (S2**)**. To a solution of 1-cyano-cyclohexanone (**S1**)¹ (18.87 g, 153 mmol) and methylvinylketone (13.4 g, 15.6 mL, 191 mmol) in dry benzene (300 mL) at ambient temperature was added a freshly prepared solution of NaOMe (6.25 mL, 15 mmol, 2.4 M) in methanol over 5 minutes. The mixture was stirred for 2 hours (until the starting nitrile and intermediate Michael addition products were consumed by ¹H NMR spectroscopy). A solution of NH₄Cl (aq, sat., 20 mL), water (10 mL) and Et₂O (40 mL) were added to the reaction mixture and stirred vigorously for 15 minutes. The white powder was removed by filtration, washed with benzene (2x30 mL), water (2x25 mL) and dried *in vacuo* to yield 16.67 g of the target product **S2**. The combined biphasic liquor was separated, and the aqueous layer was extracted with CHCl₃ (3x75 mL). The combined organic extract was washed with brine, dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was subjected to SiO₂ column chromatography (800 g, 25 - 40% Et₂O in CHCl₃) furnishing an additional amount of **S2** (1.12 g, 60% combined yield) and 7.6 g (26% yield) of the target product **S3** of 95% purity.

S2: mp: 186-187 °C (CHCl₃); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 2.93 (d, *J*=14.9 Hz, 1H), 2.76 (dt, *J*=13.9 Hz, *J*=6.7 Hz, 1H), 2.55-2.48 (m, 1H), 2.36 (dd, *J*=15.2 Hz, *J*=2.3 Hz, 1H), 2.23 (dt, *J*=13.6 Hz, *J*=4.8 Hz, 1H), 2.08-1.95 (m, 3H), 1.88-1.55 (m, 9H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 208.5 (C=O), 122.3 (CN), 74.0 (C), 52.8 (CH₂), 43.5 (C), 38.6 (CH₂), 36.1 (CH₂), 31.7 (CH₂), 30.7 (CH₂), 22.5 (CH₂), 23.3 (CH₃), 19.6 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3369, 2934, 2861, 2233, 1705, 1453, 1413, 1197, 997, 971; LRMS (EI) 193 [M⁺] (80), 175 (10), 166 (18), 150 (17), 136 (100), 124 (80), 108 (48), 93 (22), 81 (21), 71 (32), 58 (53), 47 (62); Anal. Calcd. for C₁₁H₁₅NO₂: C, 68.37; H, 7.82; N, 7.25. Found: C, 68.01, H, 7.73; N, 7.15.

7-oxo-1,2,3,4,4a,5,6,7-octahydronaphthalene-4a-carbonitrile (S3**)**. To a solution of alcohol **S2** (17.71 g, 91.8 mmol), DMAP (12.2 g, 100 mmol) and diisopropylethylamine (DIPEA) (46.6 g, 64 mL, 367 mmol) in DCM (400 mL) at 0 °C was added trifluoroacetic anhydride (TFAA) (42 g, 28 mL, 200 mmol). After 15 minutes, the reaction mixture was allowed to warm to ambient temperature and was stirred for 16 hours. All the volatile components were removed *in vacuo* and the residue was diluted with toluene (360 mL) and

¹ The compound was prepared from 1,5-dicyanopentane according to the published procedure: Dehli, J.R.; Gotor, V. J. *Org. Chem.* **2002**, *67*, 6816-19.

after 30 minutes of stirring at ambient temperature the mixture was refrigerated. After 12 hours the white powder (ca. 26 g, consisted mostly of TFA*DMAP and TFA*DIPEA salts) was removed by filtration. The filtrate was diluted with Et₂O (300 mL) and toluene in the amount enough to get ca. 1000 ml of total volume. The solution was passed through SiO₂ plug (300 g) to remove polar impurities. An additional amount (300 mL) of the 30% Et₂O/toluene mixture was used to remove all of the target product from the SiO₂. The solvents were removed *in vacuo* and crystallization of the residue (21.7 g) from 5% hexanes/EtOAc mixture, (500 mL, slow cooling technique) furnished 11.9 g of the target **S3**. SiO₂ column chromatography (500 g, 4 - 6% Et₂O in CHCl₃) of the concentrated mother liquor gave an additional 4.7 g of **S3** of 95% purity. It was combined with the product (7.6 g) of the same quality from previous step and recrystallized from 5% hexanes/EtOAc mixture to furnish 7.4 g of pure **S3** (19.3 g in total, 73% yield after 2 steps).

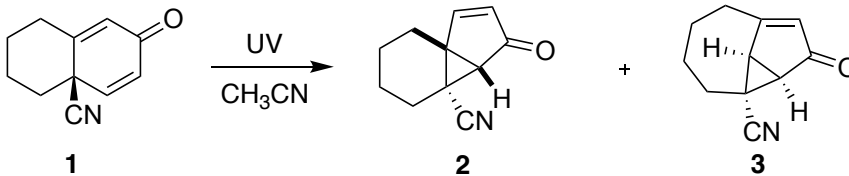
S3: ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.96(s, 1H, CH=C), 2.73-2.64 (m, 1H), 2.56-2.48 (m, 3H), 2.43 (ddd, *J*=13.8 Hz, *J*=8.3 Hz, *J*=4.7 Hz, 1H), 2.30 (dq, *J*=11.5 Hz, *J*=2.4 Hz, 1H), 2.05-1.96 (m, 2H), 1.94-1.85 (m, 2H), 1.54-1.38 (m, 2H). All other data are in agreement with the literature.²

7-oxo-1,2,3,4,4a,7-hexahydronaphthalene-4a-carbonitrile (1). To a solution of **S3** (10.45 g, 59 mmol) in dry chlorobenzene (200 mL) was added benzoic acid (14.4 g, 120 mmol) followed by DDQ (24 g, 106 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at 88°C for 24 hours. After cooling down to ambient temperature, the solid by-products were removed by filtration and the organic solution was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was redissolved in EtOAc (300 mL) and the solution was washed with a 1:1 mixture (5x80 mL) of NaHCO₃ (aq, sat) solution and water to remove the leftover benzoic acid and most of the corresponding hydroquinone byproduct. After drying over Na₂SO₄ and filtering, the organic solution was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was redissolved in toluene (200 mL) and subjected to two consecutive SiO₂ column purifications (500 g, 20 - 30% Et₂O in toluene and 400 g, 30% EtOAc in hexanes) to furnish 8.25 g (79% yield) of the target **1** as a yellow oil solidifying upon storage.

1: mp: 42-43°C; UV-Vis: 229.0 nm; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.81 (d, *J*=9.8 Hz, 1H, CH=CH), 6.40 (dd, *J*=9.8 Hz, *J*=1.7 Hz, 1H, CH=CH), 6.24 (s, 1H, CH=C), 2.68-2.55 (m, 2H), 2.53-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.16-2.10 (m, 1H), 2.10-1.90 (m, 2H), 1.51-1.35 (m, 2H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 184.4 (C=O), 156.3 (C=CH), 143.8 (CH=CH), 130.1 (CH=C), 125.8 (C=CH), 117.1 (CN), 41.0 (C), 39.3 (CH₂), 33.3 (CH₂), 29.2 (CH), 27.4 (CH₂), 22.5 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2940, 2860, 2229, 1665, 1635, 1609, 1446, 1393, 1260, 878; LRMS (EI) 173 [M]⁺ (100), 158 (44), 144 (71), 130 (64), 117 (69), 103 (59), 89 (25), 76 (22), 67 (20); LRMS (CI) 174 [M+H]⁺; Anal. Calcd. for C₁₁H₁₁NO: C, 76.28; H, 6.40; N, 8.09. Found: C, 76.08, H, 6.39; N, 8.19.

² Liu, H-J.; Ly, T-W.; Tai, C-L.; Wu, J-D.; Liang, J-K.; Guo, J-C.; Tseng, N-W.; Shia, K-S. *Tetrahedron* **2003**, *59*, 1209-1226.

Irradiation of 1



3-oxo-3a,3b,4,5,6,7-hexahydro-3H-cyclopenta[1,3]cyclopropa[1,2]benzene-3b-carbonitrile (2) and 2-oxo-2,2a,2a1,2b,3,4,5,6-octahydrocyclopropa[cd]azulene-2b-carbonitrile (3). A solution of **1** (3.33 g, 19.2 mmol) in dry CH₃CN (90 mL) in a quartz flask (200 mL) was irradiated under stirring in (UV-C LZC-4V photoreactor) for 6 hours. A solution containing **1**, **2** and **3** in 1:1:1 ratio (by ¹H NMR) was concentrated, and the residue was redissolved in 20% Et₂O in benzene mixture (100 mL) and passed through short plug of SiO₂ (50 g) to eliminate polar by-products. An additional amount (200 mL) of the same solvent mixture was used to take off all the valuable compounds from SiO₂. The combined solution was concentrated and the residue (3.10 g) was redissolved in CH₃CN (90 mL) and UV-C irradiated for 6 additional hours to give a solution containing **1**, **2** and **3** in a 0.4:1.25:1 ratio (by ¹H NMR, 85% conversion). According to TLC (Silica gel, 7% Et₂O in benzene) the reaction mixture showed two spots with R_f 0.45 and 0.35 (after 3 runs). The first spot (R_f 0.45) represented target product **2**. The second spot consisted of two components, namely, starting material **1** and target product **3**. The reaction mixture was concentrated and purified using SiO₂ column chromatography (450 g, 7 - 9% Et₂O in benzene³) which furnished 1.17 g of the target product **2** (35%) and 1.63 g of the mixture containing **1**, **2** and **3** in a 0.37:0.10:1.0 ratio. In order to separate the starting material from the target products (mostly **3**) in this mixture, column chromatography exploiting aluminum oxide instead of silica gel was used. The Et₂O/Benzene system for chromatography was also substituted with CHCl₃/hexanes. According to TLC (aluminum oxide, 1:1 CHCl₃/hexanes) the second combined fraction from the previous chromatography showed two spots with R_f 0.41 and 0.35 (after 3 runs). The first spot (R_f 0.41) represented the starting material **1**. The second spot consisted of target product **3** contaminated with target product **2**. So that the mixture was forwarded to the aluminum oxide column chromatography (450 cm³, 1:1 - 2:1 CHCl₃/hexanes) to furnish 0.38 g of the starting material **1**, 0.25 g of the mixed fraction and 0.93 g of the target product **3** (27%) containing ca. 1 % of **1**. Recrystallization from hexane/EtOAc gave analytically pure sample.

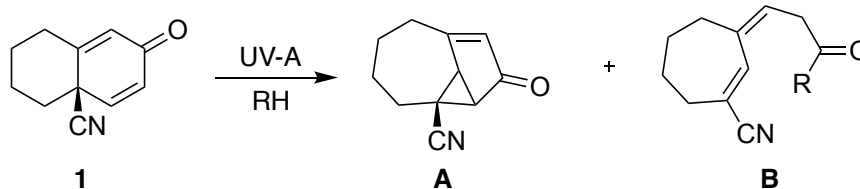
2: viscous oil; UV-Vis: 223.3, 260.9 nm; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.48 (dd, $J=5.6$ Hz, $J=1.1$ Hz, 1H, CH=CH), 6.00 (dd, $J=5.6$ Hz, $J=1.1$ Hz, 1H, CH=CH), 2.35-2.26 (m, 1H), 2.25-2.08 (m, 2H), 2.20 (s, 1H), 1.98-1.91 (m, 1H), 1.63-1.55 (m, 1H), 1.51-1.32 (m, 3H); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 201.1 (C=O), 162.7 (CH=CH), 131.2 (CH=CH), 119.9 (CN), 40.6

³ Benzene can be substituted by toluene however benzene produces consistently better separation on silica gel than toluene.

(C), 39.2 (C), 38.3 (CH), 29.7 (CH₂), 23.1 (CH₂), 20.5 (CH₂), 19.9 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3399, 3056, 2931, 2861, 2236, 1702, 1442, 1333, 1164, 878, 821, 742, 490; LRMS (EI) 173 [M⁺] (100), 158 (8), 145 (12), 130 (8), 117 (10), 103 (7); HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₁H₁₁NO 173.0841, found 173.0842.

3: mp: 58-59 °C (Hexane/ EtOAc); UV-Vis: 220.0, 261.1, 330.2 nm; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.63 (s, 1H, CH=C), 3.21 (d, *J*=4.8 Hz, 1H, C¹H), 3.04-2.88 (m, 1H), 2.69 (d, *J*=4.8 Hz, 1H, C²H), 2.38 (dd, *J*=15.4 Hz, *J*=7.0 Hz, 1H), 2.28 (dt, *J*=12.0 Hz, *J*=5.4 Hz, 1H), 2.17-2.15 (m, 1H), 2.01-1.95 (m, 1H), , 1.50 (dq, *J*=15.1 Hz, *J*=2.4 Hz, 1H), 1.39 (dd, *J*=11.9 Hz, *J*=10.6 Hz, 1H), 1.12-1.03 (m, 1H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 199.4 (C=O), 172.7 (C=CH), 129.0 (CH=C), 120.6 (CN), 39.3 (CH), 37.9 (CH), 32.9 (C), 32.3 (CH₂), 29.1 (CH₂), 27.3 (CH₂), 25.9 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3372, 3067, 2944, 2858, 2237, 1751, 1692, 1596, 1456, 1276, 1180, 1067, 1040, 908, 878, 566; LRMS (ESI) 196 [M+Na⁺]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₁H₁₁NaNO 196.0733, found 196.0732; Anal. Calcd. for C₁₁H₁₁NO: C, 76.28; H, 6.40; N, 8.09. Found: C, 76.18, H, 6.41; N, 8.21.

Table SI-1. Irradiation of **1** in the presence of varying nucleophiles



Entry	Solvent, trap (eq.), time, conversion	R	A : B by ¹ H NMR	Z : E for B by ¹ H NMR	A and B isolated yield (respectively)
1	d-MeOH, d-MeOH (excess), 4 hr , 98% ^a	d-MeO	1:1.30	77:23	N/A
2	MeOH, MeOH (excess), 18 hr, 98% ^b	MeO	1:1.70	80:20	28% and 48%
3	d-CH ₃ CN, d-MeOH (20 eq.), 14 hr, 98% ^a	d-MeO	1:1.13	73:27	N/A
4	d-CH ₃ CN, d-MeOH (5 eq.), 15 hr, 98% ^a	d-MeO	1:0.98	76:24	N/A
5	d-CH ₃ CN, d-MeOH (3 eq.), 19 hr, 98% ^a	d-MeO	1:0.97	77:23	N/A

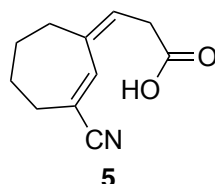
6	d-CH ₃ CN, D ₂ O (40 eq.), 12 hr, 98% ^a	OD	1:1.60	81:19	N/A
7	CH ₃ CN, H ₂ O (40 eq.), 19 hr, 97% ^b	OH	1:1.10	79:21	39% and 39%
8	d-CH ₃ CN, d- <i>t</i> -BuOH (20 eq.), 12 hr, 99% ^a	d- <i>t</i> -BuO	1:0.94	82:18	N/A
9	CH ₃ CN, <i>t</i> -BuOH (20 eq.), 28 hr, 99% ^b	<i>t</i> -BuO	1:1	83:17	46% and 33%
10	CH ₃ CN, Allyl alcohol (30 eq.), 21 hr, 99% ^b	AllylO	1:1	80:20	41% and 42%
11	CH ₃ CN, TMS-propargyl alcohol (4 eq.), 27 hs, 99% ^b	TMS-propargylO	1:1	83:17	36% and 49%
12	d-CH ₃ CN, Propargyl alcohol (4 eq.), 14 hr, 98% ^a	PropargylO	1:1.15	84:16	N/A
13	CH ₃ CN, Propargyl alcohol (4 eq.), 36 hr, 97% ^b	PropargylO	1:0.95	82:18	55% and 41%
14	d-CH ₃ CN, PhOH (4 eq.), 24 hr, 98% ^a	PhO	1:0.92	53:47	N/A
15	CH ₃ CN, PhOH (4 eq.), 57 hr, 85% ^b	PhO	1:0.81	75:25	49% and 32%
16	CH ₃ CN, Acetamide (4 eq.), 42 hr, 98% ^b	AcNH	1:0.69	84:16	67% and 24%
17	CH ₃ CN, Acrylamide (4 eq.), 44 hr, 75% ^b	AcrylNH	1:0.23	87:13	64% and 15%

^a 10-20 mg (Quartz NMR tube). ^b 100-130 mg (Quartz cuvette);

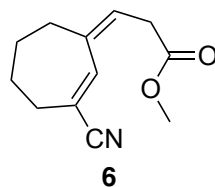
n-PrNH₂, PhSH, HSCH₂C(O)OH - complicated mixtures are formed.

General Irradiation Procedure A

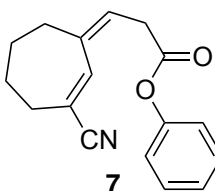
A solution of **1** (0.58 mmol, 100 mg) was combined with the respective alcohol or amine (see Table SI-1) in anhydrous CH₃CN and irradiated with UV-A light in a 9 mL quartz cuvette for the time indicated. The solvent and volatile components was removed *in vacuo* and the residue was purified by column chromatography to furnish the final product.



(Z)-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoic acid (5). General irradiation procedure A was followed to afford a viscous oil (39%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.93 and 6.73 (s, 1H, CH=C), 5.76 and 5.64 (t, *J*=7.3 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.16 and 3.14 (d, *J*=7.5 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.42-2.33 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.78-1.65 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 176.8 (C=O), 148.3 (CH), 141.9 (CH), 140.4 (C), 138.9 (C), 128.4 (CH), 125.5 (CH), 121.4 and 121.1 (C), 116.7 (C), 113.5 (C), 35.3 (CH₂), 33.5 and 33.3 (CH₂), 30.5 and 30.2 (CH₂), 27.7 and 27.2 (CH₂), 26.4 and 26.3 (CH₂), 25.0 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3123, 2934, 2860, 2213, 1708, 1416, 1167; LRMS (ESI) 306 [M-H]⁻; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₁H₁₂NO₂ 190.0874, found 190.0870.



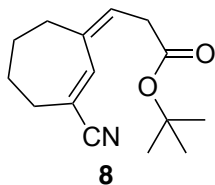
(Z)-methyl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoate (6). General irradiation procedure A was followed to afford a viscous oil (48%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.00 (s, 1H, CH=C), 5.74 (t, *J*=7.4 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.71 (s, 3H, CH₃O), 3.17 (d, *J*=7.4 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.50-2.36 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.80-1.70 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.2 (C=O), 142.0 (CH), 138.4 (C), 126.5 (CH), 121.3 (C), 116.3 (C), 52.0 (CH₃), 35.3 (CH₂), 33.6 (CH₂), 30.5 (CH₂), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2934, 2854, 2210, 1741, 1433, 1336, 1193, 1161; LRMS (ESI) 228 [M+H]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₂H₁₅NNaO₂ 228.0995, found 228.0994.



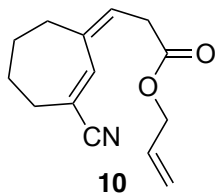
A solution of **1** (100 mg, 0.58 mmol) and phenol (223 mg, 2.32 mmol) in dry CH₃CN (5 mL) was irradiated using UV-A light in a 9 mL quartz cuvette for 48 hours (the reaction mixture consisted of **1**, **7**, and **3** in a 0.24:0.8⁴:1 ratio according to ¹H NMR). The solvent was removed *in vacuo* and the residue was stirred under *high vacuo* at ambient temperature for 3 hours to eliminate the excess phenol via sublimation. SiO₂ column chromatography (5 - 8% Et₂O in benzene) of the crude material furnished 11 mg of **7** and 37 mg of a 10:3 mixture of **7** and **7'** correspondingly (32% combined yield) and 49 mg (49% yield) of **3**.

7: Viscous oil; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41 (dt, *J*=6.3 Hz, *J*=1.0 Hz, 2H, Ph), 7.25 (t, *J*=6.4 Hz, 1H, Ph), 7.11 (m, 3H, Ph, C=CH), 5.85 (t, *J*=7.3 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.42 (d, *J*=7.3 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.54-2.41 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.85-1.75 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.3 (C=O), 150.5 (C), 141.9 (CH), 139.0 (C), 129.5 (CH), 126.0 (CH), 125.7 (CH), 121.4 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.7 (C), 35.3 (CH₂), 33.9 (CH₂), 30.6 (CH₂), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2937, 2854, 2250, 2316, 2203, 1751, 1589, 1492, 1190, 1127, 692; LRMS (ESI) 290 [M+Na⁺]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₇H₁₇NNaO₂ 290.1151, found 290.1157.

7': ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) (characteristic signals only) δ 5.97 (t, *J*=7.6 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.45 (d, *J*=7.5 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)).



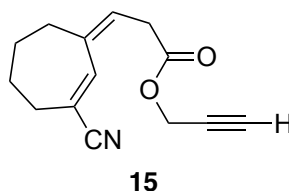
(Z)-tert-butyl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoate (8). General irradiation procedure A was followed to afford a viscous oil (33%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.02 (s, 1H, CH=C), 5.75 (t, *J*=7.4 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.08 (d, *J*=7.4 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.52-2.38 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.85-1.70 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.48 (s, 9H, *t*-BuO); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.0 (C=O), 142.4 (CH), 138.0 (C), 127.4 (CH), 121.4 (C), 115.8 (C), 81.2 (C), 35.3 (CH₂), 35.0 (CH₂), 30.5 (CH₂), 28.0 (CH₃), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.4 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2980, 2937, 2851, 2210, 1732, 1452, 1371, 1336, 1147, 951, 845; LRMS (ESI) 248 [M+H]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₅H₂₂NO₂ 248.1645, found 248.1644.



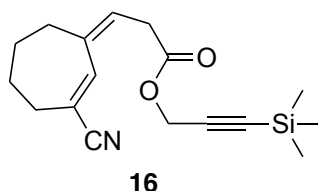
(Z)-allyl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoate (10). General irradiation procedure A was followed to afford a viscous oil (42%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.02 (s, 1H, CH=C), 6.00-5.88 (m, 1H, CH=C), 5.76 (t, *J*=7.5 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 5.38-5.22 (m, 2H,

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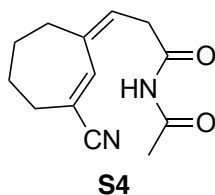
C=CH₂), 4.65-4.60 (m, 2H, CH₂C=C), 3.20 (d, *J*=7.4 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.52-2.41 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.85-1.72 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.4 (C=O), 142.1 (CH), 138.5 (C), 131.8 (CH), 126.4 (CH), 121.3 (C), 118.6 (CH₂), 116.3 (C), 65.6 (CH₂), 35.3 (CH₂), 33.7 (CH₂), 30.5 (CH₂), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2937, 2864, 2213, 1742, 1161, 984, 938; LRMS (ESI) 254 [M+Na]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₄H₁₇NNaO₂ 254.1151, found 254.1149.



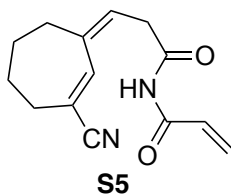
(Z)-prop-2-yn-1-yl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoate (15). General irradiation procedure A was followed to afford a viscous oil. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.99 (s, 1H, CH=C), 5.74 (t, *J*=7.4 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 4.71 (d, *J*=2.5 Hz, 2H, CH₂O), 3.22 (d, *J*=7.4 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.50 (t, *J*=2.5 Hz, 1H), 2.50-2.40 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.83-1.70 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 169.9 (C=O), 141.9 (CH), 138.8 (C), 125.7 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.6 (C), 75.2 (C), 52.4 (CH₂), 35.3 (CH₂), 33.4 (CH₂), 30.6 (CH₂), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3286, 2934, 2854, 2207, 2130, 1742, 1429, 1326, 1147, 991, 675; LRMS (ESI) 252 [M+Na]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₄H₁₅NNaO₂ 252.0995, found 252.0990.



(Z)-3-(trimethylsilyl)prop-2-yn-1-yl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoate (16). General irradiation procedure A was followed to afford a viscous oil (49%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.99 (s, 1H, CH=C), 5.74 (t, *J*=7.4 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 4.71 (s, 2H, CH₂O), 3.21 (d, *J*=7.4 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.50-2.40 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.83-1.70 (m, 4H, CH₂), 0.18 (s, 9H, TMS); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.0 (C=O), 141.9 (CH), 138.7 (C), 125.97 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.6 (C), 98.5 (C), 92.5 (C), 53.2 (CH₂), 35.3 (CH₂), 33.5 (CH₂), 30.5 (CH₂), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂), -0.4 (CH₃); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3305, 2937, 2854, 2220, 2187, 1752, 1333, 1253, 1060, 1037, 841, 762; LRMS (ESI) 324 [M+Na]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₇H₂₃NNaO₂Si 324.1390, found 324.1390.

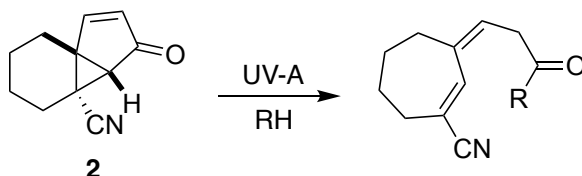


(Z)-N-acetyl-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propenamide (S4). General irradiation procedure A was followed to afford a viscous oil (24%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.95 (br s, 1H, NH), 7.06 (d, *J*=1.3 Hz, 1H, CH=C), 5.77 (t, *J*=7.3 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.43 (d, *J*=7.3 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.50-2.42 (m, 4H, CH₂), 2.37 (s, 3H, CH₃), 1.82-1.70 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 172.1 (C=O), 170.8 (C=O), 142.0 (CH), 139.4 (C), 125.6 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.7 (C), 36.6 (CH₂), 35.4 (CH₂), 30.5 (CH₂), 27.1 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂), 25.1 (CH₃); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3293, 3196, 2927, 2857, 2213, 1741, 1705, 1499, 1379, 1273, 1220, 1151, 1028; LRMS (ESI) 255 [M+Na⁺]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₃H₁₆N₂NaO₂ 255.1104, found 255.1107.



(Z)-N-(3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoyl)acrylamide (S5). General irradiation procedure A was followed to afford a viscous oil (15%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 8.31 (br s, 1H, NH), 7.06 (d, *J*=1.3 Hz, 1H, CH=C), 6.53-6.45 (m, 2H, CH₂=CH), 5.98-5.92 (m, 1H, CH=CH₂), 5.82 (t, *J*=7.4 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.65 (d, *J*=7.4 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.52-2.42 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.82-1.70 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 171.9 (C=O), 164.3 (C=O), 142.1 (CH), 139.2 (C), 131.7 (CH₂), 129.7 (CH), 125.6 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.6 (C), 36.9 (CH₂), 35.4 (CH₂), 30.6 (CH₂), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3286, 3199, 2934, 2861, 2363, 2213, 1735, 1685, 1619, 1492, 1174, 978, 802, 679; LRMS (ESI) 267 [M+Na⁺]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₄H₁₆N₂NaO₂ 267.1104, found 267.1104.

Table SI-2. Irradiation of **2** in the presence of various nucleophilic traps



Entry	Solvent, trap (eq.), time, conversion	R	<i>d.r.</i> (by ¹ H NMR)	Yield ⁵

⁵By ¹H NMR with mesitylene (0.33 eq) as an internal standard.

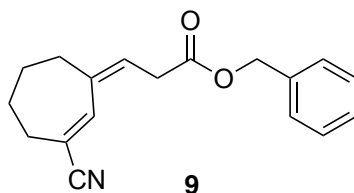
1	d-CH ₃ CN, MeOH (5 eq.), 5 hr, 100%	d-OMe	95:5	95%
2	d-CH ₃ CN, D ₂ O (10 eq.), 5 hr, 100%	OD	94:6	91%
3	CH ₃ CN, <i>t</i> -BuOH (10 eq.), 5 hr, 100%	<i>t</i> -BuO	95:5	94%
4	CH ₃ CN, Allyl alcohol (5 eq.), 5 hr, 100%	CH ₂ =CH-CH ₂ O	94:6	94%
5	CH ₃ CN, TMS-propargyl alcohol (4 eq.), 5 hr, 100%	TMS-propargyl-O	95:5	93%
6	d-CH ₃ CN, Propargyl alcohol (4 eq.), 14 hr, 98%	propargyl-O	93:7	93%
7	d-CH ₃ CN, PhOH (4 eq.), 10 hr, 100%	PhO	95:5	93%
8	d-CH ₃ CN, PhOH (1.2 eq.), 6 hr, 100%	PhO	96:4	94%
9	d-CH ₃ CN, BnOH (4 eq.), 5 hr, 100%	BnO	94:6	92%
10	d-CH ₃ CN, (<i>S</i>)-methyl lactate (4 eq.), 5 hr, 100%	MeOC(O)CH(Me)O	94:6	92%
11	d-CH ₃ CN, <i>p</i> -OH-benzaldehyde (1.2 eq.), 2.5 hr, 98%	H(O)CC ₆ H ₄ - <i>p</i> -O	81:19	92%
12	d-CH ₃ CN, Acetic acid (4 eq.), 2 hr, 98%	AcO	97:7	75%
13	d-CH ₃ CN, Benzoic acid (1.2 eq.), 2.5 hr, 100%	BzO	97:3	93%
14	d-CH ₃ CN, PhNH ₂ (1.2 eq.), 2.5 hr, 100%	C ₆ H ₅ NH	97:3	89%

15	d-CH ₃ CN, PhCH ₂ CH ₂ NH ₂ (1.2 eq.), 2.5 hr, 100%	PhCH ₂ CH ₂ NH	95:5	88%
16	d-CH ₃ CN, n-C ₁₀ H ₂₁ NH ₂ (1.2 eq.), 1.5 hr, 100%	n-C ₁₀ H ₂₁ NH	97:3	92%
17	d-CH ₃ CN, <i>d</i> /-Alanine-OBn (1.2 eq.), 2 hr, 100%	BnO(O)CCHMeNH	98:2	94%
18	d-CH ₃ CN, Acetamide (4 eq.), 42 hr, 69%	AcNH	93:7	33%
19	d-CH ₃ CN, Acetamide (1.2 eq.), 24 hr, <1%	AcNH	N/A	N/A
20	d-CH ₃ CN, n-C ₈ H ₁₇ SH (1.2 eq.), 4 hr, 91%	n-C ₈ H ₁₇ S	97:3	96%
21	d-CH ₃ CN, PhSH (1.2 eq.), 1.5 hr, 100%	PhS	35:65	91%
22	d-CH ₃ CN, (<i>R</i>)-mandelic acid (4 eq.), 2.5 hr, 100%	PhCH(C(O)OH)O	95:5	88%
23	d-CH ₃ CN, <i>m</i> -NH ₂ -phenol (1.2 eq.), 2.5 hr, 96%	C ₆ H ₄ (HO)- <i>m</i> -NH	97:3	91%
24	d-CH ₃ CN, <i>p</i> -NH ₂ -benzoic acid (1.2 eq.), 3 hr, 98%	C ₆ H ₄ (HO(O)C)- <i>p</i> -NH	98:2	78% ⁶
25	d-CH ₃ CN, <i>p</i> -NH ₂ -salicylic acid (1.2 eq.), 3.5 hr, 96%	C ₆ H ₃ (HO(O)C)- <i>o</i> -OH- <i>p</i> -NH	91:9	76% ⁶
26	d-CH ₃ CN, HO(O)CCH ₂ SH (1.2 eq.), 4 hr, 98%	HO(O)CCH ₂ S	97:3	91%

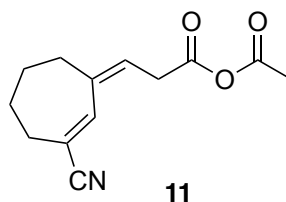
⁶ Isolated yield, the product precipitates in course of the reaction

General Irradiation Procedure B

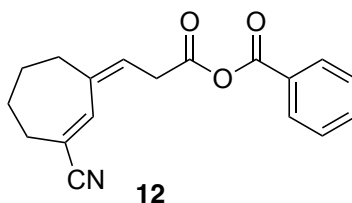
A solution of **2** (0.1 mmol) with the corresponding nucleophilic trap (Table SI-2) in anhydrous *d*-CH₃CN (0.6 ml) was combined with mesitylene (0.33 eq.) as an internal standard for yield determination and was irradiated with UV-A light in a 5 mm quartz NMR tube. Mesitylene (0.33 eq) was added as an internal standard to the reaction mixture for NMR yield determination. The solution was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was subjected to SiO₂ column chromatography to furnish the desired 7-membered ring product.



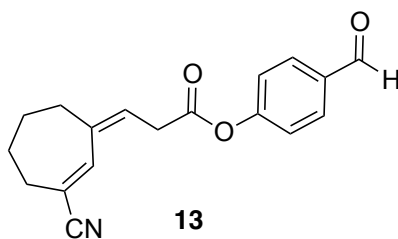
(Z)-benzyl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoate (9). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (92%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45-7.32 (m, 5H, Ph), 7.01 (d, *J*=1.3 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 5.77 (t, *J*=7.4 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 5.15 (s, 2H, CH₂O), 3.22 (d, *J*=7.4 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.52-2.38 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.82-1.70 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.6 (C=O), 142.1 (CH), 138.6 (C), 135.6 (C), 128.6 (CH), 128.4 (CH), 128.3 (CH), 126.4 (CH), 121.3 (C), 116.47 (C), 66.8 (CH₂), 35.3 (CH₂), 33.8 (CH₂), 30.5 (CH₂), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2934, 2847, 2203, 1731, 1449, 1153, 971, 742, 702; LRMS (ESI) 304 [M+Na⁺]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₉NNaO₂ 304.1308, found 304.1315.



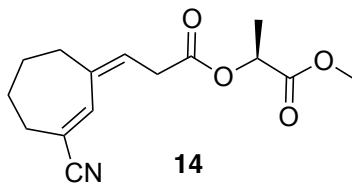
(Z)-acetic (Z)-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoic anhydride (11) General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (75%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CD₃CN) δ 7.10 (q, *J* = 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.72 (tdq, *J* = 8.0, 1.8, 0.9 Hz, 1H), 3.38 (d, *J* = 7.4 Hz, 2H), 2.50 – 2.47 (m, 2H), 2.47 – 2.43 (m, 2H), 2.21 (s, 3H), 1.80 – 1.75 (m, 2H), 1.75 – 1.70 (m, 2H). ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CD₃CN) δ 167.2, 166.7, 141.9, 139.5, 124.8, 121.1, 34.7, 34.2, 30.2, 27.0, 26.1, 21.5, 19.6. HRMS was not able to be acquired due to the instability of this compound.



benzoic (Z)-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoic anhydride (12). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (93%). (Contains ca. 25% of benzoic acid). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ 8.13-8.06 (m, 2H, Ph), 7.78-7.72 (m, 1H, Ph), 7.63-7.57 (m, 2H, 2H, Ph), 7.18 (d, $J=1.2$ Hz, 1H, CH=C), 5.81 (t, $J=7.4$ Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.57 (d, $J=7.4$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.55-2.45 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.82-1.67 (m, 4H, CH_2); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CD_3CN) δ 167.2 (C=O), 162.2 (C=O), 141.9 (CH), 139.9 (C), 134.8 (CH), 130.3 (CH), 129.0 (CH), 124.7 (CH), 121.1 (C), 116.8 (C), 34.7 (CH_2), 34.5 (CH_2), 30.3 (CH_2), 27.0 (CH_2), 26.1 (CH_2); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 2947, 2860, 2210, 1808, 1735, 1695, 1605, 1459, 1250, 1074, 1034, 1011, 991, 712; LRMS (ESI) 313 $[\text{M}+\text{NH}_4]^+$; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ 313.1547, found 313.1542.

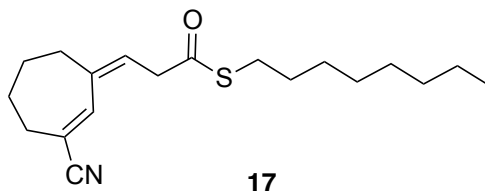


(Z)-4-formylphenyl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoate (13). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (92%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 10.0 (s, 1H, C(=O)H), 7.97 (d, $J=8.6$ Hz, 2H, Ar), 7.32 (d, $J=8.6$ Hz, 2H, Ar), 7.09 (d, $J=1.3$ Hz, 1H, CH=C), 5.83 (t, $J=7.4$ Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.47 (d, $J=7.4$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.55-2.45 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.87-1.72 (m, 4H, CH_2); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 190.8 (C=O), 168.6 (C=O), 155.2 (C), 141.7 (CH), 139.5 (C), 134.2 (C), 131.2 (CH), 125.0 (CH), 122.2 (CH), 121.1 (C), 117.1 (C), 35.4 (CH_2), 33.8 (CH_2), 30.7 (CH_2), 27.2 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 2937, 2848, 2216, 1768, 1702, 1605, 1502, 1213, 1161, 1123, 858; LRMS (ESI) 318 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{17}\text{NNaO}_3$ 318.1101, found 318.1108.

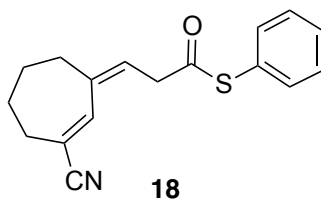


(S,Z)-1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoate (14). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (92%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) Viscous oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.02 (s, 1H, CH=C), 5.76 (t, $J=7.3$ Hz, 1H, C=CH), 5.11 (q, $J=7.1$ Hz, 1H, CHMe), 3.76 (s, 3H, OMe), 3.26 (dd, $J=7.4$ Hz, $J=2.0$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.52-2.40 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.82-1.68 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.51 (d, $J=7.1$

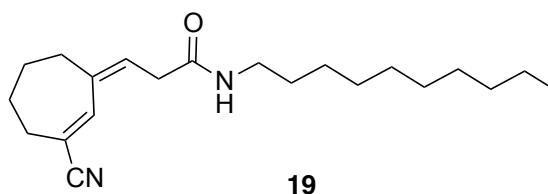
Hz, CH₃CHO); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 170.9 (C=O), 170.2 (C=O), 142.0 (CH), 138.8 (C), 125.9 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.5 (C), 69.0 (CH), 52.4 (CH₃), 35.3 (CH₂), 33.4 (CH₂), 30.6 (CH₂), 27.2 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂), 16.9 (CH₃); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2940, 2850, 2210, 1735, 1220, 1163, 1091; LRMS (ESI) 300 [M+Na]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₅H₁₉NNaO₄ 300.1206, found 300.1202.



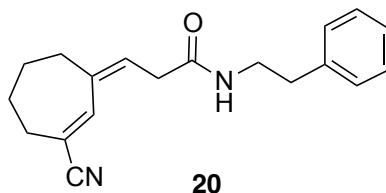
(Z)-S-octyl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanethioate (17). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (96%). ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.02 (d, *J*=0.8 Hz, 1H, CH=C), 5.71 (t, *J*=7.6 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.37 (d, *J*=7.7 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.87 (t, *J*=7.3 Hz, 2H, CH₂S), 2.50-2.45 (m, 2H, CH₂), 2.42 (t, *J*=6.3 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 1.82-1.73 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.60-1.52 (m, 2H, CH₂), 1.40-1.20 (m, 10H, CH₂), 0.89 (t, *J*=6.7 Hz, 3H, CH₃); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 196.5 (C=O), 142.0 (CH), 139.4 (C), 126.0 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.7 (C), 43.3 (CH₂), 35.3 (CH₂), 31.8 (CH₂), 30.6 (CH₂), 29.4 (CH₂), 29.2 (CH₂), 29.1 (CH₂), 29.0 (CH₂), 28.8 (CH₂), 27.1 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂), 22.6 (CH₂), 14.1 (CH₃); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2933, 2854, 2213, 1688, 1452, 1060, 987; LRMS (ESI) 342 [M+Na]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₉H₂₉NNaOS 342.1862, found 342.1859.



(Z)- and (E)-S-phenyl 3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanethioate (18) (Z:E=2:1). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (91%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.45-7.35 (m, 5H, Ph), 7.05 and 6.83 (s, 1H, CH=C), 5.87 and 5.75 (t, *J*=7.5 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.51 and 3.48 (d, *J*=7.5 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.54-2.41 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.90-1.72 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 194.5 and 194.4 (C=O), 148.3 (CH), 141.8 (CH), 141.4 (C), 139.9 (C), 134.5 and 134.4 (CH), 129.6 and 129.5 (CH), 129.3 (CH), 128.2 (CH), 127.3 and 127.2 (C), 125.4 (CH), 121.4 and 121.2 (C), 117.0 and 113.9 (C), 42.9 and 42.8 (CH₂), 35.4 (CH₂), 30.6 and 30.2 (CH₂), 27.7 and 27.1 (CH₂), 26.5 and 26.3 (CH₂), 25.1 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3392, 3053, 2934, 2854, 2210, 1701, 1476, 1446, 981, 748, 696; LRMS (ESI) 306 [M+Na]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₇H₁₇NNaOS 306.0923, found 306.0915.

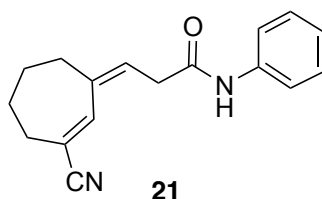


(Z)-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)-N-decylpropanamide (19). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (92%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.03 (d, $J=1.1$ Hz, 1H, $\text{CH}=\text{C}$), 5.79 (t, $J=7.6$ Hz, 1H, $\text{C}=\text{CH}$), 5.53 (bs, 1H, NH), 3.28-3.20 (m, 2H, CH_2), 3.05 (d, $J=7.6$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.50-2.40 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.82-1.70 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.55-1.46 (m, 2H, CH_2), 1.35-1.20 (m, 16H, CH_2), 0.86 (t, $J=6.9$ Hz, 3H, CH_3); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 169.5 ($\text{C}=\text{O}$), 142.1 (CH), 138.7 (C), 128.1 (CH), 121.3 (C), 116.3 (C), 39.8 (CH_2), 36.1 (CH_2), 35.4 (CH_2), 31.9 (CH_2), 30.5 (CH_2), 29.6 (CH_2), 29.3 (CH_2), 27.2 (CH_2), 26.9 (CH_2), 26.4 (CH_2), 22.7 (CH_2), 14.1 (CH_3); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 3296, 2921, 2851, 2210, 1632, 1566, 1463, 706; LRMS (ESI) 353 [$\text{M}+\text{Na}^+$]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}$ 353.2563, found 353.2559.

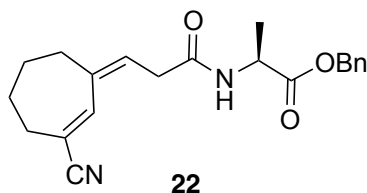


A solution of **2** (19 mg, 0.11 mmol) and 2-phenylethylamine (14 mg, 0.12 mmol) in dry d - CH_3CN (0.6 mL) was UV-A irradiated in 5 mm quartz NMR tube for 2 hours (conversion of **2** was 98%, $Z:E = 95:5$ according to ^1H NMR). Mesitylene (4.4 mg, 0.037 mmol, 0.33 eq.) was added to the solution and used as internal standard for yield determination (92%, combined for two diastereomers). The solution was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was subjected to SiO_2 column chromatography (7 g, 40% EtOAc in hexanes) to furnish 24 mg (88% yield) of **Z-20**.

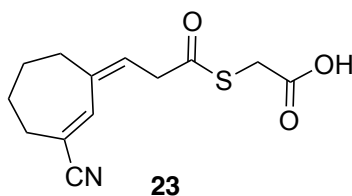
(Z)-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)-N-phenethylpropanamide (20). Viscous oil. ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.33 (t, $J=6.3$ Hz, 2H, Ph), 7.26 (t, $J=6.3$ Hz, 1H, Ph), 7.18 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 2H, Ph), 6.96 (d, $J=1.3$ Hz, 1H, $\text{CH}=\text{C}$), 5.71 (t, $J=7.6$ Hz, 1H, $\text{C}=\text{CH}$), 5.56 (bs, 1H, NH), 3.55 (m, 2H, CH_2), 3.01 (d, $J=7.7$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.82 (t, $J=6.8$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 2.42-2.47 (m, 2H, CH_2), 2.39 (t, $J=6.2$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 2.42-2.47 (m, 2H, CH_2), 1.78-1.65 (m, 4H, CH_2); ^{13}C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 169.5 ($\text{C}=\text{O}$), 150.5 (C), 141.8 (CH), 138.9 (C), 138.6 (C), 128.7 (CH), 127.7 (CH), 126.6 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.4 (C), 40.6 (CH_2), 36.0 (CH_2), 35.5 (CH_2), 35.3 (CH_2), 30.5 (CH_2), 27.1 (CH_2), 26.4 (CH_2); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 3286, 2931, 2851, 2213, 1648, 1542, 1453, 748, 699; LRMS (ESI) 295 [$\text{M}+\text{H}^+$]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{22}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}$ 317.1624, found 317.1628.



(Z)-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)-N-phenylpropanamide (21). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (89%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ 7.61 (br s, 1H, NH), 7.51 (d, $J=7.7$ Hz, 2H, Ar), 7.32 (t, $J=7.6$ Hz, 2H, Ar), 7.12 (t, $J=7.4$ Hz, 1H, Ar), 7.10 (s, 2H, CH=C), 5.88 (t, $J=7.5$ Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.24 (d, $J=7.4$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.55-2.42 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.84-1.70 (m, 4H, CH_2); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 169.1 (C=O), 142.2 (CH), 138.9 (C), 137.7 (C), 129.0 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 124.5 (CH), 121.3 (C), 119.9 (CH), 116.4 (C), 36.9 (CH_2), 35.4 (CH_2), 30.5 (CH_2), 27.2 (CH_2), 26.4 (CH_2); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 3313, 2937, 2850, 2216, 1658, 1602, 1546, 1496, 1439, 1323, 1247, 1177, 765, 682; LRMS (ESI) 267 $\text{M}+\text{H}^+$; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}$ 267.1492, found 267.1483

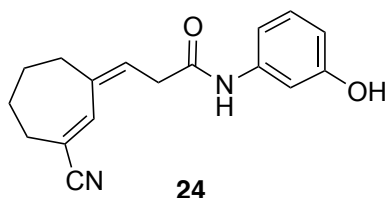


(S,Z)-benzyl 2-(3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanamido)propanoate (22). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (94%). ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.40-7.33 (m, 5H, Ph), 7.01 (d, $J=1.3$ Hz, 1H, CH=C), 6.20 (d, $J=7.0$ Hz, 1H, NH), 5.76 (t, $J=7.5$ Hz, 1H, C=CH), 5.19 (q, $J=19.5$ Hz, $J=12.2$ Hz, 2H, CH_2Ph), 4.63 (pent, $J=7.2$ Hz, 1H, CHN), 3.10 (d, $J=7.2$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.48-2.40 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.82-1.70 (m, 4H, CH_2); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 172.7 (C), 169.1 (C=O), 150.5 (C), 141.9 (CH), 139.2 (C), 135.2 (C), 128.6 (CH), 128.5 (CH), 128.1 (CH), 127.2 (CH), 121.2 (C), 116.6 (C), 67.3 (CH_2), 40.6 (CH_2), 48.3 (CH), 35.7 (CH_2), 35.4 (CH_2), 30.6 (CH_2), 27.2 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2), 18.5 (CH_3); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 3292, 2931, 2858, 2200, 1742, 1652, 1532, 1449, 1200, 1151, 745, 696; LRMS (ESI) 375 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{24}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_3$ 375.1679, found 375.1672.



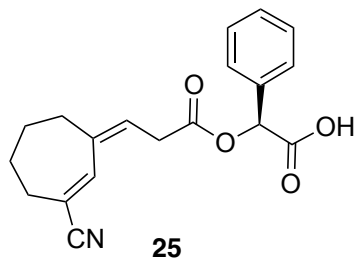
(Z)-2-((3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoyl)thio)acetic acid (23). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (91%). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.28 (s, 1H, CH=C), 5.72 (t, $J=7.7$ Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.77 (s, 2H, CH_2S), 3.46 (d, $J=7.6$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.55-2.48 (m, 2H, CH_2), 2.45 (t, $J=6.1$ Hz, 2H, CH_2), 1.85-1.72 (m, 4H, CH_2);

^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 194.6 (C=O), 173.2 (C=O), 141.6 (CH), 140.5 (C), 124.6 (CH), 121.1 (C), 117.3 (C), 42.7 (CH_2), 35.4 (CH_2), 31.1 (CH_2), 30.6 (CH_2), 27.1 (CH_2), 26.2 (CH_2); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 3223, 2924, 2854, 2206, 1692, 1399, 1164, 1057, 659; LRMS (ESI) 264 $[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{15}\text{NO}_3\text{S}$ 264.0700, found 264.0696.



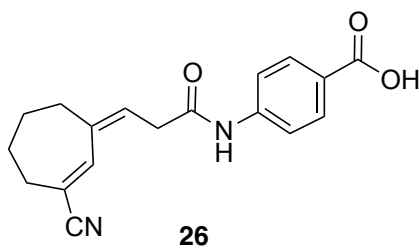
(Z)-3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)-N-(3-hydroxyphenyl)propenamide (24).

General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (91%). mp: 158-160 °C (CH_3CN); ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CD_3CN) δ 8.24 (br s, 1H, NH), 7.21 (s, 2H, $\text{CH}=\text{C}$, Ar), 7.13 (t, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H, Ar), 7.05-6.90 (m, 2H, Ar, OH), 6.96 (dd, $J=8.0$ Hz, $J=1.6$ Hz, 1H, Ar), 5.83 (t, $J=7.6$ Hz, 1H, $\text{C}=\text{CH}$), 3.20 (d, $J=7.6$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.55-2.42 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.82-1.70 (m, 4H, CH_2); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CD_3OD) δ 169.8 (C=O), 157.5 (C), 142.4 (CH), 139.4 (C), 138.3 (C), 129.1 (CH), 128.0 (CH), 120.8 (C), 115.7 (C), 110.9 (CH), 107.0 (CH), 36.0 (CH_2), 34.8 (CH_2), 30.1 (CH_2), 27.0 (CH_2), 26.1 (CH_2); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 3306, 2927, 28.60, 2213, 1702, 1658, 1609, 1552, 1452, 1233, 1151, 868, 789, 689; LRMS (ESI) 305 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}^+]$; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{NaO}_2$ 305.1260, found 305.1263; Anal. Calcd. for $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{18}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$: C, 72.32; H, 6.43; N, 9.92. Found: C, 72.12, H, 6.58; N, 9.82.

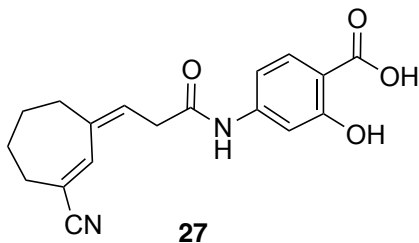


(S,Z)-2-((3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanoyl)oxy)-2-phenylacetic acid (25).

General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (88%). ^1H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl_3) Viscous oil; ^1H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.52-7.46 (m, 2H, Ph), 7.45-7.38 (m, 3H, Ph), 7.02 (s, 1H, $\text{CH}=\text{C}$), 6.96 (s, 1H, CHPh), 5.76 (t, $J=7.3$ Hz, 1H, $\text{C}=\text{CH}$), 3.32 (dq, $J=17.8$ Hz, $J=7.6$ Hz, 2H, $\text{CH}_2\text{C}(=\text{O})$), 2.45-2.36 (m, 4H, CH_2), 1.80-1.68 (m, 4H, CH_2); ^{13}C NMR (150 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 173.7 (C=O), 170.1 (C=O), 142.0 (CH), 139.0 (C), 132.8 (C), 129.6 (CH), 128.9 (CH), 127.6 (CH), 125.5 (CH), 121.1 (C), 116.5 (C), 74.4 (CH), 35.3 (CH_2), 33.4 (CH_2), 30.6 (CH_2), 27.2 (CH_2), 26.3 (CH_2); IR (film, cm^{-1}) 3153, 2927, 2210, 1745, 1150, 1027, 728, 696; LRMS (ESI) 348 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{19}\text{NNaO}_4$ 348.1206, found 348.1193.



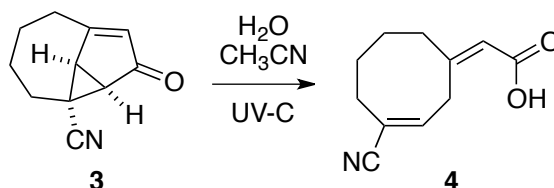
(Z)-4-(3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanamido)benzoic acid (26). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (78%). mp: 211-212 °C (CH₃CN); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.98 (d, *J*=6.9 Hz, 2H, Ar), 7.68 (d, *J*=6.9 Hz, 2H, Ar), 7.24 (d, *J*=1.0 Hz, 1H, CH=C), 5.86 (t, *J*=7.6 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.33⁷ (d, *J*=7.7 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.55-2.45 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.85-1.72 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 170.2 (C=O), 168.0 (C=O), 142.8 (C), 142.3 (CH), 138.5 (C), 130.4 (CH), 125.7 (CH), 120.8 (C), 118.7 (CH), 115.8 (C), 36.0 (CH₂), 34.9 (CH₂), 30.1 (CH₂), 27.0 (CH₂), 26.1 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3332, 2941, 2216, 1702, 1678, 1602, 1532, 1396, 1297, 1163, 868, 755; LRMS (ESI) 333 [M+Na⁺]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₈N₂NaO₃ 333.1210, found 333.1205; Anal. Calcd. for C₁₈H₁₈N₂O₃: C, 69.66; H, 5.85; N, 9.03. Found: C, 69.44, H, 5.81; N, 9.15.



(Z)-4-(3-(3-cyanocyclohept-2-en-1-ylidene)propanamido)-2-hydroxybenzoic acid (27). General irradiation procedure B was followed to afford a viscous oil (76%). mp: 213-215 °C (CH₃CN); ¹H NMR (600 MHz, 20% CD₃OD in CDCl₃) δ 7.76 (d, *J*=8.7 Hz, 1H, Ar), 7.18 (d, *J*=1.9 Hz, 1H, Ar), 7.11 (d, *J*=1.0 Hz, 1H, CH=C), 7.08 (dd, *J*=8.7 Hz, *J*=1.9 Hz, 1H, Ar), 5.81 (t, *J*=7.4 Hz, 1H, C=CH), 3.21 (d, *J*=7.5 Hz, 2H, CH₂C(=O)), 2.48-2.38 (m, 4H, CH₂), 1.82-1.70 (m, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, 20% CD₃OD in CDCl₃) δ 171.9 (C=O), 169.7 (C=O), 162.4 (C), 144.8 (C), 142.7 (CH), 138.4 (C), 131.4 (CH), 127.8 (CH), 121.3 (C), 115.7 (C), 110.6 (CH), 108.4 (C), 106.7 (CH), 36.4 (CH₂), 35.2 (CH₂), 30.3 (CH₂), 27.0 (CH₂), 26.3 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 3303, 3116, 2937, 2864, 2216, 1661, 1598, 1536, 1512, 1422, 1237, 1154, 755; LRMS (ESI) 349 [M+Na⁺]; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₈H₁₈N₂NaO₄ 349.1159, found 349.1161; Anal. Calcd. for C₁₈H₁₈N₂O₄: C, 66.25; H, 5.56; N, 8.58. Found: C, 66.35, H, 5.49; N, 8.48.

Irradiation of **3** in the presence of water

⁷ Overlapped with residual CH₃ signal of CD₃OD.



A solution of **3** (51 mg, 0.29 mmol) and water (0.30 mL, 1.67 mmol) in anhydrous CH₃CN (3 mL) was irradiated with UV-C light in a 4 mL quartz cuvette for 2 hours (ca. 50% conversion according to ¹H NMR). The solvent was removed *in vacuo*. Two consecutive purifications by SiO₂ column chromatography (1:2 - 1:1 EtOAc/Hexanes and 1 - 5% MeOH in CHCl₃) of the crude material furnished 23.0 mg of the recovered starting material and 15.0 mg (65% yield BRSM) of crystalline **4**. Recrystallization of the last compound from acetonitrile furnished X-ray grade final product.

(Z)-2-((E)-4-cyanocyclooct-3-en-1-ylidene)acetic acid (4). mp: 99-100 °C (CH₃CN); ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.60 (t, *J*=6.3 Hz, 1H, CH=CCN), 5.88 (s, 1H, C=CHC(=O)), 3.70 (d, *J*=6.3 Hz, 2H, CH₂), 2.49 (br s, 2H, CH₂), 2.40 (br s, 2H, CH₂), 1.77 (br s, 4H, CH₂); ¹³C NMR (150 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 171.30 (C=O), 162.8 (C), 144.7 (CH), 120.2 (C), 117.7 (CH), 114.1 (C), 38.9 (CH₂), 32.8 (CH₂), 27.3 (CH₂), 26.9 (CH₂), 24.3 (CH₂); IR (film, cm⁻¹) 2927, 2864, 2213, 1685, 1635, 1622, 1469, 1463, 1412, 1270, 1204, 944, 931, 885; LRMS (ESI) 209 [M+NH₄]⁺; HRMS (ESI) calcd. for C₁₁H₁₇N₂O₂ 209.1285, found 209.1284; Anal. Calcd. for C₁₁H₁₃NO₂: C, 69.09; H, 6.85; N, 7.32. Found: C, 69.25; H, 6.95; N, 7.42.

II. Computational Methods

All structures were optimized using uM06-2X⁸ with the default 2 triple- ζ split valence def2-TZVP⁹ basis set. Vibrational analysis verified that each structure was either a minimum or transition state. All calculations were performed in Gaussian 09.e01¹⁰. Figures were created using Vesta.¹¹

Other Pathways Studied

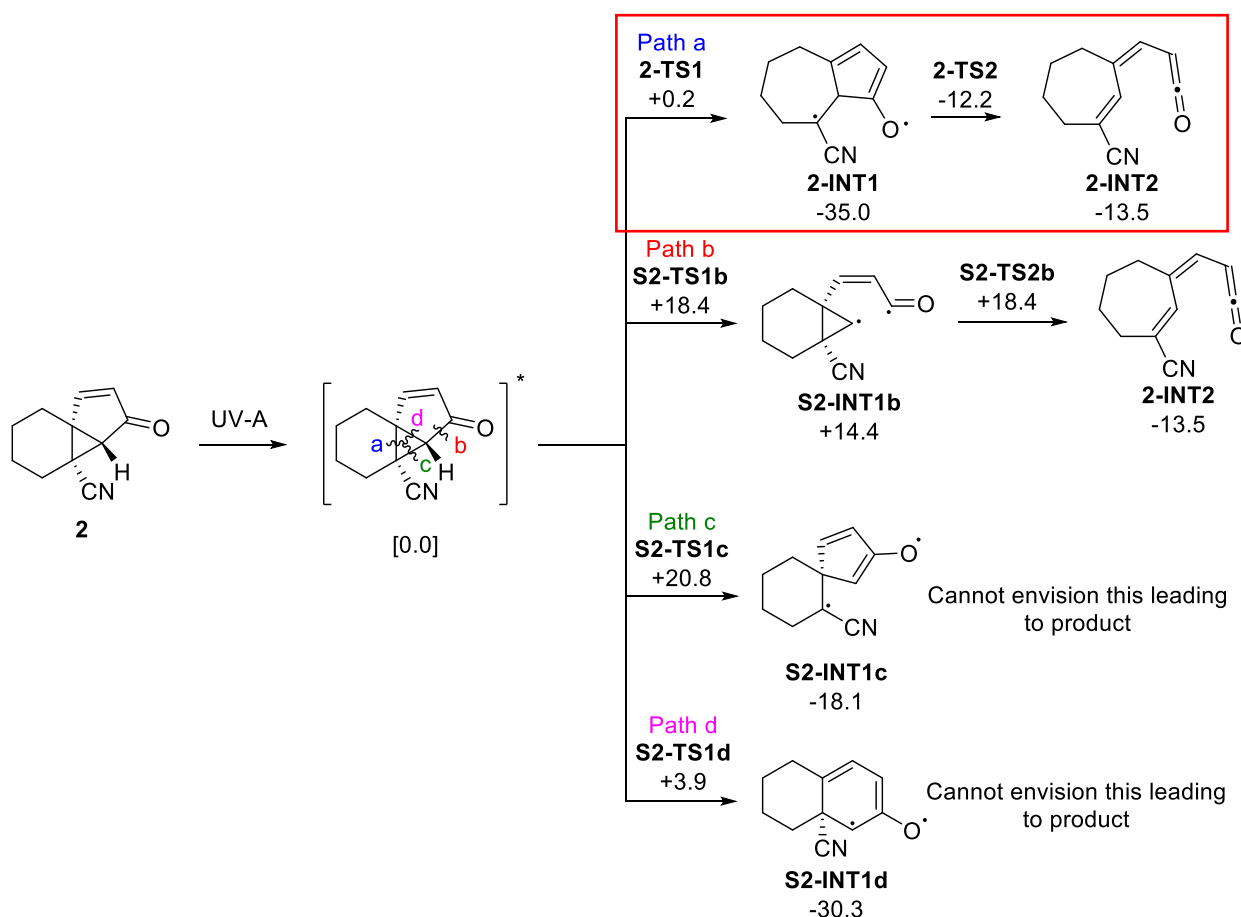
Upon irradiation, we envisioned that compound **2** could undergo ring opening in various positions which may or may not lead to the observed product. A comparison between the various energy profiles derived from the pathways a-d are summarized in Scheme S1.

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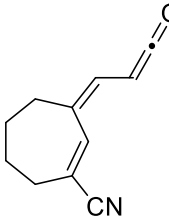
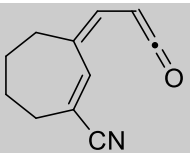
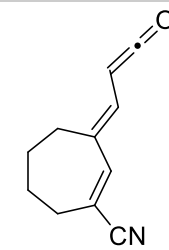
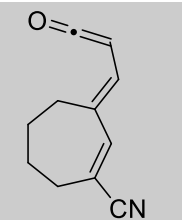
Scheme S1 – Other pathways studied for compound **2** (relative free energies in kcal/mol).

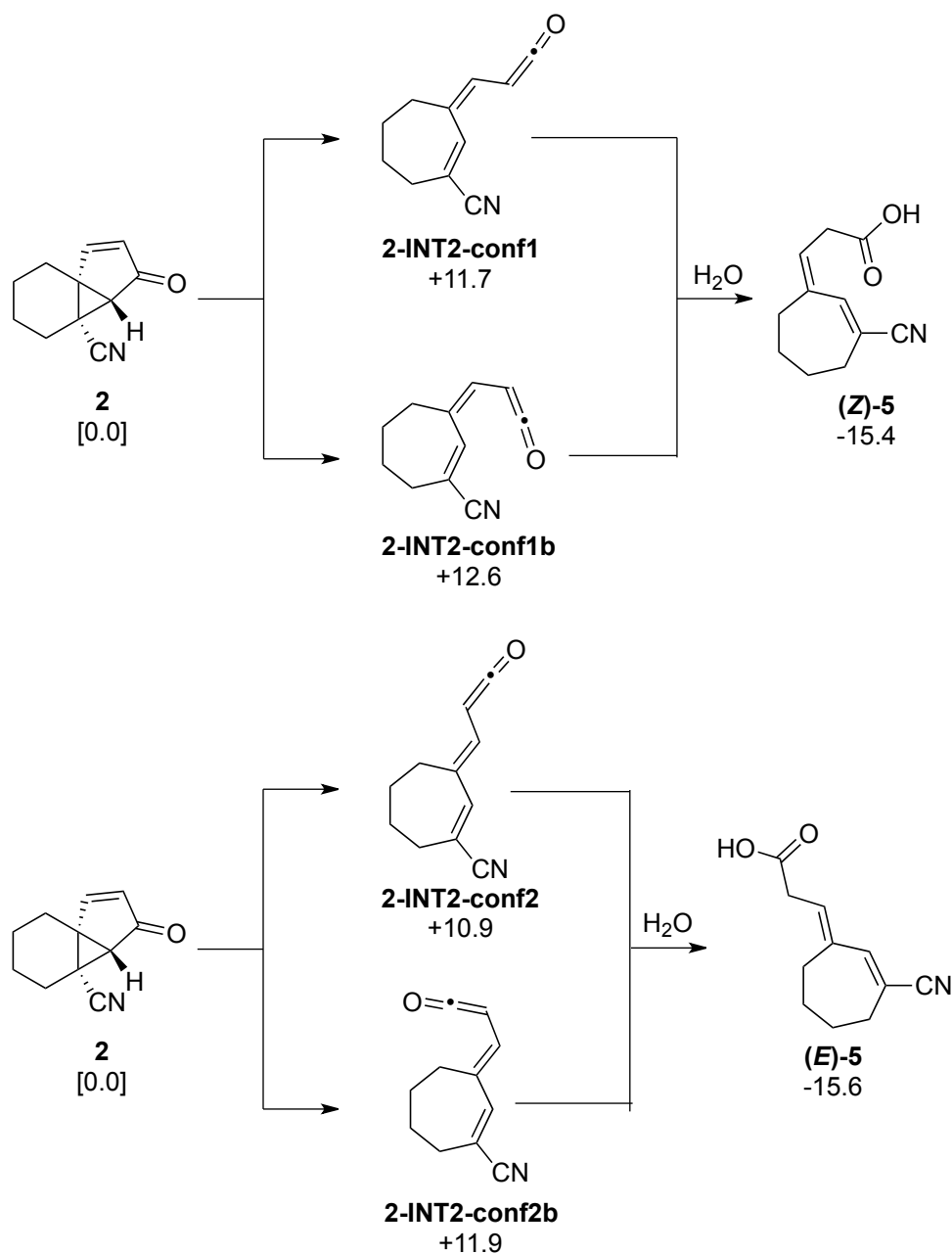
According to Scheme S1, one can see that path a (expansion of the six membered ring) is preferred over path b (opening of the 5 membered ring). Path d seems to be thermodynamically accessible albeit it does not lead to any intermediary that could lead to the observed product.

Furthermore, **2-INT2** has various possible conformations which were also computed (Table S1).

Interestingly, in the triplet state conformation 1b seems to be the lowest energy. However, for the singlet state, conformation 2, which arises from the isomerization of the exocyclic double bond, appears to be the most stable. Conformations 1 and 1b, after nucleophilic attack on the ketene, will produce the same product with a *Z* exocyclic double bond while conformations 2 and 2b would give rise to the *E* isomer (Scheme S2).

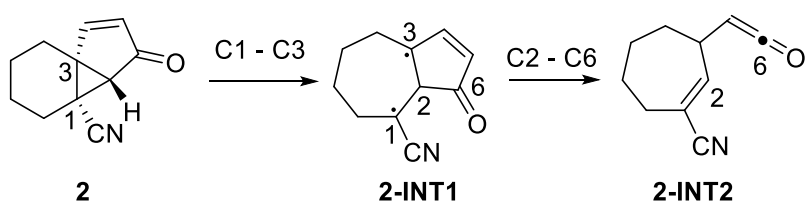
Table S1 – Conformations of intermediary **2-INT2** (relative free energies in kcal/mol).

2-INT2	Relative Energy	
Conformation	Triplet state	Singlet state
 2-INT2-conf1	0.8	-0.9
 2-INT2-conf1b	0.0	0.0
 2-INT2-conf2	1.4	-1.7
 2-INT2-conf2b	1.5	-0.7



Scheme S2 – Product formation (relative energies in kcal/mol for the singlet state).

To better understand the energy profile of this transformation, we examined the possibility of a conical intersection to play a role (Figure S1). For this purpose, we performed two scans on compound **2**, by expanding the C1 – C3 bond by 0.1 Å for ten steps, until **2-INT1** was reached. The other scan focused on the bond distance between C2 and C6 where we increased it by 0.2 Å for five steps until **2-INT2** was reached (Scheme S3) Single point energies were then determined for the ground state to help determine if there was any crossing in the Potential Energy Surfaces (PES).



Scheme S3 – Atom labelling for the scans performed

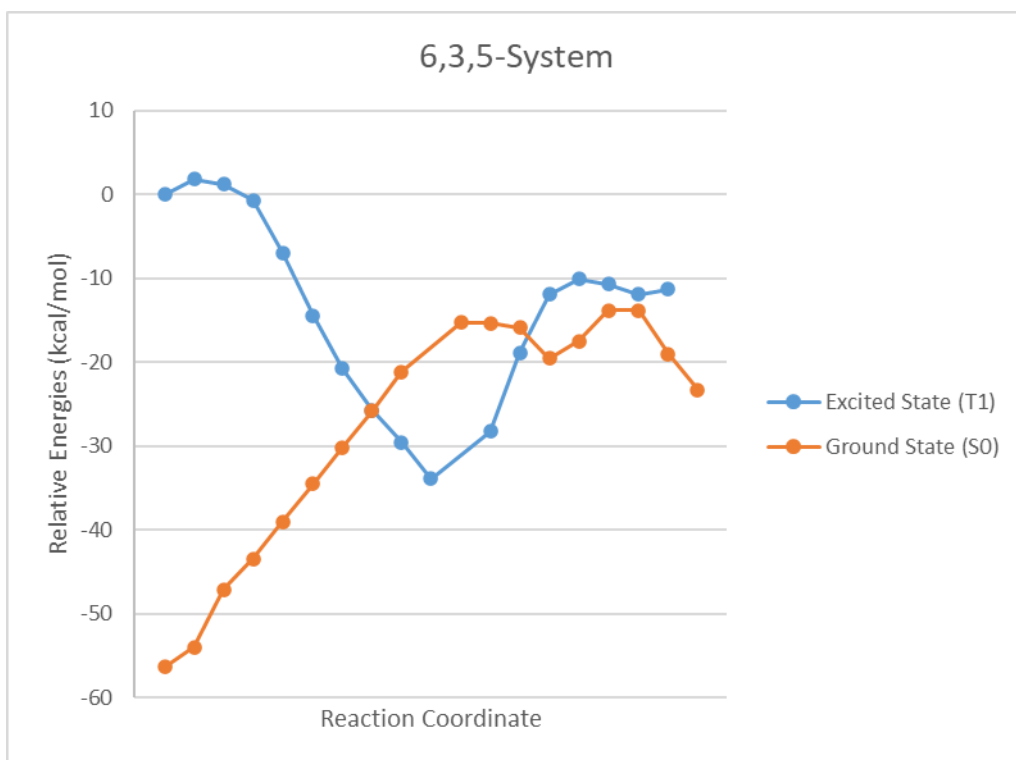
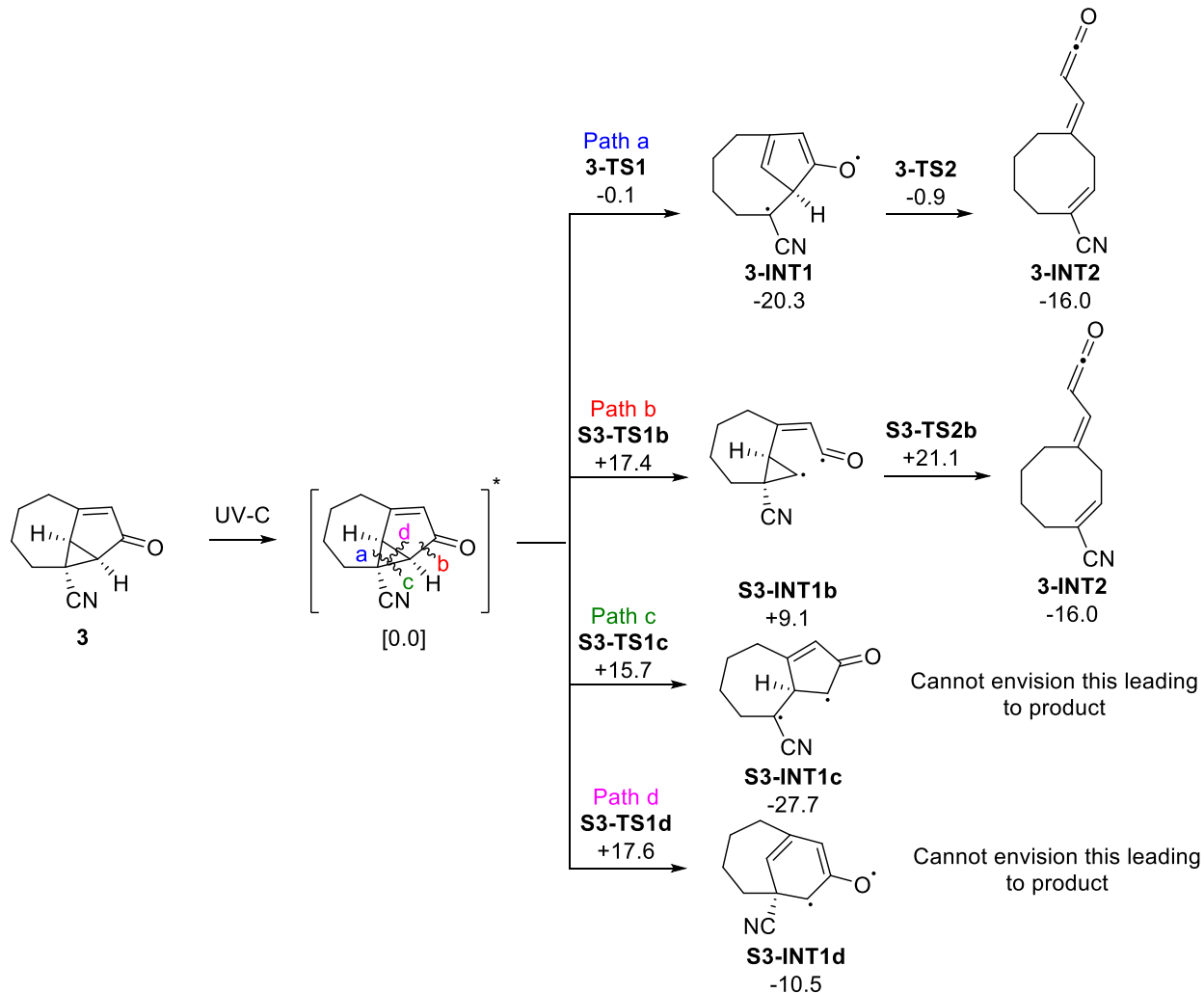


Figure S1 – Conical Intersection in the 6,3,5-system.

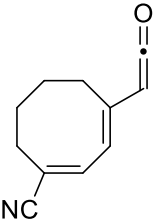
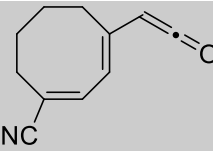
Similarly, to compound **2**, the 7,3,5-system (**3**) could also undergo ring opening reactions at multiple positions which we also computed (Scheme S4).



Scheme S4 – Other pathways studied for compound **3** (relative free energies in kcal/mol).

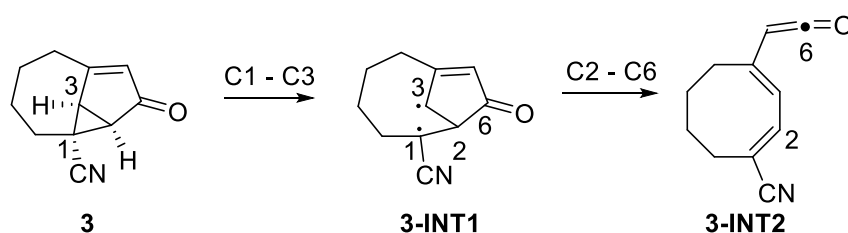
For compound **3**, path a seems the most favorable of all. The possible conformations of **3-INT2** were also computed even though for this system only two possible conformations are possible (Table S2).

Table S2 – Conformations of intermediary **3-INT2** (relative energies in kcal/mol).

3-INT2	Relative Energies	
Conformation	Triplet state	Singlet state
 3-INT2-conf1	0.0	0.0
 3-INT2-conf2	0.4	-1.2

In a similar fashion to compound **2**, here we also observe a change in the stability of this conformers between the triplet state and the singlet state. These differences may be due to strain geometries in the triplet state in order to accommodate the unpaired electrons. In both systems the energy difference between the different conformations of **INT2** are fairly low (<2 kcal/mol).

Scans were also performed for this system, starting from **3** we scanned the increase in bond length between atoms C1 and C3 by 0.087 Å for ten steps and between atoms C2 and C6 by increasing the bond distance 0.2 Å for five steps (Scheme S5). Single points were then performed to obtain the ground state energies and study the possibility of PES intersection (Figure S2).



Scheme S5 – Atom labelling for the scans.

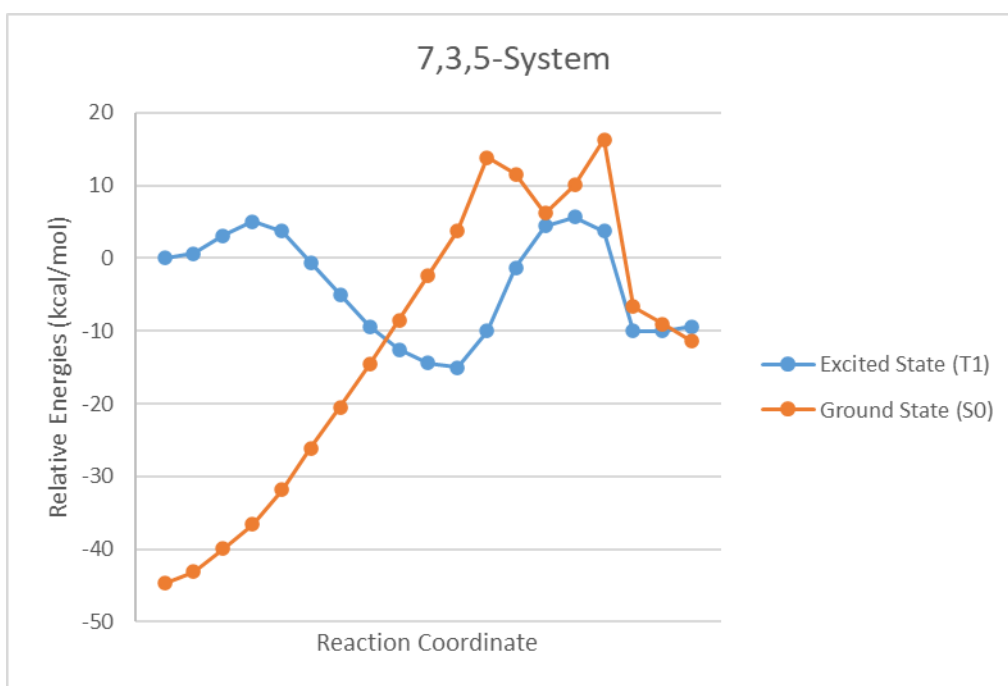
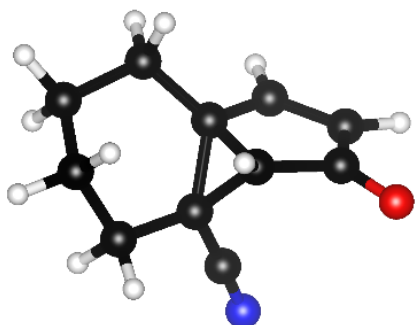


Figure S2 – Conical Intersections in compound **3**.

III. Atom Coordinates



2 (triplet)

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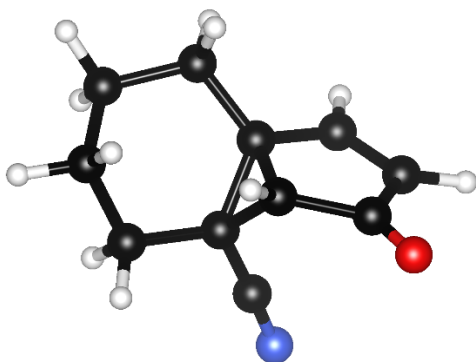
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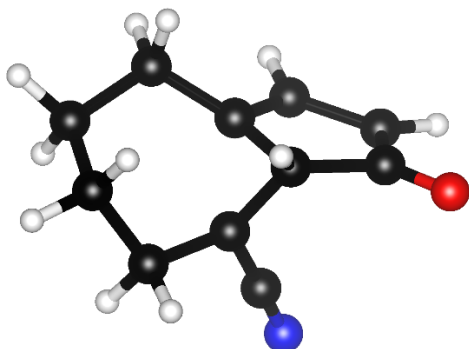
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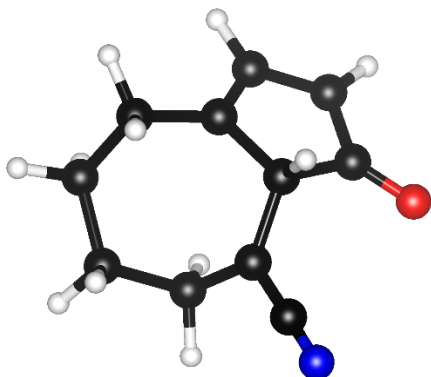
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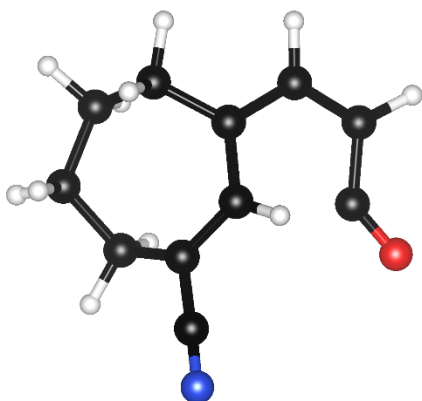
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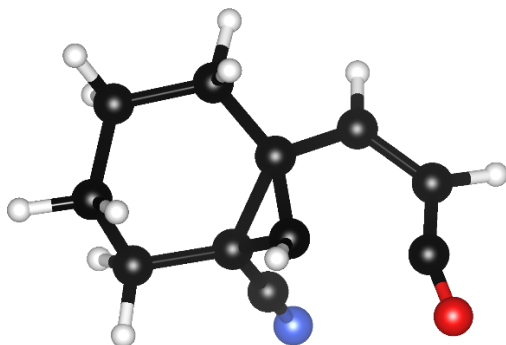
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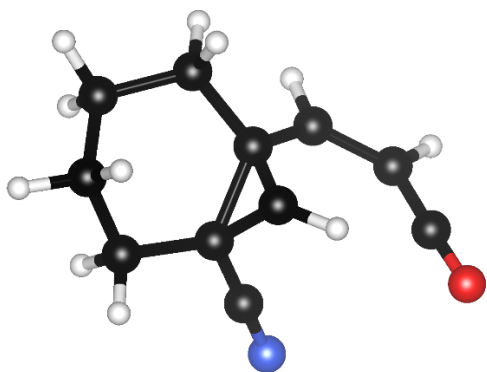
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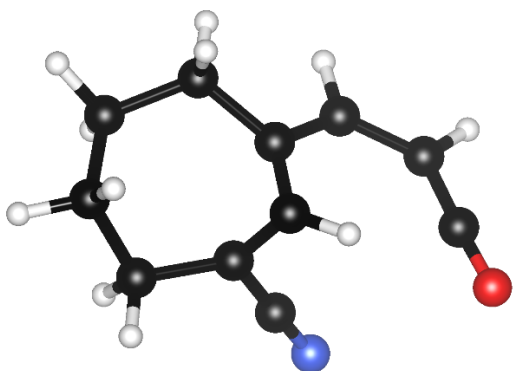
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19	1	0	-2.897091	-1.705113	-1.275548
20	6	0	-2.811121	-0.460517	0.323215
21	8	0	-3.392365	0.165894	1.104883
22	1	0	2.026071	1.806516	-0.921484
23	6	0	-0.592862	1.557694	-0.606819
24	7	0	-1.400238	2.176759	-1.154263



DD_SM1_B_TS2.log

HF = -554.9255103 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.189548 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.150663

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.735962

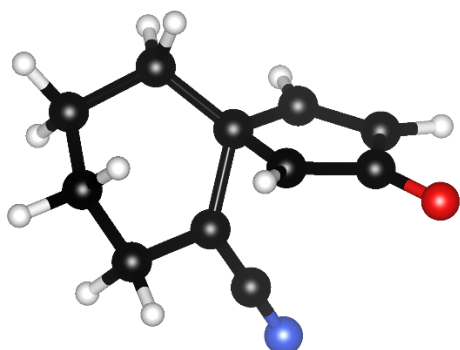
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Standard orientation:

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12	1	0	2.845538	0.239744	1.536155	
13	1	0	3.883761	1.012631	0.331747	
14	6	0	0.011732	-0.031270	1.189040	
15	1	0	-0.771246	0.020530	1.947879	
16	6	0	-0.795308	-1.556956	-0.634341	
17	1	0	-0.526301	-2.258750	-1.424282	
18	6	0	-2.191022	-1.281931	-0.517568	
19	1	0	-2.896957	-1.805177	-1.167110	
20	6	0	-2.797923	-0.405619	0.295241	
21	8	0	-3.376013	0.324442	0.976706	
22	1	0	1.990412	1.943828	-0.873150	

23	6	0	-0.595392	1.565574	-0.602643
24	7	0	-1.435876	2.067597	-1.225447



DD_SM1_C_TS1.log

HF = -554.9249114 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191122 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.153865

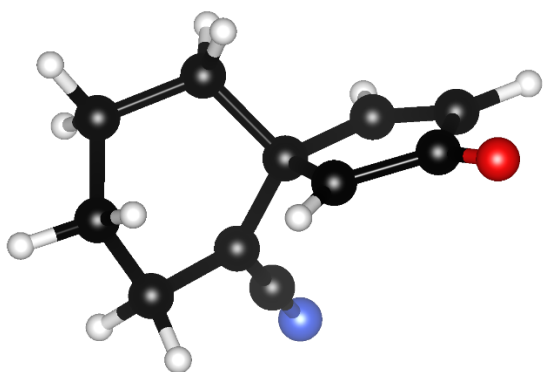
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Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies= -554.771047

Standard orientation:

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5	6	0	2.747451	-0.671584	-0.328820
6	6	0	2.571944	0.140599	0.948535

7	1	0	1.291872	1.771904	1.644343
8	1	0	1.414046	-2.363661	-0.084902
9	1	0	1.502053	-1.748517	-1.735633
10	1	0	3.581964	-1.380644	-0.235132
11	1	0	3.006540	0.017294	-1.149945
12	1	0	2.232562	-0.516228	1.766674
13	1	0	3.526568	0.574656	1.276331
14	6	0	-0.512736	-0.561390	0.853142
15	1	0	-0.036908	-0.599599	1.832776
16	6	0	-0.949190	-0.871884	-1.422045
17	1	0	-0.797316	-0.965855	-2.495725
18	6	0	-2.156425	-0.833726	-0.745338
19	1	0	-3.151233	-0.897638	-1.183773
20	6	0	-1.917829	-0.652647	0.644579
21	8	0	-2.816500	-0.558615	1.603115
22	1	0	2.054853	2.045304	0.080088
23	6	0	-0.543786	1.815565	-0.514115
24	7	0	-1.247571	2.643850	-0.919081



DD_SM1_C_INT1.log

HF = -554.9871865 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.193027 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.154250

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.794159

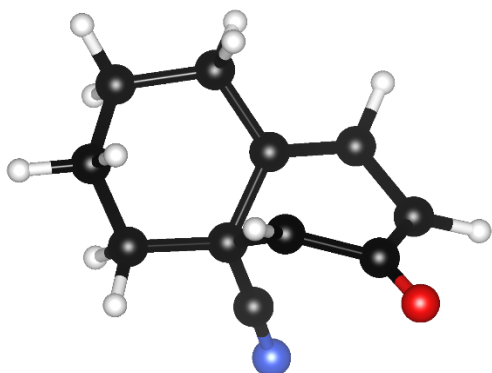
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Standard orientation:

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4	6	0	-0.554473	-1.120089	1.323651	
5	6	0	-1.973059	-1.524609	0.899815	
6	6	0	-2.137260	-1.502175	-0.617888	
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9	1	0	-0.577684	-0.676291	2.329572	
10	1	0	-2.210063	-2.517137	1.307606	
11	1	0	-2.701000	-0.821115	1.336251	
12	1	0	-1.385765	-2.161153	-1.079984	
13	1	0	-3.118091	-1.898249	-0.914297	
14	6	0	1.022848	-0.776130	-0.635740	
15	1	0	0.711010	-1.467881	-1.416858	

16	6	0	1.113387	0.784489	1.111984
17	1	0	0.776000	1.462860	1.898377
18	6	0	2.376856	0.590174	0.721418
19	1	0	3.272288	1.065594	1.118617
20	6	0	2.413175	-0.403858	-0.397577
21	8	0	3.390539	-0.809958	-0.994761
22	1	0	-2.958759	0.465631	-1.070839
23	6	0	-1.030205	2.099745	-0.240054
24	7	0	-1.088877	3.260022	-0.149623



DD_SM1_D_TS1.log

HF = -554.9533084 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.192255 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.155317

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.761053

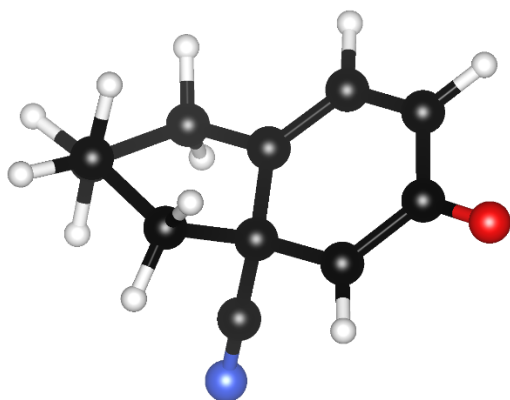
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Standard orientation:

Center	Atomic	Atomic	Coordinates (Angstroms)
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4	6	0	1.596693	-1.456080	-0.552083
5	6	0	2.819277	-0.599638	-0.237986
6	6	0	2.545744	0.291743	0.967206
7	1	0	1.201452	1.936812	1.481853
8	1	0	1.519887	-2.264942	0.192753
9	1	0	1.700406	-1.950102	-1.529949
10	1	0	3.685588	-1.251874	-0.059895
11	1	0	3.067965	0.034881	-1.104592
12	1	0	2.239232	-0.324931	1.829461
13	1	0	3.454430	0.828089	1.274982
14	6	0	-0.573675	-0.209257	1.002851
15	1	0	-0.165499	-0.402382	1.998794
16	6	0	-0.814702	-1.192410	-1.283640
17	1	0	-0.705564	-2.084996	-1.904191
18	6	0	-2.117893	-0.838270	-0.709676
19	1	0	-3.083260	-0.959812	-1.198778
20	6	0	-2.000430	-0.488314	0.695653
21	8	0	-2.907030	-0.443244	1.518144
22	1	0	1.864108	1.988625	-0.157339
23	6	0	-0.597726	1.665411	-0.680749
24	7	0	-1.176871	2.461247	-1.282206



DD_SM1_D_INT1.log

HF = -555.0082318 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.193705 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.155732

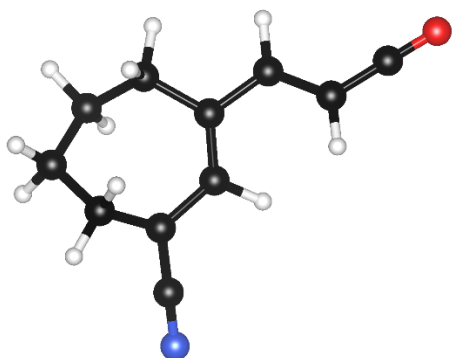
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Standard orientation:

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4	6	0	1.642692	-1.220175	-0.866194
5	6	0	2.678133	-0.599505	0.092979
6	6	0	2.064594	-0.432398	1.482179
7	1	0	0.192310	0.344038	2.274989

8	1	0	1.705985	-2.318709	-0.848779
9	1	0	1.861584	-0.909695	-1.903538
10	1	0	3.571620	-1.237374	0.134862
11	1	0	3.010904	0.379291	-0.284760
12	1	0	1.691702	-1.412166	1.821743
13	1	0	2.820106	-0.111264	2.212778
14	6	0	-1.322828	0.967497	0.350288
15	1	0	-1.537856	1.974164	0.712334
16	6	0	-0.852946	-1.642860	-0.669168
17	1	0	-0.676946	-2.645432	-1.068196
18	6	0	-2.159972	-1.263142	-0.350784
19	1	0	-3.007336	-1.934464	-0.483230
20	6	0	-2.440744	0.068841	0.168161
21	8	0	-3.590055	0.435583	0.445599
22	1	0	1.269890	1.600751	1.643652
23	6	0	0.717671	1.552846	-0.805229
24	7	0	1.192109	2.323112	-1.521308



DD_SM1_INT_conf1_T.log

HF = -554.9747473 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191305 (Hartree/Particle)

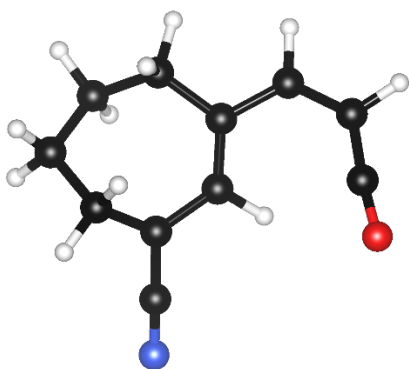
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4	6	0	0.284566	-1.912184	-0.033242	
5	6	0	2.804014	-1.405883	0.133536	
6	6	0	1.653710	-1.936171	-0.722395	
7	1	0	-0.378268	1.524859	-0.306449	
8	1	0	0.371926	-2.262899	1.011872	
9	1	0	1.800459	-0.488433	1.813260	
10	1	0	3.148698	-2.184789	0.832256	
11	1	0	3.324085	0.301784	1.372191	
12	1	0	-0.377391	-2.642688	-0.522804	
13	1	0	3.657873	-1.163042	-0.516179	
14	1	0	1.884295	-2.966724	-1.029773	
15	1	0	1.578259	-1.342610	-1.647232	
16	6	0	-0.431915	-0.576481	-0.069156	
17	6	0	-1.890236	-0.660927	-0.126267	

18	1	0	-2.338850	-1.584094	-0.495911
19	6	0	-2.733621	0.407646	0.256346
20	1	0	-2.326254	1.303157	0.736026
21	6	0	-4.068592	0.429770	0.094701
22	8	0	-5.215899	0.463423	-0.040402
23	6	0	2.211137	2.063063	-0.184314
24	7	0	2.704347	3.074319	-0.485803



DD_SM1_INT_conf1b_T.log

HF = -554.9760978 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191365 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.150498

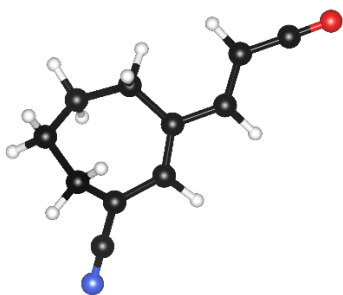
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Standard orientation:

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4	6	0	0.597192	-2.080162	0.056208
5	6	0	2.816892	-0.818868	0.393209
6	6	0	1.990532	-1.751675	-0.492738
7	1	0	-0.971904	0.958119	-0.745465
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9	1	0	1.381509	-0.117982	1.847911
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11	1	0	2.648421	1.060850	1.467903
12	1	0	0.241979	-3.018938	-0.395624
13	1	0	3.632797	-0.381878	-0.201341
14	1	0	2.547718	-2.687811	-0.643744
15	1	0	1.863518	-1.298851	-1.488682
16	6	0	-0.464678	-1.033872	-0.219133
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18	1	0	-1.933054	-2.594835	-0.718495
19	6	0	-2.996935	-0.829577	-0.177109
20	1	0	-3.971711	-1.305553	-0.318448
21	6	0	-3.105767	0.439200	0.279526
22	8	0	-3.297386	1.531334	0.606831
23	6	0	1.273205	2.274814	-0.366937
24	7	0	1.486804	3.362373	-0.723522



DD_SM1_INT_conf2_T.log

HF = -554.9743659 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191566 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.150904

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.782799

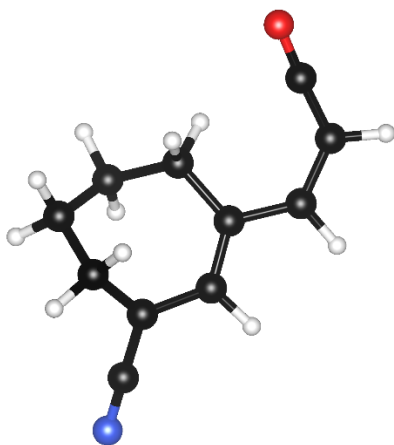
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4	6	0	0.250511	1.378968	-0.182626	
5	6	0	-2.273886	1.844124	0.124086	
6	6	0	-1.076661	1.802490	-0.823927	
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8	1	0	0.390330	1.890109	0.788355	
9	1	0	-1.628665	0.730133	1.864352	
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11	1	0	-3.352487	0.525541	1.481984
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13	1	0	-3.197272	1.916952	-0.469927
14	1	0	-0.949492	2.796771	-1.276515
15	1	0	-1.290067	1.108567	-1.652778
16	6	0	0.453943	-0.114786	-0.010450
17	6	0	1.810488	-0.622200	-0.009137
18	1	0	1.938620	-1.703359	0.062488
19	6	0	2.972080	0.190948	-0.020518
20	1	0	2.918568	1.281908	-0.054742
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22	8	0	5.321069	-0.660924	0.067938
23	6	0	-2.987231	-1.507068	-0.169928
24	7	0	-3.822025	-2.223752	-0.554350



DD_SM1_INT_conf2b_T.log

HF = -554.974164 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191583 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.150910

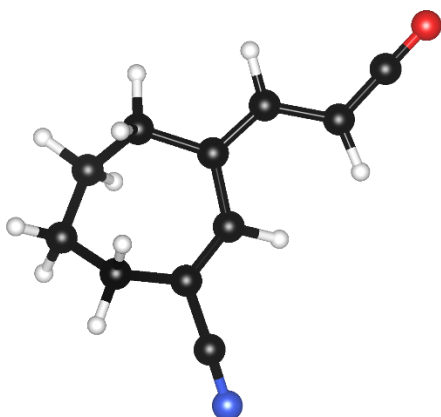
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Standard orientation:

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5	6	0	1.422106	2.088963	-0.055897
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8	1	0	-1.119663	1.246057	-0.680746
9	1	0	1.167069	0.866792	-1.823935
10	1	0	1.060835	2.933522	-0.663993
11	1	0	2.861977	1.253155	-1.459487
12	1	0	-1.649311	0.824033	0.945165
13	1	0	2.275722	2.460786	0.530463
14	1	0	-0.121295	2.499986	1.383758
15	1	0	0.783724	1.022614	1.710815
16	6	0	-0.465243	-0.685310	0.047937
17	6	0	-1.569641	-1.627203	0.064332
18	1	0	-1.323068	-2.688536	0.046756

19	6	0	-2.951629	-1.324671	0.010746
20	1	0	-3.670586	-2.149549	0.018212
21	6	0	-3.573365	-0.135489	-0.092110
22	8	0	-4.169724	0.852937	-0.184133
23	6	0	3.249657	-0.845205	0.091390
24	7	0	4.289038	-1.255863	0.421293



DD_SM1_INT_conf1.log

HF = -555.0457446 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.194655 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.155104

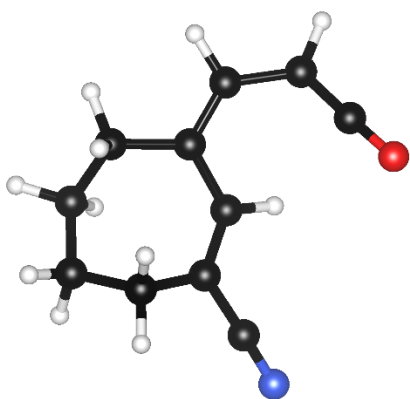
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Standard orientation:

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4	6	0	-0.271950	-1.947812	-0.162920
5	6	0	-2.772078	-1.412466	0.113021
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DD_SM1_INT_conf1b.log

HF = -555.0444546 hartrees

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Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.155222

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.849944

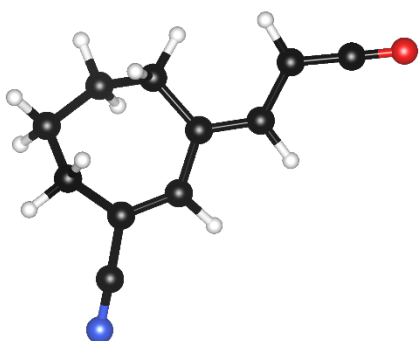
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22	8	0	3.333417	1.381391	-0.536841
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DD_SM1_INT_conf2.log

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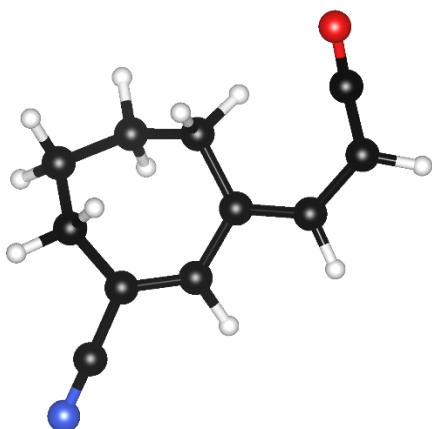
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Standard orientation:

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15	1	0	0.892834	1.443443	1.687248	
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23	6	0	2.890013	-1.699782	0.079821
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DD_SM1_INT_conf2b.log

HF = -555.0465537 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.195055 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.156237

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.851499

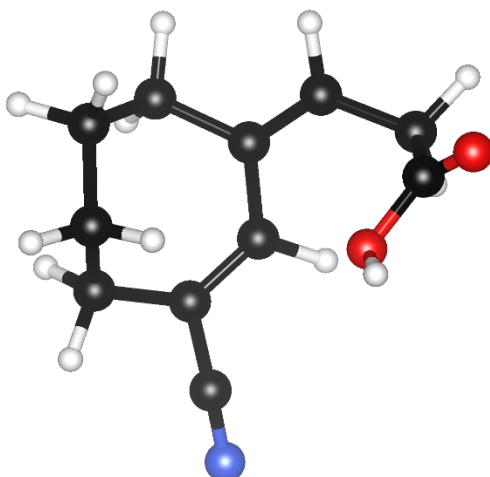
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21	6	0	3.562107	-0.277752	0.232934
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23	6	0	-3.265259	-0.939036	0.109253
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DD_SM1_Prod_conf1.log

HF = -631.4365632 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.224652 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.183415

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -631.211911

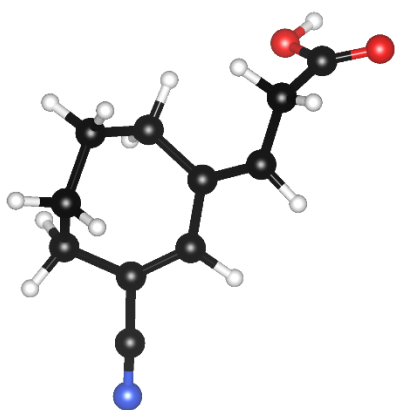
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Standard orientation:

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9	1	0	0.337904	-2.978058	0.992200
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23	8	0	-3.966649	0.525781	0.808422
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DD_SM1_Prod_conf2.log

HF = -631.4369119 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.224803 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.183418

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -631.212109

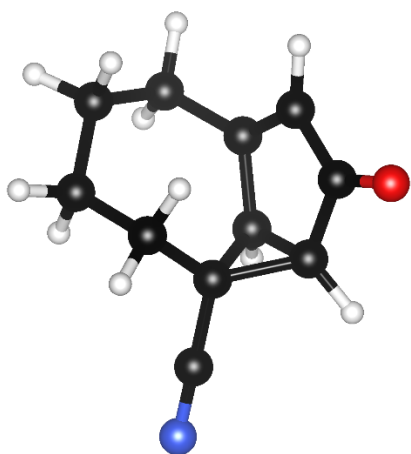
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18	1	0	1.116436	-1.552480	1.346324
19	6	0	2.510227	0.123401	0.958254
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DD_SM2_3.log

HF = -554.9574511 hartrees

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Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.157792

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.762970

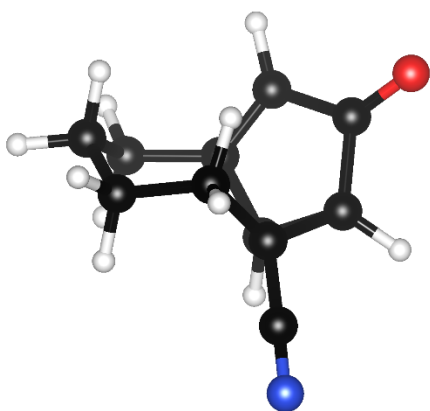
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11	1	0	1.783501	1.524546	-1.798439
12	6	0	1.178975	-0.314030	-0.900044
13	6	0	-0.273044	-0.163815	-1.168101
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17	6	0	-0.957254	-1.245946	-0.385503
18	1	0	-1.878854	-1.735956	-0.700167
19	6	0	1.386695	-1.458720	-0.117395
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22	8	0	-0.094771	-3.128262	0.867314
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DD_SM2_2.log (singlet)

HF = -555.0674164 hartrees

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Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.162218

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.869598

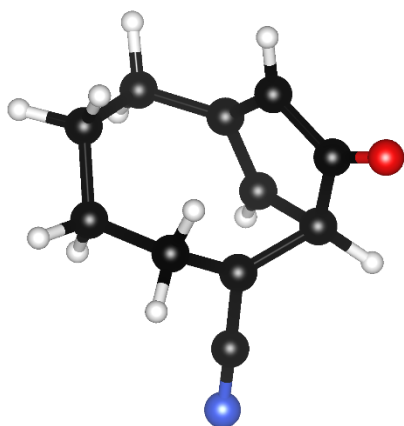
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15	6	0	-1.024046	-0.332226	0.088496	

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17	6	0	-0.237724	-1.569390	-0.378096
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DD_SM2_A_TS1.log

HF = -554.955561 hartrees

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Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.155708

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.763024

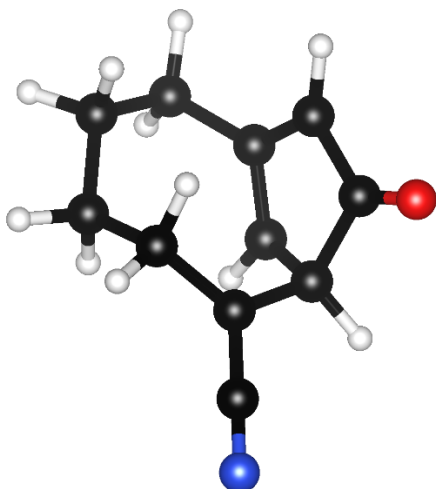
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9	1	0	-1.445108	3.300013	-0.384683
10	6	0	-1.539799	1.634936	0.993742
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12	6	0	-1.176257	0.192948	0.988815
13	6	0	0.111353	-0.283183	1.284217
14	1	0	0.755816	0.109737	2.071505
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17	6	0	0.428849	-1.480212	0.439611
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20	1	0	-2.854233	-0.790150	-0.240880
21	6	0	-0.900633	-1.864130	-0.199262
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DD_SM2_A_INT1.log

HF = -554.9881076 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.193921 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.156120

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.794187

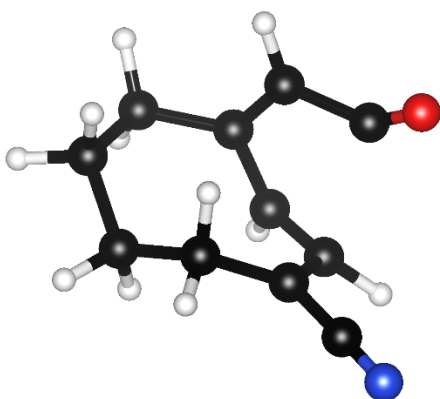
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13	6	0	0.461909	0.405555	1.442823
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DD_SM2_A_TS2.log

HF = -554.9546657 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191351 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.153525

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.763315

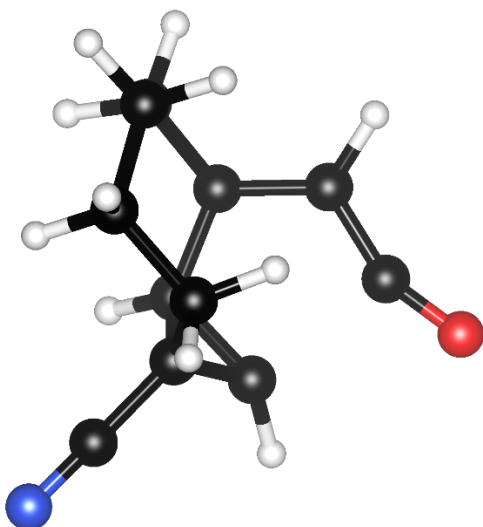
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15	6	0	-1.131592	-0.701716	0.241432
16	6	0	-2.515178	-0.998580	0.072407
17	6	0	-0.786131	0.213374	1.255692
18	1	0	-1.547057	0.418582	2.014237
19	6	0	0.747197	1.654647	-0.498824
20	1	0	1.233641	2.040601	-1.400177
21	6	0	-0.642201	1.973790	-0.235066
22	8	0	-1.536738	2.390197	-0.878849
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24	1	0	3.417743	0.891847	-0.335496



DD_SM2_B_TS1.log

HF = -554.9260421 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191346 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.154169

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.734696

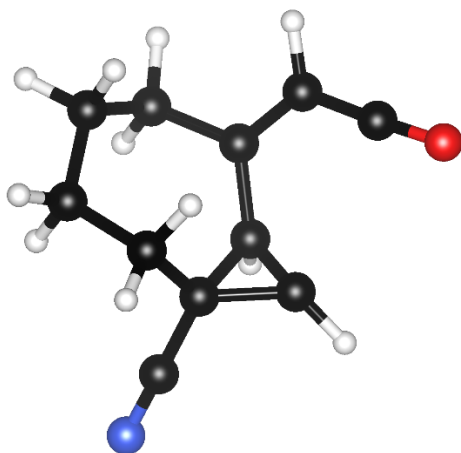
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14	1	0	-0.507859	-0.508308	-2.127499
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DD_SM2_B_INT1.1.log

HF = -554.9372161 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191275 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.152046

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.745941

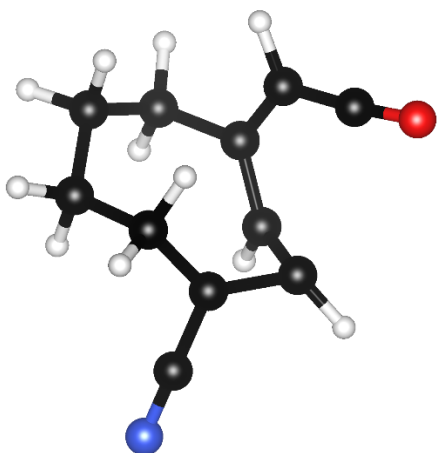
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8	1	0	0.264928	2.649087	0.951533	
9	1	0	-0.972518	3.412661	-0.052346	
10	6	0	0.161261	1.873310	-1.061927	
11	1	0	-0.605699	1.714769	-1.838788	
12	6	0	0.873958	0.578974	-0.809163	
13	6	0	0.067810	-0.665740	-0.889191	
14	1	0	-0.270589	-0.948047	-1.897643	
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17	6	0	0.185615	-1.744846	0.089165	
18	1	0	0.267602	-2.825869	-0.004211	
19	6	0	2.187774	0.572674	-0.263976	
20	1	0	2.761500	1.501547	-0.193551	

21	6	0	2.847352	-0.503213	0.198230
22	8	0	3.462963	-1.407024	0.581303
23	1	0	-1.718628	-0.205630	2.125037
24	1	0	0.864391	2.625400	-1.454643



DD_SM2_B_TS2.log

HF = -554.9165009 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.189428 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.150529

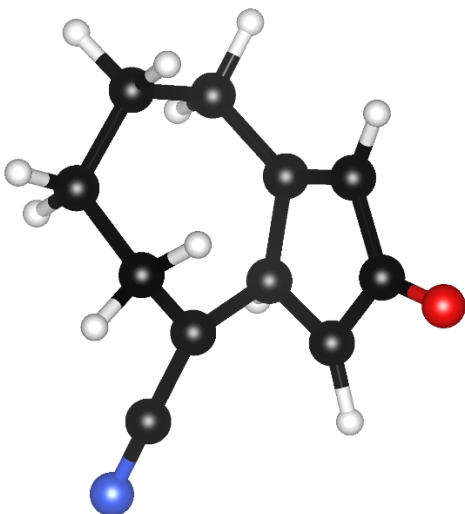
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Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies= -554.765972

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4	6	0	-1.308104	1.574235	0.841074
5	1	0	-2.127376	1.461306	0.110744
6	1	0	-1.738216	2.128091	1.689212
7	6	0	-0.201276	2.462228	0.251791
8	1	0	0.594016	2.579238	1.008016
9	1	0	-0.614780	3.470220	0.088520
10	6	0	0.441599	1.983994	-1.070145
11	1	0	-0.310263	1.997157	-1.873337
12	6	0	0.931368	0.583260	-0.869856
13	6	0	0.122495	-0.492712	-1.232467
14	1	0	-0.527966	-0.393170	-2.110915
15	6	0	-1.070055	-0.944959	0.335229
16	6	0	-2.401381	-1.247289	-0.054117
17	6	0	-0.009376	-1.672759	-0.397294
18	1	0	-0.161765	-2.688881	-0.765230
19	6	0	2.079562	0.394318	-0.018255
20	1	0	2.622264	1.248753	0.394443
21	6	0	2.606635	-0.793693	0.308716
22	8	0	3.140926	-1.771765	0.601399
23	1	0	-1.542052	-0.088965	2.207139
24	1	0	1.250038	2.676570	-1.351776



DD_SM2_C_TS1v2.log

HF = -554.9298181 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.192025 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.155227

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.737793

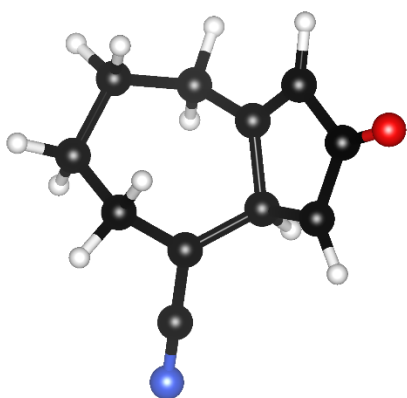
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4	6	0	0.674663	2.067469	0.866816	
5	1	0	0.156817	2.738536	0.161161	
6	1	0	0.850393	2.660002	1.777219	

7	6	0	2.038956	1.661296	0.304484
8	1	0	2.556555	1.037210	1.052272
9	1	0	2.652168	2.566627	0.172641
10	6	0	2.001650	0.885025	-1.028987
11	1	0	1.624144	1.540053	-1.830017
12	6	0	1.122339	-0.313282	-0.894599
13	6	0	-0.332670	-0.240178	-1.138252
14	1	0	-0.732385	0.130781	-2.089303
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16	6	0	-2.367891	0.865870	-0.137520
17	6	0	-0.925661	-1.396551	-0.446438
18	1	0	-1.938910	-1.773380	-0.572336
19	6	0	1.359959	-1.435119	-0.097429
20	1	0	2.321057	-1.734953	0.323281
21	6	0	0.140450	-2.106824	0.183125
22	8	0	-0.002926	-3.191490	0.907540
23	1	0	-0.987327	1.243231	2.011985
24	1	0	3.027391	0.591714	-1.300414



DD_SM2_C_INT1.log

HF = -554.9991231 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.193928 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.155283

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.805195

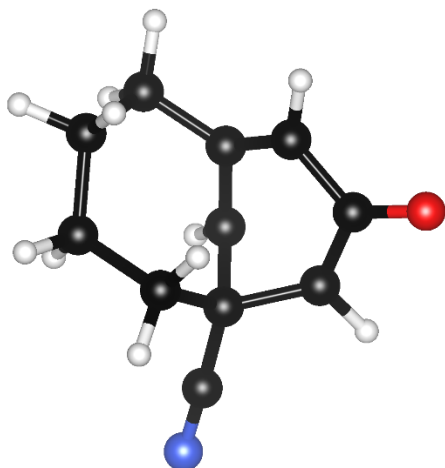
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4	6	0	-1.966415	1.478812	0.742900
5	1	0	-2.782632	1.249758	0.038130
6	1	0	-2.426971	2.009748	1.589575
7	6	0	-0.952300	2.410541	0.081259
8	1	0	-0.219118	2.746007	0.832888
9	1	0	-1.480893	3.311198	-0.265872
10	6	0	-0.179118	1.811170	-1.108757
11	1	0	-0.894502	1.427707	-1.855754
12	6	0	0.744569	0.711984	-0.682078
13	6	0	0.243342	-0.725552	-0.569324
14	1	0	0.090176	-1.133421	-1.587970
15	6	0	-1.068562	-0.816907	0.165746

16	6	0	-2.013992	-1.779085	-0.224505
17	6	0	1.406892	-1.434031	0.061765
18	1	0	1.439022	-2.488350	0.331961
19	6	0	2.022236	0.813479	-0.283402
20	1	0	2.634766	1.715328	-0.279002
21	6	0	2.529469	-0.508435	0.194263
22	8	0	3.638503	-0.763417	0.621756
23	1	0	-2.108920	-0.312976	1.954840
24	1	0	0.405163	2.608449	-1.589511



DD_SM2_D_TS1b.log

HF = -554.9275771 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.192375 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.155903

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.735202

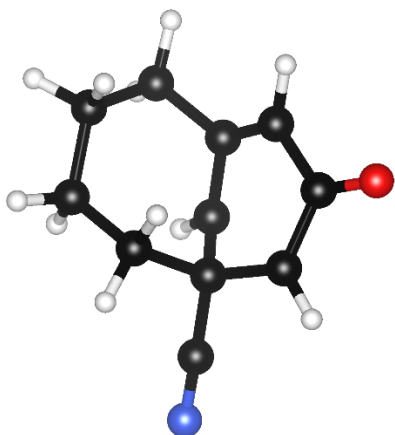
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6	1	0	0.948062	2.569031	1.701148
7	6	0	2.177224	1.395270	0.403039
8	1	0	2.564666	0.714909	1.179987
9	1	0	2.866755	2.253475	0.370660
10	6	0	2.235212	0.657534	-0.965684
11	1	0	2.065966	1.374928	-1.782962
12	6	0	1.112132	-0.317130	-0.879319
13	6	0	-0.178127	0.136207	-1.149103
14	1	0	-0.399284	0.799689	-1.991831
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16	6	0	-2.279526	1.019652	-0.187773
17	6	0	-1.197980	-1.195504	-0.193874
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19	6	0	1.163472	-1.496778	-0.033443
20	1	0	2.093759	-1.980142	0.270633
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DD_SM2_D_INT1.log

HF = -554.9730046 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.193515 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.156676

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.779489

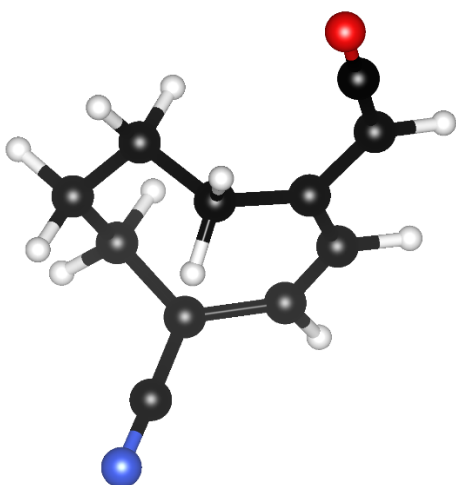
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13	6	0	-0.010325	0.362306	-1.162224
14	1	0	0.116496	1.211043	-1.834682
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16	6	0	-2.097258	1.367966	-0.324826
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21	6	0	-0.566686	-2.069819	0.143968
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DD_SM2_INT_conf1_T.log

HF = -554.9767844 hartrees

Zero-point correction= 0.191933 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.151706

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.784852

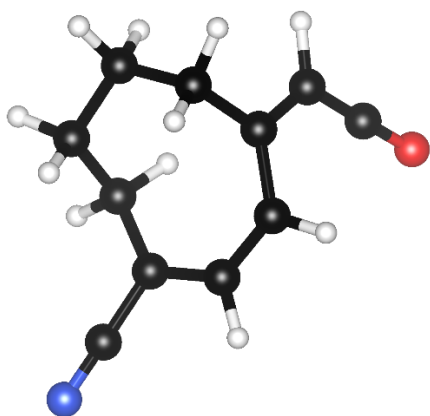
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Standard orientation:

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4	6	0	1.197585	-1.601431	0.724689
5	6	0	-1.059929	-0.732496	0.060751
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10	1	0	-1.458326	0.834018	-1.316046
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12	1	0	-0.628546	-2.572197	1.049602
13	6	0	1.227529	1.970307	0.441776
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15	1	0	1.367813	2.891169	1.028331
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17	1	0	-0.739304	1.568905	1.254597
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19	6	0	2.778320	-0.478610	-0.850719
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21	6	0	-2.467474	-0.969123	0.228509
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DD_SM2_INT_conf2_T.log

HF = -554.9746521 hartrees

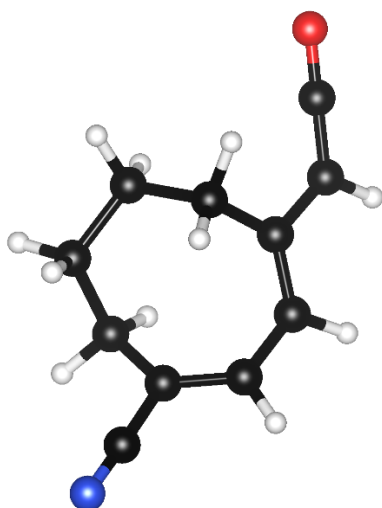
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Standard orientation:

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10	1	0	-1.725813	2.435585	-1.195814	
11	1	0	1.155167	-1.925426	-1.615584	
12	1	0	-1.044645	-1.247728	-2.136655	
13	6	0	1.225685	1.858305	0.605976	
14	1	0	1.916605	1.940223	-0.249043	
15	1	0	1.668831	2.462077	1.411325	
16	6	0	-0.123538	2.476166	0.243492	

17	1	0	-0.786429	2.434974	1.125383
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HF = -555.0481072 hartrees

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Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.156435

Sum of electronic and zero-point Energies= -554.853363

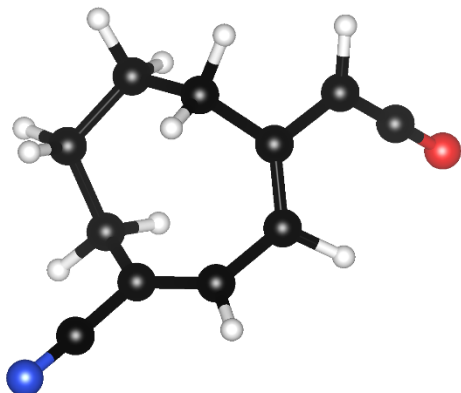
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Zero-point correction= 0.194659 (Hartree/Particle)

Thermal correction to Gibbs Free Energy= 0.156098

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Sum of electronic and thermal Free Energies= -554.889806

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23	6	0	-3.380879	-0.518439	0.286437
24	8	0	-4.022228	-1.182935	0.977917

IV. Transient Absorption Spectroscopy Results

Below is a steady state absorbance spectrum of compounds **1**, **2** and **3** both before and after laser excitation under anhydrous conditions. In the case of compounds **1** and **2** they are reactive, as expected, and will form products.

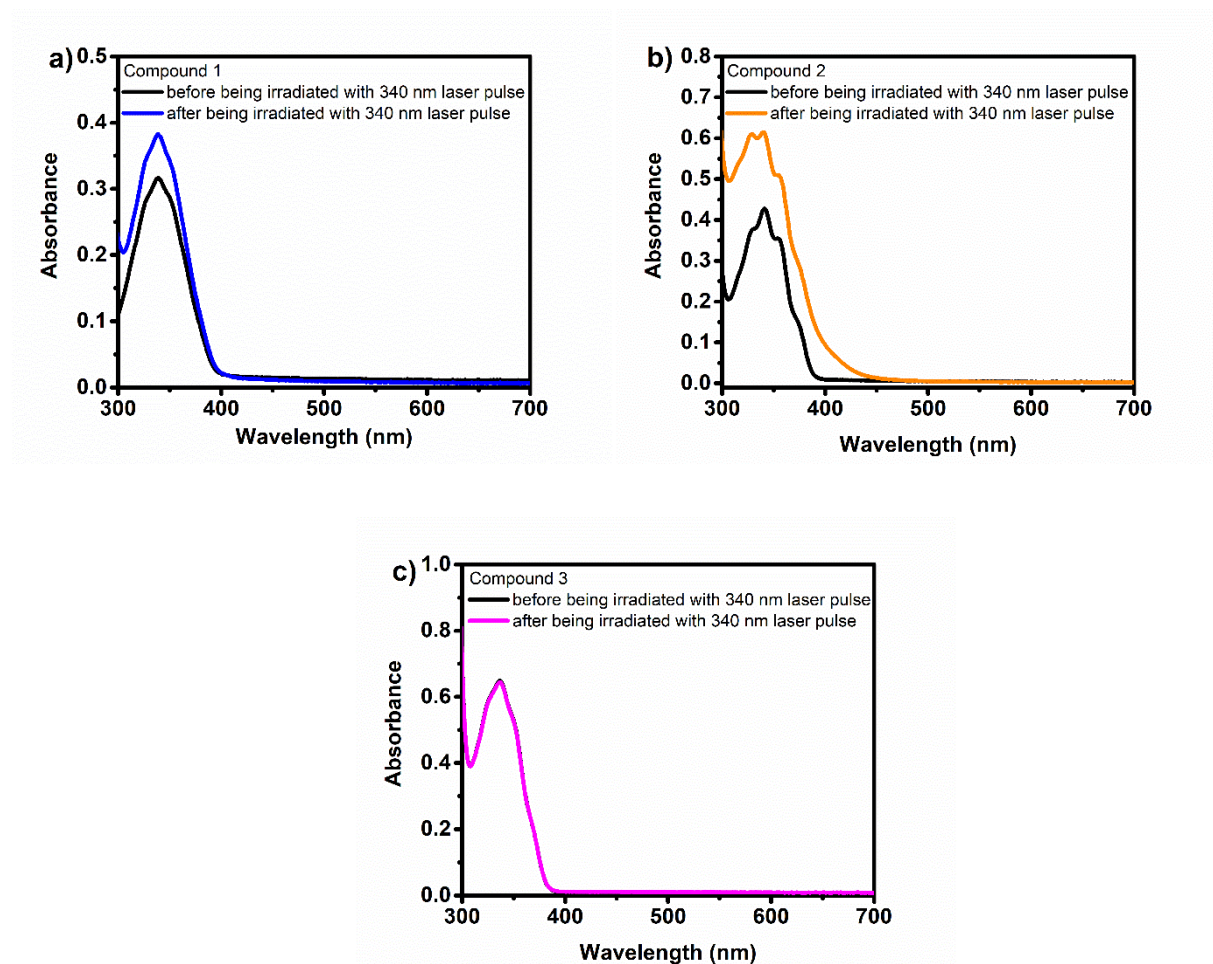


Figure S1. Steady state absorbance of (a) compound **1**, (b) compound **2** and (c) compound **3**, before and after being irradiated of the 340 nm laser pulse.

Compound **1** was excited with 250 fs pulses of 340nm excitation, and the induced excited state absorbance spectra were recorded. Drastic differences have been demonstrated between the first scan and the following scans in this experiment. The ESA spectrum of the first scan lacks the features that exist in the second to fifth scans at around 610nm and 800nm. This could be attributed to the conversion of compound **2** to new species (See Scheme 3 in manuscript, **B** and **C***) which have different excited absorbance spectra than compound **2** (Figure S2.a). Kinetics analysis of the different scans also shows a similar trend. The first scan's kinetics is a growth signal, indicative of the formation of **B** and **C***, while the second to fifth scans are identical decay signals that can be attributed to the conversion of these intermediates to a product. (Figure S2.b).

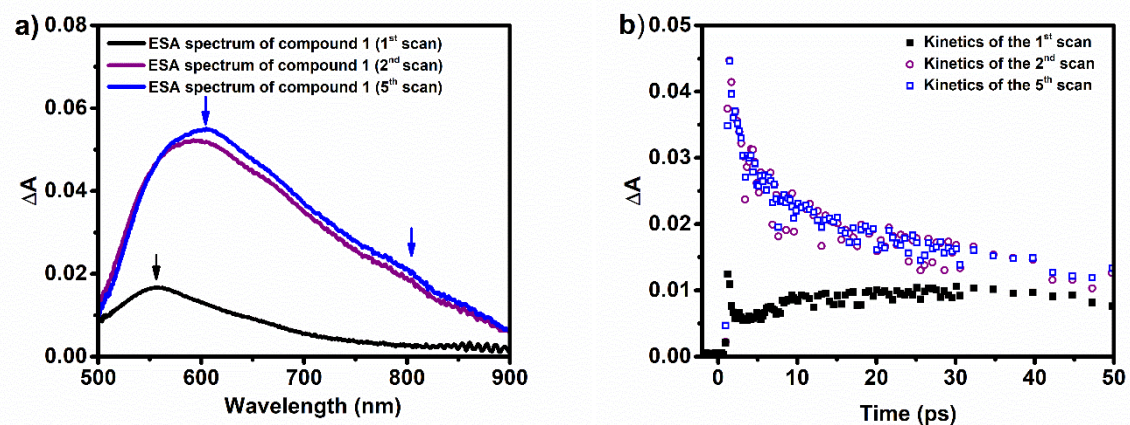


Figure S2. Excited state absorbance (ESA) of compound 1 at 3 ps, in the 1st, 2nd and 5th scans (a), Kinetics of the induced absorbance of compound 1, monitored at 650nm in the 1st, 2nd and 5th scans.

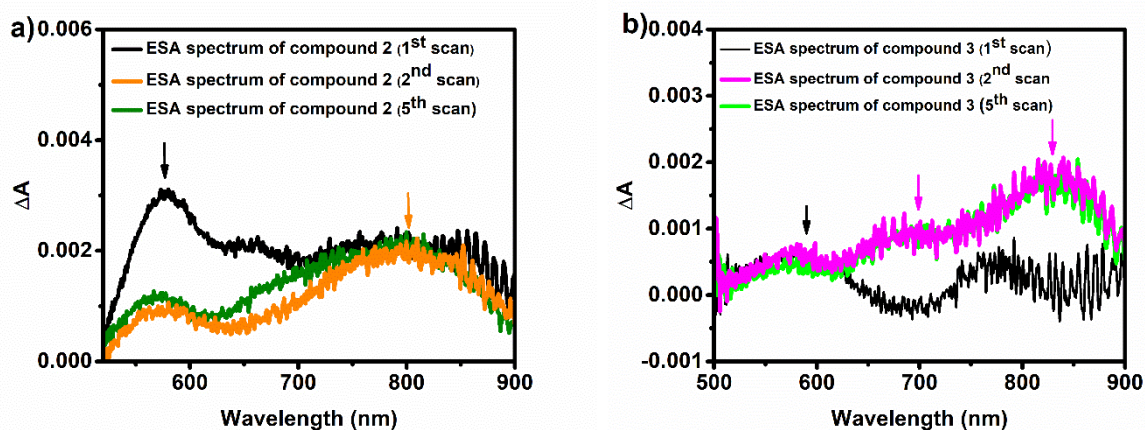


Figure S3. Excited state absorbance (ESA) of compound 2 (a) and compound 3 (b) at 3 ps, in the 1st, 2nd and 5th scans.