

Supporting Information for

Reactivity of a Trinuclear Ruthenium Complex Involving C-H

Activation and Insertion of Alkene

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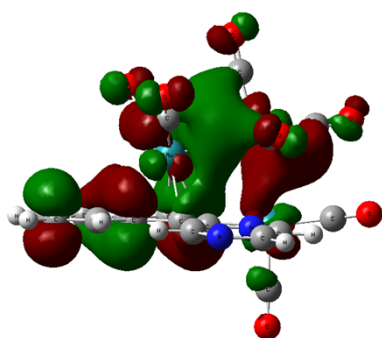
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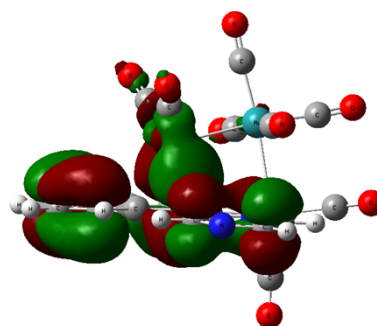
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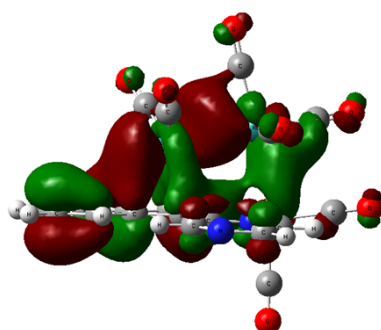
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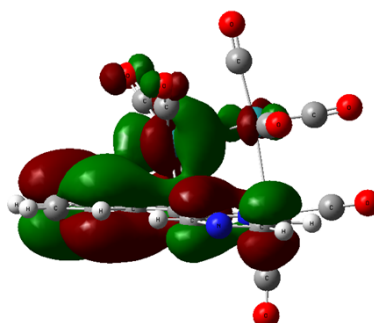
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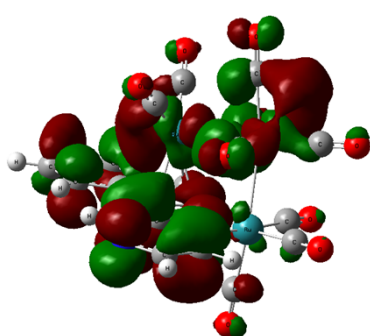
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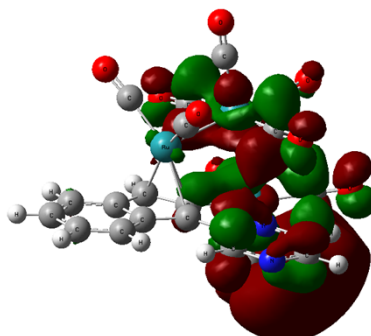
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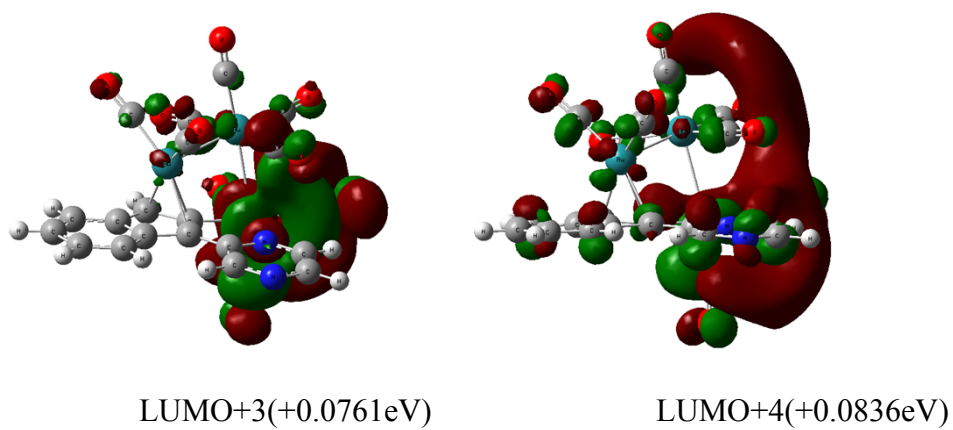


Fig. S1 Frontier molecular orbitals of complex **1**

Table S1 Cartesian coordinates of the optimized complex **1**

Ru	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000
Ru	0.00000000	0.00000000	3.81491800
Ru	2.23561300	0.00000000	1.80084200
C	-2.14541300	-1.02369000	0.07537800
C	-2.76786700	-1.72740600	-0.99132500
H	-2.62045800	-2.80483100	-1.08951000
C	-3.57890600	-1.03470000	-1.86720799
H	-4.08140200	-1.56683700	-2.67758899
C	-3.76872400	0.36674900	-1.73542299
H	-4.41126400	0.88627000	-2.44921400
C	-3.15323800	1.08754600	-0.72996199
H	-3.31433900	2.16311100	-0.66016099
C	-2.33411300	0.40432600	0.21245301
C	-1.59212700	0.79999400	1.41152200
C	-1.01916800	-0.38326500	2.03485600
C	-1.29097000	-1.47605999	1.15974801
H	-1.01663500	-2.51492099	1.33331400
C	-1.48201600	2.05324401	2.12996801
C	-2.08175500	3.28320401	1.77902101
H	-2.68745500	3.35255601	0.87448400
C	-1.21145600	4.30545201	3.61030801
H	-1.09258500	5.20939501	4.21240301
C	-0.60786400	3.11675501	3.99935501

H	-0.00828800	3.05945501	4.90791800
C	-1.57097800	-0.26734800	4.89652300
C	1.19338400	0.67908600	5.22763900
C	0.58127500	-1.78846300	4.05615300
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C	0.86904600	-1.10952100	-1.24165600
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O	1.88249000	1.10818800	6.04044600
O	-2.48987500	-0.48957100	5.54947800
O	0.86312400	-2.88782101	4.25036700

Table S2 Cartesian coordinates of the optimized complex **4**

Ru	-0.74863600	-0.73001000	0.37796600
Ru	1.90638800	-1.05900800	-0.50764700
Ru	-3.40280700	0.51676900	0.05079700
Br	4.76154200	1.06744900	0.65630100
N	2.08824900	1.17853600	-0.23475300
O	-1.53776700	-3.42430500	1.51186000
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O	3.27116200	-1.92408800	2.15562200
O	4.20852400	-1.21043700	-2.54937300
O	-3.39245500	1.79949500	2.79462500
O	-4.94499400	-1.78528200	1.27621400
C	-0.11335700	0.96233500	-1.09451600
C	0.25154000	-0.39140700	-1.50774900
C	-0.96278600	-1.02247600	-1.93022800
H	-1.05292800	-2.02992900	-2.33119600
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C	-2.42420500	2.26807800	-1.16143200
H	-2.08723800	3.19281700	-0.69542100
C	-3.79880200	2.15526700	-1.53214700
H	-4.46343800	3.00832800	-1.39822400
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C	3.11691100	1.92213200	0.19561800

C	-1.24681400	-2.38291500	1.09875900
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C	-3.38580900	1.29944000	1.75112800
C	-4.34309000	-0.91298600	0.81286800

Table S3 Topological properties at the BCP of Ru-C bond

Ru-C bond	ρ_b	$\nabla^2\rho_b$	V_b	G_b	$-G_b / V_b$	H_b
Ru1-C2	0.085	0.264	-0.104	0.085	0.817	-0.019
Ru3-C6	0.057	0.226	-0.064	0.060	0.938	-0.004
Ru3-C7	0.062	0.243	-0.072	0.066	0.917	-0.006
Ru3-C8	0.060	0.241	-0.070	0.065	0.928	-0.005
Ru3-C9	0.056	0.219	-0.062	0.059	0.952	-0.003