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Introduction to Quantum Mechanics Short Course

Lecture 2 of 6



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Quantum Mechanics

Time-independent Schrödinger Equation

$$\hat{H}\psi = E\psi$$

$\hat{H}$ Hamiltonian Operator

ψ Wavefunction (eigenfunction)

E Energy of the system (eigenvalue)



Linear Combination of Atomic Orbitals (LCAO)

$$\chi_i = \sum_{s=1}^b C_{si} \phi_s \quad \text{where, } \phi_s = R_{nl}(r) Y_l^m(\theta, \phi)$$

c_i = Molecular Orbital of electron i

C_{si} = Atomic Orbital (AO) coefficient

R_{nl} = Radial component to the atomic orbital

Y_l^m = Angular component to the atomic orbital

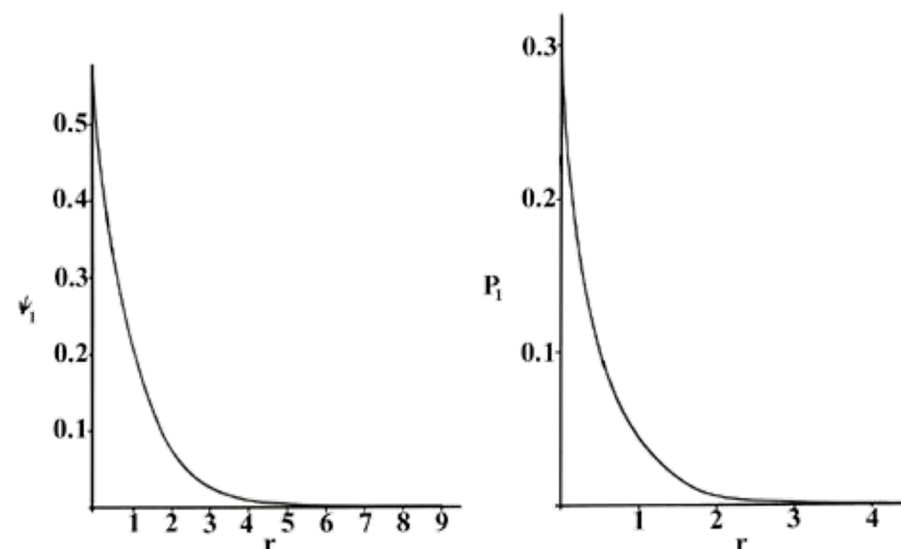
n = principle quantum number $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

l = azimuthal quantum number $l = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$

m = magnetic quantum number $m = -l, \dots, 0, \dots, l$

Slater Type Orbital (STO) $\phi_s = N r^{n-1} e^{-\zeta r} Y_l^m(\theta, \phi)$

Gaussian Type Orbital (GTO) $\phi_s = N r^{(2n-2-l)} e^{-\zeta r^2} Y_l^m(\theta, \phi)$



<http://winter.group.shef.ac.uk/orbitron>



Basis Set Terminology

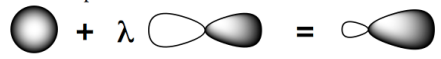
- Single- ζ (SZ) Each AO is described by 1 STO
- Double- ζ (DZ) Each AO is described by 2 STO
- Triple- ζ (TZ) Each AO is described by 3 STO
- etc
- 3 GTO's are needed to adequately describe 1 STO
- Single- ζ (SZ) Each AO is described by 3 GTO
- Double- ζ (DZ) Each AO is described by 6 GTO
- Triple- ζ (TZ) Each AO is described by 9 GTO
- etc



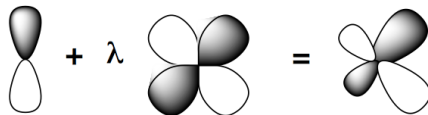
Polarization and Diffuse Functions

- Polarization Function – Higher angular momentum function than occupied. For example, a d function added to the C atom basis set would be a polarization function since C only has S and P orbitals occupied.
 - Important to allow the molecular orbitals to change shape.

For H add p functions

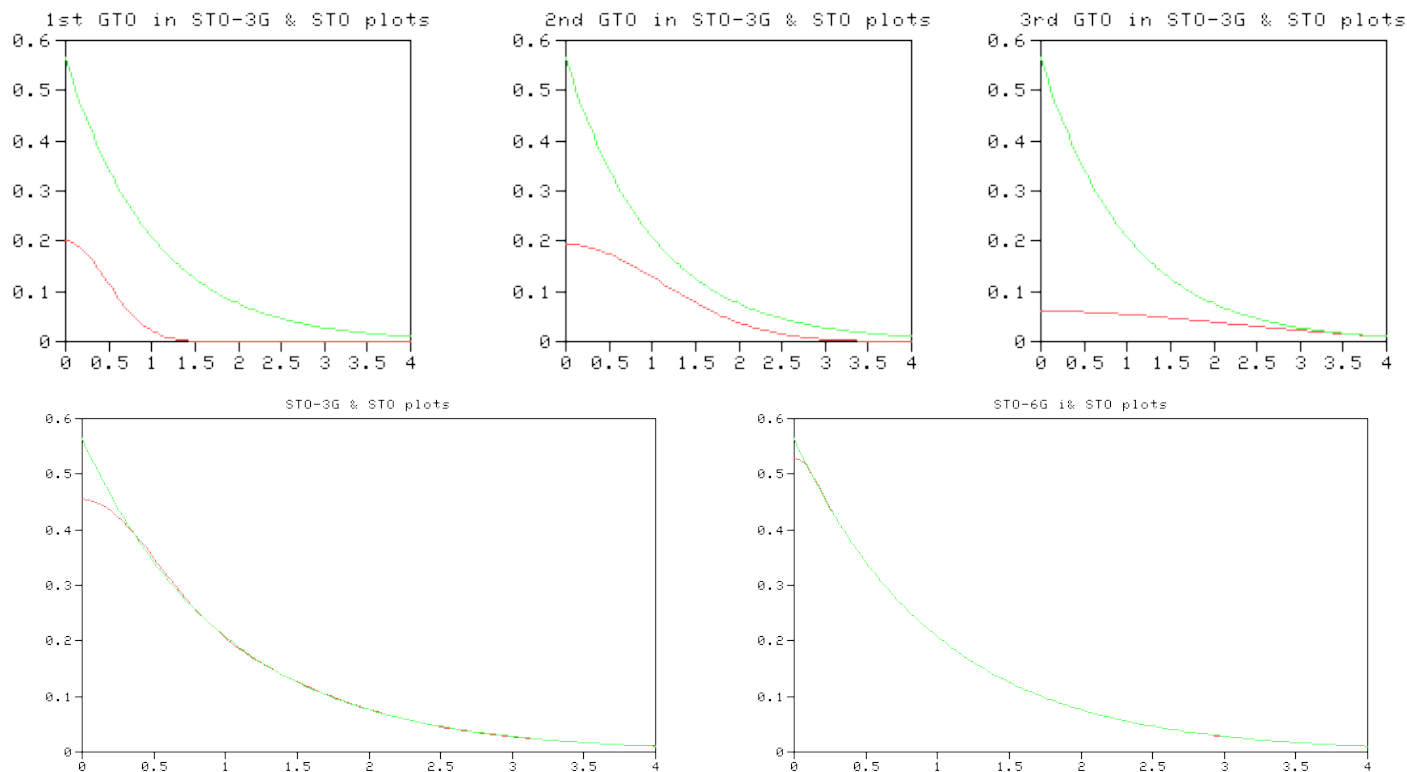


For Li-Ca add d functions



- Diffuse Function – Functions with small exponents (ζ)
 - Important for anions, NMR, excited states, and any calculation where a good description of the wavefunction far from the nucleus is important.

$H\psi_{1s}$ orbital plot - STO vs. GTO



<http://hydra.vcp.monash.edu.au/modules/mod8/gtos.html>



STO-3G for C atom

Standard basis: STO-3G (5D, 7F)

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1 0
S   3 1.00      .0000000000000000      5 basis functions
                                     15 primitive gaussians
A { .7161683735E+02 ζa1 .1543289673E+00 ca1
    .1304509632E+02 ζa2 .5353281423E+00 ca2
    .3530512160E+01 ζa3 .4446345422E+00 ca3
SP  3 1.00      .0000000000000000
B { .2941249355E+01 ζb1 ζc1 ζd1 ζe1 -.9996722919E-01 cb1 .1559162750E+00 cc1 cd1 ce1
    .6834830964E+00 ζb2 ζc2 ζd2 ζe2 .3995128261E+00 cb2 .6076837186E+00 cc2 cd2 ce2
    .2222899159E+00 ζb3 ζc3 ζd3 ζe3 .7001154689E+00 cb3 .3919573931E+00 cc3 cd3 ce3 } C,D,E
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      ↑      ↑      ↑      ↑      ↑
Exponent - ζ (s) (Px, Py, Pz) Coefficient Coefficient (Px, Py, Pz)
    
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$$A \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{ai} e^{-\zeta_{ai} r^2} + B \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{bi} e^{-\zeta_{bi} r^2} + C \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{ci} e^{-\zeta_{ci} r^2} + D \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{di} e^{-\zeta_{di} r^2} + E \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{ei} e^{-\zeta_{ei} r^2}$$

A=1

$$1(0.1543289673e^{-0.7161683735E+02r^2} + .5353281423e^{-0.1304509632E+02r^2} + 0.4446345422e^{-0.3530512160E+01r^2})$$



3-21G for C atom

Standard basis: 3-21G (6D, 7F)

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1 0
S   3 1.00      .0000000000000000      9 basis functions
                                     15 primitive gaussians
A { .1722560000E+03  $\zeta_{a1}$  .6176690738E-01  $c_{a1}$ 
    .2591090000E+02  $\zeta_{a2}$  .3587940429E+00  $c_{a2}$ 
    .5533350000E+01  $\zeta_{a3}$  .7007130837E+00  $c_{a3}$ 
SP  2 1.00      .0000000000000000
B { .3664980000E+01  $\zeta_{b1}$   $\zeta_{c1}$   $\zeta_{d1}$   $\zeta_{e1}$  -.3958951621E+00  $c_{b1}$  .2364599466E+00  $c_{c1}$   $c_{d1}$   $c_{e1}$  } C,D,E
    .7705450000E+00  $\zeta_{b2}$   $\zeta_{c2}$   $\zeta_{d2}$   $\zeta_{e2}$  .1215834356E+01  $c_{b2}$  .8606188057E+00  $c_{c2}$   $c_{d2}$   $c_{e2}$ 
SP  1 1.00      .0000000000000000
F { .1958570000E+00  $\zeta_{f1}$   $\zeta_{g1}$   $\zeta_{h1}$   $\zeta_{i1}$  .1000000000E+01  $c_{f1}$  .1000000000E+01  $c_{g1}$   $c_{h2}$   $c_{i1}$  } G,H,I
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      ↑      ↑      ↑      ↑
Exponent -  $\zeta$  (s)( $P_x, P_y, P_z$ ) Coefficient (s) Coefficient ( $P_x, P_y, P_z$ )

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & A \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{ai} e^{-\zeta_{ai} r^2} + B \sum_{i=1}^2 c_{bi} e^{-\zeta_{bi} r^2} + C \sum_{i=1}^2 c_{ci} e^{-\zeta_{ci} r^2} + D \sum_{i=1}^2 c_{di} e^{-\zeta_{di} r^2} \\
 & + E \sum_{i=1}^2 c_{ei} e^{-\zeta_{ei} r^2} + F c_{f1} e^{-\zeta_{f1} r^2} + G c_{g1} e^{-\zeta_{g1} r^2} + H c_{h1} e^{-\zeta_{h1} r^2} + I c_{i1} e^{-\zeta_{i1} r^2}
 \end{aligned}$$



6-31G for C atom

Standard basis: 6-31G (6D, 7F)

AO basis set in the form of general basis input:

```

1 0
S 6 1.00 .000000000000
    .3047524880E+04 .1834737132E-02
    .4573695180E+03 .1403732281E-01
    .1039486850E+03 .6884262226E-01
    .2921015530E+02 .2321844432E+00
    .9286662960E+01 .4679413484E+00
    .3163926960E+01 .3623119853E+00
SP 3 1.00 .000000000000
    .7868272350E+01 -.1193324198E+00 .6899906659E-01
    .1881288540E+01 -.1608541517E+00 .3164239610E+00
    .5442492580E+00 .1143456438E+01 .7443082909E+00
SP 1 1.00 .000000000000
F 1 .1687144782E+00 .1000000000E+01 .1000000000E+01
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9 basis functions,
22 primitive gaussians

A {

B {

C,D,E }

F { **G,H,I** }

$$\begin{aligned}
 & A \sum_{i=1}^6 c_{ai} e^{-\zeta_{ai} r^2} + B \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{bi} e^{-\zeta_{bi} r^2} + C \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{ci} e^{-\zeta_{ci} r^2} + D \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{di} e^{-\zeta_{di} r^2} \\
 & + E \sum_{i=1}^3 c_{ei} e^{-\zeta_{ei} r^2} + F c_{f1} e^{-\zeta_{f1} r^2} + G c_{g1} e^{-\zeta_{g1} r^2} + H c_{h1} e^{-\zeta_{h1} r^2} + I c_{i1} e^{-\zeta_{i1} r^2}
 \end{aligned}$$



6-31+G and 6-31G(d') for C atom

Standard basis: 6-31+G (6D, 7F)
 AO basis set in the form of general basis input:
 1 0 13 basis functions, 26 primitive gaussians

A	S	6	1.00	.000000000000	
			.3047524880E+04	.1834737132E-02	
			.4573695180E+03	.1403732281E-01	
			.1039486850E+03	.6884262226E-01	
			.2921015530E+02	.2321844432E+00	
			.9286662960E+01	.4679413484E+00	
			.3163926960E+01	.3623119853E+00	
B	SP	3	1.00	.000000000000	
			.7868272350E+01	-.1193324198E+00	.6899906659E-01
			.1881288540E+01	-.1608541517E+00	.3164239610E+00
			.5442492580E+00	.1143456438E+01	.7443082909E+00
F	SP	1	1.00	.000000000000	
			.1687144782E+00	.1000000000E+01	.1000000000E+01
J	SP	1	1.00	.000000000000	
			.4380000000E-01	.1000000000E+01	.1000000000E+01

Diffuse Function →

C,D,E
 G,H,I
 K,L,M

Standard basis: 6-31(d') (6D, 7F)
 AO basis set in the form of general basis input:
 1 015 basis functions, 28 primitive gaussians

A	S	6	1.00	.000000000000	
			.3047524880E+04	.1834737132E-02	
			.4573695180E+03	.1403732281E-01	
			.1039486850E+03	.6884262226E-01	
			.2921015530E+02	.2321844432E+00	
			.9286662960E+01	.4679413484E+00	
B	SP	3	1.00	.000000000000	
			.7868272350E+01	-.1193324198E+00	.6899906659E-01
			.1881288540E+01	-.1608541517E+00	.3164239610E+00
F	D	1	1.00	.000000000000	
			.1687144782E+00	.1000000000E+01	.1000000000E+01
			.6260000000E+00	.1000000000E+01	

J,K,L,M,N,O

Exponent - ζ Coefficient Coefficient

C,D,E

G,H,I

Polarization Function

AO basis set in the form of general basis input (Overlap normalization):

```

1 0
S 3 1.00      0.000000000000
   0.3386500000D+02  0.2549381454D-01
A 0.5094790000D+01  0.1903731086D+00
   0.1158790000D+01  0.8521614860D+00
S 1 1.00      0.000000000000
B 0.3258400000D+00  0.1000000000D+01
S 1 1.00      0.000000000000
C 0.1027410000D+00  0.1000000000D+01
S 1 1.00      0.000000000000
D 0.3600000000D-01  0.1000000000D+01
P 1 1.00      0.000000000000
E,F,G 0.7500000000D+00  0.1000000000D+01
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311 split for the valence e⁻ of atom 1

Diffuse function for atom 1

Polarization function for atom 1

6-311++G(d,p)

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2 0
S 3 1.00      0.000000000000
   0.3386500000D+02  0.2549381454D-01
H 0.5094790000D+01  0.1903731086D+00
   0.1158790000D+01  0.8521614860D+00
S 1 1.00      0.000000000000
I 0.3258400000D+00  0.1000000000D+01
S 1 1.00      0.000000000000
J 0.1027410000D+00  0.1000000000D+01
S 1 1.00      0.000000000000
K 0.3600000000D-01  0.1000000000D+01
P 1 1.00      0.000000000000
L,M,N 0.7500000000D+00  0.1000000000D+01
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311 split for the valence e⁻ of atom 2

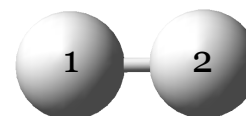
Diffuse function for atom 2

Polarization function for atom 2

exponents coefficients

There are 5 symmetry adapted basis functions of AG symmetry.
 There are 0 symmetry adapted basis functions of B1G symmetry.
 There are 1 symmetry adapted basis functions of B2G symmetry.
 There are 1 symmetry adapted basis functions of B3G symmetry.
 There are 0 symmetry adapted basis functions of AU symmetry.
 There are 5 symmetry adapted basis functions of B1U symmetry.
 There are 1 symmetry adapted basis functions of B2U symmetry.
 There are 1 symmetry adapted basis functions of B3U symmetry.
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 Two-electron integral symmetry is turned on.

14 basis functions, 18 primitive gaussians, 14 cartesian basis functions
 1 alpha electrons 1 beta electrons
 nuclear repulsion energy 0.7559674408 Hartrees.



H-H starting distance
 B1=0.7



Orbital symmetries:

Occupied (SGG)

Virtual (SGU) (SGG) (SGU) (SGG) (SGU) (PIU) (PIU) (SGG)

(PIG) (PIG) (SGU) (SGG) (SGU)

The electronic state is 1-SGG.

Alpha occ. eigenvalues -- -0.59612

Alpha virt. eigenvalues -- 0.07148 0.07315 0.24231 0.45499 0.73347

Alpha virt. eigenvalues -- 1.33317 1.33317 1.88214 2.10212 2.10212

Alpha virt. eigenvalues -- 2.29713 2.81822 3.71362

Molecular Orbital Coefficients:

		1	2	3	4	5	
		(SGG)--O	(SGU)--V	(SGG)--V	(SGU)--V	(SGG)--V	
Eigenvalues --		-0.59612	0.07148	0.07315	0.24231	0.45499	
1	1 H 1S	0.18646	0.01450	-0.05296	-0.08372	-0.05201	A
2	2S	0.28601	0.17905	0.02887	0.18299	-0.88659	B
3	3S	0.13700	-0.56036	-0.54517	-3.37801	1.49340	C
4	4S	-0.00402	4.33309	0.84253	3.73070	-0.66680	D
5	5PX	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	E
6	5PY	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	F
7	5PZ	-0.02292	-0.01209	0.01158	-0.07579	0.00280	G
8	2 H 1S	0.18646	-0.01450	-0.05296	0.08372	-0.05201	H
9	2S	0.28601	-0.17905	0.02887	-0.18299	-0.88659	I
10	3S	0.13700	0.56036	-0.54517	3.37801	1.49340	J
11	4S	-0.00402	-4.33309	0.84253	-3.73070	-0.66680	K
12	5PX	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	L
13	5PY	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	M
14	5PZ	0.02292	-0.01209	-0.01158	-0.07579	-0.00280	N

orbitals after
optimization

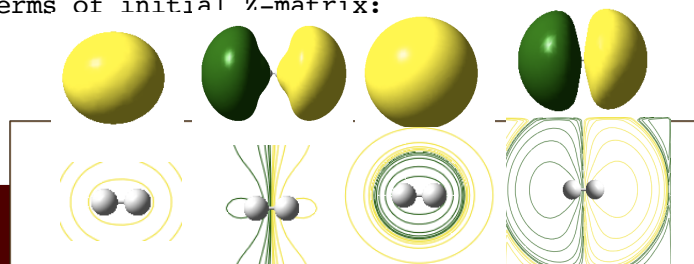
Final structure in terms of initial %-matrix:

H

H,1,B1

Variables:

B1=0.73523289

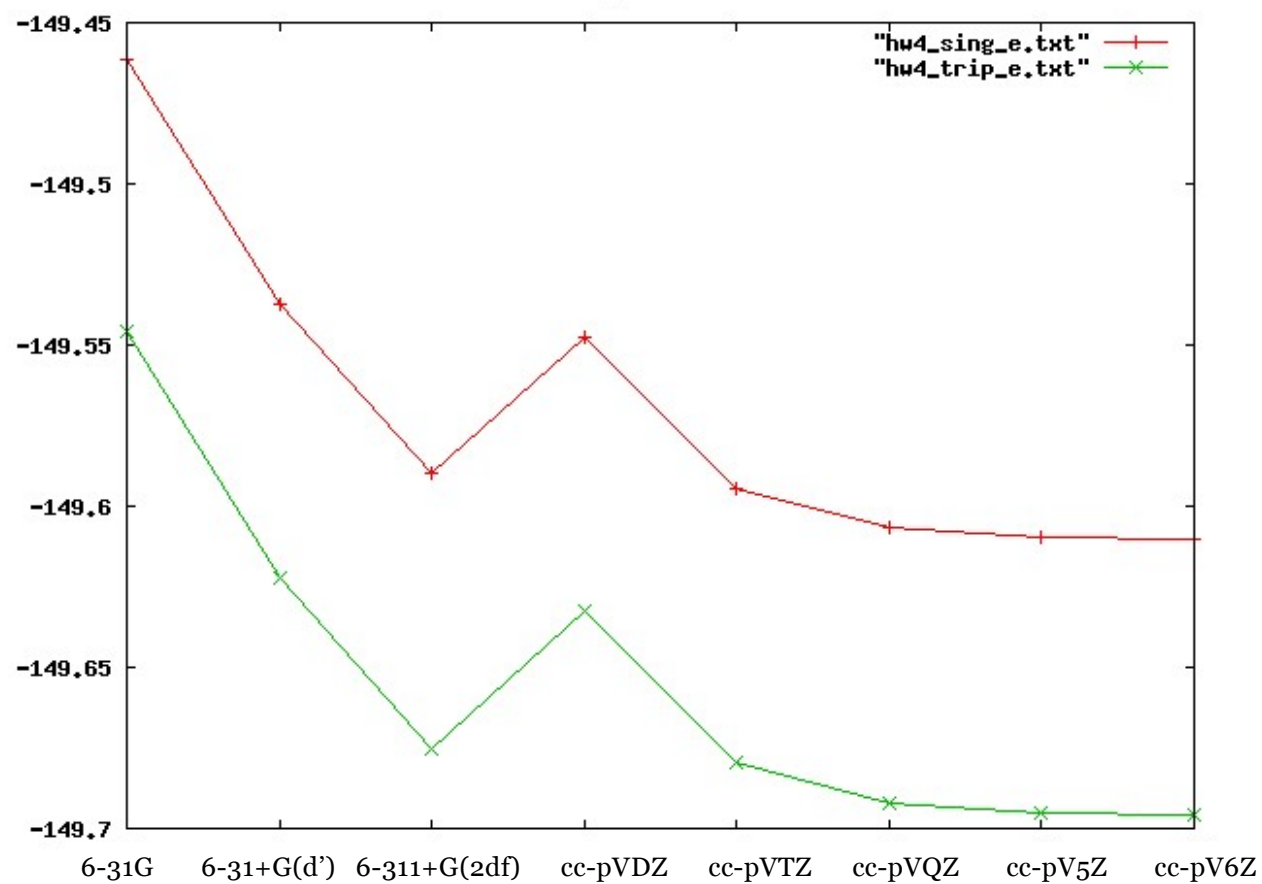


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HF Energy vs. Basis Set



Effective Core Potentials (ECP)

Assume that the core e⁻ are not important for reactivity and chemical properties.
Core e⁻ are not treated explicitly:

$$U_{ECP}(r) = \sum_i a_i r^{n_i} e^{-\alpha_i r^2}$$

ECP's normally include the contraction of the inner orbitals due to relativistic effects

Large Core ECP for Pb has 78 e⁻ in the core and 4 e⁻ in the valence

Core: 1s 2s 3s 4s 5s 2p 3p 4p 5p 3d 4d 5d and 4f

Valence: 6s and 6p

Small Core ECP for Pb has 68 e⁻ in the core and 14 e⁻ in the valence

Core: 1s 2s 3s 4s 5s 2p 3p 4p 5p 3d 4d and 4f

Valence: 6s 6p and 5d

Small Core ECP for Pb has 60 e⁻ in the core and 22 e⁻ in the valence

Core: 1s 2s 3s 4s 2p 3p 4p 3d 4d and 4f

Valence: 5s 6s 5p 6p and 5d



All electron Transition Metal Basis Sets

All electron Pople-style basis sets are available for 1st row transition metals

Note:

- 6-31G* basis set is deficient
- 6-31+G* the + adds an essential p function to adequately describe the metal. It is not a diffuse function.



Basis Set Resources

- Basis Set Exchange
 - <https://bse.pnl.gov/bse/portal>
- Stuttgart-Cologne
 - <http://www.theochem.uni-stuttgart.de/pseudopotentials/index.en.html>
- Correlation Consistent Basis Sets
 - <http://tyr0.chem.wsu.edu/~kipeters/basis.html>



Energies

- Absolute energies are not accurate due to the approximations that are made to solve the Schrödinger equation.
- Relative energies have a cancellation of errors to give more accurate results.
- To calculate relative energies, you must use the same Hamiltonian and mathematical description of ψ (basis set):
$$\Delta H^{\circ}_{\text{rxn}} = H^{\circ}_{\text{prod}} - H^{\circ}_{\text{reac}}$$
 - H°_{prod} and H°_{reac} must be calculated at the same level of theory with the same basis set.

