



Supporting Information

for

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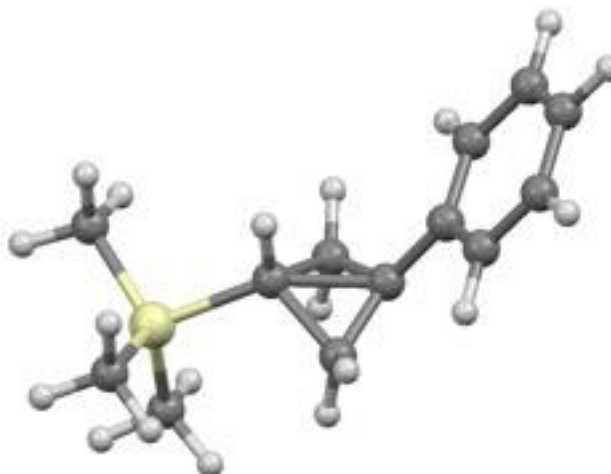
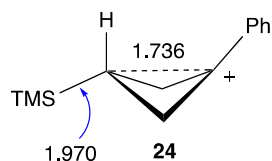
M062X/6-611+G calculated structures, energies, and Cartesian coordinates for carbocations and transition states**

M062X/6-311+G** Calculated¹ Structures, Energies, and Cartesian Coordinates for Carbocations and Transition States, as well as B3LYP/6-31G* Calculated² Structures and NMR Spectra of **17** and **18**

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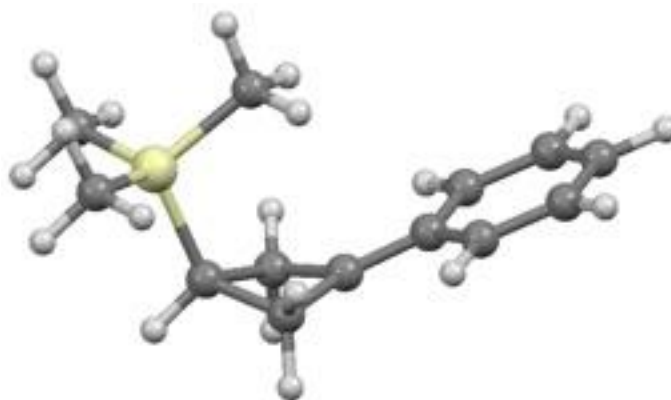
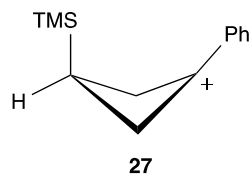
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 No imaginary frequencies

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9	6	0	-1.875324	1.063906	2.966243
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11	14	0	2.426082	-0.978809	2.454308
12	6	0	3.585105	-0.018279	3.554554
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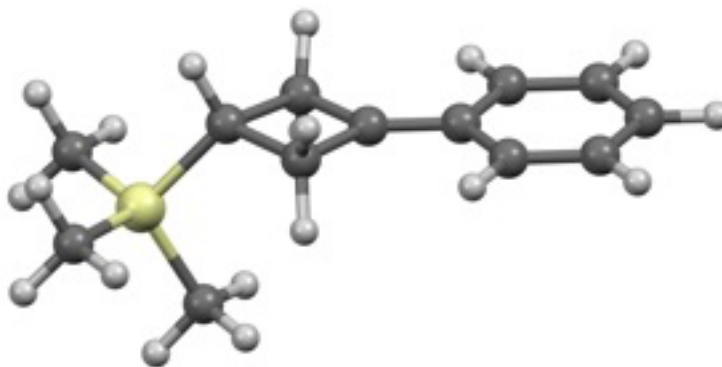
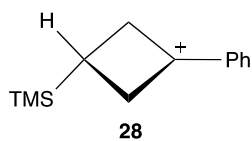
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 No imaginary frequencies

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12	6	0	1.853430	-0.671409	0.015740
13	6	0	-3.360471	0.451444	1.450897
14	6	0	-2.698880	2.306637	-0.948765
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17	1	0	-2.452876	-0.961350	-1.398880
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21	1	0	-3.613576	1.303124	2.087218
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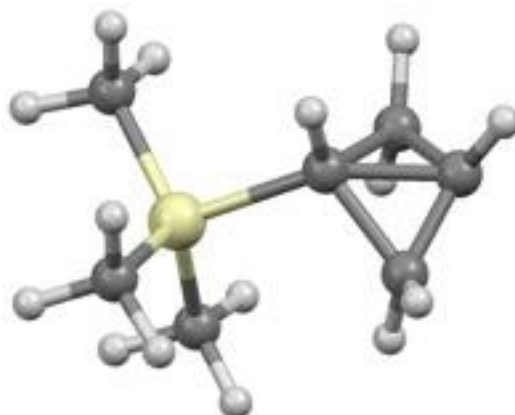
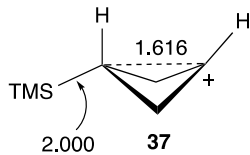
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8	1	0	0.453524	0.979842	1.132475
9	6	0	-2.480710	0.312552	1.718942
10	1	0	0.841213	-2.054883	0.935329
11	14	0	2.318050	-0.882380	2.582692
12	6	0	1.998147	0.559267	3.746404
13	6	0	2.734723	-2.430180	3.546206
14	6	0	3.630508	-0.439476	1.326133
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16	1	0	1.219876	0.345920	4.484394
17	1	0	1.730271	1.479698	3.220204
18	1	0	4.582129	-0.230269	1.821319
19	1	0	3.359153	0.451693	0.753478
20	1	0	3.799596	-1.256602	0.620445
21	1	0	3.655080	-2.290657	4.118948
22	1	0	2.886771	-3.284921	2.882446
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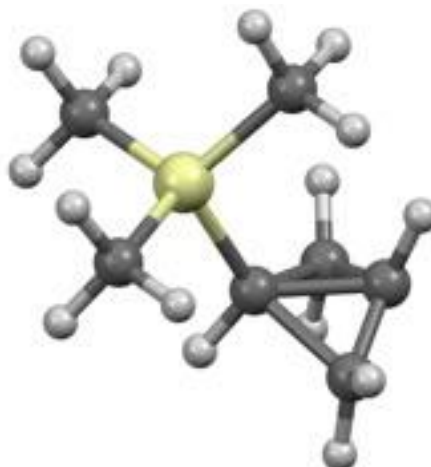
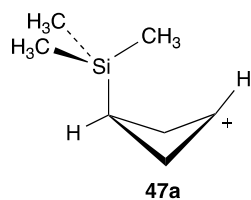
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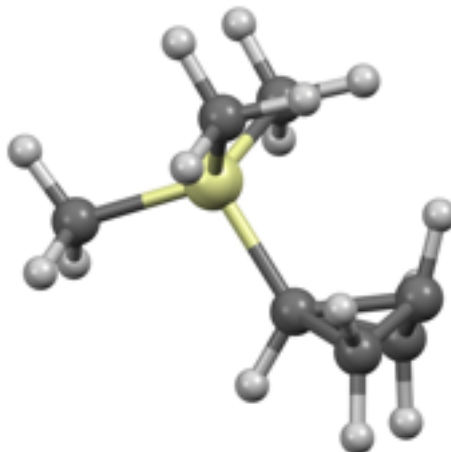
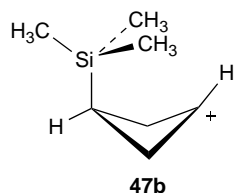
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 No imaginary frequencies

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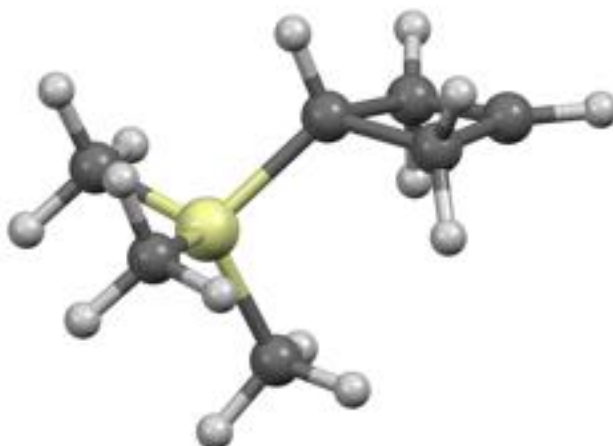
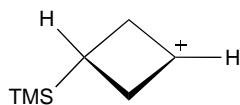
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5	1	0	-3.260320	-0.742869	0.735435
6	14	0	0.308385	0.013642	2.421046
7	1	0	-1.859109	0.870383	1.211283
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12	6	0	0.110439	1.550543	3.449027
13	6	0	0.107622	-1.564346	3.397815
14	6	0	1.859520	0.009321	1.382555
15	1	0	1.937880	-0.866146	0.731154
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17	1	0	1.945633	0.909405	0.768480
18	1	0	0.160516	-2.463410	2.776677
19	1	0	-0.829821	-1.583542	3.959517
20	1	0	0.917597	-1.643771	4.128134
21	1	0	-0.838713	1.555735	3.990503
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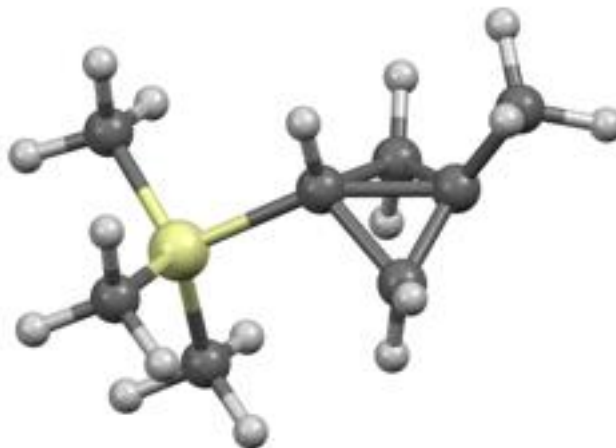
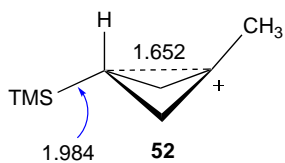
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Transition State for Inversion of Cation **47** to Cation **37**



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One imaginary frequency at -227.79 cm⁻¹

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2	6	0	-0.779022	-0.736072	0.030412
3	1	0	-1.226755	-1.328498	0.847004
4	6	0	0.664678	-0.643868	0.191265
5	1	0	-1.092816	-1.253253	-0.890887
6	6	0	-0.864833	0.820548	0.104760
7	1	0	-1.246471	1.131395	1.079268
8	6	0	0.699514	0.793968	0.117667
9	1	0	1.439142	-1.396824	0.347804
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14	6	0	-1.583263	3.582396	-0.971874
15	6	0	-0.859644	1.272794	-2.898102
16	1	0	0.142802	1.704784	-2.970681
17	1	0	-1.418235	1.654924	-3.757225
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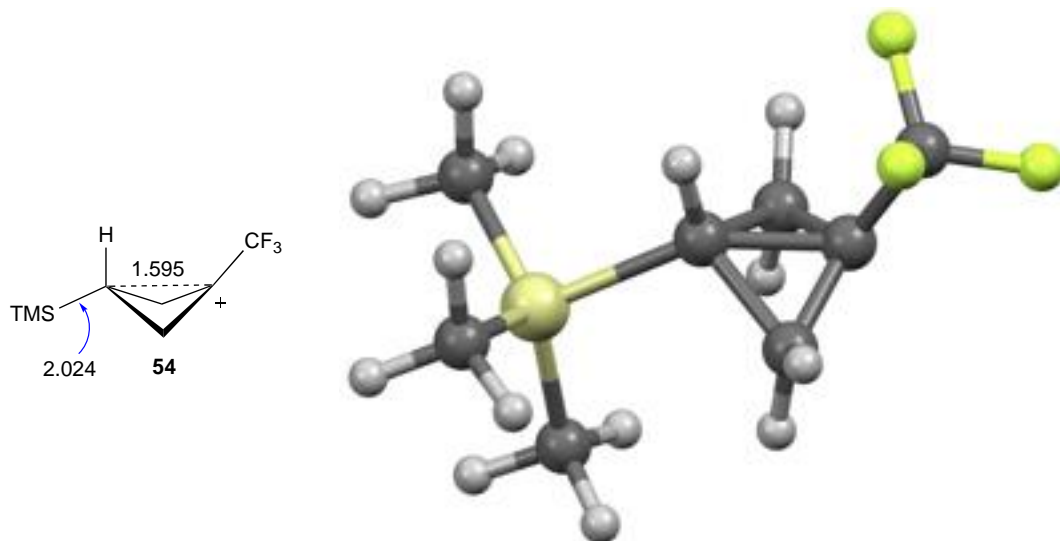
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2	6	0	-0.074539	0.238571	1.336059
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4	6	0	-1.022972	-0.790480	1.678520
5	6	0	-0.529813	-1.393379	2.890569
6	1	0	-0.836840	-2.410336	3.107096
7	1	0	-0.329773	-0.766651	3.753768
8	1	0	0.164785	1.006047	2.065184
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10	6	0	-1.904448	-1.481823	0.694569
11	14	0	2.370736	-0.867188	2.591809
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13	6	0	2.806255	-2.543056	3.268229
14	6	0	3.423666	-0.326004	1.158570
15	1	0	4.458021	-0.198469	1.490214
16	1	0	3.092529	0.630614	0.747585
17	1	0	3.428194	-1.066254	0.355032
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19	1	0	2.803762	-3.309139	2.489271
20	1	0	2.122375	-2.852721	4.062014
21	1	0	3.211423	0.571384	4.348690
22	1	0	1.557100	0.147716	4.737063
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24	1	0	-1.948990	-2.555372	0.879440
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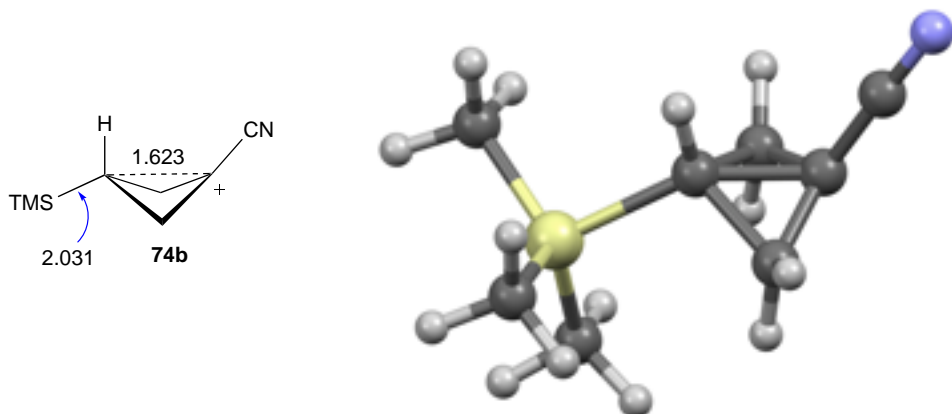
M062X/6-311+G** Optimized Structure and Energy of Cation **54**



E(RM062X) = -901.9562706
 Zero-point correction = 0.206631 au
 No imaginary frequencies

Cent er Number	At om i c Number	At om i c Type	Coor di nat es (Angst r om s)		
			X	Y	Z
1	6	0	1.172771	-0.057034	0.669062
2	6	0	0.346628	1.093866	0.916971
3	6	0	0.336978	-1.226201	0.682252
4	6	0	-0.197274	0.032328	-0.143352
5	1	0	0.088805	0.135746	-1.188656
6	1	0	0.670981	-2.090470	0.119917
7	1	0	-0.279452	-1.419037	1.553444
8	1	0	0.692216	2.049774	0.540789
9	1	0	-0.267723	1.111469	1.810293
10	14	0	-2.220640	0.018407	-0.118888
11	6	0	-2.622235	-1.560478	-1.006069
12	1	0	-2.156862	-1.603095	-1.993545
13	1	0	-3.704468	-1.623793	-1.154306
14	1	0	-2.319438	-2.443180	-0.438175
15	6	0	-2.629521	1.565016	-1.057977
16	1	0	-2.265193	2.461534	-0.551200
17	1	0	-3.716562	1.656426	-1.143761
18	1	0	-2.223531	1.546701	-2.071879
19	6	0	-2.770249	0.048818	1.655577
20	1	0	-2.569935	0.999869	2.153372
21	1	0	-2.371070	-0.764644	2.265375
22	1	0	-3.858438	-0.077507	1.652444
23	6	0	2.463313	0.017937	-0.131981
24	9	0	2.538871	1.168849	-0.794238
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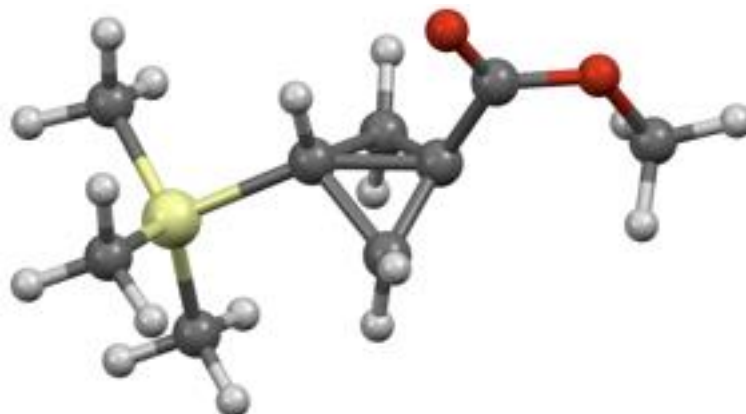
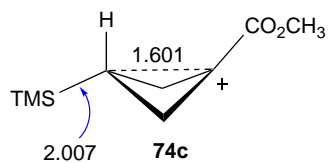
M062X/6-311+G** Optimized Structure and Energy of
3-Trimethylsilyl-1-cyanocyclobutyl Cation, **74b**



E(RM062X) = -657.1326325
Zero-point correction = 0.199579 au
No imaginary frequencies

Cent er Number	At omi c Number	At omi c Type	Coor di nat es (Angs t r oms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	14	0	0.067399	0.022490	-1.632635
2	6	0	0.320286	0.026839	0.382807
3	6	0	-0.726369	-0.956591	1.068678
4	6	0	-0.351201	1.335082	0.994751
5	6	0	-0.324835	0.181672	1.864441
6	1	0	-1.688843	-0.915675	0.569502
7	6	0	0.546127	0.076710	2.998407
8	1	0	1.380203	-0.140216	0.555945
9	1	0	0.289332	2.171236	1.250359
10	1	0	-1.280548	1.572893	0.487625
11	1	0	-0.384091	-1.934633	1.386487
12	7	0	1.214839	-0.001538	3.928309
13	6	0	1.006118	1.535741	-2.151599
14	6	0	0.851658	-1.589231	-2.110843
15	6	0	-1.756774	0.106906	-1.970213
16	1	0	0.325870	-2.445220	-1.681791
17	1	0	1.901417	-1.637197	-1.812982
18	1	0	0.816506	-1.695763	-3.199440
19	1	0	2.039517	1.516542	-1.797799
20	1	0	0.532960	2.456585	-1.803037
21	1	0	1.038035	1.579535	-3.244615
22	1	0	-2.290879	-0.802924	-1.688519
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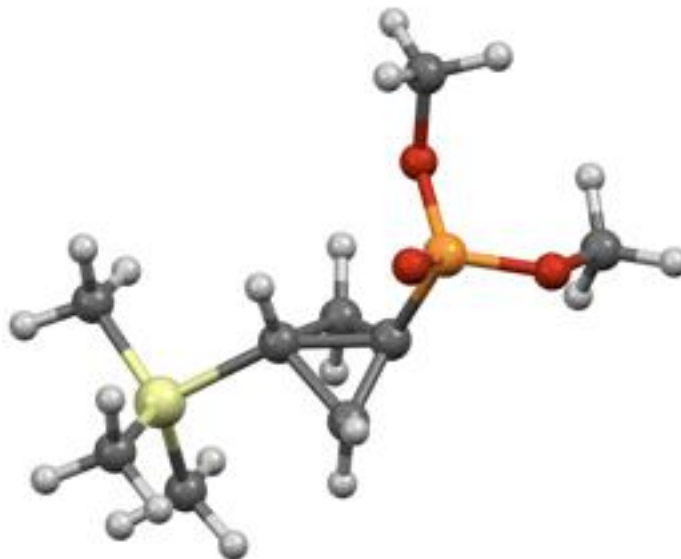
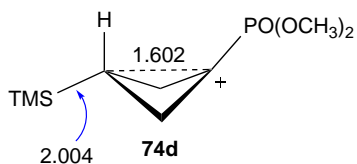
M062X/6-311+G** Optimized Structure and Energy of Cation **74c**



E(RM062X) = -792.7590508
 Zero-point correction = 0.244226 au
 No imaginary frequencies

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	6	0	-0.278170	0.272264	-0.167135
2	6	0	0.438216	-1.097263	-0.556390
3	6	0	0.375823	0.323785	1.284632
4	6	0	1.214474	-0.161796	0.217477
5	1	0	0.607828	1.301529	1.693288
6	1	0	-0.096348	-0.384970	1.957498
7	1	0	-0.026599	-1.944777	-0.061697
8	14	0	-2.259385	-0.009856	-0.018087
9	1	0	-0.124217	1.131070	-0.818557
10	1	0	0.715201	-1.239569	-1.595568
11	6	0	-2.744556	-0.415485	-1.763980
12	1	0	-2.343696	-1.379201	-2.086993
13	1	0	-2.413639	0.352993	-2.466159
14	1	0	-3.834552	-0.474670	-1.833881
15	6	0	-2.853995	1.638705	0.592967
16	1	0	-2.476258	1.863493	1.593076
17	1	0	-3.946433	1.633403	0.648913
18	1	0	-2.564661	2.449807	-0.079034
19	6	0	-2.561837	-1.398083	1.182616
20	1	0	-2.273388	-1.155422	2.207504
21	1	0	-2.100802	-2.345590	0.895644
22	1	0	-3.642658	-1.575381	1.199611
23	6	0	2.325786	0.702972	-0.387492
24	8	0	2.071243	1.705894	-0.978706
25	8	0	3.551511	0.260784	-0.193813
26	6	0	3.799085	-0.948240	0.544246
27	1	0	3.369271	-1.808888	0.029770
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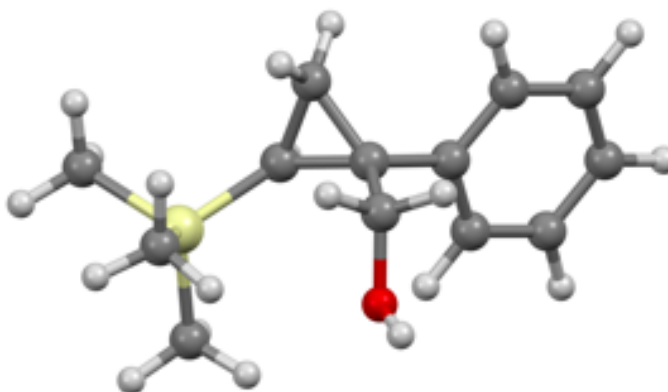
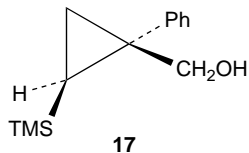
M062X/6-311+G** Optimized Structure and Energy of Cation **74d**



E(RM062X) = -1211.1913780
 Zero-point correction = 0.283868 au
 No imaginary frequencies

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	6	0	0.335235	-0.937702	-0.115669
2	6	0	-0.675661	-1.464921	0.767882
3	6	0	-0.340873	-0.407217	-1.275511
4	6	0	-0.955164	-0.023441	0.143109
5	1	0	-0.585847	0.854269	0.670257
6	1	0	0.165248	0.373068	-1.831888
7	1	0	-1.017621	-1.048595	-1.831126
8	1	0	-0.433383	-1.505120	1.825118
9	1	0	-1.380876	-2.198977	0.392179
10	14	0	-2.937288	0.231843	-0.010280
11	6	0	-3.058383	1.886361	-0.844750
12	1	0	-2.570783	2.671971	-0.263436
13	1	0	-4.110796	2.164445	-0.952435
14	1	0	-2.619498	1.869575	-1.845133
15	6	0	-3.496081	0.215684	1.759617
16	1	0	-3.372671	-0.769101	2.216114
17	1	0	-4.558559	0.470580	1.808857
18	1	0	-2.954224	0.946733	2.363895
19	6	0	-3.647595	-1.153065	-1.028934
20	1	0	-3.460084	-2.148258	-0.620484
21	1	0	-3.326931	-1.129427	-2.072430
22	1	0	-4.734846	-1.020637	-1.033128
23	15	0	1.897156	-0.296942	0.605138
24	8	0	1.722117	0.009142	2.025229
25	8	0	2.167148	0.913745	-0.391037
26	8	0	2.956143	-1.419527	0.284281
27	6	0	3.108421	1.955089	-0.020115
28	1	0	4.122763	1.555307	-0.032971
29	1	0	2.864100	2.334585	0.971657
30	1	0	3.002341	2.734592	-0.768475
31	6	0	3.421310	-1.721891	-1.046216
32	1	0	4.209356	-2.459066	-0.924882
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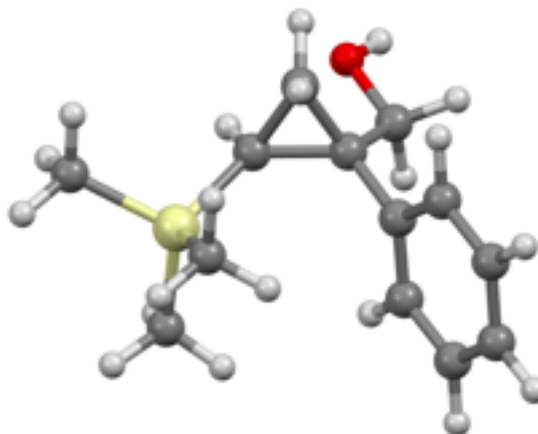
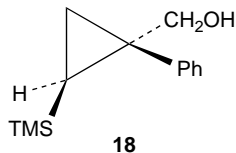
B3LYP/6-31G* Optimized Structure and NMR Shifts of 17



Coordinates (Angstroms)				NMR shifts (ppm)		
				Atom	Isotropic	Rel. Shift
H	0.330211	-2.352992	1.167969	H1	31.0659	1.12
C	-0.267625	-1.862993	0.403822	C1	173.0564	16.57
C	-0.768319	-0.454599	0.681700	C2	175.3786	14.25
C	0.343514	-0.699541	-0.338607	C3	155.0499	34.58
H	-0.910040	-2.543248	-0.152436	H2	31.4657	0.72
H	-0.366847	-0.053267	1.615312	H3	32.0929	0.09
C	1.740365	-0.253868	0.019086	C4	49.2770	140.35
C	4.362433	0.593552	0.598077	C5	70.1136	119.51
C	2.784759	-1.180435	0.137152	C6	68.5570	121.07
C	2.032551	1.107330	0.188651	C7	63.1759	126.45
C	3.331047	1.527477	0.477213	C8	68.7027	120.92
C	4.085524	-0.763241	0.425696	C9	69.0199	120.61
H	2.574602	-2.239145	0.003304	H5	25.0589	7.13
H	1.233553	1.835747	0.088276	H7	24.4492	7.73
H	3.537878	2.586683	0.609361	H8	25.0079	7.18
H	4.881015	-1.498680	0.517046	H9	25.0582	7.13
H	5.373563	0.921238	0.825689	H10	25.0972	7.09
C	0.024865	-0.581032	-1.817938	C10	119.3443	70.28
H	-0.866986	-1.175762	-2.058394	H11	28.7654	3.42
H	0.866573	-0.987933	-2.398557	H12	28.1888	4.00
O	-0.188551	0.795646	-2.142944	O1	294.6181	
H	-0.178508	0.880273	-3.108388	H6	31.9855	0.20
Si	-2.527444	0.179950	0.407410	Si 1	407.6115	6.07
C	-3.558930	-0.427557	1.880485	C11	189.1555	0.47
H	-4.590523	-0.058776	1.821763	H13	32.1806	0.00
H	-3.139920	-0.085313	2.834674	H15	32.0755	0.11
H	-3.599475	-1.523166	1.912893	H16	32.0119	0.17
C	-2.492157	2.070944	0.392252	C12	189.9673	-0.34
H	-3.498088	2.490454	0.267294	H14	32.1131	0.07
H	-1.866685	2.425841	-0.434191	H17	31.3417	0.84
H	-2.079731	2.471327	1.326471	H18	31.9491	0.24
C	-3.331472	-0.451785	-1.188477	C13	191.3329	-1.71
H	-4.390676	-0.166309	-1.207605	H4	32.2723	-0.09
H	-3.285669	-1.543895	-1.276150	H19	32.2053	-0.02
H	-2.850965	-0.013055	-2.069191	H20	32.0495	0.13

Calculated (Rel. Shift)_{average} = 0.16 ppm
 Observed TMS Shift in 17 = 0.14 ppm

B3LYP/6-31G* Optimized Structure and NMR Shifts of 18



Coordinates (Angstroms)				NMR shifts (ppm)		
				Atom	Isotropic	Rel. Shift
H	-0.459603	-0.670874	-2.193903	H1	31.3902	0.79
C	-0.653335	-1.378395	-1.391662	C1	178.1822	11.44
C	0.194768	-1.287485	-0.156653	C2	156.7543	32.87
C	-1.264102	-0.841318	-0.098709	C3	179.1350	10.49
H	-0.958954	-2.366952	-1.721373	H2	30.7012	1.48
H	-1.892334	-1.582537	0.397735	H6	31.3296	0.85
Si	-1.972175	0.902837	0.033447	Si 1	408.0626	5.62
C	-3.789548	0.786049	-0.500659	C4	188.8410	0.79
H	-4.357248	0.108556	0.148827	H7	32.0571	0.13
H	-3.880623	0.412571	-1.527509	H9	32.0218	0.16
H	-4.275349	1.768813	-0.459733	H10	32.3201	-0.14
C	-1.921562	1.533741	1.822939	C5	190.1843	-0.56
H	-2.324024	0.790069	2.521853	H8	32.0229	0.16
H	-2.526400	2.443231	1.926506	H11	32.2949	-0.11
H	-0.902361	1.778190	2.142592	H12	32.0330	0.15
C	-1.089237	2.141178	-1.095925	C6	192.8797	-3.25
H	-1.128133	1.833418	-2.147780	H5	32.6855	-0.50
H	-0.036399	2.272392	-0.825472	H13	33.5699	-1.39
H	-1.577286	3.121821	-1.026896	H14	32.8008	-0.62
C	1.331987	-0.301492	-0.076593	C7	52.5000	137.13
C	3.527201	1.454899	0.130078	C8	69.8573	119.77
C	2.139966	-0.026589	-1.187981	C9	66.2786	123.35
C	1.655735	0.308443	1.145925	C10	65.2412	124.39
C	2.739354	1.180533	1.250232	C11	68.7862	120.84
C	3.224192	0.847699	-1.089200	C12	68.0000	121.63
H	1.913566	-0.500567	-2.139297	H3	24.9722	7.21
H	1.043708	0.100035	2.019970	H15	24.7587	7.43
H	2.967584	1.647356	2.205065	H16	25.0152	7.17
H	3.833956	1.051898	-1.965763	H17	25.0059	7.18
H	4.370338	2.136291	0.207721	H18	25.0781	7.11
C	0.557925	-2.596124	0.546417	C13	124.4177	65.21
H	0.801556	-2.385445	1.600606	H19	28.1768	4.01
H	1.467721	-3.004676	0.075756	H20	8.3884	3.80
O	-0.519291	-3.521565	0.454040	O1	298.9423	
H	-0.234988	-4.347615	0.871254	H4	32.1347	0.05

Calculated (Rel. Shift)_{average} = -0.23 ppm
 Observed TMS Shift in 18 = -0.30 ppm