

Supporting Information for

**Computational Investigation of a Series of Small Molecules as
Potential Compounds for Lysyl hydroxylase-2 (LH2) Inhibition**

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Table S1. Calculated components of the interaction energy ($\Delta\Delta E^{Interact.}$) for all the lead compounds. All the values are in kcal mol⁻¹.

ID	Compound	$\Delta E_{Lig./Env.}^{Interact.}$	$\Delta E_{Lig./Wat.}^{Interact.}$	$\Delta\Delta E^{Interact.}$
1	cpd1	-36.91	-15.87	-21.04
2	cpd1p	-169.37	-71.30	-98.08
3	cpd2	61.91	-18.07	79.98
4	cpd2p	-139.67	-70.01	-69.66
5	cpd3	-58.86	-18.07	-40.79
6	cpd4	-68.94	-19.51	-49.43
7	cpd5	-39.21	-35.46	-3.754
8	cpd6	-50.43	-16.37	-34.06
9	cpd7	-38.72	-19.08	-19.64
10	cpd8	-36.55	-16.80	-19.75
11	cpd9	-45.03	-16.57	-28.46
12	cpd10	-54.83	-15.25	-39.58
13	cpd11	70.63	-14.68	85.31
14	cpd12	-162.42	-78.25	-84.18
15	cpd13	-45.51	-18.89	-26.62
16	S50356	-201.14	-89.56	-111.6
17	cpd1ph	-60.50	-17.15	-43.35
18	cpd1php	-185.25	-70.18	-115.02
19	cpd2ph	-52.94	-19.31	-33.59
20	cpd14	-170.55	-78.53	-91.97
21	cpd15	-163.91	-78.73	-85.17
22	cpd16	-176.05	-80.32	-95.68
23	cpd17	-204.49	-92.56	-111.94
24	cpd18	-166.96	-80.51	-86.40
25	cpd19	-203.87	-83.42	-120.48
26	cpd20	-182.89	-78.32	-104.58
27	cpd21	-186.64	-78.33	-108.27
28	cpd22	-176.64	-79.21	-97.40
29	cpd23	-177.91	-84.92	-92.98
30	cpd24p	-185.67	-66.40	-119.30
31	cpd25	-44.398	-22.83	-21.57
32	cpd25p	-194.48	-69.96	-124.54
33	cpd26	-51.754	-16.84	-34.86
34	cpd26p	-212.59	-68.71	-143.89
35	cpd27	-63.005	-17.84	-45.16
36	cpd27p	-212.94	-68.18	-144.72
37	c28a	-220.98	-73.64	-147.36
38	c28b	-278.25	-78.85	-199.35
39	c28c	-203.21	-76.34	-126.86
40	c28e	-129.47	-67.91	-61.587
41	c28f	-202.30	-71.18	-131.12
42	c2d	-103.65	-65.83	-37.87
43	c24	-114.18	-65.97	-48.22
44	c25	-190.52	-68.03	-122.46

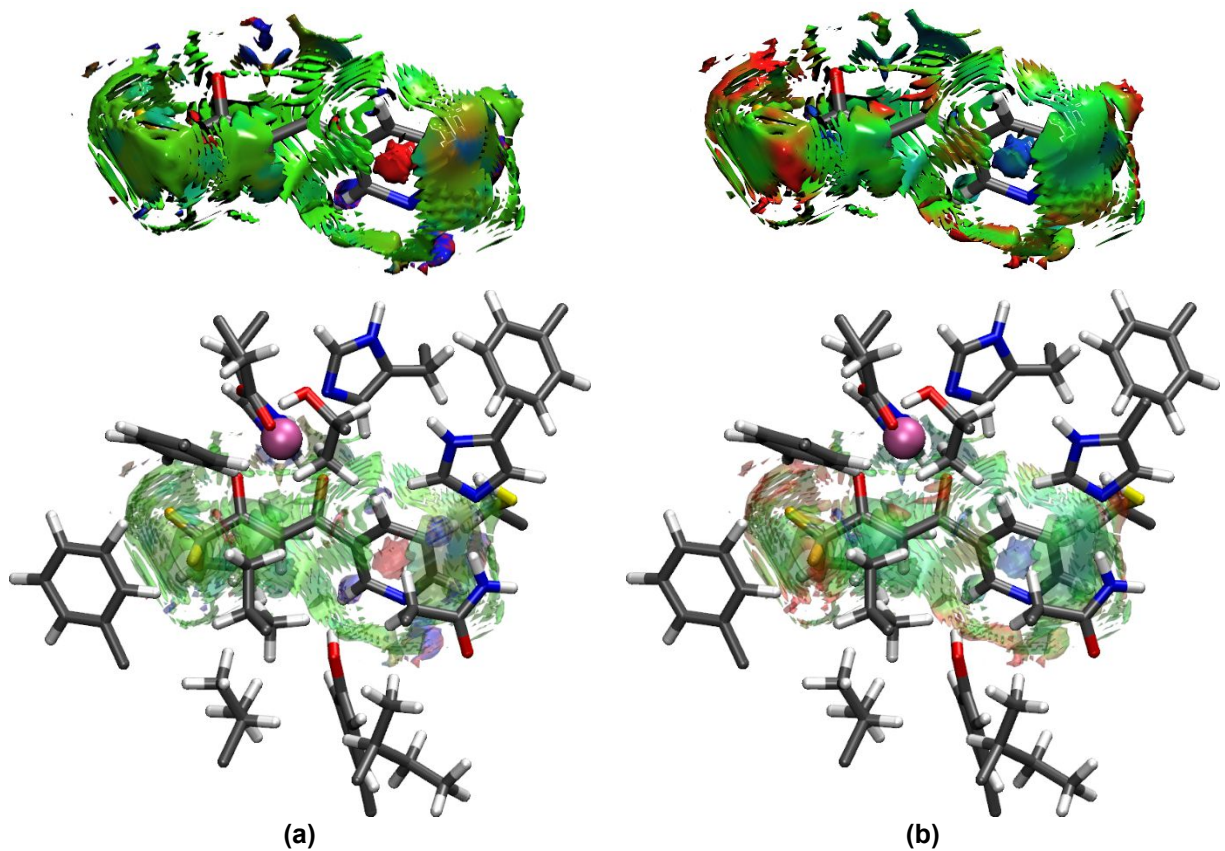


Figure S1. (a) Averaged non-covalent index (aNCI) and (b) thermal fluctuation index (TFI) analyses for cpd1p (ID: 2). The isosurface cutoff for NCI and TFI is 0.4 au, and the data is plotted in the color range $-0.05 < \text{sign}(\lambda_2)\rho < 0.05$ au.

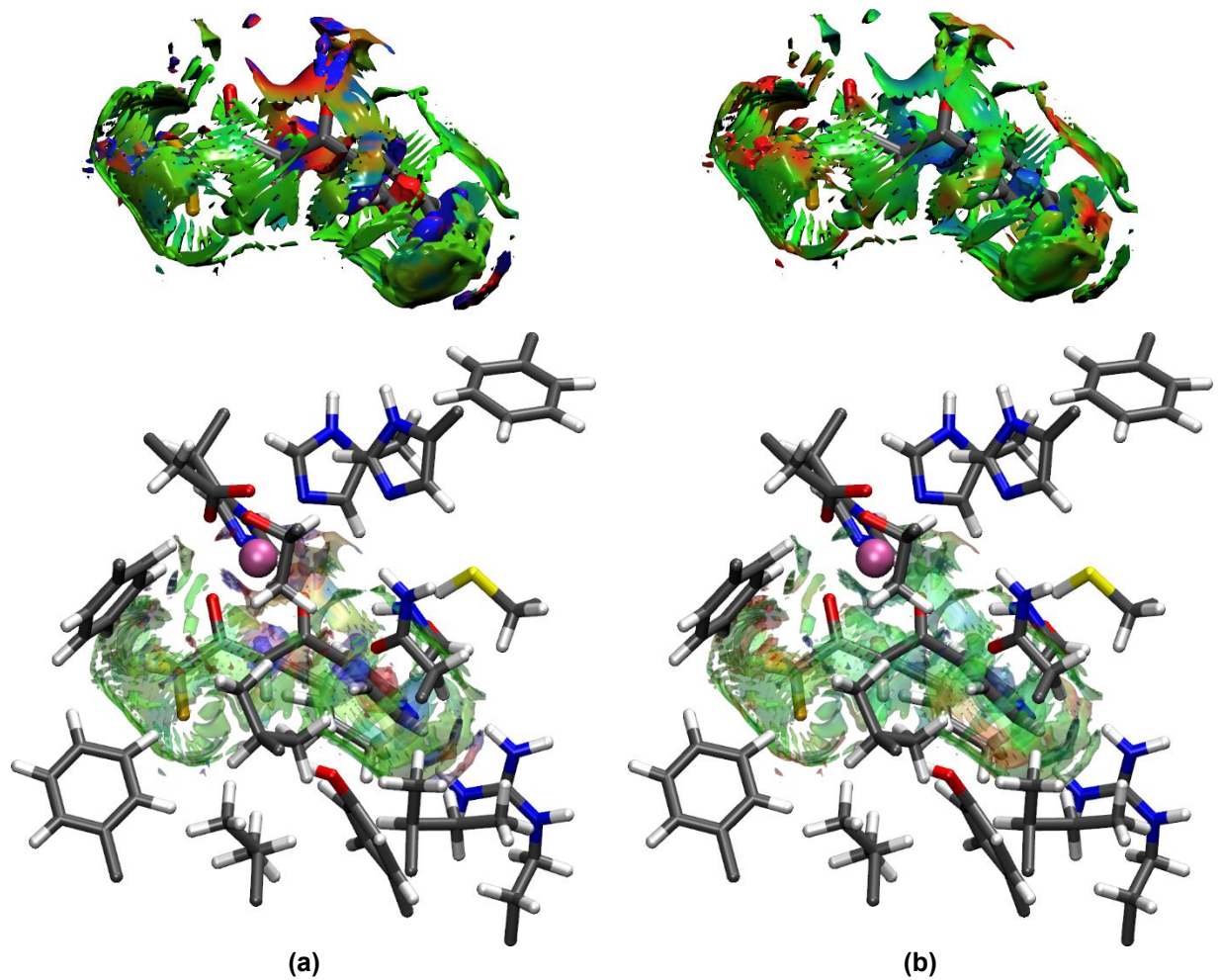


Figure S2. (a) Averaged non-covalent index (aNCI) and (b) thermal fluctuation index (TFI) analyses for cpd2p (ID: 4). The isosurface cutoff for NCI and TFI is 0.4 au, and the data is plotted in the color range $-0.05 < \text{sign}(\lambda_2)\rho < 0.05$ au.

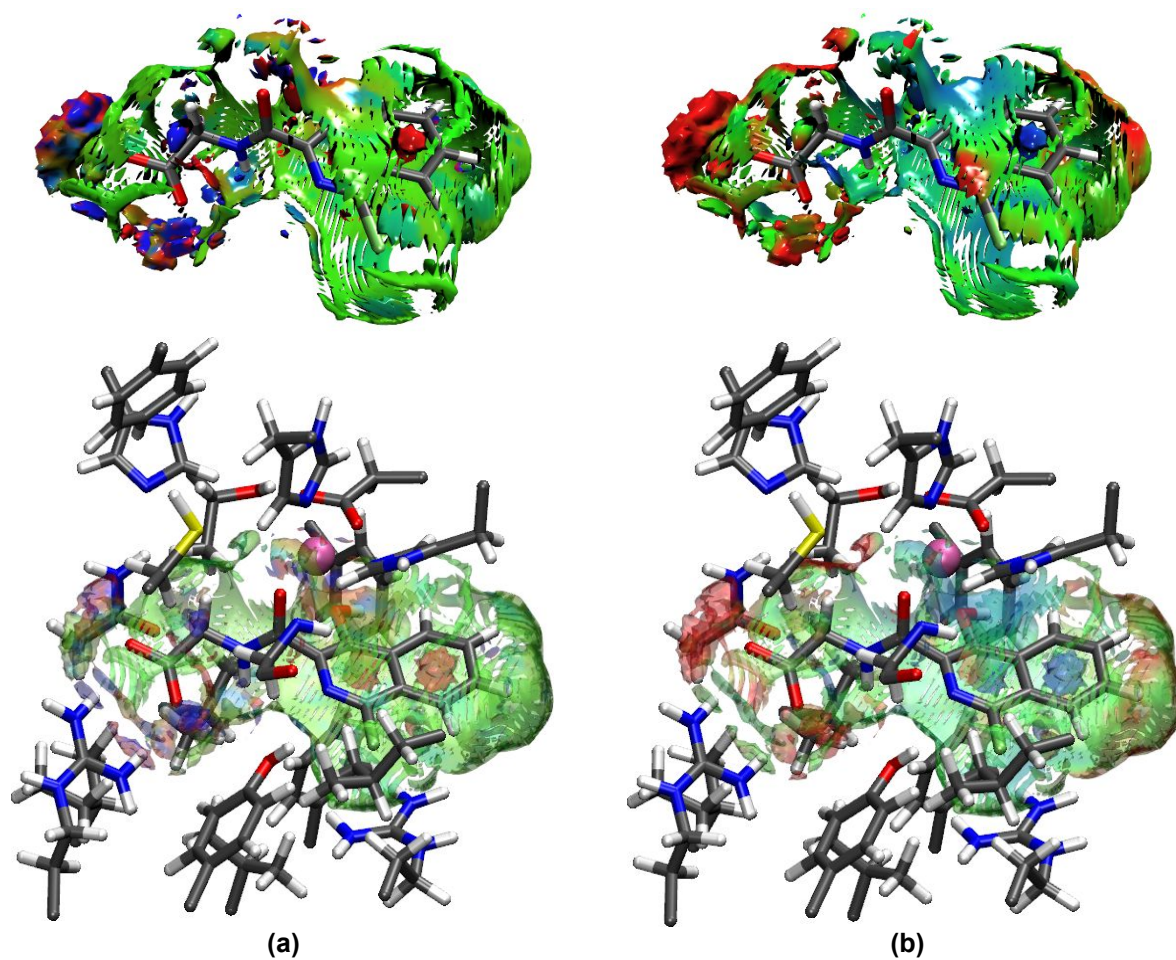
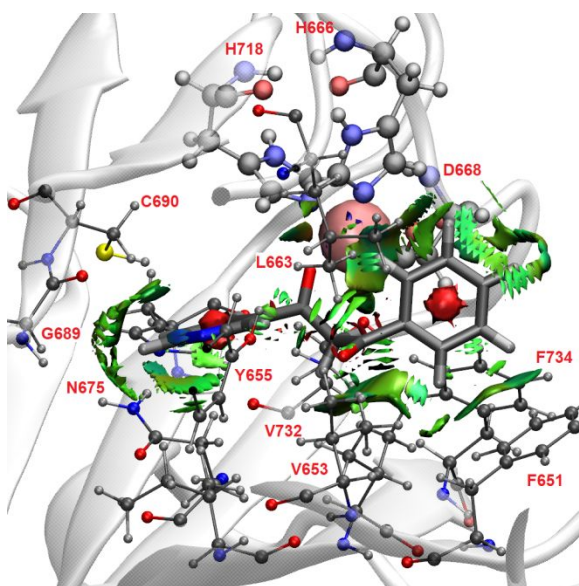
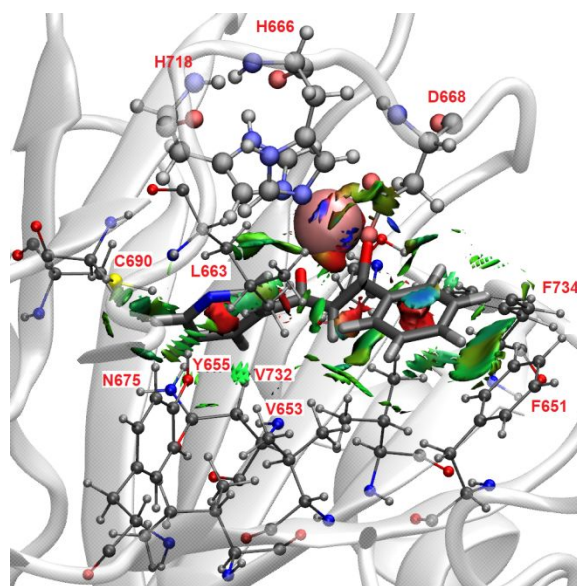


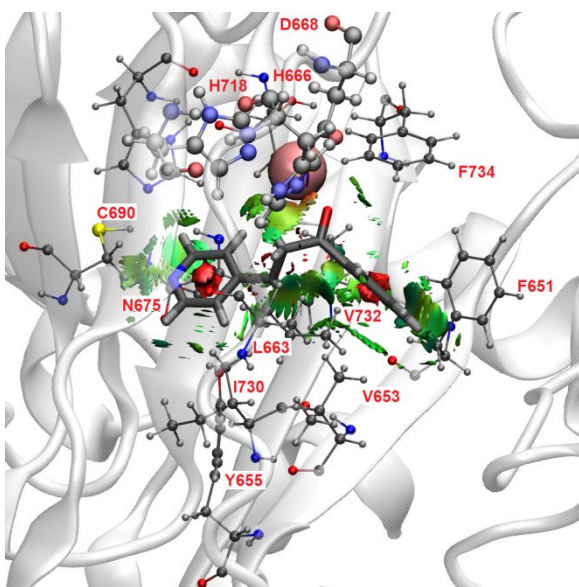
Figure S3. (a) Averaged non-covalent index (aNCI) and (b) thermal fluctuation index (TFI) analyses for S50356 (ID: 16). The isosurface cutoff for NCI and TFI is 0.4 au, and the data is plotted in the color range $-0.05 < \text{sign}(\lambda_2)\rho < 0.05$ au.



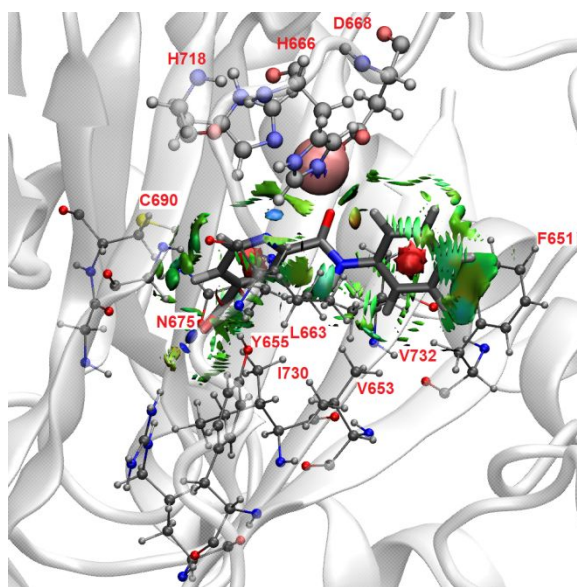
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18- cpd1ph

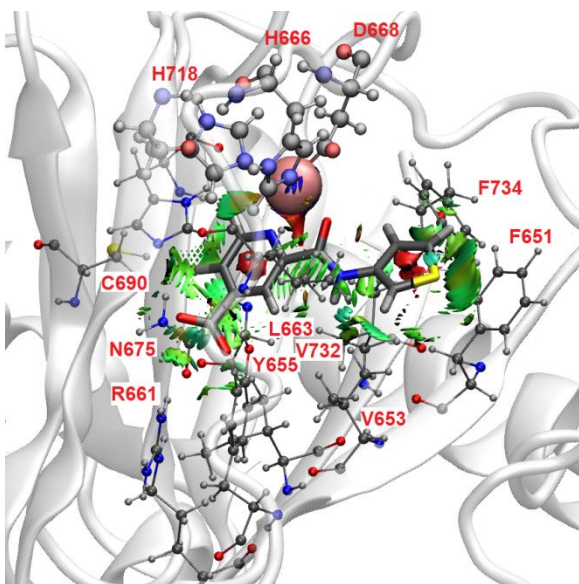


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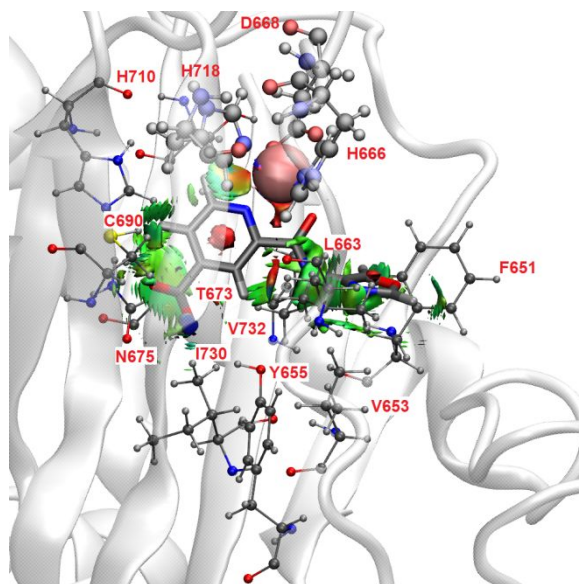


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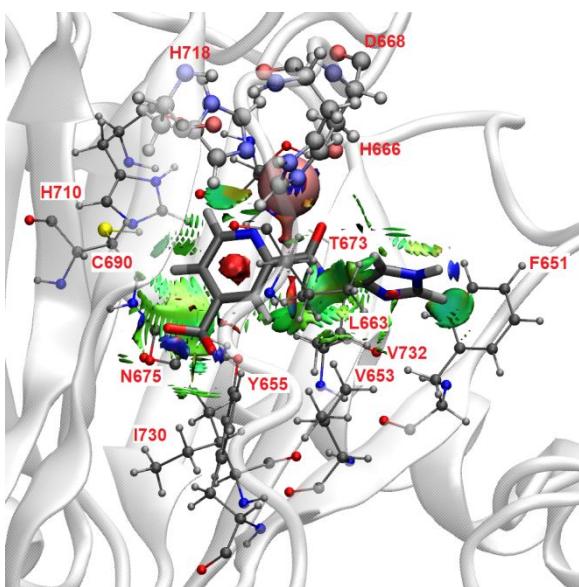
Figure S4. The non-covalent interactions (NCI) plot between the lead compounds of the second set and the amino acid residues. The isosurface cutoff is 0.4 au, and the data is plotted in the color range $-0.05 < \text{sign}(\lambda_2)\rho < 0.05$ au.



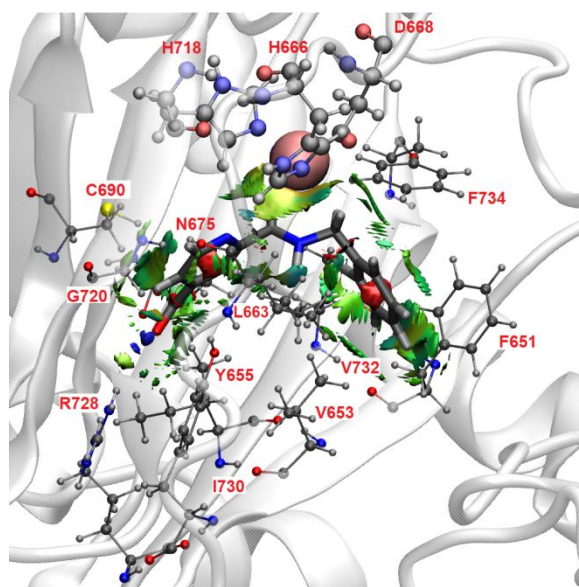
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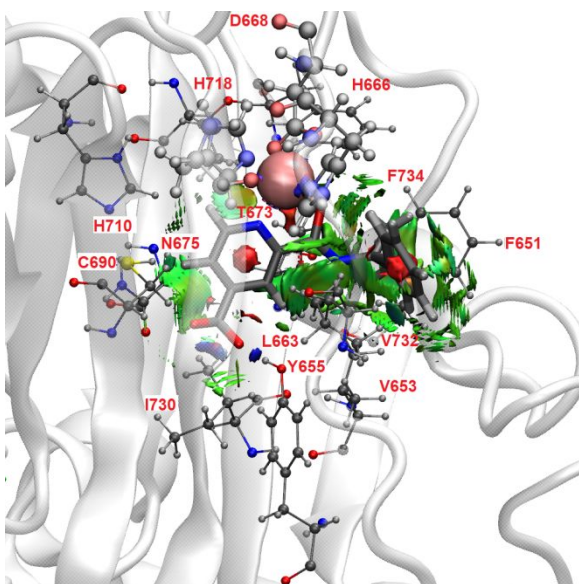


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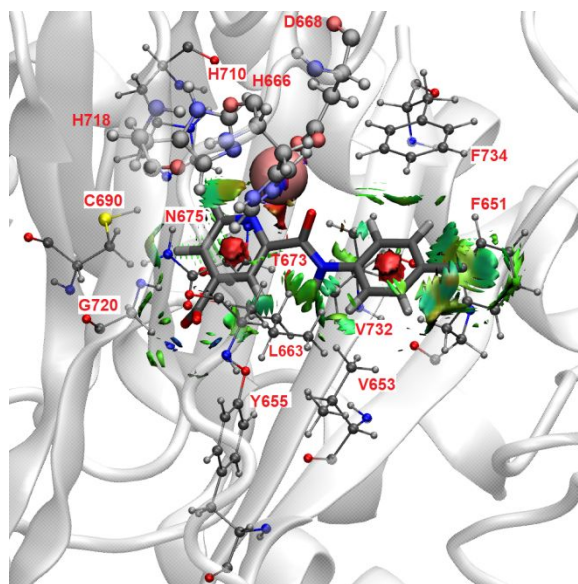


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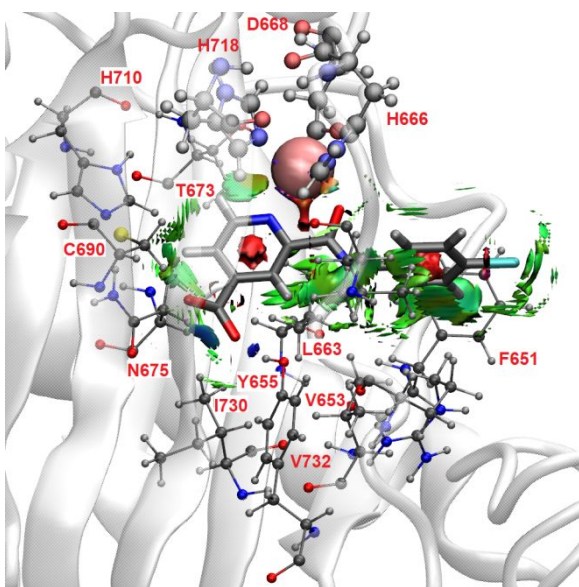
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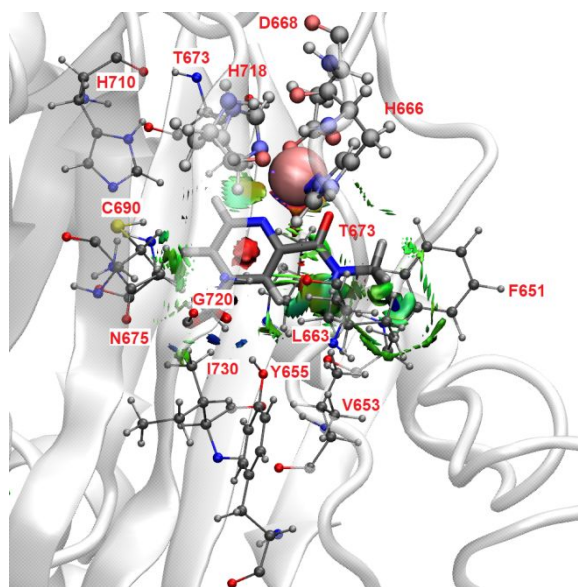
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26- cpd20

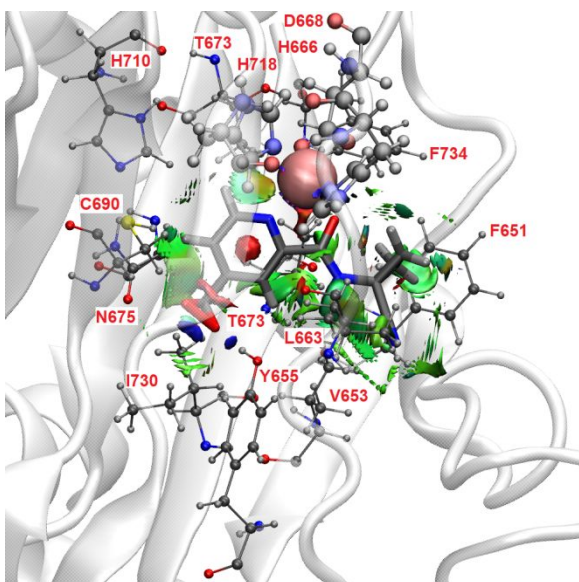


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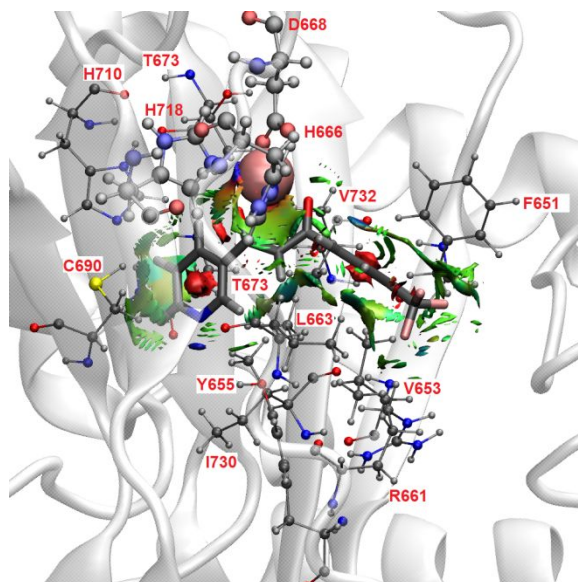


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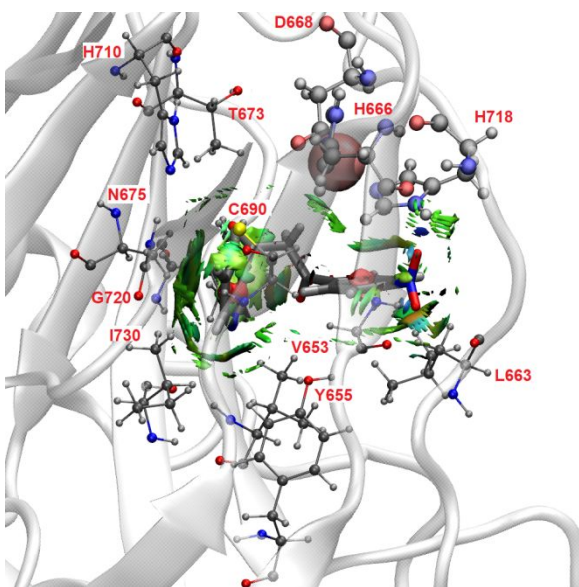
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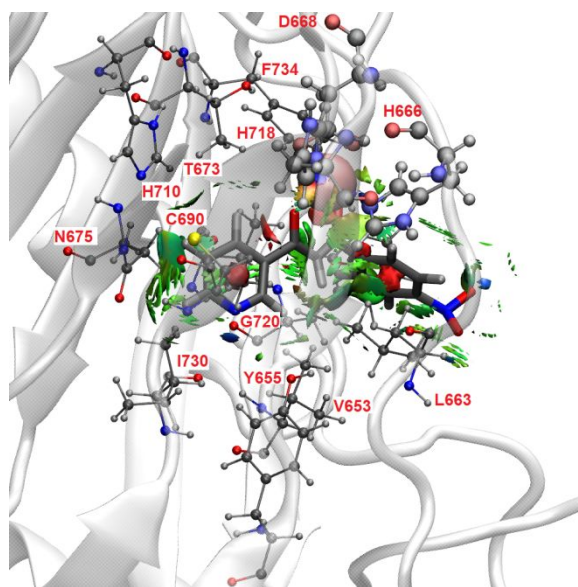
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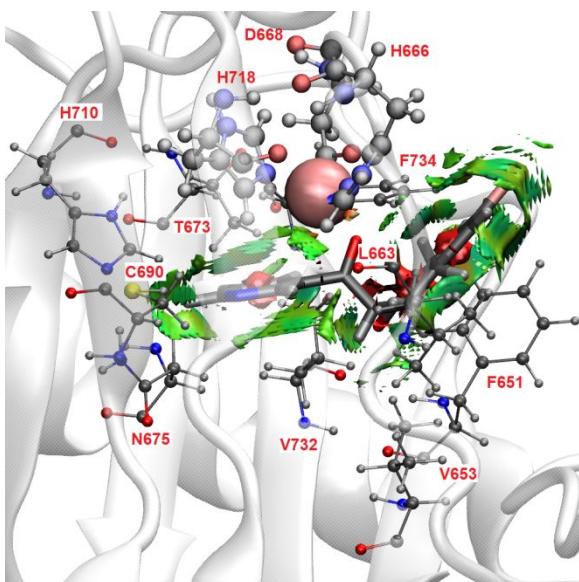


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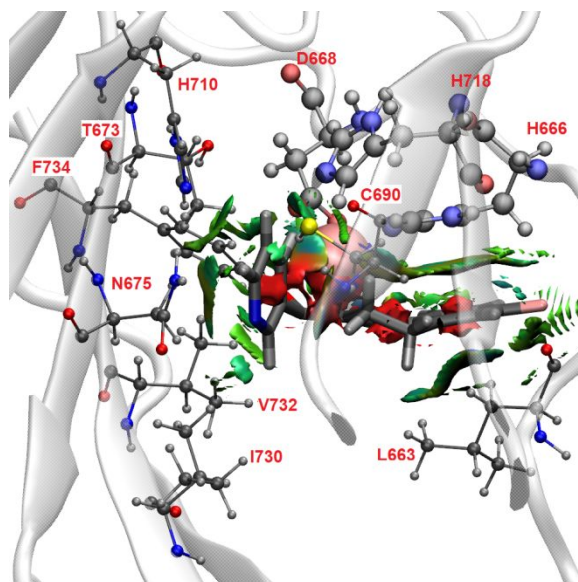


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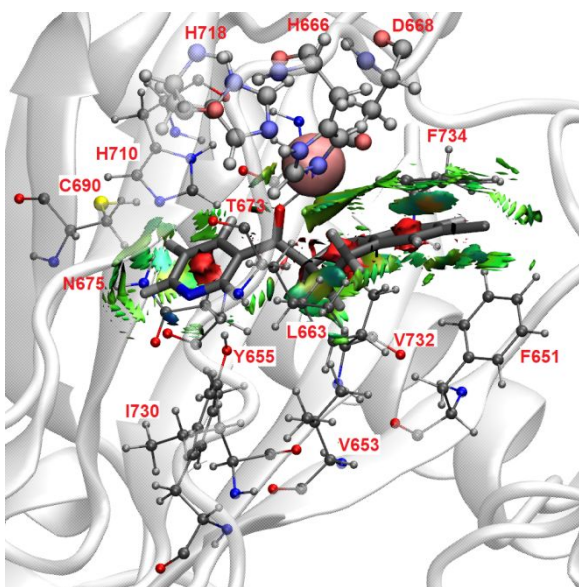
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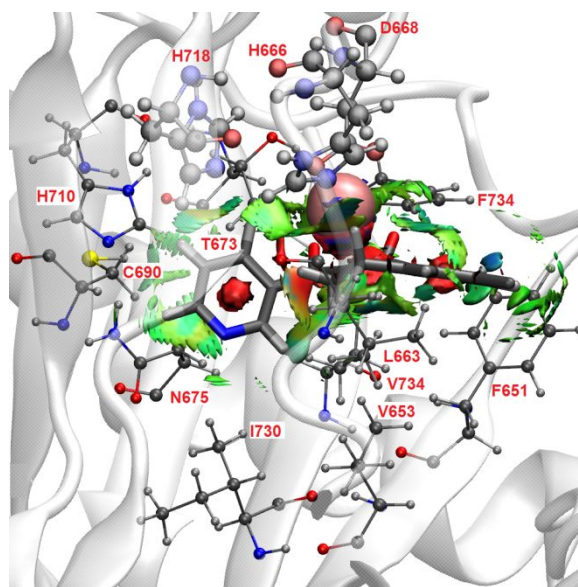
33- cpd26



34- cpd26p



35- cpd27

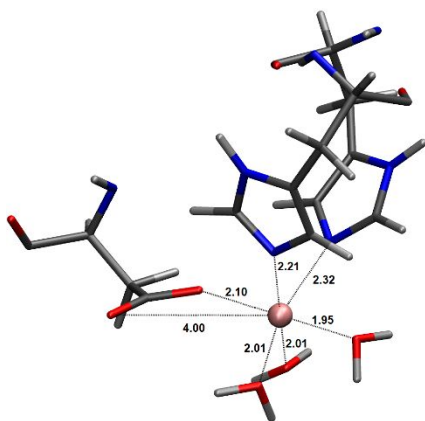


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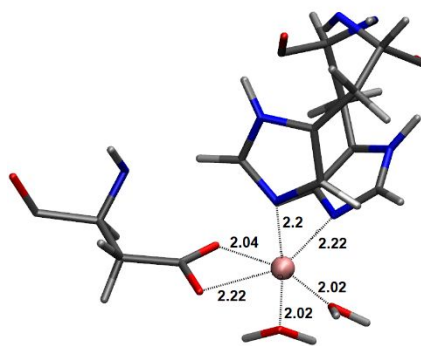
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Table S2. List of the amino acid residues showing non-covalent interactions (NCI) with each compound of the second series (ID: 17–36). “✓” means the residue has NCI with the ligand.

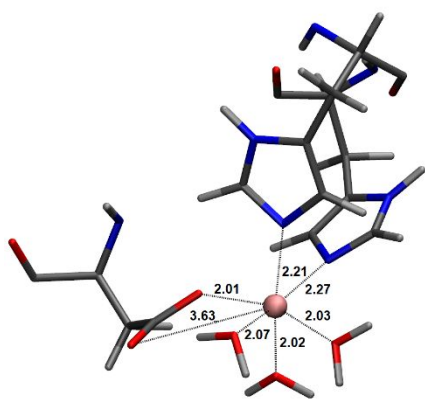
ID	Compound	Non-covalent interacting residues												
		F651	V653	Y655	R661	L663	T673	N675	C690	H710	G720	R728	I730	V732
17	cpd1ph	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓
18	cpd1php	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
19	cpd2ph	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
20	cpd14	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
21	cpd15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
22	cpd16	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
23	cpd17	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
24	cpd18	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
25	cpd19	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
26	cpd20	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
27	cpd21	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
28	cpd22	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
29	cpd23	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
30	cpd24p	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
31	cpd25		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
32	cpd25p	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
33	cpd26	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
34	cpd26p					✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
35	cpd27	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
36	cpd27p	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓



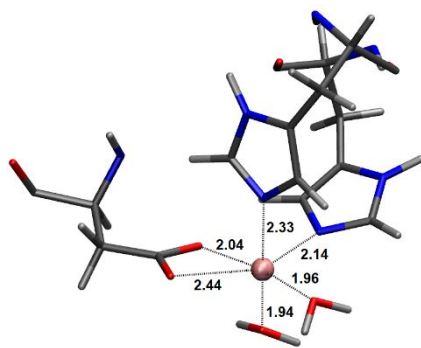
Cluster 1, Frame 100, Abundance 20%



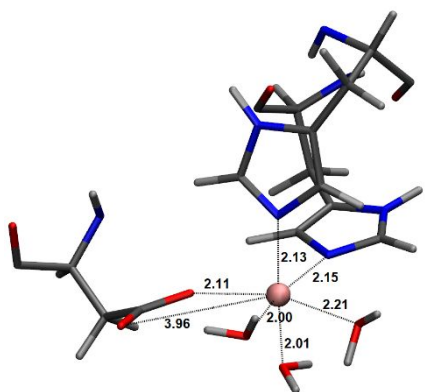
Cluster 2, Frame 8, Abundance 6%



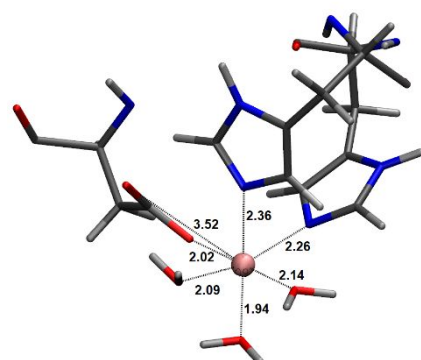
Cluster 3, Frame 91, Abundance 21%



Cluster 4, Frame 9, Abundance 18%



Cluster 5, Frame 93, Abundance 6%



Cluster 6, Frame 78, Abundance 29%

Figure S5. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of the apoenzyme. The MM region is not shown for more clarity.

Table S3. Involved residues in the calculated O₂-transporting tunnels for the apoenzyme. The “√” shows the presence of the residue in the tunnel of interest.

Residue	Selected representatives and the corresponding tunnels																
	8-t1 ¹	9-t1	78-t1	91-t1	93-t1	100-t1	8-t2	9-t2	78-t2	91-t2	93-t2	100-t2	8-t3	78-t3	91-t3	93-t3	100-t3
F651	√	√	√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√			
V653 ²	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
Y655	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
S656														√			
P657														√			
R659														√			√
Q660								√					√	√	√		√
R661							√	√		√	√		√	√	√		√
S662								√					√	√	√	√	√
L663	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
R664																√	
P665																√	
H666	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
D668	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
T673	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
I674	√	√					√	√	√				√				
N675	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
G688								√					√	√	√		√
G689								√		√			√	√	√		√
C690	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
K691								√						√			
F692	√						√						√				
H710	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
H718	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
E719	√	√	√		√	√	√	√	√				√	√	√	√	√
G720	√	√	√	√		√	√	√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
L721								√					√	√	√		√
P722								√					√	√	√		√
V723								√					√	√	√		√
R728													√	√	√		√
I730	√	√	√	√		√	√	√	√	√	√		√	√	√	√	√
V732	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
F734	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√

¹ 8-t1 means tunnel number 1 of representative number 8.

² Residues in bold text have a presence percentage of more than ~%85 in the calculated tunnels.

Table S4. Important statistics of the calculated O₂-transporting tunnels for the apoenzyme and holoenzyme with compounds of the third set.

Str.	Tunnel No.	O ₂ -transporting tunnels statistics					
		Tunnel Availability (%) ¹	Availability difference (%) ²	Average Bottleneck Radius (Å)	Average Tunnel Length (Å)	Priority ³	Cost ⁴
apo	tunnel_001	63%	–	1.93	2.29	0.92	0.08
	tunnel_002	51%	–	1.72	5.80	0.83	0.19
	tunnel_003	32%	–	0.94	10.16	0.52	0.66
c28a	tunnel_001	41%	35%	1.65	2.85	0.87	0.14
	tunnel_002	35%	31%	1.82	4.34	0.85	0.16
	tunnel_003	26%	19%	1.20	21.33	0.49	0.70
c28b	tunnel_001	39%	38%	2.21	2.44	0.93	0.07
	tunnel_002	37%	27%	1.44	15.13	0.70	0.35
	tunnel_003	29%	9%	1.19	19.81	0.51	0.68
c28c	tunnel_001	40%	36%	2.02	1.49	0.92	0.08
	tunnel_002	27%	47%	2.02	4.42	0.89	0.12
	tunnel_003	31%	3%	1.35	23.84	0.51	0.68
c28e	tunnel_001	31%	51%	2.42	4.69	0.90	0.10
	tunnel_002	30%	41%	1.43	18.82	0.61	0.49
	tunnel_003	19%	41%	1.02	22.39	0.50	0.70
c28f	tunnel_001	44%	30%	2.46	1.32	0.95	0.05
	tunnel_002	30%	41%	1.51	14.7	0.69	0.36
	tunnel_003	33%	3%	0.97	19.5	0.49	0.72
c2d	tunnel_001	46%	27%	2.20	2.42	0.94	0.07
	tunnel_002	29%	43%	1.81	4.29	0.89	0.11
	tunnel_003	20%	38%	1.42	15.62	0.64	0.44
c24	tunnel_001	39%	38%	2.52	2.33	0.94	0.07
	tunnel_002	27%	47%	0.95	15.13	0.53	0.63
	tunnel_003	20%	38%	0.98	17.57	0.49	0.71
c25	tunnel_001	40%	36%	2.55	2.48	0.94	0.07
	tunnel_002	24%	53%	1.54	15.54	0.65	0.43
	tunnel_003	22%	31%	1.22	19.46	0.59	0.53

¹ The availability percentage of each tunnel is calculated by considering the probability of the tunnel's existence in the corresponding representative and the population abundance of the representative.

² Availability difference percentage shows the difference between the availability of each tunnel in the apo- and the holoenzyme.

³ Cost of each tunnel is defined as the balance between the width and length of the tunnel (Å).

⁴ Priority of each tunnel is calculated by e^{-cost} . The tunnels with a cost of less than ~0.7 (wide and short) and a priority higher than ~0.5 were considered the threshold for selecting the tunnels.

Table S5. Procollagen-lysine,2-oxoglutarate 5-dioxygenase proteins from various organisms aligned with Human LH2 (O00469). The Clustal Omega program embedded in UniProtKB was used for the multiple sequence alignment between the modeled LH2 and the selected proteins.

No.	Entry	Gene names	Organism
1	Q02809	PLOD1	Homo sapiens (Human)
2	O00469*	PLOD2	Homo sapiens (Human)
3	O60568	PLOD3	Homo sapiens (Human)
4	A0A8D1JHC2	PLOD2	Sus scrofa (Pig)
5	A0A8D0JHE2	PLOD2	Sus scrofa (Pig)
6	A0A8D0ZY95	PLOD2	Sus scrofa (Pig)
7	A0A8D0VHD4	PLOD2	Sus scrofa (Pig)
8	A0A8D1KIW7	PLOD2	Sus scrofa (Pig)
9	A0A8D0VHY0	PLOD2	Sus scrofa (Pig)
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15	Q5U367	PLOD3	Rattus norvegicus (Rat)
16	Q9R0E2	PLOD1	Mus musculus (Mouse)
17	Q9R0B9	PLOD2	Mus musculus (Mouse)
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37	O77588	PLOD1	Bos taurus (Bovine)
39	P24802	PLOD1	Gallus gallus (Chicken)
40	A0A8B7RND4	PLOD3	Hipposideros armiger (Great Himalayan leaf-nosed bat)
41	A0A7M4F7B3	PLOD1	Crocodylus porosus (Saltwater crocodile) (Estuarine crocodile)
42	A0A8C0X5Z8	PLOD3	Castor canadensis (American beaver)

* Entries in bold are used for the sequence alignment in Figure 4C of the paper. The result of the alignments for all the entries is provided in Figure Table S6.

Table S6. Sequence alignment of fifteen members of the LH family (forty-two LH enzymes in total) from the corresponded PLOD genes. Key: “*” indicates residues conserved in all the sequences, while “.” and “.” indicate highly and weakly conserved residues. The complete list of the LH2 proteins from various genes (PLOD1, PLOD2, and PLOD3) of the studied organisms and the sequence alignment are provided in Table 5 and Figure 10.

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Table S7. Statistics of the geometry in the active site around Fe ion during the 5ns MD simulation.

ID	Compound	Fe–H666(N) ¹	Fe–D668(O) ²	Fe–D668(O=C) ^{1,2}	Fe–H718(N) ¹
37	c28a	2.26±0.09	2.08±0.07	3.32±0.14	2.30±0.13
38	c28b	2.27±0.09	2.09±0.08	3.41±0.17	2.27±0.09
39	c28c	2.26±0.09	2.15±0.09	2.23±0.12	2.27±0.12
40	c28e	2.26±0.10	2.08±0.09	3.36±0.16	2.25±0.09
41	c28f	2.24±0.09	2.07±0.09	3.39±0.17	2.24±0.08
42	c2d	2.27±0.09	2.07±0.09	3.45±0.17	2.27±0.09
43	c24	2.26±0.09	2.08±0.10	3.73±0.23	2.28±0.08
44	c25	2.26±0.10	2.11±0.10	3.36±0.16	2.25±0.10

¹ The distance (Å) between Fe and interacting atoms from the binding pocket. The specific atoms and their interactions can be found in Scheme 1B.

² O=C means the O of carbonyl from D668, which is illustrated in Scheme 1B-(III).

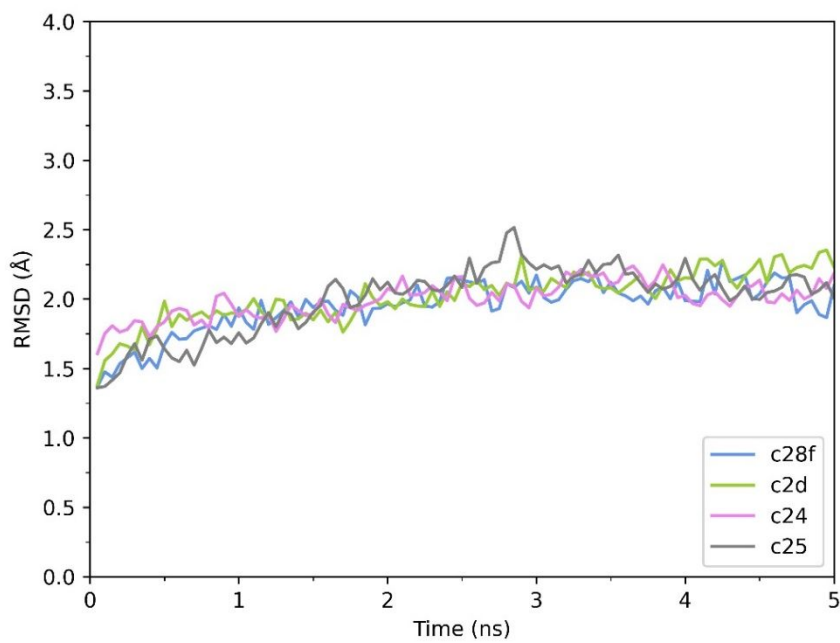
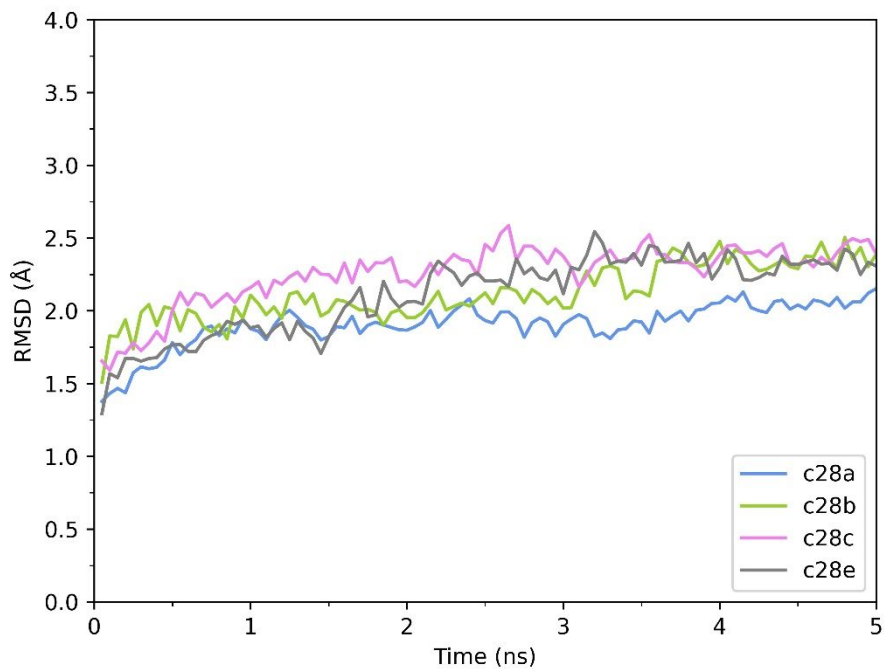
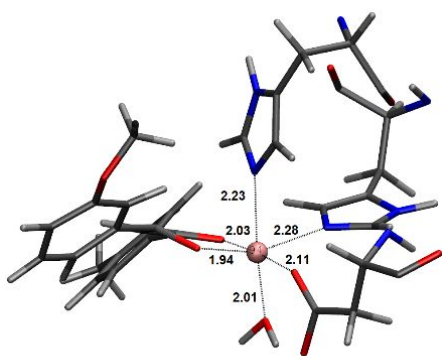


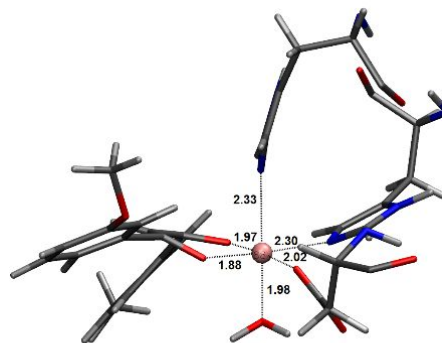
Figure S6. RMSD of F638~I734 component (core part with Fe ion) of LH2 bound to the third set of lead compounds during the MD simulation by AMOEBA force field

Table S8. The results of the *k*-means clustering analysis and relative QM/MM optimization energies (eV) for each representative of the third series of the lead compounds.

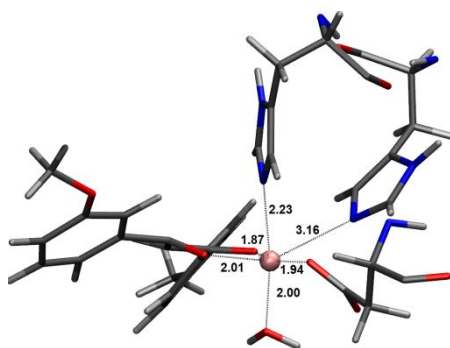
Ligand	Cluster No.	Representative No.	Representative abundance (%)	Relative opt. energy (eV)
c28a	1	9	22	176
	2	27	2	113
	3	28	17	0
	4	29	18	46
	5	55	23	116
	6	57	18	196
c28b	1	14	15	241
	2	19	25	169
	3	54	21	0
	4	76	15	87
	5	95	12	52
	6	96	12	44
c28c	1	12	11	28
	2	14	20	79
	3	73	21	129
	4	76	20	0
	5	85	10	29
	6	87	18	264
c28e	1	2	6	233
	2	36	15	33
	3	57	18	240
	4	71	18	317
	5	72	22	316
	6	78	21	0
c28f	1	9	17	0
	2	66	15	24
	3	68	21	11
	4	71	20	158
	5	73	9	41
	6	84	18	120
c2d	1	5	29	0
	2	28	22	84
	3	34	16	24
	4	43	10	42
	5	44	13	134
	6	81	10	117
c24	1	23	20	45
	2	25	8	22
	3	26	24	0
	4	29	18	99
	5	61	10	60
	6	81	20	104
c25	1	39	16	314
	2	51	32	0
	3	72	10	170
	4	80	12	69
	5	83	15	274
	6	86	15	101



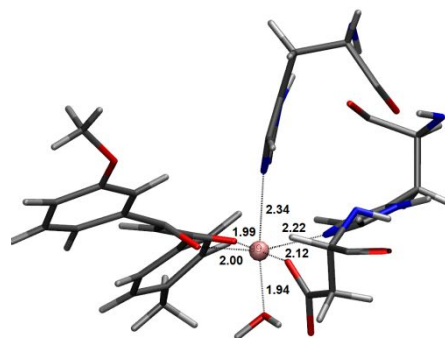
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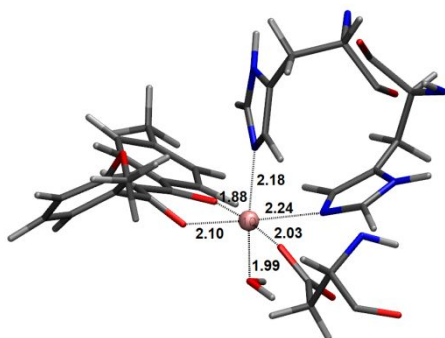
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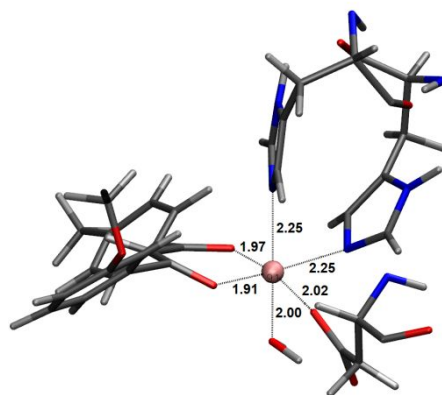
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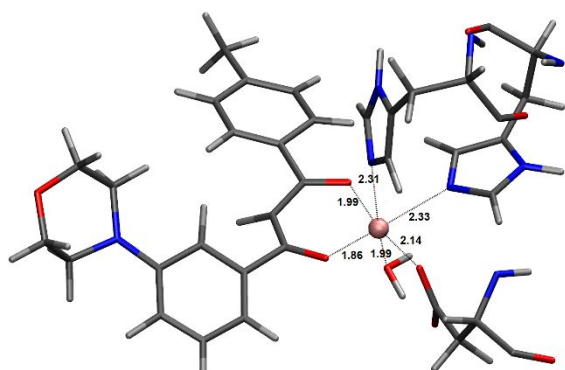


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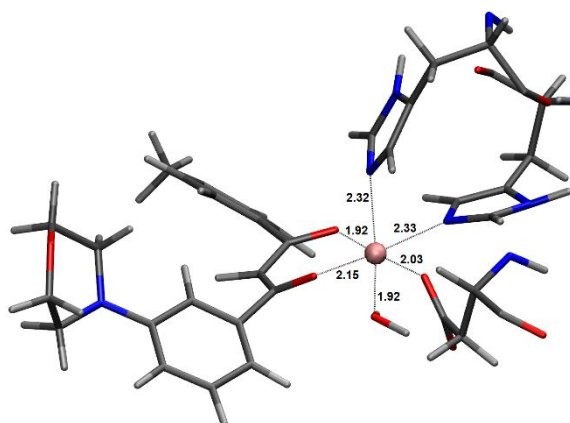


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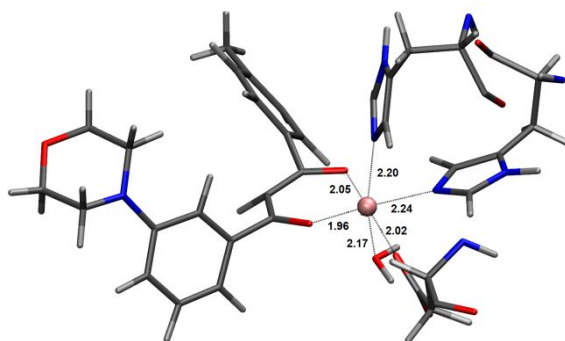
Figure S7. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of c28a. The distances between the iron and H666, D668, H718, ligand, and water molecule are given in each figure. The MM region is not shown for more clarity. Detailed results are given in Table S7.



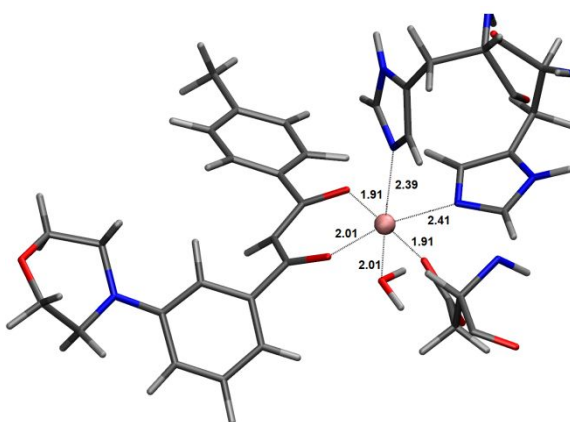
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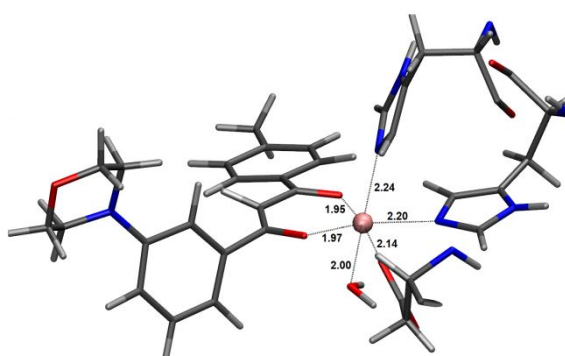
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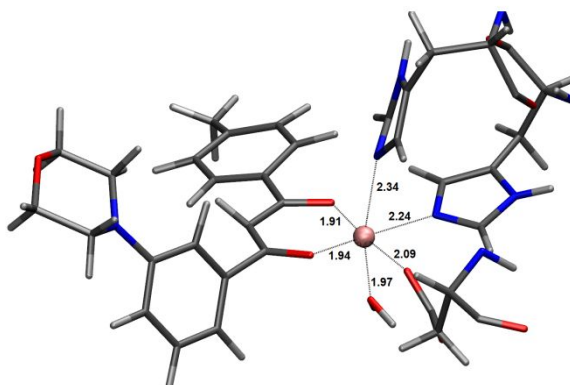
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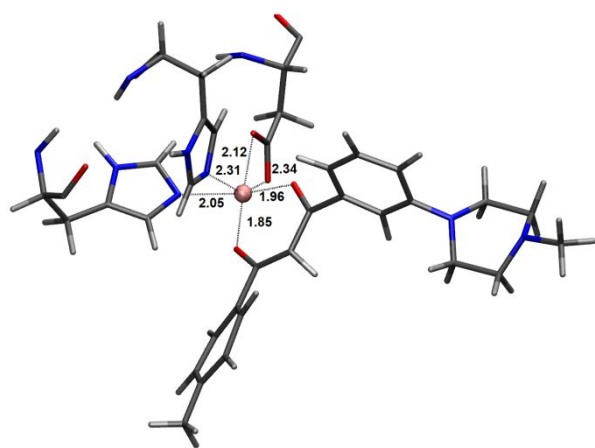


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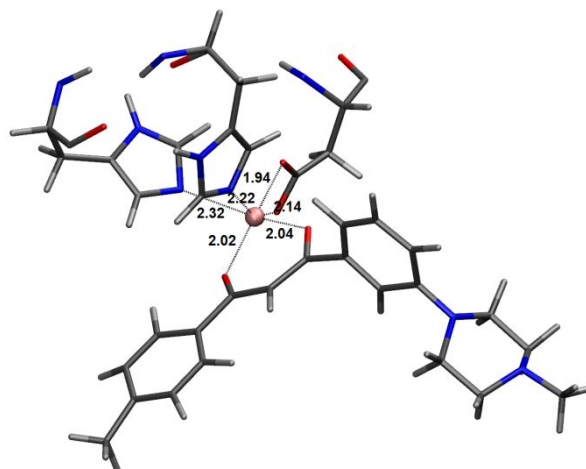


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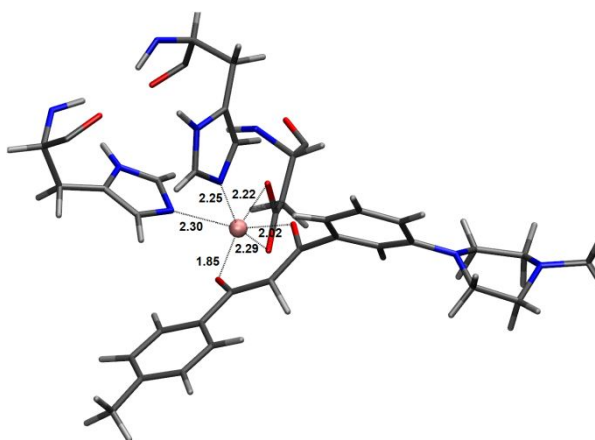
Figure S8. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of c28b. The distances between the iron and H666, D668, H718, ligand, and water molecule are given in each figure. The MM region is not shown for more clarity. Detailed results are given in Table S7.



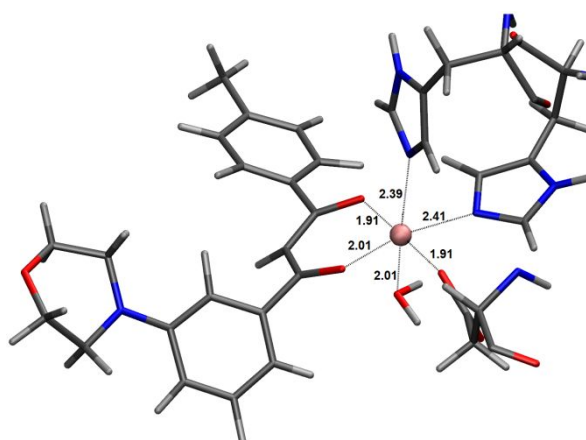
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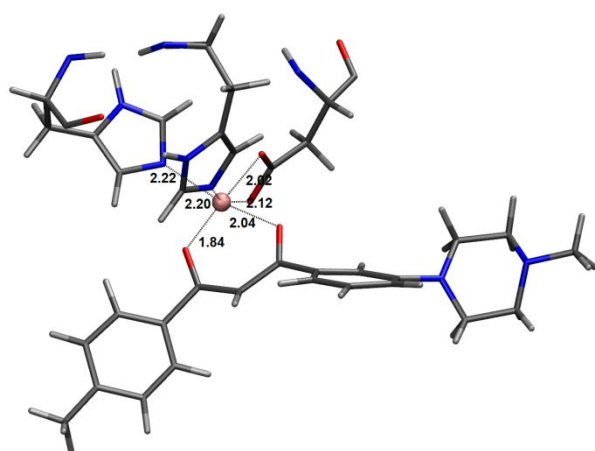
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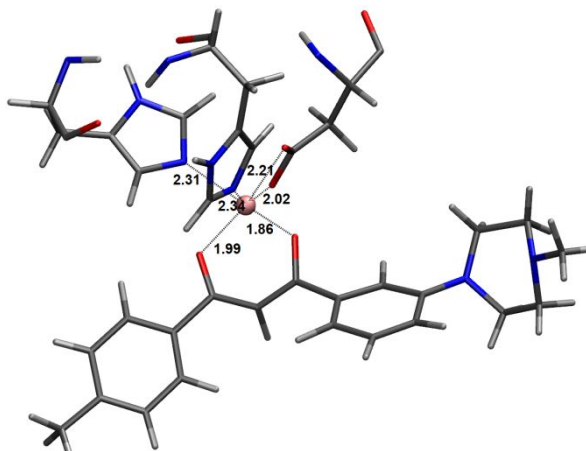
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Figure S9. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of c28c. The distances between the iron and H666, D668, H718, ligand, and water molecule are given in each figure. The MM region is not shown for more clarity. Detailed results are given in Table S7.

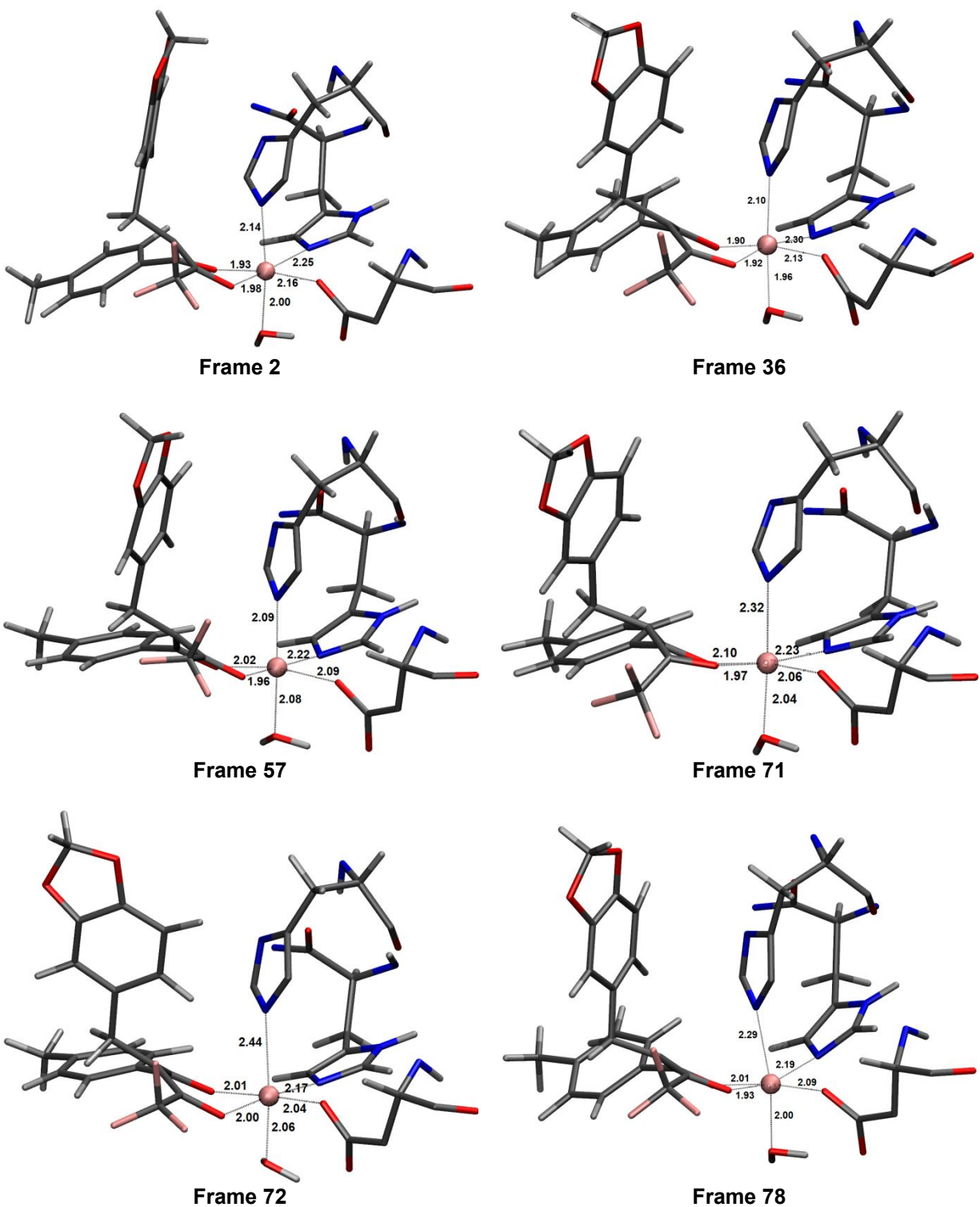


Figure S10. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of c28e. The distances between the iron and H666, D668, H718, ligand, and water molecule are given in each figure. The MM region is not shown for more clarity. Detailed results are given in Table S7.

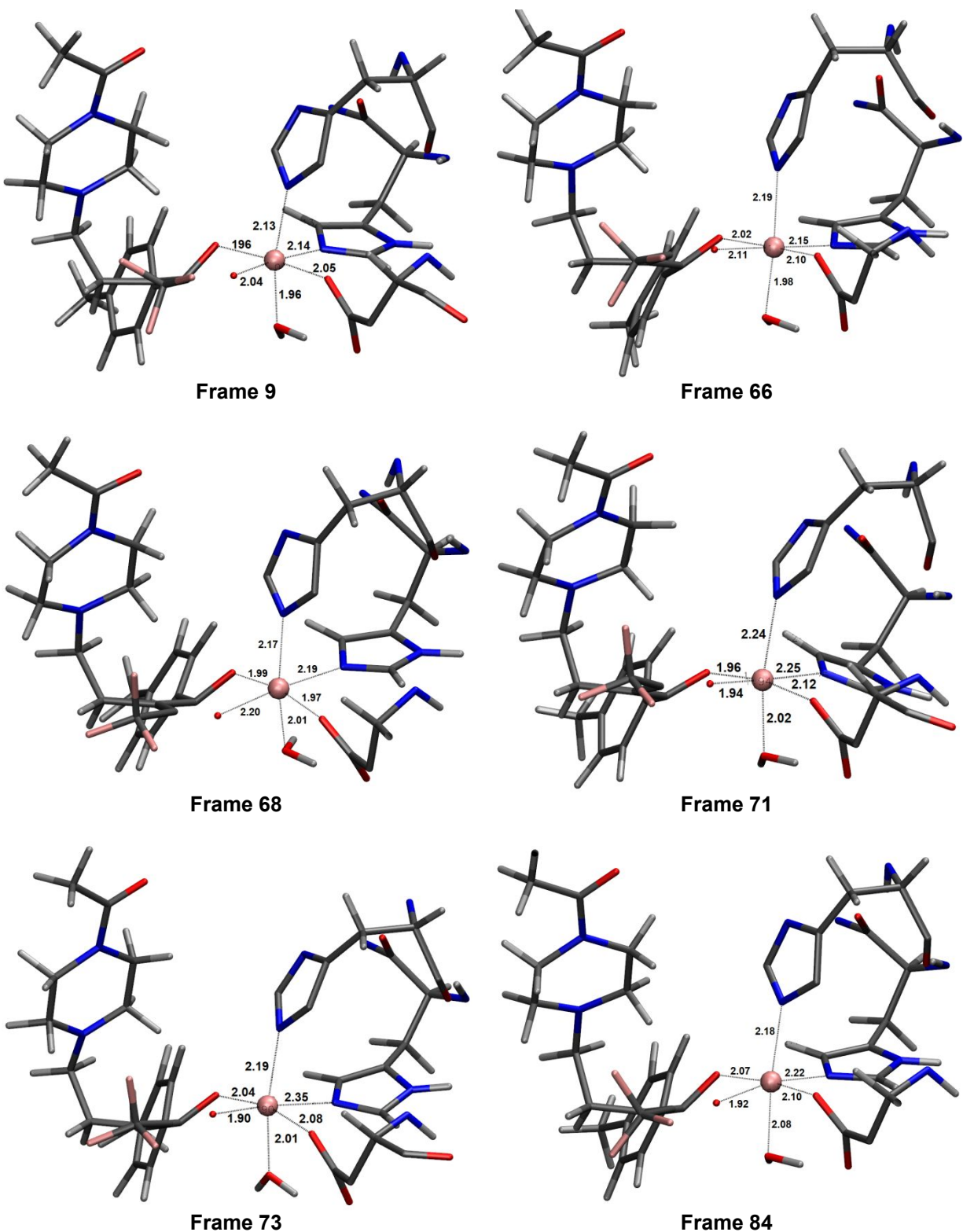


Figure S11. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of c28f. The distances between the iron and H666, D668, H718, ligand, and water molecule are given in each figure. The MM region is not shown for more clarity. Detailed results are given in Table S7.

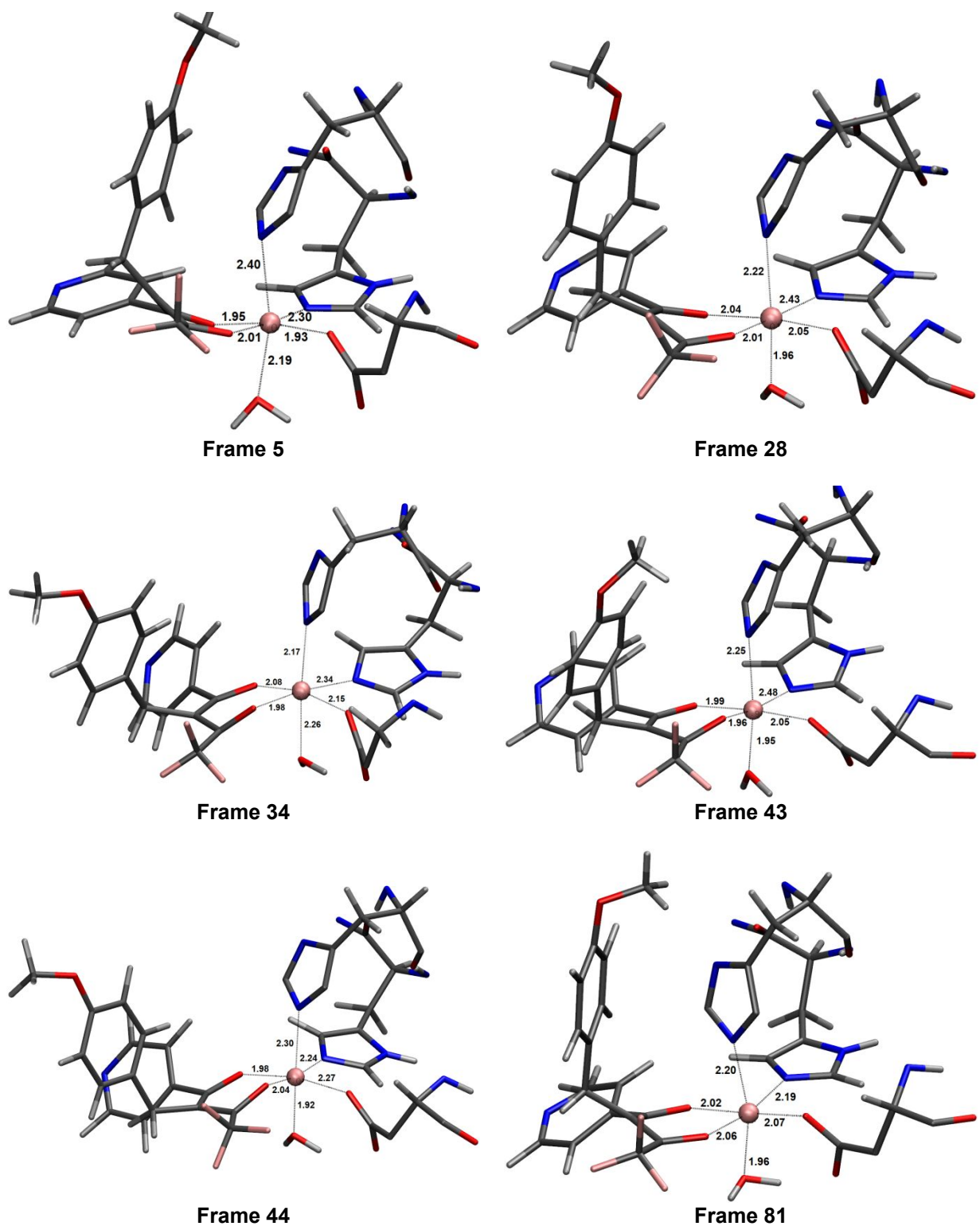
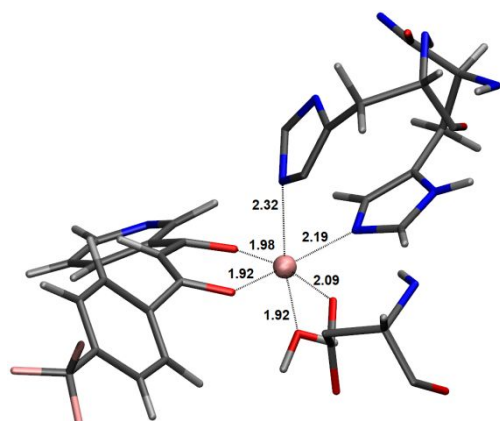
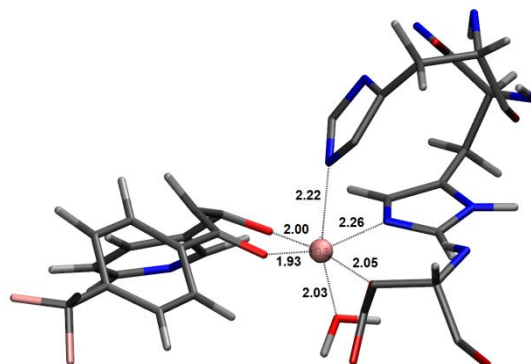


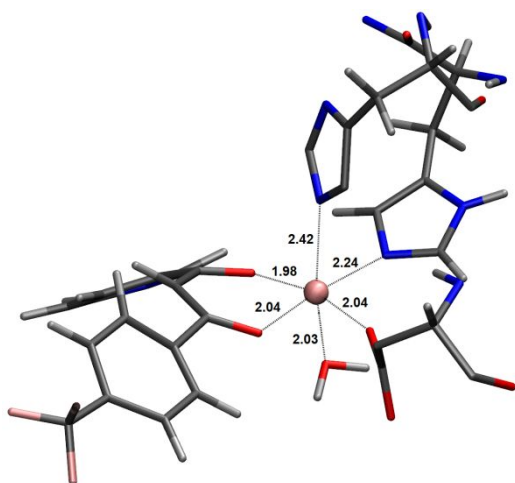
Figure S12. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of c2d. The distances between the iron and H666, D668, H718, ligand, and water molecule are given in each figure. The MM region is not shown for more clarity. Detailed results are given in Table S7.



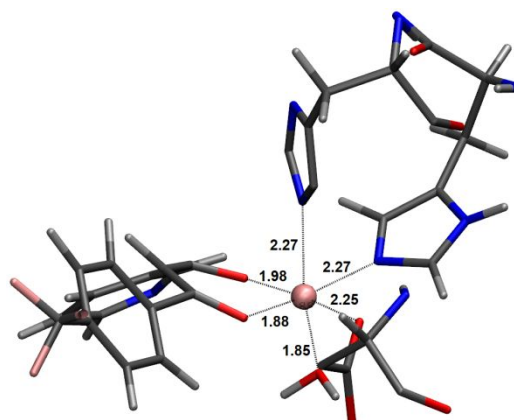
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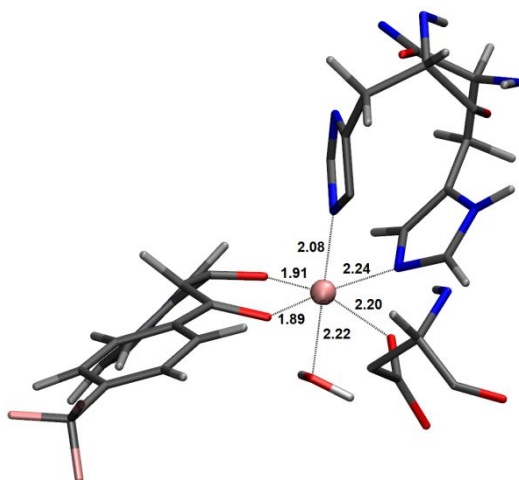
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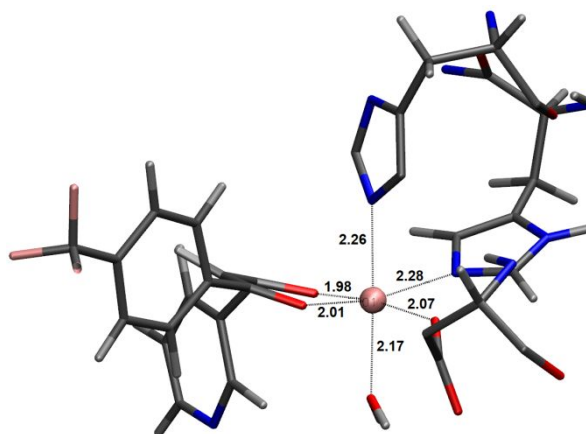
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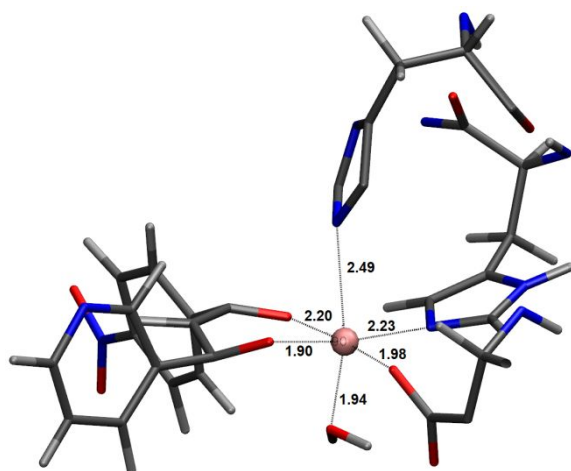


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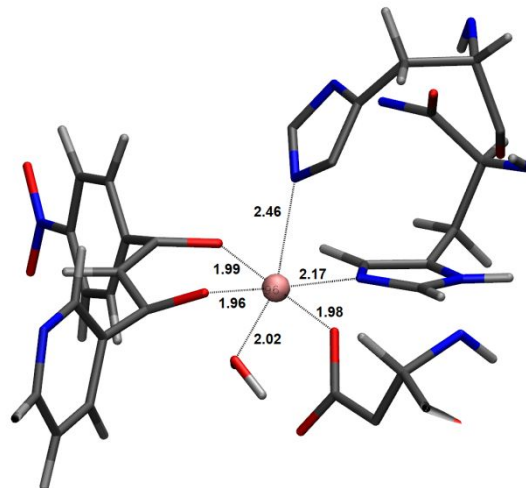


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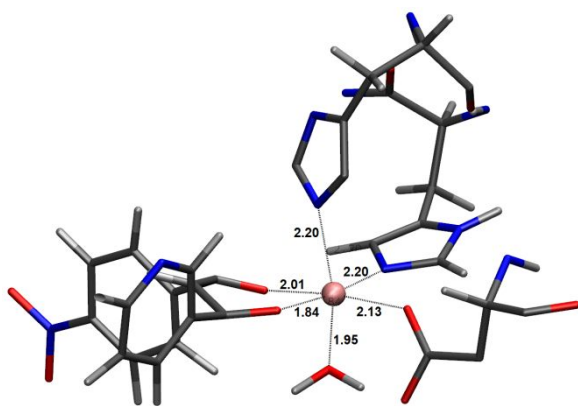
Figure S13. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of c24. The distances between the iron and H666, D668, H718, ligand, and water molecule are given in each figure. The MM region is not shown for more clarity. Detailed results are given in Table S7.



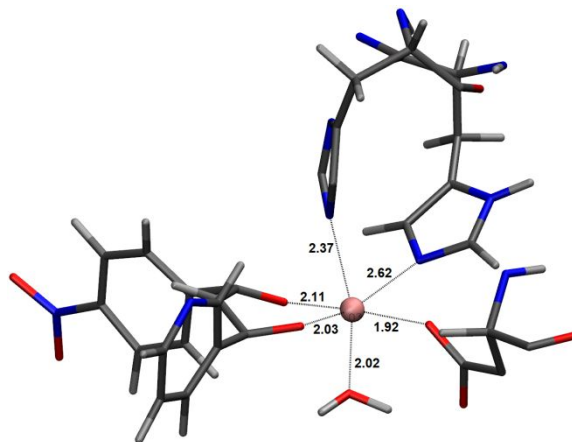
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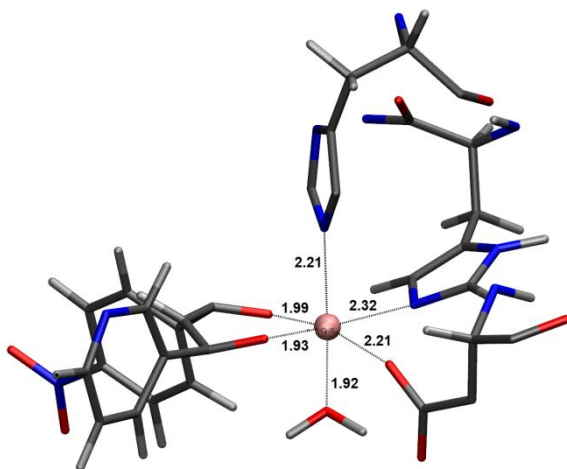
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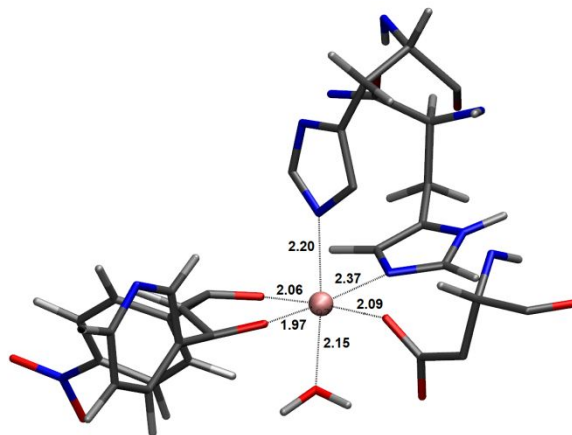
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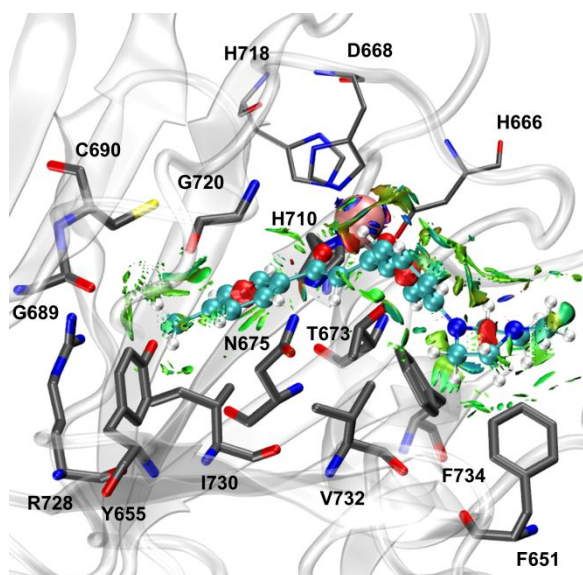
Figure S14. Close-up showing the distances between Fe(II) and residues of the active site in each representative structure of c25. The distances between the iron and H666, D668, H718, ligand, and water molecule are given in each figure. The MM region is not shown for more clarity. Detailed results are given in Table S7.

Table S9. Residues involved in the calculated O₂-transporting tunnels for the apoenzyme and the holoenzyme with compounds of the third set.

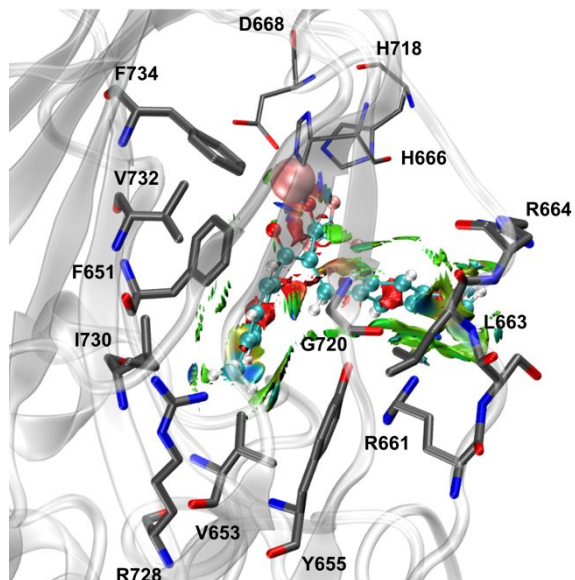
Residue	Structure (Total number of tunnels in all the Reprs. for each structure)									Presence of Res. in all Tunnels (168)	Presence of Res. (%)	Cons. score by T- coffee
	apo (25)	c28a (16)	c28b (18)	c28c (15)	c28e (17)	c28f (18)	c2d (24)	c24 (18)	c25 (17)			
F651	18	14	1	15	12	15	8	11	17	111	66.1	*
V653*	24	16	11	15	17	17	20	10	17	147	87.5	*
Y655	25	13	18	11	17	17	24	14	17	156	92.9	*
S656**	6	4	4	2	2	3	5	2	1	29	17.3	
P657	4	1	3	0	2	3	5	2	1	21	12.5	*
R659	8	4	3	1	2	3	5	3	1	30	17.9	.
Q660	11	2	4	1	2	3	6	3	1	33	19.6	*
<i>R661</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>37.5</i>	,
S662	12	4	5	0	4	1	7	3	1	37	22.0	*
L663	25	14	18	13	17	9	24	12	11	142	85.1	*
<i>R664</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>10.1</i>	
H666	25	16	18	15	17	18	24	18	17	168	100	*
H667	2	3	0	5	4	9	7	3	5	38	22.6	*
D668	25	16	18	15	17	18	24	18	17	168	100	*
T673	25	14	18	15	17	18	24	18	17	166	98.8	*
I674	7	4	18	9	11	11	24	7	1	92	54.8	:
N675	25	14	18	15	17	16	24	13	17	159	94.6	*
I676	0	1	0	3	4	0	3	0	1	12	7.14	:
A677	0	1	3	3	5	1	5	2	5	25	14.9	*
<i>V681</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>10.7</i>	
F685	0	2	3	3	4	0	4	4	5	25	14.9	:
G687	0	2	1	0	6	1	10	5	4	29	17.3	*
G688	10	2	8	1	9	7	14	8	9	68	40.5	*
G689	12	8	13	6	9	9	16	9	10	92	54.8	*
C690	25	14	18	9	17	13	24	17	17	154	91.7	*
K691	4	5	8	2	9	3	6	4	5	46	27.4	:
F692	5	1	9	1	7	6	6	7	6	48	28.6	*
I699	2	1	5	0	0	1	7	5	5	26	15.5	:
<i>E700</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>17.3</i>	
S701	0	1	3	3	5	1	7	3	5	28	16.7	:
P702	0	2	3	3	6	1	7	4	5	31	18.4	*
F708	0	2	4	3	6	5	10	4	6	40	23.8	:
H710	25	14	18	15	17	15	24	18	16	162	96.4	*
H718	25	16	18	15	17	18	24	18	17	168	100	*
E719	17	15	15	13	14	12	20	16	13	135	80.4	*
G720	21	15	15	13	13	14	21	13	14	139	82.7	*
L721	10	8	10	7	9	7	11	7	8	77	45.8	*
P722	10	2	6	0	4	5	6	4	4	41	24.4	*
<i>V723</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>25.0</i>	
<i>K724</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>6.5</i>	
R728	10	3	12	6	9	8	23	10	9	90	53.6	*
I730	15	14	18	13	17	16	23	13	17	146	86.9	*
V732	25	16	18	15	17	18	24	18	17	168	100	*
F734	25	14	10	15	15	18	19	18	3	137	81.5	*

* Residues in bold text have the presence percentage of more than %80 in the calculated tunnels and all of them are completely conserved in the studied organisms.

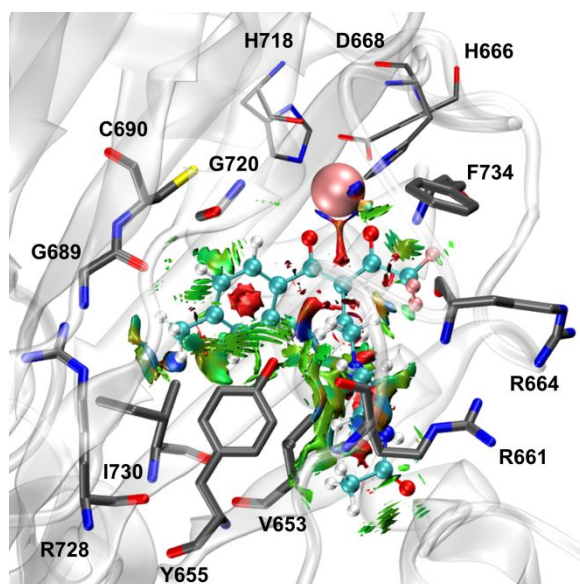
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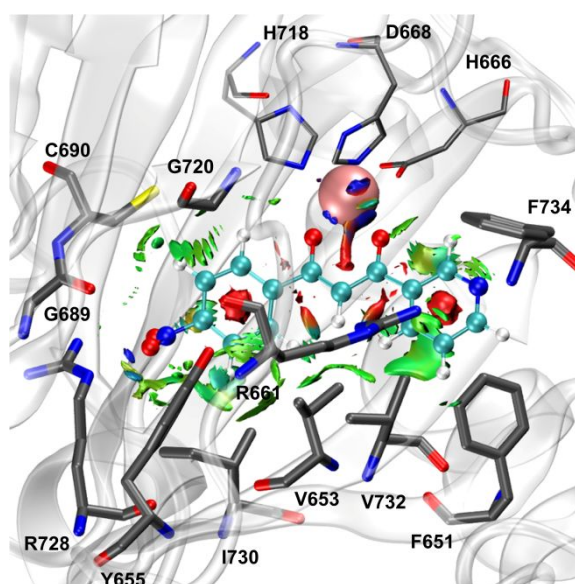
39- c28c



40- c28e



41- c28f



44- c25

Figure S15. Averaged non-covalent interactions (aNCI) between compounds of the third set and their surrounding residues. The isosurface cutoff is 0.35 au, and the data is plotted in the color range $-0.05 < \text{sign}(\lambda_2)\rho < 0.05$ au. Residues H666, D668, and H718 are shown in thin sticks, ligand atoms are in ball-and-sticks (with different color code), Fe^{2+} is in pink vdW sphere, and the surrounding residues with the non-covalent interactions are in thick sticks. Hydrogen atoms are not shown for more clarity.

Table S10. Amino acid residues showing averaged non-covalent interactions (aNCI) with each compound of third set (ID: 37–44). “√” means the residue has NCI with the ligand.

Ligand	Non-covalent interacting residues																
	F651	V653	Y655	R661	L663	R664	T673	N675	G689	C690	H710	E719	G720	R728	I730	V732	F734
c28a	√	√	√		√			√	√	√			√	√	√	√	√
c28b	√		√	√	√		√	√	√	√		√	√	√	√	√	√
c28c	√		√				√	√	√		√		√	√	√	√	√
c28e	√	√	√	√	√	√							√	√	√	√	√
c28f		√	√	√		√			√	√			√	√	√	√	√
c2d	√	√		√	√	√	√						√	√	√		√
c24	√	√	√	√					√	√			√	√	√	√	√
c25	√	√	√		√			√		√			√	√		√	√

Table S13. Residues involved in all the possible O₂-transporting tunnels for the LH2-c28b. The “√” shows the presence of the residue in the tunnel of interest.

c28-b	F196	V194	I192	R190	K186	V185	P184	L183	G182	E181	H180	H172	F170	P164	S163	E162	I161	F154	K153	C152	G151	G150	G149	F147	A139	N137	I136	T135	D130	H129	H128	P127	R126	L125	S124	R123	Q122	R121	P119	S118	Y117	V115	F113	W29	P23						
14-t1	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√						
19-t1	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√					
54-t1	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√					
76-t1	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√					
95-t1	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√					
96-t1	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√				
14-t2	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√				
19-t2	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√				
54-t2	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√			
76-t2	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√			
95-t2	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√			
96-t2	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√		
14-t3	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√		
19-t3	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	
54-t3	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	
76-t3	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	
95-t3	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	
96-t3	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√

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Table S14. Residues involved in all the possible O₂-transporting tunnels for the LH2–c28c. The “√” shows the presence of the residue in the tunnel of interest.

c28-c	W29	S52	D71	D72	F113	V114	V115	K116	Y117	S118	R121	Q122	R123	L125	H128	H129	D130	T135	I136	N137	I138	A139	V143	F147	G150	G151	C152	K153	F154	E162	S163	P164	F170	H172	H180	E181	G182	L183	R190	I192	V194	F196				
12-t1					√		√		√						√	√	√	√	√	√	√						√								√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√	
14-t1					√		√								√	√	√	√	√	√	√															√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
73-t1					√		√			√					√	√	√	√	√	√	√							√								√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
76-t1					√		√			√					√	√	√	√	√	√	√															√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
85-t1				√			√			√					√	√	√	√	√	√	√															√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
87-t1					√		√			√					√	√	√	√	√	√	√															√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
12-t2					√		√								√	√	√	√	√	√	√															√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
73-t2	√				√		√								√	√	√	√	√	√	√		√		√										√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√	
76-t2					√		√			√					√	√	√	√	√	√	√							√								√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
85-t2					√		√			√				√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√						√									√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
87-t2				√	√		√			√				√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√															√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
12-t3					√		√	√	√	√				√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√							√								√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
76-t3	√				√		√			√					√	√	√	√	√	√	√		√		√										√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√	
85-t3		√		√	√		√			√			√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√						√									√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√
87-t3					√		√			√				√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√															√	√	√	√	√			√	√	√	√

Key to get the correct residue numbers of the Human LH2 enzyme: (Residue Number in table) + 538 = correct number. *Example: H128 + 538 = H666*

Table S15. Residues involved in all the possible O₂-transporting tunnels for the LH2-c28e. The “√” shows the presence of the residue in the tunnel of interest.

c28-e	P23	W29	F113	V114	V115	K116	Y117	S118	P119	R121	Q122	R123	S124	L125	R126	H128	H129	D130	T135	I136	N137	I138	A139	V143	F147	Q148	G149	G150	G151	C152	K153	F154	I161	E162	S163	P164	F170	H172	H180	E181	G182	L183	P184	V185	R190	I192	V194	F196																													
2-t1			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√							√																	√	√	√	√	√	√																										
36-t1			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√								√																			√	√	√	√	√	√																							
57-t1																√		√	√	√	√	√																													√	√	√	√	√	√																					
71-t1			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																														√	√	√	√	√	√																				
72-t1			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																															√	√	√	√	√	√																			
78-t1			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																															√	√	√	√	√	√																			
2-t2	√	√			√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																														√	√	√	√	√	√																				
36-t2			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																																√	√	√	√	√	√																		
57-t2																																																								√	√	√	√	√	√																
71-t2			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																																		√	√	√	√	√	√																
72-t2			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																																			√	√	√	√	√	√															
78-t2																																																										√	√	√	√	√	√														
2-t3			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																																			√	√	√	√	√	√															
57-t3																																																											√	√	√	√	√	√													
71-t3																																																															√	√	√	√	√	√									
72-t3			√		√		√							√		√	√	√	√	√	√	√																																								√	√	√	√	√	√										
78-t3																																																																								√	√	√	√	√	√

Key to get the correct residue numbers of the Human LH2 enzyme: (Residue Number in table) + 538 = correct number. *Example: H128 + 538 = H666*

Table S16. Residues involved in all the possible O₂-transporting tunnels for the LH2–c28f. The “√” shows the presence of the residue in the tunnel of interest.

28-f	P23	W29	F113	V114	V115	K116	Y117	S118	P119	R121	Q122	R123	S124	L125	H128	H129	D130	T135	I136	N137	A139	G149	G150	G151	C152	K153	F154	I161	E162	S163	P164	F170	H172	H180	E181	G182	L183	P184	V185	K186	R190	I192	V194	F196																	
9-t1			√				√					√			√	√	√	√	√	√					√									√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√												
66-t1			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√										√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√											
68-t1			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√											√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√										
71-t1			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√											√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√									
73-t1			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√											√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√									
84-t1			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√											√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√								
9-t2			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√										√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√								
66-t2			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√											√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√							
68-t2			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√												√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√						
71-t2			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√												√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√						
73-t2			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√												√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√					
84-t2			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√												√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√				
9-t3			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√											√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√					
66-t3	√		√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√											√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√				
68-t3			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√												√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√			
71-t3			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√												√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√			
73-t3			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√												√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√		
84-t3			√				√								√	√	√	√	√	√					√												√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√

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Table S18. Residues involved in all the possible O₂-transporting tunnels for the LH2-c24. The “√” shows the presence of the residue in the tunnel of interest.

c24	P23	F11	V11	V11	K11	Y11	S11	P11	R12	O12	R12	S12	L12	R12	P12	H12	H12	D13	T13	L13	N13	A13	V14	E14	O14	G14	G15	G15	C15	K15	F15	I16	E16	S16	P16	F17	H17	H18	E18	G18	L18	P18	V18	K18	R19	I19	V19	F19													
23-t1																√	√		√	√	√																													√	√	√	√								
25-t1							√										√	√	√	√	√									√																							√	√	√	√					
26-t1																		√	√	√	√																																		√	√	√	√			
29-t1			√			√									√		√	√	√	√	√									√																								√	√	√	√				
61-t1			√				√									√			√	√	√									√																								√	√	√	√				
81-t1			√			√										√			√	√	√									√																									√	√	√	√			
23-t2			√			√											√	√	√	√	√										√																								√	√	√	√			
25-t2			√														√	√	√	√	√										√																									√	√	√	√		
26-t2																		√	√	√	√																																				√	√	√	√	
29-t2						√											√	√	√	√	√										√																									√	√	√	√		
61-t2			√			√											√	√	√	√	√										√																										√	√	√	√	
81-t2			√			√											√	√	√	√	√										√																										√	√	√	√	
23-t3			√			√											√	√	√	√	√										√																										√	√	√	√	
25-t3			√			√											√	√	√	√	√										√																											√	√	√	√
26-t3		√																√	√	√	√																																					√	√	√	√
29-t3						√											√	√	√	√	√										√																											√	√	√	√
61-t3			√			√											√	√	√	√	√										√																											√	√	√	√
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Table S19. Residues involved in all the possible O₂-transporting tunnels for the LH2-c25. The “√” shows the presence of the residue in the tunnel of interest.

c25	F113	V115	K116	Y117	P119	R121	Q122	R123	S124	L125	H128	H129	D130	T135	I136	N137	I138	A139	V143	F147	G149	G150	G151	C152	K153	F154	I161	E162	S163	P164	F170	H172	H180	E181	G182	L183	P184	V185	K186	R190	I192	V194	F196			
39-t1	√	√		√						√	√		√	√		√							√	√									√	√	√							√				
51-t1	√	√									√		√	√		√									√	√								√	√	√							√			
72-t1	√	√		√							√		√	√		√									√	√								√	√	√							√			
80-t1	√	√		√							√		√	√		√									√	√								√	√	√							√			
83-t1	√	√		√							√		√	√		√									√	√								√	√	√							√			
86-t1	√	√		√							√		√	√		√									√	√								√	√	√							√			
39-t2	√	√		√					√		√		√	√		√							√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√			
51-t2	√	√						√			√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
72-t2	√	√		√				√			√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
80-t2	√	√		√							√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
83-t2	√	√		√							√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
86-t2	√	√		√							√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
39-t3	√	√		√							√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
51-t3	√	√		√							√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
72-t3	√	√		√							√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
83-t3	√	√		√							√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		
86-t3	√	√		√							√		√	√		√								√	√		√	√							√	√	√							√		

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