

# Supporting Information

*for*

## Geometric Structure Determination of N694C

## Lipoxygenase: A Comparative Near-Edge and EXAFS

## Study

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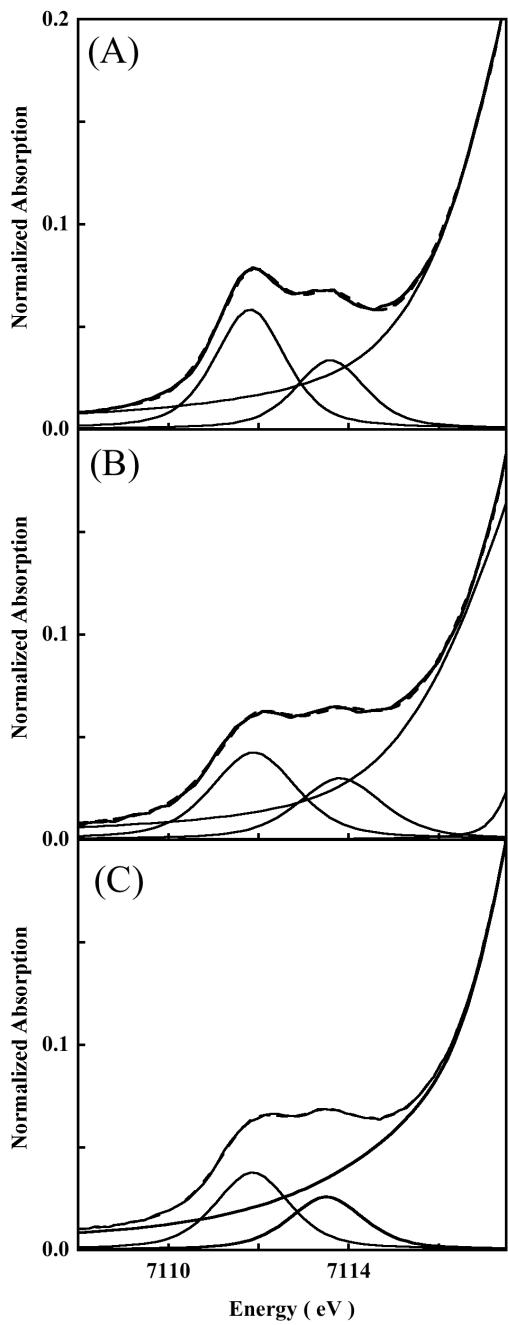
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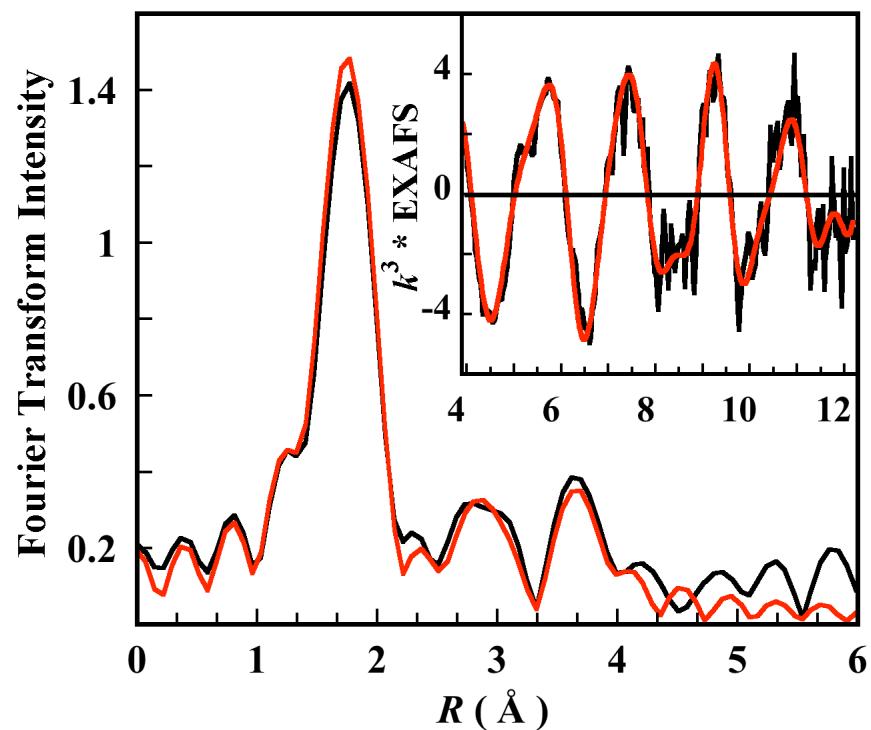
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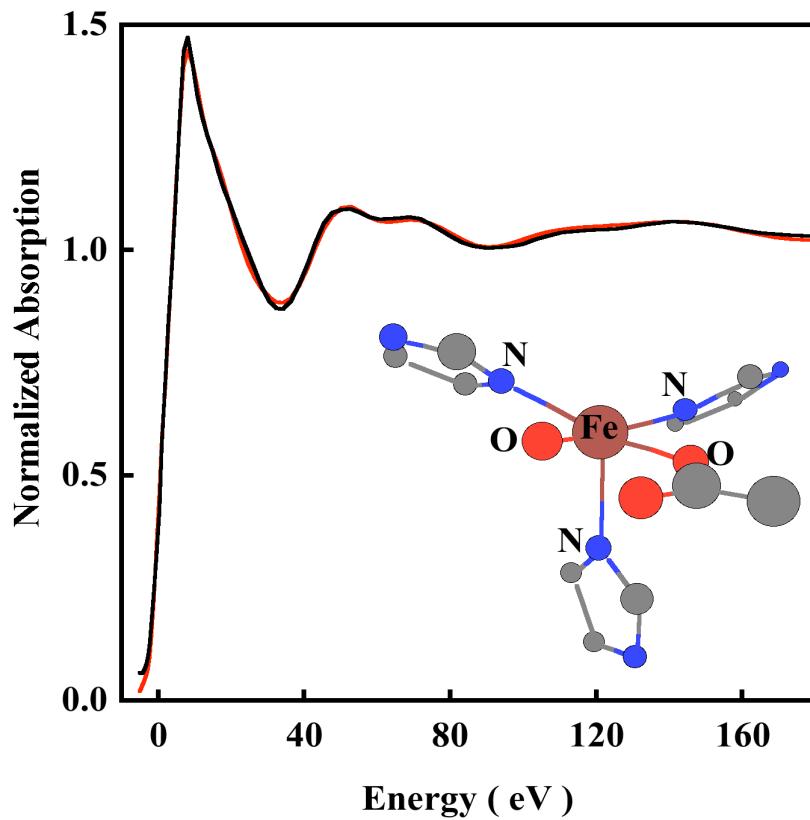
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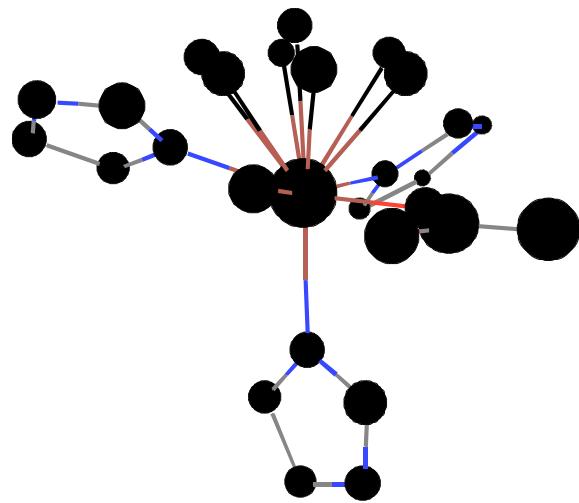
**Figure S1.** Pseudo-Voigt fits to the Fe K-pre-edge data. PAH<sup>R</sup> (A), PAH<sup>T</sup> (B) and N694C Lipoxygenase (C).



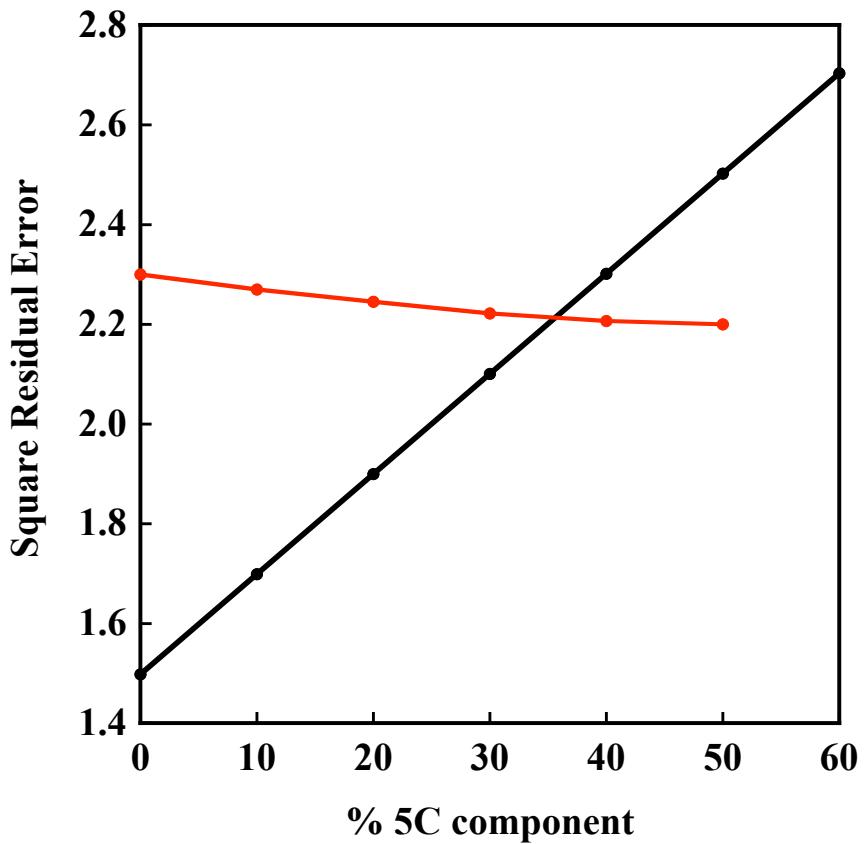
**Figure S2.** Fourier transforms (non phase shift corrected) and EXAFS data (Inset) for WT sLO1. Data (—), Fit (—).



**Figure S3.** The normalized Fe K near-edge spectrum of N694C (—) and the best fit (—) obtained from the optimization of both structural and non-structural parameters for the WT 5C model.



**Figure S4.** Six coordinate input structures for the Fe-O near edge simulations. Seven input structures each with one axial O atom (shown in black) were created to test for the possibility of a strong angular dependence of the axial water ligand.



**Figure S5.** Change in square residual error with an increase in 5C/6C ratio. Error obtained from MXAN near-edge analysis (—). Error obtained from EXAFS analysis (—).

**Table S1.** EXAFS least squares fitting results for WT sLO.

Coordination/Path	R(Å) <sup>a</sup>	$\sigma^2(\text{Å}^2)$ <sup>b</sup>	E <sub>0</sub> (eV)	F <sup>c</sup>
6 Cu-N/O	2.18	473		
6 Cu-C	3.17	662		
12 Cu-N-C	3.30	208	-2.58	0.57
12 Cu-N/C-N/C	3.95	591		
16 Cu-N/C-N/C	4.08	179		

<sup>a</sup> The estimated standard deviations for the distances are in the order of  $\pm 0.02$  Å. <sup>b</sup>The  $\sigma^2$  values are multiplied by  $10^5$ . <sup>c</sup> Error is given by  $\Sigma[(\chi_{\text{obsd}} - \chi_{\text{calcd}})^2 k^6] / \Sigma[(\chi_{\text{obsd}})^2 k^6]$ .

**Table S2.** Fe K edge analysis.

Path	Fe-O	Fe-O <sup>b</sup>	Fe-N <sub>eq</sub>	Fe-N <sub>eq</sub>	Fe-N <sub>ax</sub>
R (Å)	2.03	2.01	2.13	2.19	2.38

<sup>a</sup> The structural and non-structural parameters are obtained by alternate fitting of each set pf parameters separately. This is possible due to the low correlation between these parameters. N<sub>ax</sub>=axial N(His), N<sub>eq</sub>=equatorial N(His). <sup>b</sup> Fe-OCO<sup>-</sup>(Ile).

Correlation matrices generated from EXAFS fits to the N694C lipoxygenase Fe K-edge EXAFS data using EXAFSPAK.

## Fe/O Model Final-Fit

## Fe/S Model Final-Fit

Cartesian coordinates of the refined Fe/S and Fe/O structures obtained from full multiple scattering near-edge calculations.

**Fe/O Model Final-Fit**

Fe	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
O	-0.921	-0.210	1.869	2.094
N	-1.937	0.517	-0.853	2.179
O	1.756	-0.184	1.184	2.126
N	1.290	0.851	-1.488	2.145
N	-0.092	-2.318	-0.759	2.441
O	0.000	2.846	0.446	2.880
C	1.909	-0.489	2.406	3.110
O	0.959	-0.802	3.157	3.396
C	3.316	-0.483	3.011	4.505
C	-2.547	0.218	-2.050	3.277
C	-2.852	0.952	-0.006	3.007
C	-3.865	0.483	-1.904	4.335
N	-4.024	0.942	-0.614	4.178
C	-0.710	-2.915	-1.833	3.515
C	0.681	-3.204	-0.159	3.280
C	-0.288	-4.201	-1.873	4.609
N	0.581	-4.351	-0.815	4.465
C	1.042	0.782	-2.843	3.127
C	2.372	1.589	-1.294	3.134
C	2.004	1.509	-3.468	4.280
N	2.821	1.996	-2.471	4.248

**Fe/S Model Final-Fit**

Fe	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
N	-1.751	0.359	-1.151	2.126
O	1.843	-0.064	0.761	1.995
S	0.170	2.429	0.931	2.607
N	1.562	1.009	-1.243	2.237
N	0.044	-2.062	-0.562	2.138
C	-2.816	0.765	-0.485	2.958
C	-2.136	-0.018	-2.418	3.227
N	-3.869	0.662	-1.275	4.127
C	-3.473	0.170	-2.501	4.283
C	3.750	-0.264	2.238	4.375
C	2.254	-0.366	1.923	2.985
O	1.495	-0.750	2.839	3.295
C	-1.138	3.540	1.148	3.891
C	1.516	1.075	-2.620	3.212
C	2.604	1.707	-0.821	3.220
N	3.223	2.218	-1.875	4.338
C	2.562	1.841	-3.023	4.370
C	0.869	-2.869	0.080	2.998
C	-0.535	-2.749	-1.603	3.226
N	0.840	-4.051	-0.517	4.169
C	-0.036	-4.007	-1.580	4.308