

Structure–Reactivity Relationships in Lithiated Evans Enolates:  
Influence of Aggregation and Solvation on the  
Stereochemistry and Mechanism of Aldol Additions

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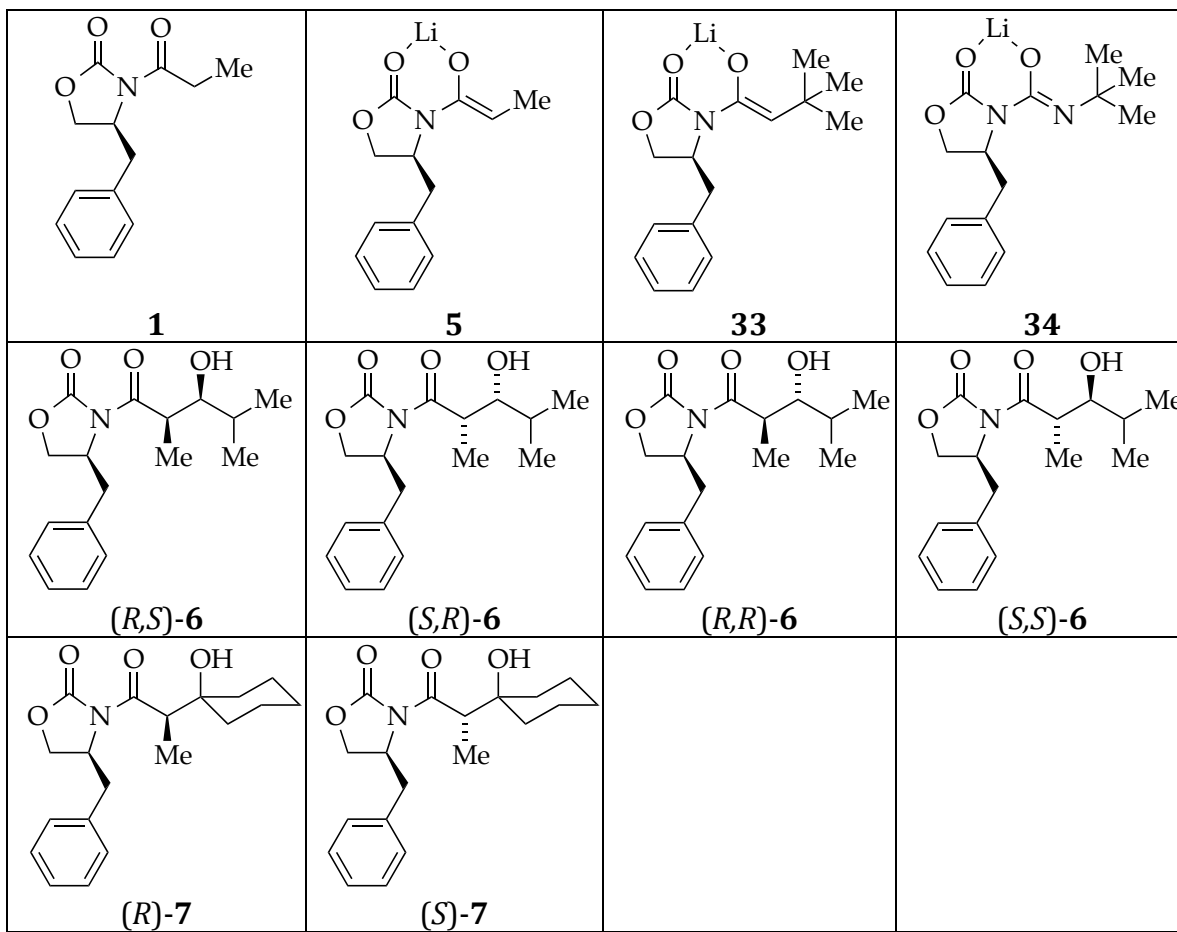
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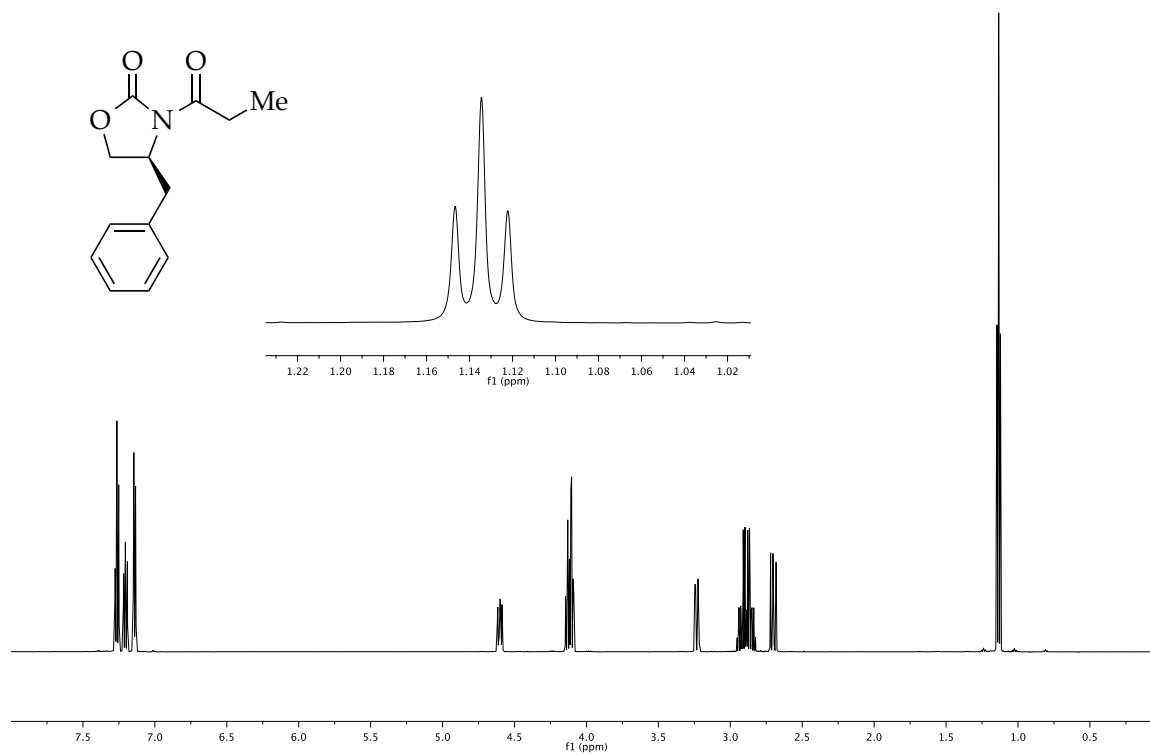
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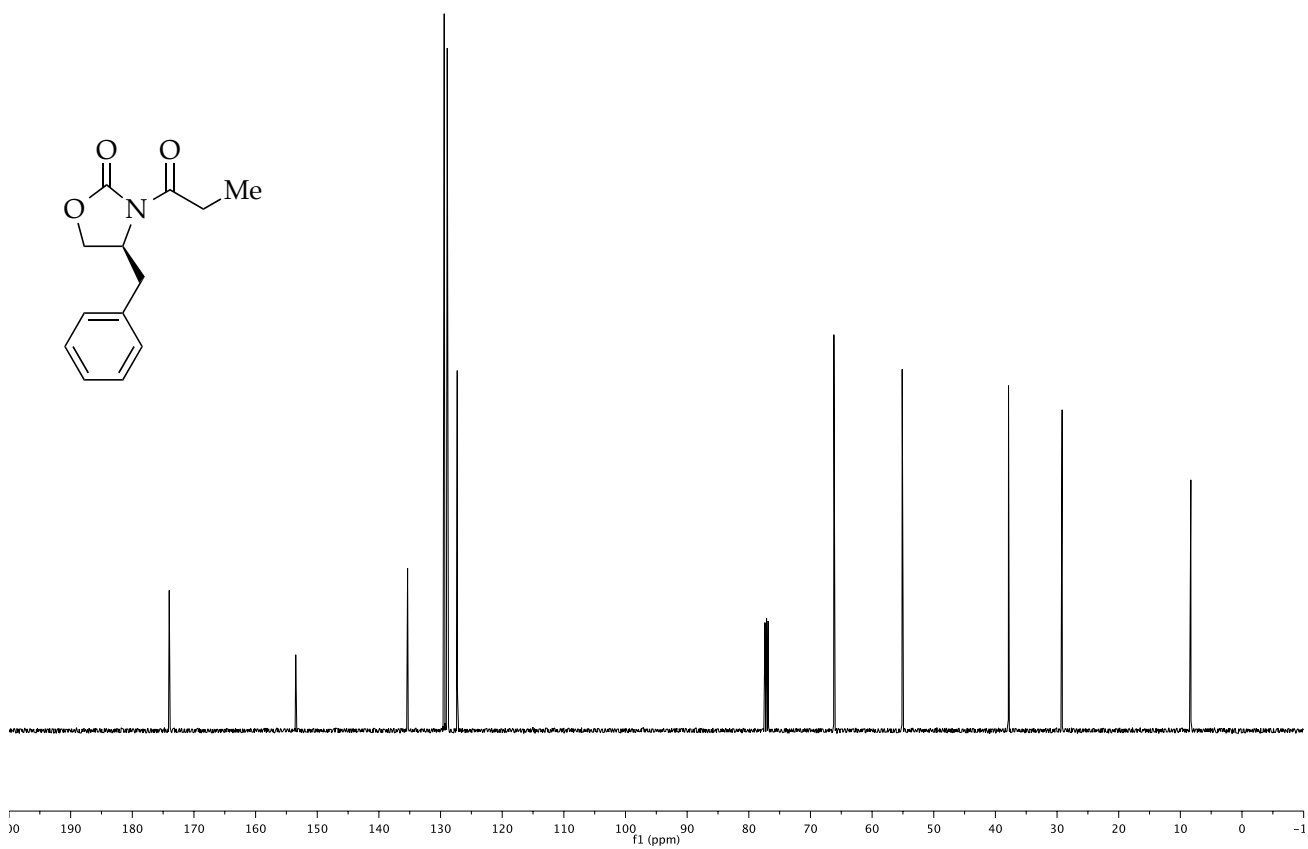


## Part 1: Aldol Products

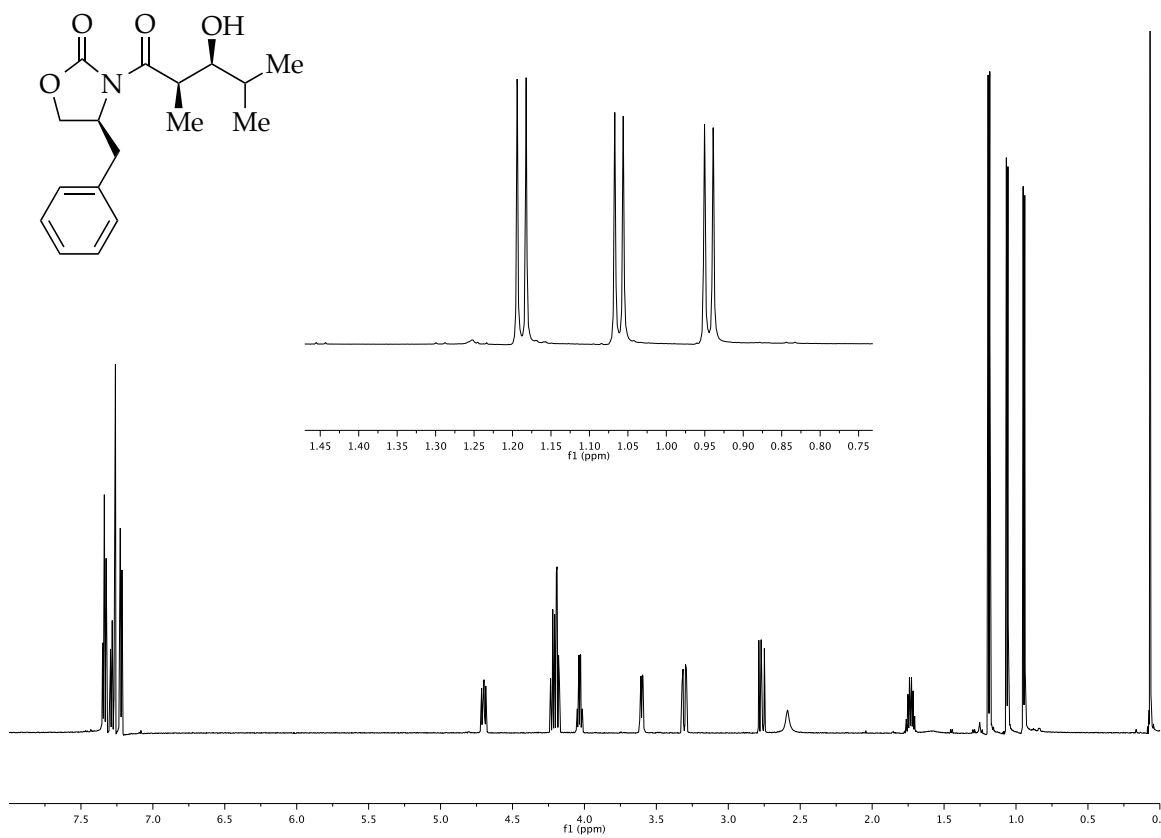
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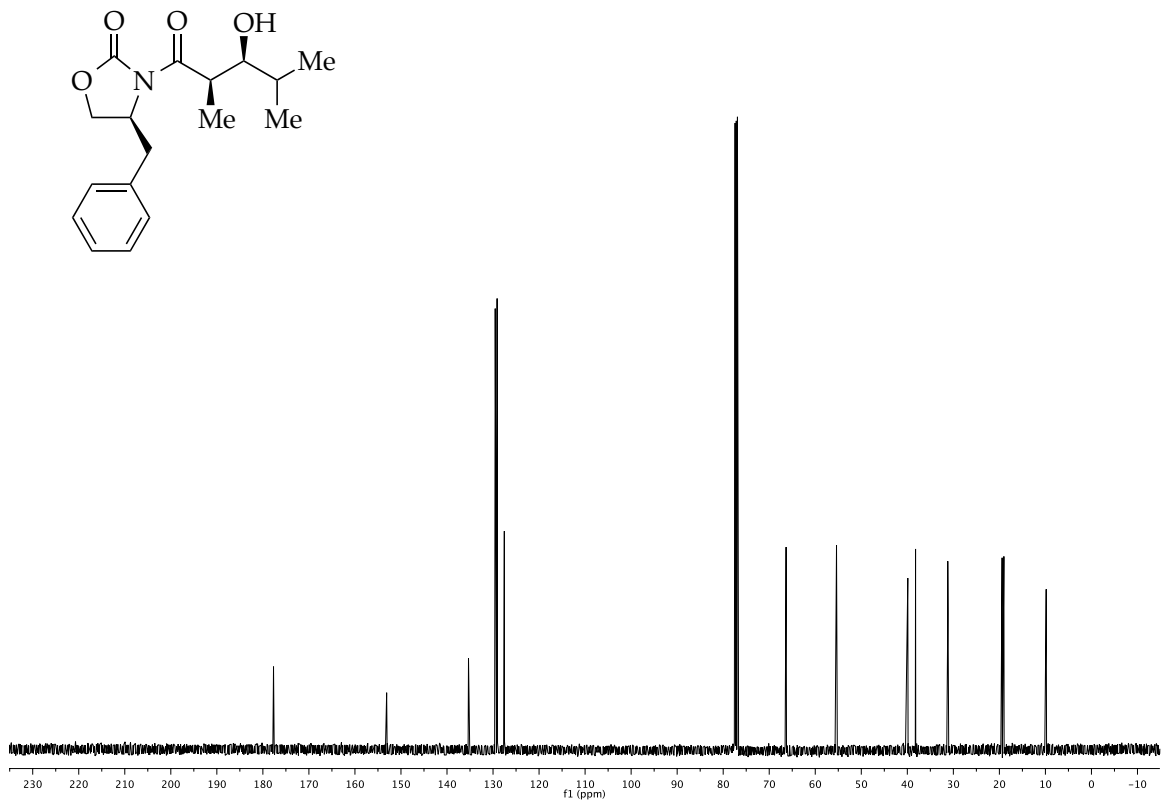


**Figure 2.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of **1** in CDCl<sub>3</sub> at 23 °C.

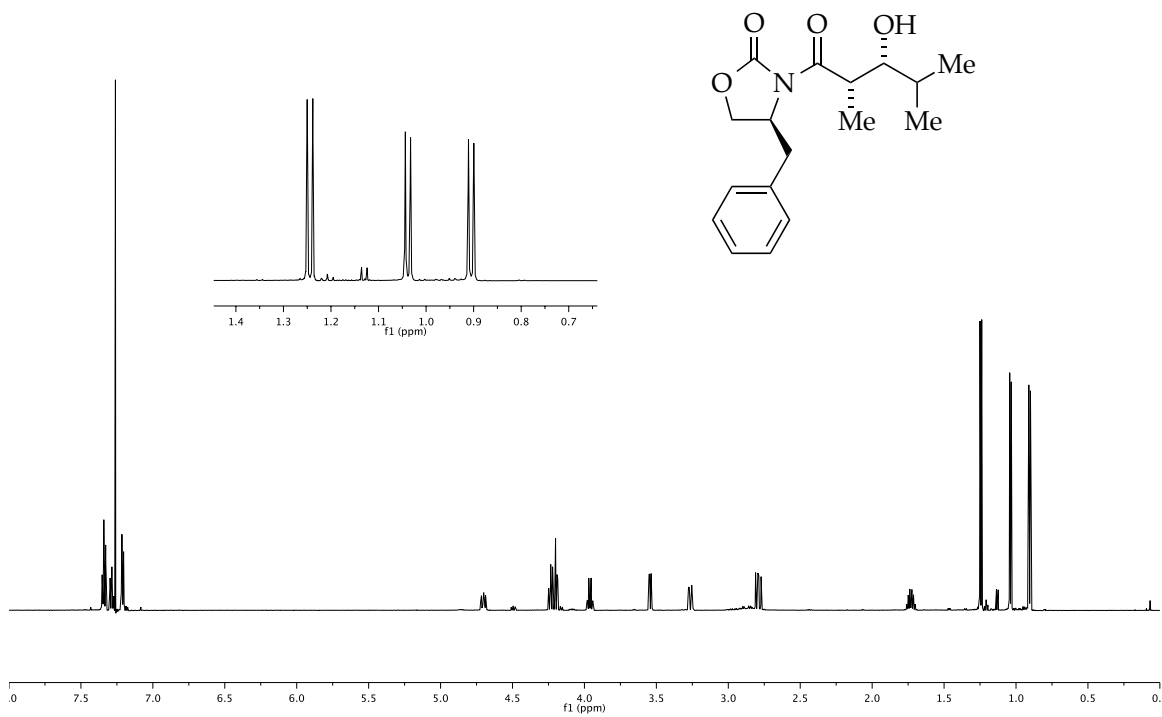


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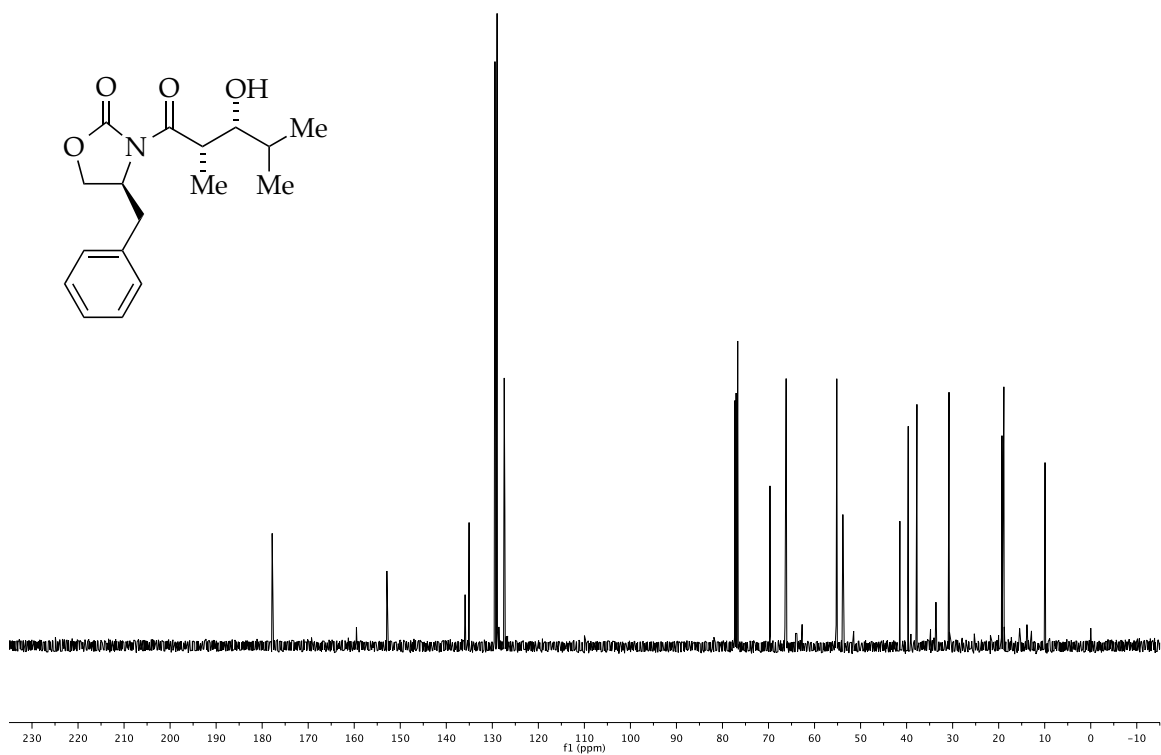




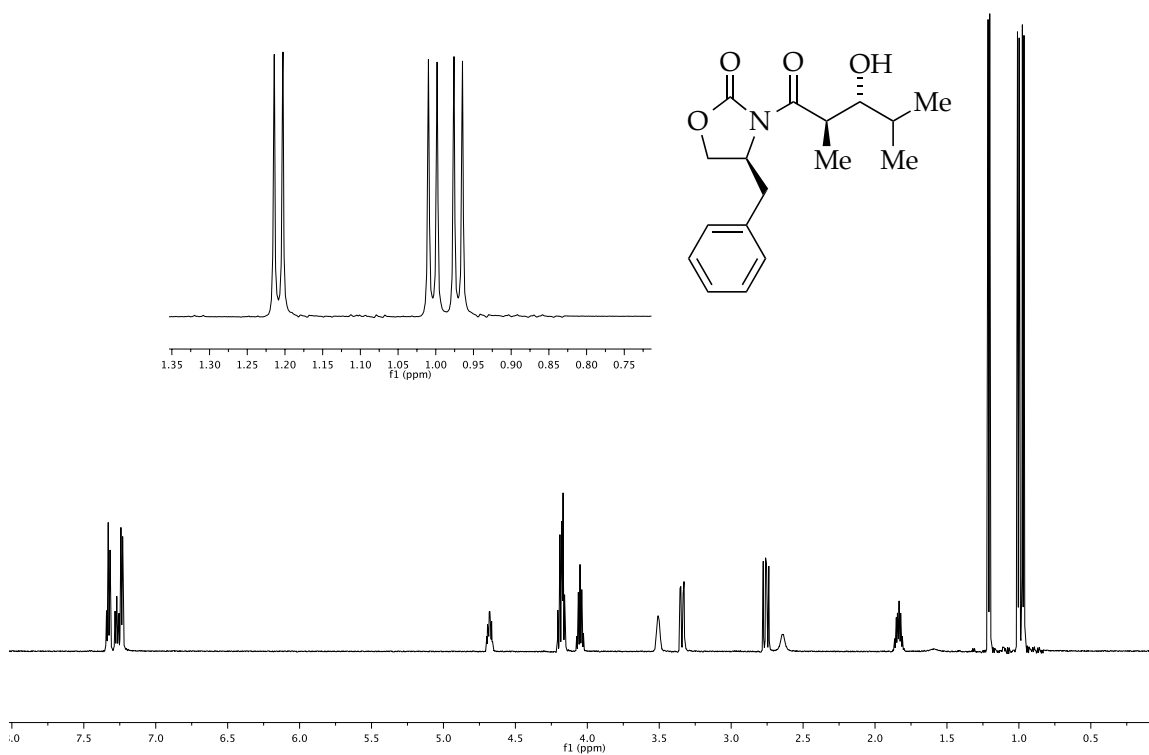
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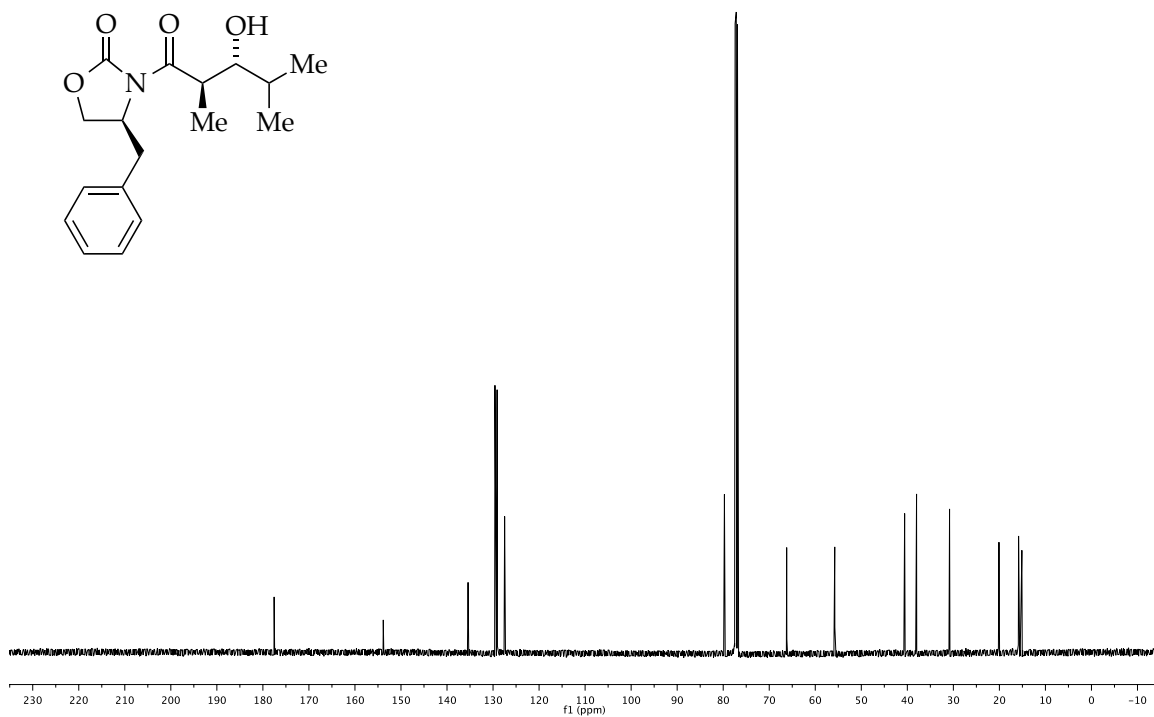
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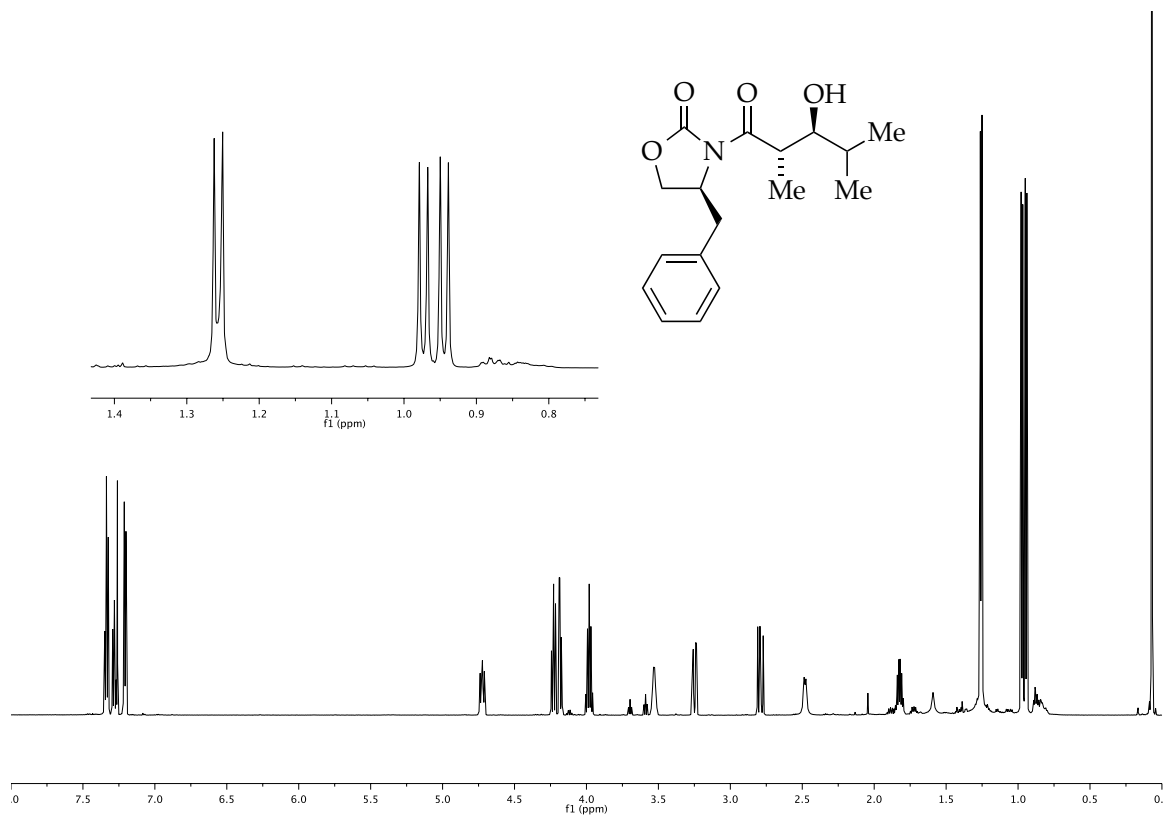
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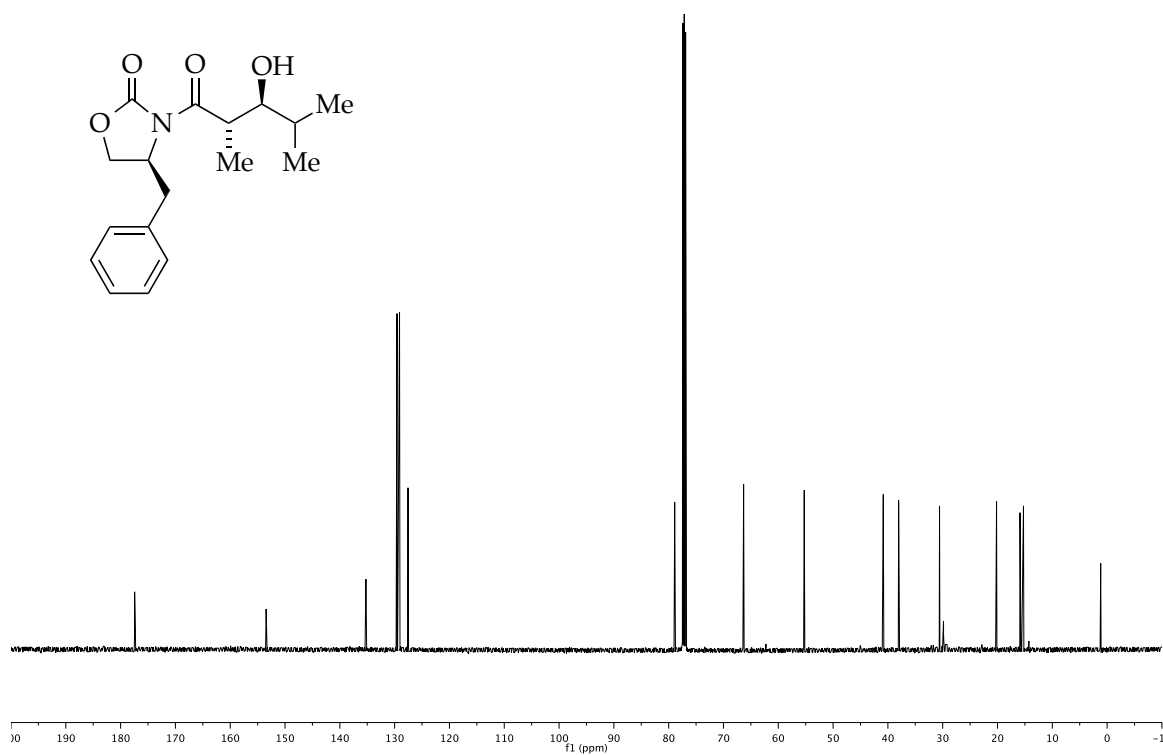
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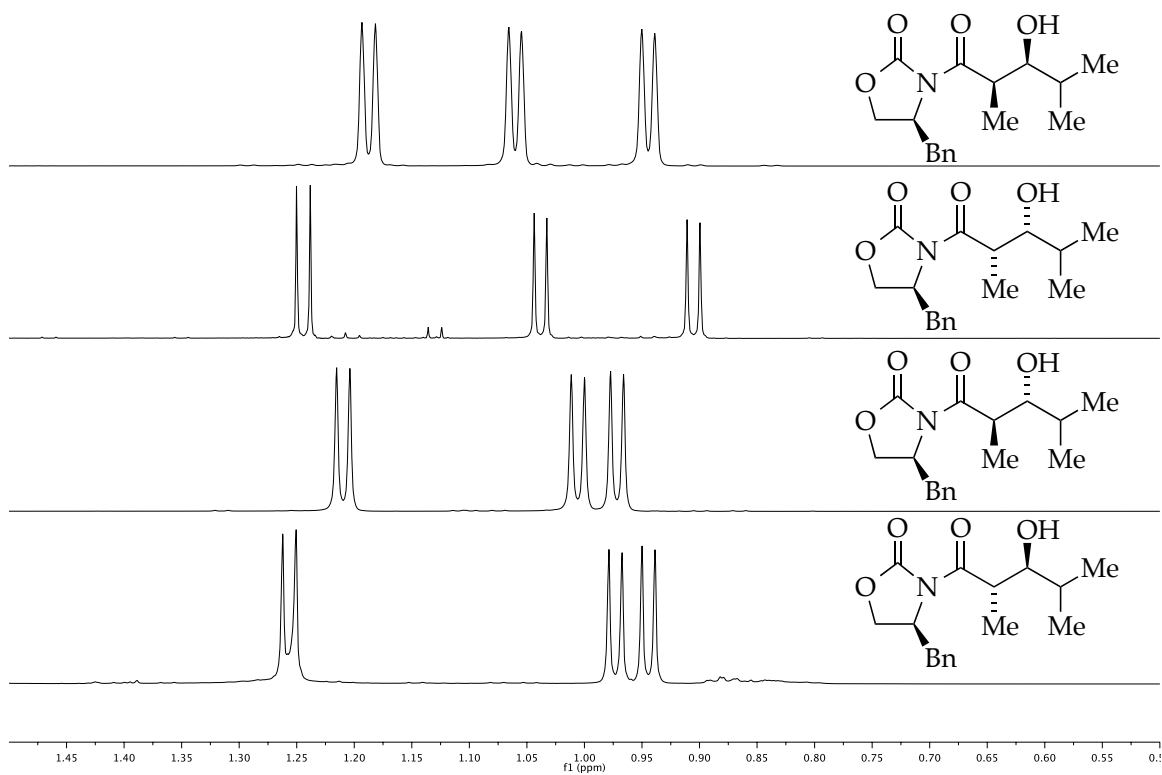
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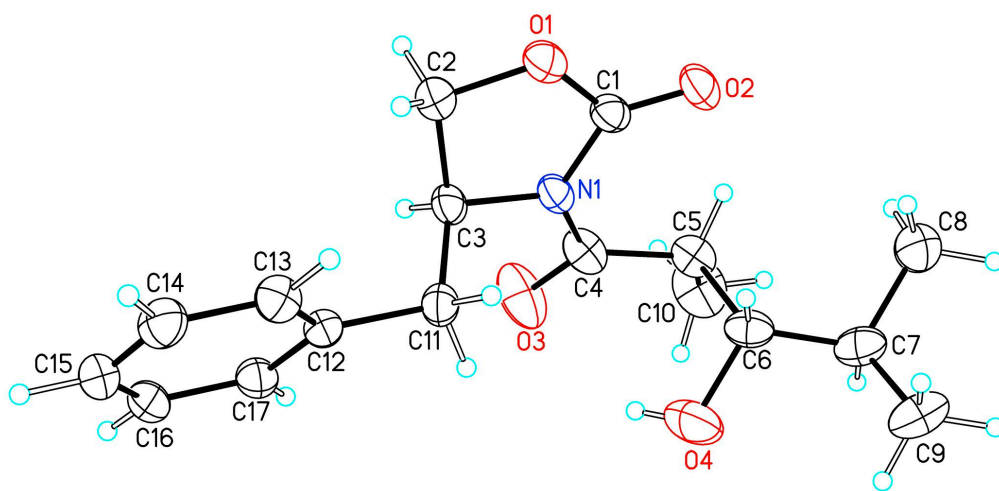


**Figure 10.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of (*S,S*)-6 aldol product in CDCl<sub>3</sub> at 23 °C.



**Figure 11.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of (*R,S*)-**6**, (*S,R*)-**6**, (*R,R*)-**6**, and (*S,S*)-**6** aldol products in  $\text{CDCl}_3$  at 23  $^\circ\text{C}$ .





**Figure 12.** X-ray crystal structure of (*R,S*)-6.

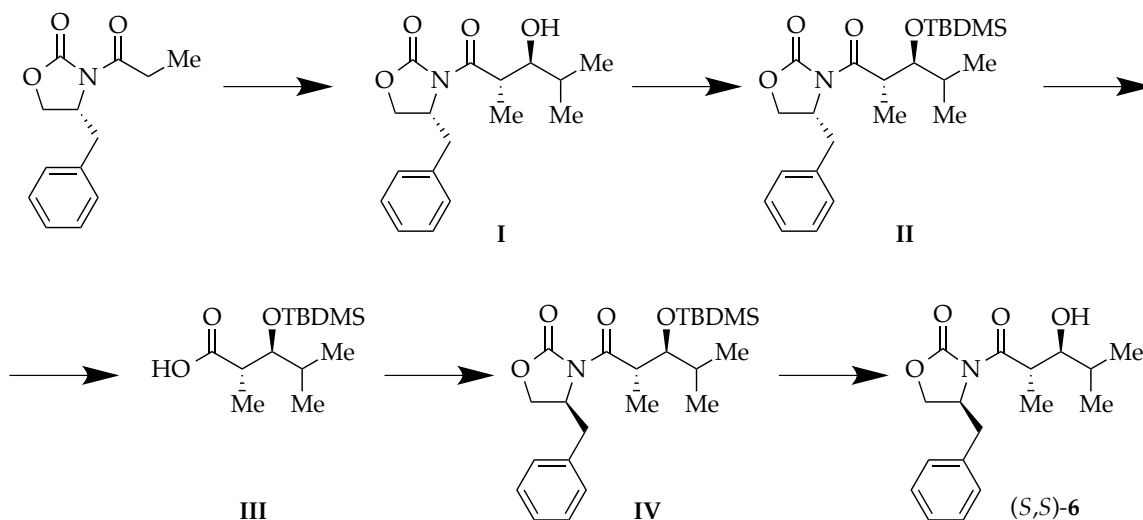
**Table 1.** Crystal data and structural refinement of recrystallized (*R,S*)-6 aldol product

Empirical formula	C17 H23 N O4	
Formula weight	305.36	
Temperature	203(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Monoclinic	
Space group	P2(1)	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 11.4134(4)	Å $\alpha = 90^\circ$ .
	b = 6.2066(2)	Å $\beta = 103.613(2)^\circ$ .
	c = 11.8551(4)	Å $\gamma = 90^\circ$ .
Volume	816.20(5) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	2	
Density (calculated)	1.243 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	0.088 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	328	
Crystal size	0.50 x 0.20 x 0.10 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	1.77 to 29.13°.	
Index ranges	-14 ≤ h ≤ 15, -7 ≤ k ≤ 8, -16 ≤ l ≤ 13	
Reflections collected	7975	
Independent reflections	4023 [R(int) = 0.0222]	
Completeness to theta = 29.13°	99.2 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.9912 and 0.9573	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	4023 / 1 / 276	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.002	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0379, wR2 = 0.0941	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0466, wR2 = 0.1012	
Absolute structure parameter	0.6(9)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.166 and -0.173 e. Å <sup>-3</sup>	

**Table 2.** Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ).  $U(\text{eq})$  is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U^{ij}$  tensor.

	x	y	z	$U(\text{eq})$
O(1)	4766(1)	6317(2)	5459(1)	45(1)
O(2)	6528(1)	5057(2)	6463(1)	46(1)
O(3)	4191(1)	822(2)	7613(2)	68(1)
O(4)	5655(1)	3080(4)	9782(1)	76(1)
N(1)	4699(1)	3764(2)	6750(1)	33(1)
C(1)	5448(1)	5024(3)	6256(1)	35(1)
C(2)	3515(1)	5669(4)	5245(1)	49(1)
C(3)	3429(1)	4370(3)	6304(1)	34(1)
C(4)	4998(1)	1993(2)	7491(1)	41(1)
C(5)	6295(1)	1705(2)	8148(1)	38(1)
C(6)	6555(1)	3363(3)	9138(1)	41(1)
C(7)	7817(2)	3212(3)	9932(1)	49(1)
C(8)	8794(2)	3249(5)	9257(2)	64(1)
C(9)	8036(2)	5042(5)	10813(2)	66(1)
C(10)	6501(2)	-620(3)	8565(2)	67(1)
C(11)	2983(1)	5632(3)	7228(1)	35(1)
C(12)	1646(1)	6115(3)	6861(1)	32(1)
C(13)	1228(1)	8089(3)	6383(1)	39(1)
C(14)	-2(1)	8524(3)	6060(1)	45(1)
C(15)	-819(1)	6976(3)	6212(1)	45(1)
C(16)	-416(1)	4992(3)	6668(1)	44(1)
C(17)	812(1)	4568(3)	6993(1)	38(1)

**Figure 13.** Synthesis of (*S,S*)-6



**(*R*)-4-benzyl-3-((2*S*,3*S*)-3-hydroxy-2,4-dimethylpentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (I).**

Following a procedure from Evans *et al.* (*JACS* **2001**, *123*, 10840) to a solution of titanium(IV) chloride (2.10 mL of 1.0 M solution in CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, 2.10 mmol) at 0 °C was added titanium(IV) isopropoxide (215 μL, 0.706 mmol) in 9.4 mL CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>. After 5 min (*R*)-4-benzyl-3-propionyl-2-oxazolidinone (500 mg, 2.14 mmol) in 2.0 mL CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> was added. After 5 min diisopropylethylamine (500 μL, 2.83 mmol) was added, and the resulting deep red solution was stirred for 1 h at 0 °C to insure the complete conversion to the titanium enolate. In a separate flask, freshly distilled isobutyraldehyde (430 μL, 4.71 mmol) was added to a solution of diethylaluminum chloride (5.9 mL of 1 M solution in hexanes, 5.90 mmol) in 2.0 mL of CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> at -78 °C. After 15 min the enolate solution was cooled to -78 °C, and the aldehyde solution was added *via* cannula. After 1.5 h the reaction was quenched at -78 °C with 2.0 mL sat. aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl. 40 mL of 3.0 M aqueous HCl was added to dissolve the aluminum salts. The aqueous layer was extracted three times with CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>. The combined layers were washed with sat. aqueous NaHCO<sub>3</sub>, dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>, filtered, and concentrated. The product was

purified by flash chromatography (15% EtOAc/hexanes), affording 290 mg (44% yield) of a white crystalline solid showing spectral data as described in the main text.

**(R)-4-benzyl-3-((2S,3S)-3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2,4-dimethylpentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (II).** To a solution of I (250 mg, 0.82 mmol) in 3.5 mL freshly distilled THF at 0 °C was added freshly distilled 2,6-lutidine (114 µL, 0.98 mmol) and *tert*-butyldimethylsilyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (207 µL, 0.90 mmol). After 30 min at 0 °C the reaction was quenched by addition of 0.2 mL MeOH. After an additional 5 min the reaction was washed with a solution of NaHSO<sub>4</sub> (5.0 mL) and sat. aqueous NaHCO<sub>3</sub> (5 mL). The organic layer was dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub> and concentrated under reduced pressure. The product was purified by flash chromatography (10% EtOAc/hexanes) to provide affording 295 mg (86% yield) of product II as white crystalline solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz; CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.34 (dd, *J* = 8.0, 6.7 Hz, 2H), 7.30 – 7.21 (m, 3H), 4.67 (ddt, *J* = 10.7, 7.1, 3.6 Hz, 1H), 4.17 – 4.10 (m, 2H), 4.09 – 4.01 (m, 2H), 3.44 (dd, *J* = 13.3, 3.5 Hz, 1H), 2.63 (dd, *J* = 13.2, 10.4 Hz, 1H), 1.81 (heptd, *J* = 6.9, 2.5 Hz, 1H), 1.16 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H), 0.97 (d, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 3H), 0.95 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 4H), 0.90 (s, 9H), 0.11 (s, 3H), 0.09 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 175.7, 153.2, 135.7, 129.5, 129.1, 127.4, 76.5, 66.1, 55.9, 43.9, 38.6, 31.3, 26.3, 20.9, 18.6, 16.9, 13.6, -3.8, -4.3. HRMS *m/z* calculated for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>38</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>Si (M+H)<sup>+</sup> 420.25646, found 420.25482.

**(2S,3S)-3-((tert-butyldimethylsilyl)oxy)-2,4-dimethylpentanoic acid (III).** To a solution of II (200 mg, 0.48 mmol) in 6.0 mL of a 5:1 THF/water mixture was added 0.80 M aqueous LiOH (0.90 mL, 0.72 mmol) at 0 °C, followed by 30% aq.

H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (250 μL, 2.2 mmol), which was added dropwise. The reaction was monitored by TLC (*p*-anisaldehyde stain) and quenched after stirring the mixture 1 h at 0 °C. The reaction was quenched by addition of 1.33 M Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>3</sub> and saturated aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl. The resulting mixture was extracted with ether and the combined organic extracts were dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. The concentrated mixture was purified by flash chromatography (CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> 90%, MeOH 10%). affording 45 mg (36%) of product **III** as a colorless oil. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 11.09 (s, 1H), 3.69 (t, *J* = 4.4 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (qd, *J* = 7.3, 4.1 Hz, 1H), 1.85 (heptd, *J* = 6.9, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 1.23 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 3H), 0.93-0.90 (m, 14H), 0.12 (s, 3H), 0.10 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (151 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 178.9, 79.7, 43.0, 32.6, 26.1, 18.4, 18.2, 15.5, -4.0, -4.3. HRMS *m/z* calcd for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>29</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si (M+H)<sup>+</sup> 261.18805, found 261.18793. HRMS *m/z* calculated for C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>27</sub>O<sub>3</sub>Si (M-H)<sup>-</sup> 259.17240, found 259.17311.

**(S)-4-benzyl-3-((2S,3S)-3-((tert-butyl)dimethylsilyloxy)-2,4-dimethylpentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one (IV)**. To a solution of **III** (38 mg, 0.15 mmol) in 2.0 mL benzene was added DMF (34 μL, 0.44 mmol). Oxalyl chloride (39 μL, 45 mmol) was then added dropwise to the solution, and the reaction mixture was stirred for 2 h at room temperature. The solvent was then evaporated, and the resulting acid chloride was used directly in the next step. 1.6 M *n*-BuLi in hexanes (95 μL, 0.15 mmol) was added dropwise to a solution of (S)-4-benzyl-3-propionyloxazolidin-2-one (27 mg, 0.15 mmol) in 1.0 mL freshly distilled THF under inert atmosphere at -78 °C. A solution of the freshly prepared acid chloride in 0.50 mL THF was then added dropwise at -78 °C. The resulting mixture was stirred for 30 min at -78 °C and then allowed to warm to room temperature over 1 h. Following quenching with saturated aqueous NH<sub>4</sub>Cl

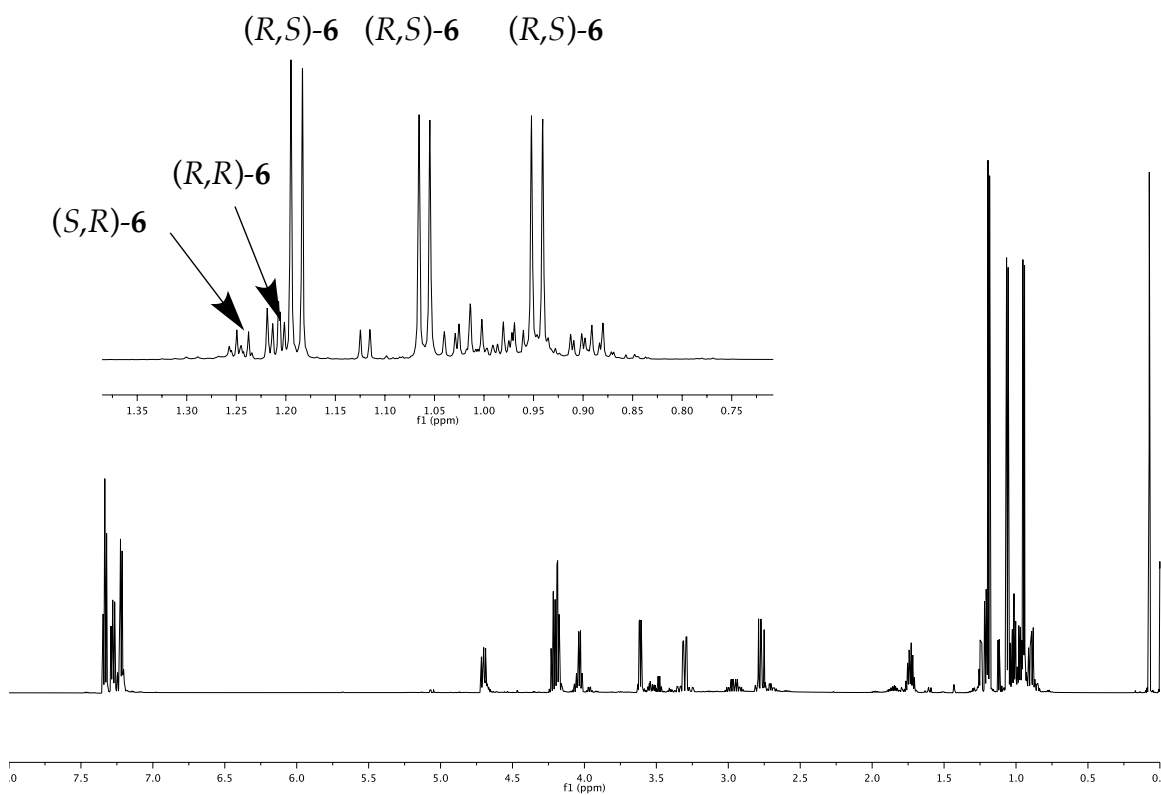
(1 mL) and water, the resulting mixture was extracted with EtOAc and the organic extracts were combined and dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. The concentrated mixture was purified by flash chromatography (10% EtOAc/hexanes), affording 34 mg (56% yield) of product **IV** as a white crystalline solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (500 MHz; CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.39 – 7.23 (m, 5H), 4.69 (ddd, *J* = 10.0, 6.7, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 4.24 – 4.08 (m, 3H), 3.99 (dd, *J* = 9.0, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.3 Hz, 1H), 2.81 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.5 Hz, 1H), 1.88 (heptd, *J* = 8.1, 7.0, 2.7 Hz, 1H), 1.16 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 1.02 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 0.94 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.88 (s, 9H), 0.12 (s, 3H), 0.00 (s, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 176.5, 153.0, 135.5, 129.6, 129.1, 127.5, 78.4, 65.9, 55.5, 42.4, 37.9, 30.6, 26.2, 20.5, 18.6, 15.4, 14.9, -4.1, -4.2. HRMS *m/z* calcd for C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>38</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>Si (M+H)<sup>+</sup> 420.25646, found 420.25576.

**(S)-4-benzyl-3-((2S,3S)-3-hydroxy-2,4-dimethylpentanoyl)oxazolidin-2-one**

**[(S,S)-6]** To a solution of **IV** (34 mg, 81 μmol) in 3 mL of THF was added 1.0 mL of concentrated HCl. The solution was stirred for 5 min. The resulting mixture was diluted with ether, extracted, and dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. The concentrated mixture was purified by flash chromatography (30% EtOAc/hexanes), affording 14 mg (57% yield) of **[(S,S)-6]** was obtained as a white crystalline solid. <sup>1</sup>H NMR (600 MHz; CDCl<sub>3</sub>): δ 7.36 – 7.26 (m, 3H), 7.22 – 7.19 (m, 2H), 4.72 (ddt, *J* = 9.3, 7.7, 3.1 Hz, 1H), 4.26 – 4.16 (m, 2H), 3.98 (p, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.53 (q, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.25 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 3.4 Hz, 1H), 2.79 (dd, *J* = 13.4, 9.4 Hz, 1H), 2.51 – 2.44 (m, 1H), 1.82 (pd, *J* = 6.8, 4.6 Hz, 1H), 1.26 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 0.97 (d, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 3H), 0.94 (d, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 3H). <sup>13</sup>C NMR (126 MHz, CDCl<sub>3</sub>) δ 177.4, 153.5, 135.2, 129.6, 129.1, 127.6, 78.9, 66.3, 55.3, 40.8, 38.0, 30.6, 20.2, 15.9, 15.3. HRMS *m/z* calcd for C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>24</sub>NO<sub>4</sub> (M+H)<sup>+</sup> 306.16998, found 306.16913.

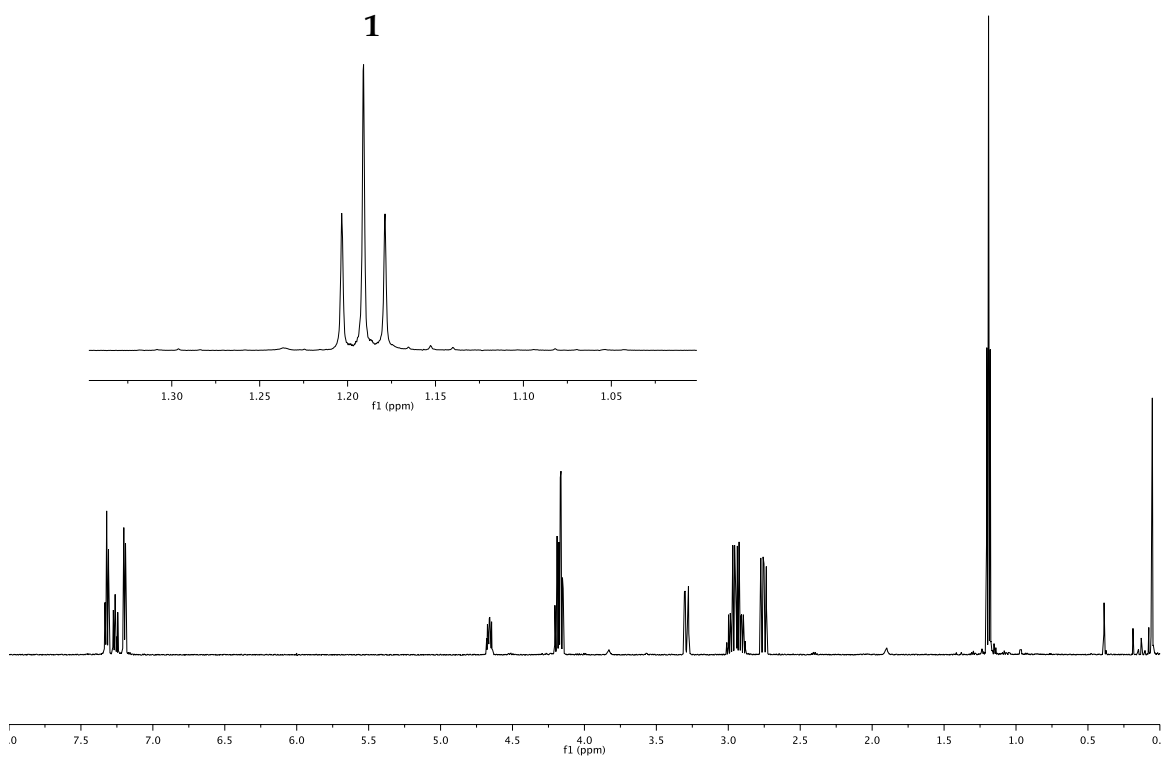
## Part 2: Order of Aldehyde Addition

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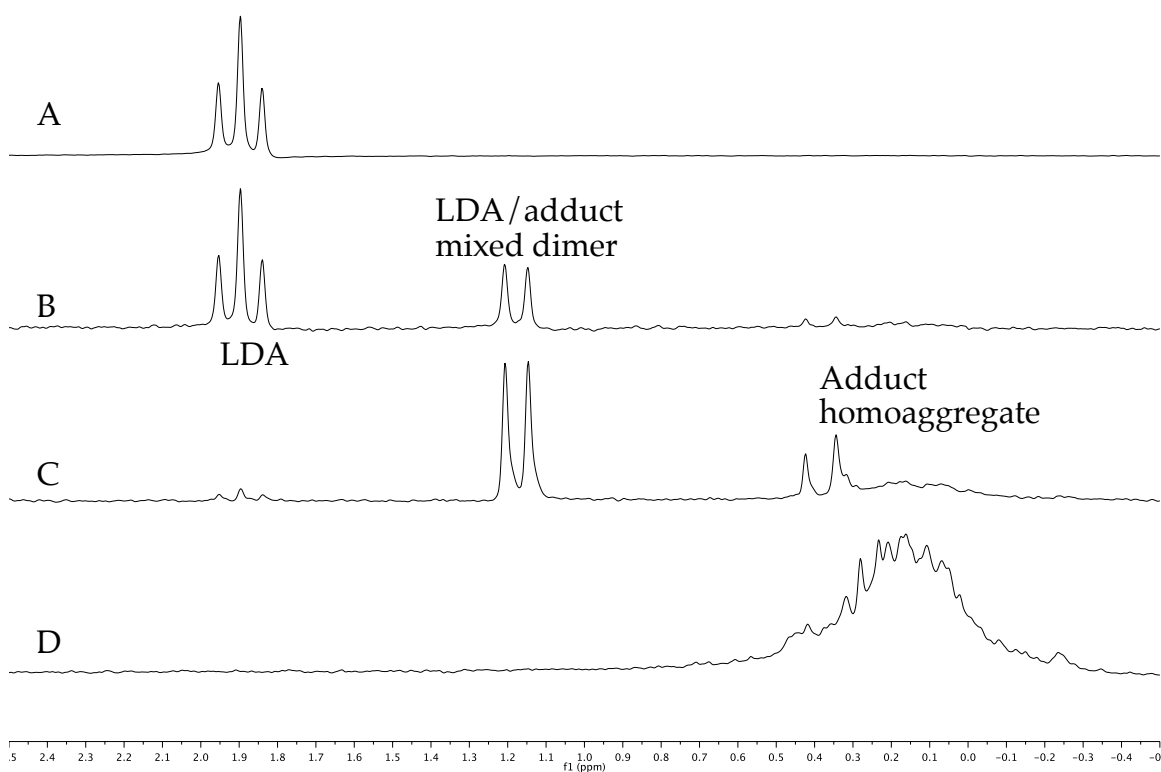


**Figure 14.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the aldol between enolate **5** and isobutyraldehyde. The major product, (R,S)-**6**, and the two minor products (S,R)-**6** and (R,R)-**6** are highlighted.

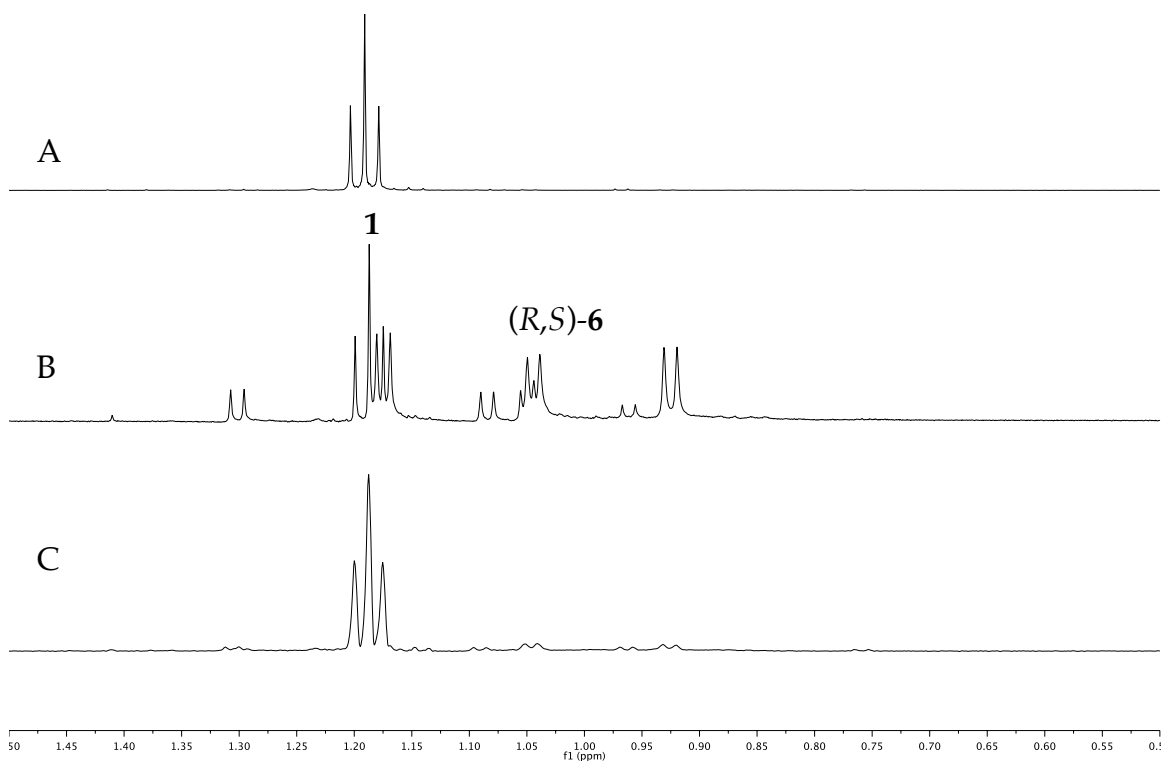




**Figure 15.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the aldol reaction between enolate **5** and isobutyraldehyde, pre-mixing LDA and aldehyde before adding the oxazolidinone **1**. Due to pre-reacting with the aldehyde, no LDA is available to lithiate **1**, so upon quench and workup only unreacted **1** is recovered.



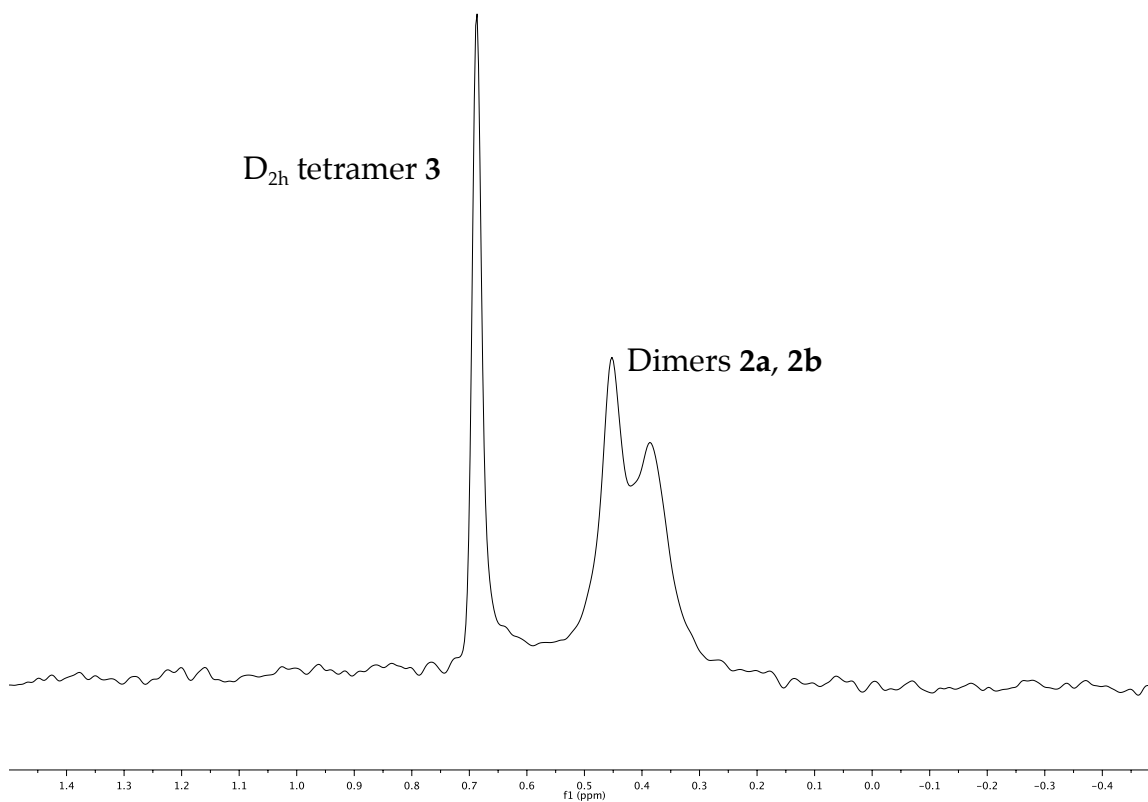
**Figure 16.**  ${}^6\text{Li}$  NMR spectra of 0.10 M  $[{}^6\text{Li}^{15}\text{N}]$ LDA with varying equiv of isobutyraldehyde: A) 0.0 equiv; B) 0.50 equiv; C) 1.0 equiv; D) 2.0 equiv. The isobutyraldehyde first forms a 1,2-mixed adduct/LDA dimer before forming an undecipherable oligomer that is presumably a ladderred 1,2-adduct homoaggregate.



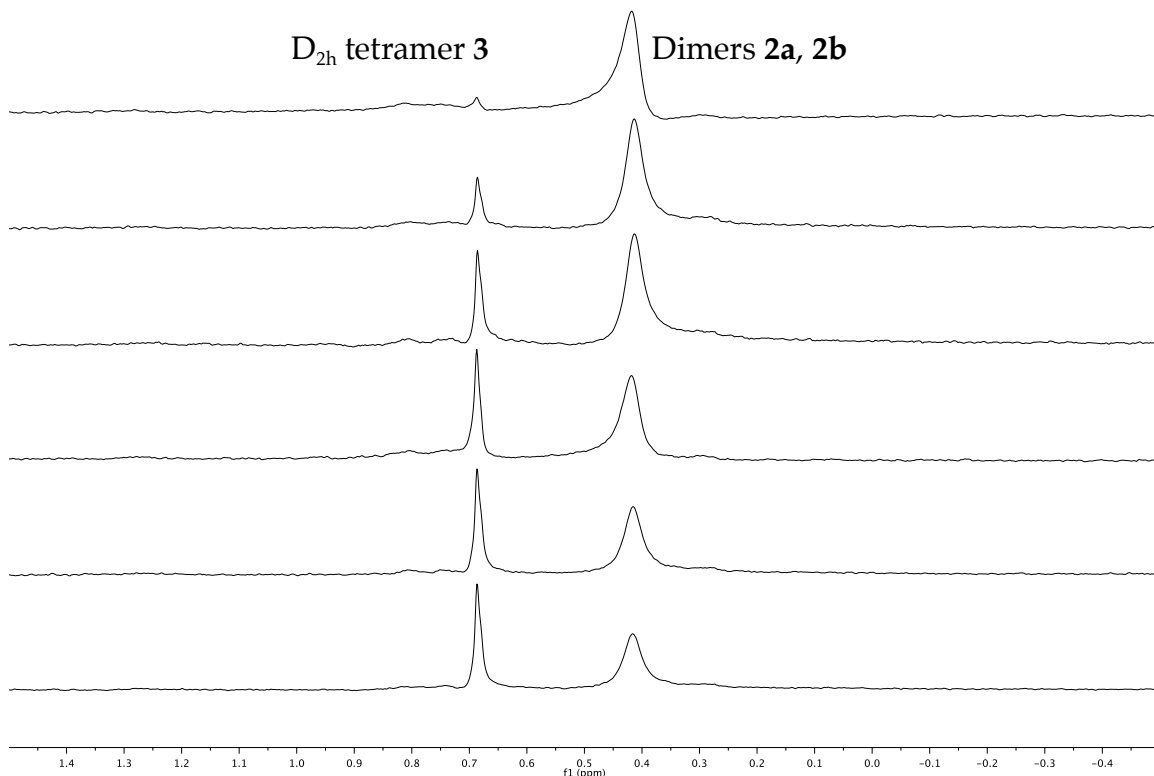
**Figure 17.** A) <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 1.0 equiv LDA treated sequentially with 0.50 equiv isobutyraldehyde and 1.0 equiv of oxazolidinone **1** followed by standard workup. Owing to the aldehyde pre-reacting with the LDA, it is inaccessible to the 0.50 equiv of **5** formed by the 0.50 equiv LDA remaining and 1.0 equiv of **1**. This resulted in only unreacted starting material being recovered. B) <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 1.0 equiv LDA, then add 0.50 equiv isobutyraldehyde, then 1.0 equiv of oxazolidinone **1**, then add 1.50 equiv isobutyraldehyde, followed by standard workup. As in A, 0.50 equiv of **5** is produced but the subsequent addition of excess isobutyraldehyde uses this to react and form **6** in approximately the same diastereomeric ratio as previously seen. C) <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of 1.0 equiv LDA, then add 2.0 equiv isobutyraldehyde, then 1.0 equiv of oxazolidinone **1**, followed by standard workup. The isobutyraldehyde has consumed all of the LDA, leaving none for the enolization of **1**, resulting in no aldol reaction.

### Part 3: Finding the Reactive Species of Enolate 5

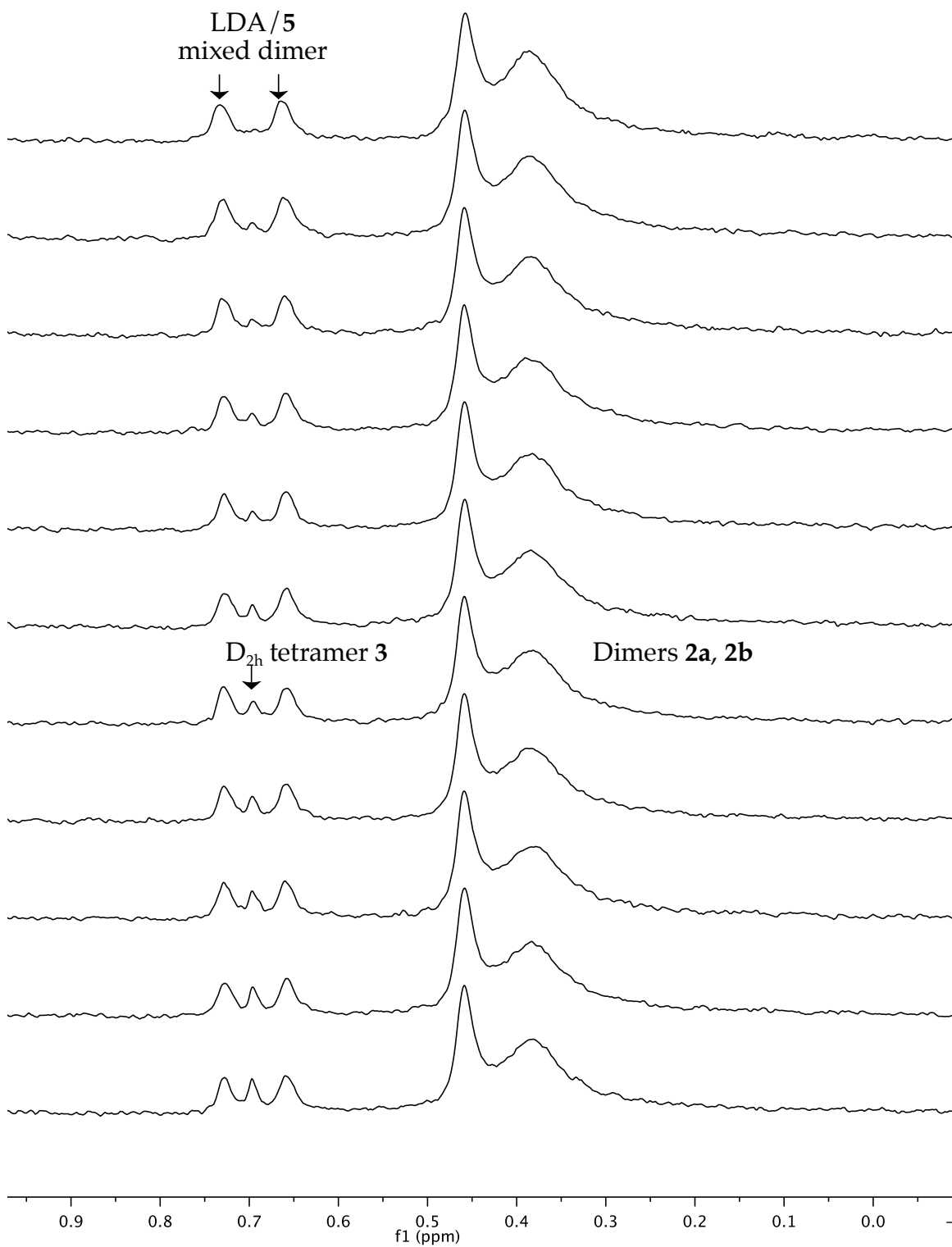
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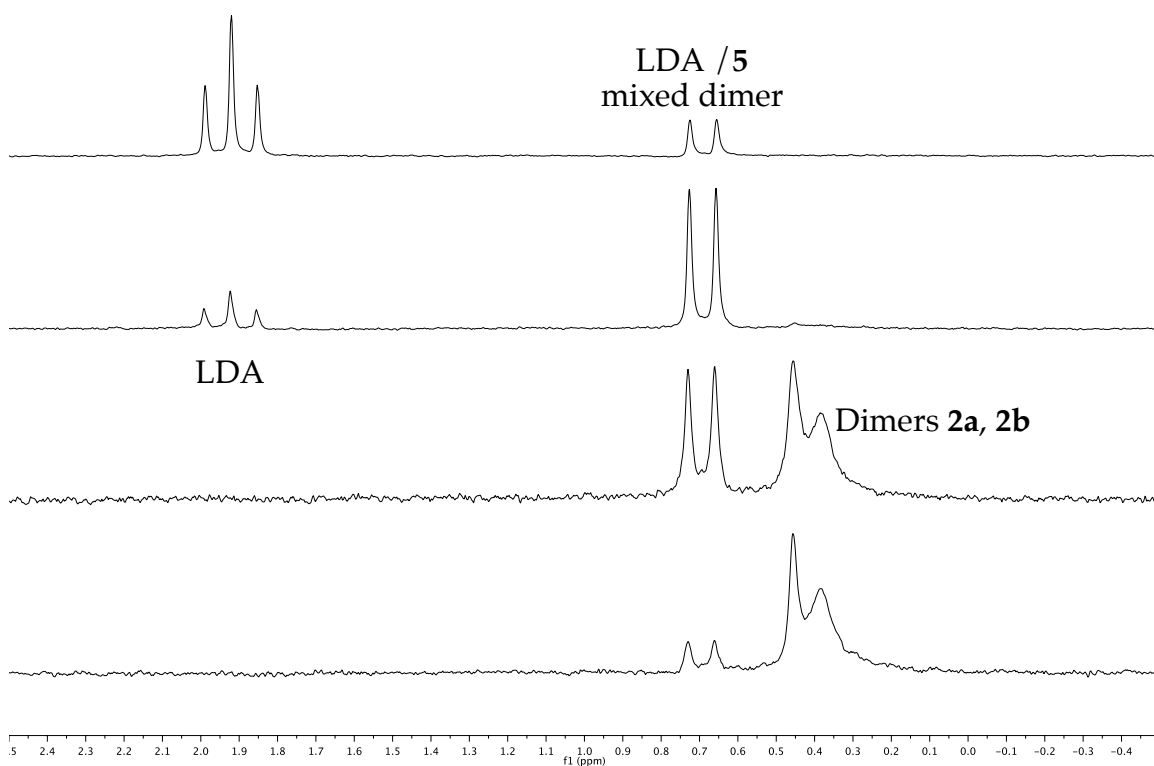
**Figure 18.**  ${}^6\text{Li}$  NMR spectrum of 0.10 M enolate 5 in THF previously aged at 0 °C and recorded at -80 °C.



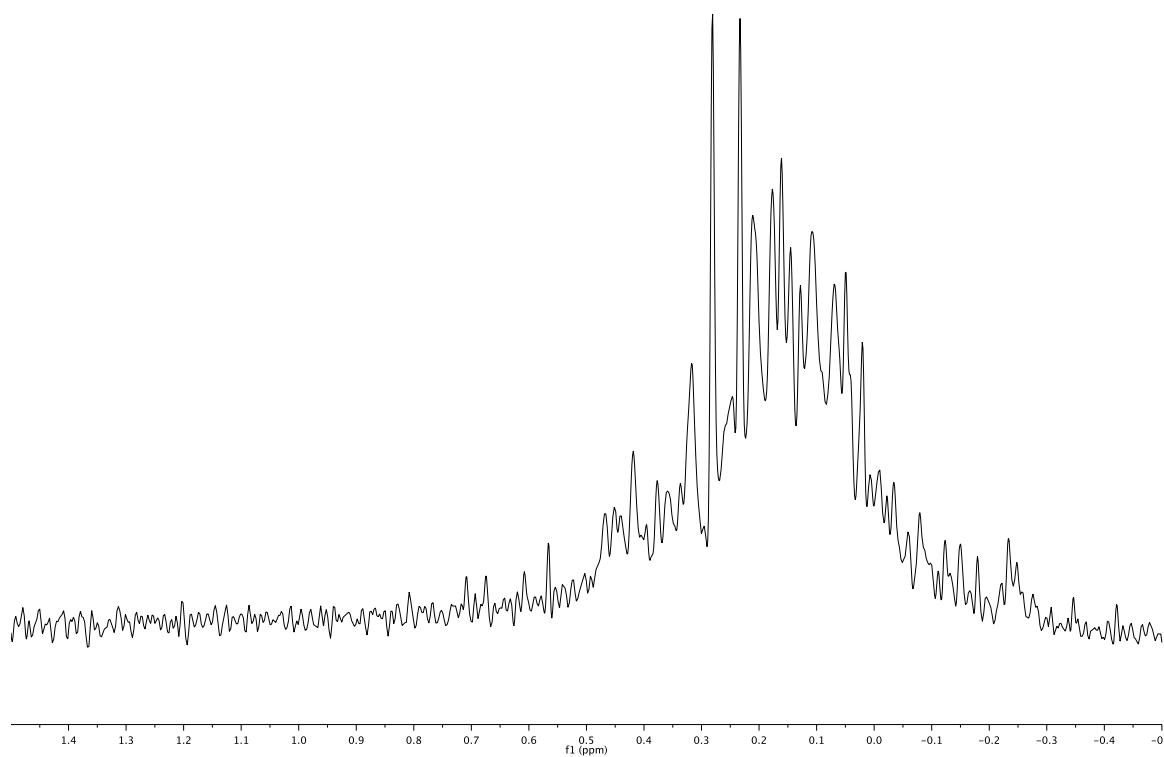
**Figure 19.**  $^6\text{Li}$  NMR spectra of **5** aging over the course of 200 minutes (0.10 M **5**, THF,  $-60\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ )



**Figure 20.**  $^6\text{Li}$  NMR spectra of enolate **5** aging over the course of 388 minutes (0.10 M **5**, 0.010 M excess [ $^6\text{Li}^{15}\text{N}$ ]LDA, THF,  $-80\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ )

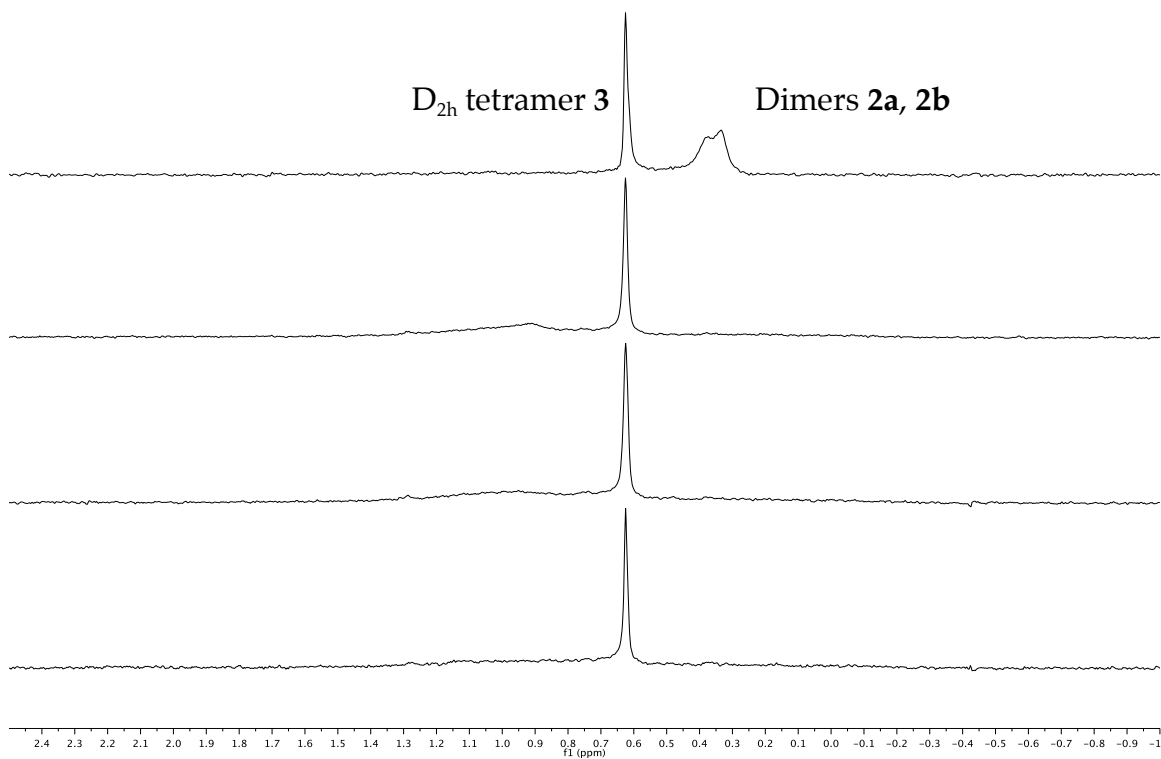


**Figure 21.**  $^6\text{Li}$  NMR spectra of the sequential addition of the oxazolidinone precursor of **5** to  $[\text{}^6\text{Li}^{15}\text{N}]\text{LDA}$ , (0.16, 0.50, 0.84, 1.0 eq of the oxazolidinone of **5**, 0.10 M  $[\text{}^6\text{Li}^{15}\text{N}]\text{LDA}$ , THF,  $-60\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ )

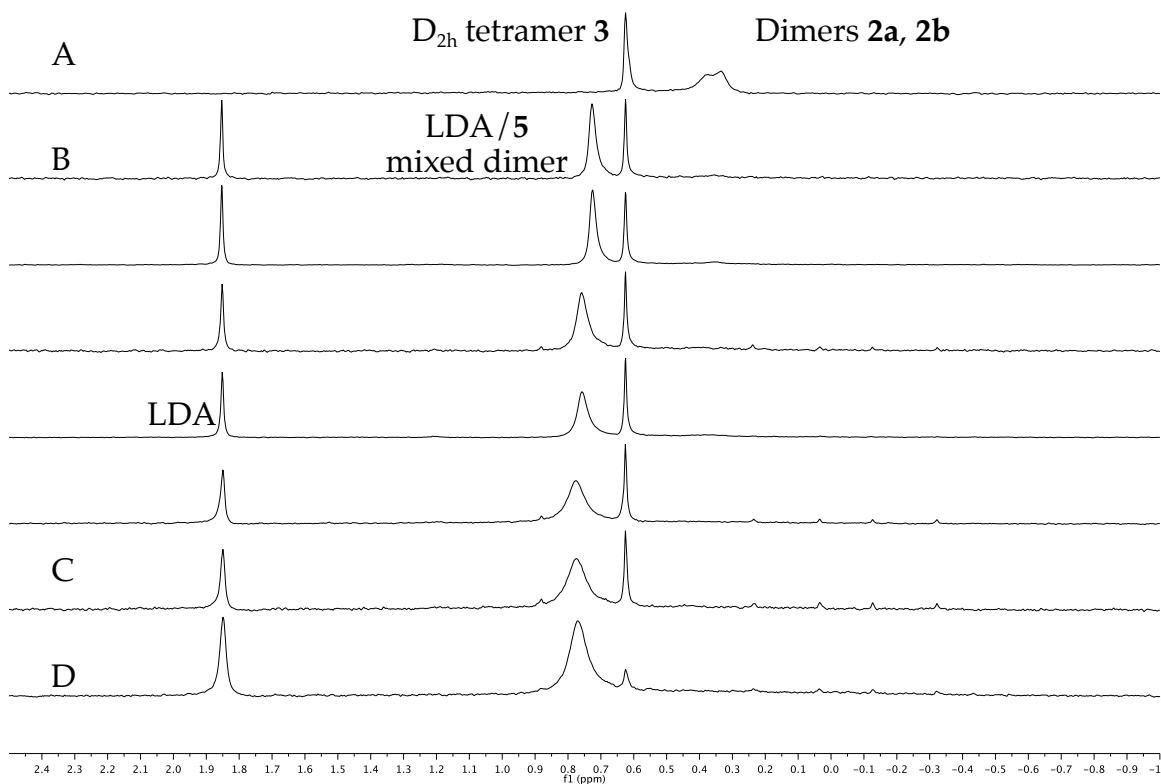


**Figure 22.**  ${}^6\text{Li}$  NMR spectrum of (*R,S*)-**6** (0.10 M **5**, 0.20 M isobutyraldehyde, THF,  $-80\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ )

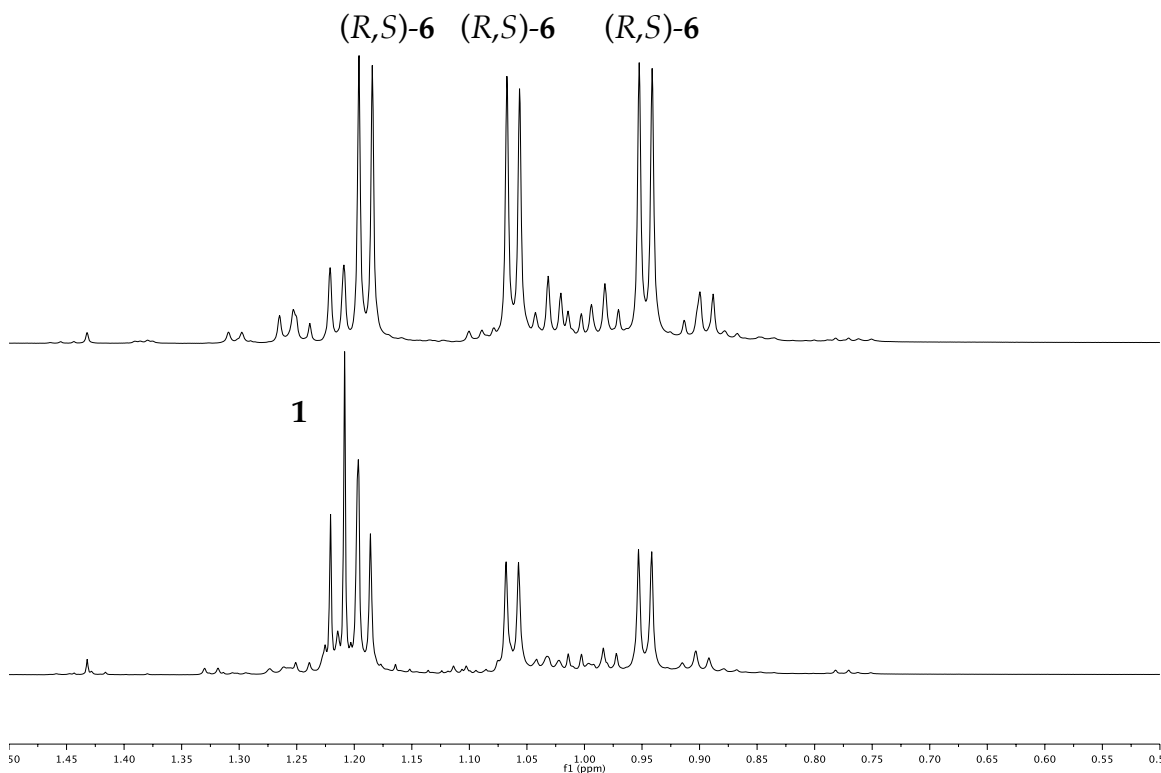




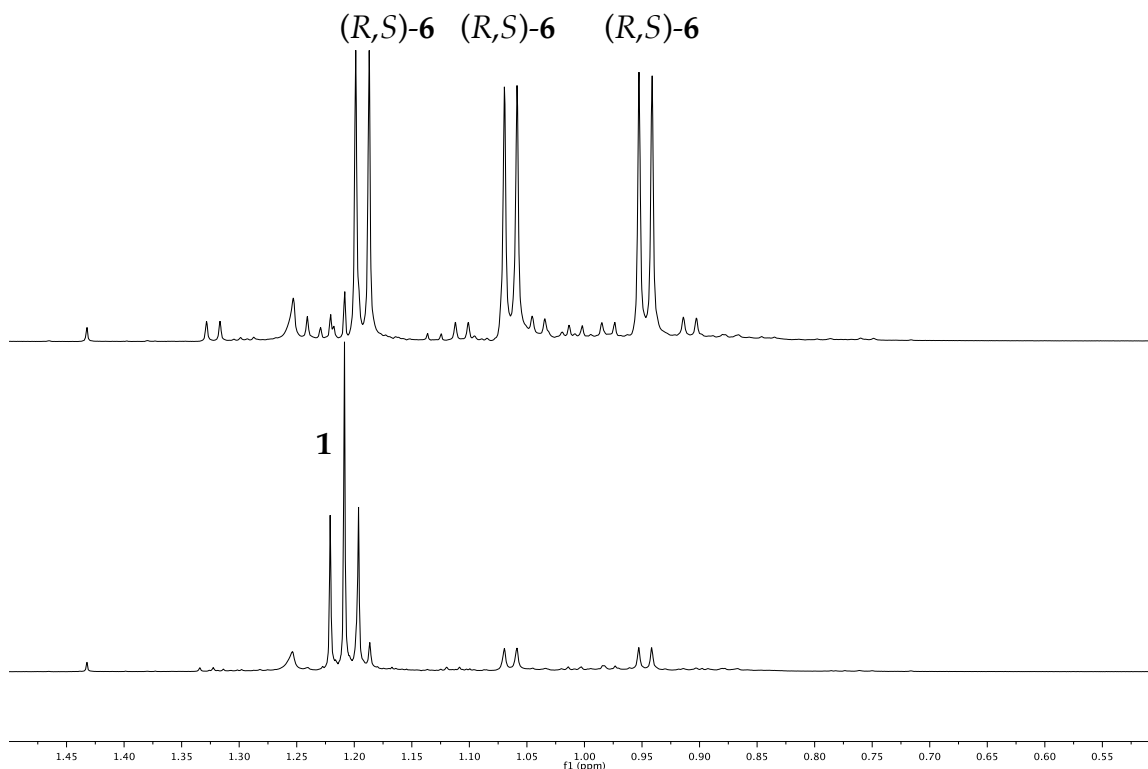
**Figure 23.**  $^6\text{Li}$  NMR spectra of equilibrated enolate **5**, followed by aging with the addition of isobutyraldehyde at  $-70\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  for 4, 20, and 44 minutes (0.10 M **5**, 0.20 M isobutyraldehyde, THF,  $-80\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ). The resulting peaks corresponding to (*R,S*)-**6** are too broad to be seen.



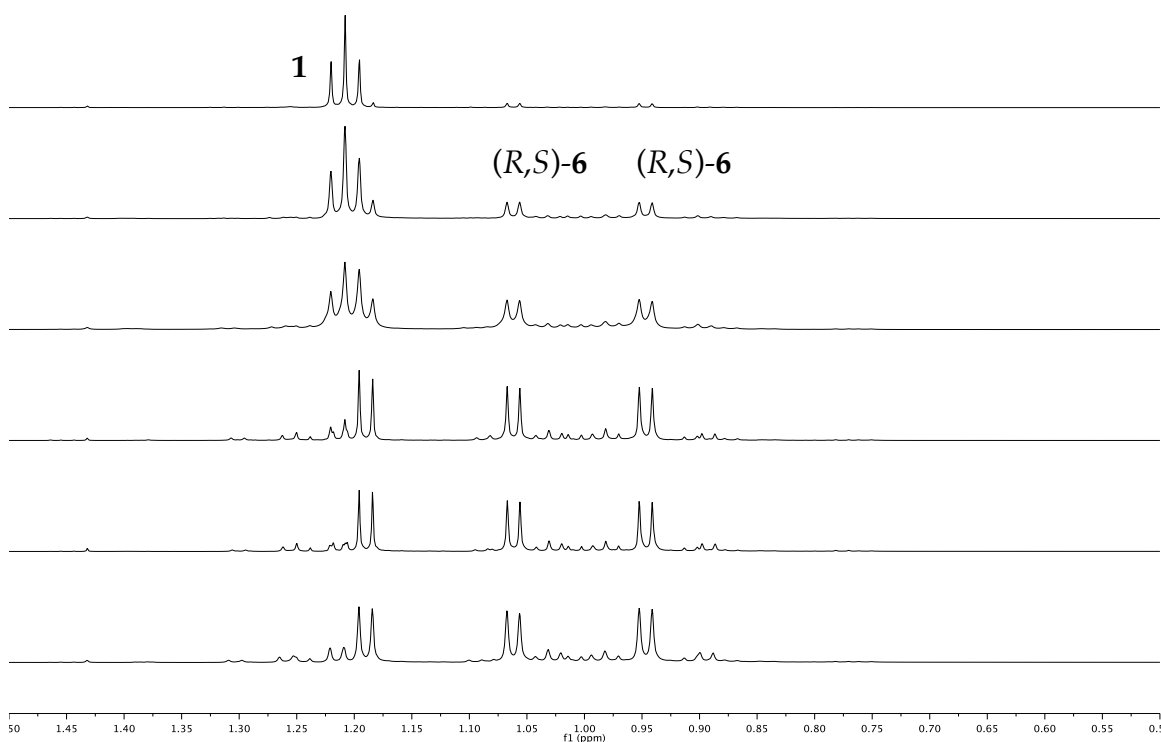
**Figure 24.**  $^6\text{Li}$  NMR spectra of the addition of LDA to an equilibrated sample of **5** (A) aged for 160 minutes (B-C), followed by aging at  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  for 10 min (D) (0.10 **5**, 0.20 M isobutyraldehyde, THF,  $-70\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ), illustrating the extraordinarily slow equilibration out of tetramer to the energetically more favorable LDA mixed dimer.



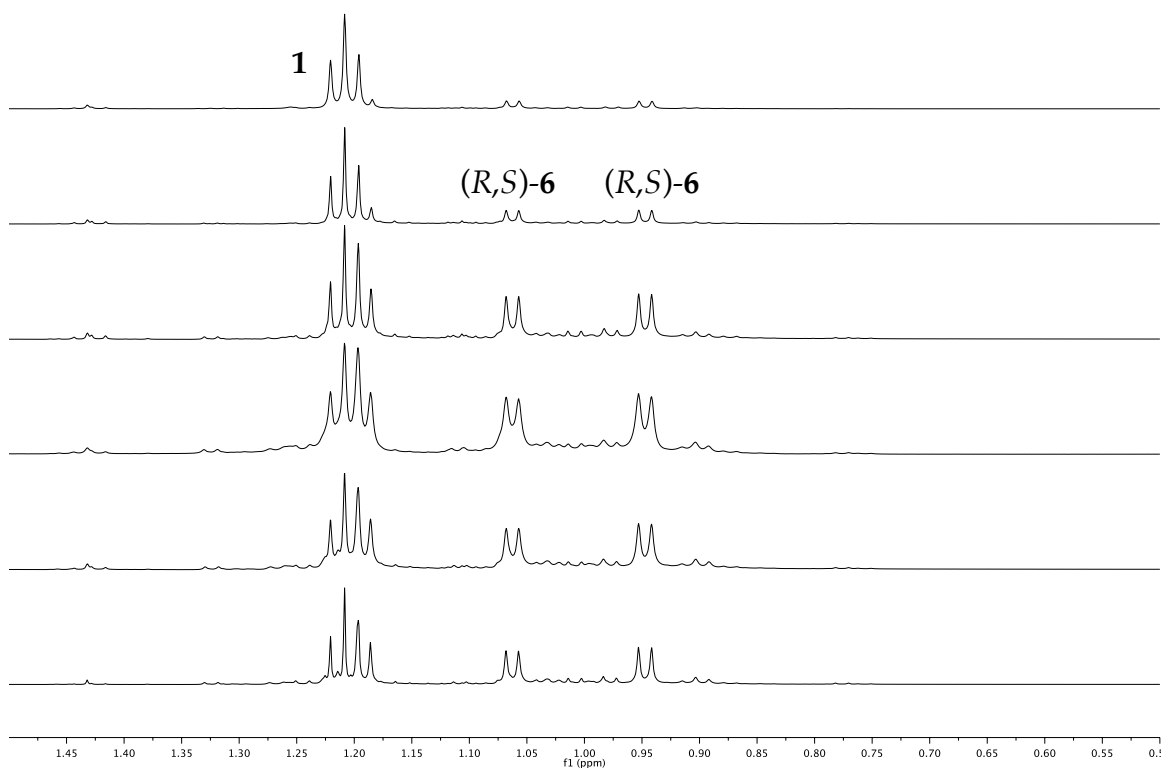
**Figure 25.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra on an unaged **5** and **5** aged 30 minutes at 0° C prior to the aldol in neat THF on the aldol product distribution (0.10 M **5**, 0.20 M isobutyraldehyde, THF, -80 °C). Tetramer is present in the aged sample, resulting in the recovery of significant amounts of unreacted starting material **1** corresponding to the amount of **5** in tetramer. Some dimer does exist in the equilibrated sample in neat THF, resulting in some reactivity.



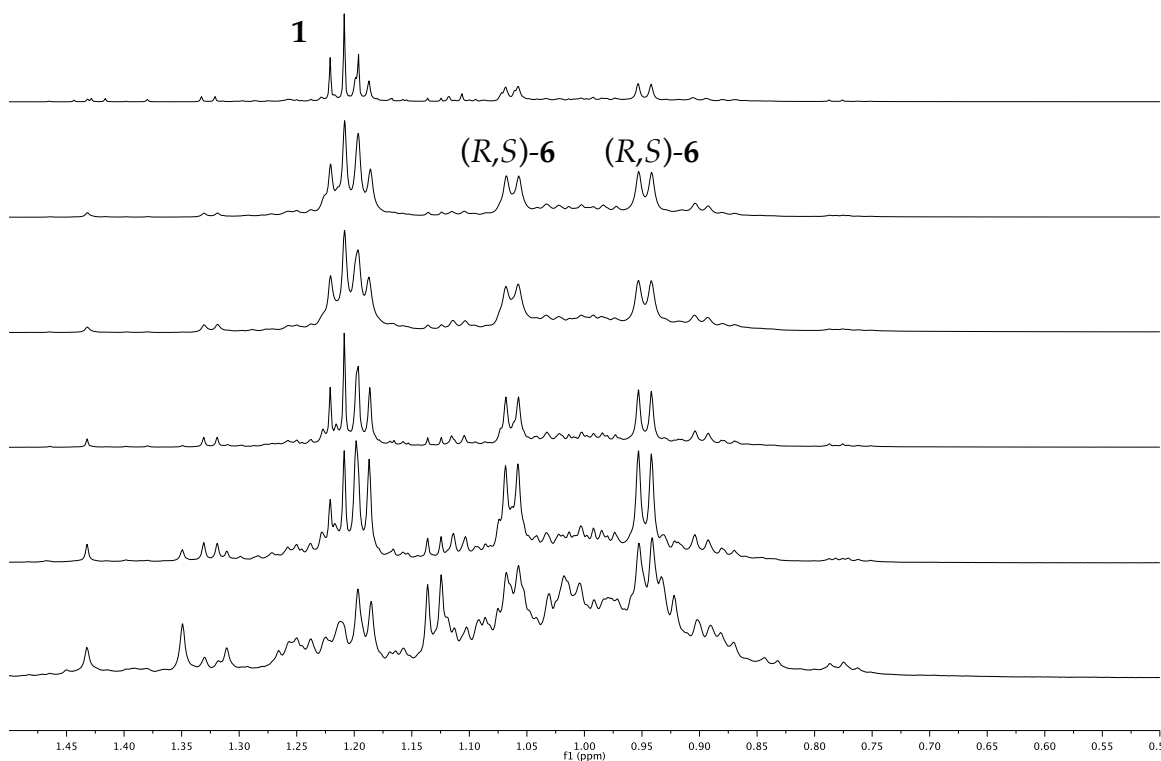
**Figure 26.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra on an unaged enolate **5** and enolate **5** aged 30 minutes at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  prior to the aldol in low THF on the aldol product distribution (0.10 M **5**, 0.20 M isobutyraldehyde, 0.20 M THF, toluene,  $-80^\circ\text{C}$ ). In the aged sample in low THF there is minimal dimer present, resulting in minimal reactivity.



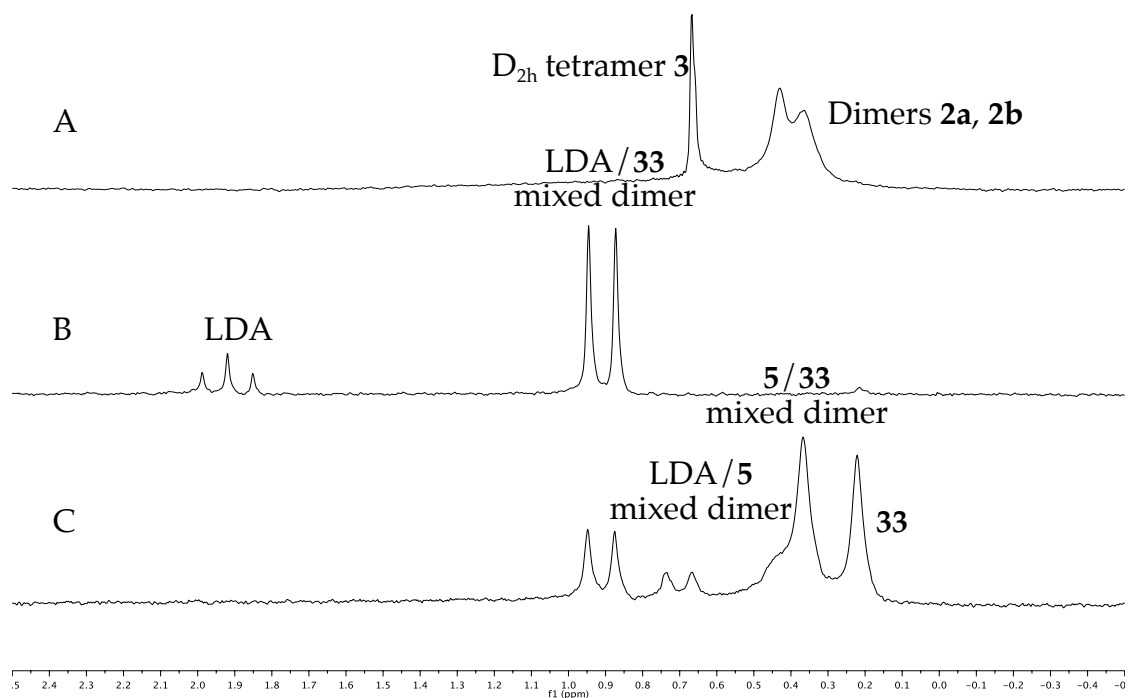
**Figure 27.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra changing equivalents of isobutyraldehyde (0.10, 0.25, 0.50, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0) on the aldol product distribution in neat THF with an unaged enolate (0.10 M **5**, changing isobutyraldehyde, THF, -80 °C). The amount of recovered starting material corresponds to the deficit of aldehyde as expected. Notably no erosion of selectivity is observed.



**Figure 28.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra changing equivalents of isobutyraldehyde (0.10, 0.25, 0.50, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0) on the aldol product distribution in neat THF with enolate **5** aged 30 minutes at  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  (0.10 M **5**, changing isobutyraldehyde, THF,  $-80\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ). The amount of recovered starting material corresponds to the deficit of aldehyde until the dimer is used up, after which no further reactivity is observed. Notably no erosion of selectivity is observed.

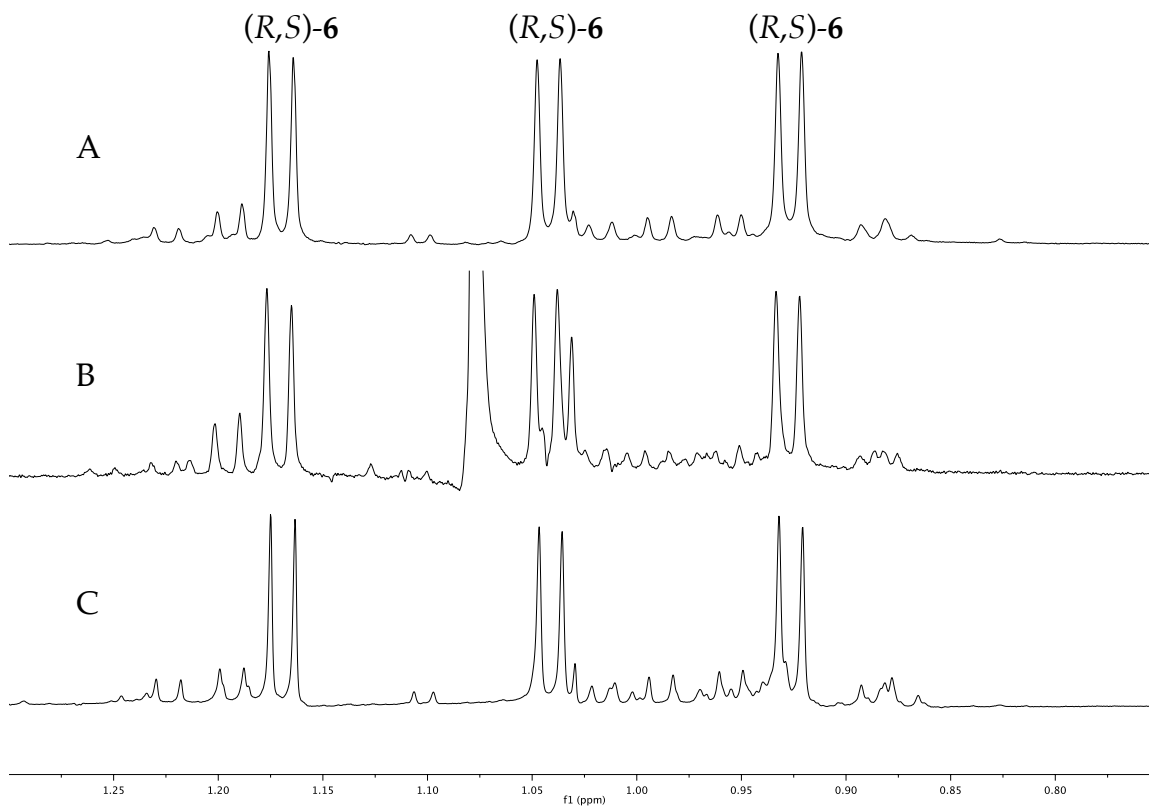


**Figure 29.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra changing equivalents of LDA (1.1, 1.25, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0) on the aldol product distribution in neat THF with an enolate aged 30 minutes at  $0\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  (0.10 M 5, 0.20 M isobutyraldehyde, THF,  $-80\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ). Additional LDA does not improve either the selectivity or the percent conversion but does lead to degradation of the sample.



**Figure 30.** Kinetic mixed dimer formation. Spectrum A is an equilibrated sample of **5**. Spectrum B is **33** with 1 additional equivalent of  $[\text{}^6\text{Li}]\text{LDA}$ . Spectrum C is spectra 2 plus one equivalent of oxazolidinone **1** unaged. (0.10 M **5**, 0.10 M **33**, THF,  $-78\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ )

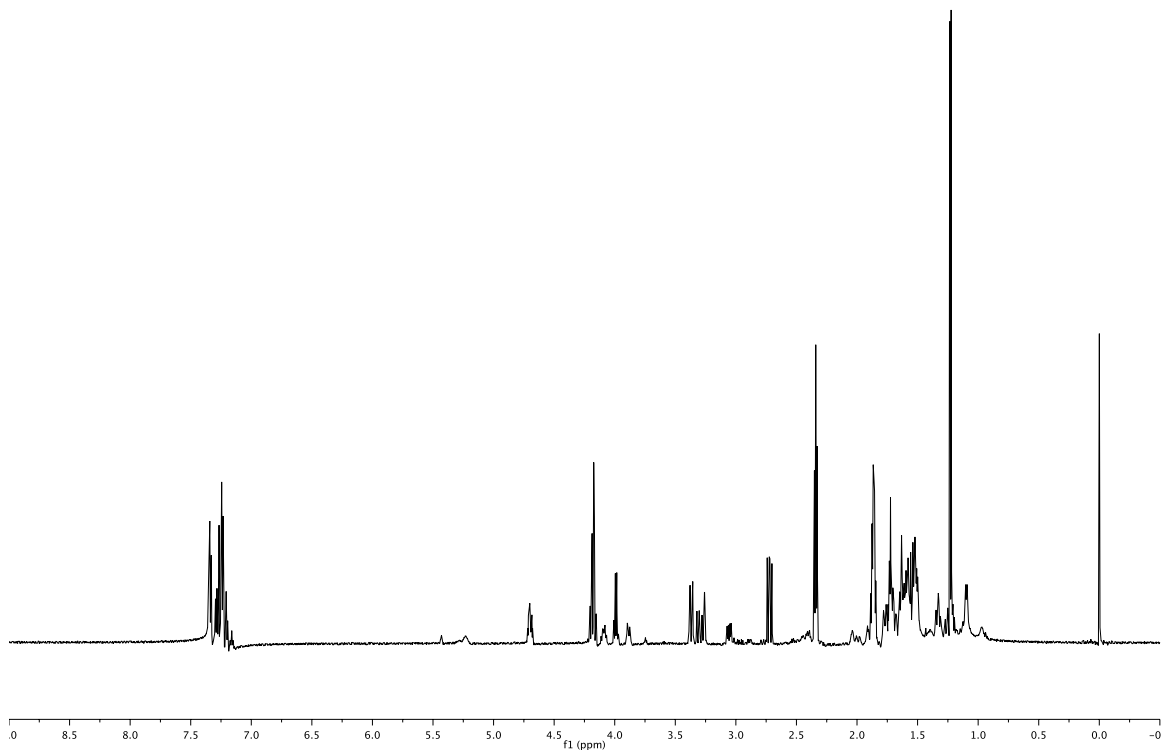




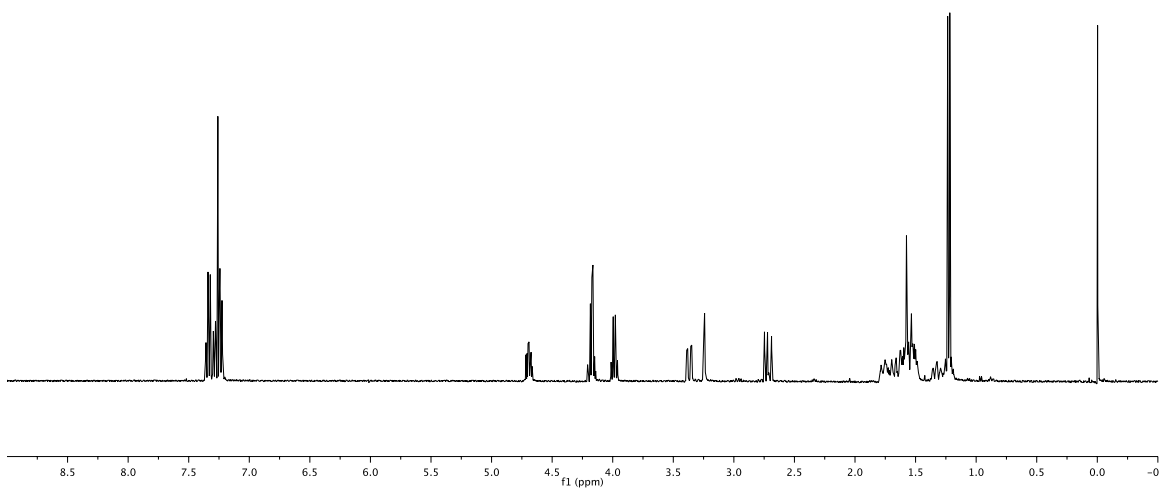
**Figure 31.** Kinetic mixed dimer selectivities. Spectrum A is enolate **5** alone. Spectrum B is enolate **5** plus one equivalent of enolate **33**. Spectrum C is enolate **5** plus one equivalent of enolate **34**. (0.10 M **5**, 0.10 M **33**/**34**, 0.20 M isobutyraldehyde, THF, -78 °C). No change in selectivity or percent conversion is noted.

## Part 4: Ketone Aldol Kinetics

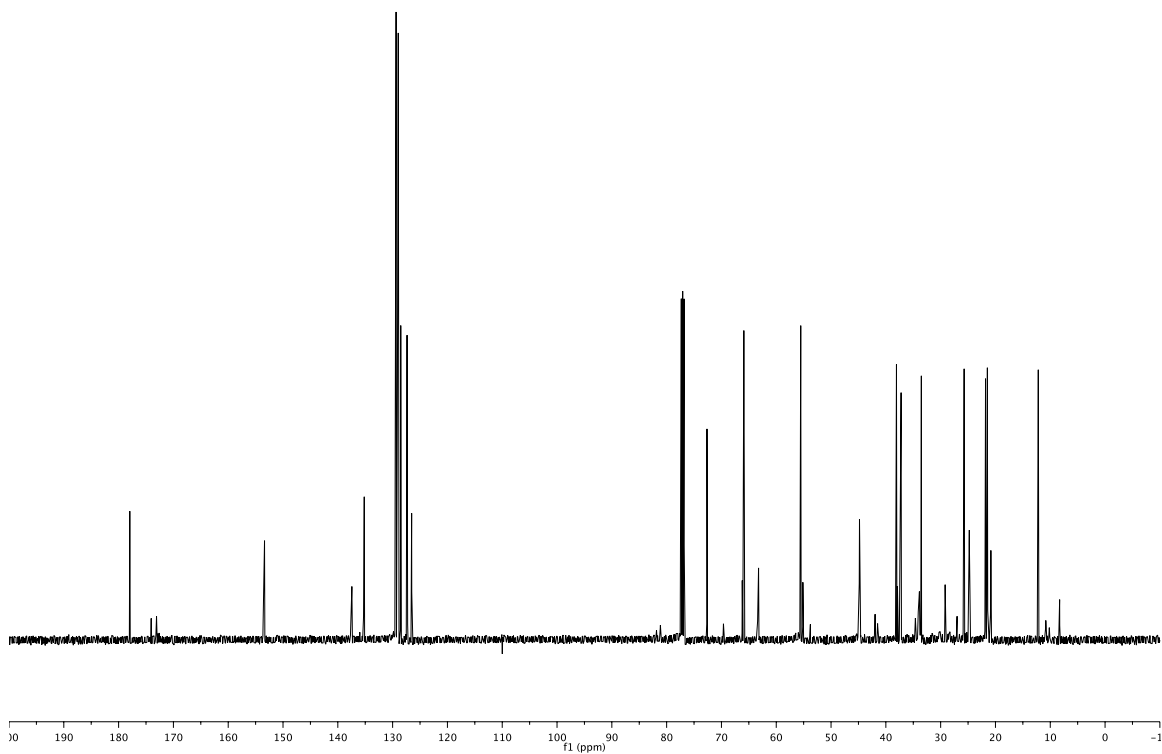
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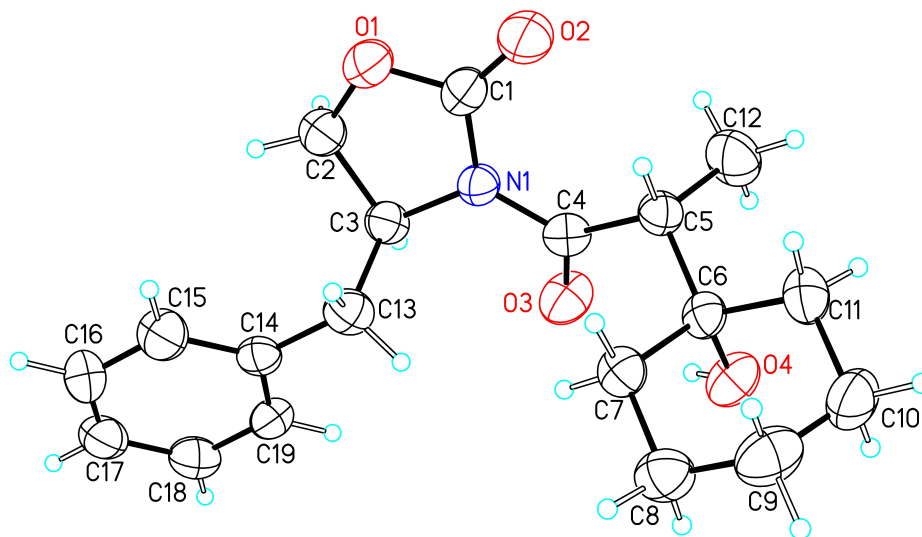
**Figure 32.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of crude aldol product of the aldol reaction between cyclohexanone and enolate **5**.



**Figure 33.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of recrystallized (*R*)-7



**Figure 34.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of recrystallized (*R*)-7



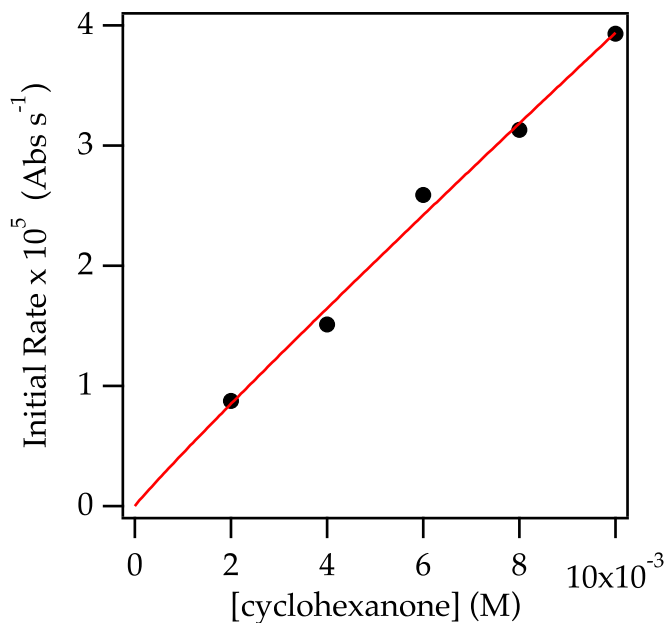
**Figure 35.** X-ray crystal structure of (R)-7.

**Table 3.** Crystal data and structural refinement of recrystallized (R)-7 aldol product

Empirical formula	C <sub>19</sub> H <sub>25</sub> N O <sub>4</sub>	
Formula weight	331.40	
Temperature	296(2) K	
Wavelength	0.71073 Å	
Crystal system	Orthorhombic	
Space group	P2(1)2(1)2(1)	
Unit cell dimensions	a = 5.7701(6) Å	a = 90°.
	b = 13.3976(12) Å	b = 90°.
	c = 22.752(2) Å	g = 90°.
Volume	1758.8(3) Å <sup>3</sup>	
Z	4	
Density (calculated)	1.252 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Absorption coefficient	0.087 mm <sup>-1</sup>	
F(000)	712	
Crystal size	0.60 x 0.05 x 0.03 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Theta range for data collection	1.76 to 23.84°.	
Index ranges	-6 ≤ h ≤ 5, -14 ≤ k ≤ 15, -25 ≤ l ≤ 18	
Reflections collected	5883	
Independent reflections	2552 [R(int) = 0.0270]	
Completeness to theta = 23.84°	98.4 %	
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents	
Max. and min. transmission	0.9978 and 0.9495	
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>	
Data / restraints / parameters	2552 / 0 / 217	
Goodness-of-fit on F <sup>2</sup>	1.060	
Final R indices [I > 2σ(I)]	R1 = 0.0356, wR2 = 0.0662	
R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0812, wR2 = 0.0808	
Absolute structure parameter	0.8(16)	
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.118 and -0.168 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>	

**Table 4.** Atomic coordinates ( $\times 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacement parameters ( $\text{\AA}^2 \times 10^3$ ).  $U(\text{eq})$  is defined as one third of the trace of the orthogonalized  $U^{ij}$  tensor.

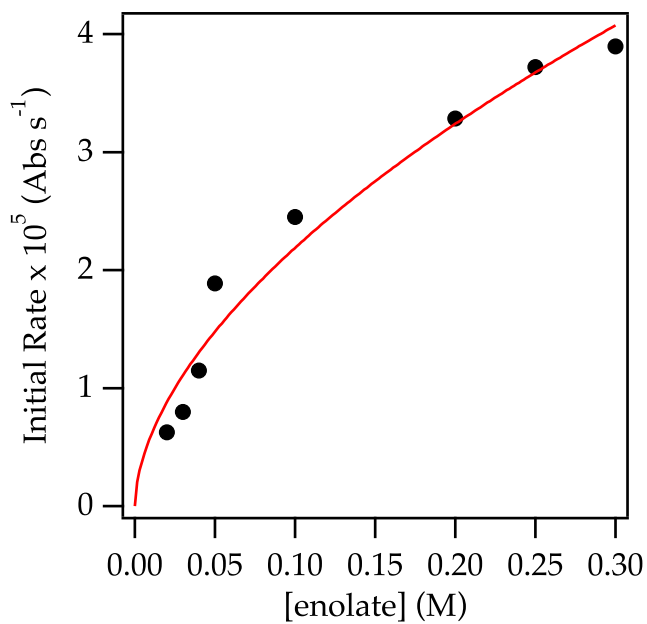
	x	y	z	U(eq)
O(1)	4296(3)	6930(1)	-12(1)	68(1)
O(2)	4965(4)	7541(2)	882(1)	77(1)
O(3)	9589(3)	5158(1)	911(1)	66(1)
O(4)	9808(3)	4834(1)	2108(1)	62(1)
N(1)	6643(4)	6055(1)	563(1)	44(1)
C(1)	5273(5)	6904(2)	522(1)	56(1)
C(2)	5259(6)	6162(2)	-383(1)	66(1)
C(3)	6456(5)	5441(2)	31(1)	47(1)
C(4)	8138(5)	5797(2)	1015(1)	47(1)
C(5)	7865(4)	6244(2)	1621(1)	47(1)
C(6)	7690(4)	5397(2)	2085(1)	44(1)
C(7)	5682(4)	4701(2)	1941(1)	50(1)
C(8)	5253(6)	3916(2)	2414(1)	65(1)
C(9)	4904(6)	4384(2)	3010(1)	75(1)
C(10)	6968(6)	5037(2)	3159(1)	72(1)
C(11)	7367(6)	5836(2)	2695(1)	64(1)
C(12)	9875(6)	6976(2)	1725(1)	79(1)
C(13)	5087(5)	4496(2)	166(1)	55(1)
C(14)	4892(5)	3801(2)	-348(1)	45(1)
C(15)	2988(5)	3791(2)	-714(1)	62(1)
C(16)	2856(6)	3138(2)	-1181(1)	71(1)
C(17)	4593(6)	2484(2)	-1289(1)	65(1)
C(18)	6497(6)	2472(2)	-932(1)	66(1)
C(19)	6653(5)	3132(2)	-462(1)	56(1)



**Figure 36.** Plot of initial rate vs. [cyclohexanone] in neat THF at -78 °C (0.1 M of oxazolidinone **1**, 0.095 M LDA, THF, -78 °C). The data was fit to  $y = ax^b$  such that  $b = 0.95 \pm 0.06$  corresponding to a first-order dependence on cyclohexanone.

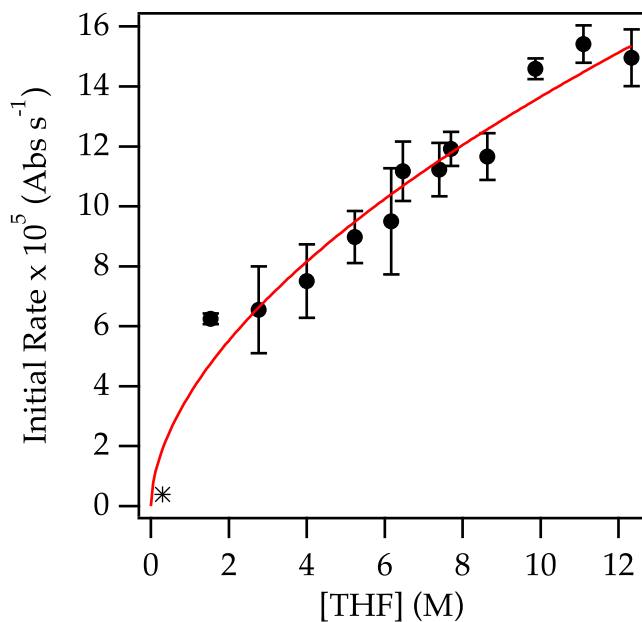
[cyclohexanone]	Initial Rate × 10 <sup>5</sup>
0.01	3.93
0.008	3.13
0.006	2.59
0.004	1.51
0.002	0.875





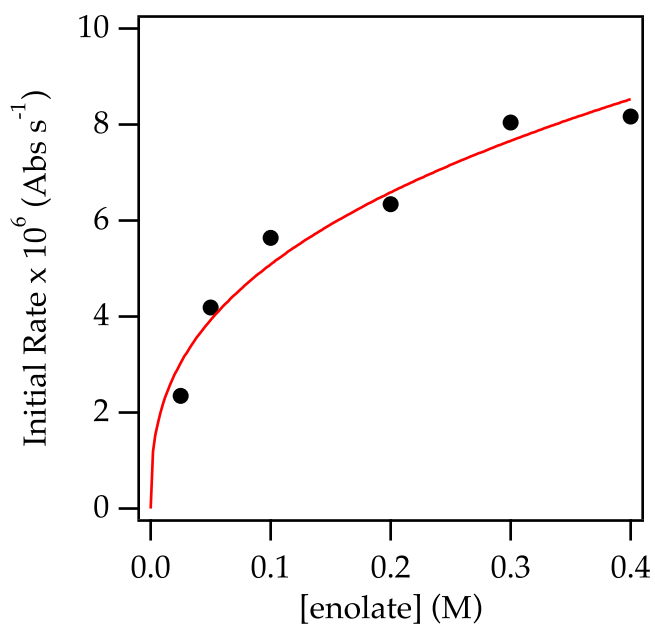
**Figure 37.** Plot of initial rate vs. [5] in neat THF at -78 °C (0.95 equiv LDA, 0.005 M cyclohexanone, THF, -78 °C). The data was fit to  $y = ax^b$ , such that  $b = 0.57 \pm 0.05$  corresponding to a half-order dependence on 5.

[5]	Initial Rate x 10 <sup>5</sup>
0.02	0.589
0.03	1.059
0.04	1.089
0.05	2.918
0.1	3.115
0.2	3.744
0.25	5.115
0.3	4.647



**Figure 38.** Plot of initial rate vs. [THF] with toluene cosolvent at -78 °C (0.10 M of oxazolidinone **1**, 0.095 M LDA, 0.005 M cyclohexanone, -78 °C). The data was fit to  $y = ax^b$ , such that  $b = 0.56 \pm 0.05$  corresponding to a half-order dependence on THF. The \* denotes a measured point that was not included in the fit.

[THF]	Initial Rate x 10 <sup>5</sup>
12.33	15.62
11.10	15.85
9.86	14.83
8.63	12.21
7.40	11.85
6.17	10.76
7.70	12.32
6.47	11.87
5.24	9.59
4.00	8.37
2.77	7.57
1.54	6.37
12.33	14.28
11.10	14.97
9.86	14.34
8.63	11.11
7.40	10.59
6.17	8.25
7.70	11.52
6.47	10.46
5.24	8.37
4.00	6.64
2.77	5.53
1.54	6.12

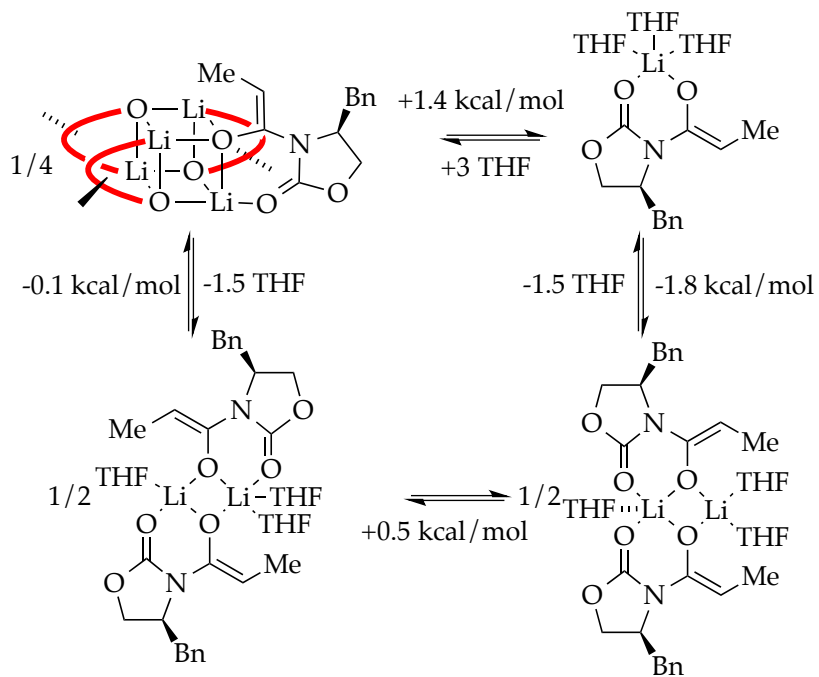


**Figure 39.** Plot of initial rate vs. [5] of a sample containing only tetramer (0.095 equiv LDA, 0.005 M cyclohexanone, 0.8 M THF, toluene, aged 10 minutes at 0 °C, recorded at -40 °C) The data was fit to  $y = ax^b$  such that  $b = 0.37 \pm 0.05$  corresponding to a fractional order dependence on 5.

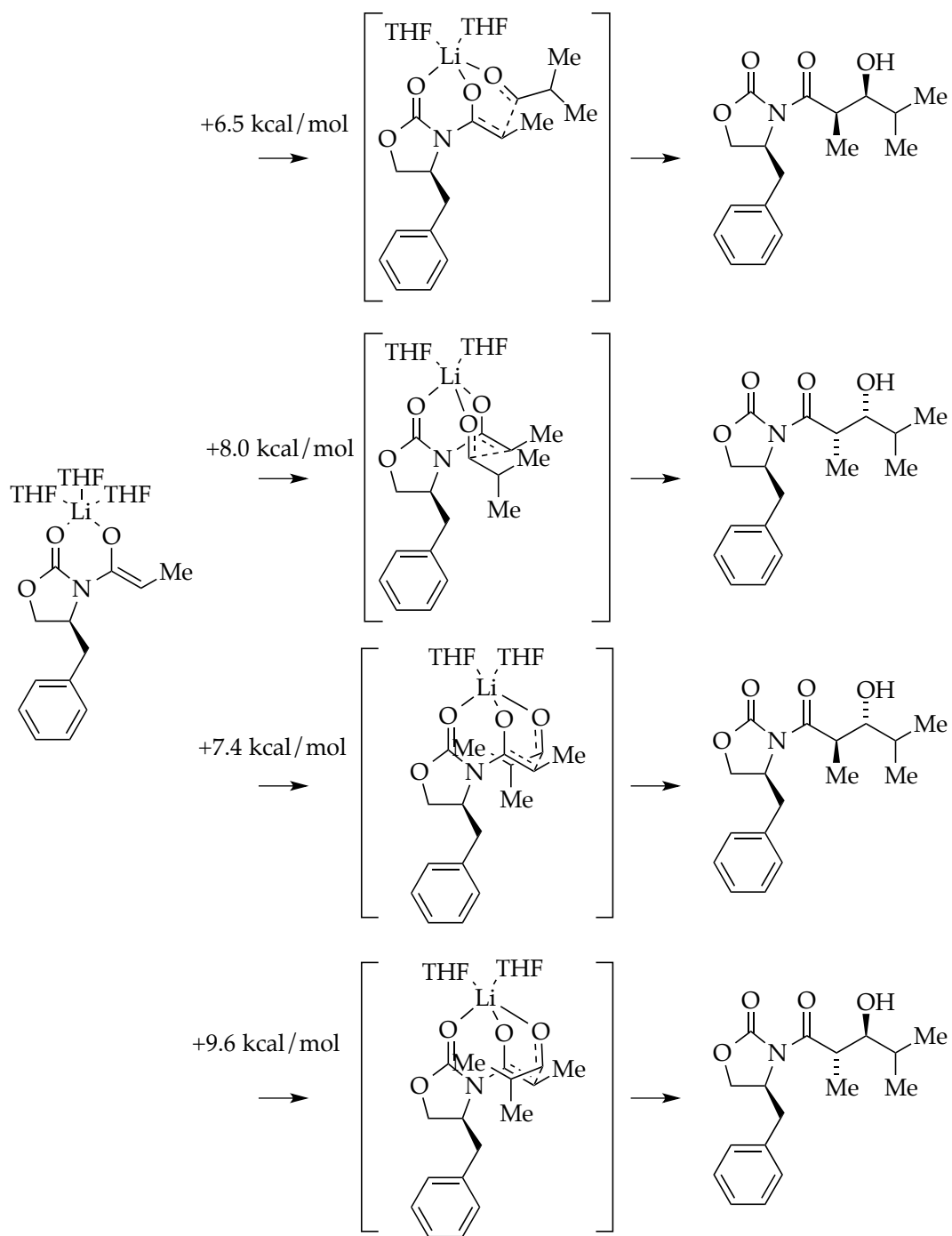
[5]	Initial Rate x 10 <sup>6</sup>
0.025	2.35
0.05	4.19
0.1	5.64
0.2	6.34
0.3	8.04
0.4	8.17

## Part 5: Computations Overview of Enolate 5

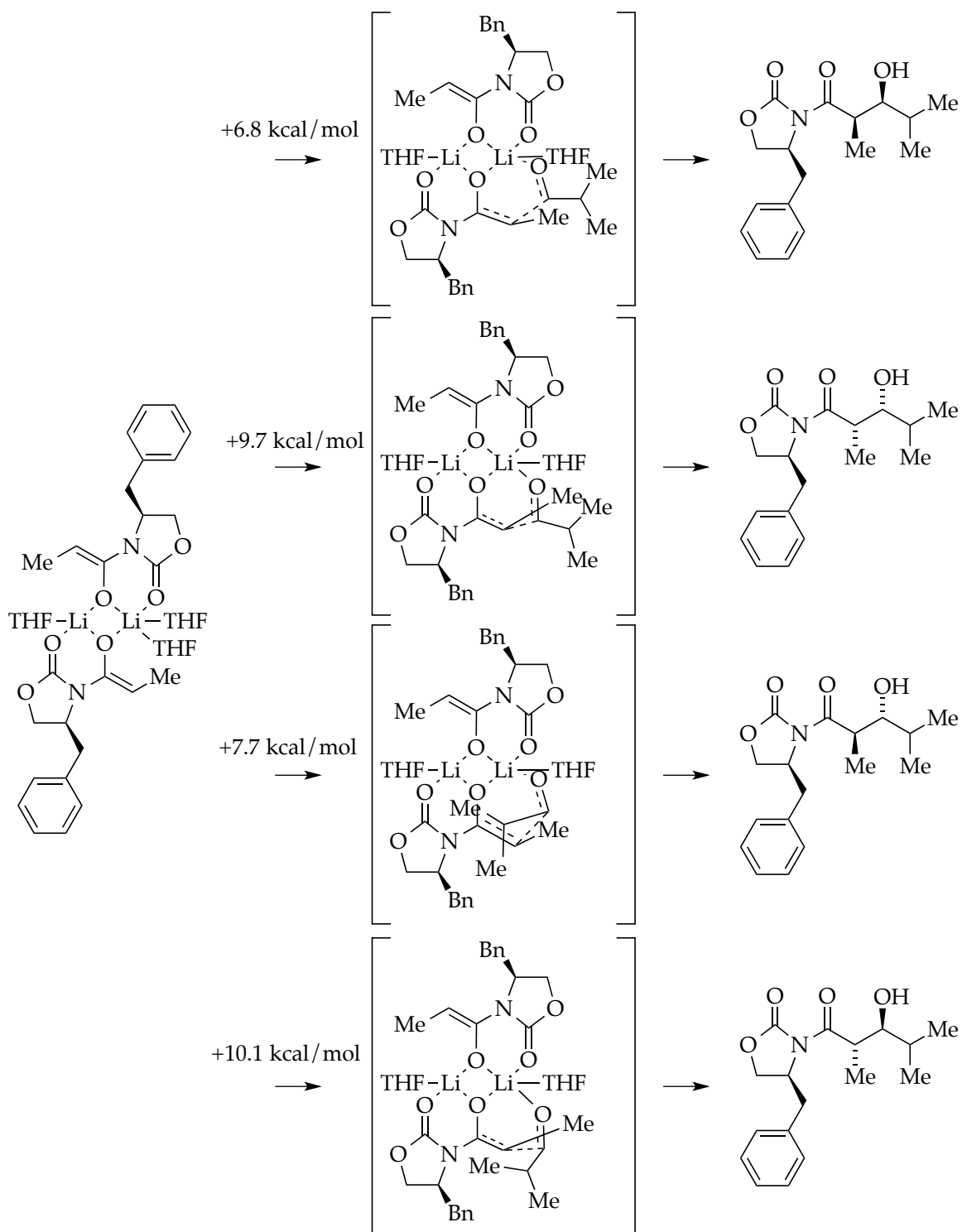
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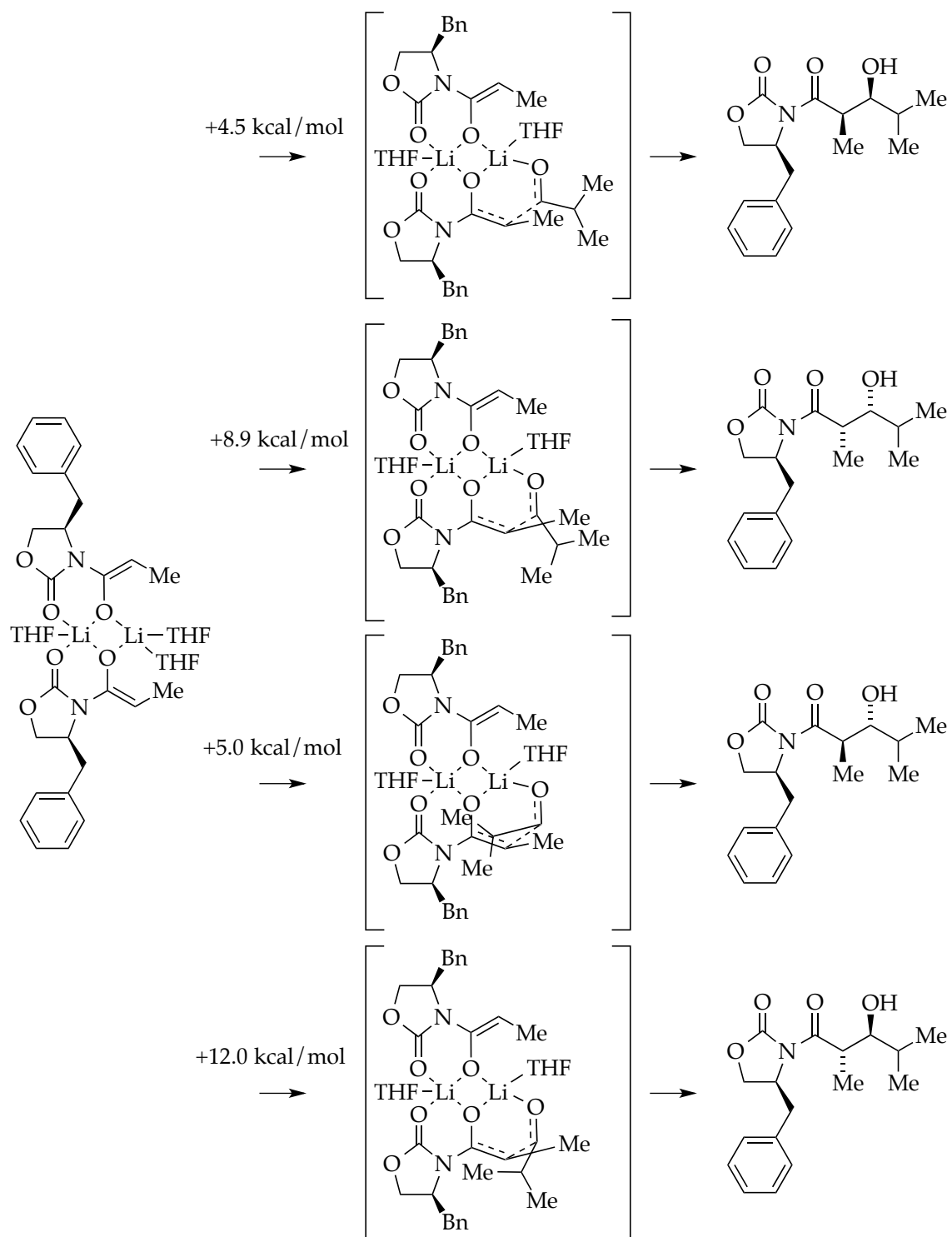
**Figure 40.** Overview of ground state energies, in kcal/mole of enolate



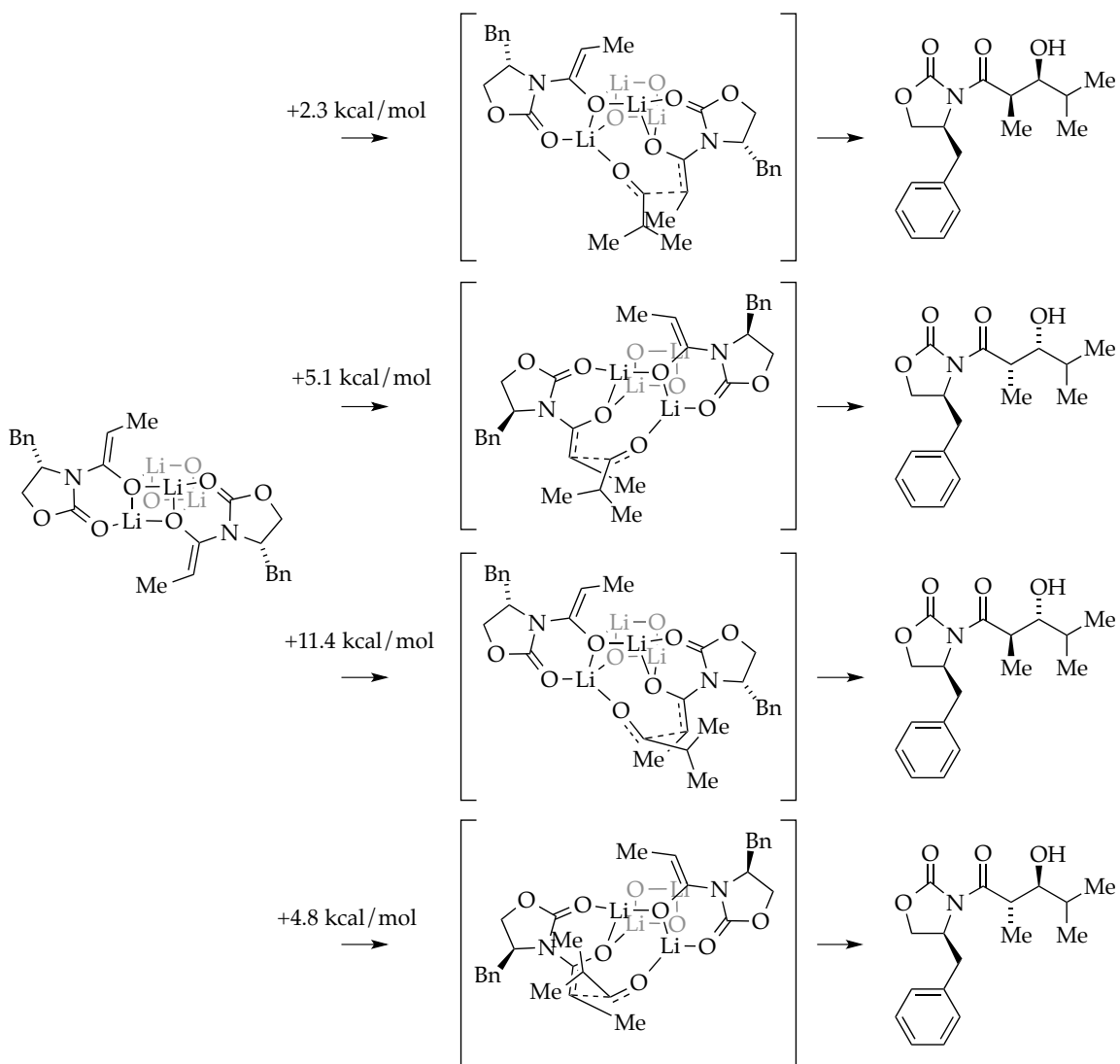
**Figure 41.** Overview of transition states from a monomer ground state.



**Figure 42.** Overview of transition states from a dimer ground state.

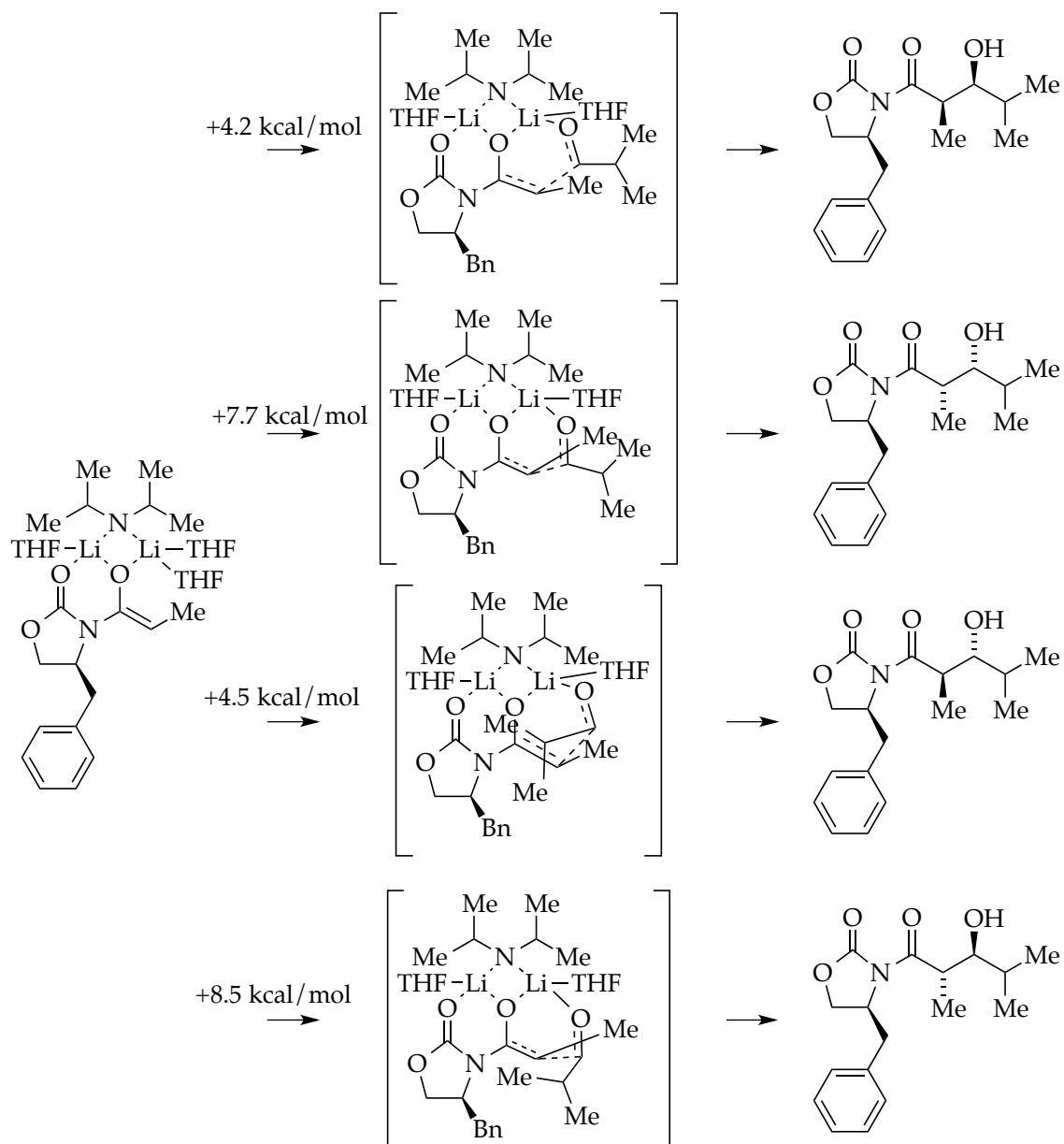


**Figure 43.** Overview of transition states from a spirocyclic dimer ground state.

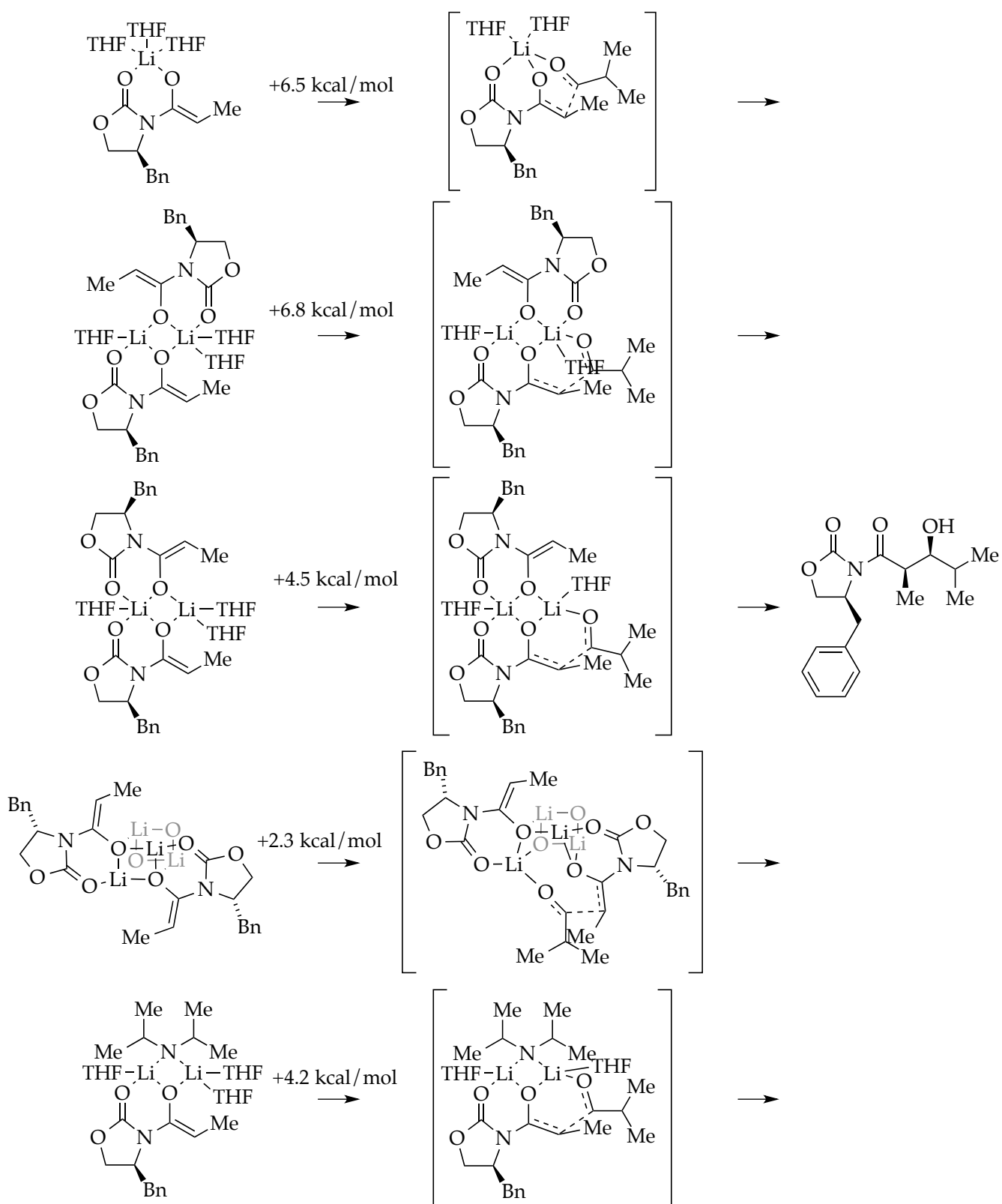


**Figure 44.** Overview of transition states from a tetramer ground state.

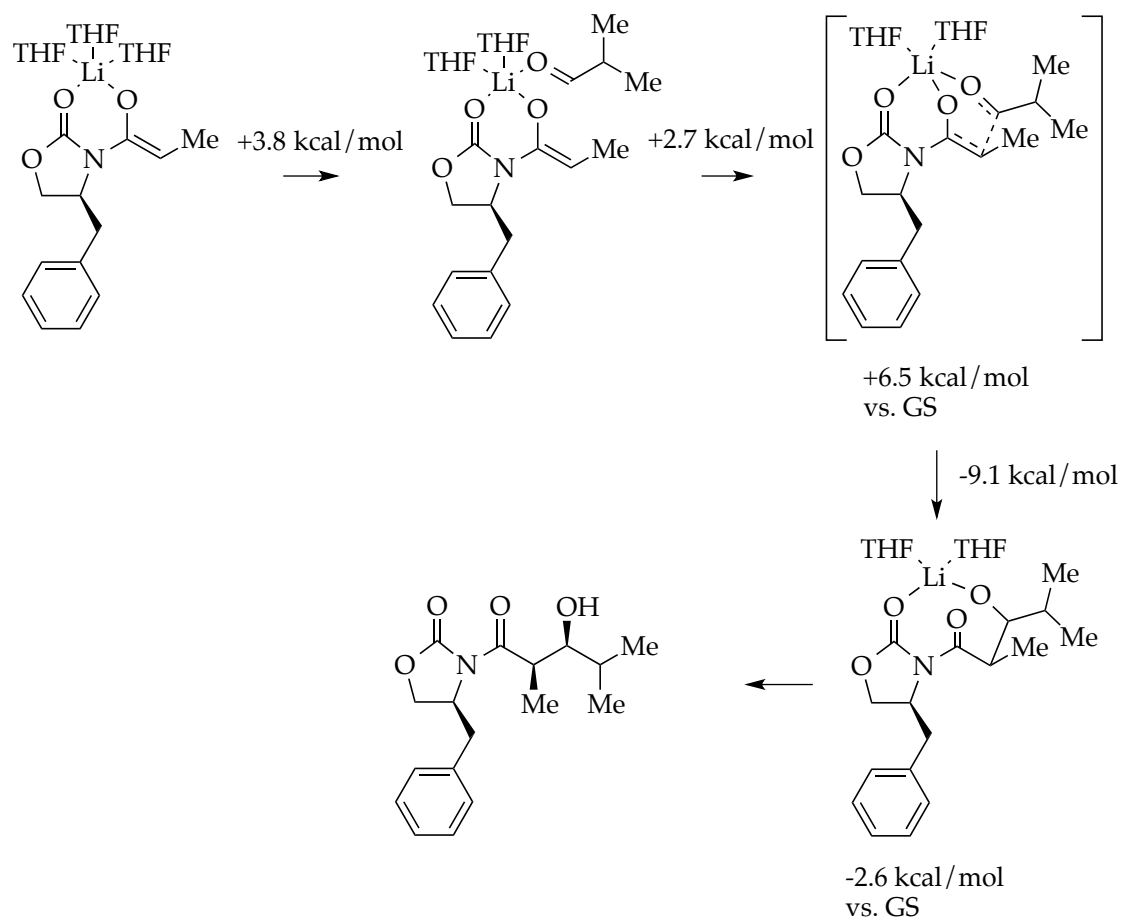




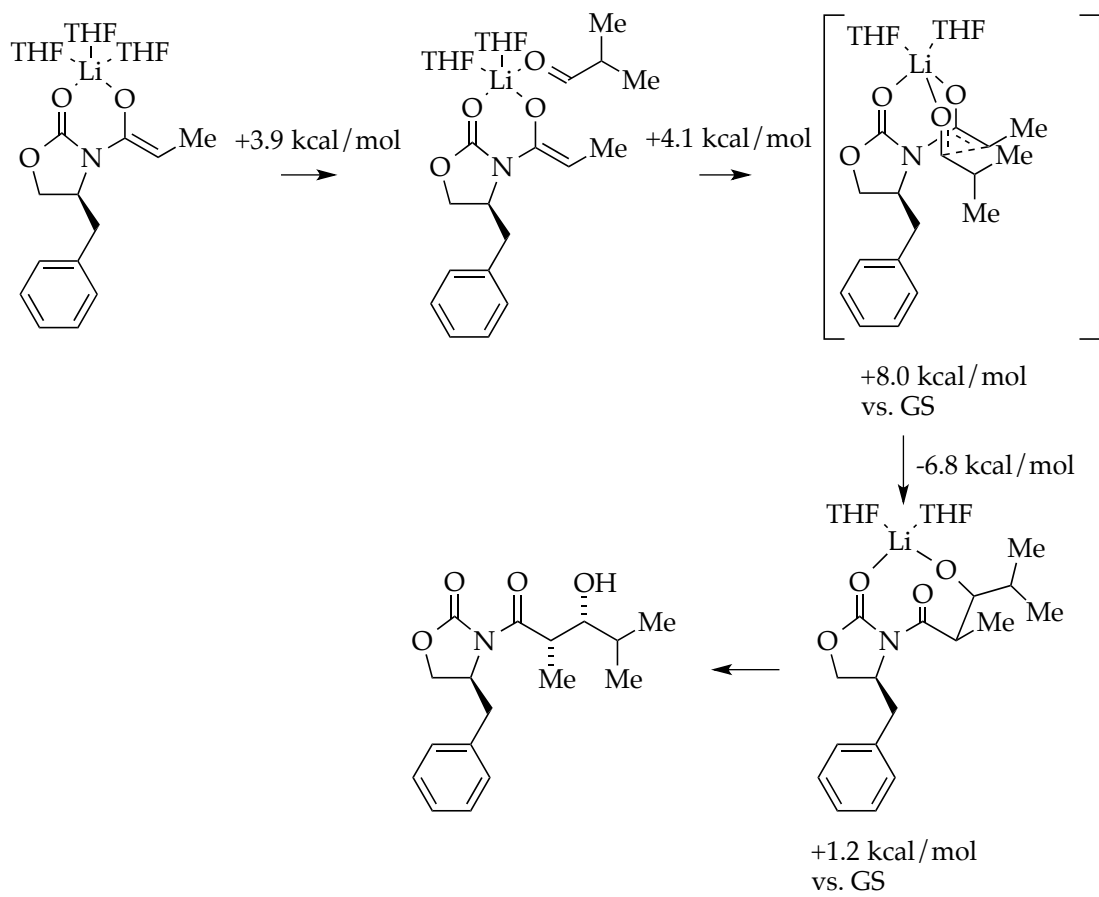
**Figure 45.** Overview of transition states from a LDA 5 mixed dimer ground state.



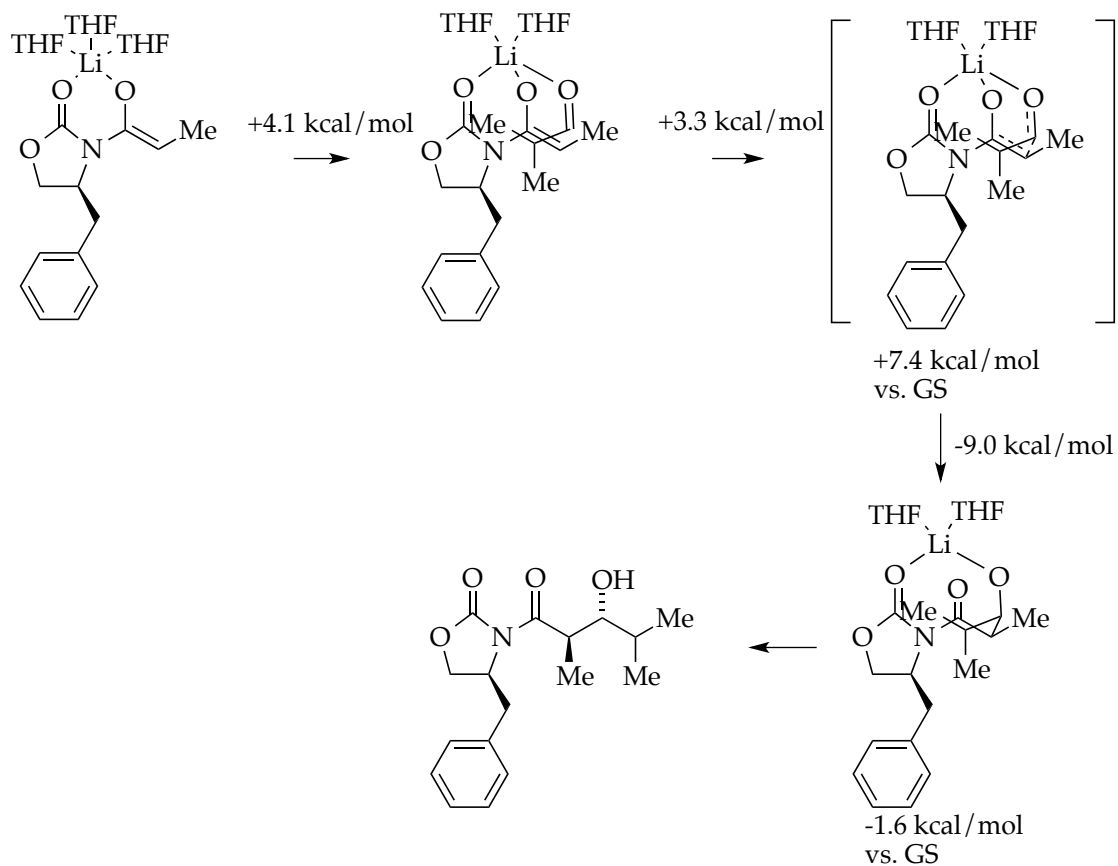
**Figure 46.** Overview of transition state energies leading to (*R,S*)-6



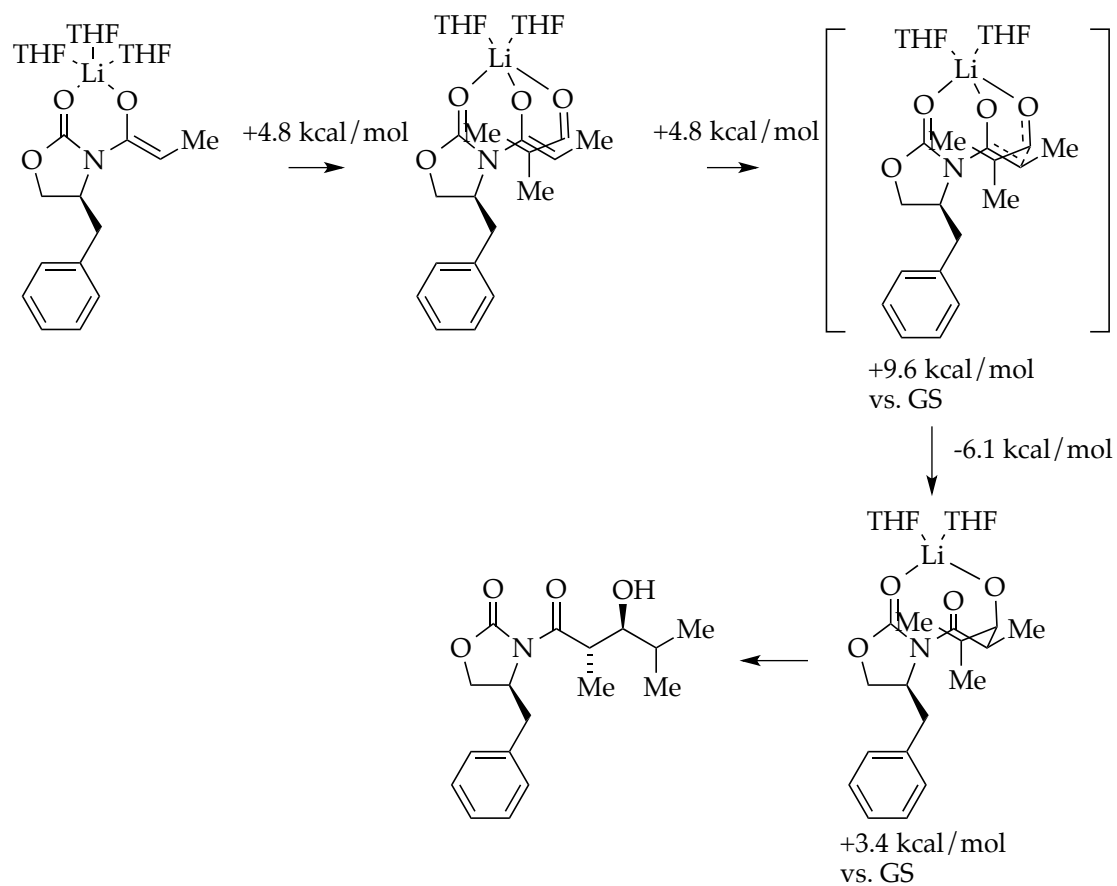
**Figure 47.** Computational overview of the pathway from monomer to (R,S)-6.



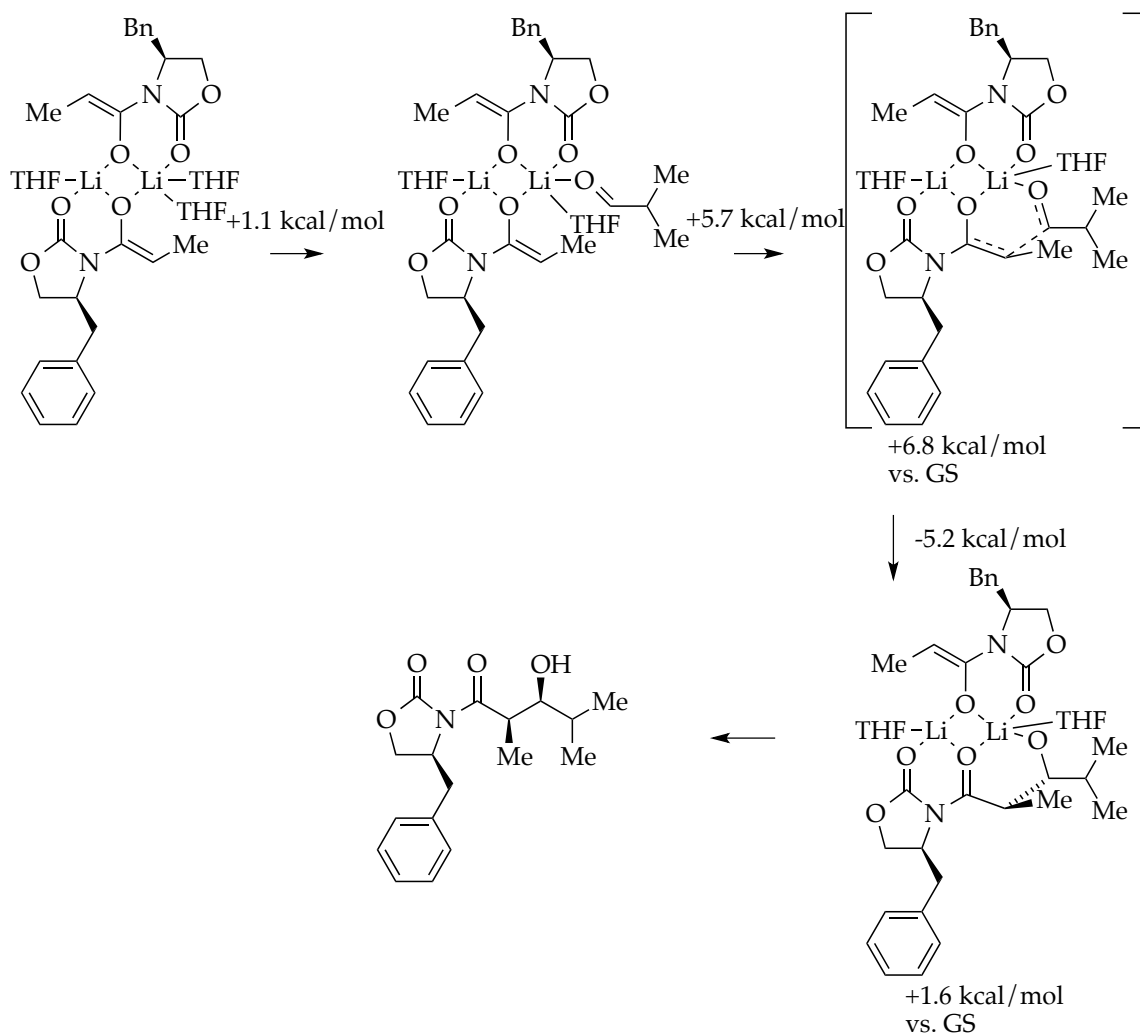
**Figure 48.** Computational overview of the pathway from monomer to (*S,R*)-6.



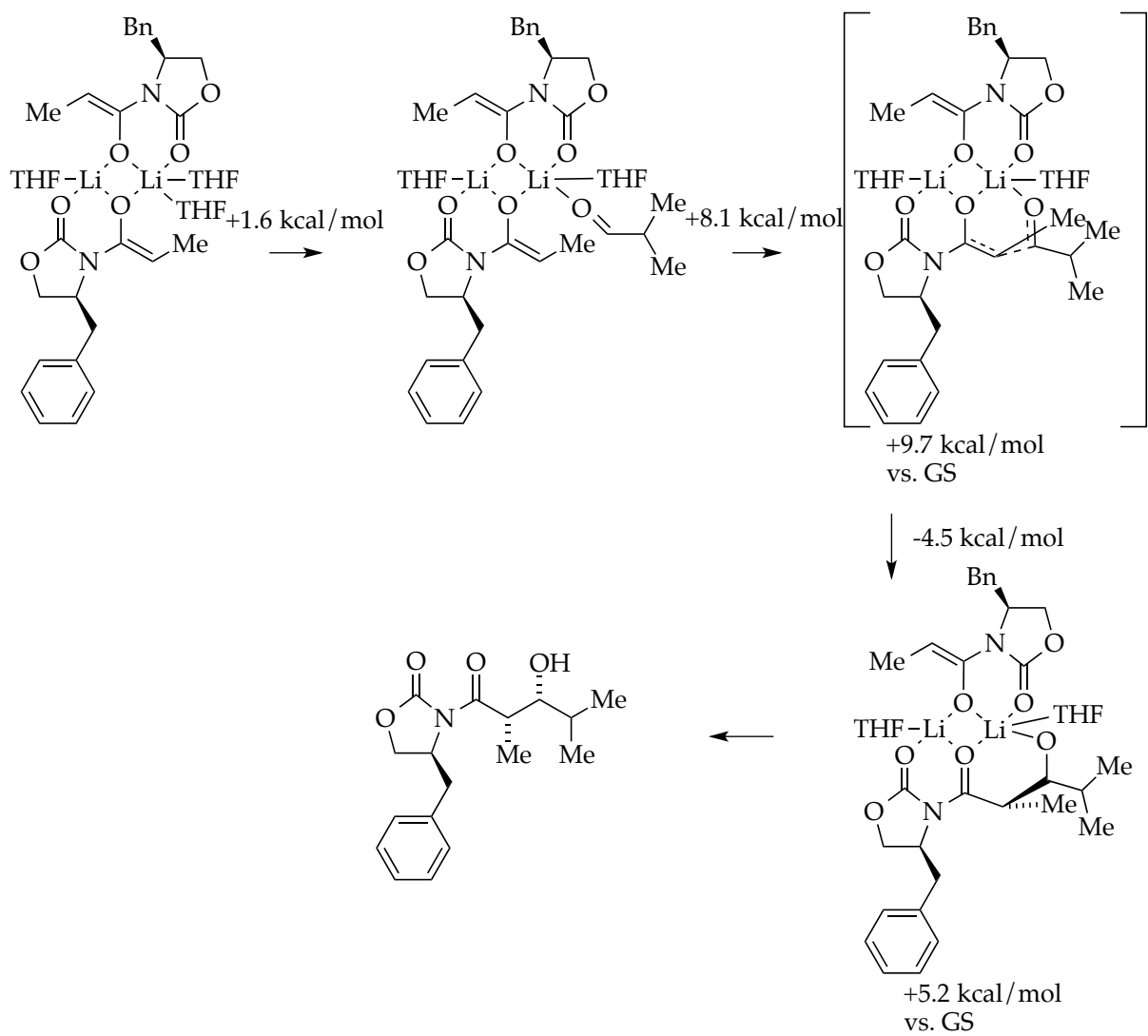
**Figure 49.** Computational overview of the pathway from monomer to  $(R,R)$ -6.



**Figure 50.** Computational overview of the pathway from monomer to *(S,S)*-6.

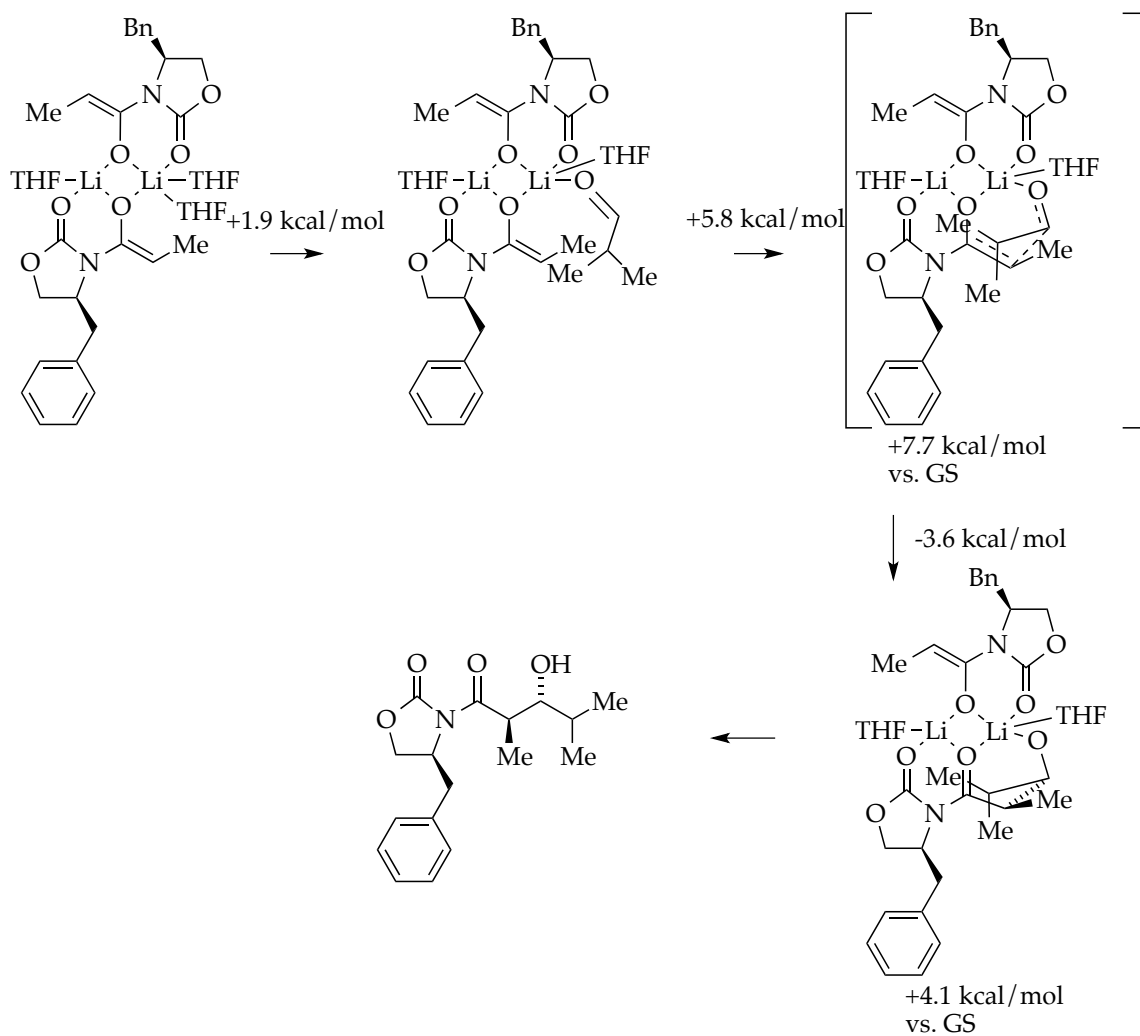


**Figure 51.** Computational overview of the pathway from dimer to *(R,S)*-6.

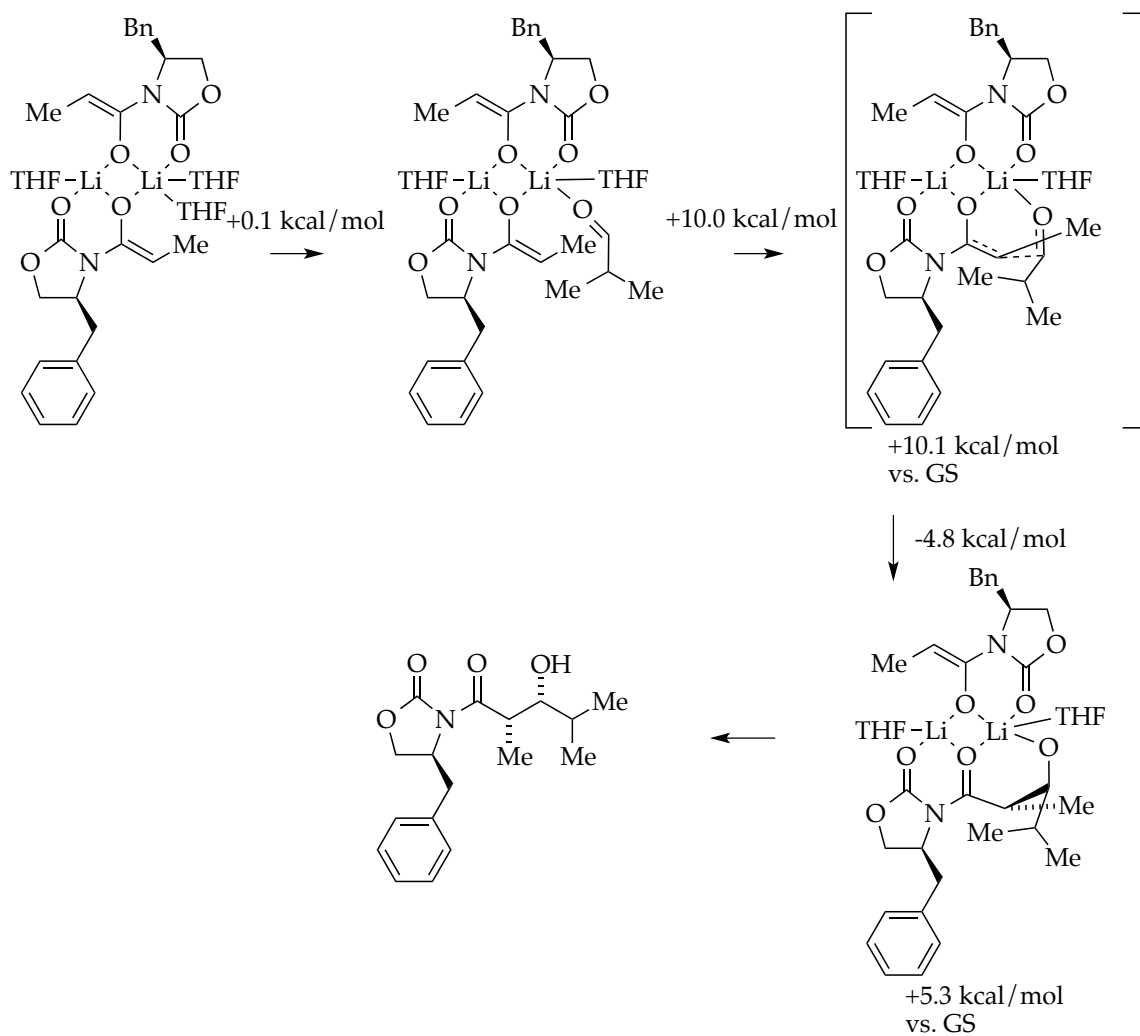


**Figure 52.** Computational overview of the pathway from dimer to *(S,R)*-6.

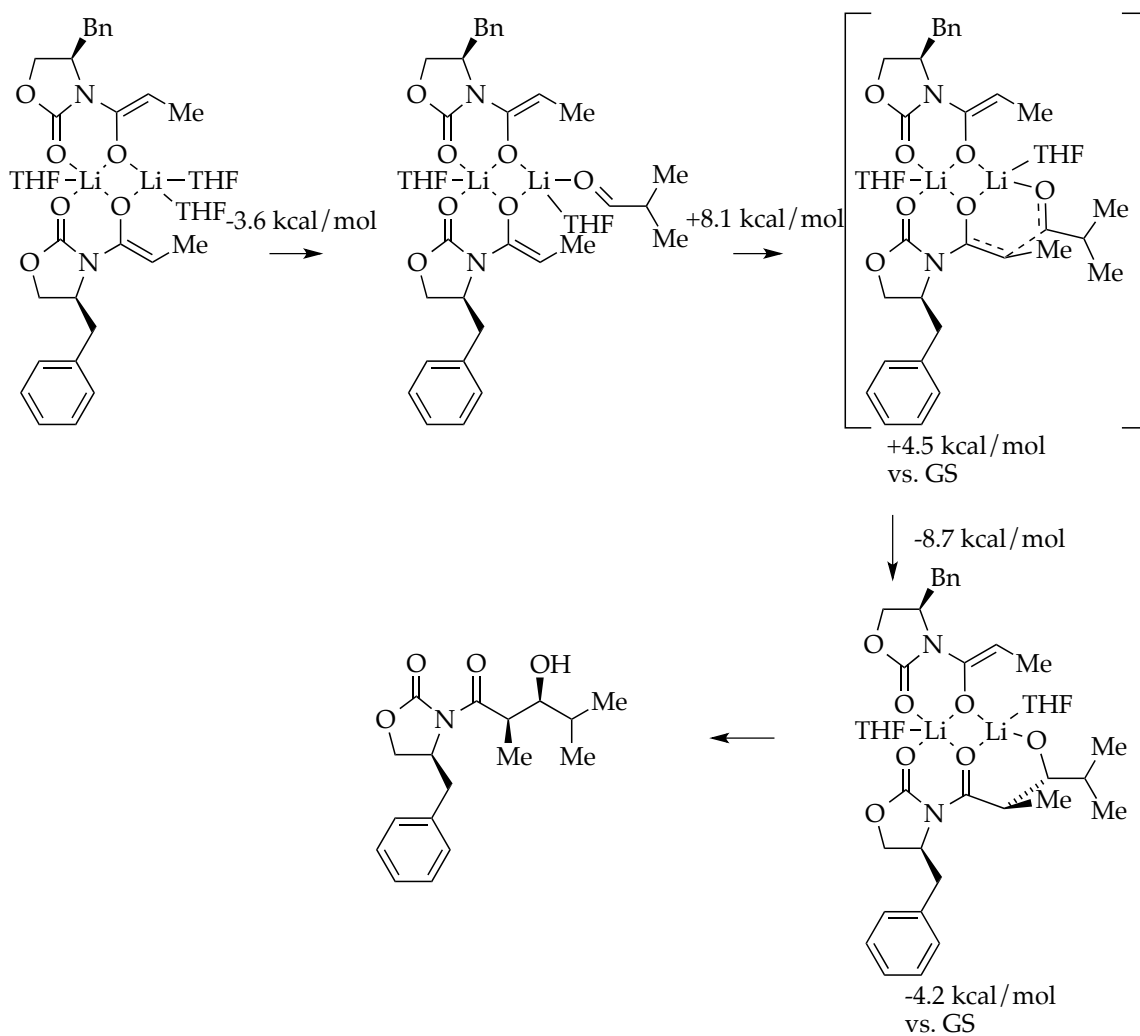




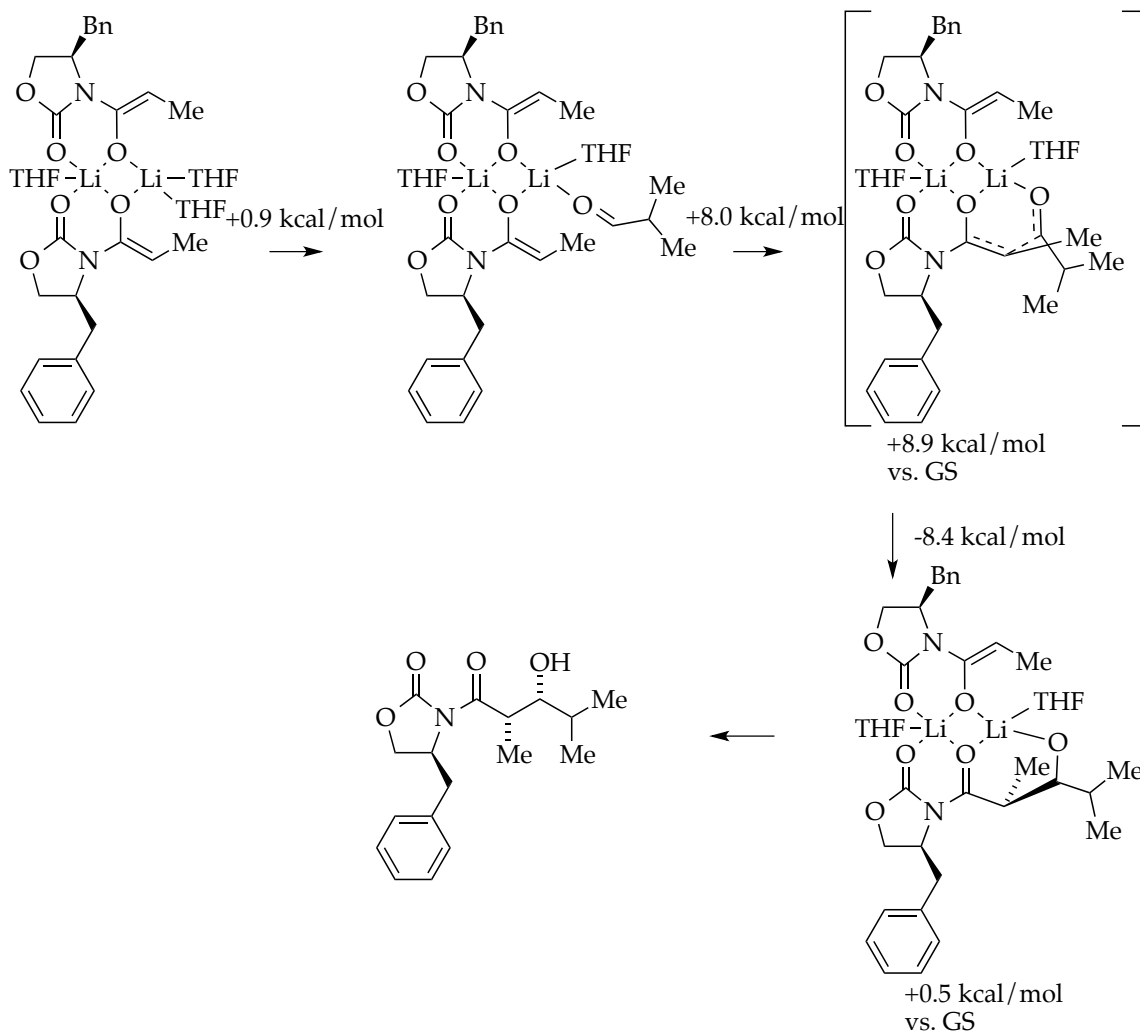
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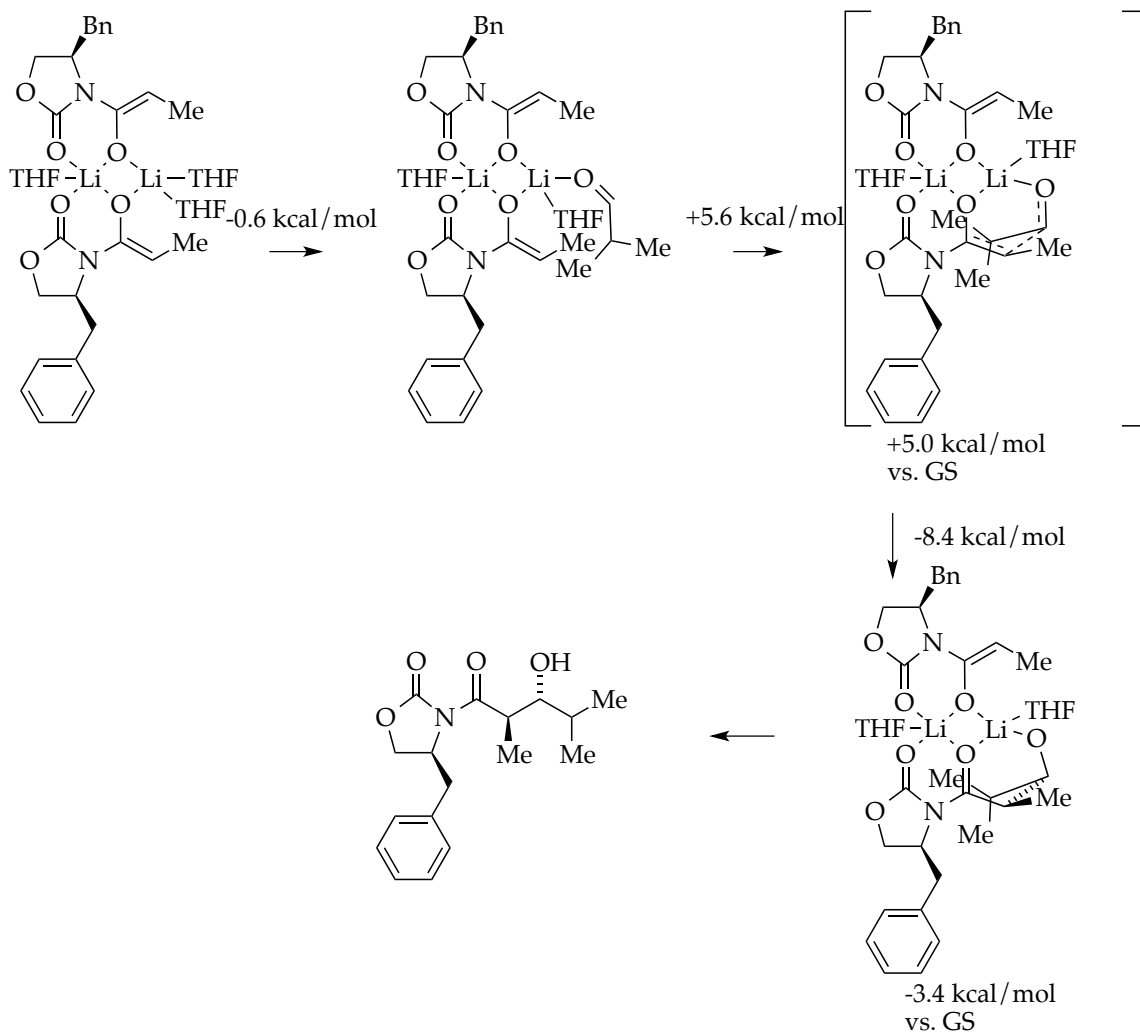
**Figure 54.** Computational overview of the pathway from dimer to (S,S)-6.



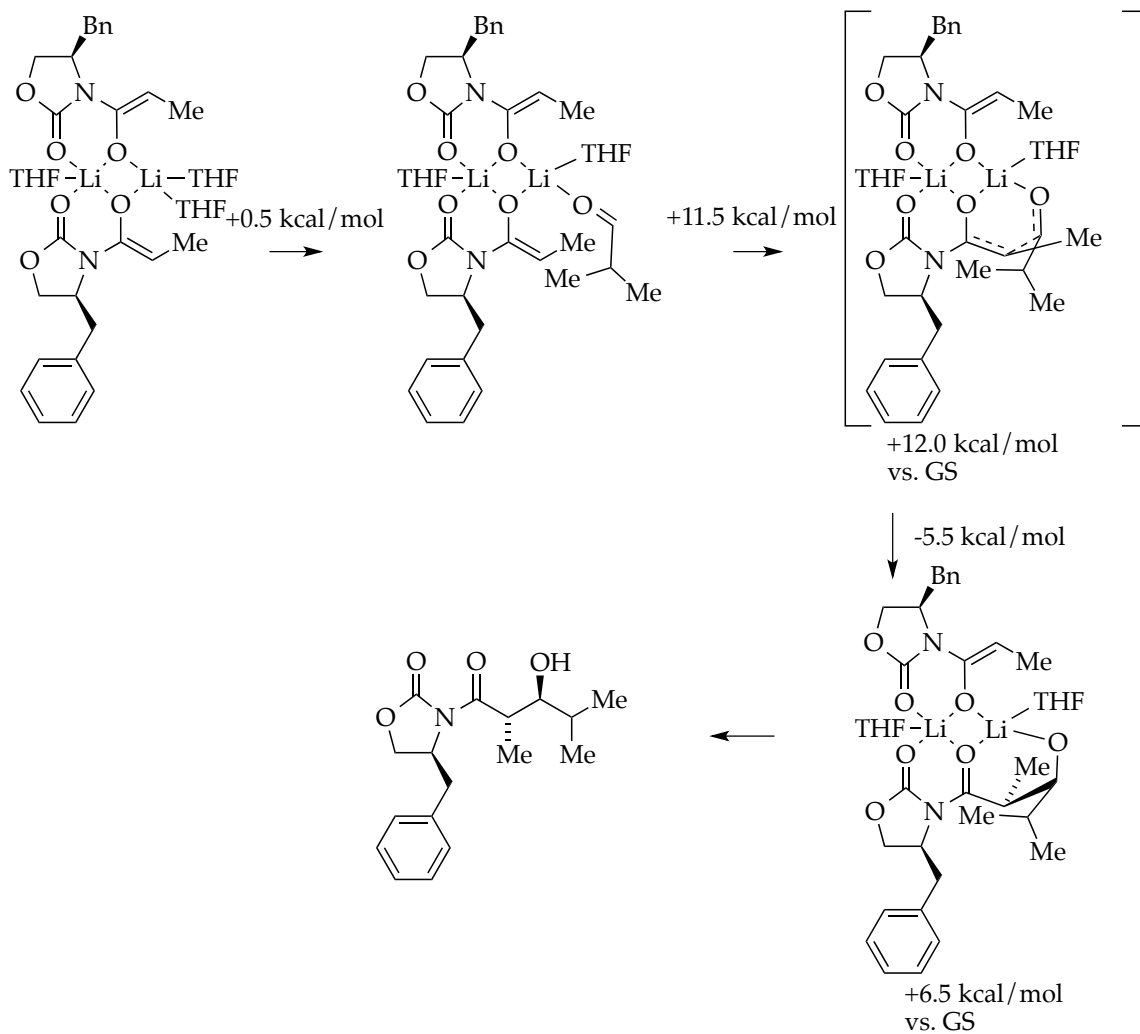
**Figure 55.** Computational overview of the pathway from spirocyclic dimer to *(R,S)*-6.



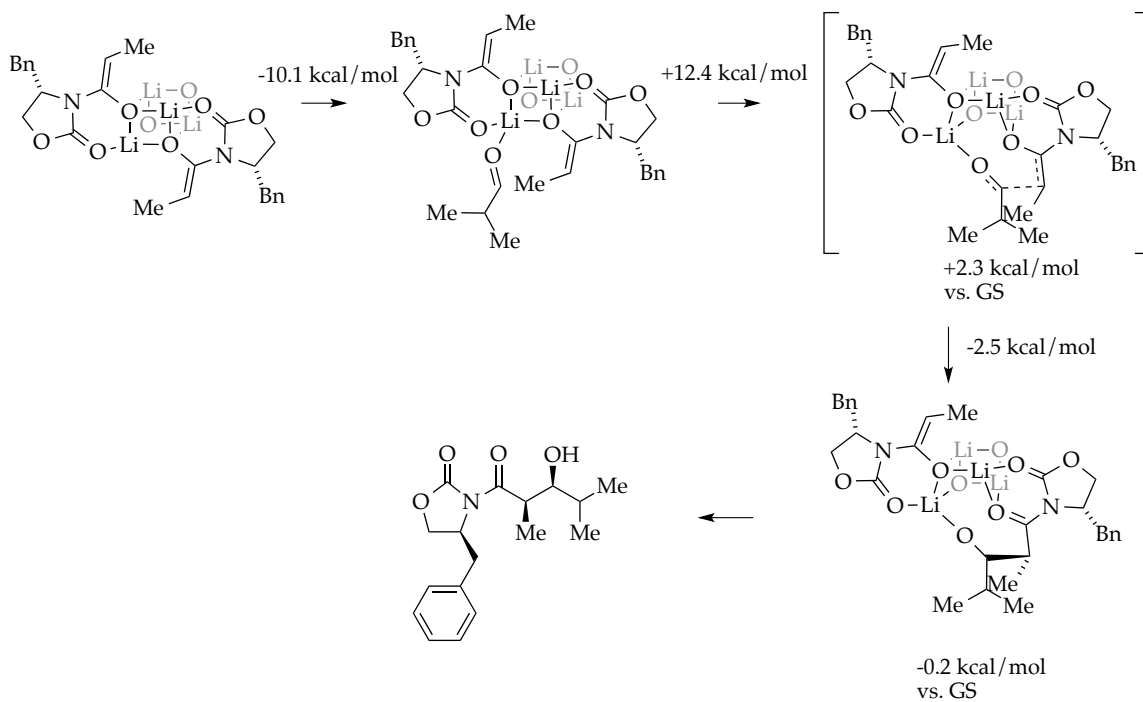
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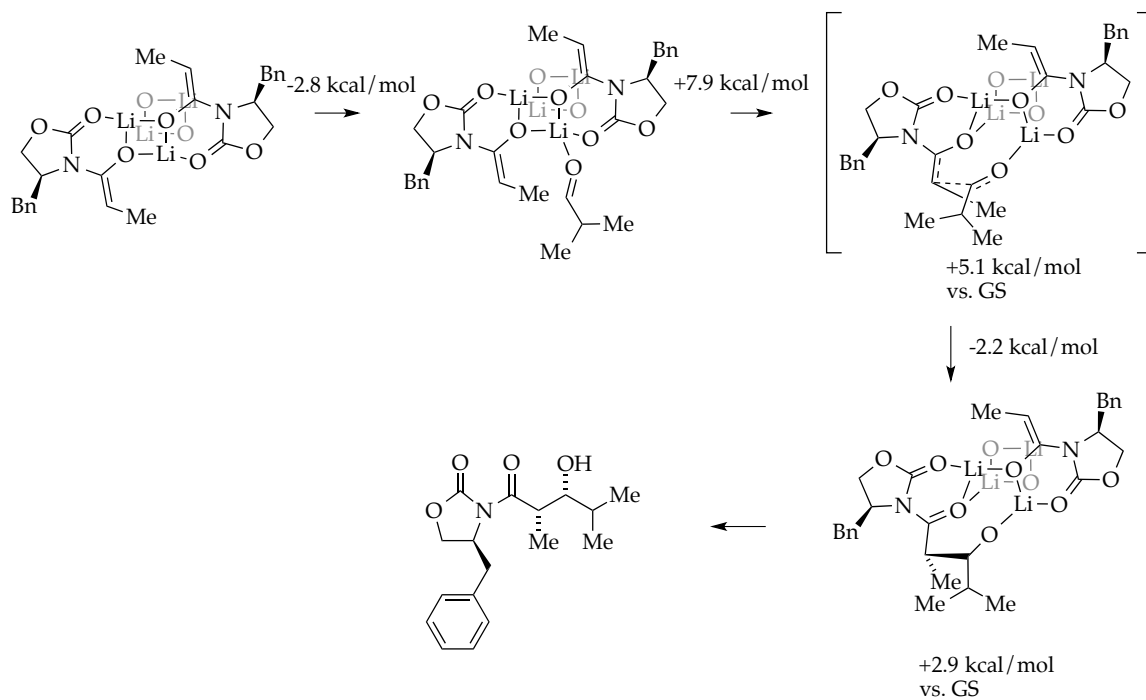
**Figure 57.** Computational overview of the pathway from spirocyclic dimer to *(R,R)*-6.



**Figure 58.** Computational overview of the pathway from spirocyclic dimer to  $(S,S)$ -6.

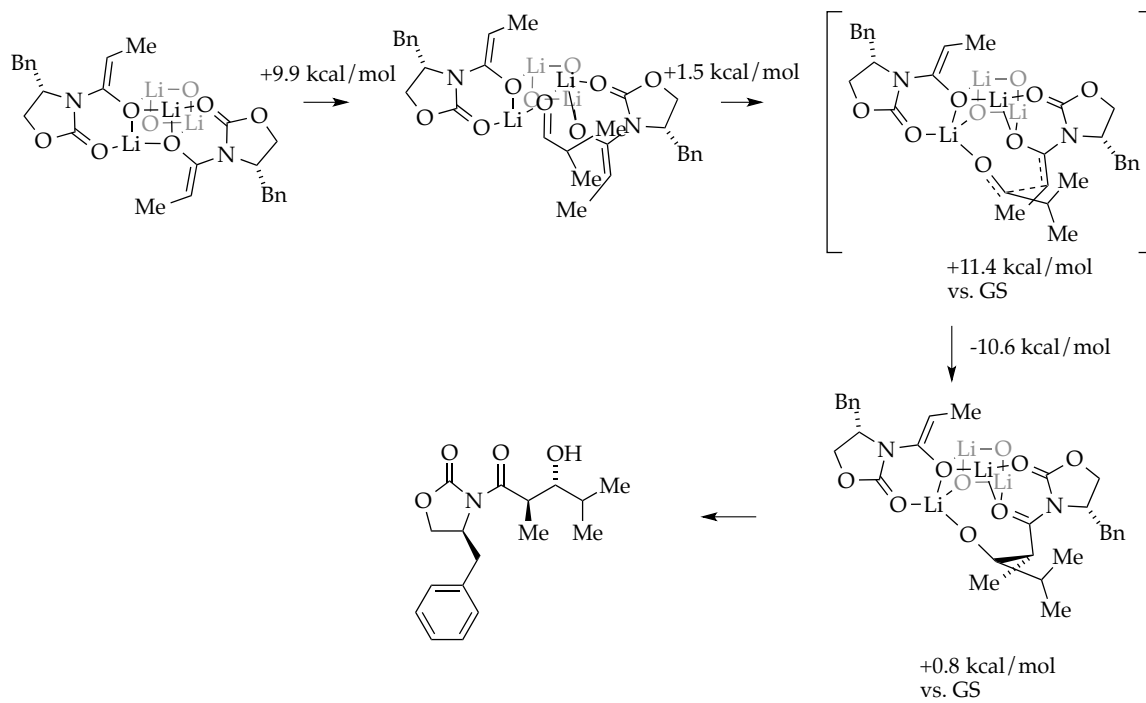


**Figure 59.** Computational overview of the pathway from tetramer to (*R,S*)-6.

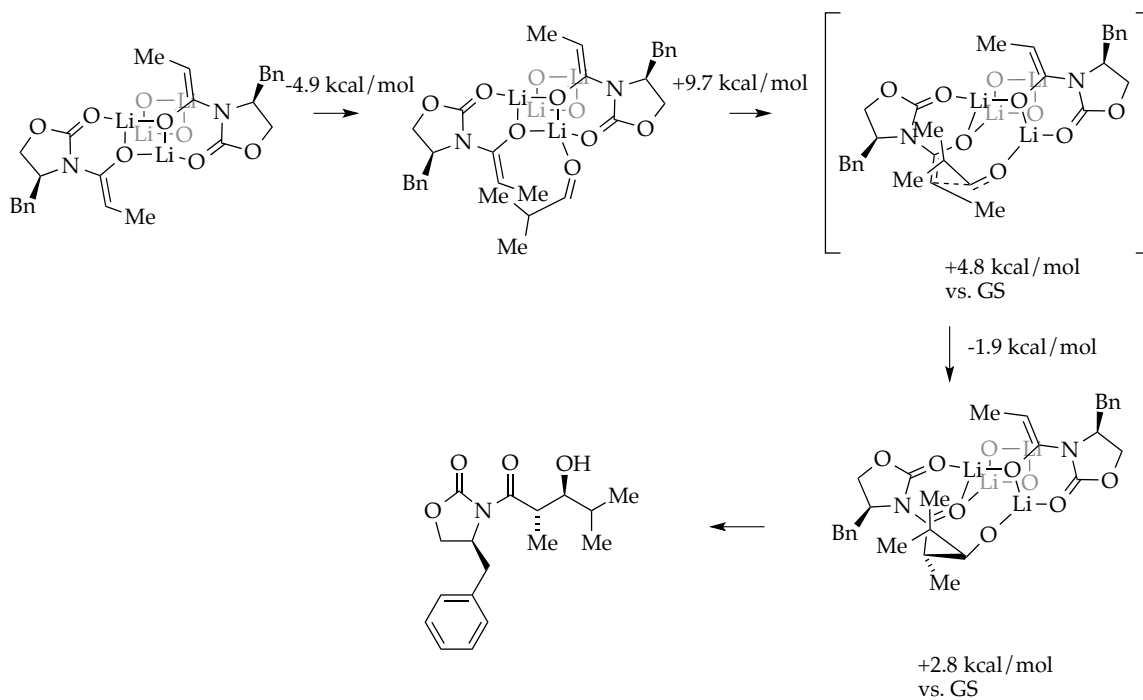


**Figure 60.** Computational overview of the pathway from tetramer to *(S,R)*-6.

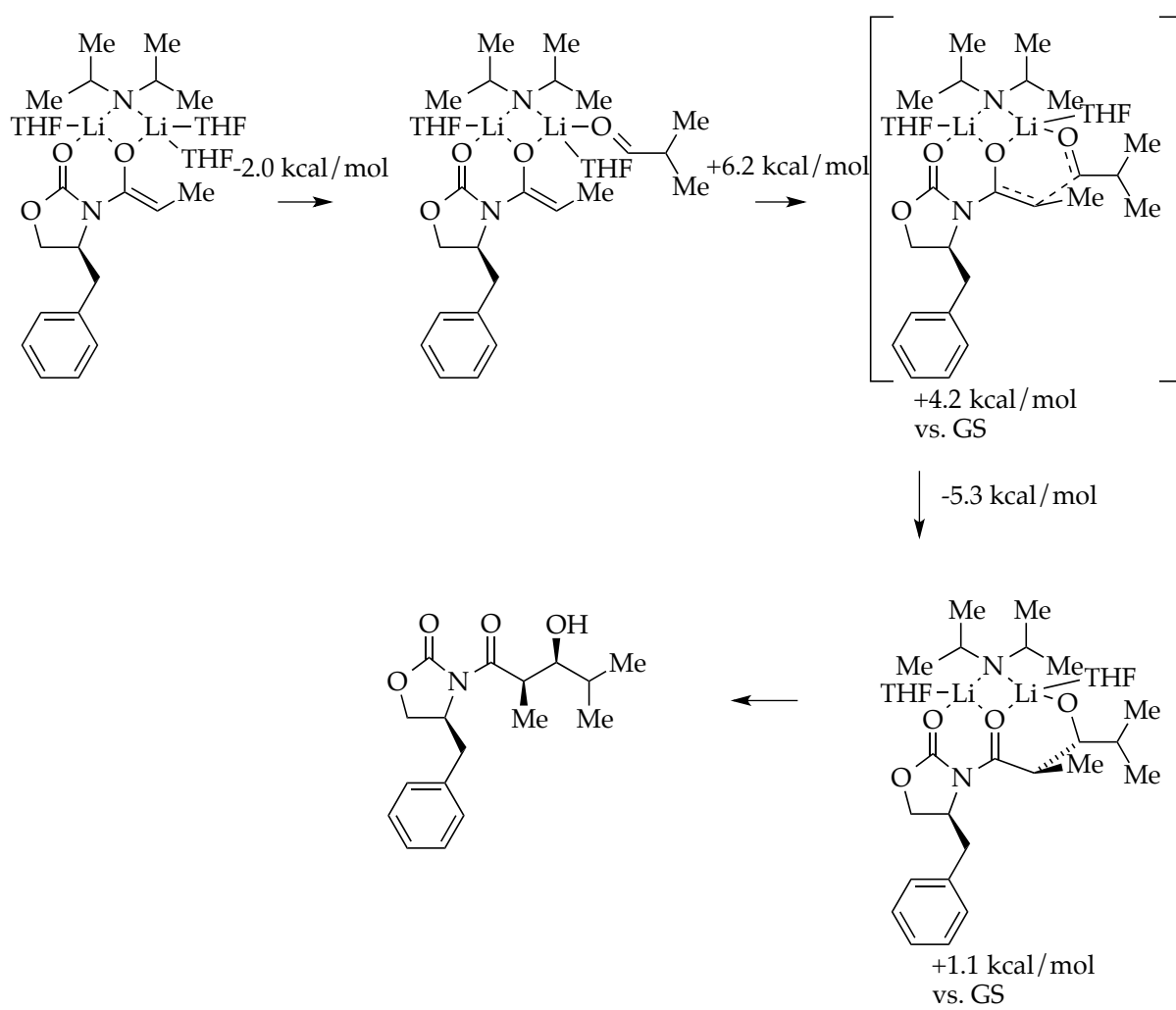




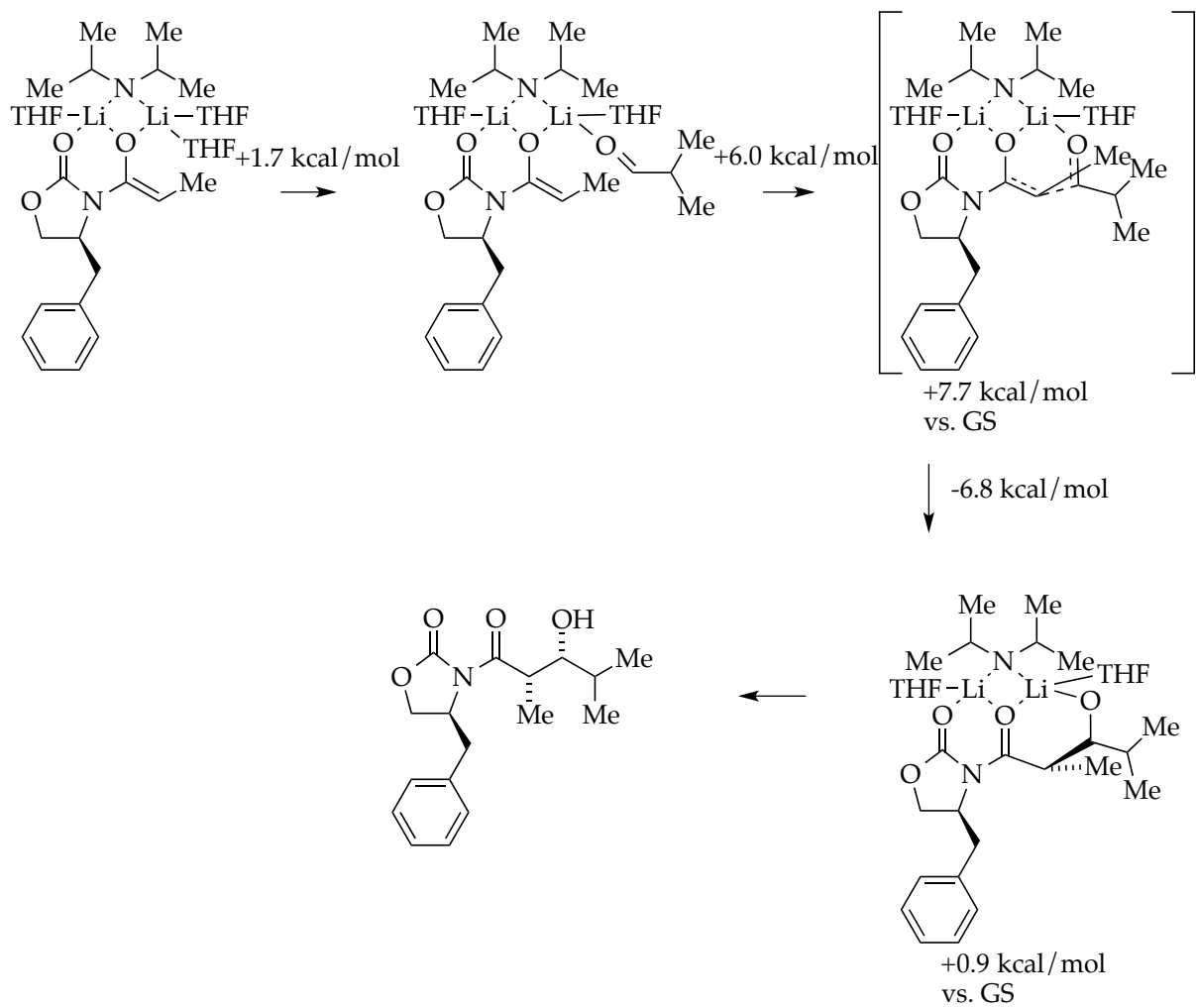
**Figure 61.** Computational overview of the pathway from tetramer to *(R,R)*-6.



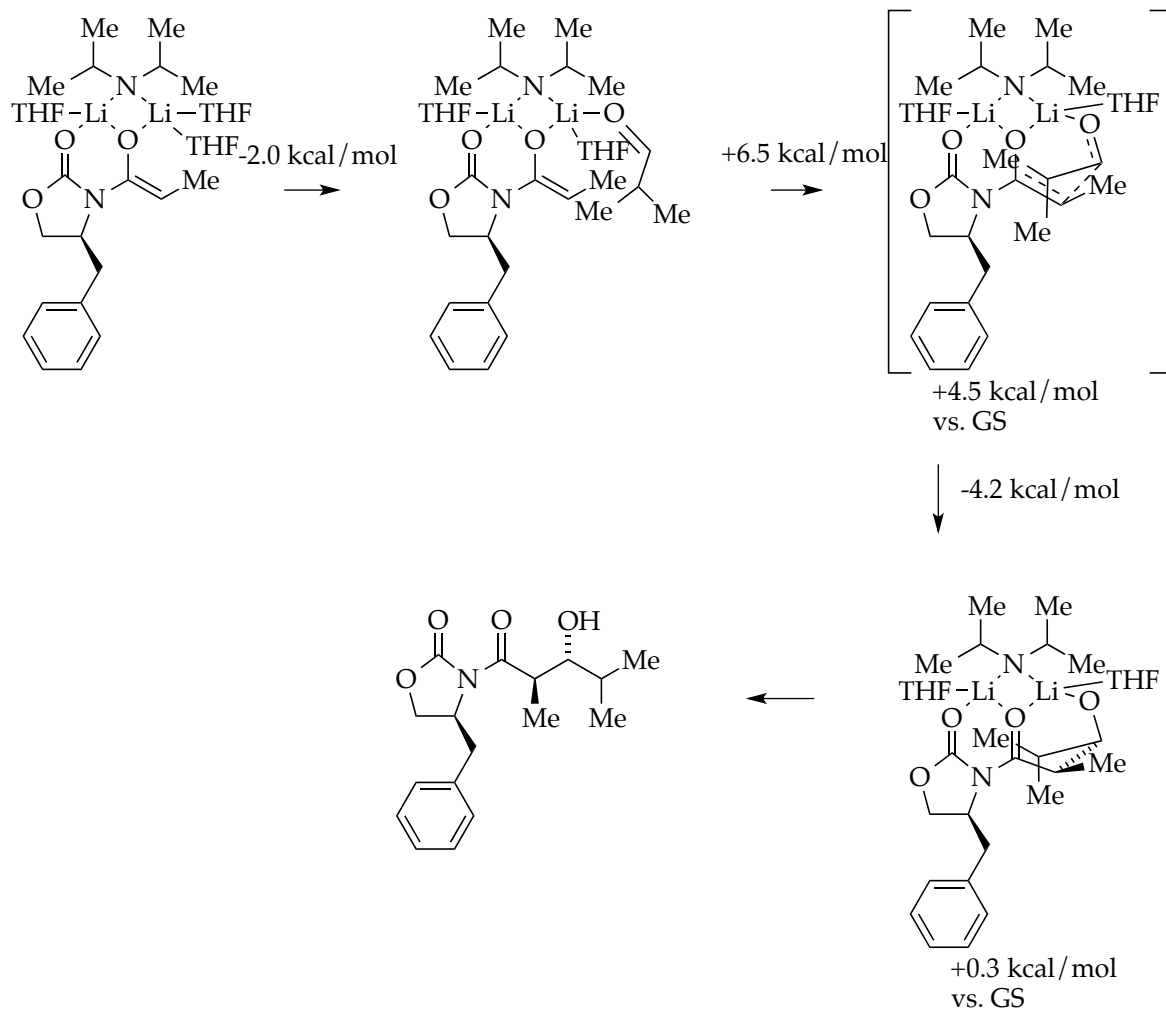
**Figure 62.** Computational overview of the pathway from tetramer to *(S,S)*-6.



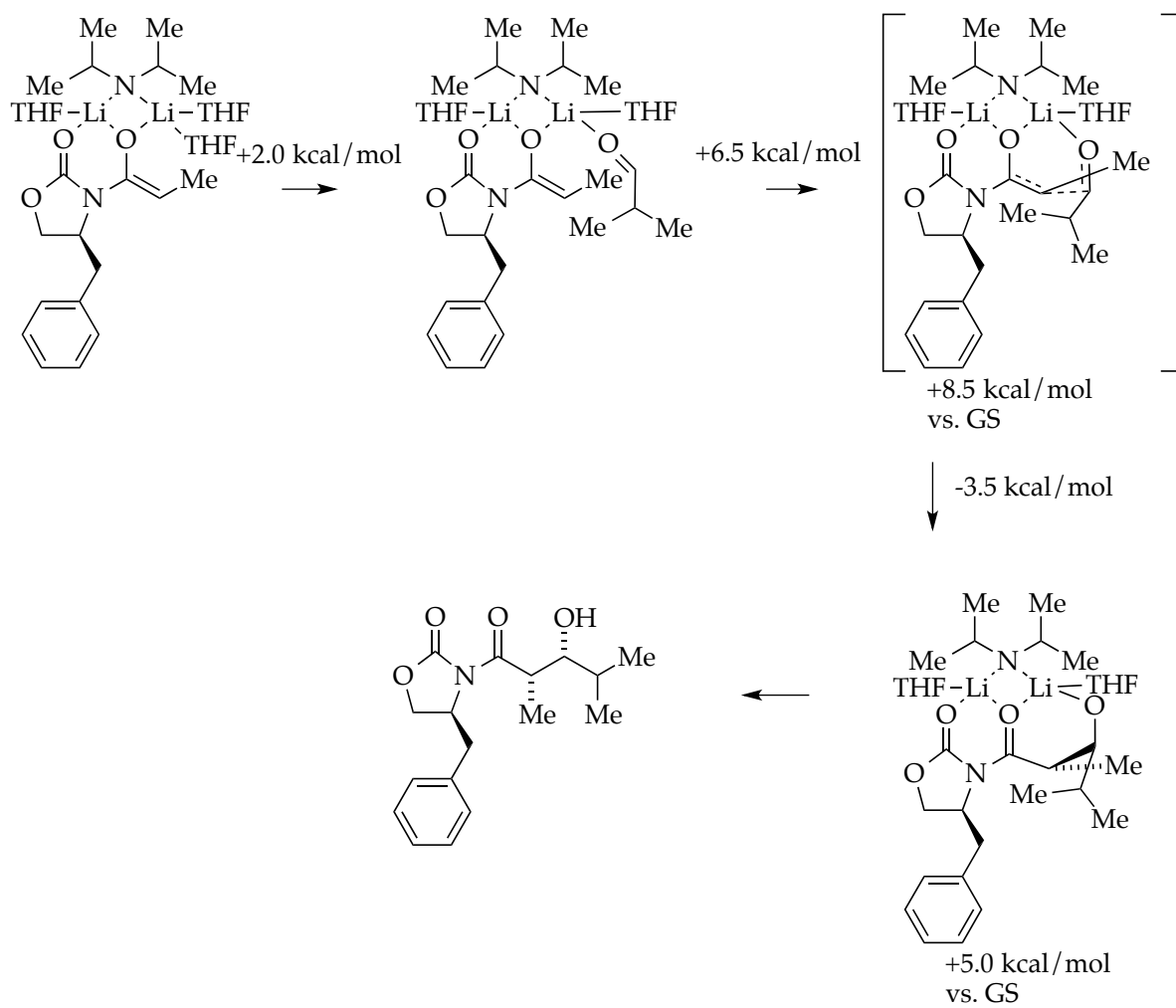
**Figure 63.** Computational overview of the pathway from LDA 5 mixed dimer to (R,S)-6.



**Figure 64.** Computational overview of the pathway from LDA 5 mixed dimer to  $(S,R)$ -6.



**Figure 65.** Computational overview of the pathway from LDA 5 mixed dimer to *(R,R)*-6.



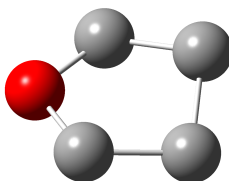
**Figure 66.** Computational overview of the pathway from LDA 5 mixed dimer to  $(S,S)$ -6.

## Part 6: General Computations

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Geometries are optimized at the B3LYP level of theory using the 6-31G(d) basis set. Energies are defined as follows:  $G$  is the sum of electronic and thermal free energies calculated at the B3LYP level of theory ( $T = 195$  K).  $G_{\text{MP2}}$  is derived from an MP2 SP calculation corresponding to the DFT-optimized geometry and includes a thermal correction from the DFT calculation.

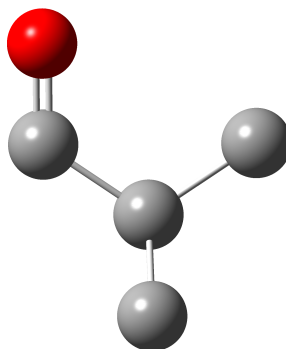
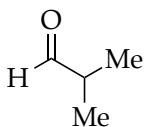
**Table 5.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for tetrahydrofuran (THF)



$G = -232.349382$  Hartree  
 $G_{\text{MP2}} = -145312.2903$  kcal/mol

Atom	X	Y	Z
C	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.43133070
C	1.34537191	0.00000000	1.92150203
C	2.24870259	-0.28439627	0.71435321
C	1.43346820	0.33130215	-0.43248249
H	1.58213073	1.41736875	-0.46518645
H	1.68560870	-0.07569023	-1.41670971
H	3.24887201	0.14691464	0.82158362
H	2.35937654	-1.36515207	0.56460786
H	1.57260400	0.98256813	2.36334488
H	1.43285191	-0.75428594	2.71251317
H	-0.30387867	-0.99259206	-0.36803060
H	-0.73798112	0.73090835	-0.35071740

**Table 6.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for isobutyraldehyde

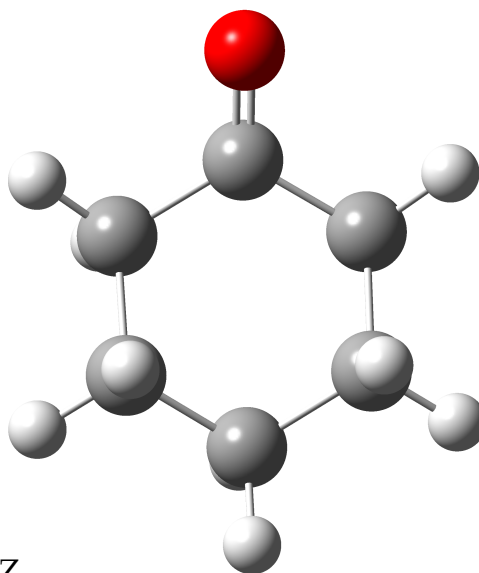
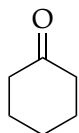


G = -232.363544 Hartree  
G<sub>MP2</sub> = -145322.0041 kcal/mol

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C	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.51804360
O	0.98871142	0.00000000	2.21741176
H	-1.01669442	-0.00432437	1.97783460
H	-0.50902248	0.93575331	-0.28845768
C	-0.86800891	-1.16691709	-0.51181954
H	-0.97665751	-1.11346435	-1.60000348
H	-0.40939475	-2.13183567	-0.26580587
H	-1.87266120	-1.14749642	-0.07289657
C	1.41716966	-0.01003020	-0.57458930
H	1.39119220	0.05645201	-1.66758937
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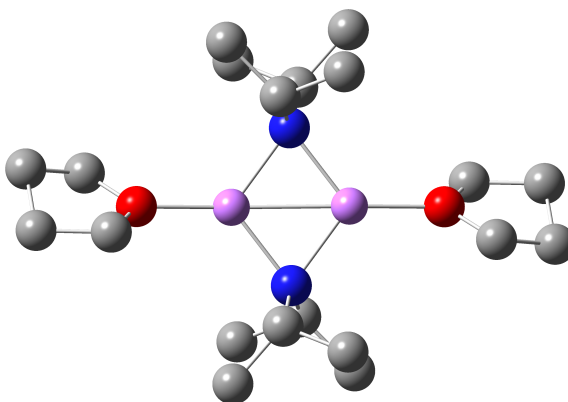
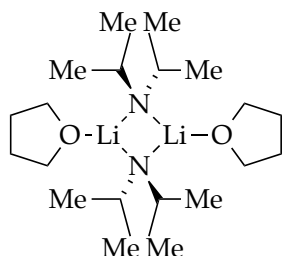
**Table 7.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for cyclohexanone



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 $G_{\text{MP2}} = -193725.0256$  kcal/mol

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C	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.54381400
C	1.41495215	0.00000000	2.11171024
C	2.35410684	1.03938693	1.50983218
C	2.31681547	1.02291955	-0.03344341
C	0.88000532	1.12409962	-0.56472348
H	0.45353190	2.09914072	-0.28575894
H	0.88121541	1.08551480	-1.66105774
H	2.93295106	1.84117007	-0.42520537
H	2.77108858	0.08936311	-0.39372333
H	2.02458134	2.02901051	1.86299877
H	3.36124868	0.86626873	1.90029856
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H	-0.54089889	-0.85661114	1.95662514
H	0.37513582	-0.96849679	-0.35913840
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**Table 8.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for Lithium Diisopropylamide (LDA) with two THF



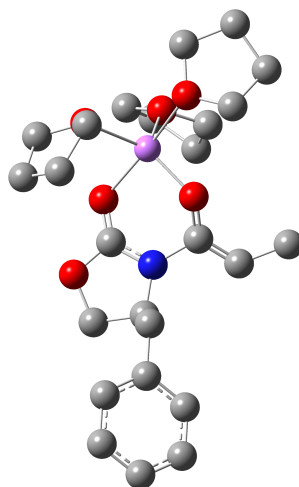
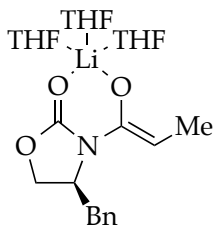
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G<sub>MP2</sub> = -664731.8875 kcal/mol

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.39346480	C	-0.80797530	3.64048612	-0.06969212
O	0.40731818	0.00000000	4.33666642	H	-1.76144100	4.13531583	-0.30044256
C	-0.31160577	0.75031532	5.34554741	H	-0.12686892	4.41415138	0.30277974
C	0.59705523	0.76867204	6.57773040	H	-0.38833529	3.25131946	-1.00453270
C	1.38039926	-0.54444431	6.42411418	C	-1.67694186	3.10542503	2.23352810
C	1.58550803	-0.61184065	4.91113852	H	-1.90764523	2.30725174	2.94980958
H	1.66334155	-1.62770125	4.51728807	H	-1.02725739	3.83103093	2.73422227
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H	0.77815914	-1.39416582	6.76657132	N	-0.10056751	-1.58942643	1.19475018
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C	-1.01845863	2.50549465	0.96165094	C	1.67956260	-3.09907875	0.15550803

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H	1.25848431	-0.19892221	-3.15816049
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**Table 9.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for 5 monomer with three THF



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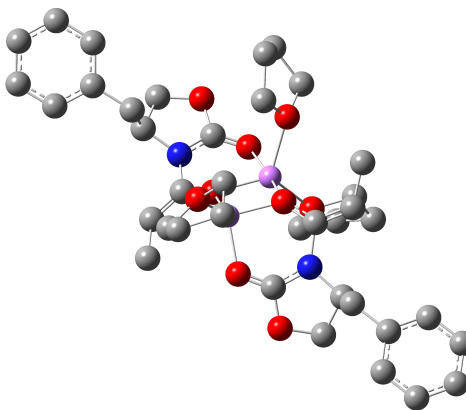
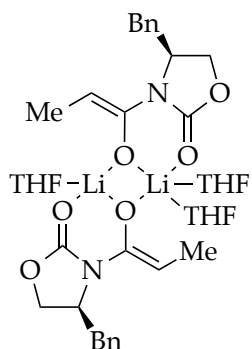
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H	1.03066998	0.00000000	-0.35974383	C	-0.96978914	3.24248220	-3.73607744
C	-0.85316631	-1.14441615	-0.57725508	C	-2.32693566	3.82694767	-3.29082687
H	-0.98029291	-1.93649274	0.16534604	H	-2.50912249	4.80845278	-3.75440419
N	-2.11842155	-0.44096168	-0.80121795	H	-2.43639544	3.90177402	-2.21024045
C	-1.93456686	0.90087743	-0.80409189	H	-0.29145113	4.02946614	-4.08072996
O	-0.64453267	1.20553213	-0.45424963	H	-0.48651079	2.72260351	-2.90494278
O	-2.73602623	1.79426663	-1.06148375	H	-0.79773129	2.43127560	-5.79860894
C	-3.34485027	-1.08936684	-1.31776815	H	-1.15511072	1.21838809	-4.56204428
O	-3.94969478	-0.45044848	-2.25651827	H	-3.43105001	1.58350758	-5.31587396
Li	-4.21593375	1.39759846	-2.49053784	H	-3.05813696	3.26450037	-5.78780773
O	-5.57440760	1.08006719	-4.19391830	O	-5.77654675	2.12760340	-1.31084364
C	-6.63423766	2.00849569	-4.49905687	C	-5.55171938	3.20328131	-0.36813717
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C	-5.96920194	-0.24331523	-4.59354319	C	-6.44674952	1.02758075	-0.65219153
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H	-5.42006442	-0.93340955	-3.95272046	H	-6.02719185	0.10468583	-1.05784732
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**Table 10.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for 5 dimer with three THF



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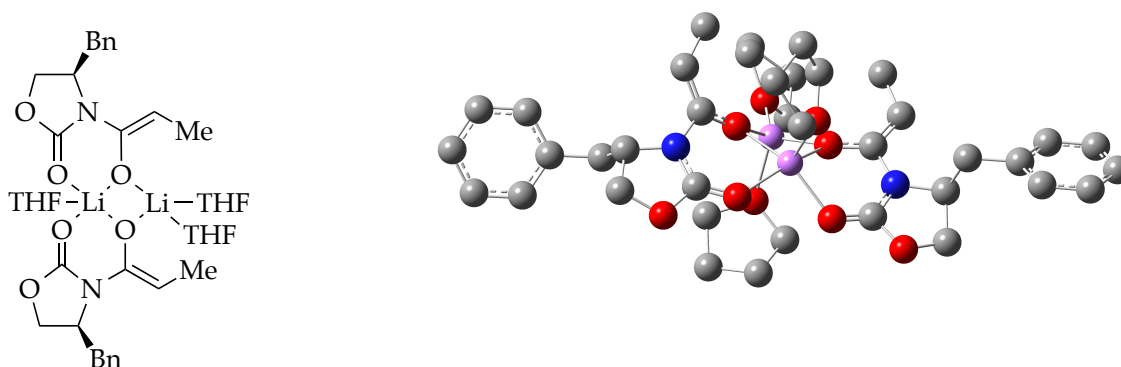
$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426402.09$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 0.464733826$  kcal/mol Li vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF

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O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.09165270	C	-4.63738511	-0.24444646	-1.86884380
C	0.99342614	0.00000000	2.92031074	H	-4.65688413	-0.80630148	-0.92799016
N	1.35790556	-1.31744840	3.45956960	H	-4.26822896	0.76228810	-1.63740089
C	2.56016196	-1.59371484	4.25589949	C	-6.02304792	-0.17499475	-2.47070542
C	2.69389166	-3.10082569	4.01566581	C	-6.52422398	1.01688896	-3.01127189
H	3.28970852	-3.32774722	3.12388995	C	-7.79327332	1.06592495	-3.59233283
H	3.08959768	-3.65072230	4.87091330	C	-8.58428306	-0.08200330	-3.64294606
O	1.33842747	-3.52980655	3.78567089	C	-8.09927586	-1.27666425	-3.10502875
C	0.61810509	-2.45833344	3.33951555	C	-6.83209370	-1.32052062	-2.52466066
O	-0.53172776	-2.62126051	2.94395121	H	-6.46623006	-2.25219015	-2.09776763
Li	-1.40648311	-1.23455606	1.90689905	H	-8.71140586	-2.17448575	-3.13269963
O	-1.51931076	-1.21005511	0.04284567	H	-9.57282570	-0.04630622	-4.09284627
C	-2.10322095	-1.87011204	-0.91261454	H	-8.16372082	2.00248014	-4.00121262
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C	-3.61455113	-0.94601960	-2.79377029	C	-2.57268915	-3.14171282	-0.92038581
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**Table 11.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF



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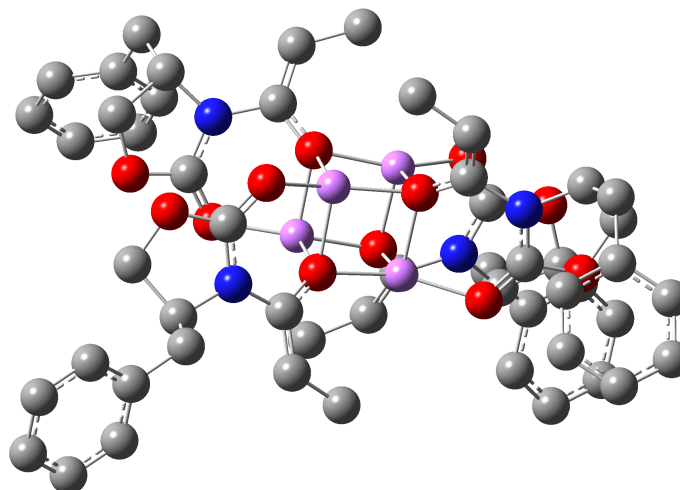
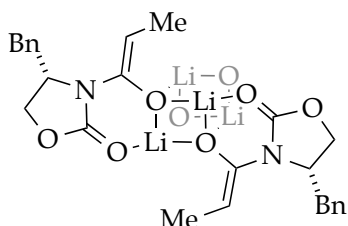
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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.64675340	C	3.40445209	1.47805017	-0.44200456
O	1.42158727	0.00000000	1.22252404	H	3.75304414	2.50246430	-0.23523650
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O	0.21839509	0.51320090	-1.92850377
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C	0.27203018	1.49708002	-4.07594739
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H	-0.57435396	1.01711052	-4.58180258
H	-1.10637647	2.01280937	-2.42293687
H	0.57588163	2.54552465	-2.18653644

**Table 12.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



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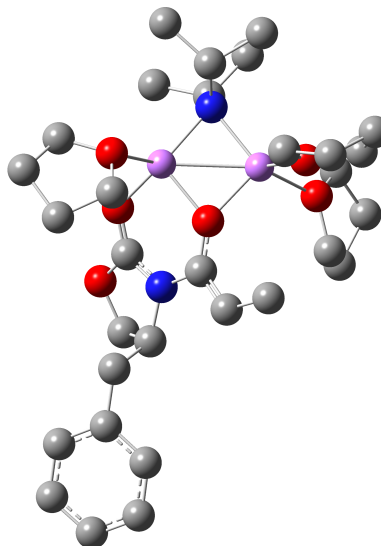
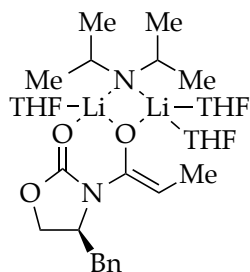
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$\Delta G_{MP2} = 0.375561044$  kcal/mol Li vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	-1.92064642	2.98500716	-4.25853369
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.89861070	H	-2.82262435	2.37091814	-4.30870624
C	1.05585130	0.00000000	2.52402978	N	-0.95399263	2.35428375	-3.34779468
O	1.12651741	-0.59231240	3.74489124	C	-1.30389776	1.62759451	-2.14149057
C	2.50137875	-0.59782195	4.18227305	C	-2.51844401	1.82556346	-1.57783798
H	2.91749791	-1.59017164	3.98345487	H	-3.18305215	2.57926802	-1.98217944
H	2.50872415	-0.39220160	5.25391674	C	-2.99438943	1.06416526	-0.37019718
C	3.17781310	0.49877718	3.34189588	H	-2.59131260	0.04451436	-0.34260460
H	4.16626791	0.18314087	2.99581318	H	-2.71374752	1.54719054	0.57873746
N	2.26657711	0.53607049	2.19012104	H	-4.08745118	0.97571288	-0.36893686
C	2.64016857	0.95192206	0.85098338	O	-0.38806896	0.77865933	-1.73170696
C	3.69779669	1.77859681	0.67780146	Li	-0.01973221	-1.03106286	-2.49492021
H	4.21004590	2.18878057	1.53828089	O	-0.29270694	-1.07497797	-4.37329619
C	4.20137889	2.17854646	-0.68327539	C	0.60921506	-0.76095601	-5.14394454
H	3.67767766	3.05574343	-1.09407348	O	0.31566577	-0.20466281	-6.34840040
H	5.26669231	2.43481941	-0.64615718	C	1.54258265	0.21819224	-6.97883753
H	4.09136604	1.36805456	-1.41464629	H	1.65326183	1.29511017	-6.81933748
O	1.91456735	0.42211923	-0.10906251	H	1.45933624	0.00014348	-8.04479982
Li	1.55502468	0.97865032	-1.93350744	C	2.64015445	-0.59357477	-6.26983272
O	1.39380755	2.30442534	-3.29685634	H	3.52025717	0.02194645	-6.06248136
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O	0.25857136	2.98092212	-5.11391698	C	2.63442461	-1.13326491	-3.73847330
C	-1.11762441	2.92962831	-5.56274456	C	3.91025443	-1.58519171	-3.73829876
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H	-1.29118253	3.78066966	-6.22229477	C	4.70369053	-1.77659578	-2.47342918

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Li	2.02399625	-1.43203668	-0.82819381	C	-3.98574503	6.60169457	-6.48757954
O	2.48122320	-2.71027372	0.51335988	C	-3.00673072	6.04574187	-5.66104625
C	1.60387382	-3.22923745	1.19859453	H	-1.97767295	6.39055064	-5.73850614
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N	0.29868188	-3.48779868	0.89960133	H	3.85779343	2.55437463	3.46677069
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C	-1.58962902	-3.51306422	-0.61497172	C	1.63137114	2.35463825	5.92787246
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H	-2.39445369	-1.87080114	-1.78073969	C	-0.37837431	3.61838011	5.47132229
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H	-3.50018829	-3.22708096	-1.57058009	C	1.21540686	3.18176551	3.70287015
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O	0.10745189	-1.85154012	-0.74380530	H	-0.60412635	4.29701291	3.43561711
C	-0.21934411	-5.86457803	1.52546649	H	-1.31053469	4.06221548	5.81040796
H	-0.67956097	-5.98204870	0.53947201	H	0.14086640	2.82589022	7.40890901
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**Table 13.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for LDA 5 mixed dimer with three THF



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G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118227.787 kcal/mol

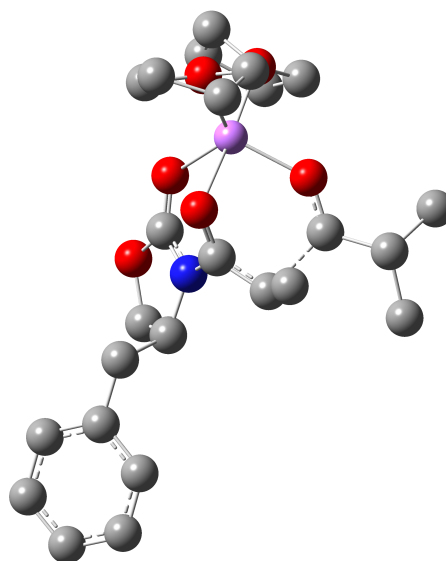
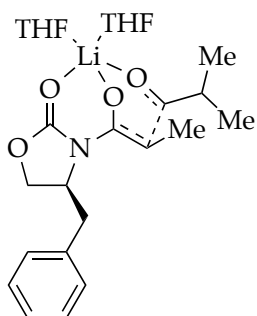
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O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.95527310	H	-2.59045835	-0.56851309	-3.12149205
C	0.81677532	0.00000000	2.96012211	H	-3.41988556	0.88159084	-2.54563655
N	0.86336440	-1.25049413	3.72021522	H	-1.65758240	0.72808454	-2.35735951
C	1.79873533	-1.52869629	4.81768955	C	-4.15093636	-1.20719898	-0.89977196
C	1.73906511	-3.05949988	4.82987813	H	-4.97307454	-0.52050149	-1.14664786
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O	0.41878550	-3.35356258	4.33777452	C	-1.30184465	-2.51169766	-0.81578543
C	-0.01030452	-2.29654314	3.58584778	H	-0.27908561	-2.69076714	-0.43384351
O	-1.05352614	-2.38130518	2.95222075	C	-1.21224699	-2.74465874	-2.34488342
Li	-1.60196420	-1.01790348	1.65312489	H	-0.75201513	-3.71877729	-2.56400519
O	-3.17268196	-0.16877952	2.65474479	H	-2.20243431	-2.74703528	-2.81543969
C	-4.14611398	-1.06788624	3.24103793	H	-0.61428407	-1.96586672	-2.83144184
C	-4.49450081	-0.48672830	4.61974407	C	-2.13643300	-3.66823885	-0.19591145
C	-3.24907053	0.35031306	4.95412108	H	-2.16431602	-3.57777562	0.89509827
C	-2.86645497	0.89408490	3.57906752	H	-3.16684010	-3.68211951	-0.56560736
H	-1.80693666	1.13203475	3.46290128	H	-1.68823204	-4.64366739	-0.43710313
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H	-2.44858932	-0.29022317	5.34201444	C	1.33464490	-0.89955373	6.15763737
H	-3.44178883	1.14227780	5.68457171	H	1.13712428	0.16230775	5.98083211
H	-4.70210151	-1.26811167	5.35686772	H	0.37930906	-1.36155505	6.43642879
H	-5.37823608	0.15904441	4.55541500	C	2.34315313	-1.07456927	7.27209315
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N	-1.62880436	-1.15561486	-0.35706991	C	4.25800259	-1.42742768	9.30920869
C	-2.79402158	-0.45997865	-0.91510556	C	3.09455192	-2.19706269	9.29851281
H	-2.94590531	0.40138762	-0.24044276	C	2.14726157	-2.02041747	8.28760766

H	1.23707324	-2.61666664	8.29299534
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H	4.99570111	-1.56134536	10.09574262
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H	3.68120297	0.44691548	6.52927166
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H	1.20945069	3.14221604	3.20615909
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O	1.88498098	-0.40807203	-0.73275030
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C	4.02250377	-1.25102408	-0.20177448
C	3.72754416	-1.60212551	-1.66828398
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H	1.64280187	-2.28135772	-1.57158429
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H	4.26900447	-0.92134143	-2.33594323
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H	5.06815984	-0.98316738	-0.02116547
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H	2.76589838	0.05440411	1.07390894
O	-0.04598026	1.98298805	-0.57443947
C	-1.04981245	2.89659415	-0.08657295
C	-0.62465764	4.26987350	-0.60387140
C	-0.02240942	3.91081410	-1.97174993
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H	1.71163779	2.69575247	-1.39583512
H	0.61760305	1.87530657	-2.53519427
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H	-0.81893016	3.78416484	-2.71383240
H	0.13889366	4.70533971	0.05158547
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H	-2.02872455	2.60073968	-0.48455330
H	-1.06845886	2.81126843	1.00241946

## Part 7: 5 Transition State Computations

Geometries are optimized at the B3LYP level of theory using the 6-31G(d) basis set. Energies are defined as follows:  $G$  is the sum of electronic and thermal free energies calculated at the B3LYP level of theory ( $T = 195$  K).  $G_{\text{MP2}}$  is derived from an MP2 SP calculation corresponding to the DFT-optimized geometry and includes a thermal correction from the DFT calculation.

**Table 14.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from **5** monomer with three THF



$G = -1488.69909$  Hartree

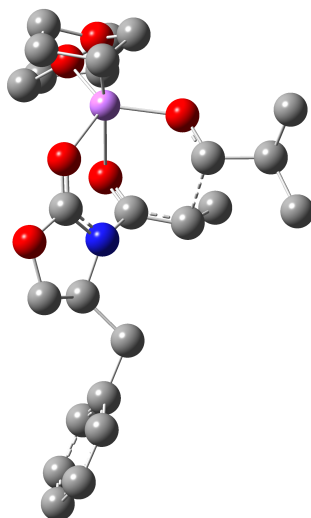
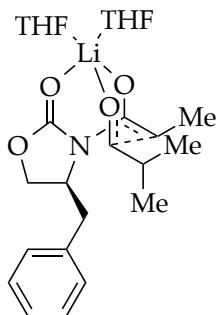
$G_{\text{MP2}} = -931170.4794$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 6.531685891$  kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer with three THF

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	5.05193591	-3.90326165	7.28607937
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.15556350	C	4.16581346	-4.74212579	6.61001325
C	1.20062383	0.00000000	2.47767107	C	3.24895865	-4.20712962	5.70238675
N	1.97103832	-1.20781342	2.19458027	H	2.55228897	-4.86689863	5.18944977
C	2.91332871	-1.83538791	3.12487302	H	4.18280963	-5.81364856	6.79089025
C	3.39473684	-3.02261048	2.26570781	H	5.76454979	-4.31693908	7.99440090
H	4.34717093	-2.81121555	1.76799426	H	5.69261424	-1.86426901	7.58114424
H	3.48136648	-3.95411249	2.82745700	H	4.06256665	-0.92145872	5.98018721
O	2.38430583	-3.19258906	1.25280409	C	1.93624316	1.13447809	2.88014613
C	1.64175263	-2.05449704	1.16783916	H	2.94347803	0.96294765	3.25321074
O	0.84492345	-1.87762509	0.25979921	C	1.17052078	2.28514934	3.49199597
H	3.74685984	-1.16141202	3.34290784	H	0.37923757	2.62165650	2.81386095
C	2.23046005	-2.24554761	4.45088017	H	0.68831756	2.00963020	4.44088752
H	1.74862970	-1.35126303	4.86388087	H	1.82928584	3.13569423	3.69680825
H	1.43236340	-2.96276377	4.22396484	O	-2.02954268	0.27161761	0.01905202
C	3.20064796	-2.82872548	5.45493994	C	-2.84930198	-0.49856166	0.93069781
C	4.09441295	-1.99653035	6.14618464	C	-3.76435425	0.50803037	1.64010979
C	5.01219787	-2.52660747	7.05238657	C	-2.93600264	1.80071258	1.57703249

C	-2.28123078	1.68427402	0.20172996
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H	-2.94918912	2.03320270	-0.59875597
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H	2.14177250	3.70288202	1.41620274
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H	3.09149910	0.86811514	0.74421368
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H	2.28137023	-1.19345537	-4.15320429
H	0.94065681	0.73102377	-3.73233590
H	1.81125989	0.79588538	-2.17377396

**Table 15.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*S,R*)-**6** from **5** monomer with three THF



G = -1488.69661 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -931169.8852 kcal/mol

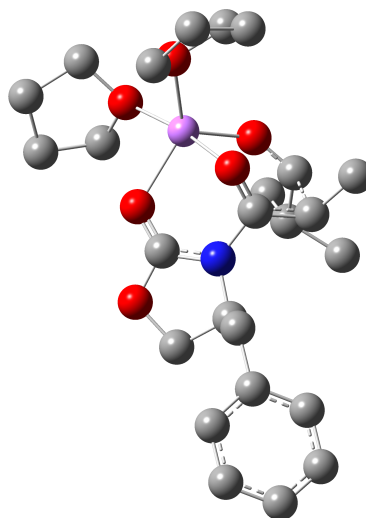
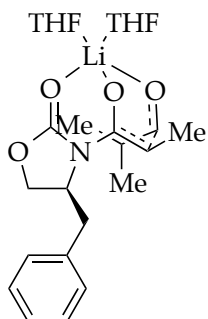
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 7.995805982 kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer with three THF

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	3.01150355	0.96856660	-3.13050929
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	-2.25660410	C	1.27555155	2.36057617	-3.33316593
C	1.21404718	0.00000000	-2.52403508	H	0.51573312	2.69578007	-2.61838346
N	1.94433679	-1.27354972	-2.33066760	H	0.76093430	2.16077634	-4.28350353
C	2.37672209	-2.10744518	-3.46781413	H	1.97307187	3.18697655	-3.50611929
C	2.72267043	-3.41222295	-2.72885880	O	-2.04055754	0.16611837	-0.09048972
H	3.78674817	-3.45899452	-2.46848191	C	-2.80922939	-0.61497239	-1.03685287
H	2.44575335	-4.31299263	-3.27750232	C	-3.69916067	0.37879665	-1.79946825
O	1.95872335	-3.36479509	-1.51081338	C	-2.93074981	1.70088305	-1.64291132
C	1.56692481	-2.08394943	-1.28677212	C	-2.36963634	1.56624215	-0.22954198
O	0.98253787	-1.76822780	-0.26146948	H	-1.45452660	2.13917887	-0.05891491
C	3.54641449	-1.54089452	-4.28916699	H	-3.11368613	1.83896258	0.53299486
H	3.23308788	-0.58609508	-4.72362526	H	-2.10478488	1.74592815	-2.35897369
H	4.38109595	-1.32795742	-3.61073005	H	-3.56278792	2.58625940	-1.76575902
C	3.98200760	-2.49142074	-5.38712335	H	-3.84169284	0.08535070	-2.84385860
C	5.14494527	-3.26246193	-5.25954276	H	-4.68837116	0.45292787	-1.33146164
C	5.52679477	-4.15598577	-6.26242629	H	-3.38645936	-1.36386798	-0.48235681
C	4.74841219	-4.29191302	-7.41224199	H	-2.09960991	-1.11765148	-1.69904749
C	3.58923412	-3.52582919	-7.55463254	O	1.16475119	1.50762092	-0.15390427
C	3.21203823	-2.63365672	-6.55128187	C	2.29838605	1.54576492	-0.72711988
H	2.31379456	-2.03232561	-6.67589674	C	3.05596381	2.88493213	-0.75956980
H	2.98131924	-3.61860865	-8.45072965	H	2.40261570	3.62994469	-1.22947016
H	5.04525265	-4.98466937	-8.19494872	C	3.27863501	3.32445551	0.70279644
H	6.43518193	-4.74116186	-6.14594308	H	3.77723779	4.30067188	0.74208631
H	5.76422081	-3.15370335	-4.37178896	H	3.91424381	2.60558841	1.23774482
H	1.51945589	-2.27052061	-4.13820763	H	2.32465508	3.39640435	1.23158260
C	1.99168387	1.14031899	-2.80114491	C	4.39345659	2.82378129	-1.50677955



H	5.01173326	1.99512410	-1.13609099
H	4.96313194	3.74794649	-1.35443420
H	4.26557066	2.69052706	-2.58527706
H	2.98089075	0.67999141	-0.60739333
O	-0.09406539	-0.15476709	2.09014696
C	1.05938239	0.19355024	2.86491347
C	1.78382425	-1.13799939	3.11420243
C	0.63595484	-2.18467803	3.09493195
C	-0.60138955	-1.36877771	2.65837845
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H	-1.24184541	-1.12307382	3.51881876
H	0.85115668	-2.97757297	2.37525447
H	0.47808560	-2.64723940	4.07455094
H	2.48886363	-1.33781086	2.30260627
H	2.34094135	-1.13306260	4.05647359
H	0.73511466	0.65423648	3.81163668
H	1.62296298	0.92268598	2.28239641

**Table 16.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 monomer with three THF



$G = -1488.69723$  Hartree

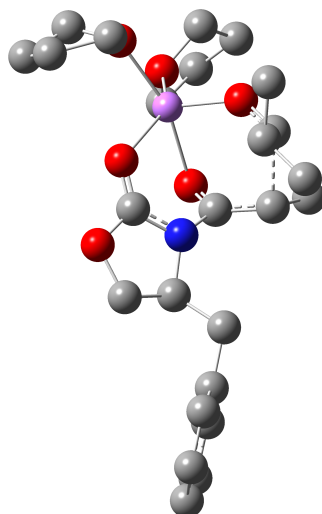
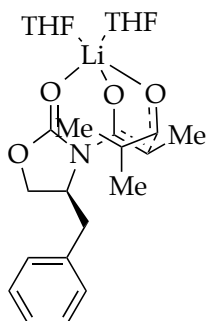
$G_{\text{MP2}} = -931170.4794$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 7.40160666$  kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer with three THF

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	1.22255389	2.28674449	3.57596117
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.21647090	H	0.32886753	2.55832159	3.00594657
C	1.19841668	0.00000000	2.53166518	H	0.90322056	2.04252005	4.59930153
N	1.95768395	-1.21878875	2.26358313	H	1.86706679	3.17134601	3.63659206
C	2.89267814	-1.84583839	3.20222213	O	-2.01370737	0.43824931	0.07915449
C	3.35173700	-3.05484937	2.36173616	C	-2.85598360	-0.37985848	0.92715654
H	4.30424441	-2.86578605	1.85533596	C	-3.72894814	0.59401790	1.72736868
H	3.42790331	-3.97796005	2.93863576	C	-2.83989719	1.84572406	1.79438854
O	2.33337980	-3.22745198	1.35715634	C	-2.18115195	1.83865451	0.41636210
C	1.60874220	-2.07945611	1.25451929	H	-1.19031610	2.29844188	0.39233530
O	0.81249110	-1.90513237	0.34584292	H	-2.82323357	2.30773709	-0.34284970
H	3.73728655	-1.18135973	3.40591535	H	-2.07502690	1.72368240	2.56674818
C	2.20681392	-2.22279671	4.53677101	H	-3.40136550	2.76534416	1.98780690
H	1.74921817	-1.31213331	4.94156364	H	-3.99236368	0.19739286	2.71264569
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C	3.16716511	-2.81828219	5.54330493	H	-3.43681939	-1.05386806	0.28755662
C	4.08904676	-2.00194452	6.21625995	H	-2.20416427	-0.96986029	1.57837421
C	4.99763672	-2.54488717	7.12410788	O	1.16943288	1.47429573	0.24490307
C	4.99959036	-3.91854667	7.37785776	C	2.17515865	1.82938848	0.94419559
C	4.08523631	-4.74153112	6.72007257	C	3.58201846	1.34791445	0.52416020
C	3.17780346	-4.19378142	5.81062505	H	3.62148310	0.25645231	0.64761559
H	2.45920782	-4.84071259	5.31179032	C	3.77429997	1.65716553	-0.97345085
H	4.07298556	-5.81035079	6.91662649	H	3.75092503	2.73995720	-1.15413821
H	5.70498036	-4.34208135	8.08757898	H	4.74224840	1.28115690	-1.32811296
H	5.70046725	-1.89472203	7.63843550	H	2.97737976	1.20487565	-1.56813567
H	4.08673946	-0.92896527	6.03480289	C	4.71049727	1.99610269	1.33717297
C	1.94943625	1.14245185	2.90167631	H	4.67030988	1.74171626	2.40111803
H	2.95787300	0.95468083	3.26255061	H	5.69079789	1.68287776	0.95863333

H	4.66499990	3.09025998	1.25772980
H	2.19047682	2.87870641	1.30301667
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C	1.03563052	-1.03789795	-2.69450917
C	0.47769347	-2.43416890	-3.02332444
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H	0.69641926	-3.12247159	-2.20390071
H	0.91482089	-2.84034649	-3.94090681
H	1.34295089	-0.50132977	-3.60557439
H	1.86515626	-1.04578484	-1.98677417

**Table 17.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*S,S*)-6 from 5 monomer with three THF



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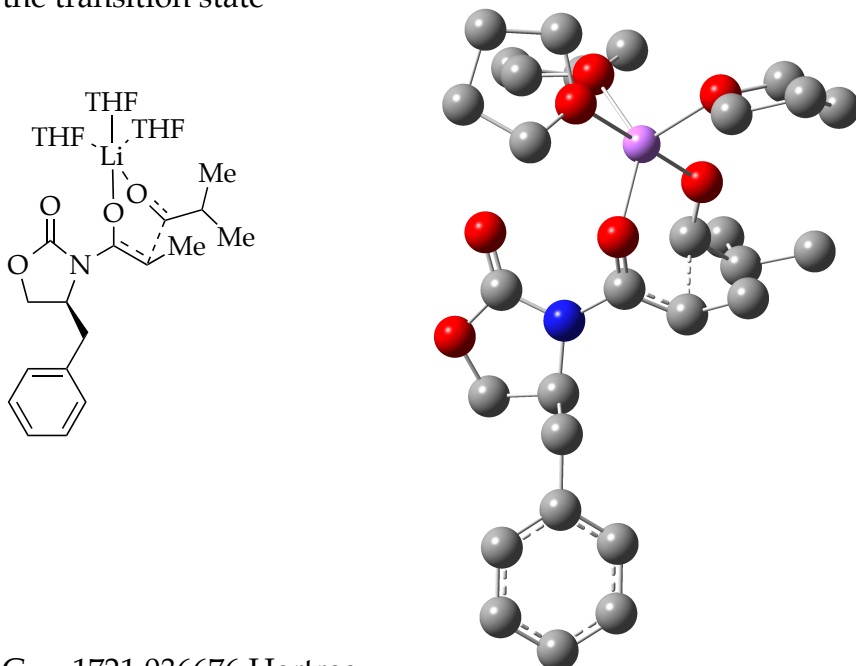
G<sub>MP2</sub> = -931168.3235 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 9.557477753 kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer with three THF

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	7.72599063	1.94707408	-5.47477474
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	-2.17940160	H	7.71143124	0.71710313	-7.63785480
C	1.03098976	0.00000000	-2.82972230	H	6.22952858	-1.26193924	-7.91694192
N	2.30134068	-0.31919064	-2.39923015	H	4.77478005	-1.99599598	-6.05681722
C	2.58134067	-0.18688154	-0.95843018	H	3.64316978	1.08955711	-3.21149919
O	1.99453064	0.72388965	-0.35528855	O	-0.29287517	1.29514530	1.60901190
C	3.30816999	-1.23211913	-0.33299990	C	0.60393030	2.39084086	1.91142958
H	3.87761208	-1.88021504	-0.99177897	C	0.69694566	2.44651451	3.43872278
C	3.96006005	-0.91434511	0.99934466	C	0.50119781	0.97161192	3.82067580
H	3.21364931	-0.52933057	1.70058169	C	-0.54399440	0.51322389	2.80337458
H	4.75406778	-0.16055402	0.90747455	H	-0.45716729	-0.54156866	2.53643227
H	4.40746865	-1.81520624	1.43410995	H	-1.56520274	0.72351996	3.15012272
C	3.28153674	0.07327476	-3.42934792	H	1.43292165	0.41298871	3.67622451
C	2.37010233	0.09592224	-4.66877263	H	0.17148051	0.82908035	4.85466219
H	2.38755970	-0.86354875	-5.19922746	H	1.64966149	2.86192111	3.78180246
H	2.60298310	0.89955032	-5.36800918	H	-0.11108819	3.05969594	3.85643076
O	1.04373268	0.30677748	-4.15340441	H	0.18884141	3.30256312	1.46798939
C	4.49206011	-0.86312602	-3.57546167	H	1.57023109	2.17601485	1.44689557
H	5.04515497	-0.86578498	-2.63035001	O	0.80375897	-1.56706342	0.67991972
H	4.12837328	-1.88431342	-3.73965443	C	1.71966308	-2.34417893	0.23544061
C	5.40567150	-0.43728212	-4.70811600	H	2.34028937	-2.86862003	0.99336201
C	5.41239803	-1.12378245	-5.92956786	C	1.36152673	-3.29813862	-0.92651478
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C	2.52504705	-4.17745912	-1.40286595
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H	-2.71686470	-0.44653849	-3.09271389
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H	-3.39692509	-1.78898306	-0.50734758
H	-1.82303933	-1.80549418	-1.34438808

**Table 18.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,S*)-6 from 5 monomer with three THF with 3 THF in the transition state



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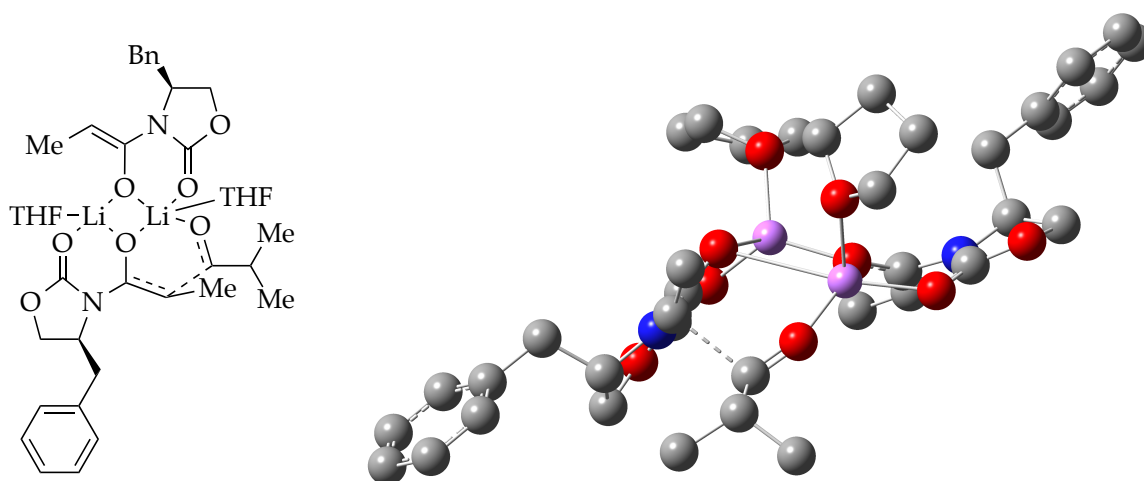
G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1076482.214 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 7.95713593 kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer with three THF

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	3.06813681	-0.69917036	4.59677431
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.99497850	O	0.14798793	-2.81692055	2.20089505
C	1.04279733	0.00000000	2.68803939	C	1.95807195	1.07278461	2.72827431
N	1.40616301	-1.21450162	3.38341758	C	1.42118630	2.45048873	2.41886995
C	0.87775129	-2.46726227	3.09844861	H	2.14339141	3.22566283	2.69675190
O	1.33512914	-3.35999010	4.03694077	H	0.48479957	2.66010718	2.95506122
C	2.36377360	-2.74099377	4.82163055	H	1.20692343	2.54749112	1.34680277
H	2.27762366	-3.09175440	5.85172781	H	2.79539959	1.01157338	3.41708783
H	3.34006558	-3.03765402	4.41977499	O	1.94334443	0.69282920	-0.06041257
C	2.11763113	-1.23283999	4.66823050	C	2.81300431	0.40144950	0.80869105
C	1.26405276	-0.61650073	5.80321192	H	2.87750797	-0.64525028	1.16370871
H	0.96081291	0.38561315	5.47879834	C	4.20218633	1.06542647	0.78918968
H	0.34888406	-1.21170412	5.90840013	H	4.60672371	1.03753767	1.80921852
C	2.00123614	-0.53892302	7.12203228	C	4.18728714	2.51078160	0.28487225
C	2.98794019	0.43743205	7.32740143	H	5.20772746	2.90950865	0.23529187
C	3.69496347	0.50099124	8.52765352	H	3.60059237	3.16343556	0.93578856
C	3.42621803	-0.41316748	9.54917805	H	3.75304961	2.56078525	-0.71889786
C	2.44456669	-1.38636456	9.36109657	C	5.11950738	0.19439747	-0.09639873
C	1.73973058	-1.44697199	8.15688098	H	5.15497209	-0.84360230	0.25673084
H	0.96724241	-2.20124934	8.02256161	H	6.14509152	0.58304279	-0.09410474
H	2.22211970	-2.09737511	10.15249360	H	4.76304129	0.18643180	-1.13337214
H	3.97427387	-0.36263604	10.48613800	O	-2.08058874	-0.76248242	0.06619070
H	4.45195955	1.26818622	8.66837984	C	-2.88711758	-1.11449246	-1.06222473
H	3.19497528	1.16110815	6.54141666	C	-3.66068186	-2.40093374	-0.66844405

C	-3.29365776	-2.61130515	0.82142878
C	-2.75419859	-1.24163718	1.23727957
H	-3.57471531	-0.55268242	1.50074950
H	-2.01706176	-1.26178061	2.03708818
H	-4.14716391	-2.93173859	1.42754757
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O	0.37917195	-1.50297591	-1.45702329
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C	1.45761169	-3.62857452	-1.75521809
C	2.40790647	-2.47000239	-2.11392770
C	1.42947400	-1.33826763	-2.41953895
H	1.84419808	-0.34020686	-2.27340076
H	1.02099925	-1.42732463	-3.43924942
H	3.02653197	-2.19316406	-1.25360803
H	3.07038864	-2.70230828	-2.95403784
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C	-1.80470486	3.82756193	-0.78092206
C	-0.32896253	4.00204271	-1.17085239
C	0.03025036	2.60792998	-1.69111826
H	-0.20654312	2.50816332	-2.75994204
H	1.07002359	2.32633679	-1.51672608
H	-0.16544136	4.78461944	-1.91848926
H	0.27217340	4.24321656	-0.28677678
H	-2.44545423	3.90169281	-1.66817317
H	-2.15179996	4.56471868	-0.05011810
H	-1.57107724	2.37860251	0.84417703
H	-2.77132572	1.88276870	-0.36883894

**Table 19.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from **5** dimer with three THF



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$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426404.974$  kcal/mol

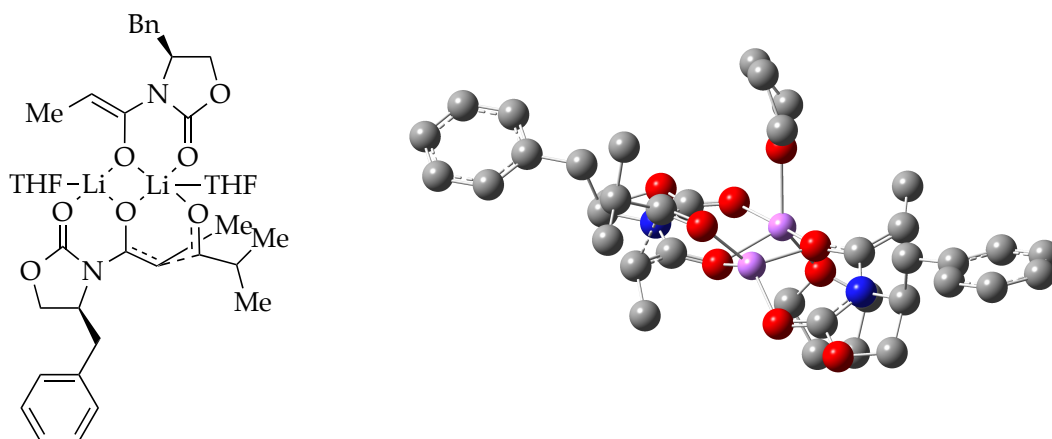
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 6.829416293$  kcal/mol vs. **5** dimer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	9.17754522	-6.99735482	-1.33089690
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.95615030	H	7.60744593	-5.87868162	-2.90399029
Li	1.84171295	0.00000000	2.28282029	H	6.18130865	-4.01910028	-2.12352417
O	2.80646069	-0.15198414	0.65433834	C	3.38503864	-1.36017603	-1.28539027
C	3.30050530	-1.16622317	0.11063726	H	4.02554629	-2.16153763	-1.63481755
N	3.67461626	-2.27569503	0.96349257	C	3.32612094	-0.12631453	-2.15625747
C	4.54169514	-3.39605290	0.56060012	H	2.39588780	0.42025865	-1.97322574
C	4.32352186	-4.34390410	1.74794888	H	4.16085277	0.56168317	-1.95995632
H	3.50638275	-5.05070535	1.56858171	H	3.36730076	-0.39840525	-3.21675506
H	5.22131936	-4.88845741	2.04251772	O	2.42604065	1.56405243	3.38314446
O	3.94126129	-3.47538697	2.83278261	C	1.84956502	1.74363687	4.68782760
C	3.43872796	-2.32397170	2.31898544	C	2.84909751	1.09612348	5.65941509
O	2.88181357	-1.50951401	3.03989990	C	4.20893438	1.19442826	4.91313362
H	4.17270494	-3.84853311	-0.36170238	C	3.83920555	1.78234313	3.53595424
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H	3.50919469	-3.42991084	-3.21796883
H	1.61411585	-3.00185540	-0.74592743

**Table 20.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*S,R*)-**6** from **5** dimer with three THF



G = -2280.360219 Hartree

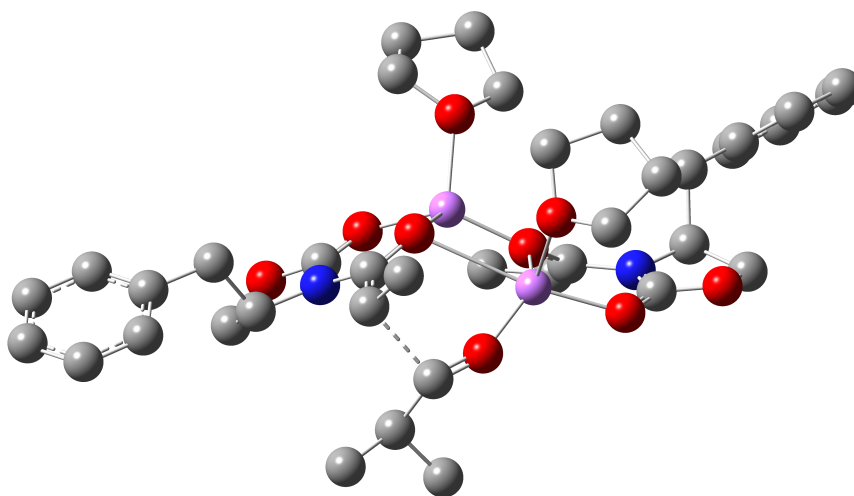
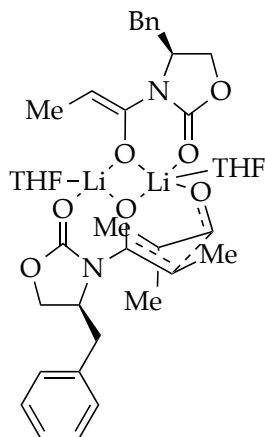
G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426402.109 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 9.694603507 kcal/mol vs. **5** dimer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	-5.55414705	1.59210591	-4.03244176
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.98556460	C	-5.38269945	2.35338784	-5.19632977
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C	0.87540069	-0.64283627	5.52968200	C	-7.81347519	1.06395715	-4.76662883
C	0.18877664	-1.83633335	6.20513095	C	-6.78636088	0.95205307	-3.83016536
H	0.77161769	-2.75940072	6.10378181	H	-6.94678851	0.36939194	-2.92517975
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O	-1.04384806	-1.99045671	5.48359173	H	-8.42804307	1.91276349	-6.65328000
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O	-1.79444814	-1.55130660	3.42006751	H	-4.44025266	2.87114789	-5.36226139
Li	-1.85911899	-0.33611009	1.94191090	C	-4.21833769	-0.62738246	-0.19464152
O	-1.87925902	-0.81197050	-0.03326498	C	-4.46350698	-1.67585691	0.87688134
C	-2.90486341	-0.56289784	-0.72139400	H	-5.52685704	-1.93000209	0.92803409
N	-2.70931423	-0.11194456	-2.06502903	H	-3.90803194	-2.60121196	0.67953506
C	-3.76513514	0.04726191	-3.07905135	H	-4.15753034	-1.32250344	1.86897360
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H	-2.94384054	-1.22247238	-4.67619414	O	-3.31008218	0.90867502	1.89309979
H	-3.25951672	0.45806314	-5.19060110	C	-4.01632406	1.18343079	0.87434073
O	-1.60311185	0.19479621	-3.99008169	H	-3.52627661	1.72621527	0.03927211
C	-1.46137012	0.08413320	-2.64121083	C	-5.46404146	1.68017155	1.06058320
O	-0.37288844	0.16482801	-2.11171479	H	-5.99345871	1.56635004	0.10379658
H	-4.51663456	-0.73581759	-2.95595169	C	-6.23356076	0.94484216	2.16153755
C	-4.43556028	1.44080013	-3.02299494	H	-7.19588670	1.43563723	2.35024932
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H	1.99775950	1.49270832	1.18515516
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O	-0.00960766	2.14188337	-0.08315328
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H	-1.85112199	4.63367741	0.39093709
H	-1.41413230	2.48114301	1.37247400
H	0.22338107	3.03270402	1.78122823

**Table 21.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



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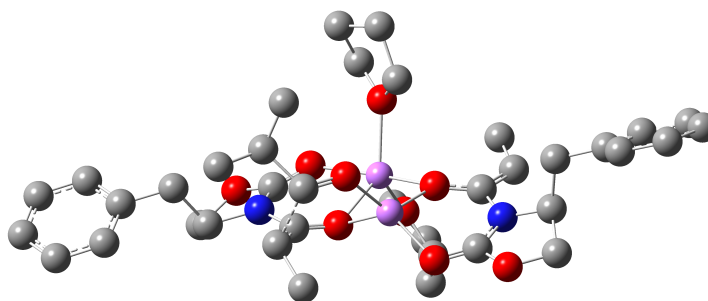
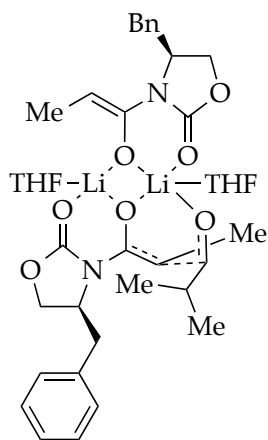
G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426404.058 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 7.744958821 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	8.43667046	-3.24368511	1.35842241
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.97714830	H	10.17411427	-4.79184812	0.51890714
Li	1.85927987	0.00000000	2.20286854	H	10.08654764	-5.61202323	-1.82857703
O	2.65471249	-0.11178775	0.47380784	H	8.24574310	-4.86260844	-3.32544374
C	3.25915389	-1.04237071	-0.09954078	H	6.51243686	-3.31570151	-2.48489613
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C	3.73060649	-2.12673075	2.09740284	O	2.39018905	1.58349732	3.30144917
O	3.08001368	-1.41496570	2.84761888	C	1.46045247	2.08713770	4.29422813
H	4.60356811	-3.53024126	-0.61249207	C	2.31783430	2.62222032	5.45019925
C	6.25601155	-2.25947012	0.02140952	C	3.62662106	1.83100105	5.29307601
H	6.06095530	-1.45691118	-0.69873472	C	3.74469526	1.73128804	3.77396224
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C	9.32126663	-4.93634984	-1.45656103	H	1.83823236	2.47573491	6.42243215
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H	-6.09761623	4.36145201	7.45813015				
H	-5.69356113	5.53212552	5.30014375				
H	-4.10940443	4.58585766	3.65174230				
C	-1.16285902	-1.00745711	3.82346628				
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O	0.44297162	1.90861415	-0.79020332				
C	1.05471373	2.97659106	-0.06212146				
C	-0.08474843	3.97469786	0.21460016				
C	-1.09975639	3.70208089	-0.93136285				
C	-0.47097391	2.52577700	-1.70632294				
H	0.08736823	2.88144766	-2.58563199				
H	-1.18713838	1.76339075	-2.01256227				
H	-1.24542756	4.57429455	-1.57655073				
H	-2.07573279	3.41695591	-0.52930873				
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H	-0.54001771	3.76836882	1.18872057				
H	1.51298677	2.55214642	0.83223675				
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C	0.12120236	-4.17234786	-1.22976900				

**Table 22.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*S,S*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



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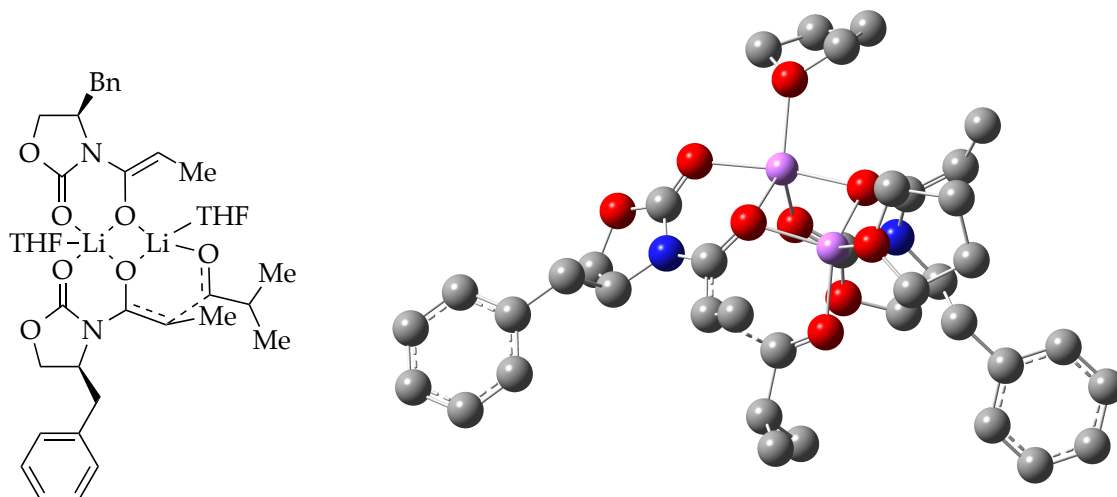
G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426401.658 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 10.1456954 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	-4.52626886	-0.59038891	-3.54602670
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.99903120	H	-5.09461871	-0.31091563	-2.65472214
C	0.82408025	0.00000000	2.99620810	H	-4.02808918	0.31976337	-3.90175952
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H	-0.27450418	-0.83259195	7.40847955	C	-7.26702787	-2.61581812	-5.27389514
O	-1.04492431	-1.64482654	5.67558510	C	-6.41955194	-2.09922319	-4.29434972
C	-0.82071329	-1.33383285	4.36628286	H	-6.51348069	-2.44596178	-3.26714441
O	-1.58770601	-1.74454478	3.50195922	H	-8.00872909	-3.36356490	-5.00588429
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O	-1.67379199	-1.27347226	0.05251977	H	-6.14091020	-0.83953578	-7.94564233
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H	1.85930061	-0.26434872	5.65166102				
C	0.37537655	1.29808826	5.91752350				
H	0.72993603	1.92211816	5.08992138				
H	-0.71949573	1.36378395	5.93249119				
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C	2.86360844	2.52488859	8.54077812				
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H	0.07193607	2.37416638	10.47581617				
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H	3.91858333	2.78136360	8.59449388				
H	2.94076072	2.05204268	6.44221340				
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H	2.69615124	0.32926951	3.92816006				
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H	2.04240358	1.51058607	1.14589222				
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C	1.90735762	-2.25941920	0.53230885				
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C	2.49574381	-1.18962837	-1.50276854				
H	1.92203653	-1.49668992	-2.38612059				
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H	4.02889056	-2.66738755	-2.04351559				
H	4.39621806	-1.71609977	-0.59180244				
H	2.24975357	-3.89098166	-0.86380493				
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H	2.38755228	-1.85667144	1.43122356				
H	0.95781384	-2.71841465	0.81933811				
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H	-0.54804238	4.94091334	-1.69304161				
H	-1.76577142	3.65669506	-1.53964308				

**Table 23.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF



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$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426408.218$  kcal/mol

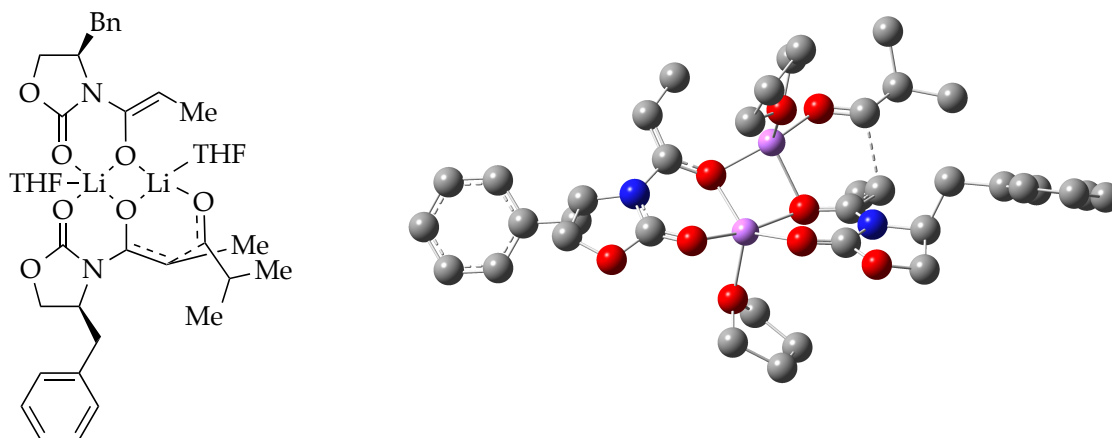
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 4.514509639$  kcal/mol vs. **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.75606050	H	7.08805689	2.11451341	-1.75564548
O	1.51381912	0.00000000	1.41788634	H	9.05540048	3.61398063	-1.79276054
C	2.43182289	0.86010647	1.53151668	H	9.69331964	4.88767005	0.24730028
N	2.85667370	1.55326002	0.35495484	H	8.34497094	4.63941846	2.32379311
C	2.36618127	1.31054019	-0.92057837	H	6.38203562	3.13931497	2.35846577
O	1.53632929	0.50485539	-1.28436097	C	2.96354359	1.26504968	2.77708131
O	2.99573211	2.12877927	-1.80558241	H	3.79095124	1.96610838	2.76651481
C	3.76438388	3.10460932	-1.07952323	C	2.96721316	0.25444102	3.90396434
H	3.16462024	4.01559226	-0.97861188	H	3.08578847	-0.77053947	3.53201841
H	4.67126203	3.32100188	-1.64541567	H	3.78692081	0.45832742	4.60141843
C	4.03227832	2.43712492	0.27465578	H	2.02710789	0.28339388	4.46826825
H	4.01027871	3.17840436	1.07577536	O	-1.36121043	-0.36752388	1.46521900
C	5.35898718	1.63953077	0.31673258	C	-2.54292088	0.17621473	1.41950485
H	5.35029186	1.02132940	1.22092255	N	-2.55228015	1.63716440	1.28819404
H	5.37398126	0.95397531	-0.53922174	C	-3.41071611	2.52632969	2.07940084
C	6.58219549	2.53061649	0.29749863	C	-2.99313740	3.89694057	1.50879335
C	6.95809437	3.25029195	1.44185216	H	-3.69635885	4.25879121	0.75056976
C	8.06812932	4.09419809	1.42529165	H	-2.86601953	4.66293290	2.27561430
C	8.82638539	4.23274804	0.26037182	O	-1.72140327	3.67148559	0.87337244
C	8.46761033	3.51939190	-0.88353084	C	-1.56349972	2.33283743	0.66451574



O	-0.63523602	1.91214458	-0.01623158	H	-0.09961671	-0.09584972	-2.97653926
H	-4.46464134	2.33468412	1.85703808	H	-0.25377756	-1.81962012	-3.40771761
C	-3.17899919	2.36646475	3.59954949	H	-2.50125130	0.20914552	-3.05081801
H	-3.33915144	1.30805839	3.83561720	H	-2.42071621	-1.14158560	-4.18808902
H	-2.12948897	2.58821689	3.82266034	H	-3.59251610	-1.13738443	-1.49218349
C	-4.11069305	3.22993626	4.42123531	H	-3.46184126	-2.55154076	-2.54921187
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C	-5.87306673	4.85867302	5.90113964				
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H	-6.55232438	5.48520733	6.47304247				
H	-4.14579250	6.09025728	6.28780760				
H	-2.60062910	4.65605295	4.99253190				
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H	0.30260735	-3.40618237	3.95813640				
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H	-1.29260994	-3.82084112	5.62905648				
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H	-2.20532179	-1.85454755	6.69616647				
H	0.17833012	-1.41010362	6.26457735				
H	-0.56449293	0.05875054	5.57178614				
O	0.36469144	1.66477280	3.69881441				
C	1.19669825	2.47494059	3.18247234				
H	1.05387406	2.75849319	2.12518787				
C	1.75931175	3.64295922	4.00502994				
C	0.67384589	4.74075946	4.04233280				
H	1.06429605	5.65828940	4.49875239				
H	0.31390302	4.98583725	3.03584881				
H	-0.18375934	4.40388610	4.63642247				
H	2.62063417	4.04731538	3.45510095				
C	2.19332695	3.25956047	5.42172735				
H	3.04920997	2.57847045	5.41155051				
H	2.47662715	4.15103491	5.99399991				
H	1.37382177	2.76071619	5.94919062				
O	-0.66254560	-1.31898227	-1.43741626				
C	-1.73749342	-2.24437178	-1.22808179				
C	-2.89999341	-1.72698029	-2.09884932				
C	-2.19611523	-0.83592905	-3.16127404				
C	-0.70092157	-0.99267300	-2.83461809				

**Table 24.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF



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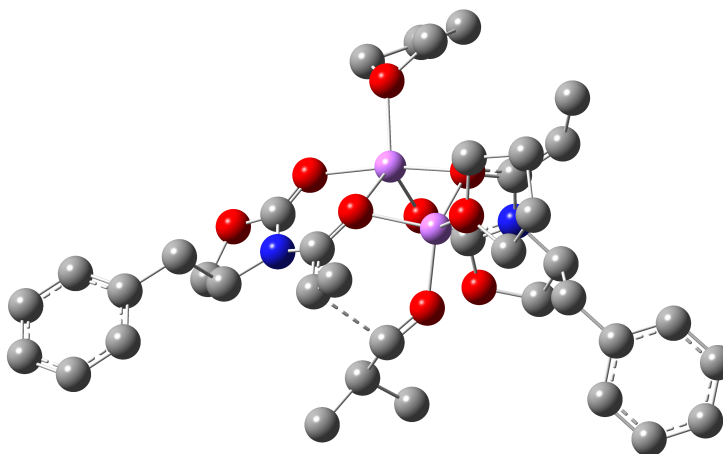
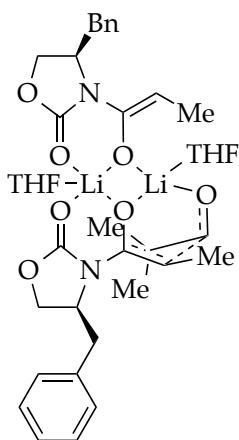
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$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 8.943400249$  kcal/mol vs. **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.69539740	H	8.30090066	-2.15686183	-3.26457510
O	1.36298871	0.00000000	1.39350365	H	10.01888002	-1.81769433	-1.49674347
C	2.56326864	0.49214097	1.38485784	H	9.31702689	-1.08291386	0.77472079
N	3.08363725	0.85149697	0.06651852	H	6.92515471	-0.68799370	1.26939056
C	2.30494990	1.17161837	-1.00571938	C	3.39681123	0.66966629	2.44396796
O	1.09056991	1.31477236	-1.07042116	H	4.35264248	1.16104804	2.29175650
O	3.08487641	1.33705451	-2.11579259	C	3.05513151	0.22851588	3.83978731
C	4.46703747	1.31688369	-1.71684771	H	3.94383284	-0.14252315	4.36788673
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C	4.46888019	0.61026698	-0.35144658	O	-1.19068823	-1.02187451	1.37311225
H	5.16887088	1.10203984	0.32831012	C	-2.39977044	-1.08747085	1.71231453
C	4.79173134	-0.90126774	-0.41120440	N	-3.30614489	-0.17406669	1.06857062
H	4.51768241	-1.32311431	0.56212500	C	-4.76816489	-0.13676488	1.23109517
H	4.14341599	-1.36706537	-1.16332953	C	-5.17764430	0.47852869	-0.11578149
C	6.24623402	-1.17984250	-0.71713248	H	-5.40668661	-0.28375908	-0.86900679
C	7.22644953	-0.99845050	0.27092065	H	-6.01373875	1.17432567	-0.03866006
C	8.57427074	-1.22416995	-0.00628323	O	-4.01503228	1.20968279	-0.54553105
C	8.96901049	-1.63847143	-1.28077195	C	-2.91083632	0.70110327	0.06785707
C	8.00546043	-1.82731445	-2.27176213	O	-1.79383546	1.02491007	-0.28429957
C	6.65671834	-1.59878351	-1.98994755	H	-5.15674675	-1.15343727	1.32735905

C	-5.20742314	0.71458958	2.44572702	H	-2.47698462	-1.05234583	-2.78293978
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H	-4.83285774	1.73542222	2.30251358	H	-2.49471088	-2.72438471	-1.15421464
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C	-8.86185211	1.85048867	2.46908038	H	-0.33035427	-2.92968155	-0.13196141
C	-9.50609889	0.72014405	2.97234620				
C	-8.75457983	-0.40582185	3.31664704				
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H	-2.05939554	-3.84755748	2.01474578				
H	-1.08385334	-3.03566917	3.24885930				
H	-3.95076797	-2.00833896	2.85661756				
O	-0.41806528	1.99537841	2.94974445				
C	-0.40392738	2.59212415	4.25225080				
C	-0.87717954	4.03478210	4.02262935				
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H	1.22302817	2.94328705	2.10740382				
H	-0.19127564	2.72978598	1.04694377				
H	0.36648050	5.10958587	2.54094788				
H	-1.24586443	4.69410530	1.95937051				
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H	-1.96787562	4.09310635	4.09795825				
H	-1.04785008	1.99318197	4.89748252				
H	0.61985472	2.56992538	4.65667679				
O	-0.84655099	-0.74204283	4.21721782				
C	-2.09540963	-0.79989588	4.40690253				
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C	-2.61271331	-1.57798654	5.62651316				
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H	-4.44139929	-2.12045877	6.67077163				
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H	-2.35575764	-1.41145068	7.79060624				
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C	-0.31855188	-2.78538065	-1.21267429				
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C	-0.29844671	-1.12882255	-2.79776319				
H	-0.28881773	-0.04302087	-2.89706211				
H	0.43104378	-1.56032611	-3.49960720				

**Table 25.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF



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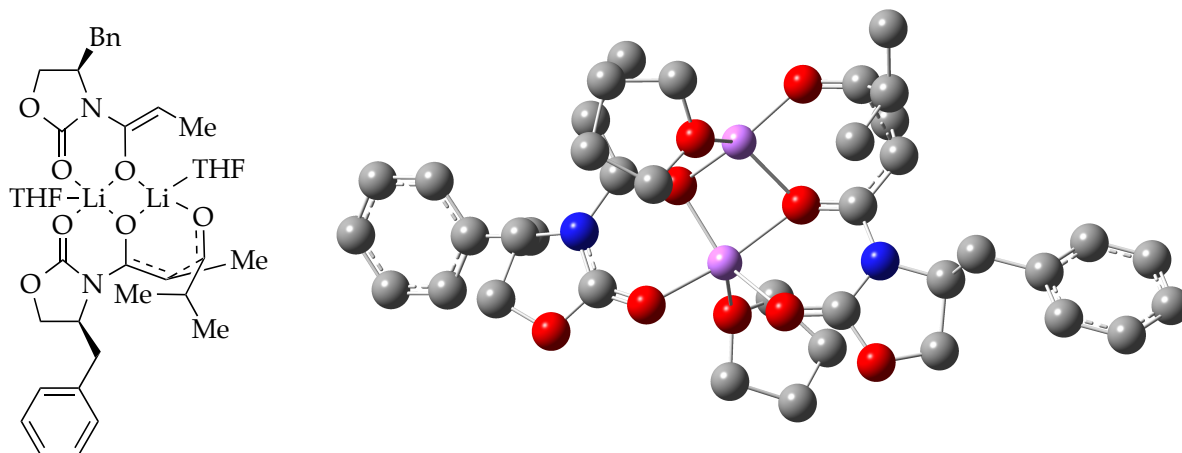
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ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 5.003011202 kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF

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O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.09913160	H	7.16101480	-1.50158045	-0.96768803
Li	1.95860017	0.00000000	1.88981500	H	9.22763584	-2.85992046	-0.99901998
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H	4.69965578	-1.84337932	-1.88558609	C	4.40080947	1.06149454	3.41583691
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H	1.44648872	0.48388093	4.35858008				
O	-0.72168074	1.41147948	-1.30749536				
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C	-1.64022239	1.04284361	-2.34681471				
H	-2.05683902	0.07145362	-2.08296558				
H	-2.45311269	1.78453875	-2.38577083				

**Table 26.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.357893 Hartree

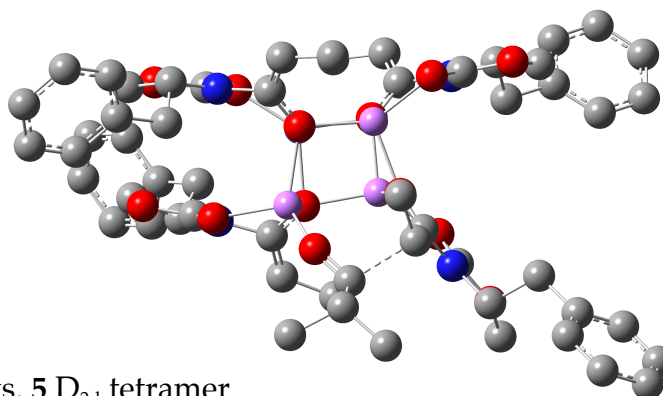
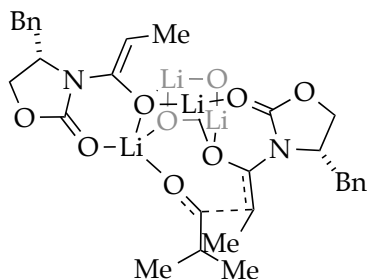
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ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 11.99333579 kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	6.79714943	-0.33202144	-2.40917665
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.72130500	H	6.05132255	-0.39944751	-3.19861001
O	1.35644957	0.00000000	1.39292478	H	8.45500942	-0.35812423	-3.78396351
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O	0.95427465	1.53721240	-0.86667237	C	3.50010544	0.27012715	2.39023878
O	2.90827619	2.04813237	-1.84946445	H	4.48388780	0.71606528	2.29013539
C	4.28667166	2.13026650	-1.44897829	C	3.22049342	-0.51192603	3.64370724
H	4.49662506	3.15865584	-1.13252509	H	4.06911016	-1.15756126	3.91030713
H	4.91419236	1.88105657	-2.30632686	H	3.02819423	0.12223953	4.52461895
C	4.40909219	1.13300765	-0.28782697	H	2.34520847	-1.15861821	3.51570055
H	5.05999530	1.53830515	0.49026717	O	-1.08908123	-1.11687166	1.33864283
C	4.91265737	-0.26943043	-0.70578588	C	-2.28023603	-1.45317022	1.54783965
H	4.72030500	-0.94136190	0.13747811	N	-3.28038298	-0.87798824	0.68377296
H	4.30379747	-0.61987272	-1.54823410	C	-4.65629443	-1.37445532	0.51217439
C	6.37983479	-0.28134781	-1.07223861	C	-4.90411260	-1.00124398	-0.95938268
C	7.36214313	-0.21574839	-0.07192192	H	-4.67888628	-1.82762457	-1.64285665
C	8.71780943	-0.19557595	-0.39801545	H	-5.91537353	-0.64049128	-1.14997025
C	9.11868360	-0.24255470	-1.73544626	O	-3.98159540	0.07254021	-1.22348325
C	8.15380831	-0.31327145	-2.74050401	C	-2.95982779	0.02210585	-0.32235538

O	-1.95911996	0.69516486	-0.46372387	H	-0.08669595	0.12682945	-2.92558981
H	-4.66919292	-2.45868212	0.64915430	H	0.89039716	-1.23551449	-3.54160525
C	-5.66770694	-0.71474380	1.47787204	H	-2.10944407	-1.18208741	-3.02911774
H	-5.31856207	-0.87182240	2.50264869	H	-1.23352311	-2.06572417	-4.28467261
H	-5.65909073	0.36769906	1.30349790	H	-2.01532534	-3.05738463	-1.63750778
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C	-8.67473716	-3.06777604	1.62088750				
C	-7.39152508	-2.54654983	1.78290130				
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C	-2.66534074	-2.32353817	2.59610933				
C	-1.72606863	-3.48205865	2.89315098				
H	-2.08351609	-4.05205648	3.75839165				
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H	-0.72105987	-3.11542428	3.12060649				
H	-3.72390718	-2.56509543	2.67184231				
O	-0.00838657	2.01311500	3.23010546				
C	0.28500981	3.11523710	2.35545595				
C	1.56347111	3.77306583	2.92052966				
C	1.67325466	3.20471792	4.36190856				
C	0.35365327	2.44207234	4.54814425				
H	-0.43442723	3.10002534	4.94773683				
H	0.42010715	1.55146769	5.17592591				
H	1.80706830	3.98325550	5.11962220				
H	2.51827332	2.51425557	4.42818756				
H	1.48317167	4.86473116	2.90826856				
H	2.43935546	3.49252257	2.33048330				
H	0.39383439	2.71353909	1.34760015				
H	-0.56286998	3.81576273	2.37320031				
O	-1.01529063	-0.68570970	4.13775119				
C	-2.17059551	-1.17168032	4.31919062				
C	-3.35980934	-0.24627043	4.62369744				
H	-4.28321767	-0.81175577	4.43364143				
C	-3.31895904	0.07017059	6.13437618				
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H	-3.32649760	-0.84506286	6.73861769				
H	-2.41017103	0.62985380	6.38269478				
C	-3.36027537	1.04623830	3.80370280				
H	-3.43893984	0.84907031	2.73072339				
H	-4.20282633	1.68664424	4.09231777				
H	-2.43131511	1.60011316	3.96037025				
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O	0.36263381	-1.30339832	-1.53677949				
C	0.13167473	-2.71269777	-1.42068952				
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C	0.04713925	-0.95489450	-2.89218450				

**Table 27.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from **5** D<sub>2d</sub> tetramer



G = -3399.0162 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -2126250.456 kcal/mol

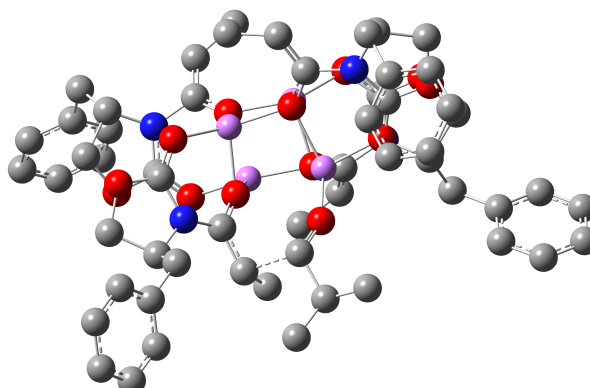
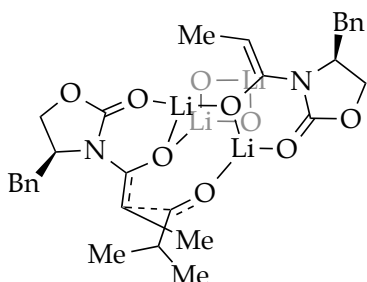
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 2.342089648 kcal/mol vs. 5 D<sub>2d</sub> tetramer

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.74643830	C	-4.44804242	-0.74449802	-0.79022094
O	1.96466194	0.00000000	2.98174704	O	-5.79235645	-0.76474698	-0.97126550
C	2.70087849	0.59894095	2.20599733	C	-6.16406942	0.29481829	-1.87345650
O	4.00280488	0.23666354	2.04948724	H	-6.61639472	1.10213445	-1.28666721
C	4.57478956	0.99087859	0.95787020	H	-6.90204314	-0.09390506	-2.57631069
H	4.65481990	0.32142673	0.09700574	C	-4.85007627	0.74392009	-2.54322515
H	5.56799421	1.32708161	1.25884417	N	-3.86931837	0.17861695	-1.60868045
C	3.58740280	2.14820906	0.69699296	C	-2.42797469	0.34206244	-1.71906807
N	2.40064933	1.65209076	1.40258542	C	-1.88290216	0.45395410	-2.94955689
C	1.10813828	2.32623240	1.44621903	H	-2.52139955	0.31492272	-3.81699121
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C	-0.06507022	4.57526463	1.60579325	H	-0.28096986	1.28503690	-4.12742456
H	-0.37663598	4.86108274	2.62285811	H	0.00596975	1.33522621	-2.38346354
H	0.15383623	5.51015607	1.07281847	O	-1.80075674	0.40329466	-0.56243924
H	-0.93240283	4.12028440	1.12119057	C	-4.73327965	2.26918662	-2.71209670
O	0.07545380	1.52090435	1.28530019	H	-4.82079481	2.73673899	-1.72409949
Li	-1.81381840	1.71191339	0.84583371	H	-3.72604715	2.48970736	-3.08079569
O	-3.12459318	3.11090058	1.14891338	C	-5.77996430	2.82028030	-3.65808270
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O	3.38361358	-2.02560169	-0.14033038	C	6.92423955	3.79408212	-2.78844957
C	3.76459151	-2.96206225	0.89363109	C	6.46705088	2.49124872	-2.98884197
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H	-2.41048006	-3.19666063	2.13653879				
H	0.02252520	-4.67551283	0.93500502				
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H	-4.25973903	0.48696573	5.06894695				
C	-3.47459306	-1.36183753	4.15899150				
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C	-6.30792668	2.21555904	3.93113037				
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H	-6.23741440	1.12237811	3.94145361				
C	-7.32720509	2.69013889	4.94498832				
C	-8.28362565	3.65762659	4.60907739				
C	-9.20824033	4.11053396	5.55255664				
C	-9.18878775	3.60105613	6.85097675				
C	-8.24286663	2.63373815	7.19852697				
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H	-8.22537938	2.22541498	8.20540820				
H	-9.90840216	3.95017936	7.58630242				
H	-9.94520247	4.85749257	5.26992345				
H	-8.31350001	4.05074368	3.59492471				
H	-4.56776975	2.56559500	5.20443345				

**Table 28.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*S,R*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



$G = -3399.002753$  Hartree

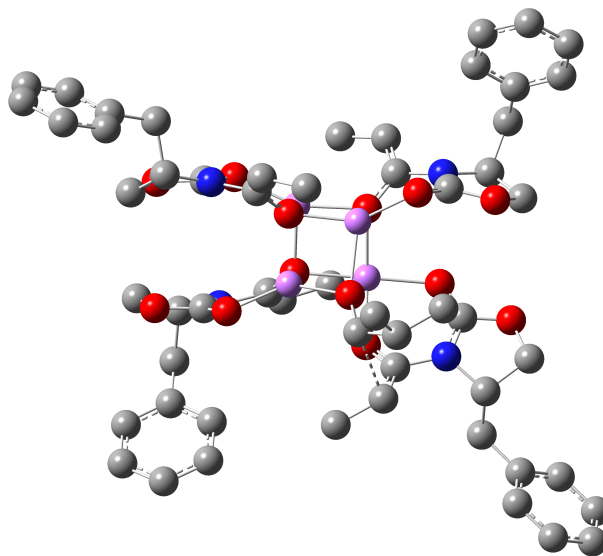
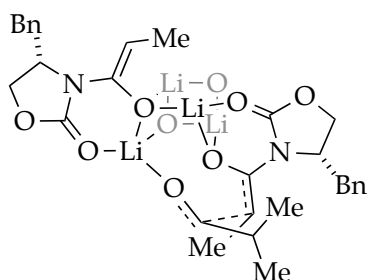
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C	0.99820635	0.00000000	2.64833180	Li	-0.07021416	-1.86447698	-2.43333278
O	0.87078559	0.09646201	3.99798408	O	-0.02615338	-2.43790495	-4.29349832
C	2.15155842	-0.12353632	4.61133496	C	1.09738687	-2.54184713	-4.77775908
H	2.18303701	-1.15367197	4.98117537	O	1.40170176	-1.98921741	-5.97913800
H	2.24958425	0.57549087	5.44353866	C	2.81929959	-2.11852570	-6.21571751
C	3.17102919	0.11745077	3.48561183	H	3.28098710	-1.13559663	-6.07907606
H	3.94133010	-0.65866411	3.49992547	H	2.95275513	-2.45140251	-7.24649357
N	2.32093658	-0.07633151	2.30424952	C	3.32172544	-3.14655874	-5.17647303
C	2.84571784	-0.40511294	0.99341546	H	4.19820802	-2.76581388	-4.64242929
C	4.18793730	-0.52346093	0.83098999	N	2.18141658	-3.17408198	-4.25122387
H	4.85928321	-0.34638329	1.66033528	C	2.25790972	-3.49387944	-2.83266925
C	4.81687465	-0.90816248	-0.48322988	C	2.82126233	-4.65770915	-2.44418583
H	4.85109438	-0.08066603	-1.20801311	H	3.09549123	-5.38368968	-3.20010000
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H	4.29265543	-1.74315034	-0.96844982	H	2.18153568	-5.52394776	-0.55112624
O	1.94719295	-0.59674139	0.04971762	H	3.90018871	-5.71649828	-0.90985041
Li	2.24996992	-0.65637470	-1.86248177	H	3.27293034	-4.15020777	-0.38620407
O	3.18269751	0.33962967	-3.25137189	O	1.77987417	-2.54822014	-2.04662474
C	2.65355009	1.14162706	-4.00427032	Li	1.22242357	-2.43308944	-0.20462152
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C	2.42228603	2.39830416	-5.89422270	C	-0.19613245	-3.10807803	1.94983074
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C	-3.74611686	-2.63841947	2.34805801	C	1.92796004	4.43288285	5.04369493
H	-4.14038237	-2.46418924	1.34110626	C	1.20776012	4.89620195	3.94243637
H	-3.77656105	-3.72105925	2.52273777	C	1.36223986	4.26900674	2.70440680
C	-4.59250061	-1.91562605	3.37680777	C	2.22751639	3.18322616	2.56870904
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H	-4.61216243	-0.04672567	2.29827073	O	-0.69707615	1.62601802	-0.55841550
H	-5.95662423	1.15371491	3.98841147	C	-0.85388587	2.56047566	-1.40033797
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C	-0.98225090	1.67666331	-3.26148935				
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C	2.38235039	6.00254954	-5.75518087				

**Table 29.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



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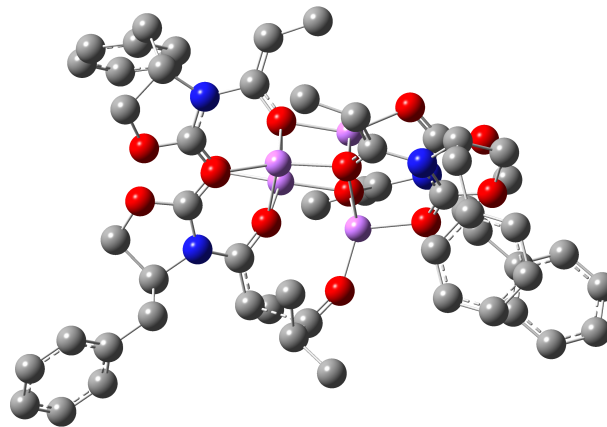
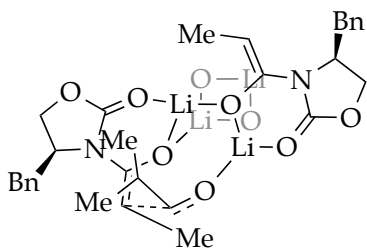
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$\Delta G_{MP2} = 11.40634332$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	-3.68246105	-0.93932651	2.24292417
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.67081310	C	-3.48483833	-2.20828707	2.78870539
O	0.68594493	0.00000000	4.43212981	H	-4.05830519	-3.03801819	2.38465025
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O	1.63306325	1.21449818	6.05998950	H	-2.33498424	-1.53510270	4.48353787
C	1.52632050	2.55940828	6.56993717	H	-3.84055334	-2.34931132	4.93210900
H	2.29774862	3.16918779	6.08963325	H	-2.46940428	-3.30070043	4.36407956
H	1.69115943	2.52021860	7.64781496	O	-3.11011334	0.11424819	2.60911318
C	0.10873702	3.00829357	6.18018320	C	-6.82599932	-1.41298991	1.97556863
H	0.10555489	4.03934937	5.81533159	H	-6.34377806	-1.58426733	2.94449925
N	-0.14392644	2.11102326	5.04431094	H	-7.11743098	-0.35597370	1.94442055
C	-1.04476264	2.41787881	3.94502361	C	-8.04259040	-2.30053853	1.82800715
C	-2.00112045	3.36015760	4.12428130	C	-7.97696621	-3.65998707	2.16938681
H	-2.13864592	3.81614097	5.09563973	C	-9.08466531	-4.49233543	2.01250862
C	-2.92871124	3.80291310	3.02504389	C	-10.28296587	-3.97828783	1.51124053
H	-3.83449069	3.18086762	2.95297025	C	-10.36421428	-2.62759031	1.17216146
H	-3.26491616	4.83398482	3.18772801	C	-9.25195902	-1.79774666	1.32974453
H	-2.44031584	3.78418245	2.04180647	H	-9.32797034	-0.74226367	1.07659667
O	-0.79895529	1.77411045	2.82891478	H	-11.29429538	-2.21574300	0.78942680
Li	-2.24693460	1.39552908	1.47642674	H	-11.14768164	-4.62534144	1.39203287
O	-3.82454110	1.20752922	0.19764040	H	-9.01465711	-5.54149408	2.28745856
C	-4.57569308	0.24479376	0.24248844	H	-7.05165503	-4.06663149	2.57286850
O	-5.60428516	0.12774662	-0.64839926	O	-0.85236286	1.78343918	0.06890000
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C	0.69729496	1.92683783	-5.90235771	C	-1.86162770	0.54597092	7.30352205
C	-0.16052506	2.44153870	-4.92997702	H	-2.36855027	0.79954541	6.37583404
H	0.24638035	2.78409312	-3.98265836	H	-2.62015385	-1.46543058	7.33405578
H	1.76370851	1.87039858	-5.70073788	H	-1.48285123	-2.05615260	9.46859561
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H	-3.09923874	2.16310714	-6.61093372	O	-0.86271547	-1.27667707	1.39793096
C	-0.65861320	3.74474886	-1.26918352	C	-1.30008154	-2.40932432	1.74133680
H	-0.74043420	4.15460078	-2.26770909	C	-1.58351177	-3.53247140	0.75314164
C	-0.12973270	4.65274919	-0.19165977	H	-2.27104033	-4.22291862	1.25667272
H	0.96591641	4.61215289	-0.09507190	C	-0.26328643	-4.30331669	0.51610304
H	-0.38901761	5.69783985	-0.39900363	H	-0.45734556	-5.19511909	-0.09095959
H	-0.54883319	4.41109035	0.79324251	H	0.46527090	-3.68422581	-0.01616429
Li	0.46826932	2.22682598	1.44466884	H	0.19109850	-4.63129468	1.45870155
O	1.99467233	3.09009381	2.23133929	C	-2.19939176	-3.07167132	-0.56973632
C	2.91559179	2.40300728	2.66139224	H	-2.39712042	-3.93653977	-1.21383438
O	3.66563101	2.83345964	3.71658862	H	-3.14515668	-2.54701082	-0.40234776
C	4.54232101	1.75268460	4.12047883	H	-1.53262430	-2.39437131	-1.11031646
H	4.05627317	1.20321004	4.93227849	H	-1.06515255	-2.75578068	2.75704468
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C	2.67403316	0.30991872	1.31770044				
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C	2.74531825	-1.65452856	-0.25128988				
H	1.70038652	-1.83547944	0.02030865				
H	2.75753890	-1.35094432	-1.30917690				
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H	4.45667268	-0.66527190	0.74900383				
O	1.37368210	0.50110670	1.27147476				
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H	7.03768220	-1.09488128	2.12173308				
H	9.20917685	-1.70190728	3.13068973				

**Table 30.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*S,S*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



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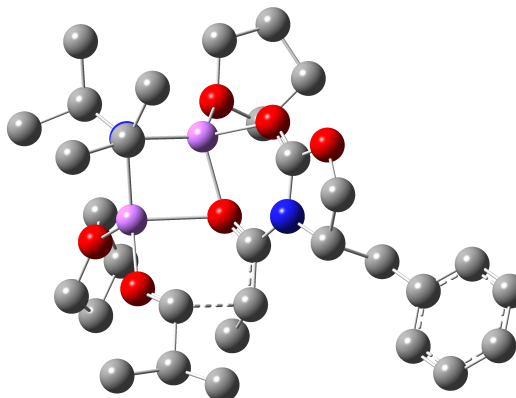
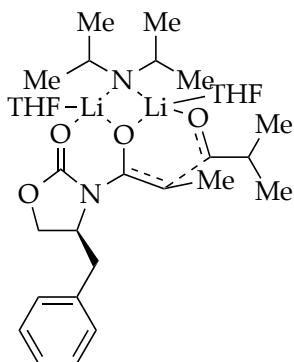
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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-1.36327381	2.22699369	-3.96601355
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.95469910	C	-2.29755834	0.47278482	-3.02041830
C	0.98221044	0.00000000	2.68334283	H	-2.15630591	-0.08858569	-2.09286173
O	0.82811889	-0.04776095	4.03345096	H	-3.24806024	1.01273622	-2.94531709
C	2.10902824	-0.28100146	4.64279552	H	-2.38235399	-0.23931844	-3.85182362
H	2.19120406	-1.34931275	4.86773685	O	0.53718292	-0.02097289	-2.51384640
H	2.15315883	0.30208803	5.56390430	Li	0.20347696	-1.97146649	-2.36623312
C	3.12776029	0.16700089	3.58251405	O	0.38134071	-2.47682548	-4.23053096
H	3.95646232	-0.54423680	3.51990518	C	1.51141812	-2.59299733	-4.69490621
N	2.31392866	0.04896051	2.36543203	O	1.79528843	-2.15497523	-5.95120657
C	2.87866997	-0.12764564	1.04347842	C	3.21428631	-2.28669120	-6.18721111
C	4.22215618	-0.03439916	0.87753561	H	3.66618938	-1.29334018	-6.11091091
H	4.86409772	0.20539640	1.71408390	H	3.34503422	-2.68126259	-7.19640437
C	4.88549723	-0.24848423	-0.45844497	C	3.71698423	-3.24542908	-5.08887446
H	4.71803923	0.58042280	-1.16323619	H	4.63695224	-2.87369048	-4.62783955
H	5.97032631	-0.34145565	-0.33765038	N	2.62317042	-3.12729817	-4.11609107
H	4.54679033	-1.16973361	-0.95427739	C	2.75283686	-3.30266035	-2.67794822
O	2.01733922	-0.41400399	0.08937010	C	3.55428827	-4.27627755	-2.19351480
Li	2.34121496	-0.45852827	-1.81313503	H	3.99846429	-4.98620843	-2.87984460
O	3.09592809	0.50032357	-3.35305094	C	3.84339684	-4.44996020	-0.72656356
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O	2.95050542	1.19705283	-5.48116020	H	4.79178491	-4.97928007	-0.57817264
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H	1.56726179	0.60598117	-6.89861752	O	2.08535079	-2.41523631	-1.96827391
H	2.25896348	2.24505122	-7.12088645	Li	1.49863267	-2.31631179	-0.12652777
C	0.77603094	2.09231172	-5.48748817	O	1.22206772	-3.40302658	1.43770627
H	-0.21125374	1.77224465	-5.82614398	C	0.15097829	-3.18030729	2.00469867
N	1.10791530	1.40138589	-4.22374178	O	0.09057359	-3.01769614	3.34595801
C	0.15040940	0.88894901	-3.28734447	C	-1.27998549	-2.76684150	3.73013465
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H	-1.73526092	-4.29625343	-2.70612203	C	1.08132533	4.28991743	3.23748835
H	-3.42132186	-3.96908152	-2.30823381	C	2.02152608	3.28532437	3.00756305
H	-2.57900544	-4.48193857	-0.04517074	H	2.23285950	2.96858314	1.98954622
O	-0.43037100	-1.98551768	-0.55216836	H	0.56275030	4.74152042	2.39643577
C	-3.43599713	-3.10020221	2.36211481	H	0.08007796	5.50052033	4.71708038
H	-3.83704634	-2.94390114	1.35485333	H	1.29890557	4.46869699	6.62604053
H	-3.35602746	-4.18407980	2.51175341	H	2.97037704	2.69407822	6.21528168
C	-4.36187230	-2.49410792	3.39835716	O	-0.85087205	1.53978469	-0.56531339
C	-4.75755595	-3.22128175	4.52853023	C	-1.18347887	2.36597810	-1.47957975
C	-5.59431117	-2.65343740	5.49179857	C	-0.41367101	3.70347131	-1.57404184
C	-6.04811977	-1.34332578	5.33892055	H	-0.59987569	4.14232943	-2.56522101
C	-5.66296016	-0.60738062	4.21572555	C	1.09346318	3.55246047	-1.34901590
C	-4.82978140	-1.17882756	3.25472004	H	1.57200446	2.95524364	-2.13116677
H	-4.54165982	-0.59991412	2.37988973	H	1.58516247	4.53268144	-1.33013770
H	-6.01448436	0.41278651	4.08563911	H	1.28105995	3.05116528	-0.39466425
H	-6.69977120	-0.89907098	6.08660564	C	-1.02075700	4.65917493	-0.52753099
H	-5.89247776	-3.23705394	6.35903306	H	-0.88969170	4.24863874	0.48013934
H	-4.41413764	-4.24639316	4.65086406	H	-0.53878881	5.64376896	-0.56771274
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H	4.39937599	-5.28163325	-4.80746329				
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C	2.64013219	-5.48141632	-7.61886295				
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C	-1.19374613	4.99452339	-8.29834885				
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C	1.12016511	5.59550178	-8.62517626				
C	1.45048651	4.96319476	-7.42450978				
H	2.48271963	4.96690283	-7.08055908				
H	1.89689460	6.07946599	-9.21119014				
H	-0.46287249	6.10353301	-9.99923218				
H	-2.22840596	5.00872829	-8.63028848				

**Table 31.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from LDA **5** mixed dimer with three THF



G = -1787.920851 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118233.28 kcal/mol

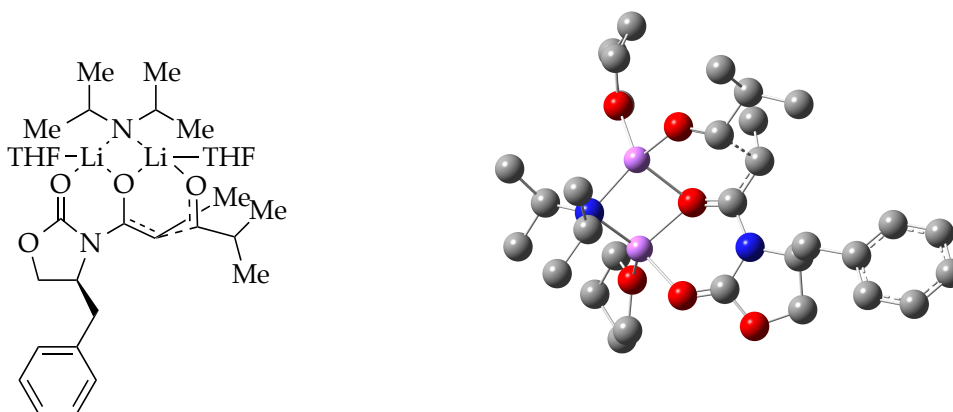
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 4.221059292 kcal/mol vs. **5** LDA mixed dimer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	O	-0.66610284	-1.27702979	3.83968753
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.61238600	C	-1.16965419	-2.42092498	3.62827604
N	1.51225768	0.00000000	1.26976654	C	-1.80196980	-3.17317594	4.81347162
C	2.34589095	1.20864602	1.24529876	H	-2.59094114	-2.53601098	5.23282317
H	1.65042150	2.00898199	0.93507602	C	-0.70980976	-3.33512510	5.89195787
C	2.90276616	1.69527612	2.61219566	H	-1.11959613	-3.82081929	6.78589641
H	3.71053434	1.05815741	2.98628151	H	0.11746681	-3.95548927	5.52302821
H	3.30556949	2.71537369	2.52466791	H	-0.30046661	-2.36220277	6.17461282
H	2.10668055	1.70900187	3.36452444	C	-2.38442650	-4.54183335	4.44238601
C	3.49424506	1.25358233	0.20753087	H	-2.67279177	-5.09635292	5.34277186
H	3.88920582	2.27481408	0.11043304	H	-3.27475051	-4.46353021	3.80979063
H	4.33440108	0.61141386	0.49655539	H	-1.64184724	-5.15254805	3.91075734
H	3.14682378	0.92506717	-0.77885930	H	-0.65191653	-3.10128919	2.92137035
C	2.13799080	-1.32421250	1.40613649	O	-0.53438301	1.74774296	3.42880632
H	1.28552701	-2.00764068	1.58289765	C	-0.79695267	2.98404009	2.75663502
C	3.07291924	-1.54690466	2.62045015	C	-2.21661124	3.36597546	3.19900634
H	3.29852312	-2.61564654	2.74231379	C	-2.33232856	2.74902107	4.62041700
H	4.03097154	-1.02836224	2.49830452	C	-1.05983345	1.88160369	4.75834790
H	2.60705819	-1.19024853	3.54583548	H	-1.23263742	0.87030157	5.12846877
C	2.83175904	-1.90150651	0.14023526	H	-0.30940749	2.37694262	5.39118945
H	2.19733593	-1.77003744	-0.74325244	H	-3.23785437	2.14236507	4.71035431
H	3.79577753	-1.42414228	-0.06320235	H	-2.37045989	3.51599465	5.40019054
H	3.02430715	-2.97774923	0.26335386	H	-2.95208414	2.91527001	2.52576316



H	-2.37283712	4.44912644	3.19165893
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H	-0.68447205	2.80778756	1.68489605
O	-1.54859792	-0.55108223	1.08561684
C	-2.06545227	-1.68985046	1.22544250
N	-1.73120288	-2.70311759	0.26023242
C	-2.34011926	-4.04491328	0.19106033
C	-1.34771234	-4.73123729	-0.75460518
H	-0.51646110	-5.19947243	-0.21707318
H	-1.81123709	-5.45747491	-1.42284360
O	-0.82315863	-3.65078139	-1.55242880
C	-0.94958217	-2.49055212	-0.86307753
O	-0.43185174	-1.46237477	-1.26437780
H	-2.32760455	-4.51795409	1.17460963
C	-3.78312463	-4.00111768	-0.37039996
H	-4.36672170	-3.30737083	0.24426280
H	-3.74494044	-3.57690782	-1.38128512
C	-4.44211373	-5.36391661	-0.40127250
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C	-5.19686203	-7.32524077	-1.62996666
C	-4.61195607	-6.05730239	-1.60712390
H	-4.29310849	-5.59512421	-2.53906464
H	-5.32307911	-7.84376754	-2.57663601
H	-6.07769292	-8.90710369	-0.45758923
H	-5.79608209	-7.69303077	1.69604788
H	-4.76973451	-5.44733189	1.73127839
C	-2.83974880	-2.06524978	2.34752009
H	-3.36032205	-3.01347522	2.28891715
C	-3.56652052	-0.96711007	3.09069552
H	-2.84818500	-0.28991361	3.56382030
H	-4.20552066	-0.36651421	2.42901507
H	-4.20581359	-1.39062176	3.87294087
O	-0.52178209	1.65830598	-1.00018327
C	0.31737039	1.97290827	-2.14273584
C	-0.63471223	2.24616743	-3.31861729
C	-1.92592418	1.53077043	-2.88608995
C	-1.91100938	1.76133340	-1.37769891
H	-2.45907707	1.01961927	-0.79315878
H	-2.28196505	2.76505796	-1.12294268
H	-1.86143098	0.45821383	-3.09951422
H	-2.82294329	1.93157453	-3.36826965
H	-0.23430082	1.87602501	-4.26681485
H	-0.81503053	3.32205717	-3.42684120
H	0.94660053	2.83167975	-1.88942698
H	0.96345423	1.10816051	-2.32656674

**Table 32.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*S,R*)-**6** from LDA **5** mixed dimer with three THF



G = -1787.918608 Hartree

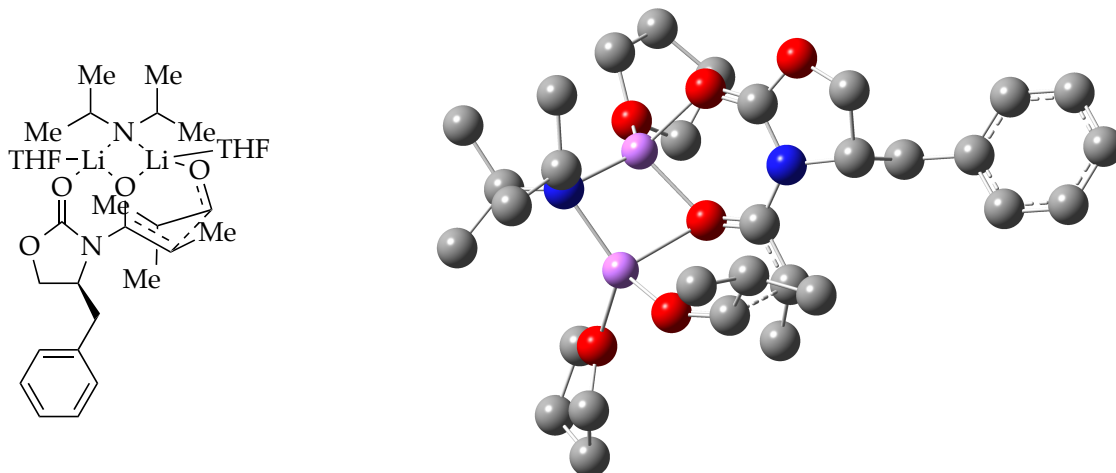
G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118229.796 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 7.705352619 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer with three THF

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O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.13893550	N	-1.17203781	1.62591670	-0.21431003
C	1.09260373	0.00000000	2.76294633	C	-0.35105552	2.81376806	-0.49996286
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C	2.42948393	1.17060803	4.65530532	C	0.60574884	2.71187603	-1.71976657
C	1.76946588	2.07736765	5.70250138	H	0.07282427	2.75234668	-2.67547668
H	1.21861669	1.50886720	6.46012356	H	1.32786785	3.54177579	-1.71349553
H	2.46707674	2.75833349	6.19063771	H	1.17235364	1.77445648	-1.68342168
O	0.82723676	2.86022369	4.94412426	C	-1.07619377	4.17981629	-0.54886858
C	0.50376812	2.18933584	3.80889329	H	-0.34893540	5.00361352	-0.54645997
O	-0.40220537	2.57528951	3.09349360	H	-1.68453304	4.29100843	-1.45446520
Li	-1.29967818	1.44954228	1.75737504	H	-1.73320827	4.30579458	0.31949654
O	-3.01125876	1.11624870	2.77621831	C	-2.36944612	1.34879159	-1.01293566
C	-3.92610927	0.03181908	2.50820730	H	-2.65185656	0.31828369	-0.72885310
C	-5.29648366	0.50196417	3.00893208	C	-2.20423696	1.29691689	-2.55156796
C	-4.91474527	1.48538490	4.12715459	H	-3.10259875	0.87464226	-3.02430248
C	-3.66581353	2.14804537	3.54637464	H	-2.05242015	2.29362867	-2.98216344
H	-2.95636977	2.50888826	4.29425623	H	-1.34688365	0.67419333	-2.83028075
H	-3.92593608	2.98065056	2.87913847	C	-3.63158007	2.19608396	-0.68471732
H	-4.66849651	0.94378396	5.04838179	H	-3.78092011	2.24920453	0.39986907
H	-5.70403068	2.20766727	4.35628256	H	-3.55903992	3.22152848	-1.06072988
H	-5.92169834	-0.32733690	3.35336823	H	-4.53108065	1.74771809	-1.13327728
H	-5.83511261	1.02569652	2.21104588	H	2.61795304	0.17496552	5.06258991
H	-3.90613625	-0.17928691	1.43481425	C	3.73326766	1.77086928	4.07825766

H	4.03393870	1.16963924	3.21536087
H	3.51065946	2.77666559	3.70177883
C	4.85279188	1.82916831	5.09656956
C	5.51401351	0.65922336	5.50034508
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C	6.90300427	1.92317795	7.02553364
C	6.25844852	3.09510723	6.62930197
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H	6.54802271	4.05004771	7.05969859
H	7.69568662	1.95892446	7.76781549
H	7.03199008	-0.21286323	6.75182796
H	5.24048132	-0.29421047	5.05310943
C	2.09976392	-0.97662858	2.58405099
H	2.94032209	-0.93849140	3.26881997
C	1.64793896	-2.36486667	2.18291697
H	1.17386733	-2.34260954	1.19608774
H	2.50156836	-3.05008766	2.13751489
H	0.92287031	-2.78853880	2.89218823
O	-0.74444934	-1.74188709	-0.77686341
C	-1.73955221	-2.61949424	-0.21552139
C	-1.68011024	-3.91256873	-1.03970066
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H	-0.33835384	-2.12636180	-2.77963434
H	1.06242310	-2.11700019	-1.66836819
H	-0.07494235	-4.52769955	-2.43108356
H	0.44642989	-4.28726680	-0.75133726
H	-2.37001415	-3.85745456	-1.88996421
H	-1.94197058	-4.79573653	-0.44894069
H	-1.48893618	-2.79437052	0.83821049
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O	1.86346214	-0.35577081	-0.10204662
C	2.83520616	-0.23579606	0.69956651
H	3.07682759	0.77123440	1.09325271
C	4.08671699	-1.09482073	0.44311096
C	4.64783712	-0.67637869	-0.93321327
H	4.97797644	0.37063336	-0.92045337
H	5.51264216	-1.29551334	-1.20130837
H	3.88623036	-0.77897267	-1.71022628
C	5.17870524	-0.98081464	1.51193665
H	5.45564297	0.06782548	1.68382817
H	4.87490090	-1.41435713	2.46995118
H	6.08720883	-1.50300314	1.18987491
H	3.75636069	-2.13813153	0.36420124

**Table 33.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6 from LDA 5 mixed dimer with three THF



G = -1787.921424 Hartree

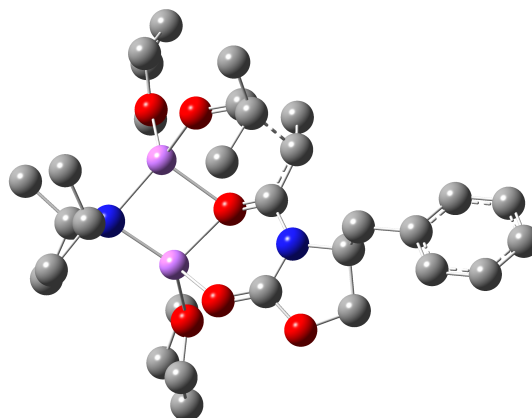
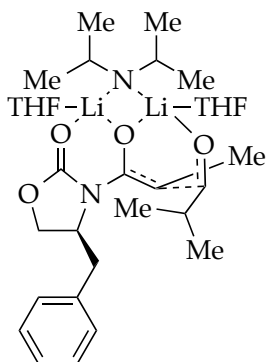
G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118232.972 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 4.529442357 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer with three THF

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-3.24316615	-2.95795888	3.14160359
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.17324780	N	-1.12823821	-1.66928111	-0.18890581
C	1.09212466	0.00000000	2.79511352	C	-2.40777195	-1.53762934	-0.89585269
N	1.39521715	-1.13901433	3.61995352	H	-2.97805903	-0.81087986	-0.28928500
C	2.45562201	-1.17757273	4.64476528	C	-2.35215182	-0.90081595	-2.31287690
C	2.46213636	-2.67795532	4.96169457	H	-1.94210608	-1.58405723	-3.06333089
H	3.16412139	-3.23205487	4.32954523	H	-3.35883909	-0.61159127	-2.65061341
H	2.65766378	-2.90110974	6.01098565	H	-1.72481657	-0.00270970	-2.29954689
O	1.12526579	-3.11136824	4.64569338	C	-3.31270920	-2.79258826	-0.96279536
C	0.57648398	-2.24892031	3.75444642	H	-4.32297689	-2.52590639	-1.30489834
O	-0.48781372	-2.49829476	3.21749379	H	-2.92414206	-3.54218526	-1.66225500
Li	-1.30145774	-1.42758815	1.76492677	H	-3.39967643	-3.26736075	0.02151420
O	-3.07833541	-0.97226495	2.59846539	C	-0.19149265	-2.74468399	-0.54991164
C	-3.89607246	-2.08427752	3.04334648	H	0.74273079	-2.47335326	-0.02656401
C	-4.50075157	-1.66193024	4.39200519	C	0.21222225	-2.86112459	-2.03960330
C	-3.52209816	-0.57985854	4.87777585	H	1.07073435	-3.53742284	-2.15610358
C	-3.13816740	0.09571424	3.56320389	H	-0.60025647	-3.26561340	-2.65510536
H	-2.16129850	0.58472965	3.56797854	H	0.49298877	-1.88312401	-2.44706507
H	-3.90079571	0.82498605	3.25275499	C	-0.52895412	-4.16473272	-0.01631171
H	-2.63920495	-1.03977878	5.33647042	H	-0.79233820	-4.12407453	1.04684131
H	-3.96649856	0.11391292	5.59817458	H	-1.36240802	-4.62888191	-0.55371016
H	-4.59202619	-2.50349399	5.08483416	H	0.33824182	-4.83336070	-0.12199199
H	-5.49947348	-1.23265250	4.25043665	H	3.41161113	-0.87625895	4.21588646
H	-4.65095731	-2.29040211	2.27854295	C	2.11227611	-0.28992478	5.86561825

H	1.91133021	0.72308126	5.49948965
H	1.18117612	-0.66050487	6.31188293
C	3.21610130	-0.26703316	6.90137629
C	4.39689837	0.45403244	6.66840331
C	5.43048005	0.45670846	7.60442256
C	5.30024198	-0.26197480	8.79512772
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O	1.85444072	0.28530807	-0.01835068
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C	3.74809479	-0.82880454	1.02491698
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H	4.64898208	-0.79040922	-0.96802354
H	4.70174165	-2.37851011	-0.18178068
H	3.17295917	-1.76342635	-0.85827690
C	5.03767052	-0.45364822	1.76679787
H	4.84942828	0.02178770	2.73624215
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H	5.63268758	0.25100516	1.17163806
H	3.42525960	1.33918143	0.73044289
O	-0.68317644	1.79400243	-0.68033881
C	-1.95676818	2.43909140	-0.47035905
C	-1.99000822	3.63658253	-1.43055969
C	-0.49628400	3.94167776	-1.63116869
C	0.10645402	2.53819430	-1.63152374
H	1.14565907	2.47715054	-1.30448010
H	0.01777248	2.06665605	-2.62046411
H	-0.10547023	4.52493691	-0.78865202
H	-0.28720315	4.49075527	-2.55441072
H	-2.55638435	4.48038294	-1.02472768
H	-2.44820171	3.34936258	-2.38399424
H	-2.75367757	1.71293540	-0.65723992
H	-2.00776951	2.75529693	0.57901283

**Table 34.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*S,S*)-6 from LDA 5 mixed dimer with three THF



$G = -1787.915442$  Hartree

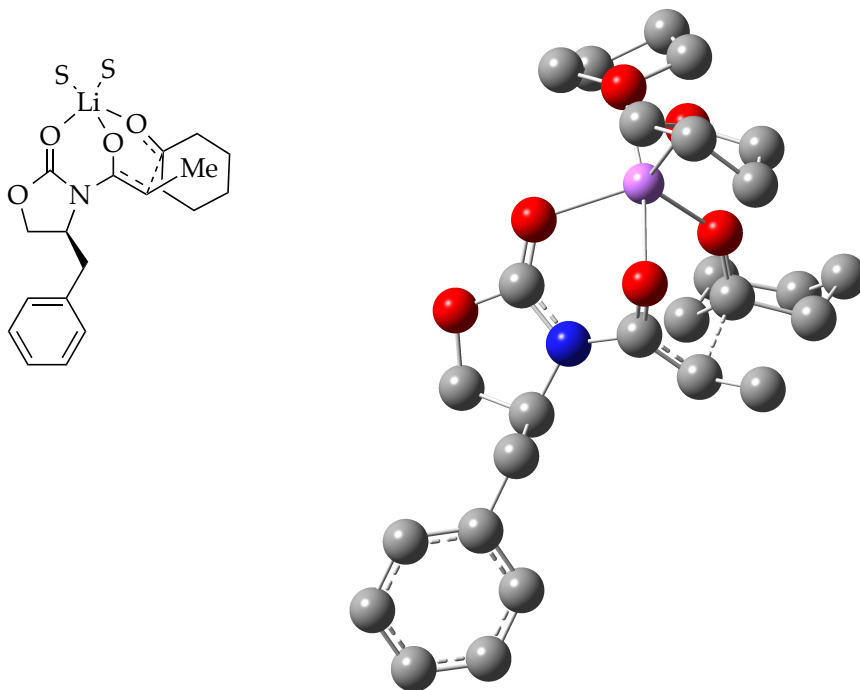
$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1118229.026$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 8.475350098$  kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer with three THF

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	0.15759342	2.60915063	-1.92455062
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.11375040	H	-0.44526068	2.49547315	-2.83160386
C	1.05391460	0.00000000	2.79457845	H	0.77537299	3.51007301	-2.05429319
N	1.17998089	1.00309641	3.81916230	H	0.83338624	1.74919929	-1.85332084
C	2.04391571	0.91066798	5.01143557	C	-1.58550127	3.99744023	-0.74886572
C	1.18119996	1.68232810	6.02153602	H	-0.95291312	4.88922765	-0.85736435
H	0.49342889	1.02899430	6.56960377	H	-2.25364063	3.96970606	-1.61826349
H	1.76252459	2.27683496	6.72653632	H	-2.20224705	4.12658095	0.14832565
O	0.40282009	2.58222034	5.20542792	C	-2.59065743	1.01949925	-0.87620386
C	0.31092991	2.07282235	3.95031028	H	-2.75376532	0.00441718	-0.46731351
O	-0.43527159	2.56050148	3.12167372	C	-2.52015284	0.81822512	-2.41042522
Li	-1.34989083	1.41025331	1.77816483	H	-3.39816534	0.26270462	-2.77089435
O	-2.97460238	1.02410203	2.94006317	H	-2.50275367	1.77356093	-2.94754039
C	-3.82405225	-0.12961728	2.75461817	H	-1.62087321	0.25744931	-2.68751871
C	-5.23124211	0.31464590	3.16569191	C	-3.90971840	1.77564294	-0.54647249
C	-4.93485922	1.40030353	4.21228583	H	-3.99289547	1.94040901	0.53380343
C	-3.69558990	2.07504438	3.62228679	H	-3.96764038	2.75255946	-1.03661918
H	-3.02622830	2.51548866	4.36485033	H	-4.78541262	1.19473195	-0.87386148
H	-3.96823350	2.84861381	2.89239028	H	2.15344927	-0.13686576	5.30180070
H	-4.69971907	0.94543292	5.18217036	C	3.43537094	1.55468918	4.80588285
H	-5.76302727	2.10063120	4.35645684	H	3.91223731	1.08302649	3.94168955
H	-5.83334989	-0.51219160	3.55448962	H	3.29312901	2.61063122	4.54731540
H	-5.75851636	0.74770071	2.30825935	C	4.32231264	1.42644623	6.02694005
H	-3.75471475	-0.44303074	1.70906773	C	4.88647322	0.18856764	6.37063019
H	-3.44999299	-0.94073642	3.39278278	C	5.68636078	0.05635935	7.50519787
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C	-0.71380387	2.72291585	-0.64368683	C	5.38985034	2.40231080	7.98496366
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C	2.13160162	-0.89491874	2.56361067
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H	1.13273992	-2.31850907	1.27644149
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H	1.19761420	-2.83175424	2.97300398
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H	1.44220506	-1.98525014	-1.55131542
H	0.62684564	-4.40443932	-2.61520818
H	0.83149495	-4.26307354	-0.85672440
H	-1.76336198	-3.95766765	-2.45970798
H	-1.52889092	-4.92318933	-0.99590387
H	-1.61438690	-2.97275377	0.41401419
H	-2.49772031	-2.26693072	-0.96003075
O	1.88021883	-0.08608408	-0.05045950
C	2.85975086	-0.25875127	0.74265269
C	3.84730797	0.89880887	0.97852197
C	4.87635935	0.87197829	-0.17142017
H	5.63721289	1.64909745	-0.03038626
H	5.39110466	-0.09497614	-0.22991353
H	4.38046571	1.05044033	-1.13211223
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H	2.44518909	2.32441857	1.87306880
H	3.91238827	3.06077975	1.20444604
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H	4.39606794	0.69801264	1.90966763
H	3.40565755	-1.22276248	0.67403868

**Table 35.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (*R*)-7 from 5 monomer with three THF



G = -1566.085972 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -979574.4836 kcal/mol

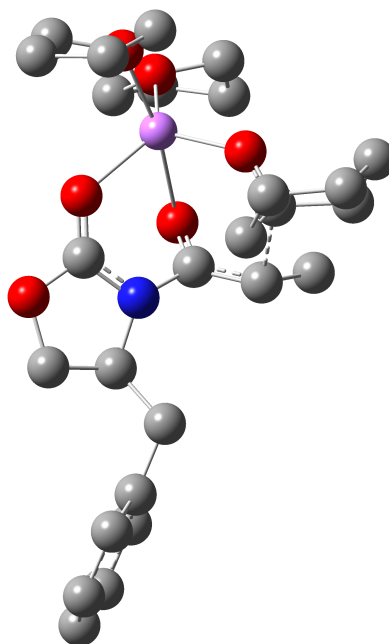
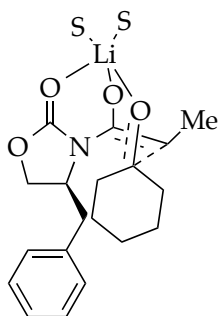
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 6.418902434 kcal/mol vs. 5 monomer with three THF

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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	2.53810572	-4.76645494	5.36128284
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.19833890	H	4.20399388	-5.71216760	6.92638182
C	1.20354930	0.00000000	2.49321960	H	5.90072955	-4.23350477	7.98744913
N	1.95048797	-1.22185806	2.23807992	H	5.90787849	-1.80003956	7.46841953
C	2.92025224	-1.82318067	3.15707186	H	4.24187105	-0.85801470	5.90517831
C	3.35380295	-3.05228118	2.33088104	C	1.94831622	1.15685573	2.85220079
H	4.29455023	-2.87907259	1.79788897	H	2.96551642	0.98722797	3.20357548
H	3.44025547	-3.96266562	2.92629976	C	1.18408254	2.23481650	3.59747890
O	2.31157678	-3.24322928	1.35432413	H	0.28995007	2.53095615	3.04106149
C	1.58085049	-2.10017563	1.25019742	H	0.85036139	1.89014244	4.58690788
O	0.76543373	-1.93745865	0.35788765	H	1.80076917	3.12462079	3.75495721
H	3.76903713	-1.15131136	3.31401612	O	-1.96274204	0.63110139	0.04812905
C	2.28354721	-2.16984310	4.52382687	C	-2.88685299	-0.28317419	0.68170167
H	1.84204011	-1.25020083	4.92644165	C	-3.78615035	0.57277826	1.58310764
H	1.45802529	-2.87199919	4.35559349	C	-2.87540149	1.76678240	1.91214264
C	3.27858807	-2.74778314	5.50678799	C	-2.12756115	1.95913363	0.59428106
C	4.23768951	-1.92537619	6.11735908	H	-1.12859521	2.38814904	0.69834102
C	5.17627798	-2.45486559	7.00236303	H	-2.71291562	2.56229233	-0.11561503
C	5.17183406	-3.82073097	7.29536545	H	-2.16537349	1.49770532	2.69960756
C	4.22118956	-4.64949161	6.69929437	H	-3.42866560	2.66047719	2.21862505
C	3.28390055	-4.11533998	5.81242520	H	-4.12169299	0.02684406	2.47021921



H	-4.67534624	0.90865438	1.03555759
H	-3.43825740	-0.81577488	-0.10050351
H	-2.30396222	-1.00529076	1.26404207
O	-0.07035577	-0.34862271	-2.05677666
C	0.02257864	0.86120797	-2.84321581
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C	1.62745699	-0.77901112	-3.61141505
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H	-0.98102250	1.15080936	-3.17668603
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O	1.18766196	1.49012029	0.19234099
C	2.23069327	1.79398688	0.88078581
C	2.48013659	3.29697734	1.09408512
C	3.01228005	3.90706431	-0.21942735
C	4.29261636	3.19947476	-0.68835417
C	4.08343298	1.68233060	-0.81204945
C	3.54387369	1.07960647	0.50217233
H	4.29906677	1.20665858	1.28974567
H	3.36273015	0.00771982	0.37579432
H	3.36100175	1.47593216	-1.61269091
H	5.02349626	1.18885382	-1.09333872
H	5.09810622	3.39364219	0.03666777
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H	3.19794535	4.98091163	-0.08437112
H	2.23495306	3.81045977	-0.98841586
H	3.21503745	3.46483000	1.89250966
H	1.54590896	3.78696355	1.38342040

**Table 36.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for the transition state leading to (S)-7 from 5 monomer with three THF



G = -1566.08112 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -979571.1681 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 9.734378081 kcal/mol vs. 5 monomer with three THF

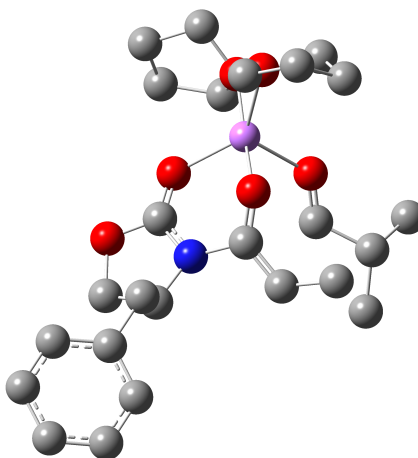
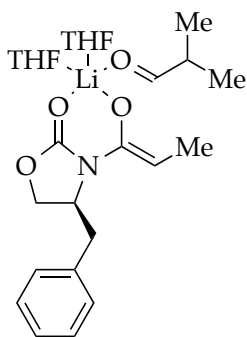
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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	5.29427834	1.30668095	5.92216250
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.06946300	C	6.04340586	1.00149039	7.06047788
C	1.00575259	0.00000000	2.76030870	C	6.80731831	-0.16505170	7.10363428
N	2.31037179	0.18354881	2.35785722	C	6.82144580	-1.02117829	6.00011926
C	2.65199174	-0.12078741	0.95609848	C	6.07381456	-0.71168717	4.86430987
O	2.02705647	-1.04110522	0.41554487	H	6.10229908	-1.37773607	4.00437538
C	3.52053524	0.77247802	0.26935529	H	7.42074268	-1.92757005	6.02113012
H	4.11122931	1.44029422	0.89137809	H	7.39286366	-0.40309070	7.98743595
C	4.24945912	0.17301714	-0.92147285	H	6.03252330	1.67856227	7.91052117
H	3.53787490	-0.18355573	-1.67250752	H	4.71093395	2.22443816	5.89220974
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C	3.22163561	-0.12558846	3.47653310	C	-0.21726757	-3.00266412	-0.61964150
C	2.25516665	0.03652722	4.66311096	C	0.48552880	-3.79973121	-1.72618046
H	2.30663852	1.04515947	5.08958057	C	1.23974928	-2.69879729	-2.48821714
H	2.40803545	-0.69792953	5.45447390	C	0.24536849	-1.54086979	-2.42640886
O	0.94219342	-0.15447101	4.10789619	H	0.70936303	-0.55196165	-2.45965837
C	4.46721811	0.77040291	3.57982444	H	-0.51336495	-1.61587969	-3.21882883
H	5.07211935	0.63038703	2.67823313	H	2.15277115	-2.42549945	-1.95085639
H	4.14501541	1.81825784	3.59169684	H	1.49792108	-2.98026046	-3.51419892
C	5.29594535	0.45475783	4.80984059	H	1.14333462	-4.57578448	-1.32263163

H	-0.24877957	-4.28504186	-2.38087410
H	-1.19718029	-3.41253449	-0.35069360
H	0.40314737	-2.92649335	0.27870888
O	-1.96014626	0.67057913	-0.12669750
C	-2.26967097	2.02139715	-0.48126823
C	-2.69861711	2.68497575	0.83645676
C	-3.28086971	1.50639749	1.66472067
C	-2.96156164	0.25864850	0.81120067
H	-2.54881199	-0.57291426	1.38457256
H	-3.84960237	-0.08760560	0.26172506
H	-2.79719325	1.44149924	2.64269810
H	-4.35835212	1.60758613	1.82930341
H	-1.82719519	3.11221482	1.34125187
H	-3.42211329	3.49037413	0.67524356
H	-3.08995763	2.02806800	-1.21662676
H	-1.37167634	2.44134403	-0.93661009
O	1.05324844	1.34702807	-0.81125117
C	2.08223259	2.03811031	-0.45433243
C	1.89024688	3.01650517	0.72578193
C	1.12428305	4.26945456	0.25303674
C	1.82735459	4.95078870	-0.92949607
C	2.06667204	3.96083078	-2.07824474
C	2.85317367	2.72353946	-1.59943015
H	2.97947191	2.01808206	-2.42543341
H	3.85018851	3.04166705	-1.26592869
H	1.10292861	3.62836046	-2.48569236
H	2.60823801	4.45093189	-2.89831585
H	1.23773811	5.80827986	-1.28031983
H	2.79432585	5.35498670	-0.59225612
H	0.11165524	3.97373231	-0.04900699
H	1.01214010	4.97341535	1.08883782
H	2.86234625	3.33008331	1.12982878
H	1.33721006	2.52215749	1.52926679

## Part 8: 5 IRC Computations

Geometries are optimized at the B3LYP level of theory using the 6-31G(d) basis set. Energies are defined as follows:  $G$  is the sum of electronic and thermal free energies calculated at the B3LYP level of theory ( $T = 195$  K).  $G_{\text{MP2}}$  is derived from an MP2 SP calculation corresponding to the DFT-optimized geometry and includes a thermal correction from the DFT calculation.

**Table 37.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from **5** monomer with three THF



$G = -1488.708185$  Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -931174.079$  kcal/mol

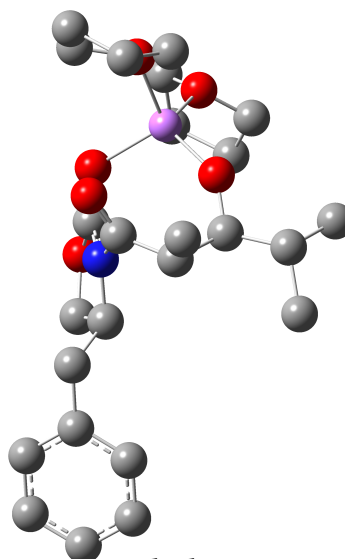
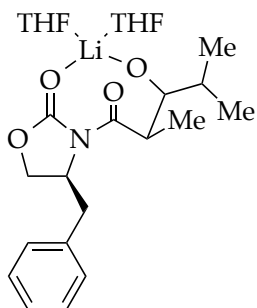
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -2.729626092$  kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer with three THF

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 3.802059799$  kcal/mol Li vs. (*R,S*)-**6** transition state

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	3.10546634	-5.50577838	6.27929520
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.94046660	C	2.44652435	-4.79680075	5.27240585
C	1.11965626	0.00000000	2.54616987	H	1.95575344	-5.33791637	4.46600952
N	2.02793843	-1.12522156	2.21269764	H	3.13032250	-6.59194527	6.24640118
C	2.70707254	-1.94795170	3.21932031	H	4.23564122	-5.37153733	8.11210525
C	3.45983553	-2.93044676	2.30345226	H	4.14764020	-2.88559838	8.17752994
H	4.48626919	-2.60188723	2.10389502	H	2.97125339	-1.63637878	6.39617534
H	3.47681020	-3.95429622	2.68131314	C	1.61310163	0.90129786	3.45289671
O	2.72788360	-2.91255980	1.06344721	H	2.60852731	0.74837980	3.86189622
C	1.97963185	-1.77171667	1.01727398	C	0.77581201	2.01086755	4.02129066
O	1.39955032	-1.44676067	-0.01415889	H	-0.14801327	2.11786096	3.44475206
H	3.41411216	-1.34430218	3.79511413	H	0.49155241	1.83383609	5.07111722
C	1.70746433	-2.62063874	4.18975503	H	1.29864221	2.97917064	4.00659070
H	1.08461540	-1.82426557	4.61223667	O	-2.09160435	-0.02932085	-0.11031578
H	1.04633240	-3.27757909	3.61153517	C	-2.79882247	-0.73068698	0.94611718
C	2.39276726	-3.39653988	5.29246188	C	-3.80136196	0.27273529	1.53850954
C	3.01553321	-2.72285291	6.35454510	C	-3.18568013	1.62804820	1.15500125
C	3.67584937	-3.42651231	7.36120722	C	-2.59297113	1.31853024	-0.21712196
C	3.72431046	-4.82224654	7.32615499	H	-1.75640429	1.96217419	-0.49941282

H	-3.35860681	1.36245961	-1.00648191
H	-2.38274477	1.89022328	1.85123974
H	-3.91503543	2.44403322	1.12848168
H	-3.91840003	0.14611286	2.61882083
H	-4.78932811	0.15809038	1.07607709
H	-3.28698579	-1.61088929	0.51153568
H	-2.04880253	-1.04259060	1.67608343
O	0.94960517	1.84733917	0.03534704
C	2.00280123	2.15877624	0.57591087
C	2.29589684	3.56434729	1.07213089
H	1.50376352	3.79918389	1.79655547
C	2.17655163	4.56272624	-0.09721176
H	2.30338396	5.58903825	0.26476095
H	2.94759068	4.37722730	-0.85534372
H	1.19769447	4.48090907	-0.57814154
C	3.65912103	3.63861859	1.76720535
H	4.47322460	3.42132175	1.06356336
H	3.83486474	4.63920235	2.17635256
H	3.71824970	2.91646085	2.58835531
H	2.82040620	1.41809469	0.66065339
O	-0.03395421	0.03220315	-2.18705180
C	1.24278942	0.06653460	-2.84094499
C	1.52491792	-1.37550604	-3.32411744
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C	-0.81422410	-0.93369955	-2.90222574
H	-1.66732292	-1.18553961	-2.27153543
H	-1.17965129	-0.48620133	-3.84110148
H	0.17606987	-2.77194712	-2.32654685
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H	1.88525259	-1.37861781	-4.35810275
H	1.19238373	0.76761800	-3.68771689
H	1.96577640	0.44115334	-2.11565395

**Table 38.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from **5** monomer with three THF



$G = -1488.706172$  Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -931180.4326$  kcal/mol

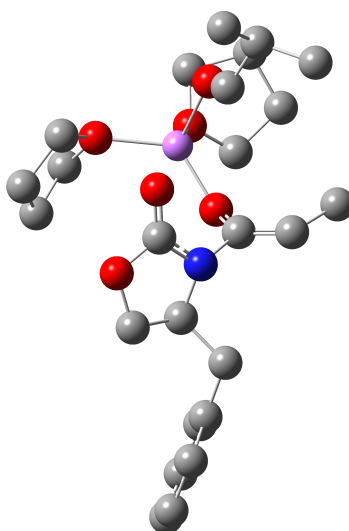
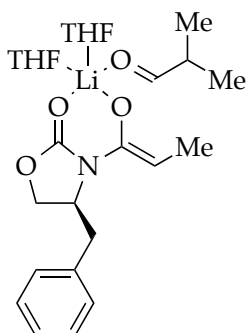
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -2.551572784$  kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer with three THF

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -9.083258675$  kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer (*R,S*)-**6** transition state

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	2.05778743	1.22570675	2.76694081
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	3.07164130	H	3.01026645	1.04680905	3.28185620
C	1.19140990	0.00000000	2.85139587	C	1.34179093	2.42880033	3.38392549
N	1.82686287	-1.25777009	2.51834637	H	0.50625545	2.73041041	2.74718691
C	3.18419450	-1.67430876	2.89648277	H	0.94132552	2.19326375	4.37577081
C	3.21158930	-3.08893875	2.27842095	H	2.02444899	3.27757857	3.48589612
H	4.15028477	-3.32537538	1.77665993	O	-1.90118902	0.52353298	0.25810530
H	2.99527422	-3.86196118	3.02397284	C	-2.78977987	-0.24173909	1.10850178
O	2.15851470	-3.09907552	1.29629057	C	-3.61069903	0.78572135	1.89727718
C	1.32197259	-2.05152605	1.51195603	C	-2.66290515	1.99498631	1.94361452
O	0.32182583	-1.87961886	0.83960007	C	-2.00936592	1.93568794	0.56423734
H	3.92443999	-1.02865355	2.40766353	H	-0.99693707	2.34643095	0.52866437
C	3.42174456	-1.67730572	4.41830839	H	-2.63413171	2.41537108	-0.20256203
H	3.27767605	-0.65968854	4.79999494	H	-1.90406608	1.84861387	2.71816866
H	2.65474906	-2.30424935	4.88793701	H	-3.17975404	2.94294242	2.12463937
C	4.80775061	-2.17391243	4.77934478	H	-3.88837058	0.41681036	2.88932259
C	5.93581330	-1.37524007	4.53796383	H	-4.53197751	1.04071353	1.35922686
C	7.21618248	-1.83542969	4.84371859	H	-3.40439140	-0.88750216	0.47189197
C	7.39094973	-3.10477982	5.39988332	H	-2.17468592	-0.86411786	1.76560677
C	6.27734867	-3.90679791	5.65001992	O	1.23119509	1.23836923	0.45892659
C	4.99672044	-3.44328267	5.34113171	C	2.36073084	1.38355707	1.18693362
H	4.13278462	-4.07021154	5.55084914	C	3.12016284	2.71742548	0.90586889
H	6.40223760	-4.89263286	6.08995314	H	2.45859342	3.54098039	1.20816968
H	8.38793980	-3.46274765	5.64157951	C	3.36410661	2.85875775	-0.60198852
H	8.07718270	-1.20035397	4.65325866	H	3.84978913	3.81451840	-0.83693306
H	5.80994584	-0.38018561	4.11608403	H	4.01841480	2.05552154	-0.97076093

H	2.41651725	2.80211771	-1.14216045
C	4.44372292	2.83614936	1.67622905
H	5.10281058	1.98432231	1.45524208
H	4.98576847	3.74587559	1.39004975
H	4.29963443	2.87414190	2.76249180
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O	0.15475630	-0.56183666	-1.93304428
C	1.36543087	-0.17601407	-2.60266281
C	2.21162350	-1.46061731	-2.68194432
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H	2.78197345	-1.50882709	-3.61483458
H	1.11603842	0.19986156	-3.60636497
H	1.80619535	0.62347572	-2.00624698

**Table 39.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,R*)-6 from 5 monomer with three THF



G = -1488.710578 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -931174.003 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 3.877975016 kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer with three THF

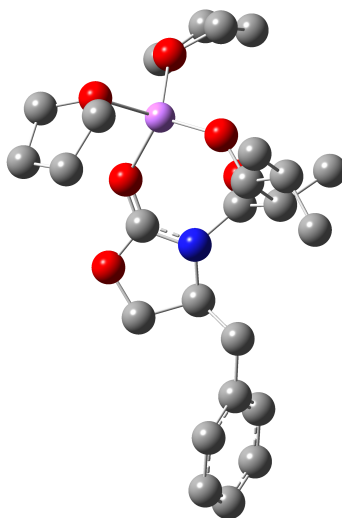
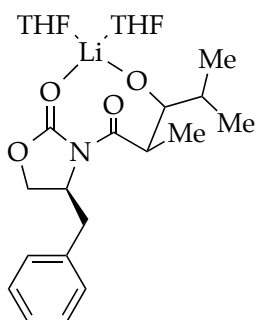
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -5.700287545 kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer (*S,R*)-6 transition state

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-0.31423857	-2.32516828	-3.38313541
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	-1.82773040	C	1.46386462	1.02751223	-3.43098980
C	0.94572960	0.00000000	-2.71141391	H	2.25987159	0.80386101	-4.13481910
N	1.50520793	-1.33684513	-3.01778527	C	0.98173510	2.44533988	-3.31870984
C	0.70023544	-2.27654550	-3.80748597	H	0.19311371	2.52064292	-2.56298907
C	1.45982641	-3.58437888	-3.53548307	H	0.56907349	2.82132402	-4.26775767
H	2.22140312	-3.77496927	-4.30222099	H	1.78579582	3.14314978	-3.03746158
H	0.81584968	-4.46077848	-3.44382534	O	-1.74225097	0.87289286	0.51765191
O	2.12198638	-3.36651193	-2.27652905	C	-2.39931790	1.64765015	-0.50424303
C	2.17438431	-2.01407606	-2.03751283	C	-2.12934700	3.12399652	-0.14383204
O	2.75760191	-1.56523132	-1.06520238	C	-1.68479620	3.07897910	1.34507851
C	0.60604076	-1.88821777	-5.29059001	C	-1.88614080	1.60824489	1.73967238
H	0.22727756	-0.86062576	-5.33777573	H	-1.14384610	1.22526367	2.44304460
H	1.61831907	-1.87087659	-5.71274346	H	-2.89290215	1.43572048	2.15026286
C	-0.28321517	-2.82314655	-6.08309581	H	-0.62904282	3.34760072	1.43913702
C	0.26025179	-3.80777582	-6.91908472	H	-2.26389114	3.75473827	1.98198199
C	-0.56360206	-4.68588558	-7.62639791	H	-1.33694625	3.53958103	-0.77250571
C	-1.95067505	-4.59344738	-7.50784293	H	-3.02416689	3.73653191	-0.29145185
C	-2.50679493	-3.61505822	-6.68038547	H	-3.47557719	1.42259515	-0.47995608
C	-1.67995377	-2.73941508	-5.97704133	H	-1.97163364	1.32486836	-1.45421085
H	-2.12093123	-1.97369061	-5.34218575	O	1.40620074	1.20244407	0.79530299
H	-3.58652157	-3.52981552	-6.58731325	C	2.52044705	1.29023230	0.28978964
H	-2.59390723	-5.27389669	-8.05949986	C	3.56346217	2.28063668	0.74122796
H	-0.12030592	-5.43890706	-8.27304386	H	3.12178337	2.88806953	1.54028591
H	1.34067003	-3.88109763	-7.02432780	C	4.77984852	1.50615873	1.28878876



H	5.56507988	2.20748995	1.59203294
H	5.19800954	0.83815952	0.52683803
H	4.50977556	0.89969965	2.16005668
C	3.95990589	3.18085067	-0.44510236
H	4.34664894	2.58474764	-1.27977273
H	4.74304993	3.88313587	-0.13847465
H	3.10628835	3.76020207	-0.81269580
H	2.80160594	0.60811995	-0.53023827
O	-0.14538950	-1.61914757	1.18380807
C	0.93224129	-2.53301749	1.49234359
C	0.51110932	-3.91201572	0.92726647
C	-0.92616591	-3.68037292	0.39965987
C	-1.34934964	-2.39742304	1.11534293
H	-2.09460907	-1.79722311	0.59034205
H	-1.71036093	-2.60610802	2.13482576
H	-0.91404703	-3.50946438	-0.68175361
H	-1.59898050	-4.51882322	0.60530831
H	1.18323839	-4.23315795	0.12831749
H	0.52853396	-4.67399725	1.71327044
H	1.06238397	-2.56577044	2.58246214
H	1.83304521	-2.13729638	1.02350167

**Table 40.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,R*)-6 from 5 monomer with three THF



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G<sub>MP2</sub> = -931176.7029 kcal/mol

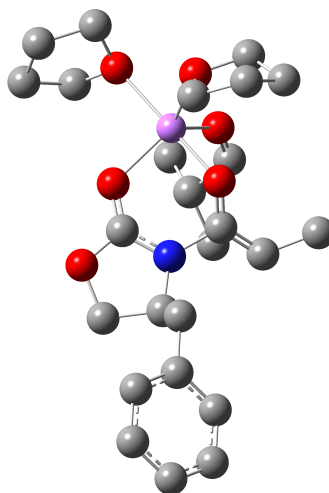
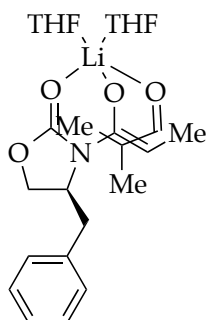
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 1.178118224 kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer with three THF

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -8.400144337 kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer (*S,R*)-6 transition state

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	3.00561674	0.99532081	-3.26707343
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	-3.28022010	C	1.37592035	2.43577348	-3.40576019
C	1.16475918	0.00000000	-2.95165513	H	0.51981917	2.73521444	-2.79544128
N	1.78861946	-1.29586321	-2.60654334	H	1.01562258	2.23999890	-4.42149864
C	2.45612189	-2.11698047	-3.63570719	H	2.07953999	3.27225588	-3.44936273
C	2.59310576	-3.44111563	-2.86397239	O	-1.91155639	0.48942006	-0.29578276
H	3.56126484	-3.51285469	-2.35529873	C	-2.78635017	-0.28241741	-1.15180453
H	2.44286261	-4.32477673	-3.48462501	C	-3.63746143	0.73697873	-1.91722764
O	1.55771032	-3.39936720	-1.86577506	C	-2.71143960	1.96321651	-1.96277182
C	1.14490290	-2.11600796	-1.70727302	C	-2.04224632	1.90314411	-0.59066844
O	0.33946806	-1.80730337	-0.84598911	H	-1.03520552	2.32723099	-0.56222279
C	3.79618245	-1.56147888	-4.14610845	H	-2.66722620	2.36685951	0.18558504
H	3.61355923	-0.60909924	-4.65627498	H	-1.95970354	1.83908053	-2.74884345
H	4.43649209	-1.34512026	-3.28334338	H	-3.24658776	2.90358668	-2.12941825
C	4.48390118	-2.52475891	-5.09438781	H	-3.92377194	0.37370328	-2.90897446
C	5.59021188	-3.27842991	-4.68095005	H	-4.55456261	0.96978206	-1.36230638
C	6.20497553	-4.18362242	-5.54841330	H	-3.37933863	-0.95533389	-0.52282408
C	5.72022923	-4.34894292	-6.84608292	H	-2.16357090	-0.87964308	-1.82592693
C	4.62096511	-3.60022103	-7.27253583	O	1.14837431	1.28787995	-0.51233998
C	4.01064756	-2.69577229	-6.40397250	C	2.30937069	1.33449848	-1.20247342
H	3.16269367	-2.10797054	-6.74965330	C	3.15916165	2.60941344	-0.90446950
H	4.24222669	-3.71573402	-8.28456112	H	2.56090261	3.47996154	-1.20718601
H	6.19893209	-5.05086824	-7.52333097	C	3.38926289	2.72080665	0.60834649
H	7.06550658	-4.75467657	-5.21022806	H	3.94320647	3.63442746	0.85934635
H	5.98239883	-3.14631024	-3.67498838	H	3.97347412	1.86649934	0.98014032
H	1.77246729	-2.24745560	-4.48796372	H	2.43105072	2.73402141	1.13265986
C	2.03825479	1.20152310	-2.79246959	C	4.49927472	2.64097061	-1.65428517

H	5.08488616	1.73416394	-1.44721460
H	5.10720172	3.49812786	-1.33919650
H	4.37476104	2.71604132	-2.74106949
H	2.98742328	0.47128202	-0.98178298
O	0.12894207	-0.57018372	1.94125894
C	1.35124309	-0.21579931	2.60558810
C	2.21557393	-1.48294423	2.53099894
C	1.17536885	-2.63632794	2.48975583
C	-0.18076184	-1.90891153	2.35435767
H	-0.83879402	-2.33935386	1.59773227
H	-0.71312602	-1.87248584	3.31595200
H	1.35165380	-3.29149082	1.63285213
H	1.20376664	-3.25185832	3.39446785
H	2.81222499	-1.47168592	1.61378289
H	2.90435952	-1.56148592	3.37790058
H	1.13007901	0.05924169	3.64834966
H	1.76045117	0.64469480	2.07548830

**Table 41.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 monomer with three THF



G = -1488.706809 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -931173.8147 kcal/mol

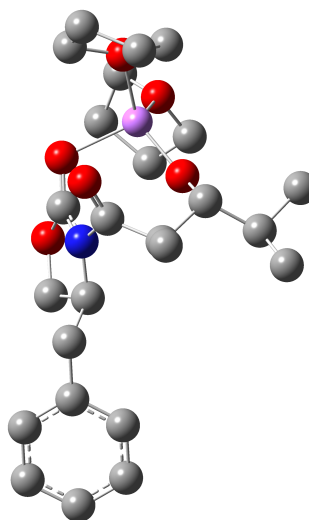
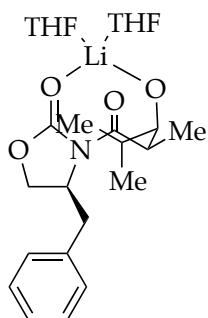
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 4.066321104 kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer with three THF

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -3.335285556 kcal/mol Li vs. 5 monomer (*R,R*)-6 transition state

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	2.55424912	0.72424636	3.94280329
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.93822720	C	0.74299448	2.02720952	4.02378575
C	1.10541915	0.00000000	2.57427812	H	-0.13510869	2.17569186	3.38800096
N	2.01401928	-1.13423316	2.26177287	H	0.38190679	1.85437311	5.05088350
C	2.62400349	-1.99214830	3.28218749	H	1.30385802	2.97272269	4.05021105
C	3.39647542	-2.97434680	2.38267567	O	-2.11347432	-0.08924079	-0.00794979
H	4.43742126	-2.66471201	2.23487781	C	-2.64725059	-1.13964546	0.83658460
H	3.37484610	-4.00499943	2.74130994	C	-3.76441236	-0.49264110	1.66001407
O	2.72050417	-2.91793708	1.11160659	C	-3.26678878	0.95550744	1.78279486
C	1.99960647	-1.75925713	1.05700708	C	-2.64606277	1.19247640	0.40677670
O	1.46662583	-1.40364226	0.00835504	H	-1.82335884	1.91139682	0.41562816
H	3.31504056	-1.41675948	3.90461739	H	-3.39710426	1.51258894	-0.32958336
C	1.56195701	-2.65984521	4.18819290	H	-2.48873004	1.02180176	2.54869652
H	0.93647840	-1.85704092	4.59420356	H	-4.06257574	1.67080626	2.01412512
H	0.91680463	-3.29058959	3.56444773	H	-3.90223140	-0.98540735	2.62733173
C	2.17347450	-3.47124164	5.30849674	H	-4.71858342	-0.52940019	1.11956403
C	2.74637170	-2.83127766	6.41842969	H	-2.99625452	-1.95167096	0.18923673
C	3.34163790	-3.56741875	7.44229323	H	-1.83536301	-1.49671709	1.47727812
C	3.37362923	-4.96252254	7.37663335	O	0.78939080	1.93355542	0.09607463
C	2.80326498	-5.61274774	6.28208456	C	1.81816572	2.44153912	0.51158984
C	2.20943107	-4.87132639	5.25825086	C	3.21252573	1.97069449	0.15034001
H	1.75633004	-5.38665365	4.41378010	H	3.15614623	0.88645757	0.00035136
H	2.81541635	-6.69814426	6.22487888	C	3.59319578	2.63332116	-1.19402371
H	3.83431097	-5.53719724	8.17565079	H	3.61059401	3.72703989	-1.10686018
H	3.77544283	-3.05226128	8.29550752	H	4.59359403	2.30877328	-1.50187531
H	2.71432888	-1.74550958	6.48308670	H	2.88308085	2.36432627	-1.98219779
C	1.57566423	0.89042673	3.49950275	C	4.23029472	2.30324555	1.24764014

H	3.95495127	1.82179008	2.19036638
H	5.23143032	1.96523206	0.95751822
H	4.28411608	3.38595233	1.42041965
H	1.76243824	3.36788421	1.12004543
O	-0.03152973	-0.03191927	-2.18215582
C	1.17329247	-0.36540902	-2.88227669
C	0.96416926	-1.80039263	-3.40594612
C	-0.58137825	-1.96457790	-3.41998003
C	-1.09397417	-0.58577063	-2.96763622
H	-1.98013260	-0.60858461	-2.33399818
H	-1.28211158	0.06803776	-3.83428424
H	-0.89043958	-2.73897076	-2.71130512
H	-0.97120776	-2.23961987	-4.40521622
H	1.42321356	-2.51972150	-2.72379689
H	1.40998349	-1.93578531	-4.39647660
H	1.31638557	0.34574836	-3.71121919
H	1.99858408	-0.27327911	-2.17679919

**Table 42.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,R*)-**6** from **5** monomer with three THF



G = -1488.704554 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -931179.4901 kcal/mol

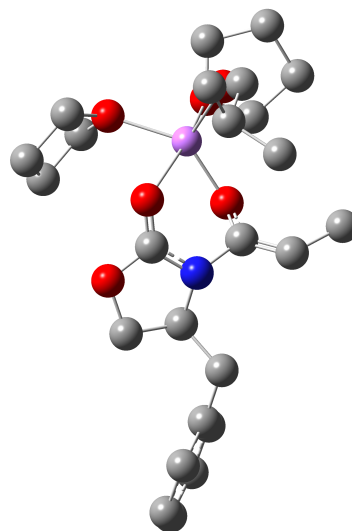
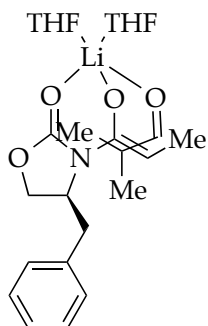
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -1.609076654 kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer with three THF

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -9.010683315 kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer (*R,R*)-**6** transition state

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	1.66745213	2.11891971	4.08741039
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	3.12084270	H	0.59300832	2.32194606	4.07484048
C	1.18272987	0.00000000	2.85120697	H	1.90056244	1.62702118	5.04075697
N	1.80125526	-1.23921260	2.45640965	H	2.19666935	3.07370067	4.06479412
C	3.21234587	-1.60147435	2.65631032	O	-1.89612145	0.54468016	0.21383455
C	3.21832834	-3.00695725	2.02571448	C	-2.75481284	-0.15409594	1.15464733
H	4.11589544	-3.21968568	1.44480595	C	-3.52434883	0.93330318	1.91565362
H	3.07938743	-3.79082845	2.77870585	C	-2.57806232	2.14020609	1.81423187
O	2.08759031	-3.02354900	1.13678174	C	-2.01303193	1.97278317	0.40555891
C	1.23562516	-2.01735637	1.46563836	H	-1.01736474	2.40310421	0.26833572
O	0.17526016	-1.86859247	0.88882551	H	-2.69220022	2.38188163	-0.35608509
H	3.85693065	-0.92600049	2.08002652	H	-1.77297180	2.04873256	2.54995294
C	3.64179977	-1.60744362	4.13533347	H	-3.08273931	3.10124727	1.95505790
H	3.53021716	-0.59620810	4.54290526	H	-3.73584108	0.63951012	2.94797934
H	2.95070007	-2.25191257	4.69116064	H	-4.47902150	1.15258452	1.42201968
C	5.07026452	-2.08241537	4.31538678	H	-3.40759855	-0.82683612	0.58815445
C	6.14715613	-1.25603011	3.96040173	H	-2.11232771	-0.74216294	1.81473619
C	7.46264833	-1.69848620	4.09606082	O	1.40617596	0.96361477	0.55329947
C	7.72493160	-2.97735557	4.59285027	C	1.79901399	1.91295682	1.45702201
C	6.66360485	-3.80680126	4.95563657	C	3.05213312	2.68481818	0.94022135
C	5.34764687	-3.36088231	4.81694405	H	3.79999413	1.90713828	0.71589200
H	4.52614388	-4.00970187	5.11291329	C	2.69901029	3.39265523	-0.37588104
H	6.85743646	-4.80018618	5.35140216	H	1.99886637	4.22034661	-0.19317941
H	8.74981853	-3.32129801	4.70186455	H	3.59123207	3.81662009	-0.85415274
H	8.28346746	-1.04233919	3.81915436	H	2.22227025	2.69480573	-1.06790768
H	5.95405150	-0.25391861	3.58314065	C	3.67975185	3.68830552	1.91962298
C	2.05095605	1.24501997	2.88555071	H	4.07429976	3.20940414	2.82314595
H	3.10895166	0.96658544	2.94641365	H	4.51515848	4.21715824	1.44344002

H	2.95248020	4.44921661	2.23244083
H	1.00827652	2.68052636	1.64603295
O	0.25954274	-0.47478045	-1.93088976
C	1.62775329	-0.38006868	-2.36939241
C	2.13763215	-1.83473251	-2.44788168
C	0.84252152	-2.69340215	-2.48442768
C	-0.28302822	-1.64864713	-2.54684760
H	-1.18338834	-1.92450189	-1.99348085
H	-0.56029212	-1.41578895	-3.58637229
H	0.75441878	-3.28253985	-1.56862035
H	0.81013059	-3.37750392	-3.33822542
H	2.73414122	-2.08689667	-1.56669169
H	2.76599910	-1.98768479	-3.33102005
H	1.65096023	0.10444235	-3.35655883
H	2.13819607	0.24479374	-1.63461603

**Table 43.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,S*)-**6** from **5** monomer with three THF



$G = -1488.707506$  Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -931173.1143$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 4.766672814$  kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer with three THF

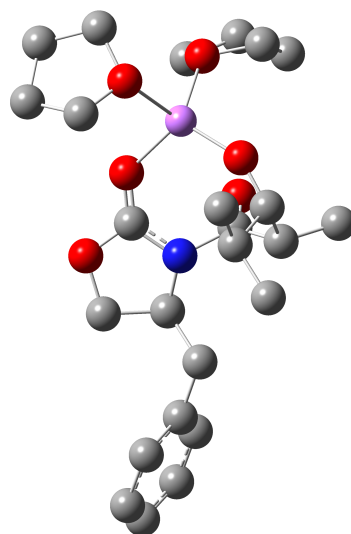
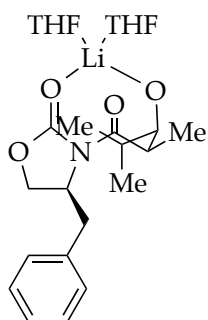
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -4.790804939$  kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer (*S,S*)-**6** transition state

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	8.55080771	0.81697420	-2.27832127
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	-2.50027400	H	9.21600903	0.99018867	-4.67033737
C	1.16825151	0.00000000	-2.86199160	H	7.71882556	0.06921811	-6.43157101
N	2.16909691	-0.84612132	-2.48620158	H	5.57993544	-1.00437385	-5.80641911
C	2.03061901	-1.54956058	-1.18403321	H	3.86718186	0.32330888	-2.06232570
O	1.66717839	-0.79680308	-0.20217354	O	0.21315426	0.40455097	2.06367028
C	2.33658380	-2.87460679	-1.19677915	C	1.23574750	-0.28216443	2.80524353
H	2.59579231	-3.33393548	-2.14605969	C	0.49652644	-1.35903837	3.62687105
C	2.34435310	-3.72628337	0.04152697	C	-0.97986471	-0.87278139	3.64435523
H	2.01101877	-3.14064250	0.90404452	C	-0.91961431	0.48872333	2.93258680
H	3.34551615	-4.12163476	0.27431510	H	-1.79087232	0.71517512	2.31546197
H	1.68150346	-4.60072419	-0.04585305	H	-0.76777237	1.30838688	3.65303721
C	3.46443954	-0.27764226	-2.89243690	H	-1.61511829	-1.55872260	3.07791864
C	3.01177315	0.63801627	-4.04065957	H	-1.38827396	-0.78748837	4.65636346
H	3.05848347	0.12231303	-5.00800127	H	0.57654384	-2.33753854	3.14464468
H	3.56533125	1.57595190	-4.10481154	H	0.91718064	-1.45084264	4.63330175
O	1.63440933	0.93678020	-3.74700831	H	1.74115105	0.43959803	3.46542263
C	4.51075622	-1.32475622	-3.30032661	H	1.93766848	-0.67107775	2.06812003
H	4.64082201	-2.00707178	-2.45327530	O	-1.59930379	-1.29526677	0.21704712
H	4.10894430	-1.91855967	-4.13051132	C	-2.15793651	-2.20267372	-0.37653910
C	5.83370921	-0.69712441	-3.68878305	H	-2.77924606	-2.91813404	0.20692561
C	6.22462744	-0.59660575	-5.03065269	C	-2.09938510	-2.47549139	-1.85482080
C	7.43347428	0.00656502	-5.38453379	H	-1.53821929	-1.66186737	-2.32220605
C	8.27382371	0.52230801	-4.39758116	C	-3.53473108	-2.53659442	-2.41179800
C	7.89903100	0.42591813	-3.05541394	H	-4.12381420	-3.32256193	-1.92170798
C	6.69189185	-0.17910422	-2.70662666	H	-3.50669255	-2.76162976	-3.48318391
H	6.41321489	-0.25996708	-1.65807677	H	-4.06203552	-1.58468149	-2.28181649



C	-1.34595005	-3.80410778	-2.07894821
H	-0.29607187	-3.70816977	-1.78298646
H	-1.37900222	-4.06731135	-3.14217322
H	-1.80351408	-4.62938548	-1.51757875
O	-0.78102546	1.90275411	-0.20796325
C	-1.58836065	2.34877006	-1.31359678
C	-0.70739820	3.31913254	-2.13398654
C	0.52633518	3.56314520	-1.22653865
C	0.08560507	2.99694216	0.12660166
H	0.88911139	2.59663710	0.74633472
H	-0.47695805	3.74337514	0.70974642
H	1.38539900	3.00089486	-1.60426594
H	0.81044788	4.61826814	-1.16271244
H	-0.40713640	2.86864501	-3.08216975
H	-1.24560577	4.24792575	-2.34944676
H	-2.48001076	2.85470999	-0.91579891
H	-1.88635101	1.46160791	-1.87064723

**Table 44.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,S*)-**6** from **5** monomer with three THF



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$G_{\text{MP2}} = -931174.44$  kcal/mol

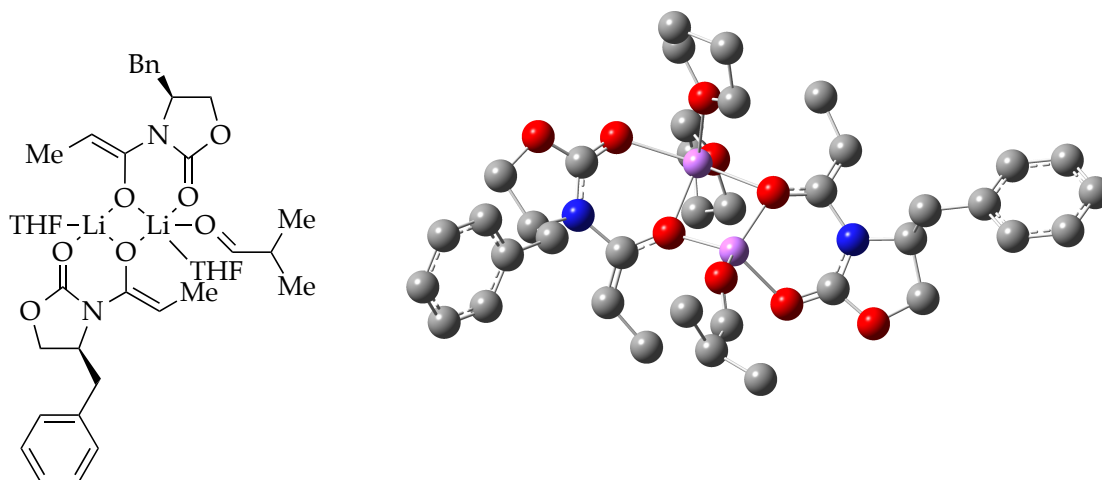
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 3.440967193$  kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer with three THF

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -6.11651056$  kcal/mol Li vs. **5** monomer (*S,S*)-**6** transition state

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	6.20164762	2.32780443	-7.48693840
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	-2.02475640	H	6.65811512	0.21714067	-8.72290424
C	0.95232866	0.00000000	-2.78494820	H	6.13014066	-1.96951687	-7.66023630
N	2.26239126	0.34320297	-2.52284753	H	5.15014556	-2.04279757	-5.39062523
C	2.54651683	1.27801325	-1.41133135	H	2.92368558	1.52600488	-4.13872275
O	1.91110732	2.30560544	-1.36130431	O	-1.01277107	1.63276559	0.65204632
C	3.60648069	0.84959690	-0.44224426	C	-1.37130491	2.67702543	-0.28571870
H	4.45153710	0.43715575	-1.00380887	C	-1.10601274	3.99972445	0.43818089
C	4.06797328	2.03234047	0.41324504	C	0.05752304	3.62461856	1.36934823
H	3.25520858	2.35117345	1.07234805	C	-0.31354821	2.20380351	1.79256165
H	4.37260799	2.89430427	-0.19137934	H	0.54677570	1.55908345	1.99011578
H	4.91624551	1.73030266	1.03617774	H	-0.99754572	2.20094816	2.65248283
C	2.99215130	0.48053229	-3.80220638	H	0.99724151	3.61232526	0.80833437
C	2.12040103	-0.41467945	-4.69690720	H	0.16393768	4.30144507	2.22315553
H	2.49115083	-1.44596139	-4.71929849	H	-0.86038445	4.80819904	-0.25720973
H	2.01733356	-0.04346656	-5.71681997	H	-1.98374828	4.30559559	1.02095897
O	0.82480510	-0.40918418	-4.07304077	H	-2.42031676	2.53726021	-0.56878081
C	4.47065593	0.05970848	-3.76832541	H	-0.74258526	2.57111317	-1.17555450
H	5.01587395	0.73170040	-3.09646518	O	1.63677677	-0.07850151	0.66346058
H	4.54031701	-0.94702489	-3.34169229	C	2.95896589	-0.30393087	0.48916712
C	5.09978119	0.09863439	-5.14795819	H	3.53586728	-0.20566721	1.44198976
C	5.36765377	-1.08228277	-5.85269758	C	3.29457610	-1.74065589	-0.02714027
C	5.92477612	-1.04198067	-7.13249917	H	2.87778721	-1.83971061	-1.04110422
C	6.22231008	0.18400407	-7.72816278	C	2.59924286	-2.77061669	0.87484990
C	5.96463006	1.36857884	-7.03448621	H	3.00780460	-2.72663013	1.89403507
C	5.41011539	1.32442935	-5.75560891	H	2.74964601	-3.79200282	0.50105896
H	5.22543437	2.25220804	-5.21794637	H	1.52876857	-2.56459638	0.94082204

C	4.80204685	-2.03709372	-0.07911118
H	5.34229230	-1.41344309	-0.80180434
H	4.98767051	-3.08293402	-0.35463840
H	5.26345658	-1.87281489	0.90399082
O	-1.40055039	-1.45353733	0.31800574
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C	-2.50200009	-2.40080274	-1.54679039
C	-3.46726812	-1.41009008	-0.83603086
C	-2.78597915	-1.14077778	0.52005309
H	-2.83284001	-0.10441022	0.85658275
H	-3.19046416	-1.79689562	1.30540938
H	-3.55908682	-0.48533493	-1.41297486
H	-4.47281296	-1.82180801	-0.70446761
H	-2.09258152	-1.94983325	-2.45372246
H	-2.98930682	-3.34162141	-1.82089293
H	-1.57358020	-3.50888580	0.10671187
H	-0.38204971	-2.69969144	-0.94513671

**Table 45.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,S*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



G = -2280.378242 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426410.726 kcal/mol

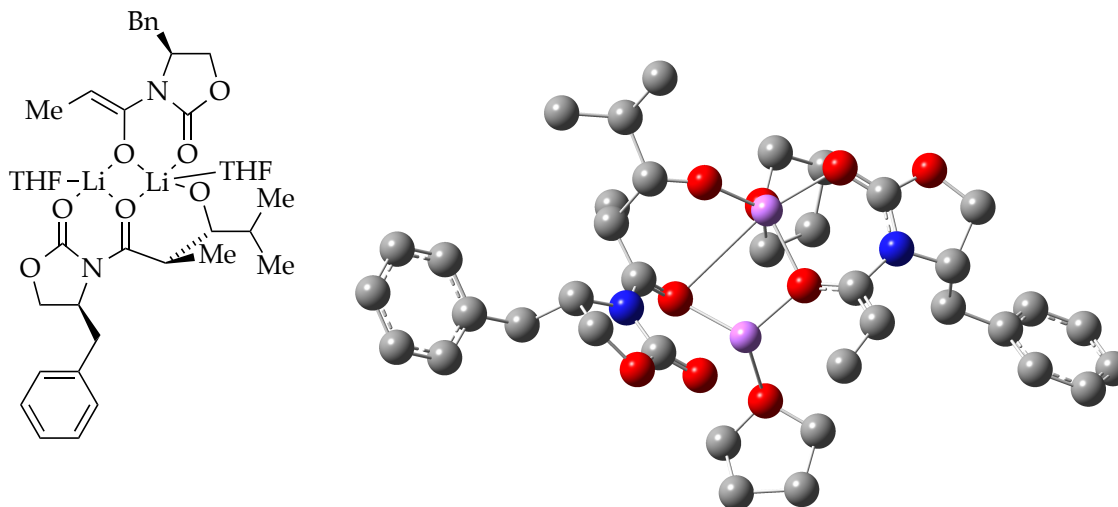
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 2.007089482 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -5.751794463 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer transition state leading to (*R,S*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	8.72014195	-0.54059104	0.60966039
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.96313560	H	10.88362927	-1.16599348	-0.41468817
Li	1.86056166	0.00000000	1.96440864	H	10.95722290	-2.03399772	-2.74521698
O	2.19047654	-0.23176880	0.14317016	H	8.84433406	-2.26237340	-4.03971546
C	3.01252308	-1.03021680	-0.45146984	H	6.68323972	-1.63567816	-3.01152596
N	4.06244493	-1.62079737	0.40509651	C	3.04816421	-1.37759953	-1.76889049
C	5.40444243	-1.97255328	-0.07995664	H	3.76943231	-2.11498084	-2.10635044
C	5.96114166	-2.70755592	1.14877558	C	2.13862863	-0.77721445	-2.80345061
H	5.81220940	-3.79145221	1.08461346	H	1.65572467	0.12555629	-2.41979347
H	7.01464730	-2.49890424	1.34270426	H	2.69529470	-0.50780507	-3.71264653
O	5.18415735	-2.20616290	2.25145036	H	1.33550127	-1.46230218	-3.11592161
C	4.01793620	-1.68940730	1.76369254	O	2.53715619	1.65853205	2.92270441
O	3.12624999	-1.35911111	2.54162033	C	2.05379538	1.85280358	4.26257551
H	5.33970857	-2.65540069	-0.92964483	C	3.14594768	1.26378230	5.16996608
C	6.21151382	-0.71842198	-0.49110853	C	4.44214937	1.39262096	4.32211050
H	5.58721184	-0.15466410	-1.19283240	C	3.94482999	1.93688065	2.96705800
H	6.35753584	-0.09151637	0.39759978	H	4.39689943	1.45924316	2.09498533
C	7.54390838	-1.05933469	-1.12025595	H	4.09591334	3.02381337	2.89158711
C	7.60219015	-1.54370627	-2.43617461	H	4.91716921	0.41655866	4.19823023
C	8.82033732	-1.89373301	-3.01748898	H	5.17212677	2.07048442	4.77543547
C	10.00719034	-1.76398773	-2.29205167	H	2.93357067	0.21243062	5.38059166
C	9.96517897	-1.27843367	-0.98496959	H	3.20945480	1.79510997	6.12452403
C	8.74269531	-0.93007904	-0.40617877	H	1.91785057	2.93014210	4.44218279

H	1.08606041	1.35268176	4.33517318	H	0.93404311	-1.54253556	3.93604345
C	-1.00654432	-0.09889331	2.77811148	H	-2.02924068	-0.76659685	4.49202958
N	-2.21438938	0.61502345	2.35662294	O	0.23992893	1.74579689	-1.13200516
C	-3.03736795	1.43646079	3.24721895	C	1.10937684	2.80451316	-0.70935534
C	-4.19912997	1.78617148	2.30022129	C	0.18769420	4.01780153	-0.45246980
H	-5.04289512	1.09638521	2.41631352	C	-1.11836027	3.66490044	-1.21832182
H	-4.55613626	2.81209545	2.40765889	C	-0.76445370	2.36007151	-1.94858204
O	-3.65682602	1.62520091	0.97796475	H	-0.34451452	2.56152938	-2.94643391
C	-2.55792427	0.80893829	1.05324774	H	-1.59220561	1.65655851	-2.03136020
O	-2.03519325	0.36797227	0.04117483	H	-1.42926424	4.45216346	-1.91237125
H	-3.40215778	0.84587304	4.09169619	H	-1.94251420	3.48588898	-0.52178805
C	-2.26106357	2.66190786	3.78445346	H	0.64472279	4.94525729	-0.81228352
H	-1.33827564	2.28167594	4.23678197	H	-0.00729170	4.14138116	0.61730728
H	-1.97173291	3.29233066	2.93470584	H	1.65206488	2.45210509	0.16815166
C	-3.04953797	3.46356354	4.79580528	H	1.83170309	3.01824325	-1.51142096
C	-3.62784729	4.69489099	4.45935605	O	-0.27402224	-1.85749787	-0.82443682
C	-4.37664700	5.41611811	5.39202713	C	0.28426704	-2.81308858	-0.31217191
C	-4.56068720	4.91397469	6.68047665	C	0.11193971	-4.24060134	-0.77412866
C	-3.98774031	3.68895138	7.03086370	H	-0.41361695	-4.20775653	-1.73548775
C	-3.23945336	2.97313792	6.09705624	C	-0.76290212	-4.98208054	0.25866797
H	-2.78678051	2.02521464	6.38119715	H	-0.89081189	-6.02853784	-0.04024561
H	-4.11952113	3.29330190	8.03465886	H	-0.29814946	-4.97148865	1.25225839
H	-5.14171739	5.47394715	7.40828287	H	-1.75427456	-4.52476393	0.34210310
H	-4.81243726	6.37144581	5.11117122	C	1.48190165	-4.91870589	-0.94250525
H	-3.48013082	5.09863798	3.45979254	H	2.02913535	-4.93896597	0.00837244
C	-1.07684743	-0.74802268	3.96963243	H	1.35369830	-5.95445162	-1.27656316
C	0.05490960	-1.51988128	4.58635671	H	2.09978475	-4.38950774	-1.67476329
H	0.36995348	-1.10592844	5.55784378	H	0.93390033	-2.66356209	0.57162331
H	-0.22978332	-2.56479539	4.78020527				

**Table 46.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,S*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



$G = -2280.370915$  Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426410.187$  kcal/mol

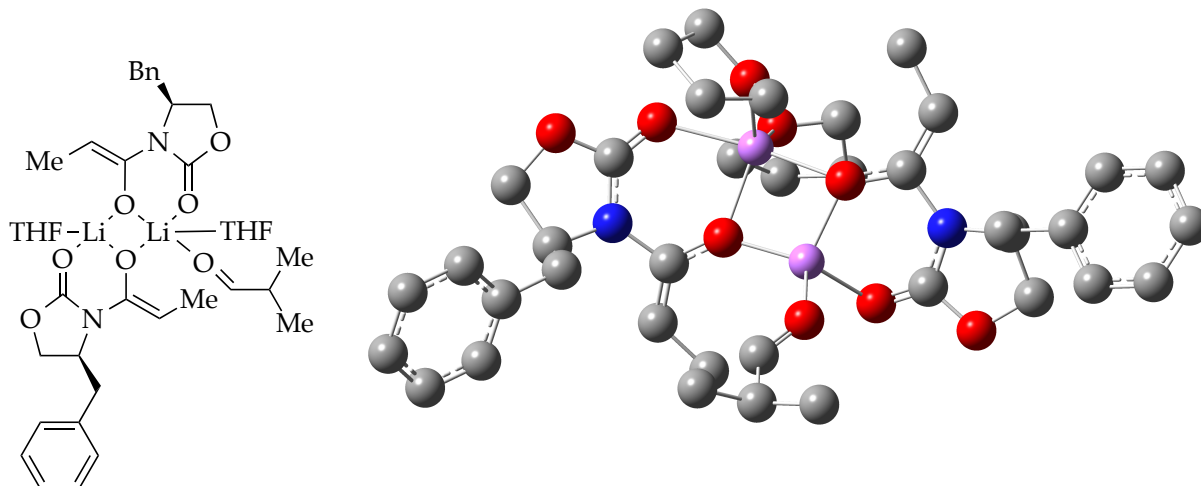
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 2.546300776$  kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -5.21258317$  kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer transition state leading to (*R,S*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	7.56059455	-4.88408228	0.32987049
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.01264840	H	7.67246811	-4.66342630	1.38945854
Li	1.81434575	0.00000000	2.41230253	H	8.93492058	-6.54113761	0.38832749
O	2.91093690	0.00694140	0.80303784	H	8.70934308	-7.04375480	-2.03766332
C	3.29871924	-0.96693513	0.15807046	H	7.21052907	-5.64716160	-3.44987762
N	3.64483486	-2.16106188	0.84634573	H	5.94995030	-3.77444658	-2.44977172
C	4.40828346	-3.29614818	0.29185562	C	3.27878923	-1.01490310	-1.32284915
C	4.10831484	-4.36125370	1.35578283	H	4.08279836	-1.64791994	-1.70819450
H	3.23260201	-4.96621200	1.10149677	C	3.34702432	0.38744941	-1.92844440
H	4.95707343	-5.00975831	1.57374301	H	2.44486996	0.94552941	-1.66818446
O	3.80005236	-3.60442030	2.54791354	H	4.21729501	0.94489286	-1.56169037
C	3.39612430	-2.36540596	2.19684505	H	3.42294280	0.32566061	-3.01824676
O	2.89810454	-1.59974706	3.00280611	O	2.33960876	1.41449909	3.70687927
H	3.99431932	-3.59110287	-0.67256195	C	1.56878212	1.58303924	4.91333197
C	5.91245542	-2.96055048	0.15977585	C	2.43724200	1.01430960	6.05978222
H	6.00680682	-2.05513757	-0.45146930	C	3.83824442	0.82672872	5.41772195
H	6.30296235	-2.71405029	1.15493188	C	3.71761800	1.56689060	4.08140540
C	6.71071730	-4.09200608	-0.45317089	H	4.32184237	1.14984406	3.27336104
C	6.59671022	-4.38316305	-1.82102602	H	3.94730080	2.63787626	4.18714069
C	7.30964080	-5.43890234	-2.38800063	H	4.03210698	-0.23335553	5.23379292
C	8.15190901	-6.22257440	-1.59558956	H	4.64718251	1.22301955	6.03894082
C	8.27718694	-5.94141099	-0.23510674	H	2.04221752	0.06114375	6.42084321

H	2.46355858	1.70614756	6.90731321	H	-0.46197876	-2.18047168	-2.98423471
H	1.36885151	2.65408699	5.05645939	C	2.85871118	-2.61878640	-3.90170807
H	0.62174563	1.06030548	4.76534522	H	3.07604100	-3.58400184	-3.42044626
C	-1.10337928	-0.16386177	2.68525210	H	2.62979652	-2.83175414	-4.95323906
N	-2.25620396	0.59542808	2.18449447	H	3.77691142	-2.01870541	-3.88758421
C	-3.11469432	1.43367625	3.02257629	H	2.00953366	-2.81637265	-1.29010782
C	-4.21494467	1.80089326	2.00920047				
H	-5.08318457	1.13725545	2.09009746				
H	-4.54707683	2.83806211	2.08393992				
O	-3.60966329	1.60490556	0.71919940				
C	-2.53281116	0.76938091	0.86382086				
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H	-3.53598468	0.85202440	3.84680997				
C	-2.35132829	2.64715462	3.60338783				
H	-1.46503426	2.25371201	4.11373028				
H	-1.99773709	3.26898223	2.77187060				
C	-3.18586881	3.46870914	4.56073013				
C	-3.70552058	4.71542338	4.18744386				
C	-4.49688051	5.45723981	5.06720383				
C	-4.78305240	4.96077794	6.33908575				
C	-4.26992206	3.72027254	6.72588664				
C	-3.47904142	2.98371046	5.84471157				
H	-3.07529853	2.02272792	6.15741875				
H	-4.48241657	3.32821154	7.71717785				
H	-5.39750644	5.53650410	7.02597108				
H	-4.88613712	6.42388343	4.75822530				
H	-3.47890297	5.11428123	3.20082981				
C	-1.33540362	-0.90797488	3.79716661				
C	-0.31987037	-1.76357287	4.49830876				
H	-0.13072252	-1.43641519	5.53400578				
H	-0.66039660	-2.80697303	4.56757278				
H	0.64008250	-1.77658372	3.97545718				
H	-2.35342741	-0.95147625	4.17488935				
O	0.42228794	2.01224402	-0.54798447				
C	0.99752685	3.06845007	0.22939297				
C	0.03630254	4.27857472	0.09956948				
C	-0.98734011	3.82989315	-0.97492017				
C	-0.30120370	2.62204006	-1.62163622				
H	0.39933343	2.93244950	-2.41333718				
H	-0.98874638	1.87349902	-2.01738191				
H	-1.21928590	4.61867863	-1.69756483				
H	-1.92426082	3.50851779	-0.51007346				
H	0.58156235	5.17598549	-0.21079833				
H	-0.45499929	4.51014378	1.05000877				
H	1.10949598	2.69481822	1.24926298				
H	1.99445288	3.31068253	-0.16604890				
O	0.82098088	-1.15518493	-1.07808446				
C	1.83612947	-1.76916000	-1.66494278				
C	1.67820396	-1.91828545	-3.21386717				
H	1.57159342	-0.90569544	-3.62596042				
C	0.37049357	-2.67433250	-3.49002947				
H	0.16163217	-2.72413816	-4.56650861				
H	0.43095366	-3.70559602	-3.11408380				

**Table 47.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,R*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



G = -2280.377656 Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426410.255$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 2.477608632$  kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

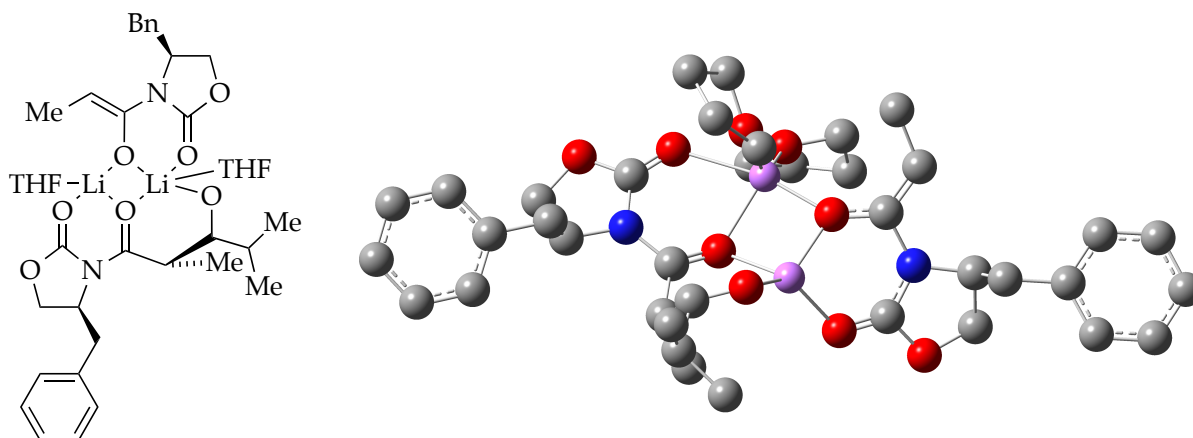
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -8.146462528$  kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer transition state leading to (*S,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	O	-0.39070276	0.16998598	-2.11008714
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.11681690	H	-4.17683318	-1.55330075	-3.15969502
C	0.79926558	0.00000000	3.13669465	C	-4.81030452	0.17867725	-2.02503074
N	0.39315558	-0.86287656	4.26288126	H	-4.92889625	-0.35978294	-1.07781650
C	0.57705805	-0.50022151	5.67312033	H	-4.41206198	1.17288069	-1.78790326
C	0.19891777	-1.82662718	6.35225220	C	-6.14181553	0.29451848	-2.73275345
H	1.07782412	-2.44663715	6.56238672	C	-6.54613656	1.49492915	-3.33218043
H	-0.37957258	-1.69867543	7.26897930	C	-7.76326995	1.58462868	-4.01112188
O	-0.61988638	-2.51044392	5.38666325	C	-8.59835250	0.47070344	-4.10111091
C	-0.38313932	-1.97538873	4.15425079	C	-8.21024275	-0.73150323	-3.50485244
O	-0.86061530	-2.49792899	3.14990883	C	-6.99429833	-0.81648711	-2.82729448
Li	-1.47252285	-1.13296836	1.91298044	H	-6.70230644	-1.75461774	-2.35919710
O	-1.70153021	-1.04063319	0.07252047	H	-8.85736191	-1.60278591	-3.56405835
C	-2.40758053	-1.58845264	-0.86725292	H	-9.54652055	0.53878308	-4.62748974
N	-2.51445860	-0.79692456	-2.09569710	H	-8.05903436	2.52649059	-4.46580054
C	-3.75309381	-0.59471096	-2.84775395	H	-5.90616665	2.37162961	-3.25696922
C	-3.21290913	0.17188377	-4.07015686	C	-3.07048432	-2.77614684	-0.85609393
H	-3.02507741	-0.49392375	-4.92006514	C	-3.07703944	-3.73719175	0.29955769
H	-3.86128343	0.98896518	-4.39192976	H	-2.75740994	-4.74055296	-0.01610113
O	-1.95780405	0.72467071	-3.63743770	H	-2.39761445	-3.42382513	1.09777069
C	-1.52189567	0.02123296	-2.54380555	H	-4.07713117	-3.86523701	0.74603993



H	-3.57335529	-3.09461449	-1.76502539	C	2.50954128	1.69389723	2.34332956
O	-3.24977684	-0.65909426	2.82819198	H	1.83713953	1.83617926	1.49403184
C	-4.32997628	-0.89603116	2.31296190	H	2.67508005	2.67692972	2.81100923
H	-4.36689705	-1.30244220	1.28322198	H	3.48601730	1.37756201	1.94361958
C	-5.66482486	-0.66678205	2.98187537	O	1.59350826	-1.24035042	-0.41108033
H	-6.15063143	-1.65743372	2.98629462	C	2.61200853	-1.62500271	0.53161395
C	-5.52939786	-0.15445095	4.41628346	C	2.44220770	-3.13283568	0.69160287
H	-6.51653348	-0.05518806	4.88010976	C	2.11560173	-3.55432094	-0.75062514
H	-4.92758048	-0.83595527	5.02483124	C	1.29594450	-2.36308528	-1.27960192
H	-5.04205062	0.82614122	4.43564224	H	0.22006048	-2.54580728	-1.22098466
C	-6.52418808	0.25552691	2.09009231	H	1.55133414	-2.09209438	-2.30919812
H	-6.60069787	-0.12274585	1.06422629	H	1.55877543	-4.49443560	-0.80992564
H	-7.53823666	0.33246796	2.49523406	H	3.04041633	-3.67540359	-1.32743175
H	-6.09913837	1.26505102	2.05017352	H	1.59904632	-3.34328953	1.35958149
H	1.62181702	-0.25758940	5.87798013	H	3.33590666	-3.62215255	1.09243533
C	-0.31166565	0.70212785	6.06960018	H	3.60305979	-1.38097328	0.11826203
H	-0.10400362	1.50032447	5.34812760	H	2.45352730	-1.05241123	1.44626919
H	-1.36304523	0.41528888	5.94608051	O	0.02788598	2.14126599	-0.01988689
C	-0.05267828	1.18455904	7.47928842	C	-0.79758518	2.86928793	0.89767273
C	1.10885916	1.91449702	7.77606365	C	-1.85814439	3.54534106	0.01241633
C	1.37538706	2.34003879	9.07684714	C	-1.13810402	3.71283194	-1.35608337
C	0.48169054	2.04406926	10.10910697	C	0.22069935	3.01221558	-1.14267560
C	-0.67931390	1.32344947	9.82828778	H	1.00807406	3.74127288	-0.89778505
C	-0.94173222	0.89823097	8.52397978	H	0.53820149	2.39347295	-1.98054368
H	-1.85551910	0.34715618	8.31107177	H	-1.00670640	4.76374038	-1.63295335
H	-1.38493017	1.09420455	10.62270630	H	-1.69816215	3.22478048	-2.15881162
H	0.68717219	2.37763965	11.12273593	H	-2.19640168	4.49712825	0.43445872
H	2.27849196	2.90819660	9.28458877	H	-2.73449523	2.89661706	-0.08973514
H	1.80372735	2.15893585	6.97510697	H	-1.17786416	2.15329493	1.62628477
C	1.95174572	0.70006339	3.32174496	H	-0.18385960	3.61894192	1.42142668
H	2.53579625	0.51573814	4.21828023				

**Table 48.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,R*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



G = -2280.364449 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426406.566 kcal/mol

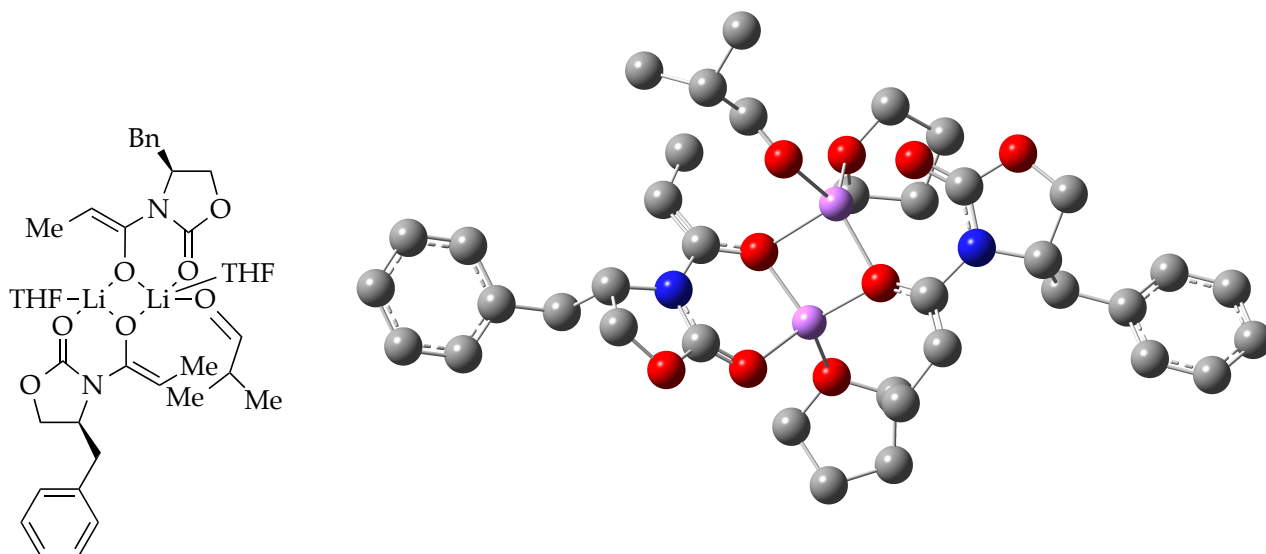
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 6.166755249 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -4.457315911 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer transition state leading to (*S,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-4.71990760	-1.08390114	-2.76732026
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.94385910	C	-4.56743869	1.07331416	-3.04319823
C	0.78515689	0.00000000	2.97479469	H	-4.86261461	1.34638430	-2.02421445
N	0.47094327	-1.01064529	3.98660964	H	-3.78406897	1.78024889	-3.34348874
C	1.25481379	-1.24478785	5.20576890	C	-5.75151857	1.16797502	-3.98225983
C	0.78988807	-2.66452919	5.54871560	C	-5.63169406	1.76662464	-5.24364784
H	1.41519781	-3.43076532	5.07495550	C	-6.72089083	1.82639369	-6.11567515
H	0.72499690	-2.85875337	6.62036286	C	-7.95020013	1.28658808	-5.73690437
O	-0.53381760	-2.73904786	4.99094204	C	-8.08533844	0.69260104	-4.47990509
C	-0.64079340	-1.81084025	3.99473466	C	-6.99576174	0.63587445	-3.61147334
O	-1.64333371	-1.78088740	3.29406871	H	-7.11602363	0.18572870	-2.62802710
Li	-1.87200008	-0.35446463	2.00758908	H	-9.04227414	0.27970437	-4.17219349
O	-1.85826583	-0.94813976	-0.04869141	H	-8.79978883	1.33446203	-6.41247757
C	-2.90216023	-0.75811885	-0.68185568	H	-6.60846637	2.29995335	-7.08729972
N	-2.82841445	-0.45136030	-2.05589450	H	-4.68049237	2.20367301	-5.54069069
C	-3.95314183	-0.34554616	-3.00776129	C	-4.23178212	-0.77987193	-0.01028456
C	-3.22789588	-0.72069379	-4.30771678	C	-4.39414901	-2.04996008	0.84120857
H	-3.25173201	-1.79856470	-4.50216792	H	-5.42803914	-2.13503418	1.18512998
H	-3.59714787	-0.18261408	-5.18083365	H	-4.16107356	-2.95291979	0.26325995
O	-1.86022696	-0.32770159	-4.07776006	H	-3.74247762	-2.03423253	1.71741606
C	-1.61380852	-0.30304805	-2.74330424	H	-5.04356217	-0.72752108	-0.74109724
O	-0.50204509	-0.16134657	-2.29323389	O	-3.29685184	0.72857472	1.74466976

C	-4.29233939	0.61733228	0.86319567	H	-0.29653580	4.84807179	-1.95856646
H	-4.23738427	1.39125979	0.05106183	H	-1.37250450	3.53979997	-2.46212569
C	-5.73287998	0.79193915	1.47999587	H	-1.41867747	4.98957483	0.15597982
H	-6.46624280	0.28705684	0.82930421	H	-2.63388096	3.90912333	-0.52445555
C	-5.84120054	0.21821694	2.89923138	H	-1.81676552	2.26939981	1.03903322
H	-6.84075744	0.40587999	3.31219985	H	-0.34767218	3.24875710	1.32820711
H	-5.65918904	-0.85887535	2.93779323				
H	-5.09856904	0.69495969	3.54471994				
C	-6.08129065	2.28948560	1.50462304				
H	-6.10484557	2.71699370	0.49405589				
H	-7.06137892	2.46544579	1.96549460				
H	-5.32997160	2.83876283	2.08436638				
H	2.32203985	-1.22527374	4.97222043				
C	0.92847390	-0.21229241	6.31546301				
H	1.05412292	0.78746055	5.88808864				
H	-0.13157723	-0.31714117	6.57703089				
C	1.79098590	-0.37883121	7.54732128				
C	3.13309399	0.03152240	7.53959520				
C	3.94349406	-0.14378567	8.66082838				
C	3.42488812	-0.73334998	9.81616555				
C	2.09123653	-1.14192775	9.84061333				
C	1.28384505	-0.96566070	8.71479974				
H	0.24152197	-1.27604859	8.74566548				
H	1.67527889	-1.59450027	10.73704092				
H	4.05463229	-0.86735406	10.69160190				
H	4.97906645	0.18560405	8.63517289				
H	3.54317311	0.50357504	6.64899636				
C	1.87002240	0.79613557	3.19188771				
H	2.45434904	0.68488654	4.09752463				
C	2.30287796	1.87392758	2.23835043				
H	1.63493552	1.91885769	1.37416620				
H	2.29870185	2.86711479	2.71297402				
H	3.32667988	1.71723492	1.86301906				
O	1.61418748	-1.14121235	-0.53289529				
C	2.75755210	-1.34256107	0.32513461				
C	2.88007427	-2.85721742	0.46368322				
C	2.49696191	-3.32493171	-0.94913282				
C	1.41073585	-2.31666790	-1.35643674				
H	0.40311389	-2.69370043	-1.15138703				
H	1.46531051	-2.02425539	-2.40848517				
H	2.13501934	-4.35709599	-0.98156903				
H	3.36209544	-3.25162949	-1.61868647				
H	2.15831033	-3.22568276	1.20207376				
H	3.88156660	-3.17633119	0.76903582				
H	3.65007442	-0.91737092	-0.15751927				
H	2.56965216	-0.81718237	1.26303874				
O	-0.30352791	2.00210841	-0.33221649				
C	-1.03757195	2.87103617	0.56202581				
C	-1.56329260	4.01940323	-0.32962091				
C	-0.74112838	3.89921553	-1.64220386				
C	0.32310216	2.84768125	-1.29951763				
H	1.21594308	3.31748877	-0.85723357				
H	0.62719298	2.22030626	-2.13970623				

**Table 49.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



$G = -2280.37782$  Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426409.915$  kcal/mol

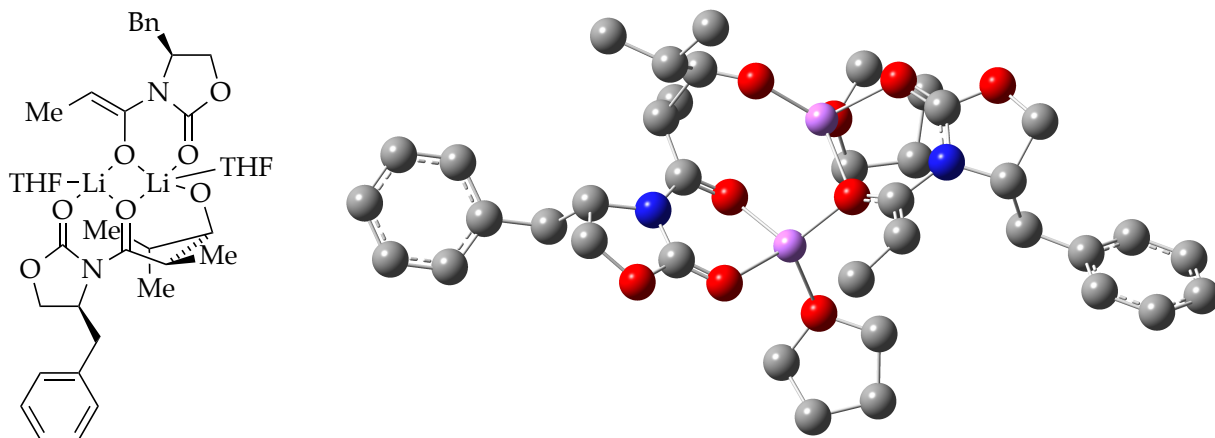
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -5.856926396$  kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 2.817500077$  kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	7.76064247	-3.96785530	-1.07163805
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.96705330	H	7.86408259	-3.94440843	0.01115784
Li	1.87777764	0.00000000	1.90962824	H	9.28140427	-5.47218852	-1.32136481
O	2.09252290	-0.00162736	0.03900514	H	9.07657527	-5.52163471	-3.80081751
C	2.96694253	-0.59716264	-0.69850087	H	7.44188414	-4.02257061	-4.92911571
N	3.59865857	-1.77352982	-0.08711238	H	6.02728309	-2.49796599	-3.59465319
C	4.47758188	-2.72196334	-0.78420201	C	3.33091113	-0.28604638	-1.97770548
C	4.33999006	-3.93259150	0.14432126	H	4.11400768	-0.85202517	-2.46848186
H	3.49075706	-4.57003092	-0.12712944	C	2.81152071	0.92294949	-2.70555421
H	5.24525265	-4.53667167	0.21983550	H	1.90304354	1.30545764	-2.23378732
O	4.07865335	-3.34200758	1.43233794	H	3.54444248	1.74611575	-2.72440974
C	3.52838379	-2.10946865	1.23447134	H	2.57916095	0.69711754	-3.75683195
O	3.09806065	-1.47309312	2.19130751	O	2.57973742	1.47643275	3.07938007
H	4.08098401	-2.93159173	-1.78034590	C	1.72482243	2.05871658	4.09364024
C	5.93839799	-2.20785385	-0.88102877	C	2.59293313	2.22107322	5.35750212
H	5.91666647	-1.20467620	-1.31768245	C	3.79771874	1.30501672	5.07712288
H	6.32970223	-2.10387938	0.13853143	C	3.93465840	1.42959250	3.56209172
C	6.83171463	-3.12123686	-1.69171736	H	4.41886849	0.57717679	3.08205435
C	6.73216907	-3.15676779	-3.09125811	H	4.45946681	2.35461943	3.27970961
C	7.53188840	-4.01435997	-3.84592439	H	3.56725025	0.26768846	5.34390733
C	8.45093681	-4.85502000	-3.21342495	H	4.70228178	1.60842540	5.61332940
C	8.56451757	-4.82763778	-1.82335678	H	2.05105509	1.94622013	6.26715677

H	2.92379004	3.26017969	5.46768614	H	0.23416591	-2.64891321	4.83581352
H	1.33978659	3.01670276	3.72532695	H	1.20588153	-1.58166947	3.82840427
H	0.88308677	1.37663080	4.23844647	H	-1.81943760	-1.27951299	4.44912055
C	-0.95837235	-0.35158530	2.76984597	O	-0.04979693	1.96769024	-0.92886147
N	-2.29389737	0.10370303	2.36644857	C	0.69104919	2.96396435	-0.20954541
C	-3.29564636	0.64127325	3.28938411	C	-0.37357765	3.69017726	0.62014155
C	-4.49774357	0.79584942	2.33833275	C	-1.62714313	3.64110043	-0.29432207
H	-5.18289207	-0.05694916	2.40223876	C	-1.23911727	2.62342297	-1.39503075
H	-5.05890498	1.71912775	2.49477558	H	-1.01623675	3.13452959	-2.34349481
O	-3.92707982	0.82400503	1.01867654	H	-1.98862299	1.85032783	-1.56158232
C	-2.67227724	0.27449790	1.07139944	H	-1.85585987	4.61997913	-0.72818452
O	-2.06278090	0.01415021	0.04393702	H	-2.51264793	3.30737795	0.25415706
H	-3.52767902	-0.08516184	4.07277646	H	-0.07632263	4.71031612	0.88405702
C	-2.82719695	1.95904427	3.95022871	H	-0.55063159	3.13329728	1.54579848
H	-1.84987756	1.75650821	4.40293320	H	1.45998213	2.44698754	0.36450602
H	-2.67571855	2.71082127	3.16595999	H	1.17544694	3.64734190	-0.92553226
C	-3.79440863	2.47100347	4.99396885	O	-0.01314799	-1.56469439	-1.31521813
C	-4.63030900	3.56632334	4.73867240	C	0.23350063	-1.50757020	-2.50775038
C	-5.54108347	4.01472823	5.69792502	C	0.28670756	-2.71786092	-3.41369930
C	-5.63065790	3.37146212	6.93254357	H	0.44983893	-3.59140878	-2.77124642
C	-4.80089224	2.28047274	7.20250615	C	1.41650143	-2.59442155	-4.44615528
C	-3.89214646	1.83701272	6.24237670	H	2.38975318	-2.48097379	-3.95805696
H	-3.24171882	0.99337635	6.46467095	H	1.44742758	-3.48243561	-5.08727442
H	-4.85798101	1.77758782	8.16444752	H	1.26434518	-1.72167848	-5.09327636
H	-6.33738543	3.71944439	7.68106816	C	-1.09189881	-2.85774131	-4.09700521
H	-6.17703980	4.86888042	5.48011238	H	-1.09318645	-3.72725080	-4.76389480
H	-4.55911269	4.08099758	3.78258528	H	-1.88859995	-2.98752754	-3.35770044
C	-0.89132066	-1.04773160	3.93464715	H	-1.32611842	-1.97287528	-4.70179013
C	0.37083797	-1.60109892	4.53404960	H	0.36529778	-0.52467307	-3.00117587
H	0.68826625	-1.06158938	5.44222466				

**Table 50.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



G = -2280.368139 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426407.684 kcal/mol

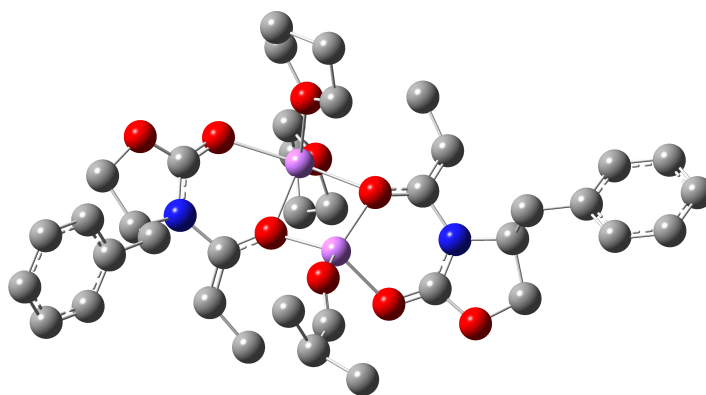
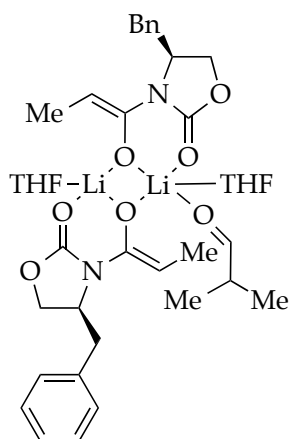
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 5.048707634 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -3.625718839 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	9.10679348	-4.89726373	-0.18437012
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.01276920	C	8.19132601	-3.96351049	0.30609583
Li	1.84125504	0.00000000	2.31398683	H	8.27340052	-3.61885706	1.33490257
O	2.72958483	-0.08715780	0.59533792	H	9.88879180	-5.27899722	0.46655769
C	3.24017276	-1.03894350	0.00307938	H	9.73206560	-6.05845931	-1.89099375
N	3.80822575	-2.09972845	0.77001428	H	7.94585460	-5.15564364	-3.36931499
C	4.78090272	-3.09700179	0.28254084	H	6.33443088	-3.49774669	-2.50103928
C	4.76501952	-4.07860936	1.46192129	C	3.15067203	-1.19282409	-1.45973822
H	4.02772353	-4.87614519	1.32657422	H	3.90152015	-1.88095275	-1.85294929
H	5.74114140	-4.51087798	1.68300834	C	3.22474694	0.15983044	-2.17533515
O	4.35815153	-3.27705896	2.59227279	H	2.38790995	0.78898796	-1.86390215
C	3.68731043	-2.19142067	2.14912555	H	4.16134005	0.69070904	-1.96163820
O	3.09298807	-1.45351260	2.91583131	H	3.16327437	0.00301716	-3.25772643
H	4.40986556	-3.58161514	-0.61965115	O	2.36021498	1.51915640	3.48393093
C	6.16634539	-2.45889495	0.02136876	C	1.38826741	2.04742986	4.42369410
H	6.03007142	-1.63499736	-0.68900919	C	2.18835845	2.51810575	5.64858048
H	6.52757493	-2.01542483	0.95753592	C	3.48559972	1.69936750	5.54345473
C	7.17748007	-3.45062965	-0.51395405	C	3.68841638	1.63865622	4.03178214
C	7.10518479	-3.89385616	-1.84305266	H	4.26145709	0.77389820	3.69131694
C	8.01654147	-4.82708900	-2.33594515	H	4.15764293	2.55691069	3.65049490
C	9.02016532	-5.33325035	-1.50660880	H	3.33947597	0.68910950	5.94239456

H	4.33001797	2.15888184	6.06622357	H	3.55848518	-3.81793474	-2.63495479
H	1.64699174	2.34987383	6.58407010	H	2.48257850	-5.21349559	-2.50192357
H	2.41021544	3.58924620	5.57687845	H	2.12625269	-3.92415568	-3.65736787
H	0.83614721	2.85689444	3.93556120	C	0.19809900	-3.93527318	-1.67300781
H	0.68658270	1.24243046	4.66269965	H	0.16444654	-5.01805088	-1.49409089
C	-1.05576255	-0.27056215	2.72470136	H	-0.42685013	-3.42527915	-0.93765113
N	-2.29963558	0.35497122	2.25937059	H	-0.23291056	-3.74535189	-2.66512337
C	-3.29469623	0.96149683	3.14711111	H	1.58351529	-1.66888735	-2.88350581
C	-4.42543691	1.25078777	2.14377350				
H	-5.17891266	0.45507148	2.13580460				
H	-4.91832828	2.21063848	2.30949707				
O	-3.78004397	1.28122947	0.86034378				
C	-2.58978998	0.60881509	0.95245130				
O	-1.95674488	0.32727055	-0.05274296				
H	-3.63320619	0.24354405	3.89800561				
C	-2.74302049	2.21627345	3.86381385				
H	-1.81146610	1.91609287	4.35634780				
H	-2.48712933	2.96674259	3.10549004				
C	-3.70958984	2.79287227	4.87417697				
C	-4.43300037	3.96243717	4.60490071				
C	-5.34589306	4.47211817	5.53082765				
C	-5.55045003	3.81671542	6.74518951				
C	-4.83390468	2.65136001	7.02859879				
C	-3.92256035	2.14662125	6.10168952				
H	-3.36143663	1.24342790	6.33320705				
H	-4.98202322	2.13757915	7.97495289				
H	-6.25926753	4.21196530	7.46782014				
H	-5.89382462	5.38276612	5.30303175				
H	-4.27196580	4.48478786	3.66412814				
C	-1.15872691	-1.02016107	3.85359130				
C	-0.02167911	-1.74133677	4.51892712				
H	0.24679601	-1.31135983	5.49848851				
H	-0.27949789	-2.79281885	4.70949073				
H	0.88284366	-1.74299494	3.90536723				
H	-2.14487253	-1.17258636	4.28196479				
O	0.47420345	1.99476021	-0.67021013				
C	0.97105108	3.06429229	0.13532588				
C	-0.23926512	3.98680688	0.37405889				
C	-1.16974621	3.69293759	-0.83658694				
C	-0.42111774	2.59251866	-1.61626649				
H	0.16341077	3.02002862	-2.44550061				
H	-1.06600057	1.80042359	-1.99708478				
H	-1.33977901	4.57876839	-1.45684798				
H	-2.14343129	3.32741778	-0.49997824				
H	0.05720397	5.03892711	0.43639258				
H	-0.73608039	3.72566986	1.31405129				
H	1.39456337	2.62917823	1.04236674				
H	1.76849439	3.59398493	-0.41018103				
O	0.67578375	-1.23097578	-1.10056823				
C	1.61945027	-1.85043921	-1.77871673				
C	1.63799133	-3.40704301	-1.60015099				
H	2.01672926	-3.63664309	-0.59107074				
C	2.50438505	-4.12604919	-2.64681488				

**Table 51.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,S*)-6 from 5 dimer with three THF



G = -2280.383667 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426411.693 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 1.039700804 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

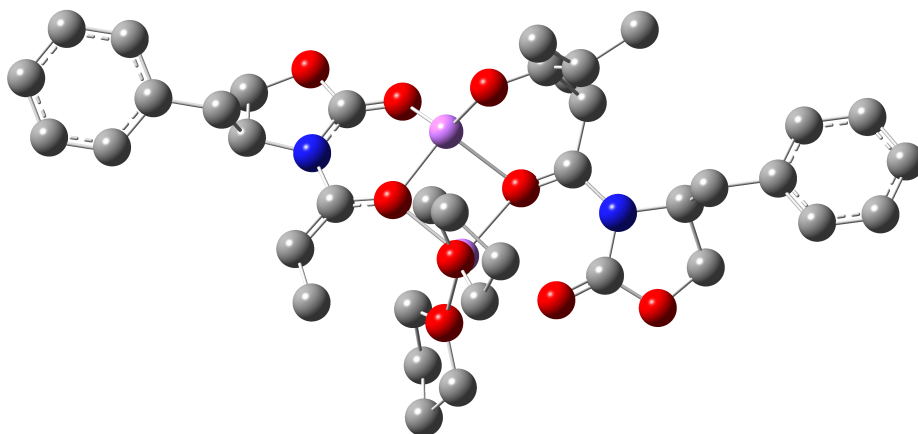
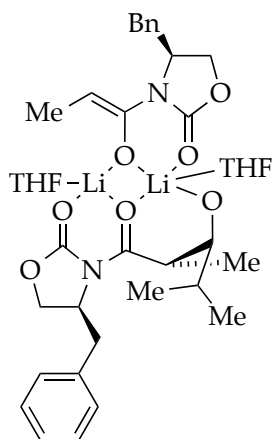
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -10.03546225 kcal/mol vs. 5 dimer transition state leading to (*S,S*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-4.40337201	0.18031379	-1.50268407
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.13946330	C	-6.02464858	-0.99320089	-2.31034631
C	0.92510137	0.00000000	3.04210300	C	-6.71179761	0.12088612	-2.81111342
N	0.63692804	-0.80850326	4.24695856	C	-7.98844439	-0.00932693	-3.36237140
C	1.08660616	-0.43820342	5.59575706	C	-8.60022017	-1.26162735	-3.42289738
C	0.68548474	-1.69708294	6.37918819	C	-7.92843056	-2.38100541	-2.92539891
H	1.51110450	-2.41347748	6.45911233	C	-6.65454407	-2.24600766	-2.37460667
H	0.29293531	-1.48624020	7.37562388	H	-6.14165286	-3.12123961	-1.98058617
O	-0.36022416	-2.29376755	5.59152608	H	-8.39976096	-3.35985253	-2.96233881
C	-0.26304365	-1.82463048	4.31237738	H	-9.59406311	-1.36539822	-3.85001427
O	-0.95284009	-2.32834977	3.42742449	H	-8.50479019	0.86912962	-3.74082463
Li	-1.43759517	-1.17265159	1.94522497	H	-6.24573125	1.10265176	-2.75812130
O	-1.36242006	-1.40229802	0.10939320	C	-2.20169429	-3.43973334	-0.83335316
C	-1.88719120	-2.11973197	-0.83609942	C	-2.00477931	-4.35227259	0.34325850
N	-2.21272150	-1.38335478	-2.06154996	H	-2.95063691	-4.79596199	0.69324746
C	-3.53534807	-1.40698895	-2.68877435	H	-1.34433856	-5.19762896	0.09848317
C	-3.26517407	-0.52196341	-3.91899966	H	-1.55374197	-3.82347641	1.18844827
H	-3.00002580	-1.11704598	-4.80050429	H	-2.58547762	-3.87926071	-1.75046407
H	-4.09444742	0.14249064	-4.16941790	O	-3.41298614	-0.88712857	2.47264682
O	-2.12925386	0.28145742	-3.55096162	C	-4.00738847	-1.76272869	3.08120088
C	-1.47585021	-0.33453445	-2.51607538	C	-5.49100224	-1.75325860	3.36271827
O	-0.38763892	0.06765013	-2.12877990	H	-5.87196241	-2.67733728	2.89513165
H	-3.79802654	-2.42281746	-2.99646888	C	-6.20475634	-0.54129454	2.76252454
C	-4.63037856	-0.86633806	-1.73847545	H	-7.28190725	-0.60138973	2.95115351
H	-4.54761976	-1.43313733	-0.80401445	H	-5.83114778	0.38884897	3.20371969



H	-6.04709115	-0.48132836	1.68156414	O	1.85225297	-0.79071082	-0.28819937
C	-5.71137231	-1.89269415	4.88465329	C	2.06580910	-2.08662392	0.31264036
H	-5.17724807	-2.75750056	5.29429985	C	2.75519684	-2.92240540	-0.76610005
H	-5.36375887	-0.99665814	5.41180469	C	3.59673890	-1.86429521	-1.49674939
H	-6.77692189	-2.01970914	5.10109150	C	2.67433117	-0.63938765	-1.46397552
H	-3.44199324	-2.62906093	3.47441707	H	2.01571794	-0.59360105	-2.33739499
H	2.17066029	-0.31063377	5.61886111	H	3.22092262	0.30694318	-1.38423088
C	0.40771449	0.86254648	6.08528865	H	3.86889957	-2.15284936	-2.51687957
H	0.57037250	1.61472309	5.30567219	H	4.52229220	-1.66661376	-0.94257550
H	-0.67326428	0.68809557	6.15422934	H	2.00973261	-3.35396889	-1.44417483
C	0.95127104	1.34641870	7.41090715	H	3.35220113	-3.73921078	-0.34817908
C	2.22032876	1.94187034	7.48151697	H	2.69773802	-1.96259696	1.20192316
C	2.74582844	2.36655312	8.70124062	H	1.09166396	-2.47492827	0.61706350
C	2.00928722	2.20528031	9.87743035	O	-0.41278405	2.07053265	0.00059677
C	0.74456301	1.61928043	9.82198248	C	-1.15704695	2.70365590	1.06735154
C	0.22277499	1.19382394	8.59819481	C	-1.32077974	4.17513964	0.65748756
H	-0.76922315	0.74802644	8.56199547	C	-1.19081549	4.11513469	-0.87296630
H	0.16006536	1.49547203	10.73003494	C	-0.13943198	3.02037003	-1.04569873
H	2.41689513	2.53883877	10.82795441	H	0.87586701	3.42492503	-0.91416854
H	3.72875691	2.82954081	8.73341530	H	-0.19046997	2.48373543	-1.99384608
H	2.79444366	2.08255081	6.56796353	H	-0.89045153	5.06711052	-1.32221424
C	2.10979075	0.66964288	3.04927821	H	-2.13816637	3.80400579	-1.32971799
H	2.81068870	0.49751419	3.86002574	H	-0.51241924	4.78402724	1.07985346
C	2.54525781	1.60983699	1.96145407	H	-2.27123709	4.59816656	0.99770073
H	1.71423374	1.84320454	1.29076837	H	-2.12193628	2.19000795	1.15340891
H	2.92529190	2.55560949	2.37660073	H	-0.61156484	2.56424972	2.00291730
H	3.35353223	1.19131878	1.34236935				

**Table 52.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,S*)-**6** from **5** dimer with three THF



G = -2280.364375 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426406.503 kcal/mol

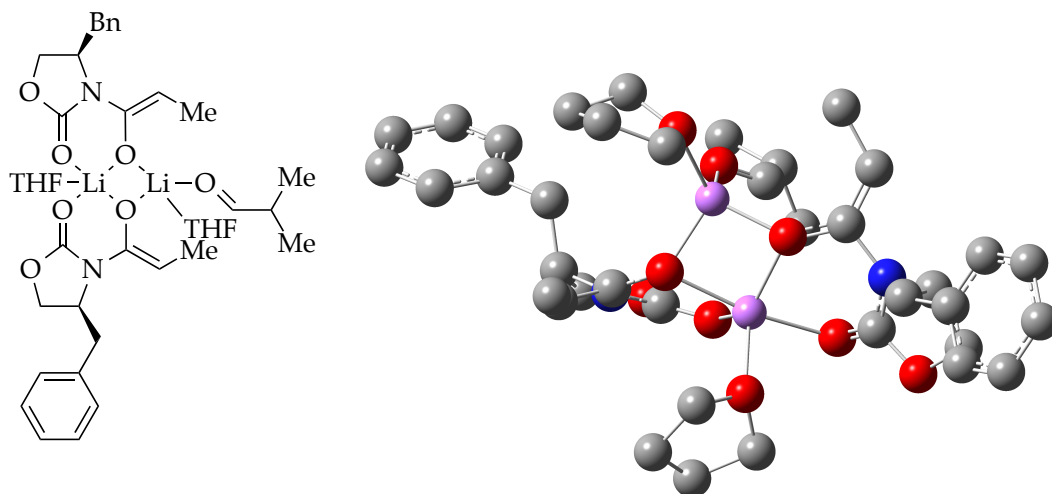
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 6.229692127 kcal/mol vs. **5** dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -4.845470928 kcal/mol vs. **5** dimer transition state leading to (*S,S*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-5.08013346	0.26372079	-2.54413854
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.96146220	H	-3.94989132	0.64118088	-3.83610281
C	0.86855414	0.00000000	2.92126141	C	-5.66224299	-0.49937227	-4.47575505
N	0.47500657	-0.74397814	4.12317981	C	-5.52680272	-0.10204067	-5.81276563
C	1.07553561	-0.53576543	5.44700466	C	-6.48624370	-0.45023026	-6.76595907
C	0.52535316	-1.75727005	6.19658481	C	-7.59893791	-1.20505214	-6.39443460
H	1.21833790	-2.60638522	6.16600371	C	-7.74861686	-1.60465430	-5.06439793
H	0.25733003	-1.54776691	7.23361250	C	-6.78908674	-1.25356597	-4.11523537
O	-0.66640606	-2.11291700	5.47822508	H	-6.92407093	-1.55788313	-3.07944774
C	-0.59989697	-1.58543977	4.22075045	H	-8.61707594	-2.18468529	-4.76398807
O	-1.44448420	-1.88888194	3.38762037	H	-8.34801598	-1.47541474	-7.13354826
Li	-1.81341910	-0.56594334	2.01495854	H	-6.36473270	-0.12705955	-7.79637406
O	-1.75776666	-1.13829034	0.02983703	H	-4.66809590	0.49750470	-6.10789007
C	-2.80179121	-1.17494575	-0.62763618	C	-4.12429755	-1.37098698	0.02266520
N	-2.71857309	-1.00112559	-2.02988912	C	-4.11623137	-2.64394662	0.89122078
C	-3.74046618	-1.35200008	-3.03863557	H	-5.11935033	-2.80342112	1.30020694
C	-2.82603822	-1.82861796	-4.17574179	H	-3.83713398	-3.53793048	0.31913767
H	-2.59158561	-2.89640286	-4.10492357	H	-3.42349010	-2.54544543	1.73083446
H	-3.21341243	-1.60107564	-5.16884739	H	-4.92173901	-1.44866035	-0.71959442
O	-1.60912833	-1.07811995	-3.98224900	C	-4.44043108	-0.07266596	1.02539155
C	-1.50630627	-0.71999088	-2.67757926	O	-3.36482525	0.31878867	1.70671723
O	-0.50386037	-0.22143563	-2.22127370	C	-5.14848701	1.07766851	0.23321210
H	-4.36581883	-2.16700957	-2.67005163	H	-4.52189489	1.33118912	-0.63849828
C	-4.61135597	-0.14155763	-3.44481131	C	-5.23748797	2.32898044	1.11850076

H	-5.68281362	3.17006812	0.57078479	H	-1.88096314	2.08942974	1.05996460
H	-5.86516338	2.13303543	1.99802293	H	-0.38537632	2.84049465	1.66611665
H	-4.24870531	2.61462661	1.48142515				
C	-6.55975818	0.69837343	-0.24423279				
H	-6.58028537	-0.18081029	-0.89949234				
H	-7.20102525	0.46974378	0.61675790				
H	-7.03052828	1.52362107	-0.79299372				
H	-5.23548423	-0.52450433	1.67047721				
H	2.16454693	-0.59284679	5.38779505				
C	0.65645306	0.82369513	6.05719492				
H	0.89036935	1.59369916	5.31426393				
H	-0.43204942	0.82116285	6.19270536				
C	1.35078808	1.12027938	7.36765336				
C	2.70023452	1.50579213	7.38593958				
C	3.35912326	1.75457741	8.58949166				
C	2.67816360	1.62386698	9.80227835				
C	1.33514883	1.24645748	9.79959669				
C	0.67966428	0.99699133	8.59178542				
H	-0.37125596	0.71545330	8.59781183				
H	0.79356527	1.14962560	10.73704666				
H	3.18969585	1.82053878	10.74070400				
H	4.40321927	2.05697947	8.58088880				
H	3.23403480	1.62323080	6.44497947				
C	2.08812173	0.60840807	2.94015616				
H	2.74341371	0.47734698	3.79387577				
C	2.60967456	1.45418823	1.81205270				
H	1.80681939	1.73370087	1.12394140				
H	3.06903805	2.38058029	2.18648798				
H	3.38563508	0.94362868	1.21739495				
O	1.64285857	-1.07836721	-0.41272658				
C	2.06020015	-2.13324920	0.48527232				
C	3.07708450	-2.95615035	-0.30643516				
C	3.73742404	-1.88170988	-1.18458937				
C	2.55164729	-0.97382071	-1.52683820				
H	2.03118636	-1.30018783	-2.43465849				
H	2.83343908	0.07726415	-1.64735056				
H	4.22543352	-2.28575591	-2.07693359				
H	4.48781912	-1.32980810	-0.60635494				
H	2.56907055	-3.70123782	-0.93087681				
H	3.78556850	-3.48142734	0.34141442				
H	2.50073897	-1.67658655	1.37884830				
H	1.16928340	-2.69330808	0.78147044				
O	-0.28025222	2.00986100	-0.24087294				
C	-1.02947042	2.72057479	0.79030000				
C	-1.44148786	4.06659715	0.16410642				
C	-1.25670247	3.83190348	-1.34562685				
C	-0.06687566	2.87466922	-1.36262758				
H	0.88061721	3.42280547	-1.23867983				
H	-0.00043440	2.24727873	-2.25406699				
H	-1.07235401	4.75261614	-1.90866735				
H	-2.13937109	3.33937369	-1.77079910				
H	-0.78038565	4.87315393	0.50230782				
H	-2.46642130	4.34195321	0.42926816				

**Table 53.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.382776 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426416.289 kcal/mol

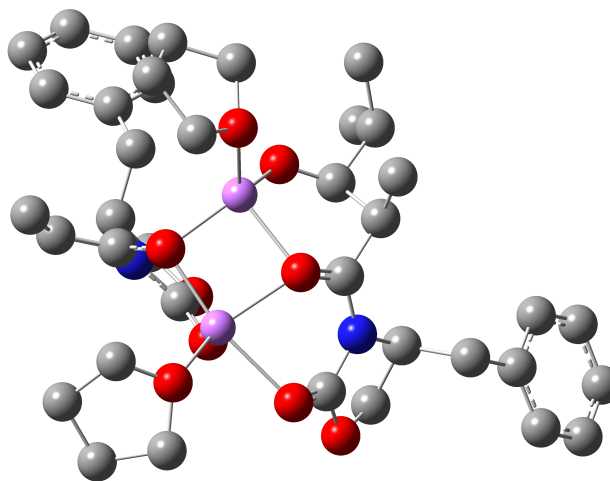
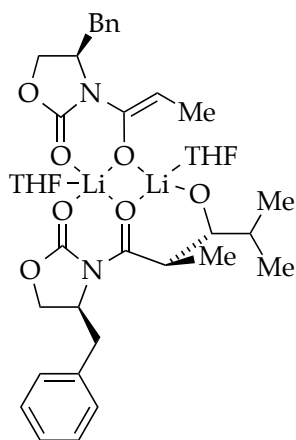
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -3.556295138 kcal/mol vs. **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -8.070804778 kcal/mol vs. **5** spirocyclic dimer transition state leading to (*R,S*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.0000000	0.0000000	0.0000000	C	7.06392920	-3.89351151	-1.95638144
Li	0.0000000	0.0000000	2.62264960	C	5.84724270	-3.27309218	-1.66432118
O	1.42690130	0.0000000	1.40703456	H	5.00612606	-3.39023371	-2.34450208
C	2.66212282	0.39198929	1.29617112	H	7.16474266	-4.48279716	-2.86420075
N	3.19574647	0.37772305	-0.06685244	H	9.09121825	-4.24516213	-1.30740038
C	2.44727005	0.67978810	-1.16253473	H	8.83134234	-2.90746352	0.77476189
O	1.30484352	1.11430058	-1.21037647	H	6.67122759	-1.81715784	1.28977763
O	3.16328442	0.43054178	-2.30058556	C	3.53198675	0.78509197	2.26246704
C	4.51840492	0.11335890	-1.93308274	H	4.51049121	1.14095474	1.95077855
H	5.13720048	1.00495312	-2.08618805	C	3.24707870	0.77261931	3.73693716
H	4.87588830	-0.68819926	-2.58200935	H	2.29001593	0.29311407	3.96126969
C	4.44377926	-0.28603332	-0.44734151	H	4.02634181	0.23124128	4.29481109
H	5.28914894	0.13487816	0.10397860	H	3.21399633	1.78651932	4.16686903
C	4.38235321	-1.81063534	-0.19184117	O	-1.23473538	-0.84795760	1.47167845
H	4.11421866	-1.94640274	0.86239093	C	-2.52804220	-0.87919076	1.40931252
H	3.56600352	-2.23211481	-0.79046049	N	-3.17024062	0.40395480	1.09733897
C	5.68659085	-2.51225487	-0.49833405	C	-4.38227896	0.90147260	1.75676885
C	6.78066555	-2.39251089	0.37261095	C	-4.61381307	2.19849714	0.96170940
C	7.99775052	-3.00925430	0.08453277	H	-5.31757002	2.05189014	0.13449735
C	8.14408452	-3.76171565	-1.08336730	H	-4.95134096	3.03323634	1.57825772

O	-3.32602082	2.52636233	0.40979074	H	-0.13835031	-3.14112063	6.33319713
C	-2.55507565	1.39364285	0.39380952	H	-2.43637275	-1.87271489	4.75556731
O	-1.48581153	1.38097337	-0.20040270	H	-2.22994678	-1.91128167	6.52239441
H	-5.21606827	0.21124457	1.60278821	H	-0.34781529	-0.33128614	6.39424157
C	-4.16803547	1.10989711	3.27455044	H	-1.42996489	0.32721757	5.13947520
H	-3.82533795	0.15036314	3.67837496	O	-0.47452641	1.98253596	2.94082000
H	-3.35453616	1.83081417	3.41612664	C	0.12214956	2.77739545	2.22266898
C	-5.42025942	1.56460838	3.99010761	H	0.92855493	2.41015097	1.56685638
C	-5.57455219	2.89303344	4.40947565	C	-0.15367157	4.25886747	2.16562867
C	-6.74379990	3.31479236	5.04638122	C	-0.27428048	4.70039736	0.69100720
C	-7.78178411	2.41092882	5.27411375	H	-0.33350518	5.79245197	0.63274448
C	-7.64065840	1.08265931	4.86502542	H	0.58823431	4.37133538	0.10169774
C	-6.47088611	0.66561692	4.23062970	H	-1.17199824	4.27516381	0.23288435
H	-6.36469714	-0.37348222	3.92515222	H	0.76645953	4.71793620	2.56965962
H	-8.44090575	0.36942344	5.04517375	C	-1.35059136	4.68429235	3.01745612
H	-8.69189438	2.73627335	5.77080823	H	-1.24657713	4.34792537	4.05364906
H	-6.84031073	4.34877383	5.36733937	H	-1.45091294	5.77488117	3.01493864
H	-4.76445294	3.60084225	4.24618526	H	-2.27431839	4.25815735	2.61106608
C	-3.36004059	-1.93631020	1.61344770	O	-0.05786001	-1.45345891	-1.45482288
C	-2.88026966	-3.30612355	2.00135381	C	-0.68299082	-2.72392702	-1.21383401
H	-3.07477331	-4.05622882	1.21924568	C	-2.02259974	-2.68892297	-1.98384817
H	-1.80111576	-3.29612395	2.18274011	C	-1.85787189	-1.49563036	-2.96577566
H	-3.37287556	-3.67940372	2.91237094	C	-0.38351249	-1.10044736	-2.80811739
H	-4.42678749	-1.80463642	1.45597970	H	-0.17258899	-0.03747110	-2.92459747
O	0.09457032	-0.84402685	4.42430426	H	0.25940653	-1.67337491	-3.49443228
C	-0.87073989	-0.55723728	5.45339974	H	-2.50004114	-0.66130734	-2.66751625
C	-1.70161614	-1.83244050	5.56720965	H	-2.10492170	-1.75703402	-3.99965511
C	-0.62899323	-2.92012986	5.37843462	H	-2.85597173	-2.52070729	-1.29666196
C	0.36396492	-2.26968905	4.39645262	H	-2.20131982	-3.63352525	-2.50782509
H	0.21745317	-2.60241483	3.36506067	H	-0.02623284	-3.52127854	-1.59338183
H	1.40922108	-2.43527941	4.67814807	H	-0.79215007	-2.82203996	-0.13405136
H	-1.03905061	-3.85544420	4.98742719				

**Table 54.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,S*)-6 from 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.374161 Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426416.972$  kcal/mol

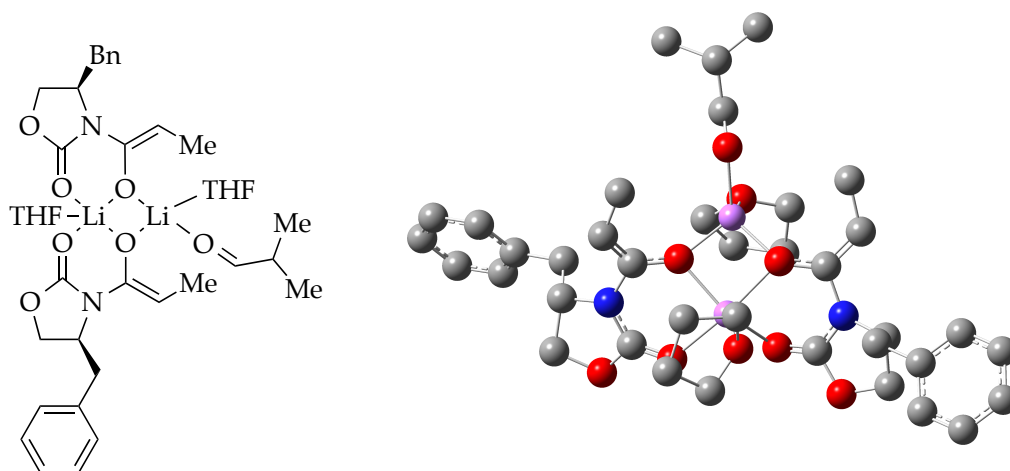
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -4.239659853$  kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -8.754169492$  kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer transition state leading to (*R,S*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.0000000	0.0000000	0.0000000	C	7.33112629	5.56653985	-0.49305521
Li	0.0000000	0.0000000	2.84477140	C	6.56533357	4.40137500	-0.57329759
O	1.54430207	0.0000000	1.41373443	H	6.47787089	3.87897819	-1.52365150
C	2.35848558	0.91665144	1.57912537	H	7.82843241	5.94705198	-1.38122853
N	2.73069222	1.71909802	0.49563146	H	8.05674507	7.14182006	0.78911713
C	2.30519301	1.48474073	-0.82467526	H	6.92451875	6.24250119	2.81395717
O	1.78226369	0.49137088	-1.27186470	H	5.57709553	4.17754047	2.67012960
O	2.62733316	2.55633435	-1.58067630	C	2.87744172	1.26284464	2.93932595
C	3.01688779	3.64577221	-0.71622133	H	3.75968523	1.90412413	2.85826327
H	2.12938988	4.24948578	-0.50465781	C	3.25039466	-0.00675973	3.71825446
H	3.76726196	4.24081641	-1.23675921	H	3.93154346	-0.64358152	3.14105632
C	3.55060980	2.94637608	0.54057403	H	3.75657358	0.26382410	4.64902278
H	3.31215757	3.52465400	1.43420647	H	2.36272336	-0.59380938	3.96190320
C	5.06528812	2.63830043	0.46967469	O	-1.33352179	-0.25617434	1.45211927
H	5.31664135	1.94883744	1.28374196	C	-2.42660794	0.45701774	1.40645809
H	5.26648473	2.10555747	-0.46757437	N	-2.21785925	1.90705878	1.36772933
C	5.91849563	3.88653810	0.55785754	C	-2.86498909	2.85688733	2.28229372
C	6.06093431	4.56704923	1.77649629	C	-2.20062346	4.18007305	1.83407249
C	6.82353813	5.73144740	1.86025676	H	-2.87113502	4.79954880	1.22972130
C	7.46039150	6.23591900	0.72394279	H	-1.82186605	4.77102952	2.66975751

O	-1.08255286	3.79657402	1.00736262	C	-1.98050998	-0.71124312	-3.26494967
C	-1.17896249	2.47531465	0.71128447	C	-0.52495135	-0.97871621	-2.84316906
O	-0.39623349	1.95127651	-0.08061403	H	0.15557884	-0.13765058	-2.96916185
H	-3.94095942	2.89285417	2.08175361	H	-0.11323499	-1.85579164	-3.36492148
C	-2.63974895	2.49746255	3.76780879	H	-2.20029802	0.35948587	-3.21759345
H	-3.01477846	1.47591876	3.90537117	H	-2.17119538	-1.04570717	-4.28947829
H	-1.56053880	2.47167478	3.96845449	H	-3.47630533	-0.80944907	-1.66008677
C	-3.37316677	3.43983980	4.69743231	H	-3.44287647	-2.26790900	-2.66249486
C	-2.69139316	4.43121068	5.41646328	H	-1.51092807	-3.12178572	-1.55005169
C	-3.37760498	5.31618062	6.25128916	H	-2.02452144	-2.04862155	-0.21137287
C	-4.76357039	5.22510223	6.38126087				
C	-5.45734860	4.23971971	5.67457204				
C	-4.76730987	3.35783411	4.84345462				
H	-5.31440484	2.58536524	4.30619295				
H	-6.53646817	4.15471269	5.77575688				
H	-5.29929364	5.91130450	7.03192622				
H	-2.82651997	6.07335543	6.80336725				
H	-1.60961900	4.49952358	5.33114446				
C	-3.71760755	0.04079962	1.42794701				
C	-4.14864319	-1.38709536	1.60386975				
H	-4.63132556	-1.79871844	0.70403316				
H	-3.29221468	-2.02675859	1.83785861				
H	-4.87858493	-1.49454538	2.41992640				
H	-4.49848015	0.78955815	1.32291987				
O	-0.06417969	-1.61150471	4.05153251				
C	-0.35849433	-1.35410424	5.43596072				
C	-1.80945654	-1.80206356	5.59468066				
C	-1.86353497	-3.06051476	4.70238168				
C	-0.75828084	-2.81181163	3.64770543				
H	-1.14828209	-2.61945738	2.64616691				
H	-0.04240536	-3.64219159	3.60222383				
H	-2.84556948	-3.20060282	4.24173376				
H	-1.64076852	-3.95883302	5.28842905				
H	-2.48000656	-1.02631541	5.20889707				
H	-2.08197156	-2.00451914	6.63517050				
H	0.31557865	-1.94674674	6.07361331				
H	-0.17511719	-0.29118086	5.60007221				
O	0.54805382	1.47705929	3.77506286				
C	1.70731455	2.14897879	3.64692487				
H	1.61937003	3.02427221	2.95241784				
C	2.26628377	2.76730792	4.98850060				
C	1.73605301	4.19987121	5.15650660				
H	2.07901873	4.65011944	6.09660316				
H	2.05842219	4.85113734	4.33455944				
H	0.63912011	4.19565383	5.16713530				
H	3.36443961	2.82980889	4.91807767				
C	1.90482099	1.93638788	6.22583760				
H	2.26090935	0.90494461	6.15812298				
H	2.33776823	2.38540440	7.12912533				
H	0.81828625	1.90041437	6.34643325				
O	-0.59516642	-1.26672011	-1.43722059				
C	-1.76108350	-2.08802057	-1.26723147				
C	-2.82044825	-1.48867544	-2.21155235				

**Table 55.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,R*)-**6** from **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.380075 Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426411.821$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -8.031894421$  kcal/mol vs. **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

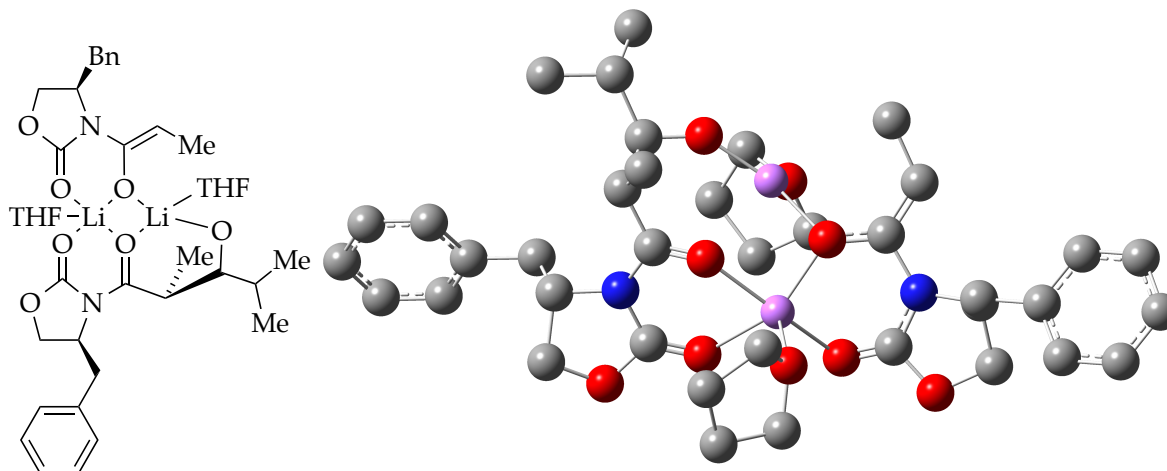
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 0.911505828$  kcal/mol vs. **5** spirocyclic dimer transition state leading to (*S,R*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	8.57471154	-1.41607854	-2.39858573
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.67777070	C	7.46748425	-1.44364498	-3.24683352
O	1.43342210	0.00000000	1.48325479	C	6.18668941	-1.22513864	-2.73454407
C	2.64791298	0.44747378	1.41198983	H	5.32714854	-1.25937142	-3.40074660
N	3.04205417	0.99302765	0.11393971	H	7.59784377	-1.63914554	-4.30814257
C	2.16326243	1.48022009	-0.81053694	H	9.57212601	-1.58761095	-2.79451673
O	0.95475157	1.64732066	-0.71851164	H	9.24749018	-1.15759813	-0.36501701
O	2.82716768	1.80095624	-1.96043711	H	6.97545890	-0.78028369	0.53735220
C	4.24108263	1.68668340	-1.72771900	C	3.60228084	0.44146602	2.38319099
H	4.64598941	2.68872823	-1.54366659	H	4.55412977	0.92654428	2.19059545
H	4.70851403	1.26780932	-2.62055526	C	3.41079935	-0.20429668	3.72632644
C	4.36157429	0.78153879	-0.49080137	H	4.32181446	-0.72545019	4.05202006
H	5.15440051	1.14512897	0.16740516	H	3.16546668	0.51616614	4.52599734
C	4.60721987	-0.71210480	-0.81270394	H	2.59928971	-0.93865200	3.69660854
H	4.45940474	-1.26576113	0.12131928	O	-1.31375809	-0.51054153	1.44752633
H	3.83304849	-1.04528101	-1.51354708	C	-2.45963281	-1.08871421	1.24975281
C	5.98769203	-0.97674423	-1.36956363	N	-3.29174638	-0.46321365	0.21751541
C	7.11082096	-0.95664230	-0.52793382	C	-4.73197328	-0.23136833	0.34279117
C	8.39167298	-1.17289281	-1.03513644	C	-5.04943391	0.29024918	-1.07127958



H	-5.41687202	-0.50708066	-1.72753815	H	-1.72530377	4.12805086	1.38629972
H	-5.76084062	1.11819092	-1.08071926	H	-1.41753041	4.68873790	3.03801740
O	-3.79223401	0.76118931	-1.58507089	H	0.54208054	3.25659472	1.16555931
C	-2.78073447	0.18289660	-0.86922930	H	0.84590086	4.71938412	2.13562645
O	-1.61859295	0.27546411	-1.23346221	H	0.79478077	3.41821892	4.21904901
H	-5.26066204	-1.17049086	0.52675954	H	1.62705697	2.28076283	3.11491639
C	-5.06173796	0.76325078	1.48085599	O	0.06785062	-0.91077068	4.50138221
H	-4.57609118	0.38328143	2.38721336	C	-0.27270152	-0.39974657	5.55538848
H	-4.60178427	1.73021395	1.24256013	H	-0.59581556	0.66049527	5.56213817
C	-6.54786887	0.92678913	1.70921712	C	-0.29732284	-1.11635575	6.88082492
C	-7.23098325	2.06841101	1.26895404	H	0.09328503	-2.12639008	6.71367692
C	-8.60867121	2.19900158	1.45737997	C	-1.75698985	-1.20115106	7.37173888
C	-9.32754809	1.18511281	2.09097858	H	-1.79547439	-1.70309041	8.34452706
C	-8.65922344	0.04264339	2.53795008	H	-2.19419464	-0.20242943	7.49327889
C	-7.28335118	-0.08295070	2.34894770	H	-2.38132910	-1.76555805	6.67098302
H	-6.76811860	-0.97120337	2.70917151	C	0.59720929	-0.36811488	7.88727638
H	-9.20982497	-0.74937093	3.03905521	H	0.56658980	-0.86926438	8.86072210
H	-10.39929755	1.28508749	2.24005564	H	1.63978766	-0.33833688	7.55304029
H	-9.11782155	3.09486496	1.11154819	H	0.25525698	0.66411529	8.03218942
H	-6.67602407	2.86841942	0.78330870	O	0.87981246	-1.55151290	-1.12096626
C	-2.98946471	-2.17524368	1.87029278	C	1.17745312	-2.73754610	-0.36776027
C	-2.31799789	-2.92787565	2.98245180	C	-0.04979291	-3.64012253	-0.56043661
H	-2.87103666	-2.85687796	3.93386986	C	-0.59140851	-3.22290614	-1.95619567
H	-2.23844997	-4.00115706	2.75496810	C	0.27345139	-2.00303859	-2.34273855
H	-1.30743146	-2.55226014	3.16147976	H	-0.29143559	-1.16440550	-2.74981655
H	-3.94905910	-2.55060534	1.52587678	H	1.06690664	-2.28887779	-3.04973059
O	-0.38091108	1.90906192	3.38902528	H	-1.64819959	-2.94837347	-1.89354124
C	0.71045497	2.85238375	3.27843560	H	-0.49917882	-4.02372309	-2.69705457
C	0.32335186	3.75771628	2.11378295	H	-0.79435323	-3.42963700	0.21244063
C	-1.19542983	3.89522685	2.31451690	H	0.20989535	-4.70222390	-0.50589915
C	-1.59638068	2.52020542	2.87751011	H	2.08713053	-3.20609776	-0.77633511
H	-1.98842372	1.84490228	2.11289973	H	1.36416824	-2.42210339	0.65943762
H	-2.32319435	2.59547464	3.69563957				

**Table 56.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,R*)-6 from 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.371513 Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426412.222$  kcal/mol

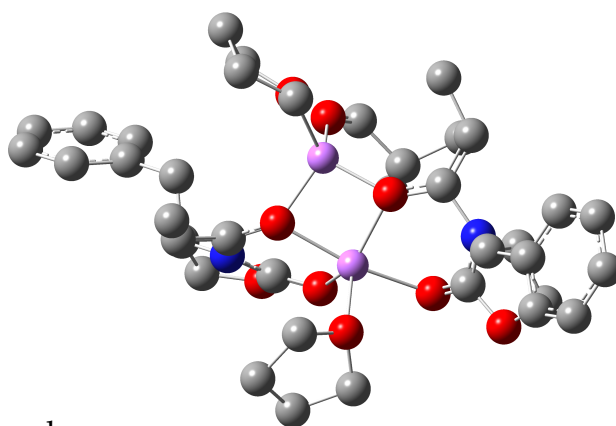
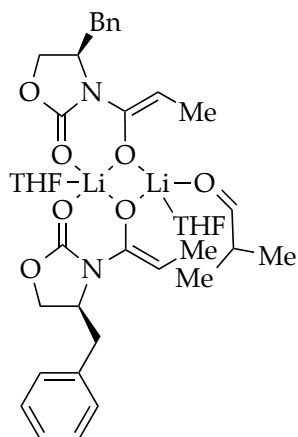
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 0.510486238$  kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -8.432914011$  kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer transition state leading to (*S,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	8.03483529	-1.01023867	-2.28777201
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.96762440	C	6.67187330	-0.89366722	-2.00556545
O	1.20973113	0.00000000	1.49941207	H	5.94688027	-0.96515594	-2.81384211
C	2.42591324	0.45567154	1.56728997	H	8.36242206	-1.16370398	-3.31281378
N	2.95114065	1.03146497	0.33034103	H	10.03258684	-1.02652570	-1.47349051
C	2.18300772	1.48581955	-0.69969144	H	9.25807361	-0.69587774	0.86814772
O	0.96295004	1.57812013	-0.78278577	H	6.84187974	-0.49960145	1.36195972
O	2.97758118	1.86720323	-1.74340134	C	3.25901520	0.41389992	2.63916484
C	4.35005495	1.84629852	-1.31097091	H	4.22726553	0.90058604	2.58701850
H	4.65020003	2.86992607	-1.05923922	C	2.87677443	-0.24460575	3.93632443
H	4.96792095	1.48083652	-2.13306717	H	3.75369690	-0.67793418	4.43468491
C	4.35531506	0.92431033	-0.08156261	H	2.41566116	0.44866699	4.65771734
H	5.01623694	1.32645185	0.68961552	H	2.16258255	-1.06235663	3.77308986
C	4.74934354	-0.54127648	-0.38175175	O	-1.20723707	-1.33690435	1.03812898
H	4.47686041	-1.12863177	0.50200307	C	-2.37199751	-1.42647458	1.41313758
H	4.13614871	-0.90202322	-1.21645584	N	-3.36377003	-0.67268032	0.73143150
C	6.22040936	-0.70135089	-0.69288611	C	-4.83263329	-0.80353756	0.82010011
C	7.17426515	-0.63284720	0.33444032	C	-5.21477623	-0.38473223	-0.60799431
C	8.53607288	-0.74711183	0.05720095	H	-5.25193669	-1.23461777	-1.29823021
C	8.97165246	-0.93461848	-1.25690402	H	-6.15067312	0.17142994	-0.66055583

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O	-1.95117007	0.68988913	-0.57092919	H	0.01656238	0.19714634	-2.91444506
H	-5.10533914	-1.84415259	1.00661277	H	1.07100766	-1.09191246	-3.55605717
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H	-4.97129535	-0.11344369	2.85669655	H	-0.98396061	-2.03971915	-4.33045468
H	-5.20297932	1.15181709	1.65582913	H	-1.75925542	-3.06584103	-1.68413718
C	-6.95417303	-0.05675616	2.01028935	H	-0.76208167	-3.92202513	-2.86293368
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C	-9.21587571	0.73228657	1.57858063	H	0.27676467	-2.91357128	-0.41716108
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H	-10.81790689	-0.54299214	2.25616562				
H	-9.87994491	1.49227435	1.17560536				
H	-7.43019002	1.80355468	1.03038940				
C	-2.75667148	-2.25762889	2.59096415				
C	-1.90746174	-3.53596289	2.62649127				
H	-2.28519119	-4.22340596	3.38874466				
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H	-0.87313665	-3.28049949	2.86733602				
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O	-0.16129050	1.96544110	3.42139786				
C	-1.19246989	2.34715024	4.34581257				
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C	-1.41765676	3.56528233	2.23992897				
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H	-1.81645710	3.05400927	1.35849249				
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O	-1.24412064	-0.83913395	3.93517454				
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H	-1.60422218	-0.85207352	6.43218203				
H	-3.32060872	-0.40041889	6.42285747				
O	0.53910034	-1.23857506	-1.55634005				
C	0.37346967	-2.66020649	-1.47350483				
C	-0.87441010	-2.97751235	-2.32176913				

**Table 57.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.380525 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426413.372 kcal/mol

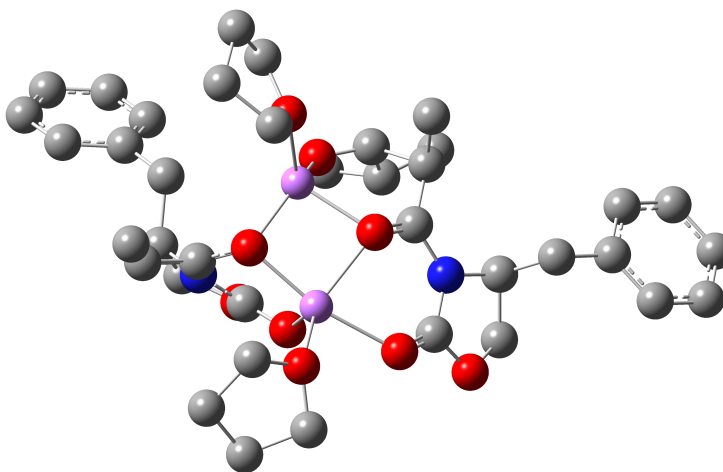
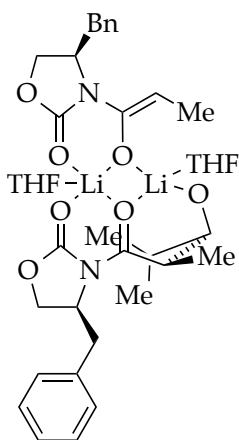
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -0.639321011 kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -5.642332213 kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	7.41153682	-0.91813345	-1.98686886
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.01174800	H	7.16578252	0.14186747	-1.97365115
Li	1.86084650	0.00000000	1.87282299	H	9.36224538	-0.59747643	-2.83741000
O	1.93011052	0.70440738	0.13427013	H	9.95056313	-3.01537690	-2.85155079
C	2.79511431	0.77254727	-0.82737329	H	8.31738796	-4.68284440	-1.98953440
N	2.90597569	-0.43471908	-1.65145860	H	6.12022850	-3.93865202	-1.12878895
C	4.17217886	-0.97368755	-2.15596898	C	3.61306254	1.80999716	-1.15167085
C	3.65274258	-2.14983180	-3.00203070	C	3.66191774	3.09159056	-0.37006261
H	3.54190250	-1.87830078	-4.05797822	H	3.33971563	3.95958824	-0.96568313
H	4.27021357	-3.04651515	-2.92442535	H	3.00251962	3.02732370	0.50089296
O	2.34975406	-2.44158342	-2.46789080	H	4.67633475	3.32623873	-0.01100985
C	1.89699308	-1.34110215	-1.78715340	H	4.24458929	1.73213292	-2.03184845
O	0.73778813	-1.28038256	-1.40577723	O	2.99177472	1.00539213	3.18123235
H	4.67516475	-0.24286961	-2.79512131	C	4.43216484	0.93579620	3.13286184
C	5.12441498	-1.38602998	-1.00853119	C	4.91535469	2.07602833	4.02751771
H	5.23340580	-0.51332667	-0.35496813	C	3.85083481	3.15245508	3.75952398
H	4.64068415	-2.17326583	-0.41800795	C	2.56866008	2.32329004	3.60858094
C	6.47742270	-1.84697520	-1.50265108	H	1.87681077	2.72386422	2.86194816
C	6.82529656	-3.20443738	-1.51313803	H	2.03400781	2.21107531	4.55866441
C	8.06680104	-3.62519630	-1.99501432	H	4.07623111	3.68071145	2.82661736
C	8.98336860	-2.69071708	-2.47743264	H	3.77276691	3.89413143	4.56005228
C	8.65164708	-1.33367627	-2.47055892	H	5.93066325	2.40193480	3.78198134

H	4.89824622	1.76809742	5.07972231	C	-4.45550935	2.70788131	4.93562946
H	4.72818288	-0.05958395	3.47304248	C	-5.50054761	3.37474238	5.57422285
H	4.76397854	1.07164184	2.09458208	C	-6.43176721	4.09913230	4.82605379
O	2.65196940	-1.88371427	2.10484877	C	-6.30656801	4.15253303	3.43760609
C	2.21540201	-3.02296519	2.04131448	C	-5.25874601	3.48237267	2.80232764
H	2.85910037	-3.85593685	2.40168291	H	-5.16083718	3.53845948	1.72016665
C	0.87010120	-3.44832282	1.52252570	H	-7.02153789	4.71926227	2.84666759
H	0.35422290	-2.57207716	1.12224465	H	-7.24498821	4.62151315	5.32283341
C	1.06698500	-4.49647952	0.40934280	H	-5.58556244	3.33385849	6.65716680
H	0.08817076	-4.83544109	0.05536551	H	-3.72779045	2.15434699	5.52573492
H	1.60156444	-4.08097321	-0.45021399	C	-0.93857102	-0.54116212	4.15672810
H	1.61496389	-5.37406649	0.77743208	H	-1.87127342	-0.79886030	4.65109291
C	0.05490419	-4.02592811	2.70021309	C	0.30003752	-0.52849787	5.00609064
H	-0.17567577	-3.24979444	3.43640375	H	0.20886690	0.16608925	5.85611573
H	-0.89231211	-4.42422605	2.32101668	H	0.51480921	-1.51632708	5.44394381
H	0.58826325	-4.84724001	3.19687128	H	1.18203492	-0.23124243	4.43211844
C	-0.97451728	-0.26976344	2.82435745	O	-0.98452108	1.56327495	-0.93496688
N	-2.30882795	-0.24423022	2.22064928	C	-0.30283257	2.80856424	-1.15569883
C	-2.55571346	-0.59095491	0.92684116	C	0.08236845	2.82699627	-2.65340650
O	-1.79144910	-1.06672668	0.09927557	C	-0.75373192	1.67282774	-3.26983989
O	-3.86292573	-0.33173154	0.61627760	C	-1.71476214	1.28374611	-2.13987291
C	-4.55836226	0.03888024	1.81982363	H	-1.99227850	0.22991611	-2.11131699
H	-5.11080975	-0.83452504	2.18525975	H	-2.62781158	1.89927216	-2.16073364
H	-5.26359266	0.83742463	1.58235875	H	-0.11179074	0.82151780	-3.51510149
C	-3.45076031	0.46788478	2.79817635	H	-1.28461430	1.96948605	-4.18005483
H	-3.66815321	0.10121432	3.80477245	H	1.15361457	2.64945494	-2.77914926
C	-3.20045787	1.99388776	2.85700402	H	-0.15494628	3.79450304	-3.10795625
H	-2.25748117	2.14065316	3.39615941	H	-0.98389098	3.63681809	-0.90900735
H	-3.05032233	2.36176369	1.83493276	H	0.55161358	2.82429716	-0.47889121
C	-4.31910255	2.74884628	3.53935130				

**Table 58.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,R*)-6 from 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.373456 Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1426416.164$  kcal/mol

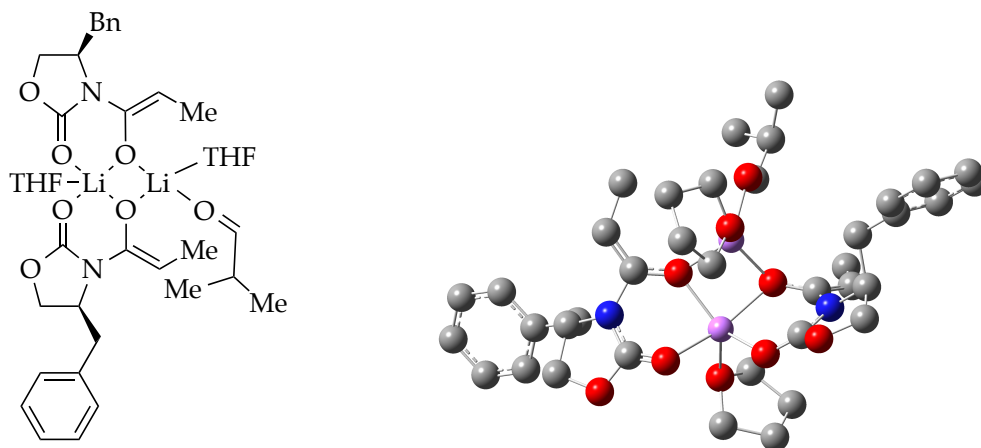
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -3.430739718$  kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -8.43375092$  kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	8.30462489	-4.49805993	0.79706434
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.12543790	C	8.23185188	-3.43527426	-0.10671542
Li	2.04916736	0.00000000	1.95416917	C	7.08012183	-2.65176509	-0.17413266
O	1.93739436	0.47147093	0.07311467	H	7.03698831	-1.81821735	-0.87273325
C	2.73677792	-0.07505910	-0.80157827	H	9.07534168	-3.21330547	-0.75578698
N	2.71034875	-1.53844209	-0.83383772	H	9.20232062	-5.10827772	0.85270085
C	3.90860545	-2.37856997	-0.72540648	H	7.26869084	-5.58456916	2.34489370
C	3.26780313	-3.78303269	-0.77488994	H	5.22994717	-4.18371214	2.22297533
H	3.35620267	-4.24250304	-1.76520058	C	3.61083254	0.52481362	-1.64939093
H	3.66941030	-4.46577435	-0.02445862	C	3.88988116	2.00019573	-1.67801056
O	1.86822071	-3.57937205	-0.49949701	H	3.56347065	2.47576954	-2.61595605
C	1.57789243	-2.25719013	-0.61729536	H	3.37629230	2.50950449	-0.85696016
O	0.41872433	-1.85621195	-0.55084236	H	4.96506984	2.21536033	-1.58389109
H	4.55238472	-2.23222337	-1.59846329	H	4.15721608	-0.10170485	-2.34965125
C	4.72134161	-2.07434229	0.55520701	O	2.97610434	1.55778127	2.84400869
H	4.98662750	-1.01061076	0.51055421	C	4.23505609	1.37006537	3.53217122
H	4.07600886	-2.20838276	1.43219042	C	4.93493389	2.73466568	3.50653736
C	5.97763196	-2.91190271	0.65530155	C	4.34630212	3.38499071	2.24356885
C	6.06728177	-3.97859022	1.56063511	C	2.90325690	2.88368123	2.28039468
C	7.21939555	-4.76513782	1.63215223	H	2.43113135	2.79084455	1.30017259

H	2.27684002	3.51393571	2.92777268	C	-0.86646115	0.64489453	-3.70024175
H	4.85271565	3.01230821	1.34583365	C	-1.67629215	0.82055794	-2.40481260
H	4.41381548	4.47731626	2.24717435	H	-2.13720689	-0.08974270	-2.02292344
H	6.02476587	2.64117614	3.47894567	H	-2.45047839	1.59469551	-2.51980636
H	4.66889289	3.32107835	4.39417630	H	-0.50925339	-0.38567862	-3.78586231
H	4.02667700	1.00251683	4.54120196	H	-1.46889170	0.86484426	-4.58727410
H	4.80733507	0.60353716	2.99760599	H	1.28079164	1.09199671	-3.58280782
O	2.24516378	-1.55450362	2.88133053	H	0.33483182	2.41648236	-4.27992069
C	1.50553416	-2.06327369	3.87802306	H	-0.38162424	3.17580179	-2.14103448
H	2.02408192	-2.02705485	4.86965276	H	1.04154869	2.28171686	-1.52299185
C	1.09075138	-3.56341502	3.68198741				
H	0.29514253	-3.60735540	2.92076821				
C	2.27661815	-4.36834857	3.13721512				
H	2.00575204	-5.42297589	2.99876294				
H	2.59735164	-3.95808657	2.17966305				
H	3.12535947	-4.32618689	3.83347711				
C	0.58934687	-4.22079442	4.97952156				
H	-0.28527050	-3.72339974	5.41793070				
H	0.31354410	-5.26909533	4.81069869				
H	1.37841149	-4.20889813	5.74274263				
C	-0.49355754	-0.81702567	2.90949540				
N	-1.65462504	-1.51549992	2.53336384				
C	-2.29531710	-1.33437344	1.29650191				
O	-2.02165618	-0.55892178	0.41145994				
O	-3.35045934	-2.17822798	1.22297959				
C	-3.30107575	-3.10764674	2.32419269				
H	-2.80792792	-4.02290658	1.98161394				
H	-4.32335327	-3.32904200	2.63144024				
C	-2.48483693	-2.37782282	3.39780855				
H	-1.86176546	-3.08273977	3.94721560				
C	-3.35390156	-1.54263528	4.36935923				
H	-2.68757742	-0.90155622	4.95809694				
H	-3.99134752	-0.87613390	3.77571338				
C	-4.20157349	-2.39893580	5.28653783				
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C	-5.76000163	-4.03258695	6.96830082				
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C	-5.57753635	-2.54858800	5.06730719				
H	-6.04928666	-2.01621147	4.24398420				
H	-7.41884601	-3.45718441	5.71607299				
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H	-3.92162070	-4.40408277	8.03485447				
H	-2.55622716	-2.96364913	6.56562315				
C	0.17245388	-1.15038074	4.20359120				
H	-0.48930293	-1.72834891	4.85077631				
C	0.59705122	0.12453838	4.95041563				
H	-0.25976761	0.77197342	5.17692348				
H	1.06682453	-0.15789134	5.89914028				
H	1.31820272	0.70235251	4.36854169				
O	-0.71934975	1.26001359	-1.42847220				
C	0.12650176	2.19992570	-2.10785578				
C	0.32806150	1.62467026	-3.52410531				

**Table 59.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,S*)-**6** from **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.378761 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426412.247 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 0.485882721 kcal/mol vs. **5** spirocyclic dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

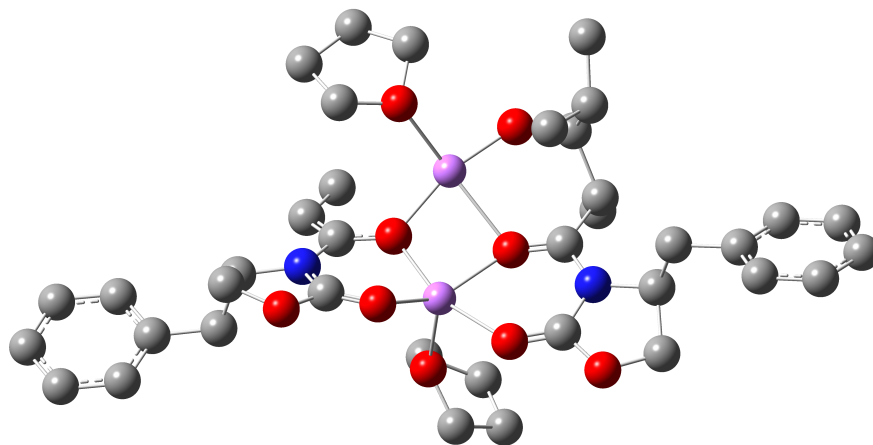
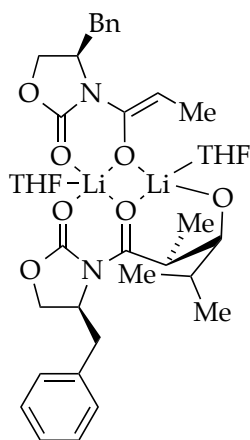
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -11.50745307 kcal/mol vs. **5** spirocyclic dimer transition state leading to (*S,S*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	7.49005228	-2.53653890	-2.65036249
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.60954310	C	6.20917028	-2.13897652	-2.26053025
O	1.45537568	0.00000000	1.42937248	H	5.38203964	-2.22387242	-2.96232018
C	2.66906501	0.45379665	1.36482268	H	7.65356497	-2.92087982	-3.65391026
N	3.14800567	0.76754215	0.01717431	H	9.55177964	-2.75550413	-2.05351468
C	2.33358053	1.15916615	-1.00311621	H	9.14985943	-1.89097677	0.24501075
O	1.14145759	1.42998191	-0.97681488	H	6.87654014	-1.19658676	0.93169019
O	3.04539115	1.22653210	-2.16900711	C	3.57305204	0.63447170	2.36616484
C	4.44038843	1.04497124	-1.86946410	H	4.52933759	1.08795744	2.12198743
H	4.92097623	2.02972183	-1.83962620	C	3.35553471	0.23021869	3.79551826
H	4.89169277	0.44757380	-2.66379941	H	4.17861002	-0.39787516	4.16966220
C	4.45877439	0.35515929	-0.49468979	H	3.29309953	1.08992426	4.48202348
H	5.26285693	0.76185717	0.12364363	H	2.42985775	-0.34077225	3.90782730
C	4.58949926	-1.18542163	-0.55143685	O	-1.12710122	-0.97971025	1.43883156
H	4.34994845	-1.56123532	0.44978792	C	-2.41396201	-1.14356814	1.37144551
H	3.82669625	-1.57531494	-1.23602042	N	-3.18480806	0.07480076	1.10715401
C	5.96756473	-1.64544342	-0.97128929	C	-4.32473702	0.51983960	1.91273258
C	7.04733338	-1.56391429	-0.07831598	C	-4.71185160	1.79998468	1.14694074
C	8.32820361	-1.95817493	-0.46355172	H	-5.51592418	1.61693921	0.42528739
C	8.55451175	-2.44522596	-1.75325031	H	-4.99594970	2.62781456	1.79900126



O	-3.52651918	2.17462942	0.42103735	H	2.03852771	3.04677352	3.72140760
C	-2.70604676	1.08346409	0.32888856	H	-0.41374675	4.82858982	3.25797602
O	-1.70758930	1.10121043	-0.37649414	H	1.01519742	4.69477661	2.22028647
H	-5.13830029	-0.20998284	1.86546650	H	0.33012893	2.54180537	1.37428184
C	-3.93318944	0.74450863	3.39275753	H	-1.28676627	3.15762460	1.77871135
H	-3.51242093	-0.20014877	3.75668043	O	0.01109994	-1.08693099	4.34451246
H	-3.12878378	1.48763747	3.43587433	C	0.12061393	-2.29071519	4.16286438
C	-5.10338199	1.16442069	4.25368569	C	0.06585612	-3.33082964	5.25349969
C	-5.25461399	2.49250859	4.67551573	H	-0.77696465	-3.98447257	4.97105747
C	-6.35185455	2.88237245	5.44654639	C	1.34808253	-4.18938918	5.18779111
C	-7.32041322	1.94603908	5.80909753	H	1.27362851	-5.02935442	5.88566771
C	-7.18151584	0.61779099	5.39932441	H	1.51202851	-4.59778766	4.18414052
C	-6.08337857	0.23306691	4.63055319	H	2.22824928	-3.59701938	5.46256647
H	-5.97719020	-0.80606856	4.32521155	C	-0.18504337	-2.73409127	6.63888879
H	-7.92706713	-0.12048070	5.68345622	H	-1.10261884	-2.13845100	6.65551238
H	-8.17433205	2.24653947	6.41029697	H	-0.27593531	-3.53075126	7.38482342
H	-6.44648633	3.91698270	5.76621338	H	0.64099223	-2.07980930	6.93737815
H	-4.49788400	3.22631940	4.40592745	H	0.27359327	-2.66868532	3.13571275
C	-3.13785065	-2.28267854	1.52792739	O	0.20306530	-1.32174446	-1.55466914
C	-2.54398697	-3.61758088	1.87541393	C	-0.33402652	-2.64759281	-1.41687450
H	-2.82952691	-3.96302407	2.88312433	C	-1.67718596	-2.64847602	-2.18299175
H	-2.86923691	-4.40456836	1.17992478	C	-1.62758890	-1.34654106	-3.02798257
H	-1.45111463	-3.57653842	1.83516282	C	-0.18113480	-0.86596263	-2.86304913
H	-4.21388529	-2.23477330	1.38407009	H	-0.05189442	0.21630755	-2.87714564
O	-0.42583441	1.89319656	3.19218118	H	0.48384949	-1.32300569	-3.61258854
C	-0.29348631	2.93797959	2.17908861	H	-2.30828892	-0.59635529	-2.61652088
C	0.35177782	4.13635845	2.88692196	H	-1.89155989	-1.50962390	-4.07774710
C	1.09007926	3.47676513	4.06192831	H	-2.51953226	-2.63392439	-1.48649439
C	0.11981146	2.36164472	4.44394005	H	-1.77101886	-3.54244463	-2.80826208
H	-0.69717329	2.73849699	5.07673792	H	0.37543791	-3.36641447	-1.85325461
H	0.58635792	1.51021959	4.94488452	H	-0.43383873	-2.83855203	-0.34795568
H	1.29141282	4.16330149	4.89039793				

**Table 60.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,S*)-6 from 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF



G = -2280.362701 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1426406.197 kcal/mol

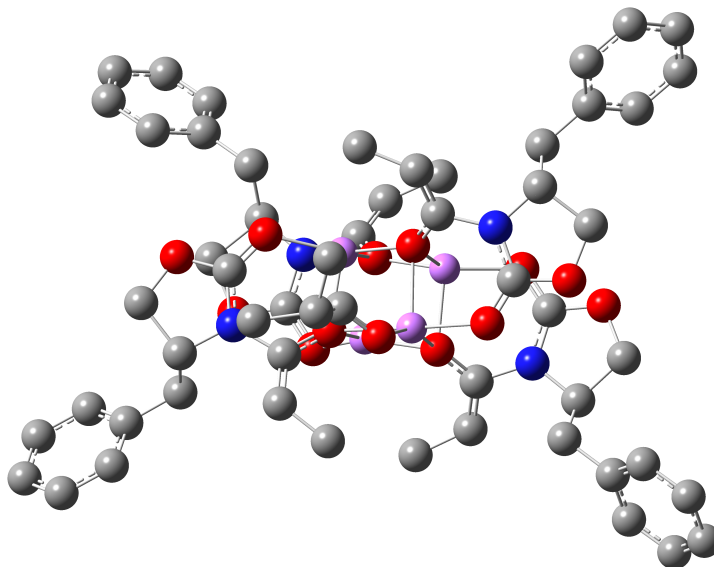
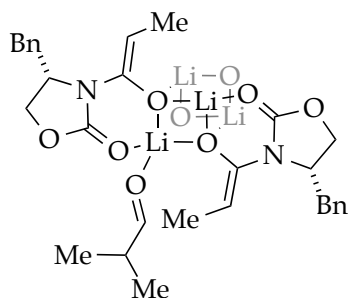
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 6.535766459 kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -5.45756933 kcal/mol vs. 5 spirocyclic dimer transition state leading to (*S,S*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	6.68537602	2.15266926	-2.24043963
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.96561520	H	5.93943843	2.25555128	-3.02579189
O	1.26203026	0.00000000	1.49991689	H	8.23547178	3.09774374	-3.39890771
C	2.51250755	0.33479227	1.40466470	H	9.96039343	2.84998366	-1.62234087
N	2.78775689	1.42031407	0.46463906	H	9.36196642	1.74630647	0.52617949
C	1.86313844	2.01509641	-0.35585789	H	7.06799923	0.90509554	0.89461201
O	0.69655114	1.72374661	-0.57781443	C	3.55970929	-0.20497761	2.08822361
O	2.43625980	3.07539561	-0.99913286	H	4.56733579	0.15869360	1.92375619
C	3.73957365	3.30760483	-0.43754081	C	3.39429724	-1.31953041	3.08357651
H	3.66167537	4.09948033	0.31693538	H	4.00862479	-2.19623296	2.82749848
H	4.40827488	3.63095630	-1.23679279	H	3.69044953	-1.02352974	4.10175418
C	4.12348556	1.95741681	0.17918341	H	2.35194026	-1.64969133	3.13139916
H	4.67819270	2.09481086	1.11060465	O	-1.28395383	-0.83397377	1.30898904
C	4.92012612	1.04609730	-0.78900116	C	-2.46799626	-1.12361295	1.47266621
H	4.92797690	0.03739791	-0.36356699	N	-3.37954724	-0.86048318	0.42368382
H	4.36819764	0.99178101	-1.73547437	C	-4.82260960	-1.17142517	0.38190127
C	6.33125414	1.53338858	-1.03400383	C	-5.02623017	-1.27733618	-1.13753978
C	7.31681145	1.39572930	-0.04433345	H	-4.89961360	-2.30143606	-1.50541717
C	8.61283384	1.86681223	-0.25211974	H	-5.98659931	-0.88516276	-1.47224687
C	8.94999251	2.48512760	-1.45857542	O	-3.98161335	-0.45962038	-1.70110070
C	7.98234249	2.62470454	-2.45361572	C	-2.96391057	-0.34374478	-0.81353253

O	-1.89316465	0.13088624	-1.11572001	H	-0.49448505	-1.22423343	-2.75628946
H	-5.01313503	-2.13182765	0.86449300	H	1.05819052	-1.99158701	-3.19315840
C	-5.68452222	-0.06663718	1.03419702	H	-1.33997277	-3.29497857	-1.85302673
H	-5.34116634	0.07601246	2.06341259	H	-0.14511604	-4.03400522	-2.92135529
H	-5.49775746	0.87527421	0.50446030	H	-0.10867371	-3.89734032	0.03144551
C	-7.16218120	-0.39824651	1.01514356	H	1.10975035	-4.67882525	-0.98112645
C	-8.03708607	0.24301224	0.12812404	H	2.45893440	-2.70677162	-1.08456388
C	-9.39513645	-0.08169253	0.09986446	H	1.64672583	-2.29036875	0.45132620
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C	-9.03909835	-1.69955232	1.85438507				
C	-7.68398432	-1.37155013	1.88061523				
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H	-9.42519069	-2.45223843	2.53655500				
H	-10.95585004	-1.30859985	0.94301982				
H	-10.05784278	0.43176950	-0.59157421				
H	-7.65463015	1.01497848	-0.53639120				
C	-2.93651548	-1.79356644	2.72287000				
C	-2.24536093	-3.16847143	2.82917736				
H	-2.65319418	-3.71068824	3.68911902				
H	-2.39073080	-3.78780748	1.93457299				
H	-1.17594131	-3.01776856	2.99376505				
H	-4.02227614	-1.93162775	2.71931953				
O	0.59129319	1.66263175	4.09993512				
C	1.61136643	2.64464034	3.89265818				
C	2.71464666	2.32404329	4.92348108				
C	1.98057472	1.46044752	5.98852114				
C	0.51545013	1.47805234	5.52395727				
H	-0.02729687	2.32848004	5.96653742				
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H	2.36705229	0.43661417	5.98445679				
H	3.14240658	3.23817800	5.34790248				
H	3.52238971	1.75829600	4.45180652				
H	1.93455243	2.56989268	2.85405344				
H	1.18590802	3.64543627	4.06564173				
O	-1.23091125	-0.66355356	4.13111132				
C	-2.53662019	-0.95278949	4.06309209				
C	-3.48398678	0.27621100	4.27936146				
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C	-3.11700238	1.49022595	3.41552849				
H	-3.16131089	1.27984043	2.34008533				
H	-3.79740330	2.32928623	3.60907917				
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H	-2.85981518	-1.69300389	4.83758613				
O	0.82443284	-1.43630727	-1.20975516				
C	1.48609452	-2.55273538	-0.59422176				
C	0.54893830	-3.75132063	-0.83057166				
C	-0.27115640	-3.33814045	-2.08616783				
C	0.26640173	-1.93477810	-2.43116231				

**Table 61.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,S*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



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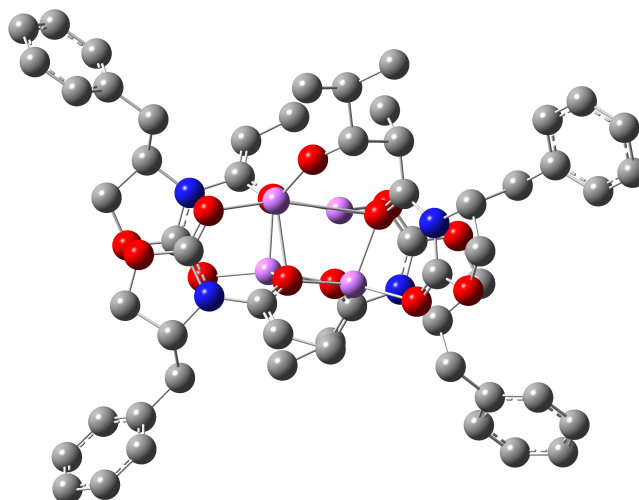
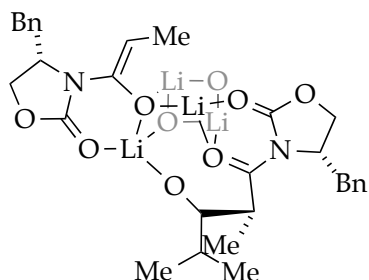
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Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	-6.42317781	1.75048119	3.39115978
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.71116570	H	-7.40950294	1.48140751	3.01036585
O	2.03422653	0.00000000	2.80836724	H	-6.53246339	2.51385160	4.16878656
C	2.71044244	0.71352022	2.07931518	C	-5.60534045	0.53632735	3.87114622
O	4.02638500	0.44280611	1.85833045	N	-4.28418011	0.85513112	3.30235110
C	4.53849157	1.33496012	0.84618632	C	-3.08234665	0.06029263	3.56048156
H	4.68770970	0.75258447	-0.06686070	O	-2.19734169	0.05318511	2.59827184
H	5.49642144	1.72817498	1.19097482	Li	-2.12202585	-1.15421291	1.04382305
C	3.45952512	2.42709255	0.66403950	O	-3.86648352	-1.69359070	0.37444609
N	2.33570996	1.82743275	1.39251214	C	-4.51280242	-0.86643899	-0.26355487
C	0.99340287	2.38078770	1.45644265	O	-5.87166623	-0.83097334	-0.18918592
C	0.87335236	3.72188844	1.58839266	C	-6.35209206	0.33493195	-0.89283179
H	1.78082923	4.30210313	1.73289566	H	-6.64433385	1.08360936	-0.14957436
C	-0.42321658	4.47923931	1.54131276	H	-7.22414010	0.04514503	-1.48042631
H	-0.75710077	4.81327935	2.53636477	C	-5.16413604	0.82050788	-1.74872167
H	-0.33169932	5.38460881	0.92625136	N	-4.06047326	0.10181400	-1.10014828
H	-1.23535383	3.88024991	1.11771127	C	-2.64972525	0.28267756	-1.40108250
O	0.03496402	1.48706903	1.33985988	C	-2.28965612	0.47579531	-2.68788486
Li	-1.88917120	1.42156733	1.24531406	H	-3.05176949	0.38663318	-3.45701763
O	-3.50228799	2.36676551	1.68583753	C	-0.88325517	0.77940446	-3.12406709
C	-4.37329194	1.86015846	2.39093476	H	-0.30449149	-0.12585271	-3.35840221
O	-5.65501130	2.31797847	2.31161104	H	-0.87764102	1.40655348	-4.02410752

H	-0.33013703	1.31839912	-2.34545362	H	-3.80925956	-0.47444305	5.46875047
O	-1.87277173	0.27328790	-0.34017831	C	-1.91810024	-1.57179741	5.08965689
C	-4.98416121	2.35035495	-1.73712304	H	-2.32160631	-2.46843116	5.57836235
H	-4.77739641	2.66358552	-0.70793416	H	-1.37751196	-1.89826575	4.19538314
H	-4.09509439	2.58913422	-2.33028474	H	-1.17459731	-1.13828679	5.77373482
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C	-7.62390545	3.71867801	-4.14268901	H	-5.39633719	-1.58568089	3.63371681
C	-8.48512125	4.38801931	-3.27010575	C	-7.47271181	-1.17071861	4.04581832
C	-8.20282742	4.40583910	-1.90378612	C	-8.67341917	-1.10455211	3.32599884
C	-7.06944728	3.75432254	-1.41274731	C	-9.89571544	-1.39153321	3.93786414
H	-6.84752167	3.78032107	-0.34802353	C	-9.93655213	-1.75018758	5.28532551
H	-8.86190930	4.93172853	-1.21770385	C	-8.74721405	-1.82661536	6.01413315
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H	-5.81872847	2.56563532	-4.33953691	H	-8.76804379	-2.11615850	7.06162088
H	-5.27485499	0.47440301	-2.78556850	H	-10.88600372	-1.97583238	5.76330970
O	-0.23214192	-1.50241524	1.26239451	H	-10.81416396	-1.33964565	3.35892294
C	0.38834639	-2.63366627	1.00735981	H	-8.64694188	-0.84226759	2.27056170
N	1.78321797	-2.49313557	0.61359759	H	-5.55022240	0.54023805	4.96293261
C	2.22073050	-1.56382065	-0.26813379	C	3.13235419	2.72138598	-0.81245423
O	1.57876020	-0.68512749	-0.84645842	H	2.81235589	1.78547210	-1.28378965
O	3.55431671	-1.69116088	-0.48246502	H	2.27848092	3.40750133	-0.83412267
C	4.09243798	-2.67143384	0.43155181	C	4.30902287	3.31837536	-1.55557103
H	4.67313499	-2.13673527	1.18748002	C	4.70459389	4.64487743	-1.32414020
H	4.74646677	-3.33898506	-0.13155209	C	5.80163149	5.19253633	-1.98857594
C	2.86715667	-3.38577477	1.04506650	C	6.52429970	4.42187625	-2.90241745
H	2.73425189	-4.37522200	0.58829493	C	6.13859491	3.10361636	-3.14705551
C	2.94990683	-3.53819191	2.57610135	C	5.04092649	2.55800941	-2.47784556
C	4.10932394	-4.41494404	2.99994065	H	4.73935090	1.53309179	-2.68216405
C	5.26234618	-3.85854637	3.57057085	H	6.68870643	2.49800125	-3.86265082
C	6.34228205	-4.66440150	3.93741030	H	7.37685038	4.84876012	-3.42387614
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C	5.14190248	-6.61299697	3.17449835	H	4.13864491	5.25783418	-0.62540291
C	4.06474784	-5.80495478	2.81134832	H	3.77114973	3.35760019	1.15709664
H	3.17172233	-6.25836514	2.38587268	O	0.00025370	0.91601613	4.59269241
H	5.08545099	-7.68805102	3.02384488	C	-0.62939978	1.93491880	4.81617681
H	7.12501409	-6.67317641	4.02487188	H	-1.23328808	2.39857540	4.01110581
H	7.22487862	-4.21301040	4.38334617	C	-0.63420316	2.66076140	6.13991625
H	5.30701119	-2.78496326	3.73925355	C	0.08000688	4.01698167	5.96967712
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H	3.03468924	-2.53795890	3.01416030	H	1.12139509	3.88409702	5.65897773
C	-0.11434279	-3.88555312	1.09900006	H	-0.42252527	4.63815756	5.21818250
C	-1.50431398	-4.19690725	1.58122756	H	-0.07571533	2.04098515	6.85074912
H	-2.23425034	-4.27824786	0.76218607	C	-2.08272412	2.84433630	6.62723329
H	-1.52893784	-5.14980224	2.12481532	H	-2.58494449	1.87984846	6.75373798
H	-1.87447933	-3.42536581	2.26699922	H	-2.09434765	3.37089961	7.58795829
H	0.50808021	-4.71879935	0.78586002	H	-2.66565796	3.43903502	5.91267107
C	-3.01802360	-0.60981181	4.73858536				

**Table 62.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,S*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



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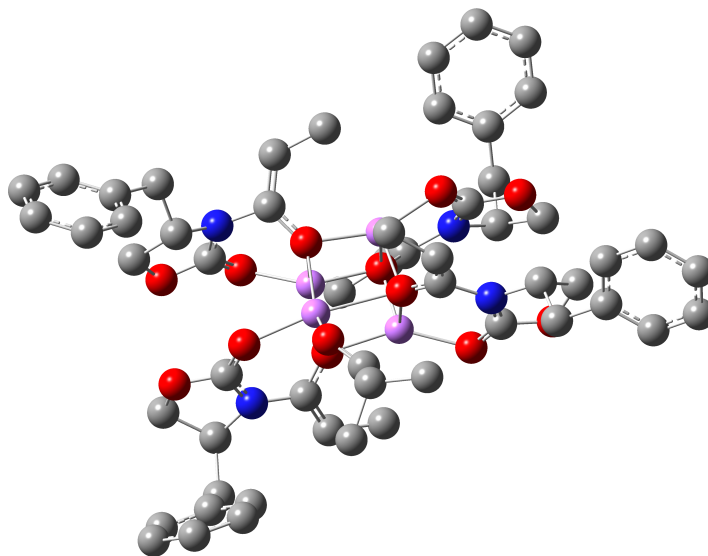
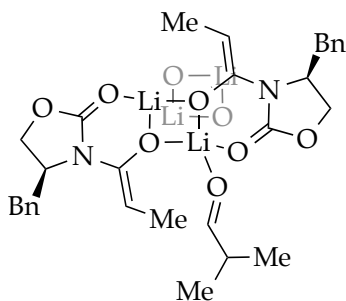
$\Delta G_{MP2} = -2.558143128$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{MP2} = -0.21605348$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer transition state leading to (*R,S*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	N	-3.72685103	2.36596120	3.30666196
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.80046440	C	-3.32858596	1.01334170	3.19038196
O	1.97259065	0.00000000	2.95152253	O	-2.82107224	0.63681315	2.12525078
C	2.71053915	0.61365148	2.19114918	Li	-2.30384316	-0.87846126	0.88024617
O	4.01902212	0.26727279	2.05048778	O	-3.95147213	-1.42525482	0.07563808
C	4.59777801	1.03046032	0.97048541	C	-4.47992842	-0.69730615	-0.75946979
H	4.70130068	0.36470916	0.10900452	O	-5.82331090	-0.71120813	-0.94287761
H	5.58201728	1.37877266	1.28714444	C	-6.18158335	0.31976127	-1.88304921
C	3.60058823	2.17667163	0.69704152	H	-6.61685558	1.15641056	-1.32506615
N	2.41113960	1.67076393	1.39107570	H	-6.92898303	-0.08268758	-2.56779954
C	1.11722490	2.34017058	1.41951018	C	-4.86275995	0.71951718	-2.57278366
C	1.12758603	3.68073790	1.58941501	N	-3.88959982	0.19154261	-1.60785189
H	2.08152470	4.15624339	1.79791974	C	-2.44549227	0.32950153	-1.72370031
C	-0.08656874	4.56358422	1.55308238	C	-1.89862898	0.38879437	-2.95679914
H	-0.59789029	4.62325920	2.52708537	H	-2.53973462	0.22815048	-3.81854662
H	0.18575230	5.58955993	1.27792108	C	-0.43678146	0.63411784	-3.21005975
H	-0.83025845	4.22075439	0.82570503	H	0.14977093	-0.29430398	-3.25213115
O	0.08464499	1.54151024	1.23743291	H	-0.28656028	1.15621554	-4.16293208
Li	-1.78606124	1.76266310	0.79656103	H	0.00732532	1.25428886	-2.42215833
O	-3.10038911	3.17195601	1.18354132	O	-1.81685925	0.42196138	-0.56874254
C	-3.56093532	3.31622497	2.30165860	C	-4.73194543	2.23225938	-2.82246044
O	-4.01098552	4.51019599	2.73486989	H	-4.82110792	2.75318503	-1.86167810
C	-4.26884140	4.43758455	4.15588454	H	-3.72183524	2.42544560	-3.19844037
H	-5.13351434	5.06269137	4.37754836	C	-5.77090999	2.73896362	-3.80147869
H	-3.38762427	4.81871336	4.68094030	C	-5.65728495	2.45757240	-5.17157893
C	-4.50810456	2.94577621	4.42004732	C	-6.62554300	2.89340093	-6.07563624

C	-7.72746726	3.62414049	-5.62525227	C	-7.39196725	3.08984293	7.86173963
C	-7.84961788	3.91773448	-4.26693167	C	-6.66781781	2.56783779	6.79054229
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O	1.53604084	-0.89674177	-0.72309855	C	6.22864200	4.69049561	-1.93989912
O	3.38384190	-2.01458898	-0.09069930	C	6.95105280	3.83504711	-2.77504037
C	3.74922442	-2.94164128	0.95807541	C	6.49928381	2.53116798	-2.98075336
H	4.27861836	-2.37639859	1.72929002	C	5.33550721	2.08451485	-2.35117611
H	4.41250713	-3.69430570	0.52956443	H	4.98341789	1.07011289	-2.52489456
C	2.41584673	-3.52152798	1.47919635	H	7.04938249	1.85997709	-3.63525598
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C	5.44082425	-4.92402197	4.79156251	O	-0.90016000	0.13864979	4.32983358
C	5.27644249	-6.30303001	4.65767712	C	-1.89390463	0.46468694	5.13223888
C	4.14846855	-6.80154463	4.00159355	H	-1.95379632	1.55998648	5.37638912
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H	6.01711731	-6.98510665	5.06669128	H	0.30410989	-0.17143449	6.53274433
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C	-7.69685569	4.16893899	5.31232091				
C	-8.42466209	4.69309372	6.38285077				
C	-8.27234849	4.15569271	7.66101368				

**Table 63.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,R*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



$G = -3399.015586$  Hartree

$G_{MP2} = -2126255.63$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{MP2} = -2.831781333$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer and isobutyraldehyde

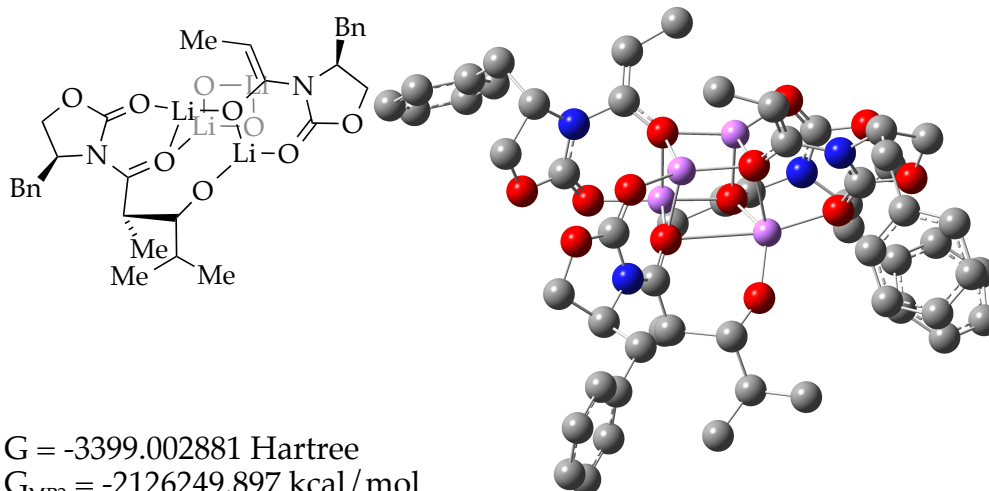
$\Delta G_{MP2} = -7.970548406$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer transition state leading to (*S,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	O	-5.45841943	2.86442763	1.84287759
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.70878580	C	-6.45483959	2.03153925	2.47488381
O	2.00008535	0.00000000	2.85189427	H	-6.84828650	1.33735360	1.72625062
C	2.76279667	0.73433528	2.23790626	H	-7.25227216	2.67509447	2.84877265
O	4.09232502	0.45058682	2.18349739	C	-5.68112000	1.30382761	3.57922609
C	4.71015933	1.30250621	1.20212205	H	-6.01286790	0.26759465	3.66980470
H	4.80586143	0.73526117	0.27146330	N	-4.32263821	1.33499278	3.01586778
H	5.69628552	1.58189122	1.57637715	C	-3.29588438	0.33609771	3.30034120
C	3.74735088	2.49449798	1.06159466	O	-2.25234094	0.37959858	2.51864261
H	3.61483082	2.77034707	0.01093793	Li	-2.24872973	-0.86051447	1.01168091
N	2.50058873	1.88382023	1.54291043	O	-4.05553136	-1.04913027	0.35313421
C	1.17456407	2.34484966	1.17895040	C	-4.51455334	-0.24739050	-0.45232659
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H	1.87131965	4.24058851	0.54261123	C	-6.08141417	1.13348079	-1.37277310
C	-0.31998965	4.10614290	0.19879097	H	-6.14497226	2.07328587	-0.81441496
H	-1.00393812	4.32039980	1.03331961	H	-7.02960170	0.92887804	-1.87293423
H	-0.19850876	5.04108775	-0.35893855	C	-4.86794735	1.10336535	-2.31772474
H	-0.84263975	3.40701756	-0.46880639	H	-4.51174700	2.11342550	-2.54026172
O	0.21013824	1.46784254	1.35707333	N	-3.88632200	0.44096785	-1.45048002
Li	-1.71145074	1.67488737	1.18662804	C	-2.44825251	0.62148480	-1.53486541
O	-3.24592496	2.77529935	1.49807976	C	-1.89369825	1.00284468	-2.70906098
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O	-1.81372137	0.44277208	-0.39772977	H	-3.24210079	-2.69198317	4.44334546
C	-5.15971708	0.37628774	-3.65997207	H	-1.81635942	-1.79941336	3.89645350
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C	-6.37859477	-3.76157439	-3.30339382	C	-7.59462426	0.72593212	6.12522423
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H	-4.27980719	-4.17791388	-3.02459088	C	-7.98020609	3.04890799	5.62390283
H	-6.68225109	-4.80087933	-3.21084779	H	-7.63390060	3.99842831	5.22099552
H	-8.38206846	-3.03339600	-3.63229277	H	-9.89609218	3.83896357	6.20998633
H	-7.68633304	-0.67143297	-3.85465476	H	-10.69644756	1.68029520	7.15423823
O	-0.41253416	-1.44997717	1.32470727	H	-9.20656881	-0.31201304	7.10198800
C	0.10799117	-2.60912951	0.96653065	H	-6.94846066	-0.14954990	6.11492728
N	1.55026222	-2.60447329	0.73338591	C	4.21772436	3.75681131	1.83604379
C	2.11357677	-1.65073156	-0.05085780	H	5.14001920	4.09110219	1.34275494
O	1.54710936	-0.84453695	-0.78974520	H	3.48200560	4.55183938	1.68698684
O	3.46296909	-1.65625488	0.07082828	C	4.46872718	3.57735459	3.31676297
C	3.84636420	-2.69988619	0.99363587	C	5.76611586	3.39220187	3.81393145
H	4.60077515	-2.29283134	1.66593745	C	5.99743534	3.23541001	5.18133178
H	4.26870288	-3.52832646	0.41331270	C	4.92938651	3.27118750	6.07792873
C	2.54352222	-3.10141190	1.70944262	C	3.63305380	3.46781778	5.59740071
H	2.43376206	-2.52660822	2.63700921	C	3.40418217	3.61882968	4.22957676
C	2.44679840	-4.60150013	2.01773163	H	2.39459537	3.78476284	3.86168148
H	1.44544154	-4.80157665	2.41387224	H	2.79793630	3.51608975	6.29072586
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C	5.57592295	-6.22517453	3.51028514	O	-0.15321313	0.19591588	4.74913640
C	5.49041170	-5.83165537	4.84574319	C	-0.75956217	1.04984763	5.37209968
C	4.41237735	-5.04844080	5.26518399	H	-1.25407685	1.88200289	4.83192450
C	3.42991749	-4.66187723	4.35435825	C	-0.83871674	1.09339349	6.88081616
H	2.59038430	-4.05834540	4.69282485	C	0.15934846	2.15740510	7.38590754
H	4.33402875	-4.74092543	6.30471336	H	0.11649125	2.22101179	8.47883545
H	6.25469837	-6.13554315	5.55605144	H	1.18449314	1.90694740	7.09499318
H	6.40703608	-6.83988453	3.17420828	H	-0.08172199	3.14989094	6.98451632
H	4.66098694	-6.15207098	1.56243496	H	-0.52233902	0.10920452	7.24523695
C	-0.53761057	-3.78316542	0.79353815	C	-2.26947523	1.39829580	7.34974233
C	-2.00286914	-3.98843745	1.06062693	H	-2.97141585	0.63470616	7.00123622
H	-2.62439761	-3.83176448	0.16637210	H	-2.31038500	1.43518866	8.44389422
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H	-2.37380504	-3.30653439	1.83465229				

**Table 64.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,R*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



$G = -3399.002881$  Hartree

$G_{MP2} = -2126249.897$  kcal/mol

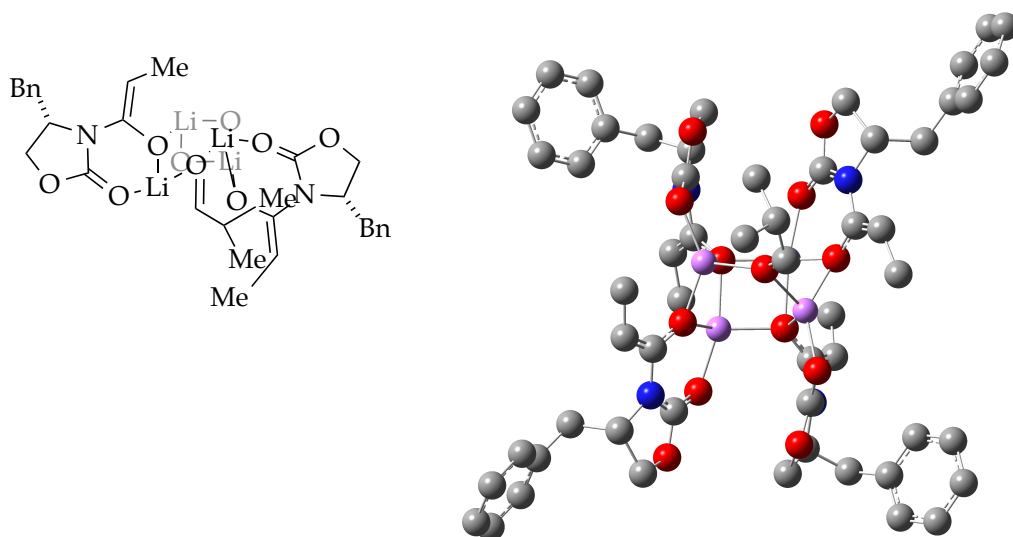
$\Delta G_{MP2} = 2.901640594$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{MP2} = -2.237126478$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer transition state leading to (*S,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
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O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.94879940	H	0.92015639	2.43528780	-5.45157094
C	0.99312128	0.00000000	2.66156717	N	1.77943175	1.20523464	-3.95931873
O	0.87472245	0.26787452	3.98838684	C	0.63152489	0.77834141	-3.24711262
C	2.13474130	0.03634640	4.63788886	O	0.70793858	-0.28050197	-2.61007039
H	2.08424715	-0.92746433	5.15529586	Li	-0.21137670	-2.05905027	-2.31228676
H	2.29243976	0.83847765	5.36098829	O	-0.16477584	-2.67806965	-4.14890785
C	3.17033506	0.02932919	3.49999344	C	0.93770193	-3.00466500	-4.58106470
H	3.86016546	-0.80975387	3.62649336	O	1.36314628	-2.59426707	-5.80214964
N	2.30540750	-0.23037191	2.34289579	C	2.74293694	-2.97888732	-5.97750064
C	2.80226431	-0.74339776	1.08295216	H	3.36314402	-2.08211596	-5.88229308
C	4.11864402	-1.05774902	0.97102299	H	2.84408590	-3.39579898	-6.98095860
H	4.79430332	-0.91029003	1.80240664	C	3.03107935	-4.00789268	-4.86096715
C	4.70826750	-1.63124662	-0.29162894	H	3.94889361	-3.75336188	-4.32141249
H	4.84842274	-0.88311596	-1.08758402	N	1.88340819	-3.77201697	-3.97465943
H	5.69642285	-2.06019105	-0.09187946	C	1.86744648	-4.00518886	-2.53696348
H	4.09527847	-2.44253878	-0.71002555	C	2.23516655	-5.21101694	-2.05482004
O	1.90728173	-0.88832389	0.12834652	H	2.41943270	-6.01883816	-2.75269112
Li	2.27996718	-1.16520076	-1.74006952	C	2.36276058	-5.51476429	-0.58707219
O	3.33355219	-0.41186818	-3.23467462	H	1.41445937	-5.84731450	-0.14135351
C	2.95910589	0.46308505	-3.99425728	H	3.09657744	-6.31130553	-0.41611910
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C	2.94345252	1.75891629	-5.87266914	O	1.51530529	-2.94729875	-1.83008020
H	2.51612802	1.18194170	-6.69881763	Li	0.92274757	-2.60736888	-0.00882919
H	3.62044788	2.51939733	-6.26096665	O	0.35151810	-3.47958610	1.60626595

C	-0.64135453	-2.95606623	2.11504086	C	2.36351750	4.79370180	-5.24497253
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H	-2.61520394	-3.90701316	-2.59161153	C	4.00095817	1.33438268	3.37460619
H	-4.19145864	-3.17916231	-2.28387084	H	4.71389510	1.33999293	4.20943823
H	-2.77755793	-2.14900750	-2.50790536	H	4.59108847	1.25971447	2.45528299
H	-3.55846750	-3.70217639	0.04047554	C	3.20480608	2.62159663	3.38123217
O	-0.85059095	-1.84608192	-0.53297847	C	3.17912435	3.43801656	4.52091753
C	-4.10535845	-1.98773450	2.32913422	C	2.43847536	4.62107398	4.54302346
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H	-4.29066982	-3.04074036	2.57492523	C	1.72804437	4.20668240	2.27497659
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C	-5.70966874	1.12596209	3.85796607	H	2.43565223	5.23989930	5.43678332
C	-5.01731313	0.28404019	2.98843579	H	3.75539709	3.14927561	5.39818409
H	-4.58227043	0.69160274	2.07835891	O	-0.42418750	1.58918757	-0.72610972
H	-5.80536371	2.18257931	3.62194745	C	-0.48146284	2.43510377	-1.73704320
H	-6.82336402	1.26955457	5.70181383	H	0.43630105	3.07142291	-1.85478904
H	-6.60168485	-1.15515348	6.21607933	C	-1.67983434	3.43898136	-1.64782411
H	-5.37438135	-2.64484665	4.66919577	C	-1.53496542	4.23538001	-0.34240643
C	3.17399491	-5.45667685	-5.39352944	H	-2.40574118	4.88201539	-0.17543684
H	4.07385499	-5.46666606	-6.02292349	H	-1.42601327	3.55545819	0.50537846
H	3.39180904	-6.11044285	-4.54334993	H	-0.64624225	4.88222114	-0.38072745
C	1.99556447	-5.98303888	-6.18512620	H	-2.59357995	2.83557536	-1.56804237
C	2.06570943	-6.09318635	-7.58104663	C	-1.81259390	4.39634980	-2.84086240
C	0.98180187	-6.56769867	-8.32196788	H	-2.10809465	3.88729485	-3.76634064
C	-0.19500105	-6.94282703	-7.67393057	H	-2.57195716	5.16226058	-2.64146708
C	-0.27649514	-6.84643684	-6.28314053	H	-0.86781734	4.92617369	-3.03031834
C	0.80877543	-6.37418535	-5.54474788				
H	0.73468790	-6.31154740	-4.46264152				
H	-1.18659403	-7.14295668	-5.76868422				
H	-1.04088879	-7.31326737	-8.24672882				
H	1.06036104	-6.64796411	-9.40306963				
H	2.98553374	-5.81745156	-8.09362724				
C	-0.56933076	1.62764077	-3.21034628				
H	-0.55284261	2.37712996	-4.00297499				
C	-1.85383962	0.79135973	-3.26465402				
H	-1.83426510	0.05878348	-4.07971073				
H	-1.98689784	0.26439750	-2.31615409				
H	-2.71942937	1.44245769	-3.41851995				
C	2.28173522	3.64897548	-4.25661187				
H	1.55643450	3.87013881	-3.46617119				
H	3.25032609	3.50261252	-3.76275464				

**Table 65.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,R*)-**6** from **5**  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



$G = -3399.005379$  Hartree

$G_{MP2} = -2126242.921$  kcal/mol

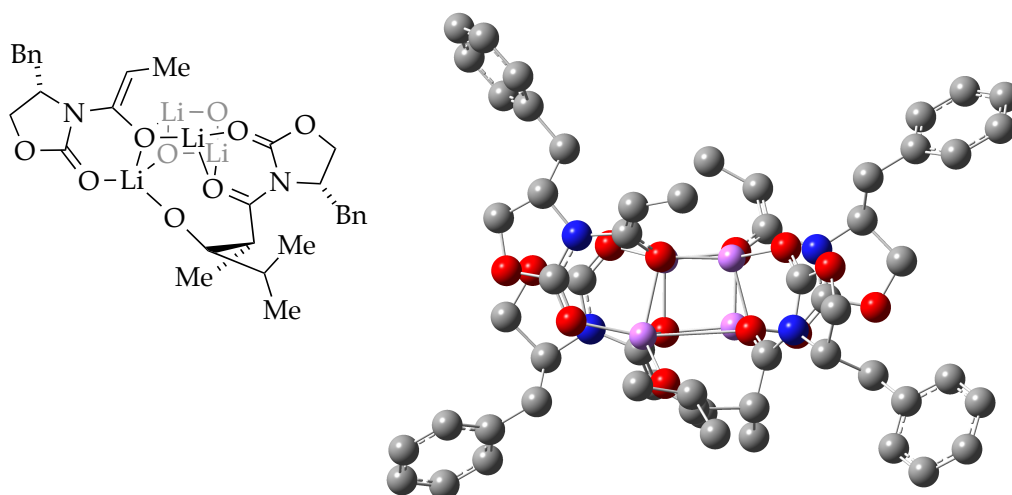
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$\Delta G_{MP2} = -1.529003127$  kcal/mol vs. **5**  $D_{2d}$  tetramer transition state leading to (*R,R*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	C	-5.84026636	-1.70929935	1.75809995
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	3.29458670	H	-5.57191226	-2.30066442	0.87545927
O	1.57333031	0.00000000	4.35246982	H	-6.91416199	-1.77927457	1.93582290
C	2.10600768	1.08460854	4.58943594	C	-4.99037403	-2.07364704	2.97900139
O	3.43538290	1.17311066	4.81265259	H	-4.63611558	-3.10374123	2.90316156
C	3.80929676	2.56536249	4.90016543	N	-3.87138781	-1.13382825	2.80133585
H	4.31464344	2.84676101	3.97277985	C	-2.62066075	-1.19970663	3.55230149
H	4.49135439	2.66803015	5.74607142	C	-2.35207021	-2.34579828	4.25114408
C	2.48419818	3.33519345	5.09008972	H	-3.05932954	-3.16717935	4.22419834
H	2.41783029	4.17451806	4.39214520	C	-1.23865380	-2.46445815	5.25772137
N	1.51656747	2.30881603	4.67899997	H	-0.58362707	-1.58814330	5.25256334
C	0.20067518	2.57123604	4.12038935	H	-1.63416463	-2.55896548	6.28066304
C	-0.61844659	3.46298707	4.72056520	H	-0.60842983	-3.35159731	5.09389410
H	-0.33044051	3.89898690	5.66854477	O	-1.87524342	-0.15262596	3.46704125
C	-1.95282190	3.85558397	4.14520296	C	-5.72045474	-1.85602056	4.32720710
H	-2.75030391	3.14119896	4.40229471	H	-4.96796857	-1.89871285	5.12124317
H	-2.27084612	4.83509170	4.52049071	H	-6.13703335	-0.84128766	4.33204514
H	-1.91928644	3.92542371	3.05010393	C	-6.81376158	-2.87276890	4.57271248
O	-0.06318286	1.90543888	3.01343719	C	-6.49343717	-4.19151668	4.92974346
Li	-1.85634873	1.36790494	2.24475180	C	-7.49319266	-5.14232317	5.13212757
O	-3.73267753	1.00136134	1.80589691	C	-8.83677042	-4.79038710	4.98236924
C	-4.27802391	-0.06844021	2.04300988	C	-9.17061423	-3.48185292	4.63287110
O	-5.50783960	-0.33071201	1.50376437	C	-8.16593073	-2.53321194	4.42983652

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H	-7.22402436	-6.15716900	5.41307656	H	2.86642801	-1.53444096	-2.77241330
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O	-1.02032773	1.60783093	0.48219084	O	1.67235645	0.81206142	0.19803769
C	-1.58958081	2.24187751	-0.52378707	C	5.40061027	2.52274325	-1.49805116
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O	-1.19985988	-0.51254390	-1.41020682	C	6.83810799	2.53774713	-1.96976180
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C	-4.50309034	0.38238693	-1.83085412	C	8.94265809	3.71019250	-2.32680613
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C	-3.87391265	1.78409510	-1.66903853	C	7.44283543	1.36618225	-2.45094470
H	-4.31786034	2.31508053	-0.82222561	H	6.85949054	0.44987225	-2.51484057
C	-4.03385299	2.66145516	-2.93801647	H	9.22370182	0.44623427	-3.23366897
H	-5.11268668	2.82278812	-3.06540090	H	10.56954051	2.53599819	-3.11957893
H	-3.60414262	3.64652734	-2.73254997	H	9.51931350	4.63039770	-2.28140770
C	-3.45405988	2.08350363	-4.21170410	H	7.15195883	4.62991339	-1.56132607
C	-4.29242214	1.55978114	-5.20571974	C	2.30655024	3.87668105	6.53260633
C	-3.76680063	1.01417084	-6.37845506	H	3.11635039	4.60138971	6.69096998
C	-2.38644492	0.98499398	-6.57651994	H	1.37618926	4.45119678	6.57441533
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C	-2.06692074	2.05715095	-4.42863381	C	3.46537727	2.67764196	8.44262342
H	-1.39704006	2.46759615	-3.67804833	C	3.50263141	1.70859788	9.44692786
H	-0.46251572	1.49789552	-5.74595447	C	2.40170971	0.87818080	9.65620942
H	-1.97320768	0.56111156	-7.48788710	C	1.26424274	1.02821227	8.85984204
H	-4.43669394	0.61639389	-7.13647394	C	1.22902047	1.99811942	7.85774796
H	-5.37138769	1.59016049	-5.06541645	H	0.33663602	2.10943046	7.24761025
C	-1.43678184	3.54794263	-0.84056455	H	0.39862437	0.39085140	9.01998049
H	-1.89578095	3.92731913	-1.74495813	H	2.42670832	0.12322596	10.43754740
C	-0.62696698	4.51650611	-0.02201638	H	4.38977005	1.60703500	10.06675067
H	0.40877541	4.61701001	-0.38068848	H	4.32332510	3.33112397	8.29607321
H	-1.06868256	5.52037063	-0.05082109	O	-0.04212030	-1.34926349	1.67171787
H	-0.57566922	4.21790487	1.03152066	C	-0.06366073	-2.50966424	2.08260297
Li	0.77588247	2.12712690	1.26604053	C	-0.53045406	-3.71773612	1.30970013
O	2.41104459	3.13366451	1.52339673	H	-0.92226585	-4.41236047	2.06508254
C	3.49727924	2.73986248	1.11074446	C	0.72114977	-4.37763432	0.67890303
O	4.63904260	3.38253971	1.51156385	H	0.43954349	-5.32875010	0.21494275
C	5.77704953	2.62963949	1.04606202	H	1.14988477	-3.73185510	-0.09444917
H	6.13024457	1.98967437	1.86256477	H	1.49776523	-4.58267482	1.42495235
H	6.56285459	3.33164780	0.76345786	C	-1.61682037	-3.41762271	0.27493005
C	5.22536999	1.81691833	-0.12955587	H	-1.91290318	-4.34371072	-0.23062730
H	5.66994857	0.81974633	-0.15695317	H	-2.50281621	-2.99406374	0.75990260
N	3.81294468	1.72150402	0.26293158	H	-1.28134899	-2.70469816	-0.48203704
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C	3.34253014	-0.15443672	-1.19059743				

**Table 66.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,R*)-**6** from **5**  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



$G = -3399.015094$  Hartree

$G_{MP2} = -2126252.022$  kcal/mol

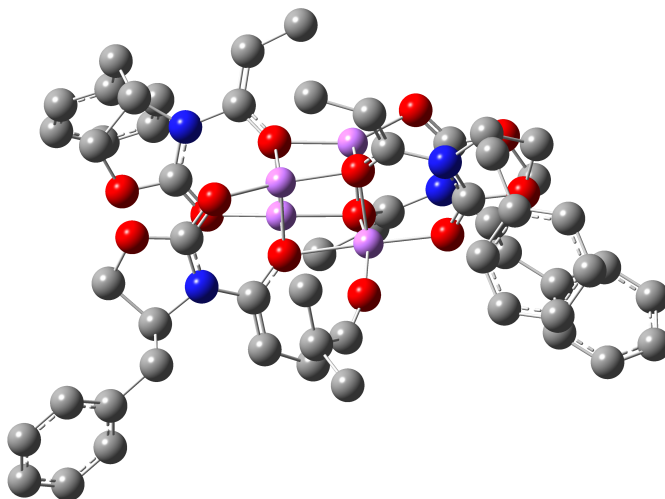
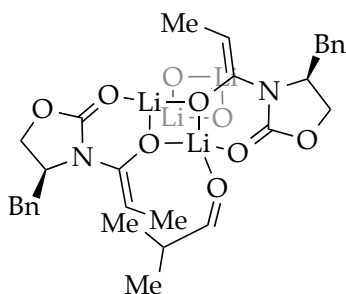
$\Delta G_{MP2} = 0.776340132$  kcal/mol vs. **5**  $D_{2d}$  tetramer and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{MP2} = -10.63000319$  kcal/mol vs. **5**  $D_{2d}$  tetramer transition state leading to (*R,R*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	N	-3.88711630	2.41452661	-3.19196083
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	-2.78808210	C	-3.36465866	1.09284294	-3.19473608
O	1.97770507	0.00000000	-2.95852207	O	-2.76840016	0.69559365	-2.18202072
C	2.72302878	0.59546613	-2.19049891	Li	-2.30580695	-0.83662001	-0.92099834
O	4.02550045	0.22789634	-2.04629177	O	-3.97655309	-1.35570534	-0.14139263
C	4.61057665	0.97655010	-0.95888487	C	-4.49917298	-0.63009677	0.69959695
H	4.69694600	0.30482554	-0.10018435	O	-5.84445075	-0.62568358	0.87258464
H	5.60235061	1.30971645	-1.26805572	C	-6.19590412	0.39406930	1.82720553
C	3.63067268	2.13765635	-0.68493838	H	-6.62982601	1.23954337	1.28163857
N	2.43681675	1.65155234	-1.38463106	H	-6.94374982	-0.01421587	2.50815443
C	1.14944133	2.33138464	-1.41026629	C	-4.87453314	0.78055947	2.52082310
C	1.16389923	3.67226772	-1.57663068	N	-3.90253777	0.23986763	1.56223446
H	2.11822018	4.14842382	-1.78190969	C	-2.45784370	0.35846054	1.69041987
C	-0.05457405	4.55051800	-1.54184709	C	-1.92068271	0.41465098	2.92814075
H	-0.58635716	4.57568634	-2.50599228	H	-2.57005828	0.26677686	3.78588316
H	0.21756133	5.58548994	-1.30345483	C	-0.45719729	0.64082205	3.19041123
H	-0.78102123	4.22635529	-0.78795699	H	0.11777379	-0.29476869	3.23361658
O	0.11178171	1.53973439	-1.23209388	H	-0.30581738	1.15920704	4.14507350
Li	-1.75578234	1.78673639	-0.82118387	H	-0.00130592	1.25732825	2.40627544
O	-3.10023605	3.17471036	-1.10355915	O	-1.81782515	0.43786503	0.54156198
C	-3.72588645	3.31153945	-2.13956040	C	-4.72668920	2.29285925	2.76526715
O	-4.39912308	4.44895975	-2.40889660	H	-4.80819323	2.81107112	1.80230347
C	-4.85448646	4.42195995	-3.77945821	H	-3.71441753	2.47502027	3.14092272
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H	-4.81054182	1.94984773	5.47522868	H	-6.59221701	2.50779444	-2.84436679
H	-4.78283489	0.25100636	3.47909366	H	-6.18055237	1.19824040	-3.94684979
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N	1.43458912	-2.59465067	-0.89109953	C	-9.28393882	4.15671108	-5.35191490
C	2.02993082	-1.79464271	0.02350544	C	-9.27662118	3.70457479	-6.67152897
O	1.51737240	-0.92304023	0.72885877	C	-8.30990891	2.78285361	-7.08033285
O	3.35780109	-2.05590059	0.10289125	C	-7.35576960	2.32075539	-6.17455542
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H	4.26352747	-2.41854451	-1.71118855	H	-8.30205276	2.41889365	-8.10412754
H	4.37278454	-3.74404646	-0.51743797	H	-10.02207492	4.06252509	-7.37617535
C	2.38658878	-3.54406757	-1.48360171	H	-10.03726277	4.86701268	-5.02205812
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C	2.31106065	-3.59320500	-3.02084732	H	-4.59330150	2.77021122	-5.16030939
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H	-0.09218441	3.05277980	-6.69356872				
H	0.08069243	1.30936016	-6.97479839				

**Table 67.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,S*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



$G = -3399.016015$  Hartree

$G_{MP2} = -2126257.688$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{MP2} = -4.889474051$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer and isobutyraldehyde

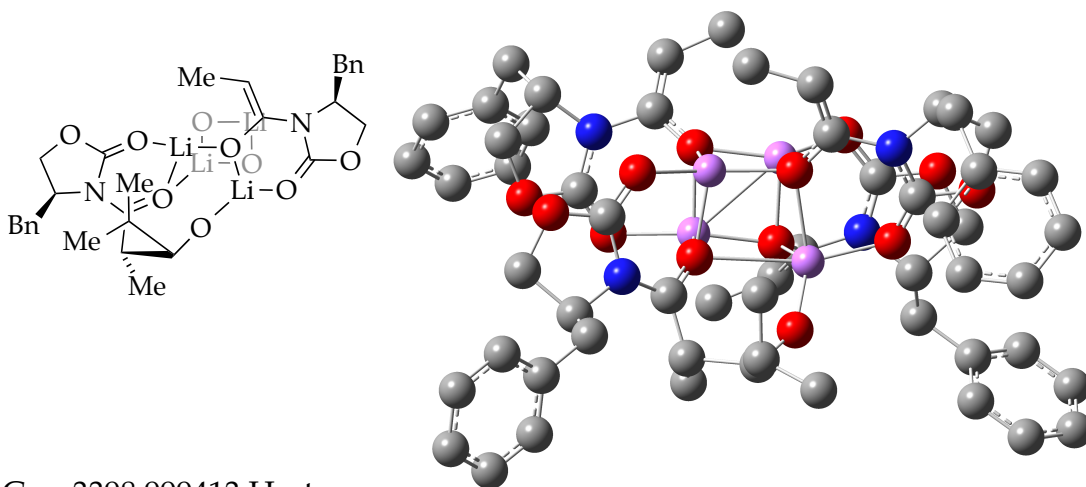
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Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	0.27397654	0.20016564	-6.78810880
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.97101150	H	0.78433276	1.86173523	-7.23029480
C	1.03129947	0.00000000	2.63197589	C	-0.41487790	1.72988456	-5.37807635
O	0.97213543	-0.07735951	3.98949181	H	-1.41196796	1.31030080	-5.52803945
C	2.30465226	-0.25731178	4.50563727	N	0.16061270	1.18436592	-4.13908956
H	2.45368837	-1.32367894	4.70301139	C	-0.61405045	0.86261783	-2.94790578
H	2.38391519	0.31423293	5.43173707	C	-1.87861783	1.35566761	-2.84564347
C	3.21967336	0.25718325	3.38375090	H	-2.26516427	2.00965675	-3.61873049
H	4.09008417	-0.39317918	3.25911749	C	-2.84295552	0.94275192	-1.76804558
N	2.33512590	0.08250695	2.22607967	H	-2.41554409	0.17026738	-1.12183197
C	2.81274054	-0.08784904	0.86767710	H	-3.15252383	1.78152808	-1.12494649
C	4.12044767	0.13094992	0.58564589	H	-3.76641638	0.53036854	-2.19888484
H	4.79822914	0.47676304	1.35510454	O	-0.01465610	0.08101197	-2.09546548
C	4.68870153	-0.07862616	-0.79405251	Li	-0.29967829	-1.85248001	-2.20238218
H	4.44836582	0.74130877	-1.48850723	O	-0.42206120	-2.36613049	-4.05777788
H	5.78146688	-0.15029418	-0.75543637	C	0.59454042	-2.59683174	-4.70378703
H	4.32530616	-1.00613759	-1.25651918	O	0.65051150	-2.29818864	-6.03140773
O	1.90900893	-0.49741887	0.00726989	C	1.99721746	-2.51495120	-6.50252704
Li	1.87281694	-0.41890267	-1.92714780	H	2.50004784	-1.54426587	-6.55891001
O	2.33749016	0.54479689	-3.52014489	H	1.93263198	-2.96335996	-7.49541906
C	1.47804422	0.87611834	-4.33095805	C	2.63425457	-3.44097139	-5.45108272
O	1.79964990	1.00565862	-5.64833582	H	3.65590048	-3.13105735	-5.21260825
C	0.57971079	1.17808277	-6.40545214	N	1.77463440	-3.14771924	-4.29716303



C	2.18028276	-3.25267994	-2.90567774	C	0.48380729	-5.97991061	-5.14830395
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H	4.68547273	-4.69211695	-1.16825130	H	1.50932286	-5.40555734	-8.33722752
H	3.75736880	-3.27634071	-0.67164197	C	-0.47656070	3.27786718	-5.36505558
O	1.59618456	-2.38751225	-2.10620430	H	-1.02054414	3.59008362	-4.46712807
Li	1.31155908	-2.37347546	-0.19811719	H	0.54667750	3.66119979	-5.26701732
O	1.23140108	-3.49144480	1.36691746	C	-1.13257798	3.85318051	-6.60229035
C	0.25990822	-3.27153888	2.09023909	C	-2.51756266	3.73548185	-6.79527374
O	0.40370623	-3.14235780	3.43161193	C	-3.12638820	4.24157505	-7.94306317
C	-0.89456261	-2.92048496	4.02356480	C	-2.35938317	4.87879973	-8.92138646
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H	-1.20071498	-3.84515725	4.52604581	C	-0.37612794	4.49711693	-7.59060515
C	-1.82287030	-2.56879833	2.84522663	H	0.69717866	4.61022005	-7.45264989
H	-1.88142399	-1.48069620	2.72593397	H	-0.37698250	5.50636537	-9.49302241
N	-1.03781770	-3.11860632	1.72050996	H	-2.83356377	5.27563479	-9.81487178
C	-1.38029089	-2.90125658	0.31568492	H	-4.20093419	4.14234861	-8.07206486
C	-2.39100734	-3.64015888	-0.19356742	H	-3.12646693	3.24899210	-6.03585267
C	-2.92247457	-3.48212605	-1.59155936	C	3.71903032	1.71518185	3.58562994
H	-2.82980867	-2.44837268	-1.94731668	H	4.50422742	1.67720616	4.35187877
H	-2.40224679	-4.12077543	-2.32140902	H	4.20156377	2.03370678	2.65626701
H	-3.98577686	-3.74721588	-1.64081928	C	2.67000775	2.72768785	3.99451835
H	-2.82058878	-4.41516217	0.43228776	C	2.61095280	3.19624560	5.31442964
O	-0.66073430	-1.99139623	-0.31000208	C	1.64457895	4.12309972	5.70931661
C	-3.23723021	-3.15060170	2.98582281	C	0.71490697	4.59717428	4.78407069
H	-3.78376006	-2.93681565	2.06113610	C	0.76568888	4.14306873	3.46444992
H	-3.16785763	-4.24192728	3.07276323	C	1.73737756	3.22311169	3.06937761
C	-3.97346375	-2.57520536	4.17945714	H	1.76386330	2.88088318	2.03831904
C	-4.20437556	-3.34500038	5.32709510	H	0.04256595	4.50474647	2.73798488
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C	-5.08796636	-0.70605835	5.26909184	H	3.33826021	2.83846630	6.04081488
C	-4.42813313	-1.24768806	4.16653689	O	0.11254866	2.16060193	-0.10318604
H	-4.26800192	-0.63544831	3.28162781	C	-0.38315900	3.13781099	-0.63467762
H	-5.43314638	0.32412524	5.23789812	C	0.40019048	4.26746416	-1.27006900
H	-5.82654291	-1.06384038	7.26584635	H	-0.00108272	4.34608333	-2.29295537
H	-5.03942766	-3.42425958	7.31075511	C	1.90346782	3.99186547	-1.32988584
H	-3.87093804	-4.38032051	5.35138774	H	2.11628067	3.05691167	-1.85667432
C	2.66293479	-4.92973390	-5.89603620	H	2.41812956	4.80827607	-1.84870897
H	3.29981126	-4.97195772	-6.78970647	H	2.32862460	3.90859374	-0.32428422
H	3.17589179	-5.51544535	-5.12785188	C	0.05982776	5.58718767	-0.54481125
C	1.31483560	-5.54883371	-6.19419326	H	0.45601068	5.58392008	0.47728324
C	0.86781457	-5.71038037	-7.51245025	H	0.50579376	6.43551531	-1.07434290
C	-0.38120238	-6.27172956	-7.78345770	H	-1.02241472	5.75585151	-0.49203752
C	-1.20346612	-6.68424785	-6.73468359	H	-1.48329185	3.26720237	-0.64328571
C	-0.76567491	-6.53926287	-5.41638648				

**Table 68.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,S*)-6 from 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer



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$G_{MP2} = -2126249.961$  kcal/mol

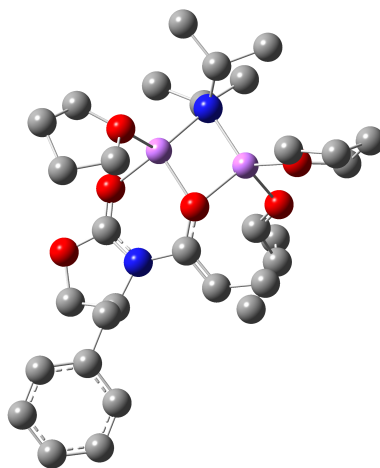
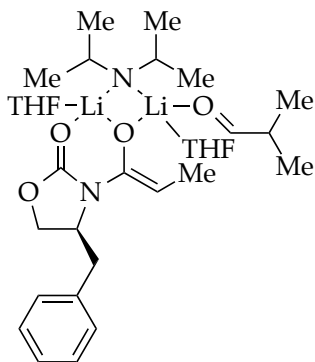
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$\Delta G_{MP2} = 2.837020297$  kcal/mol vs. 5  $D_{2d}$  tetramer transition state leading to (*S,S*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	N	1.40441843	1.18001847	-4.21525662
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.95951270	C	0.43295532	0.78689332	-3.25936435
C	0.95974281	0.00000000	2.71598256	C	-0.86160850	1.47080999	-3.19631615
O	0.76723697	0.00826473	4.06211309	H	-0.97168342	2.22107808	-3.98360017
C	2.02432467	-0.22863516	4.71765698	C	-2.03015312	0.47245655	-3.22859780
H	2.07472417	-1.28806042	4.98962454	H	-2.01683604	-0.13371882	-2.31926614
H	2.05674934	0.39174702	5.61453554	H	-2.97521740	1.02554522	-3.25241329
C	3.08325017	0.15051379	3.66996244	H	-1.99613893	-0.18699909	-4.10424275
H	3.89614335	-0.58142315	3.66244478	O	0.73437648	-0.11868136	-2.46566655
N	2.30156558	-0.00116674	2.43585029	Li	0.25090795	-2.07864649	-2.28161953
C	2.89874385	-0.24475158	1.14057701	O	0.47298684	-2.57228465	-4.13643001
C	4.24964730	-0.20289402	1.01329947	C	1.60260592	-2.80620696	-4.55736557
H	4.87719249	0.04367271	1.85865963	O	1.96071440	-2.43822349	-5.81696184
C	4.93911801	-0.48698277	-0.29592842	C	3.36853568	-2.70345596	-6.00266946
H	4.79004938	0.30561082	-1.04615627	H	3.90502164	-1.75223872	-5.93954503
H	6.02124901	-0.57380791	-0.14997248	H	3.49345350	-3.13881493	-6.99560624
H	4.61136237	-1.43380232	-0.75121977	C	3.74744587	-3.66894293	-4.86190663
O	2.05928114	-0.53433508	0.16881243	H	4.68563480	-3.37123882	-4.38431381
Li	2.48691326	-0.68414307	-1.70036114	N	2.64424086	-3.41530147	-3.92573808
O	3.30659052	0.11561395	-3.33202877	C	2.72160971	-3.55176773	-2.47925168
C	2.68927707	0.64638438	-4.23785673	C	3.45380517	-4.55051944	-1.94007368
O	3.22732226	0.81280714	-5.46421633	H	3.88158238	-5.30449558	-2.58882119
C	2.18785458	1.23983354	-6.37970406	C	3.68716729	-4.68958140	-0.45944932
H	1.79016396	0.34902091	-6.87473404	H	2.85916780	-5.19680675	0.05578620
H	2.63685621	1.91289347	-7.10945220	H	4.59530195	-5.27106528	-0.26307684
C	1.15005939	1.91715543	-5.47308641	H	3.81267680	-3.71535790	0.02921279
H	0.13681465	1.70832865	-5.82094143	O	2.08524548	-2.60611424	-1.81719692

Li	1.42838931	-2.40312349	0.00834436	C	1.87730311	5.36708293	-8.58918621
O	1.03612724	-3.44477429	1.57814056	C	2.13625510	4.69345577	-7.39352133
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O	-0.14484373	-2.93628546	3.42640412	H	2.70325865	5.75400204	-9.17990787
C	-1.51070568	-2.58765888	3.74645072	H	0.35840380	6.07427881	-9.94734505
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C	-2.19345068	-2.31308273	2.39075426	C	3.69602867	1.56429098	3.86776418
H	-2.18741107	-1.23815032	2.17890795	H	4.36104780	1.49915484	4.73907430
N	-1.23885796	-2.97532936	1.47744220	H	4.33040345	1.77930105	3.00235938
C	-1.30214156	-2.86898668	0.02388572	C	2.70536101	2.69031912	4.07043535
C	-2.20309765	-3.64787870	-0.61374328	C	2.44078259	3.19008969	5.35339548
C	-2.44729670	-3.61271915	-2.09695950	C	1.51749957	4.21848616	5.54891110
H	-2.26853113	-2.61485516	-2.51591858	C	0.84356033	4.76728078	4.45767000
H	-1.80773426	-4.31665150	-2.65148303	C	1.10622737	4.28815299	3.17269183
H	-3.48515169	-3.87849810	-2.33191377	C	2.03236565	3.26270948	2.98060247
H	-2.76164597	-4.36524126	-0.02193557	H	2.23714063	2.90575719	1.97469342
O	-0.45660046	-2.00997474	-0.51776747	H	0.59165911	4.71231506	2.31526600
C	-3.62983492	-2.84854996	2.30621642	H	0.12299901	5.56723078	4.60569613
H	-3.98097548	-2.71143252	1.27772576	H	1.32905637	4.59170509	6.55232609
H	-3.62113064	-3.92798065	2.50227364	H	2.97293187	2.77707766	6.20849602
C	-4.55760973	-2.14562939	3.27766101	O	-0.81268333	1.46787543	-0.67875053
C	-5.04750626	-2.80210330	4.41411665	C	-1.00250071	2.27383852	-1.70067216
C	-5.88601683	-2.14557178	5.31769434	C	-0.16762557	3.59468643	-1.66433361
C	-6.24662529	-0.81619808	5.09764925	H	-0.27667133	4.10403410	-2.63657471
C	-5.76660444	-0.15002944	3.96742311	C	1.31994046	3.36692772	-1.37241888
C	-4.93212437	-0.80971226	3.06591583	H	1.82924090	2.82000059	-2.17386793
H	-4.56933898	-0.28405702	2.18527493	H	1.84747176	4.32031800	-1.24440466
H	-6.04457226	0.88475493	3.78533055	H	1.42953957	2.78208771	-0.45393494
H	-6.89916882	-0.30287298	5.79892033	C	-0.77834248	4.51338627	-0.59275441
H	-6.25813993	-2.67509925	6.19107180	H	-0.74382347	4.01681672	0.38312261
H	-4.77657507	-3.84130265	4.58865471	H	-0.23569362	5.46478443	-0.52423611
C	3.88718434	-5.13960977	-5.34152109	H	-1.82872469	4.73976596	-0.81370803
H	4.71059988	-5.14937897	-6.06809634	H	-2.06488613	2.59684275	-1.83486238
H	4.22000974	-5.75168153	-4.49814289				
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H	1.67760930	-6.12437959	-4.07161980				
H	-0.36626645	-7.08205102	-5.07981583				
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H	1.29354729	-6.49902168	-9.00538083				
H	3.33852026	-5.54532586	-7.99502030				
C	1.36680690	3.43937481	-5.32403996				
H	0.71664204	3.80266573	-4.52186018				
H	2.39863130	3.61398287	-4.99617071				
C	1.08921586	4.19150200	-6.60927051				
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C	-0.49084697	5.05722182	-8.24413656				
C	0.56260625	5.54833678	-9.01885145				

**Table 69.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,S*)-**6** from LDA **5** mixed dimer with three THF



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$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1118239.454$  kcal/mol

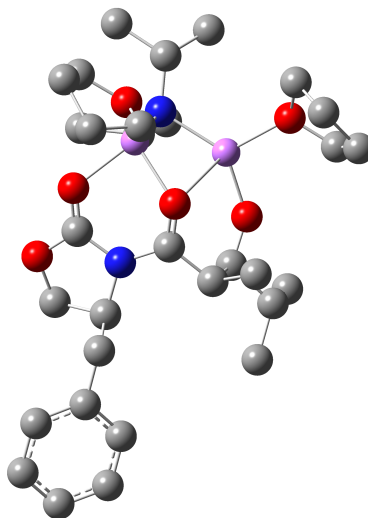
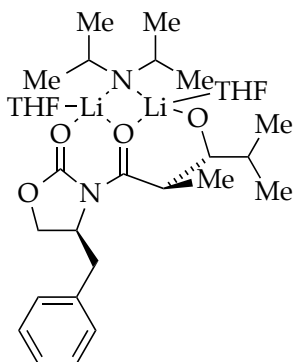
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$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -6.174167071$  kcal/mol vs. **5** LDA mixed dimer transition state leading to (*R,S*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	3.70444616	-1.19294485	-0.45336289
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.51047440	H	3.11967699	-2.82232129	-0.09420273
N	1.57076076	0.00000000	1.24282335	O	-0.29342132	-1.58483309	3.75381888
C	2.33667709	1.25126730	1.21659268	C	-0.64372302	-2.65975522	3.29136529
H	1.57853299	2.02776914	1.00811192	C	-1.01275200	-3.86115149	4.12614272
C	2.98588796	1.69183394	2.55920379	H	-1.14293685	-3.51137495	5.15700015
H	3.86866289	1.09629404	2.81351655	C	0.16157515	-4.86318599	4.07657083
H	3.30558118	2.74380601	2.51141186	H	-0.08314822	-5.75415926	4.66547991
H	2.26556429	1.58953712	3.37794451	H	0.36394510	-5.18624945	3.04823047
C	3.39072202	1.42071355	0.09450780	H	1.07858380	-4.42400675	4.48237144
H	3.73429894	2.46352281	0.04092187	C	-2.31597670	-4.49576797	3.61246511
H	4.27716454	0.79829829	0.26498446	H	-2.58375121	-5.36015188	4.22993967
H	2.97299653	1.14896666	-0.88117122	H	-3.14489625	-3.78128226	3.63475846
C	2.27091285	-1.28937041	1.23437634	H	-2.20099347	-4.84604013	2.57927930
H	1.48397029	-2.02952986	1.47009048	H	-0.66005372	-2.80813971	2.19480268
C	3.36040807	-1.51531860	2.31138021	O	-0.33541037	1.49125642	3.82645403
H	3.65319752	-2.57423009	2.35167651	C	-0.62688691	2.84366128	3.41273909
H	4.27012340	-0.94039597	2.10150207	C	-0.86135589	3.62723479	4.70660174
H	2.99718707	-1.22243226	3.30324749	C	0.06107387	2.89418422	5.69373310
C	2.82471257	-1.76345491	-0.13862484	C	-0.08834977	1.43774520	5.24788298
H	2.05785447	-1.66333990	-0.91502784	H	-0.94262137	0.94778935	5.73209656

H	0.80528341	0.83050349	5.41650859	C	-6.92900156	-1.02557384	-2.48737189
H	-0.21834911	3.04129116	6.74143977	H	-6.24932743	-0.73731360	-3.28670645
H	1.09729596	3.22781913	5.56567644	H	-8.57861275	-1.36820682	-3.82893912
H	-1.90727562	3.53986566	5.02403162	H	-10.15544433	-2.00446067	-2.01252602
H	-0.62539163	4.69025580	4.59942351	H	-9.37614407	-1.99682545	0.35072933
H	0.23353732	3.23057858	2.85285477	H	-7.04655837	-1.36528149	0.88884777
H	-1.49553108	2.81215371	2.74897644	C	-3.46669113	-1.00969924	2.22865304
O	-1.49413065	-0.10529611	1.22926342	H	-4.29971916	-1.68956843	2.08443679
C	-2.56261767	-0.83524320	1.22216138	C	-3.41820374	-0.25774533	3.52885358
N	-2.83396784	-1.54392590	-0.03698696	H	-2.56144696	0.41999061	3.55790587
C	-4.18260580	-1.91565655	-0.48787226	H	-4.32942022	0.34025946	3.68642999
C	-3.83832772	-2.78823865	-1.70374059	H	-3.33476859	-0.92666205	4.39902087
H	-3.78252280	-3.85196431	-1.44531763	O	-0.24439353	1.55196256	-1.30783467
H	-4.52312748	-2.65670726	-2.54312344	C	0.32688502	1.39046932	-2.63006202
O	-2.53036356	-2.34702300	-2.10464184	C	-0.67581749	2.01597807	-3.61004422
C	-1.92623634	-1.73854024	-1.04046964	C	-2.00276597	1.90926111	-2.84108793
O	-0.73758606	-1.45109482	-1.09668494	C	-1.54498015	2.16373276	-1.40524485
H	-4.69076284	-2.51458835	0.27103631	H	-2.17551845	1.71172995	-0.63603028
C	-5.04173408	-0.67291325	-0.82274483	H	-1.45491783	3.24131809	-1.20419071
H	-5.00476241	-0.01267116	0.05048447	H	-2.41704421	0.89841227	-2.93644637
H	-4.57053066	-0.13981307	-1.65796689	H	-2.75842554	2.62602759	-3.17759950
C	-6.47359362	-1.02237513	-1.16206725	H	-0.69076696	1.49716229	-4.57310168
C	-7.37653467	-1.37740222	-0.14803695	H	-0.43042611	3.06814287	-3.79690966
C	-8.69140931	-1.72992572	-0.45009123	H	1.30712098	1.87623719	-2.64695952
C	-9.13021782	-1.73265310	-1.77637317	H	0.45704137	0.31771748	-2.80855850
C	-8.24533480	-1.37703515	-2.79445630				

**Table 70.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to *(R,S)*-6 from LDA 5 mixed dimer with three THF



G = -1787.924983 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118238.639 kcal/mol

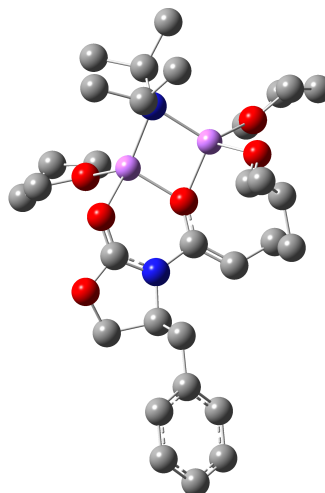
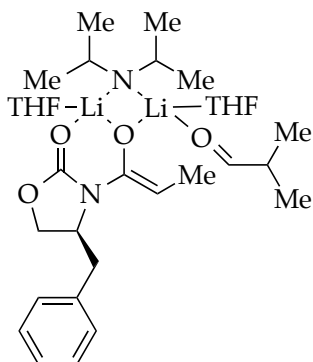
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -1.138351555 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -5.359410847 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer transition state leading to *(R,S)*-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	O	-1.02530182	-1.23330931	3.67153475
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.83891880	C	-1.73535047	-2.34035209	3.44572014
N	1.41728246	0.00000000	1.37485377	C	-2.42039984	-2.90413837	4.73368760
C	2.23851959	1.21610089	1.27153323	H	-3.05399703	-2.10195356	5.13720207
H	1.52090665	1.99305647	0.95054564	C	-1.32690682	-3.20217421	5.77041420
C	2.84714054	1.77101888	2.58863609	H	-1.76320608	-3.50339342	6.73122113
H	3.70671867	1.18472439	2.92871580	H	-0.67883879	-4.02085159	5.42742585
H	3.19693034	2.80406048	2.44519740	H	-0.70048148	-2.32067922	5.92271066
H	2.10213953	1.77314417	3.39100496	C	-3.28617821	-4.15154084	4.50272952
C	3.34661724	1.22915325	0.18834098	H	-3.61179915	-4.58299605	5.45706595
H	3.70562208	2.25360127	0.01450094	H	-4.19222564	-3.93966838	3.92149059
H	4.21658821	0.63166027	0.48408486	H	-2.71802508	-4.93288827	3.97668854
H	2.97608768	0.82940925	-0.76285406	H	-1.12971961	-3.19309231	3.03817265
C	2.06021368	-1.30680547	1.60463174	O	-0.45685344	1.72488306	3.79673684
H	1.20983406	-1.99141022	1.77684219	C	-0.62858775	3.04316067	3.26951241
C	2.93639021	-1.44944251	2.87397581	C	-2.13279285	3.30350662	3.39417794
H	3.15408408	-2.50763567	3.07519630	C	-2.50581663	2.56147777	4.70301482
H	3.89912309	-0.93686205	2.76628119	C	-1.30424484	1.61820586	4.95998600
H	2.42883915	-1.03852611	3.75430523	H	-1.55967804	0.56060208	5.03959648
C	2.83148355	-1.93286681	0.40967211	H	-0.73275486	1.93434738	5.84356900
H	2.25680328	-1.84117500	-0.51826085	H	-3.44038370	2.00404777	4.59217788
H	3.80682205	-1.46207179	0.24863117	H	-2.63700584	3.26021136	5.53556981
H	3.01795843	-3.00180025	0.59100817	H	-2.65554718	2.86051468	2.54000401

H	-2.37395222	4.37079261	3.42344330
H	-0.04657357	3.76218756	3.86680159
H	-0.24650776	3.04389176	2.24633307
O	-1.73906531	-0.56983725	0.81807986
C	-2.08860556	-1.72542837	1.06388694
N	-1.62164282	-2.78474740	0.24665164
C	-2.08174779	-4.18888078	0.28503860
C	-0.94647891	-4.85465592	-0.50332561
H	-0.12553593	-5.17971526	0.14320253
H	-1.27842527	-5.68364534	-1.12834787
O	-0.45307824	-3.80720819	-1.36716127
C	-0.74147202	-2.60649305	-0.82299866
O	-0.27432398	-1.57222290	-1.25668231
H	-2.10186987	-4.55148703	1.31342364
C	-3.46639651	-4.35830633	-0.38485079
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H	-3.38914774	-4.02177605	-1.42599983
C	-3.97109647	-5.78539780	-0.33292288
C	-4.40688168	-6.34495653	0.87778869
C	-4.85114267	-7.66554948	0.93439824
C	-4.86969917	-8.45023570	-0.22113146
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C	-3.99740856	-6.58226259	-1.48503122
H	-3.67667356	-6.16016425	-2.43519646
H	-4.46022730	-8.50475697	-2.33780234
H	-5.21827260	-9.47834606	-0.17727046
H	-5.18730055	-8.08073086	1.88065958
H	-4.40547526	-5.74107776	1.78293224
C	-2.87126827	-2.08157041	2.27693334
H	-3.41864784	-3.01337696	2.12585455
C	-3.82678250	-0.95758842	2.68132921
H	-3.24953894	-0.10170634	3.03609587
H	-4.45789789	-0.63375112	1.84574748
H	-4.48353424	-1.29444935	3.48934356
O	-0.41710859	1.55081712	-1.18610118
C	0.38024004	1.66329614	-2.39428357
C	-0.57356818	2.15665056	-3.49056912
C	-1.94210370	1.67412706	-2.98336175
C	-1.79587215	1.86790514	-1.47584739
H	-2.41849350	1.20585703	-0.87045762
H	-1.99256636	2.90983479	-1.18602530
H	-2.08447926	0.61227186	-3.21501361
H	-2.78239216	2.23630725	-3.40218026
H	-0.31171909	1.75806326	-4.47501306
H	-0.55675141	3.25101921	-3.55378783
H	1.21044158	2.34783408	-2.19889522
H	0.78504921	0.67104017	-2.62213019

**Table 71.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,R*)-6 from LDA 5 mixed dimer with three THF



$G = -1787.931664$  Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1118235.818$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 1.682961577$  kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

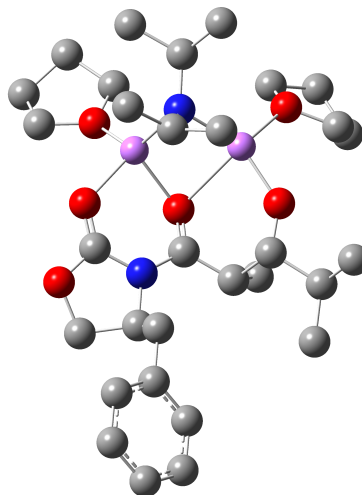
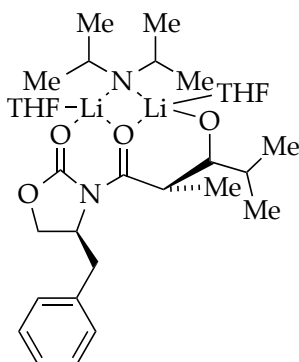
$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -6.022391042$  kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer transition state leading to (*S,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-5.85026579	-1.03413732	2.39118575
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.93586870	H	-3.71257359	-1.39711350	1.38114791
C	0.84537702	0.00000000	2.91454756	H	-2.96551763	-1.88581937	2.92236317
N	0.54357933	0.94978369	3.99139468	N	-1.60182376	1.15907247	-0.36078309
C	1.28722295	1.04040249	5.25469787	C	-1.24661369	2.55248969	-0.65581564
C	0.24190260	1.73369839	6.13488751	H	-0.51467585	2.81118811	0.13178045
H	-0.40291886	1.01636062	6.65606511	C	-0.48953996	2.82094361	-1.98751550
H	0.66949249	2.43095784	6.85704323	H	-1.15061459	2.79024706	-2.85995022
O	-0.55842480	2.47850130	5.19943700	H	-0.02461448	3.81807773	-1.97163009
C	-0.44272501	1.89855108	3.96568657	H	0.30082810	2.07750992	-2.14062469
O	-1.16488740	2.27162926	3.05086281	C	-2.36403517	3.61649533	-0.51110538
Li	-1.62676756	0.98356236	1.65279854	H	-1.93788740	4.62958896	-0.50998153
O	-3.20467027	0.14861662	2.66344289	H	-3.08347131	3.57082046	-1.33732456
C	-3.68166179	-1.19777714	2.45714968	H	-2.91371447	3.47960633	0.42709493
C	-5.06511631	-1.26754455	3.11951468	C	-2.67503364	0.49568530	-1.10394542
C	-4.98164437	-0.15934611	4.18139755	H	-2.59940243	-0.56459060	-0.79622992
C	-4.14553663	0.89704794	3.45987315	C	-2.56202150	0.46328657	-2.64913708
H	-3.57349389	1.55391203	4.11814989	H	-3.26334749	-0.26873537	-3.07488849
H	-4.76777445	1.51646301	2.79873864	H	-2.80092963	1.43420143	-3.09860228
H	-4.45504577	-0.51869589	5.07376371	H	-1.54780783	0.18985557	-2.96164713
H	-5.96115686	0.21778716	4.49090004	C	-4.13066856	0.89905288	-0.73498747
H	-5.27690683	-2.25603853	3.53834215	H	-4.25338902	0.92235531	0.35321217



H	-4.40022776	1.88657061	-1.12310935	C	-0.50710910	-4.07191956	-1.43151300
H	-4.85264158	0.17864714	-1.14837714	C	0.76637129	-3.64530574	-2.18020925
H	1.51388087	0.03701079	5.62253250	C	0.67338153	-2.12267251	-2.10095973
C	2.59169140	1.86550993	5.10813697	H	0.01404910	-1.71961491	-2.88186088
H	3.16517272	1.43839240	4.27930038	H	1.63485076	-1.60656746	-2.14809908
H	2.31669075	2.88719706	4.81792730	H	0.80549497	-4.01303325	-3.21007285
C	3.42147273	1.88884771	6.37337341	H	1.66062462	-3.99931908	-1.65383304
C	4.13224679	0.74950603	6.78156798	H	-1.37411922	-4.01919411	-2.10014325
C	4.87732443	0.75313440	7.96027823	H	-0.45347056	-5.08796640	-1.02912916
C	4.92797609	1.90088205	8.75497978	H	-0.13830757	-3.33566180	0.60732800
C	4.23045887	3.04246198	8.35967202	H	-1.64854888	-2.72310401	-0.10768814
C	3.48411736	3.03370804	7.17926634	O	1.89806551	0.61183581	-0.48442398
H	2.95099787	3.93139707	6.87324913	C	2.45444912	1.43922210	0.22045909
H	4.26832503	3.94304923	8.96697873	H	1.91461215	1.87651984	1.08149480
H	5.51063327	1.90559475	9.67218116	C	3.85264015	1.95109645	-0.01973004
H	5.42324229	-0.13893743	8.25621206	C	3.77083402	3.43736704	-0.42603758
H	4.10831443	-0.14663048	6.16467324	H	3.30553414	4.03883806	0.36423395
C	1.95334966	-0.78239242	3.05745003	H	4.77785589	3.83282559	-0.59867171
H	2.57321545	-0.68865314	3.94126106	H	3.18761624	3.57107063	-1.34291069
C	2.32074115	-1.87421823	2.09202225	C	4.71262201	1.75946294	1.24262425
H	1.70409708	-1.83115626	1.19074808	H	4.29611517	2.31468591	2.09155529
H	3.37317183	-1.80980350	1.77625541	H	4.77786955	0.70454754	1.52814992
H	2.19541531	-2.87658480	2.53374119	H	5.72754609	2.13204140	1.06528272
O	0.09887665	-1.85320275	-0.80692774	H	4.27176101	1.36882509	-0.84861906
C	-0.61525214	-3.01233175	-0.32474159				

**Table 72.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,R*)-6 from LDA 5 mixed dimer with three THF



G = -1787.922574 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118236.553 kcal/mol

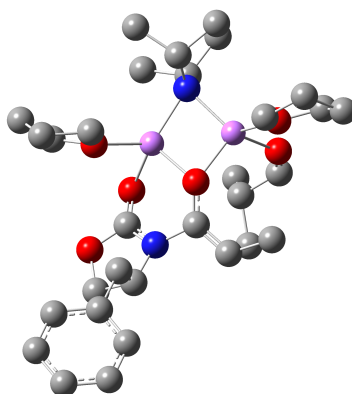
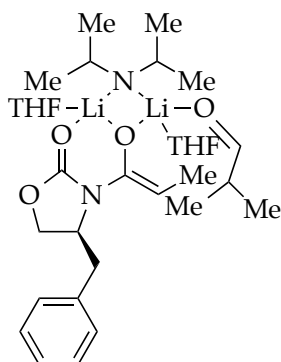
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ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -6.757570092 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer transition state leading to (*S,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-5.58726042	2.12987640	2.02214671
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.51962820	H	-3.91829782	0.59026310	1.20218014
C	1.15788039	0.00000000	2.93904615	H	-4.02427724	-0.42202553	2.66732682
N	1.59527635	1.08428602	3.74776786	N	-0.79952483	1.86576753	0.12913657
C	2.87787254	1.21071710	4.47503610	C	0.32678429	2.81388557	0.04266924
C	2.43021001	2.10910867	5.63640718	H	0.91497189	2.62223332	0.95978369
H	2.07442920	1.53491640	6.49866311	C	1.34019365	2.56887769	-1.10843027
H	3.19394349	2.81827127	5.95495337	H	0.92089189	2.80964566	-2.09046858
O	1.31828227	2.85486026	5.09789265	H	2.23553024	3.19376858	-0.97298195
C	0.77583936	2.17074644	4.06737693	H	1.66336706	1.52146824	-1.11766175
O	-0.26272717	2.52103171	3.54576235	C	-0.01002234	4.32303936	0.10281615
Li	-1.16634854	1.56510553	2.04800030	H	0.90432618	4.91555728	0.24623500
O	-2.98163936	1.35855462	2.87335481	H	-0.47834652	4.67771803	-0.82294612
C	-4.06550151	0.60693546	2.28529925	H	-0.69042211	4.54259541	0.93372604
C	-5.34831917	1.31915458	2.71971301	C	-1.95400494	2.02258685	-0.76367165
C	-4.94695839	1.89104492	4.08840761	H	-2.51791477	1.07911135	-0.64681903
C	-3.49141101	2.29726149	3.84936323	C	-1.67336229	2.12376250	-2.28264151
H	-2.86073999	2.23906090	4.73961034	H	-2.60735024	2.03317524	-2.85514614
H	-3.41570275	3.30996117	3.43371998	H	-1.22239567	3.08573266	-2.55251204
H	-5.00770846	1.11481702	4.86057962	H	-0.99526449	1.32789153	-2.60974525
H	-5.56781032	2.73455013	4.40466641	C	-2.97622854	3.12980737	-0.37884381
H	-6.20716888	0.64282542	2.76529359	H	-3.20584944	3.08145248	0.69247900

H	-2.60410447	4.13656650	-0.59263008
H	-3.91661931	3.00433805	-0.93640606
H	3.19848362	0.23529711	4.84456331
C	3.98788425	1.85043038	3.61020902
H	4.11697792	1.24033587	2.71017388
H	3.63938397	2.83449287	3.27413919
C	5.29878591	1.98408266	4.35759122
C	6.08595079	0.85359883	4.62535757
C	7.28244750	0.96681628	5.33292229
C	7.71511368	2.21557486	5.78480843
C	6.94567183	3.34868562	5.51989940
C	5.74741505	3.23157660	4.81218063
H	5.16051980	4.12208644	4.59685869
H	7.27847271	4.32623457	5.85839290
H	8.64904778	2.30466865	6.33289152
H	7.88108942	0.08036492	5.52488297
H	5.76798091	-0.12136616	4.26263026
C	2.12849102	-1.07406020	2.58740226
H	2.99772899	-1.03739930	3.24658766
C	1.45960063	-2.45287897	2.65976369
H	0.74967041	-2.55009966	1.83572323
H	2.21259871	-3.24133688	2.56571463
H	0.92699025	-2.60546700	3.60559489
O	-1.11740759	-1.45519819	-0.90874038
C	-2.42517615	-1.92225950	-0.52397948
C	-2.48168792	-3.41087902	-0.89860647
C	-0.99823104	-3.81174711	-0.87777270
C	-0.32664832	-2.55498211	-1.42535058
H	-0.36231432	-2.53140969	-2.52395185
H	0.69374252	-2.38620398	-1.07562854
H	-0.78322209	-4.70165179	-1.47765780
H	-0.66469709	-4.00185768	0.14956820
H	-2.89396145	-3.53727479	-1.90666067
H	-3.10154288	-3.99030040	-0.20716456
H	-2.53910040	-1.77352490	0.55773766
H	-3.18328717	-1.32226445	-1.03895221
O	1.61812915	-0.79957649	0.18921186
C	2.63754622	-0.76873175	1.05137425
H	3.12942912	0.23519461	1.12572977
C	3.78096179	-1.76662678	0.66534663
C	4.29619176	-1.39248150	-0.73255027
H	4.79537577	-0.41367188	-0.71368338
H	5.02304240	-2.12938255	-1.09753105
H	3.46496118	-1.33080291	-1.43813608
C	4.95198873	-1.83445314	1.65641055
H	5.38109315	-0.83790322	1.83163096
H	4.66639157	-2.25749464	2.62746443
H	5.75966005	-2.46201180	1.25968359
H	3.31965409	-2.76153905	0.59498607

**Table 73.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*R,R*)-6 from LDA 5 mixed dimer with three THF



G = -1787.93281 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118239.503 kcal/mol

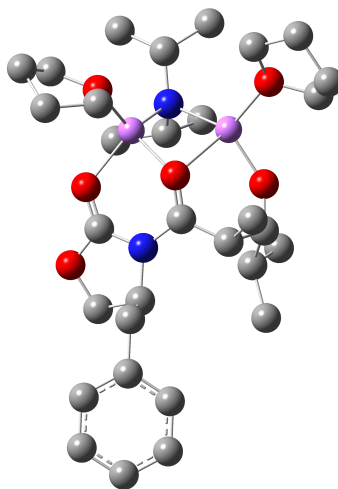
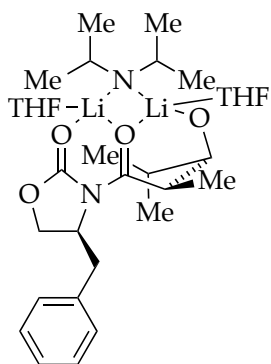
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -2.001858613 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -6.53130097 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-3.07400803	-2.78670353	4.25601622
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.93989790	N	-1.60815550	-1.19089269	-0.35234877
C	0.86219514	0.00000000	2.90700148	C	-2.81958464	-0.43944817	-0.69214531
N	0.60140705	-0.97601693	3.97793963	H	-2.88793277	0.33336914	0.09770654
C	0.65652203	-0.64570120	5.40569771	C	-2.78860321	0.37546935	-2.01681301
C	0.42666091	-2.03849253	6.01628996	H	-2.90012654	-0.25873204	-2.90180022
H	1.36977240	-2.54589600	6.24858572	H	-3.60624680	1.11172745	-2.03998476
H	-0.20546258	-2.02732525	6.90587075	H	-1.83887256	0.91290257	-2.10578500
O	-0.24819432	-2.78278851	4.98435429	C	-4.17113727	-1.19513293	-0.62450244
C	-0.02298484	-2.16855203	3.78388739	H	-5.01528285	-0.49316093	-0.68877101
O	-0.37517197	-2.69799450	2.73425005	H	-4.28215260	-1.90651889	-1.45086886
Li	-1.36044558	-1.33341289	1.63387516	H	-4.26036795	-1.75462343	0.31363704
O	-2.91879316	-1.17940228	2.96682295	C	-1.30317917	-2.44509638	-1.05076927
C	-3.63185811	-2.35966802	3.41616332	H	-0.25439019	-2.65734763	-0.77996116
C	-5.03187525	-1.88005304	3.82438777	C	-1.31393222	-2.42323290	-2.59836559
C	-4.79766885	-0.39674360	4.15523549	H	-0.85785076	-3.33847424	-3.00171930
C	-3.75062893	-0.01263102	3.11110434	H	-2.33146981	-2.36914510	-3.00339950
H	-3.10559621	0.81968344	3.40563767	H	-0.75089693	-1.56462923	-2.98142076
H	-4.21765701	0.22540552	2.14639244	C	-2.07751467	-3.70294118	-0.56588872
H	-4.38771761	-0.28619215	5.16669924	H	-2.03541244	-3.77914772	0.52729892
H	-5.70500216	0.21108451	4.08670186	H	-3.13084771	-3.68874610	-0.86556088
H	-5.43789483	-2.45256910	4.66376107	H	-1.63229310	-4.61981104	-0.97976945
H	-5.72963456	-1.97271496	2.98423476	H	1.64523659	-0.26877897	5.67865417
H	-3.64702996	-3.08989019	2.60167995	C	-0.41167098	0.40702382	5.78480351

H	-0.26253145	1.26299689	5.11665923	C	2.63785637	-3.95493910	-0.20601651
H	-1.40158259	-0.01044701	5.56370876	H	3.58437056	-4.05576023	-0.75267321
C	-0.32498777	0.84267237	7.23024861	H	2.59789319	-4.75070622	0.54516796
C	0.69283335	1.71291349	7.65016112	H	1.81419953	-4.11487211	-0.90946941
C	0.80134351	2.09708674	8.98625747	C	3.66377208	-2.37747671	1.51398158
C	-0.10992551	1.61801318	9.93058751	H	3.53150920	-1.43625440	2.05745824
C	-1.12997176	0.75615228	9.52699472	H	3.65230547	-3.19847435	2.23941510
C	-1.23393452	0.37306948	8.18797364	H	4.64938067	-2.37409708	1.03040879
H	-2.03929643	-0.29044903	7.87916792	H	3.55070897	-1.51892628	-1.16714724
H	-1.84856552	0.38352703	10.25238055	O	0.11285002	1.91721269	-0.67574672
H	-0.02773567	1.91914838	10.97143467	C	-0.73610078	2.96952350	-0.16426552
H	1.59424832	2.77561506	9.29015437	C	-0.61118739	4.13082971	-1.15764318
H	1.39925121	2.09936730	6.91823982	C	0.79163092	3.90942394	-1.74551437
C	1.95278130	0.79254813	3.08563608	C	0.86057292	2.38405491	-1.81691728
H	2.59033970	0.61403423	3.94714055	H	1.87013614	1.97420298	-1.74409650
C	2.33714510	1.91229567	2.16120506	H	0.39058129	2.00284262	-2.73399166
H	1.66855218	1.95080788	1.29711204	H	1.55931024	4.29398451	-1.06367971
H	2.30313097	2.89419142	2.66004232	H	0.93248899	4.38245775	-2.72220099
H	3.36357377	1.79728983	1.78117903	H	-0.73110914	5.10560801	-0.67526541
O	1.80354487	-0.61958433	-0.76116799	H	-1.36945063	4.04556369	-1.94460323
C	2.62510569	-1.49622870	-0.55100645	H	-1.75418116	2.57944979	-0.07718965
C	2.53030566	-2.58237829	0.48669642	H	-0.37523615	3.24145398	0.83460569
H	1.56333808	-2.49457179	0.99154989				

**Table 74.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*R,R*)-6 from LDA 5 mixed dimer with three THF



G = -1787.923007 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118237.143 kcal/mol

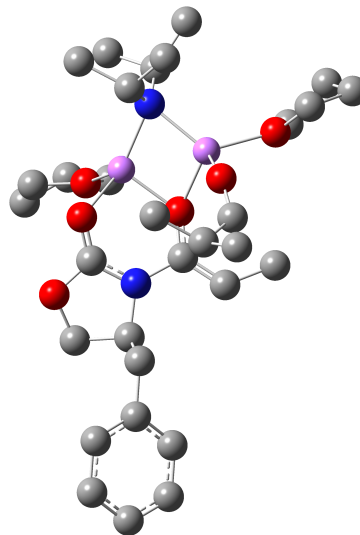
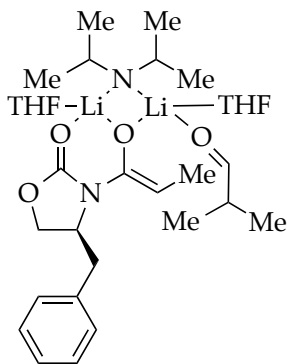
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 0.358166598 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -4.171275759 kcal/mol vs. 5 LDA mixed dimer transition state leading to (*R,R*)-6

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-5.58051682	-1.54485469	4.02487542
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.47464250	H	-4.40001188	-2.59706676	2.20357967
C	1.15079854	0.00000000	2.91988682	H	-3.11766922	-3.19930217	3.28321254
N	1.60660256	-1.12499448	3.65438118	N	-0.91225560	-1.83355722	0.05465841
C	2.82008343	-1.18313433	4.49520342	C	-2.18478787	-1.93453700	-0.67432899
C	2.90570596	-2.69679863	4.72558204	H	-2.86497444	-1.26281697	-0.12006664
H	3.50314501	-3.20065996	3.95929424	C	-2.20324770	-1.38590905	-2.12821162
H	3.27090060	-2.96617053	5.71668189	H	-1.68894919	-2.04831831	-2.83165671
O	1.54102293	-3.15248687	4.60692041	H	-3.23823801	-1.27520454	-2.48519684
C	0.83762297	-2.27284283	3.86228765	H	-1.72051948	-0.40404556	-2.17311050
O	-0.28882410	-2.51553060	3.47792588	C	-2.89191472	-3.31263802	-0.66943052
Li	-1.19213049	-1.52085864	1.97492852	H	-3.92780870	-3.21908146	-1.02576851
O	-2.99154764	-1.19245815	2.78577924	H	-2.39043051	-4.03223730	-1.32690989
C	-3.79650375	-2.36181589	3.08423710	H	-2.91390300	-3.74253484	0.33889565
C	-4.62681735	-1.99777821	4.32028188	C	0.18519954	-2.76844638	-0.24644519
C	-3.73596387	-0.95777062	5.01806319	H	1.05233570	-2.34187052	0.28919208
C	-3.14920017	-0.20390046	3.82541791	C	0.64577356	-2.86706209	-1.72105131
H	-2.16947444	0.24259902	4.01128079	H	1.60356149	-3.40116448	-1.79137779
H	-3.83367213	0.57939152	3.47090314	H	-0.07391415	-3.41504329	-2.34082963
H	-2.93868431	-1.45497507	5.58275469	H	0.78149129	-1.87140078	-2.15864112
H	-4.28586267	-0.30296848	5.70095805	C	0.05008360	-4.20862929	0.32275828
H	-4.84497817	-2.86979241	4.94367774	H	-0.26379834	-4.18227342	1.37244485

H	-0.67653269	-4.81313310	-0.22994119
H	1.01461489	-4.73517772	0.27111054
H	3.68720201	-0.83349763	3.93682113
C	2.64913310	-0.37154463	5.80212971
H	2.38981825	0.65891198	5.53270311
H	1.79389004	-0.78056737	6.35421558
C	3.88931893	-0.38946273	6.67103200
C	5.01910394	0.36292085	6.31659654
C	6.17335136	0.33104569	7.09837968
C	6.21688250	-0.45403609	8.25289508
C	5.09860115	-1.20269725	8.62005844
C	3.94487547	-1.16934976	7.83385368
H	3.07283466	-1.74688709	8.13372115
H	5.11985053	-1.81041418	9.52065345
H	7.11497209	-0.47732088	8.86384889
H	7.03719894	0.92301645	6.80849229
H	4.99257219	0.98713815	5.42569062
C	2.10417831	1.09407731	2.60951126
H	2.96069608	1.09427917	3.28624623
C	1.40467615	2.45851598	2.64781834
H	0.64994183	2.50323025	1.85981110
H	0.91864723	2.65437581	3.61162166
H	2.14048256	3.25015930	2.47021987
O	1.66249264	0.67625247	0.20265743
C	2.66482537	0.86496780	1.05388370
C	3.78243907	-0.23112781	1.01492996
H	3.39556497	-1.14158767	1.50101272
C	4.09276292	-0.59221951	-0.44432725
H	4.47569350	0.28356231	-0.98517409
H	4.85441544	-1.38062600	-0.50067445
H	3.18945872	-0.92915505	-0.95541843
C	5.07695156	0.21043405	1.71743872
H	4.93664036	0.48507234	2.77115614
H	5.83561330	-0.58122277	1.68591729
H	5.50138576	1.08929350	1.21512142
H	3.19509110	1.83991455	0.90221973
O	-1.07502024	1.57941016	-0.70335328
C	-2.40901281	1.99805027	-0.35272115
C	-2.50232994	3.48644189	-0.72373722
C	-1.03207296	3.93487003	-0.67508026
C	-0.31308212	2.69827372	-1.20992229
H	0.70979109	2.55491513	-0.85654888
H	-0.32989317	2.67507866	-2.30923632
H	-0.72458072	4.13724619	0.35807267
H	-0.83412774	4.83070250	-1.27200821
H	-3.15177933	4.04517545	-0.04258268
H	-2.89961581	3.60435557	-1.73874434
H	-3.12967519	1.37352106	-0.89033532
H	-2.54596124	1.83661548	0.72394141

**Table 75.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived reactants leading to (*S,S*)-**6** from LDA **5** mixed dimer with three THF



G = -1787.929557 Hartree

G<sub>MP2</sub> = -1118235.511 kcal/mol

ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = 1.990613531 kcal/mol vs. **5** LDA mixed dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

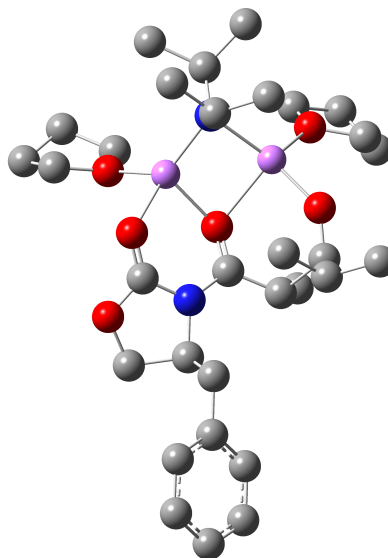
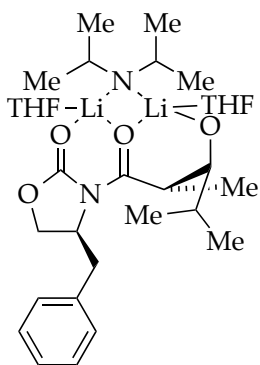
ΔG<sub>MP2</sub> = -6.484736567 kcal/mol vs. **5** LDA mixed dimer transition state leading to (*S,S*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000	H	-5.47382112	1.75328680	4.90729562
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.94436310	H	-5.14110030	-0.94002336	4.54281314
C	0.92776819	0.00000000	2.84008441	H	-5.70360632	0.03817787	3.17778532
N	0.83590704	1.07743400	3.83145021	H	-3.72684041	-0.80600147	2.12707949
C	1.51799883	1.08722881	5.13200798	H	-2.88089467	-1.01563771	3.67826132
C	0.57213565	1.99981760	5.92206224	N	-1.61338894	1.15293923	-0.37167491
H	-0.22519987	1.43795237	6.42228391	C	-1.20857313	2.41311298	-1.01162178
H	1.08035228	2.63697977	6.64729574	H	-0.41543361	2.80414923	-0.35225230
O	-0.01907469	2.84042909	4.91250383	C	-0.52312471	2.29187580	-2.40144434
C	0.04969497	2.19028021	3.71027137	H	-1.23080631	2.04881420	-3.20142531
O	-0.53342296	2.64043545	2.73367393	H	-0.03466299	3.23824018	-2.67649739
Li	-1.42272708	1.27248758	1.62091755	H	0.24774326	1.51264802	-2.38188794
O	-2.93417055	0.91908550	2.95924549	C	-2.25944644	3.54794542	-1.08284032
C	-3.56699153	-0.36966601	3.11805928	H	-1.78226475	4.49848228	-1.35930517
C	-4.87509141	-0.11126185	3.87963426	H	-3.03415365	3.34768177	-1.83296797
C	-4.57356181	1.19714154	4.62862128	H	-2.75216757	3.68691808	-0.11360937
C	-3.71171008	1.94355861	3.61103696	C	-2.80695151	0.44138609	-0.83172569
H	-3.01354370	2.66213163	4.04561301	H	-2.76813521	-0.52713655	-0.29572208
H	-4.33216870	2.45905727	2.86458186	C	-2.87861448	0.06024903	-2.33211511
H	-3.99884962	0.99650852	5.54093309	H	-3.68752004	-0.66238088	-2.51419566



H	-3.07859951	0.93192315	-2.96580955	O	0.19100156	-1.81441653	-0.90888674
H	-1.93551972	-0.38735176	-2.66538229	C	-0.71907020	-2.91706016	-0.70246026
C	-4.18167813	1.04108669	-0.41962469	C	-0.80684872	-3.64069951	-2.04817912
H	-4.17065660	1.31282907	0.64126902	C	0.58856977	-3.38569497	-2.63993449
H	-4.43608577	1.93812060	-0.99270797	C	0.87546819	-1.95657119	-2.17265944
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H	1.53840405	0.07382489	5.54005028	H	1.93694252	-1.75040069	-2.00995620
C	2.95684610	1.66038164	5.04913208	H	0.62176549	-3.48305284	-3.72923391
H	3.50343271	1.10144768	4.28302430	H	1.31875399	-4.08338520	-2.21269363
H	2.89064828	2.69854018	4.70111781	H	-1.57760480	-3.18132151	-2.67716584
C	3.69335124	1.59819046	6.37012256	H	-1.04362910	-4.70320431	-1.93692255
C	4.14361296	0.36951238	6.87756001	H	-0.30809356	-3.56439188	0.08320894
C	4.80180062	0.29845294	8.10483362	H	-1.67445171	-2.51048706	-0.36080749
C	5.02498297	1.45909061	8.84951558	O	1.87817951	0.75396874	-0.21156450
C	4.58683344	2.68799718	8.35583969	C	2.95009658	0.73915110	0.37114889
C	3.92655764	2.75429900	7.12691149	C	3.69205762	1.97613794	0.82591759
H	3.59698025	3.71809578	6.74469780	C	5.06785592	2.01439832	0.12513321
H	4.76095710	3.59801394	8.92400044	H	5.67329795	2.83320035	0.52743217
H	5.54041576	1.40523110	9.80458200	H	5.62581533	1.08160660	0.27031747
H	5.14542149	-0.66283852	8.47790290	H	4.95217141	2.17892005	-0.95249625
H	3.98363041	-0.53968860	6.30125682	C	2.88272863	3.25772553	0.62102882
C	1.95050765	-0.89473685	2.97969244	H	1.91586759	3.20413366	1.13006951
H	2.65350108	-0.78587376	3.79733795	H	3.43482739	4.12128797	1.00840308
C	2.06745185	-2.14338114	2.14982658	H	2.68427621	3.42778026	-0.44224279
H	1.49976547	-2.05931512	1.21896262	H	3.87735319	1.81914827	1.89967083
H	3.11398536	-2.35659064	1.88692283	H	3.46958700	-0.22146095	0.55166058
H	1.69756431	-3.03614867	2.68094848				

**Table 76.** Geometric coordinates and thermally corrected MP2 energies for IRC derived products leading to (*S,S*)-**6** from LDA **5** mixed dimer with three THF



$G = -1787.916425$  Hartree

$G_{\text{MP2}} = -1118232.469$  kcal/mol

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = 5.032631344$  kcal/mol vs. **5** LDA mixed dimer with three THF and isobutyraldehyde

$\Delta G_{\text{MP2}} = -3.442718754$  kcal/mol vs. **5** LDA mixed dimer transition state leading to (*S,S*)-**6**

Atom	X	Y	Z	Atom	X	Y	Z
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Li	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000
O	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.26901720
C	1.07426693	0.00000000	2.87767923
N	1.24685024	0.91833153	3.94810413
C	2.21333603	0.81267874	5.06247810
C	1.39420625	1.48966935	6.17321703
H	0.77550864	0.77852212	6.73084524
H	2.00152246	2.07246407	6.86532429
O	0.51960934	2.39686988	5.46724838
C	0.34731588	1.95399934	4.20115550
O	-0.46806499	2.44799559	3.44961533
Li	-1.36325255	1.41523569	1.95034998
O	-2.99911471	0.95967171	3.05719657
C	-3.84837524	-0.18230986	2.79929277
C	-5.24866170	0.21233565	3.28400427
C	-4.93872745	1.25115087	4.37412848
C	-3.73184491	1.97465870	3.77924122
H	-3.05624894	2.41206619	4.51746427
H	-4.04260504	2.75927023	3.07633255
H	-4.66483929	0.75562633	5.31343414
H	-5.77450365	1.92767354	4.57628464
H	-5.81959384	-0.64596781	3.65067407
H	-5.81633290	0.67608001	2.46958896
H	-3.80885790	-0.40876763	1.72975555
H	-3.44813996	-1.03786137	3.35778846
N	-1.33796007	1.57828308	-0.01142516
C	-0.60291623	2.79718846	-0.38968593
H	0.13222269	2.93062746	0.42362805
C	0.26562607	2.70654516	-1.67486581
H	-0.33731193	2.69778066	-2.58875234
H	0.94582122	3.56818140	-1.74182990
H	0.88005268	1.79869504	-1.66378564
C	-1.39740917	4.12543669	-0.42466664
H	-0.71217503	4.98192302	-0.48890505
H	-2.06576398	4.18343293	-1.29220318
H	-2.00588347	4.24534300	0.47976793
C	-2.57083552	1.21770117	-0.71932532
H	-2.79027286	0.19087374	-0.37300892
C	-2.50112986	1.10702040	-2.26212402
H	-3.40817190	0.62738091	-2.65790781
H	-2.42536078	2.09083021	-2.73929961
H	-1.63560371	0.51112566	-2.57020825
C	-3.84747119	2.02397788	-0.34647552
H	-3.93693523	2.11311382	0.74233811
H	-3.84060441	3.03610768	-0.76258298
H	-4.75121359	1.52194247	-0.72395456
H	2.39237343	-0.23929392	5.29504387
C	3.55229145	1.53351112	4.78588380

H	3.98452629	1.12681073	3.86715608
H	3.34440225	2.59250926	4.59294601
C	4.52912900	1.38772125	5.93459900
C	5.18025911	0.16606150	6.16307862
C	6.06307600	0.01436353	7.23176017
C	6.31330160	1.08616383	8.09183013
C	5.67851153	2.30879086	7.87225073
C	4.79362310	2.45616921	6.80180086
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H	5.87444845	3.15166325	8.52954097
H	7.00401017	0.97002917	8.92243346
H	6.56169522	-0.93835641	7.38878216
H	5.00521861	-0.67055571	5.48938468
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H	3.01575428	-0.84609454	3.20215514
C	1.66910424	-2.35541738	2.40433702
H	0.96551316	-2.43651113	1.57214441
H	2.51297978	-3.02620514	2.21096842
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H	1.28694168	-2.09194188	-1.27219699
H	0.46194013	-4.63298449	-2.02003088
H	0.37983992	-4.16969886	-0.30804030
H	-1.87471585	-4.07809977	-2.37881433
H	-1.97067833	-4.70792966	-0.73009719
H	-2.21049568	-2.49903476	0.18464256
H	-2.67314396	-2.04638993	-1.47053518
O	1.79112568	-0.36516557	0.08117159
C	2.76071560	-0.51380077	0.97525680
C	3.79816297	0.65332942	1.01666435
C	4.68130069	0.56079225	-0.23883517
H	5.44175746	1.35146961	-0.25155948
H	5.19846584	-0.40541776	-0.29266421
H	4.06260923	0.66219901	-1.13675583
C	3.15747384	2.04332148	1.09467243
H	2.55170587	2.18246650	1.99672054
H	3.92446613	2.82807944	1.09038642
H	2.50236227	2.19878981	0.23373452
H	4.45385454	0.50021019	1.89086447
H	3.37663750	-1.43461546	0.8141097