

Supporting Information

Beyond the Classical Electron-Sharing and Dative Bond Picture: The Case of Spin-Polarized Bond

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Methods

All geometries were optimized with symmetry constraints within the DFT (density functional theory) framework using a series of functionals: BP86,^[1] PBE,^[2] B3LYP^[3] TPSS,^[4] M06L,^[5] X3LYP,^[6] PBE0,^[2, 7] mPW1K,^[8] BHHLYP,^[9] TPSSh,^[4, 10] M06,^[11] M06-2X,^[11] CAM-B3LYP,^[12] wB97x,^[13] B2PLYP,^[14] mPW2PLYP,^[15] PBE0DH,^[16] and PBEQIDH.^[17] The Dunning's basis set aug-cc-pVTZ (AVTZ) was selected for H, B, N, Na atoms.^[18] These calculations were performed using the Gaussian 16 C01 software suite.^[19] The stationary points were located with the Berny algorithm^[20] using redundant internal coordinates. Analytical Hessians were computed to determine the nature of stationary points^[21] and to calculate thermal corrections and entropy effects using the standard statistical-mechanics relationships for an ideal gas.^[22] The optimization at HF/AVTZ, MP2/AVTZ, CCSD/AVTZ, and CCSD(T)/AVTZ calculations were performed by employing MOLPRO 2019.1^[23] software program package.

Multiconfigurational calculations for the lowest singlet and triplet states were undertaken using the SS-CASPT2//SS-CASPT2 protocol, that is SS-CASPT2 energies on SS-CASPT2 optimized geometries, as implemented the 1.2.2 version of Bagel.^[24] SS-CASSCF wave functions with different active spaces were employed as a reference. The aug-cc-pVQZ (AVQZ) basis with the auxiliary cc-pVQZ-JKFIT basis set for density fitting were employed.

The reference CASSCF wave function for NaBH_3^- includes 8 electrons in 8 orbitals as shown in Figure S1. The selected active space consists of the $3s$ orbital of the Na, the $2s$ and $2p$ boron orbitals and the $1s$ orbitals of the three hydrogen atoms. For BH_4^- , the active space, shown in Figure S2, contains the $2s$ and the three $2p$ orbitals of boron and the $1s$ orbitals of each hydrogen atom. In contrast to the former systems, the (12,12) active space of NH_3BH_3 incorporates the $2s$ and $2p$ nitrogen orbitals, which replace the orbitals of Na, See Figure S3.

The CASPT2/aug-cc-pVQZ dissociation curve for NaBH_3^- , see Figure S4, was calculated using the external interface included in Gaussian16.^[4] This interface allows performing relaxed scans using CASPT2 gradients, by linking Gaussian to Bagel. Interestingly, in contrast with monoconfigurational methods which only optimize the global C_s triplet minimum, CASPT2 localizes an additional triplet minimum of C_{3v} symmetry, 7.7 kcal/mol over the singlet global minimum, underscoring the multireference character of this system.

The analysis of the CASSCF wave function along the dissociation curve reveals the multiconfigurational character of the system not only for significantly stretched Na-B bond

distances, but also at the equilibrium geometry. In fact, Truhlar's M diagnostic calculated half way to dissociation ($d_{\text{Na-B}}=4.5 \text{ \AA}$) and for the dissociated system ($d_{\text{Na-B}}=7 \text{ \AA}$) respectively amounts to 0.17 and 0.15, which correspond to strongly multiconfigurational situations according to the literature.^[25] Even more correlated is the electronic structure of the system in the proximity of the equilibrium position ($d_{\text{Na-B}}=2.75 \text{ \AA}$) where M was predicted to amount to $M=0.32$.

For the calculation of bond orders and electronic spin calculations, single-point CASSCF/AVTZ calculations on the NaBH_3^- , BH_4^- and NH_3BH_3 CCSD(T)/AVTZ optimized structures were performed with pySCF.^[26] The first- and second-order reduced density matrices necessary for the calculation of the local spin have been processed with APOST3D.^[27] For BH_4^- , and NaBH_3^- , we used the (8,8) active spaces described above and in Figures S1-S2. For NH_3BH_3 , an active space of 12 electrons in 12 orbitals has been used, including eight E orbitals and eight electrons associated to the B-H and N-H bonds, and four A_1 orbitals and four electrons for the B-N interaction.

The energy decomposition analysis (EDA) with the natural orbitals for chemical valence (NOCV) calculations on the optimized CCSD(T)/AVTZ geometries were carried out with ADF 2019.103.^[28] The basis sets for all elements have quadruple- ζ quality augmented by four sets of polarizations functions. The level of theory used were BP86/QZ4P, M06L/QZ4P, and PBE0/QZ4P.^[29] Scalar relativistic effects have been incorporated by applying the zeroth-order regular approximation (ZORA).^[30]

Table S1. Triplet (ΔE_T) and BS (ΔE_{BS}) electronic energies relative to the CS solution (in kcal/mol) and Na-B equilibrium distance (R_e in Å) for singlet (CS), triplet (T), and singlet open shell (BS) states of NaBH_3^- at different levels of theory. $\langle S^2 \rangle$ and diradical character (n_{rad}).^a

| Method ^b | | CS (C_{3v}) | | T (C_s) | | BS (C_{3v}) | | $\langle S^2 \rangle$ | n_{rad} (%) |
|---------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| | | R_e | ΔE_T | R_e | ΔE_{BS} | R_e | | | |
| HF | | 4.865 | -7.4 | 2.557 | -7.8 | 2.797 | 0.89 | 67 | |
| MP2 | | 2.763 | -3.9 | 2.581 | -4.8 | 2.710 | 0.90 | 68 ^c | |
| CCSD | | 2.794 | 1.6 | 2.574 | -0.7 | 2.742 | 0.90 | 68 ^c | |
| CCSD(T) | | 2.719 | 5.2 | 2.580 | | | | 0.14 ^d | |
| CASSCF(8,8) | | 2.862 | 5.0 | 2.556 | | | | 56 ^e | |
| CASPT2(8,8) | | 2.666 | 4.3 | 2.552 | | | | 56 ^e | |
| BP86 | GGA | 2.707 | 6.3 | 2.579 | -0.4 | 2.702 | 0.30 | 16 | |
| PBE | GGA | 2.690 | 6.0 | 2.562 | -0.6 | 2.6801 | 0.35 | 19 | |
| TPSS | meta-GGA | 2.757 | 5.3 | 2.553 | -1.4 | 2.726 | 0.47 | 27 | |
| M06L | meta-GGA | 2.699 | 1.5 | 2.482 | -2.9 | 2.668 | 0.71 | 46 | |
| B3LYP | Hybrid GGA | 2.763 | 6.3 | 2.565 | -0.5 | 2.736 | 0.35 | 19 | |
| X3LYP | Hybrid GGA | 2.759 | 6.4 | 2.557 | -0.5 | 2.730 | 0.35 | 19 | |
| PBE0 | Hybrid GGA | 2.743 | 1.7 | 2.536 | -2.8 | 2.681 | 0.61 | 38 | |
| mPW1K | Hybrid GGA | 2.760 | 1.1 | 2.543 | -3.1 | 2.692 | 0.63 | 39 | |
| BHLYP | Hybrid GGA | 2.862 | 2.7 | 2.533 | -2.3 | 2.729 | 0.59 | 36 | |
| TPPSh | Hybrid mGGA | 2.774 | 3.9 | 2.543 | -2.1 | 2.723 | 0.54 | 32 | |
| M06 | Hybrid mGGA | 2.811 | 5.6 | 2.547 | -0.4 | 2.722 | 0.43 | 25 | |
| M06-2X | Hybrid mGGA | 2.698 | 3.9 | 2.536 | -3.8 | 2.701 | 0.55 | 33 | |
| CAM-B3LYP | RS hybrid | 2.745 | 2.1 | 2.529 | -2.9 | 2.674 | 0.61 | 38 | |
| wB97x | RS hybrid | 2.828 | 0.8 | 2.515 | -3.7 | 2.668 | 0.63 | 39 | |
| B2PLYP | Double Hybrid | 2.753 | -0.4 | 2.562 | -4.1 | 2.732 | 0.70 | 45 | |
| mPW2PLYP | Double Hybrid | 2.759 | 0.0 | 2.553 | -3.9 | 2.722 | 0.69 | 44 | |
| PBE0DH | Double Hybrid | 2.767 | -2.8 | 2.528 | -5.7 | 2.679 | 0.75 | 50 | |
| PBEQIDH | Double Hybrid | 2.766 | -6.4 | 2.535 | -8.2 | 2.683 | 0.89 | 67 | |

^a computed from $\langle S^2 \rangle$ as described in [31].

^b in combination with the AVTZ, except for CASSCF where the AVQZ was employed.

^c from $\langle S^2 \rangle$ of the HF wavefunction.

^d largest t_2 amplitude.

^e derived from the CI coefficient of the doubly-excited configuration.

Table S2. Electronic energies (in Hartrees) for singlet (CS), triplet (T), and singlet open shell (BS) states of NaBH_3^- .

| Method | CS (C_{3v}) | T (C_s) | BS (C_{3v}) |
|-----------------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|
| HF/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.2556577 | -188.2674803 | -188.2680566 |
| MP2/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.4014534 | -188.4075964 | -188.4090271 |
| CCSD/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.4323077 | -188.42972 | -188.4333956 |
| CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.4430112 | -188.4347851 | -- |
| BP86/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9523477 | -188.9422874 | -188.9529793 |
| PBE/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.7750556 | -188.7655621 | -188.7759658 |
| TPSS/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9702435 | -188.9618539 | -188.9724599 |
| M06L/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9195959 | -188.9172064 | -188.9241653 |
| B3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9688797 | -188.9588047 | -188.9697395 |
| X3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9126212 | -188.9023772 | -188.9134973 |
| PBE0/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.7930286 | -188.7903253 | -188.7974385 |
| mPW1K/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9241779 | -188.9224379 | -188.9290925 |
| BHLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9085799 | -188.9043136 | -188.9122205 |
| TPPSh/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.958564 | -188.9522839 | -188.9619671 |
| M06/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9013114 | -188.8923961 | -188.9019466 |
| M06-2X/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.892193 | -188.8859512 | -188.8981801 |
| CAM-B3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.9049954 | -188.9016208 | -188.90965 |
| wB97x/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.90736 | -188.9060982 | -188.9131892 |
| B2PLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.7304605 | -188.7311592 | -188.7369521 |
| mPW2PLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.74344 | -188.7434972 | -188.7496474 |
| PBE0DH/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.7368426 | -188.7413625 | -188.7458625 |
| PBEQIDH/aug-cc-pVTZ | -188.6259554 | -188.636177 | -188.6389847 |

Table S3. CASSCF Configuration Interactions (CI) vector computed for BH_4^- , NH_3BH_3 , and NaBH_3^- at the equilibrium structure.

| BH_4^- | | NH_3BH_3 | | NaBH_3^- | |
|-----------------|---------|--------------------------|---------|-------------------|---------|
| Configuration | CI | Configuration | CI | Configuration | CI |
| (22220000) | 0.9804 | (222222000000) | -0.9714 | (22220000) | 0.9009 |
| (22200200) | -0.0594 | (202222200000) | 0.0506 | (22202000) | -0.3963 |
| (20220002) | -0.0558 | | | (22020020) | -0.0522 |
| (22020020) | -0.0505 | | | (20220002) | -0.0522 |

Table S4. NBO and AIM charges (Q (E), E = H, NH₃, Na), atomic spin density (ρ_s), Wiberg Bond Order (WBO_{NBO}), AIM Delocalization Index (DI_{AIM}), Local Spins ($\langle S^2 \rangle$), EDA Orbital Interaction (ΔE_{orb} in kcal/mol) and electron density values at the E-B (3,-1) point (ρ_{BCP}) of BH₄⁻, NH₃BH₃, and CS and BS NaBH₃⁻ at BP86/AVTZ.^a

| | BH ₄ ⁻ | NH ₃ BH ₃ | NaBH ₃ ⁻ (CS) | NaBH ₃ ⁻ (BS) |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Q(E) _{NBO} / Q(B) _{NBO} | -0.05/-0.79 | +0.38/-0.25 | -0.25/-0.51 | -0.23/-0.54 |
| $\rho_s(E)_{NBO} / \rho_s(E)_{AIM}$ | | | | 0.46 / 0.42 |
| Q(E) _{AIM} / Q(B) _{AIM} | -0.65/1.61 | 0.08/1.76 | -0.22/1.39 | -0.20/1.36 |
| ρ_{BCP} | 0.15 | 0.11 | 0.014 | 0.014 |
| WBO _{NBO} / DI _{AIM} | 1.00/0.58 | 0.66/0.36 | 0.93/0.47 | 0.73/0.39 |
| $\langle S^2 \rangle_E / \langle S^2 \rangle_B$ | | | | 0.20/0.11 |
| $\Delta E_{orb}(E \bullet + \bullet B)$ | -100.7 | -257.9 | -18.9 | -19.5 |
| $\Delta E_{orb}(E : + B)$ | -154.7 | -77.9 | -39.0 | -39.6 |

^a on CCSD(T)/AVTZ structures.

Table S5. NBO and AIM charges (Q (E), E = H, NH₃, Na), atomic spin density (ρ_s), Wiberg Bond Order (WBO_{NBO}), AIM Delocalization Index (DI_{AIM}), Local Spins ($\langle S^2 \rangle$), EDA Orbital Interaction (ΔE_{orb} in kcal/mol), and electron density values at the E-B (3,-1) point (ρ_{BCP}) of BH₄⁻, NH₃BH₃, and CS and BS NaBH₃⁻ at M06L/AVTZ.^a

| | BH ₄ ⁻ | NH ₃ BH ₃ | NaBH ₃ ⁻ (CS) | NaBH ₃ ⁻ (BS) |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Q(E) _{NBO} / Q(B) _{NBO} | -0.09/-0.65 | 0.36/-0.15 | -0.31/-0.38 | -0.18/-0.49 |
| $\rho_s(E)_{NBO} / \rho_s(E)_{AIM}$ | | | | 0.68 / 0.67 |
| Q(E) _{AIM} / Q(B) _{AIM} | -0.70/1.78 | 0.08/1.88 | -0.26/1.54 | -0.20/1.46 |
| ρ | 0.15 | 0.10 | 0.013 | 0.013 |
| WBO _{NBO} / DI _{AIM} | 0.99/0.53 | 0.64/0.33 | 0.90/0.43 | 0.49/0.25 |
| $\langle S^2 \rangle_E / \langle S^2 \rangle_B$ | | | | 0.50/0.27 |
| $\Delta E_{orb}(E \bullet + \bullet B)$ | -106.6 | -270.0 | -22.1 | -24.8 |
| $\Delta E_{orb}(E : + B)$ | -153.2 | -70.4 | -38.2 | -41.0 |

^a on CCSD(T)/AVTZ structures.

Table S6. Energy decomposition analysis (EDA) of NaBH_3^- (CS), NaBH_3^- (BS), BH_4^- and NH_3BH_3 at the BP86/QZ4P level of theory.^a Energy values are given in kcal/mol.

| (NaBH ₃) ⁻ Singlet closed-shell | | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| | Na ⁻ (s ²); BH ₃ (A ₁ ⁰) | Na(s ¹); BH ₃ ⁻ (A ₁ ¹) | Na ⁺ (s ⁰); BH ₃ ²⁻ (A ₁ ²) |
| ΔE_{int} | -22.3 | -30.7 | -280.9 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 33.7 | 28.6 | 67.3 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -17.0 (30.4%) | -40.5(68.2%) | -287.7(82.6%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -39.0 (69.6%) | -18.9 (31.8%) | -60.5(17.4%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 1.2 | 9.6 | 259.9 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 21.1 | 21.1 | 21.1 |
| (NaBH ₃) ⁻ Broken Symmetry | | | |
| | Na ⁻ (s ²); BH ₃ (A ₁ ⁰) | Na(s ¹); BH ₃ ⁻ (A ₁ ¹) | Na ⁺ (s ⁰); BH ₃ ²⁻ (A ₁ ²) |
| ΔE_{int} | -22.9 | -31.3 | -281.6 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 33.7 | 28.6 | 67.3 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -17.0(30.0%) | -40.5(67.5%) | -287.7(82.5%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -39.6(70.0%) | -19.5 (32.5%) | -61.1(17.5%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 1.2 | 9.6 | 259.9 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 21.7 | 21.7 | 21.7 |
| BH ₄ ⁻ | | | |
| | H ⁻ (s ²); BH ₃ (A ₁ ⁰) | H(s ¹); BH ₃ ⁻ (A ₁ ¹) | H ⁺ (s ⁰); BH ₃ ²⁻ (A ₁ ²) |
| ΔE_{int} | -101.7 | -102.6 | -535.7 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 137.9 | 39.2 | 0.0 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -84.9(35.4%) | -41.1(29.0%) | -245.8(45.9%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -154.7(64.6%) | -100.7 (71.0%) | -289.9(54.1%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 22.2 | 23.1 | 456.2 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 79.5 | 79.5 | 79.5 |
| H ₃ N-BH ₃ | | | |
| | NH ₃ (A ₁ ²); BH ₃ (A ₁ ⁰) | NH ₃ ⁺ (A ₁ ¹); BH ₃ ⁻ (A ₁ ¹) | NH ₃ ²⁺ (A ₁ ⁰); BH ₃ ²⁻ (A ₁ ²) |
| ΔE_{int} | -44.6 | -284.9 | -988.3 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 110.3 | 200.0 | 312.9 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -77.0(49.7%) | -227.0(46.8%) | -618.3(47.5%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -77.9 (50.3%) | -257.9(53.2%) | -682.9(52.5%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 12.3 | 252.5 | 956.0 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 32.4 | 32.4 | 32.4 |

^a All calculations were performed on the CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ optimized structures. ^b The value in parenthesis gives the percentage contribution to the total attractive interactions $\Delta E_{elstat} + \Delta E_{orb}$. ^c The dissociation energy (D_e) has been computed at the specific electronic state. ^d computed as a single point the CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ optimized structure.

Table S7. Energy decomposition analysis (EDA) of NaBH_3^- (CS), NaBH_3^- (BS), BH_4^- and NH_3BH_3 at the M06L/QZ4P level of theory.^a Energy values are given in kcal/mol.

| $(\text{NaBH}_3)^-$ Singlet closed-shell | | | |
|--|--|--|---|
| | $\text{Na}^-(s^2); \text{BH}_3 (A_1^0)$ | $\text{Na}(s^1); \text{BH}_3^- (A_1^1)$ | $\text{Na}^+(s^0); \text{BH}_3^{2-} (A_1^2)$ |
| ΔE_{int} | -17.9 | -37.9 | -269.9 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 36.5 | 31.9 | 75.4 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -16.1 (29.7%) | -47.8(68.4%) | -286.7(83.0%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -38.2(70.3%) | -22.1 (31.6%) | -58.6(17.0%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 1.6 | 21.7 | 253.7 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 16.2 | 16.2 | 16.2 |
| $(\text{NaBH}_3)^-$ Broken Symmetry | | | |
| | $\text{Na}^-(s^2); \text{BH}_3 (A_1^0)$ | $\text{Na}(s^1); \text{BH}_3^- (A_1^1)$ | $\text{Na}^+(s^0); \text{BH}_3^{2-} (A_1^2)$ |
| ΔE_{int} | -20.6 | -40.7 | -272.7 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 36.5 | 31.9 | 75.4 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -16.1(28.2%) | -47.8(65.8%) | -286.7(82.4%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -41.0(71.8%) | -24.8 (34.2%) | -61.3(17.6%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 1.6 | 21.7 | 253.7 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 19.0 | 19.0 | 19.0 |
| BH_4^- | | | |
| | $\text{H}^-(s^2); \text{BH}_3 (A_1^0)$ | $\text{H}(s^1); \text{BH}_3^- (A_1^1)$ | $\text{H}^+(s^0); \text{BH}_3^{2-} (A_1^2)$ |
| ΔE_{int} | -101.6 | -106.1 | -546.1 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 136.6 | 41.4 | 0.0 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -85.0(35.7%) | -40.8(27.7%) | -246.9(45.2%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -153.2(64.3%) | -106.6 (72.3%) | -299.2(54.8%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 23.5 | 28.0 | 468.0 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 78.1 | 78.1 | 78.1 |
| $\text{H}_3\text{N}-\text{BH}_3$ | | | |
| | $\text{NH}_3 (A_1^2); \text{BH}_3 (A_1^0)$ | $\text{NH}_3^+ (A_1^1); \text{BH}_3^- (A_1^1)$ | $\text{NH}_3^{2+}(A_1^0); \text{BH}_3^{2-} (A_1^2)$ |
| ΔE_{int} | -45.1 | -290.6 | -991.0 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 102.0 | 204.7 | 317.3 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -76.6(52.1%) | -225.3(45.5%) | -614.3(47.0%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -70.4 (47.9%) | -270.0(54.5%) | -694.0(53.0%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 12.8 | 258.4 | 958.7 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 |

^a All calculations were performed on the CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ optimized structures. ^b The value in parenthesis gives the percentage contribution to the total attractive interactions $\Delta E_{elstat} + \Delta E_{orb}$. ^c the dissociation energy (D_e) has been computed at the specific electronic state. ^d computed as a single point the CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ optimized structure.

Table S8. Energy decomposition analysis (EDA) of NaBH_3^- (CS), NaBH_3^- (BS), BH_4^- and NH_3BH_3 at the PBE0/QZ4P level of theory.^a Energy values are given in kcal/mol.

| $(\text{NaBH}_3)^-$ Singlet closed-shell | | | |
|--|--|--|---|
| | $\text{Na}^-(s^2); \text{BH}_3 (A_1^0)$ | $\text{Na}(s^1); \text{BH}_3^- (A_1^1)$ | $\text{Na}^+(s^0); \text{BH}_3^{2-} (A_1^2)$ |
| ΔE_{int} | -18.5 | -29.5 | -283.1 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 33.4 | 30.7 | 66.6 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -17.1 (32.9%) | -43.6(72.4%) | -289.6(82.8%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -34.8 (67.1%) | -16.6 (27.6%) | -60.0(17.2%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 1.4 | 12.3 | 265.9 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 17.1 | 17.1 | 17.1 |
| $(\text{NaBH}_3)^-$ Broken Symmetry | | | |
| | $\text{Na}^-(s^2); \text{BH}_3 (A_1^0)$ | $\text{Na}(s^1); \text{BH}_3^- (A_1^1)$ | $\text{Na}^+(s^0); \text{BH}_3^{2-} (A_1^2)$ |
| ΔE_{int} | -21.1 | -32.1 | -285.7 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 33.4 | 30.7 | 66.6 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -17.1(31.4%) | -43.6(69.4%) | -289.6(82.2%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -37.4(68.6%) | -19.2 (30.6%) | -62.7(17.8%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 1.4 | 12.3 | 266.0 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 19.8 | 19.8 | 19.8 |
| BH_4^- | | | |
| | $\text{H}^-(s^2); \text{BH}_3 (A_1^0)$ | $\text{H}(s^1); \text{BH}_3^- (A_1^1)$ | $\text{H}^+(s^0); \text{BH}_3^{2-} (A_1^2)$ |
| ΔE_{int} | -104.8 | -103.0 | -540.4 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 136.3 | 42.6 | 0.0 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -86.9(36.0%) | -39.3(27.0%) | -247.5(45.8%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -154.2(64.0%) | -106.3 (73.0%) | -293.0(54.2%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 23.2 | 21.4 | 458.8 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 81.6 | 81.6 | 81.6 |
| $\text{H}_3\text{N}-\text{BH}_3$ | | | |
| | $\text{NH}_3 (A_1^2); \text{BH}_3 (A_1^0)$ | $\text{NH}_3^+ (A_1^1); \text{BH}_3^- (A_1^1)$ | $\text{NH}_3^{2+}(A_1^0); \text{BH}_3^{2-} (A_1^2)$ |
| ΔE_{int} | -47.3 | -288.8 | -993.9 |
| ΔE_{Pauli} | 105.4 | 202.3 | 317.9 |
| ΔE_{elstat}^b | -76.8(50.3%) | -227.8(46.4%) | -625.3(47.7%) |
| ΔE_{orb}^b | -75.9 (49.7%) | -263.3(53.6%) | -686.6(52.3%) |
| ΔE_{prep} | 12.7 | 254.2 | 959.4 |
| $D_e^{c,d}$ | 34.5 | 34.5 | 34.5 |

^a All calculations were performed on the CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ optimized structures. ^b The value in parenthesis gives the percentage contribution to the total attractive interactions $\Delta E_{elstat} + \Delta E_{orb}$. ^c the dissociation energy (D_e) has been computed at the specific electronic state. ^d computed as a single point the CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ optimized structure.

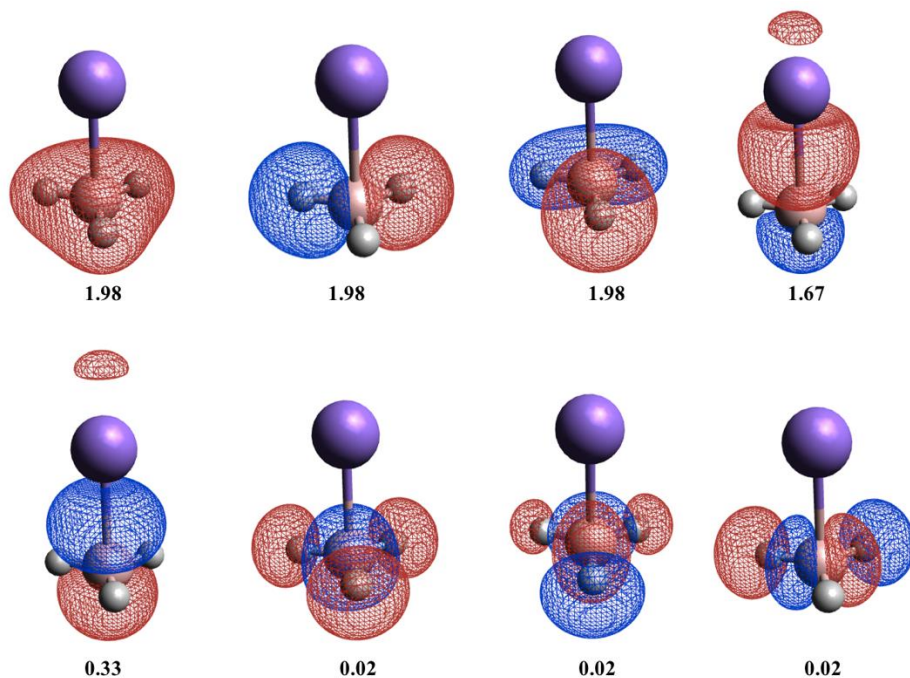


Figure S1. (8,8) active space for NaBH_3^- at the CASPT2/AVQZ equilibrium geometry, including the orbital occupation numbers.

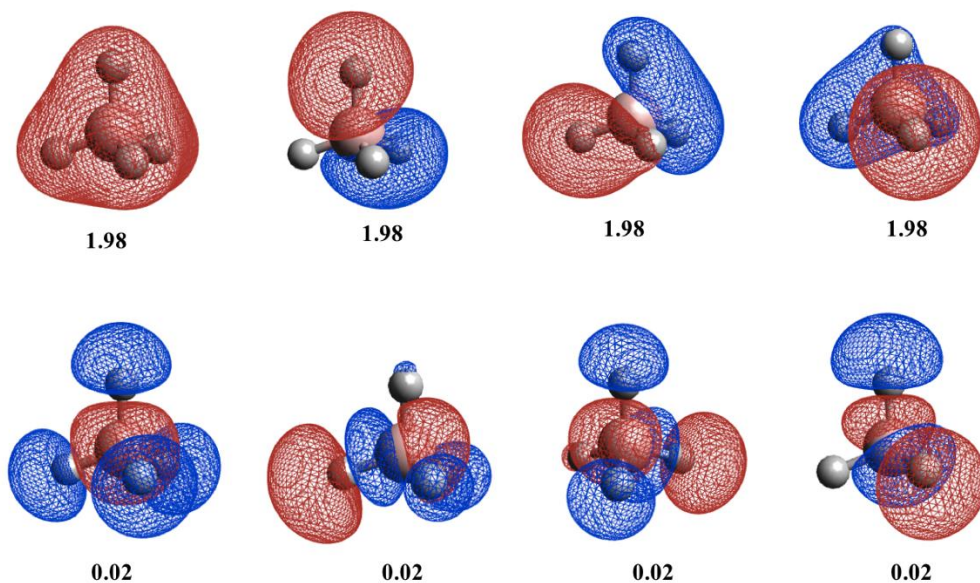


Figure S2. (8,8) active space for BH_4^- at the CASPT2/AVQZ equilibrium geometry, including the orbital occupation numbers.

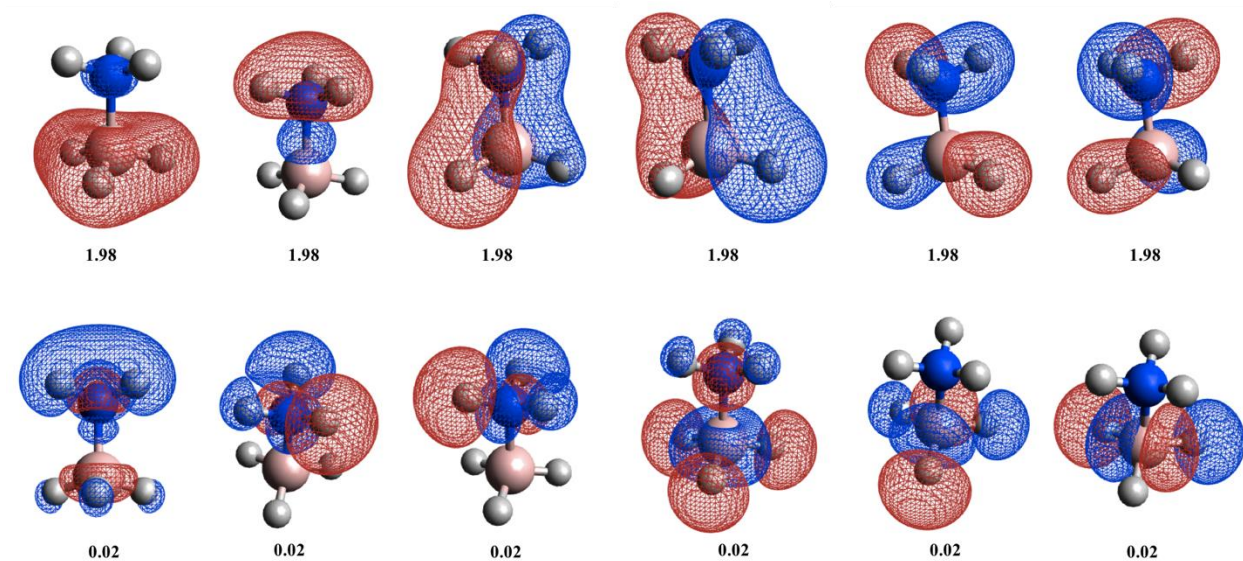


Figure S3. (12,12) active space for NH_3BH_3 system at the CASPT2/AVQZ equilibrium geometry, including the orbital occupation numbers.

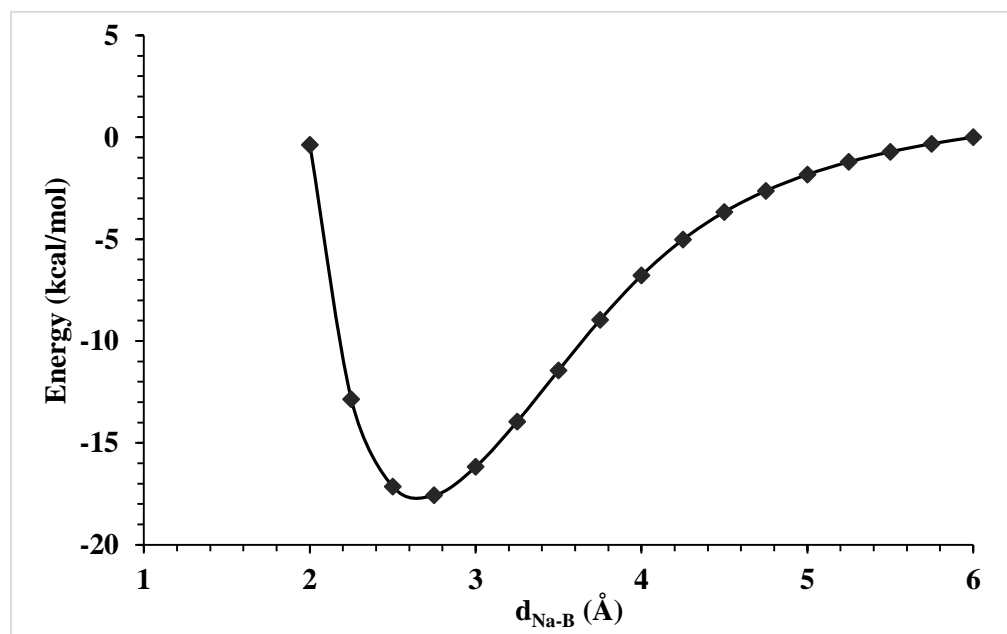


Figure S4. NaBH_3^- dissociation curve calculated at the CASPT2/AVQZ level of theory

XYZ coordinates and Absolute Energies in Hartrees

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)**HF/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.255657746**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -2.812690000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.187973000000 | -2.837327000000 |
| H | 1.028815000000 | -0.593987000000 | -2.837327000000 |
| H | -1.028815000000 | -0.593987000000 | -2.837327000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 2.052312000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)**HF/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.268056636**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.596607000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.199085000000 | -1.740075000000 |
| H | 1.038438000000 | -0.599543000000 | -1.740075000000 |
| H | -1.038438000000 | -0.599543000000 | -1.740075000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.200297000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)**HF/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.267480345**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.021656000000 | -1.083543000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.021656000000 | 1.473574000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.342176000000 | 2.627918000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.344332000000 | 0.961593000000 | 1.039337000000 |
| H | 0.344332000000 | 0.961593000000 | -1.039337000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)**MP2/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.247574245**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.580051000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.197491000000 | -1.702947000000 |
| H | 1.037058000000 | -0.598746000000 | -1.702947000000 |
| H | -1.037058000000 | -0.598746000000 | -1.702947000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.182645000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)**MP2/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.267603805**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.557213000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.202916000000 | -1.631632000000 |
| H | 1.041755000000 | -0.601458000000 | -1.631632000000 |
| H | -1.041755000000 | -0.601458000000 | -1.631632000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.152815000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)**MP2/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.267176170**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.009453000000 | -1.088197000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.009453000000 | 1.492507000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.243241000000 | 2.666061000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.197247000000 | 0.920785000000 | 1.046184000000 |
| H | 0.197247000000 | 0.920785000000 | -1.046184000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)**CCSD/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.4323077**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.601178000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.200697000000 | -1.704129000000 |
| H | 1.039834000000 | -0.600348000000 | -1.704129000000 |
| H | -1.039834000000 | -0.600348000000 | -1.704129000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.192571000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)**CCSD/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.4333956**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.571274000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.203324000000 | -1.674596000000 |
| H | 1.042109000000 | -0.601662000000 | -1.674596000000 |
| H | -1.042109000000 | -0.601662000000 | -1.674596000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.170923000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)**CCSD/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.429702**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.011999000000 | -1.086143000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.011999000000 | 1.487548000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.274075000000 | 2.658532000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.233033000000 | 0.925648000000 | 1.048033000000 |
| H | 0.233033000000 | 0.925648000000 | -1.048033000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)**CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.44301121**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | -0.000000245100 | -1.589247392800 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.206137827800 | -1.682180509100 |
| H | 1.044546213800 | -0.603069269600 | -1.682180378700 |
| H | -1.044546213800 | -0.603069269600 | -1.682180378700 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | -0.000000043500 | 1.129541659200 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)**CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.43478510**

| | | | |
|----|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| Na | 0.0496436337 | -1.0943927105 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.0370246199 | 1.4838028170 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.3306571828 | 2.6483968447 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.2174655845 | 0.9262575244 | 1.0494489804 |
| H | 0.2174655845 | 0.9262575244 | -1.0494489804 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)**BP86/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.952347699**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.553490000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.208141000000 | -1.638662000000 |
| H | 1.046281000000 | -0.604071000000 | -1.638662000000 |
| H | -1.046281000000 | -0.604071000000 | -1.638662000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.153040000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)**BP86/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.952979279**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.551542000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.209313000000 | -1.633603000000 |
| H | 1.047295000000 | -0.604656000000 | -1.633603000000 |
| H | -1.047295000000 | -0.604656000000 | -1.633603000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.150774000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)**BP86/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.942287421**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.008600000000 | -1.089070000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.008600000000 | 1.489818000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.500007000000 | 2.591726000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.318805000000 | 0.969478000000 | 1.053217000000 |
| H | 0.318805000000 | 0.969478000000 | -1.053217000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)**PBE/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.775055645**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.543924000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.208684000000 | -1.629550000000 |
| H | 1.046751000000 | -0.604342000000 | -1.629550000000 |
| H | -1.046751000000 | -0.604342000000 | -1.629550000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.146206000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)**PBE/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.775965862**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | -0.000019000000 | -1.627476000000 |
| H | -0.000001000000 | 1.210083000000 | -1.708563000000 |
| H | 1.047971000000 | -0.605059000000 | -1.708707000000 |
| H | -1.047971000000 | -0.605058000000 | -1.708709000000 |
| Na | 0.000001000000 | 0.000054000000 | 1.053287000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)**PBE/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.765562127**

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.009068000000 | -1.082205000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.009068000000 | 1.479608000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.506720000000 | 2.578855000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.325904000000 | 0.963681000000 | 1.053817000000 |
| H | 0.325904000000 | 0.963681000000 | -1.053817000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

TPSS/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.970243536

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.583482000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.202229000000 | -1.662011000000 |
| H | 1.041161000000 | -0.601115000000 | -1.662011000000 |
| H | -1.041161000000 | -0.601115000000 | -1.662011000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.173040000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

TPSS/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.972459940

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.564878000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.204985000000 | -1.648745000000 |
| H | 1.043548000000 | -0.602493000000 | -1.648745000000 |
| H | -1.043548000000 | -0.602493000000 | -1.648745000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.160966000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

TPSS/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.961853875

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.012590000000 | -1.079756000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.012590000000 | 1.473686000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.463574000000 | 2.587407000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.332509000000 | 0.960742000000 | 1.047806000000 |
| H | 0.332509000000 | 0.960742000000 | -1.047806000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

M06L/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.919595942

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.551067000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.194021000000 | -1.623453000000 |
| H | 1.034052000000 | -0.597010000000 | -1.623453000000 |
| H | -1.034052000000 | -0.597010000000 | -1.623453000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.147790000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

M06L/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.924165349

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.530158000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.195433000000 | -1.623083000000 |
| H | 1.035275000000 | -0.597716000000 | -1.623083000000 |
| H | -1.035275000000 | -0.597716000000 | -1.623083000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.138185000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

M06L/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.917206402

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -1.055461000000 | 0.000640000000 | -0.033939000000 |
| B | 1.426101000000 | -0.000241000000 | -0.006519000000 |
| H | 2.518085000000 | 0.005678000000 | -0.485011000000 |
| H | 0.977460000000 | 1.028103000000 | 0.447928000000 |
| H | 0.984019000000 | -1.033279000000 | 0.443003000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

B3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.968879662

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.586308000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.195921000000 | -1.669715000000 |
| H | 1.035698000000 | -0.597960000000 | -1.669715000000 |
| H | -1.035698000000 | -0.597960000000 | -1.669715000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.176426000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

B3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.969739549

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.570656000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.197637000000 | -1.654967000000 |
| H | 1.037184000000 | -0.598818000000 | -1.654967000000 |
| H | -1.037184000000 | -0.598818000000 | -1.654967000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.165289000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

B3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.958804675

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Na | -0.008350000000 | -1.082046000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.008350000000 | 1.482535000000 | 0.000000000000 |

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| H | -0.397345000000 | 2.613375000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.265469000000 | 0.938229000000 | 1.043631000000 |
| H | 0.265469000000 | 0.938229000000 | -1.043631000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

X3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.912621196

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.584068000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.195645000000 | -1.666543000000 |
| H | 1.035459000000 | -0.597823000000 | -1.666543000000 |
| H | -1.035459000000 | -0.597823000000 | -1.666543000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.174542000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

X3YP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.913497292

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.567137000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.197395000000 | -1.650530000000 |
| H | 1.036975000000 | -0.598698000000 | -1.650530000000 |
| H | -1.036975000000 | -0.598698000000 | -1.650530000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.162480000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

X3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.902377233

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.008190000000 | -1.078795000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.008190000000 | 1.478518000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.379470000000 | 2.614922000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.255253000000 | 0.929615000000 | 1.043641000000 |
| H | 0.255253000000 | 0.929615000000 | -1.043641000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

PBE0/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.793028628

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.574074000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.201702000000 | -1.662799000000 |
| H | 1.040704000000 | -0.600851000000 | -1.662799000000 |
| H | -1.040704000000 | -0.600851000000 | -1.662799000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.168979000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

PBE0/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.797438526

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.538493000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.205151000000 | -1.624918000000 |
| H | 1.043692000000 | -0.602576000000 | -1.624918000000 |
| H | -1.043692000000 | -0.602576000000 | -1.624918000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.142474000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

PBE0/aug-cc-pVTZ= -188.790325344

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.012288000000 | -1.072113000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.012288000000 | 1.463719000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.433692000000 | 2.588743000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.315148000000 | 0.942952000000 | 1.048754000000 |
| H | 0.315148000000 | 0.942952000000 | -1.048754000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

mPW1PW91/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.924177849

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.583904000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.199559000000 | -1.672956000000 |
| H | 1.038848000000 | -0.599779000000 | -1.672956000000 |
| H | -1.038848000000 | -0.599779000000 | -1.672956000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.176217000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

mPW1PW91/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.929092471

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.544555000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.203265000000 | -1.633370000000 |
| H | 1.042058000000 | -0.601632000000 | -1.633370000000 |
| H | -1.042058000000 | -0.601632000000 | -1.633370000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.147535000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)
mPW1PW91/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.922437935
Na -0.012610000000 -1.075180000000 0.000000000000
B -0.012610000000 1.467470000000 0.000000000000
H -0.437112000000 2.589499000000 0.000000000000
H 0.319437000000 0.950067000000 1.046854000000
H 0.319437000000 0.950067000000 -1.046854000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)
BHLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.908579872
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.644270000000
H 0.000000000000 1.188300000000 -1.723742000000
H 1.029098000000 -0.594150000000 -1.723742000000
H -1.029098000000 -0.594150000000 -1.723742000000
Na 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 1.217507000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)
BHLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.912220478
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.565205000000
H 0.000000000000 1.192359000000 -1.657450000000
H 1.032613000000 -0.596179000000 -1.657450000000
H -1.032613000000 -0.596179000000 -1.657450000000
Na 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 1.163489000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)
BHLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.904313642
Na -0.010903000000 -1.069052000000 0.000000000000
B -0.010903000000 1.464182000000 0.000000000000
H -0.315797000000 2.614490000000 0.000000000000
H 0.245120000000 0.912088000000 1.038613000000
H 0.245120000000 0.912088000000 -1.038613000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)
TPSSh/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.958563962
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.593381000000
H 0.000000000000 1.200127000000 -1.673824000000
H 1.039340000000 -0.600063000000 -1.673824000000
H -1.039340000000 -0.600063000000 -1.673824000000
Na 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 1.180761000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)
TPSSh/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.961967066
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.562722000000
H 0.000000000000 1.203453000000 -1.650654000000
H 1.042221000000 -0.601726000000 -1.650654000000
H -1.042221000000 -0.601726000000 -1.650654000000
Na 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 1.160507000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)
TPSSh/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.952283948
Na -0.013897000000 -1.075723000000 0.000000000000
B -0.013897000000 1.467169000000 0.000000000000
H -0.443113000000 2.587972000000 0.000000000000
H 0.332735000000 0.954569000000 1.046202000000
H 0.332735000000 0.954569000000 -1.046202000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)
M06/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.901311361
B 1.618301000000 -0.000005000000 -0.000011000000
H 1.676527000000 0.862915000000 -0.826120000000
H 1.676805000000 0.283959000000 1.160328000000
H 1.676442000000 -1.146910000000 -0.334277000000
Na -1.192844000000 0.000006000000 0.000011000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)
M06/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.901946682
B -0.000002000000 -0.000032000000 -1.638342000000
H 0.000002000000 1.196114000000 -1.715007000000
H 1.035868000000 -0.598097000000 -1.715287000000
H -1.035869000000 -0.598100000000 -1.715289000000

Na 0.000001000000 0.000115000000 1.083756000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)
M06/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.892396149
Na -0.014704000000 -1.077169000000 0.000000000000
B -0.014704000000 1.469482000000 0.000000000000
H -0.400982000000 2.598083000000 0.000000000000
H 0.318124000000 0.951681000000 1.040403000000
H 0.318124000000 0.951681000000 -1.040403000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)
M06-2X/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.892192983
B 1.545500000000 0.000045000000 -0.000077000000
H 1.651764000000 -1.091564000000 0.486465000000
H 1.648094000000 0.124456000000 -1.189041000000
H 1.650296000000 0.967559000000 0.701757000000
Na -1.152514000000 -0.000062000000 0.000109000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)
M06-2X/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.898180152
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.679853000000
H 0.000000000000 1.206138000000 -1.772786000000
H 1.044546000000 -0.603069000000 -1.772786000000
H -1.044546000000 -0.603069000000 -1.772786000000
Na 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 1.220147000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)
M06-2X/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.885951207
Na 0.283041000000 -1.034700000000 0.000000000000
B -0.023819000000 1.482668000000 0.000000000000
H -0.167410000000 2.667884000000 0.000000000000
H 0.047811000000 0.891063000000 1.048369000000
H 0.047811000000 0.891063000000 -1.048369000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)
CAM-B3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.904995414
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.573466000000
H 0.000000000000 1.193014000000 -1.674330000000
H 1.033181000000 -0.596507000000 -1.674330000000
H -1.033181000000 -0.596507000000 -1.674330000000
Na 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 1.171847000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)
CAM-B3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.909649979
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.531358000000
H 0.000000000000 -1.197201000000 -1.635494000000
H -1.036807000000 0.598601000000 -1.635494000000
H 1.036807000000 0.598601000000 -1.635494000000
Na 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 1.142115000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)
CAM-B3LYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.901620808
Na -0.011131000000 -1.067157000000 0.000000000000
B -0.011131000000 1.461413000000 0.000000000000
H -0.291171000000 2.623686000000 0.000000000000
H 0.234636000000 0.903985000000 1.043878000000
H 0.234636000000 0.903985000000 -1.043878000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)
wB97x/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.907359956
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.582052000000
H 0.000000000000 1.197497000000 -1.685649000000
H 1.037063000000 -0.598748000000 -1.685649000000
H -1.037063000000 -0.598749000000 -1.685649000000
Na 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 1.245512000000

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)
wB97x/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.913189229
B 0.000000000000 0.000000000000 -1.526542000000

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| H | 0.000000000000 | -1.202656000000 | -1.642410000000 |
| H | -1.041530000000 | 0.601328000000 | -1.642410000000 |
| H | 1.041530000000 | 0.601328000000 | -1.642410000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.141812000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

wB97x/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.906098241

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|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.018342000000 | -1.066209000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.018342000000 | 1.448930000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.438834000000 | 2.574759000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.366152000000 | 0.954447000000 | 1.045057000000 |
| H | 0.366152000000 | 0.954447000000 | -1.045057000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

B2PLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.730460491

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 1.579783000000 | 0.000000000000 | 0.000004000000 |
| H | 1.669236000000 | 1.014416000000 | 0.634451000000 |
| H | 1.669253000000 | -1.056654000000 | 0.561288000000 |
| H | 1.669322000000 | 0.042242000000 | -1.195725000000 |
| Na | -1.173339000000 | 0.000000000000 | -0.000003000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

B2PLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.736952122

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.641565000000 |
| H | 0.000071000000 | 1.198499000000 | -1.726521000000 |
| H | 1.037895000000 | -0.599311000000 | -1.726521000000 |
| H | -1.037966000000 | -0.599188000000 | -1.726521000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.090439000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

B2PLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.731159229

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.009098000000 | -1.080549000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.009098000000 | 1.481382000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.304403000000 | 2.639456000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.224987000000 | 0.919836000000 | 1.044050000000 |
| H | 0.224987000000 | 0.919836000000 | -1.044050000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

mPW2PYLP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.743440023

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.583489000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.194954000000 | -1.671523000000 |
| H | 1.034861000000 | -0.597477000000 | -1.671523000000 |
| H | -1.034861000000 | -0.597477000000 | -1.671523000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.175638000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

mPW2PLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.749647364

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.562607000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.197211000000 | -1.646403000000 |
| H | 1.036815000000 | -0.598606000000 | -1.646403000000 |
| H | -1.036815000000 | -0.598606000000 | -1.646403000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.159295000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

mPW2PLYP/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.743497236

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.009080000000 | -1.076760000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.009080000000 | 1.476519000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.285420000000 | 2.637998000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.215348000000 | 0.911886000000 | 1.043210000000 |
| H | 0.215348000000 | 0.911886000000 | -1.043210000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

PBE0DH/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.736842612

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.587670000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.198600000000 | -1.678945000000 |
| H | 1.038018000000 | -0.599300000000 | -1.678945000000 |
| H | -1.038018000000 | -0.599300000000 | -1.678945000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.179562000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

PBE0DH/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.745862512

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.536423000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.202555000000 | -1.627599000000 |
| H | 1.041443000000 | -0.601277000000 | -1.627599000000 |
| H | -1.041443000000 | -0.601277000000 | -1.627599000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.142265000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

PBE0DH/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.741362509

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.014170000000 | -1.069151000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.014170000000 | 1.459193000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.382378000000 | 2.599634000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.304547000000 | 0.932528000000 | 1.045625000000 |
| H | 0.304547000000 | 0.932528000000 | -1.045625000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet)

PBEQIDH/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.625955370

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -2.346728000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.197683000000 | -2.443839000000 |
| H | 1.037224000000 | -0.598842000000 | -2.443839000000 |
| H | -1.037224000000 | -0.598842000000 | -2.443839000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 0.419173000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (singlet open shell)

PBEQIDH/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.638984729

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -1.539076000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.201738000000 | -1.629689000000 |
| H | 1.040736000000 | -0.600869000000 | -1.629689000000 |
| H | -1.040736000000 | -0.600869000000 | -1.629689000000 |
| Na | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 1.144041000000 |

(NaBH₃)⁻ (triplet)

PBEQIDH/aug-cc-pVTZ=-188.636176988

| | | | |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Na | -0.014341000000 | -1.071605000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| B | -0.014341000000 | 1.463522000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | -0.346935000000 | 2.613452000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.288198000000 | 0.928298000000 | 1.044415000000 |
| H | 0.288198000000 | 0.928298000000 | -1.044415000000 |

BH₄⁻ (singlet)

CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ=-27.18622393

| | | | |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.7157131235 | -0.7157147295 | 0.7157076109 |
| H | -0.7157131235 | -0.7157147295 | -0.7157076109 |
| H | 0.7157131235 | 0.7157147295 | -0.7157076109 |
| H | -0.7157131235 | 0.7157147295 | 0.7157076109 |

BH₄⁻ (singlet)

BP86/aug-cc-pVTZ=-27.2676258336

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 |
| H | 0.718398000000 | 0.718398000000 | 0.718398000000 |
| H | -0.718398000000 | -0.718398000000 | 0.718398000000 |
| H | 0.718398000000 | -0.718398000000 | -0.718398000000 |
| H | -0.718398000000 | 0.718398000000 | -0.718398000000 |

NH₃BH₃ (singlet)

CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ=-83.06925736

| | | | |
|---|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | -0.0000007171 | -0.9301897150 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | -1.1711067261 | -1.2384681895 |
| H | -1.0142082651 | 0.5855531494 | -1.2384640811 |
| H | 1.0142082651 | 0.5855531494 | -1.2384640811 |
| N | 0.000000000000 | 0.0000007165 | 0.7271834455 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 0.9483619775 | 1.0908516642 |
| H | 0.8213048616 | -0.4741797749 | 1.0908519784 |
| H | -0.8213048616 | -0.4741797749 | 1.0908519784 |

NH₃BH₃ (singlet)

BP86/aug-cc-pVTZ=-83.2452374668

| | | | |
|---|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | -0.929419000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | -1.174637000000 | -1.245804000000 |

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|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| H | -1.017266000000 | 0.587319000000 | -1.245804000000 |
| H | 1.017266000000 | 0.587319000000 | -1.245804000000 |
| N | 0.000000000000 | 0.000000000000 | 0.727254000000 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 0.954215000000 | 1.097910000000 |
| H | 0.826374000000 | -0.477107000000 | 1.097910000000 |
| H | -0.826374000000 | -0.477107000000 | 1.097910000000 |

NH₃ (singlet)

CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ= -56.48056266

| | | | |
|---|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| N | 0.000000000000 | 0.0000007210 | 0.7100049157 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 0.9383598235 | 1.0965778407 |
| H | 0.8126427463 | -0.4691787001 | 1.0965781550 |
| H | -0.8126427463 | -0.4691787001 | 1.0965781550 |

NH₃⁺ (doublet)

CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ= -56.10762839

| | | | |
|---|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| N | 0.000000000000 | -0.0000120877 | 0.9999332537 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.0230529043 | 0.9999391786 |
| H | 0.8859667828 | -0.5115188362 | 0.9999333171 |
| H | -0.8859667828 | -0.5115188362 | 0.9999333171 |

BH₃ (singlet)

CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ= -26.53908172

| | | | |
|---|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| B | 0.000000000000 | -0.0000002394 | -1.6722236294 |
| H | 0.000000000000 | 1.1913845751 | -1.6722227988 |
| H | 1.0317694769 | -0.5956926678 | -1.6722227859 |
| H | -1.0317694769 | -0.5956926678 | -1.6722227859 |

BH₃ (Doublet)

CCSD(T)/aug-cc-pVTZ= -26.53606725

| | | | |
|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| B | 0.0064960229 | 0.0093291630 | -1.5777719917 |
| H | -0.0200886138 | 1.2139548533 | -1.4574325077 |
| H | 1.0663182997 | -0.5764357775 | -1.5748579428 |
| H | -1.0272057470 | -0.6092393683 | -1.7014255753 |

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