

Supplementary Materials: Theoretical Study on Regioselectivity of the Diels-Alder Reaction between 1,8-Dichloroanthracene and Acrolein

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The Cartesian coordinates of reactants 1,8-dichloroanthracene

C	3.649861000	-1.538640000	-0.000005000
C	2.466318000	-2.218392000	-0.000029000
C	1.223619000	-1.516780000	-0.000020000
C	1.219941000	-0.072314000	-0.000007000
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Acrolein

C	1.761165000	0.139947000	0.000013000
C	0.562887000	-0.445825000	0.000009000
H	1.853577000	1.222518000	0.000009000
H	2.683643000	-0.428273000	0.000018000
H	0.442020000	-1.524843000	0.000007000
C	-0.679008000	0.350144000	-0.000003000
O	-1.790982000	-0.123417000	-0.000016000
H	-0.521647000	1.452334000	-0.000027000

The Cartesian coordinates of products**Anti-I**

C	3.386571000	-1.403438000	-1.416078000
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C	-1.239001000	-0.713507000	-0.836672000
C	-2.270112000	-0.807110000	-1.761580000
H	-2.459574000	-1.740570000	-2.280265000
C	-3.057743000	0.315807000	-2.019884000
C	-2.818584000	1.512948000	-1.354277000
C	-1.781733000	1.589543000	-0.424116000
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H	1.904685000	-2.904508000	-1.871776000
H	4.642418000	0.234675000	-0.794320000
H	0.377445000	1.329463000	1.320735000
H	-3.863264000	0.260943000	-2.742782000
H	-3.426382000	2.386838000	-1.549248000
Cl	-1.512400000	3.120153000	0.407078000
Cl	3.035361000	1.906612000	0.834757000
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H	-1.118641000	-0.414354000	2.401389000
H	0.584953000	-0.833565000	2.588477000
H	0.236541000	-2.818336000	1.420848000
C	-1.851972000	-2.654580000	1.412073000
O	-2.656141000	-2.225543000	2.196914000
H	-2.068357000	-3.579527000	0.830754000

Anti-II

C	3.169642000	-1.673131000	-1.480041000
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C	-1.918244000	-2.449218000	1.738813000
O	-2.737601000	-2.955237000	1.016261000
H	-2.101985000	-2.367068000	2.833809000

Syn I

C	2.961613000	-1.078146000	-2.039856000
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H	3.708053000	-1.494456000	-2.706340000
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Cl	-2.576929000	2.416760000	0.197272000
Cl	2.083174000	2.552043000	-0.557168000
C	0.160341000	-1.908121000	1.619251000
C	0.156147000	-0.398326000	1.949487000
H	1.120093000	-2.339726000	1.908144000
H	-0.623339000	-2.428595000	2.173116000
H	-0.678393000	-0.141503000	2.614130000
C	1.405759000	0.077499000	2.673480000
O	2.309003000	-0.628386000	3.039714000
H	1.429526000	1.172564000	2.863865000

Syn II

C	-2.998179000	1.828524000	-1.510905000
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C	-1.098344000	0.182299000	-0.288695000
C	-2.134646000	-0.367552000	-1.035146000
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C	2.547311000	2.135728000	-0.231491000
H	2.589367000	3.213278000	-0.116351000
C	3.642612000	1.436851000	-0.741631000
C	3.592825000	0.054652000	-0.888237000
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C	-0.085987000	-0.176038000	1.975555000
H	-1.025940000	1.738301000	2.524157000
H	0.713408000	1.688700000	2.792406000
H	0.773510000	-0.614761000	2.484259000
C	-1.322711000	-0.780163000	2.610563000
O	-1.296995000	-1.582370000	3.507796000
H	-2.289143000	-0.420941000	2.192571000

The Cartesian coordinates of the excited states

Pathway 1

C	3.681188000	-1.479316000	-0.953401000
C	2.428819000	-2.048129000	-1.023456000
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C	1.427330000	0.053658000	-0.240200000
C	2.729004000	0.584382000	-0.152735000
C	3.838083000	-0.151261000	-0.518424000
C	-0.034889000	-1.823375000	-0.727198000
C	0.228093000	0.712135000	0.232302000
C	-1.016700000	0.370975000	-0.415354000
C	-1.161710000	-0.972219000	-0.862634000
C	-2.406333000	-1.422463000	-1.360060000
H	-2.510553000	-2.455580000	-1.670547000
C	-3.463107000	-0.548984000	-1.464743000
C	-3.330208000	0.785802000	-1.042702000
C	-2.136817000	1.220230000	-0.507035000
H	-0.152740000	-2.873371000	-0.976941000
H	4.558703000	-2.049666000	-1.234278000
H	2.306075000	-3.073343000	-1.354134000
H	4.821236000	0.297549000	-0.465205000
H	0.338910000	1.742360000	0.542100000
H	-4.412988000	-0.883579000	-1.863955000
H	-4.163110000	1.471928000	-1.122777000
Cl	-2.028431000	2.884138000	0.064220000
Cl	2.970761000	2.229253000	0.433067000
C	-0.013127000	-0.182066000	1.991152000
C	-0.098493000	-1.581093000	1.854030000
H	-0.929653000	0.318724000	2.284365000
H	0.887387000	0.222637000	2.439311000
H	0.793531000	-2.192110000	1.924758000
C	-1.376767000	-2.272653000	1.899940000
O	-2.467160000	-1.726208000	1.866396000
H	-1.304242000	-3.380040000	1.957081000

Pathway 2

C	3.564966000	-1.384092000	-1.161996000
C	2.295716000	-1.912431000	-1.241838000
C	1.187745000	-1.155690000	-0.801315000
C	1.379309000	0.136973000	-0.242782000
C	2.699275000	0.622507000	-0.144941000
C	3.773418000	-0.106067000	-0.611796000
C	-0.149594000	-1.653447000	-0.818478000
C	0.213177000	0.777050000	0.318350000
C	-1.050153000	0.544565000	-0.337623000
C	-1.247944000	-0.745084000	-0.899916000
C	-2.502952000	-1.102043000	-1.441474000
H	-2.640616000	-2.095053000	-1.853299000
C	-3.531224000	-0.186626000	-1.453732000
C	-3.354474000	1.094651000	-0.899015000
C	-2.143356000	1.436263000	-0.335508000
H	-0.311607000	-2.681949000	-1.124476000
H	4.417150000	-1.948968000	-1.520827000
H	2.133194000	-2.900940000	-1.655877000
H	4.770981000	0.308428000	-0.548316000
H	0.359084000	1.752518000	0.761468000
H	-4.489489000	-0.445387000	-1.888177000
H	-4.163378000	1.813375000	-0.908671000
Cl	-1.973314000	3.033917000	0.388777000
Cl	3.004651000	2.198851000	0.581349000
C	-0.041625000	-0.401280000	1.968552000
C	-0.161691000	-1.755435000	1.602532000
H	-0.930012000	0.094433000	2.348705000
H	0.875801000	-0.083844000	2.449688000
H	0.709486000	-2.398969000	1.587386000
C	-1.452108000	-2.444730000	1.668176000
O	-1.600534000	-3.649442000	1.638137000
H	-2.329959000	-1.765674000	1.751983000

Pathway 3

C	3.342382000	-1.228515000	-1.401874000
C	2.199549000	-1.958703000	-1.154255000
C	1.034481000	-1.311543000	-0.708546000
C	1.029882000	0.095505000	-0.495769000
C	2.243318000	0.797552000	-0.712658000
C	3.370246000	0.158670000	-1.173748000
C	-0.160162000	-2.019536000	-0.315654000
C	-0.166102000	0.684190000	-0.009321000

C	-1.424643000	0.057514000	-0.247913000
C	-1.430872000	-1.346335000	-0.470529000
C	-2.641212000	-2.026079000	-0.688761000
H	-2.628750000	-3.097893000	-0.853230000
C	-3.832884000	-1.329515000	-0.707204000
C	-3.852846000	0.057229000	-0.475312000
C	-2.673335000	0.727059000	-0.236064000
H	-0.162391000	-3.090328000	-0.500907000
H	4.237119000	-1.720259000	-1.764972000
H	2.187914000	-3.031932000	-1.308060000
H	4.274292000	0.725926000	-1.350873000
H	-0.156516000	1.732594000	0.252657000
H	-4.765998000	-1.845804000	-0.899514000
H	-4.787515000	0.602491000	-0.484920000
Cl	-2.738106000	2.458641000	0.074061000
Cl	2.316054000	2.528699000	-0.416970000
C	0.015681000	-1.976615000	1.680806000
C	0.003319000	-0.658734000	2.174140000
H	0.969707000	-2.489294000	1.742487000
H	-0.852030000	-2.595369000	1.879210000
H	-0.921644000	-0.203225000	2.506620000
C	1.243804000	0.018509000	2.526614000
O	2.357397000	-0.399604000	2.255481000
H	1.117895000	0.981222000	3.063386000

Pathway 4

C	3.378290000	-1.710321000	-1.058027000
C	2.206462000	-2.332475000	-0.682553000
C	1.058764000	-1.564909000	-0.408246000
C	1.108879000	-0.146985000	-0.483456000
C	2.341018000	0.454095000	-0.844631000
C	3.449049000	-0.307318000	-1.142010000
C	-0.171729000	-2.129583000	0.086601000
C	-0.073918000	0.568932000	-0.126775000
C	-1.348369000	-0.044300000	-0.318926000
C	-1.405902000	-1.462794000	-0.250551000
C	-2.637720000	-2.131038000	-0.370900000
H	-2.665759000	-3.213312000	-0.309701000
C	-3.795572000	-1.411364000	-0.581793000
C	-3.763103000	-0.006357000	-0.644742000
C	-2.565761000	0.658260000	-0.498049000
H	-0.211355000	-3.213022000	0.158710000
H	4.257780000	-2.297316000	-1.295251000

H	2.155011000	-3.413272000	-0.611534000
H	4.368718000	0.178565000	-1.440370000
H	-0.023795000	1.646317000	-0.057856000
H	-4.743630000	-1.922646000	-0.700428000
H	-4.672757000	0.556803000	-0.807137000
Cl	-2.564386000	2.415217000	-0.554240000
Cl	2.467636000	2.203250000	-0.944662000
C	-0.028121000	-1.578081000	2.054008000
C	-0.065364000	-0.178747000	2.192301000
H	0.915491000	-2.073795000	2.262766000
H	-0.899752000	-2.140452000	2.367591000
H	-1.004231000	0.329177000	2.377227000
C	1.138463000	0.573696000	2.559478000
O	1.140561000	1.689635000	3.033369000
H	2.092330000	0.027682000	2.379995000

Table S1. Molecular coefficients of the FMOs for 1,8-dichloroanthracene and acrolein.

Reactant	HOMO		LUMO	
	C1	C4	C1	C4
1,8-dichloroanthracene	0.1829	0.1825	0.2636	0.2731
Acrolein	C1'	C2'	C1'	C2'
	-0.1278	0.3743	0.4537	-0.2880

Table S2. The Fukui and local reactivity indices for the reactive atoms of 1,8-dichloroanthracene and acrolein.

Reactant	1,8-Dichloroanthracene		Acrolein	
	C1	C4	C1'	C2'
f ⁺	0.1216	0.1177	0.1924	0.0171
f ⁻	0.1264	0.1176	0.3034	0.0904
ω ⁺	0.2959	0.2862	0.4154	0.0369
ω ⁻	0.3074	0.2861	0.6553	0.1953

Table S3. Corrected total energies (E) and relative energies (ΔE) of the reactants, TSs, and products.

System	E (a.u.)	ΔE (Kcal/mol) ^a
1,8-dichloroanthracene	-1458.72125	
Acrolein (pathways 1 and 3)	-191.90450	
Acrolein (pathways 2 and 4)	-191.90716	
Pathway 1 (TS-1)	-1650.58734	24.1007
Pathway 2(TS-2)	-1650.58585	26.7104
Pathway 3(TS-3)	-1650.58712	24.2349
Pathway 4(TS-4)	-1650.58371	28.0482
<i>Anti</i> -1	-1650.63932	-8.5206
<i>Anti</i> -2	-1650.63900	-6.6450
<i>Syn</i> -1	-1650.63980	-8.8217
<i>Syn</i> -2	-1650.63721	-5.5243

^a ΔE are referred to the sum [E_{diene} + E_{alkene}].