

## Supplementary Information

**Table S1.** The geometrical parameters (in Å and degrees) of the optimized geometries of H<sub>3</sub>SiNgNSi and HSiNgNSi compounds (both minimum energy structures and transition states) studied at the  $\omega$ B97X-D/def2-QZVPPD and CCSD(T)/def2-TZVP levels.

Nature of Stationary Points	Compounds	r <sub>H-Si</sub>	r <sub>Si-Ng</sub>	r <sub>Ng-N</sub>	r <sub>N-Si</sub>	<H-Si-Ng	<Si-Ng-N	<Ng-N-Si
$\omega$ B97X-D	H <sub>3</sub> SiXeNSi	1.475	2.586	2.353	1.561	107.4	180.0	180.0
Minimum	H <sub>3</sub> SiRnNSi	1.476	2.692	2.398	1.560	108.2	180.0	180.0
Energy	HSiXeNSi	1.516	2.634	2.409	1.562	90.0	180.0	179.1
	HSiRnNSi	1.517	2.739	2.452	1.562	90.2	179.8	179.9
CCSD(T)	H <sub>3</sub> SiXeNSi	1.478	2.637	2.365	1.585	107.2	180.0	180.0
Minimum	H <sub>3</sub> SiRnNSi	1.479	2.727	2.404	1.583	108.0	180.0	180.0
Energy	HSiXeNSi	1.517	2.719	2.414	1.586	89.5	179.9	179.5
	HSiRnNSi	1.517	2.796	2.448	1.585	89.9	180.0	180.0

**Table S2.** The geometrical parameters (in Å and degrees) of the optimized geometries of H<sub>3</sub>SiNSi and HSiNSi compounds obtained at the MP2/def2-QZVPPD and  $\omega$ B97X-D/def2-QZVPPD levels.

Levels	Compounds	r <sub>H-Si</sub>	r <sub>Si-N</sub>	r <sub>N-Si</sub>	<HSiN	<SiNSi
MP2	H <sub>3</sub> SiNSi	1.475	1.723	1.575	110.0	180.0
	HSiNSi	1.519	1.724	1.589	96.6	171.4
$\omega$ B97X-D	H <sub>3</sub> SiNSi	1.482	1.708	1.554	110.6	180.0
	HSiNSi	1.531	1.705	1.567	97.3	171.6

**Table S3.** Free energy change ( $\Delta G$ , kcal/mol) at 298 K for different dissociation channels of H<sub>3</sub>SiNgNSi and HSiNgNSi compounds at the MP2/def2-QZVPPD level.

Processes	$\Delta G$		Processes	$\Delta G$	
	Xe	Rn		Xe	Rn
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>3</sub> SiNg <sup>+</sup> + NSi <sup>-</sup>	209.0	110.5	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSiNg <sup>+</sup> + NSi <sup>-</sup>	204.0	105.0
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>3</sub> Si <sup>-</sup> + NgNSi <sup>+</sup>	286.0	181.3	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSiNg + NSi	129.1	32.9
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>3</sub> Si <sup>-</sup> + NSiNg <sup>+</sup>	312.7	209.2	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSi <sup>-</sup> + NSiNg <sup>+</sup>	308.8	204.7
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>3</sub> SiNSi + Ng	-6.7	-101.2	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSi <sup>-</sup> + NgNSi <sup>+</sup>	282.1	176.9
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>3</sub> Si + Ng + NSi	131.8	37.3	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSiNSi + Ng	-7.0	-102.1
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>3</sub> Si <sup>+</sup> + Ng + NSi <sup>-</sup>	226.4	131.8	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSi + Ng + NSi	127.5	32.4
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>3</sub> Si <sup>-</sup> + Ng + NSi <sup>+</sup>	337.5	242.9	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSi <sup>+</sup> + Ng + NSi <sup>-</sup>	217.4	122.3
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>2</sub> Si + NgH + NSi	196.6	102.0	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSi <sup>-</sup> + Ng + NSi <sup>+</sup>	333.5	238.4
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>2</sub> Si <sup>+</sup> + NgH + NSi <sup>-</sup>	310.1	215.4	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ Si + NgH + NSi	220.1	124.9
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>2</sub> Si <sup>-</sup> + NgH + NSi <sup>+</sup>	406.4	311.7	HSiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ Si + NgH <sup>+</sup> + NSi <sup>-</sup>	329.0	227.0
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>2</sub> Si + NgH <sup>+</sup> + NSi <sup>-</sup>	305.5	204.1	$\Delta G^{\ddagger a}$	10.6	13.5
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ H <sub>2</sub> Si <sup>-</sup> + NgH <sup>+</sup> + NSi	372.9	271.4	-	-	-
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSi + HNgH + NSi	286.0	181.5	-	-	-
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSi <sup>+</sup> + HNgH + NSi <sup>-</sup>	375.9	271.4	-	-	-
H <sub>3</sub> SiNgNSi $\rightarrow$ HSi <sup>-</sup> + HNgH + NSi <sup>+</sup>	492.1	387.5	-	-	-
$\Delta G^{\ddagger a}$	19.1	22.9	-	-	-

$\Delta G^{\ddagger a}$  is the activation free energy barrier for the processes, H<sub>3</sub>SiNgNSi  $\rightarrow$  H<sub>3</sub>SiNSi + Ng and HSiNgNSi  $\rightarrow$  HSiNSi + Ng.

**Table S4.** Zero point energy-corrected dissociation energy ( $D_0$ , kcal/mol) and dissociation enthalpy at 298 K ( $\Delta H$ , kcal/mol) for different dissociation channels of  $H_3SiNgNSi$  and  $HSiNgNSi$  compounds at the MP2/def2-QZVPPD level.

Processes	$D_0$		$\Delta H$		Processes	$D_0$		$\Delta H$	
	Xe	Rn	Xe	Rn		Xe	Rn	Xe	Rn
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3SiNg^+ + NSi^-$	217.7	119.3	217.5	119.1	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSiNg^+ + NSi^-$	212.2	113.4	212.0	113.1
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si^- + NgNSi^+$	294.4	189.9	294.7	190.0	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSiNg + NSi$	138.5	42.5	138.4	42.4
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si^- + NSiNg^+$	320.3	216.9	319.9	216.5	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^- + NSiNg^+$	314.8	211.0	314.3	210.5
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3SiNSi + Ng$	-0.6	-95.1	-0.9	-95.4	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^- + NgNSi^+$	288.9	183.9	289.0	184.0
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si + Ng + NSi$	147.8	53.3	148.5	54.0	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSiNSi + Ng$	-1.5	-96.3	-1.7	-96.6
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si^+ + Ng + NSi^-$	241.1	146.6	241.8	147.3	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi + Ng + NSi$	141.3	46.4	141.8	46.9
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si^+ + Ng + NSi^+$	353.4	258.9	354.1	259.6	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^+ + Ng + NSi^-$	230.4	135.5	231.0	136.1
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si + NgH + NSi$	216.3	121.8	218.1	123.5	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^- + Ng + NSi^+$	347.9	253.0	348.5	253.6
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si^+ + NgH + NSi^-$	329.8	235.2	331.6	237.0	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow Si + NgH + NSi$	235.8	140.9	236.9	142.0
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si^- + NgH + NSi^+$	426.9	332.4	428.7	334.1	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow Si + NgH^+ + NSi^-$	342.1	240.4	342.6	240.9
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si + NgH^+ + NSi^-$	322.6	221.2	323.9	222.5	$\Delta E^\ddagger$	10.5	13.6	-	-
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si^- + NgH^+ + NSi$	390.7	289.4	392.0	290.6	-	-	-	-	-
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi + HNgH + NSi$	302.9	189.5	304.0	199.5	-	-	-	-	-
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^+ + HNgH + NSi^-$	392.0	287.6	393.1	288.7	-	-	-	-	-
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^- + HNgH + NSi^+$	509.5	405.1	510.6	406.2	-	-	-	-	-
$\Delta E^\ddagger$	19.7	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

$\Delta E^\ddagger$  is the activation energy barrier for the processes,  $H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3SiNSi + Ng$  and  $HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSiNSi + Ng$ .

**Table S5.** Zero point energy corrected dissociation energy ( $D_0$ , kcal/mol) and dissociation enthalpy at 298 K ( $\Delta H$ , kcal/mol) for different dissociation channels of  $H_3SiNgNSi$  and  $HSiNgNSi$  compounds at the  $\omega B97X-D/def2-QZVPPD$  level.

Processes	$D_0$		$\Delta H$		Processes	$D_0$		$\Delta H$	
	Xe	Rn	Xe	Rn		Xe	Rn	Xe	Rn
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3SiNg^+ + NSi^-$	114.4	119.9	114.3	119.8	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSiNg^+ + NSi^-$	107.9	112.7	107.7	112.5
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si^- + NgNSi^+$	174.0	175.0	174.4	175.4	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSiNg + NSi$	6.6	14.1	6.7	14.2
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3SiNSi + Ng$	-112.9	-104.1	-113.2	-104.3	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^- + NgNSi^+$	171.1	171.4	171.2	171.6
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si + Ng + NSi$	16.2	25.1	17.0	25.9	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSiNSi + Ng$	-115.1	-106.8	-115.3	-107.1
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si^+ + Ng + NSi^-$	137.1	146.0	137.9	146.8	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi + Ng + NSi$	8.6	16.9	9.2	17.5
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3Si^- + Ng + NSi^+$	217.9	226.8	218.7	227.6	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^+ + Ng + NSi^-$	126.5	134.7	127.1	135.3
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si + NgH + NSi$	85.2	94.1	87.1	95.9	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^- + Ng + NSi^+$	214.9	223.2	215.6	223.8
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si^+ + NgH + NSi^-$	227.3	236.1	229.2	238.0	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow Si + NgH + NSi$	104.7	113.0	105.9	114.1
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si^- + NgH + NSi^+$	293.5	302.4	295.4	304.3	$HSiNgNSi \rightarrow Si + NgH^+ + NSi^-$	233.9	235.7	234.5	236.3
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si + NgH^+ + NSi^-$	214.3	216.7	215.7	218.0	$\Delta E^\ddagger$	9.5	12.8	-	-
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_2Si^- + NgH^+ + NSi$	255.2	257.6	256.5	258.9	-	-	-	-	-
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi + HNgH + NSi$	166.7	167.2	167.8	168.3	-	-	-	-	-
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^+ + HNgH + NSi^-$	284.6	285.0	285.7	286.2	-	-	-	-	-
$H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow HSi^- + HNgH + NSi^+$	373.0	373.5	374.1	374.6	-	-	-	-	-
$\Delta E^\ddagger$	21.2	25.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

$\Delta E^\ddagger$  is the activation energy barrier for the processes,  $H_3SiNgNSi \rightarrow H_3SiNSi + Ng$  and  $HSiNgNSi \rightarrow HSiNSi + Ng$ .