

**Electronic Supplementary Information (ESI)**  
**for**  
**Controlled intramolecular H-transfer in Malonaldehyde in the**  
**electronic ground state mediated through the conical intersection**  
**of  $^1n\pi^*$  and  $^1\pi\pi^*$  excited electronic states**

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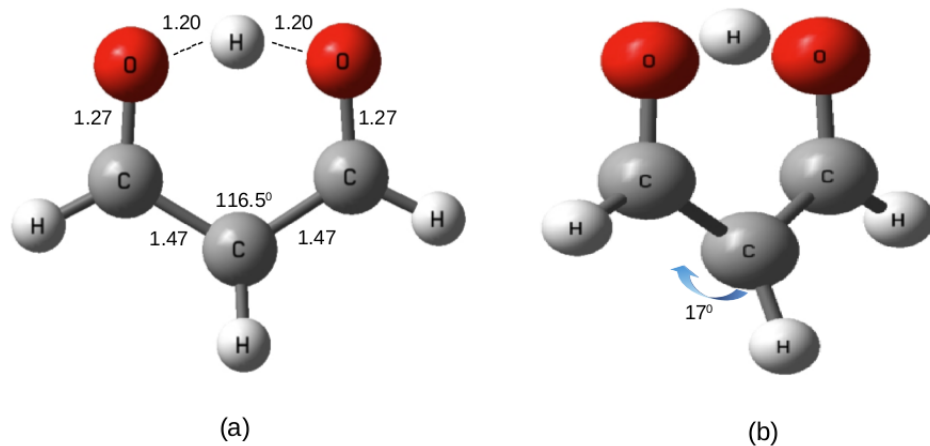


FIG. S1. The optimized geometry of hydrogen-transfer  $S_2/S_1$  conical intersection (in two different orientations shown in a and b), computed with SA-CAS(4,4) SCF/6-31G(d) method.

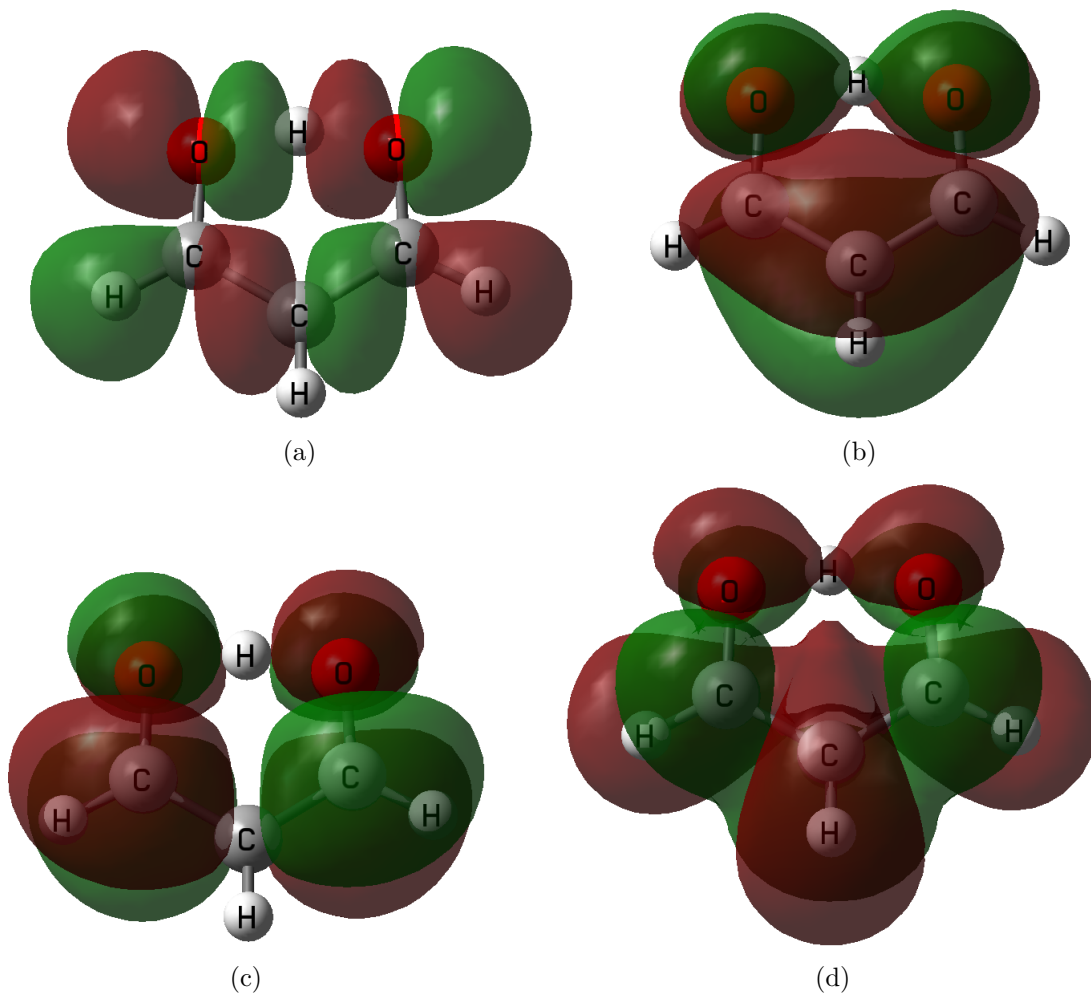


FIG. S2. The active space orbitals chosen at the CI geometry from CAS(4,4) SCF calculations. Plots in panels a, b, c and d, respectively, denote  $n$ ,  $\pi$ ,  $\pi_1^*$ ,  $\pi_2^*$  orbitals.

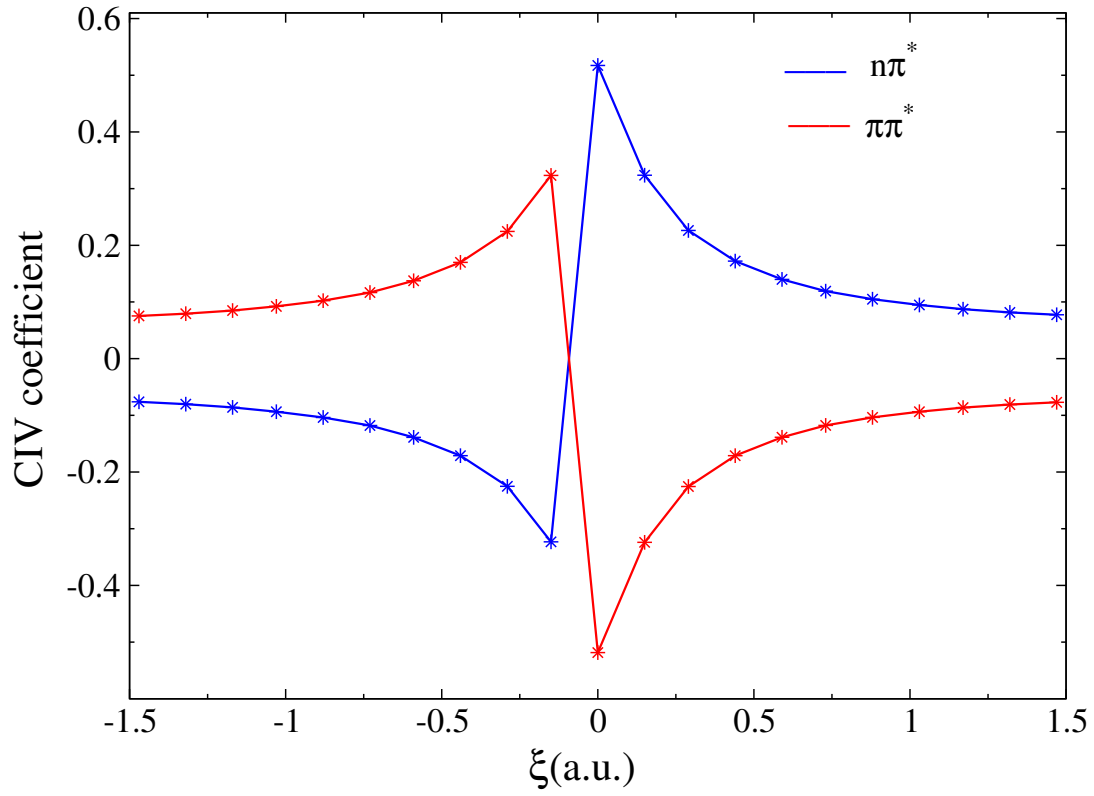


FIG. S3. The configuration interaction vector (CIV) coefficients of  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  electronic states along  $\xi$ . The blue and red colour asterisks are for the  $n\pi^*$  ( $S_1$ ) and  $\pi\pi^*$  ( $S_2$ ) states, respectively.

TABLE S1. Coefficients of configuration interaction wavefunctions at the conical intersection geometry calculated at the CAS(4,4) SCF level of theory. The first column represents the active space orbitals of  $n\pi\pi_1^*\pi_2^*$ . These orbitals are shown in Fig. S2. The second, third and fourth columns represent the coefficients of configuration interaction wavefunctions associated with the  $S_0$ ,  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  states Corresponding to the transition between the active space orbitals. The numbers in bold font reveal strong mixing between the  $S_1$ - $S_2$  states

$n\pi\pi_1^*\pi_2^*$	$S_0$	$S_1$	$S_2$
2200	0.9842357	-0.0032572	-0.0006302
2ba0	-0.0022846	<b>-0.5178297</b>	<b>-0.4236309</b>
2ab0	0.0022846	<b>0.5178297</b>	<b>0.4236309</b>
b2a0	0.0006726	<b>-0.4225931</b>	<b>0.5165817</b>
a2b0	-0.0006726	<b>0.4225931</b>	<b>-0.5165817</b>
20ab	-0.0001213	0.1767158	0.1445192
20ba	0.0001213	-0.1767158	-0.1445192
aabb	0.0032851	0.0997484	-0.1219347
bbaa	0.0032851	0.0997484	-0.1219347
2002	-0.1157341	-0.0016340	0.0040155
abab	-0.0036956	-0.0871044	0.1064116
baba	-0.0036956	-0.0871044	0.1064116
2020	-0.1026442	0.0072943	-0.0091700
b0a2	0.0003179	0.0640672	-0.0782505
a0b2	-0.0003179	-0.0640672	0.0782505
2b0a	0.0600289	0.0052125	-0.0062727
2a0b	-0.0600289	-0.0052125	0.0062727