

## Supporting Information

Title: Reducing ability of supramolecular C<sub>60</sub> dianion toward C=O, C=C and N–N bonds

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1. MOZYME (AM1) analysis on structure of  $\gamma$ -cyclodextrin-bicapped C<sub>60</sub>·16H<sub>2</sub>O.
2. FAB-MS data of  $\gamma$ -cyclodextrin-bicapped C<sub>60</sub> (**1**).
3. Experimental data on efficiency of **2** in ketone reduction: Ketone was reacted with **2** (generated from **1** and NaBH<sub>4</sub>) in DMSO - H<sub>2</sub>O (9:1, v/v) at 25 °C for 1 h. The reaction mixture was diluted with water and extracted with diethyl ether (twice). The ether layer was washed with water and dried over MgSO<sub>4</sub>. The control experiment was made by using NaBH<sub>4</sub> instead of **2** under the same condition. The product (GC-MS) and yield (GLC) are shown in the Table.

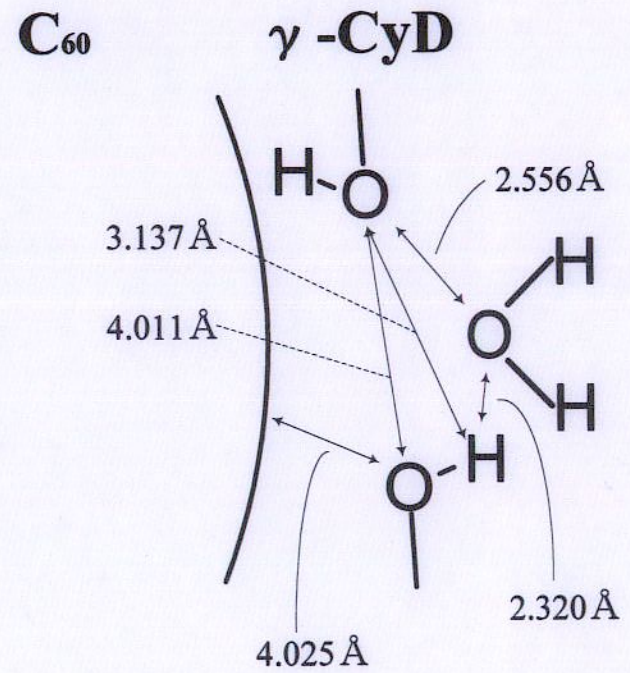
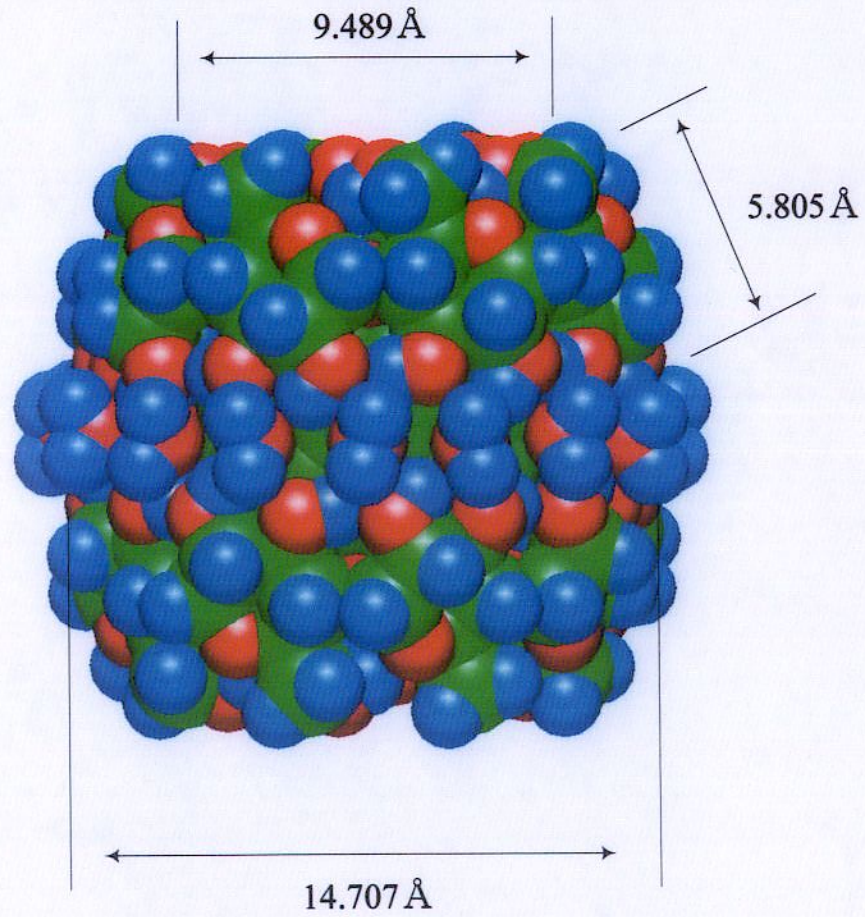
## Heat of Formation, Heat of Complexation, and HOMO LUMO Obtained by MOZYME (AM1) Calculation

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EIGEN VECTORS ALLVEC T=11D

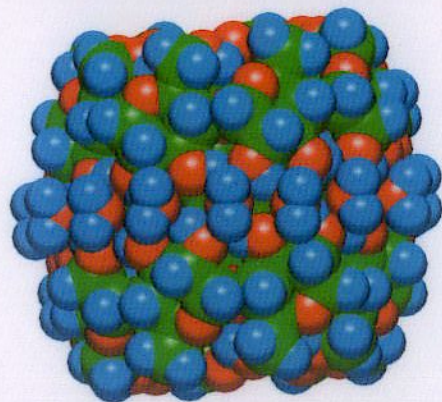
	Heat of Formation (kcal/mol)	Gradient Norm	HOMO (eV)	LUMO (eV)	HOMO-LUMO gap (eV)	next LUMO (eV)
H <sub>2</sub> O	<b>-59.247</b>	<b>1.317</b>				
$\gamma$ -CyD	<b>-1667.737</b>	<b>7.880</b>				
C <sub>60</sub>	<b>973.004</b>	<b>63.002</b>	<b>-9.6204</b>	<b>-2.9681</b>	<b>6.6523</b>	
C <sub>60</sub> / $\gamma$ -CyD	<b>-893.955</b>	<b>863.693</b>	<b>-9.6827</b>	<b>-3.0213</b>	<b>6.6614</b>	<b>-2.3312</b>
Bicapped C <sub>60</sub>	<b>-2768.469</b>	<b>255.948</b>	<b>-9.5630</b>	<b>-3.0334</b>	<b>6.5296</b>	<b>-2.3128</b>
Bicapped C <sub>60</sub> · 16H <sub>2</sub> O	<b>-3760.248</b>	<b>421.820</b>	<b>-8.8907</b>	<b>-2.2829</b>	<b>6.6078</b>	<b>-1.5801</b>

Complex	$\Delta H_f$ (kcal/mol)	$\Sigma \Delta H_f$ (kcal/mol)	$-\Delta H_{\text{complex}}$ (kcal/mol)	
C <sub>60</sub> / $\gamma$ -CyD	<b>-893.955</b>	<b>-694.73</b>	<b>199.22</b>	<b>Stabilization</b>
Bicapped C <sub>60</sub>	<b>-2768.469</b>	<b>-2362.47</b>	<b>406.00</b>	<b>Stabilization</b>
Bicapped C <sub>60</sub> · 16H <sub>2</sub> O	<b>-3760.248</b>	<b>-3310.42</b>	<b>449.83</b>	<b>Stabilization</b>

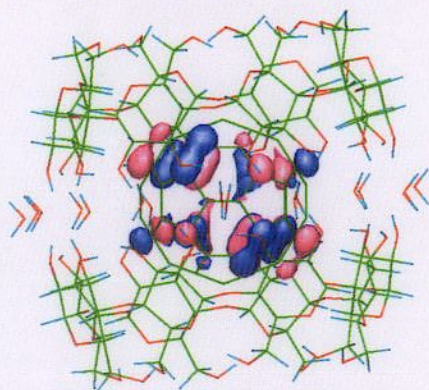
MOZYME analysis on structure of  $\gamma$ -cyclodextrin-bicapped  $C_{60} \cdot 16H_2O$



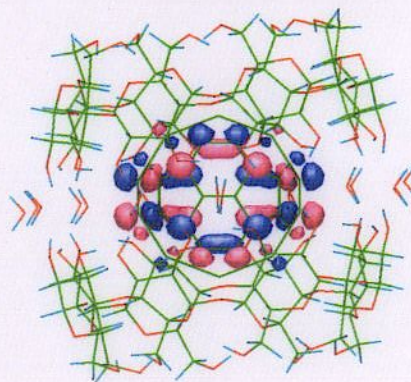
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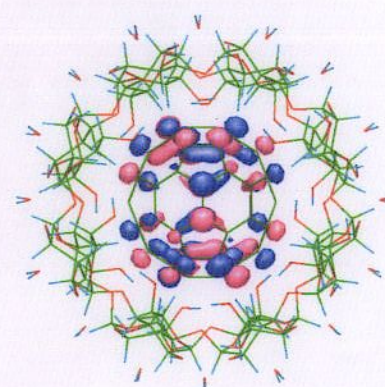
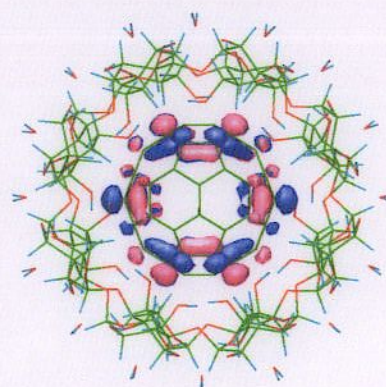
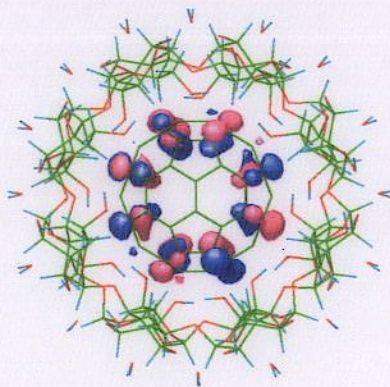
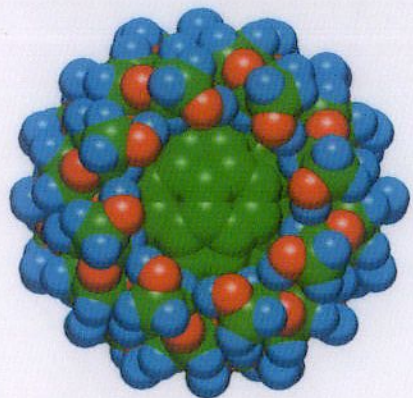
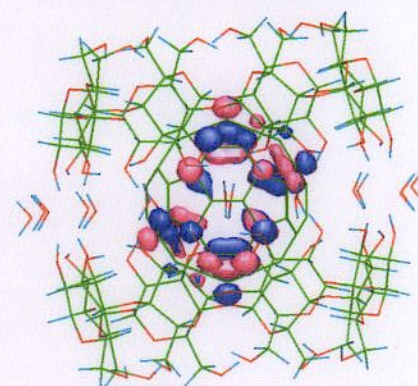
**[ HOMO ]**



**[ LUMO ]**



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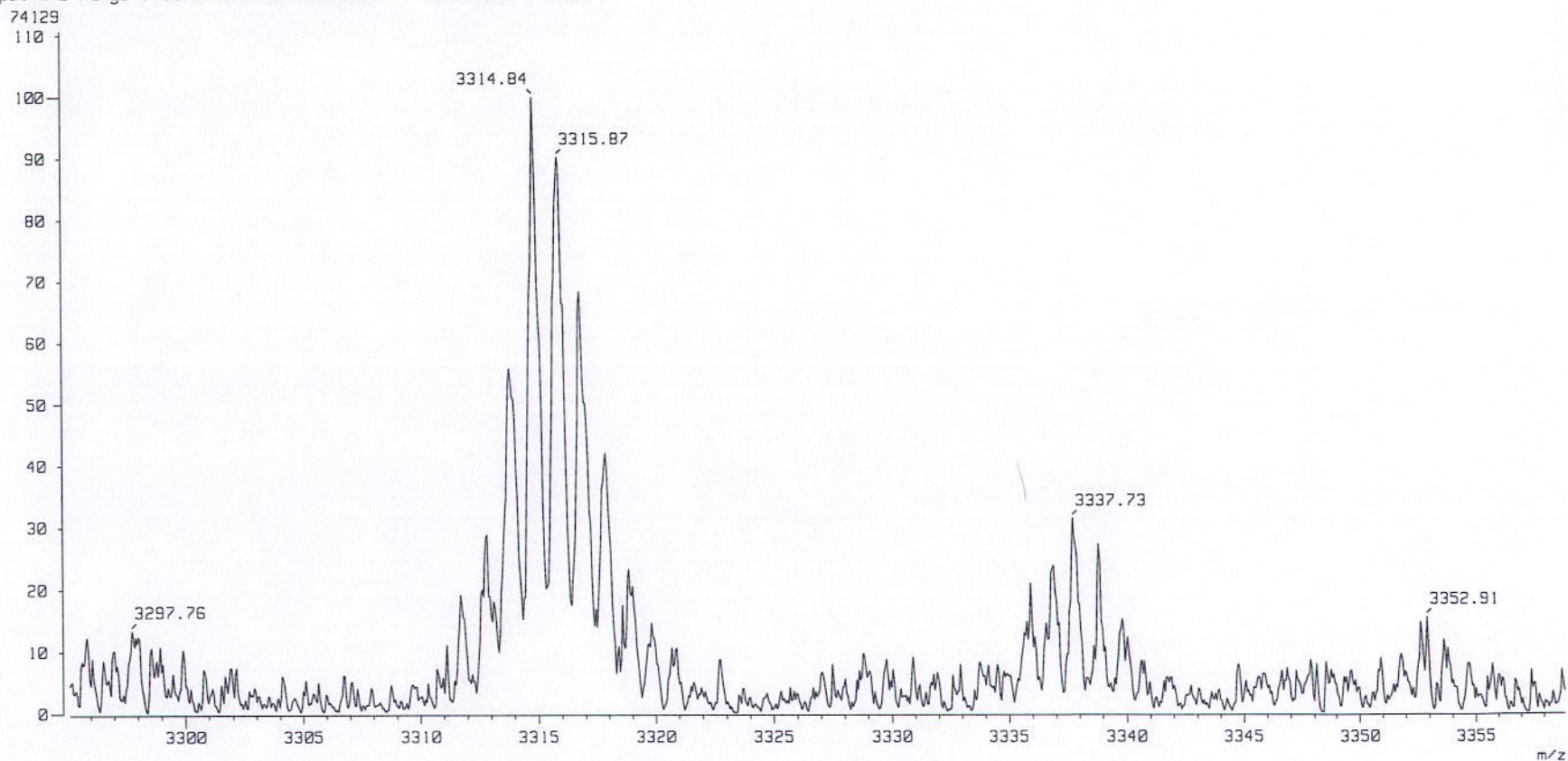
**-8.8907 eV**

**-2.2829 eV**

**-1.5801 eV**

FAB-MS ( matrix : dithiothreitol / dithioerythritol = 3 / 1 , v / v ) datum of  $\gamma$ -cyclodextrin-bicapped C<sub>60</sub> (1)

[ Mass Spectrum ]  
Data : POS-FAB080 Date : 05-Dec-2003 10:52  
Sample: T-15  
Note : -  
Inlet : Direct Ion Mode : FAB+  
Spectrum Type : Normal Ion [EF-Linear]  
RT : 4.25 min Scan# : (18,35)  
BP : m/z 3314.8433 Int. : 0.35  
Output m/z range : 3295.1040 to 3358.9021 Cut Level : 0.00 %



[ Theoretical Ion Distribution ]

Molecular Formula : C156 H161 O80

(m/z 3313.8530, MW 3315.9463, U.S. 76.5)

Base Peak : 3314.8564, Averaged MW : 3315.9503 (a), 3315.9510 (w)

m/z	INT.	
3313.8530	55.8749	*****
3314.8564	100.0000	*****
3315.8596	97.9074	*****
3316.8626	68.4576	*****
3317.8656	38.0002	*****
3318.8685	17.7169	*****
3319.8713	7.1837	****
3320.8741	2.5935	**
3321.8768	0.8479	
3322.8795	0.2542	
3323.8822	0.0706	
3324.8849	0.0183	
3325.8876	0.0045	
3326.8902	0.0010	
3327.8928	0.0002	

[ Elemental Composition ]

Data : POS-FAB081

Date : 05-Dec-2003 11:42

Sample: T-15

Note : -

Inlet : Direct

Ion Mode : FAB+

RT : 1.34 min

Scan#: (2,16)+(43,65)+(92,105)

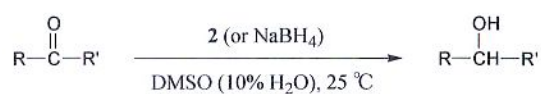
Elements : C 160/100, H 200/100, O 85/75

Mass Tolerance : 30mmu

Unsaturation (U.S.) : -0.5 - 100.0

Observed m/z	Int%	Err [ppm / mmu]	U.S.	Composition
3313.8718	65.9	+1.1 / +3.6	80.5	C 160 H 161 O 77
		-5.3 / -17.6	75.5	C 157 H 165 O 79
		+5.7 / +18.8	76.5	C 156 H 161 O 80
		-0.7 / -2.3	71.5	C 153 H 165 O 82
		-7.1 / -23.4	66.5	C 150 H 169 O 84
		+3.9 / +13.0	67.5	C 149 H 165 O 85

**Table.** Ketone reduction of  $\gamma$ -cyclodextrin-bicapped C<sub>60</sub> dianion (**2**) or NaBH<sub>4</sub><sup>a</sup>



Entry	Substrate	Product <sup>b</sup>	Yield <sup>c</sup> (%)
1			100 (8) (32.3) <sup>d</sup>
2			100 (6) (28.4) <sup>d</sup>
3			100 (8) (52.1) <sup>d</sup>
4			100 (8) (42.5) <sup>d</sup>
5			100 (3) (33.8) <sup>d</sup>

a. Condition of parallel experiment: substrate (8-21  $\mu$  mol), reducing agent (1) **2** generated from **1**  $\cdot$  24H<sub>2</sub>O (2.7  $\mu$  mol) and NaBH<sub>4</sub> (131.5  $\mu$  mol), and (2) NaBH<sub>4</sub> (131.5  $\mu$  mol) in the absence of **1** at 25  $^\circ$ C, for 1 h.

b. Product is only the corresponding carbinol. No pinacole formation is observed.

c. Determined by GLC analysis: the value in parenthesis shows TOF (h<sup>-1</sup>).

d. Control experiment with NaBH<sub>4</sub>.