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Exploring the potential of the ammine complexes $M(\text{NH}_3)_n^+$ ($M = \text{Zr}, \text{Re}$) to activate NH_3

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Table S1. Geometrical parameters for the $M(\text{NH}_3)_n^+$ complexes.

Complex	Spin Multiplicity	Geometry	M – N distances (Å)	N – M – N Angles (degrees)
$\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)^+$	4	Linear	2.32	
$\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)^+$	2	Linear	2.28	
$\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+$	4	Linear	2.36	179.6
$\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_3^+$	4	Dist. trigonal	2.40, 2.44	165.5, 113.8
$\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_4^+$	4	Square planar	2.43	95.0, 86.6
$\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_5^+$	4	Square pyramid	2.44	90.0 (equatorial) 87.1 (axial)
$\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_6^+$	4	Octahedral	2.43 (eq.) 2.42 (ax.)	86.9 (eq.) 89.7 (ax.)
$\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_7^+$	4	Capped octahedral	2.49 (eq.) 2.47 (ax.)	77.9 (eq.) 90.2 (ax.)
$\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)^+$	7	Linear	2.46	
$\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)^+$	5	Linear	2.11	
$\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+$	7	Bent	2.47	91.4
$\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+$	5	Linear	2.16	179.7
$\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)_3^+$	5	Dist. T-shaped	2.20, 2.60	106.4, 82.1

Table S2. Some geometrical parameters for the located stationary points.

Ion	Spin Multiplicity	Geometry	Distance (Å)			Angle (degrees)		
			M – N(H ₃)	M – N(H ₂)	M – H	N(H ₃)-M-N(H ₃)	N(H ₃)-M-N(H ₂)	H – M – H
T ₁	4	Bent		2.50	1.83		55.0 (∠H – Zr N)	
	2	Bent		2.06	2.06		40.0 (∠H – Zr N)	
[H – Zr – NH ₂] ⁺	4	Bent		2.37	1.86		120.5 (∠H – Zr N)	
	2	Bent		1.96	1.85		100.6 (∠H – Zr N)	
T ₂	4	Dist. square pyramid		2.25	1.85, 2.00		119.1, 43.0 (∠H – Zr N)	88.0
	2	Dist. square pyramid		1.85	1.84, 1.92		95.2, 55.0 (∠H – Zr N)	69.8
[(H) ₂ ... Zr – NH] ⁺	4	Linear		2.00 (R _{Zr-NH})	2.83, 2.84		172.2, 171.4 (∠H – Zr N)	112.9
T ₃	4	Dist. trigonal		2.56 (R _{Zr-NH})	1.97, 1.97		165.4, 165.5 (∠H – Zr N)	29.0
[(H ₂) ... Zr – NH] ⁺	4	Linear		2.002 (R _{Zr-NH})	2.83, 2.84		172.2, 171.4 (∠H – Zr N)	16.3
[(H ₂) ... Zr – NH] ⁺	2	Bent		1.81 (R _{Zr-NH})	2.37, 2.38		95.5, 95.0 (∠H – Zr N)	19.6
Zr – NH ⁺	4	Linear		1.97 (R _{Zr-NH})				
Zr – NH ⁺		Linear		1.81 (R _{Zr-NH})				
H – Zr(NH ₃) ₇ ⁺	4,2	Square antiprismatic	2.45		1.95	74.04		
[H – Zr(NH ₃) ₇] ⁺ ... NH ₂	4	-	2.44	3.74	1.96	76.65	58.2	
TS ₄	4	-	2.49	2.70	1.97	74.20	63.1	
Zr(NH ₃) ₆ (NH ₂) ⁺ ... NH ₃	4	-	2.39, 3.57	2.10	12.0	79.1, 62.2	95.1, 69.5	
Zr(NH ₃) ₆ (NH ₂) ⁺	4	Dist. Pentagonal Bipyramidal	2.44 (eq.) 2.39 (ax.)	2.092	12.0	71.8 (eq.) 168.0 (ax.)	75.2 (eq.) 95.6 (ax.)	
H ₃ N ... [H – Zr (NH ₃) ₆ (NH ₂)] ⁺	2	-	2.45, 4.18	2.18	2.00	112.1, 47.2	77.9	
TS ₄	2	-	2.44, 4.18	2.14, 2.26	2.18, 2.15	73.1	78.2, 100.8	29.6
Zr(NH ₃) ₅ (NH ₂) ₂ ⁺	2	Dist. Capped octahedra	2.45 (eq.), 2.43(ax.), 2.45 (ax.)	2.14, 2.13	10.00, 9.64	77.6	81.8	
TS ₅	5	Dist. See-saw	2.19	2.26	1.81	172.7	97.4	
H – Re(NH ₃) ₂ (NH ₂) ⁺	5	Square planar	2.17	2.04	1.78	179.4	90.0	

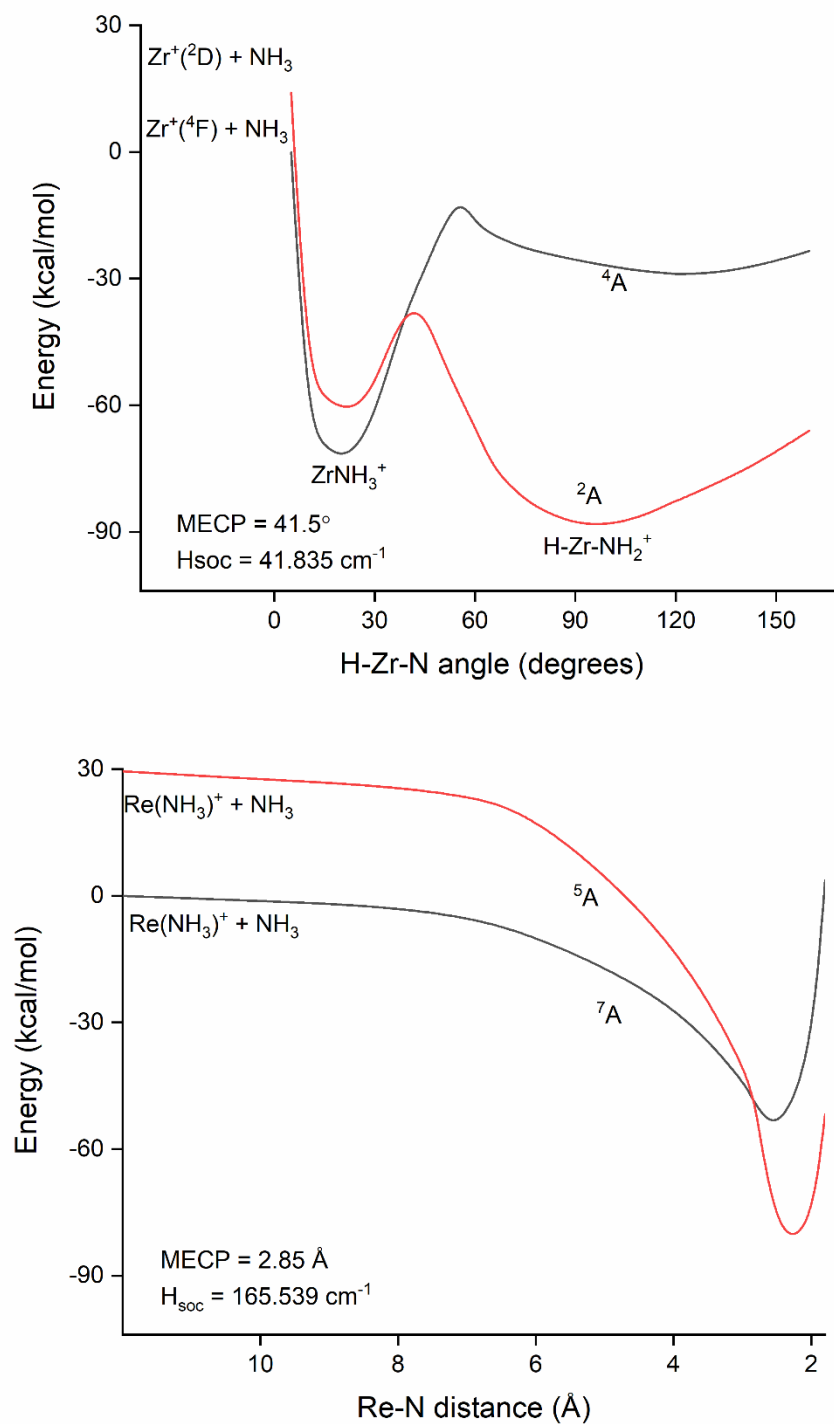


Fig S1 Graphs showing the crossing points between electronic states of different spin multiplicity. Quartet and doublet electronic states emerging from the reactants $Zr^+ + NH_3$ (top). Septuplet and quintuplet channels that evolve from the reaction $Re(NH_3)^+ + NH_3$ (bottom).

Table S3. Cartesian coordinates for all the structures appearing in figures and tables.

Figure 1

Structure: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)^+$ (^4A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.60696239

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	2.05180406	3.44533493	-1.25990686
N	0.96229725	1.50847403	-0.57920306
H	0.65887589	1.54479491	0.47178670
H	1.57116387	0.63403310	-0.66895366
H	0.06669196	1.31232903	-1.12905407

Structure: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)^+$ (^2A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.59772204

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	1.99017461	3.46197140	-1.22128202
N	0.96850924	1.51350745	-0.59449252
H	0.61584742	1.47962733	0.44698074
H	1.58033996	0.60523527	-0.70006799
H	0.06596179	1.29462456	-1.18646918

Structure: $^4\text{T}_1$ (^4A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.51524744

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
Zr	1.52337206	3.64267453	-0.51052173
N	0.77184645	1.30754741	-1.03547622
H	1.79250262	2.18206109	0.56888951
H	0.98185271	0.47624762	-0.31844755
H	0.22125918	0.81643533	-1.88977499

Structure: $^2\text{T}_1$ (^2A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.56036011

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
Zr	1.81965940	3.31608563	-0.87146013
N	1.01325934	1.41527016	-0.91551147
H	0.84826716	1.97961857	0.36942821

H 1.53718991 0.47994470 -0.68360103
H -0.01754277 1.14404694 -1.17418655

Structure: H-Zr-NH₂⁺ (⁴A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.54691616

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	1.61794017	3.09828922	-0.35502113
N	0.94343712	1.01343007	-1.27021968
H	1.26362214	3.50871878	1.43420916
H	1.50759161	0.04530470	-1.25438672
H	-0.04175803	0.75922322	-1.73991259

Structure: H-Zr-NH₂⁺ (²A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.64157897

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	1.70896337	2.94466686	-0.56399838
N	1.11901013	1.15399734	-1.12876874
H	0.66367963	3.18720373	0.95292757
H	1.70126182	0.24695832	-1.29936768
H	0.06791808	0.86213977	-1.17612376

Structure: ⁴T₂ (⁴A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.47257930

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
Zr	1.53914632	3.15136975	-0.25741009
N	0.71009606	1.45931274	-1.49551659
H	1.53960732	3.00101247	1.59525042
H	1.75390137	1.16438463	-0.35026826
H	0.49808195	0.39888644	-1.81996380

Structure: ²T₂ (²A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.58901680

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
Zr	1.72188162	3.34520537	-0.46615006
N	0.85636416	1.75288842	-0.85466644
H	1.87300456	3.01648326	1.34704231
H	2.45443937	1.58634101	-0.16704655
H	0.43514337	0.77404798	-0.94240844

Structure: (H)₂-Zr-NH⁺ (⁴A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.50842994

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	1.71058270	2.22416320	-0.00184710
N	0.21134935	1.18815067	-1.64883415
H	1.10194544	3.40420586	1.29681911
H	3.43215337	1.59453135	0.34135184
H	-0.49519782	0.68391494	-2.39539801

Structure: ⁴T₃ (⁴A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.45285989

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
Zr	1.56079507	2.09544463	-0.06236680
N	0.03505679	1.05962137	-1.84774384
H	2.30442937	3.07996807	1.47552462
H	3.08798141	2.65082848	1.05492620
H	-0.65742963	0.58910346	-2.65824849

Structure: (H)₂^{···}-Zr-NH⁺ (⁴A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.55065099

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	1.20663675	1.84488404	-0.49129038
N	0.01754263	1.03321467	-1.88354613
H	2.54695074	3.20715484	1.61069930
H	3.16123098	2.76233531	1.33894986
H	-0.64152810	0.58737714	-2.65272094

Structure: (H)₂^{···}-Zr-NH⁺ (²A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.63011207

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	2.16119636	3.06968852	-0.80252617
N	1.06198480	1.70519877	-1.27677363
H	1.76508618	2.88019178	1.53237254
H	2.39228220	2.37598169	1.46267957
H	0.40028354	0.88390529	-1.55898147

Products: Zr-NH⁺ + H₂ (⁴A)
CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.54222215
Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	-1.31043106	1.59726956	-2.31512614
N	-1.43723359	0.07895804	-3.57959670
H	5.59055988	4.40505367	4.35515665
H	5.01626541	4.18348394	3.80904964
H	-1.50832765	-0.76979922	-4.28739175

Products: Zr-NH⁺ + H₂ (²A)
CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -102.61544212
Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Zr	3.75689514	1.32946968	-4.22219996
N	2.96509161	2.46022945	-3.04366623
H	-0.58668695	1.78240579	4.77380311
H	-0.61549928	2.53482785	4.44146471
H	2.50103257	3.12277621	-2.35263081

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Zr	2.05180406	3.44533493	-1.25990686
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H	1.57116387	0.63403310	-0.66895366
H	0.06669196	1.31232903	-1.12905407

Structure: Zr(NH₃)₂⁺ (⁴A)
CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -158.87181581
Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	1.01468989	5.51582230	-1.43005604
Zr	3.15494584	5.79687209	-0.47318472
N	5.29157868	6.07606639	0.49600254
H	0.22743215	5.35300157	-0.68548593
H	0.93904488	4.64452447	-2.09031604

H	0.69748404	6.35252085	-2.01306265
H	6.06027657	6.20054206	-0.23325494
H	5.34695529	6.91562695	1.15219538
H	5.58335066	5.20968232	1.09348941

Structure: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_3^+$ (^4A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -215.10714720

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	1.63247643	5.42315710	-1.80679152
Zr	3.19495721	7.20247664	-2.42602182
N	2.48345178	9.37233056	-1.77877457
H	1.93809364	4.43470885	-2.05495550
H	0.69003901	5.57981158	-2.27690282
H	1.46168856	5.43789237	-0.75611100
H	3.20976894	10.07837639	-2.10765102
H	1.55435111	9.65677176	-2.21404926
H	2.38999230	9.48894722	-0.72467550
N	4.43348058	5.29340254	-3.20232376
H	4.60819472	5.38477301	-4.27891257
H	5.40221311	5.31847183	-2.75750867
H	4.06975060	4.26869008	-3.07409094

Structure: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_4^+$ (^4A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -271.34419507

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	1.58609074	7.02433046	-1.52337387
N	4.79101712	6.42196229	-0.84017244
Zr	3.67410209	7.89633878	-2.41098146
N	2.52339026	9.36657426	-3.96571782
H	1.71153584	6.04806502	-1.12413529
H	0.83404083	6.95012211	-2.27087717
H	1.21540133	7.65177382	-0.74975488
H	2.91770168	9.33598494	-4.95249024
H	1.49386874	9.11567548	-4.03736977
H	2.57542953	10.36875324	-3.61469622
H	4.86506035	5.39925389	-1.21087505
H	5.78831561	6.74209940	-0.65510752
H	4.30747132	6.37920803	0.10670682
N	5.71951476	8.77237125	-3.37256060
H	5.66291856	9.80456531	-3.63025442
H	6.57859919	8.69058319	-2.70106315
H	6.03118298	8.23698159	-4.27451888

Structure: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_5^+$ (^4A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -327.56458158

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	4.39338598	7.35842739	-0.35330819
N	2.05459071	7.31234710	-2.82023200
Zr	4.08928339	8.62737235	-2.46572784
N	6.21485417	9.72521070	-2.00815191
N	5.40940159	6.88014192	-3.54878482
H	3.72150430	7.67537572	0.40549011
H	5.37932341	7.45193838	0.02990262
H	4.21649891	6.32383863	-0.51877685
H	6.39350191	6.57206328	-3.16765176
H	4.91576080	5.93544323	-3.80645865
H	5.60996525	7.33823252	-4.52002054
H	1.32223137	7.25929702	-2.05062311
H	1.66300140	7.88920584	-3.61792863
H	2.19506219	6.32840790	-3.19369926
H	6.06175800	10.70962298	-2.37308261
H	6.58147407	9.80044637	-1.01184861
H	6.98476805	9.31051140	-2.60880973
N	2.69017759	10.19763530	-1.23215120
H	2.94949401	11.13963189	-1.64568126
H	1.66777433	10.04812666	-1.47278104
H	2.77034361	10.27333238	-0.17353165

Structure: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_6^+$ (^4A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -383.78393333

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	3.34330609	9.78986722	-2.15067442
Zr	5.23816138	8.26077785	-2.26492375
N	6.87010771	10.06329068	-2.15031546
N	3.60564225	6.45536970	-2.38445945
N	5.26169476	8.41050285	-4.68659067
N	5.21164128	8.10944030	0.15654145
H	2.73501957	9.61121060	-1.29643539
H	2.69940821	9.71772819	-2.99479496
H	3.66157310	10.80278461	-2.09661459
H	7.46672466	10.02721711	-1.26817054
H	7.55145407	10.06772192	-2.96912939
H	6.40727870	11.05058464	-2.14733822
H	5.74067159	7.58315587	-5.15316454
H	4.26751520	8.43325300	-5.06659773
H	5.73715975	9.29258448	-5.04379178
H	4.71018753	7.24008901	0.50924199

H	6.20708496	8.04872569	0.52923323
H	4.76311804	8.94784598	0.63356640
H	2.93811162	6.44737794	-1.55568948
H	2.99771757	6.51497781	-3.25604754
H	4.07709846	5.50237628	-2.40918348
N	7.13251178	6.73273846	-2.37344962
H	7.78829668	6.82315738	-1.53969752
H	6.81844616	5.71709053	-2.40309390
H	7.73021495	6.89448698	-3.23907572

Structure: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_7^+$ (^4A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -440.01085281

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	6.61467572	9.88696069	-3.15633540
Zr	4.31345952	9.01960269	-3.39824066
N	4.65407290	9.95533217	-5.67111251
N	4.07243783	8.94887699	-0.94682596
N	1.83294042	8.87583790	-3.30438133
N	5.65106492	6.99941993	-2.80020259
N	3.70291399	11.36896699	-3.01938669
H	7.28491921	9.24819752	-3.67546247
H	6.96149107	9.94639883	-2.15230901
H	6.73747738	10.85429607	-3.57842619
H	3.79078327	9.95861813	-6.29370454
H	4.99210612	10.99034755	-5.64051161
H	5.41129279	9.42765523	-6.19974007
H	1.52004727	7.89441822	-3.04704811
H	1.42306973	9.53021438	-2.57534939
H	1.36431702	9.12015278	-4.22632352
H	6.34486231	7.21129999	-2.02496181
H	5.04334911	6.19559727	-2.46303646
H	6.21471379	6.63611700	-3.62359854
H	4.37671042	8.02131770	-0.53159434
H	4.65491548	9.70280278	-0.47355146
H	3.06766516	9.10096088	-0.63911298
H	3.03617023	11.72686365	-3.80795019
H	3.14251211	11.56539662	-2.10119944
H	4.51791206	12.05509037	-3.00268007
N	3.68351414	7.20949914	-4.99090761
H	4.50617801	6.91381635	-5.59349409
H	3.33057086	6.33789261	-4.49768730
H	2.91556615	7.52089562	-5.65380365

Figure 2

Reactants: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_7^+ + \text{NH}_3 (^4\text{A})$
CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.14548141
Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	2.63603118	10.31230706	-2.09260249
Zr	4.27951462	9.04125461	-3.46843458
N	6.67227447	9.27824203	-2.79074542
N	4.84329340	11.35121136	-4.14716262
N	3.42784629	6.69790680	-3.52865949
N	5.48125355	8.20037498	-5.45626294
N	4.49063655	8.16021145	-1.14342817
N	2.38613677	9.27552857	-5.03363100
H	3.08872084	10.71576366	-1.22095340
H	1.81342190	9.72182581	-1.76880972
H	2.23068936	11.13250544	-2.63139287
H	5.03110209	11.92310513	-3.27264640
H	5.71603198	11.42034636	-4.74976548
H	4.06834903	11.84876984	-4.67830662
H	6.34535113	7.66659586	-5.14905072
H	4.90553436	7.52843084	-6.04411404
H	5.81073516	8.97351228	-6.10857506
H	3.55214542	7.85697853	-0.75076153
H	5.13345450	7.31636447	-1.09449833
H	4.88401893	8.88659752	-0.47607451
H	4.20732270	6.01775037	-3.28826450
H	2.63396720	6.51237545	-2.84703277
H	3.07323545	6.42622103	-4.49215470
H	1.55438290	8.74396211	-4.64313674
H	2.06541761	10.27794641	-5.17902696
H	2.58409950	8.87637129	-5.99846456
H	6.78280899	9.95184952	-1.97641890
H	7.11055829	8.35765724	-2.49084533
H	7.26975061	9.65823059	-3.58222497
N	-7.28443949	7.83703706	-6.43909537
H	-7.71991351	8.81777435	-6.57540840
H	-7.36593336	7.27194514	-7.35783936
H	-7.80208240	7.31639684	-5.64470907

Radical fragments: $[\text{H-Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_7]^+ + \text{NH}_2 (^4\text{A})$
CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.14420445
Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	2.72991997	10.16009135	-2.30235656
Zr	4.39721192	9.02836639	-3.70858342

N	5.70775955	9.59482167	-1.71922088
N	3.54503954	7.11057934	-4.96737713
N	3.62696596	7.34707213	-2.09124888
N	5.11993674	11.33009290	-4.01738289
N	6.32936655	7.55248475	-3.73630801
N	2.64559337	9.90245888	-5.17769283
N	8.75513011	18.71552390	1.87420510
H	1.77193956	9.71887659	-2.45937905
H	2.57161625	11.22930999	-2.45486361
H	2.89854753	10.05988617	-1.25442697
H	2.59725574	7.12832198	-2.26363020
H	4.11990060	6.37296129	-2.09290763
H	3.66300255	7.66260000	-1.07318095
H	6.31957107	7.09868618	-4.68977137
H	7.20121539	8.15151081	-3.71775464
H	6.44639461	6.79368513	-3.00301584
H	2.44642004	10.93484646	-5.04586800
H	2.96844771	9.76790786	-6.17612552
H	1.71459386	9.40643459	-5.06317059
H	4.87456020	11.57233004	-5.01556875
H	4.76294621	12.10452146	-3.38488794
H	6.17685747	11.34544304	-3.97552248
H	5.27418072	10.38152894	-1.15375304
H	5.80197471	8.77432436	-1.05255514
H	6.69638490	9.90511571	-1.95280861
H	2.49575977	6.98164973	-4.87589071
H	3.76861548	7.26632715	-5.98976950
H	3.97895032	6.18565533	-4.68611161
H	8.31421947	19.15886691	2.80449790
H	9.64009766	19.37406770	1.67540778
H	5.24966748	9.17288726	-5.46428802

Radical fragments: $[\text{H-Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_7]^+ + \text{NH}_2(^2\text{A})$

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.14433227

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	2.72991997	10.16009135	-2.30235656
Zr	4.39721192	9.02836639	-3.70858342
N	5.70775955	9.59482167	-1.71922088
N	3.54503954	7.11057934	-4.96737713
N	3.62696596	7.34707213	-2.09124888
N	5.11993674	11.33009290	-4.01738289
N	6.32936655	7.55248475	-3.73630801
N	2.64559337	9.90245888	-5.17769283
N	8.75513011	18.71552390	1.87420510
H	1.77193956	9.71887659	-2.45937905
H	2.57161625	11.22930999	-2.45486361
H	2.89854753	10.05988617	-1.25442697

H	2.59725574	7.12832198	-2.26363020
H	4.11990060	6.37296129	-2.09290763
H	3.66300255	7.66260000	-1.07318095
H	6.31957107	7.09868618	-4.68977137
H	7.20121539	8.15151081	-3.71775464
H	6.44639461	6.79368513	-3.00301584
H	2.44642004	10.93484646	-5.04586800
H	2.96844771	9.76790786	-6.17612552
H	1.71459386	9.40643459	-5.06317059
H	4.87456020	11.57233004	-5.01556875
H	4.76294621	12.10452146	-3.38488794
H	6.17685747	11.34544304	-3.97552248
H	5.27418072	10.38152894	-1.15375304
H	5.80197471	8.77432436	-1.05255514
H	6.69638490	9.90511571	-1.95280861
H	2.49575977	6.98164973	-4.87589071
H	3.76861548	7.26632715	-5.98976950
H	3.97895032	6.18565533	-4.68611161
H	8.31421947	19.15886691	2.80449790
H	9.64009766	19.37406770	1.67540778
H	5.24966748	9.17288726	-5.46428802

Structure: $[\text{H-Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_7]^+ \cdots \text{NH}_2 (^4\text{A})$

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.17582476

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	3.83230967	11.22940009	-1.40667637
Zr	4.73941098	9.72535835	-3.08848303
N	5.10692859	8.40742277	-1.03907773
N	4.09211540	8.37719307	-5.02067889
N	2.61386508	8.60735783	-2.53720255
N	6.66094153	10.85730627	-2.11393345
N	6.58288236	8.18184201	-3.52248960
N	3.12701709	11.13119407	-4.25174201
N	5.27252266	13.40598323	-3.50372336
H	4.06535807	12.22858596	-1.67615263
H	4.24210351	11.07779745	-0.41313092
H	2.78057403	11.16869914	-1.28742518
H	1.75516199	8.78963373	-3.14108036
H	2.76422193	7.52877256	-2.60481021
H	2.29101213	8.74688873	-1.53080054
H	6.97210947	8.39249743	-4.48382345
H	7.38894666	8.25037504	-2.83800019
H	6.27652715	7.16587665	-3.50845576
H	3.18186802	12.12467516	-3.89685326
H	3.47919309	11.14719726	-5.24598041
H	2.10322747	10.85609445	-4.26499912
H	6.43190425	11.87273012	-1.93473071

H	7.10438220	10.47226607	-1.23132611
H	7.38324927	10.84266254	-2.88265946
H	4.42854893	8.63438972	-0.25019810
H	4.91743516	7.38395903	-1.26658173
H	6.07497228	8.42137172	-0.59760522
H	3.11625392	8.56906141	-5.38641452
H	4.76724832	8.57918224	-5.81036461
H	4.12601966	7.33580423	-4.81945480
H	5.52279215	14.44148599	-3.78310534
H	5.69891667	12.77953458	-4.28597041
H	5.71002333	10.55663712	-4.58737991

Transition state: ${}^4T_4 ({}^4A)$

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.14544820

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
N	4.16629088	10.93398681	-0.97311945
Zr	4.80910726	9.91179423	-3.11455438
N	3.72662079	8.09739689	-1.78142961
N	4.10401165	9.81572609	-5.48962968
N	2.33413993	10.20330635	-3.24431650
N	6.62389889	9.05872591	-1.63691813
N	5.45078934	7.71376639	-4.03846145
N	4.49842430	12.26308894	-3.85471239
N	6.61106155	11.71783780	-2.23071777
H	4.70480322	11.82769718	-0.80577139
H	4.41154369	10.28420483	-0.13758289
H	3.13541459	11.15653830	-0.85109137
H	1.92731022	11.12995037	-3.57901697
H	1.91921952	9.45861474	-3.92402004
H	1.83143235	9.99495503	-2.32853651
H	6.11535070	7.91238257	-4.83563676
H	5.95672311	7.06720842	-3.36927634
H	4.63157501	7.15677623	-4.41877860
H	4.50482457	12.95684201	-3.05624474
H	5.33334143	12.46769610	-4.46919671
H	3.62722806	12.45782308	-4.42432052
H	6.79533721	9.66135161	-0.78484464
H	6.51424469	8.06357943	-1.29143137
H	7.49255836	9.09474808	-2.23809820
H	3.08654279	8.44006744	-1.00275535
H	3.08138093	7.55929665	-2.43570305
H	4.34444706	7.35970130	-1.32801857
H	3.47549909	10.60225154	-5.81866933
H	4.99223307	9.86029788	-6.06074210
H	3.59787738	8.91695551	-5.73773302
H	7.12859174	12.50240988	-1.66860290
H	7.27098903	11.47128711	-3.03764969

H 6.40723072 10.17097134 -4.24372957

Structure: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_6(\text{NH}_2)^+ \cdots \text{NH}_3 + \text{H} (^4\text{A})$

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.18487689

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	3.34364659	11.09581533	-1.44881562
Zr	4.91538616	9.67674586	-2.57373480
N	4.75023329	8.32834095	-0.52820254
N	4.59601007	8.89683791	-4.86668445
N	2.82289246	8.44060393	-2.70531592
N	6.36746060	10.82436299	-1.02117894
N	6.64800490	8.04466227	-2.87375059
N	2.35318627	11.21916051	-4.54101114
N	5.72596589	11.20446780	-3.76967349
H	2.32195767	10.95261499	-1.69078780
H	3.58562239	12.10977141	-1.74926537
H	3.41149125	11.08070120	-0.38801535
H	2.19116955	8.91718121	-3.41149214
H	2.91285932	7.40049026	-3.01043170
H	2.29702002	8.40020354	-1.78351460
H	7.29278229	8.34702021	-3.66143219
H	7.24804409	7.94353960	-2.00454502
H	6.30612268	7.06506089	-3.10175766
H	1.55090370	11.72787453	-4.04672958
H	3.24719718	11.76427182	-4.37946272
H	2.12755393	11.23865751	-5.58927235
H	6.18572170	10.61914105	0.00411019
H	7.37878756	10.56060099	-1.20623562
H	6.30551905	11.87699991	-1.13863134
H	3.99950696	8.61538352	0.17792918
H	4.52475199	7.31384658	-0.77100880
H	5.65237337	8.27587821	0.03713321
H	3.74395587	9.38350506	-5.25733192
H	5.42432178	9.16224553	-5.46897055
H	4.44950311	7.85327076	-4.97567737
H	6.32753144	11.99802119	-3.44168609
H	5.69351576	11.31443981	-4.83722909
H	8.98904412	15.71751867	-12.10863784

Products: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_6(\text{NH}_2)^+ + \text{NH}_3 + \text{H} (^4\text{A})$

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.14634031

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	3.74454799	11.93807035	-0.58782053
Zr	5.32302999	10.62773235	-1.81054393

N	6.10256804	9.48955414	0.21718437
N	4.01723925	10.04781419	-3.80346774
N	3.67206390	8.92171943	-1.17184304
N	6.85940852	12.12645559	-0.64039496
N	6.76656060	8.95055504	-2.72590443
N	-0.41556338	4.40776885	-10.31822282
N	5.80251489	12.10336076	-3.21482890
H	2.73006631	11.65163329	-0.72236957
H	3.81849777	12.95505154	-0.96440435
H	3.89513596	11.99763555	0.46375797
H	2.71227022	9.03407473	-1.62103917
H	3.96113950	7.88617825	-1.37280426
H	3.49447930	8.93986102	-0.12027450
H	7.13602598	9.35636270	-3.63220810
H	7.60759042	8.73680078	-2.11580390
H	6.31731802	8.01535800	-2.95366320
H	-1.04517092	3.68619078	-9.81513326
H	-1.02662983	5.06158210	-10.92593888
H	0.29879221	3.89157284	-10.94541390
H	6.80954015	12.07134662	0.41736102
H	7.87155767	11.95139829	-0.91189336
H	6.63620097	13.12740361	-0.90743197
H	5.57858943	9.77712321	1.10249872
H	5.97420149	8.43332038	0.15529221
H	7.13547327	9.63759314	0.43004861
H	3.17653131	10.68982123	-3.90105450
H	4.61121926	10.18660422	-4.67005829
H	3.65263421	9.05285400	-3.83672243
H	6.55392345	12.82819185	-3.13081806
H	5.40187565	12.21552722	-4.17607413
H	9.71641139	17.77271993	-9.72132073

Structure: $\text{H}_3\text{N} \cdots [\text{H-Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_6(\text{NH}_2)]^+$ (^2A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.2728640

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	3.49960286	10.96052408	-1.71526359
Zr	4.69628839	9.55783638	-3.36532121
N	6.17779743	9.62895477	-1.75433028
N	3.09632532	8.00799708	-4.54376243
N	3.75444414	7.93735701	-1.72300159
N	5.83749161	11.63026191	-3.93038847
N	6.07201773	7.58346761	-3.84546129
N	3.01323146	11.00110224	-4.56338068
N	5.93192463	12.83264207	-1.07631055
H	2.43978383	10.97377246	-1.73873674
H	3.84078150	11.98594991	-1.78936693
H	3.80029812	10.64441834	-0.75375320

H	2.69988748	7.90256047	-1.60745003
H	4.07134776	6.93037939	-1.97070433
H	4.18792240	8.14930341	-0.78190112
H	5.78853879	6.94633995	-4.64121229
H	6.92046246	8.11241993	-4.17297684
H	6.35370140	7.00659987	-3.00466995
H	3.13190625	12.02508701	-4.32604680
H	3.29875780	10.86476630	-5.56964207
H	1.98301469	10.76781825	-4.46740507
H	5.74831956	11.82769652	-4.96083245
H	5.62727014	12.50158077	-3.36716883
H	6.84096072	11.37014018	-3.74912016
H	6.20733094	11.80643650	-1.16129544
H	6.05399197	9.42839130	-0.72808579
H	7.21473502	9.57832078	-1.91484539
H	2.05579961	8.17897956	-4.42985830
H	3.37005703	8.21421809	-5.54049572
H	3.27153864	6.97952080	-4.36739379
H	6.79278958	13.44380306	-1.28288146
H	5.66509985	13.02777015	-0.02368826
H	5.20662399	9.52281990	-5.30455896

Transition state: 2T_3 (2A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.23481245

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
N	4.09097605	10.11299440	-1.11234717
Zr	4.54342676	9.04556366	-3.08158967
N	2.39813430	7.97143257	-2.58528741
N	6.48184768	7.64667727	-3.81200939
N	2.92988000	10.33161918	-3.97699570
N	5.70431842	10.43716604	-4.66089402
N	4.98121740	7.36480630	-1.29719786
N	3.91204370	7.96241095	-5.23090277
H	3.97179421	9.73455835	-0.13497164
H	3.71254549	11.09147516	-1.11824694
H	5.39289410	10.10978326	-1.42451812
H	6.76902525	7.86736541	-4.80558293
H	7.29212223	7.89839603	-3.18140492
H	6.32350333	6.60031397	-3.75724554
H	6.72482292	10.25008740	-4.86095884
H	5.19817552	10.54234530	-5.58160489
H	5.65193556	11.36721955	-4.15501115
H	4.25203753	7.43112446	-0.53239188
H	4.99426808	6.32522976	-1.61504920
H	5.92154300	7.56387633	-0.85206741
H	2.12191790	10.58679360	-3.29537965
H	3.14595860	8.65601018	-5.44021287

H	3.22253655	11.31919435	-4.32096283
H	4.60923490	7.98107791	-6.02713306
H	3.50105643	6.98697904	-5.19280731
H	2.30309851	6.92026116	-2.48962128
H	2.04249468	8.42228697	-1.69881787
H	1.77667131	8.29797632	-3.37239569
H	6.24081433	9.78500574	-2.03356738
N	5.42624132	12.84565391	-2.82599949
H	4.40284746	13.03534429	-2.58263161
H	5.93076185	12.49953674	-1.95061652
H	5.87978166	13.76258846	-3.15425207

Structure: $\text{H}_3\text{N} \cdots \text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_5(\text{NH}_2)_2^+ \cdots \text{H}_2$ (^2A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.28723511

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	4.05654679	9.92116581	-1.24173854
Zr	4.05904559	9.05321688	-3.16544779
N	2.30545716	7.77548206	-2.00516612
N	6.50244919	9.32788416	-3.33525291
N	2.25641929	9.58656013	-4.31041752
N	4.45412339	11.21153522	-4.22344327
N	5.02487163	6.88605012	-2.53961030
N	4.44811297	7.92919359	-5.40269286
H	3.46752599	9.64932821	-0.41510976
H	4.60295646	10.76760210	-0.95326074
H	6.60036212	8.74620493	-0.06745183
H	6.89548606	9.35478577	-4.31759825
H	6.64675684	10.27805486	-2.89288160
H	7.07943474	8.63603165	-2.78322110
H	5.40223525	11.67836070	-4.19530736
H	4.10579021	11.17772931	-5.21977076
H	3.78274755	11.81646608	-3.67861830
H	4.30946213	6.11089791	-2.60385776
H	5.84678533	6.61438374	-3.14650246
H	5.35338027	6.94404909	-1.53476167
H	1.37816838	8.95008190	-4.30751166
H	3.58211771	8.40935028	-5.76152210
H	1.81656234	10.57769183	-4.29381513
H	5.26718063	8.19189786	-6.02462939
H	4.30690288	6.88167634	-5.49042604
H	2.55961065	7.32449850	-1.07986351
H	1.66056480	8.58429604	-1.80477003
H	1.76329340	7.07246727	-2.58421473
H	7.28061166	8.41122176	0.10521916
N	6.68649793	12.11913316	-1.88357055
H	6.95730734	11.69345915	-0.93531188
H	7.49655209	12.75321638	-2.20665084

H 5.82158923 12.73450104 -1.72866210

Products: $\text{Zr}(\text{NH}_3)_5(\text{NH}_2)_2^+ + \text{H}_2 + \text{NH}_3 (^2\text{A})$

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -496.25631518

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	4.93706099	11.58697043	-2.46039388
Zr	3.20523031	10.52099803	-3.15197015
N	2.81945842	12.62688060	-4.31442678
N	4.62856806	8.50473593	-3.01551092
N	3.15477932	9.78864875	-0.82224606
N	4.39286597	10.38080582	-5.31690775
N	1.31716019	11.18316531	-2.42401857
N	1.89175767	8.81452086	-4.41440332
N	3.87639697	6.28277438	-14.35853037
H	5.45966826	11.43145878	-1.53051775
H	5.31925534	12.50078772	-2.81428610
H	9.83534028	0.53626197	-2.56316940
H	3.94859144	10.95479037	-6.08686639
H	5.32120675	10.81871957	-5.06516248
H	4.57969555	9.41748948	-5.71511340
H	3.66413645	13.05383093	-4.79483064
H	1.96712594	12.76258281	-4.98444464
H	2.60876767	13.26993190	-3.46663385
H	4.34217426	7.83308190	-2.24994067
H	4.76390145	7.93418736	-3.89726419
H	5.55819340	8.93421388	-2.75435744
H	0.83186326	10.86102128	-1.55156231
H	0.96306261	9.16034726	-4.05858769
H	0.70765794	11.92102313	-2.85317836
H	1.87627633	8.86180812	-5.47428192
H	1.98936827	7.79454341	-4.13909710
H	4.08602873	9.47110964	-0.43142489
H	2.94656580	10.73024215	-0.39483638
H	2.40639581	9.10943568	-0.49809415
H	10.44625721	1.03641833	-2.48141365
H	3.73168022	5.21071480	-14.36396822
H	3.09697190	6.75678507	-14.93998628
H	4.84202719	6.52048934	-14.78437731

Figure 3

(left)

Reactants: $\text{Re}^+ + \text{NH}_3$ (${}^7\text{A}$)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -133.54649873

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Re	5.51776201	9.80714644	-3.90204296
N	0.03823256	-0.13350044	-0.00867725
H	-0.18539223	0.04138905	1.07505498
H	0.66720284	-1.05999138	-0.02494414
H	-0.90697218	-0.39007767	-0.48472160

Structure: $\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)^+$ (${}^7\text{A}$)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -133.63972394

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Re	2.03917506	3.53460723	-1.30957988
N	0.91262160	1.46028026	-0.61134175
H	0.61445809	1.45862171	0.44668397
H	1.54406093	0.56563255	-0.70681195
H	0.02051730	1.24582425	-1.16428137

Transition state: TS (${}^7\text{A}$)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -133.51521496

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
Re	1.55910000	3.92540000	-0.41740000
N	0.66550000	1.09060000	-1.08340000
H	1.82300000	2.44860000	0.35320000
H	1.01240000	0.30110000	-0.34930000
H	0.09080000	0.51910000	-1.82850000

Structure: H-Re-NH_2^+ (${}^7\text{A}$)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -133.51521563

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Re	1.20734843	2.89349816	-0.04141772
N	0.92409752	0.74798221	-1.09546339
H	1.39475966	4.43073378	0.70604686
H	1.68581793	0.22069051	-1.72005490

H 0.04880943 0.10206137 -1.06444181

(right)

Structure: $\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+ + \text{NH}_3$ (^5A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -246.05799261

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	0.51019683	0.38958392	-0.26883681
Re	5.66890092	10.51834279	-4.11539589
N	3.83848236	11.56095577	-3.60480239
H	0.36555509	0.63949481	0.77404684
H	1.15867366	-0.47212869	-0.35119490
H	-0.44466250	0.17271438	-0.72825416
H	3.88707323	12.60216781	-3.82195641
H	2.98843780	11.16436606	-4.10860512
H	3.62812874	11.47917394	-2.53572775
N	7.49977269	9.47516561	-4.63599056
H	7.43948352	8.43709340	-4.41292550
H	7.72219599	9.55874703	-5.67255480
H	8.33742263	9.85955919	-4.10546651

Structure: $\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)_3^+$ (^5A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -246.12313639

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	3.54858374	5.90579608	-1.90861196
Re	4.27917676	8.00054963	-3.26677333
N	2.45431994	9.06020648	-3.78708360
H	4.32016935	5.25016883	-1.57518866
H	2.88081213	5.33570401	-2.51318682
H	3.01417000	6.23856275	-1.04824180
H	2.46879328	10.04464141	-3.38494018
H	2.35544255	9.13404535	-4.84341015
H	1.54153721	8.58956606	-3.42221931
N	6.27794699	7.16786337	-2.90047228
H	6.38003543	6.19953970	-3.32352473
H	7.03053426	7.77666894	-3.33203644
H	6.48813933	7.10192341	-1.86197469

Structure: TS (^5A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -246.06321611

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
N	3.46230577	6.37150360	-1.72113970

Re	4.34035835	7.85896978	-3.18049796
N	2.46092698	8.76753203	-3.81978777
H	3.65984303	6.18623974	-3.27907501
H	2.42602718	6.15140972	-1.63564342
H	3.98828812	5.53645276	-1.32513097
H	2.40791884	9.81131117	-3.62358420
H	2.29807013	8.62977908	-4.86174448
H	1.60607365	8.31451359	-3.31632909
N	6.35388391	7.16759070	-2.64969551
H	6.57159872	6.23363231	-3.10669363
H	7.11489764	7.84408823	-2.94767939
H	6.44946864	7.03221328	-1.60066286

Structure: H-Re(NH₃)₂(NH₂)⁺ (⁵A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -246.14922591

Imaginary Frequencies = 1

	x	y	z
N	3.45973983	6.75987472	-1.49699985
Re	4.25590255	7.54330002	-3.20719452
N	2.31788481	8.33849184	-3.76945802
H	4.94764868	8.22871532	-4.69820689
H	2.45992071	6.81893885	-1.18349052
H	3.97744312	6.22524990	-0.75698400
H	2.00657753	9.14390426	-3.14675106
H	2.30336213	8.68435440	-4.77437352
H	1.53769392	7.57982872	-3.68536021
N	6.20724543	6.75873365	-2.65818884
H	6.19400759	5.70188498	-2.54614182
H	6.93990362	6.98866478	-3.39100338
H	6.55233112	7.15329466	-1.73351135

Table 3

Structure: Re(NH₃)⁺ (⁷A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -133.63970639

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Re	2.04290743	3.50687902	-1.38816948
N	0.91370057	1.46455493	-0.60191771
H	0.63295479	1.50567753	0.45989060
H	1.53950622	0.56379819	-0.67311353
H	0.01176397	1.23405630	-1.13202087

Structure: $\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)^+$ (^5A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -133.60610953

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
Re	1.94691891	3.28375602	-1.25789471
N	0.97514155	1.52362580	-0.60170215
H	0.66364007	1.58141427	0.44588588
H	1.58304978	0.65003514	-0.68941474
H	0.05208269	1.31613475	-1.15220526

Structure: $\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+$ (^7A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -189.87433348

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	2.46114039	4.76518892	-0.78059577
Re	3.65599960	6.89803052	-1.18937663
H	2.16652505	4.74154967	0.24418170
H	3.12840259	3.94577792	-0.92837974
H	1.58915058	4.57548306	-1.36516633
N	2.32068866	7.32964220	-3.22691997
H	1.68829136	8.21837288	-3.10368150
H	2.98493295	7.59789686	-4.05811385
H	1.67981781	6.55815095	-3.59844893

Structure: $\text{Re}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+$ (^5A)

CASPT2 Energy (Ha) = -189.91606727

Imaginary Frequencies = 0

	x	y	z
N	1.19936936	4.32408968	-2.37760410
Re	2.41161721	6.07565908	-1.98635164
H	0.26690495	4.58061316	-2.81988703
H	0.98397833	3.78396582	-1.48715163
H	1.68387288	3.64935619	-3.04171193
N	3.62789484	7.81906021	-1.59269184
H	3.86218274	7.94718871	-0.56180317
H	4.58258553	7.80088054	-2.12261843
H	3.15654316	8.74927961	-1.91668126