

## Supporting information

# Mimicking the C<sub>2</sub> molecule: M<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub> and M<sub>3</sub>B<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> Clusters (M = Li, Na) and the Reactivity of the N-Heterocyclic Carbene Bound Li<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub> Complex

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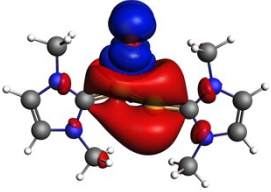
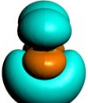
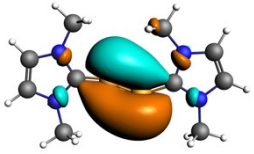
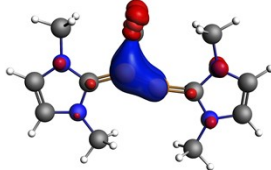
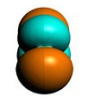
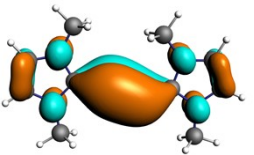
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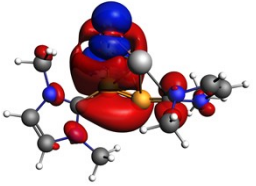
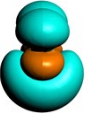
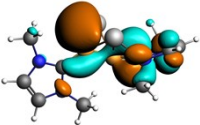
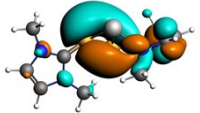
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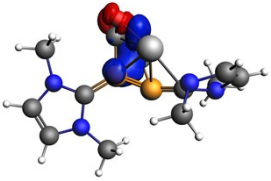

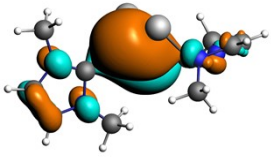
**Table S1.** Calculated C-C/B-B vibrational stretching frequencies ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ) of the  $\text{C}_2$ ,  $\text{B}_2^{2-}$ ,  $\text{M}_2\text{B}_2$  and  $\text{M}_3\text{B}_2^+$  ( $\text{M} = \text{Li}, \text{Na}$ ) clusters at the PBE0-D3/cc-pVTZ level.

	$\text{C}_2$	$\text{B}_2^{2-}(\text{S})$	$\text{B}_2^{2-}(\text{T})$	$\text{Li}_2\text{B}_2$	$\text{Na}_2\text{B}_2$	$\text{Li}_3\text{B}_2^+$	$\text{Na}_3\text{B}_2^+$
$\nu(\text{C-C/B-B})$	1901.1	1095.9	1037.3	1185.1	1131.2	1189.0	1134.8

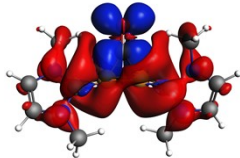
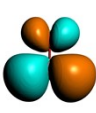
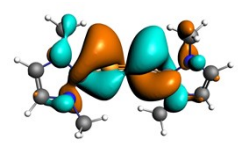
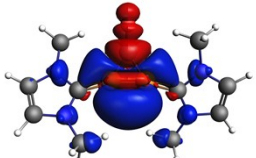
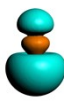
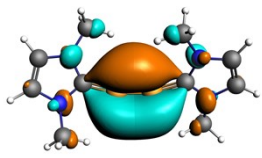
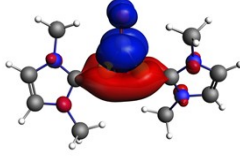
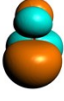
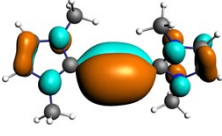
	Deformation density	$\text{CO}_2$		$\text{B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$
$\Delta\rho_{(1)}$			←	
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)} = -140.9 \text{ kcal/mol}$ $ v_1  = 1.17$	$v = 0.97$		$v = -0.91$
$\Delta\rho_{(2)}$			→	
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(2)} = -3.9 \text{ kcal/mol}$ $ v_2  = 0.18$	$v = -0.01$		$v = 0.01$

**Figure S1.** Plot of the deformation densities,  $\Delta\rho_{(1)-(2)}$  shown as the sum of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  electronic charge corresponding to  $\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)-(2)}$  and the related interacting orbitals of  $\text{CO}_2$ - $\text{B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$  at the PBE0/TZ2P-ZORA level using  $\text{CO}_2(\text{S}) + \text{B}_2(\text{NHC})_2(\text{S})$  as interacting fragments. The eigenvalues  $v$  indicate the size of the charge flow, and the direction of charge flow is red→blue. The isovalue for  $\Delta\rho_{(1)-(2)}$  is 0.001 au.

	Deformation density	$\text{CO}_2$		$\text{Li}_2\text{B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$	
$\Delta\rho_{(1)}$			←		
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)} = -279.1 \text{ kcal/mol}$ $ v_1  = 1.51$	$v = 1.31$		$v = -0.97$	$v = -0.30$

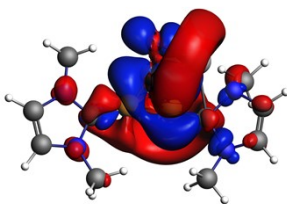

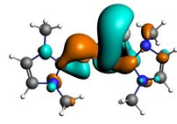
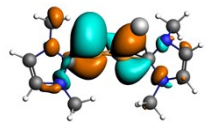
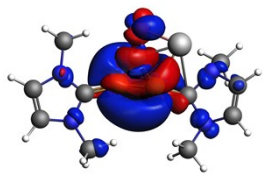
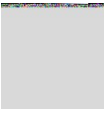
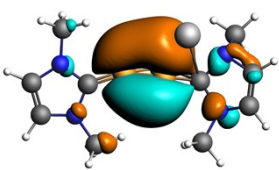
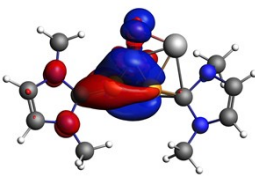
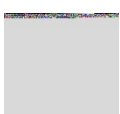
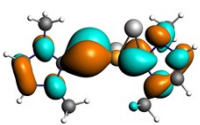
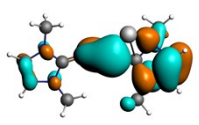
$\Delta\rho_{(2)}$			→	
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(2)} = -6.5 \text{ kcal/mol}$ $ v_2  = 0.19$	$v = -0.01$		$v = 0.01$

**Figure S2.** Plot of the deformation densities,  $\Delta\rho_{(1)-(2)}$  shown as the sum of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  electronic charge corresponding to  $\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)-(2)}$  and the related interacting orbitals of  $\text{CO}_2\text{-B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$  at the PBE0/TZ2P-ZORA level using  $\text{CO}_2$  (S) +  $\text{Li}_2\text{B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$  (S) as interacting fragments. The eigenvalues  $v$  indicate the size of the charge flow, and the direction of charge flow is red→blue. The isovalue for  $\Delta\rho_{(1)-(2)}$  is 0.001 au.

	Deformation density	CO		$\text{B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$
$\Delta\rho_{(1)}$			←	
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)} = -197.7 \text{ kcal/mol}$ $ v_1  = 1.48$	$v = 0.81$		$v = -1.37$
$\Delta\rho_{(2)}$			→	
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(2)} = -187.8 \text{ kcal/mol}$ $ v_2  = -1.11$	$v = -1.21$		$v = 0.78$
$\Delta\rho_{(3)}$			←	
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(3)} = -52.6 \text{ kcal/mol}$ $ v_3  = -0.65$	$v = 0.31$		$v = -0.36$

**Figure S3.** Plot of the deformation densities,  $\Delta\rho_{(1)-(3)}$  shown as the sum of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  electronic charge corresponding to  $\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)-(2)}$  and the related interacting orbitals of  $\text{CO-B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$  at the PBE0/TZ2P-ZORA level using  $\text{CO}$  (S) +  $\text{B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$  (S) as interacting

fragments. The eigenvalues  $v$  indicate the size of the charge flow, and the direction of charge flow is red→blue. The isovalue for  $\Delta\rho_{(1)-(3)}$  is 0.001 au.  $\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)}$  in Table 3 is the sum of  $\Delta\rho_{(1)}$  and  $\Delta\rho_{(3)}$ .

	Deformation density	CO		Li <sub>2</sub> B <sub>2</sub> (NHC) <sub>2</sub>	
$\Delta\rho_{(1)}$			←		
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)} = -265.3$ kcal/mol $ v_1  = 1.91$	$v = 0.91$		$v = -1.78$	$v = 0.47$
$\Delta\rho_{(2)}$			→		
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(2)} = -234.8$ kcal/mol $ v_2  = 1.25$	$v = -0.55$		$v = 1.07$	
$\Delta\rho_{(3)}$			←		
	$\Delta E_{\text{orb}(3)} = -51.4$ kcal/mol $ v_3  = 0.68$	$v = 0.29$		$v = -0.18$	$v = -0.07$

**Figure S4.** Plot of the deformation densities,  $\Delta\rho_{(1)-(3)}$  shown as the sum of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  electronic charge corresponding to  $\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)-(2)}$  and the related interacting orbitals of CO-Li<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub>(NHC)<sub>2</sub> at the PBE0/TZ2P-ZORA level using CO (S) + Li<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub>(NHC)<sub>2</sub> (S) as interacting fragments. The eigenvalues  $v$  indicate the size of the charge flow, and the

direction of charge flow is red→blue. The isovalue for  $\Delta\rho_{(1)-(3)}$  is 0.001 au.  $\Delta E_{\text{orb}(1)}$  in Table 3 is the sum of  $\Delta\rho_{(1)}$  and  $\Delta\rho_{(3)}$ .

Coordinates and total energy of the singlet (S) and triplet (T) state of  $B_2^{2-}$ ,  $M_2B_2$ , and  $M_3B_2^+$  (M = Li, Na) determined by CASPT2(8,8)/cc-pVTZ optimization.

$B_2^{2-}$  (S)

E = -49.14032899 a.u.

B	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.778994404
B	0.000000000	0.000000000	-0.778994404

$B_2^{2-}$  (T)

E = -49.14716576 a.u.

B	0.000000000	0.000000000	0.808364794
B	0.000000000	0.000000000	-0.808364794

$LiB_2^-$  (S)

E = -56.83945924 a.u.

B	0.776936791	0.000000000	-0.489098629
B	-0.776936791	0.000000000	-0.489098629
Li	0.000000000	0.000000000	1.530550984

$LiB_2^-$  (T)

E = -56.84275391 a.u.

B	0.805427039	0.000000000	-0.519814933
B	-0.805427039	0.000000000	-0.519814933
Li	0.000000000	0.000000000	1.591983591

$NaB_2^-$  (S)

E = -211.24127360 a.u.

B	0.000000000	0.783206082	-1.274952701
B	0.000000000	-0.783206082	-1.274952701
Na	0.000000000	0.000000000	1.194483402

$NaB_2^-$  (T)

E = -211.25227297 a.u.

B	0.000000000	0.810585039	-1.263091271
B	0.000000000	-0.810585039	-1.263091271
Na	0.000000000	0.000000000	1.270760543

$Li_2B_2$  (S)

E = -64.34289223 a.u.

B	0.769547100	0.000000000	0.364124836
B	-0.769547100	0.000000000	0.364124836
Li	0.000000000	-1.791142494	-0.622727836
Li	0.000000000	1.791142494	-0.622727836

Li<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub> (T)

E = -64.33283056 a.u.

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B	0.793782120	0.000000000	0.000000000
Li	0.000000000	2.076013007	0.000000000
Li	0.000000000	-2.076013007	0.000000000

Na<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub> (S)

E = -373.15009157 a.u.

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B	-0.778147627	0.000000000	0.530712936
Na	0.000000000	-2.042474027	-0.792270936
Na	0.000000000	2.042474027	-0.792270936

Na<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub> (T)

E = -373.14520007 a.u.

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B	0.800004227	0.000000000	0.000000000
Na	0.000000000	2.437328760	0.000000000
Na	0.000000000	-2.437328760	0.000000000

Li<sub>3</sub>B<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> (S)

E = -71.69143840 a.u.

Li	0.000000000	2.131407941	0.000000000
B	0.000000000	0.000000327	0.765702582
Li	-1.845852972	-1.065703797	0.000000000
Li	1.845852972	-1.065703797	0.000000000
B	0.000000000	0.000000327	-0.765702582

Li<sub>3</sub>B<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> (T)

E = -71.65169167 a.u.

Li	0.000000000	2.330035320	0.000000000
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Li	1.583542735	-1.315085215	0.000000000
B	0.000000000	0.150068055	-0.797090521

II-Li<sub>3</sub>B<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> (T)

E = -71.66348921 a.u.

Li	0.000000000	0.000000000	-2.525246396
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Li	-2.157178363	0.000000000	0.571529113
B	0.000000000	0.000000000	1.211844219

Na<sub>3</sub>B<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> (S)

E = -534.92157369 a.u.

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Na<sub>3</sub>B<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> (T)

E = -534.89366690 a.u.

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II-Na<sub>3</sub>B<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> (T)

E = -534.89917526 a.u.

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Na	2.512068462	0.000000000	-0.992002795

Cartesian coordinates at the PBE0-D3(BJ)/def2-TZVPP level

B<sub>2</sub>Li<sub>2</sub>(NHC)<sub>2</sub>

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B	0.13427900	-0.75378500	0.00000000
Li	1.90933200	0.34003700	0.00000000
Li	-1.90933200	-0.34003700	0.00000000
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C 0.62990900 4.74526500 1.51020900  
C 1.03024500 2.61944700 2.56264400  
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C 1.70518800 2.70110500 -2.17926900  
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C 1.70518800 4.52403000 -3.74512600  
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H -2.11763600 -5.00779100 -4.62264900  
C 1.77758700 -2.90377100 -0.03725500  
C 2.49825200 -3.12506500 1.15508700  
C 2.52266300 -2.57953700 -1.19448300  
C 3.88178800 -3.06849200 1.17389000  
H 1.95747000 -3.35558200 2.06551100  
C 3.90796100 -2.52593000 -1.16184800  
H 1.99891800 -2.38624700 -2.12468800  
C 4.60254600 -2.77958400 0.01731000  
H 4.40680300 -3.26403500 2.10186800  
H 4.45046900 -2.29376300 -2.07111300  
H 5.68363700 -2.73708700 0.03864500

B<sub>2</sub>(NHC)<sub>2</sub>

B 0.00005100 0.72813600 -0.00002800  
B -0.00005100 -0.72813600 -0.00002800  
N 0.66452900 3.04880400 0.85508800  
C 1.52705100 2.56551500 1.89504300  
C 0.41878600 4.36222500 0.52965400  
C 0.00002200 2.21077700 -0.00002300  
H 2.51254400 2.30403600 1.50092400  
H 1.63179500 3.32828500 2.66580500  
H 1.08441000 1.66096900 2.31758700  
C -0.41888500 4.36221700 -0.52962500  
H 0.85585000 5.18029400 1.07468900  
N -0.66452900 3.04878700 -0.85511000  
H -0.85598300 5.18027200 -1.07465300  
C -1.52709200 2.56547700 -1.89502000  
H -2.51251200 2.30385100 -1.50081900  
H -1.63199700 3.32829600 -2.66571200  
H -1.08439400 1.66102200 -2.31769700  
N -0.66452900 -3.04880400 0.85508800  
C -1.52705100 -2.56551500 1.89504300  
C -0.41878600 -4.36222500 0.52965400  
C -0.00002200 -2.21077700 -0.00002300  
H -1.08441000 -1.66096900 2.31758700  
H -2.51254400 -2.30403600 1.50092400  
H -1.63179500 -3.32828500 2.66580500  
C 0.41888500 -4.36221700 -0.52962500

H -0.85585000 -5.18029400 1.07468900  
N 0.66452900 -3.04878700 -0.85511000  
H 0.85598300 -5.18027200 -1.07465300  
C 1.52709200 -2.56547700 -1.89502000  
H 2.51251200 -2.30385100 -1.50081900  
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H 1.08439400 -1.66102200 -2.31769700

CO<sub>2</sub>-B<sub>2</sub>(NHC)<sub>2</sub>

B -0.62545300 -0.51341000 0.50858300  
B 0.74269800 -1.08437200 0.37774700  
P -2.38230600 -0.19080500 0.12491300  
P 2.28034400 -0.07568200 0.12010700  
C -3.09970700 -1.58079500 -0.77272100  
C -2.25620800 -2.60284500 -1.20188200  
C -4.47124700 -1.64175900 -1.01906000  
C -2.79674200 -3.68247800 -1.88643000  
H -1.18947900 -2.57961000 -0.98934900  
C -4.99412300 -2.71318500 -1.72104700  
H -5.12909800 -0.86049800 -0.65751400  
C -4.15552700 -3.73387500 -2.15408900  
H -2.14126000 -4.48524500 -2.20009000  
H -6.05773200 -2.75946900 -1.92081000  
H -4.56992800 -4.57751400 -2.69326500  
C -3.47604500 0.11462100 1.53899000  
C -4.61763400 0.90506800 1.44007600  
C -3.15718200 -0.50015500 2.74578000  
C -5.44067800 1.06971500 2.54329000  
H -4.85496900 1.40494600 0.50810100  
C -3.98767400 -0.34021100 3.84290600  
H -2.24748000 -1.08807500 2.81857300  
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H -6.32494400 1.69089600 2.46834200  
H -3.73915100 -0.82187000 4.78055700  
H -5.77233400 0.57541800 4.60317900  
C -2.47580200 1.30261600 -0.88459400  
C -2.16646400 2.52847000 -0.29644000  
C -2.80182300 1.24082500 -2.23547500  
C -2.19467300 3.68460500 -1.05734500  
H -1.90781700 2.57494000 0.75482200  
C -2.83990900 2.40462400 -2.98786000  
H -3.03138200 0.28582800 -2.69181300  
C -2.53937200 3.62499100 -2.40019500  
H -1.94636300 4.63431800 -0.60028100

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C 4.17467100 -0.27294600 -1.93915400  
C 4.98818200 -2.80857900 -1.15800200  
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C 5.58455700 -2.19232500 -2.25003300  
H 5.29869900 -3.80089200 -0.85530000  
H 5.63995800 -0.44253000 -3.49238400  
H 6.36570700 -2.70327400 -2.80020400  
C 1.91936500 1.47134600 -0.74737300  
C 2.40916100 2.69741700 -0.31250500  
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C 2.11346700 3.85343200 -1.02200500  
H 3.01384800 2.75131800 0.58400800  
C 0.85256800 2.56233500 -2.60805200  
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H 1.11463600 4.68908600 -2.72530700  
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C 4.41806300 0.71973500 1.72671900  
C 2.31687400 0.34675100 2.85261500  
C 4.99862800 1.08120700 2.93117300  
H 5.01246800 0.70088100 0.82073600  
C 2.90500600 0.70652300 4.05498200  
H 1.28141200 0.02926800 2.80477800  
C 4.24096200 1.07708200 4.09461600  
H 6.04584700 1.35618500 2.96373900  
H 2.32043700 0.68235300 4.96645200  
H 4.69911600 1.35074000 5.03759400  
C 1.01564400 -2.73118700 0.68581800  
O 0.68868300 -3.48511200 -0.22807200  
O 1.58267200 -2.89264200 1.76838700

CO-B<sub>2</sub>(NHC)<sub>2</sub>

B 0.01880100 0.78152300 0.25876400  
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C 0.00000000 0.00000000 1.55077000

O 0.00000000 0.00000000 2.80189800  
N -0.48856500 2.81581300 -1.29879600  
C -0.91646600 2.05050800 -2.44126200  
C -0.45791700 4.18367400 -1.20182300  
C -0.06523700 2.24526100 -0.14189800  
H -1.93288400 2.32610300 -2.72519900  
H -0.24672500 2.21527100 -3.28705600  
H -0.89183600 1.00143100 -2.14570800  
C 0.00000000 4.47546700 0.03914100  
H -0.76879100 4.82952900 -2.00453500  
N 0.22563100 3.28518900 0.67716700  
H 0.17110400 5.42491500 0.51549300  
C 0.71318100 3.12488200 2.03343500  
H 1.80096600 3.21201600 2.05469100  
H 0.27743200 3.90393500 2.65839600  
H 0.42602600 2.13695100 2.40603100  
N 0.48856500 -2.81581300 -1.29879600  
C 0.91646600 -2.05050800 -2.44126200  
C 0.45791700 -4.18367400 -1.20182300  
C 0.06523700 -2.24526100 -0.14189800  
H 0.89183600 -1.00143100 -2.14570800  
H 1.93288400 -2.32610300 -2.72519900  
H 0.24672500 -2.21527100 -3.28705600  
C 0.00000000 -4.47546700 0.03914100  
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N -0.22563100 -3.28518900 0.67716700  
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C -0.71318100 -3.12488200 2.03343500  
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$\text{N}_2\text{-B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$

B -0.77347000 -0.17367000 0.31837000  
B 0.77363100 -0.18700700 0.30753500  
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C -2.12048600 2.58604900 -0.00382200  
C -4.18644400 1.17981400 -0.24880400  
C -2.23057200 0.12883300 0.06496900  
H -1.11136200 2.40541600 -0.37463600  
H -2.62064200 3.32475500 -0.62878100  
H -2.05421500 2.96112500 1.02002000

C -4.42573600 -0.15320200 -0.25120200  
H -4.85641000 2.01264700 -0.37431400  
N -3.22758100 -0.78632700 -0.04774100  
H -5.34618000 -0.69750100 -0.36948300  
C -3.04872800 -2.20205500 0.19444600  
H -3.20153500 -2.41160200 1.25522600  
H -3.78527900 -2.75361200 -0.38947900  
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C 2.14030200 2.57064300 0.21509000  
C 4.19469700 1.17804400 -0.15103100  
C 2.23148100 0.11470100 0.06933100  
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H 2.81310000 3.33510400 0.60107600  
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C 4.42332100 -0.14840900 -0.29332000  
H 4.87071200 2.01471900 -0.18818300  
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H 5.34012100 -0.68481900 -0.46430600  
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N -0.02672500 -2.62920900 -0.13969300

CO<sub>2</sub>-Li<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub>(NHC)<sub>2</sub>

B -0.69070900 -0.18503900 0.49314400  
B 0.72760200 0.40994100 0.18880000  
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Li 0.07606200 1.61928800 1.99922900  
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C -3.21345100 0.16675100 2.26481900  
C -4.30867800 -0.01092300 0.06646400  
C -3.90112600 -0.06381400 -1.20435100  
N -2.50706000 -0.40179400 -1.25103300  
C -2.27255100 -1.69754200 -1.89059100  
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H -4.47675900 0.03442600 -2.10991700  
C -2.07555800 -0.33172300 0.15868700  
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C 3.53610400 1.53474300 -0.63884200

C 4.24505900 -0.81283400 -0.17599900  
C 3.62869600 -1.94434800 0.23111300  
N 2.30376100 -1.63572600 0.40921000  
C 1.28230400 -2.56171800 0.81569800  
H 5.27395200 -0.62531500 -0.42726200  
H 4.01563200 -2.93302100 0.40361500  
C 2.07203600 -0.32529400 0.12628700  
H -4.20190700 0.12828300 2.72358700  
H -2.53259800 -0.45680600 2.84916500  
H -2.84245000 1.20795600 2.30796900  
H -2.60092200 -1.65423200 -2.93174000  
H -1.20385300 -1.90994500 -1.86555100  
H -2.81274300 -2.50376500 -1.37913100  
H 3.28324100 2.22157000 0.16831100  
H 4.59044800 1.63276100 -0.88880200  
H 2.92837600 1.79115800 -1.50596100  
H 0.59849800 -2.76381800 -0.00958000  
H 1.75521900 -3.48476900 1.14771300  
H 0.68792500 -2.11945400 1.61888300  
C 0.65658900 2.01388800 -0.08915700  
O 0.83262200 2.81281000 0.88995200  
O 0.27946800 2.39084900 -1.23471600

CO-Li<sub>2</sub>B<sub>2</sub>(NHC)<sub>2</sub>

B -0.91350000 -0.30481700 0.15016700  
B 0.70189000 -0.12367600 -0.18034900  
Li 0.60809100 -0.16840600 1.82899200  
Li 1.73022800 -1.90174700 -0.99731300  
C -0.10799400 -1.44776800 -0.30450500  
O 0.05840600 -2.63199900 -0.77480800  
N -2.93356100 1.33349200 0.06716800  
C -2.16455400 2.54869300 0.10685600  
C -4.30512400 1.24474800 0.00821300  
C -2.37286700 0.09320400 0.08154100  
H -2.45775100 3.21085000 -0.70885000  
H -2.30477000 3.06767400 1.05825100  
H -1.11663900 2.27244100 -0.00719200  
C -4.61141800 -0.07114400 -0.02162400  
H -4.93910700 2.11346200 -0.02363600  
N -3.42653100 -0.76429200 0.00980600  
H -5.56509700 -0.56614300 -0.07726000  
C -3.28166500 -2.20049600 0.02432800  
H -3.29309300 -2.57671000 1.05036500

H -4.10407800 -2.64798800 -0.53256000  
H -2.32874600 -2.47055400 -0.43097800  
N 2.84465100 1.40101700 0.11654300  
C 2.11128100 2.58686700 -0.20702400  
C 4.04971400 1.13657600 -0.49814100  
C 2.11371900 0.15539000 0.13959700  
H 1.38038300 2.80112100 0.57576900  
H 2.79103500 3.43705500 -0.28070000  
H 1.55802700 2.47161900 -1.15273100  
C 4.26076000 -0.18104000 -0.60761400  
H 4.69219900 1.94333800 -0.82052300  
N 3.16128100 -0.89133600 -0.00354200  
H 5.13830100 -0.70061700 -0.95771800  
C 3.57113700 -1.46710800 1.27992000  
H 4.38311000 -2.18288200 1.12442000  
H 3.91543000 -0.69479400 1.98062400  
H 2.72782400 -2.00865400 1.71795500

$\text{N}_2\text{-Li}_2\text{B}_2(\text{NHC})_2$

B -0.87945000 -0.20434300 0.27023900  
B 0.68661300 -0.02326600 -0.14985200  
Li 0.63572000 0.24569600 1.88821700  
Li 1.66883300 -1.77554000 -1.13820800  
N -2.95570300 1.31945100 0.08844100  
C -2.23884200 2.54988900 0.25313900  
C -4.31997400 1.16942300 -0.02251200  
C -2.34237600 0.10151600 0.09125200  
H -1.31407200 2.50133200 -0.32300800  
H -2.85089400 3.37960500 -0.09692400  
H -1.97940400 2.71213800 1.30498800  
C -4.56233800 -0.15610400 -0.11506600  
H -4.99039400 2.01042300 -0.05414700  
N -3.34969700 -0.80162700 -0.06422500  
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C -3.15756300 -2.23297000 0.01250300  
H -3.24974400 -2.56715800 1.05068700  
H -3.92104100 -2.72580300 -0.58901200  
H -2.16283400 -2.50725500 -0.36801100  
N 2.90943000 1.36730400 0.08280400  
C 2.26236900 2.56285000 -0.37514200  
C 4.14350100 1.01216900 -0.43199700  
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H 1.47080600 2.85423000 0.31805000



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N -0.11959400 -1.32254900 -0.28980400  
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