

Supplementary Materials

Pentacoordinated pyramidal structures and bonding properties of $\text{WN}_{10}^{-/0}$: anion photoelectron spectroscopy and theoretical calculations

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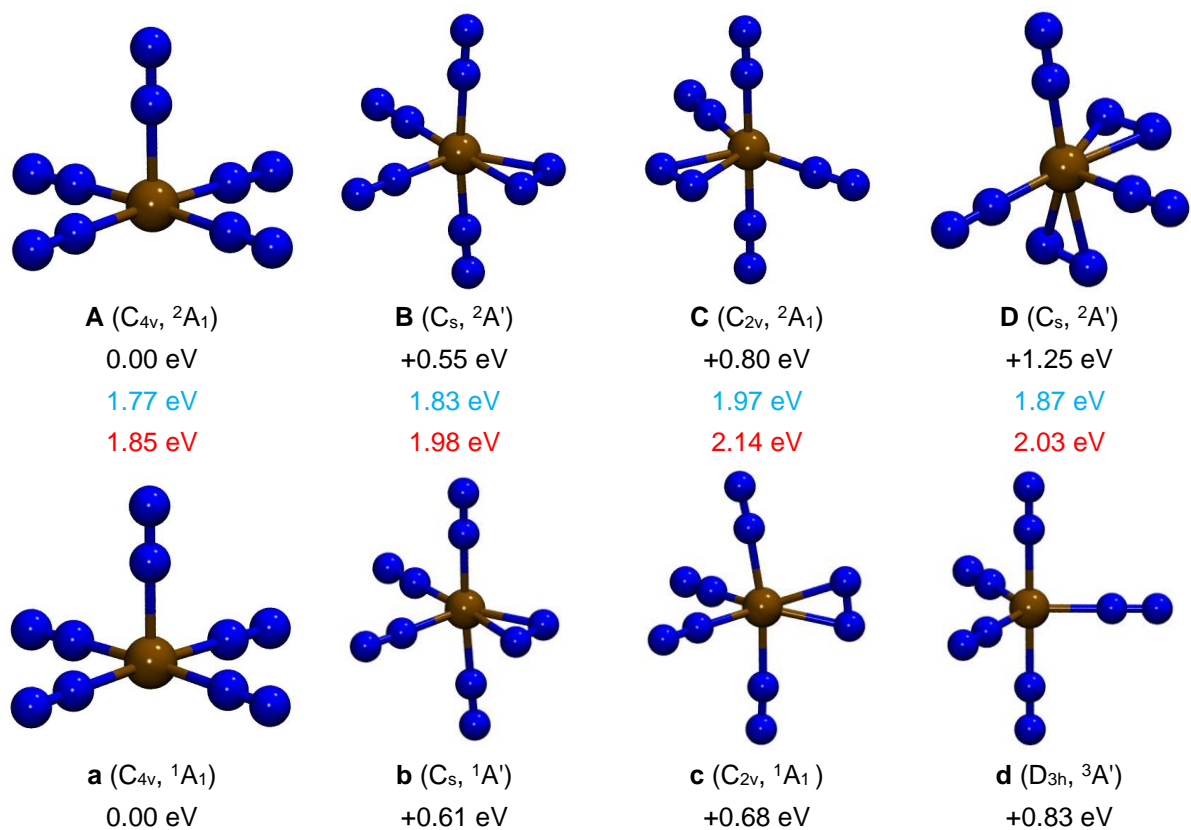


Fig. S1 Typical low-lying isomers of WN_{10}^{-0} clusters optimized at the B3LYP-D3BJ/ma-TZVP. The relative energies were calculated at the same level. The brown/blue balls stand for W/N, respectively. The value in blue/red value stand ADE/VDE of corresponding cluster.

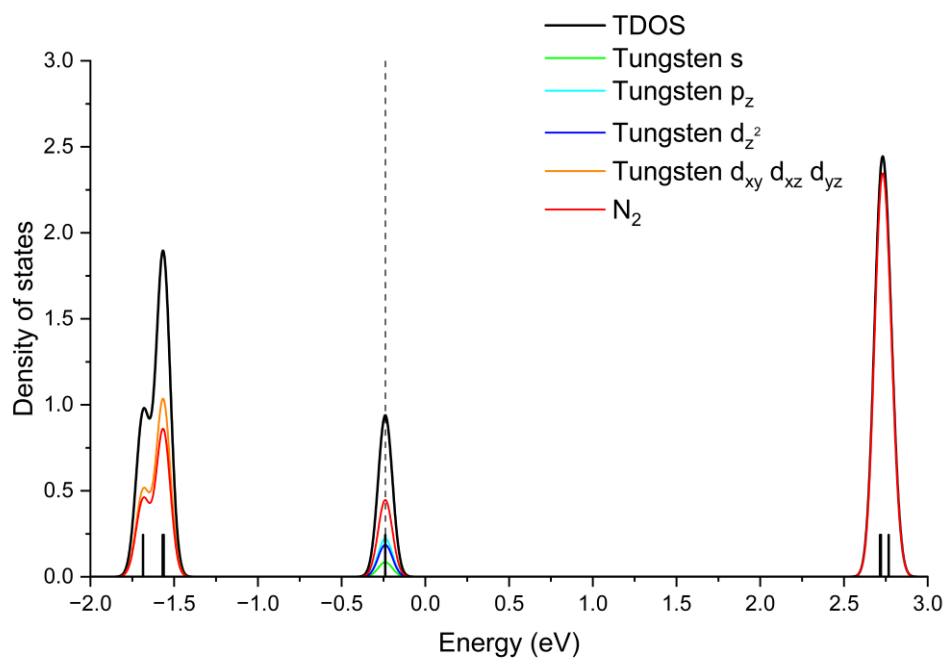


Fig. S2 DOS map of the WN_{10}^- . The dashed line represents the location of the HOMO.

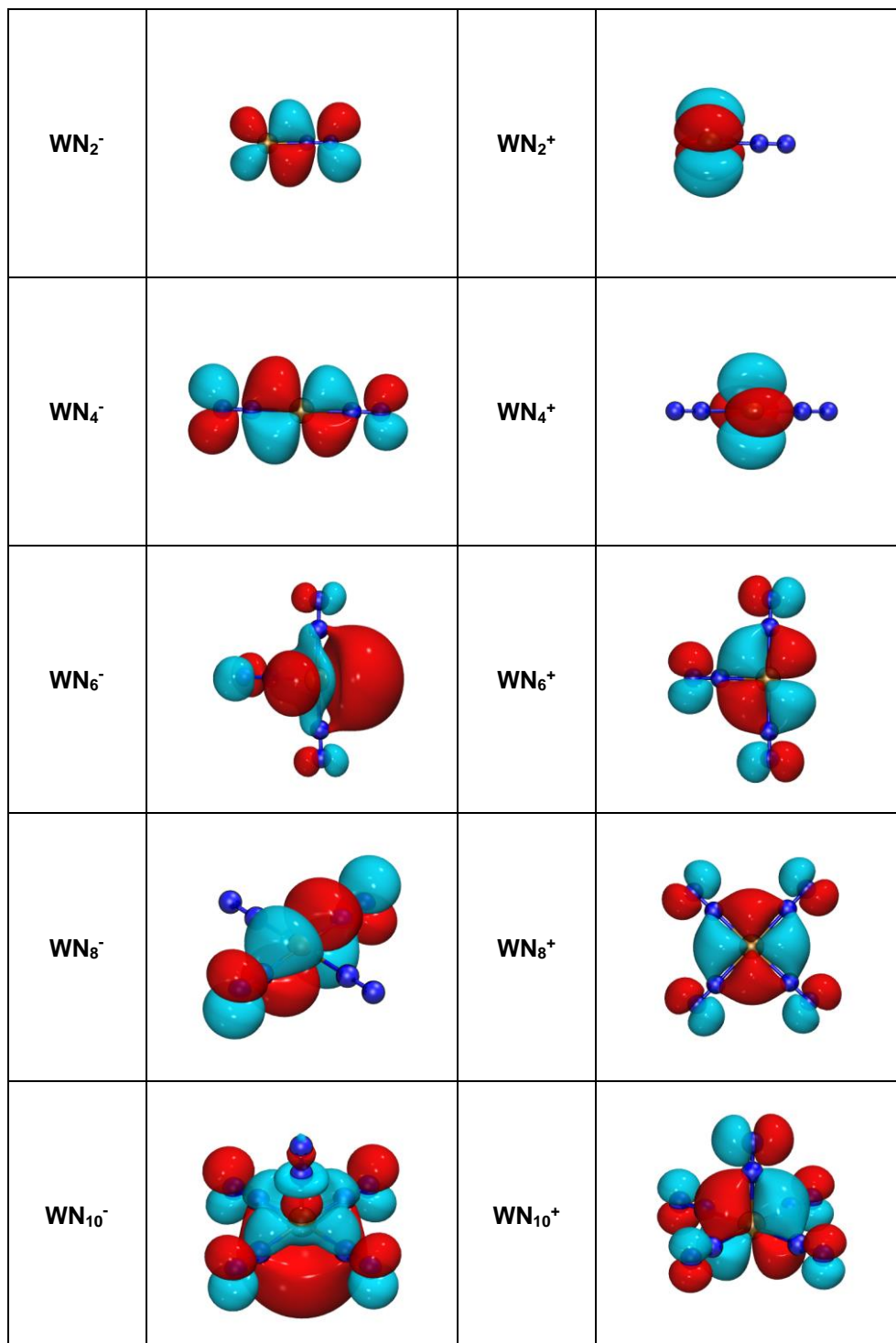


Fig. S3 HOMOs of $W(N_2)_n^{-/0}$ ($n=1-5$) at the PBE0/ma-TZVP level. Isosurface value is 0.02.

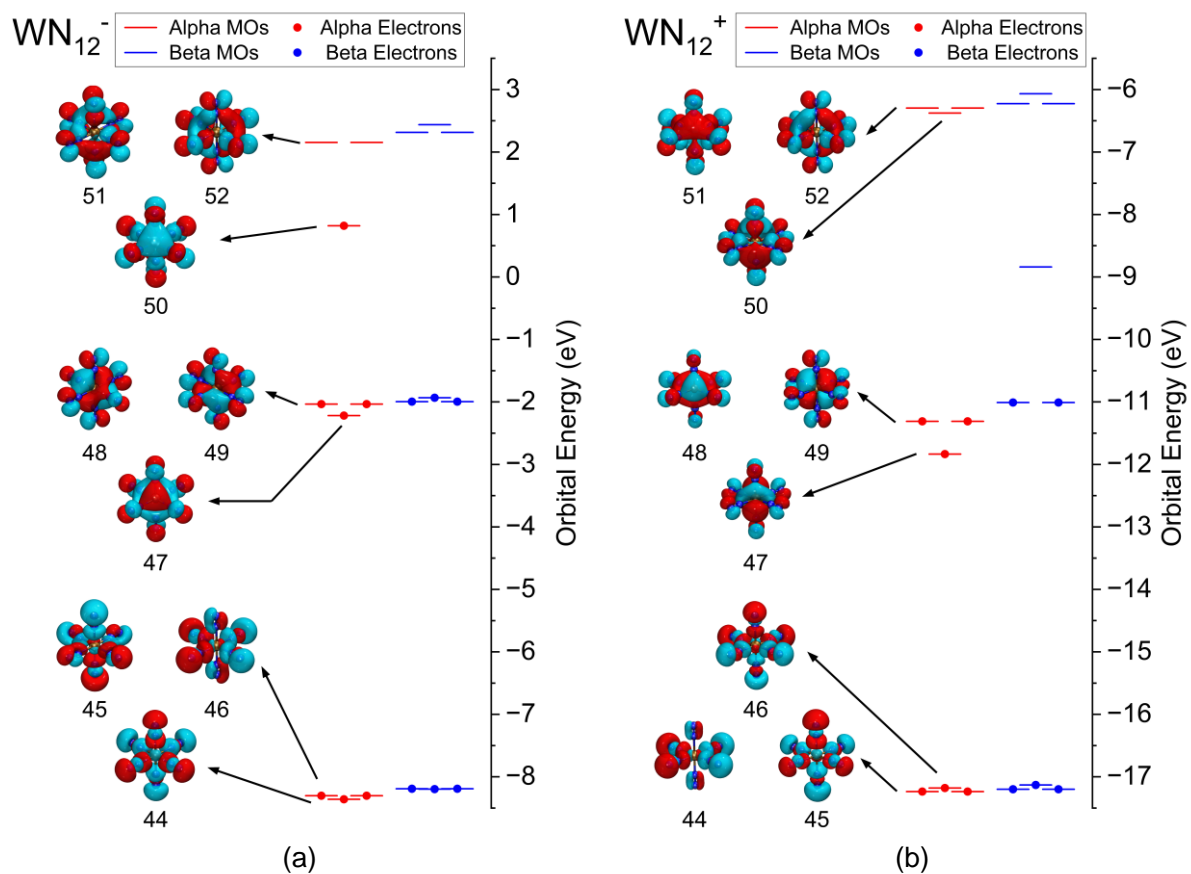


Fig. S4 Energy levels and diagrams of the molecular orbitals of the $\text{WN}_{12}^{-/+}$ at the PBE0/ma-TZVP level. Isosurface value is 0.02.

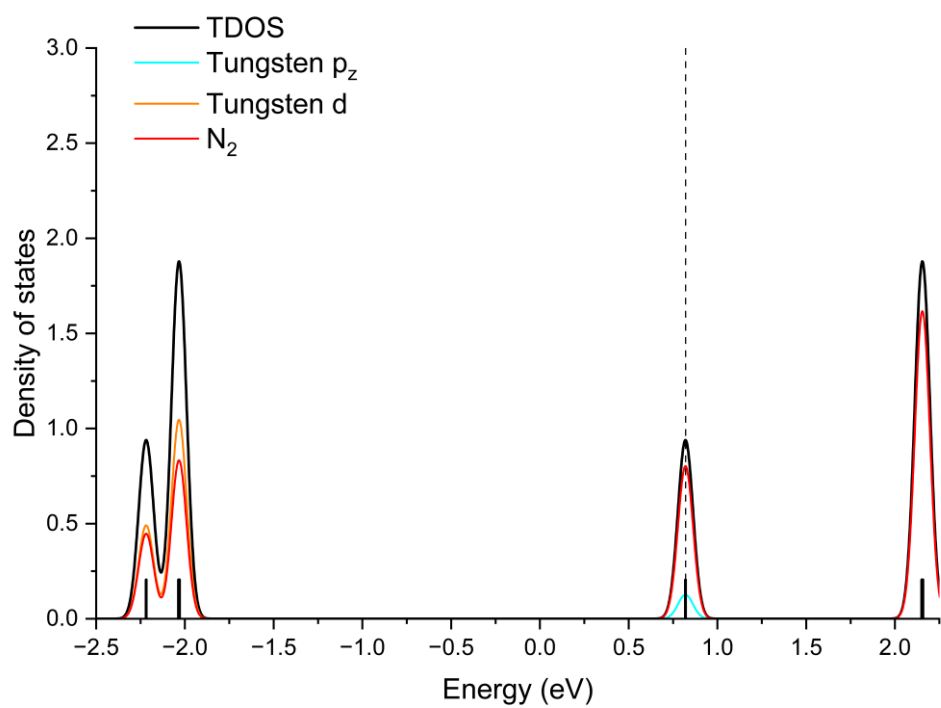


Fig. S5 DOS map of the WN_{12}^- . The dashed line represents the location of the HOMO.

Table S1 The experimental VDEs of WN_{10}^- compared with computational values using the TD-PBE0 method

	VDE (eV) (Expt.)	VDE (eV) (Comput.) ^a	Final state	Final electronic configuration ^c
	1.582	1.507 ^b	$^1\text{A}_1$	$2\text{B}_1^2 19\text{E}^2 20\text{E}^2 \mathbf{14\text{A}_1^0}$
A	2.53	2.46	^3E	$2\text{B}_1^2 \mathbf{19\text{E}^1} 20\text{E}^2 14\text{A}_1^1$
B	2.58	2.46	^3E	$2\text{B}_1^2 19\text{E}^2 \mathbf{20\text{E}^1} 14\text{A}_1^1$
C	2.62			
D	2.75	2.88	$^3\text{B}_1$	$\mathbf{2\text{B}_1^1} 19\text{E}^2 20\text{E}^2 14\text{A}_1^1$
E	2.80			
F	2.83			
G	2.99	3.16	$^1\text{B}_1$	$\mathbf{2\text{B}_1^1} 19\text{E}^2 20\text{E}^2 14\text{A}_1^1$
H	3.03			
I	3.08			
J	3.13	3.21	^1E	$2\text{B}_1^2 19\text{E}^2 \mathbf{20\text{E}^1} 14\text{A}_1^1$
K	3.17	3.21	^1E	$2\text{B}_1^2 \mathbf{19\text{E}^1} 20\text{E}^2 14\text{A}_1^1$
L	3.22			
M	3.25			
N	3.28			
O	3.33			
P	3.38			

^a The excited states of the one-electron-detached species were obtained from TDDFT calculations of the neutrals.

^b The first VDE was obtained by the CCSD(T) method.

^c The orbitals labeled in bold are the major electron detachment channels.

Table S2 T1 diagnostic factors of $\text{WN}_{10}^{-/0}$ clusters

Isomers	WN_{10}^-				WN_{10}^0			
	10A	10B	10C	10D	10a	10b	10c	10d
T1	0.036	0.033	0.036	0.037	0.017	0.015	0.015	0.025

Table S3 Cartesian atomic coordinates of the typical low-lying isomers of WN_{10}^- optimized with PBE0 functional

10A				10B			
W	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.17064900	W	-0.00189100	-0.16403800	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	2.00596300	0.31834800	N	-0.00003300	-0.27835300	2.00269300
N	-2.00596300	0.00000000	0.31834800	N	-2.23246300	-0.50339400	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	0.00000000	-1.78911700	N	-0.00003300	-0.27835300	-2.00269300
N	2.00596300	0.00000000	0.31834800	N	-0.40742500	1.76833600	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	-2.00596300	0.31834800	N	1.95642300	0.11719600	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	-3.12457300	0.40641700	N	3.07035200	0.29469300	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	3.12457300	0.40641700	N	-0.00003300	-0.35424700	3.12128200
N	0.00000000	0.00000000	-2.91394400	N	-0.00003300	-0.35424700	-3.12128200
N	3.12457300	0.00000000	0.40641700	N	-0.64206700	2.86394900	0.00000000
N	-3.12457300	0.00000000	0.40641700	N	-1.72470300	-1.54146100	0.00000000
10C				10D			
W	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.10495500	W	0.15851000	0.02995400	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	1.97072100	0.53403200	N	1.15983900	1.41827700	1.42974500
N	-1.99856400	0.00000000	0.09371600	N	0.05596500	1.72317000	1.51172800
N	0.00000000	-1.97072100	0.53403200	N	1.15983900	1.41827700	-1.42974500
N	0.00000000	-0.57544800	-2.04940900	N	0.05596500	1.72317000	-1.51172800
1.99856400	0.00000000	0.09371600		N	0.16453700	-1.34479000	-1.40184000
N	3.12069100	0.00000000	0.06297700	N	0.16453700	-2.12002500	-2.22184200
N	0.00000000	3.05889800	0.80392400	N	-1.82519200	0.13455400	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	-3.05889800	0.80392400	N	-2.94024000	0.19552500	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	0.57544800	-2.04940900	N	0.16453700	-1.34479000	1.40184000
N	-3.12069100	0.00000000	0.06297700	N	0.16453700	-2.12002500	2.22184200

Table S4 Cartesian atomic coordinates of the typical low-lying isomers of WN₁₀ optimized with PBE0 functional

10a				10b			
W	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.21690700	W	0.13636200	-0.15983600	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	2.02678600	0.26647000	N	0.13705100	-0.21243500	2.02278100
N	2.02678600	0.00000000	0.26647000	N	-1.58584500	-1.67736200	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	-2.02678600	0.26647000	N	0.13705100	-0.21243500	-2.02278100
N	-2.02678600	0.00000000	0.26647000	N	-1.34293700	1.13926700	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	0.00000000	-1.73186800	N	1.46395700	1.33315500	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	0.00000000	-2.84651700	N	2.22476200	2.14528200	0.00000000
N	0.00000000	3.13617400	0.30487200	N	0.13705100	-0.24913200	3.13224400
N	0.00000000	-3.13617400	0.30487200	N	0.13705100	-0.24913200	-3.13224400
N	-3.13617400	0.00000000	0.30487200	N	-2.16299800	1.88818200	0.00000000
N	3.13617400	0.00000000	0.30487200	N	-0.58668700	-2.21569800	0.00000000
10c				10d			
W	-0.06130300	0.18576300	0.00000000	W	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.00000000
N	-0.06856200	-0.11228900	3.14265900	N	0.00000000	2.01650100	0.00000000
N	-0.06856200	0.02548700	2.04720400	N	0.00000000	0.00000000	2.03259700
N	-0.06856200	0.02548700	-2.04720400	N	-1.74634100	-1.00825000	0.00000000
N	-0.06856200	-0.11228900	-3.14265900	N	0.00000000	0.00000000	-2.03259700
N	-0.00470800	2.26973100	0.57677500	N	1.74634100	-1.00825000	0.00000000
N	-0.00470800	2.26973100	-0.57677500	N	2.71252800	-1.56607900	0.00000000
N	1.52799300	-0.96587400	0.00000000	N	0.00000000	3.13215700	0.00000000
N	2.46725000	-1.56762800	0.00000000	N	-2.71252800	-1.56607900	0.00000000
N	-1.18981900	-1.45890000	0.00000000	N	0.00000000	0.00000000	-3.14072500
N	-1.87370400	-2.33723600	0.00000000	N	0.00000000	0.00000000	3.14072500