

## Computational Study on Novel RhCp<sup>X</sup> (X = CF<sub>3</sub>, SiF<sub>3</sub>, CCl<sub>3</sub>, SO<sub>3</sub>H) as Promising Catalysts in the [3+2] Azide–Alkyne Cycloaddition Reaction: Insights into Mechanistic Pathways and Reactivity

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### NCI and RDG Analysis

To gain a comprehensive understanding of the catalytic behavior of the RhCp<sup>X</sup> complexes, we first focus on the analysis of the Cp<sup>X</sup> ligands themselves. Using Non-Covalent Interaction (NCI) and Reduced Density Gradient (RDG) analyses, we investigate the stability and interaction patterns of the Cp<sup>X</sup> ligands, which play a key role in modulating the reactivity of the catalyst. These initial insights into the ligand interactions pave the way for a detailed mechanistic exploration of the [3+2] azide–alkyne cycloaddition reaction.

NCI and RDG analyses are powerful computational tools used to visualize and quantify weak interactions in molecular systems<sup>35–38</sup>. NCI provides a detailed map of noncovalent interactions such as hydrogen bonds, van der Waals forces, and repulsive steric effects by analyzing electron density regions. RDG complements this by identifying regions of low

electron density gradients, which correspond to noncovalent interactions, and characterizing them on the basis of their strength. Together, the NCI and RDG plots offer valuable insights into the stability and behavior of molecular complexes, aiding in the understanding of their molecular structures and reactivities. These methods are especially useful for studying weak interactions in both small molecules and complex systems.

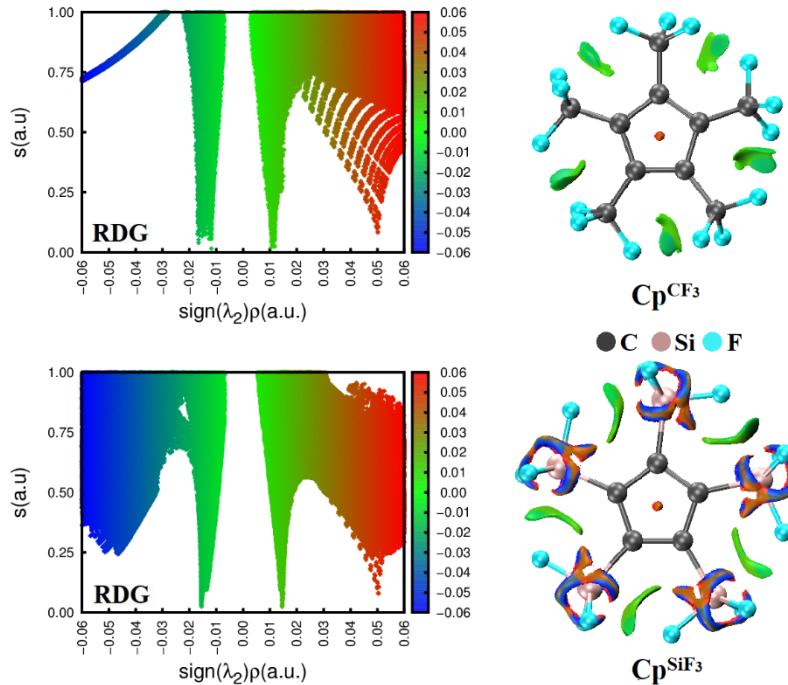


Figure S1. RDG and NCI plots for  $\text{Cp}^{\text{CF}_3}$  and  $\text{Cp}^{\text{SiF}_3}$ .

The RDG and NCI plots for the ligands  $\text{Cp}^{\text{CF}_3}$  and  $\text{Cp}^{\text{SiF}_3}$  were analyzed to assess their stability on the basis of their noncovalent interactions (Figure S1). The  $\text{Cp}^{\text{CF}_3}$  ligand demonstrated moderate stability, primarily due to the weak interactions observed around the fluorine atoms. The RDG plots reveal some red regions, which indicate weak repulsive interactions, limiting the overall stability of the ligand. Although van der Waals forces contribute to its structure, the absence of strong attractive forces reduces its effectiveness in more reactive or demanding environments. In contrast, the  $\text{Cp}^{\text{SiF}_3}$  ligand exhibited better stability. The RDG and NCI plots highlight strong attractive interactions between the fluorine and silicon atoms, evident from the blue and green regions, which signify favorable noncovalent attractions. These interactions strengthen the ligand's structure, ensuring more robust stability under various conditions. On the other hand,  $\text{Cp}^{\text{CCl}_3}$  relies heavily on weak van der Waals forces, as indicated by the peaks near zero in the RDG plots in Figure S2. These weak interactions around the chlorine atoms suggest limited stability, as the ligand lacks significant attractive forces to hold its structure firmly in place. The absence of blue or green regions in the NCI plots further supports the conclusion that  $\text{Cp}^{\text{CCl}_3}$  has reduced stability compared with other ligands. Finally,  $\text{Cp}^{\text{SO}_3\text{H}}$  displays the highest stability among the four ligands. The RDG plots show distinct blue and green regions, indicating strong hydrogen bonding between the oxygen and sulfur atoms. These attractive interactions provide a solid foundation for the ligand's structure, making it the most stable in terms of noncovalent interactions.

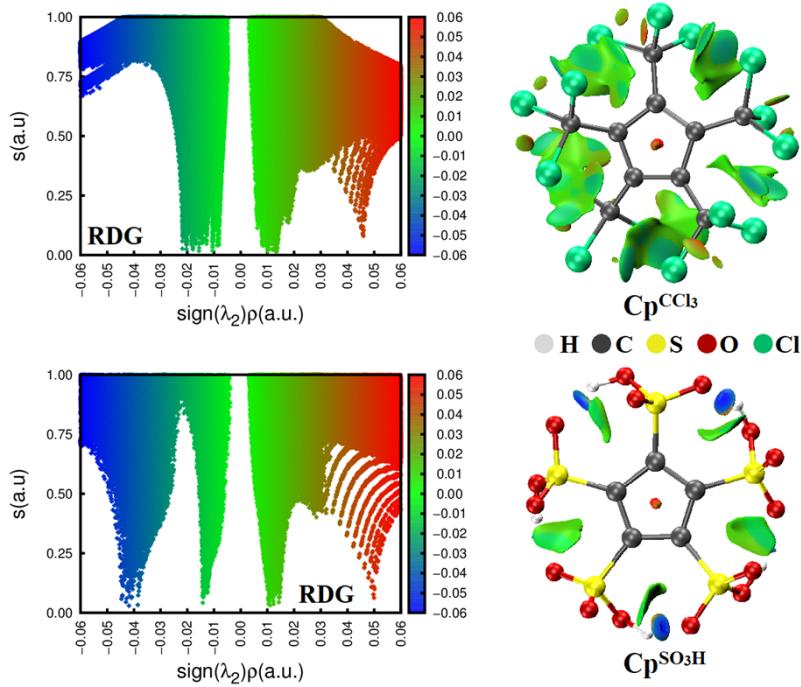


Figure S2. RDG and NCI plots for  $\text{Cp}^{\text{CCl}_3}$  and  $\text{Cp}^{\text{SO}_3\text{H}}$ .

$\text{Cp}^{\text{CF}_3}$  and  $\text{Cp}^{\text{CCl}_3}$  demonstrate moderate to weak stability because of their reliance on weak interactions.  $\text{Cp}^{\text{SiF}_3}$  and  $\text{Cp}^{\text{SO}_3\text{H}}$  show greater stability because of the strong noncovalent attractions that enhance their molecular structure.

Table S1:  $\Delta G_{298}$  (kcal/mol) in the gas phase and solvents for the  $\text{Cp}^{\text{CF}_3}$  in 1-4 pathways.

	$\text{Cp}^{\text{CF}_3}$						
$\Delta G_{298}$	gas phase	Toluene	THF	Cyclohexane	benzene	Acetonitrile	water
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	-4.4	-3.0	-2.3	-3.2	-3.0	-2.0	-2.0
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	11.0	12.2	12.8	12.0	12.2	13.1	13.1
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	-26.2	-25.3	-25.0	-25.4	-25.4	-24.9	-24.9
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	9.8	10.3	10.5	10.3	10.3	10.5	10.5
P <sub>1-4</sub>	-52.6	-53.3	-53.8	-53.1	-53.2	-54.1	-54.2

Table S2:  $\Delta G_{298}$  (kcal/mol) in the gas phase and solvents for the  $\text{Cp}^{\text{SiF}_3}$  in 1-4 pathways.

	$\text{Cp}^{\text{SiF}_3}$						
$\Delta G_{298}$	gas phase	Toluene	THF	Cyclohexane	benzene	Acetonitrile	water
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	-4.6	-2.5	-1.4	-2.8	-2.6	-1.0	-1.0
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	12.6	14.4	15.2	14.1	14.3	15.6	15.6
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	-25.4	-24.1	-23.6	-24.3	-24.2	-23.5	-23.5
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	8.5	9.8	10.4	9.7	9.8	10.5	10.6
P <sub>1-4</sub>	-55.8	-55.5	-55.5	-55.5	-55.5	-55.5	-55.5

Table S3:  $\Delta G_{298}$  (kcal/mol) in the gas phase and solvents for the  $Cp^{CCl_3}$  in 1-4 pathways.

$\Delta G_{298}$	$Cp^{CCl_3}$						
	gas phase	Toluene	THF	Cyclohexane	benzene	Acetonitrile	water
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	2.4	3.1	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.5	3.5
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	16.3	17.5	18.2	17.4	17.5	18.4	18.5
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	-24.7	-23.9	-23.5	-24.0	-23.9	-23.4	-23.4
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	11.7	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
P <sub>1-4</sub>	-45.9	-47.6	-48.8	-47.3	-47.5	-49.3	-49.4

Table S4:  $\Delta G_{298}$  (kcal/mol) in the gas phase and solvents for the  $Cp^{SO_3H}$  in 1-4 pathways.

$\Delta G_{298}$	$Cp^{SO_3H}$						
	gas phase	Toluene	THF	Cyclohexane	benzene	Acetonitrile	water
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	-7.9	-5.0	-3.3	-5.4	-5.1	-2.7	-2.6
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	5.1	8.3	10.0	7.8	8.1	10.7	10.8
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	-28.7	-26.3	-25.1	-26.6	-26.4	-24.6	-24.6
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	-6.6	-4.4	-3.3	-4.7	-4.5	-2.9	-2.9
P <sub>1-4</sub>	-59.6	-60.2	-60.6	-60.1	-60.2	-60.7	-60.7

Table S5:  $\Delta G_{298}$  (kcal/mol) in the gas phase and solvents for the  $Cp^{CF_3}$  in 1-5 pathways.

$\Delta G_{298}$	$Cp^{CF_3}$						
	gas phase	Toluene	THF	Cyclohexane	benzene	Acetonitrile	water
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	-5.4	-3.8	-2.9	-4.0	-3.8	-2.6	-2.6
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	7.6	9.3	10.2	9.0	9.2	10.5	10.6
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	-8.0	-7.8	-7.9	-7.8	-7.8	-7.9	-7.9
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	-3.6	-3.2	-3.1	-3.2	-3.2	-3.1	-3.1
P <sub>1-5</sub>	-29.0	-36.3	-41.1	-35.2	-36.0	-43.3	-43.6

Table S6:  $\Delta G_{298}$  (kcal/mol) in the gas phase and solvents for the  $Cp^{SiF_3}$  in 1-5 pathways.

$\Delta G_{298}$	$Cp^{SiF_3}$						
	gas phase	Toluene	THF	Cyclohexane	benzene	Acetonitrile	water
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	-5.1	-2.8	-1.6	-3.1	-2.9	-1.1	-1.1
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	4.5	7.0	8.3	6.6	6.9	8.8	8.9
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	-7.4	-6.9	-6.7	-6.9	-6.9	-6.7	-6.7
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	-2.2	-1.7	-1.7	-1.8	-1.7	-1.7	-1.7
P <sub>1-5</sub>	-34.4	-37.9	-40.3	-37.4	-37.8	-41.3	-41.5

Table S7:  $\Delta G_{298}$  (kcal/mol) in the gas phase and solvents for the  $Cp^{CCl_3}$  in 1-5 pathways.

$\Delta G_{298}$	$Cp^{CCl_3}$						
	gas phase	Toluene	THF	Cyclohexane	benzene	Acetonitrile	water
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	5.6	6.3	6.5	6.2	6.2	6.6	6.7
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	11.8	12.9	13.5	12.7	12.8	13.7	13.7
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	-2.4	-3.2	-3.9	-3.1	-3.2	-4.2	-4.2
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.2
P <sub>1-5</sub>	-58.5	-62.6	-65.4	-62.0	-62.5	-66.6	-66.8

Table S8:  $\Delta G_{298}$  (kcal/mol) in the gas phase and solvents for the  $Cp^{SO_3H}$  in 1-5 pathways.

$\Delta G_{298}$	$Cp^{SO_3H}$						
	gas phase	Toluene	THF	Cyclohexane	benzene	Acetonitrile	water
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	-9.2	-6.9	-5.7	-7.2	-7.0	-5.2	-5.2
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.2	3.3	4.9	2.8	3.1	5.6	5.7
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	-14.7	-13.0	-12.2	-13.2	-13.1	-12.0	-11.9
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	-7.2	-5.7	-5.1	-5.9	-5.8	-4.9	-4.9
P <sub>1-5</sub>	-49.0	-56.8	-62.0	-55.6	-56.5	-64.3	-64.6

Table S9.  $G_{\text{corr}}$  in the gas phase and ( $E_o$ ) in the solvent (in Hartree) of catalytic cycle components with  $Cp^{CF_3}$ , for 1,4 RhAAC reaction pathways.

$Cp^{CF_3}$				
	$G_o$ GAS	$E_o$ GAS	$E_o$ Toluene	$E_o$ THF
AC	0.162202	-2293.726625	-2293.731588	-2293.734230
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	0.286952	-2728.151960	-2728.157989	-2728.161277
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	0.287372	-2728.127977	-2728.134194	-2728.137589
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	0.294852	-2728.194676	-2728.201504	-2728.205328
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	0.291947	-2728.134426	-2728.141787	-2728.145940
P <sub>1-4</sub>	0.293015	-2728.234925	-2728.244147	-2728.249470
	$E_o$ Cyclohexane	$E_o$ benzene	$E_o$ Acetonitrile	$E_o$ Water
AC	-2293.730920	-2293.731415	-2293.731415	-2293.735397
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	-2728.157168	-2728.157777	-2728.157777	-2728.162749
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	-2728.133347	-2728.133975	-2728.133975	-2728.139111
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	-2728.200562	-2728.201260	-2728.201260	-2728.207074
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	-2728.140767	-2728.141523	-2728.141523	-2728.147841
P <sub>1-4</sub>	-2728.242853	-2728.243811	-2728.243811	-2728.251938

Table S10.  $G_{\text{corr}}$  in the gas phase and ( $E_{\text{o}}$ ) in the solvent (in Hartree) of catalytic cycle components with  $Cp^{\text{SiF}_3}$ , for 1,4 RhAAC reaction pathways.

$Cp^{\text{SiF}_3}$				
	$G_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Toluene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ THF}$
AC	0.128667	-3551.269209	-3551.279065	-3551.284276
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	0.252740	-3985.694194	-3985.704002	-3985.709261
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	0.257379	-3985.671463	-3985.681775	-3985.687339
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	0.262193	-3985.736853	-3985.747931	-3985.754081
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	0.259030	-3985.679618	-3985.690665	-3985.696768
P <sub>1-4</sub>	0.260945	-3985.784047	-3985.796637	-3985.803560
	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Cyclohexane}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ benzene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Acetonitrile}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Water}$
AC	-3551.277745	-3551.278724	-3551.278724	-3551.286570
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	-3985.702679	-3985.703660	-3985.703660	-3985.711595
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	-3985.680379	-3985.681414	-3985.681414	-3985.689821
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	-3985.746410	-3985.747537	-3985.747537	-3985.756879
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	-3985.689152	-3985.690273	-3985.690273	-3985.699531
P <sub>1-4</sub>	-3985.794917	-3985.796192	-3985.796192	-3985.806682

Table S11.  $G_{\text{corr}}$  in the gas phase and ( $E_{\text{o}}$ ) in the solvent (in Hartree) of catalytic cycle components with  $Cp^{\text{CCl}_3}$ , for 1,4 RhAAC reaction pathways.

$Cp^{\text{CCl}_3}$				
	$G_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Toluene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ THF}$
AC	0.123480	-7697.305251	-7697.309339	-7697.311523
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	0.249982	-8131.721629	-8131.727808	-8131.731216
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	0.251884	-8131.701342	-8131.706671	-8131.709569
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	0.254438	-8131.769266	-8131.775272	-8131.778630
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	0.256469	-8131.713194	-8131.720073	-8131.723951
P <sub>1-4</sub>	0.257800	-8131.806366	-8131.816368	-8131.822224
	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Cyclohexane}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ benzene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Acetonitrile}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Water}$
AC	-7697.308789	-7697.309197	-7697.309197	-7697.312490
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	-8131.726962	-8131.727589	-8131.727589	-8131.732754
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	-8131.705947	-8131.706484	-8131.706484	-8131.710865
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	-8131.774445	-8131.775058	-8131.775058	-8131.780164
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	-8131.719120	-8131.719826	-8131.719826	-8131.725727
P <sub>1-4</sub>	-8131.814956	-8131.816001	-8131.816001	-8131.824970

Table S12.  $G_{\text{corr}}$  in the gas phase and ( $E_{\text{o}}$ ) in the solvent (in Hartree) of catalytic cycle components with  $Cp^{\text{SO}_3H}$ , for 1,4 RhAAC reaction pathways.

$Cp^{\text{SO}_3H}$				
	$G_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Toluene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ THF}$
AC	0.214747	-3727.022047	-3727.037250	-3727.045527
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	0.338453	-4161.451950	-4161.465765	-4161.473187
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	0.340499	-4161.433256	-4161.446725	-4161.453961
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	0.346972	-4161.493601	-4161.508247	-4161.516329
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	0.348124	-4161.459567	-4161.474557	-4161.482838
P <sub>1-4</sub>	0.343664	-4161.539561	-4161.558971	-4161.569588
	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Cyclohexane}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ benzene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Acetonitrile}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Water}$
AC	-3727.035184	-3727.036716	-3727.036716	-3727.049239
RC <sub>1-4</sub>	-4161.463900	-4161.465283	-4161.465283	-4161.476489
TS1 <sub>1-4</sub>	-4161.444907	-4161.446255	-4161.446255	-4161.457182
IC <sub>1-4</sub>	-4161.506245	-4161.507728	-4161.507728	-4161.520000
TS2 <sub>1-4</sub>	-4161.472506	-4161.474026	-4161.474026	-4161.486597
P <sub>1-4</sub>	-4161.556325	-4161.558286	-4161.558286	-4161.574356

Table S13.  $G_{\text{corr}}$  in the gas phase and ( $E_{\text{o}}$ ) in the solvent (in Hartree) of catalytic cycle components with  $Cp^{\text{CF}_3}$ , for 1,5 RhAAC reaction pathways.

$Cp^{\text{CF}_3}$				
	$G_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Toluene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ THF}$
AC	0.162202	-2293.726625	-2293.731588	-2293.734230
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	0.285427	-2728.152049	-2728.157710	-2728.160756
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.289855	-2728.135815	-2728.141342	-2728.144314
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	0.290378	-2728.161159	-2728.169070	-2728.173578
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.291445	-2728.155267	-2728.162788	-2728.167032
P <sub>1-5</sub>	0.292128	-2728.196413	-2728.216179	-2728.228352
	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Cyclohexane}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ benzene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Acetonitrile}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Water}$
AC	-2293.730920	-2293.731415	-2293.731415	-2293.735397
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	-2728.156945	-2728.157512	-2728.157512	-2728.162110
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	-2728.140595	-2728.141149	-2728.141149	-2728.145634
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	-2728.167968	-2728.168784	-2728.168784	-2728.175653
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	-2728.161746	-2728.162518	-2728.162518	-2728.168977
P <sub>1-5</sub>	-2728.213315	-2728.215432	-2728.215432	-2728.234234

Table S14.  $G_{\text{corr}}$  in the gas phase and ( $E_{\text{o}}$ ) in the solvent (in Hartree) of catalytic cycle components with  $Cp^{\text{SiF}_3}$ , for 1,4 RhAAC reaction pathways.

$Cp^{\text{SiF}_3}$				
	$G_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Toluene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ THF}$
AC	0.128667	-3551.269209	-3551.279065	-3551.284276
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	0.252959	-3985.695197	-3985.704691	-3985.709735
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.255171	-3985.682251	-3985.691356	-3985.696180
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	0.258031	-3985.704090	-3985.716251	-3985.722989
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.257396	-3985.695121	-3985.707434	-3985.714330
P <sub>1-5</sub>	0.260448	-3985.749444	-3985.768112	-3985.778860
	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Cyclohexane}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ benzene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Acetonitrile}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Water}$
AC	-3551.277745	-3551.278724	-3551.278724	-3551.286570
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	-3985.703416	-3985.704362	-3985.704362	-3985.711962
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	-3985.690136	-3985.691041	-3985.691041	-3985.698306
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	-3985.714583	-3985.715819	-3985.715819	-3985.726041
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	-3985.705736	-3985.706994	-3985.706994	-3985.717482
P <sub>1-5</sub>	-3985.765502	-3985.767434	-3985.767434	-3985.783867

Table S15.  $G_{\text{corr}}$  in the gas phase and ( $E_{\text{o}}$ ) in the solvent (in Hartree) of catalytic cycle components with  $Cp^{\text{CCl}_3}$ , for 1,5 RhAAC reaction pathways.

$Cp^{\text{CCl}_3}$				
	$G_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ GAS}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Toluene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ THF}$
AC	0.123480	-7697.305251	-7697.309339	-7697.311523
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	0.249411	-8131.715868	-8131.722189	-8131.725655
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.250528	-8131.707171	-8131.712731	-8131.715744
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	0.253221	-8131.732422	-8131.741084	-8131.746045
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.255477	-8131.726957	-8131.734360	-8131.738542
P <sub>1-5</sub>	0.253767	-8131.822376	-8131.836322	-8131.844650
	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Cyclohexane}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ benzene}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Acetonitrile}$	$E_{\text{o}} \text{ Water}$
AC	-7697.308789	-7697.309197	-7697.309197	-7697.312490
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	-8131.721326	-8131.721966	-8131.721966	-8131.727215
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	-8131.711977	-8131.712536	-8131.712536	-8131.717088
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	-8131.739875	-8131.740770	-8131.740770	-8131.748339
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	-8131.733335	-8131.734094	-8131.734094	-8131.740461
P <sub>1-5</sub>	-8131.834335	-8131.835805	-8131.835805	-8131.848607

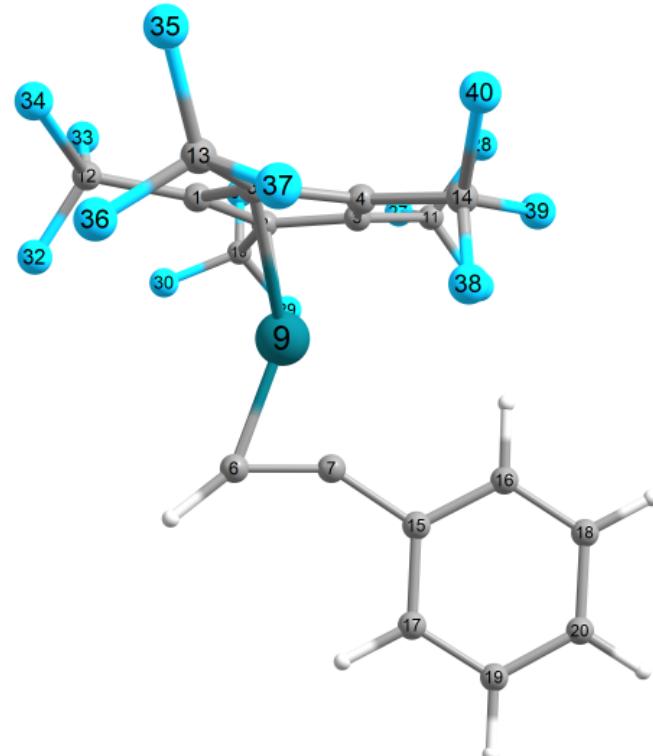
Table S16.  $G_{\text{corr}}$  in the gas phase and ( $E_o$ ) in the solvent (in Hartree) of catalytic cycle components with  $Cp^{\text{SO}_3H}$ , for 1,5 RhAAC reaction pathways.

	$Cp^{\text{SO}_3H}$			
	$G_o$ GAS	$E_o$ GAS	$E_o$ Toluene	$E_o$ THF
AC	0.214747	-3727.022047	-3727.037250	-3727.045527
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	0.339582	-4161.455222	-4161.469979	-4161.478061
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.339190	-4161.439838	-4161.453385	-4161.460727
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	0.341056	-4161.465382	-4161.481155	-4161.489943
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	0.344048	-4161.456414	-4161.472588	-4161.481635
P <sub>1-5</sub>	0.346065	-4161.525034	-4161.556004	-4161.574344
	$E_o$ Cyclohexane	$E_o$ benzene	$E_o$ Acetonitrile	$E_o$ Water
AC	-3727.035184	-3727.036716	-3727.036716	-3727.049239
RC <sub>1-5</sub>	-4161.467967	-4161.469458	-4161.469458	-4161.481698
TS1 <sub>1-5</sub>	-4161.451549	-4161.452911	-4161.452911	-4161.464017
IC <sub>1-5</sub>	-4161.478987	-4161.480594	-4161.480594	-4161.493948
TS2 <sub>1-5</sub>	-4161.470359	-4161.472011	-4161.472011	-4161.485763
P <sub>1-5</sub>	-4161.551605	-4161.554860	-4161.554860	-4161.582993

#### Atomic dipole-corrected Hirshfeld atomic charge (ADCH) for AC\_RhCp<sup>CF<sub>3</sub></sup>

Final atomic charges, after normalization to actual number of electrons

Atom	1 (C ) :	-0.13877608
Atom	2 (C ) :	-0.83828690
Atom	3 (C ) :	-0.10303835
Atom	4 (C ) :	0.00864256
Atom	5 (C ) :	0.02062892
Atom	6 (C ) :	0.35980544
Atom	7 (C ) :	0.40270287
Atom	8 (H ) :	0.35051266
Atom	9 (Rh) :	-0.37861630
Atom	10 (C ) :	0.76779564
Atom	11 (C ) :	0.85977128
Atom	12 (C ) :	0.86199833
Atom	13 (C ) :	0.85500632
Atom	14 (C ) :	0.85881148
Atom	15 (C ) :	0.00134304
Atom	16 (C ) :	-0.00445944
Atom	17 (C ) :	-0.08382596
Atom	18 (C ) :	-0.11655235
Atom	19 (C ) :	-0.13428521
Atom	20 (C ) :	-0.11443192
Atom	21 (H ) :	0.08995164
Atom	22 (H ) :	0.12809188
Atom	23 (H ) :	0.12761050
Atom	24 (H ) :	0.12494102
Atom	25 (H ) :	0.12868419
Atom	26 (F ) :	-0.25740598
Atom	27 (F ) :	-0.25967537
Atom	28 (F ) :	-0.29078029

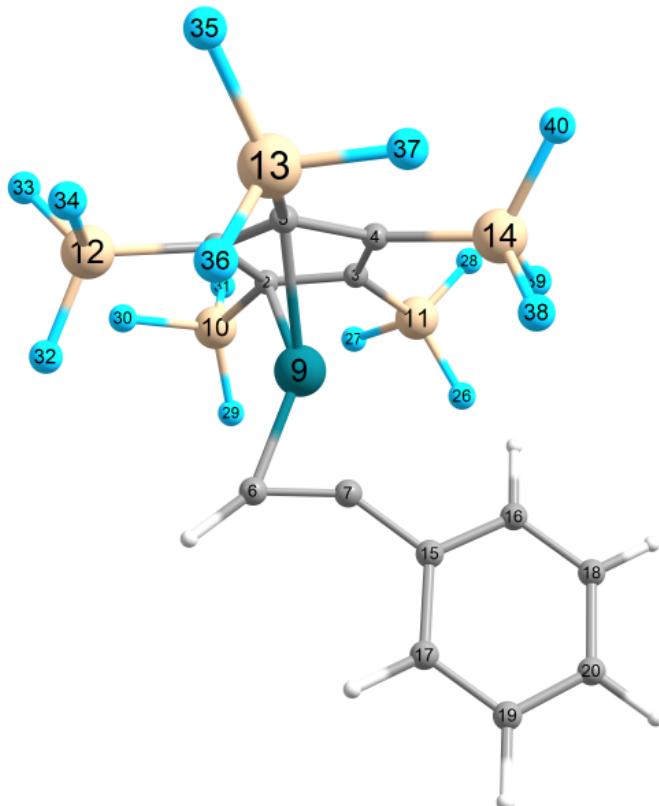


Atom	29(F ):	-0.26786883
Atom	30(F ):	-0.25069786
Atom	31(F ):	-0.27215517
Atom	32(F ):	-0.26288537
Atom	33(F ):	-0.27807358
Atom	34(F ):	-0.27164439
Atom	35(F ):	-0.27991334
Atom	36(F ):	-0.27334803
Atom	37(F ):	-0.25649042
Atom	38(F ):	-0.27284230
Atom	39(F ):	-0.26086866
Atom	40(F ):	-0.27937564

### Atomic dipole-corrected Hirshfeld atomic charge (ADCH) for AC\_RhCp<sup>SiF<sub>3</sub></sup>

Final atomic charges, after normalization to actual number of electrons

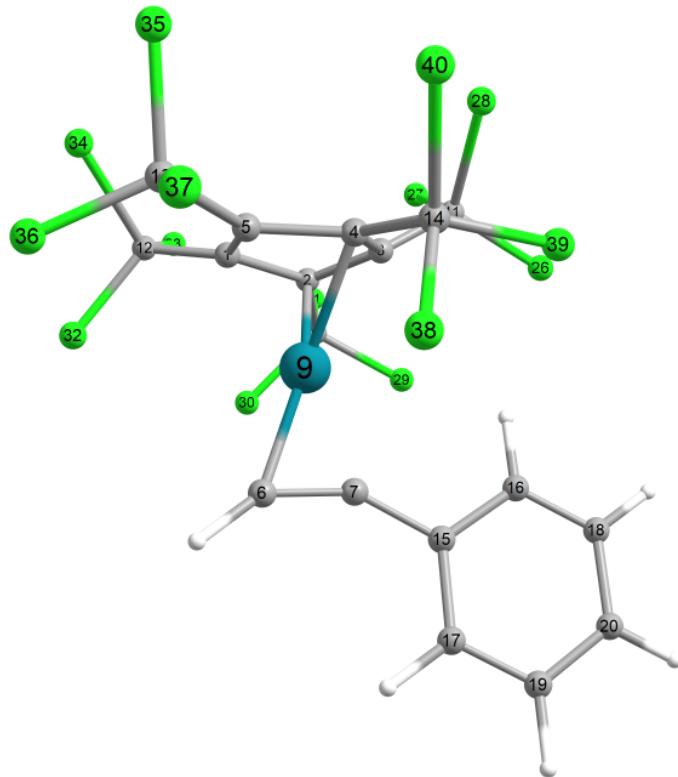
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Atom	2(C ):	-0.13220718
Atom	3(C ):	0.19501965
Atom	4(C ):	-0.84032912
Atom	5(C ):	-0.07522728
Atom	6(C ):	-1.46045674
Atom	7(C ):	0.84826721
Atom	8(H ):	1.28069123
Atom	9(Rh):	1.64500754
Atom	10(Si):	1.25811957
Atom	11(Si):	1.32929231
Atom	12(Si):	1.17954149
Atom	13(Si):	1.28447158
Atom	14(Si):	1.20407883
Atom	15(C ):	-0.53758875
Atom	16(C ):	0.70513605
Atom	17(C ):	0.61878764
Atom	18(C ):	-0.94924133
Atom	19(C ):	-0.92372217
Atom	20(C ):	-1.15758003
Atom	21(H ):	0.05809190
Atom	22(H ):	0.18556411
Atom	23(H ):	0.06504828
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Atom	25(H ):	0.08049813
Atom	26(F ):	-0.40355626
Atom	27(F ):	-0.36530624
Atom	28(F ):	-0.36693336
Atom	29(F ):	-0.41306342
Atom	30(F ):	-0.36333085
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Atom	35(F ):	-0.35378350
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Atom	37(F ):	-0.35965292
Atom	38(F ):	-0.37142292
Atom	39(F ):	-0.35284642
Atom	40(F ):	-0.36547312



Atomic dipole-corrected Hirshfeld atomic charge (ADCH) for AC\_RhCp<sup>CCl<sub>3</sub></sup>

Final atomic charges, after normalization to actual number of electrons

Atom	1 (C ) :	0.03431694
Atom	2 (C ) :	0.01527646
Atom	3 (C ) :	0.80204182
Atom	4 (C ) :	-0.05960440
Atom	5 (C ) :	0.04845414
Atom	6 (C ) :	-2.45778773
Atom	7 (C ) :	-0.56517972
Atom	8 (H ) :	1.18511203
Atom	9 (Rh) :	0.73297537
Atom	10 (C ) :	0.40824468
Atom	11 (C ) :	0.52544225
Atom	12 (C ) :	0.48182525
Atom	13 (C ) :	0.49261240
Atom	14 (C ) :	0.43631702
Atom	15 (C ) :	0.19132315
Atom	16 (C ) :	-0.00172925
Atom	17 (C ) :	-0.05804412
Atom	18 (C ) :	-0.20868048
Atom	19 (C ) :	-0.12528259
Atom	20 (C ) :	-0.08002211
Atom	21 (H ) :	0.11597193
Atom	22 (H ) :	0.11388689
Atom	23 (H ) :	0.11151300
Atom	24 (H ) :	0.12332566
Atom	25 (H ) :	0.12622935
Atom	26 (Cl) :	-0.15408524
Atom	27 (Cl) :	-0.16584706
Atom	28 (Cl) :	-0.15962244
Atom	29 (Cl) :	-0.16149946
Atom	30 (Cl) :	-0.16899776
Atom	31 (Cl) :	-0.14593820
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Atom	33 (Cl) :	-0.15783611
Atom	34 (Cl) :	-0.16848856
Atom	35 (Cl) :	-0.17375217
Atom	36 (Cl) :	-0.15071426
Atom	37 (Cl) :	-0.15327763
Atom	38 (Cl) :	-0.17673628
Atom	39 (Cl) :	-0.14233260
Atom	40 (Cl) :	-0.16034925



Atomic dipole-corrected Hirshfeld atomic charge (ADCH) for AC\_RhCp<sup>CCl<sub>3</sub></sup>

Final atomic charges, after normalization to actual number of electrons

Atom	1 (C ) :	-0.05389813
Atom	2 (C ) :	0.11102669
Atom	3 (C ) :	0.10987707
Atom	4 (C ) :	-0.02300907
Atom	5 (C ) :	-0.71596812
Atom	6 (C ) :	0.89008089
Atom	7 (C ) :	0.47634172
Atom	8 (H ) :	0.00372840

Atom	9 (Rh) :	-0.62678539
Atom	10 (C ) :	-0.74520140
Atom	11 (C ) :	-0.07931828
Atom	12 (C ) :	-0.23111499
Atom	13 (C ) :	-0.10759316
Atom	14 (C ) :	-0.08661500
Atom	15 (C ) :	0.77326173
Atom	16 (H ) :	0.03637897
Atom	17 (H ) :	0.13792285
Atom	18 (H ) :	0.11098251
Atom	19 (H ) :	0.10919829
Atom	20 (H ) :	0.16584611
Atom	21 (S ) :	1.92921375
Atom	22 (O ) :	-0.64236778
Atom	23 (O ) :	-0.92974581
Atom	24 (S ) :	1.84771787
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Atom	26 (O ) :	-0.62233000
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Atom	29 (O ) :	-0.90583952
Atom	30 (S ) :	1.93615317
Atom	31 (O ) :	-0.94422224
Atom	32 (O ) :	-0.91883949
Atom	33 (S ) :	1.92095347
Atom	34 (O ) :	-0.63104418
Atom	35 (O ) :	-0.93029403
Atom	36 (O ) :	-0.62635723
Atom	37 (O ) :	-0.62490680
Atom	38 (O ) :	-0.90247394
Atom	39 (O ) :	-0.89645793
Atom	40 (O ) :	-0.93256657
Atom	41 (H ) :	0.51616831
Atom	42 (H ) :	0.50444725
Atom	43 (H ) :	0.51169596
Atom	44 (H ) :	0.50248198
Atom	45 (H ) :	0.50863709

