

**Supporting information for “Structural and thermodynamic
properties of the $\text{Li}_6\text{PS}_5\text{Cl}$ solid electrolyte using first-principles
calculations”**

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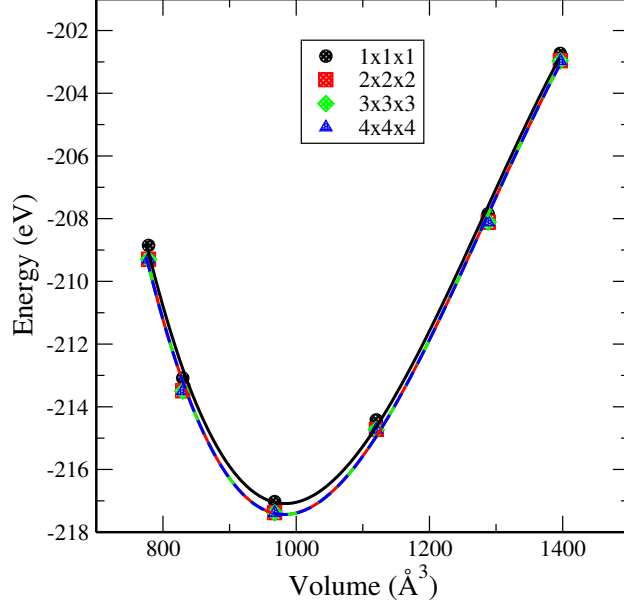


FIG. 1: Ground-state energy as a function of volume with different k-points grids, showing that the $1 \times 1 \times 1$ grid, though not perfect for the total energy, gives correct equilibrium volume and bulk modulus.

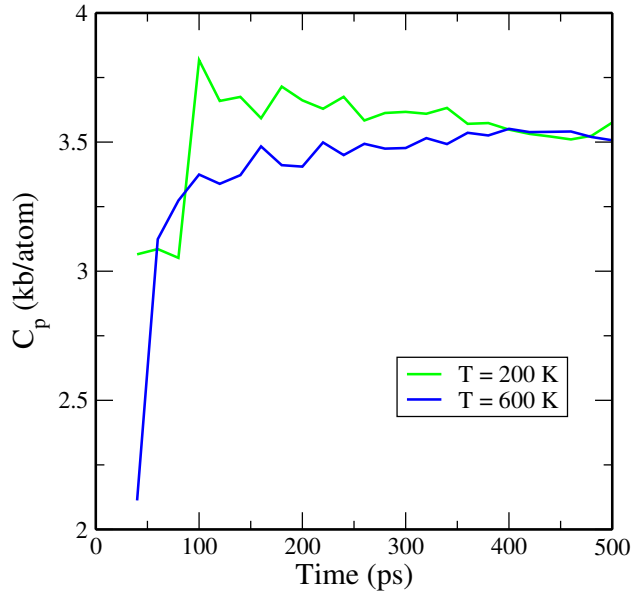


FIG. 2: Constant-pressure heat capacity $C_p = (\langle H^2 \rangle_{t_{\text{sim}}} - \langle H \rangle_{t_{\text{sim}}}^2) / k_B T^2$ as a function of the total simulation time t_{sim} . The equilibration period is kept fixed to 20 ps.

Here, we report the cif file of our best structure obtained at 0 K:

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