

Supporting Information
for
1,3,4,6,7,9-Hexamethylbenzo[1,2-*c*:3,4-*c'*:5,6-*c''*]trithiophene:
A Twisted Heteroarene

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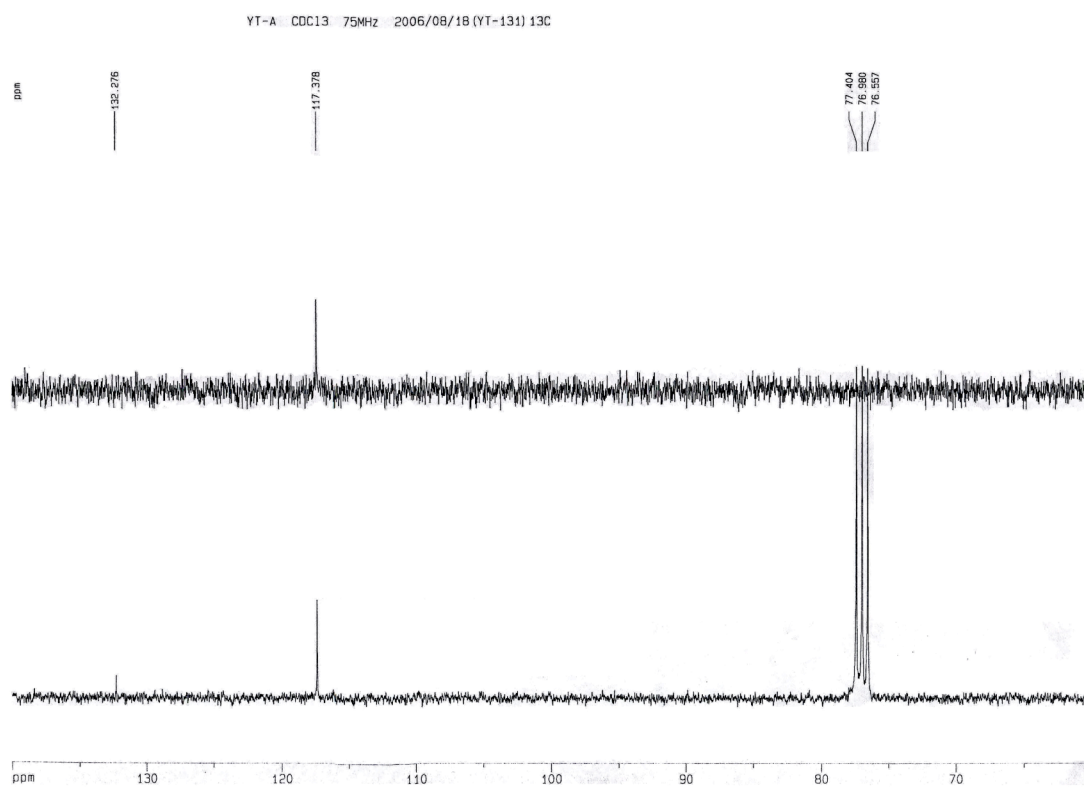
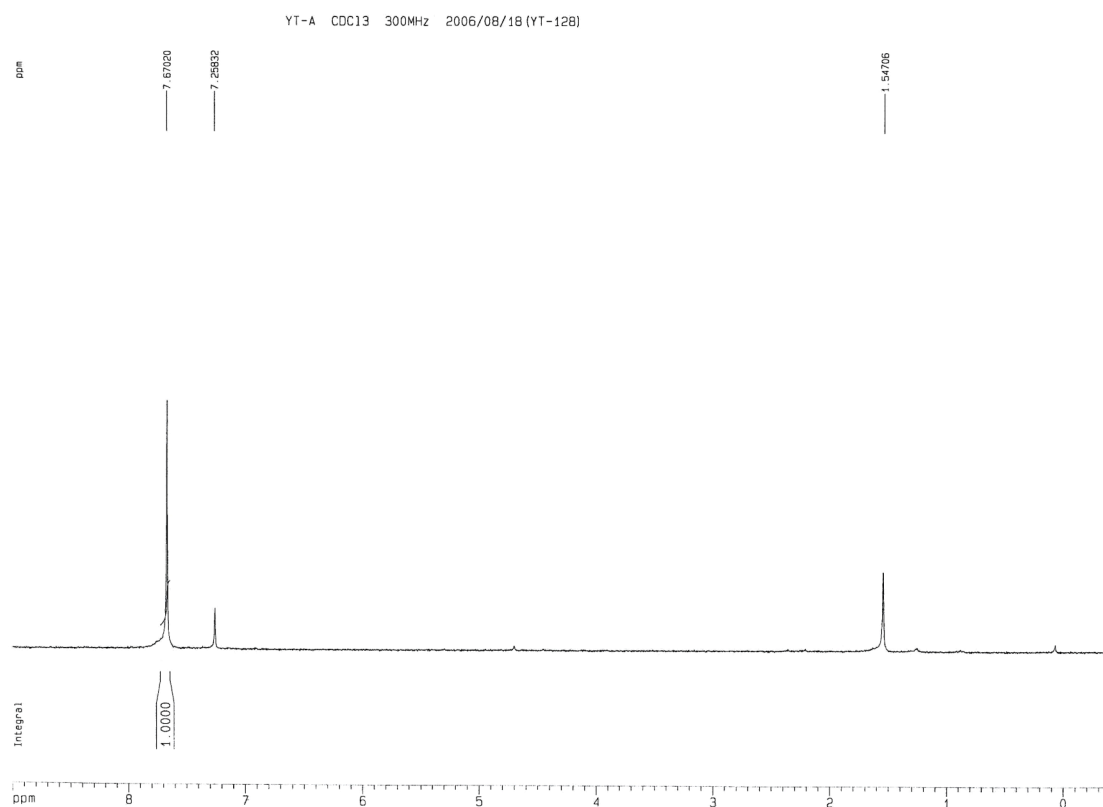
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A. NMR Spectra

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¹H- and ¹³C-NMR Spectra of 1,3,4,6,7,9-Hexamethylbenzo[1,2-c:3,4-c':5,6-c'']trithiophene (C-Me)

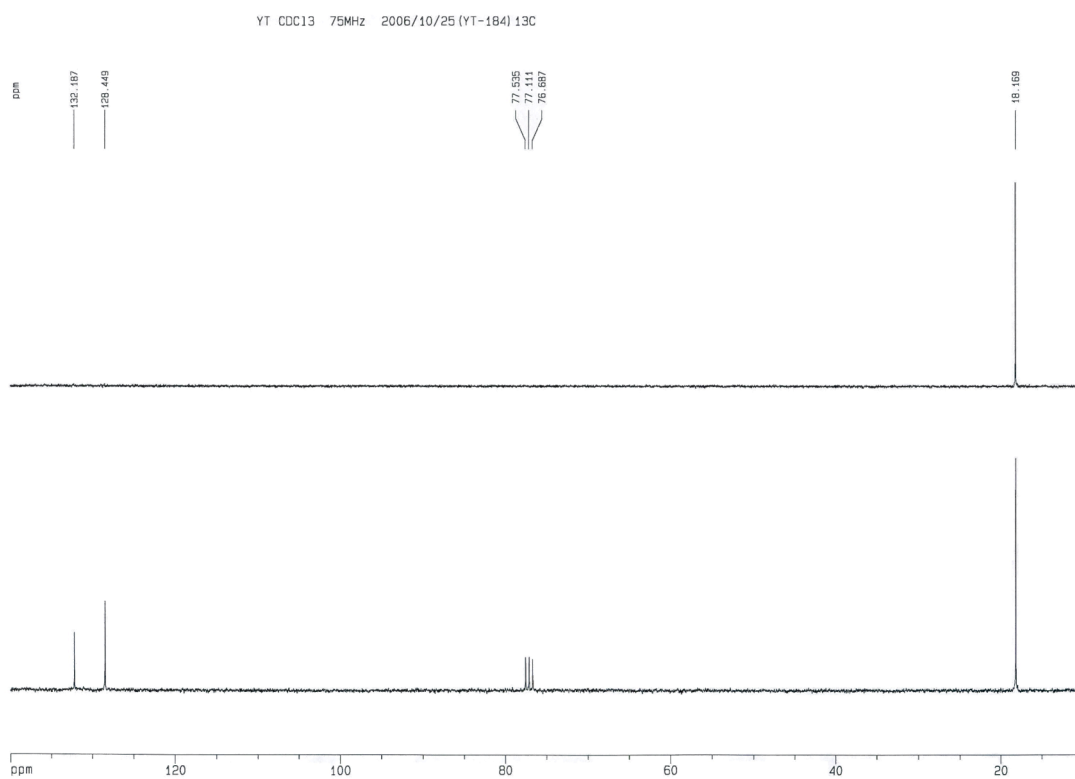
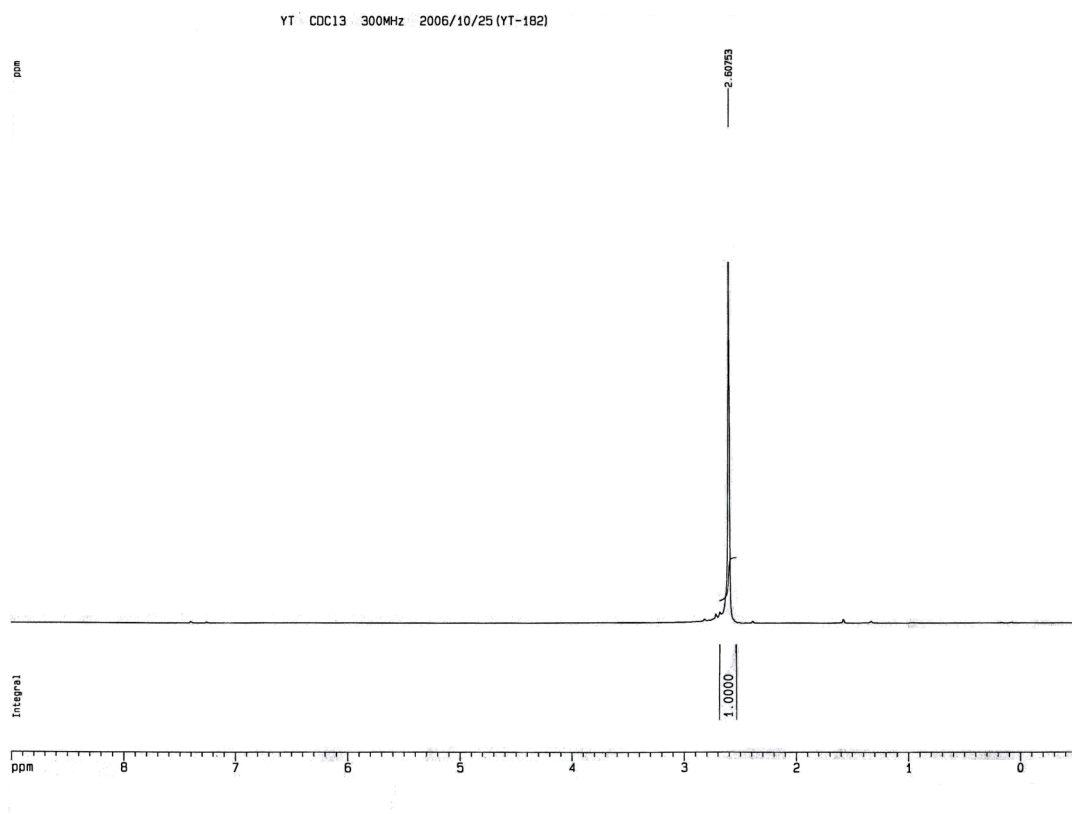


Table S1. Calculated and experimental physical properties of compounds C-Me and C-H.

Compound		C-Me	C-H
UV, λ_{\max} (nm)	Exp.	264 (4.91), ^a 316 (4.08)	248 (4.88), ^a 257 (4.92), 279 (4.30), 295 (4.07), 307 (4.16), 320 (4.03)
	Cal. ^b	266.7, 274.2, 274.8, 283.1, 293.7, 299.4, 312.4, 317.8, 321.7	256.5, 264.9, 295.9, 309.0
¹ H NMR (ppm)	Exp.	2.61	7.67
	Cal.	2.45	—
¹³ C NMR (ppm)	Exp.	18.2, 128.4, 132.2	117.4, 132.3
	Cal.	22.3, 129.9, 135.5	—
Ox. Potential, E_{pa} (V)	Exp.	0.79, 1.10	0.84, 1.27
HOMO (eV)	Cal. ^b	-5.36	-5.93
	Exp. ^c	-5.38	-5.55
LUMO (eV)	Cal. ^b	-0.87	-1.35
Koopmans	Cal. ^b	-5.36	-5.93
ΔSCF (eV)	Cal. ^b	-6.77	-7.47

^a $\lg\epsilon$ ($\text{M}^{-1}\text{cm}^{-1}$). ^bB3PW91/DZ+(2d,p). ^c $E_{\text{HOMO}} = -E_{\text{onset}} - 4.8$.

Computational Results:

M06-2X/D95(2d,p)

Molecule	<i>Exo</i>	<i>Endo</i>	$\Delta(\text{Exo-Endo})$	Symmetry	Character
D	1.4203	1.3988	0.02	Flat/D3H	PD
C-H	1.4589	1.4389	0.02	Flat/D3H	PD
B-F	1.469	1.418	0.05	Nonplanar/C2	PD
B-F	1.4608	1.4181	0.04	Nonplanar/D3	PD
Triphenylene	1.4641	1.4106	0.05	Flat/D3H	PD
B-Me	1.4768	1.4235	0.05	Nonplanar/C2	PD
B-Me	1.4691	1.4191	0.05	Nonplanar/D3	PD
C-Me	1.4686	1.4508	0.02	Nonplanar/C2	PD
C-Me	1.4642	1.4516	0.01	Nonplanar/D3	PD
C-Me	1.4608	1.4508	0.01	Nonplanar/C1	PD

Compound C-H looks essentially like 3 independent thiophenes, whereas, compound 10 looks like an aromatic central ring and isolated double bonds in the flanking rings. The former is more radialene-like. As such, the latter is more stable by 9.2 kcal/mol.

Molecule	E+ZPE	$\Delta(\text{Energy})$	Symmetry	Character
D	-1655.143889	0.0	Flat/D3H	PD
D np_opt	No change		Flat/d3h=C2	PD
C-H	-1655.129201	9.22	Flat/D3H	PD
C-H at C-Me C2,opt	No change		Flat/d3h=C2	
B-F	-1883.628061	26.96	Flat/D3H	MNE
B-F	-1883.671017	0.0	Nonplanar/C2	PD
B-F	-1883.663274	4.86	Nonplanar/D3	PD
B-F	-1883.628057	26.96	Nonplanar/Cs	MNE
Triphenylene	-692.761130	--	Flat/D3H	PD
Triphenylene np_opt	No change			
B-Me	-928.361084	0.0	Nonplanar/C2	PD
B-Me	-928.354067	4.40	Nonplanar/D3	PD
B-Me	-928.338703	14.04	Nonplanar/CsTS	MNE
C-Me	-1890.758203	0.0	Nonplanar/C2 → same as C1	PD
C-Me	-1890.748970	6.4	Nonplanar/D3	PD
C-Me	-1890.755192	--	Nonplanar/Cs	2NE
C-Me	-1890.742735	--	Nonplanar/Cs	3NE
C-Me	-1890.759193	0.0	Nonplanar/C1 → same as C2	PD
C-Me	-1890.744274	--	Nonplanar/C2	2NE
C-Me C2 to D3 TS	-1890.747569	7.3	Nonplanar/C2	1NE
C-Me C2 to C2 TS	-1890.754415	3.0	Nonplanar/C1	1NE

'np' == nonplanar

M06-2X/DZ(2d,op) structures

D structure:

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B-F structure (D3)

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B-F structure (C2)

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B-Me structure (D3)

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B-Me structure (C2)

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H	-1.5290508249	-2.9562585273	-2.7401280875
H	1.5290508249	2.9562585273	-2.7401280875
H	-2.8960447507	-1.8844834295	-3.0514255024
H	2.8960447507	1.8844834295	-3.0514255024

Triphenylene (FLAT – contrary to the reviewer)

C	0.7052965476	1.2524745332	0.
C	0.7320264896	-1.237041994	0.
C	-0.7320264896	-1.237041994	0.
C	-0.7052965476	1.2524745332	0.
C	1.4373230372	-0.0154325392	0.
C	-1.4373230372	-0.0154325392	0.
C	1.3818129613	2.4874419588	0.
C	1.4632814461	-2.4404061071	0.
C	-1.4632814461	-2.4404061071	0.
C	-1.3818129613	2.4874419588	0.
C	2.8450944074	-0.0470358516	0.
C	-2.8450944074	-0.0470358516	0.
C	0.7004183151	3.6890079476	0.
C	2.8445654399	-2.451084028	0.
C	-2.8445654399	-2.451084028	0.
C	-0.7004183151	3.6890079476	0.
C	3.544983755	-1.2379239197	0.
C	-3.544983755	-1.2379239197	0.
H	1.2499818903	4.623988887	0.
H	3.3795008978	-3.3945105148	0.
H	-3.3795008978	-3.3945105148	0.
H	-1.2499818903	4.623988887	0.
H	4.6294827881	-1.2294783722	0.
H	-4.6294827881	-1.2294783722	0.
H	2.4627307787	2.5151049429	0.
H	0.9467793843	-3.3903398885	0.
H	-0.9467793843	-3.3903398885	0.
H	-2.4627307787	2.5151049429	0.
H	3.409510163	0.8752349456	0.
H	-3.409510163	0.8752349456	0.

C-Me structure (C2)

C	-0.2319139844	-0.6926087307	1.2911088471
C	0.2184153193	1.4377395135	0.0462345849
C	-0.0638377174	0.7252692299	-1.2068935356
C	-0.2184153193	-1.4377395135	0.0462345849
C	0.2319139844	0.6926087307	1.2911088471
C	0.0638377174	-0.7252692299	-1.2068935356
S	-1.2826173345	-2.952686705	1.8081364183
S	1.2826173345	2.952686705	1.8081364183
S	0.	0.	-3.6542286653
C	-0.8110099468	-1.3837737788	2.3268214986
C	0.7806784014	2.687686979	0.1845793098
C	-0.2408593714	1.2339662294	-2.4709683215
C	-0.7806784014	-2.687686979	0.1845793098
C	0.8110099468	1.3837737788	2.3268214986
C	0.2408593714	-1.2339662294	-2.4709683215
C	-1.2311532842	-0.9164221535	3.6889238292
C	1.1972376321	3.7004590229	-0.83975756
C	-0.7413975881	2.577761129	-2.9156525128
C	-1.1972376321	-3.7004590229	-0.83975756
C	1.2311532842	0.9164221535	3.6889238292
C	0.7413975881	-2.577761129	-2.9156525128
H	-2.1908298281	-1.364912479	3.9611040979
H	2.0217592149	4.3069674917	-0.4558725385
H	-1.5646608642	2.4442292534	-3.6241544052
H	-2.0217592149	-4.3069674917	-0.4558725386
H	2.1908298281	1.364912479	3.9611040979
H	1.5646608642	-2.4442292534	-3.6241544052
H	-1.3564764762	0.1693376495	3.6783520828
H	1.5467938722	3.1853440979	-1.7392054755
H	0.0213297275	3.1901746837	-3.4062037844
H	-1.5467938722	-3.1853440979	-1.7392054755
H	1.3564764762	-0.1693376495	3.6783520828
H	-0.0213297275	-3.1901746837	-3.4062037844
H	-0.5108221645	-1.1694588262	4.4728755682
H	0.3914669223	4.3813860999	-1.1281136036
H	-1.1300147803	3.1274690149	-2.0567476417
H	-0.3914669223	-4.3813860999	-1.1281136036
H	0.5108221645	1.1694588262	4.4728755682
H	1.1300147803	-3.1274690149	-2.0567476417

C-Me structure (D3):

C	1.2580090366	-0.730520385	-0.0480720973
C	0.0036446931	1.4547279764	-0.0480720973
C	-1.2616537297	0.7242075914	0.0480720973
C	0.0036446931	-1.4547279764	0.0480720973
C	1.2580090366	0.730520385	0.0480720973
C	-1.2616537297	-0.7242075914	-0.0480720973
S	1.8541056479	-3.2114051848	0.
S	1.8541056479	3.2114051848	0.
S	-3.7082112958	0.	0.
C	2.335765023	-1.5740091538	-0.2166643882
C	0.1952494015	2.809836424	-0.2166643882
C	-2.5310144244	1.2358272703	0.2166643882
C	0.1952494015	-2.809836424	0.2166643882
C	2.335765023	1.5740091538	0.2166643882
C	-2.5310144244	-1.2358272703	-0.2166643882
C	3.7243569517	-1.3157886312	-0.7284229215
C	-0.7226720952	3.8832820485	-0.7284229215
C	-3.0016848565	2.5674934174	0.7284229215
C	-0.7226720952	-3.8832820485	0.7284229215
C	3.7243569517	1.3157886312	0.7284229215
C	-3.0016848565	-2.5674934174	-0.7284229215
H	4.0128814618	-2.1188992669	-1.4124041072
H	-0.1714201378	4.5347069218	-1.4124041072
H	-3.8414613241	2.4158076549	1.4124041072
H	-0.1714201378	-4.5347069218	1.4124041072
H	4.0128814618	2.1188992669	1.4124041072
H	-3.8414613241	-2.4158076549	-1.4124041072
H	3.7428640519	-0.3794645105	-1.2891774511
H	-1.54280612	3.4311476071	-1.2891774511
H	-2.2000579319	3.0516830966	1.2891774511
H	-1.54280612	-3.4311476071	1.2891774511
H	3.7428640519	0.3794645105	1.2891774511
H	-2.2000579319	-3.0516830966	-1.2891774511
H	4.4827424183	-1.2644093623	0.0578827905
H	-1.1463605806	4.514373494	0.0578827905
H	-3.3363818377	3.2499641317	-0.0578827905
H	-1.1463605806	-4.514373494	-0.0578827905
H	4.4827424183	1.2644093623	-0.0578827905
H	-3.3363818377	-3.2499641317	0.0578827905

C2 to C2 TS

C	-1.27982	0.08622	0.72165
C	1.22841	-0.22787	0.74547
C	1.22727	-0.23315	-0.74199
C	-1.27946	0.08896	-0.71984
C	-0.00176	0.17895	1.42109
C	-0.00042	0.17731	-1.41865
S	-3.65771	-0.47576	-0.00013
S	1.80146	0.24334	3.20319
S	1.80021	0.21519	-3.20306
C	-2.5072	-0.23305	1.25543
C	2.27622	-0.30208	1.64007
C	2.27241	-0.32594	-1.63877
C	-2.50711	-0.22809	-1.25475
C	0.18437	0.55351	2.72828
C	0.187	0.54209	-2.72911
C	-2.90382	-0.5848	2.65812
C	3.7211	-0.7092	1.54509
C	3.70289	-0.78269	-1.54896
C	-2.90489	-0.57531	-2.65824
C	-0.73103	1.2951	3.65749
C	-0.72212	1.29019	-3.65951
H	-3.69333	-1.34097	2.64776
H	4.34853	0.09518	1.15255
H	4.31461	-0.11656	-0.94011
H	-3.69971	-1.3259	-2.6495
H	-0.1896	2.12195	4.12654
H	-0.17436	2.11375	-4.12708
H	-2.04096	-1.0019	3.1848
H	3.85475	-1.59531	0.92706
H	3.77651	-1.79467	-1.14598
H	-2.04455	-0.99779	-3.18483
H	-1.56322	1.71769	3.09055
H	-1.55221	1.71835	-3.09376
H	-3.27066	0.27148	3.23176
H	4.09601	-0.95096	2.54375
H	4.14296	-0.80241	-2.54967
H	-3.26521	0.28416	-3.23118
H	-1.13919	0.66958	4.45703
H	-1.13324	0.66801	-4.46014

B3PW91/DZ(2d,p) Structures:

C-Me-C₁:

C	0.004602	1.440540	0.190791
C	-1.186070	-0.710614	-0.267193
C	0.083494	-1.438460	-0.188472
C	1.268197	0.762965	-0.035197
C	-1.222650	0.643724	0.271689
C	1.307891	-0.692462	0.039252
S	1.718642	3.242891	-0.411875
S	-3.653957	-0.097264	-0.001254
S	1.895861	-3.144402	0.408081
C	0.107495	2.808988	0.007382
C	-2.443671	-1.176495	-0.596339
C	0.263053	-2.799631	-0.009802
C	2.284413	1.619803	-0.406660
C	-2.503524	1.043049	0.598193
C	2.370226	-1.492371	0.408419
C	-0.927415	3.887633	-0.075318
C	-2.877478	-2.321407	-1.462329
C	-0.708943	-3.935678	0.067883
C	3.655558	1.344037	-0.943081
C	-2.995652	2.160334	1.468726
C	3.724163	-1.142003	0.944991
H	-0.555874	4.726877	-0.672032
H	-3.633705	-1.977033	-2.177299
H	-0.278920	-4.766670	0.636096
H	3.917250	2.077095	-1.713543
H	-3.688344	1.764061	2.220383
H	4.025192	-1.859341	1.715899
H	-1.828715	3.505035	-0.564394
H	-2.032199	-2.698353	-2.041690
H	-0.999469	-4.327508	-0.912874
H	3.682121	0.353083	-1.404731
H	-2.162107	2.616228	2.005930
H	3.696496	-0.150921	1.406221
H	-1.218955	4.287311	0.902282
H	-3.315663	-3.157554	-0.905528
H	-1.618957	-3.615460	0.585255
H	4.439111	1.381762	-0.177617
H	-3.526956	2.947360	0.921075
H	4.508831	-1.137264	0.179727

C-Me-C₂ (the one that is essentially the energy of C₁):

C	0.1485561015	-0.7135929126	1.2891154304
C	-0.0355273305	1.4516727302	0.0442018657
C	0.1614932089	0.7108590582	-1.2046263676
C	0.0355273305	-1.4516727302	0.0442018657
C	-0.1485561015	0.7135929126	1.2891154304
C	-0.1614932089	-0.7108590582	-1.2046263676
S	0.8984361196	-3.0935842815	1.8074385168
S	-0.8984361196	3.0935842815	1.8074385168
S	0.	0.	-3.6550293467
C	0.6416757162	-1.4758330061	2.3285176464
C	-0.4260817737	2.7724753373	0.1847637696
C	0.4187271798	1.1890634294	-2.4742643043
C	0.4260817737	-2.7724753373	0.1847637696
C	-0.6416757162	1.4758330061	2.3285176464
C	-0.4187271798	-1.1890634294	-2.4742643043
C	1.122040449	-1.0857345523	3.6928419009
C	-0.6787188939	3.8529330009	-0.8203367825
C	1.1017354544	2.4409546033	-2.9374855256
C	0.6787188939	-3.8529330009	-0.8203367825
C	-1.122040449	1.0857345523	3.6928419009
C	-1.1017354544	-2.4409546033	-2.9374855256
H	1.9910719019	-1.6887468141	3.9767710075
H	-1.3848795305	4.5875049509	-0.4201980009
H	1.886128194	2.1869627487	-3.6598749693
H	1.3848795305	-4.5875049509	-0.4201980009
H	-1.9910719019	1.6887468141	3.9767710075
H	-1.886128194	-2.1869627487	-3.6598749693
H	1.431378744	-0.0367970442	3.6937473287
H	-1.1209269547	3.4259127191	-1.7259922157
H	1.5861821344	2.9407467041	-2.0964881105
H	1.1209269547	-3.4259127191	-1.7259922157
H	-1.431378744	0.0367970442	3.6937473287
H	-1.5861821344	-2.9407467041	-2.0964881105
H	0.3653332758	-1.2159157805	4.4750121767
H	0.2265270815	4.3966747063	-1.1119571592
H	0.4311623222	3.1571360688	-3.4261673497
H	-0.2265270815	-4.3966747063	-1.1119571592
H	-0.3653332758	1.2159157805	4.4750121767
H	-0.4311623222	-3.1571360688	-3.4261673497

C-Me-TS structure:

C	-0.2309007661	0.6853455136	1.2422212987
C	-0.1398174361	0.7233983616	-1.2930372393
C	0.1398174361	-0.7233983616	-1.2930372393
C	0.2309007661	-0.6853455136	1.2422212987
C	-0.2391808984	1.4214465215	-0.0158665825
C	0.2391808984	-1.4214465215	-0.0158665825
S	0.	0.	3.6918051384
S	-0.3842022293	3.2224894157	-1.8083540029
S	0.3842022293	-3.2224894157	-1.8083540029
C	-0.54221791	1.1364048281	2.5147112281
C	-0.3132364629	1.5976755786	-2.3588667743
C	0.3132364629	-1.5976755786	-2.3588667743
C	0.54221791	-1.1364048281	2.5147112281
C	-0.2597095729	2.8007782821	-0.1544148083
C	0.2597095729	-2.8007782821	-0.1544148083
C	1.3917548108	-2.2786135639	2.9865468677
C	-0.5552859062	1.4335027487	-3.8322895382
C	0.5552859062	-1.4335027487	-3.8322895382
C	-1.3917548108	2.2786135639	2.9865468677
C	-0.0043069447	3.9055460383	0.8261935956
C	0.0043069447	-3.9055460383	0.8261935956
H	2.0746407152	-1.9284028376	3.7686567504
H	-0.9224951249	2.376978099	-4.2488693683
H	0.9224951249	-2.376978099	-4.2488693683
H	-2.0746407152	1.9284028376	3.7686567504
H	0.5663908398	4.7049581209	0.341445082
H	-0.5663908398	-4.7049581209	0.341445082
H	2.0037446913	-2.6585825695	2.1657905714
H	0.3417669914	1.1647563499	-4.3956923092
H	-0.3417669914	-1.1647563499	-4.3956923092
H	-2.0037446913	2.6585825695	2.1657905714
H	-0.9152936036	4.3595562904	1.231645586
H	0.9152936036	-4.3595562904	1.231645586
H	0.8215188736	-3.1153058501	3.4060983372
H	-1.3238852411	0.6801356123	-4.0250874399
H	1.3238852411	-0.6801356123	-4.0250874399
H	-0.8215188736	3.1153058501	3.4060983372
H	0.5924141782	3.5358486017	1.6640474446
H	-0.5924141782	-3.5358486017	1.6640474446

imaginary mode to move the methyl/methyl class is -40.1 cm-1

C-Me- D_3 structure:

C	0.725004	1.259994	0.049091
C	0.728684	-1.257869	0.049091
C	-0.728684	-1.257869	-0.049091
C	-0.725004	1.259994	-0.049091
C	1.453688	-0.002125	-0.049091
C	-1.453688	-0.002125	0.049091
S	0.000000	3.709748	0.000000
S	3.212736	-1.854874	0.000000
S	-3.212736	-1.854874	0.000000
C	1.237613	2.536334	0.223368
C	1.577723	-2.339971	0.223368
C	-1.577723	-2.339971	-0.223368
C	-1.237613	2.536334	-0.223368
C	2.815336	-0.196362	-0.223368
C	-2.815336	-0.196362	0.223368
C	2.561987	3.026323	0.728890
C	1.339879	-3.731908	0.728890
C	-1.339879	-3.731908	-0.728890
C	-2.561987	3.026323	-0.728890
C	3.901867	0.705584	-0.728890
C	-3.901867	0.705584	0.728890
H	2.408010	3.895439	1.377548
H	2.169544	-4.033117	1.377548
H	-2.169544	-4.033117	-1.377548
H	-2.408010	3.895439	-1.377548
H	4.577554	0.137678	-1.377548
H	-4.577554	0.137678	1.377548
H	3.048634	2.253933	1.329048
H	0.427647	-3.767161	1.329048
H	-0.427647	-3.767161	-1.329048
H	-3.048634	2.253933	-1.329048
H	3.476280	1.513228	-1.329048
H	-3.476280	1.513228	1.329048
H	3.255179	3.333602	-0.061947
H	1.259395	-4.485868	-0.061947
H	-1.259395	-4.485868	0.061947
H	-3.255179	3.333602	0.061947
H	4.514573	1.152267	0.061947
H	-4.514573	1.152267	-0.061947

C-Me-C_s structure (2 modes of -39.4 cm⁻¹)

C	-1.276342	0.075958	0.721229
C	1.228185	-0.220356	0.741189
C	1.228185	-0.220356	-0.741189
C	-1.276342	0.075958	-0.721229
C	-0.001501	0.187974	1.417742
C	-0.001501	0.187974	-1.417742
S	-3.652629	-0.509199	0.000000
S	1.805092	0.247728	3.201048
S	1.805092	0.247728	-3.201048
C	-2.507388	-0.253586	1.258159
C	2.278839	-0.309740	1.642415
C	2.278839	-0.309740	-1.642415
C	-2.507388	-0.253586	-1.258159
C	0.189381	0.572812	2.728847
C	0.189381	0.572812	-2.728847
C	-2.920469	-0.591176	2.657089
C	3.710693	-0.755620	1.561489
C	3.710693	-0.755620	-1.561489
C	-2.920469	-0.591176	-2.657089
C	-0.708087	1.326514	3.662740
C	-0.708087	1.326514	-3.662740
H	-3.723321	-1.335665	2.648380
H	4.112163	-0.887200	2.571541
H	4.112163	-0.887200	-2.571541
H	-3.723321	-1.335665	-2.648380
H	-0.154937	2.149572	4.129305
H	-0.154937	2.149572	-4.129305
H	-2.073332	-1.019395	3.201372
H	3.811959	-1.715861	1.051179
H	3.811959	-1.715861	-1.051179
H	-2.073332	-1.019395	-3.201372
H	-1.541930	1.763129	3.108186
H	-1.541930	1.763129	-3.108186
H	-3.282818	0.272985	3.225665
H	4.350929	-0.025630	1.057855
H	4.350929	-0.025630	-1.057855
H	-3.282818	0.272985	-3.225665
H	-1.119021	0.711327	4.471498
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C-Me-C₂ (the one that is essentially D₃):

C	0.7250852605	1.2604489672	0.0490292178
C	0.7286559165	-1.257270771	0.0489927846
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C	-0.7250852605	1.2604489672	-0.0490292178
C	1.4538751489	-0.0017429325	-0.0491462725
C	-1.4538751489	-0.0017429325	0.0491462725
S	0.	3.7102328981	0.
S	3.2123682604	-1.8553233254	-0.0001179048
S	-3.2123682604	-1.8553233254	0.0001179048
C	1.2377776026	2.5368414282	0.222563889
C	1.5771846805	-2.339775586	0.2227249877
C	-1.5771846805	-2.339775586	-0.2227249877
C	-1.2377776026	2.5368414282	-0.222563889
C	2.8155295559	-0.1965378118	-0.2229656889
C	-2.8155295559	-0.1965378118	0.2229656889
C	2.5626235016	3.0266865757	0.727087117
C	1.3383817658	-3.7318823433	0.7275734952
C	-1.3383817658	-3.7318823433	-0.7275734952
C	-2.5626235016	3.0266865757	-0.727087117
C	3.9028455508	0.7050671239	-0.7273158911
C	-3.9028455508	0.7050671239	0.7273158911
H	2.4094079859	3.8950112542	1.3769680293
H	2.1690269239	-4.0350938023	1.37402491
H	-2.1690269239	-4.0350938023	-1.37402491
H	-2.4094079859	3.8950112542	-1.3769680293
H	4.5799392251	0.1366152332	-1.3739908975
H	-4.5799392251	0.1366152332	1.3739908975
H	3.0500772498	2.2536410916	1.3256328452
H	0.4275430324	-3.7660849448	1.3298122888
H	-0.4275430324	-3.7660849448	-1.3298122888
H	-3.0500772498	2.2536410916	-1.3256328452
H	3.4781920437	1.511944486	-1.3290854747
H	-3.4781920437	1.511944486	1.3290854747
H	3.2548573879	3.3347391842	-0.0643399935
H	1.2546112613	-4.485146076	-0.0635883764
H	-1.2546112613	-4.485146076	0.0635883764
H	-3.2548573879	3.3347391842	0.0643399935
H	4.5138311632	1.1527467997	0.0642694105
H	-4.5138311632	1.1527467997	-0.0642694105