

Supporting Information

Table S1: B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) optimized geometry of (*S*)-methyloxirane (in a.u.)

	x	y	z
C	0.28658573	-0.06842314	0.923615545
C	-1.97167357	1.16281695	-0.11611594
O	-1.56077904	-1.49136505	-0.45642963
H	-1.79951788	2.30301858	-1.81860990
H	-3.53368130	1.66205020	1.12314027
H	0.28935676	-0.47792278	2.94204590
C	2.85182915	0.18852554	-0.28024045
H	2.67061628	0.61324913	-2.29190002
H	3.93617089	1.70148365	0.62084953
H	3.92283966	-1.56847438	-0.08764369

Table S2: B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) optimized geometry of (*1S,4S*)-norbornenone (in a.u.)

	x	y	z
C	2.22029782	-0.00675010	-0.07807404
C	-1.51317363	-2.43829473	-0.98195461
C	0.21881895	-1.71011144	1.21188326
C	0.80312983	2.44015233	-0.79730191
C	-1.94579053	1.80021359	0.02972161
C	-2.80142073	-0.37577204	-1.66521155
H	-1.48641133	-4.26059355	-1.90791286
H	1.02414086	-3.23370314	2.33012492
H	1.01435774	2.87458714	-2.80077822
H	1.60616706	4.00919383	0.28560376
H	-3.21336213	3.41639997	0.15659971
H	-4.07376388	-0.18626086	-3.25568065
O	4.41271272	-0.48272676	-0.43476173
C	-1.42269166	0.33260692	2.51323938
H	-3.12946207	-0.46044878	3.35642762
H	-0.39838639	1.45035347	3.91989482

Table S3: B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) optimized geometry of (*S*)-2-chloropropionitrile (in a.u.)

	x	y	z
C	-0.06317921	0.67368170	0.82832744
C	-2.43926227	-0.56030191	0.17303466
N	-4.35328083	-1.46760478	-0.33151277
H	0.08607892	0.75994014	2.88076844
Cl	2.56743673	-1.34149957	-0.15816819
C	0.17726009	3.30015914	-0.33937025
H	1.96416056	4.15306624	0.22950346
H	-1.37546551	4.49066392	0.32254790
H	0.10286913	3.19381858	-2.39532425

The values utilized in this work for the regular, cubic grids are summarized by Table S5. For the multigrid solver, both the error tolerance and the defect correction error tolerance were set to 1×10^{-7} . For the Gaussian functions used to represent the nuclear density, the smearing width was set to $0.25 a_0$. For the two parameters used to defined the dielectric permittivity, the most accurate parameterization of $\beta = 1.6$ and $\rho_0 = 0.00055$ (based on r.m.s. from experiment) was chosen [Dziedzic *et al.* EPL,**95** (2011) 43001].

Table S4: Summary of grid sizes utilized in calculations. The number of grid points in each of the x, y and z directions (npts) and the spacing between grid points (in a.u.) are given for each molecule

	npts	Δh
(<i>S</i>)-methyloxirane	609	0.057
(1 <i>S</i> ,4 <i>S</i>)-norbornenone	641	0.053
2-(<i>S</i>)-chloropropionitrile	769	0.0515

Table S5: Dielectric constants of solvents used in this work

Water	78.54
Acetonitrile	35.69
Ethanol	24.85
Cyclohexane	2.02
Carbon tetrachloride	2.23
Benzene	2.27
Dibutyl Ether	3.05
Methanol	32.61