# **Semiempirical Hartree-Fock in NWChem (semiemp module)**

Below is a sample input for a single point calculation:

```
start h2o_scf
```

## charge 0

geometry noautosym noautoz

O -0.249678801 0.000000000 -1.056890908 H -0.249678801 0.759337000 -0.460847908 H -0.249678801 -0.759337000 -0.460847908

end

semiemp mult 1 apx INDO/1 scftype rhf

maxiter 50

end

task semiemp energy

## No basis set is needed.

## **MULT-MULTIPLICITY**

Multiplicity of the system can be defined here.

# **APX-Approximate Hamiltonian**

Currently available methods are CNDO/1, CNDO/2, INDO/1 and INDO/2. (1 and 2 indicates two different parametrization for one centre core integrals).

# **SCFTYPE-Wave function type**

Currently only RHF and UHF is available.

## **MAXITER-Iteration limit.**

This keyword indicate maximum allowed iterations. Default is 50.

# SCFTOL-Convergence criteria for density.

Default value is 10<sup>-7</sup>.

## **INTTYP-** Integral type

0 (default) for ground state calculations

1 for spectroscopic calculations (INDO/S etc)

## **RT-INDO/S**

# Input for Ag<sub>20</sub>

start Ag20\_y

memory total 84 stack 24 heap 24 global 36 mb

## charge 0

geometry noautosym noautoz

```
-4.18425
               -2.41578
                          -1.70821
Ag
    -1.38662
               -2.52547
                          -1.78578
Ag
     1.38662
               -2.52547
                          -1.78578
Ag
     4.18425
               -2.41578
                          -1.70821
Ag
     -2.88043
                0.06189
                         -1.78578
     0.00000
                0.00000
Ag
                         -1.89153
     2.88043
                0.06189
                         -1.78578
Ag
Ag
    -1.49381
                2.46358
                         -1.78578
Ag
     1.49381
                2.46358
                         -1.78578
                4.83155
                         -1.70821
Ag
     0.00000
Ag
     -2.88043
               -1.66302
                          0.65361
Ag
     0.00000
               -1.78335
                          0.63051
     2.88043
               -1.66302
                          0.65361
Ag
    -1.54443
                0.89167
                          0.63051
Ag
Ag
     1.54443
                0.89167
                          0.63051
Ag
     0.00000
                3.32604
                          0.65361
     -1.49381
               -0.86245
Ag
                          2.91795
Ag
     1.49381
               -0.86245
                          2.91795
     0.00000
                1.72491
                          2.91795
Ag
Ag
     0.00000
                0.00000
                          5.12463
end
```

semiemp mult 1.0 apx INDO/1 scftype rhf maxiter 100 inttyp 1 end

rt\_semiemp nrestarts 100 tmax 1000 dt 0.1 tag "kick\_y" field\_type delta field\_max 0.0001 polarization y

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print dipole end

task semiemp rt\_semiemp

# RT-INDO/S is currently available only for RHF wave functions.

## **NRESTARTS**

This sets the number of run-time check points where the time-dependent complex density matrix is saved to file, allowing the simulation to be restarted from that point.

## **TMAX**

This option specifies the maximum time (in au) to run the simulation before stopping, which must be a positive real number.

## DT

This specifies the electronic time step for time integration.

# TAG -- Output label

This option sets a label for the output for convenient parsing (e.g., with "grep").

Tag "kick\_y"

It appears in the output as:

Kick\_ytotal 0.1 2.20000 -7.589146713114E+001 -7.589146713114E+001 7.589146713114E+001 #Dipole moment [system]

## FIELD\_TYPE

This option sets type of external electric field. Only option available currently is "delta".

## FIELD\_MAX

This option sets the maximum value of the electric field

#### **Polarization**

This option sets the polarization direction. It can be x, y or z.

# **PRINT**

This option sets the different time-dependent properties to be computed and printed at each time step.

Dipole: Dipole moment