

# Benzene

## 1 Theoretical Results

### 1.1 Bz

Table 1: Bz. EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) UV-vis excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ , and ionization energy (IE, eV).

	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$
EE	B <sub>2u</sub>	5.21	0.0000
	B <sub>3u</sub>	6.64	0.0000
	B <sub>1u</sub>	6.97	0.0591
	B <sub>1u</sub>	7.04	0.0000
	B <sub>2u</sub>	7.16	0.1762
	B <sub>3u</sub>	7.16	0.1762
	B <sub>3u</sub>	7.58	0.5302
	B <sub>1u</sub>	8.37	0.0000
IP	B <sub>2g</sub>	9.22	
	B <sub>3g</sub>	9.22	

Table 2: Bz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) K-edge excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ , and core ionization energy (IE, eV).

	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Assignment
EE	B <sub>1u</sub>	285.97	0.30677	(A)
	B <sub>3u</sub>	287.80	0.02200	(B)
	B <sub>2u</sub>	287.80	0.02205	(B)
	B <sub>3u</sub>	288.79	0.00177	(C)
	B <sub>2u</sub>	288.79	0.00178	(C)
	B <sub>2u</sub>	288.83	0.00502	(C)
	B <sub>3u</sub>	288.83	0.00503	(C)
	B <sub>1u</sub>	288.91	0.00543	(C)
	B <sub>2u</sub>	289.35	0.00162	
	B <sub>3u</sub>	289.35	0.00162	
	B <sub>2u</sub>	289.40	0.00123	
	B <sub>3u</sub>	289.40	0.00123	
	B <sub>2u</sub>	289.46	0.00013	
	B <sub>3u</sub>	289.46	0.00014	
	B <sub>1u</sub>	289.66	0.00270	
	B <sub>3u</sub>	289.75	0.01014	(D)
	B <sub>2u</sub>	289.75	0.01045	(D)
	B <sub>2u</sub>	290.12	0.00060	
	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.12	0.00060	
	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.14	0.00018	
	B <sub>2u</sub>	290.14	0.00019	
	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.21	0.00001	
	B <sub>1u</sub>	290.28	0.00270	
	B <sub>1u</sub>	290.83	0.00057	
	B <sub>1u</sub>	291.07	0.02991	
IP	A <sub>g</sub>	290.93		
	B <sub>1g</sub>	290.93		

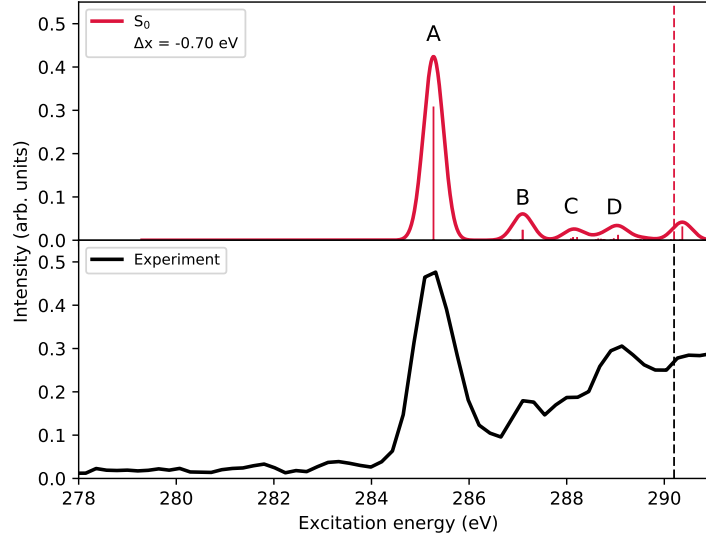
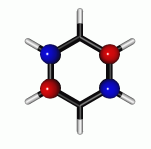
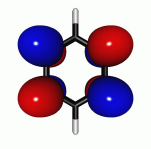
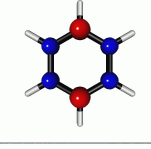
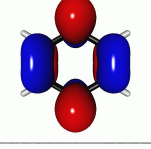
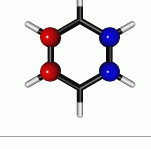
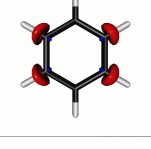
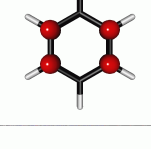
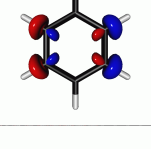
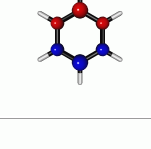
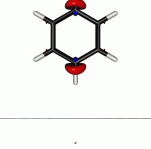
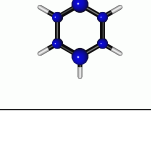
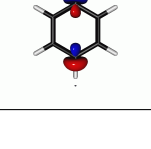


Figure 1: Bz. fc-CVS-EOM-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) K-edge X-ray absorption spectra obtained by convolution of the spectral data in Table 2 with a Gaussian function (FWHM = 0.8 eV). Dashed vertical lines correspond to the IEs. The energy shifts required to align the NEXAFS profiles with the experimental one is - 0.7 eV. The computed IE has been shifted by the same amount as used to align the NEXAFS profiles.

Table 3: Bz. fc-CVS-EOM-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) NTOs of the relevant core excited states. NTO isosurface is 0.05.

Excitation	Hole	$\sigma_K^2$	Particle
(A) $B_{1u}$		0.35	
		0.35	
(B) $B_{2u}$		0.50	
		0.20	
(B) $B_{3u}$		0.50	
		0.20	

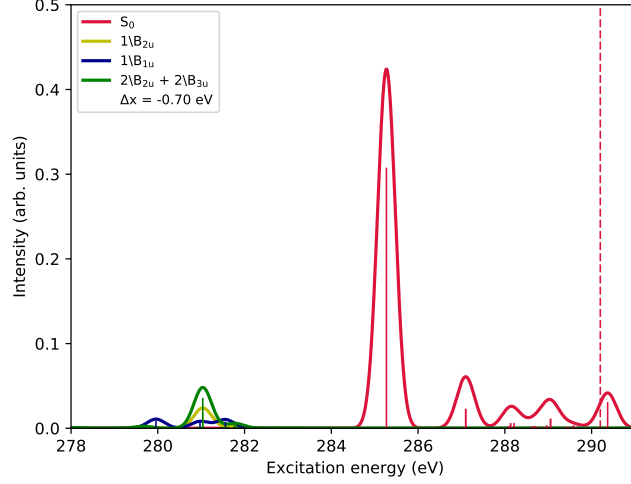


Figure 2: Bz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) ground and excited-state core absorption spectra at the Franck-Condon geometry optimized at the RI-MP2/cc-pVTZ level of theory. A Gaussian convolution function (FWHM = 0.8 eV) was used.

Table 4: Bz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) TR-NEXAFS. Excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ , and core ionization energy (IE, eV).

	B <sub>1u</sub>			B <sub>2u</sub>			B <sub>3u</sub>		
	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$
EE	B <sub>2g</sub>	282.30	0.000001	B <sub>3g</sub>	278.80	0.000292	B <sub>3g</sub>	278.80	0.000292
	B <sub>3g</sub>	282.30	0.000001	B <sub>3g</sub>	280.35	0.000902	B <sub>3g</sub>	280.35	0.000902
	A <sub>g</sub>	282.61	0.007834	A <sub>g</sub>	281.61	0.000002	A <sub>g</sub>	281.61	0.000002
	A <sub>g</sub>	283.62	0.005864	B <sub>1g</sub>	281.61	0.000002	B <sub>1g</sub>	281.61	0.000002
	A <sub>g</sub>	284.15	0.000584	A <sub>g</sub>	281.65	0.000001	A <sub>g</sub>	281.65	0.000001
	A <sub>g</sub>	284.21	0.006911	B <sub>1g</sub>	281.65	0.000001	B <sub>1g</sub>	281.65	0.000001
				B <sub>3g</sub>	281.74	0.017425	B <sub>3g</sub>	281.74	0.017425
				A <sub>g</sub>	282.25	0.000001	A <sub>g</sub>	282.25	0.000001
				B <sub>1g</sub>	282.25	0.000001	B <sub>1g</sub>	282.25	0.000001
				A <sub>g</sub>	282.26	0.000005	A <sub>g</sub>	282.26	0.000005
				B <sub>3g</sub>	282.46	0.001297	B <sub>3g</sub>	282.46	0.001297
				B <sub>3g</sub>	282.51	0.000814	B <sub>3g</sub>	282.51	0.000814
				B <sub>1g</sub>	282.94	0.000002	B <sub>1g</sub>	282.94	0.000002
				B <sub>3g</sub>	283.12	0.000029	B <sub>3g</sub>	283.12	0.000029
				B <sub>3g</sub>	283.19	0.000080	B <sub>3g</sub>	283.19	0.000080

## 1.2 Bz<sup>+</sup>

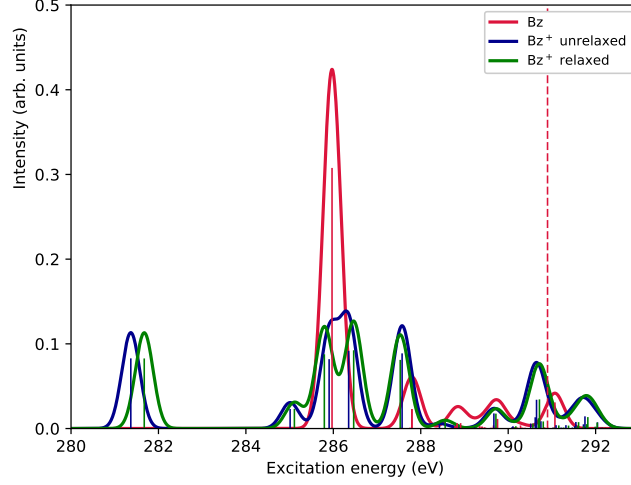


Figure 3: Bz and Bz<sup>+</sup>. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) ground and ionized-state core absorption spectra at the Franck-Condon geometry optimized at the RI-MP2/cc-pVTZ level of theory and at the EOM-CCSD/cc-pVTZ optimized geometry for the ionized state. A Gaussian convolution function (FWHM = 0.8 eV) was used.

Table 5: Bz<sup>+</sup>. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) core excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV) and oscillator strengths  $f$  at the neutral unrelaxed geometry and the relaxed geometry

	Unrelaxed			Relaxed		
	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$
EE	B <sub>1u</sub>	281.37	0.08195	B <sub>1u</sub>	281.67	0.08184
	B <sub>1u</sub>	285.01	0.02218	B <sub>1u</sub>	285.11	0.02228
	B <sub>1u</sub>	285.90	0.08089	B <sub>1u</sub>	285.79	0.08666
	B <sub>1u</sub>	286.35	0.09067	B <sub>1u</sub>	286.46	0.09136
	B <sub>1u</sub>	287.57	0.08774	B <sub>1u</sub>	287.53	0.08007
	B <sub>1u</sub>	288.43	0.00431	B <sub>1u</sub>	288.56	0.00712
	B <sub>3u</sub>	289.23	0.00059	B <sub>3u</sub>	289.27	0.00057
	B <sub>3u</sub>	289.67	0.01685	B <sub>3u</sub>	289.72	0.01661
	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.09	0.00076	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.16	0.00071
	B <sub>2u</sub>	290.11	0.00176	B <sub>2u</sub>	290.18	0.00178
	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.51	0.00490	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.56	0.00497
	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.62	0.01235	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.69	0.01103
	B <sub>2u</sub>	290.65	0.03291	B <sub>2u</sub>	290.71	0.03329
	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.75	0.00766	B <sub>3u</sub>	290.80	0.00738
	B <sub>2u</sub>	291.02	0.00000	B <sub>2u</sub>	291.06	0.00008
	B <sub>2u</sub>	291.23	0.00001	B <sub>2u</sub>	291.27	0.00007
	B <sub>2u</sub>	291.55	0.00685	B <sub>2u</sub>	291.61	0.00670
	B <sub>2u</sub>	291.76	0.00190	B <sub>2u</sub>	291.73	0.00189

### 1.3 ClBz

Table 6: ClBz. EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) UV-vis excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ , and ionization energy (IE, eV).

	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$
EE	B <sub>1</sub>	5.10	0.0012
	B <sub>2</sub>	6.28	0.0067
	A <sub>1</sub>	6.38	0.0839
	A <sub>2</sub>	6.75	0.0000
	B <sub>2</sub>	6.76	0.0001
	A <sub>2</sub>	6.89	0.0000
	A <sub>1</sub>	7.06	0.0327
	B <sub>1</sub>	7.14	0.4226
IP	B <sub>2</sub>	9.01	
	A <sub>2</sub>	9.57	
	B <sub>1</sub>	11.21	
	(B <sub>2</sub>	$\sim 11.8$ )	
	A <sub>1</sub>	12.60	

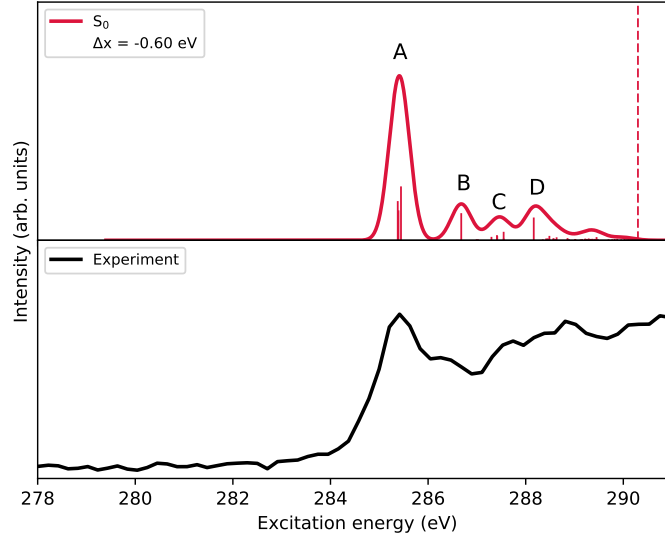


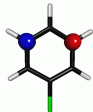
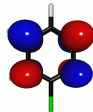
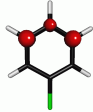

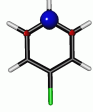
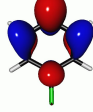
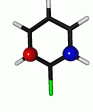
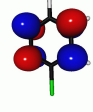
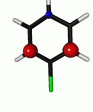
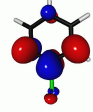
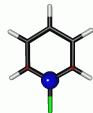
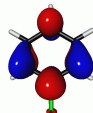
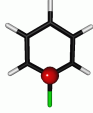

Figure 4: ClBz. fc-CVS-EOM-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) K-edge X-ray absorption spectra obtained by convolution of the spectral data in Table 7 with a Gaussian function (FWHM = 0.8 eV). Dashed vertical lines correspond to the IEs. The energy shifts required to align the NEXAFS profiles with the experimental one is - 0.6 eV. The computed IE has been shifted by the same amount as used to align the NEXAFS profiles.

Table 7: ClBz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C)  
K-edge excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ , and core ionization energy (IE, eV).

	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Assignment
EE	B <sub>2</sub>	285.98	0.08103	(A)
	B <sub>2</sub>	285.99	0.06054	(A)
	B <sub>2</sub>	286.04	0.11106	(A)
	B <sub>2</sub>	287.28	0.05506	(B)
	B <sub>2</sub>	287.59	0.00023	
	B <sub>2</sub>	287.62	0.00001	
	A <sub>1</sub>	287.90	0.00530	(C)
	B <sub>1</sub>	288.01	0.00895	(C)
	A <sub>1</sub>	288.02	0.00687	(C)
	A <sub>1</sub>	288.15	0.00171	
	B <sub>1</sub>	288.15	0.01595	(C)
	A <sub>1</sub>	288.76	0.04590	(D)
	B <sub>1</sub>	288.95	0.00004	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.02	0.00189	
	B <sub>2</sub>	289.05	0.00030	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.05	0.00061	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.05	0.00209	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.08	0.00012	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.09	0.00740	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.17	0.00033	
	B <sub>2</sub>	289.17	0.00166	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.17	0.00230	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.22	0.00009	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.22	0.00030	
	B <sub>2</sub>	289.23	0.00440	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.46	0.00055	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.46	0.00271	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.49	0.00012	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.61	0.00085	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.62	0.00009	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.73	0.00009	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.76	0.00000	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.76	0.00021	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.81	0.00060	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.82	0.00157	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.83	0.00097	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.85	0.00011	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.85	0.00040	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.89	0.00196	
	B <sub>2</sub>	289.92	0.00062	
	B <sub>2</sub>	289.93	0.00094	
	B <sub>1</sub>	289.94	0.00067	
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.95	0.00002	
	B <sub>2</sub>	289.96	0.00121	
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.01	0.00032	
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.01	0.00098	
	B <sub>2</sub>	290.04	0.00029	
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.05	0.00098	
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.05	0.00481	
	B <sub>2</sub>	290.08	0.00000	
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.30	0.00019	
IP	A <sub>1</sub>	291.21		
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.29		



Table 8: ClBz. fc-CVS-EOM-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C)  
NTOs of the relevant core excited states. NTO isosurface is 0.05.

Excitation	Hole	$\sigma_K^2$	Particle
(A) B <sub>2</sub>		0.55	
		0.25	
(A) B <sub>2</sub>		0.71	
(A) B <sub>2</sub>		0.55	
		0.25	
(B) B <sub>2</sub>		0.79	
(D) A <sub>1</sub>		0.82	

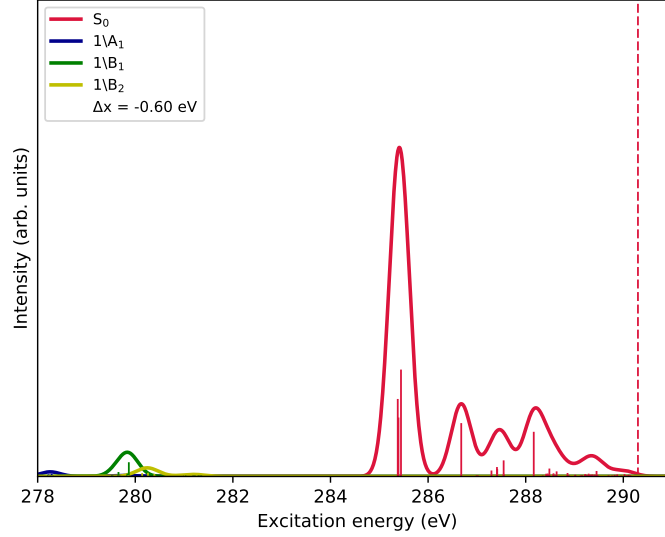


Figure 5: ClBz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) ground and excited-state core absorption spectra at the Franck-Condon geometry optimized at the level of theory. A Gaussian convolution function (FWHM = 0.8 eV) was used.

Table 9: ClBz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) TR-NEXAFS. Excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ .

	A <sub>1</sub>			B <sub>1</sub>			B <sub>2</sub>		
	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$
EE	B <sub>2</sub>	278.8208	0.001107	A <sub>2</sub>	278.8160	0.000012	A <sub>1</sub>	280.7405	0.002615
	B <sub>2</sub>	278.8353	0.000678	A <sub>2</sub>	278.8823	0.000032	A <sub>1</sub>	280.8604	0.002936
	B <sub>2</sub>	278.8869	0.001757	A <sub>2</sub>	280.2561	0.003739	A <sub>1</sub>	280.9908	0.001709
	B <sub>2</sub>	280.1211	0.000419	A <sub>2</sub>	280.4368	0.002036	A <sub>1</sub>	281.6067	0.000601
	B <sub>2</sub>	280.4400	0.000594	A <sub>2</sub>	280.4681	0.013979	A <sub>1</sub>	281.8610	0.001218
	A <sub>1</sub>	280.7405	0.000061	B <sub>1</sub>	280.8532	0.000003			
	B <sub>1</sub>	280.8532	0.000054	B <sub>1</sub>	280.9907	0.000002			
	A <sub>1</sub>	280.8604	0.000011						
	B <sub>1</sub>	280.9907	0.000041						
	A <sub>1</sub>	280.9908	0.000026						
	A <sub>1</sub>	281.6067	0.000106						
	A <sub>1</sub>	281.8610	0.000016						
	B <sub>1</sub>	281.8963	0.000024						

### 1.3.1 ClBz<sup>+</sup>

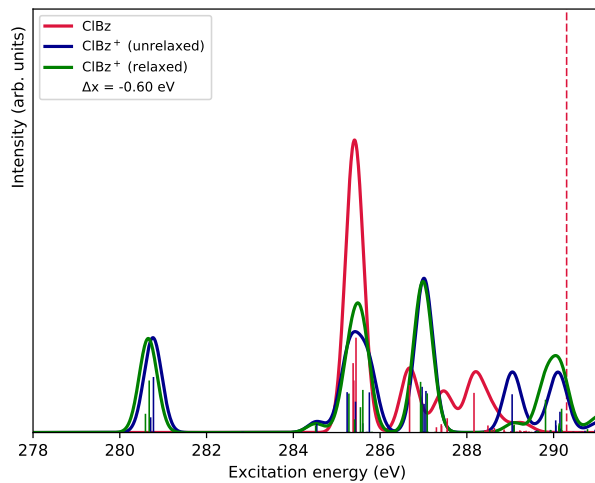


Figure 6: ClBz and ClBz<sup>+</sup>. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) ground and ionized-state core absorption spectra at the Franck-Condon geometry optimized at the RI-MP2/cc-pVTZ level of theory and at the EOM-CCSD/cc-pVTZ optimized geometry for the ionized state. A Gaussian convolution function (FWHM = 0.8 eV) was used.

Table 10: ClBz<sup>+</sup>. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) core excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV) and oscillator strengths  $f$  at the neutral unrelaxed geometry and the relaxed geometry.

	Unrelaxed			Relaxed		
	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$
EE	A <sub>2</sub>	281.31	0.00000	A <sub>2</sub>	281.19	0.00000
	B <sub>2</sub>	281.31	0.01705	B <sub>2</sub>	281.19	0.02122
	A <sub>2</sub>	281.37	0.00000	A <sub>2</sub>	281.27	0.00000
	B <sub>2</sub>	281.38	0.06466	B <sub>2</sub>	281.28	0.06050
	A <sub>2</sub>	282.06	0.00000	A <sub>2</sub>	281.92	0.00000
	A <sub>2</sub>	283.42	0.00000	A <sub>2</sub>	283.40	0.00000
	B <sub>2</sub>	285.14	0.00938	B <sub>2</sub>	285.11	0.00756
	A <sub>2</sub>	285.84	0.00000	A <sub>2</sub>	285.88	0.00000
	B <sub>2</sub>	285.84	0.04675	B <sub>2</sub>	285.88	0.04510
	A <sub>2</sub>	286.03	0.00000	B <sub>2</sub>	286.01	0.01469
	B <sub>2</sub>	286.03	0.03550	A <sub>2</sub>	286.15	0.00000
	B <sub>2</sub>	286.20	0.01002	B <sub>2</sub>	286.15	0.02902
	A <sub>2</sub>	286.29	0.00000	B <sub>2</sub>	286.20	0.04940
	B <sub>2</sub>	286.35	0.04651	A <sub>2</sub>	286.39	0.00000
	A <sub>2</sub>	287.57	0.00000	A <sub>2</sub>	287.53	0.00000
	B <sub>2</sub>	287.57	0.05305	B <sub>2</sub>	287.53	0.05890
	A <sub>2</sub>	287.61	0.00000	B <sub>2</sub>	287.56	0.03213
	B <sub>2</sub>	287.61	0.03291	A <sub>2</sub>	287.68	0.00000
	B <sub>2</sub>	287.66	0.04819	B <sub>2</sub>	287.69	0.04530
	A <sub>2</sub>	287.67	0.00000	A <sub>2</sub>	287.87	0.00000
	A <sub>1</sub>	288.38	0.00010	A <sub>1</sub>	289.18	0.00011
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.25	0.00021	A <sub>1</sub>	289.27	0.00016
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.64	0.04426	A <sub>1</sub>	289.69	0.00827
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.68	0.00749	A <sub>1</sub>	290.21	0.00036
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.18	0.00075	B <sub>1</sub>	290.21	0.00075
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.18	0.00083	A <sub>1</sub>	290.25	0.00013
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.21	0.00005	B <sub>1</sub>	290.25	0.00129
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.21	0.00162	A <sub>1</sub>	290.41	0.03774
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.53	0.00217	A <sub>1</sub>	290.53	0.00196
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.65	0.00756	A <sub>1</sub>	290.72	0.00526
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.65	0.01344	B <sub>1</sub>	290.73	0.00738
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.74	0.00300	A <sub>1</sub>	290.73	0.00982
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.75	0.00374	B <sub>1</sub>	290.78	0.02720
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.75	0.02362	A <sub>1</sub>	290.79	0.00199
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.06	0.00000	B <sub>1</sub>	291.04	0.00002
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.24	0.00000	B <sub>1</sub>	291.19	0.00000
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.32	0.00115	B <sub>1</sub>	291.38	0.00309
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.56	0.00237	B <sub>1</sub>	291.64	0.00555
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.65	0.00329	B <sub>1</sub>	291.68	0.00353
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.83	0.00574	B <sub>1</sub>	291.84	0.00716

## 1.4 BrBz

Table 11: BrBz. EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) UV-vis excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ , and ionization energy (IE, eV).

	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$
EE	B <sub>1</sub>	5.08	0.0005
	B <sub>2</sub>	5.96	0.0010
	A <sub>1</sub>	6.27	0.1420
	B <sub>2</sub>	6.32	0.0163
	A <sub>2</sub>	6.70	0.0000
	A <sub>2</sub>	6.84	0.0000
	B <sub>1</sub>	6.98	0.0096
	A <sub>1</sub>	7.00	0.0248
	B <sub>2</sub>	8.91	
	A <sub>2</sub>	9.56	
	B <sub>1</sub>	10.51	
	(B <sub>2</sub>	$\sim 11.2$ )	
	A <sub>1</sub>	12.26	

Table 12: BrBz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) K-edge excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ , and core ionization energy (IE, eV).

	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Assignment
EE	B <sub>2</sub>	287.10	0.05188	(A)
	A <sub>1</sub>	287.81	0.04541	(B)
	A <sub>1</sub>	289.61	0.00054	
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.17	0.00000	
	B <sub>2</sub>	290.32	0.00000	
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.33	0.00049	
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.58	0.00001	
	B <sub>1</sub>	290.84	0.00008	
	A <sub>1</sub>	290.84	0.00029	
	B <sub>2</sub>	290.97	0.00003	
	A <sub>1</sub>	291.17	0.00024	
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.35	0.00013	
	A <sub>1</sub>	291.37	0.00018	
	B <sub>2</sub>	291.43	0.00022	
	A <sub>1</sub>	291.51	0.00004	
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.51	0.00016	
	B <sub>2</sub>	291.59	0.00030	
	A <sub>1</sub>	291.78	0.00000	
	B <sub>1</sub>	291.80	0.00001	
	A <sub>1</sub>	291.90	0.00001	
	A <sub>1</sub>	292.03	0.00074	
	B <sub>1</sub>	292.04	0.00003	
	B <sub>1</sub>	292.09	0.00001	
	B <sub>2</sub>	292.13	0.00017	
	A <sub>1</sub>	292.24	0.00024	
	B <sub>1</sub>	292.65	0.00103	
	A <sub>1</sub>	292.73	0.00074	
	B <sub>2</sub>	292.78	0.00081	
IP	A <sub>1</sub>	292.58		

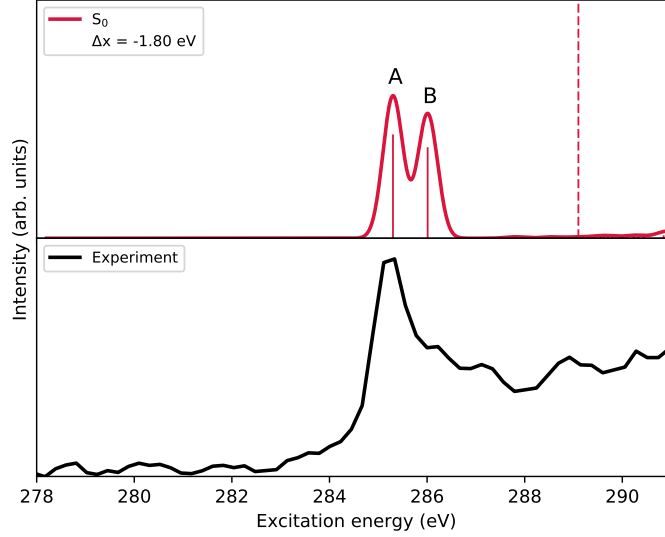


Figure 7: BrBz. fc-CVS-EOM-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) K-edge X-ray absorption spectra obtained by convolution of the spectral data in Table 7 with a Gaussian function (FWHM = 0.8 eV). Dashed vertical lines correspond to the IEs. The energy shifts required to align the NEXAFS profiles with the experimental one is - 0.6 eV. The computed IE has been shifted by the same amount as used to align the NEXAFS profiles.

Table 13: BrBz. fc-CVS-EOM-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) NTOs of the relevant core excited states. NTO isosurface is 0.05.

Excitation	Hole	$\sigma_K^2$	Particle
(A)		0.79	
(B)		0.81	

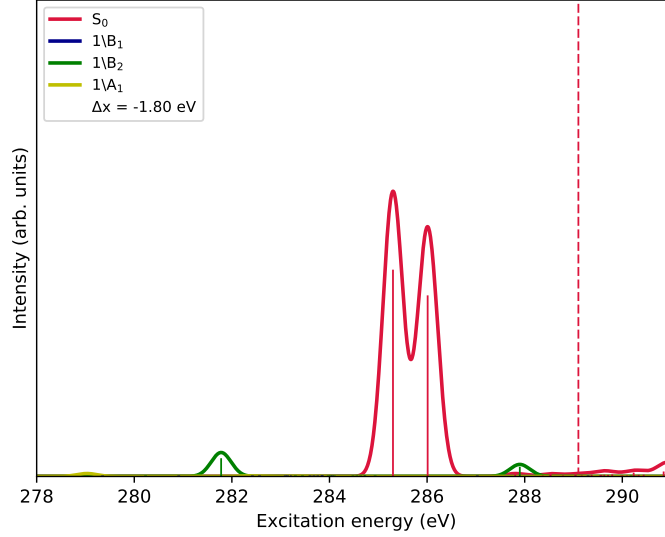


Figure 8: BrBz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) ground and excited-state core absorption spectra at the Franck-Condon geometry optimized at the RI-MP2/cc-pVTZ level of theory. A Gaussian convolution function (FWHM = 0.8 eV) was used.

Table 14: BrBz. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) TR-NEXAFS. Excitation energies (EE)  $\omega_i$  (eV), oscillator strengths  $f$ .

	A <sub>1</sub>			B <sub>2</sub>		
	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$	Symm.	$\omega_i$	$f$
EE	B <sub>2</sub>	280.8307	0.000537	A <sub>2</sub>	283.5799	0.004367
	B <sub>2</sub>	284.0461	0.000099	A <sub>2</sub>	286.5233	0.000003
	B <sub>1</sub>	284.5742	0.000001	A <sub>2</sub>	289.6995	0.002197
	B <sub>2</sub>	284.6992	0.000022			
	B <sub>1</sub>	285.0810	0.000001			
	B <sub>1</sub>	285.2401	0.000003			
	B <sub>2</sub>	285.3245	0.000053			

### 1.4.1 BrBz<sup>+</sup>

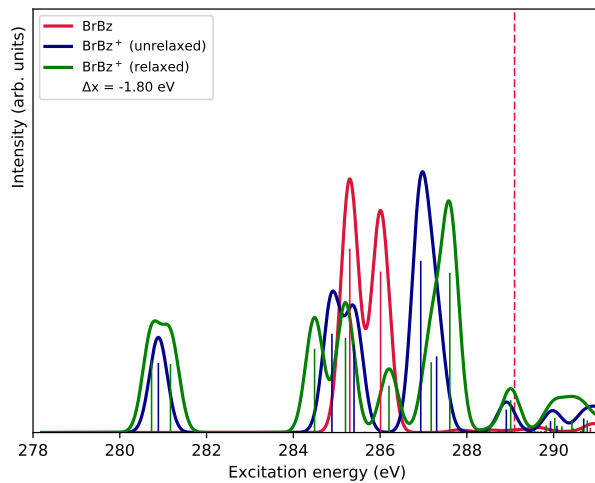


Figure 9: BrBz and BrBz<sup>+</sup>. fc-CVS-EOMEE-CCSD/6-311(2+,+)G\*\* (uncontracted on C) ground and ionized-state core absorption spectra at the Franck-Condon geometry optimized at the RI-MP2/cc-pVTZ level of theory and at the EOM-CCSD/cc-pVTZ optimized geometry for the ionized state. A Gaussian convolution function (FWHM = 0.8 eV) was used.