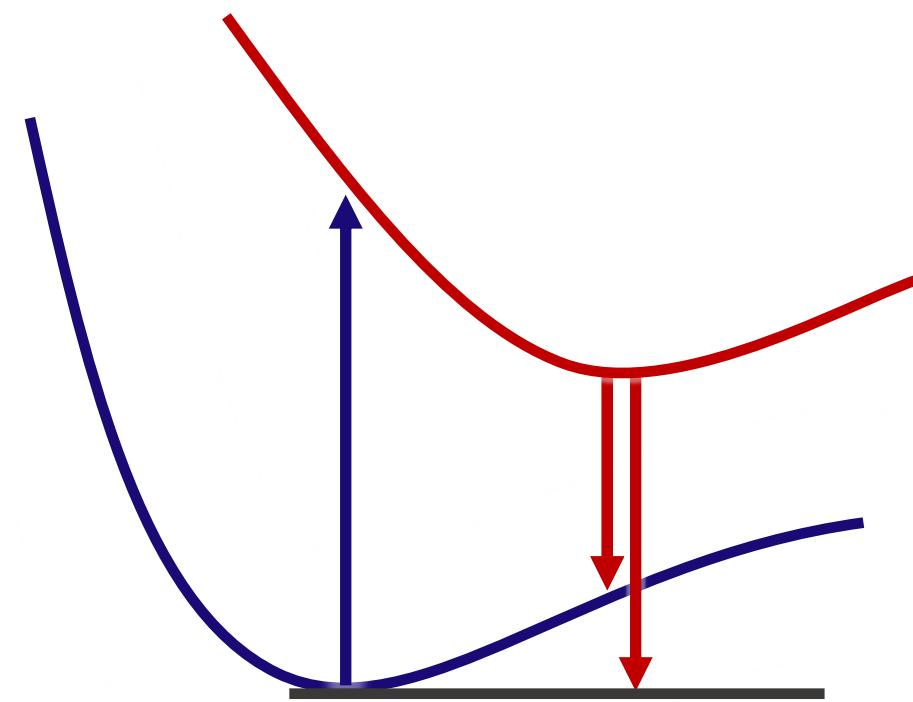


Time-dependent density functional theory

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Forschungsseminar Vielteilchentheorie

Computational Physics: löse die exakten Grundgleichungen via HPC („so exakt wie möglich“, kontrollierte Näherungen)

Vielteilchenphysik: wechselwirkende Teilchen, $N > 2$ bzw. $N \gg 2$ (makroskopisch)
(die 1- und 2-Teilchenprobleme sind trivial)

Klass. Mechanik

- Newtonsche Gleichung
 - Paarpotential? Qm input
 - makroskop. System: period. RB, Thermostat (endliche T)
 - 👉 - **Aufwand $\sim N^2$**
 - hierarchische Verfahren für $N \gg 1$

Quantenmechanik

- Schrödinger-Gleichung
 - **Aufwand exponentiell mit Basisgröße**
 - Selektion relevanter („aktiver“) Zustände
 - Propagation reduzierter Observablen (DFT, Quantenkinetik, NEGF, RDM)

Thermodynamik

- Klassische Zustandssumme:
 - Monte Carlo, effizient
- Quanten-Zustandssumme:
 - Pfadintegral Monte Carlo
 - für Bosonen: effizient
 - **Fermionen: Aufwand exponentiell mit N und $1/T$**

→ jeweils exakte Resultate möglich, exzellente Übereinstimmung mit Experiment
→ key: Umgehen der exponentiellen Skalierungen ohne Genauigkeitsverlust

Motivation: TDDFT in Chemistry

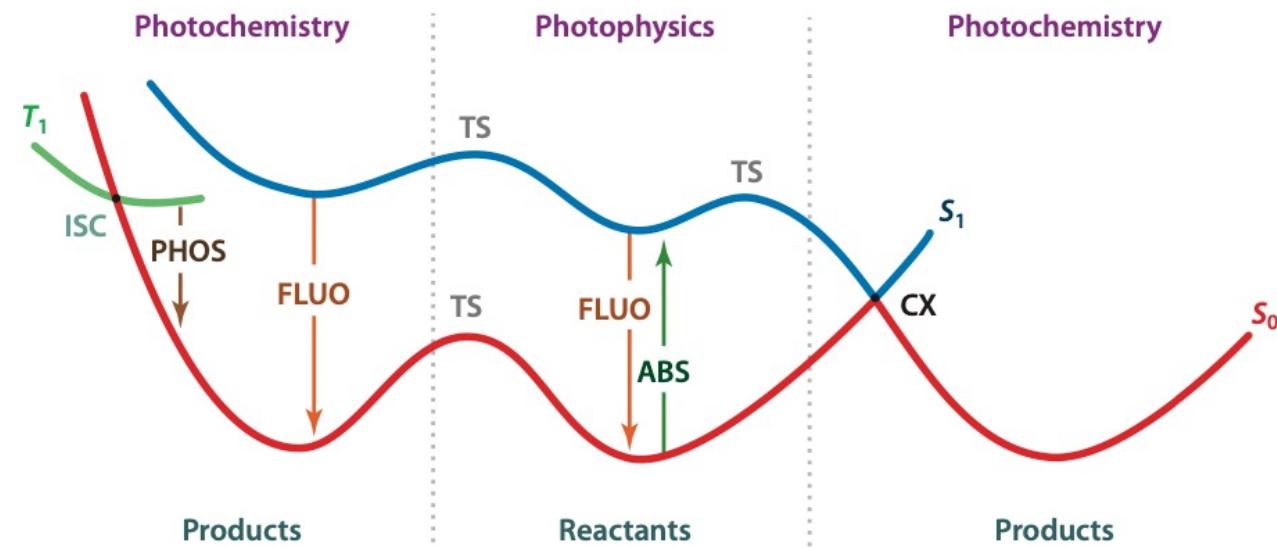


Fig: Potential energy surfaces for photophysical and photochemical processes.

Casida, Huix-Rotllant, *Annu. Rev. Phys. Chem.* 63, 287 (2012).

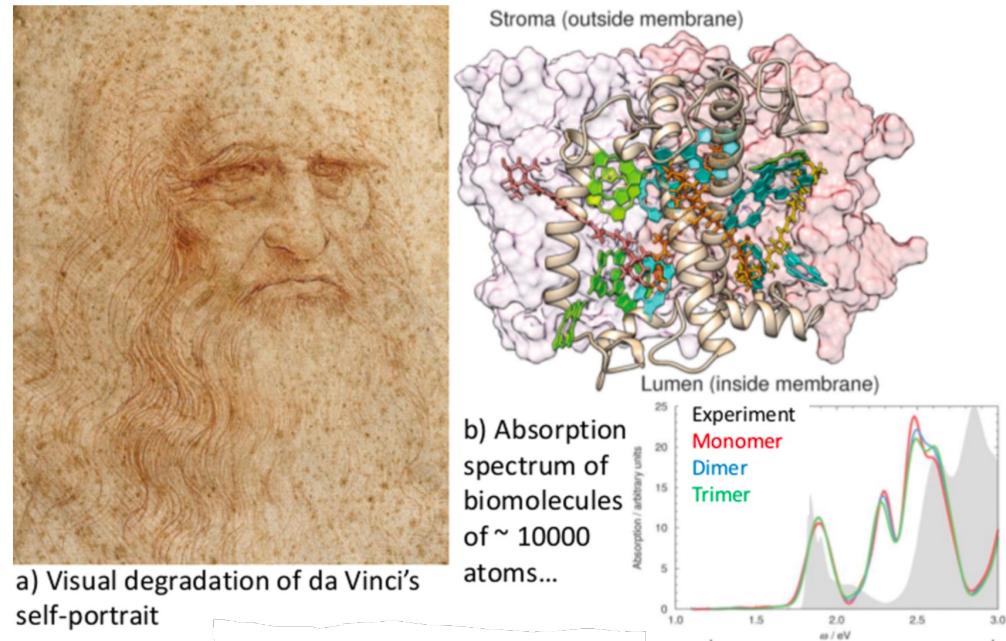


Fig: Range of TDDFT applications for excitations & response.
Maitra, *J. Chem. Phys.* 144, 220901 (2016).

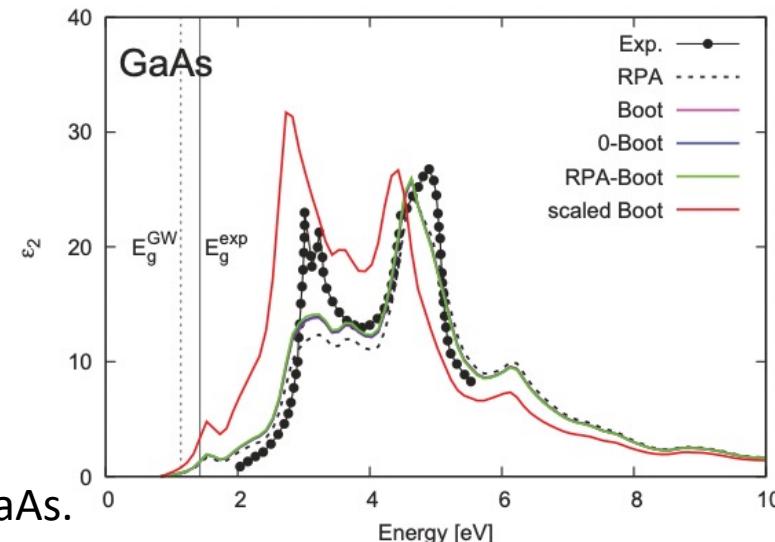


Fig: Optical absorption spectrum of GaAs.

Motivation: TDDFT and machine learning

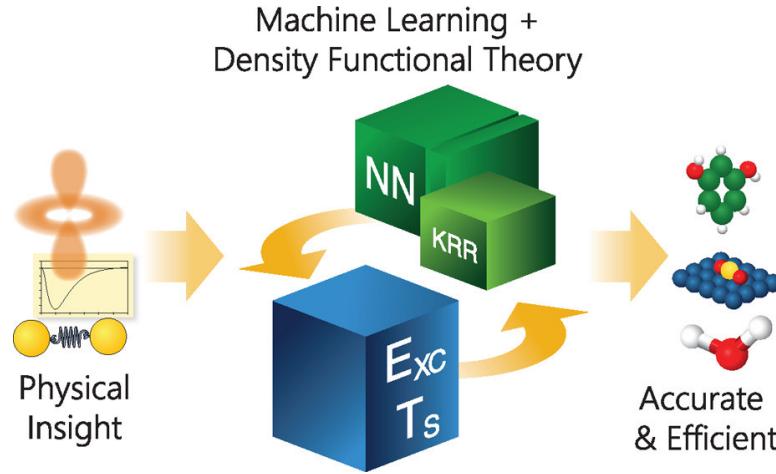


Fig:

Fig: ML improving DFT.

Burke, *Acc. Chem. Res.* 54, 4 (2021).

Fig: Pioneering developments in the field of ML and excited-state research.

Dral, Barbatti, *Nat. Rev. Chem.* 5, 388 (2021).

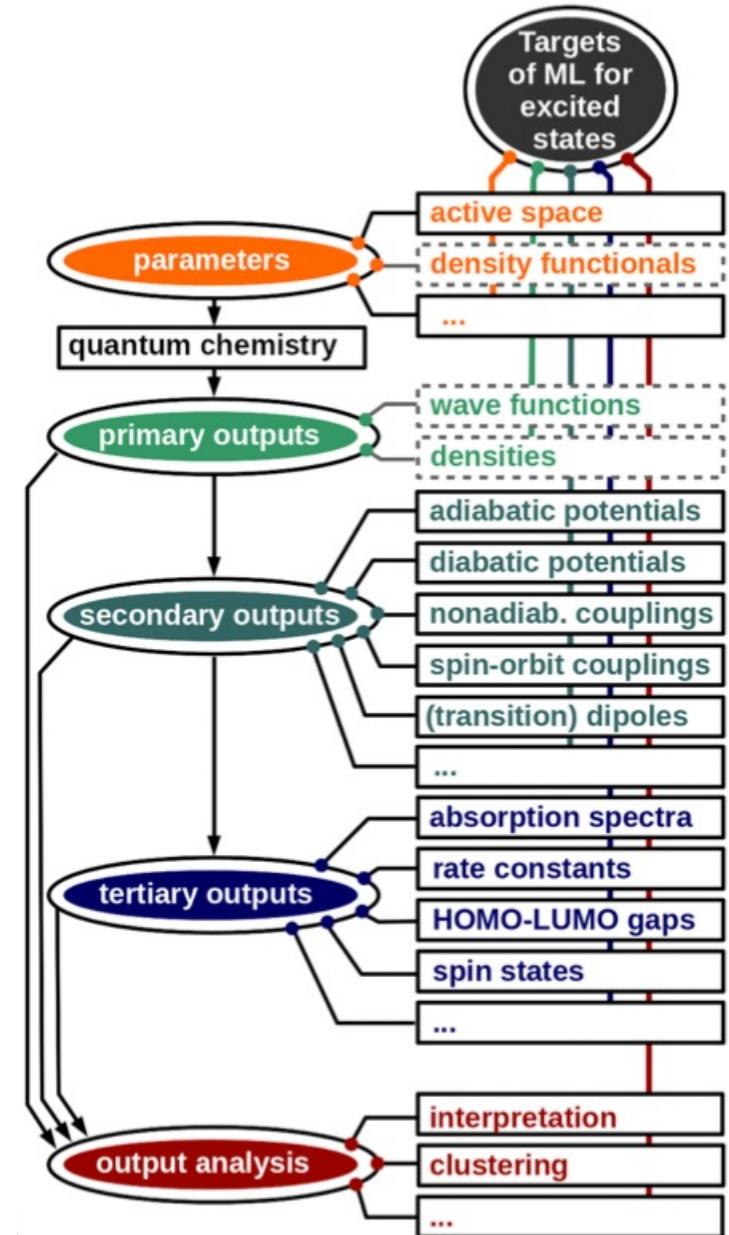
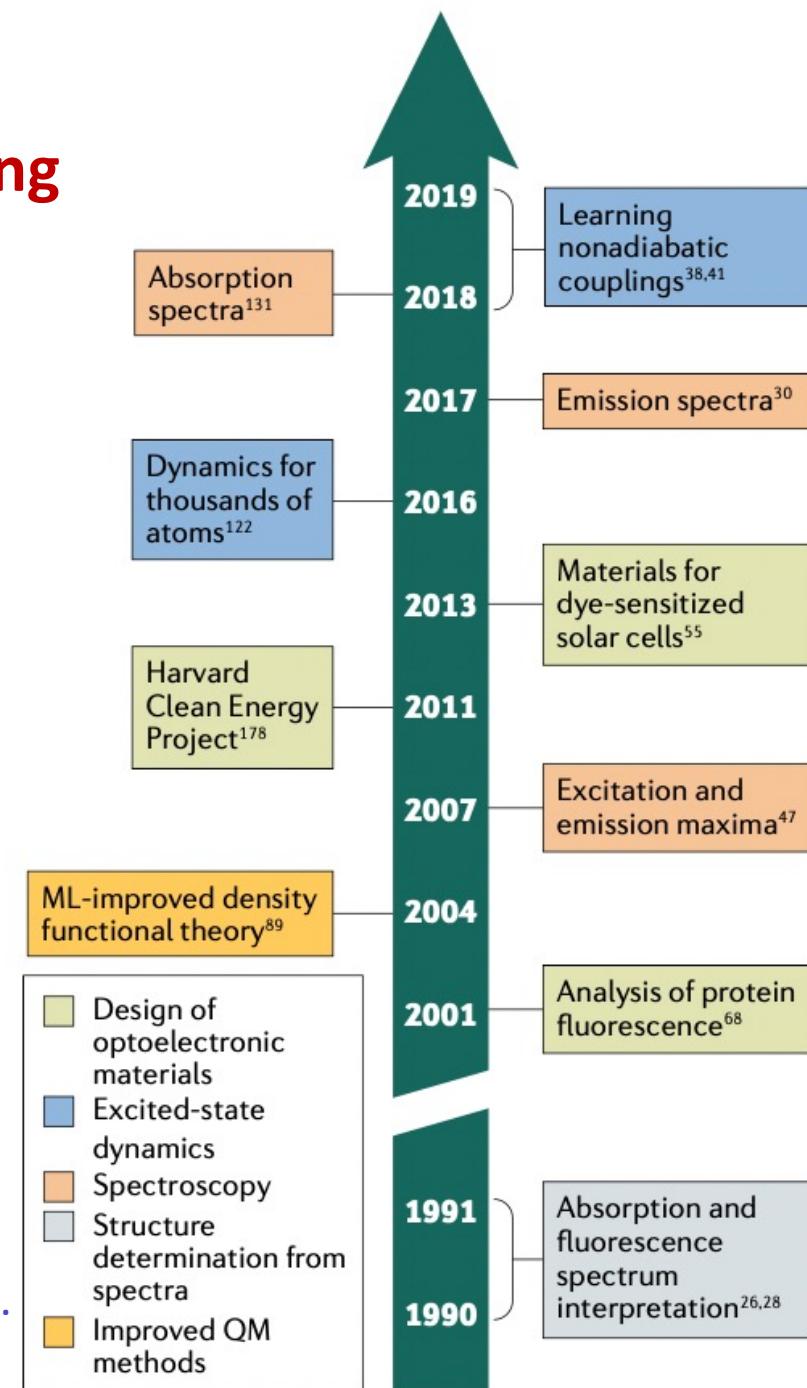


Fig: Targets of ML for excited states.

Marquetand, *Chem. Rev.* 121, 9873 (2020).

The beginnings of TDDFT

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- 1930s: Felix Bloch developed first time-dependent extension of Thomas-Fermi theory
Bloch, *Z. Phys.* 81, 363 (1933).
 - 1970s: First TD-Kohn-Sham computations
Ando, *Solid State Commun.* 21, 133 (1977); Peukert, *J. Phys. C: Solid State Phys.* 11, 4945 (1978).
 - 1980s: Proofs of one-to-one density-potential mappings for time-periodic potentials
Deb, Gosh, *J. Chem. Phys.* 77, 342 (1982); Bartolotti, *Phys. Rev. A* 24, 1661 (1981);
Bartolotti, *Phys. Rev. A* 26, 2243 (1982);
 - 1984: **Runge-Gross theorem**
Runge, Gross, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* 52, 997 (1984).
 - 1995: **Linear-response framework**
Casida, *Recent Advances in Density Functional Methods*, Part I, ed. Chong, pp. 155-92, Singapore (1995).
Petersilka, Grossmann, Gross, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* 76, 1212 (1996).
 - 1999: **TDDFT excited-state properties**
Van Caillie, Amos, *Chem. Phys. Lett.* 308, 249 (1999); *Chem. Phys. Lett.* 317, 159 (2000).
Furche, Ahlrichs, *J. Chem. Phys.* 117, 7433 (2002).

Fundamentals of TDDFT: the Runge-Gross theorem (1984)

Runge-Gross theorem proves 1-to-1 density-potential mapping:

$$\rho(\mathbf{r}, t) \leftrightarrow v(\mathbf{r}, t) + c(t) \leftrightarrow \Psi(\mathbf{r}, t) e^{-i \int c(t) dt}$$

The potential is uniquely defined by the density.

Every observable is defined as a functional of $\rho(\mathbf{r}, t)$.

$$O[\rho](t) = \langle \Psi(t) | \hat{O}(t) | \Psi(t) \rangle$$

but complete time evolution is required,
 $O[\rho](t)$ depends on the initial wave function.

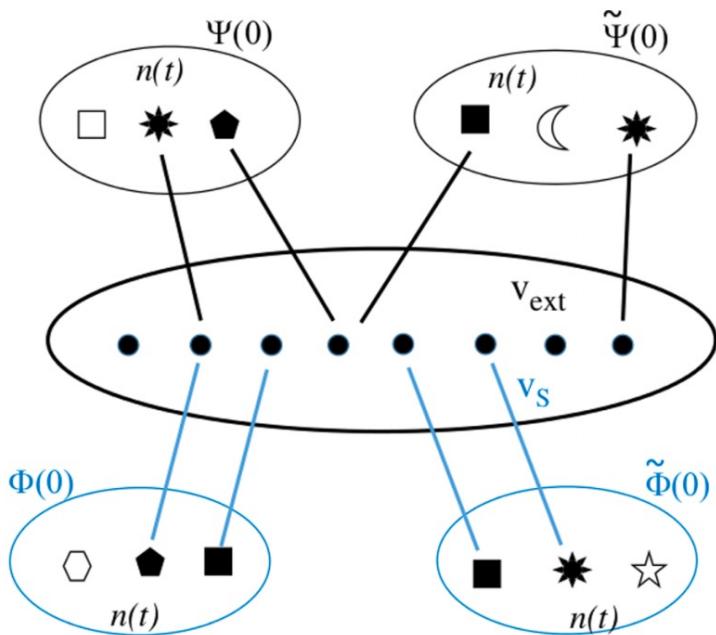


Fig: One-to-one density-potential map.

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Fundamentals of TDDFT: the action principle

Energy is not a conserved quantity!

$$A[\Psi] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} dt \langle \Psi(t) | \left[i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \hat{H}(t) \right] | \Psi(t) \rangle$$

$$\frac{\partial A[\Psi]}{\partial \langle \Psi(t) |} = 0 \text{ yields } i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} | \Psi(\mathbf{r}, t) \rangle = \hat{H}(\mathbf{r}, t) | \Psi(\mathbf{r}, t) \rangle$$

Equivalent formulation with density functional:

$$A[\Psi[\rho, \Psi_0]] = \int_{t_0}^{t_1} dt \langle \Psi[\rho, \Psi_0](t) | \left[i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} - \hat{H}(t) \right] | \Psi[\rho, \Psi_0](t) \rangle + \phi(t_1) - \phi(t_0) = A[\rho] + \text{const}$$

Exact density via Euler equation:

$$\frac{\delta A[\rho]}{\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}, t)} = 0$$

Fundamentals of TDDFT: Time-dependent Kohn-Sham DFT

Introducing orbitals:

$$\rho(\mathbf{r}, t) = \sum_{j=1}^N |\phi_j(\mathbf{r}, t)|^2$$

Exact density via reference system of non-interacting orbitals:

$$i \frac{\partial \phi_j(\mathbf{r}, t)}{\partial t} = \left[-\frac{\nabla^2}{2} + v_s[\rho](\mathbf{r}, t) \right] \phi_j(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

with the potential

$$v_s(\mathbf{r}, t) = v_{\text{ext}}(\mathbf{r}, t) + v_{\text{H}}(\mathbf{r}, t) + v_{\text{XC}}(\mathbf{r}, t)$$

$$v_{\text{H}}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \int d^3\mathbf{r}' \frac{\rho(\mathbf{r}', t)}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|} ; \quad v_{\text{XC}}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{\delta A_{\text{XC}}[\rho]}{\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}, t)}$$

Linear Response

Introducing perturbation $\lambda \hat{W}$

$$\hat{H}(t) = \hat{H}_0 + \lambda \hat{W}(t)$$

Time-dependent wave function via time evolution operator \hat{U}_λ

$$\begin{aligned} |\Psi_\lambda(t)\rangle &= \hat{U}_\lambda(t, t_0)|\Psi_0\rangle \\ &= (1 - i \int_{t_0}^t dt' \hat{W}(t') + \dots)|\Psi_0\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Expectation value of operator $\hat{O}(t)$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \hat{O}(t) \rangle_\lambda &= \langle \Psi_\lambda(t) | \hat{O}(t) | \Psi_\lambda(t) \rangle \\ &= \langle \Psi_0 | \hat{U}_\lambda^\dagger \hat{O}(t) \hat{U}_\lambda | \Psi_0 \rangle \\ &= \langle \Psi_0 | \hat{O}(t) | \Psi_0 \rangle + i \langle \Psi_0 | \int_{t_0}^t dt' [\hat{W}(t'), \hat{O}(t)] | \Psi_0 \rangle + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Linear Response

$$\begin{aligned} O^{(1)}(t) &= \delta \langle \Psi_\lambda(t) | \hat{O}(t) | \Psi_\lambda(t) \rangle = \left. \frac{d}{d\lambda} \langle \Psi_\lambda(t) | \hat{O}(t) | \Psi_\lambda(t) \rangle \right|_{\lambda=0} \\ &= i \int_{t_0}^t dt' \langle \Psi_0 | [\hat{W}(t'), \hat{O}(t)] | \Psi_0 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

with one-particle operators

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda \hat{W}(t) &= \int d^3r \hat{\rho}(\mathbf{r}, t) w(\mathbf{r}, t) \\ \hat{O}(t) &= \int d^3r \hat{\rho}(\mathbf{r}, t) o(\mathbf{r}, t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho^{(1)}(\mathbf{r}, t) &= i \int_{t_0}^t dt' \int d^3r' w(\mathbf{r}, t') \langle \Psi_0 | [\hat{\rho}(\mathbf{r}', t'), \hat{\rho}(\mathbf{r}, t)] | \Psi_0 \rangle \\ &= \int dt' \int d^3r' \chi(t - t', \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') w(\mathbf{r}', t') \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\rho^{(1)}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \int d^3r' \chi(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}', \omega) w(\mathbf{r}', \omega)}$$

Poles correspond to excitation energies.

The linear response function

$$\rho^{(1)}(\mathbf{r}, \omega) = \int d^3\mathbf{r}' \chi(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}', \omega) w(\mathbf{r}', \omega)$$

Back to KS ansatz:

$$\underbrace{\frac{\delta v_{\text{KS}}[\rho](\mathbf{r}, \omega)}{\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}')}}_{\chi_{\text{KS}}^{-1}} = \underbrace{\frac{\delta v_{\text{ext}}[\rho](\mathbf{r}, \omega)}{\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}')}}_{\chi^{-1}} + \underbrace{\frac{\delta v_{\text{H}}[\rho](\mathbf{r}, \omega)}{\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}')}}_{\frac{1}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|}} + \underbrace{\frac{\delta v_{\text{XC}}[\rho](\mathbf{r}, \omega)}{\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}')}}_{f_{\text{XC}}[\rho](\omega, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}')}$$

Dyson-like equation for χ

$$\chi(\omega, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = \chi_{\text{KS}}(\omega, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') + \int d\mathbf{r}_1 d\mathbf{r}_2 \chi_{\text{KS}}(\omega, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}_1) \left(\frac{1}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|} + f_{\text{XC}}(\omega, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) \right) \chi(\omega, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}')$$

Lehmann representation

$$\chi_{\text{KS}}(\omega, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = \sum_{ia} \left[\frac{\phi_i^*(\mathbf{r}) \phi_a(\mathbf{r}') \phi_i(\mathbf{r}) \phi_a^*(\mathbf{r}')}{\omega - (\varepsilon_a - \varepsilon_i) + i\eta} - \frac{\phi_i(\mathbf{r}) \phi_a^*(\mathbf{r}') \phi_i^*(\mathbf{r}) \phi_a(\mathbf{r}')}{\omega + (\varepsilon_a - \varepsilon_i) + i\eta} \right]$$

Let's do the same for the density matrix!

Reduced one-particle density matrix

$$\gamma(t, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = \sum_{i=1}^N \phi_i(t, \mathbf{r}) \phi_i^*(t, \mathbf{r}')$$
$$\rho(t, \mathbf{r}) = \gamma(t, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r})$$

Idempotency condition

$$\gamma(t, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = \int d\mathbf{r}_1 \gamma(t, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}_1) \gamma(t, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}')$$

von-Neumann equation

$$i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \phi_i(t) = \hat{H}_{\text{KS}}[\rho](t) \phi_i(t) \rightarrow i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \gamma(t) = \left[\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}[\rho](t), \gamma(t) \right]$$

Same as before: Reordering in orders of λ to obtain the first-order response:

$$\gamma^{(n)}(t) = \left. \frac{1}{n!} \frac{\delta}{\delta \lambda} \gamma_\lambda(t) \right|_{\lambda=0}$$

Let's do the same for the density matrix!

0th order: static KS equations $[\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}^{(0)}, \gamma^{(0)}] = 0$; $\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}^{(0)} \phi_i(\mathbf{r}) = \varepsilon_i \phi_i(\mathbf{r})$

1st order: Linear response $i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \gamma^{(1)} = [\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}^{(0)}, \gamma^{(1)}] + [\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}^{(1)}, \gamma^{(0)}]$

Let's do the same for the density matrix!

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1st order: Linear response $i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \gamma^{(1)} = [\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}^{(0)}, \gamma^{(1)}] + [\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}^{(1)}, \gamma^{(0)}]$

Inserting

$$\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}(t) = \frac{1}{2} \Delta + v_{\text{nuc}}(\mathbf{r}) + v_{\text{H}}[\rho_{\lambda}](t, \mathbf{r}) + v_{\text{XC}}[\rho_{\lambda}](t, \mathbf{r}) + \lambda w(t, \mathbf{r})$$

$$\hat{H}_{\text{KS}}^{(1)}(t) = v_{\text{H}}[\rho^{(1)}](t, \mathbf{r}) + u_{\text{XC}}[\rho, \rho^{(1)}](t, \mathbf{r}) + w(t, \mathbf{r})$$

$$u_{\text{XC}}[\rho, \rho^{(1)}](t, \mathbf{r}) = \int dt' \int d^3\mathbf{r}' \rho^{(1)}(t', \mathbf{r}') f_{\text{XC}}[\rho](t - t', \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}')$$

$$\omega \gamma^{(1)} = [\hat{H}[\rho], \gamma^{(1)}] + [v_{\text{H}}[\rho^{(1)}] + u_{\text{XC}}[\rho, \rho^{(1)}](\omega) + w, \gamma^{(0)}]$$

The TDDFT eigenvalue problem: Casida equations I

Formulating the response in terms of static KS orbitals

$$\gamma^{(1)}(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = \sum_{ia} (X_{ia} \phi_a(\mathbf{r}) \phi_i(\mathbf{r}') + Y_{ia} \phi_i(\mathbf{r}) \phi_a(\mathbf{r}'))$$
$$\gamma^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = |X, Y\rangle$$

with corresponding normalization condition

$$\begin{pmatrix} X & Y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \langle X, Y | \Delta | X, Y \rangle = 1$$

gives TDKS response equation

$$\left[\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ B & A \end{pmatrix} - \omega \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \right] \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = - \begin{pmatrix} P \\ Q \end{pmatrix} \quad \rightarrow \quad (\Lambda - \omega \Delta) |X, Y\rangle = -|P, Q\rangle$$

The TDDFT eigenvalue problem: Casida equations II

Poles and residuals of $(\Lambda - \omega\Delta)^{-1}$:

Casida equations

$$(\Lambda(\Omega_n) - \Omega_n\Delta) |X_n, Y_n\rangle = 0$$

$$\langle X_n, Y_n | \Delta | X_n, Y_n \rangle = 1$$

$$\Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ B & A \end{pmatrix} ; \quad \Delta = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A - B)_{iajb} = (\varepsilon_a - \varepsilon_i)\delta_{ij}\delta_{ab}$$

$$(A + B)_{iajb} = (A - B)_{iajb} + 2C_{iajb}$$

$$C_{iajb} = \int d\mathbf{r} d\mathbf{r}' \phi_i(\mathbf{r})\phi_j(\mathbf{r}') \left(\frac{1}{|\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}'|} + f_{\text{xc}}(\omega, \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \right) \phi_a(\mathbf{r})\phi_b(\mathbf{r}')$$

Comparison to linear response function

$$\gamma^{(1)}(t, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}'_1) = \int dt' \int d\mathbf{r}_2 d\mathbf{r}'_2 \Xi(t - t', \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}'_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}'_2) w(t', \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}'_2)$$

$$\Xi(\omega, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}'_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}'_2) = -\langle (\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}'_1) | (\Lambda(\omega) - \omega\Delta)^{-1} | (\mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}'_2) \rangle$$

$$\chi(\omega, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) = \Xi(\omega, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}_2)$$

$$\Lambda = \Lambda_{\text{KS}} + (\Lambda - \Lambda_{\text{KS}})$$

$$(\Lambda(\omega) - \omega\Delta)^{-1} = (\Lambda_{\text{KS}} - \omega\Delta)^{-1} - (\Lambda_{\text{KS}} - \omega\Delta)^{-1}(\Lambda(\omega) - \Lambda_{\text{KS}})(\Lambda(\omega) - \omega\Delta)^{-1}$$

$$\chi(\omega, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}'_1) = \chi_{\text{KS}}(\omega, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}'_1)$$

$$+ \int d\mathbf{r}_2 d\mathbf{r}'_2 \chi_{\text{KS}}(\omega, \mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2) \left(\frac{1}{|\mathbf{r}_2 - \mathbf{r}'_2|} + f_{\text{XC}}(\omega, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}'_2) \right) \chi(\omega, \mathbf{r}'_2, \mathbf{r}'_1)$$

TDDFT in practice: Adiabatic local density approximation (ALDA)

A_{XC} is unknown

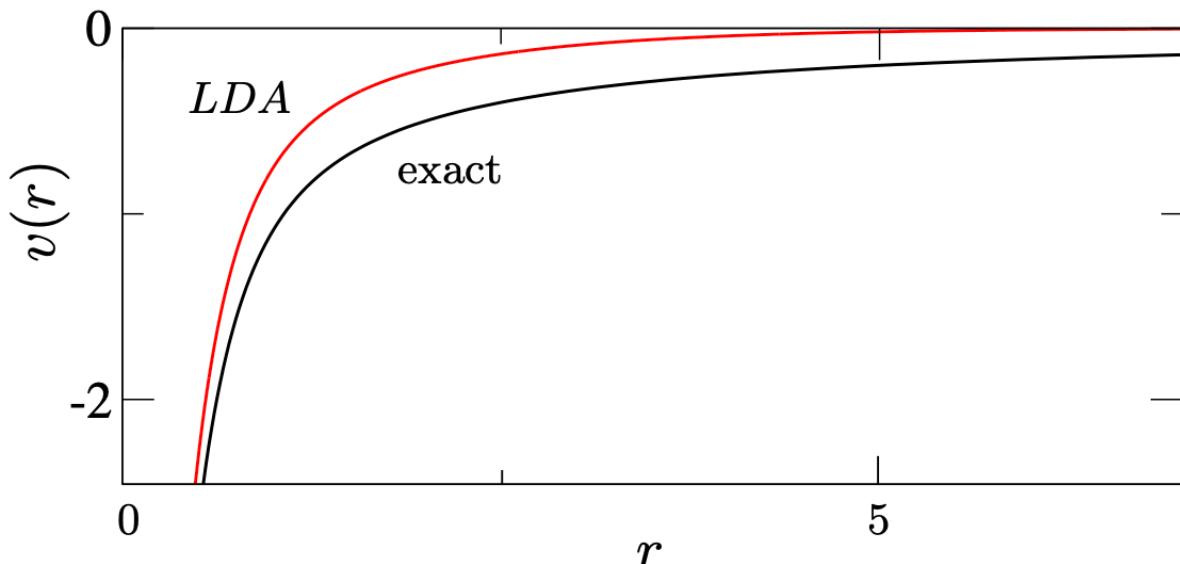
$$v_{\text{XC}}[\rho](\mathbf{r}, t) = \frac{\delta A_{\text{XC}}[\rho](\mathbf{r}, t)}{\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}, t)} \longrightarrow v_{\text{XC}}[\rho(t)](\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\delta E_{\text{XC}}[\rho(t)](\mathbf{r})}{\delta \rho(\mathbf{r}, t)}$$

$$f_{\text{XC}}[\rho](t - t', \mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') \longrightarrow f_{\text{XC}}[\rho(t)](\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = \frac{\delta E_{\text{XC}}[\rho(t)](\mathbf{r})}{\delta \rho(t, \mathbf{r}) \delta \rho(t, \mathbf{r}')}}$$

- only depends on the electron density at time t , no “memory” dependence
- same XC functionals as for GS-DFT

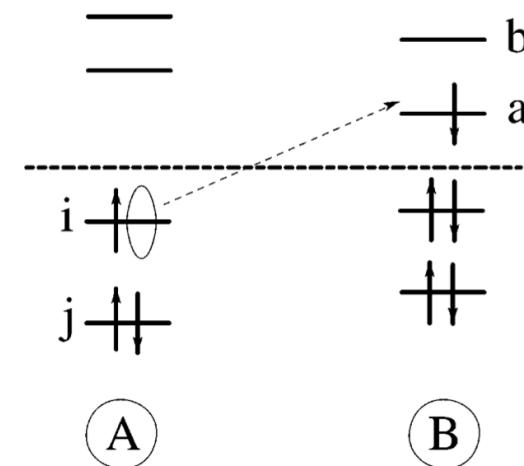
Short-comings of TDDFT within the ALDA approximation

→ Wrong asymptotics due to self-interaction error
(excitation energies systematically too small)
Elliott, Furche, Burke, *Rev. Comp. Chem.* 26, 91 (2009).



→ Charge-transfer states

Dreuw, Head-Gordon, *Chem. Rev.* 105, 4009 (2005);
Tozer, *J. Chem. Phys.* 119, 12697 (2003).



$$\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} E_{\text{CT}}(r) = -\frac{1}{r} + \text{IE} - \text{EA}$$

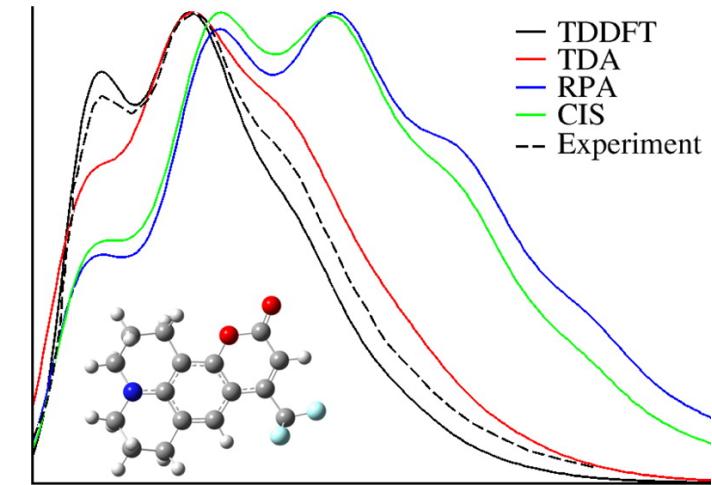
→ Doubly excited states Maitra *et al.*, *J. Chem. Phys.* 120, 5932 (2004).

→ Multireference ground-states Furche, *J. Chem. Phys.* 114, 5982 (2001).

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Tamm-Danoff Approximation (TDA)
adequate model for absorption and fluorescence spectra

Jacquemin et al., *J. Chem. Theory Comput.* 9, 4517, (2013).



AO-based formalism

$$\mathbf{AX} = \Omega \mathbf{SX}$$

$$\sum_{\kappa k} [F_{\mu\kappa\sigma}\delta_{ik} - F_{ik\sigma}S_{\mu\kappa}] X_{\kappa k\sigma} + \sum_{\kappa\lambda} Q_{\mu\kappa\sigma}^\dagger K_{\kappa\lambda\sigma}[\mathbf{D}^x] C_{\lambda i\sigma} = \sum_{\kappa} \Omega S_{\mu\kappa} X_{\kappa i\sigma}$$

$$K_{\mu\nu\sigma}[\mathbf{D}^x] = \sum_{\kappa\lambda\sigma'} D_{\kappa\lambda\sigma'}^x [(\mu\nu|\kappa\lambda) - a_{\text{EX}}\delta_{\sigma\sigma'}(\mu\kappa|\nu\lambda) + f_{\mu\nu\sigma,\kappa\lambda\sigma'}^{\text{XC}}]$$

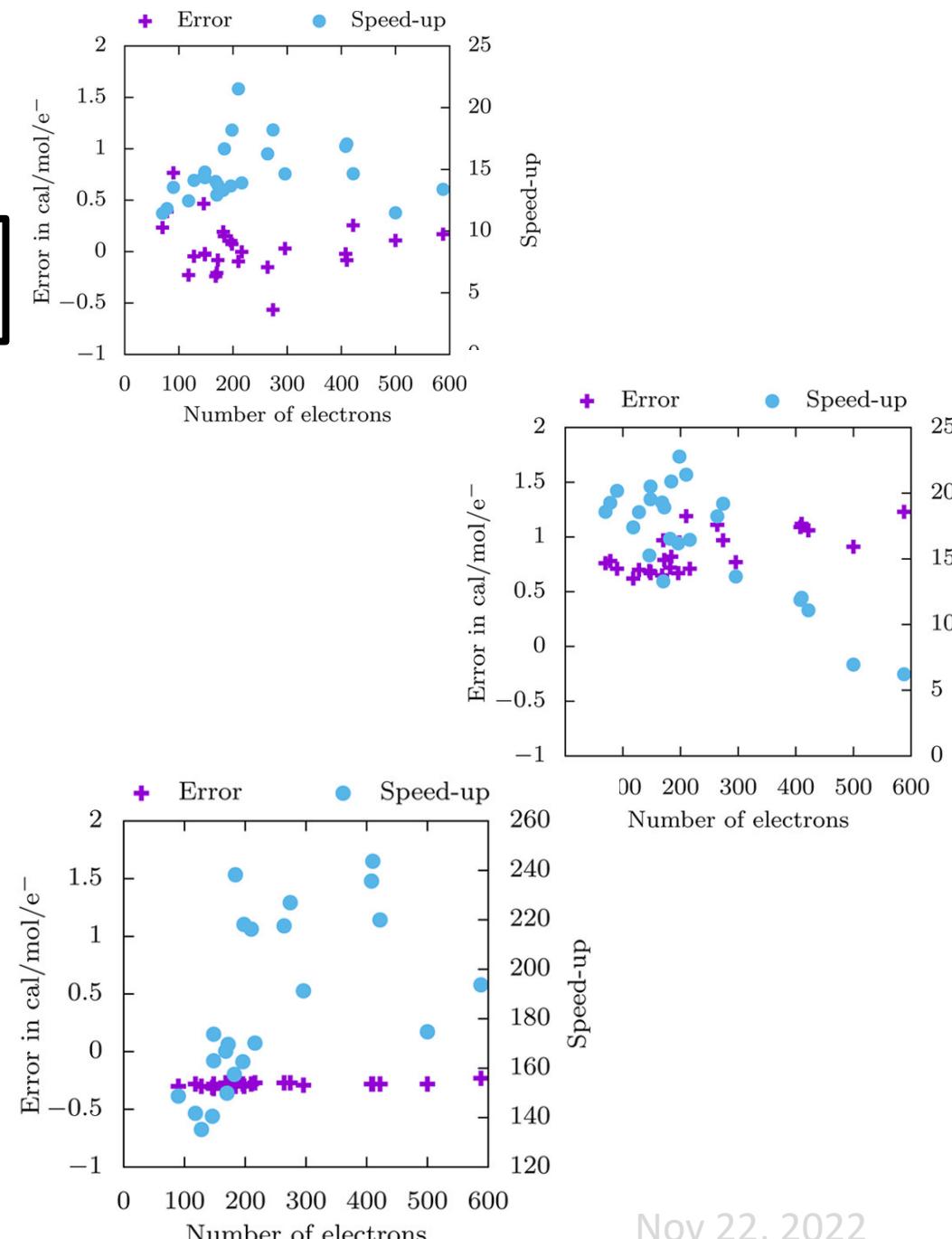
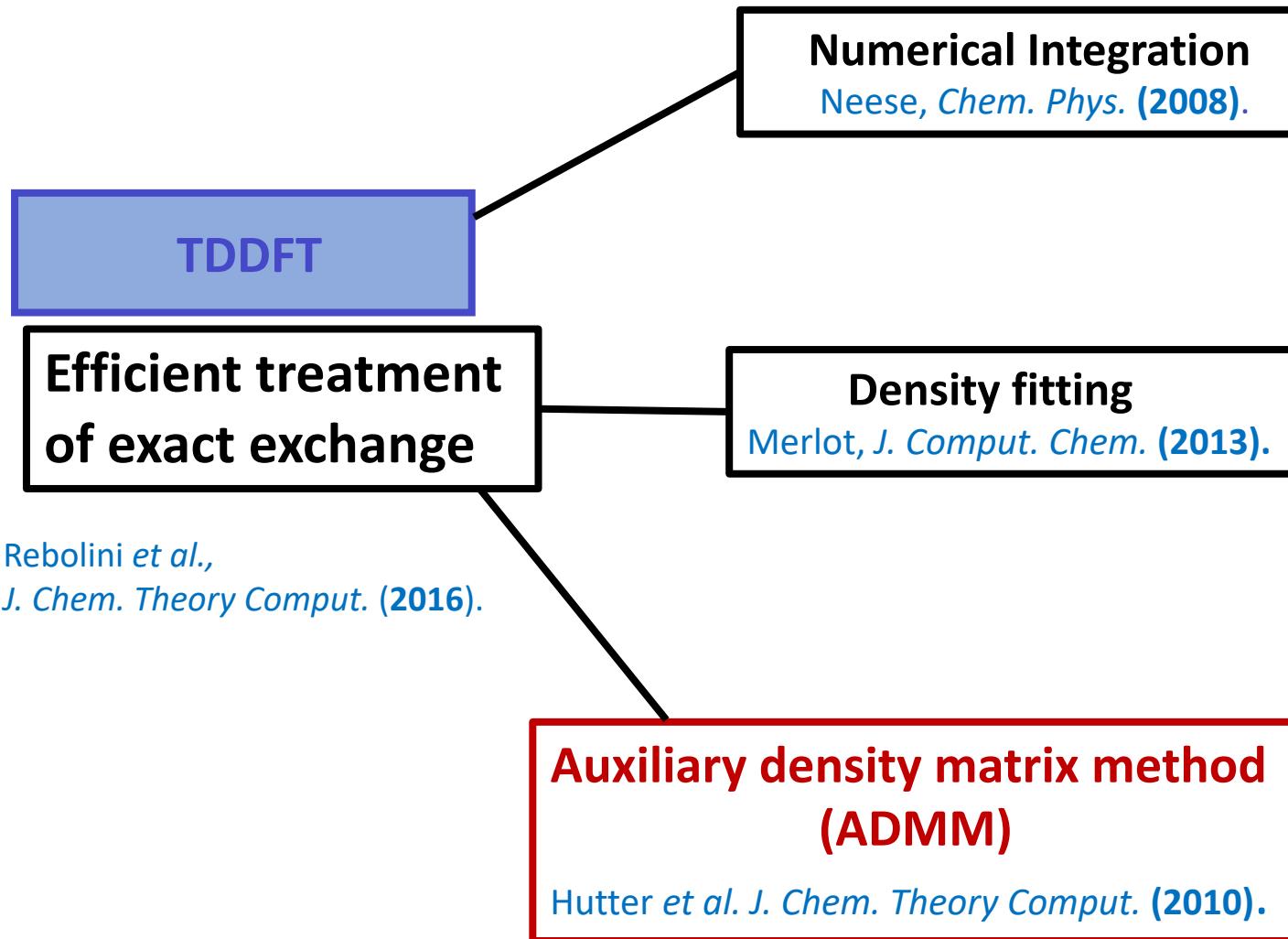
Projection to ensure $X_{ij\sigma} = 0$

Coulomb

Exchange

XC functional

TDDFT for periodic systems: Fast, but accurate hybrid functional approaches



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State-of-the-art algorithms to reduce the computational cost of exchange:

- Numerical integration (COSX) Neese, *Chem. Phys.* 356, 98 (2008).
- Density fitting (PARI-K) Merlot, *J. Comput. Chem.* 34, 1486 (2013).
- **Auxiliary density matrix method (ADMM)** Guidon *et al.* *J. Chem. Theory Comput.* 6, 2348 (2010).

$$D_{\kappa\lambda\sigma}^x(\mu\kappa|\nu\lambda) \approx \sum_{\hat{\kappa}\hat{\lambda}} \sum_{\hat{\mu}\hat{\nu}} \hat{D}_{\hat{\kappa}\hat{\lambda}\sigma}^x \hat{U}_{\hat{\mu}\mu\sigma}^T (\hat{\mu}\hat{\kappa}|\hat{\nu}\hat{\lambda}) \hat{U}_{\hat{\nu}\nu\sigma} \quad \text{exact exchange with small auxiliary density}$$
$$+ \left[\sum_{\kappa\lambda} D_{\kappa\lambda\sigma}^x f_{\mu\kappa\sigma, \nu\lambda\sigma}^{\text{EX}} - \sum_{\hat{\kappa}\hat{\lambda}} \sum_{\hat{\mu}\hat{\nu}} \hat{D}_{\hat{\kappa}\hat{\lambda}\sigma}^x \hat{U}_{\hat{\mu}\mu\sigma}^T f_{\hat{\mu}\hat{\kappa}\sigma, \hat{\nu}\hat{\lambda}\sigma}^{\text{EX}} \hat{U}_{\hat{\nu}\nu\sigma} \right] \quad \text{1st order GGA correction term}$$

Possible ADMM variant:
Auxiliary density matrix by projection

$$\hat{\mathbf{D}} = \hat{\mathbf{U}} \mathbf{D} \hat{\mathbf{U}}^\dagger \quad \hat{S}_{\hat{\mu}\hat{\nu}} = \int \hat{\varphi}_{\hat{\mu}}(\mathbf{r}) \hat{\varphi}_{\hat{\nu}}(\mathbf{r}) d\mathbf{r}$$
$$\hat{\mathbf{U}} = \hat{\mathbf{S}}^{-1} \hat{\mathbf{V}} \quad \hat{V}_{\hat{\mu}\nu} = \int \hat{\varphi}_{\hat{\mu}}(\mathbf{r}) \varphi_\nu(\mathbf{r}) d\mathbf{r}$$

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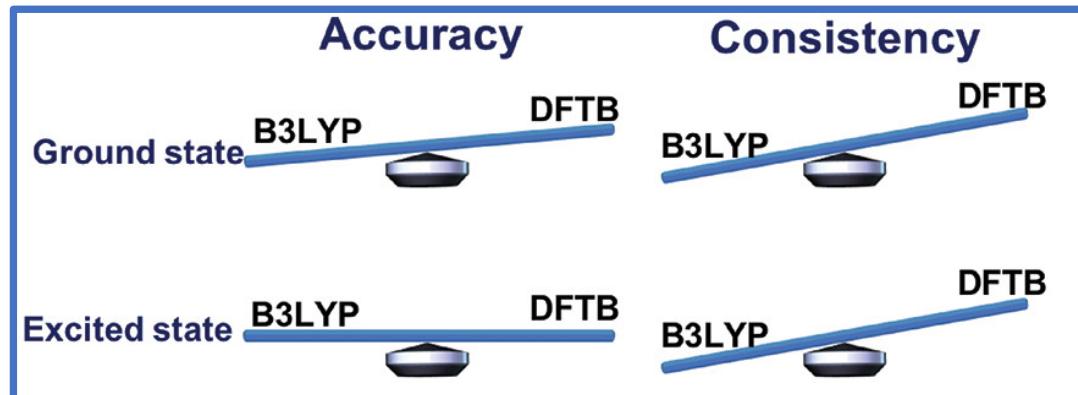
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Extensions for
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properties

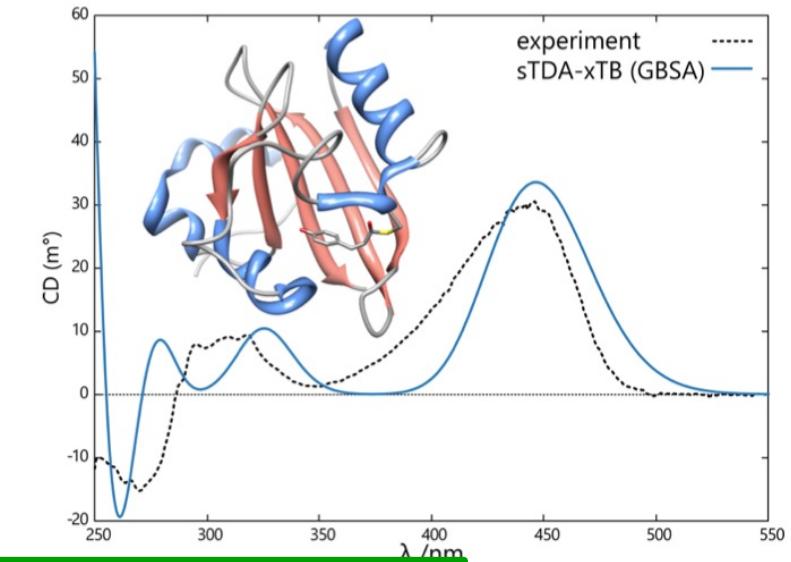
Elstner *et al.*, *J. Chem. Theory Comput.* (2021).

TDDFTB
Benchmarks

Jacquemin *et al.*, *J. Chem. Theory Comput.* (2019).



1. Semi-
empirical tight
binding



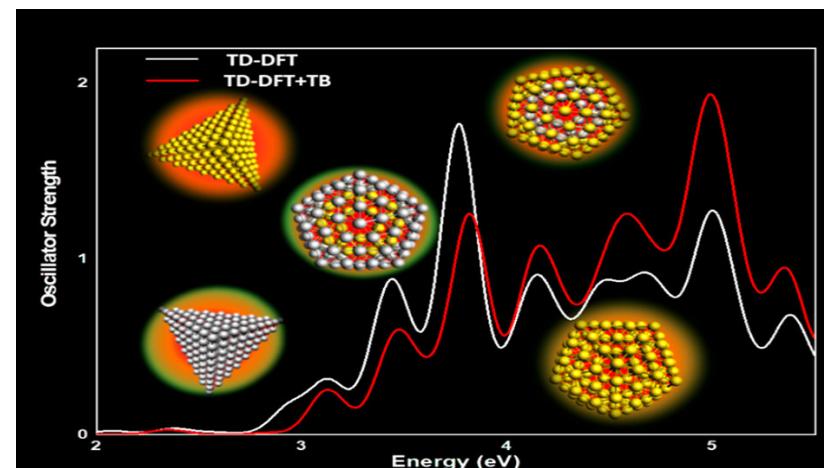
Global parameters only!

Simplified TDA (sTDA)

Grimme, *J. Chem. Phys.* (2013).

TDDFT+TB

Visscher *et al.*, *J. Phys. Chem. C* (2020).



TDDFT for periodic systems: Fast, but accurate hybrid functional approaches

$$K_{\mu\nu\sigma}[\mathbf{D}^x] = \sum_{\kappa\lambda\sigma'} D_{\kappa\lambda\sigma'}^x [(\mu\nu|\kappa\lambda) - a_{\text{EX}}\delta_{\sigma\sigma'}(\mu\kappa|\nu\lambda) + f_{\mu\nu\sigma,\kappa\lambda\sigma'}^{\text{XC}}]$$

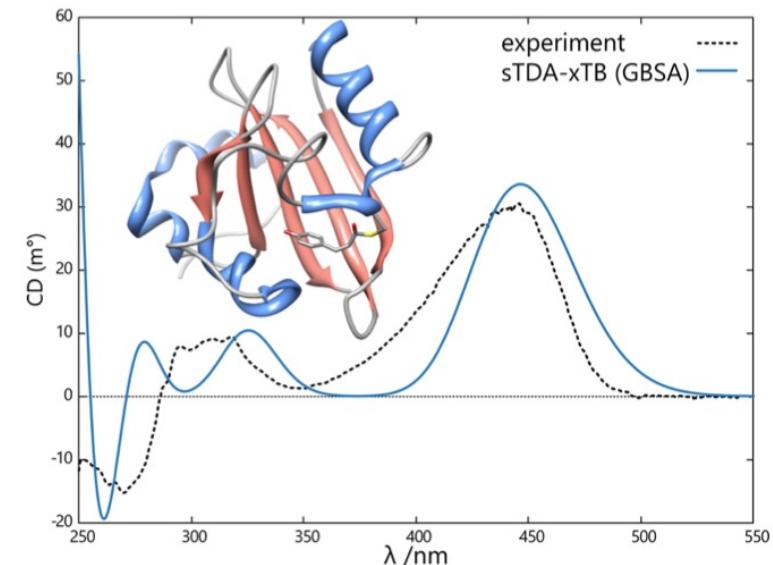
Semi-empirical
tight binding
reference

1. Approximate two-electron integrals

$$(pq\sigma|rs\sigma')^{\text{sTDA}} = \sum_A \sum_B q_{pq\sigma}^A q_{rs\sigma'}^B \gamma(A, B)$$

$$\gamma(A, B) = \left(\frac{1}{(R_{AB})^\alpha + \eta^{-\alpha}} \right)^{1/\alpha}$$

- Minimal number of global parameters
- Correct asymptotics for electron repulsion
- System sizes of several hundreds of atoms



Grimme J. Chem. Phys. 138, 244104, (2013).

Excited-state properties

Non-variational wave function $E_{\text{ES}}[\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{C}, \mathbf{R}] = E_{\text{GS}} + \Omega$

$$\frac{\delta E_{\text{ES}}}{\delta \mathbf{R}} = \frac{\partial E_{\text{ES}}}{\partial \mathbf{R}} + \frac{\partial E_{\text{ES}}}{\partial \mathbf{X}} \frac{\partial \mathbf{X}}{\partial \mathbf{R}} + \frac{\partial E_{\text{ES}}}{\partial \mathbf{C}} \frac{\partial \mathbf{C}}{\partial \mathbf{R}}$$

First-order response needed!

→ Explicit derivation

$$\frac{\partial E_{\text{GS}}}{\partial \mathbf{C}} = 0 \rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 E_{\text{GS}}}{\partial \mathbf{R} \partial \mathbf{C}} = -\frac{\partial^2 E_{\text{GS}}}{\partial \mathbf{C}^2} \frac{\partial \mathbf{C}}{\partial \mathbf{R}}$$

or

→ Adding constraint to satisfy static KS equations (Brillouin condition)

$$L(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{C}, \mathbf{R}, \bar{\mathbf{Z}}) = E_{\text{GS}} + \Omega + \sum_{ia} \bar{Z}_{ia} F_{ia}$$

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→ (2n+1) rule: only zeroth-order response needed!

$$\frac{\delta L}{\delta \mathbf{R}} = \frac{\partial E_{\text{ES}}}{\partial \mathbf{R}} + \bar{\mathbf{Z}} \frac{\partial^2 E_{\text{GS}}}{\partial \mathbf{R} \partial \mathbf{C}} = \frac{\partial E_{\text{ES}}}{\partial \mathbf{R}} + \bar{\mathbf{Z}} \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}}{\partial \mathbf{R}}$$

Additional equations for Lagrangian multipliers:

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{C}} = 0 = \frac{\partial E_{\text{ES}}}{\partial \mathbf{C}} + \bar{\mathbf{Z}} \frac{\partial^2 E_{\text{GS}}}{\partial \mathbf{C}^2}$$

→ (2n+2) rule / Sternheimer-Dalgarno / Z-vector

Excited-state properties: a Lagrange functional for TDDFT

Geometry dependence of AOs needs to be taken into account!

$$\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{R}_0 + \Delta\mathbf{R} \Rightarrow \phi(\mathbf{R}) = \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{R}_0)\varphi(\mathbf{R})$$
$$\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{R}) = \langle \phi(\mathbf{R}) | \phi(\mathbf{R}) \rangle \neq 1$$

Different strategies to ensure orthonormality:

→ Additional constraint in the Lagrangian

Furche, Ahlrichs, *J Chem Phys*, 121, 12772 (2002).

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→ Orthogonalized molecular orbitals (OMOs)

Helgaker, Jorgensen, Handy, *Theor Chim Acta*, 76, 227 (1989).

$$\mathbf{C}^{\text{OMO}}(\mathbf{R}) = \mathbf{C}^{\text{UMO}}(\mathbf{R}_0)(\mathbf{S}^{\text{UMO}}(\mathbf{R}))^{-1/2}$$

Not needed when using plane waves Hutter, *J Chem Phys*, 118, 3928 (2003).

Excited-state properties for periodic systems: a Lagrangian ansatz for TDDFPT with mixed Gaussian plane waves

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Geometry dependence of AOs

Lagrangian for state n :

$$L = \Omega + \bar{\mathbf{Z}}\mathbf{F} + \bar{\mathbf{W}}\mathbf{S}$$

2. Z vector equation

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{C}} \rightarrow \mathbf{B}\bar{\mathbf{Z}} = -\mathbf{R}$$

Brillouin condition

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{ia\sigma} \bar{Z}_{ia\sigma} F_{ia\sigma} &= \sum_{i\mu\nu\sigma} \bar{Z}_{i\nu\sigma} Q_{\mu\nu\sigma}^\dagger F_{\mu i\sigma} \\ &= \sum_{i\mu\nu\sigma} \bar{Z}_{i\nu\sigma} (F_{\nu\mu\sigma} C_{\mu i\sigma} - S_{\nu\mu} C_{\mu i\sigma} \varepsilon_{i\sigma}) \end{aligned}$$

3. Excited-state gradient

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \zeta} = \frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial \zeta} + \bar{\mathbf{Z}} \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}}{\partial \zeta} + \bar{\mathbf{W}} \frac{\partial \mathbf{S}}{\partial \zeta}$$

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Transformation rules

$$M_{\mu\nu\sigma}^{\text{AO}} = \sum_{\kappa\lambda kl} S_{\mu\kappa} C_{\kappa k\sigma}^T M_{kl\sigma}^{\text{MO}} C_{l\lambda\sigma} S_{\lambda\nu}$$

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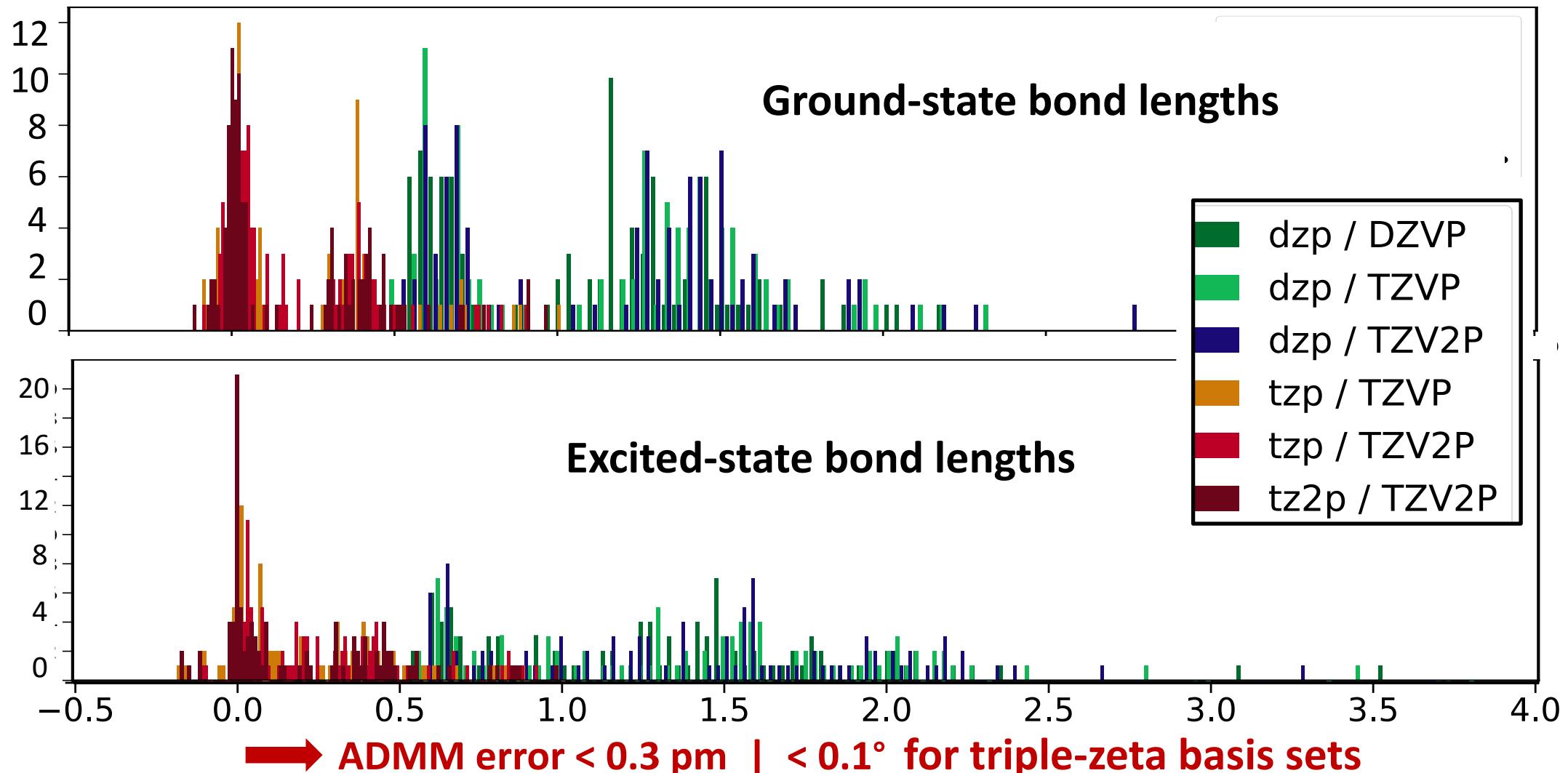
Projection for Lagrange multipliers

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{C}} \mathbf{C} = 0 \rightarrow \bar{\mathbf{W}} \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{C}} \mathbf{Q} = 0 \rightarrow \bar{\mathbf{Z}}$$

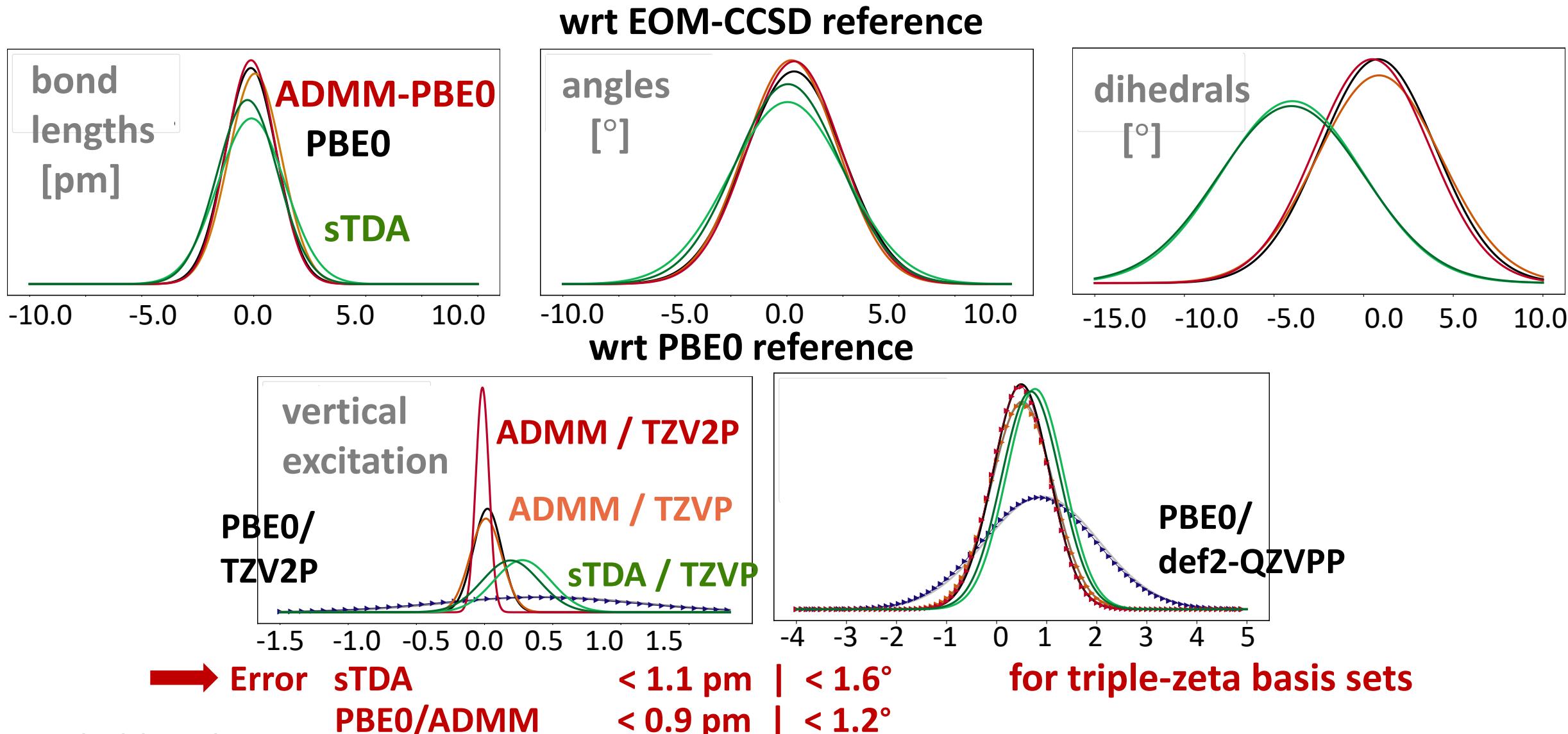
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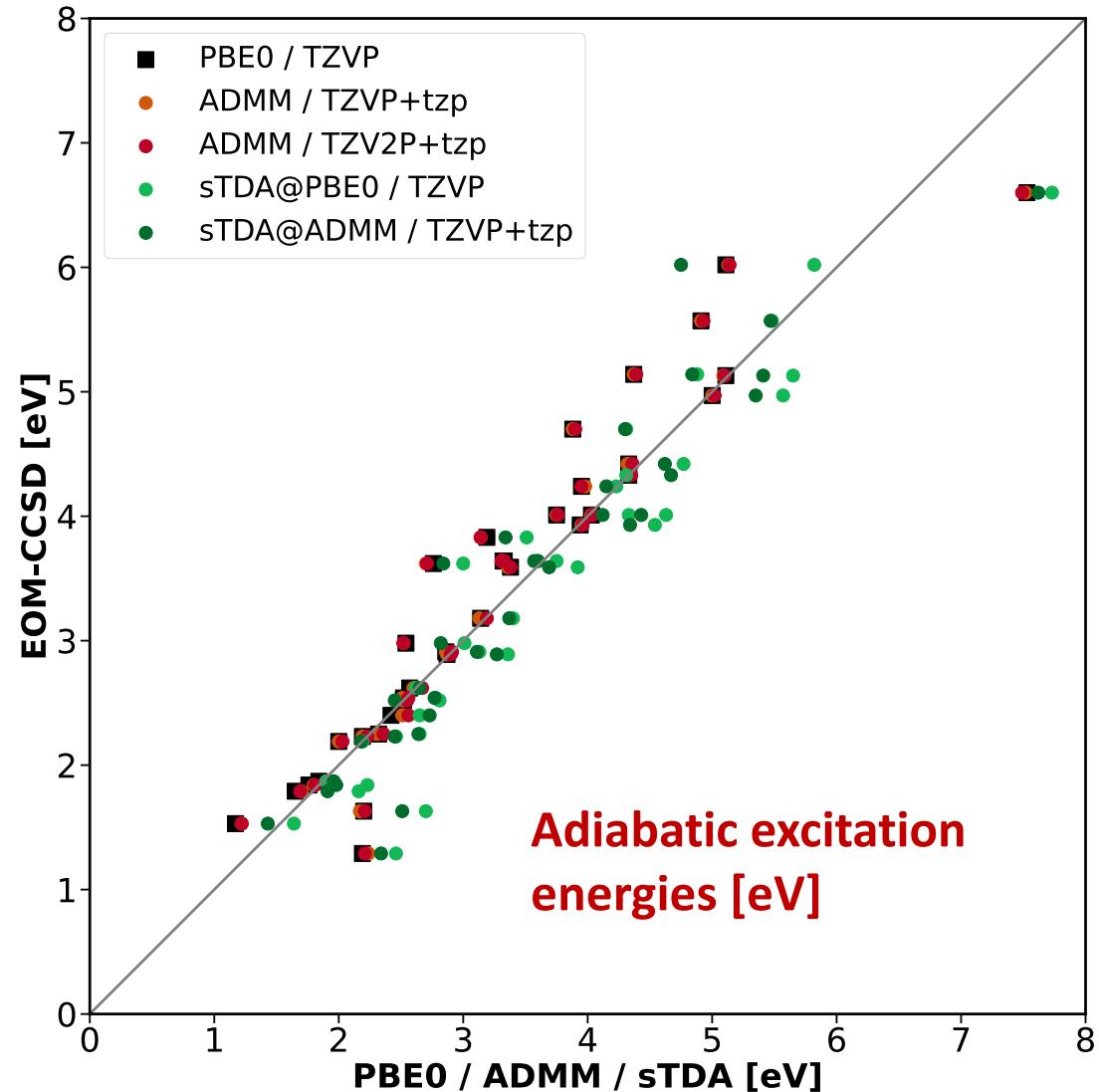
ADMM-PBE0 geometries wrt PBE0 reference



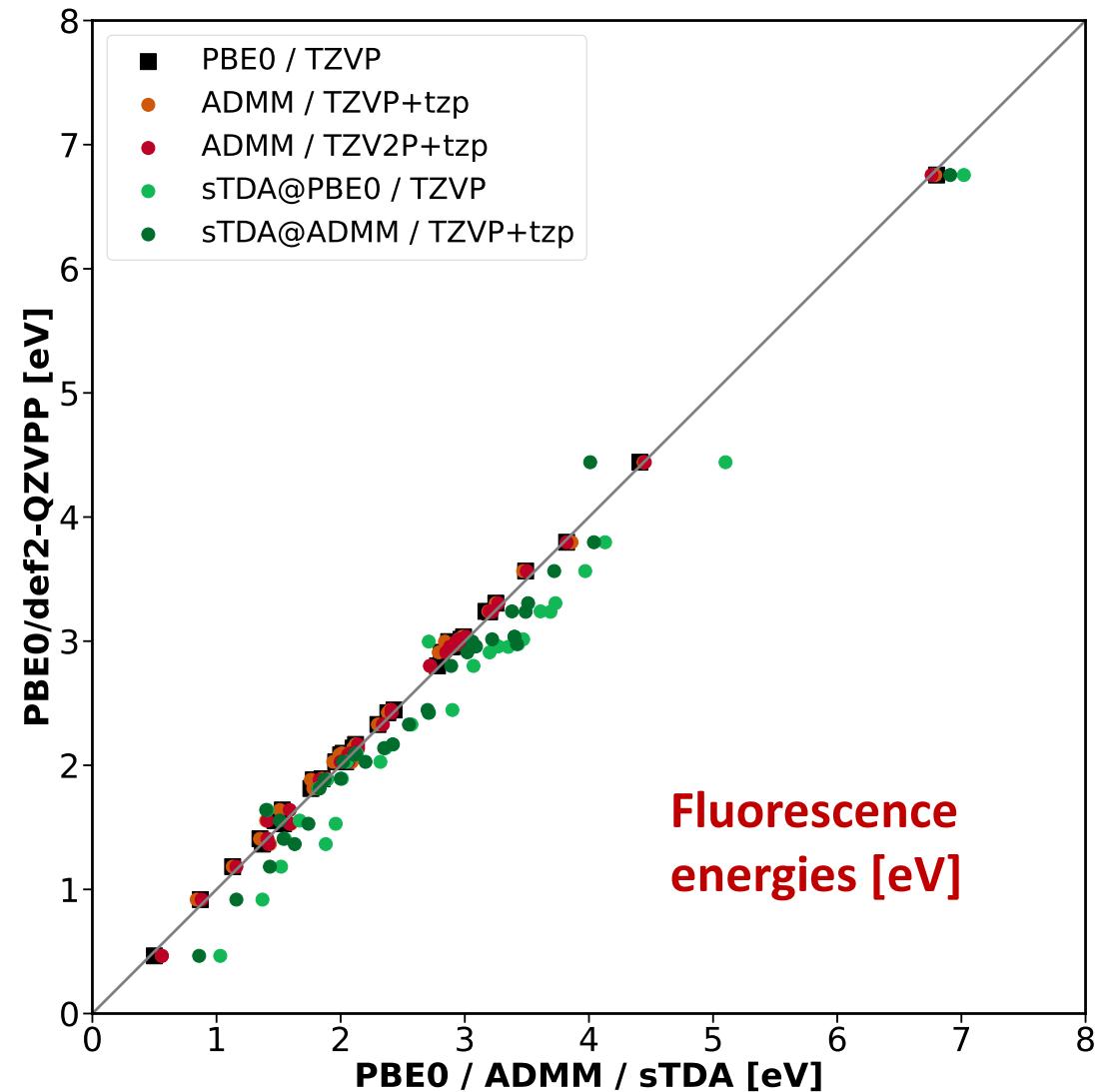
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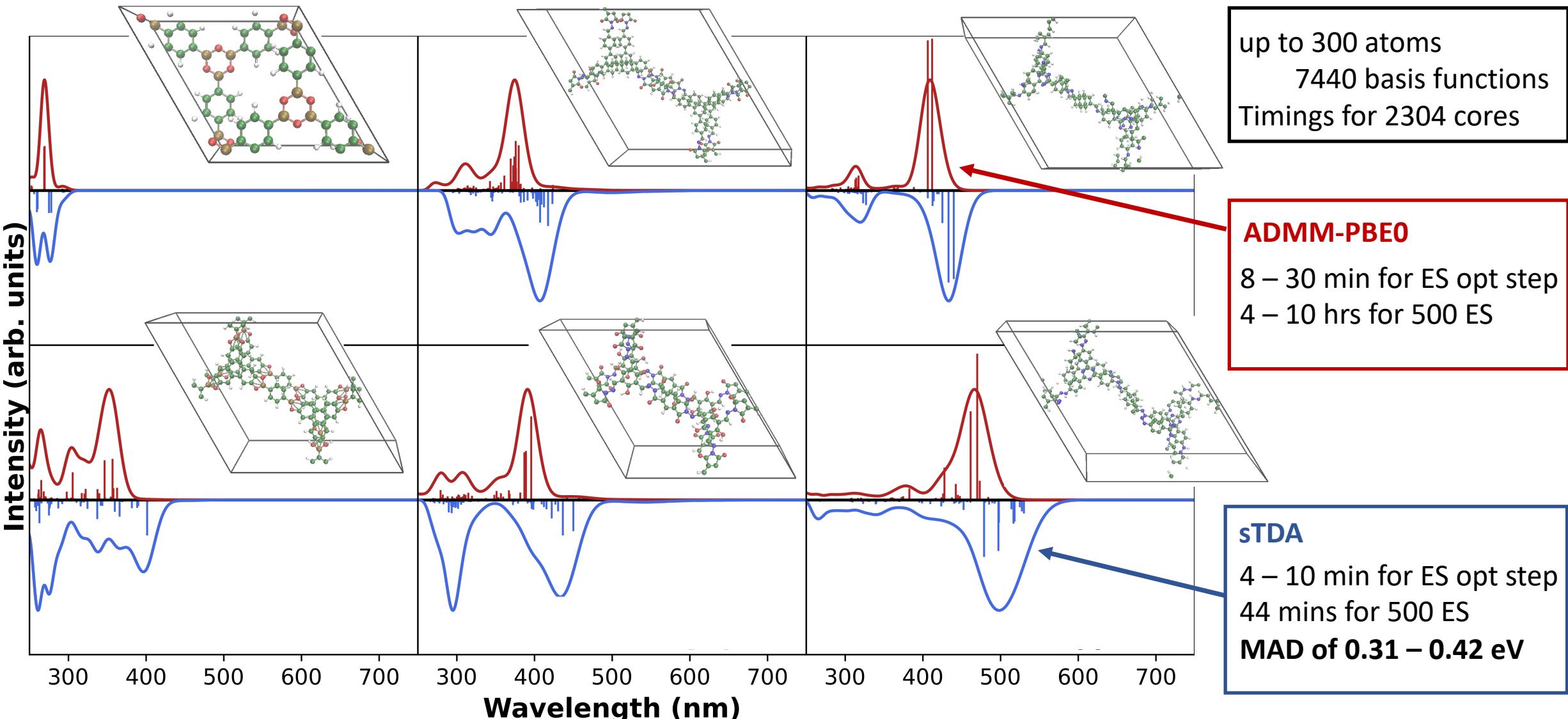


Adiabatic excitation
energies [eV]



Fluorescence
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Current research: Excited-state dynamics for periodic systems

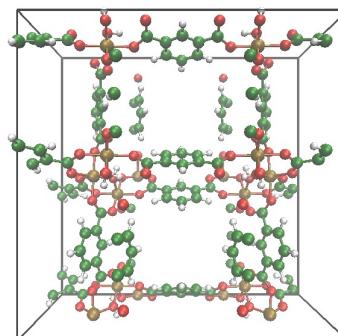
Excited-state properties with hybrid functional accuracy

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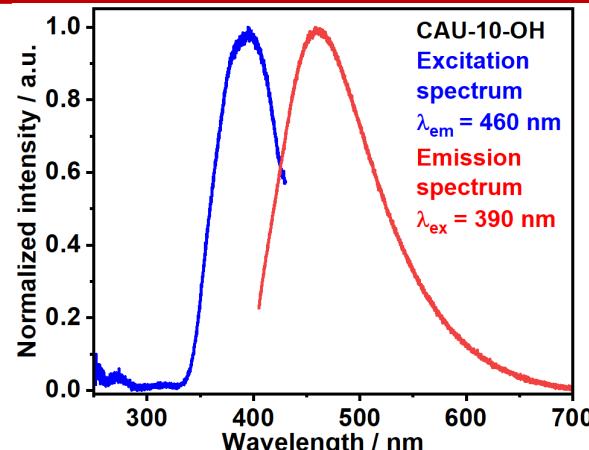
Fluorescence CAU10-MOFs



CP2K



NX
newtonx.org



Adiabatic and Nonadiabatic dynamics

On-the-fly velocity Verlet MD

Fewest switches surface hopping

Local diabatization

Decoherence corrections

Barbatti *et al.*, *WIREs: Comp. Mol. Sci.* 4, 26 (2014).

Efficient nonadiabatic couplings

Orbital derivative couplings
Baeck-An couplings

$$\sigma_{MN} \approx \frac{\text{sgn}(\Delta E_{MN})}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{\Delta E_{MN}} \frac{d^2 \Delta E_{MN}}{dt^2}}$$

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→ How to overcome the adiabatic approximation?
How to design frequency dependent kernels?
Connection to MBPT and more accurate ansätze than TDDFT

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→ Machine learning ...

→ Going beyond excited-state properties
What else is needed to perform excited-state dynamics and to calculate excitation spectra?
Efficient ways to do so?