

Theoretical study of the photoelectron spectra of 1,3-Pentadiyne

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Abstract

We used density functional theory B3LYP, PBE0, ω B97XD, and APFD methods with the aug-cc-pVTZ basis set to calculate the equilibrium structure and vibration frequency of the 1, 3-pentadiyne molecule and cation. We also calculated the Frank–Condon factor using the harmonic oscillator model developed in our laboratory. We then simulated the photoelectron spectrum of the 1, 3-pentadiyne molecule when it stripped electrons to form cations and compared it with the experimental spectrum.

Results and Discussion

Equilibrium Structures

Table 1. The equilibrium structures calculated by different methods.

Parameter	Method							
	B3LYP		PBE0		ω B97XD		APFD	
	X	X+	X	X+	X	X+	X	X+
R(C1,H2)	109.16	110.24	109.24	110.32	109.00	109.12	109.27	110.36
R(C1,H3)	109.16	109.31	109.24	109.36	109.00	109.98	109.27	109.43
R(C1,H4)	109.16	109.32	109.24	109.43	109.00	109.14	109.27	109.44
R(C1,C5)	145.05	142.05	144.52	141.55	145.18	142.25	144.61	141.59
R(C5,C6)	120.69	123.58	120.69	123.61	120.12	123.18	120.69	123.61
R(C6,C7)	136.35	132.28	136.33	132.17	137.16	132.47	136.24	132.14
R(C7,C8)	120.54	122.67	120.52	122.71	120.00	122.24	120.56	122.75
R(C8,H9)	106.11	107.00	106.33	107.22	106.20	107.07	106.34	107.22
A(H2,C1,H3)	107.9	107.3	108.0	107.6	108.3	107.8	108.0	107.3
A(H2,C1,H4)	107.9	107.3	108.0	107.2	108.3	111.5	108.0	107.3
A(H2,C1,C5)	111.0	107.9	110.9	107.6	110.6	111.1	110.9	107.7
A(H3,C1,H4)	107.9	111.3	108.0	111.5	108.3	107.7	108.0	111.4
A(H3,C1,C5)	111.0	111.4	110.9	111.5	110.6	107.4	110.9	111.4
A(H4,C1,C5)	111.0	111.4	110.9	111.2	110.6	111.0	110.9	111.4

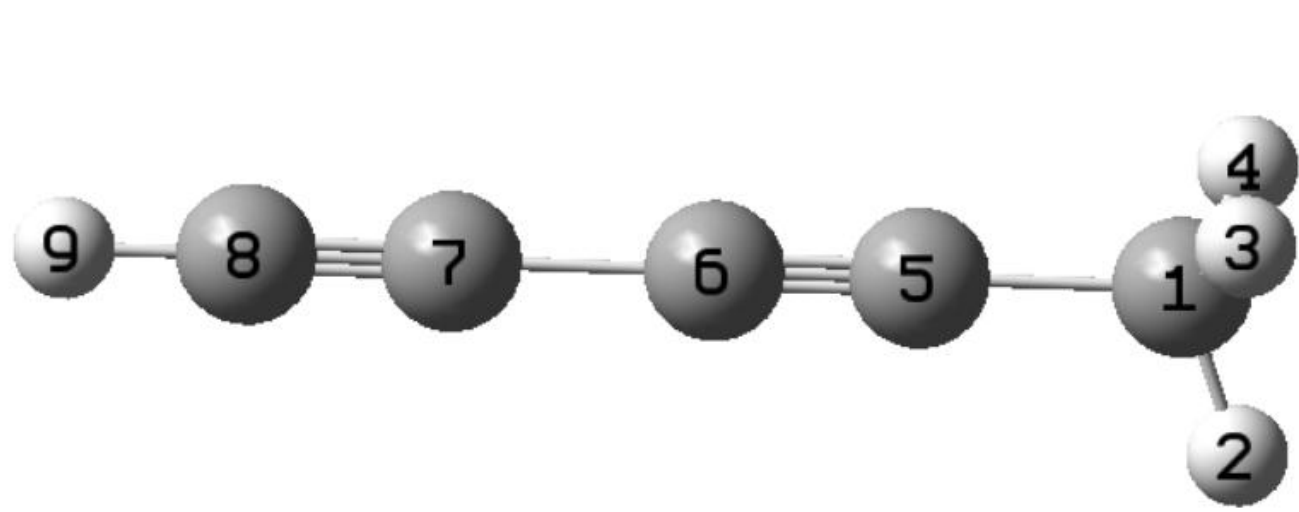


Fig. 1. The equilibrium structures of 1, 3-pentadiyne.

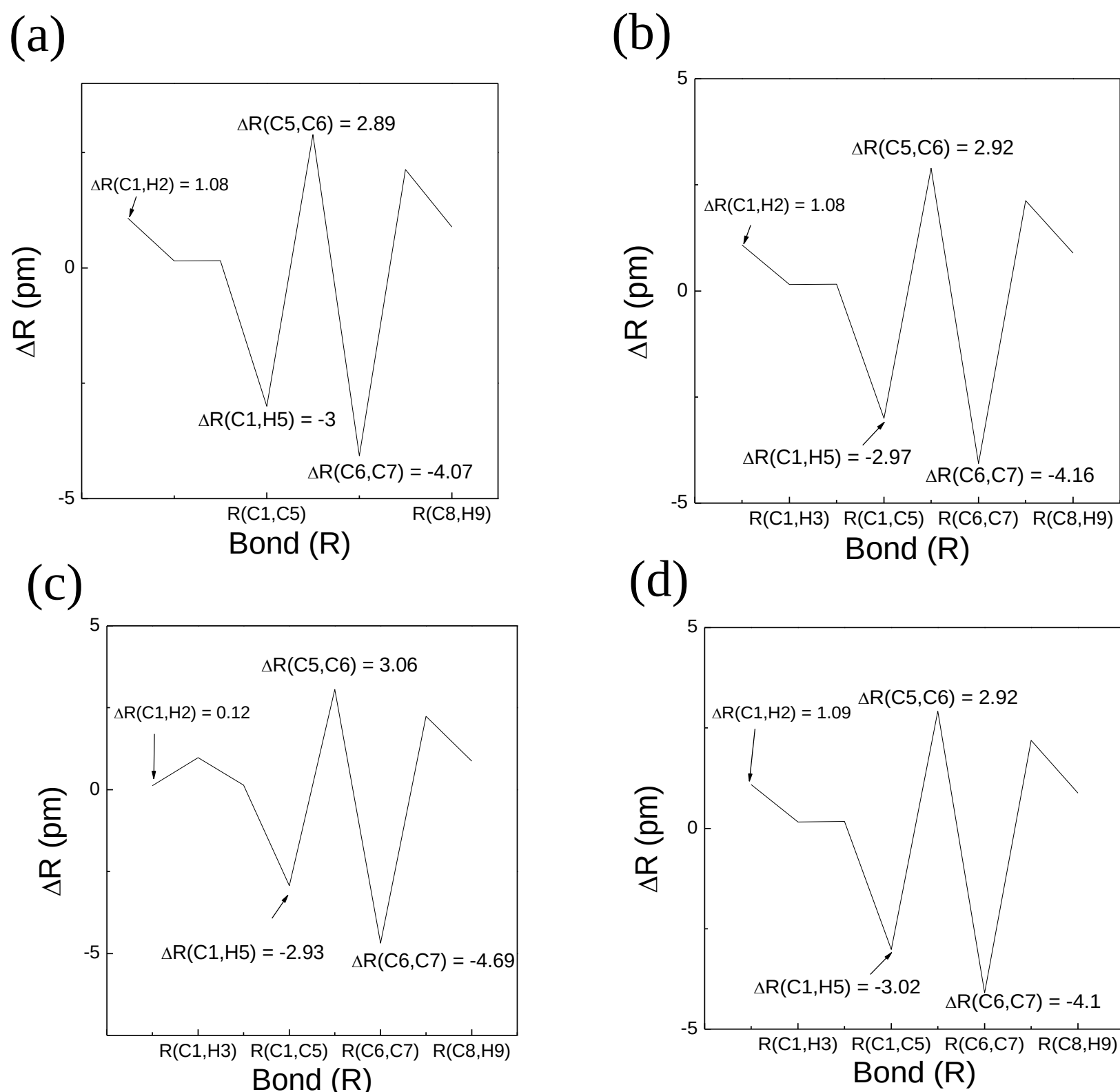


Fig. 3. The bond length variation diagram calculated by (a) B3LYP, (b) PBE0, (c) ω B97XD, (d) APFD.

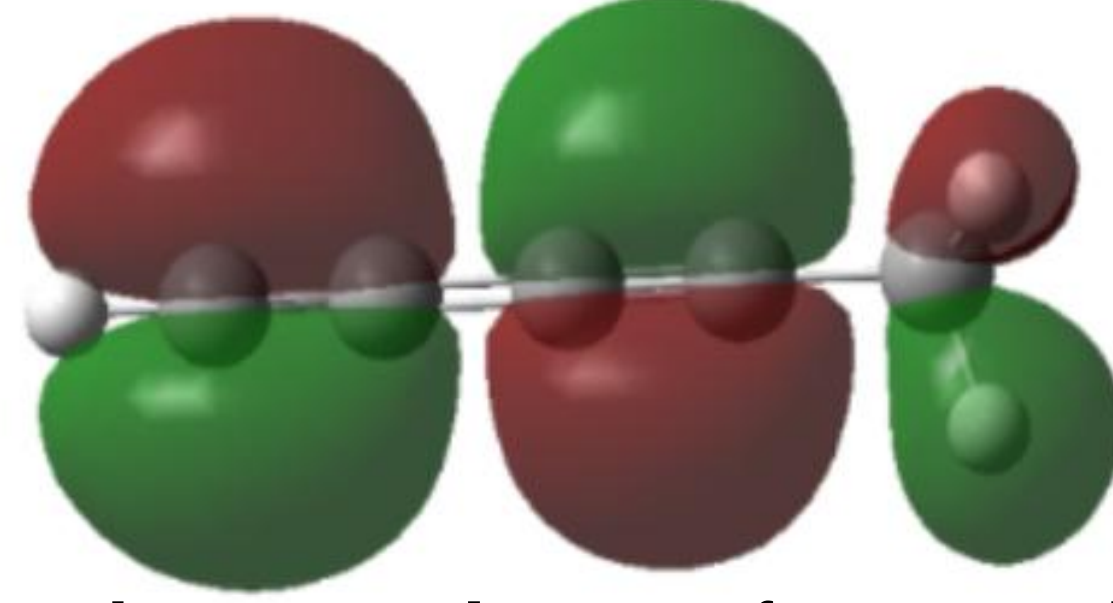


Fig. 2. The HOMO diagram of 1, 3-pentadiyne.

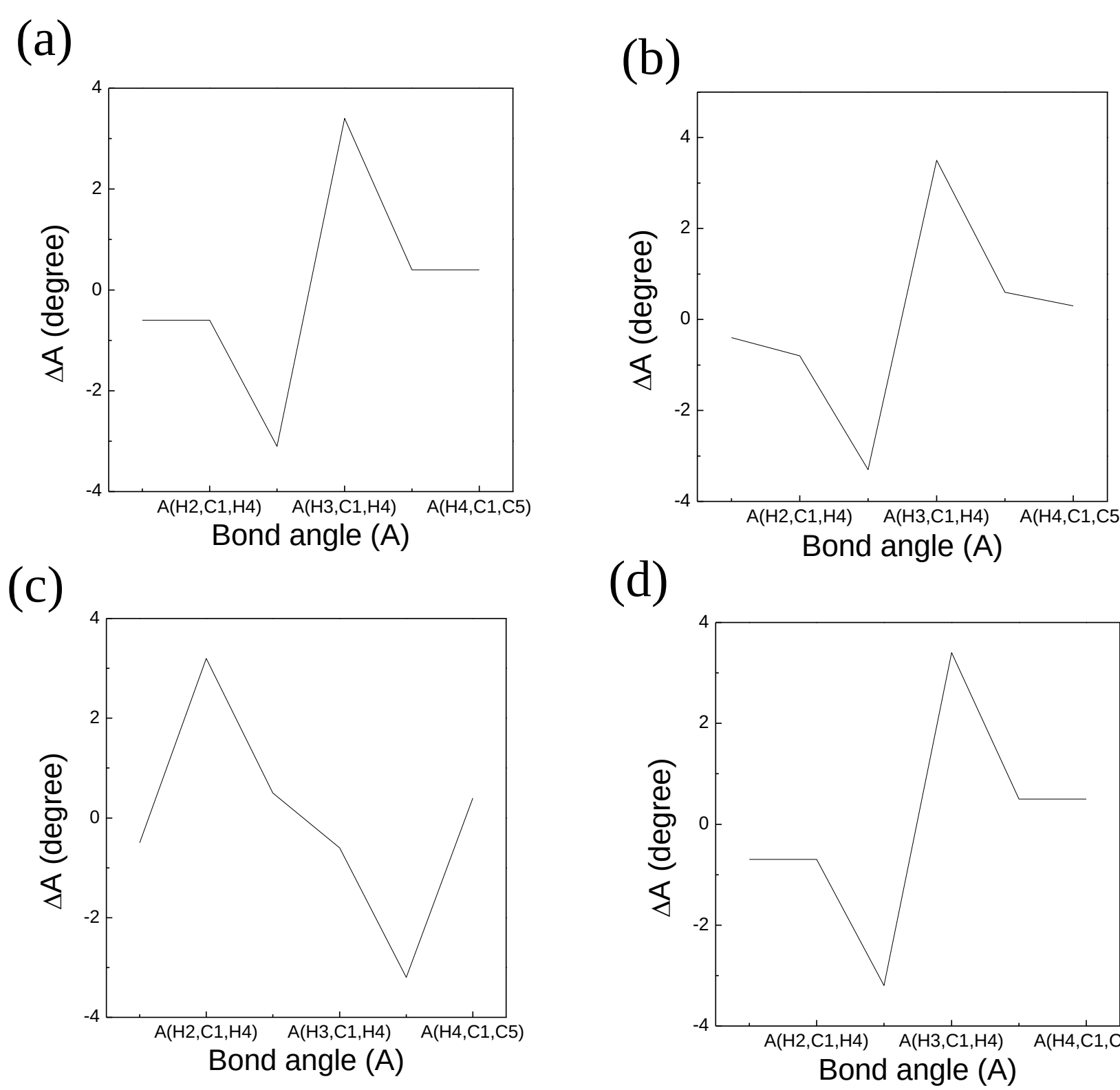


Fig. 4. The bond angle variation diagram calculated by (a) B3LYP, (b) PBE0, (c) ω B97XD, (d) APFD.

Vibrational Frequencies

Table 2. The harmonic vibrational frequency calculated by B3LYP, PBE0, ω B97XD, and APFD /aug-cc-pVTZ.

mode	B3LYP				PBE0				ω B97XD				APFD			
	frequency	Symmetry species	frequency	Symmetry species	frequency	Symmetry species	frequency	Symmetry species	frequency	Symmetry species	frequency	Symmetry species	frequency	Symmetry species	frequency	Symmetry species
	X	X+	X	X+	X	X+	X	X+	X	X+	X	X+	X	X+	X	X+
1	3468	A	3383	A	3480	A	3393	A	3480	A	3393	A	3476	A	3390	A
2	3078	A	3044	A	3112	A	3084	A	3128	A	3104	A	3102	A	3070	A
3	3078	A	3040	A	3112	A	3066	A	3128	A	3088	A	3102	A	3059	A
4	3022	A	2958	A	3042	A	2982	A	3055	A	3001	A	3035	A	2972	A
5	2343	A	2285	A	2371	A	2313	A	2403	A	2343	A	2365	A	2307	A
6	2165	A	1997	A	2184	A	2009	A	2203	A	2017	A	2179	A	2006	A
7	1473	A	1433	A	1462	A	1423	A	1481	A	1443	A	1462	A	1422	A
8	1473	A	1349	A	1462	A	1339	A	1481	A	1364	A	1462	A	1337	A
9	1415	A	1286	A	1402	A	1282	A	1420	A	1321	A	1403	A	1278	A
10	1179	A	1229	A	1198	A	1246	A	1180	A	1233	A	1194	A	1242	A
11	1050	A	955	A	1039	A	940	A	1056	A	962	A	1039	A	937	A
12	1050	A	756	A	1039	A	755	A	1056	A	775	A	1038	A	754	A
13	680	A	694	A	690	A	703	A	682	A	697	A	688	A	701	A
14	645	A	643	A	657	A	654	A	682	A	677	A	653	A	651	A
15	645	A	516	A	657	A	528	A	681	A	639	A	653	A	518	A
16	529	A	514	A	533	A	510	A	538	A	516	A	531	A	512	A
17	529	A	455	A	533	A	464	A	538	A	497	A	531	A	458	A
18	340	A	347	A	344	A	347	A	346	A	348	A	341	A	346	A
19	340	A	261	A	344	A	266	A	346	A	310	A	341	A	260	A
20	147	A	139	A	148	A	139	A	147	A	141	A	147	A	138	A
21	147	A	138	A	148	A	136	A	147	A	138	A	147	A	136	A

Comparison

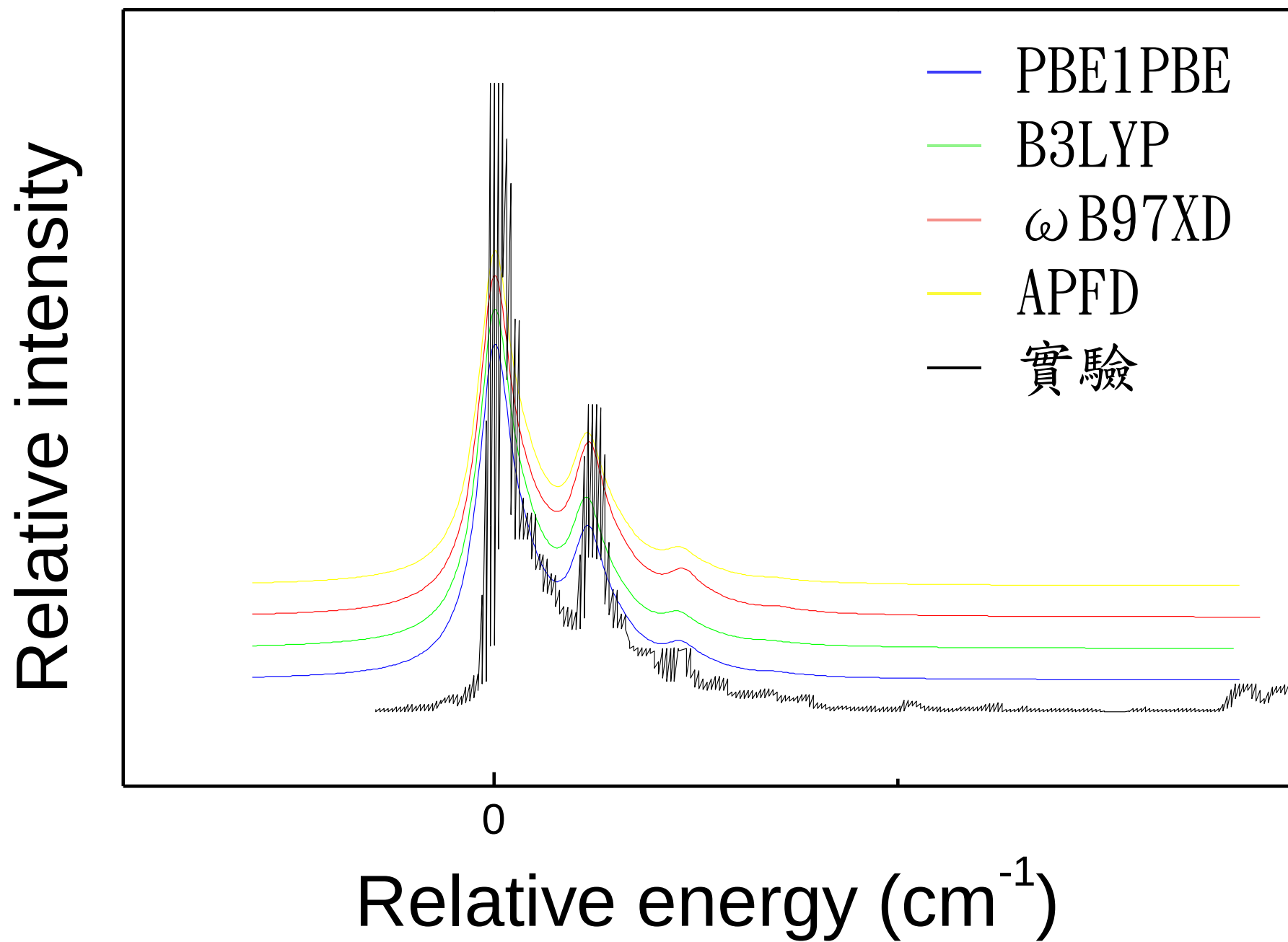


Fig. 5. The comparison plot between the photoelectron spectrum and experimental spectrum.(FWHM=1000 cm⁻¹)

Franck-Condon Factor

Table 3. The Franck-Condon factors calculated by B3LYP, PBE0, ω B97XD, and APFD method.

HC≡C—C≡C—CH ₃ →HC≡C—C≡C—CH ₃ ⁺ +e ⁻											
Method											
B3LYP			PBE0			ω B97XD			APFD		
ΔE	FCF	State	ΔE	FCF	State	ΔE	FCF	State	ΔE	FCF	State
0	4.8954E-01	0 ⁰	0	4.8276E-01	0 ⁰	0	4.9582E-01	0 ⁰	0	4.8060E-01	0 ⁰
347	7.2356E-03	18 ¹	347	9.0544E-03	18 ¹	348	8.5035E-03	18 ¹	346	8.9461E-03	18 ¹
522	1.6487E-02	19 ²	533	1.4196E-02	19 ²	516	4.9702E-03	16 ¹	512	4.9610E-03	16 ¹
694	3.3554E-02	13 ¹	703	3.3672E-02	13 ¹	697	4.3055E-02	13 ¹	519	1.6185E-02	19 ²
910	7.5663E-03	17 ²	928	5.6807E-03	17 ²	962	2.2618E-02	11 ¹	701	3.3185E-02	13 ¹
955	2.3680E-02	11 ¹	940	2.5108E-02	11 ¹	1279	1.3250E-02	15 ²	916	6.3144E-03	17 ²
1433	8.7232E-03	7 ¹	1423	8.3584E-03	7 ¹	1443	8.8871E-03	7 ¹	937	2.4415E-02	11 ¹
2285	1.8106E-01	5 ¹	2313	1.8717E-01	5 ¹	2343	2.1745E-01	5 ¹	1422	8.1276E-03	7 ¹
2807	6.0978E-03	5 ¹ 19 ²	2846	5.5041E-03	5 ¹ 19 ²	3040	2.3843E-02	5 ¹ 13 ¹	2307	1.8396E-01	5 ¹
2979	1.6221E-02	5 ¹ 13 ¹	3017	1.7035E-02	5 ¹ 13 ¹	3305	9.0679E-03	5 ¹ 11 ¹	2826	6.1951E-03	5 ¹ 19 ²
3240	8.0505E-03	5 ¹ 11 ¹	3253	8.9363E-03	5 ¹ 11 ¹	3622	5.8112E-03	5 ¹ 15 ²	3008	1.6583E-02	5 ¹ 13 ¹
4570	3.1744E-02	5 ²	4626	3.4509E-02	5 ²	4686	4.5624E-02	5 ²	3244	8.5484E-03	5 ¹ 11 ¹
						5383	6.2191E-03	5 ² 13 ¹	4614	3.3436E-02	5 ²
						7029	6.0874E-03	5 ³			

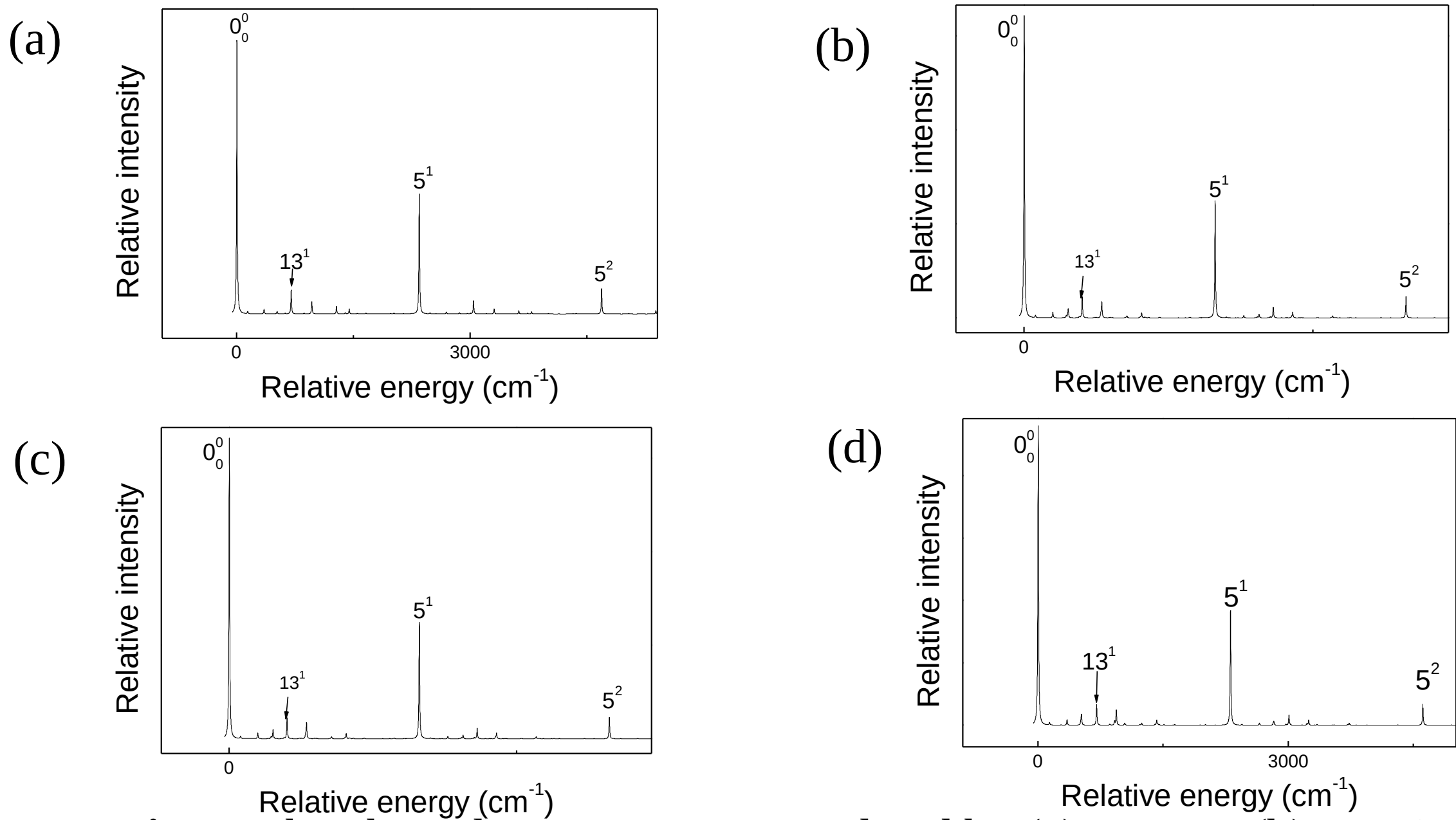


Fig. 6. The photoelectron spectra simulated by (a) B3LYP, (b) PBE0, (c) ω B97XD, (d) APFD.(FWHM=10 cm⁻¹)

Conclusion

The simulated photoelectron spectrum of 1,3-pentadiyne is consistent with the experimental results. The harmonic oscillator hybrid model developed by our laboratory can be used as a research tool for theoretical spectroscopy.

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