

Electronic Structure of Hole-Conducting States in Polyprolines

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Supporting Information to the paper

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2. Additional Figures S1 and S2

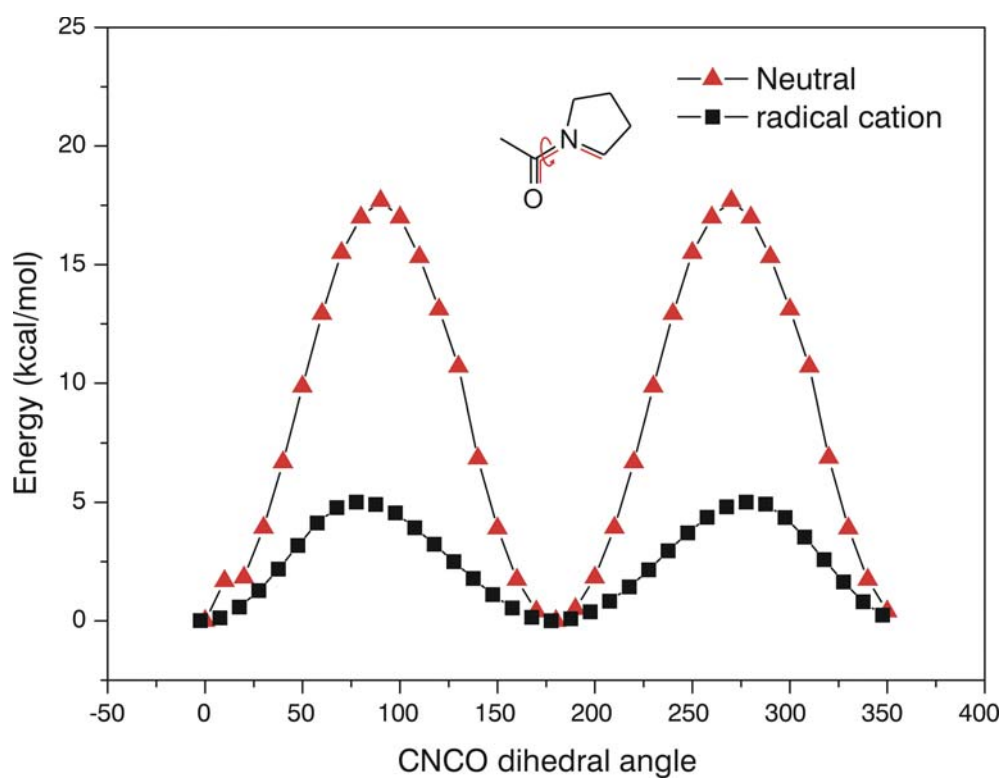


Figure S1: relaxed potential energy scan around the CNCO angle (depicted in red) in the neutral (black squares) and radical cation (red triangles) of N-acetylpyrrolydine.

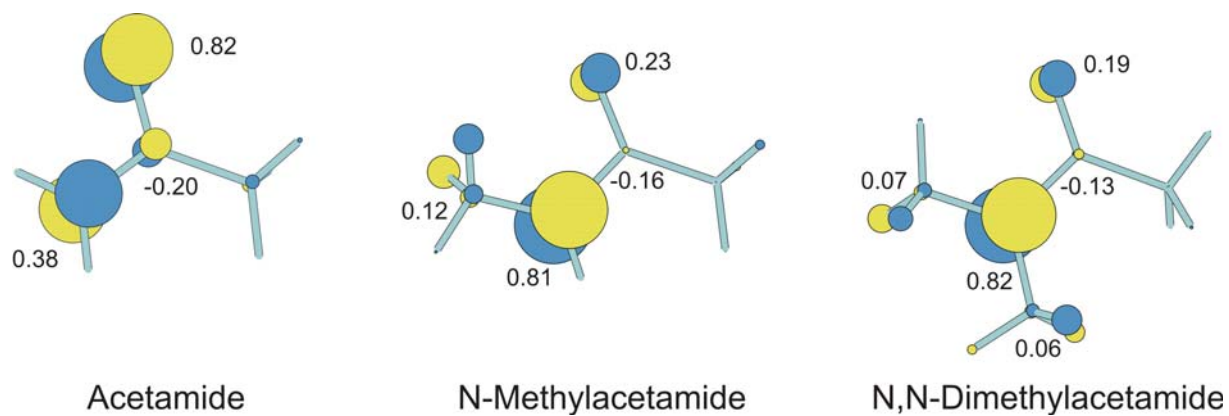


Figure S2: SOMO of Acetamide, N-Methylacetamide and N,N-Dimethylacetamide, together with the local spin densities on C, N and O atoms.

2. Additional Tables S1 and S2

Table S1: Relative energies and Ramachandran angles of the four chosen conformers of **2** calculated with M06-2X/6-31G*. The two different conformations of proline are shown in Figure 3.

	ϕ	ψ	cis/trans amide bond	Proline conformation	Relative energy (kcal/mol)
2A	-68	130	trans	1	0.0
2B	-46	-44	trans	2	4.4
2D	-57	130	trans	2	0.7
2G	-76	-13	trans	1	5.5
2H	-55	165	cis	2	3.4
2I	-50	-52	cis	2	2.8
2J	-66	170	cis	1	2.2
2K	-72	-10	cis	1	4.5

Table S2: Relative energies and Ramachandran angles of the four chosen conformers of the radical cation of **2** calculated with M06-2X/6-31G*. The two different conformations of proline are shown in Figure 3.

	ϕ	ψ	cis/trans amide bond	Proline conformation	Relative energy (kcal/mol)	Localization of SOMO
2A^{•+}	-74	118	trans	1	0.0	hyperconjugative state
2B^{•+}	-32	-21	trans	2	1.4	N : O 2c-3e complex
2C^{•+}	-40	178	trans	2	3.6	O : O 2c-3e complex
2D^{•+}	-74	120	trans	2	0.5	hyperconjugative state
2E^{•+}	-27	-30	trans	1	3.2	N : O 2c-3e complex
2F^{•+}	-46	179	trans	1	4.1	O : O 2c-3e complex
2G^{•+}	-78	2	trans	1	6.2	hyperconjugative state
2H^{•+}	-52	172	cis	2	5.5	N-centered
2I^{•+}	-81	4	cis	1	7.6	hyperconjugative state
2J^{•+}	-62	177	cis	1	9.1	hyperconjugative state

The geometries and total energies of all species mentioned in this paper are available from the authors on request.