

Supporting information

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Comparative study of the cyclobutane dimer formations of uracil and 6-azauracil in excited state and through conical intersections S_0/S_1

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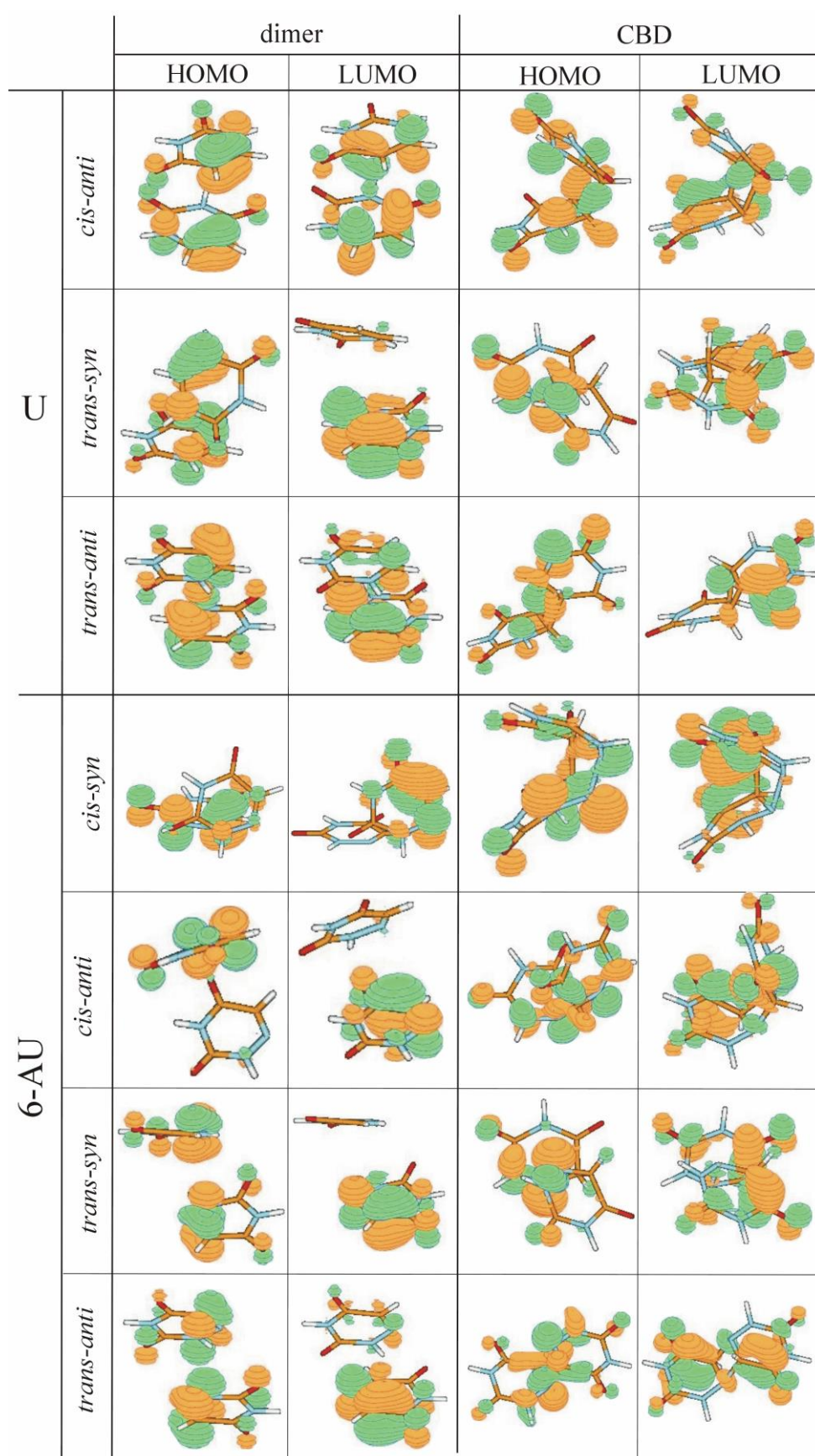


Fig. S1. HOMO and LUMO molecular orbitals of the CBDs and the SDs included in the active space (2,2)

Table S1. Freezed distances in dimers during the CASSCF optimizations

		<i>cis-syn</i>	<i>trans-syn</i>	<i>cis-anti</i>	<i>trans-anti</i>
freezed bond(s)	U	-	C ₂ -C ₁₃ =3.95 Å	C ₁ -C ₁₃ =3.9 Å C ₂ -C ₁₄ =3.9 Å	C ₁ -C ₁₃ =3.9 Å C ₂ -C ₁₄ =3.84 Å
	6-AU	N ₂ -N ₁₂ =3.8 Å C ₁ -C ₁₃ =3.9 Å	N ₂ -N ₁₂ =3.8 Å	C ₁ -N ₁₂ =3.9 Å	C ₁ -N ₁₂ =3.8 Å

Table S2. Twist angles of the cyclobutane rings in U and 6-AU

		<i>cis-syn</i>	<i>trans-syn</i>	<i>cis-anti</i>	<i>trans-anti</i>
U		(C ₁ C ₂ C ₁₃ C ₁₄)		(C ₁ C ₂ C ₁₄ C ₁₃)	
	SD	16.2 ° [ref. 51]	-77.5 °	21.9°	-0.03°
	CBD	20.8 ° [ref. 51]	-18.9 °	12.0°	17.6°
6-AU		(C ₁ C ₂ C ₁₂ C ₁₃)		(C ₁ C ₂ C ₁₃ C ₁₂)	
	SD	50.6°	-82.9°	7.1°	-1.9°
	CBD	21.7°	-25.6°	-18.3°	0.01°

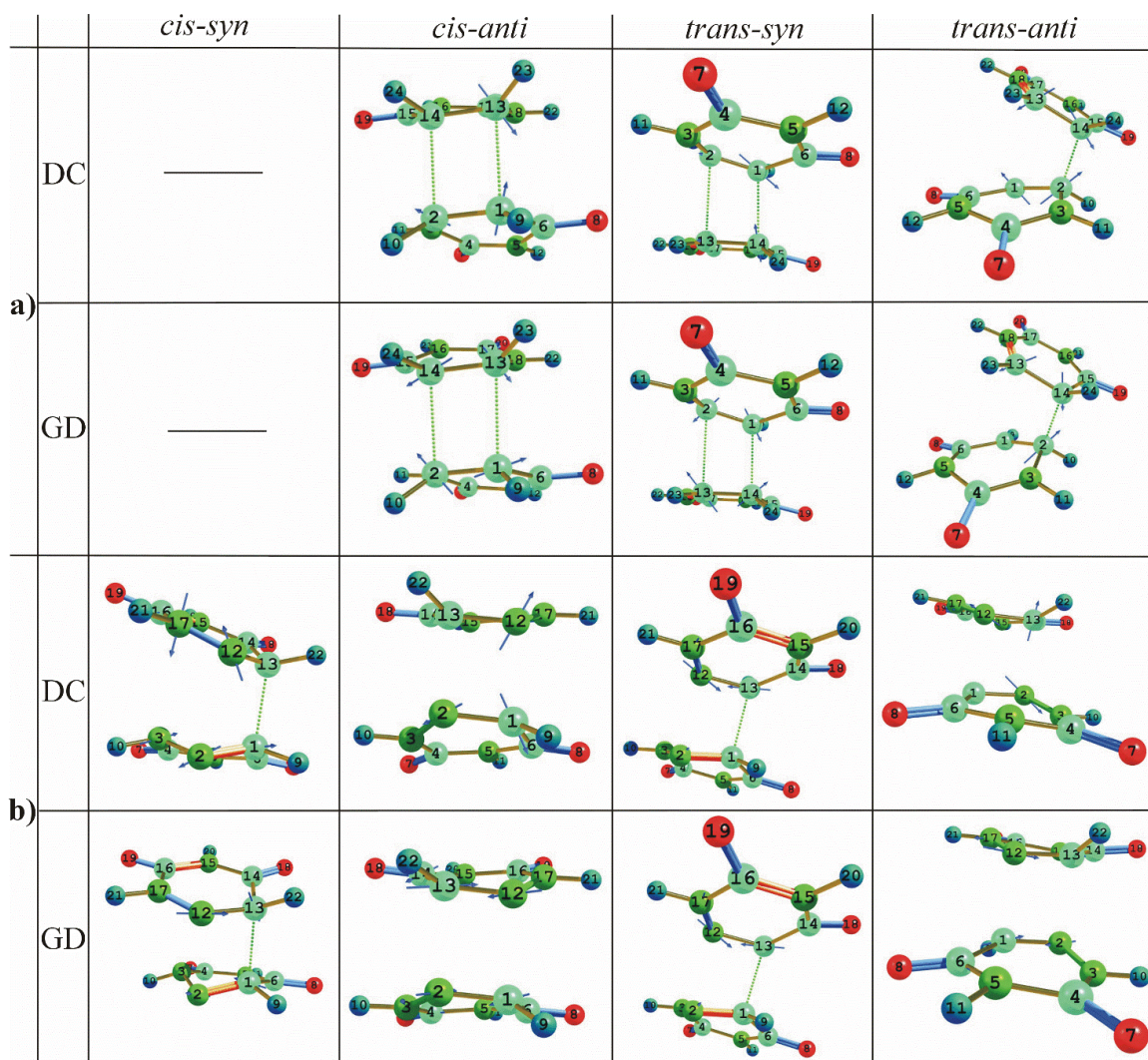


Fig. S2. Branching space vectors (Gradient Difference and Derivative Coupling) of the conical intersections S_0/S_1 of a) Uracil and b) 6-Azauracil