



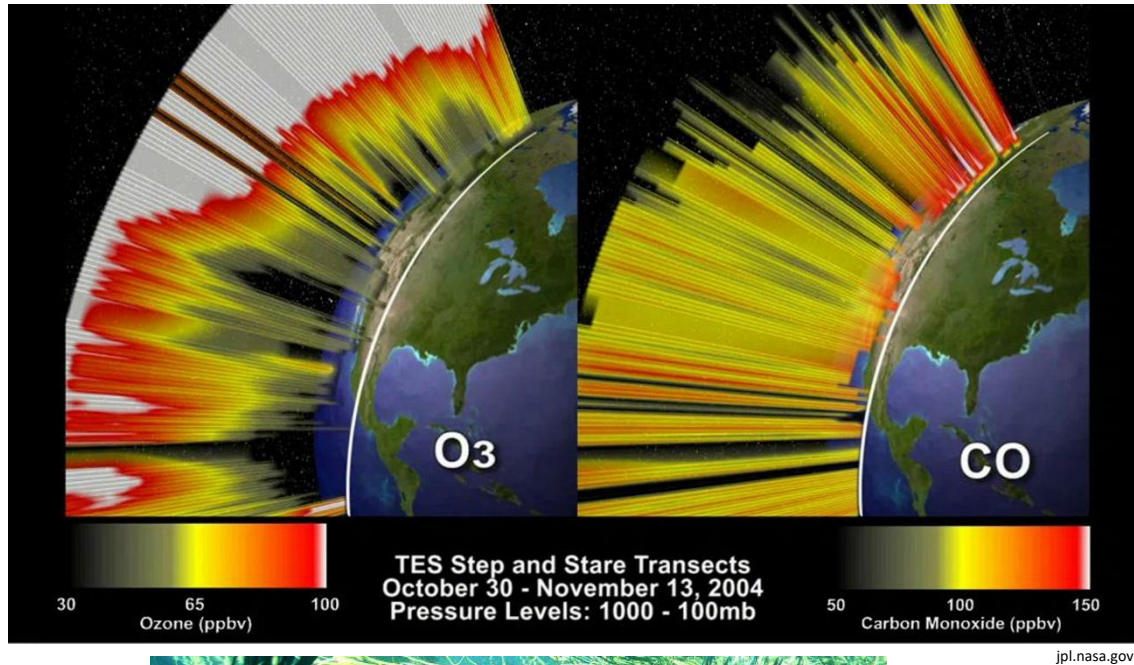
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A NEW DIBROMETHANE MODEL FOR SIMULATIONS IN LIQUID PHASE

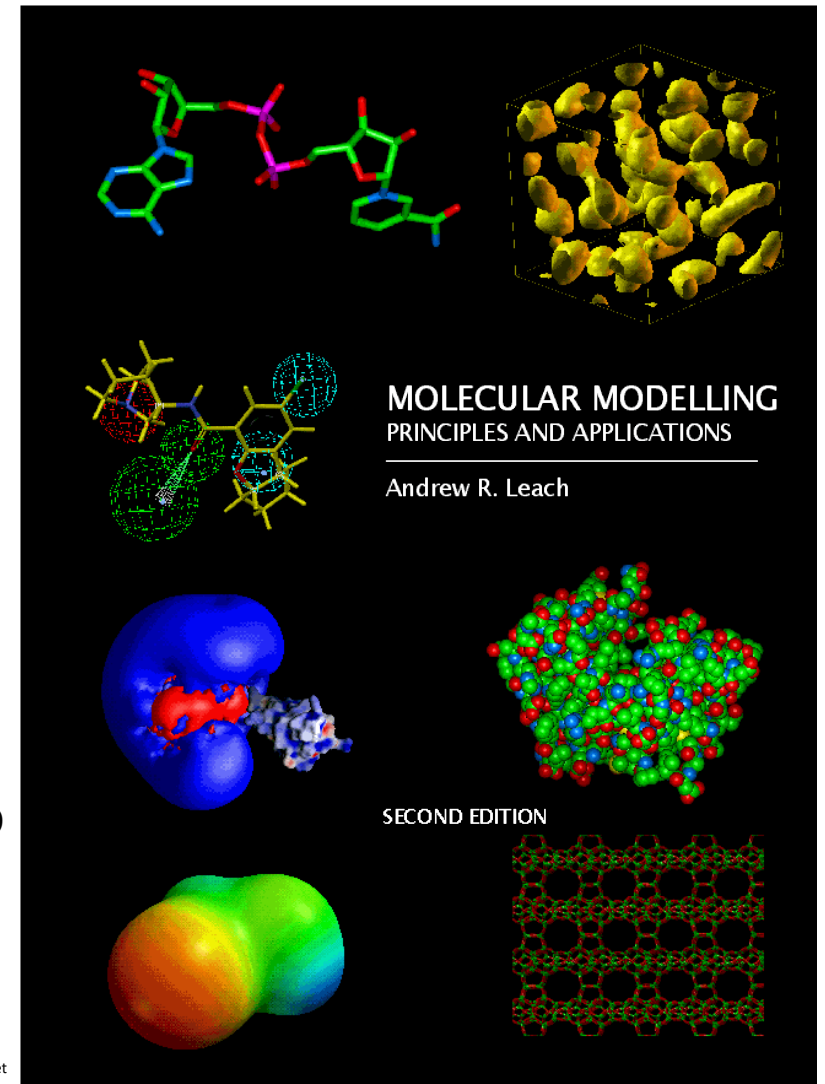
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Dibromomethane (DBM)

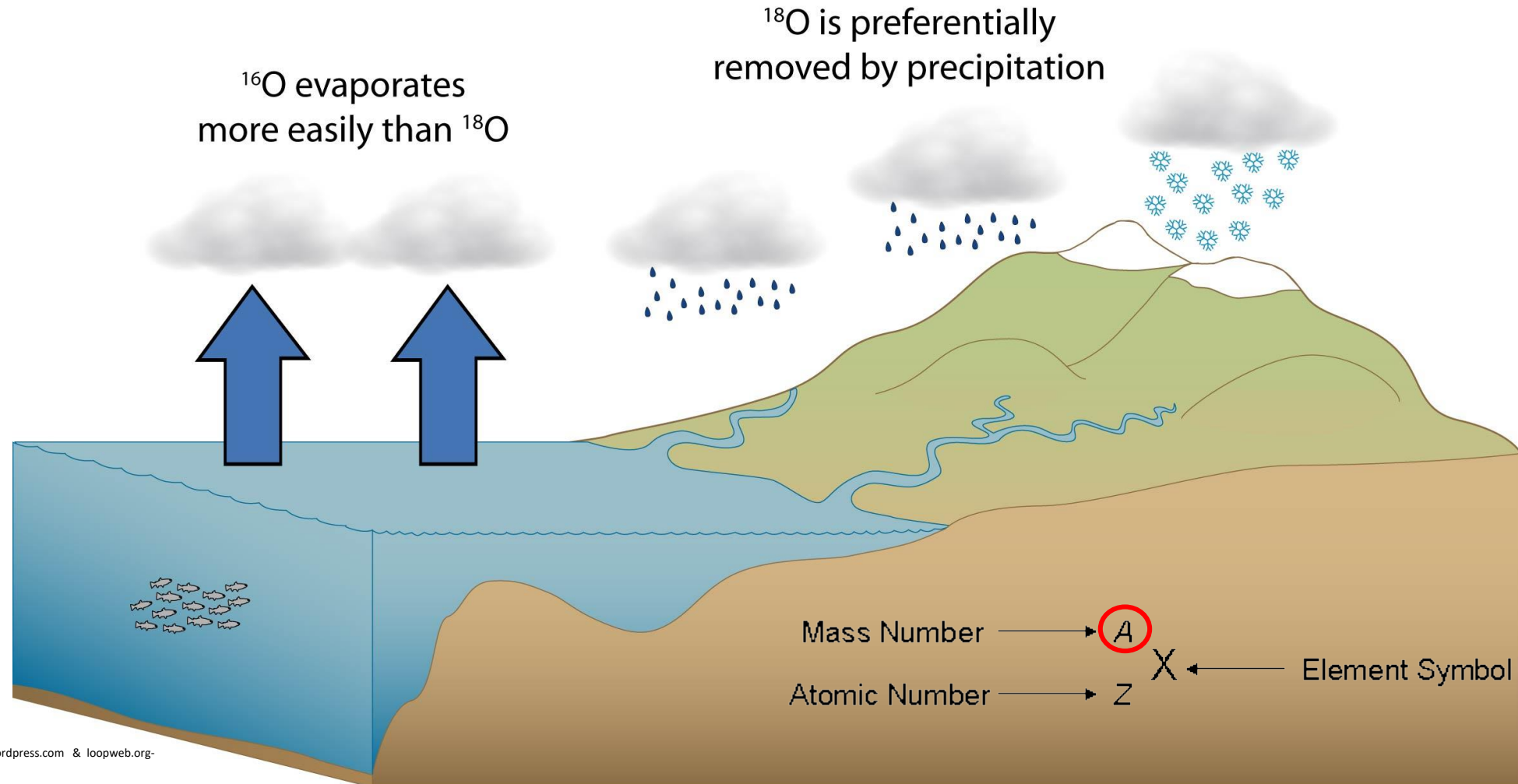


Experimental density = 2.477 g/cm^3
 Experimental dipole moment = 1.43 D

Can they be reproduce ?

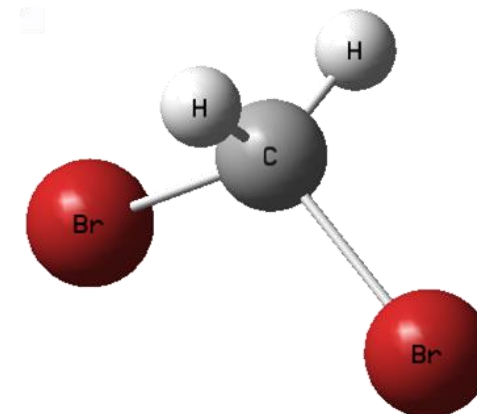


¿What is a isotope effect and why ought I to care ?



Geometry optimisation of DBM

- Density Functional Theory (DFT): **B3LYP & M06-2X**
- Coupled cluster (CC): **CCSD**
- Møller–Plesset perturbation theory (MP): **MP2**
- Basis set : 6-311+g(d,p)
- QM package : Gaussian 9 D.



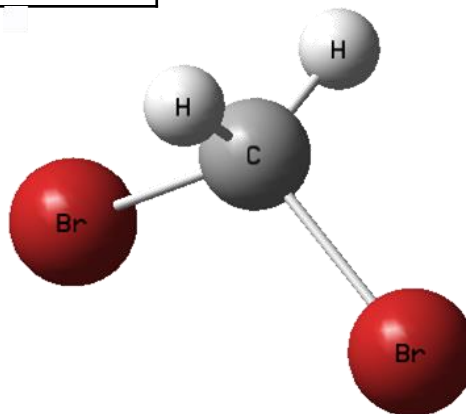
Atom type	Electrostatic partial charges			
	B3LYP	CCSD	M06-2X	MP2
CT	-0.638	-0.605	-0.664	-0.602
HC	0.315	0.316	0.327	0.315
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Br	0.003	-0.014	0.005	-0.014
μ (D)	1.79	2.00	1.85	1.99

Experimental dipole moment = 1.43 D

Level of theory	Bond length, Å		Bond angle (°)		
	CT - Br	CT - HC	HC - CT - HC	HC - CT - Br	Br - CT - Br
B3LYP	1.95	1.08	112.5	107.5	114.4
CCSD	1.94	1.08	111.5	107.9	114.0
M06-2X	1.93	1.08	112.1	107.8	113.8
MP2	1.93	1.09	111.5	107.9	114.0

Geometry vs general AMBER force field parameters of DBM

Level of theory	Bond length, Å		Bond angle (°)		
	CT - Br	CT - HC	HC - CT - HC	HC - CT - Br	Br - CT - Br
B3LYP	1.95	1.08	112.47	107.53	114.39
CCSD	1.94	1.08	111.5	107.86	113.95
M06-2X	1.93	1.08	112.14	107.75	113.78
MP2	1.93	1.09	111.52	107.86	113.96



Bond Parameters		
BOND	K_b (kcal · mol ⁻¹ · Å ²)	r_0 (Å)
Br - CT	159	1.944
CT - HC	340	1.09
Angle Parameters		
Angle	K_θ (kcal · mol ⁻¹ · rad ²)	θ_0 (deg)
HC - CT - HC	35	109.5
HC - CT - Br	43.18	108.111
Br - CT - Br	66.91	113.001
Atom Van der Waals parameters		
Atom	ϵ (kcal · mol ⁻¹)	R (Å)
CT	0.1094	1.908
HC	0.0157	1.287
Br	0.42	2.02

Simulation flow

DBM system is named, based on the level of theory used for the geometry optimisation of the molecule:

B3LYP - M06-2X - CCSD - MP2

40 Å box - Periodic

298.15 K

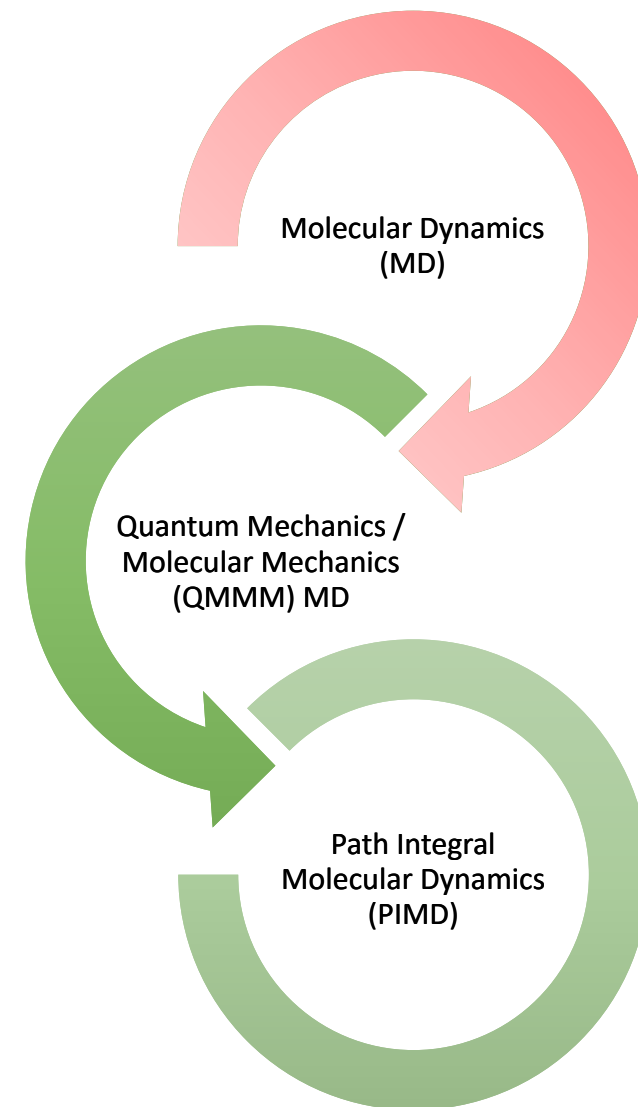
Time-step : 0.5 fs

Heating time : 0.3 ns

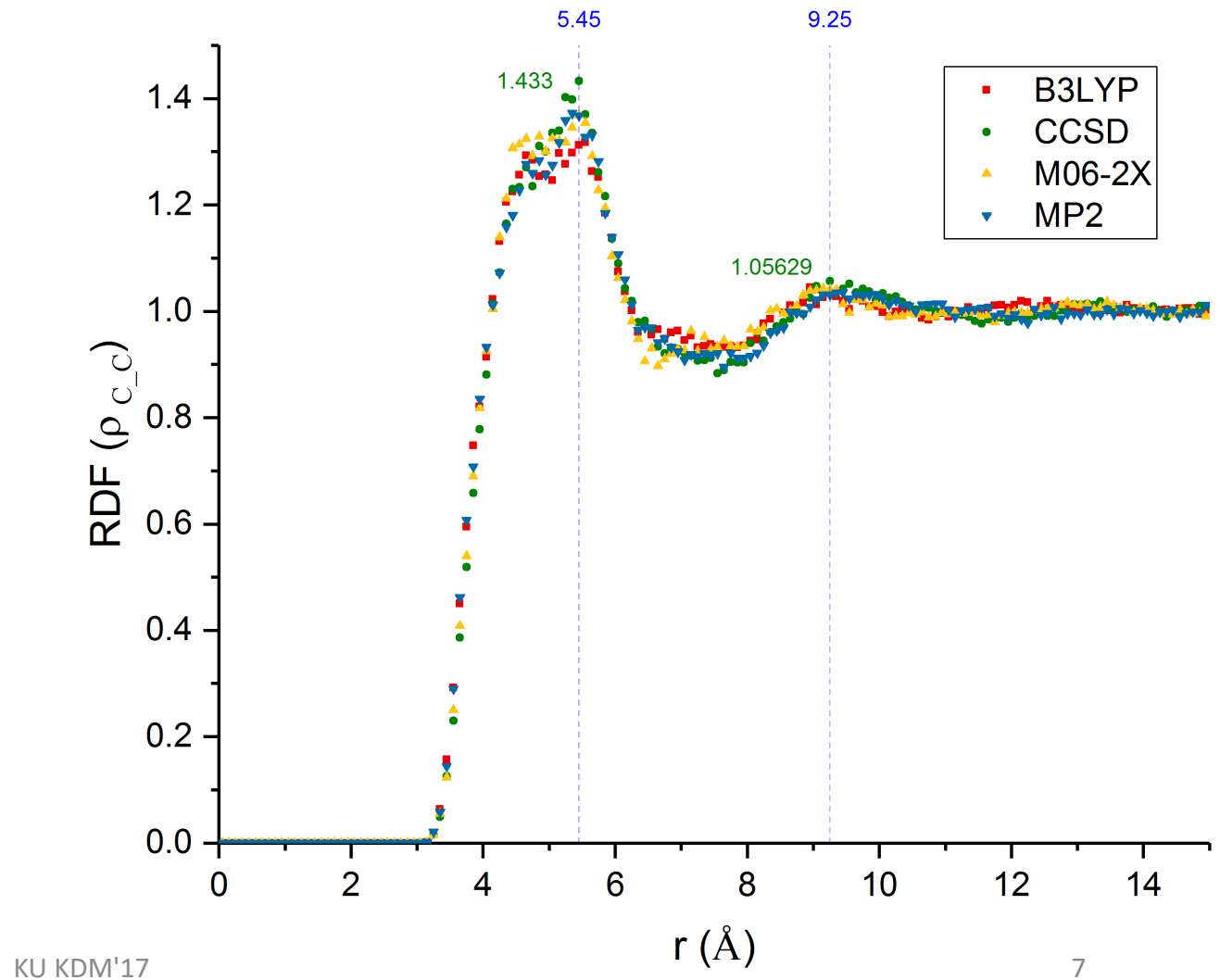
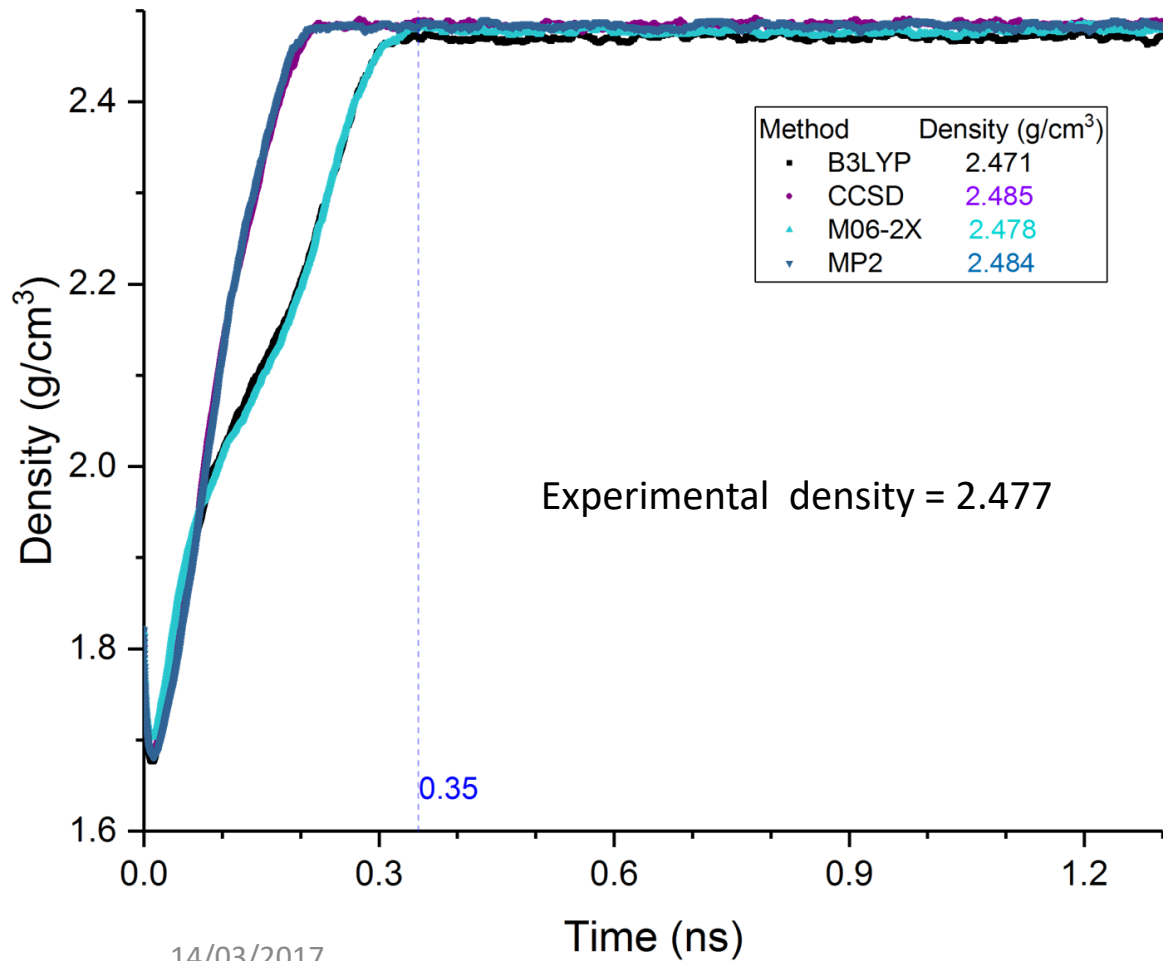
Langevin Thermostat

Simulation time : 2.2 ns

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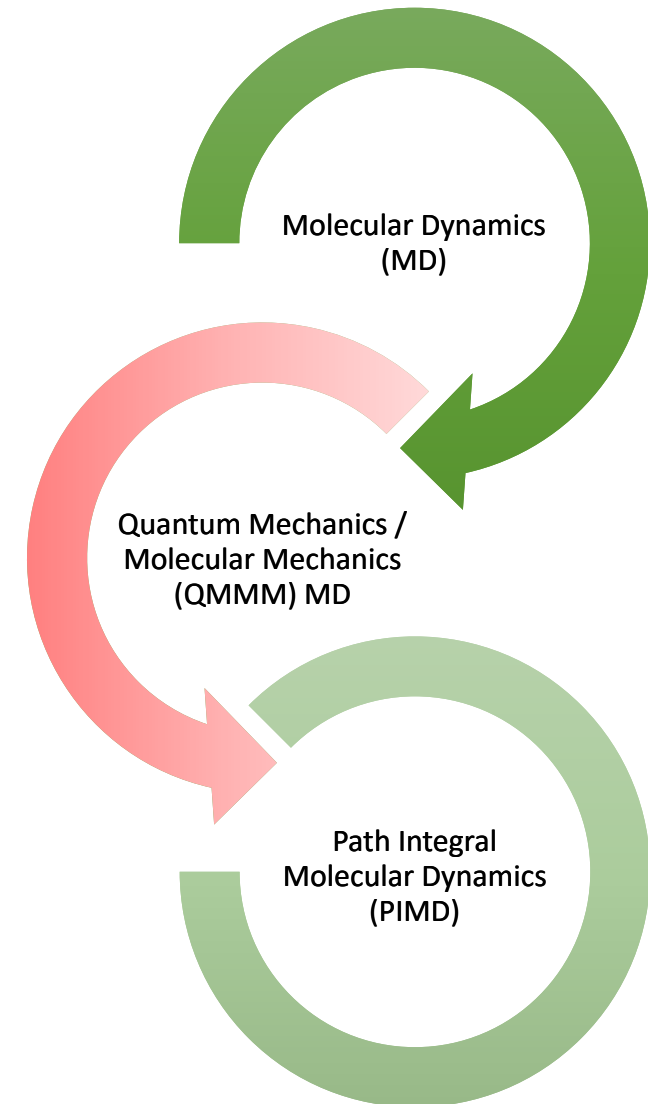


MD > density & radial distribution function

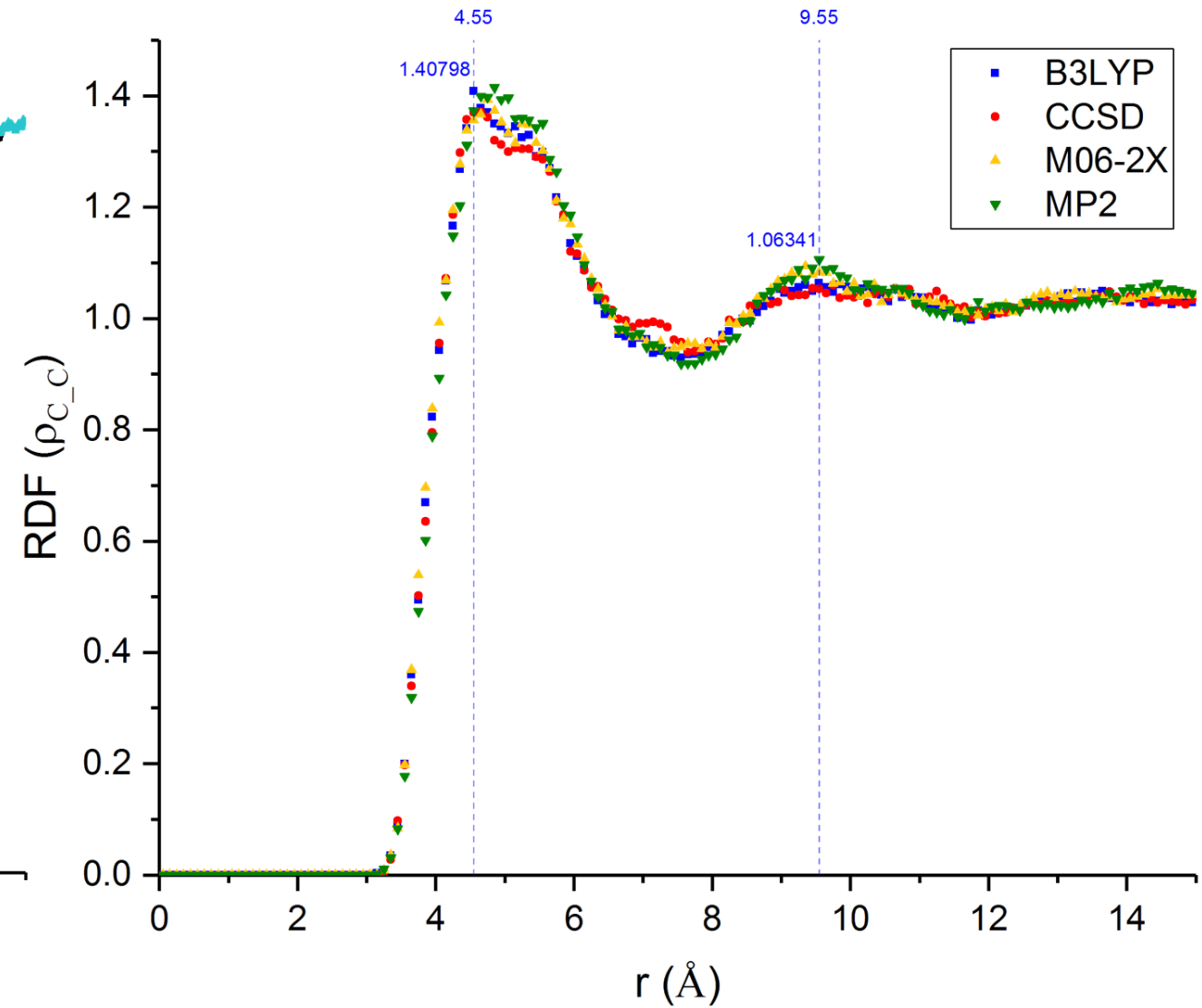
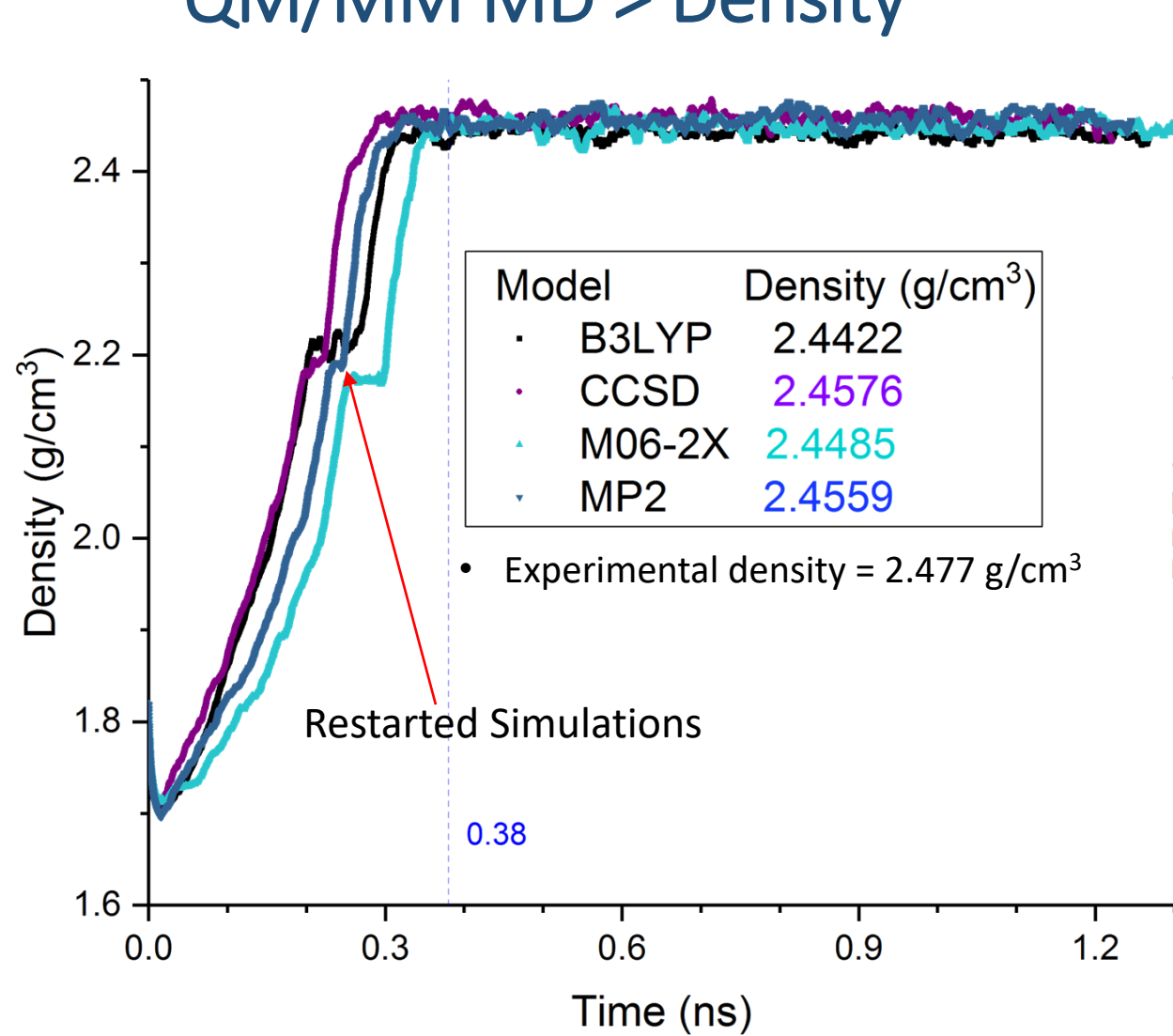


Simulation flow

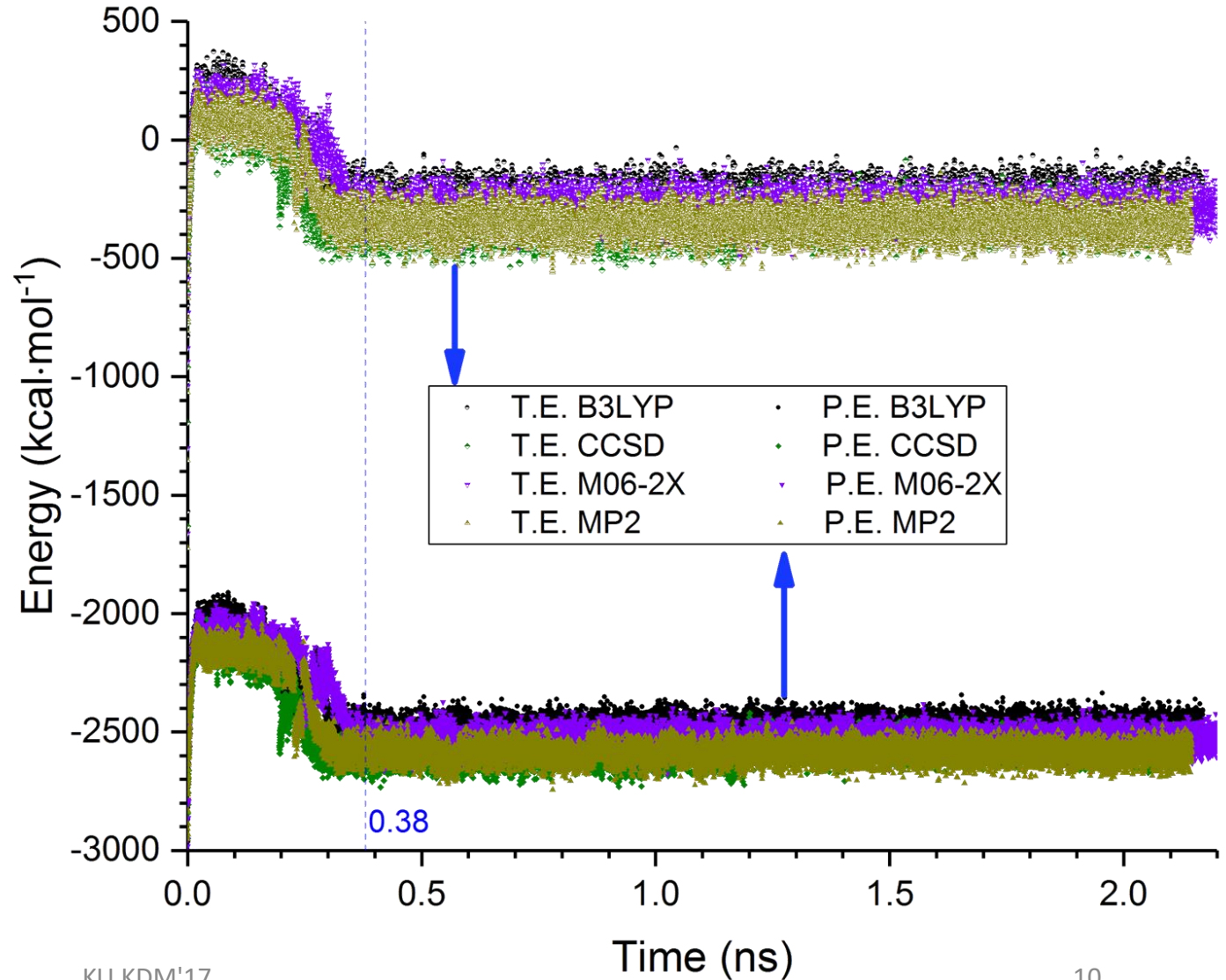
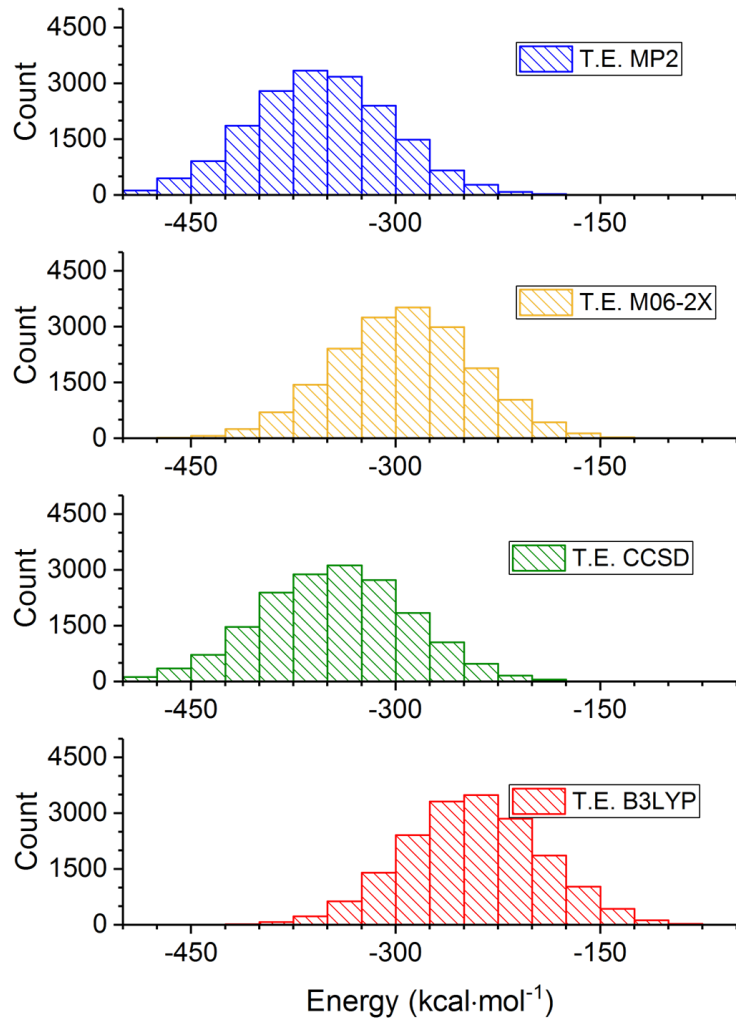
40 Å box - Periodic
298.15 K
QM : PM6
Time-step : 0.5 fs
Heating time : 0.3 ns
Langevin Thermostat
Simulation time : 2.2 ns



QM/MM MD > Density

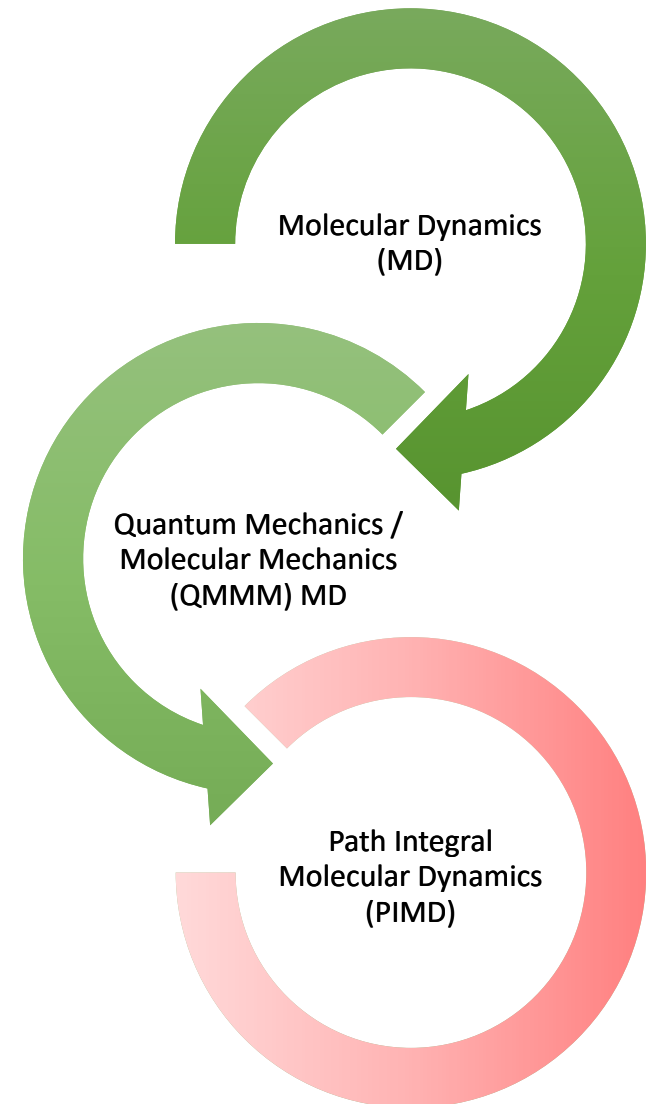


QM/MM MD > Energy of the system

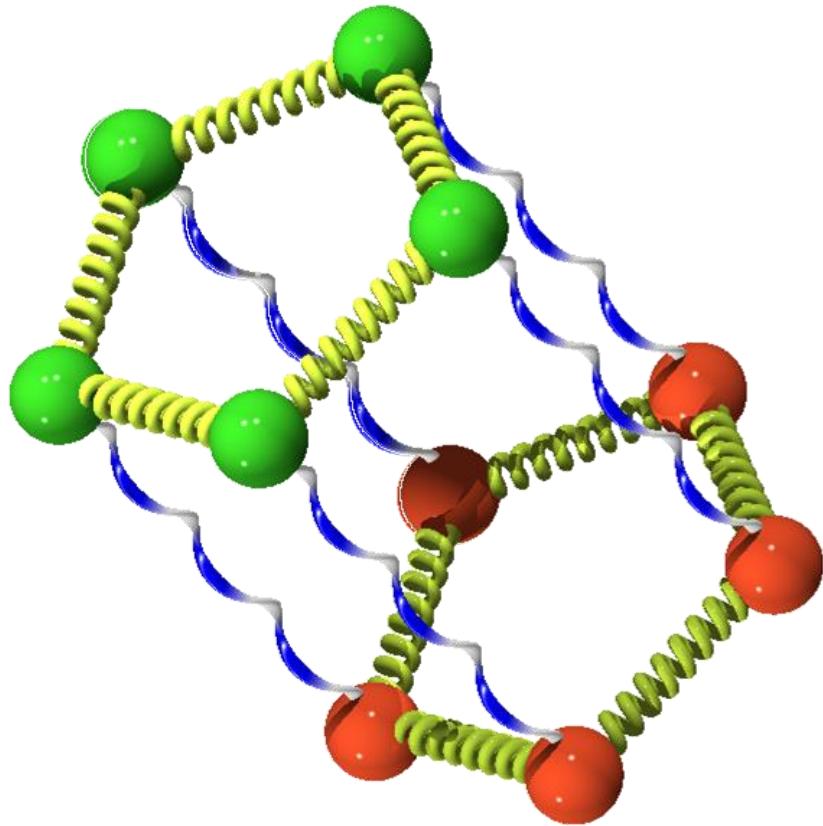


Simulation flow

Restart file from QM/MM MD
298.15 K
Time-step : 0.2 fs
Simulation time : 0.8 ns
Nosé-Hoover chain thermostat



Path Integral Molecular Dynamics (PIMD)



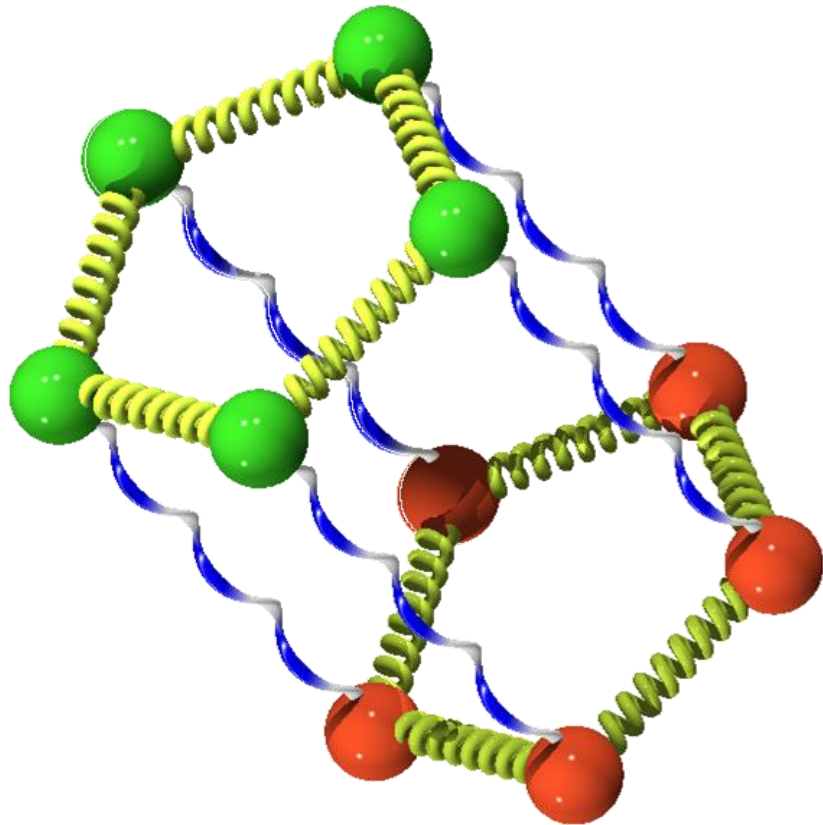
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Path integral formalism represents an **isomorphism** between a quantum system and an **equivalent** classical model system.

Hamiltonian for the one-dimensional system

$$H = \frac{p^2}{2m} + v(x) = T + V \quad [T, V] \neq 0$$

Path Integral Molecular Dynamics (PIMD)



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Canonical partition function

$$Z(\beta) = \lim_{P \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{mP}{2\pi\beta\hbar^2} \right)^{P/2} \int_{x_{P+1}=x_1} dx_1 \cdots dx_P e^{-\beta U_{eff}},$$

Effective potential

$$U_{eff} = \sum_{i=1}^P \left[\frac{mP}{2\beta^2\hbar^2} (x_{i+1} - x_i)^2 + \frac{1}{P} U(x_i) \right]$$

Harmonic springs

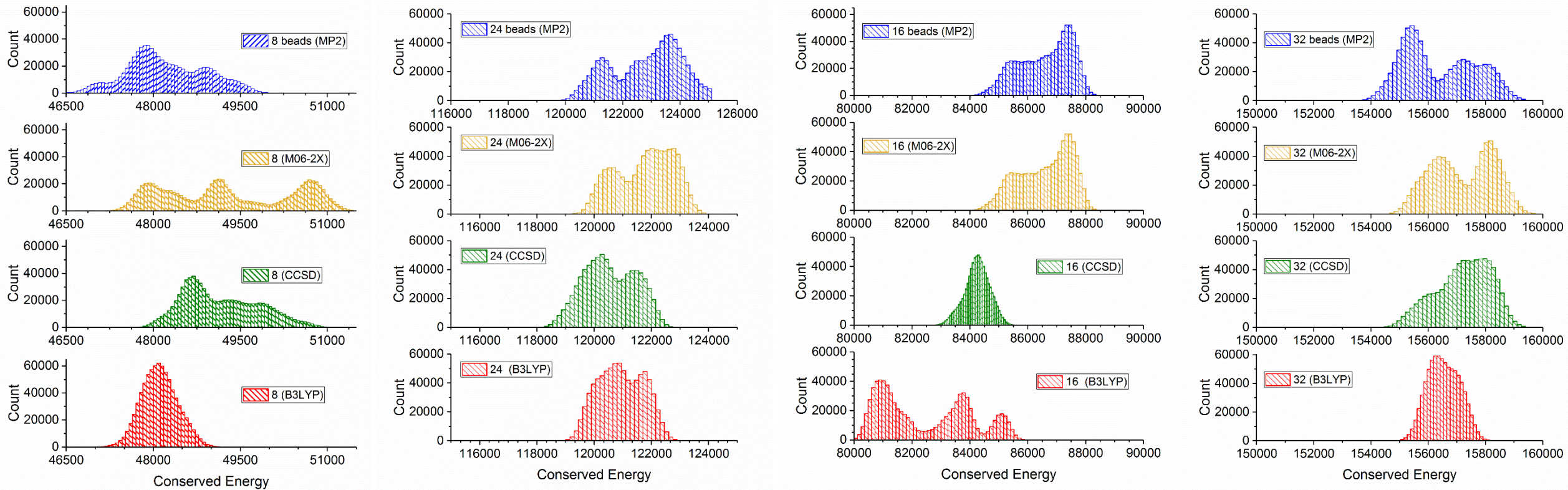
Classical Hamiltonian

Spring constant

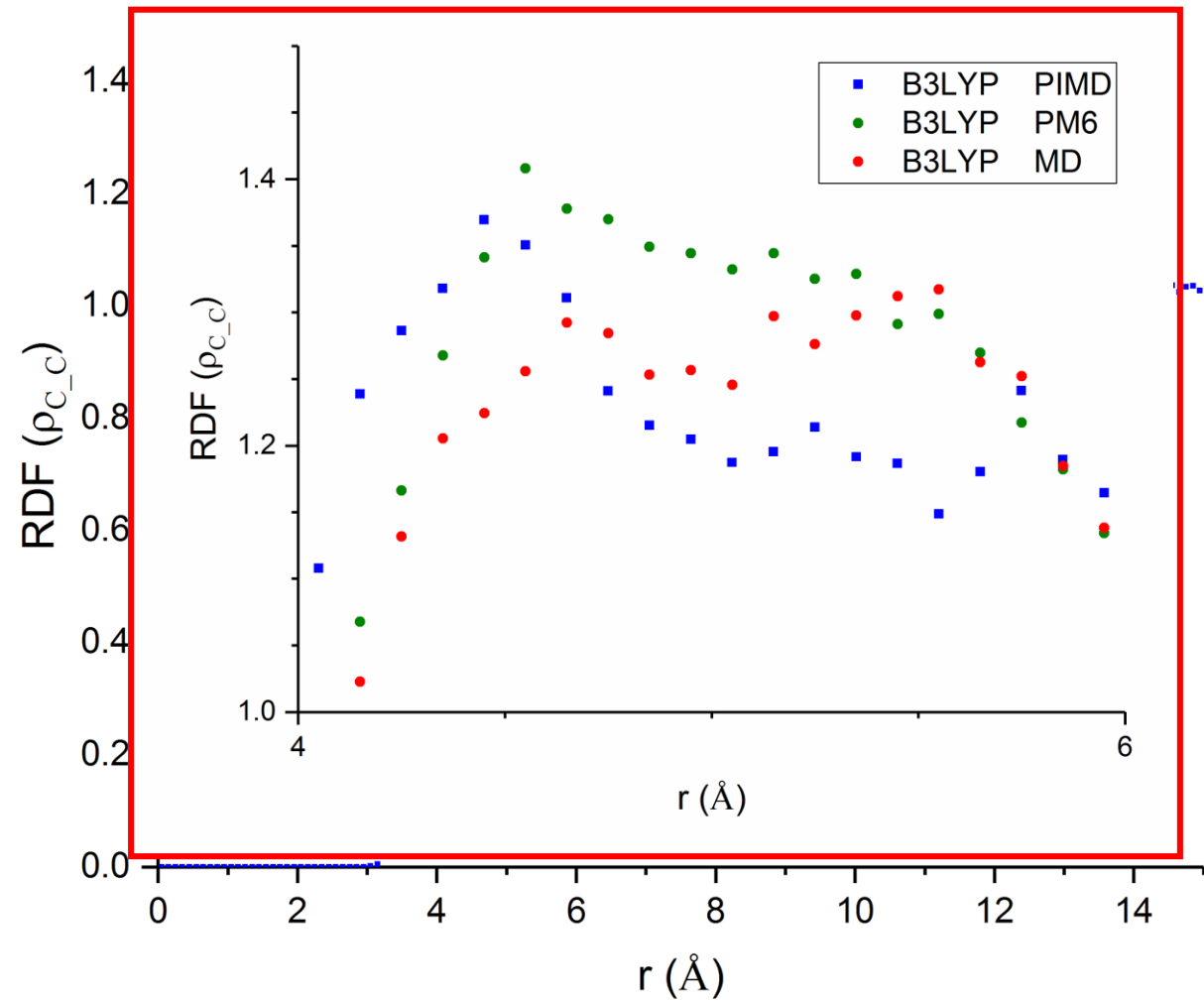
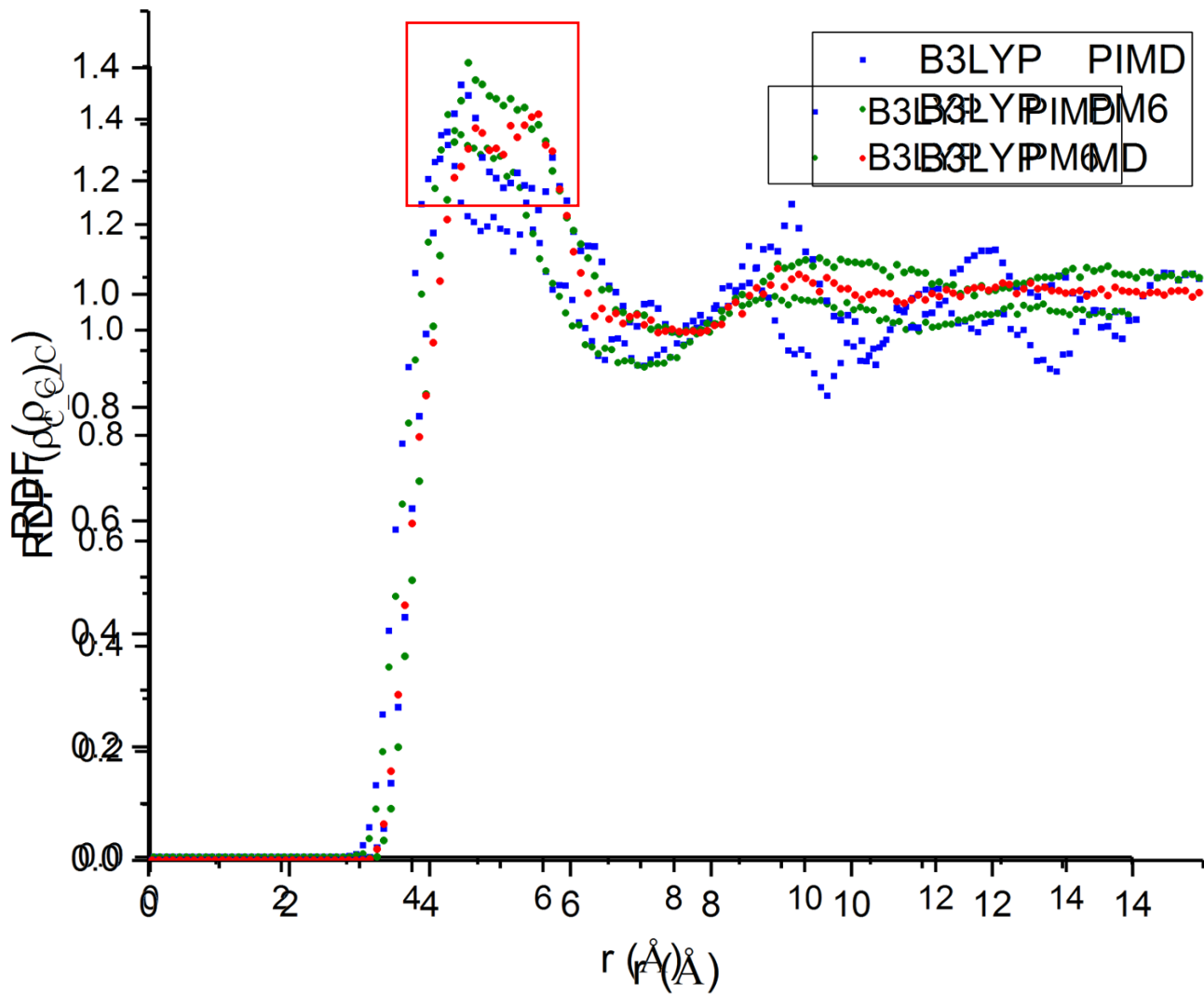
$$k(P, \beta) = \frac{mP}{\hbar^2 \beta^2} = \frac{mP k_B^2 T^2}{\hbar^2}$$

PIMD > Conserved Energy

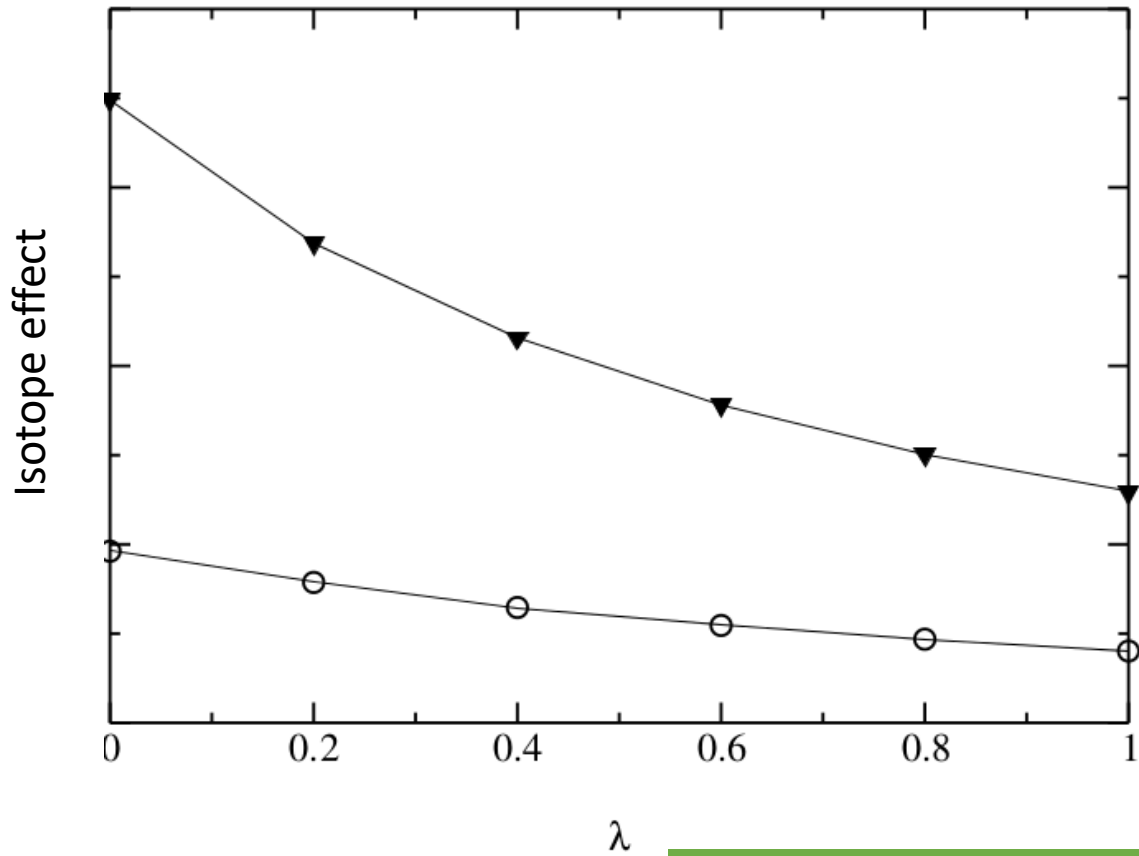
- Performed simulations with 8, 16, 24, & 32 “beads”



PIMD > RDF comparisons



Equilibrium Isotope Effects (EIE)

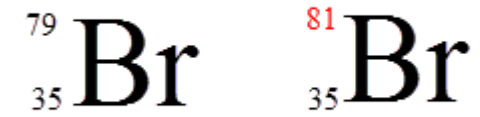
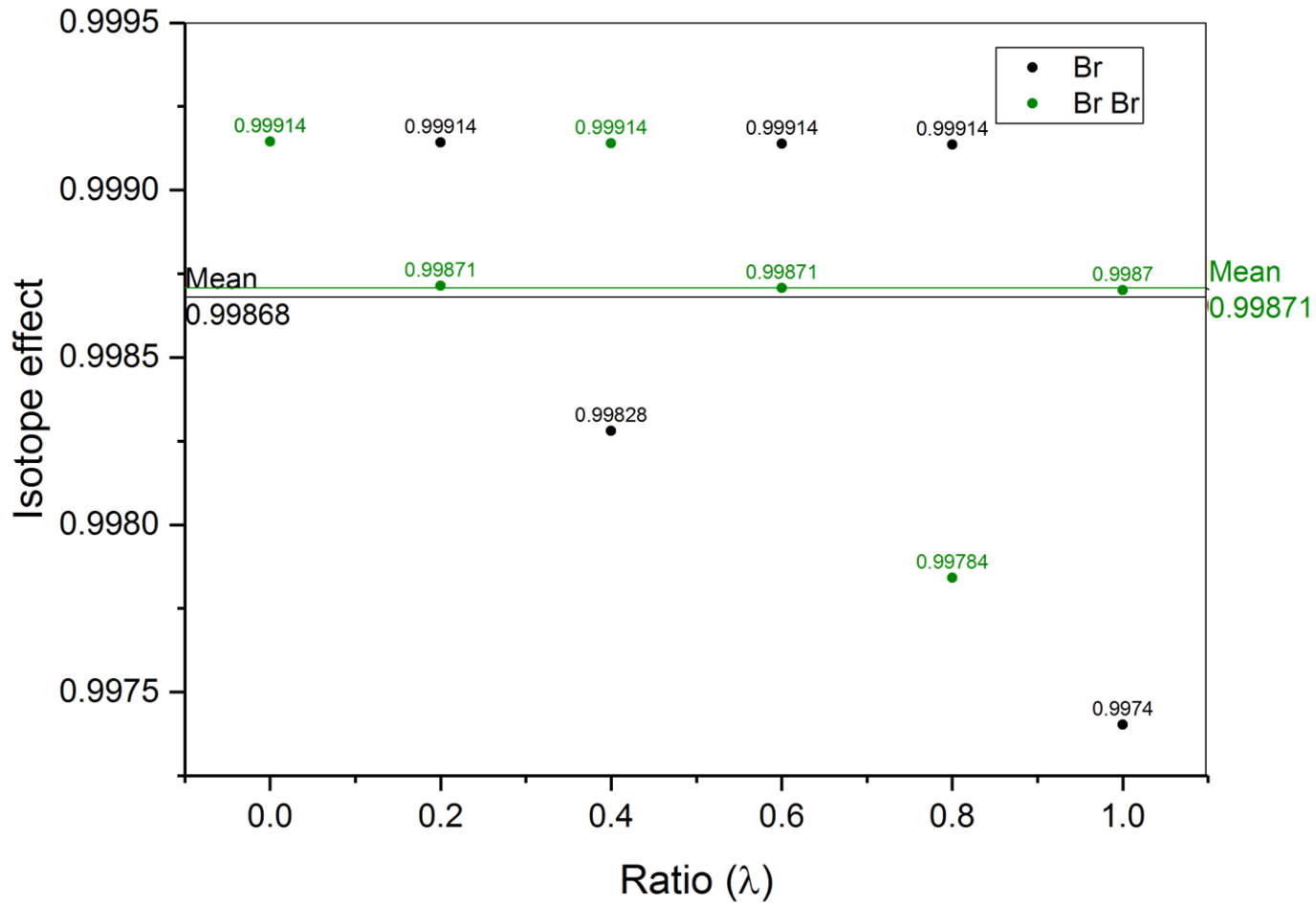


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$$\text{EIE} := \frac{K^{(l)}}{K^{(h)}} \cdot {}_6^{12}\text{C} \quad {}_6^{13}\text{C}$$

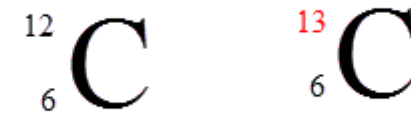
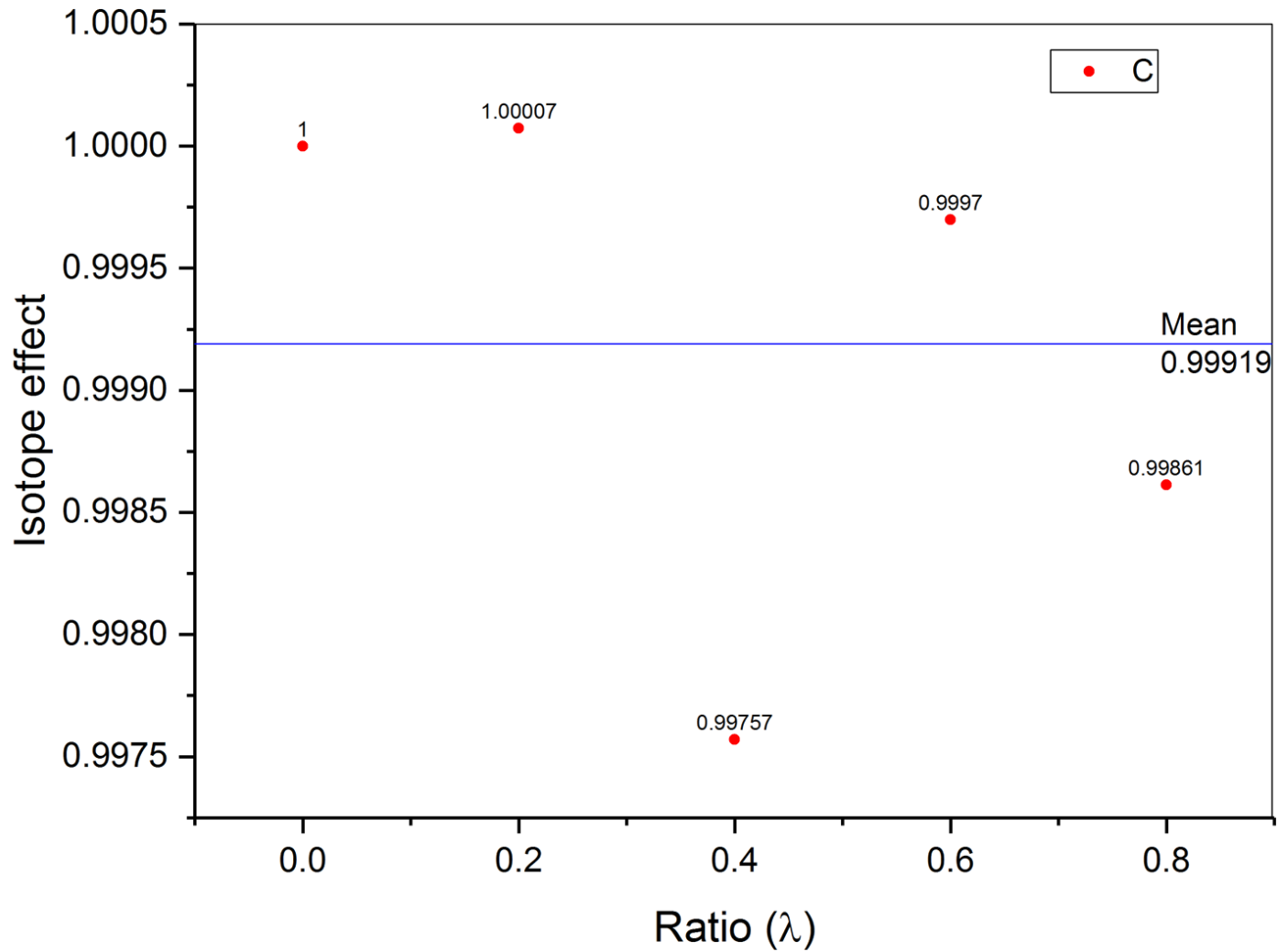
Interpolation between the masses, lighter ($\lambda = 0$) and heavier ($\lambda = 1$)

EIE> (Bromide)



Experimental value : 1.001

EIE> (Carbon)



Experimental value : 0.999

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Thanks for your attention 😊

EIE

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Effect

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