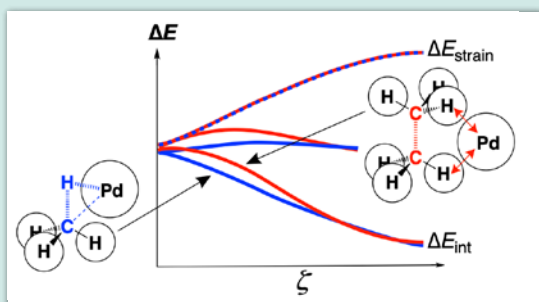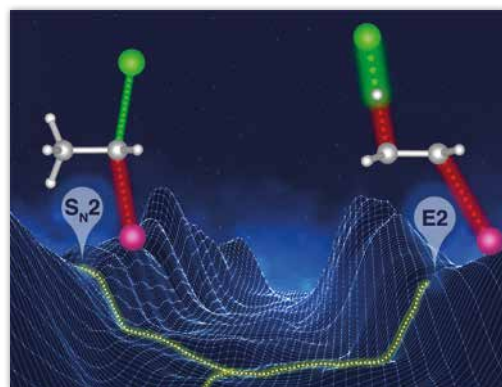# Bonding & Reactivity
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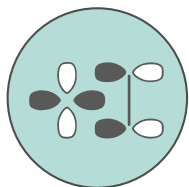- Aromaticity indices

Key methods for Bonding & Reactivity

✓ Easy visualization and analysis in integrated GUI
✓ Automated activation strain analysis (PyFrag)
✓ Bond energy decomposition analysis (EDA)
✓ Quantitative molecular orbital diagrams
✓ Efficient exploitation of symmetry in calculations
✓ Advanced VDD charge density analysis

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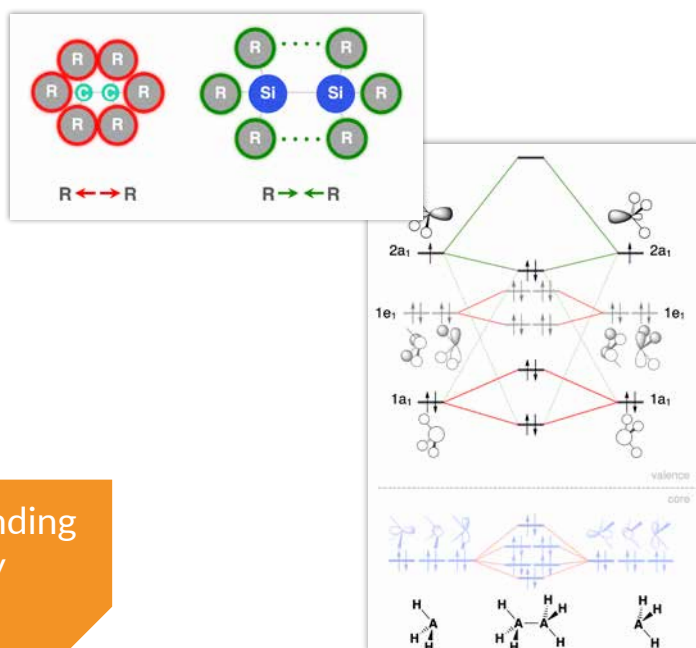
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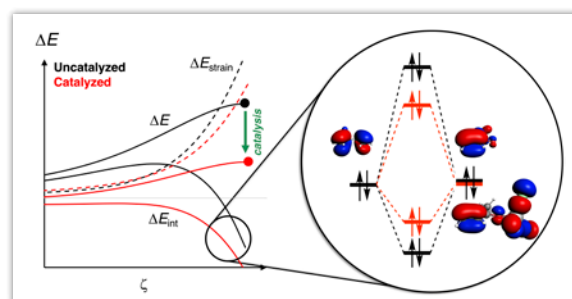
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