

Supplementary Materials for

Properties of Gaseous Deprotonated L-Cysteine S-Sulfate Anion [cysS-SO₃]⁻: Intramolecular H-Bond Network, Electron Affinity, Chemically Active Site, and Vibrational Fingerprints

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Table S1. Calculated vibrational frequencies (cm^{-1}) for the top eight low-lying isomers S_i ($i=1-8$) at the CAM-B3LYP/maug-cc-pVTZ level.

Mode	S_1	S_2	S_3	S_4	S_5	S_6	S_7	S_8
Q ₁	35	30	29	42	22	29	29	25
Q ₂	58	47	49	60	51	88	31	40
Q ₃	109	77	74	71	71	117	67	61
Q ₄	117	134	109	129	96	148	85	107
Q ₅	148	146	145	139	177	167	157	135
Q ₆	192	193	191	173	195	202	181	193
Q ₇	219	209	263	213	211	231	196	201
Q ₈	276	281	283	280	263	257	239	266
Q ₉	307	308	292	300	276	278	278	279
Q ₁₀	334	329	320	347	304	282	284	305
Q ₁₁	355	362	358	365	327	304	320	331
Q ₁₂	373	371	382	383	347	349	360	351
Q ₁₃	427	417	483	417	373	381	369	391
Q ₁₄	496	496	497	495	495	505	495	490
Q ₁₅	509	507	506	505	499	506	498	496
Q ₁₆	516	524	518	510	511	581	506	508
Q ₁₇	586	596	570	591	578	593	574	556
Q ₁₈	596	627	597	597	591	616	578	590
Q ₁₉	682	671	670	685	697	678	708	627
Q ₂₀	762	768	741	759	737	757	763	676
Q ₂₁	818	812	796	794	762	797	777	773
Q ₂₂	864	868	874	884	779	864	783	809
Q ₂₃	931	942	910	909	821	879	877	855
Q ₂₄	968	961	949	929	901	897	953	915
Q ₂₅	983	973	984	986	991	969	972	985
Q ₂₆	1064	987	1011	1041	1012	987	994	997
Q ₂₇	1100	1091	1070	1095	1076	1070	1098	1083
Q ₂₈	1108	1113	1142	1115	1141	1141	1127	1103
Q ₂₉	1168	1170	1168	1167	1177	1155	1186	1157
Q ₃₀	1187	1184	1178	1193	1196	1175	1204	1183
Q ₃₁	1199	1209	1203	1199	1204	1231	1214	1202
Q ₃₂	1219	1228	1222	1228	1221	1242	1230	1218
Q ₃₃	1254	1265	1263	1244	1237	1269	1266	1238
Q ₃₄	1280	1280	1275	1286	1323	1293	1306	1270
Q ₃₅	1350	1333	1342	1354	1339	1352	1333	1295
Q ₃₆	1401	1410	1399	1402	1383	1375	1368	1387
Q ₃₇	1420	1415	1413	1406	1414	1408	1429	1401
Q ₃₈	1618	1626	1607	1605	1553	1606	1598	1594
Q ₃₉	1760	1760	1763	1765	1741	1740	1735	1755
Q ₄₀	2926	2926	2899	2923	2897	2936	2878	2923
Q ₄₁	2939	2941	2948	2945	2941	2962	2934	2935
Q ₄₂	2991	2997	2997	3007	2997	2995	2993	2977
Q ₄₃	3071	3074	3124	3165	3228	3078	3175	3297
Q ₄₄	3332	3188	3206	3303	3375	3356	3351	3410
Q ₄₅	3372	3437	3442	3394	3463	3425	3419	3616

Table S2. QTAIM parameters for the top two isomers calculated at the CAM-B3LYP/maug-cc-pVTZ level.

Hydrogen-bond type			BCP $\rho(r)$	BCP $\nabla^2\rho(r)$	BCP $H(r)$	E _{HB}
			[a.u.]	[a.u.]	[a.u.]	[kcal/mol]
S₁	a	O-H...N	0.050	0.100	-0.0107	-17.71
	b	N-H...O	0.018	0.068	0.0026	-7.12
	c	N-H...O	0.015	0.053	0.0022	-5.94
S₂	a	O-H...N	0.049	0.098	-0.0103	-17.49
	b	N-H...O	0.032	0.096	0.0020	-11.75

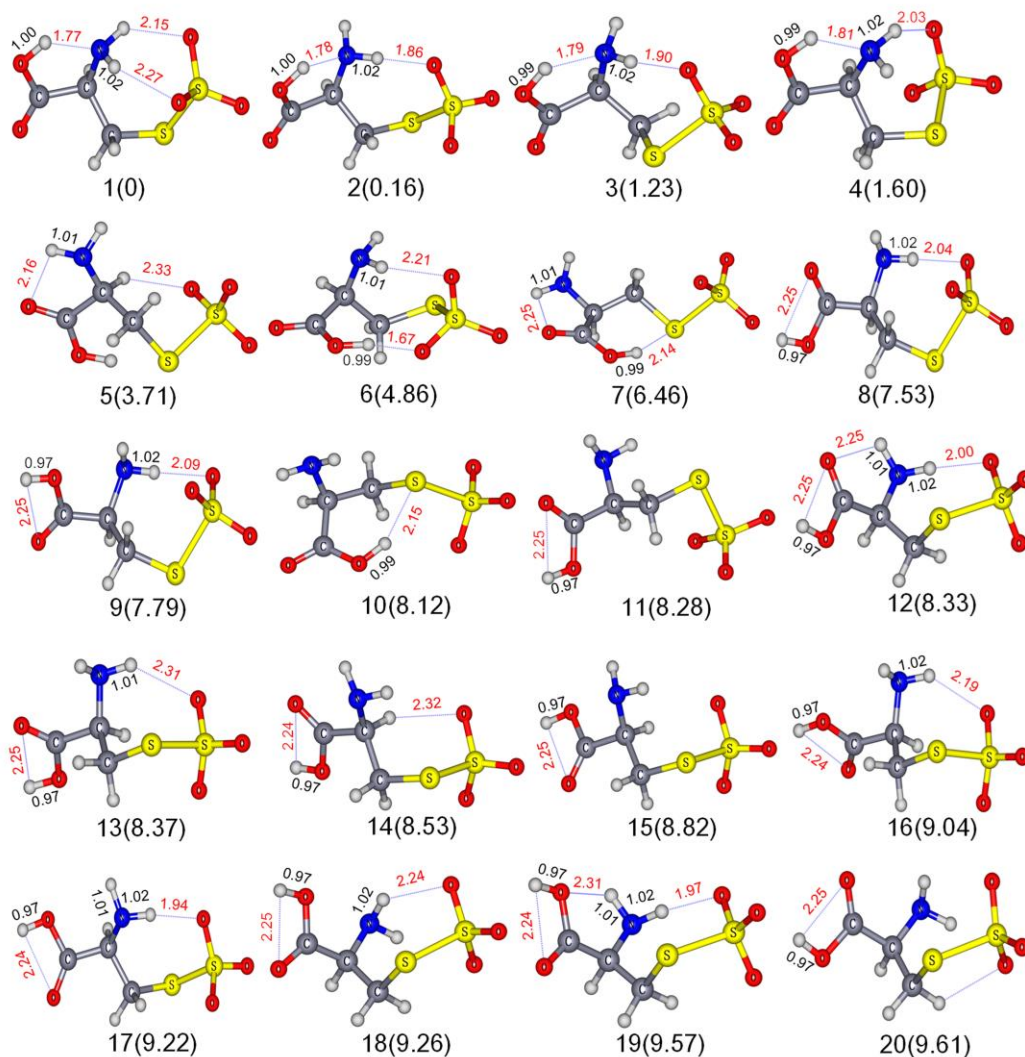


Figure S1. Top twenty conformers of cysteine perthiosulfonate anion $[\text{cysS-SO}_3]^-$ calculated at the CAM-B3LYP/maug-cc-pVTZ level. The relative energies at 0 K (kcal/mol, including ZPE) are indicated in parenthesis below each structure.

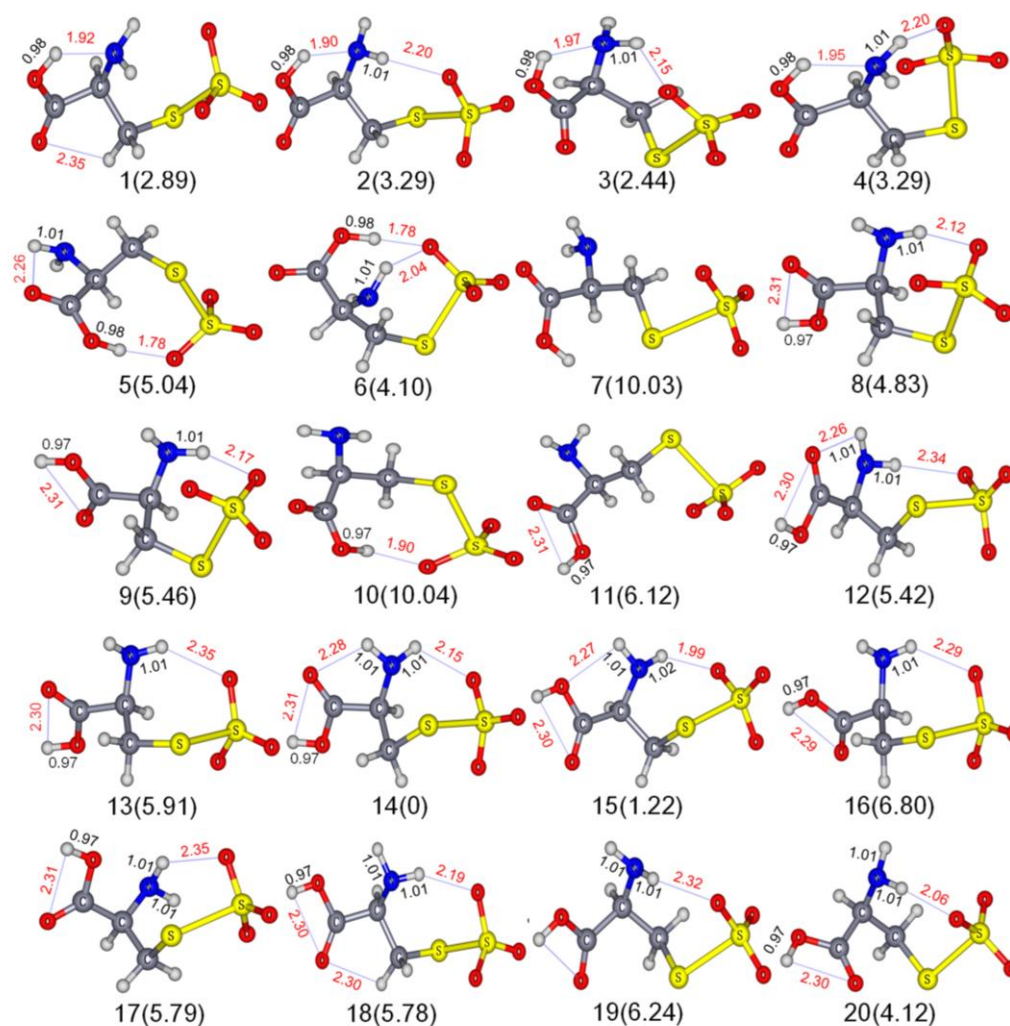


Figure S2. Top twenty conformers of $[\text{cysS-SO}_3]^\bullet$ radical calculated at the CAM-B3LYP/maug-cc-pVTZ level. The relative energies at 0 K (kcal/mol, including ZPE) are indicated in parenthesis below each structure.

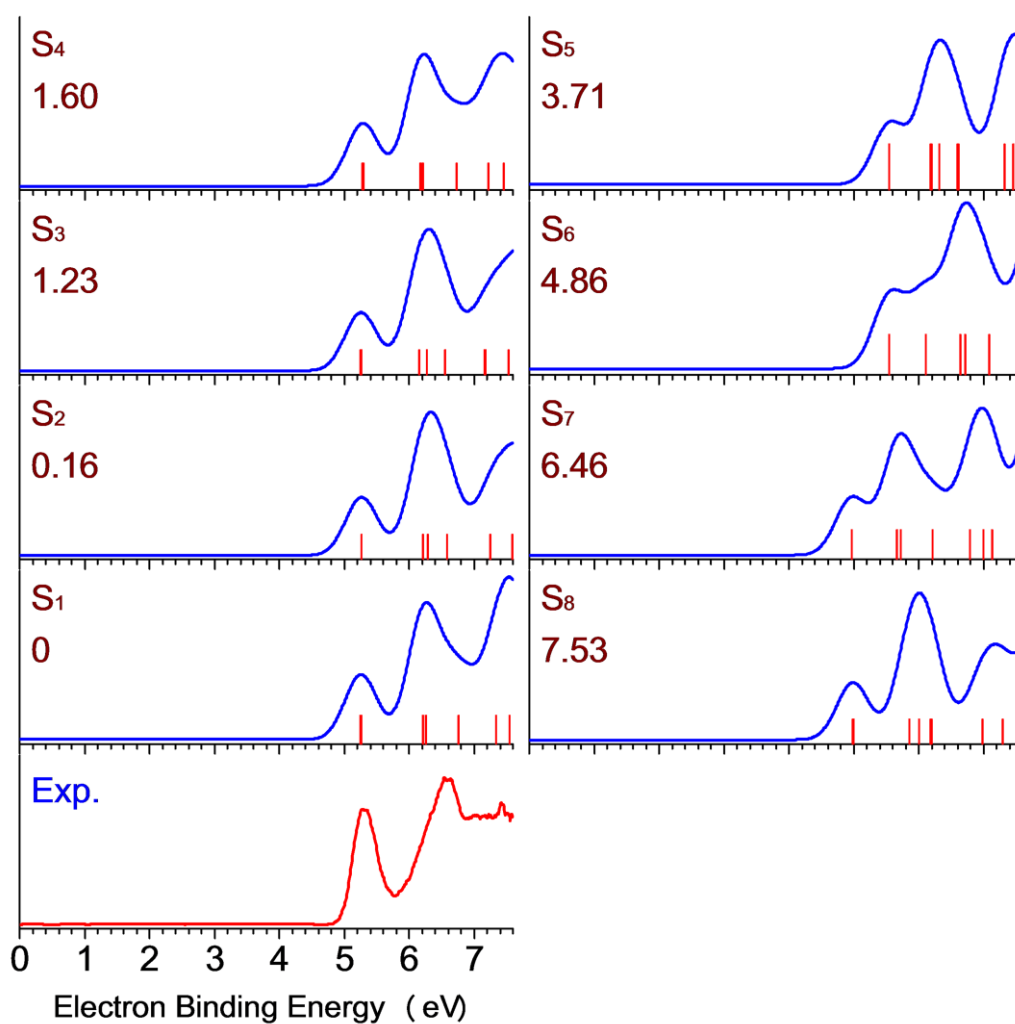


Figure S3. Simulated photoelectron spectra at the level of TD-CAM-B3LYP for S_i ($i = 1-8$) (FWHM = 0.35 eV) along with the experimental one for comparison.

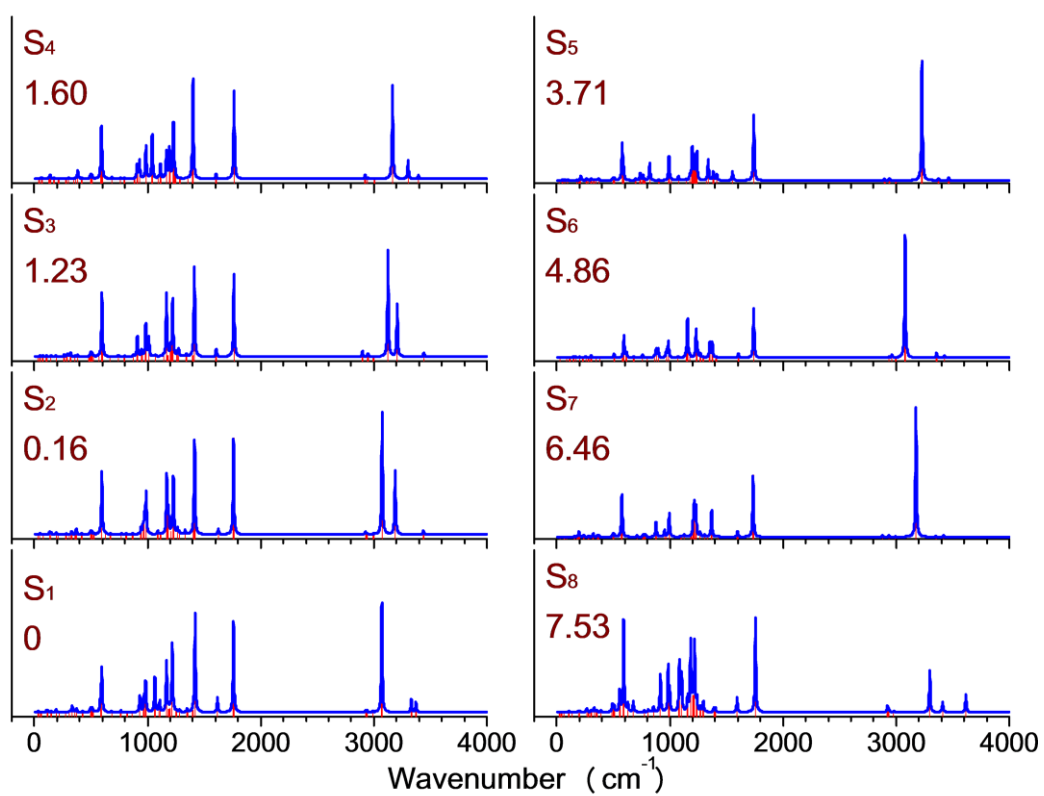


Figure S4. Simulated IR spectra at the level of CAM-B3LYP in the range of 0 cm^{-1} and 4000 cm^{-1} for S_i ($i = 1-8$) (FWHM = 10 cm^{-1} , scaled by 0.954).