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Python for computational chemistry General capabilities, with a ONETEP example

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Example: doped graphene nanoribbon

Let's create a simple graphene nanoribbon sheet with 10 Å of vacuum on each side

Get all distances to center of mass com = sheet.get_center_of_mass() distances to com = norm(sheet.positions - com, axis = 1)

Find atoms close to com and change one randomly to N p, = np.where(distances_to_com < 5) to nitro = choice(p)sheet[to_nitro].symbol = 'N'

Based on the distance, we randomly introduce a nitrogen atoms

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sheet = graphene nanoribbon(10, 10, type='zigzag', vacuum = 10)
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We number the carbon atoms depending on how close they are to the previously introduced nitrogen

The aim is to generate these species, that we can feed to ONETEP.



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5, 3.0, 4.0, 4.5]):
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Normal colouring



Colouring based on tag number





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# Keywords for the input file
keywords = \{
    'species_solver' : ['N SOLVE conf=1s1 2p4'],
    'xc' : 'PBE',
    'paw': True,
    'do_properties': True,
    'cutoff energy' : '500 eV',
    'species ldos groups': species,
    'task' : 'GeometryOptimization'
# Write the input file
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ONETEP will then calculate the LDOS for every carbon subgroups.

Finally, we write the onetep input file using the specified parameters







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Materials

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from ase.build import add_adsorbate, fcclll
from ase.optimize import BFGS
from orb models.forcefield import pretrained
from orb models.forcefield.calculator import ORBCalculator
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orbff = pretrained.orb_d3_sm_v1()
calc = ORBCalculator(orbff, device="cpu")
atoms = fcc111("Pt", (3, 3, 5), vacuum=10)
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add adsorbate(atoms, adsorbate="0", position="fcc", height=1.5)
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atoms.calc = calc

opt = BFGS(atoms, trajectory=f"{atoms.get_chemical_formula()}.traj") opt.run(fmax=0.01)

ORB, currently ranked 1st on the benchmark of Machine Learned models can be used with ASE to pre-optimize systems.







Changing the script to run the model for various elemental surfaces:

elements = ["Ni", "Cu", "Ir", "Au", "Pd", "Ag"]

for el in elements: atoms = fcc111(el, (3, 3, 5), vacuum=10)

atoms.calc = calc

opt.run(fmax=0.1)





- add adsorbate(atoms, adsorbate="0", position="fcc", height=1.5)

opt = BFGS(atoms, trajectory=f"{atoms.get_chemical_formula()}.traj")







Python ecosystem for computational chemistry







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class CoherentInterfaceBuilder(substrate_structure: Structure, film_structure: Structure, film_miller: Tuple3Ints, substrate_miller: Tuple3Ints, zslgen: ZSLGenerator | None = None) [source]

generate_all_slabs(structure: Structure, max_index: int, min_slab_size: float, min_vacuum_size: float, bonds: dict | None = None, tol: float = 0.1, ftol: float = 0.1, max_broken_bonds: int = 0, III_reduce: bool = False, center_slab: bool = False, primitive: bool = True, max_normal_search: int | None = None, symmetrize: bool = False, repair: bool = False, include_reconstructions: bool = False, in_unit_planes: bool = False) \rightarrow list[Slab] [source]

class **PourbaixDiagram**(entries: list[PourbaixEntry] | list[MultiEntry], comp_dict: dict[str, float] | None = None, conc_dict: dict[str, float] | None = None, filter_solids: bool = True, nproc: int | None = None) [source]^C

from quacc.recipes.onetep.core import ase_relax_job

singlepoint results = ase relax job(atoms, keywords=default keywords)

Workflow manager

Automatically dispatch specific task(s) of a given workflow concurrently on your HPC.

With Quacc, running a ONETEP calculation is reduced to a simple line:

