

## Supporting information

**Table S1** Summary of main quantities written in bond.out file obtained after calculations in PolaBer.

q(A)	Atomic charge (EFIELD=0*)
alpha11, alpha22, alpha33, alpha12, alpha13,alpha23	Components of atomic polarizability tensors (Bohr <sup>3</sup> )
alphaiso	Isotropic value of atomic polarizability
Vol	Atomic volume bounded by an isosurface of the electron density distribution (0.001 a.u.Isodensity Envelope, EFIELD=0)
D(A-B)	Bond length in Bohr
d1, d2	Distances between atom A and BCP and BCP and atom B, respectively. (EFIELD=0, Bohr)
Rho, delrho, elips	Electron density, Laplacian and bond ellipticity(EF=0)
bcharge	Bond charge calculated for EFIELD=0
polA, polB, bonpol	Projections of polarizabilities of atom A on A-B bond and atom B on A-B bond, respectively  bondpol=polA+polB (total bond polarizability)
dipA, dipB, bonddip	Projections of dipole moments of atom A on A-B bond and atom B on A-B bond, respectively  bonddip=polA+polB (total bond dipole moment)
chi	Crystal electric susceptibility, obtained from summation of atomic polarizabilities in the crystal unit cell as well as from anisotropic Lorentz correction
n	Crystal refractive indices calculated from the crystal susceptibility. An analysis of the optic indicatrix is also provided.

\* values corresponding to calculations without external electric field applied

*Example of bash scripts using Gaussian09 for molecular orbital calculations, AIMAll for QTAIM analysis and PolaBer for atomic polarizabilities.*

General Jobfile:

- choose the number of processors (-nproc) and number of atoms (-naat) computed at one time by AIMAll
- have g09, aimqb and polaber in the path
- have polar.gjf and dipolar.inp in the working directory
- g09 produce wfn file for each field calculation (zero.wfn, xp.wfn, xm.wfn etc.)

```
g09 < polar.gjf > polar.out
for fname in zero xp xm yp ym zp zm
do
    aimqb.ish -nogui -nproc=12 -naat=8 $fname.wfn
done
polaber
```

*Gaussian input file for calculating water distributed atomic polarizabilities (**polar.gif**).*

- Set the number of processor (Nproc) for the molecular orbital calculation
- Choose the Hamiltonian and the basis set (in green)

```
%chk=polar.chk
%Nproc=12
#b3lyp/6-311++g(2d,2p) opt out=wfn
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B3LYP 6-31++G(2d,2p) H2O
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0 1
O      0.000000      0.000000      0.200000
H      0.000000     -0.500000     -0.700000
H      0.000000      0.500000     -0.700000
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**zero.wfn**

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```
%chk=polar.chk
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%Nproc=12
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```
#b3lyp chkbasis nosymm scf=tight geom=checkpoint out=wfn
field=x+50
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x=50
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0 1
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**xp.wfn**

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```
%chk=polar.chk
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```
%Nproc=12
```

```
#b3lyp chkbasis nosymm scf=tight geom=checkpoint out=wfn
field=z-50
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z=-50
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0 1
```

**zm.wfn**