

Supporting Information

Incremental Embedding: A Density Matrix Embedding Scheme for Molecules

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Note: figures and tables in the main text are referred as Figure Mxxx and Table Mxxx.

1 Molecular structures

Shown below are the geometries (xyz format) used in the calculation in the main text. The equilibrium structures are obtained by geometry optimization at B3LYP/cc-pVTZ level in Q-Chem¹.

- H₁₀ (radial expansion):

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- CH₄ (homolytic dissociation of one C–H bond):

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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665

H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H 1.0260649157 0.0000000000 -0.3627801605
H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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2.80
C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
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H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

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3.00
C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
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H 1.0260649157 0.000000000 -0.3627801605
H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

- C₂H₆ (homolytic dissociation of the C–C bond):

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1.00
C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
H 0.000000000 0.000000000 1.0910530000
H 1.0404571178 0.000000000 -0.3284085581
H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -0.4968924884 -0.7876776211 -0.3642277037
H -0.4968924884 -0.7876776211 -1.4552807037
H -1.5373497404 -0.7876773506 -0.0358195706
H -0.0488497180 -1.7267169799 -0.0357948553

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1.05
C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
H 0.000000000 0.000000000 1.0910530000
H 1.0404571178 0.000000000 -0.3284085581
H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -0.5217371128 -0.8270615022 -0.3824390888
H -0.5217371128 -0.8270615022 -1.4734920888
H -1.5621943649 -0.8270612316 -0.0540309558
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C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
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H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -0.5465817373 -0.8664453832 -0.4006504740
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C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
H 0.000000000 0.000000000 1.091053000
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H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -0.5714263617 -0.9058292643 -0.4188618592
H -0.5714263617 -0.9058292643 -1.5099148592
H -1.6118836137 -0.9058289937 -0.0904537261
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C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
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C -0.5962709861 -0.9452131454 -0.4370732444
H -0.5962709861 -0.9452131454 -1.5281262444
H -1.6367282381 -0.9452128748 -0.1086651113
H -0.1482282157 -1.8842525041 -0.1086403960

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1.25

C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
H 0.000000000 0.000000000 1.091053000
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H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -0.6211156105 -0.9845970264 -0.4552846296
H -0.6211156105 -0.9845970264 -1.5463376296
H -1.6615728625 -0.9845967559 -0.1268764965
H -0.1730728401 -1.9236363851 -0.1268517812

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C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
H 0.000000000 0.000000000 1.091053000
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H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -0.6459602350 -1.0239809075 -0.4734960148
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H -1.6864174870 -1.0239806369 -0.1450878817
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C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
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C -0.6708048594 -1.0633647885 -0.4917073999
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H -0.2227620889 -2.0024041473 -0.1632745516

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C 0.0000000000 0.0000000000 0.0000000000
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C -0.6956494838 -1.1027486696 -0.5099187851
H -0.6956494838 -1.1027486696 -1.6009717851
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C -0.7204941082 -1.1421325506 -0.5281301703
H -0.7204941082 -1.1421325506 -1.6191831703
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C -0.7453387326 -1.1815164317 -0.5463415555
H -0.7453387326 -1.1815164317 -1.6373945555
H -1.7857959847 -1.1815161611 -0.2179334224
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C 0.0000000000 0.0000000000 0.0000000000
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H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -0.7701833571 -1.2209003127 -0.5645529407
H -0.7701833571 -1.2209003127 -1.6556059407
H -1.8106406091 -1.2209000422 -0.2361448076
H -0.3221405866 -2.1599396715 -0.2361200923

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C 0.0000000000 0.0000000000 0.0000000000
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H -1.1925419722 -1.8904262907 -1.9651994888
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H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
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H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
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H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -1.7391237095 -2.7568716740 -1.2747969628
H -1.7391237095 -2.7568716740 -2.3658499628
H -2.7795809615 -2.7568714034 -0.9463888298
H -1.2910809391 -3.6959110327 -0.9463641145

- CH₄ (equilibrium):

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C 0.0000000000 0.0000000000 0.0000000000
H 0.0000000000 0.0000000000 1.0883100000
H 1.0260649157 0.0000000000 -0.3627801605
H -0.5130521462 -0.8885870764 -0.3627797665
H -0.5130261191 0.8886085072 -0.3627670806

- C₂H₆ (equilibrium):

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C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
H 0.000000000 0.000000000 1.091053000
H 1.0404571178 0.000000000 -0.3284085581
H -0.4480430575 0.9390393681 -0.3284324300
C -0.7588263823 -1.2028971530 -0.5562281523
H -0.7588263823 -1.2028971530 -1.6472811523
H -1.7992836344 -1.2028968825 -0.2278200192
H -0.3107836119 -2.1419365118 -0.2277953039
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- C₂H₄ (equilibrium):

6

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C 0.000000000 0.000000000 0.000000000
H 0.000000000 0.000000000 1.082578000
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C -1.1260810579 -0.000000000 -0.6965844737
H -1.1260810579 -0.000000000 -1.7791624737
H -2.0947595955 -0.000000000 -0.2132221024
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- C₂H₂ (equilibrium):

4

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C -0.5980109316 0.000000000 0.000000000
H -1.6595966855 0.000000000 0.000000000
C 0.5980109403 0.000000000 0.000000000
H 1.6595966768 0.000000000 0.000000000
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2 Table of energies reported in this work

- H₁₀ ring model:

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#bL E_rhf E_2to1 E_3to1 E_4to1 E_fci
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1.00 -5.24139 -5.41872 -5.41121 -5.39349 -5.38746
1.05 -5.21511 -5.40229 -5.39753 -5.37960 -5.37294
1.10 -5.17587 -5.37414 -5.37254 -5.35439 -5.34702
1.15 -5.12656 -5.33738 -5.33941 -5.32102 -5.31282
1.20 -5.06951 -5.29455 -5.30073 -5.28206 -5.27290
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1.30 -4.93935 -5.19874 -5.21498 -5.19548 -5.18397
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1.40 -4.79680 -5.09975 -5.12863 -5.10743 -5.09299
1.45 -4.72343 -5.05204 -5.08819 -5.06547 -5.04942
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2.20 -3.77403 -4.71804 -4.74062 -4.71242 -4.70964
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2.50 -3.52992 -4.68845 -4.68573 -4.68374 -4.68161
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- CH₄ dissociation:

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#bL E_rhf E_2to1 E_3to1 E_2to1(NSC) E_3to1(NSC) E_1site(NSC) E_dmrq
0.70 -39.4573 -39.5162 -39.5226 -39.5025 -39.5221 -39.5329 -39.5255
0.75 -39.5448 -39.6076 -39.6112 -39.5917 -39.6107 -39.6219 -39.6141
0.80 -39.6088 -39.6748 -39.6764 -39.6572 -39.6759 -39.6872 -39.6792
0.85 -39.6546 -39.7231 -39.7235 -39.7045 -39.7230 -39.7344 -39.7262
0.90 -39.6864 -39.7568 -39.7566 -39.7378 -39.7561 -39.7677 -39.7593
0.95 -39.7073 -39.7793 -39.7790 -39.7602 -39.7785 -39.7901 -39.7817
1.00 -39.7199 -39.7931 -39.7929 -39.7741 -39.7925 -39.8041 -39.7958
1.05 -39.7258 -39.8001 -39.8004 -39.7814 -39.8001 -39.8117 -39.8034
1.10 -39.7266 -39.8017 -39.8028 -39.7836 -39.8026 -39.8142 -39.8061
1.15 -39.7233 -39.7991 -39.8012 -39.7818 -39.8012 -39.8128 -39.8049
1.20 -39.7168 -39.7932 -39.7966 -39.7768 -39.7967 -39.8083 -39.8007
1.25 -39.7079 -39.7848 -39.7896 -39.7694 -39.7899 -39.8015 -39.7942
1.30 -39.6970 -39.7743 -39.7808 -39.7601 -39.7814 -39.7930 -39.7861
1.35 -39.6846 -39.7622 -39.7706 -39.7493 -39.7715 -39.7831 -39.7767
1.40 -39.6711 -39.7489 -39.7595 -39.7375 -39.7607 -39.7723 -39.7664
1.45 -39.6568 -39.7347 -39.7477 -39.7249 -39.7493 -39.7608 -39.7556
1.50 -39.6418 -39.7199 -39.7354 -39.7118 -39.7375 -39.7490 -39.7444
1.55 -39.6265 -39.7046 -39.7229 -39.6985 -39.7255 -39.7370 -39.7332
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1.60	-39.6109	-39.6891	-39.7104	-39.6850	-39.7136	-39.7249	-39.7220
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1.70	-39.5795	-39.6580	-39.6858	-39.6585	-39.6904	-39.7012	-39.7005
1.75	-39.5640	-39.6426	-39.6739	-39.6457	-39.6794	-39.6897	-39.6903
1.80	-39.5486	-39.6275	-39.6624	-39.6334	-39.6689	-39.6786	-39.6806
1.85	-39.5334	-39.6127	-39.6515	-39.6216	-39.6589	-39.6679	-39.6715
1.90	-39.5186	-39.5984	-39.6411	-39.6104	-39.6496	-39.6576	-39.6630
1.95	-39.5041	-39.5847	-39.6314	-39.6000	-39.6410	-39.6477	-39.6552
2.00	-39.4900	-39.5716	-39.6223	-39.5902	-39.6330	-39.6383	-39.6480
2.10	-39.4631	-39.5475	-39.6061	-39.5731	-39.6193	-39.6208	-39.6355
2.20	-39.4381	-39.5264	-39.5926	-39.5590	-39.6083	-39.6049	-39.6254
2.30	-39.4151	-39.5084	-39.5817	-39.5478	-39.5998	-39.5904	-39.6175
2.40	-39.3940	-39.4932	-39.5730	-39.5390	-39.5933	-39.5770	-39.6115
2.50	-39.3749	-39.4806	-39.5663	-39.5319	-39.5882	-39.5648	-39.6070
2.60	-39.3575	-39.4701	-39.5610	-39.5261	-39.5842	-39.5535	-39.6037
2.70	-39.3419	-39.4614	-39.5570	-39.5212	-39.5808	-39.5432	-39.6012
2.80	-39.3280	-39.4541	-39.5540	-39.5169	-39.5780	-39.5340	-39.5995
2.90	-39.3155	-39.4481	-39.5516	-39.5131	-39.5756	-39.5257	-39.5982

- C₂H₆ dissociation

#bL	E_rhf	E_2to1	E_3to1	E_2to1(NSC)	E_3to1(NSC)	E_1site(NSC)	E_dmrg
1.00	-77.7677	-77.9058	-77.8904	-77.8609	-77.8944	-77.9091	-77.9088
1.05	-77.9073	-78.0517	-78.0326	-78.0032	-78.0355	-78.0499	-78.0480
1.10	-78.0159	-78.1645	-78.1435	-78.1145	-78.1456	-78.1596	-78.1563
1.15	-78.0996	-78.2508	-78.2295	-78.2011	-78.2310	-78.2446	-78.2400
1.20	-78.1636	-78.3158	-78.2955	-78.2680	-78.2968	-78.3097	-78.3042
1.25	-78.2117	-78.3639	-78.3456	-78.3191	-78.3470	-78.3590	-78.3526
1.30	-78.2471	-78.3984	-78.3830	-78.3577	-78.3847	-78.3956	-78.3886
1.35	-78.2724	-78.4221	-78.4103	-78.3861	-78.4124	-78.4221	-78.4146
1.40	-78.2894	-78.4372	-78.4296	-78.4065	-78.4321	-78.4403	-78.4327
1.45	-78.2999	-78.4456	-78.4424	-78.4202	-78.4455	-78.4519	-78.4443
1.50	-78.3050	-78.4486	-78.4501	-78.4287	-78.4537	-78.4582	-78.4508
1.55	-78.3058	-78.4473	-78.4537	-78.4329	-78.4579	-78.4601	-78.4532
1.60	-78.3030	-78.4428	-78.4541	-78.4336	-78.4588	-78.4584	-78.4523
1.65	-78.2974	-78.4357	-78.4519	-78.4315	-78.4571	-78.4539	-78.4487
1.70	-78.2895	-78.4266	-78.4476	-78.4270	-78.4533	-78.4471	-78.4431
1.75	-78.2797	-78.4159	-78.4418	-78.4206	-78.4479	-78.4383	-78.4358
1.80	-78.2684	-78.4041	-78.4348	-78.4128	-78.4412	-78.4281	-78.4273
1.85	-78.2558	-78.3915	-78.4268	-78.4037	-78.4335	-78.4166	-78.4178
1.90	-78.2424	-78.3782	-78.4182	-78.3936	-78.4252	-78.4041	-78.4077
1.95	-78.2282	-78.3645	-78.4092	-78.3829	-78.4164	-78.3909	-78.3971
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2.40	-78.0952	-78.2451	-78.3302	-78.2784	-78.3390	-78.2658	-78.3099
2.50	-78.0684	-78.2225	-78.3158	-78.2573	-78.3254	-78.2405	-78.2963
2.60	-78.0434	-78.2018	-78.3029	-78.2377	-78.3133	-78.2169	-78.2852
2.70	-78.0203	-78.1830	-78.2912	-78.2196	-78.3028	-78.1951	-78.2764
2.80	-77.9991	-78.1659	-78.2808	-78.2031	-78.2935	-78.1751	-78.2696
2.90	-77.9798	-78.1506	-78.2715	-78.1883	-78.2856	-78.1569	-78.2645
3.10	-77.9467	-78.1250	-78.2563	-78.1632	-78.2730	-78.1259	-78.2579
3.30	-77.9206	-78.1056	-78.2453	-78.1437	-78.2641	-78.1014	-78.2546
3.50	-77.9004	-78.0914	-78.2379	-78.1292	-78.2583	-78.0826	-78.2531

3 A Newton-Raphson Algorithm for solving the constrained optimization problem in Sec. III E

Here, we present a Newton-Raphson algorithm for performing the constrained optimization discussed in Sec. III E. We intend to make this algorithm generic so that it can be applied to any type of constraints (i.e., not have to be on-site densities/pair-densities).

Let \hat{H} denote the Hamiltonian we are interested in. Let p index the (orthonormal) one-electron basis (i.e., the site basis). Now the task is to diagonalize \hat{H} under the constraints that

$$P_{pq} = P_{pq}^0, \quad \Gamma_{rstu} = \Gamma_{rstu}^0, \quad (1)$$

for some indices p, q, \dots, u , where $\{P_{pq}\}$ and $\{\Gamma_{rstu}\}$ are elements of 1PDM and 2PDM obtained from diagonalizing \hat{H} , and $\{P_{pq}^0\}$ and $\{\Gamma_{rstu}^0\}$ are some given and fixed values. This problem is described by the following Lagrangian,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}[\Psi; \{\lambda_{pq}\}, \{\Lambda_{rstu}\}] = & \langle \Psi | \hat{H} | \Psi \rangle + \sum_{pq} \lambda_{pq} (\langle \Psi | a_p^\dagger a_q | \Psi \rangle - P_{pq}^0) + \\ & \sum_{rstu} \Lambda_{rstu} (\langle \Psi | a_r^\dagger a_s^\dagger a_u a_t | \Psi \rangle - \Gamma_{rstu}^0) - \mathcal{E} (\langle \Psi | \Psi \rangle - 1) \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Making \mathcal{L} stationary gives rise to the following eigenvalue equation,

$$(\hat{H} + \hat{v}^c) | \Psi \rangle = \mathcal{E} | \Psi \rangle, \quad (3)$$

where

$$\hat{v}^c = \sum_{pq} \lambda_{pq} a_p^\dagger a_q + \sum_{rstu} \Lambda_{rstu} a_r^\dagger a_s^\dagger a_u a_t. \quad (4)$$

The derivation above indicates that one only needs to find a set of parameters $\{\lambda_{pq}\}$ and $\{\Lambda_{rstu}\}$ that make up the constraint potential \hat{v}^c , such that the ground state of the dressed Hamiltonian, $\hat{H} + \hat{v}^c$, satisfies the required constraints in eqn (1). The algorithm shown below uses the Newton-Raphson method to determine this constraint potential.

1. Input: \hat{H} , $\{P_{pq}^0\}$, $\{\Gamma_{rstu}^0\}$ (suppose there are n 1PDM constraints and m 2PDM constraints, respectively).
2. Initialize the constraint potential vector,

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_{pq} \\ \Lambda_{rstu} \end{bmatrix} \quad (5)$$

to some reasonable values (e.g., all zeros). Note that \mathbf{u} is of length $n + m$.

3. Compute the loss vector,

$$\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} P_{pq} - P_{pq}^0 \\ \Gamma_{rstu} - \Gamma_{rstu}^0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (6)$$

which is also a vector of length $n + m$.

4. Compute the Jacobian,

$$\mathbf{J} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial P_{pq}}{\partial \lambda_{pq}} & \frac{\partial P_{pq}}{\partial \Lambda_{rstu}} \\ \frac{\partial \Gamma_{rstu}}{\partial \lambda_{pq}} & \frac{\partial \Gamma_{rstu}}{\partial \Lambda_{rstu}} \end{bmatrix} \quad (7)$$

where $\frac{\partial P_{pq}}{\partial \lambda_{pq}}$, $\frac{\partial P_{pq}}{\partial \Lambda_{rstu}}$, $\frac{\partial \Gamma_{rstu}}{\partial \lambda_{pq}}$, and $\frac{\partial \Gamma_{rstu}}{\partial \Lambda_{rstu}}$ are n -by- n , n -by- m , m -by- n , and m -by- m matrices.

5. Update the constraint potential vector \mathbf{u} . First compute the update vector,

$$\delta \mathbf{u} = -\mathbf{J}^{-1} \mathbf{y}. \quad (8)$$

Then,

$$\mathbf{u} \leftarrow \mathbf{u} + \gamma \delta \mathbf{u}, \quad (9)$$

where $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$ is a scaling factor determined from line search.

6. Recompute the loss vector, \mathbf{y} , using the new constraint potential. Check if the constraints are satisfied,

$$\|\mathbf{y}\|_2 < \tau, \tag{10}$$

where τ is some given threshold (e.g., 10^{-6}).

7. If not, go back to step 4 until convergence is reached.

4 Comparison of site densities and pair-densities

In Sec. 4.2 of the main text, we compare the PESs of STO-3G CH_4 obtained by self-consistent (SC) and non-self-consistent (NSC) Incremental Embedding. Here we compare the quality of site densities and pair-densities derived from both methods in terms of RMS errors. In SC Incremental Embedding, both site densities and pair-densities are self-consistently determined according to Algorithm M1, while in NSC Incremental Embedding site-densities are constrained to the RHF values and pair-densities are determined based on that. The results are shown in Figure S1, from which we have three observations:

1. RHF site densities are of better quality compared to SC Incremental Embedding up to $3 \rightarrow 1$ level.
2. NSC pair-densities are of better quality compared to the SC counterparts.
3. For both NSC and SC, $3 \rightarrow 1$ improves $2 \rightarrow 1$ largely on both site densities and pair-densities.

5 Total correlation energies of small molecules in different basis sets

In Sec. 4.3 of the main text, we compare the performance of Incremental Embedding and one-site DMET in basis sets of increasing size in terms of total energy errors. Here we re-plot those figures in Figure S2 but in terms of total correlation energies. As mentioned in the main text, the correlation energies recovered by both Incremental Embedding and one-site DMET stop to increase when the basis set size reaches some point, while the exact correlation energies keep going up. From Figure S2 it is easy to see that this happens for Incremental Embedding when switching from 3-21G to 6-311G while occurring much earlier for one-site DMET. The good performance of Incremental Embedding in 6-311G is also an error cancellation by this phenomenon and the over-correlation by going from STO-3G to 3-21G.

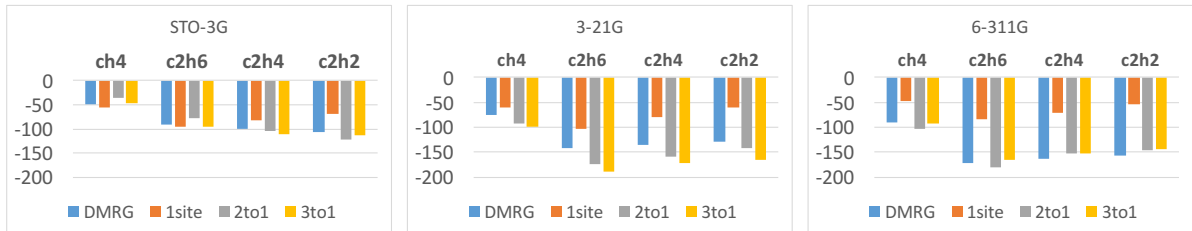


Figure S2: Re-plot of Figure M5 in terms of total correlation energies. Legend notation: 1site – 1-site DMET; 2to1 – $2 \rightarrow 1$ Incremental Embedding (NSC); 3to1 – $3 \rightarrow 1$ Incremental Embedding (NSC).

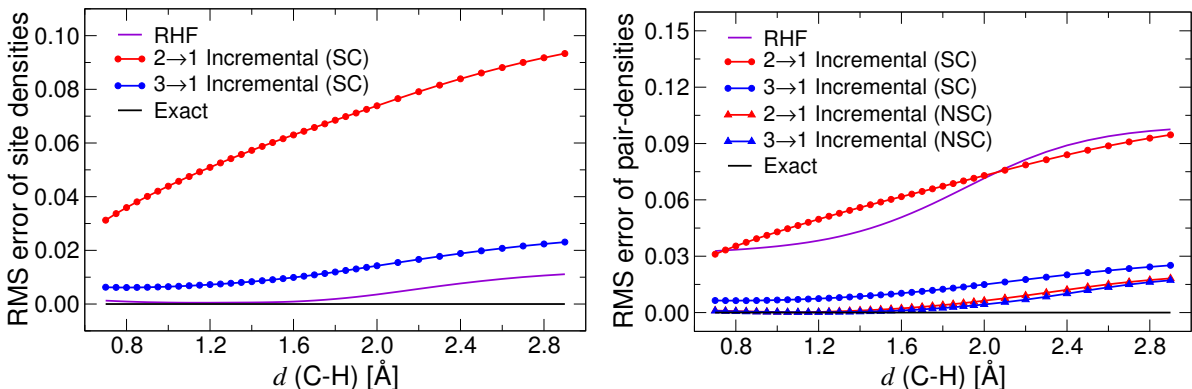


Figure S1: RMS error of site-densities (left) and pair-densities (right) of self-consistent (SC) and non-self-consistent (NSC) Incremental Embedding.