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1 *MedeA* Environment

1.1 *MedeA*

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2 Engines

2.1 VASP

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA* VASP using the ab-initio total-energy and molecular-dynamics package VASP (Vienna ab-initio simulation package) developed at the Institut für Materialphysik of the Universität Wien [1,2].

[1] G. Kresse and J. Furthmüller, Phys. Rev. B 54, 11169 (1996).

[2] G. Kresse and J. Furthmüller, Comput. Mat. Sci. 6, 15 (1996).

If the PAW potentials are used, in addition reference need to be to:

[3] G. Kresse and D. Joubert, Phys. Rev. 59, 1758 (1999).

If special features implemented in VASP have been used, reference should be made to the relevant publications as listed on the VASP website.

2.2 GIBBS

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA GIBBS*, using: Gibbs 9.6.2, IFP Energies Nouvelles, Rueil-Malmaison & Laboratoire de Chimie-Physique, Université Paris Sud, CNRS, France.

2.3 LAMMPS

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA LAMMPS* , using: LAMMPS 16-March-2018. LAMMPS stands for Large-scale Atomic/Molecular Massively Parallel Simulator.

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The following JCP paper [1] is the canonical reference to use for citing LAMMPS. It describes the parallel spatial-decomposition, neighbor-finding, and communication algorithms used in the code. Please also give the URL of the LAMMPS website in your paper, namely <http://lammps.sandia.gov>.

[1] S. Plimpton, Fast Parallel Algorithms for Short-Range Molecular Dynamics, J Comp Phys, 117, 1-19 (1995).

2.4 Gaussian

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA Gaussian* , using: Gaussian 16

For proper citation of Gaussian 16, see <https://gaussian.com/citation/>

2.5 MOPAC

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA MOPAC* , using: MOPAC2016 17.048 [1]

[1] James J. P. Stewart, Stewart Computational Chemistry, Colorado Springs, CO, USA, [HTTP://OpenMOPAC.net](http://OpenMOPAC.net) (2016).

3 *InfoMaticA* & Databases

MedeA InfoMaticA version 3.1

3.1 ICSD

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3.2 Pauling

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3.3 Pearson

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3.4 NIST

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4 Property Modules

4.1 *MT*

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA MT*. The symmetry-general methodology employed by *MedeA MT* is described in:

[1] Y. Le Page and P.W. Saxe, Phys. Rev. B 63, 174103 (2001).

[2] Y. Le Page and P.W. Saxe, Phys. Rev. B 65, 104104 (2002).

When sampling sets of structures, *MedeA MT* employs the Hill-Walpole method, as described in:

[3] U.W. Suter and B.E. Eichinger, Polymer 43, 575 (2002).

4.2 Phonon

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA Phonon* using: PHONON Software 6.14, Copyright © Prof. Krzysztof PARLINSKI [1].

[1] K. Parlinski, Z.Q. Li and Y. Kawazoe, Phys. Rev. Lett. 78, 4063 (1997).

4.3 *Transition State Search*

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA Transition State Search*.

4.4 *Electronics*

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA Electronics*.

If transport functions are calculated, reference should be made to the Boltzmann Transport Properties (Boltz-TraP) code version 1.2.2 [1].

[1] G.K.H. Madsen, D.J. Singh, Comput. Phys. Commun. 175, 67 (2006)

4.5 UNCLE

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA UNCLE*, using the UNiversal CLuster Expansion (UNCLE) code [1].

[1] D. Lerch, O. Wieckhorst, G.L.W. Hart, R.W. Forcade and S. Müller, "UNCLE: a code for constructing cluster expansions for arbitrary lattices with minimal user-input", Modelling Simul. Mater. Sci. Eng. 17, 055003 (2009).

4.6 *P3C*

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA P3C*, using Correlations as those developed by J. Bicerano [1].

[1] Prediction of Polymer Properties (Third Edition), Jozef Bicerano, Marcel Dekker, Inc., 2002

4.7 QSPR

The calculations have been performed with *MedeA QSPR*, using the Group Contribution method of Joback [1].

[1] Joback K.G., Reid R.C., Estimation of Pure-Component Properties from Group-Contributions, Chem. Eng. Commun. 57, p. 233-243 (1987).