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Δ^2 machine learning for reaction property prediction

Reaction properties derived from high-level transition state calculations are prohibitively expensive to predict in many scenarios. The current work shows that machine learning models can be trained to learn high-level transition state properties from approximate geometries calculated at a lower level of theory. The general approach is referred to as Δ^2 machine learning because the models learn differences in both geometry and energy between the low and high-level predictions. The approach can be extended to other critical points and is compatible with transfer learning to different levels of theory.

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