# Directed Gas-Phase Formation of Azulene (C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>8</sub>): Unraveling the Bottom-Up Chemistry of Saddle-Shaped Aromatics

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#### Supplementary discussion

As shown in Figure 4, Additions to the ten C-C bonds of the five- and six-membered ring form **i1.x** and **i2.x**, while insertions to the eight C-H bonds in the five- and six-membered ring form **i9.x** and **i8.x** (x indicates addition or insertion to different C-C or C-H bonds), respectively. First, for the **i1.x** isomers, the simulations show that addition to the C-C bond opposite of the sterically hindering CH<sub>2</sub> group is preferred. And **i1.x** structures can only isomerize via the ring-opening of the annulated three-membered cycles to singly hydrogenated naphthalene (**i5**) which is then connected solely to naphthalene (**p1**). Second, the addition of CH to chemically inequivalent C-C bonds of the benzene moiety leads to **i2.1-i2.5**, which are bound by 203 to 217 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>, eventually isomerizing via ring opening to the same intermediate **i3**. Third, the insertions of CH to the eight C-H bonds in the five- and six-membered rings lead to seven different intermediates (**i8.1-i8.4**, **i9.1-i9.3**) which can form four different products (Figure S3) through simple insertion-elimination pathways. Considering that **p3** and **p4** only represent the minor products and the formation mechanisms are similar, only **p3.1** and **p4.1** is included in the simplified PES. In summary, our simplified PES which include only the most probable structures of **i1**, **i2**, **i8**, and **i9** is sufficient to explain the underlying reaction mechanisms in the CH – C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>8</sub> reactions.

#### Supplementary MLMD details

It is extremely challenging to simulate the reaction at interstellar conditions (10K) since the reactive cross sections reaching any collision complex increases as the collision energy decreases. In the extreme case where the collision energy approaches zero, the cross section approaches infinity as the attractive potential energy takes over the dynamics of the reaction. From the perspective of dynamics simulation, this means that due to a larger maximum impact parameter ( $b_{max}$ ) and longer trajectories need to be simulated. Here, the Recursively Embedded Atom Neural Network (REANN) is utilized for the first time to train a machine-learned PES (MLPES) in bimolecular reactions under low-temperature interstellar conditions (10K). The derived machine-learned molecular dynamics (MLMD) depicted excellent performance in predicting the collision dynamics.

The AIMD simulations at the experimental condition (collision energy of 22 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>) provides the training and validation sets for the REANN ML potential. Due to the millions of geometries visited in the trajectories, some metric should be employed to refine them and generate a training set of manageable size. In practice, this is difficult to do. For instance, it may be reasonable to use a traditional distance matrix deviation (DMD) as the metric, which is defined for two configurations A and B as the minimum RMSE between DM(P(A)) and DM(B) over all permutations of indistinguishable atoms (Eq. 1).[x] For this system, going through all permutations for 10 carbon atoms and 9 hydrogen atoms ((10!)(9!) > 10<sup>12</sup> permutations) is infeasible thus only a few following chemical intuition are attempted.

$$DM(A) = \left[ r_{H1,H2}^{-2}, r_{H1,H3}^{-2}, r_{H1,H4}^{-2}, \dots, r_{H1,C10}^{-2}, r_{H2,H3}^{-2}, \dots, r_{C9,C10}^{-2} \right]$$
(1)

Here we adopt the DMD (0.01 and 0.05 A<sup>-2</sup> for reactive and non-reactive trajectories) to generate the training and validation sets from AIMD trajectories. The population of geometry in the close vicinity of each isomer in the training and validation sets are summarized in Table S3-4 and Figure S6.

After generating the training and validation sets, a number of models are trained with different hyperparameters (Table S3-4). For the chosen model, the absolute errors (MAEs) and root mean square errors (RMSEs) of the energies and forces of the dynamics simulations of the  $CH - C_9H_8$ 

reaction are 4.5 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>, 11.7 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>, 1.8 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> Å<sup>-1</sup>, and 3.9 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> Å<sup>-1</sup>, respectively, which is larger than what has been considered as "chemically accurate" by the ML community.<sup>1</sup> It is important to note that ML potentials with small energy and force errors ("static errors") do not necessarily result in accurate MLMD considering that the validation set employed in generating those static errors are insufficient in representing the chemical space of the actual reaction dynamics. As shown in a recent study, a more rigorous benchmarking of the MLMD involves information on the dynamics of the reaction such as the cross section, scattering angles, etc. ("dynamical errors").<sup>2</sup> Therefore, the AIMD cross section of the intermediates at the experimental condition are used to validate the MLMD before applying the latter to the reaction at the interstellar condition. The PES of the reaction (Figure 3) features highly stable intermediates, e.g., 328 and 217 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> lower than the separated reactants for i1 and i2, respectively. Previous research has shown that the decomposition of these low-lying intermediates is beyond the time scale of AIMD simulations of bimolecular collisions under similar conditions <sup>3</sup>. Nonetheless, AIMD simulations are still informative as they characterize the evolution of various collision-induced intermediates. When these intermediates are first formed, certain vibrational modes are highly excited and frequent isomerization are observed. The relative population of intermediates becomes stable after sufficient intramolecular vibrational energy redistribution (IVR), which can then be coupled with RRKM theory to predict the overall product branching ratio of the reaction.

In the simulations, the maximum impact parameter ( $b_{max}$ ) found from AIMD is b = 7.0 Å; and out of the 700 AIMD trajectories, 296 are non-reactive, 8 form CH<sub>2</sub> (a representative animation is shown in (Video S1), and 396 remains in the molecular complex (undissociated) after first 500 fs. AIMD simulations with a finite amount of trajectories always predict the cross sections of the intermediates with uncertainty. Therefore, even accurate MLMD should not be expected to match the cross sections from AIMD, but instead, falls within the standard deviation (error bars) of AIMD simulation. Reproducing the dynamics observed in an ensemble of AIMD trajectories is a much higher standard than the commonly-adapted static errors in energy and energy gradients.

#### Supplementary ML potential details

Our ML potential is trained from the *ab initio* calculations and possesses certain desired properties (e.g., smoothness, size consistency, and energy extensivity). It is a function (*f*) that projects the geometry of a molecule consisting of *N* atoms (*q*, dimension: 3N) to its potential energy (*U*, dimension 1), i.e., f(q) = U. The potential energy gradient of the system (*g*, dimension: 3N) is obtained numerically from *U*. The excess amount of energy available to the system (*E'*) is an independent variable that is neither an input nor an output of the function *f*.

It should also be made clear that the ML potential does NOT directly predict any of the observables of the bimolecular collision, including relative populations of species, branching ratio, etc. If it was, then we agree with the reviewer that our ML potential, validated at a high excess energy (e.g., experimental condition), should not extrapolate to a low excess energy (e.g., interstellar condition). Instead, energy gradients obtained from the ML potential are used to propagate the coordinate of the system, which is commonly known as molecular dynamics (MD) simulations. Here we attached to representation MD trajectories in Figure S12, where the potential energy fluctuates as the coordinate of the system evolves with time.

The next question then becomes how much of the geometrical space (i.e., the range of q) the ML potential (i.e., a function f(q) = U) can cover with controlled accuracy. If the entire geometrical space (i.e., all possible value of q) was accurately learned, then it would work for any conditions, including the experimental conditions and the interstellar conditions that are of interest. However, we would like to point out to the reviewer that no ML potential has ever made this claim. Training an entire geometrical space would entail learning unphysical, high-energy regions of the surface with nuclei either unphysically close to each other or molecules completely ripped apart into atoms; not only would learning these regions be exceedingly difficult but they would not add any useful information for a physically relevant simulations, which is the goal of this (and any other reasonable) reaction dynamics simulation. Instead of the entire geometrical space, namely: given some reference energy (e.g., the energy of the reactants,  $U_0 = f(q_{reactants})$ ) and an excess energy (e.g., the rotational, vibrational, and translational excitation of the reactants,  $E' = E'_{rot} + E'_{vib} + E'_{trans}$ ), the portion of the geometrical space possessing potential energy that is lower than total energy available (*E*) in the system (i.e., all *q* such that  $f(q) < E = U_0 + E'$ ).

Regarding the current study, we take a modest yet reasonable undertaking of learning the geometrical space corresponding to the bimolecular association of the reactants and the first few intermediates (defined in the Methods as those up to 0.5 ps after the collision) – we name this geometrical space the entrance channel of the reaction. If our ML potential has accurately learned the energetically accessible portion of the entrance channel under the experimental conditions, then it would also have learned the energetically accessible portion of the geometrical space under the interstellar conditions, as the former encompasses the latter (see Figure 13). This statement should be axiomatic, as there is more excess energy under experimental conditions than the interstellar conditions. As one finds in graduate level physical chemistry textbooks, the number of states in the phase space, which includes both the geometrical space and the momentum space, scales exponentially with the excess energy.<sup>4-6</sup> In fact, as a proof of concept, we conducted unimolecular ab initio molecular dynamics (AIMD) simulations from more than 20 intermediates relevant to the entrance channel under interstellar conditions. More than 300,000 geometries sampled in these trajectories are compared to the original training set, which contains more than 161,000 geometries and was gathered from AIMD simulations under experimental conditions. Only 35 geometries out of the 300,000 geometries were deemed "novel" compared to the original training set. This test proved that the energetically accessible geometrical space under experimental conditions encompasses its counterpart under interstellar conditions to a negligible statistical error.

Then the ultimate question becomes whether the ML potential is properly trained for the energetically accessible portion of the entrance channel under the experimental condition. This is the purpose of the benchmarking reported in the main test and elaborated more in the SI. If the reviewer was concerned about the accuracy of the ML PES for individual trajectories rather than over the entire training set, we overlay in Figure S12 the error of the ML predicted energy for two representative trajectories, to hopefully allay some of these concerns. We note that error analysis is of great interest to us, so we did not just train a model to lower the static errors (i.e., the deviation in the energy and energy gradient between the *ab initio* potential and the ML potential), but also chose a model that had acceptable dynamics errors (Table S3). The populations of relevant intermediates in the entrance channel over time (Figure S7) demonstrate good agreement with AIMD simulations. In fact, over this time period, the species populations largely stabilize which

suggests no large number of new geometries would be missed if sampling was extended over more of simulation.

#### Methods

#### **Experimental Methods**

The gas-phase reaction of methylidyne (CH,  $X^2\Pi$ ) with indene (C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>8</sub>, X<sup>1</sup>A') was performed in a crossed molecular beam apparatus utilizing mass spectrometric (MS) detection in time-of-flight mode and a beam crossing angle of 90°.7 In brief, two supersonic beams of reactants collide in the interaction region of a large scattering chamber with the existence of an oxygen-free highconductivity copper cold shield cooled to 10 K (CTI Cryogenics, 1020) to reduce the background from the straight-through species. During the experiment, the supersonic beam of methylidyne was created through photodissociation (COMPex 110; KrF) of helium seeded bromoform (CHBr<sub>3</sub>; Aldrich;  $\geq 99$  %) at 283 K with a backing pressure of 2.2 atm.<sup>8</sup> The 248 nm output was focused 1mm downstream the nozzle. Under single collision conditions, the CH beam is rotationally cooled to  $14 \pm 1$  K via supersonic expansion and characterized by laser induced fluorescence technique.<sup>9,10</sup> After the skimmer and chopper wheel, the selected CH beam was defined with a  $v_p$  (peak velocity) of  $1897 \pm 31$  m s<sup>-1</sup> and an S (speed ratio) of  $12.2 \pm 0.7$  (Table S1). The second supersonic beam was generated by expanding krypton (Praxair, 99.999%) seeded indene (C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>8</sub>) (TCI) at 550 torr backing pressure and room temperature resulting in a peak velocity of  $416 \pm 15$  m s<sup>-1</sup> and speed ratio of  $10.2 \pm 0.8$ . Both beams were released by Proch-Trickl piezoelectric pulse valves operated at -400 V with opening times of 80 µs; the pulse valves and the laser were modulated at 60 and 30 Hz, respectively, for a laser on minus laser off background subtraction. Bromoform-d (CDBr<sub>3</sub>; Aldrich) was also used as a precursor yielding a D1-methylidyne beam (CD,  $v_p$ :1882 ± 29 m s<sup>-1</sup>,  $S:12.3 \pm 0.8$ ). Both primary and secondary reactants were held in a stainless-steel bubbler. Finally, the collision energy  $E_c$  and laboratory CM angle  $\theta_{CM}$  in the CH – C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>8</sub> system are determined to be  $22.1 \pm 0.8$  kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> and  $62.5 \pm 0.7^{\circ}$ , respectively (Table S1). A triply differentially pumped, and rotatable detector equipped with an electron impact ionizer, a quadrupole mass filter, and a Daly type ion detector, was utilized to collect the TOF spectra at desired angles which reflect the velocity and angular distributions of the isomer products formed in the reaction.<sup>11,12</sup> The detector

was operated under liquid nitrogen-cooled ultrahigh vacuum conditions of around  $7 \times 10^{-12}$  torr. To interpret the underlying physics of the scattering data and derive the quantitative information on the reaction dynamics, a forward convolution method was employed to fit the data from the laboratory frame to the CM frame. The total CM product flux  $I(u, \theta)$ , in which  $u, \theta$  represent the CM product velocity and scattering angle, was analyzed to derive the reaction dynamics information of the reactive scattering process.  $I(u, \theta)$  can be conveniently separated into the  $P(E_T)$ , and the  $T(\theta)$  flux distributions, namely  $I(u, \theta) \approx P(u) \times T(\theta)$ , and the  $T(\theta)$  and  $P(E_T)$  functions were varied iteratively until a best fit of the laboratory TOF spectra and angular distribution is obtained.<sup>13</sup>

#### **Electronic structure calculations**

Geometric structures of various species (CH and C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>8</sub>, different products, C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>9</sub> intermediates and transition states) on the PES accessed by the reaction of methylidyne radical with indene were optimized at the hybrid DFT B3LYP level with the 6-311G(d,p) basis set.<sup>14,15</sup> Vibrational frequencies calculations were carried out using the same B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) method. Singlepoint energies were further refined using the G3(MP2,CC)//B3LYP/6-311G(d,p) variant of the G3 model chemistry scheme.<sup>16-18</sup> The anticipated accuracy of the composite approach relative energies is typically within 5-10 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> or better.<sup>18</sup> According to our experience in calculating PES for large systems involving complex ring molecules, especially the PAHs, the G3(MP2,CC) composite scheme still represents one of the most optimal methods in terms of the balance of accuracy and efficiency. The derived accuracy, typically within 5-10 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> or better, is sufficient to predict the formed products in the experiment. Explicitly-correlated CCSD(T)-F12 are likely to improve the anticipated accuracy but they are significantly more expensive. Moreover, our recent comparisons of the G3(MP2,CC) and CCSD(T)-F12 relative energies for intermediates and transitions states for similar systems have shown a close agreement (within 4-5 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> or less) between the two methods.<sup>19</sup> The GAUSSIAN 09<sup>20</sup> and MOLPRO 2010<sup>21</sup> software packages were utilized for the ab initio calculations. For unimolecular reaction steps on the  $C_{10}H_9$  PES, which follow initial association of CH with indene, rate constants were assessed within the framework of Rice-Ramsperger-Kassel-Marcus (RRKM) theory.<sup>22-24</sup> In the RRKM calculations of energy-dependent rate constants, the internal energy of each species (intermediate or transition state) was assumed to be equal to a sum of the collision energy and the energy of chemical

activation, which in turn equates to a negative of the relative energy of the species with regard to the  $CH + C_9H_8$  reactants. The zero-pressure approach is justified by the fact that the reacting  $C_{10}H_9$ intermediates in crossed molecular beams cannot undergo any collisional activation/deactivation. Next, first-order kinetic equations were solved in steady-state approximation<sup>25</sup> using the computed RRKM rate constants and employing our own Unimol code, to obtain product branching ratios under single-collision conditions.<sup>26</sup>

It should be noted that the  $C_{10}H_9$  PES has been thoroughly explored in previous theoretical studies in relation to other reactions. For instance, few detailed accounts<sup>27,28</sup> show that even isomers containing only one ring (six- or five-membered) reside significantly higher in energy than two-ring structures. Thus, the one- and two-ring opening pathways in the CH + indene reaction are highly unfavorable and non-competitive, nor they were observed in the MD simulations of the reaction entrance channels.

#### Molecular dynamics simulations

Quasiclassical trajectories (QCT) were simulated with *ab initio* molecular dynamics (AIMD) using VENUS/NWChem (version 6.8).<sup>29-31</sup> Trajectories used a velocity Verlet integrator with a 0.5 fs time step, which was lowered if the trajectory experienced a greater than 4.2 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> (1.0 kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>) energy jump or drift in total energy. Benchmarking from previous AIMD studies on similar reactions (e.g.,  $CH + H_3CCCCH_3$  and  $CH + H_2CCHCCH$  reactions<sup>3,32</sup>) under likewise conditions have shown that, compared to other computationally efficient ab initio methods, B3LYP<sup>33</sup> has relatively low errors in reproducing energies of reference CCSD(T)<sup>34</sup> intermediates with numerically stable trajectories. Thus, the B3LYP/6-31G\* method was used in this study.<sup>35</sup> Initial coordinates and momenta of the atoms in the system were sampled to mimic experimental conditions: the CH is set at its ground vibrational and rotational state; the indene is sampled from a thermal distribution of 10 K; the two reactants are separated by 10 Å (center of mass distance) and given a collision energy of 22 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>. The ML potential selected for dynamics simulations used 16 radial Gaussian functions (*Nwave* = 16), a cutoff of 10 Å, 2 hidden layers with 128 features each, a single residual block (*Nblock* = 1) and a maximum angular momentum of 2 (*Nipsin* = 2), resulting in 469,058 parameters; details on its creation are supplied below. 100 trajectories were simulated at impact parameters of b = 1, 2, 3, ... Å until  $b_{max}$ , the impact parameter at which no reactive trajectories are found. For each intermediate of interest, their cross sections were obtained as:

$$\sigma = \int P(b)b \, db \approx \sum_{i=1}^{n} P(b_i)b_i \, \Delta b$$

where P(b) is the fraction of trajectories of which the reactive intermediate of interest is formed.

Simulating the reaction at near interstellar conditions (temperature = 10 K) is extremely challenging as the cross section of the intermediate increases as the collision energy decreases. In the extreme case where the collision energy approaches zero, the cross section approaches infinity as the attractive potential energy takes over the dynamics of the reaction. From the perspective of dynamics simulation, it means that more (due to large b<sub>max</sub>) and longer (the molecules take more time to collide) trajectories need to be simulated. Carrying out such a simulation with AIMD is not feasible for this project. Therefore, a machine-learned (ML) potential energy surface (PES) is developed with the capability of quickly predicting the energy and energy gradients for the dynamics simulation. Typically, developing a MLPES requires a diverse set of geometries of the molecule of interest and their energies/gradients, which is divided into a training and a validation set. A certain machine-learning model is chosen to develop MLPES by learning from the training set and its performance is assessed by the deviation between the energies/gradients from the MLPES and *ab initio* methods in the validation set. This type of deviation is referred to as static error, as it is generated with a number of static geometries. Previous studies have shown that a MLPES with small static energy does not necessarily lead to accurate reaction dynamics obtained from AIMD simulations. This is due to the chaotic nature of the trajectory, which could traverse through geometries that are not represented in the training and validation set.<sup>2</sup> Therefore, dynamics error, defined as the deviation between trajectory ensemble average properties (e.g., product branching ratio, relative translation energy of the products, etc.) generated from MLPES dynamics and AIMD dynamics should be used in assessing the performance of MLPES. The training and validation sets were obtained from the 700 AIMD trajectories carried out at the experimental conditions, of which 56% formed long-lived molecular complexes. These AIMD trajectories consist of millions of geometries (and their corresponding energies and gradients), which were filtered through to eliminate redundancy according to inverse pairwise atomic distances (or 'distance matrices') for the efficient of training.<sup>36,37</sup> The training and validation sets contain

121,170 and 40,390 distinct geometries, respectively, ranging over nearly 150 kcal/mol with a detailed breakdown in the Supporting Information.

The MLPES is trained using the Recursively Embedded Atom Neural Network (REANN) software.<sup>38</sup> The machine-learned molecular dynamics (MLMD) makes use of the Atomic Simulation Environment (ASE) package.<sup>39</sup> Multiple MLPES (trained with different parameters, such as radial Gaussian functions (*Nwave*), atomic cutoffs, number of features per layer, number of residual blocks (*Nblock*), maximum angular momentums (*Nipsin*), and random seeds) are made; 8 MLPES with reasonable force and energy errors are given more training time and ultimately tested with MLMD. Details on the combinations of parameters tested are provided in the Supporting Information. Training stops when the learning rate is less than 10<sup>-4</sup> loss function unit.

As noted earlier, the intermediate cross sections observed in the AIMD at experimental conditions are used to benchmark the MLPES. For each candidate MLPES, hundreds of MLMD trajectories at the same initial conditions and trajectory propagation parameters (e.g., velocity Verlet integration, 0.5 fs time step) are carried out for direct comparison with AIMD. The model which reproduces the AIMD intermediate cross section within a 95% confidence interval<sup>36</sup> is used for the MLMD of interstellar conditions. More details on selecting MLPES for dynamics simulations are provided below.

The coordinates of the system in the trajectories were assigned with International Chemical Identifier (InChI) keys<sup>40</sup> on a frame-by-frame basis to categorize them into different intermediates. Similar to the previous AIMD study of CH + H<sub>2</sub>CCHCCH,<sup>3</sup> InChI keys only characterize unique connectivity between atoms (constitutional isomers), so different conformers (e.g., rotational isomers) are ignored. Initiated from different geometries observed in AIMD trajectories corresponding to the same InChI key, geometry optimizations were attempted for each unique InChI key. The potential energy profile of the reaction was made from these optimal structures and used to assign the evolution of intermediates frame-by-frame for each trajectory, which is converted into a time series of InChI keys to characterize the reaction mechanism. Those transient, non-intermediate InChI keys (namely, frames corresponding to transient bond breakages) are counted towards the prior and following intermediates.

**Table S1**. Peak velocities ( $v_p$ ) and speed ratios (S) of the methylidyne (CH; X<sup>2</sup>Π), D1-methylidyne (CD; X<sup>2</sup>Π), and indene (C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>8</sub>; X<sup>1</sup>A') beams along with the corresponding collision energies (E<sub>C</sub>) and center-of-mass angles ( $\Theta_{CM}$ )

Beam	$v_{\rm p} ({\rm m}~{\rm s}^{-1})$	S	E <sub>C</sub> (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	$\Theta_{\rm CM}$ (degree)
C <sub>9</sub> H <sub>8</sub>	$416 \pm 15$	$10.2 \pm 0.8$		
СН	$1897 \pm 31$	$12.2 \pm 0.7$	$22.1 \pm 0.8$	$62.5 \pm 0.7$
CD	$1882 \pm 29$	$12.3 \pm 0.8$	$23.2 \pm 0.8$	$61.4 \pm 0.7$

**Table S2**. RRKM calculated product branching ratio (in %) for various initial complexes for the collision energies  $E_c$  of 0.5 and 22 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>.

			Initial o	complex		
$E_c$ (kJ mol <sup>-1</sup> )	Products	i1	i2	i8	i9	AI(ML)MD
0.5	p1	100	4.8	0	0	29.4
	թ2	0	95.2	0	0	56.7
	р3	0	0	100	0	6.8
	p4	0	0	0	100	7.1
22	թ1	100	4.7	0	0	29.2
	p2	0	95.3	0	0	45.7
	p3	0	0	100	0	8.9
	p4	0	0	0	100	16.2

Nfeatures	Nwave	Cutoff	RMSE Energy	<b>RMSE Force</b>
		(Å)	(kJ/mol)	(kJ/mol/Å)
128	16	5	6.74	4.35
128	16	10	11.67	3.89
128	16	15	8.79	4.64
128	32	5	9.87	3.31
128	32	10	8.91	3.51
128	32	15	9.2	3.85
128	64	5	16.36	4.56
128	64	10	12.3	3.35

**Table S3**. Parameter combinations (first three columns) of different MLPES and their errors in energy and force (fourth to fifth columns).

**Table S4**. The breakdown of the 169,131 geometries gathered from AIMD trajectories. Their energy and energy gradients are used in training the MLPES. Geometries are categorized by which intermediate they closely resemble or isomerize to/from. Geometries looking like reactants (e.g., CH) or products (e.g., CH<sub>2</sub>, H), even just transiently, are denoted "vX" where X is the separated species.

<b>Closest Species</b>	Number of Geometries
i1.x	15797
i2.x	3980
i3	35685
i5	44275
i8.x	6272
i9.x	18845
iC	3148
vCH <sub>2</sub>	7388
vCH	28986
vH	4755

**Table S5**. Relative intermediate populations (in %) at the start (t=0) and end (t=500 fs). Isomers of similar connectivity are under the same label (e.g., i1 includes all i1.x). All intermediates other than i1.x, i2.x, i.3, i5, i8.x, and i9.x are grouped into iO.

	<b>Collision Energy</b>	i3	iO	i5	i9	i8	i1	i2
AIMD (t=0)	22 kJ mol <sup>-1</sup>	0.0	5.4	0.0	18.0	11.4	23.6	41.6
MLMD (t=0)	22 kJ mol <sup>-1</sup>	0.0	2.7	0.0	15.4	8.6	26.7	46.6
MLMD (t=0)	0.5 kJ mol <sup>-1</sup>	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.1	6.8	26.5	59.5
AIMD (t=0.5ps)	22 kJ mol <sup>-1</sup>	39.7	5.6	4.9	16.8	11.4	19.7	1.9
MLMD (t=0.5ps)	22 kJ mol <sup>-1</sup>	45.2	2.9	10.1	15.7	8.6	16.0	1.4
MLMD (t=0.5ps)	0.5 kJ mol <sup>-1</sup>	58.7	0.1	10.1	7.1	6.8	16.4	0.8



**Figure S1.** The flux contour map in the  $CH - C_9H_8$  reaction which leads to the formation of naphthalene and azulene.



Figure S2. Potential energy surface (PES) for the reaction of D1-methylidyne (CD) with indene (C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>8</sub>).



**Figure S3.** A complete list of products in the  $CH - C_9H_8$  reaction.



**Figure S4.** The pathways via the addition of the CH radical to different C-C bonds in the sixmembered ring of indene lead to **i3**.



Figure S5. Computed geometries of the exit transition states forming azulene (p2) and naphthalene (p1). Angles of the departing hydrogen atoms are given in degrees with respect to the rotation plane of the decomposing complex.



**Figure S6.** A T-SNE clustering of the training set, with each point representing a configuration and distances between points defined with the sorted DMD. On the left, points are colored by molecular fragments—orange, blue, green, and purple are reactant-like,  $CH_2$  loss, H loss, and intermediate-like, respectively—with populations indicated in parentheses. On the right, the same points are colored by relative energy (with respect to the global minimum).



**Figure S7**. Relative cross sectional areas for the AIMD (thick line) and MLMD (thin line) at experimental condition. Filled curves around the AIMD result indicate one standard deviation. Isomers of similar connectivity are under the same label (e.g., i1 includes all i1.x). All intermediates other than i1.x, i2.x, i.3, i5, i8.x, and i9.x are grouped into iO.



**Figure S8**. An example of the detailed breakdown of the relative cross section by isomers (**i2.x**), which nearly all isomerize to **i3**.



**Figure S9.** The formation of the intermediate **i11** via the C-C bond rupture of the five-membered ring of **i1.3**.



Figure S10. Other intermediates that are not directly formed after the collision.



**Figure S11.** Relative cross sectional areas for the machine-learned molecular dynamics (MLMD) simulations at collision energies of 0.5 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> (dashed line) and 22 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> (solid line) for intermediates related to the five-membered ring (above) and the six-membered ring (below). Isomers of similar connectivity are under the same label (e.g., i1 includes all i1.x).



Figure S12. Comparison of *ab initio* (green) and ML predicted (blue) energies over example AIMD trajectories for (left)  $\mathbf{r}$  to  $\mathbf{i2}$  to  $\mathbf{i3}$  formation and (right)  $\mathbf{r}$  to  $\mathbf{i1}$  to  $\mathbf{i5}$  formation. The difference in energy prediction or "error" is overlaid to scale in red.



Figure S13. A pedagogical diagram (not to scale) of the geometrical space under study. The experimental (EXP) and interstellar (IS) conditions correspond to two different amounts of total energy accessible to the system, the horizontal lines E(EXP) in red and E(IS) in blue. These intersect the underlying ML potential (black curve), demarcating the geometrical space each corresponds to, shown as ranges on the x axis.

**Table S6**. Optimized Cartesian coordinates and vibrational frequencies for all intermediates, transition states, reactants and products involved in the reactions of the methylidyne radical (CH) with indene ( $C_9H_8$ ).

#### **Reactants:**

#### Indene

#### **Coordinates:**

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844	.8027	871.0683	873.5357
934	.9869	954.1984	956.1294
965	.0813	988.2425	1042.9181
1089	9.0905	1132.8889	1148.6344
117	7.5121	1186.0450	1227.7377
1249	9.4029	1314.9832	1345.4963
139	1.2775	1437.2311	1489.2461
1492	2.6995	1603.5538	1637.3160
1652	2.2007	3014.1781	3035.9821
3150	5.3092	3162.8467	3173.7951
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#### Intermediates:

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#### i6

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521	.2358	531.9446	567.1336
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1196	6.7054	1204.8584	1238.9415
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1397	7.0946	1423.5123	3 1463.2320
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314(	).9778	3151.8091	3157.3120
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636.	1375	729.2844	773.2753
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849.	6195	896.9289	950.9856
957.	0662	974.3852	992.5896
999.	9182	1035.6100	1046.3292
1151	.0802	1169.165	5 1171.8897
1185	.2344	1232.370	7 1270.0589
1287	.0697	1391.245	9 1398.5774
1418	.0335	1490.576	2 1491.7005
1548	.6462	1613.879	7 1641.3706
1671	.2250	3155.987	2 3157.7601
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992.´	7215	1008.4363	3 1022.5941
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1643.	5183	3129.379	8 3131.5186
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## **Barriers:**

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727.	.8244	747.6674	757.4340
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863.	.0561	952.5009	960.2474
963.	.4494	969.1672	1022.7604
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3008	5.5248	3030.3333	3 3087.5345
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T1 diagnostic:

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