

# **Study of the Structural Chemistry of the Inclusion Complexation of 4-Phenylbutyrate and Related Compounds with Cyclodextrins in Solution: Differences in Inclusion Mode with Cavity Size Dependency**

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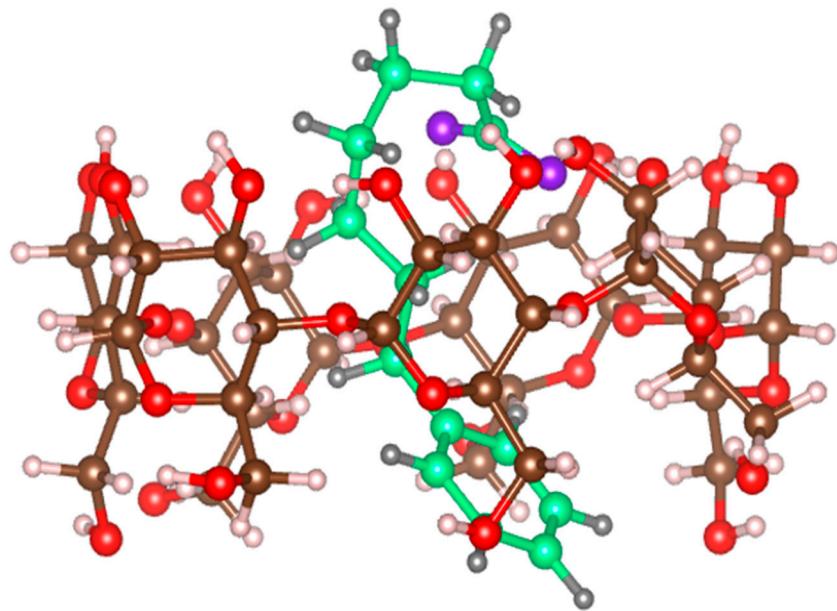
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### Molecular modeling using the density functional theory (DFT)

DFT calculations were performed at B3PW91/cc-pVDZ level using the Gaussian 16 rev A.03 program (Gaussian Inc., USA) [32]. Using the possible poses created by MOE as the initial structure, they were structurally optimized in the gas phase. Each optimized structure calculated in the gas phase was further structurally optimized in water using the polarizable continuum model [33].



**Figure S1.** Possible inclusion structure of ionized PH (green ball and stick) and  $\beta$ CD estimated using the density functional theory. The upper and lower sides of the CD are the secondary and primary rims, respectively.

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