

Overview :

Molden

- Draw molecule

GAMESS

- Quantum chemistry
- Optimize geometry

Huckel-IV

- I-V calculation

The screenshot shows the NanoHUB website interface. At the top, the logo "nanoHUB" is displayed in a stylized font. Below the logo, it states "Operated by the Purdue Computational Electronics Research Group" and "The Nanotechnology Simulation Hub Online Computing for Nanotechnology". The main navigation bar includes "HOME", "MY HUB", and "HUB FORUMS". The content area is organized into three columns: "NANOTOOLS", "CHEMISTRY", and "DEVICES".

NANOTOOLS

- NANO/MOLECULAR
 - [CNTbands](#)
 - [FETToy](#)
 - [Huckel-IV 2.0](#)
 - [MolCToy](#)
 - [NanoMOS 2.5](#)
 - [Schred](#)
 - [IBGreen](#)
 - [TunProb](#)
- MATERIALS**
 - [MOSCV](#)

CHEMISTRY

- [ABINIT](#) NEW!
- [CPMD](#) NEW!
- [GAMESS](#)
- [Molden](#)
- [RasMol](#) NEW!
- [VMD/NAMD](#) (offsite)
- ECAD**
 - [Spice3f4](#)
 - [Spice2G](#)
 - [VFSOI/Spice3](#)

DEVICES

- [Adept](#)
- [Demon](#)
- [Medici](#)
- [Minimos](#)
- [SDemon](#)
- [Sequal](#)
- PROCESS**
 - [Prophet](#)
 - [TSuprem4](#)
 - [ThermoEMP](#)

Arrows from the text on the left point to the following links in the screenshot: "Molden" in the CHEMISTRY column, "GAMESS" in the CHEMISTRY column, and "Huckel-IV 2.0" in the NANOTOOLS column.

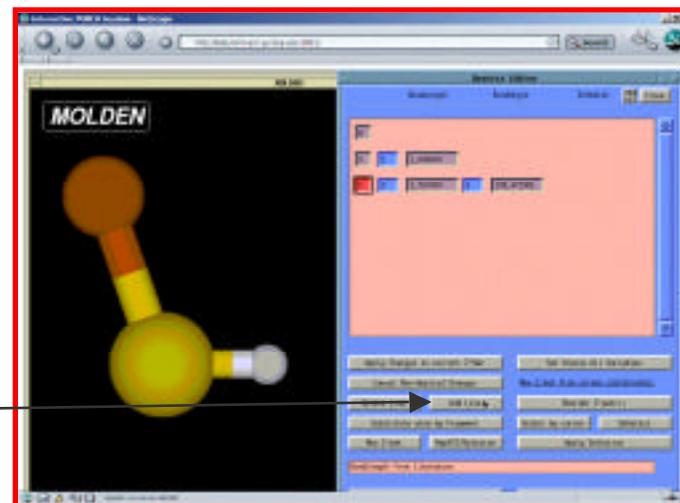
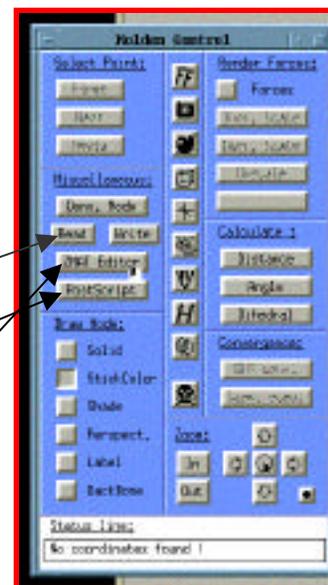
Molden : Drawing the molecule

■ Molden

- ❑ Read and write several different formats
- ❑ Generate "pretty" pictures (postscript)
- ❑ Define molecule using z-matrix editor

■ New molecule

- ❑ Open z-mat editor
- ❑ Add atoms etc....



GAMESS :

Optimize geometry

■ Input file

- ❑ Copy z-matrix from Molden file
- ❑ Choose method and basis set
- ❑ Simple basis set first, then improve with better basis set
- ❑ Example on the nanoHub

■ Output file

- ❑ Check for convergence



The screenshot shows the PUNCH GAMESS: File Editor interface. The title bar reads "PUNCH GAMESS: File Editor". Below the title bar, there is a "Help for Editor Interface" link and a "Working Folder" field containing "game32.inp". A "Quit Editor" button is present with the note "(Does not automatically save changes to file)". Below that, a "Save Input File" button is shown next to the "Working Folder" field, which contains "game32.inp", and a "Reset Editor Contents" button.

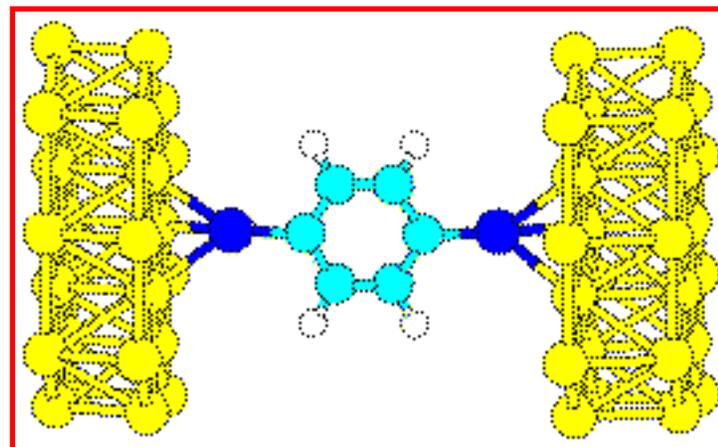
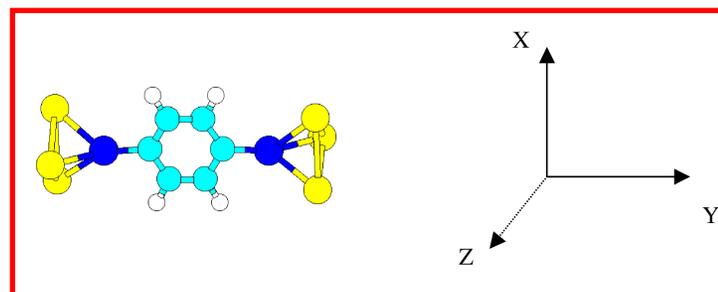
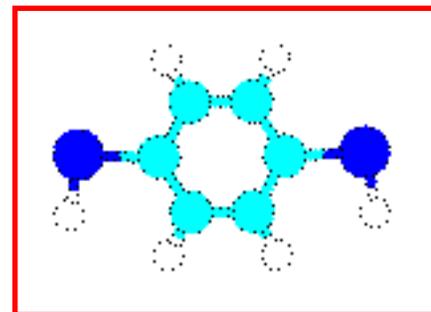
The main editing area is titled "Edit Input File Here:" and contains the following text:

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*****
! Test with geometry optimization
$CONFIGUR SCFTYP=RMF RUNTYP=OPTIMIZE COORD=INT NITER=3 #END
$STATPT SCFEP=100 #END
$MIXER SCFALG=HES SCFMAX=1 #END
$GUESS GUESS=HUCKEL #END
$DATA
Title: water...RHF/STO-3G
C1
M
O      1   1.3510750
C      2   1.5266425   1   95.1469977
C      3   1.8881214   2   117.8841048   1   180.0000000   0
C      4   1.3531189   3   120.0711885   2   150.0000000   0
C      5   1.3560229   4   120.8242279   3   0.0000000   0
C      6   1.3545655   5   115.4267582   4   0.0000000   0
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Huckel-IV :

Input geometry

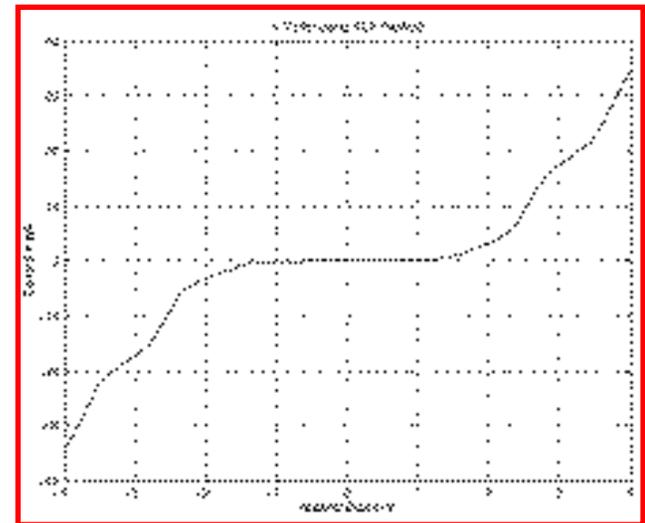
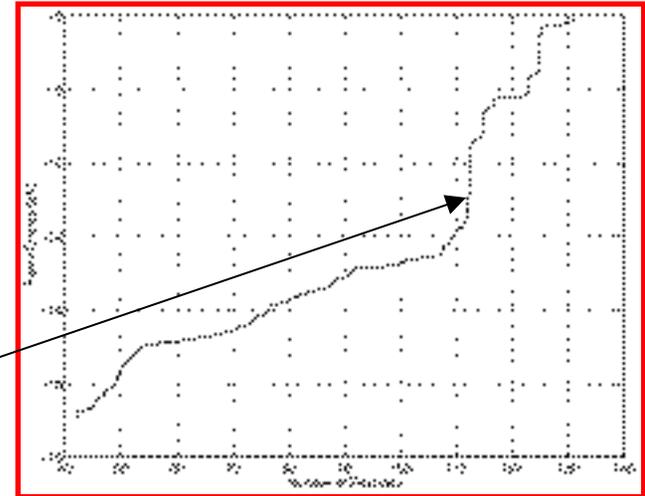
- Huckel-IV needs
 - Geometry
 - Fermi energy
 - Charging energy
- Input geometry
 - Cut and paste molecular coordinates from GAMESS (Cartesian format)
 - Run Matlab script on nanoHub to rotate molecule



Huckel-IV :

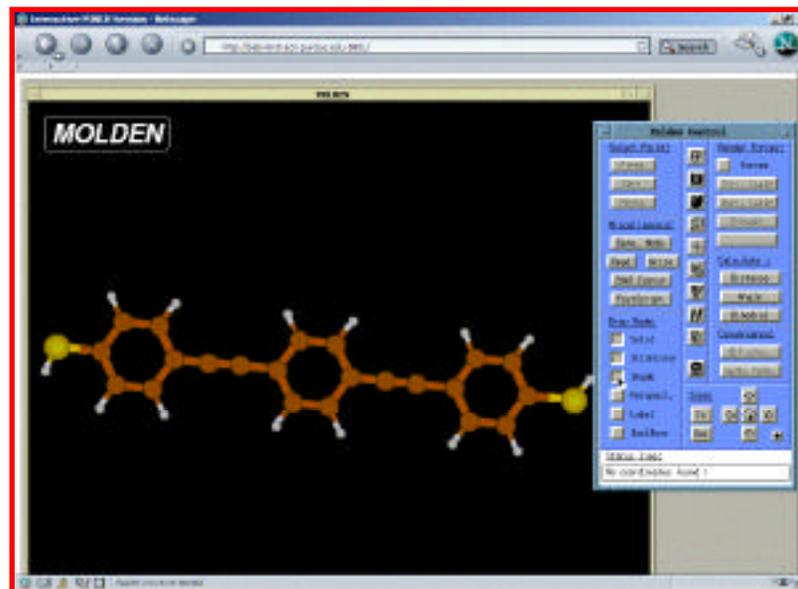
Fermi energy

- **Determine Fermi-level**
 - ❑ Extended Huckel theory cannot estimate the Fermi energy
 - ❑ Charge neutrality level
 - ❑ Fermi energy for gold contact is -9.5 eV (Huckel)
 - ❑ Fermi energy between these two values (-11 eV)
- **Charging energy (U)**
 - ❑ PDT 1-2 eV
 - ❑ Larger molecules _ smaller U



Summary :

- Molden
- GAMESS
- Huckel-IV



- New version of Huckel-IV
 - Faster and proper electrostatics (including a gate)
 - Expected to be ready this autumn