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
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The Effect of Peripheral Circuits on the Total π -Electron Energies of Cyclacenes

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Abstract: Within the framework of the Hückel molecular orbital theory, certain linear models are developed to express the contribution of peripheral circuits of cyclacenes into their total π -electron energies, which explain why cyclacenes exhibit the cryptoannulenic behavior as their peripheral circuits which are annulenic in character.

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