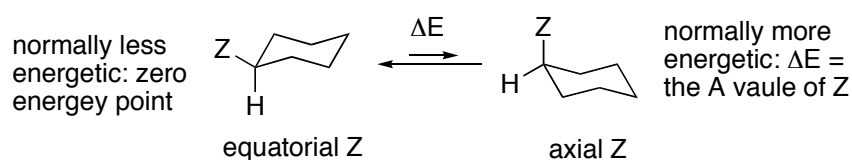


Table of A-Values

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Conformational Free Energy Difference (ΔG , kcal/mol) for Common Substituents X in Cyclohexanes



X	A-value kcal/mol		X	A-value kcal/mol		X	A-value kcal/mol
F	0.24		SMe	1.0		CH ₃	1.8
Cl	0.4		SPh	1.2		CH ₂ CH ₃	2.0
Br	0.2-0.7		S(O)Me	1.2		i-C ₃ H ₇	2.2
I	0.4		S(O) ₂ Me	2.5		c-C ₆ H ₁₁	2.2
OH	0.6 (0.9*)		NH ₂	1.2 (1.8*)		t-C ₄ H ₉	> 4.5
OMe	0.7		NH ₃ ⁽⁺⁾	1.9		ethynyl	0.2
OEt	0.9		NHMe	1.0		C ₆ H ₅	3.0
OAc	0.7		NMe ₂	2.1		COOH	1.2
OTs	0.7		NMe ₃ ⁽⁺⁾	2.4		COO ⁽⁻⁾	2.2
OTMS	0.7		NO ₂	1.0		COOMe	1.1
SH	1.2		N ₃	0.5		CN	0.2

* In H-bonding solvents