## **Supporting Information**

## Infrared Photodissociation Spectroscopy of Heterodinuclear Iron-Zinc and Cobalt-Zinc Carbonyl Cation Complexes

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**Figure S1**. Simulated vibrational spectra of the  $FeZn(CO)_5^+$  cation isomers (shown in Figure 3) in the carbonyl stretching frequency region.

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	$FeZn(CO)_{5}^{+}(a)$	Fe	0.000000	0.000000	-0.494533
	()5 ()	Zn	0.000000	0.000000	2.349633
		С	0.000000	1.871760	-0.311588
		С	-1.871760	0.000000	-0.311588
		С	0.000000	0.000000	-2.435231
		С	0.000000	-1.871760	-0.311588
		С	1.871760	0.000000	-0.311588
		0	0.000000	2.996992	-0.220065
		0	-2.996992	0.000000	-0.220065
		0	0.000000	0.000000	-3.562444
		Ō	0.000000	-2.996992	-0.220065
		Ō	2.996992	0.000000	-0.220065
-	$FeZn(CO)c^+(b)$	Fe	0.904507	-0.000015	0.138343
	$\operatorname{Fezh}(\operatorname{CO})_{5}(0)$	C	1 305458	0.000274	-1 713575
		Č	0 761170	-1 845212	0 268526
		Č	2 622335	-0.000231	0.853832
		Č	0 761323	1 845175	0 268906
		Õ	1 552562	0.000498	-2.818262
		Õ	0 702027	-2.975228	0 339904
		Õ	3 670374	-0.000400	1 278697
		Õ	0 702306	2 975179	0 340549
		Zn	-1 511398	-0.000007	0.127317
		C	-3 925268	0.000005	0 104291
		õ	-5.042938	0.000017	0.095575
•	$E_{2}7_{n}(CO) + (a)$	Fe	-1 355890	0.001989	-0.005338
	$\operatorname{Fezh}(\operatorname{CO})_{5}(C)$	Zn	1.081019	0.009841	-0.003692
		C	-3 202087	-0.003930	-0.006702
		Č	-1 237280	1 681454	0 768309
		C	-1 225158	-1 678540	-0 771236
		C	2 864023	-1 290060	1 060659
		C	2.803696	1 273897	-1.048217
		Õ	-4 335375	-0.004230	-0.003778
		Õ	-1 184150	2 709848	1 247338
		Õ	-1 164758	-2 713551	-1 235613
		õ	3 460651	-2 020245	1 664329
		Õ	3 506556	1 997694	-1 643195
•	$E_{a}7_{n}(CO) + (d)$	Zn	-0.836396	-0.000085	-0.003417
	$\operatorname{FeZII(CO)}_5(\mathbf{u})$	Ee	1 683975	0.000018	-0.003111
		C	-2 410044	1 659205	-0.957812
		Č	-2.407728	0.002056	1 915413
		Č	-2.409804	-1 661835	-0.954367
		C	2 877299	-1 511402	0.001514
		Č	2.877340	1 511404	0.000602
		Õ	-2.782458	2 577170	-1 484545
		Õ	-2 781697	0.004710	2 973213
		õ	-2 782740	-2 581167	-1 478332
		õ	3 557546	-2 414611	0.004995
		õ	3.557620	2.414588	0.003580
-	$F_{a}7n(CO)$ <sup>+</sup>	Fe	0.988770	-0.201474	0.000000
		Zn	-1 815955	-0.534937	0.000000
		C	0.639540	1.085392	1.320419
		č	0.639540	1.085392	-1.320419
		Č	2.912959	0.033734	0.000000
		Č	0.961294	-1.537308	-1.321523
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**Table S1**. The Cartesian Coordinates (Å) of the Structures Optimized at the B3LYP/6-311+G(d) Level.

	С	0.961294	-1.537308	1.321523
	Ο	0.445575	1.863150	2.116552
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	Ο	4.032195	0.170716	0.000000
	Ο	0.961294	-2.339363	-2.116657
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	С	-3.955545	1.966014	0.000000
	Ο	-4.868917	2.620578	0.000000
$CoZn(CO)_7^+$	Со	0.000000	0.000000	-1.322641
	Zn	0.000000	0.000000	1.024200
	С	0.000000	1.803176	-1.125036
	С	1.561596	-0.901588	-1.125036
	С	-1.561596	-0.901588	-1.125036
	Ο	0.000000	2.940496	-1.040444
	Ο	2.546544	-1.470248	-1.040444
	Ο	-2.546544	-1.470248	-1.040444
	С	0.000000	0.000000	-3.138759
	Ο	0.000000	0.000000	-4.270438
	С	0.000000	-1.935976	2.251643
	С	1.676604	0.967988	2.251643
	С	-1.676604	0.967988	2.251643
	Ο	0.000000	-2.995248	2.611378
	0	2.593961	1.497624	2.611378
	0	-2.593961	1.497624	2.611378