

**Supplemental Information:**

**ATP binding and ATP hydrolysis in full-length MsbA monitored via time-resolved  
Fourier transform infrared spectroscopy**

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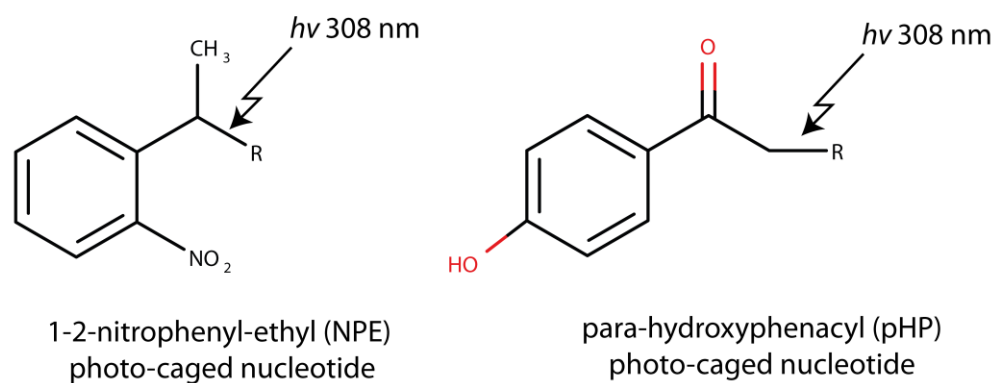
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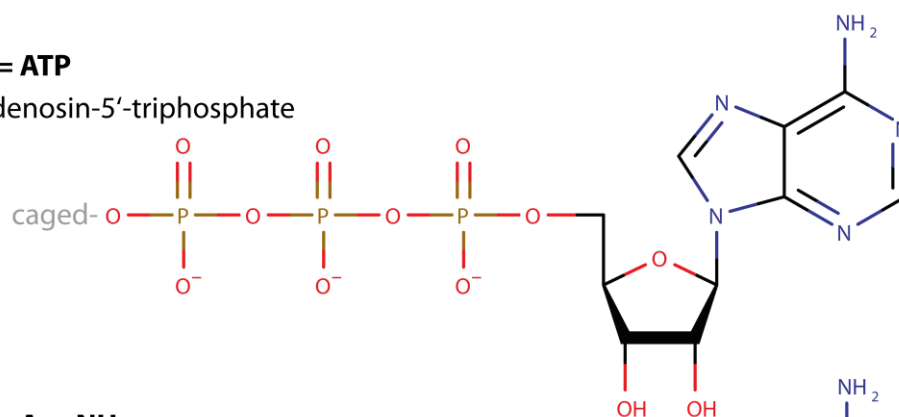
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**Figure S1: Valence structures of the photocaged nucleotides that were utilized in this study.** The photolabile NPE and pHP groups at the terminal phosphate of ATP, ADP and AppNHp were cleaved with a UV laser flash at 308 nm.



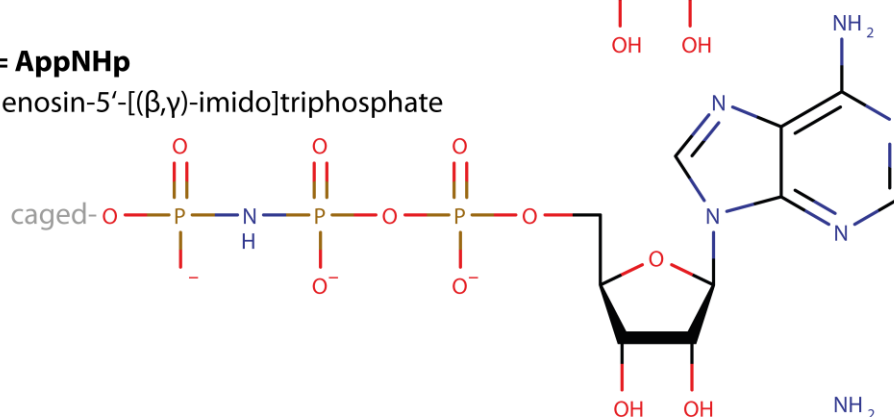
**R = ATP**

Adenosin-5'-triphosphate



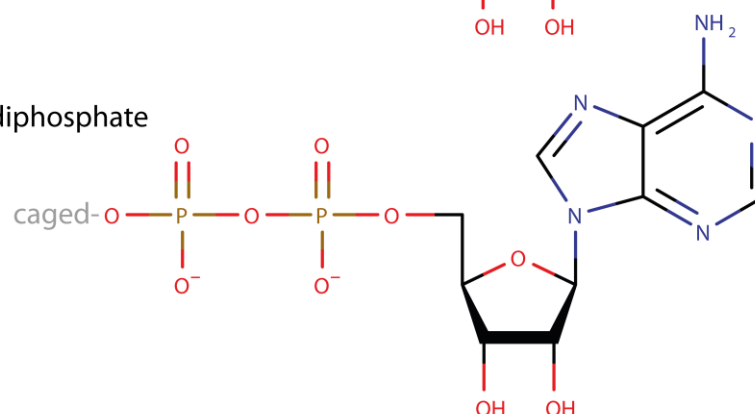
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**R = ADP**

Adenosin-5'-diphosphate





**Figure S2: Asymmetric stretching vibrations of a/b/g-ATP and a/b-ADP and their corresponding atom displacement vectors.** The depicted vibrations typically dominate the FTIR difference spectrum due to their high transition dipole moment.

