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Nonadiabatic dynamics with spin-orbit couplings GLORIA CAPANO, ²Laboratory of ultrafast spectroscopy, Ecole Polytechnique Fdrale de Lausanne, Lausanne, 1015, Switzerland., FELIPE FRANCO DE CARVALHO, ¹Centre Europeen de Calcul Atomique et Molculaire, Lausanne, 1015, Switzerland., IVANO TAVERNELLI, IBM Research Zurich, 8803 Rueschlikon, Switzerland. — In this talk I will present some recent advances in TDDFT-based nonadiabatic dynamics for molecular systems using Tully's surface hopping. In particular, I will describe a method for the efficient simulation of intersystem crossing events, which requires the on-the-fly calculation of spin-orbit coupling matrix elements along the trajectories. This approach will be applied to the study of the photophysics of metal-organic complexes in solution and of different carbon nanostructures including graphene nanoflakes and nanotubes with different wrapping topologies.

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