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**UV AND IR SPECTROSCOPY AND THEIR APPLICATIONS**

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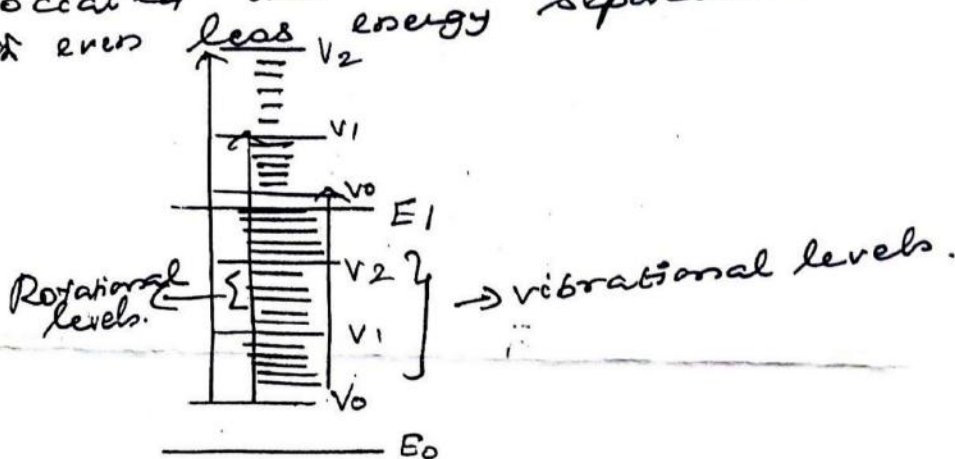
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UV and IR spectroscopy and its applications:-

Basic concepts of UV spectroscopy:-

- ① A molecule contains electronic, vibrational and rotational energy levels.
- ② Each electronic level is associated with a number of vibrational levels with less energy separation.
- ③ Each vibrational level in turn is associated with a set of rotational levels with even less energy separations.



Electronic energy levels:-

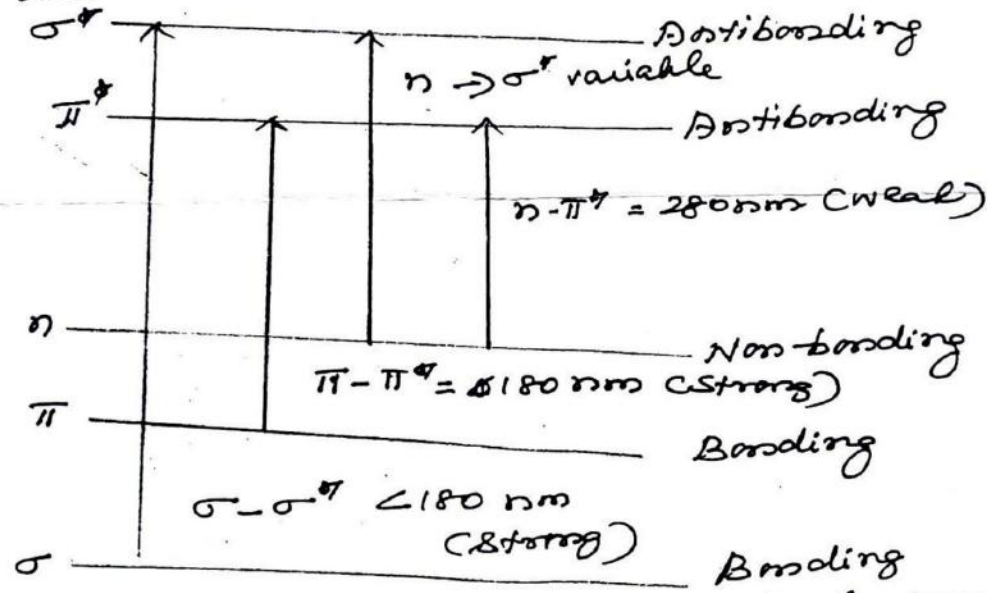
④ Due to relatively large amounts of energy associated with the UV radiation, they are capable of electronic excitations and induce transitions in the electronic, vibrational and rotational energy levels of a molecule.

⑤ Thus ultraviolet spectrum of a molecule results from transitions between electronic vibrational and rotational states accompanied by changes both in vibrational and rotational states.

ELECTRONIC ENERGY LEVELS & ELECTRONIC TRANSITIONS:-

① Absorption of ultraviolet radiation by an organic molecule leads to electronic excitation among various energy levels within the molecule.

- ② The transitions generally occur in between a bonding or lone-pair orbital and an unoccupied non-bonding or antibonding orbital.
- ③ The energy difference between various energy levels in most organic molecules varies from 30 to 150 kcal/mole.
- ④ The  $\sigma$  orbitals involved in forming  $\sigma$ -bonds are the lowest energy occupied molecular orbitals.
- ⑤ The  $\pi$ -orbitals lie at somewhat higher energy and the orbitals holding the unshared electron pairs (non-bonding orbitals) lie at even higher energy levels than the  $\pi$ -orbitals.
- ⑥ The unoccupied or antibonding orbitals ( $\pi^*$  and  $\sigma^*$ ) are the orbitals of highest energy.



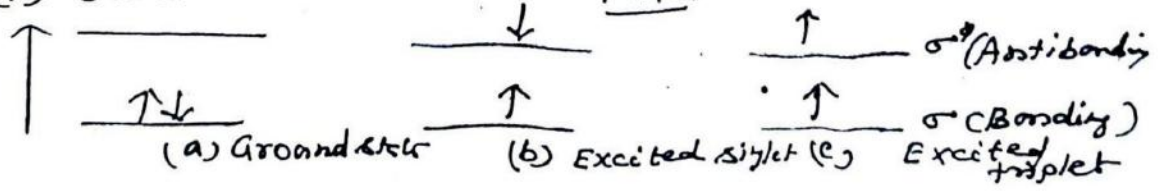
The change in energy  $\Delta E$  for different transitions are in the order  $n \rightarrow \pi^* < \pi \rightarrow \pi^* < \sigma \rightarrow \sigma^* < n \rightarrow \sigma^*$

Electronic energy levels and electronic transitions. FIG 1

The important modes of electronic transitions, when a molecule absorbs radiation in ultraviolet or visible region.

① Transitions between bonding and antibonding orbitals:-

(i)  $\sigma - \sigma^*$  transition:-



Electronic excitation takes place <sup>(2)</sup> when one of the  $\sigma$  bonding electrons is promoted to the  $\sigma^*$  level as shown in fig 2 (b) without any inversion of spin and in 2(c) with inversion of spin.  $\frac{c}{b}$  is known as excited triplet state. Triplet state possesses lower energy than the corresponding excited singlet state. Normally the absorption of visible or UV radiation causes electronic transition from singlet ground state to the excited singlet state.

From fig (1), it is seen, that  $\sigma \rightarrow \sigma^*$  transition requires very high energy. This energy is available only in the far UV region. This transition occurs in only saturated hydrocarbons with no non-bonding electrons.

### ② $n \rightarrow \sigma^*$ transition:-

This type of transition takes place in saturated compounds containing one hetero atom with unshared pair of electrons (n electrons). Some compounds undergoing this type of transitions are saturated halides, alcohols, ethers, aldehydes, ketones, amines etc. Such transitions require comparatively less energy than that required for  $\sigma \rightarrow \sigma^*$  transition. Water absorbs at 167 m $\mu$ , methyl alcohol at 174 m $\mu$  and methyl chloride at 169 m $\mu$ .

In saturated alkyl halides, the energy required for such a transition decreases with the increase in the size of the halogen atom.

### $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ transition:-

This type of transition occurs in the unsaturated centres of the molecule i.e. in compounds containing double or triple bonds and also in aromatics. The excitation of  $\pi$  electron requires smaller energy and hence transition of this type occurs at longer wavelength. A  $\pi$  electron of a double bond is excited to  $\pi^*$  orbital. For example alkenes, alkynes, carbonyl compounds, cyanides, azo compounds show  $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$  transition. This transition requires still lesser energy.

as compared to  $n \rightarrow \sigma^*$  transition and therefore absorption occurs at longer wavelengths.

$n \rightarrow \pi^*$  transition:-

In this type of transition, an electron of unshared electron pair on hetero atom gets excited to  $\pi^*$  antibonding orbital. This type of transition requires least amount of energy out of all transitions and hence occurs at longer wavelength. Saturated aldehydes  $R_2C=O$  show both the type of transitions (low energy  $n \rightarrow \pi^*$  and high energy  $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ ).

CHROMOPHORE:-

It is defined as any isolated covalently bonded group that shows a characteristic absorption in the ultraviolet or the visible region.

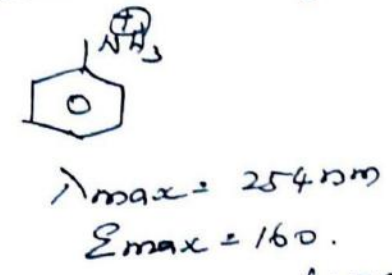
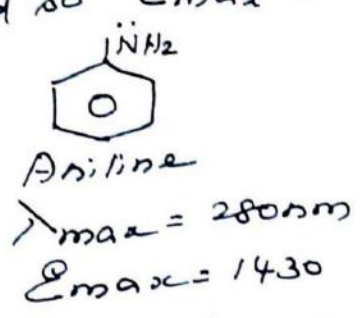
The absorption occurs irrespective of the fact whether colour is produced or not. Some of the important chromophores are ethylenic, acetylenic, carbonyl, acids, esters, nitrile group etc.

- There are two types of chromophores.
- (a) Chromophores in which the group contains  $\pi$  electrons and they undergo  $n \rightarrow \pi^*$  transitions. Such chromophores are ethylenic, acetylenic etc.
  - (b) Chromophores which contain both  $\pi$  electrons and non-bonding electrons. Such chromophores ~~contain~~ undergo two types of transitions i.e.  $n \rightarrow \pi^*$  and  $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ . Examples of this type are carbonyls, nitriles, azo compounds, nitro compounds etc.

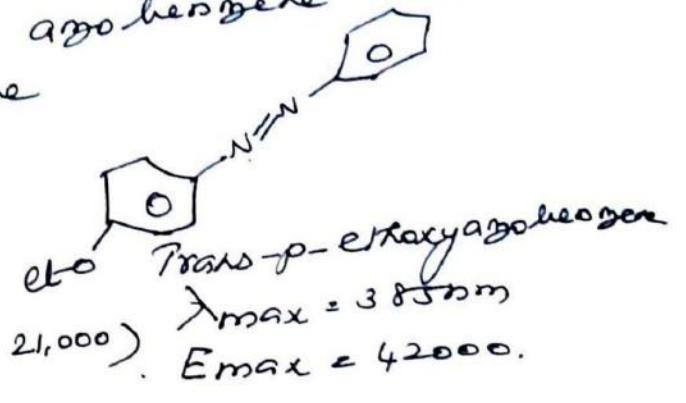
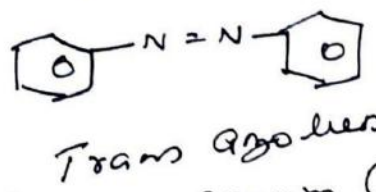
AUXOCHROME:-

An auxochrome can be defined as any group which does not itself act as a chromophore but whose presence brings about a shift of the absorption band towards the red end of the spectrum. An auxochromic group is called colour enhancing group. Some common auxochromic groups are  $OH$ ,  $OR$ ,  $NNH_2$ ,  $NHR$ ,  $NR_2$ ,  $SH$  etc. The effect of the auxochrome is due to its ability to extend the conjugation of a chromophore by the sharing of non-bonding electrons.

In aniline,  $\text{NH}_2$  acts as a chromophore. But in anilinium ion, there is no lone pair on nitrogen atom and so  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  is reduced as given.

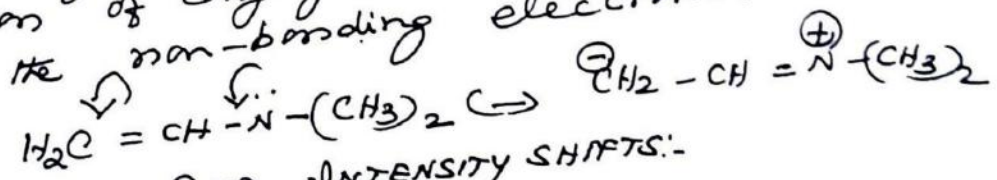


If we consider azobenzene and trans-p-ethoxyazobenzene



Mechanism:-

All auxochromic groups contain non-bonding electrons. Due to this, there is extension of conjugation of the chromophore by sharing the non-bonding electrons.



ABSORPTION AND INTENSITY SHIFTS:-

(a) BATHOCHROMIC EFFECT:-

Absorption maximum is shifted towards longer wavelength or by the change of solvent. Such an absorption shift towards longer wavelength is called red shift or bathochromic shift. The  $n \rightarrow \pi^*$  transition for carbonyl compounds experiences bathochromic shift when the polarity of the solvent is decreased.

(b) Hypsochromic SHIFT:-

It is an effect by virtue of which the absorption maximum is shifted towards shorter wavelength. The absorption

to shifted towards shorter wavelength is called blue shift or hypsochromic shift.

(c) HYPERCHROMIC EFFECT:-

It is the effect leading to increased absorption intensity. The intensities of primary and secondary bands of phenol are increased in phenolate.

(d) HYPPOCHROMIC EFFECT:-

It is the effect leading to decreased absorption intensity. The intensities of primary and secondary bands of benzoic acid are decreased in benzoate.

FACTORS AFFECTING THE POSITION OF UV BANDS:-

① CONJUGATION:-

(i) A conjugated system requires lower energy for  $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$  transition than an unconjugated system.

(ii) For example, in the conjugated butadiene ( $\lambda_{max} = 217\text{nm}$ ) and the  $\pi$  and  $\pi^*$  orbitals have energies much closer together than those in ethylene.

(iii) Energy absorption for butadiene can occur by  $\pi_2$  (bonding)  $\rightarrow$   $\pi_3^*$  (antibonding) transition (HOMO  $\rightarrow$  LUMO). The energy difference is 136 kcal/mole. But for ethylene energy difference is 176 kcal/mole giving a  $\lambda_{max}$  at a longer wavelength.

Greater the number of alternate multiple bonds, for example  $-C=C-C=C-C=C-$  or  $-C=C-C=O$  etc.  $\lambda_{max}$  for divinylethylene  $H_2C=CH-CH=CH_2$  is 265 nm whereas for diallyl  $H_2C=CH-CH_2-CH=CH_2$  is only 180 nm.

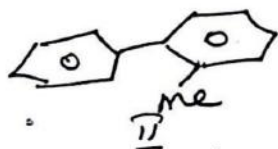
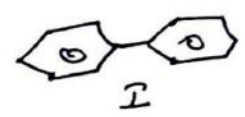
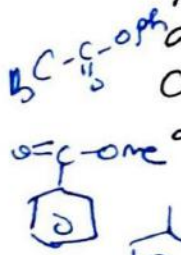
where the conjugated system is extensive, (i.e) when the molecule contains

a number of conjugated double bonds, the wavelengths of absorption maxima becomes sufficiently high and hence the absorption occurs in the visible region and the compound appears coloured. For example  $\alpha$ -carotene with 10 conjugated double bonds absorbs at the violet end of the visible spectrum and hence is red in colour.

As the conjugation increases, the energy gap between HOMO and LUMO decreases.

II. STERIC HINDRANCE & COPLANARITY:-

- (i) Longer the conjugated system, higher will be the absorption maximum and larger will be the value of the extinction coefficient.
- (ii) If in a structure, the  $\pi$ -electron system is prevented from achieving coplanarity, there is a marked shift in the absorption maximum and extinction coefficient.
- (iii) Since steric crowding which distorts the geometry of the chromophore which is turn prevents effective  $\pi$ -orbital overlap, conjugation is reduced.
- (iv) Due to this, there will be a departure in the value of absorption maximum calculated from the empirical rules.
- (v)  $\pi$ - $\pi^*$  transition for biphenyl (I) which readily achieves coplanarity absorbs at 250 m $\mu$  and  $\epsilon_{max}$  19,000. But in 2-methyl biphenyl (II)  $\pi$ - $\pi^*$  transition undergoes blue shift and intensity is diminished as the two rings remain no longer coplanar. For this molecule absorption maximum is 237 m $\mu$  and  $\epsilon_{max}$  10250.

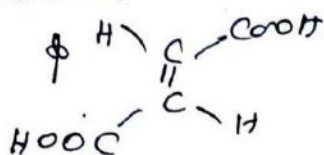


- (vi) If the compound containing above chromophore is capable of existing as geometrical isomers.
- (vii) The trans isomer is found to absorb at longer wavelength with higher value of extinction coefficient as compared to cis-isomer.
- (viii) It is due to more effective  $\pi$ -orbital overlap and it achieves coplanarity.
- (ix) Due to greater crowding in cis form



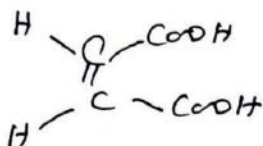
Since both bulky groups are on the same side, the geometry of the albene chromophore is distorted and departure from coplanarity results.

(X) Thus  $\pi-\pi^*$  transition is cis-cinnamic and takes place at lower wavelength with lower extinction coefficient



Trans cinnamic acid

Absorption maxima = 272 nm  
 $\epsilon_{max} = 15,900$ .



Cis-cinnamic acid

Absorption maxima = 268 nm  
 $\epsilon_{max} = 10700$ .

### III CONFORMATION AND GEOMETRY IN POLYENE SYSTEMS:

(i) In long-chain conjugated polyenes, steric hindrance to coplanarity can arise when cis-bonds are present.

(ii) All trans methyl carotenoid, its isomer with a central cis-double bond, absorbs at shorter wavelength due to partial chromophore.

### IV SOLVENT EFFECTS IN POLYENES AND KETONES:-

(i) The position and intensity of an absorption band is greatly affected by the polarity of the solvent used.

(ii) Such solvent shifts are due to the differences in the relative capabilities of the solvents to interact electrostatically with polar chromophores (e.g. carbonyl).

(iii)  $n-\pi^*$  transition :- In this, the ground state is more polar than the excited state. This stabilization is more pronounced with hydrogen bonding solvents (such as water/ethanol). The non-bonded electrons on the oxygen will coordinate with hydroxylic solvents, thus lowering the net energy of  $n$  electrons

So energy difference is increased in the presence of polar solvent,  $\lambda_{max}$  is decreased and absorption occurs at shorter wavelength and consequently the intensity becomes less.

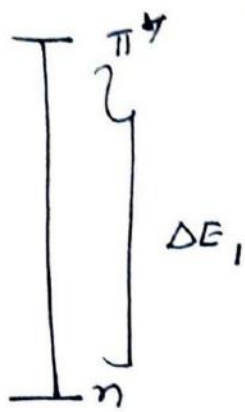
(iv)  $\pi-\pi^*$  transition:- By increasing the polarity of the solvent, the dipole-dipole interactions with the excited state and lower the energy of the state and the energy difference is decreased.  $\lambda_{max}$  is increased and absorption is shifted towards longer wavelength with increased intensity.

(v)  $n-\pi^*$  transition:- Hydrogen bonding also takes place in  $n-\pi^*$  transition. Two cases arise.

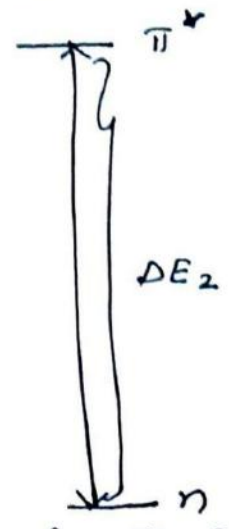
(a) If the polar chromophores (e.g. carbonyl) are more polar in the excited state than in the ground state the increase in polarity of the solvent stabilises the non-bonding electrons in the excited state due to hydrogen bonding. So the absorption band is shifted towards longer wavelength as  $\lambda$  increased intensity.

(b) If the polar chromophores are more polar in the ground state, the increase in polarity of the solvent causes the absorption band to shift towards a shorter wavelength. In this case, stabilisation of the non-bonding electrons takes place to a greater extent in the ground state due to hydrogen bonding than in the excited state.

$n-\pi^*$  Transition



In the absence of polar solvents

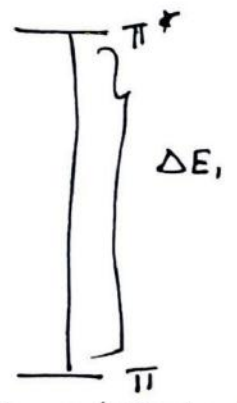


In the presence of polar solvents.

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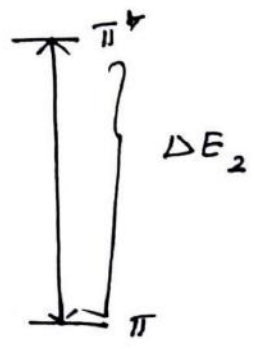
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$\pi-\pi^*$  Transition



In the absence of polar solvents

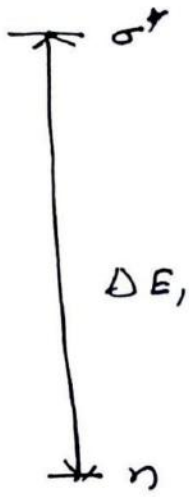
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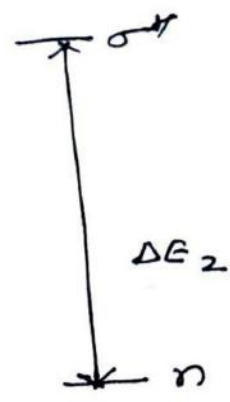
In the presence of polar solvents

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$n \rightarrow \sigma^*$  Transition (Excited state is more polar)



In the absence of polar solvents



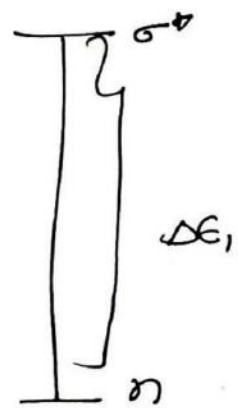
In the presence of polar solvents

$\Delta E_1 > \Delta E_2$

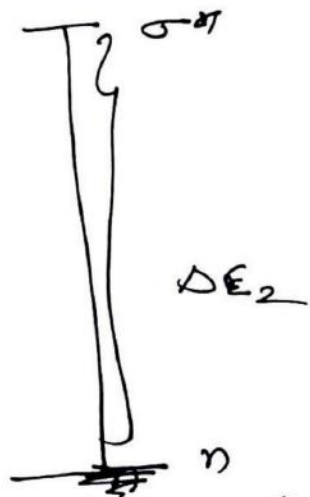
$\Delta E_2 < \Delta E_1$

S IX

$n \rightarrow \sigma^*$  Transition (Ground state is more polar)



In the absence of polar solvents



In the presence of polar solvents.

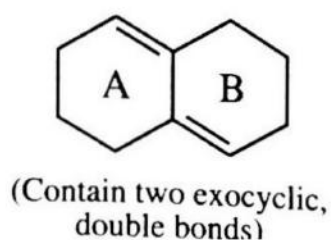
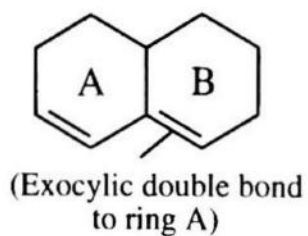
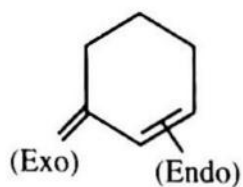
$\Delta E_2 > \Delta E_1$

***WOODWARD-FISHER RULES FOR  
CALCULATING ABSORPTION  
MAXIMUM IN DIENES***

**Table T<sub>2</sub>-8** Conjugated dienes and Trienes.

<i>Solvent—Ethanol</i>	
<i>Transition involved—<math>\pi \rightarrow \pi^*</math></i>	
Parent value for Butadiene system or a cyclic conjugated diene	217 m $\mu$
Acyclic Triene	245 m $\mu$
Homoannular conjugated diene	253 m $\mu$
Heteroannular conjugated diene	215 m $\mu$
<b>Increment for each substituent</b>	
Alkyl substituent or ring residue	5 m $\mu$
Exocyclic double bond	5 m $\mu$
Double bond extending conjugation	30 m $\mu$
<b>Auxochrome</b>	
—OR	
—SR	+ 6 m $\mu$
—Cl*, —Br*	+ 30 m $\mu$
—NR <sub>2</sub>	+ 5 m $\mu$
OCOCH <sub>3</sub>	+ 60 m $\mu$
	0 m $\mu$

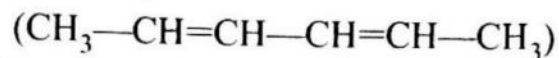
(d) **Exocyclic and Endocyclic conjugated double bonds** : Exocyclic double bond is a double bond, part of the conjugated system, formed by any carbon atom of any ring but present outside the ring. Endocyclic double bond is present inside the ring. Such double bonds are shown in the following examples :



Some examples illustrating the above rules are as follows :

**EXAMPLE 1.** Calculate the absorption maximum in the ultra-violet spectrum of 2, 4- Hexadiene.

**SOLUTION.** The basic unit in 2, 4. hexadiene is butadiene. There are two alkyl substituents (one on each double bond) on it. Thus,



$$\text{Basic value} = 217 \text{ m}\mu$$

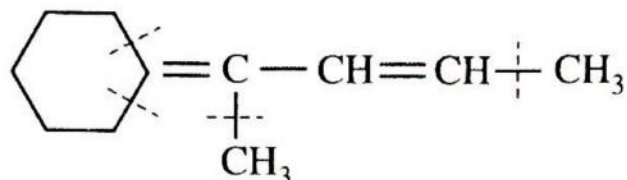
$$\text{2-alkyl substituents } (2 \times 5) = \frac{10 \text{ m}\mu}{}$$

$$\text{Calculated value} = 227 \text{ m}\mu$$

The observed value\* is also found to be 227 m $\mu$ .



**EXAMPLE 2.1** Calculate the absorption maximum in the UV spectrum of



It is a butadiene system. There are two alkyl substituents and two ring residues on the double bonds. Moreover, there is an exo-cyclic double bond.

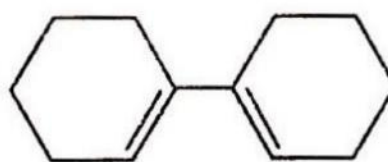
The value of absorption maximum is calculated as follows :

Basic value	=	217 m $\mu$
2-alkyl substituents (2 $\times$ 5)	=	10 m $\mu$
2-Ring residues (2 $\times$ 5)	=	10 m $\mu$
1-Exocyclic double bond	=	5 m $\mu$
Calculated value	=	<u>242 m<math>\mu</math></u>

The observed value is also found to be 242 m $\mu$ .

**EXAMPLE 3.**

Calculate  $\lambda_{max}$  for



It is an example of heteroannular diene and there are four ring residues on the double bonds. Thus,

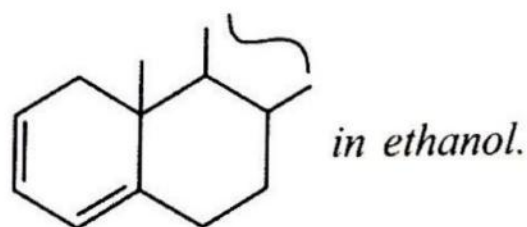
$$\text{Basic value} = 215 \text{ m}\mu$$

$$\text{Four Ring residues } (4 \times 5) = \underline{20 \text{ m}\mu}$$

$$\text{Calculated value} = \mathbf{235 \text{ m}\mu}$$

The observed value is also found to be 234 m $\mu$ .

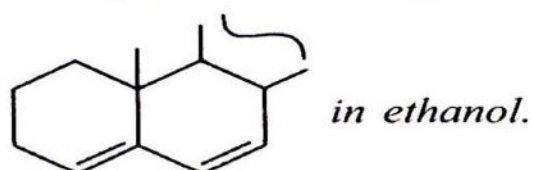
**EXAMPLE 4.** Calculate the absorption maximum for the compound



**SOLUTION.** It is an example of homoannular conjugated diene and there are three ring residues on it. Moreover, it contains an exocyclic double bond in it. Thus,

Basic value	= 253 m $\mu$
3-Ring residues (3 $\times$ 5)	= 15 m $\mu$
1-exocyclic double bond	= 5 m $\mu$
Calculated value	= <u>273 m<math>\mu</math></u>
Observed value	= 274 m $\mu$

**EXAMPLE 5.** Calculate the absorption maximum for the compound

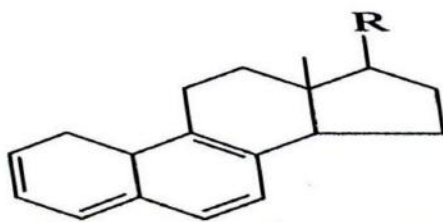


**SOLUTION.** It is an example of heteroannular diene and there are three ring residues in it. Moreover, it contains one exocyclic double bond in it. Thus,

Basic value	= 215 m $\mu$
3-Ring residues	= 15 m $\mu$
1-exocyclic double bond	= <u>5 m<math>\mu</math></u>
Calculated value	= <b>235 m<math>\mu</math></b>

The observed value of absorption maximum in the ultra-violet spectrum of this compound is also found to be 235 m $\mu$ .

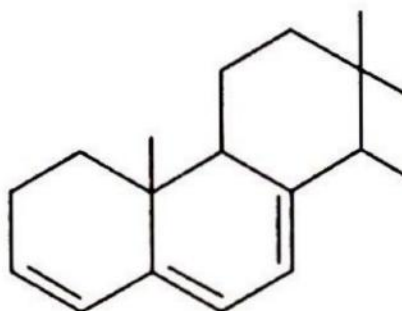
**EXAMPLE 6.** Calculate the value of absorption maximum for the compound



**SOLUTION.** It is a homodiene system. There are five ring residues on the double bonds, one exocyclic bond and also two double bonds which extend conjugation.

Basic value	=	253 m $\mu$
2-double bonds extending conjugation	$2 \times 30 =$	60 m $\mu$
5-Ring residues	$5 \times 5 =$	25 m $\mu$
1-Exocyclic double bond	$1 \times 5 =$	5 m $\mu$
Calculated value	=	<u>343 m<math>\mu</math></u>
Observed value	=	345 m $\mu$

**EXAMPLE 7.** Calculate  $\lambda_{\max}$  for the compound.



**SOLUTION.** It is a homoannular conjugated diene system. It contains four ring residues; two exocyclic double bonds and one double bond which extend conjugation. Thus,  $\lambda_{\max}$  for this compound is calculated as:

Basic value	=	253 m $\mu$
4-Ring residues	(4 $\times$ 5) =	20 m $\mu$
2-exocyclic double bonds	(2 $\times$ 5) =	10 m $\mu$
1-double bond extending conjugation	=	30 m $\mu$
Calculated value	=	<u>313 m<math>\mu</math></u>
Observed value	=	312 m $\mu$

## ***POLY-enes and POLY-ynes***

**Note.** If a conjugated polyene contains more than four double bonds, then Fieser-Kuhn rules are used. According to this approach, both  $\lambda_{max}$  and  $\epsilon_{max}$  are related to the number of conjugated double bonds as well as other structural units by the following equations.

$$\lambda_{max} = 114 \times 5 M + n (48.0 - 1.7n) - 16.5 R_{endo} - 10 R_{exo}$$

$$\epsilon_{max} = (1.74 \times 10^4)n$$

where

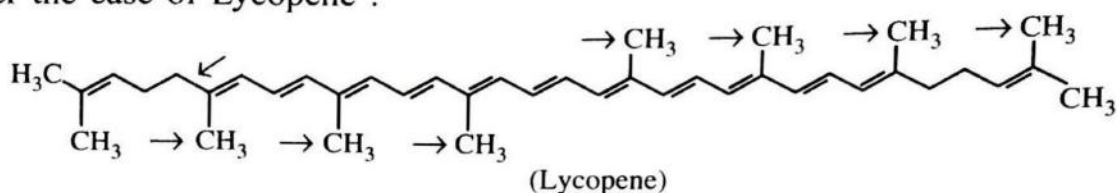
$n$  = no. of conjugated double bonds.

$M$  = no. of alkyl or alkyl like substituents on the conjugated system.

$R_{endo}$  = no. of rings with endocyclic double bonds in the conjugated system.

$R_{exo}$  = no. of rings with exocyclic double bonds.

Consider the case of Lycopene :



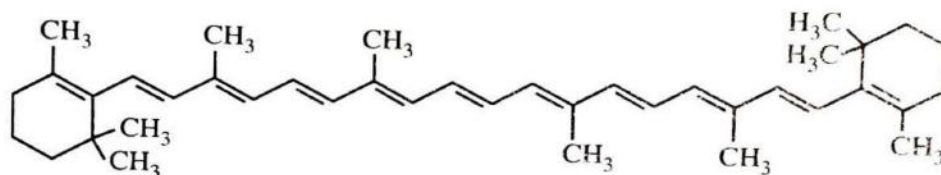
In this compound, only eleven double bonds are in conjugation. Thus,  $n = 11$ . In addition to this, there are eight substituents (methyl groups and chain residues). Thus,  $M = 8$ . As there is no ring system, there are neither exo nor endocyclic double bonds in this conjugated system.  $\lambda_{max}$  can be calculated as under :

$$\lambda_{max} = 114 + 5(8) + 11 [48.0 - 1.7(11)] - 0 - 0 = 476 \text{ nm}$$

The observed value of  $\lambda_{max}$  is found to be 476 nm (hexane)

$$\epsilon_{max} \text{ (calculated)} = 19.1 \times 10^4.$$

Similarly,  $\lambda_{max}$  can be calculated for  $\beta$ -carotene.

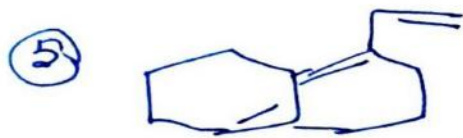
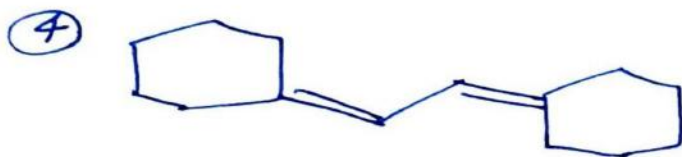
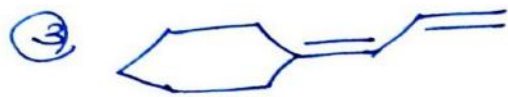
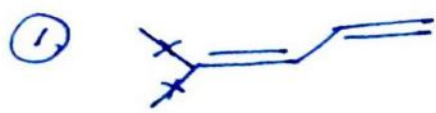


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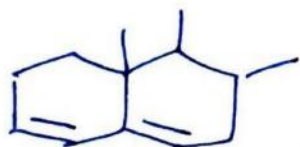


***CALCULATIONS OF  
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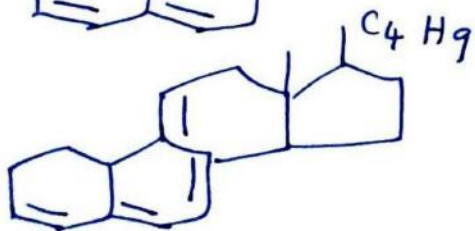
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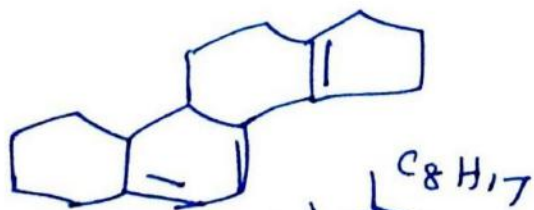
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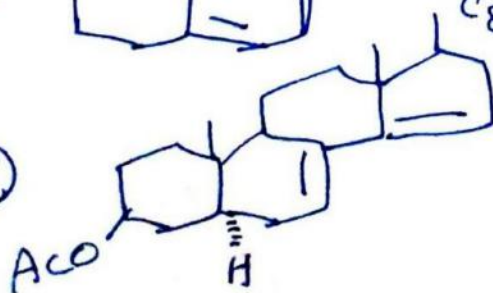
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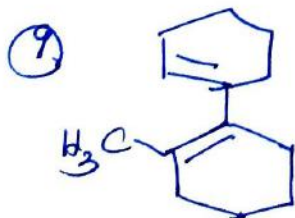
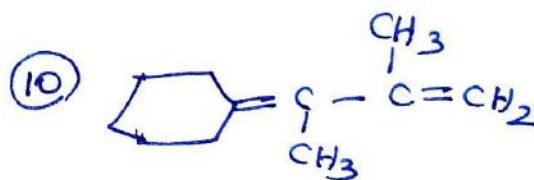
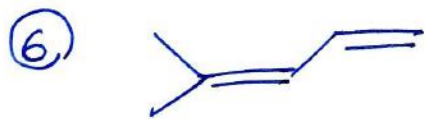
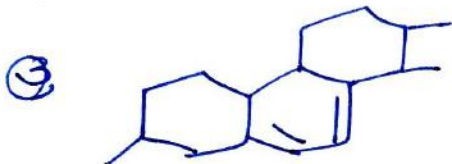
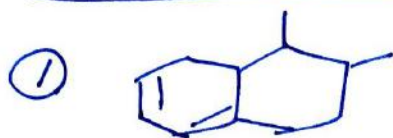


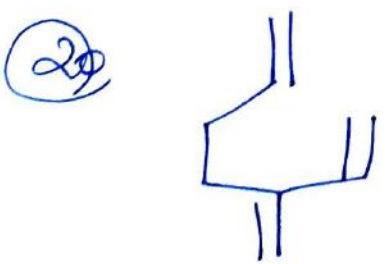
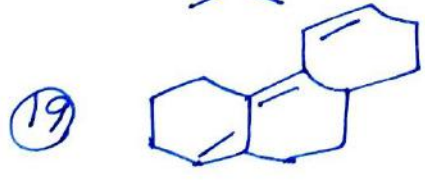
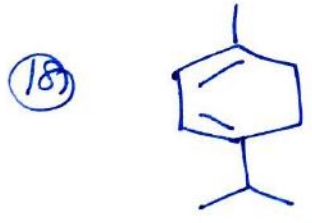
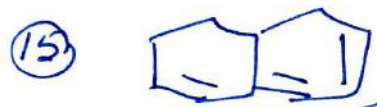
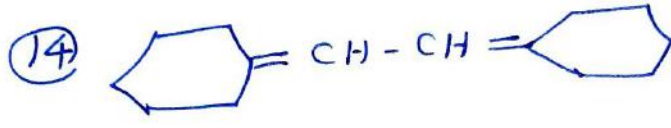
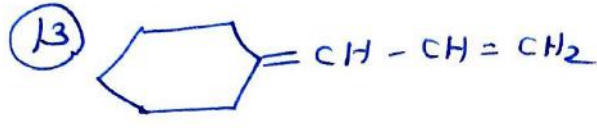
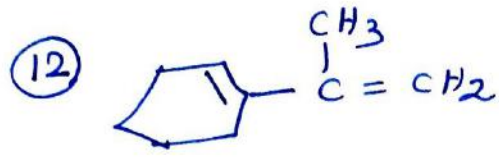
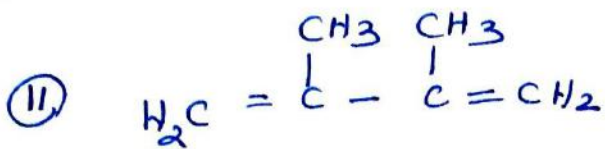
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Calculate  $\lambda_{max}$  for the following dienes:-





All the best!  
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# INFRA-RED SPECTROSCOPY

## PRINCIPLE:-

① The absorption of infra red radiations  
0.8  $\mu$ m to 2.5  $\mu$ m - near IR region  
2.5  $\mu$ m to 15  $\mu$ m - (Ordinary )  
15  $\mu$ m to 200  $\mu$ m - Far IR region) comes  
excitation of a molecule from a lower  
to higher vibrational level.

② Each vibrational level is  
associated with a number of closely  
spaced rotational levels. So IR  
spectrum is considered as vibrational-  
rotational spectra.

③ Only those molecules which undergo  
change in dipole moment will absorb in  
infra red region. So vibrational transitions  
which are accompanied by change in  
dipole moment are called as infra red  
active transitions. Thus they are responsible  
for absorption of energy in IR region.

④ The vibrational transitions which are  
not accompanied by change in dipole  
moment of the molecule are not directly  
observed and these are infra red inactive

⑤ Vibrational transitions of C=O, NH, OH  
etc, bands are accompanied by a change  
in dipole moment and thus absorb  
strongly in the IR region.

⑥ But transitions in the carbon-carbon  
bonds in symmetrical alkenes and alkynes  
are not accompanied by change in  
dipole moment and hence do not absorb  
in IR region.

## Molecular Vibrations:-

Atoms in a molecule are not  
held rigidly. The molecule may be  
visualised as consisting of balls of

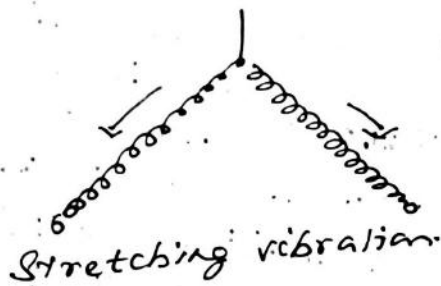
different sizes tied with springs of varying strengths. Balls and springs correspond to atoms and chemical bonds respectively. When infra-red light is passed through the sample, the vibrational and rotational energies of the molecules are increased.

Two kinds of fundamental vibrations are.

- (a) Stretching (b) Bending.

STRETCHING VIBRATIONS:-

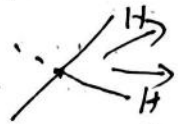
In this type of vibrations, the distance between the two atoms increases or decreases but atoms remain in the same bond axis.



- Types:-
- (i) Symmetric stretching
  - (ii) Asymmetric stretching.

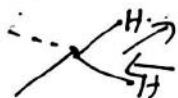
(i) Symmetric Stretching:-

The movement of the atoms with respect to a particular atom in a molecule is in the same direction.



(ii) Asymmetric Stretching:-

In these vibrations, one atom approaches the central atom, while the other departs from it.



## BENDING VIBRATIONS:-

In this type of vibrations, the positions of the atoms change with respect to the original bond axis. More energy is required to stretch a spring than to bend it. So stretching absorptions appear at high frequencies as compared to the bending absorption of the same band.

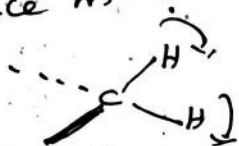
### TYPES:-

#### ① SCISSORING:-

In this type, two atoms approach each other.



② ROCKING:- The movement of the atoms take place in same direction.



③ WAGGING:- The two atoms move up and down the plane with respect to the central atom.



#### ④ TWISTING:-

One of the atoms moves up the plane while the other moves down the plane with respect to the central atom.



## SHORT NOTES ON FINGER PRINT REGION:-

No two components that are closely related can have identical/superimposable bands. The fingerprint region of an IR spectrum is useful for establishing the identity of two compounds.



Fingerprint region is divided into 3 regions:-  
(i) 1500-1350 cm<sup>-1</sup> region:-

The appearance of a doublet near 1380 cm<sup>-1</sup> and 1365 cm<sup>-1</sup> shows the presence of <sup>(m)</sup> t-butyl group in the compound. Gemdimethyl shows a medium band near 1380 cm<sup>-1</sup>. Out of the two bands for the nitro compound, one appears in the fingerprint region near 1350 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

(ii) 1350-1000 cm<sup>-1</sup> region:-

C-O stretching of alcohols, esters, lactones, acid anhydrides show characteristic absorption in this region. Primary alcohols form two strong bands at 1350-1260 cm<sup>-1</sup> and near 1050 cm<sup>-1</sup>. Phenols absorb near 1200 cm<sup>-1</sup>. Esters show two strong bands between 1350-1050 cm<sup>-1</sup>. Absorption in the region 1150-1070 cm<sup>-1</sup> is most characteristic of ethers (i.e.) C-O-C group.

(iii) Region below 1000 cm<sup>-1</sup>:-

$\text{>C=C-H}$  deformation at  $\approx 700 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and that at  $970-960 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  distinguishes between cis and trans alkenes. The higher value indicates that the hydrogen atoms in the alkene are trans to each other. A band in the region  $750-700 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  shows monosubstituted benzene.

## Variou regions of IR radiation:-

The IR region is divided into 3 parts

### (i) Near IR region:-

This is also known as overtone region and ranges from 0.8 to 2.5  $\mu$ .

### (ii) Mid IR region:- Gives useful information about the <sup>structure of the molecule</sup> ~~structure of the molecule~~. This is also known as vibration-rotation region and ranges from

2.5 to 50  $\mu$ . Absorption spectra are produced from the electronic transitions between the vibrational & rotational levels of a molecule in its ground state.

### (iii) Far IR region:- This is known as rotation region

and lies in the spectral range of 50 to 1000  $\mu$ . The far IR region contains a few absorptions of interest to organic chemists, notably Carbon-halogen bond absorptions and the absorptions associated with rotational changes within the molecule.

Explain how IR spectrum can be used to study intra and intermolecular hydrogen bonding in organic compounds.

① By using IR spectrum, we can be able to describe and distinguish inter and intramolecular hydrogen bonding in organic compounds.

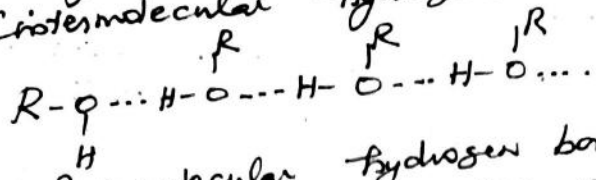
② The free OH stretching frequency is greater than the OH stretching frequency which involves in hydrogen bonding in organic compounds.

③ Since the bond length increases and strength of OH bond decreases due to hydrogen bonding and so stretched frequency decreases.

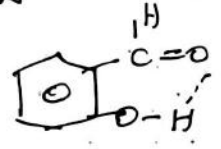
④ In very dilute solution, there is no intermolecular hydrogen bonding. In ethanol only intermolecular hydrogen bonding is present. In dilute solution, only one band at  $3650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  is shown.

⑤ But in concentrated solution of ethanol, a sharp band appears at  $3650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and a broad band at  $3350 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

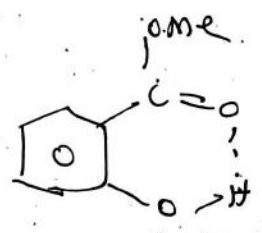
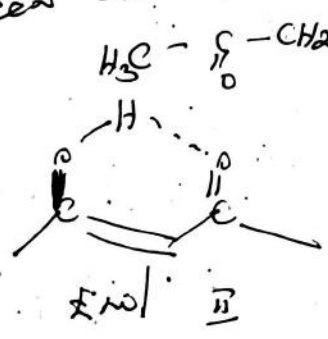
The sharp band is OH stretching in free alcohol molecules and the broad band is OH stretching in hydrogen bonded alcohol molecules.



⑥ If we take IR spectrum of salicylaldehyde, we can find a band at  $2800\text{cm}^{-1}$  for OH stretching frequency. This frequency is very much lower than that of OH stretching frequency in intermolecular hydrogen bonding. This discrepancy is due to the formation of intramolecular hydrogen bonding as follows.



⑦ Hydrogen bonding is weak and chelates are particularly strong and the observed OH stretching frequencies are low. Since these bands are not easily broken on dilution by an inert solvent and a band due to OH st. frequency may not be seen at low concentration.



Chelate III  
methyl salicylate

⑧ Since intramolecular hydrogen bonding is much stronger than intermolecular hydrogen bonding and so O-H bond becomes much weaker in I, II & III, where intramolecular hydrogen bonding is present and so OH stretching frequency is shifted to lower region.

9) On dilution, intramolecular hydrogen bonding is not at all affected, because it is present within the molecule itself. So the band is never affected on dilution.

In this way, we can distinguish between intra and intermolecular hydrogen bonding by using IR spectrum.

### FERMI RESONANCE

#### FUNDAMENTAL BANDS:-

Polyatomic molecules may exhibit more than one fundamental vibrational absorption bands. No. of fundamental bands is calculated using the formula  $(3N-5)$  for a linear molecule and  $(3N-6)$  for a non-linear molecule.

Transitions from the ground state ( $V=0$ ) to the second excited state ( $V=2$ ) with the absorption of infrared radiations give rise to weak bands called overtones.

In addition to overtones, combination bands, difference bands appear. If there are two fundamental bands at  $x$  and  $y$ , then the additional bands can be expected at

i)  $2x, 2y$  (Overtones)

ii)  $(x+y), (x+2y), (2x+y) \dots$  (etc.)  
(Combination bands)

iii)  $(x-y), (x-2y), (2y-x)$  etc.,  
(Difference bands)

All these additional bands are 10-100 times less intense as compared to fundamental bands.

Definition:-

A molecule transfers its energy from fundamental band to overtone and back again if they have same frequency. Quantum mechanically resonance pushes the two levels apart and mixes their character so that each level becomes partly fundamental and partly overtone in character. This type of resonance gives rise to a pair of transitions of equal intensity is known as Fermi resonance as it was discovered by FERMI.

1) When an overtone / combination band falls near a strong fundamental vibration, it causes a decrease in the intensity of the fundamental vibration and a large increase in the intensity of the overtone / combination vibration.

- 2) The requirements of such effective coupling are
- (a) The vibrations must be of the same symmetry.
  - (b) Strong coupling requires a common atom between the groups.
  - (c) When the coupled groups absorb individually near the same frequency.
  - (d) A common bond is required for coupling of bending vibration.

One example of Fermi resonance is afforded by absorption of  $\text{CO}_2$ . Symmetric stretching band of  $\text{CO}_2$  is IR inactive since it produces no change in dipole moment and it shows strong absorption at  $1340\text{cm}^{-1}$  in Raman spectra.

⑤ The fundamental bending vibration occurs at  $666\text{cm}^{-1}$  and its first overtone occurs at  $1334\text{cm}^{-1}$ . This overtone frequency is very close to  $1340\text{cm}^{-1}$ . Fermi resonance occurs and mutual perturbation of  $1340\text{cm}^{-1}$  (fundamental) and  $1334\text{cm}^{-1}$  (overtone) gives rise to two bands at  $1285.5\text{cm}^{-1}$  and  $1358.3\text{cm}^{-1}$  having intensity ratio of 1:0.9.

⑥ Another example of Fermi resonance is given by aldehydes in which CH stretching absorption usually appears as a doublet ( $2820 \pm 2720\text{cm}^{-1}$ ), due to interaction between CH stretching (fundamental) and overtone of CH deformation (bending).

⑦ Fermi resonance is also shown by its spectrum of *n*-butyl vinyl ether. In this case the overtone of the fundamental vibration at  $810\text{cm}^{-1}$  (i.e.  $1620\text{cm}^{-1} = 810 \times 2$ ) chances to coincide with the band at  $1640\text{cm}^{-1}$  due to CH bending. The mixing of these two bands (overtone and fundamental CH bending) in accordance with the Fermi resonance gives two bands of almost equal intensity at  $1640\text{cm}^{-1}$  and  $1630\text{cm}^{-1}$ .

# IR SPECTROSCOPY.

## VIBRATIONAL FREQUENCIES :-

The energy needed to vibrate a molecule will be absorbed in IR region. The position of the absorbed light in the spectrum can be specified in units of frequencies which are known as vibrational frequencies.

Each bond in an organic molecule absorbs light of specific frequency and perfect stretching and bending frequency. The stretching energy of a bond is greater than the bending energy. Thus stretching absorptions of a bond appear at higher frequencies in the IR Spectrum than the bending absorptions of the same bond.

The vibrational frequency of a bond can be calculated using Hook's law.

$$\nu = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{k}{R}}$$

where

$\nu$  = frequency.

$k$  = force constant of the bond.

$R$  = Reduced mass of the system.

## CALCULATION OF FORCE CONSTANT :-

The force constant of a bond  $k$  in a diatomic molecule is related to the frequency of absorption  $\nu$  according to the formula.

$$\nu = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{k}{R}}$$

where 'R' is the reduced mass and can be calculated from the relation

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{1}{m_2}$$

# FACTORS INFLUENCING VIBRATIONAL FREQUENCIES :-

## ① BOND STRENGTH :-

The vibrational frequency increases when the bond strength increases. This is in accordance with Hooke's law  $\nu = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{k}{\mu}}$  &  $\nu = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{k}{\mu}}$  stretching frequency. are greater than C-C & C-O stretching frequency.

## ② REDUCED MASS :-

The vibrational frequency increases when the reduced mass of the system decreases.

Example :

C-H and O-H stretching will have higher frequencies than C-C and C-O stretching respectively

Exceptions :-

According to reduced mass, stretching frequencies fall along the series

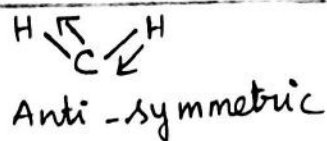
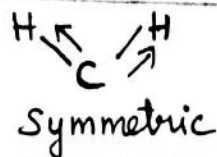
$C-H > N-H > O-H > F-H$  But actually they follow the series  $F-H > O-H > N-H > C-H$  due to increasing electronegativity.

## ③ VIBRATIONAL COUPLING :-

When the two bonds vibrate with similar frequency, vibrational coupling takes place. For this to happen the two bonds should be close to one another in the molecule.

(E.g) we expect one stretching absorption frequency for an isolated C-H bond, but in the case of methylene group ( $CH_2$ ), two absorptions occur which correspond to symmetric and antisymmetric vibrations as follows.





In such cases anti-symmetric vibration always occur at higher frequencies while symmetric vibrations occur at lower frequencies. These are called coupled vibrations since these vibrations occur at different frequencies that that required for an isolated C-H stretching.

#### ④ HYDROGEN BONDING:-

Stronger the hydrogen bonding, greater is the absorption shift towards lower frequencies than the normal value. Intra and intermolecular hydrogen bonds can be distinguished in infrared spectroscopy.

INTERMOLECULAR HYDROGEN BONDS	INTRA MOLECULAR HYDROGEN BONDS
i) Give rise to broad bands	Give rise to sharp well defined bands
ii) concentration dependent: on dilution, the intensities of bands decrease and finally disappear.	independent of concentration
iii) The absorption frequency difference between free and associated molecules is larger.	Smaller.

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#### ④ FACT:-

The frequency shifts due to hydrogen bonds in amines is less than those for alcohols.

#### EXPLANATION:-

Nitrogen atom is less electronegative than oxygen. So hydrogen bonding in amines is weaker

than in alcohols. Amines show N-H stretching at  $3500\text{ cm}^{-1}$  in dilute solutions while in condensed phase spectra, absorption occurs at  $3300\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . Absolute alcohols show O-H group stretching at  $3650\text{ cm}^{-1}$  in dilute solutions, while they show hydrogen bonded, O-H group stretching at  $3350\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

### ②. FACT :-

A number of cyclic and acyclic 1:2 diols show two bands, while isolated diols in  $\text{CCl}_4$  show one band in the OH stretching mode region.

### EXPLANATION:

In  $\text{CCl}_4$  there is no intermolecular hydrogen bonding. Thus 1:2-diols show 2 bands in dilute solution. One is due to intramolecular hydrogen bonding and another is due to free O-H stretching vibration.

### ⑤ ELECTRONIC EFFECT:-

i) Vibrational frequency of a bond depends on the bond strength or the force constant.

ii) Force constant measures the force required to stretch a bond.

iii) Due to electronic effects, such as inductive effect, mesomeric effect (through resonance), and field effect (through space) force constant changes.

iv) So the vibrational frequency changes from the normal value.

### V) INDUCTIVE EFFECT:

Due to the presence of a polar covalent bond in a molecule, the process of electron shift along a chain of atoms is called inductive effect.

vi) When an alkyl group is introduced into a molecule electron releasing inductive effect arises (+I effect). The length of the bond increases and the bond becomes weaker. Because of this absorption occurs at lower frequency.

vii) The frequency change for C=O absorption, by the introduction of CH<sub>3</sub> group is shown below.

Formaldehyde	HCHO	1750 cm <sup>-1</sup>
Acetaldehyde	H <sub>3</sub> C-CHO	1745 cm <sup>-1</sup>
Acetone	H <sub>3</sub> C-C(=O)-CH <sub>3</sub>	1715 cm <sup>-1</sup>

viii) When electronegative atoms are introduced into a molecule, -I effect (electron withdrawing inductive effect) arises and the vibrational frequency of C=O increases as shown below

Acetone	H <sub>3</sub> C-C(=O)-CH <sub>3</sub>	1715 cm <sup>-1</sup>
Chloroacetone	Cl-CH <sub>2</sub> -C(=O)-CH <sub>3</sub>	1725 cm <sup>-1</sup>
Dichloroacetone	Cl <sub>2</sub> CH-C(=O)-CH <sub>3</sub>	1740 cm <sup>-1</sup>

#### ix) MESOMERIC EFFECT :-

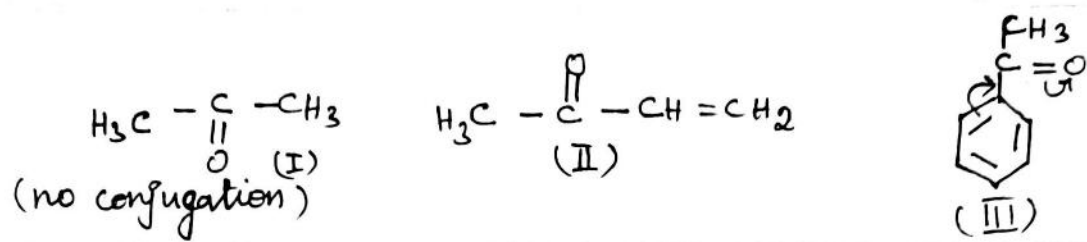
This involves displacement of electrons leading to centres of high or low electron density in a molecule. This effect operates along with inductive effect.

x) Mesomeric effect is particularly important in systems with an extended conjugation of multiple bonds, such as  $\alpha, \beta$ -unsaturated carbonyl compounds, benzenoid compounds, etc.,

x i) Conjugation lowers the absorption frequency of C=O stretching.

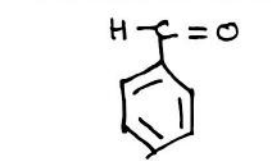
x ii) when electron withdrawing groups (e.g. C=O, NO<sub>2</sub> etc..) are adjacent to multiple bond mesomeric effect causes the weakening of the bond and consequently the absorption frequency decreases.

(E.g) absorption frequency of >C=O of acetone (I) methyl vinyl ketone (II) and acetophenone (III) are 1715 cm<sup>-1</sup>, 1706 cm<sup>-1</sup> and 1693 cm<sup>-1</sup> respectively.



In II, conjugation is due to  $\alpha, \beta$ -unsaturation and in III, it is due to aromatic ring

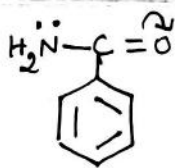
⊗ In some cases, lone pair of electrons on an atom may enter into conjugation with a neighbouring double bond (E.g)



Benzaldehyde

$$\bar{\nu}_{\text{C=O}} \Rightarrow 1715 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

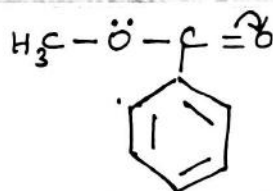
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Benzamide

$$\bar{\nu} = 1663 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

V



phenyl acetate

$$\bar{\nu} = 1730 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

VI

Since conjugation lowers the absorption frequency. Because of greater conjugation in amide,  $\bar{\nu}_{\text{C=O}}$  in amide is less than in ester.

(Nitrogen is less electronegative than oxygen so the lone pair on N is more labile and participates more in conjugation).

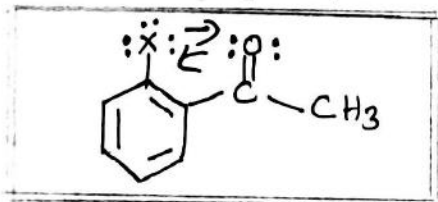
## ⑥ FIELD EFFECT:

This effect operates in orthosubstituted compounds. Inductive effect is considered when the compound is meta substituted. In para substituted compounds both inductive and mesomeric effects are considered and the domination of one effect over the other gives rise to higher or lower the frequency of absorption.

But in ortho substituted compounds, steric effect is also considered along with other effects. In this case, the lone pair of  $e^-$ s (non-bonding electrons) on two atoms cause electrostatic repulsions leading to diminishing conjugation and consequently, the vibrational frequencies of both the groups change. This effect is called field effect.

(For eg)

In ortho halo acetophenone, the nonbonding electrons present in oxygen and halogen repel each other. This causes a change in the state of hybridisation of  $C=O$  group and also make it to go out of plane with respect to double bond on the ring.



Thus conjugation decreases and so absorption occurs at higher frequency. In ortho substituted compounds,  $\nu_{C=O}$  is more in cis isomer than in

trans isomer. In  $\alpha$ -halo keto derivatives of steroids,  $\nu_{C=O}$  st. frequency is higher, when Cl is in equatorial than when it is in axial. Since in equatorial

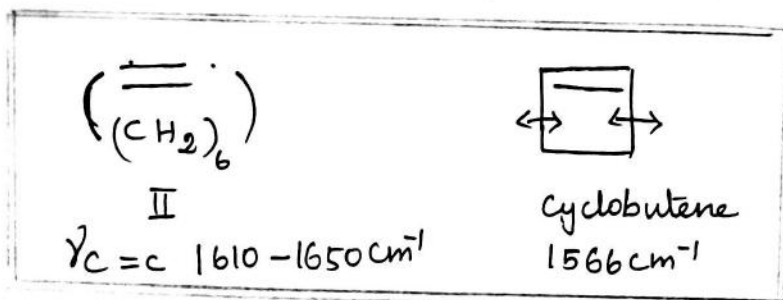
conformer, non-bonding electrons on oxygen and Cl undergo repulsion more and so  $\nu_{C=O}$  st. freq. is more.

## ⑦. BOND ANGLES :-

i) In ketones, the highest  $C=O$  frequencies arise in the strained cyclobutanones and this is explained in terms of bond angular strain the  $>C-C-C<$  bond angle is reduced below the normal  $120^\circ$  leading to increased s character in the  $C=O$  bond. The  $C=O$  bond is shortened & strengthened and so  $\nu_{C=O}$  increases. If the bond angle is pushed outwards above  $120^\circ$  the opposite effect operates and for this reason.

di-tert-butyl ketone has a very low  $\nu_{C=O}$  ( $1697\text{cm}^{-1}$ )

\* In cycloalkenes  $\nu_{C=C}$  falls with increasing strain, but reaches a minimum in cyclobutene. In cyclobutene, stretching of  $C=C$  involves only bending of the attached  $C-C$  bonds. In all others, (where the internal angles are not  $90^\circ$ ),  $C=C$  stretching must involve some stretching of the adjacent  $C-C$  bonds, which involves increasing  $C=C$  stretching frequency.



$C-H$  stretching vibrations move to higher frequency in the sequence alkane - alkene - alkyne.

As hybridisation goes from  $sp^3 - sp^2 - sp$ , the 's' character of the  $C-H$  bond increases, bond lengths become shorter and frequencies rise.

(The same symmetry)

SHORT NOTES ON METAL-LIGAND STRETCHING VIBRATION:-  
OR CHANGES IN IR SPECTRA OF DONOR  
MOLECULES UPON COORDINATION:-

(i) In acetone, carbonyl frequency is  $1715 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . Upon complexation with several Lewis acids, a decrease in the frequency of this band is observed. This decrease has been attributed to the effect of oxygen coordinated to the acid. Oxygen coordination has several effects upon the vibration.

(ii) The carbonyl force constant is decreased by draining  $\pi$ -electron density out of the carbonyl group. This causes the observed decrease in the carbonyl frequency and indicates oxygen coordination. The absence of any absorption in the carbonyl region on the high frequency side of the ~~complexed~~ carbonyl band further supports oxygen coordination. (iii) If there were nitrogen lone-pair would be involved resulting in a decreased C-N vibration frequency and a higher energy carbonyl absorption.

(iv) The decrease in the carbonyl stretching frequency of urea upon complexation to  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Co}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$  or  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  is interpreted as indicating oxygen coordination in these complexes.

(v) Nitrogen coordination is observed in the compounds  $\text{Pd}(\text{CNH}_2\text{CONH}_2)_2\text{Cl}_2$  and

of  $(\text{NH}_2\text{CONH}_2)_2\text{Cl}_2$  and the spectra show the expected increase in the C-O stretching frequency as well as a decrease in the C-N frequency.

(vi) Decrease in the P-O stretching frequencies indicative of oxygen coordination are observed with triphenylphosphine oxide and hexamethylphosphoramide  $\text{OP}[\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2]_3$  are coordinated to metal ions, phenol or iodine.

(vii) The S-O stretching frequency decreases in the palladium complex of dimethyl sulfoxide compared to free sulfoxide. This is an indication of sulphur coordination in this complex. The N-O stretching frequency of pyridine-N-oxide is decreased upon complexation.

(viii) IR spectra has been very valuable in determining whether the thiocyanate ion  $\text{NCS}^-$  is bonded via the nitrogen atom or the sulfur atom. Since both modes of bonding have been detected, the anion is said to be ambidentate. The CN stretching frequency occurs at a lower frequency in the N-bonded isomer than in the S-bonded isomer.

For nitrogen coordinated complexes an C-S stretching frequency occurs at  $780 - 760 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  region and at  $690 - 720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  region for sulfur bonded ones. The  $\text{NCS}^-$  bend is also diagnostic occurring in the  $450 - 440 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  region for N-bonded isomer and  $400 - 440 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  for S-bonded isomer.

Short notes on far IR region :-  
Fingerprint



Ar-NO<sub>2</sub>

N=O str

1570-1300

C-NO<sub>2</sub>

N=O str

1620-1535  
1375-1275

# CHARACTERISTIC ABSORPTION FREQUENCIES OF FUNCTIONAL GROUPS

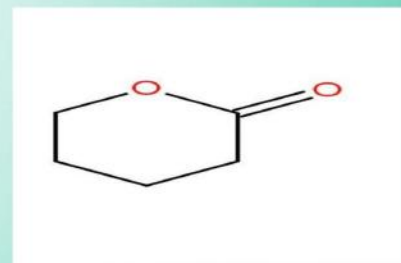
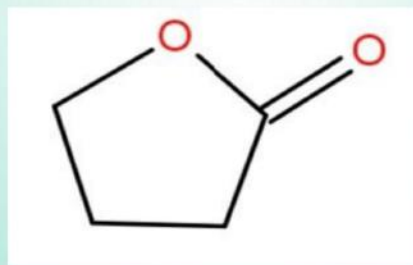
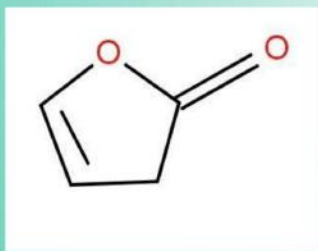
S.No	Types of vibration	Class of compound	Frequency cm <sup>-1</sup>
01.	C-H str	(i) Alkanes (ii) Alkenes (iii) Alkynes (iv) Aromatics (v) Aldehydes	(i) 2960-2850 (ii) 3100-3010 (iii) ~ 3300 (iv) 3150-3020 (v) 2820 2715-2720.
02.	C=C str	Alkenes	② 1675-1600.
03.	C=C str	Aromatics	③ 1600-1450
04.	C≡C str	Alkynes	④ 2260-2100
05.	C=O str	Aldehydes	⑤ 1740-1720.
06.	C=O "	Ketones	⑥ 1725-1705
07.	C=O "	Carboxylic acids	⑦ 1725-1700
08.	C=O "	Esters	⑧ 1750-1730
09.	C=O "	Amide	⑨ 1680-1630
10.	C=O "	Anhydride	⑩ 1850-1800 1790-1740
11.	C=O "	Acid chlorides	⑪ ~ 1790
12.	O-H "	Alcohols & phenols (dilute solution)	⑫ 3650-3580
13.	O-H "	Alcohols & phenols (hydrogen bonded)	⑬ 3550-3200
14.	O-H "	carboxylic acids	⑭ 2700-2500.
15.	N-H "	1° amines, amides	⑮ ~ 3500.
16.	N-H "	1° amines, amides (H-banded)	⑯ ~ 3400.
17.	N-H "	2° amines, amides free	⑰ 3500-3300.
18.	N-H "	2° amines, amides	⑱ 3310-3140
19.	N-H "	(H-banded)	⑲ 2260-2220
20.	C≡N "	Nitriles, Nitro compounds	⑳ 2260-1375-1275 Asym-1620-1535

1. Which of the following diatomic molecules do not absorb in IR region?

HCl      HBr      N<sub>2</sub>      O<sub>2</sub>      H<sub>2</sub>

- **N<sub>2</sub>, O<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub> these** diatomic molecules do not have dipole moment
- There is no change in dipole moment
- Therefore **N<sub>2</sub>, O<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>** do not absorb in IR region.

2. Arrange, the following lactones in order of their decreasing carbonyl frequency and give reasons.



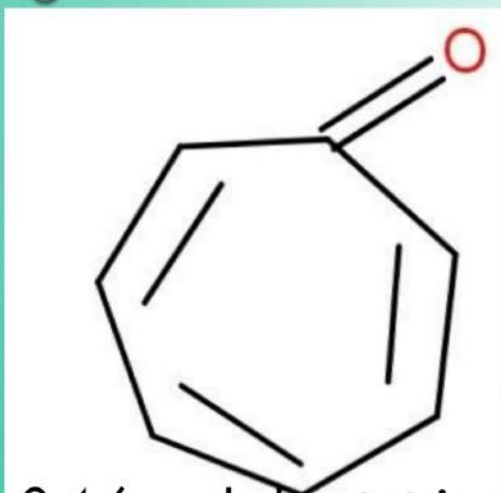
Decreasing order of CO stretching frequency I > II > III

- In structure I due to mesomeric effect, double bond adjacent to single bonded oxygen atom of lactone I raises the C=O stretching frequency. So 5 membered ring absorbs at higher frequency than 6 membered ring.

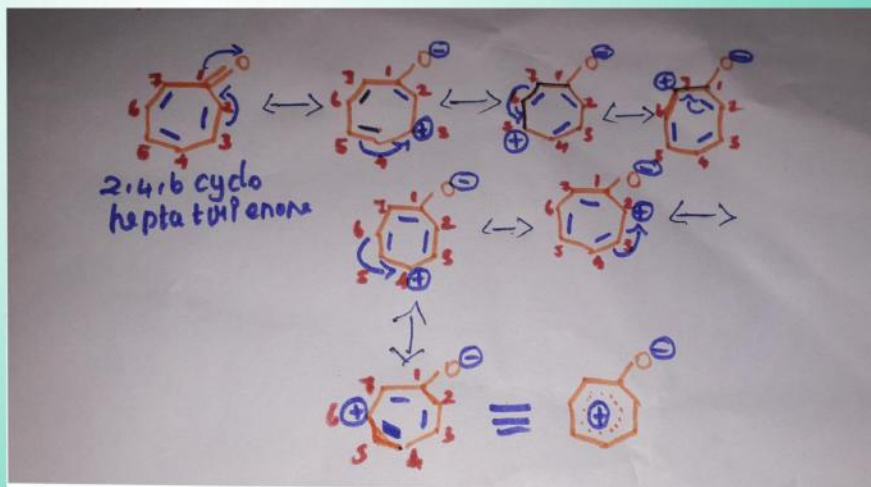
Structure II & III bond angle related.

- In structure(II) bond angle will be lower than structure(III).so bond angle is less and bond strain will be more bond strength is high Therefore stretching frequency is high for structure(II).
- InStructure(III)bond angle more compared to structure(II)bond strain is less bond strength is low and so stretching frequency is low.

### 3. C=O stretching frequency of 2,4,6-cycloheptatrienone is low why?

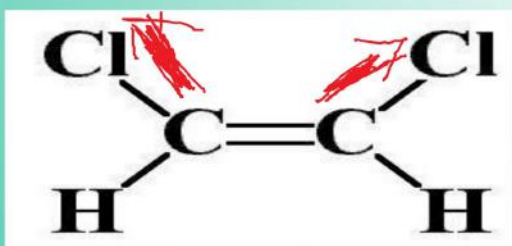


2,4,6-cycloheptatrienone

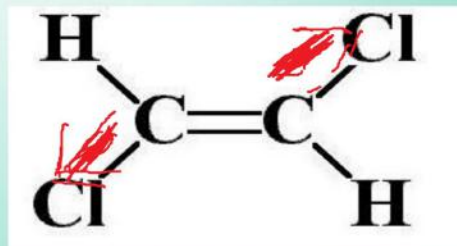


Due to 6 resonance structures C=O bond is weakened much and so low C=O stretching frequency.

4. Cis -1,2 dichloro ethylene is infrared active why? Trans 1,2 dichloro ethylene Ir inactive Explain.



Cis -1,2-dichloro ethylene



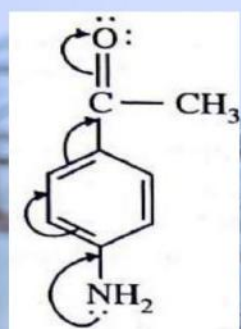
trans-1,2-dichloro ethylene

**Condition:** There will be change in dipole moment

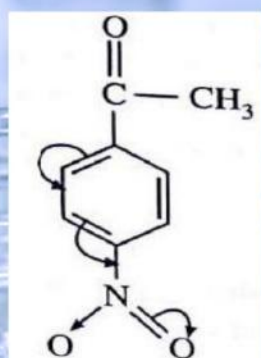
- Dipole moment is a vector quantity
- It is a directional property
- In trans isomer two chlorine atoms are on opposite sides, dipole moment values are cancelled. Therefore trans-1,2-Dichloroethylene **IR inactive**.
- In cis isomer two chlorine atoms are on the same side, so that vector quantity is added and it will be added. There will be change in dipole moment. Therefore cis 1,2-Dichloroethylene **IR active**.

## Qn.no-1

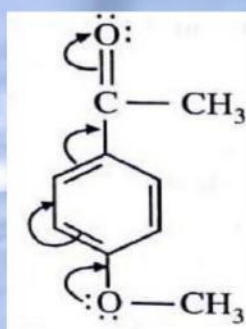
Explain **C=O** stretching of the following compounds ?



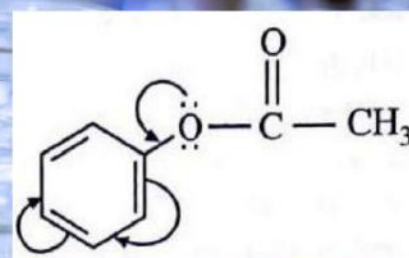
I  
*p*-Amino  
Acetophenone  
 $\nu \text{C}=\text{O}$   $1677 \text{ cm}^{-1}$



II  
*p*-Nitro  
Acetophenone  
 $\nu \text{C}=\text{O}$   $1700 \text{ cm}^{-1}$



III  
*p*-Methoxy  
Acetophenone  
 $\nu \text{C}=\text{O}$   $1684 \text{ cm}^{-1}$



IV  
Phenyl Acetate  
 $\nu \text{C}=\text{O}$   $1770 \text{ cm}^{-1}$



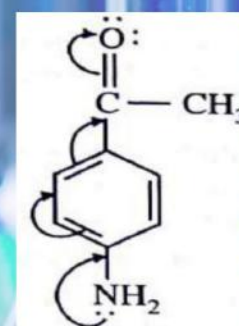
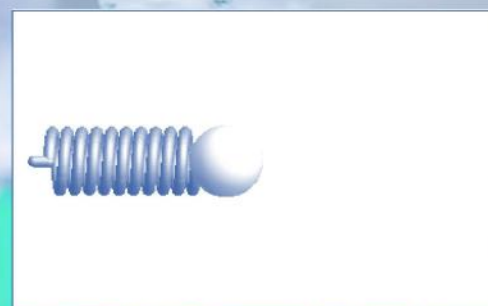
## Explanation,

Electronic effect – Absorption frequency will change, according to substitution of neighborhood. so the frequency shifts due to **electronic effect** they are inductive effect, mesomeric effect and field effect.

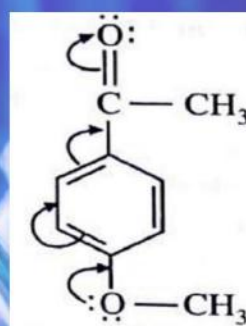
The **force constant** and **bond strength** changes and its absorption frequency shifts from the normal value.

**Let us compare the following compounds.,**

- ❑ The **lone pair** of electrons present in the conjugated double bond system.
- ❑ The **mobility of the lone pair of electrons** matters.
- ❑ In I & III compounds, As nitrogen atom is **less electronegative** than oxygen atom.
- ❑ The nitrogen atom is more labile and its goes more conjugation, so frequency is less due to C=O is loosed and **bond strength decrease**.



I  
*p*-Amino  
Acetophenone  
 $\nu$  C=O 1677  $\text{cm}^{-1}$



III  
*p*-Methoxy  
Acetophenone  
 $\nu$  C=O 1684  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

❑ Let us compare the compound II & IV, we should observe the inductive effect.

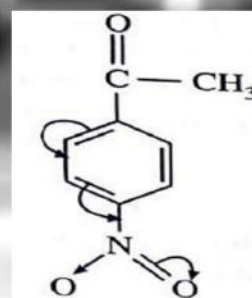
❑ It is nothing but, there are two possibilities,

❑ +I effect – introduction of alkyl group (EDG) – bond lengthened so it is bond weakened.

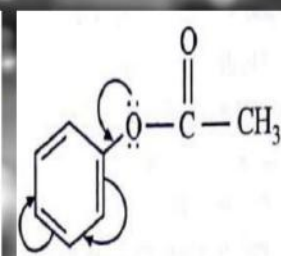
❑ Therefore force constant decreases and wavenumber also decreases.

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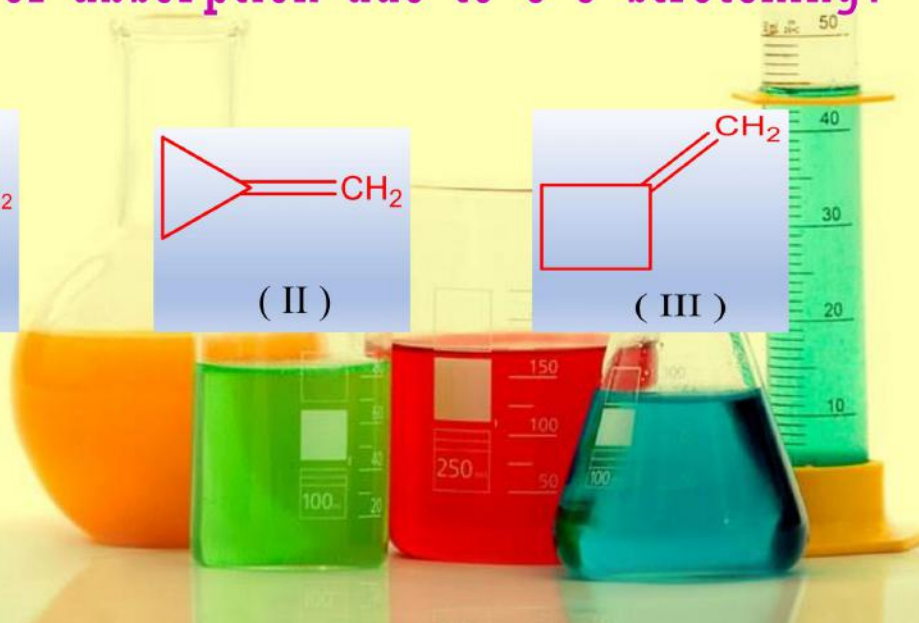
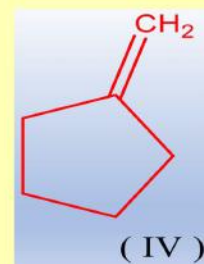
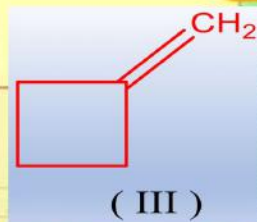
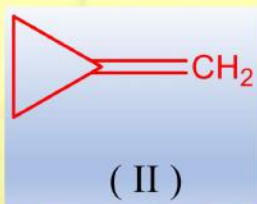
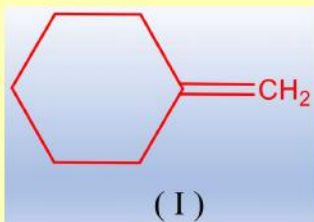
II  
*p*-Nitro  
Acetophenone  
 $\nu$  C=O 1700  $\text{cm}^{-1}$



IV  
Phenyl Acetate  
 $\nu$  C=O 1770  $\text{cm}^{-1}$

## Qn.no-2

Arrange the following compounds in order of their increasing wavenumber of absorption due to C-C stretching?



- The increasing order of wave number absorption is

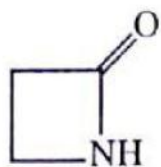


- The exocyclic olefinic double bond shows an increasing C=C stretching frequency as the size of the ring decreases.
- Thus with the increases in ring strain, C=C stretching requires more energy and wave number of absorption.
- If bond angle less, bond strain will be more.

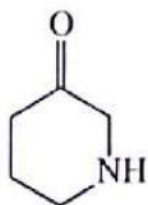
$$\text{BOND ANGLE } \alpha \propto \frac{1}{\text{FREQUENCY}}$$

**Qn.no-3**

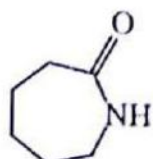
**Arrange the following compounds in order of their decreasing wavenumber of absorption?**



(i)



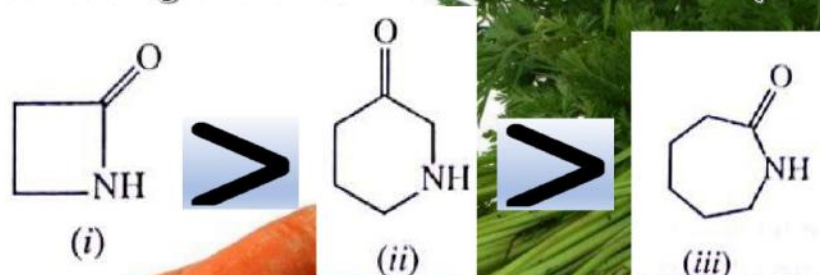
(ii)



(iii)



- The decreasing order of wave number absorption is



- In cyclic amides, if ring strain increased, the C=O stretching frequency also increased.
- We know that smaller rings have more strain than that of bigger ring, with the decrease in ring size, the force constant of C=O bond increase and hence the absorption position is raised.

FORCE CONSTANT  $\alpha$  BOND STRENGTH

Qn.no-4

Calculate the vibrational degree of freedom following molecules ?



## Solution,

Vibrational degree of freedom for linear molecule =  $3N - 5$

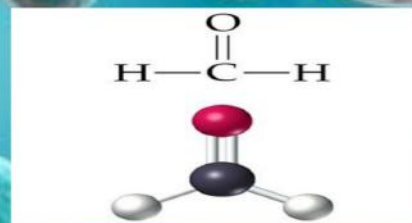
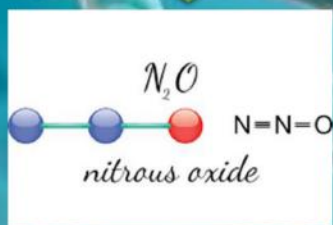
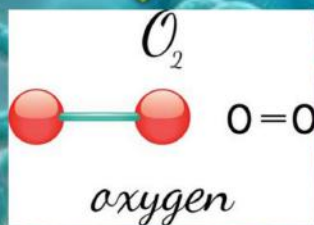
Vibrational degree of freedom for non-linear molecule =  $3N - 6$

Here,  $N$  = total no. of atoms in a molecule

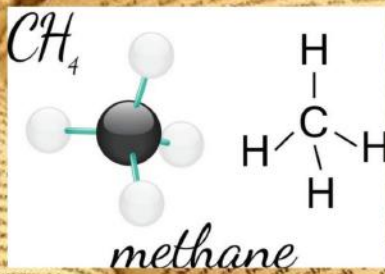
Non-Linear  
 $3N - 6$   
 $3(3) - 6 = 3$

Linear  
 $3N - 5$   
 $3(2) - 5 = 1$

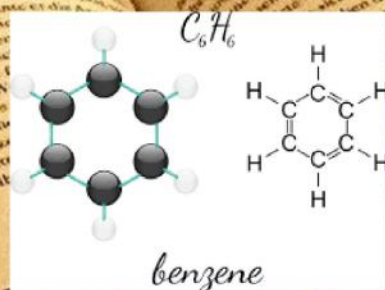
Non-Linear  
 $3N - 6$   
 $3(3) - 6 = 3$



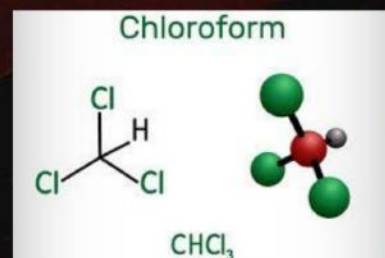




Non-Linear  
 $3N - 6$   
 $3(5) - 6 = 9$



Non-Linear  
 $3N - 6$   
 $3(12) - 6 = 30$



Non-Linear  
 $3N - 6$   
 $3(5) - 6 = 9$



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INTERNAL TEST-I

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Part-A

Answer all questions: - 6x5 = 30 marks.

1. Explain auxochromes and chromophores with examples.
2. Explain various types of electronic transitions of UV-visible spectra.
3. (a) What is Far IR region? Explain it. (3)  
(b) List any 3 functional group and give its IR absorption range (3).
4. Explain the importance of finger print region in IR spectra.
5. Differentiate inter and intramolecular hydrogen bonding by IR spectra.

Part-B 2x10 = 20 marks.

- (6) Explain the factors influencing the position and intensity of absorption bands.
- (7) Explain the various factors that influence carbonyl stretching frequency.

All the best.  
S.T.