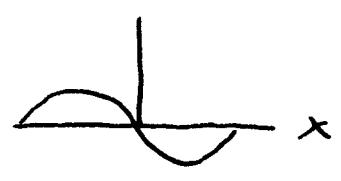


direct product $\chi(\psi_{i,2} \cdot \hat{O} \cdot \psi_{i,1}) = \chi(\psi_{i,2}) \otimes \chi(\hat{O}) \otimes \chi(\psi_{i,1})$

"contains" the totally symmetric representation.

Generalization of $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{\text{odd}}(x) dx = 0$



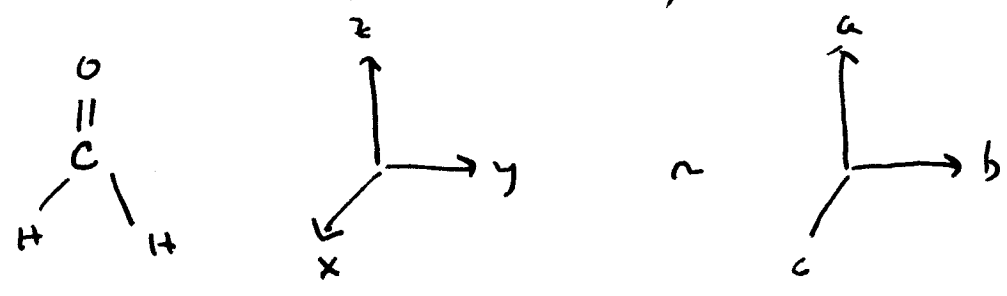
Group: $E, i(x)$

$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_{\text{even}}(x) dx \neq 0$ in all cases

Selection Rules: $\hat{O} = \mu_i \quad \chi(\psi_{i,2} \cdot \mu_i \cdot \psi_{i,1})$

Example:

C_{2v}



Permanent moment μ_a only, but we don't require a permanent moment for electronic transitions.
 Can consider $\mu_{x,y,z}$ or $\mu_{a,b,c}$ $\Delta S = 0$ also

μ_z $\chi(\mu_z)$ is A_1 , $\chi(\psi_2) \otimes \chi(\mu_z) \otimes \chi(\psi_1) = \chi(\psi_2) \otimes \chi(\psi_1)$

Ground state 1A_1 , $\chi(\psi_1)$ A_1 , so $\chi(\psi_2)$ A_1 as well

$^1A_1 - ^1A_1$, other allowed transitions: $A_2 - A_2$, $B_1 - B_1$, $B_2 - B_2$

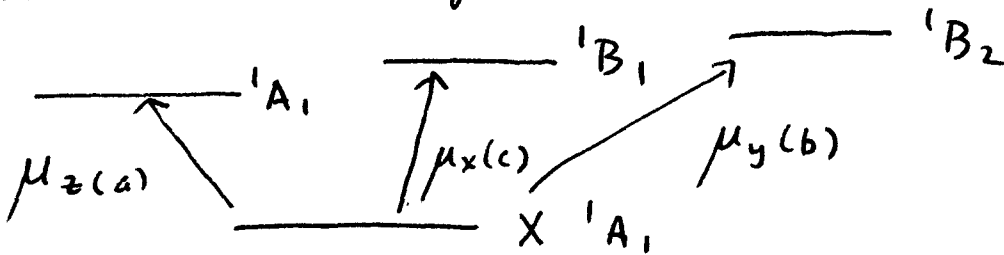
μ_x $\chi(\mu_x)$ is B_1 , $\chi(\psi_2) \otimes \chi(\psi_1) \otimes B_1$ must be A_1

From ground state $^1B_1 \leftrightarrow ^1A_1$, also $B_2 - A_2$

μ_y $\chi(\mu_y)$ is B_2 , $\chi(\psi_2) \otimes \chi(\psi_1) \otimes B_2$ must be A_1

From ground state $^1B_2 - ^1A_1$, also $B_1 - A_2$

From the ground 1A_1 state:

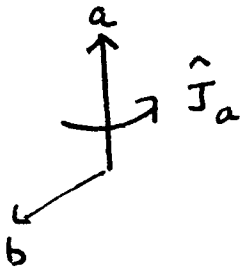


What about vibrational splitting? Must learn more.

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Rotational Transitions: One Special Group

based on Hamiltonian: $\mathcal{H}_{rot}/h = A \hat{J}_a^2 + B \hat{J}_b^2 + C \hat{J}_c^2$



$C_2^{(a)} \hat{J}_a = \hat{J}_a$

$C_2^{(b)} \hat{J}_a = C_2^{(c)} \hat{J}_a = -\hat{J}_a$

$R_{\mathcal{H}_{rot}} = (\pm 1) \mathcal{H}_{rot} \therefore \mathcal{H}_{rot}$ invariant to symmetry operation $E, C_2^{(a)}, C_2^{(b)}, C_2^{(c)}$

Viergruppe (4-group) $\therefore \mathcal{H}_{rot}$ basis

unusual
rotation

	E	$C_2^{(a)}$	$C_2^{(b)}$	$C_2^{(c)}$	μ_i	$\Psi_{K_1 K_2}$	
A	1	1	1	1		ee	
B _a	1	1	-1	-1	μ_a	e0	R _a
B _b	1	-1	1	-1	μ_b	00	R _b
B _c	1	-1	-1	1	μ_c	0e	R _c

a-type $\mu_a \neq 0$ $\chi(\mu_a)$ is B_a

$\chi(\Psi_2) \otimes B_a \otimes \chi(\Psi_1)$ must be A

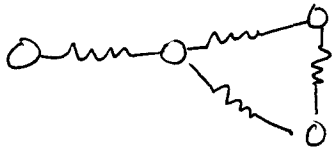
$\chi(\Psi_2) \otimes \chi(\Psi_1)$ is B_a ($B_a \otimes B_a = A$)

Possibilities: $A \leftrightarrow B_a$ (ee - e0) $\Delta K_1 = 0, \pm 2, \pm 4$
 $B_b \leftrightarrow B_c$ (00 - 0e) $\Delta K_1 = \pm 1, \pm 3$

Can't deduce strength from symmetry.

22. Vibrational Spectroscopy of Polyatomic Molecules

A. Classical Motion + Normal Modes



Even if we assume chemical bonds to be simple harmonic oscillators, the overall vibrational motions are complex. Let's first consider the motion classically in Cartesian coordinates.

ξ_i $i = 1, 3N$ Cartesian coordinates of displacement from equilibrium position.

$$2T = \sum_i m_i \dot{\xi}_i^2 \quad V = \underbrace{V_e}_{\substack{\text{can be set} \\ \text{to zero}}} + \sum_i \underbrace{\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial \xi_i}\right)}_0 \xi_i + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j} \left(\frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial \xi_i \partial \xi_j}\right) \xi_i \xi_j + \dots$$

$$2V = \sum_{i,j} b'_{ij} \xi_i \xi_j$$

Switching to mass-weighted coordinates:

$$\eta_i = \sqrt{m_i} \xi_i \quad \xi_i = m_i^{-1/2} \eta_i$$

$$\therefore 2T = \sum_i \dot{\eta}_i^2 \quad 2V = \sum_{i,j} b_{ij} \eta_i \eta_j \quad b_{ij} = b'_{ij}$$

$$L = T - V; \text{ Lagrangian formulation } \frac{d}{dt} \frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\eta}_k} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial \eta_k} = 0 \quad k = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 3N$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \dot{\eta}_k} = \frac{\partial T}{\partial \dot{\eta}_k} = \dot{\eta}_k \quad \frac{\partial L}{\partial \eta_k} = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial \eta_k} = -\sum_j b_{kj} \eta_j$$

$$\ddot{\eta}_k + \sum_j b_{kj} \eta_j = 0 \quad k = 1, 2, 3, \dots, 3N$$

Attempt a harmonic solution $\eta_k = \eta_k^0 \sin(\sqrt{\lambda} t + \delta)$

in which all atoms move with same frequency $\omega = \sqrt{\lambda}$ and phase δ .

$$\ddot{\eta}_k = -\lambda \eta_k \quad \therefore -\lambda \eta_k + b_{kk} \eta_k + \sum_{j \neq k} b_{kj} \eta_j = 0$$

Cancelling out the sin terms:

$$-\lambda \eta_k^0 + b_{kk} \eta_k^0 + \sum_{j \neq k} b_{kj} \eta_j^0 = 0$$

$$\sim (b_{kk} - \lambda) \eta_k^0 + \sum_{j \neq k} b_{kj} \eta_j^0 = 0$$

To avoid the trivial solution ($\eta_i^0 = 0$) we set the secular determinant equal to zero:

$$\begin{vmatrix}
 b_{11} - \lambda & b_{12} & b_{13} & \dots \\
 b_{21} & b_{22} - \lambda & & \\
 & & b_{33} - \lambda & \\
 & & & \dots
 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Solution of $|b_{kj} - \lambda \delta_{kj}| = 0$ yields $3N$ roots, for $\lambda = \omega^2 = 2\pi\nu$ "normal frequencies of vibration".

They need not be distinct and will be zero for nm. vibrational modes. The classical motion is a linear combination of the motions in all modes. It depends on the initial conditions. To obtain the relationships among the η_k^0 in any one mode, substitute the λ into the linear equations.

e.g. $\lambda = \lambda_m \quad (b_{11} - \lambda_m) \eta_1^0 + b_{12} \eta_2^0 + \dots + b_{1,3N} \eta_{3N}^0 = 0$

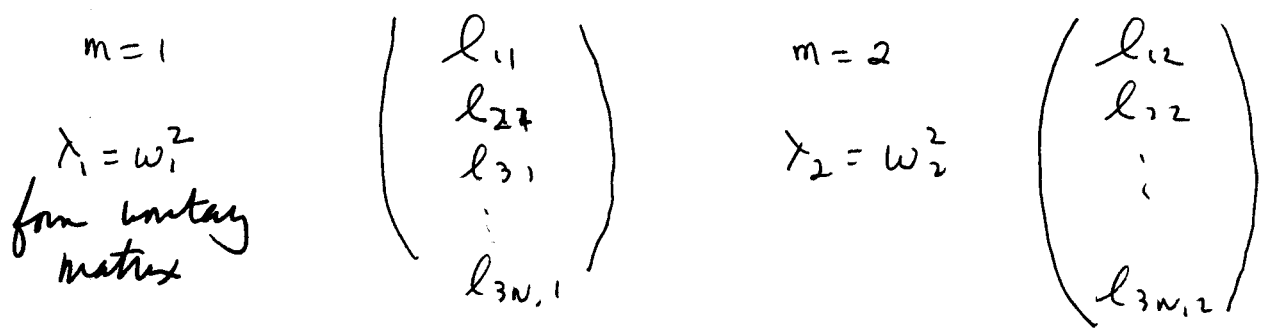
$$\vdots \\
 b_{3N,1} \eta_1^0 + b_{3N,2} \eta_2^0 + \dots + (b_{3N,3N} - \lambda_m) \eta_{3N}^0 = 0$$

only $3N-1$ eq. are independent. They lead to ratios of the η_k^0 rather than to absolute values. One can use normalization to obtain a full set.

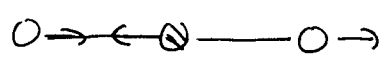
For $\lambda = \lambda_m$, label the η_k^0 as $\eta_{1m}^0, \eta_{2m}^0, \dots, \eta_{3N,m}^0$

Let $l_{km} = N_m \eta_{km}^0 \quad \sum_k l_{km}^2 = 1$

The l_{km} for each mode can be represented by column vectors; e.g.:



which themselves are often represented by displacement arrows:



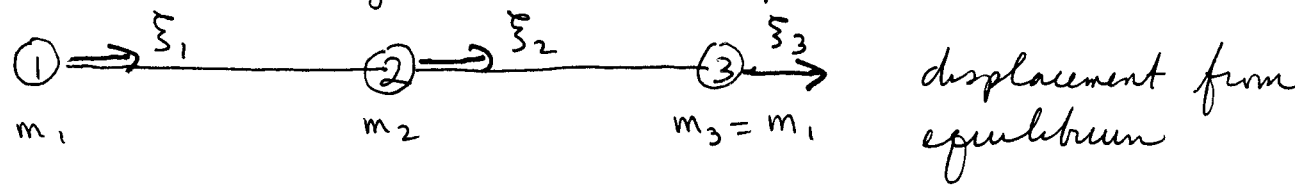
We refer to the collective modes as "normal modes".

The overall motion is $\eta_i = \sum_m A_m \eta_{im}^0$
i = atomic coordinate ... m ... modes

$$\eta_k = \sum_m A_m \frac{\eta_{km}^0}{l_{km}} \sin(\sqrt{\lambda_m} t + \delta_m)$$

A Simple Example: the Linear B-A-B Molecule

- 3 coordinates only if motion confined to 1-dimension



$$2V = k(\xi_2 - \xi_1)^2 + k(\xi_3 - \xi_2)^2$$

$$= k(\xi_1^2 - 2\xi_1\xi_2 + \xi_2^2) + k(\xi_2^2 - 2\xi_2\xi_3 + \xi_3^2)$$

$$2V = k(\xi_1^2 + 2\xi_2^2 + \xi_3^2 - 2\xi_1\xi_2 - 2\xi_2\xi_3)$$

$$2T = m_1 \dot{\xi}_1^2 + m_2 \dot{\xi}_2^2 + m_1 \dot{\xi}_3^2 \quad \eta_i = \sqrt{m_i} \dot{\xi}_i$$

$$2T = \dot{\eta}_1^2 + \dot{\eta}_2^2 + \dot{\eta}_3^2$$

$$2V = \sum_{i,j} b_{ij} \eta_i \eta_j = k \left\{ \frac{\eta_1^2}{m_1} + \frac{2\eta_2^2}{m_2} + \frac{\eta_3^2}{m_1} - \frac{2\eta_1\eta_2}{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}} - \frac{2\eta_2\eta_3}{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}} \right\}$$

$$b_{11} = \frac{k}{m_1} \quad b_{22} = \frac{2k}{m_2} \quad b_{33} = \frac{k}{m_1} \quad b_{13} = b_{31} = 0$$

$$b_{12} = b_{21} = -\frac{k}{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}} = b_{23} = b_{32}$$

$$\left| b_{ij} - \lambda \delta_{ij} \right| = 0 = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{k}{m_1} - \lambda & -k/\sqrt{m_1 m_2} & 0 \\ -k/\sqrt{m_1 m_2} & \frac{2k}{m_2} - \lambda & -k/\sqrt{m_1 m_2} \\ 0 & -k/\sqrt{m_1 m_2} & \frac{k}{m_1} - \lambda \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\left(\frac{k}{m_1} - \lambda\right)^2 \left(\frac{2k}{m_2} - \lambda\right) - 2 \left(\frac{k}{m_1} - \lambda\right) \frac{k^2}{m_1 m_2} = 0$$

$$\left(\frac{k}{m_1} - \lambda\right) \left\{ \left(\frac{2k}{m_2} - \lambda\right) \left(\frac{k}{m_1} - \lambda\right) - 2k^2/m_1 m_2 \right\} = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{k}{m_1} \quad \left[\lambda^2 - \lambda \left(\frac{k}{m_1} + \frac{2k}{m_2} \right) \right] = 0$$

$$\lambda_3 = 0 \text{ (translation)} \quad \lambda_2 = k \left(\frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{2}{m_2} \right)$$

$$\omega_1 = \sqrt{k/m_1} = 2\pi\nu_1 \quad \omega_2 = \sqrt{k(1/m_1 + 1/m_2)} = 2\pi\nu_2 > \omega_1$$

$$\omega_3 = 0$$

The Motion of The Modes

$$(b_{11} - \lambda) \eta_1^0 + b_{12} \eta_2^0 + b_{13} \eta_3^0 = 0$$

$$b_{12} \eta_1^0 + (b_{22} - \lambda) \eta_2^0 + b_{23} \eta_3^0 = 0$$

$$b_{13} \eta_1^0 + b_{23} \eta_2^0 + (b_{33} - \lambda) \eta_3^0 = 0$$

OR

$$(k/m_1 - \lambda) \eta_1^0 - k/\sqrt{m_1 m_2} \eta_2^0 = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$-k/\sqrt{m_1 m_2} \eta_1^0 + \left(\frac{2k}{m_2} - \lambda\right) \eta_2^0 - \frac{k}{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}} \eta_3^0 = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$-k/\sqrt{m_1 m_2} \eta_2^0 + \left(\frac{k}{m_1} - \lambda\right) \eta_3^0 = 0 \quad (3)$$

a) $\lambda_3 = 0 \quad (1) \Rightarrow \frac{k}{m_1} \eta_1^0 = \frac{k}{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}} \eta_2^0 \quad \therefore \eta_1^0 = \eta_3^0$

$$(3) \Rightarrow \frac{k}{m_1} \eta_3^0 = \frac{k}{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}} \eta_2^0$$

$$\eta_2^0 = \frac{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}}{m_1} \eta_1^0 = \sqrt{\frac{m_2}{m_1}} \eta_1^0$$

$$\eta_i = \sqrt{m_i} \xi_i \quad \xi_1^0 = \xi_3^0; \sqrt{m_2} \xi_2^0 = \sqrt{\frac{m_2}{m_1}} \sqrt{m_1} \xi_1^0 = \xi_2^0$$

$$\xi_1^0 = \xi_2^0 = \xi_3^0 \quad \text{all equal} \quad \xi_i = \xi_i^0 \sin \delta \quad \text{all equal}$$

$0 \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 0 \rightarrow$ translation

(CAN SHOW THAT A SPECIFIC SOLN TO EQ'S: ALL $\xi_i = A \sin \delta$)

23. Vibrational Spectroscopy (cont.)

In column vector format, mode 3 = $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \approx N \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \sqrt{m_2/m_1} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
 (ξ_i : representation)

b) $\lambda_1 = \frac{k}{m_1}$ (1) $\Rightarrow \eta_2^0 = 0$ (as does (3)) η_i : represent.

(2) $\Rightarrow \eta_3^0 = -\eta_1^0$

$O_2, \xi_2^0 = 0 \quad \xi_3^0 = -\xi_1^0$ $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \text{O} \text{---} \text{O} \text{---} \text{O} \text{---} \rightarrow$
 $\rightarrow \quad \leftarrow$
 "symmetric stretch"

c) $\lambda_2 = k \left(\frac{1}{m_1} + \frac{2}{m_2} \right)$

(1) $\Rightarrow -\frac{k \cdot 2}{m_2} \eta_1^0 - \frac{k}{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}} \eta_2^0 = 0$

(3) $\Rightarrow -\frac{k}{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}} \eta_2^0 - \frac{2k}{m_2} \eta_3^0 = 0$

$\eta_1^0 = \eta_3^0$

(1) $\Rightarrow \eta_2^0 = -\frac{2k}{m_2} \frac{\sqrt{m_1 m_2}}{k} \eta_1^0 = -2 \sqrt{m_1/m_2} \eta_1^0$

In terms of ξ_i^0 : $\xi_1^0 = \xi_3^0$ $\sqrt{m_2} \ddot{\xi}_2^0 = -2 \sqrt{\frac{m_1}{m_2}} \sqrt{m_1} \ddot{\xi}_1^0$

$\therefore \ddot{\xi}_2^0 = -2 \frac{m_1}{m_2} \ddot{\xi}_1^0$

Note that $m_1 \xi_1^0 + m_2 \xi_2^0 + m_1 \xi_3^0 = 2m_1 \xi_1^0 + m_2 \left(-\frac{2m_1}{m_2} \right) \xi_1^0$

$= 0$
 \therefore center of mass invariant (true for all vibrations)