

Midterm

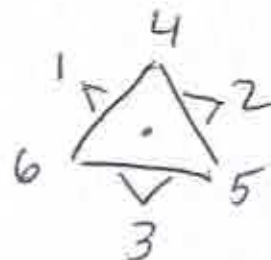
$S_{2n} \rightarrow$ coincides w/ a C_n

$S_6 \rightarrow$ coincides w/ a C_3

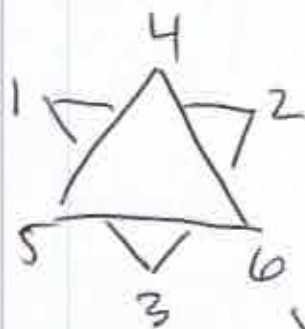
triangle represents
of octahedral
symmetry
molecule



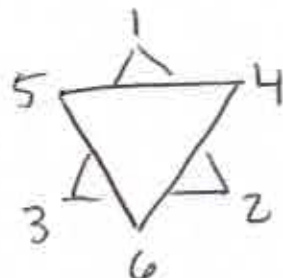
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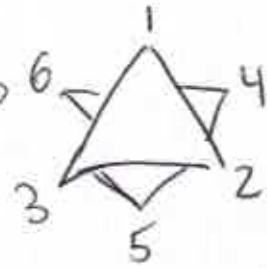
C_3, S_6
axis
point



C_6



C_n



S_6

□ gamma

↑ symbol for a reducible representation

□ $3N$ reducible representation for all the $3N$ degrees of freedom for a molecule

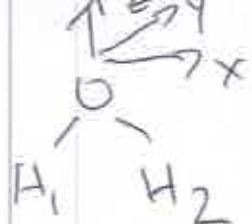


□ $\Gamma_{xyz} = B_1 + B_2 + A_1$

	↑ x	↑ y	↑ z	
	x	y	z	
B_1	1	-1	1	-1
B_2	1	-1	-1	1
A_1	1	1	1	1
□ Γ_{xyz}	3	-1	1	1

* Under E symmetry operation, the character of $\Gamma_{x,y,z}$ always = 3

under E symmetry operation, the character equals 3 for $\Gamma_{x,y,z}$



	E	C_2	σ_{xz}	σ_{yz}
unmoved atoms	3	1	3	1

↑
O, H₁, H₂
stay in place

↑
O stays in place,
H₁ & H₂ move

	E	C_2	σ_{xz}	σ_{yz}
Γ_{xyz}	3	-1	1	1
unmoved	3	1	3	1

X
multiply

Γ_{3N}	9	-1	3	1
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↑
equals
degrees
of freedom

Reduction formula

$$h = 4$$

$$h(A_1) = \frac{1}{4} [1(9)(1) + 1(-1)(1) + 1(3)(1) + 1(1)(1)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}(12) = \boxed{3}$$

Note: this should be a positive integer or zero, will never be negative or a fraction

$$n(A_2) = \frac{1}{4} [1(9)(1) + 1(-1)(1) + 1(3)(-1) + 1(1)(-1)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}(4) = \boxed{1}$$

$$n(B_1) = \frac{1}{4} [1(9)(1) + 1(-1)(-1) + 1(3)(1) + 1(1)(-1)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}(12) = \boxed{3}$$

$$n(B_2) = \frac{1}{4} [1(9)(1) + 1(-1)(-1) + 1(3)(-1) + 1(1)(1)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}(8) = \boxed{2}$$

$$\Gamma_{3N} = 3A_1 + A_2 + 3B_1 + 2B_2$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{translational}} = B_1 + B_2 + A_1$$

(x y z)

$$\Gamma_{\text{rotational}} = B_2 + B_1 + A_2$$

(R_x R_y R_z)

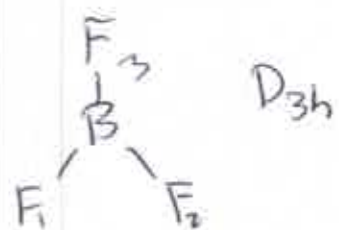
$$\Gamma_{\text{vibrational}} = 2A_1 + (0A_2) + B_1 + 0B_2$$

$$= \boxed{2A_1 + B_1}$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{vibrational}} = 2A_1 + B_1$$

\uparrow \uparrow
 IR + Raman IR + Raman
 active active

$\text{H}-\text{O}-\text{H} \rightarrow 3 \text{ IR and } 3 \text{ Raman}$
 Signals



$E \quad 2C_3 \quad 3C_2' \quad \sigma_h \quad 2S_3 \quad 3\sigma_v$

(1) $\Gamma_{xyz} : E' \quad (x, y) \quad 2 \quad -1 \quad 0 \quad 2 \quad -1 \quad 0$
 $+ A_2'' \quad z \quad 1 \quad 1 \quad -1 \quad -1 \quad -1 \quad 1$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \Gamma_{xyz} \quad 3 \quad 0 \quad -1 \quad 1 \quad -2 \quad 1 \\
 \times \text{ unmoved} \quad 4 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 4 \quad 1 \quad 2 \\
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 \Gamma_{3N} \quad 12 \quad 0 \quad -2 \quad 4 \quad -2 \quad 2
 \end{array}$$

(2) $\boxed{h=12}$
 $n(A_1') = \frac{1}{12} (1(12)(1) + 2(0)(1) + 3(-2)(1) + 1(4)(1) + 2(-2)(1) + 3(2)(1))$
 $= \frac{12}{12} = 1$

$n(E') = \frac{1}{12} (1(12)(2) + 2(0)(-1) + 3(-2)(0) + 1(4)(2) + 2(-2)(1) + 3(2)(0))$
 $= \frac{36}{12} = 3$

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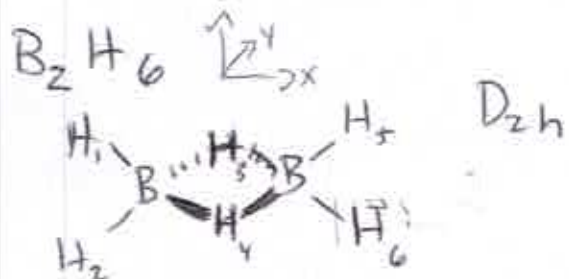
$\Gamma_{3N} = A_1' + A_2' + 3E' + 2A_2'' + E''$

(3) $\Gamma_{trans} = \overset{(x, y)}{E'} + \overset{(z)}{A_2''}$
 $\Gamma_{rot} = \overset{(R_x, R_y)}{E''} + \overset{(R_z)}{A_2'}$

$\Gamma_{vib} = \overset{\uparrow}{A_1'} + \overset{\uparrow}{2E'} + \overset{\uparrow}{A_2''}$
 $\text{Raman} \quad \text{Raman, IR} \quad \text{IR}$

3 Raman, 3 IR stretches

challenge example: try at home and look at vibrations on Molecules 360



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①

	E	$C_2(z)$	$C_2(y)$	$C_2(x)$	$\sigma(xy)$	$\sigma(xz)$	$\sigma(yz)$
Γ_{3N}							
Γ_{xyz}							
B_{3u}	1	-1	-1	1	-1	1	-1
B_{2u}	1	-1	1	-1	-1	1	1
B_{1u}	1	1	-1	-1	-1	1	1
Γ_{xyz}	3	-1	-1	-1	-3	1	1
χ unmaed	8	0	2	2	0	4	6
Γ_{3N}	24	0	-2	-2	0	4	6

② $n = 8$

$$n(A_g) = \frac{1}{8} (1(24)(1) + 1(0)(1) + 1(-2)(1) + 1(-2)(1) + 1(0)(1) + 1(4)(1) + 1(6)(1) + 1(2)(1)) = \frac{32}{8} = 4$$

$$n(B_{1g}) = \frac{1}{8} (1(24)(1) + 1(0)(1) + 1(-2)(-1) + 1(-2)(-1) + 1(0)(1) + 1(4)(1) + 1(6)(-1) + 1(2)(-1)) = \frac{24}{8} = 3$$

↓ etc.

$$\Gamma_{3N} = 4A_g + 3B_{1g} + 3B_{2g} + 2B_{3g} + A_u + 4B_{1u} + 3B_{2u} + 4B_{3u}$$

③ $\Gamma_{\text{trans}} = B_{1u} + B_{2u} + B_{3u}$

$$\Gamma_{\text{rot}} = B_{1g} + B_{2g} + B_{3g}$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{vib}} = 4A_g + 2B_{1g} + 2B_{2g} + B_{3g} + A_u + 3B_{1u} + 2B_{2u} + 3B_{3u}$$

18 total vibrations!

IR: B_{1u}, B_{2u}, B_{3u} x, y, z

$\rightarrow 3B_{1u} + 2B_{2u} + 3B_{3u} \Rightarrow 8$ IR vibrations

Raman: $A_g, B_{1g}, B_{2g}, B_{3g} \rightarrow$ quadratic functions

$4A_g + 2B_{1g} + 2B_{2g} + B_{3g} \Rightarrow 9$ Raman vibrations