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REGISTRATION begins at 6:30 p.m., Davis Centre Room 1301

SESSION I: Friday, November 3, 1995 - P.M.

Davis Centre 1351

Chair: **John Hepburn**

- 7:30 - 8:15 Jim Weisshaar (University of Wisconsin)
Understanding Methyl Rotor Barriers
- 8:15 - 8:30 M.A. Carpenter, M.T. Zanni, D.C. Sperry, S.R. Troutman and J.M. Farrar (University of Rochester)
Crossed Beam Studies of the $O^- + D_2 \rightarrow OD^- + D$ Reaction at Collision Energies Ranging from 0.25 eV to 1.2 eV: Anomalous Low Energy Results
- 8:30 - 8:45 M. Kolbuszewski and P.R. Bunker (NRC, Ottawa)
On the Proton Rearrangement Energy Levels and Spectrum of CH_5^+
- 8:45 - 9:00 F. Negri (Universita di Bologna, Italy) and M. Zgierski (NRC, Ottawa)
Vibronic Structure of the ZEKE Spectra of Naphthalene from Single Vibronic Levels of the S_1 Manifold. Theoretical Interpretation

SESSION II: Saturday, November 4, 1995 - A.M.

Davis Centre 1351

Chair: **Bob Le Roy**

- 9:00 - 9:45 Terry Miller (Ohio State University)
Laser Spectroscopy of Cold Methoxy Radicals and its Derivatives: Molecules That Sometimes Fluoresce and Sometimes Don't
- 9:45 - 10:00 U. Marvet and M. Dantus (Michigan State University)
Bond Formation on the Femtosecond Time Scale; Time-resolved Photoassociation Studies of Mercury in the Gas Phase
- 10:00 - 10:15 E.W. Rothe, Y. Gu and G.P. Reck (Wayne State University)
Laser Induced Predissociative Fluorescence: Dynamics and Polarization. Effect of Lower-state Rotational Energy Transfer Upon Quantitative Diagnostics
- 10:15 - 10:45 **Coffee Break**
- 10:45 - 11:45 Bill Klemperer (Harvard University)
Spectroscopy, Structure and Dynamics of Molecular Complexes

Invited talks are 45 min. including 5 min. for discussion.

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11:45 - 12:00	<u>M.M. Beaky</u> and F.C. DeLucia (Ohio State University) <i>The Pressure Broadening and Center Frequency Shift of the J=0-1 and J=1-2 Transitions of CO in Collision with Helium</i>
12:00 - 12:15	<u>L.-H. Xu</u> (University of New Brunswick), G.T. Fraser, S.C. Stone, J.-U. Grabow, F.J. Lovas, A.M. Andrews and B.H. Pate (National Inst. of Standards & Technology, Gaithersburg, MD) <i>Molecular Beam Spectroscopic Study of Fluorinated Ethanes: Vibration/Tunneling Dynamics</i>
12:15 - 1:30	Lunch Davis Centre 1301

SESSION III: Saturday November 4, 1995

Davis Centre 1351

Chair: Terry McMahon

1:30 - 2:15 Martin Moskovits (University of Toronto)
Thinking Small -- Megascience with Nanostructures

2:15 - 2:30 C. Callegari, J. Higgins, G. Scoles (Princeton University), F. Stienkemeier (Univ. of Bielefeld), W. Ernst (Penn State University) and M. Gutowsky (Univ. of Utah)
On the Quartet State of Alkali Trimers: Spectroscopy, Three Body Forces and Excited State Chemical Reactions

2:30 - 2:45 D.-S. Yang, D. Rayner, M. Zgierski, P. Hackett (Steacie Institute for Molecular Science, NRC, Ottawa), A. Martinez, P.-N. Roy, T. Carrington, Jr. and D. Salahub (Université de Montréal)
High Resolution Photoelectron Spectroscopy of Transition Metal Clusters

2:45 - 3:00 E. Rexer, T. Rycroft, M. Lyktey, B. DeLeon and J. Garvey (SUNY, Buffalo)
Novel Reactions of Acetone/Acetylene Cluster Ions

SESSION IV: Saturday, November 4, 1995 from 3:00 P.M.

Davis Centre Lobby

POSTER SESSION AND MANUFACTURERS' DISPLAY

6:00 P.M. Poster Session ends. Depart for Conrad Grebel College

6:30 p.m. Cash Bar Conrad Grebel College
7:00 P.M. DINNER Conrad Grebel College

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SESSION V: Sunday, November 5, 1995 - A.M.

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Chair: **Peter Bernath**

- 9:30 - 10:15 Tucker Carrington, Jr. (Université de Montreal)
A Time Dependent Multi-surface Calculation of the Orientation of Photofragments: The Photodissociation of ICN
- 10:15 - 10:30 M.A. White and D. Michalski (Dalhousie University)
Dynamical Disorder in Phase II of CBr₄
- 10:30 - 10:45 A. Berces (Steacie Inst. for Molecular Sciences, NRC, Ottawa)
Accurate Calculation of Vibrational Frequencies by Density Functional Methods: The Effect of Reference Geometry, Electron Correlation and Relativity
- 10:45 - 11:15 **Coffee Break**
- 11:15 - 12:00 Benoit Simard (Steacie Inst. for Molecular Sciences, NRC, Ottawa)
Experimental and Theoretical Studies of Cu-Group 13 and Al-Group 14 Diatomics
- 12:00 - 12:15 M.-A. Saberi, W. Hu and D. Jack (Concordia University)
Sub, Mono and Multilayer Structure of CO₂/NaCl(001)
- 12:15 - 12:30 Mushti Ramakrishna (New York University)
Chemical Reactions of Semiconductor Clusters

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POSTER SESSION

Chair: John Hepburn

To give people presenting papers in this session an opportunity to both present their work and visit other posters, this session is divided into three time slots:

3:00 - 4:00 p.m. *Those whose papers were given 1a, 2a, 3a, etc. should attend their posters.*

4:00 - 5:00 p.m. *Those whose papers were given 1b, 2b, 3b, etc. should attend their posters.*

5:00 - 6:00 p.m. *Those whose papers were given 1c, 2c, 3c, etc. should attend their posters.*

- 1a) K.L. Dunfield, C. Linton, C.A. Brodie and A.G. Adam (University of New Brunswick)
Laser Spectroscopy of Ytterbium Monohalides
- 1b) R.M. Lees, M. Mollabashi, A. Predoi, L.-H. Xu and S. Zhao (University of New Brunswick)
Do The Twist, The Rock, The Bend and the Stretch with Mighty Methanol and the Mode Mixers
- 1c) D. Moule (Brock University), H. Liu, E.C. Lim (University of Akron), C. Muñoz-Caro, A. Niño (Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha, Spain) and R.H. Judge (University of Wisconsin-Parkside)
The Torsion-Inversion Energy Levels in the $S_1(n,\pi^)$ Electronic State of Acetaldehyde From High Resolution Jet-Cooled Fluorescence Excitation Spectroscopy*
- 2a) D. Jelski (SUNY College at Fredonia), R.H. Haley (Georgia Institute of Technology) and J.M. Bowman (Emory University)
A New Vibrational Self-Consistent Field Program for Large Molecules
- 2b) F.P. Temme (Queen's University)
S-n Inner Plethysms and Use of Generalised High-n Weak-Branching Limits in Deriving Full Irrep Sets Over NMR Liouville Spin Space for Isotopomeric Clusters
- 2c) A. Czajkowski, W. Kedzierski, J.B. Atkinson and L. Krause (University of Windsor)
The Ro-vibronic $H1_u(v'=1)\leftarrow A0_g^\pm(v''=0)$ Excitation Bands of $(^{202}Hg)_2$
- 3a) D. Gendron and J.W. Hepburn (University of Waterloo)
Photodissociation of HI in the First Continuum: H LIF Doppler Spectroscopy at Lyman α
- 3b) M.Y.M. Lyktey, T.R. Rycroft and J.F. Garvey (SUNY at Buffalo)
Tandem Mass Spectrometry of $(C_2H_4)^+_{n=2-9}$ Ions: Structures of Molecular Ions Formed by Uncatalyzed Cationic Polymerization within Ethylene Van der Waals Cluster Ions
- 3c) G.B. Clark and F.R.W. McCourt (University of Waterloo)
The Calculation of Transport Properties for H-N₂
- 4a) D.S. Perry (University of Akron), G.A. Bethardy, M.J. Davis (Argonne National Lab.) and J. Go (Sunchon National University, South Korea)
Energy Randomisation. How Much Rotational Phase Space is Explored? How Long Does It Take?

- 4b) I.P. Swainson (Atomic Energy of Canada), R.J.C. Brown (Queen's University)
Ammonium Perrhenate Powder Neutron Diffraction: A Refinement of the Crystal Structure Using a Pseudo-spin Model
- 4c) M. Thachuk and D. Wardlaw (Queen's University)
A Classical Hopping Algorithm for Coupled, Time Dependent Potential Surfaces
- 5a) X.K. Hu, D.M. Mao, S.S. Dimov and R.H. Lipson (University of Western Ontario)
Mapping the Electronic Structures of the Heteronuclear Rare Gas Dimers
- 5b) J.T. Paci (Queen's University) and P. Brumer (University of Toronto)
Optimal Coherent Control of Na₂ Photodissociation
- 5c) M. Hepp, G. Winnewisser (Universitaet zu Koeln, Germany), W. Jaeger (University of Alberta) and I. Pak (Russian Academy of Science, Russia)
Direct Absorption Measurements of Ar-CO Rotational Transitions with a Supersonic Jet mm-Wave Spectrometer
- 6a) A.K. Bertram, D.D. Patterson and J.J. Sloan (University of Waterloo)
The Mechanisms and Temperatures for the Freezing of Model Sulfuric Acid Aerosols Measured by FTIR Extinction Spectroscopy
- 6b) C. Carere and J.J. Sloan (University of Waterloo)
Dynamics and Kinetics of H Atom Reactions with CF_xCl_{4-x}, O₃ and NO₂
- 6c) M. Peschke (University of Waterloo), M.L. McKee and A.J. Illies (Auburn University)
An Experimental and Theoretical Study of Thietane Radical Cation with Thietane
- 7a) J.W. Dolce, A. Callegari, H.K. Srivastava, K. Lehmann, G. Scoles (Princeton University) and B. Meyer (University of Bonn)
Eigenstate Resolved Intramolecular Vibrational Energy Relaxation in Methylsilane and Ethane
- 7b) D. Snavely (Bowling Green State University)
Vibrational Overtone Activation: Experiment and Simulation
- 7c) K.M. Gough (University of Manitoba) and H.K. Srivastava (Princeton University)
Analysis of Raman trace scattering intensities in alkanes: Why the bond polarizability model doesn't work
- 8a) S.G. Urquhart, A.P. Hitchcock (McMaster University) and M. Denk (University of Toronto)
Probing Delocalization in Stable Silylenes by Core Excitation Spectroscopy
- 8b) G. Eustatiu (McMaster University), F. Motte-Tollet (Université de Liège, Belgium), S. Lotfi and D. Roy (Université Laval)
Vibrational Excitation of Furane by Low Energy Electron Impact
- 8c) Y. Xu and A.R.W. McKellar (NRC, Ottawa)
Continuous Slit-Jet Infrared Spectrum of the CO-N₂ Complex
- 9a) Y. Xu and A.R.W. McKellar (NRC, Ottawa)
Comprehensive Analysis of the Ar-CO Complex, Including Intermolecular Stretching and Bending States

- 9b) J. Koperski (Jagiellonian University, Poland) and M. Czajkowski (University of Windsor)
Spectroscopic Characterization of the ZnRG (RG=Ne, Ar, Kr) Molecules in the D₁ and X₀⁺ Energy States
- 9c) D.J. Levandier, R.A. Dressler (Hanscom AFB, MA) and E. Murad (Orion International Technologies, Albuquerque, NM)
Guided-Ion Beam Studies of Isotope Effects in the Reaction O⁺ + H₂O/D₂O → OH⁺/OD⁺ + OH/OD
- 10a) C. Zhao, J.W. Hepburn and P.F. Bernath (University of Waterloo)
High Resolution Spectroscopy of SrNH₂
- 10b) B. Guo, P.F. Bernath (University of Waterloo), T. Pasinszki and N. Westwood (University of Guelph)
Infrared Spectroscopy of New Nitrile Oxides
- 10c) A. Muntianu, B. Guo and P.F. Bernath (University of Waterloo)
High Resolution Infrared Emission Spectrum of NaF
- 11a) K. Higgins, F.-M. Tao and W. Klemperer (Harvard University)
HeClF and (ClF)₂: Potential Energy Surfaces and Spectroscopy
- 11b) D. Howard, H. Kjaergaard and B.R. Henry (University of Guelph)
Overtone Spectra of Vapour Phase Adamantane
- 11c) C. Zhu and B.R. Henry (University of Guelph)
Internal Rotation in Overtone Spectra - Fluorotoluenes
- 12a) H.G. Kjaergaard, D.M. Turnbull and B.R. Henry (University of Guelph)
Naphthalene: Subtle Differences in CH Bondlengths
- 12b) S.M. Ball, G. Hancock, J.C. Pinot de Moira (Oxford University), C.M. Sadowski (York University) and F. Winterbottom (AEA Technology)
Time-of-Flight Measurements of the Kinetic Energies of the O₂(¹Δ_g) Fragment from the Photolysis of Ozone Between 287-331 NM
- 12c) M.A. Lebeault-Dorget and B. Simard (NRC, Ottawa)
Preliminary Studies of Al-Group 14 Species
- 13a) K. Crowell, R.J. LeRoy, C. Bissonnette (University of Waterloo), T.H. Wu, W.J. Meath (University of Western Ontario) and A.R.W. McKellar (SIMS, NRC, Ottawa)
An Improved Three-Dimensional Potential Energy Surface for H₂-Ne from New Infrared Spectra
- 13b) F. Charron and P.F. Bernath (University of Waterloo)
Fourier Transform Infrared Emission Spectra of CuH, CuD, AgH and AgD
- 13c) Z. Morbi and P.F. Bernath (University of Waterloo)
High Resolution Laser Spectroscopy of the A²Π-X²Σ⁺ Transition of CaCCH
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