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Simulating Raman Spectrum of C₆₀ Cl₆ through Ab initio Method

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Abstract-- The Raman spectrum of C60Cl6 has been calculated using ab initio method. It has been observed that the simulated spectrum of $C_{60}C_{16}$ is matching with the available experimental data in literature. It is interested to note that by simple analysis of the normal coordinates of $C_{60}C_{16}$, the four principal regions of its vibrational spectrum 100-130 cm⁻¹, 140-400 cm⁻¹, 400-900 cm⁻¹ and 900-1600 cm⁻¹ are assigned. In the first 100-130 cm-1 range, the chlorineatom motion predominantly in the infrared spectrum of C₆₀C₁₆. In the second range 140–400 cm⁻¹carbon with chlorine atoms equally participate in the vibrations of C₆₀C₁₆.The intensities of this range are unusual vibrations are low, and also are observed in the experimental spectra as weak features. In the third range 400-900 cm⁻¹ the vibrations of $C_{60}C_{16}$ are restricted on the carbon skeleton of the molecule with insignificant chlorine- atom motion. In the fourth range 900–1600 cm⁻¹ the vibrations of the $C_{60}C_{16}$ carbon skeleton have considerable tangential character stretching vibrations in the infrared spectrum.

Keywords- Raman spectrum, Ab initio method, Infrared spectrum

I. INTRODUCTION

Halogenated fullerenes are of considerable interest because they are prospective originators for the sample preparation of fullerenes derivatives. Chloro-fullerenes were poorly investigated in comparison with other halogenated fullerenes. Single crystal X-ray crystallography has been synthesized and structurally characterized C60 chlorinated derivatives such as C60Cl24 (Th), C60Cl28 (C1), C60Cl30 (C2) and C60Cl30 (D3d) [1-3]. The production of C60Cl6 was reported and this chloride was utilized for the preparation of organic derivatives of C60. [4–8] In the past decade, considerable progress has been made in the understanding of fullerene derivatives.

IR vibrational is a unique sensitivity spectroscopy to molecular structure, so it has an application can assist substantially in structure elucidation, particularly when other commonly used direct methods of structural analysis have failed to provide unambiguous answers. We report that comprehensive IR spectroscopic studies of $C_{60}Cl_6$ with the help of ab initio method.

II. COMPUTATIONAL DETAILS

The simplest structure of $C_{60}Cl_6$ molecule model has sixty carbon nuclei reside on a sphere and six chloride atoms attached with six carbon atoms of as shown in figure -1. The $C_{60}Cl_6$ structure has C_1 symmetry and the bond length of each carbon-carbon is 1.35 Å and the bond length of carbon-chloride atom is 2.08 Å. The two different C-C bond lengths in C indicate that the π electrons are evenly delocalized over all bonds. The green colour and blue colour represent the carbon and chloride atoms respectively.

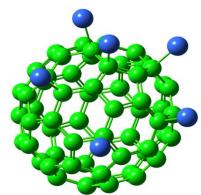


Figure 1 shows C₆₀Cl₆ structure configurations

III. CALCULATION

The frequencies are obtained in a frequency analysis based on the time independent Schrodinger equation for the stochastic explanation of the nuclei within the Born-Oppenheimer approximation. This harmonic approximation

that replaces the potential $E_{el}(R)$ by $\overline{E}_{el}(R) \approx R^{(c)\dagger} F^{(c)} R^{(c)}$, where $R_j^{(c)}$ are Cartesian nuclear coordinates and $F^{(c)}$ is the Cartesian Hessian matrix. Then the nuclear Schrodinger equation in the basis of mass-weighted normal coordinates $R^{(c)}$ within this approximation is given by



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$$\left(-\frac{\hbar^{2}}{2}\nabla^{(q)^{\dagger}}\nabla^{(q)}+R^{(q)^{\dagger}}F^{(q)}R^{(q)}\right)\left|\upsilon^{tot}\right\rangle=E_{tot}\left|\upsilon^{tot}\right\rangle \tag{1}$$

where $F^{(q)}$ is the diagonalized Hessian with elements

$$F_{ij}^{(q)} = \left(\frac{\partial^2 \overline{E}_{el}(R^{(q)})}{\partial R_i^{(q)} \partial R_j^{(q)}}\right)$$
(2)

According to Placzek's classical theory of polarizability the Raman intensity is defined as the ratio of the radiation power $d\phi_{\rm in}$ a conical beam of solid angle $d\Omega$ [17]. Within classical electrodynamics the intensity of an oscillating dipole is given by [16]

$$I(\theta) = \frac{\pi^2 c v_0^4 \mu_{0,ind}^2 (v_0) \sin(\theta)}{2\varepsilon_0} \left(\frac{J}{ssr}\right)$$
(3)

Here θ is the angle between the directions of propagation of the incident beam with the observation, V_0 is the wave number of the incident radiation, and $\mu_{0,ind}\left(V_0\right)$ is the amplitude of the induced dipole moment which oscillates with the same frequency $V_0 = V_0 C$ as the incident radiation. In general the intensity of the radiation source is large, so quantum effects on the radiation field are negligible [18]. Still, for the molecular properties a quantum mechanical treatment is required. This approach is known as a "partial quantum mechanical treatment" of scattering phenomena. It is compulsory to compute the time-independent

amplitudes of the oscillating dipole moment, which are obtained as matrix elements of the induced dipole moment

[17]

$$\left\langle \mu_{0,fi}^{ind} \right\rangle = \left\langle \upsilon_f^{tot} \middle| \overline{\alpha}.\xi_0 \middle| \upsilon_i^{tot} \right\rangle \tag{4}$$

$$\approx \left\langle \upsilon_f^{tot} \left| \overline{\alpha} \right| \upsilon_i^{tot} \right\rangle \xi_0 \left(Cm \right) \tag{5}$$

 α is the polarizability of the molecule and ξ_0 is the amplitude of the incident electromagnetic field. The thesis has taken only the linear response of the molecule-radiation interaction; it means that the effects concerning first and higher hyper-polarizabilities are not considered. In

addition, it is supposed that the electric field vector ζ_0 is constant within the complete molecule. Now the rotational

contributions to the nuclear wave function $\left|\upsilon^{tot}\right\rangle$ defined in equation

$$\left|\upsilon^{tot}\right\rangle = \left|\upsilon\right\rangle . \chi^{rot} \chi^{trans} \tag{6}$$

This give total nuclear wave function where $|\upsilon\rangle$ is a product of the product of the (3n-6) [(3N-5) for linear molecules, respectively] vibrational single mode wave function which will characterize by the rotational quantum numbers J and M_J . This is compulsory because as the matrix element in eq. (5) depends on the orientation of molecule with the radiation beam. But the translational contribution is not regard as it does not affect the matrix element. Considering the product for example

$$\left|\upsilon^{tot}\right\rangle = \left|\upsilon;J,M\right\rangle = \left|\upsilon\right\rangle.\left|J,M_{J}\right\rangle \tag{7}$$

with $|\upsilon\rangle$ defined in eq. (6). Any configuration of structure is only valid if $v_0 >> v_{rot}v_{vib}$ and $v_0 << v_{elec}$,

where $V_{rot}, V_{vib}, V_{elec}$ are the frequencies for rotational, vibrational, and electronic transitions of the respectively molecule, and it amounts to the neglect of coupling matrix elements between vibrational and rotational motion. One more requirement for this treatment is that the electronic ground state of the system is non degenerate.

So α is a tensor that has to be concerned with matrix elements of the tensor components of the respective configuration structure.



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$$\left\langle \alpha_{pq,fi} \right\rangle = \left\langle \upsilon_{f} \left| \left\langle \boldsymbol{J}_{f}, \boldsymbol{M}_{J,f} \left| \overline{\alpha}_{pq} \right| \boldsymbol{J}_{f}, \boldsymbol{J}_{z,i} \right\rangle \right| \upsilon_{i} \right\rangle \left(\frac{Cm^{2}}{V} \right)$$
(8)

$$p, q = \{x, y, z\}$$

Where the integration over the electronic coordinates has

already been calculated out, in such a way that α_{pq} is the electronic expectation value for a given set of nuclear coordinates. The constituents of the polarizability tensor depend upon the selection of the space-fixed coordinate system. They are related to the components in the respective molecule fixed axes p', q' by

$$\overline{\alpha}_{pq} = \sum_{p'q'} \overline{\alpha}_{p'q'} \cos(pp') \cos(qq')$$
(9)

It is interesting that the components of the polarizability in the molecular coordinate system do not change under molecular rotation, just compared to the ones in the spacefixed system. It makes that the integrations separately over vibrational and rotational coordinates and is given by

$$\left\langle \alpha_{pq,fi} \right\rangle = \sum_{p'q'} \left\langle \overline{\alpha}_{p'q',fi} \right\rangle \left\langle J_f, M_{J,f} \left| \cos(xx') \cos(yy') \right| J_i, M_{J,i} \right\rangle \tag{10}$$

Here the matrix elements $\left\langle \alpha_{p'q',fi} \right\rangle = \left\langle \upsilon_f \left| \overline{\alpha}_{p'q'} \right| \upsilon_i \right\rangle$ only depend upon the vibrational quantum numbers $\left\{ \upsilon_i, \upsilon_f \right\}$ with the electronic state of the molecule, since in

the case of the transition dipole moment. As $\alpha_{p'q'}$ is not known as a precise function of $R^{(q)}$ either, but estimation

of the matrix elements $\langle \alpha_{pq,fi} \rangle$ require integration over nuclear coordinates, so a Taylor series expansion is necessary [25]. The calculation of the matrix elements for the components of the polarizability tensor can be performed in similar way as for the components of the dipole moment, as shown. In equations (13) to (15) we

made use of the properties of the Hermite polynomials (μ and α are electronic matrix elements). Taylor series

expansion of electronic matrix elements

$$\overline{\alpha} = \overline{\alpha}^{(0)} + \sum_{k} \left(\frac{\partial \overline{\alpha}}{\partial R_{k}^{(q)}} \right)_{0} R_{k}^{(q)} + O\left(R_{k}^{(q)2}\right)$$
(11)

This evaluation includes the total matrix elements with nuclear wave functions [neglecting quadratic and higher order terms from equations (11)]

$$\left\langle \alpha_{fi} \right\rangle = \overline{\alpha}^{(0)} \left\langle \upsilon_f \left| \upsilon_i \right\rangle + \sum_{k} \left(\frac{\partial \overline{\alpha}}{\partial R_k^{(q)}} \right)_0 \left\langle \upsilon_f \left| R_k^{(q)} \right| \upsilon_i \right\rangle$$
(12)

The evaluation of matrix elements $\left\langle \upsilon_f \left| \upsilon_i \right\rangle \right\rangle$ and $\left\langle \upsilon_f \left| R_k^{(q)} \right| \upsilon_i \right\rangle$ is done as follows

$$\left\langle \upsilon_{f} \left| \upsilon_{i} \right\rangle = \prod_{p=1}^{3N-6} \left\langle \upsilon_{p,f} \left| \upsilon_{p,i} \right\rangle \right.$$

$$= \prod_{p=1}^{3N-6} \delta_{\upsilon_{p,f,\upsilon_{p,i}}}$$
(13)

$$\left\langle \upsilon_{f} \left| R_{k}^{(q)} \right| \upsilon_{i} \right\rangle = \left\langle \upsilon_{k,f} \left| R_{k}^{(q)} \right| \upsilon_{k,i} \right\rangle \prod_{p=1, p \neq k}^{3N-6} \left\langle \upsilon_{p,f} \left| \upsilon_{p,i} \right\rangle$$
(14)

$$\left\langle \upsilon_{k,f} \left| R_{k}^{(q)} \right| \upsilon_{k,i} \right\rangle = \begin{cases} \left(\upsilon_{k,i} + 1\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} b_{vk}; \upsilon_{k,f} = \upsilon_{k,i} + 1 \\ \left(\upsilon_{k,i} + 1\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} b_{vk}; \upsilon_{k,f} = \upsilon_{k,i} - 1 \\ 0; otherwise \end{cases}$$
(15)

Summary of the above equations for fundamental transitions $\left|\upsilon_{k,i}+1\right\rangle\leftarrow\left|\upsilon_{k,i}\right\rangle$

$$\left\langle \alpha_{fi} \right\rangle = b_{vk} \left(\nu_{k,i} + 1 \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{\partial \overline{\alpha}}{\partial R_k^{(q)}} \right)_0 \tag{16}$$



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$$b_{vk}^{2} = \frac{\hbar}{2\omega} = \frac{\hbar}{4\pi v_{k}} = \frac{\hbar}{8\pi^{2}cv_{k}}$$
(17)

It should be noted that $\left| v^{tot} \right\rangle$ is the product of the individual harmonic oscillator wave functions for all normal modes of the molecule through harmonic approximation in the molecule. Since also the Taylor series

for μ and α are cut after the quadratic terms (electrical harmonicity), the procedure presented here is called the double harmonic approximation.

Equation (15) it gives that non vanishing part for the scattering intensity that occurs for all transitions with $\delta v_k = 0, \pm 1$. The case $\delta v_k = 0$ corresponds to Rayleigh scattering, which means the frequency of the

incident radiation remains unchanged.

$$I_{ZZ} = \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \int_0^{\pi,2\pi,2\pi} \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} \sin \varphi \sin \upsilon \\ \cos \varphi \sin \upsilon \\ \cos \upsilon \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \sin \varphi \sin \upsilon \\ \cos \varphi \sin \upsilon \\ \cos \upsilon \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle^2 d\Psi d\varphi \sin \upsilon d\upsilon$$

Integrating and rearranging give up

$$I_{zz} = \frac{45\overline{\alpha}^2 + 4\gamma'_s^2}{45} \tag{20}$$

$$\overline{\alpha} = \frac{1}{3} (a_1 + a_2 + a_3)$$

With

$$\gamma_{s}^{2} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(a_{1} - a_{2} \right)^{2} + \left(a_{2} - a_{3} \right)^{2} + \left(a_{3} - a_{1} \right)^{2} \right]$$
(21)

The result in Eq. (19) embraces for all parallel polarizations of the incoming with outgoing linearly polarized light as well as for every Raman tensor excluding

that γ'^{2} . For perpendicular linear polarization, *e.g.*, I_{xz} the integration yields $I_{xz} = \frac{3\gamma'^{2}}{45}$.

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For Raman scattering, one has to confine to the Stokes case where $v_{k,f} = v_{k,i} + 1$, the wave number v_0 of the oscillating induced dipole is no longer. The wave number of the incident beam V_{in} projecting on the structure

configuration has to be replaced by $v_{in} - v_{p}$ where v_{p} is the wave number of the vibrational transition for normal mode p.

Let us presume a phonon with a diagonal Raman tensor with three elements $a_1 \neq a_2 \neq a_3$. In addition, scattering configuration in the laboratory frame is (ZZ). To find the Raman intensity one integrate as well as average over all possible orientations of the crystal. By Euler's angles [20, 21].

$$I_{ZZ} = \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \int_0^{\pi, 2\pi, 2\pi} |e_i. R. e_s|^2 d\Psi d\varphi \sin \nu d\nu$$
(18)

$$a_{3} \begin{pmatrix} \sin \varphi \sin \upsilon \\ \cos \varphi \sin \upsilon \\ \cos \upsilon \end{pmatrix}^{2} d\Psi d\varphi \sin \upsilon d\upsilon$$

$$(19)$$

Now it turn out to be noticeable that the symmetry can also the partially presumed from experiments on unoriented materials.

The intensity on unoriented substances pursues directly from the transformation of a tensor under rotation. A second-rank tensor can be divided with respect to the rotation group into a scalar (tensor of rank zero), an antisymmetric matrix (rank one), and a symmetric traceless matrix (rank two). These irreducible components have well defined quantum numbers and transformation properties under rotation. The matrix element for a fixed orientation is obtained from the Wigner-Eckart theorem and the integration over all crystal orientations is determined by the tensor invariants. Different researchers use slightly different invariants in Raman scattering. By Neslor and spiror [19] we define the isotropic invariant

$$\overline{\alpha} = \frac{1}{3} \left(\alpha_{xx} + \alpha_{yy} + \alpha_{zz} \right)$$
 (22)

The antisymmetric anisotropy



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$$\gamma_{as}^{2} = \frac{3}{4} \left[\left(\alpha_{xy} - \alpha_{yx} \right)^{2} + \left(\alpha_{xz} - \alpha_{zx} \right)^{2} + \left(\alpha_{yz} - \alpha_{zy} \right)^{2} \right]$$
(23)

$$\gamma_{s}^{2} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\alpha_{xx} - \alpha_{yy} \right)^{2} + \left(\alpha_{yy} - \alpha_{zz} \right)^{2} + \left(\alpha_{zz} - \alpha_{xx} \right)^{2} \right] + \frac{3}{4} \left[\left(\alpha_{xy} + \alpha_{yx} \right)^{2} + \left(\alpha_{xz} + \alpha_{zx} \right)^{2} + \left(\alpha_{yz} + \alpha_{zy} \right)^{2} \right]$$
(24)

Where $\alpha_{ij}(i, j = x, y, z)$ are the elements of the Raman matrix as given in Table-1 for carbon nanotubes.

Table - 1 shows Raman tensors of the carbon structure

$A_{1(g)}$	$A_{2(g)}$	$E_{1(g)}$	$E_{1(g)}$	$E_{2(g)}$	$E_{2(g)}$
$\begin{pmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & b \end{pmatrix}$	$ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & e & 0 \\ -e & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ d & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -c \\ 0 & -d & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & f & 0 \\ f & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} $	$\begin{pmatrix} -f & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

A linear combination of the tensor invariants can be expressed in the scattering intensity on an unoriented sample in any scattering configuration. For linear parallel (ll) with perpendicular (\perp) polarization of the incoming and scattered light the intensities are given by (apart from a constant factor

$$I_{ll} = 45\overline{\alpha}^{2} + 4\gamma_{s}^{2} I_{\perp} = 3\gamma_{s}^{2} + 5\gamma_{as}^{2}$$
(25)

Which is the generalized result of Equation (19). The

quotient I_{ll} is known as the depolarization ratio ρ . Under Placzek's polarizability approximation, it is known that the depolarization ratio of a totally symmetric vibrational mode is less than 0.75, and that of the other modes equals 0.75. A Raman band whose depolarization ratio is less than 0.75 is called a depolarization band, and a band with a 0.75 depolarization ratio is called a U-depolarization band.

The Raman intensities for any polarization on arbitrarily oriented systems can be implicit through the matrix element for a particular Raman tensor and taking the averaged over Euler's angles. For generality, the result of fullerene Raman tensor of into any two rank tensor.

This transformation of tensor are can be prescribed by irreducible spherical tensors, that is a break up into the $\mathbf{r}(i)$

rotation group. The irreducible spherical tensors $T_m^{(j)}$ have quick j and m quantum numbers under turning round that can be simply transform according to

$$T_{m}^{(j)} = \sum_{p} T_{p}^{(j)} D_{pm}^{(j)} (\psi, \theta, \phi)$$
 (26)

Where $D^{(j)}$ is the matrix expression of the rotation group (rotation matrices). The rank k tensor can reduce into irreducible tensor of ranks 0, 1, 2, 3...k with help of the Clebsch-Gordan coefficients. A normalized Raman tensor $R = T^{(0)} + T^{(1)} + T^{(2)}$ set are converted into irreducible tensors is given by

$$T_0^{(0)} = -\frac{1}{3}(\alpha_{xx} + \alpha_{yy} + \alpha_{zz})$$

$$T_0^{(1)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\alpha_{xy} - \alpha_{yx})$$

$$T_{\pm 1}^{(2)} = \mp \frac{1}{2} \left[(\alpha_{zx} + \alpha_{xz}) \pm (\alpha_{zy} + \alpha_{yz}) \right]$$



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$$T_{\pm 1}^{(1)} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\alpha_{zx} - \alpha_{xz} \right) \pm \left(\alpha_{zy} - \alpha_{yz} \right) \right]$$

$$T_{+2}^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\alpha_{xx} - \alpha_{yy} \right) \pm i \left(\alpha_{xy} + \alpha_{yx} \right) \right]$$

$$T_{0}^{(2)} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \left(2\alpha_{zz} - \alpha_{xx} - \alpha_{yy} \right)$$
(27)

In a fixed scattering configuration, the intensity matrix

element I_{LS} is computed through the Wigner-Eekart theorem. An average of irreducible spherical tensors over the randomly oriented graphene oxide molecules is specified by.

$$I_{LS} \propto \left| e_l \operatorname{Re}_s \right|^2 = \int_{\Omega} \left| \sum_{J} e_l T^{(J)} \operatorname{e}_s \right|^2 d\omega$$
 (28)

$$I_{LS} = \int_{\Omega} \left\{ \sum_{J,M} \left\langle J_{i} m_{i} \left| T_{M}^{(J)} \right| J_{S} m_{S} \right\rangle \right\}^{2} d\omega$$
(29)

Where $\left(J_iJ_S-m_im_S\left|J-M\right.\right)$ are the Clebsch-Gordan coefficients with the selection rule $\mathbf{M}=\mathbf{m_i}-\mathbf{m}$. This gives

$$I_{LS} = \int_{\Omega} \left\{ \left(J_i J_S - m_i m_S \left| J \left[m_S - m_i \right] \right) \left\langle \sum_p T_p^{(J)} D_{p(m_s - m_i)}^{(J)} \right\rangle \right\}^2 d\omega$$
(30)

The rotation matrices are orthonormal

$$\int_{\Omega} D_{k_1 \mu_1}^{(j_1)^*} D_{k_2 \mu_2}^{(j_2)} d\omega = \frac{\Omega}{\sqrt{2j_1 + 1}} \delta_{j_1 j_2} \delta_{k_1 k_2} \delta_{\mu_1 \mu_2}$$
(31)

So, each of the contribution of different irreducible tensors rank J can solve break up. Thus the orthonormality of the turning round matrices diminishes to

$$I_{LS}^{J} \propto \left(J_{i}J_{S} - m_{i}m_{S} \left|J\left[m_{S} - m_{i}\right]\right)^{2} \frac{1}{2J+1} \sum_{p} \left[T_{p}^{(J)}\right]^{2}$$
(32)

The sum over p is self-determining of the angular momentum quantum numbers m which formulate to be calculated only once for every J under consideration. As the mixed elements in the squared sum do not necessarily cancel so care should be taken while adding over p by using orthogonality of the rotation matrices in Eq. (19)

For I_{LS}^{J} calculation $\sum_{p} \left[T_{p}^{(J)} \right]^{2}$ has to sum J = 0, 1, 2 with the irreducible tensors in Equation (18).

Depolarization and P-polarization Raman spectrum

In Raman spectroscopy, depolarization Raman spectrum consists of depolarization ratio. This depolarization ratio is the intensity ratio between the perpendicular component and the parallel component of the Raman scattered light [22, 23]. The electric field of the incident light stimulates the Raman scattered light. Hence the direction of the vibration of the electric field, or polarization direction, of the scattered light might be estimated to be the same direction as that of the incident light. But in real world some part of the Raman scattered light has a polarization direction and some part remain perpendicular to that of the incident light. This component is known as the perpendicular component. The part component of the Raman scattered light whose polarization direction is parallel to that of the incident light is known as the parallel component, so the Raman scattered light consists of the parallel component and the perpendicular component. The ratio between these two components is expressed as the depolarization ratio.

$$I_{\perp}/I_{\parallel}$$
 (33)

The value of the depolarization ratio of a Raman band depends upon the symmetry of the molecule and the normal vibrational mode. As already discuss above the Placzek's polarizability approximation, it is known that the depolarization ratio if of a totally symmetric vibrational mode is less than 0.75, and that of the other modes equals 0.75. Hence the Raman spectrum with greater than 0.75 depolarization ratio is said to be p - depolarization.

IV. RESULT & DISCUSSIONS

 $C_{60}Cl_6$ molecule has C_1 symmetry and it takes 396 steps to converge the simulated Raman spectrum of $C_{60}Cl_6$ molecule.



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The most significant change in the Raman spectrum induced by addition of chloride is in fullerene, and the redistribution with new the Raman spectrum intensity among the normal modes of fullerene is as given in the table. Fullerene derivative (C₆₀Cl₆) molecule has 192 degrees of freedom which is slightly greater than C₆₀ normal degrees of freedom because of addition of six chlorides in the fullerene to form fullerene derivative. The rotational constants in x, y, and z axis in the fullerenes derivative $(C_{60}Cl_6)$ is 0.06, 0.05 and 0.05 (GHz) respectively. The C₆₀Cl₆ has 354 symmetry adapted basis functions, 1062 primitive gaussians, 354 cartesian basis functions, 321 alpha electrons and 321 beta electrons with the nuclear repulsion energy 12972.07 Hartrees. The fullerenes derivative $(C_{60}Cl_6)$ has done SCF E (RHF) = -4970.33 A.U. after 21 cycles with convergence density matrix= 0.4894D-08.

The main results from the calculation of the Raman spectrum of the $C_{60}Cl_6$ is as follows

- 1. Each chloride atom of $C_{60}Cl_6$ perturbed in a small fullerene cage. This makes small frequency shifts demonstration in the fullerene derivative spectrum.
- 2. The reduction of symmetrical shape in the fullerene derivative split the degenerate vibrations of $C_{60}Cl_6$ quite large. This splitting increases vibration which produced by the intermolecular interactions in the crystal. Hence the Raman intensity among the various atoms of $C_{60}Cl_6$ distributes non-uniformly in the Raman Spectrum and some cases the intensity is concentrated to a single component.
- 3. The ab initio method is used to simulate many the Raman intensities of C₆₀Cl₆ which are not observed in experimentally [15]. But most of them are observed available experimental spectrum data at room temperature is matching with simulated Raman data as explain in table II.
- 4. The four main groups of simulated Raman peaks are seen in Raman spectrum. This Raman spectrum gives coordinates of $C_{60}Cl_6$ facilitated to assign four principal regions of its vibrational spectrum namely the first range from 100 to 130 cm⁻¹, the second range from 140 to 400 cm⁻¹, the third range from 400 to 900 cm⁻¹ and the fourth range 900 to 1600 cm⁻¹. In the first 100–130 cm⁻¹ range, the chlorine-atoms motion are observed in the Raman spectrum of $C_{60}Cl_6$. In the second range 140–400 cm⁻¹ carbon and the chlorine atoms equally take part in the vibrations of $C_{60}Cl_6$. Unusually, the intensities of this range of Raman spectrum vibrations are medium to strong, and also are observed in the experimental spectrum in weak features.

In the third range 400-900 cm⁻¹ the vibrations of C₆₀Cl₆ are restricted on the carbon skeleton of the molecule without a significant chlorine atoms motion. But the internal coordinates associated with chlorine atoms (C-Cl stretches and bends) do contribute to the vibrations of the C₆₀Cl₆ molecule. In general, this range may be characterized as particularly rich in the Raman spectrum with a large number of strong and medium intensity bands but half of intensities are relative lower. Radial displacements of the carbon atoms are more important as result in the changes of C-Cl distances and C-C-Cl angles. In the fourth range 900–1600 cm⁻¹ the vibrations of the C₆₀Cl₆ carbon skeleton have considerable tangential character stretching vibrations in the Raman spectrum. The frequencies could not be precisely determined from the experimental spectra in this range due to their low intensities and overlap of the bands. Though the intensities of the C-C bands were quite low, yet the C=C stretches exhibited significant Raman activity with two principal bands at 1462.63 and 1559.32 cm⁻¹ corresponding to the Raman spectrum.

- 5. It is worth wise that, the intensity of the Raman-active fundamentals of C_{60} decreases appreciably in the fullerene derivative ($C_{60}Cl_6$). It is found that most of the bands gain assigned as inactive fullerene fundamentals. So it can be taken as evidence that they are indeed fundamentals. In some regions of the simulated spectrum, the overall intensity decreases to an extent that the bands become barely detectable to compare with the available experimental spectrum data.
- 6. The minimum and maximum simulated infrared of C₆₀Cl₆ peak is 122.64 and 1559.32 respectively while experimental available infrared minimum and maximum data are 114.714 and 1572.71 respectively.

V. CONCLUSION

The $C_{60}Cl_6$ structures are very sensitive to electron correlation treatment with basis set that are employed. So the proper electron correlation level and basis set play an important role in calculating accurate structure. It is interesting to note that the $C_{60}Cl_6$ structure of matching the available experimental data very much even it is showing other important peaks which are not seen in the experimental data.

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Table - II

Experi. Data	Simul. Raman Data	Depol. Ratio	Polari. Ratio	Experi. Data	Simul. Raman Data	Depol. Ratio	Polari. Ratio
116	122.64	0.72	0.84		838.69	0.75	0.85
	123.6	0.7	0.82		847.9	0.75	0.85
	125.2	0.75	0.85	853.94	848.49	0.74	0.85
	131.85	0.72	0.84		860.53	0.52	0.68
166	162.98	0.74	0.85		861.72	0.35	0.52
214				867.514	863.66	0.75	0.85
237	245.38	0.75	0.85		871.42	0.75	0.85
	247.59	0.68	0.81		878.06	0.29	0.45
	270.07	0.75	0.85		880.91	0.44	0.61
279	275.33	0.57	0.73		881.38	0.75	0.85
	297.88	0.64	0.78	882	882.76	0.56	0.71
321				894.61	894.01	0.75	0.85
350	345.07	0.03	0.07		896.5	0.61	0.76
	358.19	0.03	0.06		906.56	0.29	0.46
384	391.85	0.04	0.08		909.52	0.2	0.34
	404.17	0	0.01		910.39	0.75	0.85
435.004	427.32	0.02	0.04		922.91	0.59	0.74
438	436.67	0.75	0.85		925.35	0.75	0.85



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455.357	455.65	0.27	0.42		925.55	0.59	0.74
496	482.88	0.66	0.79	1062	1041.91	0.02	0.04
	501.22	0.03	0.07		1050.43	0.75	0.85
	504.51	0.75	0.85		1052.22	0.17	0.29
	507.09	0.31	0.48		1065.71	0.02	0.05
515	516.86	0.75	0.85		1103.27	0.03	0.06
541	570.95	0.75	0.85		1108.94	0.02	0.04
581	579.91	0.1	0.18	1111	1109.09	0.75	0.85
	597.8	0.06	0.12		1129.93	0.75	0.85
612	611.67	0.22	0.36		1136.91	0.75	0.85
628	627.4	0.01	0.03	1171	1136.98	0.75	0.85
	633.86	0.75	0.85	1186.39	1203.01	0.75	0.85
638.591	634.22	0.13	0.23		1204.43	0.6	0.75
	672.03	0.21	0.35		1229.42	0.43	0.61
	694.94	0.34	0.51	1240	1239.87	0.75	0.85
711.405	718.2	0.09	0.16	1242.37	1260.26	0.11	0.2
755	755.1	0.75	0.85	1255.99	1267.29	0.75	0.85
	757.47	0.73	0.84	1448	1451.24	0.75	0.85
786.21	785.42	0.67	0.8	1467	1462.63	0.65	0.79
799				1464.88	1473.24	0.72	0.84
816					1478.04	0.75	0.85
823	832.6	0.32	0.49	1488.7	1489.52	0.32	0.49
828.67	835.46	0.69	0.81	1568	1559.32	0.54	0.7

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