

1. The molar mass of 2-butanone ($\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COCH}_3$) is 72.11 g/mol. Why does the mass spectrum of the molecule have peaks at m/z equal to 72.06 and 73.06? 1. _____

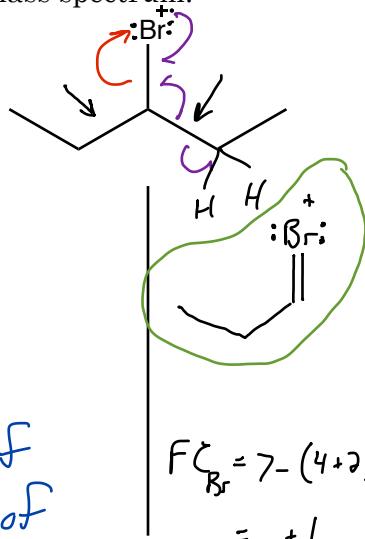
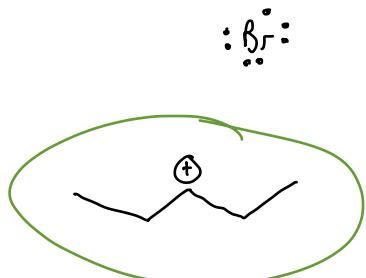
Molar mass is based on the average mass

72.06 is the exact mass of 2-butanone molecules that contain only ^{12}C

73.06 is the exact mass of the 2-butanone molecules that have 1 ^{13}C atom present.

- 2.. In a mass spectrometer, radical, cationic alkyl halides fragment using homolytic and heterolytic mechanisms. (a. 12 pts.) Draw the fragments that would form from the most likely heterolytic and homolytic cleavage reactions, and (b. 6 pts.) circle the fragments that would be observed in the mass spectrum.

heterolytic cleavage products



α -cleavage
homolytic cleavage products



charge moves because of uneven distribution of e^- 's

$$FC_{\text{Br}} = 7 - (4+2) = +1 \quad FC_e = 4 - (1+3) = 0$$

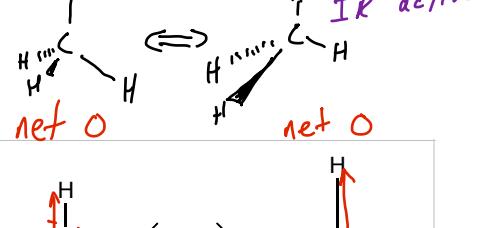
charge doesn't move because e^- 's evenly shared

3. (10 pts.) What is the formula of the hydrocarbon (a molecule containing only carbon and hydrogen atoms) that has a peak at a charge to mass ratio of 86.

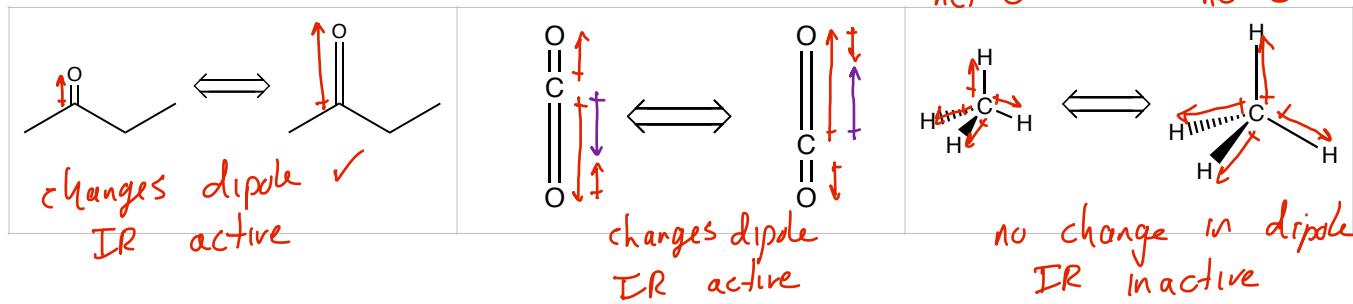
$$\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 13 \sqrt{86} \\ \hline 78 \\ 8 \end{array}$$



If other atoms are present you need to pull out C's + H's to make room



4. (12 pts.) Circle the drawings that represent IR active vibrations.



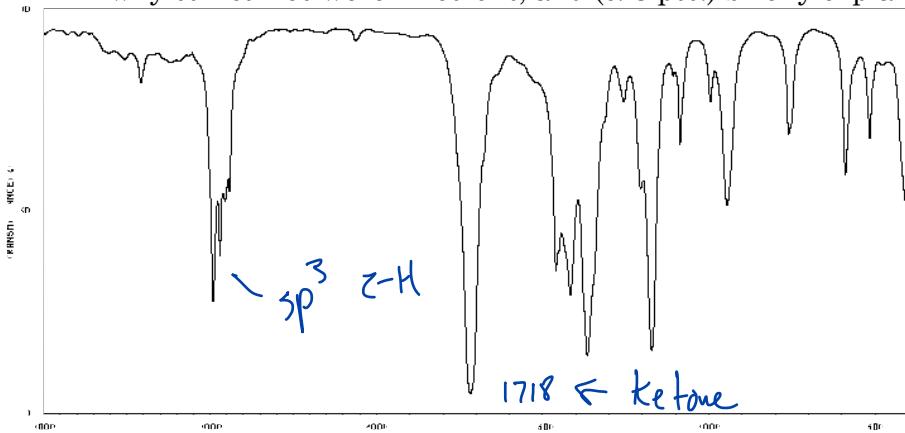
5. a. (8 pts.) C–H, O–H, and N–H stretching vibrations all appear at 2700 cm^{-1} or higher. On the other hand, C–C, C–N, and C–O stretching vibrations absorb IR light at 1250 cm^{-1} or lower. Briefly explain this difference.

big atom small atom → less inertia higher freq vibration
 big atom big atom the bonds between 1 big atoms vibrate more slowly because big atoms have more inertia

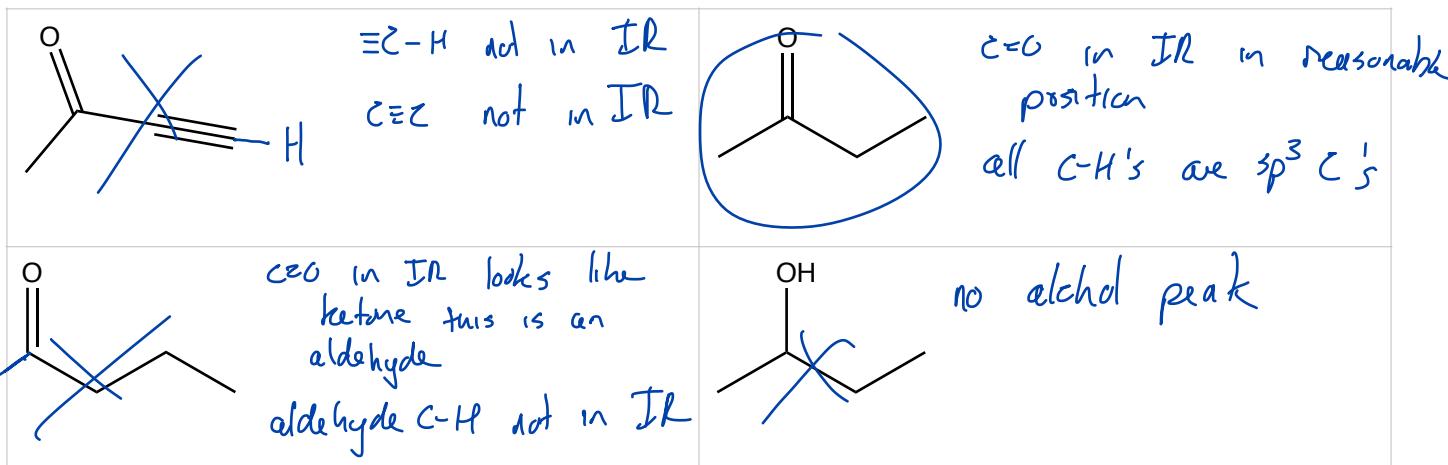
- b. (4 pts.) Would you expect a C–Br bond to stretch at a higher or lower frequency than a C–O bond?

C–O since O is less massive than Br

6. (a. 2 pts.) Circle the molecule that produced the following spectrum, (b. 9 pts.) briefly explain why structures were ruled out, and (c. 3 pts.) briefly explain why your choice is the correct one.

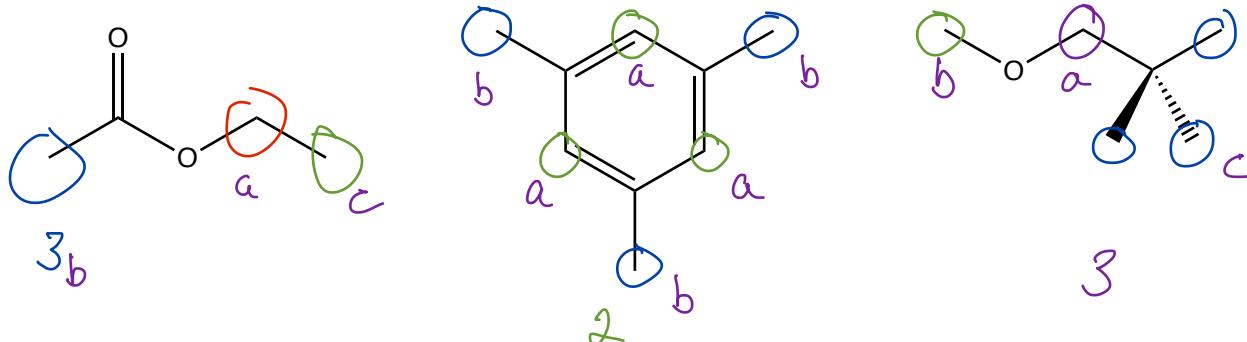


3611	84	1718	4	1173	14
3416	79	1461	34	1087	64
2981	26	1454	36	996	74
2964	44	1417	27	946	49
2940	37	1366	13	761	66
2909	50	1257	74	590	57
2883	62	1206	59	617	66



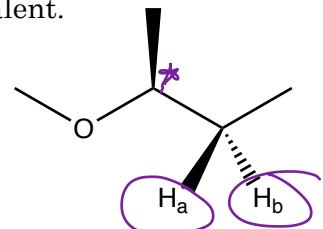
7. a. (9 pts.) Determine the number of peaks that are expected in the ^1H NMR spectra of the following molecules, and

b. (9 pts.) determine the relative positions of the peaks in the ^1H NMR spectrum and label the protons alphabetically starting with the proton(s) that resonate at the highest frequency.

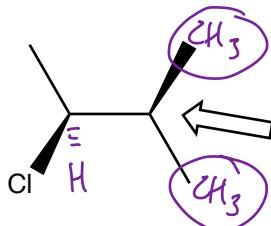


8. (6 pts.) Explain why H_a and H_b are chemically and magnetically inequivalent.

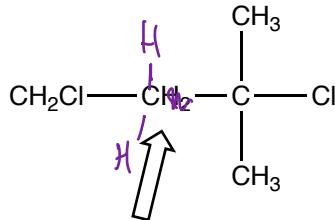
$\text{H}_a + \text{H}_b$ are diastereotopic



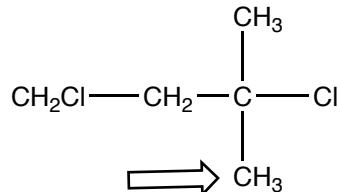
9. (12 pts.) Determine the multiplicity of the peak attributed to the indicated protons.



doublet quartets

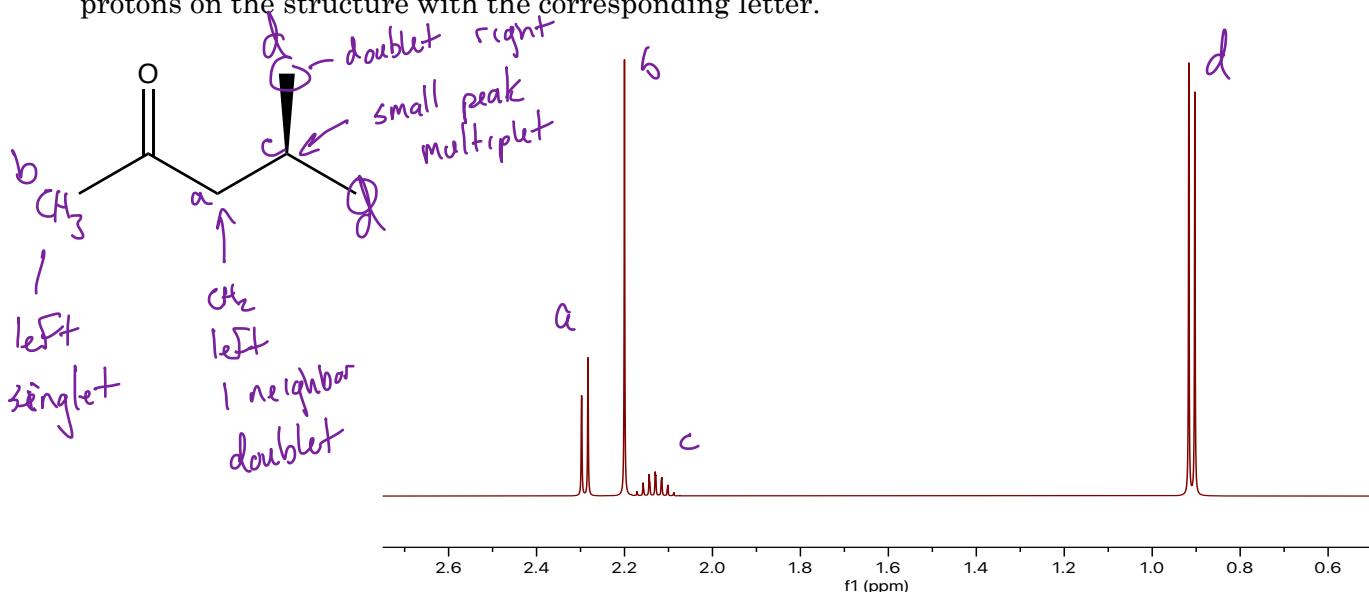


triplet

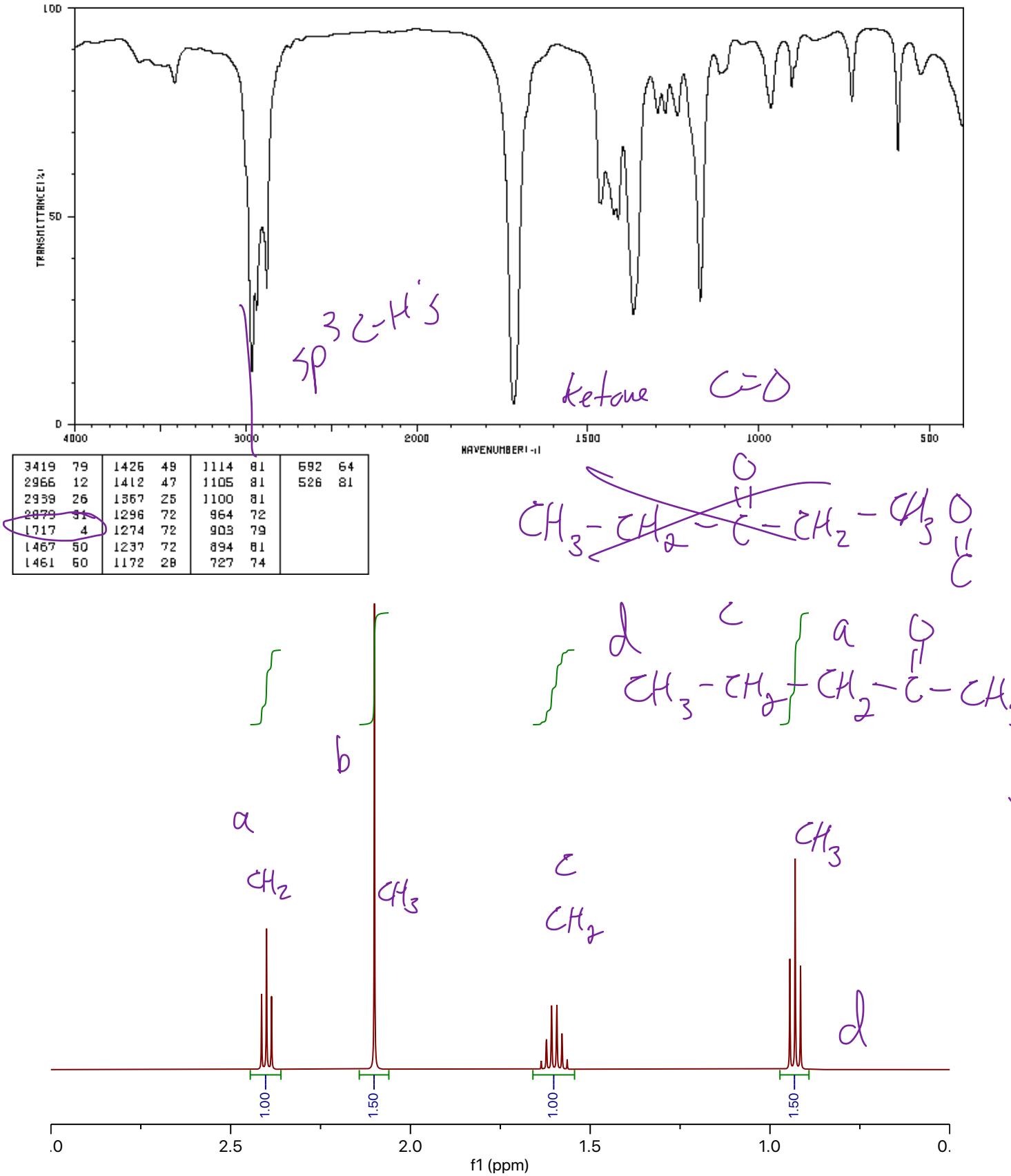


singlet

10. (12 pts.) Assign the peaks in the following ^1H NMR spectrum; that is, label each peak in the ^1H NMR spectrum alphabetically starting with an "a" at the left end of the spectrum and label the protons on the structure with the corresponding letter.



11. A molecule with the formula C₅H₁₀O produced the following IR and NMR spectra. Based on the spectral data provided below (a. 10 pts.) determine the structure of the unknown C₅H₁₀O, (b. 4 pts.) identify the peaks for two functional groups in the IR spectrum, and (c. 4 pts.) unambiguously assign the peaks in the ¹H NMR spectrum. That is, label each peak in the ¹H NMR spectrum alphabetically starting with an "a" at the left end of the spectrum and label the protons on your structure with the corresponding letter.



1	H	1.0079
3	Li	6.941
4	Be	9.012
11	Na	22.989
12	Mg	24.305

19	K	20	Ca	21	Sc	22	Ti	23	V	24	Cr	25	Mn	26	Fe	27	Co	28	Ni	29	Cu	30	Zn	31	Ga	32	Ge	33	As	34	Se	35	Br	36	Kr		
37	Cs	38	Sr	39	Y	40	Zr	41	Nb	42	Tc	43	Ru	44	Pd	45	Ag	46	Cd	47	In	48	Ge	49	Sn	50	Sb	51	Te	52	I	53	Xe	54			
55	Rb	56	Ba	57	La	72	Hf	73	Ta	74	W	75	Re	76	Os	77	Ir	78	Pt	79	Au	80	Hg	81	Tl	82	Pb	83	Bi	84	Po	85	At	86	Rn	87	
87	Fr	88	Ra	89	Ac	104	Rf	105	Db	106	Sg	107	Bh	108	Hs	109	Mt	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129

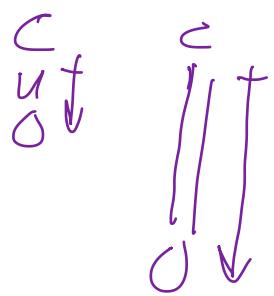
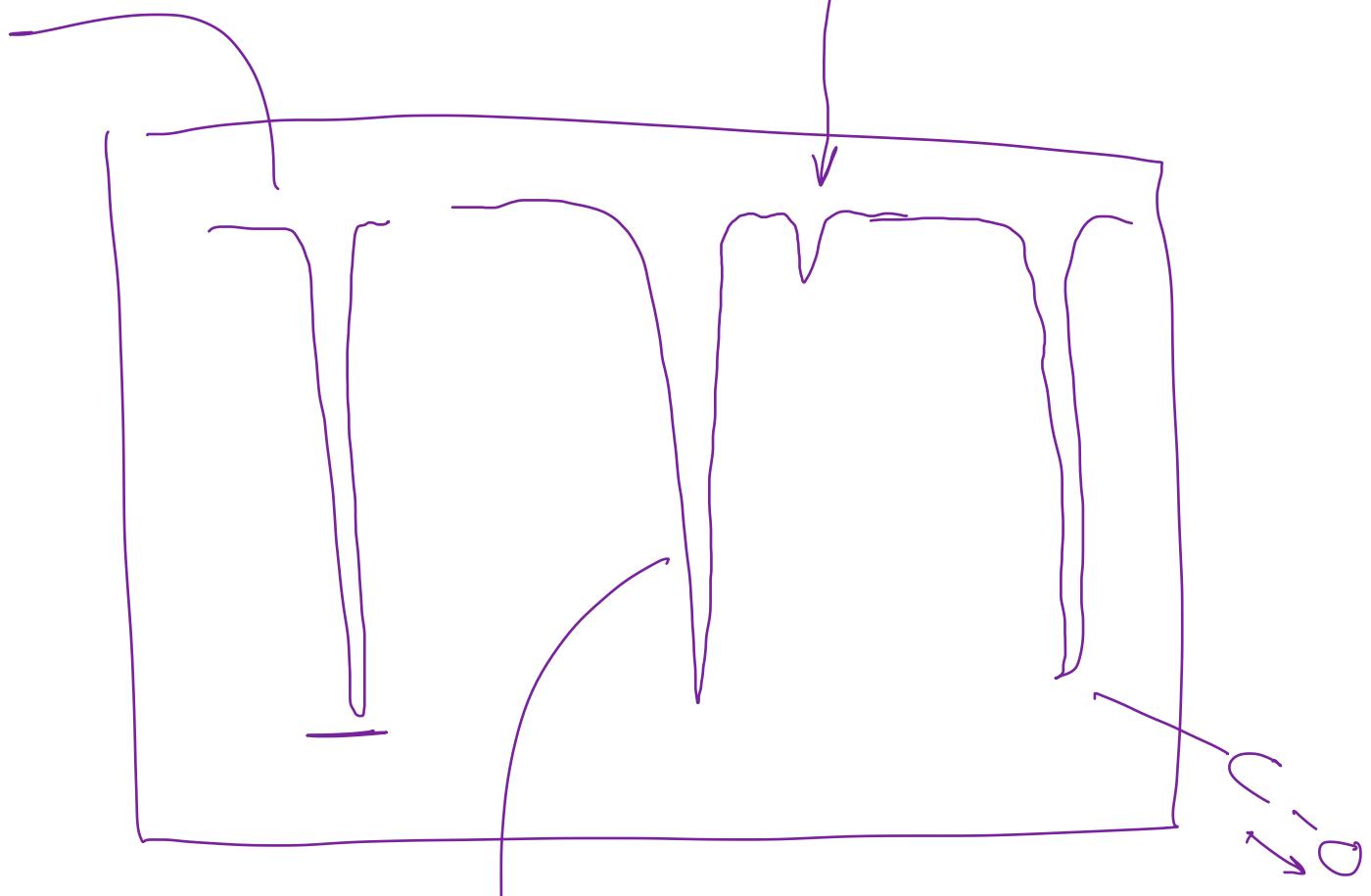
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90	Th	91	Pa	92	U	93	Np	94	Pu	95	Am	96	Cm	97	Bk	98	Cf	99	Es	100	Fm	101	Md	102	No	103	Lr

2	He	4.0026									
5	B	6	C	7	N	8	O	9	F	10	Ne
10	10.811	12.011	11	14.007	12	15.999	13	18.998	14	20.1797	15
13	Al	14	Si	15	P	16	S	17	Cl	18	Ar
26	26.981	28.086	27	30.974	28	32.065	29	35.453	31	39.948	32

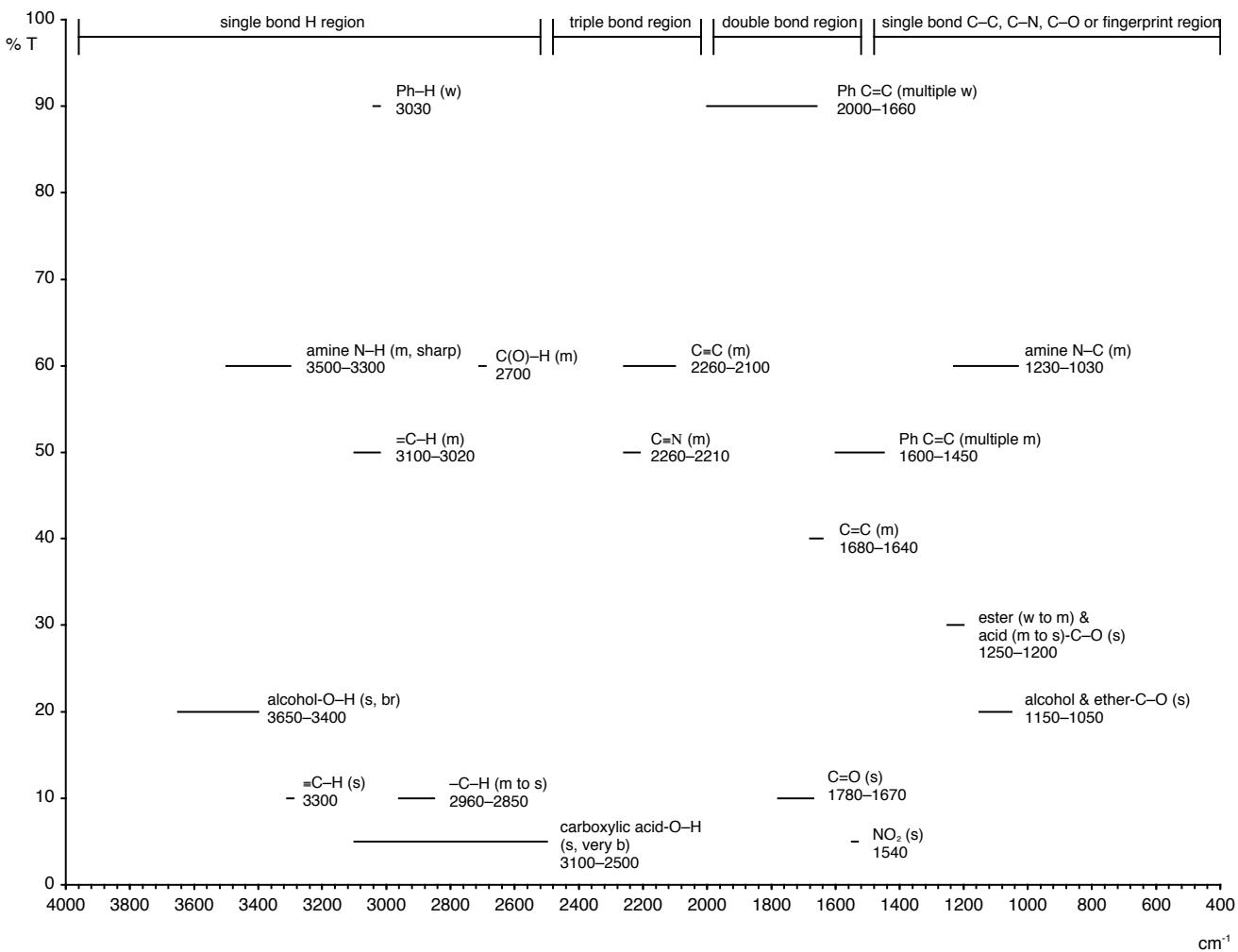
$C-H$

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$C=C$



large change in
dipole

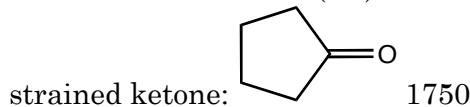


Additional information for analyzing C=O stretches:

amide: R(C=O)NH₂ < 1700

acid: 1710 usually broad for a C=O

unstrained ketone: RC(=O)R 1715, resonance stabilized ketone R=CHC(=O)R 1690



aldehyde: RC(=O)H 1730, resonance stabilized aldehyde R=CHC(=O)H 1705

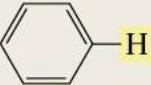
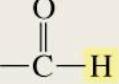
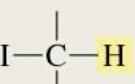
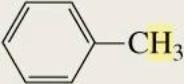
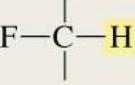
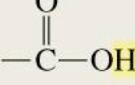
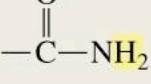
ester: RC(=O)OR 1735, resonance stabilized ester R=CHC(=O)OR 1715.

Additional information for analyzing C—H stretches:

If sp^3 C—H stretch at < 3000 cm^{-1} then look around 1400, sp^3 C—H bend is at 1430 and if peak at 1380 also present then sp^3 C—H is CH₃.

If sp^2 C—H stretch at > 3000 cm^{-1} , and not benzene gives rise to bending vibrations from 1000–600.

Table 14.1 Approximate Values of Chemical Shifts for ^1H NMR^a

Type of proton	Approximate chemical shift (ppm)	Type of proton	Approximate chemical shift (ppm)
$(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{Si}$	0		6.5–8
$-\text{CH}_3$	0.9		
$-\text{CH}_2-$	1.3		9.0–10
$-\overset{ }{\text{CH}}-$	1.4		2.5–4
$\begin{array}{c} \\ -\text{C}=\text{C}-\text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \end{array}$	1.7		
$-\overset{\text{O}}{\parallel}\text{C}-\text{CH}_3$	2.1		2.5–4
	2.3		3–4
$-\text{C}\equiv\text{C}-\text{H}$	2.4		4–4.5
$\text{R}-\text{O}-\text{CH}_3$	3.3	RNH_2	Variable, 1.5–4
$\begin{array}{c} \\ \text{R}-\text{C}=\text{CH}_2 \end{array}$	4.7	ROH	Variable, 2–5
$\begin{array}{c} \\ \text{R}-\text{C}=\text{C}-\text{H} \\ \\ \text{R} \end{array}$	5.3	ArOH	Variable, 4–7
			Variable, 10–12
			Variable, 5–8

^aThe values are approximate because they are affected by neighboring substituents.