



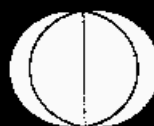
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VIBRATIONAL INVESTIGATION AND THERMAL DECOMPOSITION KINETICS
OF N,N-DIETHYL-N'-BENZOYLTHIOUREA AND ITS
Pt(II), Pd(II) and Cd(II) COMPLEXES

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FTIR and RAMAN spectra of the ligand N,N-Diethyl-N'-Benzoylthiourea (DEBTU) and its Pt(II), Pd(II) and Cd(II) complexes in the form of ML₂ type (M: Pt, Pd, Cd, L: DEBTU) are obtained and their theoretical vibrational spectra are calculated. Unknown bands in the experimental vibrational spectra are assigned through simulation method. Thermal behaviours and thermal decomposition kinetics of the ligand and of its metal chelates are investigated.

The geometry (bond length, bond angle)¹ and force constants are used as input data for the calculation of frequencies; atomic radii, electronegativities are used as input data for the calculation of IR and Raman activities. Normal coordinate analysis are performed through point group symmetry of the compounds. The compounds are assumed to be isolated molecules for simplicity in calculations. The program package SPSIM (Spectrum SIMulation)² based on Wilson's GF matrix method³ are used and valance force field type of force constants are employed for the calculations of frequencies.

The experimental and the calculated vibrational spectra are compared. The shifted frequencies in the calculated spectra are fitted by iteration technique to obtain new force fields for the compounds. By the aid of experimental spectra all the unknown bands in the calculated spectra are assigned and the validity of the results are discussed in comparison to the related literature.

Horowitz-Metzger⁴ and Coats-Redfern⁵ kinetic methods are used in the DTA/TG/DTG studies of complexes to calculate kinetic parameters (activation energy E^{\ddagger} , entropy ΔS^{\ddagger} , reaction order n , pre-exponential factor A) of the pyrolysis reactions. It was observed that the decompositions occurred in two stages and the % mass losses found experimentally and theoretically were in good agreement.

The reaction order for ligand is found to be unity for complexes at each stages are near to unity again. The first decomposition temperatures and the activation energies of the pyrolysis reactions are correlated to the radii of the metal ions of the complexes

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