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## STUDY OF THE INFLUENCE OF SUBSTITUTED BROMINE ATOMS IN THE MOLECULAR STRUCTURE ON THE RAMAN SPECTRA OF THE MOLECULE

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**Introduction.** Many studies have been conducted on aromatic substances with benzene as their molecular structure, unique physical properties, and wide industrial applications [1,2]. In this work [3], 1,2-dibromobenzene was studied by FT-IR and FT-Raman methods and vibrational analysis was performed. It was found that the wave numbers of C-C bond vibrations were shifted away from the expected range due to the presence of C-Br and C-Cl bonds [4]. Dibromobenzenes (1,2-, 1,3-, 1,4- $C_6H_4Br_2$ ) were studied using density functional theory (DFT) and second-order Mueller-Plesset theory (MP2), and the dipole moment and molecular orbital boundaries were determined. It was assumed that the electronegativity of bromine atoms in 1,4- $C_6H_4Br_2$  is more negative than in 1,2- and 1,3- $C_6H_4Br_2$  [5]. Despite the large amount of experimental data on the regularities of various physical properties of benzenes with the addition of halide elements, there is currently no consensus on the processes occurring in these liquids at the molecular level. This situation indicates the need for a more extensive study of these objects. This research work is also a logical continuation of work in this direction.

**Object and methodology of the study.** The objects of the study were purposefully selected bromobenzene- $C_6H_5Br$  and o-dibromobenzene- $C_6H_4Br_2$  molecules, which are intended to study the contribution of atoms of the halogen group substituted in the benzene ring to the Raman spectrum and the regularities of relaxation processes.

The objects of the study were purchased from the American company "Sigma-Aldrich". The purity of the object of the study is of great importance when recording the Raman spectrum. It is necessary that it is completely free from the influence of foreign particles. Their purity is 99.5% and they were used to record the spectra without additional purification. The chemical structure of the bromobenzene and o-dibromobenzene molecules is presented in fig.1.

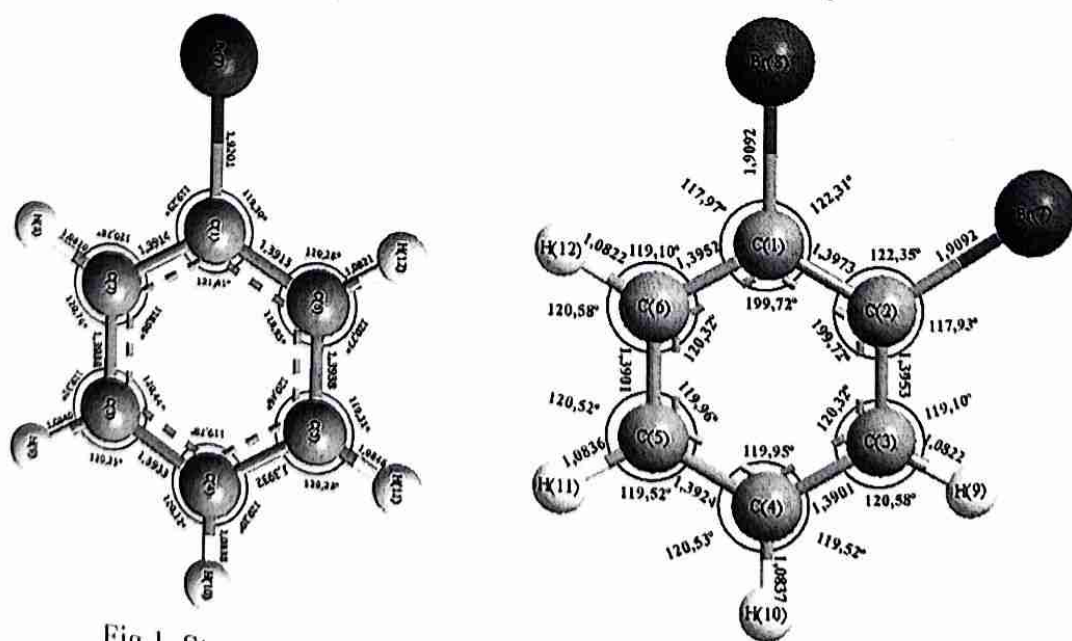


Fig.1. Structure model of bromobenzene and o-dibromobenzene molecules

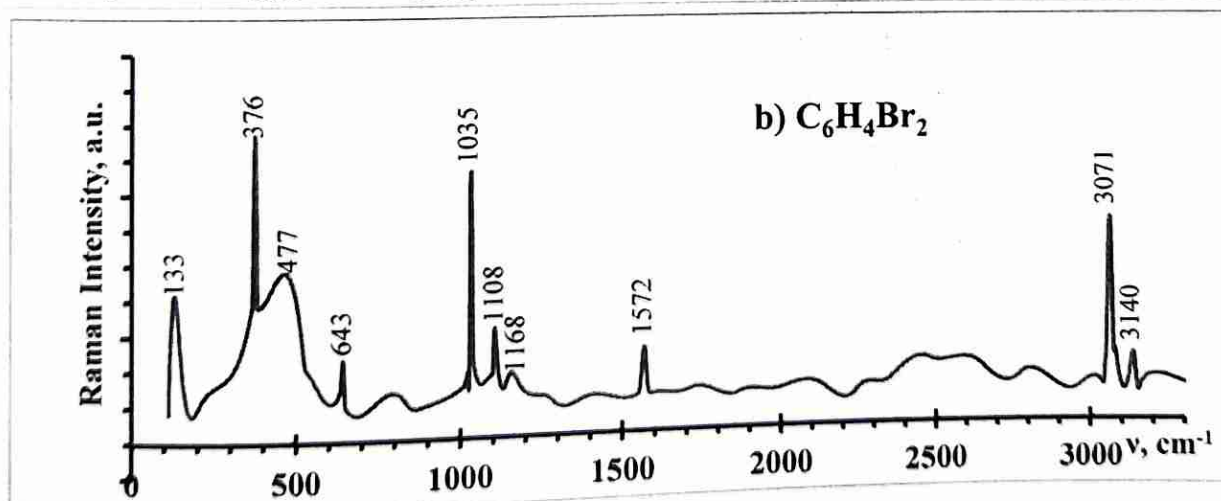
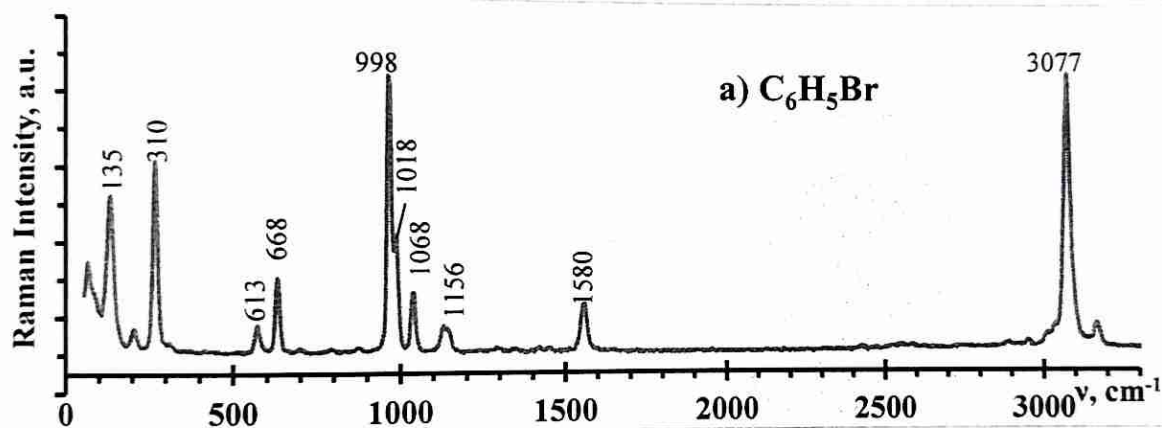
The Raman scattering spectrum of light was recorded on a spectrometer based on the Renishaw InVia Raman spectrometer. Laser radiation with wavelengths of 532 nm and 785 nm was used as a light source.

To determine the theoretical values of the optimal geometric parameters and normal vibration frequencies of the molecules, quantum-chemical calculations were performed using the ORCA program using the density functional theory (DFT) method and the (B3LYP) HF/6-311G\*\* basis set.

### Results and discussion.

Raman spectra were recorded for the research objects using laser radiation in the visible ( $\lambda=532\text{nm}$ ) and near-infrared ( $\lambda=785\text{nm}$ ) regions, the frequency distribution of the spectrum is shown in fig.2. According to the analysis of the images, the Raman spectrum of o-dibromobenzene was affected by the fluorescence effect, while the Raman spectrum of bromobenzene was not affected by the fluorescence effect.

The background of the fluorescence effect in the Raman spectrum of the o-dirombenzene molecule when excited by short-wavelength light can be explained by the fact that the difference between the molecular orbitals decreases as a result of the substitution of a pair of Br atoms in the halide group instead of two H atoms in the molecular structure. In this article, the spectrum obtained with a laser with a wavelength of 785 nm (fig.2c) was used for analysis.



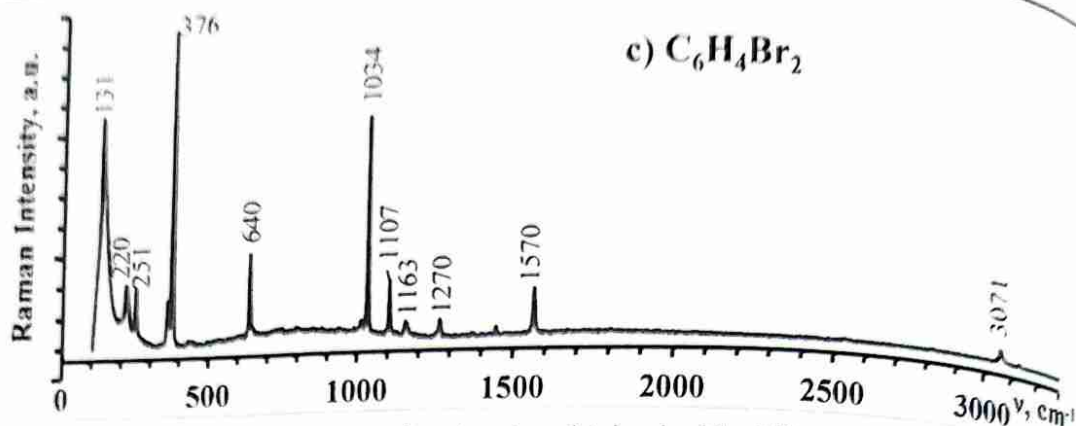


Fig.2. Raman spectra of molecules obtained with different lasers:  
a)532 nm; b)532 nm; c)785 nm

The spectral bands in the lower frequency range of the Raman spectrum appear as a result of deformation vibrations of the molecule and rotational vibrational motions of one part of the molecule relative to another. The experimental results obtained for the *o*-dibromobenzene molecule show that the intensity of the spectral band corresponding to the frequency of  $376\text{ cm}^{-1}$  is much greater than that of the other spectral bands, and we consider the appearance of the spectrum to be associated with the laws of rotational vibrational motion associated with the C-Br bond. In the Raman spectrum of bromobenzene, the spectral band corresponding to the rotational vibrational motions of the molecule corresponds to the value of  $310\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

Of course, in order to come to a scientific conclusion that the appearance of the spectrum in the low frequency range is related to the rotational-vibrational motion of the molecule, we need to compare the values of the frequency determined through theoretical calculations with the values found in experiments.

An empirical method can be used to calculate the theoretical value of the optical spectrum frequency resulting from the rotational vibrational motion of the *o*-dibromobenzene molecule [6]. Based on this approach, theoretical values of the potential depth and frequency for bromobenzene, dioxane, and pyridine molecules have been determined [7,8].

The potential depth "U" of the *o*-dibromobenzene molecule is considered to be proportional to the difference in the escape energy of the molecules in rotational motion. Based on this approach, the potential depth value "U" found by theoretical calculations for the *o*-dibromobenzene molecule is "U"=4037 cal/mol, and the experimental value of the frequency is  $\nu_{\text{exp.}} = 376\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , and the value found by theoretical calculations is  $\nu_{\text{th.}} = 375\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The experimental and theoretical values of the frequency are almost equal, the difference does not exceed  $1\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . This suggests that the formation of the spectral band corresponding to the low frequency is due to the rotational-vibrational motion of the *o*-dibromobenzene molecule.

Since the laws of molecular motion are related to the arrangement of atoms, quantum chemical calculations have determined the arrangement of atoms in the aniline molecule, as well as the bond lengths and angles between them (fig.1). This information is of practical importance and may be useful in the synthesis of promising chemical substances.

When comparing the Raman spectra of the studied objects with the Raman spectrum of benzene given in the scientific literature, the formation of additional spectral bands and frequency shifts of the spectral bands were observed. For example, in the high-frequency region, the spectral band with a frequency of  $3077\text{ cm}^{-1}$  associated with the symmetric valence vibrations of the C-H bond atoms of

bromobenzene underwent a blue shift of  $15 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . We assume that this shift is due to the hyperconjugation interaction of the monosubstituted heavy Br atom with the aromatic ring. The small difference in the blue shift of the spectral band associated with the symmetric valence vibrations of the C-H bond atoms in the Raman spectrum of o-dibromobenzene means that the above conclusion is valid only for mono-substitutions.

**Conclusions.** For the first time, the laws of mono- and di-substitution in the molecular structure were studied using the Raman spectrum in a wide spectral range ( $100\div 3500 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ), which reflects the laws of motion of bromobenzene and o-dibromobenzene molecules. Based on the experimental results and theoretical calculations, it was suggested that the high-intensity spectral band formed at low frequencies is associated with the rotational-vibrational motion of the molecule. It was found that the frequency shift of the spectral band associated with the C-H valence vibrations in the Raman spectrum of the molecule depends on the masses of the atoms in the substituted halide group, and this connection is relevant for mono-substitutions.

It was suggested that the mechanisms of formation of experimentally observed Raman spectra, including the regularities of rotational-vibrational, deformational, and valence vibrational motions, are related to the short- and long-range ordering of molecules that occurs as a result of intermolecular interactions in liquids.

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