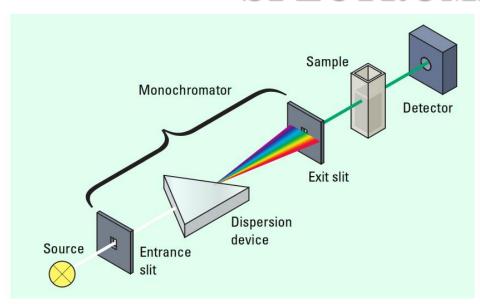
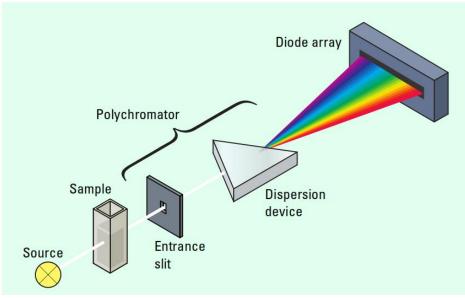
## SPECTROMETER DESIGN





#### **Conventional Spectrometer**

Polychromatic source of light falls on an entrance slit which transmits a narrow band of light.

The light then pass through the sample to a detector.

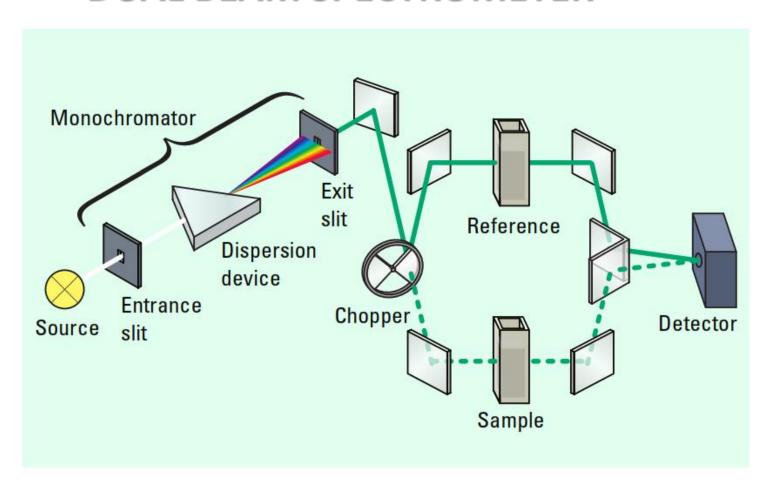
The detector measures the absorbance of the sample by comparing the light that reaches the detector from the sample and the blank (only solvent)

#### **Diode array Spectrometer**

Polychromatic source of light falls on a the sample, the transmitted radiation pass through an entrance slit of the dispersion device.

The detector measures the absorbance of the sample by comparing the light that reaches the detector from the sample and the blank (only solvent)

## **DUAL BEAM SPECTROMETER**



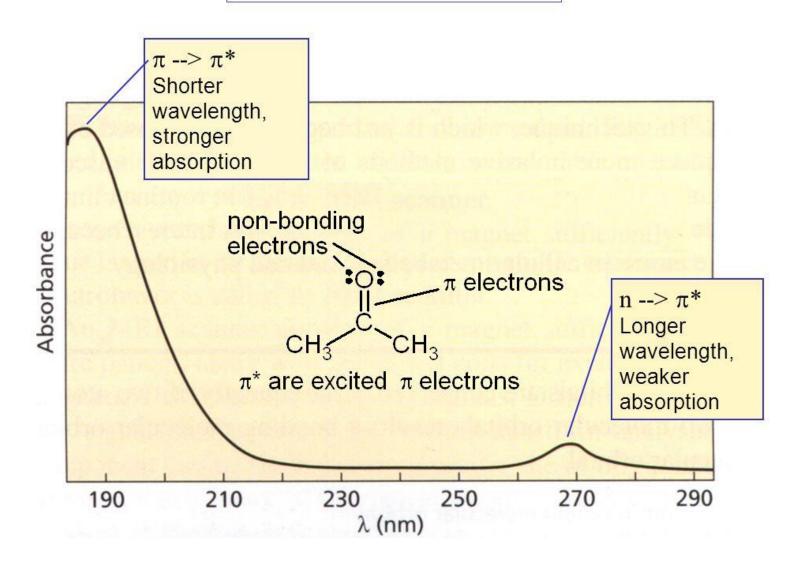
## Principle of UV-Visible spectroscopy

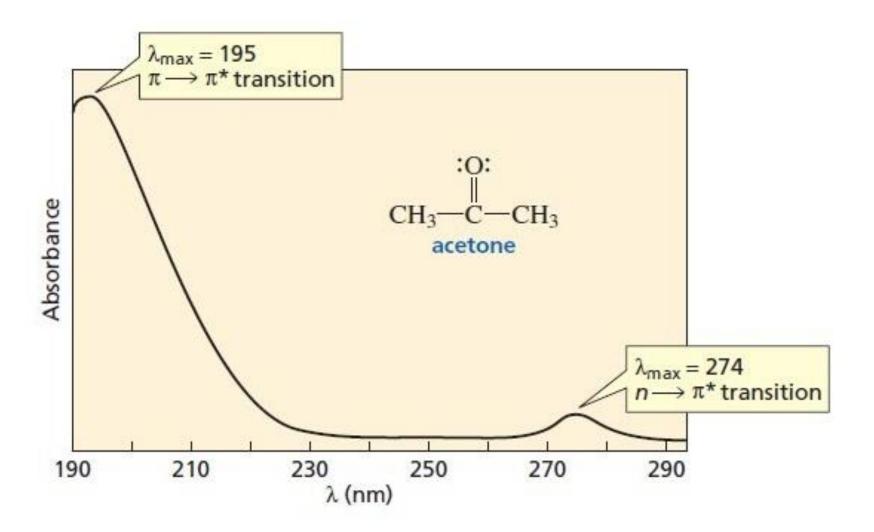
#### Beer-Lambert's law

### $A = \varepsilon c I$

- A = Absorbance of the sample = log<sub>10</sub>(I<sub>o</sub>/I)
- I = Intensity of the radiation emerging from the sample
- I<sub>o</sub> = Intensity of the radiation incident on the sample
- $\varepsilon$  = extinction coefficient or molar absorptivity in M<sup>-1</sup>cm<sup>-1</sup>
- c = concentration of the sample in moles/litr
- *l* = length of the light path through the sample in cm

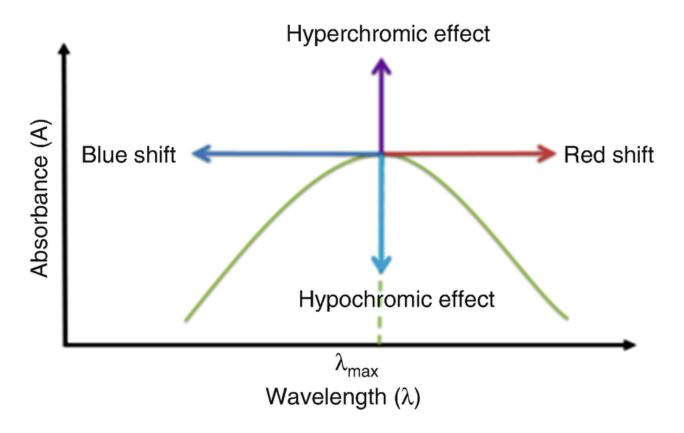
### **UV/Vis of Acetone**





## **Terminology**

- **Chromophore:** The group of atoms producing an absorption is called a '**Chromophore**'. Eg. C=O, C=C etc.
- **Auxochrome**: Groups that helps in extending the conjugation by means of the lone pairs present. Eg. NH<sub>2</sub>, OH, OR, Cl, Br etc.
- Hypsochromic shift: When the  $\lambda_{max}$  of an absorption shift to shorter wavelength
- Bathochromic shift: When the  $\lambda_{max}$  of an absorption shift to longer wavelength.
- Hyperchromic shift: When the absorbance intensity of  $\lambda_{max}$  shift to higher values
- Hypochromic shift: When the absorbance intensity of  $\lambda_{max}$  shift to lower values



| Descriptive term                | Nature of the shift        |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Bathochromic shift (Red shift)  | Towards longer wavelength  |
| Hypsochromic shift (Blue shift) | Towards shorter wavelength |
| Hyperchromic effect             | Towards higher absorbance  |
| Hypochromic effect              | Towards lower absorbance   |

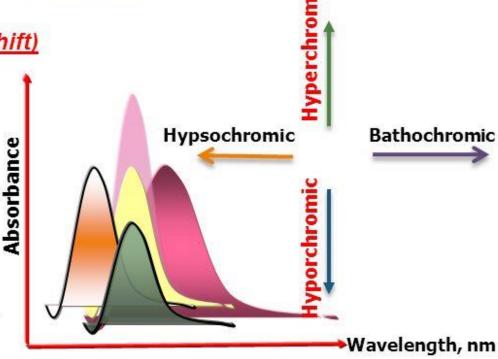
# Shifting of Amax

#### 1- Bathochromic shift (or red shift)

It is the shift of λmax to a longer wavelength due to substitution with certain functional groups (e.g. –OH and –NH<sub>2</sub>) and conjugation

#### 2- Hypsochromic shift (or blue shift)

It is the shift of λmax to a shorter wavelength due to removal of conjugation



#### 3- Hyperchromic effect (or shift)

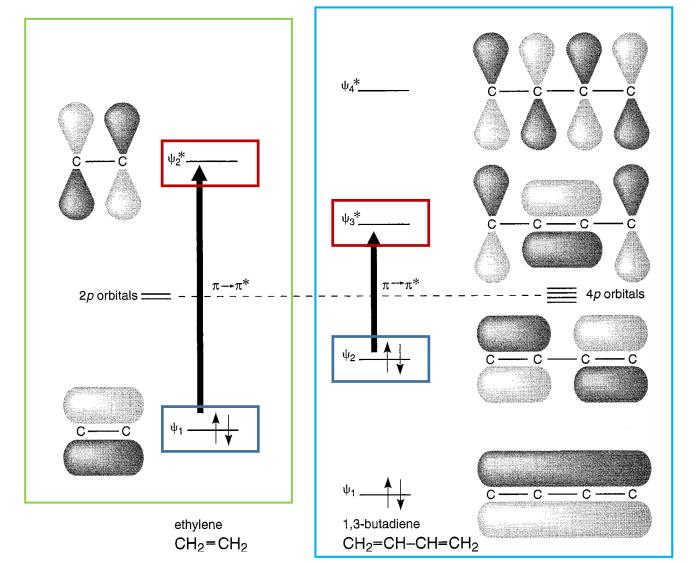
This effect involves an increase in the intensity of absorption. It is usually brought about by introduction of an auxochrome.

#### 4- Hypochromic effect (or shift)

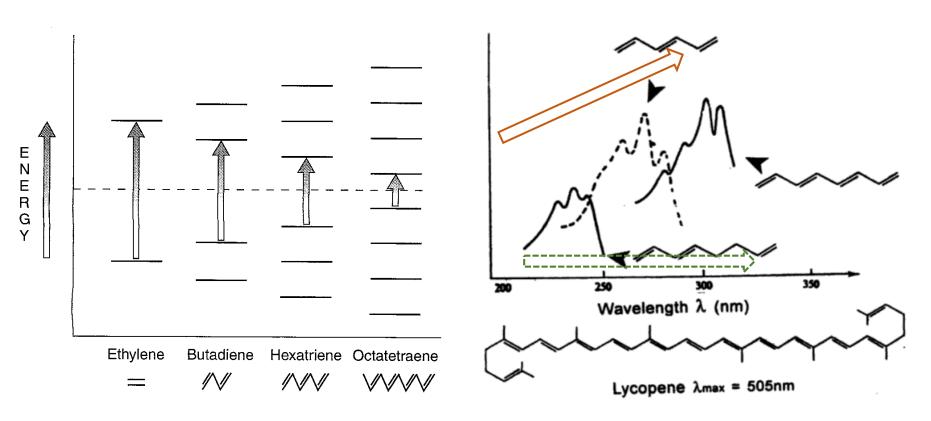
It involves a decrease in the intensity of absorption

Q. Why wavelength of absorption shift to longer wavelength with increase in conjugation?

## Effect of conjugation

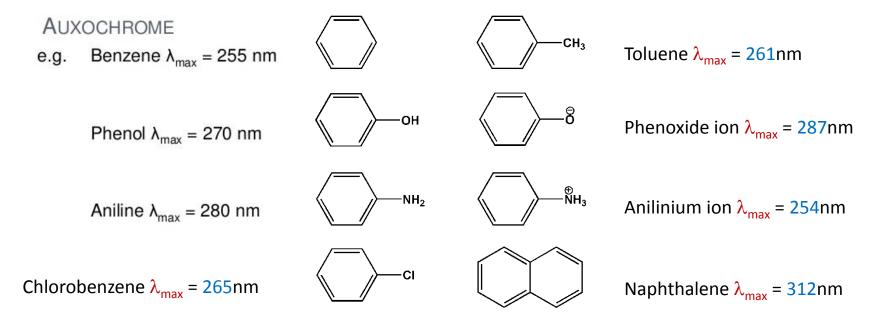


### Effect of conjugation



- ✓ Wavelength of absorption shift to longer wavelength with increase in conjugation.
- ✓ Molar absorptivity (ε) increase with increase in conjugation
- ✓ As the number of conjugated double bonds in polyene increases from 2 − 6, the ε increases from 21,000 M<sup>-1</sup> cm<sup>-1</sup> to 138,000 M<sup>-1</sup> cm<sup>-1</sup>

#### Effect of substituents



- The substituents with lone pair of electrons may undergo conjugation with  $\pi$ -electrons of the phenyl ring causing 'Bathochromic shift'
- Blocking of the non-bonding pair of electrons by protonation cause 'Hypsochromic shift'

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Conjugated systems

### Conjugation in 'enones'

Conjugation of C=O with C-C  $\pi$  bonds results in absorbance at higher wavelengths

Individually, C-C pi bonds and C-O pi bonds each group absorb at < 200 nm ( $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ )



$$YY^{\circ}$$

absorption  $\lambda_{max}$  < 200 nm

absorption 
$$\lambda_{max}$$
 < 200 nm (C=O  $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ )

270 nm (C=O  $n \rightarrow \pi^*$ )

(weak)

When combined in conjugation, absorbance moves to longer wavelengths (228 nm for mesityl oxide, below)

Mesityl oxide absorption 
$$\lambda_{\max}$$
 228 nm  $(\pi \rightarrow \pi^*)$ 

Similar to butadiene

absorption 
$$\lambda_{max}$$
 217 nm

### Term Symbol

- o Spectroscopic states of Ti<sup>3+</sup>, V<sup>4+</sup>
- $\circ$  Electronic configuration in ground state =  $d^1$ ; 1 u.e.
- O Spin of the metal ion due to unpaired electron (S) =  $\frac{1}{2}$
- O Multiplicity of Ground state =  $2S+1 = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} + 1 = 2$  (doublet)
- Electronic ground state <sup>2S+1</sup>L
- o  $m_l = 2$ , Therefore L = 2 = D [L =  $l_1 + l_2 + l_3 = l_n$ , L =0 is S, L =1 is P, L = 2 is D, L = 3 is F]
- Spectroscopic ground state term symbol of  $Ti^{3+} = {}^{2}D$

### Term Symbol

- o Spectroscopic states of V<sup>3+</sup>, Cr<sup>4+</sup>
- Electronic configuration in ground state =  $d^2$ ; 2 u.e.
- $\circ$  Spin of the metal ion due to unpaired electron (S) = 1
- O Multiplicity of Ground state =  $2S+1 = 2 \times 1 + 1 = 3$  (triplet)
- Electronic ground state <sup>2S+1</sup>L
- o  $m_l = +2, +1$ , Therefore L = 2 +1 = 3 =F [L =  $l_1 + l_2 + l_3 + l_n$ , L = 0 is S, L =1 is P, L = 2 is D]
- Spectroscopic ground state term symbol of  $V^{3+} = {}^{3}F$

### Term Symbol

- o Spectroscopic states of  $V^{2+}$ ,  $Cr^{3+}$
- Electronic configuration in ground state =  $d^3$ ; 3 u.e.
- O Spin of the metal ion due to unpaired electron (S) = 3/2
- Multiplicity of Ground state =  $2S+1 = 2 \times 3/2 + 1 = 4$  (quartet)
- Electronic ground state <sup>2S+1</sup>L (Term symbol of spectroscopic state)
- o  $m_l = +2, +1, 0$ . Therefore,  $L = 2 + 1 + 0 = 3 = F[L = l_1 + l_2 + l_3 + l_n, L = 0 \text{ is S}, L = 1 \text{ is P}, L = 2 \text{ is D}]$
- Spectroscopic ground state term symbol of  $V^{2+} = {}^{4}F$