

use large metal atom clusters which give a realistic treatment of molecular chemisorption.<sup>3(b),7,8</sup>

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## ERRATA

### Erratum: Observation of the lowest triplet transitions ${}^3\Sigma_g^+ - {}^3\Sigma_u^+$ in $\text{Na}_2$ and $\text{K}_2$ [*J. Chem. Phys.* **80**, 4794 (1984)]

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The factor  $3hc$  was inadvertently deleted from the denominator of the right-hand side of Eq. (1). The correct expression is

$$k_\nu(T) = \frac{4\pi^4 \nu D^2 g^* n^2 [R(\nu)]^2}{3hc |d\nu/dR|} e^{-\nu/kT}. \quad (1)$$

The calculations described in the paper were carried out using this correct expression so that the results shown in the figures are valid.

### Erratum: The NMR isotope shift in polyatomic molecules. Estimation of the dynamic factors [*J. Chem. Phys.* **81**, 4300 (1984)]

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In Table I the first line should read  ${}^2\text{H HD}^{2/1}\text{H}$  0.0469 0.2814 - 0.2814. In Table II the first line should read  ${}^2\text{H HD}^{2/1}\text{H}$  0.0469 0.7413 21.37 - 11.5 and for  ${}^{19}\text{F}$  in HF the theoretical derivative should read - 441 (Ditchfield's value)<sup>1</sup> instead of - 411 (Stevens and Lipscomb's value).<sup>2</sup> The error arose in attributing the - 0.0469 ppm isotope shift to  ${}^1\text{H}$  in the  $\text{H}_2$ -HD system rather than to  ${}^2\text{H}$  in the HD- $\text{D}_2$  system. With the above correction, our estimate of  $(2\sigma^{\text{D}}/\partial\Delta r_{\text{HD}})_e = -11.5 \text{ ppm } \text{\AA}^{-1}$  comes closer to the more accurate value calculated by Raynes and Panteli (- 12.5 ppm  $\text{\AA}^{-1}$ )<sup>3</sup> which included the term in the second derivative  $(\partial^2\sigma/\partial\Delta r^2)_e$  in the interpretation of the isotope shift measured by Beckett and Carr.<sup>4</sup> It is worth noting that if we use  $(\partial\sigma^{\text{D}}/\partial\Delta r_{\text{HD}})_e = -11.5 \text{ ppm} = (\partial\sigma^{\text{H}}/\partial\Delta r_{\text{HH}})_e$  to calculate the  ${}^1\text{H}$  isotope shift in the  $\text{H}_2$ -HD system using

$(\partial\sigma^{\text{H}}/\partial\Delta r_{\text{HH}})_e [\langle r_{\text{HH}} \rangle - \langle r_{\text{HD}} \rangle]$ , we get - 0.038 ppm which is completely consistent with the value - 0.036  $\pm$  0.002 ppm reported by Evans<sup>5</sup> for  $\text{H}_2$  and HD dissolved in organic solvents. The difference between Beckett and Carr's - 0.0469  $\pm$  0.0005 ppm and the earlier value of - 0.036  $\pm$  0.002 ppm is not due to the lower accuracy of the latter experiment, or the intermolecular effects of the organic solvent. It is a real difference which is to be expected from the different dynamic factors involved in the two sets of isotopomers.

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