

## Aldehydes C=O stretch • Aliphatic aldehydes: C=O stretch at 1740-1720 cm<sup>-1</sup> Electron withdrawing groups shift to higher frequency Conjugative groups shift to lower frequency (1710-1685 cm<sup>-1</sup>) H<sub>2</sub>C Cl<sub>2</sub>C 1678 cm<sup>-1</sup> 1666 cm 1703 cm<sup>-1</sup> 1730 cm<sup>-1</sup> 1768 cm C-H stretch 2830–2695 $\rm cm^{-1}~Often,$ two bands are observed (the other is a result of an overtone of the C-H bend of the aldehvde) M Ń ģ 795 cm ΪŴ W å 11 ð Ŵ Alkynes

- —C=C stretch: weak absorption at 2260-2100 cm<sup>-1</sup>
- not observed for symmetrical alkynes (v. weak for 'pseudo'
- not observed for symmetric and any restriction and the symmetric alkynes terminal alkynes (R-C<sup>−</sup>C-H) absorptions are stronger than internal (R-C<sup>−</sup>C-R) absorptions
- C=C-H stretch:
- 3333–3267 cm<sup>-1</sup> strong, narrow (as compared to OH or NH)

- C=C-H bend: 700-610 cm<sup>-1</sup>: broad, strong absorption 1400-1220 cm<sup>-1</sup>, overtone of above

TABLE 7.5 Rules of Diene Absorption*		
Base value for homoannular diene	253	
Increments for		
Double bond extending conjugation	+ 30	
Alkyl substituent or ring residue	+5	
Exocyclic double bond	+5	
Polar groupings: OAc	+0	
OAlk	+6	
SAlk	+ 30	
Cl, Br	+5	
N(Alk) <sub>2</sub>	+ 60	
Solvent correction <sup>b</sup>	+0	
	$\lambda_{calc} = Tota$	

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Base (homoannular)	253
C=C (1 X 30)	+30
OR (1 x 6)	+6
Alkyl (3 X 5)	+15
Hal (1 x 5)	+5
Exocyclic	+5
$\lambda_{\max}(calc) =$	314

TABLE 7.5		
Rules of Diene Absorption		
Base value for heteroannular diene	214	
Base value for homoannular diene	253	
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Alkyl substituent or ring residue	+5	
Exocyclic double bond	+5	
Polar groupings: OAc	+0	
OAlk	+6	
SAlk	+ 30	
Cl, Br	+5	
N(Alk) <sub>2</sub>	+ 60	
Solvent correction <sup>b</sup>	+0	

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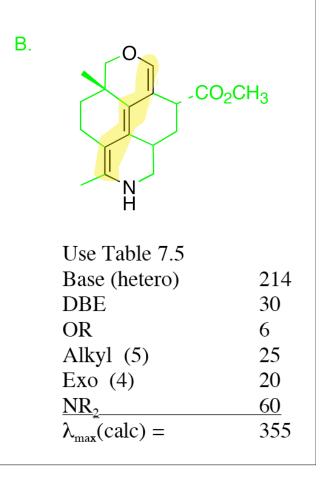


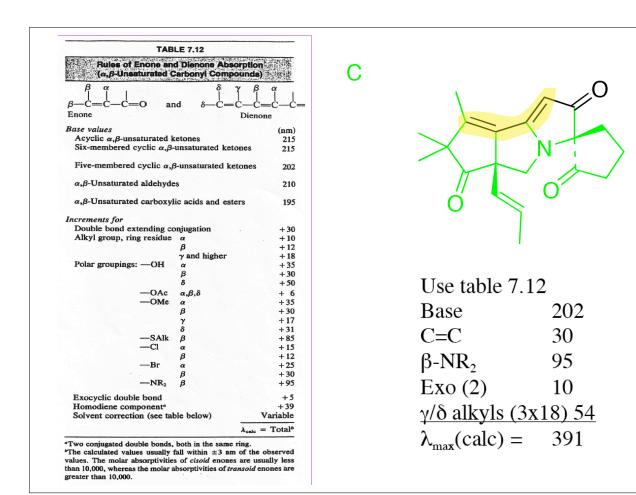
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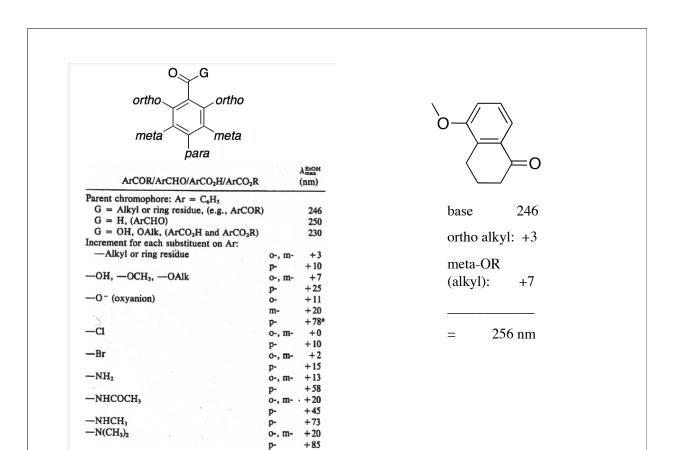
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Table 7.5 Base (hetero) C=C Alkyl (2) OR NR <sub>2</sub> Exo's	253 30 10 6 60 <u>5</u> 264
$\lambda_{\max}(\text{calc}) =$	364

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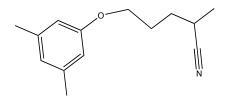


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ArCOR/ArCHO/ArCO <sub>2</sub> H/ArCO <sub>2</sub> R		(nm)
Parent chromophore: $Ar = C_6 H_5$		
G = Alkyl  or ring residue, (e.g., ArCOR)		246
G = H, (ArCHO)		250
$G = OH, OAlk, (ArCO_2H and ArCO_2R)$		230
Increment for each substituent on Ar:		
-Alkyl or ring residue	o-, m-	+3
	p-	+10
$-OH, -OCH_3, -OAlk$	o-, m-	+7
	p-	+25
-O <sup>-</sup> (oxyanion)	0-	+11
	m-	+20
`> · · · ·	p-	+78
CI	o-, m-	+0
	p-	+10
-Br	o-, m-	+2
	p-	+15
-NH <sub>2</sub>	o-, m-	+13
	p-	+ 58
-NHCOCH3	o-, m-	
	p-	+45
-NHCH3	p-	+73
$-N(CH_3)_2$	o-, m-	
	p-	+85

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Table 7.21	
Base (ArCO2R)	230
o-OR	7
<i>o</i> -alk	3
<i>m</i> -NR2	20
<i>p</i> -Alkyl	10
<u>m-alkyl</u>	
$\overline{\lambda_{\text{max}}(\text{calc})} =$	270



2. The key to solving this structure is first identifying the symmetric trisubstituted benzene ring from the C13 and the H1-NMR. The nitrile is more subtle, but (with the hint) and the IR it becomes clear that the Nitrogen and the remaining two IHD's are a nitrile.



OH

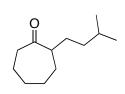
4. The key is to identify the long chain ethyl ester (it is clearly ethyl by H-NMR and MS).The position of the alcohol is indicated by the alpha cleavage products in the MS: 243 and 143.

constants.

5. This cyclic ketone must be seven-membered or greater based on the IR absorbance at 1705. H-NMR shows that there are only three alpha protons (2.26-2.20 m, 3H) indicating that the substitution must be alpha to the carbonyl. The MS fragmentation for the McLafferty product (111) indicates loss of the isopentyl side-chain making it a seven membered-ring not larger.

3. UV indicates a conjugated double bond. IR confirms that the ketone is not

conjugated. The substitution pattern of the diene is implied by the coupling



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