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Lecture 44
Rotation vibration coupling (Complex model)

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P-Branches | Q-Branches
 $v = 0 \rightarrow 1$ transition
 for gaseous HCl
 HCl spectrum indicates that
 spacing betn consecutive
 spectral lines in P-branches
 drops as $\tilde{\nu} \rightarrow \omega_e$

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Similarly with an Q-branch
 this spacing rises as $\tilde{\nu} \rightarrow \omega_e$
 Simplex model cannot
 reproduce actual positions
 for various transitions in
 the ro-vib. spectrum of HCl.

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Rotation and vibration

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- 2.) rotation leads to stretching \rightarrow rigid rotor approximation is not good.
- 3.) enhanced vibration expands bond length

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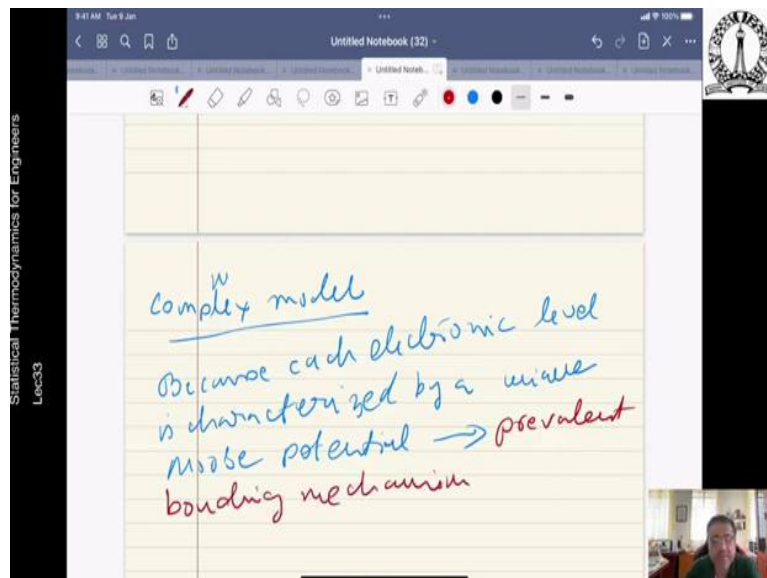
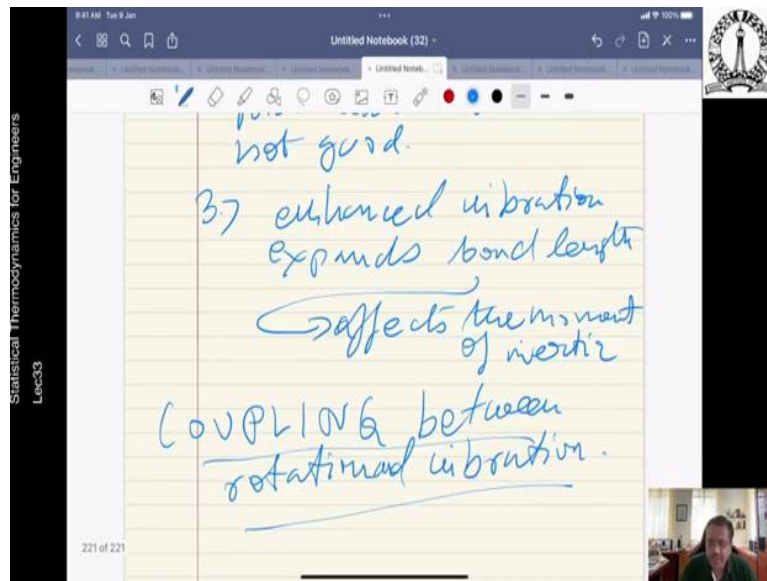
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Welcome to lecture number 33, so this time as we say that the Simplex model is useful but it cannot really predict the difference in the line spacing in the spectrum as we saw in this particular diagram you see in this particular diagram we see that the spacing between the consecutive spectral lines in the P Branch for example field match actually drops as V approaches the w_e .

So, in this particular exercise we also said that similarly with the R approach is spacing rises. So, the Simplex model cannot actually reproduce the actual positions other various transitions, so we need a complex model for the same and remember that the actual potential was given by the Morse potential.

Now, the Morse potential is actually something that is very complicated to begin with, so we need it we use the harmonic oscillator but the harmonic oscillator only does a very good job in the lower part where you see the blue part of the of the line. So, the harmonic oscillator only works for lower vibrational energy levels.

The rotation actually leads to stretching, so the rigid rotor assumption is not good and enhanced vibration also expands the bond length and it affects the moment of inertia. So, therefore there happens a coupling between the rotational and the vibrational energy modes. So, as a result of that we need a more complex model to describe the Ro-vibrational and the vibrational transitions which we are going to do in this particular lecture.

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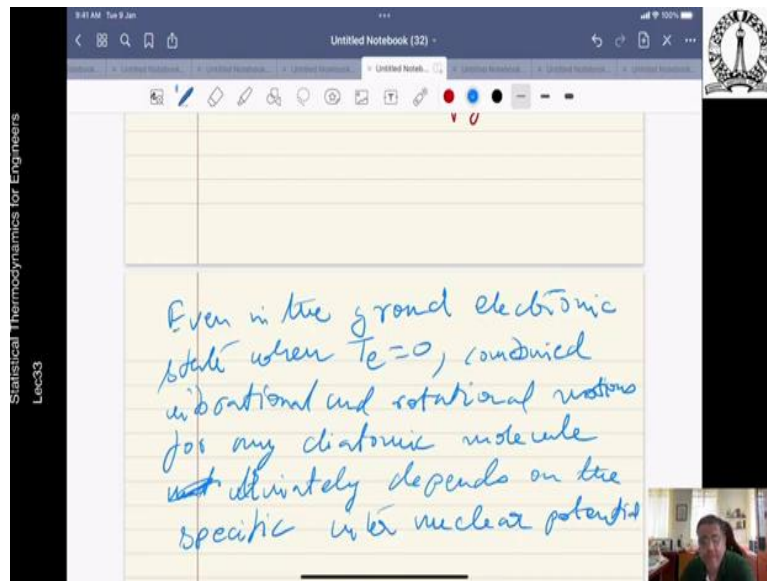
Because is characterized by a Morse potential \rightarrow prevalent bonding mechanism

$$E_{int} = T_e + G(v) + F_0(J) + e$$

energy for a given electronic state
 identifies a dependence of vibrational and rotational.

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 indicates that rotational mode is influenced by the vibrational energy mode.

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So, let us look at now the that what are the differences in the complex model, to the complex model is what we are going to do next. So, the complex model that the we already said why it is not why the complex model is not really is required because the Simplex model does a very bad job in certain cases. So, because each electronic level is characterized by unique course potential which basically represents prevalent bonding mechanism.

So, we can actually therefore write in internal tilde(\tilde{E}) that is $T_e + G_v$ we will say what each of these notation section mean J_e . So, T_e is basically the energy for a given electronic state. The subscript e that you see over here this actually represents a dependence or identifies the dependence of vibrational energy, vibrational and rotational energy modes, energy nodes on electronic state.

And the subscript v so the subscript v that you see here it is a substitute v this subscript v indicates basically indicates that rotational energy mode is influenced by the vibrational energy mode.

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$G(v)$ and $F_0(J)$

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So, also this equation actually reminds us that even in the ground electronic state, so let us look at this even in the ground electronic state when T_e is equal to 0 combined vibrational and rotational motions for any diatomic molecules ultimately depends on the specific inter-nuclear potential describing its electronic configuration. So, this is important, so it depends on the specifically on the inter-nuclear potential that actually determines it is, so even though the ground electronic energy is equal to 0.

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$$V(r) = De[1 - e^{-\beta(r-r_e)}]^2$$

↳ for a given electronic
state.

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Revised solution

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So, we have to deal with the device more realistic expressions for G_e and F_v , we need more realistic expressions, so that is a good thing, so we need more realistic expressions. So, this could be essentially derived now, this would be derived by the specific by solving by the solution of the steady state Schrodinger wave equation for a given Morse potential. So, that is what we need to do.

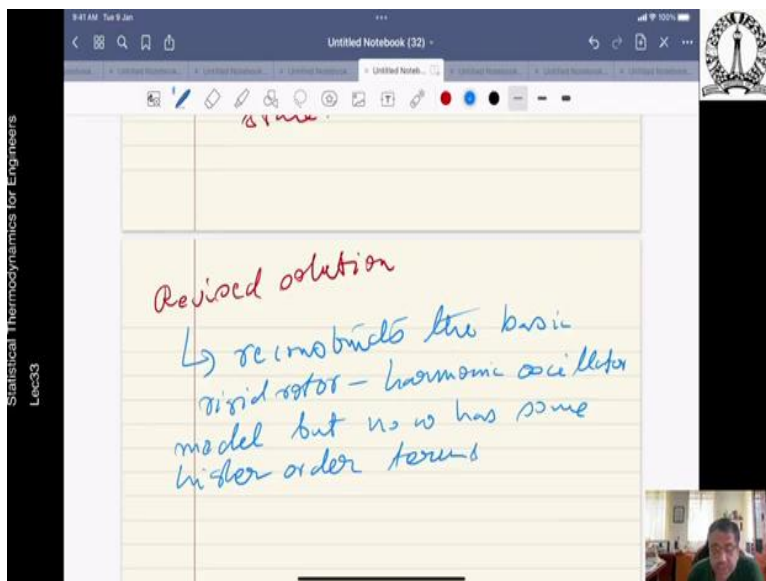
So, the Morse potential V_r if you recall $De[1 - e^{-\beta(r - r_e)}]^2$ in the equilibrium nuclear internuclear separation distance, this is given for given electronic state, surprisingly enough an analytical solution can be obtained by using a power series representation of the Morse potential, but it is very tedious mathematically.

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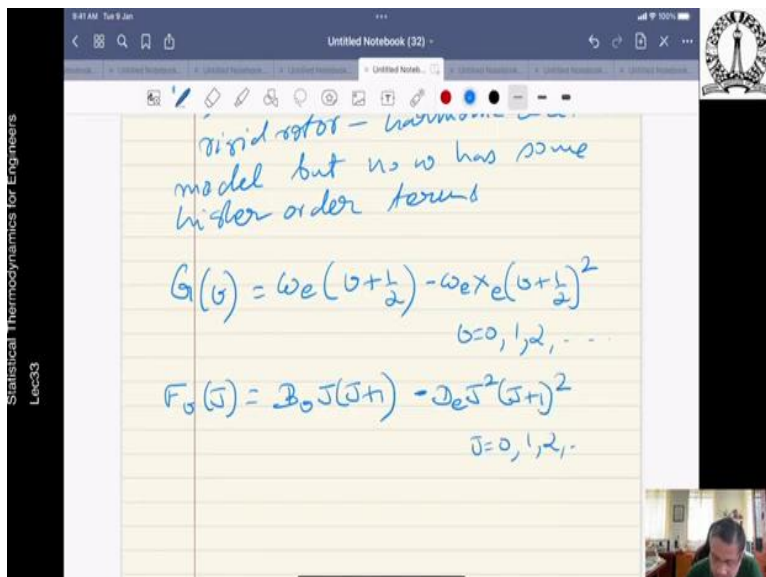
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$$G(v) = \omega_e \left(v + \frac{1}{2}\right) - \omega_e x_e \left(v + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2$$

$v = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

$$F_J(\bar{J}) = B_0 \bar{J}(\bar{J} + 1) - D_e \bar{J}^2 (\bar{J} + 1)^2$$

$\bar{J} = 0, 1, 2, \dots$



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If we employ the more general Dunham potential \rightarrow Taylor series expansion about ' r_e '

So, the revised solution but let us just see that what the revised solution actually gives us. So, the revised solution actually yields quite a few things first and foremost it reconstructs the basic a rigid rotor and harmonic oscillator model but now as some higher order terms which are not negligible.

So, if we forget all the mathematical intricacies, let us write down the solution the G_v is equal to $\omega_e v + \frac{1}{2} - x_e \omega_e v^2$ where $v = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ Similarly, $F_v(J)$ is given as $B_v J(J+1) - D_e J^2(J+1)^2$ where $J = 0, 1, 2, \dots$. So, where B_v is equal to $B_e - \alpha_e \left(v + \frac{1}{2}\right)$.

So this is the two expressions that we get. If we apply the more general Dunham potential which is basically a Taylor series expansion about r_e , we merely introduced higher order

terms into these equations. So, but these three equations are sufficiently accurate for most purposes, however they include all the important physical phenomena, furthermore each controlling parameter can be related to its Morse potential to a combination of varieties of things and supplementary equations.

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$$\omega_e = \rho \sqrt{\frac{hD_e}{2\pi^2 c \mu}}$$

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$\omega_e x_e (v + \frac{1}{2})^2 \rightarrow$ anisotropy
anharmonicity

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So, let us see what those supplementary equations are, so ω_e for example is $\beta h D_e$ divided by $2 \pi^2 c \mu$, then $\omega_e x_e$ is equal to $\frac{h \beta^2}{8 \pi^2 c \mu} D_e^3$ and α_e is equal to $\frac{6 e^2}{\omega_e} D_e$ minus 1.

So, the second, so if you look at the correction term the second correction term which is basically this one, this is the second correction term, the second correction term is represents this represents vibrational anharmonicity. So, x_e is therefore all the anharmonicity constant.

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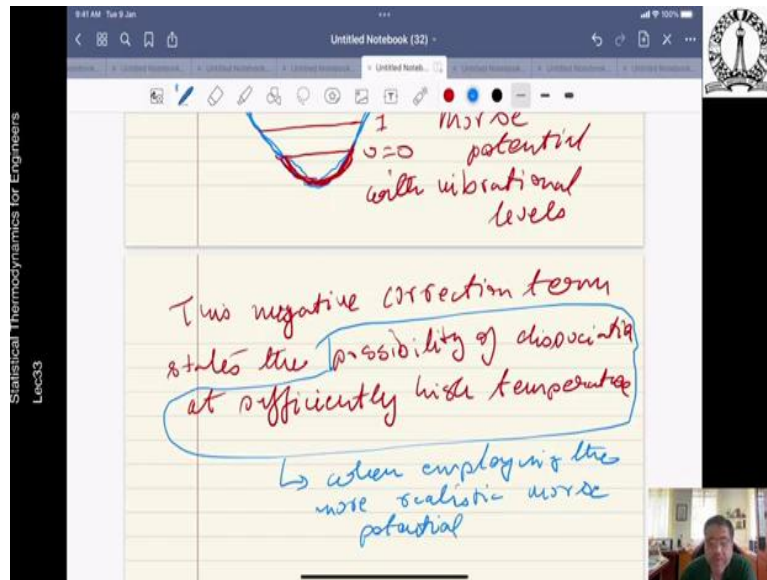
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anharmonic oscillator
 Morse potential with vibrational levels

So, the typical energy levels for an harmonic oscillator it can be shown by this particular thing, just let me draw this for you this is like draw this red one single line basically, 2, it is 2,

it is 3, (0)(14:39) like this. So, this is Morse potential with vibrational levels and all this is for anharmonic oscillator. So, this is a sample example, so the harmonic oscillator is of course a useful thing in this lower part, it is part of the Morse potential. So, this is a useful approximation for lower vibrational numbers.

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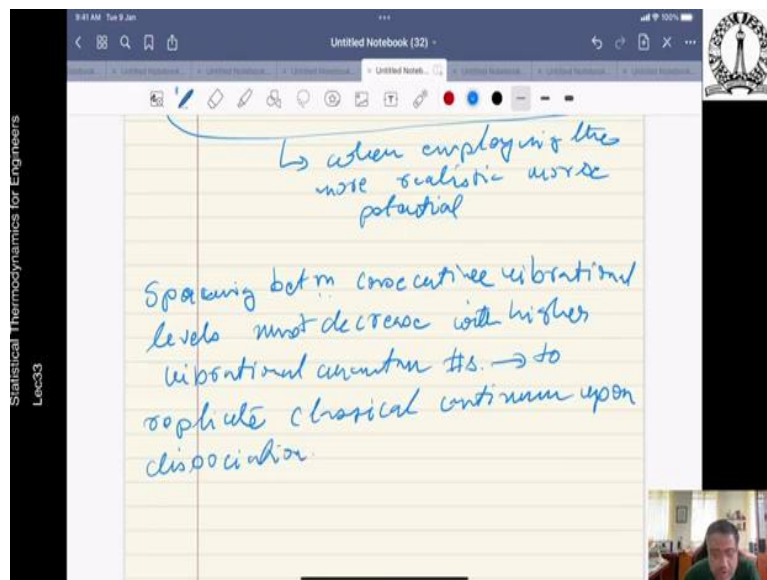
Morse potential with vibrational levels

$v=0$

This negative correction term states the possibility of dissociation at sufficiently high temperatures

↳ when employing the more realistic Morse potential

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Spacing betⁿ consecutive vibrational levels must decrease with higher vibrational quantum #s. → to replicate classical continuum upon dissociation.

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librational amplitudes \rightarrow so
simplify classical continuum upon
dissociation.

$\rightarrow D_e$ is the centrifugal dissociation
constant

$$D_e \approx J^2(J+1)^2$$

\hookrightarrow rotational centrifugal
stretching.

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This term is $-ve$ since
enhanced centripetal acceln at
high rotational quantum numbers
must increase $I_e \rightarrow$ effective
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If we eliminate ρ we find that
the binding energy

$$D_e = \frac{we^2}{4we^2}$$

$\hookrightarrow X(D_e)$

spectroscopic
measurements
of we and
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series expansion as well i.e

$$\omega_e = \rho \sqrt{\frac{h D_e}{8 \pi^2 c \mu}} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\omega_e x_e = \frac{h B^2}{8 \pi^2 c \mu} \quad \checkmark$$

$$D_e = \frac{4 B_e^3}{\omega_e^2}$$

$$\alpha_e = 6 B_e^2 \sqrt{\frac{1}{\omega_e x_e}} \quad \checkmark$$

Now, if you see the negative correction term if you look at this expression now it is in revisit expression, this is a negative correction term. So, this negative correction term actually states the possibility of if you think about it carefully of dissociation at efficiently high temperature. So, this actually states that there is a possibility of dissociation at high temperature, when we employ when employing, now more realistic, the more realistic Morse potential.

So, the spacing between the consecutive vibrational levels actually decrease with higher vibrational quantum numbers, this behaviour is quietly a straightforward robust manifestation of the correspondence principle. Now, you can see that the spacing between consecutive vibrational levels must actually decrease with higher vibrational quantum numbers. So, this is to replicate classical continuum upon dissociation.

Now, if you look at this term now which is basically the second the this particular equation and this particular term, the second order correction term D_e is basically the centrifugal distortion constant. So, here D_e is the centrifugal distortion constant, so remember that due to centrifuging there will be a little bit of a change of the bond stretching and all those things.

So, this is the expression once again it is good to have it in front of you so this was the term that we were talking about. So, it basically represents, so therefore D basically represents rotational centrifugal stretching, this is also a negative correction, because why it is negative that is because enhanced centripetal acceleration at high rotational quantum numbers must increase the moment of inertia thus therefore effectively reducing any rotational energy.

So, the correction term is negative, this term is negative, since enhanced centripetal acceleration and high rotational quantum numbers must increase I_e must increase the moment of inertia, therefore this leads to effective reduction of any rotational energy. If so D_e is not the same as the binding energy, so if we eliminate B_e from here this expression for B_e which is equations for this you have a B_e and here you have a B_e .

So if you eliminate B_e we eliminate B_e , we find that the binding energy they represent it by D_e is given as $\omega_e^2 / 4\omega_e x_e$, this is not the same as D_e which is basically a rotational constant. So, we find the binding energy can be replaced by this, this utilizes specific measurements of this utilizes spectroscopic measurements of $\omega_e x_e$, if specific spectroscopic measurements that is what it does.

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The image shows a digital notebook interface with the following content:

- Handwritten notes at the top: $\omega_e x_e$ and $\omega_e x_e$ with arrows pointing to $x(D_e)$.
- Equation: $B_0 = B_e - d_e(v + \frac{1}{2})$
- Text below the equation: \hookrightarrow rotation - vibration coupling
- Text below that: influence of vibration on rotation and not vice versa

The notebook interface includes a toolbar with various drawing tools and a small video feed of a person in the bottom right corner.

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Be many vibrations per rotation but no rotational events per vibration.

Increasing bond length with rising vibrational quantum numbers

- ↳ enhanced I_e
- ↳ reduces effective rotational levels

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↳ hence the negative correction term involving coupling constant d_e

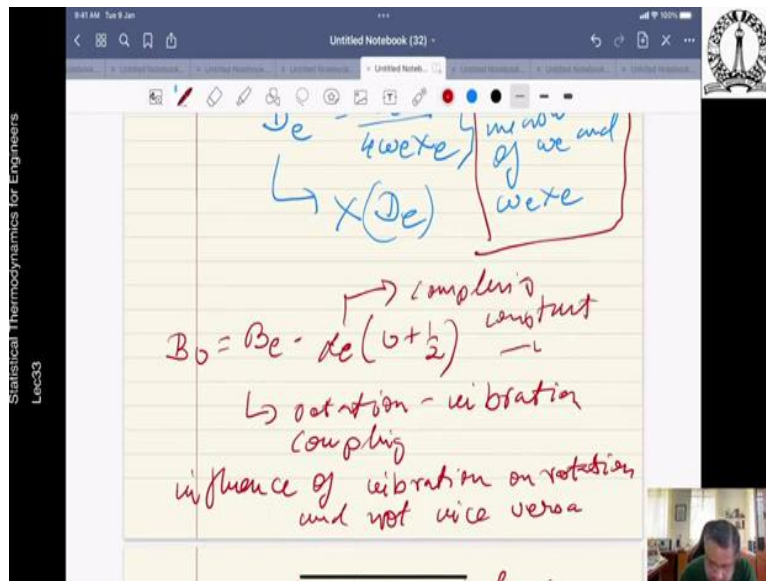
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anharmonic oscillator

Morse potential with vibrational levels

0=0, 1, 2, 3

This negative correction term



So, finally if you look at B_v equal to B_e minus α_e $v + \frac{1}{2}$ plus half this expression, so this represents what we call the rotation vibration coupling, here the coupling comes from the influence of vibration and rotation, so it is the one-way basically influence of vibration on rotation and not vice versa. In other words this essentially translates to a one-way coupling.

So, ω_e by B_e values are at the order of 100 to 1000, implying many vibrations per rotation but no rotational events per vibration. The controlling effect of vibration on rotation is also given in this particular diagram if you look at it carefully which portrays an increase increasing bond length with the rising vibrational quantum number is increasing bond length leads to an increase in the enhanced moment of inertia which reduces the effective rotational levels.

So, that is the negative correction term involving the coupling constant α_e , so again α_e is a negative correction term. So, it is called a coupling constant, α_e for the coupling constant again it is negative in nature. So, just to write it if you look at the Morse potential you will see that increasing bond length leads with rising vibrational quantum numbers, this further leads to enhanced moment of inertia enhanced I_e , I_e therefore reduces effective rotational levels.

So, hence we get hence the negative correction term involving coupling constant, so this is what we get. So, we saw that therefore we in this particular lecture we saw that how the Morse potential can be used now to depict a more complex model for diatomic molecules, next time we will do what we call the Ro-vibrational spectroscopy.

We also saw the effect of vibrational and harmonicity, the centrifugal stretching, the rovibrational coupling all these things we saw in this lecture, we will use all these things in the next lecture to investigate more into the rovibrational spectroscopy using the complex model. So, see you in the next lecture.