

Spectroscopy

Exercises Chapter 2C

1. Calculate the radiative lifetime of the $J=1$ rotational level of HCl and DCl within the rigid rotor approximation given the equilibrium bond length $r_e=1.27 \text{ \AA}$ and transition dipole moment matrix element $\mu=1.05 \text{ D}$.

Calculate the radiative lifetime of the $v=1$ vibrational level of HCl and DCl within the harmonic oscillator approximation given the force constant $k= 478 \text{ N/m}$ and transition dipole moment matrix element $\mu=0.07 \text{ D}$.

Note: $1 \text{ D} = 3.33564 \times 10^{-30} \text{ C}\cdot\text{m}$

2. Calculate the radiative lifetime of the $2p_z$ state of the hydrogen atom.