

Chapter 11.

Optical Processes and Excitons

$\epsilon(\omega, k)$: electromagnetic field에 대한 반응

○ 것은 electronic band structure에 매우 sensitive 하다.

$$\epsilon = \epsilon' + i\epsilon''$$

Directly accessible function : R(w), n(w), k(w)

extinction coefficient

refractive index

reflectance

Optical reflectance

$$\frac{E(\text{refl})}{E(\text{inc})} \equiv r(\omega) \equiv \rho(\omega) \exp[i\theta(\omega)] \quad \text{reflective coefficient} \text{라 불리운다.}$$

$$r(\omega) = \frac{n + ik - 1}{n + ik + 1}$$

definition

n(w) and k(w) are related

$$\sqrt{\epsilon(\omega)} \equiv n(\omega) + ik(\omega)$$

$$\equiv N(\omega)$$

$$E_y(\text{inc}) = E_{y_0} \exp[i(kx - \omega t)]$$

$$E_y(\text{trans}) \propto \exp[i(n + ik)kx - \omega t]$$

$$= \exp[-ikx] \exp[i(nkx - \omega t)]$$

Reflectance R

$$R = E^*(\text{refl})E(\text{refl}) / E^*(\text{inc})E(\text{inc})$$

$$= r^* r$$

$$= \rho^2 \quad \rho = |r|$$

$$\epsilon(\omega) = \epsilon'(\omega) + i\epsilon''(\omega)$$

$$= (n + ik)^2$$

$$= n^2 - k^2 + 2nki$$

Kramers-Kronig Relations

Real을 알면 imaginary를 알 수 있고 imaginary를 알면 real을 알 수 있다.

$\alpha(\omega) = \alpha'(\omega) + i\alpha''(\omega)$ Response function

$$X_\omega = \alpha(\omega)F_\omega$$

equation of motion

$$\sum_j M_j \left(\frac{d^2}{dt^2} + p_j \frac{d}{dt} + \omega_j^2 \right) X = F$$

$$\therefore \sum_j M_j (-\omega^2 - i\omega p_j + \omega_j^2) X_\omega = F_\omega$$

$$X = \int X_\omega \exp[-i\omega t] dt \quad F = \int F_\omega \exp[-i\omega t] dt$$

$$\therefore \alpha(\omega) = \sum_j \frac{1}{M_j(\omega^2 - i\omega p_j + \omega_j^2)}$$

$$= \sum_j \frac{f_j(-\omega^2 + i\omega p_j + \omega_j^2)}{(-\omega^2 - i\omega p_j + \omega_j^2)(-\omega^2 + i\omega p_j + \omega_j^2)}$$

$$= \sum_j f_j \frac{(-\omega_j^2 - \omega^2 + i\omega p_j)}{(\omega_j^2 - \omega^2)^2 + \omega^2 p_j^2}$$

f_i

all positive for a passive system

p_j relation frequency

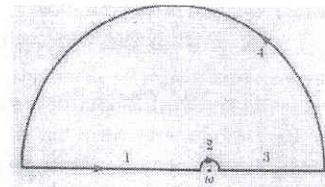
Kramers - Kronig relation

(1) The poles of $\alpha(\omega)$ are all below the real axis

(2) $\frac{\alpha(\omega)}{\omega} \rightarrow$ vanish

$\alpha'(\omega)$ is even

(3) α'' is odd



$$\alpha(\omega) = \frac{1}{\pi i} p \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha(s)}{s - \omega} ds$$

$$\alpha'(\omega) = \frac{1}{\pi} p \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha''(s)}{s - \omega} ds$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} p \left[\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\alpha''(\omega)}{s - \omega} ds + \int_{-\infty}^0 \frac{\alpha''(p)}{p - \omega} dp \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} p \left[\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\alpha''(\omega)}{s - \omega} ds + \int_{\infty}^0 \frac{\alpha''(-s)}{-s - \omega} d(-s) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} p \left[\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\alpha''(\omega)}{s - \omega} ds + \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\alpha''(s)}{s + \omega} ds \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} p \int_0^{\infty} \frac{2s\alpha''(\omega)}{s^2 - \omega^2} ds$$

$$\alpha'(\omega) = \frac{2}{\pi} p \int_0^{\infty} \frac{s\alpha''(\omega)}{s^2 - \omega^2} ds$$

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha''(\omega) &= -\frac{1}{\pi} p \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\alpha'(s) ds}{s - \omega} \\ &= -\frac{2\omega}{\pi} p \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\alpha'(s) ds}{s^2 - \omega^2}\end{aligned}$$

Kramers - Kronig Relation 을 적용하자.

$$\begin{aligned}\ln r(\omega) &= \ln R^{\frac{1}{2}}(\omega) + i\theta(\omega) \\ \theta(\omega) &= -\frac{\omega}{\pi} p \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\ln R(s)}{s^2 - \omega^2} ds \\ &= -\frac{1}{2\pi} p \int_0^{\infty} \ln \left| \frac{s - \omega}{s + \omega} \right| \frac{d\ln R(s)}{ds} ds\end{aligned}$$

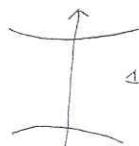
$$\frac{1}{s^2 - \omega^2} = \frac{1}{(s - \omega)(s + \omega)} = \left(\frac{1}{s - \omega} - \frac{1}{s + \omega} \right) \frac{1}{2\omega}$$

Mathematical note

$$\alpha(\omega) = \sum_j \frac{(\omega_j^2 - \omega^2) + i\omega p_j}{(\omega_j^2 - \omega^2) + \omega^2 P_j^2}$$

Electronic

Interband transition



1. 이렇게 gap보다 더 크면 optical spectroscopy는 broad feature만 보인다.
direct interband absorption은 $\hbar\omega = \epsilon_c(\vec{k}) - \epsilon_v(\vec{k})$.

Excitons

bound electron - hole pair를 exciton이라 한다.

exciton이 crystal에서 움직이면서 에너지를 전달하다.

전기는 전달 안 함

Exciton은 모든 insulating crystal에서 forming 될 수 있다.

gap이 indirect이면 unstable 하다.

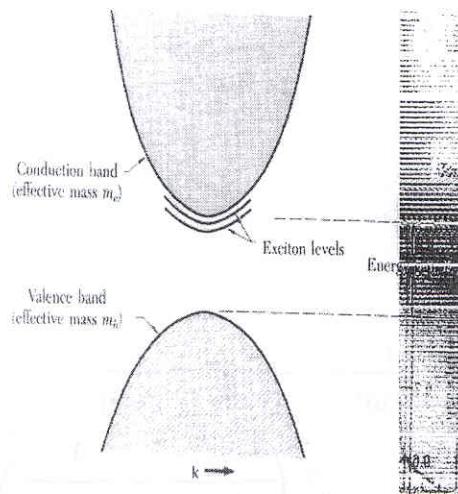
모든 exciton이 다 unstable하다. - 전자가 hole로 들어간다.

threshold of this process

$\hbar\omega > E_g$ in a direct process

$\hbar\omega > E_g - \hbar\Omega$ indirect process

정확하게는 exciton의 binding 에너지를 고려해야 한다.

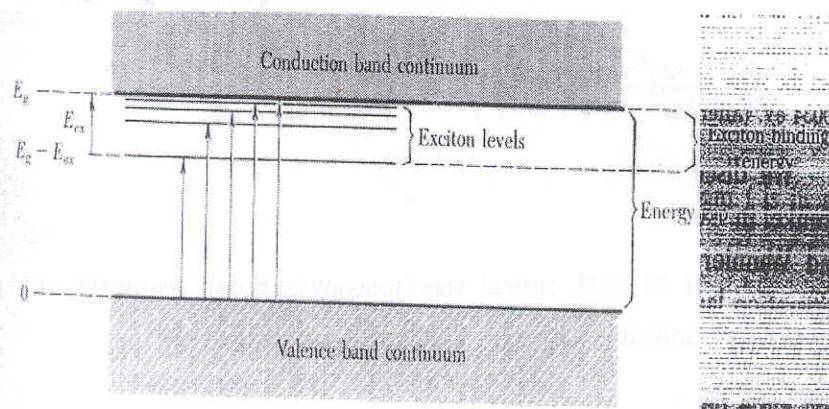


binding energy :

1. exciton을 만드는 에너지와 free electron, free hole을 만드는 에너지의 차이
2. recombination luminescence, free electron - hole combination
3. photo - ionization of excitons

⇒ exciton is weakly bounded: Mott and Wannier

⇒ tightly bounded : Frenkel



Frenkel Excitons

Tightly bound.

⇒ hole은 바로 옆에 있다.(single atom에 있다.)

⇒ 이 exciton이 hopping을 한다.

⇒ Crystalline inert gas : Frenkel model로 설명

Atomic crypton : lowest strong atomic transition at 9.99eV

Crystal crypton :

10.2 eV (gap) of 11.7

원자
Crypton
9.99eV
결정내에서 10.2eV

exciton의 ground state energy

$$11.7 - 10.2 = 1.5 \text{ eV} (\text{exciton의 ground state energy})$$

Exciton의 propagation

옆으로 옆으로 wave propagation

$$\Psi_g = u_1 u_2 \dots u_{N-1} u_N$$

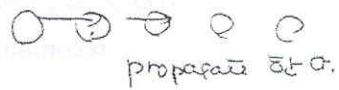
single atom이 excited 되어 있다.

$$\varphi_j = u_1 u_2 \dots u_{j-1} u_j u_{j+1} \dots u_N$$

$$H \varphi_j = \epsilon \varphi_j + T(\varphi_{j-1} + \varphi_{j+1})$$

ϵ : free atom excitation energy

T : excitation $j \rightarrow j-1$



$$H \Psi_k = \sum_j \exp[ijka] \varphi_j$$

$$= \sum_j \exp[ijka] H \varphi_j$$

$$= \sum_j \exp[ijka] [\epsilon \varphi_j + T(\varphi_{j-1} + \varphi_{j+1})]$$

rearrange 하자

$$H \Psi_k = \sum_j \exp[ijka] [\epsilon + T(\exp[ika] + \exp[-ika])] \varphi_j$$

$$= [\epsilon + 2T \cos ka] \Psi_k$$

$$E_k = \epsilon + 2T \cos ka$$

periodic boundary condition

$$K = \frac{2\pi s}{Na} \quad s = -\frac{1}{2}N, -\frac{1}{2}N+1, \dots, \frac{1}{2}N-1$$

Alkali Halide : localized exciton on the negative halogen ion
visible에서는 exciton 안 보임 transparent
UV에서 exciton 보이고

Molecular crystals :

Van der Waals binding between molecules

covalent 가 매우 강하다.

이러한 exciton은 Frenkel excitons

Weakly bound (Mott - Wannier)

$$U(r) = -\frac{e^2}{\epsilon_r}$$

에너지가 cond. 보다 아래에서 bound state 있다.

$$E_n = E_g - \frac{\mu e^4}{2 \hbar^2 \epsilon_r n^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\mu} = \frac{1}{m_e} + \frac{1}{m_h}$$

$$\text{ex } Cu_2O \quad v(cm^{-1}) = 17508 - \frac{800}{n^2}$$

Exciton Condensation into Electron - Hole drop
electron - hole drop 이 Ge 속에서 생긴다.

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$\hbar\omega > E_g$ 이면 free - electron and free hole이 생긴다.

recombination $8\mu s$

electron - hole recombination and annihilation

$8\mu s$

만약 exciton concentration이 high이면 drop의 life time은 $40\mu s$

strained germanium $600\mu s$

excitons의 drop은 degenerated Fermi gas가 되고 metallic properties가 나타난다.

Raman effect

Photon inelastically scatter

creation or annihilation of a phonon or magnon

Selection rule

$$\omega = \omega' \pm \Omega ; \quad k = k' \pm K$$

Ω, K : phonon의 creation 또는 annihilation

2nd order Raman effect :

two phonons are involved in the inelastic scattering of photon
strain dependence of electronic polarizability

$$\alpha = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 u + \alpha_2 u^2 + \dots$$

α_1 : phonon amplitude

$$u(t) = u_0 \cos \Omega t$$

induced electric dipole moment

$$\alpha_1 E \cdot u$$

$$= \alpha_1 E_0 u_0 \cos \omega t \cos \Omega t$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \alpha_1 E_0 u_0 [\cos(\omega + \Omega)t + \cos(\omega - \Omega)t]$$

$\omega - \Omega$: stokes line

$\omega + \Omega$: anti stokes line

$$I(\omega - \Omega) \propto | \langle n_{K+1} | u | n_K \rangle |^2 \propto n_K + 1$$

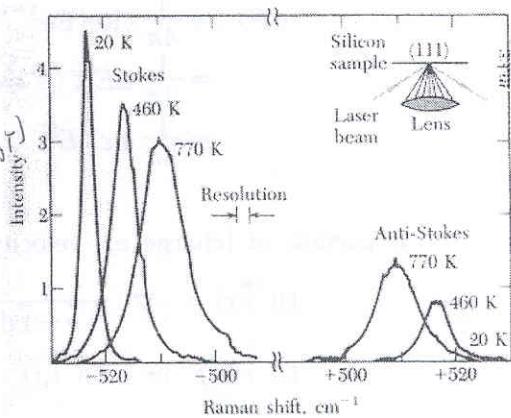
$$I(\omega + \Omega) \propto | \langle n_{K-1} | u | n_K \rangle |^2 \propto n_K$$

Population

$$\frac{I(\omega + \Omega)}{I(\omega - \Omega)} = \frac{\langle n_K \rangle}{\langle n_K \rangle + 1} = \exp[-\hbar\Omega/k_B T]$$

$$\therefore \langle n_K \rangle = \frac{1}{\exp[\hbar \omega / k_B T] - 1}$$

$$\langle n_K + 1 \rangle = \frac{1 + \exp(-1)}{\exp(-1)} = \frac{\exp(\frac{-\hbar \omega}{k_B T})}{\exp(-1)}$$



Electron Spectroscopy with X-ray

X-ray Photoemission from solids (XPS)

Ultraviolet Photoemission (UPS)

Density of state($D(\epsilon)$)

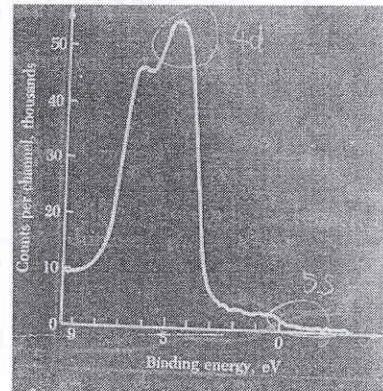
photon energy incident photon - binding energy = K.E.

전자는 50Å 정도 나올 수 있다.

ESCA : resolution 0.6 eV

Electron Spectroscopy for Chemical
valence structure of silver => 그림

analysis



Excitation

99.2 eV binding energy

117 eV에서 또 보인다.

single plasmon excitation

134.7 eV : double plasmon excitation

Energy loss of fast particles in a solid

전자를 빛 대신쓰자.

$\text{Im}\{\epsilon(\omega)\}$: energy loss by an electromagnetic wave in a solid

$\text{Im}\left\{\frac{1}{\epsilon(\omega)}\right\}$: energy loss by a charged particle that penetrated a solid

$$P = \frac{1}{4\pi} E \frac{\partial D}{\partial t}$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{4\pi} E \cdot (-iw) \right] \cdot [\epsilon(\omega) E e^{(-i\omega t)}]$$

$$E = E_0 e^{(-i\omega t)}$$

$$D = D_0 e^{(-i\omega t)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -i\omega (\varepsilon' + i\varepsilon'') (\cos \omega t \\
 & \quad + i \sin \omega t) \\
 \langle P \rangle &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \langle \operatorname{Re}\{Ee^{-i\omega t}\} \cdot \operatorname{Re}\{-i\omega D e^{(-i\omega t)}\} \rangle \\
 &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \omega E^2 \langle (\varepsilon' \sin \omega t + \varepsilon'' \cos \omega t) \cos \omega t \rangle \\
 &= \frac{1}{8\pi} \omega \varepsilon'' E^2
 \end{aligned}$$

If particle of [charge e , velocity v] enters a crystal:

$$\begin{aligned}
 D(\vec{r}, t) &= -\nabla \frac{\vec{e}}{|\vec{r} - vt|} \\
 D(\vec{r}, \omega) \quad \text{or} \quad D(\vec{r}, t)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$E(\omega, \vec{k}) = D(\omega, \vec{k}) / \varepsilon(\omega, \vec{k})$$

Time average power dissipation

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\omega, \vec{k}) &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \langle \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{D(\omega, \vec{k})}{\varepsilon(\omega, \vec{k})} e^{-i\omega t} \right\} \cdot \operatorname{Re} \{ -i\omega D(\omega, \vec{k}) e^{-i\omega t} \} \rangle \\
 &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \omega D^2(\omega, \vec{k}) \langle \left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \right)' \cos \omega t + \left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \right)'' \sin \omega t [-\sin \omega t] \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

Whence

$$\begin{aligned}
 P(\omega, \vec{k}) &= \frac{-1}{8\pi} \omega \left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \right)'' D^2(\omega, \vec{k}) \\
 &= \frac{1}{8\pi} \omega \frac{\varepsilon''(\omega, \vec{k})}{|\varepsilon|^2} D^2(\omega, \vec{k})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{energy loss function} \propto \operatorname{Im} \left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon(\omega, \vec{k})} \right)$$

위 $P(\omega, \vec{k})$ 가 \vec{k} 에 무관하면

$$P(\omega) = -\frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{e^2}{\hbar v} \operatorname{Im} \left\{ \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \right\} \ln \left(\frac{k_0 v}{\omega} \right)$$