

The adsorption of (2E, 5E)-2,5 Bis [(4-dimethylamino) benzylidene] cyclopentanone onto graphene oxide, a combined experimental and theoretical study

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Abstract

Graphene oxide (GO) represents a nanomaterial of immense interest for the adsorption of different chemical species ranging from small ions to relatively huge molecules such as peptides and even proteins. For the adsorption from solutions GO is material of choice as it possess huge surface. For the evaluation of its adsorption properties (both experimentally and theoretically) "(2E, 5E)-2,5 Bis [(4-dimethylamino) benzylidene] cyclopentanone" is selected in this study. The experimental results based on the UV-Vis spectrophotometry technique are quite satisfactory and promising. Both adsorbent (GO) and adsorbat (pre-synthesized) are characterized by some powerful spectroscopic techniques. The data generated through theoretical techniques are consistent with the experimental results!

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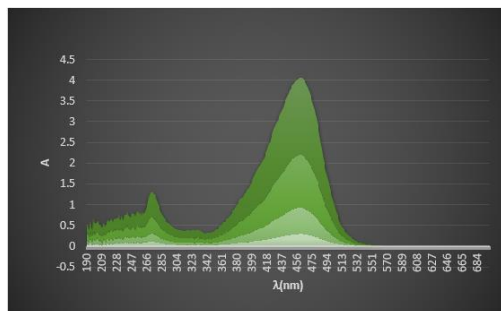


Figure 1: UV-VIS spectrum of (2E, 5E) -2,5 Bis [(4-dimethylamino) benzylidene] cyclopentanone in acetonitrile solution