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# 金属内包フラーレンの紫外光電子分光

# ー内包金属とフラーレンケージの相互作用ー

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### 原理はEinsteinの光電効果(1905)



### 自由原子・分子からの光電子放出



## 固体からの光電子放出



#### 原則的には 気体からの 光電子放出と同じ

ただし、 エネルギーの基準点は Fermi Level

#### 固体からの光電子分光で分かること

• 電子状態

#### 内殻準位の結合エネルギー 価電子帯の電子の状態密度

さらに...

#### 金属・半導体の判定



Fig. 1.9a and b. Density of occupied and empty states in (a) a metal and (b) in a semiconductor or insulator. Also, definition of the Fermi level  $E_{\rm F}$ , the work function  $\phi$ , the electron affinity  $E_{\rm A}$ , the photoelectric threshold  $E_{\rm T}$ , and the fundamental gap  $E_{\rm g}$ . For a metal  $E_{\rm T} = \phi$ 

### 紫外光電子スペクトルの見方



#### まず、金のスペクトルを測定して Fermi levelを決める

#### 次に試料を蒸着して測定

### 光電子分光装置の概要









#### Superconductivity in alkali metal – C<sub>60</sub> complex

#### Superconductivity at 18 K in potassium-doped C<sub>60</sub>

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FIG. 2 Temperature dependence of the electrical resistivity of a 960-Å-thick film of  $K_{\star}C_{eo}$ 

From 18 K ( $K_3C_{60}$ ) to 33K ( $Cs_2RbC_{60}$ )

expectation of high temperature superconductor

on higher fullerenes

# As for $A_x C_{60}$ ,

#### Stable phases : $A_1C_{60}$ , $A_3C_{60}$ , $A_4C_{60}$ , $A_6C_{60}$



#### Fig. 1. Schematic structures of C<sub>80</sub> and A<sub>2</sub>C<sub>80</sub> with C<sub>80</sub>s as large spheres and A as the smaller spheres. (a) FCC C50 drawn in an equivalent BCT representation. (b) The structure of Na2C50 with Na ions in tetrahedral interstices. (c) A<sub>3</sub>C<sub>80</sub> with A ions in both tetrahedral and octahedral interstices. (d) The A<sub>4</sub>C<sub>80</sub> structure exhibited by K, Rb and Cs. (c) The FCC A6Cm structure (A = Na, Ca) with the darker Nas 50% occupied. (f) The BCC AsCso structure of K, Rb and Cs.

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#### Metallic $A_x C_{60}$ complexes A = K, Rb, Cs

Semiconductive  $A_{y}C_{60}$ complex A = Li, Na, Mg

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- Alkali (alkali earth) metal C<sub>60</sub> complexes
  - Metallic (superconducting\*) phase :

$$A_1C_{60}, A_3C_{60}^*$$
 (A = K, Rb, Cs)

 $Ca_5C_{60}^*$ ,  $Ba_6C_{60}^*$ 

- Not all electron accepting fullerenes become metallic or superconducting.
- Electron donation to  $C_{60}$  is the key.
- They are unstable to the ambient air !

#### Enclosure of donor in the cage



Encapsulation of electron donating atom(s) prohibits degrading of donor

### Metallofullerenes synthesized so far





 $Sc@C_{82}$ 



La@C82

#### Isolated pentagon rule (IPR) satisfying C<sub>82</sub> cages



# One of the issues on M@C<sub>82</sub>

• 電子状態を決めているものはなにか?

#### - ケージ構造? 内包原子種?

決定方法

 内包原子種を変える
 ケージ構造を変化させる

# Summary of Mono-metal atom entrapped C<sub>82</sub>



Principally metallofullerenes with the same  $C_{2v}$  cage give essentially the same spectra.

That is,

Small or no interaction between the fullerene cage and the entrapped atom

Difference only in upper band due to the difference in the amount of electrons transferred

### Multiple atoms encapsulated metallofullerenes

Examples ;  $Er_2@C_{82}$ ,  $La_2@C_{78}$ ,  $La_2@C80$ ,  $La_2@C_{84}$   $Sc@C_{66}$ ,  $Sc_3@C_{82}$ ,  $Sc_3N@C_{82}$ ,  $Sc_2@C_{82}(Sc_2@C_{84})$ ,  $Sc_2C_2@C_{84}$   $Ti_2C_2@C_{78}(Ti_2@C_{80})$ ,  $Ti_2@C_{82}$ ,  $Ti_2C_2@C_{82}$  $Y_2@C_{82}$ ,  $Y_2C_2@C_{82}$  etc. etc....

Issues Any special difference from M@C<sub>82</sub> ? Entrapped atoms play differently or not?

#### Cage structure of three isomers : (I) $C_s(6)$ , (II) $C_{2v}(9)$ , (III) $C_{3v}(8?)$

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Different electronic structure, particularly in upper valence band region

Figure 2. UV–Vis–NIR absorption spectra of  $(Y_2C_2)@C_{82}(I, II, III)$  in CS<sub>2</sub> solvent.

 $C_{82}$  cage also contains metal atoms without carbon atoms.

 $Y_2C_2@C_{82}$  and  $Y_2@C_{82}$  give analogous absorption and have the same  $C_{3v}$  cage structure



Figure 4. UV–Vis–NIR absorption spectra of  $(Y_2C_2)@C_{82}(III)$  and  $Y_2@C_{82}(III)$  in CS<sub>2</sub> solvent.

Do they have analogous electronic structure ?

Comparison of  $Y_2@C_{82}$  and  $Y_2C_2@C_{82}$  (III) the same cage structure and entrapped metal atoms difference is additional two carbon atoms.



Cage symmetry seems to dominate the electronic structure !

Difference spectrum indicates additional two electron transfer in  $Y_2@C_{82}$ 

 $(YC)_2^{4+}@C_{82}^{4-} and Y^{3+}_2@C_{82}^{6-}$ 

Because  $Y^{3+}$  is the oxidation states of both fullerenes, carbon atoms accept two electrons or bonds is formed in  $(Y_2C)_2@C_{82}$ 

#### when different species, Lu<sup>3+</sup> and Y<sup>3+</sup>, entrapped



The UPS of the same  $C_{3v}$  (8) cages  $Ti_2C_2@C_{82}$  and  $Y_2C_2@C_{82}$  are not identical !

Oxidation state of Ti in Ti<sub>2</sub>C<sub>2</sub>@C<sub>82</sub> is +2, Y in Y<sub>2</sub>C<sub>2</sub>@C<sub>82</sub> is +3 !

Oxidation state of entrapped atoms seems to be the key !





Electronic structure change might be introduced by strong interaction between the cage and entrapped species.

# IPR satisfying C78 cages







No.1-D<sub>3</sub>

No.2-C<sub>2v</sub>

 $No.3-C_{2v}$ 



No.4-D<sub>3h</sub>

No.5-D<sub>3h</sub>

One of the important Issues

There are two  $D_{3h}$  structures.

Are the structure of  $(TiC)_2@C_{78}$  and  $La@C_{78}$  the same or not ?



LDA-DFT calculation on *two*  $D_{3h}$  cage structures with encapsulated La<sub>2</sub> and (TiC)<sub>2</sub>

Good agreement on  $D_{3h}$  (5) cage structure

Although they have the same cage structure,

but have the different electronic structures

Oxidation states of entrapped atoms may be the key !

# Wave function distribution



Hybridization is observed in HOMO-1 of Ti<sub>2</sub>C<sub>2</sub>@C<sub>78</sub>

# Summary

(as for the effect of entrapped atoms to the electronic structure of the cage)

- Mono metal atom encapsulated fullerenes
  - Cage dominate the electronic structure
  - Entrapped species have few influence
  - weak interaction between the cage and entrapped atom
- Multiple atoms encapsulated fullerenes
  - Fullerenes with metals of the same oxidation state and the same cage give analogous electronic structure
  - Upper  $\pi$ -valence band depends on different oxidation states of entrapped species
  - Strong interaction is expected thanks to narrow inner space of fullerenes