

## ONIUM METHOD FOR EXTRACTION AND SPECTROPHOTOMETRIC DETERMINATION OF ZN(II) AND CO(II)

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### ABSTRACT

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Vis. spectrum for complexes of Zn(II) and Co(II) extracted according to onium system from acidic HCl solution by use 2,4-dimethylpentan-3-one (2,4-DMP) as onium complex was (262 nm) for Zn(II) but onium complex for Co(II) was (243 nm), this method shows need 0.5 M HCl for extraction Zn<sup>2+</sup> and 0.8 M HCl for Co<sup>2+</sup>, as well giving obey to Beer-Lambert relation at the (1-20 μg) for Zn<sup>2+</sup> and (1-50 μg) for Co<sup>2+</sup>. The onium complex extracted have structure  $H(H_2O)(2,4-DMP)_3^+$ ;  $HZnCl_4^-$ ;  $H(H_2O)(2,4-DMP)_3^+$ ;  $HCoCl_4^-$ . This method obeys Beer-Lambert relation at the range (1-20 μg) for Zn<sup>2+</sup>,  $\epsilon = 16893.56 L \cdot mol^{-1} \cdot cm^{-1}$ , D.L =  $6.33 \times 10^{-6} \mu g / ml$ , RSD% = 0.0069 μg/ml, Sandell's sensitivity =  $3.87 \times 10^{-9} \mu g / cm^2$  and (5-50 μg) for Co<sup>2+</sup>,  $\epsilon = 8918.77 L \cdot mol^{-1} \cdot cm^{-1}$ , D.L =  $3.38 \times 10^{-5} \mu g / ml$ , RSD% = 0.00664 μg/ml, Sandell's sensitivity =  $7.33 \times 10^{-9} \mu g / cm^2$ . As well as this research involved many studies and apply for determination Zn<sup>2+</sup> and Co<sup>2+</sup> in different samples.

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