

Synthesis and Identification of Nickel (II) , Cobalt (II) and Copper (II) Complexes with the Organic Reagent (Sodium – 1 – Amino – 9,10 – Dioxo – 4 – Phenylamin – Anthracene – 2 – Sulphonate)

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Abstract

The complexes of Nickel (II) , Cobalt (II) and Copper (II) were synthesized by using Sodium – 1 – Amino – 9,10 – Dioxo – 4 – Phenylamin – Anthracene – 2 – Sulphonate , acid blue – 25 , (AB25) reagent as a ligand . They were characterized by many techniques such as the element analysis , IR spectroscopy and UV.VIS. spectroscopy . Their physical properties such as electric conductivity and magnetic properties , were determined . It was found that Nickel (II) complex has diamagnetic properties , whereas Cobalt (II) and Copper (II) complexes have paramagnetic properties . Cobalt complex did not have any conductivity , whereas the ligand , Nickel (II) complex and Copper (II) complex have good conductivity . The formula of the complexes under this research were detected by using the mole ratio method which lead to the formation of (1:1) metal : ligand formula for Nickel (II) and Copper (II) complexes , whereas Cobalt (II) complex was (1:2) metal : ligand formula . In all the complexes the coordination was through O and N atoms of the oxo sulfate and amine groups . the suggested geometrical shapes of the complexes were the square pyramidal shape for Nickel (II) and Copper (II) complexes and octahedral for Cobalt (II) complex .

Keywords : Acid Blue – 25 , Ni (II) complex , Cu (II) complex , Co (II) complex , IR spectroscopy , geometrical shapes

1 – Introduction

The high molecular weight coordination complexes have a wide importance in the field of clinical and analytical chemistry in recent days that because of their high stability and their useful utilization (Loo & Hu 1994 , Sido & Brown 1965 , Sony *et al.* 2004) . There are many antibiotics react with many transition metal ions to form stable complexes such as ciprofloxacin which reacts with copperic ion to form stable chelate complex (Wn *et al.* 2003) . From another side , there are many ligands such as 8 – hydroxyl quinolin , oxalate and carbazate used to form complexes with many heavy metal ions which can be act as antitumor drugs (Rashan *et al.* 1990) . Many recent studies found that the complexes have antibiotic activity more than the free ligands (Sadik *et al.* 2003) . In industrial fields , the formation of complexes used in the purification of petroleum (Salih & Sheriff 1990) . Nickel , Cobalt and Copper are within the 25 essential metal ions that are required by most of biological systems . Many organisms such as Lactobacilli that their ribonucleotide reductase uses cobalt as a cofactor . nickel appears to be much more extensively utilized by anaerobic bacteria . Copper laccase enzyme catalyses the oxidation of urosiol in the production of Japanese Lacquer (Crichton 2008) . Jassem had prepared the complexes of Pb (IV) , Cd (II) and Fe (III) by using the reagent that used in this research and he found that these complexes had good stability (Husain 2012) . The most stable Co(II) complexes have the octahedral coordination and Ni(II) complexes have the square planar coordination while Cu(II) complexes have the tetrahedral coordination (Al-Rasaq 1984) . In biochemistry , Biuret test , cupric ion has been used to detect and value the amount of protein in its basic solutions by the coordination via its amino groups to form violet complex (Yasser 2004) . Cytochrome oxidase (cytochrome $a_3 + a$) consists of copper in addition to iron and porphyrin to establish its biological role of transporting the electrons and oxidative phosphorylation in organisms (Lehninger 1975 , Kabsh & Asos 1988) . Cobalt is an essential element for the functioning of many vital processes such as the processes of blood formation , stimulation of hemoglobin synthesis , the functioning of vitamins , the functioning of enzymes , the functioning of hormones , influence on metabolism of vitamins (ascorbic acid and B12) and the synthesis of a number of hormones , neurotransmitters , bile acids and DNA (Ahmad 1986 , Grahovav *et al.* 2006) .

2 – Practical Part

Spectral and Physical Measurements :

IR spectrum were recorded for the ligand and the complexes by using FTIR – 84005 Shimadzu Spectroscopy with KBr discs in the range (400 – 4000) cm^{-1} .

UV.VIS. spectrum were recorded for the aqueous solutions of the ligand and for the ethanolic solutions of the complexes by using UV – 1650 PC Shimadzu Spectroscopy with quartz cells .

Element analysis was established by using EURO EA (Element Analyzer) and Shimadzu – AA – 160 Atomic Absorption – Flame Emission Spectrophotometer .

Magnetic susceptibility measurements were established by using MSB – MKI Magnetic Susceptibility Measurement Balance .

The electric conductivity for the solutions were measured by using INOL AB 740 Potentiometer .

Materials :

All the materials which were used in this research were so sensitive to air and moisture that they have been kept in dry containers .

The water used was double distilled water .

Nickel (II) , Cobalt (II) and copper (II) solutions (0.001 M) were prepared from their chloride salts .

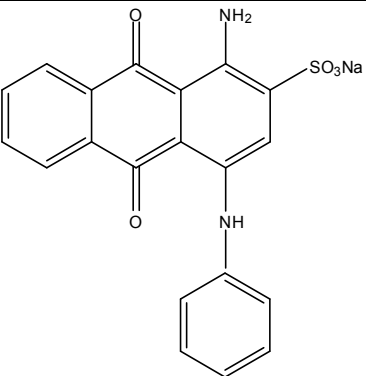
All the reagents were of high purity , they get from BDH and Fluka companies .

Sodium nitrate used to prepare the background electrolytic solutions .

The used ligand has the commercial name ; acid blue 25

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Scientific name	Sodium – 1 – amino – 9,10 – dioxo – 4 – phenylamin anthracin – 2 - sulphate
Chemical structure	
Symbol	AB25
Commercial name	Acid Blue – 25
Molecular formula	C ₂₀ H ₁₃ N ₂ O ₅ Na
Molecular weight	416.38
Physical state	Solid powder
appearance	blue

Preparation the Complexes :

Preparation of Ni (II) Complex :

0.001 moles (0.237 g) of nickel chloride (NiCl₂.6H₂O) , dissolved in 20 ml of distilled water , and 0.001 moles (0.417 g) of the ligand (AB 25) , dissolved in 10 ml of distilled water , mixed together and 2ml of 10% NaOH added to the mixture . After heating to 70 ° c for 30 minutes a green – blue precipitate was formed , separated by filtration and washed by ethanol then dried at 50° c . The product percentage was 70% .

Preparation of Co (II) Complex :

0.001 moles (0.237 g) of cobalt chloride (CoCl₂.6H₂O) , dissolved in 20 ml of distilled water , and 0.001 moles (0.417 g) of the ligand (AB 25) , dissolved in 10 ml of distilled water , mixed together and 2ml of 10% NaOH added to the mixture . After heating to 70 ° c for 30 minutes a green – blue precipitate was formed , separated by filtration and washed by ethanol then dried at 50° c . The product percentage was 65 % .

Preparation of Cu (II) Complex :

0.001 moles (0.170 g) of copper chloride (CuCl₂.2H₂O) , dissolved in 20 ml of distilled water , and 0.001 moles (0.417 g) of the ligand (AB 25) , dissolved in 10 ml of distilled water , mixed together and 2ml of 10% NaOH added to the mixture . After heating to 70 ° c for 30 minutes a green – blue precipitate was formed , separated by filtration and washed by ethanol then dried at 50° c . The product percentage was 67 % .

Determination the Maximum Wavelength (λ_{max}) :

10⁻³ M solutions of the ligand and complexes were prepared , UV.VIS. spectral scanning was obtained , λ_{max} was recorded for each solution . The figures (1-4) shows the electronic spectra of ligand and its complexes . Table (1) shows the λ_{max} values of the ligand and its complexes

Table (2) electronic spectra of the ligand and its complexes (Buhlmann & Affolter 2000) :

compound	nm)(λ_{max}	Assig.	$\epsilon_{max}(L.mol^{-1}.cm^{-1}) \xi$
AB25	280 390 590	$\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ $n \rightarrow \pi^*$	2900 100 330
AB25-Ni	260 380 640	$\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ $n \rightarrow \pi^*$	2200 200 600
AB25-Co	280 380 635	$\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ $n \rightarrow \pi^*$	2000 150 600
AB25-Cu	285 380 633	$\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ $\pi \rightarrow \pi^*$ $n \rightarrow \pi^*$	2150 200 350

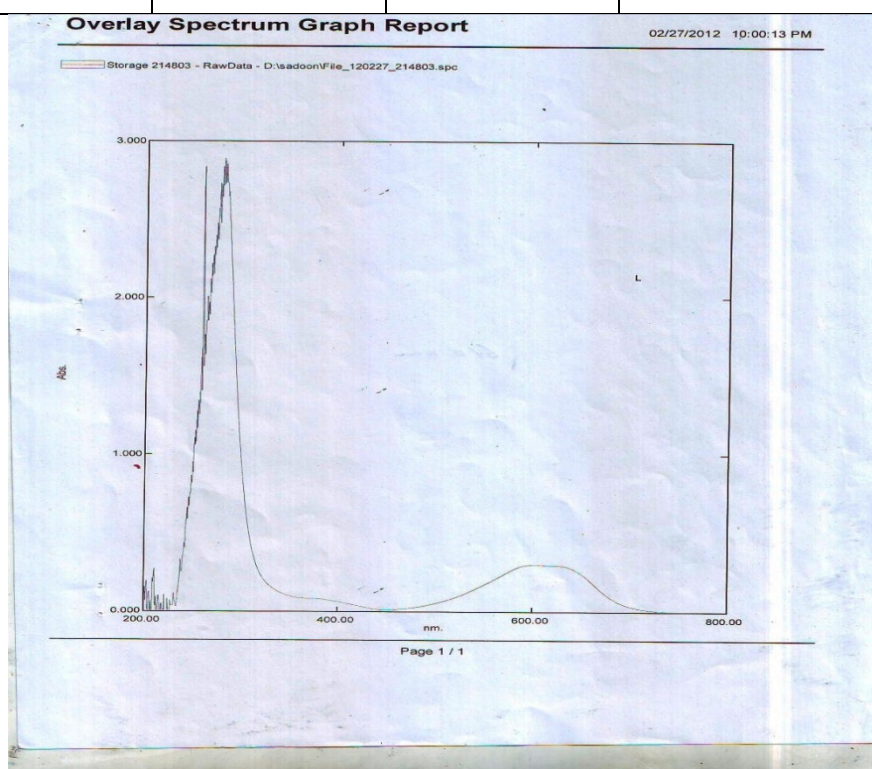


Figure (1) : electronic spectra of AB25 ligand

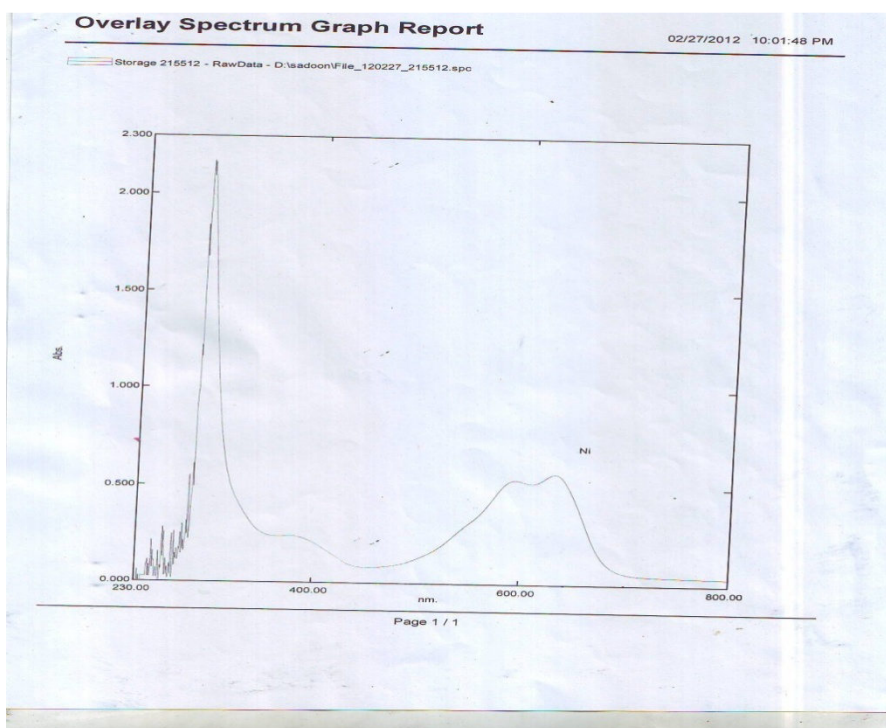


Figure (2) electronic spectra of Ni – AB25 complex

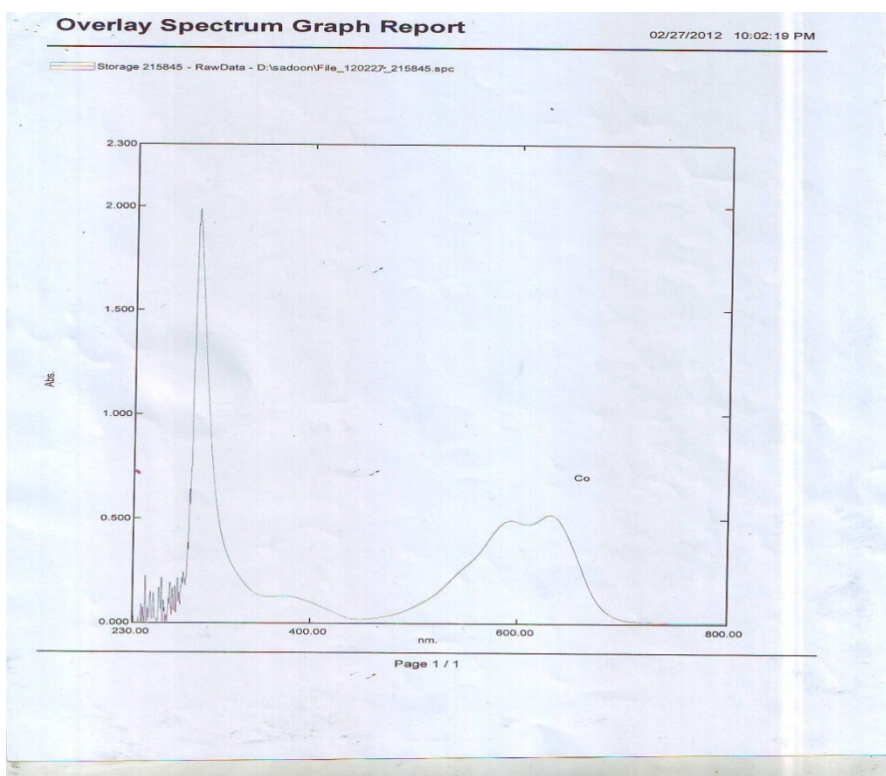


Figure (3) electronic spectra of Co – AB25 complex

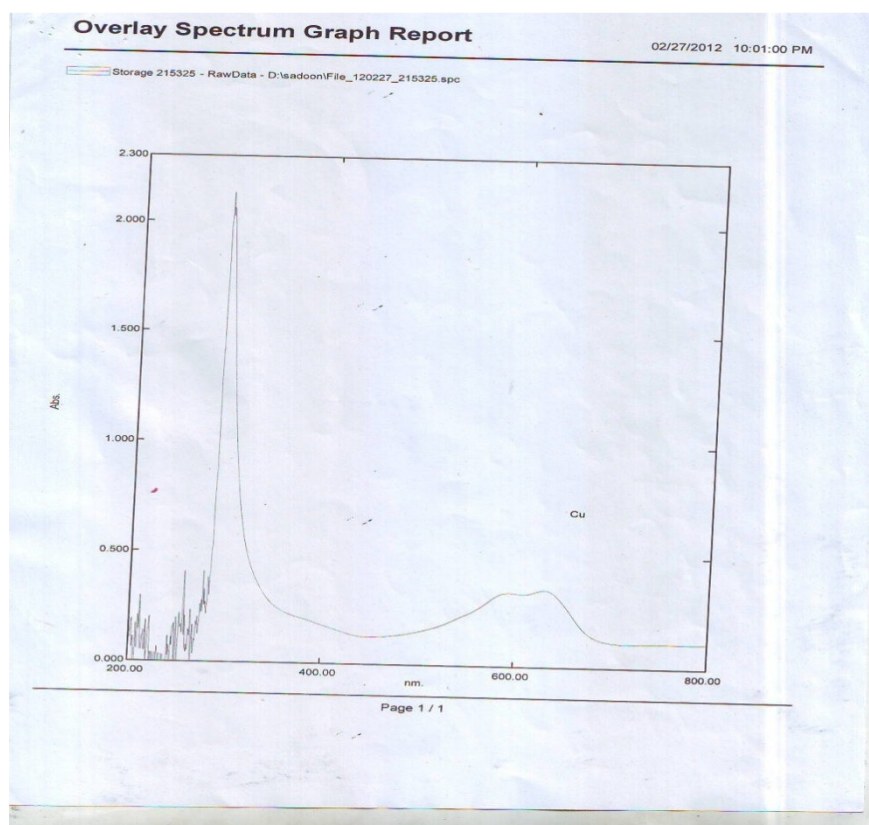


Figure (4) electronic spectra of Cu – AB25 complex

Determination the Complexes Formula :

By using the continuous variation method, the formula of each complex was determined : (1:1) M:L formula for Ni- complex and Cu – complex , (1:2) M:L formula for Co – complex . Table (3) shows the molecular formula of these complexes .

Elements Analysis :

Elements analysis had completed for the ligand and the prepared complexes , table (3) shows the results of the element analysis .

Table (3) element analysis data of the ligand and the complexes :

Com.	AB25	Ni-AB25	Co-AB25	Cu-AB25
M.F.	$C_{20}H_{13}N_2O_5SNa$	$NiC_{20}H_{17}N_2O_7S$	$CoC_{40}H_{26}N_4O_{10}S_2$	$CuC_{20}H_{17}N_2O_7S$
C	57.64 (55.90)	49.20 (48.57)	56.80 (55.10)	48.70 (47.32)
H	3.12 (3.00)	3.48 (3.10)	3.08 (2.82)	3.45 (3.01)
N	6.72 (6.64)	5.74 (5.21)	6.63 (6.01)	5.68 (5.12)
O	19.21 (18.90)	22.95 (22.31)	18.93 (18.23)	22.73 (22.01)
S	7.68 (6.99)	6.56 (6.11)	7.57 (6.88)	6.49 (5.51)
Na	5.52 (4.98)	-----	-----	-----
M	-----	12.03 (11.72)	6.97 (6.21)	12.89 (12.25)

Com. = compound

M.F. = molecular formula

M = metal

Molar Conductivity (Λ_m) Measurements :

The molar conductivity for the aqueous solutions of the ligand and the complexes (10^{-3} M) at 25^oc were measured , the results shown in table (4) .

Determination the Complexes Magnatic Properties :

Magnatic properties of the complexes were measured due to Gouy Balance Methode . The effective magnatic momentum μ_{eff} at 25^o c was calculated and the results are shown in table 4)(

Table (4) analytical and physical properties of the ligand and the complexes :

Compound	AB25	Ni-AB25	Co-AB25	Cu-AB25
M. W.	416.38	487.80	485.00	492.8
$\Lambda_m(\text{ms/cm}^{-1})$	3.721	4.15	0.182	4.08
)BM(μ_{eff}	-----	0.23	1.50	1.52
colour	Blue	Blue - green	=	=
Shape	-----	squar planar	tetrahedral	tetrahedral
hypridization	-----	Dsp ²	d ² sp ³	sp ³

IR Specra :

IR specra for the ligand and the complexes , in their solid state , were recorded in the range (400 – 4000) cm⁻¹ with KBr discs . Figure (5 – 8) shows these spectra and the absorption bands of important groups of the ligand and its complexes are shown in table (5) .

Table (5) important IR absorption bands for ligand and the complexes :

Assignment	AB25	Ni-AB25	Co – AB25	Cu – AB25
N-H(str.)	3435(S) 3300(W)	3522(S) 3437(W)	3446(S) 3335(W)	3419(S) 2929(W)
C-H(str.)	2924(W)	3215(W)	2950(W)	2854(W)
C=O(str.)	1572(S)	1624(S)	1630(S)	1624(S)
C-N(str.)	1234(S)	1230(S)	1300(S)	1384(S) 1363(S)
C=C(str.)	1533(M)	1530(M)	1530(M)	1506(M)
S=O(str.)	1024(S)	1024(S)	987(S)	1109(S)
S-O(str.)	731(S)	669(S)	848(S)	700(S)
C-H(ben.)	950(M)	1815(M)	895(M)	835(M)
C-S(str.)	632(S)	632(S)	630(S)	675(S)

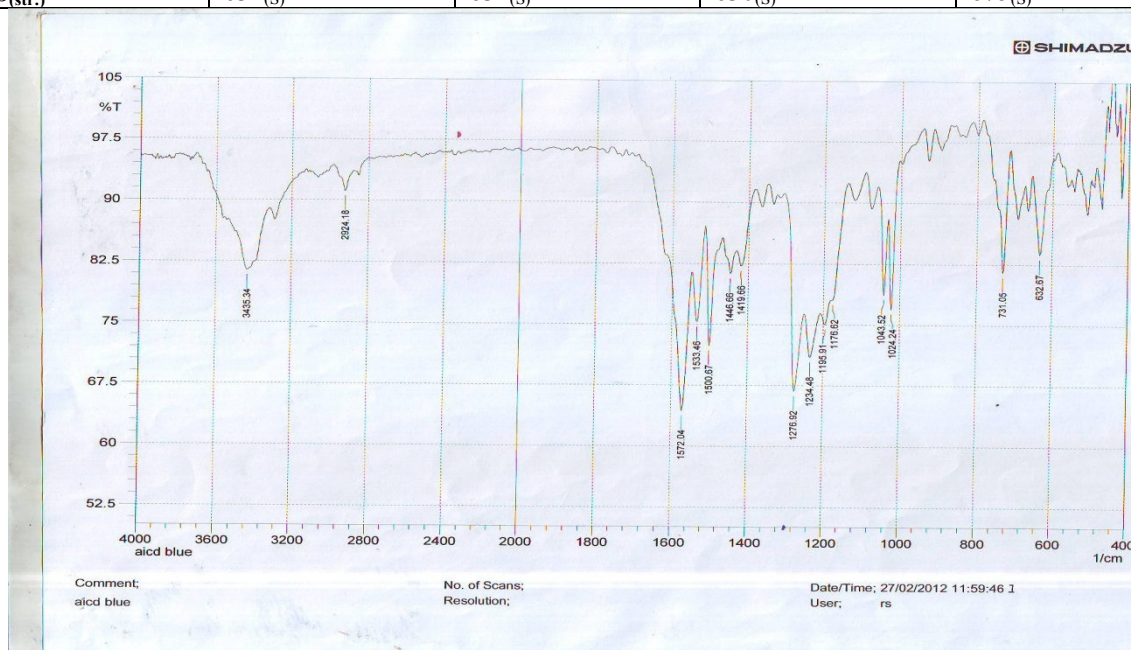


Figure (5) IR spectra of AB25 ligand

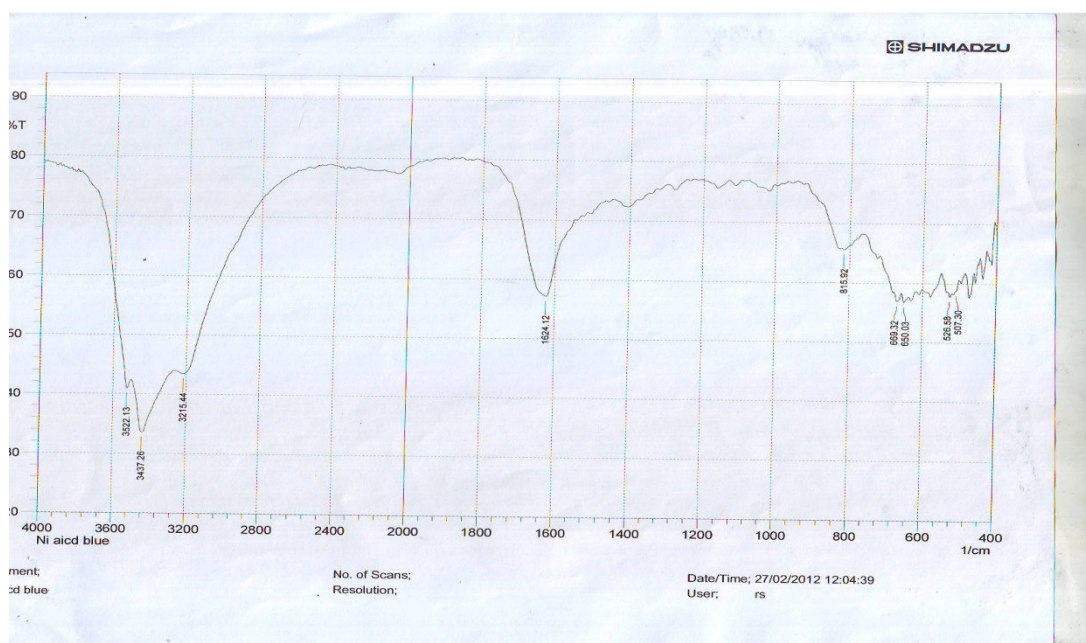


Figure (6) IR spectra of Ni- AB25 complex

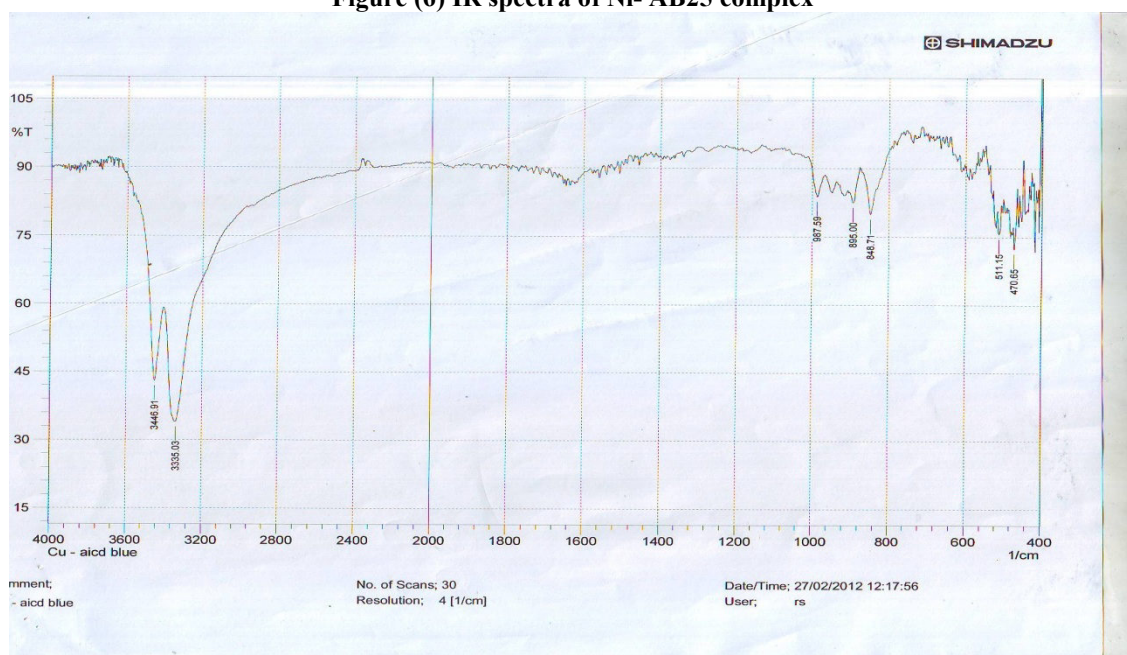


Figure (7) IR spectra of Cu- AB25 complex

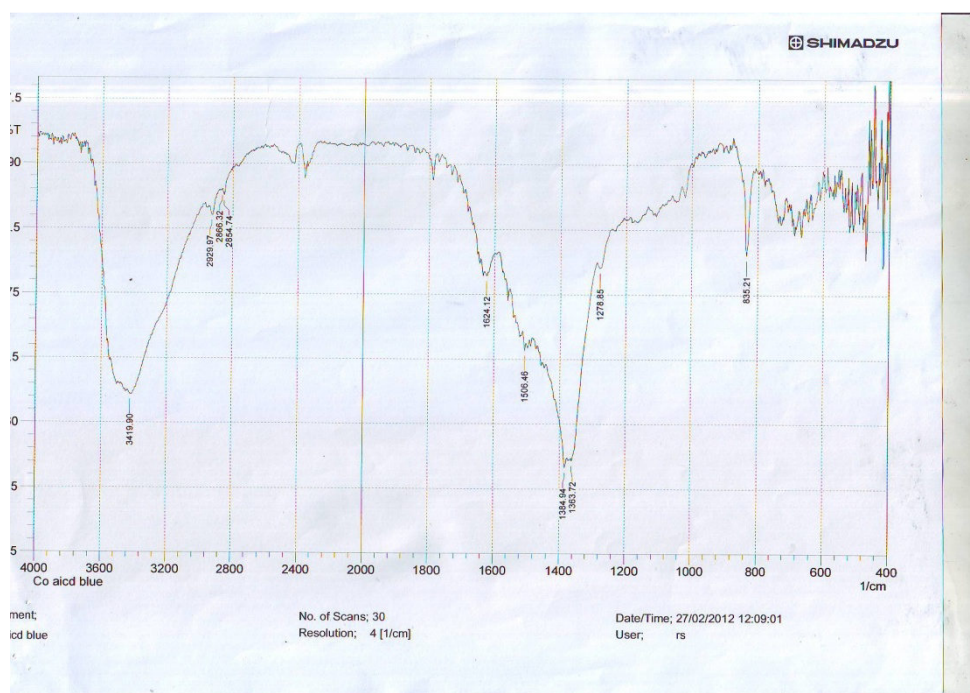


Figure (8) IR spectra of Co- AB25 complex

3 - Results and Discussion

The most important IR absorption bands , in the ligand IR spectrum and the complexes IR spectra within the range (4000 – 400) cm^{-1} , are shown in table (5) . The important stretching bands in the ligand IR spectrum belongs to N-H , C-H , C=O , C-N , S=O , S-O and C-S bands . The shifting observed in the IR spectrum bands of the complexes supports that the coordination between the metals and the ligand via the NH , CO , SO₃ groups and that lead to expect that the electronic environment of the metal atoms had been changed after the coordination process and complexes formation .

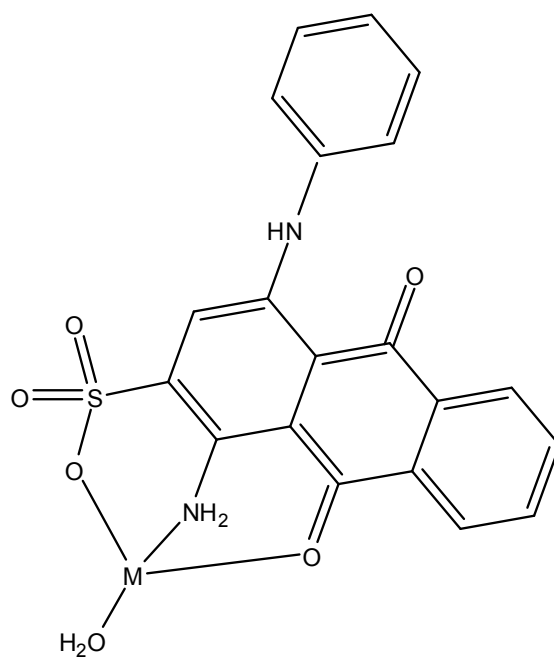
The ligand electronic spectrum shows that there are three principle bands ; 280 nm and 390 nm represent the position transitions of the aromatic rings while the third , 590 nm , belong to charge transfer band . This conclusion agree with the reference (Chang 1975) . Clear displacement (50 nm) had occurred to these bands after the formation of the complexes , that refer to that the electronic environment of coordinated atom had been differed after the coordination process . This result agree with the published research which used like this ligand (Mohamd *et al.* 1984) .

The results of the molar conductivity measurements indicate that the ligand , Ni – complex and Cu – complex have good conductivity due to the positive charge on the coordination core and the nrgative charge on the neighbouring ion , whereas Co – complex has no conductivity due to the neutral coordination core .

The magnetic properties indicate that Ni – complex has diamagnetic properties , whereas Cu – complex and Co – complex have paramagnetic properties .

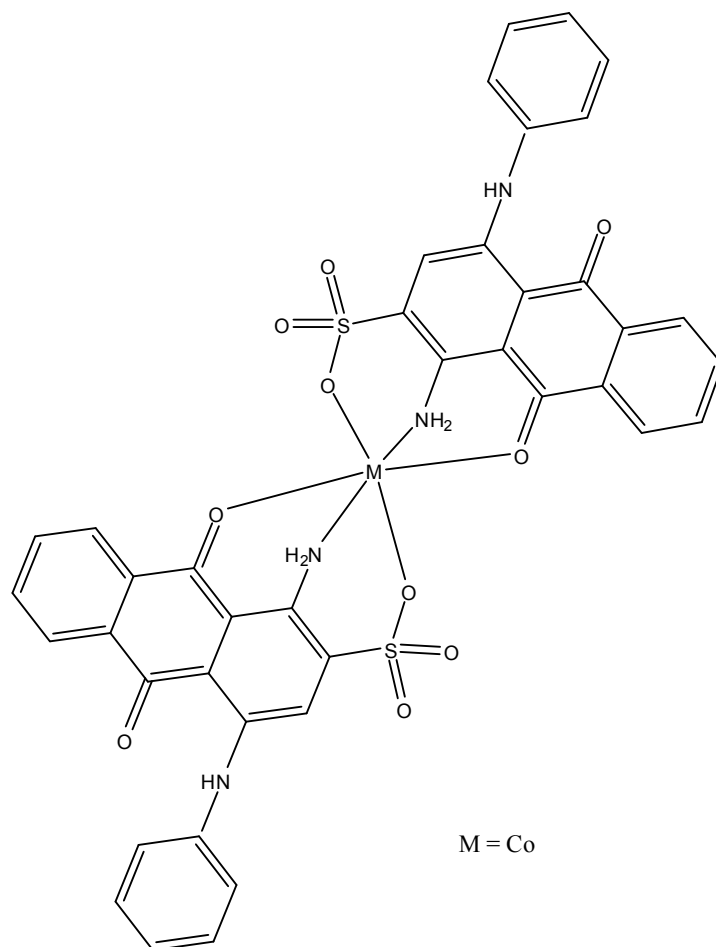
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M = Ni or Cu

Figure (9) geometrical shapes of Ni and Co complexes



M = Co

Figure (10) geometrical shape of Co complex

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