

## Erratum

# Electronic Structure of Saturated Hydrocarbons in the Semi-Empirical Equivalent Orbital Method

## 2. "Through Space Interactions" from the Data for Diamond and Neopentane

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The symmetry assignment obtained on the pages 192–193 holds for the zone center only. For  $q \neq 0$  the valence band structure may be obtained using the matrix elements:

$$\begin{aligned}H_{aa} &= c + 2\beta_t \cos q \\H_{cc} &= a + 2p \cos q \\H_{ab} &= \beta_A + \beta_w \exp(iq) + \beta_A \exp(-iq) + \beta_w \exp(-i2q) \\H_{ac} &= d + s \exp(iq) + \delta_m \exp(-iq) \\H_{bc} &= s + d \exp(iq) + \delta_m \exp(i2q) \\H_{ae} &= d + s \exp(-iq) + \delta_m \exp(iq) \\H_{ca} &= b + 2k \cos q \\H_{ce} &= g + g \exp(-iq) \\H_{cf} &= f + f \exp(-iq)\end{aligned}$$

The corresponding dispersion curves are shown in Fig. 1.

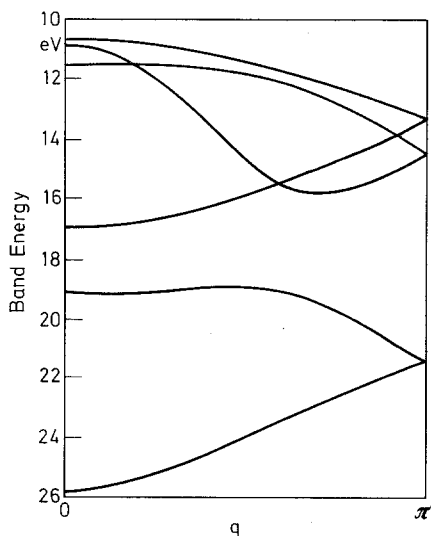


Fig. 1. Band structure of polyethylene valence band

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