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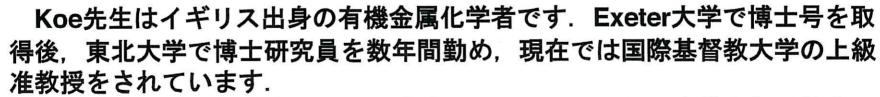
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昨年に引き続き、大学院の集中講義(7月6-8日)のため来学される機会に応用化学セミナーでの講演をお願いしました。多くの皆様の来場をお待ちしております。なお、集中講義の単位取得希望者は必ず出席してください。

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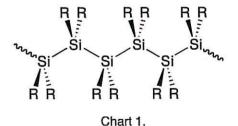


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<Abstract> Polysilanes comprise a inorganic polymer backbone of linearly catenating, σ -conjugating silicon atoms, as shown in Chart 1. These electronically delocalised silicon polymers are characterised spectroscopically by a UV absorption due to the Si σ - σ * transition at wavelengths between 300 and 400 nm. The absorption is a sensitive function of molecular weight, substituent type, electronic and steric effects and conformation, and this differentiates them clearly from their carbon analogues and gives rise to potential for optoelectronic applications.

Polysilanes typically have a helical main chain, with equal proportions of left and right twists, giving rise to internal racemates. In a chiral field, however, a preferential screw sense of the main chain helix can be induced, for which the sign and magnitude of the dissymmetry ratio, g_{abs} (ratio of



CD to UV absorption intensity, $\Delta \epsilon/\epsilon$), has a marked dependence on side chain structure, type of chiral field, solvents and temperature.^{1,2}

This talk will give some background to the polysilanes and optical activity in polysilanes and then go on to present some of our results on inducing and controlling helicity and supramolecular helicity in these systems.^{3,4}

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