

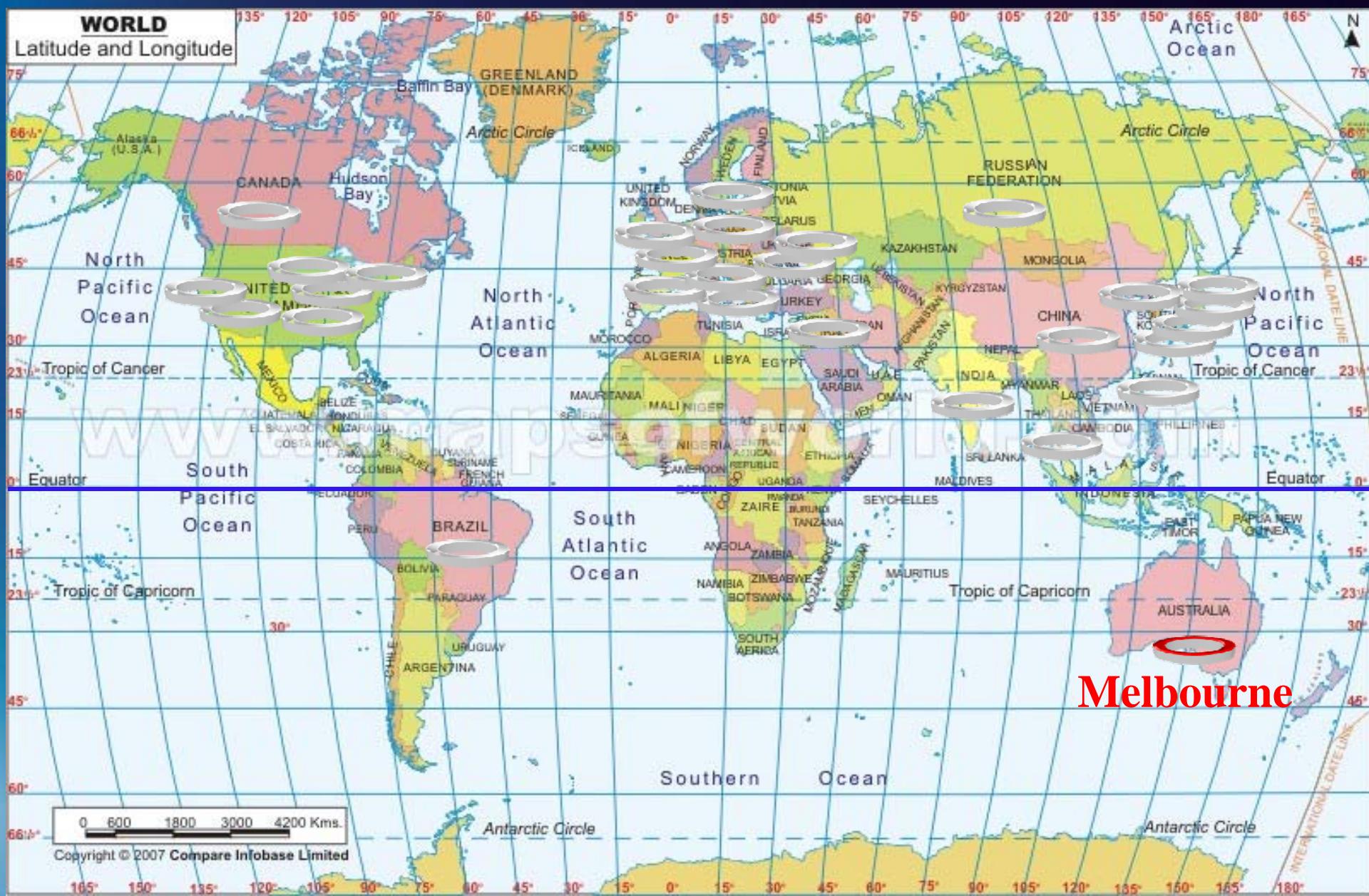
# **Far-IR/THz & High Spectral Resolution Spectroscopy Using Synchrotron Radiation**



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## **Australian Synchrotron**

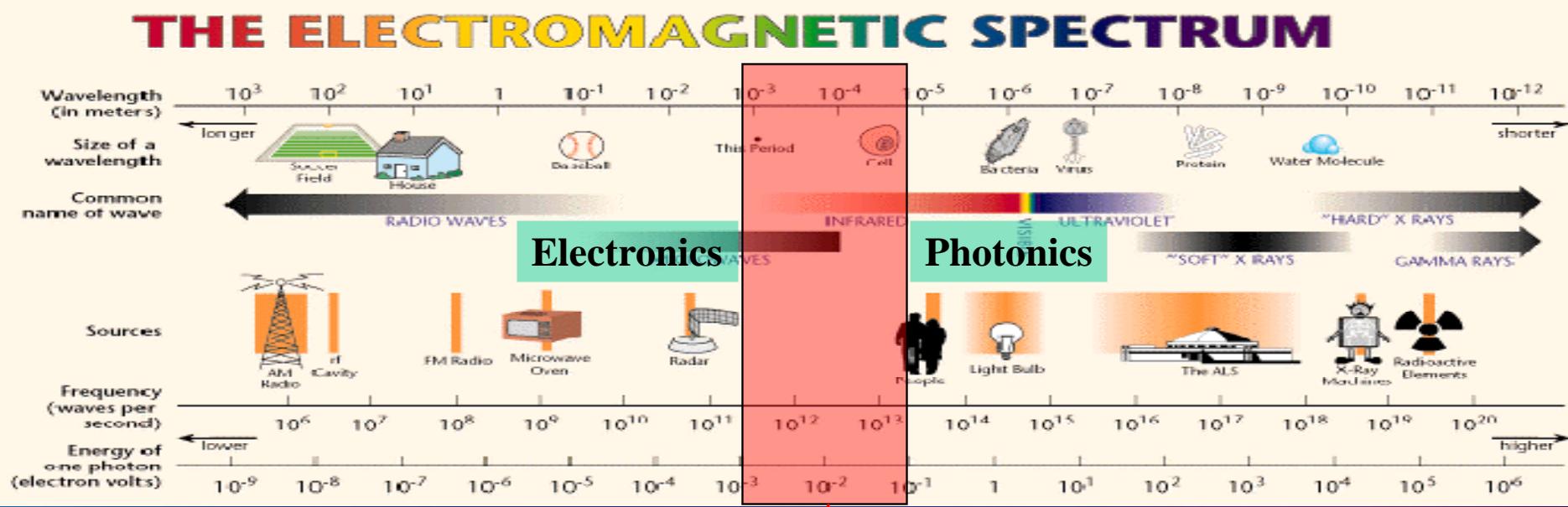


# Infrared beamlines worldwide

	Number of beamlines	Purpose	Status
<b>North America</b>			
ALS Berkley	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
CAMD Baton Rouge	1	Microscopy	Planned
CLS Saskatoon	2	1 Microscopy, 1 <b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
NSLS Brookhaven	6	3 Microscopy, 2 <b>Far-IR</b> , 1 THz	Operational
Surf III Gaithersburg	1	Microscopy	Planned
SRC Madison	1	Microscopy	Operational
<b>Asia and Australia</b>			
Australian Synchrotron	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
INDUS I, India	1	Microscopy	Planned
Helios II, Singapore	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
NSRRC, Taiwan	1	Microscopy	Operational
NSRL, Heife	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Planned
BSRF, Beijing	1	Microscopy	Planned
Spring-8, Himeji	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
UVSOR, Okazaki	1	<b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
<b>Europe</b>			
ESRF, Grenoble	1	Microscopy	Operational
Soleil, St. Aubin	2	1 Microscopy, 1 <b>Far-IR</b>	Commissioning
ELETTRA, Trieste	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
DAPHNE, Frascati	1	<b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
SLS, Villigen	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Commissioning
ANKA, Karlsruhe	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
BESSY II, Berlin	1	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	Operational
DELTA, Dortmund	1	Microscopy	Planned
MAX II, Lund	2	Microscopy and <b>Far-IR</b>	operational
DIAMOND, Didcot	1	Microscopy	Planned

**32 IR Beamlines**

# The far-IR/THz spectral region



$$\begin{aligned}\lambda &= 1000 - 10 \mu\text{m} \\ \nu &= 10 - 1000 \text{ cm}^{-1} \\ v &= 0.3 - 30 \text{ THz} \\ E &= 1 - 124 \text{ mEV}\end{aligned}$$

THz Energy Gap

Far-IR/THz  $\equiv$  XSX

$\rightarrow$  eXtremely Soft X-ray

- lack of adequate tunable lasers
- weakness of conventional thermal sources
- difficulties with far-IR detectors

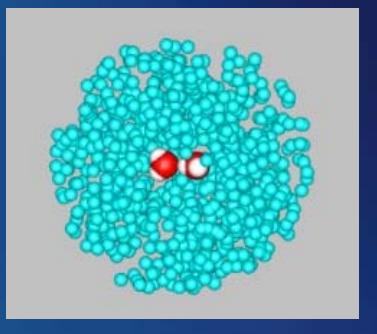
# The Final Frontier



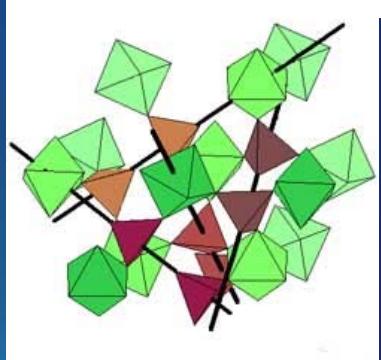
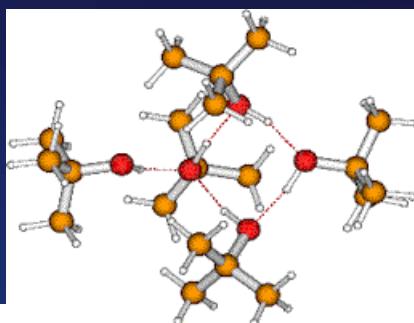
- cw & pulsed THz lasers are now available
- Backward-wave oscillators
- Accelerator-based sources ...

# What kind of interactions take place in the far-IR?

van der Waals energies

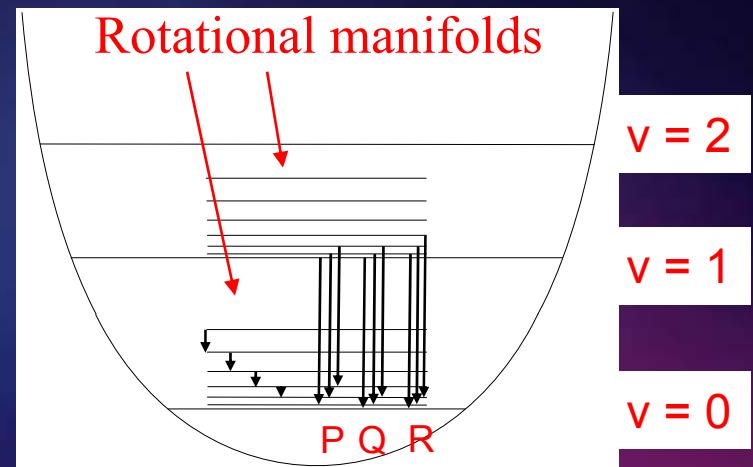


H-bonding



phonon modes

- surface/adsorbate interactions
- biological processes
- chemical dynamics



- rotation of smaller molecules
- ro-vibration of larger molecules

# What can we learn from these interactions?

- How does energy flow within a molecule?
- What is the nature of the weak attractive forces that exist among atoms and molecules?
- How do metal atoms bond to other chemical groups?
- What are the structures of long carbon chain molecules?
- How do the optical properties of a material change under ultra-high pressures?

**... this is just the beginning!**

# Overview

I. IR Spectroscopy

II. Synchrotron IR Radiation

III. The IR Beamline at the Australian Synchrotron

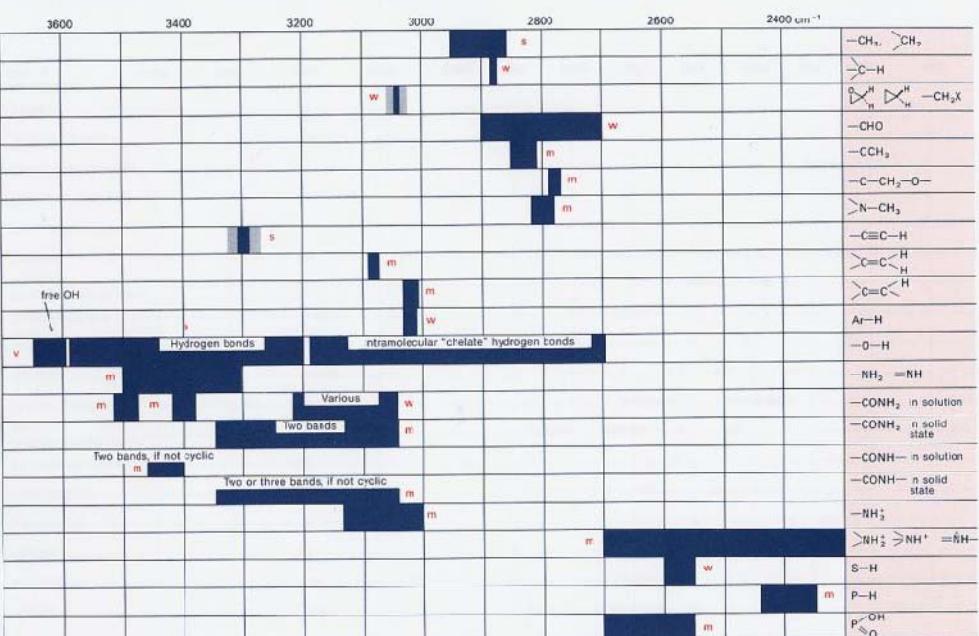
IV. FT Spectroscopy

V. Applications of Far-IR & High Resolution  
Synchrotron Spectroscopy

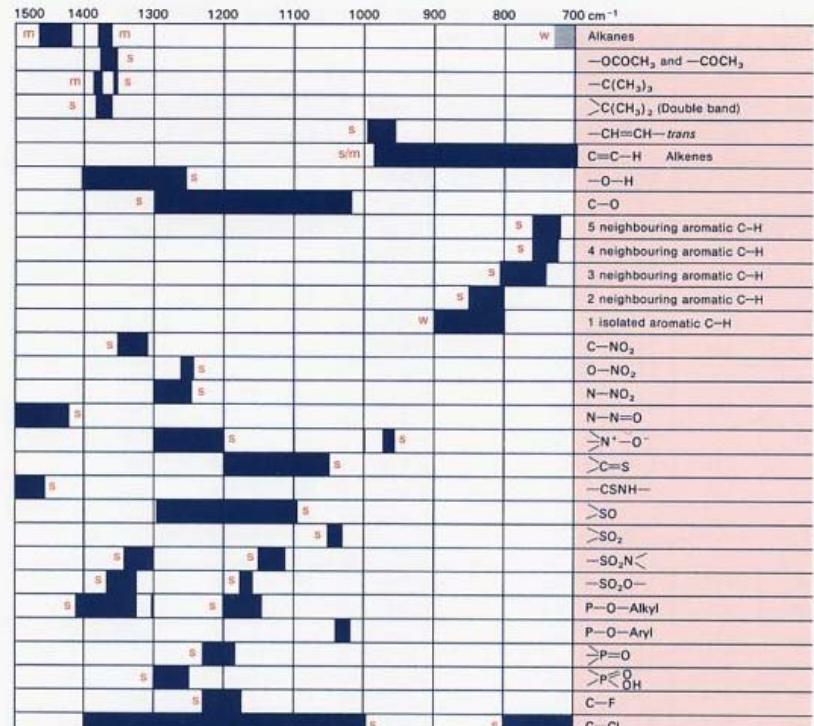
VI. Coherent Synchrotron Radiation

# I. Introduction to IR spectroscopy

# Fingerprint spectral region



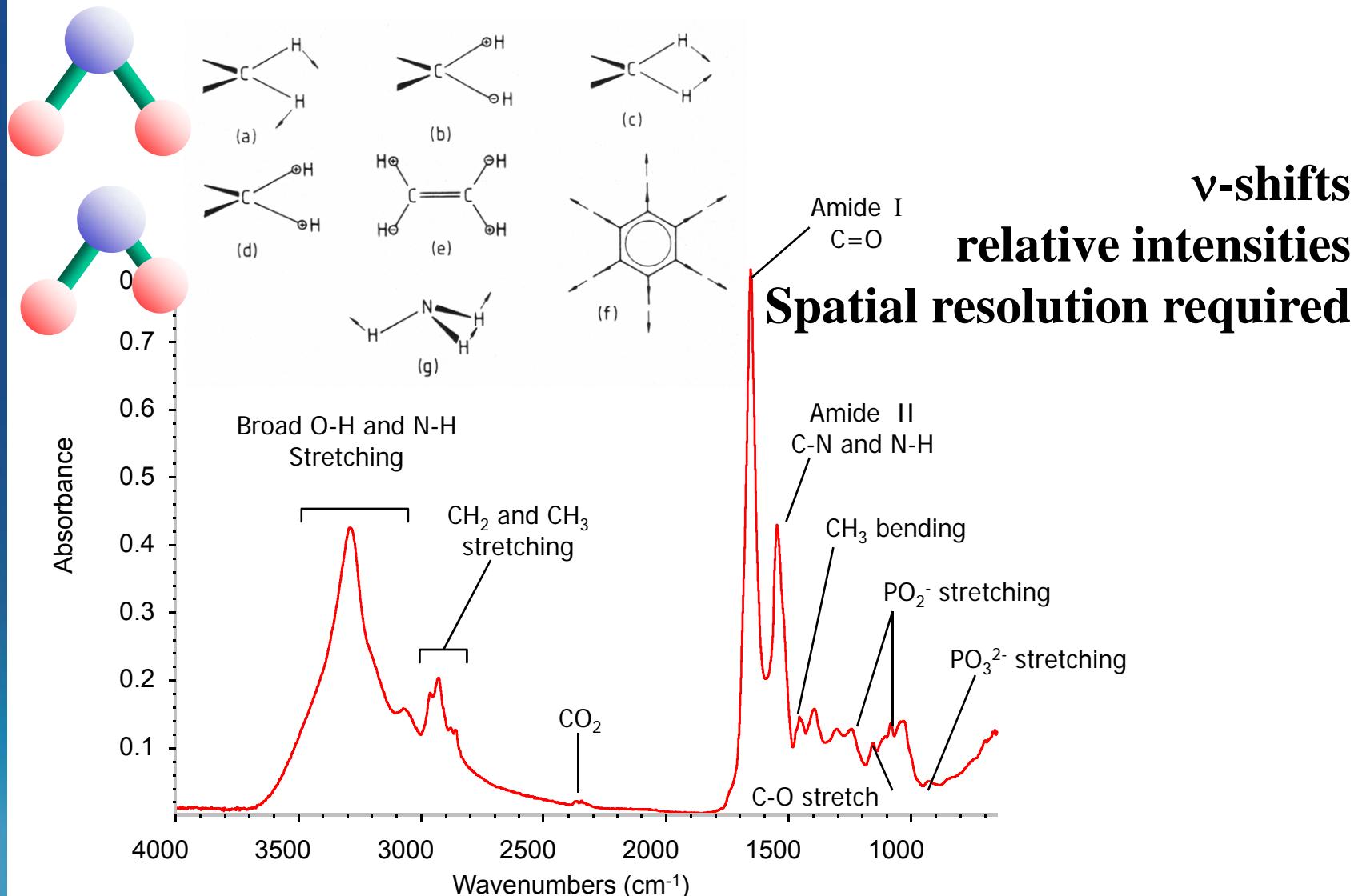
Positions of Stretching Vibrations of Hydrogen (in the hatched ranges the boundaries are not well defined);  
Band intensity: S = strong, m = medium, w = weak, v = varying.



Characteristic Absorptions in the Fingerprint Region (S = strong, m = medium, w = weak)

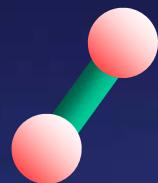
<http://www.brukeroptics.com/downloads.html>

# IR spectroscopy of condensed samples: Vibrational Spectroscopy → spatial resolution



# IR spectroscopy of gas-phase samples: Ro-Vibrational Spectroscopy → Spectral Resolution

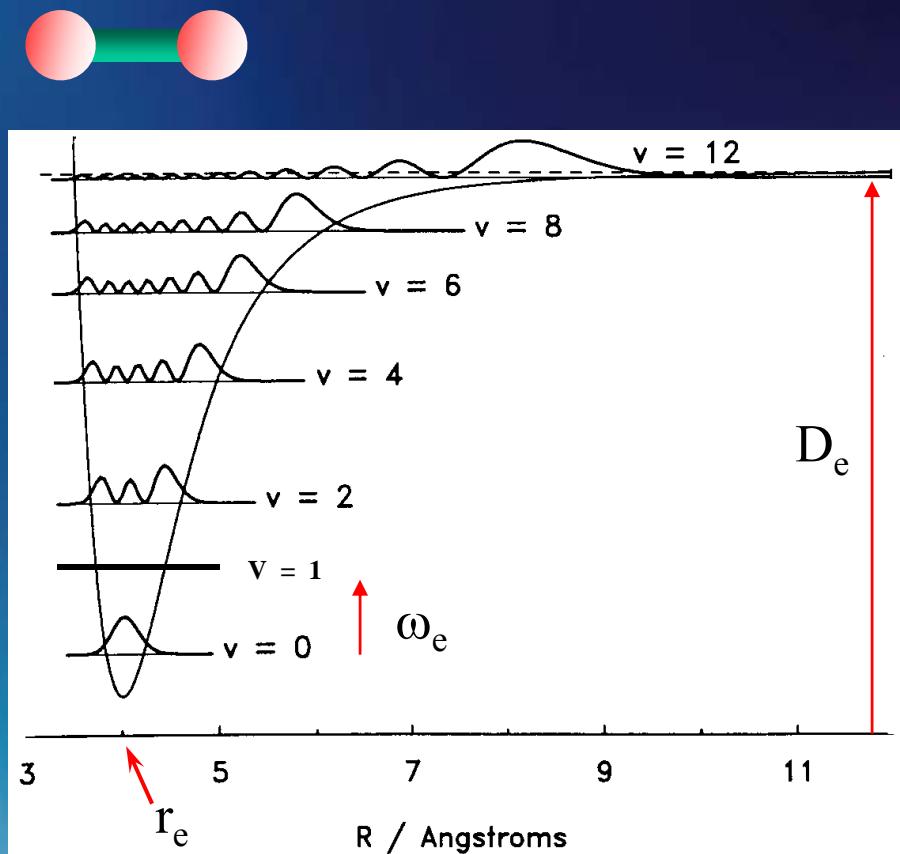
Diatomeric molecules



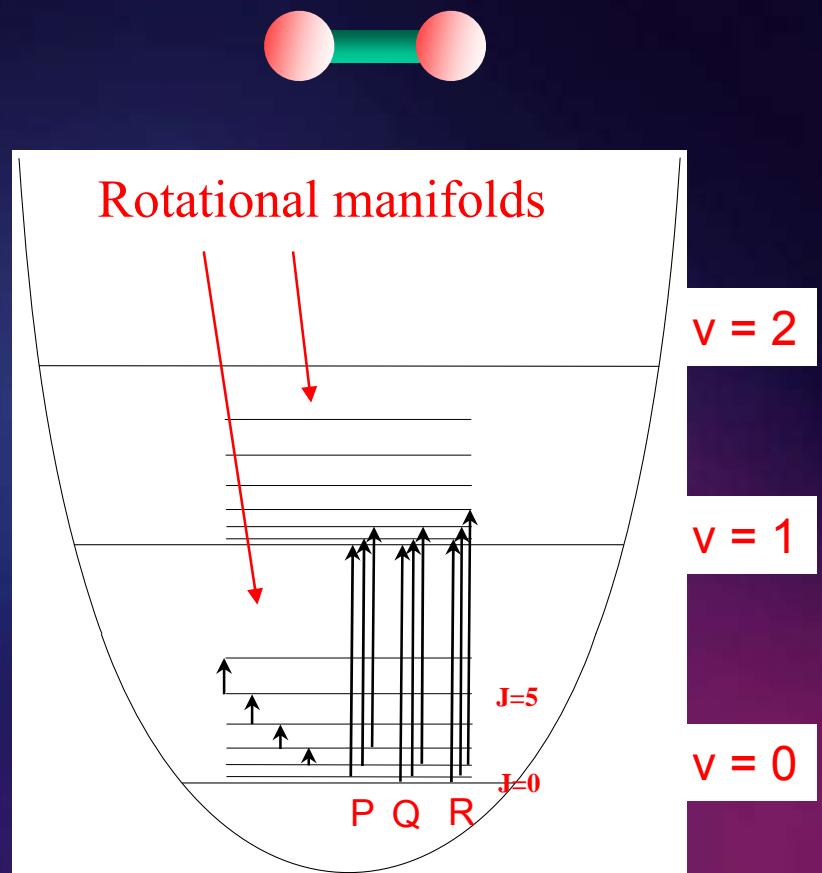
Polyatomic molecules: linear  $3N-5$  modes  
non-linear  $3N-6$  modes



Potential energy curve of a diatomic molecule in its ground electronic state.



Manifold of rotational states within each vibrational level



# Diatom Model

$$E(v, J) = T_e + G(v) + F_v(J)$$

where

$$G(v) = \omega_e(v + \frac{1}{2}) - \omega_e x_e(v + \frac{1}{2})^2 + \omega_e y_e(v + \frac{1}{2})^3 + \dots$$

$$F_v(J) = B_v J(J+1) - D_v (J(J+1))^2 + H_v (J(J+1))^3 + \dots$$

where

$$B_v = B_e - \alpha_e(v + \frac{1}{2}) + \beta_e(v + \frac{1}{2})^2 + \dots$$

$$B_e \propto 1/\mu r_e^2$$

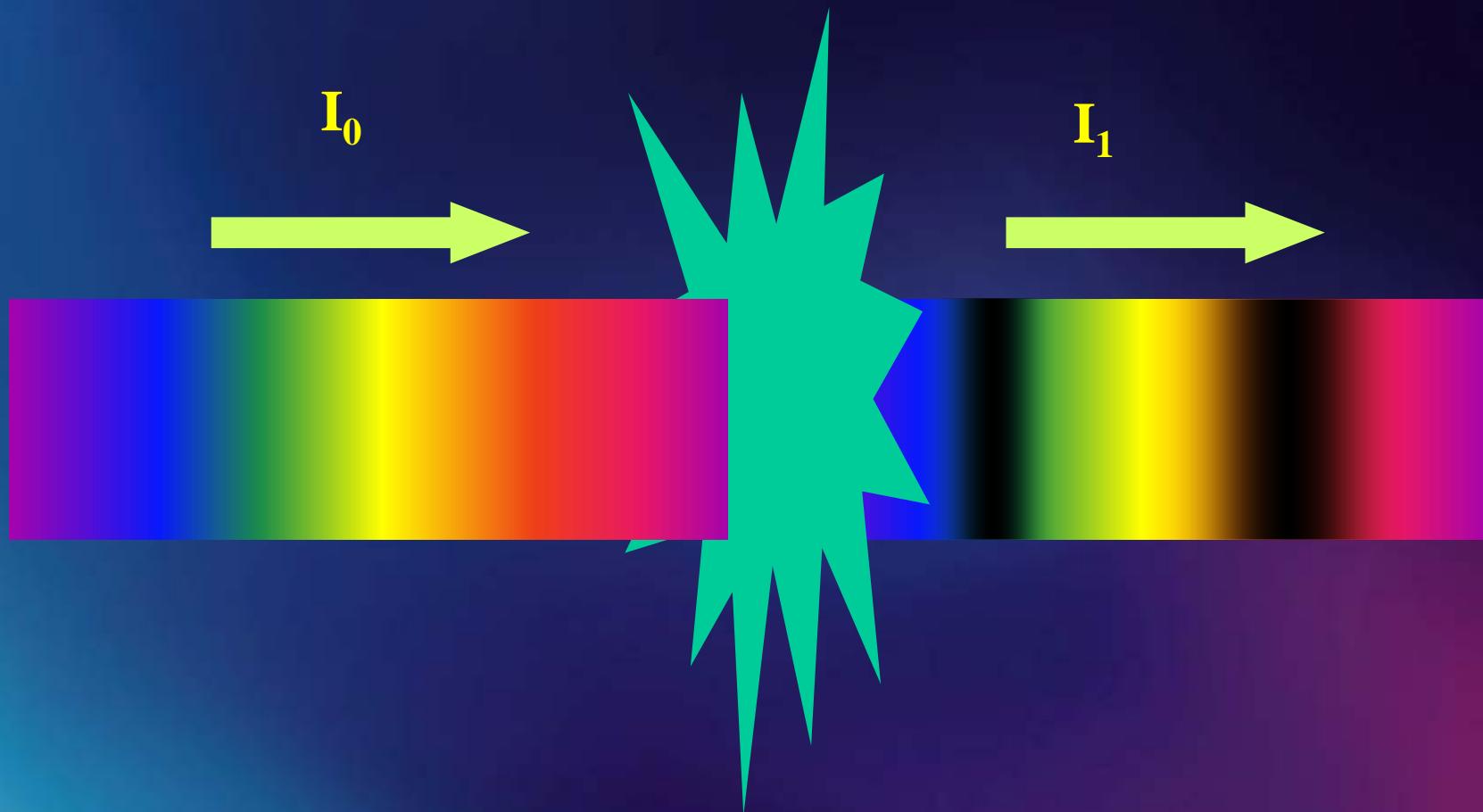
$$D_e \sim \sum_{v=0} \Delta G_v$$

$\omega_e$  is the fundamental frequency ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ )

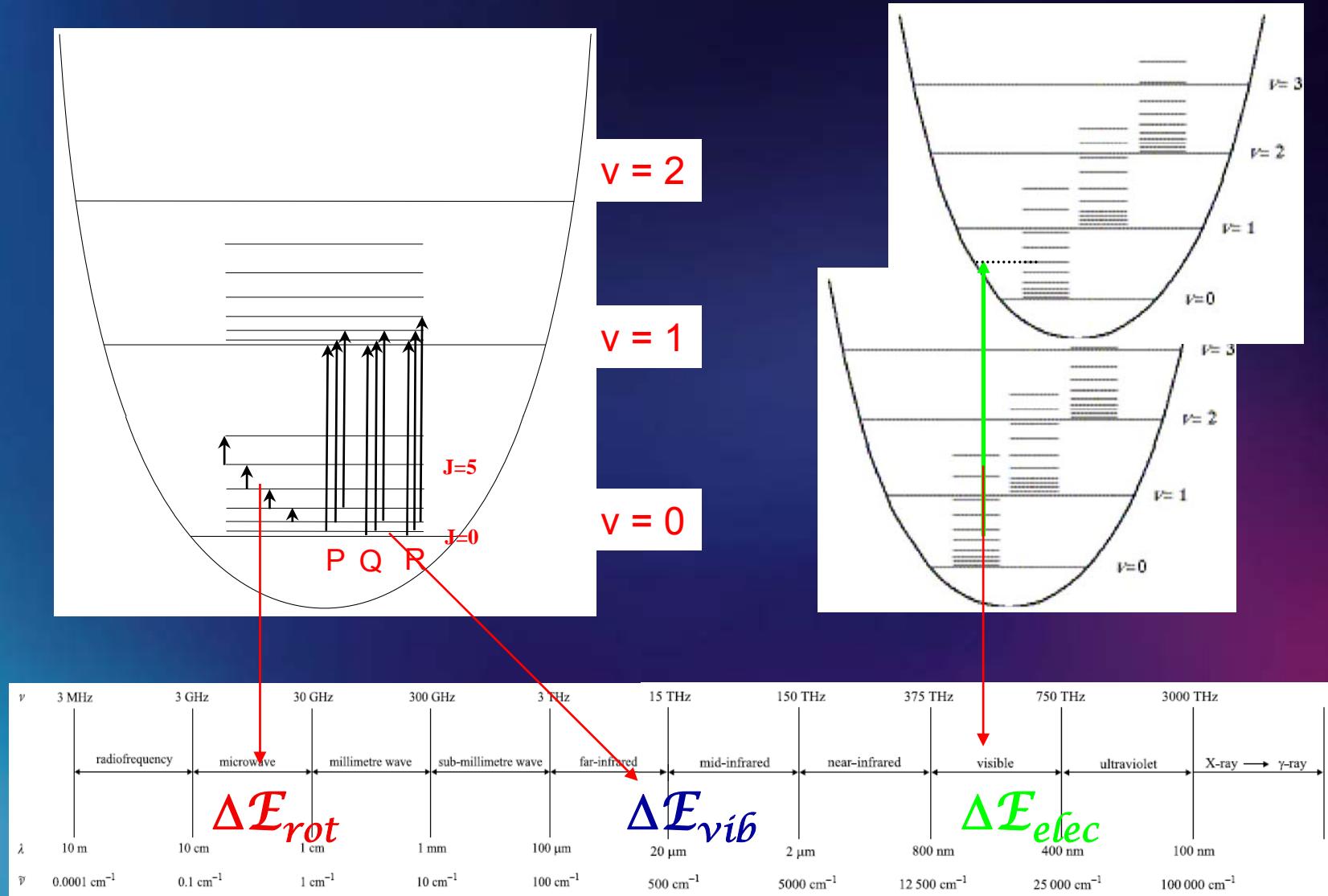
$r_e$  is the bond length

$D_e$  is the dissociation energy

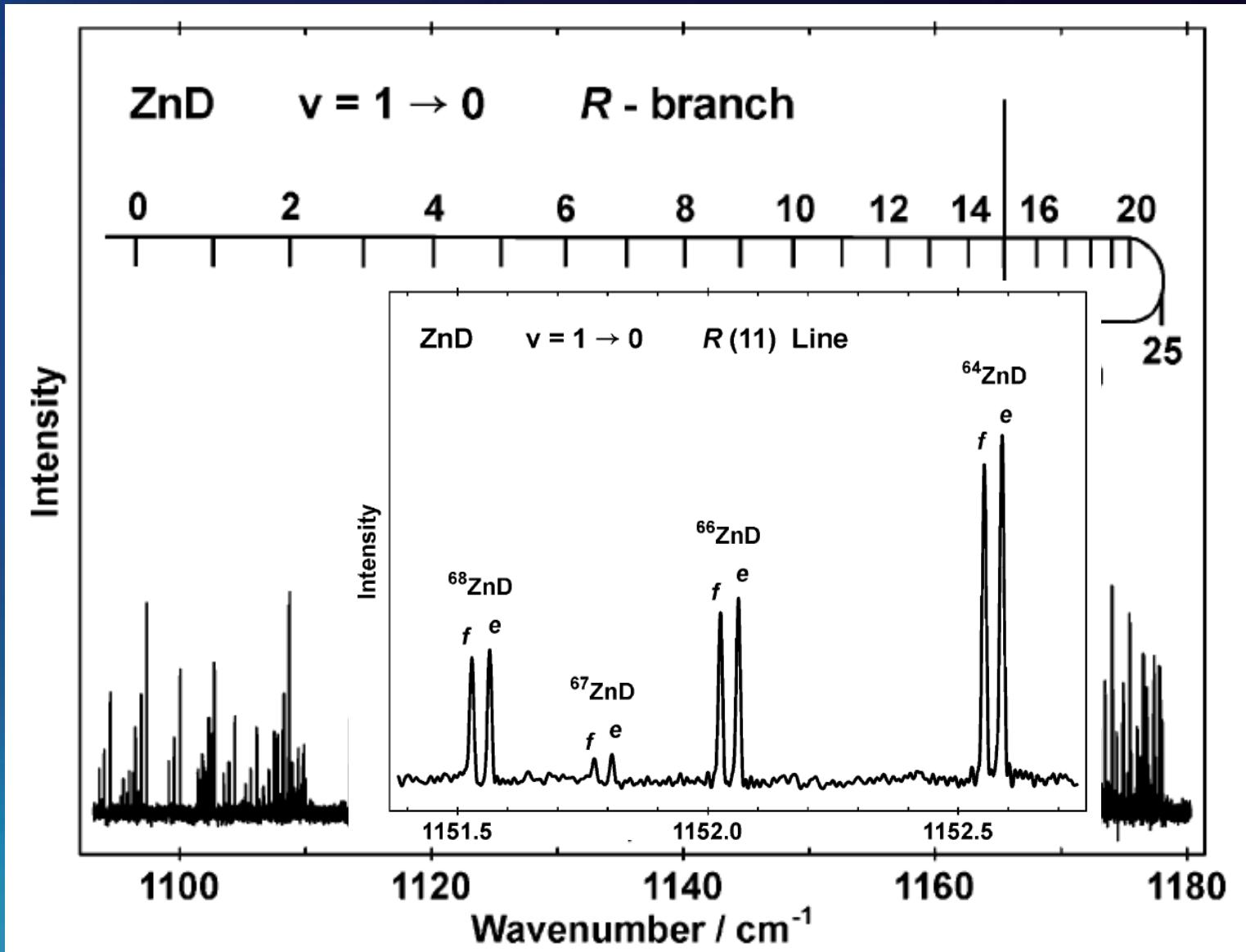
# Absorption Spectroscopy...



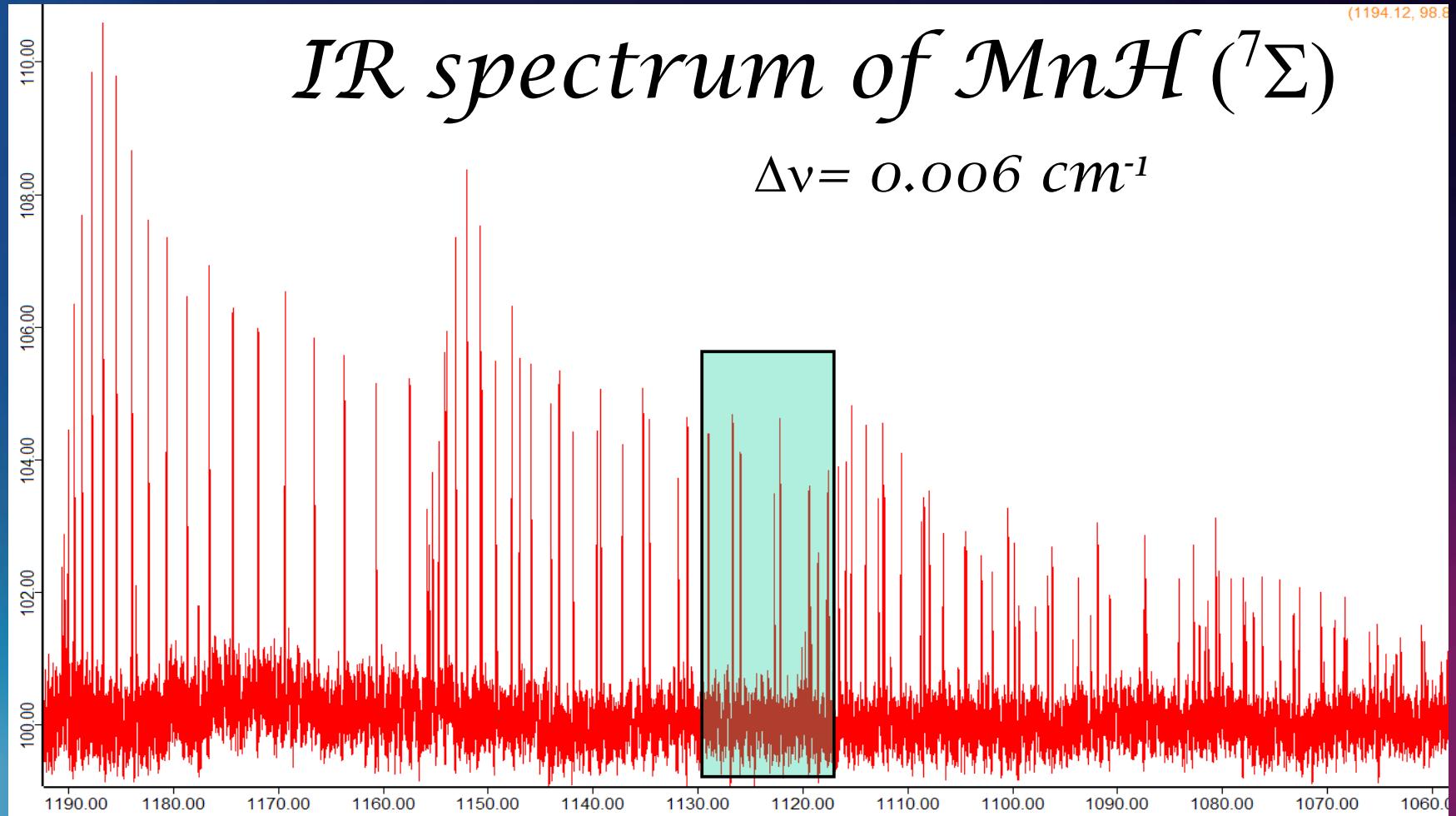
# Rotational, vibrational and electronic Transitions



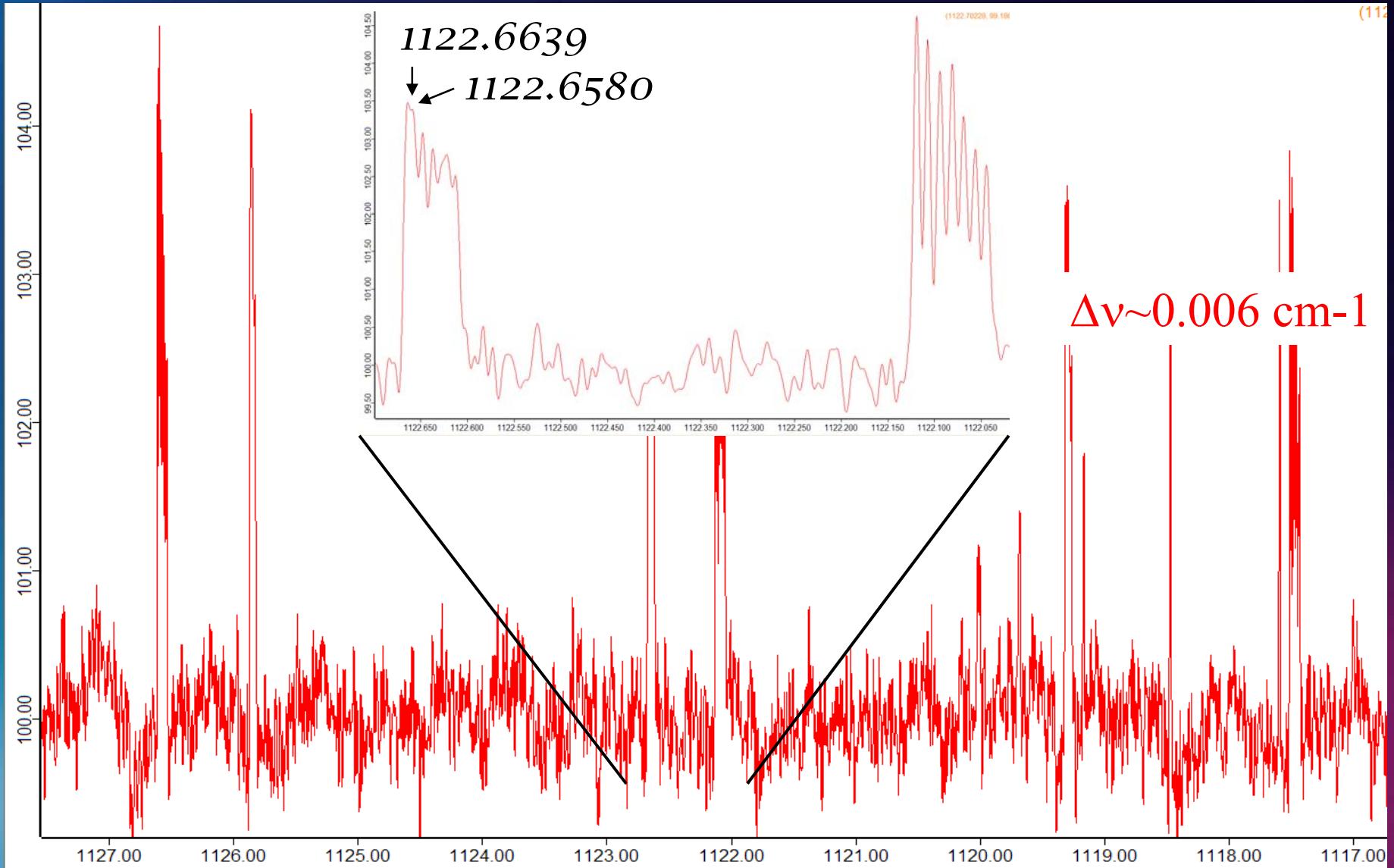
# IR emission spectrum of ZnD ( $^2\Sigma$ )



*Life can get complicated even for diatomics*



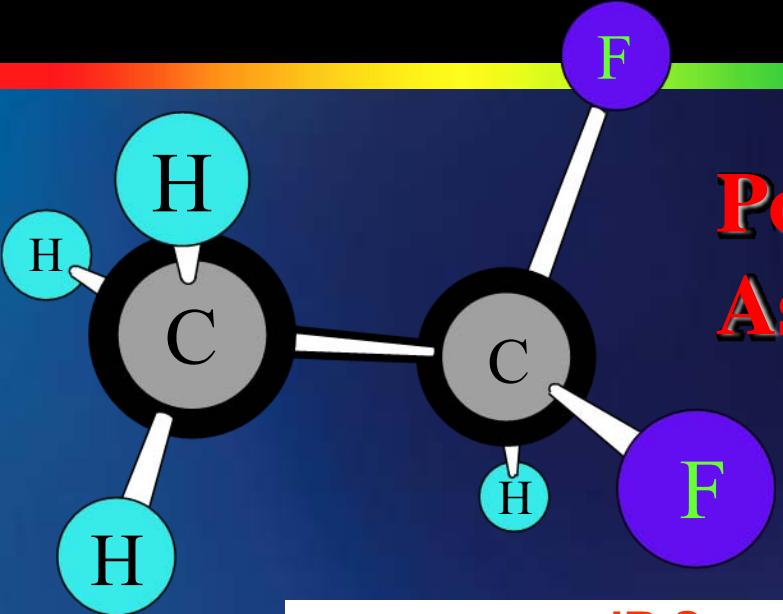
# IR spectrum of MnH ( $^7\Sigma$ )



# Simply put, spectra for diatomic molecules can be complicated and congested!

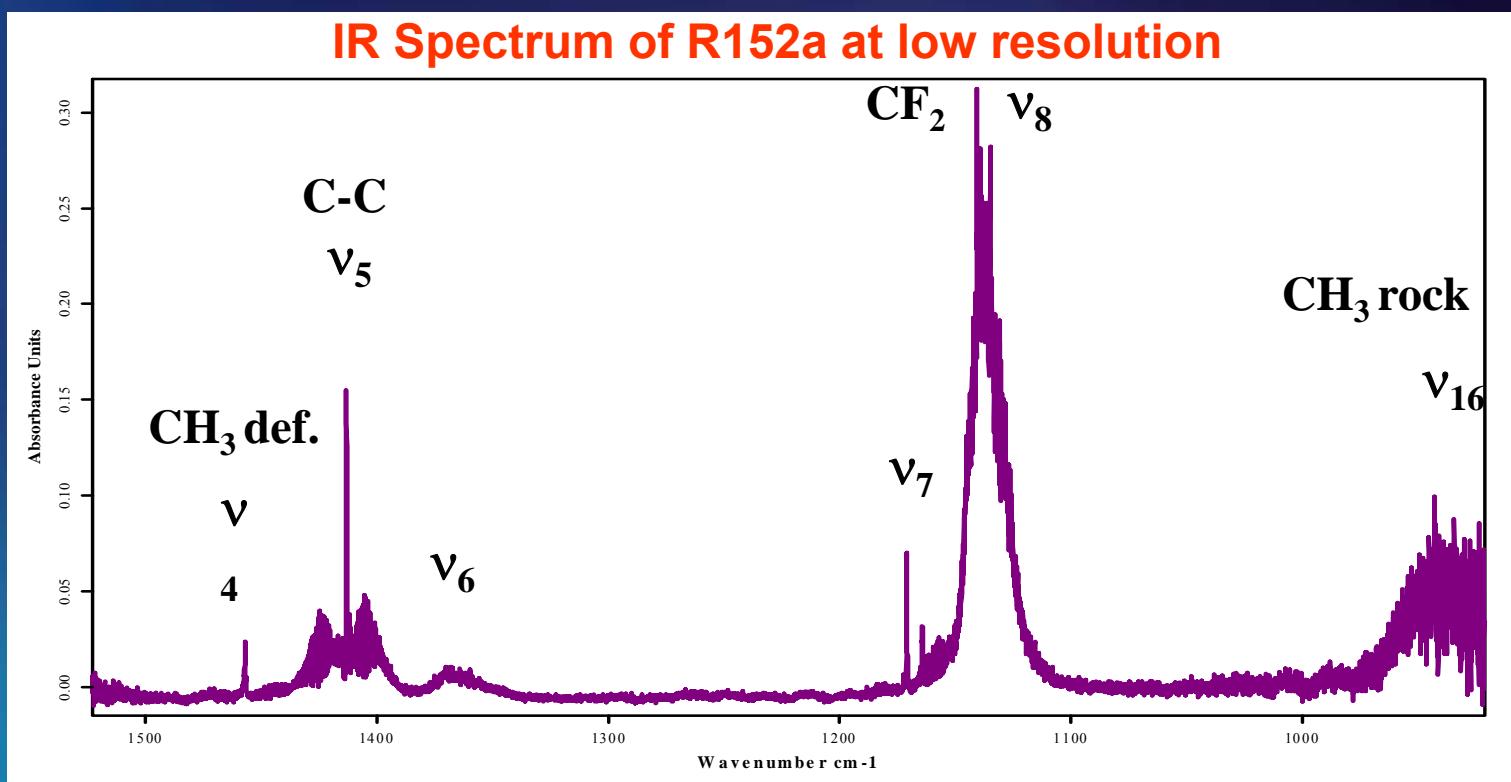
- Heavy molecules: closely-spaced transitions, overlapping bands, and narrow linewidths
- Presence of naturally occurring isotopomers in measurable quantities
- High-spin electronic states due to open-shells: spin-splitting

... Need high spectral resolution!

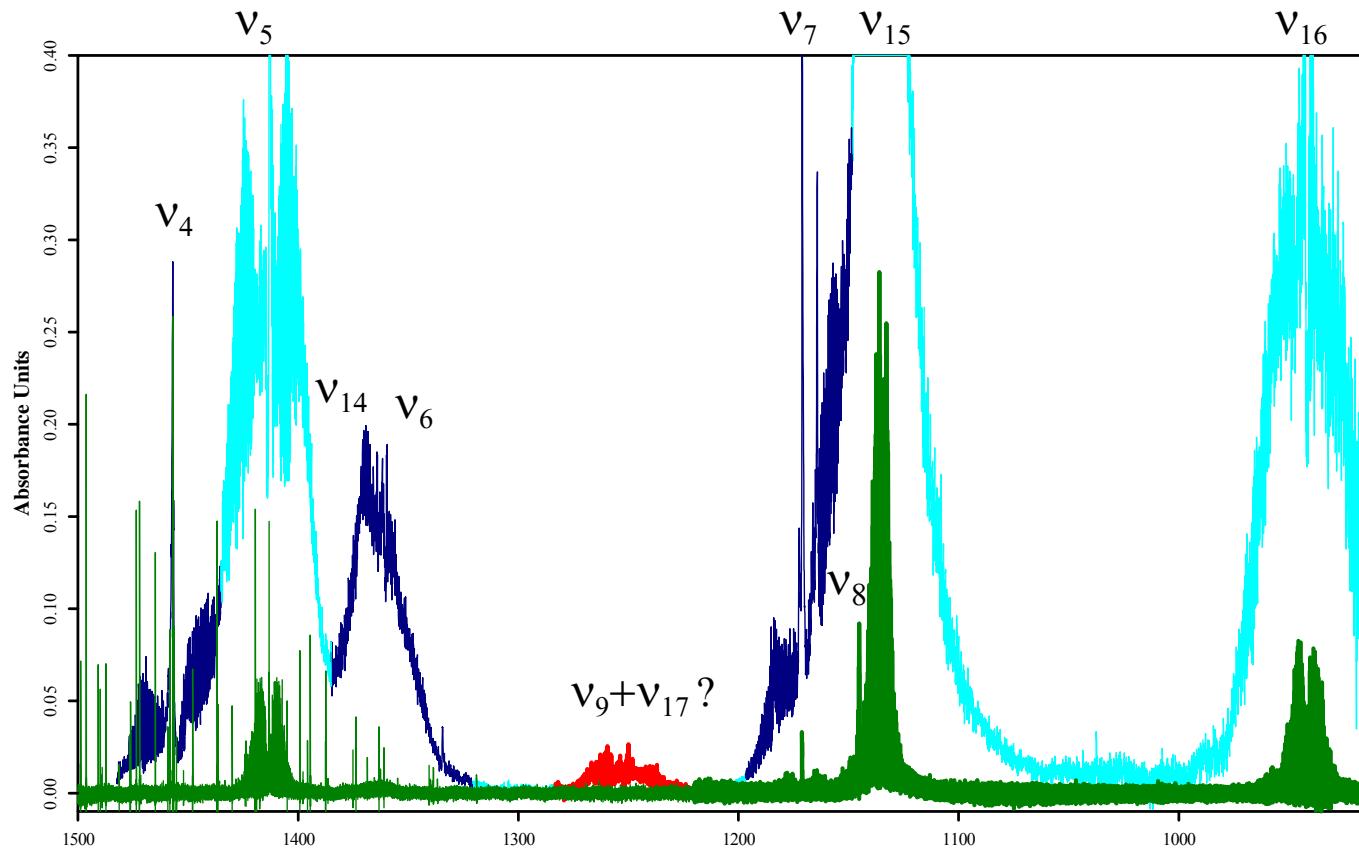


## Polyatomics: Asymmetric Top Molecule

Normal modes of vibration of R152a  
3N-6 modes where N=8  $\equiv$  18 modes



# Part of the IR spectrum of R152a



Low resolution EFC spectrum

# Asymmetric Rotor Model

$$\langle v:J,K|H| v:J,K \rangle = v + \bar{B} J(J+1) + (A - \bar{B}) K^2$$

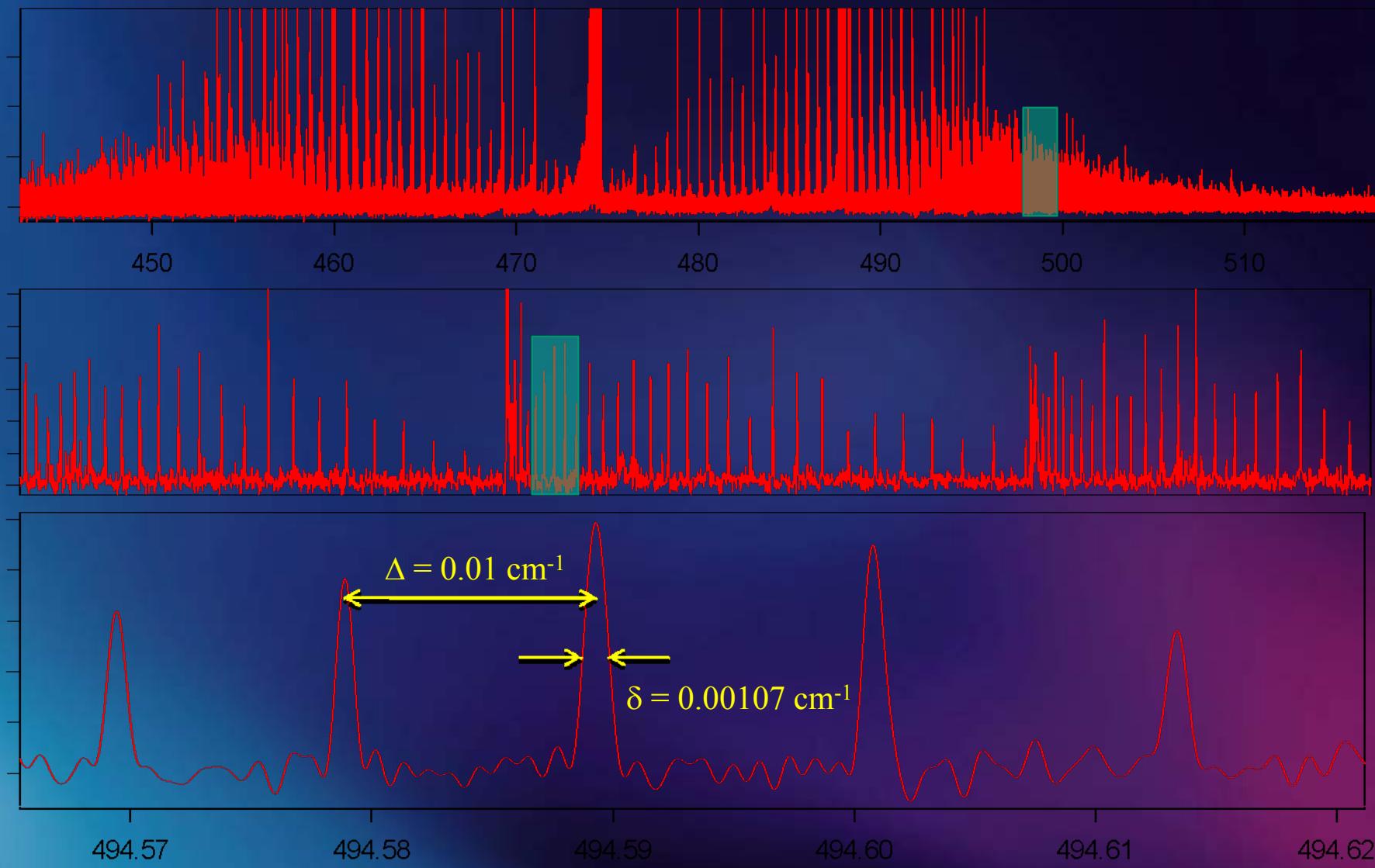
$$\begin{aligned}
 & - \Delta_{JJ} [J(J+1)]^2 - \Delta_{JK} J(J+1) K^2 - \Delta_{KK} K^4 \\
 & + \Phi_{JJJ} [J(J+1)]^3 + \Phi_{JJK} [J(J+1)]^2 K^2 + \Phi_{JKK} [J(J+1)] K^4 + \Phi_{KKK} K^6 \\
 & - \Lambda_{JJJJ} [J(J+1)]^4 - \Lambda_{JJJK} [J(J+1)]^3 K^2 - \Lambda_{JJKK} [J(J+1)]^2 K^4 - \Lambda_{JKKK} J(J+1) K^6 - \\
 & \Lambda_{KKKK} K^8 \quad \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle v:J,K|H| v:J,K \pm 2 \rangle = & [ \bar{B} - \delta_J J(J+1) - \delta_K \{(K \pm 2)^2 + K^2\} \\
 & + \phi_{JJ} [J(J+1)]^2 + 1/2 \phi_{JK} [J(J+1)] \{(K \pm 2)^2 + K^2\} + 1/2 \phi_{KK} \{(K \pm 2)^4 + K^4\} \\
 & - \lambda_{JJJ} [J(J+1)]^3 - \lambda_{JKK} [J(J+1)]^2 \{(K \pm 2)^2 + K^2\} - \lambda_{JKK} [J(J+1)] \{(K \pm 2)^4 + K^4\} \\
 & - \lambda_{KKK} \{(K \pm 2)^6 + K^6\} \dots ] F_{\pm}(J,K) F_{\pm}(J,K \pm 1)
 \end{aligned}$$

where  $F_{\pm}(J,K) = \{ J(J+1) - K(K \pm 1) \}^{1/2}$

$$\bar{B} = 1/2 (B-C)$$

# Pyrrole at $0.00096\text{ cm}^{-1}$ ( $\sim 0.1\text{ \mu eV}$ )



# Spectroscopic issues to contend with

- Overlapping & Hot bands
- Coupling of vibrational modes: Coriolis and Fermi resonances
- Closely spaced lines & Narrow linewidths as the MW increases
- Isotope splitting
- Hyperfine structure

.... Clearly we need **high spectral** resolution in order to resolve these narrow spectral lines!

How high a resolution is required?

**Observed Linewidth:**  $\Delta v_{\text{Obs}} \sim \sqrt{\Delta v_{\text{Dop}}^2 + \Delta v_{\text{col}}^2 + \Delta v_{\text{ILW}}^2}$

Different factors contribute to the width of an observed transition

Doppler width,  $\Delta v_D = 2v\sqrt{2\ln 2k/c^2}\sqrt{T/M} \sim 7.16\text{E-}7 v\sqrt{T/M}$

Pressure broadening,  $\Delta v_{\text{col}} = 16pr^2/\sqrt{\pi M k T} \sim 3\text{E-}4 \text{ cm}^{-1} / \text{Torr}$

Instrument linewidth  $\equiv \Delta v_{\text{ILW}}$  dictated by apodisation function

**Therefore, the observed linewidth can be minimised by reducing the Temperature and Pressure!**

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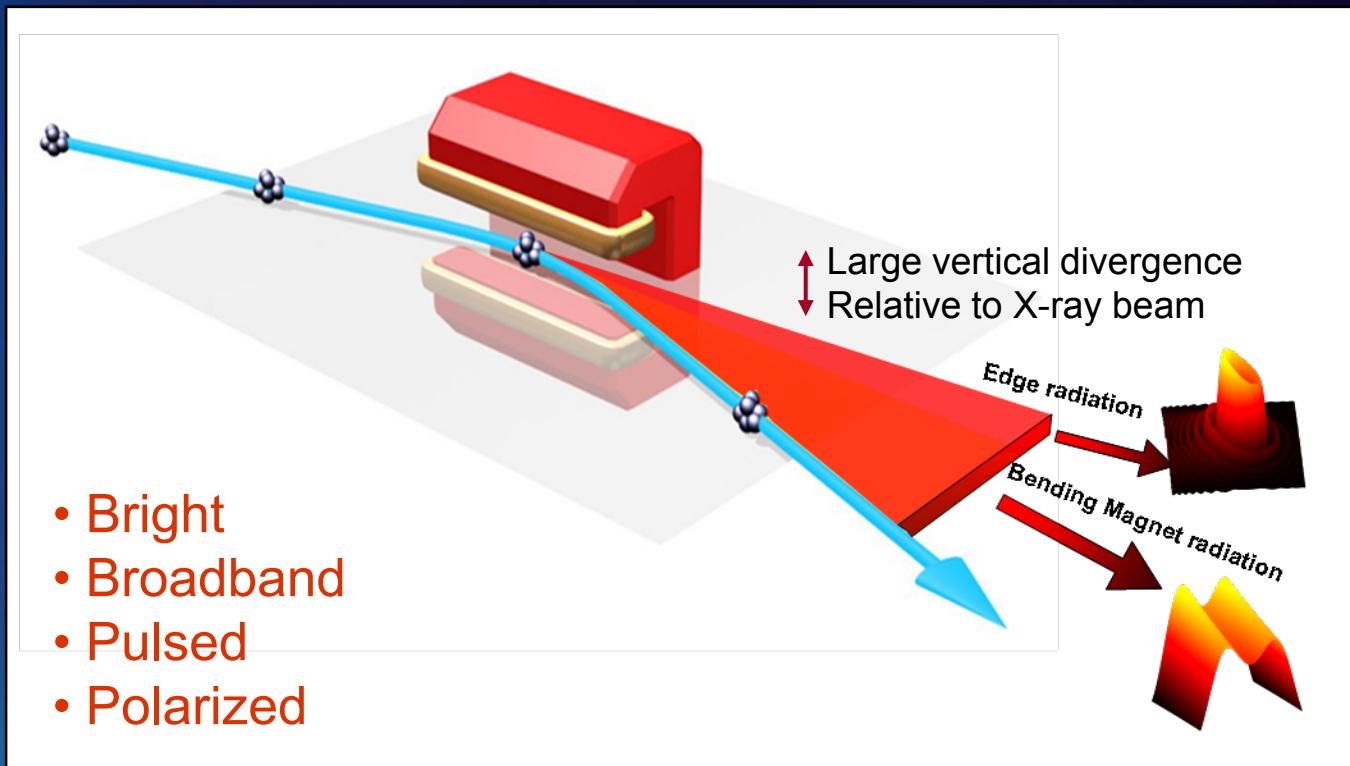
- Small quantity of sample to minimize Pressure broadening effects or hard to synthesize
- Isotopologues with low natural abundance
- Weak absorbers

.... Need **bright source!**

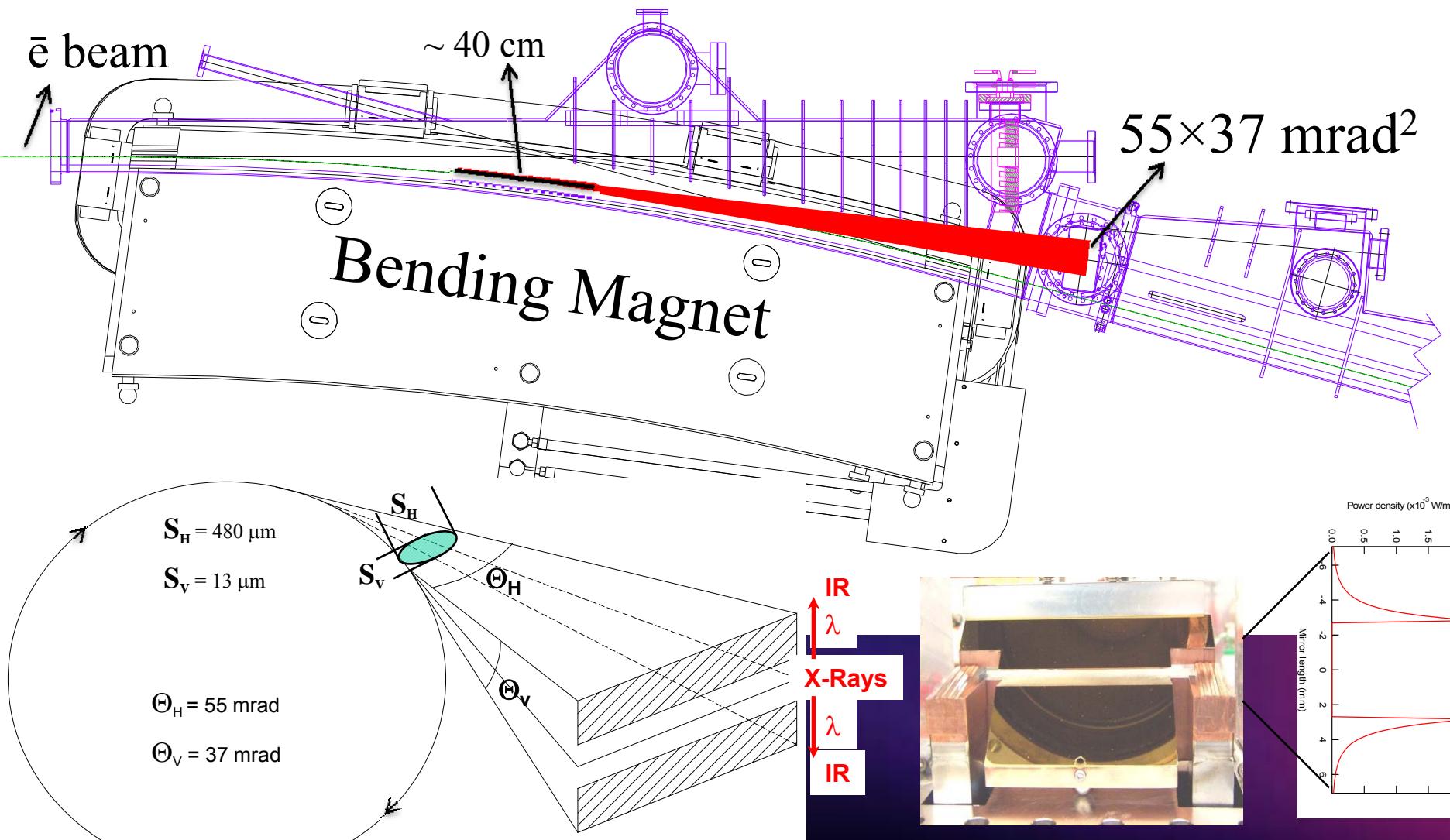
## II. SYNCHROTRON INFRARED LIGHT

# Infrared mission from a synchrotron bending magnet

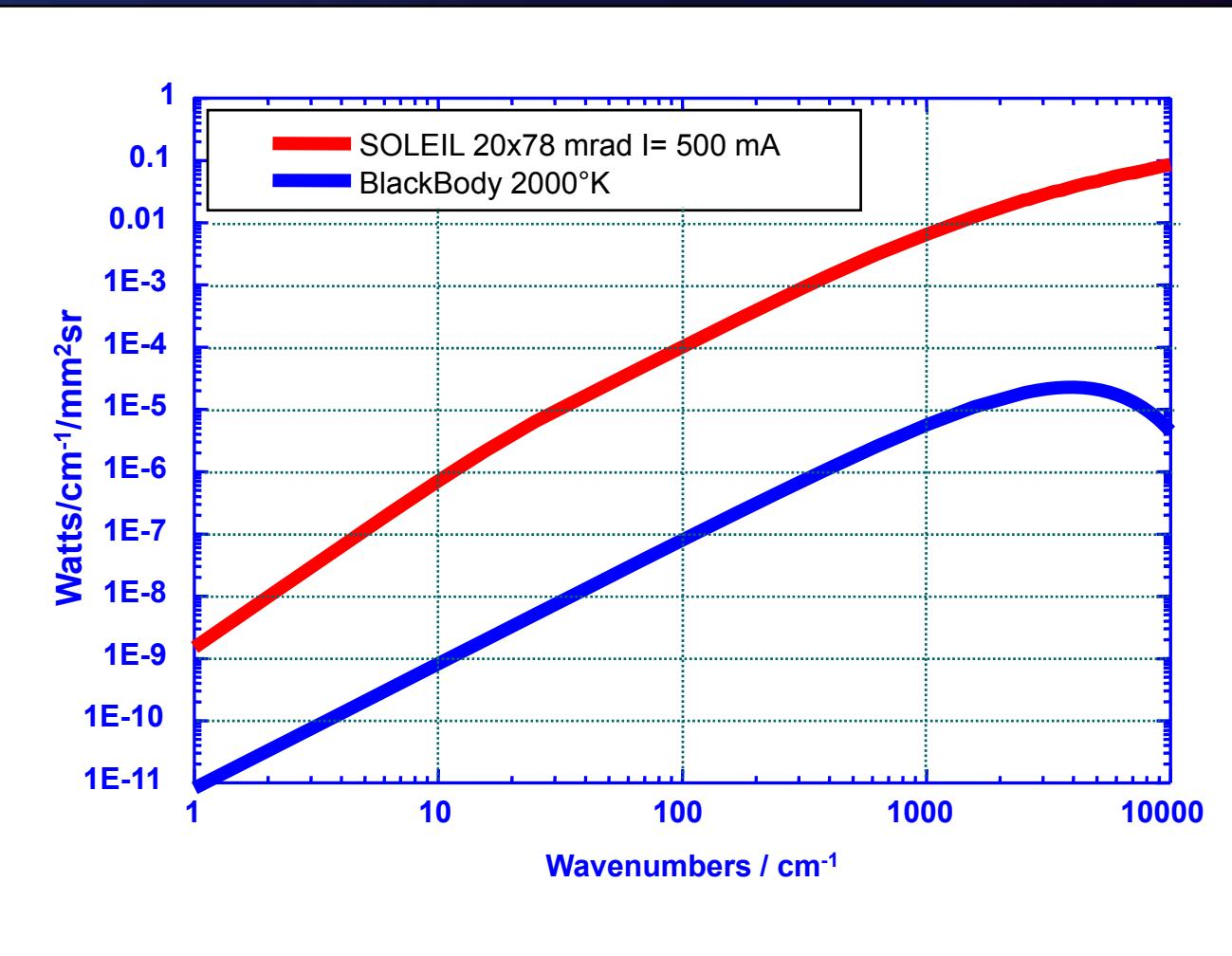
## Edge Radiation and Bending Magnet Radiation



# Port 02B1-1 @ CLS: Far-IR



# It's the synchrotron brightness that counts



# SR Advantages over thermal sources

- Brightness: better S/N
- Small source: better throughput with small samples
- Highly collimated: higher resolution achievable
- Polarized: ellipsometry
- Pulsed: pump & probe experiments

# Far-IR SR wavelength limits

- Height of dipole chamber:

$$\lambda_o = 2h\sqrt{h/R}$$

where  $h$  is the height of the dipole chamber and  $R$  the radius of the bend magnet

- Extraction aperture:

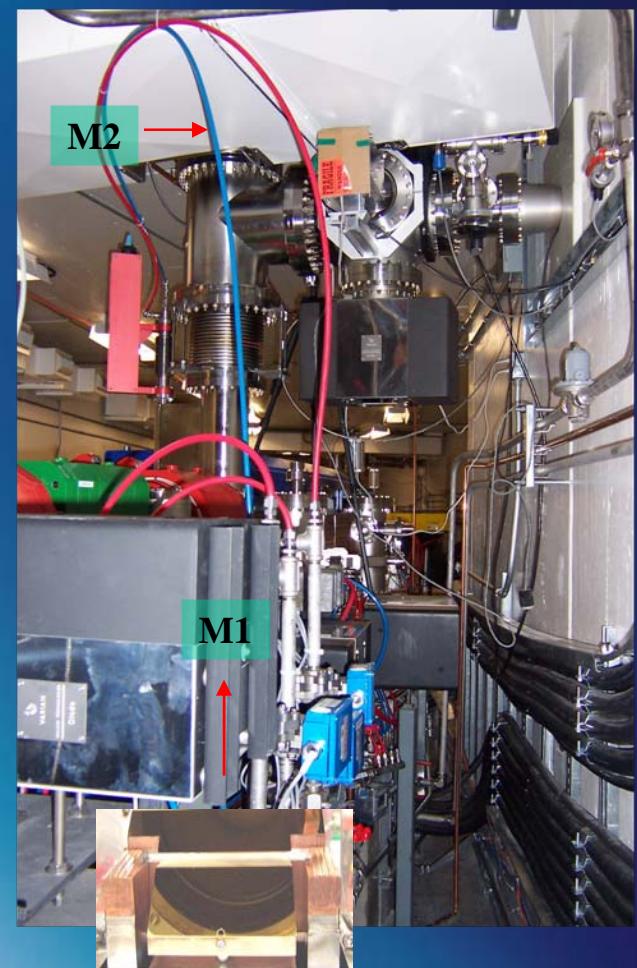
$$\lambda_c = R(\Theta_{Nat}/1.66188)^3$$

where  $\Theta_{Nat}$  represents the vertical angle in radians

# EXTRACTION OF SYNCHROTRON IR RADIATION

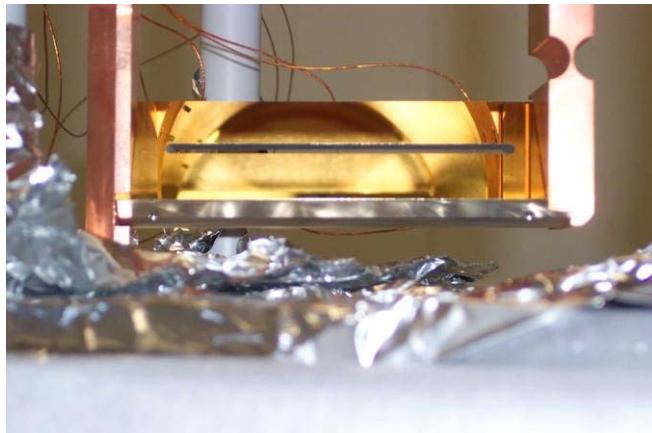
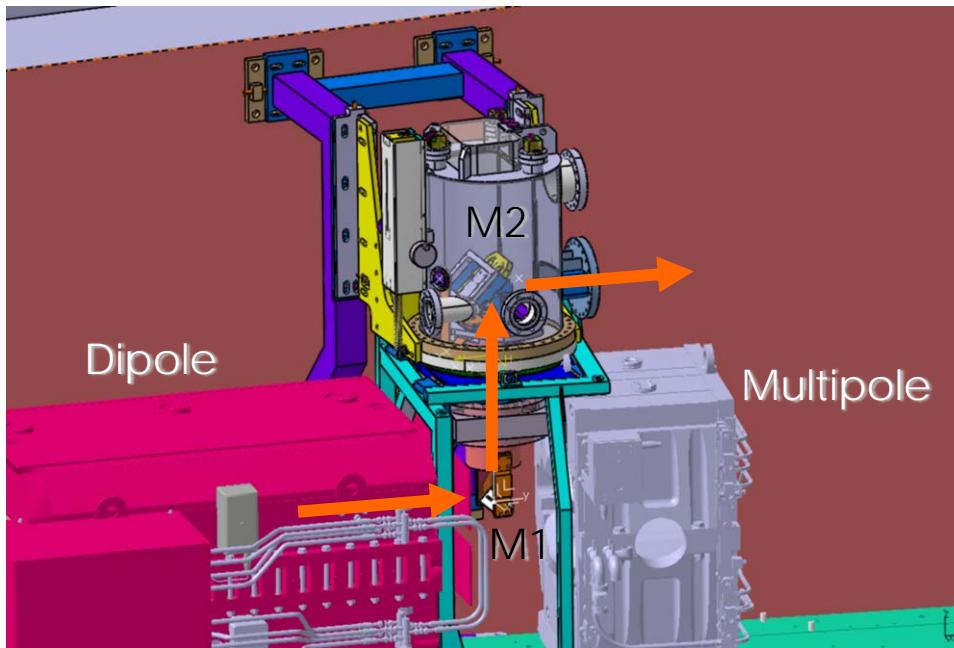
## 2. Mirror M1 inserted into dipole “crotch” from above or below

### Optical Layout at the CLS

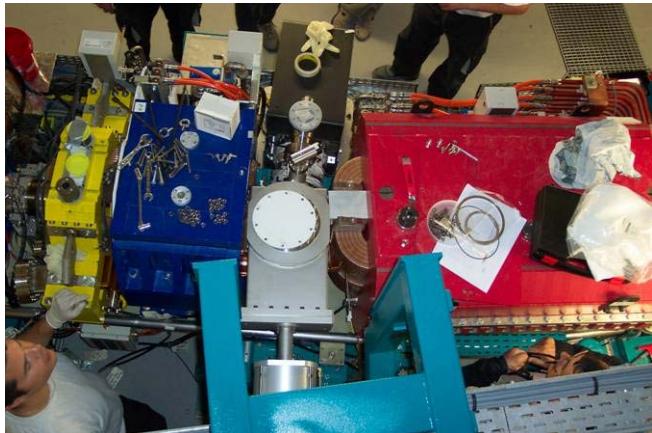


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e.g. Soleil, ESRF...



M1 Mirror with thermocouple wires

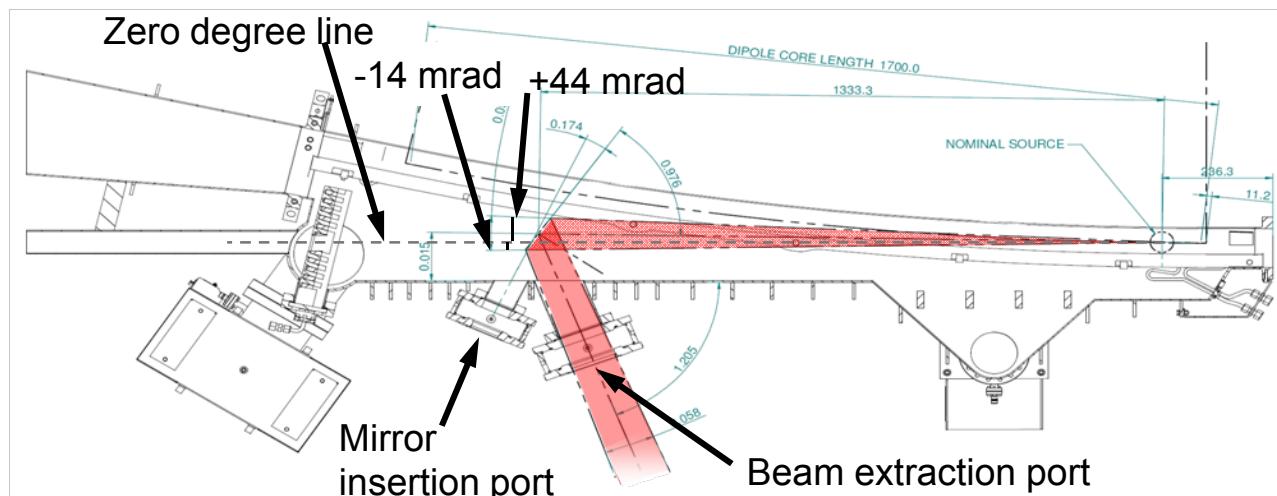
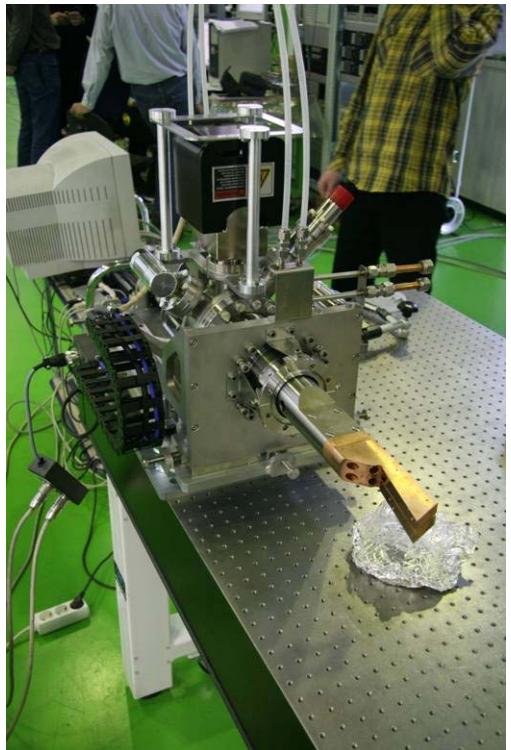


Top view of mirror insertion port

Images courtesy of Paul Dumas, Soleil.

### 3. Mirror inserted into dipole chamber from side

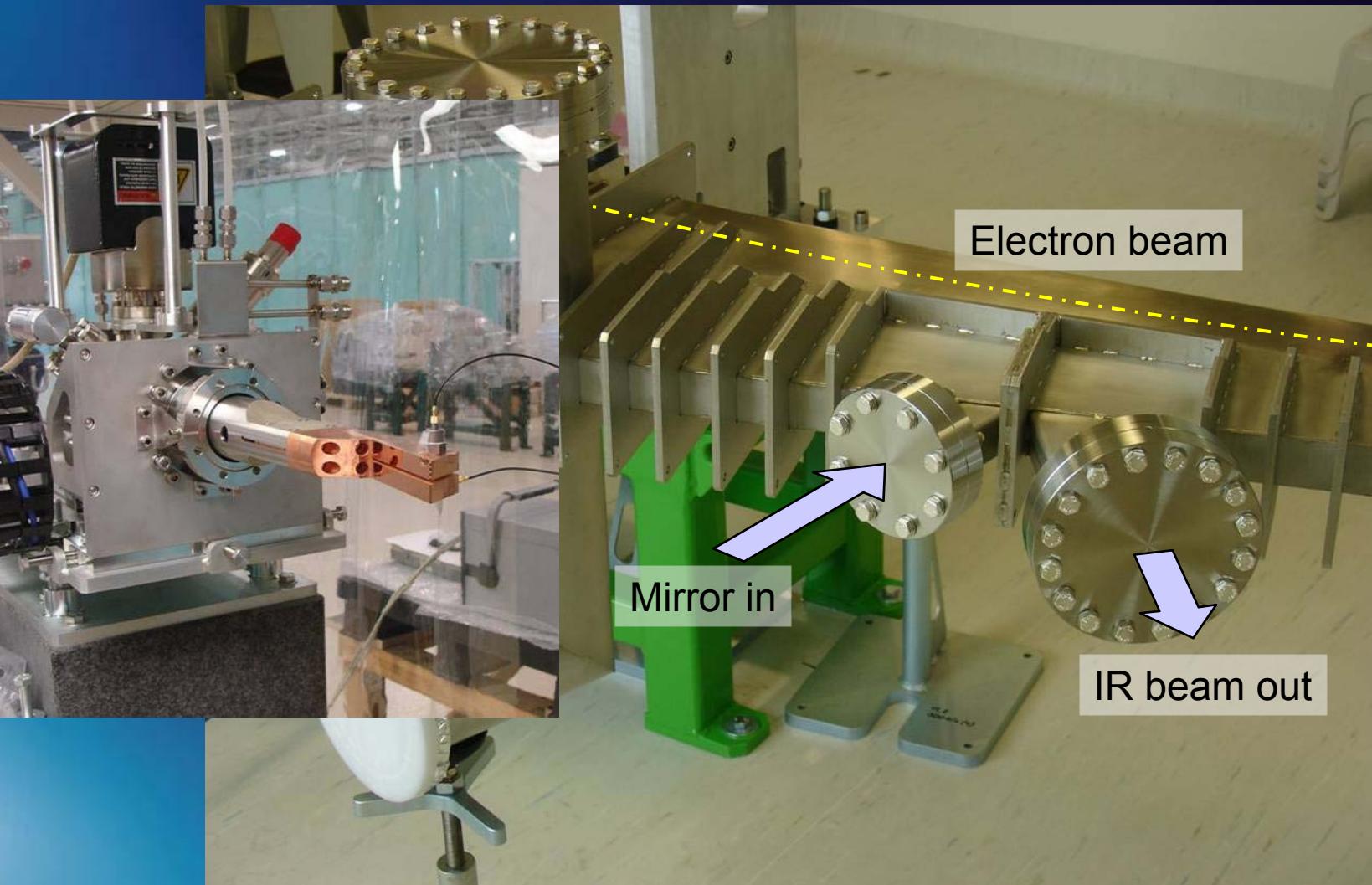
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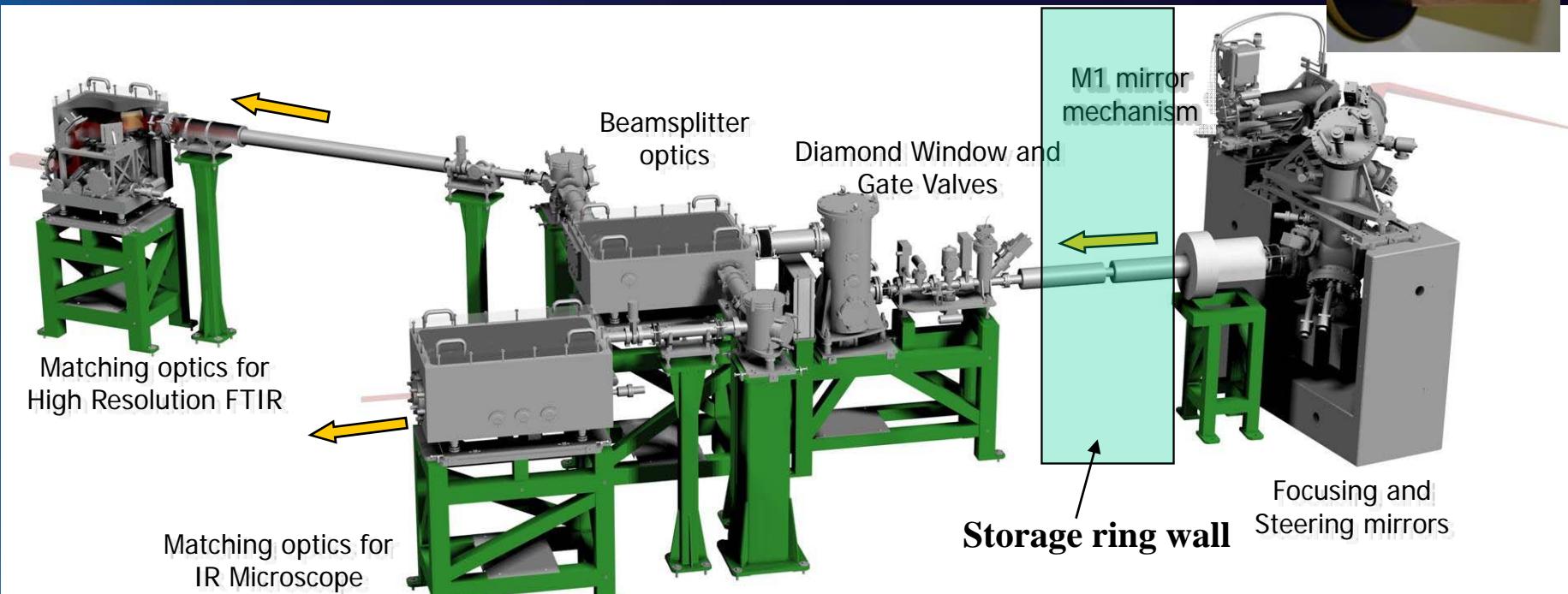


Which brings us to...

### III. The Australian SYNCHROTRON INFRARED BEAMLINE

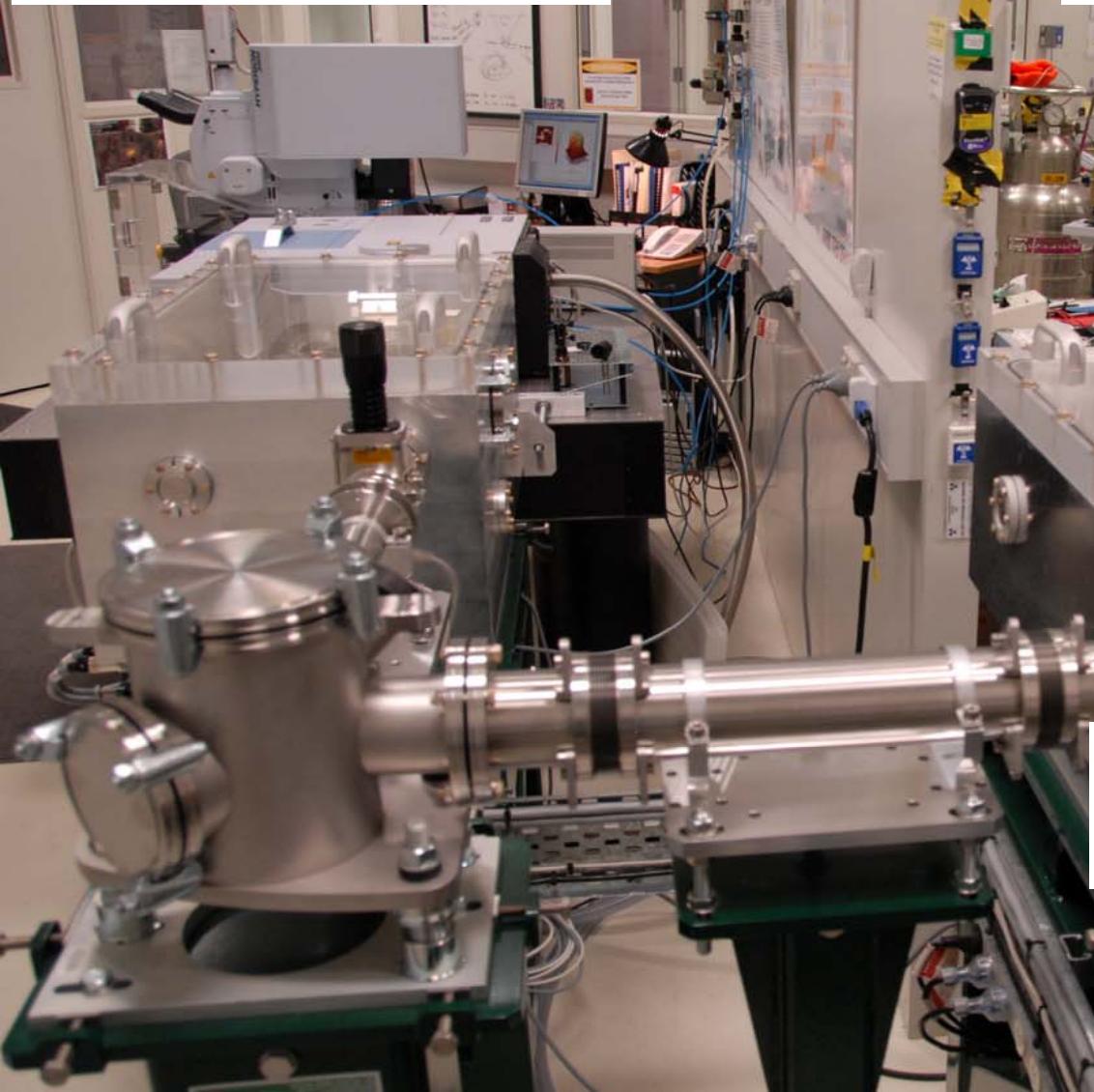
## Adapted Infrared Dipole Chamber at Australian Synchrotron



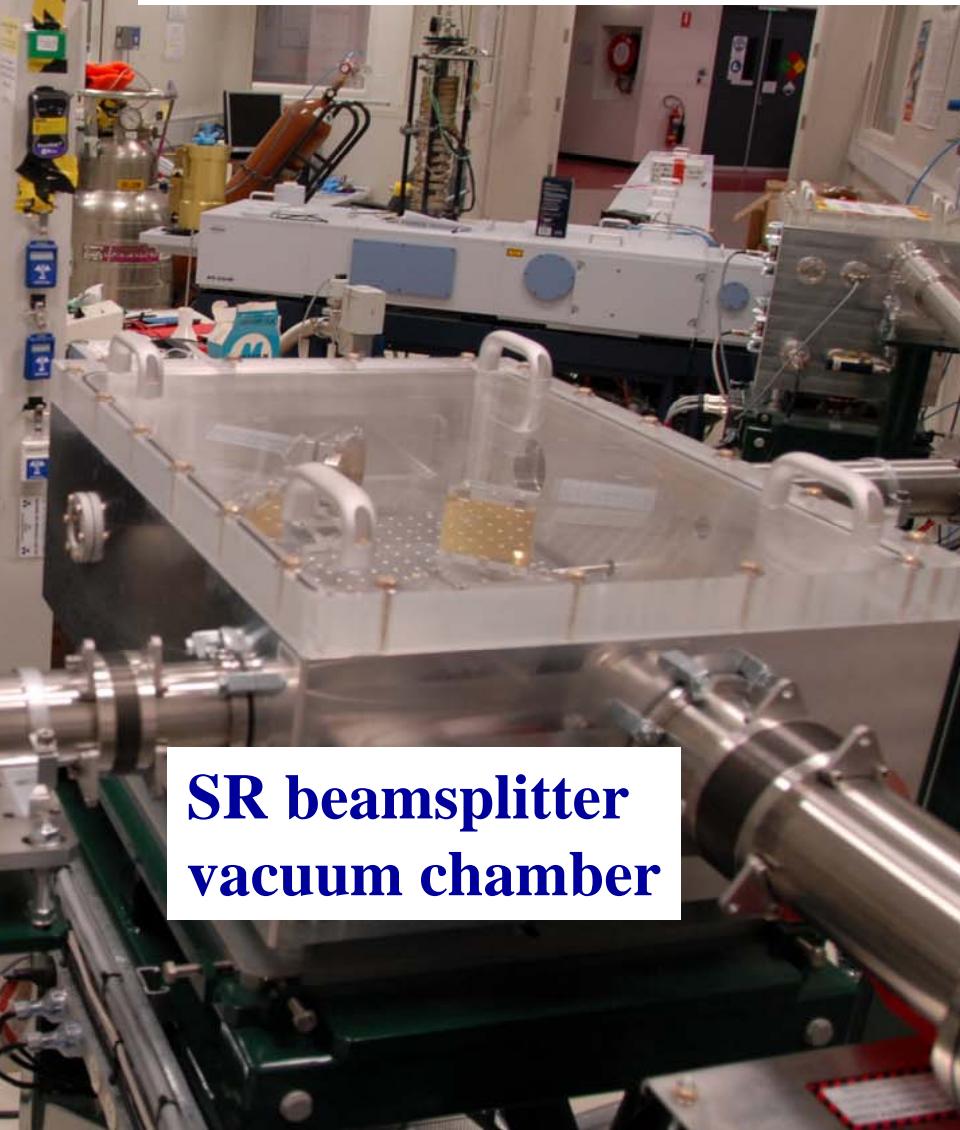


**Infrared beamline showing (from right) synchrotron beam entering front end optics (M1, M2, M3, M3a), diamond exit window, beamsplitter optics vessel and matching optics boxes for the two endstation instruments.**

## Microscope beamline

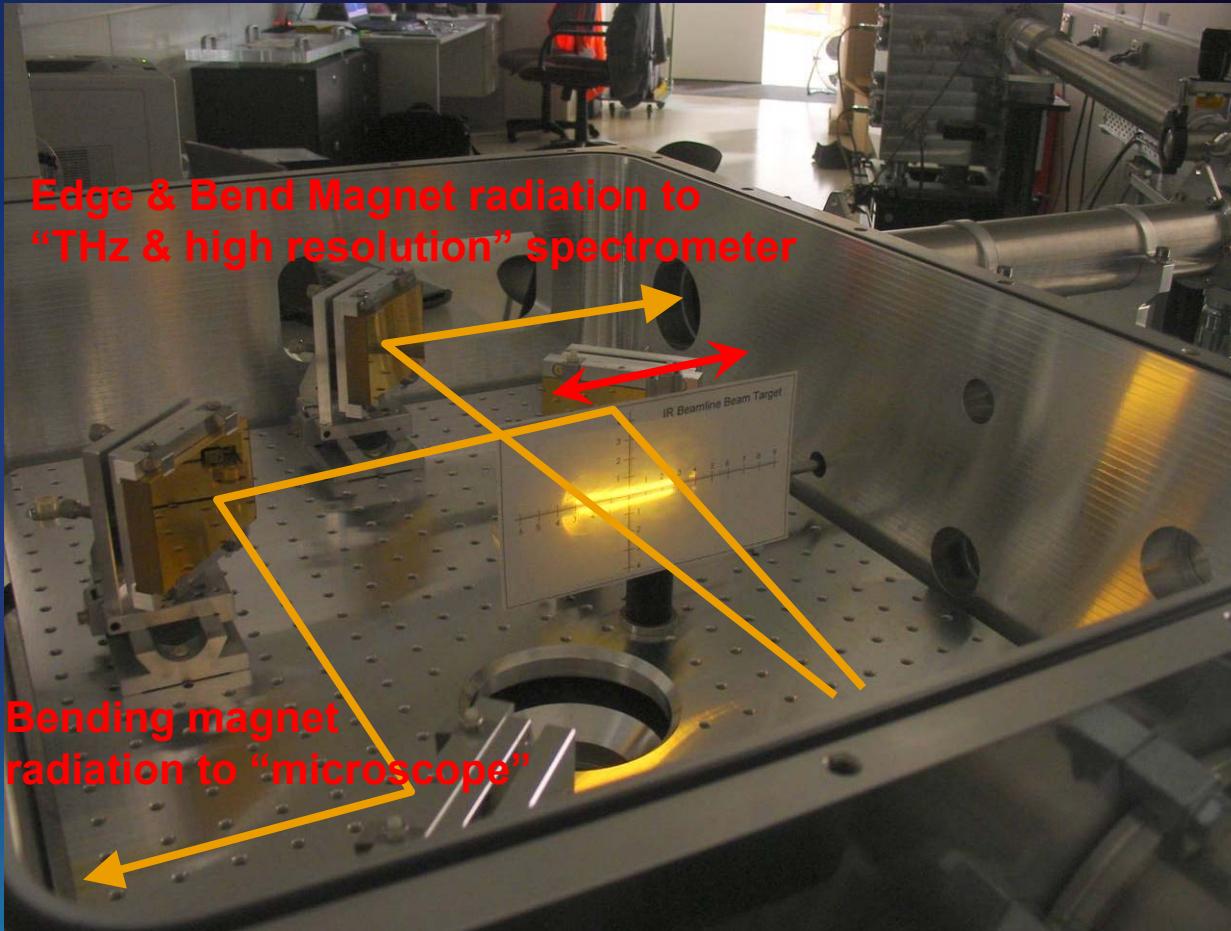


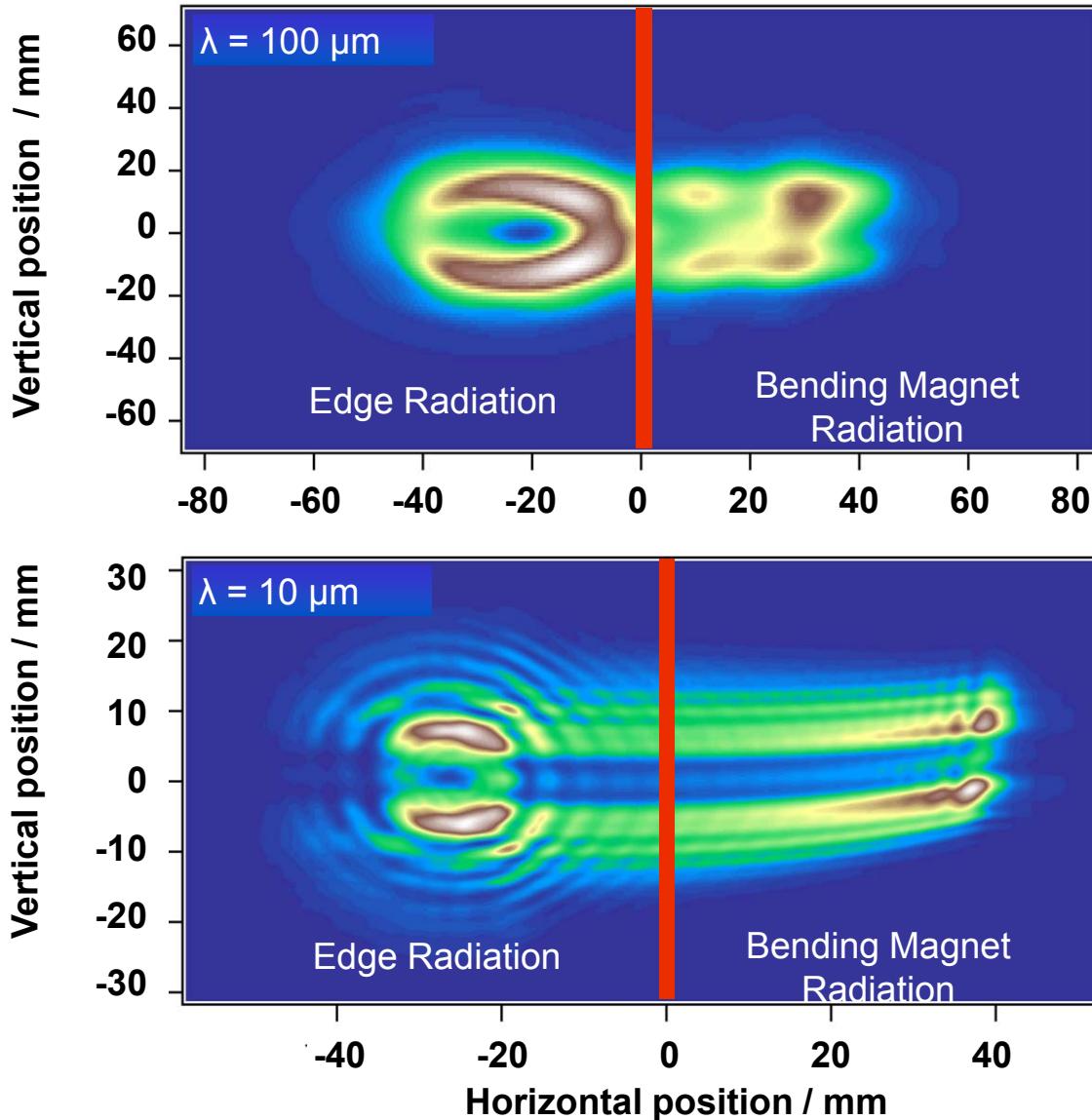
## Far-IR & High-Res Beamline



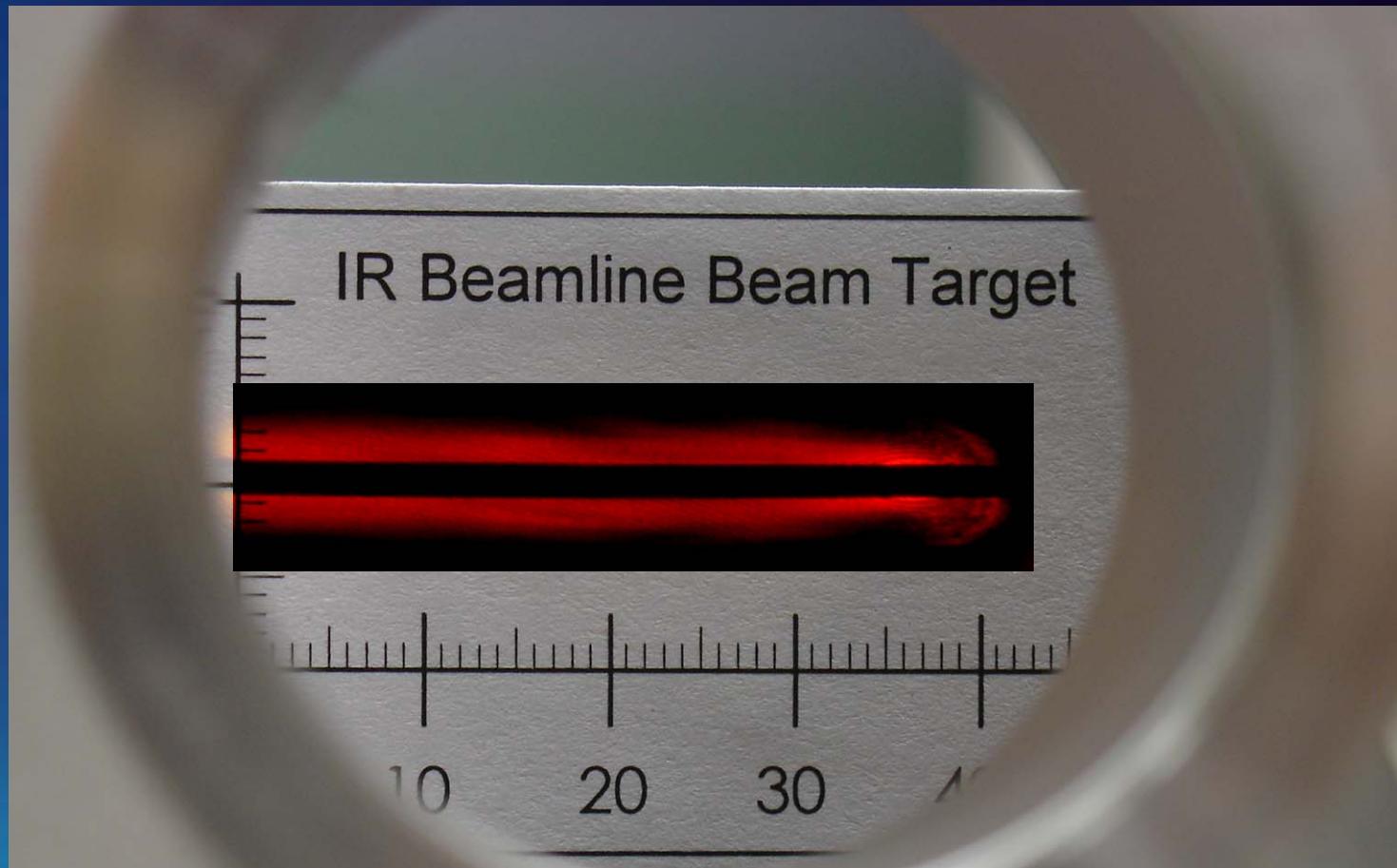
SR beamsplitter  
vacuum chamber

## Visible light in the beamsplitter vessel at the Australian Synchrotron Infrared beamline





## IR beam profile – comparison with SRW



## INFRARED BEAMLINE INSTRUMENTATION

# Infrared Beamline at the Australian Synchrotron Microscope Branch

Confocal point scanning - current technology

Transmission  
Trans-Reflection  
Grazing Incidence Angle  
Attenuated Total Reflectance



Bruker V80v with Hyperion 3000 microscope

50×50  $\mu\text{m}^2$  Narrow-Band MCT  
250×250  $\mu\text{m}^2$  Wide- Band MCT  
Option for bolometer

## Microscope Branch

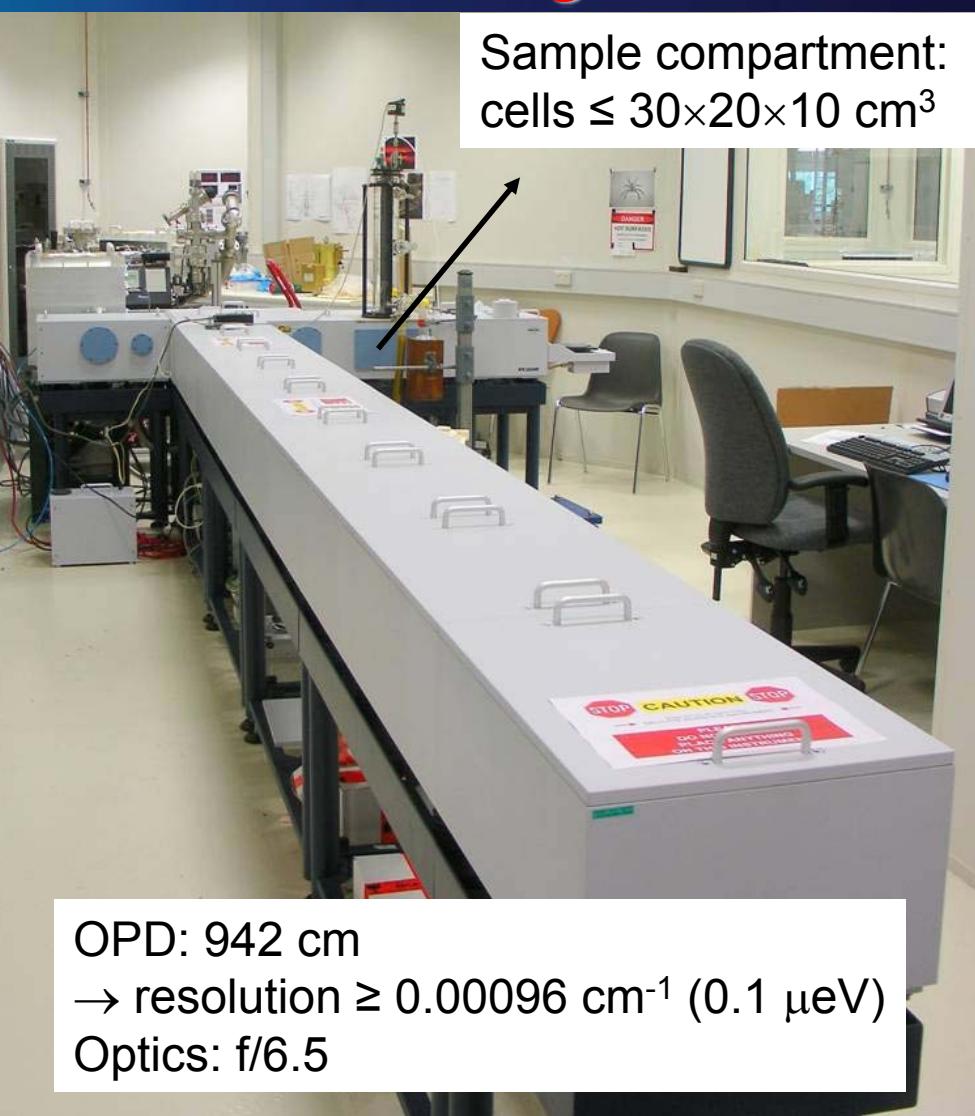
Focal Plane Array - next technology

64x64 photovoltaic MCT Focal Plane Array



# Infrared Beamline at the Australian Synchrotron

## High Resolution branch



Bruker IFS 125HR FTIR Spectrometer

### Beamsplitters

- Multi/Mylar       $30 - 630 \text{ & } 12 - 35 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- Ge/KBr             $450 - 4800 \text{ cm}^{-1}$

### IR Detectors

- Si bolometer       $10 - 370 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- Si:B bolometer     $300 - 1850 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- DTGS                $100 - 3000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- MCT<sub>N</sub>             $700 - 5000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- MCT<sub>M</sub>             $600 - 5000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$

### Sources

- **Synchrotron**      ***mw – vis***
- Hg-Arc lamp         $5 - 1000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- Globar                $10 - 13000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- Tunsten lamp        $1000 - 25000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$

### Optical Filters

- series of narrow band pass IR filters

### Apertures

- $0.5 - 12.5 \text{ mm}$

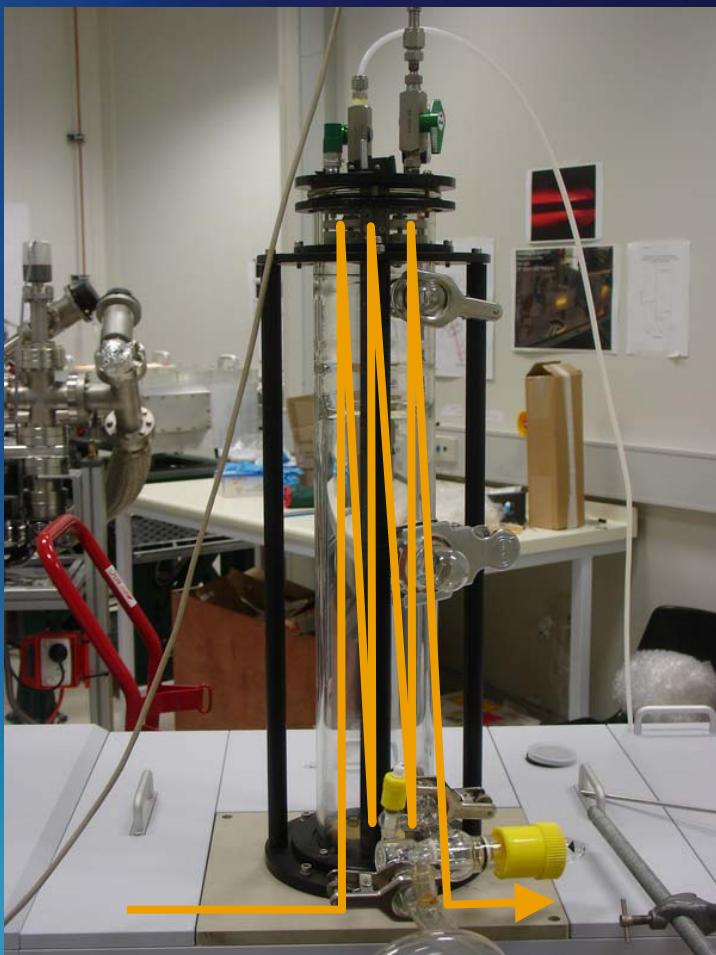
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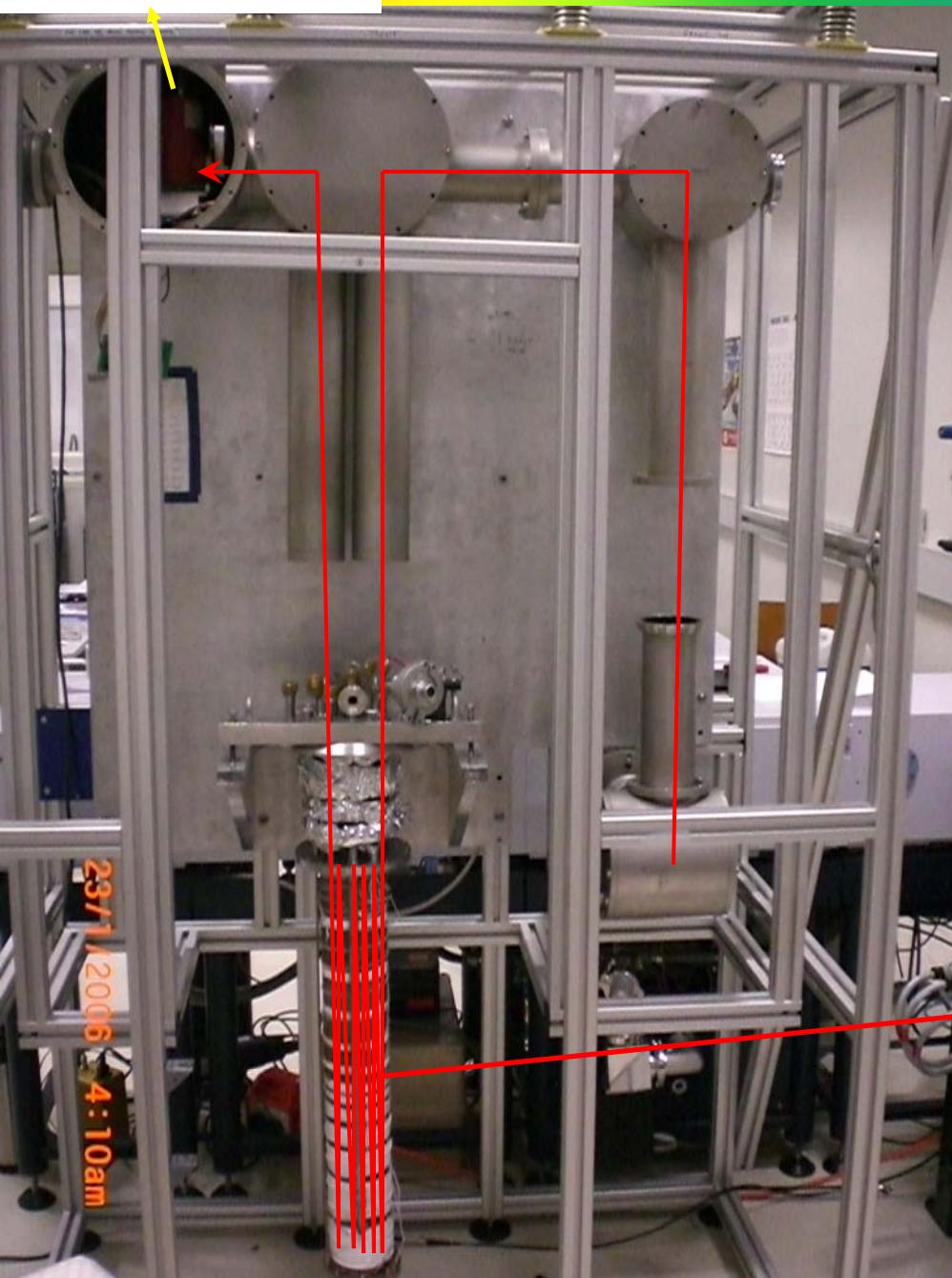
# 50 cm Multipass gas cell for high resolution spectroscopy of room temperature samples

Small quantity of sample to minimize Pressure broadening effects

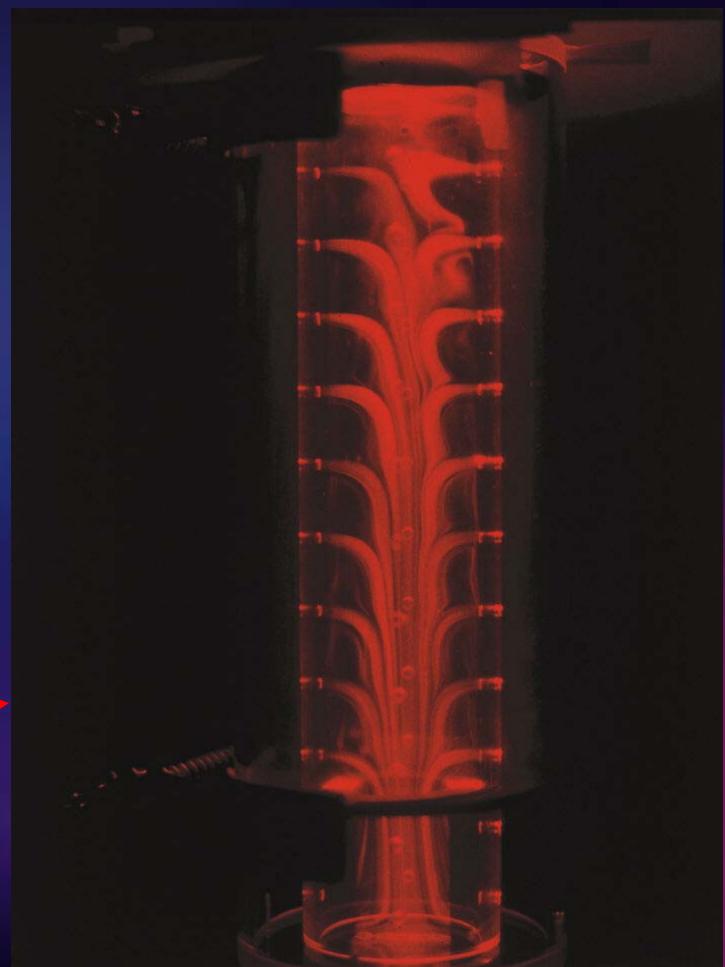


Recall that Absorbance  $\propto \varepsilon cl$   
where  $c$  is the concentration  
and  $l$  the interaction path.

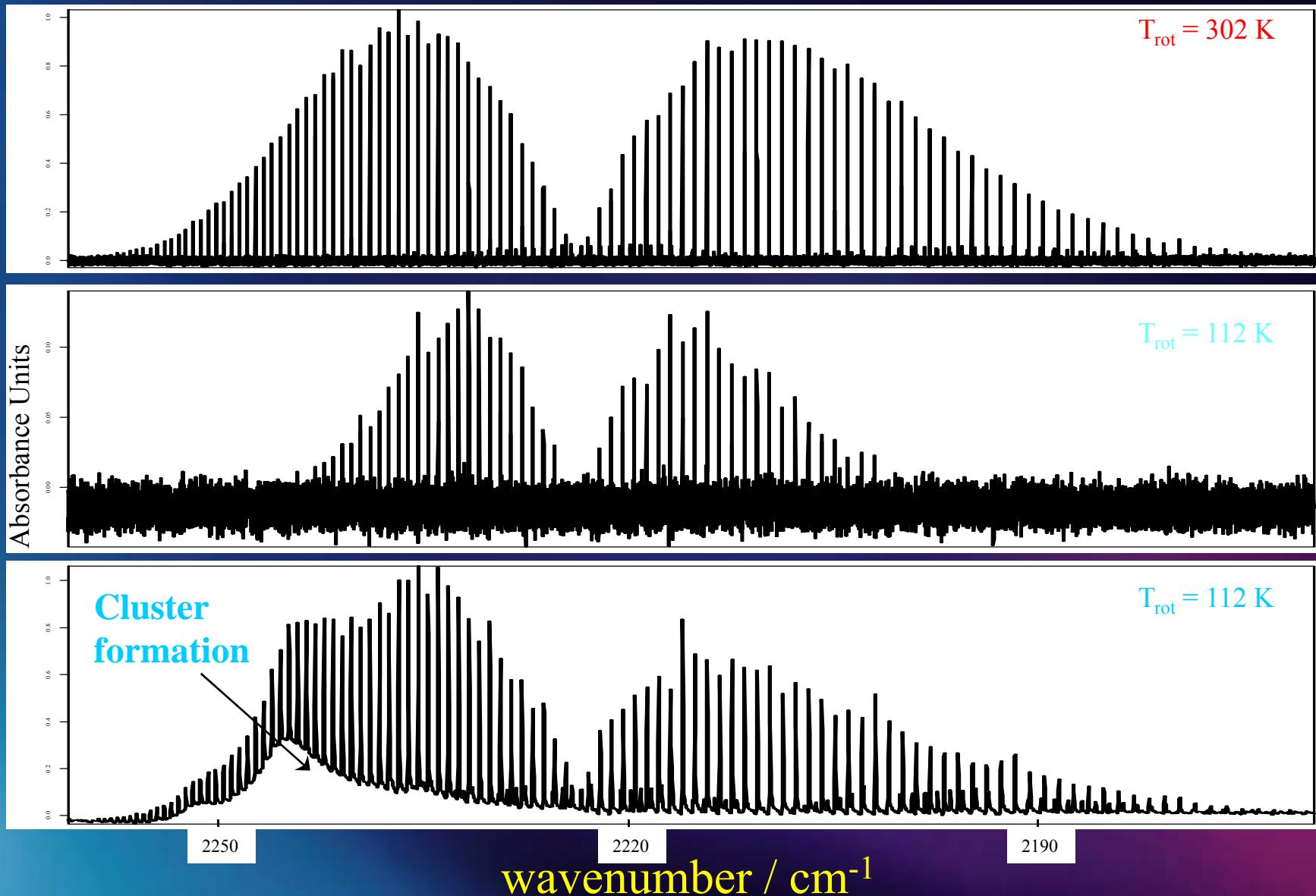
MCT detector



Enclosive Flow Cooling  
multipass cell for gas-phase  
studies at cryogenic  
temperatures.

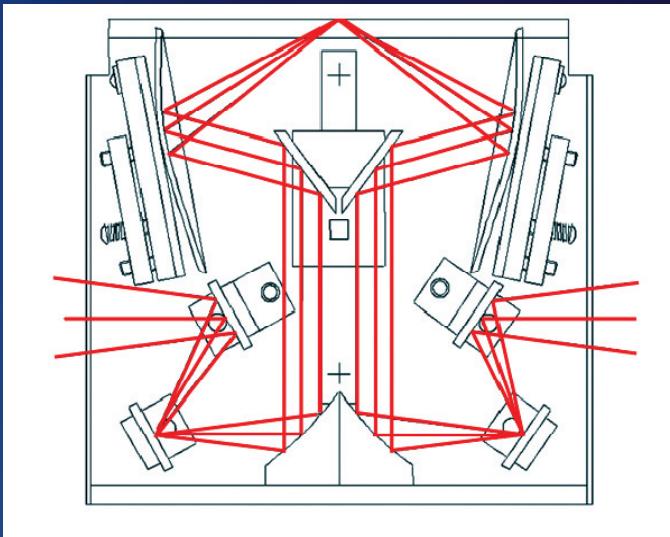


# N<sub>2</sub>O mid-IR spectrum ( 0.002 cm<sup>-1</sup> )

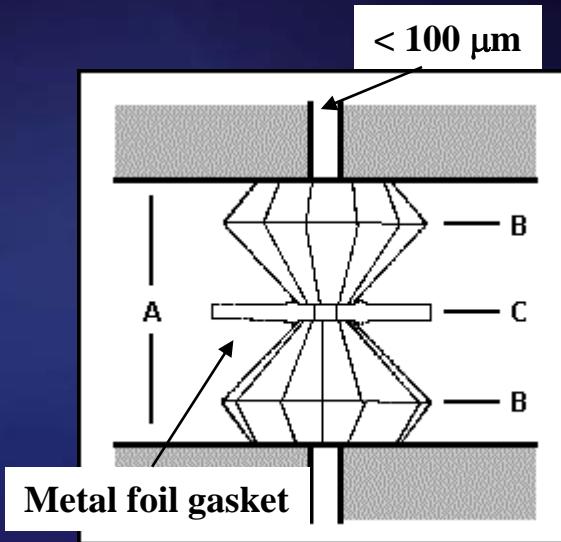


# More Scientific Apparatus

Grazing Incidence Angle Cell



Diamond Anvil Cell



Supersonic Jet Expansion chamber

# IR Cryostat for matrix isolation studies

Low freq. vibrations of biological samples



Down to 10 K!

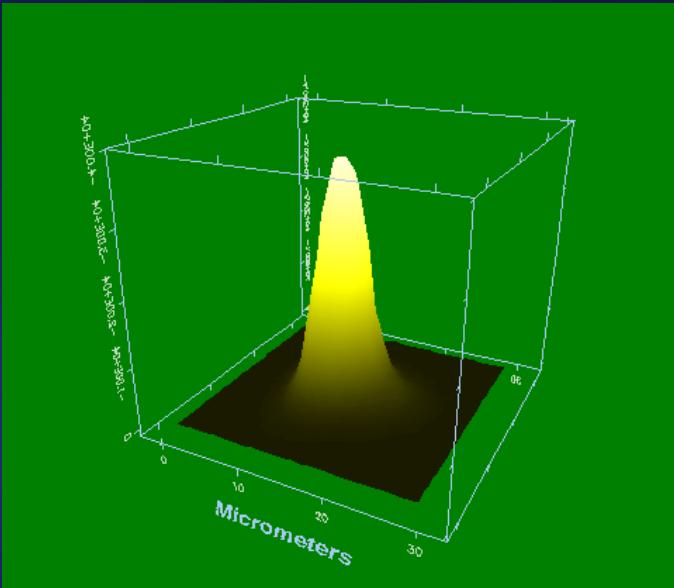
Minimise  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  interference

Increase Absorption coefficient for a range of substances

# Assessing beamline performance

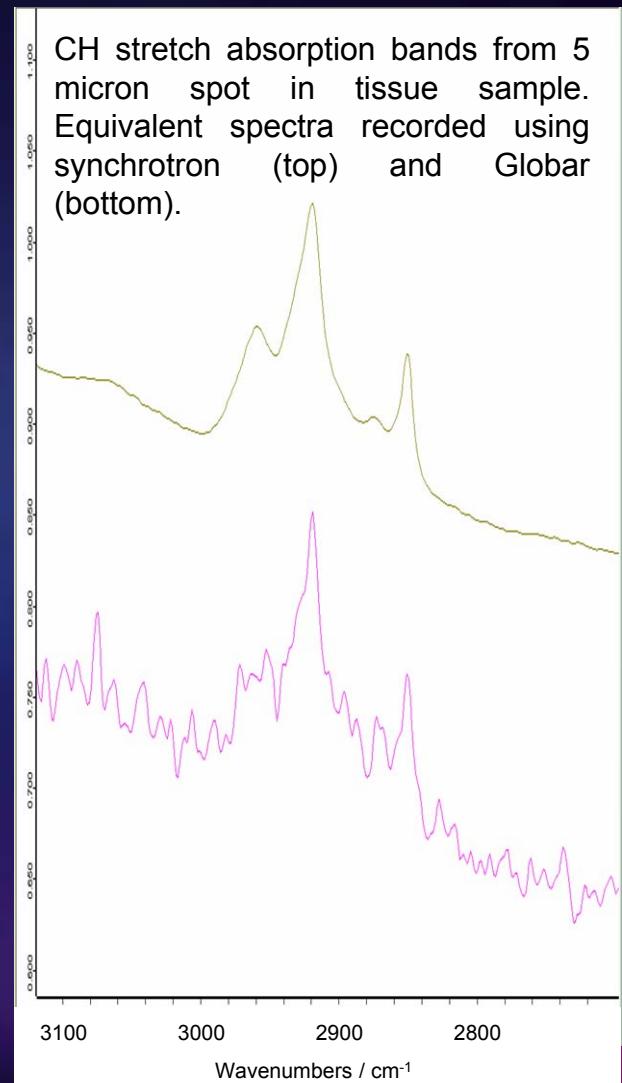
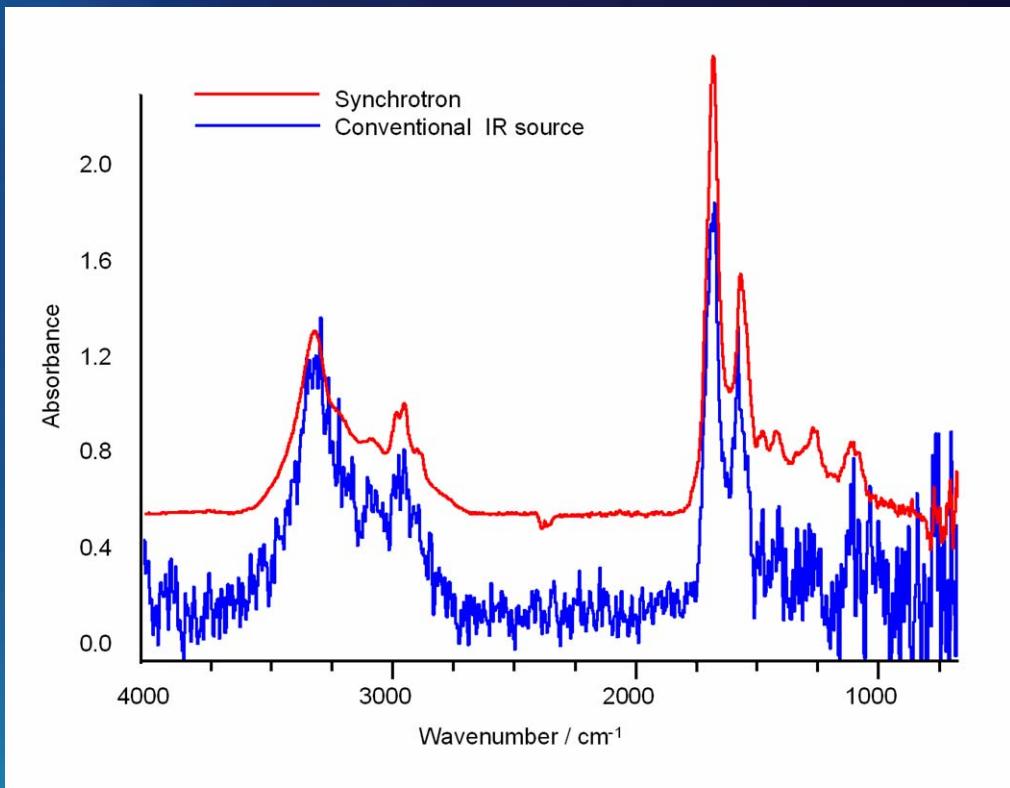
# Performance of the microscope beamline

Synchrotron infrared beam focused on sample

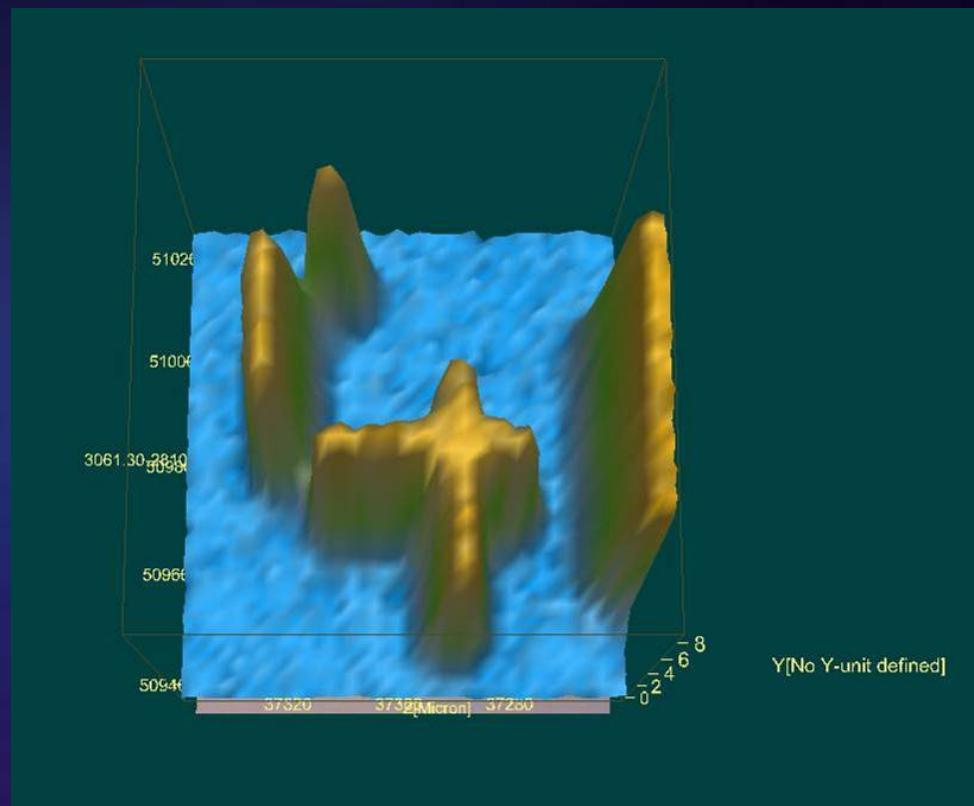
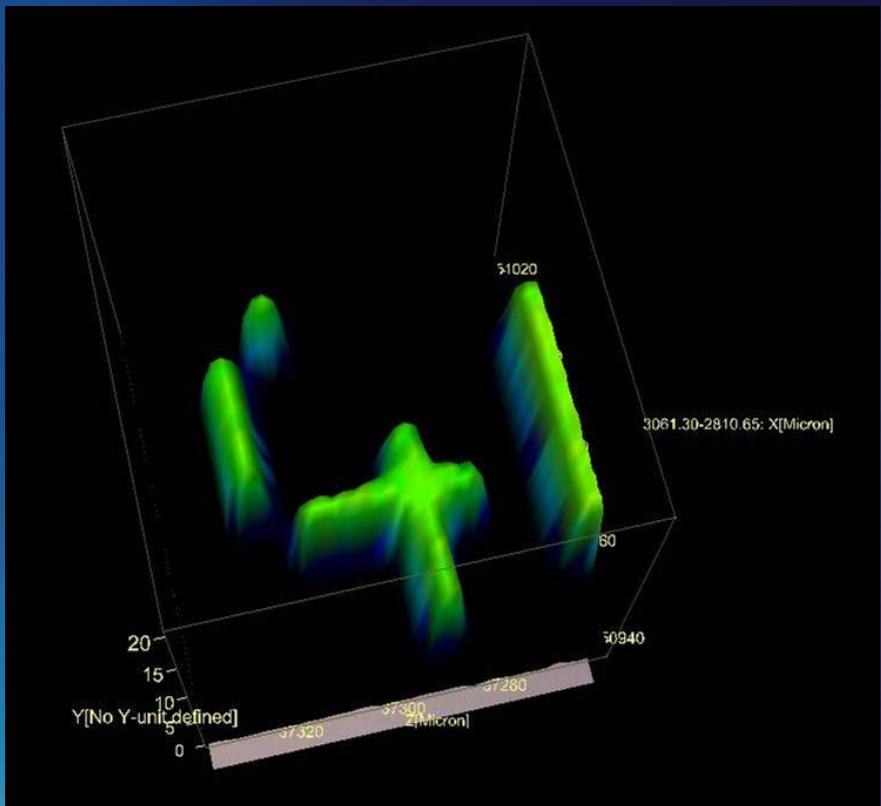


Beamline 11 at SRS - unapertured beam profile at sample stage.  
Area mapped = 30x30  $\mu\text{m}$ . **Beam halfwidth = 8x8  $\mu\text{m}$ .**

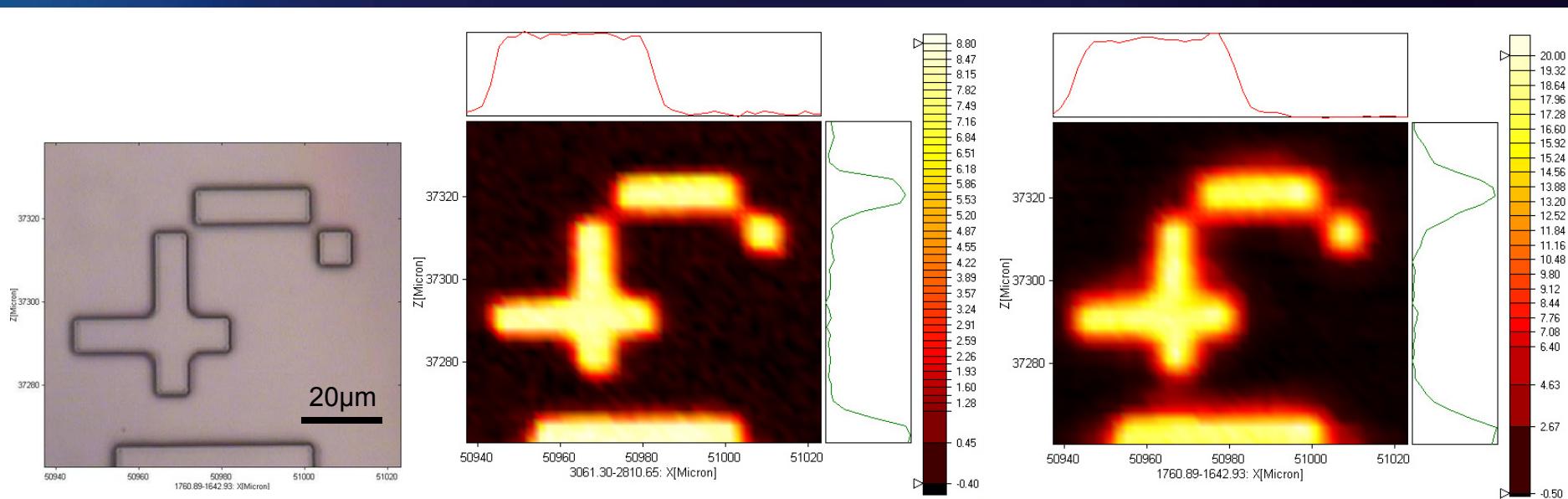
## Advantage of using a synchrotron seen in spectra...



# Testing the IR Beamlne Performance with Custom Resolution targets



# WAVELENGTH DEPENDENCE OF MICROSCOPE SPATIAL RESOLUTION DEMONSTRATED AT INFRARED BEAMLINE



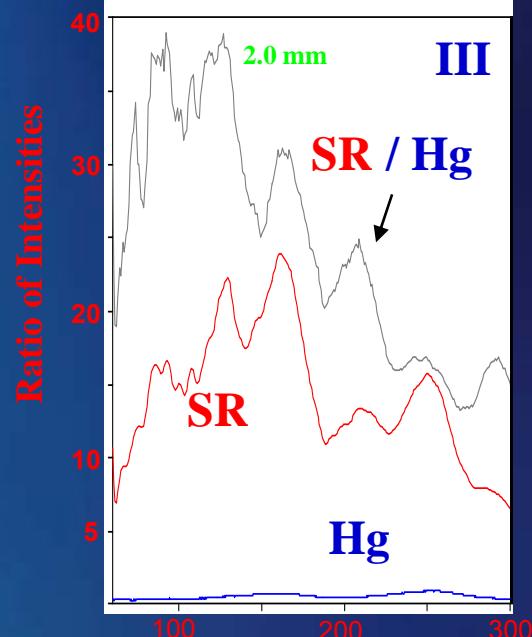
Polymer pattern on  $\text{CaF}_2$   
produced by  
photolithography

IR absorbance image  
At  $2935 \pm 125 \text{ cm}^{-1}$   
CH band region

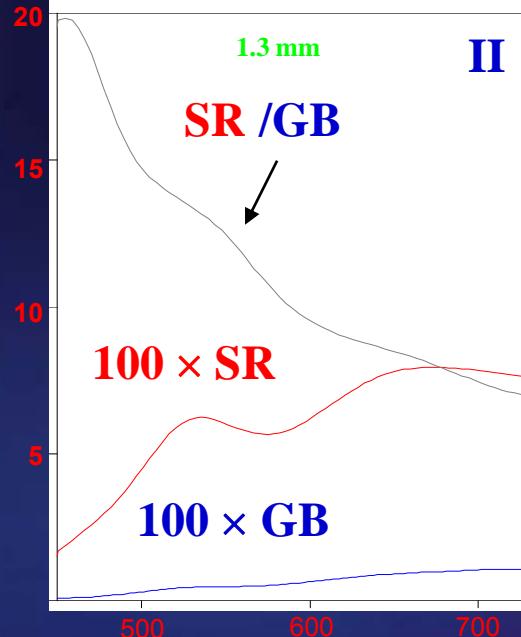
IR absorbance image  
At  $1701 \pm 59 \text{ cm}^{-1}$   
C=O band region

# Performance of the far-IR beamline

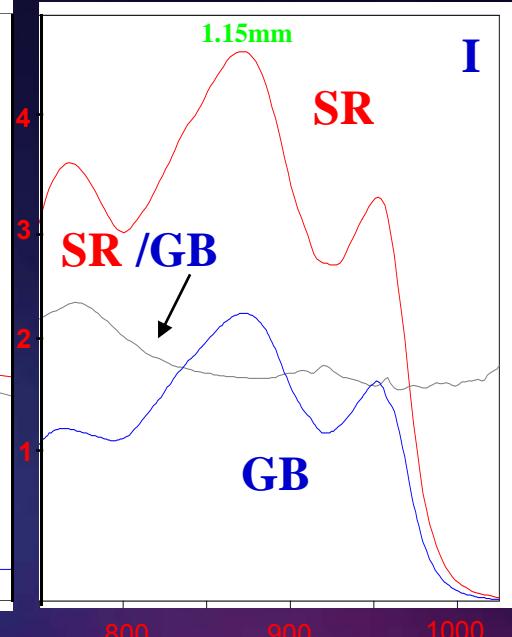
Bolometer / 6 $\mu$ m Mylar



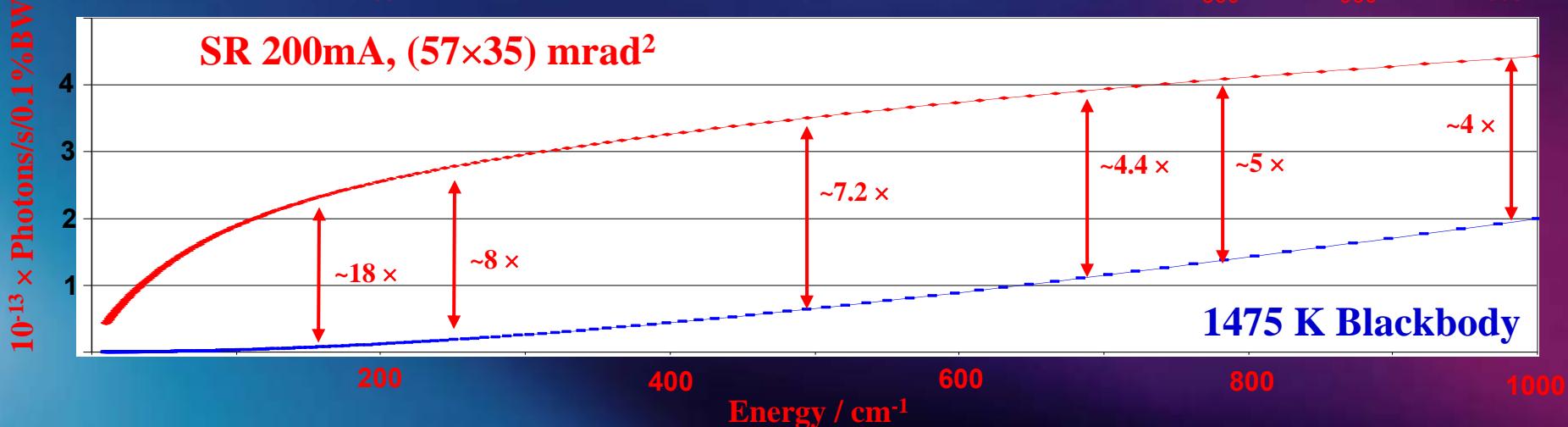
Ge:Cu / KBr



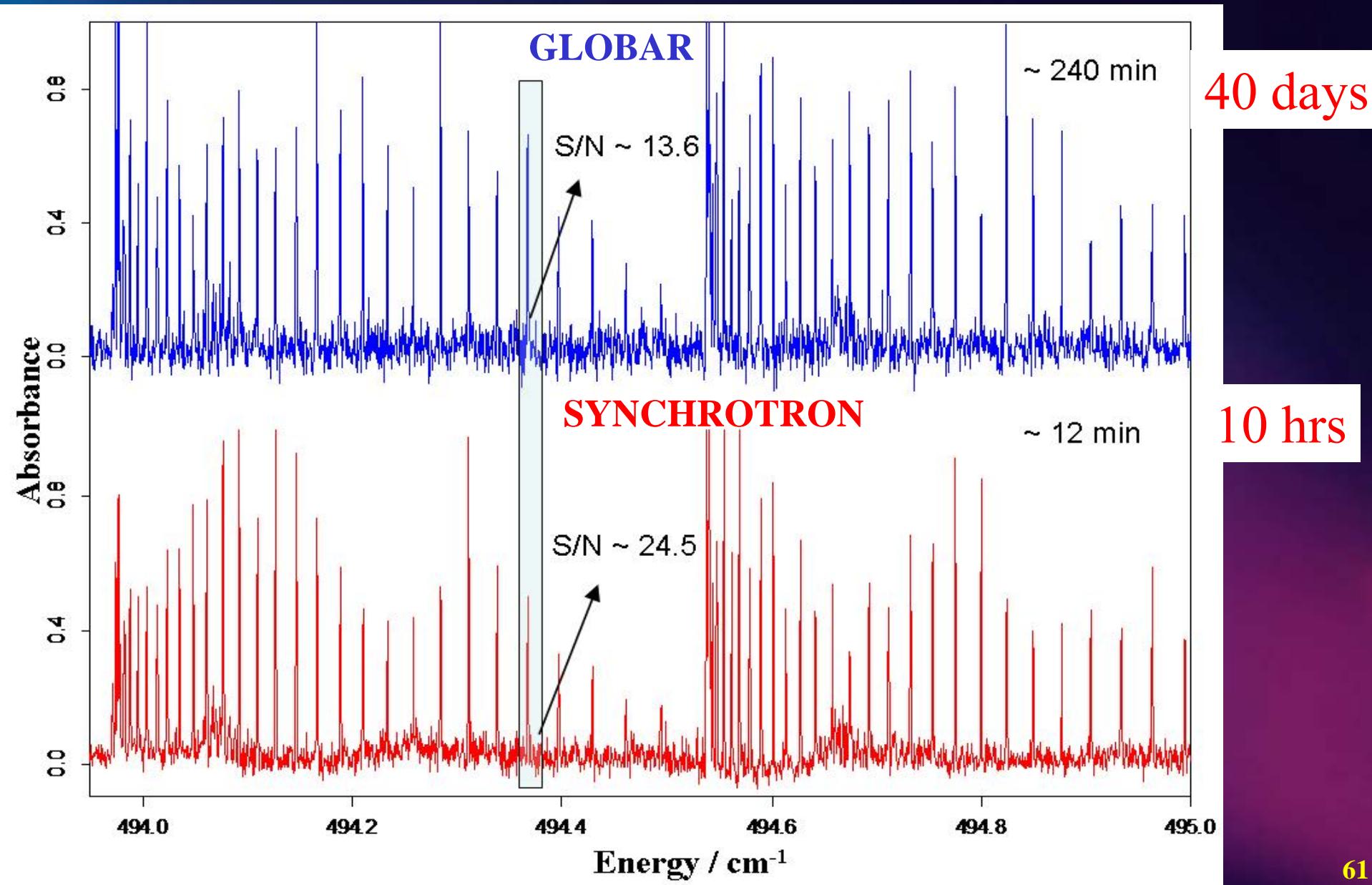
MCT<sub>n</sub> / KBr



SR 200mA, (57×35) mrad $^2$

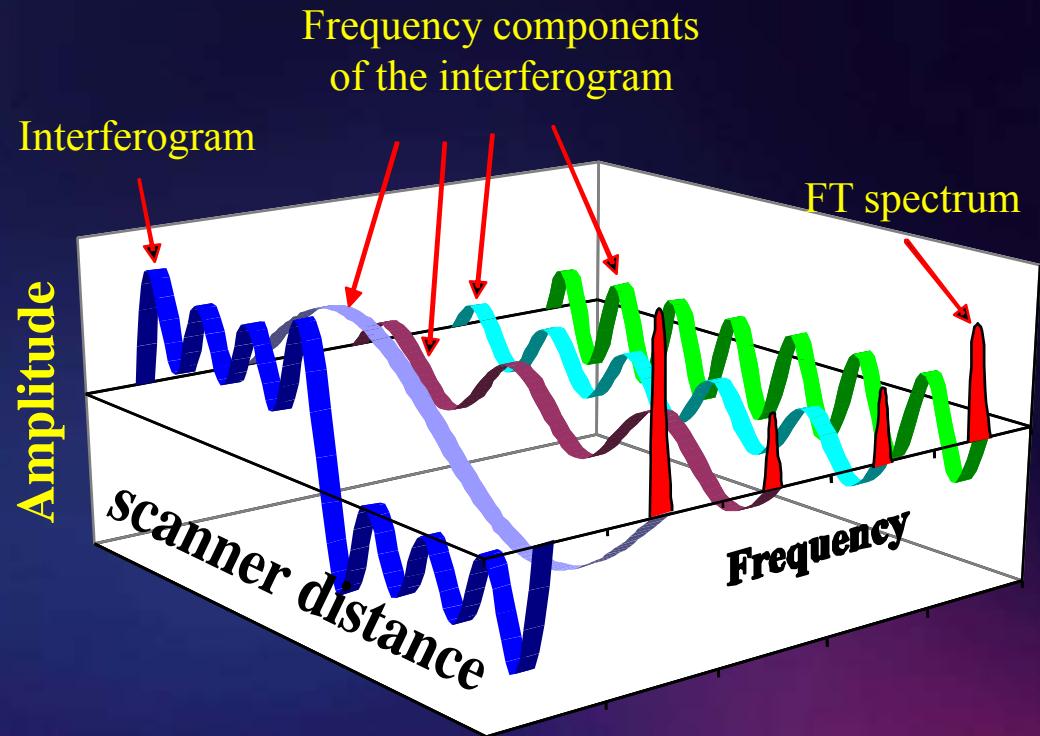
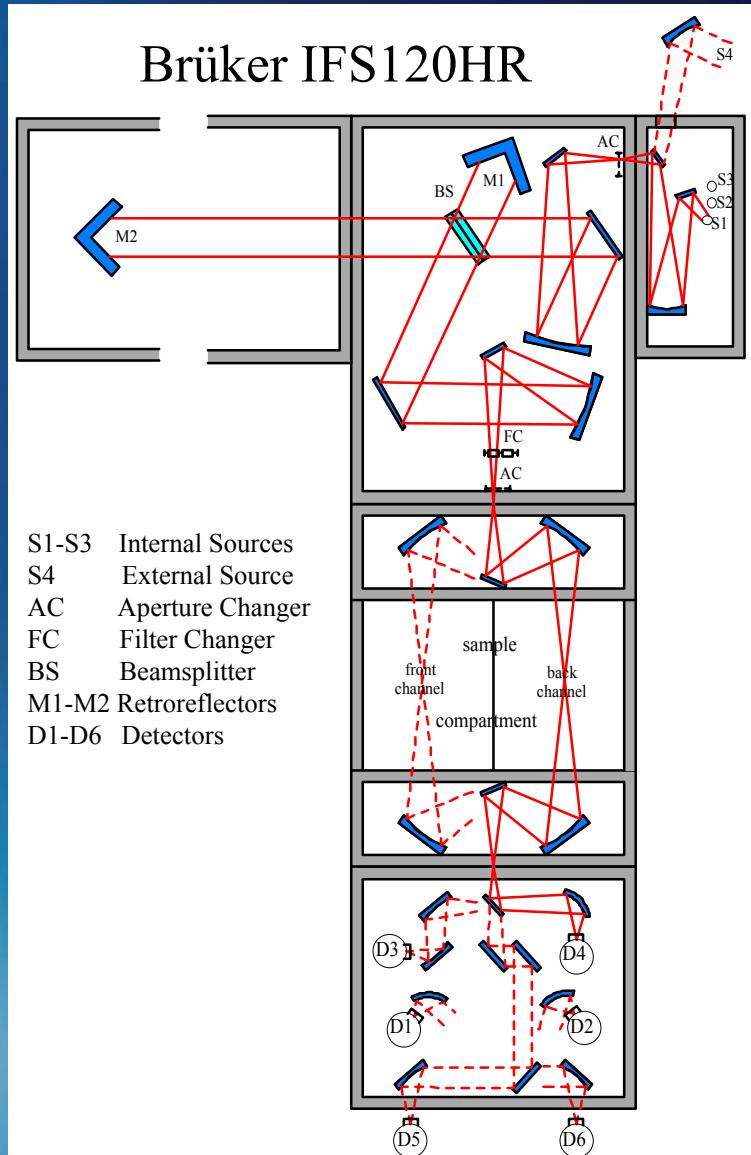


# Spectrum of Pyrrole at 0.001 cm<sup>-1</sup> resolution



# IV. Introduction to Fourier transform Infrared spectroscopy

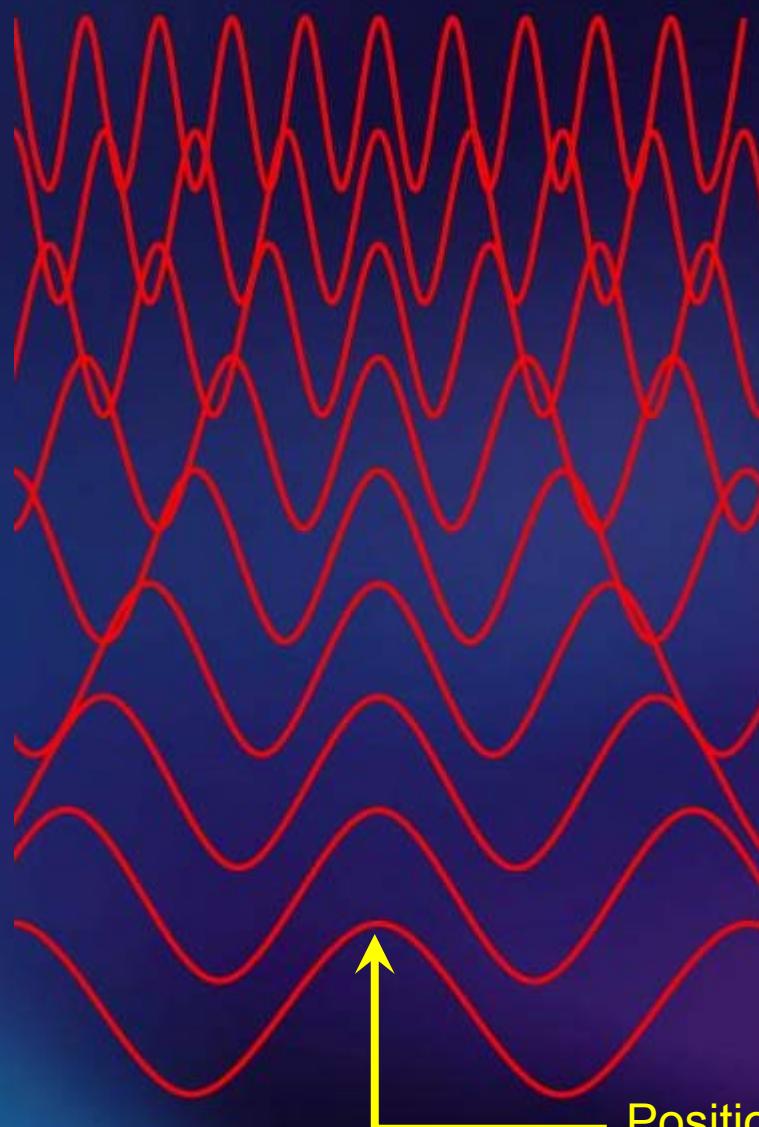
# Fourier transform spectroscopy



$$\text{Res} = 0.9/\text{OPD}$$

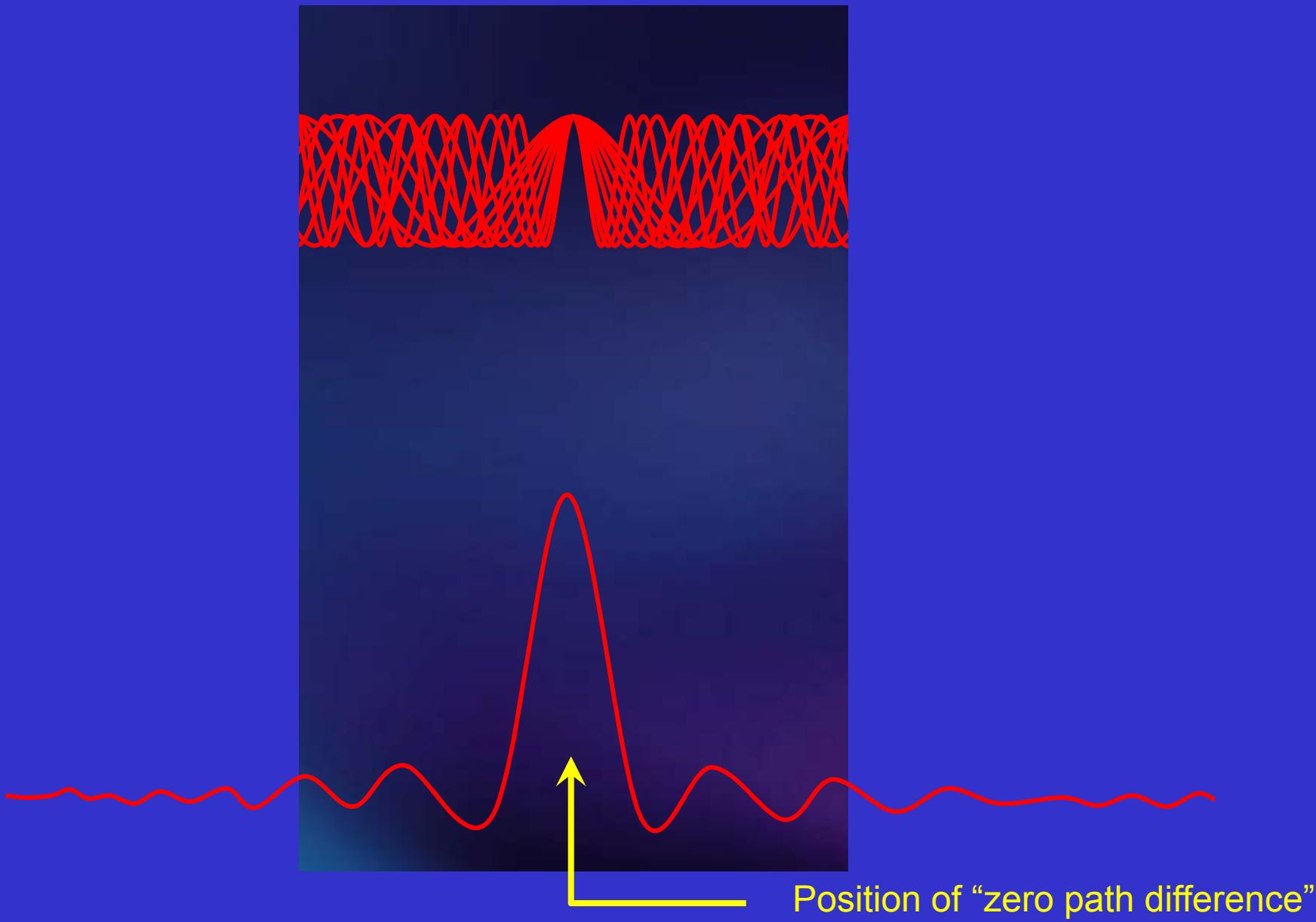
$$\text{OPD} = \text{SCL}/2$$

Many frequencies are present in the infrared beam



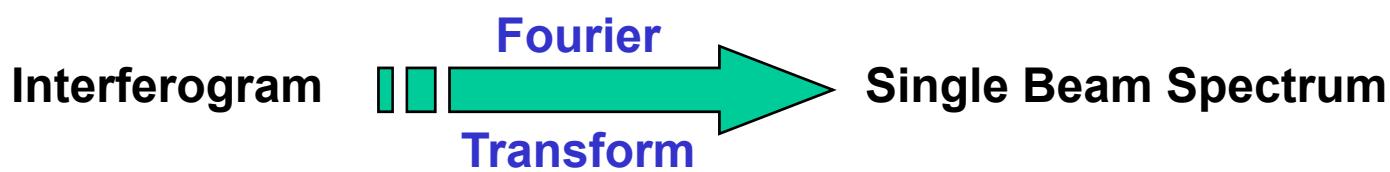
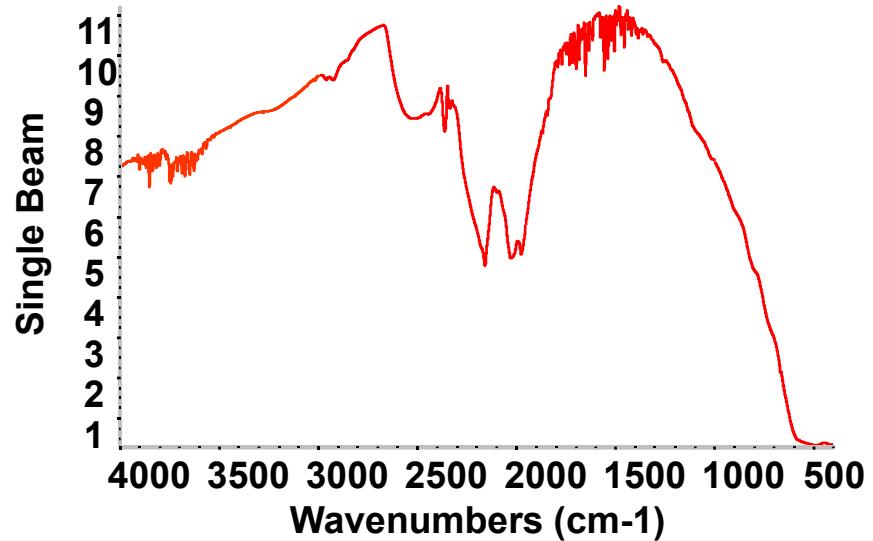
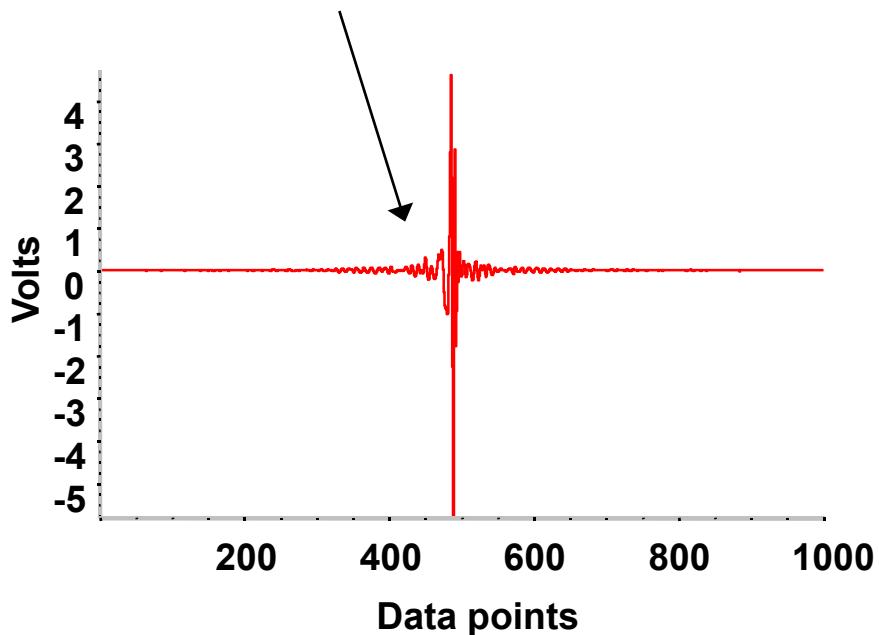
Position of “zero path difference”

**Summing of all frequencies for each position of the mirror**

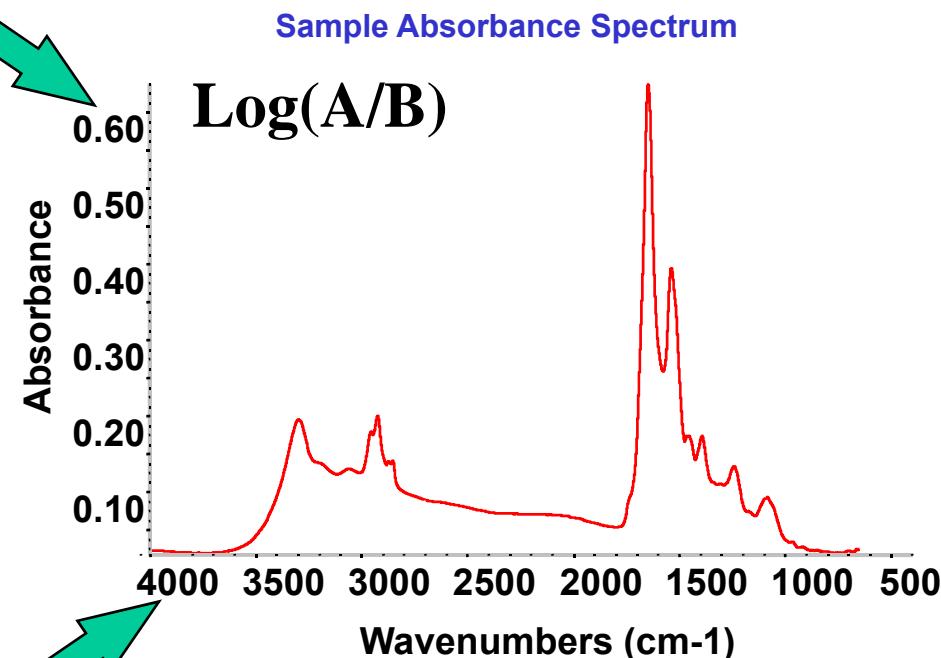
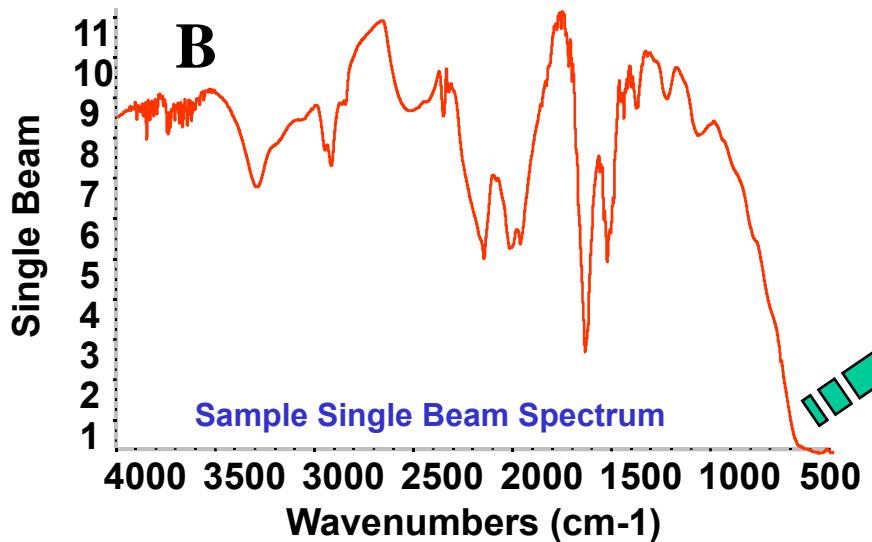
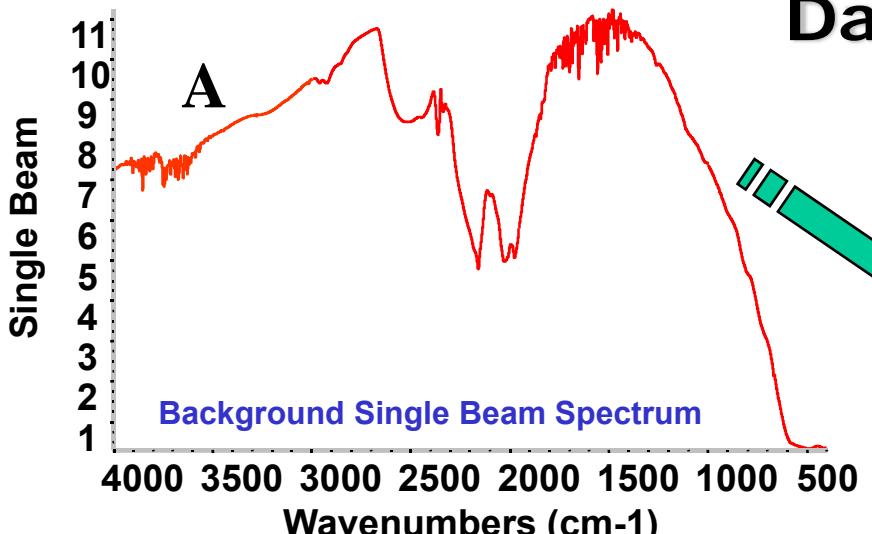


# Data output from FTIR system

“Centre burst” at Zero Path Difference



# Data output from FTIR system



# Pros and Cons of Fourier transform spectrometry

## Advantages over grating spectrometers

- Felgett or Multiplex
- Jacquinot or throughput: apertures instead of slits
- High wavenumber accuracy: sampling  $\lambda_{\text{HeNe}}/2$
- High resolving power:  $\sim 10^6$
- Fast

## Disadvantages

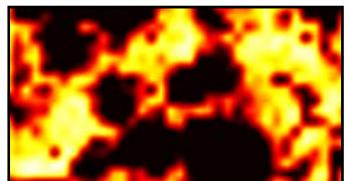
- Complex system (but can be used as a black box by Users)
- Expensive ....
- Can take a lot of room!

# V. APPLICATIONS OF SYNCHROTRON INFRARED LIGHT

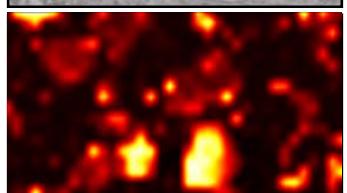
# Applications of synchrotron IR radiation with a microscope

## ATR objective

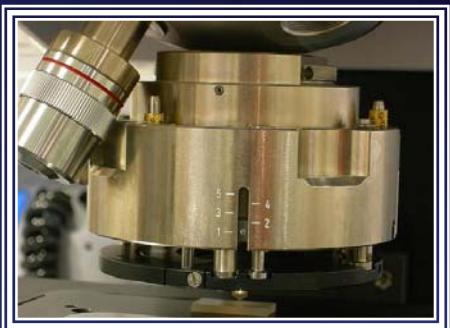
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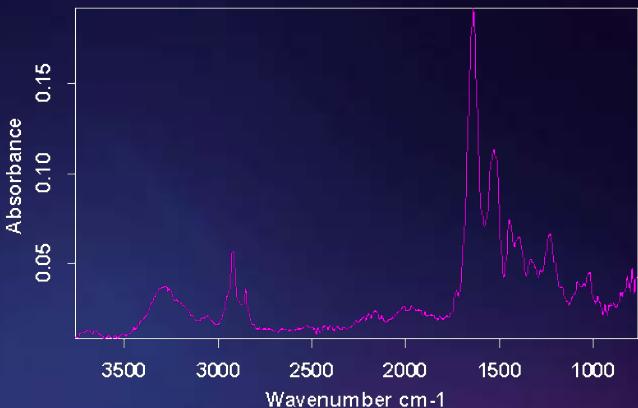
100  $\mu\text{m}$



$837\text{-}1165\text{ cm}^{-1}$

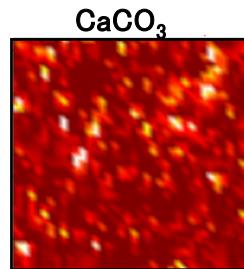
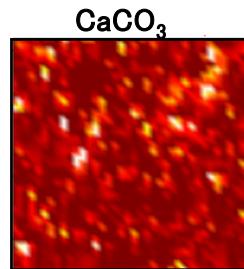
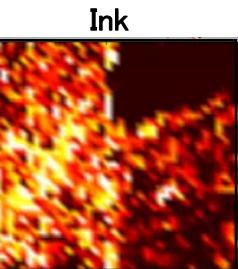
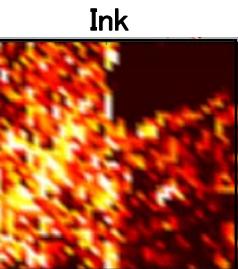
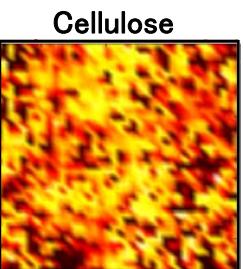
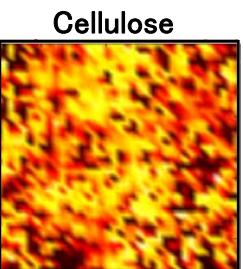
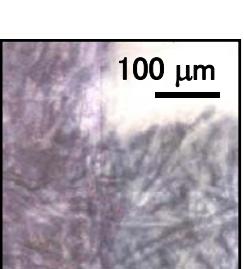
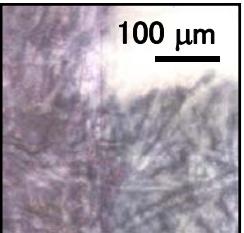


19<sup>th</sup> century parchment sample



## Forensic examination of paper documents

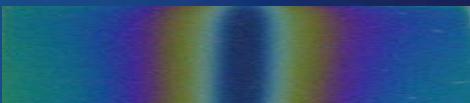
Cross sections of agricultural soils: analysis of distribution and forms of carbon functional groups



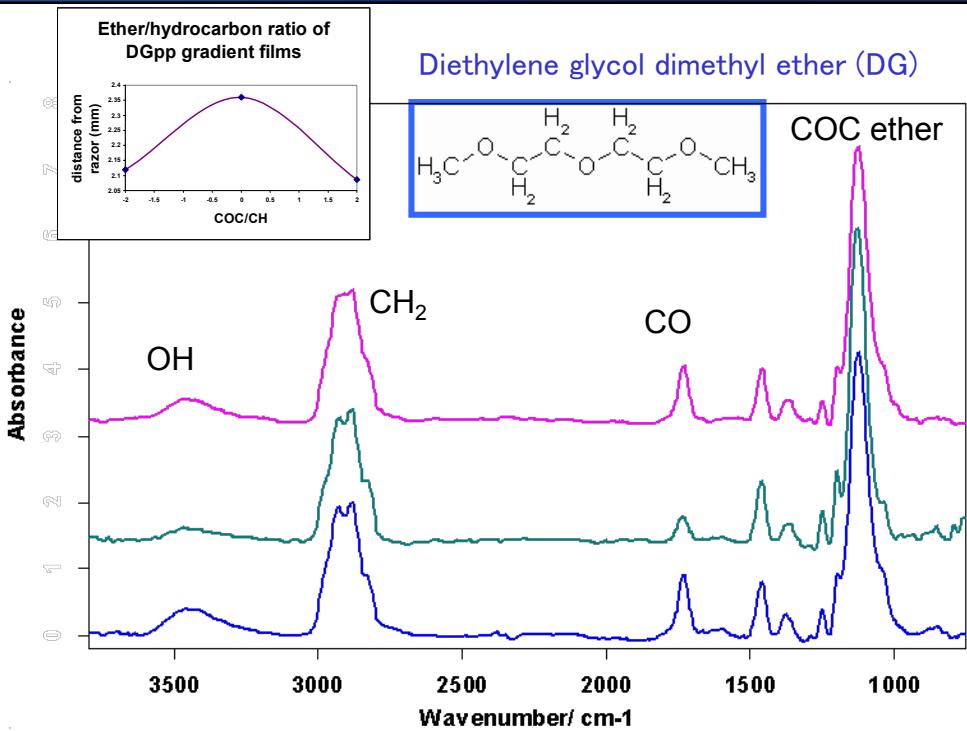
10 microns aperture, 5 microns steps



## Grazing angle objective



### Protein resistant plasma polymer thin films



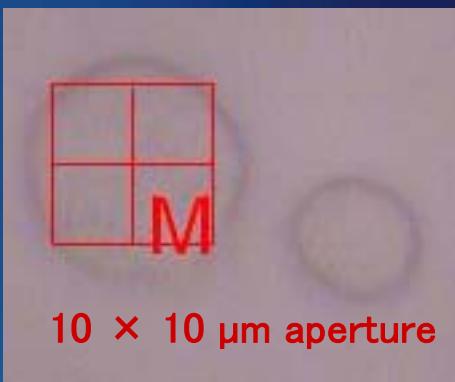
Plasma polymerisation technique used to produce high throughput gradient PEG (poly (ethylene glycol) based films on a nanometer scale.

Systematically varied chemistry by altering the plasma processing conditions.

Study the mechanism of protein repellent properties of PEG coatings.

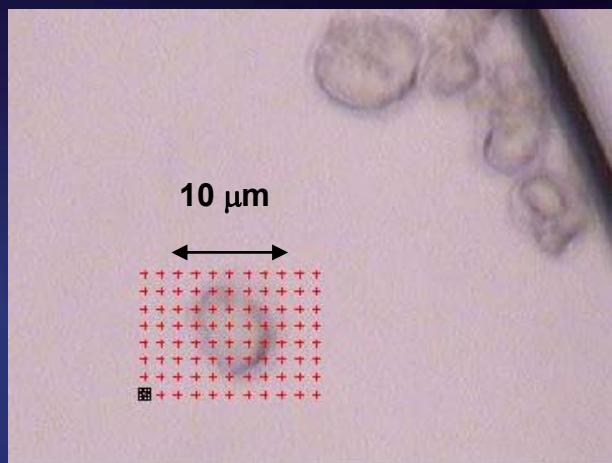
# SINGLE CELL WORK

Live Human  
Mesenchymal Stem Cells

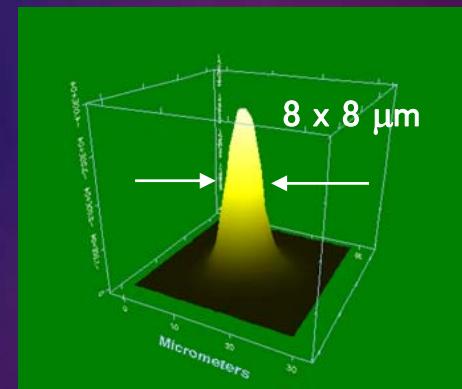


Fixed mouse Oocyte Cell

Live Leukaemia Cells

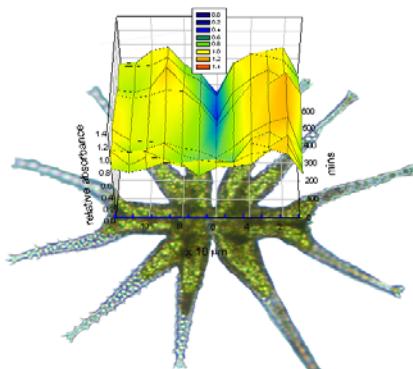


Fixed Malaria infected RBCs

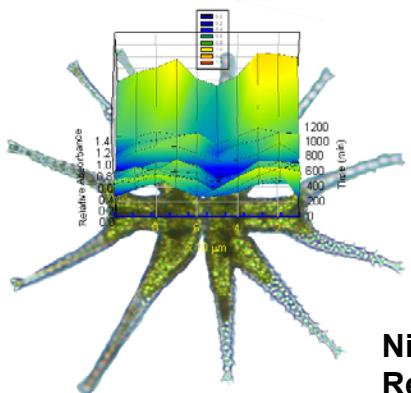


# Response of single living phytoplankton cells to changes in the environment

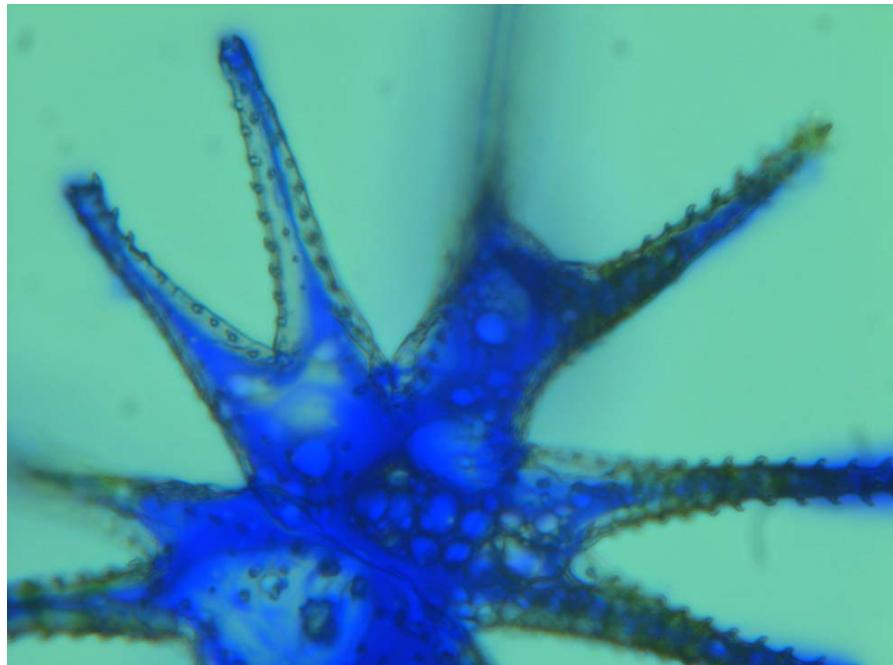
## Lipid concentration FTIR maps



Control



Nitrogen starved cell  
Re-supplied with nitrogen

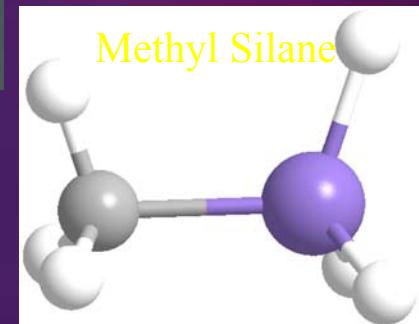
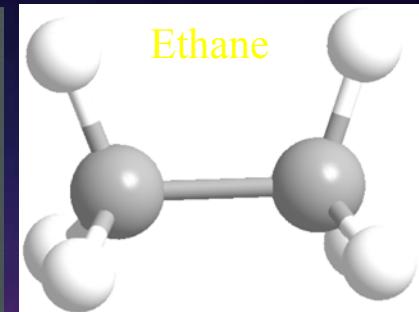
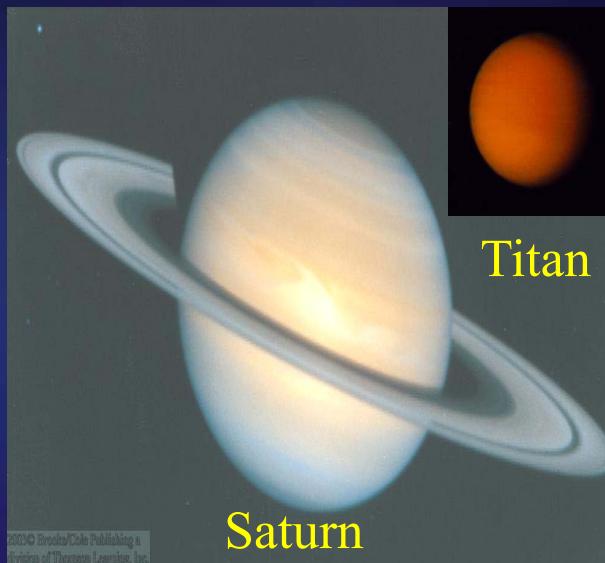


Freshwater alga *Micrasterias hardyi*.

# Applications of synchrotron IR radiation with a High-Resolution FT spectrometer

## Molecular species of Astrophysical interest

- prototype system for torsional motion
- Intramolecular Vib<sup>1</sup> Redistribution
- Earth and Jovian atmospheres
- Pluto: clues to evolution  
early solar system



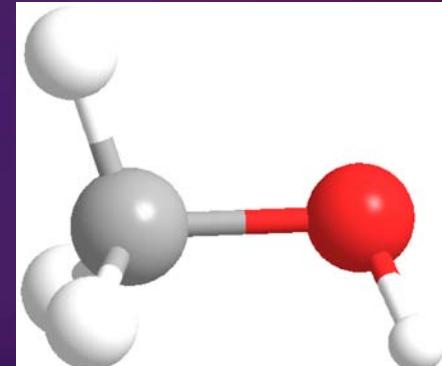
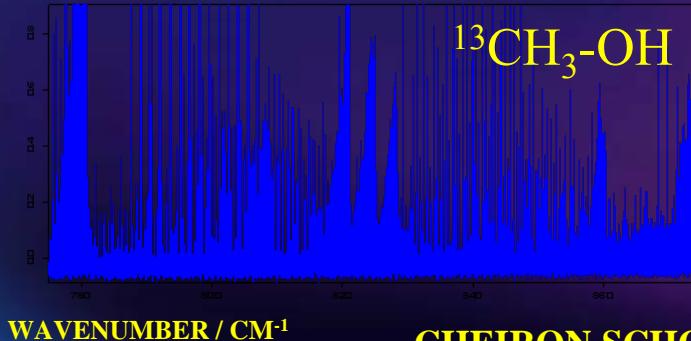
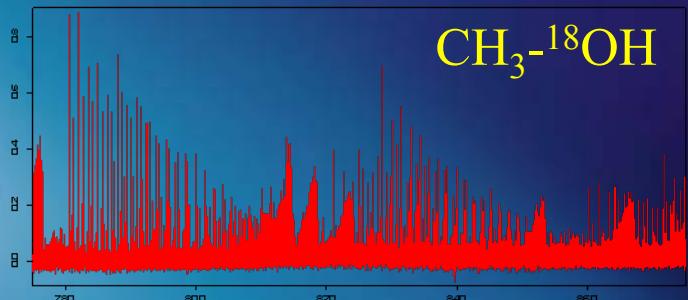
# Molecular species of Astrophysical interest

Telescope missions in the submillimeter region for the study of star formation

- Herschel Space Observatory (2008, 3-4 years)
- Stratospheric Observatory for Infrared Astronomy: SOFIA (2010, 20 years)
- Atacama Large Millimeter Array: ALMA (2011, decades)

Astrophysical weed-molecules & their isotopologues

-Class I: CH<sub>3</sub>OH, HCOOCH<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>3</sub>OCH<sub>3</sub>, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>CN



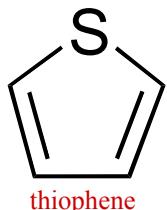
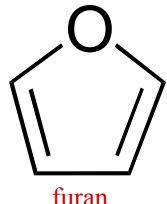
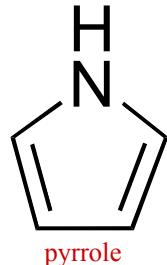
Recorded at the CLS

WAVENUMBER / CM<sup>-1</sup>

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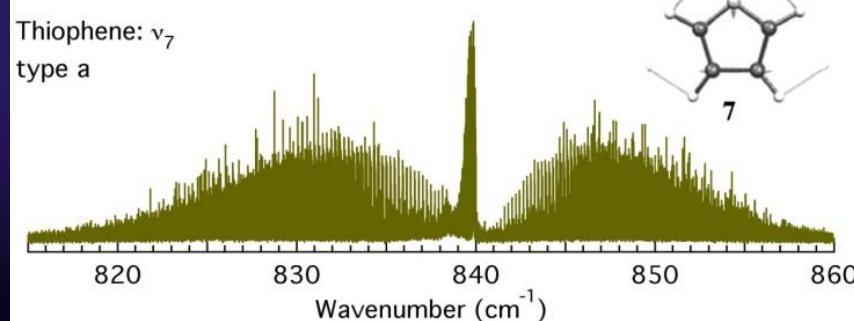
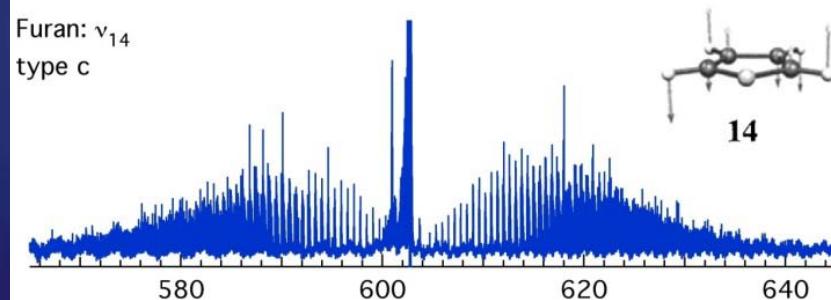
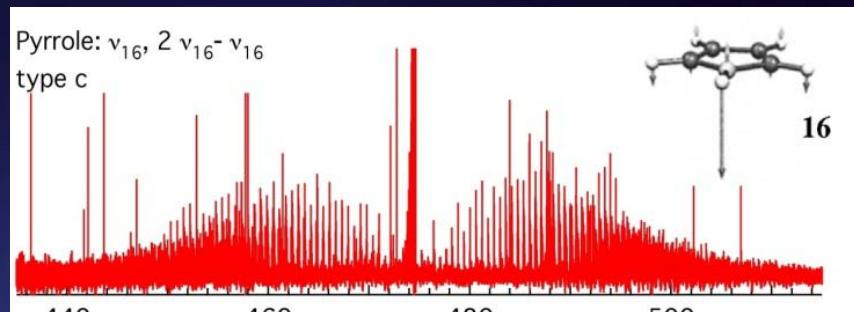
# Far-IR spectroscopy of aromatic cycles containing heteroatoms

Dennis Tokaryk (U. of New Brunswick) & Jen van Winjgaarden (U. of Manitoba)



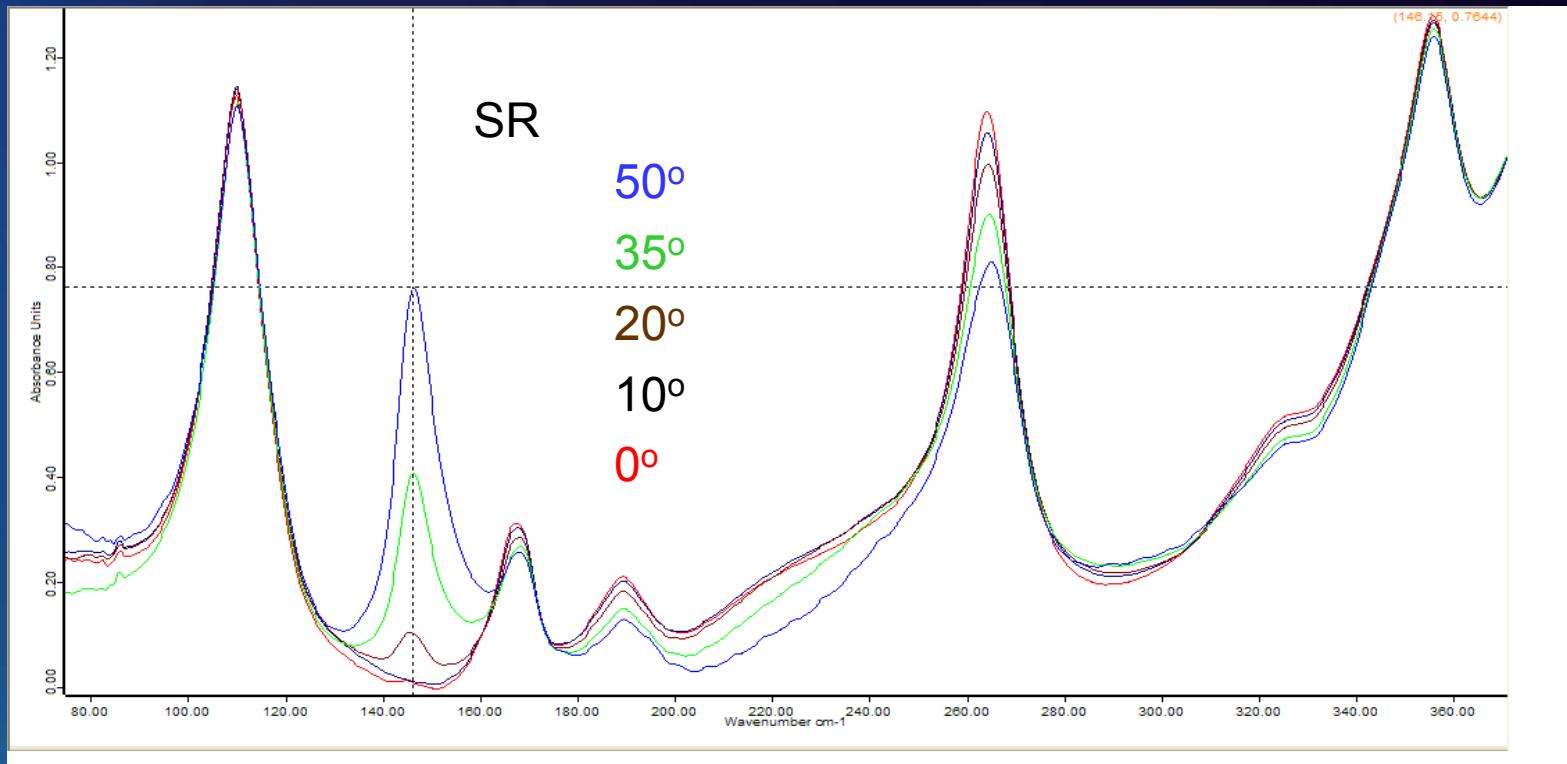
These heterocycles and their derivatives are:

- building blocks of organic chemistry  
**-pharmaceuticals, agrochemicals, dyes**
- constituents of biologically active molecule such as heme and chlorophyll
- byproducts of combustion processes
- candidates for interstellar detection
- solvents/additives in industrial processes
- naturally found in wood, petroleum



# Samples of Environmental interest

Spotted Tiger Muscovite – self supported crystal: Mylar multilayer beamsplitter, Si Bolometer

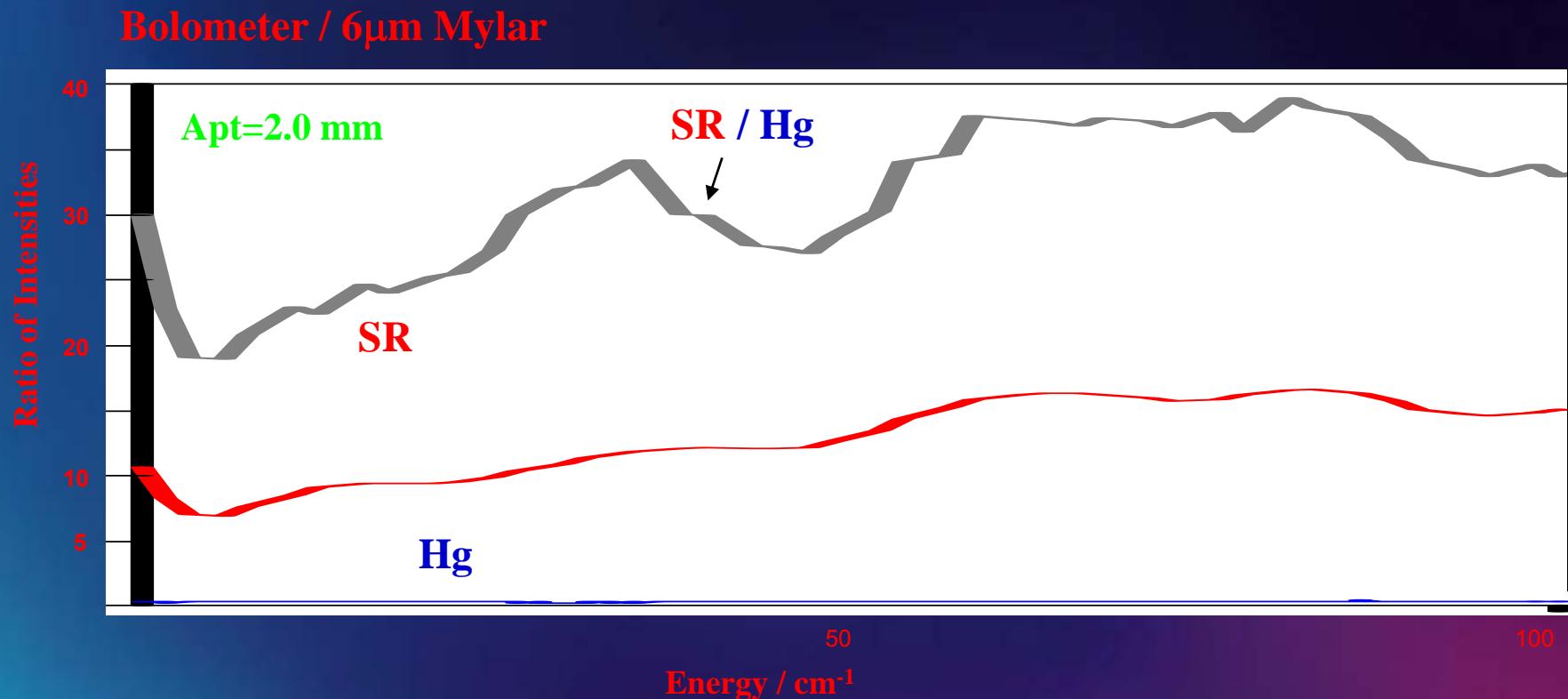


Strong positive pleochroism at  $146 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  – implies out-of-plane mode  
 Slight negative at  $167, 189, 264 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  – implies in-plane mode  
 No change at  $110 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  – expected if interlayer cation ‘rattle’

To better understand the dynamics of cation exchange reactions of important minerals, commonly used as environmental barriers to contaminated wastes such as radionuclides

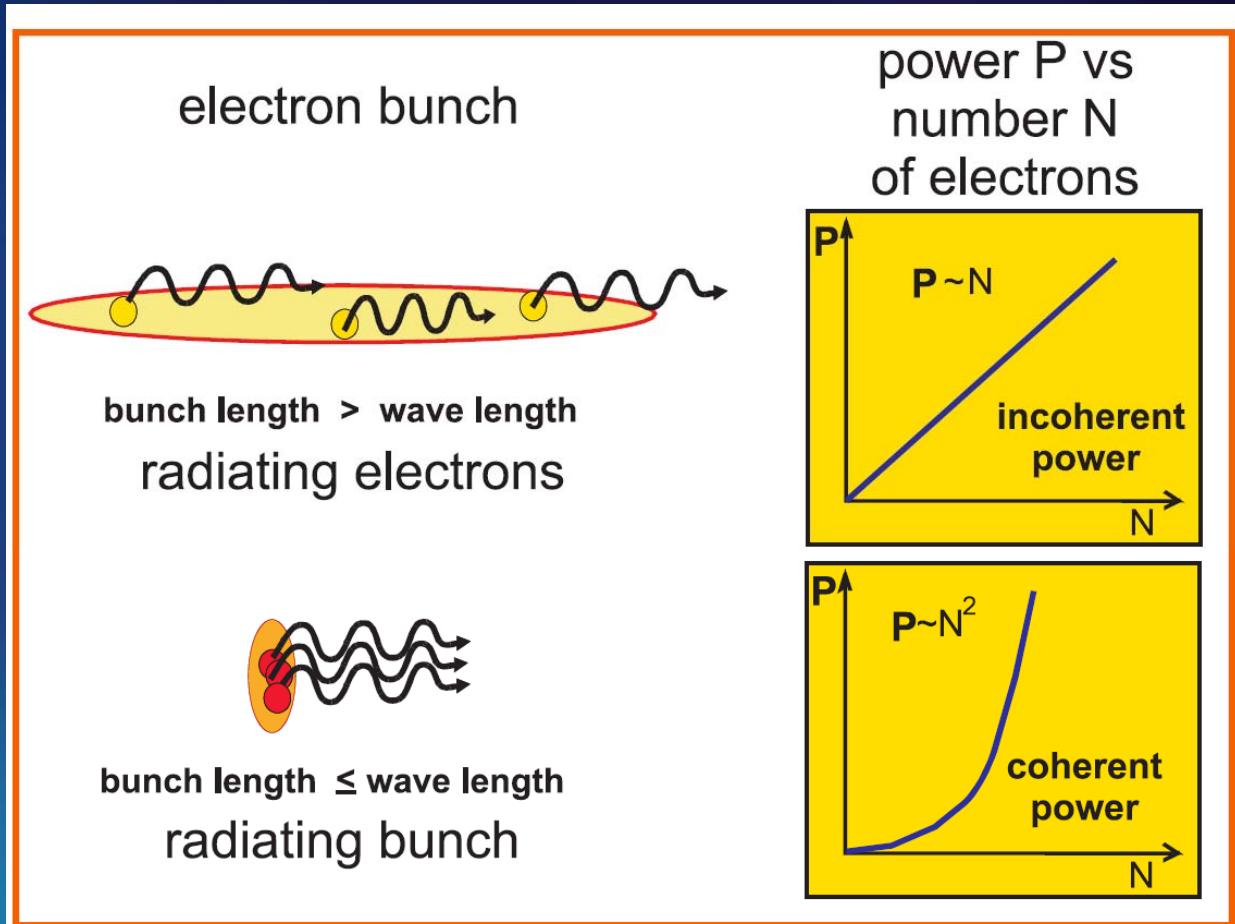
# **VI. COHERENT SYNCHROTRON RADIATION**

# Incoherent Synchrotron $< 100 \text{ cm}^{-1}$



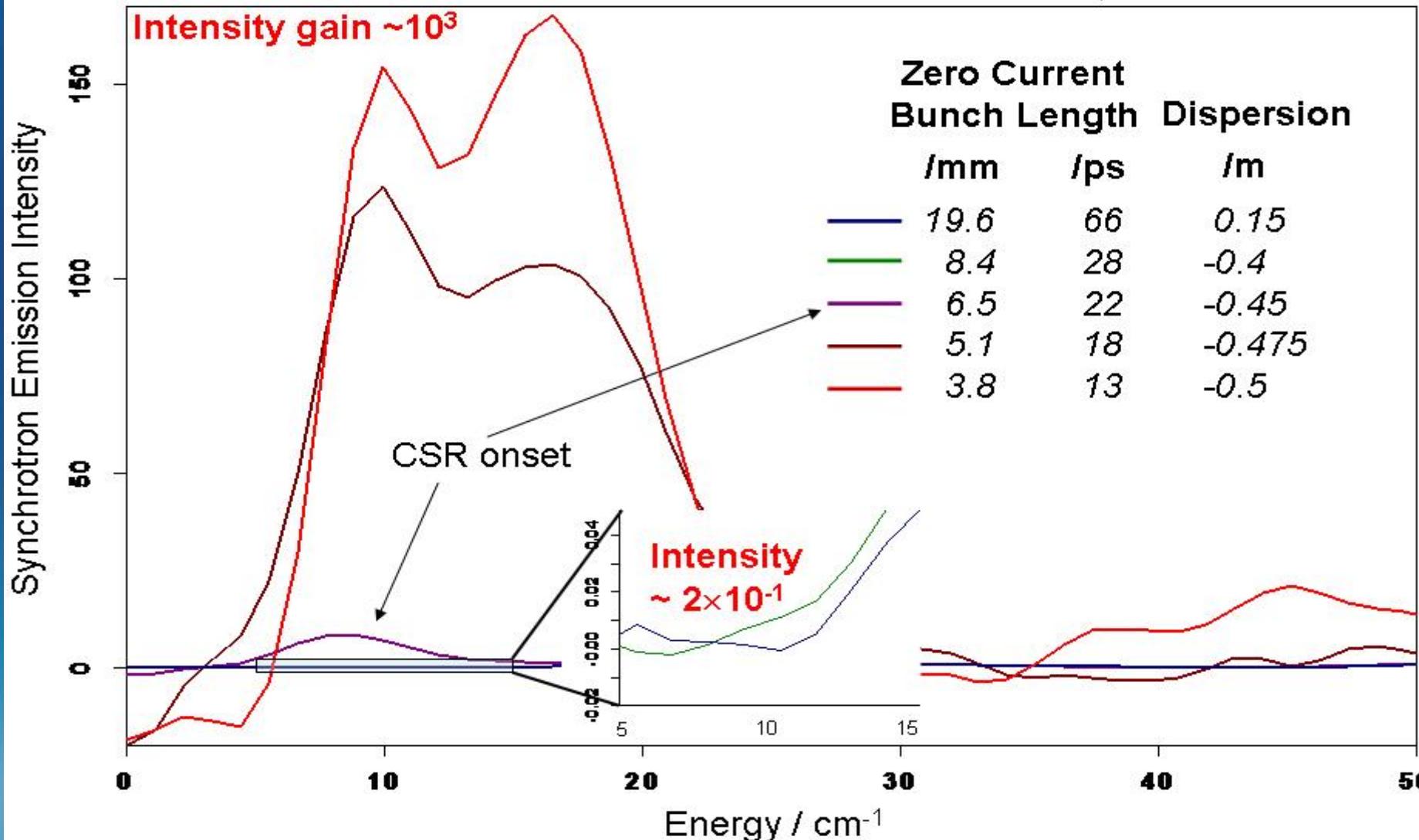
# Coherent Synchrotron Radiation

$$P_{SR} \propto N + N^2 e^{-\left(\omega \sigma_z / c\right)^2}$$

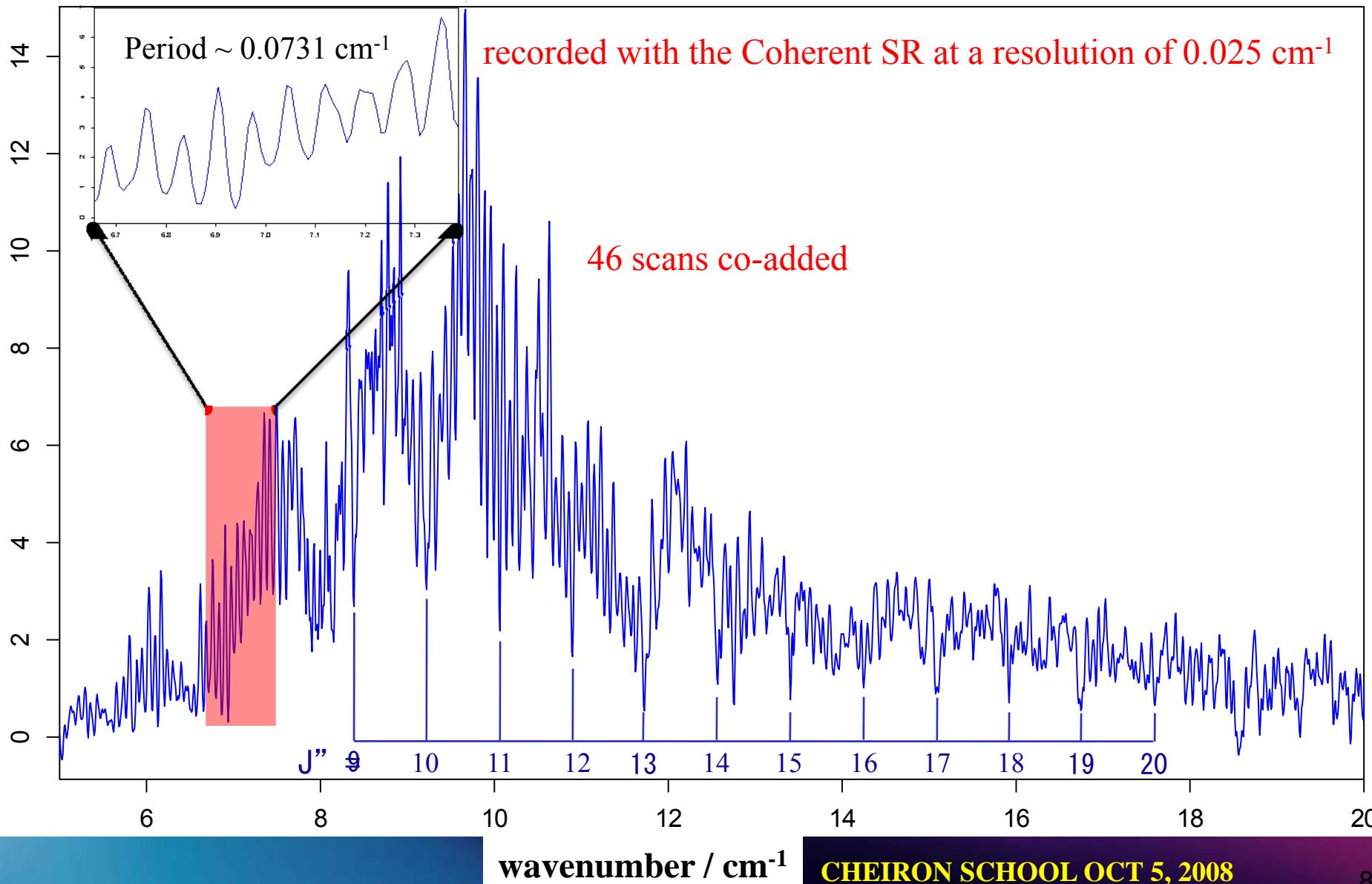


# CSR at the CLS

Recorded with a 4.2 K Bolometer at the Far-IR Beamline on Jan 23, 2007:  $I \sim 11.6$  mA



# N<sub>2</sub>O THz absorption spectrum



# Summary

- Synchrotrons provide intense beams at long wavelengths into the Far-IR
- IR spectroscopy is used to provide information on the chemical composition of materials based on the vibration of the bonds present.
- Synchrotron IR allows these measurements to be made rapidly at a few microns dimension (micoscope), or at low concentration (and high SPECTRAL resolution).
- Synchrotron IR has applications in a diverse range of research areas.
- Future developments in the field will allow imaging below the diffraction limit and the use of intense Far-IR and Terahertz beams

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# Infrared Spectroscopy

## Energy range

0.001 eV to 1 eV ( $10\text{ cm}^{-1}$  to  $10,000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ )

## Property accessible

molecular vibrations & rotations

## Measurements

vibrational & rotational spectra

## Information

molecular structure, chemical analysis

## Synchrotron Benefits

signal to noise, spatial resolution  
(down to the diffraction limit)

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