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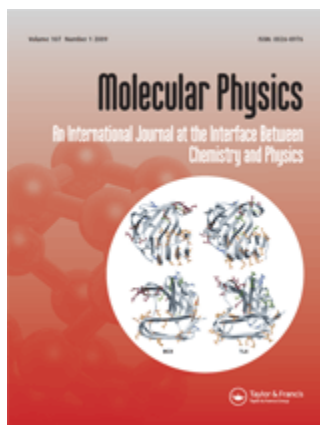
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Abstract

Forty cold bands and 29 hot bands are reported from the high resolution FT absorption spectrum of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$, all leading to vibrational states located between 6750 and 9500 cm^{-1} . Each of these bands has been vibrationally assigned and rotationally analysed. The band centres (ν_c), vibrational term values (G_v) and rotational constants are listed.

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1. Introduction

This work is the next contribution of the Bologna-Louvain-Brussels collaboration to the systematic investigation of the mid and near infrared absorption spectrum of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$ using high resolution Fourier transform spectroscopy (FTS). The ranges 3800-6750 [1] and 9500-10000 [2] cm^{-1} were considered in two previous, recent papers. Even earlier studies focused either on the lower energy region [3-5], or on overtones recorded using Fourier transform intracavity laser absorption spectroscopy [6]. The present investigation fills the remaining energy gap, thus between 6750 and 9500 cm^{-1} . The spectrum in this range is quite dense and shows numerous perturbation features whose assignment required significant advances in the global analysis of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$. Initial attempts along this line first considered only the vibrational degrees of freedom [7], soon followed by decisive results on the vibration-rotation global analysis [8]. The latter investigation successfully accounted in a single process for all 12703 vibration-rotation lines reported in the literature that involved energy levels up to 6750 cm^{-1} . The resulting rotational constants and polyad matrix model were used in the present investigation to predict vibration-rotation energy states above 6750 cm^{-1} , which significantly helped in the assignment process. The inclusion in the global procedure of the presently assigned lines will require intensive additional work, not finalized at this stage of the investigation.

The usual vibrational numbering in acetylene is used throughout the paper, namely ν_1 and ν_3 for the symmetric (σ^+) and antisymmetric (σ^+) CH stretchings, respectively, ν_2 for the CC stretching (σ^+), and ν_4 and ν_5 for the degenerate *trans* (π) and *cis* (π) bendings, respectively. The vibrational quantum numbers l_4 and l_5 , with $k = l_4 + l_5$ are used with the same sign convention as in the recent papers in the present series, thus

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3 different from the one used in the previous reports on acetylene from the Bologna and
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25 synthesised with an isotopic purity close to 99% was used and the spectra were recorded
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30 Seven spectra were recorded at a resolution of 0.01 cm^{-1} (maximum optical path
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32 difference of 90 cm), sample pressures ranging between 0.037 and 48.40 hPa and an
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55 3. Vibrational structure 56 57 58 59 60

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4 using polyads or so-called vibrational clusters. These polyads are defined using the
5 $\{N_s, N_r, k\}$ set of numbers, with $N_s = \nu_1 + \nu_2 + \nu_3$, $N_r = 5\nu_1 + 3\nu_2 + 5\nu_3 + \nu_4 + \nu_5$ and $k = l_4 + l_5$, as
6 summarized in [13]. They include off-diagonal elements corresponding to the following
7 anharmonic resonances: 3/245, 1/244, 1/255, 44/55, 11/33, 1/245, 3/244, 3/255 and 14/35
8 with *e.g.* $ijklk$ meaning interaction terms of the type $\Delta\nu_i = \pm 1, \Delta\nu_j = \mp 1, \Delta\nu_k = \mp 2$ and
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23 Sixty nine vibrational bands were identified in the studied spectral range, all
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25 state and hot bands starting from $\nu_4 = 1$ or $\nu_5 = 1$ excited bending states. They altogether
26 involve 52 different upper vibrational states. This number of states only represents
27 around 2% of all expected vibrational levels in this region, all k-values considered. It also
28 represents some 13% of all the expected Σ and Π states. In fact, we observe more than
29 21% of the Σ and Π expected states between 6999 and 7970 cm^{-1} and around 8% of these
30 same-symmetry states between 8414 and 9330 cm^{-1} . These bands are gathered in table 1.
31 The wavenumbers listed in this table correspond to band centres and vibrational term
32 values as resulting from the rotational analysis detailed in the next section. The states are
33 assigned using the usual vibrational quantum numbers in acetylene, defined in the
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been carried out previously, was undertaken to complete the study of the mid and near FTIR absorption spectrum of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$ up to 10000 cm^{-1} . Many more bands have been identified in the spectrum thanks to the detailed rotational analysis presently performed. The vibrational assignment was supported by the global vibration results recently published [7]. In very specific cases, predictions from the global fit were essential to the analysis. For instance, the J -numbering in the $3\nu_2+2\nu_4+3\nu_5\leftarrow\text{GS}$ ($\Pi - \Sigma^+$) Q branch around 9029 cm^{-1} could not be reliably achieved from the conventional procedure and required the precise predictions from the global model. The present analysis led to modify a very limited number of previously published vibrational assignments, because the composition of the eigenvectors from the polyad matrix model changed very slightly.

The bands in the presently investigated spectral region are mainly grouped in three windows, centred at 6550 , 7250 and 8500 cm^{-1} . In the low energy window the $\nu_1+\nu_3\leftarrow\text{GS}$ band (analysed in Ref. [1]) is the dominant feature. Medium intensity bands not reported before are $\nu_1+\nu_3+\nu_4\leftarrow\nu_4$ and $\nu_1+\nu_3+\nu_5\leftarrow\nu_5$. The 7250 cm^{-1} region is dominated by the Q-branches associated to the $\nu_1+\nu_3+\nu_4\leftarrow\text{GS}$, $2\nu_3+\nu_5\leftarrow\text{GS}$ and $2\nu_1+\nu_5\leftarrow\text{GS}$ bands, with band centres at 7124.36 , 7203.82 and 7393.02 cm^{-1} , respectively. In the highest energy window the strongest absorptions are given by $\nu_1+\nu_2+\nu_3\leftarrow\text{GS}$ and $3\nu_2+\nu_4+3\nu_5\leftarrow\text{GS}$, centred at 8464.23 and 8475.69 cm^{-1} , respectively.

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3 The richness of the spectra is illustrated in figures 1 to 4 that highlight selected ranges in
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5 the observation of zero order dark bands on the spectrum is evident in figures 1 and 2. In
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7 observed with an unusual intensity, if compared to that of the zero order bright band
8 ($2\nu_3+\nu_5$). The intensity borrowing actually results from a complex interaction mechanism
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10 belong to the same $\{N_s, N_r, k\} = \{2, 11, 1\}$ polyad and thus indirectly interact through the
11 ($\nu_2+\nu_3+\nu_4+2\nu_5$) dark state. The result of a more direct interaction within the $\{3, 12, 1\}$
12 polyad is illustrated in figure 2. It involves the $1/255$ anharmonic resonance connecting
13 the upper states in the $\nu_1+2\nu_2+\nu_5$ and $3\nu_2+3\nu_5$ observed bands. The observation of all k -
14 substates in the $2\nu_1+2\nu_5$ and $2\nu_1+\nu_4+\nu_5$ manifolds, through hot bands, is shown in figure
15 3. Eventually, the presence of the very weak $2\nu_1+\nu_4 \leftarrow$ GS band, that is forbidden by u/g
16 selection rules in the main, symmetric isotopologue, is illustrated in figure 4. **According**
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19 **(15%), $2\nu_3+\nu_4$ (7%). Since all these zero order components lead to forbidden $g-g$**
20 **transitions from the ground state in the main, symmetric isotopologue, none of them is**
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10 involved, we expect $P_{e\leftarrow e}$, $Q_{e\leftarrow f}$ and $R_{e\leftarrow e}$ branches (where e and f are the conventional
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14 $P_{f\leftarrow f}$, $Q_{f\leftarrow e}$ and $R_{f\leftarrow f}$ branches for the $\Delta\leftarrow\Pi$ band. Three of these branches, namely
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18 at our level of sensitivity. This is somehow surprising, as we are confident that the
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46 4. Rotational analysis

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$$T(v, J) = \tilde{\nu}_c + B_v J(J+1) - D_v [J(J+1)]^2 + H_v [J(J+1)]^3 \quad (1)$$

$$\pm \frac{1}{2} \{ q_v [J(J+1)] + q_v' [J(J+1)]^2 \}$$

with $\tilde{\nu}_c = G_v' - B_v' k^2 - G_v'' + B_v'' k^2$ and G_v the vibrational term value.

For the Δ state, the doubling of the rotational levels was modelled by:

$$\pm a \{ \rho_v J(J+1) + \rho_v' [J(J+1)]^2 \} [J(J+1) - 2] \quad (2)$$

with $a = 1/2$ or $1/4$ for $(v_4^l, v_5^l) = (2^2, 0^0)$ and $(0^0, 2^2)$ or $(1^1, 1^1)$, respectively. In equations

(1) and (2) upper signs refer to f -symmetry levels, lower signs to e -symmetry levels.

In addition, transitions whose wavenumbers differed from the corresponding calculated values by more than a chosen limit, ranging from 0.001 to 0.005 cm^{-1} , were excluded from the final cycle of the least-squares procedure.

The constants resulting from the band by band analysis procedure are listed in table 1. Although improved rotational constants resulted for the ground vibrational state from the global vibration-rotation analysis [8], we constrained them in the rotational analysis to the values in [3], to be consistent with the results in the neighbouring spectral ranges presented in the previous papers in the series [1,2]. The number of lines assigned in the branches and the number of fitted lines are indicated in table 1 for each band.

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We decided to limit the number of fitted constants in the rotational analysis to the sextic term H' , as defined in equation (1). Actually, for many bands, additional terms in the $J(J+1)$ expansion could as well be fitted and statistically determined. This behaviour

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29 be supported by the global vibration-rotation model that is being built simultaneously to
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45 6. Conclusions

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48 We have reported on 69 absorption bands in $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$ recorded using FTIR
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50 spectroscopy between the ranges of 2 and 3 CH excitation quanta, previously considered
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54 detailed rotational analyses. Band origins and rotational constants were obtained from
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9 the current spectroscopic parameters of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$, the present study provides the
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13 to higher energies, which will be attempted in the near future.
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Figure 1: A portion of the infrared spectrum of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$ showing the Q-branches of the $2\nu_3+\nu_5(\text{II}) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$ and $2\nu_2+2\nu_4+3\nu_5(\text{II}) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$ band. Experimental conditions: pressure 0.505 kPa, optical path length 55.1 m.

Figure 2: A portion of the infrared spectrum of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$. Three main bands are highlighted: $\nu_1+2\nu_2+\nu_5(\text{II}) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$, $3\nu_2+3\nu_5(\text{II}) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$ and $2\nu_1+\nu_4+\nu_5(\Sigma^+) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$. Experimental conditions: pressure 4.84 kPa, optical path length 55.1 m.

Figure 3: A portion of the infrared spectrum of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$ showing the Q-branches of the following bands: $2\nu_1+2\nu_5(\Sigma^+) \leftarrow \nu_5(\text{II})$, $2\nu_1+\nu_4+\nu_5(\Sigma^+) \leftarrow \nu_4(\text{II})$, $2\nu_1+\nu_4+\nu_5(\Sigma^-) \leftarrow \nu_4(\text{II})$, $2\nu_1+2\nu_5(\Delta) \leftarrow \nu_5(\text{II})$, $2\nu_1+\nu_4+\nu_5(\Delta) \leftarrow \nu_4(\text{II})$. The stronger lines are from the P branch of the $2\nu_1+\nu_5(\text{II}) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$ band. Experimental conditions: pressure 4.84 kPa, optical path length 55.1 m.

Figure 4: A portion of the infrared spectrum of $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$ showing the Q-branch of the $2\nu_1+\nu_4(\text{II}) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$ band. The stronger lines are from the R branches of the $\nu_1+\nu_3+\nu_5(\text{II}) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$ and $\nu_2+\nu_3+\nu_4+2\nu_5(\text{II}) \leftarrow \text{GS}(\Sigma^+)$, bands. Experimental conditions: pressure 4.84 kPa, optical path length 55.1 m.

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Table 1: Band centers (ν_c), vibrational term values (G_v) and rotational constants (in cm^{-1}) in $^{13}\text{CH}^{12}\text{CH}$. The standard deviation (1σ) is indicated in parentheses in the unit of the last quoted digit. The assigned lines are mentioned for each branch. The last column gives the number and standard deviation of the lines included in the fit. Rotational lower state constants were constrained during the analysis, from [3].

Table 1

$v_1 v_2 v_3 v_4 v_5, l_4 l_5$	Transition	ν_c	G_v	B_v	$D_v \times 10^6$	$H_v \times 10^9$	$q_v \times 10^3$ $q_J \times 10^6$ $q_{JJ} \times 10^9$	P,Q,R $\{J_{\min}, J_{\max}\}$	n. of lines $\sigma_{\text{lines}} \times 10^3$
0 0 2 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_5)$	6350.70734(13)	7080.0739	1.1387039(15)	1.5916(41)	0.0481(32)	5.72476(78) -0.0268(12)	$P_e\{2,32\}$; $R_e\{1,26\}$ $P_f\{2,32\}$; $R_f\{1,26\}$	87 0.47
0 1 1 3 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	6392.43111(52)	7000.7755	1.140454(15)	-4.30(11)	-1.27(21)	10.413(16) -2.44(15) -5.41(35)	$P_e\{3,22\}$; $R_e\{1,16\}$ $P_f\{3,25\}$; $R_f\{1,15\}$	55 1.32
0 0 2 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	6471.73128(15)	7080.0739	1.1387052(16)	1.5934(40)	0.0484(26)	5.72604(98) -0.0277(12)	$P_e\{2,36\}$; $R_e\{1,30\}$ $P_f\{2,34\}$; $R_f\{1,29\}$	99 0.69
0 0 2 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - \Pi (v_5)$	6475.59154(26)	7204.9599	1.1404349(46)	2.939(19)	0.787(21)	4.6238(54) 0.604(28) -0.624(34)	$P_e\{2,26\}$; $R_e\{1,23\}$ $P_f\{2,27\}$; $R_f\{1,20\}$	68 0.89
1 0 1 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	6517.16692(14)	7125.5087	1.1378970(39)	1.934(29)	3.013(54)	5.4521(54) 0.549(52) -4.42(10)	$P_e\{2,17\}$; $R_e\{1,21\}$ $P_f\{2,20\}$; $R_f\{1,29\}$	62 0.45
1 0 1 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - \Pi (v_5)$	6520.05662(16)	7249.4229	1.1384201(23)	1.7193(81)	0.2213(81)	4.8885(29) -0.070(13) -0.363(15)	$P_e\{2,29\}$; $R_e\{1,26\}$ $P_f\{2,31\}$; $R_f\{1,29\}$	94 0.63
2 0 0 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_5)$	6543.07663(14)	7272.4416	1.1370759(25)	1.501(10)	-0.084(11)	4.8745(13) -0.0348(31)	$P_e\{2,25\}$; $R_e\{1,23\}$ $P_f\{2,24\}$; $R_f\{1,24\}$	58 0.41
0 2 0 1 3, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	6589.76247(41)	6589.7625	1.1423606(92)	5.351(44)	1.434(46)		$P\{1,30\}$; $R\{0,28\}$	33 1.07

1	0 0 2 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	6596.61590(25)	7204.9602	1.1404218(36)	2.856(12)	0.670(10)	4.6226(42)	$P_e\{2,27\} ; R_e\{1,30\}$	74
2								0.568(18)	$P_f\{2,27\} ; R_f\{1,29\}$	0.89
3								-0.533(17)		
4	0 1 1 1 2, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	6621.84935(52)	7230.1951	1.1418843(96)	2.216(35)		9.0096(35)	$P_e\{2,17\} ; R_e\{1,16\}$	40
5									$P_f\{2,17\} ; R_f\{3,19\}$	1.51
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9								-0.0224(14)	$P_f\{2,24\} ; R_f\{1,30\}$	0.47
10										
11										
12	2 0 0 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - \Pi (v_5)$	6664.79196(11)	7394.1578	1.13792029(91)	1.66094(12)		4.8371(11)	$P_e\{2,18\} ; R_e\{2,28\}$	70
13								-0.1065(19)	$P_f\{2,22\} ; R_f\{1,26\}$	0.50
14										
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16	0 1 1 3 0, 1 0	$\Pi - G.S.$	6999.63641(43)	7000.7768	1.140375(15)	-5.14(13)	-3.48(30)	10.450(19)	$P\{3,23\} ; R\{0,18\}$	42
17								-2.82(20)	$Q\{1,16\}$	1.06
18								-4.35(53)		
19										
20										
21	0 3 0 1 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	7063.48837(25)	7063.4884	1.1335475(24)	3.0484(42)			$P\{1,26\} ; R\{0,23\}$	36
22										0.78
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24										
25	0 0 2 2 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - \Pi (v_4)$	7067.40254(52)	7674.6064	1.140295(19)	-15.89(16)	-18.13(29)		$P\{2,18\} ; R\{2,15\}$	23
26									$Q\{2,22\}$	0.91
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29	0 0 2 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - G.S.$	7078.93548(11)	7080.0742	1.1386998(12)	1.5759(31)	0.0352(20)	5.7328(16)	$P\{2,35\} ; R\{0,28\}$	72
30								-0.0595(50)	$Q\{1,32\}$	0.42
31								-0.0265(35)		
32										
33										
34	1 0 1 1 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - \Pi (v_5)$	7088.68130(32)	7816.9092	1.1407093(40)	4.7635(91)			$P\{1,18\} ; R\{1,21\}$	40
35									$Q\{1,18\}$	1.06
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38	1 0 1 1 1, 1 1	$\Delta - \Pi (v_5)$	7100.90300(25)	7833.6904	1.1398781(31)	0.6080(75)		-0.0021645(33)	$P_e\{4,20\} ; R_e\{2,19\}$	73
39									$P_f\{4,19\} ; R_f\{2,17\}$	0.93
40									$Q_f\{3,21\} ; Q_e\{3,21\}$	
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1	1 0 1 2 0, 2 0	$\Delta - \Pi (v_4)$	7104.46131(32)	7716.2130	1.1369406(44)	2.290(17)	0.615(19)	4.6191(61)	$P_e\{3,25\} ; R_e\{1,21\}$	72
2								0.955(30)	$P_f\{3,29\} ; R_f\{1,25\}$	0.86
3								-1.157(36)	$Q_e\{2,25\}$	
4	1 0 1 2 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - \Pi (v_4)$	7104.48566(64)	7711.6896	1.1451797(99)	2.298(39)	0.174(40)		$Q\{3,25\}$	18
5										0.87
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8	0 1 1 2 1, 2 -1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7105.87479(24)	7107.0158	1.1410373(36)	2.8724(81)		5.8891(45)	$P\{2,23\} ; R\{0,20\}$	45
9								0.108(12)	$Q\{1,23\}$	0.78
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12	0 2 1 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	7110.93467(17)	7719.2706	1.1320481(12)	1.5637(14)		5.1725(14)	$P_e\{2,31\} ; R_e\{1,26\}$	87
13								-0.0278(21)	$P_f\{2,30\} ; R_f\{1,26\}$	0.79
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16	1 0 1 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - G.S.$	7124.36832(69)	7125.5063	1.138010(13)	2.531(41)	1.610(34)	5.455(16)	$P\{2,38\} ; R\{0,30\}$	54
17								0.209(62)	$Q\{1,29\}$	2.42
18								0.849(55)		
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21	0 2 1 0 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	7145.380357(74)	7145.3804	1.13099659(38)	1.53906(35)			$P\{1,37\} ; R\{0,35\}$	64
22										0.31
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24										
25	1 1 0 2 1, 2 -1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7165.23314(39)	7166.3754	1.1422350(69)	4.188(29)	0.170(33)	3.8178(58)	$P\{3,21\} ; R\{0,20\}$	46
26								0.955(17)	$Q\{1,26\}$	1.10
27										
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29	0 0 2 0 2, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - \Pi (v_5)$	7177.95110(28)	7906.1790	1.1419801(36)	4.0850(95)			$P\{1,21\} ; R\{5,17\}$	35
30									$Q\{1,17\}$	0.75
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33	1 1 0 2 1, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7181.20779(36)	7182.3490	1.1412183(34)	0.9568(62)		-3.4167(51)	$P\{2,25\} ; R\{0,26\}$	38
34								-0.775(11)	$Q\{1,24\}$	1.11
35										
36										
37	0 0 2 1 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^- - \Pi (v_4)$	7182.94690(25)	7790.1508	1.1408154(22)	1.6739(37)			$P\{3,26\} ; R\{2,24\}$	53
38									$Q\{2,25\}$	0.84
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41	0 0 2 0 2, 0 2	$\Delta - \Pi (v_5)$	7187.63931(27)	7920.4332	1.1414904(46)	0.478(20)	-0.205(22)	-0.0024470(84)	$P_e\{3,25\} ; R_e\{1,22\}$	98
42								0.000377(16)	$P_f\{3,24\} ; R_f\{1,23\}$	1.01
43									$Q_f\{2,25\} ; Q_e\{2,25\}$	
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1	0 0 2 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7203.81986(29)	7204.9603	1.1404021(40)	2.703(10)	0.4843(67)	4.6297(50)	P{2,30} ; R{0,35}	58
2								0.386(15)	Q{1,38}	1.01
3								-0.275(10)		
4	0 2 0 2 3, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7205.66668(27)	7206.8096	1.1427753(61)	0.111(31)	-0.808(40)	3.2870(81)	P{2,21} ; R{0,23}	55
5								-0.860(49)	Q{2,22}	0.88
6								0.890(69)		
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9	0 1 1 1 2, 1 0	$\Pi - G.S.$	7229.05408(22)	7230.1959	1.1418423(33)	1.8768(86)	-0.2706(63)	8.9257(48)	P{2,31} ; R{0,31}	62
10								0.801(14)	Q{1,30}	0.71
11								-0.822(11)		
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14	1 0 1 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7248.28396(12)	7249.4224	1.1384222(15)	1.7255(47)	0.2277(41)	4.8867(18)	P{2,28} ; R{0,28}	71
15								-0.0635(74)	Q{1,32}	0.41
16								-0.3685(72)		
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20	2 0 0 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - G.S.$	7271.30393(24)	7272.4410	1.1370905(21)	1.5666(33)		4.8612(12)	P{3,20} ; R{2,20}	52
21									Q{1,28}	0.95
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24	1 1 0 1 2, 1 0	$\Pi - G.S.$	7278.47865(76)	7279.6164	1.137777(10)	2.710(28)			P{5,19} ; R{0,18}	25
25										1.57
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28	2 0 0 0 2, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - \Pi (v_5)$	7361.58669(27)	8089.8146	1.1405489(35)	4.484(11)	0.6650(96)		P{1,29} ; R{1,25}	57
29									Q{1,22}	0.71
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32	2 0 0 1 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - \Pi (v_4)$	7362.66167(19)	7969.8656	1.1395671(29)	3.319(10)	0.1381(97)		P{3,28} ; R{2,28}	58
33									Q{1,23}	0.60
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36	2 0 0 1 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^- - \Pi (v_4)$	7367.02549(18)	7974.2294	1.1391357(13)	1.6095(18)			P{1,30} ; R{1,27}	68
37									Q{1,25}	0.75
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40	2 0 0 0 2, 0 2	$\Delta - \Pi (v_5)$	7371.29700(22)	8104.0846	1.1399314(36)	0.375(12)		-0.002495(22)	P _e {3,20} ; R _e {1,21}	87
41								0.000298(78)	P _f {3,18} ; R _f {1,16}	0.88
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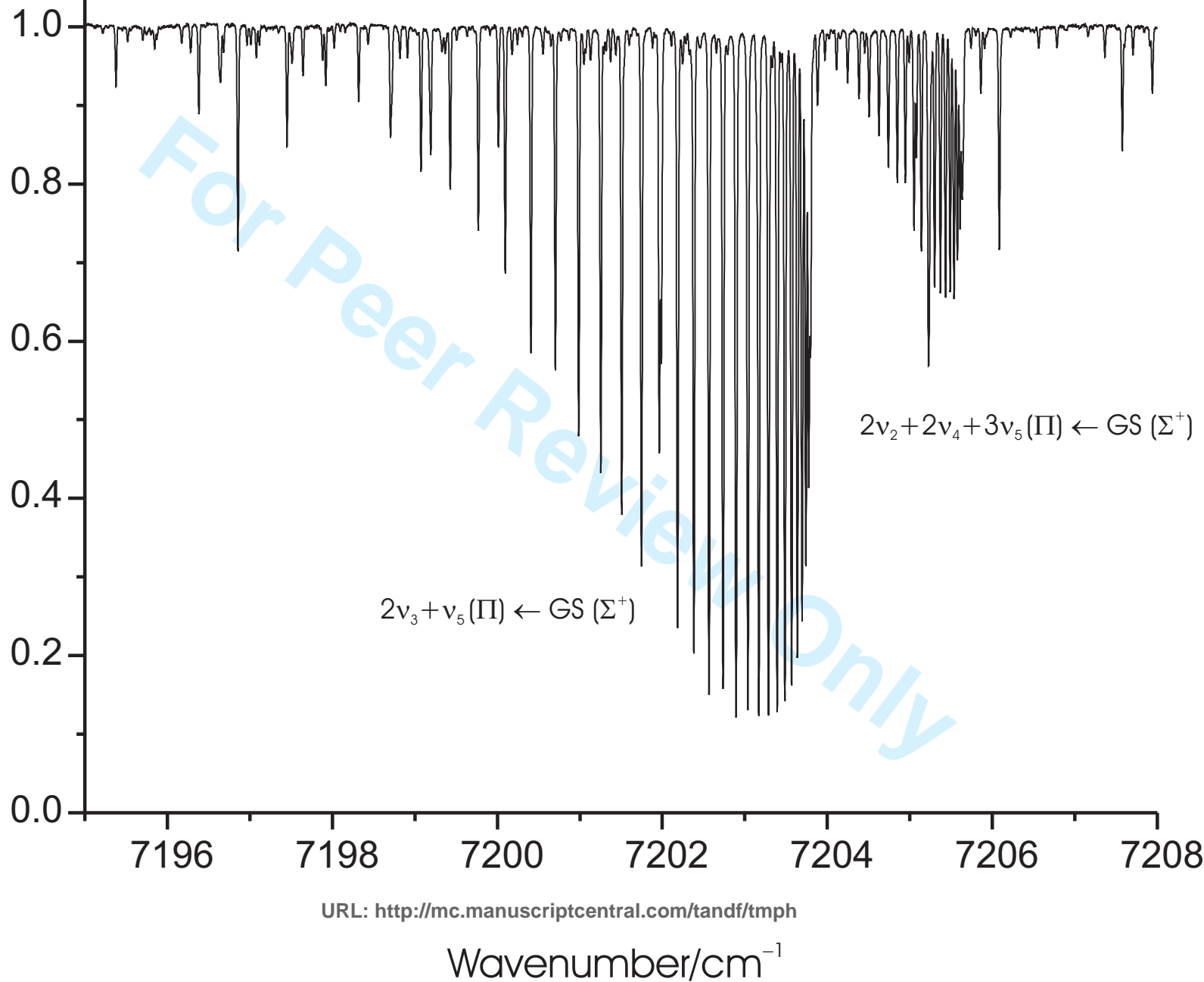
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2								0.000166(40)	$P_f\{7,25\} ; R_f\{4,21\}$	0.80
3									$Q_f\{2,22\} ; Q_e\{2,23\}$	
4	2 0 0 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7393.018981(85)	7394.1569	1.13793005(66)	1.6350(11)	0.01825(51)	4.84799(86)	$P\{2,39\} ; R\{0,39\}$	111
5								-0.1377(18)	$Q\{1,40\}$	0.40
6								-0.02035(86)		
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9	1 1 0 0 3, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7419.50638(19)	7420.6495	1.1431668(21)	2.8756(53)	0.0384(36)	10.1759(31)	$P\{2,31\} ; R\{0,31\}$	71
10								-0.4045(94)	$Q\{15,32\}$	0.65
11								-0.3890(66)		
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14	0 2 0 0 5, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7445.10236(45)	7446.2478	1.145413(11)	2.999(65)	-1.332(94)	12.600(14)	$P\{3,17\} ; R\{0,25\}$	40
15								-0.734(97)	$Q\{4,20\}$	1.15
16								0.75(16)		
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19	0 0 2 2 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	7674.60373(71)	7674.6037	1.140349(24)	-15.83(20)	-19.53(43)		$P\{1,22\} ; R\{0,21\}$	31
20										1.49
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23	1 0 1 3 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	7695.61639(46)	8303.9630	1.142750(17)	9.77(16)	-6.03(42)	11.648(19)	$P_e\{2,15\} ; R_e\{1,17\}$	42
24								-3.92(24)	$P_f\{2,16\} ; R_f\{1,14\}$	1.09
25								-26.36(72)		
26										
27										
28	0 1 1 3 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	7704.18800(55)	7704.1880	1.1420142(98)	-3.703(40)	-3.822(43)		$P\{1,28\} ; R\{0,26\}$	39
29										1.62
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31										
32	1 0 1 2 0, 2 0	$\Delta_e - G.S.$	7711.68931(33)	7716.2270	1.1344294(54)	2.301(21)	0.900(23)		$P\{3,27\} ; R\{2,24\}$	44
33										0.81
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36	1 0 1 2 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	7711.69171(33)	7711.6917	1.1451451(34)	2.1656(82)	0.0350(54)		$P\{1,32\} ; R\{0,31\}$	52
37										0.86
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40	0 2 0 3 3, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	7725.56610(30)	7725.5661	1.1456798(77)	11.707(46)	3.126(71)		$P\{1,20\} ; R\{0,20\}$	31
41										0.77
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1	1 1 0 3 1, 3 -1	$\Delta_e - G.S.$	7754.46091(94)	7759.0096	1.137175(18)	4.049(85)	1.63(11)		P{5,20} ; R{3,21}	31
2										1.54
3	1 1 0 3 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	7754.48122(95)	7754.4812	1.148409(26)	1.67(17)	-2.36(29)		P{2,20} ; R{2,19}	28
4										1.67
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6	1 2 0 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7921.40797(24)	7922.5411	1.1331639(32)	2.1042(94)	0.2240(74)	5.8010(19)	P{2,29} ; R{0,29}	76
7								-0.4199(29)	Q{1,30}	0.94
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10	0 3 0 0 3, 0 1	$\Pi - G.S.$	7939.42582(42)	7940.5608	1.1349954(88)	1.965(42)	-0.519(57)	7.7901(71)	P{2,23} ; R{0,20}	57
11								0.112(22)	Q{1,24}	1.40
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14	2 0 0 1 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	7969.86102(45)	7969.8610	1.1396139(56)	3.330(12)			P{1,22} ; R{0,21}	33
15										1.38
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18	0 2 1 1 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	8414.81985(34)	8414.8199	1.1329761(59)	2.364(23)	0.241(23)		P{1,27} ; R{0,24}	42
19										1.01
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22	1 0 1 2 1, 2 -1	$\Pi - G.S.$	8420.0184(14)	8421.1484	1.129992(30)	-1.42(17)	-3.78(28)		P{4,21} ; R{2,13}	22
23										1.91
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26	0 3 0 2 3, 2 -1	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	8422.43632(32)	9030.7763	1.1360591(63)	3.484(30)	-0.354(38)	10.5601(77)	P _e {2,20}; R _e {1,22}	67
27								-2.789(45)	P _f {2,24}; R _f {2,18}	1.04
28								0.498(62)		
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31	1 1 1 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_4)$	8432.67452(47)	9041.0135	1.1350476(76)	1.306(29)	-0.996(29)	8.8202(75)	P _e {2,25}; R _e {1,20}	65
32								1.689(29)	P _f {3,27}; R _f {2,25}	1.43
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35	0 1 2 0 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - G.S.$	8435.21910(25)	8435.2191	1.1324443(62)	6.276(34)	3.458(51)		P{1,26} ; R{0,25}	37
36										0.66
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39	2 1 0 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \Pi (v_5)$	8456.88934(32)	9186.2497	1.1324484(61)	1.329(28)	0.220(36)	4.9879(71)	P _e {2,21}; R _e {2,24}	68
40								1.231(42)	P _f {2,22}; R _f {1,21}	0.99
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1	1 1 1 0 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - \text{G.S.}$	8464.22734(21)	8464.2273	1.1324153(24)	2.7898(66)	0.3530(47)		P{1,35} ; R{0,35}	58
2										0.69
3	0 3 0 1 3, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - \text{G.S.}$	8475.68592(14)	8475.6859	1.1348687(15)	5.7283(39)	1.2685(27)		P{1,33} ; R{0,30}	55
4										0.46
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6	1 2 0 1 1, 1 -1	$\Sigma^+ - \text{G.S.}$	8491.44260(18)	8491.4426	1.1342984(36)	4.786(16)	0.990(19)		P{1,25} ; R{0,24}	40
7										0.54
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10	2 1 0 0 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - \text{G.S.}$	8607.80135(43)	8607.8014	1.1303157(40)	1.7197(71)			P{2,18} ; R{2,23}	31
11										1.13
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14	0 3 0 2 3, 2 -1	$\Pi - \text{G.S.}$	9029.6732(13)	9030.8096	1.136440(26)	3.16(16)	-1.21(27)	12.236(26)	P{7,17} ; R{5,17}	32
15								-6.12(22)	Q{1,21}	1.85
16								4.25(45)		
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19	1 1 1 1 0, 1 0	$\Pi - \text{G.S.}$	9039.87611(26)	9041.0113	1.1351474(30)	1.9267(62)		8.8711(39)	P{2,23} ; R{0,18}	53
20								1.521(10)	Q{1,23}	0.98
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23	0 3 1 0 0, 0 0	$\Sigma^+ - \text{G.S.}$	9054.18740(68)	9054.1874	1.1249112(81)	1.335(25)	-0.153(20)		P{1,29} ; R{0,28}	38
24										1.70
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27	2 1 0 0 1, 0 1	$\Pi - \text{G.S.}$	9311.36544(32)	9312.4984	1.1329599(49)	2.136(17)	0.209(15)	5.8435(61)	P{3,23} ; R{0,26}	60
28								-0.632(26)	Q{1,29}	1.10
29								0.165(25)		
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33	0 3 0 0 5, 0 1	$\Pi - \text{G.S.}$	9328.54154(79)	9329.6784	1.136851(91)	3.018(22)		9.079(10)	P{8,18} ; R{4,17}	26
34								0.835(34)	Q{1,21}	1.48
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^a The values of ρ_v and ρ_v^J defined in equation (2) are listed for Δ states, instead of those of q_v and q_v^J . The standard deviation (1σ) is indicated in parentheses in the unit of the last quoted digit. The assigned lines are listed for each branch. The last column gives the number of lines included in the fit and the corresponding standard deviation.

^b constrained in the fitting procedure to the values from [3] or to zero.



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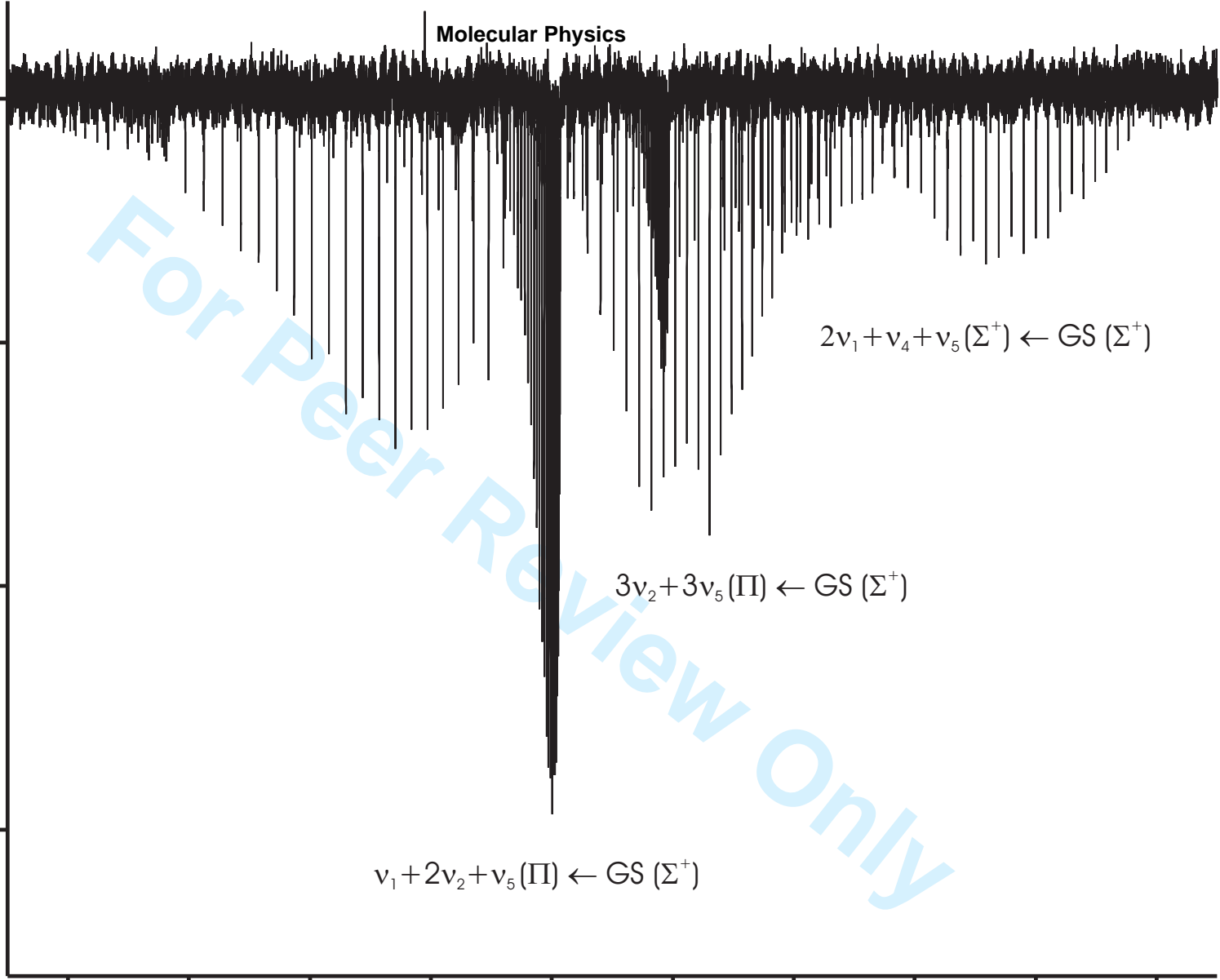
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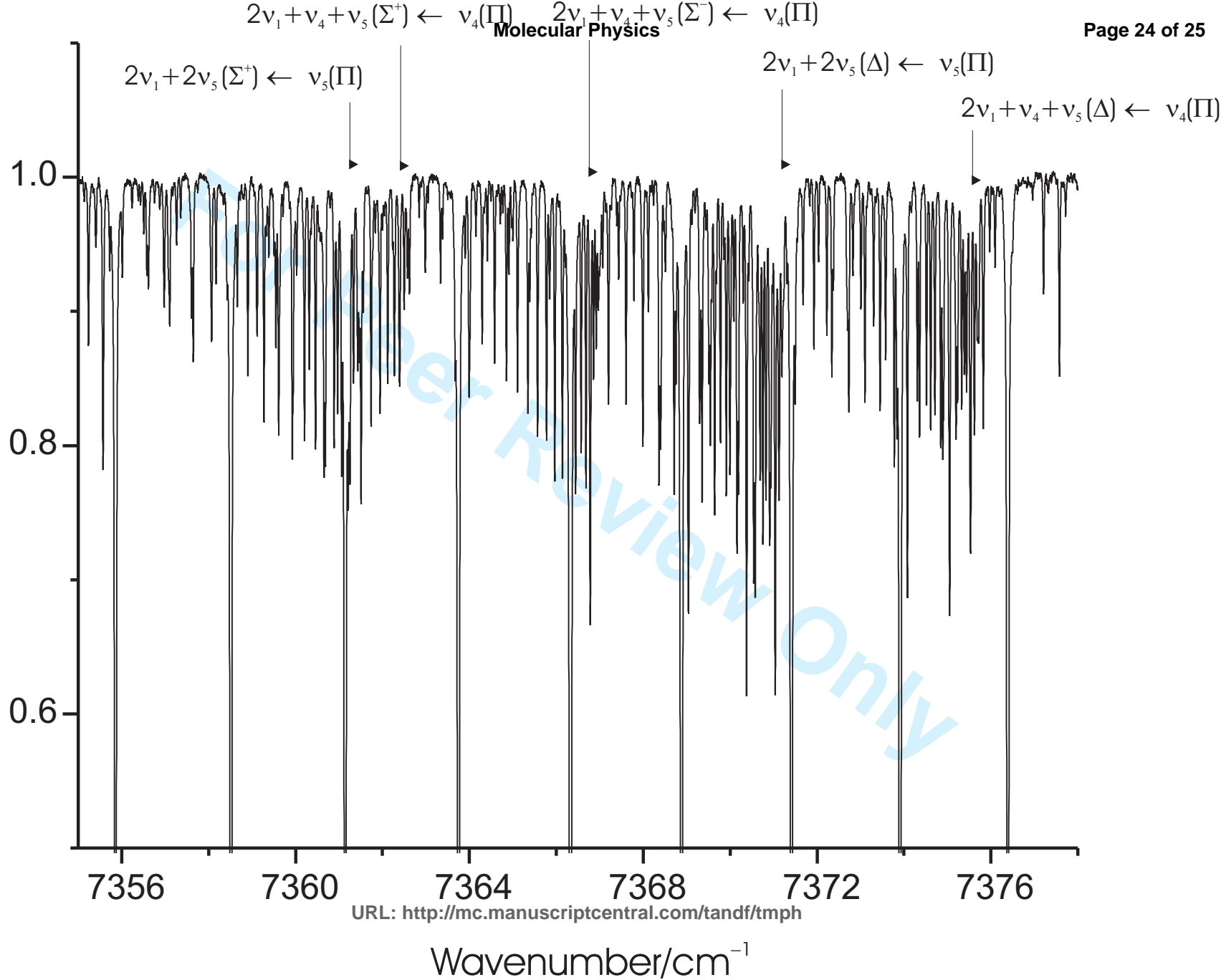
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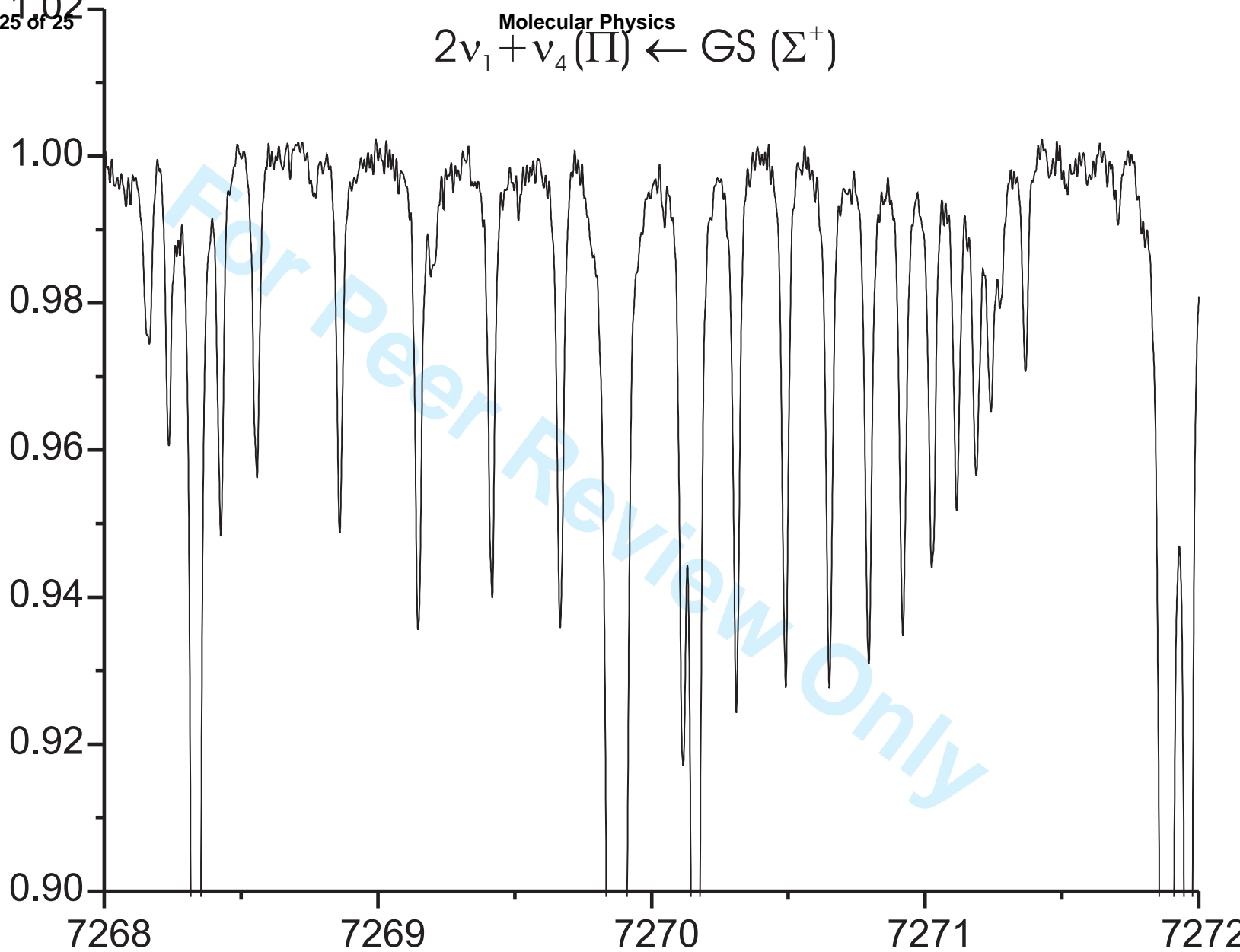
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