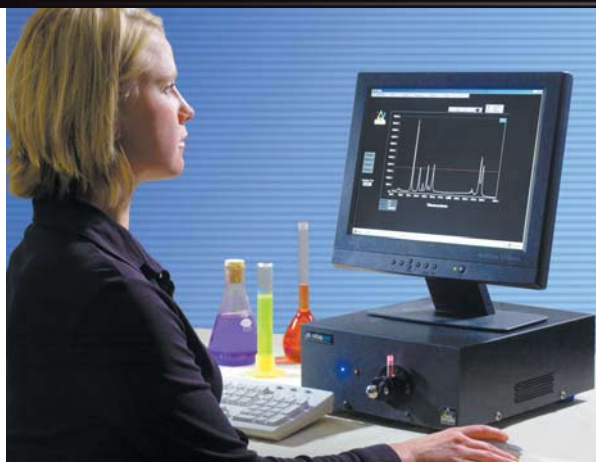


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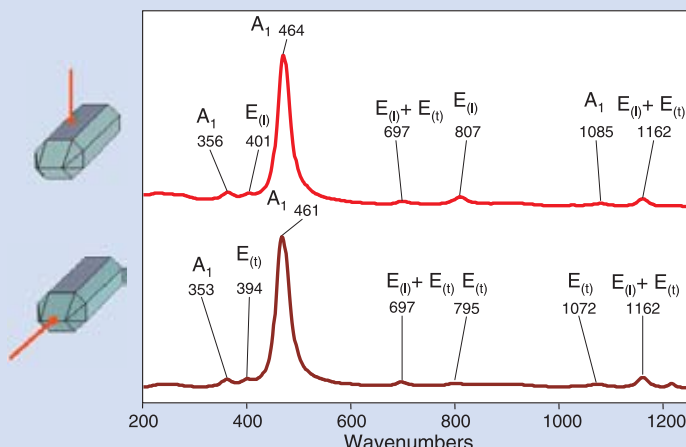
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$E_{(t)}$  = Transverse vibrations of the symmetry species  $E$ .

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