

# *Group Theory in Quantum Mechanics*

## *Lecture 27* (4.30.15)

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and

AMOP Lectures 17-18 (2014)

## *Introduction to Rotational Eigenstates and Spectra II*

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(PSDS - Ch. 5, 7)*

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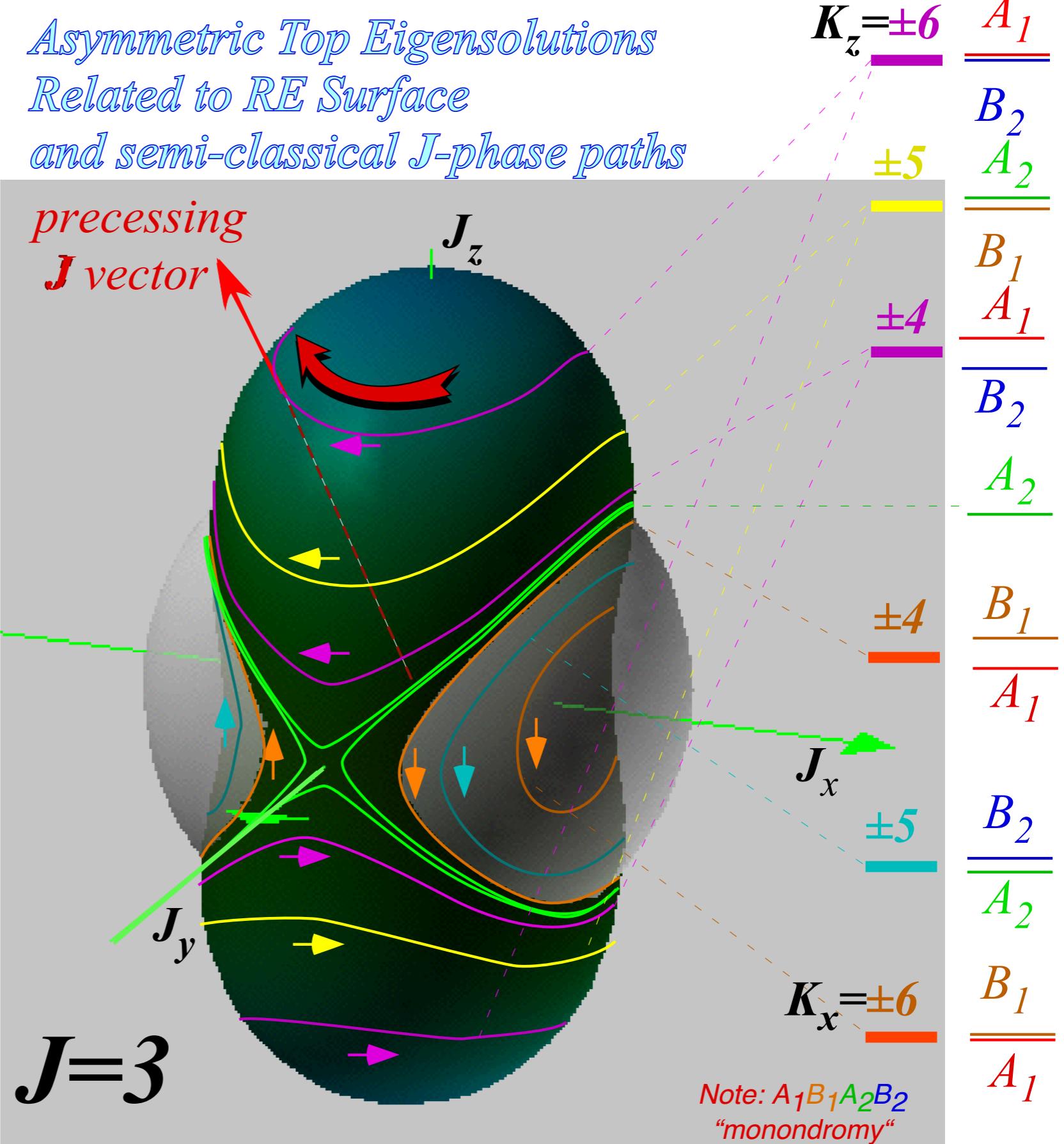
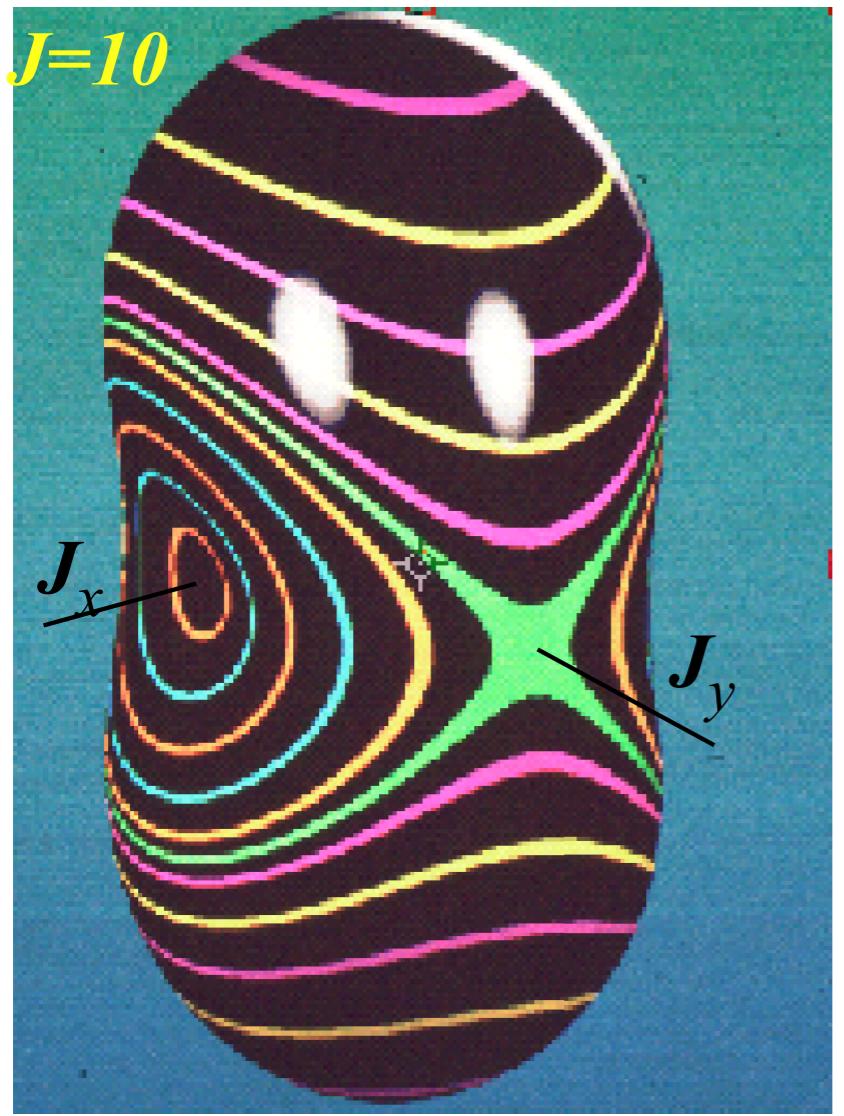
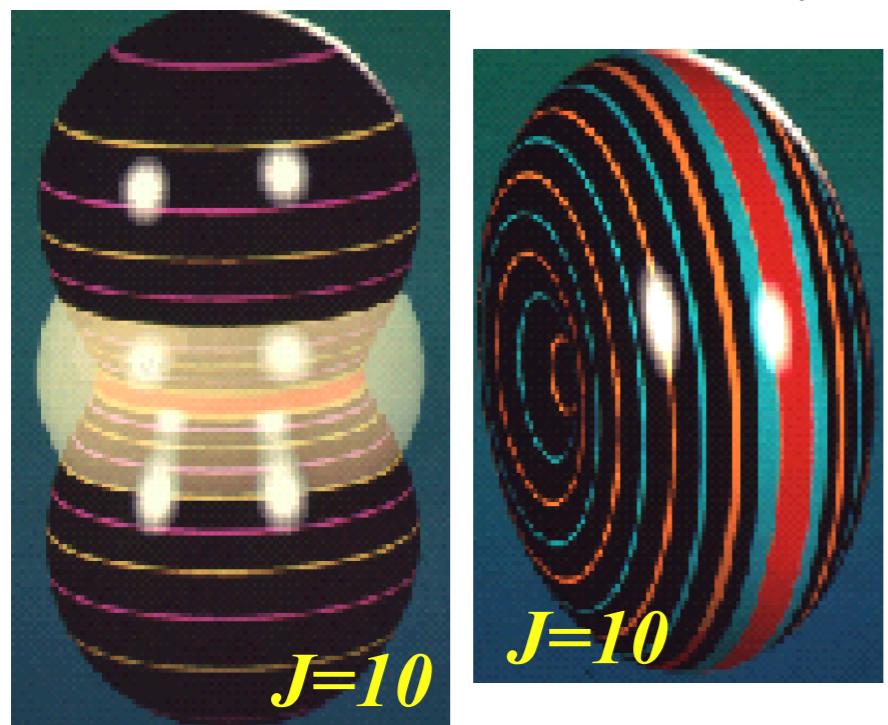
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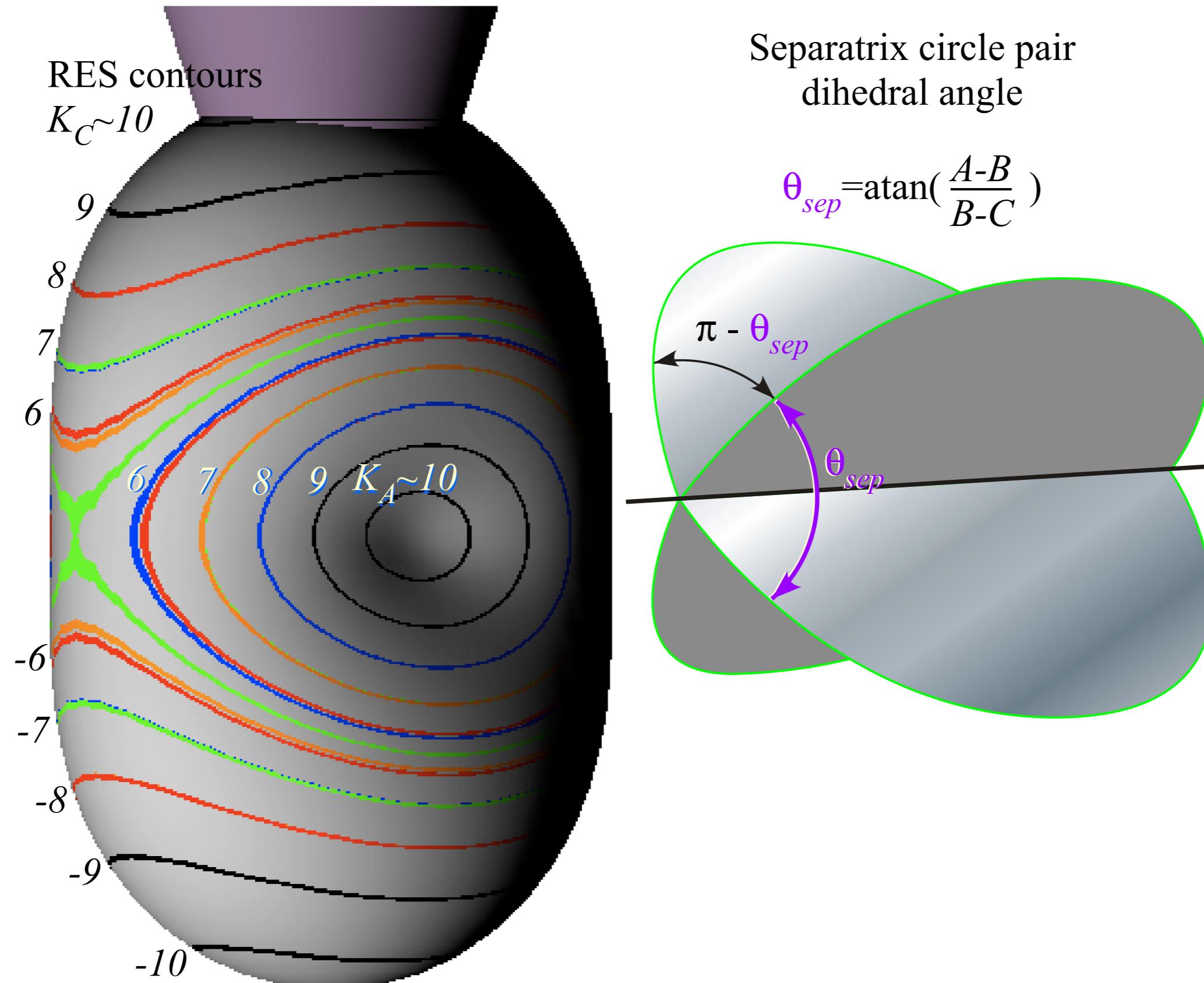
*Rotational Energy Eigenvalue Surfaces (REES)*

→ Review: Asymmetric rotor levels of  $\mathbf{H} = A\mathbf{J}_x^2 + B\mathbf{J}_y^2 + C\mathbf{J}_z^2$  and RES plots  
 $D_2 \supset C_2$  symmetry correlation

# Review: Symmetric vs. Asymmetric rotor levels



after QTforCA Unit 8, Ch. 25 Fig. 25.4.1



*Int.J.Molecular Science 14.(2013) Fig.3 p. 733*

# VISUALIZING THE $J=10$ LEVELS OF AN ASYMMETRIC TOP

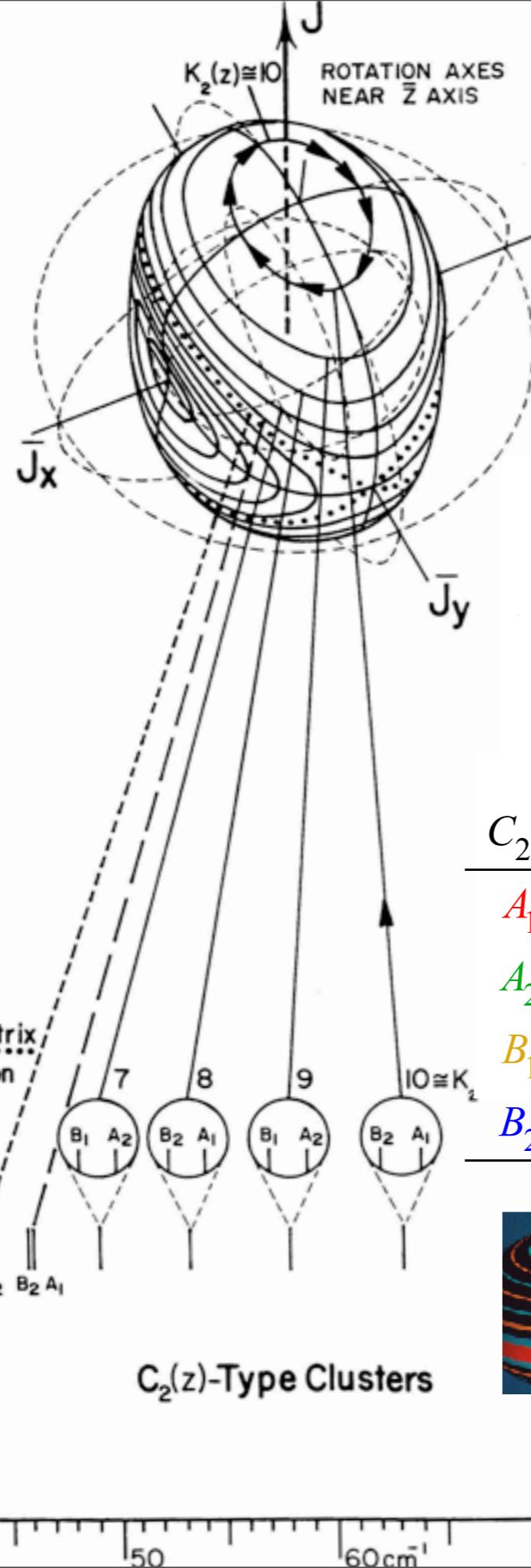
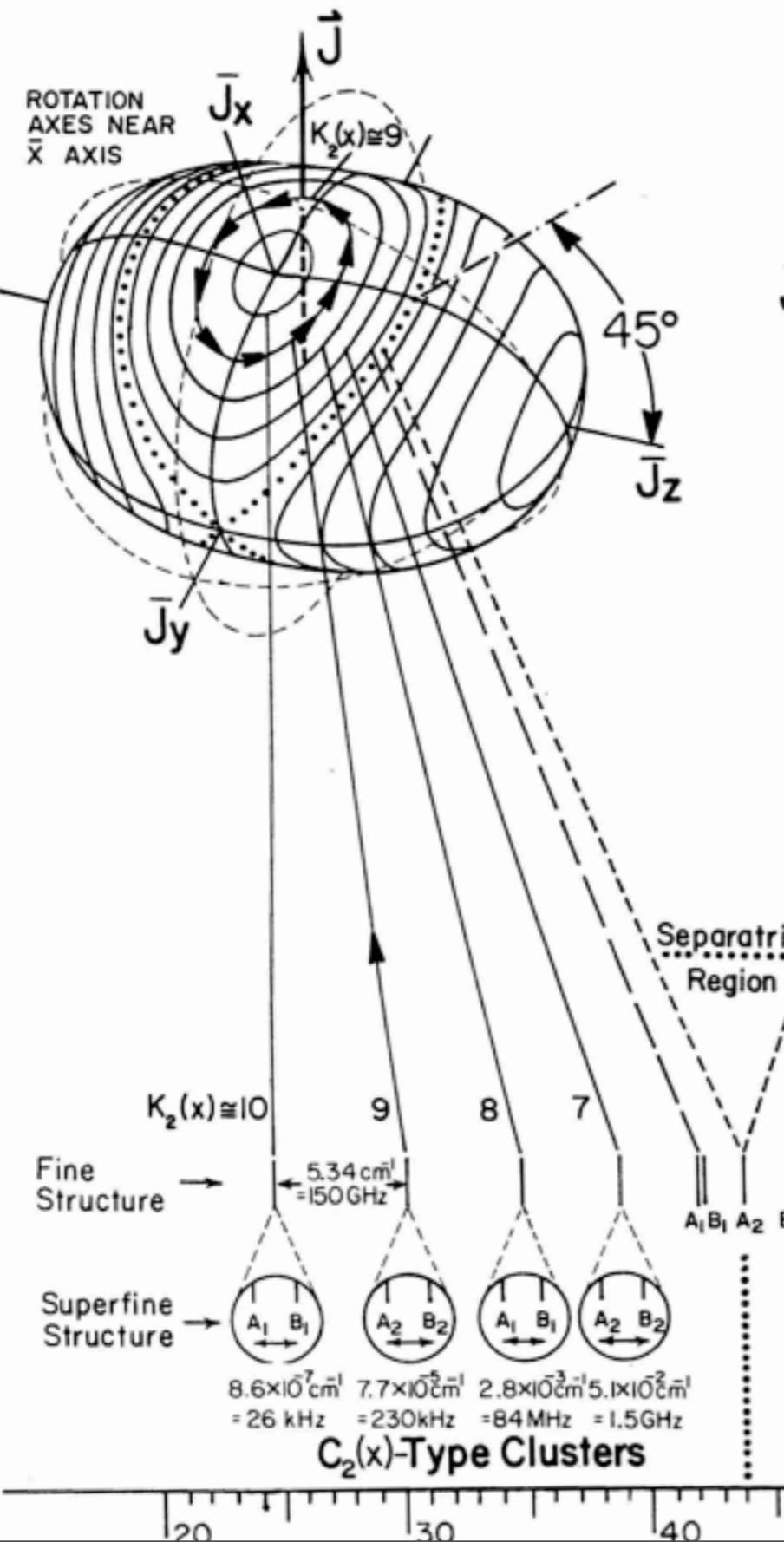
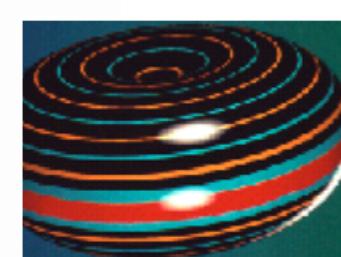
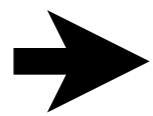


Fig. 25.4.2  $J=10$  asymmetric top energy levels and related RE surface paths ( $A=0.2$ ,  $B=0.4$ ,  $C=0.6$ ). Clustered pairs of levels are indicated in magnifying circles that show superfine splittings.



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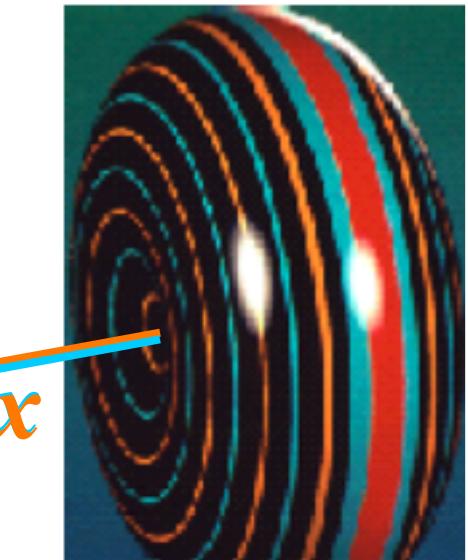
## Examples of Group $\supset$ Sub-group correlation

$D_2 \supset C_2(x)$

$D_2 \supset C_2(y)$

$D_2 \supset C_2(z)$

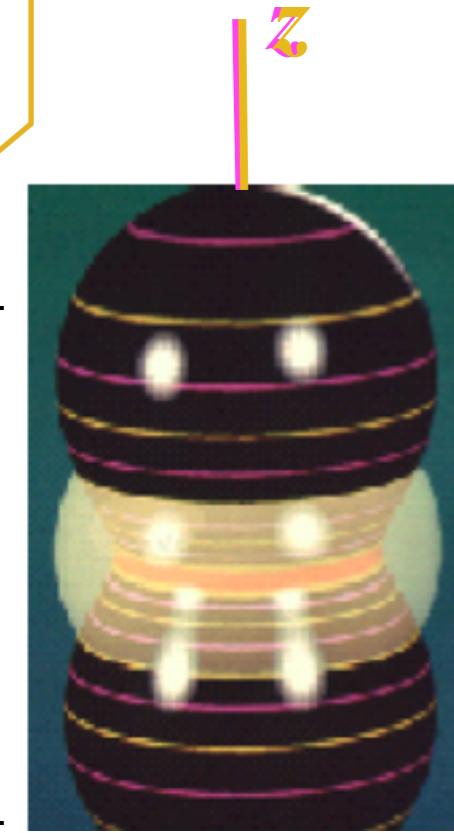
$D_2$	<b>1</b>	$R_x$	$R_y$	$R_z$
$A_1$	1	1	1	1
$A_2$	1	-1	1	-1
$B_1$	1	1	-1	-1
$B_2$	1	-1	-1	1



$C_{2x}$	$0_2$	$1_2$
$A_1$	1	.
$A_2$	.	1
$B_1$	1	.
$B_2$	.	1

$C_{2y}$	$0_2$	$1_2$
$A_1$	1	.
$A_2$	1	.
$B_1$	.	1
$B_2$	.	1

$C_{2z}$	$0_2$	$1_2$
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$A_2$	.	1
$B_1$	.	1
$B_2$	1	.



Original color mixing scheme

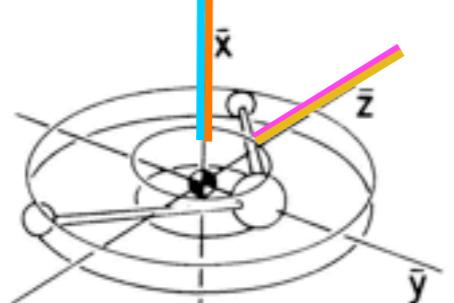
gives

yellow  $1_2 = (A_2 B_1)$

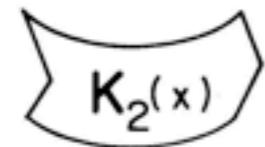
purple  $0_2 = (A_1 B_2)$

for z-prolate axis

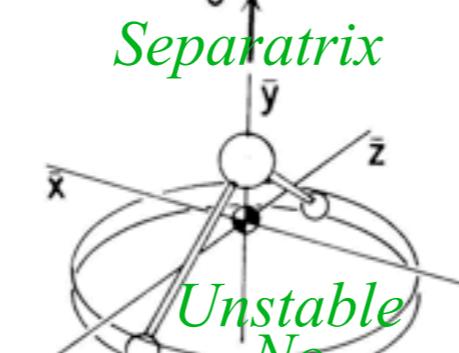
Review:  
Asymmetric  
vs  
Symmetric  
rotor levels



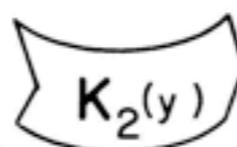
$C_2(x)$  clusters



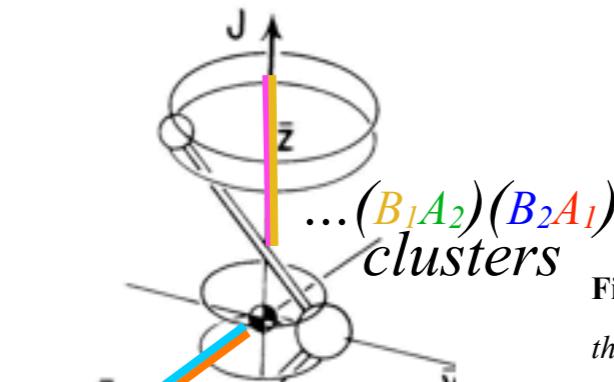
$K_2(x)$



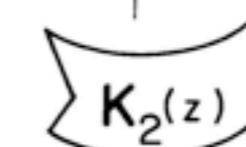
$C_2(y)$



$K_2(y)$

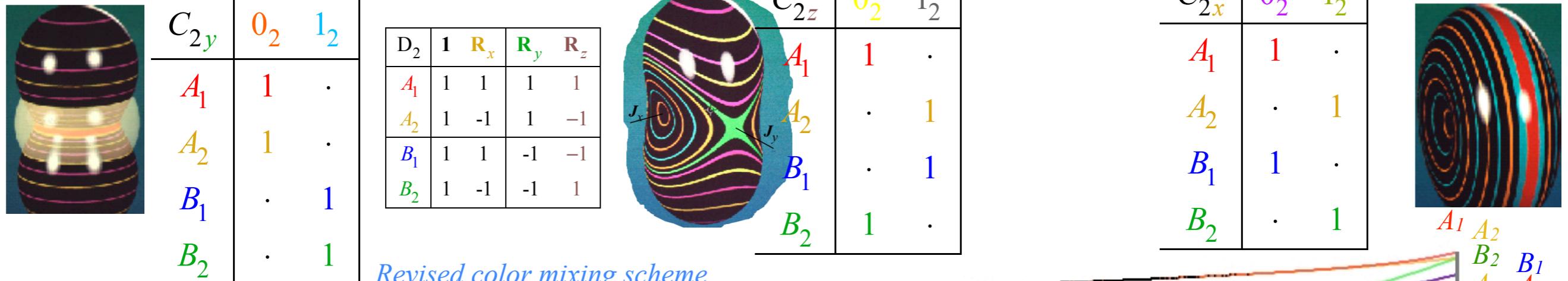


$C_2(z)$



$K_2(z)$

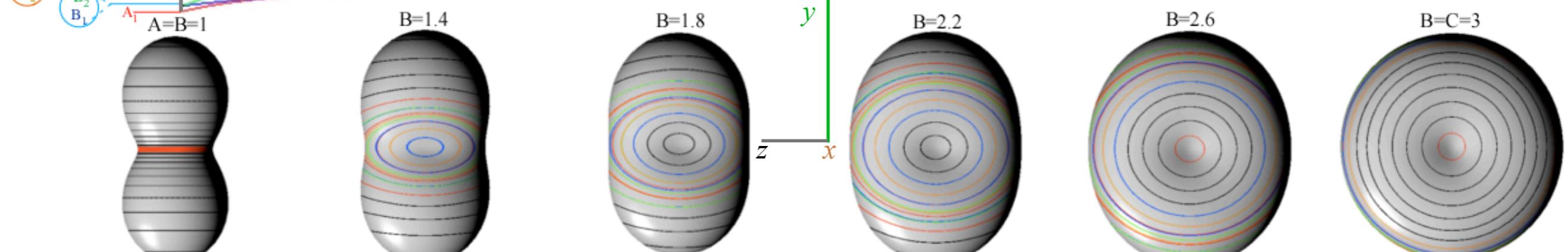
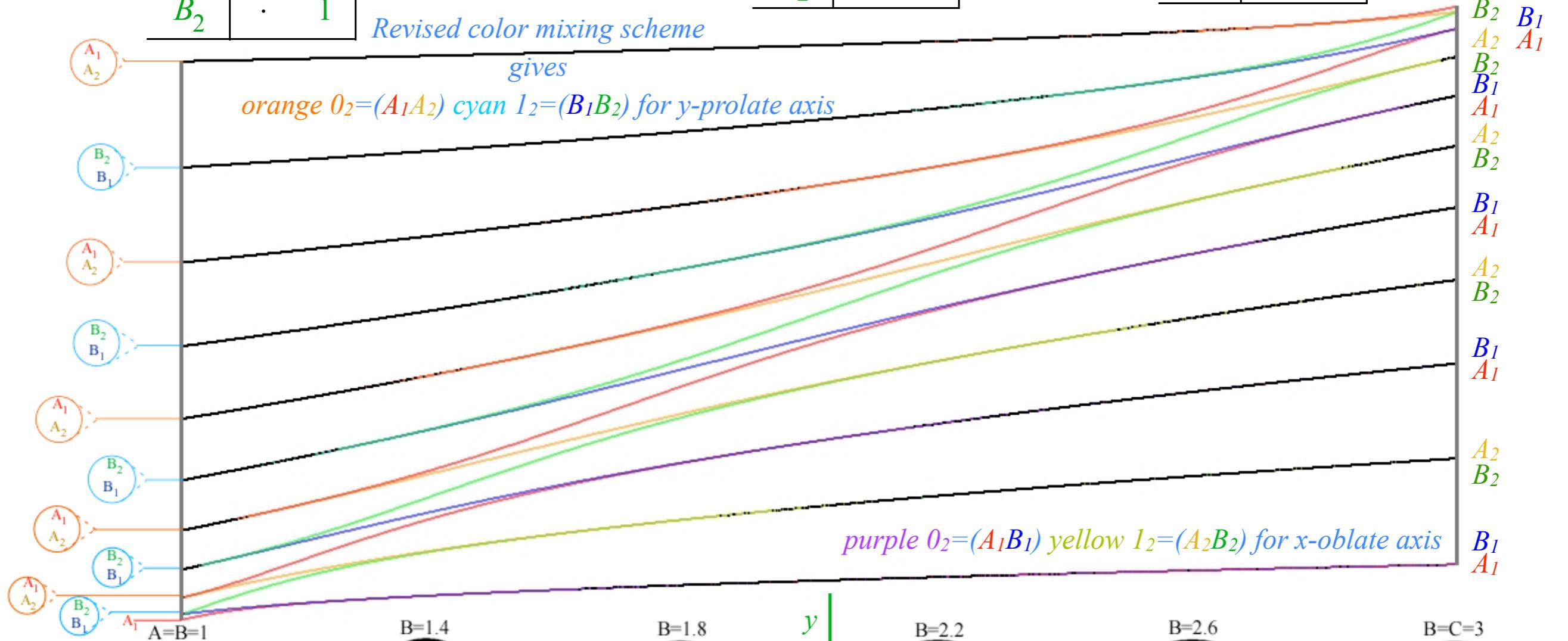
Fig. 25.4.3 Correlations between the asymmetric top symmetry  $D_2$  and subgroups  $C_2(x)$ ,  $C_2(y)$ , and  $C_2(z)$ .



Revised color mixing scheme

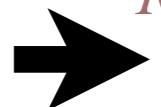
gives

orange  $0_2 = (A_1 A_2)$  cyan  $1_2 = (B_1 B_2)$  for  $y$ -prolate axis



(Revised color mixing scheme used here)

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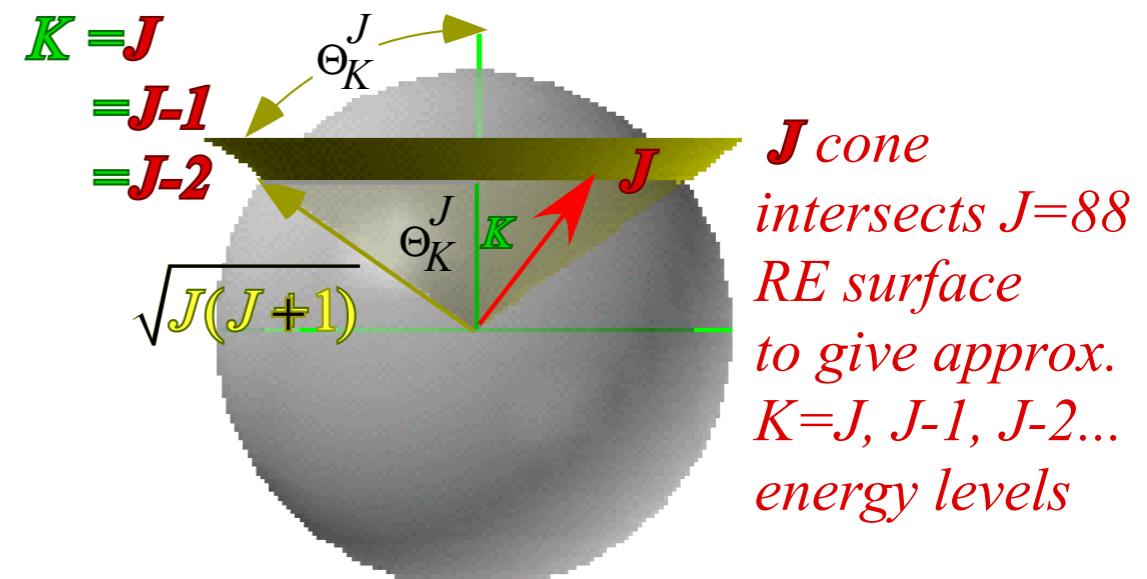
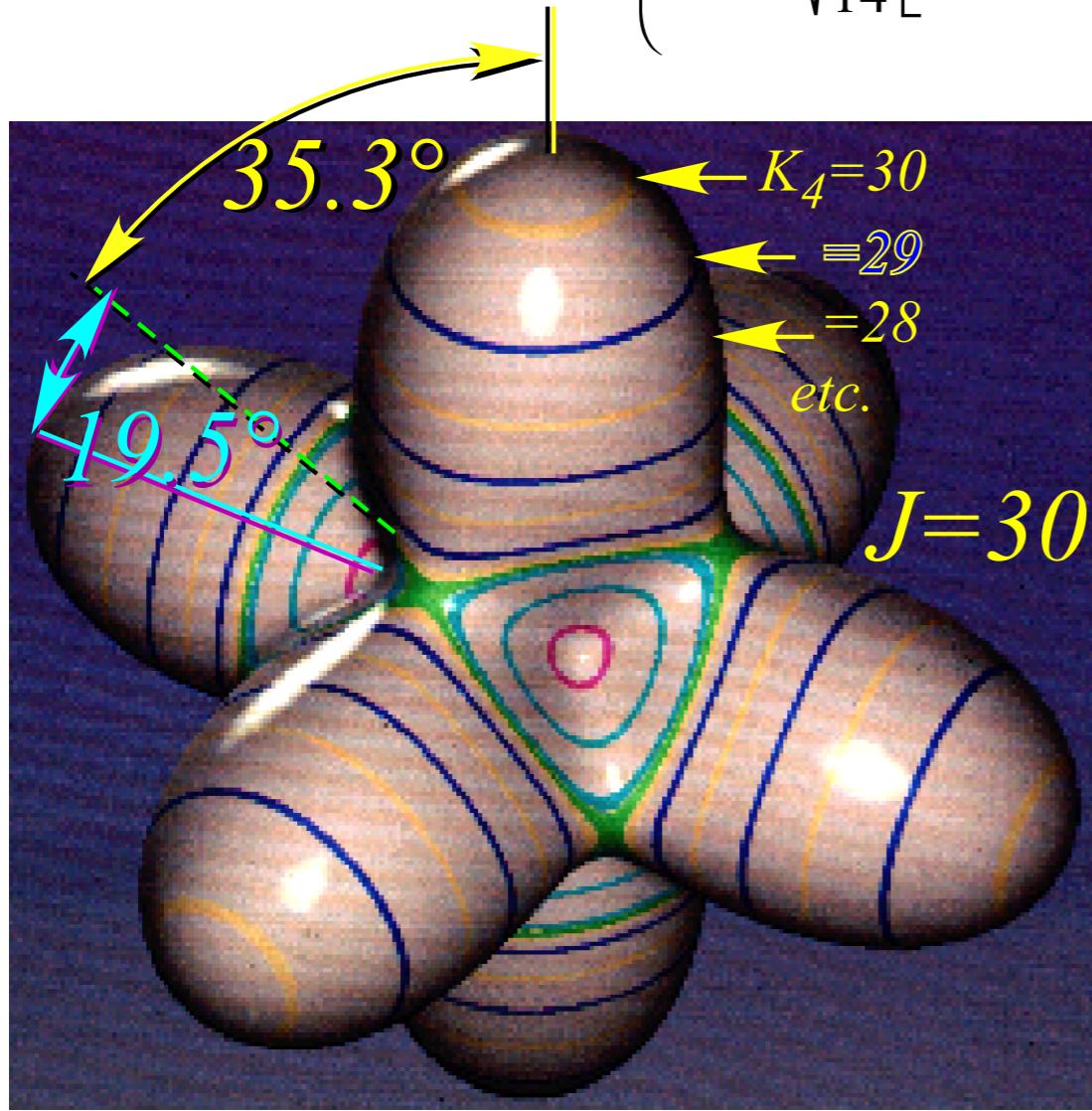
**Finding Hamiltonian Eigensolutions by Geometry  
using**

**Uncertainty Cone Angles**     $\cos \Theta_K^J = \frac{\mathbf{K}}{\sqrt{J(J+1)}}$

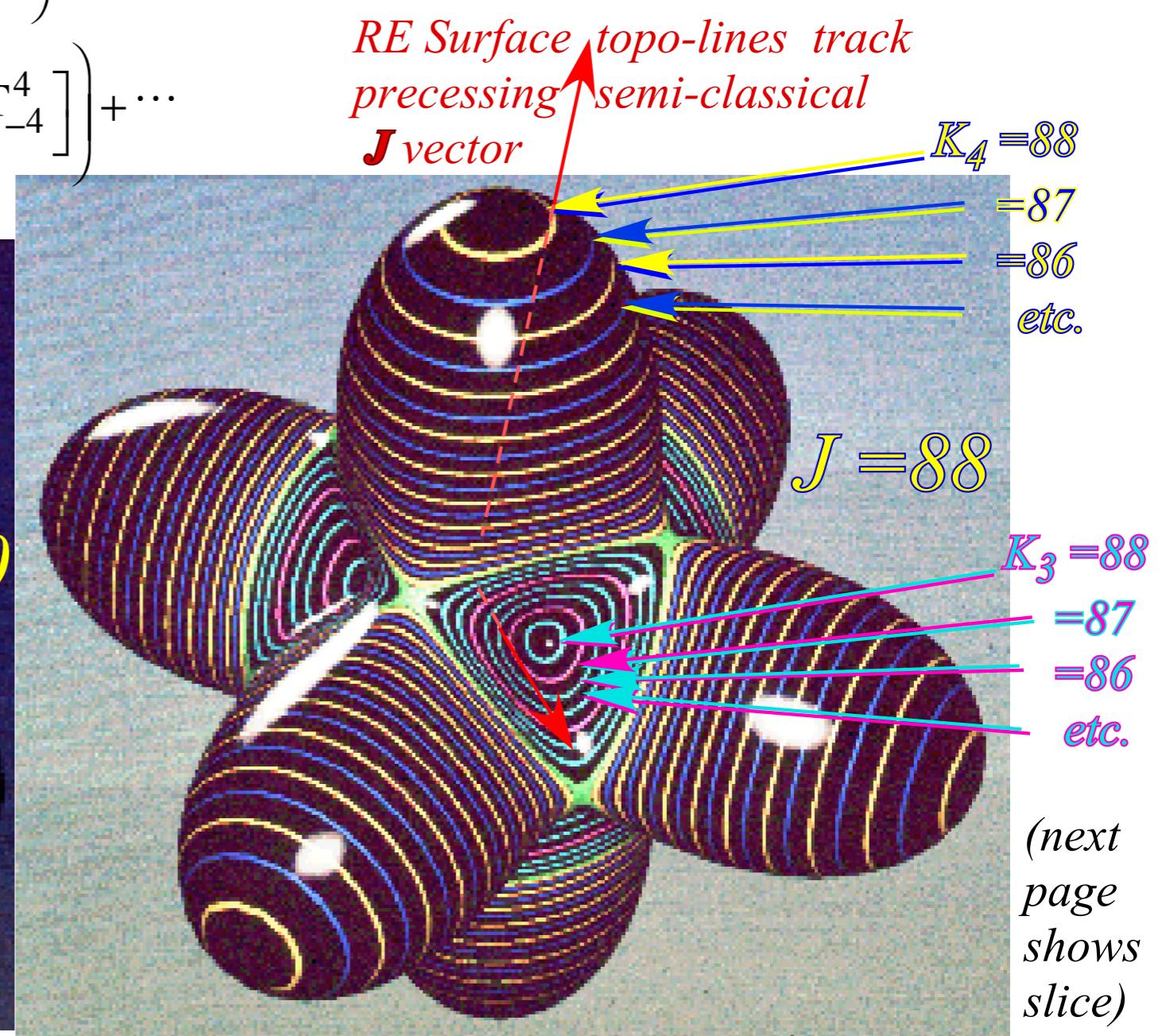
**$O_h$  or  $T_d$  Spherical Top:** (Hecht Ro-vib Hamiltonian 1960)

$$\mathbf{H} = B \left( \mathbf{J}_x^2 + \mathbf{J}_y^2 + \mathbf{J}_z^2 \right) + t_{440} \left( \mathbf{J}_x^4 + \mathbf{J}_y^4 + \mathbf{J}_z^4 - \frac{3}{5} J^4 \right) + \dots$$

$$= BJ^2 + t_{440} \left( \mathbf{T}_0^4 + \sqrt{\frac{5}{14}} \left[ \mathbf{T}_4^4 + \mathbf{T}_{-4}^4 \right] \right) + \dots$$

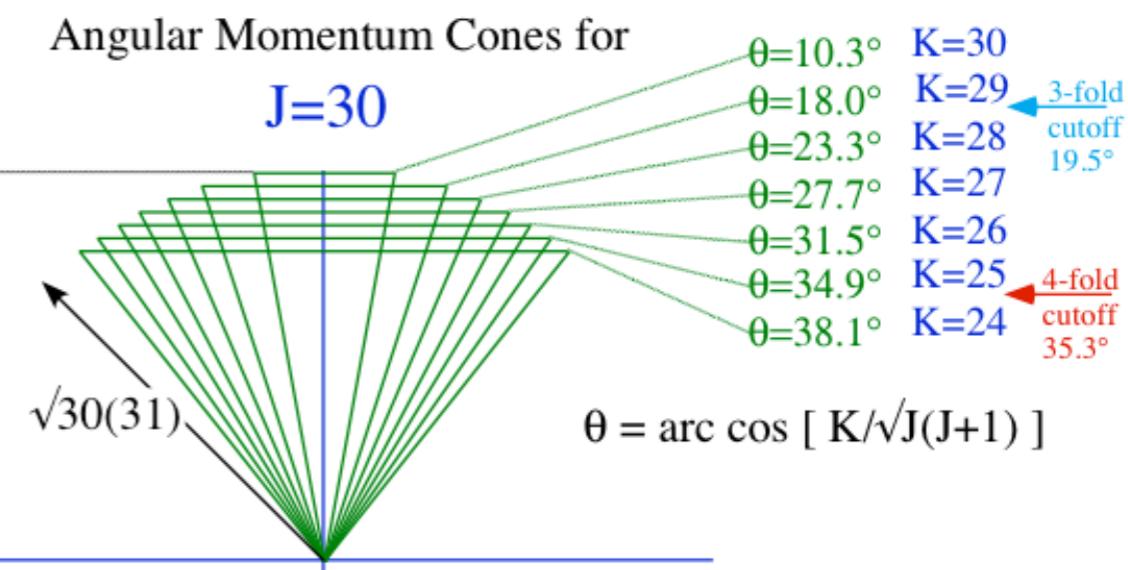
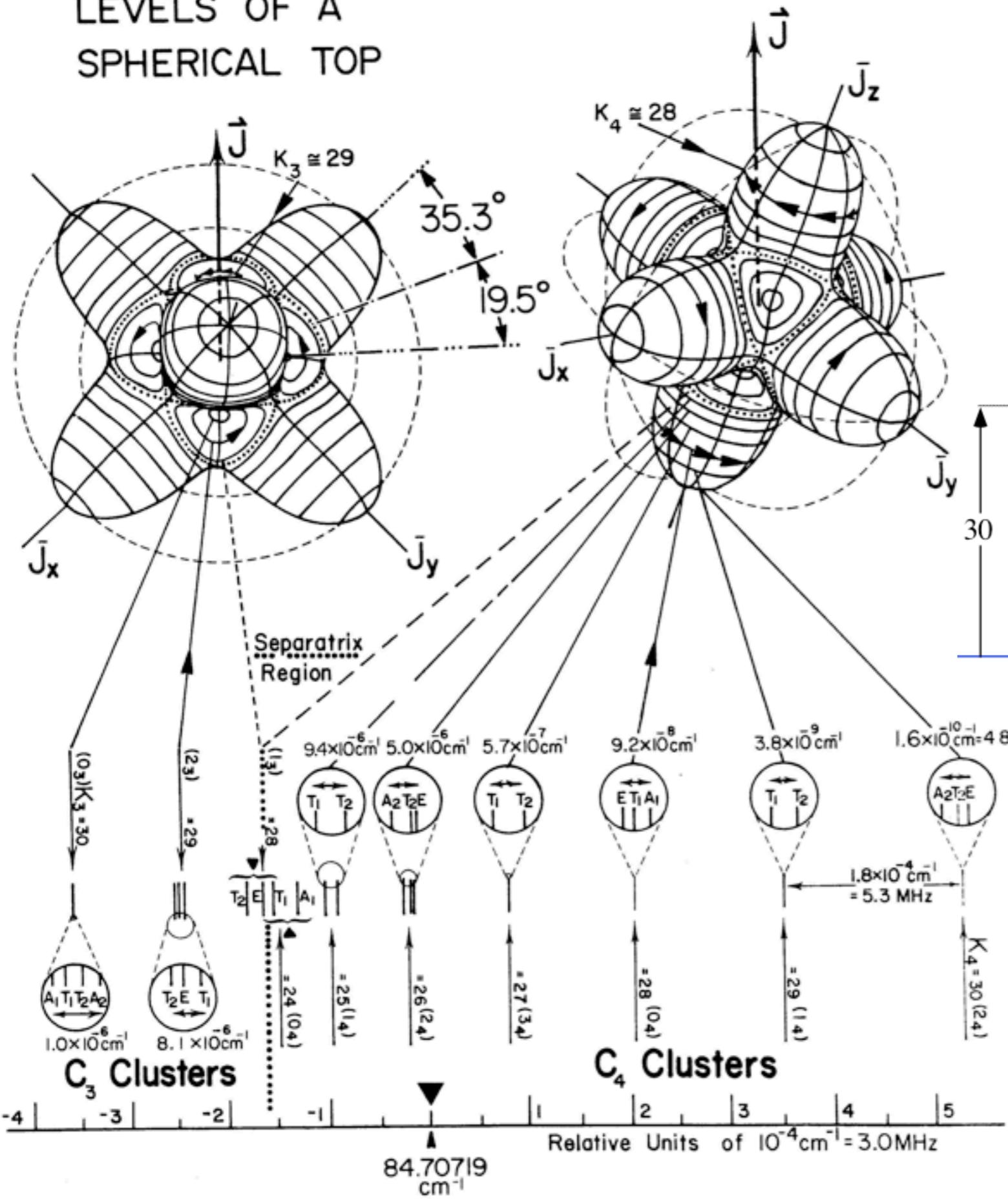


$J$  cone intersects  $J=88$  RE surface to give approx.  $K=J, J-1, J-2\dots$  energy levels

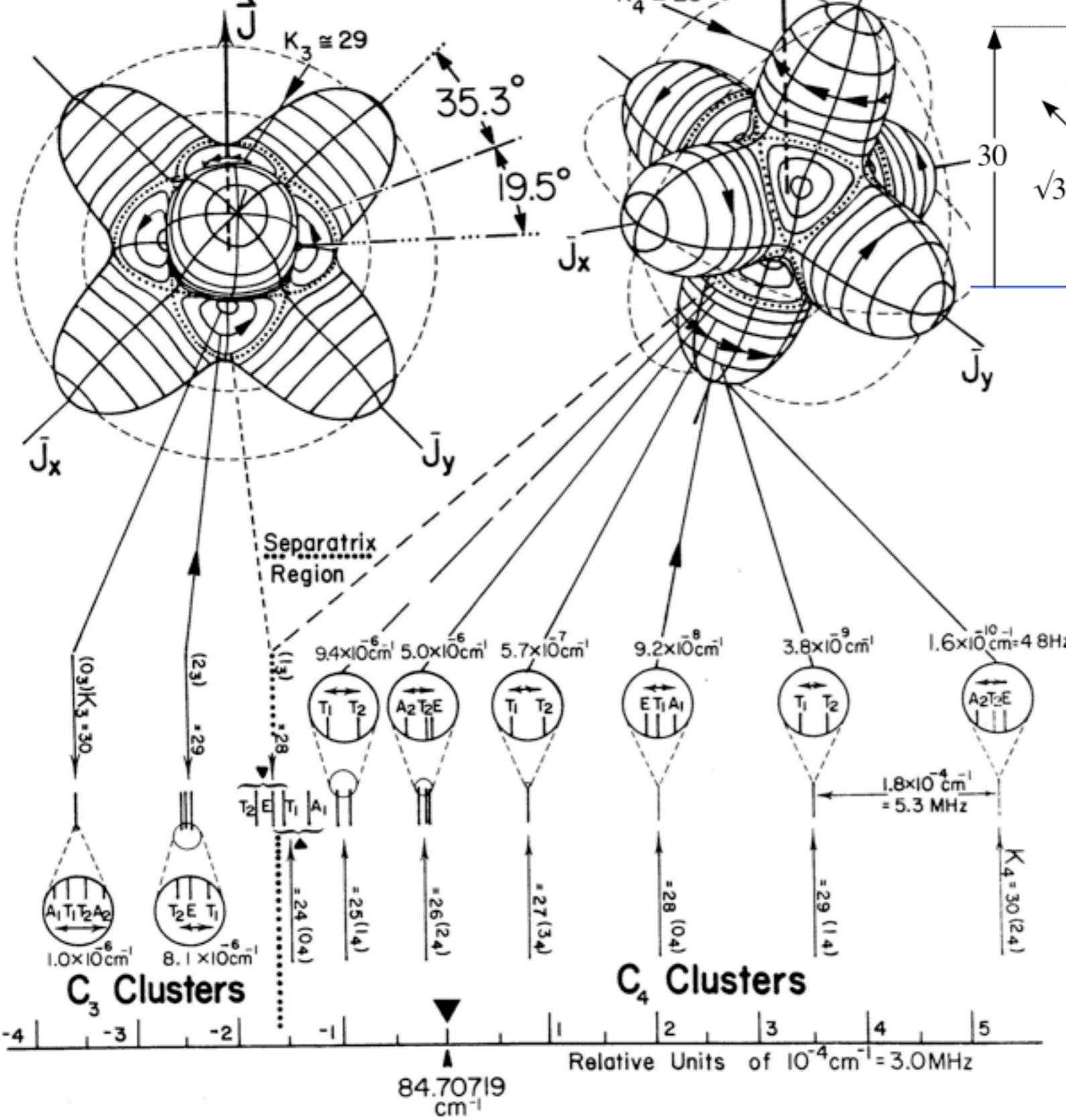


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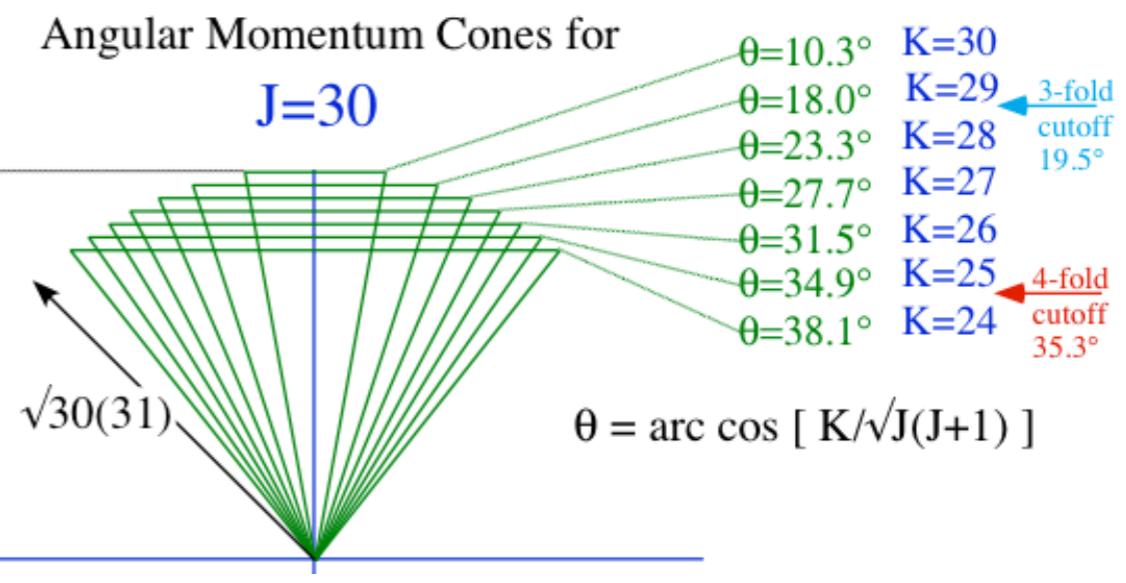
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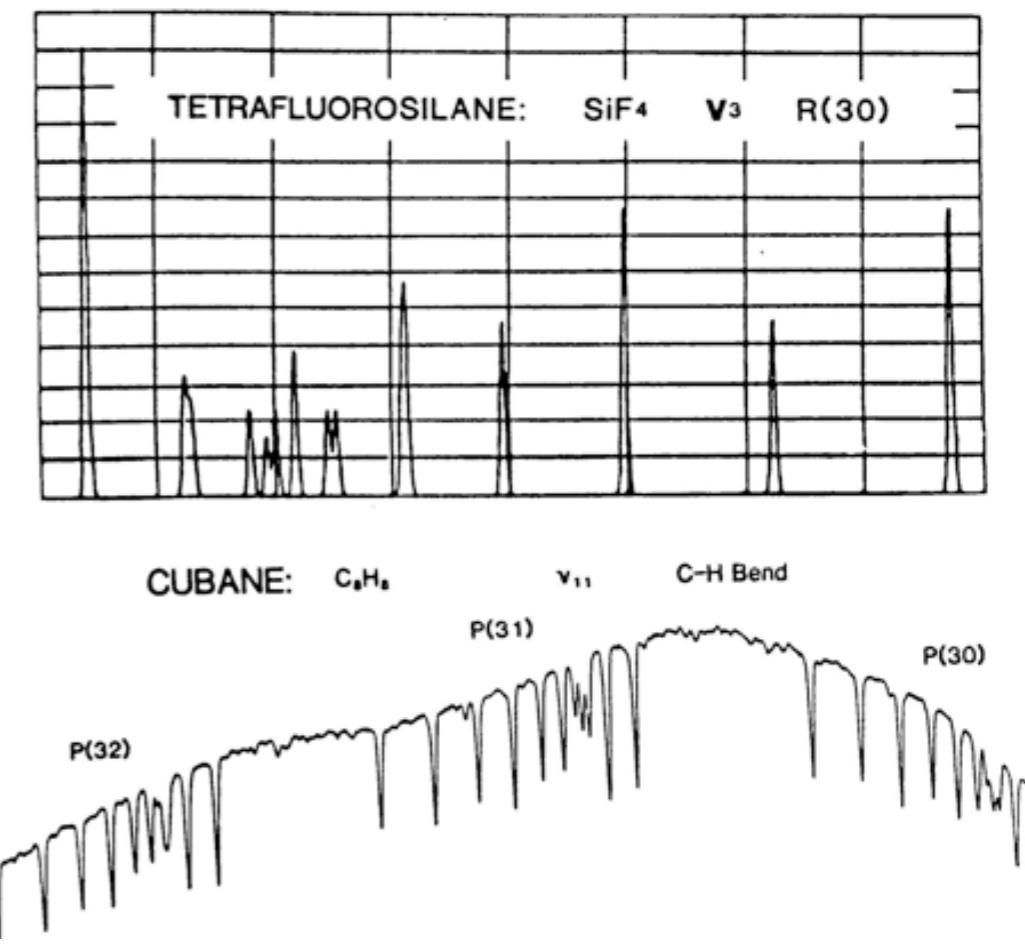
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## Review: Spherical rotor levels and spectra

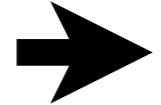


Two molecular examples:  $\text{SiF}_4$  and  $\text{C}_8\text{H}_8$



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# Octahedral $O \supset C_4$ subgroup correlations

$\chi_g^\mu(O)$	$g=1$	$r_{1..4}$	$\rho_{xyz}$	$R_{xyz}$	$i_{1..6}$
$A_1$	1	1	1	1	1
$A_2$	1	-1	1	-1	-1
$E$	2	-1	2	0	0
$T_1$	3	0	-1	1	-1
$T_2$	3	0	-1	-1	1

$1, R_z+90^\circ, \rho_z 180^\circ, R_z-90^\circ$

$$A_1(O) \downarrow C_4 = 1, 1, 1, 1, = (0)_4$$

$$A_2(O) \downarrow C_4 = 1, -1, 1, -1, = (2)_4$$

$$E(O) \downarrow C_4 = 2, 0, 2, 0, = (0)_4 \oplus (2)_4$$

$$T_1(O) \downarrow C_4 = 3, 1, -1, 1, = (0)_4 \oplus (1)_4 \oplus (3)_4$$

$$T_2(O) \downarrow C_4 = 3, -1, -1, -1, = (2)_4 \oplus (1)_4 \oplus (3)_4$$

$O \downarrow C_4$  subduction

$\chi_g^\mu(C_4)$	$g=1$	$R_{z+90^\circ}$	$R_{z+180^\circ}$	$R_{z-90^\circ}$
$(0)_4$	1	1	1	1
$(1)_4$	1	$i$	-1	$-i$
$(2)_4$	1	-1	1	-1
$(3)_4$	1	$-i$	-1	$i$

$O \downarrow C_4$	$0_4$	$1_4$	$2_4$	$3_4 = \bar{1}_4$
$A_1$	1	.	.	.
$A_2$	.	.	1	.
$E$	1	.	1	.
$T_1$	1	1	.	1
$T_2$	.	1	1	1

# Octahedral $O \supset C_3$ subgroup correlations

$\chi_g^\mu(O)$	$g=1$	$r_{1..4}$	$\rho_{xyz}$	$R_{xyz}$	$i_{1..6}$
$A_1$	1	1	1	1	1
$A_2$	1	1	-1	-1	-1
$E$	2	-1	2	0	0
$T_1$	3	0	-1	1	-1
$T_2$	3	0	-1	-1	1

$1, r_{z+120^\circ}, r_{z-120^\circ}, R_{z-90^\circ}$

$$A_1(O) \downarrow C_3 = 1, 1, 1, = (0)_3$$

$$A_2(O) \downarrow C_3 = 1, 1, 1, = (0)_3$$

$$E(O) \downarrow C_3 = 2, -1, -1, = (1)_3 \oplus (3)_3$$

$$T_1(O) \downarrow C_3 = 3, 0, 0, = (0)_3 \oplus (1)_3 \oplus (3)_3$$

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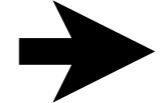
$\chi_g^\mu(C_3)$	$g=1$	$r_{z+120^\circ}$	$r_{z-120^\circ}$
$(0)_3$	1	1	1
$(1)_3$	1	$e^{i2\pi/3}$	$e^{-i2\pi/3}$
$(2)_3$	1	$e^{-i2\pi/3}$	$e^{i2\pi/3}$

$O \downarrow C_3$	$0_3$	$1_3$	$2_3 = \bar{1}_3$
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$E$	.	1	1
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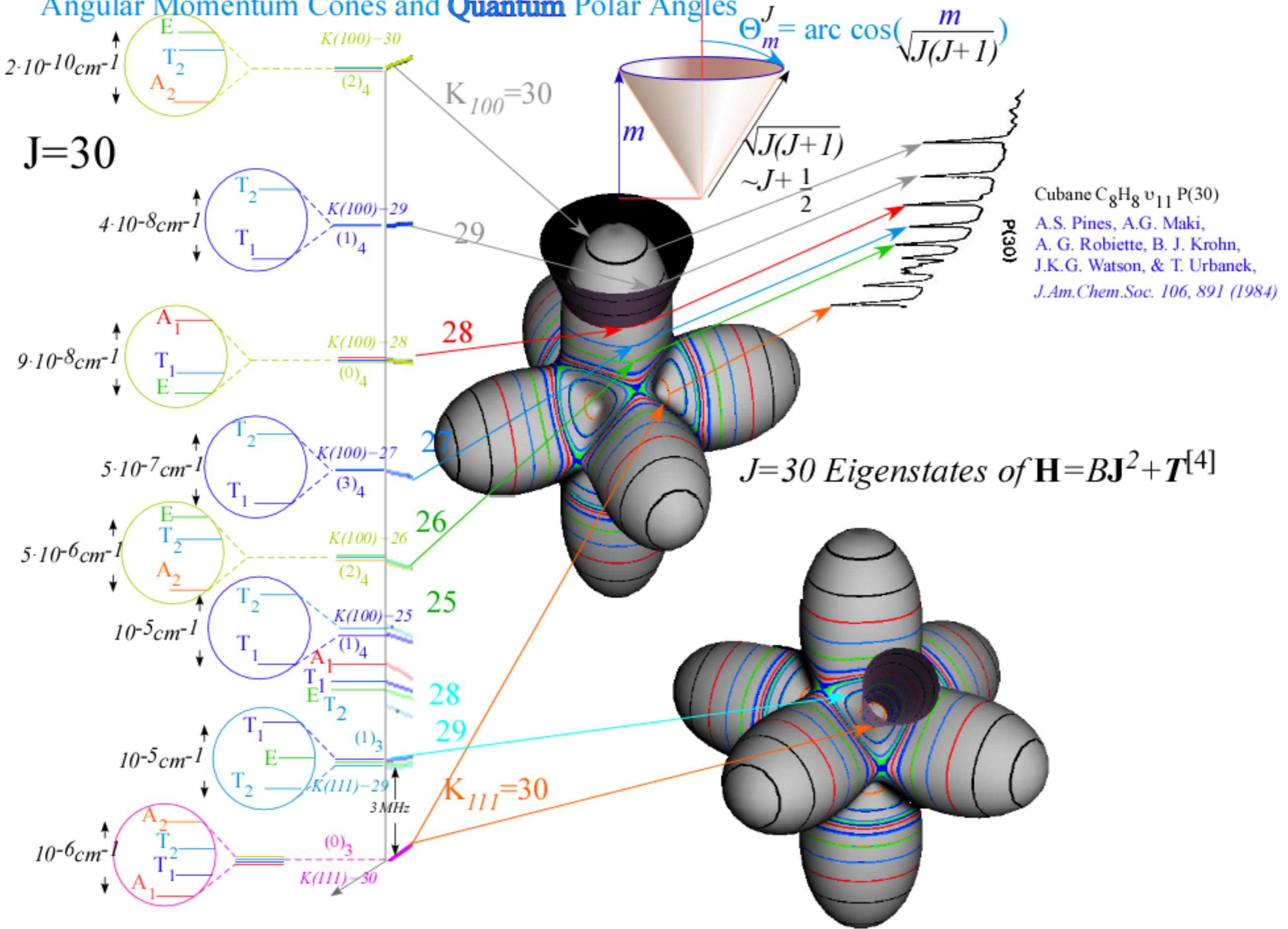
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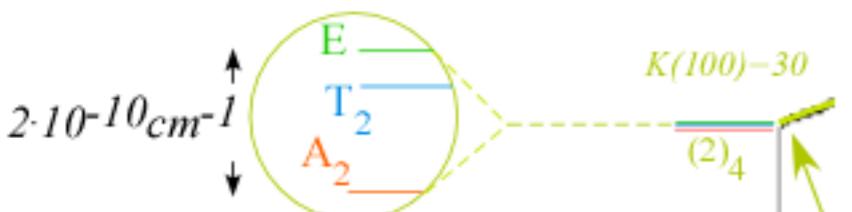


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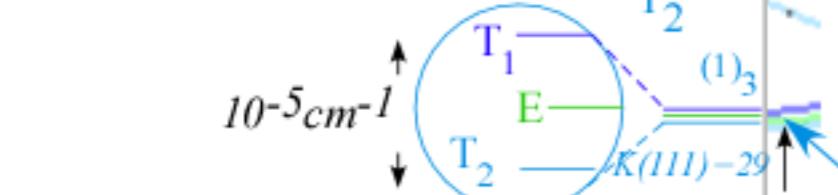
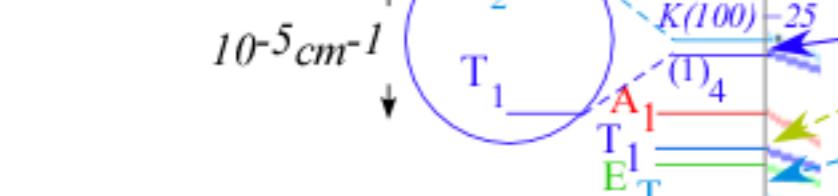
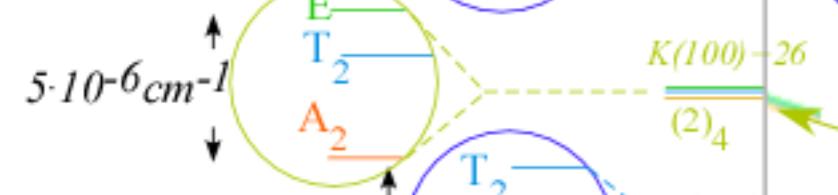
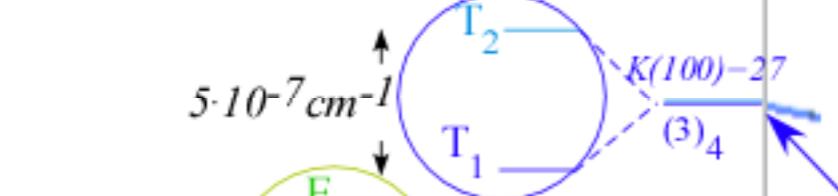
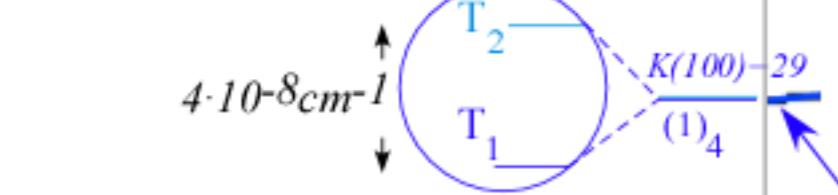
# Angular Momentum Cones and Quantum Polar Angles



# Review: Spherical rotor levels and spectra



$J=30$



## GLOBAL $O_h$ labels

$4\text{-fold (100)-cluster}$   
 $C_4$  symmetry

$A_1$	1	.	.	.
$A_2$	.	.	1	.
$E_2$	1	.	1	.
$T_1$	1	1	.	1
$T_2$	.	1	1	1

$3 \text{ modulo } 4$  equals  
 $-I \text{ modulo } 4$   
(and  
 $27 \bmod 4$ )

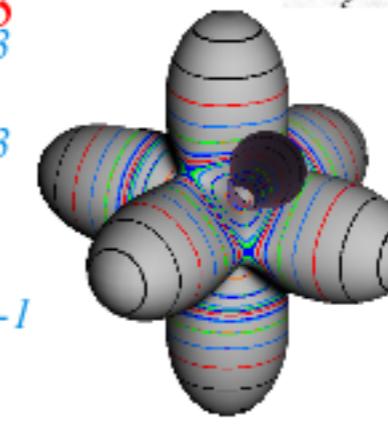
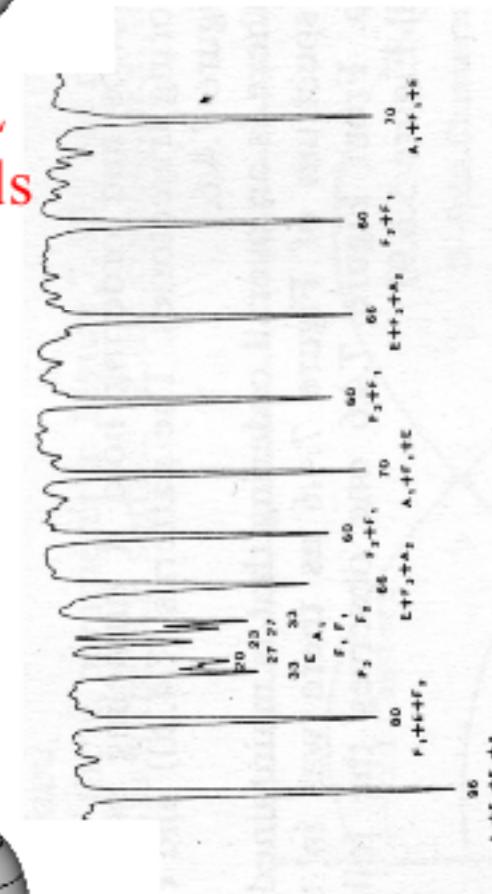
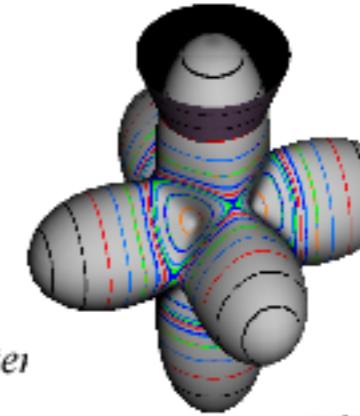
$27 = 28 - I$

$3\text{-fold (III)-clusters}$   
 $C_3$  symmetry

$(0)_3$	$(1)_3$	$(2)_3 = (-1)_3$
$A_1$	1	.
$A_2$	1	.
$E_2$	.	1 1
$T_1$	1 1	1
$T_2$	1 1	1

$(2 \bmod 3)$  equals  
 $-I \bmod 3$   
(and  
 $29 \bmod 3$ )

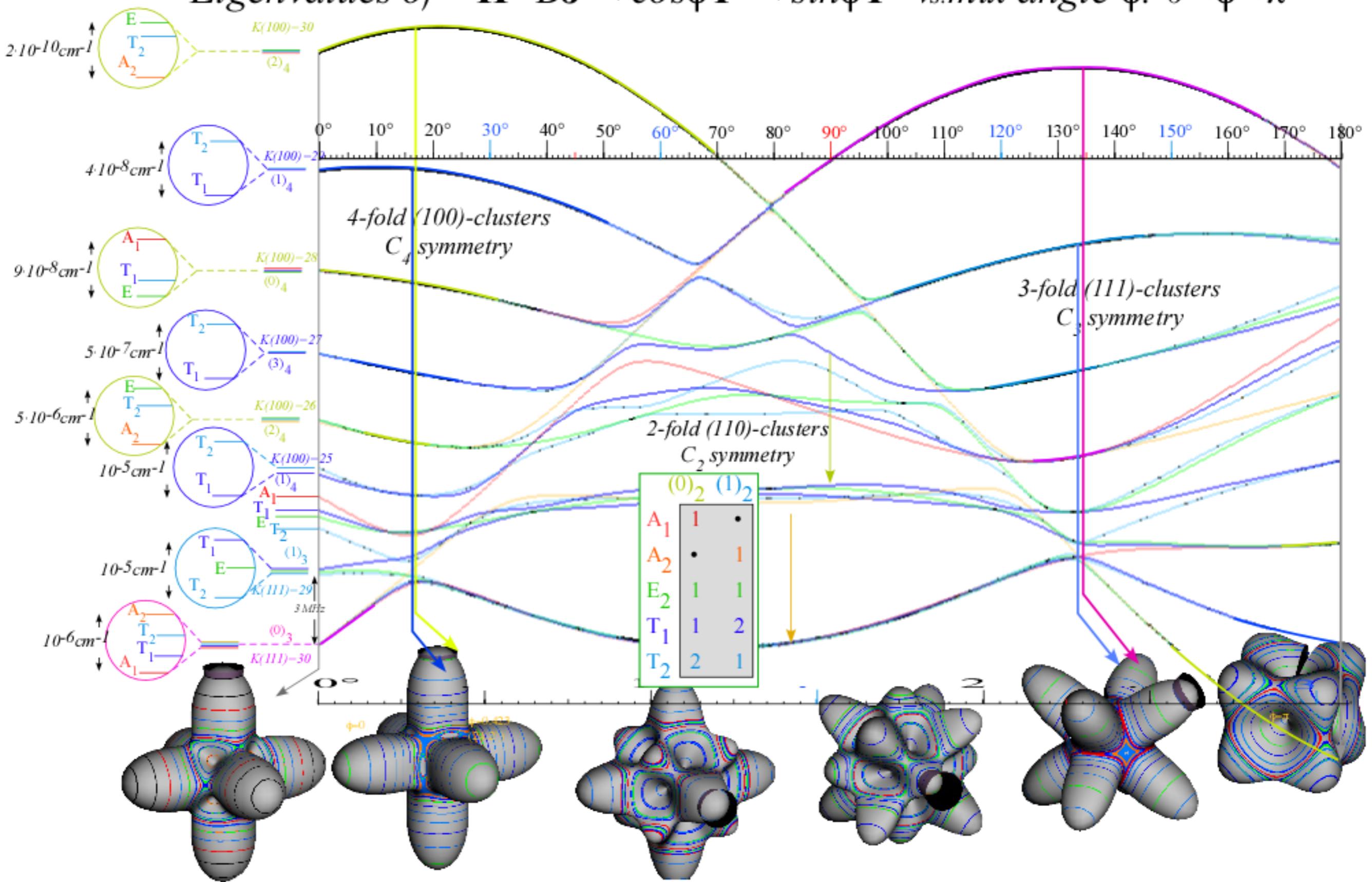
$29 = 30 - I$



Cubane  $\text{C}_8\text{H}_8$   $v_{12}$  R(36)

A.S. Pines, A.G. Maki,  
A. G. Robiette, B. J. Krohn,  
J.K.G. Watson, & T. Urbanek,  
*J.Am.Chem.Soc.* 106, 891 (1984)

Eigenvalues of  $H = BJ^2 + \cos\phi T^{[4]} + \sin\phi T^{[6]}$  vs. mix angle  $\phi$ :  $0 < \phi < \pi$



after: Int.J.Molecular Science 14.(2013) Fig.6 p.742 and Fig. 29 p.791

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# *Symmetry-level-cluster effects in $SF_6$ , $SiF_4$ , $CH_4$ , $CF_4$*

## *Graphical approach to rotation-vibration-spin Hamiltonian*

$$\langle H \rangle \sim v_{\text{vib}} + BJ(J+1) + \langle H^{\text{Scalar Coriolis}} \rangle + \langle H^{\text{Tensor Centrifugal}} \rangle + \langle H^{\text{Nuclear Spin}} \rangle + \langle H^{\text{Tensor Coriolis}} \rangle + \dots$$

*to help understand complex rotational spectra and dynamics.*

### OUTLINE

<i>Introductory review</i>	<u>Example(s)</u>
• <i>Rovibronic nomograms and PQR structure</i>	$v_3$ and $v_4$ $SF_6$
• <i>Rotational Energy Surfaces (RES) and <math>\Theta_K^J</math>-cones</i>	$v_4$ P(88) $SF_6$
• <i>Spin symmetry correlation tunneling and entanglement</i>	$SF_6$
<i>Recent developments</i>	
• <i>Analogy between PE surface and RES dynamics</i>	
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	$v_3/2v_4$

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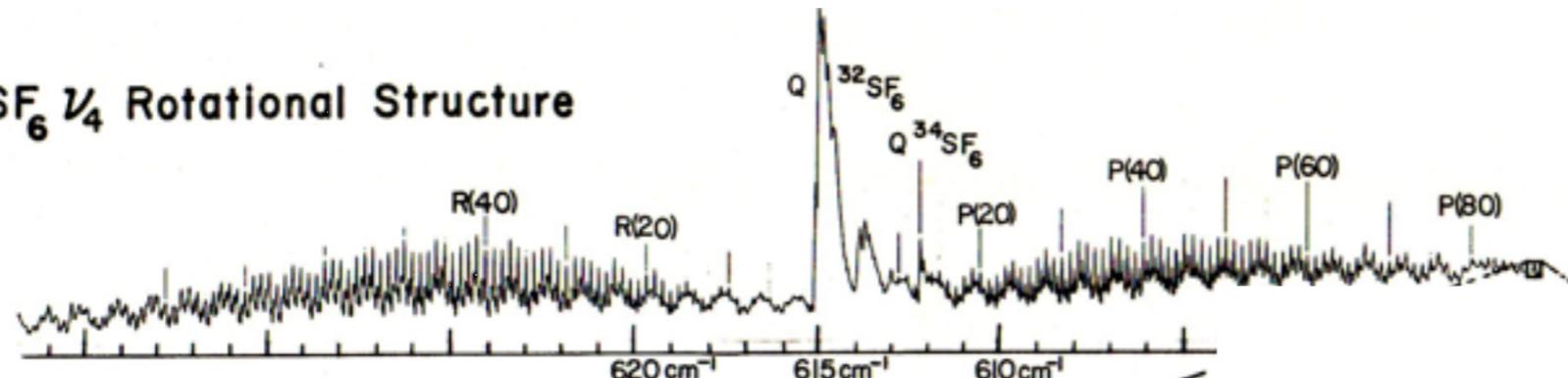
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Involves:

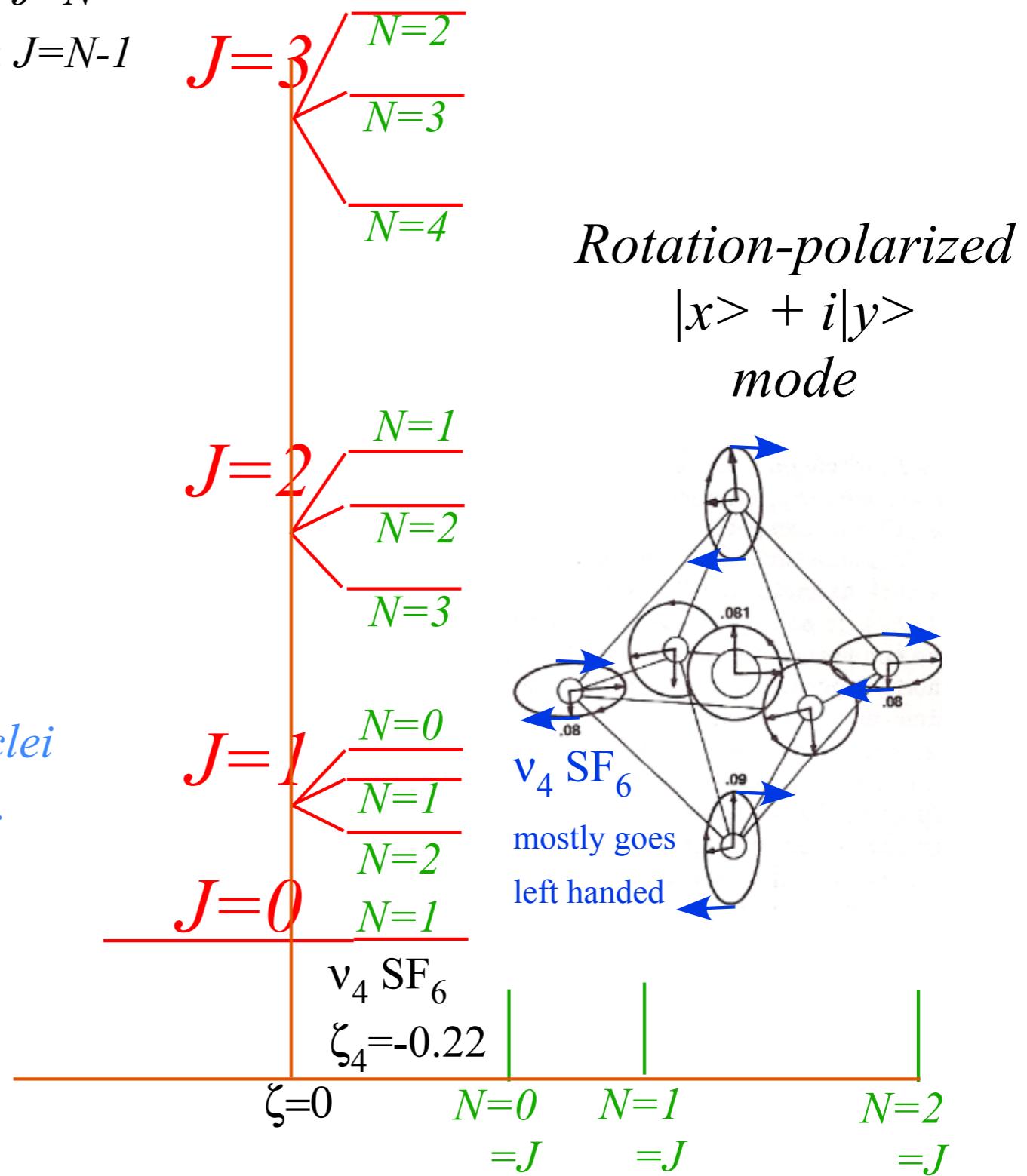
angular momentum  $\ell$  of vibration “orbits”

angular momentum  $\mathbf{N}$  (or  $\mathbf{R}$ ) of rotating nuclei

total momentum  $\mathbf{J} = \ell + \mathbf{N}$  of whole molecule.

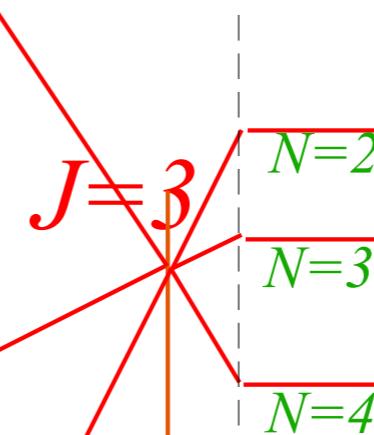
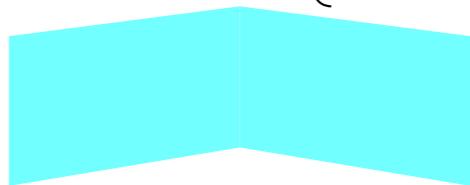
Let:  $\mathbf{N} = \mathbf{J} - \ell$ , and:  $\mathbf{N}^2 = \mathbf{J}^2 - 2\mathbf{J} \cdot \ell + \ell^2$

or:  $2\mathbf{J} \cdot \ell = \mathbf{J}^2 - \mathbf{N}^2 + \ell^2$

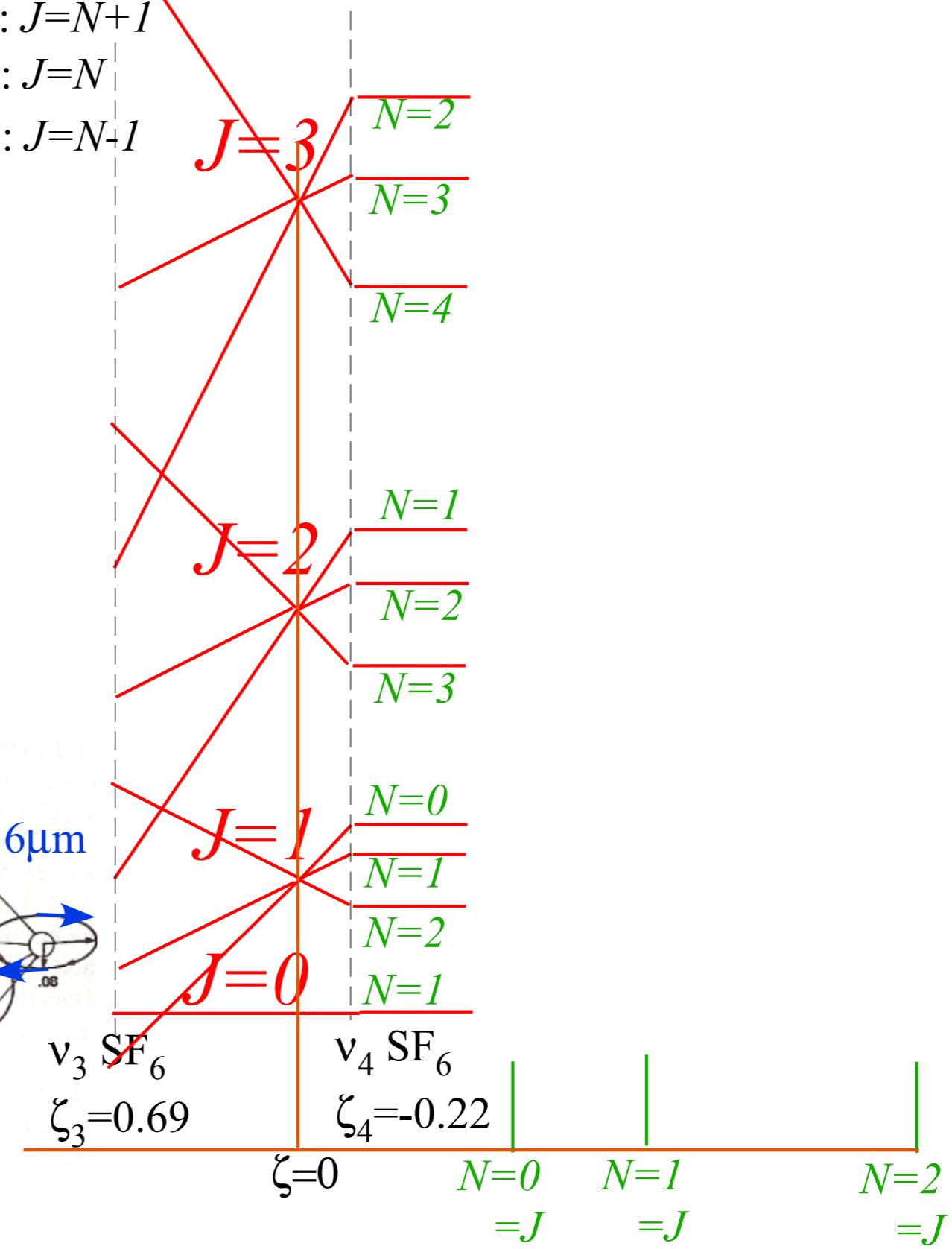
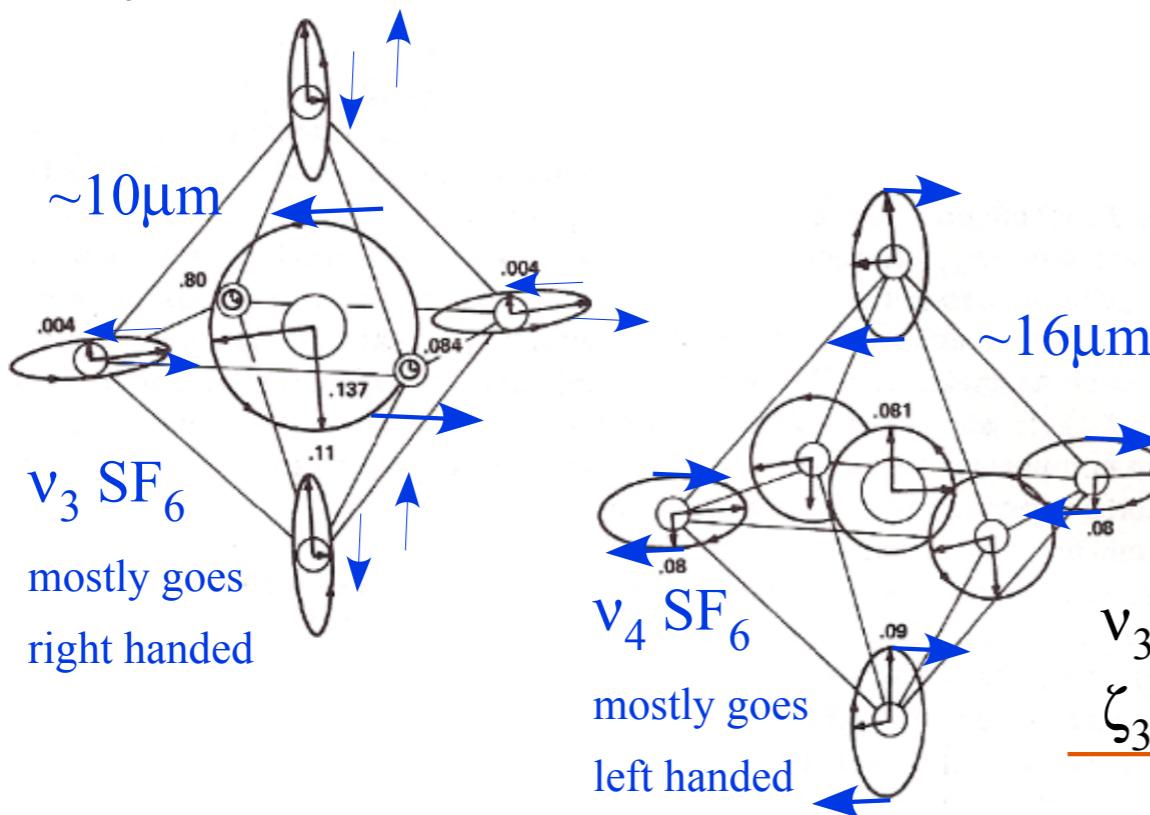


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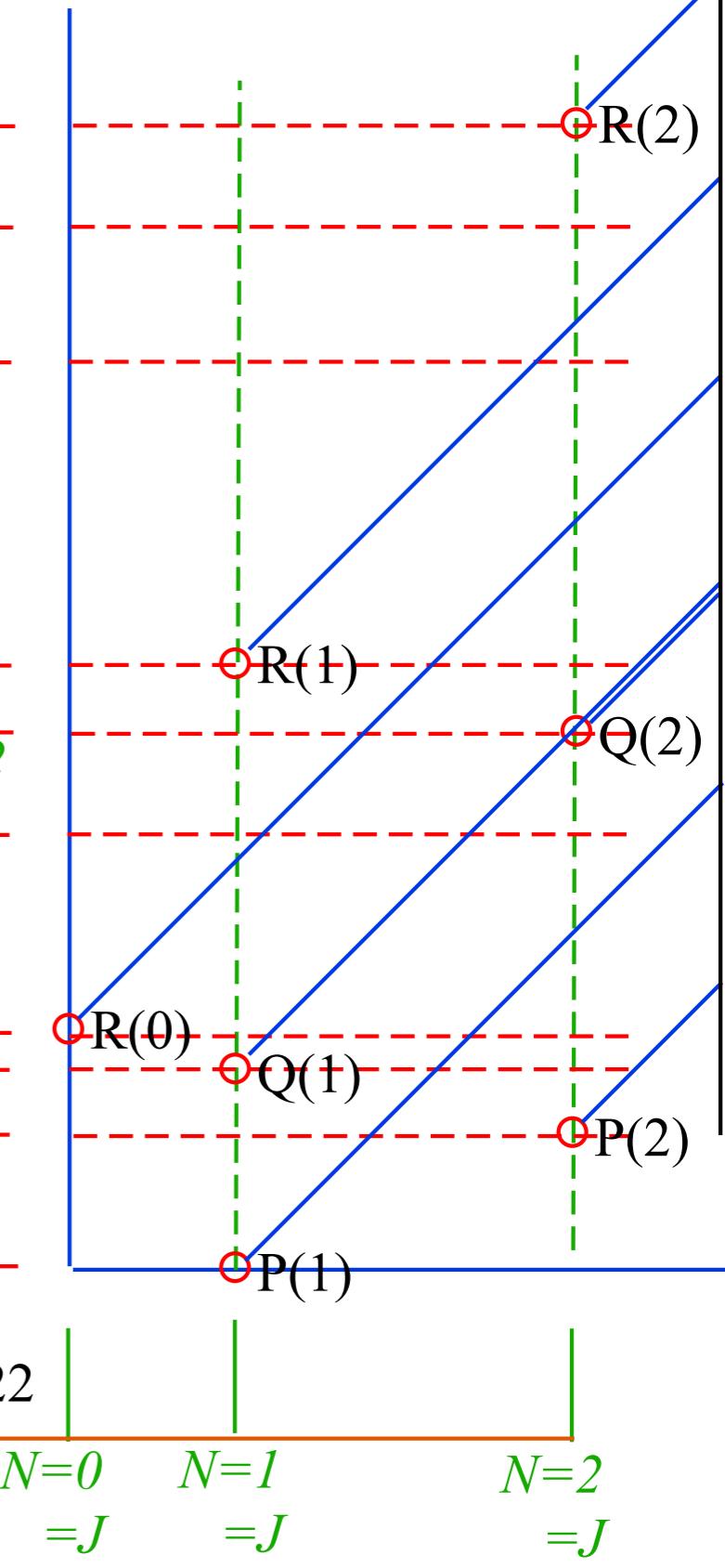
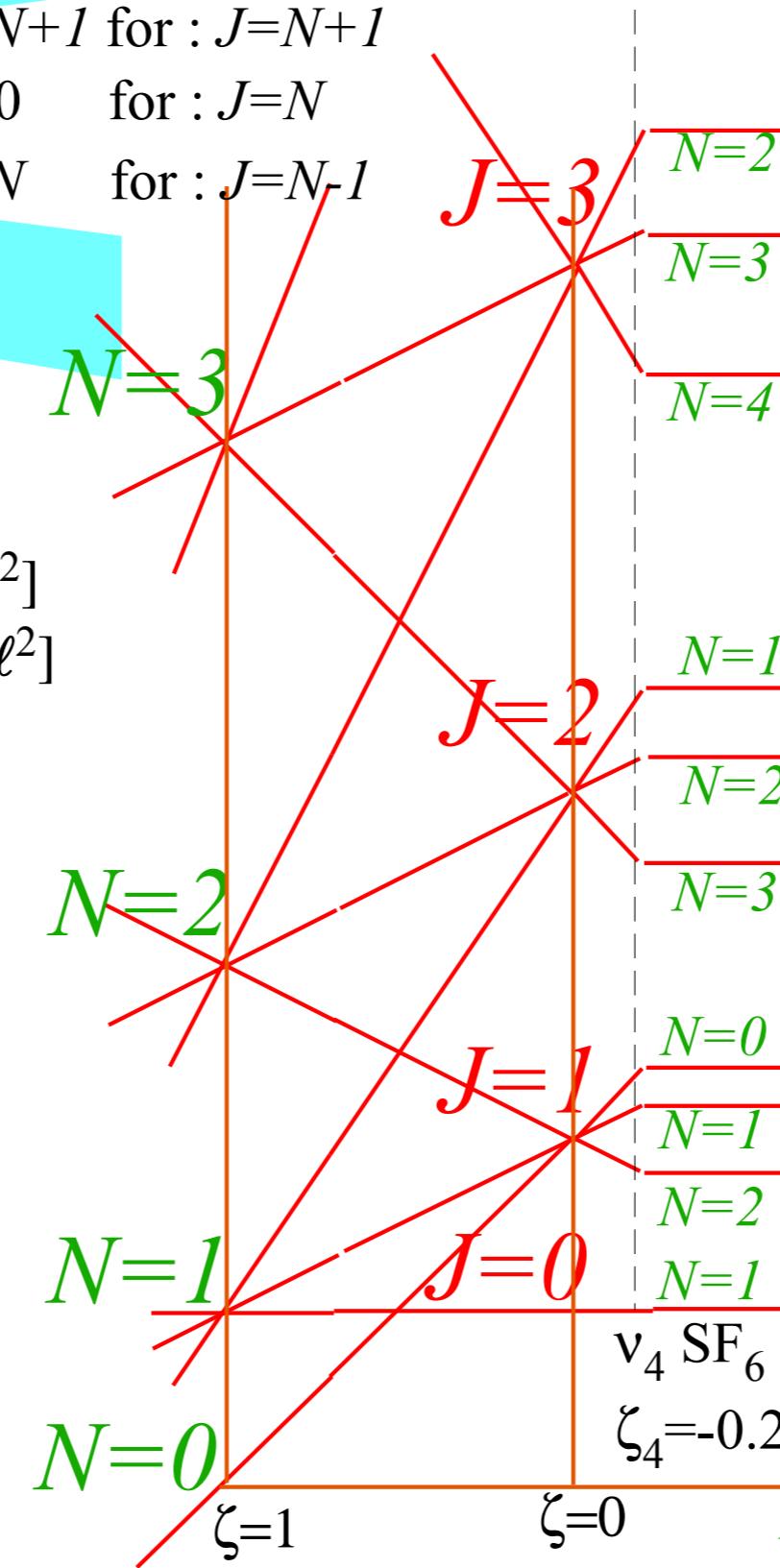
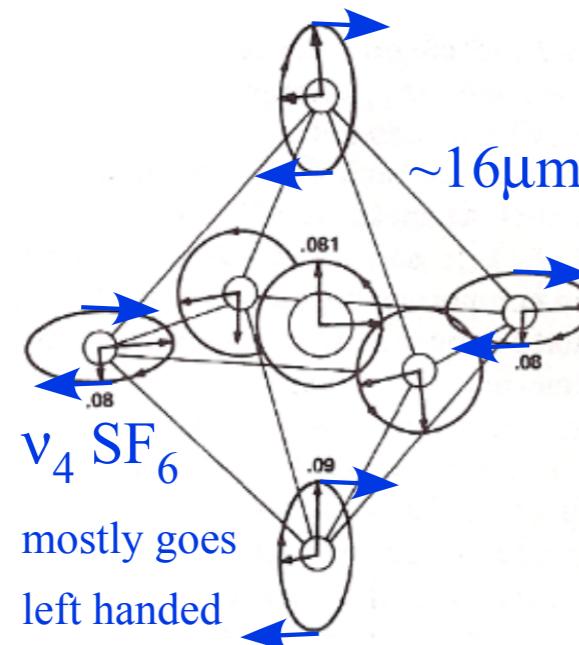
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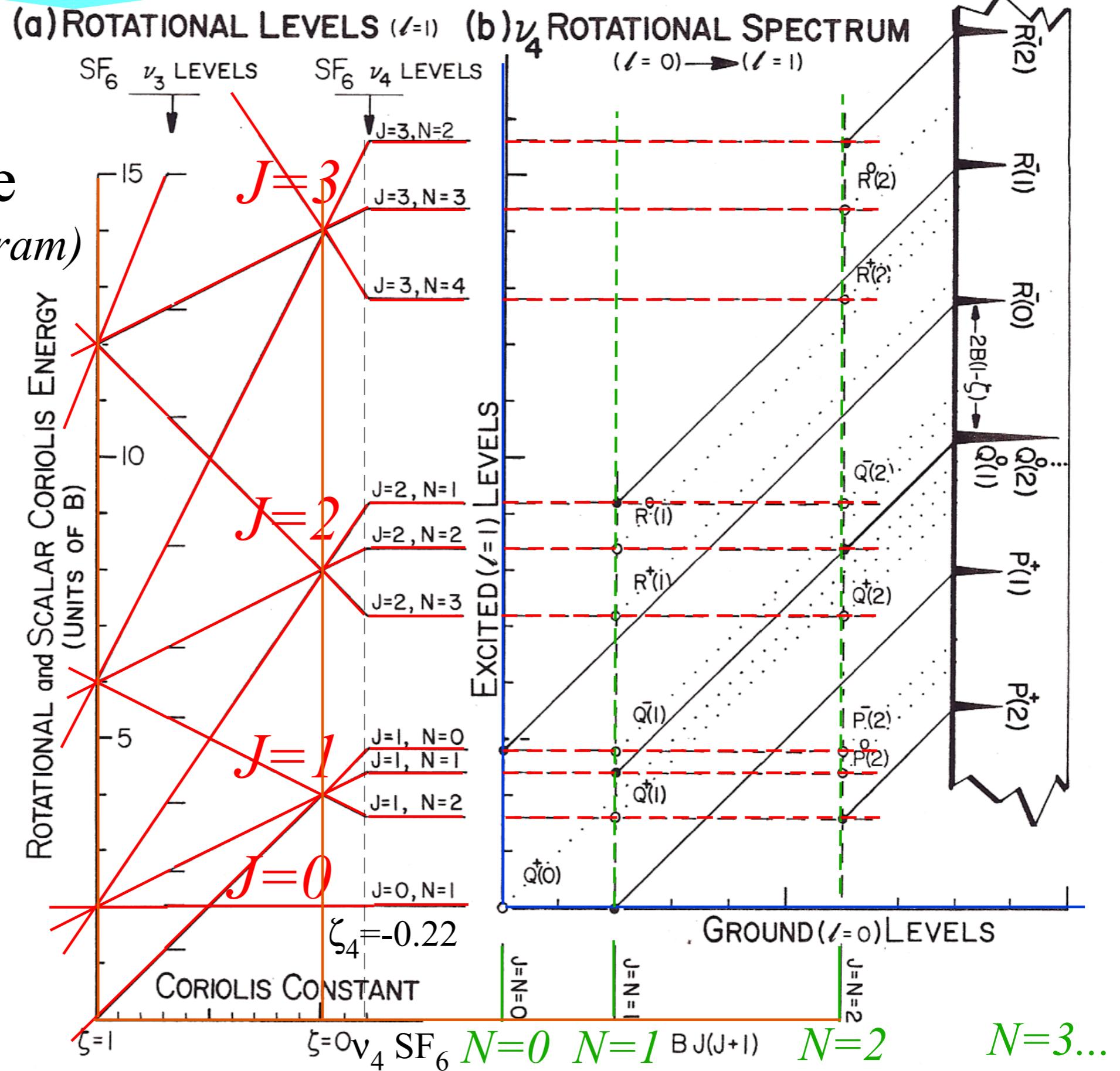
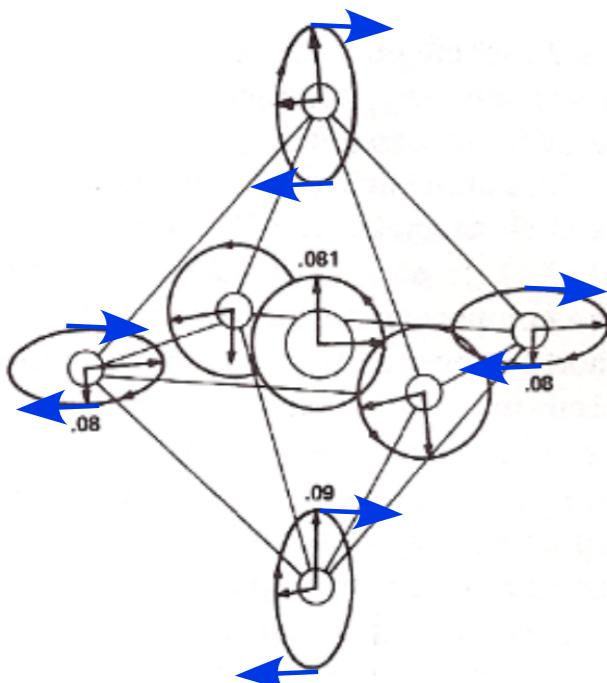
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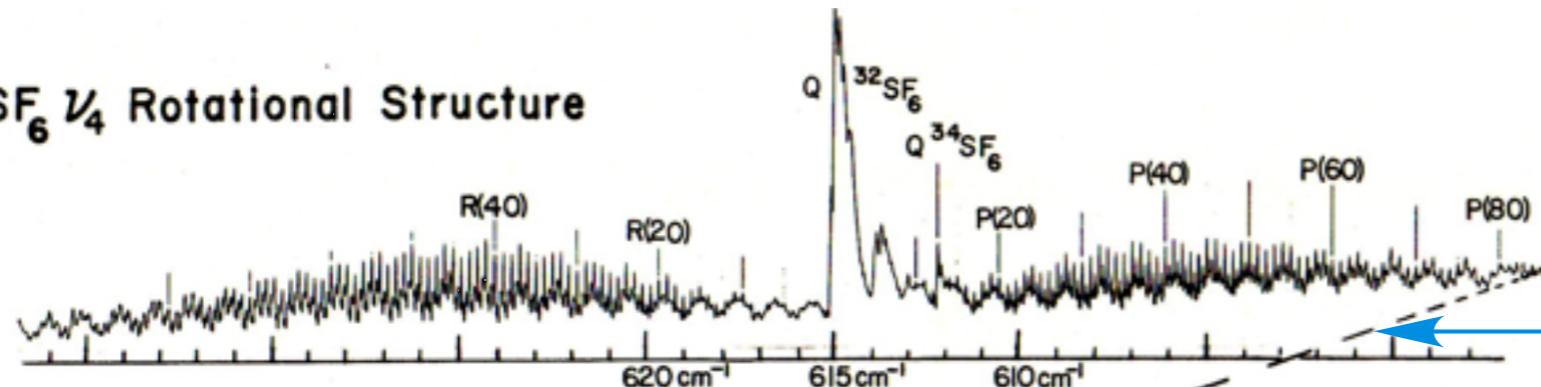
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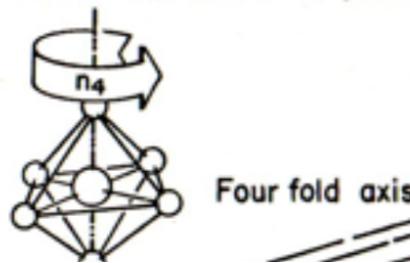
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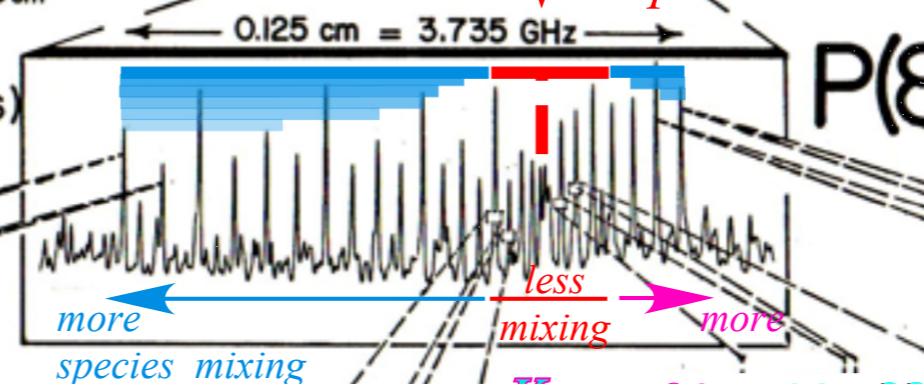
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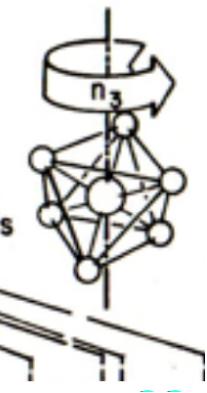
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Four fold axis



**P(88)**



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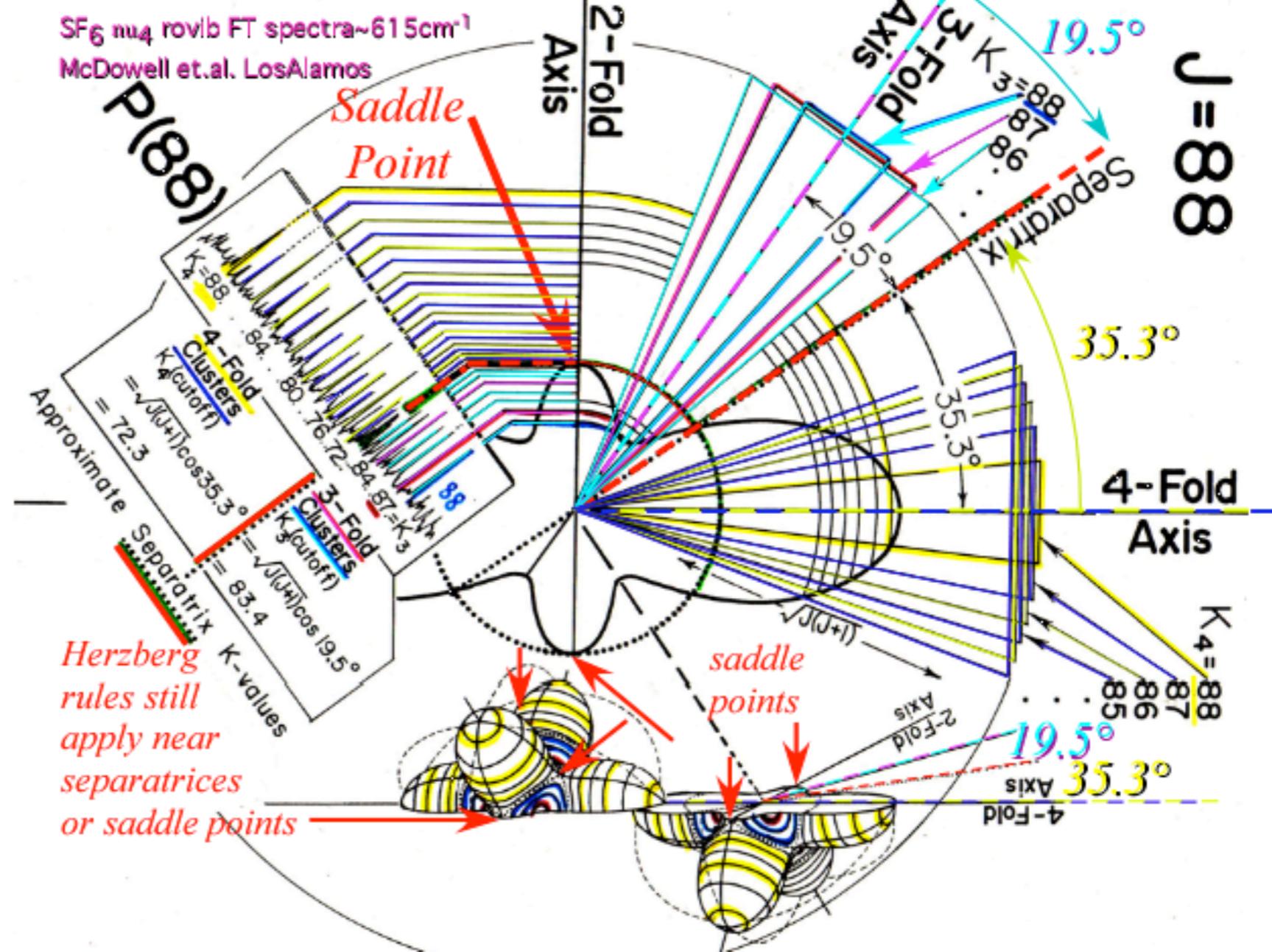
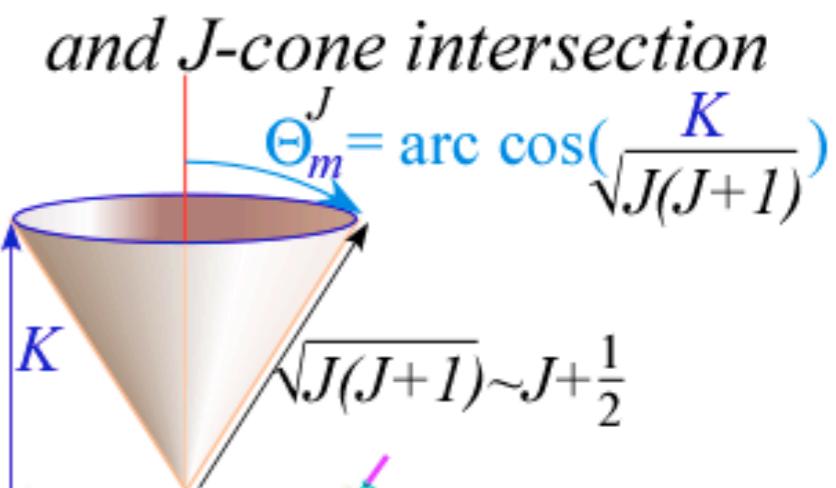
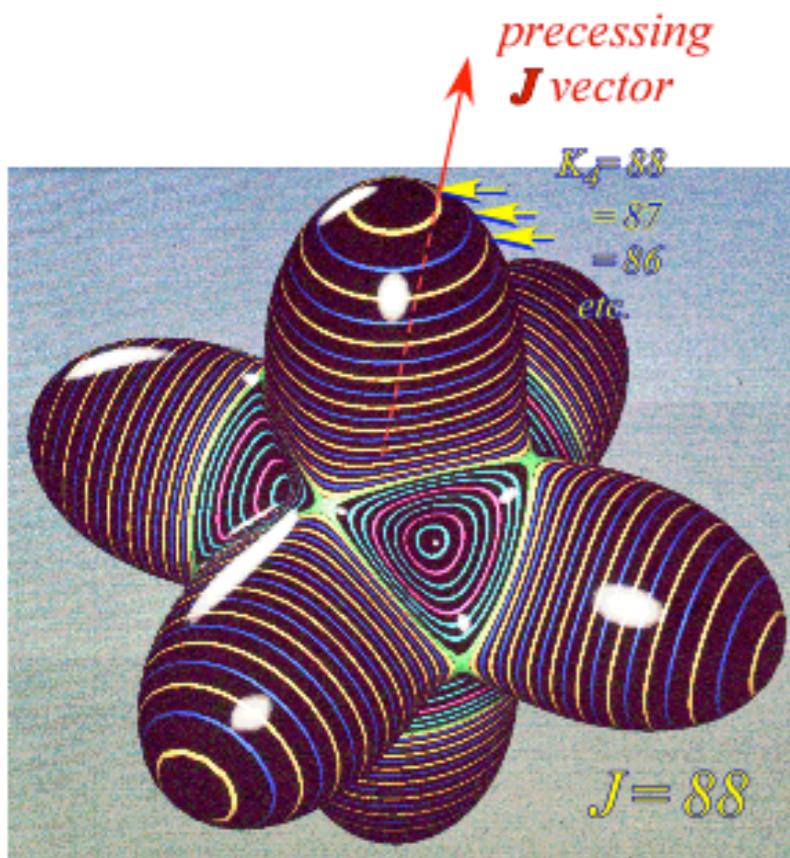
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# $SF_6$ Spectra of $O_h$ Ro-vibronic Hamiltonian described by RE Tensor Topography

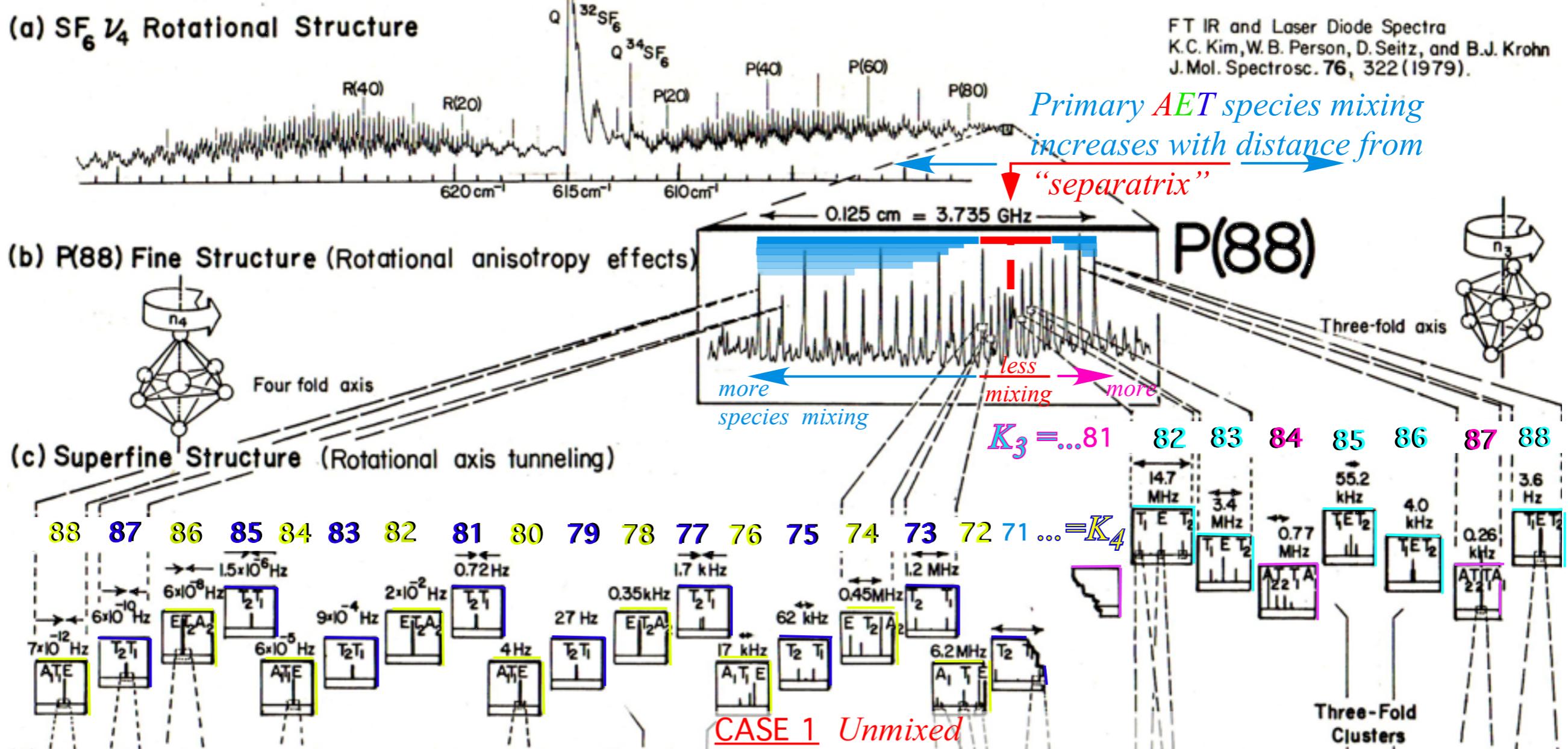
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{H} &= B \left( \mathbf{J}_x^2 + \mathbf{J}_y^2 + \mathbf{J}_z^2 \right) + t_{440} \left( \mathbf{J}_x^4 + \mathbf{J}_y^4 + \mathbf{J}_z^4 - \frac{3}{5} J^4 \right) + \dots \\ &= BJ^2 + t_{440} \left( \mathbf{T}_0^4 + \sqrt{\frac{5}{14}} [\mathbf{T}_4^4 + \mathbf{T}_{-4}^4] \right) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Rovibronic Energy (RE)  
Tensor Surface



# SF<sub>6</sub> nu<sub>4</sub> rovib FT spectra~615cm<sup>-1</sup> McDowell et.al. LosAlamos

*Herzberg rules still apply near separatrices or saddle points*

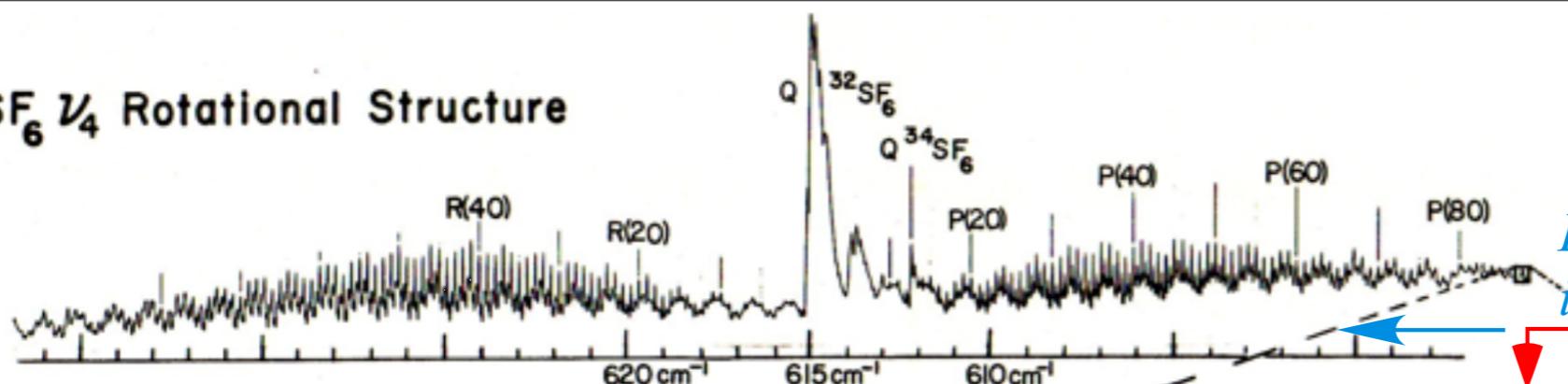


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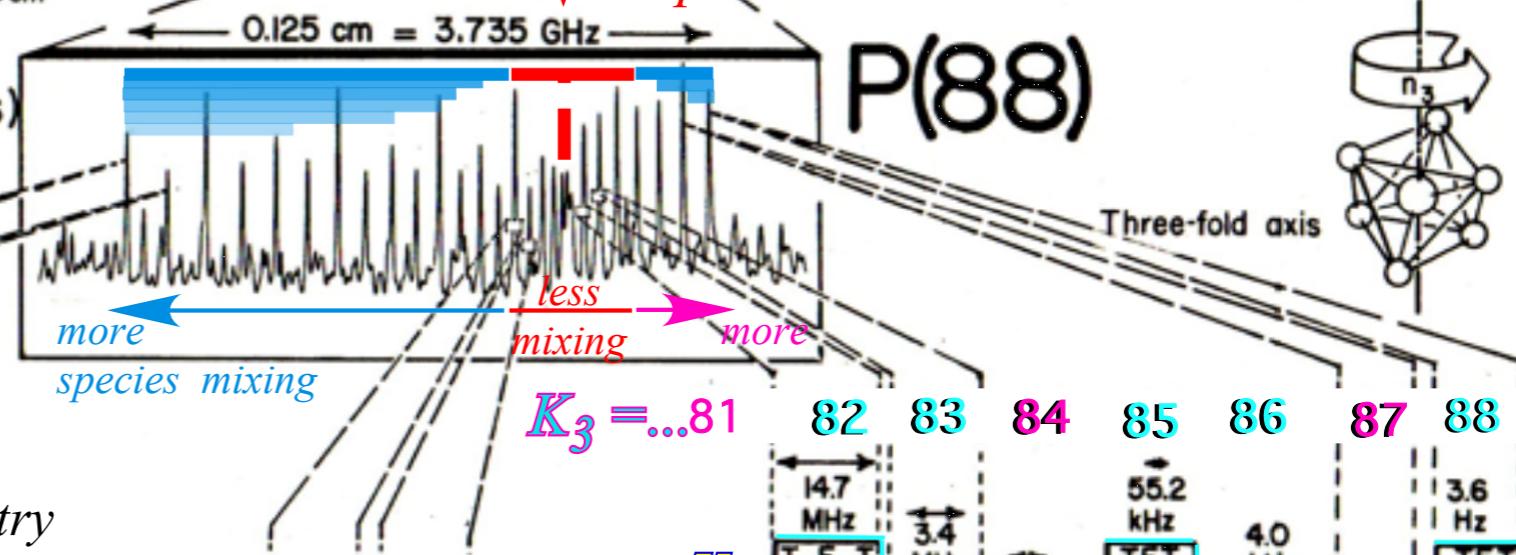
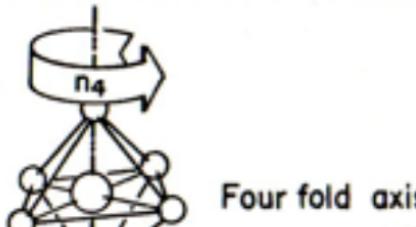
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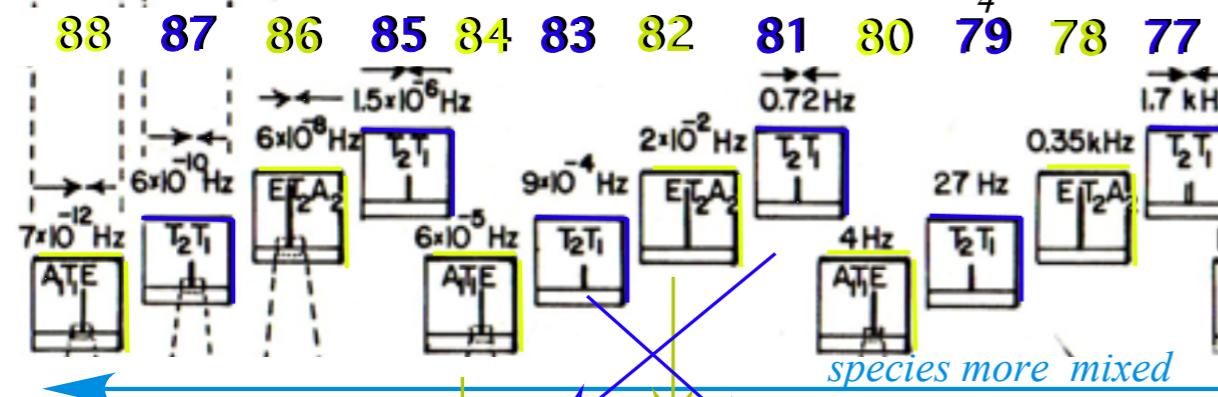
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4-fold (100)-clusters C<sub>4</sub> symmetry



pure A<sub>1</sub> T<sub>1</sub> E T<sub>2</sub> A<sub>2</sub> species (0)<sub>3</sub> (1)<sub>3</sub> (2)<sub>3</sub> = (-1)<sub>3</sub>

Cubic Octahedral symmetry O

A <sub>1</sub>	1	•	•	•
A <sub>2</sub>	•	•	1	•
E	1	•	1	•
T <sub>1</sub>	1	1	•	1
T <sub>2</sub>	•	1	1	1

3 modulo 4 equals -1 modulo 4 (and 83 mod 4)  
83 = 84 - 1

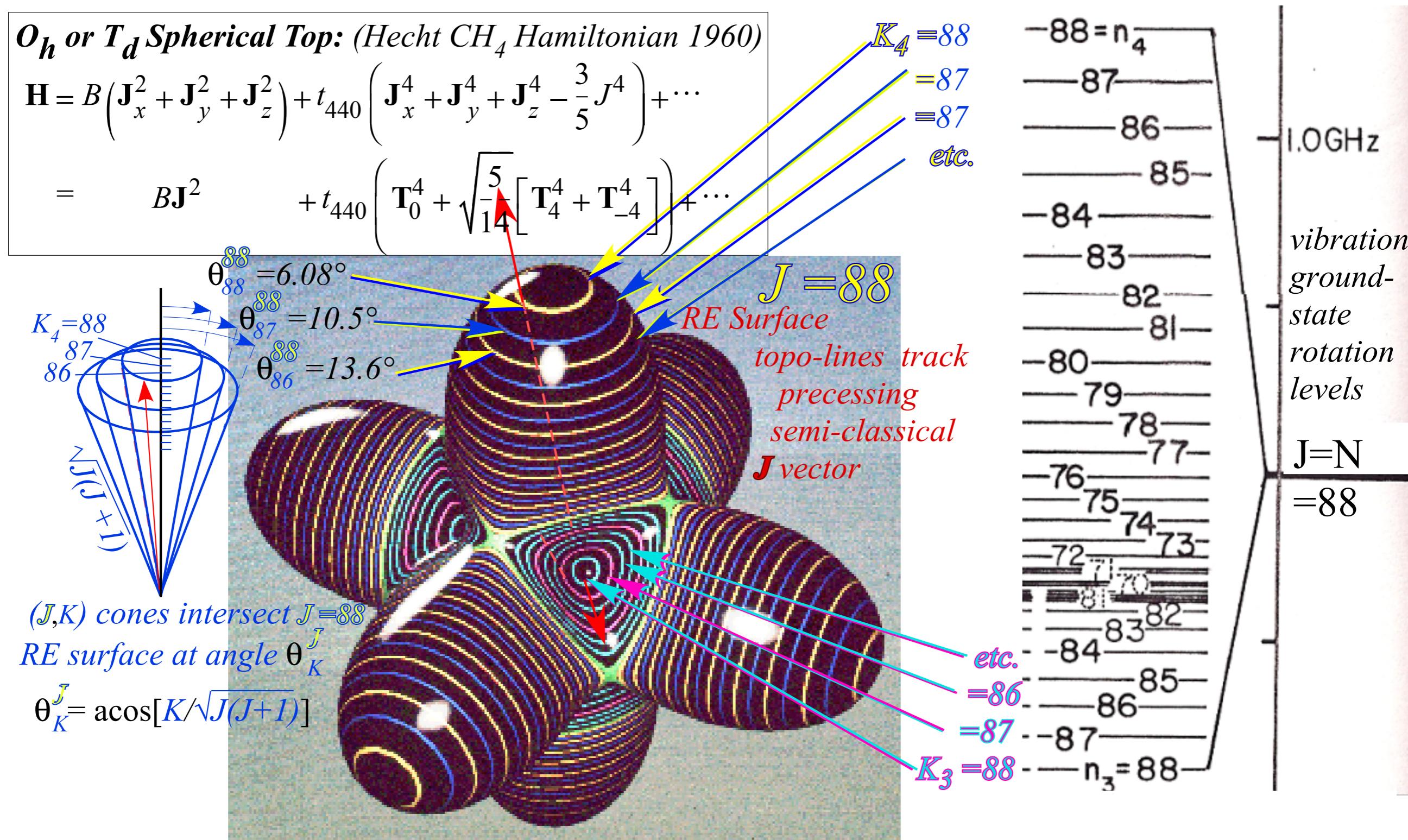
4-fold (100) C<sub>4</sub> symmetry clusters

3-fold (111) C<sub>3</sub> symmetry clusters

A <sub>1</sub>	1	•	•
A <sub>2</sub>	1	•	•
E	•	1	1
T <sub>1</sub>	1	1	1
T <sub>2</sub>	1	1	1

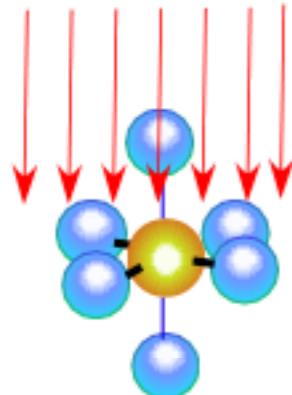
(2 modulo 3 equals -1 modulo 3 and 86 mod 3)  
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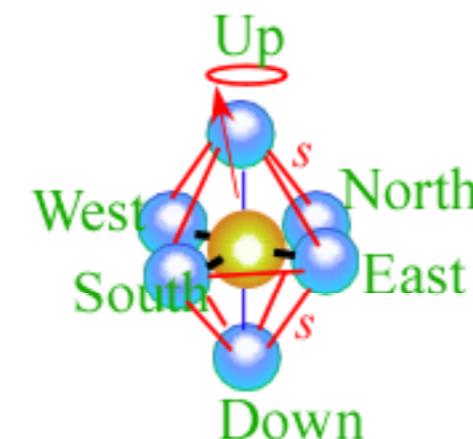
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$C_4$	$0_4$	$1_4$	$2_4$	$3_4$
$A_1$	1	.	.	.
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$E$	1.	.	1	.
$T_1$	1	1	.	1
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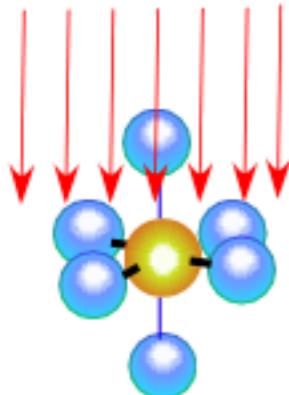
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0	H	s	s	s	s
s	s	H	0	s	s
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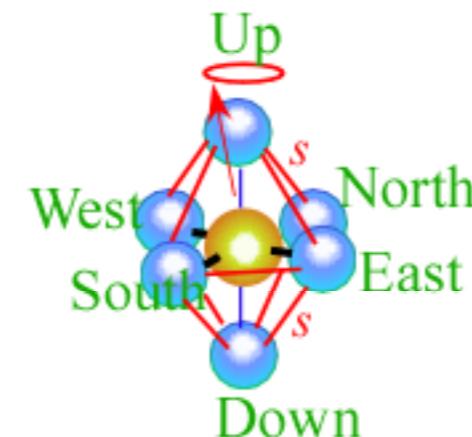
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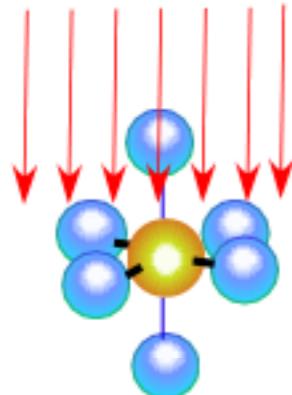
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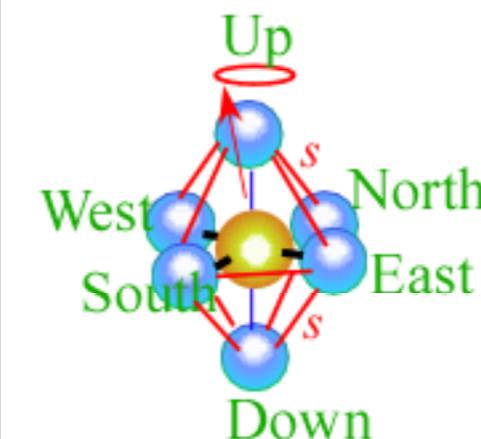


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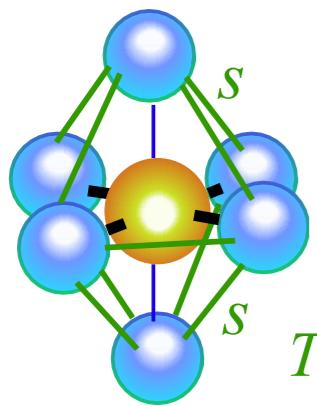
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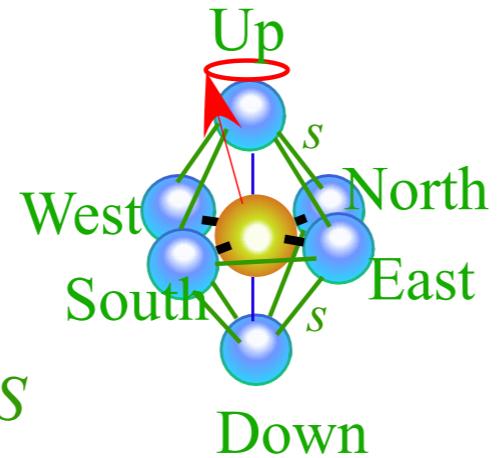
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$s$	$s$	$0$	$H$	$s$	$s$
$s$	$s$	$s$	$s$	$H$	$0$
$s$	$s$	$s$	$s$	$0$	$H$

Tunneling ( $s$ ) between axes  
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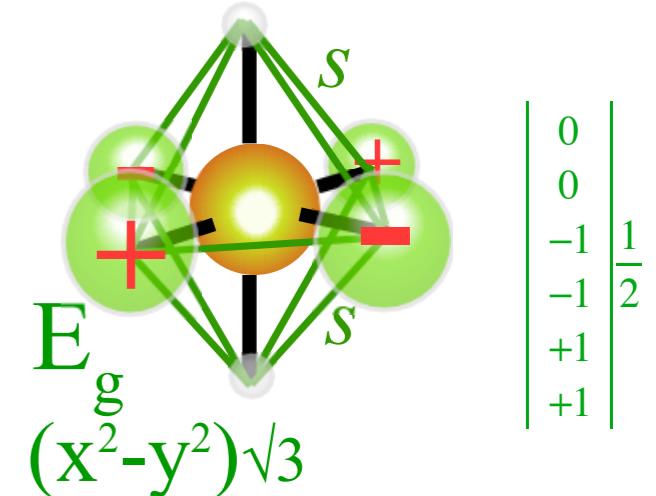
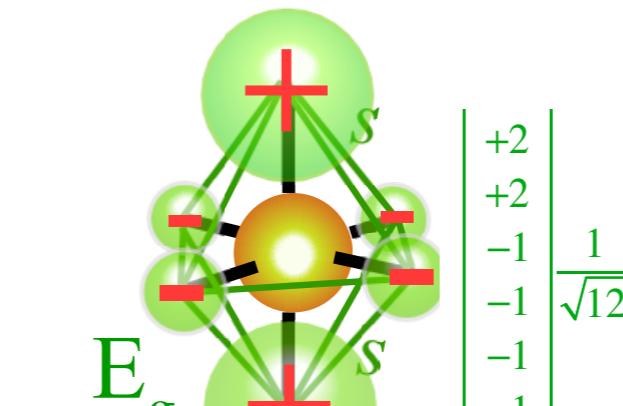
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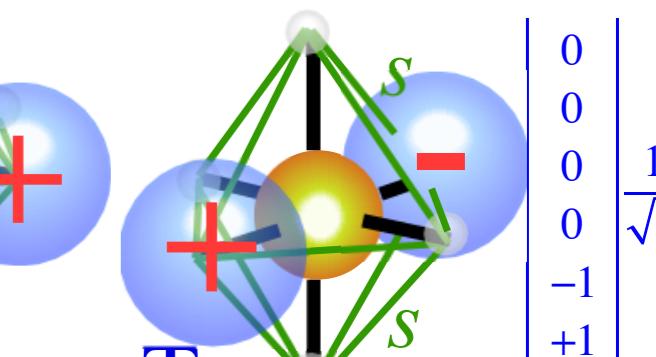
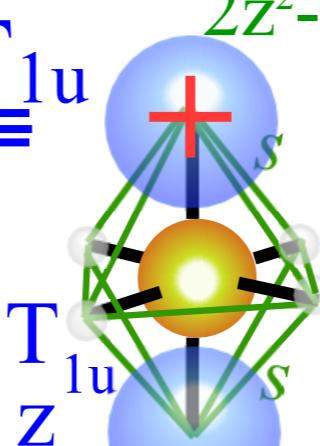
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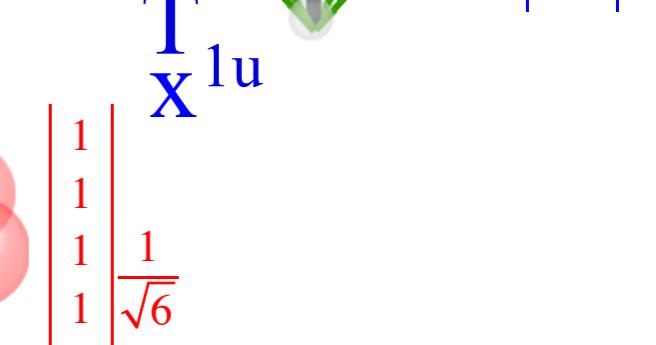
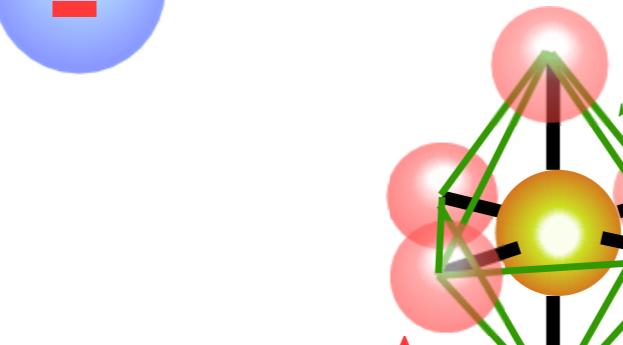
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$$-4S$$

$$A_{1g}$$

## Duality: The “Flip Side” of Symmetry Analysis.

**OUTSIDE or LAB**  
Symmetry reduction  
results in  
Level or Spectral  
SPLITTING  
External  $B$ -field  
does Zeeman splitting

**LAB versus BODY,**

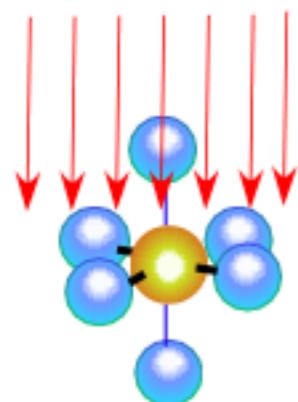
**STATE versus PARTICLE,**

*boils down to :*

**OUTSIDE versus INSIDE**

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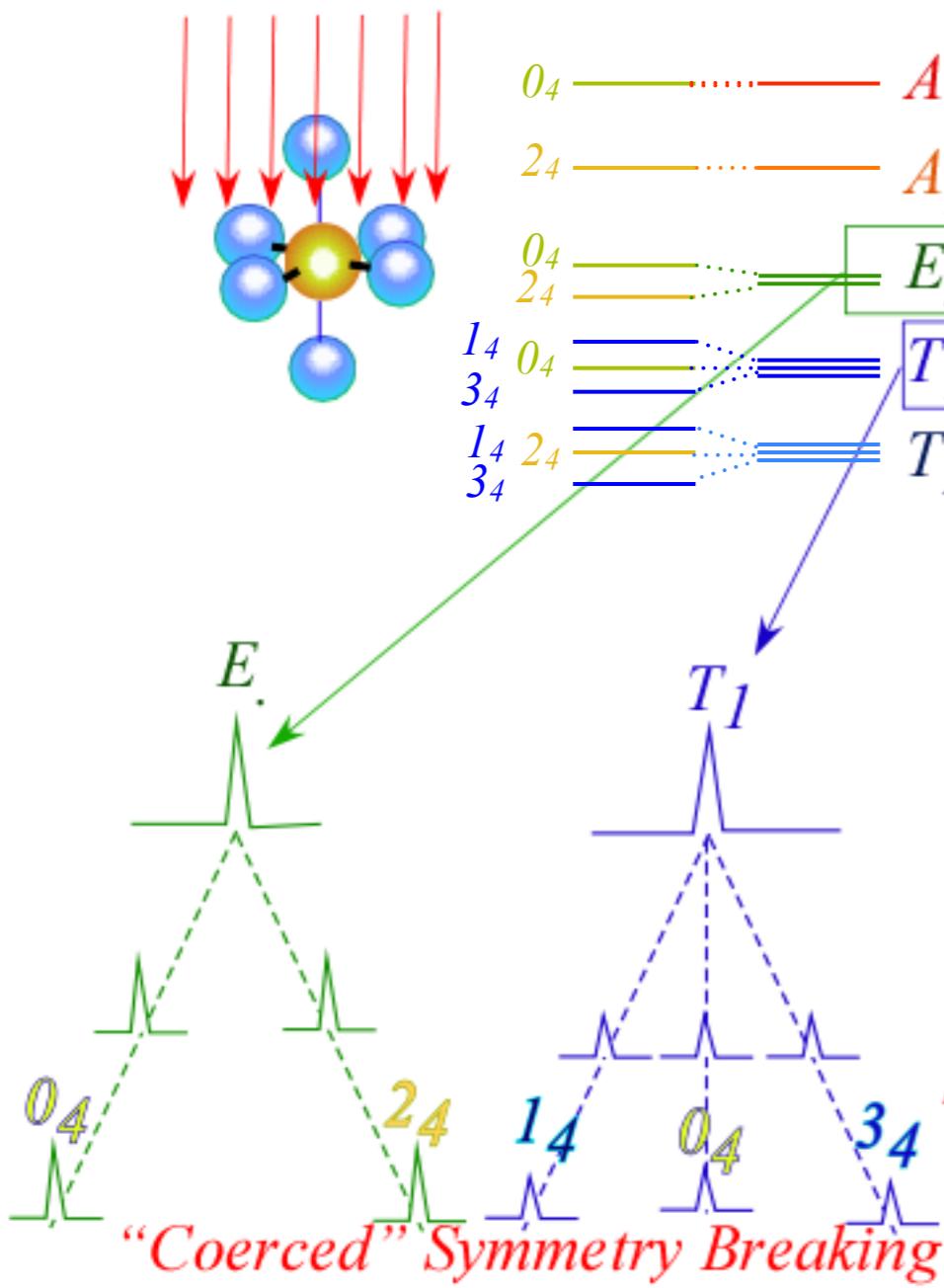
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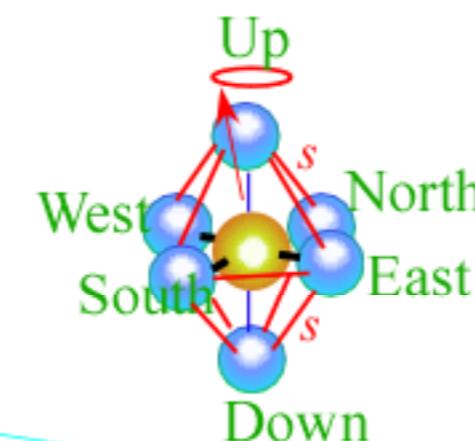
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$0_4$	1	.	.	.
$2_4$	.	.	1	.
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$2_4$	1	1	.	1
$1_4$	1	1	.	1
$3_4$	.	1	1	1
$1_4$	1	1	.	1
$3_4$	1	1	1	1

Example:  
Cubic-Octahedral  $O$   
reduced to  
Tetragonal  $C_4$

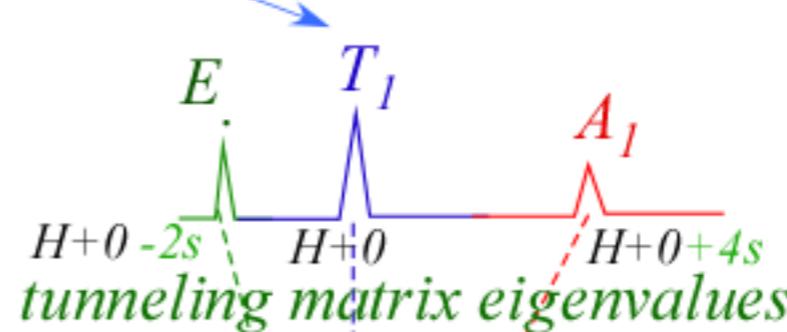
does Zeeman splitting



Internal  $\mathbf{J}$  gets “stuck” on RES axes  
Must “tunnel” axis-to-axis at rate  $s$



U> D> E> W> N> S>					
$H$	0	$s$	$s$	$s$	$s$
0	$H$	$s$	$s$	$s$	$s$
$s$	$s$	$H$	0	$s$	$s$
$s$	$s$	0	$H$	$s$	$s$
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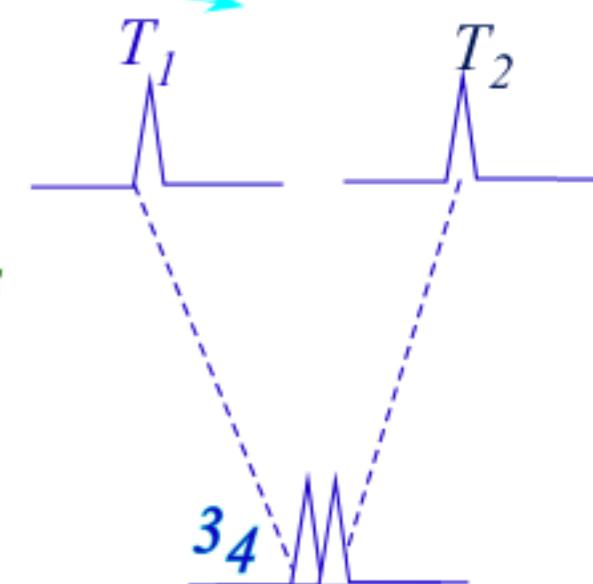


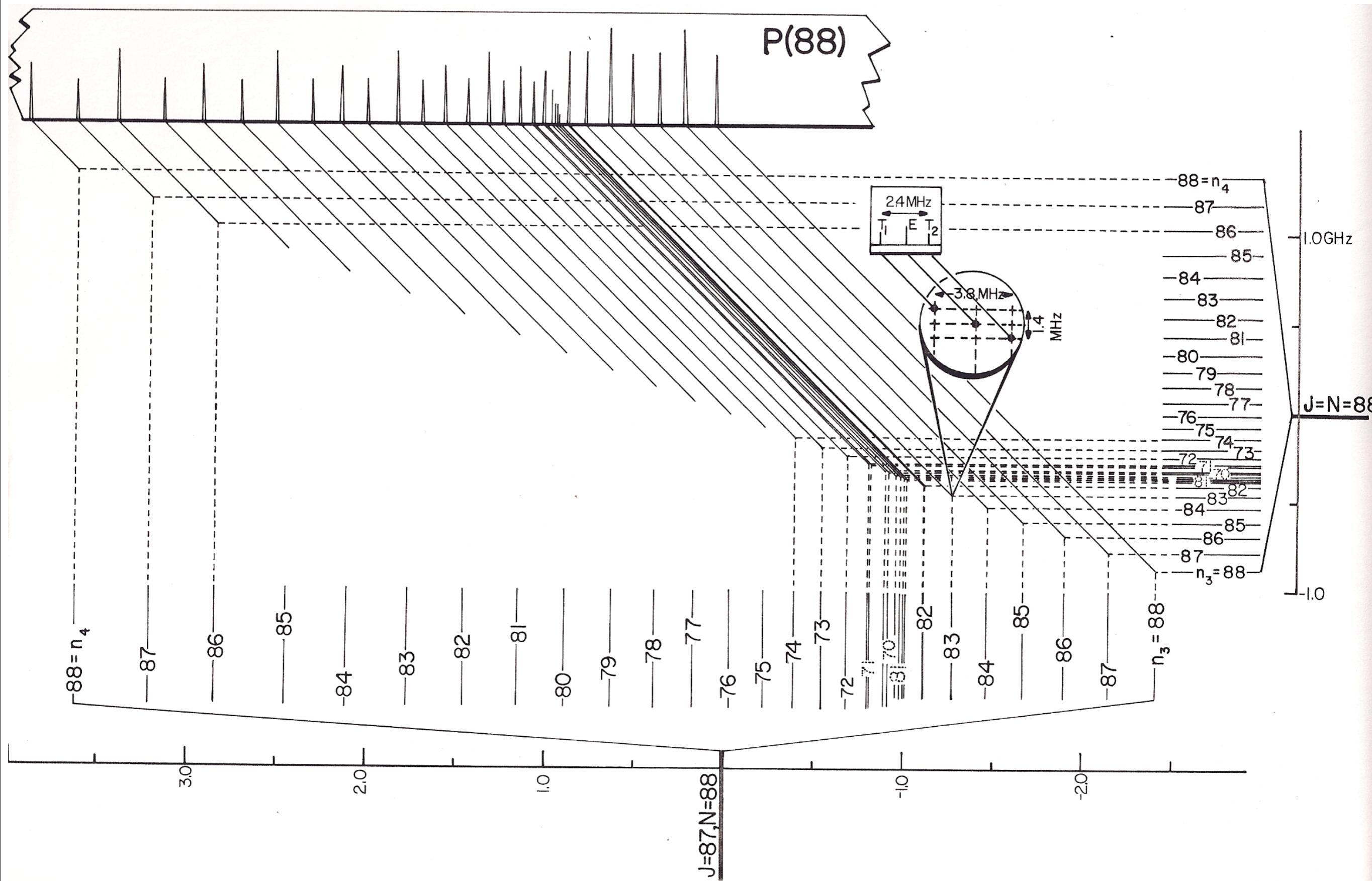
Stronger  $C_4$

higher  $|\mathbf{B}|$

lower  $|s|$

“Spontaneous” Symmetry Breaking





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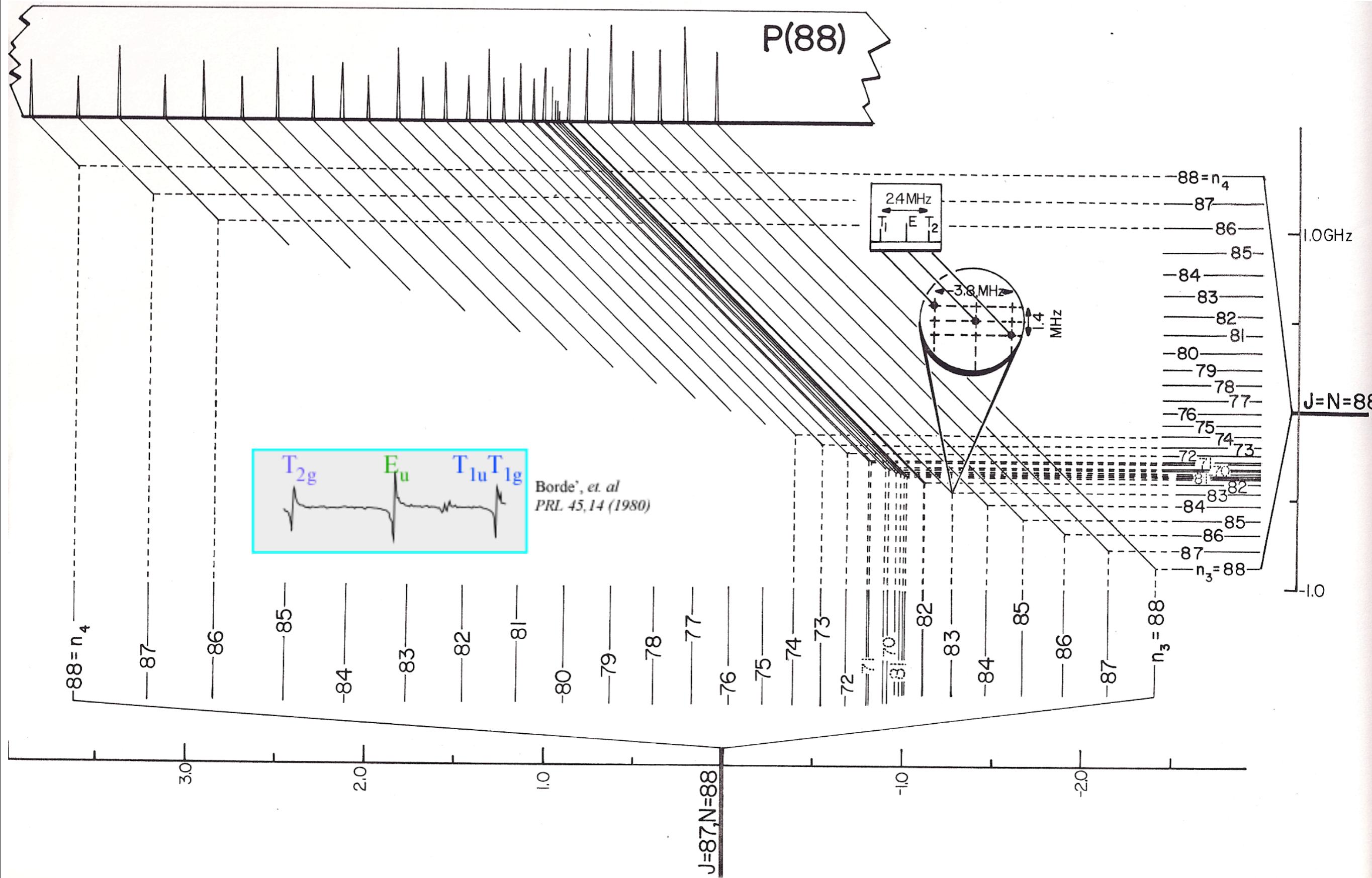
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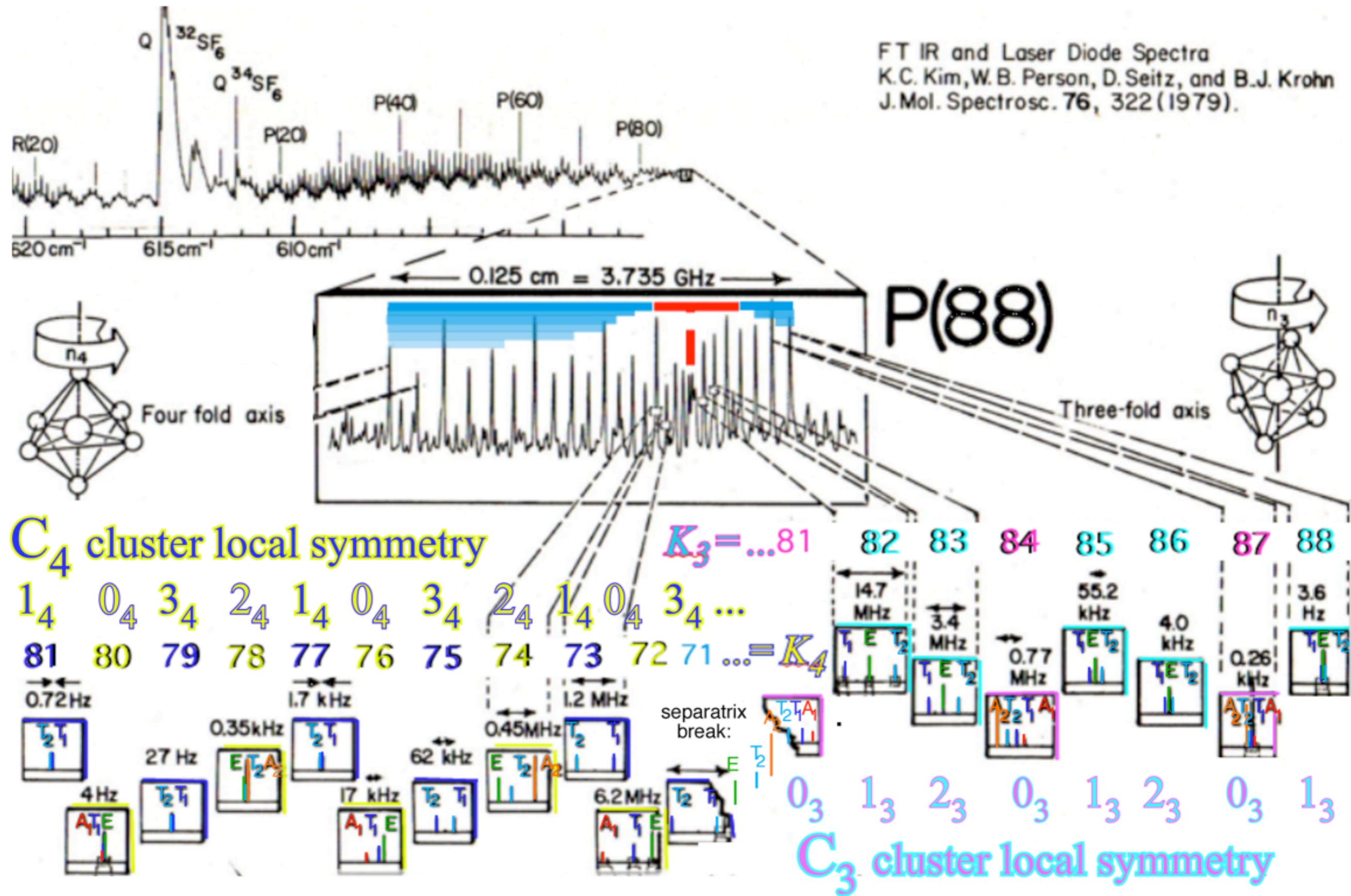
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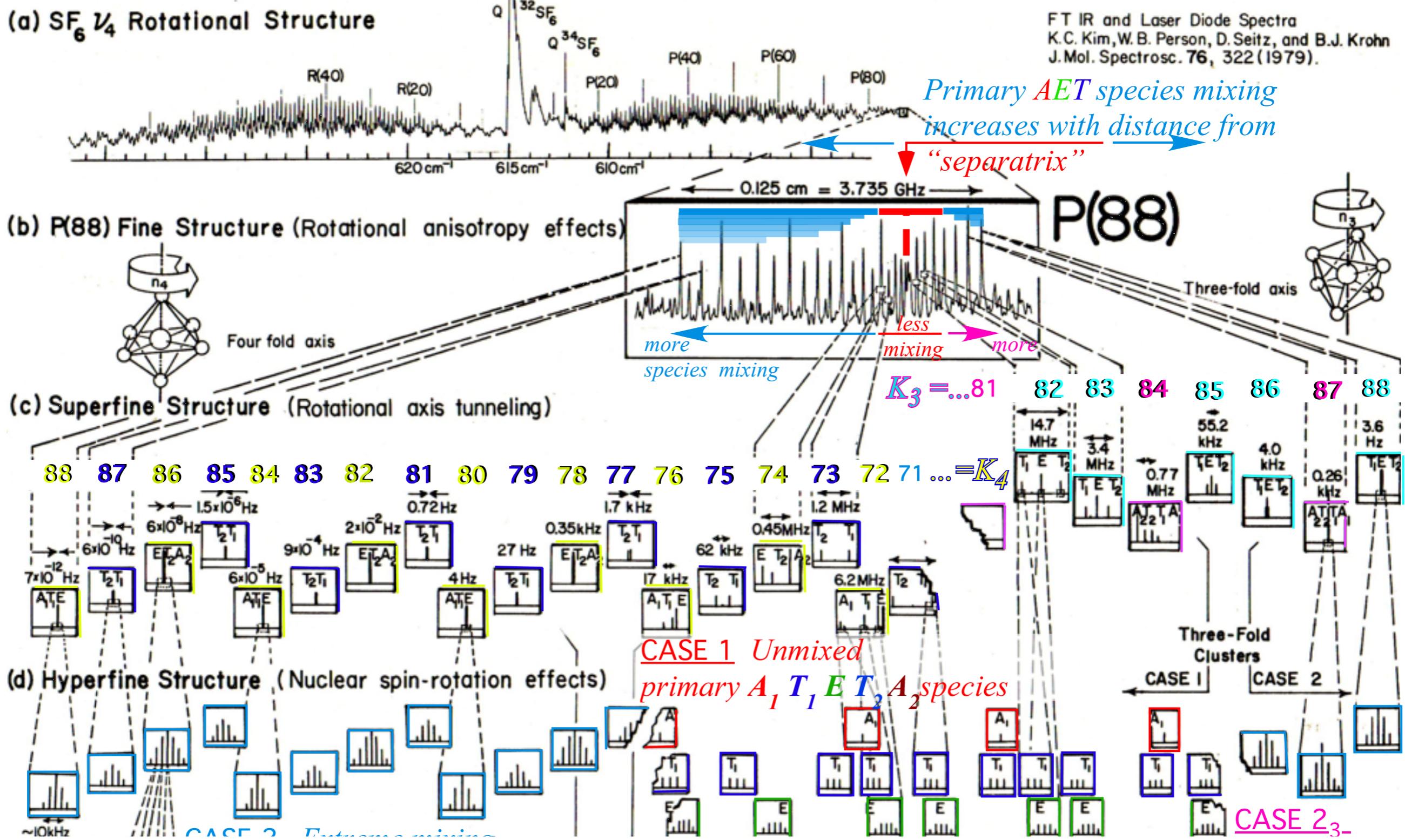
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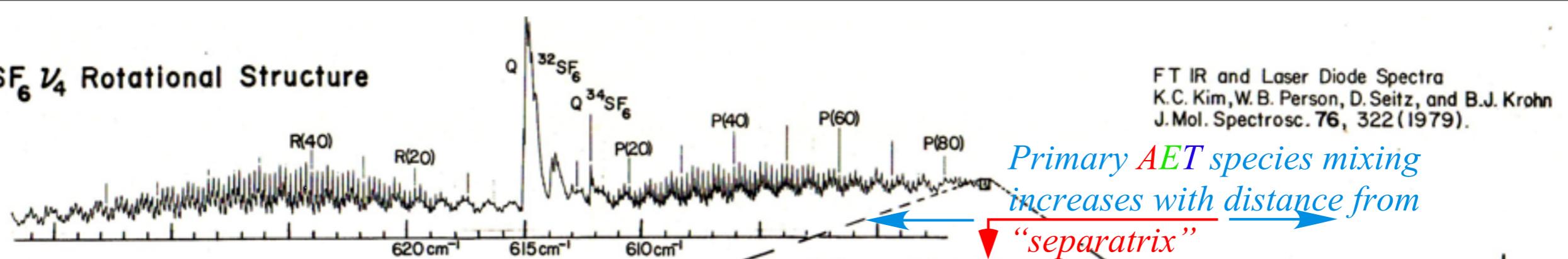
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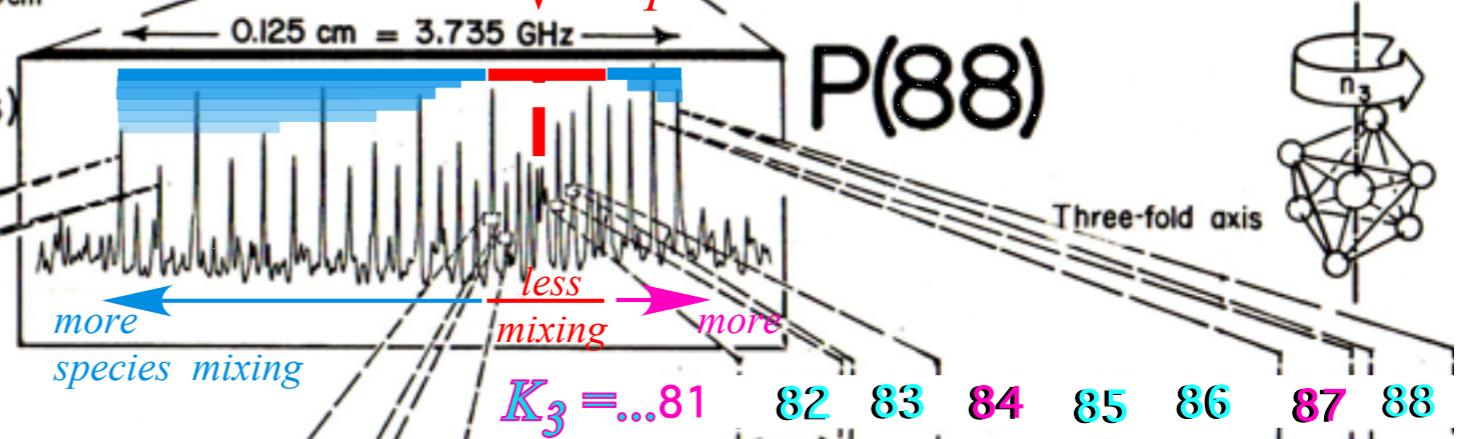
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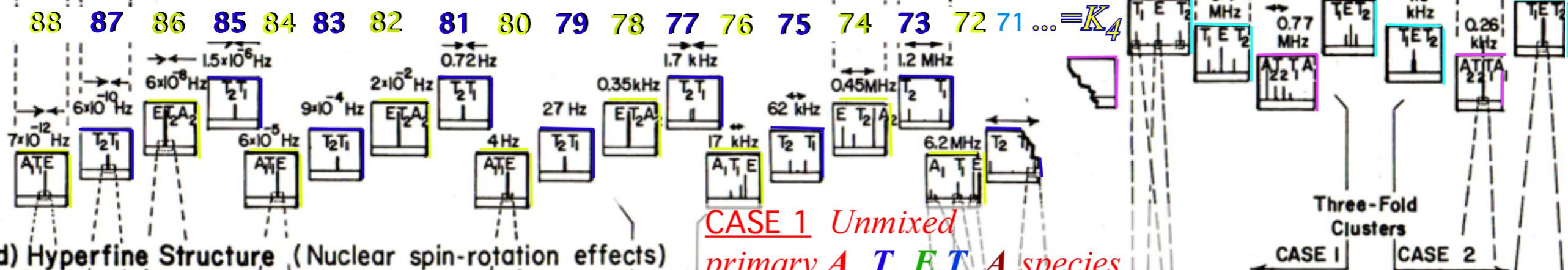
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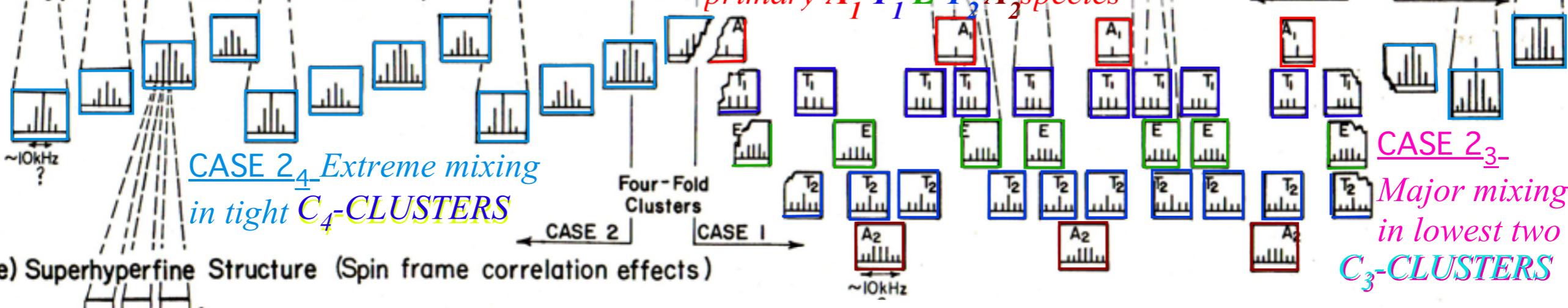
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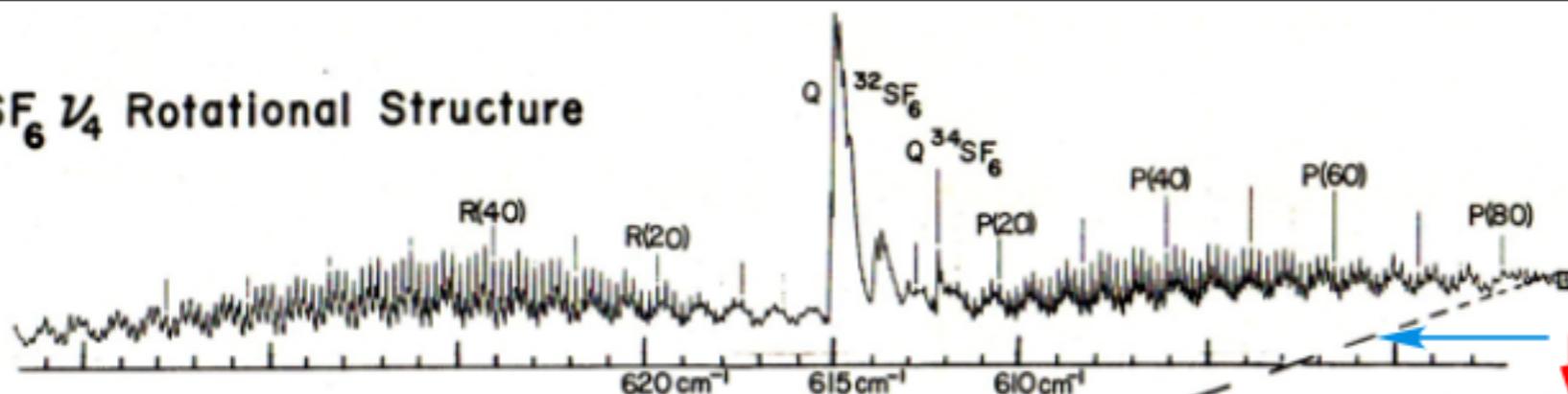
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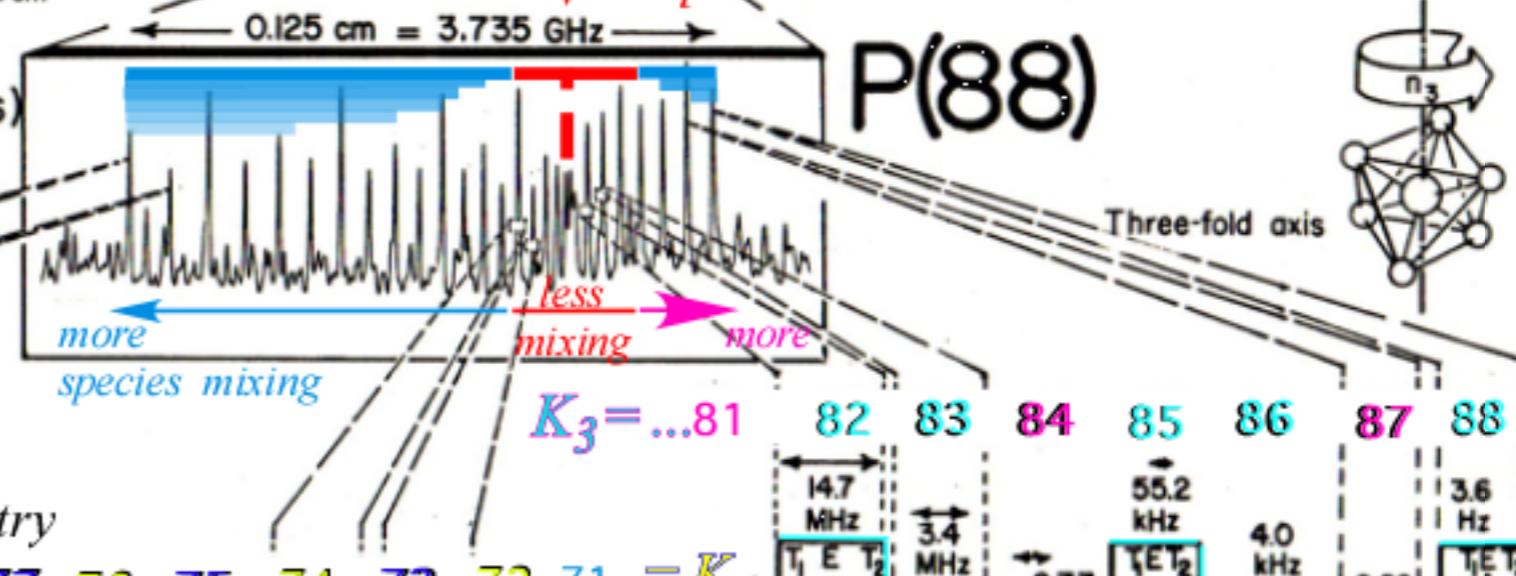
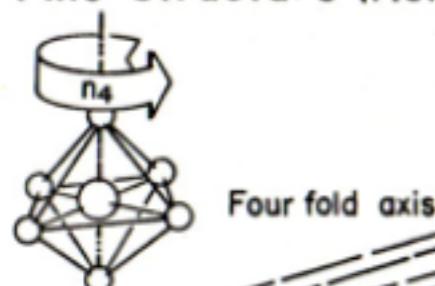
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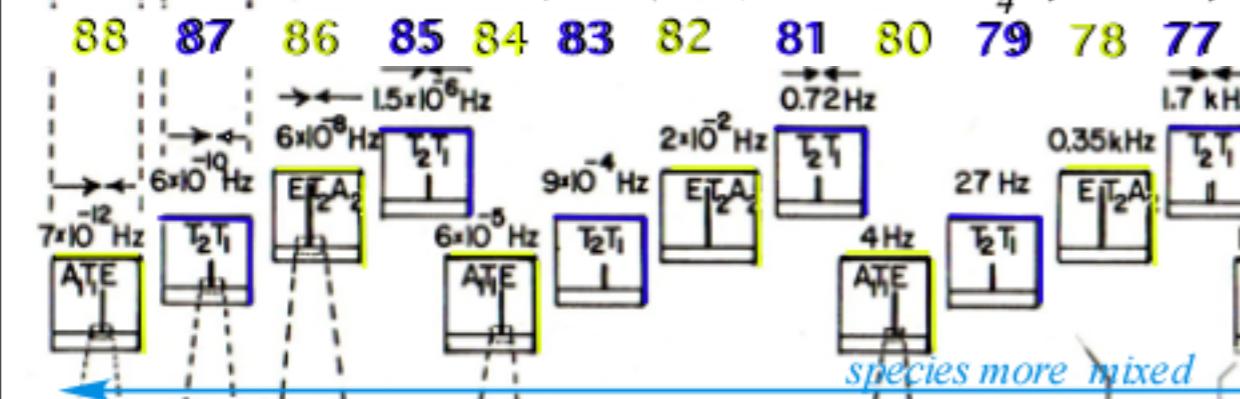
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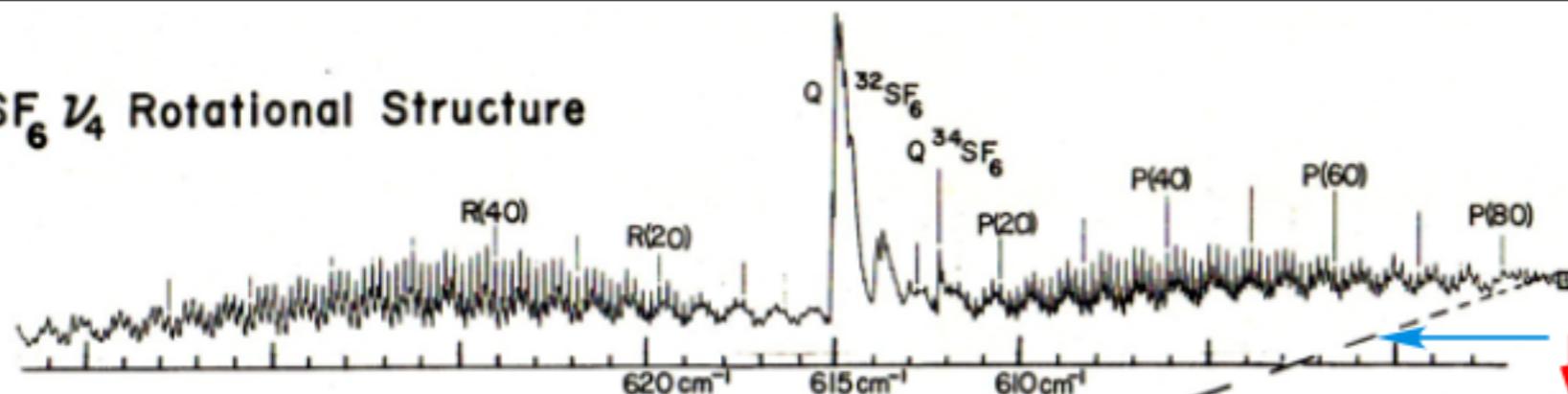


pure  $A_1 \text{ } T_1 \text{ } E \text{ } T_2 \text{ } A_2$  species



Internal 3-fold axial quanta  
label  $C_3$ -CLUSTERS mixed

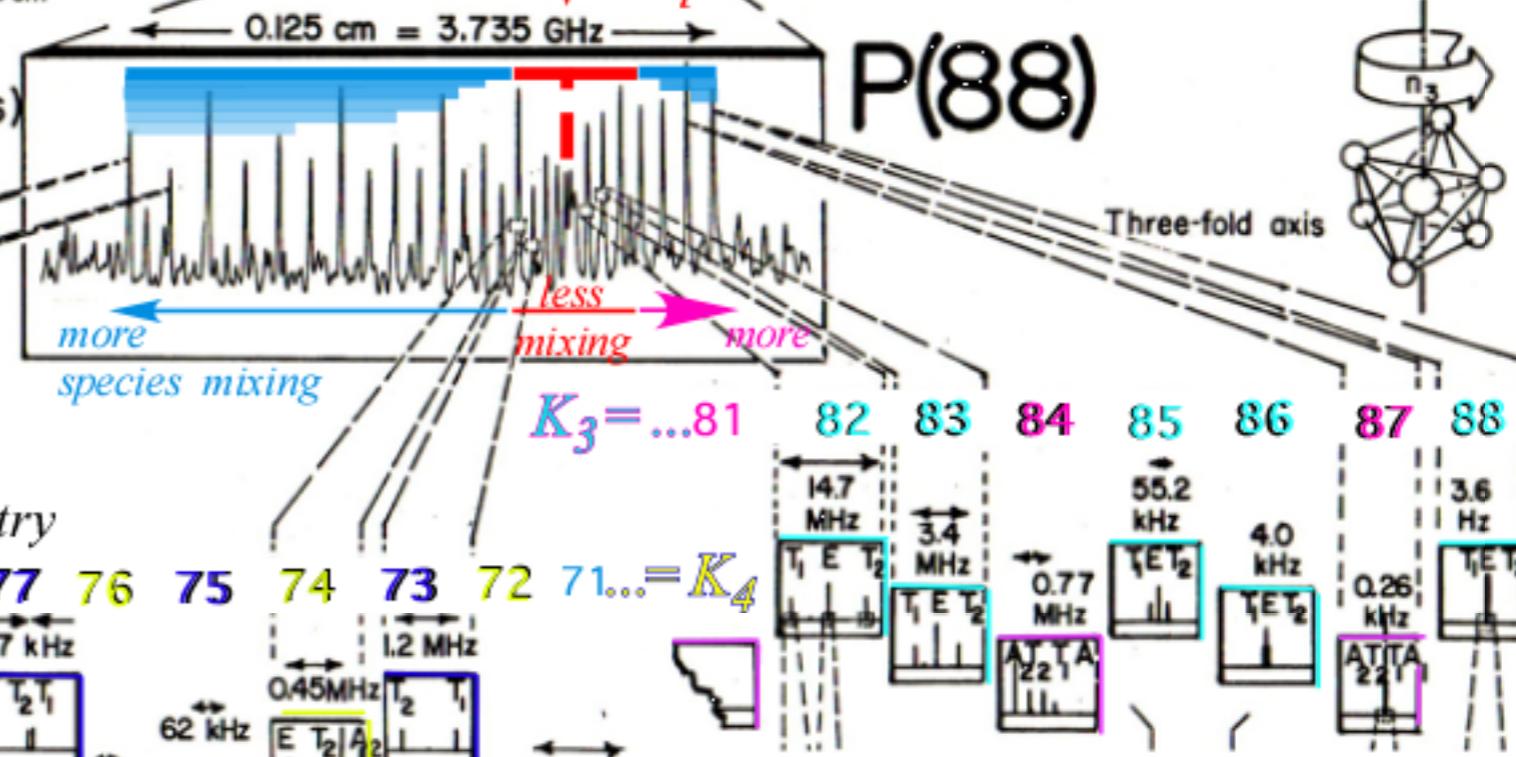
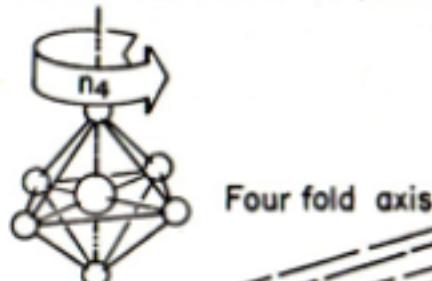
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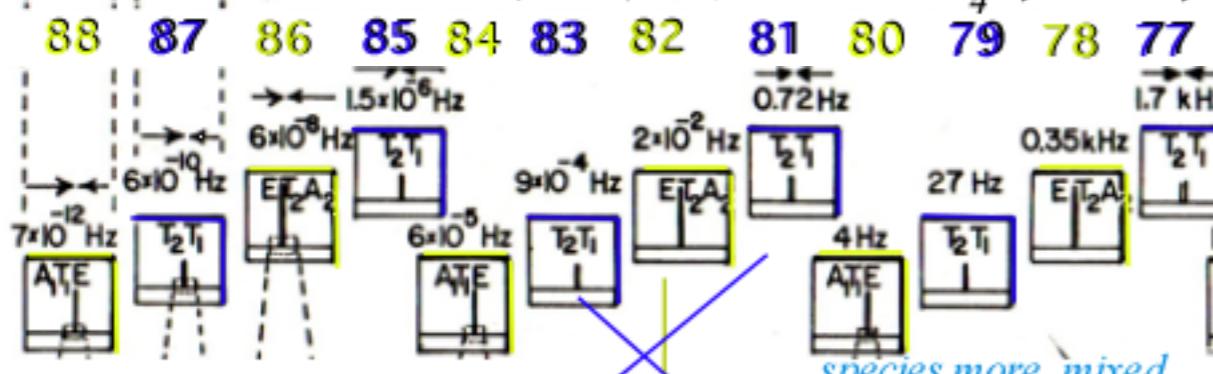
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species more mixed

pure A<sub>1</sub> T<sub>1</sub> E T<sub>2</sub> A<sub>2</sub> species (0)<sub>3</sub> (1)<sub>3</sub> (2)<sub>3</sub> = (-1)<sub>3</sub>

A <sub>1</sub>	1	•	•
A <sub>2</sub>	•	•	1
E	1	•	1
T <sub>1</sub>	1	1	•
T <sub>2</sub>	•	1	1

(2 modulo 3 equals -1 modulo 3 and 86 mod 3)

$$86 = 88 - 1$$

Cubic Octahedral symmetry

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A <sub>1</sub>	1	•	•
A <sub>2</sub>	•	•	1
E	1	•	1
T <sub>1</sub>	1	1	•
T <sub>2</sub>	•	1	1

3 modulo 4 equals -1 modulo 4 (and 83 mod 4)

$$83 = 84 - 1$$

4-fold (100) C<sub>4</sub> symmetry clusters

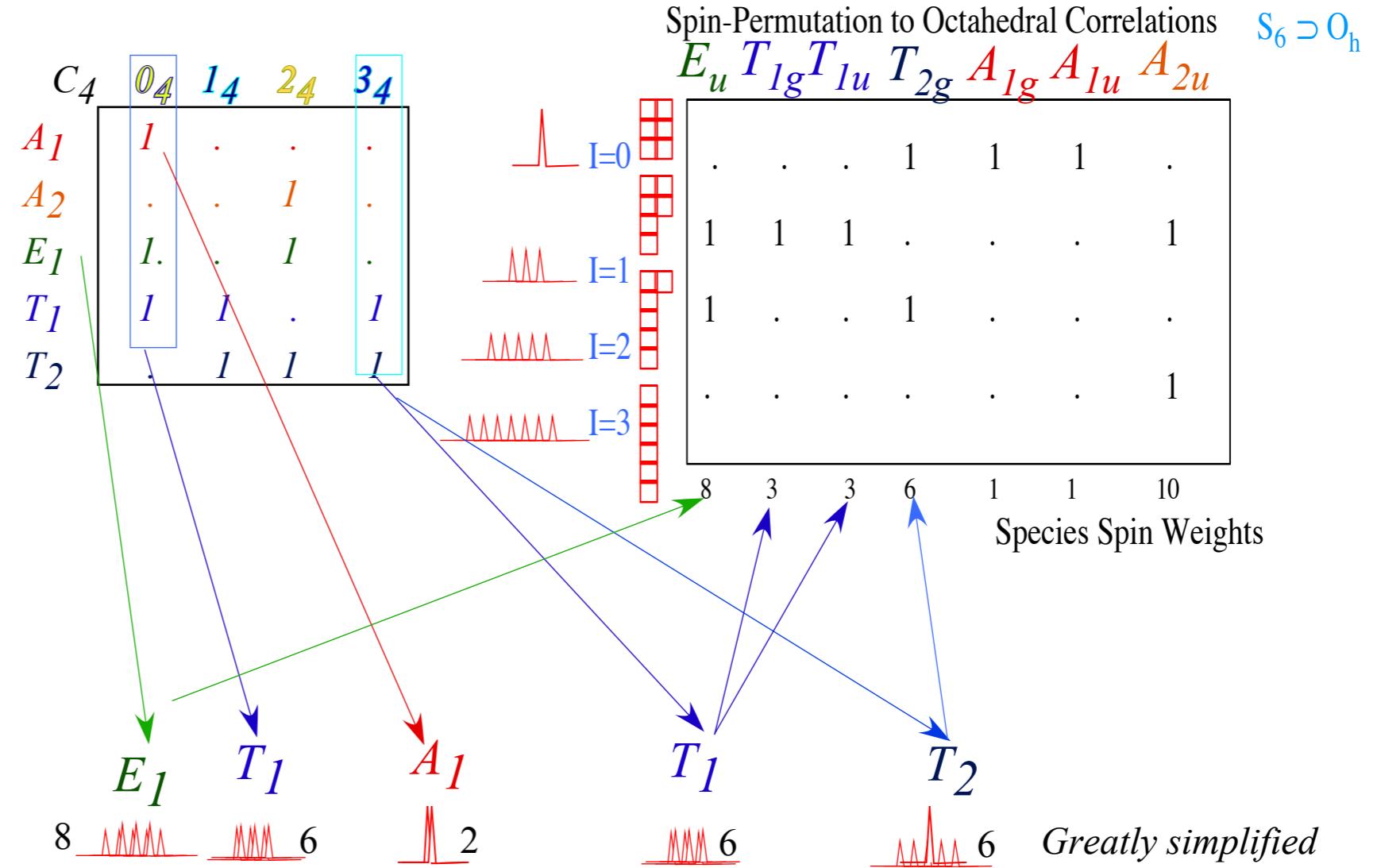
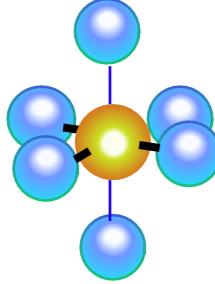
3-fold (111) C<sub>3</sub> symmetry clusters



# Entanglement!

How  $F$ -nuclei become entangled  
total-spin- $I$ -symmetry  $O_h$  species  
in  $SF_6$ .

With rotation  
all six  nuclei are equivalent



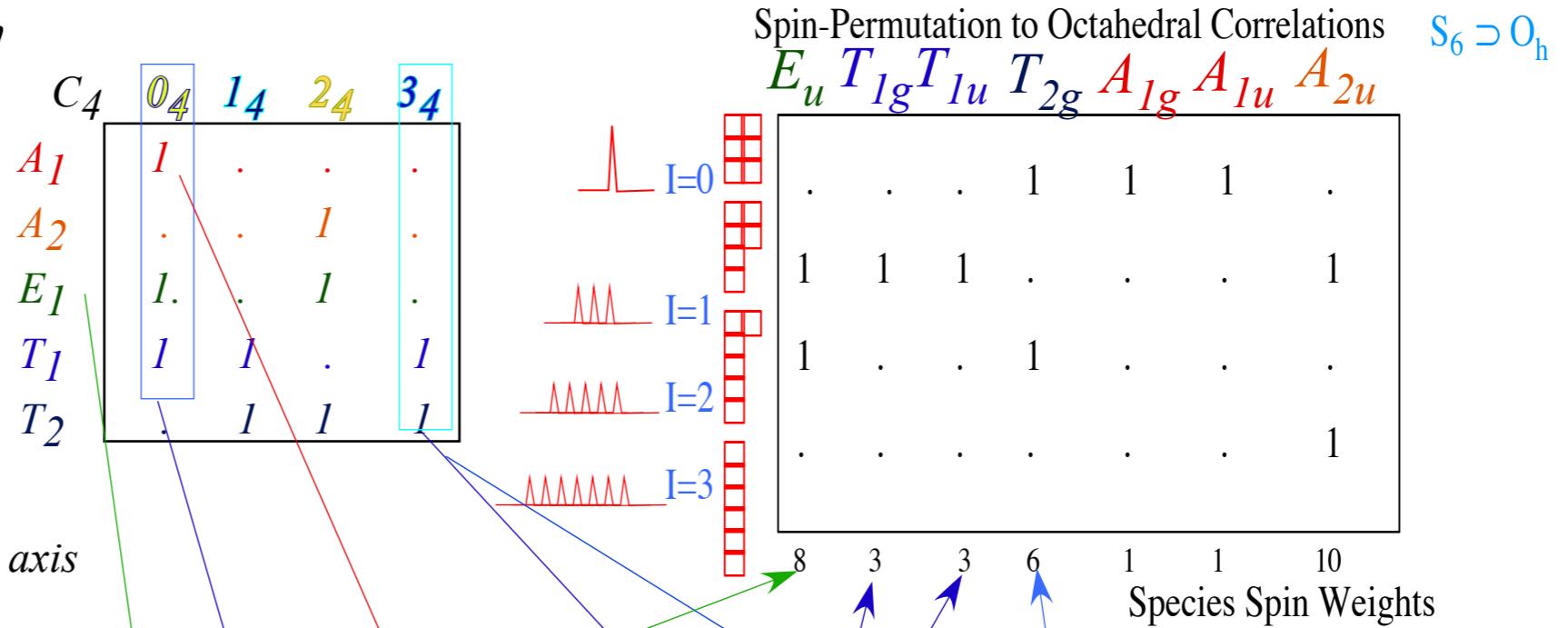
$E_u$  8    $T_{1g}$  6    $A_1$  2

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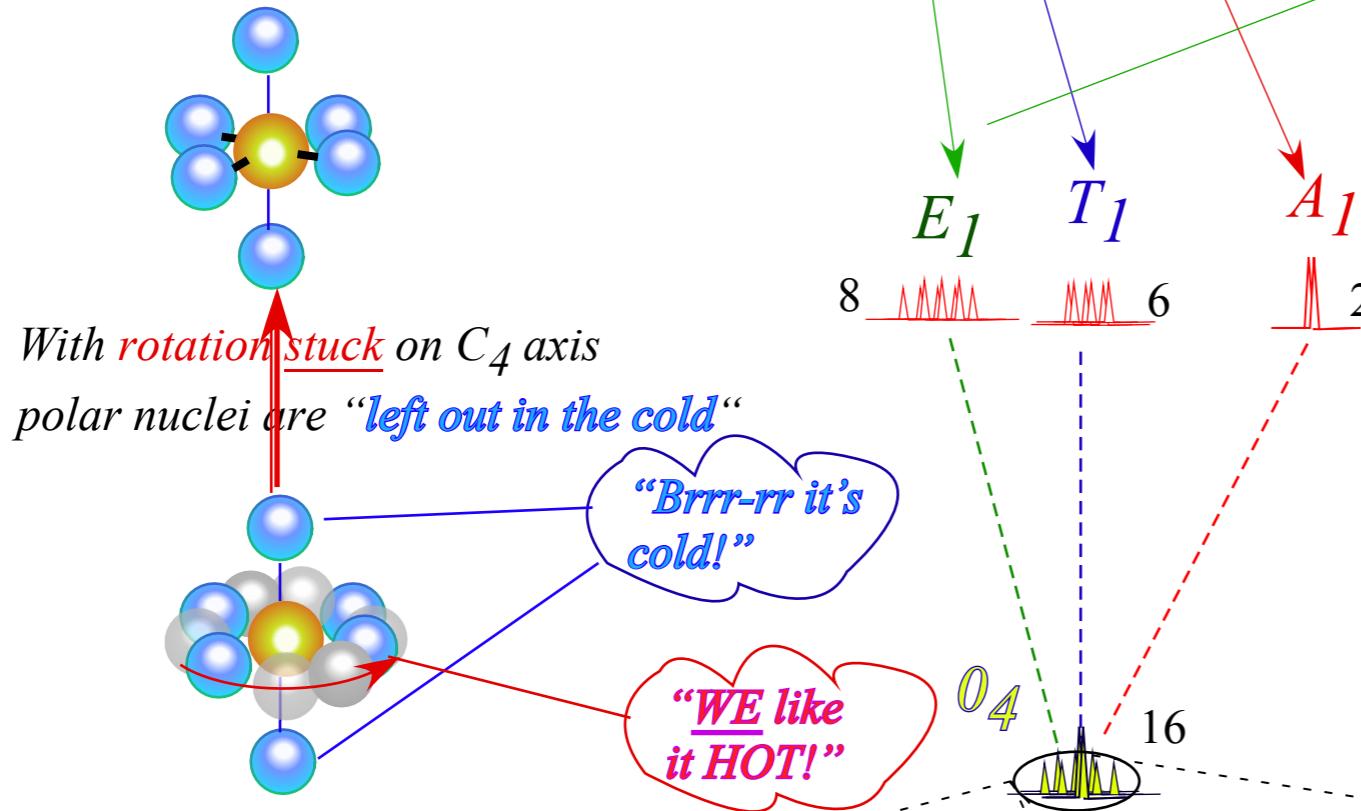
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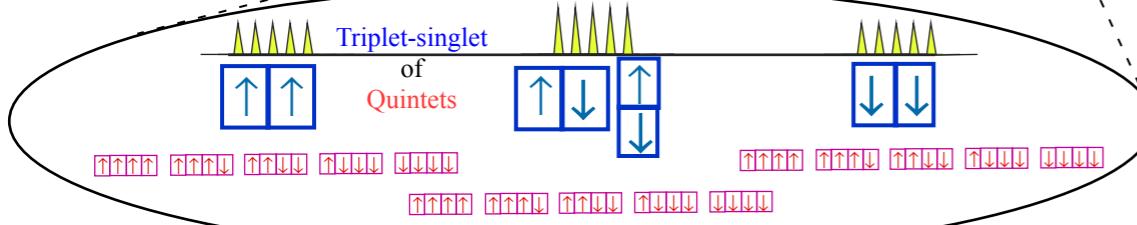
How  $F$ -nuclei become distinguished  
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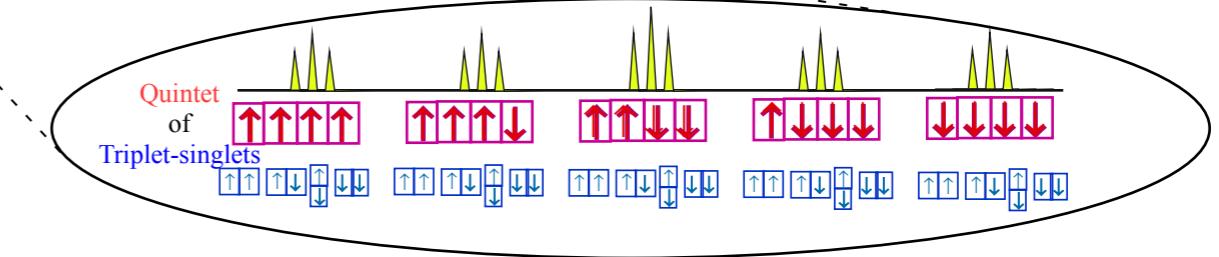
Without rotation being stuck on  $C_4$  axis  
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If **polar nuclei** in greater  $B$ -field than equatorial-nuclei...

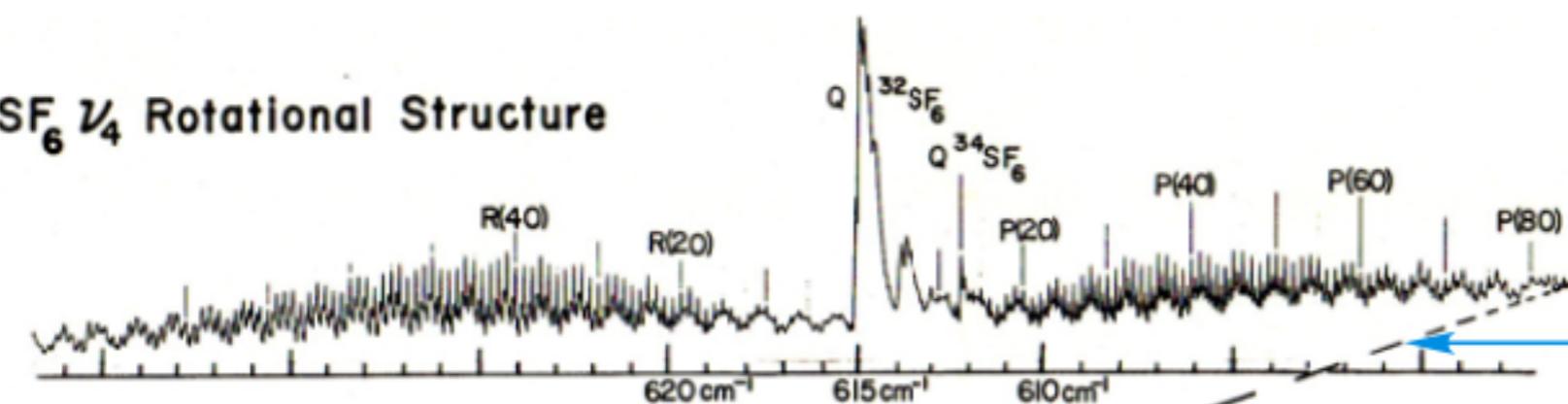


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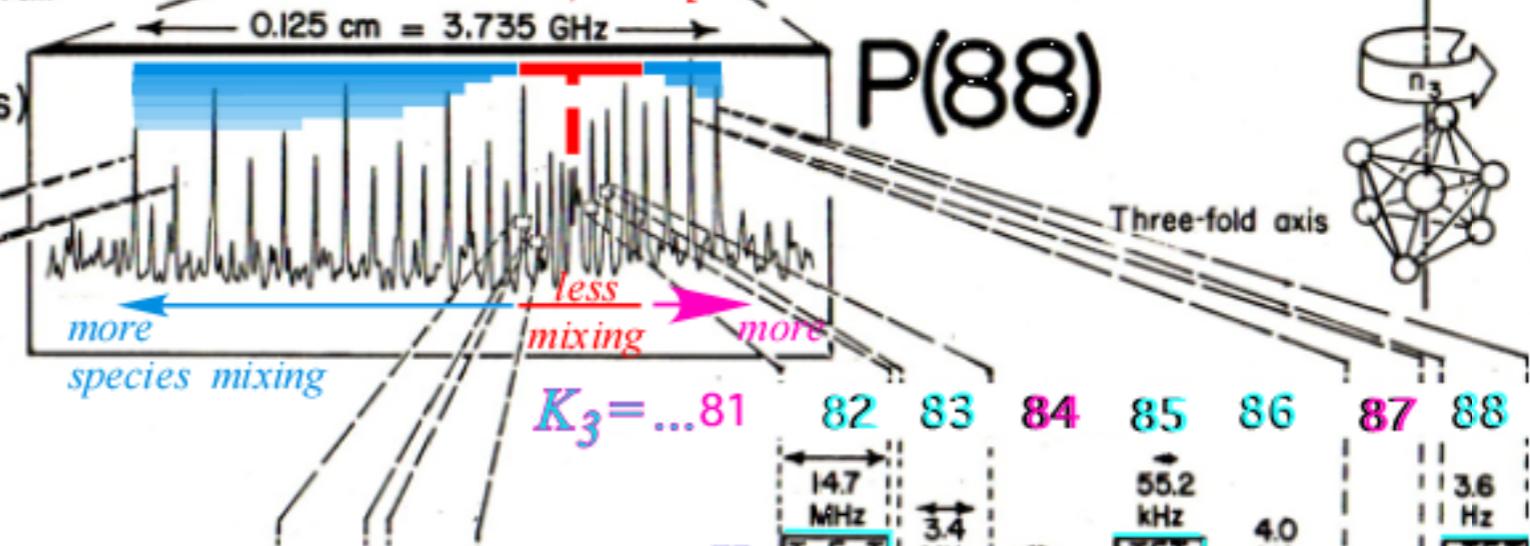
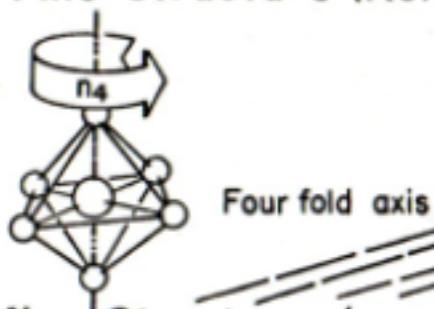
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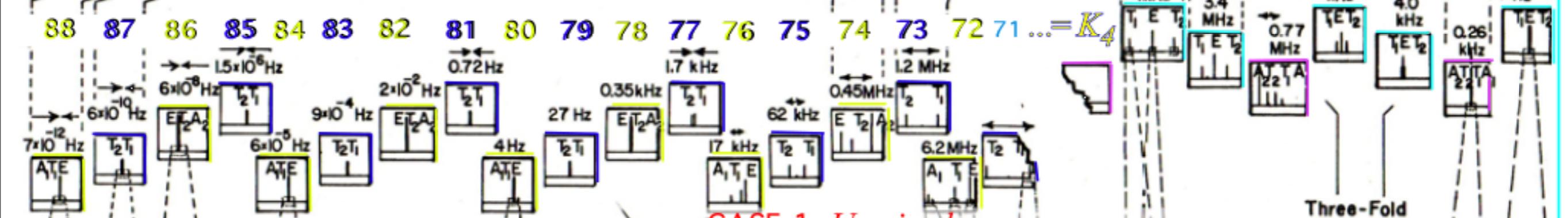
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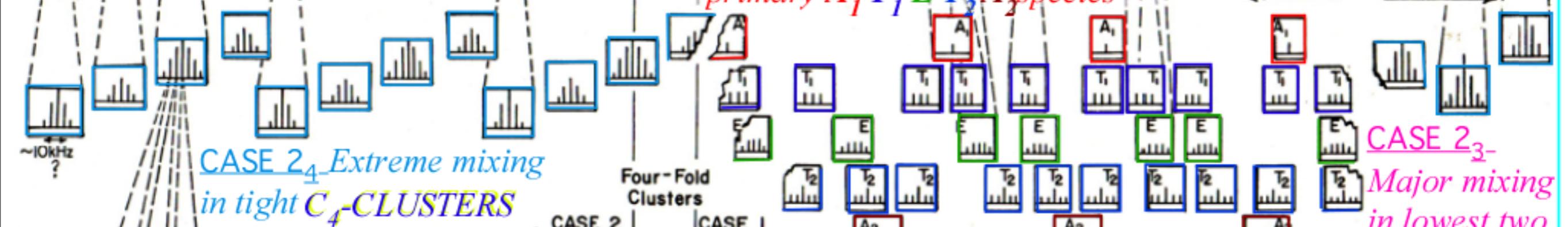
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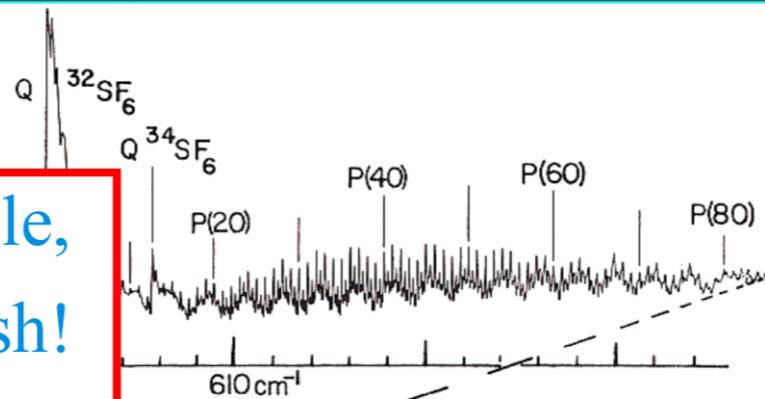
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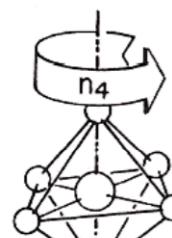
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For a zero-spin  $\text{X}^{16}\text{O}_6$  molecule,  
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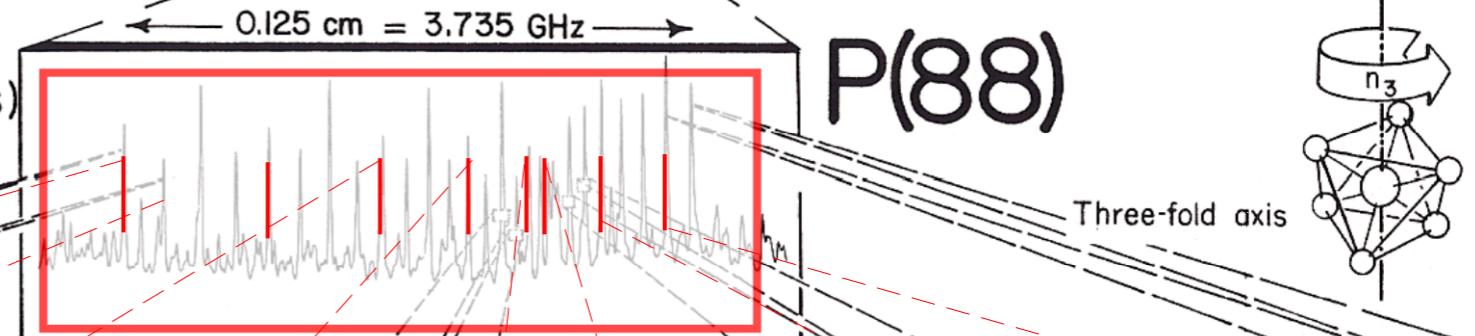


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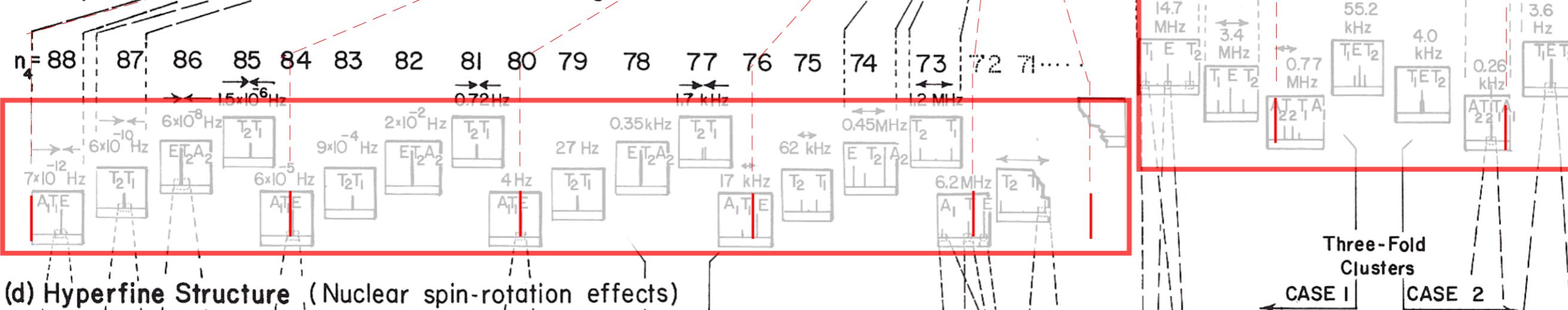


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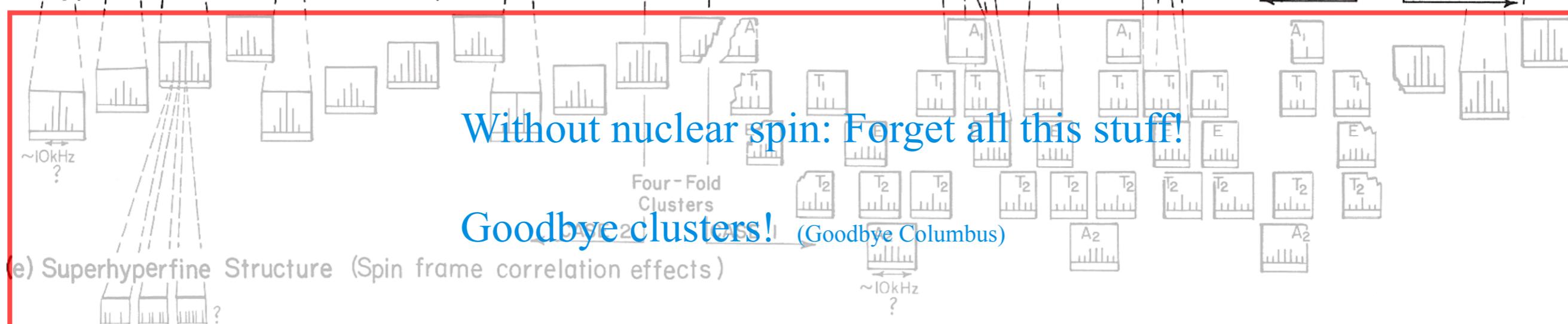


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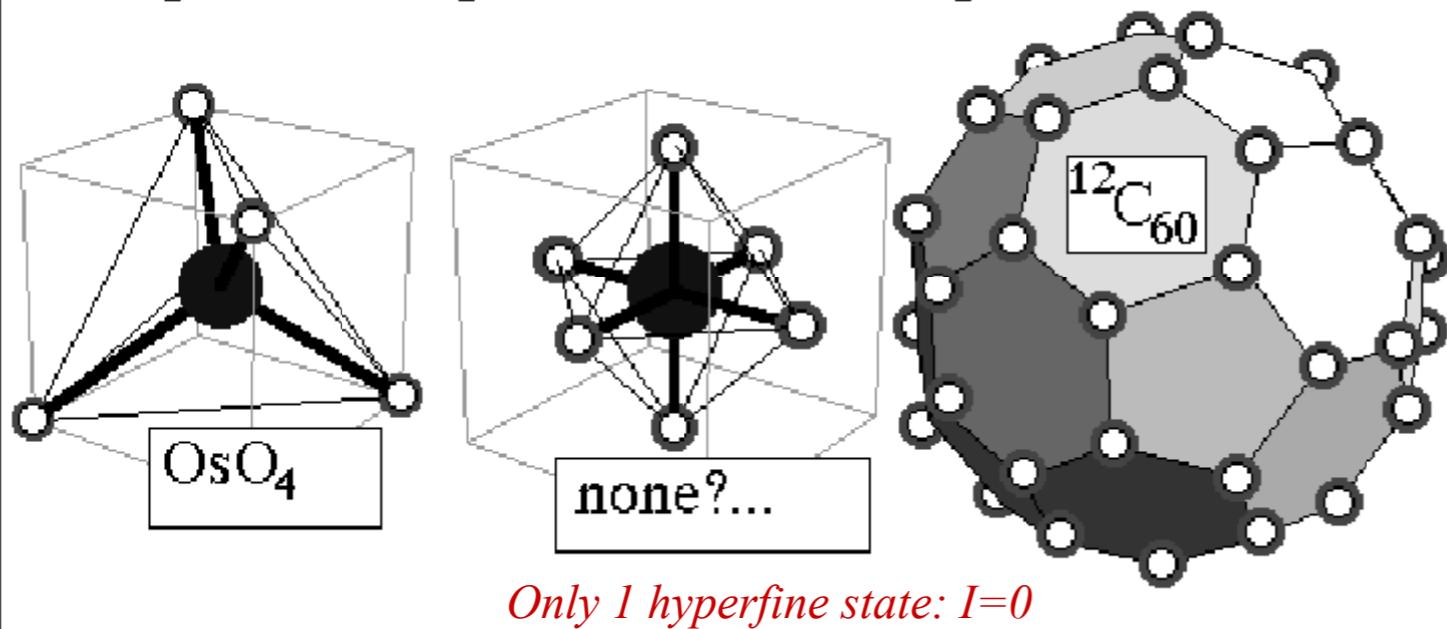
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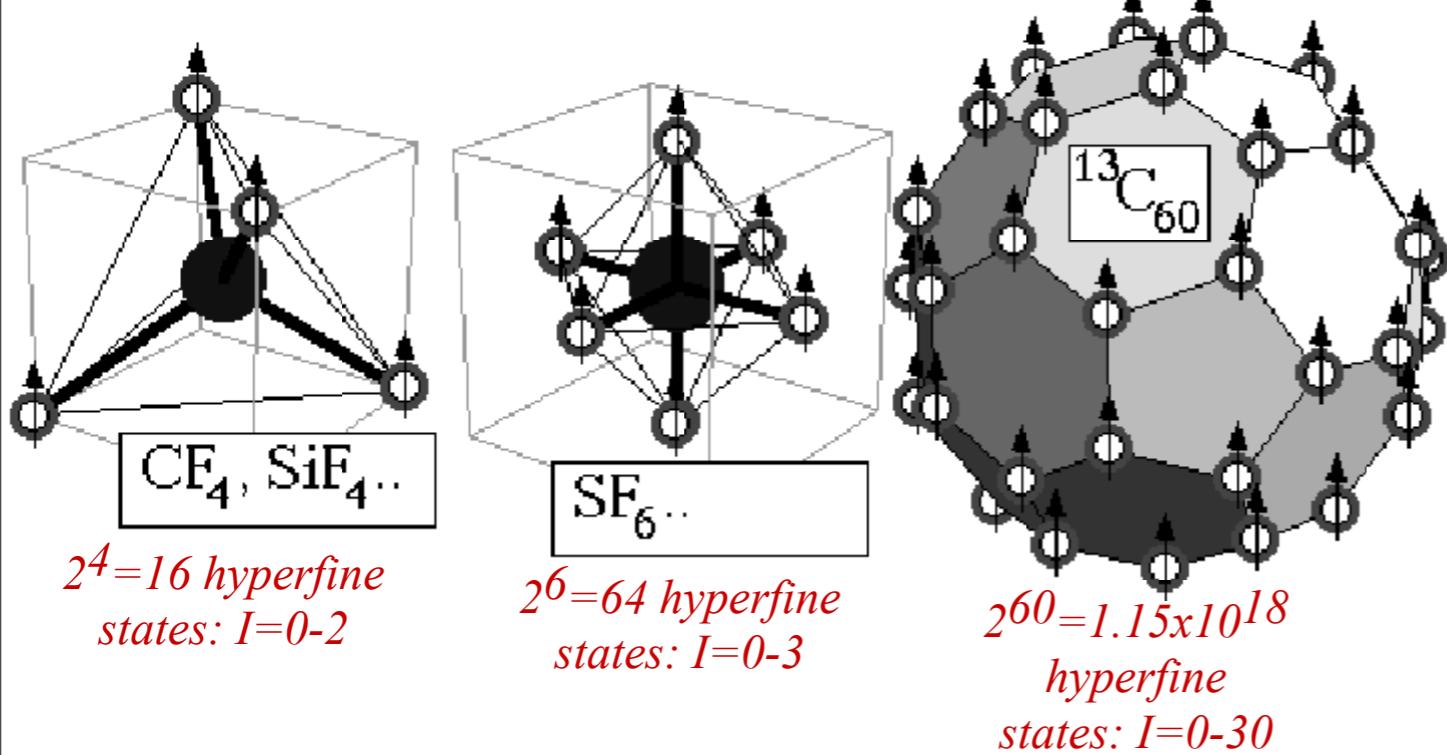
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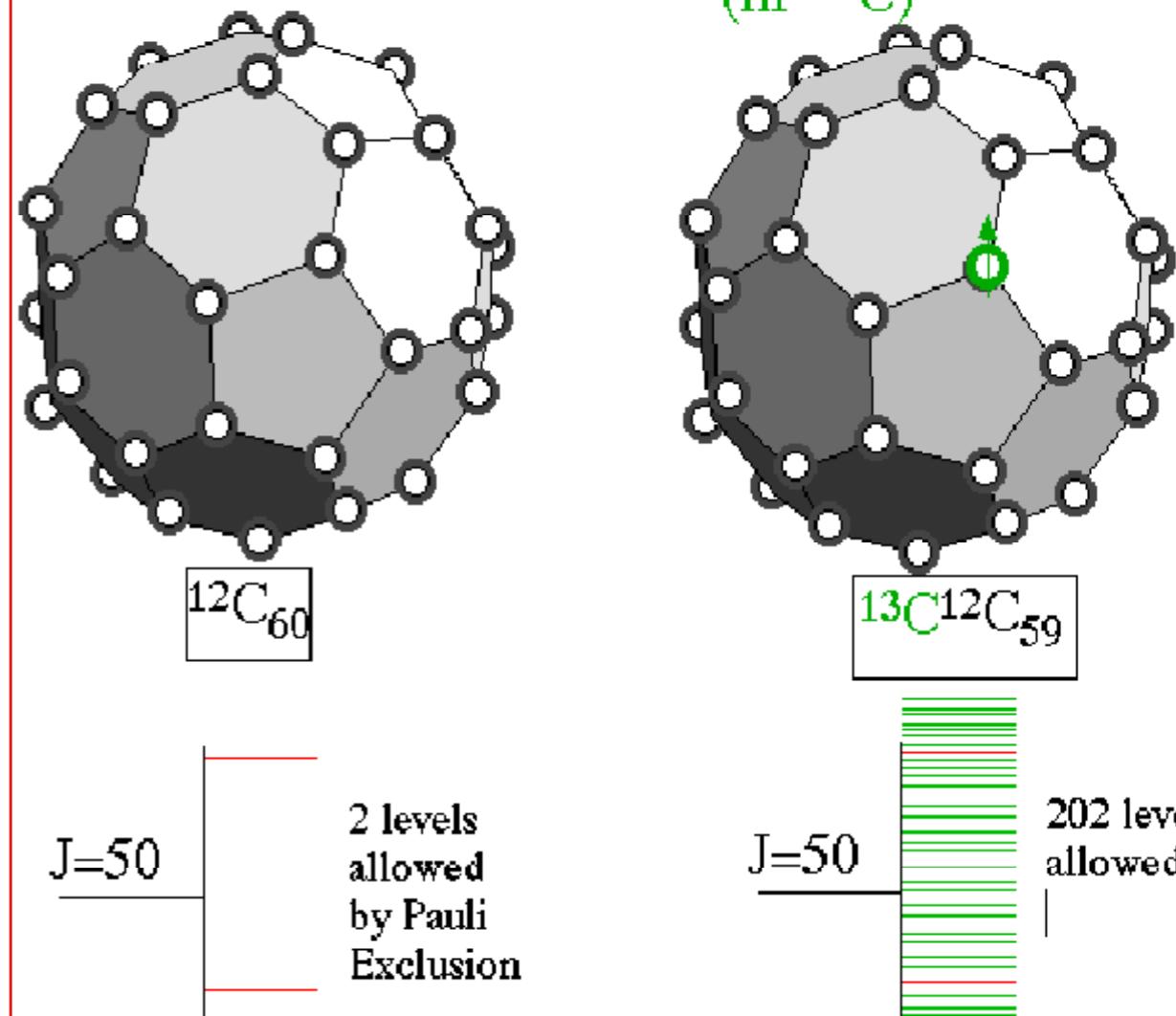
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*Example of extreme symmetry exclusion*

*... (and partial recovery)*

$\text{Y}_h$  Symmetry reduced to  $\text{C}_v$  by a single neutron  
(in  $^{13}\text{C}$ )



*Question: Where did those 200 levels go?*

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# CONSERVATION OF ROVIBRONIC SPECIES - Two Views:

**Old**

(1939, 1945, and 1966)



"...transitions between...species ( $A_1,..E,..T_2,..$ )  
...are **very strictly forbidden**..."

...for diatomic molecules...I p. 150  
...for  $D_2$  asymmetric tops...II p.468  
...for  $D_n$  symmetric tops...II p.415  
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QC  
451  
...during transitions involving...

...rotational states,...III p.246  
...vibrational states,... " "  
... electronic states,... " "  
... collisional states... " "

*versus*

**New (1978- present)**

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## Nuclear Spin Conversion in Molecules

Jon T. Hougen and Takeshi Oka

Molecules with identical nuclei having nonzero spin can exist in different states called nuclear spin modifications by most researchers and nuclear spin isomers by some. Once prepared in a

as initially shown by Bonhoeffer and Harteck in 1929 (3). Once prepared, a *para*-H<sub>2</sub> sample can be preserved for mon-

[review of  $C_2H_4$  study:  
Sun, Takagi, Matsushima,  
Science 310, 1938(2005)]

Strictly *versus* **NOT!**  
*Conservation and*  
*preservation?*

**No Way!** *versus* **WAY!**  
*Conversion, perversion*  
*or transition?*

To *conserve* vs. To *convert*  
To *preserve* vs. To *pervert*

*perversion*  
*Widespread and extreme mixing of species*  
*reported in  $CF_4$ ,  $SiF_4$  and  $SF_6$ :*

*Ch. Borde, Phys. Rev. A20, 254(1978)(expt.)*  
*Harter, Phys. Rev. A24, 192 (1981)(theory)*

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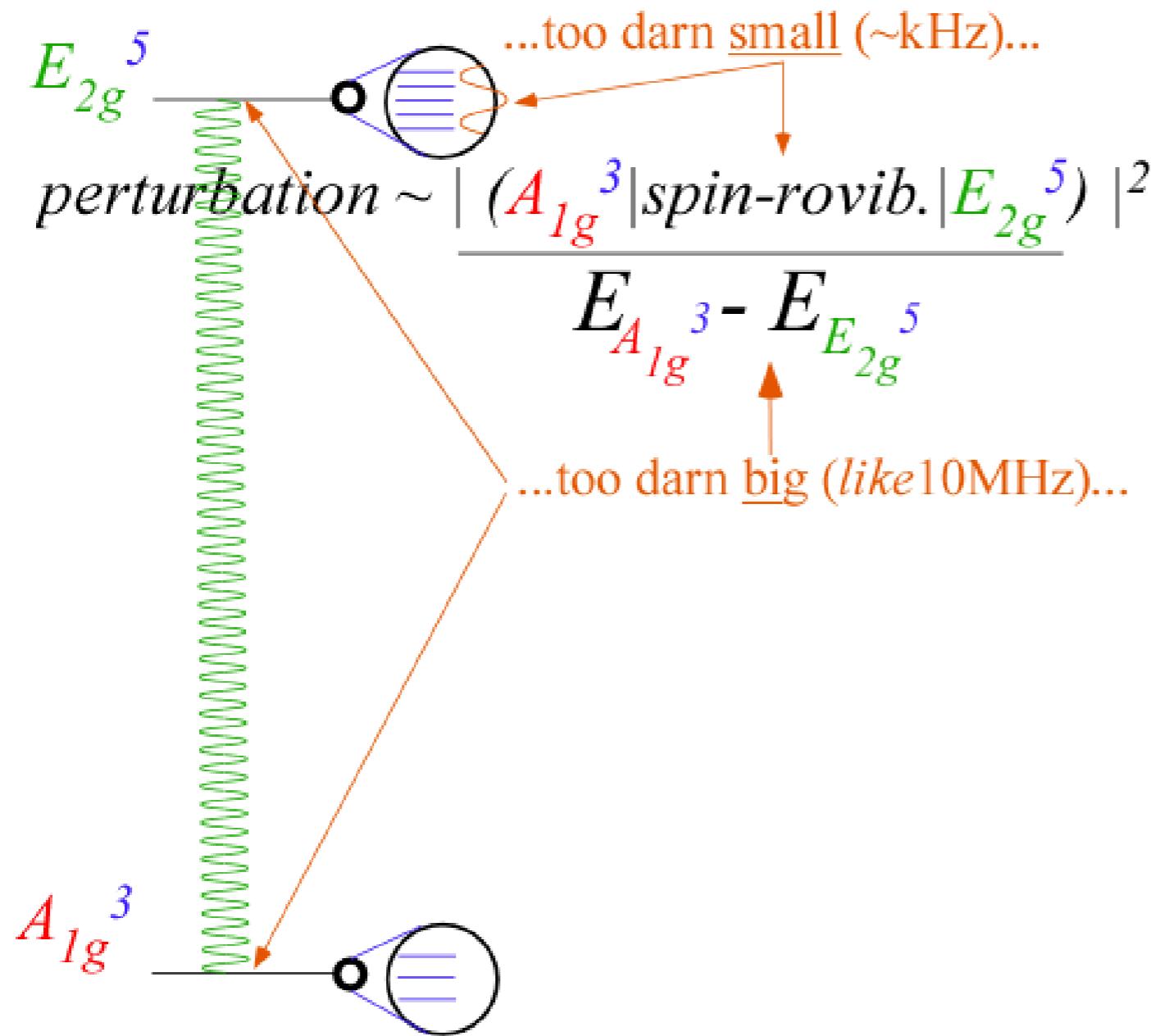
$A_{2u}^1$

*What preserves it? versus What messes it up?*

**No Way!**

*...because nuclear moments...*

*...are so very slight..."*

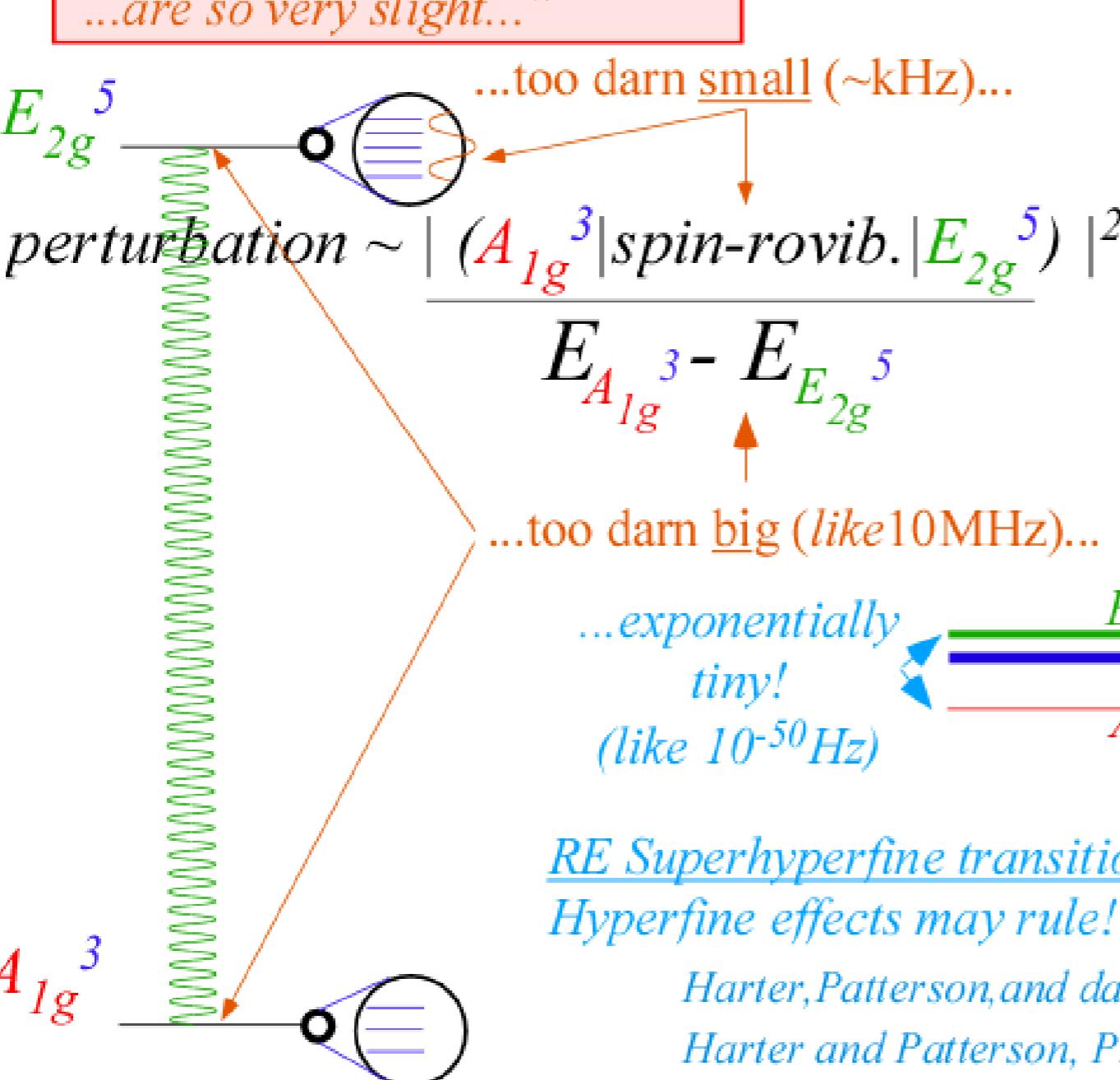


# or perverted? HOW CONSERVED<sup>▲</sup> IS ROVIBRONIC-SPIN SYMMETRY?

$A_{2u}^1$

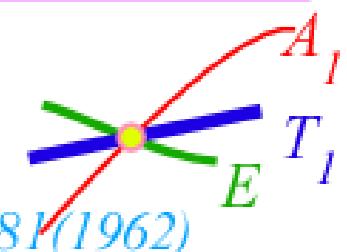
*What preserves it? versus What mixes it up?*

**No Way!**



**WAY!**

...because levels of different species are forced together by angular wave localization or “level-clustering” or (rarely) by “accidental” degeneracy.



“Accidental” degeneracy

Lea, Leask & Wolf JPCS Vol. 23, 1381 (1962)

Level-clustering

Dorney and Watson JMS 42, 135 (1972)

Harter and Patterson PRL 38, 224 (1977)

JCP 66, 4872 (1977)

RE Surface precession vs. tunneling

Harter and Patterson JMP 20, 1453 (1979)

JCP 80, 4241 (1984)

RE Superhyperfine transitions

Hyperfine effects may rule!  $A_1 T_1 E T_2 A_2$  get seriously mixed up.

Harter, Patterson, and daPaixao, Rev. Mod. Phys. 50, 37 (1978)

Harter and Patterson, Phys. Rev. A 19, 2277 (1979) ( $\text{CF}_4$ )

Harter, Phys. Rev. A 24, 192-262 (1981)

( $\text{SF}_6$ )

*Details of  $P(88) v_4$   $SF_6$  and  $P(88) v_4$   $CF_4$  spectral structure and implications*

*Outline of rovibronic Hamiltonian theory*

*Coriolis scalar interaction*

*Rovibronic nomograms and PQR structure*

*Rovibronic energy surfaces (RES) and cone geometry*

*Spin symmetry correlation, tunneling, and entanglement*

*Hyperfine vs. superfine structure (Case 1. vs Case 2.)*

*Spin-0 nuclei give Bose Exclusion*

*The spin-symmetry species mixing problem*

→ *Analogy between PE surface dynamics and RES*

*Rotational Energy Eigenvalue Surfaces (REES)*

# *Graphical approach to rotation-vibration-spin Hamiltonian*

$$\langle H \rangle \sim v_{\text{vib}} + BJ(J+1) + \langle H^{\text{Scalar Coriolis}} \rangle + \langle H^{\text{Tensor Centrifugal}} \rangle + \langle H^{\text{Nuclear Spin}} \rangle + \langle H^{\text{Tensor Coriolis}} \rangle + \dots$$

## OUTLINE

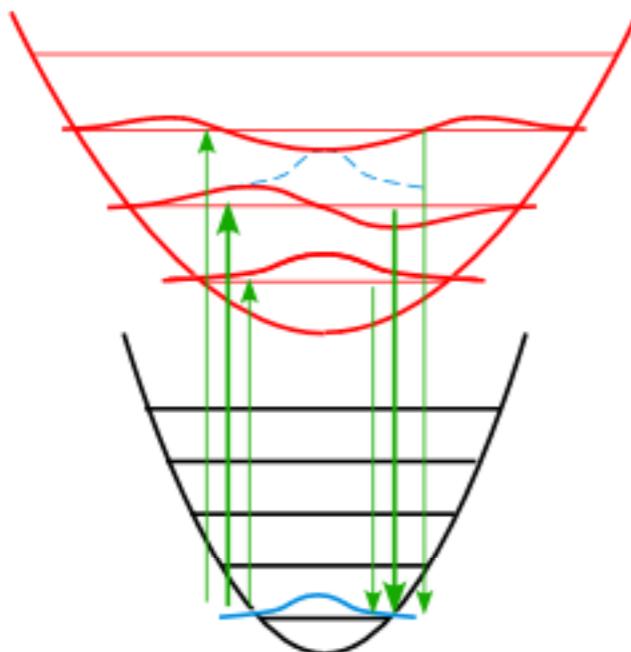
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| <p><i>Introductory review</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Rovibronic nomograms and PQR structure</i></li><li>• <i>Rotational Energy Surfaces (RES) and <math>\theta_K^J</math>-cones</i></li><li>• <i>Spin symmetry correlation tunneling and entanglement</i></li></ul> <p><i>Recent developments</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Analogy between PE surface and RES dynamics</i></li><li>• <i>Rotational Energy Eigenvalue Surfaces (REES)</i></li></ul> | <p><u>Example(s)</u></p> <p><math>v_3</math> and <math>v_4</math> SF<sub>6</sub></p> <p><math>v_4</math> P(88) SF<sub>6</sub></p> <p>SF<sub>6</sub></p> |
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## Potential Energy Surface (PES) Dynamics

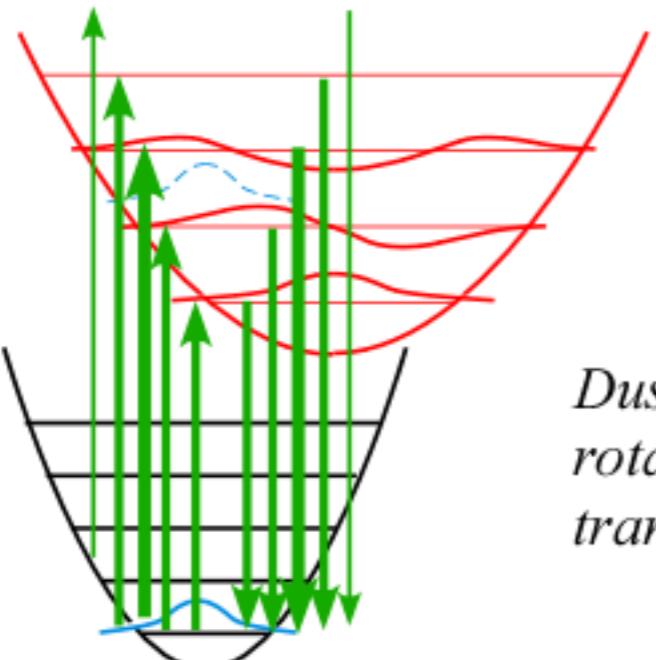
### Inter-PES electronic transitions

*Vibrational Franck-Condon effects*

- Frequency mismatch of PES



- Shape or position mismatch of PES



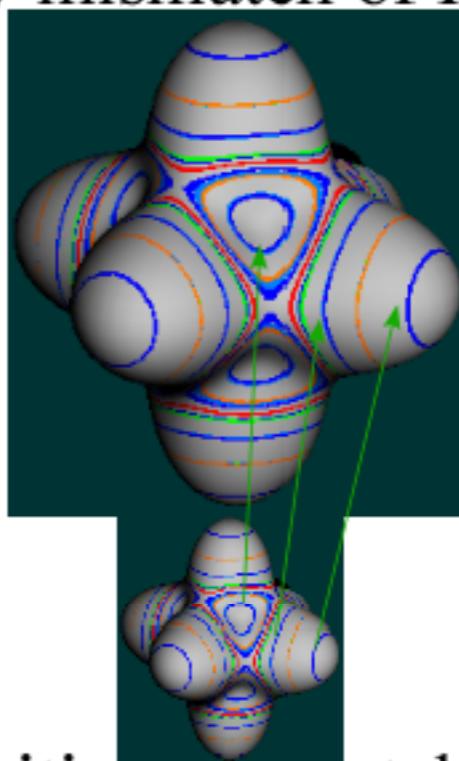
*Duschinsky  
rotation or  
translation*

## Rotation Energy Surface (RES) Dynamics

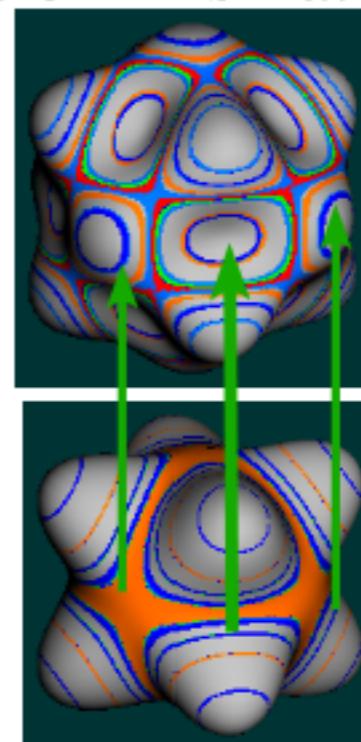
### Inter-PES electronic transitions

*Rotational “Franck-Condon” effects*

- Frequency mismatch of RES



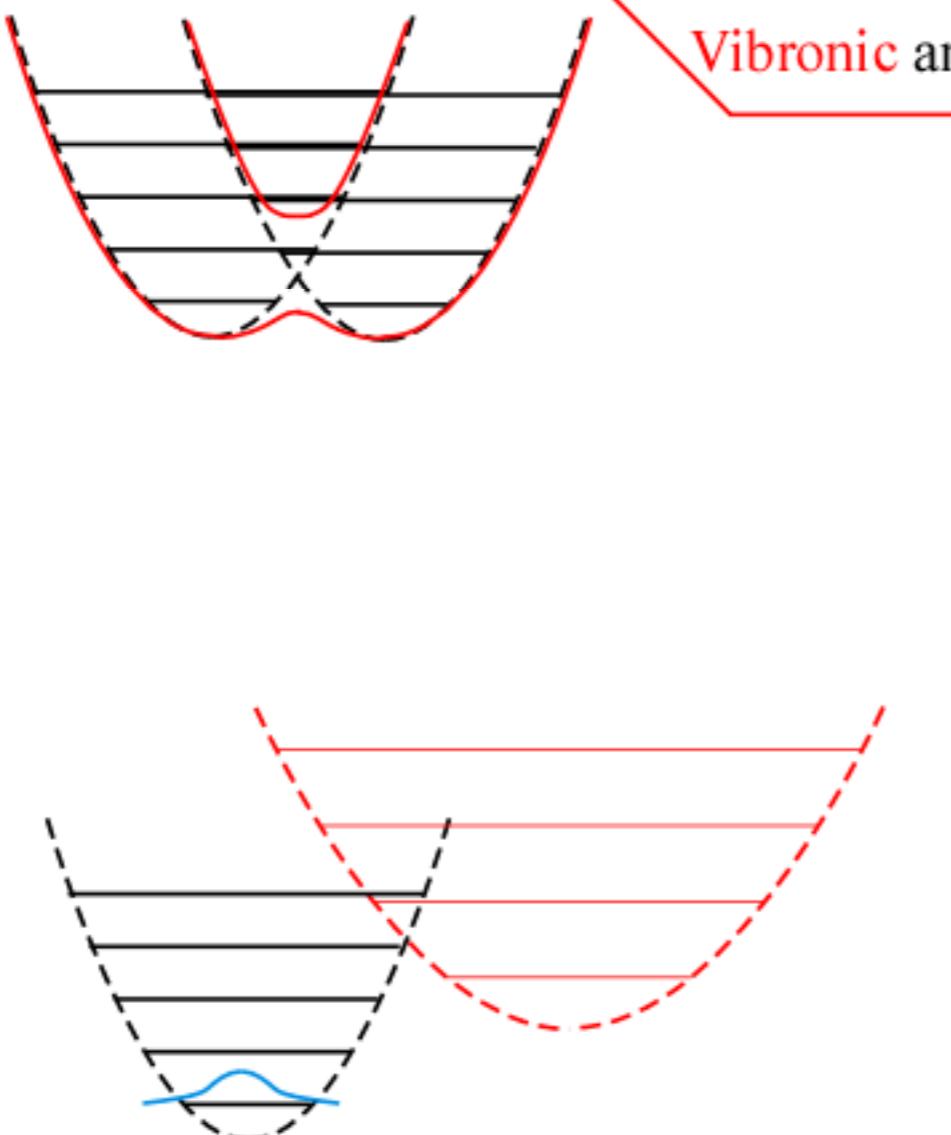
- Shape or position mismatch of RES



## Non-Born-Oppenheimer Surfaces Strong vibration-electronic mixing

*Jahn-Teller-Renner effects*

- Multiple and variable conformer minima

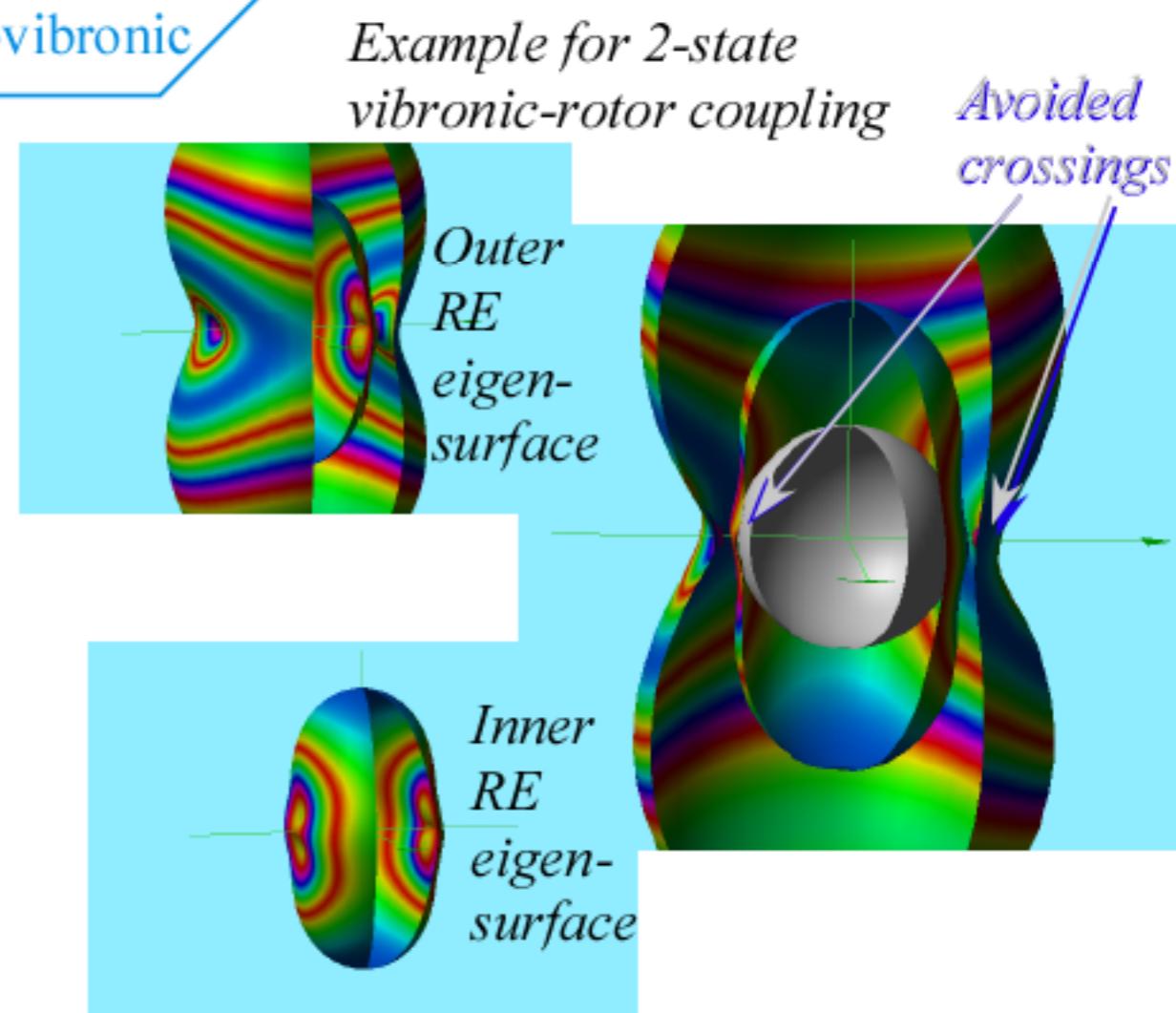


Analogy  
between  
Vibronic and Rovibronic

## Rotation Energy Eigen-Surfaces (REES) Inter-PES electronic transitions

*Rotational JTR effects*

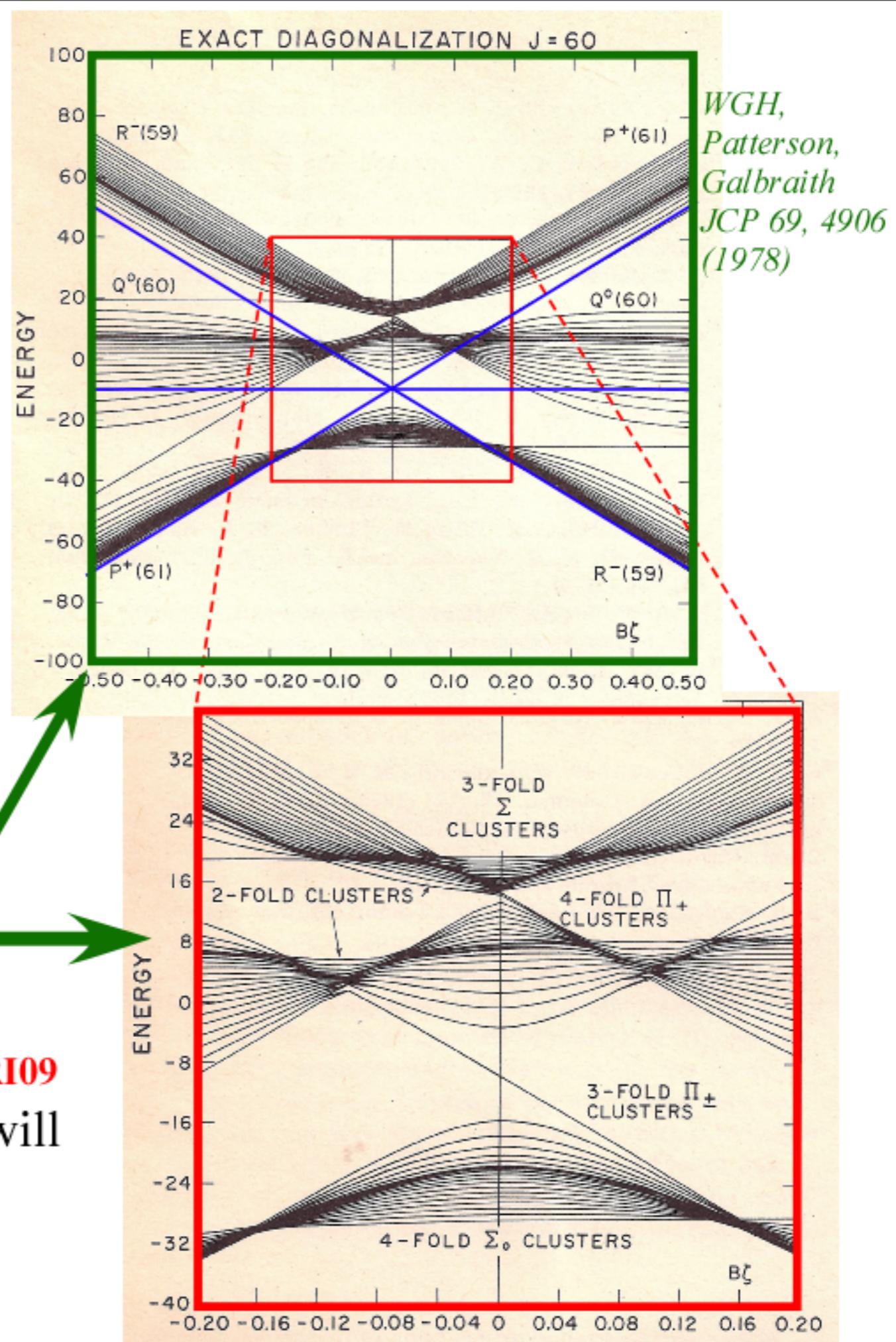
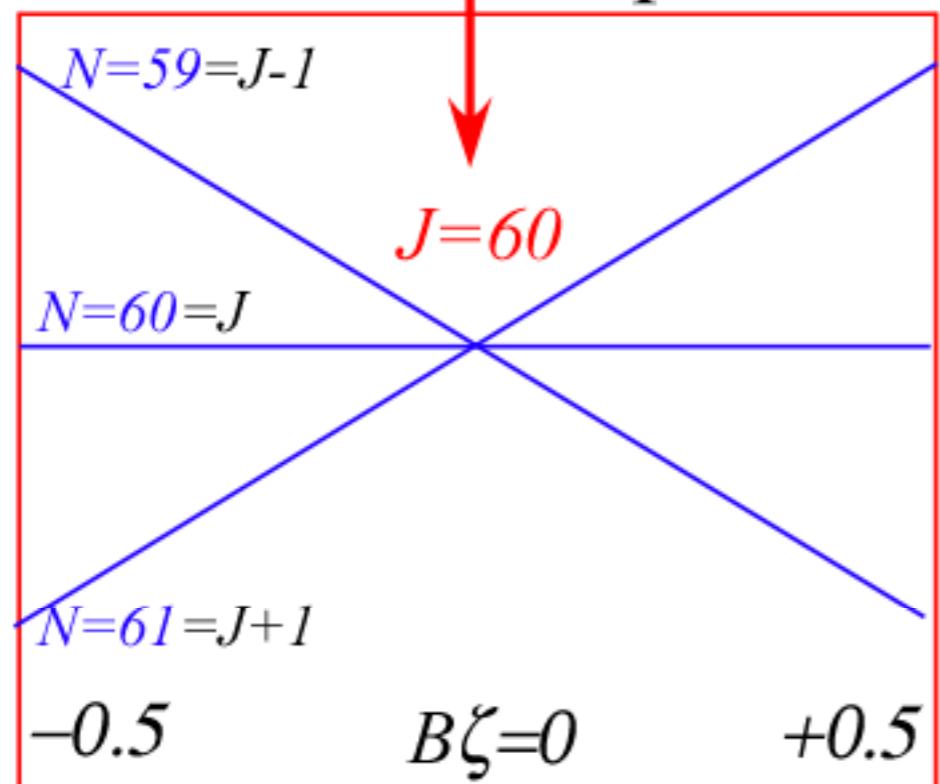
- Multiple and variable J-axes



Recall scalar Coriolis

$PQR$  plots vs.  $B\zeta$

Here is a  $J=60$  piece of it:



Now consider this plot  
with *tensor* Coriolis, too.

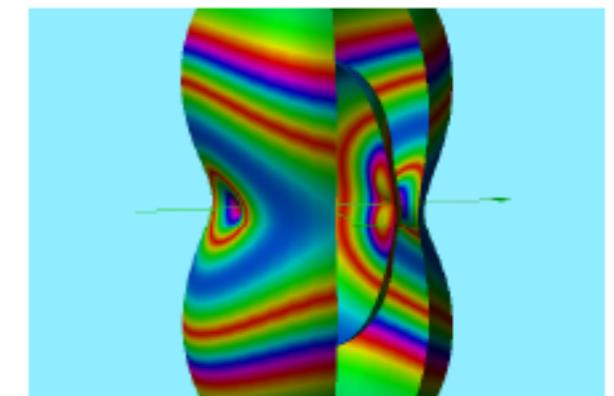
(Just 4<sup>th</sup>-rank  $[2 \times 2]^4$  tensor here.)

See next talk **RJ06** and a 4PM talk **RI09**  
by **Mitchell et. al.** and **Boudon et. al.** who will  
pull much higher rank!)

How to display such monstrous avoided cluster crossings:  
REES: *Rotational Energy Eigenvalue Surfaces*

Vibration (or vibronic) momentum  $\ell$  retains its quantum representation(s).

For  $\ell=1$  that is the usual 3-by-3 matrices.



Rotational momentum  $J$  is treated semi-classically.  $|J|=\sqrt{J(J+1)}$   
Usually  $\mathbf{J}$  is written in Euler coordinates:  $J_x=|J|\cos\gamma\sin\beta$ , etc.

Plot resulting H-matrix eigenvalues vs. classical variables.  
( $\ell=1$ ) 3-by-3 H-matrix e-values are polar plotted vs. azimuth  $\gamma$  and polar  $\beta$ .

## Body- $\Sigma\Pi\pm$ -Basis

	$ \Pi+>$	$ \Sigma+>$	$ \Pi->$
$\langle H \rangle = (v_3 + B J ^2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + 2B\zeta J  \begin{pmatrix} \cos\beta & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{-i\gamma}\sin\beta & 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{i\gamma}\sin\beta & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{-i\gamma}\sin\beta \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{i\gamma}\sin\beta & -\cos\beta \end{pmatrix}$			
$+ 2t_{224} J ^2 \begin{pmatrix} 3\cos^2\beta-1 & -\sqrt{8}e^{-i\gamma}\sin\beta\cos\beta & \sin^2\beta(6\cos 2\gamma+i4\sin 2\gamma) \\ -\sqrt{8}e^{i\gamma}\sin\beta\cos\beta & 0 & -6\cos^2\beta+2 \\ \sin^2\beta(6\cos 2\gamma-i4\sin 2\gamma) & \sqrt{8}e^{i\gamma}\sin\beta\cos\beta & 3\cos^2\beta-1 \end{pmatrix}$			

## Lab-PQR-Basis

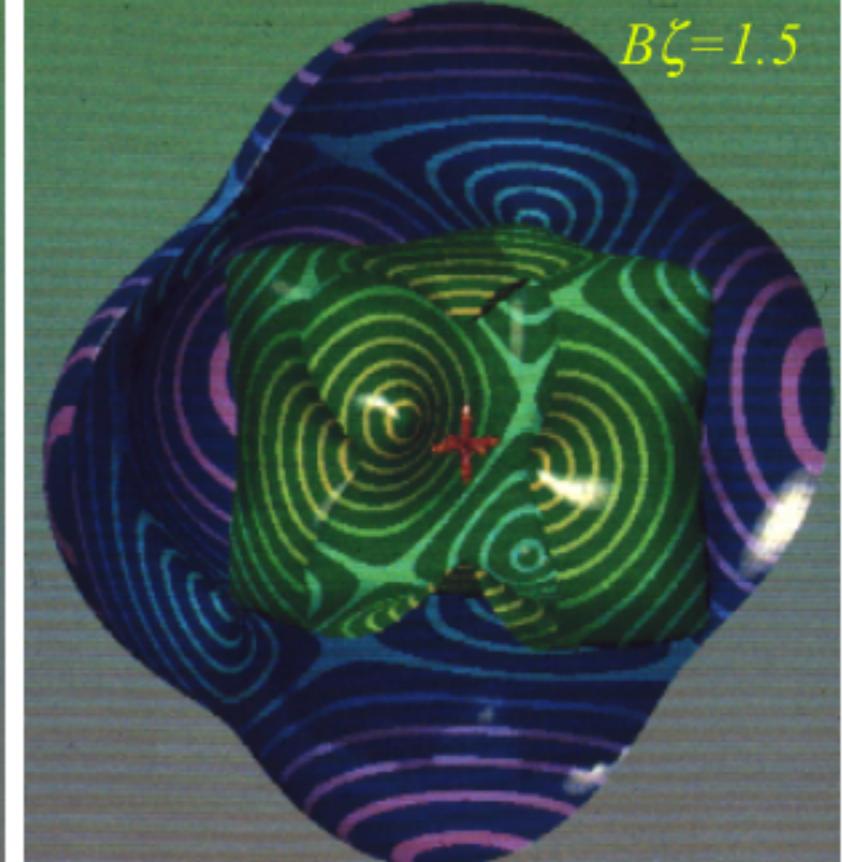
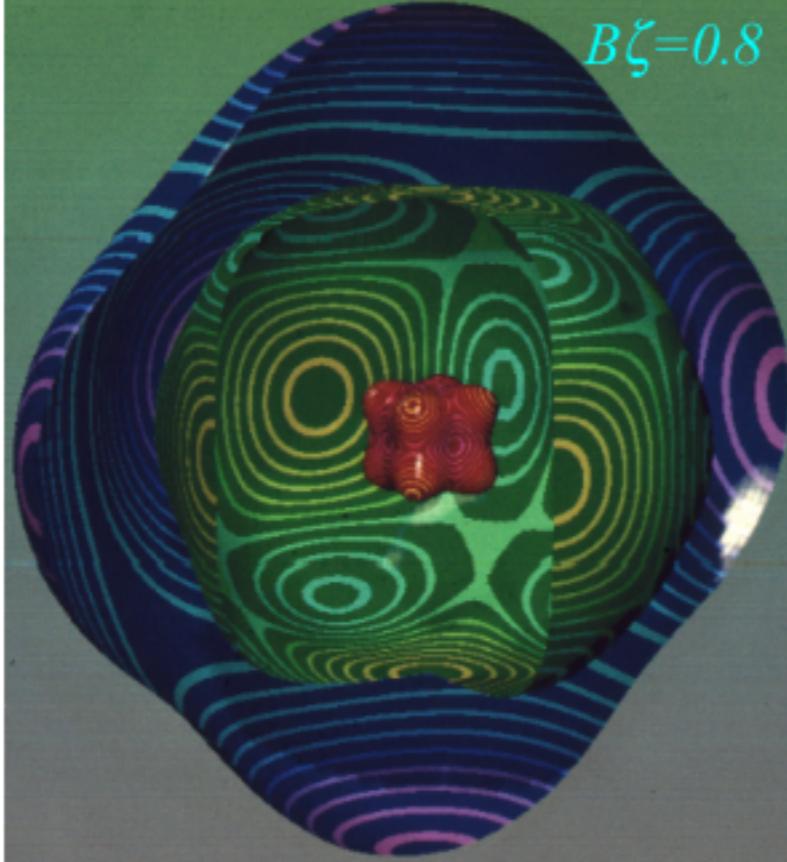
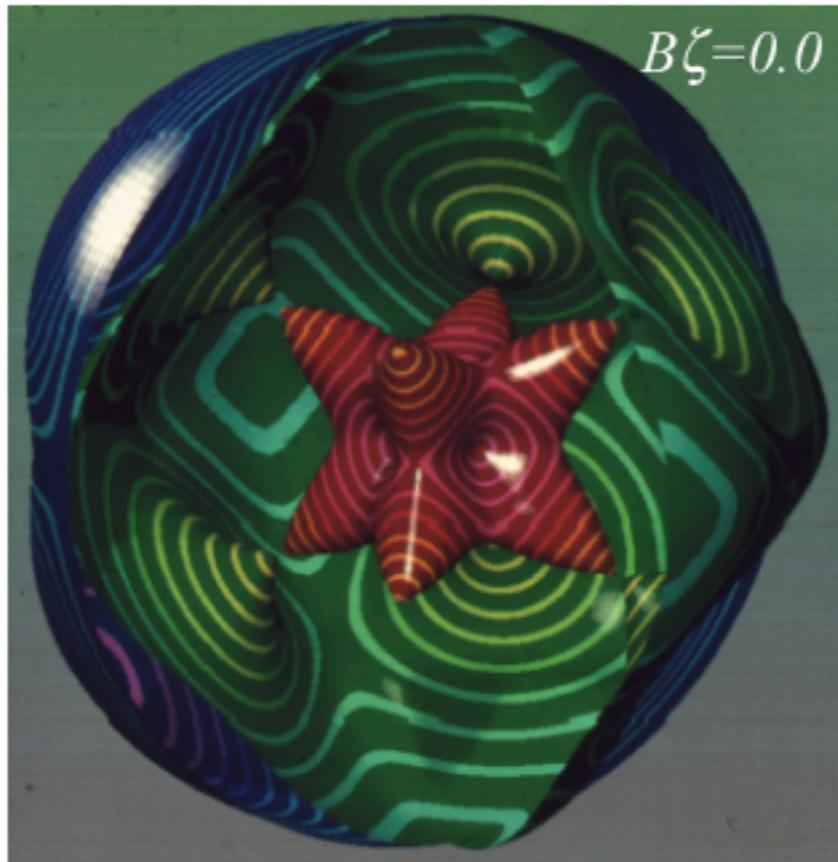
	$ P> Q> R>$
$\langle H \rangle = (v_3 + B J ^2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + 2B\zeta J  \begin{pmatrix} +1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$	
$+ 2t_{224} J ^2 \begin{pmatrix} H_{PP} & H_{PQ} & H_{PR} \\ H_{PQ}^* & H_{QQ} & H_{QR} \\ H_{RP}^* & H_{QR}^* & H_{RR} \end{pmatrix}$	

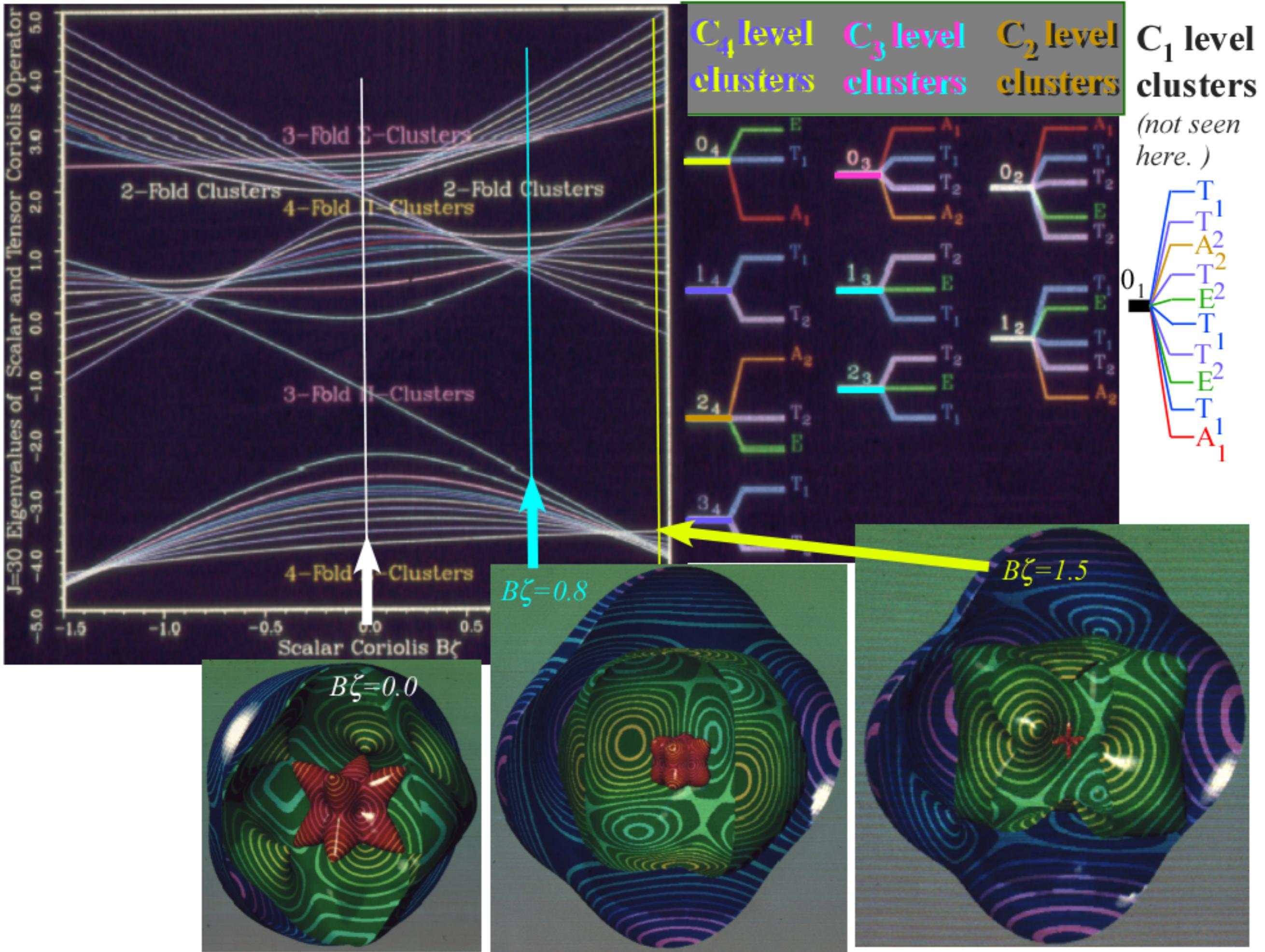
(Either basis should give same REES)

$$H_{PP} = (35\cos^4\beta - 30\cos^2\beta + 5\sin^2\beta\sin 4\gamma + 5)/4 = H_{RR}$$

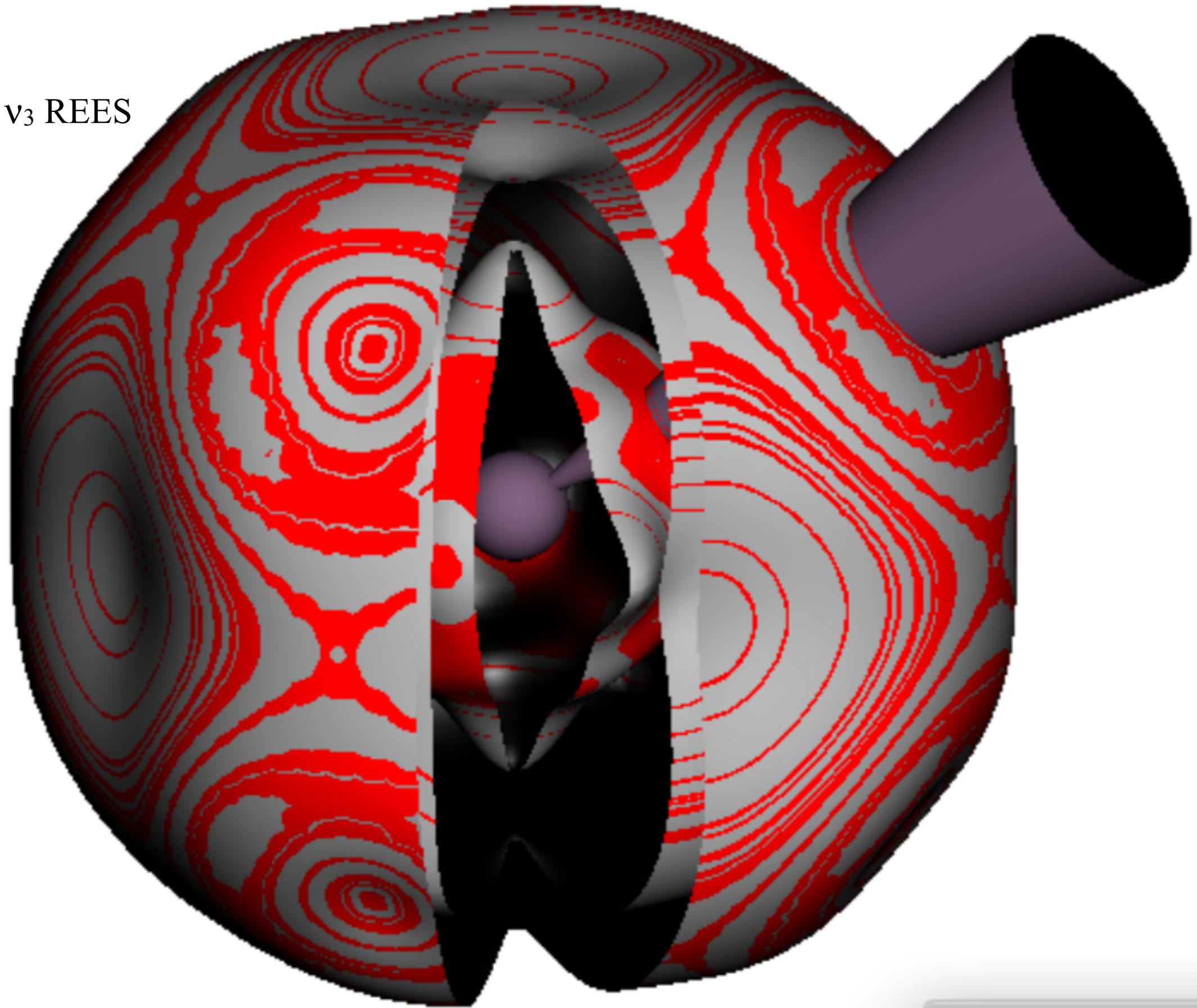
$$H_{PQ} = 5\sin\beta(7\cos^2\beta - 3\cos\beta - \sin^2\beta(\cos\beta\cos 4\gamma + i\sin 4\gamma))/\sqrt{8} = H_{QR}$$

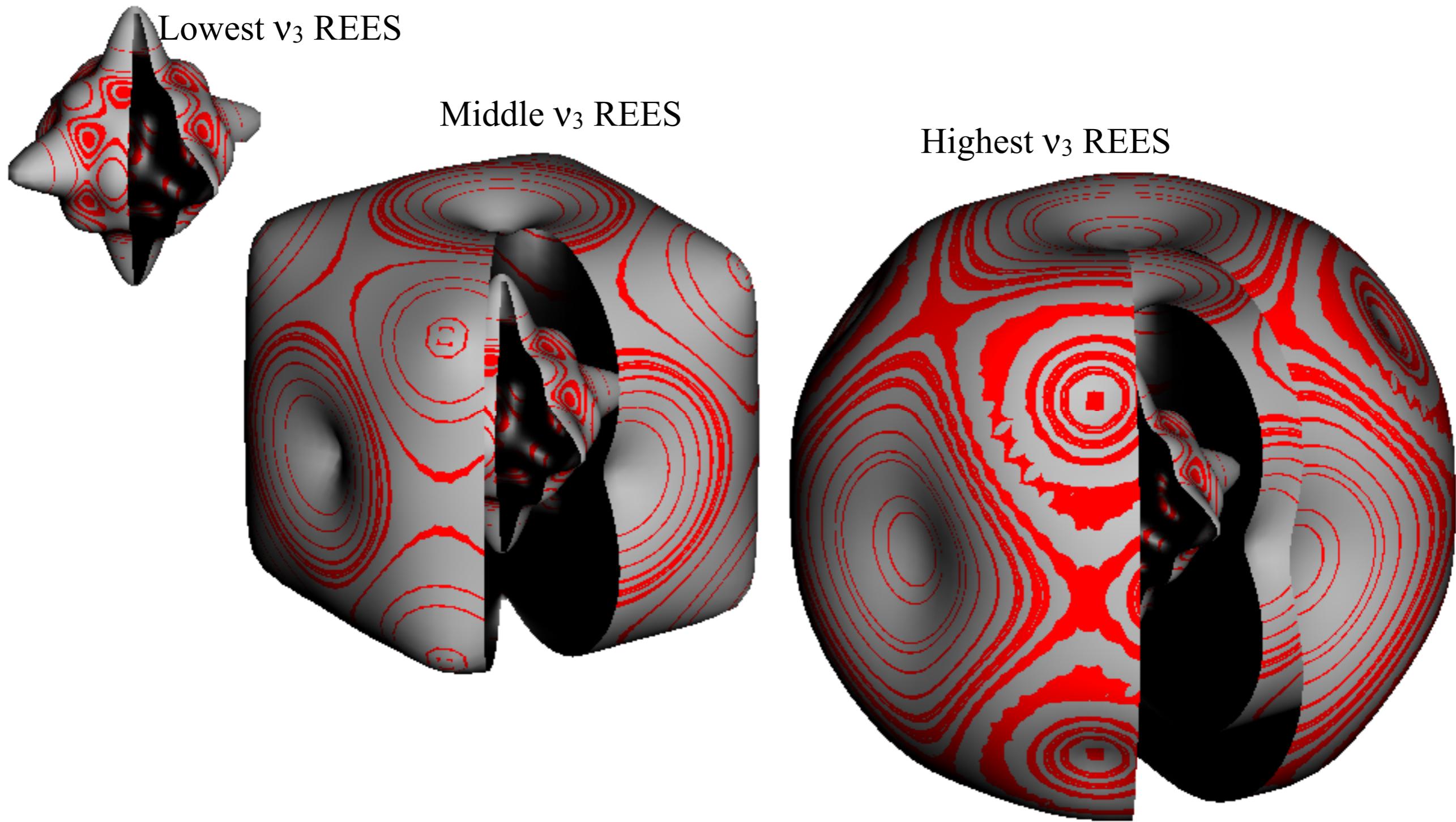
$$H_{PQ} = 5(-7\cos^4\beta + 8\cos^2\beta + (1-\cos^4\beta)\cos 4\gamma + 2i\cos\beta\sin^2\beta\sin 4\gamma - 1)/4$$





$v_3$  REES





*New geometric approach to rotational eigenstates and spectra*

*Introduction to Rotational Energy Surfaces (RES) and multipole tensor expansion*

*Rank-2 tensors from D<sup>2</sup>-matrix*

*Building Hamiltonian  $\mathbf{H} = A\mathbf{J}_x^2 + B\mathbf{J}_y^2 + C\mathbf{J}_z^2$  out of scalar and tensor operators*

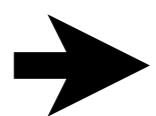
*Comparing quantum and semi-classical calculations*

*Symmetric rotor levels and RES plots*

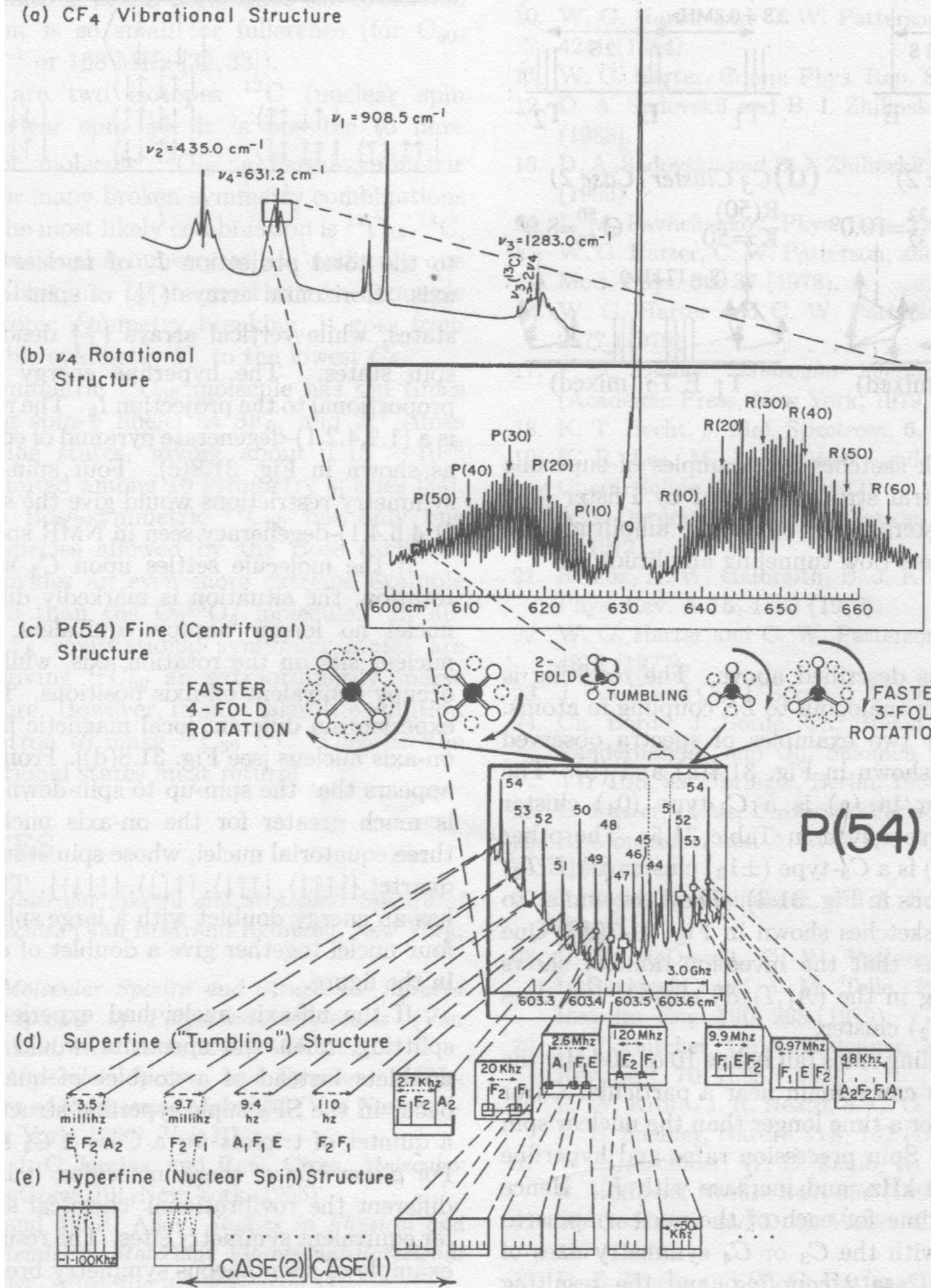
*Asymmetric rotor levels and RES plots*

*Spherical rotor levels and RES plots*

*SF<sub>6</sub> spectral fine structure*

 *CF<sub>4</sub> spectral fine structure*

*Example of frequency hierarchy  
hierarchy  
for 16 $\mu\text{m}$  spectra  
of  $\text{CF}_4$   
(Freon-14)*  
W.G.Harter  
Ch. 31  
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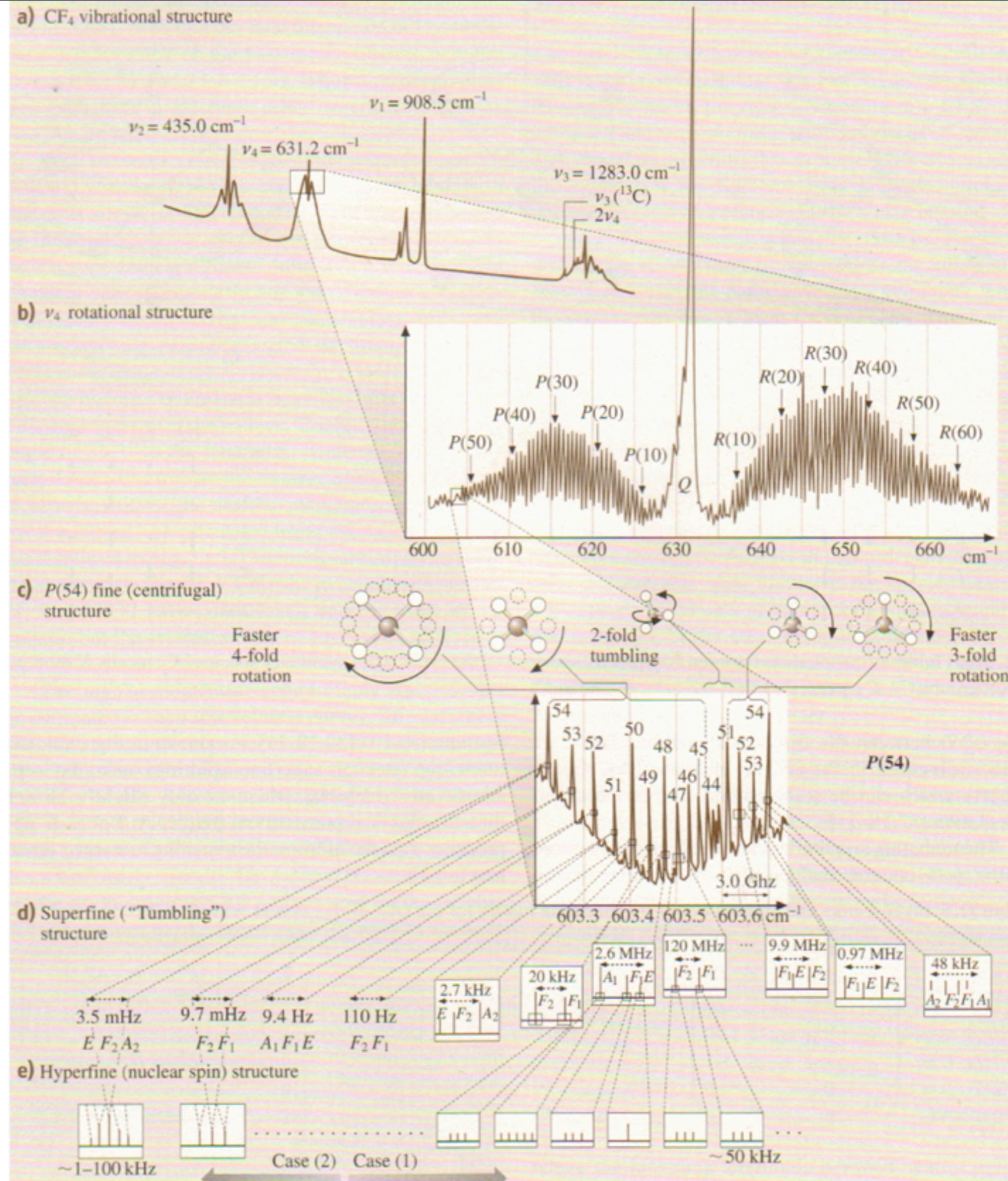


# Example of frequency hierarchy for $16\mu\text{m}$ spectra of $\text{CF}_4$ (Freon-14)

W.G.Harter

Fig. 32.7

Springer Handbook of  
Atomic, Molecular, &  
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Gordon Drake Editor  
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The old relativity website (2005):

[Relativity - Pirelli Entrant - Production; URL is "http://www.uark.edu/ua/pirelli" or "http://www.uark.edu/ua/pirelli/html/default.html"](http://www.uark.edu/ua/pirelli)

Newer relativity web-apps currently being developed (2013-)

[RelativIt Production; URL is "http://www.uark.edu/ua/modphys/markup/RelativItWeb.html"](http://www.uark.edu/ua/modphys/markup/RelativItWeb.html)

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