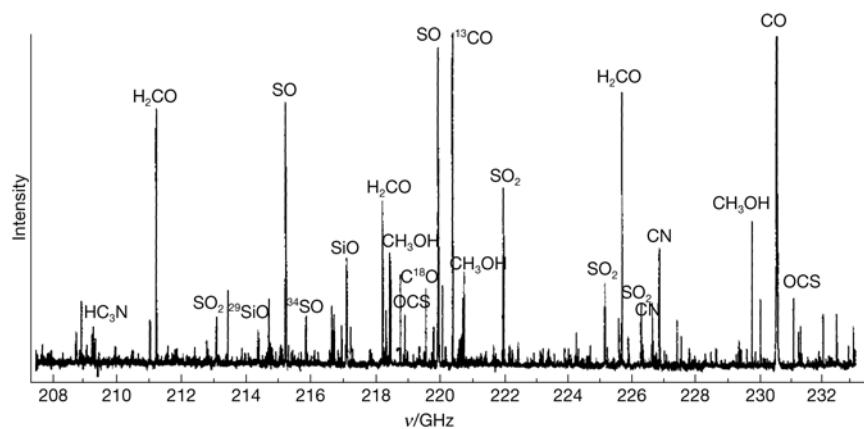
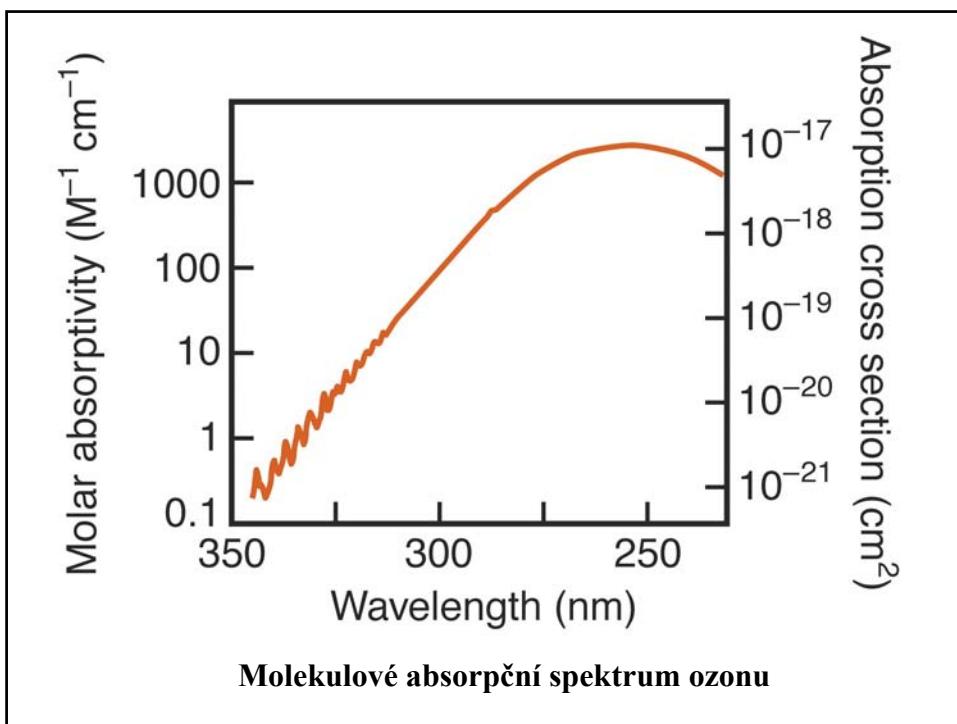
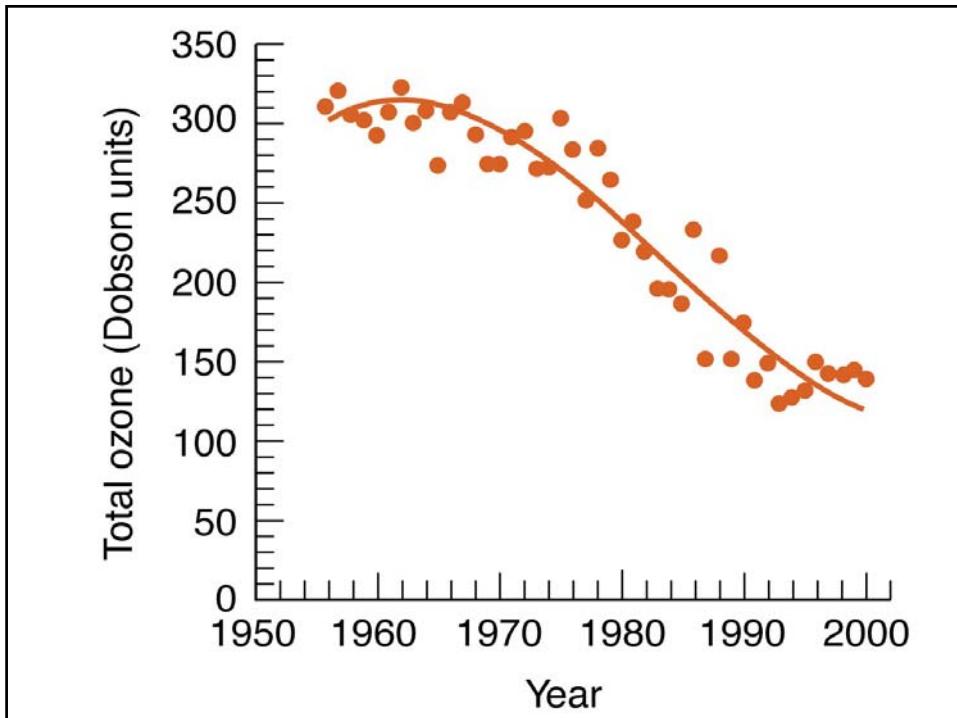


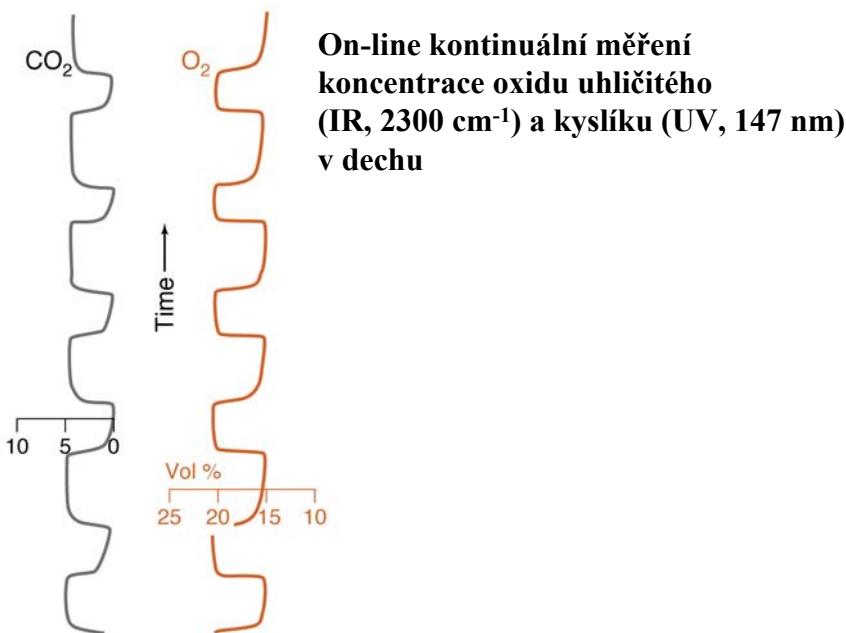
# Optické metody

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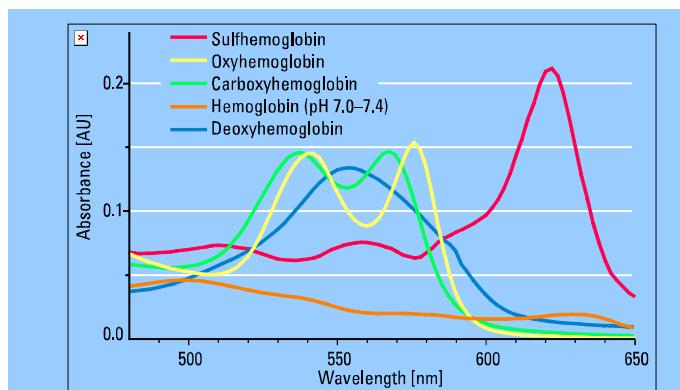


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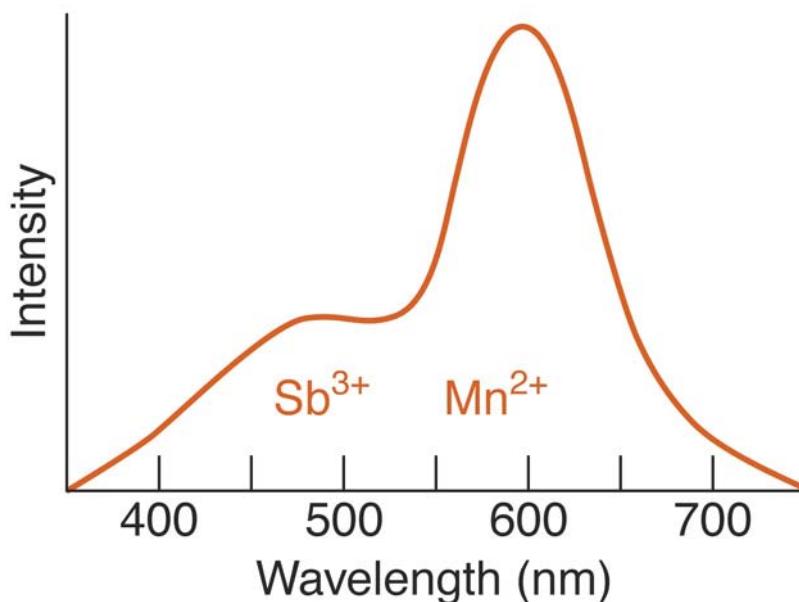




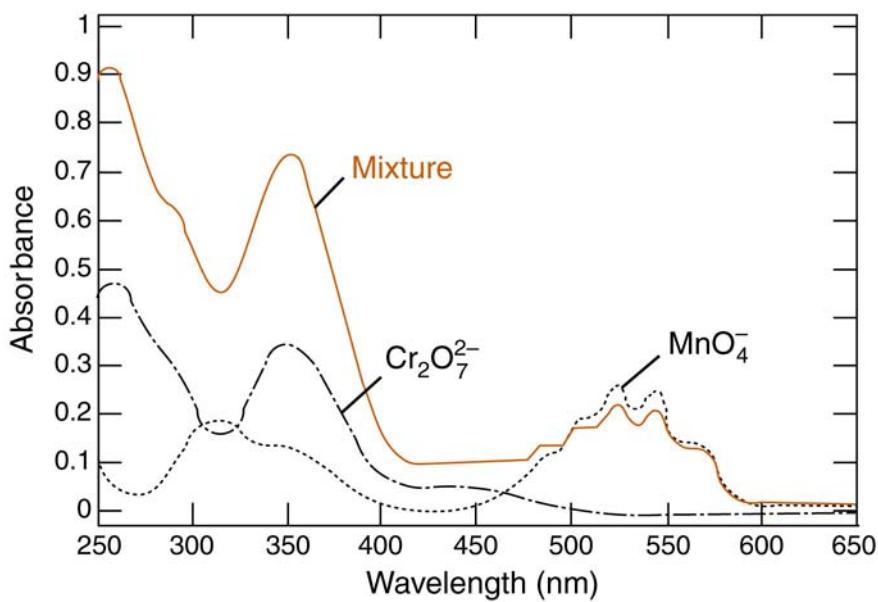
## Absorption Spectra of Hemoglobin Derivatives



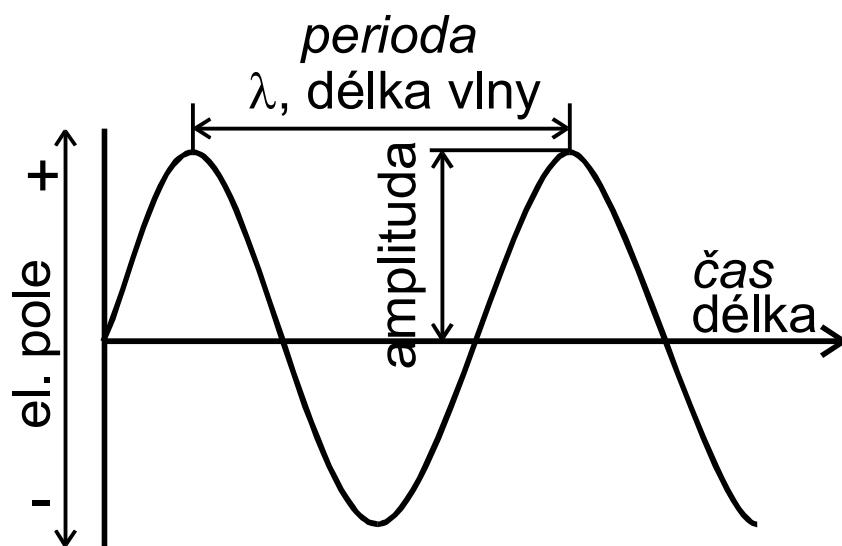
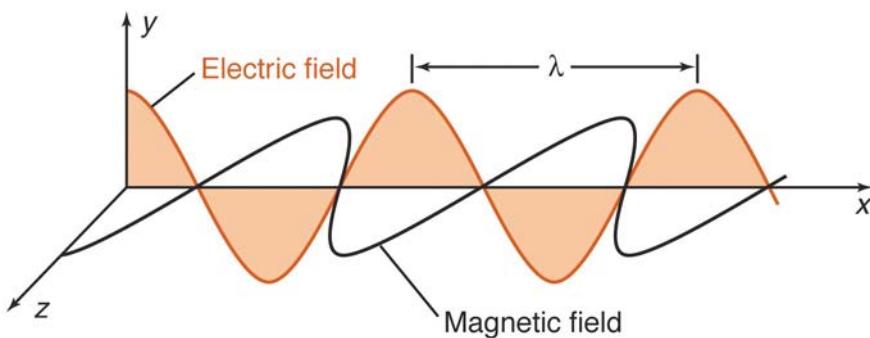
### Vícesložková luminiscenční analýza



### **Vícesložková analýza**



### Polarizované elmg záření



# Duální charakter elmg záření

## Parametry charakterizující vlnové vlastnosti:

$\lambda$  – vlnová délka, [ $\mu\text{m}$ ,  $\text{nm}$ ]

$v$  – rychlosť šíření v určitém prostředí [m/s]

(rychlosť ve vakuu  $c$  = 2,9979.108 m/s)

$\nu$  – frekvence, [Hz]  $v = \frac{v}{\lambda}$

vztah mezi základními parametry:

$$\tilde{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda} \quad \text{– vlnočet } [\text{cm}^{-1}]$$

## Parametry charakterizující korpuskulární vlastnosti:

$$E = h \cdot v \quad \text{energie [J]}$$

( $h$  = Planckova konstanta,  $6,6 \cdot 10^{-34}$  J.s)

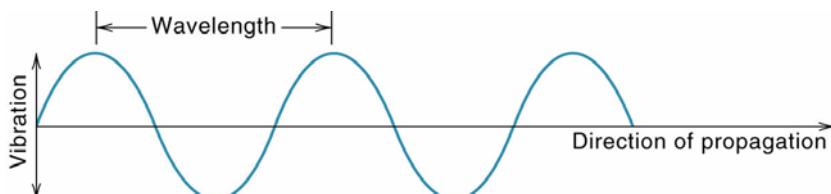
The distance of one cycle is the wavelength ( $\lambda$ ).

The frequency ( $\nu$ ) is the number of cycles passing a fixed point per unit time.

$$\lambda = c/\nu \quad (c = \text{velocity of light}, 3 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm s}^{-1}).$$

The shorter the wavelength, the higher the energy:  $E = hv = hc/\lambda$

This is why UV radiation from the sun burns you.



We see only a very small portion of the electromagnetic spectrum .

In spectrochemical methods, we measure the absorption of UV to far IR radiation.

**UV = 200-380 nm, VIS = 280-780 nm, IR = 0.78 μm-300 μm**

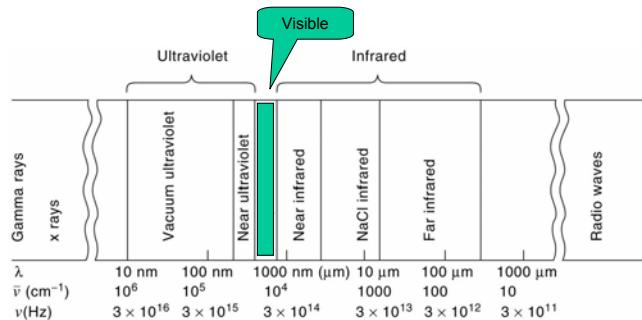
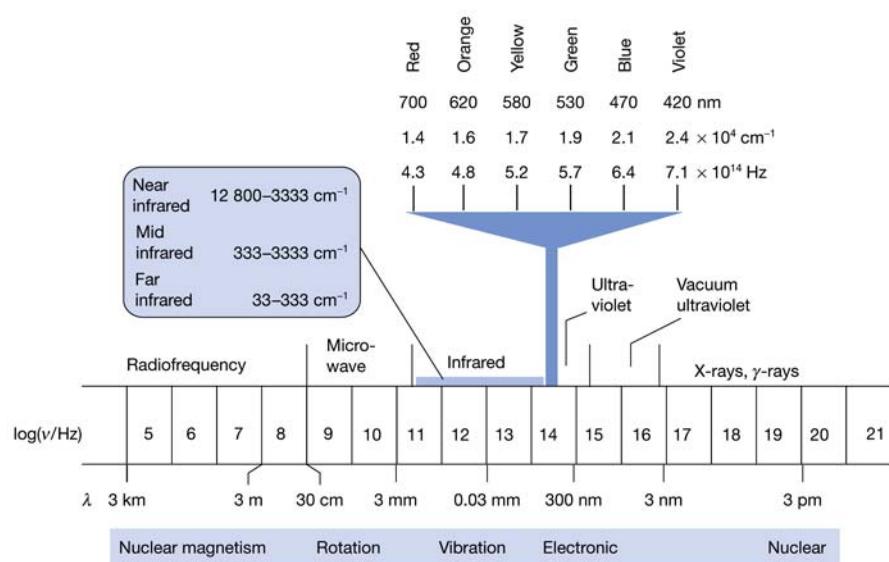
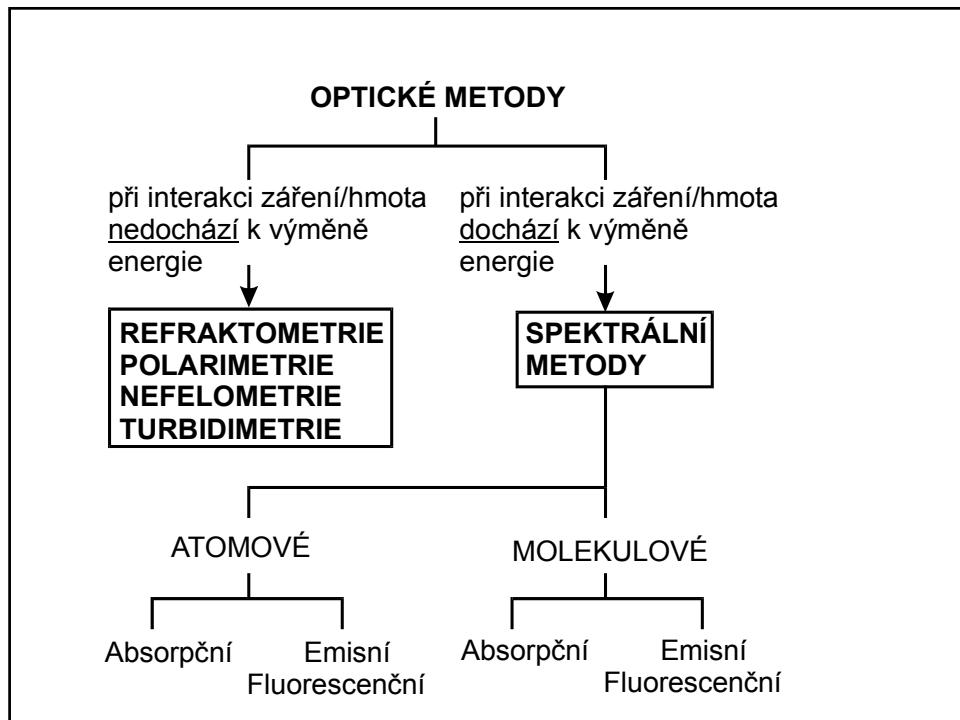


Fig. 16.2. Electromagnetic spectrum.

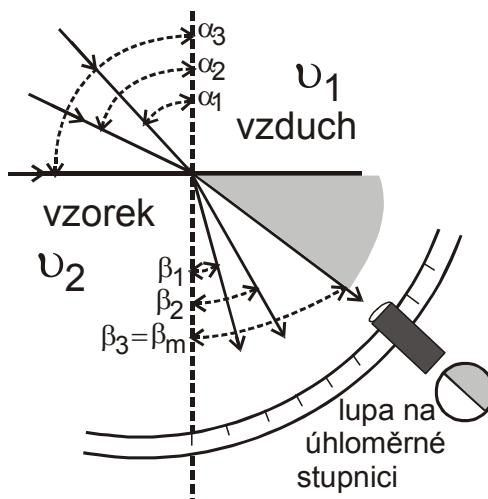
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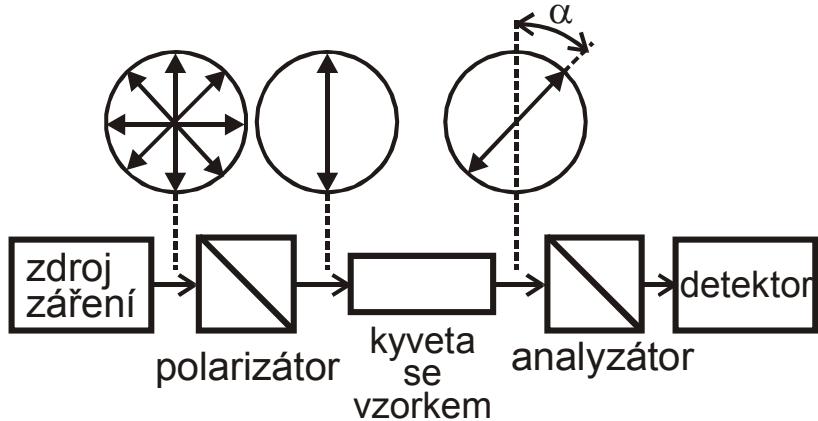
## Refraktometrie

$$n = \sin \alpha / \sin \beta = v_1 / v_2$$



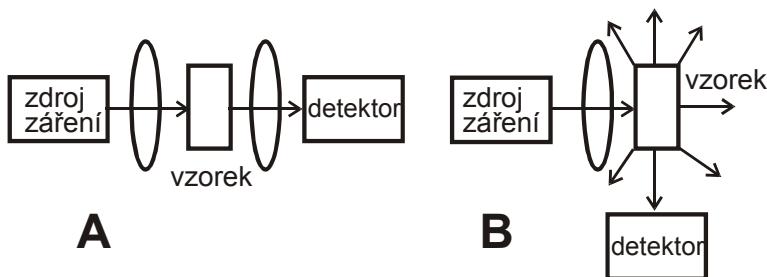
## Polarimetrie

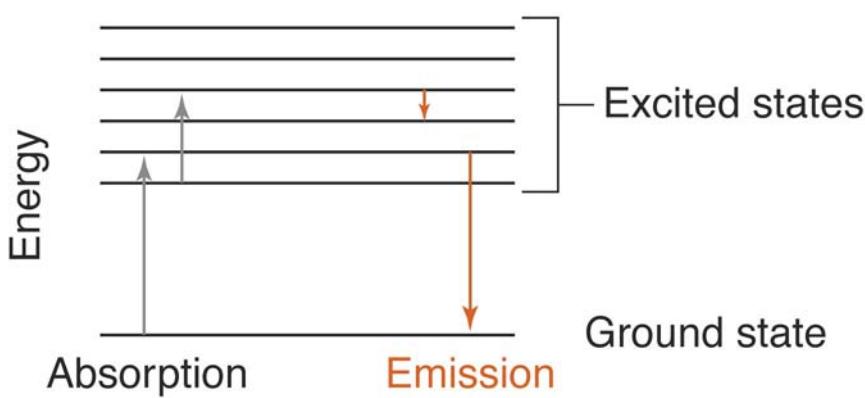
$$\alpha = [\alpha]_t^t \cdot L \cdot c$$



## Nefelometrie a turbidimetrie

(A-turbidimetrie, B-nefelometrie)





## Příjem energie – absorpcce

## Ztráta energie – emise (luminiscence)

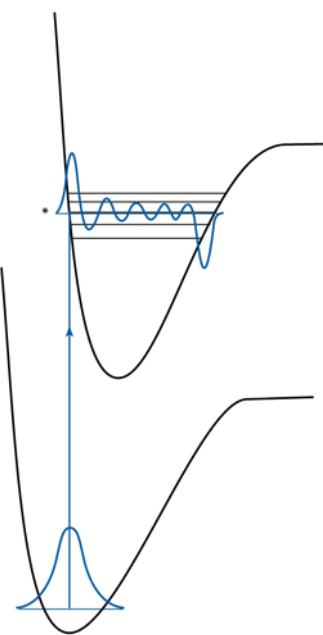
- atomy a molekuly mohou měnit svůj energetický stav přijmutím nebo vyzářením energie, přičemž jak přijatá, tak i vyzářená energie může nabývat pouze určitých diskrétních hodnot;

- v atomech přijímají nebo vyzařují energii pouze elektrony, v molekulách jsou elektronové energetické hladiny rozštěpeny na podhlediny vibrační a rotační; **pro energetické rozdíly mezi hladinami platí:  $\Delta E_{rot} \ll \Delta E_{vibr} \ll \Delta E_{el}$** ;

$$\Delta E = \Delta E_{rot} + \Delta E_{vibr} + \Delta E_{el} + \Delta E_{spin} + \Delta E_{core}$$

## Franck-Condonův princip

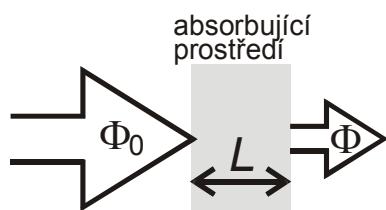
## Výběrová pravidla



## Spektrální metody absorpční a emisní – společný základ

Absorpce záření,  $X + h\nu \rightarrow X^*$

$$A = \log \frac{\Phi_0}{\Phi} = \epsilon L c$$



Emise záření,  $X^* \rightarrow X + h\nu$

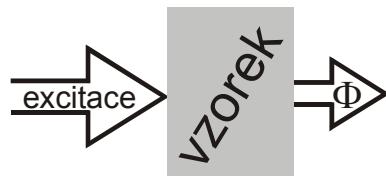
(excitace absorpcí záření či dodáním tepla)

$$\Phi = a \cdot c^b$$

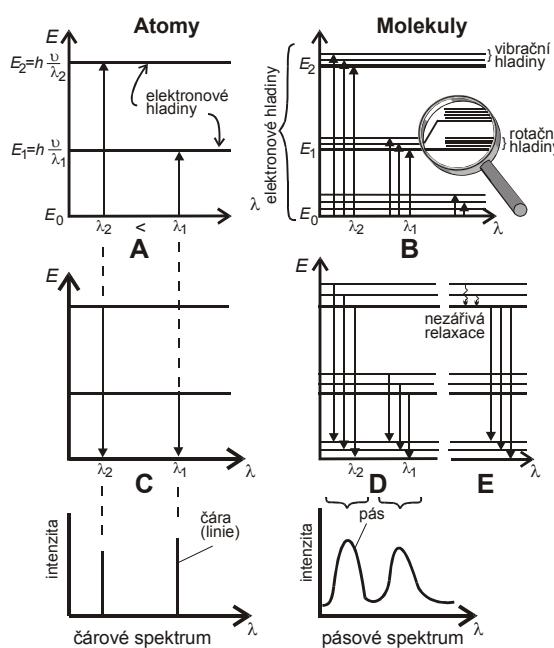
Fluorescence,  $X^* \rightarrow X + h\nu' + \text{teplota}$

(excitace absorpcí záření),

Excitonovaný atom či molekula ztrácí část energie nezářivým způsobem,  $\nu' < \nu$ ;



Tok fluorescenčního záření:  $\Phi_F = f(c)$



**Absorption of a photon causes electronic transition from the ground state to a higher energy state.**

**The electron relaxes to the lowest energy level of the first excited state.**

**The wavelengths of emitted radiation are independent of the wavelength of excitation.**

**But intensities are not.**

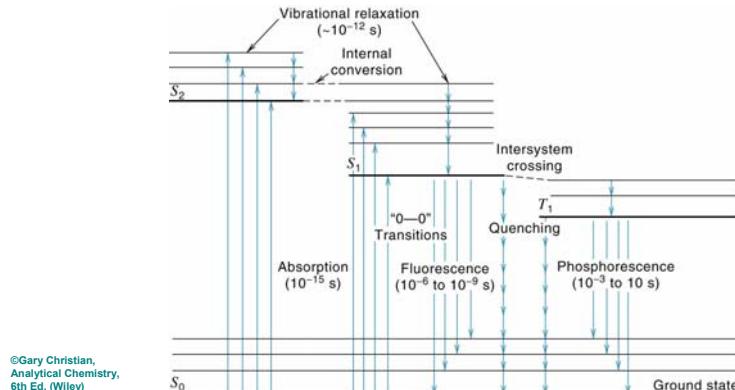


Fig. 16.29. Energy level diagram showing absorption processes, relaxation processes, and their rates.

**The excitation spectrum corresponds to the absorption spectrum.**

**In larger molecules, the vibrational spacings of excited states are similar to those in the ground state.**

**So the emission spectrum may be a mirror image of the excitation spectrum.**

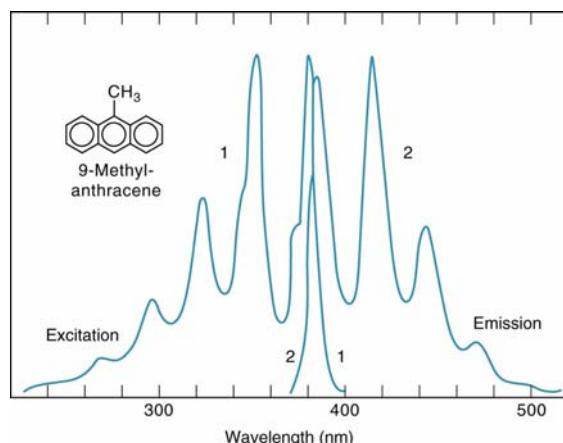
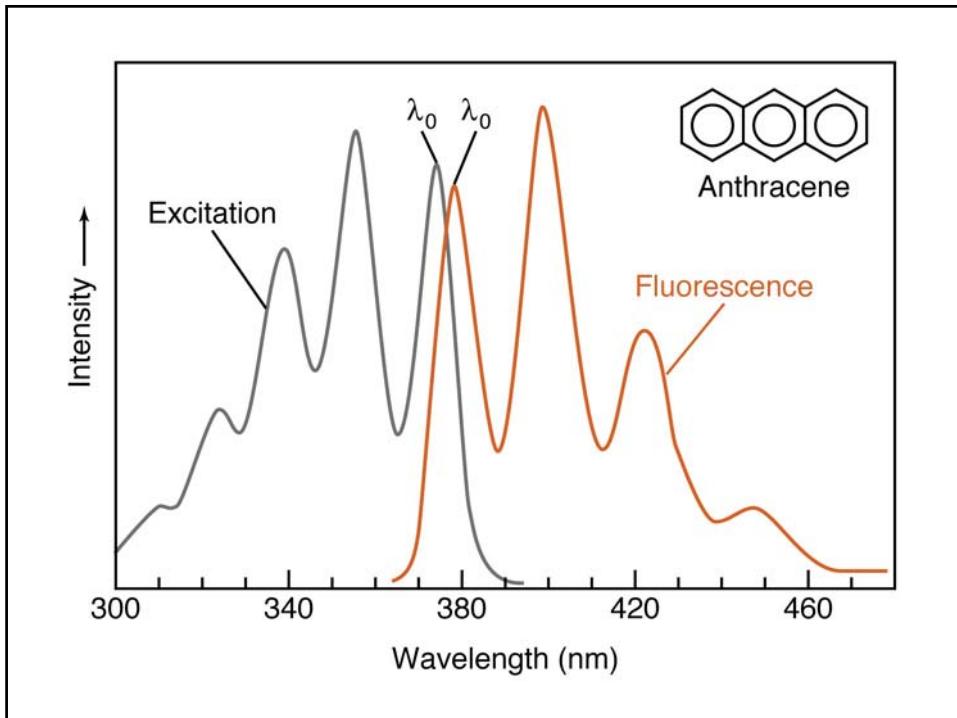


Fig. 16.30. Excitation and emission spectra of a fluorescing molecule.



- **Spektrum** – uspořádaný soubor absorbovaných či emitovaných vlnových délek  
**počet a hodnoty  $\lambda$  - kvalitativní údaj**  
**intenzita abs./emit. záření – kvantitativní údaj.**

### Spektrum

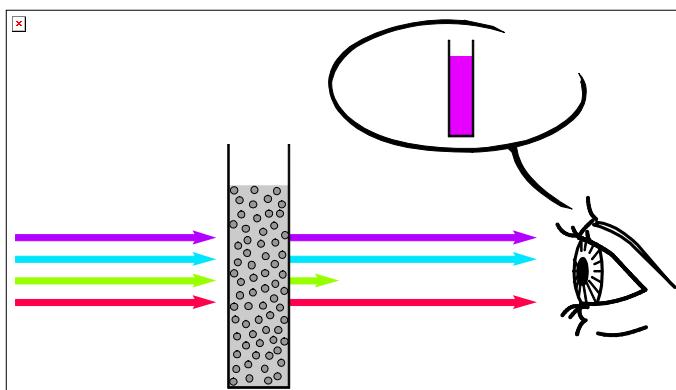
- absorpční
- emisní

atomová  
molekulová

## Metody molekulové a atomové spektrometrie – společný základ

<u>Molekulová spektrometrie</u>	<u>Atomová spektrometrie</u>
informace o přítomnosti molekul, vazeb, funkčních skupin	informace o přítomnosti atomů
využití k identifikaci a stanovení	využití k důkazu a stanovení
vyžadují malých excitačních energií, UV, VIS, IČ, $\mu$ -vlny, RF	vyžadují vyšších excitačních energií, VIS, UV, RTG
vzorek v kyvetě	vzorek ve formě oblaku atomů
analyticky se využívá absorpcie a fluorescence	analyticky se využívá absorpcie, emise, fluorescence
spektra jsou pásová	spektra jsou čárová

## Transmission and Color



The human eye sees the complementary color to that which is absorbed

# Absorbance and Complementary Colors

Wavelength [nm]	Absorbed color	Complementary color
650-780	red	blue-green
595-650	orange	greenish blue
560-595	yellow-green	purple
500-560	green	red-purple
490-500	bluish green	red
480-490	greenish blue	orange
435-480	blue	yellow
380-435	violet	yellow-green

The complement of the absorbed light gets transmitted.

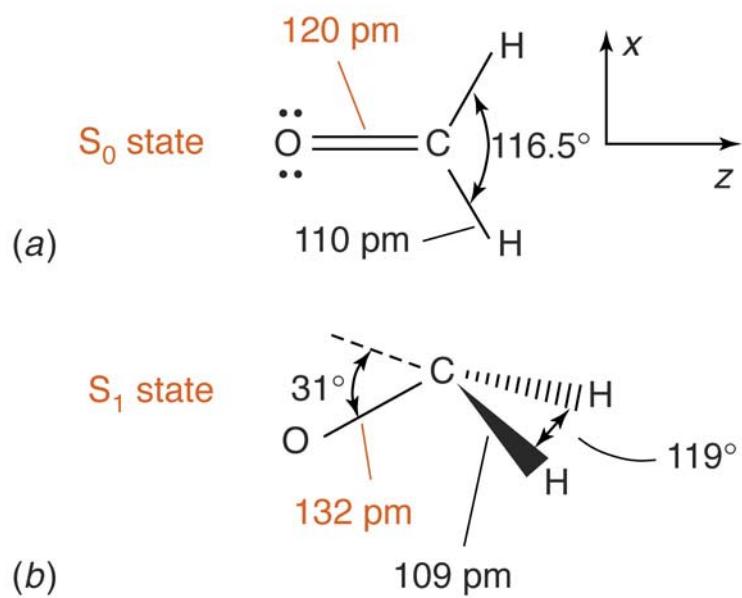
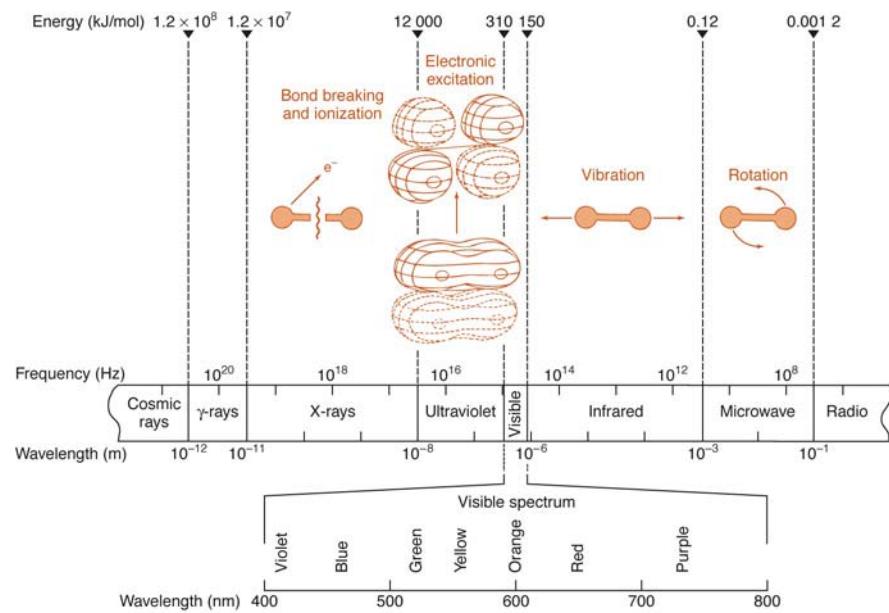
The color of an object we see is due to the wavelengths transmitted or reflected. Other wavelengths are absorbed.

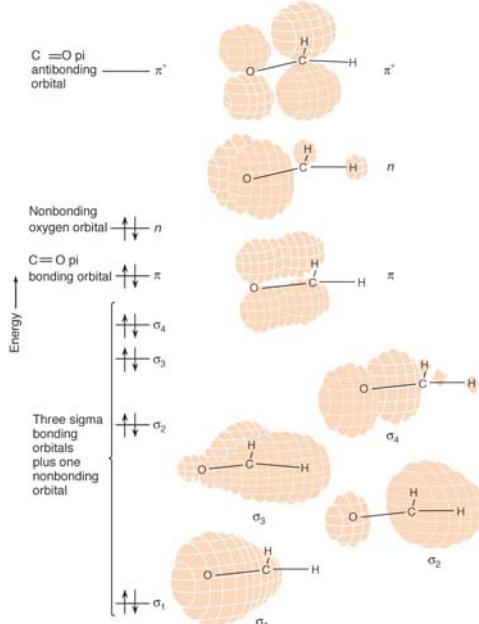
The more absorbed, the darker the color (the more concentrated the solution).

In spectrochemical methods, we measure the absorbed radiation.

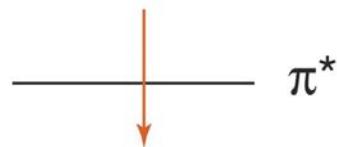
**Table 16.1**  
Colors of Different Wavelength Regions

Wavelength Absorbed (nm)	Absorbed Color	Transmitted Color (Complement)
380-450	Violet	Yellow-green
450-495	Blue	Yellow
495-570	Green	Violet
570-590	Yellow	Blue
590-620	Orange	Green-blue
620-750	Red	Blue-green



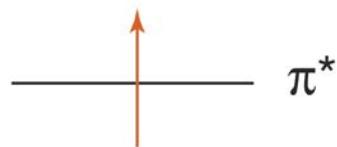


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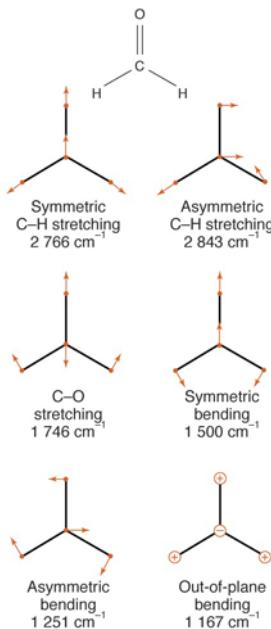


(a)

Triplet



(b)



- A - pure rotational changes (far IR).**  
**B - rotational-vibrational changes (near IR).**  
**C - rotational-vibrational-electronic changes (visible and UV).**  
**These transitions are all quantized.**

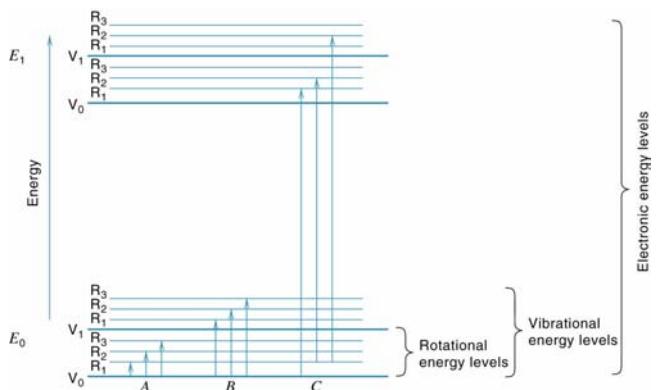
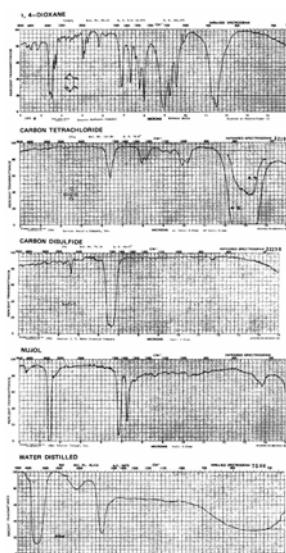


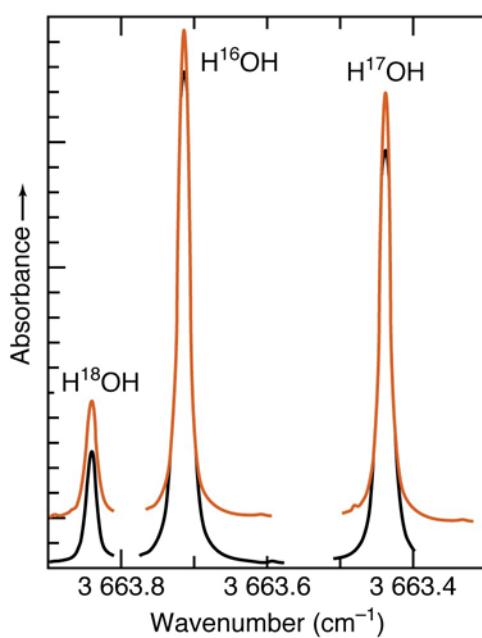
Fig. 16.3. Energy level diagram illustrating energy changes associated with absorption of electromagnetic radiation.  $E_0$  is electronic ground state and  $E_1$  is first electronic excited state.

The peaks are associated with vibrational modes within the molecule.  
(More in Fig. 16.8 on types of bonds that give peaks.)



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Fig. 16.4. Typical infrared spectra.



Electronic transitions (at higher energy – shorter wavelengths) are superimposed on rotational and vibrational transitions.

These many discrete transitions result in a broad band of unresolved fine structure.

$\pi$  (double or triple bonds) and n (outer shell) electrons are responsible for most UV and Vis electronic transitions.

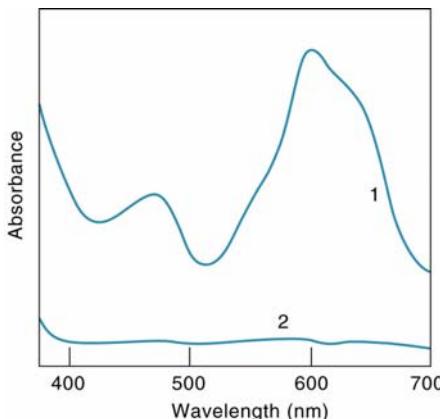


Fig. 16.5. Typical visible absorption spectrum. 1, Sample; 2, blank.

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These are similar in structure to visible spectra.

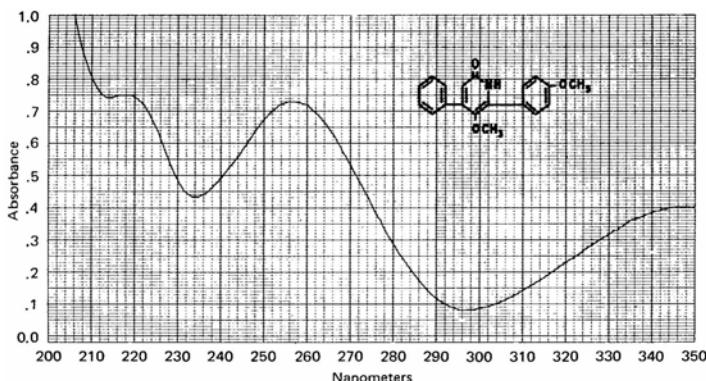


Fig. 16.6. Typical ultraviolet spectrum.

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These groups absorb in the UV or visible regions.

**Table 16.2**

Electronic Absorption Bands for Representative Chromophores<sup>a</sup>

Chromophore	System	$\lambda_{\max}$	$\epsilon_{\max}$
Amine	$-\text{NH}_2$	195	2,800
Ethylene	$-\text{C}=\text{C}-$	190	8,000
	\\	195	1,000
Ketone	$\text{C}=\text{O}$	270–285	18–30
	/		
Aldehyde	$-\text{CHO}$	210 280–300	Strong 11–18
Nitro	$-\text{NO}_2$	210	Strong
Nitrite	$-\text{ONO}$	220–230 300–400	1,000–2,000 10
Azo	$-\text{N}=\text{N}-$	285–400	3–25
Benzene		184 202 255	46,700 6,900 170
Naphthalene		220 275	112,000 5,600
		312	175
Anthracene		252 375	199,000 7,900

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Aromatic compounds are good absorbers of UV radiation.

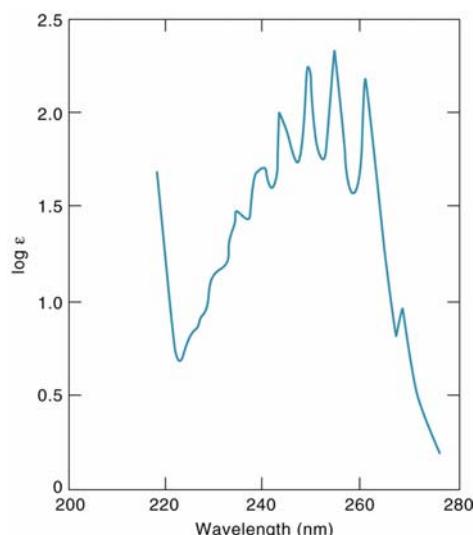


Fig. 16.7. Ultraviolet spectrum of benzene.

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**Absorption in the 6- to 15- $\mu\text{m}$  region is very dependent on the molecular environment.  
This is called the fingerprint region.**

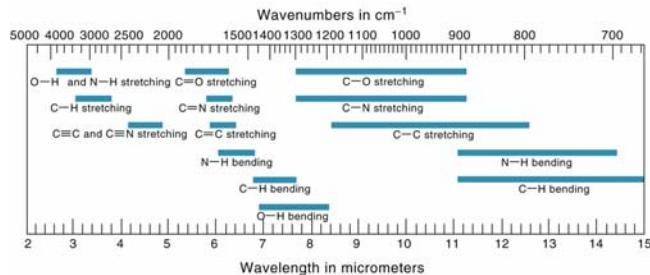


Fig. 16.8. Simple correlation of group vibrations to regions of infrared absorption.

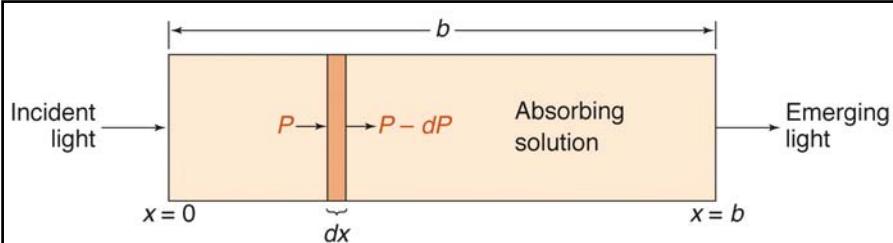
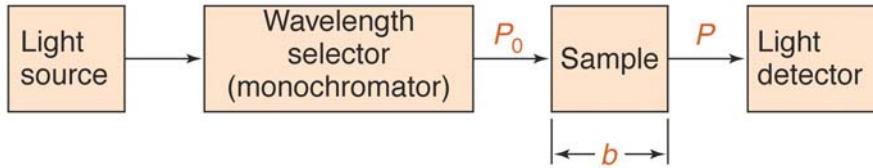
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**Organic substances measured in the UV must usually be dissolved in organic solvents.  
The solvent may affect the spectrum due to solute-solvent interactions.  
A polar solvent may cause loss of fine structure.**

**Table 16.3**  
**Lower Transparency Limit of Solvents in the Ultraviolet Region**

Solvent	Cutoff Point (nm)	Solvent	Cutoff Point (nm) <sup>a</sup>
Water	200	Dichloromethane	233
Ethanol (95%)	205	Butyl ether	235
Acetonitrile	210	Chloroform	245
Cyclohexane	210	Ethyl propionate	255
Cyclopentane	210	Methyl formate	260
Heptane	210	Carbon tetrachloride	265
Hexane	210	<i>N,N</i> -Dimethylformamide	270
Methanol	210	Benzene	280
Pentane	210	Toluene	285
Isopropyl alcohol	210	<i>m</i> -Xylene	290
Isooctane	215	Pyridine	305
Dioxane	220	Acetone	330
Diethyl ether	220	Bromoform	360
Glycerol	220	Carbon disulfide	380
1,2-Dichloroethane	230	Nitromethane	380

<sup>a</sup>Wavelength at which the absorbance is unity for a 1-cm cell, with water as the reference.



$$dP = -\beta P c \, dx$$

$$-\frac{dP}{P} = \beta c \, dx$$

$$-\int_{P_0}^P \frac{dP}{P} = \int_0^b \beta c \, dx$$

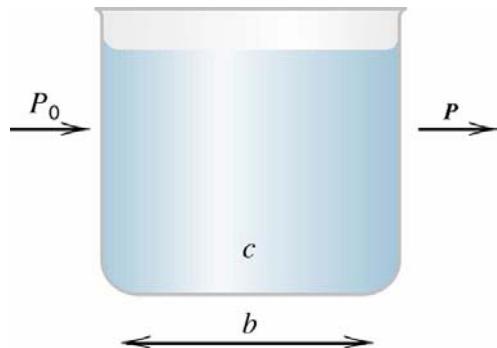
$$\ln\left(\frac{P_0}{P}\right) = \beta c b$$

$$\log\left(\frac{P_0}{P}\right) = \left(\frac{\beta}{\ln(10)}\right) c b$$

$$\text{Transmittance} = P/P_0 = 10^{-abc}$$

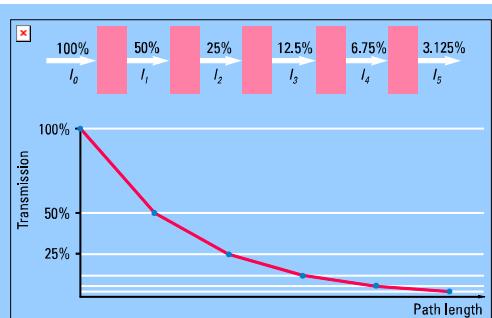
**a** = proportionality constant = absorptivity

$$-\log T = abc = A = \text{absorbance}$$



Absorption of radiation.  $P_0$  = power of incident radiation,  
 $P$  = power of transmitted radiation,  $c$  = concentration,  $b$  = pathlength.

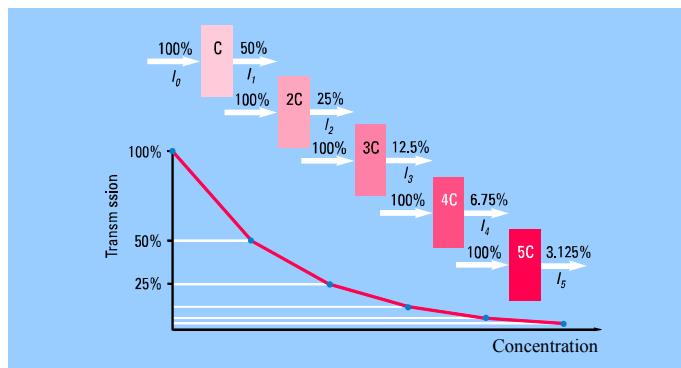
## Transmittance and Concentration The Bouguer-Lambert Law



$$T = I / I_0 = e^{-Const \cdot Pathlength}$$

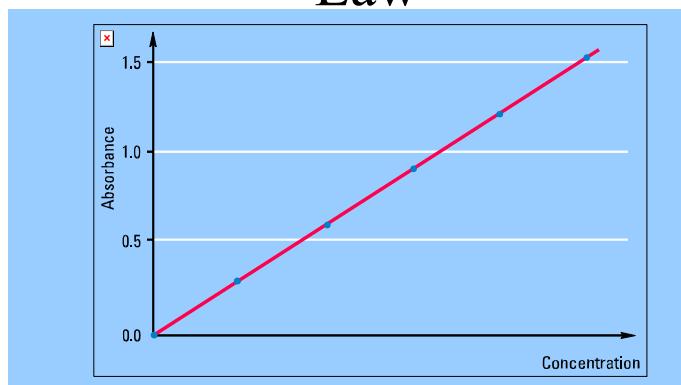
# Transmittance and Path Length

## Beer's Law

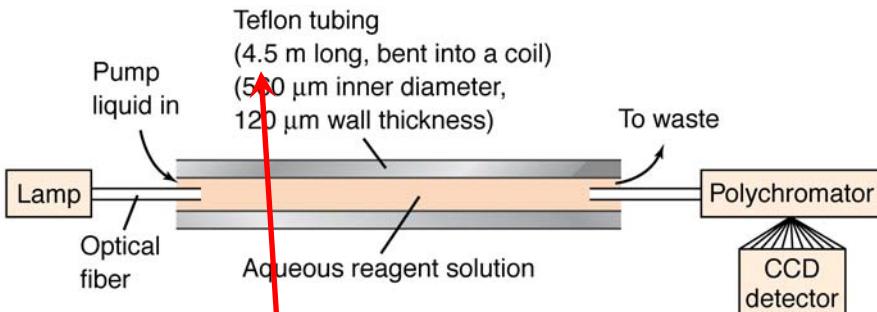


$$T = I / I_0 = e^{-\text{Const} \cdot \text{Concentration}}$$

# The Beer-Bouguer-Lambert Law



$$A = -\log T = -\log(I / I_0) = \log(I_0 / I) = \varepsilon \cdot b \cdot c$$



Stanovení nanomolárních koncentrací dusičnanů a dusitanů pomocí „**Long Path Length** Absorbance“ spektroskopie

Use the newer recommended nomenclature.

**Table 16.4**  
**Spectrometry Nomenclature**

Recommended Name	Older Names or Symbols
Absorbance ( $A$ )	Optical density (OD), extinction, absorbancy
Absorptivity ( $a$ )	Extinction coefficient, absorbancy index, absorbing index
Pathlength ( $b$ )	$l$ or $d$
Transmittance ( $T$ )	Transmittancy, transmission
Wavelength (nm)	mm (millicron)

This empirical ratio method is used because of deviations from Beer's law, scattered radiation, etc.

$\log P_0/P$  is plotted against C.

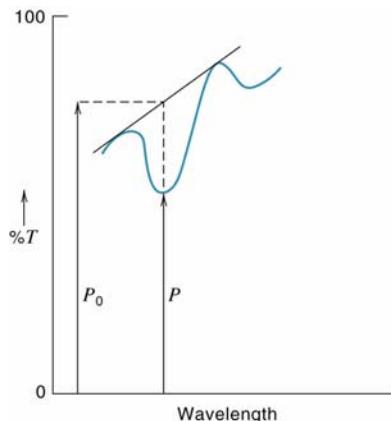


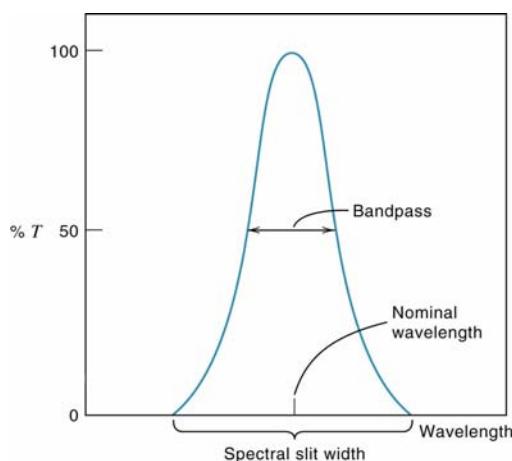
Fig. 16.11. Baseline method for quantitative determination in infrared region of spectrum.

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The nominal wavelength is that set on the instrument.

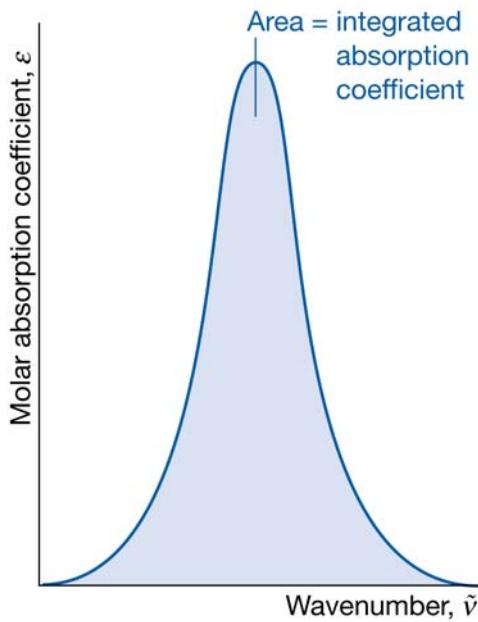
The slit passes a band of wavelengths.

The bandwidth varies with wavelength with a prism, but is constant with a grating.



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Fig. 16.21. Distribution of wavelengths leaving the slit of monochromator.



**UV/VIS spektroskopie  
Gaussovský pás**

**IR, NMR spektroskopie  
Lorenzovský pás**

**Ideální případ !!!**

**Většinou kombinace  
obou funkcí**

**Šířka čáry**

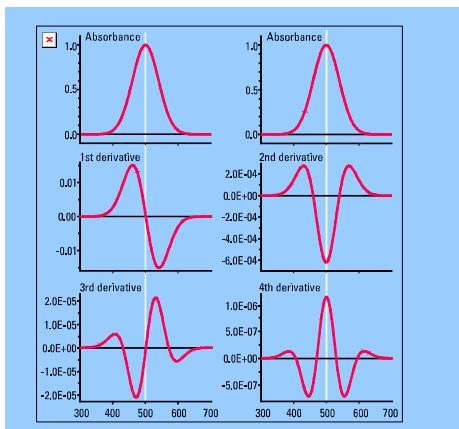
- Dopplerovo rozšíření – detektor vs. zdroj
- „lifetime“ rozšíření - princip neurčitosti

## Derivative Spectra of a Gaussian Absorbance Band

$$\text{Absorbance: } A = f(\lambda)$$

$$\text{1st Derivative: } \frac{dA}{d\lambda} = f'(\lambda)$$

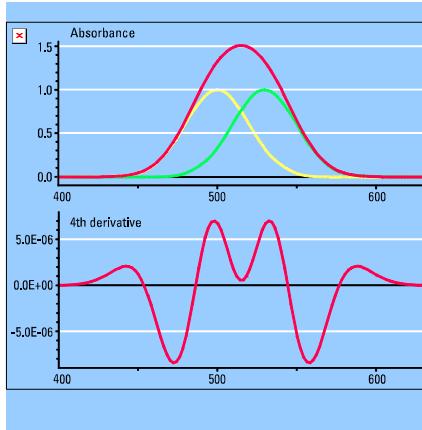
$$\text{2nd Derivative: } \frac{d^2 A}{d\lambda^2} = f''(\lambda)$$



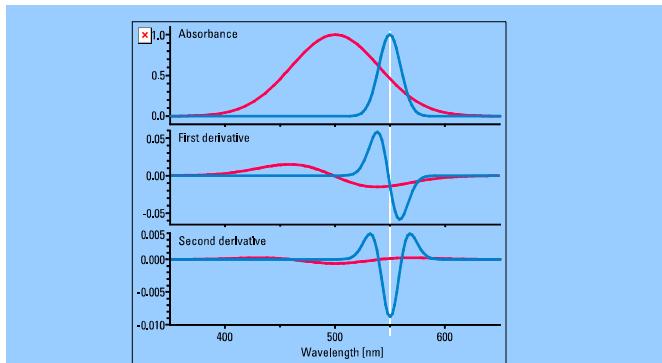
# Resolution Enhancement

- Overlay of 2 Gaussian bands with a NBW of 40 nm separated by 30 nm

- Separated by 4th derivative

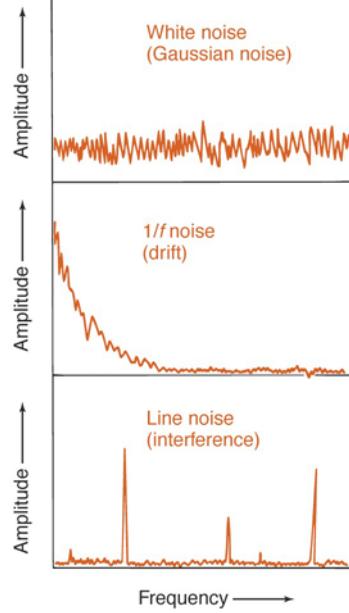
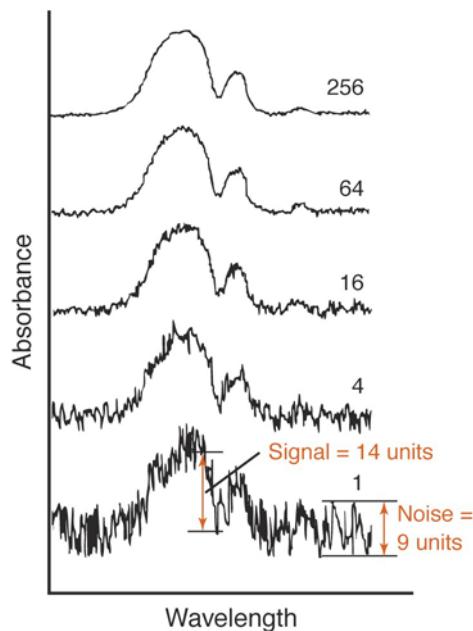


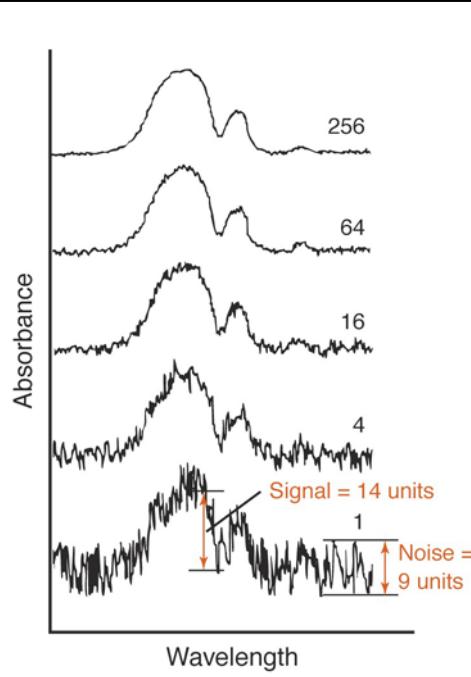
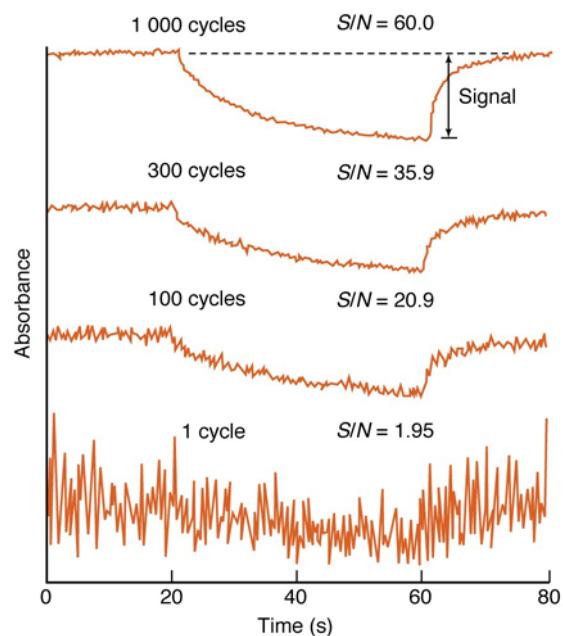
# Discrimination of Broad Bands

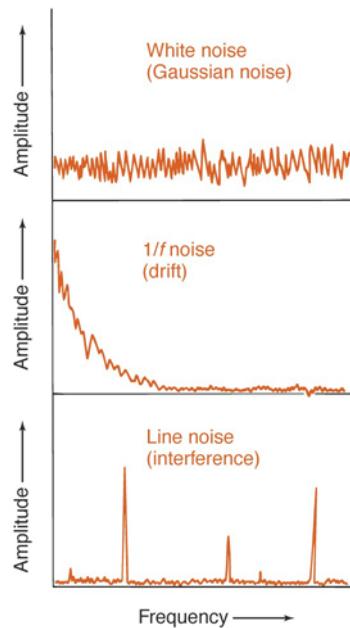


- Derivatives can eliminate background absorption
- Derivatives discriminate against broad absorbance bands

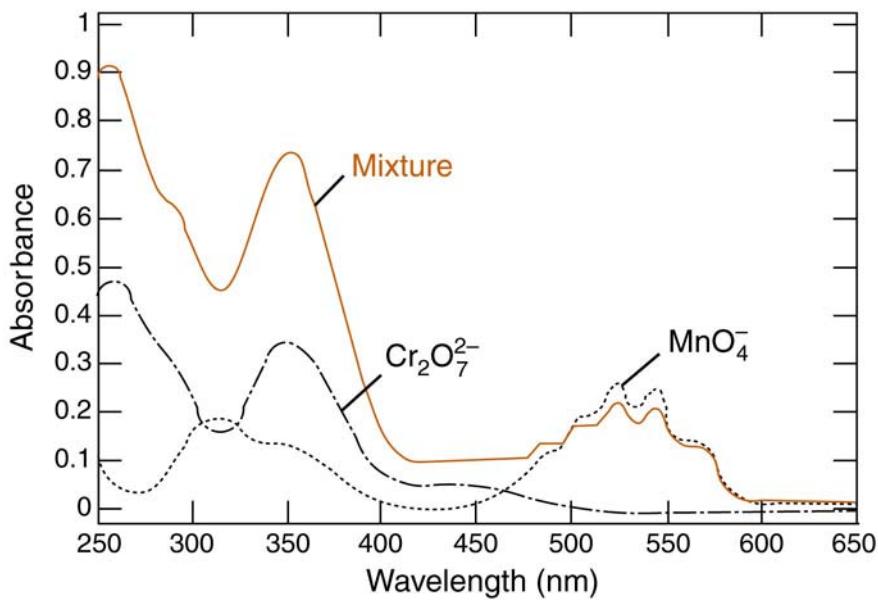
## Akumulace signálu

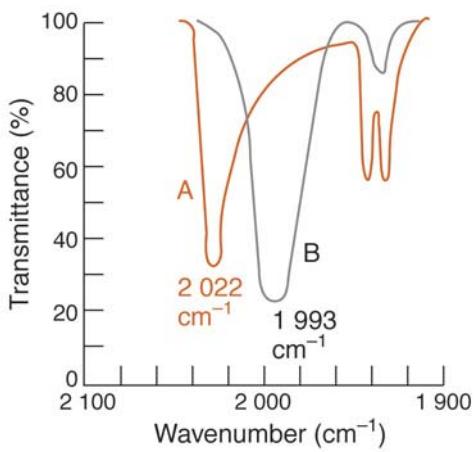






## Vícesložková analýza



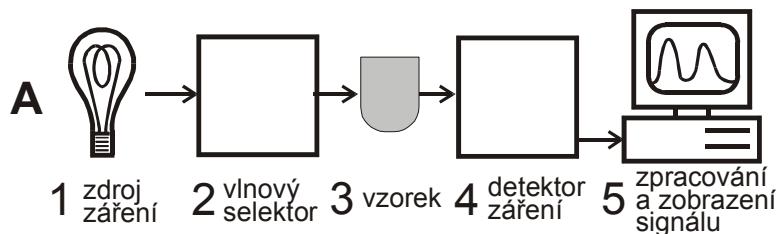


Wavenumber	Pure A	Pure B
2 022 $\text{cm}^{-1}$	31.0% $T$	97.4% $T$
1 993 $\text{cm}^{-1}$	79.7% $T$	20.0% $T$

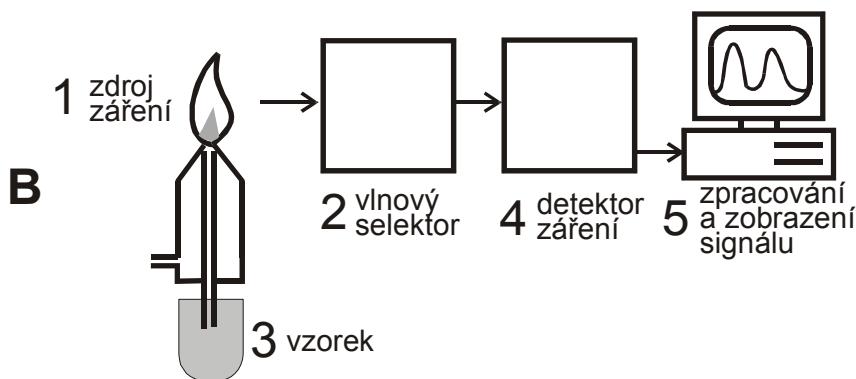
## Instrumentace Základní části spektrálních přístrojů

- 1. zdroj záření**
- 2. selektor vlnových délek**
- 3. vzorek**
- 4. detektor záření**
- 5. vyhodnocovací zařízení a displej**

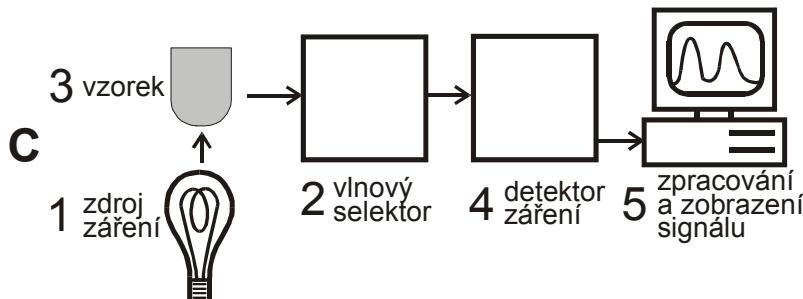
## Základní uspořádání pro absorpční spektrometrii:



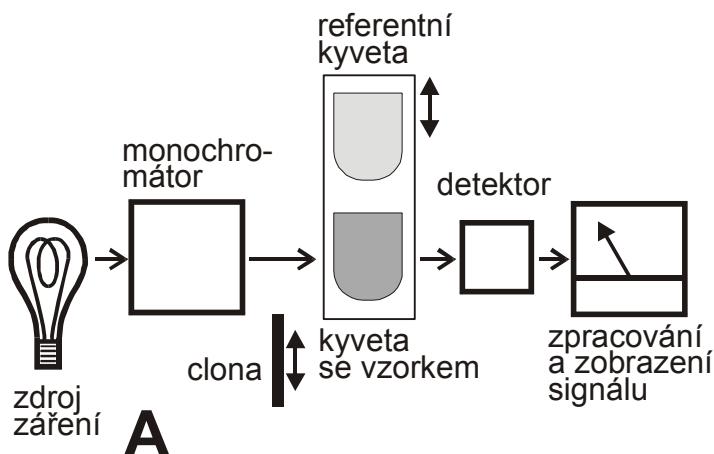
## Základní uspořádání pro emisní spektrometrii:



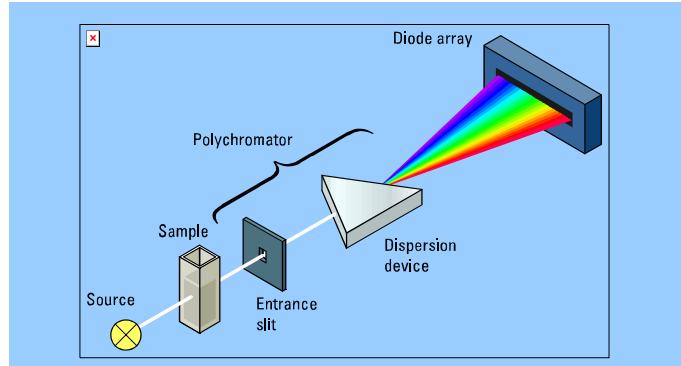
## Základní uspořádání pro fluorescenční spektrometrii:



## Jednopaprskové diferenční uspořádání spektrometru:

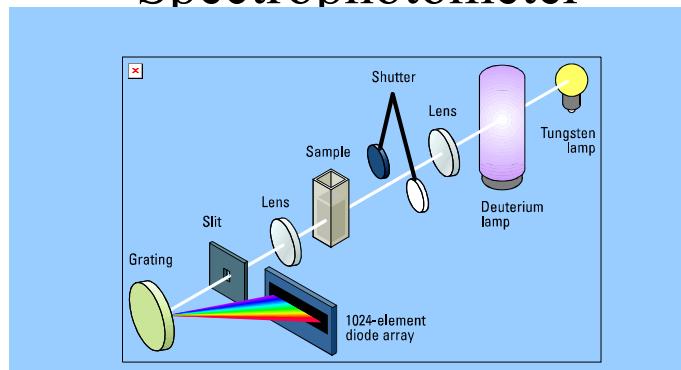


# Diode-Array Spectrophotometer



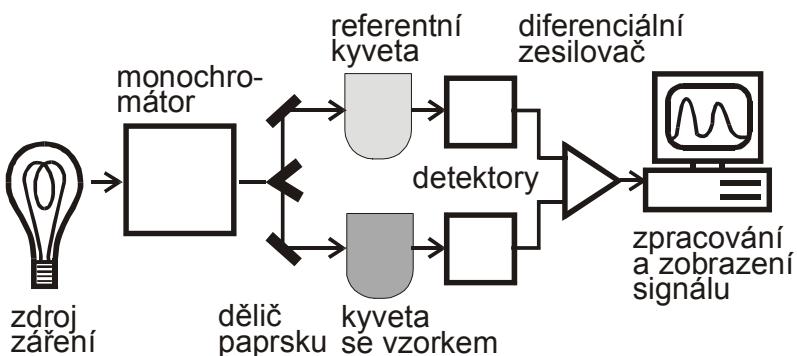
Schematic of a diode-array spectrophotometer

# Diode-Array Spectrophotometer

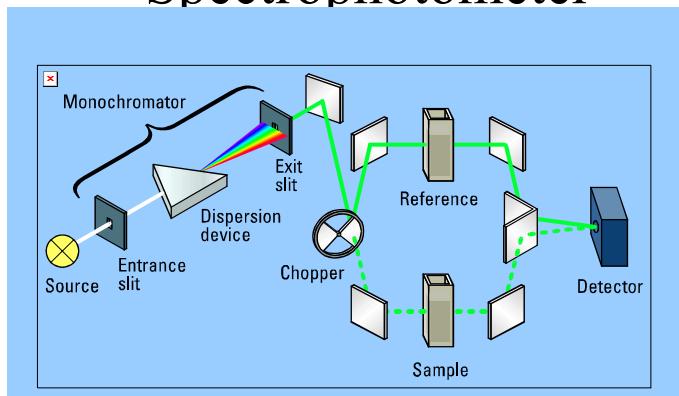


Optical diagram of the HP 8453 diode-array spectrophotometer

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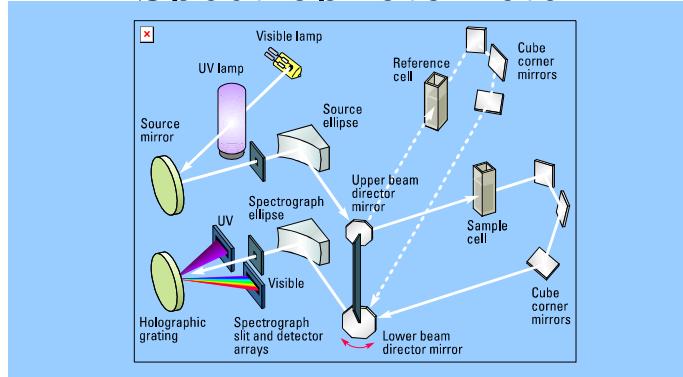


## Conventional Spectrophotometer



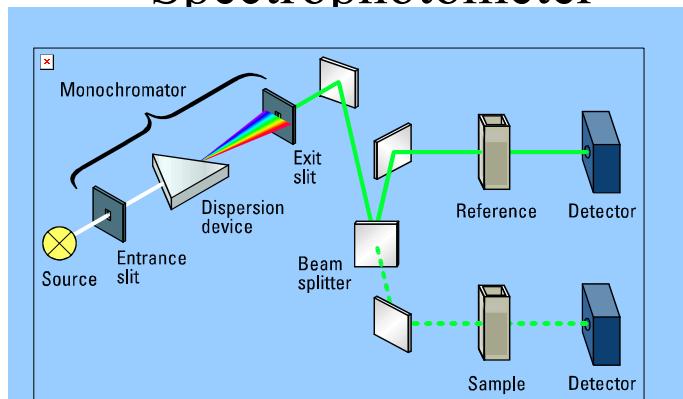
Optical system of a double-beam spectrophotometer

# Diode-Array Spectrophotometer

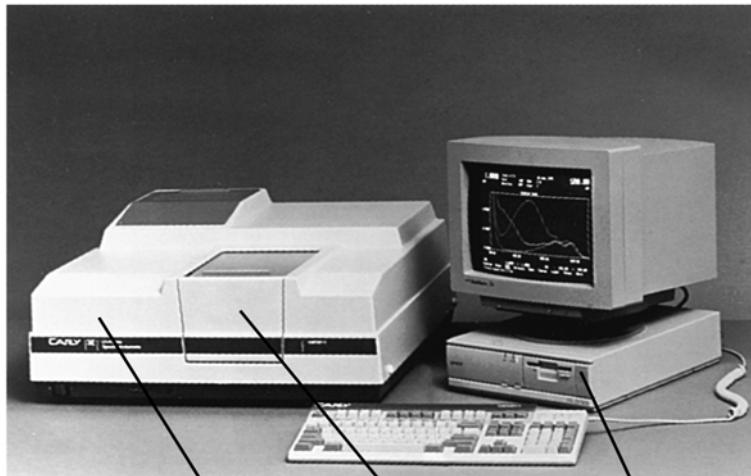


Optical system of the HP 8450A diode-array spectrophotometer

# Conventional Spectrophotometer



Optical system of a split-beam spectrophotometer



Source, monochromator, detector

Sample compartment

Display and controls

## 1. zdroj

## použití

### a) zdroje spojitého záření

xenonová lampa	molek. fluoresc. spektr.
H <sub>2</sub> , D <sub>2</sub> výbojka	molek. abs. spektr., UV
W, W-X žárovka	molek. abs. spektr., UV, VIS, IČ
globar (SiC, 1500°C)	molek. abs. spektr., IČ

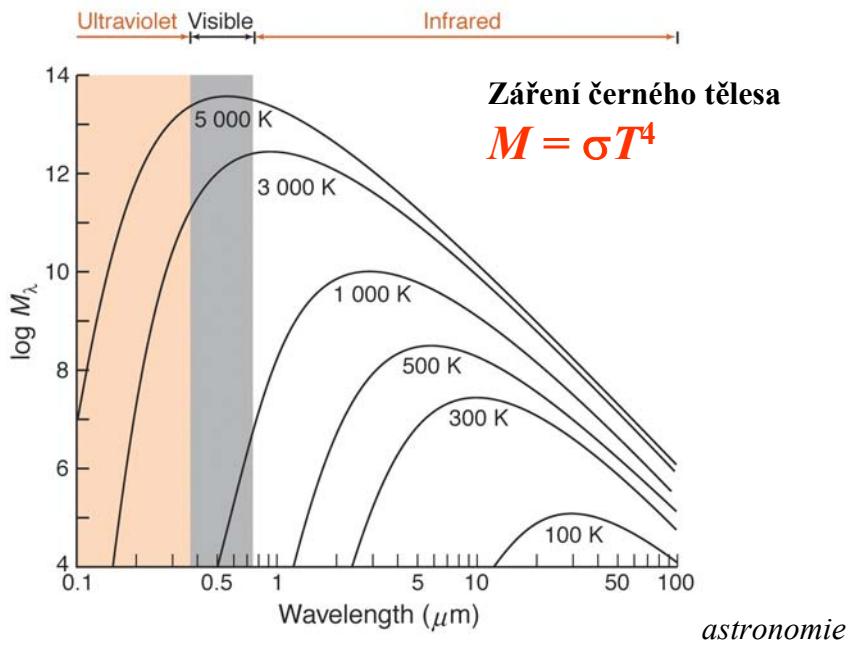
### b) zdroje čárového spektra

laser	molek. abs. spektr., UV, VIS, IČ; molek. fluoresc. spektr.
výbojka s dutou katodou	atom. abs. spektr., UV, VIS; atom. fluoresc. spektr.
Hg výbojka	atom. abs. spektr., UV, VIS; atom. fluoresc. spektr.

### c) zdroj spojitého i čárového záření

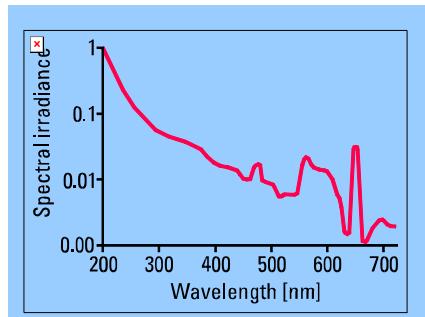
RTG lampa	RTG spektrometrie
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### d) v emisních spektrálních metodách je zdrojem záření excitovaný vzorek



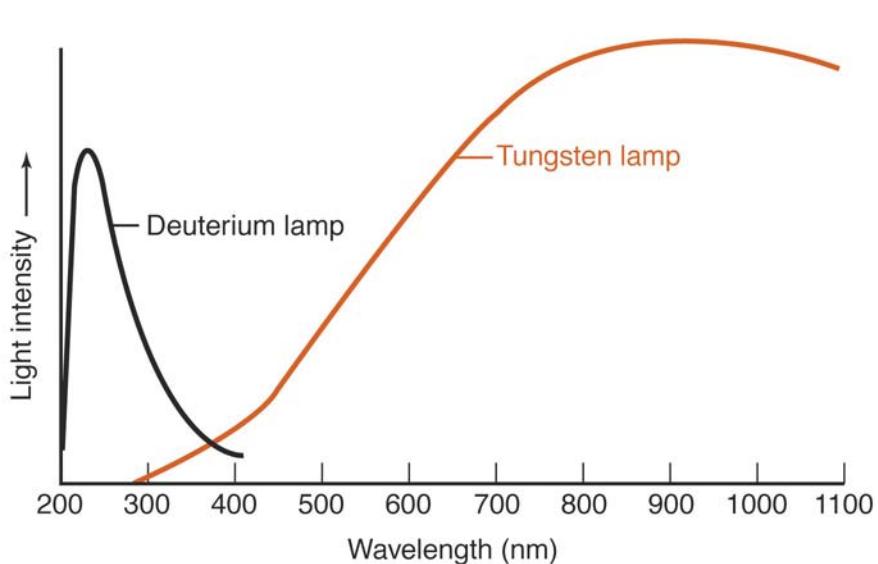
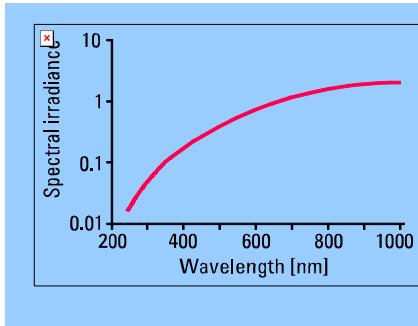
## Intensity Spectrum of the Deuterium Arc Lamp

- Good intensity in UV range
- Useful intensity in visible range
- Low noise
- Intensity decreases over lifetime



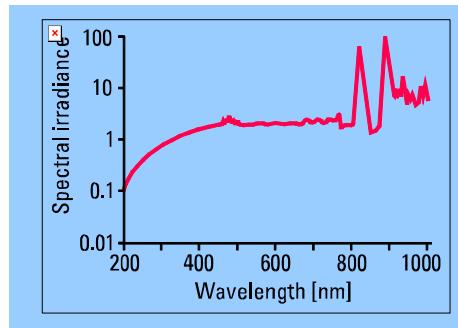
# Intensity Spectrum of the Tungsten-Halogen Lamp

- Weak intensity in UV range
- Good intensity in visible range
- Very low noise
- Low drift

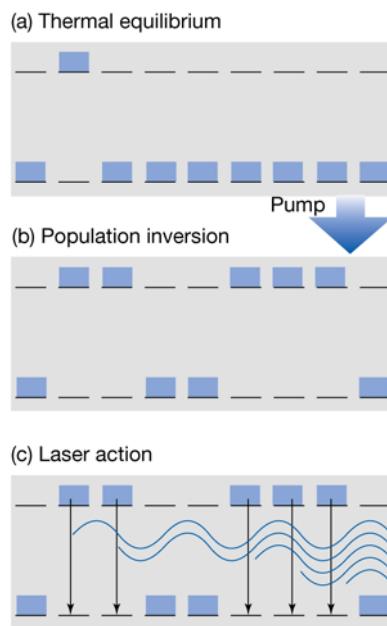


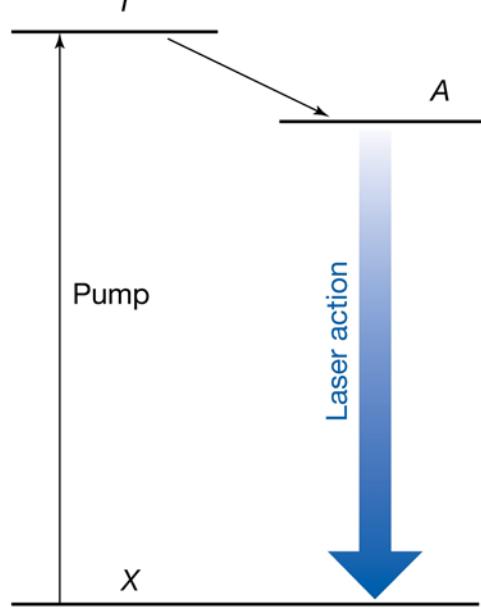
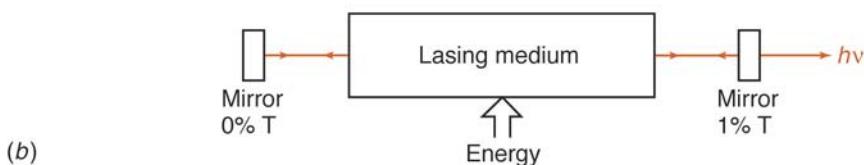
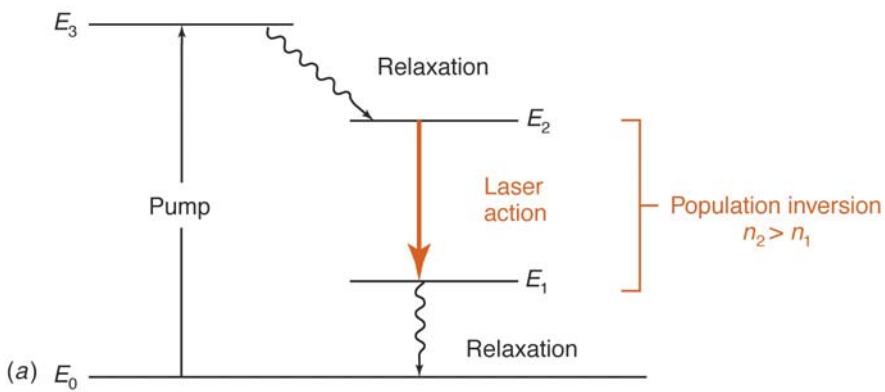
# Intensity Spectrum of the Xenon Lamp

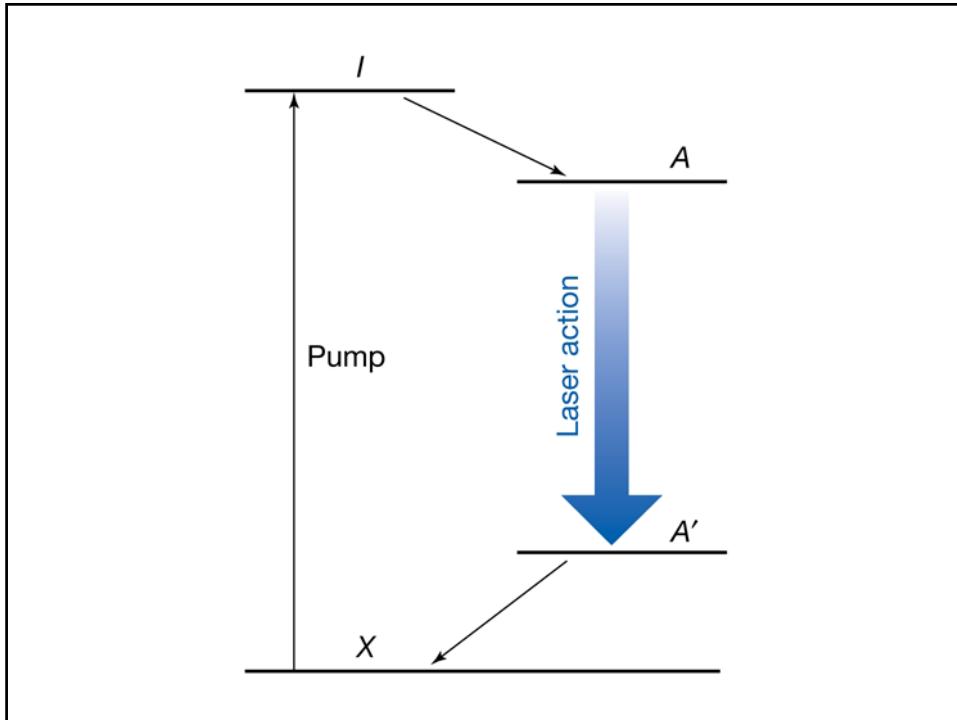
- High intensity in UV range
- High intensity in visible range
- Medium noise



## Lasery







## Vlastnosti laserů

- monochromatické záření
- extrémně úzké – vysoký výkon při jedné  $\lambda$
- kolimované
- polarizované
- koherrentní

### Nevýhody

- drahé
- náročné údržba
- omezený počet l pro použití

**Lasers are intense monochromatic sources, good as fluorescence sources, since  $F \propto$  Intensity.**

**Table 16.5**

**Characteristics of Common Lasers**

Laser	Wavelength (nm)	Power (W)
<i>Ionic crystal</i>		
Ruby <sup>a</sup>	694.3	1–10 MW
Nd: YAG <sup>a</sup>	1064.0	25 MW (8–9 ns)
<i>Gas</i>		
He-Ne	632.8	0.001–0.05
He-Cd	441.6	0.05
	325.0	0.01
Ar <sup>+</sup>	514.5	7.5
	496.6	2.5
	488.0	6.0
	476.5	2.5
	465.8	7.0
	457.9	1.3
	333.6–363.8 (4 lines)	3.0
Kr <sup>+</sup>	752.5	1.2
	647.1	3.5
	530.9	1.5
	482.5	0.4
	468.0	0.5
	413.1	1.8
	406.7	0.9
	337.5–356.4 (3 lines)	2.0
Nitrogen <sup>a</sup>	337.1	200 kW

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<sup>a</sup>Operated in pulsed mode; values given are peak power (pulse width).  
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## 2. Vlnové selektory

### Filtry

- absorpční
- interferenční

### Monochromatóry

- hranolové
- mřížkové

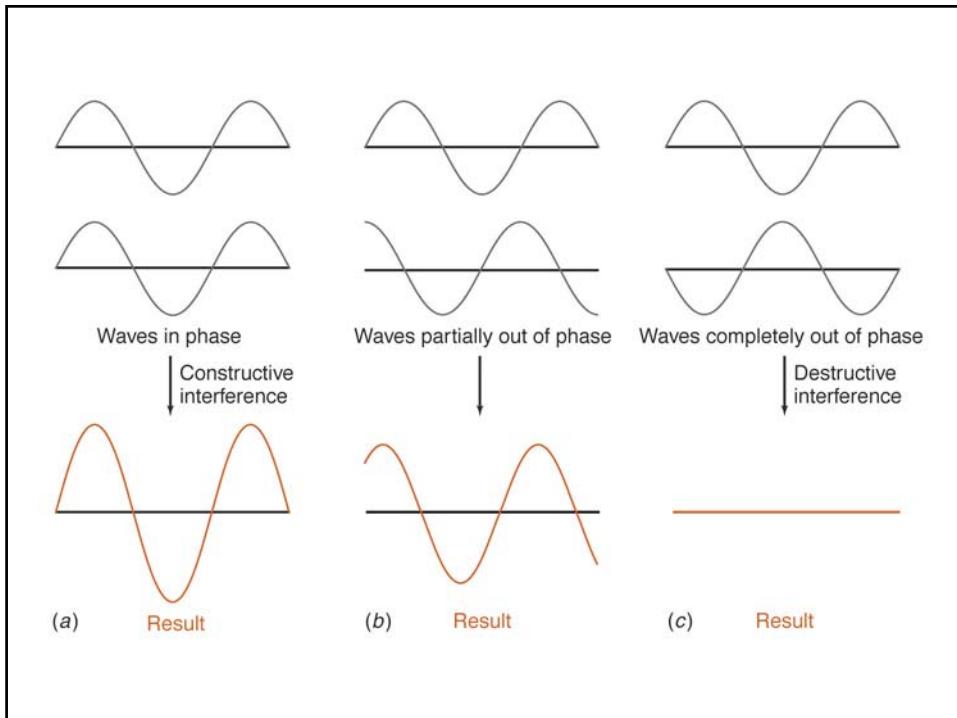
## 3. Vzorek

Molekulové spektrální metody –

- kyvety, (hranaté, válcové) z vhodného materiálu;
- Atomové spektrální metody
- oblak atomů.

## 4. Detektory

- fotonky, fotonásobiče
- polovodičové detektory
- detektory s diodovým polem
- termočlánky



**Modern IR spectrometers are Fourier transform spectrometers, rather than dispersive.**  
**The beam is split into two paths.**  
**When reflected, they are out of phase due to the moving mirror.**  
**They recombine to give an interference pattern of all wavelengths (pattern changes with time).**  
**A time-domain spectrum is recorded (interferogram – see next slide).**

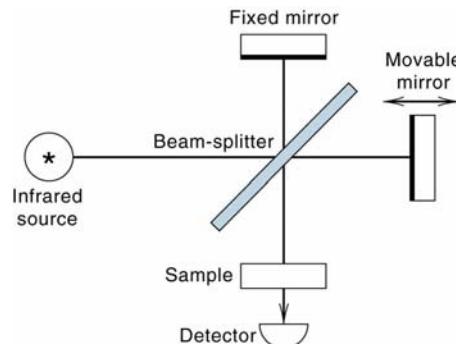
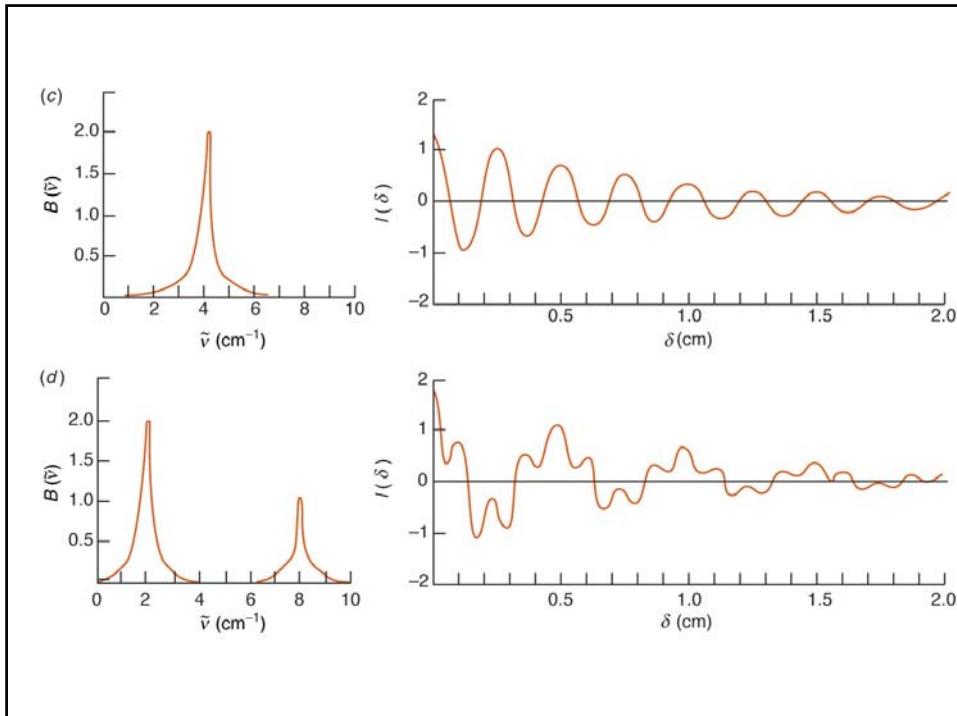
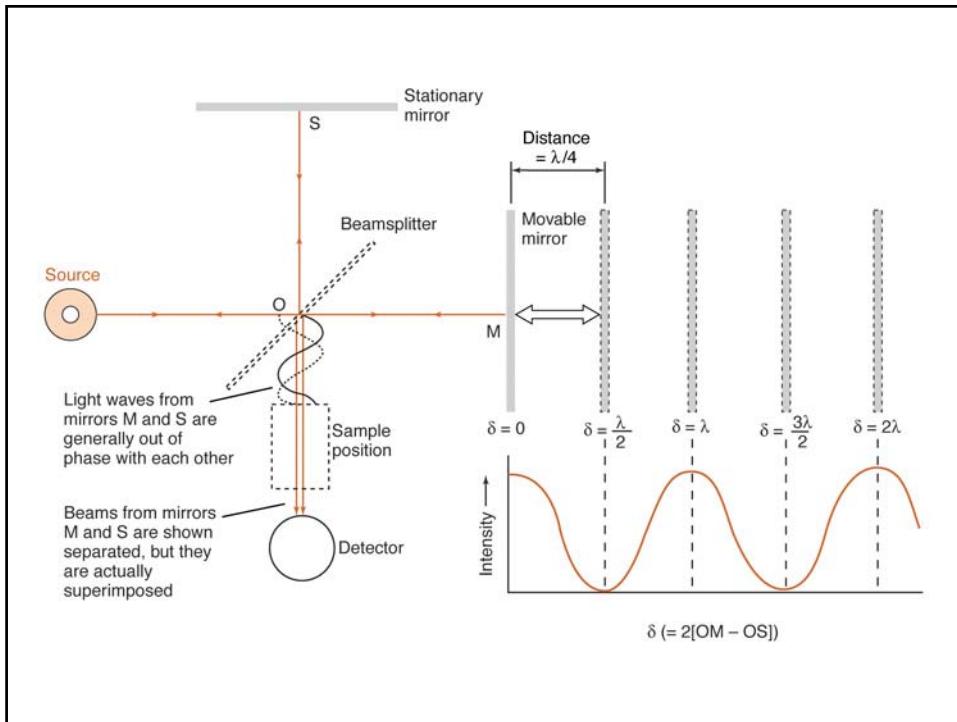
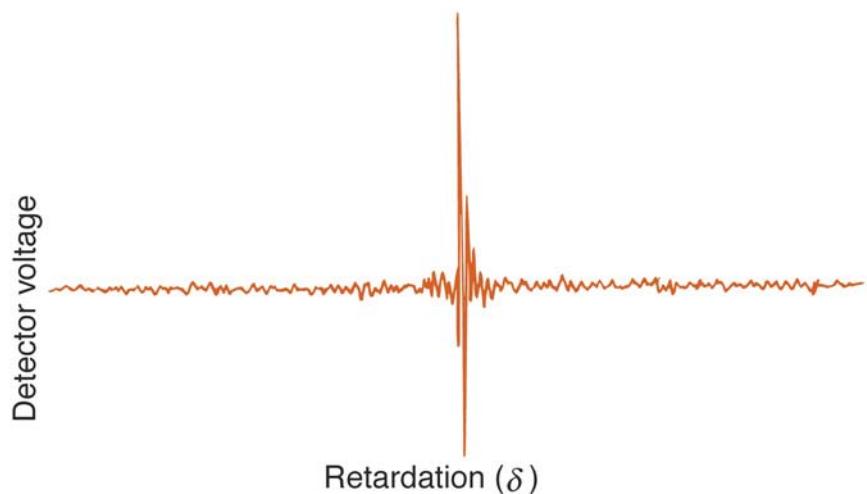


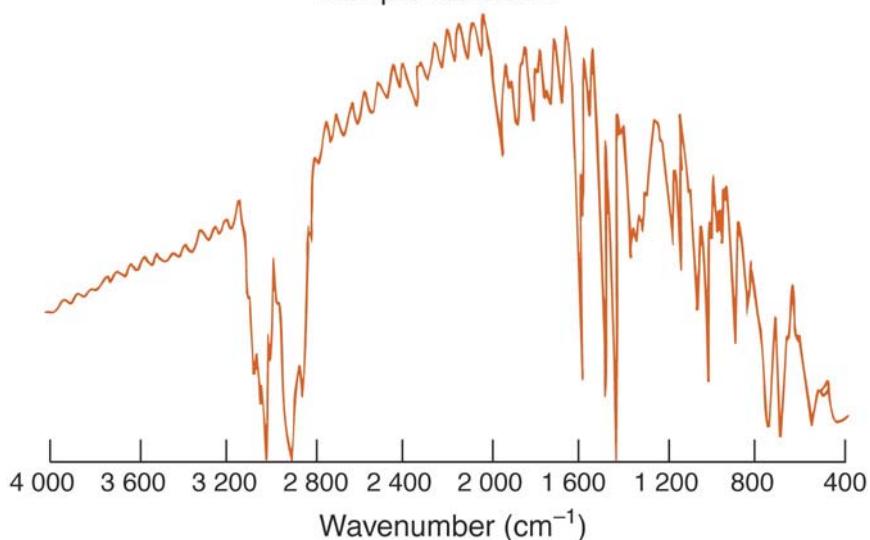
Fig. 16.25. Schematic of interferometer for FTIR spectroscopy.



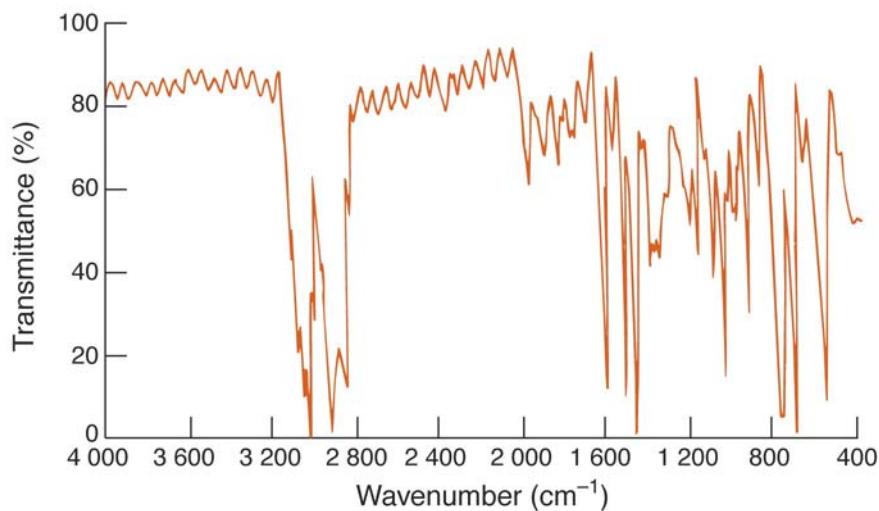
Sample interferogram



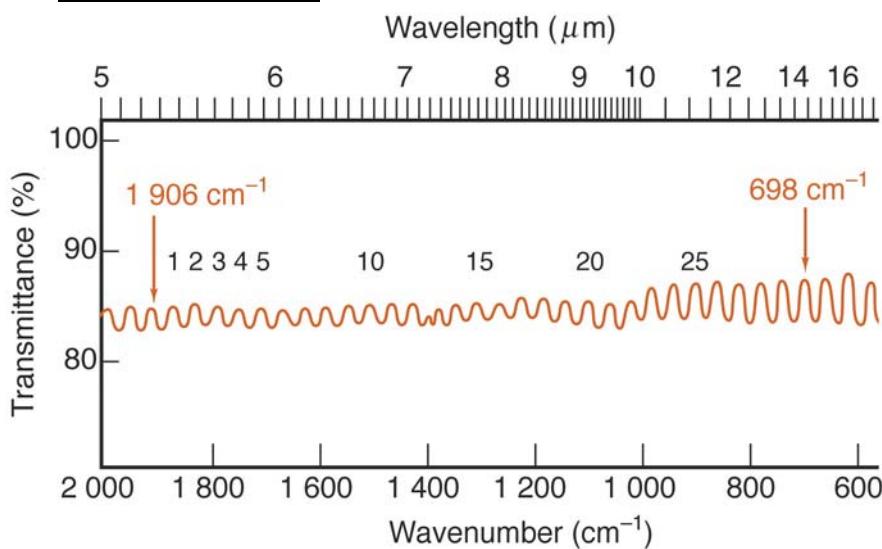
Sample transform



Transmission spectrum



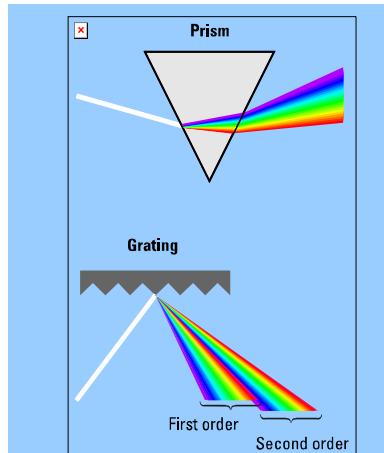
Kalibrace přístroje



# Dispersion Devices

- Non-linear dispersion
- Temperature sensitive

- Linear Dispersion
- Different orders



Dispersion by prisms is good at short wavelengths,  
poor at long wavelengths (IR).

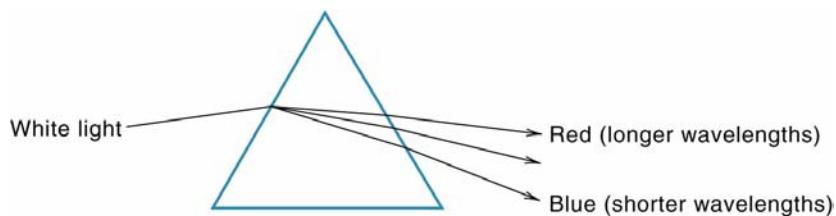
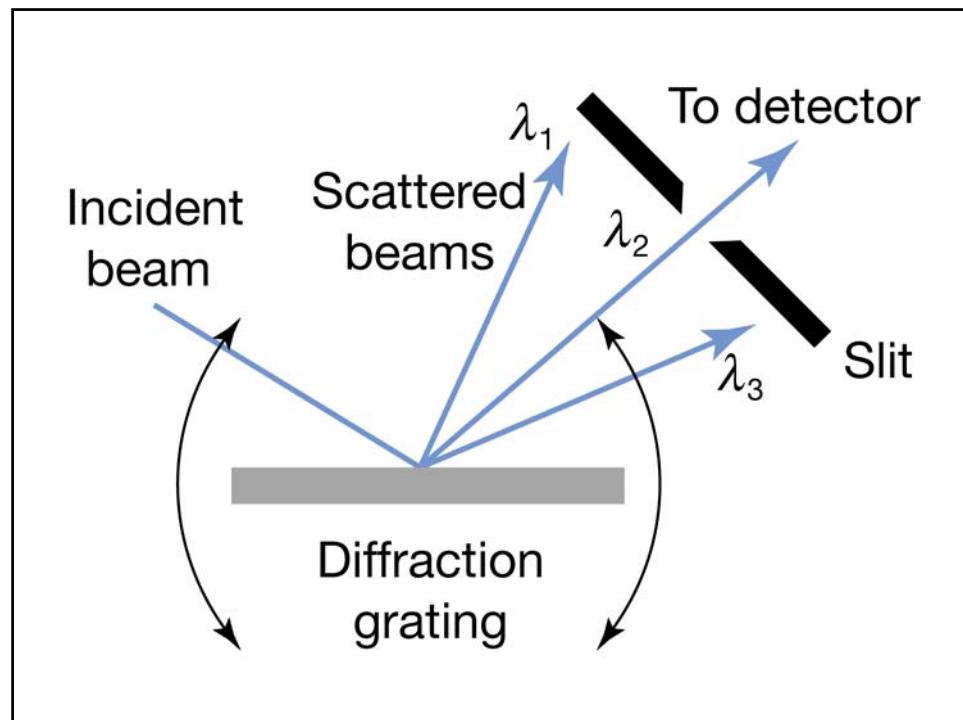
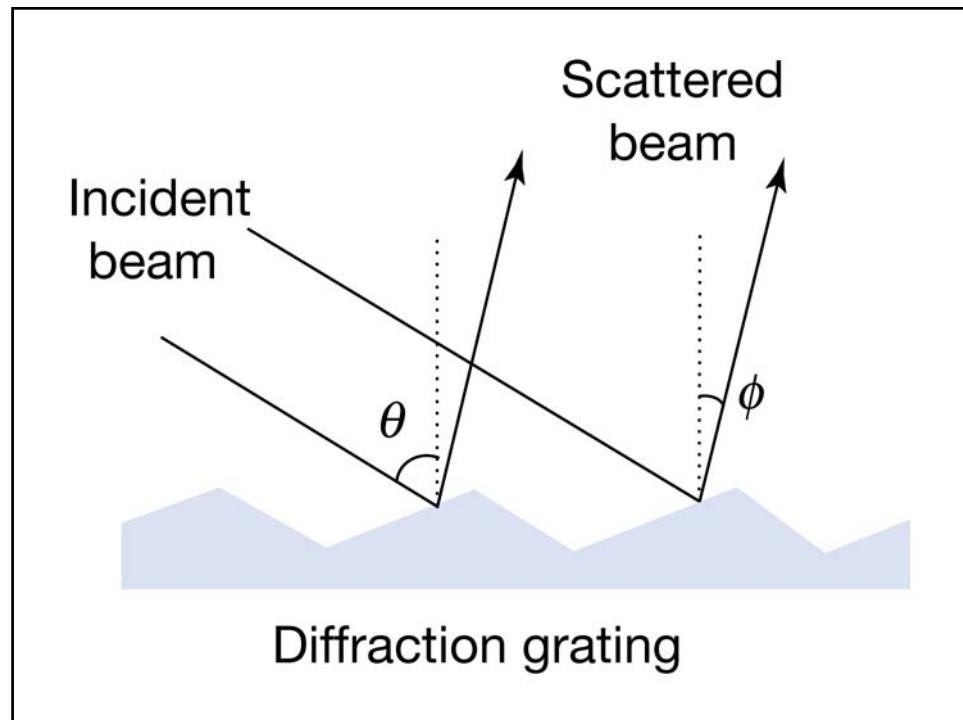


Fig. 16.14. Dispersion of polychromatic light by prism.



Dispersion by a grating is independent of wavelength, but intensity varies with wavelength.

Gratings are blazed for certain wavelength regions.

Higher order radiation is produced (multiples of the primary, 1<sup>st</sup> order, radiation).

Radiation at wavelengths shorter than the spectral region must be filtered out to prevent its 2<sup>nd</sup> order radiation from overlapping the spectral region.

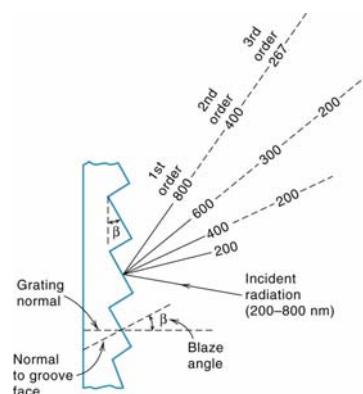


Fig. 16.15. Diffraction radiation from grating.

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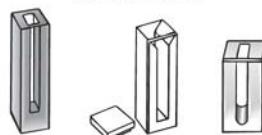
Standard  
1-cm path



Cylindrical



Micro cells



5-mm path



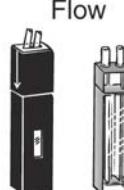
1-mm path



20-mm path



Flow



Thermal



The standard cell is 1 x 1 cm.  
Quartz is used for UV and visible.  
Glass and clear plastic are used for visible.

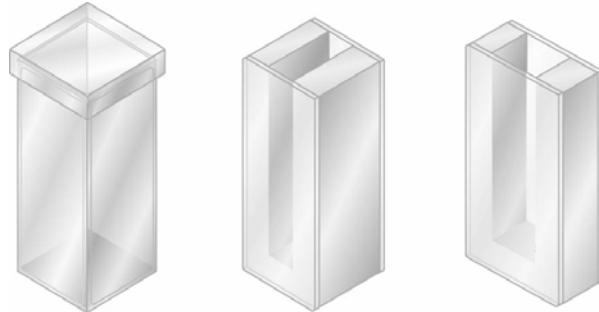
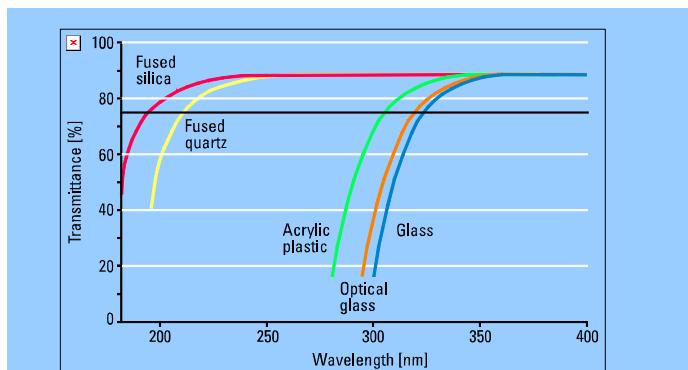


Fig. 16.16 Some typical UV and visible absorption cells.

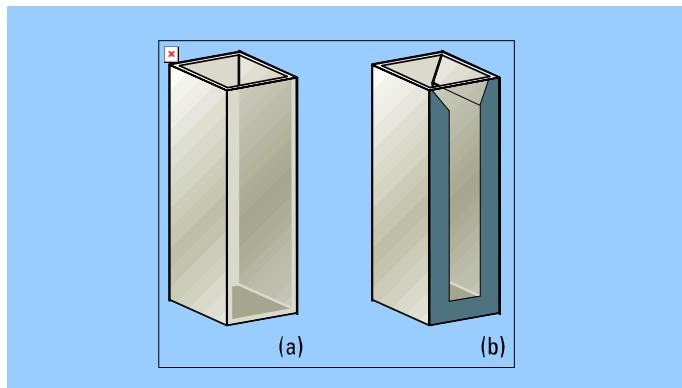
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## Transmission Characteristics of Cell Materials



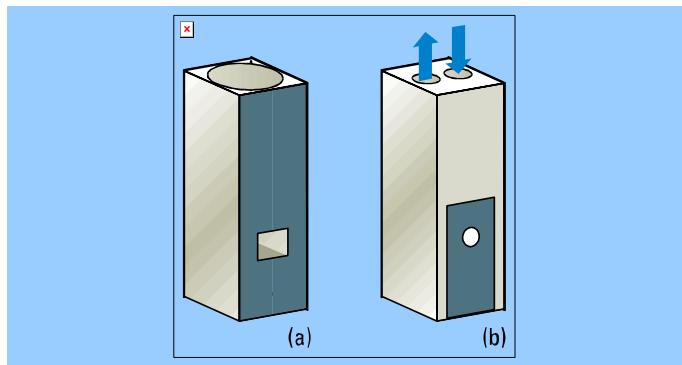
Note that all materials exhibit at least approximately 10% loss in transmittance at all wavelengths

## Cell Types I



Open-topped rectangular standard cell (a)  
and apertured cell (b) for limited sample volume

## Cell Types II



Micro cell (a) for very small volumes  
and flow-through cell (b) for automated applications

**Salt crystals are used as cell material for the IR region.**

**NaCl must be protected from moisture, and is polished to remove “fogging”.**

**AgCl can be used for wet samples.**

**Table 16.6**

**Properties of Infrared Materials**

Material	Useful Range ( $\text{cm}^{-1}$ )	General Properties
NaCl	40,000–625	Hygroscopic, water soluble, low cost, most commonly used material.
KCl	40,000–500	Hygroscopic, water soluble.
KBr	40,000–400	Hygroscopic, water soluble, slightly higher in cost than NaCl and more hygroscopic.
CaBr	40,000–250	Hygroscopic, water soluble.
CsI	40,000–200	Very hygroscopic, water soluble, good for lower wavenumber studies.
LiF	83,333–1425	Slightly soluble in water, good UV material.
CaF <sub>2</sub>	77,000–1110	Insoluble in water, resists most acids and alkalis.
BaF <sub>2</sub>	67,000–870	Insoluble in water, brittle, soluble in acids and NH <sub>4</sub> Cl.
AgCl	10,000–400	Insoluble in water, corrosive to metals. Darkens upon exposure to short-wavelength visible light. Store in dark.
AgBr	22,000–333	Insoluble in water, corrosive to metals. Darkens upon exposure to short-wavelength visible light. Store in dark.
KRS-5	16,600–285	Insoluble in water, highly toxic, soluble in bases, soft, good for ATR work.
ZnS	50,000–760	Insoluble in water, normal acids and bases, brittle.
ZnSe	20,000–500	Insoluble in water, normal acids and bases, brittle.
Ge	5000–560	Brittle, high index of refraction.
Si	83,333–1430 400–30	Insoluble in most acids and bases.
UV quartz	56,800–3700	Unaffected by water and most solvents.
IR quartz	40,000–3000	Unaffected by water and most solvents.
Polyethylene	625–10	Low-cost material for far-IR work.

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**A short path cell is used with pure substances for qualitative measurements (e.g., 0.01–0.05 mm).**

**High concentration solutions are usually used since most solvent absorb some in the IR (ca. 0.1 mm pathlength).**

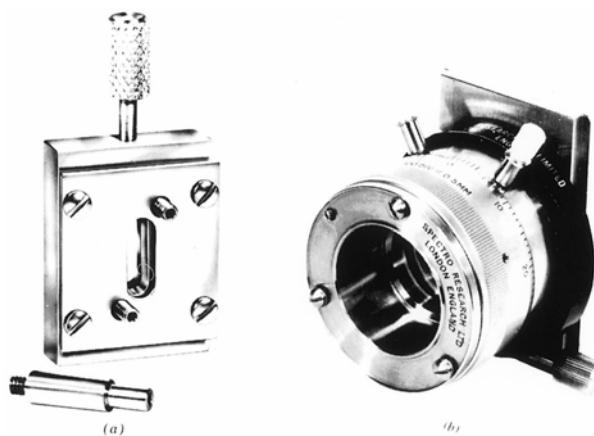
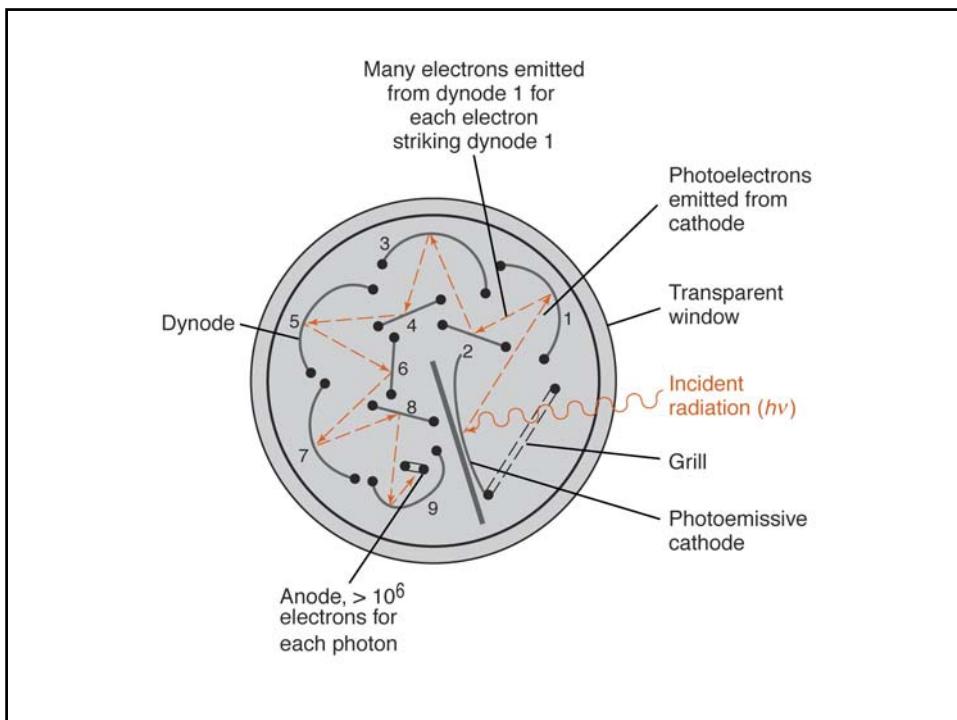
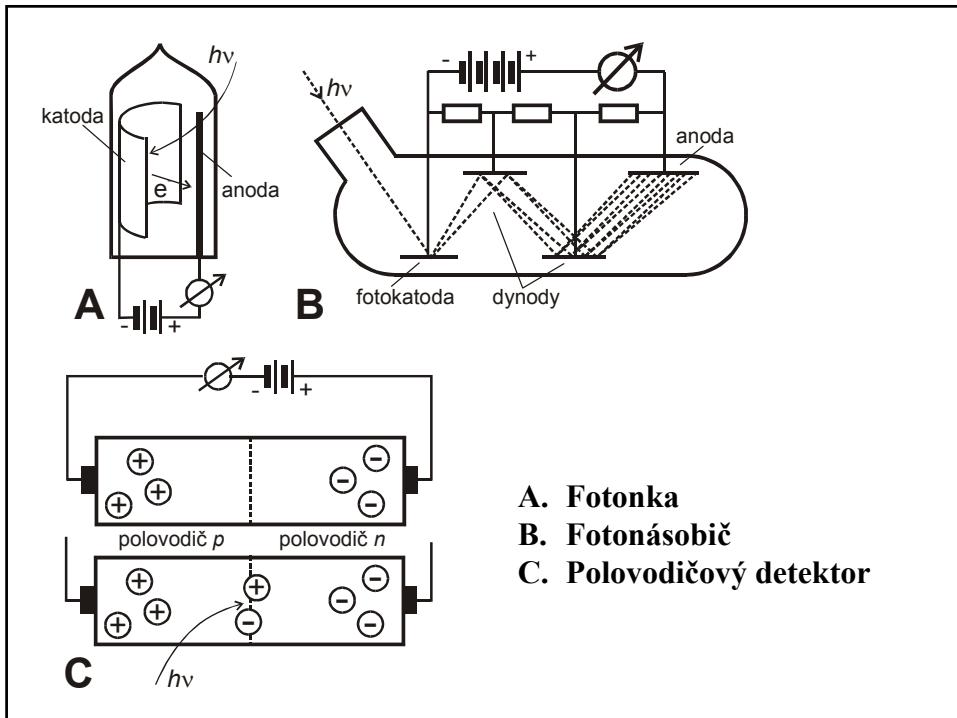
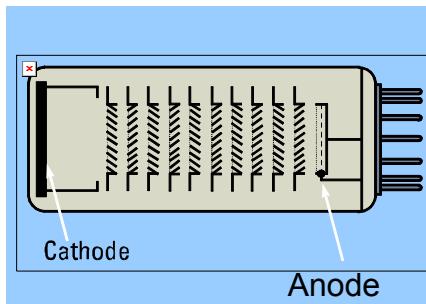


Fig. 16.17. Typical infrared cells. (a) Fixed-path cell. (b) Variable length cell.



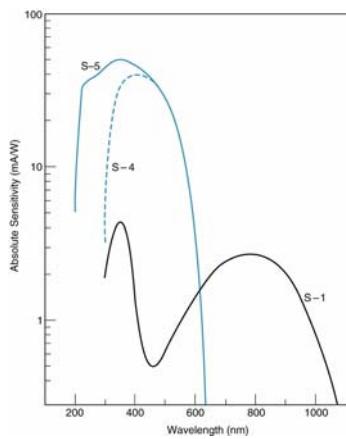
# Photomultiplier Tube Detector

- High sensitivity at low light levels
- Cathode material determines spectral sensitivity
- Good signal/noise
- Shock sensitive



**PM tubes are sensitive, but different photoemissive surfaces are responsive to different wavelengths.**

**Einstein received the 1921 Nobel Prize in Physics for explaining the photoelectric effect in 1905.**

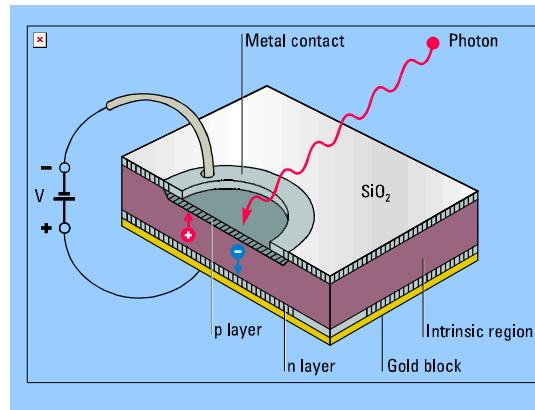


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Fig. 16.18. Some spectral responses of photomultipliers.  
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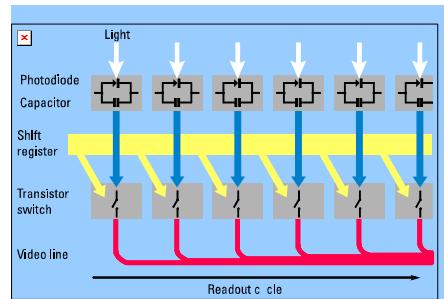
# The Photodiode Detector

- Wide dynamic range
- Very good signal/noise at high light levels
- Solid-state device



## Schematic Diagram of a Photodiode Array

- Same characteristics as photodiodes
- Solid-state device
- Fast read-out cycles



**These detectors allow recording of an entire spectrum at once.**

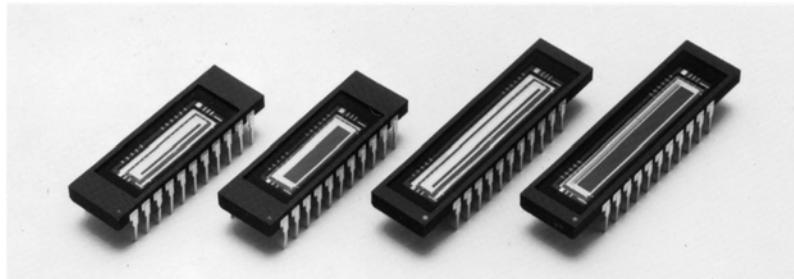


Fig. 16.19. Photo of 1024-element diode arrays.

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**Diode arrays are useful for UV to IR radiation.**

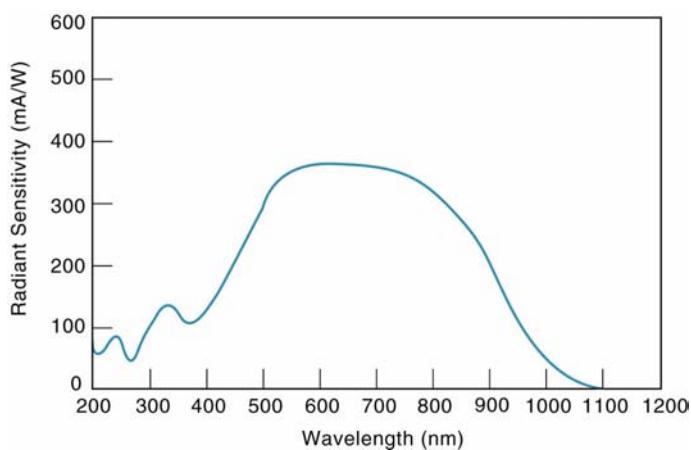
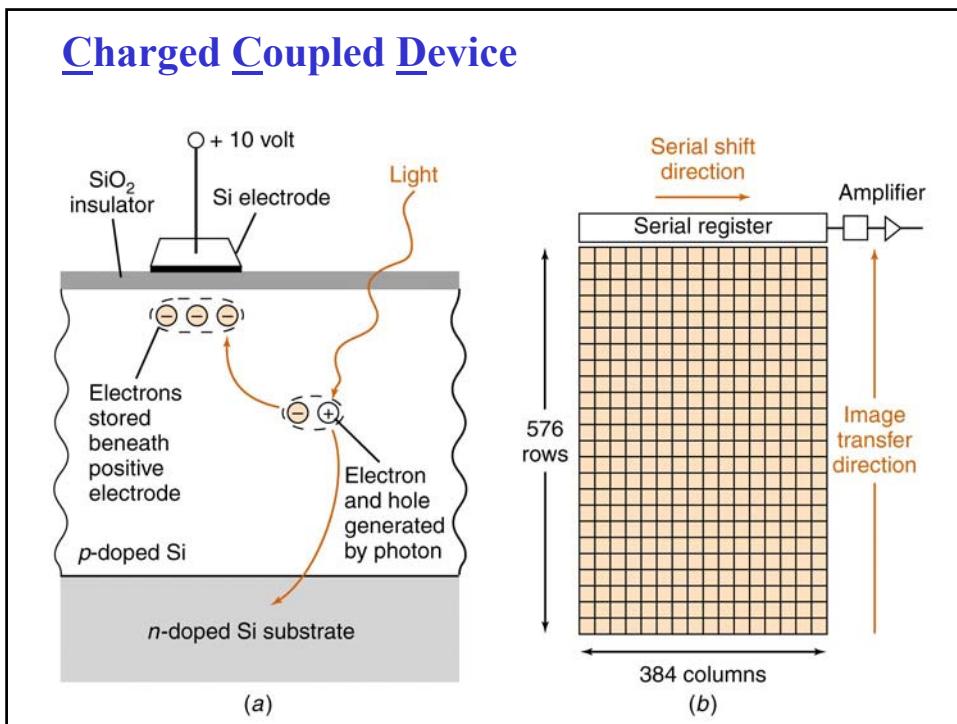
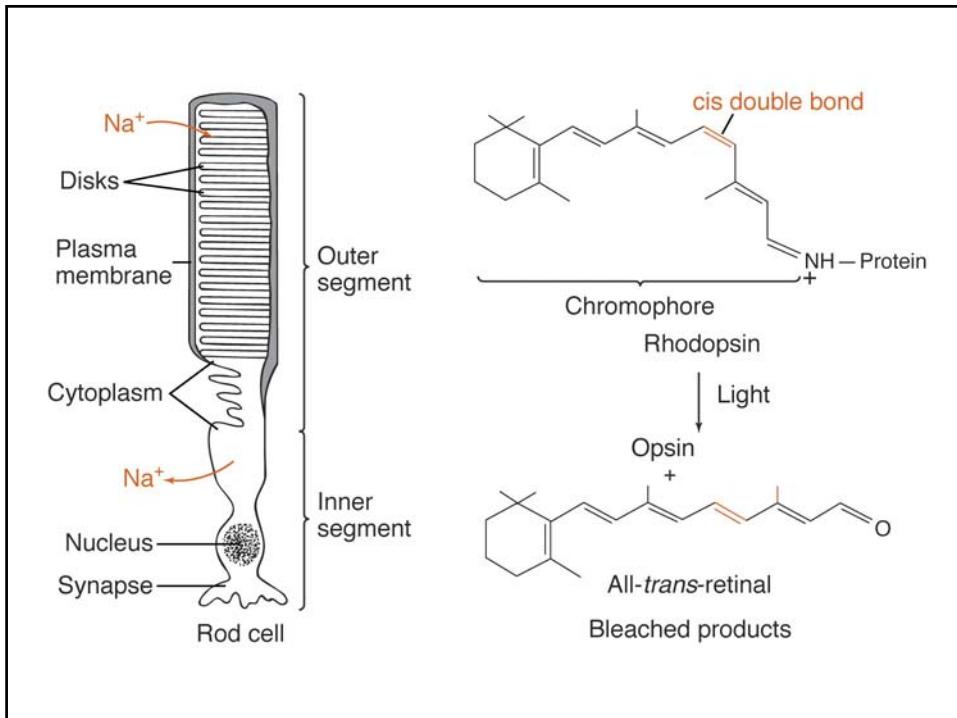
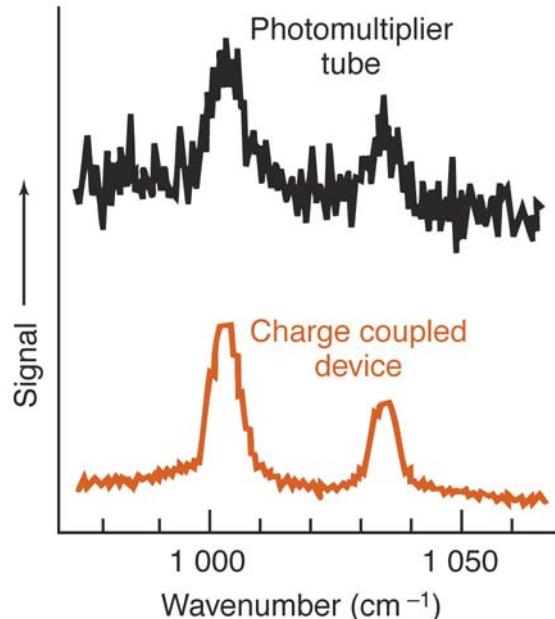


Fig. 16.20. Typical spectral response of diode array.

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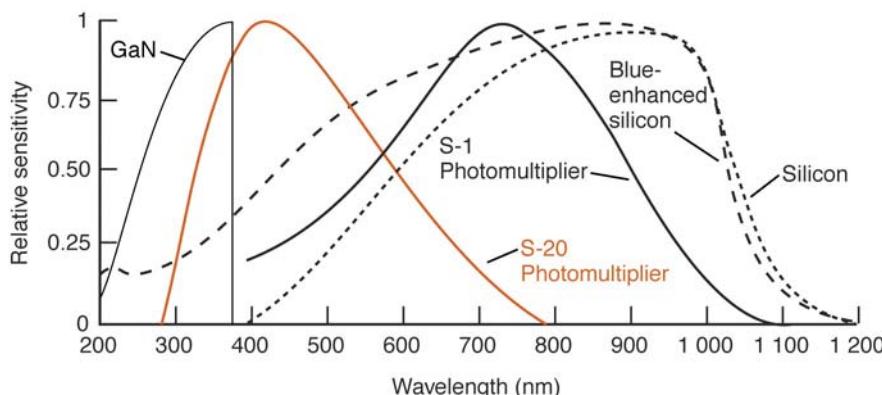


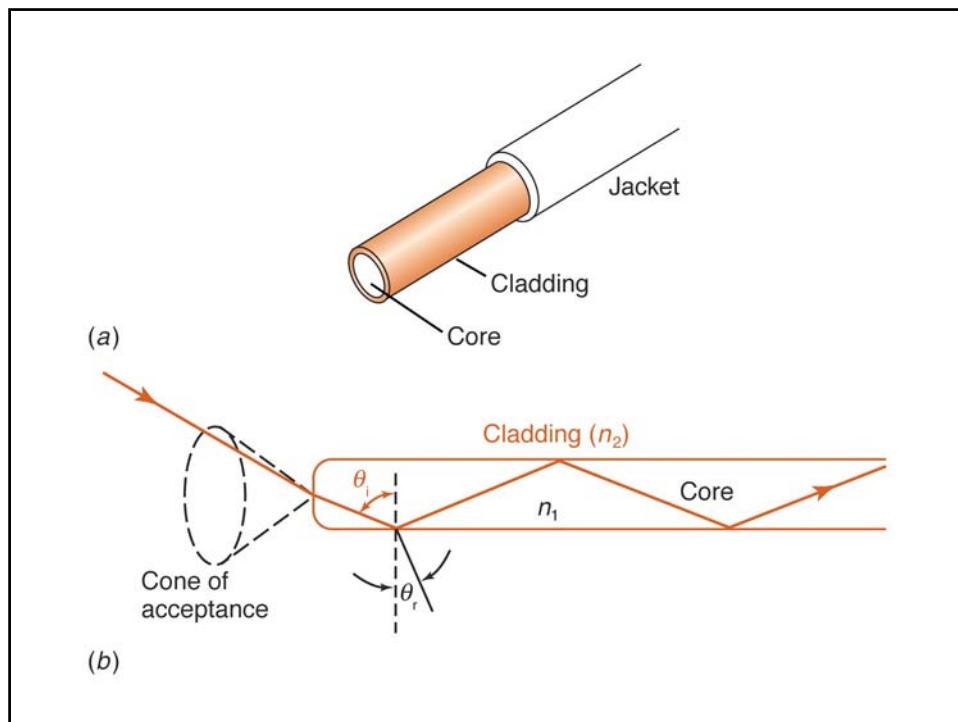
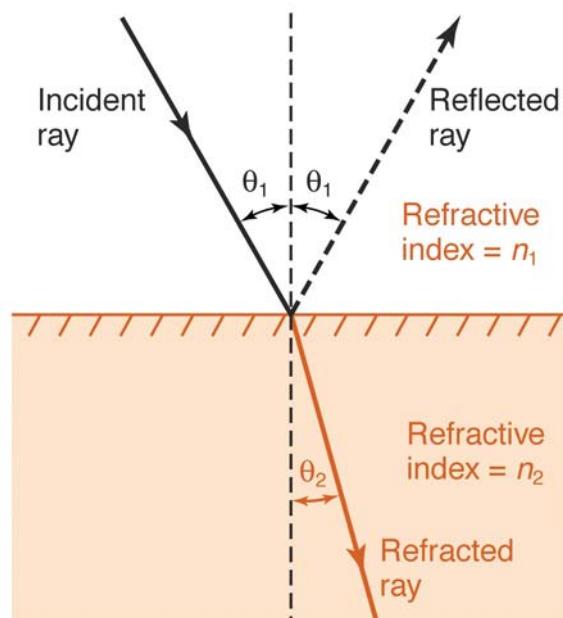


**Table 20-2** Minimum detectable signal (photons/s/detector element) of ultraviolet/visible detectors

Signal acquisition time (s)	Photodiode array		Photomultiplier tube		Charge coupled device	
	Ultraviolet	Visible	Ultraviolet	Visible	Ultraviolet	Visible
1	6 000	3 300	30	122	31	17
10	671	363	6.3	26	3.1	1.7
100	112	62	1.8	7.3	0.3	0.2

SOURCE: R. B. Bilhorn, J. V. Sweedler, P. M. Epperson, and M. B. Denton, "Charge Transfer Device Detectors for Analytical Optical Spectroscopy," *Appl. Spectros.* **1987**, *41*, 1114.





The cladding has a higher refractive index than the core.

The buffer layer is a protective layer.

Light entering at no greater angle than  $\theta_a$  will be internally reflected and transmitted.

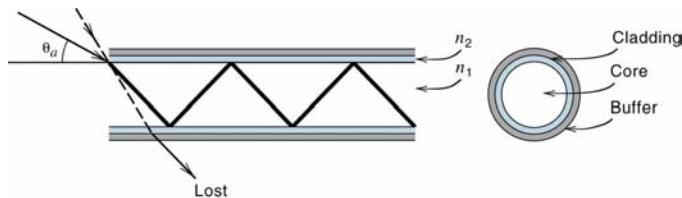
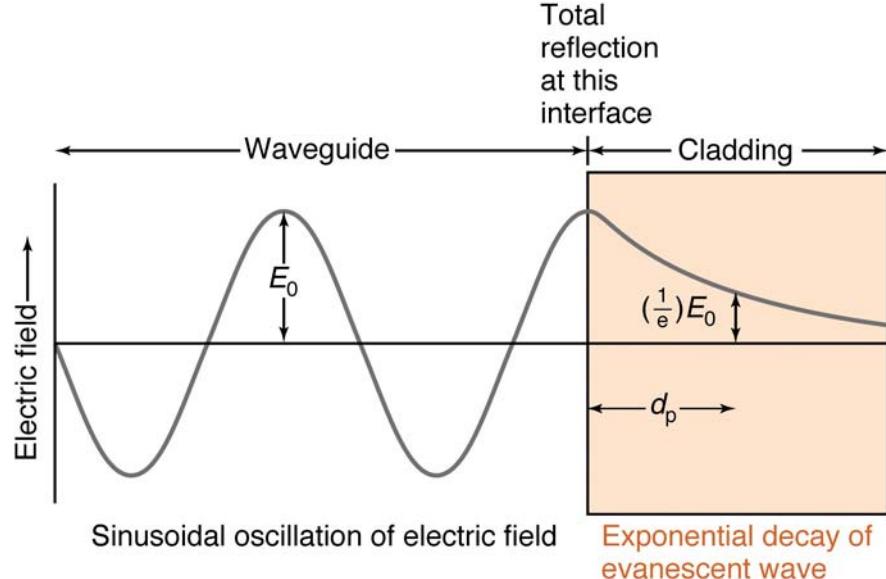
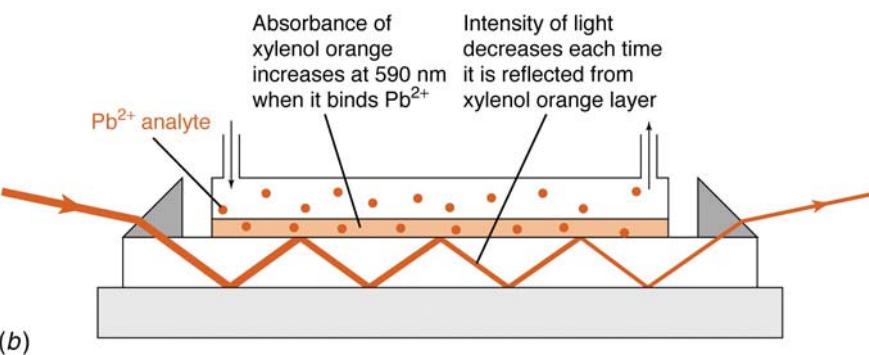
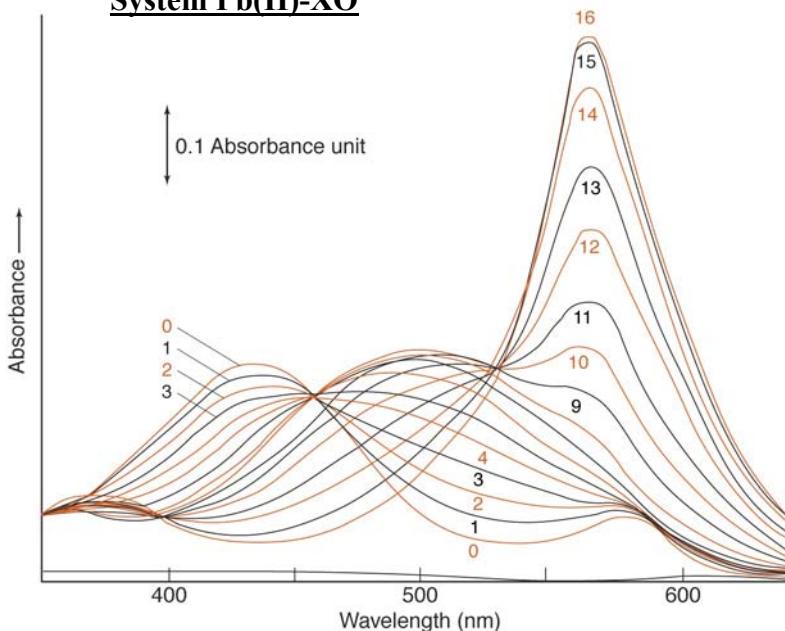


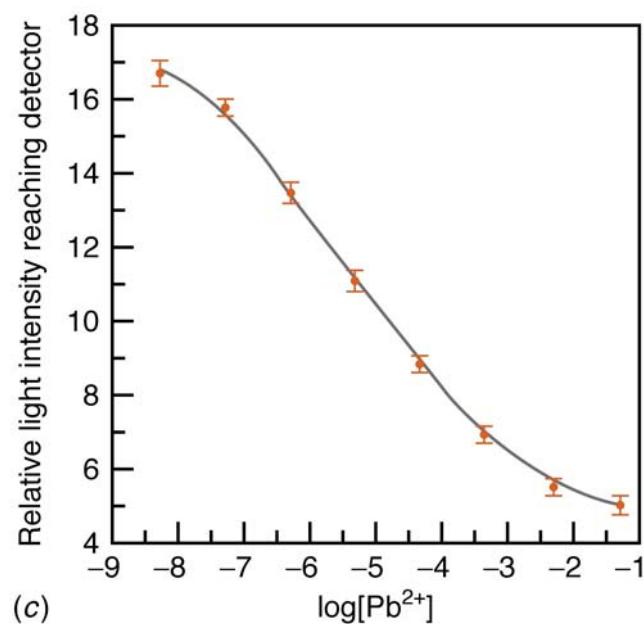
Fig. 16.32. Fiber-optic structure.

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### System Pb(II)-XO





The detector is a 2048-element charge-couple device (CCD).

The light from the fiber optic cable is dispersed across the array via a fixed grating.

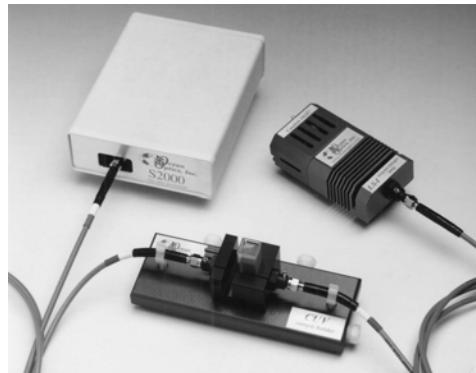
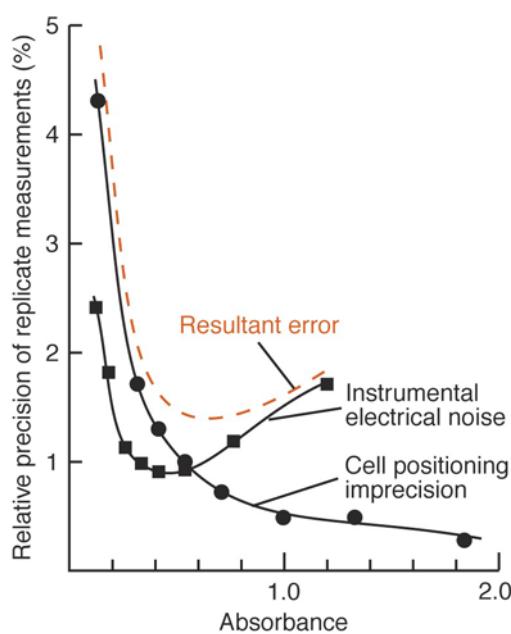


Fig. 16.34. Miniature fiber spectrometer. Box is the spectrometer. Light source is to right, and fiber-optic cable guides light to cuvet. Second cable takes transmitted light to spectrometer.

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It is difficult to precisely measure either very small or very large decreases in absorbance.

For thermal-noise limited detectors (as used in IR), the error is minimum for  $A = 0.434$ ; working range 0.1-1 A.

For shot-noise limited phototube and photomultiplier detectors, the error is minimum at  $A = 0.87$ ; working range is 0.1-1.5 A.

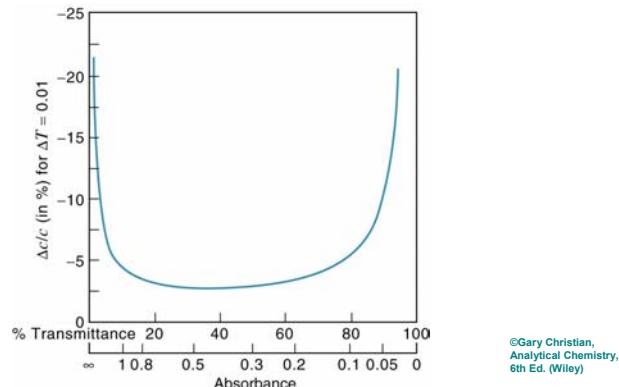
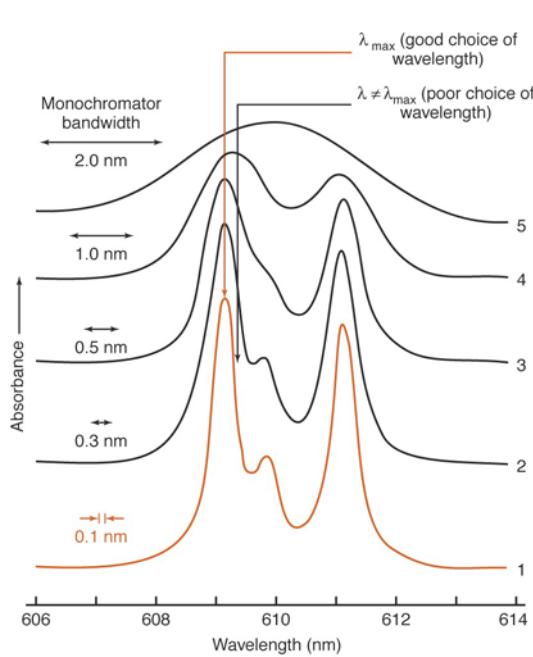


Fig. 16.27. relative concentration error as function of transmittance for 1% uncertainty in %T.

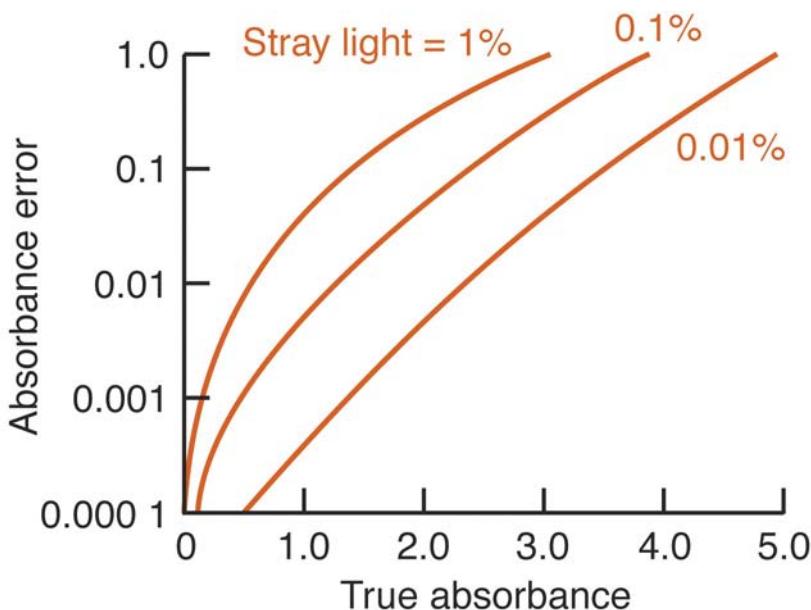


**Table 20-1** Calibration standard for ultraviolet absorbance

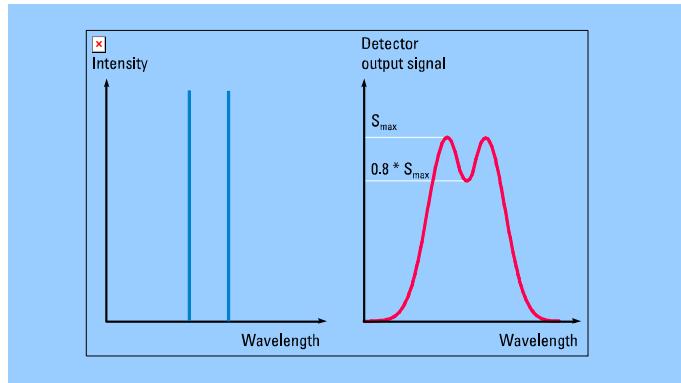
Absorbance of  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$   
(60.06 mg/L) in 5.0 mM

$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ Wavelength (nm)	Absorbance in 1-cm cell
235	0.748 $\pm$ 0.010
257	0.865 $\pm$ 0.010
313	0.292 $\pm$ 0.010
350	0.640 $\pm$ 0.010

SOURCE: S. Ebel, "Validation of Analysis Methods," *Fresenius J. Anal. Chem.*

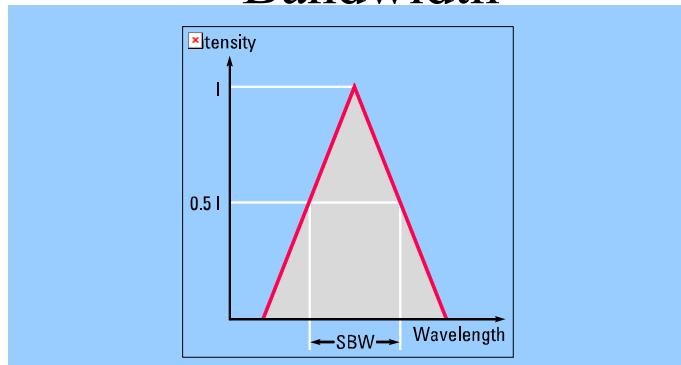


# Definition of Resolution



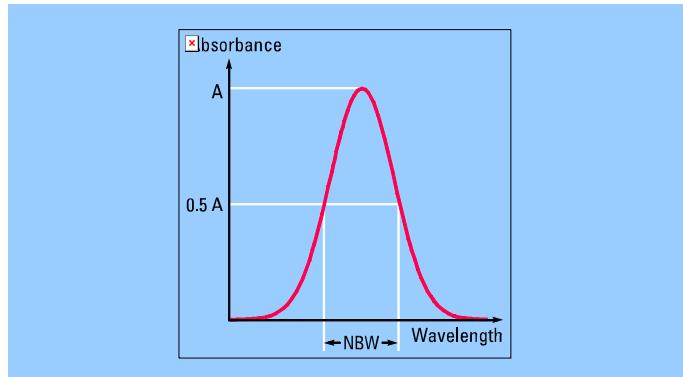
Spectral resolution is a measure of the ability of an instrument to differentiate between two adjacent wavelengths

## Instrumental Spectral Bandwidth



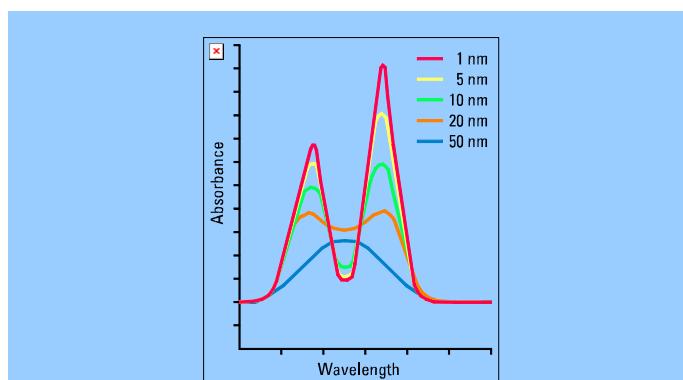
The SBW is defined as the width, at half the maximum intensity, of the band of light leaving the monochromator

# Natural Spectral Bandwidth



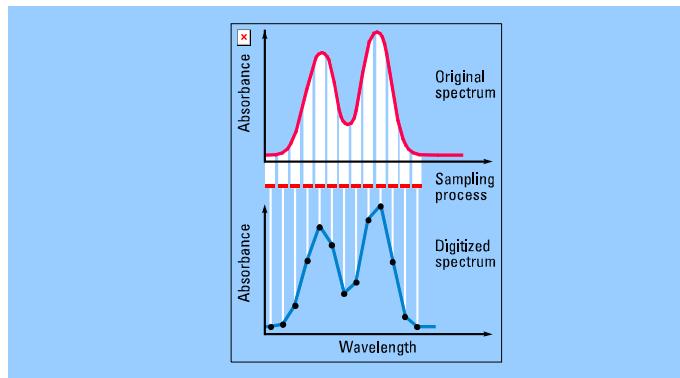
The NBW is the width of the sample absorption band at half the absorption maximum

# Effect of SBW on Band Shape



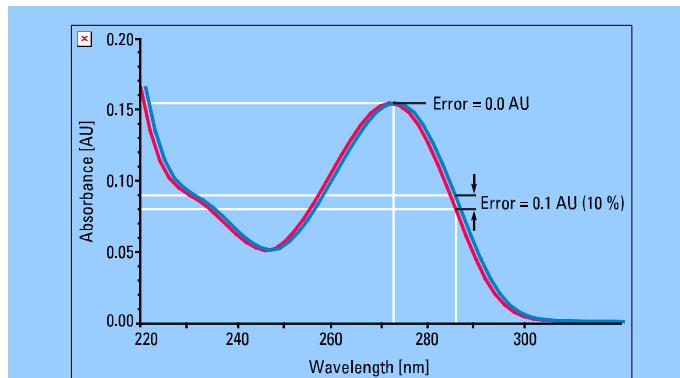
The SBW/NBW ratio should be 0.1 or better to yield an absorbance measurement with an accuracy of 99.5% or better

# Effect of Digital Sampling



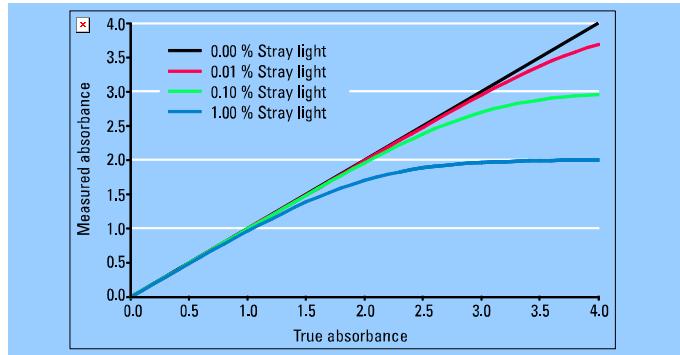
The sampling interval used to digitize the spectrum for computer evaluation and storage also effects resolution

# Wavelength Resetability



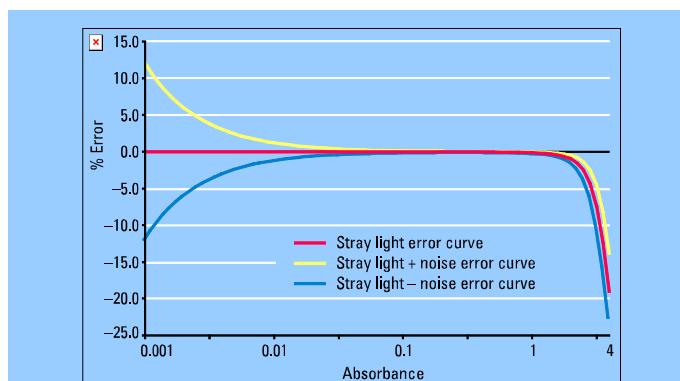
Influence of wavelength resetability on measurements at the maximum and slope of an absorption band

## Effect of Stray Light



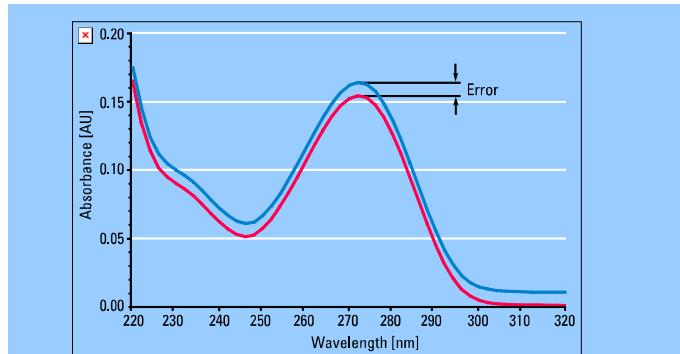
Effect of various levels of stray light on measured absorbance compared with actual absorbance

## Theoretical Absorbance Error



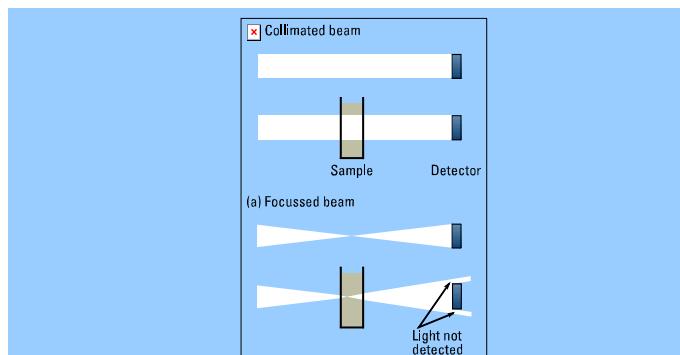
The total error at any absorbance is the sum of the errors due to stray light and noise (photon noise and electronic noise)

## Effect of Drift



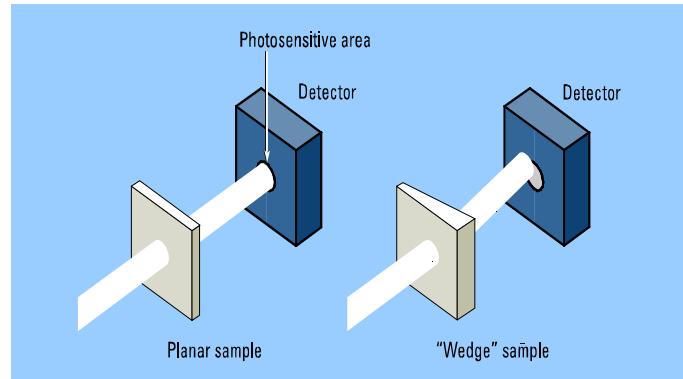
Drift is a potential cause of photometric error and results from variations between the measurement of  $I_0$  and  $I$

## Effect of Refractive Index



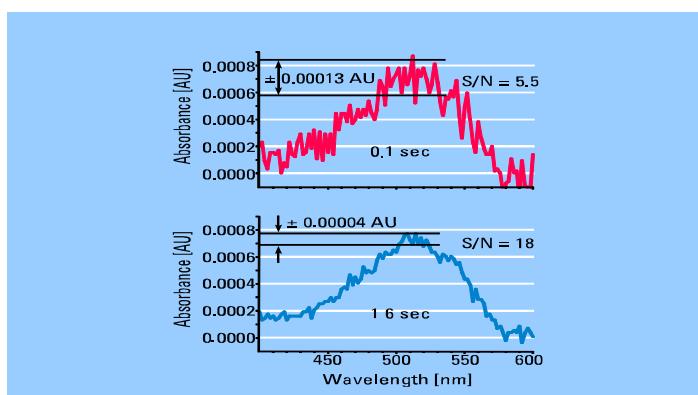
Changes in the refractive index of reference and sample measurement can cause wrong absorbance measurements

## Non-planar Sample Geometry



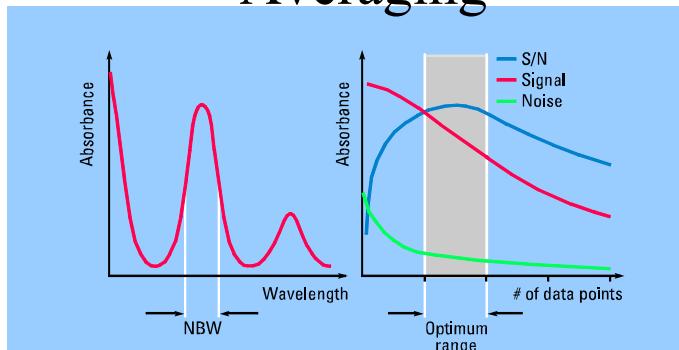
Some sample can act as an active optical component in the system and deviate or defocus the light beam

## Effect of Integration Time



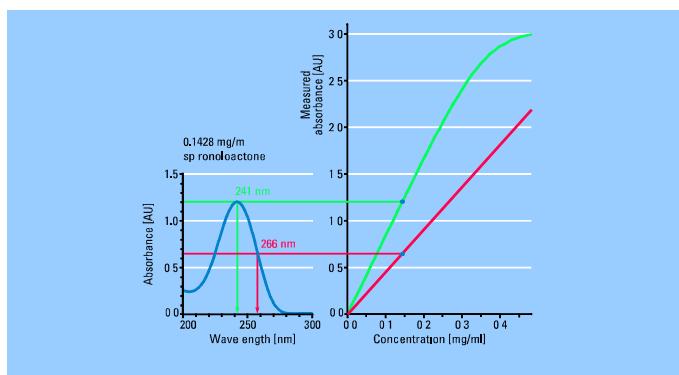
Averaging of data points reduces noise by the square root of the number of points averaged

# Effect of Wavelength Averaging



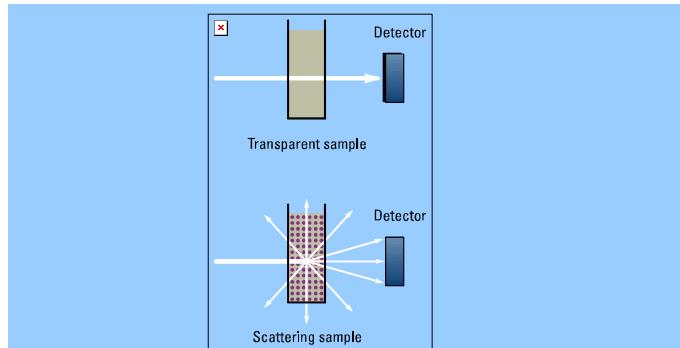
- Wavelength averaging reduces also the noise (square root of data points)
- Amplitude of the signal is affected

# Increasing Dynamic Range



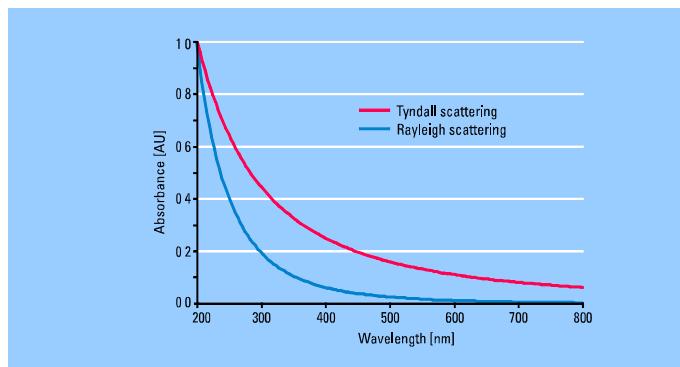
Selection of a wavelength in the slope of a absorption band can increase the dynamic range and avoid sample preparation like dilution

# Scattering



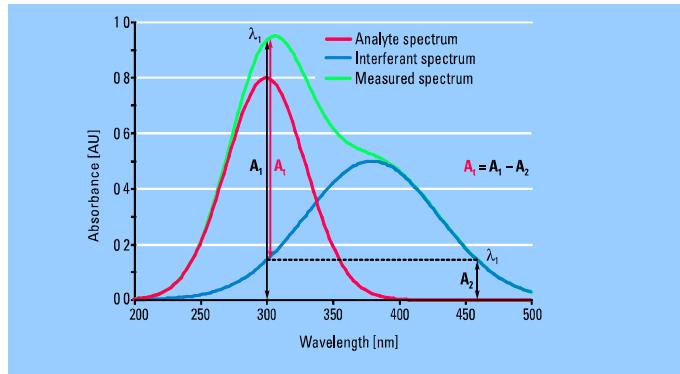
Scattering causes an apparent absorbance because less light reaches the detector

# Scatter Spectra



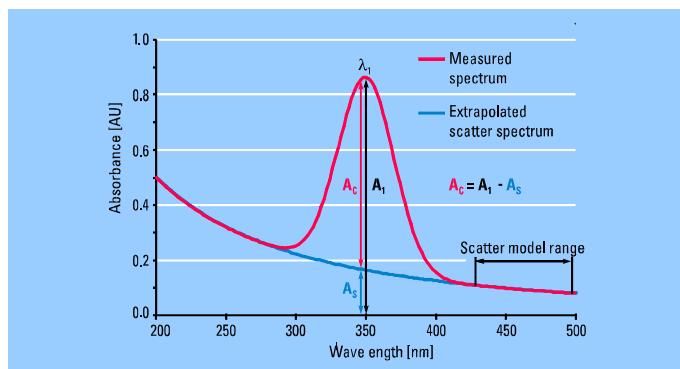
- Rayleigh scattering: Particles small relative to wavelength
- Tyndall scattering: Particles large relative to wavelength

# Isoabsorbance Corrections



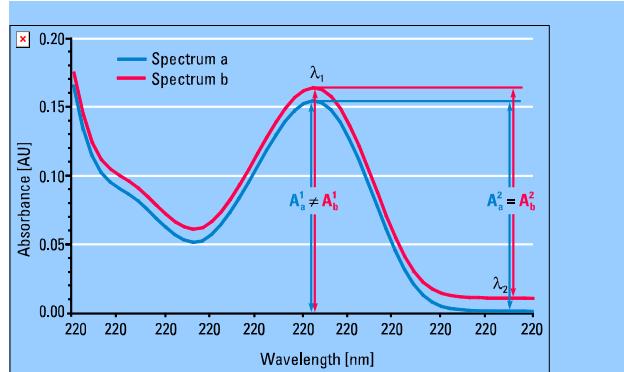
Absorbance at the reference wavelength must be equivalent to the interference at the analytical wavelength

# Background Modeling



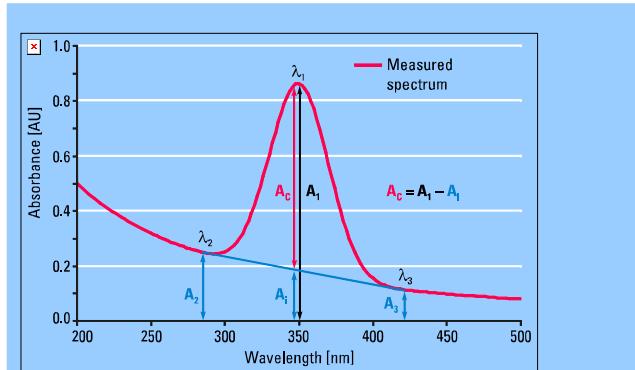
Background modeling can be done if the interference is due to a physical process

# Internal Referencing



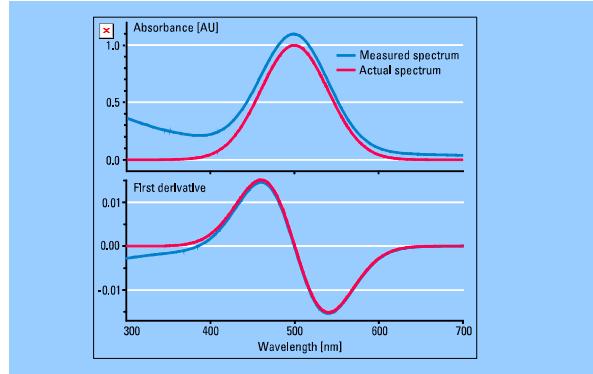
Corrects for constant background absorbance over a range

# Three-Point Correction



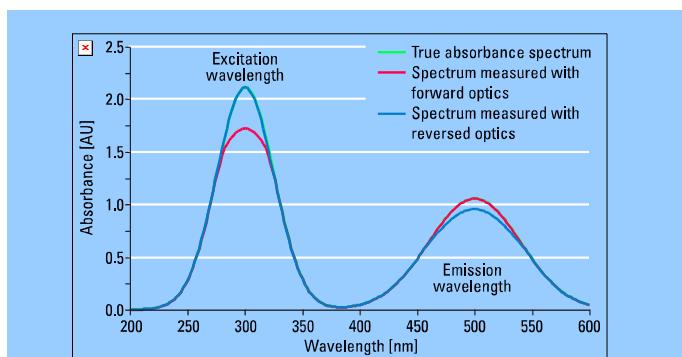
- Uses two reference wavelengths
- Corrects for sloped linear background absorbance

# Scatter Correction by Derivative Spectroscopy



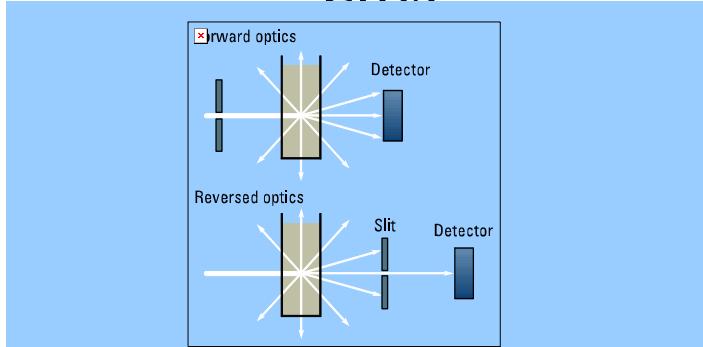
Scatter is discriminated like a broad-band absorbance band

# Effect of Fluorescence



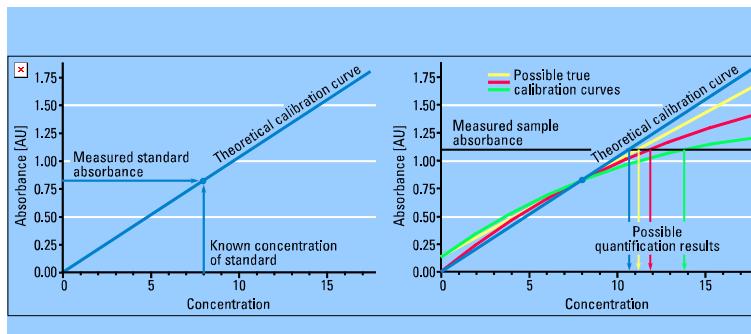
The emitted light of a fluorescing sample causes an error in the absorbance measurement

# Acceptance Angles and Magnitude of Fluorescence Error



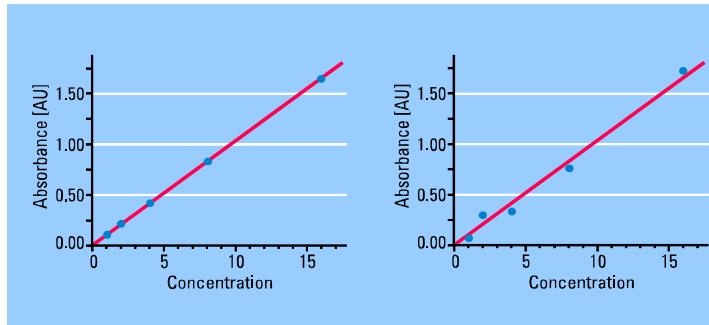
- Forward optics: Absorbance at the excitation wavelengths are too low
- Reversed optics: Absorbance at the emission wavelengths are too low

## Inadequate Calibration



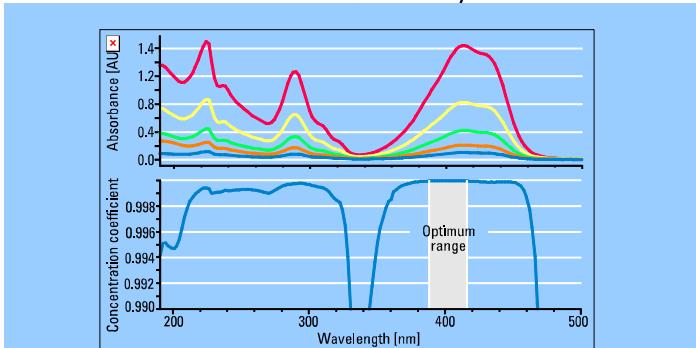
- Theoretically only one standard is required to calibrate
- In practice, deviations from Beer's law can cause wrong results

# Calibration Data Sets



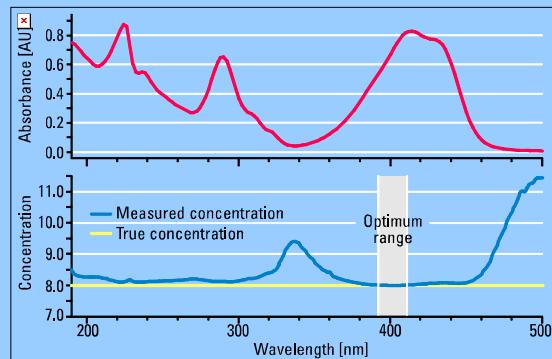
- Forward optics: Absorbance at the excitation wavelengths are too low
- Reversed optics: Absorbance at the emission wavelengths are too low

## Wavelength(s) for Best Linearity



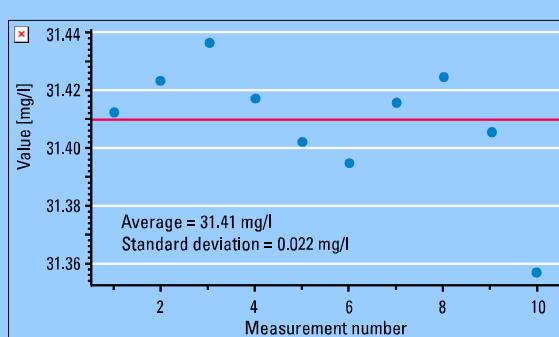
- A linear calibration curve is calculated at each wavelength
- The correlation coefficient gives an estimate on the linearity

# Wavelength(s) for Best Accuracy



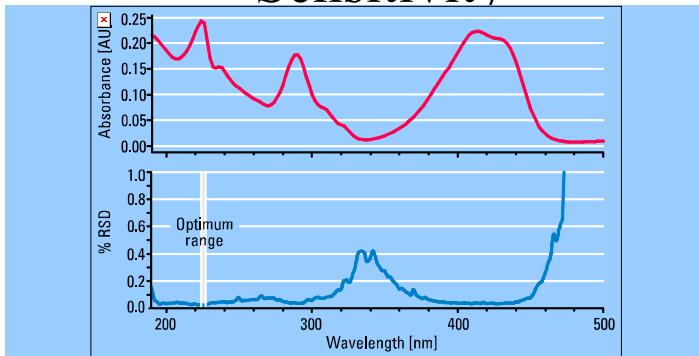
- The quantification results are calculated at each wavelength
- The calculated concentration are giving an estimate of the accuracy

# Precision of an Analysis



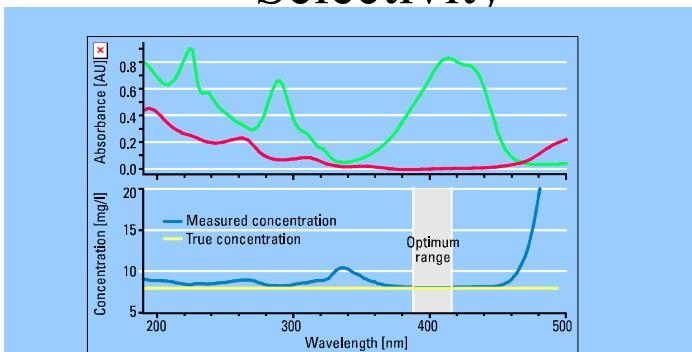
Precision of a method is the degree of agreement among individual test results when the procedure is applied repeatedly to multiple samplings

## Wavelength(s) for Best Sensitivity



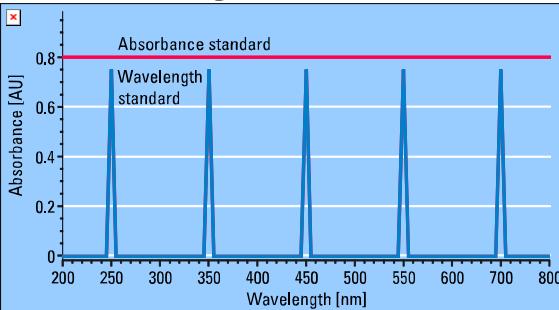
- Calculation of relative standard deviation of the measured values at each wavelength
- The wavelength with lowest %RSD likely will yield the best sensitivity

## Wavelength(s) for Best Selectivity



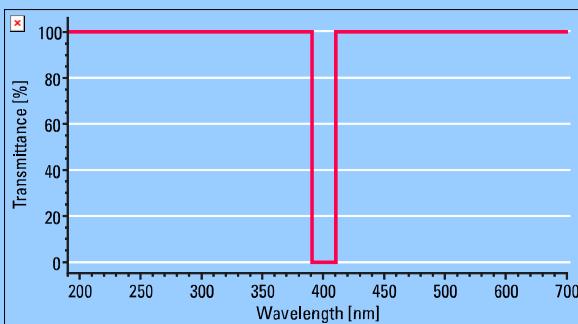
Selectivity is the ability of a method to quantify accurately and specifically the analyte or analytes in the presence of other compounds

# Ideal Absorbance and Wavelength Standards



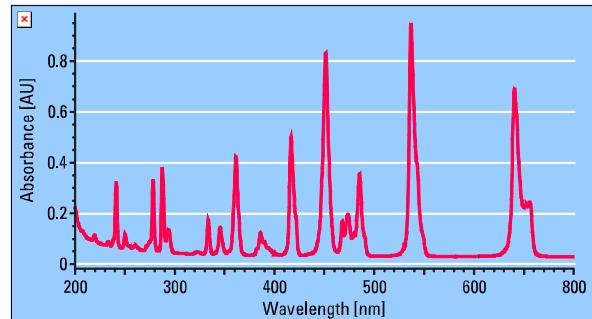
- An ideal absorbance standard would have a constant absorbance at all wavelengths
- An ideal wavelength standard would have very narrow, well-defined peaks

# Ideal Stray Light Filter



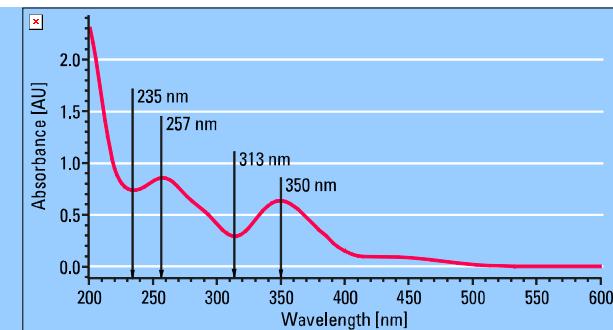
An ideal stray light filter would transmit all wavelengths except the wavelength used to measure the stray light

## Holmium Perchlorate Solution



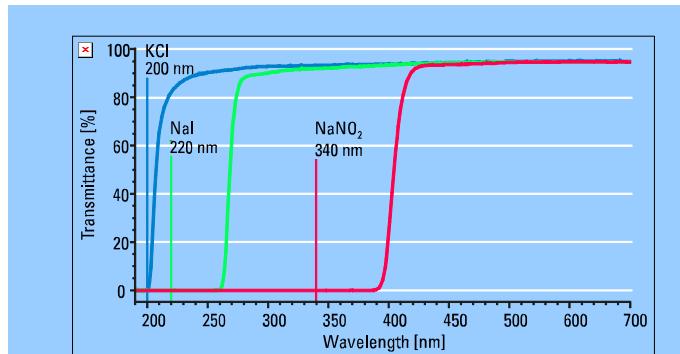
The most common wavelength accuracy standard is a holmium perchlorate solution

## Potassium Dichromate Solution



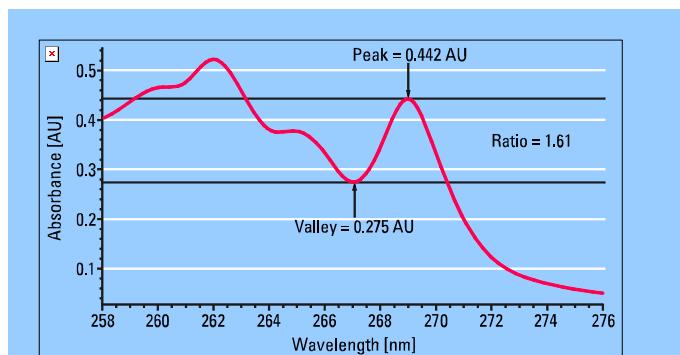
The photometric accuracy standard required by several pharmacopoeias is a potassium dichromate solution

# Stray Light Standard Solutions



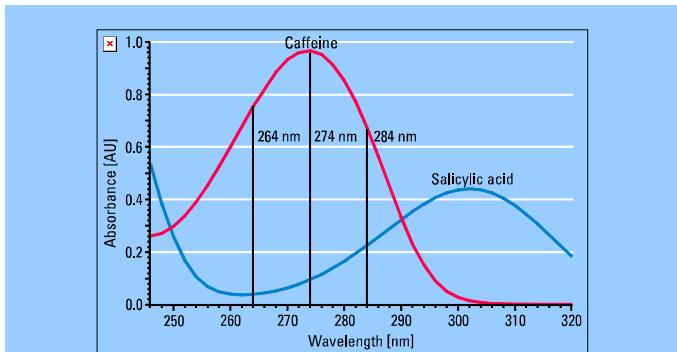
The most common stray light standard and the respectively used wavelengths

## Toluene in Hexane (0.02% v/v)



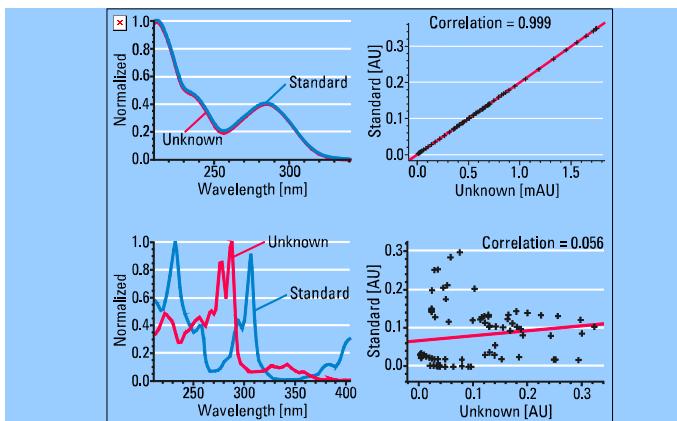
The resolution is estimated by taking the ratio of the absorbance of the maximum near 269 nm and minimum near 266 nm

# Confirmation Analysis



In confirmation analysis, the absorbance at one or more additional wavelengths are used to quantify a sample

# Spectral Similarity



Comparative plots of similar and dissimilar spectra