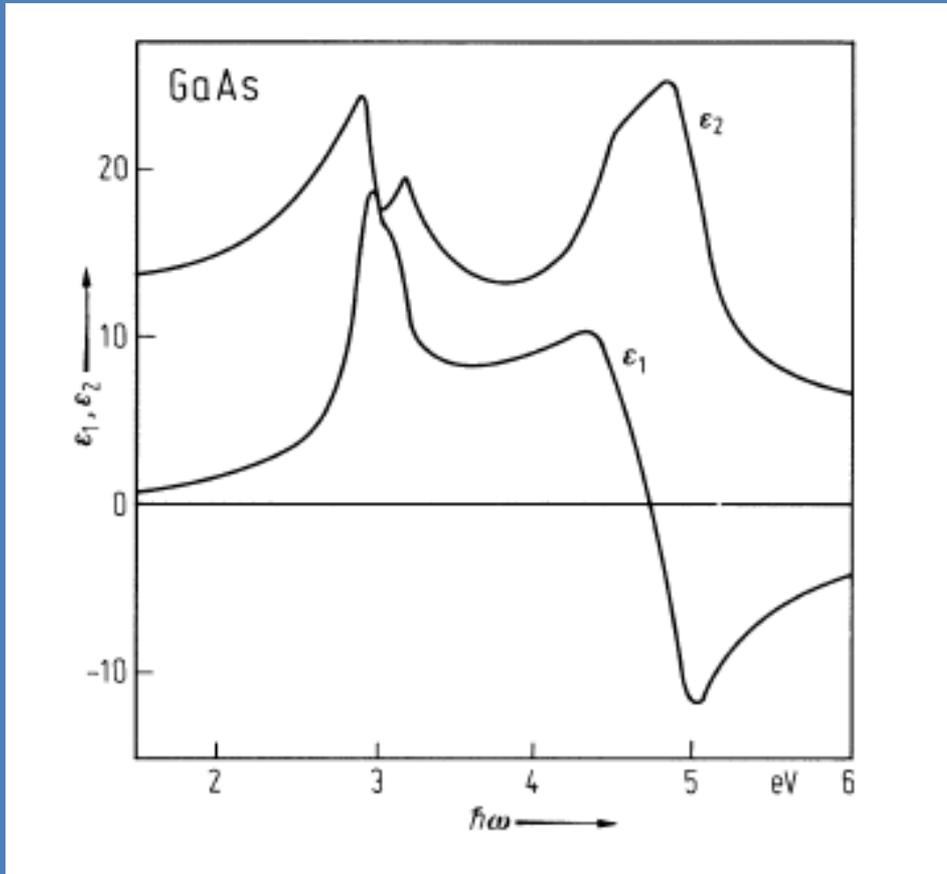
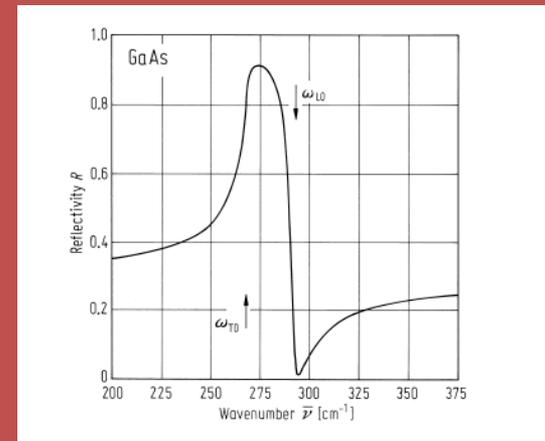
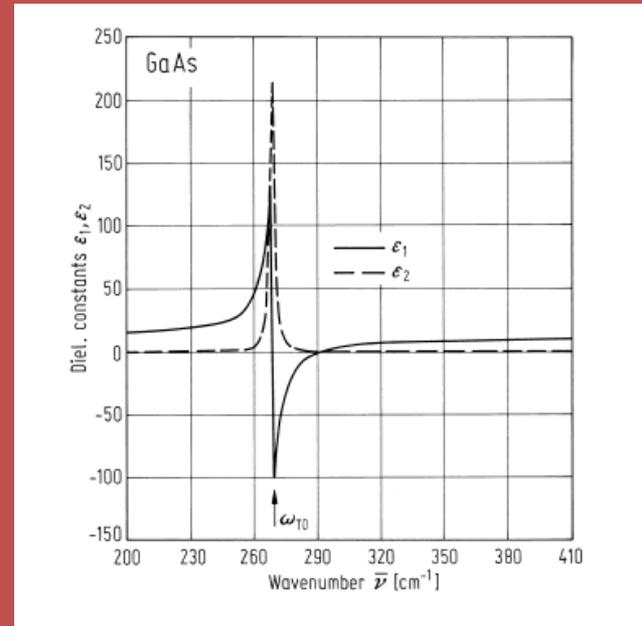


# GaAs (semiconductor)

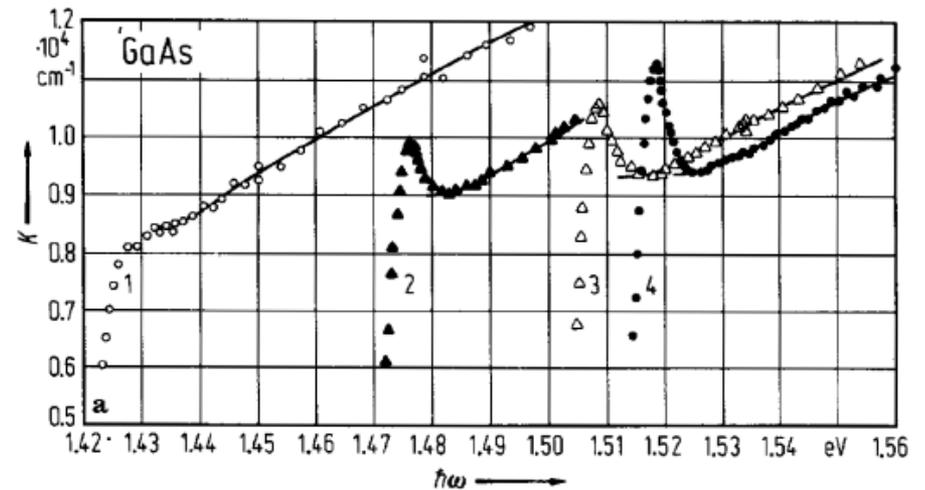
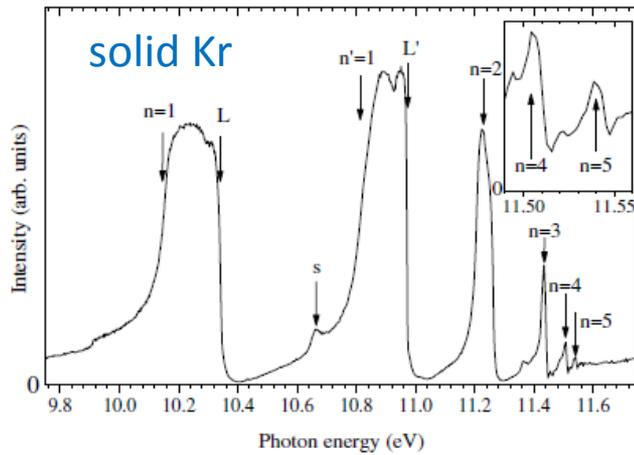
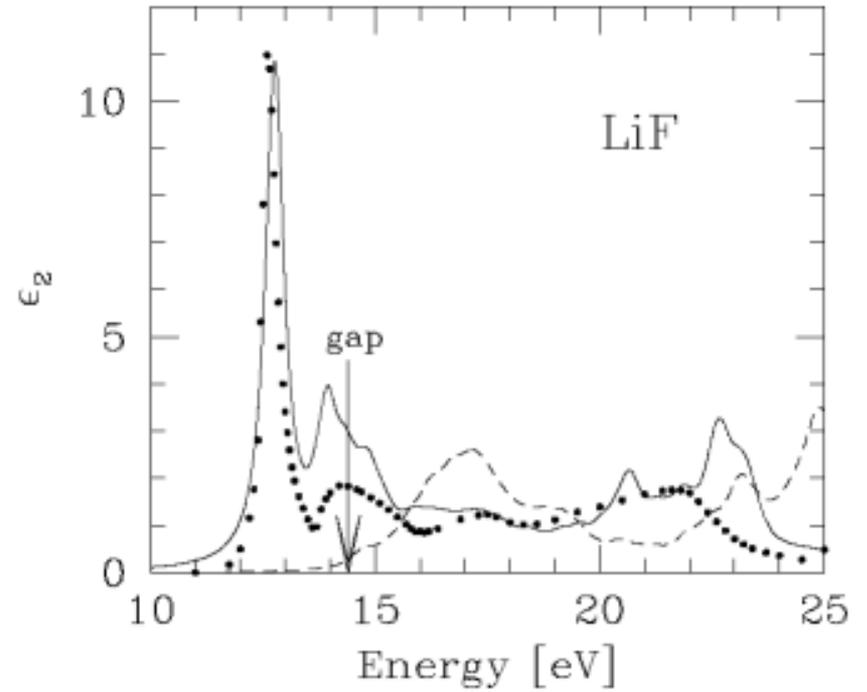
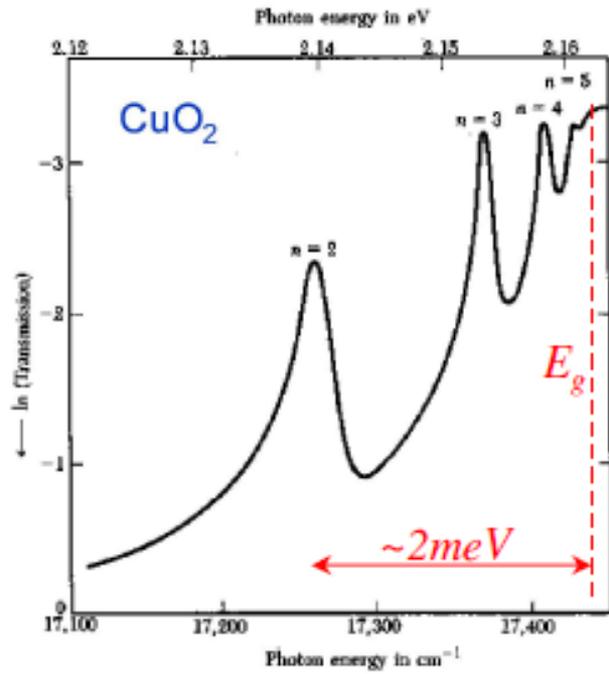


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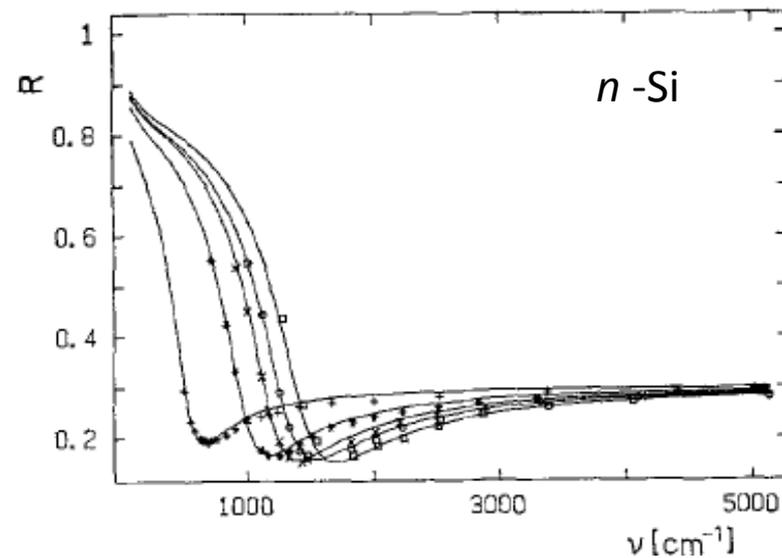
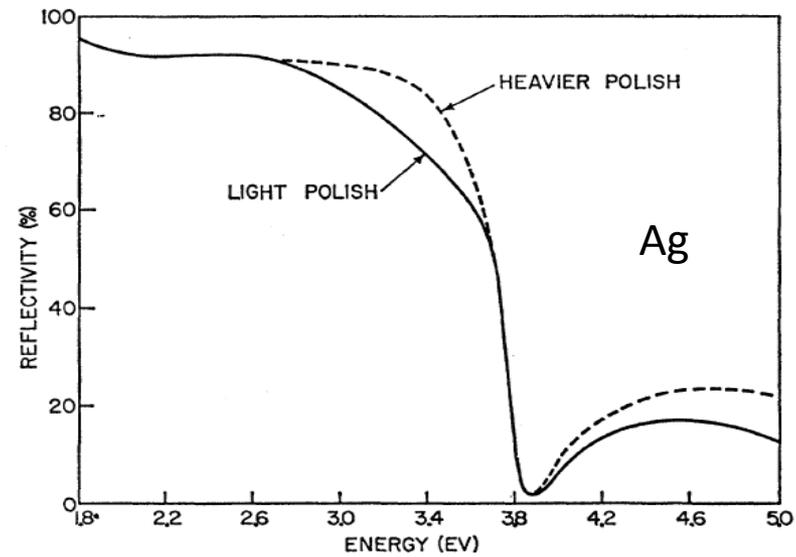
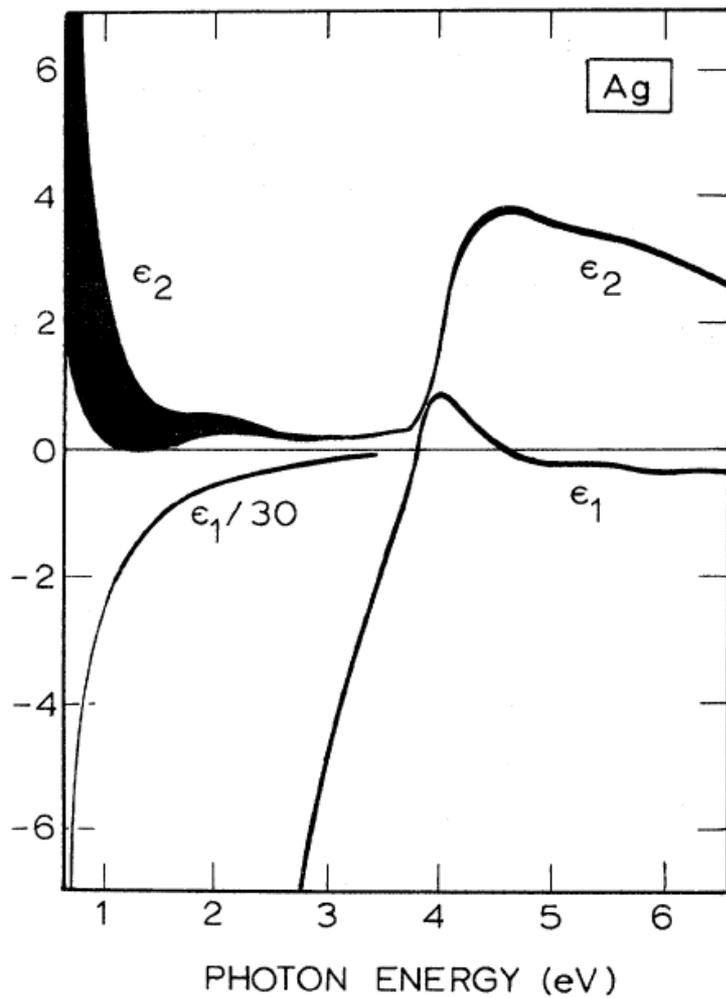


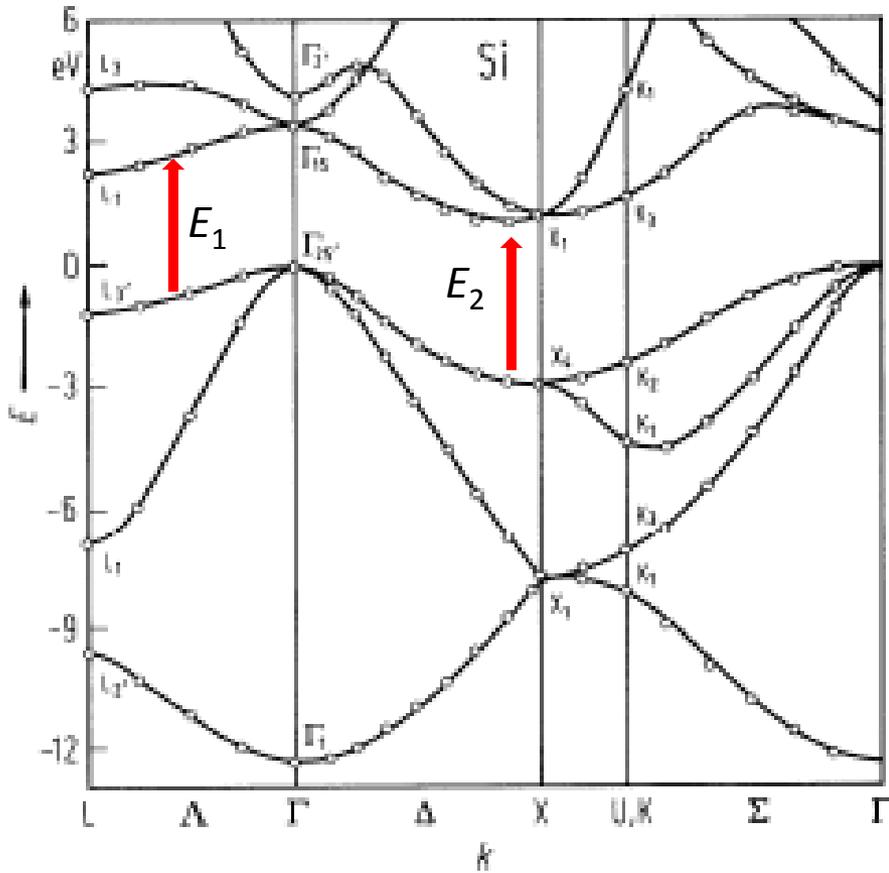
phonons

# EXCITONS



# METALS AND DOPED SEMICONDUCTORS

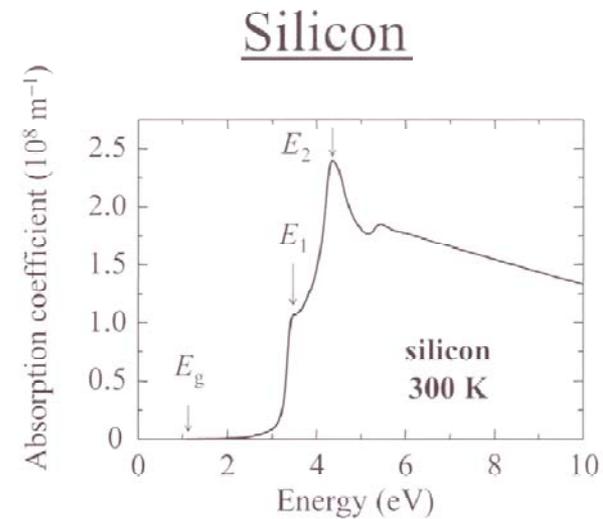




## 3D $M_1$ -type critical point

near parallel bands:

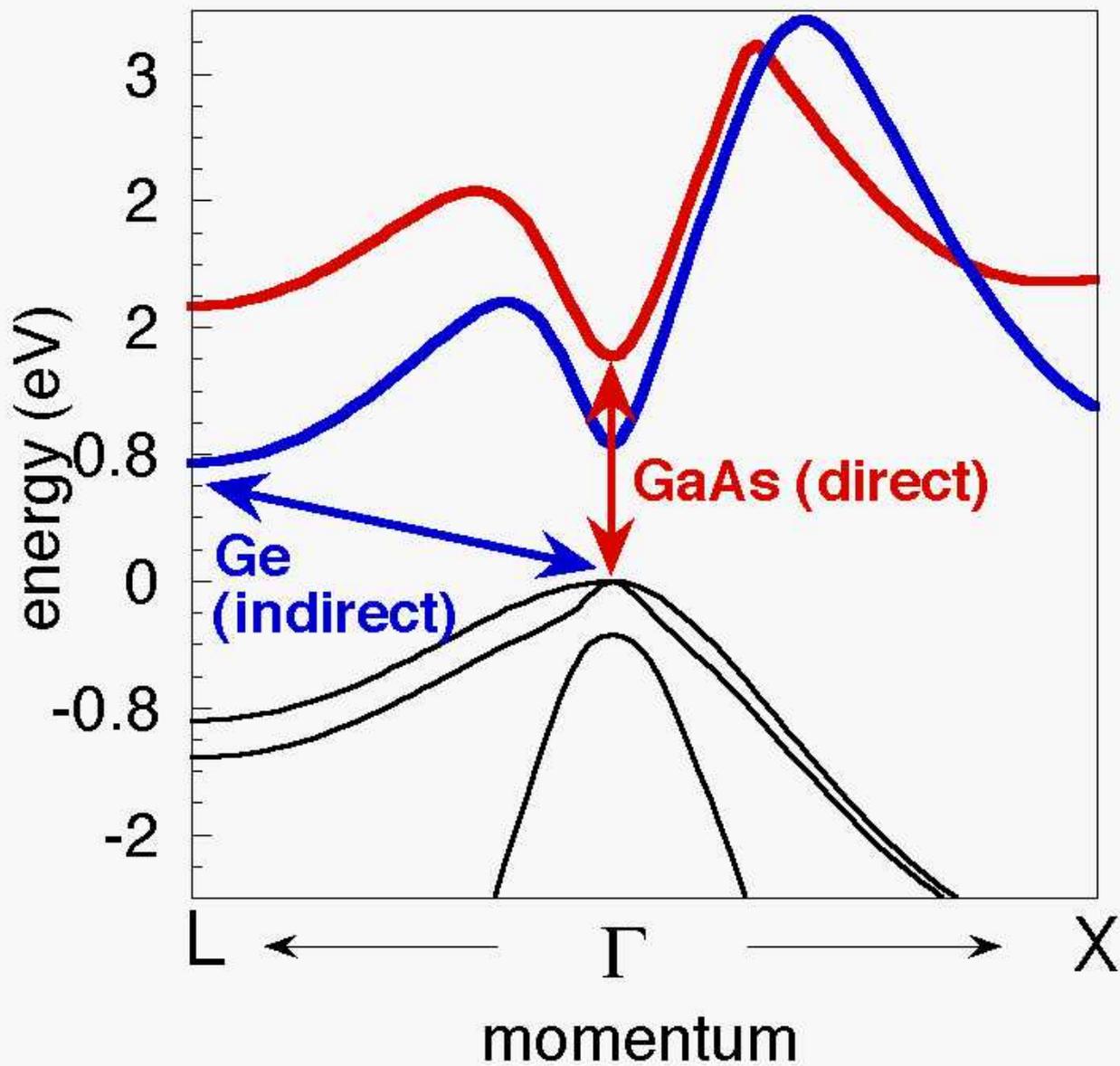
2D  $M_0$ -type critical point



- Indirect band gap at 1.1 eV

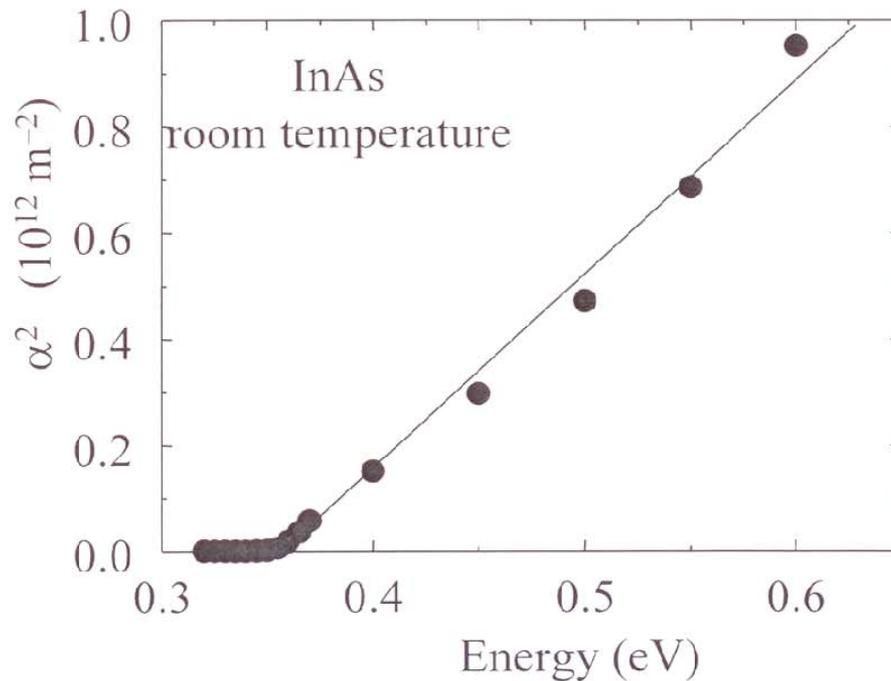
- Critical points at  $E_1$  (3.2 eV) and  $E_2$  (4.3 eV)





# 3D $M_0$ -type critical point (weak excitonic effects)

## InAs band edge absorption



InAs is a direct gap  
III–V semiconductor  
with  $E_g = 0.35 \text{ eV}$

$$\hbar\omega < E_g : \alpha = 0$$

$$\hbar\omega > E_g : \\ \alpha \propto (\hbar\omega - E_g)^{1/2}$$

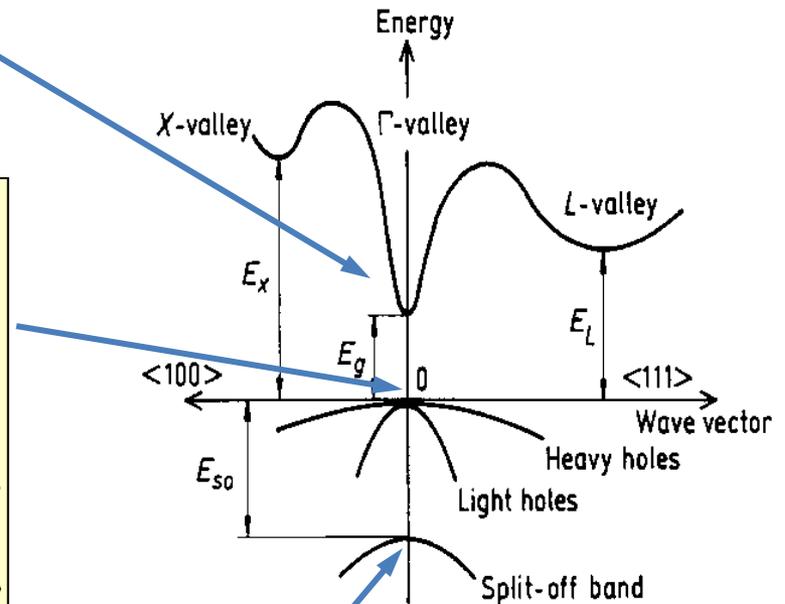
# SPIN-ORBIT COUPLING

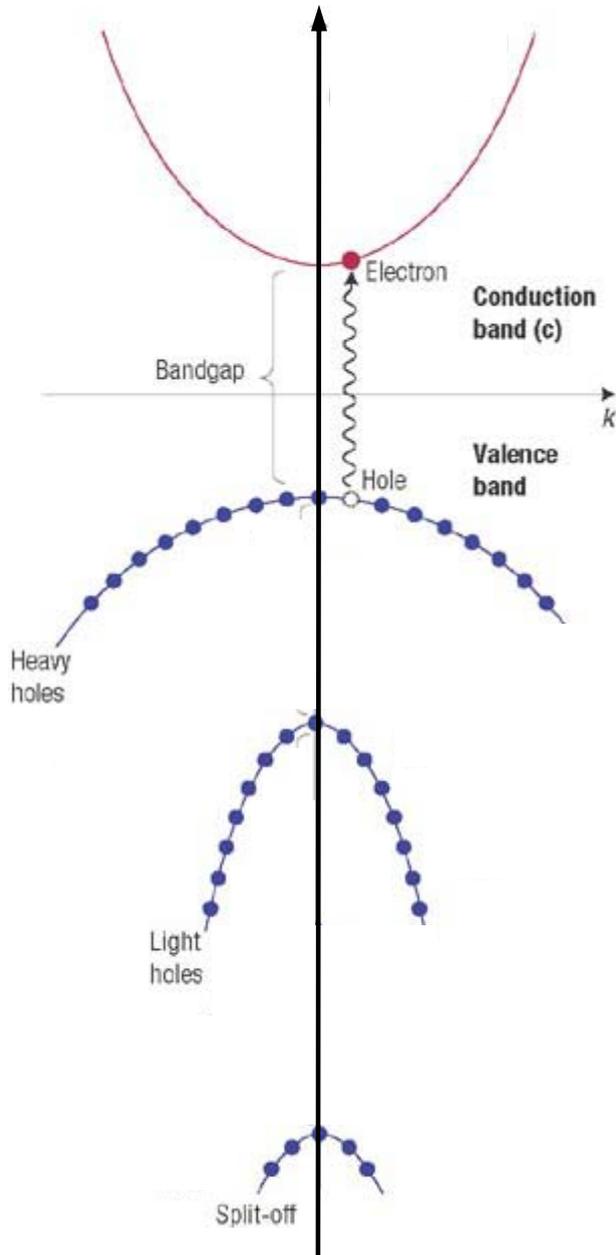
conduction band:  $\begin{cases} |1 \uparrow\rangle \equiv | +1/2\rangle \\ |1 \downarrow\rangle \equiv | -1/2\rangle \end{cases}$

'heavy'-hole:  $\begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} | (X + iY) \uparrow \rangle & | J = 3/2; m_J = +3/2 \rangle \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} | (X - iY) \downarrow \rangle & | J = 3/2; m_J = -3/2 \rangle \end{cases}$

'light'-hole:  $\begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} | 2Z \downarrow - (X - iY) \uparrow \rangle & | J = 3/2; m_J = -1/2 \rangle \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} | 2Z \uparrow + (X + iY) \downarrow \rangle & | J = 3/2; m_J = +1/2 \rangle \end{cases}$

'split-off'-hole:  $\begin{cases} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} | Z \uparrow - (X + iY) \downarrow \rangle & | J = 1/2; m_J = +1/2 \rangle \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} | Z \downarrow + (X - iY) \uparrow \rangle & | J = 1/2; m_J = -1/2 \rangle \end{cases}$





**SPIN-ORBIT COUPLING**  
**+**  
**STRESS**  
**(or quantum confinement)**

**SPIN-ORBIT COUPLING**  
 +  
**UNIAXIAL [001] STRESS**  
 (or quantum confinement)  
 +  
**EXTERNAL MAGNETIC FIELD**

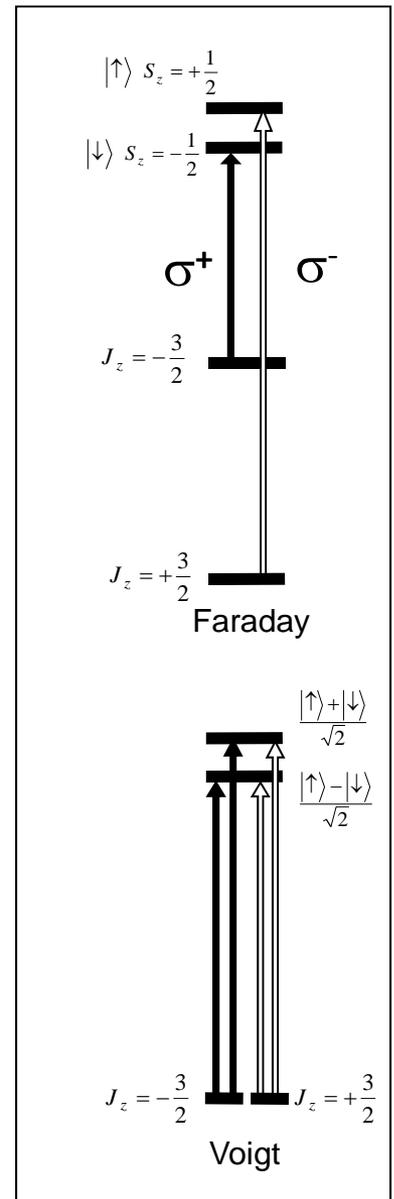
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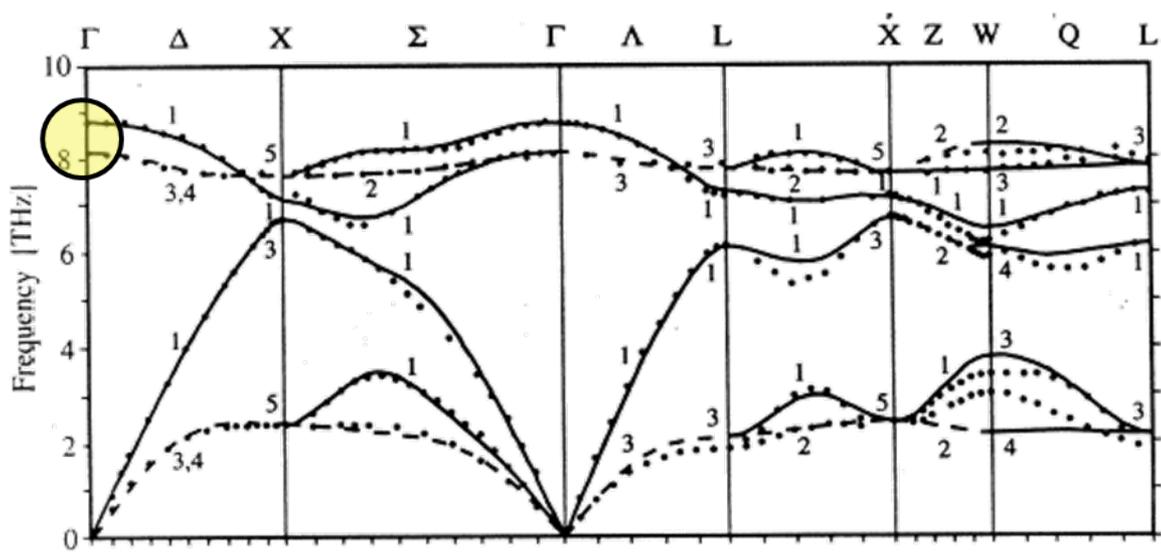
only heavy-hole states are shown for the valence band

$\sigma^{+/-}$  denote circular polarization

Faraday: **B** parallel to [001]

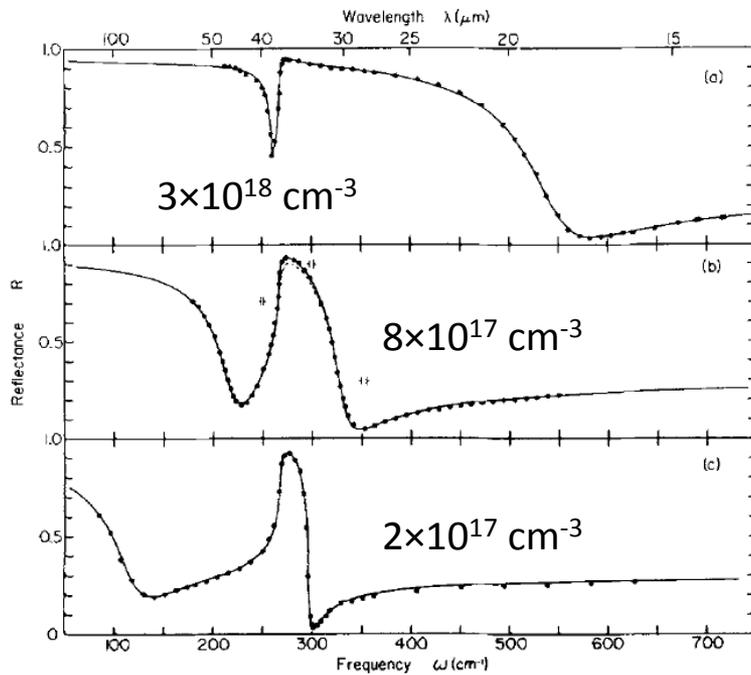
Voigt: **B** perpendicular to [001]



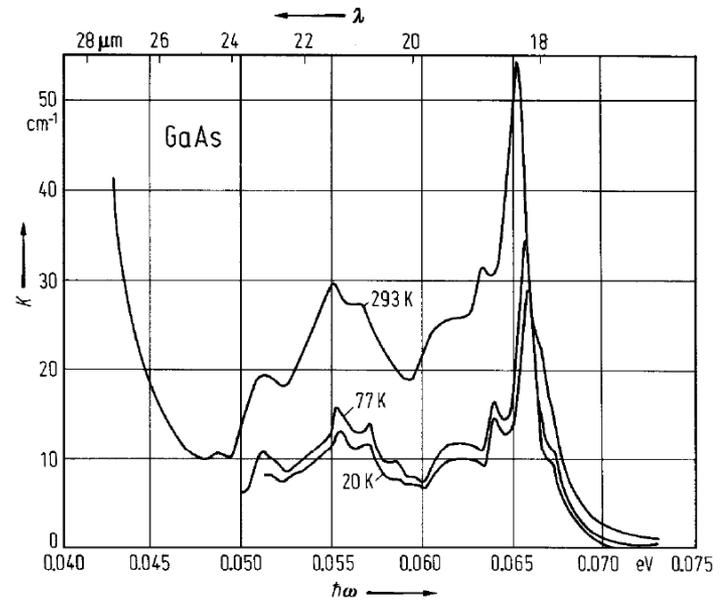


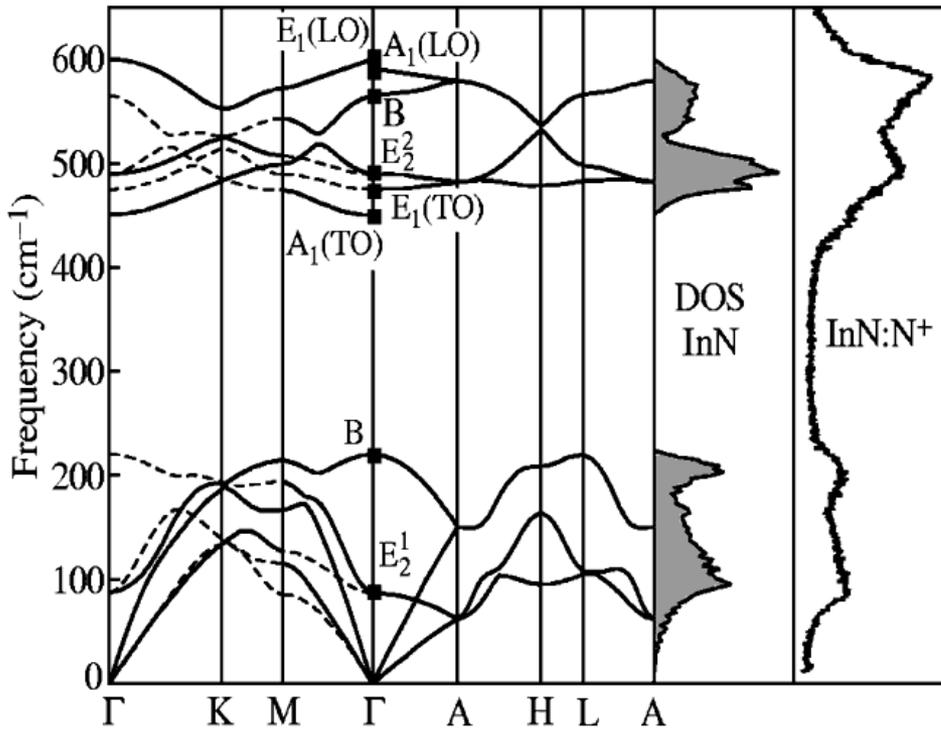
**GaAs**

### Reflectivity

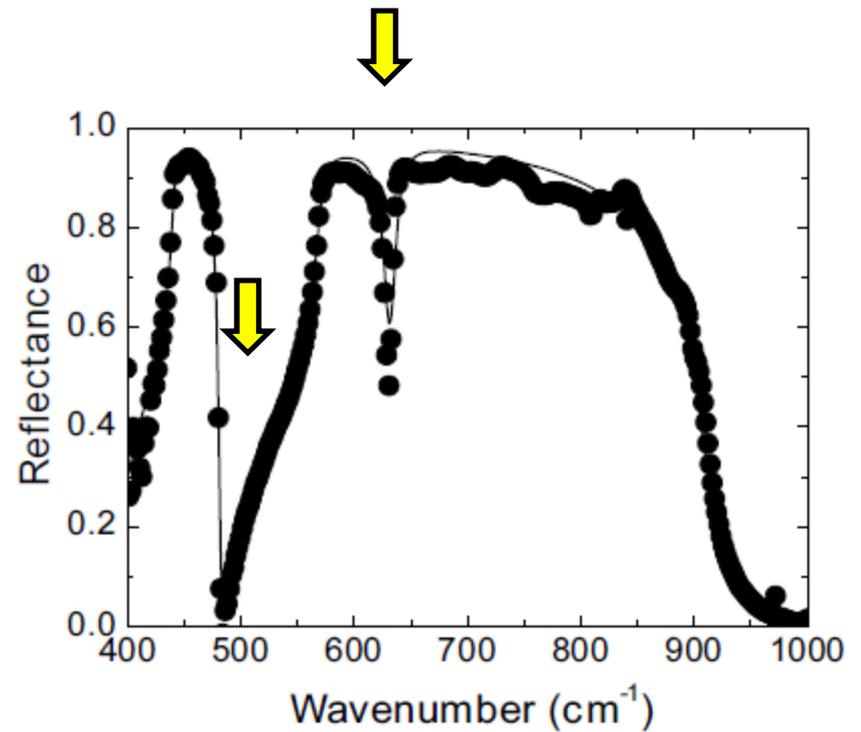


### Two-Phonon Absorption

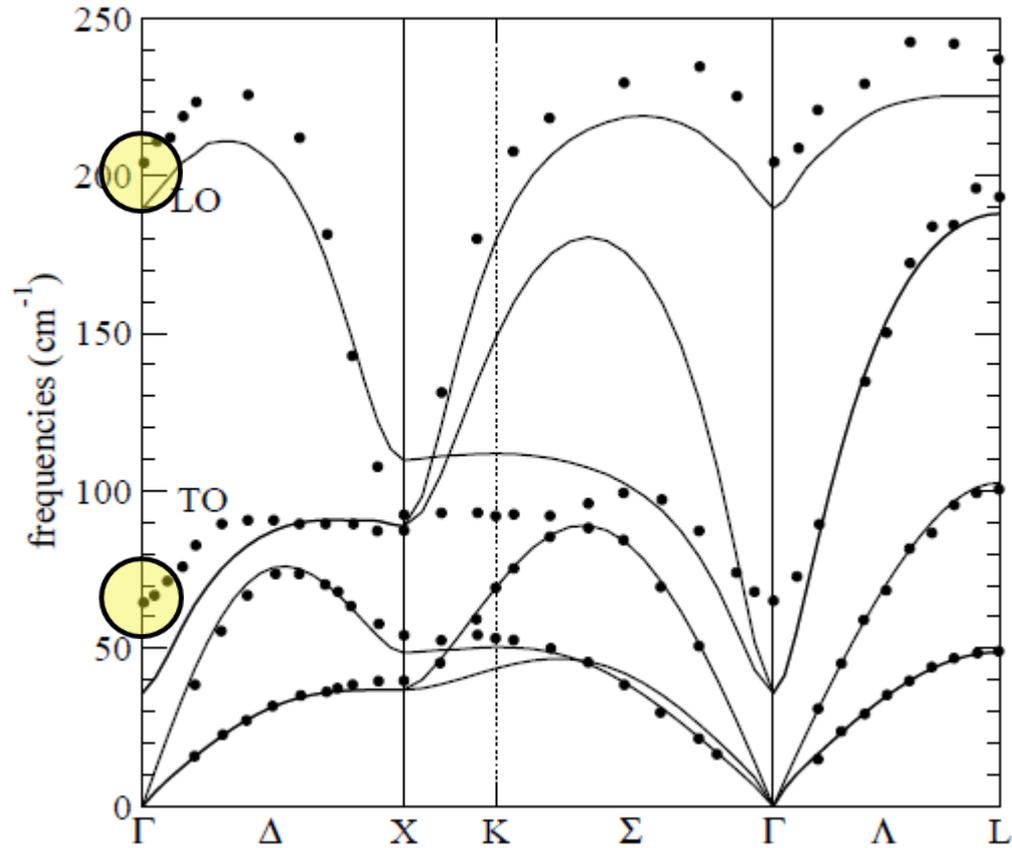




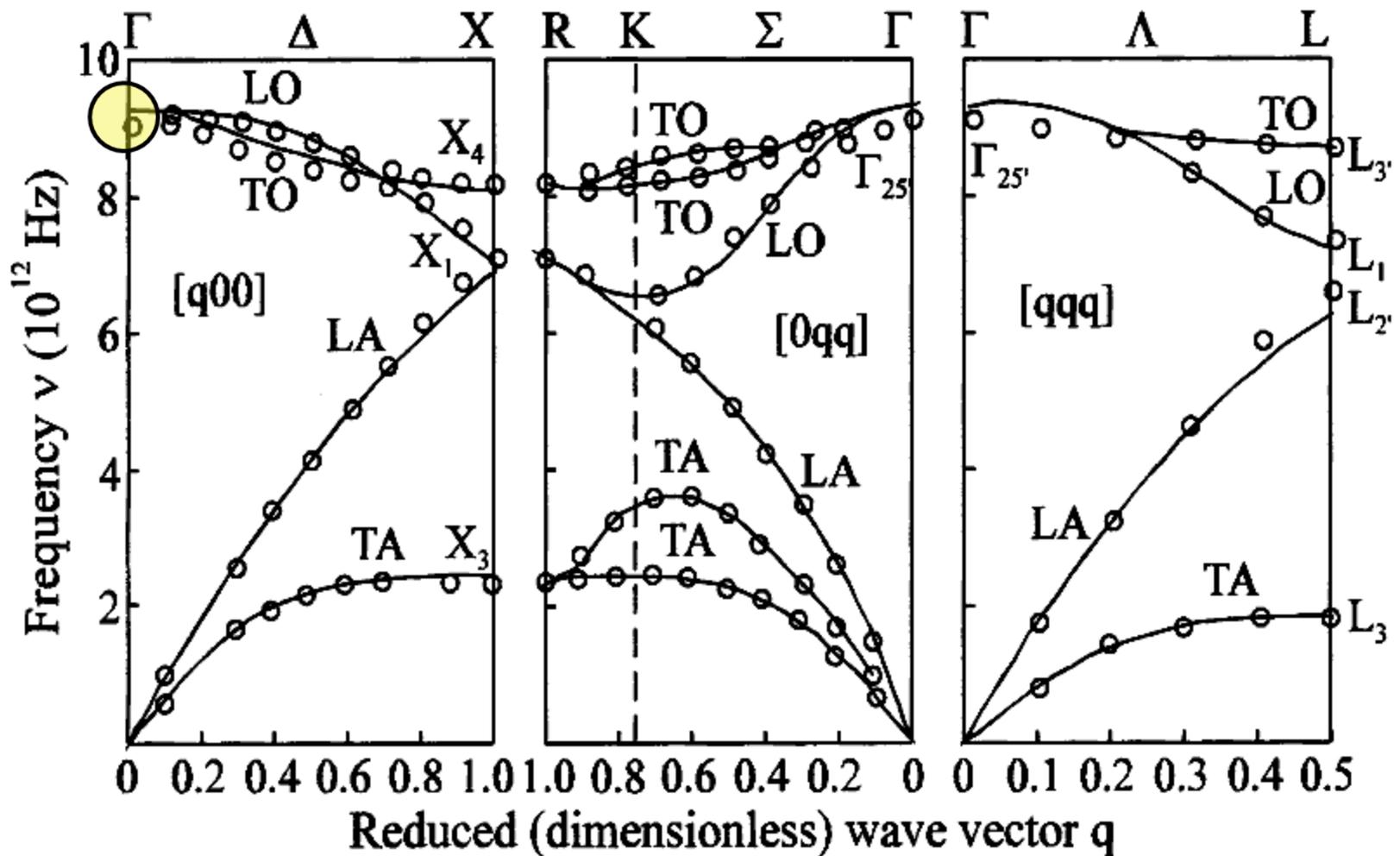
InN (wurtzite)  
heavily doped



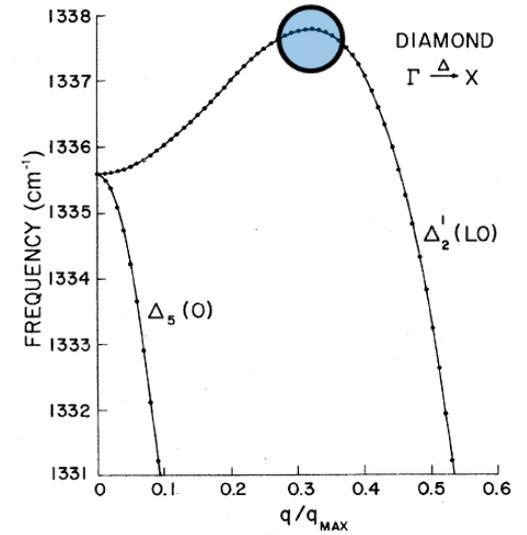
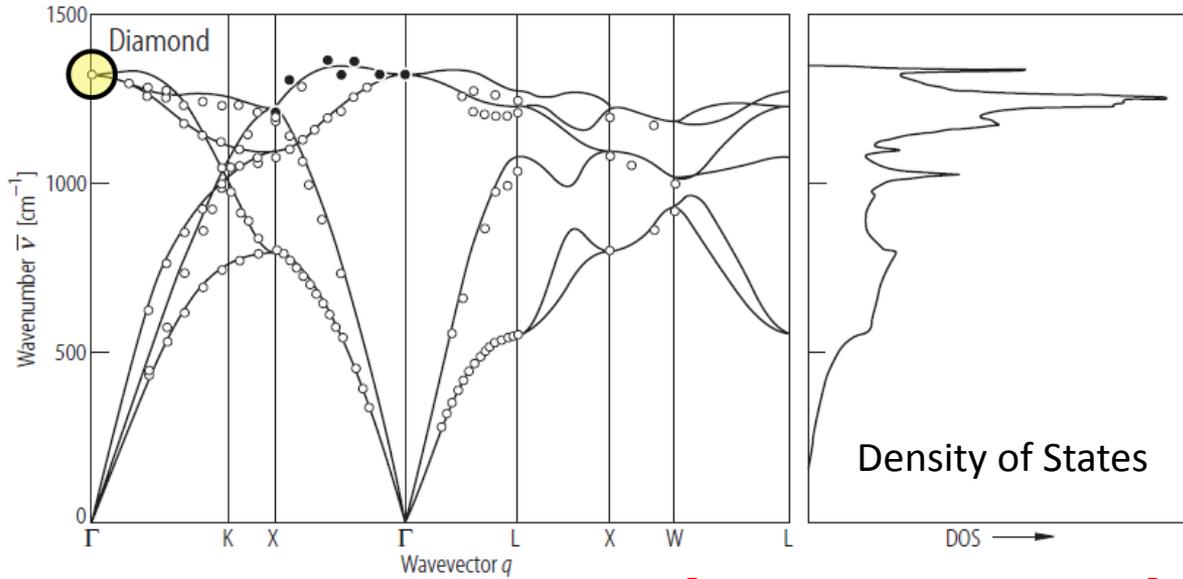
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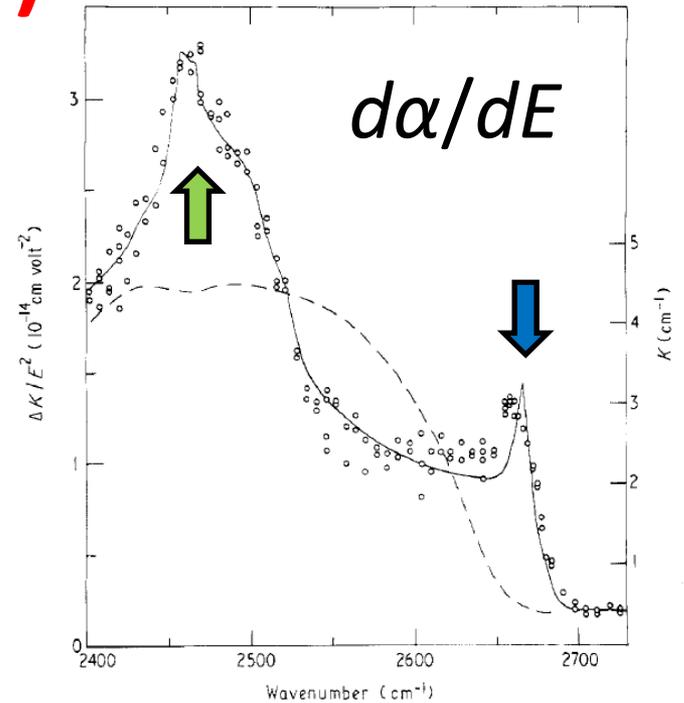
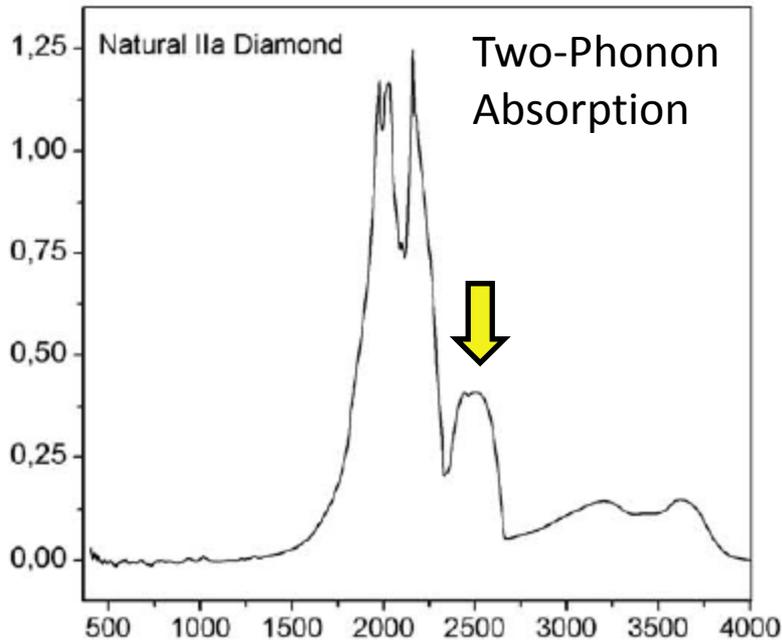
huge TO-LO splitting

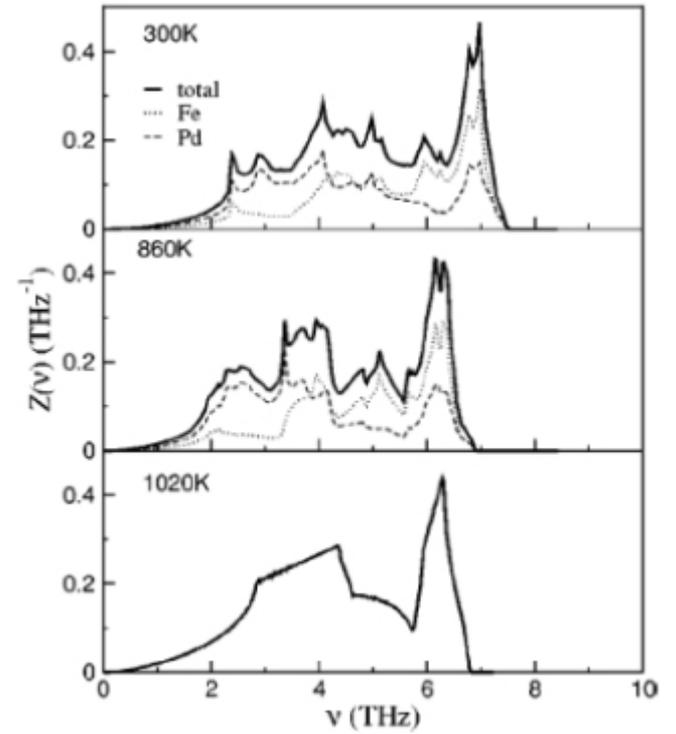
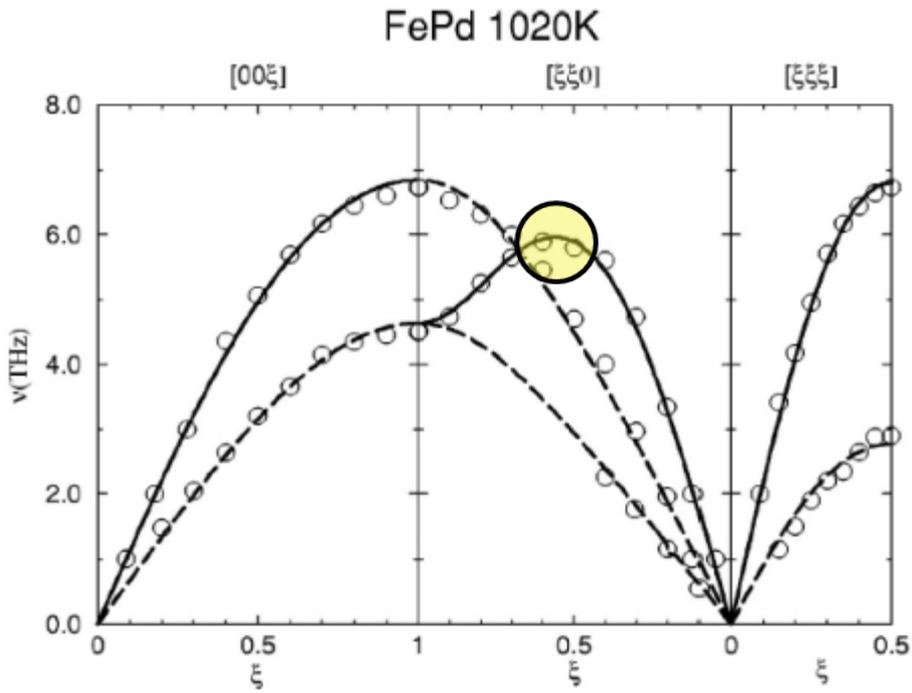


**Germanium (IR inactive)**



# Diamond (IR inactive)

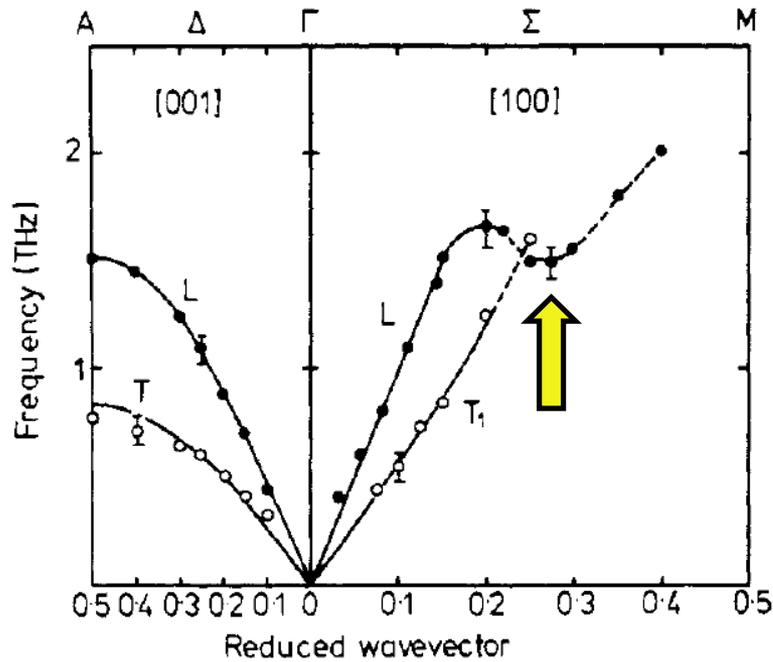




density of states

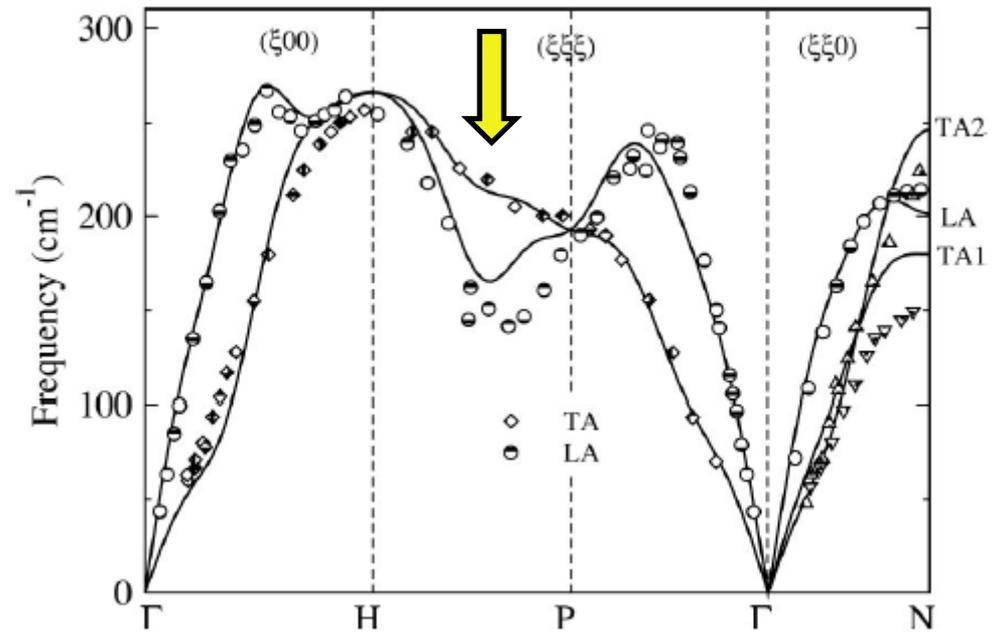


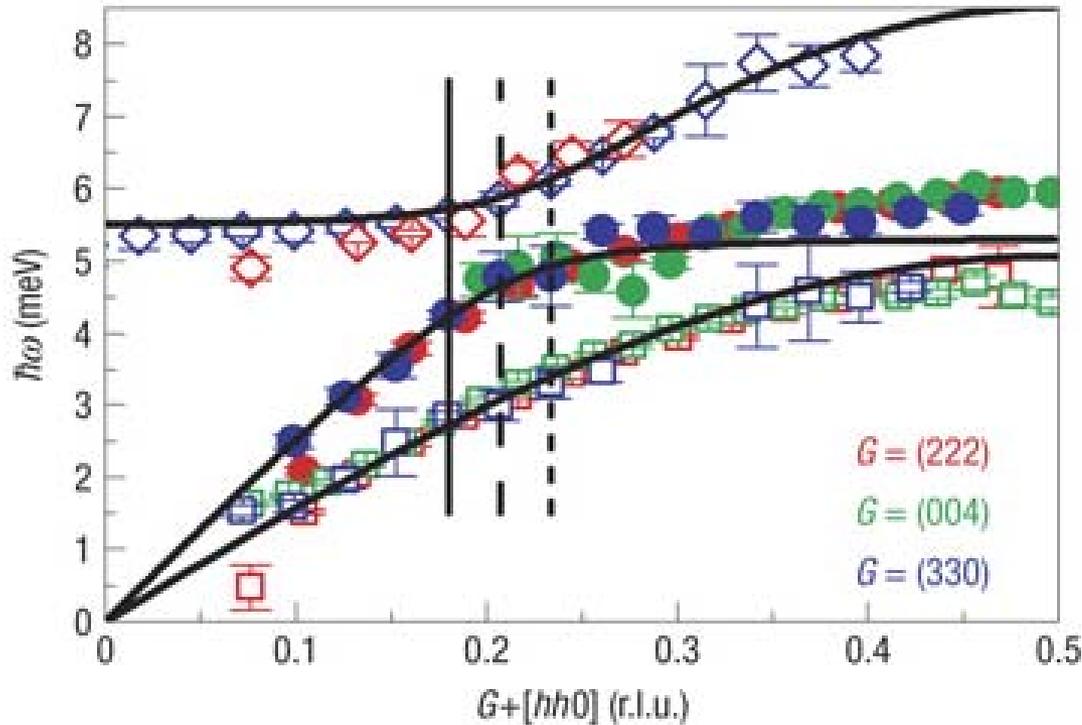
TaS<sub>2</sub>: Kohn anomaly (2k<sub>F</sub>)



metals

bcc Vanadium:  
Kohn anomaly (2k<sub>F</sub>)

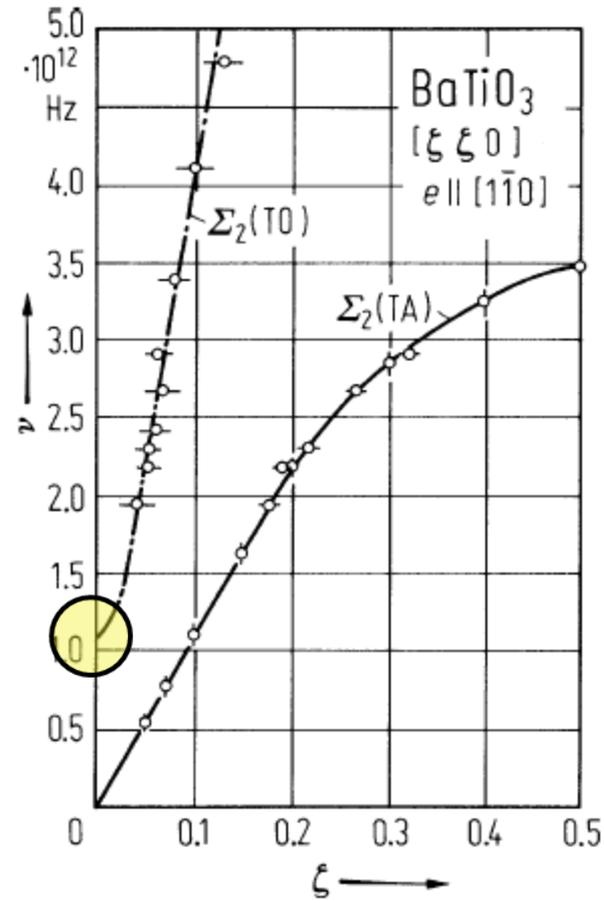
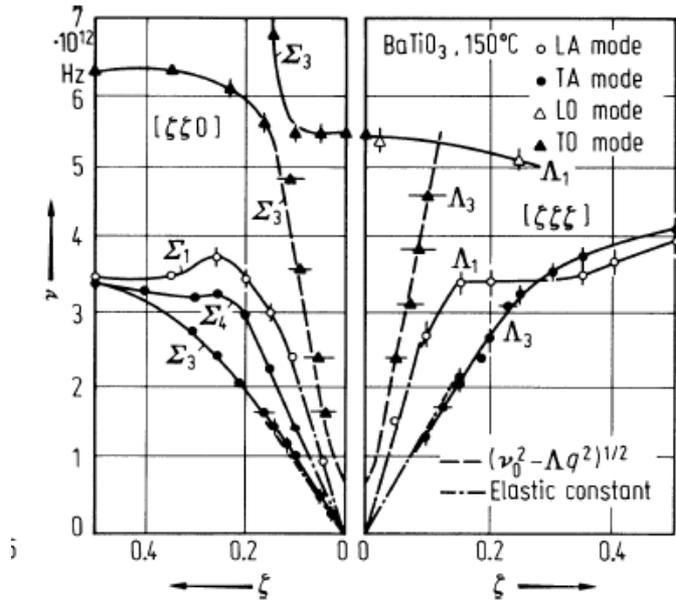




optical-acoustic coupling  
(anticrossings)

# BaTiO<sub>3</sub>

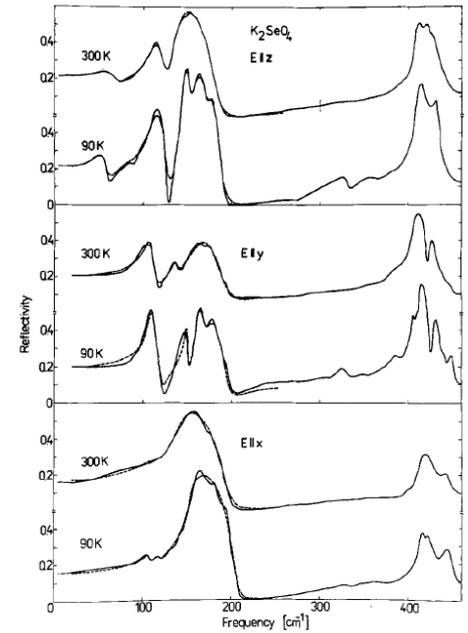
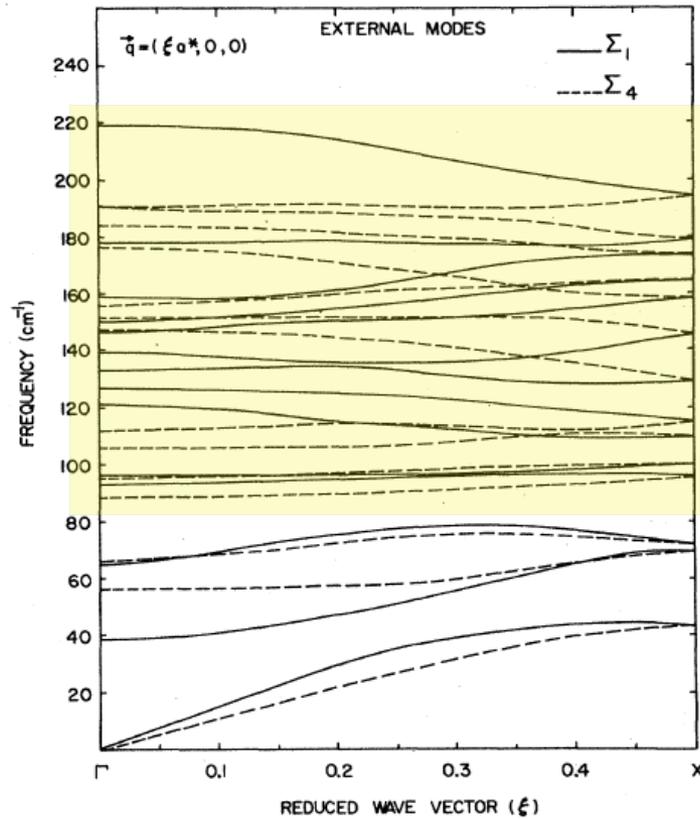
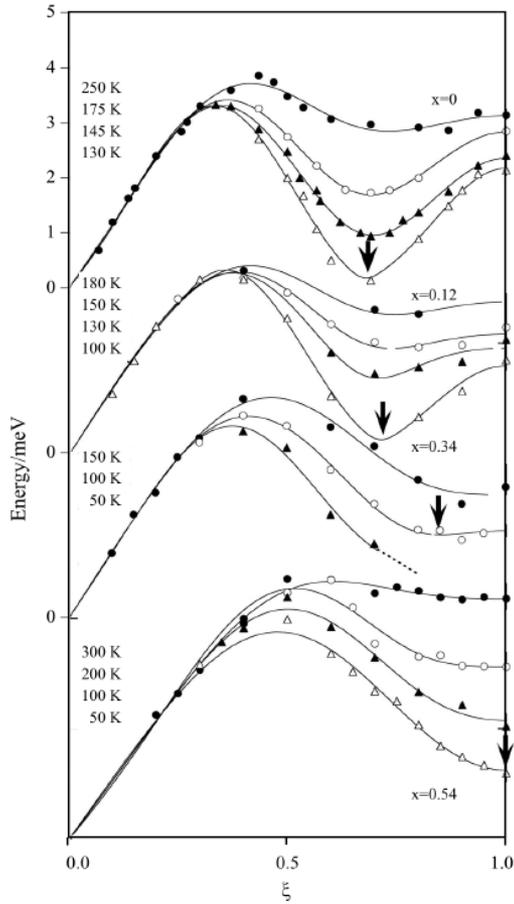
perovskite



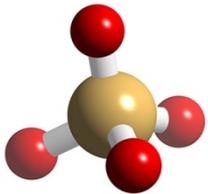
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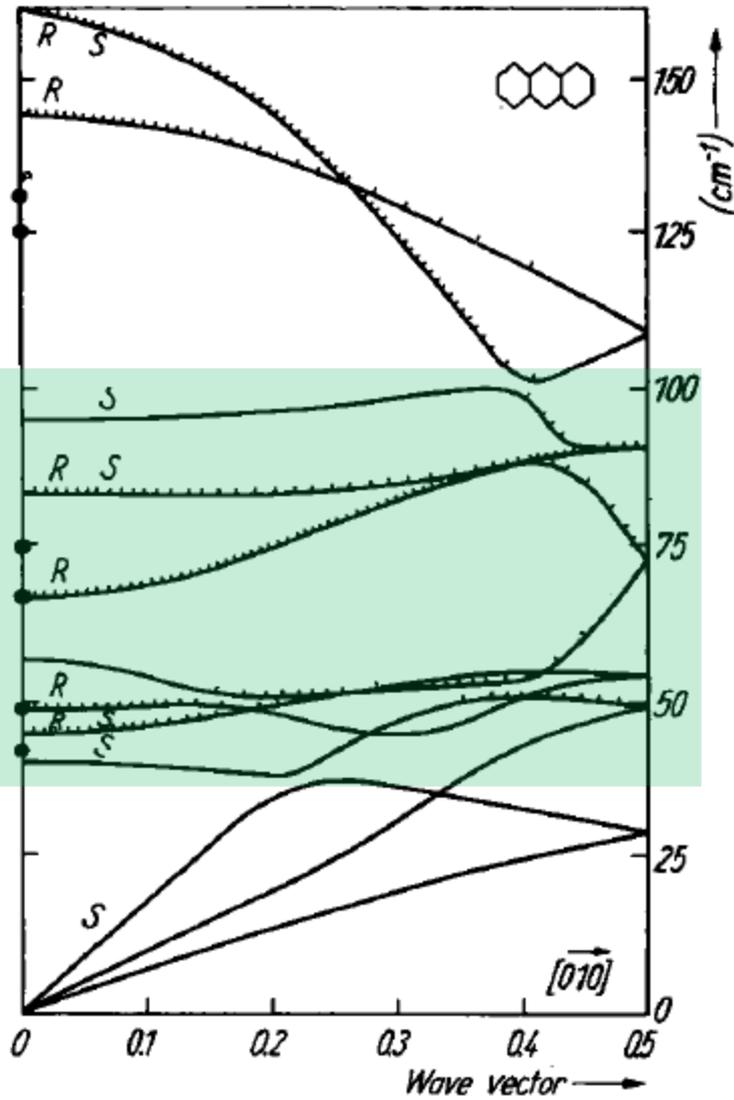
Soft Optical Modes, Phase Transitions and Internal Modes (molecular crystal)



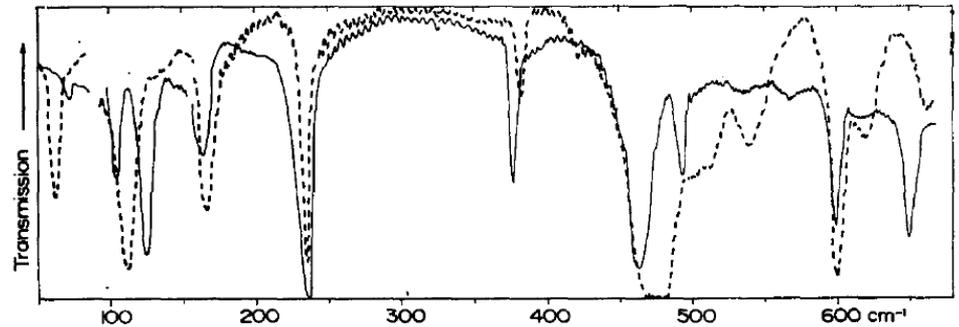
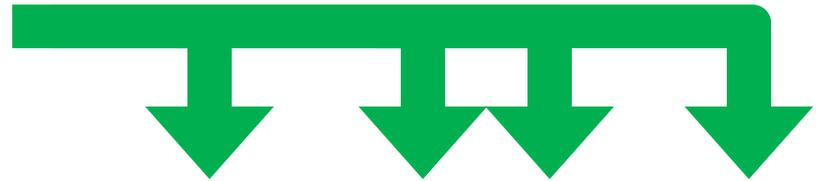
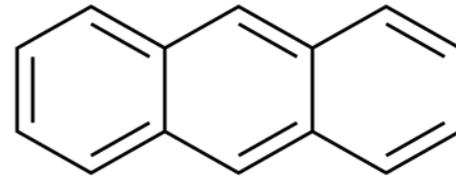
Infrared Reflectivity



# molecular crystal: Anthracene



Internal  
Modes



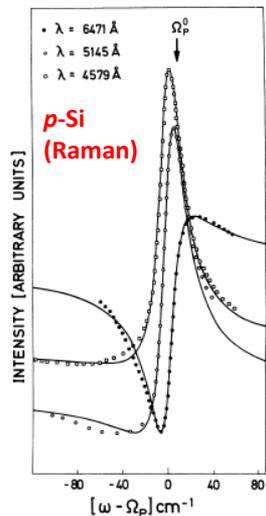


FIG. 2. Portion of the spectrum corresponding to scattering by zone-center phonons for different scattering wavelengths. The solid lines are theoretical fits with Eq. (12) to the experimental curves (discrete points).  $\Omega_p^+$  and  $\Omega_p^-$  denote the zone-center phonon frequency of the intrinsic and doped materials, respectively.

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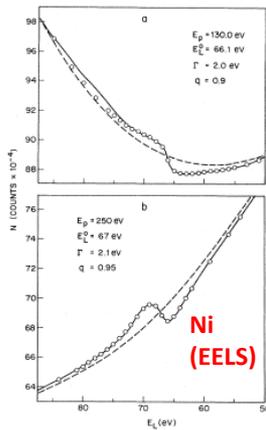
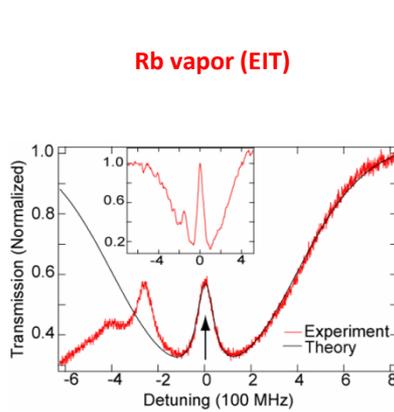


FIG. 1. Plots of the electron energy-loss distribution for Ni(001) in the vicinity of the  $3p$  excitation for two different values of the primary energy  $E_p$ . The full lines are experimental  $N(E)$  curves. The circles indicate values calculated from Eq. (1). The background curves  $N_0(E)$  (broken lines) and the values assigned to  $M^2$  in Eq. (1) were (a)  $N_0(E) = 285.21 - 46.593E^{1/2} + 2.7566E$ ,  $M^2 = 0.9$ ; (b)  $N_0(E) = 954.50 - 142.42E^{1/2} + 5.932E$ ,  $M^2 = 1.2$ . The background parameters were generated by assuming that the contribution of the resonance to the background was negligible at points 25 eV on either side of  $E_p^+$ . The value of the background at  $E_p^+$  was then taken as a parameter and adjusted along with  $\Gamma$  and  $q$  so as to give a best fit. Using this procedure a unique fit could be obtained for the parameters to within the uncertainties quoted in the text.

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WG Modes

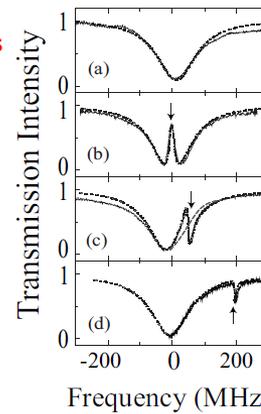


Fig. 2. Solid curves and dashed curves are experimental and theoretical spectra in the coupled microsphere resonators under the following conditions: (b)  $\nu_1 \approx \nu_2$ , (c)  $\nu_1 < \nu_2$ ,  $\Delta\nu_{12} = \nu_2 - \nu_1 < \delta\nu_1$ , and (d)  $\nu_1 < \nu_2$ ,  $\Delta\nu_{12} > \delta\nu_1$ . Arrows indicate the resonance frequency of the second sphere,  $\nu_2$ . The detuning parameter is (b)  $\Delta\nu_{12} = 0$  MHz, (c)  $\Delta\nu_{12} = 49$  MHz, and (d)  $\Delta\nu_{12} = 204$  MHz. Other parameters used in the calculations are  $x_1 = 0.999432$ ,  $x_2 = 0.999973$ , and  $y_1 = 0.999651$  in all figures. The coupling parameter between two spheres is  $y_2 = 1$  in 2(a), while  $y_2 = 0.999999960$  in 2(b)-2(d). The gray dashed line in 2(c) is the transmission dip by the naked first sphere as a reference. (a) is the spectrum observed without  $S_2$ .

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Fano Interferences

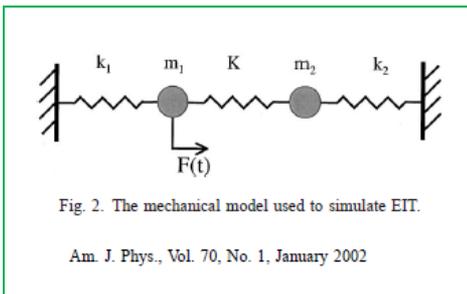
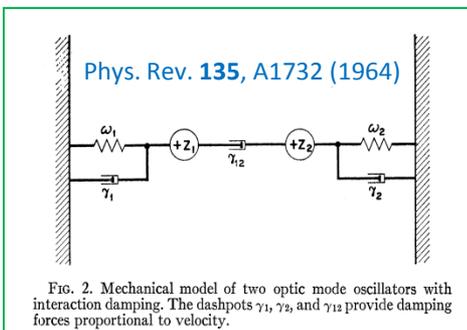


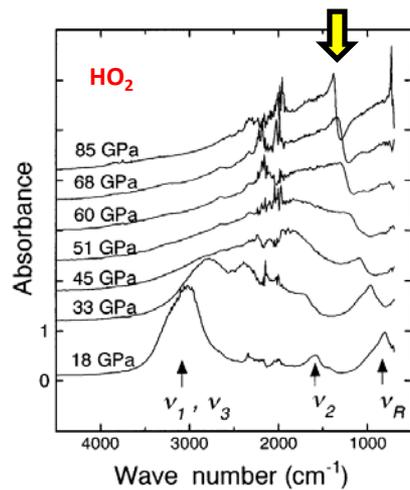
Fig. 2. The mechanical model used to simulate EIT.

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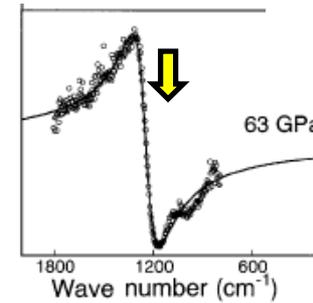


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FIG. 2. Mechanical model of two optic mode oscillators with interaction damping. The dashpots  $\gamma_1$ ,  $\gamma_2$ , and  $\gamma_{12}$  provide damping forces proportional to velocity.

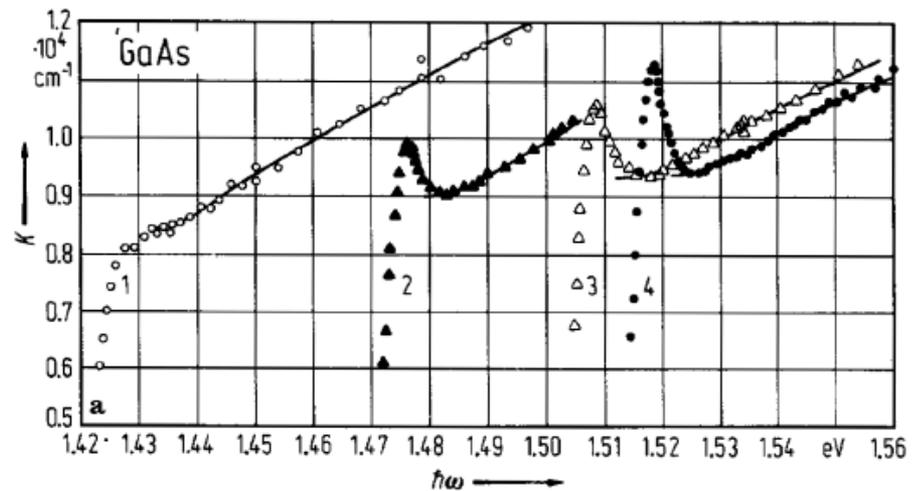
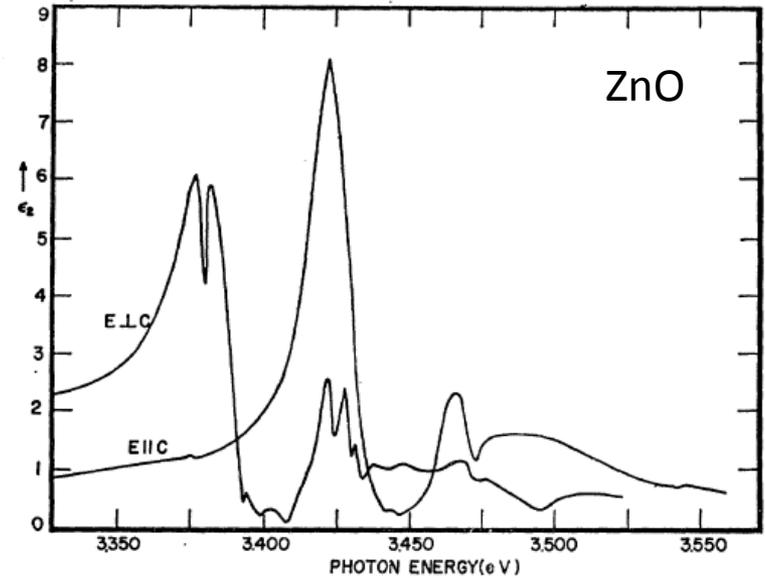
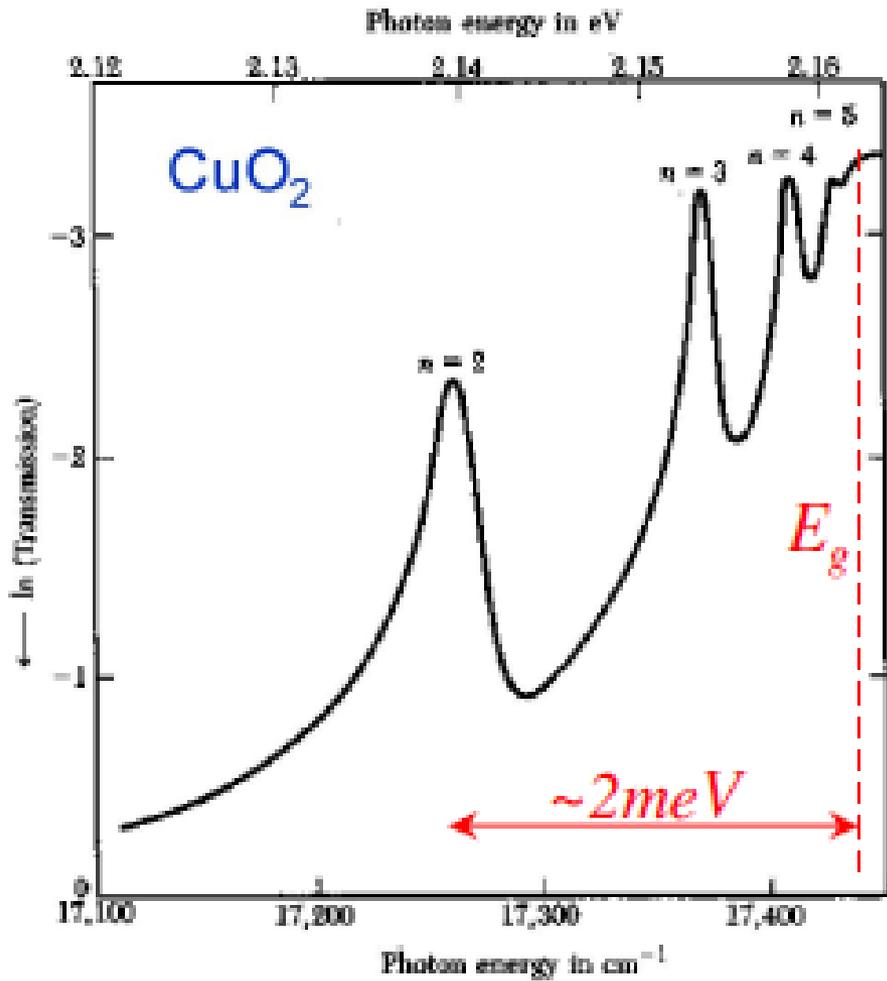


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Coupled Modes: Interference-Induced Transparency

# DIRECT WANNIER EXCITONS



# FRENKEL EXCITONS

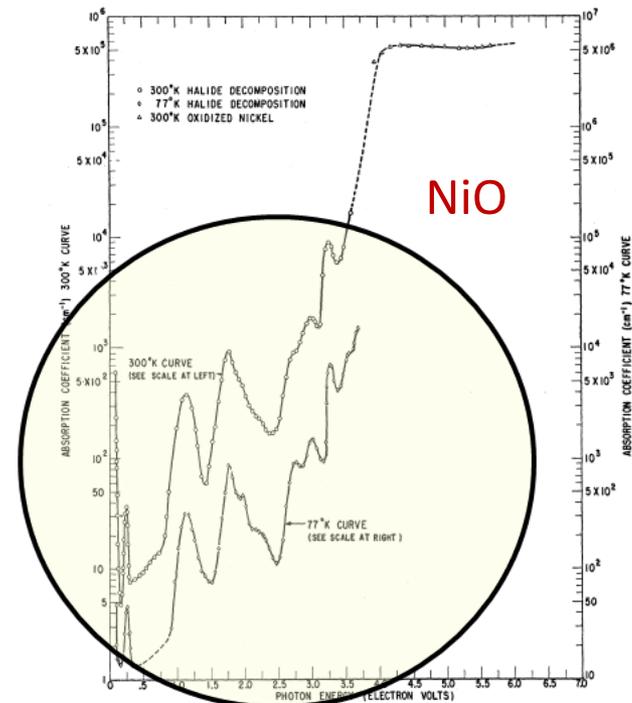
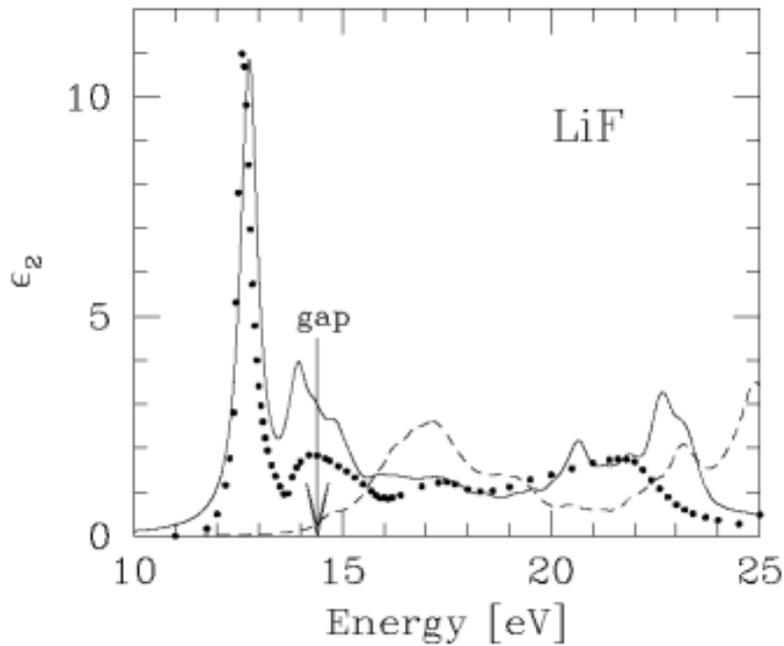
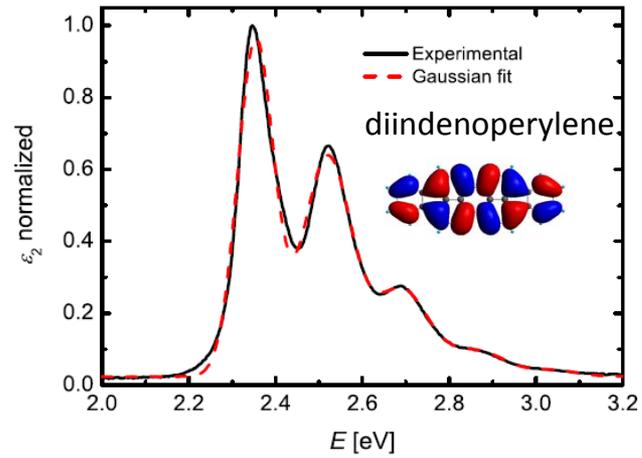
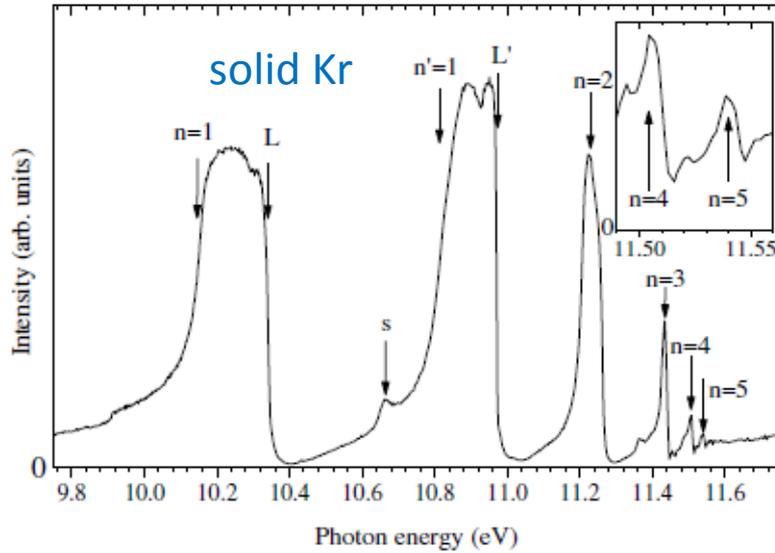
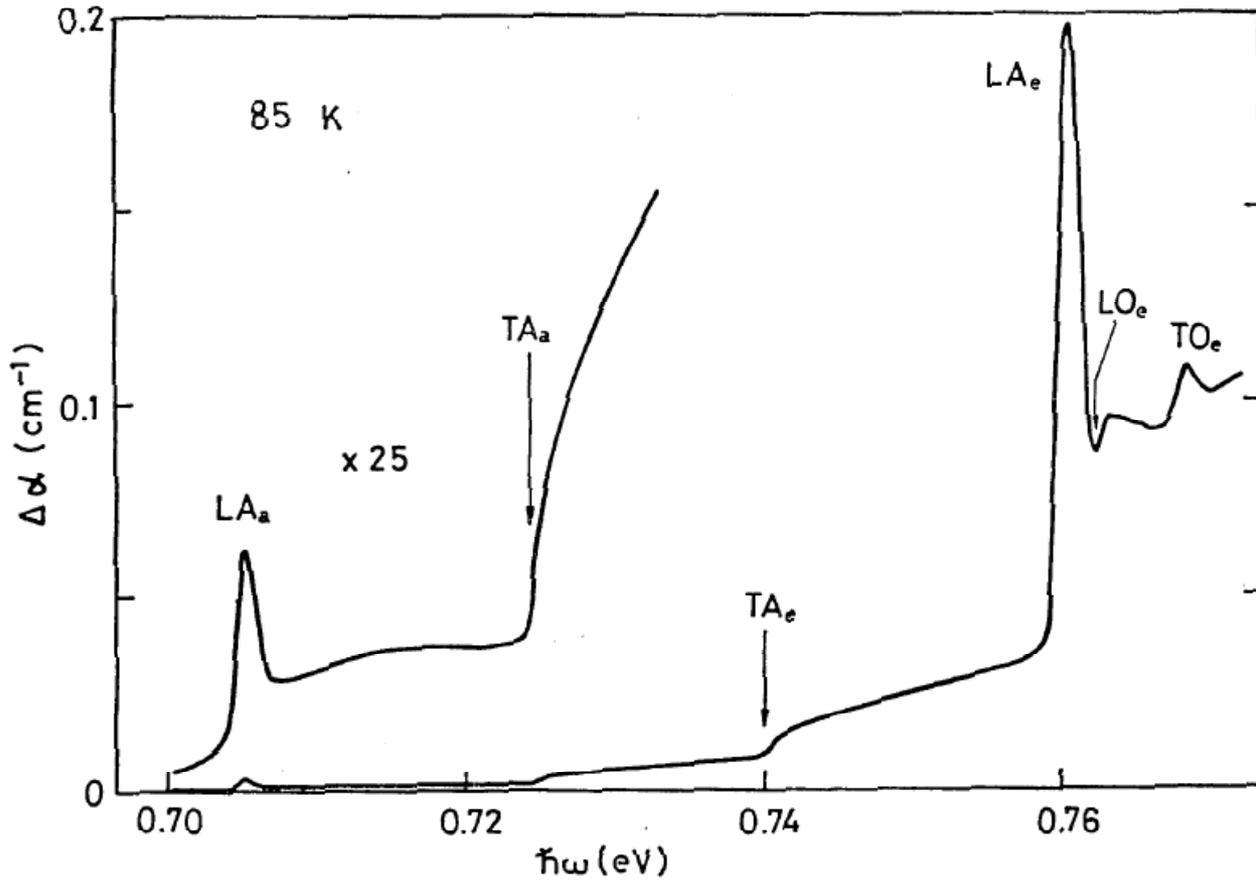


FIG. 2. Absorption spectrum of NiO at 300°K, 77°K. Dashed lines are interpolations.

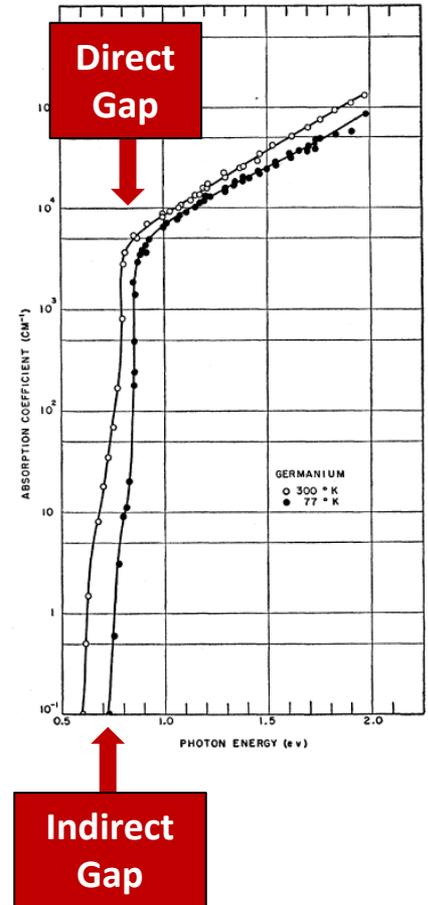
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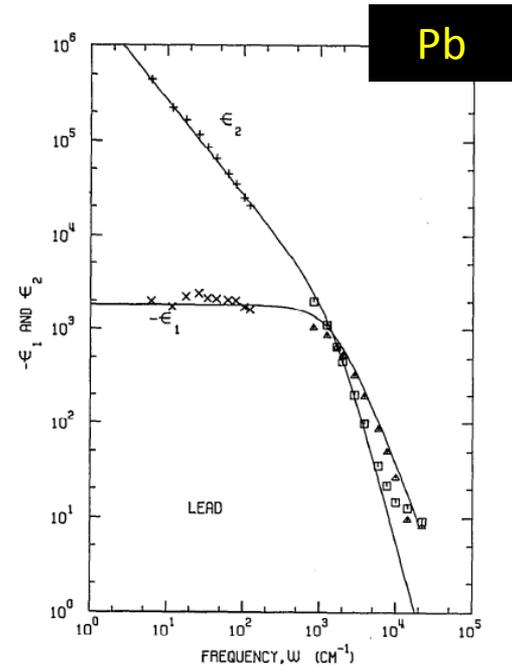
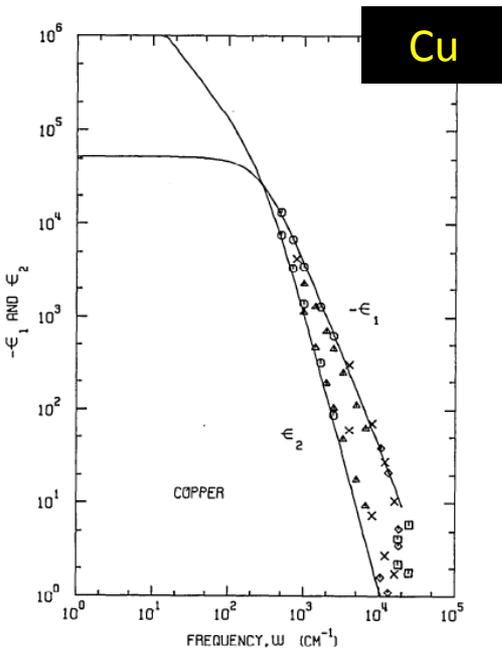
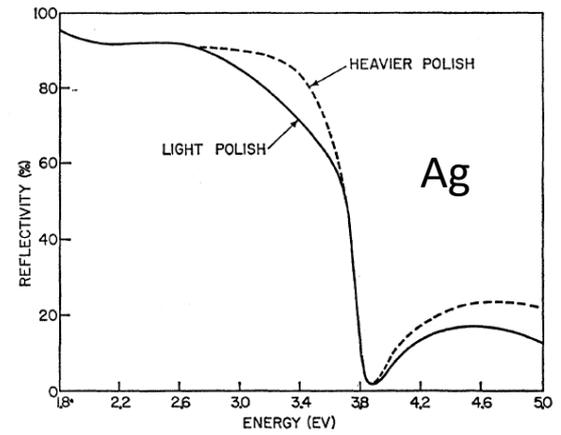
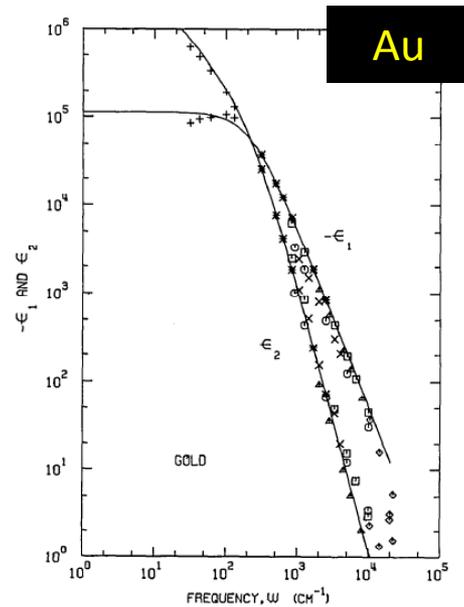
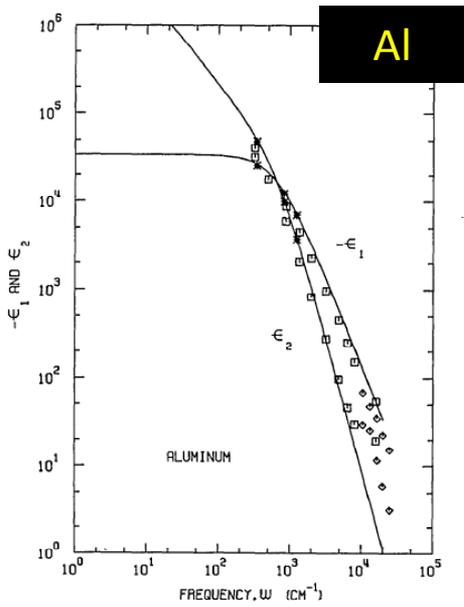
# INDIRECT WANNIER EXCITONS

## Germanium

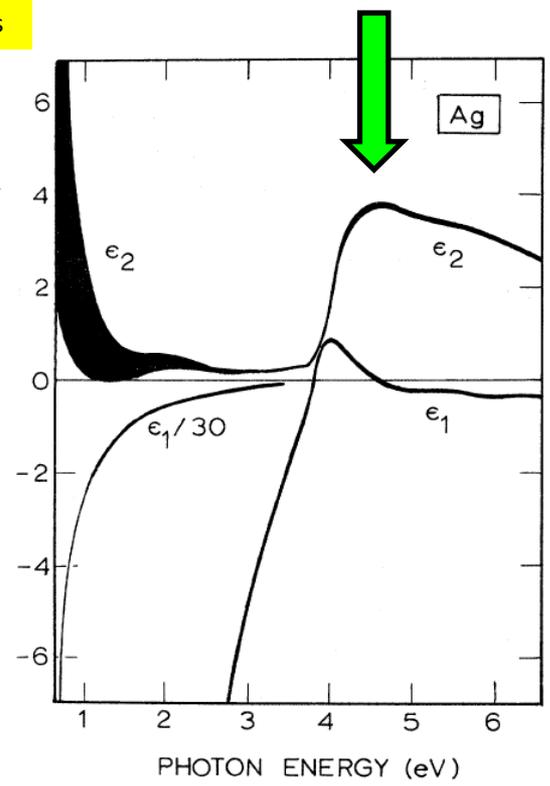


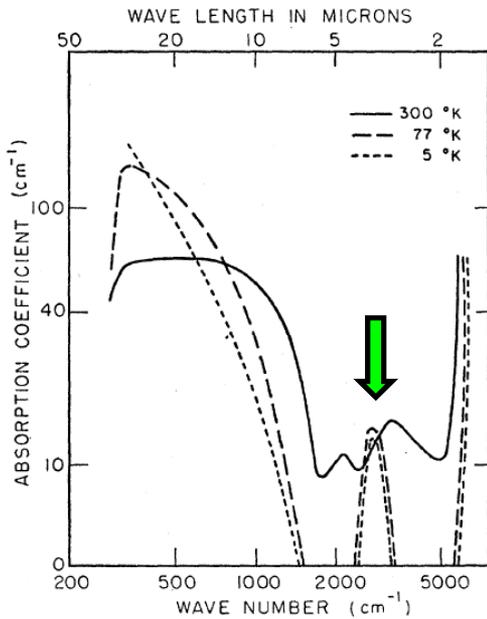
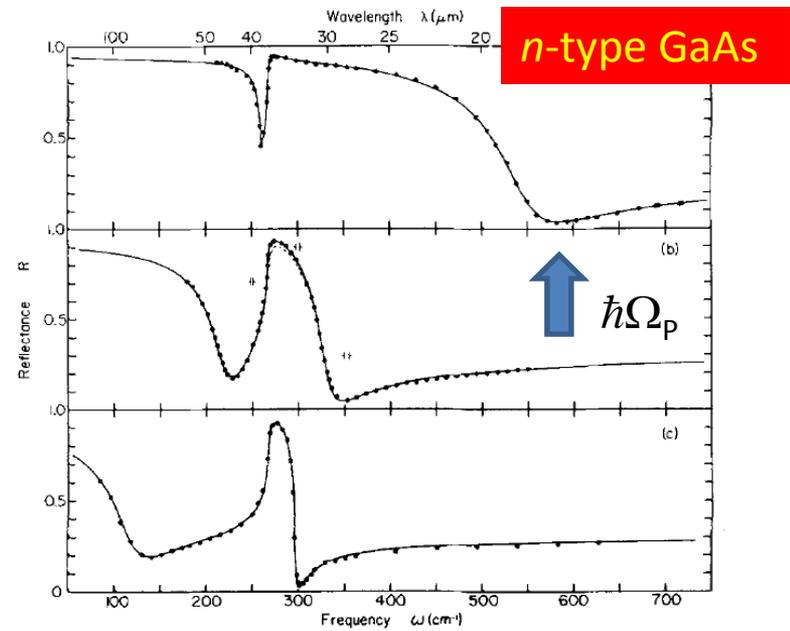
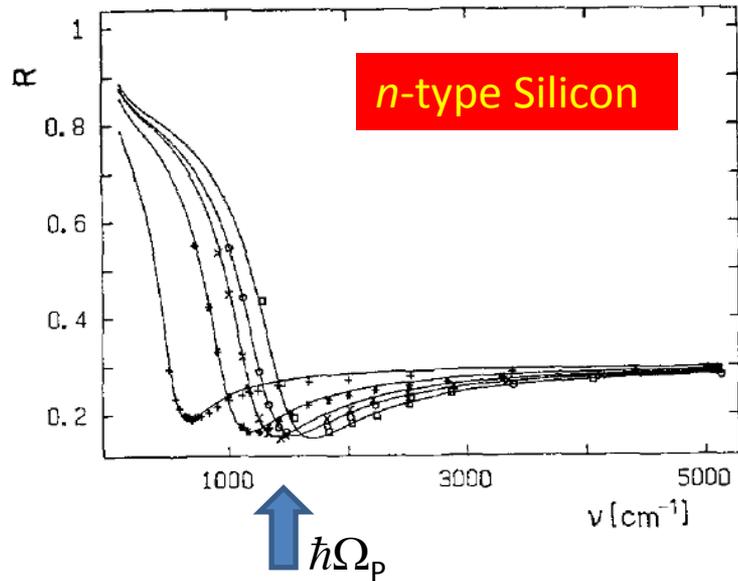
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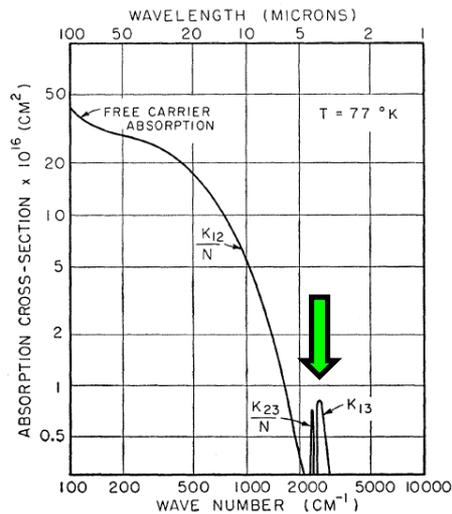


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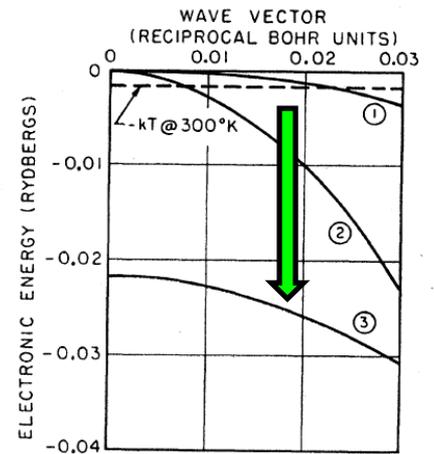


**experiment**



**theory**

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