

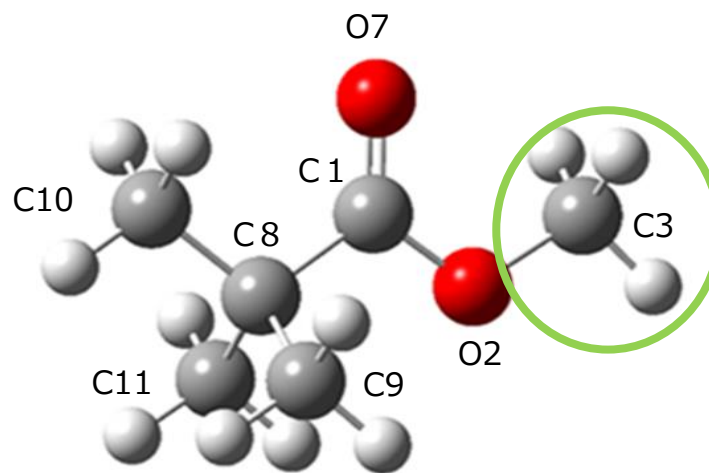
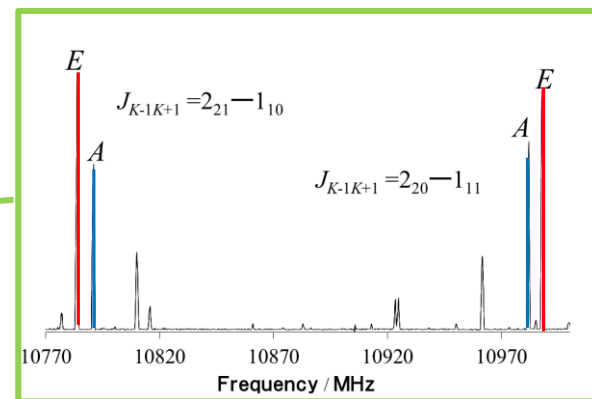
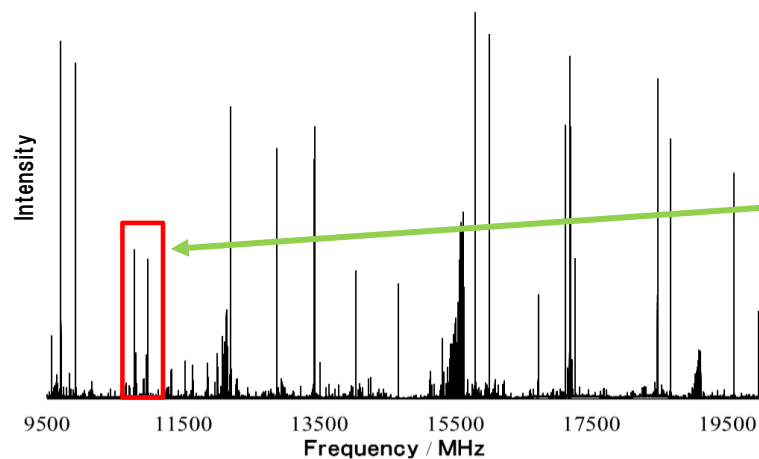
P5076: INTERNAL ROTATIONS OF METHYL PIVALATE BY ROTATIONAL SPECTROSCOPY

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Fourier transform microwave spectroscopy (FTMW)

- A-E splitting of the rotational spectral lines indicate large-amplitude motion of the anti-conformer
- Determination of the molecular constants for five ^{13}C -isotopomers

Complementary results are obtained: t-Bu rotation ($V_3 = 4.1(6) \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} [343 \text{ cm}^{-1}]$) by gas electron diffraction and CH_3 rotation ($V_3 = 5.1 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} [426 \text{ cm}^{-1}]$) by FTMW



anti-conformer

