HIGH-RESOLUTION SPECTROSCOPY OF THE $A^1\Pi(v'=0-10)-X^1\Sigma^+(v''=0)$ BANDS IN $^{13}C^{18}O$

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Ultraviolet spectrographs on space-borne astronomical facilities are used to study CO photochemistry primarily through observations of the A-X Fourth Positive Band System. Absorption from $^{12}C^{16}O$, $^{13}C^{16}O$, $^{12}C^{18}O$, and $^{12}C^{17}O$ in diffuse interstellar clouds has been detected to date. While the necessary spectroscopic data are available to identify the isotopologues, measurements of oscillator strengths only exist for the most abundant variant, $^{12}C^{16}O$. In our ongoing experiments on the DESIRS beam-line at the SOLEIL Synchrotron, we are acquiring the necessary data on oscillator strengths and term values for other isotopologues. Here we present our latest results involving A-X bands in $^{13}C^{18}O$.