

INFRARED AND FAR-INFRARED ABSORPTION FREQUENCY STANDARDS

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Aside from the CO₂ laser transitions, the absorption spectrum of CO has been more accurately and thoroughly measured than any other spectrum. A bibliography of earlier measurements on CO is given by Maki and Wells,¹ and the present tables were calculated from the measurements referred to in that work. In addition, some new and very accurate frequency measurements^{2,3} have been made and were incorporated in the present tables. The frequencies of the rotational transitions of HF and HCl were calculated from constants obtained from fitting the measurements of Evenson et al.^{4,5} and Jennings and Wells.⁶

A new report on infrared wavenumber standards from the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry, Commission on Molecular Structure and Spectroscopy, may be found in Reference 7.

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Wavenumbers for the $\nu = 1 - 0$ Band of CO

Wavenumber (unc)*/ cm^{-1}	Transition	Wavenumber (unc)/ cm^{-1}	Transition
2139.426071(01)	P(1)	2147.081132(01)	R(0)
2135.546178(01)	P(2)	2150.856006(01)	R(1)
2131.631574(01)	P(3)	2154.595581(01)	R(2)
2127.682404(01)	P(4)	2158.299710(01)	R(3)
2123.698816(01)	P(5)	2161.968245(01)	R(4)
2119.680957(01)	P(6)	2165.601041(01)	R(5)
2115.628973(01)	P(7)	2169.197949(01)	R(6)
2111.543012(01)	P(8)	2172.758824(01)	R(7)
2107.423221(01)	P(9)	2176.283519(01)	R(8)
2103.269746(01)	P(10)	2179.771887(01)	R(9)
2099.082734(01)	P(11)	2183.223782(01)	R(10)
2094.862333(01)	P(12)	2186.639057(01)	R(11)
2090.608688(01)	P(13)	2190.017565(01)	R(12)
2086.321947(01)	P(14)	2193.359161(01)	R(13)
2082.002256(01)	P(15)	2196.663698(01)	R(14)
2077.649762(01)	P(16)	2199.931030(01)	R(15)
2073.264612(01)	P(17)	2203.161010(01)	R(16)
2068.846952(01)	P(18)	2206.353492(01)	R(17)
2064.396929(01)	P(19)	2209.508331(02)	R(18)
2059.914688(02)	P(20)	2212.625379(02)	R(19)
2055.400377(02)	P(21)	2215.704492(02)	R(20)
2050.854140(02)	P(22)	2218.745522(02)	R(21)
2046.276126(03)	P(23)	2221.748326(03)	R(22)
2041.666479(03)	P(24)	2224.712755(03)	R(23)
2037.025345(03)	P(25)	2227.638666(03)	R(24)
2032.352870(04)	P(26)	2230.525912(04)	R(25)
2027.649200(04)	P(27)	2233.374349(04)	R(26)
2022.914480(04)	P(28)	2236.183829(04)	R(27)
2018.148857(05)	P(29)	2238.954210(05)	R(28)
2013.352474(05)	P(30)	2241.685344(05)	R(29)
2008.525477(06)	P(31)	2244.377088(06)	R(30)
2003.668012(06)	P(32)	2247.029296(07)	R(31)
1998.780224(07)	P(33)	2249.641824(08)	R(32)
1993.862257(09)	P(34)	2252.214527(10)	R(33)
1988.914257(11)	P(35)	2254.747262(14)	R(34)
1983.936367(14)	P(36)	2257.239883(18)	R(35)
1978.928733(18)	P(37)	2259.692248(24)	R(36)
1973.891500(25)	P(38)	2262.104213(33)	R(37)
		2264.475634(45)	R(38)

Wavenumbers for the $\nu = 1 - 0$ Band of CO

Wavenumber (unc) [*] /cm ⁻¹	Transition	Wavenumber (unc)/cm ⁻¹	Transition
1968.824811(34)	P(39)	2266.806368(61)	R(39)
1963.728813(46)	P(40)	2269.096273(81)	R(40)
1958.603648(61)	P(41)	2271.345206(106)	R(41)
1953.449462(82)	P(42)	2273.553027(139)	R(42)

* The uncertainty in the last digits (twice the standard error) is given in parentheses.

Wavenumbers for the $\nu = 2 - 0$ Band of CO

Wavenumber (unc) [*] /cm ⁻¹	Transition	Wavenumber (unc)/cm ⁻¹	Transition
4256.217140(02)	P(1)	4263.837198(02)	R(0)
4252.302244(02)	P(2)	4267.542066(02)	R(1)
4248.317633(02)	P(3)	4271.176630(02)	R(2)
4244.263453(02)	P(4)	4274.740746(02)	R(3)
4240.139852(02)	P(5)	4278.234264(02)	R(4)
4235.946975(02)	P(6)	4281.657039(02)	R(5)
4231.684972(02)	P(7)	4285.008924(02)	R(6)
4227.353987(02)	P(8)	4288.289772(02)	R(7)
4222.954169(02)	P(9)	4291.499437(02)	R(8)
4218.485665(02)	P(10)	4294.637773(02)	R(9)
4213.948620(02)	P(11)	4297.704631(02)	R(10)
4209.343182(02)	P(12)	4300.699868(02)	R(11)
4204.669499(02)	P(13)	4303.623334(02)	R(12)
4199.927716(02)	P(14)	4306.474886(02)	R(13)
4195.117980(02)	P(15)	4309.254375(02)	R(14)
4190.240439(02)	P(16)	4311.961657(02)	R(15)
4185.295239(02)	P(17)	4314.596584(02)	R(16)
4180.282526(02)	P(18)	4317.159011(02)	R(17)
4175.202447(02)	P(19)	4319.648791(02)	R(18)
4170.055149(03)	P(20)	4322.065779(03)	R(19)
4164.840777(03)	P(21)	4324.409829(03)	R(20)
4159.559478(03)	P(22)	4326.680794(03)	R(21)
4154.211398(03)	P(23)	4328.878530(03)	R(22)
4148.796683(04)	P(24)	4331.002889(04)	R(23)
4143.315479(04)	P(25)	4333.053728(04)	R(24)
4137.767932(04)	P(26)	4335.030899(05)	R(25)
4132.154187(05)	P(27)	4336.934259(06)	R(26)
4126.474391(06)	P(28)	4338.763661(07)	R(27)
4120.728689(07)	P(29)	4340.518961(09)	R(28)
4114.917226(09)	P(30)	4342.200014(11)	R(29)
4109.040148(12)	P(31)	4343.806675(16)	R(30)
4103.097600(16)	P(32)	4345.338799(21)	R(31)
4097.089728(21)	P(33)	4346.796243(29)	R(32)
4091.016676(29)	P(34)	4348.178862(40)	R(33)
4084.878591(40)	P(35)	4349.486513(54)	R(34)
4078.675618(54)	P(36)	4350.719052(73)	R(35)
4072.407901(73)	P(37)	4351.876336(96)	R(36)
4066.075588(97)	P(38)	4352.958224(127)	R(37)
4059.678822(127)	P(39)	4353.964572(166)	R(38)
		4354.895240(214)	R(39)

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Wavenumbers for the $\nu = 3 - 0$ Band of CO

Wavenumber (unc) [*] /cm ⁻¹	Transition	Wavenumber (unc)/cm ⁻¹	Transition
6346.594000(13)	P(1)	6354.179057(13)	R(0)
6342.644103(13)	P(2)	6357.813923(13)	R(1)
6338.589491(13)	P(3)	6361.343487(13)	R(2)
6334.430309(13)	P(4)	6364.767599(13)	R(3)
		6368.086115(13)	R(4)

Wavenumbers for the $\nu = 3 - 0$ Band of CO

Wavenumber (unc) [*] /cm ⁻¹	Transition	Wavenumber (unc)/cm ⁻¹	Transition
6330.166705(13)	P(5)	6371.298887(13)	R(5)
6325.798826(13)	P(6)	6374.405768(12)	R(6)
6321.326819(13)	P(7)	6377.406611(12)	R(7)
6316.750831(12)	P(8)	6380.301271(12)	R(8)
6312.071008(12)	P(9)	6383.089600(12)	R(9)
6307.287498(12)	P(10)	6385.771452(12)	R(10)
6302.400447(12)	P(11)	6388.346680(13)	R(11)
6297.410003(12)	P(12)	6390.815139(13)	R(12)
6292.316311(13)	P(13)	6393.176681(13)	R(13)
6287.119520(13)	P(14)	6395.431160(13)	R(14)
6281.819775(13)	P(15)	6397.578430(13)	R(15)
6276.417224(13)	P(16)	6399.618344(13)	R(16)
6270.912012(13)	P(17)	6401.550757(13)	R(17)
6265.304287(13)	P(18)	6403.375523(13)	R(18)
6259.594194(13)	P(19)	6405.092495(14)	R(19)
6253.781880(13)	P(20)	6406.701527(14)	R(20)
6247.867492(14)	P(21)	6408.202474(14)	R(21)
6241.851176(14)	P(22)	6409.595189(15)	R(22)
6235.733077(14)	P(23)	6410.879527(15)	R(23)
6229.513342(15)	P(24)	6412.055343(16)	R(24)
6223.192117(15)	P(25)	6413.122491(17)	R(25)
6216.769547(16)	P(26)	6414.080825(19)	R(26)
6210.245778(17)	P(27)	6414.930201(23)	R(27)
6203.620957(19)	P(28)	6415.670474(28)	R(28)
6196.895229(23)	P(29)	6416.301500(37)	R(29)
6190.068739(28)	P(30)	6416.823133(50)	R(30)
6183.141633(37)	P(31)	6417.235231(67)	R(31)
6176.114058(50)	P(32)	6417.537649(90)	R(32)
6168.986159(67)	P(33)		
6161.758082(90)	P(34)		

* The uncertainty in the last digits (twice the standard error) is given in parentheses.

Frequencies and Wavenumbers for the Rotational Lines of CO

Frequency/MHz	Uncertainty [*] /MHz	J'	J''	Wavenumber/cm ⁻¹	Uncertainty [*] /cm ⁻¹
115271.2029	0.0004	1	0	3.84503345	0.00000001
230538.0016	0.0008	2	1	7.68991999	0.00000003
345795.9923	0.0012	3	2	11.53451273	0.00000004
461040.7712	0.0016	4	3	15.37866477	0.00000005
576267.9350	0.0019	5	4	19.22222923	0.00000006
691473.0809	0.0021	6	5	23.06505926	0.00000007
806651.8065	0.0023	7	6	26.90700800	0.00000008
921799.7104	0.0025	8	7	30.74792863	0.00000008
1036912.3919	0.0027	9	8	34.58767438	0.00000009
1151985.4515	0.0029	10	9	38.42609848	0.00000010
1267014.4906	0.0031	11	10	42.26305422	0.00000010
1381995.1119	0.0034	12	11	46.09839491	0.00000011
1496922.9195	0.0038	13	12	49.93197392	0.00000013
1611793.5189	0.0042	14	13	53.76364468	0.00000014
1726602.5173	0.0047	15	14	57.59326065	0.00000016
1841345.5237	0.0052	16	15	61.42067535	0.00000017
1956018.1486	0.0057	17	16	65.24574239	0.00000019
2070616.0050	0.0061	18	17	69.06831542	0.00000020
2185134.7075	0.0065	19	18	72.88824816	0.00000022
2299569.8733	0.0069	20	19	76.70539441	0.00000023
2413917.1217	0.0071	21	20	80.51960806	0.00000024
2528172.0747	0.0073	22	21	84.33074306	0.00000024
2642330.3567	0.0074	23	22	88.13865346	0.00000025
2756387.5949	0.0075	24	23	91.94319341	0.00000025

Frequencies and Wavenumbers for the Rotational Lines of CO

Frequency/MHz	Uncertainty*/MHz	J'	J''	Wavenumber/cm ⁻¹	Uncertainty*/cm ⁻¹
2870339.4194	0.0077	25	24	95.74421713	0.00000026
2984181.4631	0.0080	26	25	99.54157896	0.00000027
3097909.3621	0.0085	27	26	103.33513334	0.00000028
3211518.7558	0.0090	28	27	107.12473480	0.00000030
3325005.2869	0.0096	29	28	110.91023800	0.00000032
3438364.6013	0.0102	30	29	114.69149772	0.00000034
3551592.3489	0.0107	31	30	118.46836884	0.00000036
3664684.1829	0.0111	32	31	122.24070637	0.00000037
3777635.7608	0.0118	33	32	126.00836545	0.00000039
3890442.7435	0.0137	34	33	129.77120137	0.00000046
4003100.7965	0.0179	35	34	133.52906952	0.00000060
4115605.5892	0.0254	36	35	137.28182546	0.00000085
4227952.7954	0.0370	37	36	141.02932487	0.00000123
4340138.0932	0.0531	38	37	144.77142361	0.00000177
4452157.1657	0.0746	39	38	148.50797766	0.00000249
4564005.7001	0.1025	40	39	152.23884318	0.00000342

* The uncertainty given is twice the standard error.

Frequencies and Wavenumbers for the Rotational Lines of HF

Frequency/MHz	Uncertainty*/MHz	J'	J''	Wavenumber/cm ⁻¹	Uncertainty*/cm ⁻¹
1232476.21	0.12	1	0	41.110981	0.000004
2463428.09	0.19	2	1	82.171116	0.000006
3691334.81	0.25	3	2	123.129676	0.000008
4914682.58	0.51	4	3	163.936165	0.000017
6131968.11	1.10	5	4	204.540439	0.000037
7341702.00	2.00	6	5	244.892818	0.000067
8542412.1	3.21	7	6	284.944197	0.000107
9732646.8	4.72	8	7	324.646153	0.000157
10910978.2	6.51	9	8	363.951056	0.000217
12076004.8	8.55	10	9	402.81216	0.000285
13226355.2	10.81	11	10	441.18372	0.000361
14360689.8	13.25	12	11	479.02105	0.00044
15477704.4	15.86	13	12	516.28065	0.00053
16576131.8	18.61	14	13	552.92024	0.00062
17654744.4	21.48	15	14	588.89888	0.00072
18712356.5	24.44	16	15	624.17703	0.00082
19747825.6	27.43	17	16	658.71656	0.00092
20760054.3	30.32	18	17	692.4809	0.00101
21747991.7	32.91	19	18	725.4349	0.00110
22710634.7	34.94	20	19	757.5452	0.00117
23647028.7	36.08	21	20	788.7800	0.00120
24556268.8	35.93	22	21	819.1090	0.00120
25437499.9	34.12	23	22	848.5037	0.00114
26289917.4	30.32	24	23	876.9373	0.00101
27112767.2	24.41	25	24	904.38457	0.00081
27905345.6	16.88	26	25	930.82214	0.00056
28666999.3	10.80	27	26	956.22817	0.00036
29397124.8	14.65	28	27	980.58253	0.00049
30095168.2	24.62	29	28	1003.86676	0.00082
30760624.2	33.36	30	29	1026.0640	0.00111
31393035.7	36.17	31	30	1047.1590	0.00121

* The uncertainty given is twice the standard error.

Frequencies and Wavenumbers for the Rotational Lines of H³⁵Cl

Frequency/MHz	Uncertainty*/MHz	<i>J'</i>	<i>J''</i>	Wavenumber/cm ⁻¹	Uncertainty*/cm ⁻¹
1876226.517	0.065	3	2	62.584180	0.000002
2499864.439	0.066	4	3	83.386502	0.000002
3121986.563	0.064	5	4	104.138262	0.000002
3742216.601	0.076	6	5	124.826909	0.000003
4360180.042	0.098	7	6	145.439951	0.000003
4975504.51	0.11	8	7	165.964966	0.000004
5587820.10	0.12	9	8	186.389615	0.000004
6196759.76	0.22	10	9	206.701656	0.000007
6801959.63	0.50	11	10	226.888951	0.000017
7403059.41	1.02	12	11	246.939481	0.000034
7999702.7	1.8	13	12	266.841359	0.000062
8591537.3	3.1	14	13	286.582837	0.000103
9178215.8	4.8	15	14	306.152324	0.000161

* The uncertainty given is twice the standard error.

Frequencies and Wavenumbers for the Rotational Lines of H³⁷Cl

Frequency/MHz	Uncertainty*/MHz	<i>J'</i>	<i>J''</i>	Wavenumber/cm ⁻¹	Uncertainty*/cm ⁻¹
1873410.72	0.05	3	2	62.490255	0.000002
2496115.33	0.05	4	3	83.261445	0.000002
3117308.69	0.05	5	4	103.982225	0.000002
3736615.64	0.06	6	5	124.640082	0.000002
4353662.84	0.08	7	6	145.222561	0.000003
4968079.04	0.09	8	7	165.717279	0.000003
5579495.53	0.10	9	8	186.111938	0.000003
6187546.42	0.19	10	9	206.394332	0.000006
6791869.04	0.45	11	10	226.552365	0.000015
7392104.3	0.9	12	11	246.574057	0.000030
7987896.9	1.6	13	12	266.447561	0.000054
8578896.1	2.7	14	13	286.161170	0.000089

* The uncertainty given is twice the standard error.