THE $\tilde{X} \leftarrow \tilde{A}$ SEP SPECTRA OF JET-COOLED THIOPHOSGENE

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The $\tilde{X} \leftarrow \tilde{A}$ stimulated emission pumping of SCCl₂ made over 100 new vibrational transitions accessible from $7000-8000~\text{cm}^{-1}$ above the \tilde{X} state zero point energy. We report anharmonic constants that fit all the 482 currently assigned vibrational energy levels. A spectral autocorrelation analysis shows that the onset of free energy flow has not been reached at $8000~\text{cm}^{-1}$, in accordance with higher energy \tilde{B} state SEP data and a theoretical analysis. The available experimental data and computational results are both compatible with less fragmentation among the observable interior states of SCCl₂.

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