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#### The vacuum-ultraviolet photoelectron spectra of CH<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> revisited

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**Table S1.** Energies, separations from origin band, relative intensities and assignments of vibrational bands in the first photoelectron band of  $CH_2F_2$ , ionisation to  $\widetilde{X}^{+2}B_1$ , as predicted by harmonic calculations. Only bands with intensity greater than 10 % of the strongest band, the  $2^2_0 3^1_0$  combination, are shown.

Energy / eV	Relative intensity	Assignment
12.727 <sup>a</sup>	3.1	$0^0_{0}$
12.862	7.4	$2^{1}_{0}$
12.887	4.1	310
12.998	7.6	$2^{2}_{0}$
13.022	9.8	$2^{1}_{0}$ $3^{1}_{0}$ $2^{2}_{0}$ $2^{1}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$ $1^{1}_{0}$ $3^{2}_{0}$ $2^{3}_{0}$ $2^{2}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$
13.043	2.2	$1^{1}_{0}$
13.047	2.9	$3_{0}^{2}$
13.133	4.1	$2^{3}_{0}$
13.158	10.0	$2^{2}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$
13.166	1.0	$2_{\ 0}^{1}3_{\ 0}^{1}7_{\ 0}^{2}$
13.178	6.0	$1_{0}^{1}2_{0}^{1}$
13.182	7.0	$2^{1}_{0}3^{2}_{0}$
13.203	3.0	$1_{0}^{1}3_{0}^{1}$
13.207	1.5	$3^{3}_{0}$
13.293	5.5	$1_{0}^{1} 3_{0}^{1}$ $3_{0}^{3}$ $2_{0}^{3} 3_{0}^{1}$
13.314	6.8	$1_{0}^{1}2_{0}^{2}$
13.318	7.2	$2^{2}_{0}3^{2}_{0}$
13.338	8.1	$1_{0}^{1}2_{0}^{1}3_{0}^{1}$
13.342	3.6	$2^{1}_{0}3^{3}_{0}$
13.363	2.2	$1^{1}_{0}3^{2}_{0}$
13.449	4.3	$1_{0}^{1}2_{0}^{3}$ $2_{0}^{3}3_{0}^{2}$
13.453	3.9	$2^{3}_{0} 3^{2}_{0}$
13.474	9.3	$1_{0}^{1}2_{0}^{2}3_{0}^{1}$
13.478	3.7	$2_{\ 0}^{2}  3_{\ 0}^{3}$
13.498	5.9	$1_{0}^{1} 2_{0}^{1} 3_{0}^{2}$
13.609	5.8	$1_{.0}^{1} 2_{.0}^{3} 3_{.0}^{1}$
13.634	6.8	$1_{0}^{1} 2_{0}^{2} 3_{0}^{1}$ $2_{0}^{2} 3_{0}^{3}$ $1_{0}^{1} 2_{0}^{1} 3_{0}^{2}$ $1_{0}^{1} 2_{0}^{3} 3_{0}^{1}$ $1_{0}^{1} 2_{0}^{2} 3_{0}^{2}$ $1_{0}^{1} 2_{0}^{2} 3_{0}^{2}$

a Set to our experimentally-determined value.

Table S2. Energies, separations from origin band, relative intensities and assignments of vibrational bands in the first and second (overlapping) photoelectron bands of CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, ionisation to  $\tilde{X}^{+2}$ B<sub>2</sub> and  $\tilde{A}^{+2}$ B<sub>1</sub>, as predicted by harmonic Franck-Condon calculations. Apart from the weak bands at low energy below 11.34 eV (11.40 eV) where there is no overlapping problem, only bands with intensity greater than 10 % of the strongest band, the  $4^{17}_0$  ( $3^1_0$ ) component of  $\widetilde{X}^{+2}B_2$  ( $\widetilde{A}^{+2}B_1$ ), are shown.

$\mathbf{CH}_{2}\mathbf{CI}_{2}  A  \mathbf{D}_{2} \qquad \qquad \mathbf{CH}_{2}\mathbf{CI}_{2}  A  \mathbf{D}_{1}$	$\mathbf{CH_2Cl_2}^+ \ \widetilde{X} + {}^2\mathbf{B_2}$	$\mathbf{CH_2Cl_2}^+ \widetilde{A}^{+2}\mathbf{B_1}$
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	$CII_2CI_2  A  D_2$	
Energy / eV	Relative intensity	Assignment
11.228 <sup>a</sup>	0.5	$4_{.1}^{7}$
11.230	0.5	$4^8$
11.266	0.9	$\frac{4^{8}}{4^{8}_{1}}$
11.268	0.5	$4^{9}_{2}$
11.302	0.7	$4^{8}_{0}$
11.304	1.3	$\Delta^9_1$
11.306	0.5	$4^{10}_{2}$
11.340	1.2	$4^9$
11.342	1.8	$4^{10}$
11.377	2.1	$4_{0}^{10}$
11.379	2.1	$4^{11}_{11}$
11.415	3.3	$4^{11}_{0}$
11.417	2.2	$4^{12}_{1}^{0}$
11.453	4.7	$4^{12}_{0}$
11.455	2.0	<sub>1</sub> 13.
11.475	1.3	$4^{10}$ , $3^{1}$ ,
11.477	1.2	$4^{11}, 3^{1}$
11.491	6.3	$4^{13}$
11.492	1.5	$4^{14}_{1}$
11.513	2.1	$4^{11}$ , $3^{1}$ ,
11.515	1.3	$4^{12}, 3^{1}$
11.528	7.8	$4^{14}$
11.530	1.0	$4^{15}_{1}$
11.551	3.0	$4^{12}$ , $3^{1}$
11.553	1.2	$4^{13}, 3^{1}$
11.566	9.0	$4^{15}_{0}$
11.588	4.1	$4_{.0}^{13} 3_{.0}^{1}$
11.604	9.7	$4^{16}_{0}$
11.626	5.1	$4_{-0}^{14} 3_{0}^{1}$
11.641	10.0	$4^{17}_{10}$
11.664	6.0	$\begin{array}{c} 4 & 0 \\ 4^{15} & 0 & 3^{1} \\ 4^{18} & 0 & 1 \end{array}$
11.679	9.7	$4_{10}^{18}$
11.702	6.6	$4^{16}_{0}$ $4^{16}_{0}$ $3^{1}_{0}$ $4^{19}_{0}$
11.717	9.0	$4^{19}_{0}$
11.724	1.9	$4_{10}^{14} 3_{10}^{2}$
11.739	6.9	$4^{17}_{20} 3^{1}_{0}$
11.755	7.9	$4^{20}_{140}$
11.762	2.3	$4^{20}_{0}$ $4^{14}_{0}$ $3^{2}_{0}$
11.777	6.8	110 21
11.792	6.6	$4^{21}_{0}$
11.799	2.5	$4_{0}^{16} 3_{0}^{2}$
11.815	6.4	$4^{19}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$

Energy / eV	Rel. Intensity	Assignment
		0
11.281	0.4	$4_{.1}^{0}$
11.317 <sup>b</sup>	8.7	$0_{0}^{0}$
11.320	1.6	$4^{1}_{1}$
11.356	1.3	$4^{1}_{0}$
11.360	0.5	$4_{1}^{2}$
11.399	0.6	$7^{2}_{0}$
11.404	10.0	$3^{1}_{0}$
11.407	1.8	$3_{.0}^{10} 4_{.1}^{1}$
11.433	1.5	$3_{0}^{1} 4_{0}^{1}$
11.491	5.1	$3_{0}^{2}$
11.578	1.5	$3^{1}_{0}4^{1}_{0}$ $3^{2}_{0}$ $3^{3}_{0}$

Set so that the adiabatic ionization energy of this state is 11.0 eV.

Set to our experimentally-determined value.

**Table S3.** Energies, separations from origin band, relative intensities and assignments of vibrational bands in the second and fourth (overlapping) photoelectron bands of  $CH_2F_2$ , ionisation to  $\tilde{A}^{+2}B_2$  and  $\tilde{C}^{+2}A_2$ , as predicted by harmonic Franck–Condon calculations. Only bands with intensity greater than 10 % of the strongest bands, the  $4^{11}_0$   $3^1_0$  ( $3^1_0$  or  $3^1_0$   $4^1_0$ ) components of  $\tilde{A}^{+2}B_2$  ( $\tilde{C}^{+2}A_2$ ), are shown.

 $\mathbf{CH_2F_2}^+ \widetilde{A}^{+2}\mathbf{B_2}$ 

 $\mathrm{CH_2F_2}^+ \ \widetilde{C}^{+2}\mathrm{A_2}$ 

	$\mathbf{CH_2F_2}$ A $\mathbf{B_2}$		Сн	$_{2}\mathbf{F}_{2}$ $\mathbf{C}$ $\mathbf{A}_{2}$	
Energy / eV	Relative intensity	Assignment	Energy / eV 1	Relative intens	sity Assignment
14.702 <sup>a</sup>	1.4	$4^{6}_{0}$	15.570 <sup>b</sup>	5.1	$0^{0}_{0}$
14.769	2.4	$4^{7}_{0}$	15.631	5.0	$4_{.0}^{1}$
14.773	1.2	$4^{5}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$	15.690	2.2	$4^{2}_{0}$
14.836	3.5	$4^{8}_{0}$	15.698	10.0	$3_{0}^{1}$
14.840	2.4	$4^{6}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$	15.758	10.0	$3_{.0}^{10} 4_{.0}^{1}$
14.903	4.5	$4_{0}^{6} 3_{0}^{1}$ $4_{0}^{9}$	15.817	4.3	$3^{1}_{0}4^{2}_{0}$
14.907	4.0	$4^{\prime}_{0} 3^{1}_{0}$	15.826	9.1	$3^{1}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{2}_{0}$
14.912	1.0	$4^{5}_{0} 3^{2}_{0}$	15.885	9.3	$3^{2}_{0}4^{1}_{0}$
14.970	5.3	$4^{5}_{0} 3^{2}_{0} $ $4^{10}_{0}$	15.945	4.1	$3^{2}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$
14.974	6.0	$4^{8}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$	15.953	5.2	$3^{3}_{0}$
14.979	2.0	$4_{0}^{6}3_{0}^{2}$ $4_{0}^{11}$	16.013	5.4	$3_{0}^{3}4_{0}^{1}$
15.037	5.7	$4^{11}_{00}$	16.072	2.4	$3_{.0}^{3} 4_{.0}^{2}$
15.041	7.8	$4_{00}^{9} 3_{00}^{1}$	16.080	2.0	$3_{.0}^{4}$
15.046	3.3	$\begin{array}{c} 4_{0}^{9} 3_{0}^{1} \\ 4_{0}^{7} 3_{0}^{2} \\ 4_{0}^{12} 3_{0}^{2} \end{array}$	16.140	2.1	$3_{0}^{4} 4_{0}^{1}$
15.104	5.5	$4^{12}_{10}$	16.199	1.0	$3^4_0  4^2_0$
15.108	9.3	$4^{10}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$			
15.113	5.0	$4^{\circ}_{0} 3^{\circ}_{0}$			tic ionization energy
15.117	1.1	$2^{10}_{0} 3^{30}_{0} $ $4^{10}_{0} 2^{1}_{0}$	1.	e is 14.3 eV.	
15.159	1.1	$4^{10}_{0}2^{1}_{0}$			tic ionization energy
15.164	1.2	$\begin{array}{c} 4_{0}^{8} 2_{0}^{1} 3_{0}^{1} \\ 4_{0}^{13} \end{array}$	of this state	e is 15.57 eV.	
15.171	5.0	4 <sup>13</sup> 0			
15.176	10.0	$4^{11}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$			
15.180	6.6	$4_{0}^{9} 3_{0}^{2}$ $4_{0}^{7} 3_{0}^{3}$ $4_{0}^{14}$			
15.184	1.8	4 0 3 0			
15.238	4.2	$\frac{4}{4^{12}} \frac{0}{2^1}$			
15.243	9.8	$4_{0}^{12} 3_{0}^{1} 4_{0}^{10} 3_{0}^{2}$			
15.247 15.251	7.9 2.7	4 0 3 0 48 2 <sup>3</sup>			
15.298	1.8	$\begin{array}{c} 4^{8}_{0}  3^{3}_{0} \\ 4^{10}_{0}  2^{1}_{0}  3^{1}_{0} \end{array}$			
15.305	3.3	115 <sub>a</sub>			
15.310	8.9	$\begin{array}{c} 4 & 0 \\ 4^{13} & 0 & 3^{1} & 0 \\ 4^{11} & 0 & 3^{2} & 0 \\ 4^{9} & 0 & 3^{3} & 0 \\ 4^{11} & 0 & 2^{1} & 0 & 3^{1} & 0 \\ 4^{16} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$			
15.314	8.6	$4^{11}_{0}, 3^{2}_{0}$			
15.318	3.7	$4^{9}_{0}, 3^{3}_{0}$			
15.365	1.9	$4^{11}_{0}, 2^{1}_{0}, 3^{1}_{0}$			
15.372	2.4	$4^{16}_{0}$			
15.377	7.5	$\begin{array}{c} 4^{14}_{0} \ 3^{1}_{0} \\ 4^{12}_{0} \ 3^{2}_{0} \\ 4^{10}_{0} \ 3^{3}_{0} \end{array}$			
15.381	8.5	$4^{12}_{0}3^{2}_{0}$			
15.385	4.4	$4^{10}_{0}3^{3}_{0}$			
15.432	1.9	$4^{12}_{0} 2^{1}_{0} 3^{1}_{0}$			
15.436	1.5	$4^{10}_{0} 2^{1}_{0} 3^{2}_{0}$ $4^{17}_{0}$			
15.439	1.6	$4^{17}_{0}$			
15.444	5.9	$4^{15}_{0}3^{1}_{0}$			
15.448	7.8	$4^{13}_{0}  3^{2}_{0}$			
15.452	4.8	$\begin{array}{c} 4^{15}_{0} \ 3^{1}_{0} \\ 4^{13}_{0} \ 3^{2}_{0} \\ 4^{11}_{0} \ 3^{3}_{0} \end{array}$			

**Table S4.** Energies, relative intensities and assignments of vibrational bands in the first and second (overlapping) photoelectron bands of  $CH_2F_2$ , ionisation to  $\tilde{D}^{+2}B_2$ , as predicted by harmonic Franck–Condon calculations. Only bands with intensity greater than 10 % of the strongest band, the  $3^6_0$  component of  $\tilde{D}^{+2}B_2$ , are shown.

Energy / eV	Relative intensity	Assignment
18.211 <sup>a</sup>	1.9	$3^{2}_{0}$
18.265	1.3	$3^{2}_{0}4^{1}_{0}$
18.317	4.5	$3_{0}^{3}$
18.370	3.1	$3^{3}_{0}4^{1}_{0}$
18.422	7.6	$3^{2}_{0} 4^{1}_{0}$ $3^{3}_{0}$ $3^{3}_{0} 4^{1}_{0}$ $3^{4}_{0}$ $3^{4}_{0} 4^{1}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0}$ $3^{4}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{1}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{1}_{0}$ $3^{6}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{5}_{0} 4^{2}_{0}$
18.476	5.3	$3^{4_{0}}_{0}4^{1_{0}}$
18.528	9.8	$3_{0}^{5}$
18.530	1.3	$3_{0}^{4}4_{0}^{2}$
18.581	7.0	$3_{0}^{5}4_{0}^{1}$
18.602	1.3	$3^{4}_{0} 2^{1}_{0}$
18.633	10.0	$3^{6}_{\ 0}$
18.635	1.7	$3_{0}^{5}4_{0}^{2}$
18.687	7.2	$3^{6}_{\ 0}  4^{1}_{\ 0}$
18.708	1.7	$3^{5}_{0} 2^{1}_{0}$
18.739	8.3	$3_{0}^{7}$
18.741	1.8	$3_{\ 0}^{6}  4_{\ 0}^{2}$
18.762	1.2	$3_{0}^{5} 2_{0}^{1} 4_{0}^{1}$ $3_{0}^{7} 4_{0}^{1}$
18.792	6.1	$3_{\ 0}^{7} 4_{\ 0}^{1}$
18.813	1.7	$3^{6}_{0} 2^{1}_{0}$ $3^{8}_{0}$
18.844	5.6	$3^{8}_{0}$
18.846	1.6	$3_{0}^{7} 4_{0}^{2}$
18.898	4.2	$3_{.0}^{8} 4_{.0}^{1}$
18.949	3.1	$3_{.0}^{9}$
19.055	1.5	$3^{7}_{0}4^{2}_{0}$ $3^{8}_{0}4^{1}_{0}$ $3^{9}_{0}$ $3^{10}_{0}$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Set so that the adiabatic ionization energy of this state is 18.0 eV.

**Table S5.** Energies, separations from origin band, relative intensities and assignments of vibrational bands in the third and fourth (overlapping) photoelectron bands of  $CH_2Cl_2$ , ionisation to  $\tilde{B}^{+2}A_1$  and  $\tilde{C}^{+2}A_2$ , as predicted by harmonic Franck–Condon calculations. Only bands with intensity greater than 10 % of the strongest band, the  $4^2_0$  ( $4^1_0$ ) component of  $\tilde{B}^{+2}A_1$  ( $\tilde{C}^{+2}A_2$ ), are shown.

$\mathbf{CH_2Cl_2}^+ \stackrel{\sim}{B}^{+2}\mathbf{A_1}$				$\mathrm{CH_2Cl_2}^+\ \widetilde{C}^{+2}\mathrm{A_2}$			
Energy / eV	Relative intensity	y Assignment	Energy / eV	Rel. Intensity	Assignment		
12.114 <sup>a</sup>	1.8	$4_{.1}^{0}$	12.214 <sup>b</sup>	2.5	$4^{0}_{1}$		
12.150	1.6	$A^1$ .	12.250	9.7	$0^{0}_{0}$		
12.150	3.0	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	12.282	1.3	$4^{2}_{1}$		
12.186	7.7	$4^{1}_{0}$	12.284	10.0	$4^{1}_{0}$		
12.221	10.0	$4_{0}^{2}$	12.302	1.0	$4_{1}^{0} 3_{0}^{1}$ $4_{1}^{3}$ $4_{0}^{2}$		
12.257	1.2	$4^{4}_{1}$	12.315	1.7	$4_{1}^{3}$		
12.257	8.6	$4^{3}_{0}$	12.317	4.8	$4_{0}^{2}$		
12.262	1.0	$4^{1}_{0}  3^{1}_{0}$	12.338	4.3	$3^{1}_{0}$ $4^{3}_{0}$		
12.292	1.7	$4^{5}_{1}$	12.351	1.5	$4_{0}^{3}$		
12.293	5.5	4'0	12.372	4.5	$4^{1}_{0}  3^{1}_{0}$		
12.298	1.1	$4_{0}^{2} 3_{0}^{1}$	12.406	2.3	$4_{0}^{2} 3_{0}^{1}$		
12.328	1.4	$\begin{array}{c} 4^{2}_{0} \ 3^{1}_{0} \\ 4^{6}_{1} \\ 4^{5}_{0} \\ 4^{1}_{0} \ 2^{1}_{0} \\ 4^{7}_{1} \end{array}$	12.426	1.0	$3_{0}^{2}$		
12.328	2.8	$4^{5}_{0}$	12.460	1.0	$4^{1}_{0}  3^{2}_{0}$		
12.360	1.4	$4^{1}_{0} 2^{1}_{0}$					
12.364	1.0	$4^{7}_{1}$					
12.364	1.2	$4^{\circ}_{0}$					
12.395	1.8	$4_{0}^{2} 2_{0}^{1}$					
12.431	1.5	$4_{0}^{3}2_{0}^{1}$					
12.466	1.0	$4^{4}_{0} 2^{1}_{0}$					

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Set so that the adiabatic ionization energy of this state is 12.15 eV.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Set so that the adiabatic ionization energy of this state is 12.25 eV.