

February 13, 2012

➤ **Exam #1 Info Page!**

➤ Wed, Feb 15th, 7 pm, Perkins 107

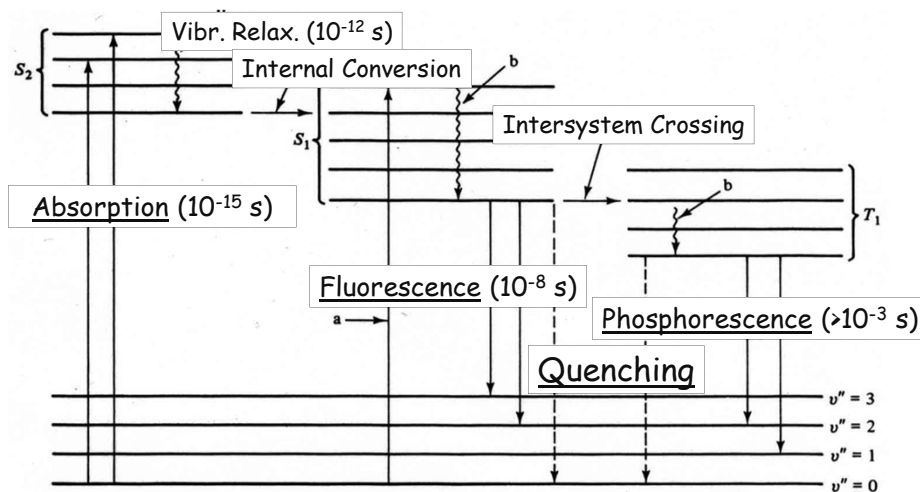
➤ **REMINDER:**

➤ *Wednesday's Class is for Review/Questions*

➤ *Email me with questions you want covered!*

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Jablonski Diagram

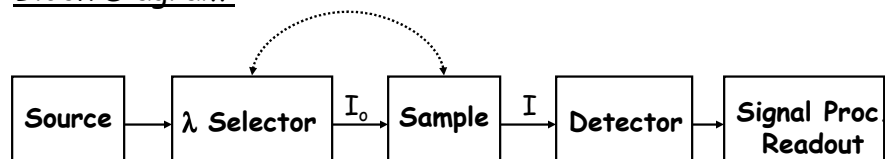


Spectroscopy: Instrumentation

Chem 221
Instrumental Analysis
Spring 2012

Spectrometer Configuration

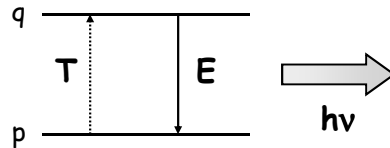
Block Diagram:



- Continuum
- Line
- Dispersive
- Non-Dispersive
- Liquids
- Gases
- Solids
- Single-Channel
- Multi-Channel

Line Sources

- Most line sources rely on *spontaneous emission* from *thermally-excited gas-phase* atoms/ions:



Emission rate =
$$-\frac{dN_q}{dt} = N_q A_{qp}$$

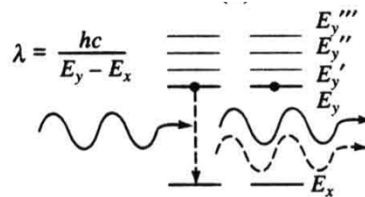
Excited state population

Einstein Spontaneous Emission Transition Probability

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LASERs: The *Ultimate* Line Sources

- Based on *Stimulated Emission*:



Light **A**mplification by **S**timulated **E**mission of **R**adiation

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Absorption versus Stimulated Emission

- Two processes can occur when a system is presented with EMR:

