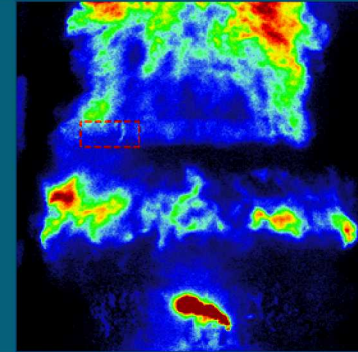


# Post-Detonation Fireball Thermometry via ID Rotational CARS



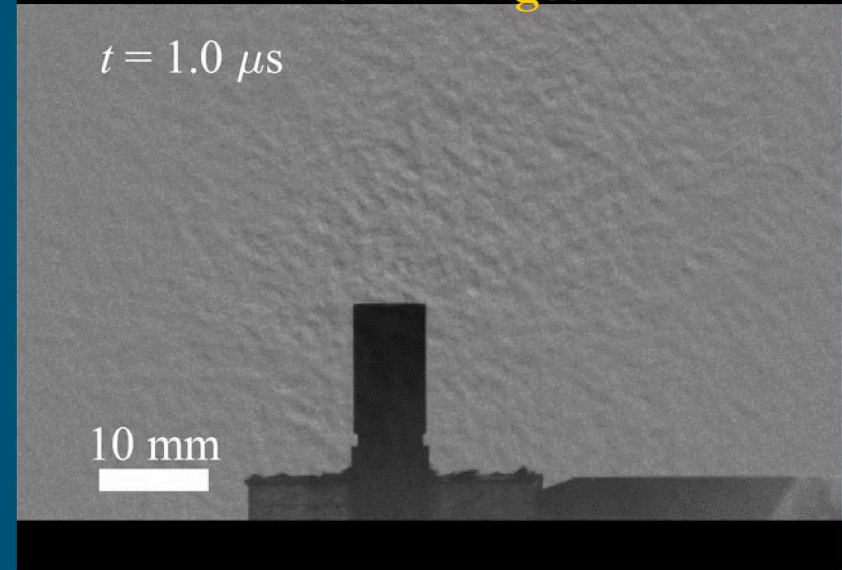
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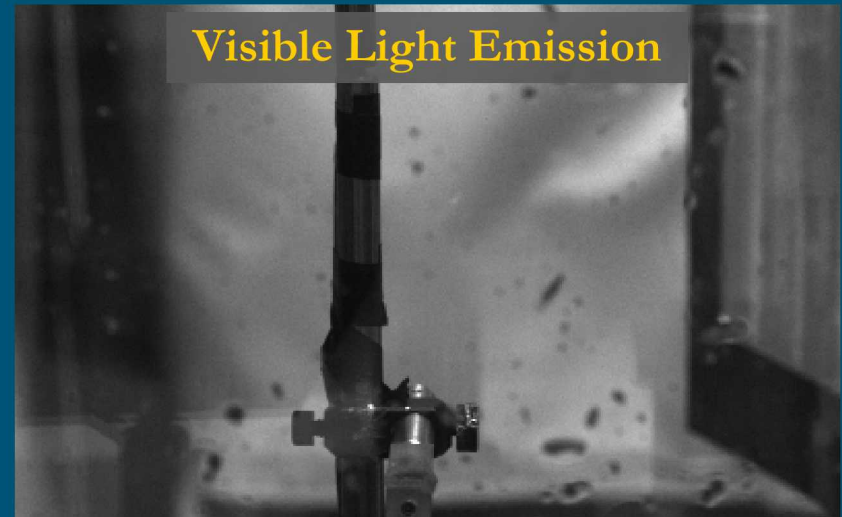
# Introduction

- Energetic materials are used in many industrial and military applications
- Understanding the energy released in a detonation is important and challenging due to:
  - Extreme pressures and temperatures
  - Fast time scale
  - Fragments and debris
- Energy released in fireball can be comparable to energy in detonation and blast wave
- This work focuses on the temperature inside the fireball

## Backlit Images



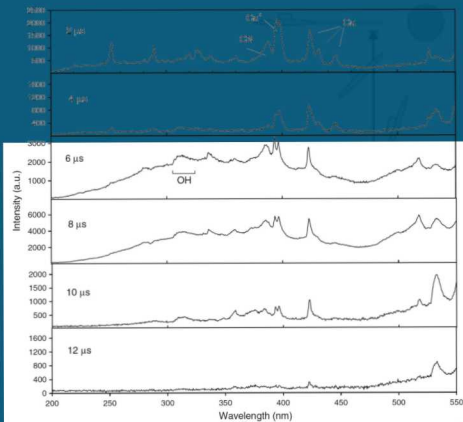
## Visible Light Emission



# Previous Fireball Temperature Measurements

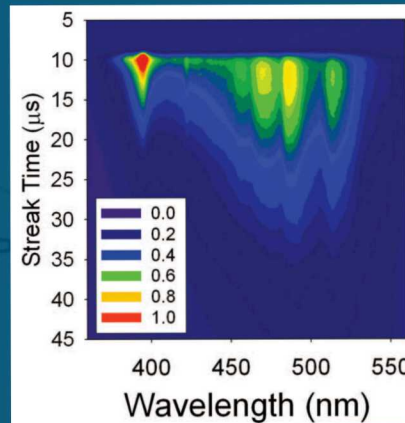
## Emission Spectroscopy

Early Times (2–10  $\mu\text{s}$ )



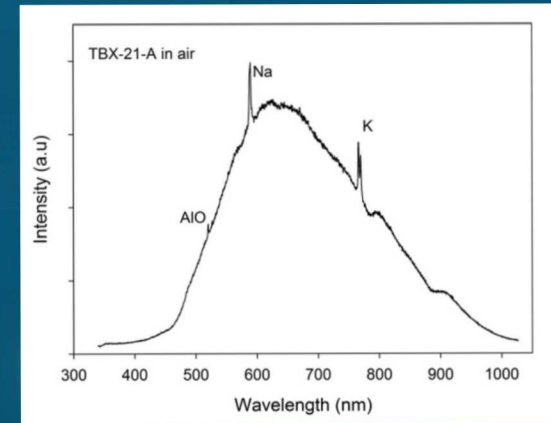
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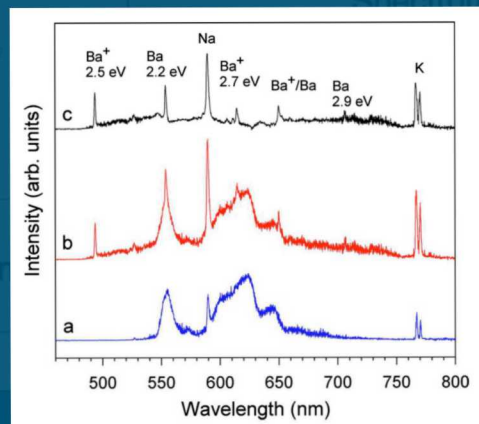
Carney, Rev. Sci. Instrum. 2006

Late Times (4ms)



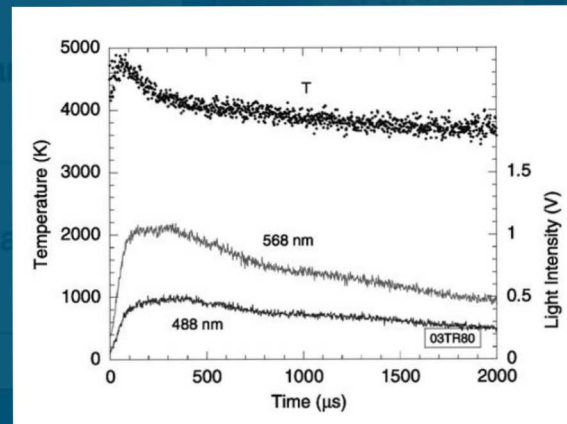
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Atomic Emission from Tracer



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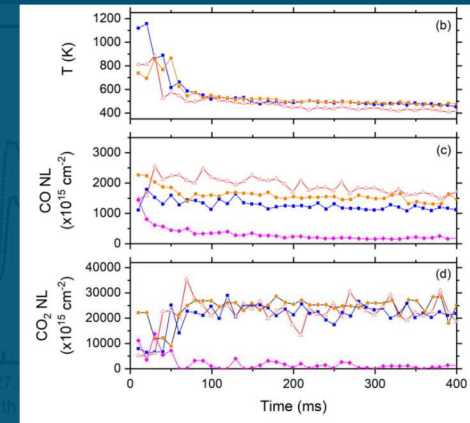
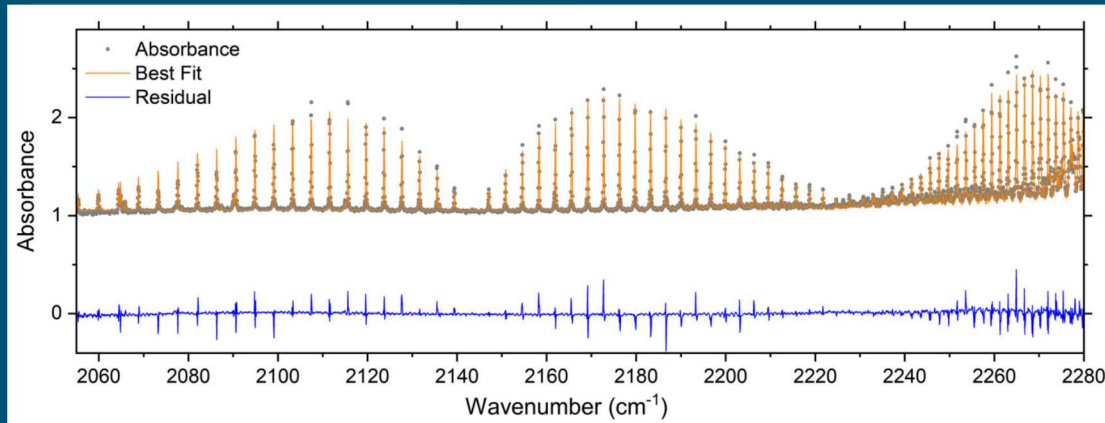


# Previous Fireball Temperature Measurements

## Absorption Spectroscopy

Broadband Dye Laser

TDLAS, CO, CO<sub>2</sub> Broadband Dye Laser

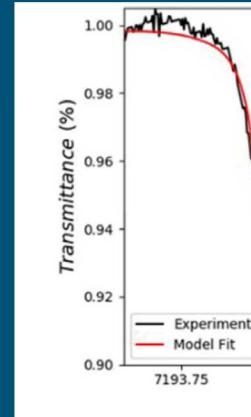
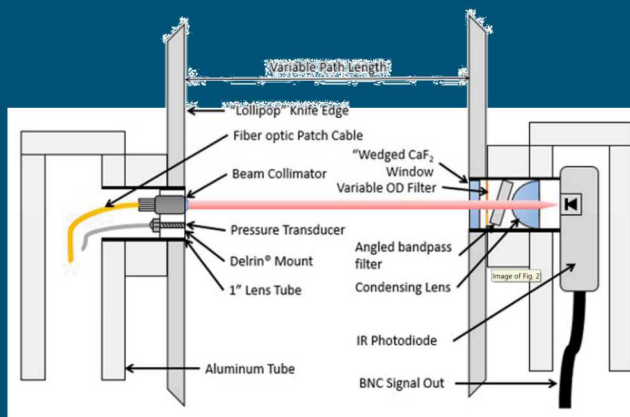


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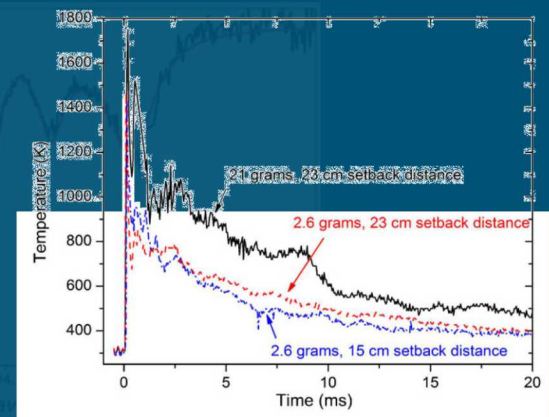
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## Tunable Diode Laser Absorption (TDLAS), H<sub>2</sub>O



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## TDLAS, H<sub>2</sub>O

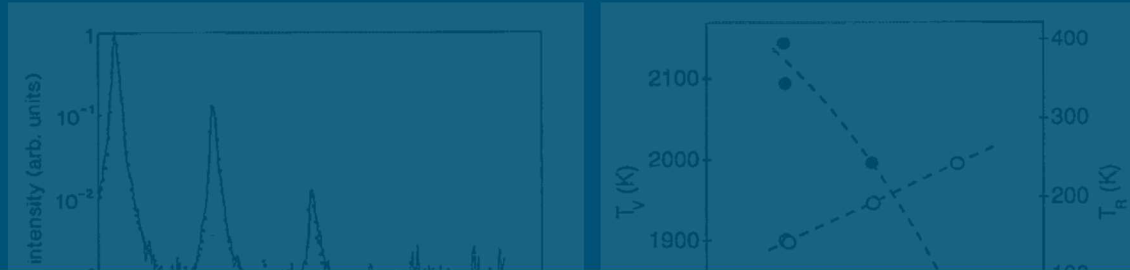


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# Previous Fireball Temperature Measurements

## Coherent Anti-Stokes Raman Scattering

ns CARS



The goal of this work is to perform spatially resolved temperature measurements in post-detonation fireballs.

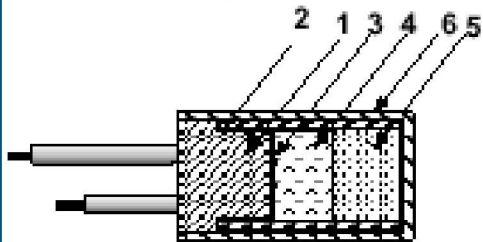


# Experimental Setup: Detonator

## Detonator:

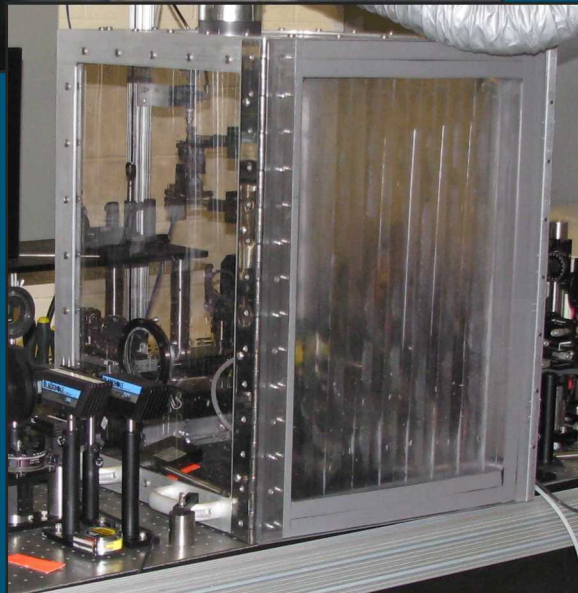
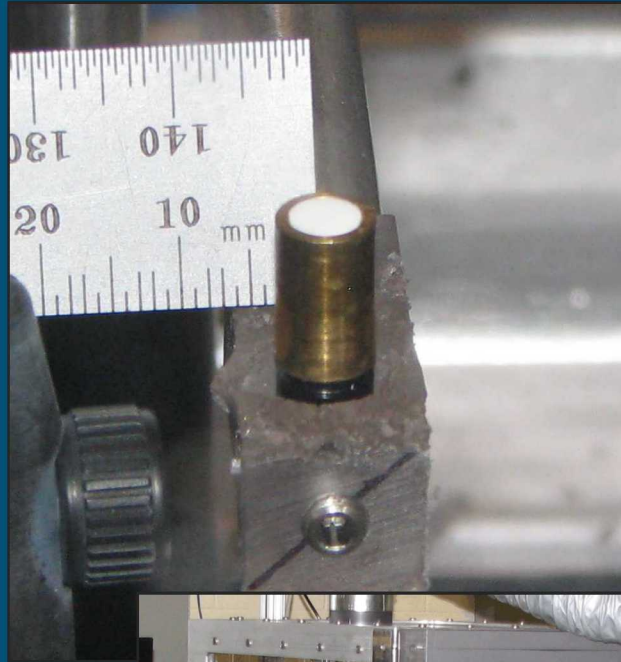
- RP-80 EBW from Teledyne RISI
  - P/N 167-9964
- 80 mg PETN
- 123 mg RDX

### RP-80 Explosive Train



1. Plastic molded head
2. Brass sleeve
3. Bridgewire (Gold)
4. Initiating explosive: 80 mg PETN
5. Output explosive: 123 mg RDX
6. Aluminum cup 0.007" thick

<http://www.teledynerrisi.com/products-services/ebw-detectors/rp-80-ebw-detector>



## Expert Help!

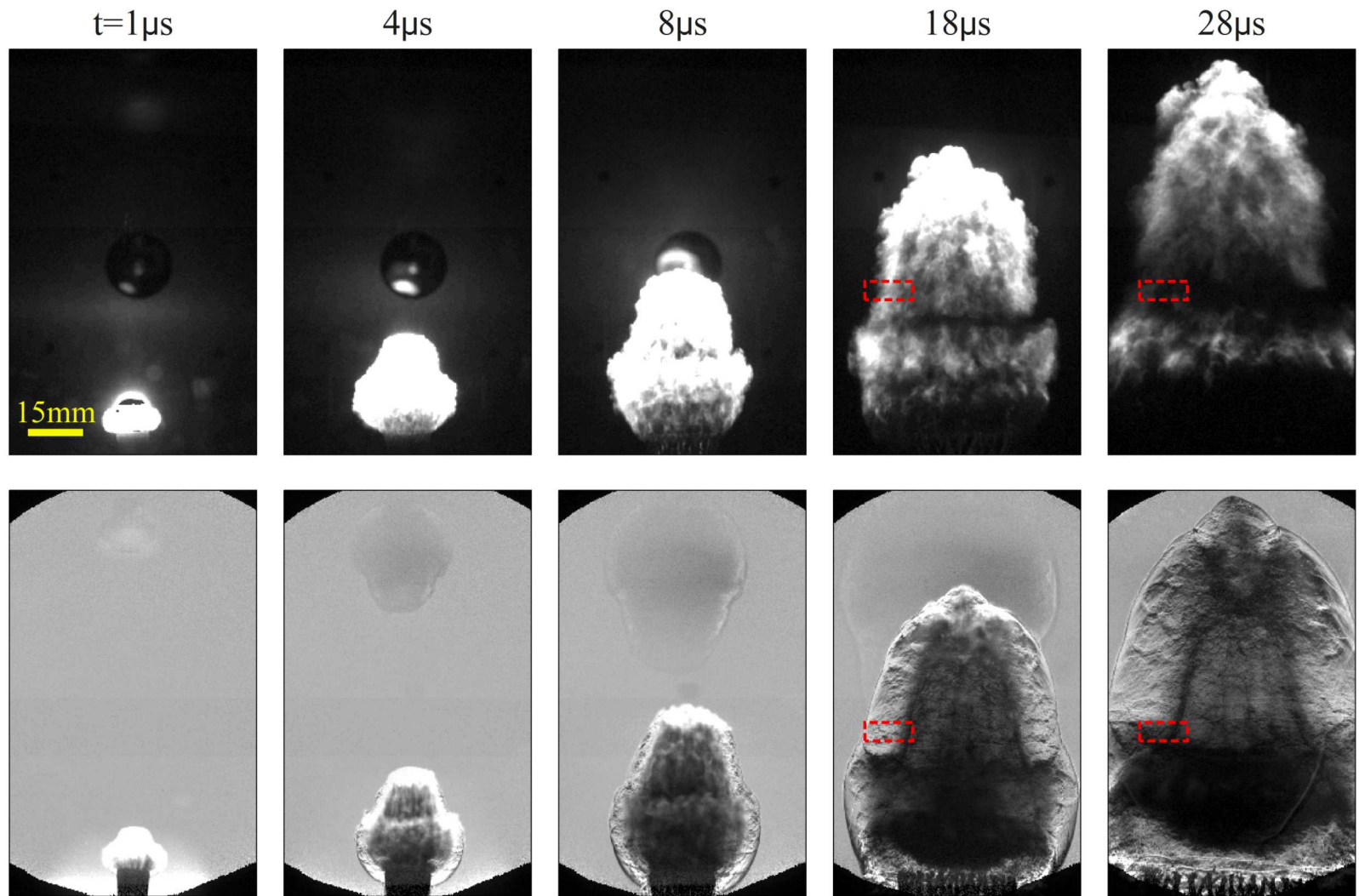
Design of boom box and explosive handling:

- Thomas W. Grasser
- Paul A. Farias
- Lucas K. Lebow
- Howard L. Stauffacher III
- Glen White
- Sam Reardon

## Boom Box:

- Polycarbonate housing contains blast and fragments
- Windows for optical access
  - 100 mm diameter
  - 13 mm thickness

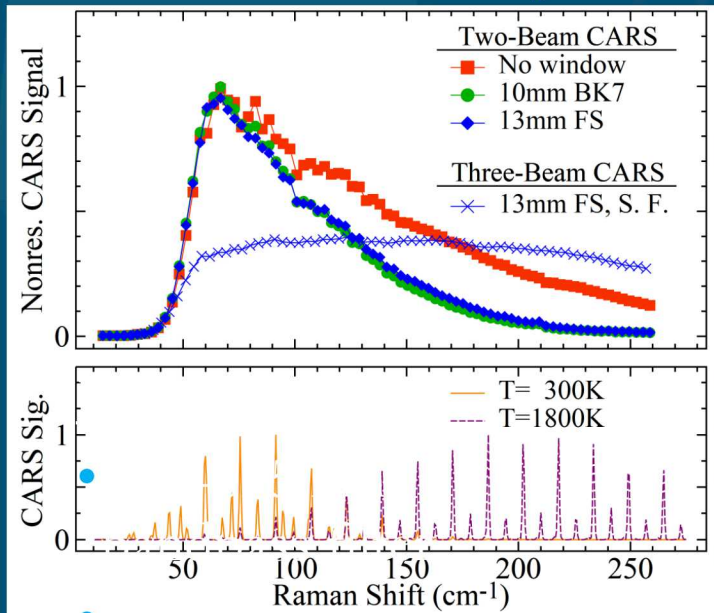




# Experimental Setup: CARS and Imaging Systems

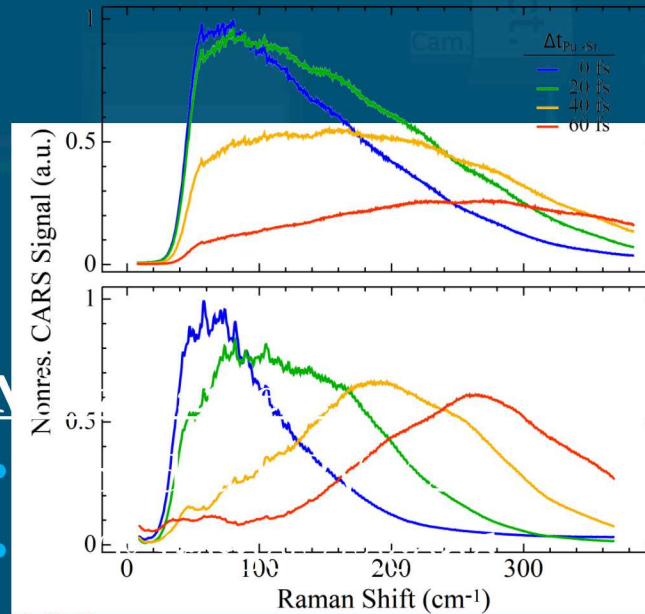


## Spectral Focusing



• 500 ns exposure

• Laser-induced incandescence from CARS lasers



• 100 ns exposure

• Visible light emission

## Fs/ps 1D RCARS

- Fs laser: 1 kHz, 800 nm, 7 mJ
- Ps laser: 20 Hz, 532 nm, 50 mJ

• Locked oscillators

• 1D Measurement Volume

• 5.5 mm tall

• 200  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution

• 2.8 mm long

• Energy at crossing

• Pump: 2 mJ

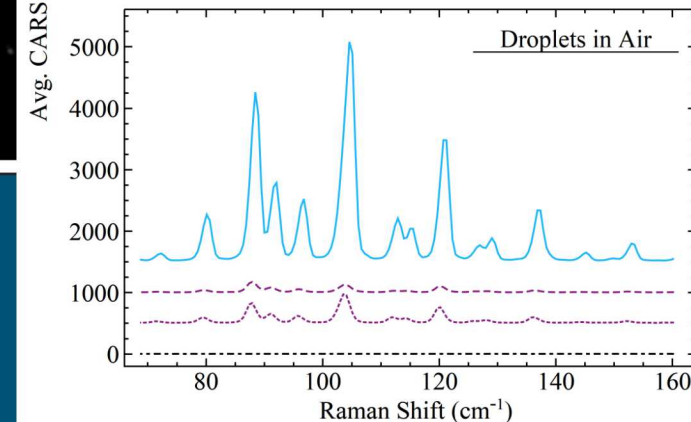
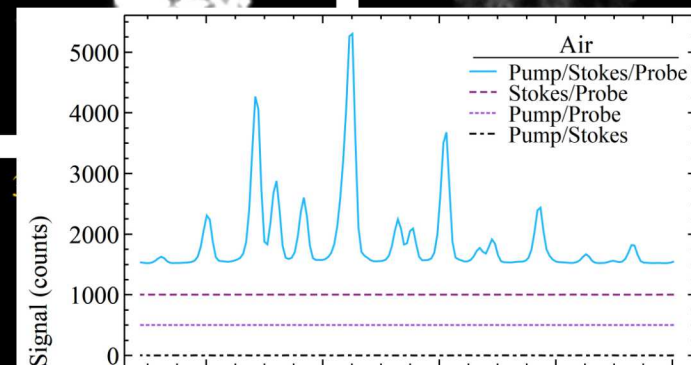
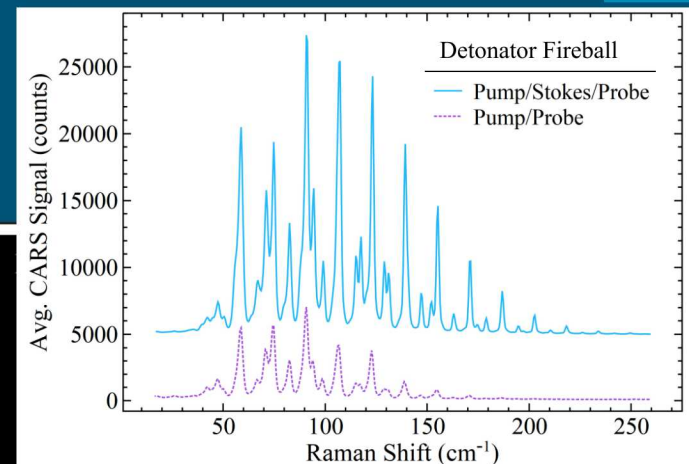
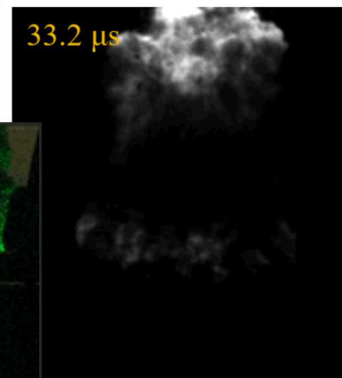
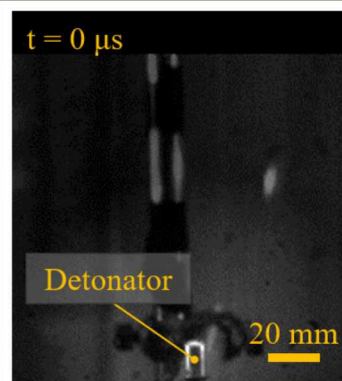
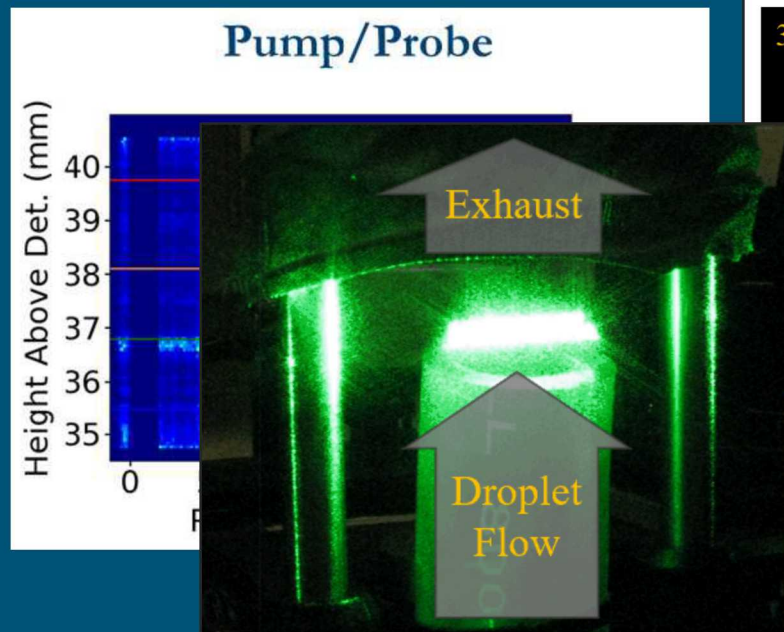
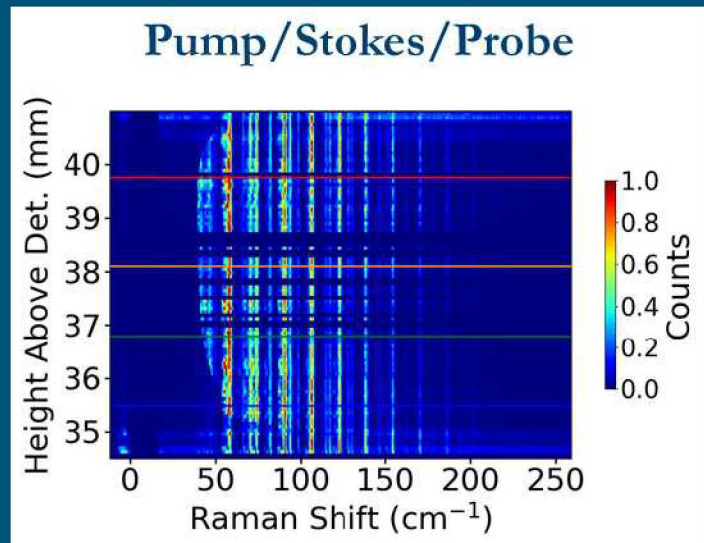
• Stokes: 2 mJ

• Probe: 25 mJ

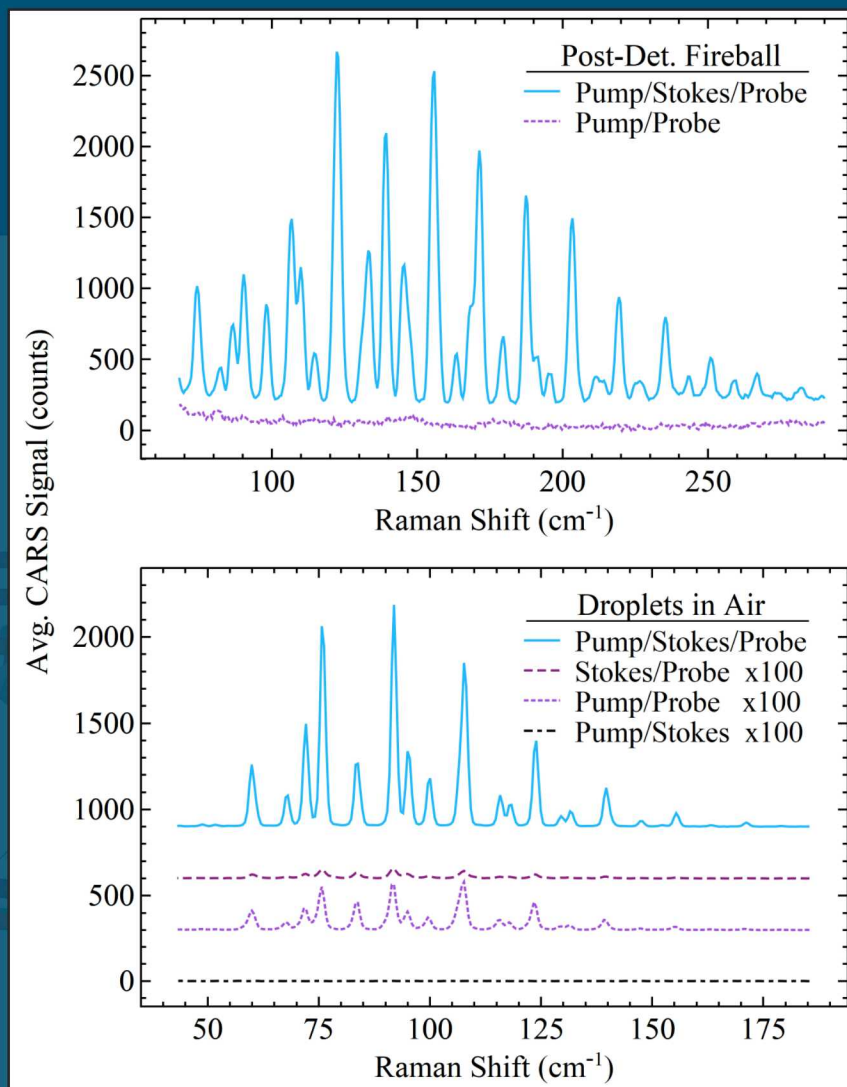
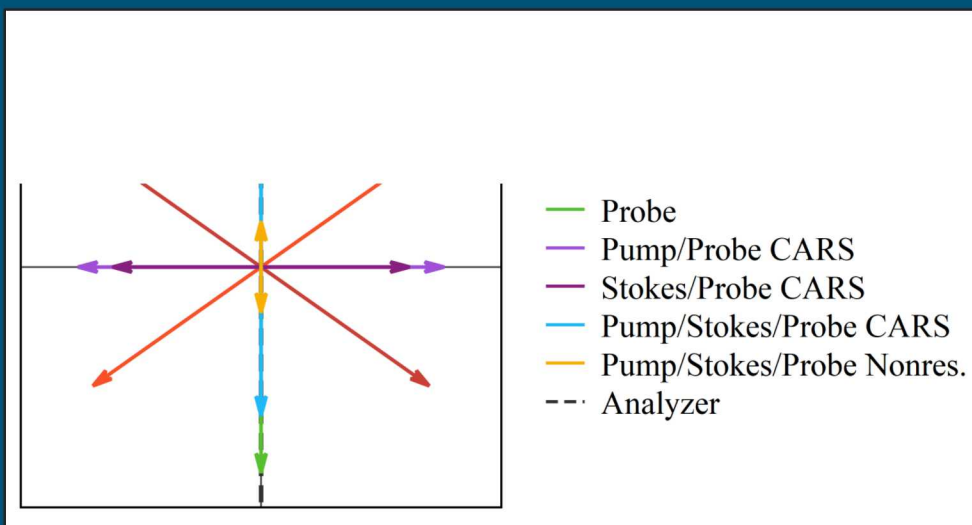
• Probe delay 50 ps



# 9 Three-Beam CARS in Scattering Environment

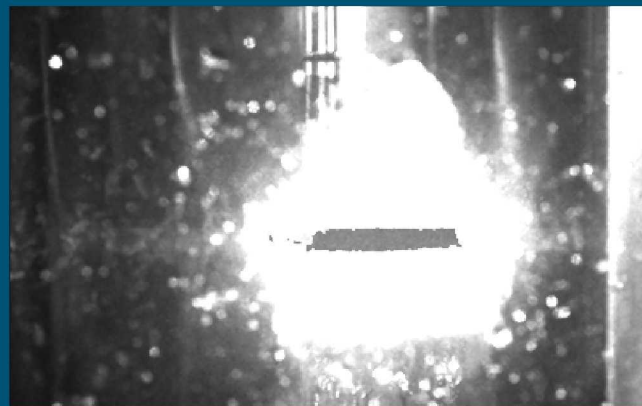


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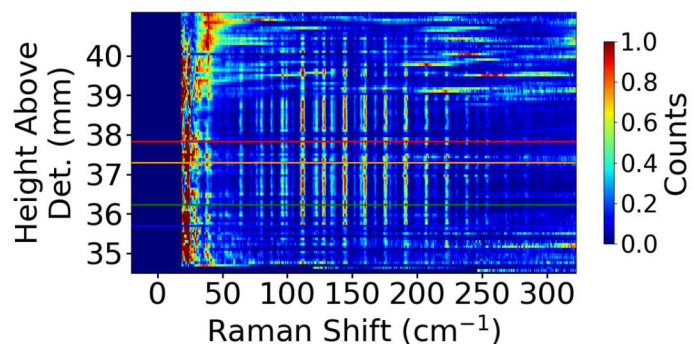


# ID CARS Thermometry in Post-Det. Fireball

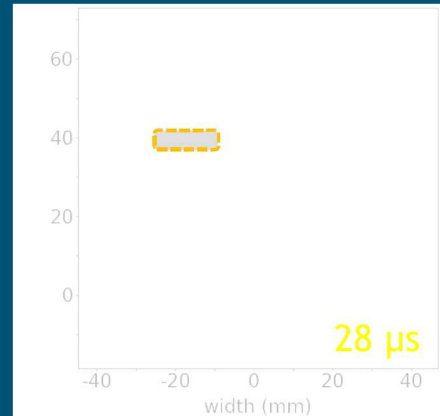
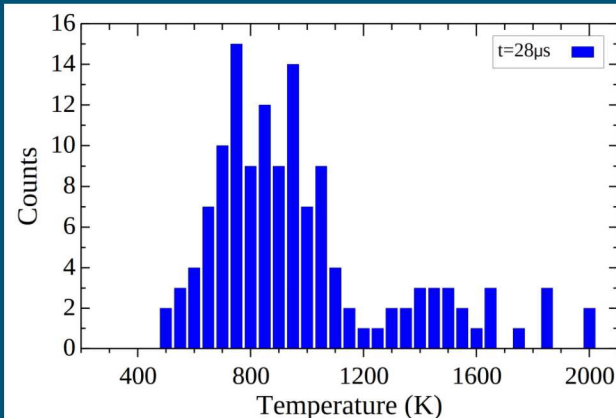
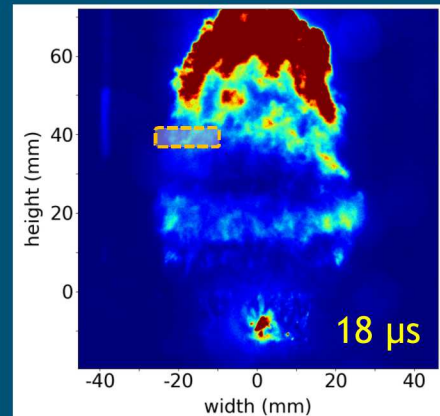
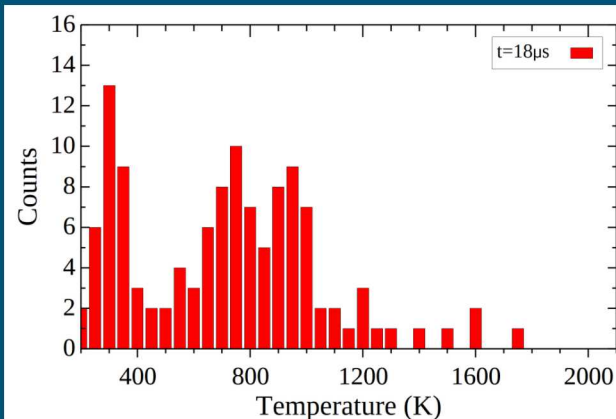
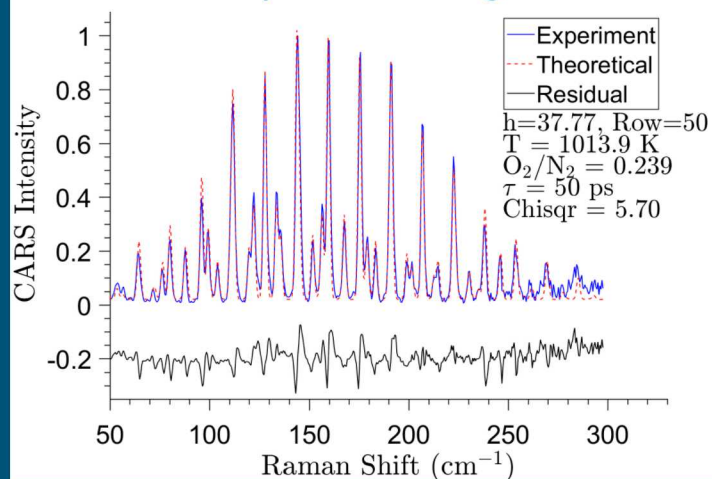
Spatially resolved temperature measurements in detonation fireball!



Raw Spectrogram



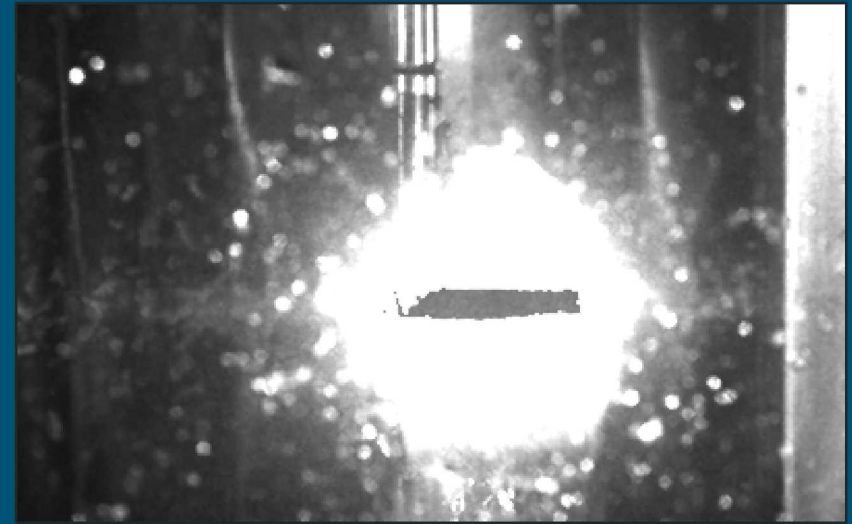
Spectral Fitting





# Conclusions

- Fs/ps one-dimensional rotational CARS thermometry has been performed in detonation fireballs
- Independent pump and Stokes pulses were used with spectral focusing to achieve the necessary Raman excitation bandwidth
- Scattered two-beam CARS signals were suppressed using a polarization scheme
- Measurements demonstrated at times and locations with significant mixing of detonation products with surrounding air



Questions?



## Backup Slides



# ID CARS Thermometry in Post-Det. Fireball

