

THE PERMANENT ELECTRIC DIPOLE MOMENTS AND MAGNETIC HYPERFINE INTERACTON IN THE A<sup>2</sup>Π STATE OF YTTRIUM MONOSULFIDE, YS

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The optical Stark effect in the (0,0) A<sup>2</sup>Π – X<sup>2</sup>Σ<sup>+</sup> band systems of a yttrium monosulfide, YS, supersonic molecular beam sample have been analyzed to produce permanent electric dipole moments,  $\mu$ , for the A<sup>2</sup>Π<sub>3/2</sub>, and A<sup>2</sup>Π<sub>1/2</sub> states of 5.9(2) D, and 6.8(1) D, respectively. Fine structure splitting in the field free A<sup>2</sup>Π<sub>3/2</sub> – X<sup>2</sup>Σ<sup>+</sup> and A<sup>2</sup>Π<sub>1/2</sub> – X<sup>2</sup>Σ<sup>+</sup> spectra were analyzed to produce the magnetic hyperfine spectroscopic parameters  $a = -36(6)$  MHz,  $c = 111(7)$  MHz, and  $d = -107(6)$  MHz for the A<sup>2</sup>Π state. Transition frequencies of the low rotational lines in the (0,0) A<sup>2</sup>Π<sub>r</sub> – X<sup>2</sup>Σ<sup>+</sup> band system were measured and analyzed to produce the first complete set of fine structure parameters for the A<sup>2</sup>Π<sub>r</sub> state.