

FLUORESCENCE PROPERTIES OF BaMgAl₁₀O₁₇ : Sm PHOSPHOR**B. Subba Rao , A.P.Zambare,¹ and K.V.R.Murthy²**

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Vadodara.390 001.**Abstract :**

The paper reports BaMgAl₁₀ O₁₇ doped with Sm phosphor synthesized by solid state reaction with different concentration. The 2% Sm doped phosphor exhibit good emission at the excitation of the material with 254 nm wavelengths generates a strong emission at 367, 470, 730 nm. Besides this, subsidiary maxima at 401, 451, 484 and 497 nm wavelengths in violet region are discernible with dispersion towards green region. These changes are may be affected due to electronic charges and sizes of these added impurities.

Introduction :

The fluorescence examination of phosphors brings out number of information and throw light on the use of materials as fluorescent lamp phosphors⁽¹⁻⁵⁾. The well known phosphors developed are LaPO₄ : Tb:Ce, LiYF₄:U⁴⁺, BaMgAl₁₀O₁₇:Eu, Ca{Po₄}F Cl : Sb:Mn, BaMgAl₁₀O₁₇:Mn LaPO₄ : Ce and aluminates in mono-,dia and tri-valent doped forms. In present paper, the emission and excitation spectra of synthesized phosphors have been recorded at room temperature .The emission spectra have been examined for different concentrations RE activated BaMg- aluminate and the characteristic spectra are presented for discussion .The emission band is specified by the wavelength at which its peak appears. The intensities of the emission as well as excitation bands are given in absolute units.

Experimental :

The specimen of Sm doped BaMgAl₁₀ O₁₇ have been prepared by solid state reaction with different concentration.⁽⁶⁾ The appropriate oxides were thoroughly ground and fired at 1140°C for four hours. The specimens thus obtained have been characterized through standard XRD technique. Fluorescence excitation and emission spectra was recorded at room temperature by **RF- 5301 PC Spectrophotofluorometer** described elsewhere. In present work, the excitation and emission spectra of synthesized phosphors have been recorded at 64% humidity and at room temperature.

Result and Discussions :

The excitation spectra of $\text{BaMgAl}_{10}\text{O}_{17}:\text{Sm} (2 \%)$ phosphor is shown in figure 1. It represents emission band at 254, 360, 630, 585 and 695 nm wavelengths. Figure 2 represents emission spectra of BaMg aluminate doped Sm on excitation at 254 nm wavelength exhibits 470 (blue) and 729 (Red) nm wavelengths. Figure 3 shows emission spectra of $\text{BaMgAl}_{10}\text{O}_{17}:\text{Sm} (2 \%)$ at excitation of 360 nm wavelength it exhibits 422 and 721 nm wavelengths with small emission band at 470 nm wavelength. But same phosphor is excited at 630 nm wavelength it gives emission bands with high intensity peak at 470, 585 and 635 nm wavelengths along with 453, 494, 529 and 701 nm wavelengths as shown in figure 4. Figure 5 represents emission spectra of $\text{BaMgAl}_{10}\text{O}_{17}:\text{Sm} (2 \%)$ with excitation at 585 nm wavelength. It exhibits three high intensity peaks at 470, 587 and 693 nm wavelengths and 486, 497 and 630 nm with less intense peaks. BaMg synthesized by solid state reaction method were excited at 695 nm, it exhibits two isolated peak at 470 and 700 nm wavelengths along with small peaks at 453 and 495 nm wavelengths as shown in figure 6.

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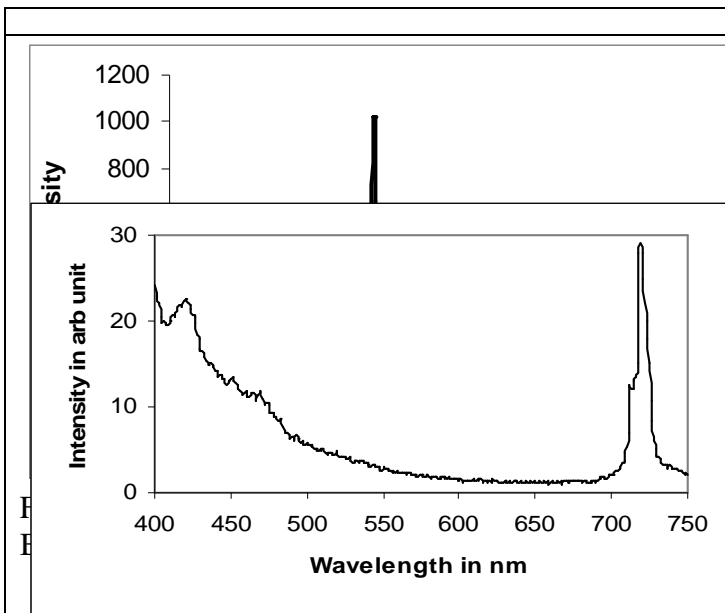


Figure 3 represents Emission spectra of $\text{BaMgAl}_{10}\text{O}_{17}:\text{Sm} (2 \%)$ with Excit. at 360 nm

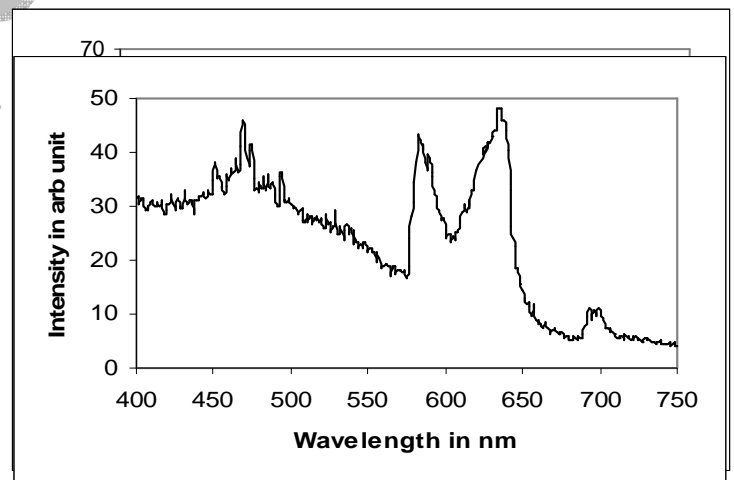


Figure 2 represents Emission spectra of $\text{BaMgAl}_{10}\text{O}_{17}:\text{Sm} (2 \%)$ with Excit. at 254 nm.

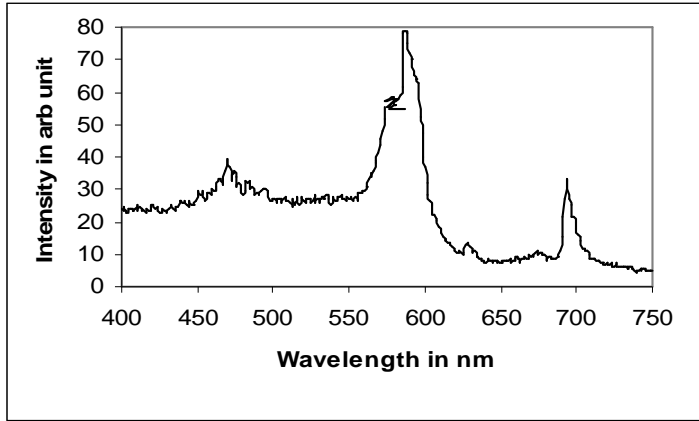


Figure 5 represents Emission spectra of $\text{BaMgAl}_{10}\text{O}_{17} : \text{Sm} (2 \%)$ with Excit. at $\square\square\square\square$ nm

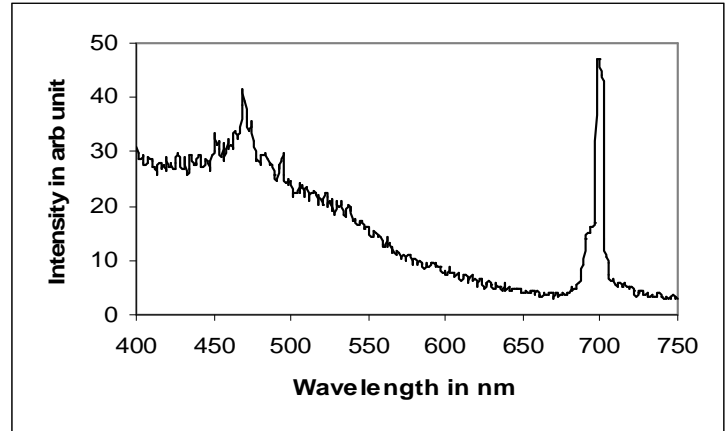


Figure 6 represents Emission spectra of $\text{BaMgAl}_{10}\text{O}_{17} : \text{Sm} (2 \%)$ with Excit. at $\square\square\square\square$ nm

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