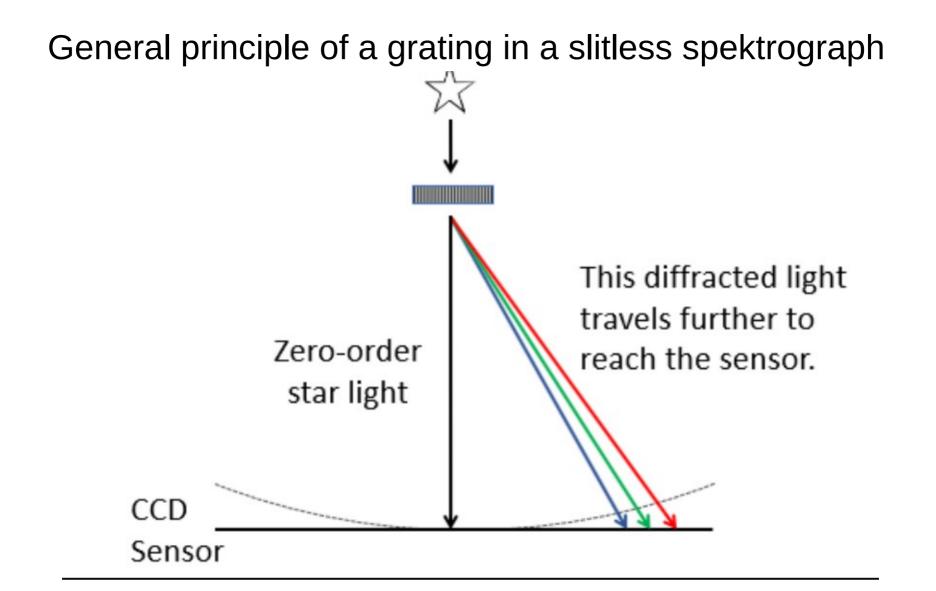
Fast Spectroscopy with a Slitless Spectrograph -Using a Blazed Grating with Low Resolution

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Recording wavelengths dependent occultations

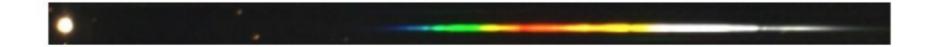
- 2 (or more) cameras with a beam splitter
- 1 camera with a prism or blazed grating

A prism or grating allows the selection of wavelengths AFTER the event! It only needs a single camera !

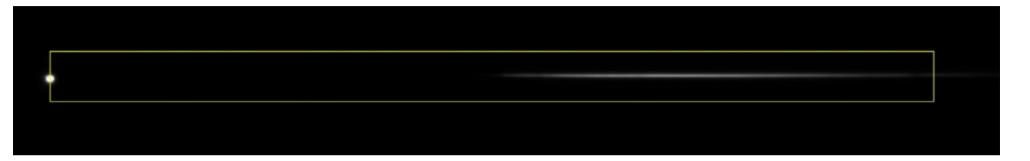


Typical spectrum generated with a blazed grating



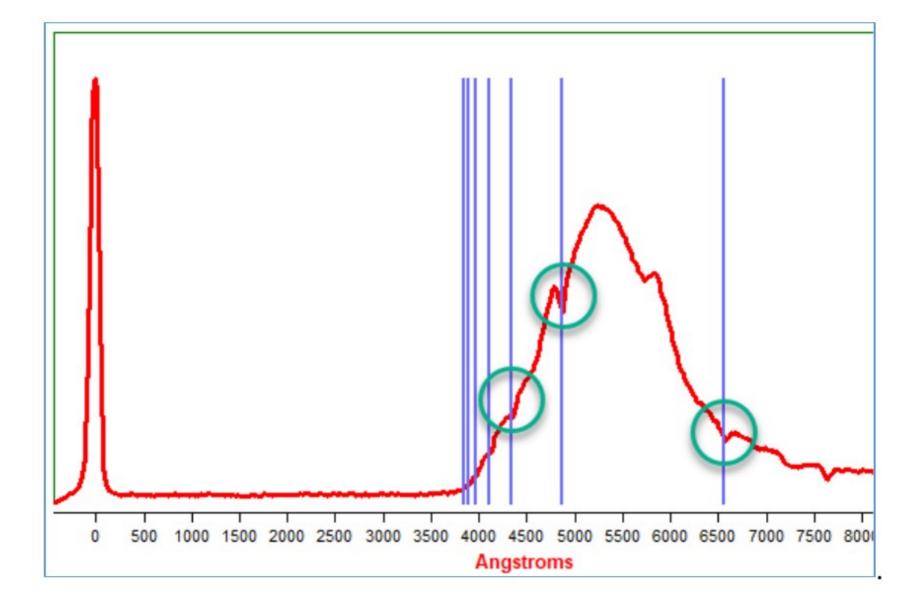


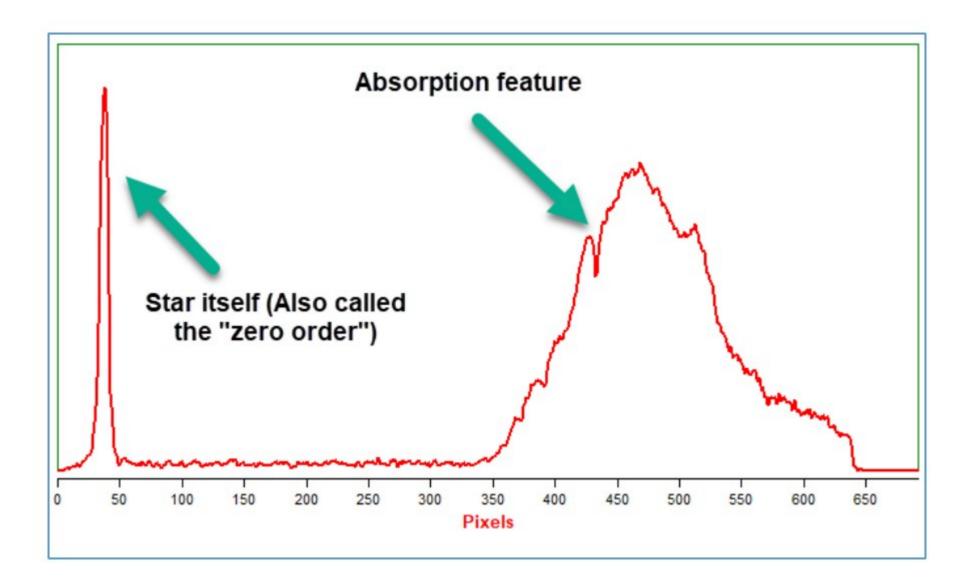
Region of interest for a spectrum

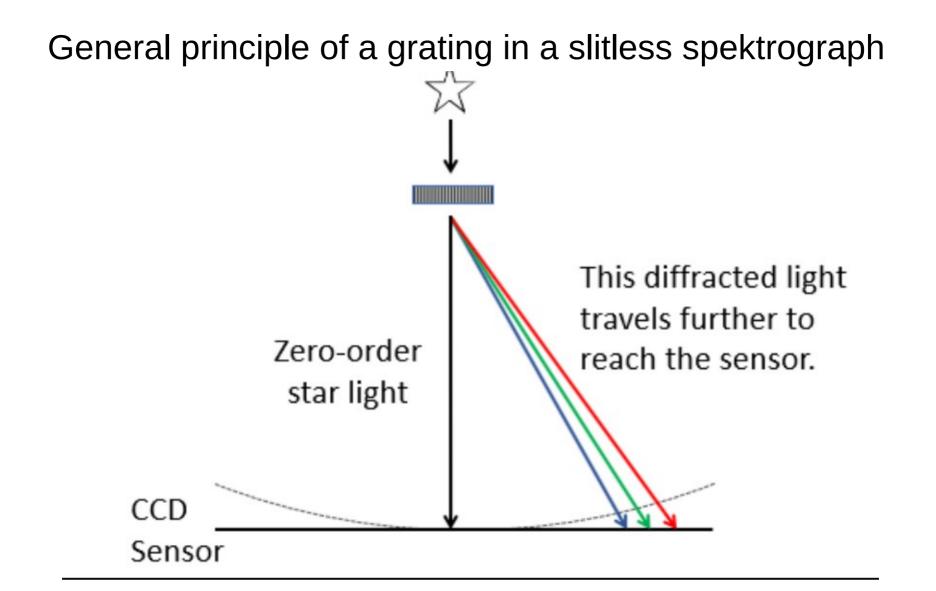


Resolution of spectrum is strongly dependent on focusing and on szintillation.

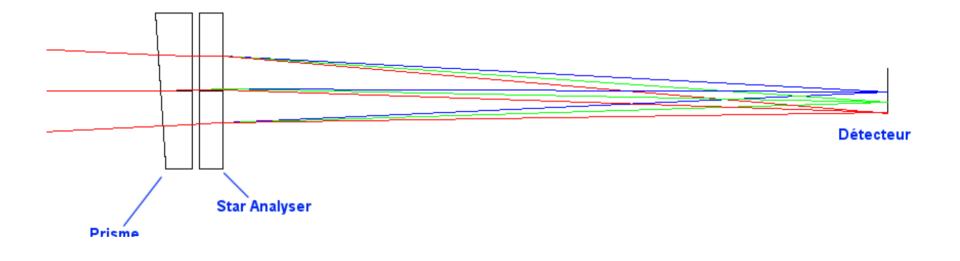
Very important: No saturation in the spectrum!



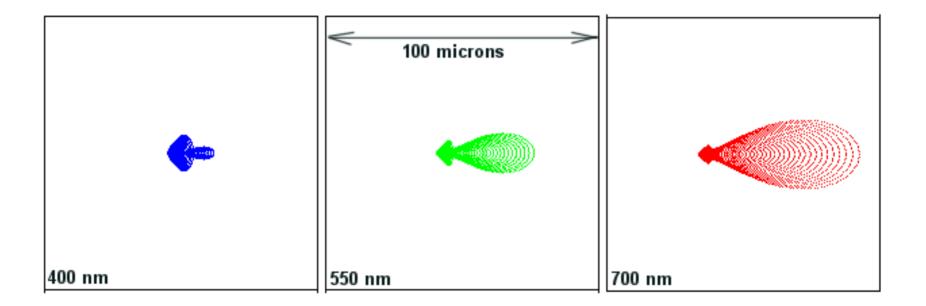




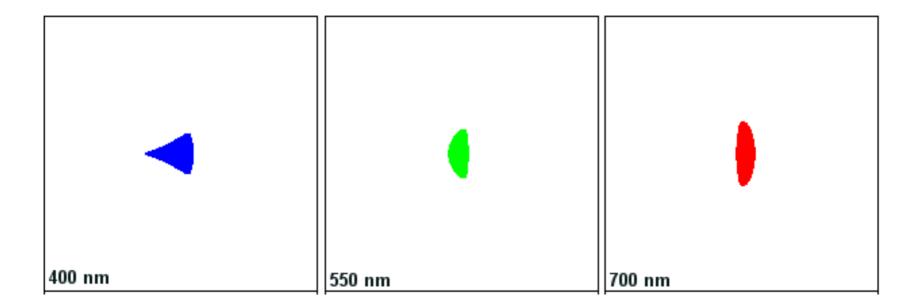
Adding a Prism to Enhance the Resolution

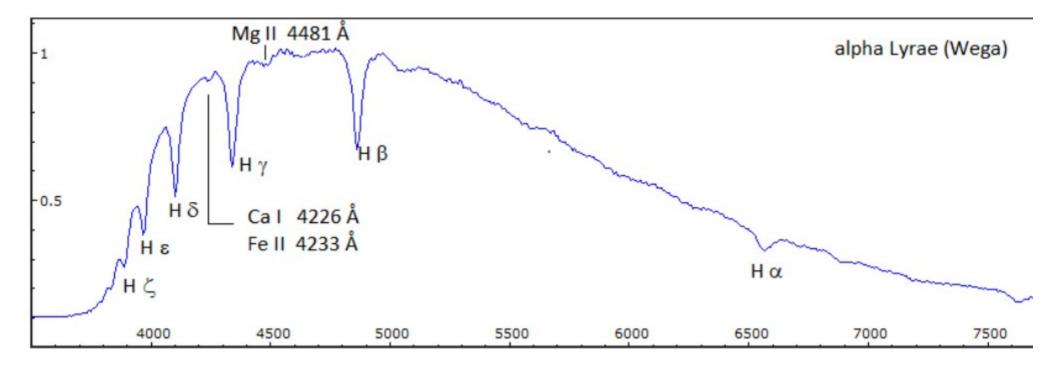


Spot diagram without a prism

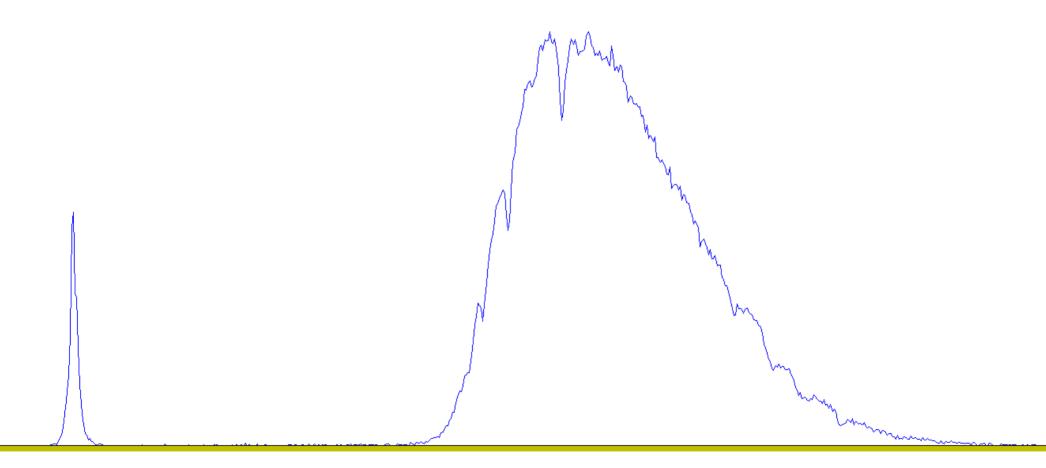


Spot diagram with a prism



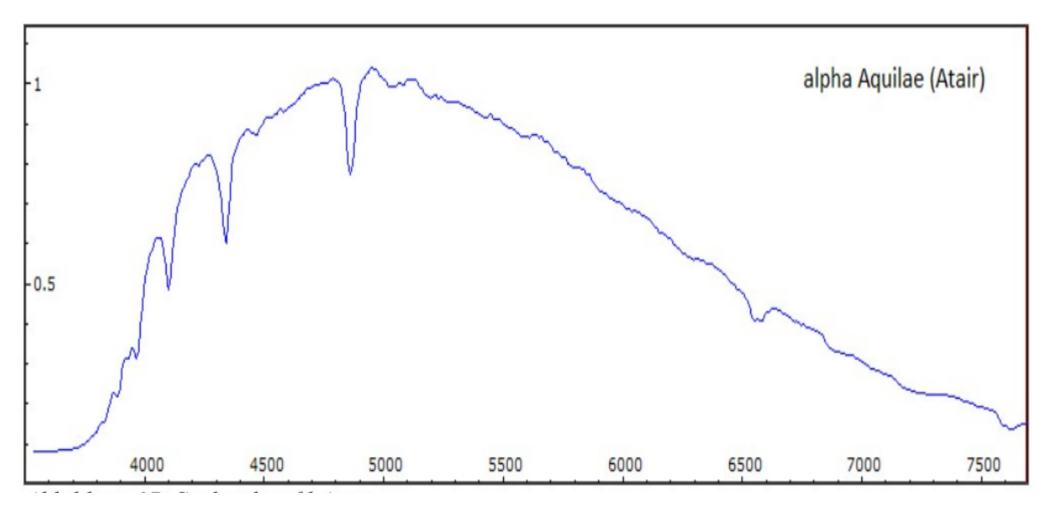


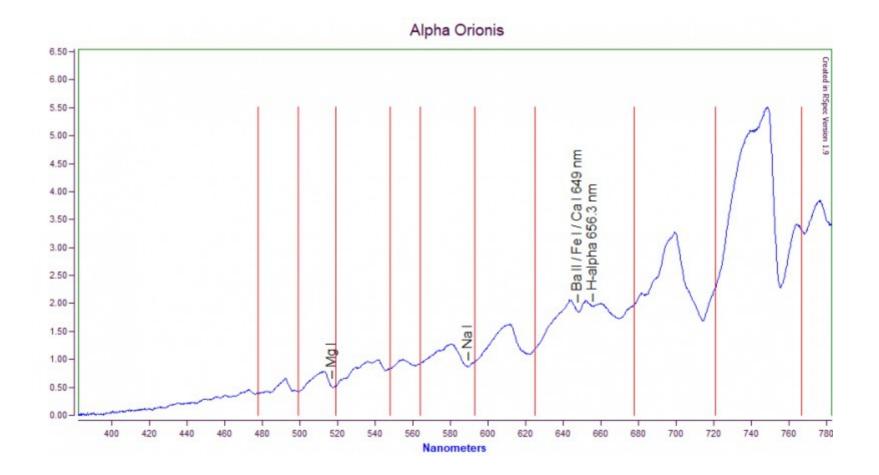
Altair: 280mm aperture, CCD = ICX445, Expo time 10 msec

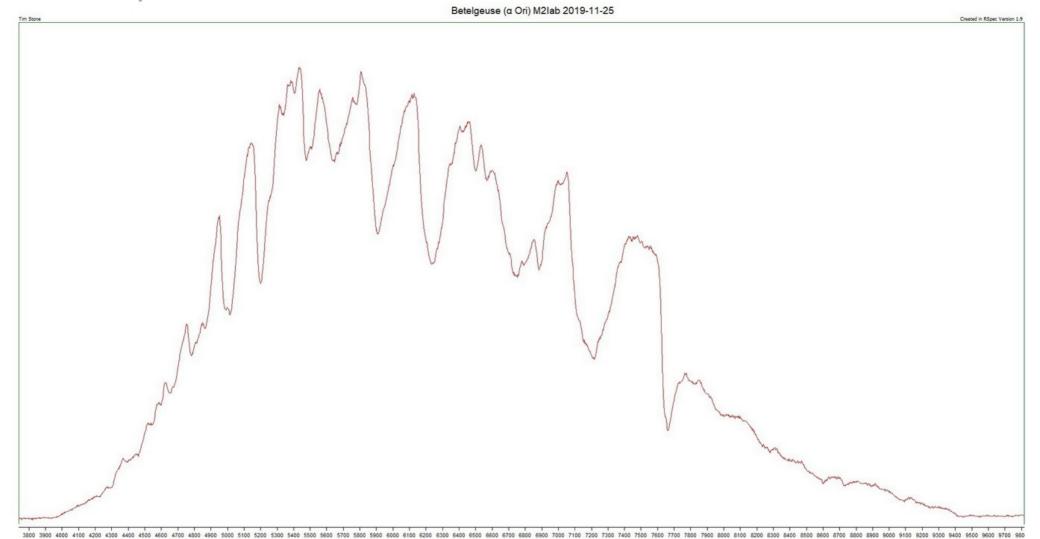


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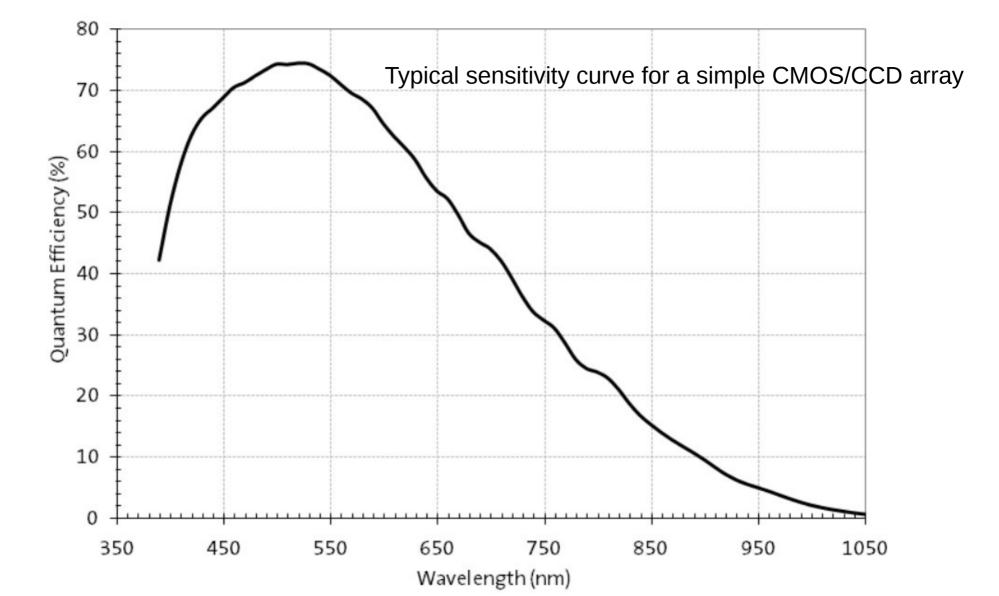


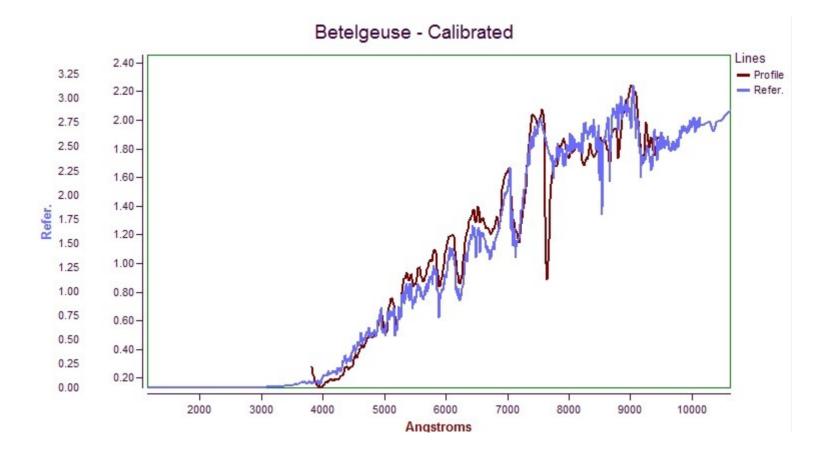


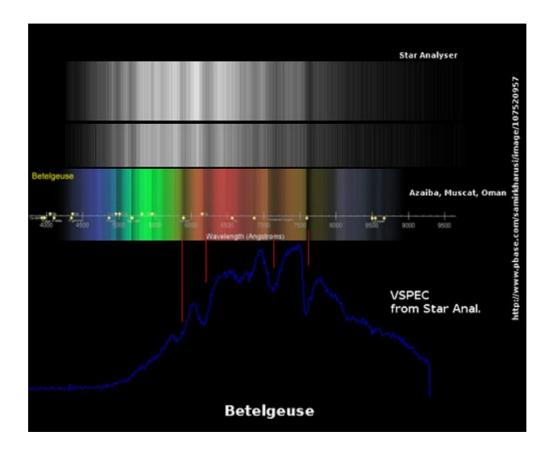




Angstroms







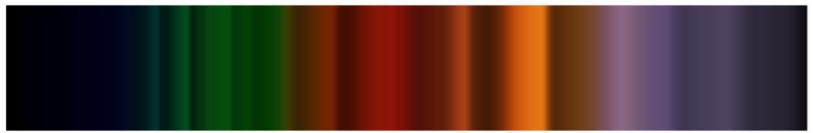


Abbildung 9: Spektrum von Alpha Herculis (Ras Algheti) mit der Kamera ASI 224 MC von ZWO

