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**Efimov physics in a mixture of  $^{40}\text{K}$  and  $^{87}\text{Rb}$** <sup>1</sup> TYLER CUMBY, RUTH SHEWMON, MING-GUANG HU, DEBORAH JIN, JILA, National Institute of Standards and Technology and University of Colorado; Physics Department, University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado 80309 — Three-body Efimov resonances have now been detected in a number of ultracold atom species using measurements of three-body recombination rates. Moreover, recent observations suggest that the locations of these resonances has some universality, in that they can be predicted using the two-body van der Waals length [1]. To compare with a recent prediction for the  $^{40}\text{K} + ^{87}\text{Rb}$  system [2] and with a previous experimental result for  $^{41}\text{K} + ^{87}\text{Rb}$  [3], we measure three-body recombination and molecule loss rates in an ultracold trapped gas of  $^{40}\text{K}$  and  $^{87}\text{Rb}$  atoms near an interspecies Feshbach resonance.

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