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Raman scattering analysis of the structural phase transformations of III-V semiconductors induced by mechanical impact<sup>1</sup> PAULO PIZANI<sup>2</sup>, Universidade Federal de São Carlos, Departamento de Física, RENATO JASINEVICIUS<sup>3</sup>, Universidade de São Paulo, Escola de Engenharia de São Carlos, NON HYDROSTATIC PRESSURES COLLABORATION — In the present work we report a Raman scattering study on the structural phase transitions of indium antimonide submitted to high non-hydrostatic pressure applied by mechanical impact, which induces several transformations, leading to very rich Raman spectra. We are able to observe the normal disordered zinc blende structure with a Raman spectrum displaying two broadened peaks at 180 and 190 cm<sup>2</sup>, an amorphous phase with a Raman spectrum displaying only a broad band centered at about 175 cm<sup>2</sup>, the optical band, that reflects the vibrational density of optical states, the wurtzite structure with Raman peaks at 145, 175 and 180 cm<sup>2</sup> and a completely new and intense Raman spectrum presenting fourteen lines. Similar results for GaAs and GaSb were also obtained.

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