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Crystals of a salt, probably potassium acid acetate, in a 1-liter flask with a round bottom. The pattern was produced during the course of an experiment in which a solution of potassium acetate and acetic acid was being evaporated, under reduced pressure and with continuous rotation, for an entirely different purpose (about \( \times 1.1 \)). [Waldo E. Cohn and Photographic Services Department of Oak Ridge National Laboratory]
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