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Introduction to the course:

«High resolution nuclear magnetic resonans (NMR) of crude oil and petrochemical synthesis products»

Research laboratory «NMR-structure»

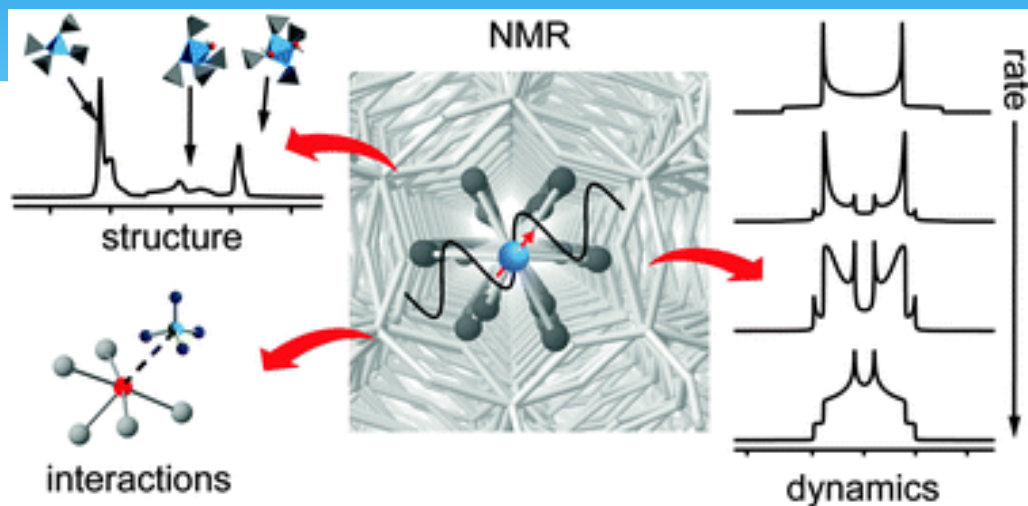
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Outline

- * History of NMR
- * Physical basics of high-resolution NMR spectroscopy
- * The main parameters of NMR spectra
- * Analysis of quality and quantity composition of oil samples

Application field of NMR spectroscopy



- * Identification of the chemical composition of the organic and bioorganic compounds in various phases
- * Study of the spatial structure, conformational properties and intramolecular mobility of compounds in various solvents
- * Study of the spatial structure of compounds in solid phase

History of NMR



Isidor Rabi (1938):

detected NMR absorption in a molecular beam

Nobel Prize in Physics in 1944



Felix Bloch (1945):

detected nuclear induction signal in water

Nobel Prize

in Physics

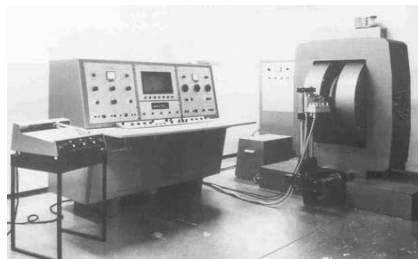
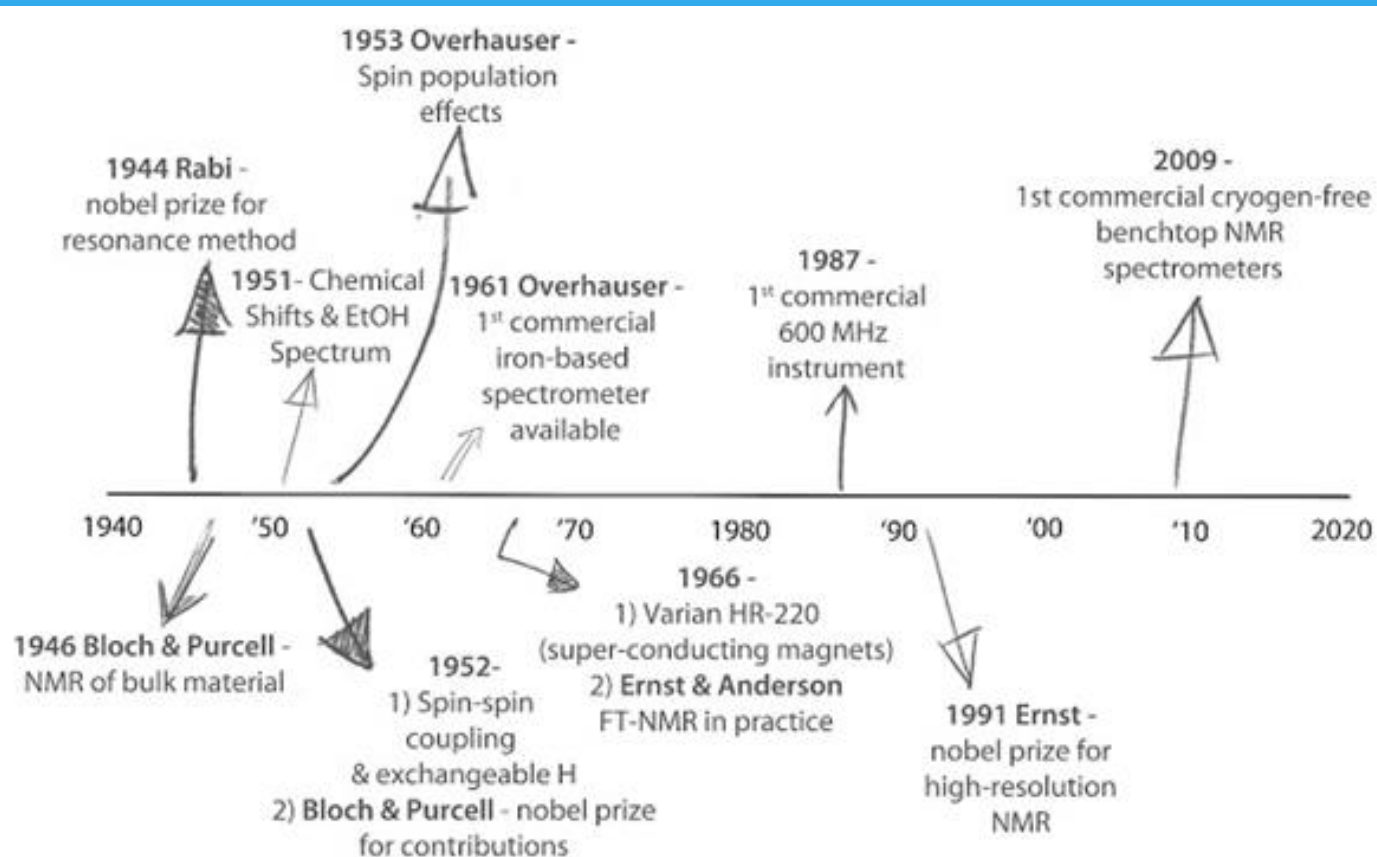


Edward Purcell (1945):

detected NMR absorption in paraffin

in 1952

Development of NMR spectroscopy

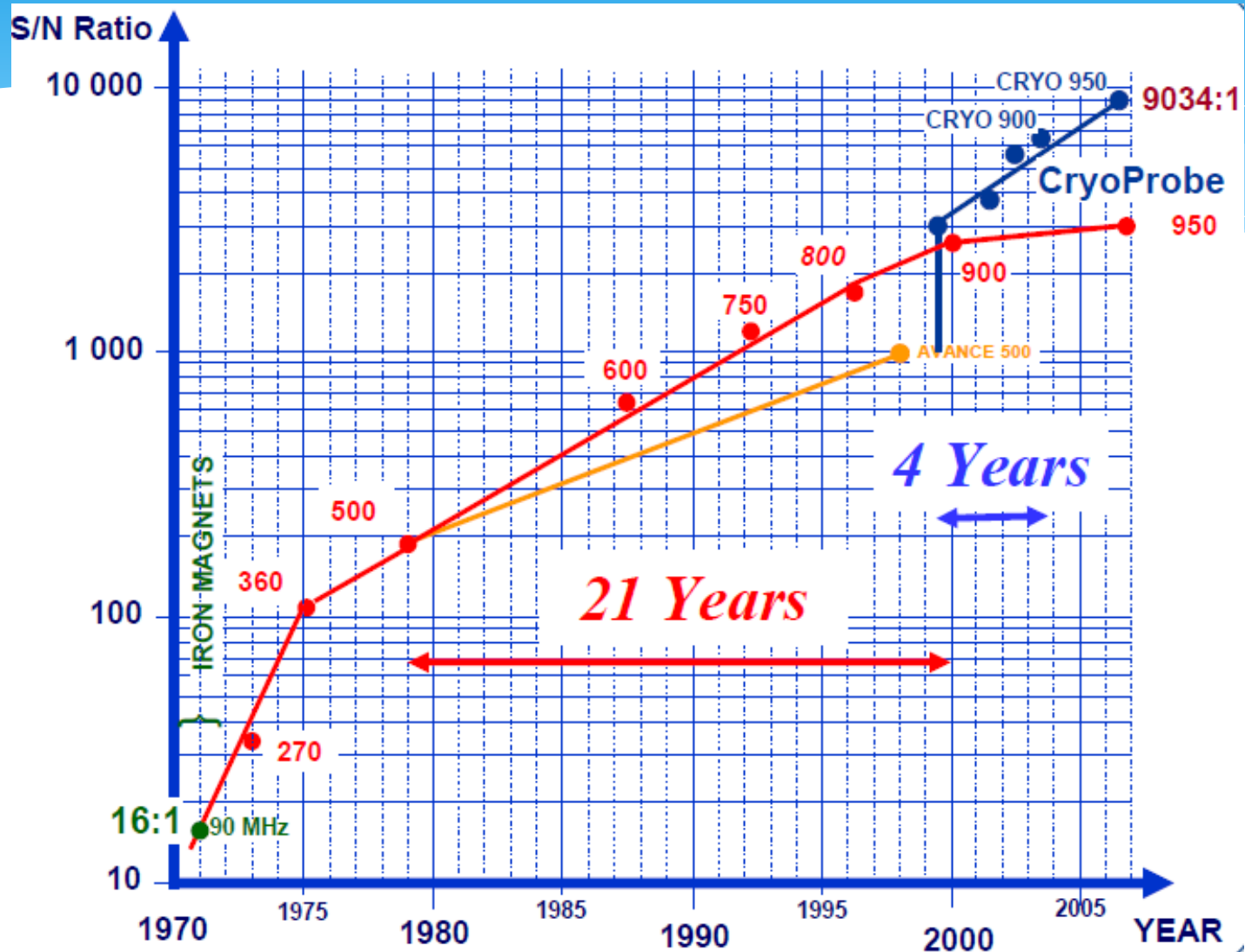


“Bruker” – 60 MHz; Germany, 1967



“Varian” – 900 MHz; USA, 2009

Growth of sensitivity of NMR spectrometers



Basics of NMR

Nuclei have an angular momentum L
and a magnetic momentum μ

$$\vec{L} = \hbar\sqrt{I(I+1)}$$

$$\vec{\mu} = \gamma\hbar I$$

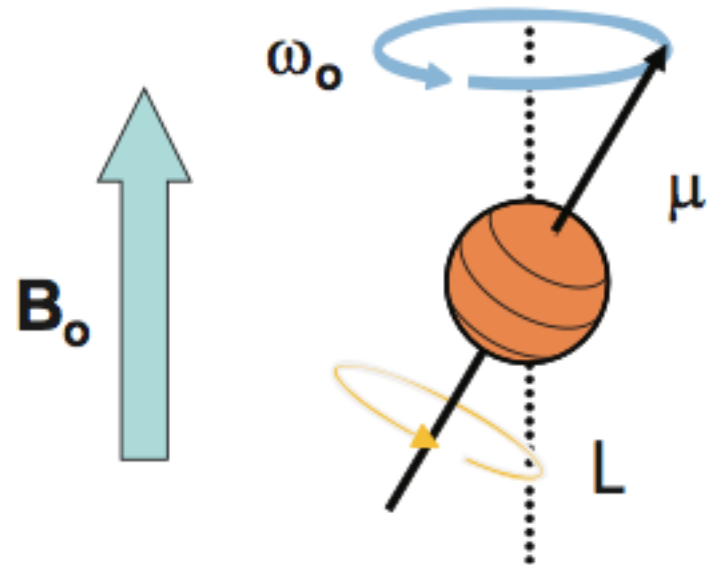
In magnetic field B_0 the nuclear will
precess around the field direction

with frequency: $\omega_0 = \gamma * B_0$

I – nuclear spin

γ - gyromagnetic ratio

$\hbar = \frac{h}{2\pi}$ - reduced Plank's constant



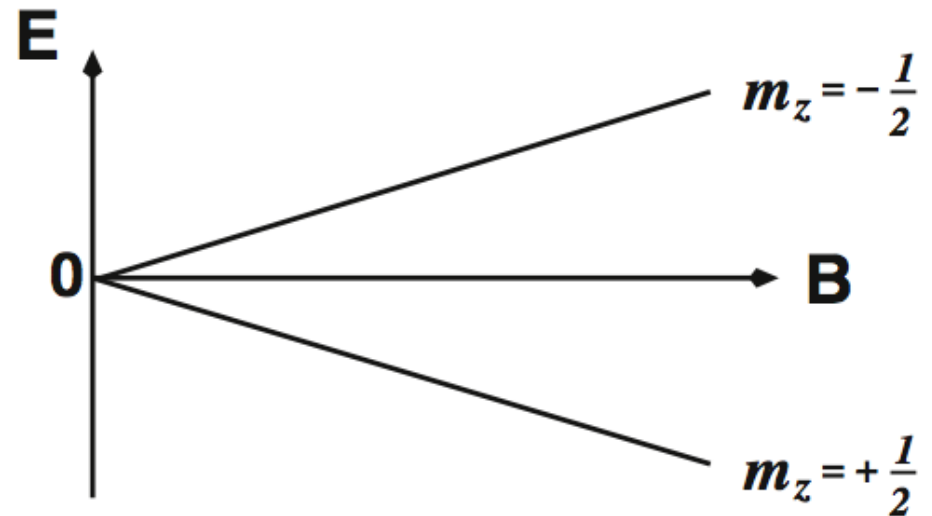
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Nucleus in a magnetic field

has an energy $E = -\gamma\hbar Bm_z$

The energy difference between the two states is:

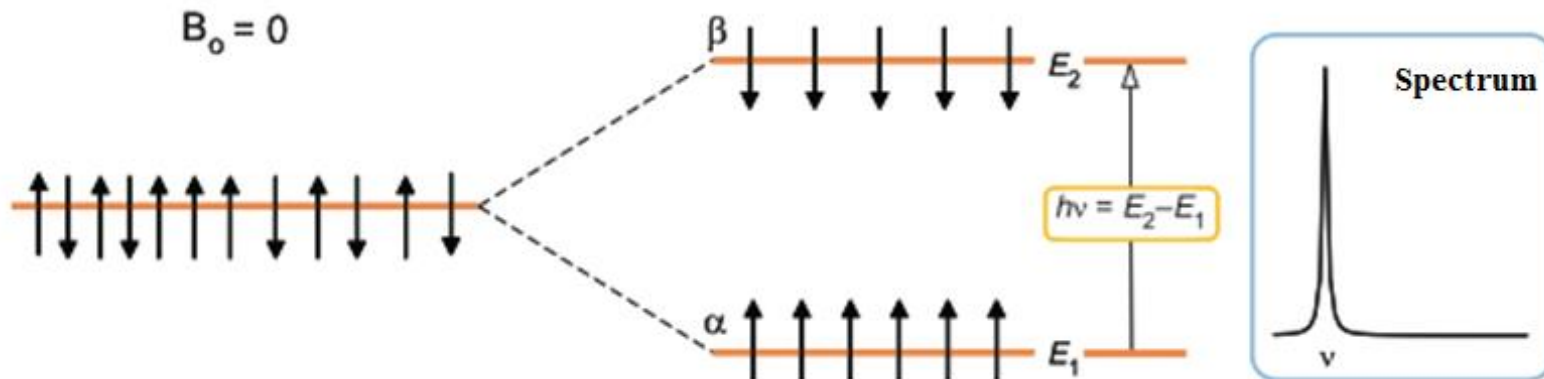
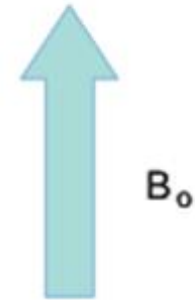
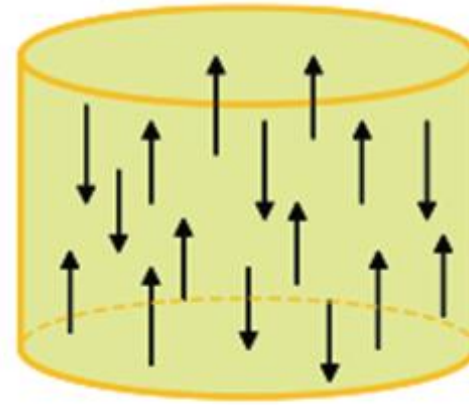
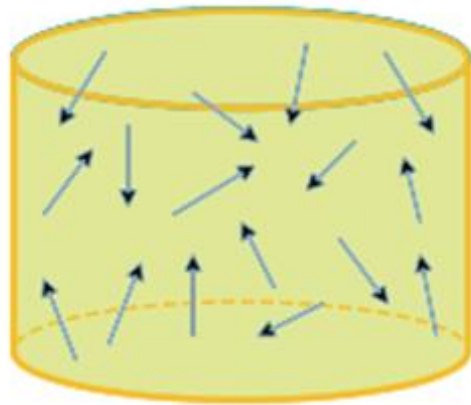
$$\Delta E = E_{-1/2} - E_{+1/2} = 2\gamma\hbar BI$$



Splitting of nuclei spin states in an external magnetic field

$m_z = -l, \dots, +l$ - z-projection of magnetic quantum number

Basics of NMR

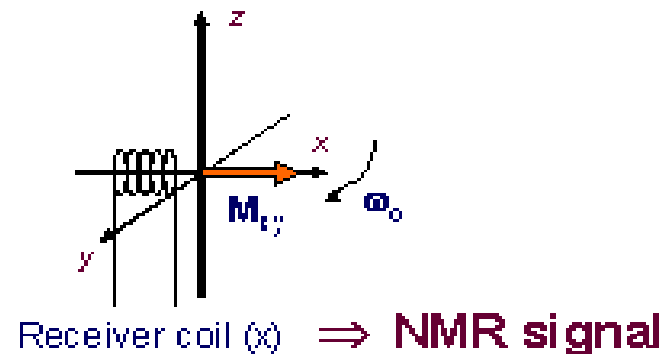
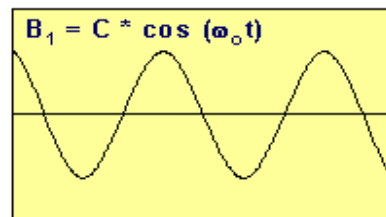
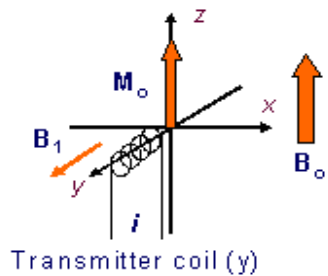


if the substance is in a magnetic field it is possible to resonant absorption of electromagnetic energy!

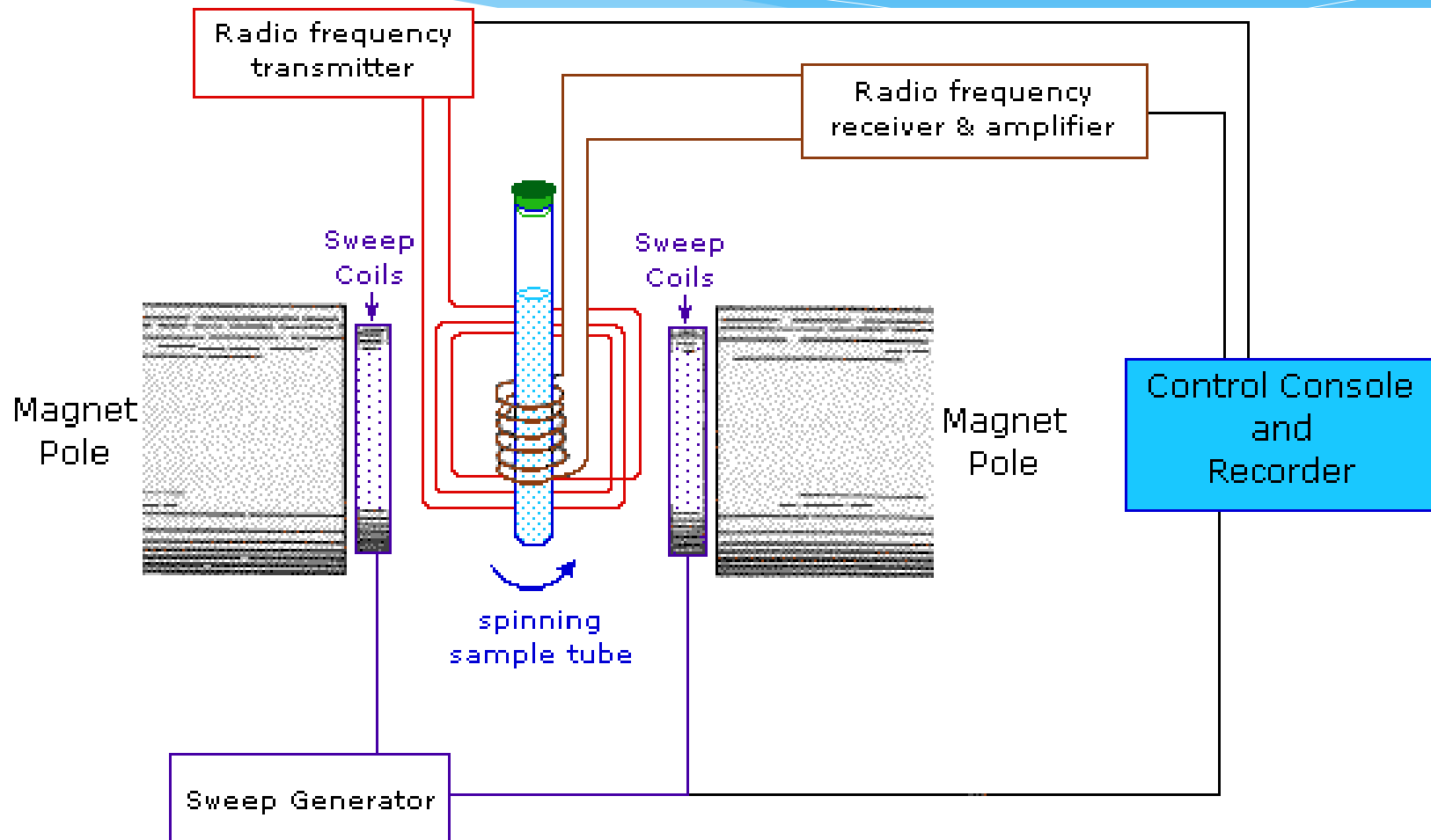
Basics of NMR

To get the NMR signal must be:

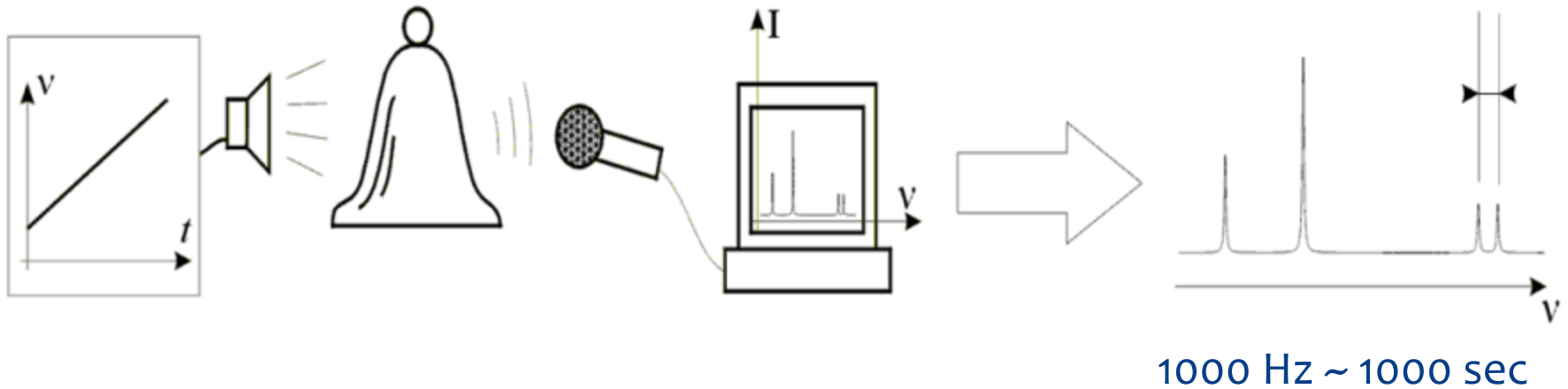
- 1) The nucleus with the magnetic moment
- 2) Magnetic field
- 3) Electromagnetic radiation of appropriate frequencies:
radio frequency electromagnetic waves
(from 30 MHz to 300 MHz)



Block diagram of NMR spectrometer



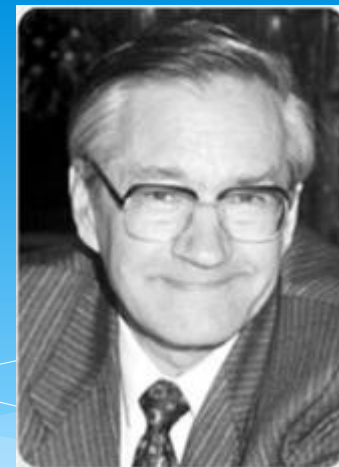
Continuous scan



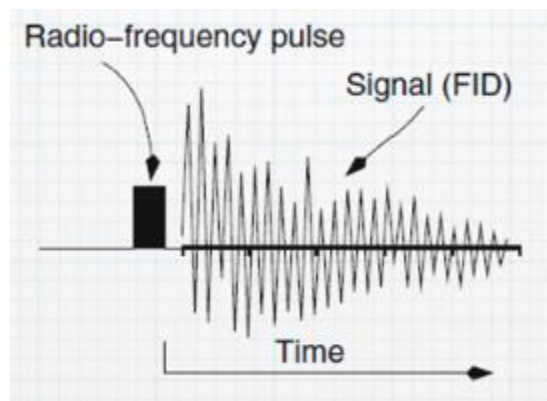
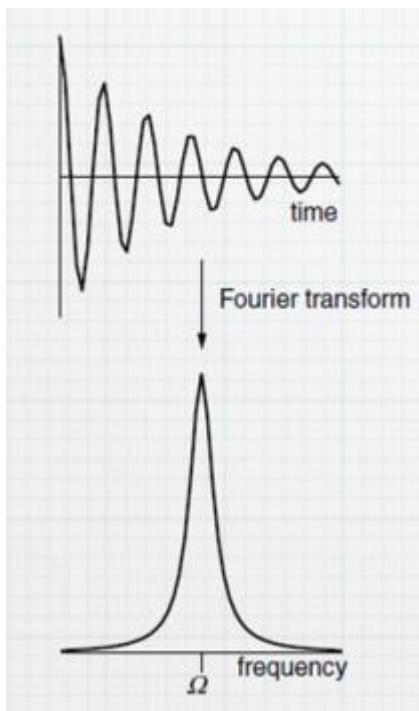
Disadvantages of spectrometers with a continuous scan:

- 1) Too much time for recording the spectrum
- 2) low sensitivity

Principles of pulsed NMR experiment



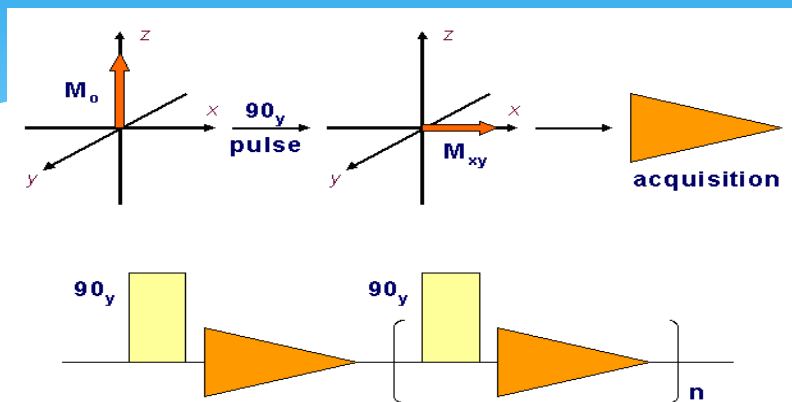
Richard Ernst
Nobel Prize in
Chemistry in 1991



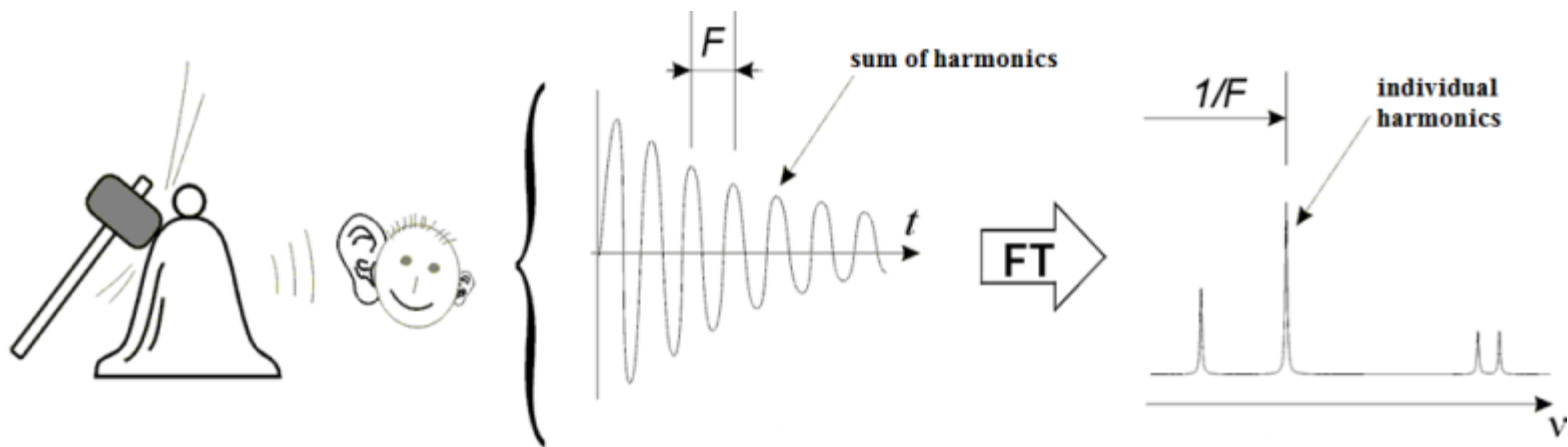
Pulse spectrometer:

- 1) stimulation of system
- 2) check the FID (free induction decay)
- 3) Get spectra after Fourier transform

Principles of pulsed NMR experiment



Fourier transform
 $S(\omega) = \int s(t) \exp(-i\omega t) dt$

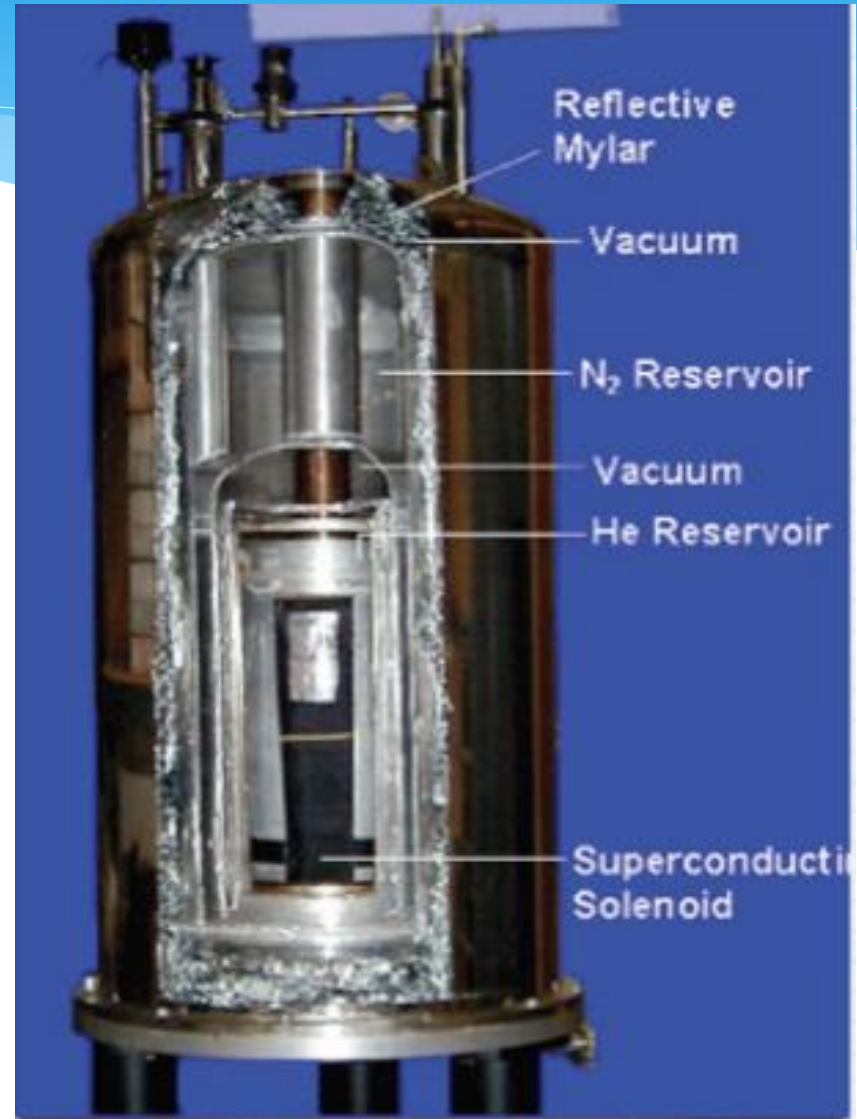


1000 Hz ~ 1 sec
 to accumulation of FID

Modern NMR spectrometer

superconducting magnet

- ✦ It does not require a current source
- ✦ high stability of magnetic field
- ✦ it requires regular pouring of liquid helium and nitrogen
- ✦ the main parameter is the resonance frequency of ^1H nuclei
- ✦ very expensive



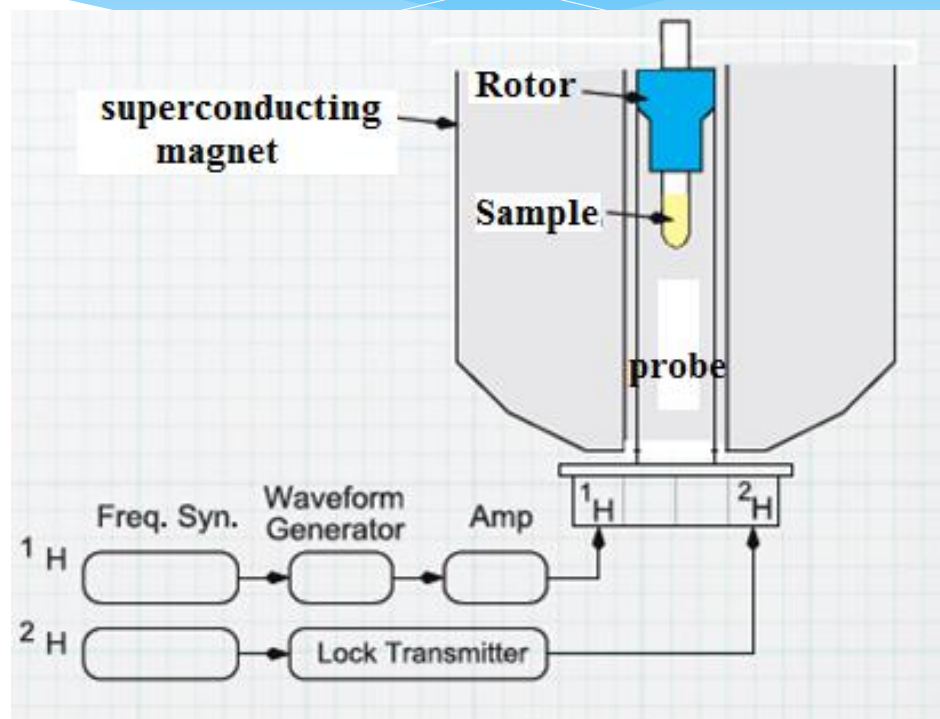
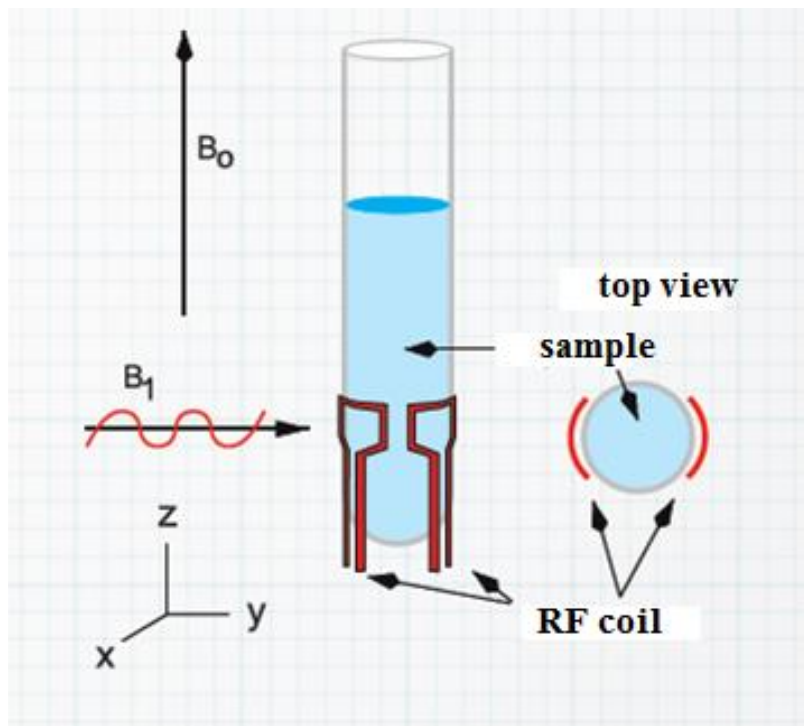
NMR probe

It allows to record signals from several types of nuclei

nucleus	spin	natural content, %	NMR frequency, MHz
^1H	1/2	99,98	500
^2H	1	0,016	76,77
^{12}C	0	98,9	-
^{13}C	1/2	1,108	125,75
^{15}N	1/2	0,37	50,69
^{17}O	5/2	0,037	67,8
^{19}F	1/2	100	470,592
^{31}P	1/2	100	202,45



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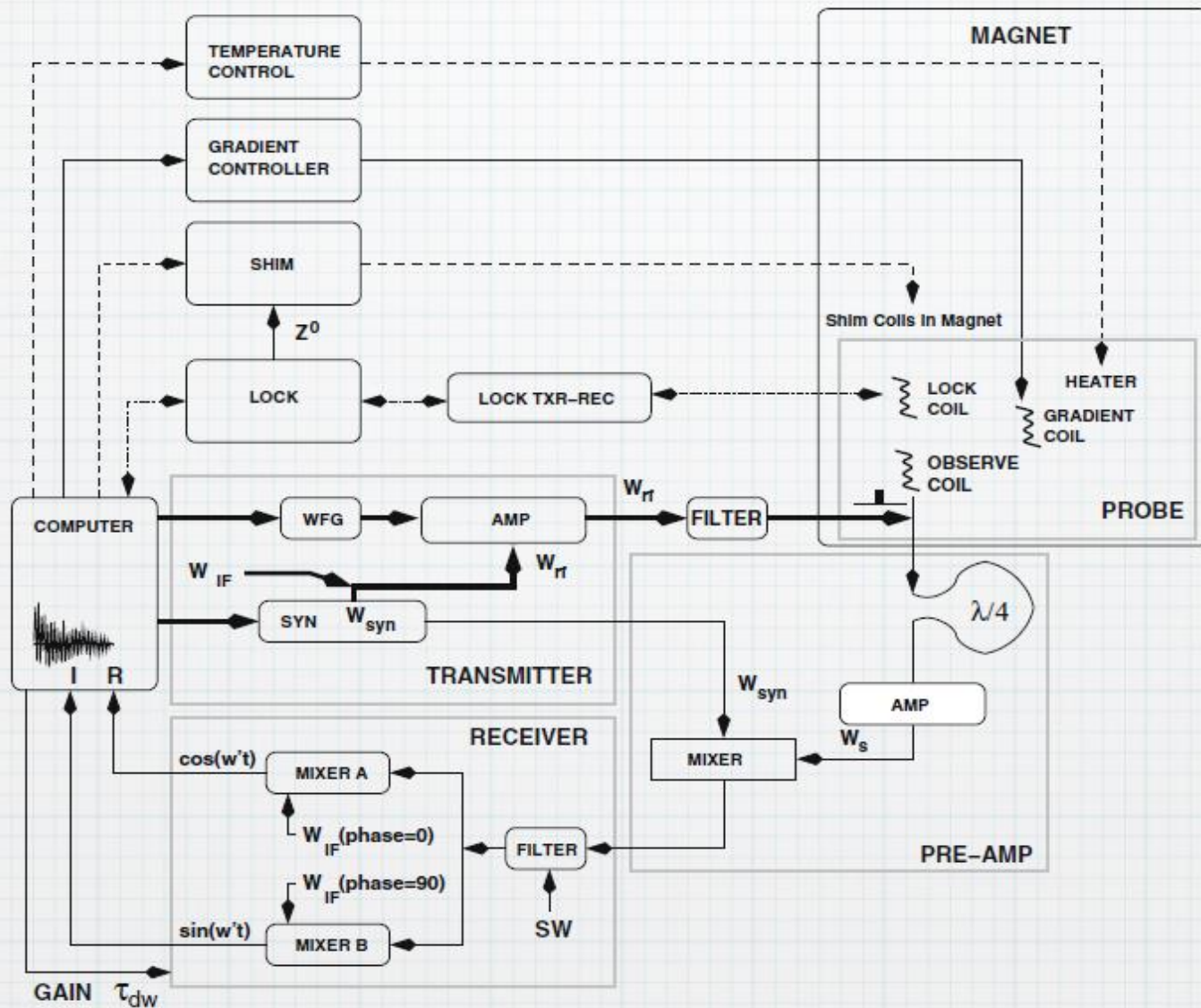


NMR sample

- ✦ needed to use special ampoule
- ✦ needed deuterium-solvents
- ✦ volume: 0.6-0.7 ml
- ✦ concentration: 0.6-0.7 mM
- ✦ the sample must be homogeneous



Radio circuit of modern NMR spectrometer

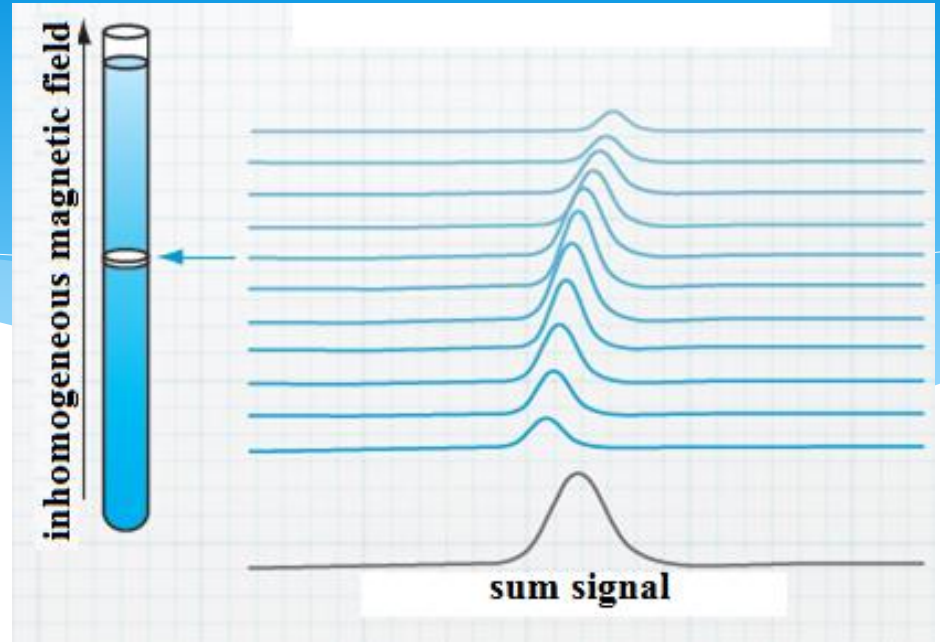


NMR laboratory



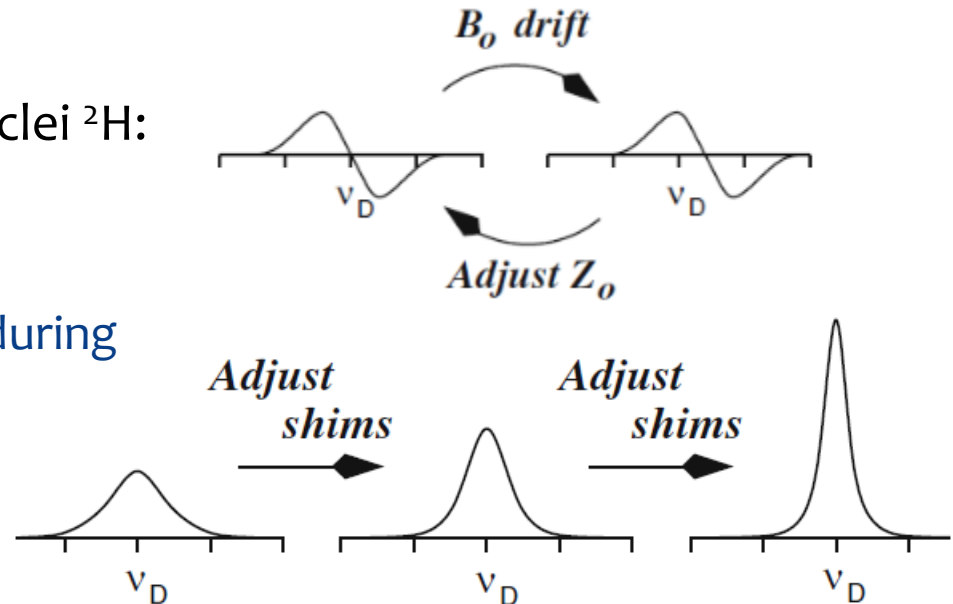
Magnetic field homogeneity

in order to obtain a line width of 0.5 Hz at 500 MHz the resonance field should be the same within 10^{-9}



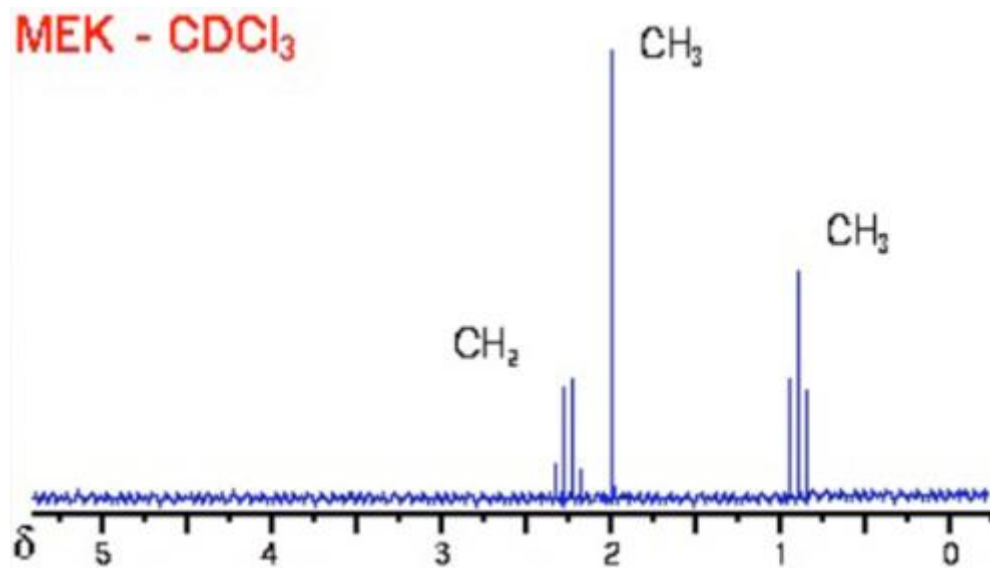
The signal from the deuterium nuclei ^2H :

- adjusting of homogeneity
- stabilization of the magnetic field during the experiment



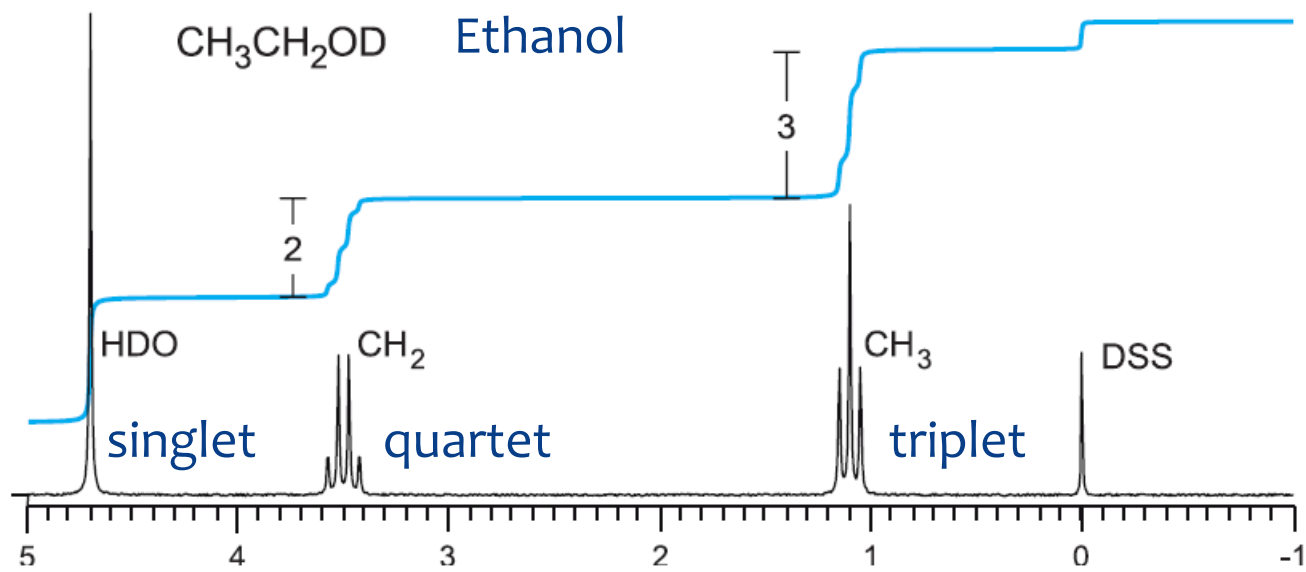
Problem of noise in NMR spectroscopy

- ✦ especially important for rare nuclei, e. g. ^{13}C
- ✦ **Solution: multiple signal accumulation !**



[Signal / noise] ration grows as $\sqrt{\text{number_of_scans}}$

The main parameters of NMR spectrum

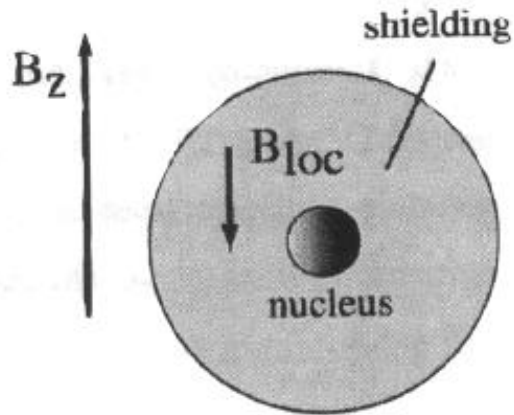


ppm – parts per million

- 1) Chemical shifts: position of signal (in ppm scale)
- 2) spin-spin interaction constants: the multiplicity of the spectrum
- 3) Integral intensities of signals: the area under the resonance line is proportional to the number of nuclei

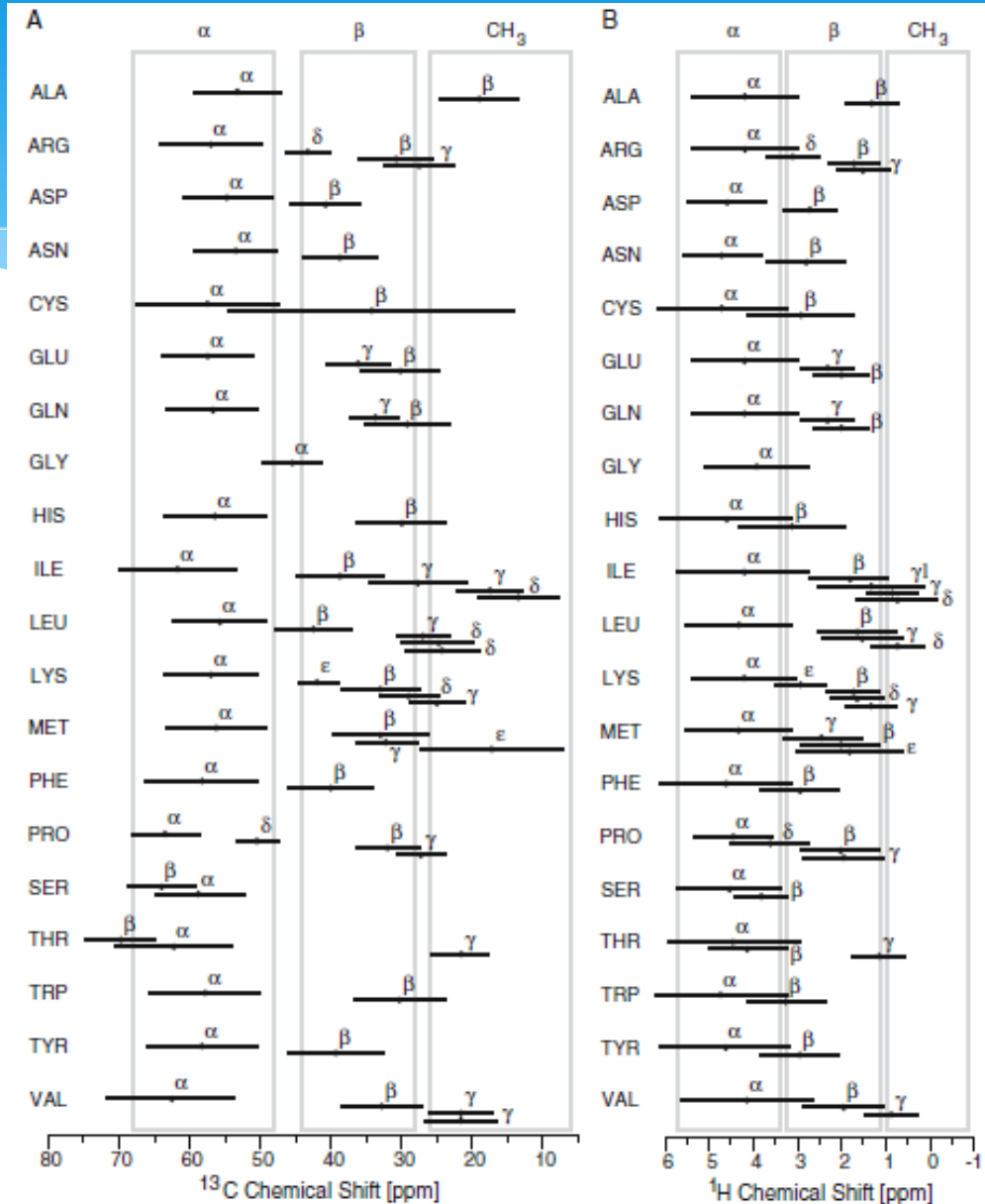
Chemical shift

the electron cloud around the nucleus reduces the magnetic field



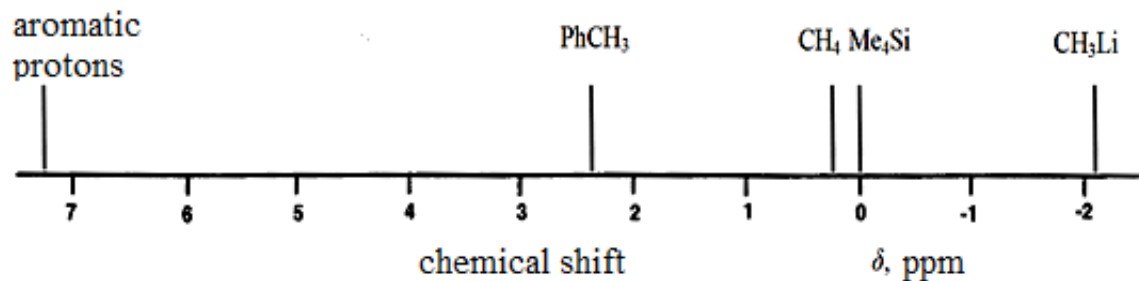
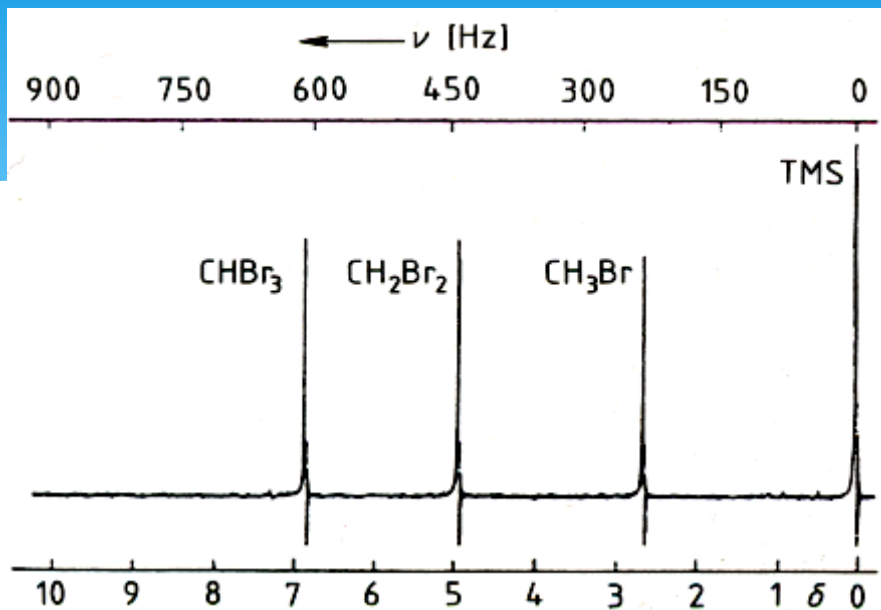
For each chemical environment there are characteristic chemical shift values !

$$B_{loc} = B_0 - \sigma B_0 = (1 - \sigma) B_0$$



¹H and ¹³C chemical shifts of amino acids

Chemical shifts (examples)

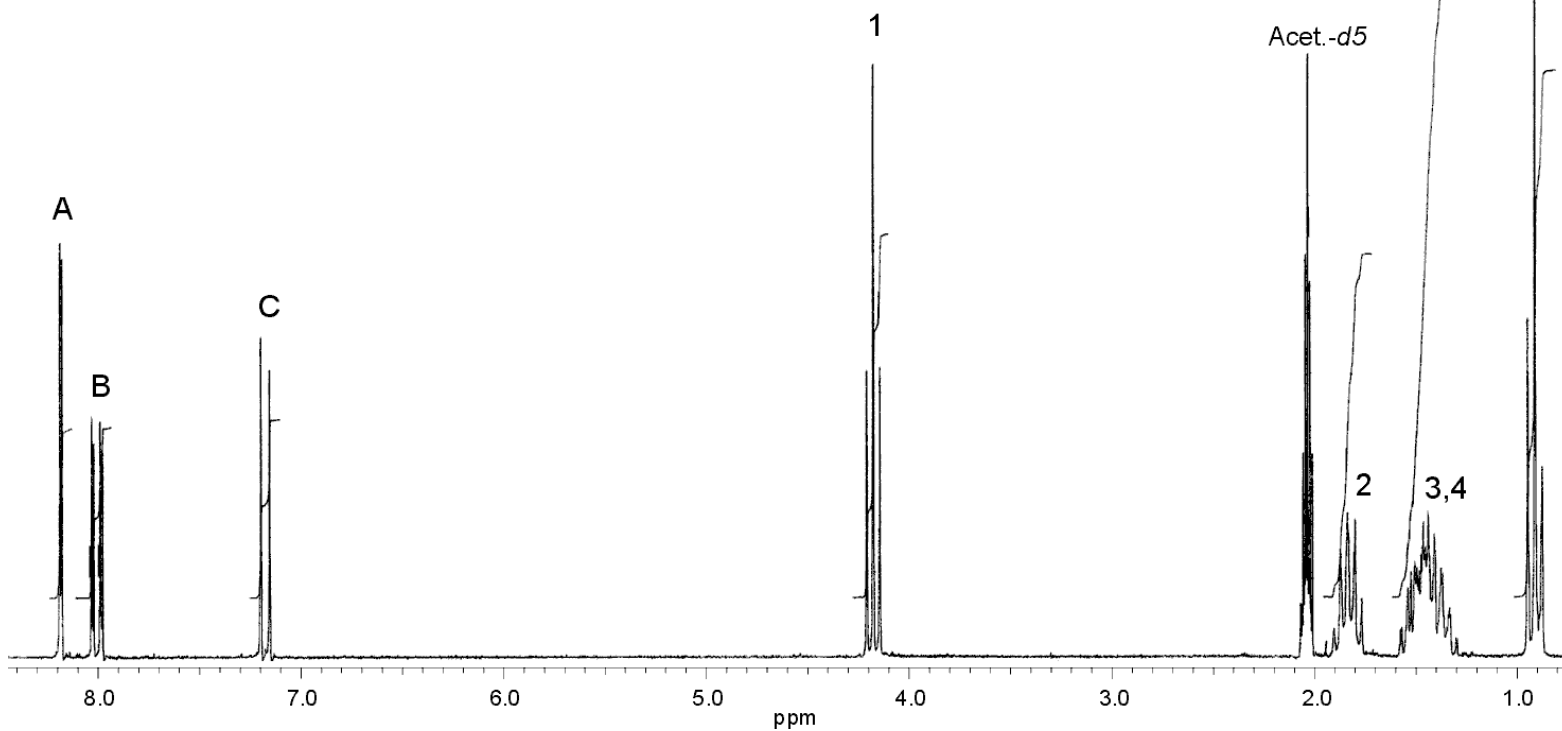
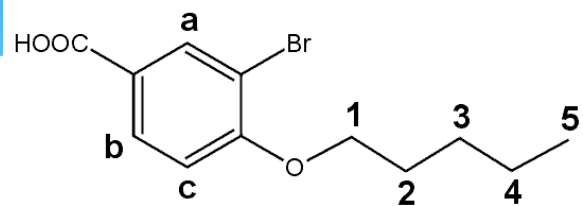


high frequency
low field

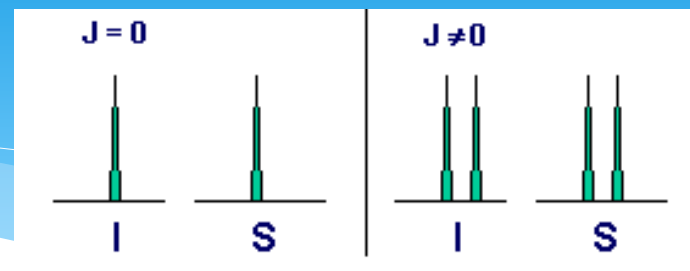
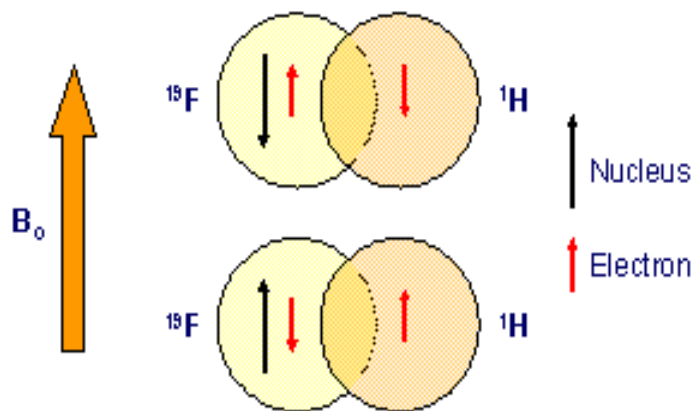


low frequency
high field

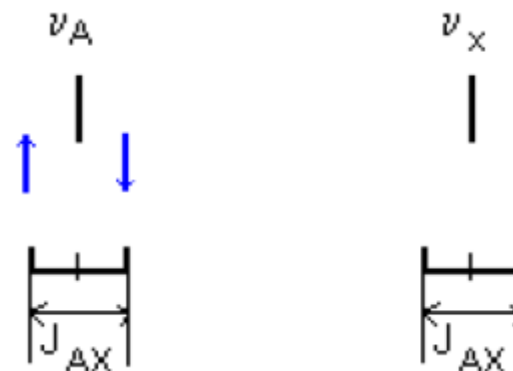
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Spin-spin interaction constants

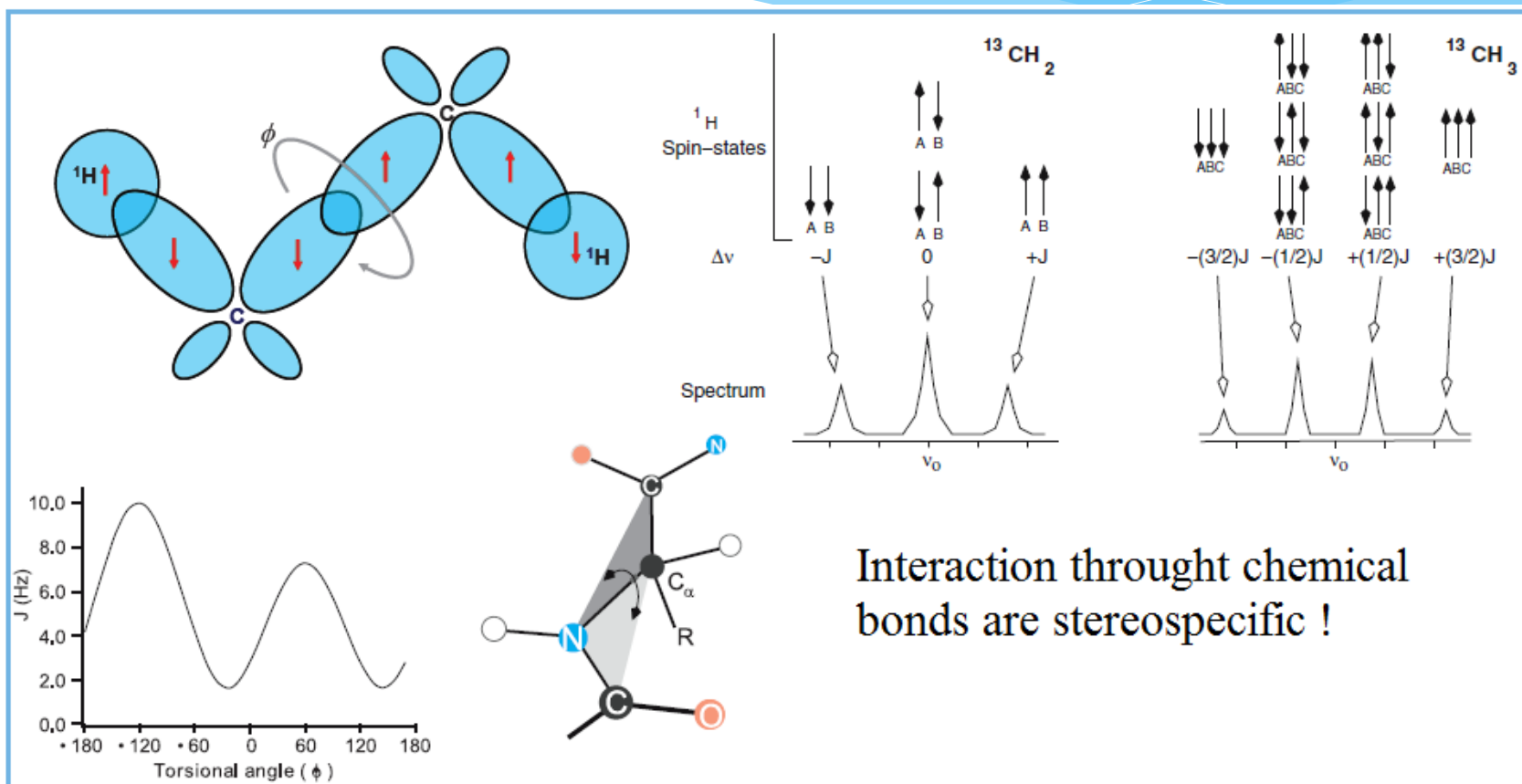


Nuclear interaction scheme through electronic bonds in HF molecule



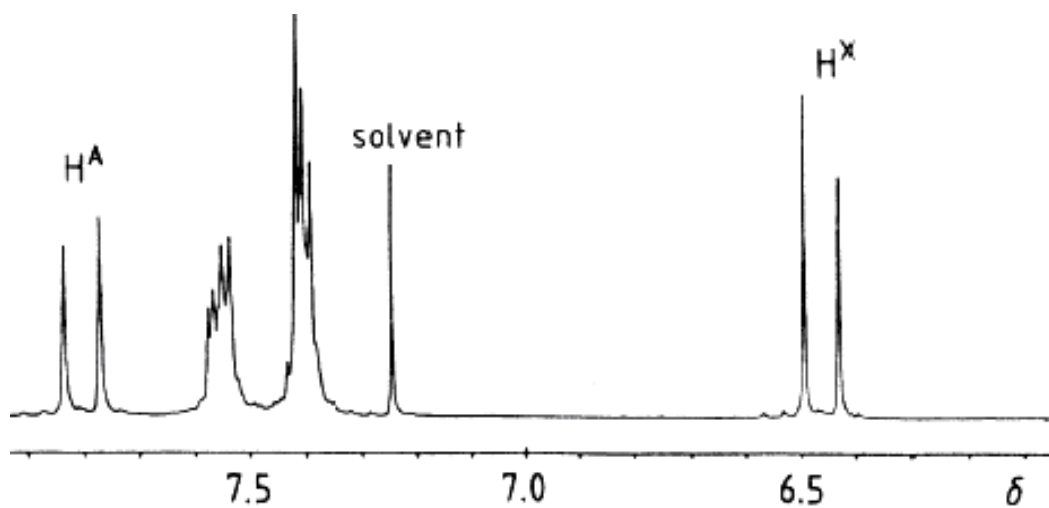
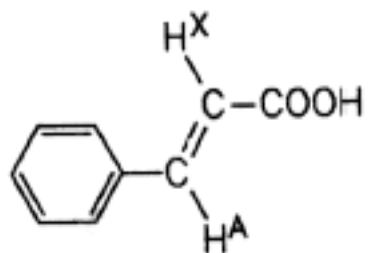
	J_{HH} , Hz	Sign	J_{CH} , Гц	Sign	J_{CC} , Hz	Sign
1J	276	+	125-250	+	30-80	+
2J	0-30	-	-10 +20	+/-	< 20	+/-
3J	0-18	+	1-10	+	0-5	+
^{3+n}J	0-7	+/-	< 1	+/-	< 1	+/-

Spin-spin interaction constants



Interaction through chemical bonds are stereospecific !

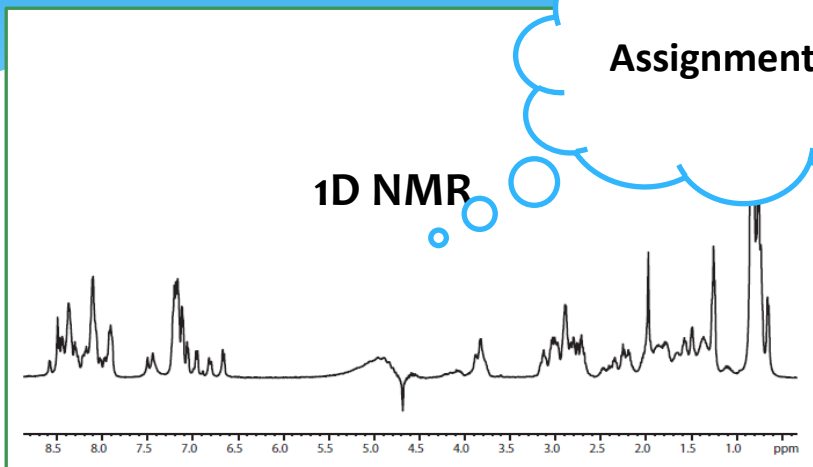
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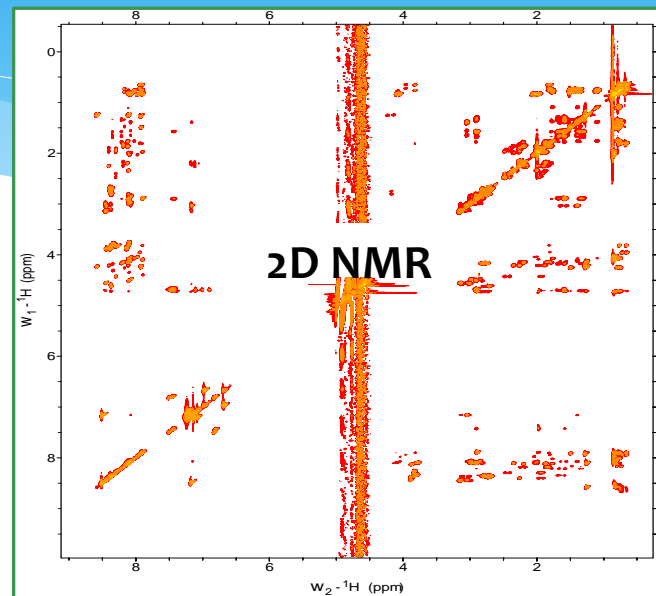
NMR spectroscopy of complex compounds

Assignment?

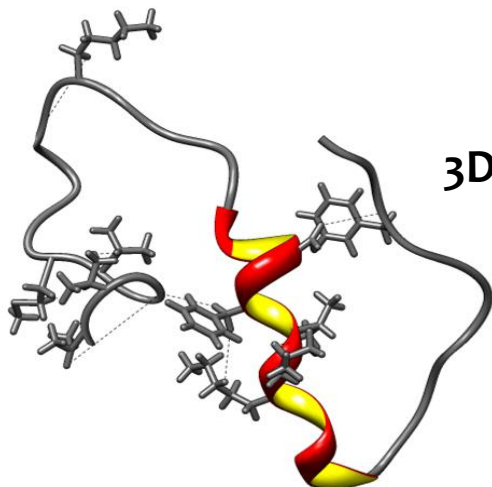
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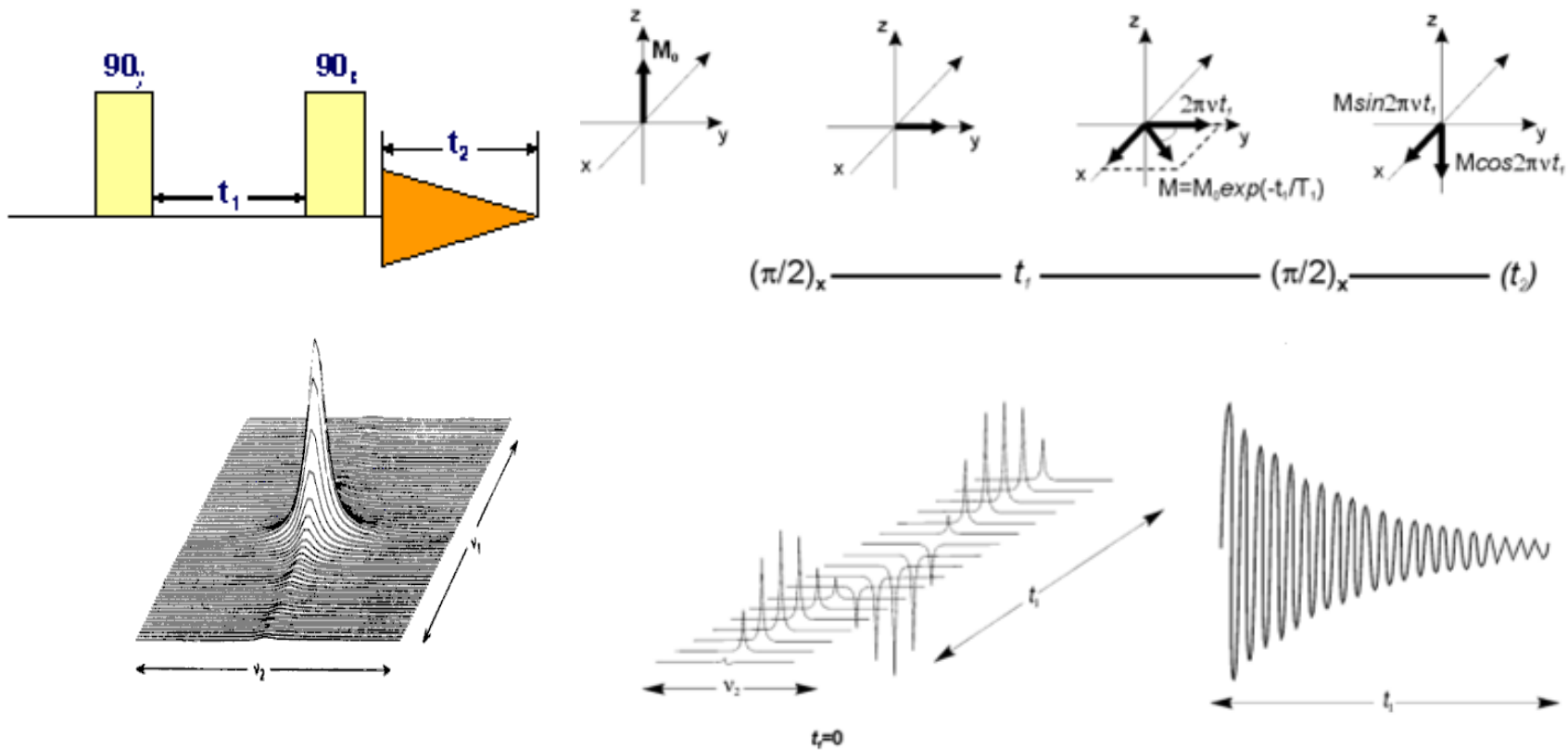
2D NMR



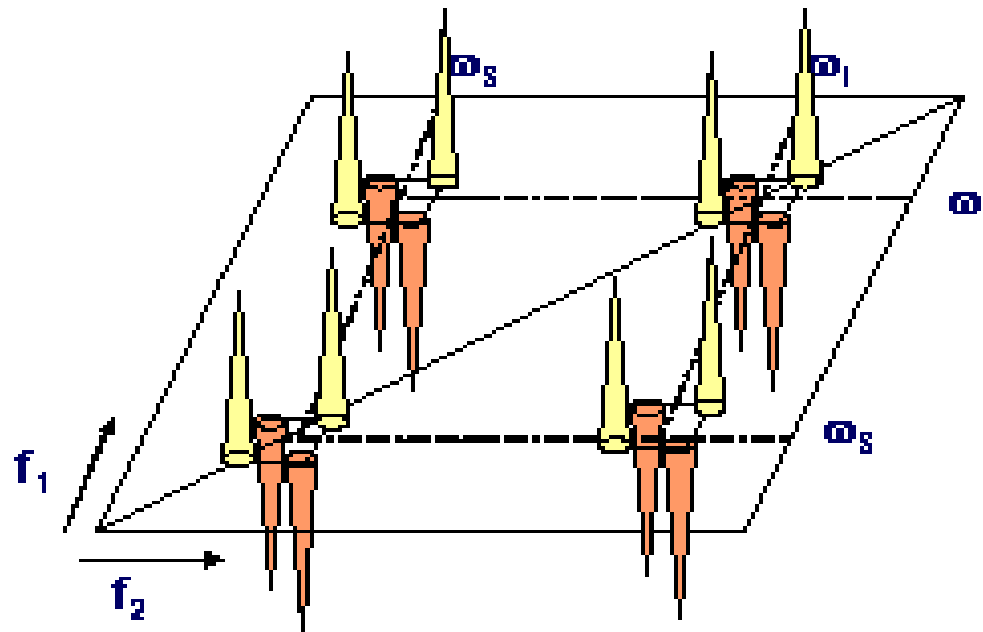
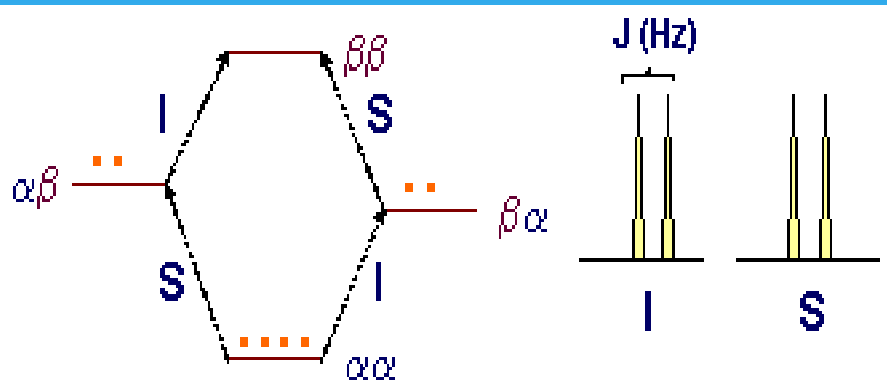
3D structure



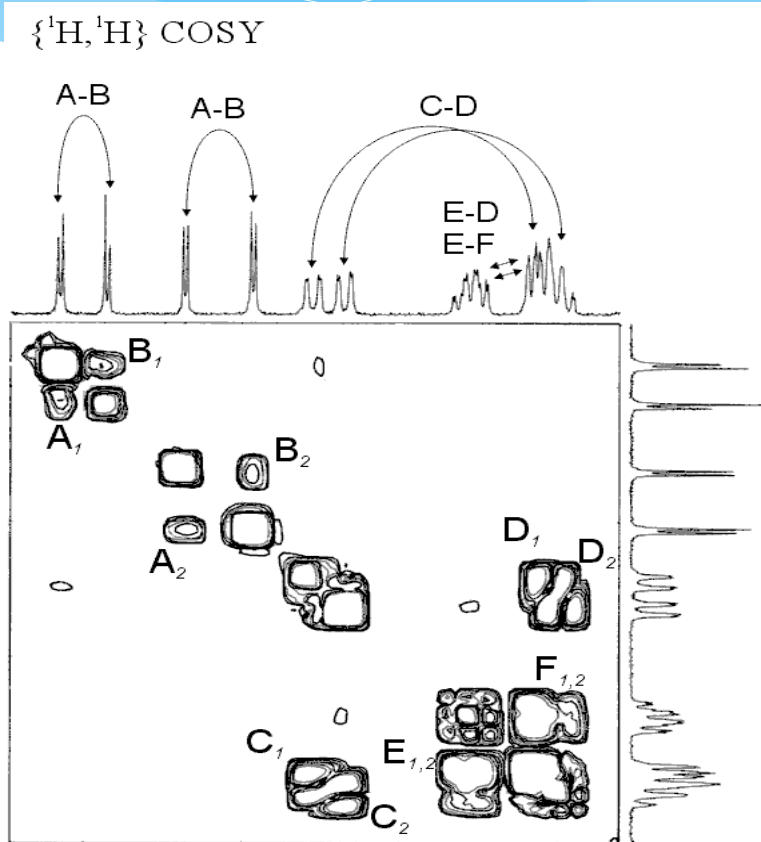
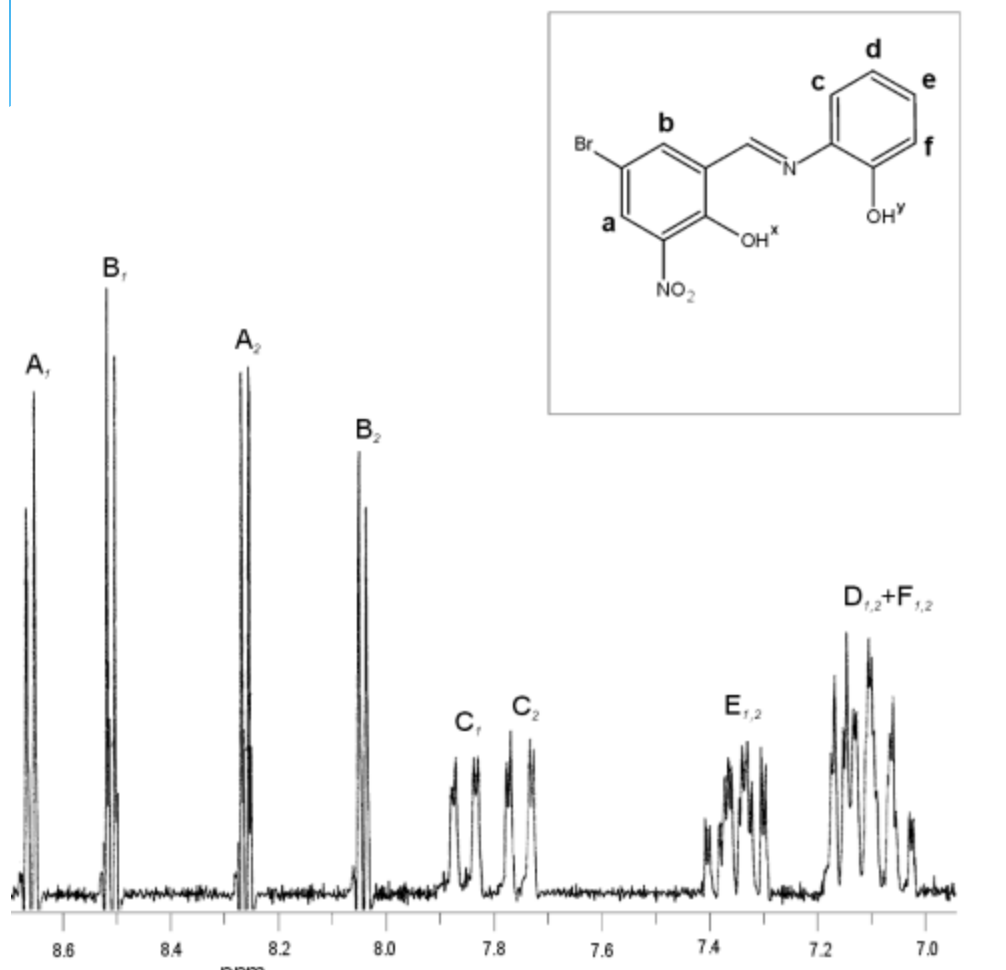
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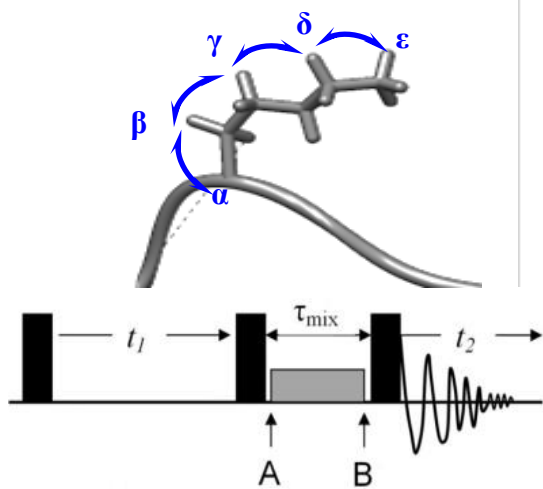


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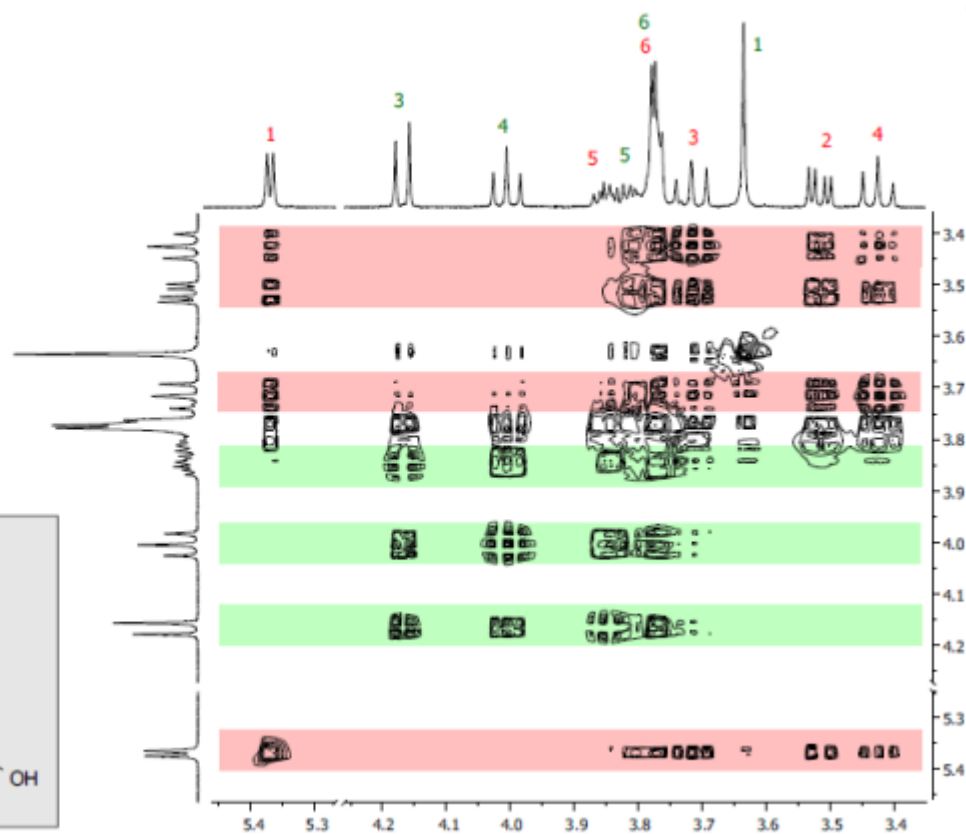
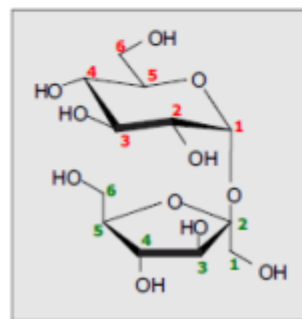


2D correlation NMR experiment: TOCSY

^1H - ^1H TOCSY (Total correlation spectroscopy)

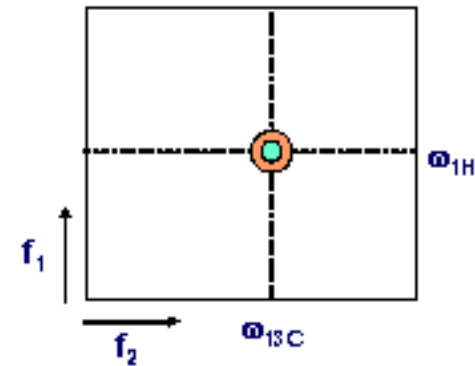
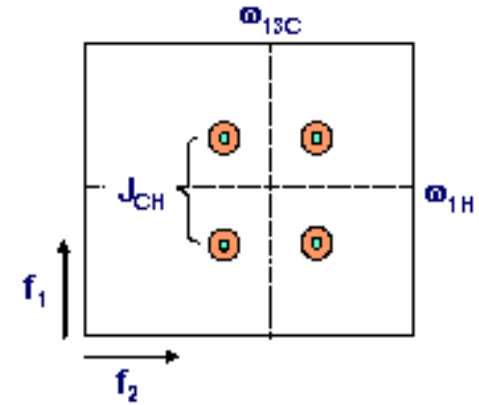
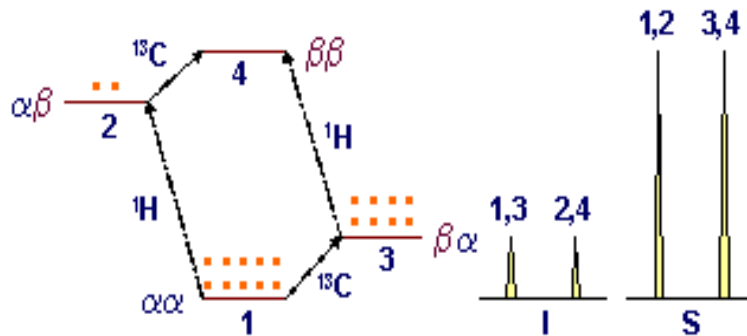
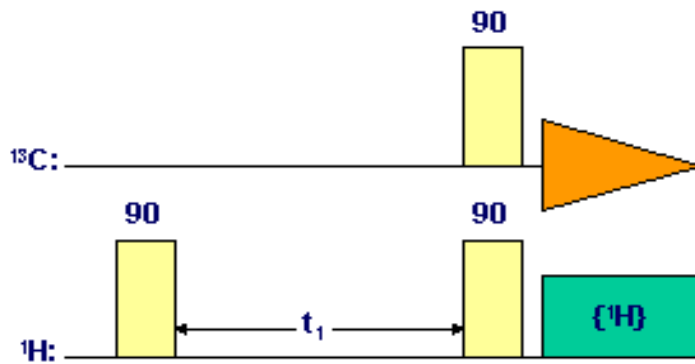


Pulse sequence of ^1H - ^1H TOCSY

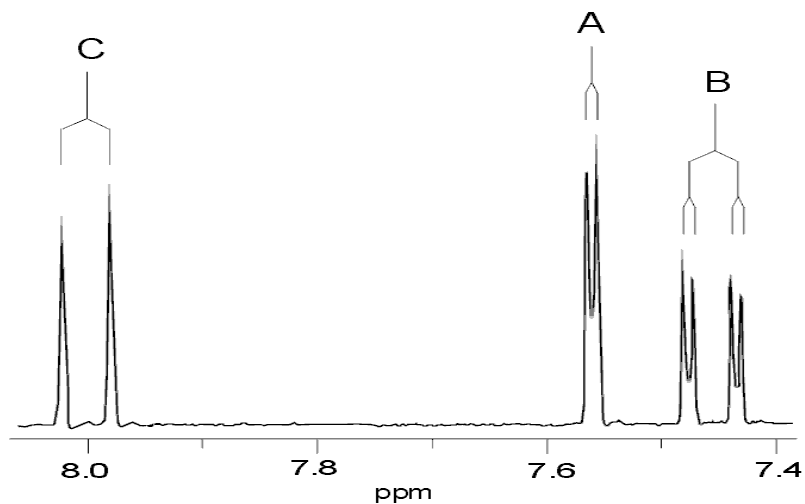
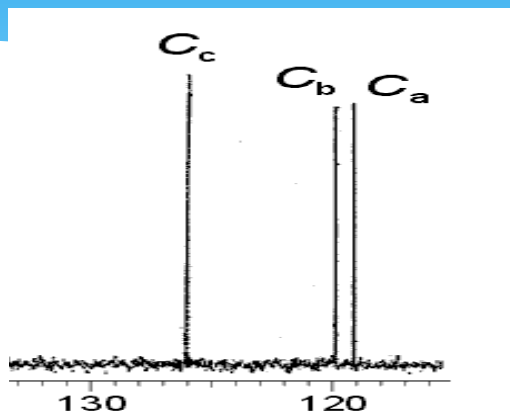
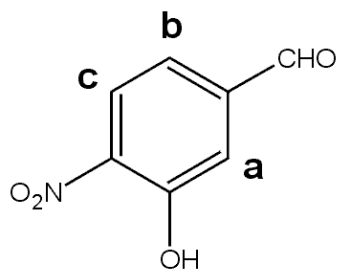


Example of ^1H - ^1H TOCSY NMR spectrum

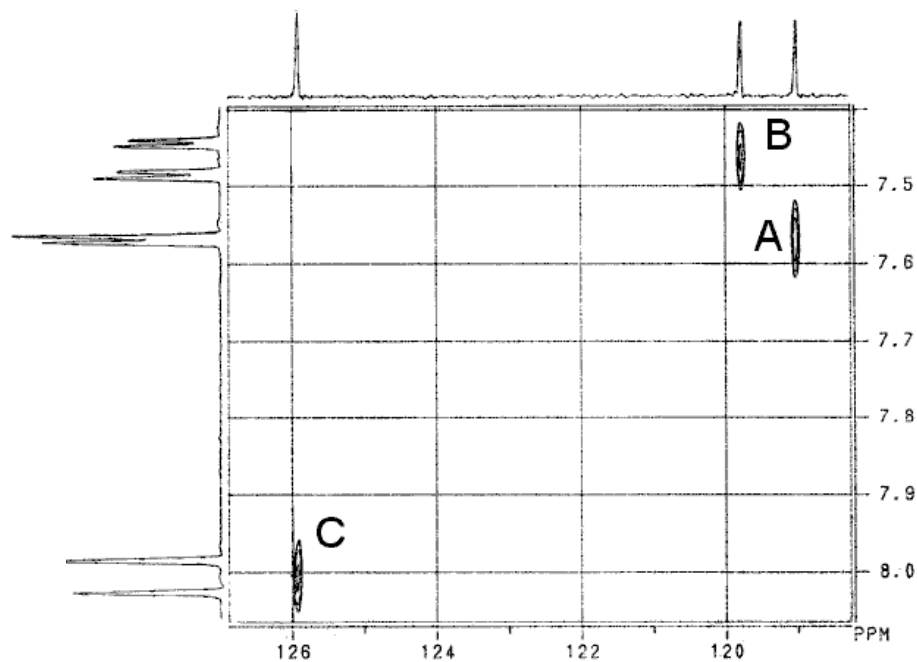
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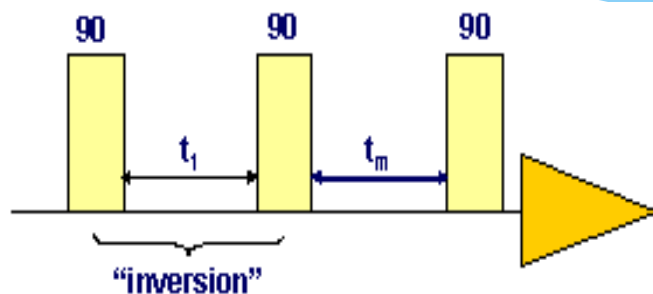
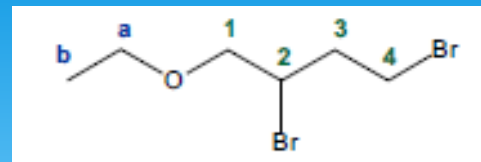
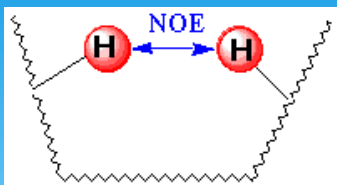
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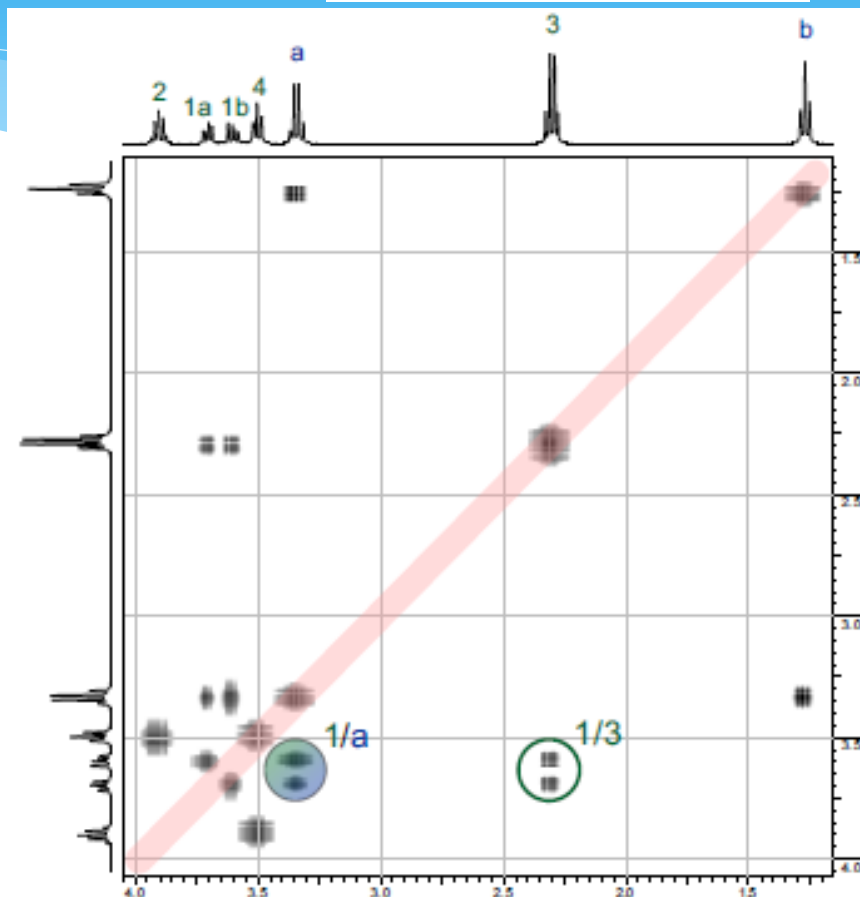
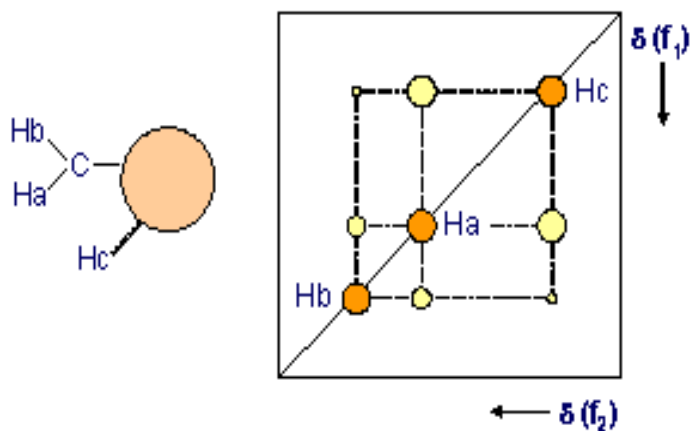
$\{^{13}\text{C}, ^1\text{H}\}$ HSQC



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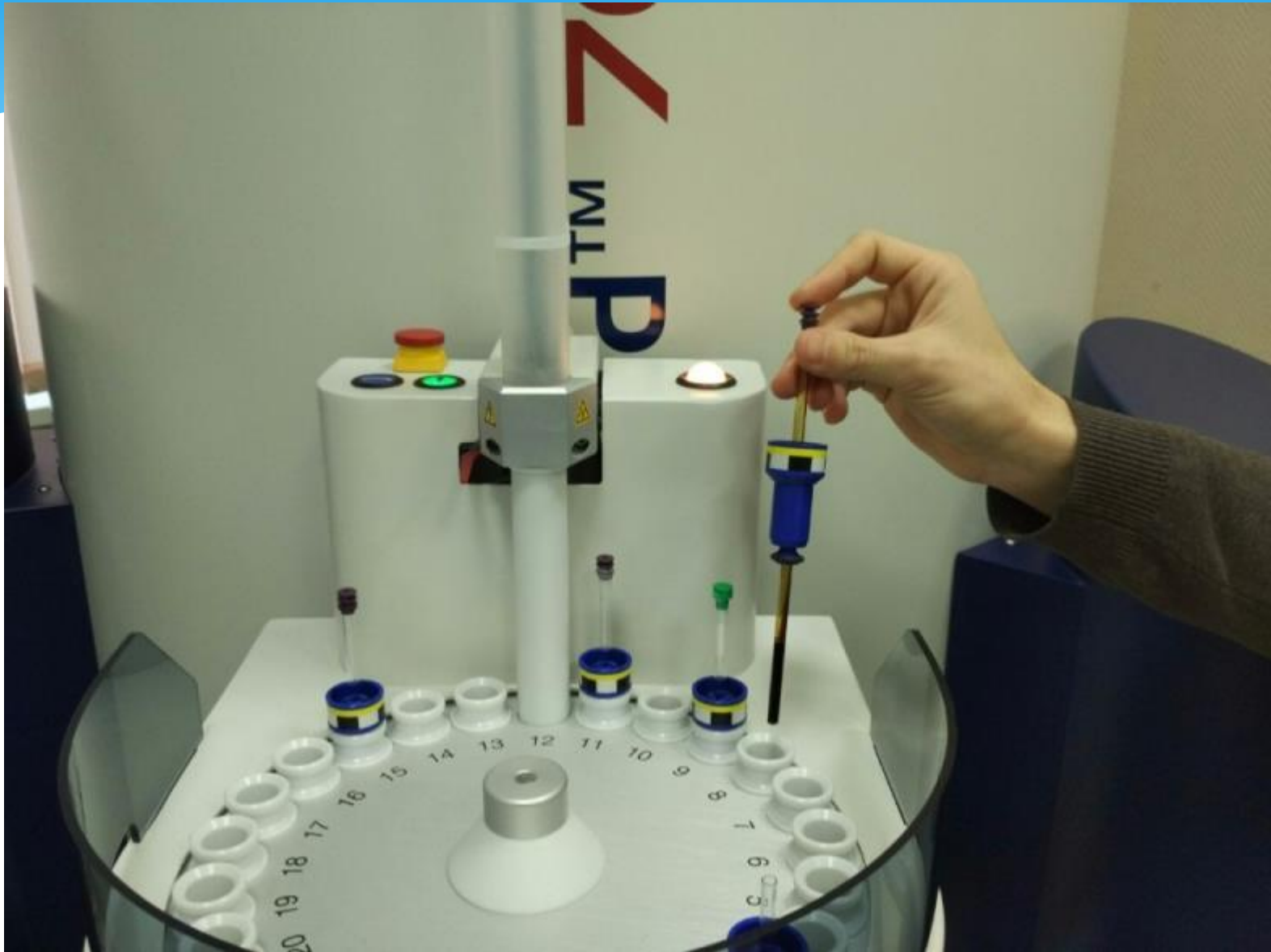


Pulse sequence of ^1H - ^1H NOESY

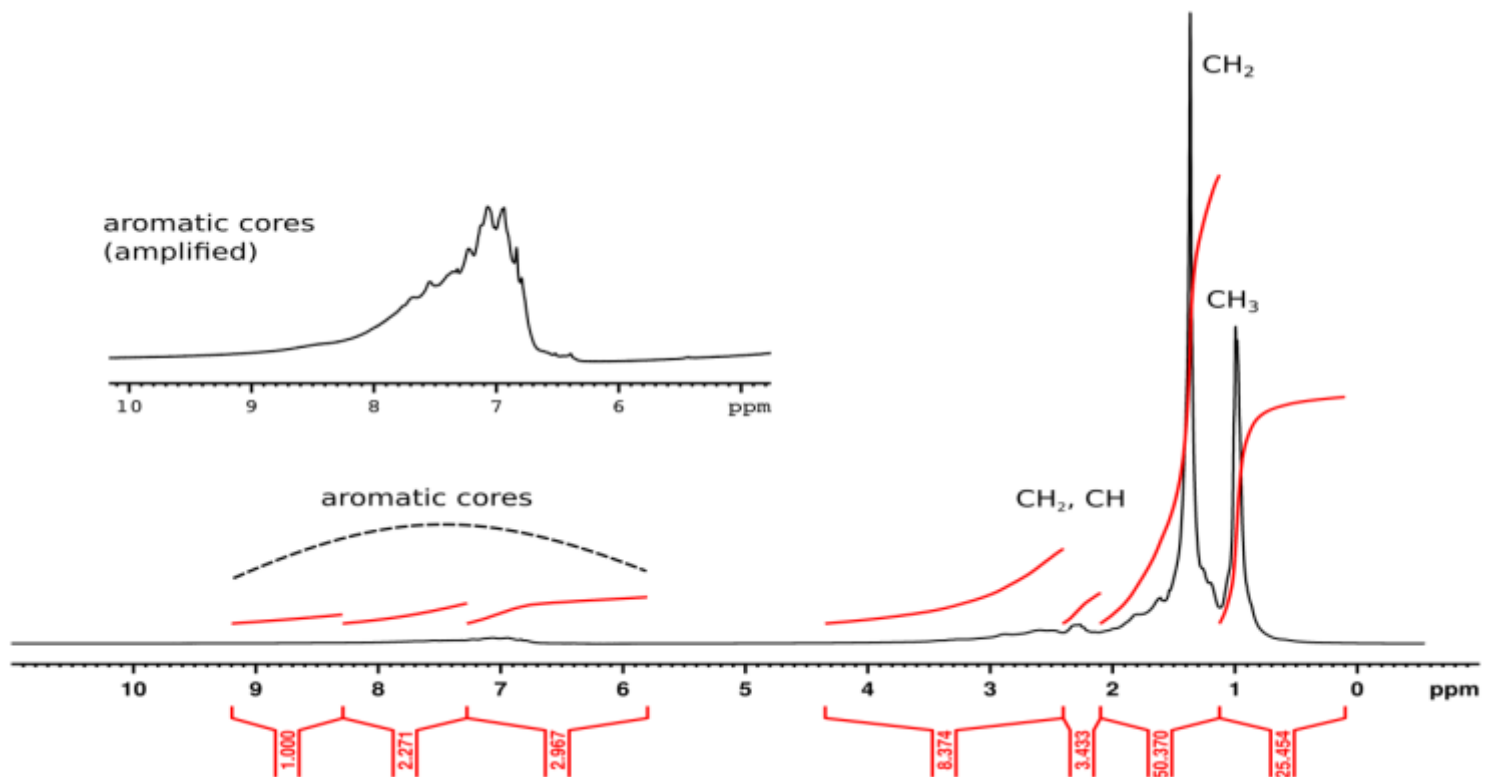


Example of ^1H - ^1H NOESY NMR spectrum

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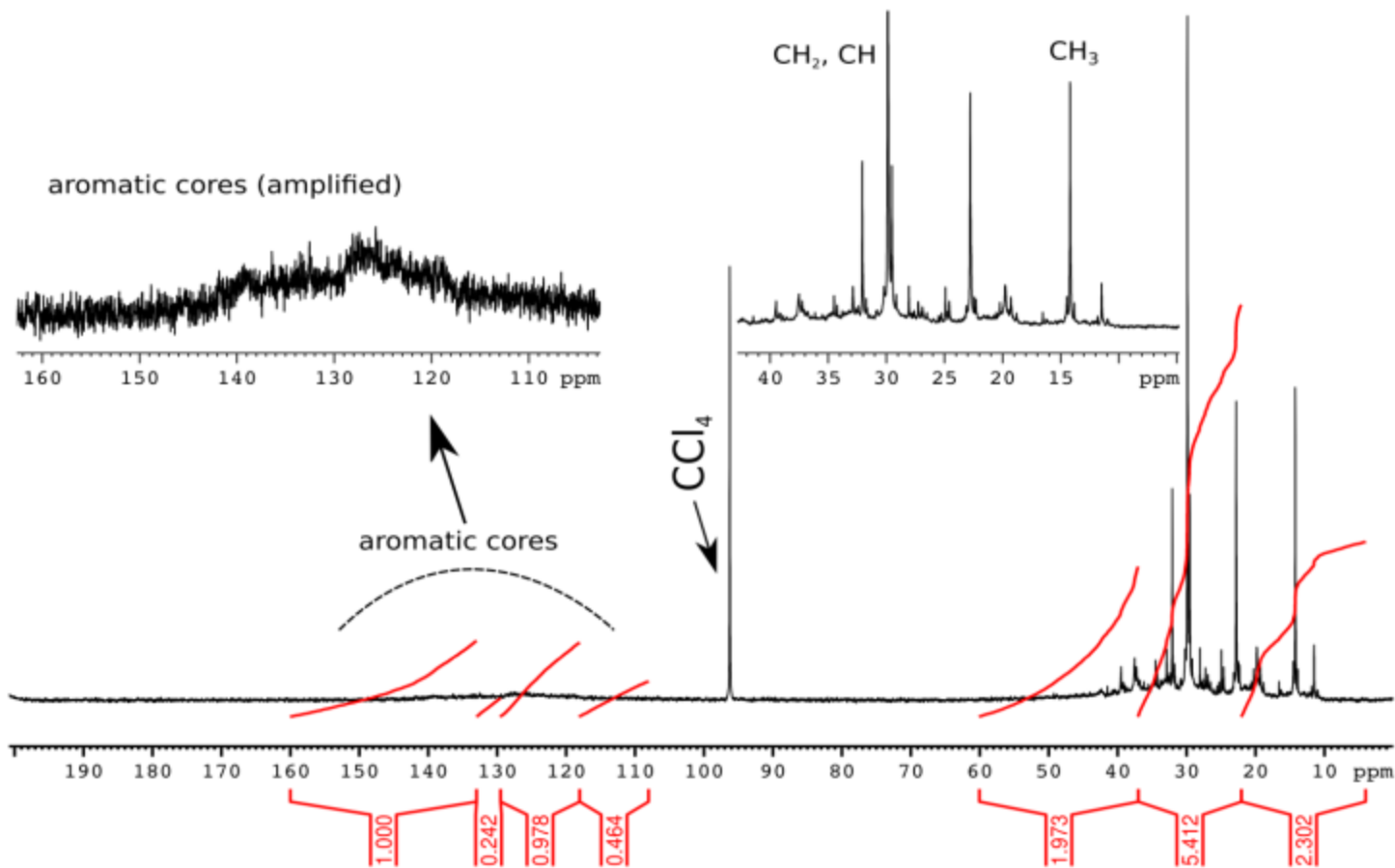


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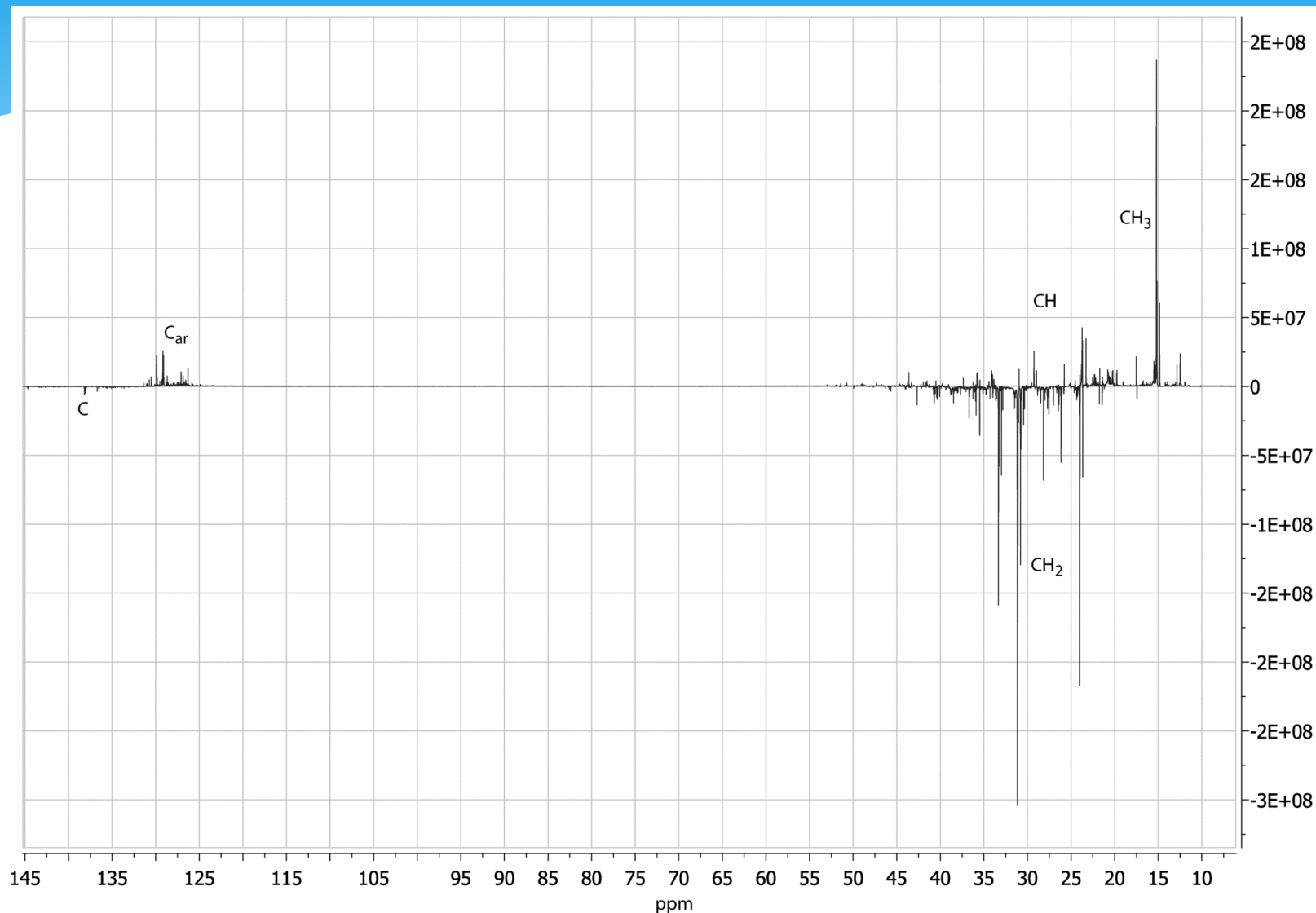
^1H NMR spectrum and integral intensities of oil sample from Bashkirian horizon mixed with CCl_4

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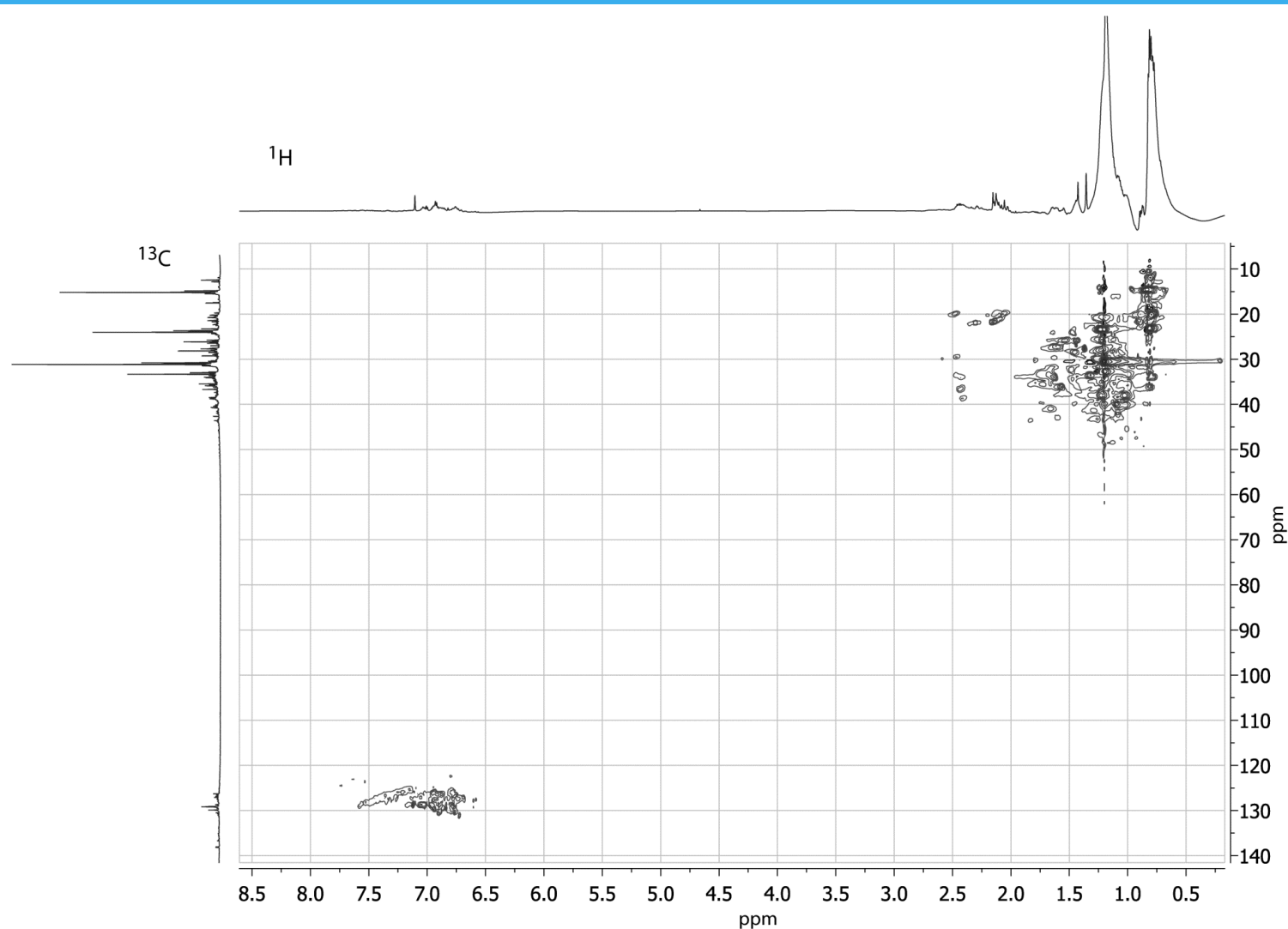
^{13}C NMR spectrum of oil sample from Bashkirian horizon mixed with CCl_4

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^{13}C NMR APT spectrum of oil sample

Study of quality and quantity composition of oil samples by NMR spectroscopy



HSQC NMR spectrum of oil sample

Study of quality and quantity composition of oil samples by NMR spectroscopy

Molar content (%) of functional groups of oil samples (I - VI) revealed by ¹H NMR spectroscopy (percentage)

	Chemical shift range, ppm	(I)	(II)	(III)	(IV)	(V)	(VI)
H1	0.1-1.1	20.9	21.1	18.9	18.6	18.1	19.1
H2	1.1-2.1	50.7	54.9	52.3	53.3	53.9	54.1
H3	2.1-2.4	3.0	2.5	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.3
H4	2.4-4.4	13.6	10.7	13.4	13.3	14.2	13.5
H5	5.8-7.3	6.7	6.3	5.2	6.0	5.7	5.8
H6	7.3-8.3	4.8	4.3	6.4	5.7	5.2	4.9
H7	8.3-9.2	0.3	0.2	1.4	0.5	0.6	0.3

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Molar content (%) of functional groups of oil samples (I - VI) revealed by ^{13}C NMR spectroscopy (percentage)

	Chemical shift range, ppm	(I)	(II)	(III)	(IV)	(V)	(VI)
C1	4-22	23.1	24.5	20.1	20.2	18.6	17.7
C2	22-37	48.8	53.8	53.5	52.5	43.7	43.0
C3	37-60	12.5	10.9	11.4	14.7	15.9	16.5
C4	108-118	0.8	<0.1	0.1	0.6	3.8	3.8
C5	118-129	8.7	5.6	7.7	7.5	7.9	7.9
C6	129-133	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.6	2.0	2.0
C7	133-160	4.5	3.7	5.7	3.9	8.1	9.1

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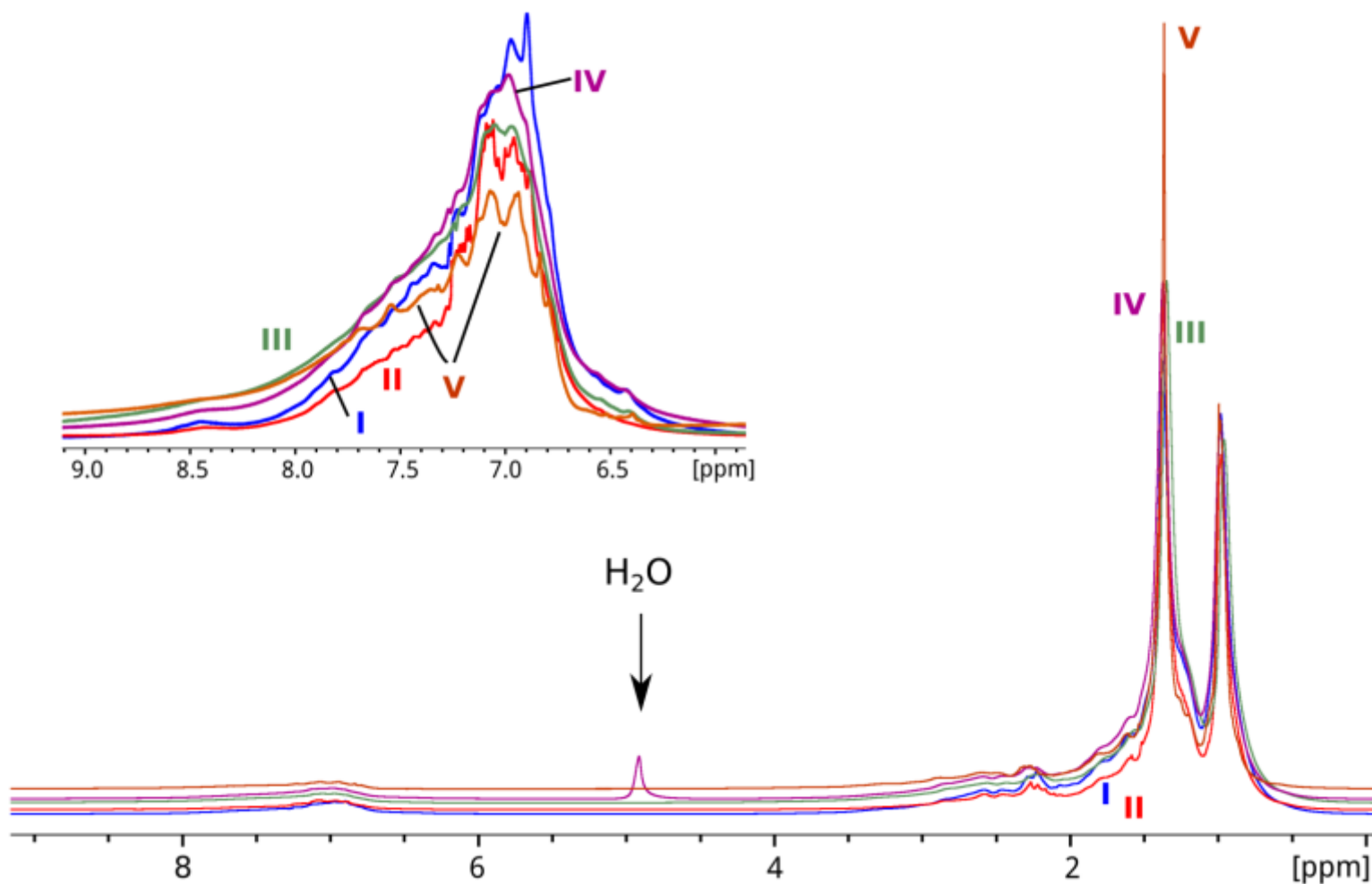
	(I)	(II)	(III)	(IV)	(V)	(VI)
C_p	22.8	24.3	19.8	19.9	18.2	17.4
C_{sq}	50.5	55.6	55.4	54.3	45.3	44.6
C_t	12.0	9.4	9.9	13.8	18.5	19.1
C_{ar}	14.7	10.7	14.8	12.0	17.9	19.0

$$C_p = ((1.02I_p - 0.006I_{sq}) / (I_t + I_{sq} + I_p))(1 - C_{ar})$$

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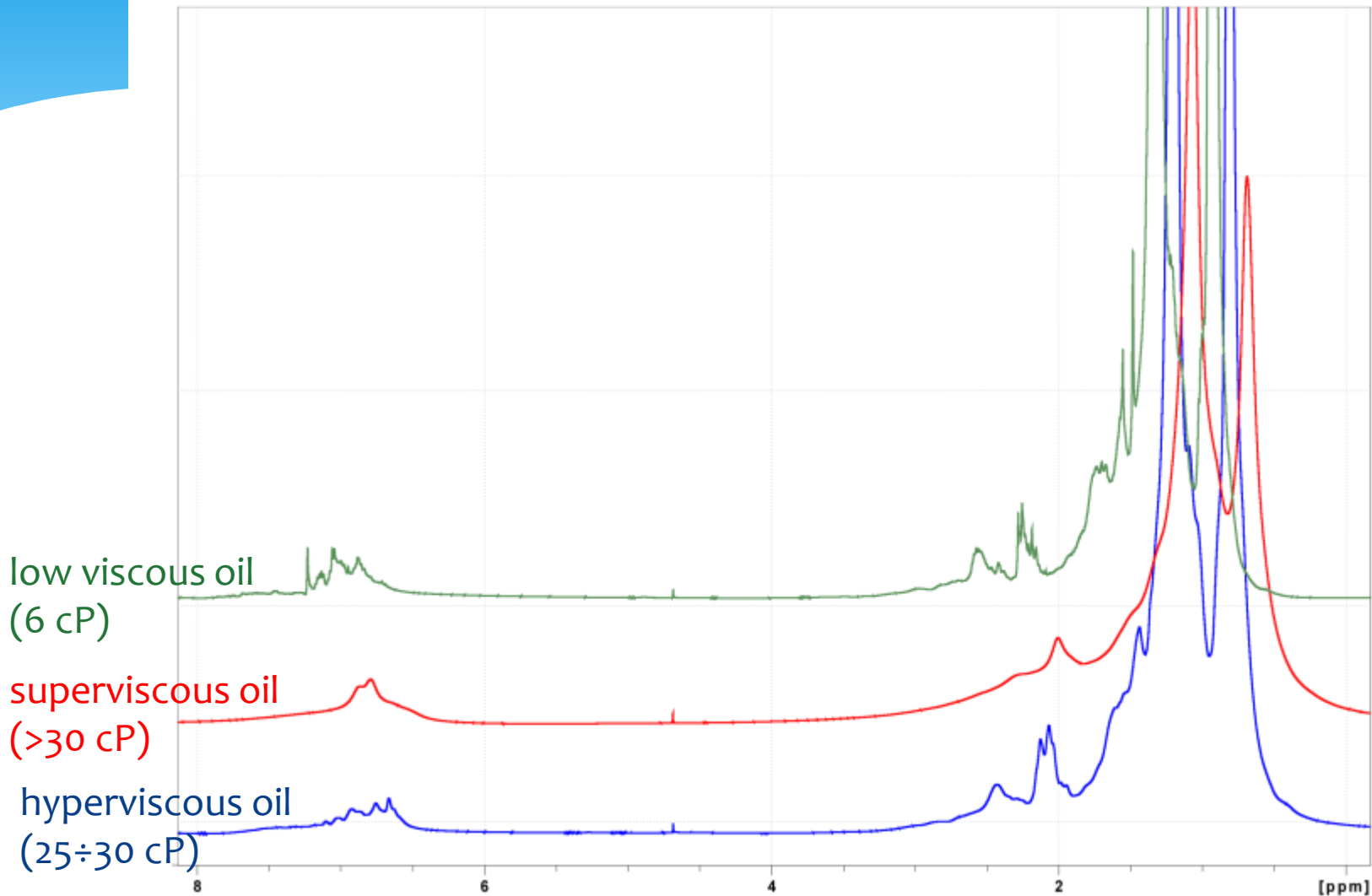
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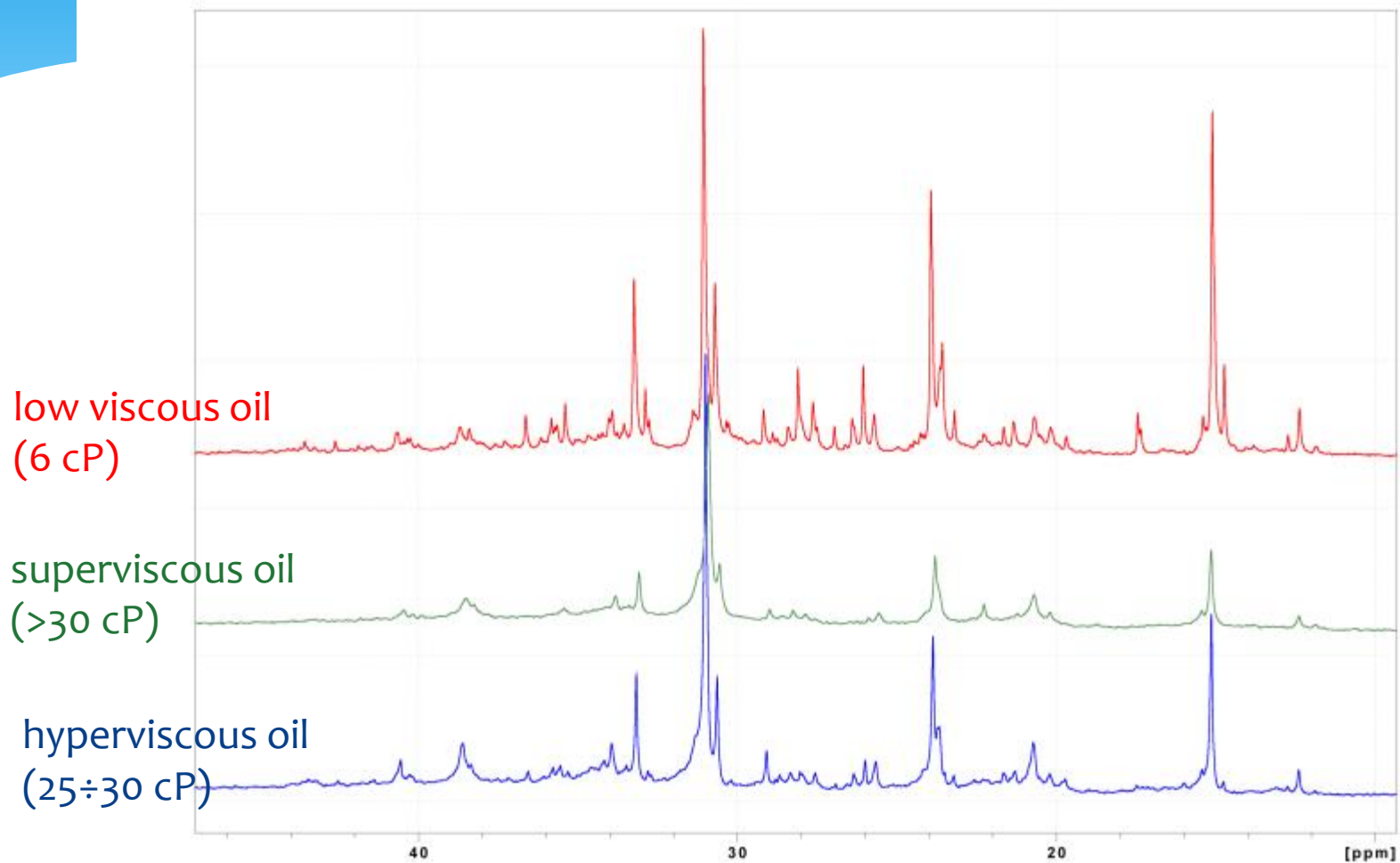
Comparison of ^1H NMR spectra (500 MHz) of five oil samples

Study of quality and quantity composition of light and heavy oil samples by NMR spectroscopy



^1H NMR spectra of oil samples

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^{13}C NMR spectra of oil samples

Study of quality and quantity composition of light and heavy oil samples by NMR spectroscopy

	Low viscous oil (401)	Low viscous oil (3002)	Hyperviscous oil	Superviscous oil
C_p	33.4	34.7	25.8	21.6
C_{sq}	48.4	53.8	53.0	48.9
C_t	12.1	4.8	10.0	12.8
C_{ar}	6.4	6.9	12.5	19.3

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