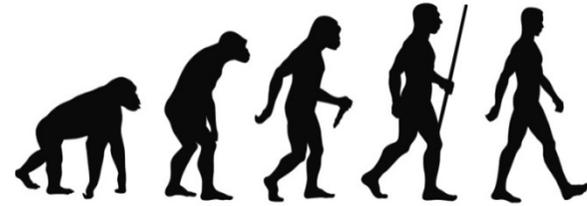


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Principes de base en Résonance Magnétique Nucléaire (RMN)



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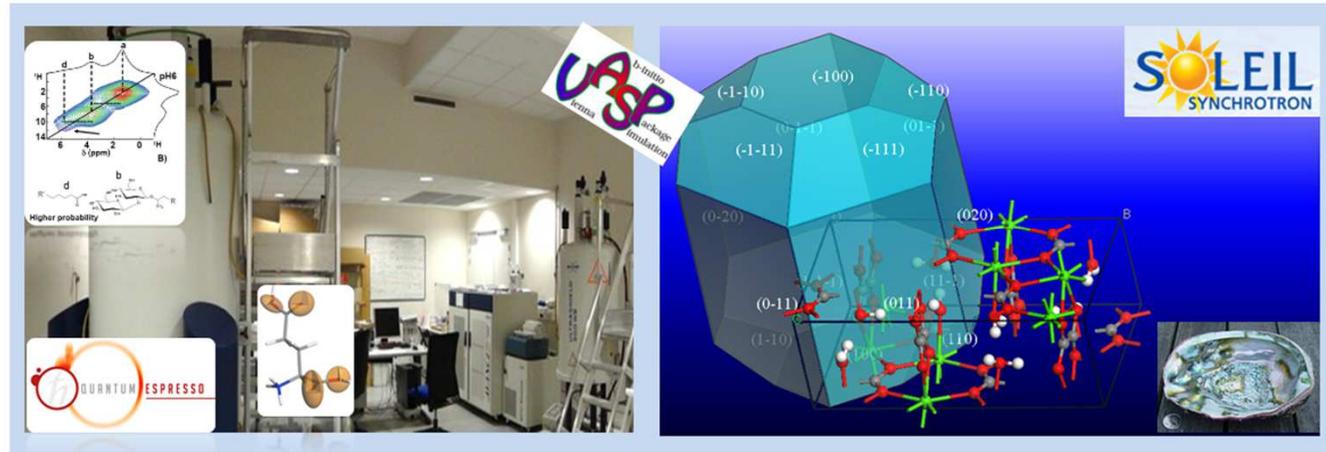
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Interfaces for **n**atural
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Spectroscopic and numerical approaches for synthetic and natural materials.



Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

 The Nobel Prize in Physics 1944
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The Nobel Prize in Physics 1944 was awarded to Isidor Isaac Rabi "for his resonance method for recording the magnetic properties of atomic nuclei".

→ atomic beams

 The Nobel Prize in Physics 1952
Felix Bloch, E. M. Purcell

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Felix Bloch



Edward Mills Purcell

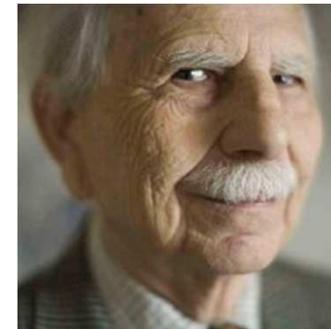
The Nobel Prize in Physics 1952 was awarded jointly to Felix Bloch and Edward Mills Purcell "for their development of new methods for nuclear magnetic precision measurements and discoveries in connection therewith"

→ condensed matter
(high P gas, solutions,
solids)

« ... In this method, developed independently by two research groups headed respectively by F. Bloch and E. M. Purcell, the detection of the passage through the resonance is based on a modification *occurring at resonance* in the electromagnetic device itself that « drives » the resonant transition of interest... »

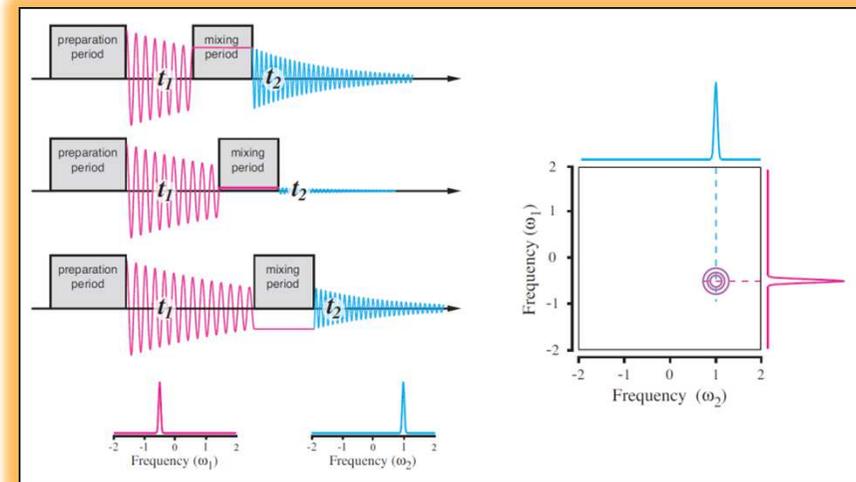
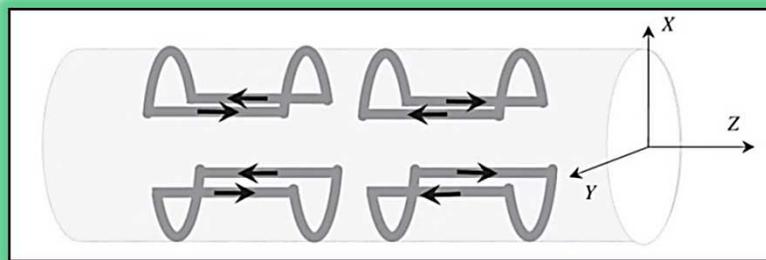
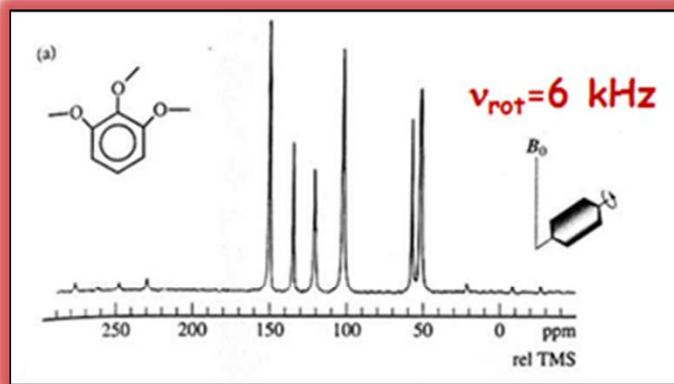
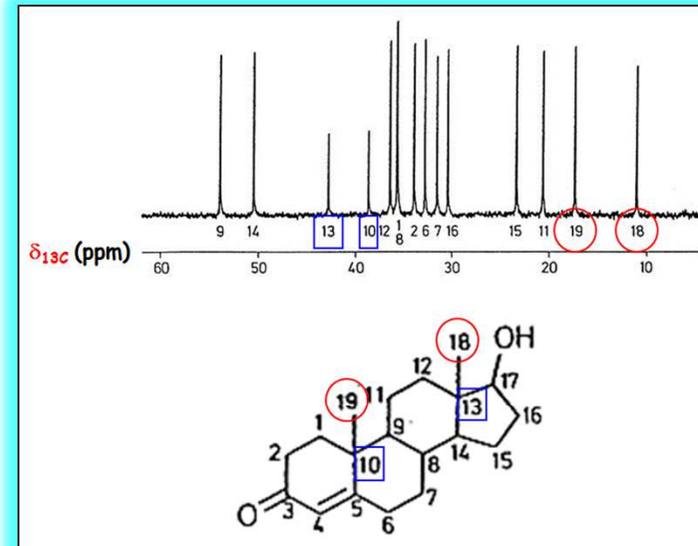
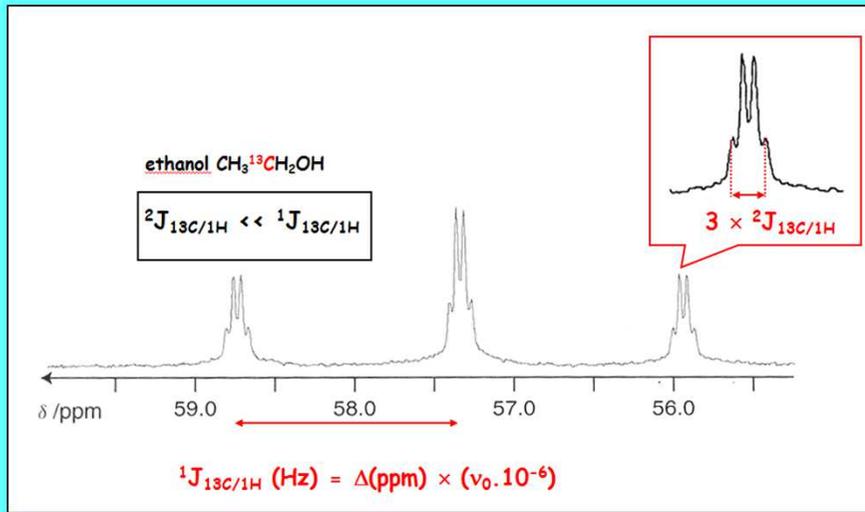
in: *Principles of Nuclear Magnetism*,

A. Abragam, 1961 (CEA, Collège de France)

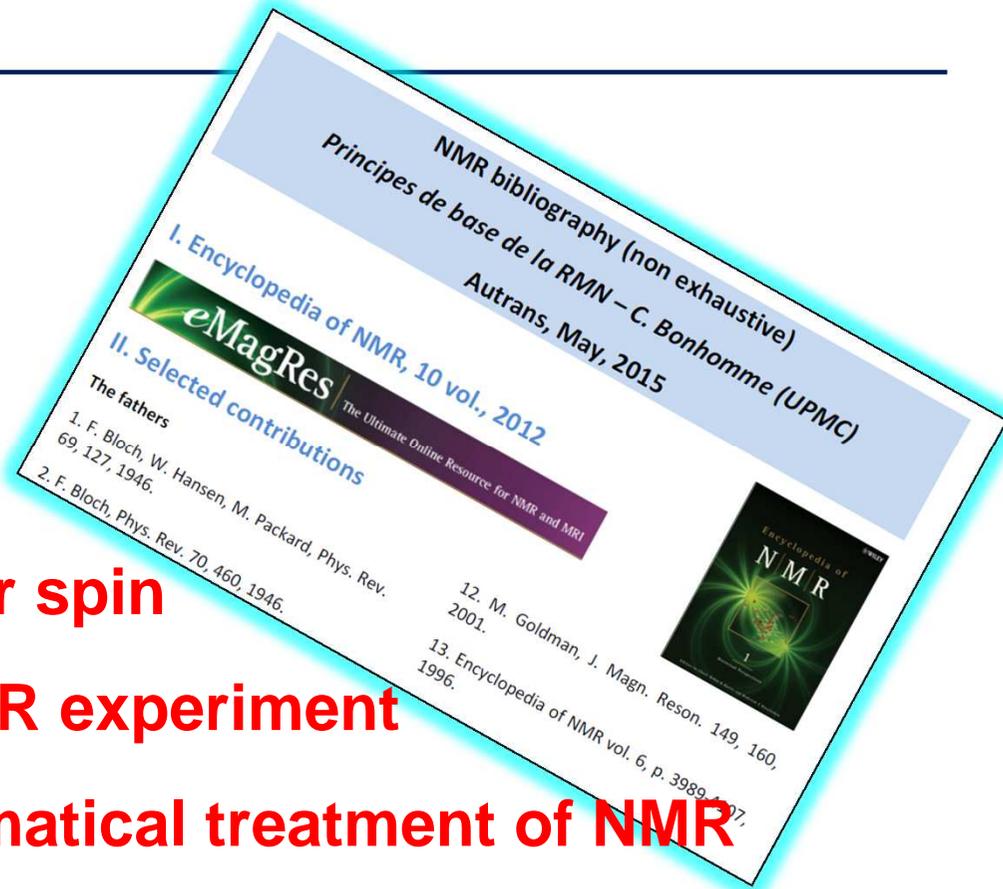
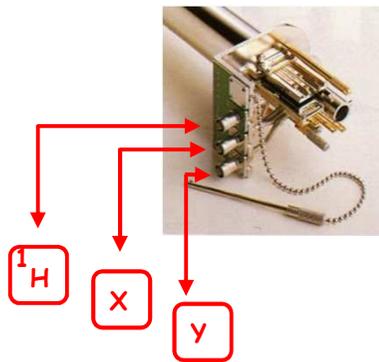


A. Abragam

Nuclear Magnetic Resonance



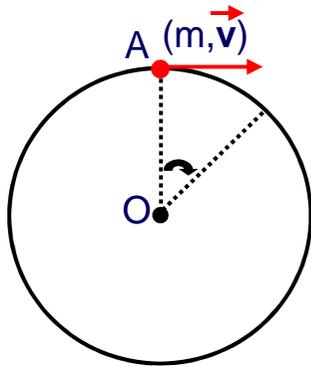
Outline



- Nuclear spin
- the NMR experiment
- Mathematical treatment of NMR
- Multidimensional NMR
- Relaxation
- Solid State NMR
- Gradients and imaging

Angular momentum

circular orbit



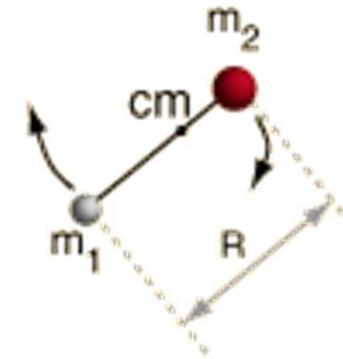
$$\vec{L} = \vec{OA} \wedge m\vec{v}$$

quantum mechanics: quantification

$$L = [J(J+1)]^{1/2} \hbar$$

$$J = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$E_J = B J(J+1)$$



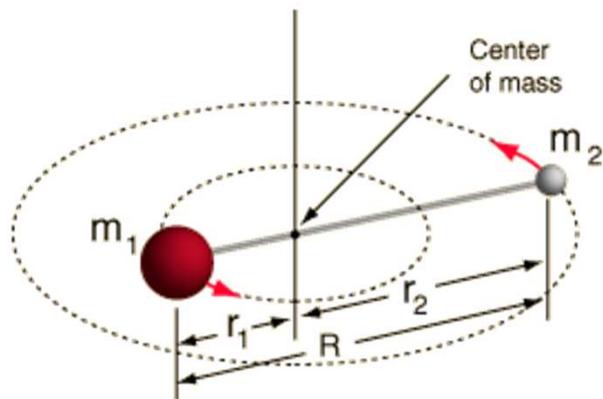
rotational constant

Planck's constant :

$$h = 6.62608 \cdot 10^{-34} \text{ J.S}$$

"in recognition of the services he rendered to the advancement of physics by his discovery of energy quanta",

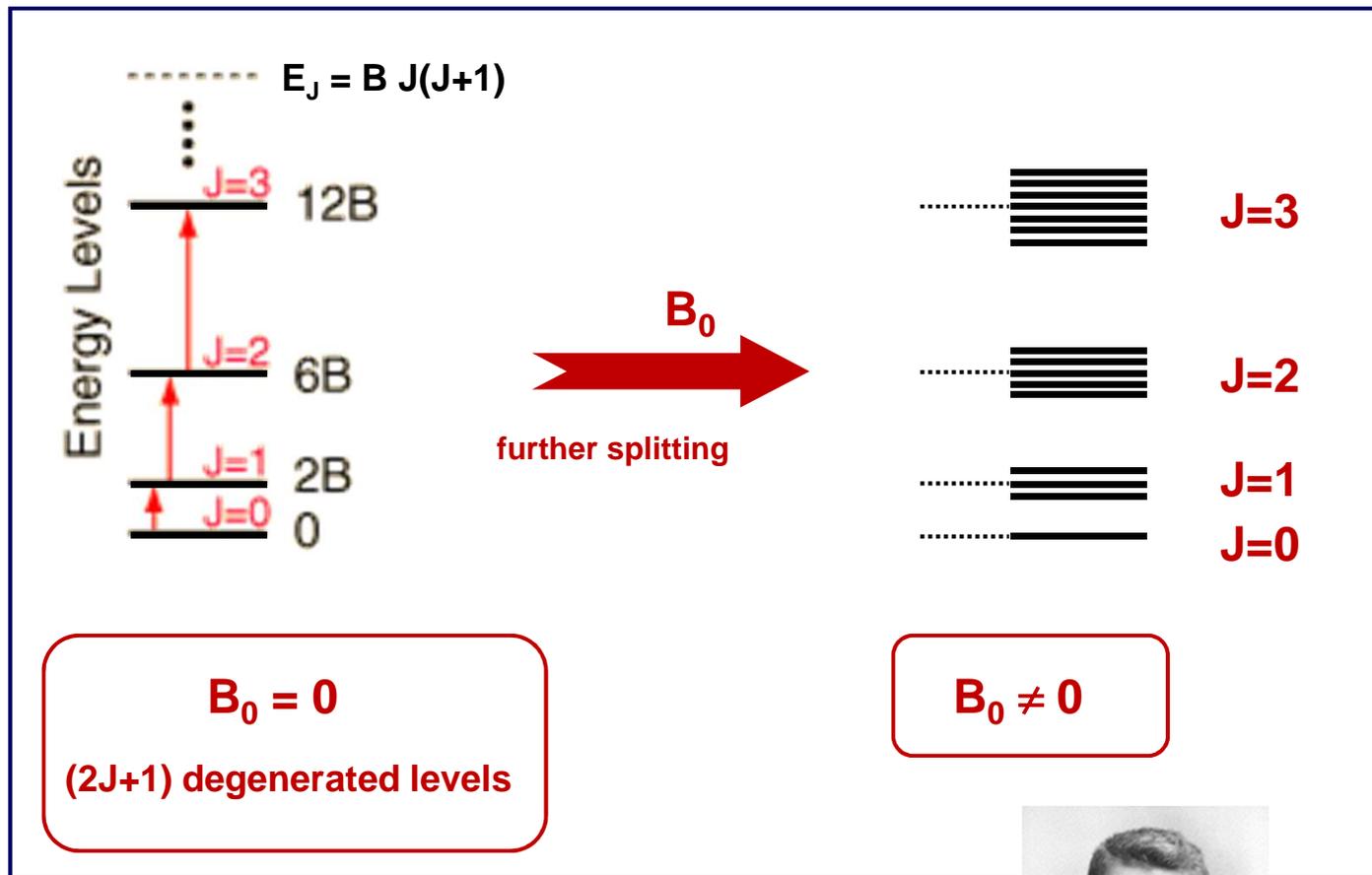
Physics, 1918



$$M_J = -J, -J+1, \dots, +J$$

quantum number (azimuth)

Magnetic field – Zeeman effect



"in recognition of the extraordinary services they rendered by the researches into the influence of magnetism upon radiation phenomena",
Physics, 1902 (with Lorentz)



Spin

↳ angular momentum ⇨ intrinsic property
(p, n, e⁻, photon, muon)

↓

★ $[I(I+1)]^{1/2} \hbar$

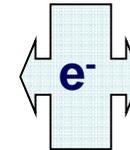
★ deg. 

(2I+1) levels

non deg. 

ex :

ORBITAL angular momentum

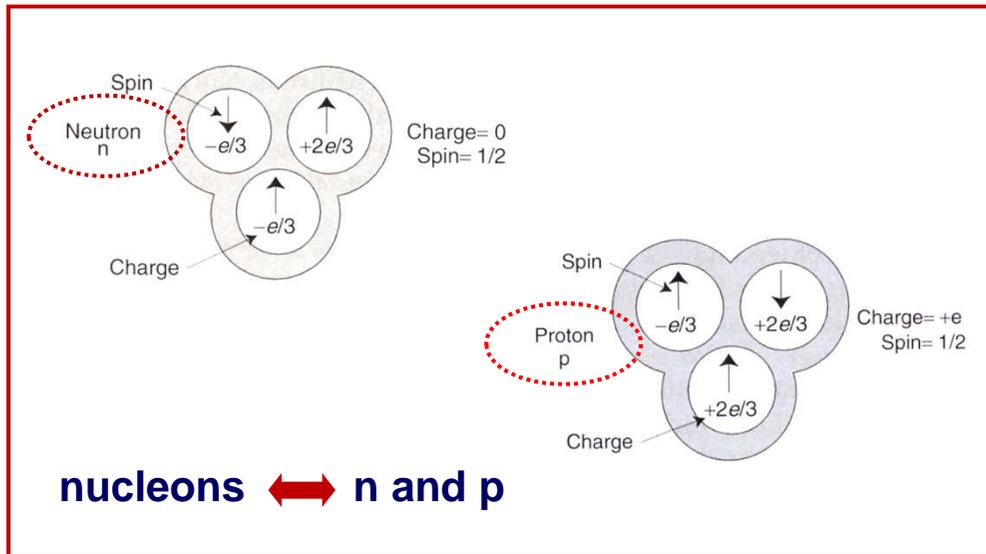


SPIN angular momentum

composition of J_1 and J_2

$$J_3 \in \left\{ \begin{array}{l} |J_1 - J_2| \\ \vdots \\ |J_1 + J_2| \end{array} \right.$$

Atomic structure



atomic nucleus

atomic number: **Z**
(p)

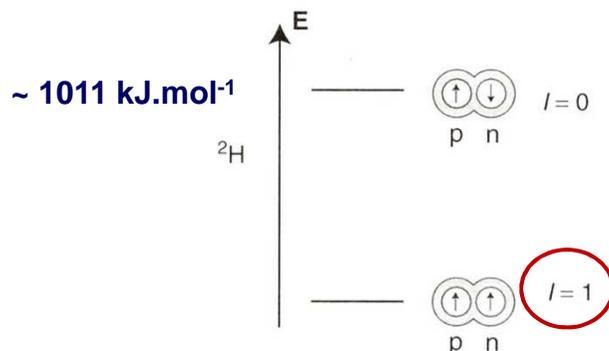
mass number: **A**
(n+p)

isotopes

spin number **I**

nuclear spin:

"combination of p spin
and n spin"



ex :

$${}^{12}\text{C} = 6\text{p} + 6\text{n} \text{ (98.9\%)}$$

$${}^{13}\text{C} = 6\text{p} + 7\text{n} \text{ (1.1\%)}$$

$$({}^{14}\text{C} = 6\text{p} + 8\text{n})$$

nuclear spin of the ground state
here : **I = 1**

Spin

 angular momentum  intrinsic property
(p, n, e⁻, photon, muon)

 $[I(I+1)]^{1/2} \hbar$ and $m_I = -I, -I + 1, \dots, +I$

 \hbar is the quantum of angular momentum
(sometimes $\hbar = 1$)

 deg. 



non deg. 

Spin number I

$I \neq 0 \longrightarrow$ NMR ...

Most abundant isotopes in the periodic table

H																	He	
Li	Be											B	C	N	O	F	Ne	
Na	Mg											Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar	
K	Ca	Sc	Ti	V	Cr	Mn	Fe	Co	Ni	Cu	Zn	Ga	Ge	As	Se	Br	Kr	
Rb	Sr	Y	Zr	Nb	Mo	Tc	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag	Cd	In	Sn	Sb	Te	I	Xe	
Cs	Ba	La	Hf	Ta	W	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au	Hg	Tl	Pb	Bi	Po	At	Rn	
Fr	Ra	Ac																
			Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu		
			Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr		

SPIN-1/2
INTEGER SPINS
HALF-INTEGER QUADRUPOLAR SPINS

odd A \rightarrow half integer I
 even A, even charge \rightarrow I = 0
 even A, odd charge \rightarrow integer I

isotope **^{13}C**
 spin I (m_I)
 natural abundance (%)
 gyromagnetic ratio
 ($\text{rad s}^{-1} \text{T}^{-1}$)

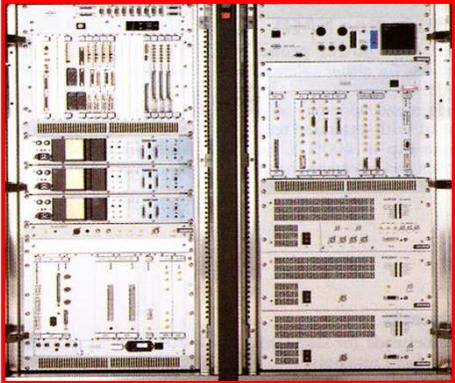
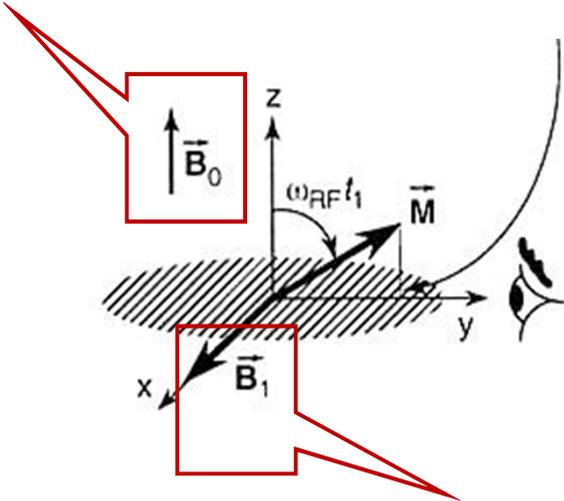
receptivity:

$$D_P = \frac{|\gamma_X|^3 (\%X) (I_X+1) I_X}{\gamma_{1H}^3 (\%^1H) (I_{1H}+1) I_{1H}}$$

^{13}C : I = 1/2 (1.1%)

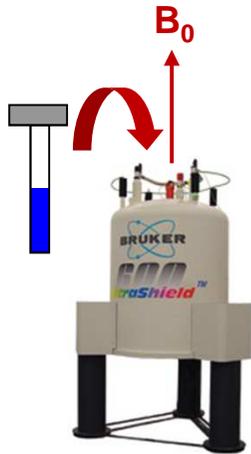
$D_P(^{13}\text{C}) = 0.00017... !$

The NMR experiment

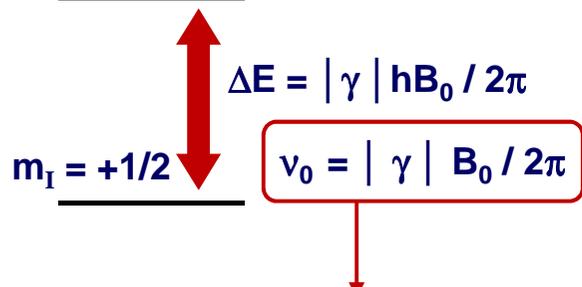


Static B_0 field – Larmor frequency

energy levels

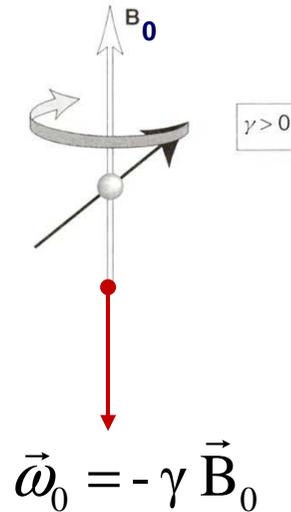


$m_I = -1/2$



LARMOR FREQUENCY

« mechanical » action of B_0



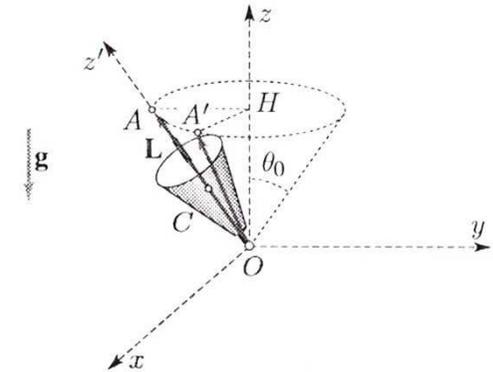
angular momentum theorem:

$$\frac{d\vec{\mu}}{dt} = \gamma \vec{\mu} \wedge \vec{B}_0$$



PRECESSION

mechanical analogy



$$\frac{d\vec{L}}{dt} = \vec{OC} \wedge m\vec{g}$$

Order of magnitudes

B_0 (T)	ν_0 (^1H) (MHz)
7	300
14	600
21	900
23.3	1000



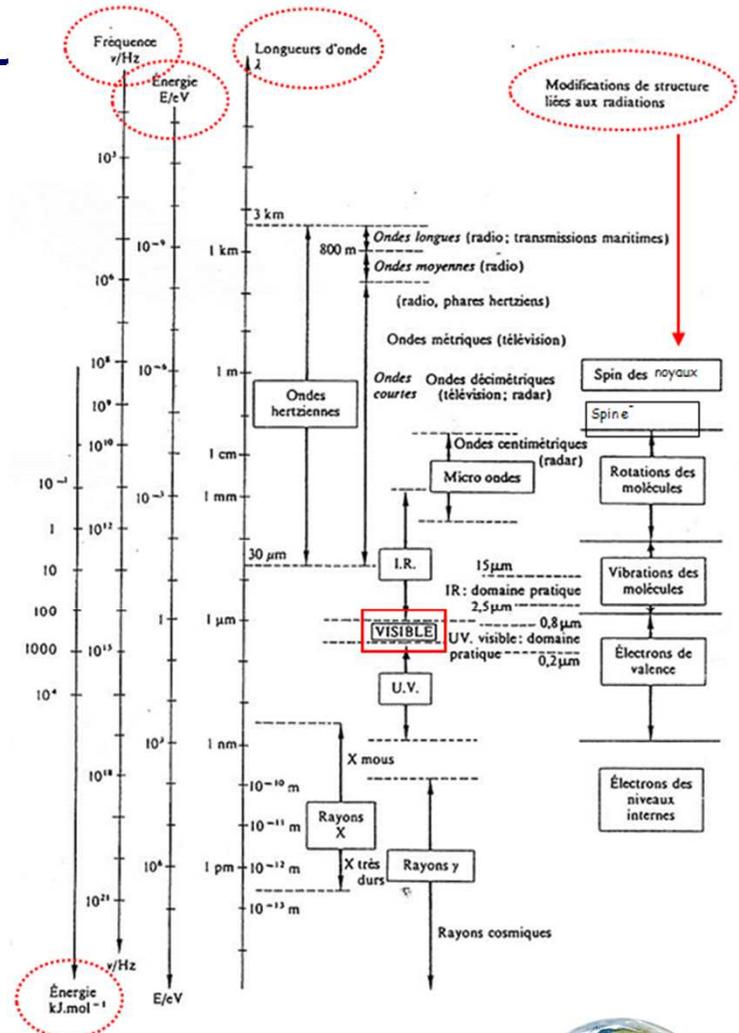
to « work on a: »

^1H : 400 MHz

^{13}C : 100 MHz

^{15}N : 40 MHz

.....



Earth magnetic field

~ 50 mT



Purcell's vision

Resonance Absorption by Nuclear Magnetic Moments in a Solid

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Radiation Laboratory, Massachusetts Institute of Technology,
Cambridge, Massachusetts

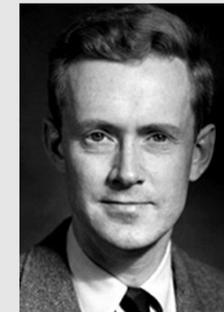
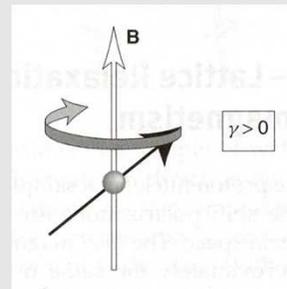
December 24, 1945 (!)

IN the well-known magnetic resonance method for the determination of nuclear magnetic moments by molecular beams,¹ transitions are induced between energy levels which correspond to different orientations of the nuclear spin in a strong, constant, applied magnetic field. We have observed the absorption of radiofrequency energy, due to such transitions, in a *solid* material (paraffin) containing protons. In this case there are two levels, the separation of which corresponds to a frequency, ν , near 30 megacycles/sec., at the magnetic field strength, H , used in our experiment, according to the relation $h\nu = 2\mu H$. Although the difference in population of the two levels is very slight at room temperature ($h\nu/kT \sim 10^{-6}$), the number of nuclei taking part is so large that a measurable effect is to be expected providing thermal equilibrium can be established. If one assumes that the only local fields of importance are caused by the moments of neighboring nuclei, one can show that the imaginary part of the magnetic permeability, at resonance, should be of the order $h\nu/kT$. The absence from this expression of the nuclear moment and the internuclear distance is explained by the fact that the influence of these factors upon absorption cross section per nucleus and density of nuclei is just cancelled by their influence on the width of the observed resonance.

A crucial question concerns the time required for the establishment of thermal equilibrium between spins and



« ... There the snow lay around my doorstep – *great heaps of protons quietly precessing in the Earth's magnetic field.* To see the world for a moment as something rich and strange is the private reward of many discovery ... »



in: *Spin Dynamics*, M. H. Levitt., 2002

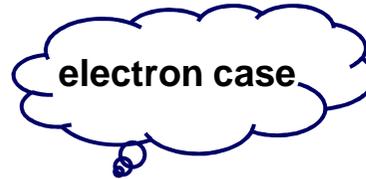
NMR vs EPR



$$\gamma \hbar = g_N \beta_N$$

$$g_N = 5.5855$$

$$\beta_N = e\hbar/(2m_p) \\ = 5.051 \cdot 10^{-27} \text{ J}\cdot\text{T}^{-1}$$



$$g_e = 2.0023$$

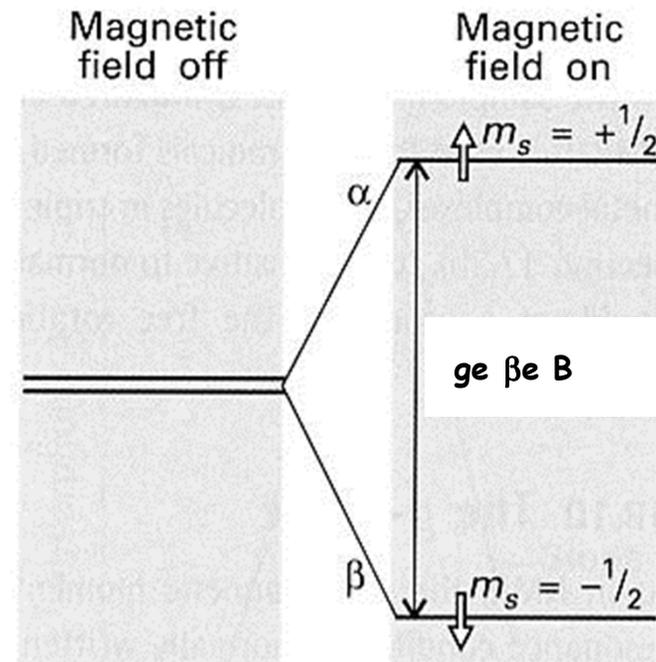
$$\beta_e = e\hbar/(2m_e) \\ = 9.274 \cdot 10^{-24} \text{ J}\cdot\text{T}^{-1}$$

Order of magnitude

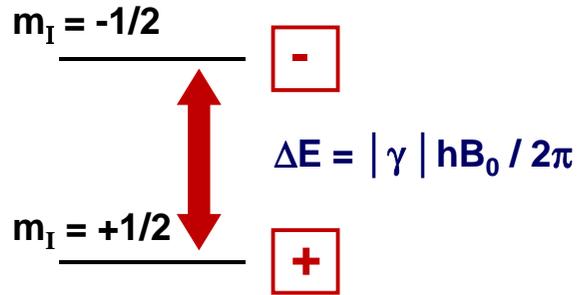
microwaves

$$B \approx 0.3 \text{ T}$$

$$\nu = 9 \text{ GHz} = 9.109 \text{ Hz} ; \lambda \approx 3 \text{ cm}$$



Macroscopic magnetization – T₁ relaxation



F. Bloch

$$\frac{P_-}{P_+} = \exp\left(-\frac{\Delta E}{kT}\right)$$

high T approximation

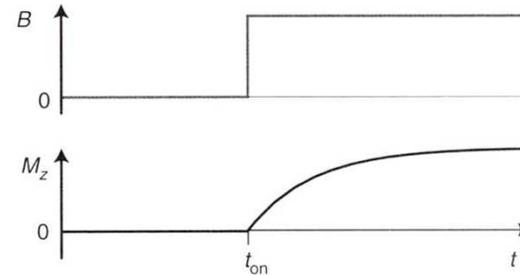
$$\frac{P_-}{P_+} \approx 1 - \frac{\gamma \hbar B_0}{kT}$$

¹H
B₀ = 9.4T
room T
≈ 6.10⁻⁵ !

k: Boltzmann constant

$$1.3806 \cdot 10^{-23} \text{ J.K}^{-1}$$

relaxation



$$M_z = M_{\text{eq}} \cdot (1 - \exp\{-(t - t_{\text{on}})/T_1\})$$

T₁ ~ s, min, h...

Curie's law

$$M_{\text{eq.}} = \frac{N \gamma^2 \hbar^2 B_0 I(I+1)}{12 \pi^2 kT}$$

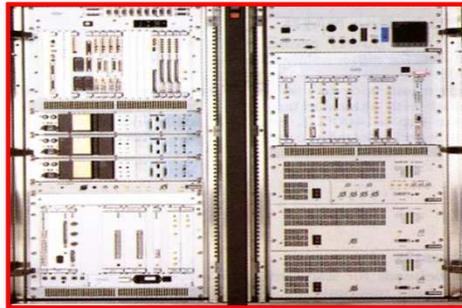
M_{eq.}



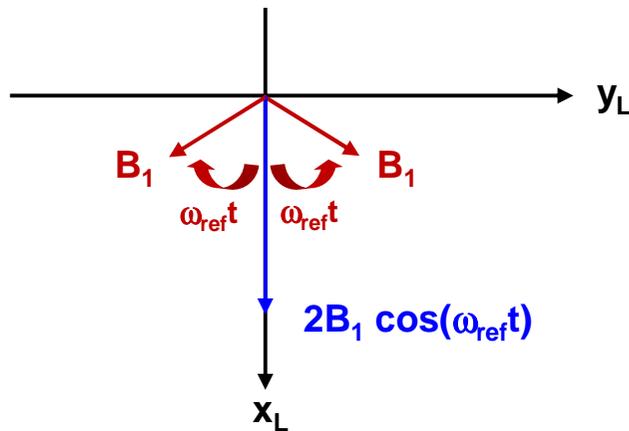
B₀: highest as possible !

B₁ RF field – rotating frame

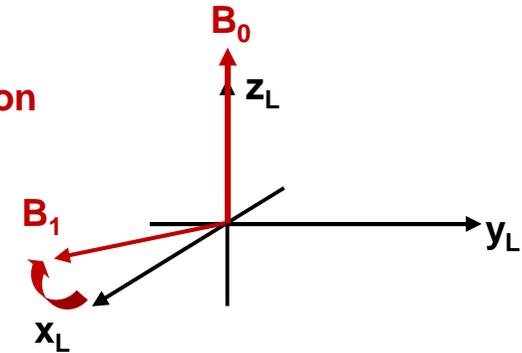
	high resolution NMR	solid state NMR	clinical imaging
B ₁ (Tesla)	5 · 10 ⁻⁴	2 · 10 ⁻³	10 ⁻⁵



oscillating field (along x_L for instance)
 amplitude 2B₁, pulsation ω_{ref}

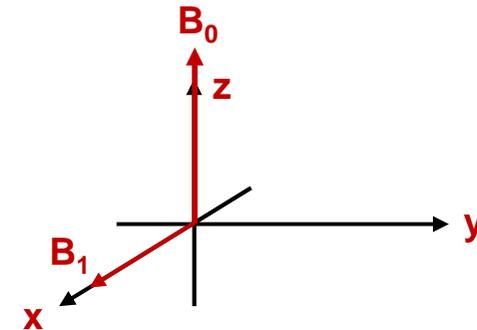


B₀ and B₁ action



$$\frac{d\vec{\mu}}{dt} = \gamma \vec{\mu} \wedge [\vec{B}_0 + \vec{B}_1(t)]$$

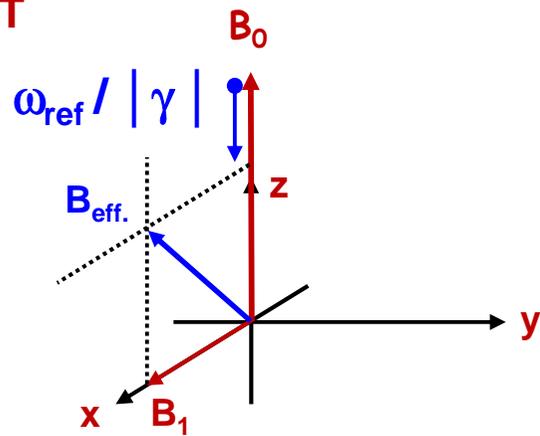
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$$\left(\frac{d\vec{\mu}}{dt}\right)_T = \gamma \vec{\mu} \wedge [\vec{B}_{\text{eff.}}]$$

Resonance

rotating frame T



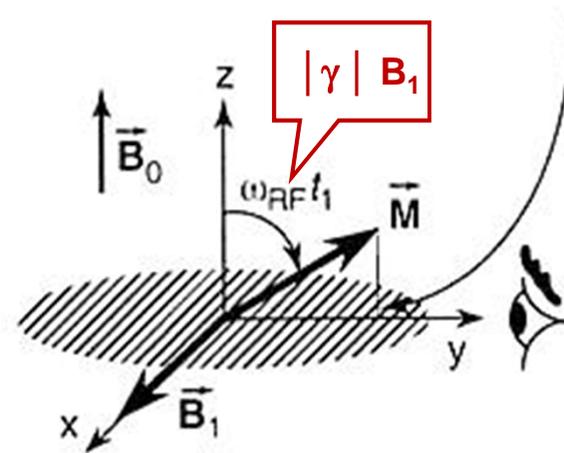
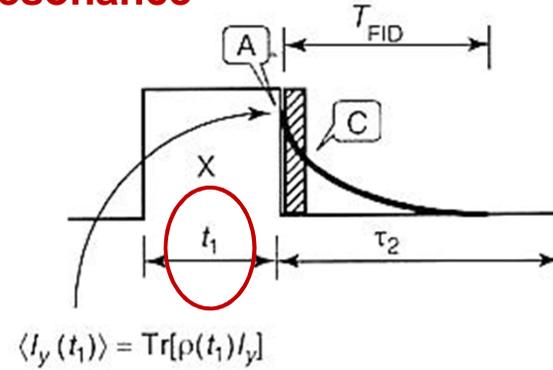
$$\left(\frac{d\vec{\mu}}{dt}\right)_T = \gamma \vec{\mu} \wedge [\vec{B}_{\text{eff.}}]$$

$$\vec{B}_{\text{eff.}} = \left(\vec{B}_0 - \frac{\omega_{\text{ref}}}{\gamma}\right)\vec{z} + \vec{B}_1 \vec{x}$$



nutations around B_{eff}

at resonance



$$\Omega_0 = \omega_0 - \omega_{\text{ref}}$$

rad s⁻¹

Summary

$$\Delta m_I = \pm 1$$

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

magnetic moment

spin angular momentum

gyromagnetic ratio

B_0 (~10T)



$$m_I = -1/2 \quad \boxed{-}$$

$$m_I = +1/2 \quad \boxed{+}$$

$$\Delta E = |\gamma| \hbar B_0 / 2\pi$$

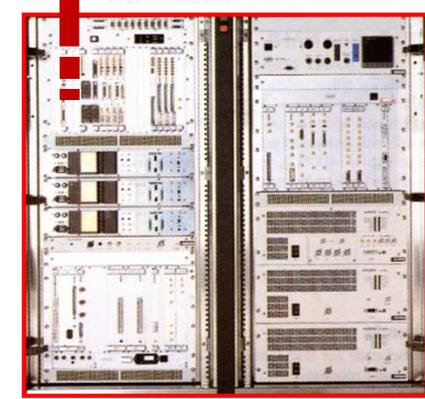
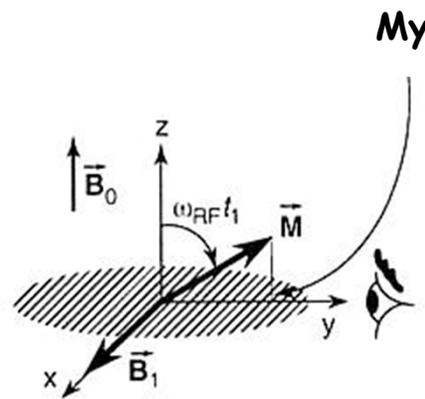
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Méq. ↑



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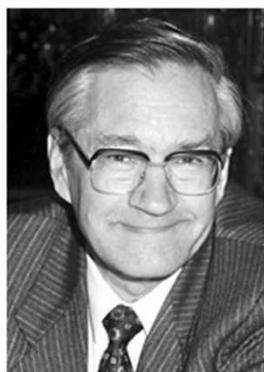


The Nobel Prize in Chemistry 1991
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Nobel Prize Award Ceremony

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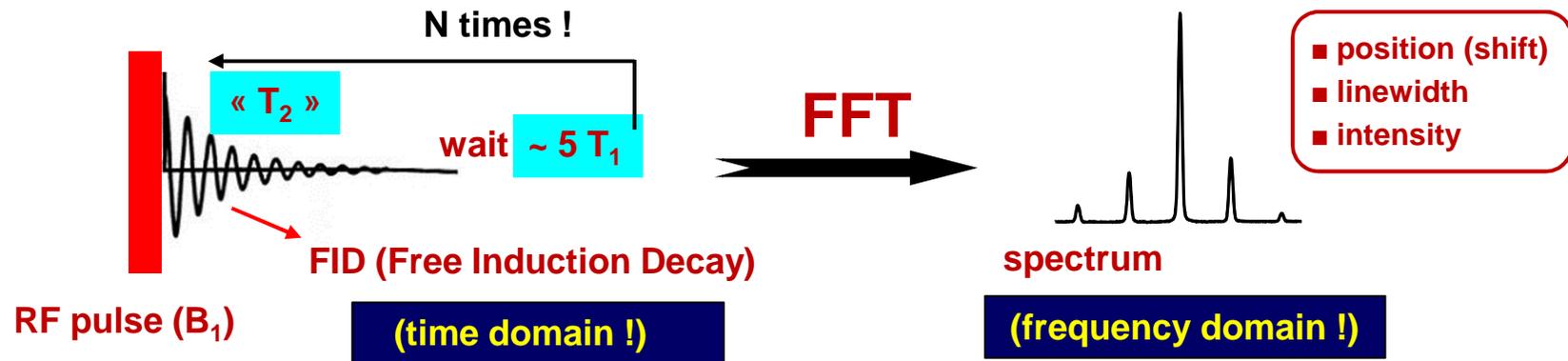
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The Nobel Prize in Chemistry 1991 was awarded to Richard R. Ernst "for his contributions to the development of the methodology of high resolution nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) spectroscopy".

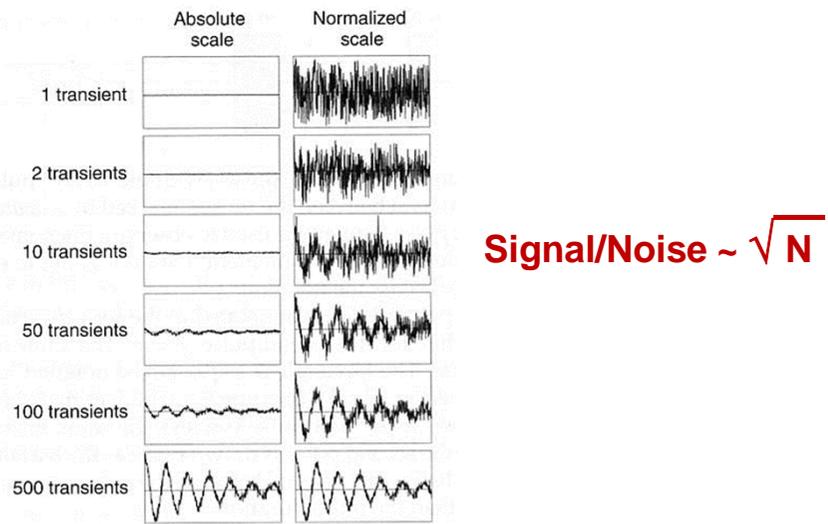
Fourier transform nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) has become the accepted technique for recording NMR spectra in liquids and in solids. Both its superior sensitivity and its versatility have been essential for the remarkable success of NMR in numerous fields from physics to medicine. [The *SCI*® indicates that this paper has been cited in over 330 publications since 1966.]

"Looking back, it is not too astonishing that our paper got many citations. The message is simple and attractive. To the user it saves time and money and for the instrument companies it allowed them to increase returns by the development of new instruments."

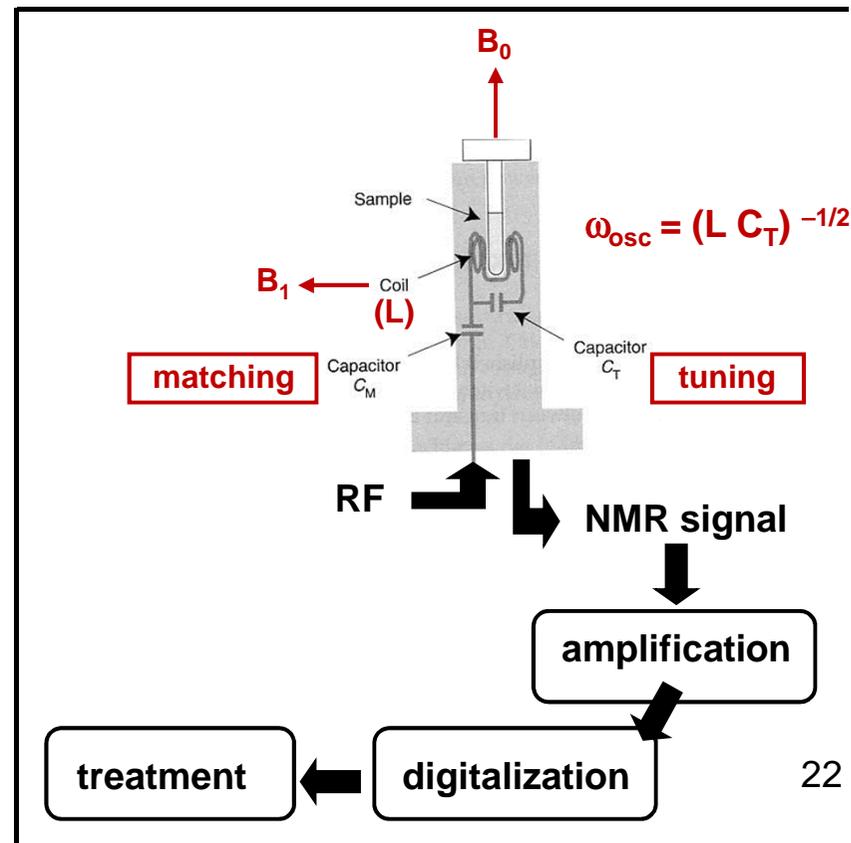
Fourier Transform NMR



back to equilibrium



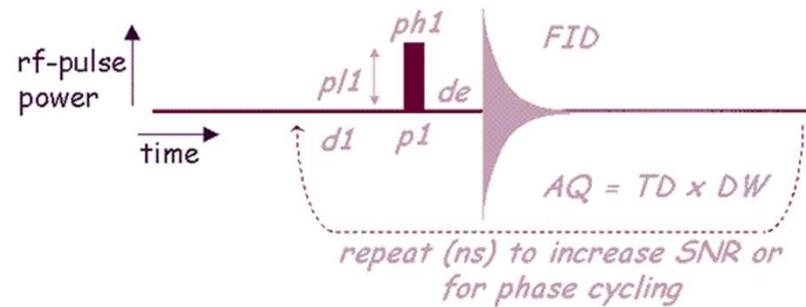
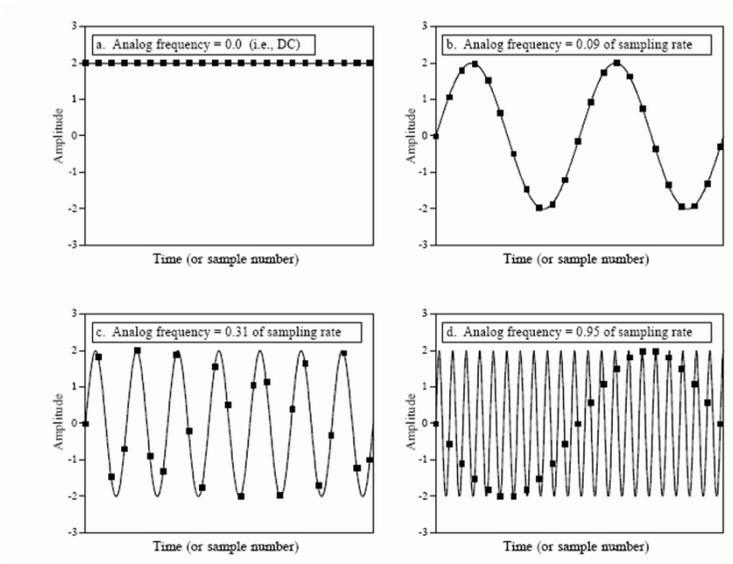
Levitt, Spin dynamics, 2002.



Fourier transformation and data processing

1° digitization

time domain (FID) → frequency (spectrum)



2° discrete FFT (1965, Princeton)



James Cooley

John Tukey

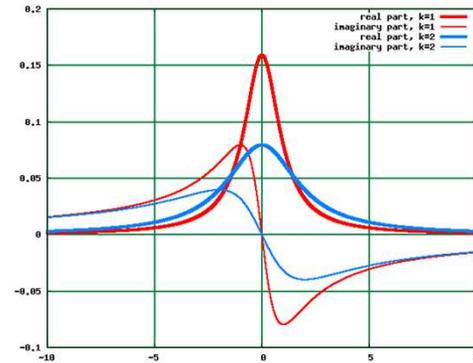
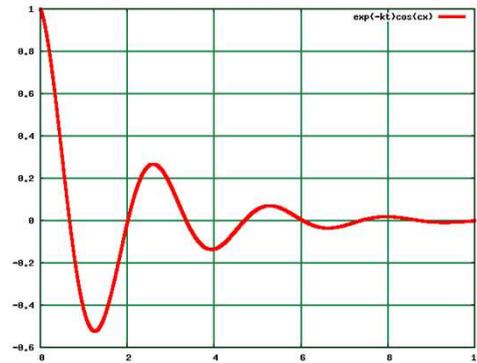
Time Duration		
Finite	Infinite	
Discrete FT (DFT)	Discrete Time FT (DTFT)	discr.
$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n)e^{-j\omega_k n}$	$X(\omega) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} x(n)e^{-j\omega n}$	time
$k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$	$\omega \in [-\pi, +\pi)$	n
Fourier Series (FS)	Fourier Transform (FT)	cont.
$X(k) = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^P x(t)e^{-j\omega_k t} dt$	$X(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$	time
$k = -\infty, \dots, +\infty$	$\omega \in (-\infty, +\infty)$	t
discrete freq. k	continuous freq. ω	

Cooley–Tukey FFT algorithm

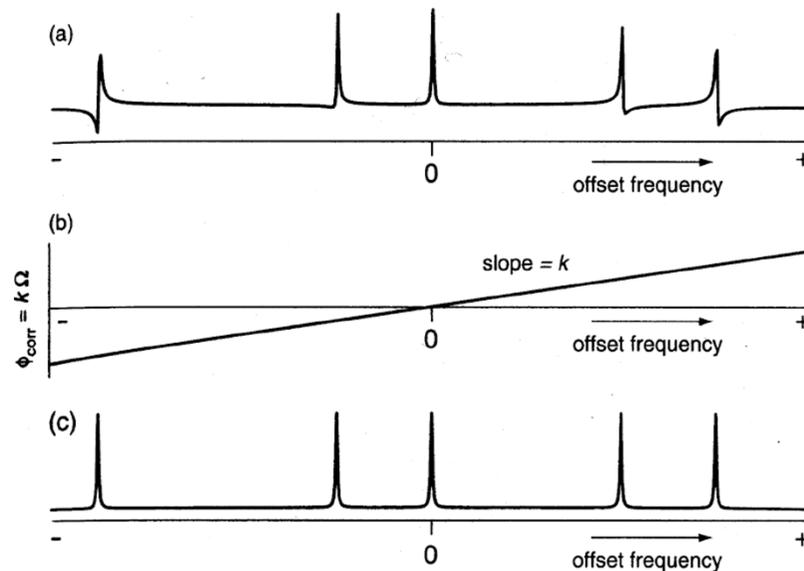
Fourier transformation and data processing

3° lineshape and phase

time domain (FID) \rightarrow frequency (spectrum)

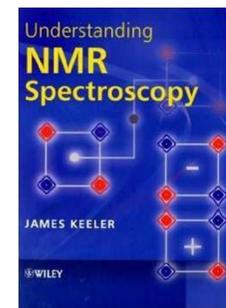


4° phase correction



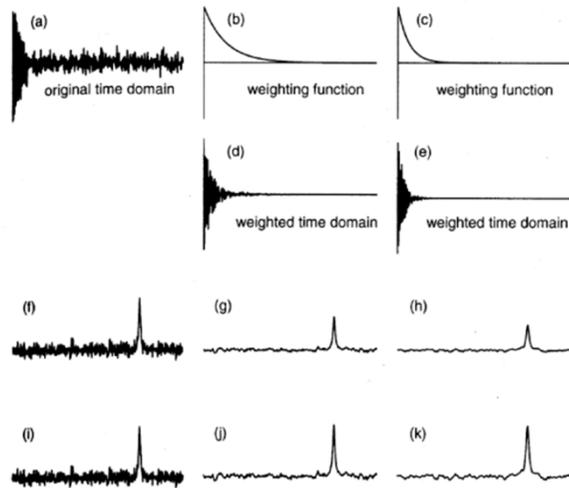
then ... manipulate the FID ?

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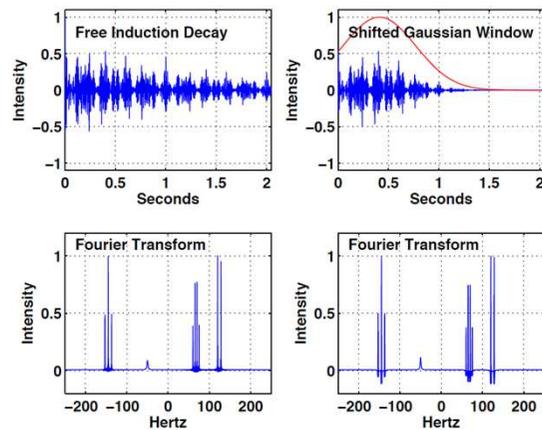


Manipulating the FID

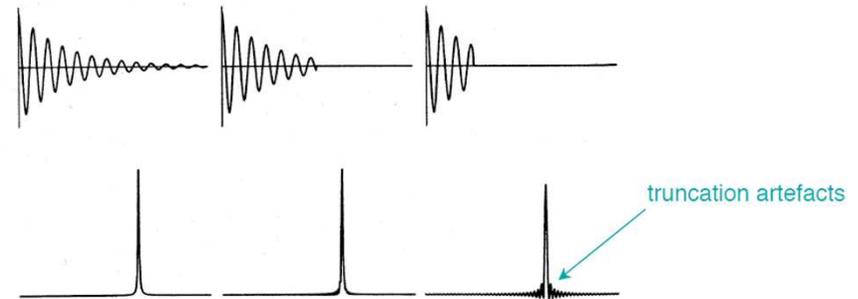
1° weighting functions



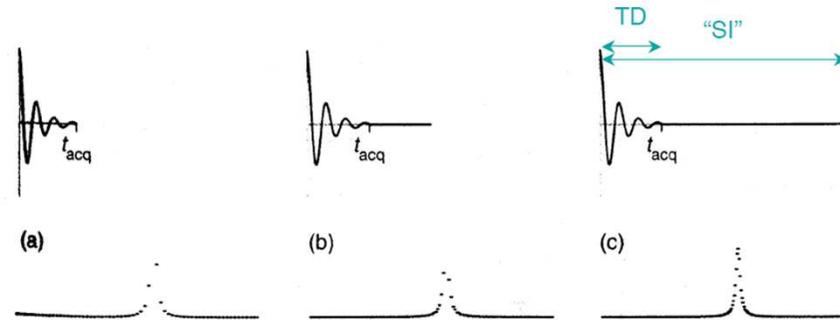
2° other weighting functions



3° truncation



4° zero filling



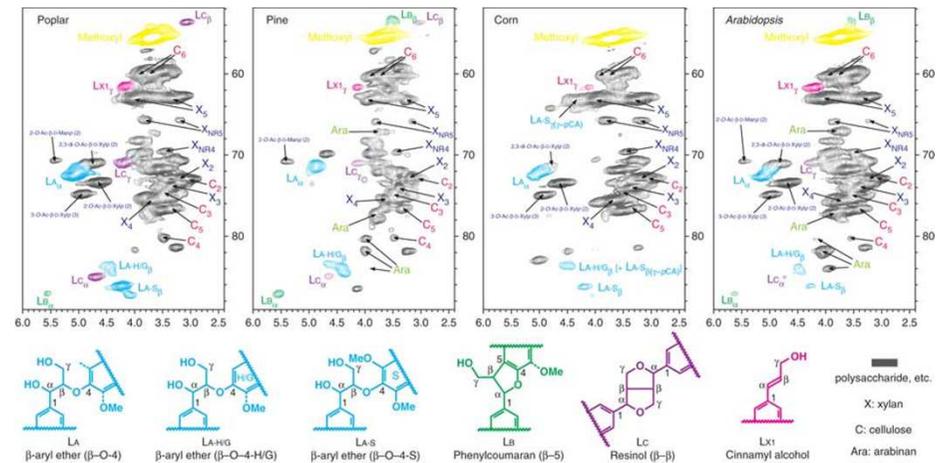
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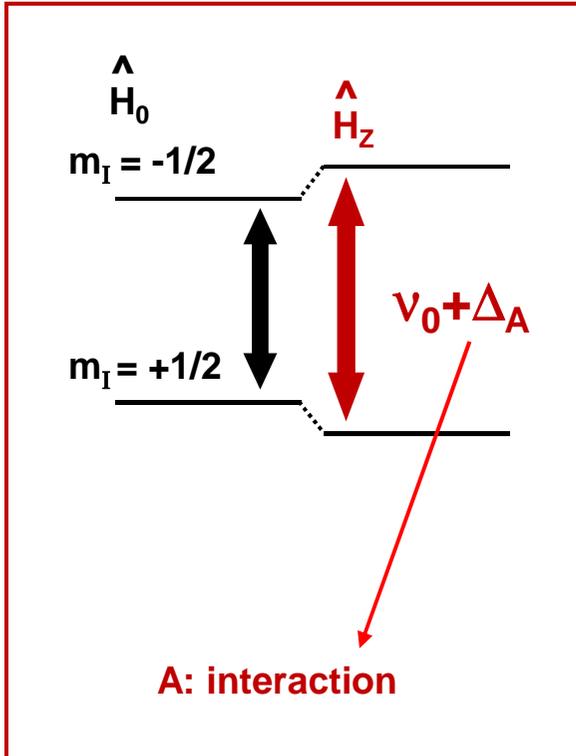
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- Nuclear spin – the NMR experiment
- **Mathematical treatment of NMR**
- Multidimensional NMR
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Quantum mechanics applied to NMR

averages



$$\hat{\rho} = \overline{|\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|}$$

hermitian

$$\hat{\rho} = \hat{\rho}^\dagger$$

$\sim 10^{18}$ spins: density matrix

$$\rho_{ml} = \sum_q p^{(q)} c_m^{(q)} c_l^{(q)*} = \overline{c_m c_l^*}$$

$$\hat{\rho}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} \dots \\ \dots \\ \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

Liouville – von Neumann equation

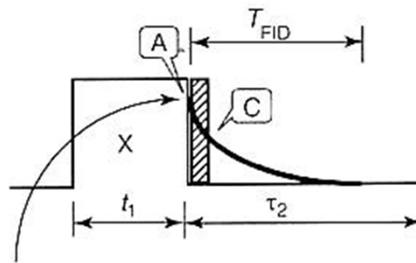
$$\frac{d}{dt} \hat{\rho} = -i [\hat{H}, \hat{\rho}]$$

commutator

$$\langle A \rangle = \sum_{l,m=-j}^j \rho_{ml} A_{lm} = \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho} \hat{A})$$

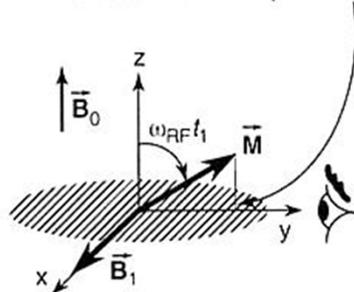
observable

ex: \hat{I}_y

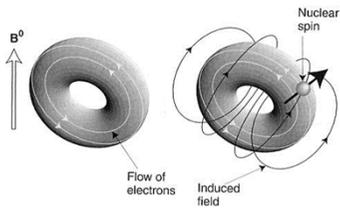


$$\langle I_y(t_1) \rangle = \text{Tr}[\rho(t_1) I_y] \propto \text{Area of the absorption line}$$

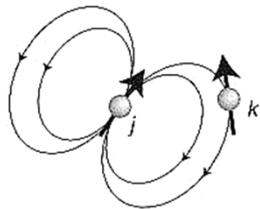
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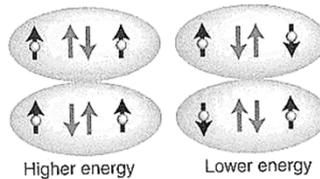
Internal interactions



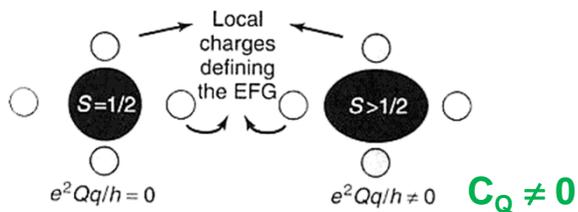
chemical shift : δ



dipolar coupling : D



indirect coupling : J



quadrupolar interaction ($I > 1/2$)

Levitt, Spin dynamics, 2002.
Frydman, Encyclopedia of NMR, supp. Vol., 263.

mathematical treatment

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{int}} = \hbar \hat{\mathbf{I}} \cdot \mathbf{A} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{X}} = \hbar (\hat{I}_x \quad \hat{I}_y \quad \hat{I}_z) \begin{pmatrix} A_{xx} & A_{xy} & A_{xz} \\ A_{yx} & A_{yy} & A_{yz} \\ A_{zx} & A_{zy} & A_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{X}_x \\ \hat{X}_y \\ \hat{X}_z \end{pmatrix}$$

(CS, D, Q...)

nuclear spin operator

A: the interaction
second rank tensor
(assumed)

anisotropy: why ?

$$\begin{pmatrix} & & 0 \\ & & \\ 0 & & \end{pmatrix}$$

diagonal in the PAS
(Principal Axes System)

other spin operator or B_0 ...

$$\begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

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Full NMR hamiltonians in the context of QM



external spin interactions

Zeeman interaction

$$\hat{H}_0 = -\gamma B_0 \hat{I}_z = -\sum \gamma^j B_0 \hat{I}_z^j$$

RF field: ex.

$$\hat{H}_{RF} = -\gamma B_1 \hat{I}_x \text{ for an } x \text{ pulse}$$

$$\hat{H}_{RF} = -\gamma B_1 (-\hat{I}_x) \text{ for an } -x \text{ pulse ...}$$

gradient field

$$\hat{H}_{grad}^j(r, t) = -\gamma^j G_x(t) x \hat{I}_z^j \text{ for gradient } G_x \text{ along } x\text{-axis}$$

$$\hat{H}_{grad}^j(r, t) = -\gamma^j G_y(t) y \hat{I}_z^j \text{ for gradient } G_y \text{ along } y\text{-axis}$$

$$\hat{H}_{grad}^j(r, t) = -\gamma^j G_z(t) z \hat{I}_z^j \text{ for gradient } G_z \text{ along } z\text{-axis}$$

"in recognition of the extraordinary services they rendered by the researches into the influence of magnetism upon radiation phenomena",
Physics, 1902 (with Lorentz)

Full NMR hamiltonians in the context of QM

★ internal spin interactions

chemical shift $\hat{H}_{cs} = \gamma \hat{\mathbf{I}} \sigma \vec{\mathbf{B}}_0 = \gamma (\hat{I}_x \sigma_{xz}^{LF} + \hat{I}_y \sigma_{yz}^{LF} + \hat{I}_z \sigma_{zz}^{LF}) B_0.$

indirect J coupling $\hat{H}_J = 2\pi \hat{\mathbf{I}}_j \mathbf{J} \hat{\mathbf{I}}_k$

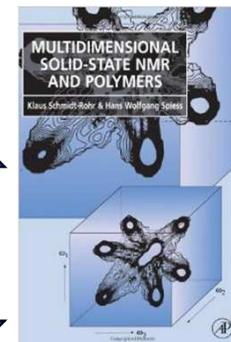
dipolar coupling
$$\hat{H}_D = -\frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \hbar \sum_{\text{all } j,k \text{ pairs}} \sum \gamma_j \gamma_k \frac{3(\hat{\mathbf{I}}^j \cdot \vec{\mathbf{r}}_{jk}/r_{jk})(\hat{\mathbf{I}}^k \cdot \vec{\mathbf{r}}_{jk}/r_{jk}) - \hat{\mathbf{I}}^j \cdot \hat{\mathbf{I}}^k}{(r_{jk})^3}$$

$$=: \sum_{\text{all } j,k \text{ pairs}} \sum \hat{\mathbf{I}}^j \mathbf{D}^{jk} \hat{\mathbf{I}}^k$$

$$\omega_d := \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \hbar \frac{\gamma_1 \gamma_2}{(r_{1,2})^3} = 2\pi \text{ 122 kHz} \frac{\gamma_1}{\gamma^{1\text{H}}} \frac{\gamma_2}{\gamma^{1\text{H}}} \frac{1}{(r_{1,2}/1 \text{ \AA})^3}$$

internuclear distance !

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Full NMR hamiltonians in the context of QM

quadrupolar interaction

$$\hat{H}_Q = \frac{eQ}{2I(2I-1)\hbar} \hat{\mathbf{I}}\mathbf{V}\hat{\mathbf{I}}.$$

◆ CSA: it depends...

..... $\propto B_0$

◆ D: up to ~ 30 kHz !

..... ind. B_0

◆ Q: up to MHz !

{ ind. B_0 . (1st)
1/ B_0 (2nd)

◆ J: few 100^s Hz

..... ind. B_0

Truncated NMR hamiltonians – secular parts

★ internal spin interactions

chemical shift

$$\hat{H}_{\text{cs}} = \gamma \hat{I}_z \sigma_{zz}^{\text{LF}} B_0$$

dipolar coupling

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{H}_{\text{D}}^{S,I} &= \sum_j \sum_k \hat{I}_z^j (\mathbf{D}_{\text{LF}}^{jk})_{zz} \hat{S}_z^k \\ &= -\frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \hbar \sum_j \sum_k \frac{\gamma^I \gamma^S}{r_{jk}^3} \frac{1}{2} (3 \cos^2(\theta_{jk}) - 1) 2\hat{I}_z^j \hat{S}_z^k. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{H}_{\text{D}}^{II} &= \sum_j \sum_{k < j} \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{D}_{\text{LF}}^{jk})_{zz} (3\hat{I}_z^j \hat{I}_z^k - \hat{\mathbf{I}}^j \cdot \hat{\mathbf{I}}^k) \\ &= -\frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \hbar \sum_j \sum_{k < j} \frac{\gamma^2}{r_{jk}^3} \frac{1}{2} (3 \cos^2(\theta_{jk}) - 1) (3\hat{I}_z^j \hat{I}_z^k - \hat{\mathbf{I}}^j \cdot \hat{\mathbf{I}}^k). \end{aligned}$$

quadrupolar coupling

$$\hat{H}_{\text{Q}} = \frac{eQ}{2I(2I-1)\hbar} V_{zz}^{\text{LF}} \frac{1}{2} (3\hat{I}_z \hat{I}_z - \hat{\mathbf{I}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{I}})$$

Action of hamiltonians: "pushing" the density operator !

★ density operator at equilibrium
(high T approximation)

$$\hat{\rho}_{\text{cq}} \sim \left(\hat{1} + \frac{\hbar\gamma B_0}{kT} \hat{I}_z \right)$$

★ Liouville – von Neumann equation

$$\frac{d}{dt} \hat{\rho} = -i [\hat{H}, \hat{\rho}]$$

commutator

★ If... H independent of t

$$\hat{\rho}(t) = e^{-i\hat{H}t} \hat{\rho}(0) e^{i\hat{H}t}$$

unitary operator

**Nineteen Dubious Ways to
Compute the Exponential of a
Matrix, Twenty-Five Years
Later***

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$$e^{tA} = I + tA + \frac{t^2 A^2}{2!} + \dots$$

$$e^{tB} e^{tC} = e^{t(B+C)} \Leftrightarrow BC = CB.$$

$$e^{B+C} = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} (e^{B/m} e^{C/m})^m.$$

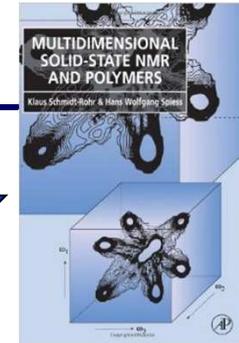
Exponential of a diagonal matrix

If A is diagonalizable then $A = PDP^{-1}$ and

$$\begin{aligned} e^{At} &= I + tA + \frac{t^2 A^2}{2!} + \dots \\ &= PP^{-1} + tPDP^{-1} + t^2 \frac{PDP^{-1}PDP^{-1}}{2!} + \dots \\ &= P\left(I + tD + \frac{t^2 D^2}{2!} + \dots\right)P^{-1} = Pe^{Dt}P^{-1} \\ &= P \begin{pmatrix} e^{\sigma_1 t} & 0 & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & e^{\sigma_2 t} & \dots & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & e^{\sigma_n t} \end{pmatrix} P^{-1}. \end{aligned}$$

Matrices of spin operators

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ex. $I = \frac{1}{2}$ (Pauli spin matrices)

$$\hat{\mathbf{I}}_z = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{I}}_x = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{I}}_y = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

hermitian matrices

$$\hat{\mathbf{A}} = \hat{\mathbf{A}}^\dagger$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} =: \frac{1}{4} \hat{\mathbf{1}}$$

ex. $I \neq \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow$ rules

$$(2I + 1) \times (2I + 1)$$

$$(\mathbf{I}_z)_{m', m} = \langle m' | \hat{I}_z | m \rangle = \langle m' | m | m \rangle = m \delta_{m', m}$$

$$(\mathbf{I}_x \pm i\mathbf{I}_y)_{m', m} = \langle m' | \hat{I}^\pm | m \rangle = \sqrt{I(I + 1) - m(m \pm 1)} \delta_{m', m \pm 1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\mathbf{I}_x)_{m', m} = (\pm i\mathbf{I}_y)_{m', m} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{I(I + 1) - m(m \pm 1)} \delta_{m', m \pm 1}$$

A first example of application

ex. $I = \frac{1}{2}$ (**Pauli spin matrices**)

start $\rightarrow \hat{\mathbf{H}} = \omega_0 \hat{\mathbf{I}}_z \quad (\omega_0 = -\gamma \mathbf{B}_0)$

$$\hat{\rho}(0) = \hat{\mathbf{I}}_x = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\mathbf{H} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}\omega_0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2}\omega_0 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$\hat{\rho}(t) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \cdot e^{-i\omega_0 t} \\ 1 \cdot e^{i\omega_0 t} & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \hat{\mathbf{I}}_x \cos \omega_0 t + \hat{\mathbf{I}}_y \sin \omega_0 t$$

$$\hat{\rho}(t) = \hat{I}_x \cos \omega_0 t + \hat{I}_y \sin \omega_0 t \quad \rightarrow \quad f(t) = \cos \omega_0 t + i \sin \omega_0 t = \exp(i\omega_0 t).$$

$$f(t) \sim \text{tr}\{\rho(t) \hat{\mathbf{I}}^+\}.$$

$I > 1/2$

ex. $I = 1$ (^2H , ^{14}N)

$$\hat{\mathbf{I}}_z = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \hat{\mathbf{I}}_x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \hat{\mathbf{I}}_y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -i & 0 \\ i & 0 & -i \\ 0 & i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{H}}_Q = \frac{\omega_Q}{3} (3\hat{\mathbf{I}}_z\hat{\mathbf{I}}_z - I(I+1)\hat{\mathbf{1}}) = \frac{\omega_Q}{3} \left(3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\omega_Q}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

where the prefactor of the matrix is given by:

$$\frac{\omega_Q}{3} = \frac{eQeq}{4\hbar} \frac{1}{2} (3 \cos^2\theta - 1 - \eta_Q \sin^2\theta \cos 2\phi)$$

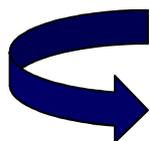
$$\hat{\rho}(0) = \hat{\mathbf{I}}_x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\hat{\mathbf{H}}_Q}$$

$$\hat{\rho}(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \exp(-i\omega_Q t) & 0 \\ \exp(i\omega_Q t) & 0 & \exp(i\omega_Q t) \\ 0 & \exp(-i\omega_Q t) & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho}(t) = \hat{\mathbf{I}}_x \cos \omega_Q t - i \frac{\hat{\mathbf{I}}_y}{\omega_Q} \sin \omega_Q t$$

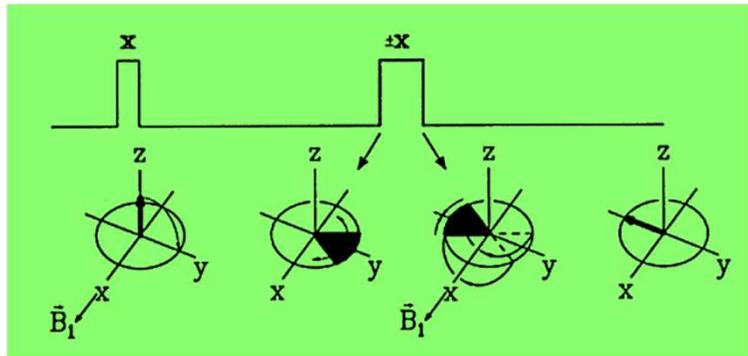
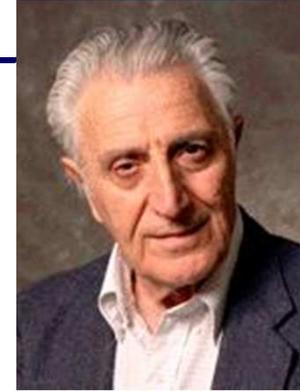
$$f(t) \sim \text{tr} \{ \rho(t) \hat{\mathbf{I}}^+ \}$$

$$\cos(\omega_Q t) = \frac{1}{2} \exp(i\omega_Q t) + \frac{1}{2} \exp(-i\omega_Q t) \xrightarrow{\text{FT}} \frac{1}{2} \delta(\omega - \omega_Q) + \frac{1}{2} \delta(\omega + \omega_Q)$$



2 spectral lines !

Effect of RF pulses – Hahn echo (1950)



start

$$\hat{\rho}(t) = \hat{U}(t) \hat{\rho}(0) \hat{U}^{-1}(t).$$

$$\hat{U}(2t_e) = e^{-i\omega\hat{S}_z t_e} e^{i\pi\hat{S}_x} e^{-i\omega\hat{S}_z t_e}$$

precess pulse precess

$$= e^{-i\omega\hat{S}_z t_e} e^{i\pi\hat{S}_x} e^{-i\omega\hat{S}_z t_e} \overbrace{\exp(-i\pi\hat{S}_x) \exp(i\pi\hat{S}_x)}^{\hat{I} \text{ inserted}}$$

$$= e^{-i\omega\hat{S}_z t_e} e^{i\omega\hat{S}_z t_e} e^{i\pi\hat{S}_x} = e^{i\pi\hat{S}_x}$$

$= \hat{I}$

$$\hat{P} = e^{i\pi\hat{S}_x}$$

$$\hat{P} \exp(\hat{A}) \hat{P}^{-1} = \exp(\hat{P} \hat{A} \hat{P}^{-1})$$

$$\hat{\rho}(2t_e) = \hat{\rho}(0)$$

Product operators (PO) formalism

PRODUCT OPERATOR FORMALISM FOR THE DESCRIPTION OF NMR PULSE EXPERIMENTS

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1. INTRODUCTION

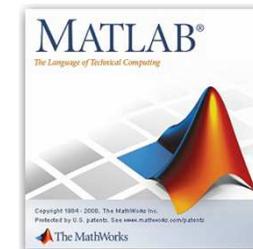
In recent years, an astonishing variety of pulse techniques has been developed with the aim of enhancing the information content or the sensitivity of NMR spectra in both solution and solid phases.^(1–39) For the design and analysis of new techniques two approaches have been pursued in the field of “spin engineering”. Many of the original concepts were based on simplified *classical or semiclassical vector models* which have inherently severe limitations for describing more sophisticated techniques; for example, those involving multiple quantum coherence. On the other hand, for a full analysis of arbitrarily complex pulse experiments applied to large spin systems, the heavy machinery of *density operator theory* has been put into action, often at the expense of physical intuition.

We present here an approach which follows a middle course. It is founded on density operator theory but retains the intuitive concepts of the classical or semiclassical vector models. The formalism systematically uses product operators to represent the state of the spin system.

Finally, we treat in Sections 12–15 some examples involving coherence transfer such as two-dimensional correlation spectroscopy, relayed magnetization transfer, multiple quantum filters, 2D exchange spectroscopy, and systems with non-uniform spin temperature in the context of flip angle effects.

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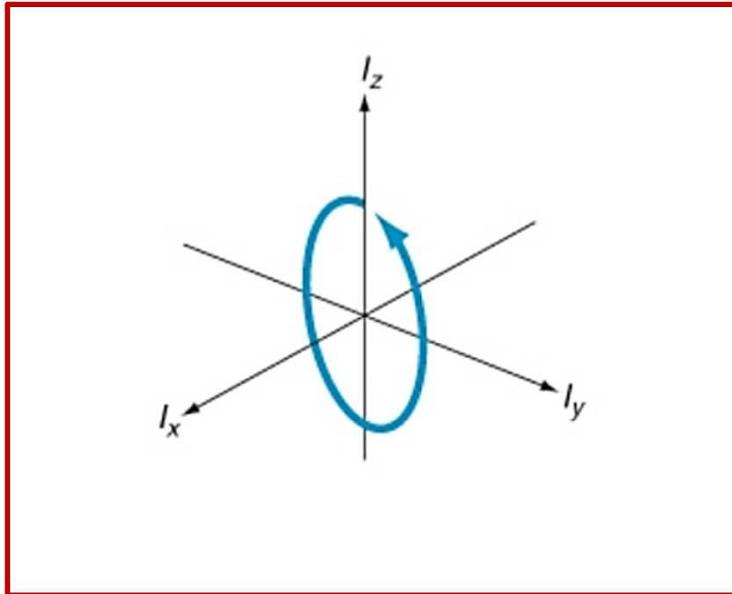
- complete QM approach
- clear physical meaning of operators
- geometrical rotations
- can be implemented in



weak coupling – very short RF pulses – clear distinction between RF and free precession – no relaxation – $I = \frac{1}{2}$ (or not ...)

Product operators (PO) formalism

ex. one-spin system



$$\hat{I}_z \xrightarrow{\beta \hat{I}_x} \hat{I}_z \cos(\beta) - \hat{I}_y \sin(\beta)$$

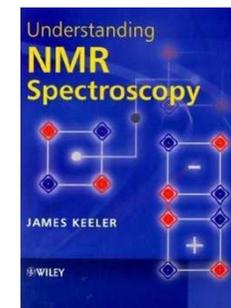
$$\hat{I}_z \xrightarrow{\beta \hat{I}_y} \hat{I}_z \cos(\beta) + \hat{I}_x \sin(\beta)$$

chemical shift

$$\hat{I}_x \xrightarrow{\omega_I t \hat{I}_z} \hat{I}_x \cos(\omega_I t) + \hat{I}_y \sin(\omega_I t)$$

$$\hat{I}_y \xrightarrow{\omega_I t \hat{I}_z} \hat{I}_y \cos(\omega_I t) - \hat{I}_x \sin(\omega_I t)$$

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Product operators (PO) formalism

ex. two-spins system or more ...

indirect J coupling

$$\hat{I}_x \xrightarrow{(\pi J t) \hat{I}_z \hat{S}_z} \hat{I}_x \cos(\pi J t) + \hat{I}_y \hat{S}_z \sin(\pi J t)$$

- \hat{I}_z - longitudinal magnetization of I
- \hat{I}_x - in-phase x-magnetization of I
- \hat{I}_y - in-phase y-magnetization of I
- \hat{S}_z - longitudinal magnetization of S
- \hat{S}_x - in-phase x-magnetization of S
- \hat{S}_y - in-phase y-magnetization of S
- $2\hat{I}_x \hat{S}_z$ - x-magnetization of I antiphase with respect to S
- $2\hat{I}_y \hat{S}_z$ - y-magnetization of I antiphase with respect to S
- $2\hat{I}_z \hat{S}_x$ - x-magnetization of S antiphase with respect to I
- $2\hat{I}_z \hat{S}_y$ - y-magnetization of S antiphase with respect to I
- $2\hat{I}_x \hat{S}_x$ - two spin coherence
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- $2\hat{I}_y \hat{S}_x$ - two spin coherence
- $2\hat{I}_y \hat{S}_y$ - two spin coherence
- $2\hat{I}_z \hat{S}_z$ - longitudinal two-spin order
- $4\hat{I}_x \hat{I}_z \hat{S}_z$ - x-magnetization of spin I in antiphase with respect to spins J and S
- $4\hat{I}_x \hat{I}_y \hat{S}_z$ - two-spin coherence of spins I and J in antiphase with respect to spin S
- $4\hat{I}_x \hat{I}_x \hat{S}_x$ - three-spin coherence
- $4\hat{I}_z \hat{I}_z \hat{S}_z$ - longitudinal three-spin order
- $\hat{E}/2$ - unity operator

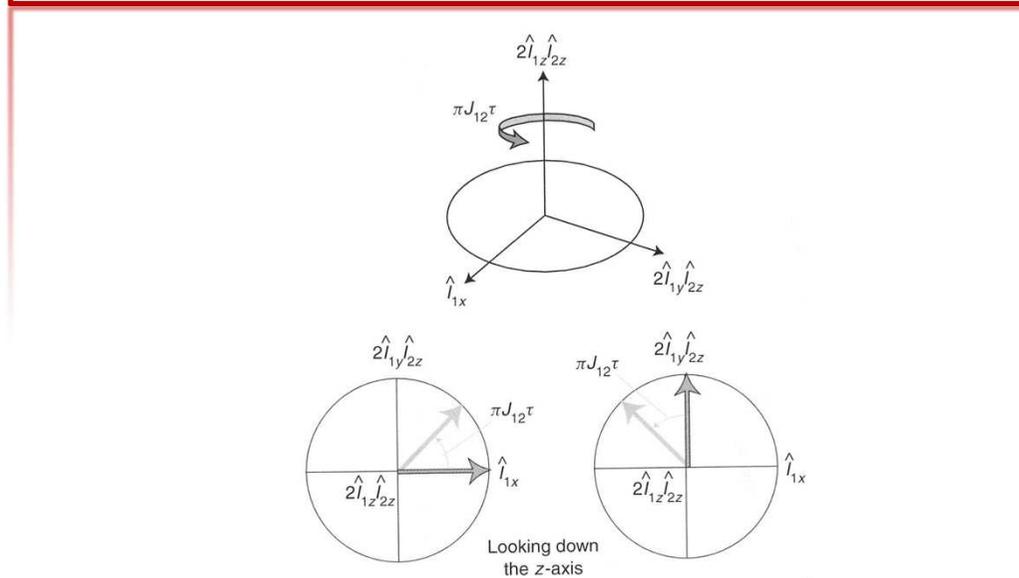
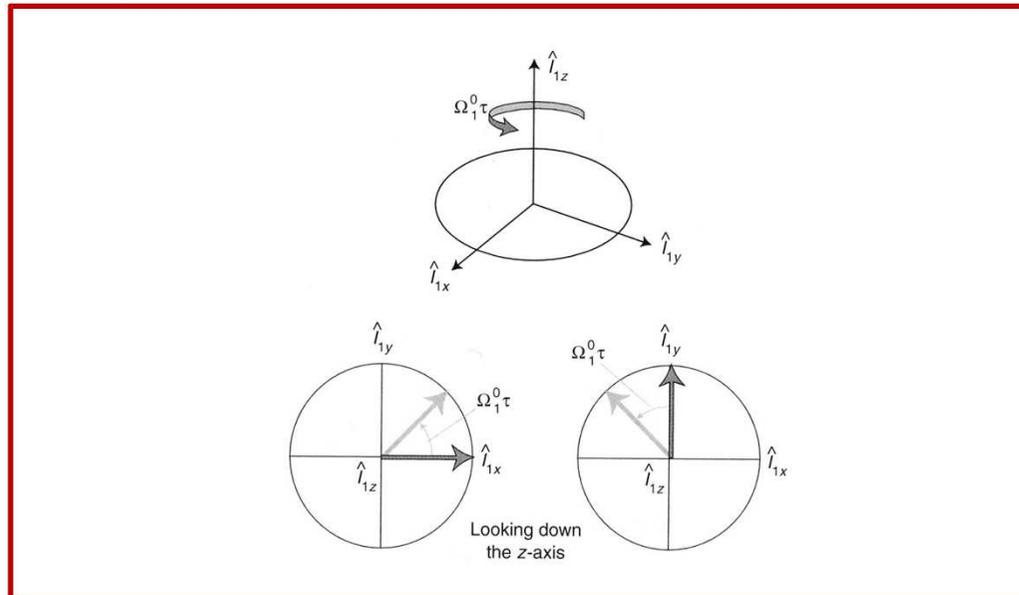
evolution under ... **target**

	\hat{I}_z	\hat{I}_x	\hat{I}_y	\hat{S}_z	\hat{S}_y	\hat{S}_x	$2\hat{I}_z \hat{S}_z$
\hat{I}_z							
\hat{I}_x		$-\hat{I}_y$	\hat{I}_x				$2\hat{I}_y \hat{S}_z$
\hat{I}_y	$-\hat{I}_x$	\hat{I}_z					$-2\hat{I}_x \hat{S}_z$
\hat{S}_z					$-\hat{S}_y$	\hat{S}_x	$\hat{E}/2$
\hat{S}_x				\hat{S}_y		$-\hat{S}_z$	$2\hat{I}_z \hat{S}_y$
\hat{S}_y				$-\hat{S}_x$	\hat{S}_z		$-2\hat{I}_z \hat{S}_x$
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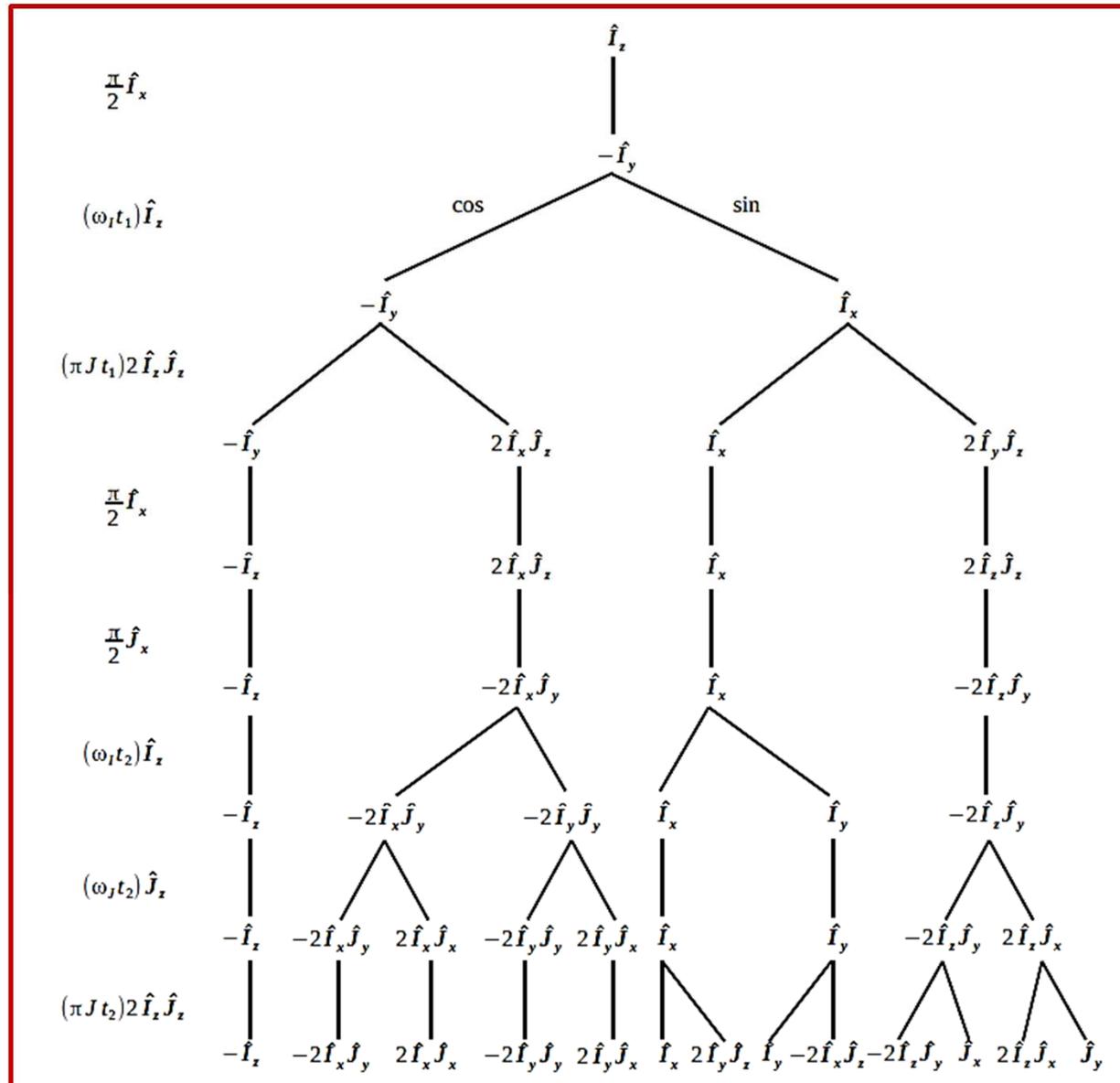
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Product operators (PO) formalism

geometrical description



Product operators tree: speeding things up ...



Fundamental blocks in NMR

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generation of anti-phase terms

$$\hat{I}_{1x} \xrightarrow{2\pi J_{12}\tau \hat{I}_{1z}\hat{I}_{2z}} \cos(\pi J_{12}\tau) \hat{I}_{1x} + \sin(\pi J_{12}\tau) 2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2z}$$
$$\tau = 1/(2J_{12})$$

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Boston, 2014

The Basic Building Blocks
of NMR Pulse Sequences

James Keeler

James Keeler

back in phase

$$2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2z} \xrightarrow{2\pi J_{12}\tau \hat{I}_{1z}\hat{I}_{2z}} \cos(\pi J_{12}\tau) 2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2z} - \sin(\pi J_{12}\tau) \hat{I}_{1x}$$

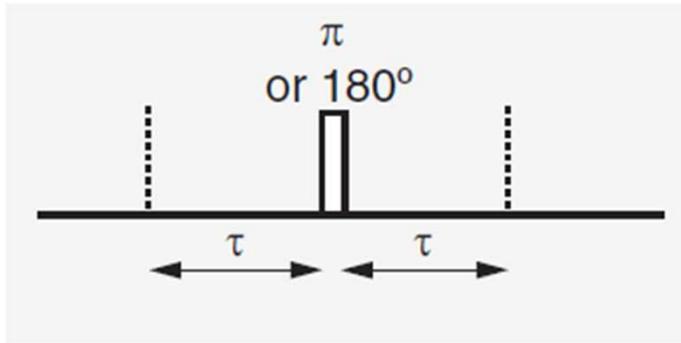
coherence transfer

$$\underbrace{2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2z}}_{\text{on spin 1}} \xrightarrow{(\pi/2)\hat{I}_{1x}} 2\hat{I}_{1z}\hat{I}_{2z} \xrightarrow{(\pi/2)\hat{I}_{2x}} \underbrace{-2\hat{I}_{1z}\hat{I}_{2y}}_{\text{on spin 2}}$$

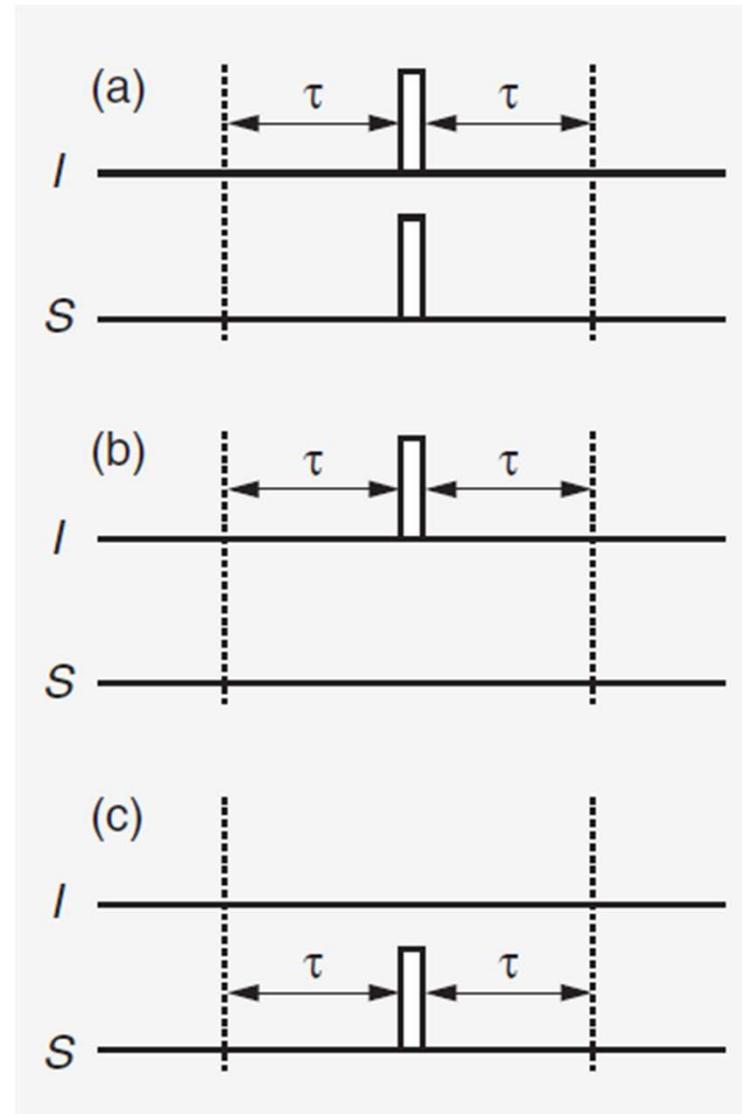
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echoes

homonuclear spin system

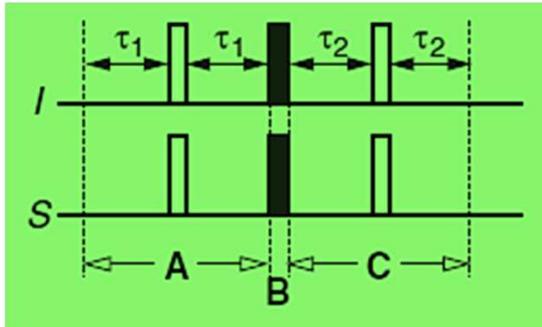


heteronuclear spin system



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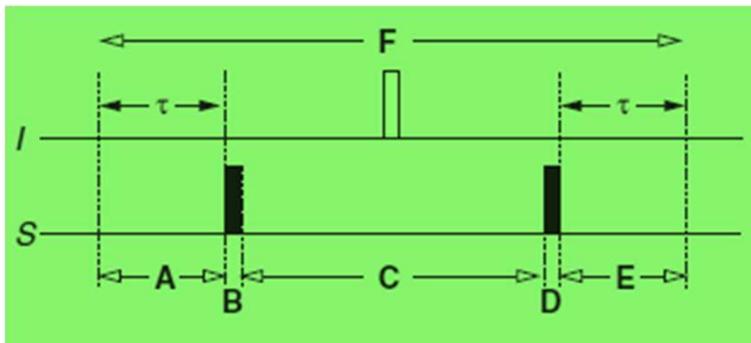
heteronuclear coherence transfer using INEPT



$$\hat{I}_x \xrightarrow{\text{INEPT}} \sin(2\pi J_{IS}\tau_2) \sin(2\pi J_{IS}\tau_1) \hat{S}_x$$

maximum transfer when $\tau_1 = 1/(4J_{IS})$ and $\tau_2 = 1/(4J_{IS})$

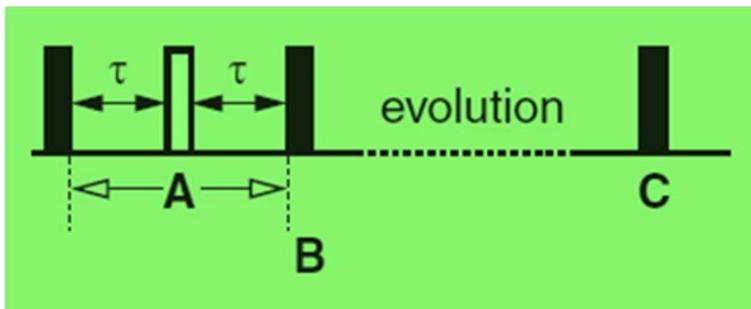
coherence transfer using HMQC



$$\hat{I}_x \xrightarrow{\text{HMQC transfer}} \text{mod. from S-spin} \times \sin^2(\pi J_{IS}\tau) \hat{I}_x$$

optimum delay τ is $1/(2J_{IS})$

generation of multiple quantum (MQ) coherences



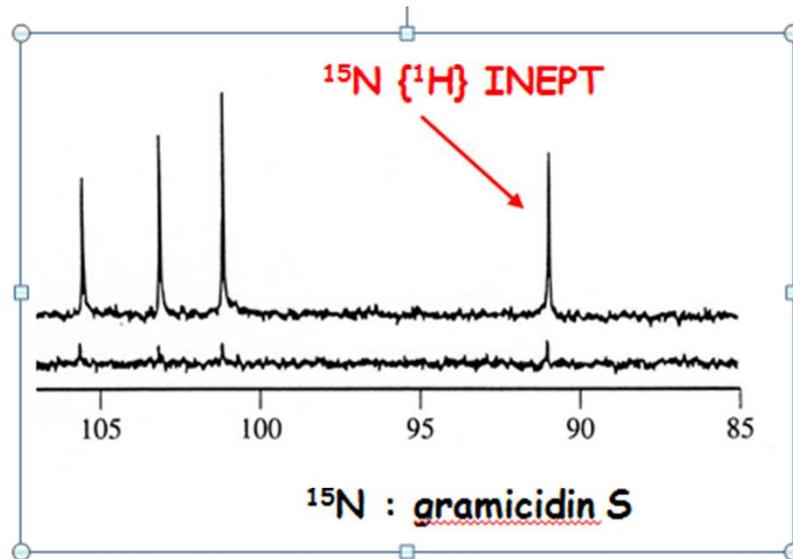
$$\underbrace{2\hat{I}_{1x}\hat{I}_{2z}}_{\text{anti-phase on spin 1}} \xrightarrow{(\pi/2)(\hat{I}_{1x}+\hat{I}_{2x})} \underbrace{-2\hat{I}_{1x}\hat{I}_{2y}}_{\text{MQC}}$$

INEPT

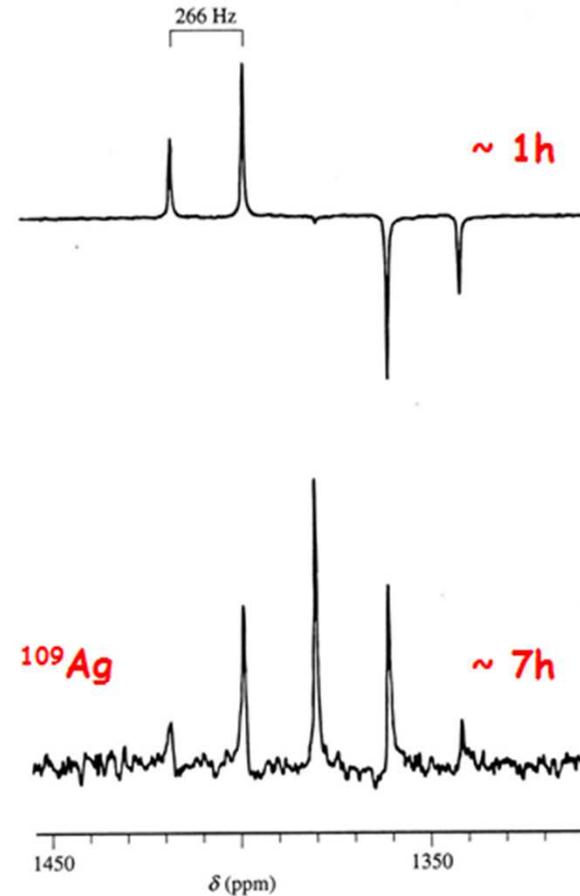
$$\text{gain}_{\text{INEPT}} \propto |\gamma(^1\text{H})/\gamma(\text{X})|$$

ex : ≈ 10 for ^{15}N !

$$T_1(^1\text{H}) < T_1(^{15}\text{N})$$



$^{109}\text{Ag} \{^{31}\text{P}\}$ INEPT



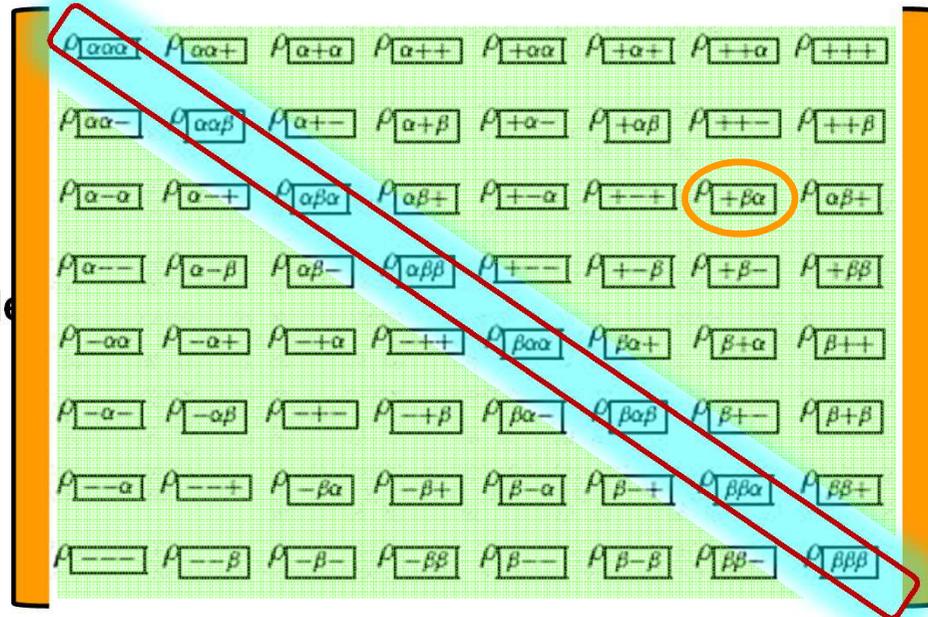
^{109}Ag : $[\text{Ag}(\text{dppe})_2]\text{NO}_3$,
dppe=bisdiphenylphosphinoethane

The physical content of the density operator

■ populations

■ coherences

- coherence order $\rho_{+\beta\alpha}$
- combination coherences & $\hat{\rho} =$ coherences
- coherence frequencies
- observable coherences (simple -1Q)



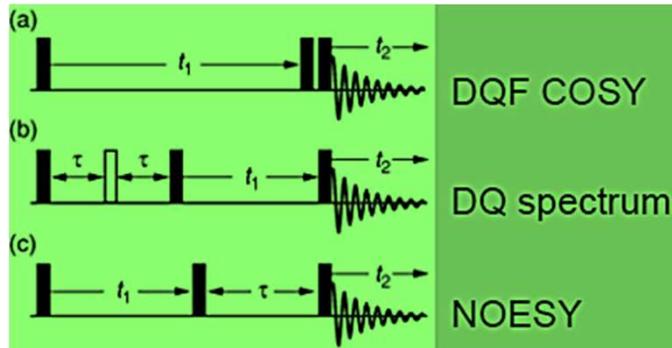
$$\hat{I}_+ = \hat{I}_x + i\hat{I}_y \quad \hat{I}_- = \hat{I}_x - i\hat{I}_y$$

$$\hat{\rho} = |\Psi\rangle\langle\Psi|$$

product operator	double-quantum part	zero-quantum part
$2\hat{I}_{1x}\hat{I}_{2x}$	$\frac{1}{2}(\hat{I}_{1+}\hat{I}_{2+} + \hat{I}_{1-}\hat{I}_{2-})$	$\frac{1}{2}(\hat{I}_{1+}\hat{I}_{2-} + \hat{I}_{1-}\hat{I}_{2+})$
$2\hat{I}_{1x}\hat{I}_{2y}$	$\frac{1}{2i}(\hat{I}_{1+}\hat{I}_{2+} - \hat{I}_{1-}\hat{I}_{2-})$	$\frac{1}{2i}(-\hat{I}_{1+}\hat{I}_{2-} + \hat{I}_{1-}\hat{I}_{2+})$
$2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2x}$	$\frac{1}{2i}(\hat{I}_{1+}\hat{I}_{2+} - \hat{I}_{1-}\hat{I}_{2-})$	$\frac{1}{2i}(\hat{I}_{1+}\hat{I}_{2-} - \hat{I}_{1-}\hat{I}_{2+})$
$2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2y}$	$-\frac{1}{2}(\hat{I}_{1+}\hat{I}_{2+} + \hat{I}_{1-}\hat{I}_{2-})$	$\frac{1}{2}(\hat{I}_{1+}\hat{I}_{2-} + \hat{I}_{1-}\hat{I}_{2+})$

operator	definition
\hat{DQ}_x	$(2\hat{I}_{1x}\hat{I}_{2x} - 2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2y})$
\hat{DQ}_y	$(2\hat{I}_{1x}\hat{I}_{2y} + 2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2x})$
\hat{ZQ}_x	$(2\hat{I}_{1x}\hat{I}_{2x} + 2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2y})$
\hat{ZQ}_y	$(2\hat{I}_{1y}\hat{I}_{2x} - 2\hat{I}_{1x}\hat{I}_{2y})$

Phase cycling



rules

- coherence order, p

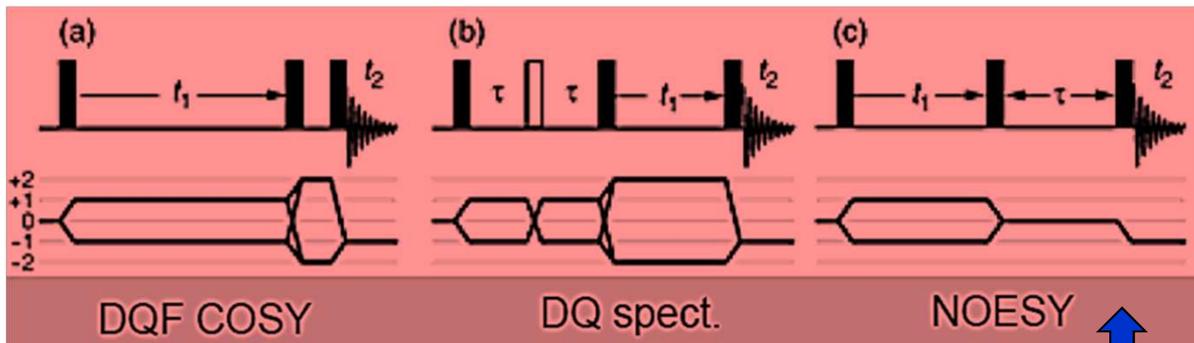
$$\hat{\rho}^{(p)} \xrightarrow{\text{rotate by } \phi \text{ about } z} \hat{\rho}^{(p)} \times \exp(-ip\phi)$$

phase acquired is $-p\phi$

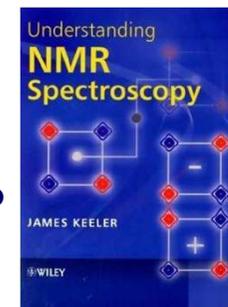
- only $p = -1$ is observable

- $\pm N$ for N spins ($I = 1/2$)

coherence transfer pathway



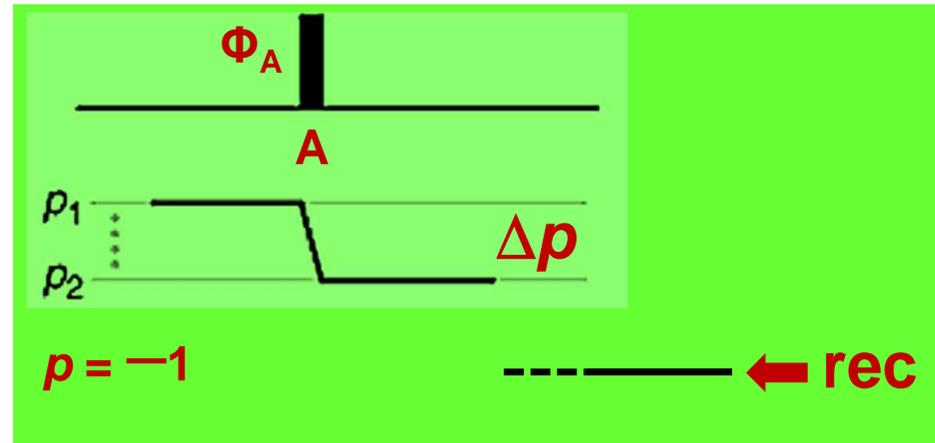
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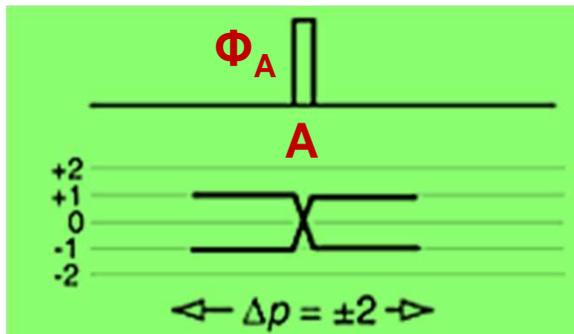
Phase cycling

★ phase of the pulses ($\Phi_A, \Phi_B \dots$)

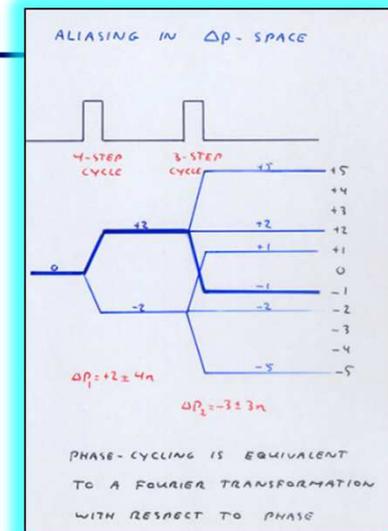
★ phase of the receiver (Φ_{rec})



$$\Delta p_A \Phi_A + \Delta p_B \Phi_B + \dots + \Phi_{rec} = 0$$



Φ_A [0°, 90°, 180°, 270°]
 Φ_{rec} $\Delta p = \pm 2$: [0°, 180°, 0°, 180°]



Historical Perspective

Reflections of pathways: A short perspective on 'Selection of coherence transfer pathways in NMR pulse experiments'

Geoffrey Bodenhausen*

J. Magn. Reson., 2011.

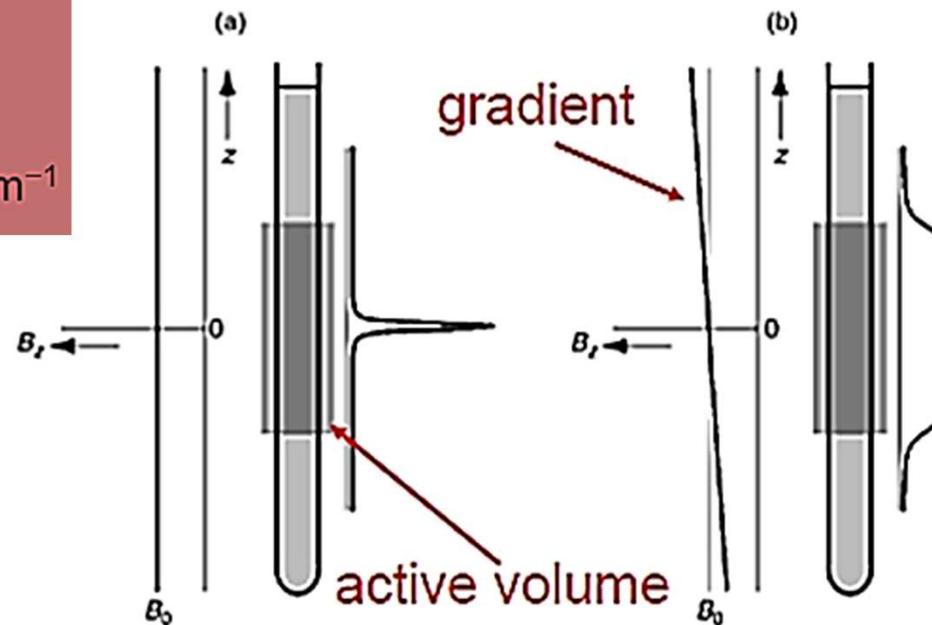
Field gradient pulses (G)

★ **coherences dephase**

★ **subsequent G may rephase some coherences**

$$\varphi(z) = -p \times \gamma G z t$$

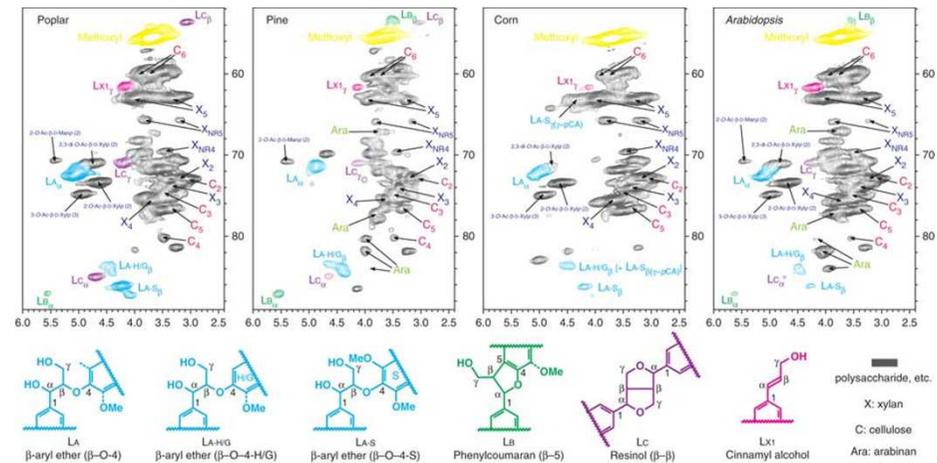
gyromagnetic ratio γ
gradient strength, $G \text{ cm}^{-1}$



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J. Jeener and R. Ernst : 2 dimensional (2D) Fourier Transform NMR

The unpublished Baško Polje (1971) lecture notes about two-dimensional NMR spectroscopy

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Abstract. — The main part of this paper is a reproduction of (previously unpublished) lecture notes, which were circulated in 1971, and which are often cited as the initiation of two-dimensional NMR spectroscopy. A brief discussion follows, about the way of handling dates and durations in time-dependent quantum mechanics, and about the use of diagrams in NMR pulse spectroscopy in the usual or the superoperator formalisms.

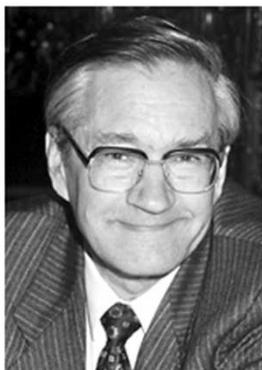


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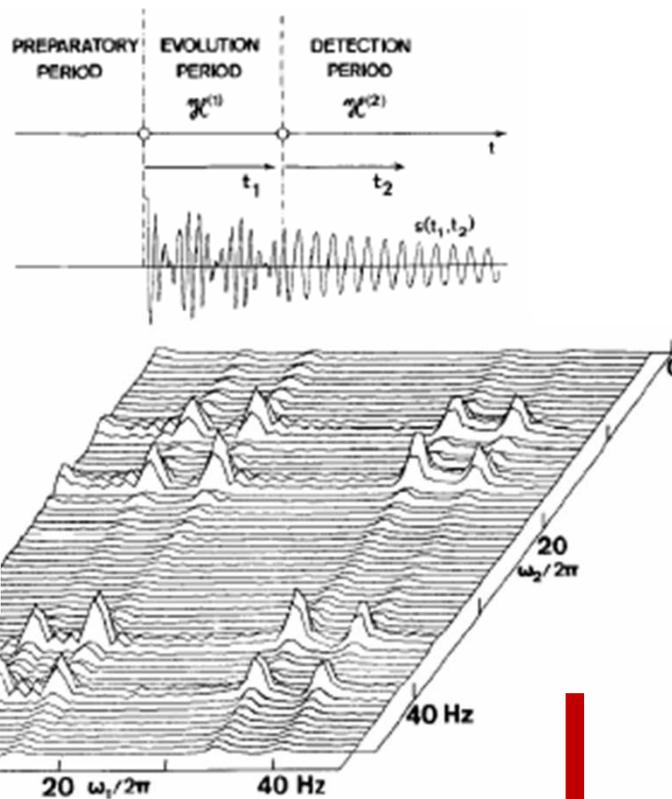
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Two-dimensional spectroscopy. Application to nuclear magnetic resonance

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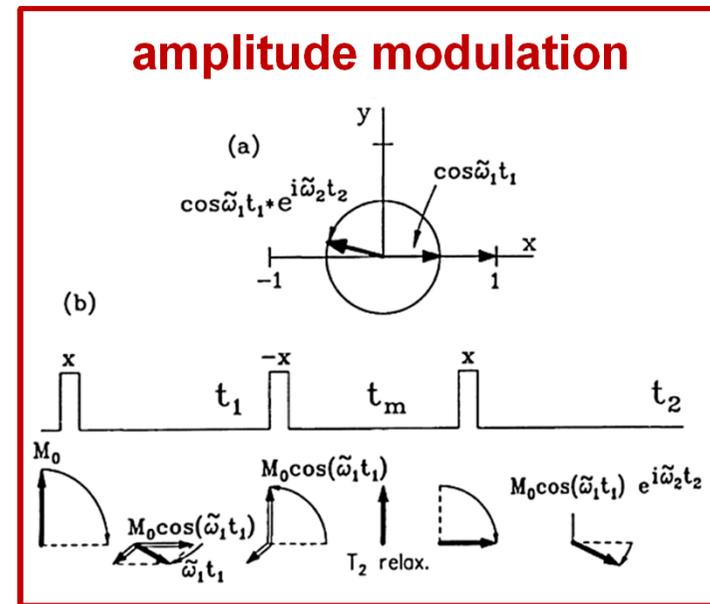
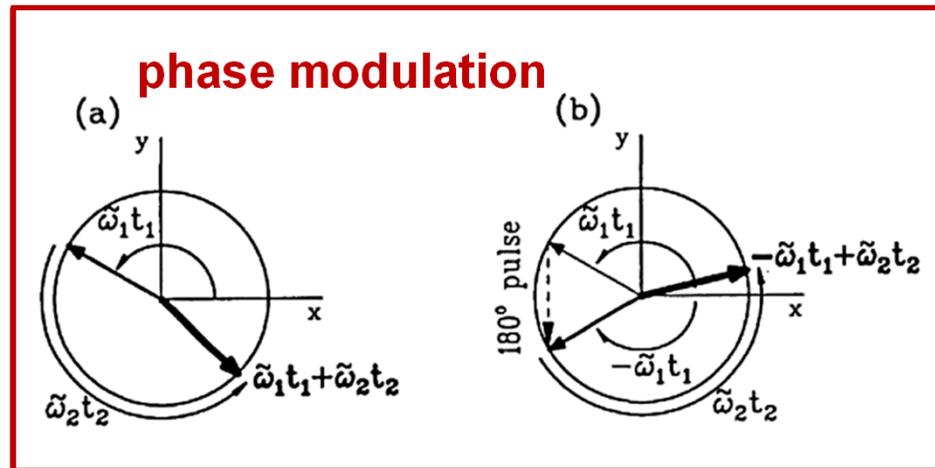
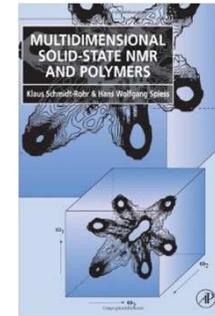
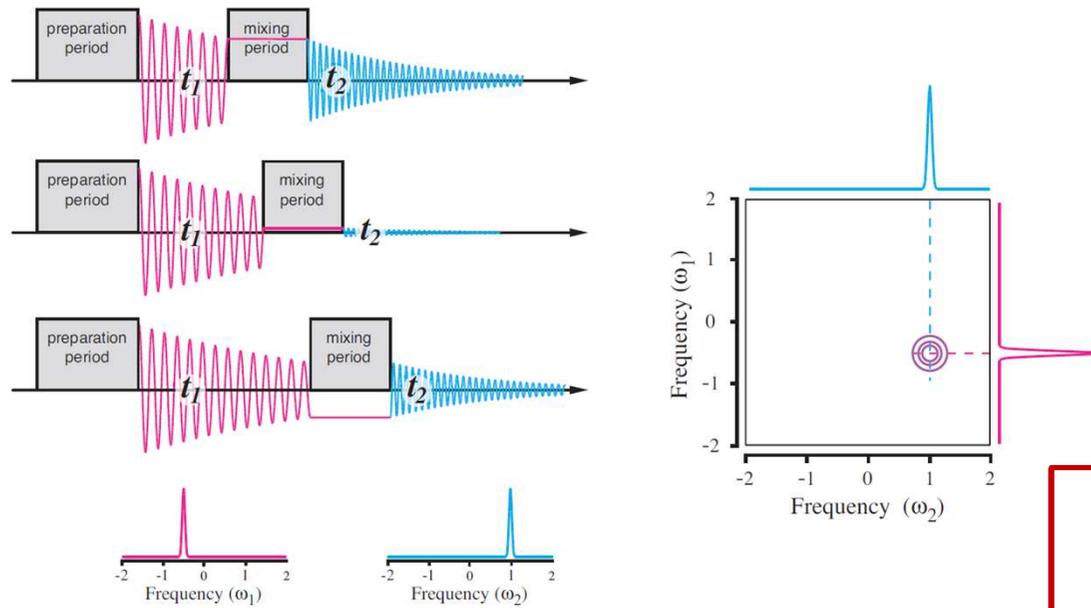


Discrete Fourier transform

Uniform sampling

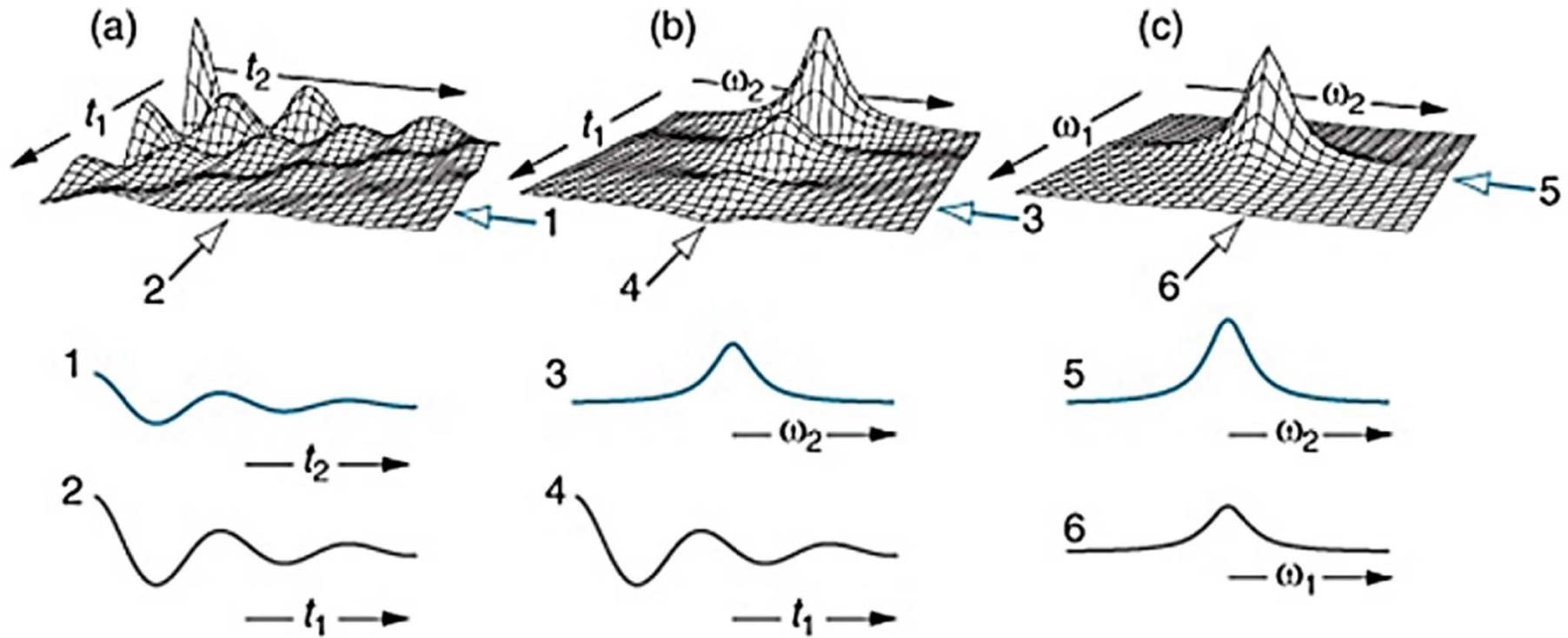
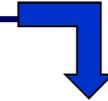
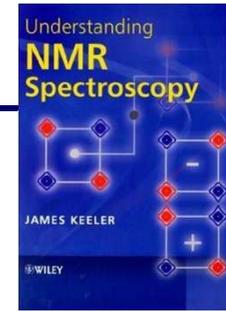
2D NMR

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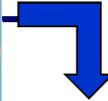
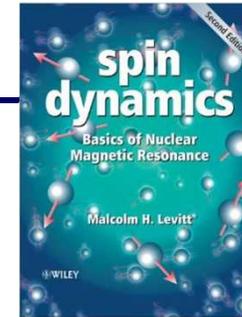
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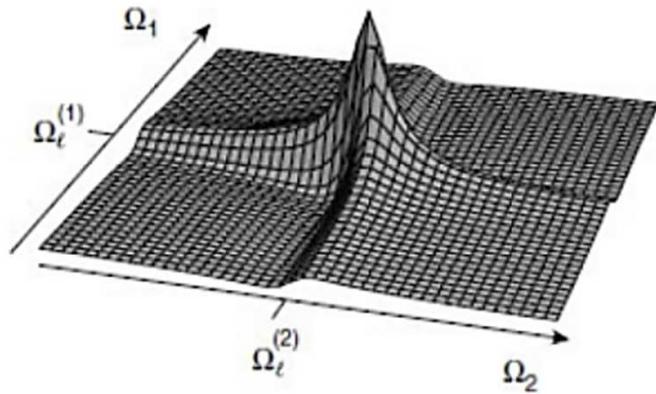


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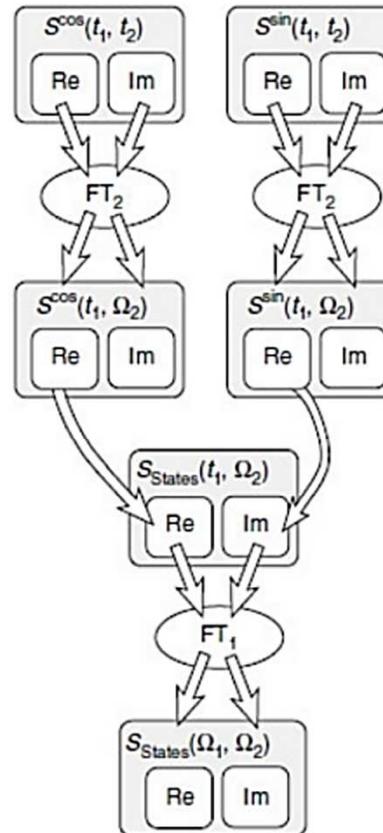
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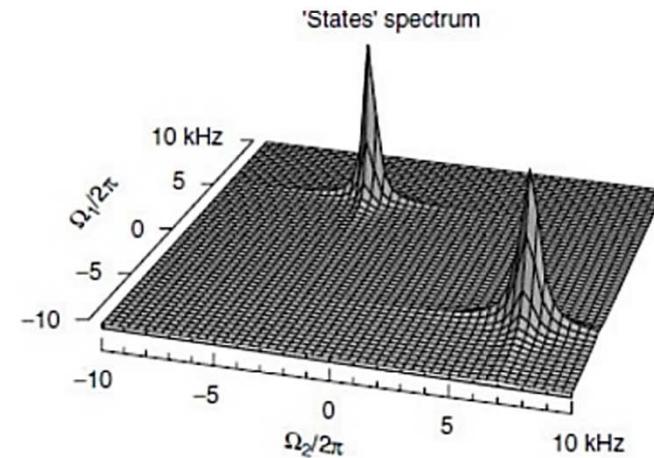
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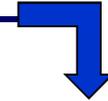
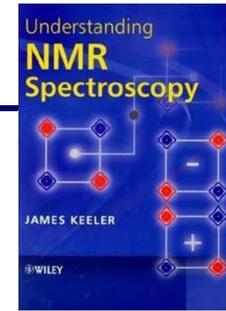


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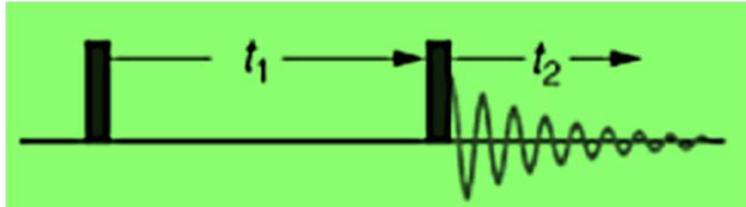


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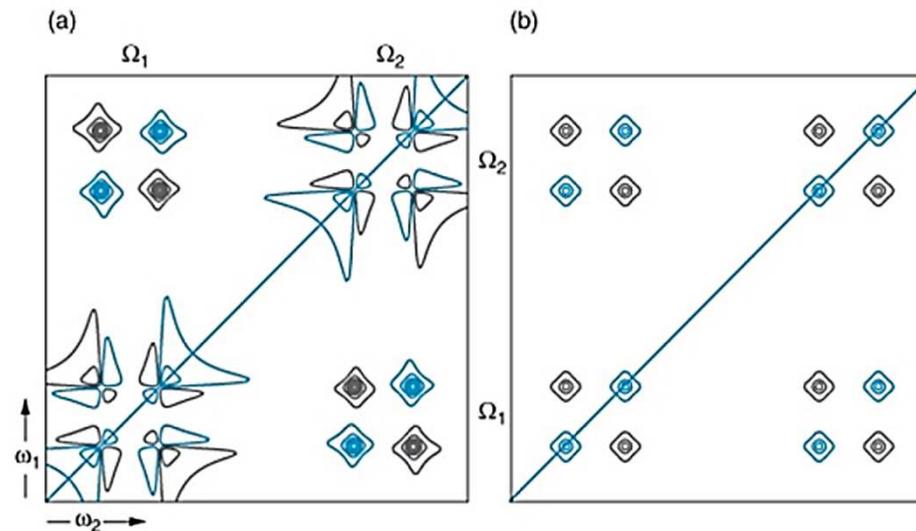
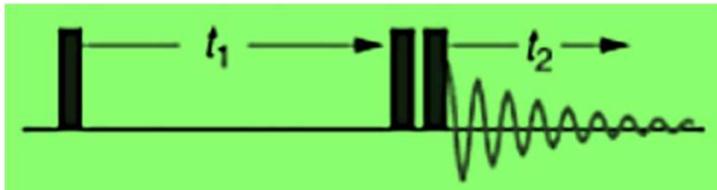
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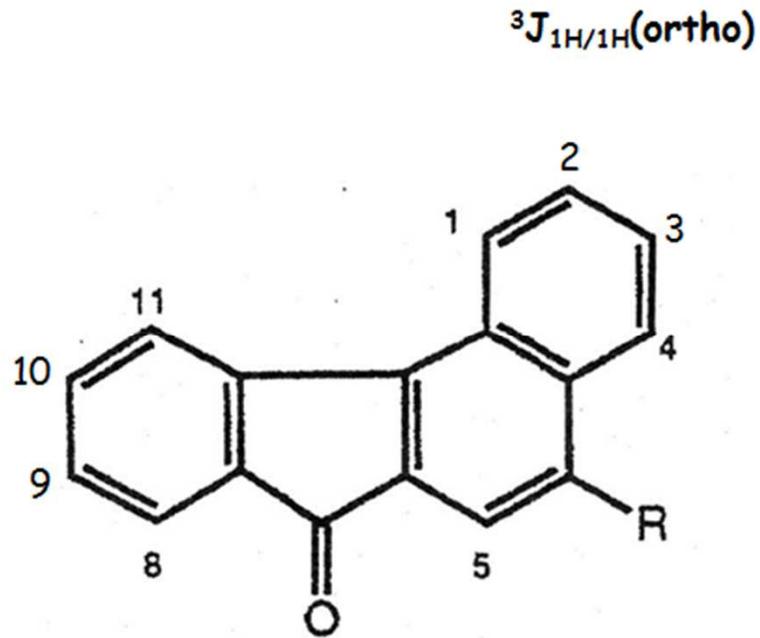
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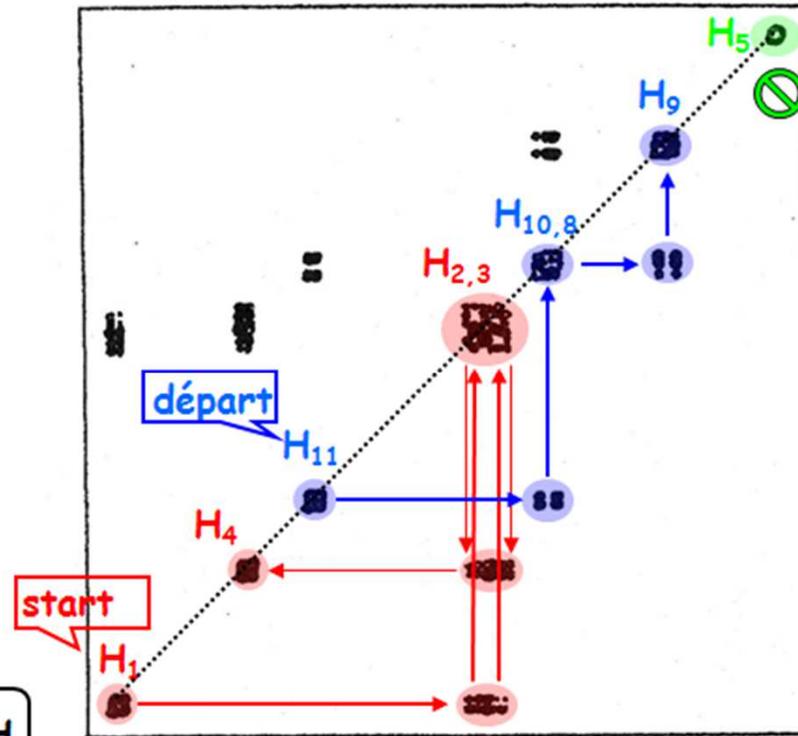
COSY DQF (double quantum filtered)



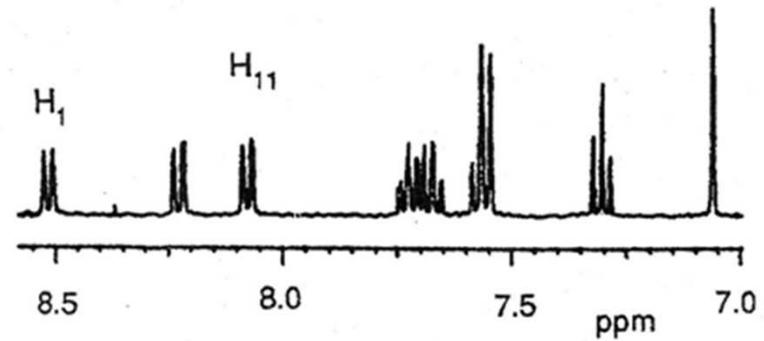
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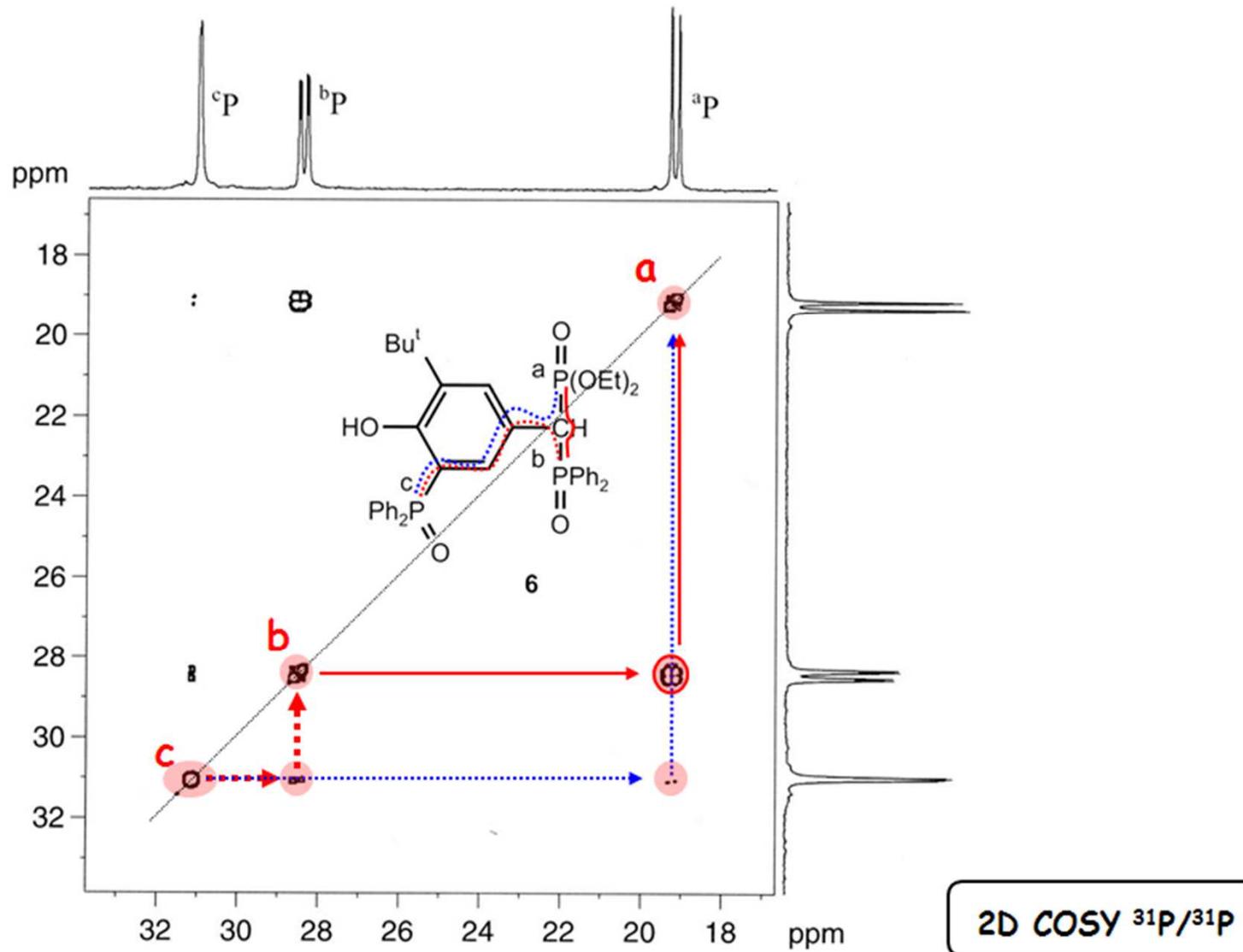
2D COSY ${}^1H/{}^1H$



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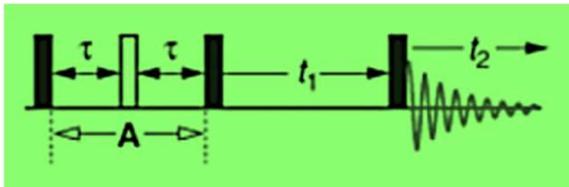


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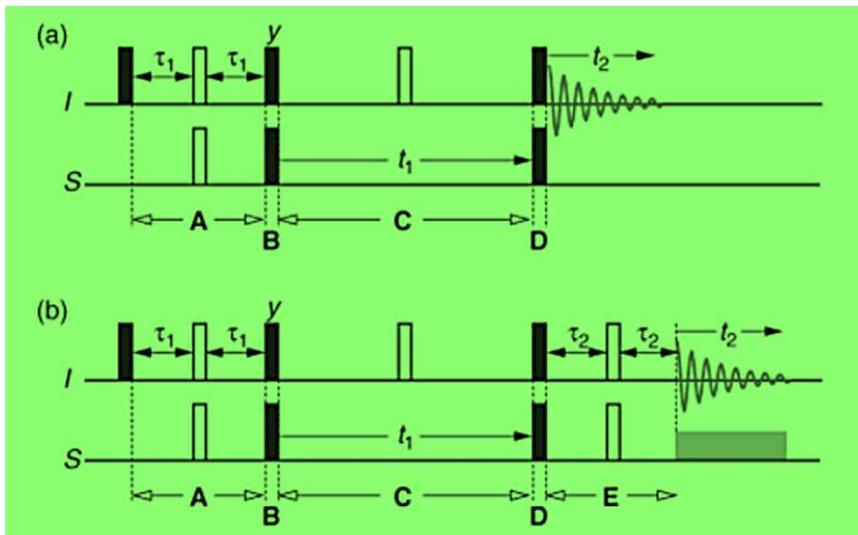


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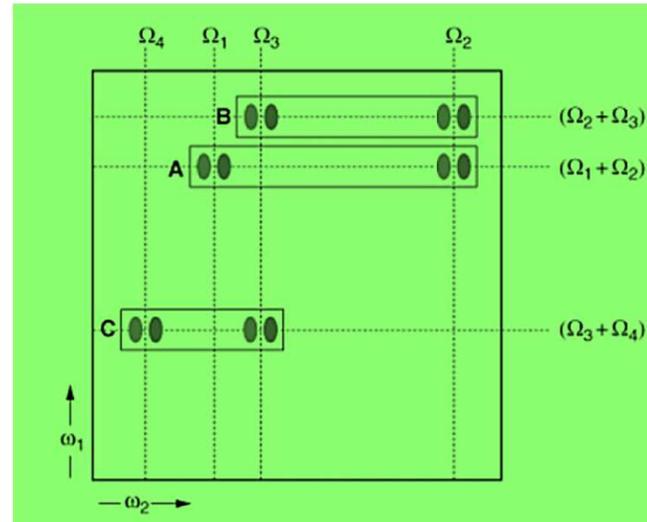
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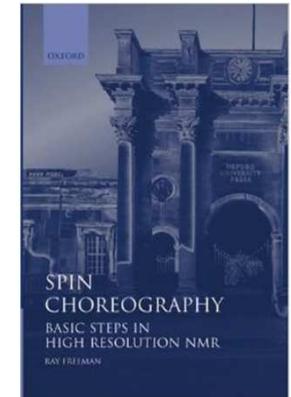
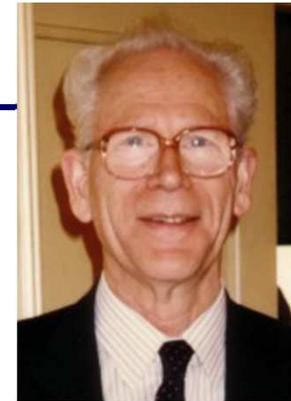
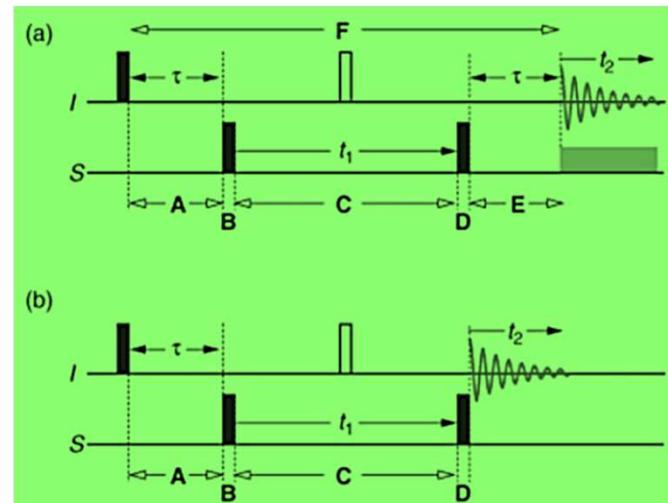
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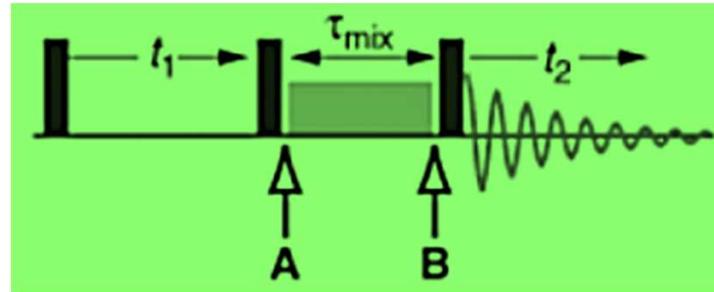


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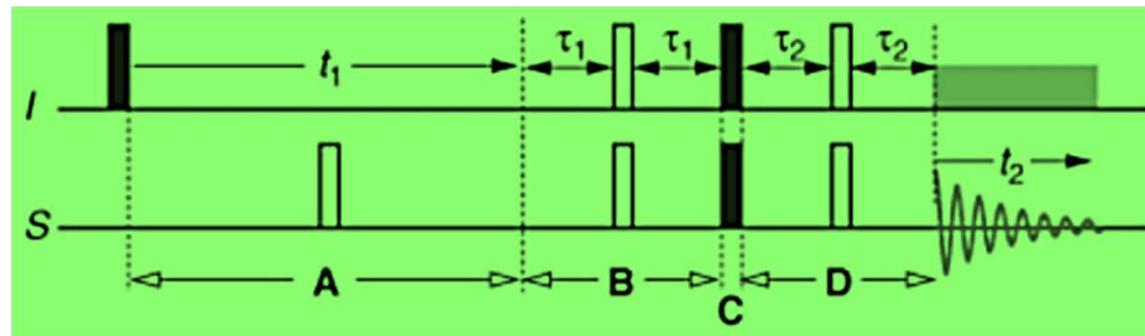


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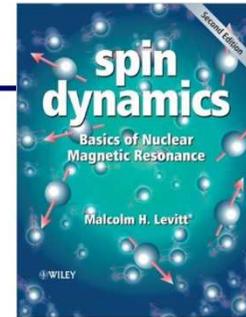


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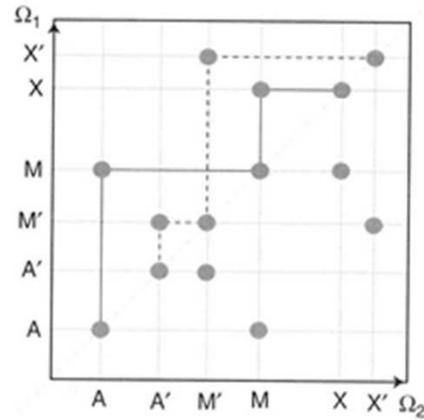


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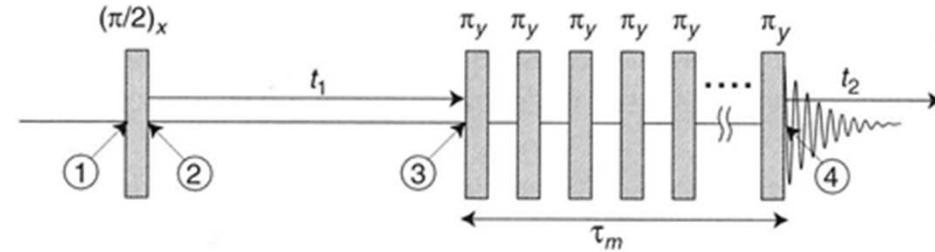
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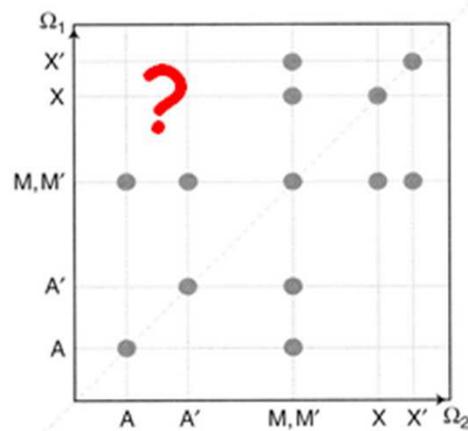
TOTAL CORRELATION SPECTROSCOPY



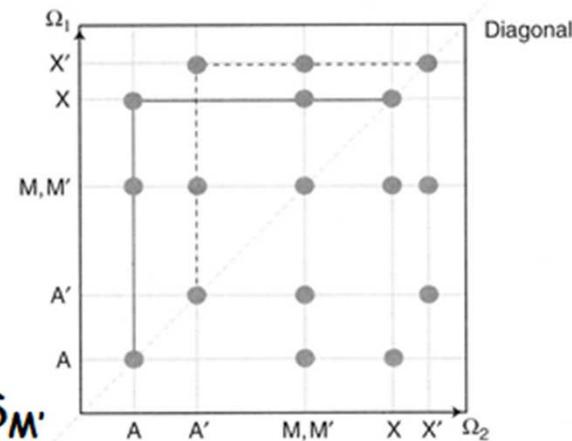
A-M-X
A'-M'-X''
 $\delta_M \neq \delta_{M'}$



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 mixing time τ_m



Diagonal
 $\delta_M = \delta_{M'}$
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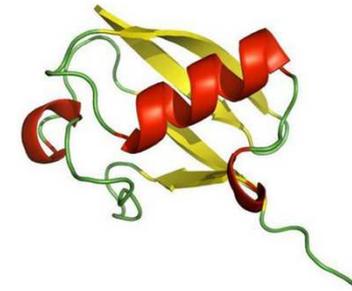
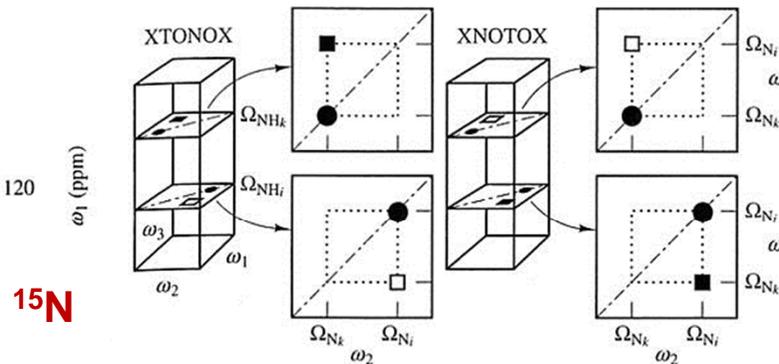
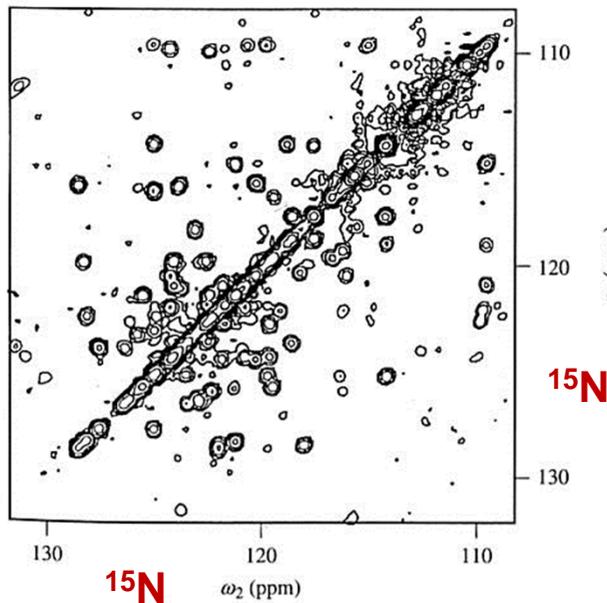
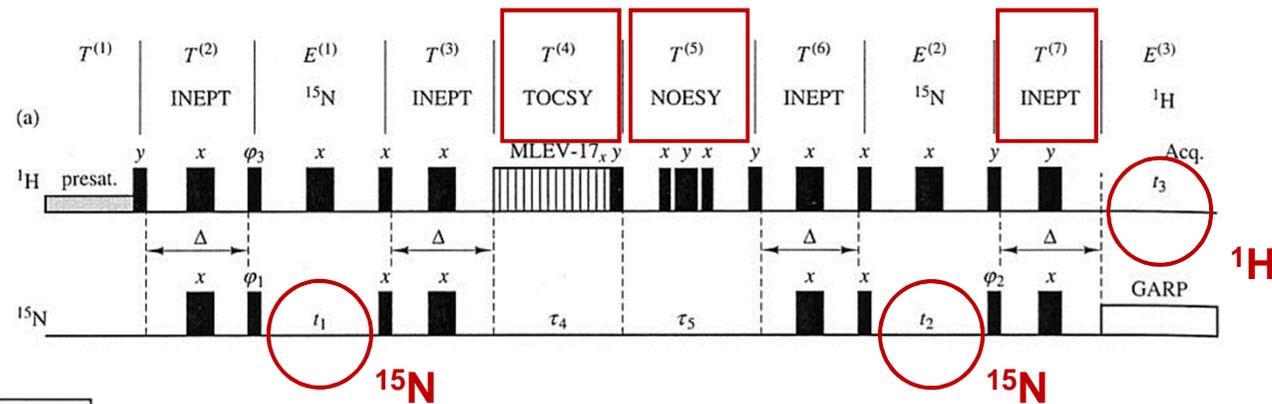
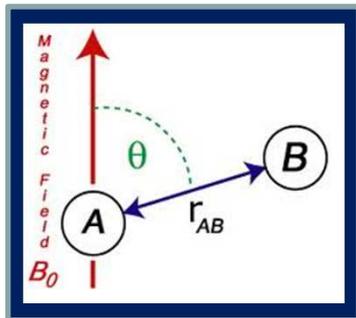


TOCSY
 $\delta_M = \delta_{M'}$

3D, 4D, ... NMR

δ and J : selection, transfer, edition, correlation ... (COSY, INEPT, HETCOR...)

D : relaxation ... (NOESY...)



Structural representation of human ubiquitin based on the crystal structure by Vijay-Kumar, S., Bugg, C.E. and Cook, W.J. (PDB-ID:1UBQ)

99% ^{15}N -human ubiquitin

NMR of proteins



The Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2002
John B. Fenn, Koichi Tanaka, Kurt Wüthrich

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Nobel Prize Award Ceremony

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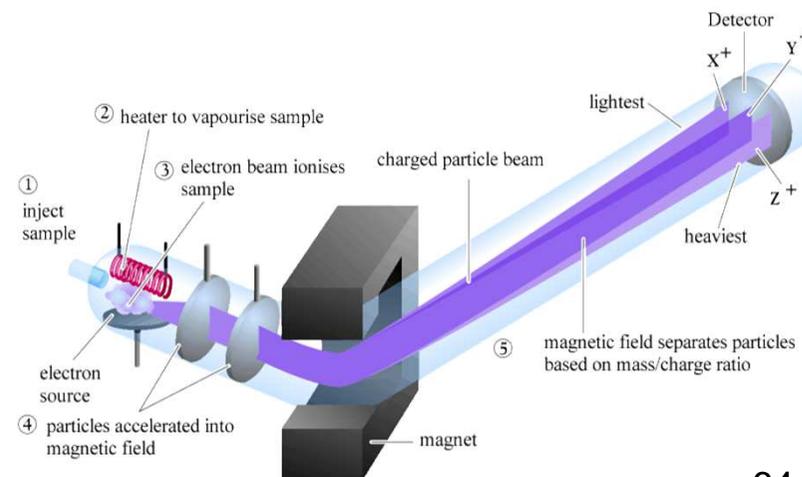
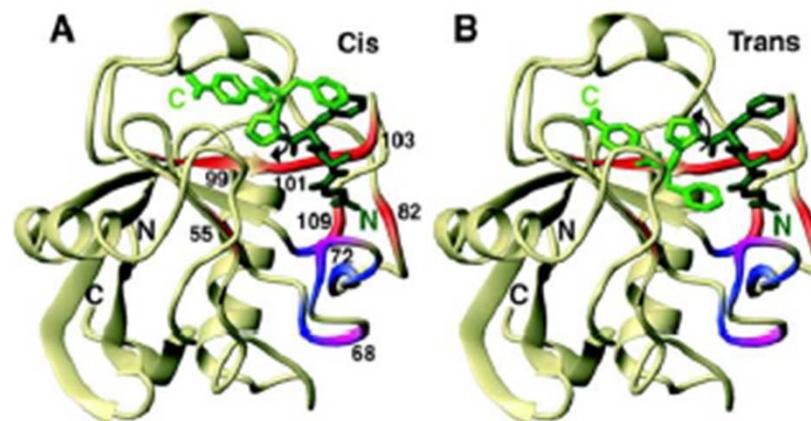


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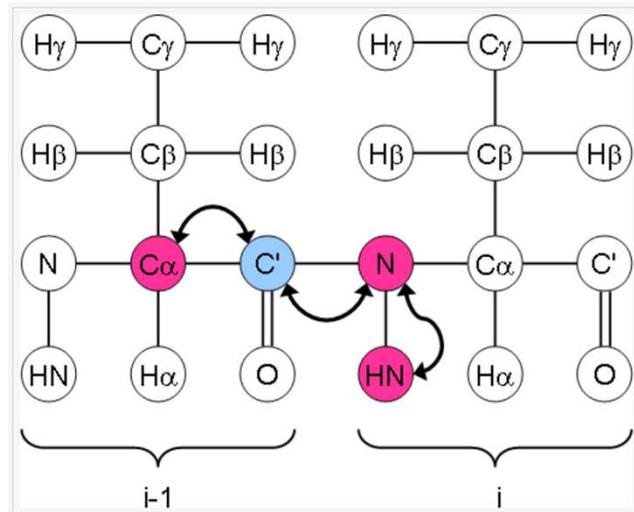
Kurt Wüthrich

The Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2002 was awarded "for the development of methods for identification and structure analyses of biological macromolecules" with one half jointly to John B. Fenn and Koichi Tanaka "for their development of soft desorption ionisation methods for mass spectrometric analyses of biological macromolecules" and the other half to Kurt Wüthrich "for his development of nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy for determining the three-dimensional structure of biological macromolecules in solution".



NMR of proteins

- isotope labeling
- restraints
- modeling
- structure ...



HN(CO)CA

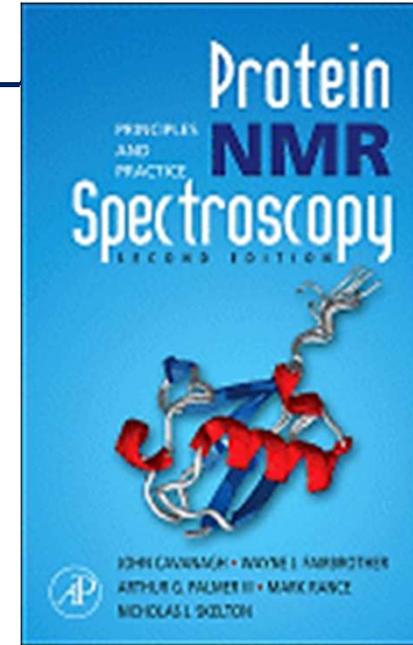
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A. Bax and M. Ikura (1991) *J. Biomol. NMR* **1** 99-104. ([Link to Article](#))
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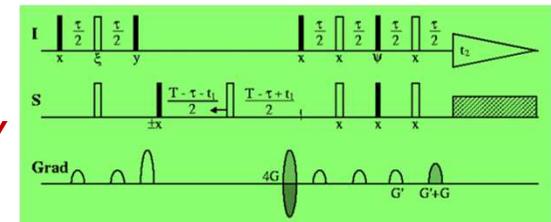
Minimum labelling: ¹⁵N, ¹³C

Dimensions: 3

- 1H-15N HSQC
- HNCO
- HN(CA)CO
- HNCA
- HN(CO)CA
- CBCA(CO)NH / HN(CO)CACB
- CBCANH / HNCACB
- CC(CO)NH
- H(CCO)NH
- HBHA(CO)NH
- HCCH-TOCSY
- HCCH-COSY
- 15N-TOCSY-HSQC
- 13C-HMQC
- 15N-NOESY**
- 15N-NOESY-HSQC**
- 13C-NOESY-HSQC**
- 13C-HMQC-NOESY**



TROSY



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NMR studies of large protein systems.

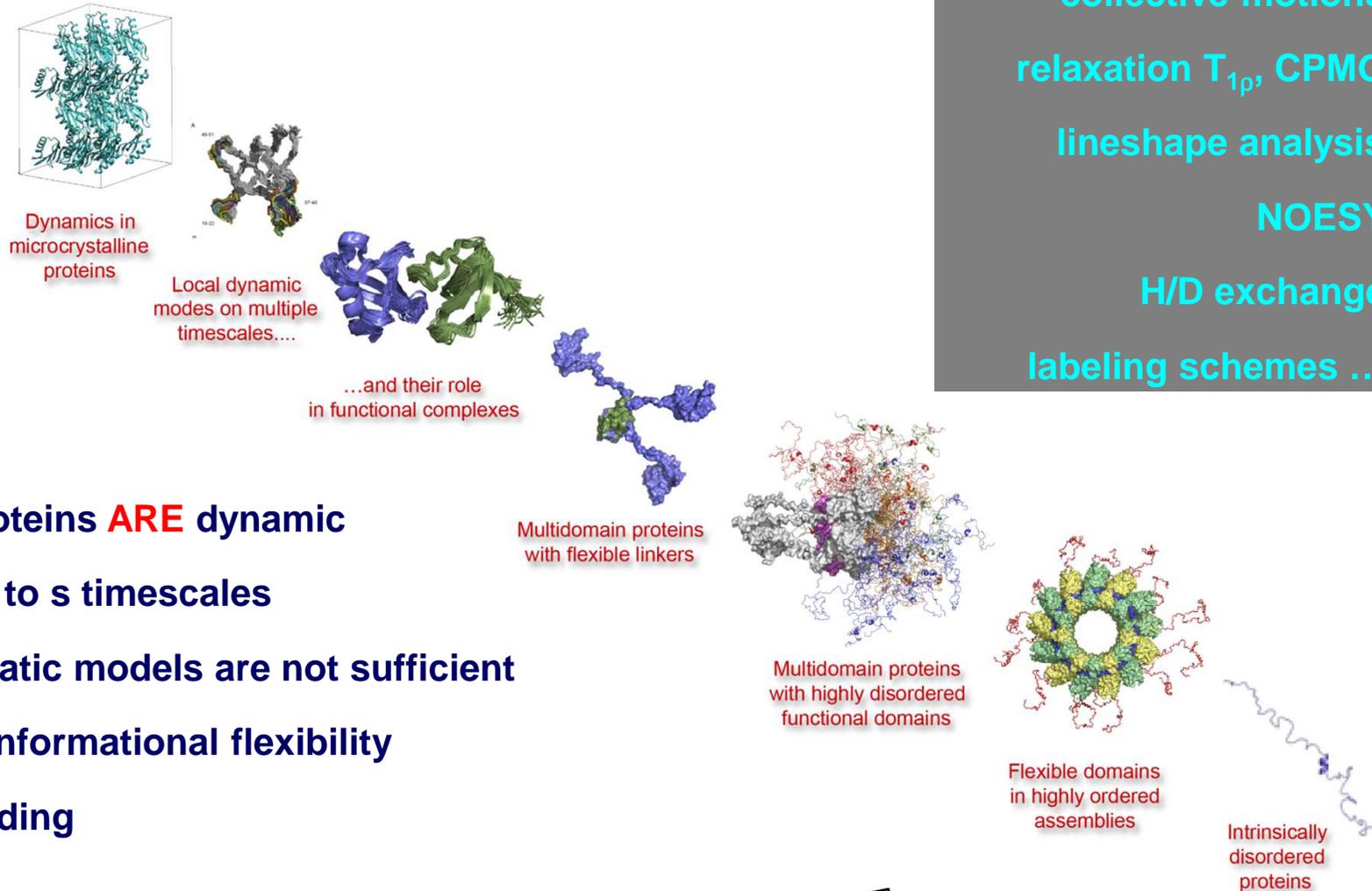
Tzeng SR¹, Pai MT, Kalodimos CG.

Author information

Abstract

Over the recent years, there has been increased interest in applying NMR spectroscopy for the characterization of proteins and protein complexes of large molecular weight. The combination of multidimensional NMR, novel pulse sequences allowing for the selection of slowly relaxing coherence pathways, and the development of a range of labeling techniques has enabled high-resolution NMR analyses of supramolecular systems of even megadalton size. Here, we describe how NMR can be used to obtain structural information in large systems by using as an example the recent structure determination of SecA ATPase (204 kDa) in complex with a signal peptide.

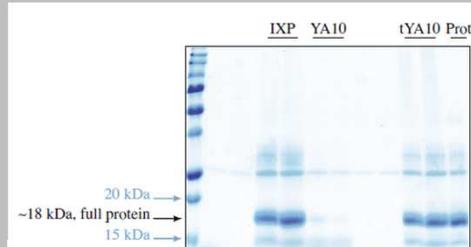
Applications: relaxation and dynamics of proteins



- local flexibility \triangle
- relaxation T_1 , T_2 \triangle
- collective motions \triangle
- relaxation $T_{1\rho}$, CPMG \triangle
- lineshape analysis \triangle
- NOESY \triangle
- H/D exchange \triangle
- labeling schemes ... \triangle

- \triangle proteins **ARE** dynamic
- \triangle ps to s timescales
- \rightarrow static models are not sufficient
- \triangle conformational flexibility
- \triangle folding
- ...

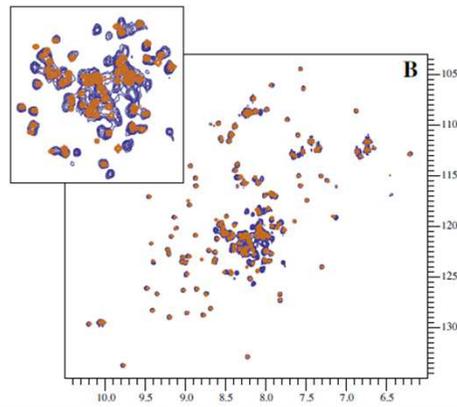
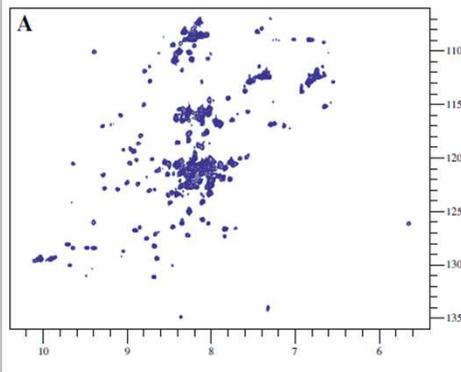
Applications: relaxation and dynamics of proteins



Robust and low cost uniform ^{15}N -labeling of proteins expressed in *Drosophila* S2 cells and *Spodoptera frugiperda* Sf9 cells for NMR applications

Annalisa Meola^{a,b,c,1}, Célia Deville^{a,1}, Scott A. Jeffers^{b,c}, Pablo Guardado-Calvo^{b,c}, Ieva Vasiliauskaitė^{b,c}, Christina Sizun^a, Christine Girard-Blanc^d, Christian Malosse^{e,1}, Carine van Heijenoort^a, Julia Chamot-Rooke^{e,f}, Thomas Krey^{b,c}, Eric Guittet^a, Stéphane Pétres^d, Félix A. Rey^{b,c}, François Bontems^{a,b,c,*}

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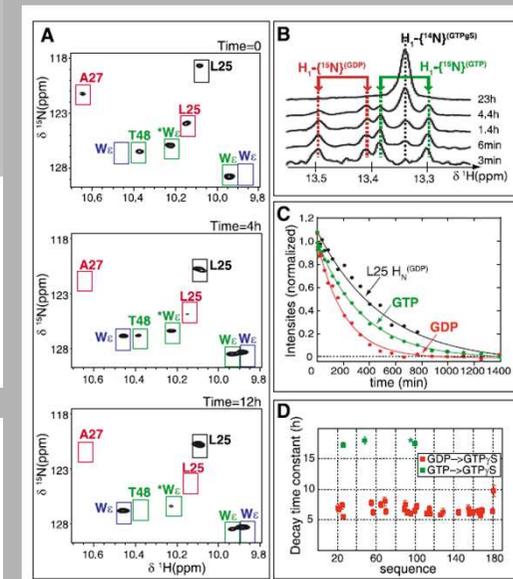
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Insight into the Role of Dynamics in the Conformational Switch of the Small GTP-binding Protein Arf1[†]

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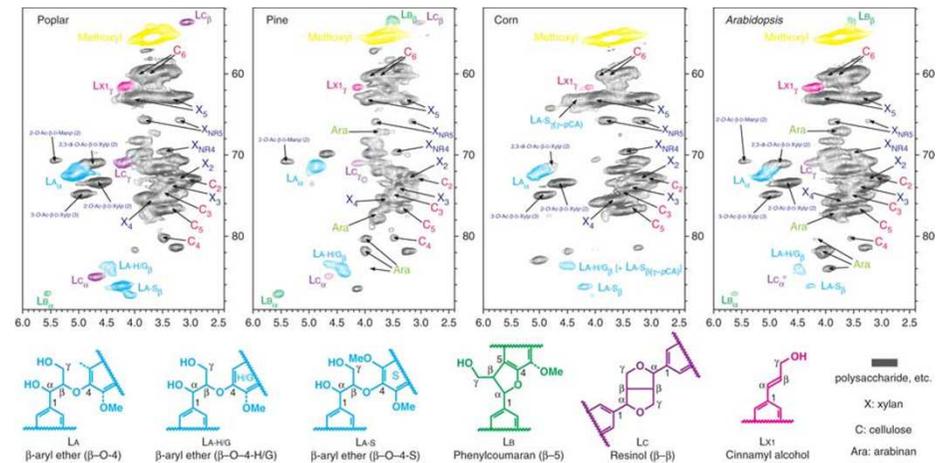
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Outline



Nature Protocols, 2012



- Nuclear spin – the NMR experiment
- Mathematical treatment of NMR
- Multidimensional NMR
- Relaxation
- Solid State NMR
- Gradients and imaging

Bloch equations (Phys. Rev. 70, 1946, 460-474)



in the rotating frame T

$$\frac{d^* \mathbf{M}(t)}{dt} = \boldsymbol{\omega}_{\text{eff}}(t) \times \mathbf{M}(t) - [\mathbf{R}] \{ \mathbf{M}(t) - \mathbf{M}_{\text{eq}} \},$$
$$\boldsymbol{\omega}_{\text{eff}}(t) = \boldsymbol{\omega}(t) - \boldsymbol{\omega}_{\text{rot}}.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} M_x^*(t) \\ M_y^*(t) \\ M_z^*(t) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} [M_x^*(0) \cos \Omega t - M_y^*(0) \sin \Omega t] e^{-t/T_2} \\ [M_y^*(0) \cos \Omega t + M_x^*(0) \sin \Omega t] e^{-t/T_2} \\ M_z^*(0) e^{-t/T_1} + M_{\text{eq}}(1 - e^{-t/T_1}) \end{pmatrix}$$

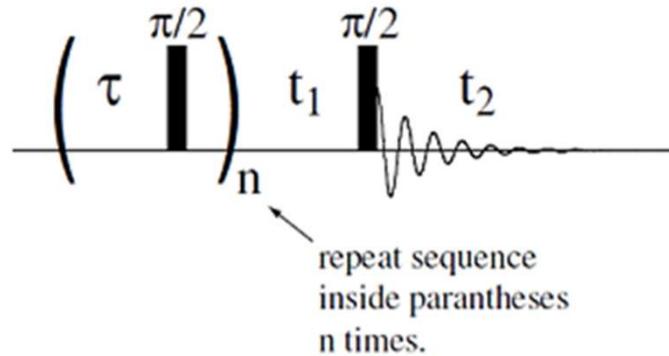
limitations of the Bloch equations

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NMR course, sept. 5, 2013



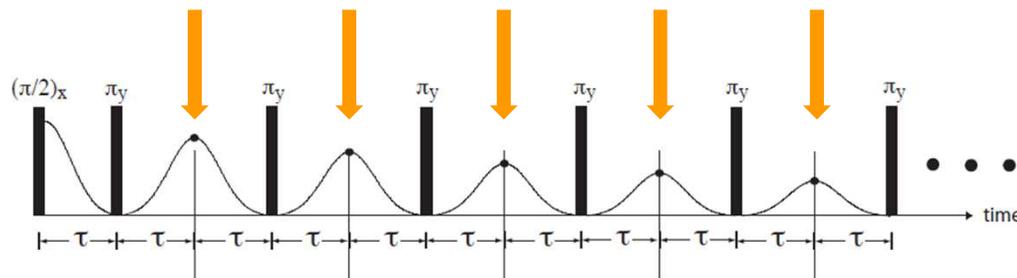
Measurements of T_1 and T_2

saturation recovery experiment (T_1)



$$M_z(t_1) = M_{eq}(1 - e^{-t_1/T_1}).$$

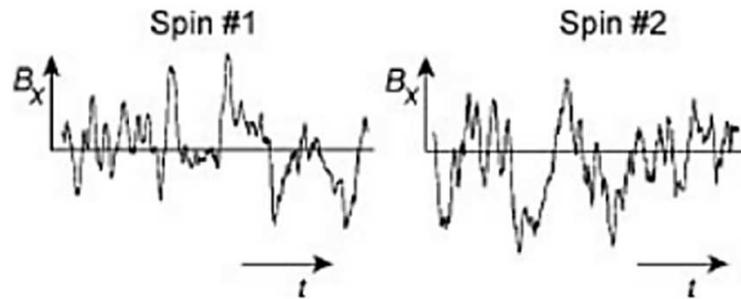
Carr–Purcell Meiboom–Gill (T_2)



In principle one can obtain T_2 by taking half the inverse of the full width at half height of a resonance in an NMR spectrum. Unfortunately, the line widths of resonances in NMR are often dominated by the inhomogeneities in the magnetic field rather than T_2 .

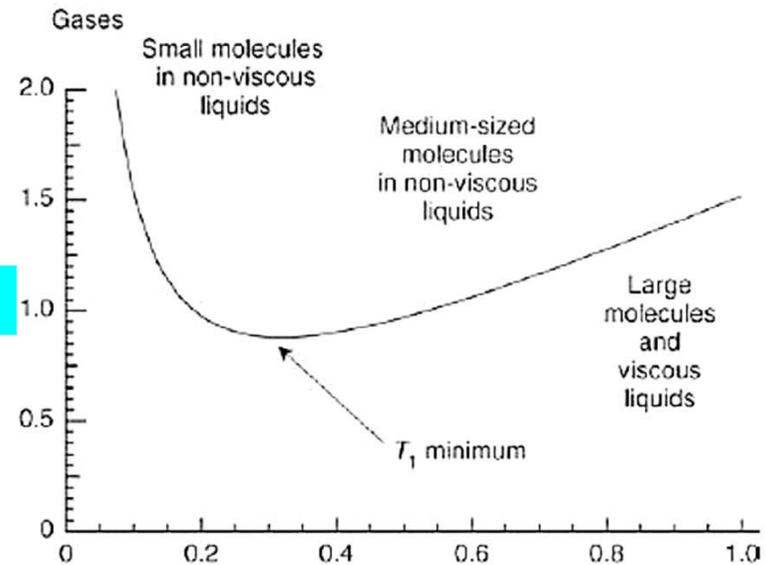
Introduction to relaxation theory

random field relaxation – fluctuating fields



fluctuations of B_x at two different spins

T_1 (s)



τ_c (ns)

autocorrelation functions and τ_c

■ autocorrelation function $G(\tau) = \langle B_x(t) B_x(t+\tau) \rangle \neq 0$

■ assumption $G(\tau) = \langle B_x^2 \rangle e^{-|\tau|/\tau_c}$

■ normalized spectral density

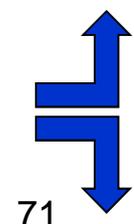
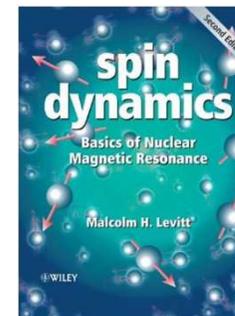


$$J(\omega) = \mathcal{A}(\omega; 0, \tau_c^{-1}) = \frac{\tau_c}{1 + \omega^2 \tau_c^2}$$

$B_0 = 11.7 \text{ T}$
 ^1H
 $\langle B_x^2 \rangle = 10^{-8} \text{ T}^2$

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 Introduction to
 Relaxation Theory
 James Keeler



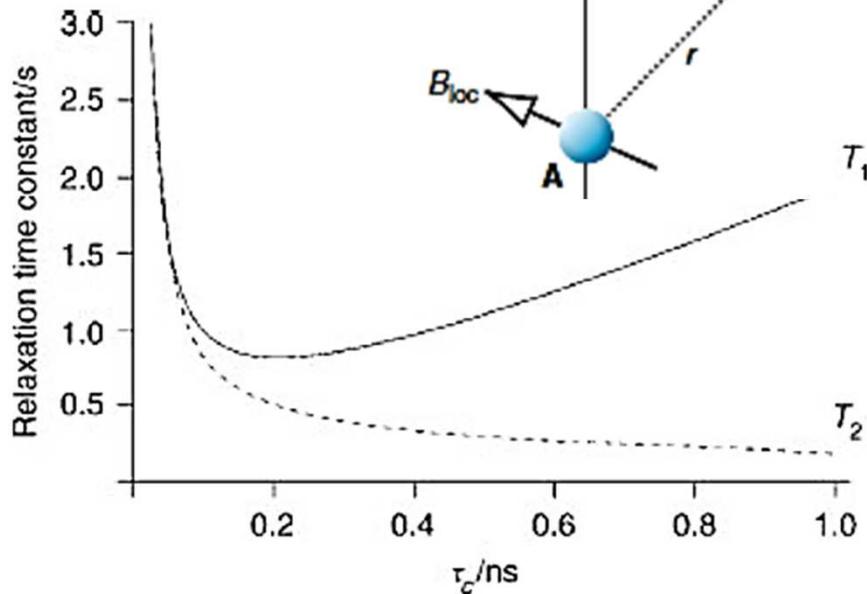
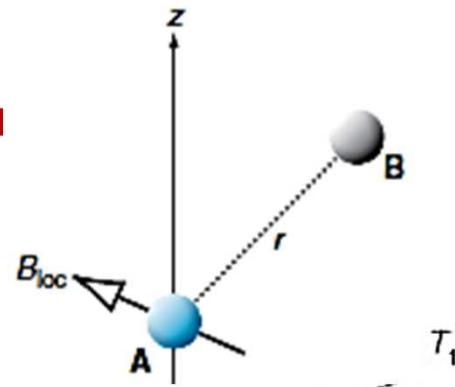
BPP theory (Bloembergen, Purcell, Pound, *Phys .Rev.* 1948)

ex.: dipole-dipole relaxation

$$T_2^{-1} = \frac{3}{20} b^2 \{ 3J(0) + 5J(\omega^0) + 2J(2\omega^0) \}$$

$$T_1^{-1} = \frac{3}{10} b^2 \{ J(\omega^0) + 4J(2\omega^0) \}$$

$$b = -\frac{\mu_0 \hbar \gamma^2}{4\pi r^3}$$



The Nobel Prize in Physics 1952
Felix Bloch, E. M. Purcell



Felix Bloch



Edward Mills Purcell

The Nobel Prize in Physics 1952 was awarded jointly to Felix Bloch and Edward Mills Purcell "for their development of new methods for nuclear magnetic precision measurements and discoveries in connection therewith"

The Nobel Prize in Physics 1981



Nicolaas Bloembergen
Prize share: 1/4



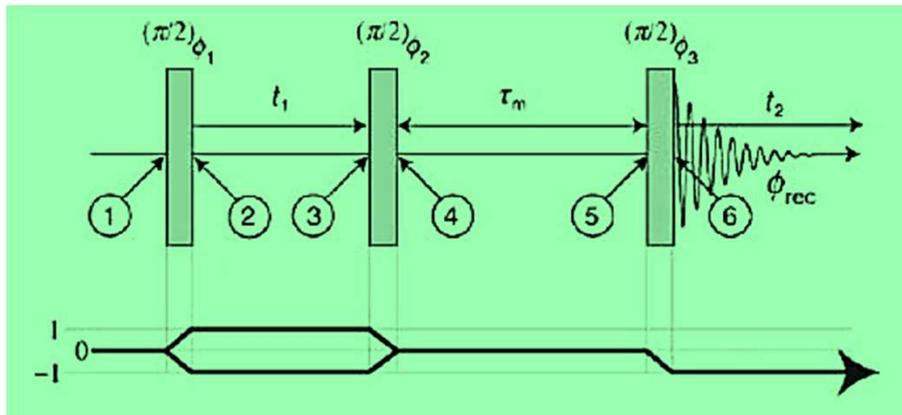
Arthur Leonard Schawlow
Prize share: 1/4



Kai M. Siegbahn
Prize share: 1/2

The Nobel Prize in Physics 1981 was divided, one half jointly to Nicolaas Bloembergen and Arthur Leonard Schawlow "for their contribution to the development of laser spectroscopy" and the other half to Kai M. Siegbahn "for his contribution to the development of high-resolution electron spectroscopy".

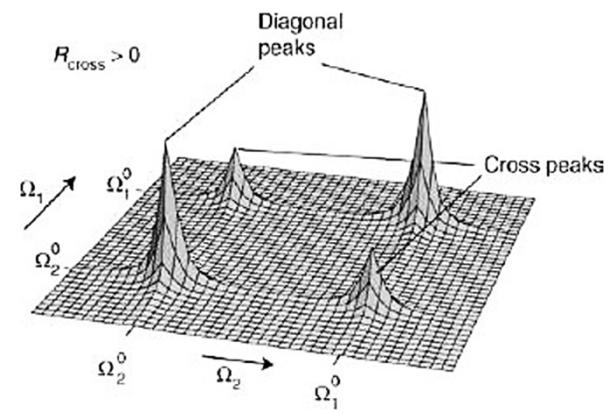
NOESY... finally



Solomon equations

$$\frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} \langle \hat{I}_{1z} \rangle \\ \langle \hat{I}_{2z} \rangle \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -R_{\text{auto}} & R_{\text{cross}} \\ R_{\text{cross}} & -R_{\text{auto}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \langle \hat{I}_{1z} \rangle \\ \langle \hat{I}_{2z} \rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a_{\text{cross}} \sim r^{-6}$$



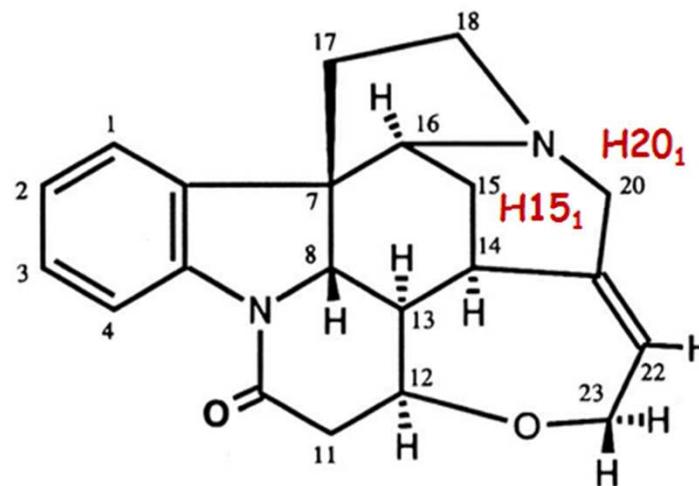
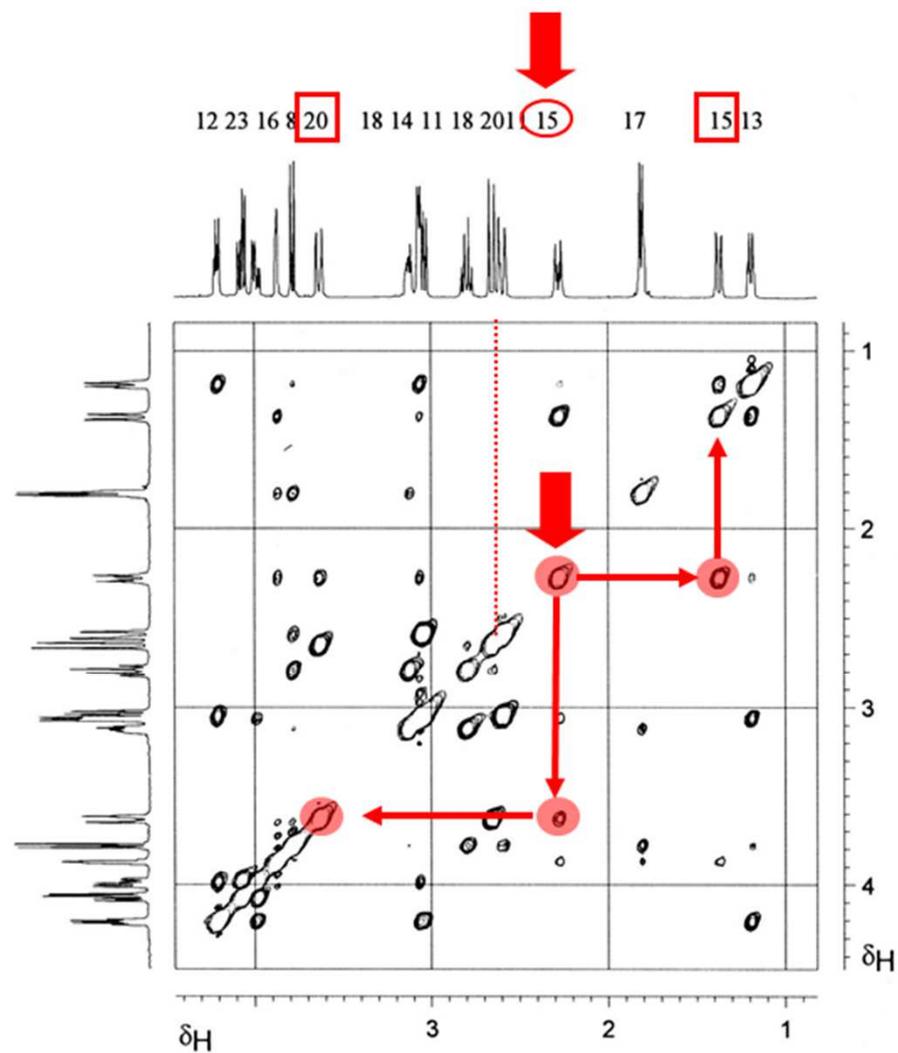
Progress in Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy
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The nuclear Overhauser effect from a quantitative perspective
Beat Vögeli

Abstract
The nuclear Overhauser enhancement or effect (NOE) is the most important measure in liquid-state NMR with macromolecules. Thus, the NOE is the subject of numerous reviews and books. Here, the NOE is revisited in light of our recently introduced measurements of exact nuclear Overhauser enhancements (eNOEs), which enabled the determination of multiple-state 3D protein structures. This review encompasses all relevant facets from the theoretical considerations to the use of eNOEs in multiple-state structure calculation. Important aspects include a detailed presentation of the relaxation theory relevant for the nuclear Overhauser effect, the estimation of the correction for spin diffusion, the experimental determination of the eNOEs, the conversion of eNOE rates into distances and validation of their quality, the distance-restraint classification and the protocols for calculation of structures and ensembles.

An example

Nuclear Overhauser Effect Spectroscopy

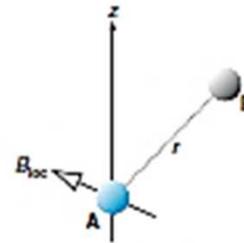


Other relaxation mechanisms

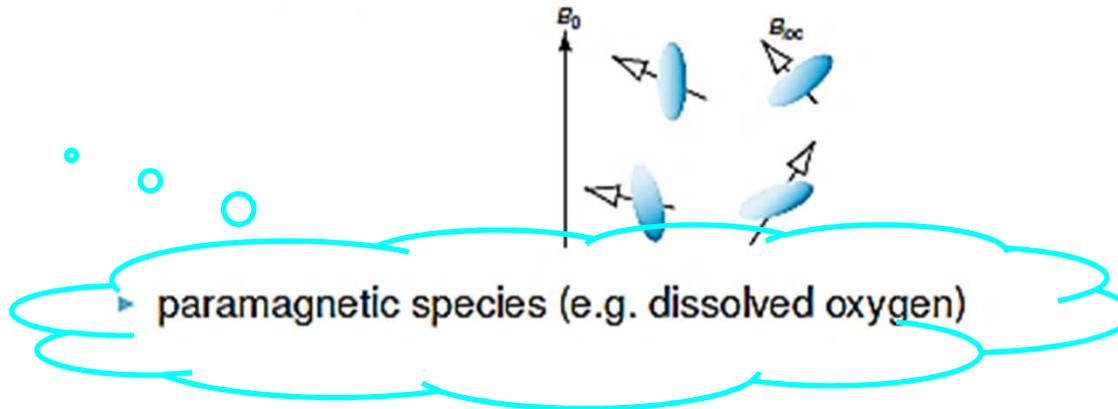
$$\frac{1}{T_1} = \left(\frac{1}{T_1}\right)_{\text{paramagnetic}} + \left(\frac{1}{T_1}\right)_{\text{quadrupole}} + \left(\frac{1}{T_1}\right)_{\text{dipole}} + \left(\frac{1}{T_1}\right)_{\text{chem. shift}} + \dots$$

Cross relaxation

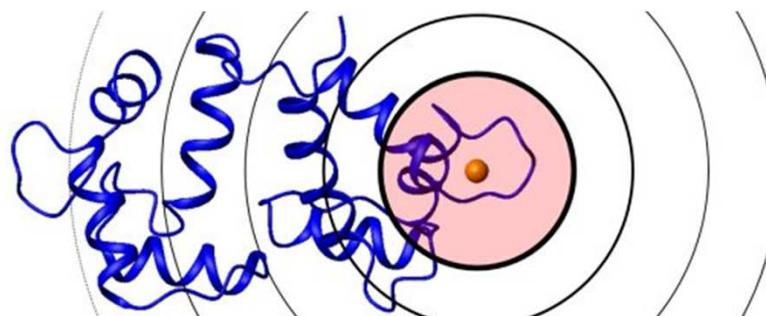
- ▶ dipolar: local field goes as $\gamma_1\gamma_2/r^3$



- ▶ chemical shift anisotropy (CSA): local field goes as B_0 and typically depends on shift range

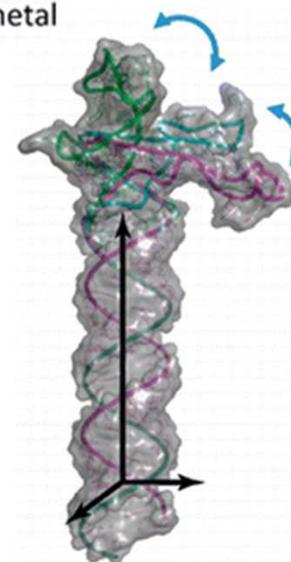
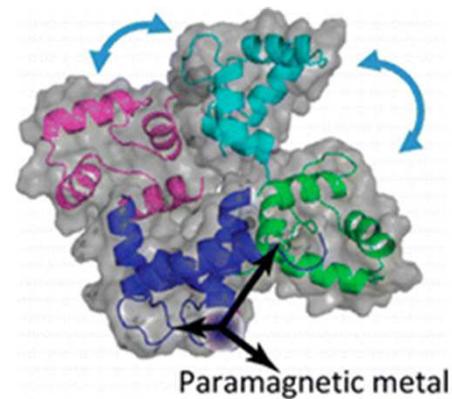


Applications: electronic paramagnetic relaxation for biological macromolecules dynamics



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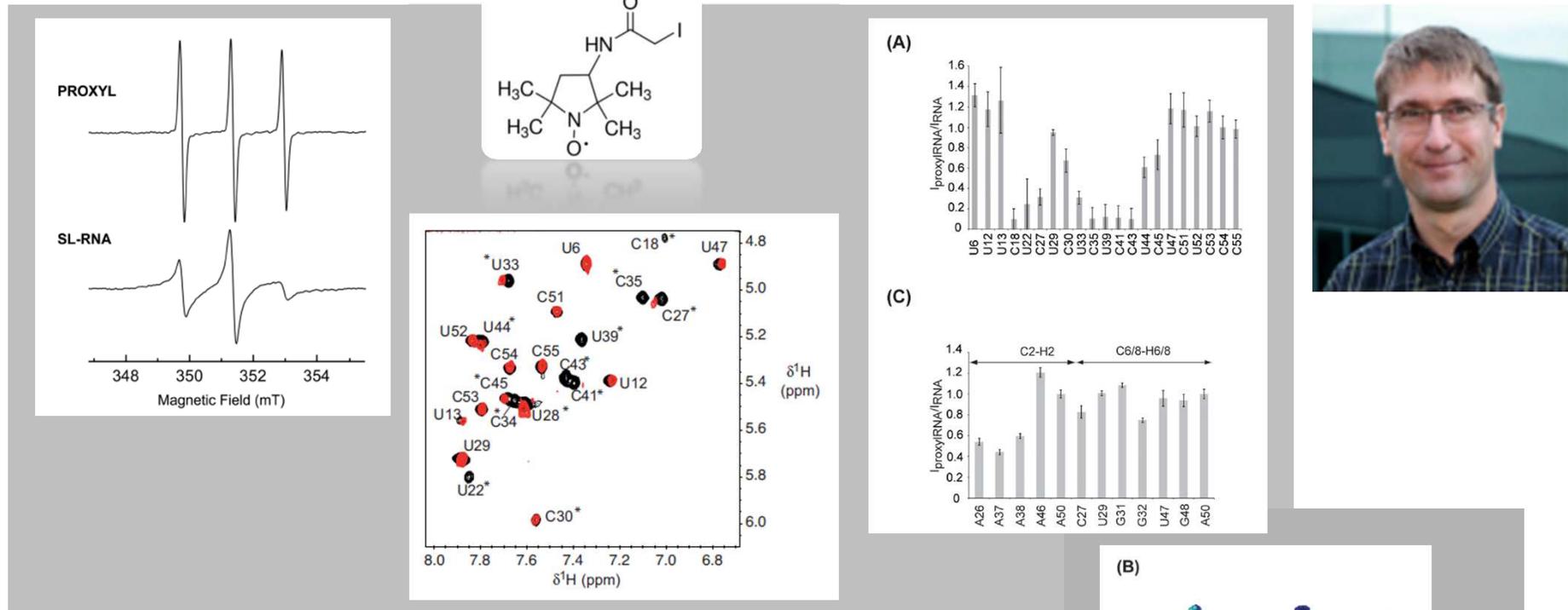
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- △ restraints for protein structure determination
- △ probe/nucleus distance
- △ dynamics
- △ EPR & NMR
- ...

paramagnetic ion in a molecule △
paramagnetic tag △
pseudocontact shift △
residual dipolar couplings △
paramagnetic relaxation △
... △

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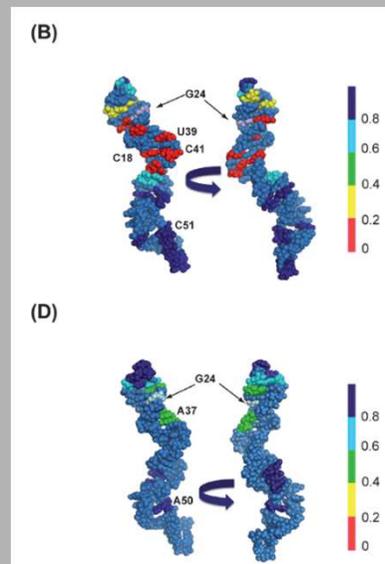


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A fully enzymatic method for site-directed spin labeling of long RNA

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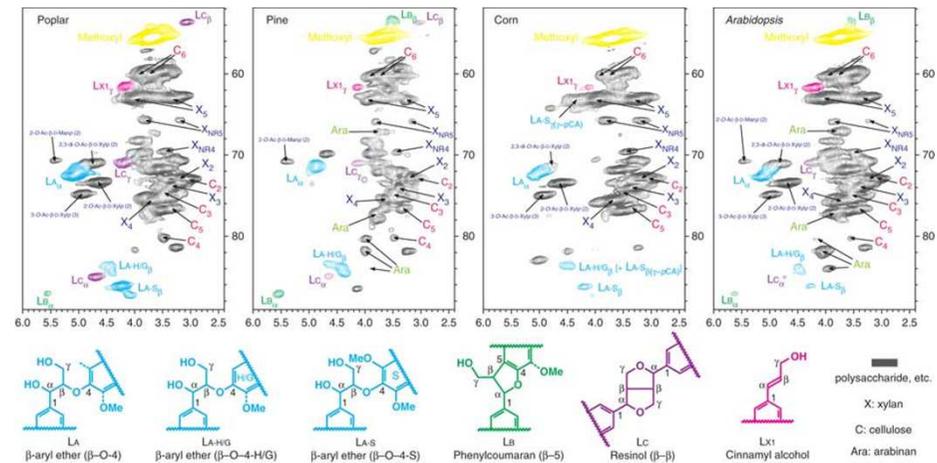
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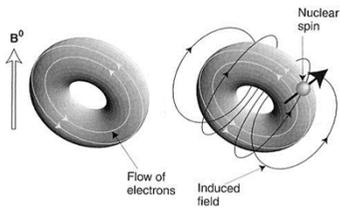


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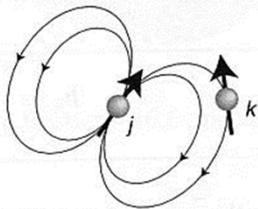


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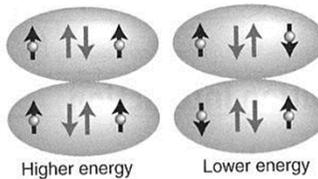
Internal interactions



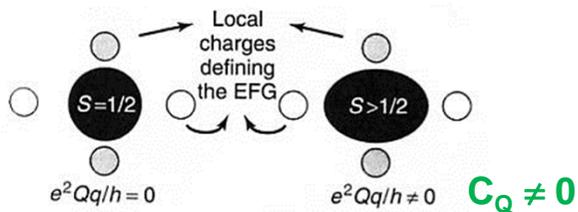
chemical shift : δ



dipolar coupling : D



indirect coupling : J



quadrupolar interaction ($I > 1/2$)

Levitt, Spin dynamics, 2002.

Frydman, Encyclopedia of NMR, supp. Vol., 263.

mathematical treatment

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{int}} = \hbar \hat{\mathbf{I}} \cdot \mathbf{A} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{X}} = \hbar (\hat{I}_x \quad \hat{I}_y \quad \hat{I}_z) \begin{pmatrix} A_{xx} & A_{xy} & A_{xz} \\ A_{yx} & A_{yy} & A_{yz} \\ A_{zx} & A_{zy} & A_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{X}_x \\ \hat{X}_y \\ \hat{X}_z \end{pmatrix}$$

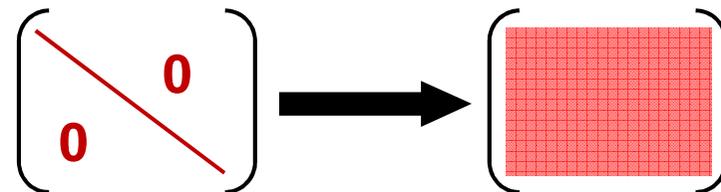
(CS, D, Q...)

nuclear spin operator

**A: the interaction
second rank tensor
(assumed)**

anisotropy: why ?

other spin operator or B_0 ...

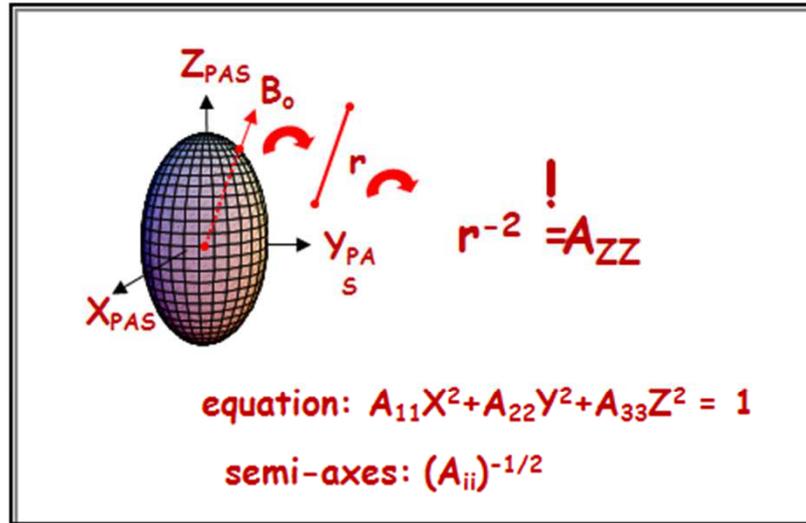
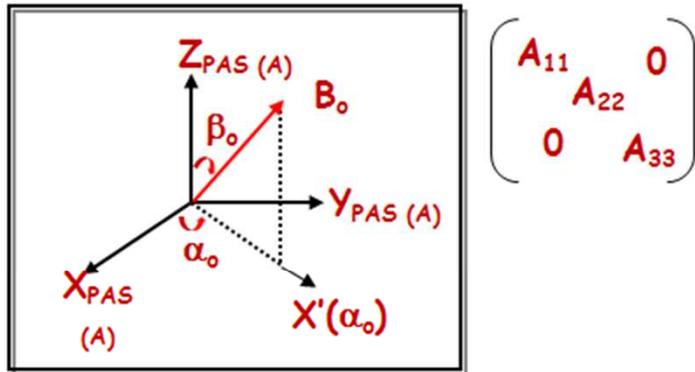


diagonal in the PAS
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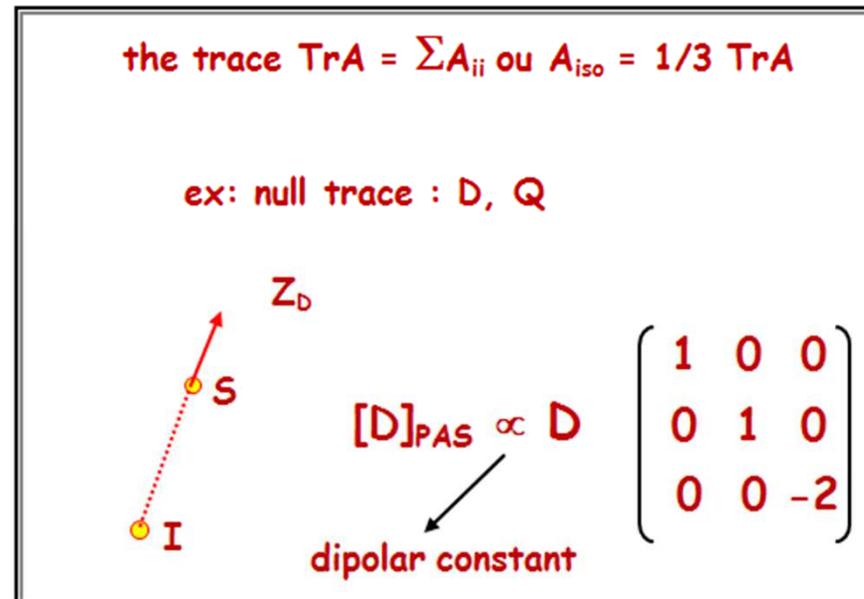
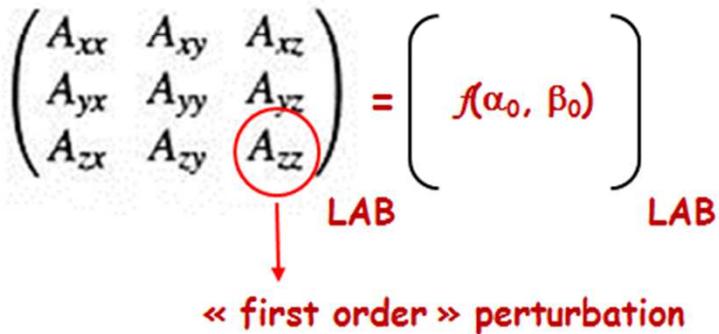
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Principal values – ellipsoid representation

For each interaction A (CS, D, Q...)

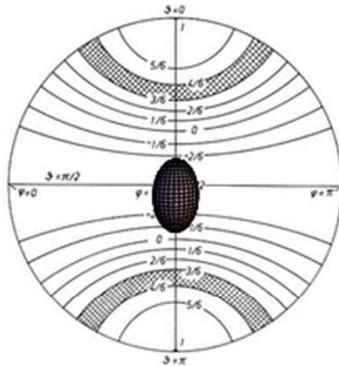
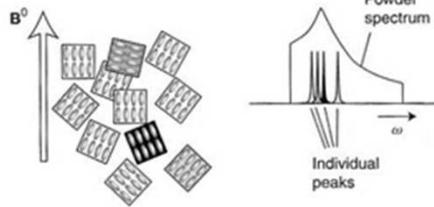


... at the level of the nucleus ...



Powders available

...how to build a CSA lineshape ?



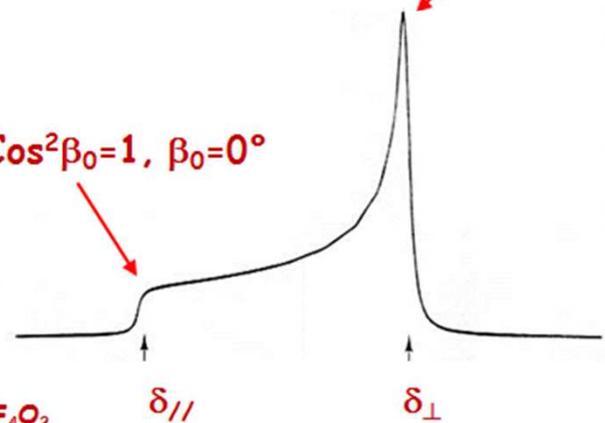
ex : $\delta_{11} = \delta_{22} = \delta_{\perp}$ and $\delta_{33} = \delta_{//}$

$$r^{-2} = \delta_{ZZ} = (\delta_{\perp} \sin^2 \beta_0 + \delta_{//} \cos^2 \beta_0)$$

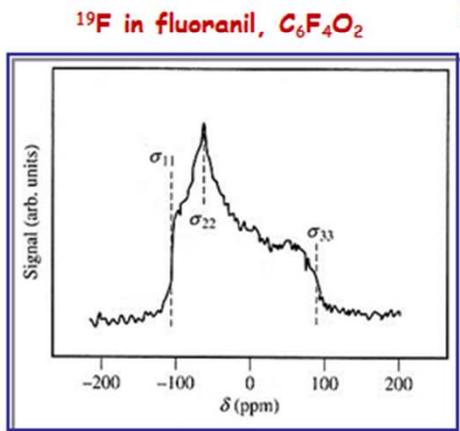
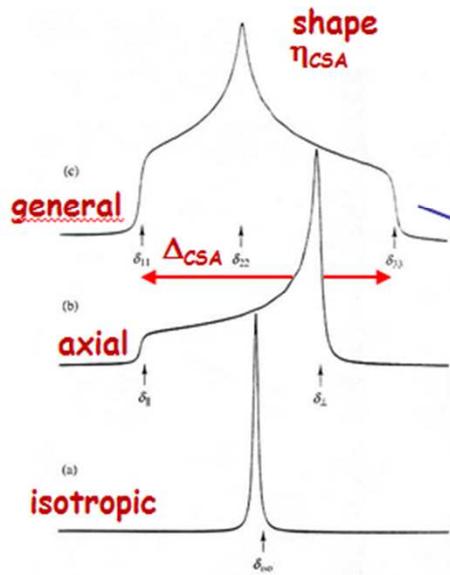
Ellipsoid of revolution!

$\cos^2 \beta_0 = 0, \beta_0 = 90^\circ$

$\cos^2 \beta_0 = 1, \beta_0 = 0^\circ$



Levitt, Spin dynamics, 2002.
Haeberlen, High resolution NMR in solids, selective averaging, 1976.



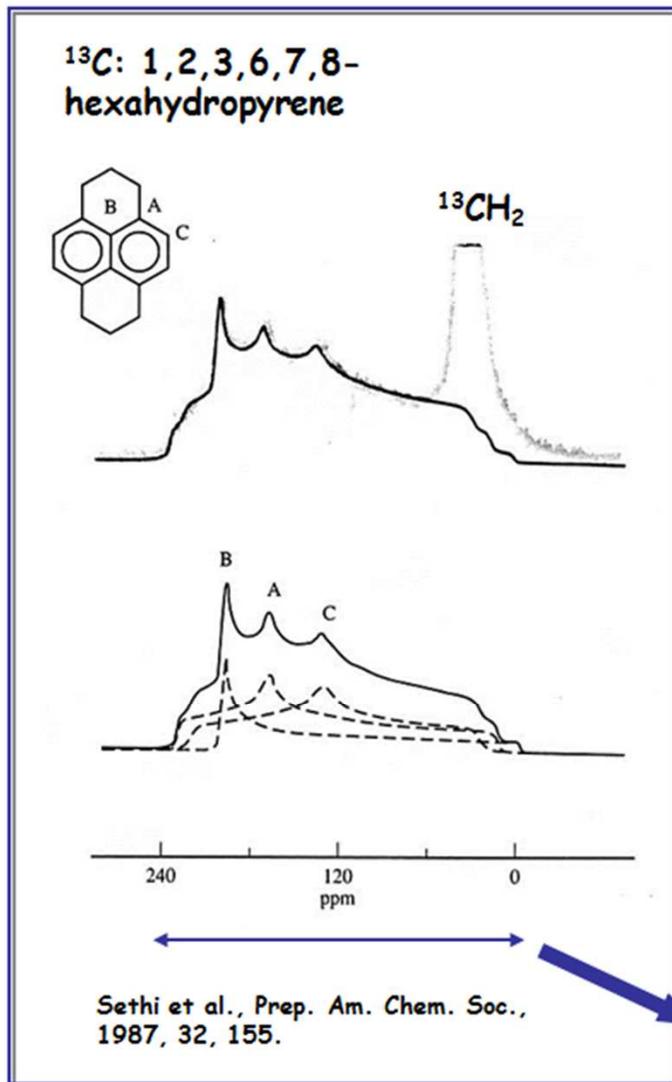
shape: elliptic integrals

$$K(m) = \int_0^{\pi/2} d\varphi (1 - m \sin^2 \varphi)^{-1/2}$$

Mehring et al., J. Chem. Phys., 1971, 59, 746.

Resolution in solid state NMR

an example...



All crystallographically equivalent nuclei participate to the same lineshape

All interactions broaden the lines

◆ CSA: it depends...

..... $\propto B_0$

◆ D: up to ~ 30 kHz !

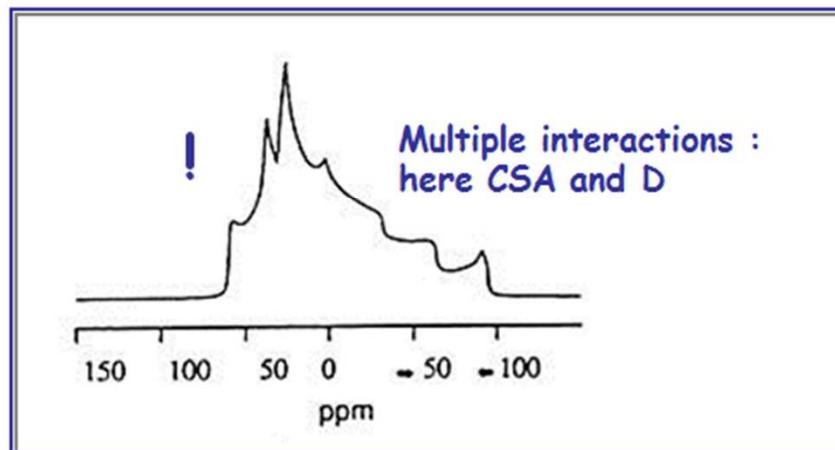
..... ind. B_0

◆ Q: up to MHz !

{ ind. B_0 . (1st)
1/ B_0 (2nd)

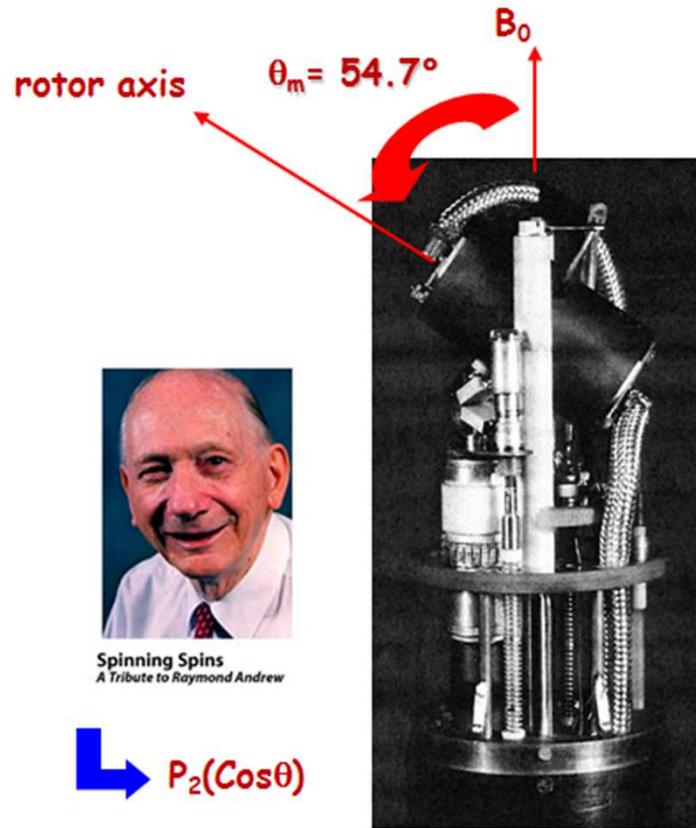
◆ J: few 100^s Hz

..... ind. B_0

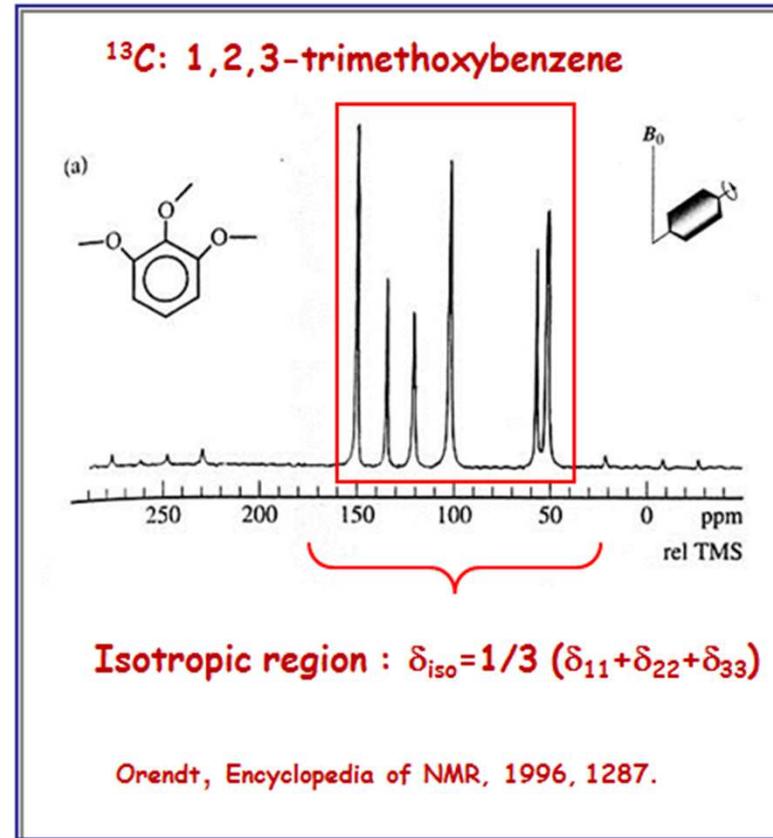


Broadening over the whole ¹³C chemical shift range !

Magic Angle Spinning (MAS): a kind ...of miracle (Andrew *et al.* , Nature, 1959)



Doty, Encyclopedia of NMR, 1996, 4477.



Free Induction Decays of Rotating Solids

I. J. Lowe
Phys. Rev. Lett. **2**, 285 – Published 1 April 1959

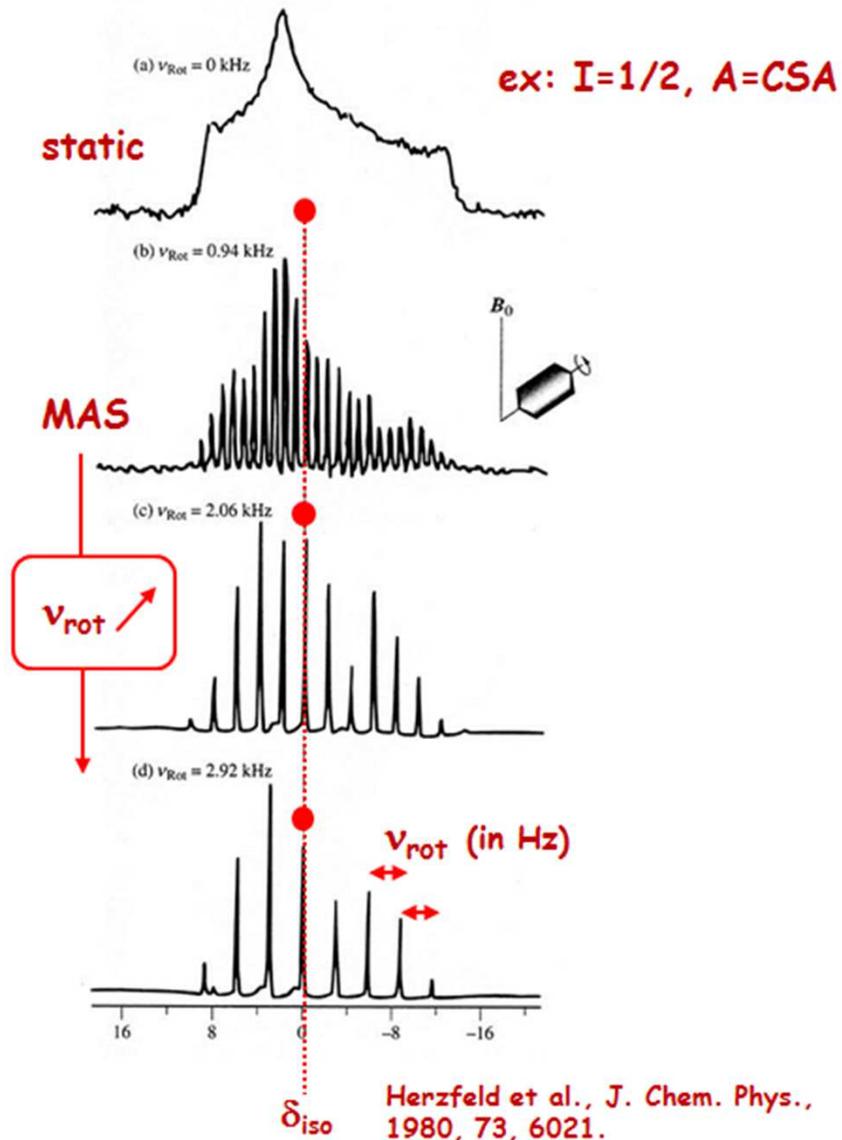
MAS at « infinite » frequency

$$\nu_{\text{rot}} > \Delta_A \quad (A = \text{CSA}, D, Q \dots)$$

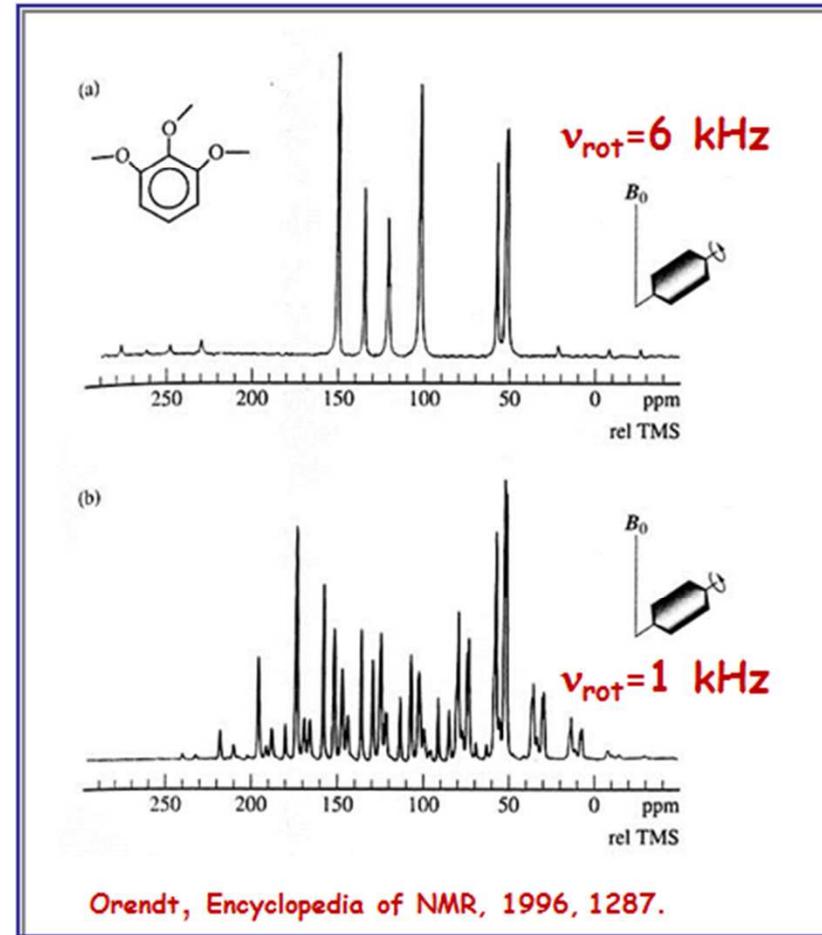
question: is it actually possible ?...

MAS at finite frequency

³¹P: dipalmitoylphosphatidylcholine



"explosion" of the spectrum in sharp spinning sidebands

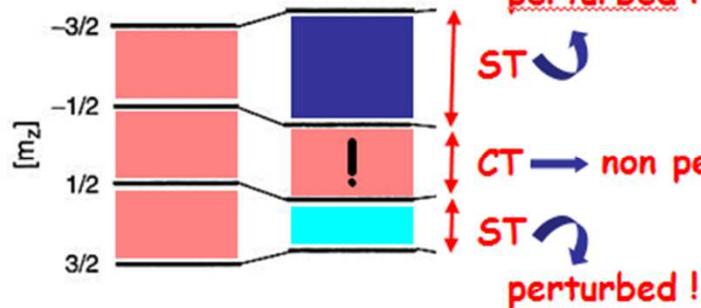


Quadrupolar interaction ($I > \frac{1}{2}$): first order perturbation theory

$I > \frac{1}{2}$ (^{27}Al , ^{23}Na , $^{17}\text{O}\dots$)

ex: $I=3/2$

Zeeman interaction First-order effect

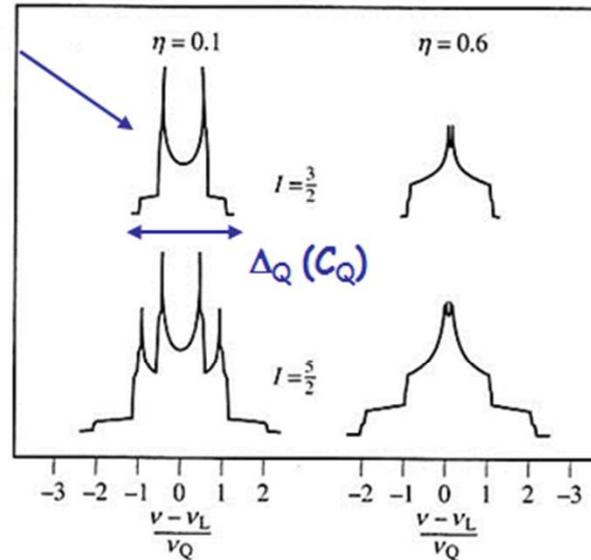


Multitransitions system

CT: central transition

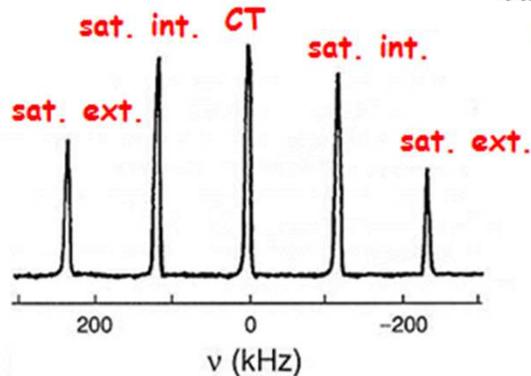
ST: satellite transitions

shape η_Q
 $C_Q = e^2qQ/h$



Freude et al., NMR Basic
 Princ. Prog., 1993, 29, 25.

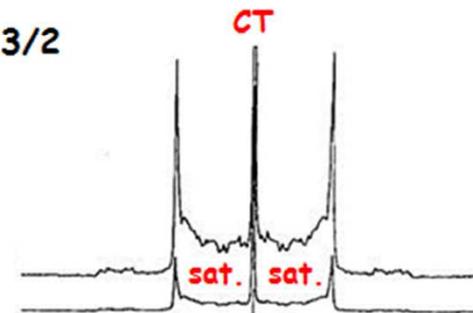
$I = 5/2$



^{27}Al in $\alpha\text{-Al}_2\text{O}_3$
 single crystal

$I = 3/2$

^{23}Na in NaNO_3
 powder



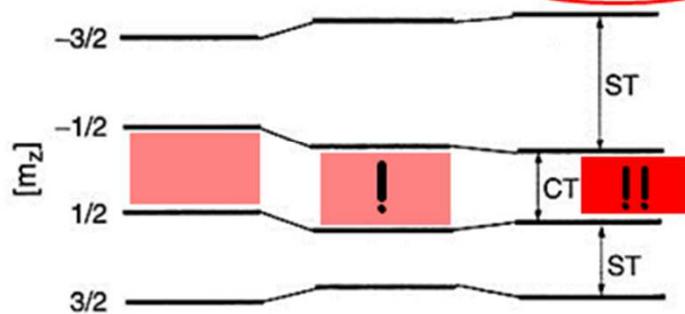
Man, Encyclopedia of analytical chemistry, 2000, 12229.

Quadrupolar interaction ($I > 1/2$): second order perturbation theory

C_Q : 3 to 15 MHz...

$I=3/2$

Zeeman interaction First-order effect **Second-order effect**



$$w_{-1/2,1/2}^{(2)\text{static}} = -\frac{1}{6w_L} \left[\frac{3e^2qQ}{2I(2I-1)\hbar} \right]^2 \left\{ I(I+1) - \frac{3}{4} \right\} \times \{ \underline{A(\alpha, \eta) \cos^4 \beta} + \underline{B(\alpha, \eta) \cos^2 \beta} + C(\alpha, \eta) \}$$

$$A(\alpha, \eta) = -\frac{27}{8} + \frac{9}{4}\eta \cos 2\alpha - \frac{3}{8}(\eta \cos 2\alpha)^2$$

$$B(\alpha, \eta) = \frac{30}{8} - \frac{1}{2}\eta^2 - 2\eta \cos 2\alpha + \frac{3}{4}(\eta \cos 2\alpha)^2$$

$$C(\alpha, \eta) = -\frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{3}\eta^2 - \frac{1}{4}\eta \cos 2\alpha - \frac{3}{8}(\eta \cos 2\alpha)^2$$

Man, Encyclopedia of analytical chemistry, 2000, 12229.

$H_Q \sim H_{\text{Zeeman}}$: **second order perturbations**



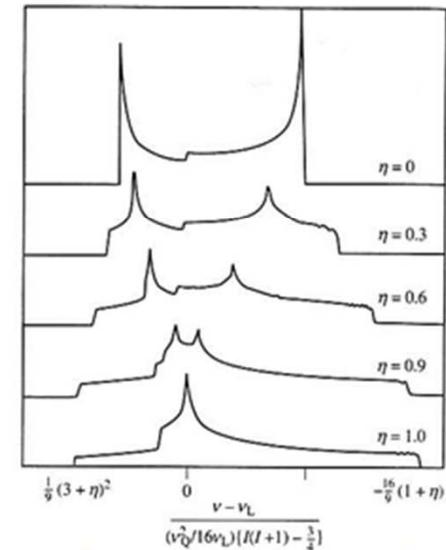
All transitions (**ST and CT**) are perturbed

Mathematical treatment...?

shape : η_Q

$$\Delta \sim C_Q^2 / \nu_L$$

idea : B_0



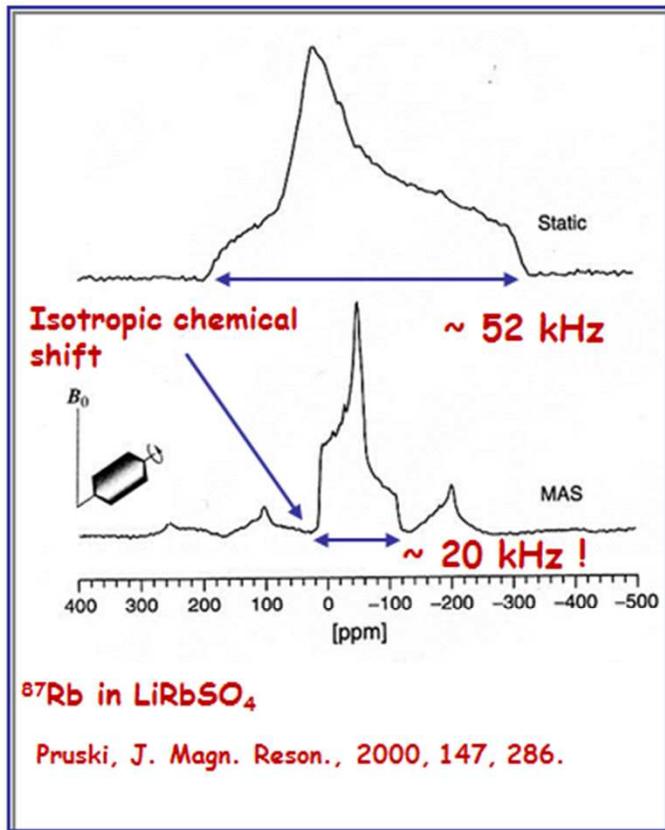
$$\frac{(\nu_Q^2/16\nu_L)(I(I+1) - \frac{3}{4})}{\nu_L}$$

Δ

Freude et al., NMR Basic Princ. Prog., 1993, 29, 27.

Quadrupolar interaction (second order): MAS

theorem: MAS has an effect... But the second order broadening effect is only partially averaged !



even at « infinite » MAS frequency !

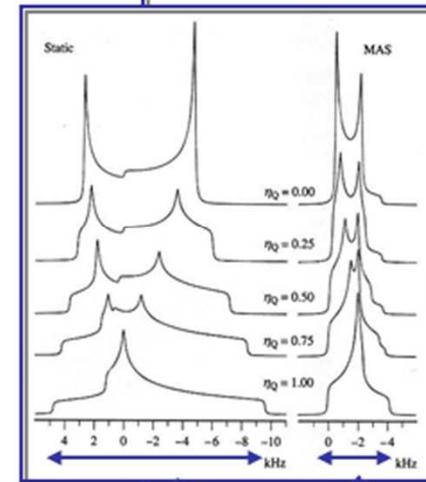
WHY ? (without any calculation)

MAS rotation: efficient for

- ◆ ellipsoids
- ◆ $\text{Cos}^2(\alpha_0, \beta_0)$
- ◆ $P_2(\text{Cos}\theta)$

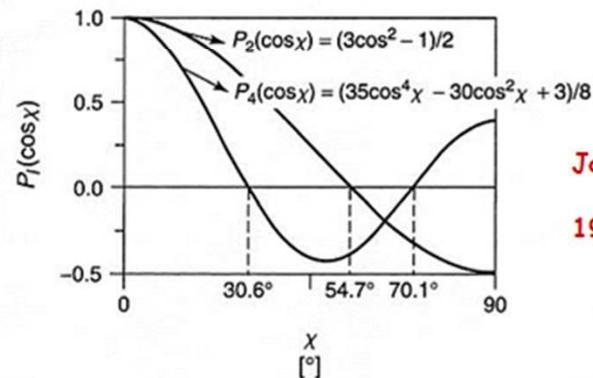
... But not for:

- ◆ quartics
- ◆ $\text{Cos}^4(\alpha_0, \beta_0), \text{Cos}^2(\alpha_0, \beta_0)$
- ◆ $P_4(\text{Cos}\theta), P_2(\text{Cos}\theta)$



Δ_{static}

Δ_{MAS}



Jakobsen, Encyclopedia of NMR, 1996, 2371.

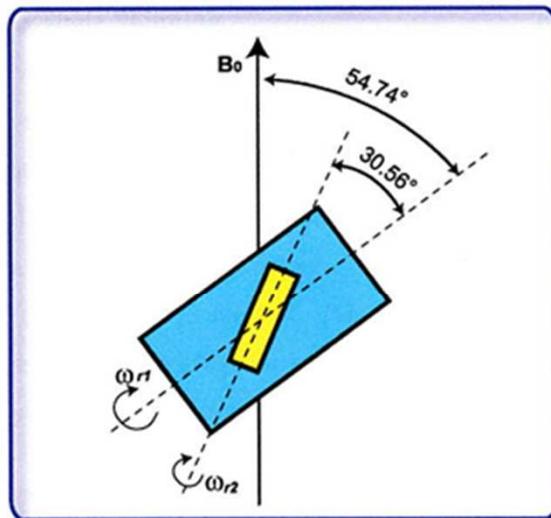
? $P_4(\text{Cos}\theta) = P_2(\text{Cos}\theta) = 0$?...NO !!

Quadrupolar nuclei and macroscopic reorientations

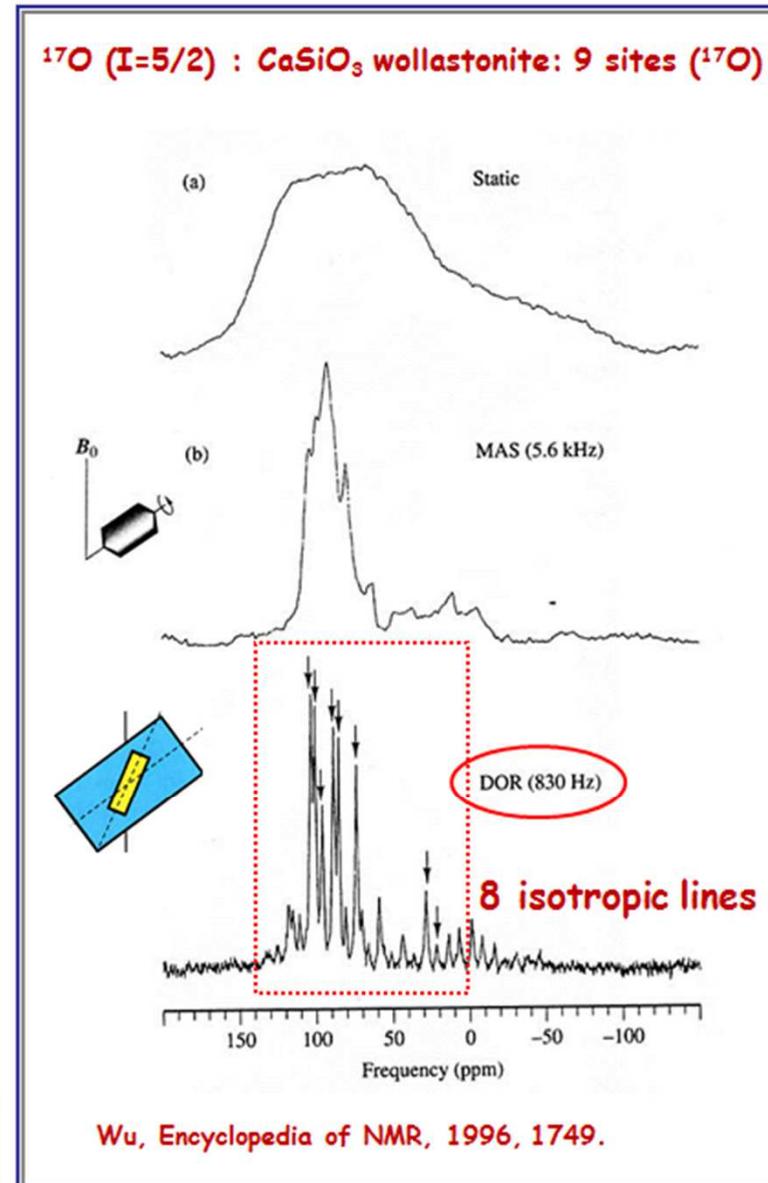
MAS: "one unique degree of freedom" (1959)

Let us invent an experiment with 2 angles of reorientation !

DOR experiment (DO**uble Rotation)**
(Samoson, Pines, 1988)



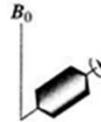
1D experiment



Rotation around a unique axis: MQ-MAS

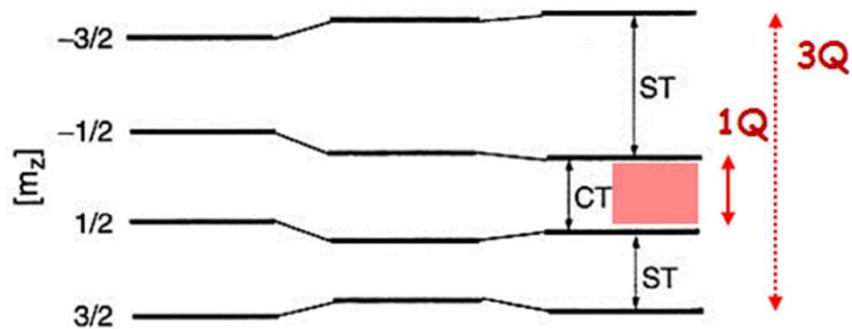
DAS and DOR: 1 transition (CT) et 2 angles...

MQ-MAS (Multiple Quantum MAS)
(Frydman, 1995)

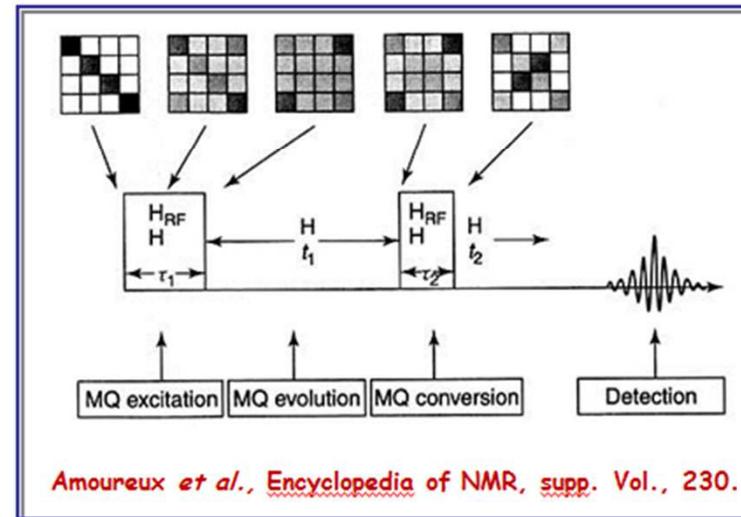
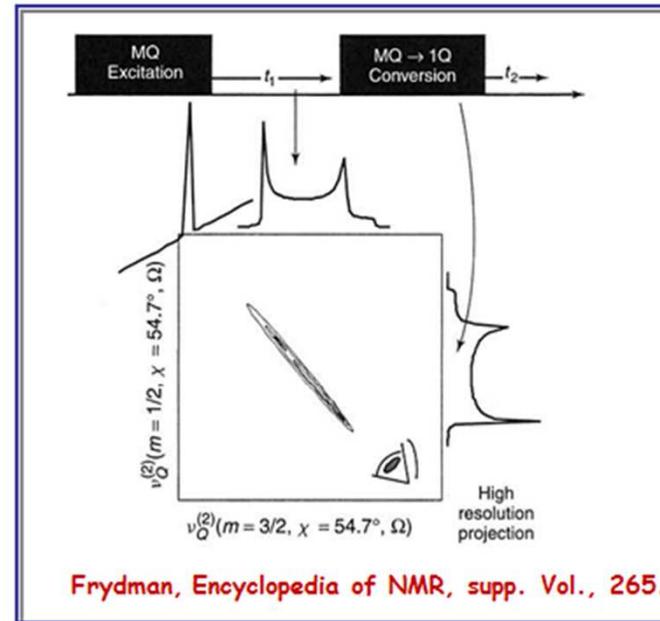


2 transitions (CT/MQ) and 1 angle (MAS) !

Zeeman interaction First-order effect Second-order effect



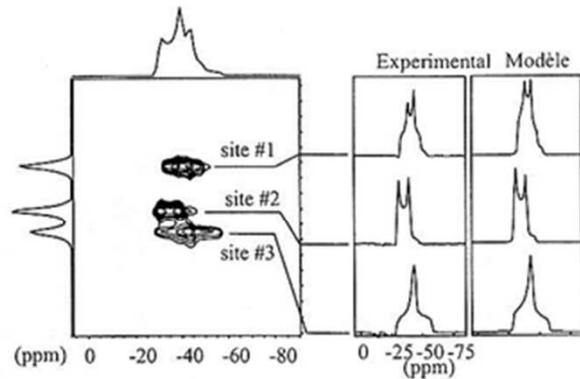
idea: 1Q and 3Q correlation to give ... an ECHO !



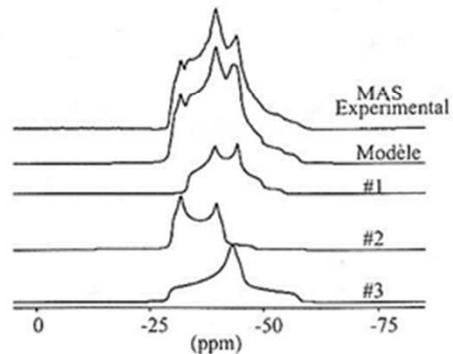
Applications of MQ-MAS

DAS and DOR: demanding techniques

MQ-MAS: much easier (...)

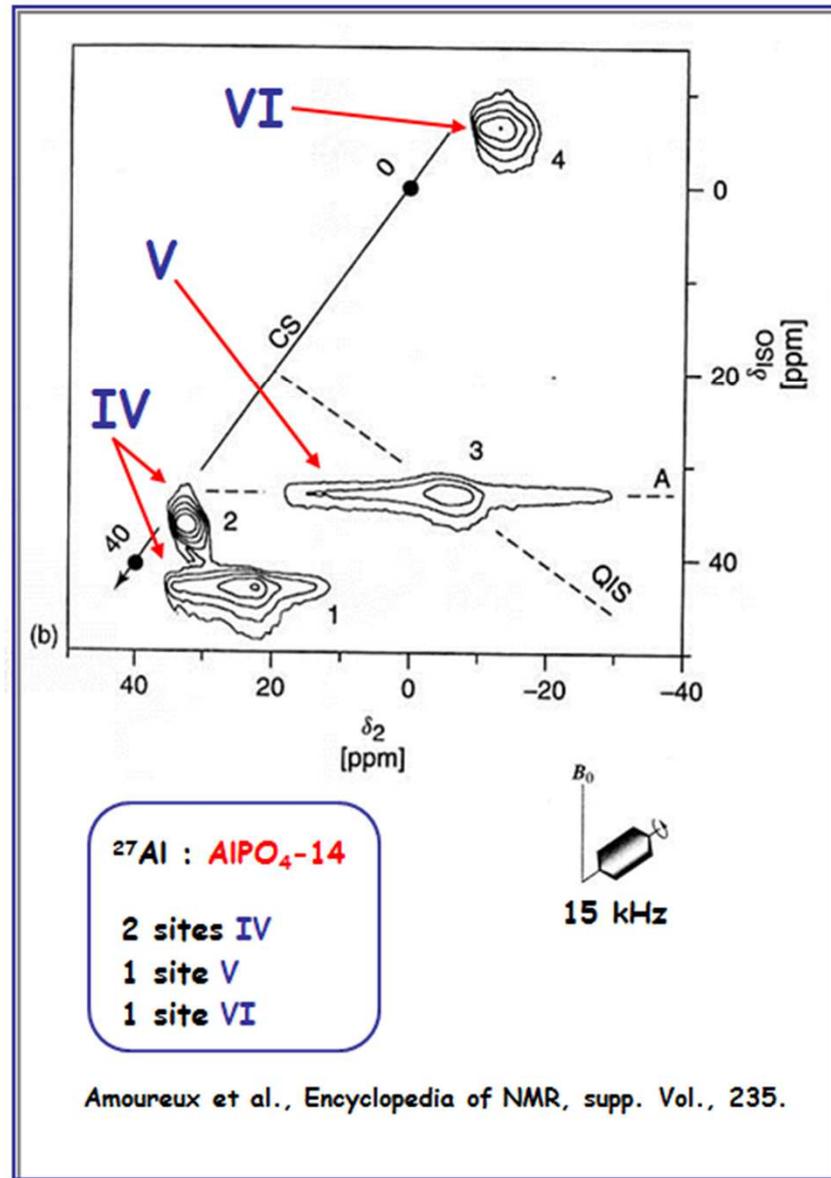
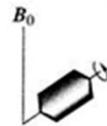


Site	MQ-MAS			Baltisberger <i>et al.</i> (1992)		
	δ_{CS}^{ISO} (ppm)	C_Q (MHz)	η_Q	δ_{CS}^{ISO} (ppm)	C_Q (MHz)	η_Q
#1	-31.3	1.79	0.55	-30.9	1.85	0.48
#2	-26.6	1.75	0.18	-26.2	1.83	0.12
#3	-28.5	1.99	0.91	-26.8	2.07	1.0



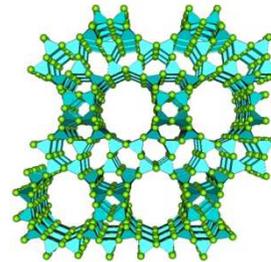
$^{87}\text{Rb} : \text{RbNO}_3$

Massiot, Ecole RMN des Houches, 1997.



Applications: NMR and materials

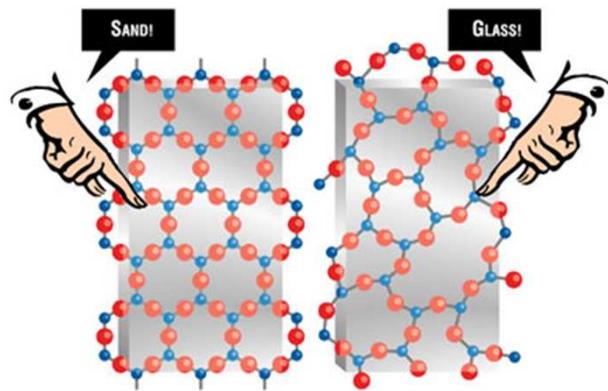
- △ crystals (organic, inorganic) & glasses
- △ polymers & soft materials
- △ organic-inorganic hybrids
- △ cements & pastes
- △ ceramics
- △ biomaterials
- △ catalysts & zeolites
- ...



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Most abundant isotopes in the periodic table

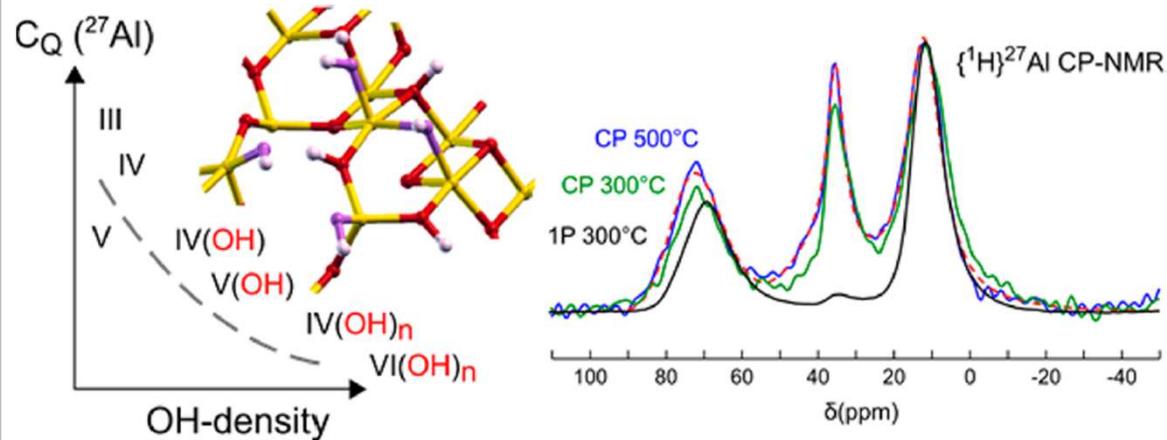
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Li	Be											B	C	N	O	F	Ne	
Na	Mg											Al	Si	P	S	Cl	Ar	
K	Ca	Sc	Ti	V	Cr	Mn	Fe	Co	Ni	Cu	Zn	Ga	Ge	As	Se	Br	Kr	
Rb	Sr	Y	Zr	Nb	Mo	Tc	Ru	Rh	Pd	Ag	Cd	In	Sn	Sb	Te	I	Xe	
Cs	Ba	La	Hf	Ta	W	Re	Os	Ir	Pt	Au	Hg	Tl	Pb	Bi	Po	At	Rn	
Fr	Ra	Ac																
			Ce	Pr	Nd	Pm	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Ho	Er	Tm	Yb	Lu		
			Th	Pa	U	Np	Pu	Am	Cm	Bk	Cf	Es	Fm	Md	No	Lr		



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(almost) all nuclei in the periodic table △
 ultra high field and ultra fast MAS △
 decoupling / recoupling under fast MAS △
 specific pulse schemes for Q nuclei △
DAS, DOR, MQMAS △
 very low / high T △
 ...

Applications: NMR and materials



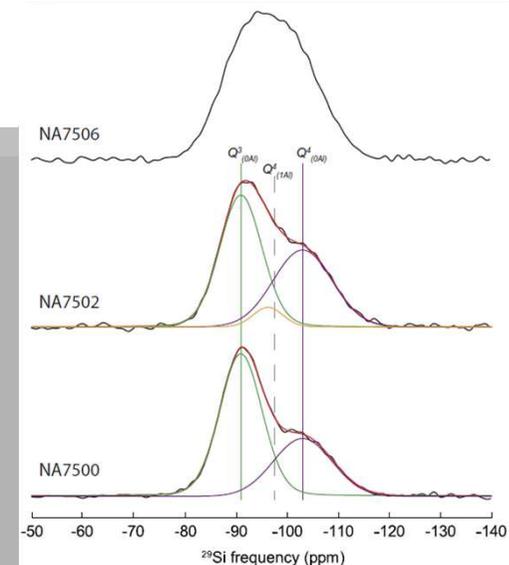
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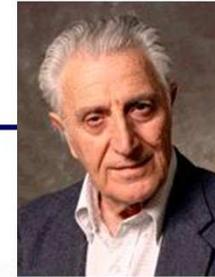
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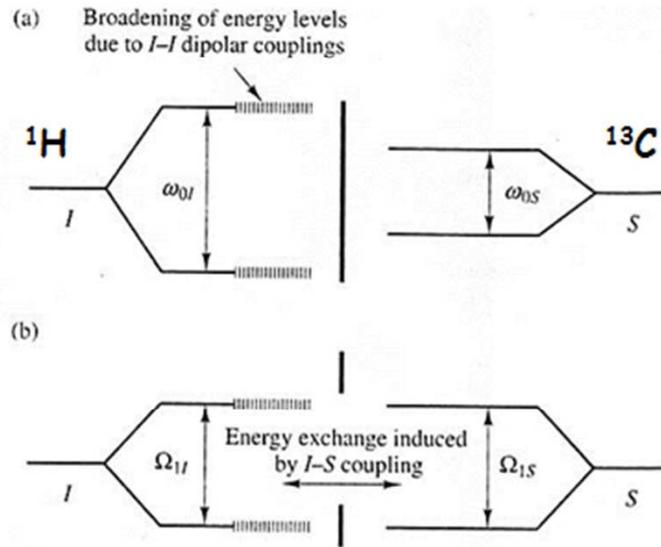
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Cross Polarization (CP) – Hartmann-Hahn condition



question: is it possible to transfer magnetization from ^1H to ^{13}C ?



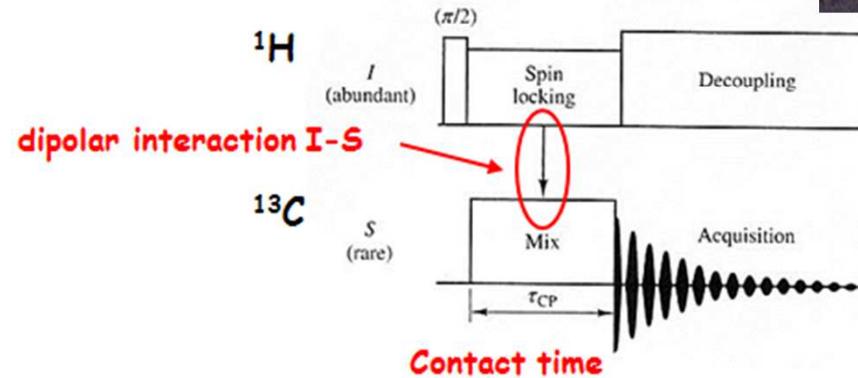
Engelke, Encyclopedia of NMR, 1996, 1530.

Hartmann and Hahn (1962):

NO in the LAB frame mais **YES** in the rotating frame

$\Omega_{1I} = \gamma_I B_{1I} = \Omega_{1S} = \gamma_S B_{1S}$
 Hartmann-Hahn condition on $B_1(\text{RF})$ fields

the most popular sequence

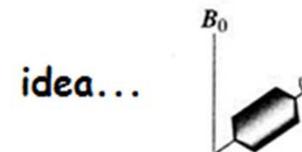


advantages:

- ◆ gain: $M_S (\gamma_{1H}/\gamma_S)$ → 4 for ^{13}C
10 for ^{15}N !
- ◆ $\tau_{CP} \sim \text{ms}$!
- ◆ $T_1(^1\text{H}) \ll T_1(^{13}\text{C})$
- ◆ ^{13}C FID with ^1H decoupling

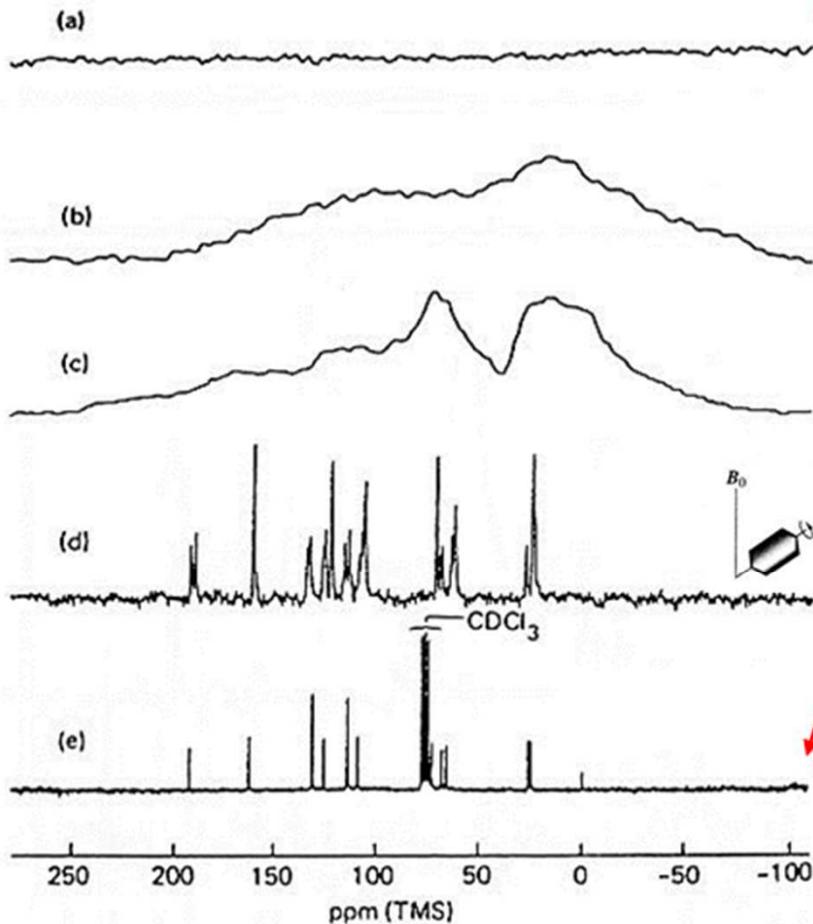
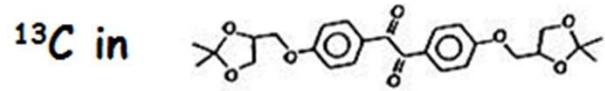


How to manage the ^{13}C CSA interaction ?



The CP MAS combination

	high resolution NMR	solid state NMR	clinical imaging
B_1 (Tesla)	$5 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$2 \cdot 10^{-3}$	10^{-5}



- (a) solid (solution state conditions)
- (b) CP (low power decoupling)
- (c) CP (high power decoupling)
- (d) CP MAS (high power decoupling)
- (e) solution (low power decoupling)

RF

$\Omega_{1I} = \Omega_{1S} \pm n \Omega_{rot}$

with $n = 1, 2$

B_0

MAS

modified Hartmann-Hahn conditions

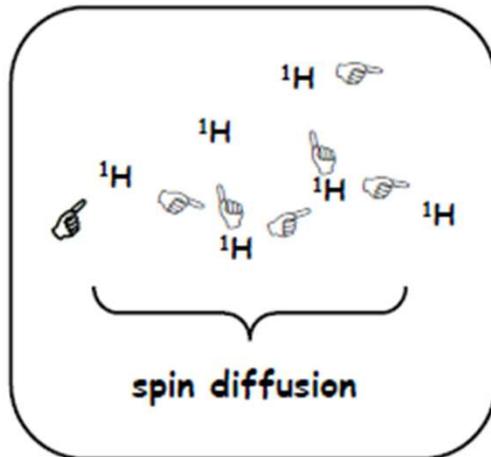
¹H solid state NMR

¹H: strongly coupled by the **homonuclear dipolar interaction** !

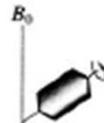
remember:

$$D_{\text{H}} \sim \gamma^2 / r_{\text{H}}^3 \text{ up to 30 kHz...}$$

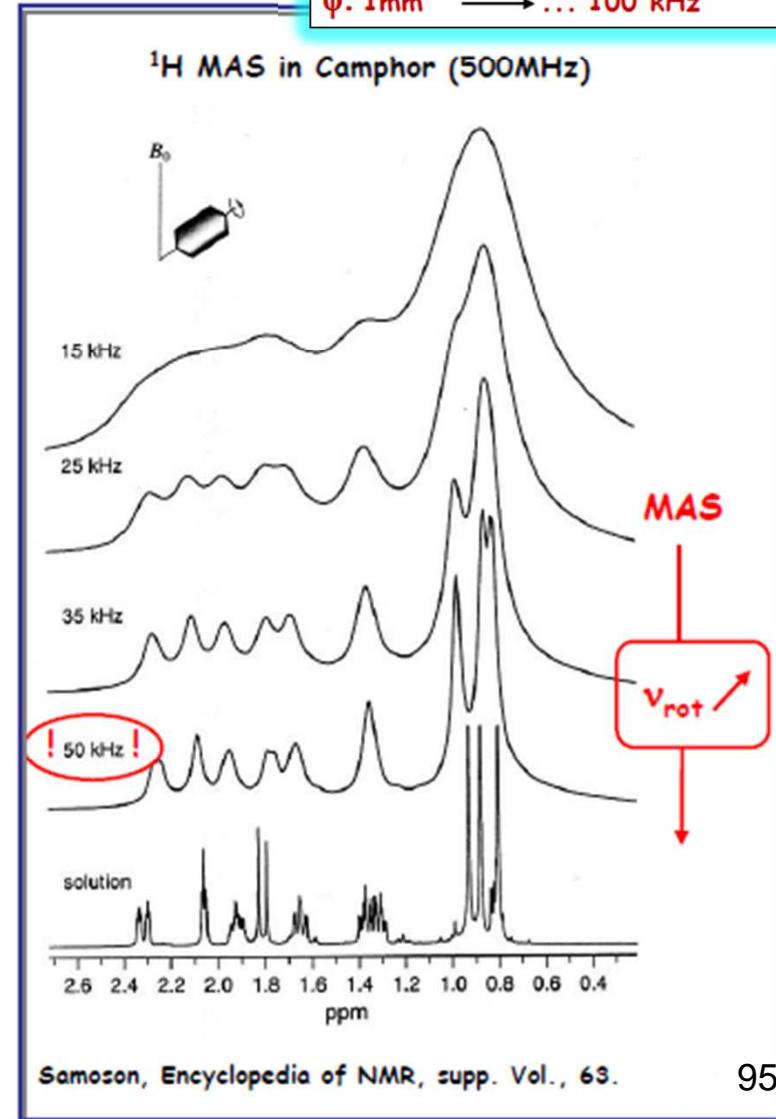
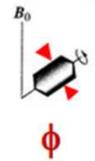
high for ¹H
rather small



question: is the MAS reorientation efficient ?

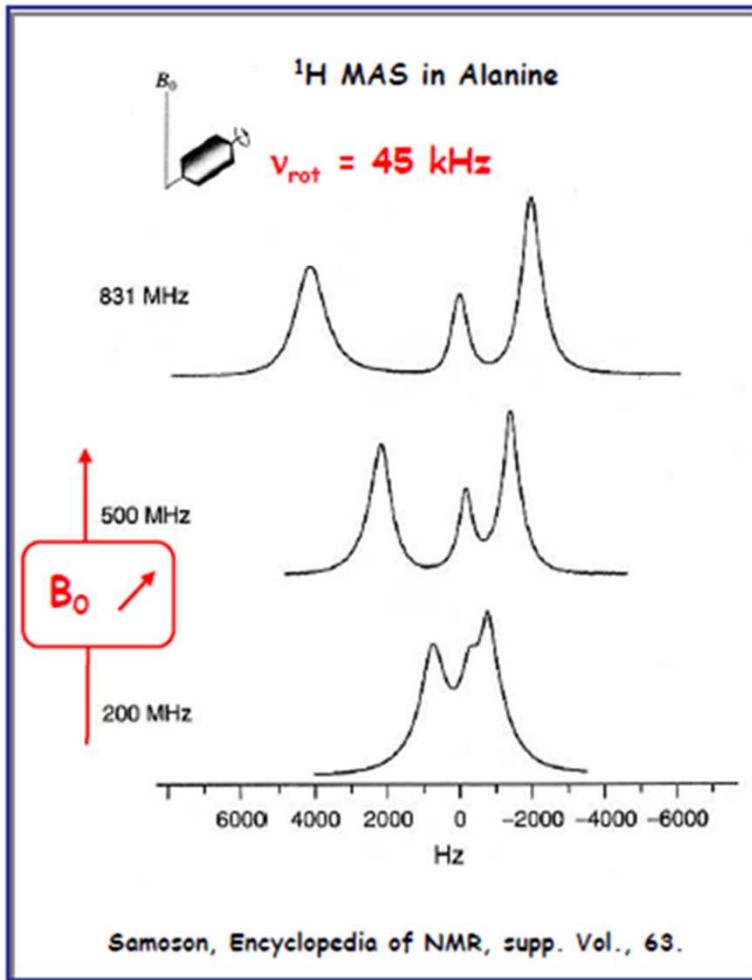


- ϕ: 7mm → ... 6 kHz
- ϕ: 4mm → ... 15 kHz
- ϕ: 2,5mm → ... 35 kHz
- ϕ: 1mm → ... 100 kHz

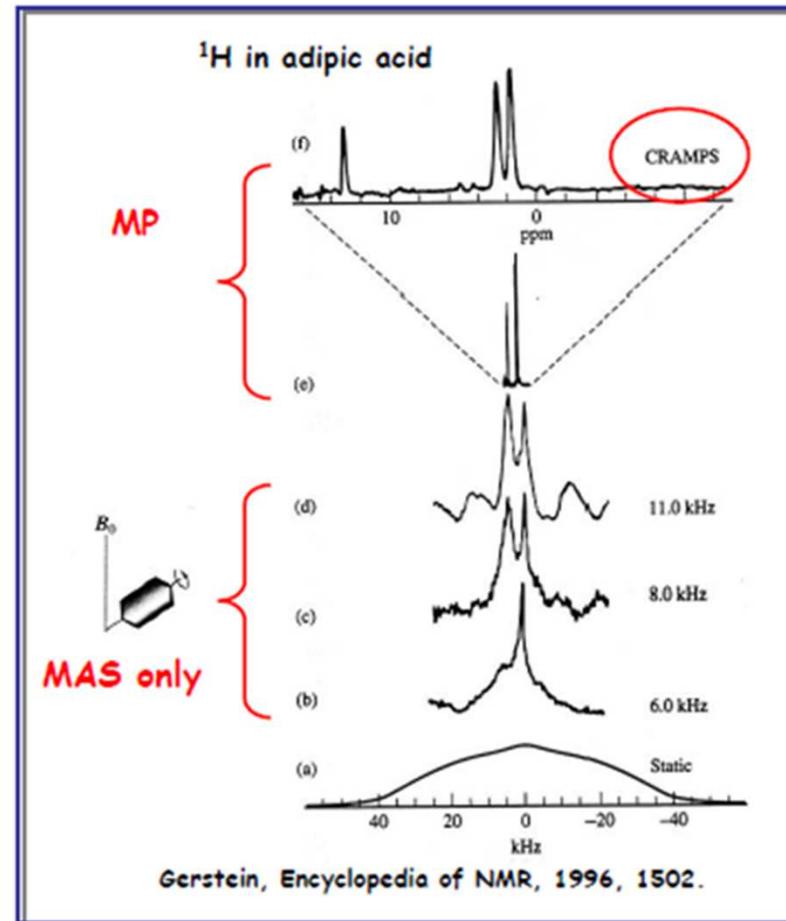


The combination of two averaging processes

first idea: highest B_0 and highest ν_{rot} !

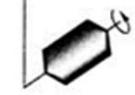


second idea: rotations in spin space !

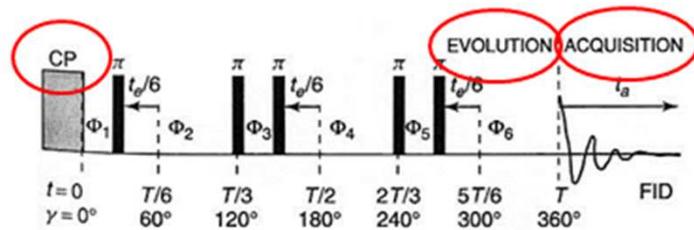


Decoupling / recoupling in solid state NMR

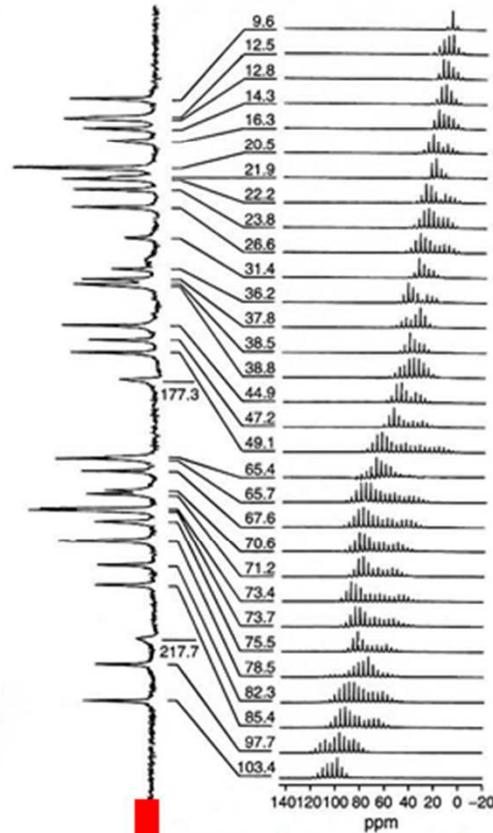
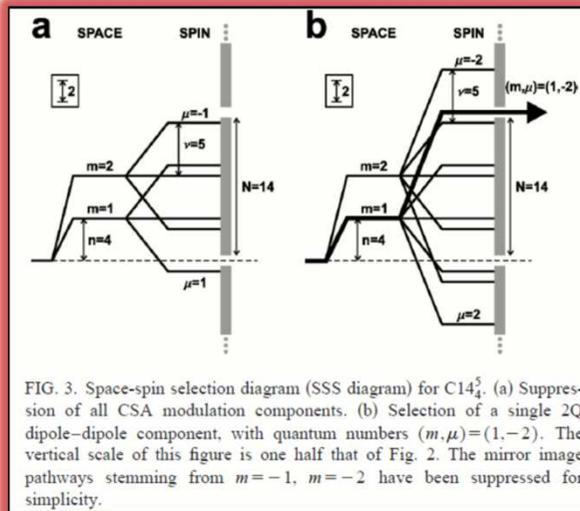
general idea: 2D correlations between isotropic δ and anisotropies

if  the interaction must be reintroduced

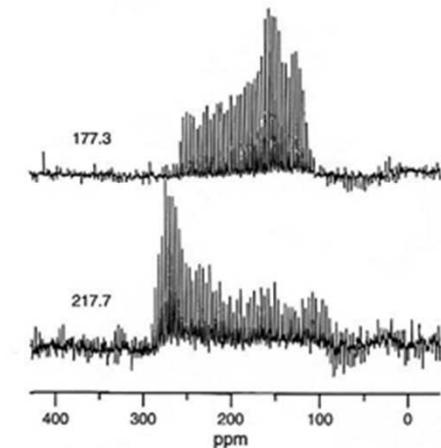
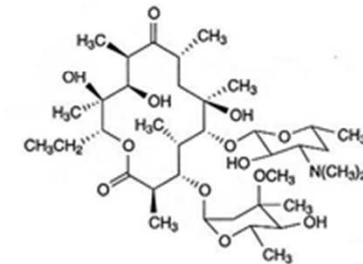
ex: δ_{iso} vs Δ_{CSA} - Magic Angle Turning



sensitivity



^{13}C : erythromicine A



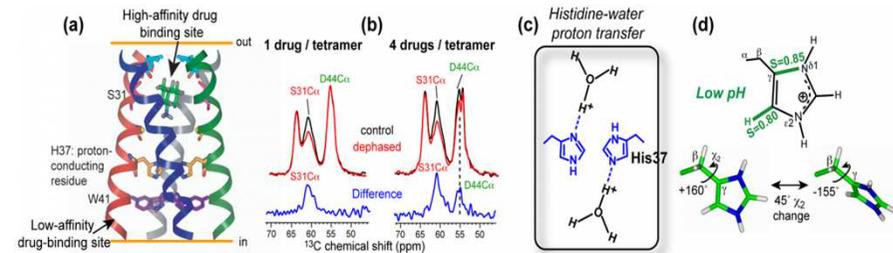
isotropic dim. ←

← CSA dim.

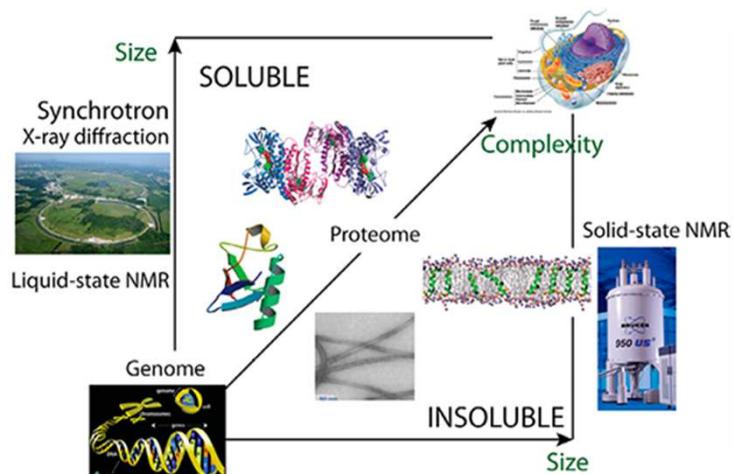
Applications: solid state NMR and biomolecules

- ⊞ proteins
- ⊞ role of water molecules
- ⊞ polymorphism
- ⊞ molecules of pharmaceutical interest

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^1H , ^{13}C , ^{15}N (^{17}O , ^{31}P) ⊞

^2H ⊞

ultra high B_0 field, ultra fast MAS ⊞

high res. ^1H solid state NMR: methodology ⊞

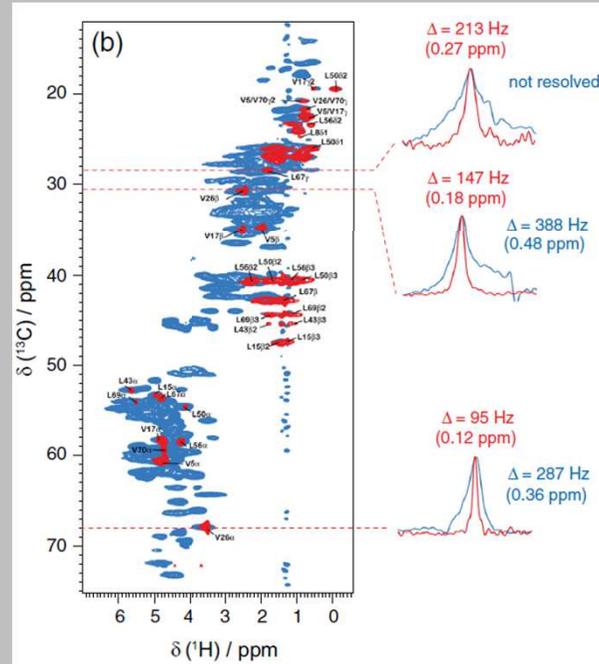
low power decoupling ⊞

sample preparation ⊞

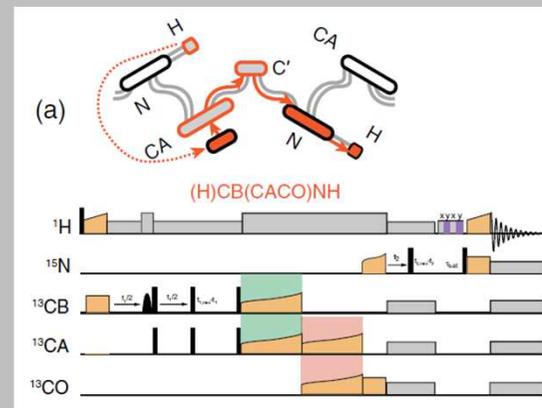
hyperpolarization (DNP...) ⊞

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Applications: solid state NMR and biomolecules



High-resolution proton-detected NMR of proteins at very fast MAS
 Loren B. Andreas^a, Tanguy Le Marchand^a, Kristaps Jaudzems^b, Guido Pintacuda^{a,*}
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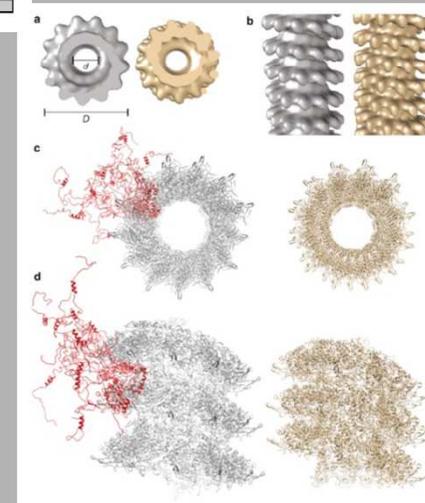


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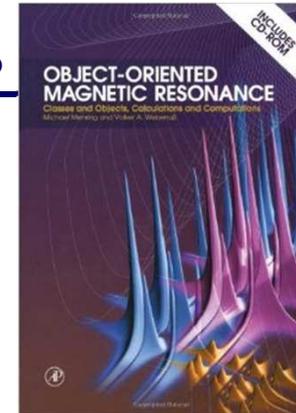
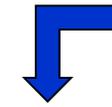
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Mathematical tools for solid state NMR experiments

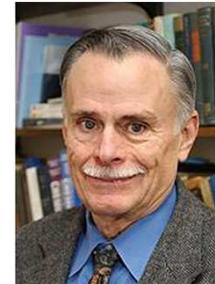
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Average Hamiltonian theory (AHT)

$$\hat{U}(nt_c) = [\hat{U}(t_c)]^n, \quad \hat{U}(t_c) = \exp \left[-\frac{i}{\hbar} t_c \hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_c) \right].$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_c) = \hat{\mathcal{H}}^{(0)} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \hat{\mathcal{H}}^{(k)}(t_c).$$



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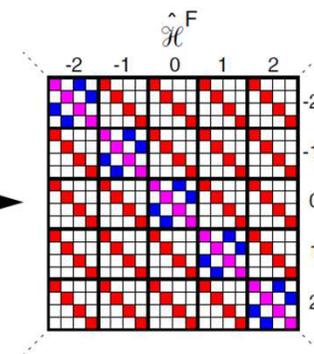
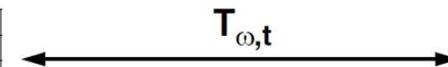
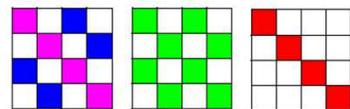
$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}^{(0)} = \frac{1}{t_c} \int_0^{t_c} dt \hat{\mathcal{H}}(t), \quad \text{Magnus expansion}$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}^{(1)}(t_c) = -\frac{i}{2\hbar t_c} \int_0^{t_c} dt_2 \int_0^{t_2} dt_1 [\hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_2), \hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_1)]_-,$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}^{(2)}(t_c) = -\frac{1}{6\hbar^2 t_c} \int_0^{t_c} dt_3 \int_0^{t_3} dt_2 \int_0^{t_2} dt_1 \left([\hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_3), [\hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_2), \hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_1)]_-]_- + [\hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_1), [\hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_2), \hat{\mathcal{H}}(t_3)]_-]_- \right) \text{ etc.}$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} {}^{(n)}\hat{\mathcal{H}} e^{in\omega t}$$

Floquet approach

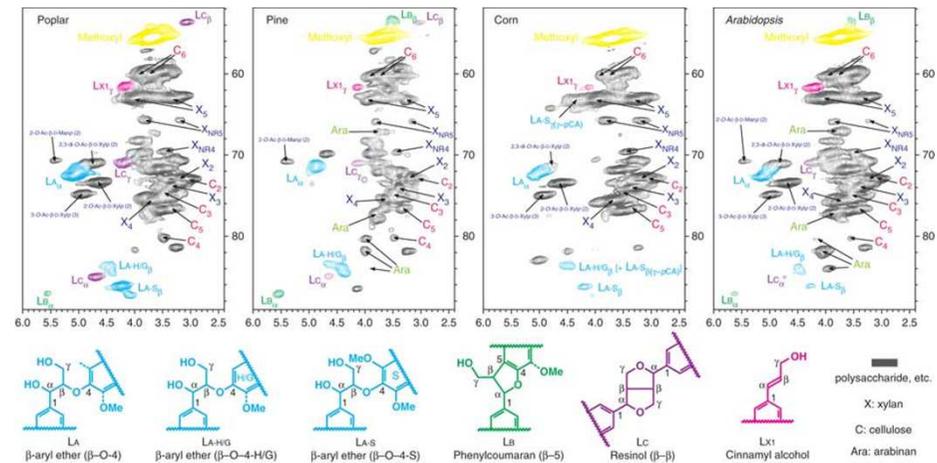


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Outline



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MRI



The Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine 2003
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Nobel Prize Award Ceremony

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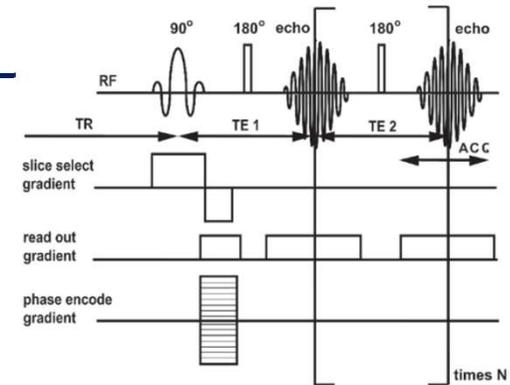


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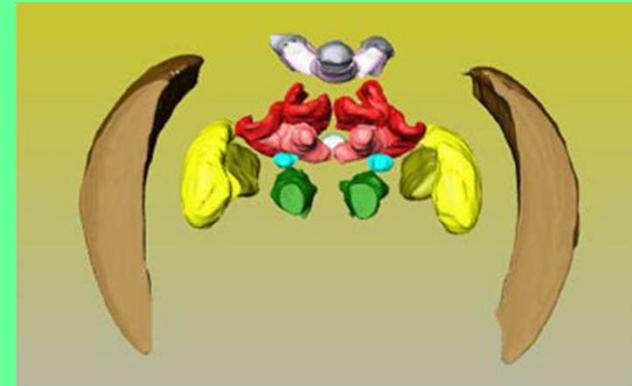
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NMR imaging of the honeybee brain

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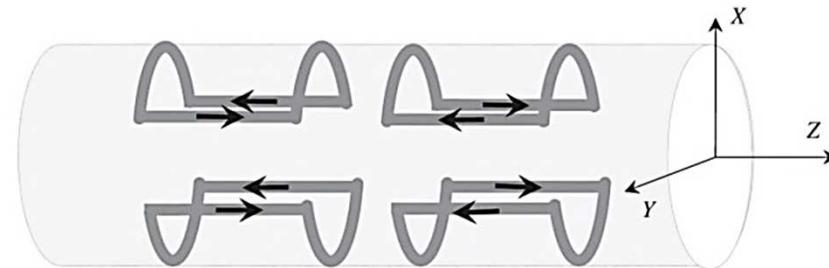
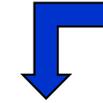


Introduction to gradients

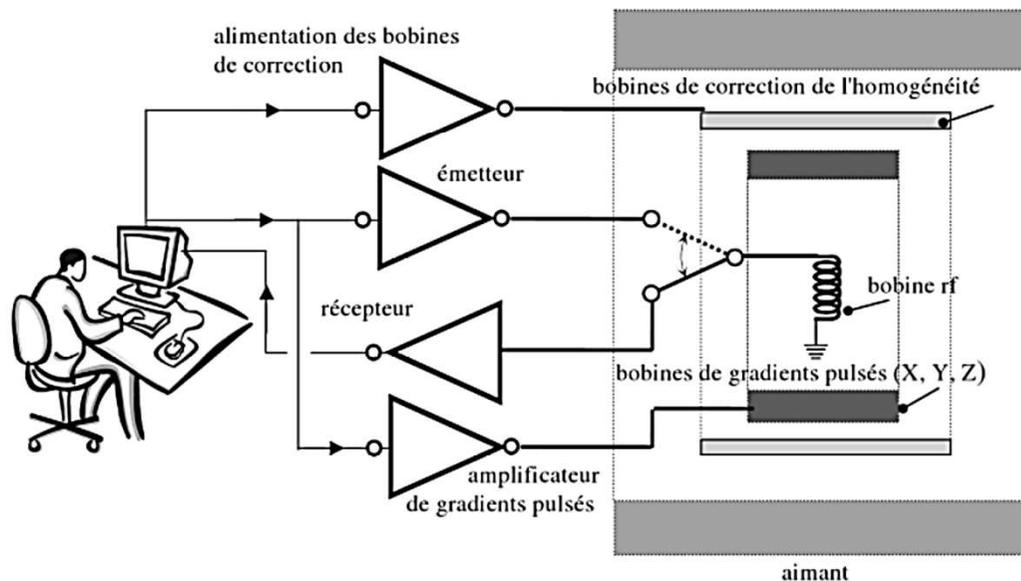
dedicated to:

- compensation of field inhomogeneities (shims)
- coherence selection
- space encoding for image acquisition

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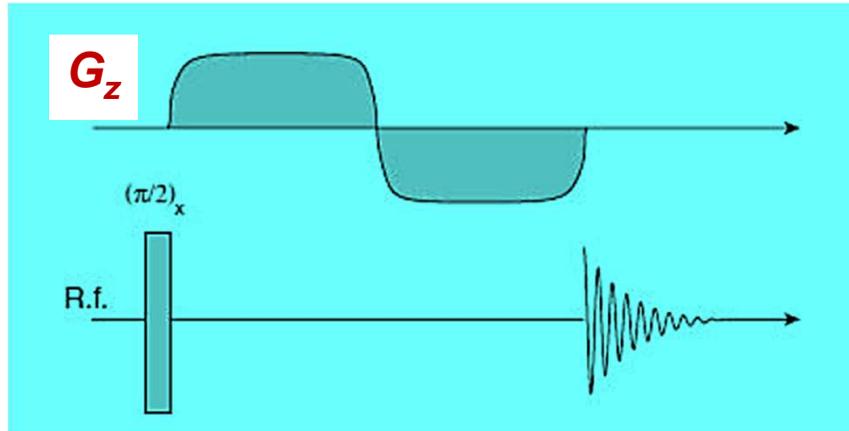
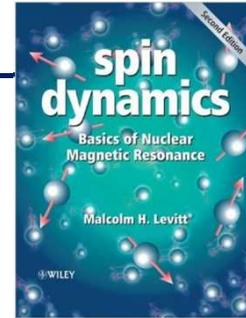


getting a G_x gradient



Gradient echoes

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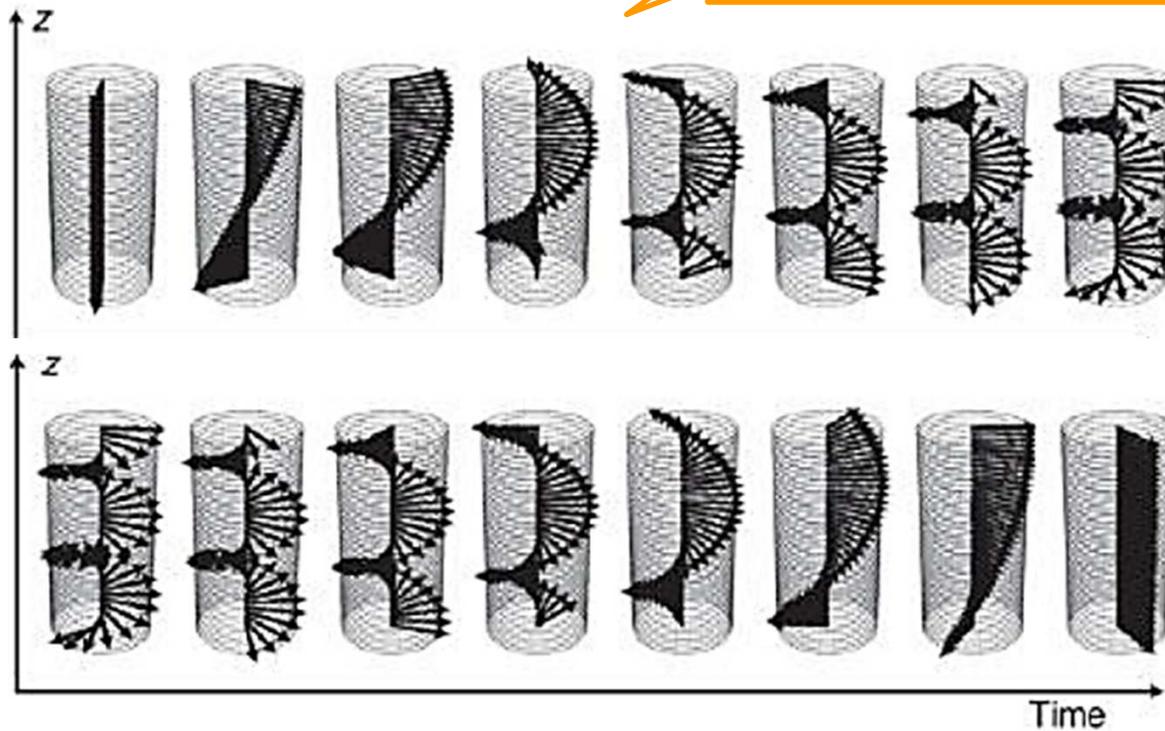


$$B(r) = B_0 \mathbf{e}_z + G_z z \mathbf{e}_z$$

magnetization helix

start

field gradient
 G_z



echo

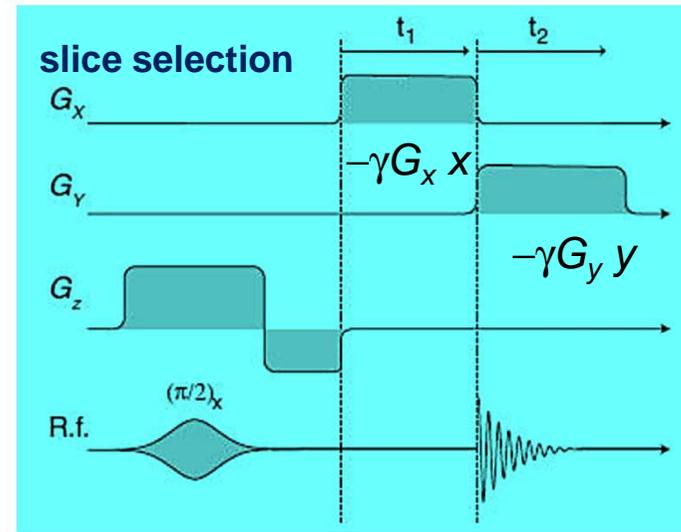
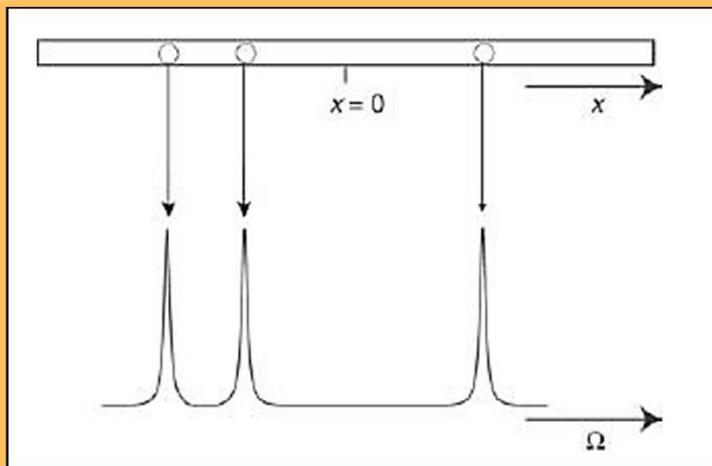
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NMR imaging

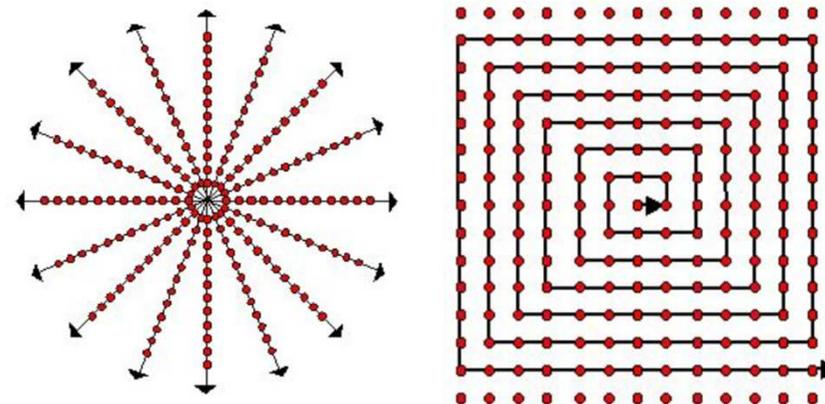
$$\mathbf{B} = (B^0 + G_x x) \mathbf{e}_z$$

$$\omega^0(x) = -\gamma(B^0 + G_x x) = \omega^0(0) - \gamma G_x x$$

$$\Omega^0(x) = \omega^0(x) - \omega_{\text{ref}} = -\gamma G_x x$$



K-space charting strategies



k-Space Formalism

$$s(\vec{k}) = \int d^3r \rho(\vec{r}) \cdot e^{2\pi i \vec{k}(t) \cdot \vec{r}},$$

$$\rho(\vec{r}) = \int d^3k s(\vec{k}) \cdot e^{-2\pi i \vec{k}(t) \cdot \vec{r}}.$$

Applications: imaging and MRI

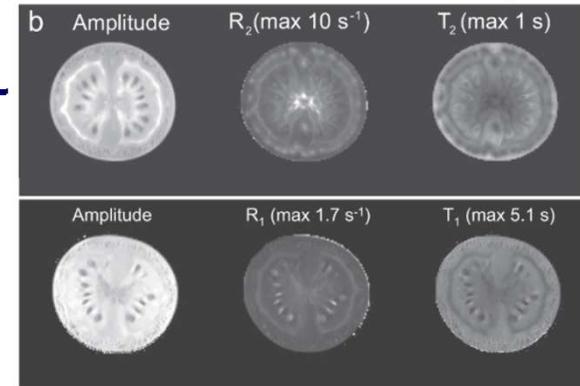
△ field gradients

△ **Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)**

△ functional imaging



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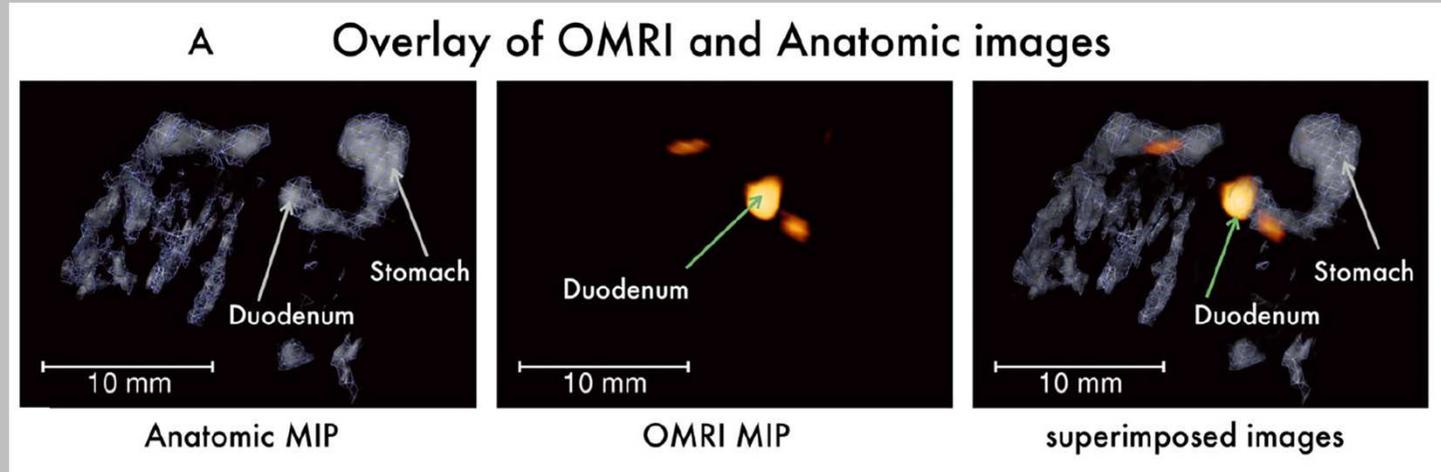
Magnetic Resonance Imaging of Plants: Water Balance and Water Transport in Relation to Photosynthetic Activity

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- spatial encoding △
- image contrast △
- T₁, T₂-weighted images △
- contrast agents △
- pixels, matrices, slices △
- SNR △
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	high resolution NMR	solid state NMR	clinical imaging
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Applications: imaging and MRI

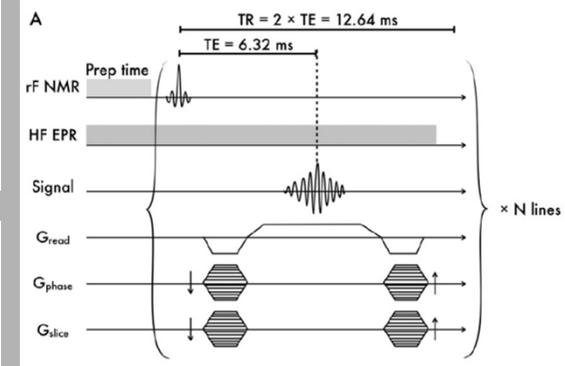


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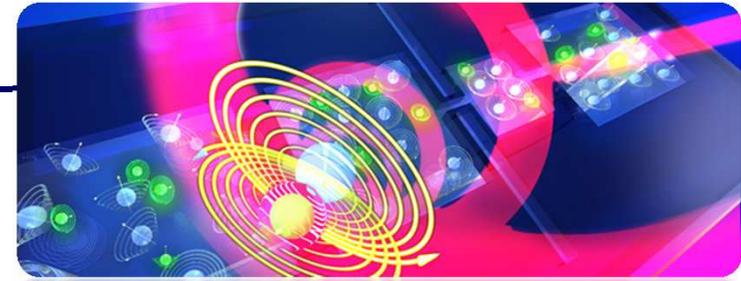


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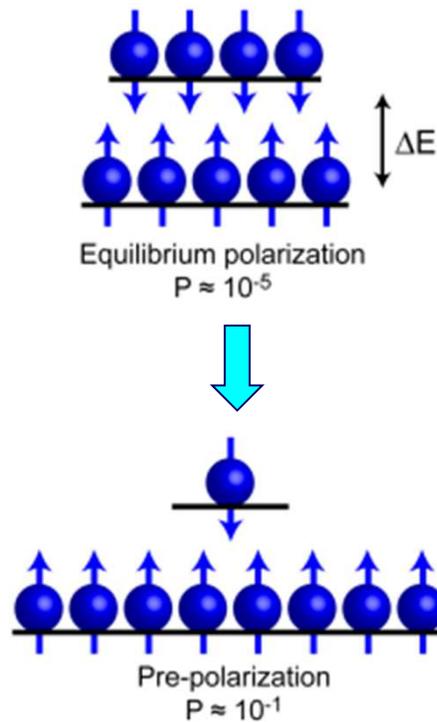
back to SENSITIVITY ! ...

Applications: hyperpolarization

- △ NMR sensitivity: THE challenge !
- △ from thermal equilibrium to ...
- △ **non equilibrium polarization**



<https://pines.berkeley.edu/research/hyperpolarization>



noble gas atoms: ^{129}Xe , ^{131}Xe , ^{83}Kr ... △

^3He △

Dynamic Nuclear Polarization (DNP) △

photochemical DNP △

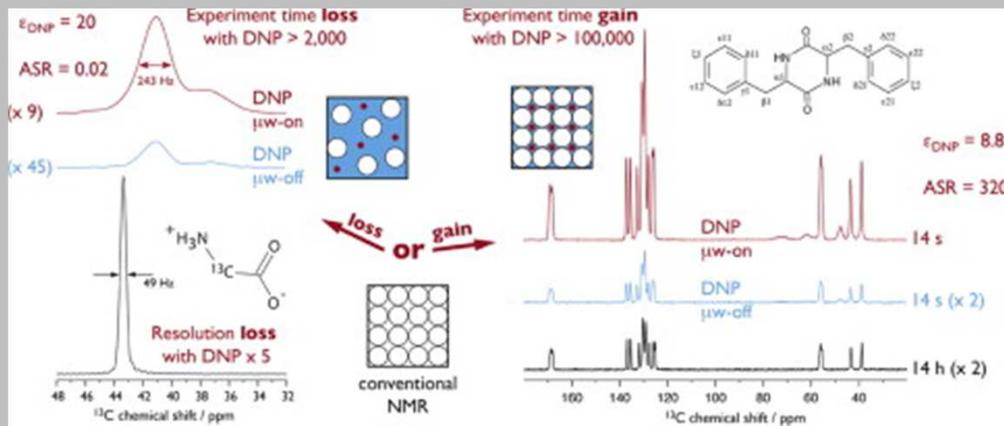
parahydrogen △

optical excitation of NV⁻ center △

hyperpolarized *singlet* MRI △

...

Applications: hyperpolarization



Is solid-state NMR *enhanced* by dynamic nuclear polarization?

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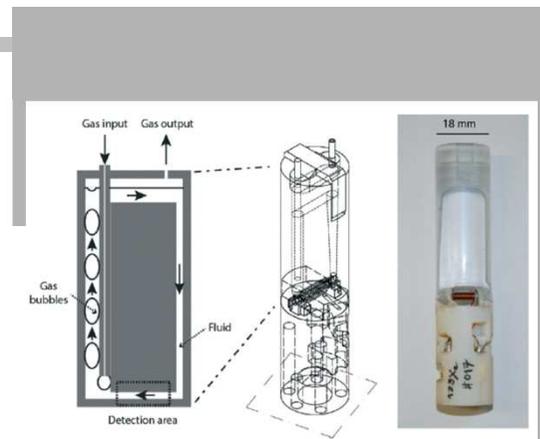
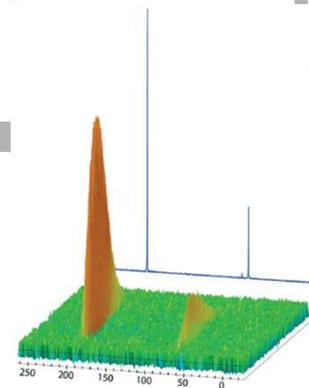
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3D-printed system optimizing dissolution of hyperpolarized gaseous species for micro-sized NMR†

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As a conclusion: the NMR saga continues ...

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Nanoscale Nuclear Magnetic Resonance with a Nitrogen-Vacancy Spin Sensor

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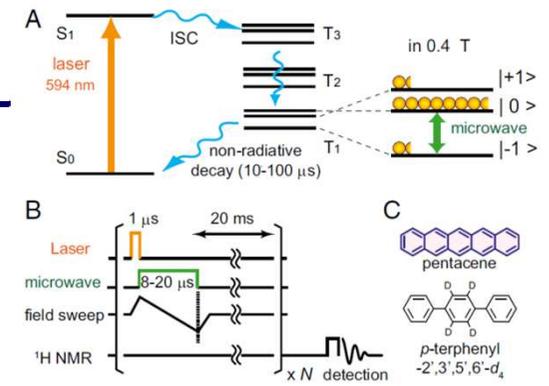
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Room temperature hyperpolarization of nuclear spins in bulk

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