## **Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy**



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## Outline

- 1. Introduction
- 2. NMR, the vector model and the relaxation
- 3. Chemical shift, scalar coupling and NOE
- 5. Two dimensional NMR.
- 5. Introduction to solid-state NMR.

# Introduction

## **Questions to be answered during this lecture:**

What is NMR spectroscopy? Do I known the origin of the methods, its backgrounds? Could I recognize an NMR Spectrum? Analyze an NMR spectrum? Do I know the applications? Why is this important? What it is that I don't know yet?

## **Readings:**

Spin Dynamics, Basics of NMR, Wiley, *Levitt* Understanding NMR Spectroscopy, Willey, *Keeler* 

## What is NMR spectroscopy?



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#### **Effect of the Magnetic Field on Matter**

Interaction of Magnetic Field and Matter: Macroscopic Magnetism





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#### Interaction of Magnetic Field and Matter: Macroscopic Magnetism

Source of magnetism:

1) circulation of electron currents (negative contribution to susceptibility)

2) magnetic moments of electrons (positive contribution to susceptibility)

3) magnetic moments of nuclei (positive contribution to susceptibility)

with 1 and 2 > 3



Spins and magnetism:



 γ = gyromagnetic (or magnetogyric) ratio
 (positive or negative and characteristic of the nuclei).



The magnetic moment of the electron has been predicted by Dirac.

However, today the magnetic moments of quarks and nucleons, and thereby nuclei, are not year understood.

#### **Effect of the Magnetic Field on Nuclei**

Properties at the atomic level: Nuclear Spin Quantum Number, I



Unpaired nuclear spins (I  $\neq$  0)  $\rightarrow$  nuclear magnetic moment ( $\mu_N$ ).

Spinning charges  $\rightarrow$  angular momentum (*I*).

The allowed orientation of m are indicated by *nuclear spin angular momentum quantum number,*  $m_l$  with  $m_l = I$ , I-1, ..., -I+1 and I, a total of  $2m_l+1$  states

This is associated with a magnetic moment  $\mu$ , a characteristic of the nuclei:  $|\vec{\mu}_N = \gamma \hbar \vec{I}|$ 

#### **Effect of the Magnetic Field on Nuclei**

Macroscopic Magnetism

#### Microscopic Magnetism



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In such an axis system, a positive rotation is defined by the curl of the fingers





 $H_0$  exerts a force (torque) on  $\mu_N$ , causing a precession, perpendicular to  $\mu_N$  and  $H_0$ , with a frequency  $\omega_0$  (Larmor frequency):

$$\vec{\tau} = \vec{\mu} \times \vec{H}_0$$

$$\omega_0 = -\gamma H_0$$

γ = gyromagnetic (or magnetogyric) ratio, associated with the angular momentum *I* and a characteristic of the nucleus <sup>1</sup>H, I =<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>; γ = 267.522×10<sup>6</sup> rad/s/T (-500 MHz at 11.74 T) <sup>2</sup>H, I =1; γ = 41.066×10<sup>6</sup> rad/s/T (-76.75 MHz at 11.74 T) <sup>13</sup>C, I =<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>; γ = 67.283×10<sup>6</sup> rad/s/T (-125 MHz at 11.74 T) <sup>29</sup>Si, I =<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>; γ = - 53.190×10<sup>6</sup> rad/s/T (99.34 MHz at 11.74 T)

#### Analysis of the movement: Continuous-Wave (CW) Spectrometers



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A simple molecule leads to many peaks... with a pattern that is difficult to rationalize?

We will try to understand what is happening with problem set IV

#### Introduction of the pulsed NMR



#### From a FID to a readable spectrum



What are the practical problems that may occur?

Set up the right frequency, locking... Making sure the filed at the sample is homogeneous, shimming... Having the base line right? Is the phase correct? What about the integration of the resonances?

Problem set III will help making sure we know each step and understand how a spectrum is obtained?

#### But why do we study this?



This is what you should know... and we will remember tis together with problem set I

#### **Chemical attribution**





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#### **Chemical attribution: Problem set I**



#### **Structural Chemistry using NMR**



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**Figure 1.** ORTEP plots drawn at the 90% probability level for the NMR-determined crystal structures of (a) cocaine, (b) flutamide, (c) flufenamic acid, (d) AZD8329, and (e) the K salt of penicillin G. The ellipsoids correspond to positions within a <sup>1</sup>H chemical shift RMSD of 0.49 ppm.

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#### **Tuning of the relaxation properties**







