

NMR Spectroscopy

Q) What is NMR Spectroscopy?

* A spectroscopic tool that exploits the magnetic properties of certain nuclei to decipher the structure & properties dynamics of molecules.

It is most versatile tool in the hands of organic chemists. It provides lots of information regarding structure of molecules, so it helps

* Also used for studying the interaction between molecules.

It is find that vary wide range of applications that beauty of this particular technique.

Importance of NMR Spectroscopy:

* The number of different types of the NMR active nuclei being probed in a molecule.

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Suppose i looking for a molecule, then how many types of proton in a molecule there.

* The relative number (Signal integration) of each type of the active nuclei.

* The chemical environment (Chemical shift) of each type of the nucleus and

Different types of protons even there what kinds of chemical environment there in either they are electro positive environment or electro negative environment all those things can be decided from the spectrum.

* The interaction (coupling), if any between different types of neighboring nuclei.

another thing is that if you two different kinds of protons and nuclei which are NMR active, if they are coupling & interacting with each other that also onto the spectrum.

* This gives a reach source of information in the organic chemistry.

Basis for NMR

- Zeeman observed that certain isotopes when placed in an external magnetic field give rise to multiple spin states.
- This splitting of energy levels in an external magnetic field is called Zeeman effect and forms the basis for NMR.
- The Zeeman effects for a nucleus depends on its spin quantum number.

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Nuclei that are NMR active?

- * The type of nuclei active in NMR is determined by their spin.
- * The spin of the nuclei in turn is determined by their composition (Number of protons and neutrons).
- * The nuclei can be divided into three groups on the basis of their spin quantum nos.

Group 1: Nuclei with both Z & N even ($\Rightarrow A$ is even)

- \Rightarrow All proton spins & the neutron spins are paired
- \Rightarrow Net nuclear spin of 0, $I=0$
- \Rightarrow Invisible to NMR

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} Z = \text{atomic number} \\ N = \text{No of neutrons} \\ A = \text{mass number} \end{array} \right.$

All the nuclear are paired and protons are paired then net quantum no will be zero it is invisible to NMR spectrum.

Spherical non-spinning nuclei, $I=0$

^{12}C , ^{16}O , ^{18}O & ^{32}S which are not active in

NMR

Group 2: Nuclei with both Z and N odd ($-A$ is even).

- \Rightarrow Such nuclei have odd number of unpaired protons & odd number of unpaired neutrons (the two pair up individually)

- \Rightarrow As consequences the net magnetic spin will be zero.
- \Rightarrow Such nuclei detected by the NMR, however not the main nuclei.

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Group-3 Nuclei with even Z & odd N or vice versa ($\rightarrow A$ is odd)

\rightarrow Such nuclei may have even number of proton spins (all paired up) & odd number of unpaired neutrons Spin & vice versa

\rightarrow Net nuclear magnetic spin would be odd integral multiple of $\frac{1}{2}$.

\rightarrow Detectable and useful in NMR.

Spherical spinning nuclei $I = \frac{1}{2}$ are the most imp eg ^2H , ^{13}C , ^{15}N & ^{19}F

Nuclear Composition and Nuclear spin quantum number

no of protons	Num of neutrons	Spin quantum number I
Even	Even	0
odd	odd	Integer (1, 2, 3)
Even	odd	Half integer ($\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}$)
Odd	Even	Half integer ($\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}$)

What happens to the nuclei when spin quantum no. is half?

A spinning spherical nucleus has an associated angular momentum that is given by the symbol (I) the angular momentum give the magnitude of nuclear spin angular momentum

$$(I) = \sqrt{I(I+1)} \quad \hbar = \frac{h}{2\pi}$$

I = nuclear spin quantum no

I is the magnitude of spin angular momentum.

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of Spin angular

A spinning charged nucleus also has an associated magnetic moment, μ . The magnetic moment, μ of a spinning nucleus proportional to its spin angular momentum (I)

$$\mu = \frac{q_N e}{2m_p} I$$

where g_N is the g -factor, a characteristic of the nucleus.

e is the charge on a proton
 m_p is the mass of the proton

$\Rightarrow \mu = \gamma I$ is called gyromagnetic ratio

$$\gamma = \frac{g_N e}{2m_p}$$

Magnitude of magnetic moment, μ
Substituting the value of I

$$\Rightarrow |\mu| = \gamma \sqrt{I(I+1)} \hbar$$

\rightarrow Since the nucleus is having a +ve charge on that particle μ & I both of point in the same direction.

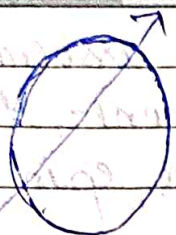
Alternatively we can write as $\sqrt{g_N \mu_N \sqrt{I(I+1)}}$

$\mu_N = \frac{e \hbar}{2m_p}$ is called Nuclear magneton the

magnetic dipole

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unit for expressing moments of nuclei



$$|\mu| = g_N \sqrt{I(I+1)} \mu_N$$

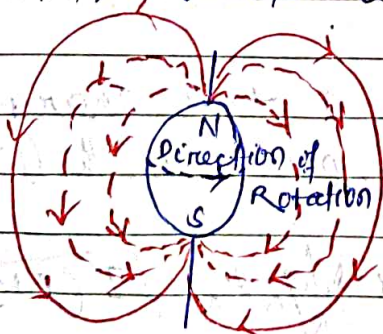
$\mu_N = 5.0507 \times 10^{-27} \text{ JT}^{-1}$ is the unit for magnetic field

Now lets go further where we have come what is nmr what is the importance of nmr then we talk about what kinds nuclei are going to be useful for me.

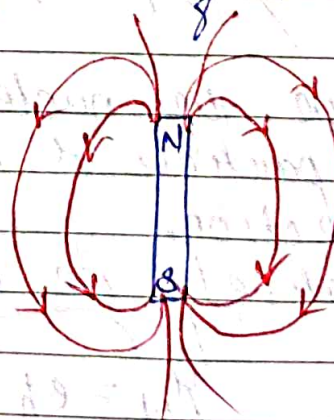
The nuclei are useful for me that which have $I = 1/2$ and having spherical shape nuclei have an associated with angular momentum with magnetic momentum.

As we talk about spectroscopy we have to talk about the energy level for the transition of electron.

* A spinning spherical nucleus having a magnetic moment, μ acts as a tiny bar magnet



magnetic lines of force

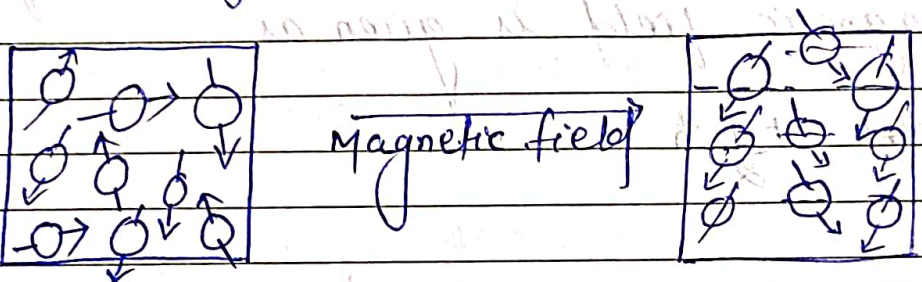


Axis of Spin and of the magnetic moment

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If you look at a spinning nucleus the magnetic moment associated with it (as it is similar to the bar magnet) we can say that spinning nucleus behave like as a bar magnet.

The nuclei in the sample move in all direction (means they move randomly) but in the presence of applied magnetic field the nuclear spins align themselves.

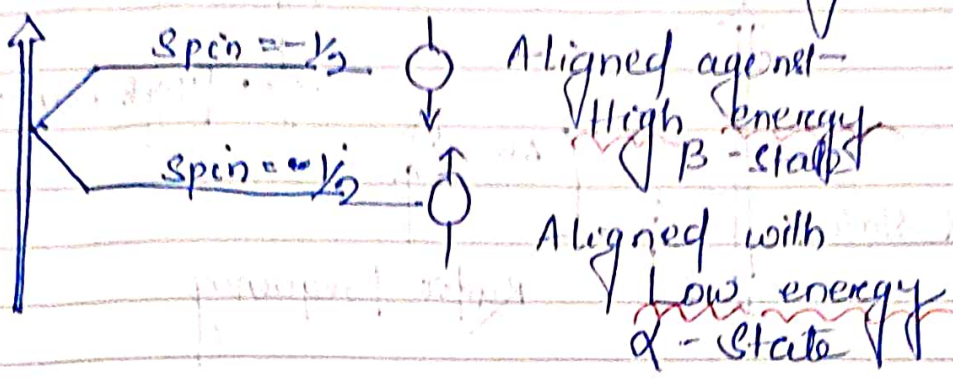


In the absence of field all orientations possible but in presence of magnetic field they arranged themselves in a two ways (i) aligned themselves with the magnetic field (ii) opposed the magnetic field (against)

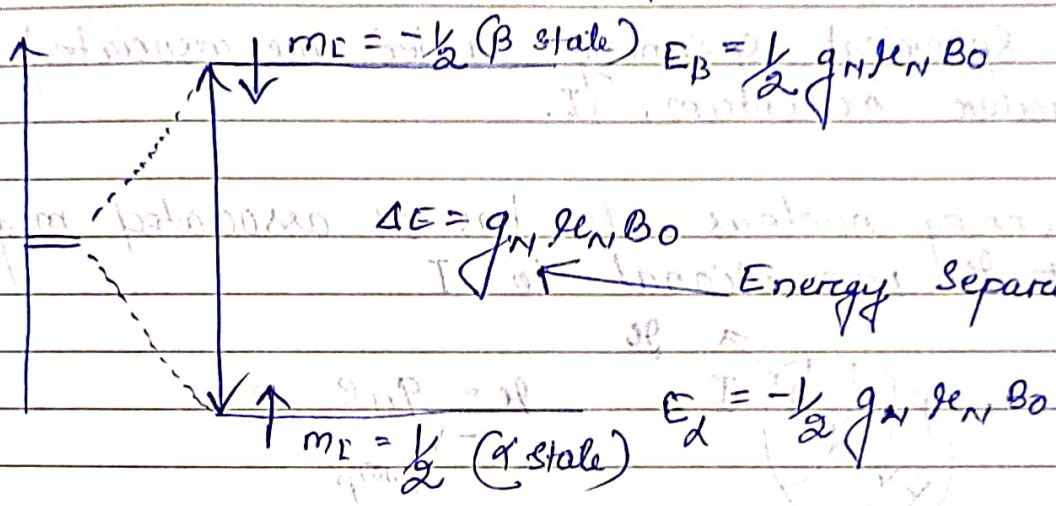
* Two orientations aligned with the field or against it

Thus the spin of nucleus can be quantised
* The nuclear spin magnet is a quantum particle
→ Unlike a small bar magnet it may take up only certain allowed orientations.

Different orientations of the nuclear magnetic moment for the nuclei are associated with different energies.

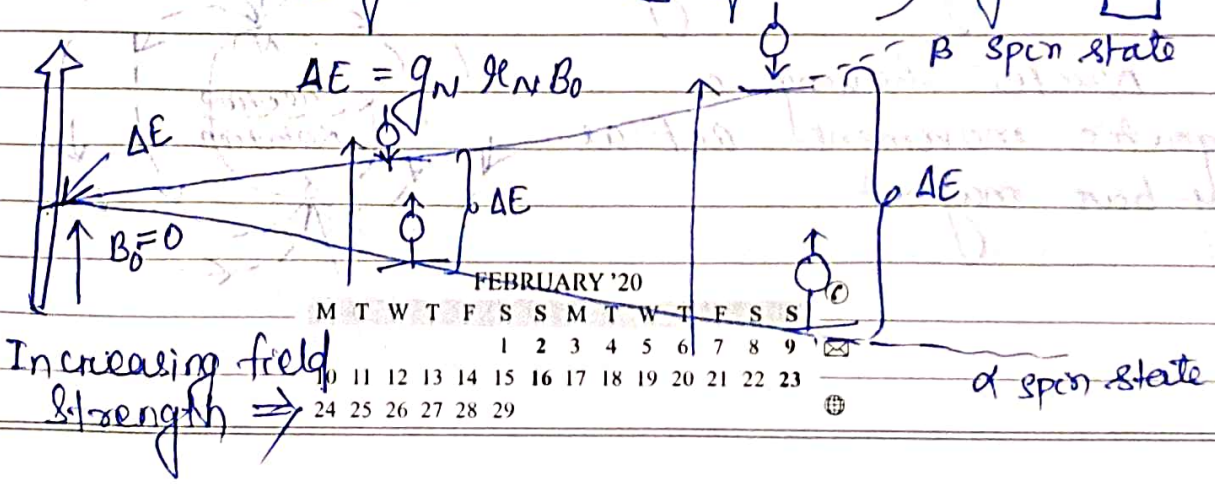


The energies depend on μ_z and B_0
 $E = \mu_z \cdot B_0 = \pm \frac{1}{2} g_N \mu_N B_0$



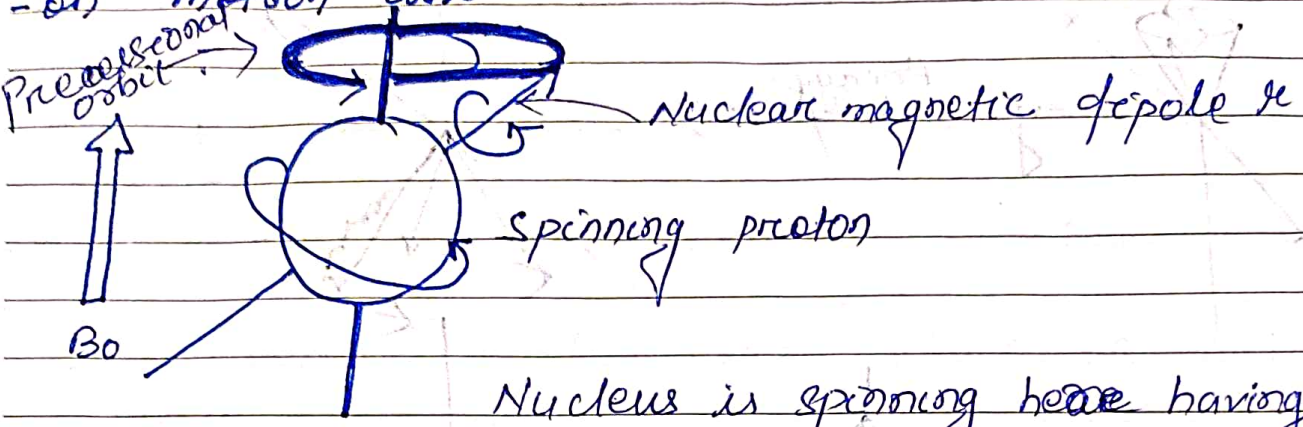
The energy difference of the two levels depend on applied field, B_0

$$\Delta E = \left(\frac{1}{2} g_N \mu_N B_0 - \left(-\frac{1}{2} g_N \mu_N B_0 \right) \right) = g_N \mu_N B_0$$



Precessional motion of Nucleus.

In the magnetic field the nuclear spin undergoes a precessional motion also



Nucleus is spinning here having magnetic moment also precessing as well

- The magnetic moment vector at an angle w.r.t B_0 , experiences a torque.
- This causes it to precess about the direction of the magnetic field.

→ Called Larmour precession

→ The Larmour precessional frequency is directly proportional to the strength of the external magnetic field (B_0)

$$\omega \propto B_0 \quad \omega = \gamma B_0$$

The normal frequency, ν & the precessional frequency ω are related as

$$\omega = 2\pi\nu = \gamma B_0$$

$$\nu = \frac{\gamma B_0}{2\pi} = \frac{B_0}{2\pi} \frac{\gamma}{I}$$

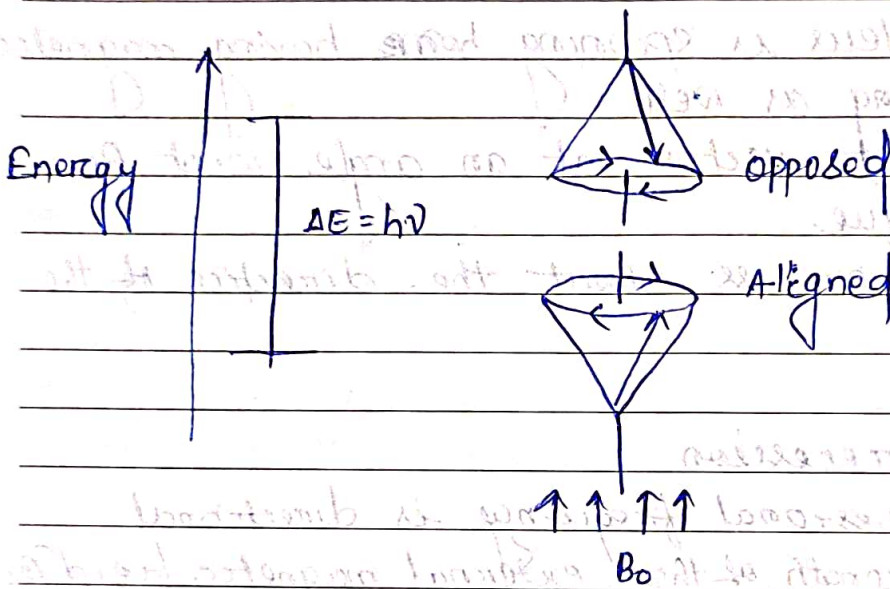
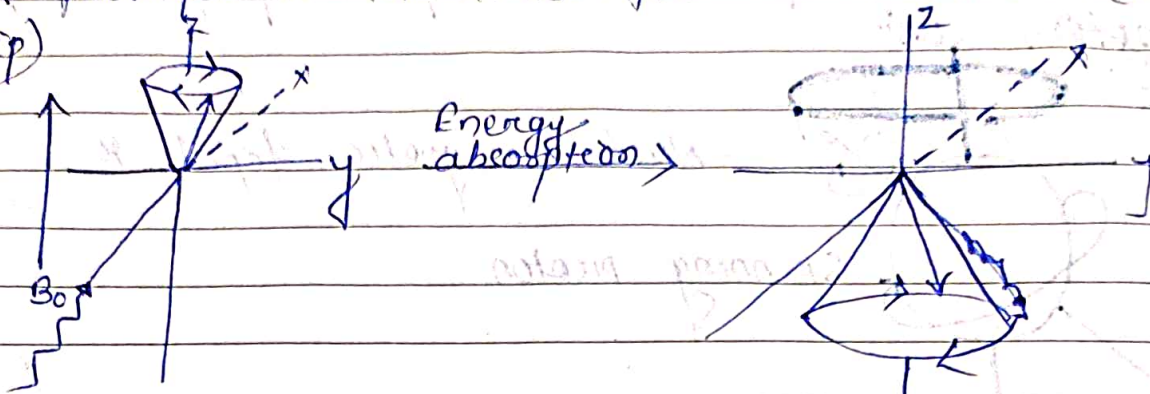
$$\nu = \frac{g_N \mu_N B_0}{h}$$

→ Recall it is the same as the frequency of radiation required to cause a transition between nuclear spin states.

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→ This provides a mechanism for the transition (Spin flip)



That we will provide Radio frequency it absorbs with the nucleus & spin flip takes place.

We get two energy levels their & certain collection of nucleus spins are their, will be distributed among this level according to Boltzmann law

* The nuclear spins distributed in the two energy levels according to Boltzmann law

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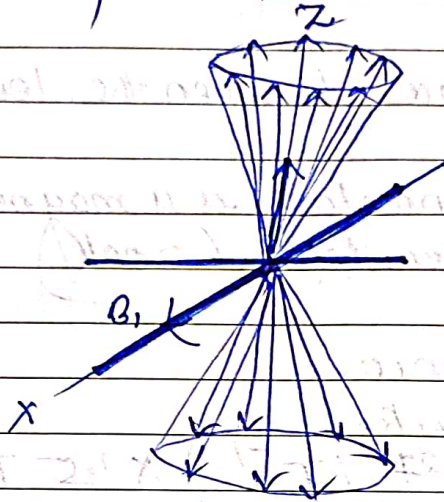
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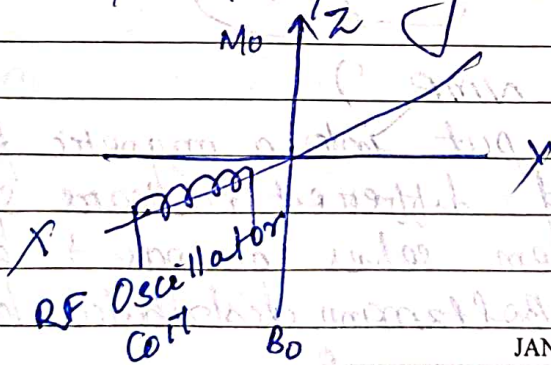
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As a consequences of it what happed is that more no of spins aligned with the magnetic field & less spins which will be opposed the field. Since there are more no spins aligned with the ~~field~~ field net magnetization in the direction field then.



That is the consequences of distribution of nuclear spins amongst the various energy level. But our issue is we want to kind of excite transitions their in order to do a transition their we need to supply energy, that energy is supplied in terms of radio frequency wave. That radio frequency applied the



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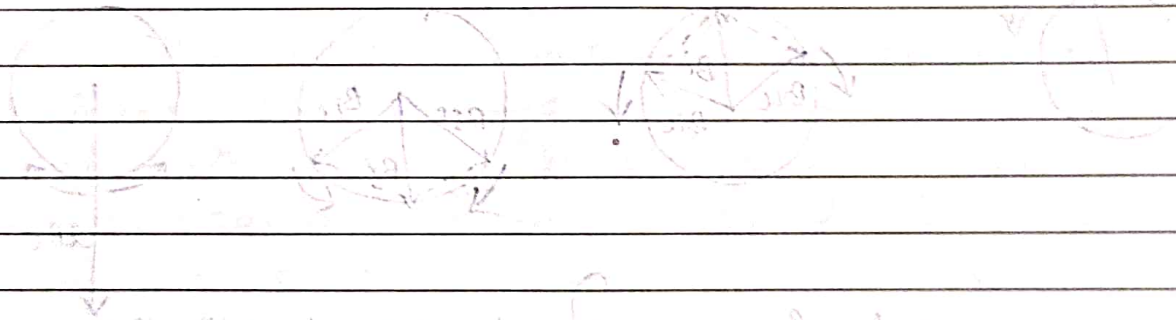
If continuously radio frequency wave given to a time, will come population of both the state is equal that it refers to as saturation of excited state and there will be no absorption.

* The nuclear spins relax to maintain the population difference.

There are two mechanisms of relaxation

→ Spin lattice relaxation

→ Spin-spin relaxation



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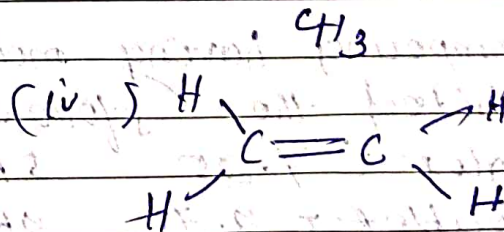
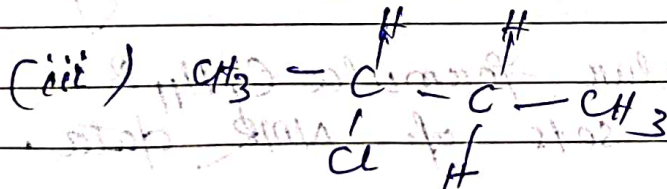
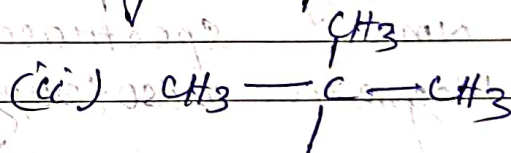


Questions of NMR?

Short Questions

- 1) Which types of nuclei show magnetic properties for the purpose of NMR spectroscopy?
- 2) Define chemical shift?
- 3) Why T.M.S used as a standard reference?
- 4) What is anisotropic effect?
- 5) Define spin-spin coupling?
- 6) What is coupling constant J ?
- 7) Define precessional frequency?
- 8) Write two characteristics of a solvent used in NMR spectroscopy?

9) Indicate the number of signals you expect for the compounds given below?



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Long Question :-

1) Describe the theory of nmr spectroscopy. What information can be obtained from the nmr absorption peaks?

2) What is meant by the term "chemical shift"? Name the various factors on which the value of chemical shift depends?

3) Short Notes on

(a) Name some important solvents in nmr spectroscopy. What are the important characteristics of solvent used in this technique.

(b) Why ~~is~~ TMS used as a standard reference?

4) Write Notes on

(a) Equivalent and non equivalent protons?
(b) Shielding and Deshielding of protons?

5) (a) What do you understand by the term in relation to nmr spectroscopy?
(i) Magnetic anisotropy (ii) Spin-spin splitting

6) A compound having molecular formula $C_9H_{11}Br$ exhibited the following sets of nmr data.

(i) Singlet τ 7.25 5H

(ii) Doublet τ 2.75 2H

(iii) Multiplet τ 3.40

(iv) Doublet τ 1.45 3H

Q7) Write important applications and limitations of NMR Spectroscopy?

MCQ FOR NMR Spectroscopy

1) IN NMR if the atom contain two nearby protons then these will produce?

- (i) Doublet (ii) Triplet (iii) Quartet
(iv) All of these

2) IN NMR if the atom contain three nearby protons then these will produce?

- (i) Doublet
(ii) Triplet

(iii) Quartet

(iv) All of these

3) Transition metal in NMR spectroscopy is

(i) Ferrromagnetic

(ii) Paramagnetic

(iii) Diamagnetic

(iv) All of these

4) Which of the following has the lowest chemical shift value?

(A) CH_3I

(B) CH_3Br

(C) CH_3F

(D) CH_3Cl

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3) The distance between the centers of the peaks of doublet is called as ?

- (a) Coupling constant
(b) Spin constant
(c) Spin-spin coupling
(d) chemical shift

4) H_2 , CH_4 , C_2H_6 and C_6H_6 exhibit which PMR spectra ?

- (a) Singlet
(b) Doublet
(c) Triplet
(d) Quintet

5) The nuclei that doesn't give NMR signal is

- (a) ^{15}N
(b) ^{11}B
(c) ^{19}F
(d) ^{31}P

6) Signal splitting in NMR arises from

- (a) Shielding effect
(b) Spin-spin decoupling
(c) Spin-spin coupling
(d) Deshielding effect

7) Which of the following solvent is not used in NMR ?

- (A) D_2O (B) $CHCl_3$
(C) CCl_4 (D) $CDCl_3$

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10) Select the nuclei that can produce NMR signal

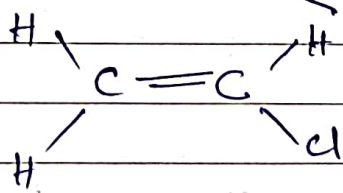
- (A) ^1_1H (B) $^{11}_5\text{B}$
 (C) $^{19}_9\text{F}$ (D) $^{14}_7\text{N}$

- (A) A, D
 (B) B, D
 (C) A, C
 (D) B, C

11) More the shielding effect

- (A) Lower the chemical shift
 (B) No change in chemical shift
 (C) Higher the chemical shift
 (D) More the peak splitting

12) The number of NMR signals possible for vinyl chloride in ^1H NMR is



- (A) 1
 (B) 2
 (C) 3
 (D) 4

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17) In which state of matter mass spectroscopy is being performed?

- (A) solid (B) liquid (C) Gaseous (D) plasma

18) What are the main criteria on which mass spectrometer used for?

- (A) Composition in sample
(B) Relative mass of atoms
(C) Concentration of elements in the sample
(D) properties of sample

19) Separation of ions in mass spectrometer take place on the basis of which of the following?

- (A) Mass
(B) Charge
(C) molecular weight
(D) mass to charge ratio

20) What is use of mass spectroscopy?

- (A) Determination of molecule weight
(B) Elucidating the chemical structure of molecules
(C) A & B
(D) None of the Above

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81) Mass spectra is also called

- (A) Positive ion Spectra
- (B) Line Spectra
- (C) A & B
- (D) None of the above

14 82) Highest m/z peak in mass spectrum is called as

- (A) Base peak
- (B) Fragment peak
- (C) isotopic peak
- (D) parent peak

15 83) Mass spectrometer requires

- (A) High temperature
- (B) High cooling
- (C) High vacuum
- (D) High pressure

84) Which ratio measured by mass detector?

- (A) Z/m
- (B) e/m
- (C) m/e
- (D) m/z

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