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Lecture 1 Introduction to ^1H -NMR Spectroscopy
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CHEM 344 Required Materials

Spring 2013 Lab Manual

\$30, Alpha Chi Sigma

all other manuals obsolete



Lab Notebook

Duplicate copy, spiral bound

\$10-\$15 bookstore or Alpha Chi Sigma

Lab Goggles

Not glasses

\$8-\$12 bookstore or Alpha Chi Sigma

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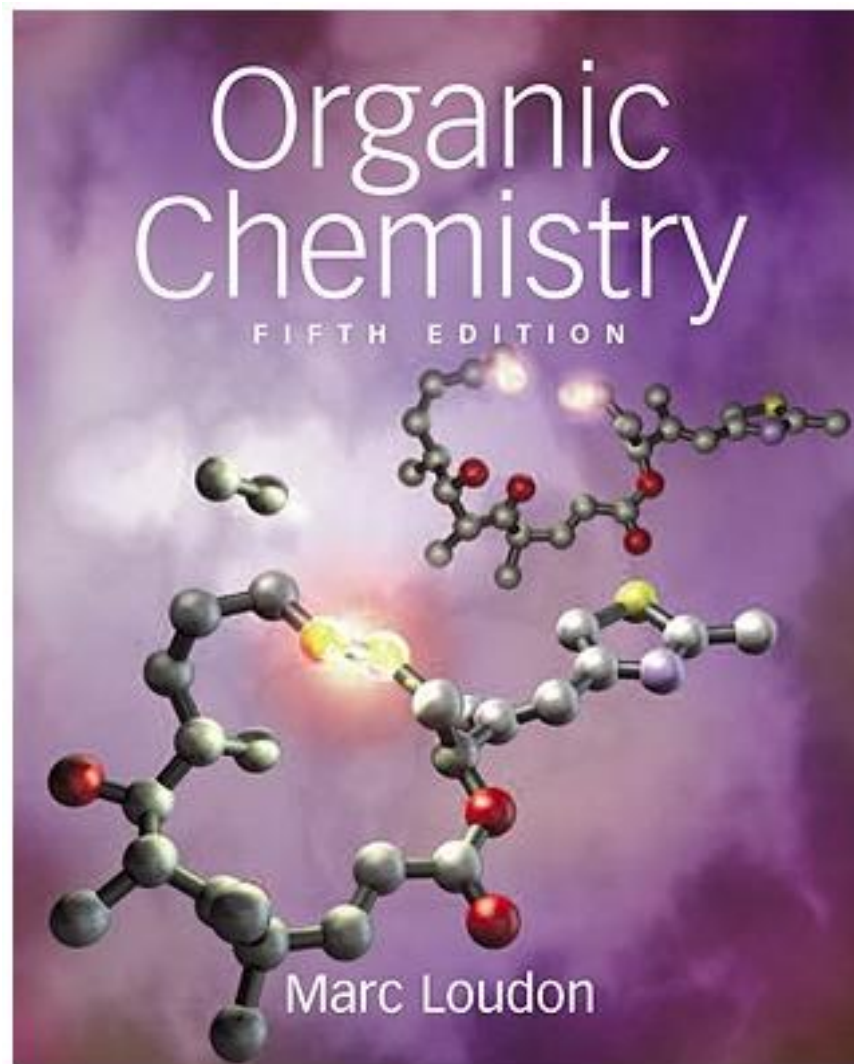
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Recommended textbook

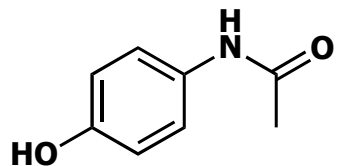
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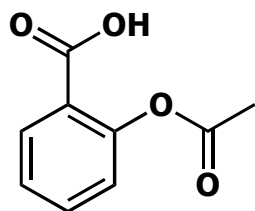
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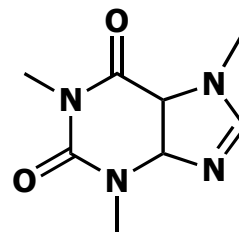
How do we **really** know the structure of these molecules?



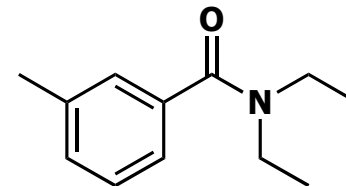
Acetaminophen



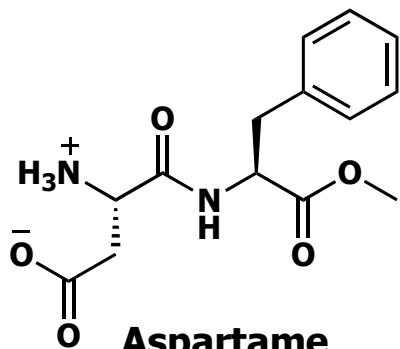
Acetylsalicylic acid



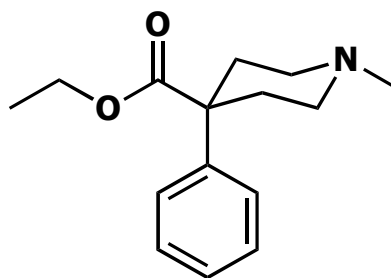
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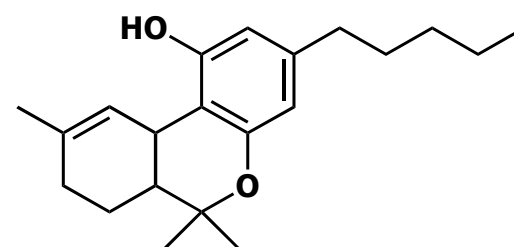
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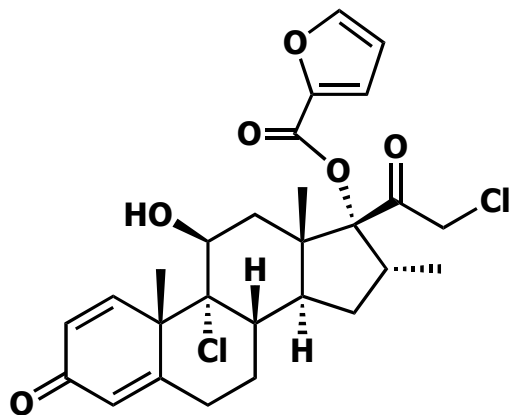
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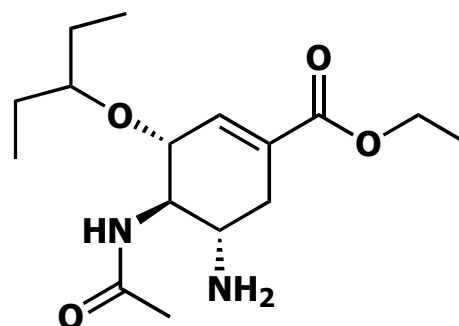
Demerol



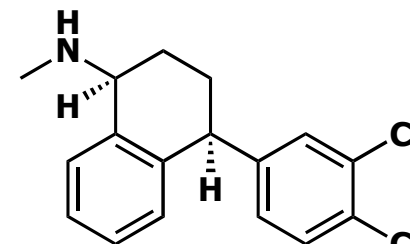
Δ^9 -THC



Nasonex



Tamiflu



Zoloft

MS

Connectivity/Weight

NMR

Detailed connectivity

IR

Functional groups

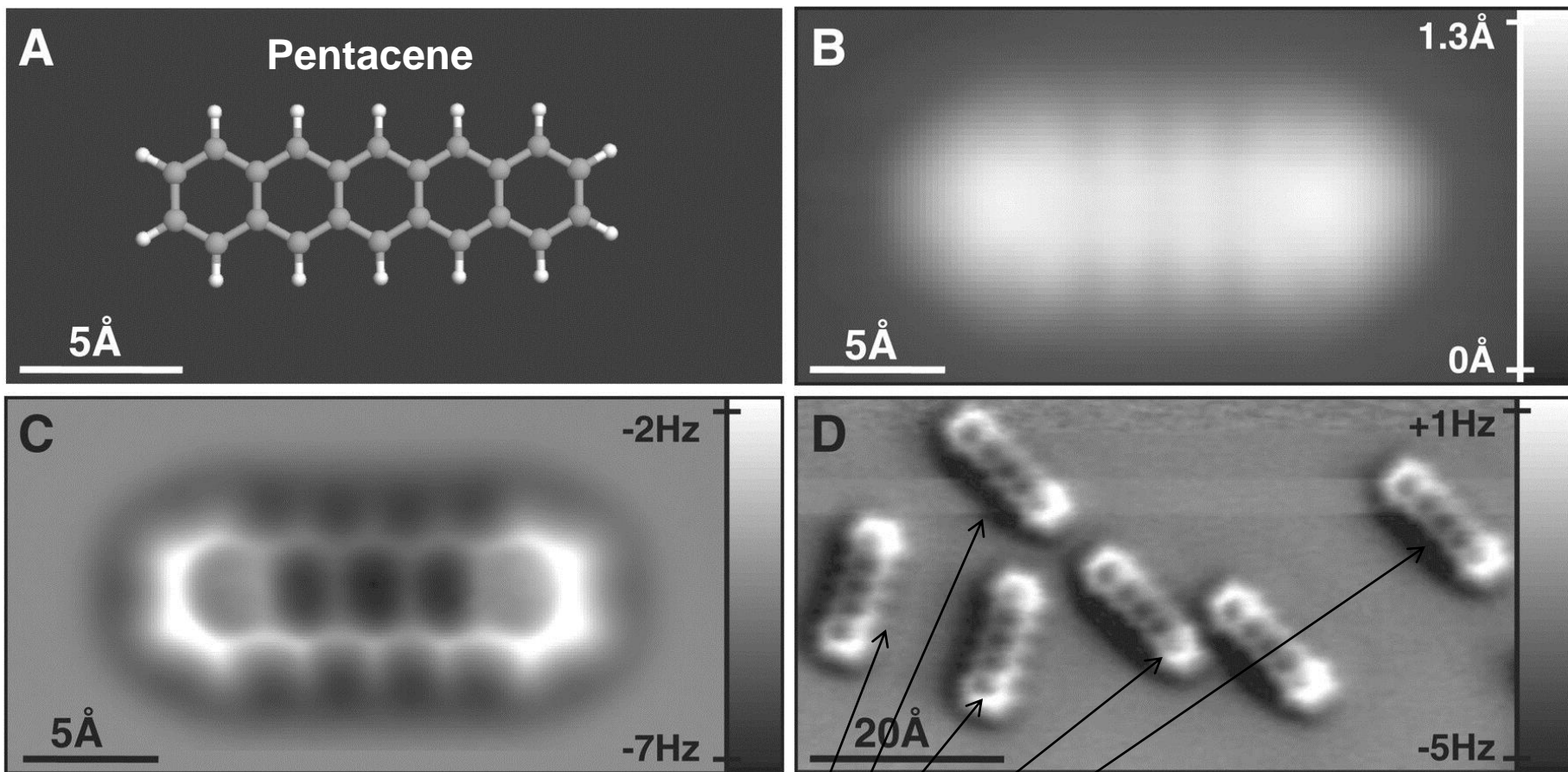
**Structure
Determination**

**UV-vis, Raman
EPR, others**

**Molecular
Modeling**

**X-ray
diffraction**

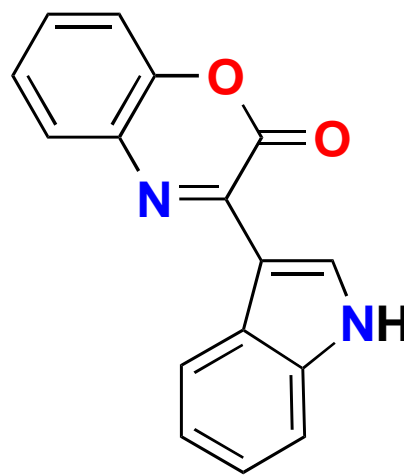
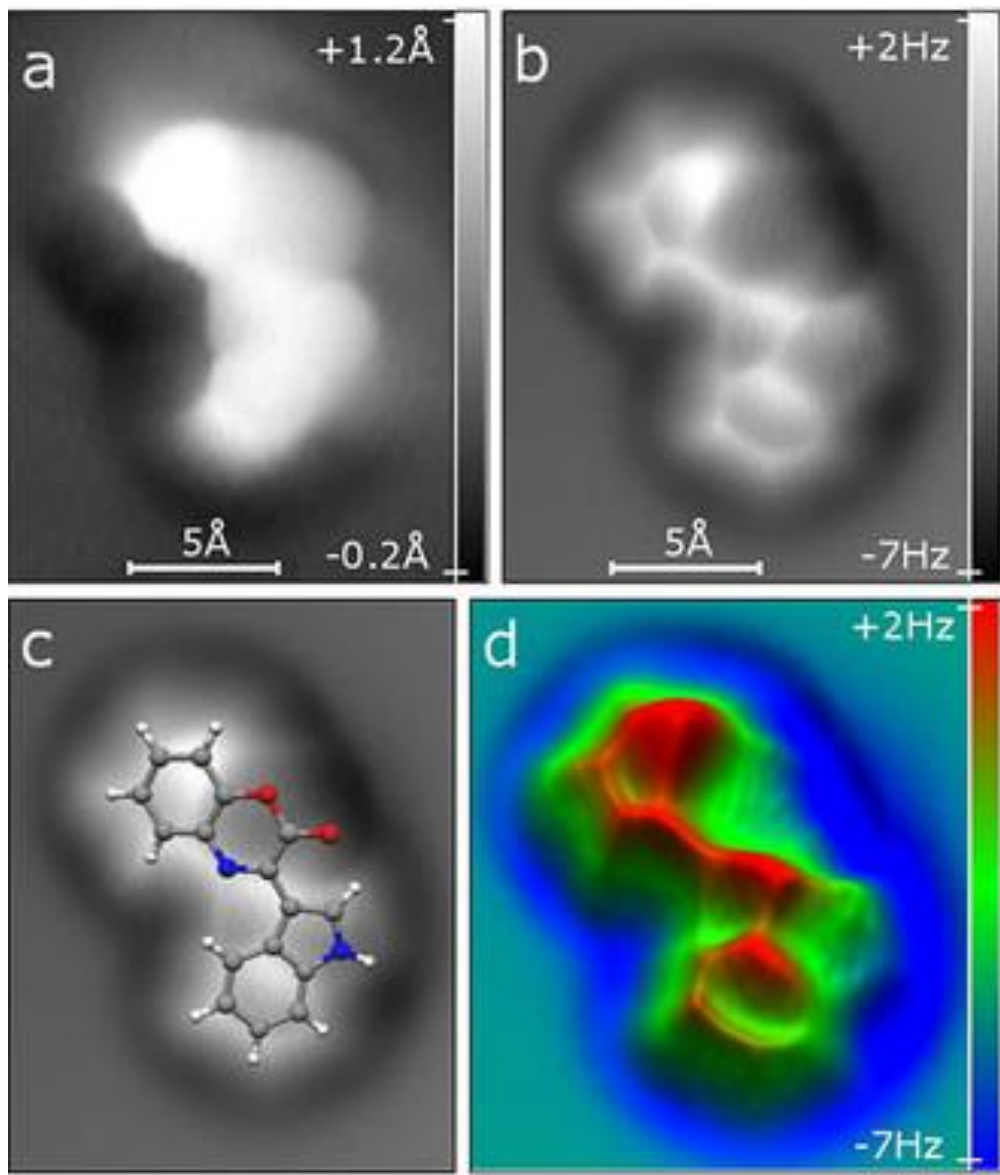
Scanning Tunneling Microscopy (STM) and Atomic Force Microscopy (AFM) first images of pentacene on a copper surface



Can actually see the individual molecules of pentacene!

Science 2009, 325, 1110 -1114.

AFM imaging of cephalandole A



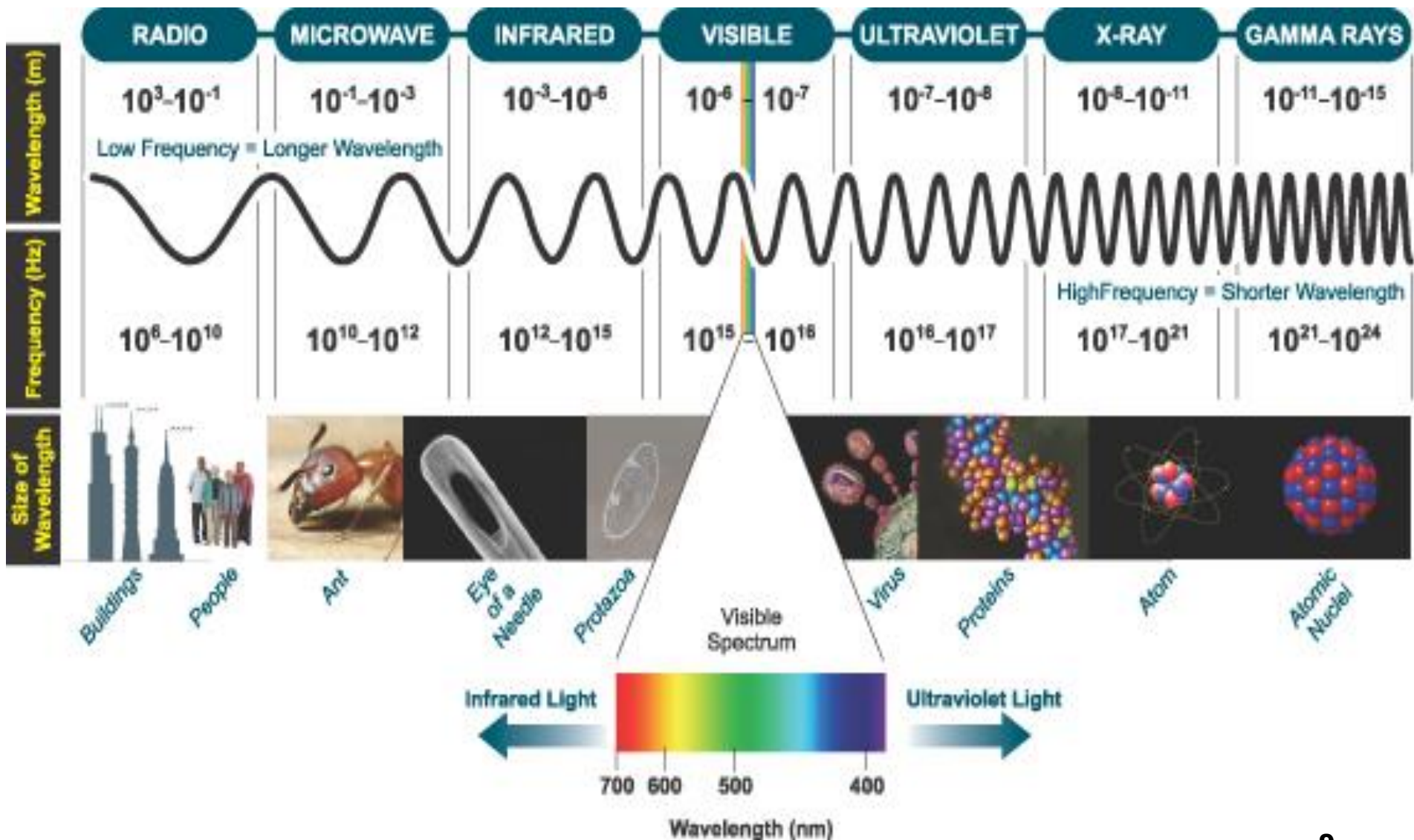
This is the current "frontier" method in structure determination

Neat...but way beyond what we need to know right now.

Spectroscopy = using electromagnetic radiation to give info on molecular structure



$E = h\nu$ $E = \text{energy (kJ/mol)}$
 $\nu = \text{frequency (Hz)}$, $h = \text{Planck constant}$



Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

Spin $\frac{1}{2}$ nuclei ^1H , ^{13}C

NMR active, easy to do, widely used

Spin 1 nuclei ^2H (D), ^{14}N

NMR active but not widely used

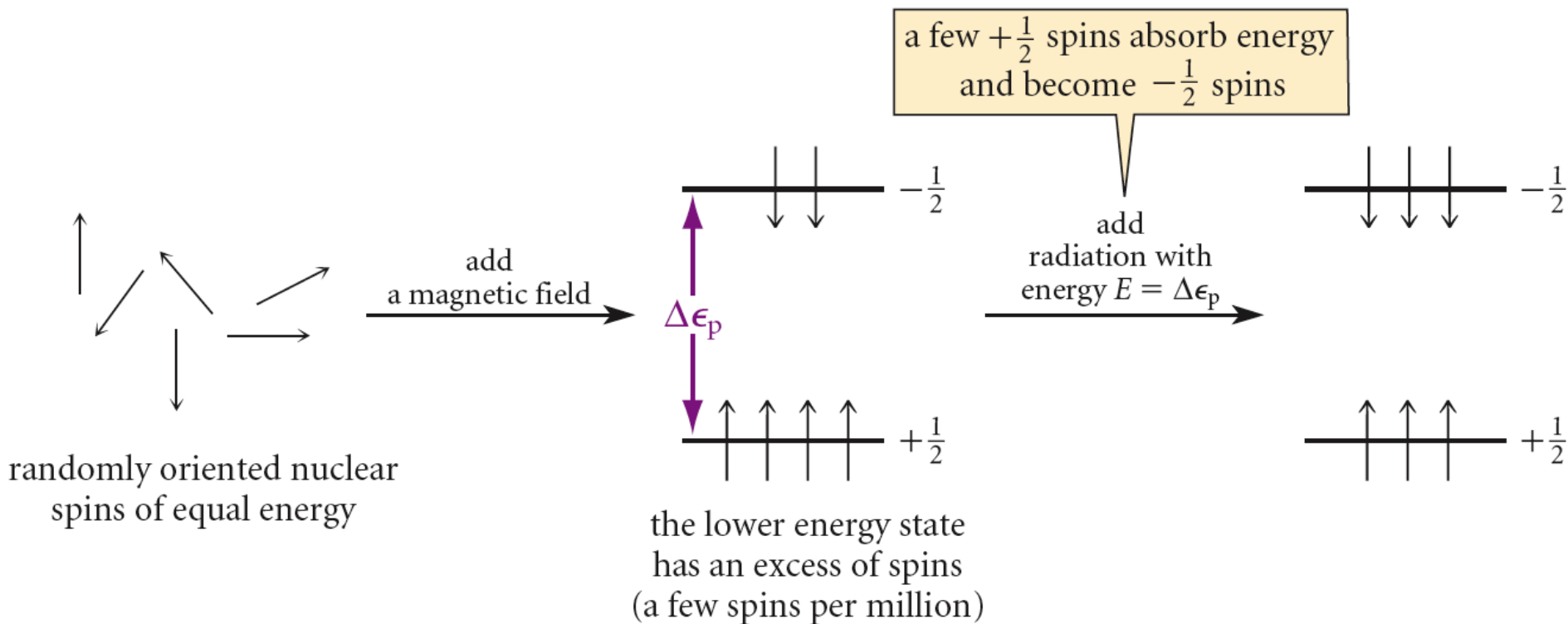
Spin 0 nuclei ^{12}C , ^{16}O , ^{32}S

NMR silent

Nuclear Magnetic Resonance (NMR)

Spin $\frac{1}{2}$ nuclei ^1H , ^{13}C

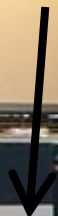
$^1\text{H}/^{13}\text{C}$ nucleus behaves like a bar magnet



A typical NMR instrument

a similar instrument is used in CHEM 344

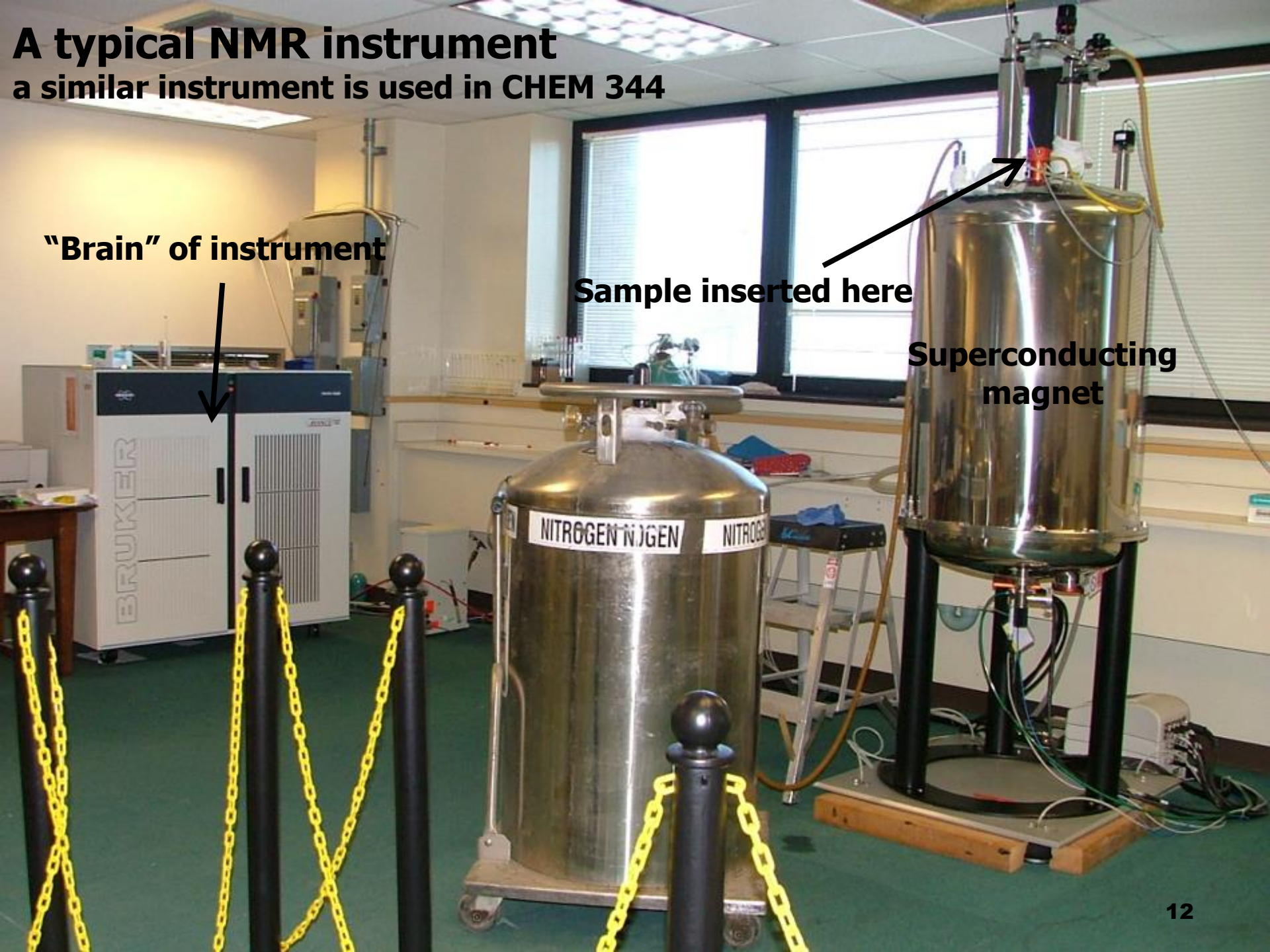
“Brain” of instrument



Sample inserted here



Superconducting magnet



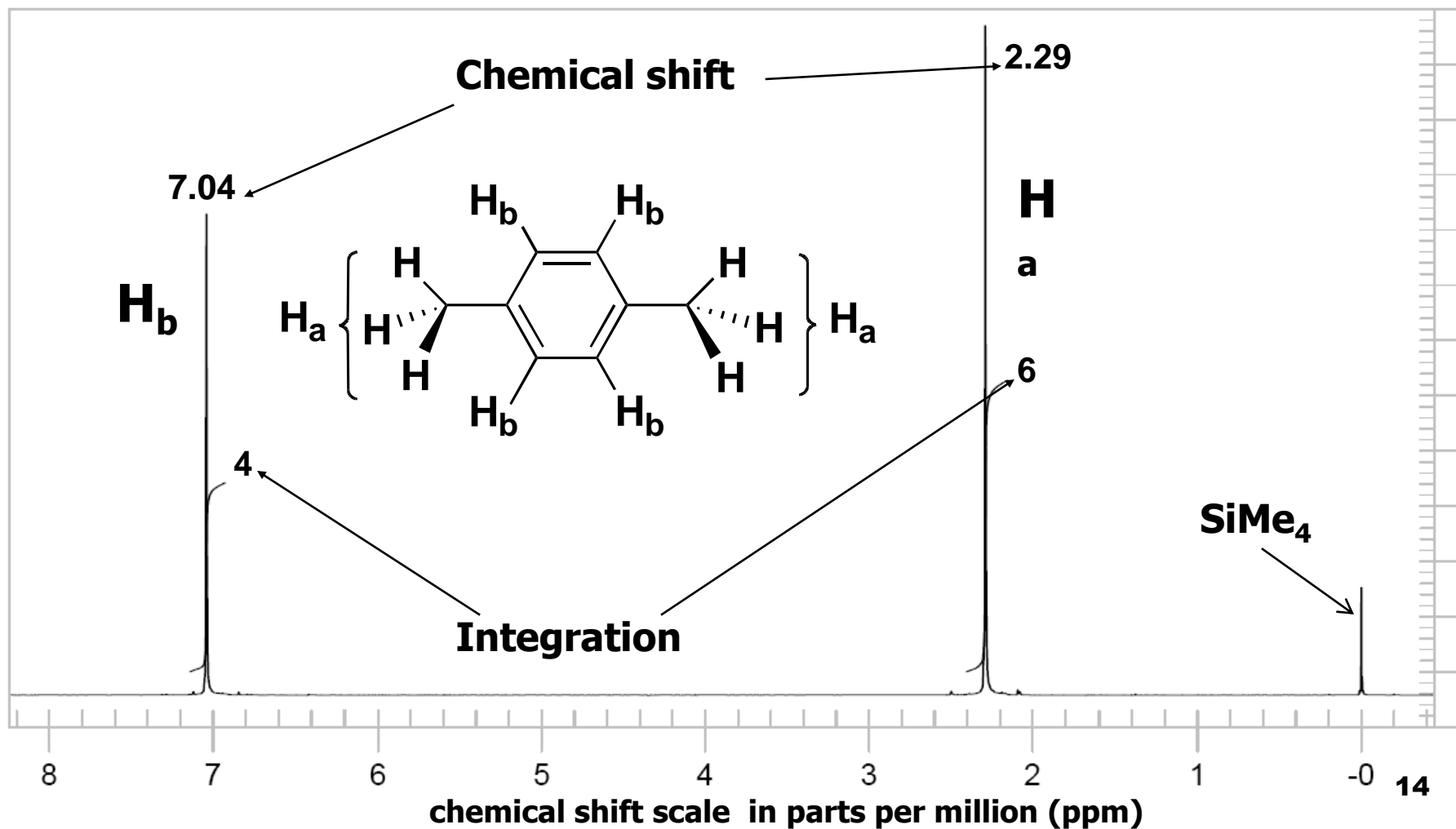
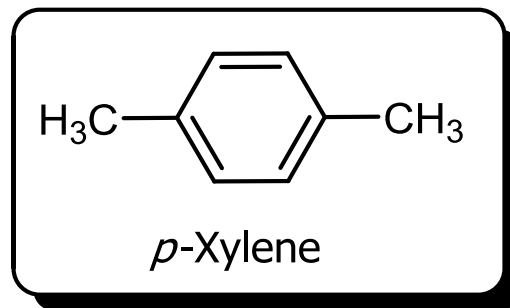
A more powerful (and expensive) NMR instrument





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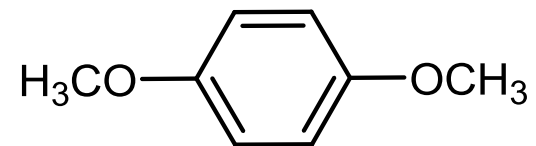
300 MHz ^1H NMR
In CDCl_3



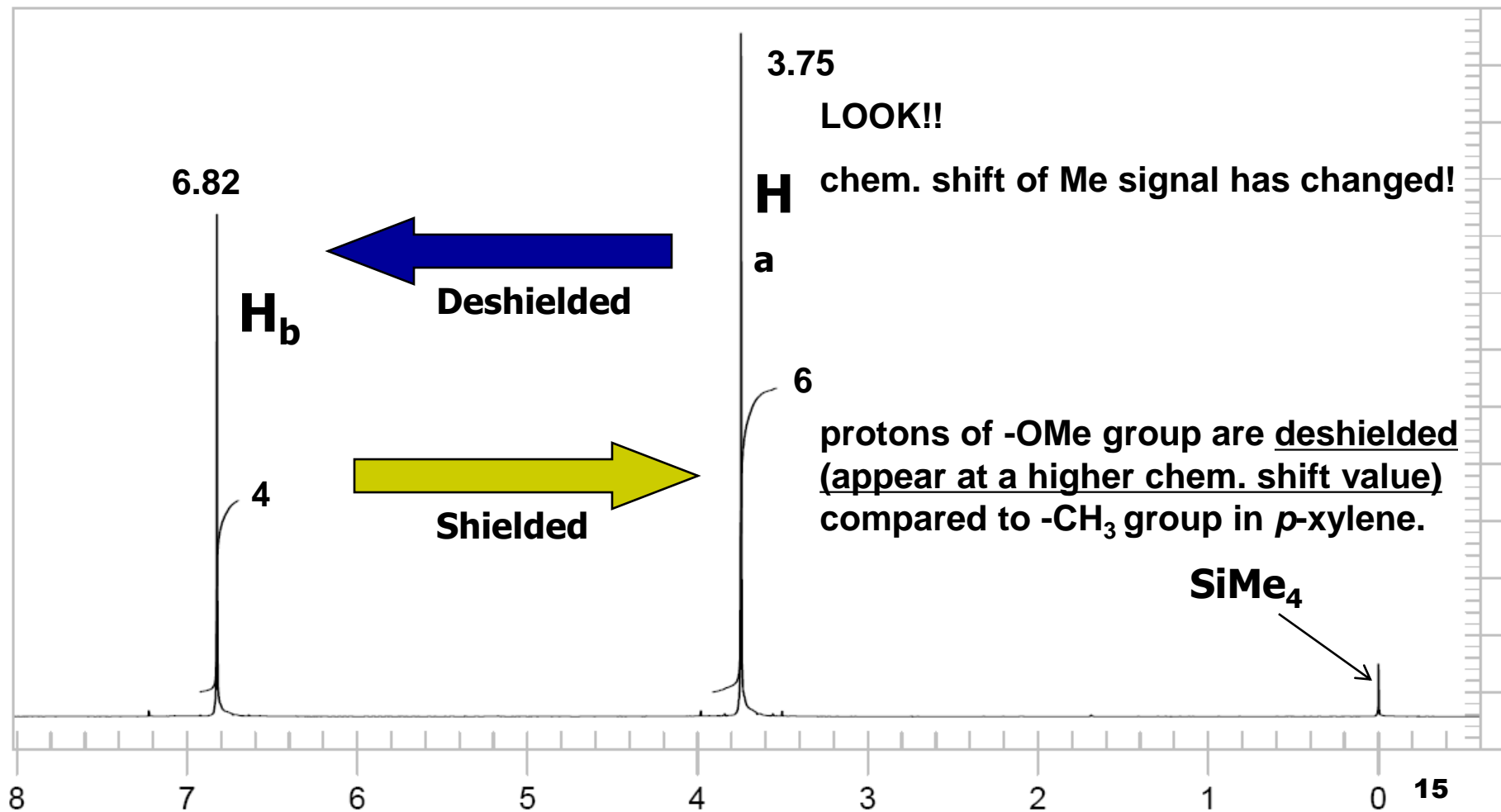


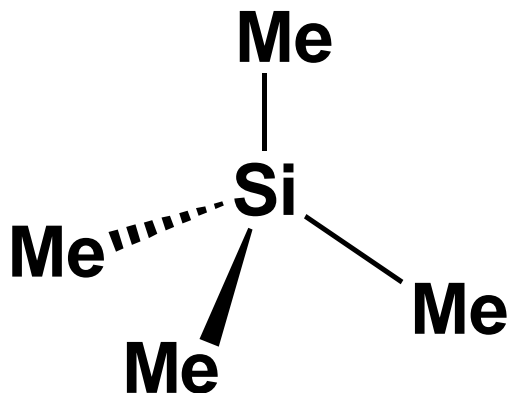
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300 MHz ^1H NMR
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1,4-Dimethoxybenzene





SiMe₄ = TMS = Tetramethylsilane

0.00 ppm reference compound

Why TMS?

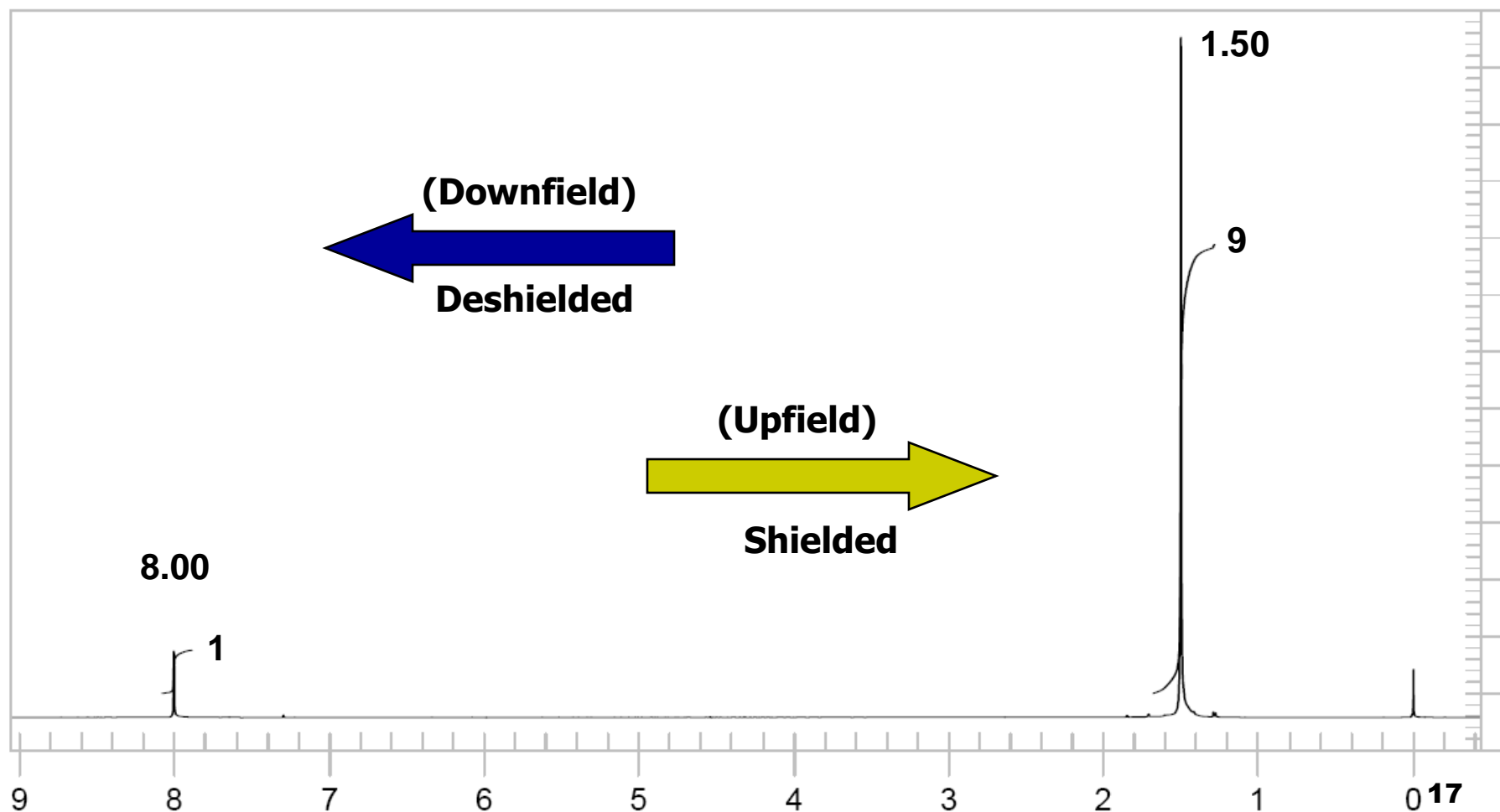
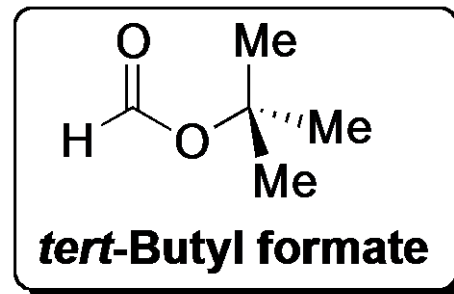
- **chemically inert (won't react with most molecules)**
- **volatile (easily removed)**
- **cheap**
- **signal is unsplit and "out of the way"**

Don't assign the TMS signal as part of your molecule!¹⁶



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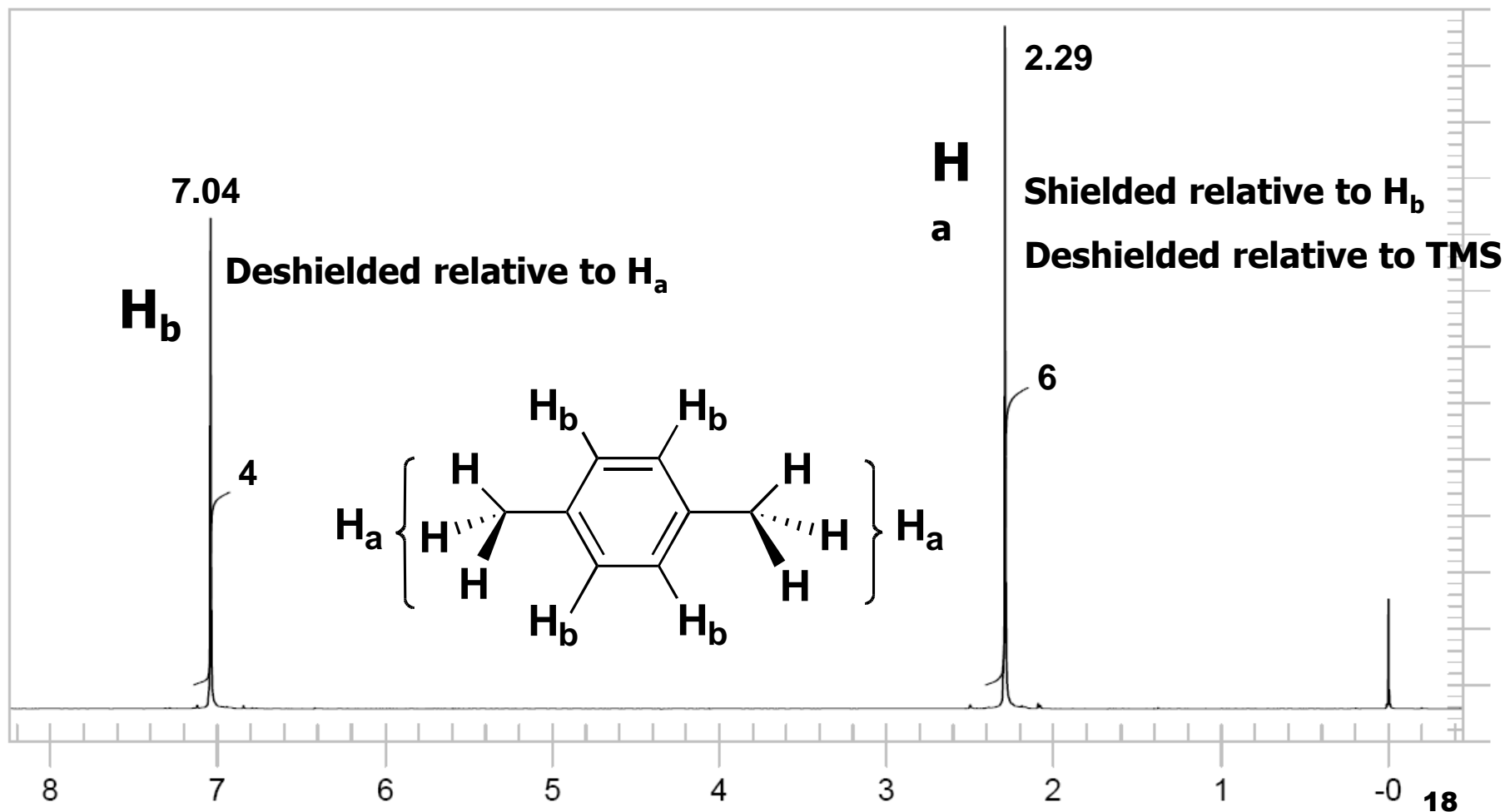


Shielding/deshielding is a relative term

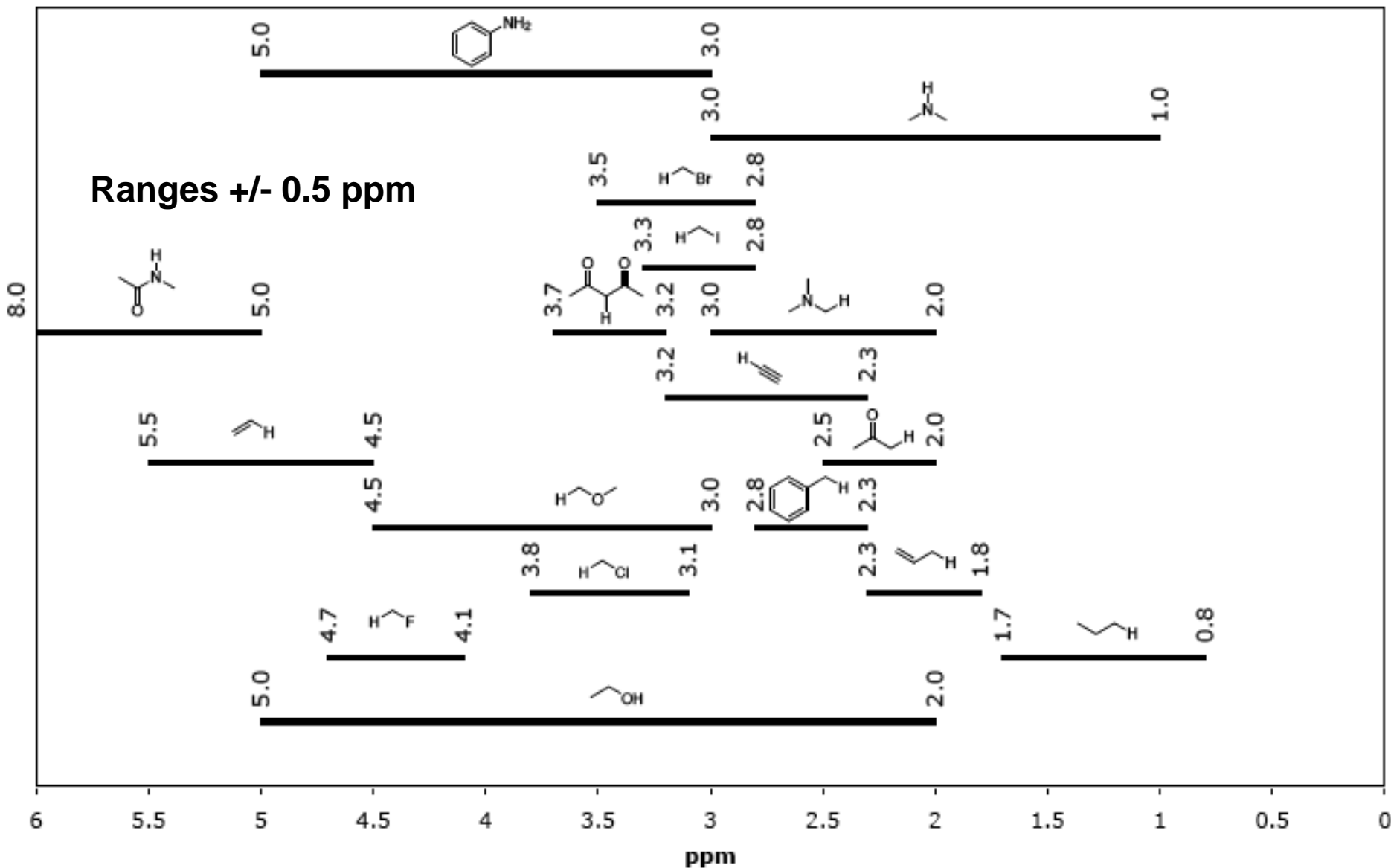


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¹H-NMR Chemical Shift Table

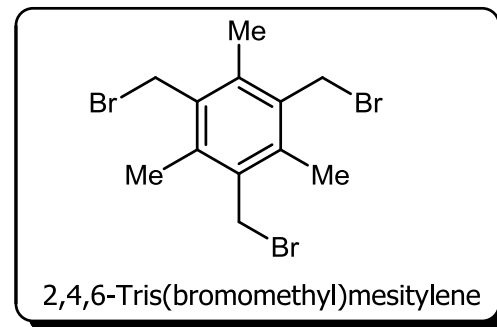


Confirm that the spectrum makes sense.....



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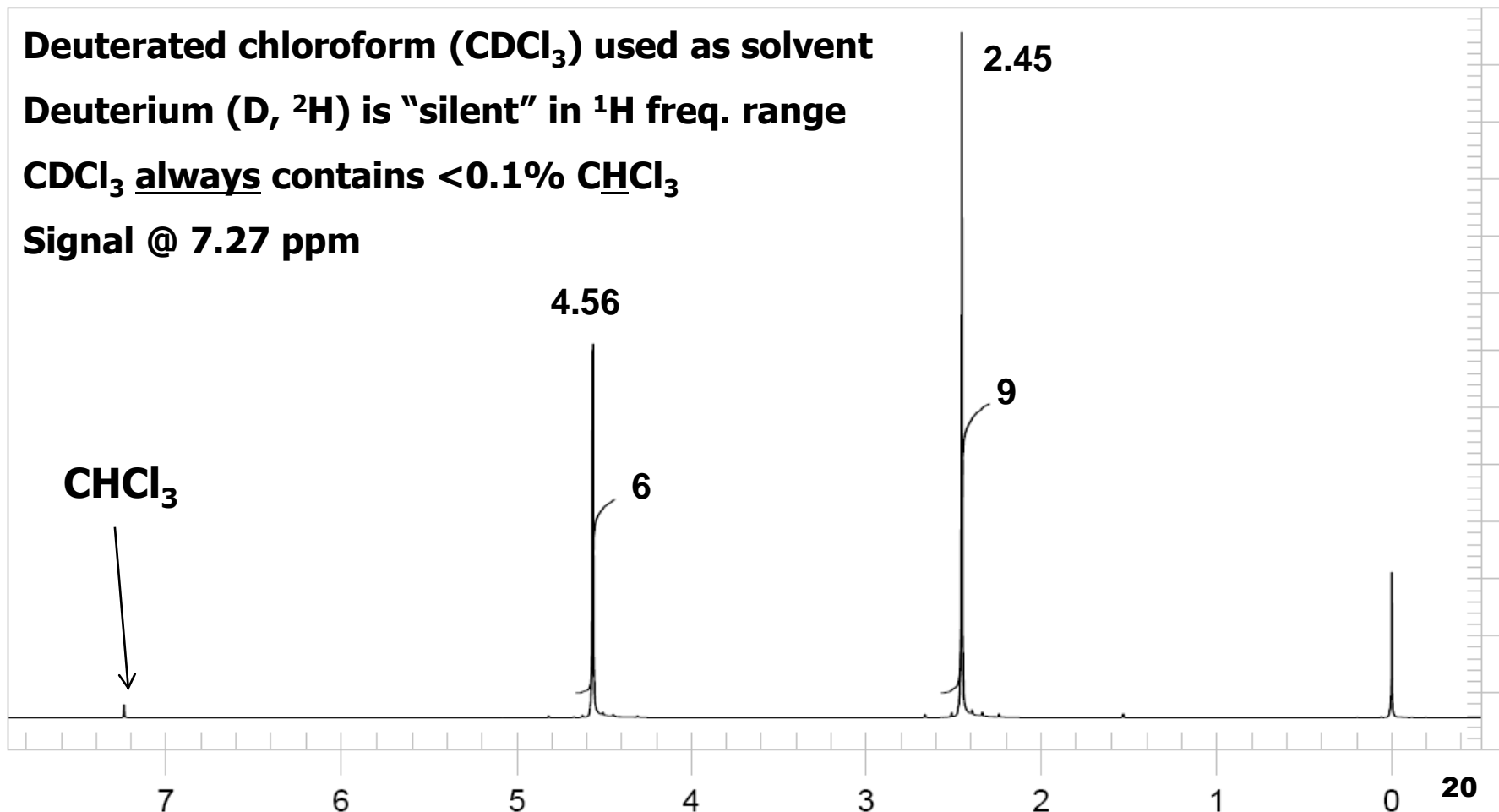


Deuterated chloroform (CDCl_3) used as solvent

Deuterium (D , ^2H) is "silent" in ^1H freq. range

CDCl_3 always contains $<0.1\%$ CHCl_3

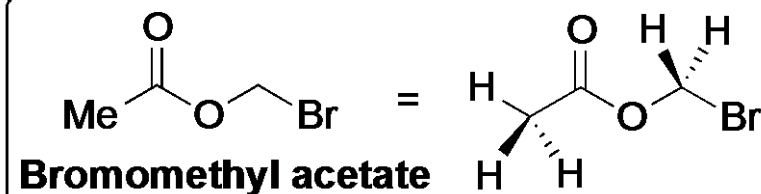
Signal @ 7.27 ppm



Reporting ^1H -NMR data



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Standard notation for reporting NMR data

[chemical shift, (multiplicity, integration)]

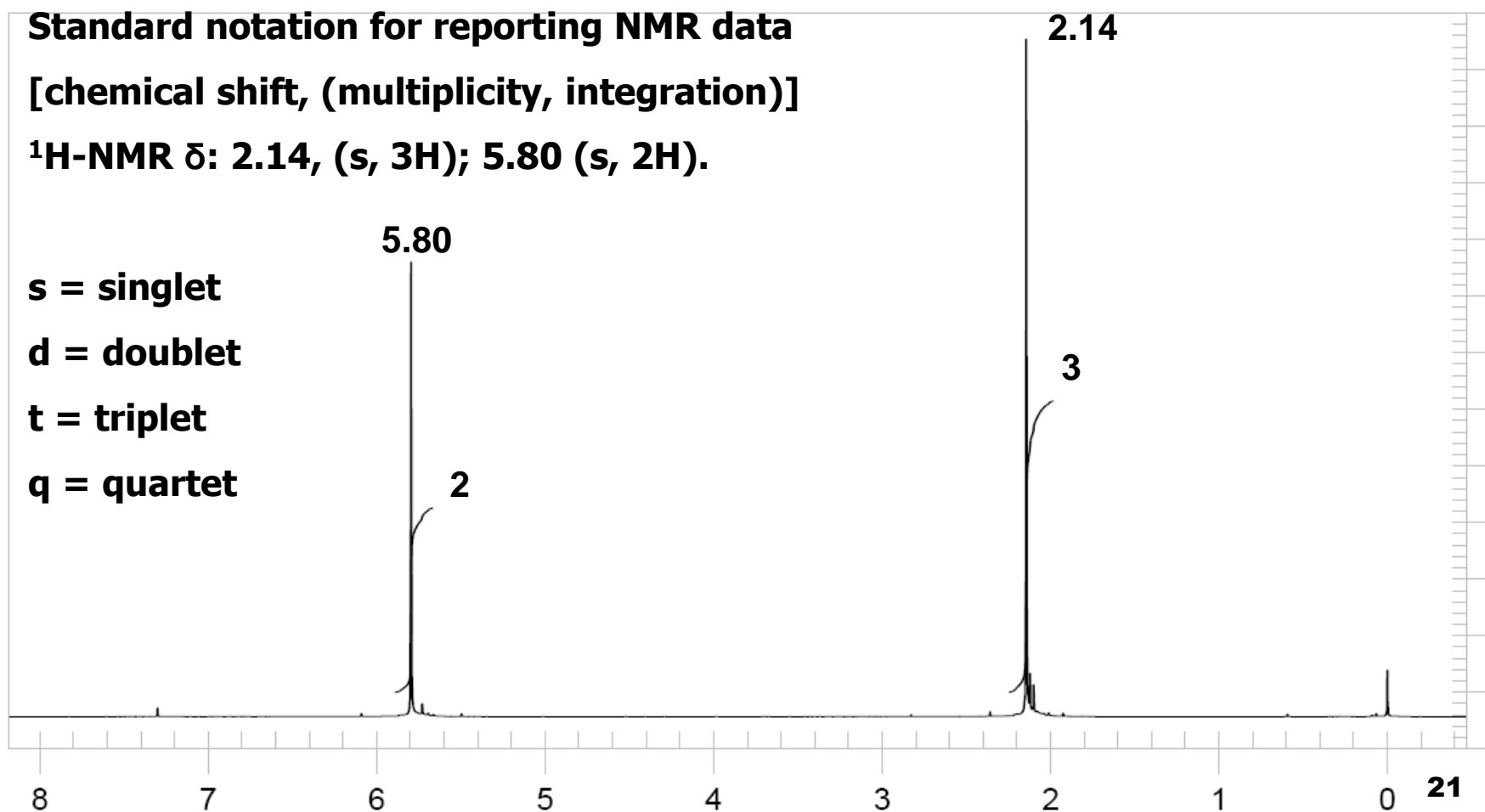
^1H -NMR δ : 2.14, (s, 3H); 5.80 (s, 2H).

s = singlet

d = doublet

t = triplet

q = quartet



Spin-spin splitting

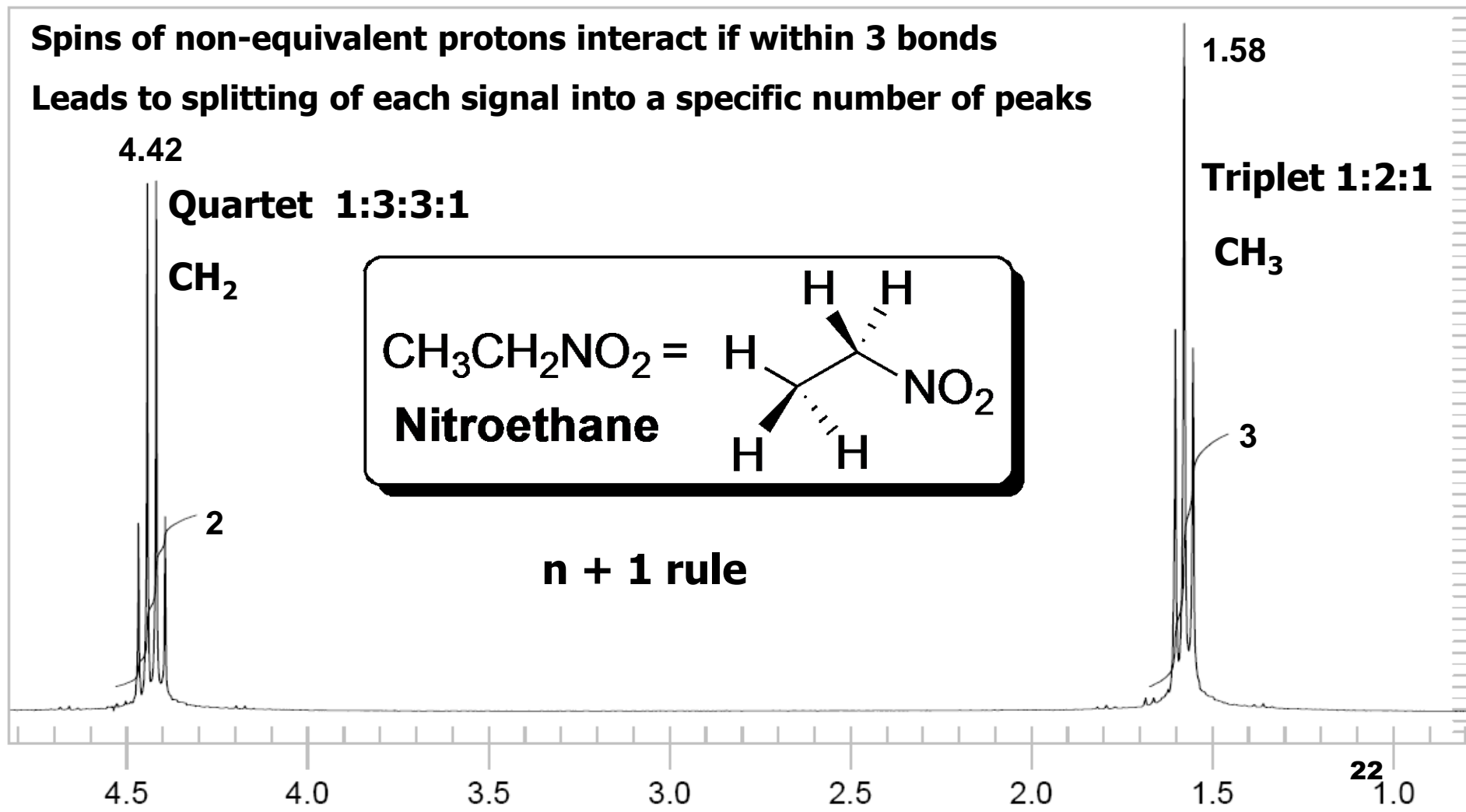


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Spins of non-equivalent protons interact if within 3 bonds

Leads to splitting of each signal into a specific number of peaks



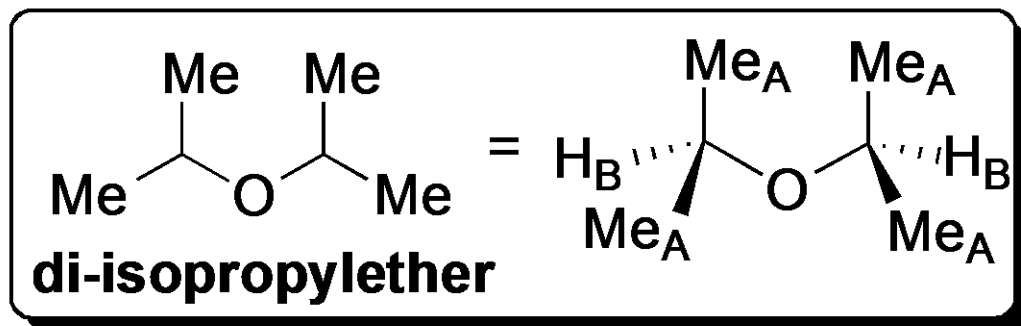
Spin-spin splitting (coupling)

- Splitting arises from the effect that one set of protons has on neighboring protons
- For a given proton, identify the number (n) of neighboring non-equivalent protons (on *adjacent* carbons)
- The resonance for this proton will then appear as $n+1$ lines
- Splitting is always mutual i.e. if H_a splits H_b , then H_b must split H_a (H_a and H_b are then said to be **coupled**)
- Splitting is not observed between equivalent protons

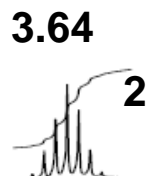


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Me_2CH protons (H_B)
 $n = 6, n+1 = 7, \text{septet}$



1:1 Doublet
Me protons (H_A)
 $n = 1, n+1 = 2$

1.12

12

3.5

3.0

2.5

2.0

1.5

1.0²⁴

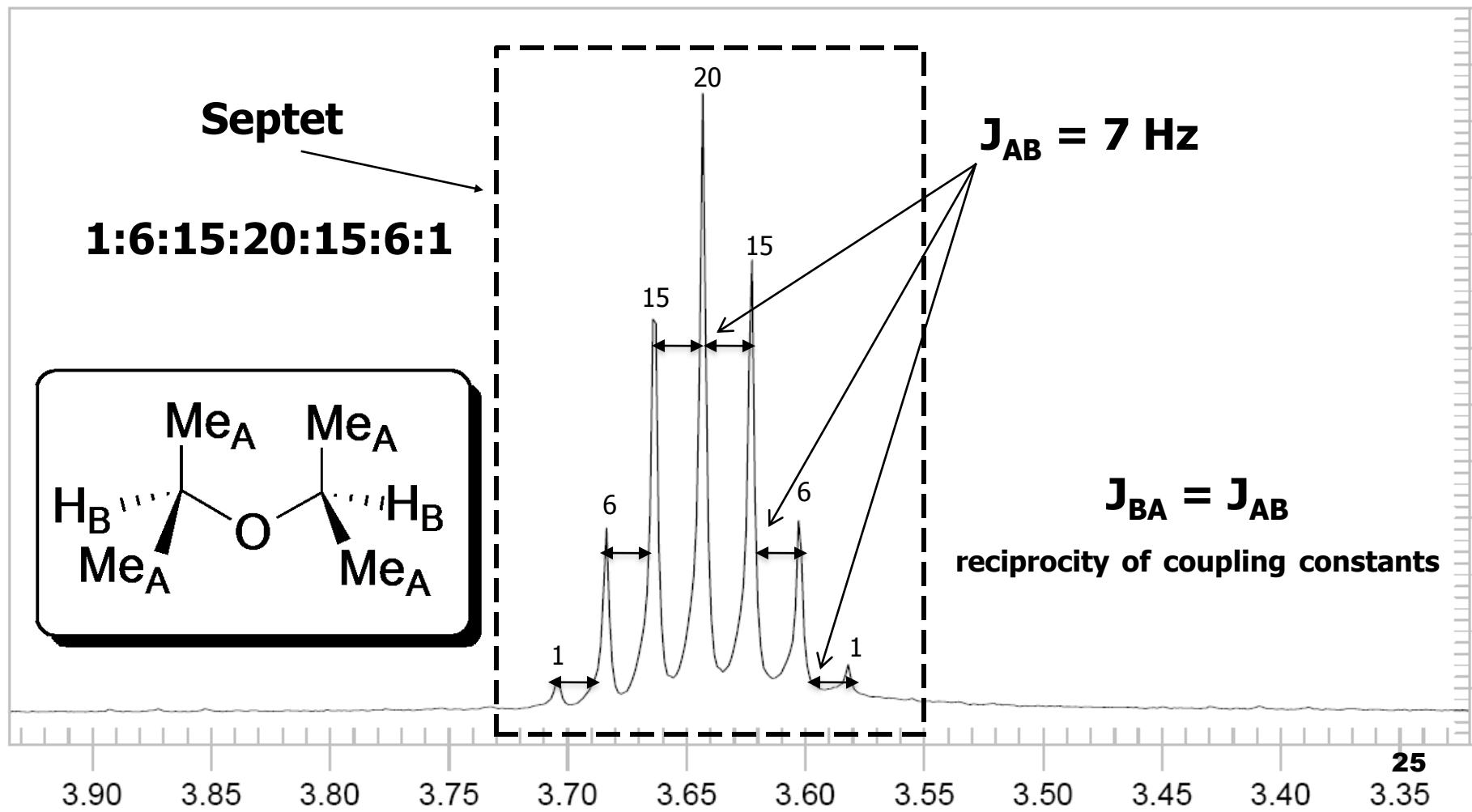
Coupling constant J (Hz) – indicates strength of coupling

$J \sim 7$ Hz for alkyl (sp^3) systems

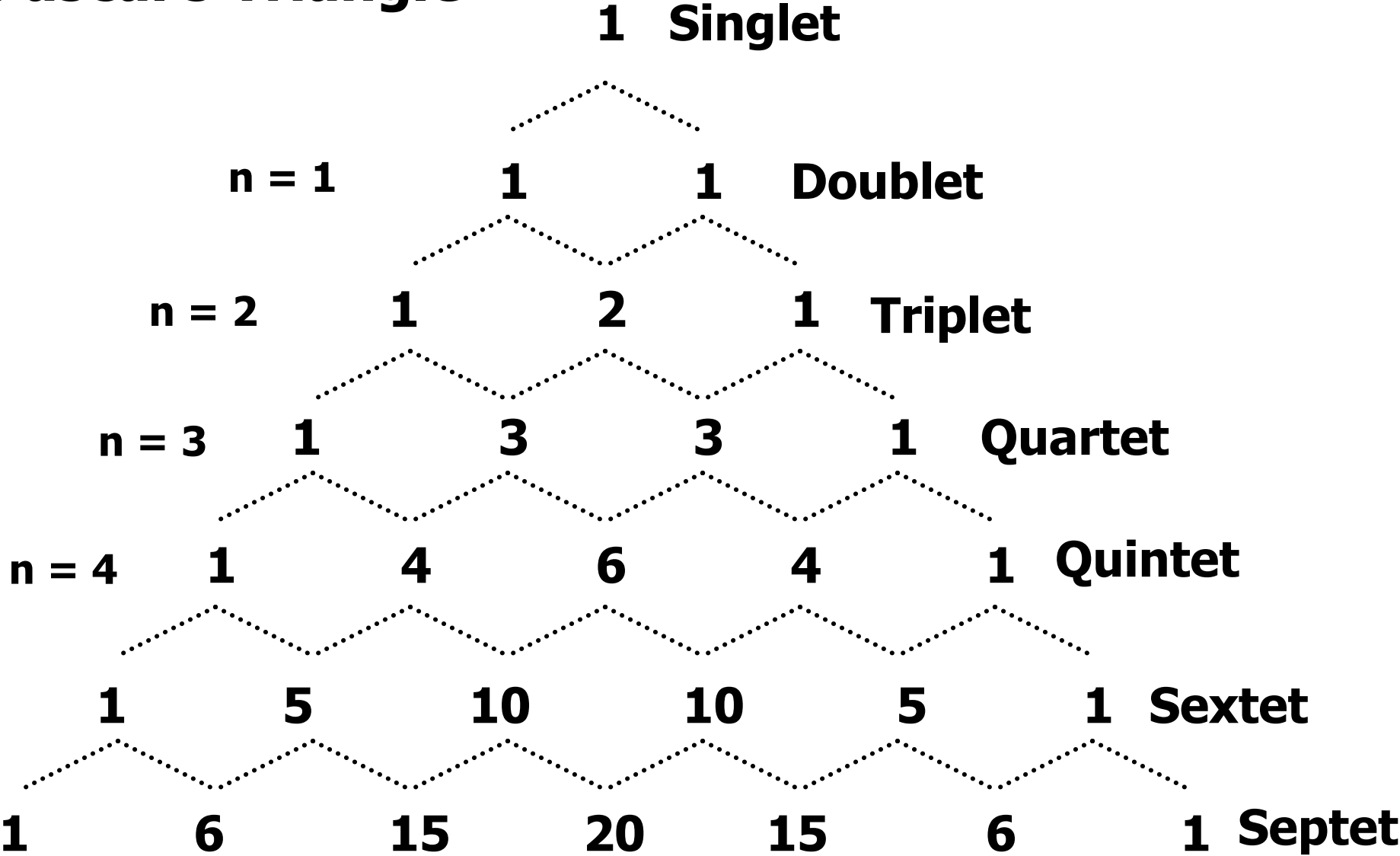


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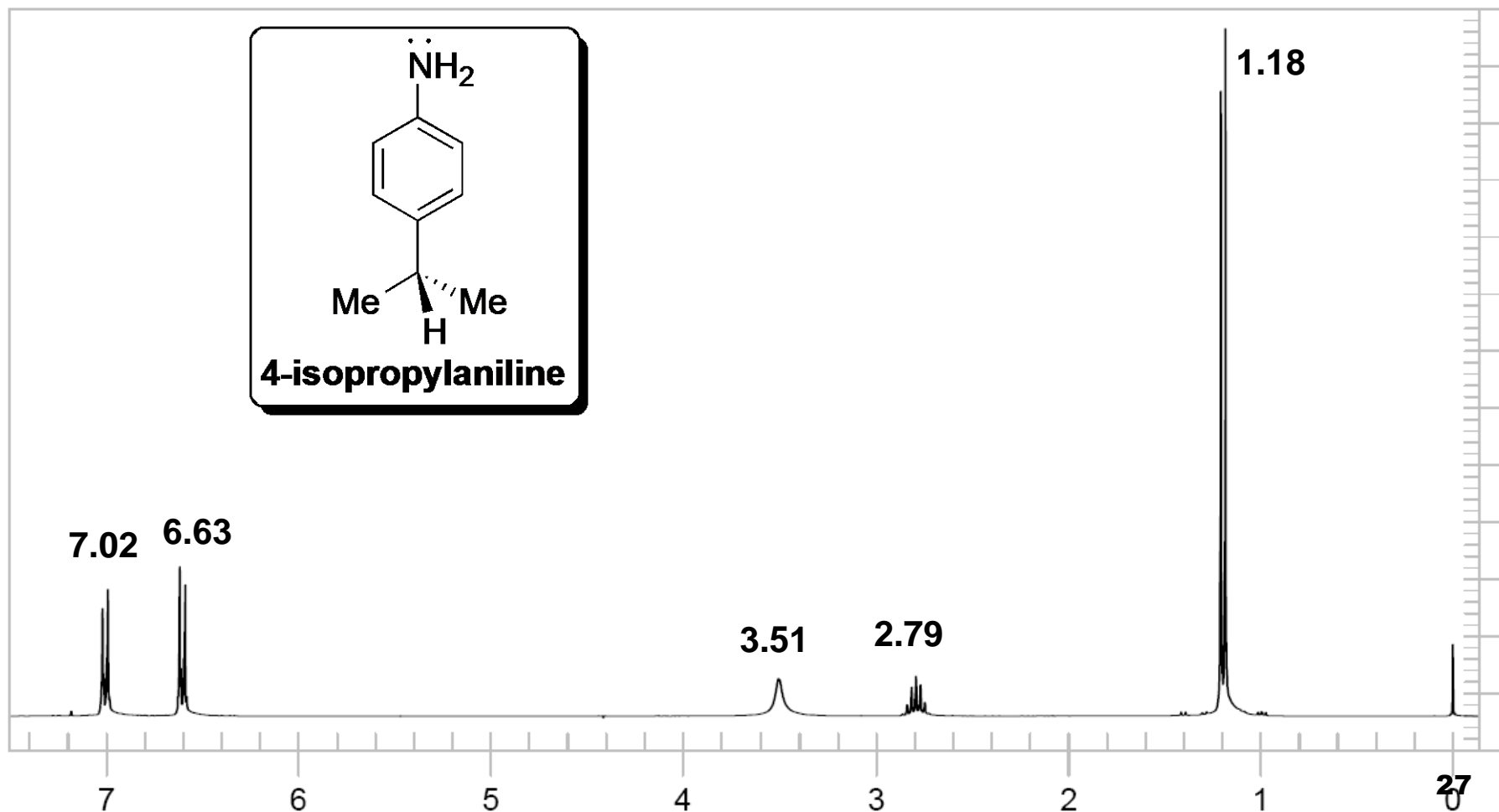
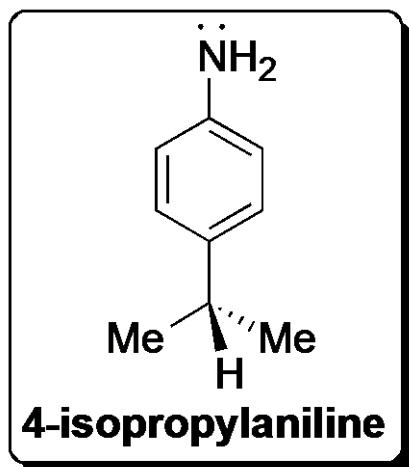
Pascal's Triangle





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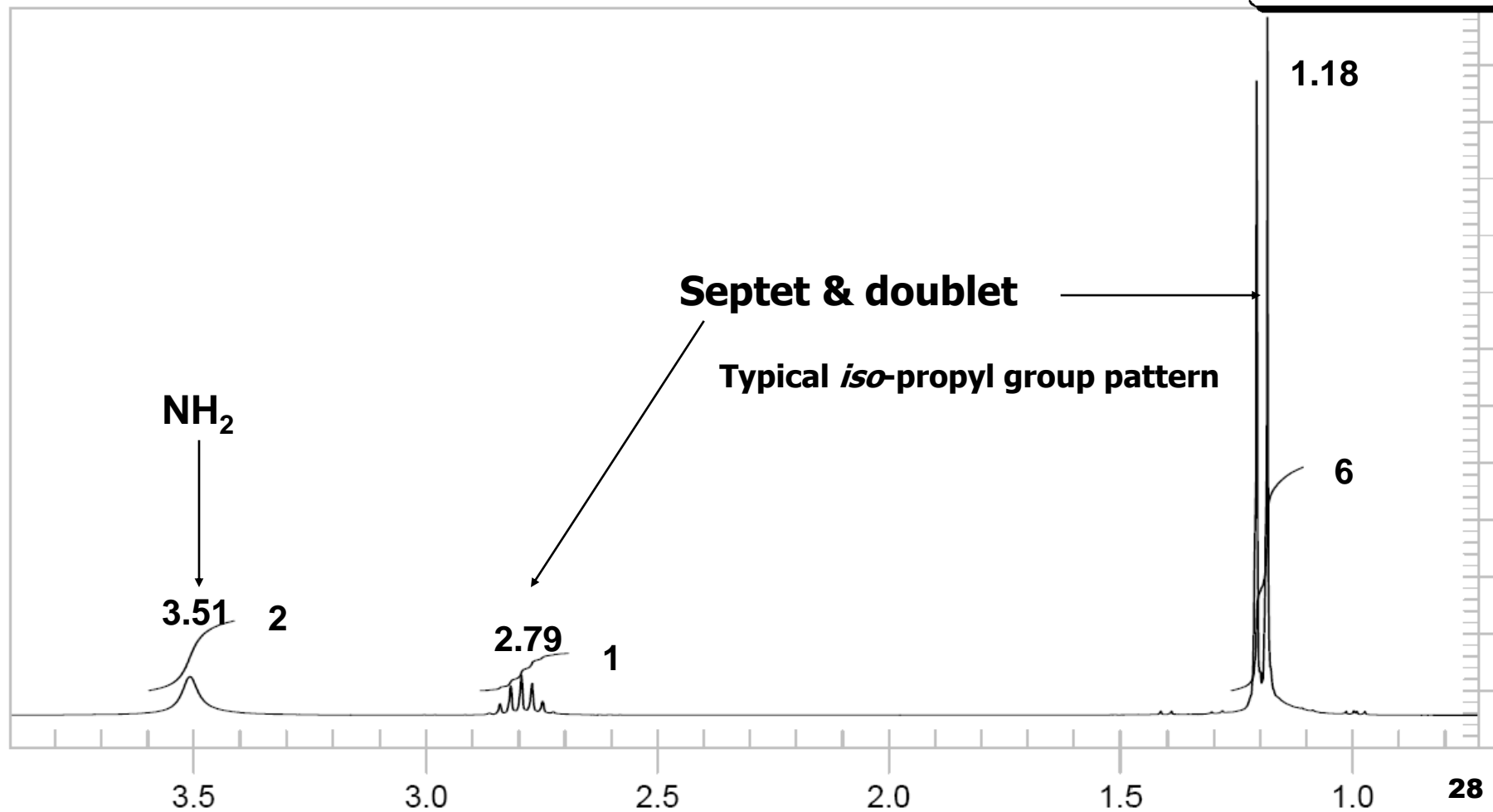
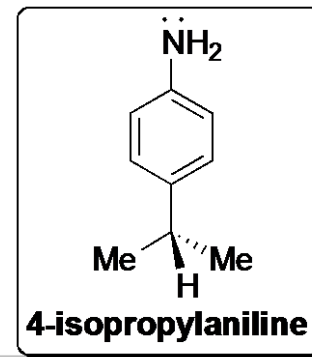
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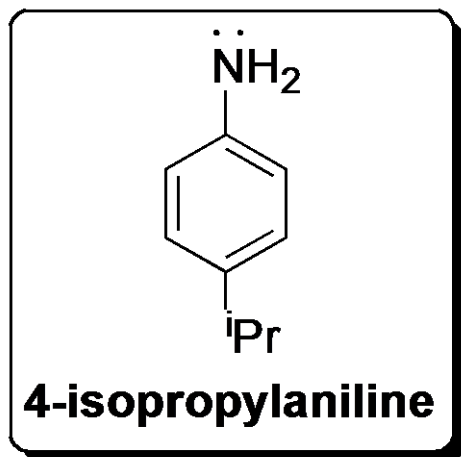




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"Organic Elements"

Me = $-\text{CH}_3$

Methyl

Et = $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$

Ethyl

Pr = $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$

Propyl

iPr = $-\text{CHMe}_2$

iso-Propyl

tBu = $-\text{CMe}_3$

tert-Butyl

Ph = $-\text{C}_6\text{H}_5$

Phenyl

Lecture 2

