

Bruker AVANCE-360 User's Guide for the *UWChemMRF*

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I. Introduction

a) Account information

- passwd rules
 - do **not** use your email or 9th floor password; should be unique to CIC
 - use seven to eight characters, at least one non-alphanumeric
 - do not use any characters other than letters (case-sensitive), numbers, period, hyphen, underline
 - avoid simple substitutions: e.g., *b00tleg* is not a good password
- checkout requirements
 - all homework must be completed with 100% score before taking checkout
 - account locked-out one month after training if checkout not completed
 - account sharing will cause loss of access

b) Help

- See “The Interaction Between XwinNMR and Unix,” pg. 4, 63 and 64
- All the Bruker manuals are accessible at the spectrometer under the XwinNMR Help menu.
- All the Bruker manuals are accessible on-line from our home page:
 - go to: <http://cic.chem.wisc.edu/nmr/main.html>
 - find: User Guides
 - click on: Bruker AVANCE User Guides
- These documents are available in the same area of the web site.

Use the on-line and printed help manuals often and regularly. Asking questions prior to your having looked first yourself will not be well-tolerated.

c) Natoth SGI Unix – brief intro

- See “The Interaction Between XwinNMR and Unix,” Part I; especially pgs. 5-7, 15-18, and 27-30 (note: much of the rest requires root privileges)
- .cshrc and aliases

dir	; ls -laF	(at UNIX prompt only; different in Xwin)	
df -k	; check disk utilization		
cd	; standard csh—puts in home directory		
cddata	; only cd alias that is user specific		pg 79-80
cdshims	; shims directory		pg 70
cdpp	; pulse programs		pg 71
cdpar	; parameter files		pgs 69, 84
cdmac	; macros (simple command execution)		pg 70, 90
cdau	; automation files (c-like)		pg 69, 85-89
cdgp	; gradient programs		missing on pg 69

d) File structures and naming conventions

- See “The Interaction Between XwinNMR and Unix,” Part II; pgs 66, 69, 70

Filenames	14 letter limitation; <u>edc</u>
Data locations and structure	pgs 79-80
Shim files	pg 70
Parameter files	pgs 69, 84
Pulse programs	pg 71
Macro files	pgs 70, 90
Automation files	pgs 69, 85-89

e) XwinNMR and setres

- See “The Interaction Between XwinNMR and Unix,” Part II; pg 91

ZGSafety	; ‘yes’ initially, but <i>must</i> be set ‘no’ for multizg
Default Editor	; use “jot”
XwinNMR	; set to “Extended”
Apply	; will correct color/display problems

f) Editors

- See “The Interaction Between XwinNMR and Unix,” pg. 72, 79

<u>edc</u>	; edit current (for new data acquisition)
<u>eda</u>	; edit acquisition parameters
<u>ased</u>	; automation setup editor (pp dependent)
<u>setti</u> (edti; UW macro; also <u>edinfo</u>)	; edit title (useful for data commenting)
<u>edte</u>	; edit temperature (temp panel)
<u>edhead</u>	; edit probehead (for probe changes)
<u>edp</u>	; edit processing parameters
<u>edg</u>	; edit plotting parameters

g) Modern High-Field Spectrometers

Linear Amplifiers	; see <u>edacb</u>	
	<u>Bruker (stated in attenuation, not power!!)</u>	<u>Varian</u>
-6dB	high power proton bb probes	63
0dB	high power X	58
≤30dB	presaturation	24
≤40dB	homodecoupling	18
≤16dB	highpower decoupling	41
≤10dB	highpower spinlock (check for update before using)	41
Tuning probes	; see Acquisition Manual 1.5.4, pg A-60	
<u>wobb</u>	; needed for changes in temp for 1H ; required for all X-nucleus experiments	
<u>wob</u>	; UW macro, does an <u>acqu</u> prior to <u>wobb</u>	

h) Starting and Stopping Acquisitions

- See “XwinNMR Acquisition Manual,” Section 1.7
- do **not** use quicknmr or run (they are not setup)
 - zg ; zero data then go
 - go ; do not zero data (ie., add to current)
 - tr ; transfer data for processing
 - halt ; preferred method for ending acquisition
 - stop ; immediate termination of acquisition, not as safe as halt
 - suspend ; suspend and resume only if pulse program supports (usually not)
 - resume ; resume only if supported in pulse program
 - kill ; will terminate active processes (e.g.,

i) Plotting Data

- See “XwinPLOT manual” on cic website
- PLOT button works fine in XwinNMR (but pretty limited)
- type xwinplot to start up very nice plot editor
 - main customization is *right-click* on object and select *1D-2D-edit*