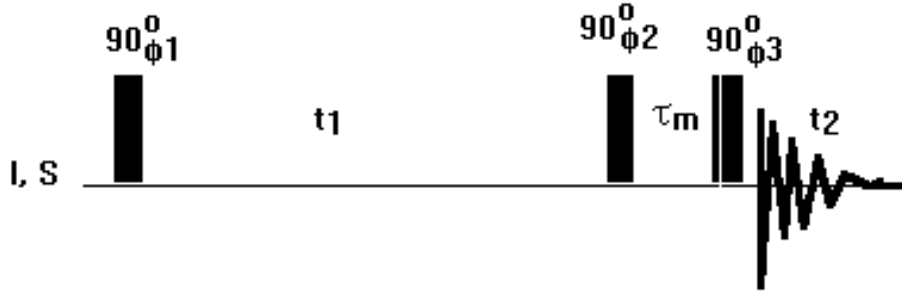


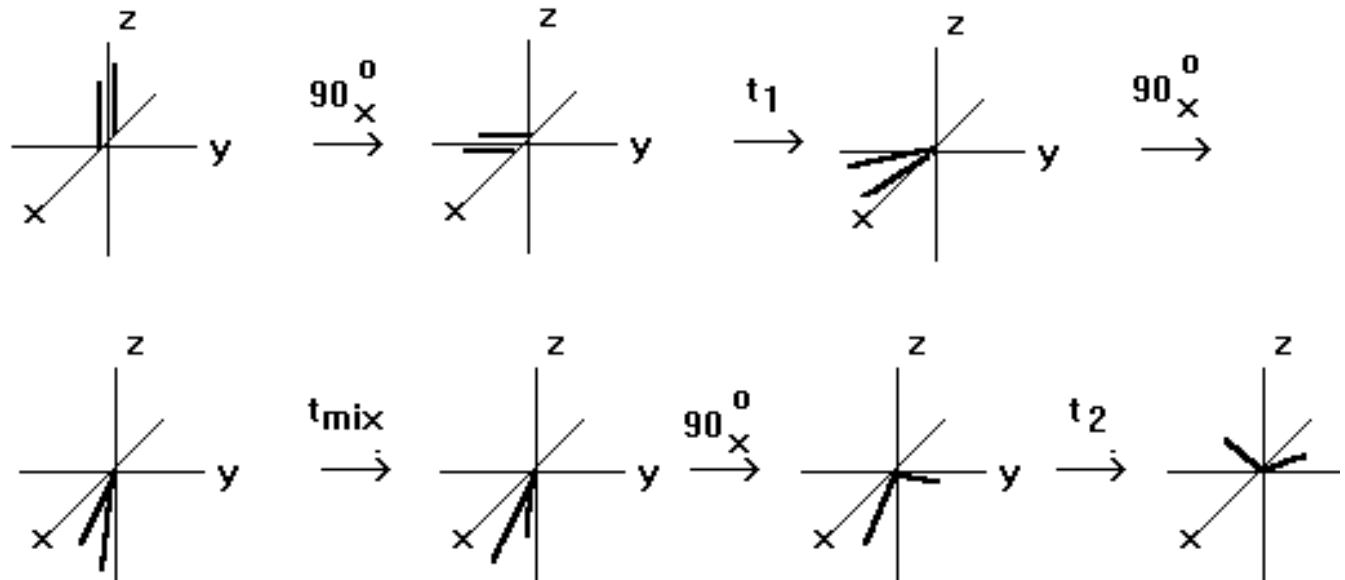
NOESY = Nuclear Overhauser Effect Spectroscopy

The pulse sequence: $90^\circ_x - t_1 - 90^\circ_x - t_{\text{mix.}} - 90^\circ_x - t_2$



Memo 1: in a NOE type experiment both **magnetization** (I_z and S_z) and **the zero quantum coherence** terms are important.

Consider: Ω_I , Ω_S and J_{IS}



$$\sigma[\text{eq.}]$$

$$\hat{H} = \pi/2 (\hat{I}_x + \check{S}_x)$$

$\downarrow 90^\circ_x$

I_z and S_z

$$\sigma[0]$$

$$\hat{H} = \hat{I}_z(\Omega_I t_1) + \check{S}_z(\Omega_S t_1)$$

$-I_y$ and $-S_y$
 $\downarrow t_1$

$$-I_y \cos(\Omega_I t_1)$$

$$+I_x \sin(\Omega_I t_1)$$

$$-S_y \cos(\Omega_S t_1)$$

$$+S_x \sin(\Omega_S t_1)$$

\downarrow

$$\hat{H} = 2\hat{I}_z \check{S}_z (J_{IS} \pi t_1)$$

$$-I_y \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$+2I_x S_z \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$+I_x \sin(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$+2I_y S_z \sin(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$-S_y \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$+2S_x I_z \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

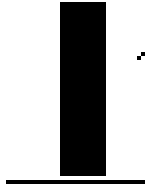
$$+S_x \sin(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$+2S_y I_z \sin(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$\sigma[t_1]$

$$\hat{H} = \pi/2 (\hat{I}_x + \hat{S}_x)$$

90°
φ/2



$\sigma[t_1, 0]$

$\downarrow 90^\circ_x$ memo. = $\cos(\pi/2) = 0, \sin(\pi/2) = 1$

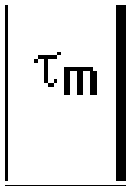
$$\begin{aligned} & -\mathbf{I}_z \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & -2\mathbf{I}_x \mathbf{S}_y \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & +\mathbf{I}_x \sin(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & \quad -2\mathbf{I}_z \mathbf{S}_y \sin(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & -\mathbf{S}_z \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & -2\mathbf{S}_x \mathbf{I}_y \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & +\mathbf{S}_x \sin(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & \quad -2\mathbf{S}_z \mathbf{I}_y \sin(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \end{aligned}$$

Memo 2.

\mathbf{I}_z and \mathbf{S}_z are z magnetizations,

$\mathbf{I}_x, \mathbf{S}_x$ as well as $\mathbf{I}_z \mathbf{S}_y$ and $\mathbf{S}_z \mathbf{I}_y$ are single-quantum coherences,

$\mathbf{I}_x \mathbf{S}_y$ and $\mathbf{S}_x \mathbf{I}_y$ are double-quantum coherences.



τ_m

Memo 3: Both **Z magnetizations** (\mathbf{I}_z and \mathbf{S}_z) as well as the **Zero Quantum parts (ZQ)** of the **Double Quantum terms (DQ)** are relevant for NOE.

- Note that ZQ terms can't be removed from the spectrum with phase-cycling and thus below we will work out **only the ZQ part of the DQ term**.

memo :

$$I^+ = I_x + iI_y$$

$$I^- = I_x - iI_y$$

$$S^+ = S_x + iS_y$$

$$S^- = S_x - iS_y$$

consequently

$$1/2 [I^+ + I^-] = I_x \quad \text{and} \quad 1/(2i)[I^+ - I^-] = I_y$$

$$1/2[S^+ + S^-] = S_x \quad \text{and} \quad 1/(2i)[S^+ - S^-] = S_y$$

therefore

$$-2I_x S_y = -2 \{ 1/2 [I^+ + I^-] 1/(2i)[S^+ - S^-] \} = -1/(2i) \{ I^+ S^+ - I^+ S^- + I^- S^+ - I^- S^- \}$$

only $I^+ S^+$ and $I^- S^-$ are double quant. coh. (or coherence order 2),

$I^+ S^-$ and $I^- S^+$ are zero quant. coh. (or coherence order 0)

through phase cycling the double quantum coherences are removed,

while $-1/(2i) \{ -I^+ S^- + I^- S^+ \}$ terms remain.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{finally: } & -1/(2i) [-1 \{ (I_x + iI_y)(S_x - iS_y) \} + \{ (I_x - iI_y)(S_x + iS_y) \}] = \\ & -1/(2i) [-I_x S_x - iI_y S_x + iI_x S_y - I_y S_y + I_x S_x - iI_y S_x + iI_x S_y + I_y S_y] \\ & -1/(2i) [-i2I_y S_x + i2I_x S_y] \\ & \quad \underbrace{[+I_y S_x - I_x S_y]} \end{aligned}$$

In summary : $-2I_x S_y \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \Rightarrow [+I_y S_x - I_x S_y] \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$
for the same reason from the $-2I_y S_x$ term, the $+[I_x S_y - I_y S_x] \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$ terms
have zero quantum coherence.

$$[+I_y S_x - I_x S_y] \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$[+I_x S_y - I_y S_x] \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$



$$\text{term A: } [+I_y S_x - I_x S_y] \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$\text{term B: } [+I_x S_y - I_y S_x] \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

The result of the addition of term A plus B results in the following 4 terms:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{A +B term} = & +I_y S_x \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) - I_x S_y \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & + I_x S_y \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) - I_y S_x \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \end{aligned}$$

Written in a condensed form: $[I_y S_x - I_x S_y] [\cos(\Omega_I t_1) - \cos(\Omega_S t_1)] \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$

Before the mixing starts we have the following terms with quant. number 0.

$$-I_z \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$-S_z \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$\sigma[t_1, 0] \quad [I_y S_x - I_x S_y] [\cos(\Omega_I t_1) - \cos(\Omega_S t_1)] \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

with mix. coeff. : a_{II} , a_{IS} , a_{SI} , a_{SS}

during the mixing time (τ_m) the populations ($-I_z a_{II}$, $-I_z a_{IS}$, $-S_z a_{SI}$ and $-S_z a_{SS}$) interact, while the zero-quantum term ($[I_y S_x - I_x S_y]$) coherence continues to precess.

after the mixing the populations are:

$$-I_z a_{II} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$-I_z a_{IS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$-S_z a_{SS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$-S_z a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

and the zero-quantum coh. term is

$$[I_y S_x - I_x S_y] [\cos(\Omega_I t_1) - \cos(\Omega_S t_1)] \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$$

$$\hat{H} = \pi/2 (\hat{I}_x + \check{S}_x)$$

$$\downarrow 90^\circ_x \text{ memo.} = \cos(\pi/2) = 0, \sin(\pi/2) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{I}_y a_{II} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & \mathbf{I}_y a_{IS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & \mathbf{S}_y a_{SS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & \mathbf{S}_y a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & [\mathbf{I}_z \mathbf{S}_x - \mathbf{I}_x \mathbf{S}_z] [(\cos(\Omega_I t_1) - \cos(\Omega_S t_1))] \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \end{aligned}$$

The unwanted zero-quantum diagonal and cross-peaks ($\mathbf{I}_z \mathbf{S}_x - \mathbf{I}_x \mathbf{S}_z$) (both anti-phased and dispersive) can be removed at this point.

- in small molecule several spec. are recorded with diff. mixing time and coadded.
- in large molecule they can be ignored because \rightarrow zero-quant. relaxation is fast
 \rightarrow large linewidth with antiphased disp. line shape cancel each other.

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{I}_y a_{II} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & \mathbf{I}_y a_{IS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & \mathbf{S}_y a_{SS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \\ & \mathbf{S}_y a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \end{aligned}$$

the diagonal \mathbf{I}_y term during ACQ \Rightarrow

$$\begin{aligned}
& +\mathbf{I}_y a_{II} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \cos(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -2\mathbf{I}_x \mathbf{S}_z a_{II} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \cos(\Omega_I t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -\mathbf{I}_x a_{II} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -2\mathbf{I}_y \mathbf{S}_z a_{II} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2)
\end{aligned}$$

the diagonal \mathbf{S}_y term during ACQ \Rightarrow

$$\begin{aligned}
& +\mathbf{S}_y a_{SS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \cos(\Omega_S t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -2\mathbf{S}_x \mathbf{I}_z a_{SS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \cos(\Omega_S t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -\mathbf{S}_x a_{SS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_S t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -2\mathbf{S}_y \mathbf{I}_z a_{SS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_S t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2)
\end{aligned}$$

off-diagonal \mathbf{I}_y term during ACQ \Rightarrow

$$\begin{aligned}
& +\mathbf{I}_y a_{IS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \cos(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -2\mathbf{I}_x \mathbf{S}_z a_{IS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \cos(\Omega_I t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -\mathbf{I}_x a_{IS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -2\mathbf{I}_y \mathbf{S}_z a_{IS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2)
\end{aligned}$$

off-diagonal \mathbf{S}_y term during ACQ \Rightarrow

$$\begin{aligned}
& +\mathbf{S}_y a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \cos(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -2\mathbf{S}_x \mathbf{I}_z a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \cos(\Omega_I t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -\mathbf{S}_x a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\
& -2\mathbf{S}_y \mathbf{I}_z a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2)
\end{aligned}$$

memo 1: put the receiver on x

therefore only the four x term remain

$$\begin{aligned} & -\mathbf{I}_x a_{II} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\ & -\mathbf{S}_x a_{SS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_S t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\ & -\mathbf{I}_x a_{IS} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \\ & -\mathbf{S}_x a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_S t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1) \sin(\Omega_I t_2) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_2) \end{aligned}$$

memo 2: $\sin(A)\cos(B) = 1/2[\sin(A+B)+\sin(A-B)]$

$\cos(A)\cos(B) = 1/2[\cos(A+B)+\cos(A-B)]$

therefore

$$\begin{aligned} & -1/4\mathbf{I}_x a_{II} [+ \cos\{(\Omega_I + \pi J_{IS})t_1\} + \cos\{(\Omega_I - \pi J_{IS})t_1\}][+\sin\{(\Omega_I + \pi J_{IS})t_2\} + \sin\{(\Omega_I - \pi J_{IS})t_2\}] \\ & -1/4\mathbf{S}_x a_{II} [+ \cos\{(\Omega_S + \pi J_{IS})t_1\} + \cos\{(\Omega_S - \pi J_{IS})t_1\}][+\sin\{(\Omega_S + \pi J_{IS})t_2\} + \sin\{(\Omega_S - \pi J_{IS})t_2\}] \\ & -1/4\mathbf{I}_x a_{IS} [+ \cos\{(\Omega_S + \pi J_{IS})t_1\} + \cos\{(\Omega_S - \pi J_{IS})t_1\}][+\sin\{(\Omega_I + \pi J_{IS})t_2\} + \sin\{(\Omega_I - \pi J_{IS})t_2\}] \\ & -1/4\mathbf{S}_x a_{SI} [+ \cos\{(\Omega_I + \pi J_{IS})t_1\} + \cos\{(\Omega_I - \pi J_{IS})t_1\}][+\sin\{(\Omega_S + \pi J_{IS})t_2\} + \sin\{(\Omega_S - \pi J_{IS})t_2\}] \end{aligned}$$

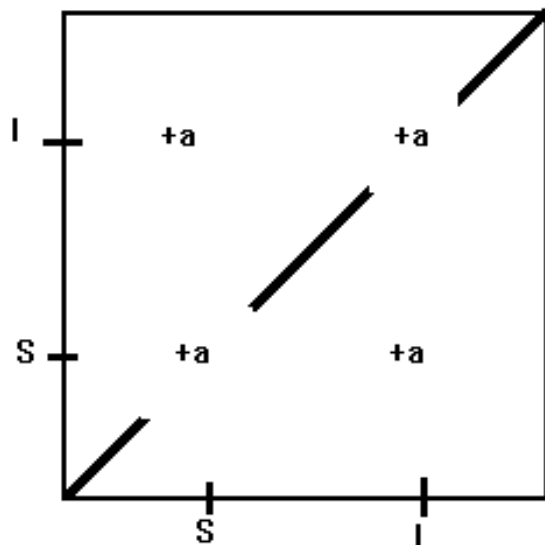
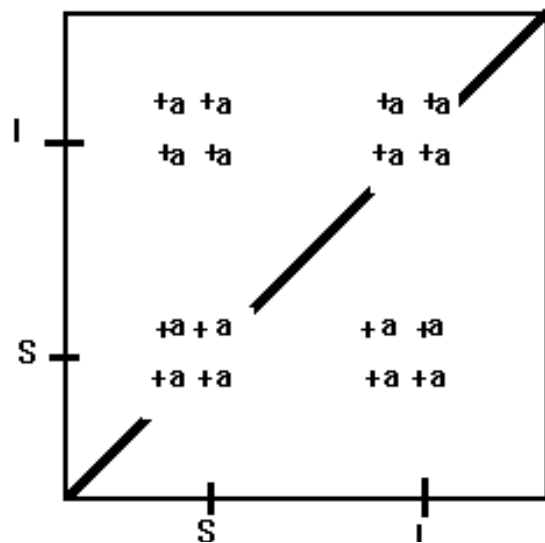
the following terms can be found

$$\begin{aligned} & -\mathbf{I}_x a_{II} [+ \dots + \dots + \dots + \dots] \text{ at } \Omega_I, \Omega_I \\ & -\mathbf{I}_x a_{IS} [+ \dots + \dots + \dots + \dots] \text{ at } \Omega_S, \Omega_I \\ & -\mathbf{S}_x a_{SS} [+ \dots + \dots + \dots + \dots] \text{ at } \Omega_S, \Omega_S \\ & -\mathbf{S}_x a_{SI} [+ \dots + \dots + \dots + \dots] \text{ at } \Omega_I, \Omega_S \end{aligned}$$

if one sets the phase that

cos is absorptive (*a*) in t_1

sin is absorptive (*a*) in t_2



$$\mathbf{I}_x a_{II} [+a \dots +a \dots +a \dots +a \dots] \text{ at } \Omega_I, \Omega_I$$

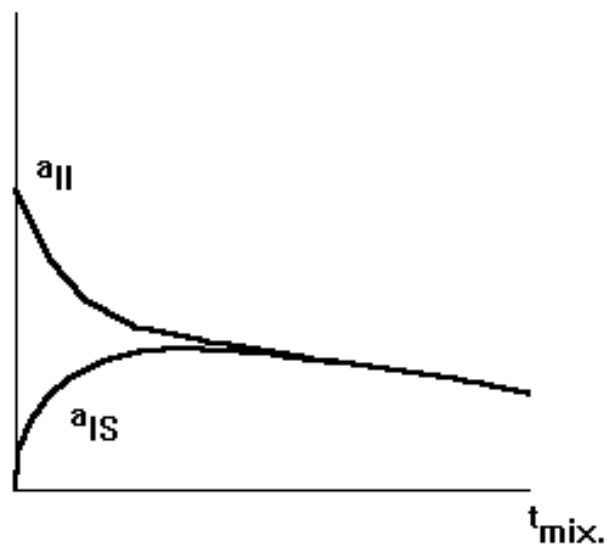
$$\mathbf{I}_x a_{IS} [+a \dots +a \dots +a \dots +a \dots] \text{ at } \Omega_S, \Omega_I$$

$$\mathbf{S}_x a_{SS} [+a \dots +a \dots +a \dots +a \dots] \text{ at } \Omega_S, \Omega_S$$

$$\mathbf{S}_x a_{SI} [+a \dots +a \dots +a \dots +a \dots] \text{ at } \Omega_I, \Omega_S$$

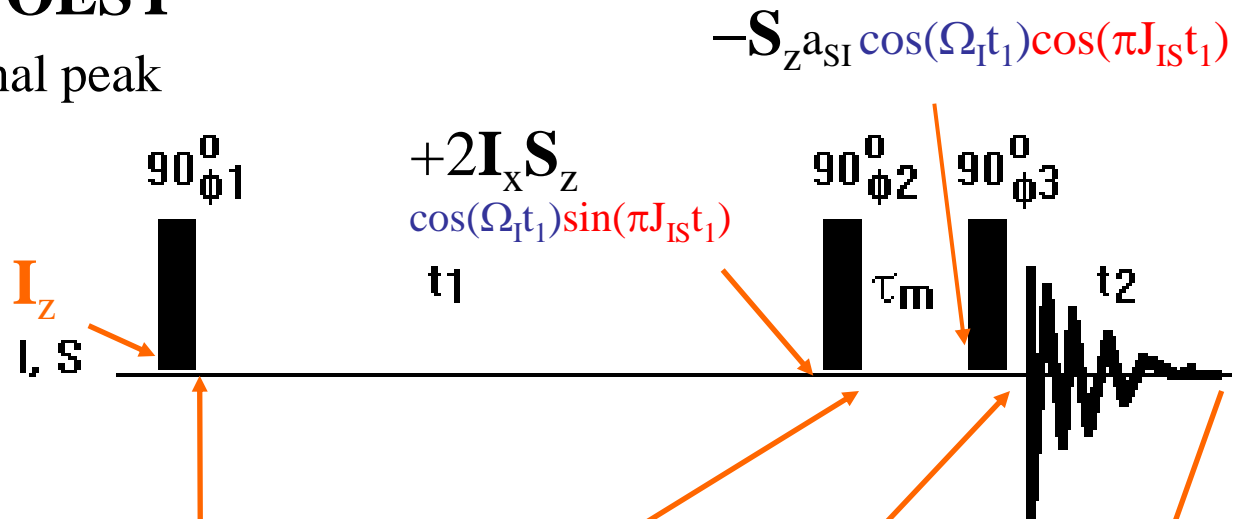
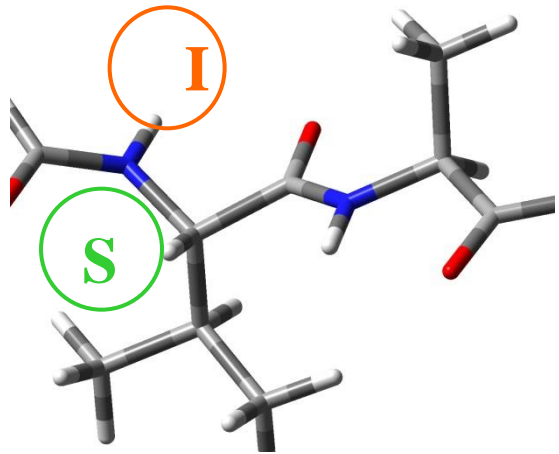
If $J_{IS} = 0$ (through bond coupling ignored) then

The sign of the peaks is determined by the mix. coeff. : $a_{II}, a_{IS}, a_{SI}, a_{SS}$



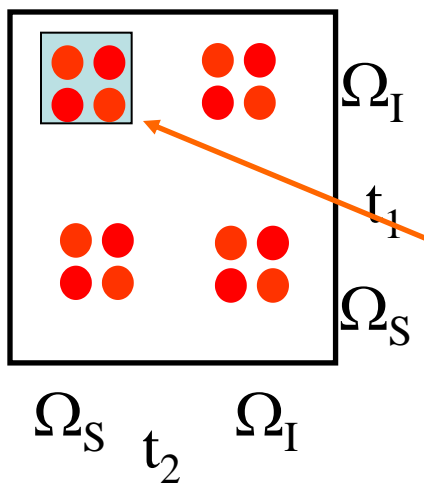
Summary: ^1H - ^1H NOESY

the raise of an off-diagonal peak



I_z
 I, S
 $-I_y$
 $+2I_x S_z$
 $\cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$
 $-I_z \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$
 $+S_y a_{SI}$
 $\cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$

$-S_z a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \cos(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$
 $-S_x a_{SI} \cos(\Omega_I t_1) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_1)$
 $\sin(\Omega_S t_2) \sin(\pi J_{IS} t_2)$

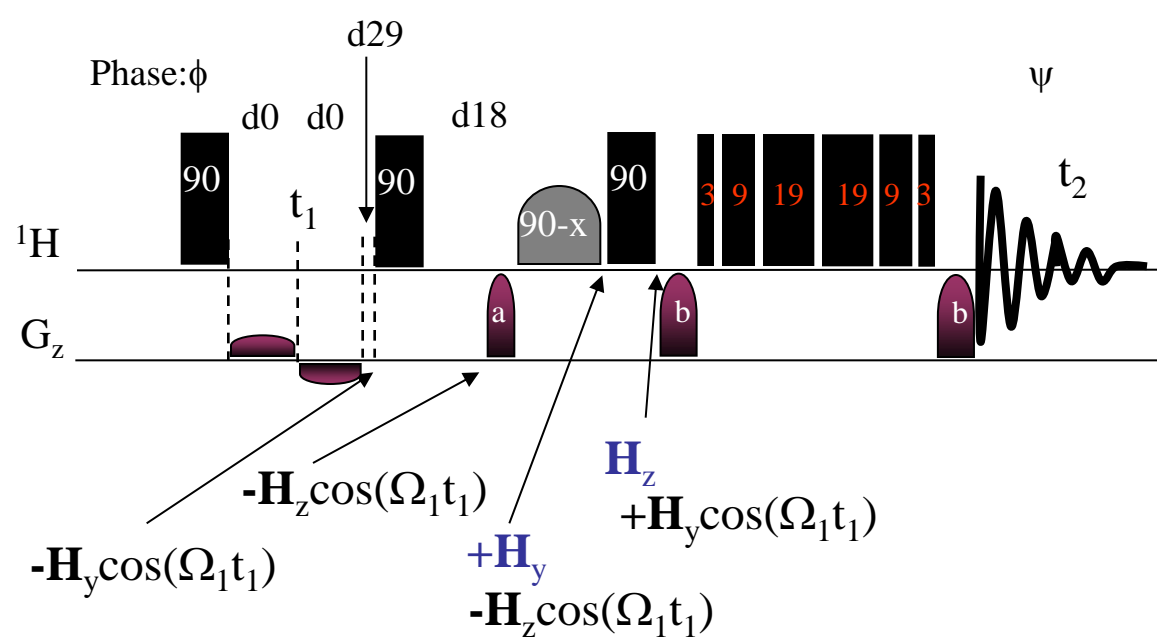


$-1/4 S_x a_{SI} [+\cos\{(\Omega_I + \pi J_{IS})t_1\} + \cos\{(\Omega_I - \pi J_{IS})t_1\}]$
 $[+\sin\{(\Omega_S + \pi J_{IS})t_2\} + \sin\{(\Omega_S - \pi J_{IS})t_2\}]$

NOESY-with bipolar gradient, water flip-back pulse and -3-9-19:

↑ Net magnetization from H₂O (on-resonance)

↑ Net magnetization from protein (off-resonance)



bipolar gradient taking care of water during evolution:

a pair of gradients (typically of low power *e.g.* 0.5%) of increasing length covering the overall time of evolution (t_1). Radiation dumping is minimized since the otherwise bulk water, as well as any other signals, are dephased and rephased in a symmetric manner during evolution. (No uniform (big) water, no radiation dumping occurs.)

Gradient “a”: dephases all coherences of the x,y plane (general clean up before bringing magnetization back into the x,y plane)

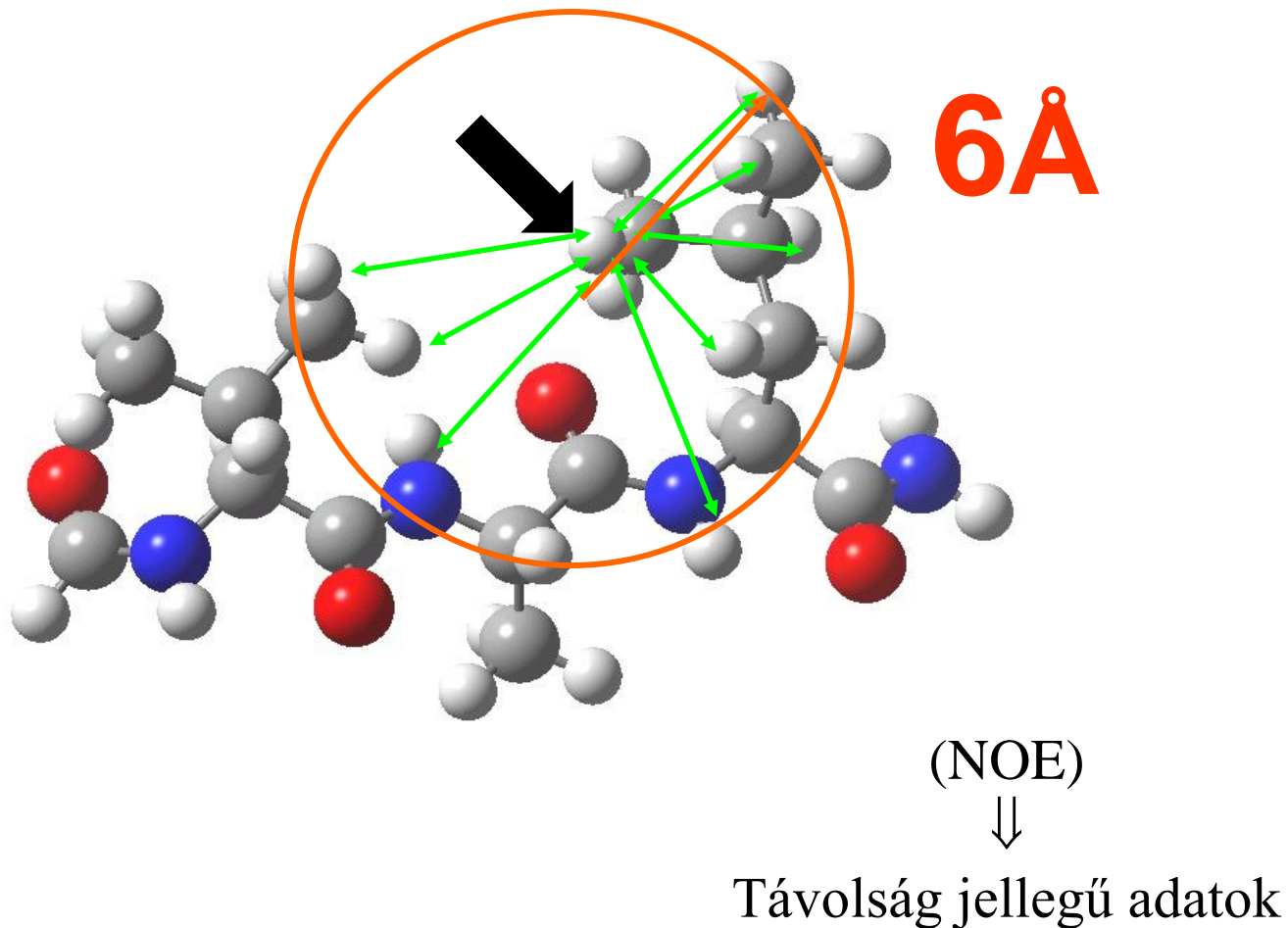
Gradient “b” is that of the “standard” watergate.

The water flip back pulse The on-resonance magnetization of H₂O, is first selectively rotated into the transverse plane (along y) by the shaped low power 90-x, and subsequently returned along z

by the non-selective hard 90x. All magnetization related to off-resonance signals are “simply” rotated to -y axis.

The 3-9-19 watergate or binominal water suppression is to remove water before acquisition

A szekvenciális hozzárendelés és a szerkezetszámolás alapja a nukláris *Overhauser*- effektus (NOE)



Fehérje modul ^1H - ^1H NOESY spektruma

