

# Chemical Shift

Chemical shift for a given molecule:

- Number of signals = nonequivalent nuclei  
molecular symmetry
- Relative intensity = number of nuclei
- **Position in the spectrum** = shielding/chemical shift  
electronic structure
- Multiplicity = connectivity of atoms and groups

# Nuclear Magnetic Shielding $\sigma$

Basic physical phenomenon: **Nuclear Magnetic Shielding  $\sigma$**

For diamagnetic samples, the nuclear magnetic shielding can be expressed as correction to the Zeeman splitting:

$$\Delta E = \gamma \hbar B_0(1 - \sigma) = \omega \hbar \quad \text{shielding constant } \sigma$$

- In solution, the nuclear magnetic shielding constant  $\sigma$  is a scalar quantity
- In solids,  $\sigma$  is a tensor ( $3 \times 3 = 9$ , only 6 measurable)

# Faraday's Law

Changes in the magnetic flux through a coil of wire induce a voltage (emf) in the coil

$\frac{\Delta(BA)}{\Delta t} = 4 \text{ Tm}^2/\text{s}$

Changing magnetic flux

Changing B

N=4

$V_{\text{gen}} = -16 \text{ volts}$

Changing A

N=2

$V_{\text{gen}} = -8 \text{ volts}$

Faraday's Law summarizes the ways voltage can be generated.

Changing area in magnetic field

$\frac{\Delta A}{\Delta t} = 0.2 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$

N = 3 turns

B = 0.2 T

Magnetic field region

$V_{\text{gen}} = -3 \times 0.2 \text{ T} \times 0.2 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$   
 $= -0.12 \text{ volts}$

Voltage generated =  $-N \frac{\Delta(BA)}{\Delta t}$

Faraday's Law

Moving magnet toward coil

N = 5 turns

A = 0.002 m<sup>2</sup>

$\frac{\Delta B}{\Delta t} = 0.4 \text{ T/s}$

$V_{\text{gen}} = -5 \times 0.002 \text{ m}^2 \times 0.4 \text{ T/s}$   
 $= -0.004 \text{ volts}$

Rotating coil in magnetic field

N = 20 turns

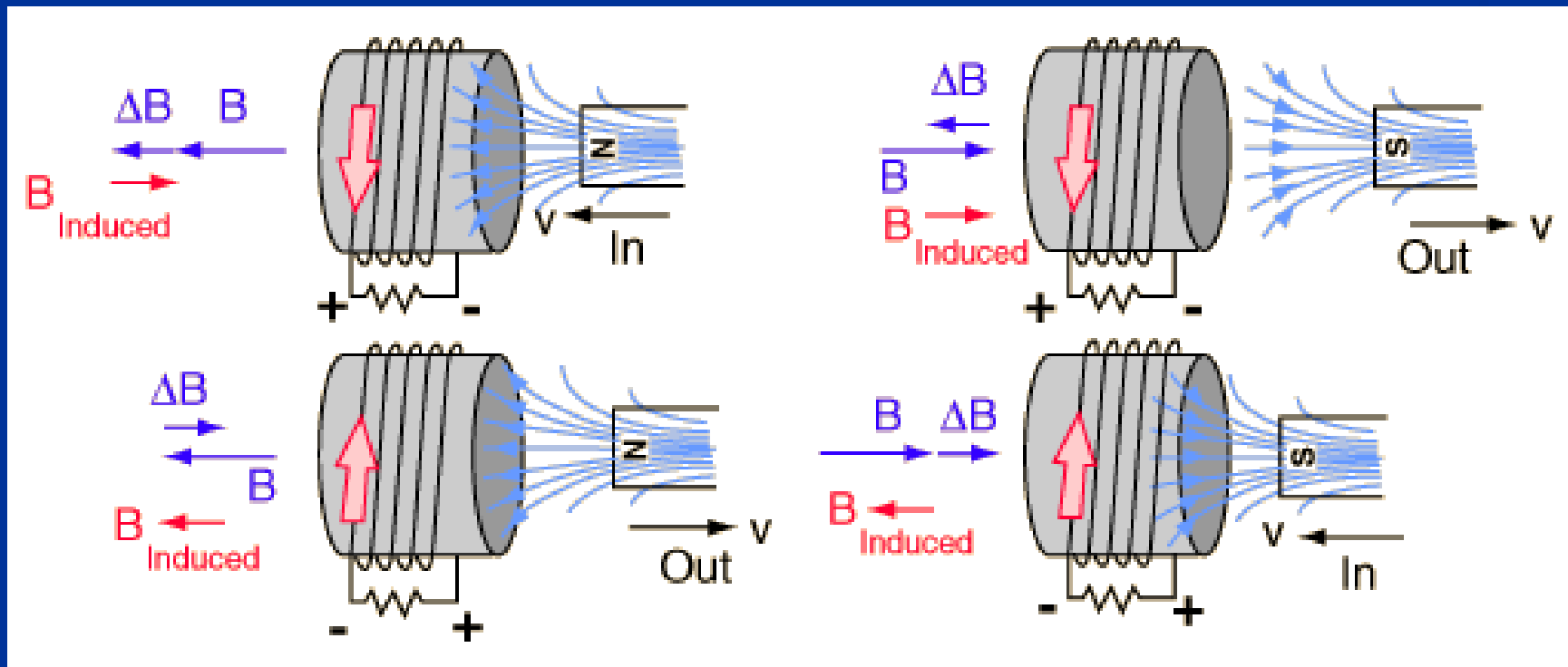
B = 0.2 T

$\frac{\Delta A}{\Delta t} = 0.2 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$

$V_{\text{gen}} = -20 \times 0.2 \text{ T} \times 0.2 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$   
 $= -0.8 \text{ volts}$

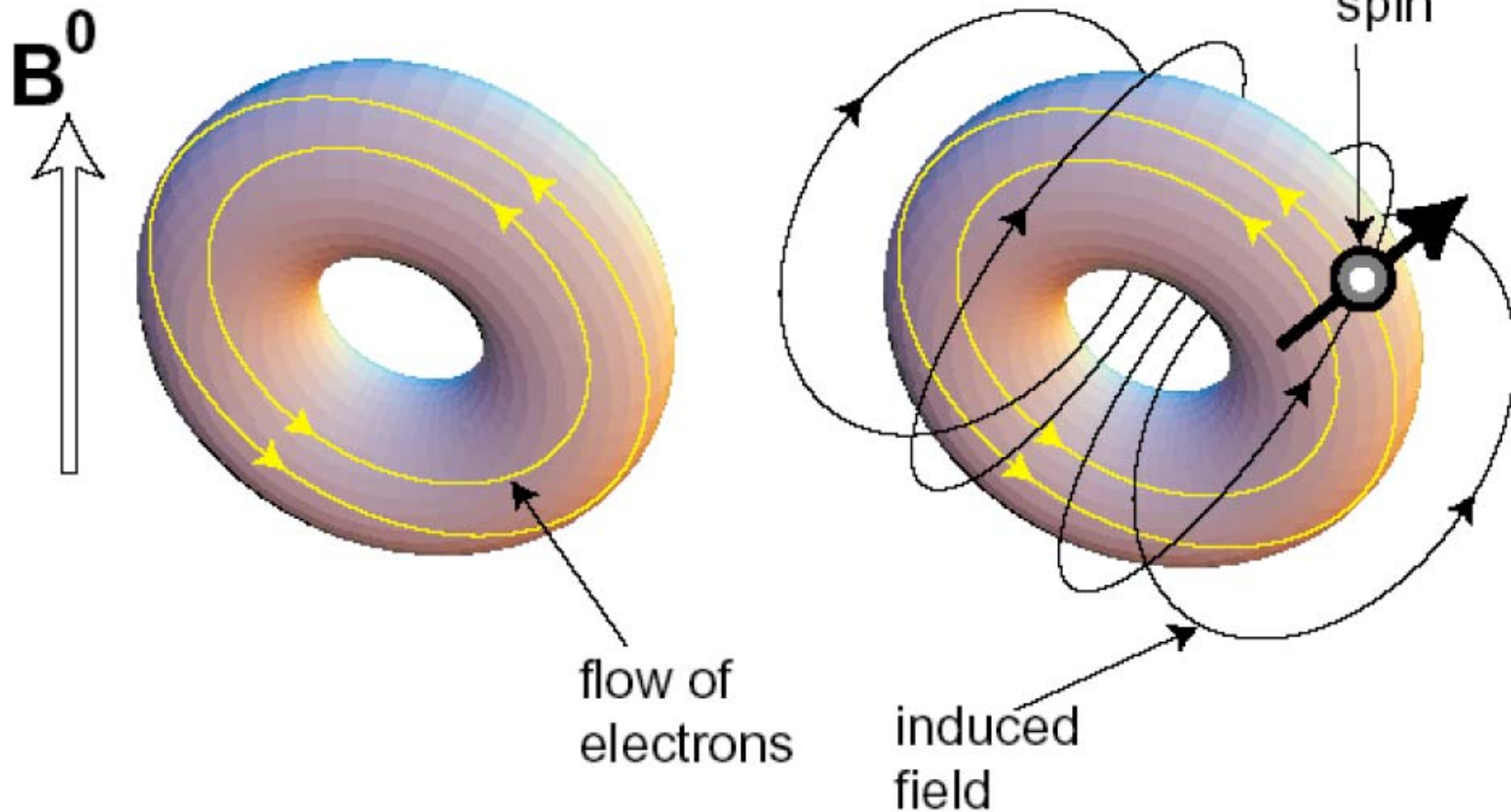
# Lenz's Law

- A voltage is generated by a change in magnetic flux
- The polarity of the induced emf is such that it produces a current whose magnetic field **opposes** the change which produces it
- The induced magnetic field inside any loop of wire always acts to keep the magnetic flux in the loop constant



# Nuclear Magnetic Shielding

Nuclei are not in vacuum but surrounded by electrons



# Nuclear Magnetic Shielding $\sigma$

## s-electrons

spherically symmetric

precess in the applied magnetic field = circulating electron is an electric current, producing a magnetic field at the nucleus which **opposes the external field**

the resonant condition - the applied field must be increased

- **diamagnetic** shift (shielding)

all atoms have diamagnetic shifts

## p,d,f-electrons

no spherical symmetry, and produce large magnetic fields

at the nucleus - **paramagnetic** shifts (deshielding)

# Nuclear Magnetic Shielding $\sigma$

Two different nuclei

$$\mathbf{B}_{\text{nucl}} = \mathbf{B}_0 - \mathbf{B}_{\text{shield}}$$

$$\mathbf{B}_{\text{shield}} = \mathbf{B}_0 \sigma \quad \text{Lenz's rule}$$

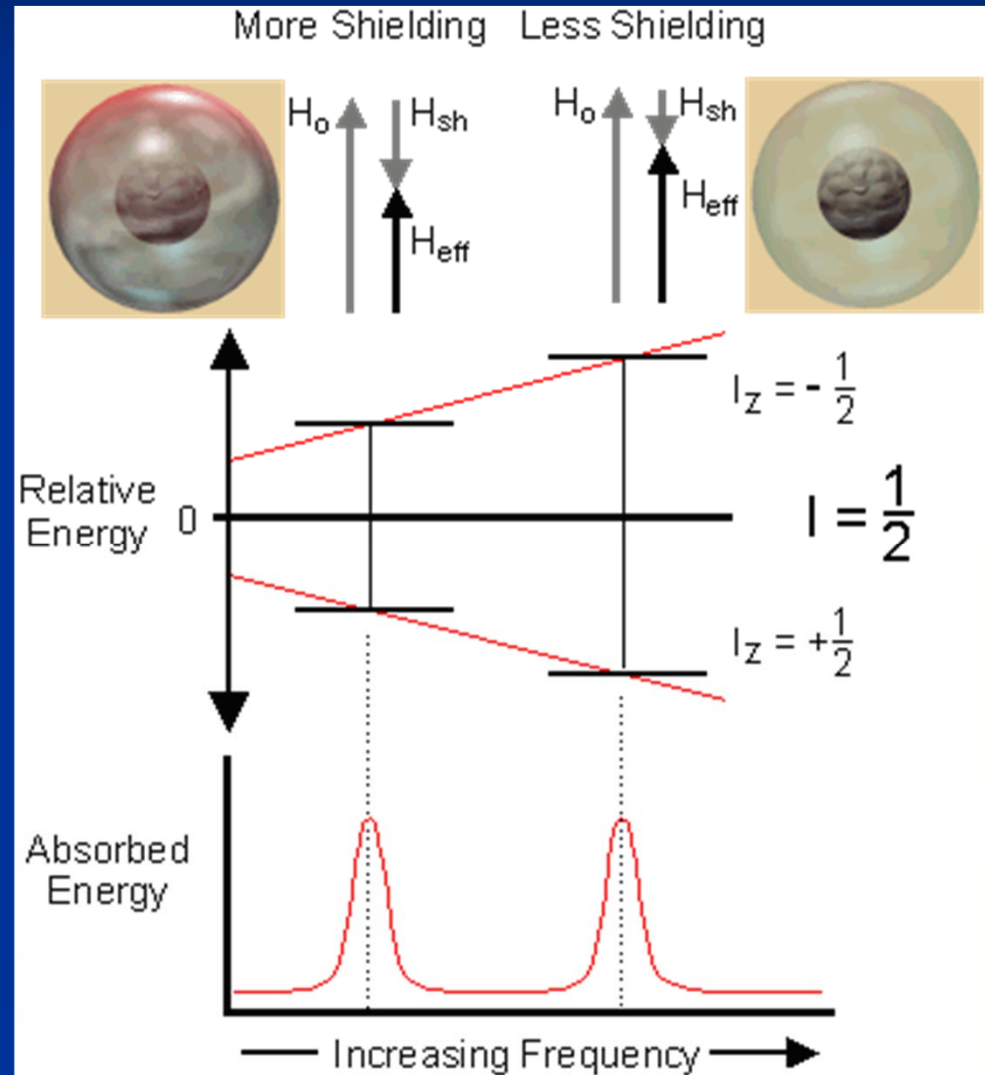
$$\mathbf{B}_{\text{nucl}} = \mathbf{B}_0 - \mathbf{B}_0 \sigma = \mathbf{B}_0(1 - \sigma)$$

$$\omega = \gamma \mathbf{B}_{\text{nucl}} = \gamma \mathbf{B}_0(1 - \sigma)$$

$\mathbf{B}$  = the magnetic flux density or magnetic induction (T)

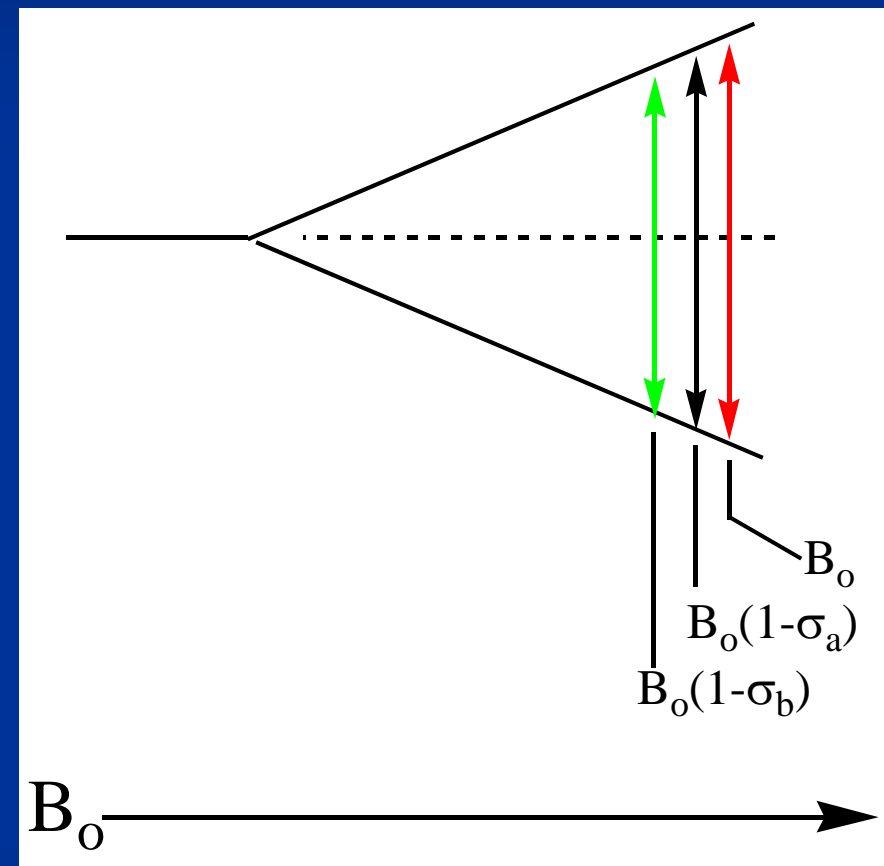
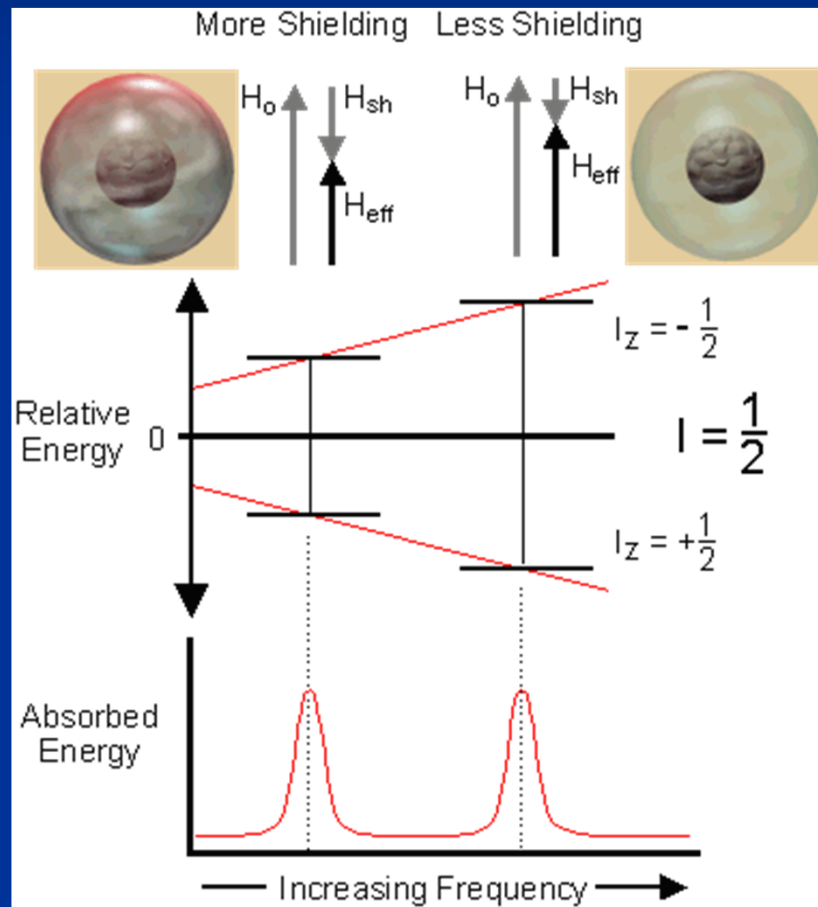
$\mathbf{H}$  = the magnetic field (strength) (A/m)

$$\mathbf{B} = \mu \times \mathbf{H}$$



# Nuclear Magnetic Shielding $\sigma$

$$\omega = \gamma B_{\text{nucl}} = \gamma B_0(1 - \sigma)$$





## Absolute Magnetic Shielding

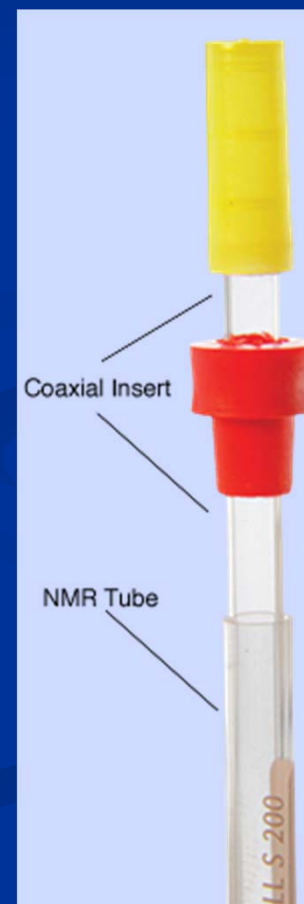
the absolute value of the nuclear magnetic shielding constant **cannot be measured experimentally by NMR**, difficult to measure, but can be done for atoms or small molecules

MHz vs. Hz  $1:10^6$

## Relative Magnetic Shielding

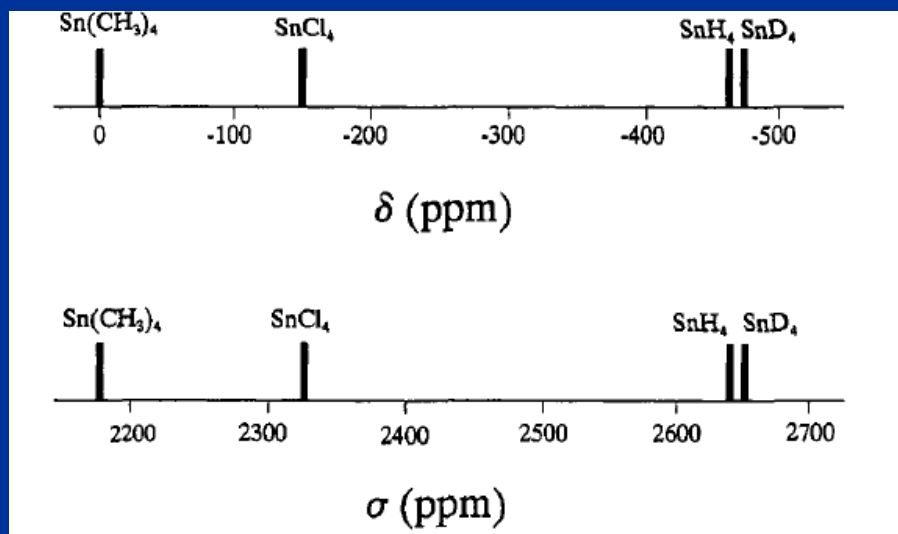
Requires measurement of differences of resonance frequencies between a sample and **a standard** (much more easily done)

- **Internal standard** - a reference compound is in the same sample, preferred from spectroscopic point of view, may cause chemical problems – reaction
- **External standard** - in a different sample tube



# Absolute Chemical Shieldings

Nucleus	Primary Reference	Secondary Reference
$^1\text{H}$	H atom, $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 17.733$ ppm	$\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 25.790$ ppm
$^{13}\text{C}$	$\text{CO}$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 3.20$ ppm	TMS, $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 185.4$ ppm
$^{15}\text{N}$	$\text{NH}_3$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 264.54$ ppm	$\text{CH}_3\text{NO}_2$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = -135.0$ ppm
$^{17}\text{O}$	$\text{CO}$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = -42.3$ ppm	$\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 307.9$ ppm
$^{19}\text{F}$	$\text{HF}$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 410$ ppm	$\text{CFCl}_3$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 189.9$ ppm
$^{31}\text{P}$	$\text{PH}_3$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 597$ ppm	$\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 356$ ppm
$^{33}\text{S}$	$\text{OCS}$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 843$ ppm	$\text{CS}_2$ , $\sigma_{\text{iso}} = 581$ ppm



$^{119}\text{Sn}$  chemical shift scale

absolute chemical shielding

# Chemical Shift

$$\delta = \frac{\nu_s - \nu_{ref} [\text{Hz}]}{\nu_0 [\text{MHz}]}$$

Strength of Field:

$B_0 = 1.41 \text{ T}$

$B_0 = 2.35 \text{ T}$

Operating Frequency,  $\nu_0$ :

60 MHz

100 MHz

Shift From TMS:

162 Hz

270 Hz

$\delta$  value:

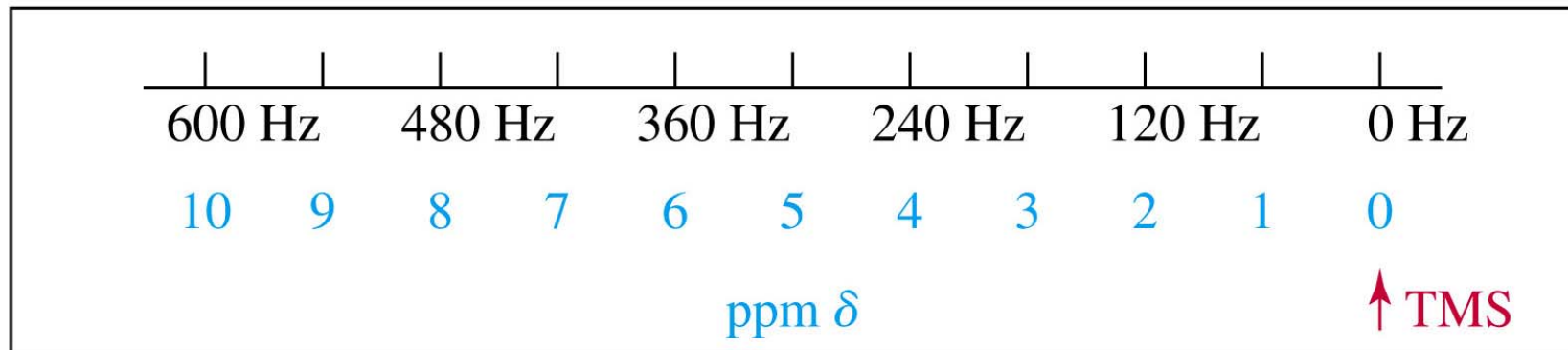
2.70 ppm

2.70 ppm

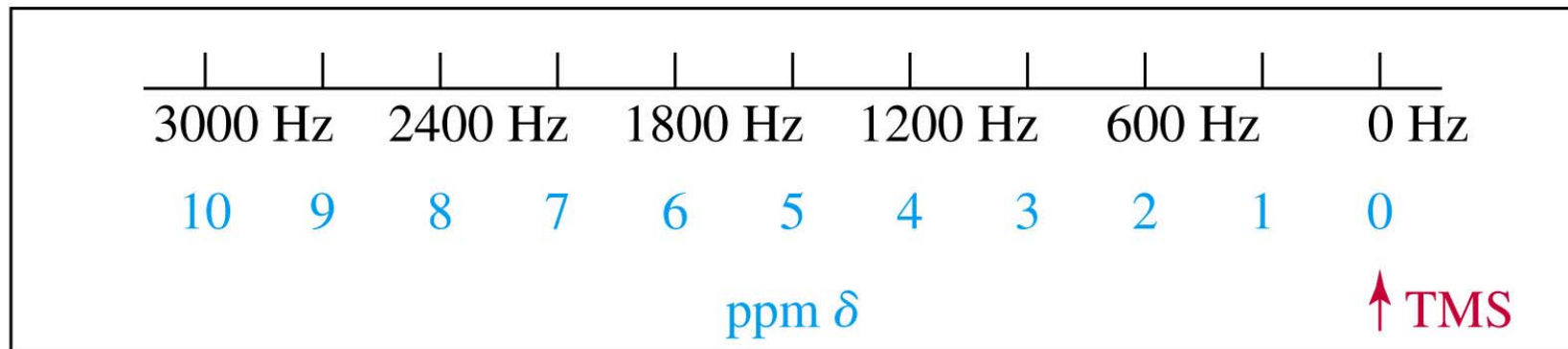
The  $\delta$  scale (or ppm scale) is independent of the instrument used to obtain the spectrum

# Chemical Shift

$$\text{chemical shift, ppm } \delta = \frac{\text{shift downfield from TMS (in Hz)}}{\text{spectrometer frequency (in MHz)}}$$



60 MHz



300 MHz

The relative shielding of the sample can be expressed as:

Absolute Magnetic Shielding ( $\sigma$ -scale):

$$\sigma = 10^6 (\nu_{\text{nucl}} - \nu_s) / \nu_{\text{nucl}}$$

$\nu_{\text{nucl}}$  = absolute resonance frequency of the atom

$\nu_s$  = absolute resonance frequency of the signal

**Chemical Shift** ( $\delta$ -scale):

$$\delta (\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4) = 0$$

$$\sigma (\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4) = 320$$

$$\delta = 10^6 (\nu_s - \nu_{\text{ref}}) / \nu_{\text{ref}}$$

$\nu_{\text{ref}}$  = resonance frequency of the standard

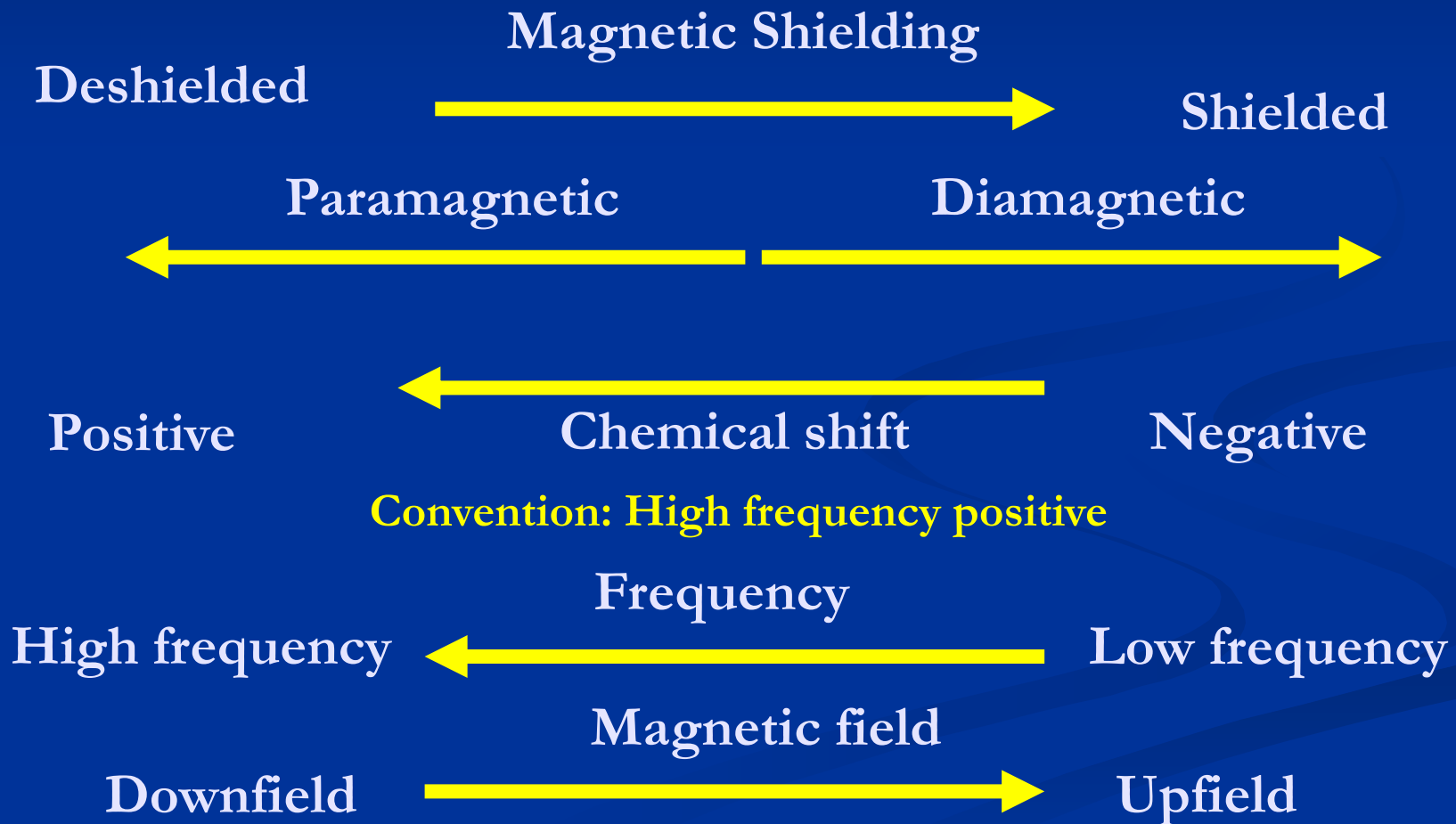
Conversion between both scales:

$$\delta = (\sigma_{\text{ref}} - \sigma_s) / (1 - \sigma_{\text{ref}}) \sim (\sigma_{\text{ref}} - \sigma_s)$$

$\sigma_{\text{ref}}$  = absolute magnetic shielding value of the standard

Nuclei in  
electron poor environments

Nuclei  
in electron rich environments



# Chemical Shift References

$^1\text{H}$	ppm	
$\text{SiMe}_4$	0	
DSS	0	$\text{Me}_3\text{Si-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-CH}_2\text{-SO}_3\text{Na}$
TSP	0	$\text{Me}_3\text{Si-CD}_2\text{-CD}_2\text{-COONa}$

$^{19}\text{F}$	ppm	
$\text{CFCl}_3$	0	$^{129}\text{Xe}$ (I = $\frac{1}{2}$ , 26.4 %)
$\text{CF}_3\text{COOH}$	-78.5	$^{131}\text{Xe}$ (I = $\frac{3}{2}$ , 21.1 %)
$\text{C}_6\text{F}_6$	-162.9	
HF	198.4	Xenon in freon
$\text{F}_2$	422.9	Liquid $\text{XeOF}_4$

# Chemical Shift References

$^{19}\text{F}$ , ppm

Be careful with  
literature data

Sometimes  $\text{C}_6\text{F}_6 = 0$

## -Reference compounds

$\text{CFCl}_3$ (trichlorofluoromethane)	0.00
$\text{CF}_3\text{COOH}$ (trifluoroacetic acid)	-76.55
$\text{C}_6\text{F}_6$ (hexafluorobenzene)	-164.9
$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{F}$ (fluorobenzene)	-113.15
$\text{CF}_3\text{Cl}$ (trifluorochloromethane)	-28.6
$\text{F}_2$ (elemental fluorine)	+422.92
$\text{FCH}_2\text{CN}$ (fluoroacetonitrile)	-251.
$\text{CFCl}_2\text{CFCl}_2$ (difluorotetrachloroethane)	-67.80
$\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CF}_3$ (trifluorotoluene)	-63.72
$\text{SiF}_4$ (tetrafluorosilane)	-163.3
$\text{SF}_6$ (sulfur hexafluoride)	+57.42
$\text{S}_2\text{O}_5\text{F}_2$	+47.2
$(\text{CF}_3)_2\text{CO}$ (hexafluoro acetone)	-84.6
p- $\text{FC}_6\text{H}_4\text{F}$ (para-difluorobenzene)	-106.0
$\text{BF}_3$	-131.
$\text{HF}$ (aq)	-204.0
$\text{CF}_4$	-62.5
Aqueous $\text{F}^-$ (KF)	-125.3



# Chemical Shift References

Solvent	<sup>1</sup> H	<sup>13</sup> C	<sup>1</sup> HOD
Acetone-d6	2.05(5)	206.68(13) 29.92(7)	2.8
Acetonitrile-d3	1.94(5)	118.69(1) 1.39(7)	2.1
Benzene-d6	7.16(1)	128.39(3)	0.4
Chloroform-d	7.27(1)	77.23(3)	1.5
Cyclohexane-d12	1.38(1)	26.43(5)	
Deuterium Oxide	4.80(DSS) 4.81(TSP)		4.8
DMSO-d6	2.50(5)	39.51(7)	3.3
p-Dioxane-d8	3.53(m)	66.66(5)	2.4
Methanol-d4	4.87(1) 3.31(5)	49.15(7)	4.9
Methylene Chloride-d2	5.32(3)	54.00(5)	1.5
Pyridine-d5	8.74(1) 7.58(1) 7.22(1)	150.35(3) 135.91(3) 123.87(5)	5
THF-d8	3.58(1) 1.73(1)	67.57(5) 25.37(1)	2.4 - 2.5
Toluene-d8	7.09(m) 7.00(1) 6.98(m) 2.09(5)	137.86(1) 129.24(3) 128.33(3) 125.49(3) 20.40(7)	0.4
Trifluoroacetic Acid-d	11.50(1)	164.2(4) 116.6(4)	11.5

<sup>1</sup>H NMR

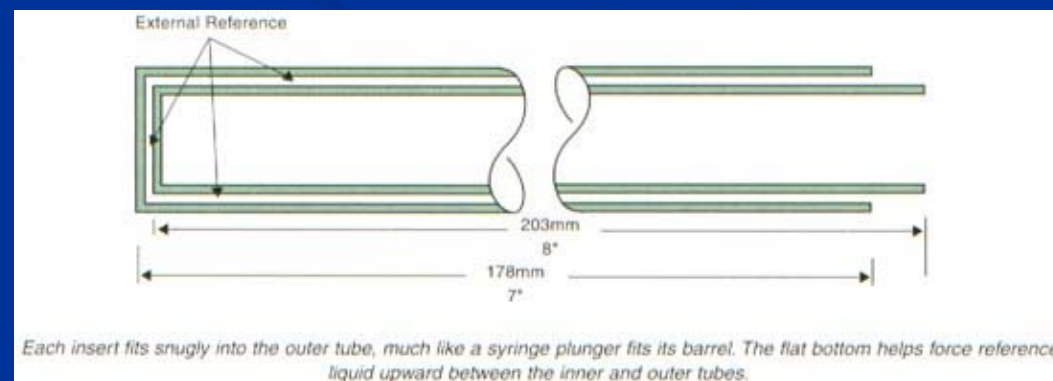
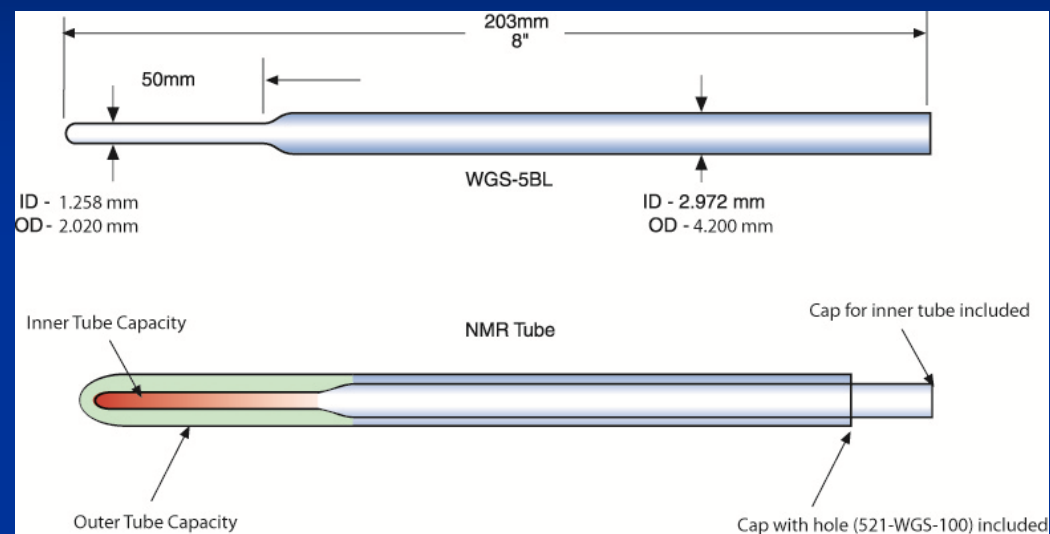
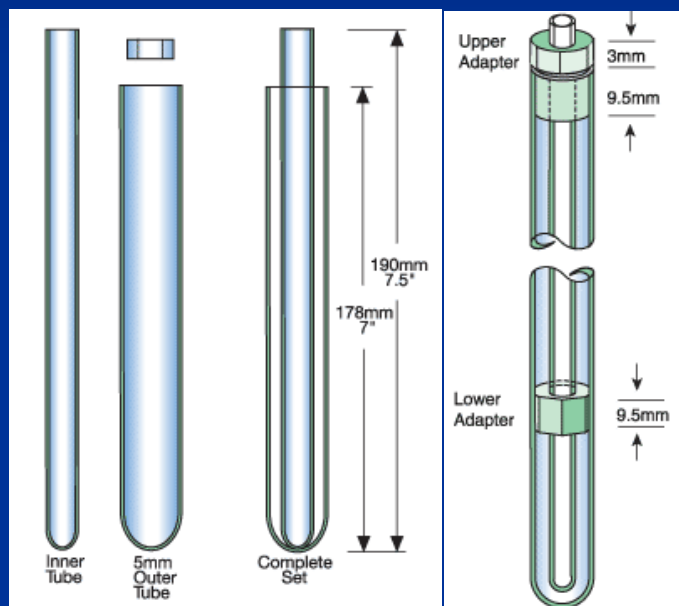
Residual protic  
impurities in  
deuterated solvents

<sup>13</sup>C NMR

Resonances of  
deuterated solvents

# Chemical Shift References

## Coaxial NMR tubes



# Factors Influencing Chemical Shifts

- (1) The physical state of the sample (solid, liquid, solution or gas)
- (2) For solutions, the solvent and the concentration of solute
- (3) The nature of the reference procedure, e.g. internal, external (coaxial tubes or substitution), absolute frequency
- (4) The reference compound and, if used internal to a solution, its concentration
- (5) The temperature and pressure of the sample
- (6) Whether oxygen and other gases have been removed from the sample
- (7) Any chemical present in the sample, in addition to the compound under investigation and any reference compound

# Factors Influencing Chemical Shifts

## (1) Intramolecular factors

Diamagnetic contribution  
Paramagnetic contribution  
Magnetic anisotropy  
Ring currents  
van der Waals repulsion

## (2) Intermolecular factors

Volume susceptibility  
van der Waals forces  
Induced electric field  
Collision complexes

# Shielding Constant Calculations

Ramsay 
$$\sigma^A = \sigma_{\text{dia}}^A + \sigma_{\text{para}}^A$$

GIAO (Gauge-Including Atomic Orbital)

An ab initio program that calculates NMR isotropic shielding values, a subroutine in Gaussian

IGLO (Individualized Gauge for Localized Orbitals)

CSGT (Continuous Set of Gauge Transformations)

DFT methods

# Fundamental Contributions to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

$$\sigma^A = \sigma_{\text{dia}}^A + \sigma_{\text{para}}^A + \sum \sigma_{\text{nonloc}}^{AB}$$

$\sigma_{\text{dia}}^A$  - Interaction of electrons of nucleus A with the external magnetic field  $B_0$  induces a diamagnetic current density. This produces an induced field at the nucleus A which is proportional to  $B_0$  and **opposite in sign**  
**SHIELDING CONTRIBUTION**



The subtraction of the internal field from the applied field causes nuclei A to resonate at a high applied field

# Fundamental Contributions to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

$$\sigma^A = \sigma_{\text{dia}}^A + \sigma_{\text{para}}^A + \sum \sigma_{\text{nonloc}}^{AB}$$

$\sigma_{\text{para}}^A$  - Interaction of  $B_0$  with electrons with non-vanishing orbital moments induces a polarisation of the electron distribution. This produces an additional induced field at the nucleus A which is proportional to  $B_0$  and **equal in sign**  
**DESHIELDING CONTRIBUTION**



The addition of the internal field to the applied field causes nuclei to resonate at a low applied field

# Fundamental Contributions to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

$$\sigma^A = \sigma_{\text{dia}}^A + \sigma_{\text{para}}^A + \sum \sigma_{\text{nonloc}}^{\text{AB}}$$

$\sum \sigma_{\text{nonloc}}^{\text{AB}}$  - Electrons localized at distant nuclei B may contribute to the shielding at nucleus A (ring currents in aromatic molecules, solvent influences, shielding anisotropy of carbonyl groups) **SHIELDING** or **DESHIELDING** CONTRIBUTION

Generally lower in magnitude than  $\sigma_{\text{dia}}$  or  $\sigma_{\text{para}}$





# Magnetic Shielding

Which Electrons contribute to  $\sigma_{\text{dia}}$  and  $\sigma_{\text{para}}$  ?

		$\sigma_{\text{dia}}$	$\sigma_{\text{para}}$
Core Electrons	Total orbital magnetic moment for closed shells : $\ell = 0$	+	-
Valence s-Electrons	$\ell = 0$	+	-
Valence p,d,f-Electrons	$\ell = 1,2,3$	+	+

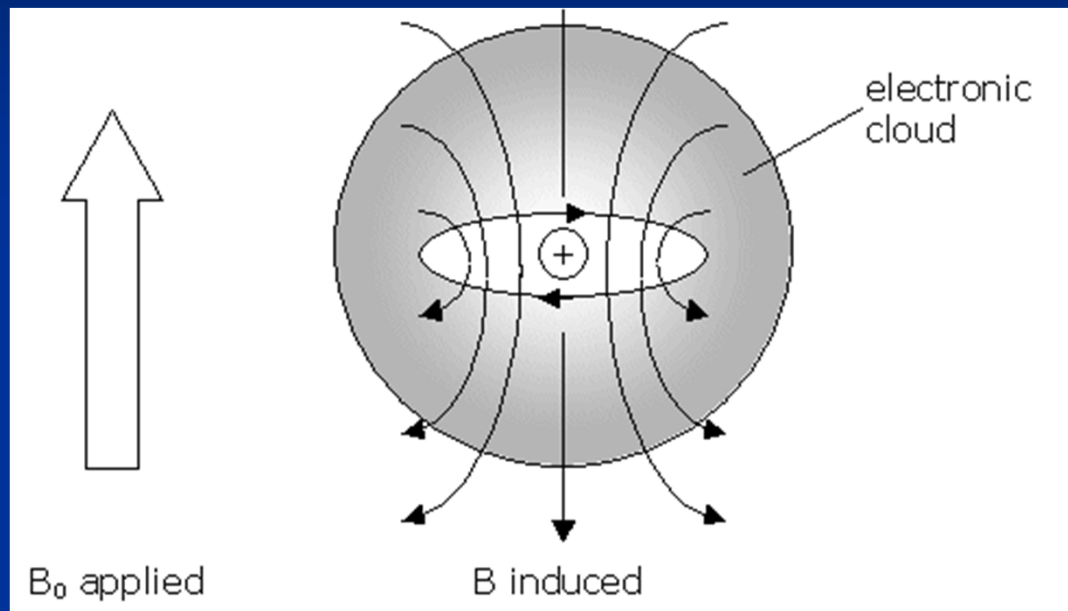
$\sigma_{\text{para}} = 0$  for spherical closed-shell atoms or ions ( $F^-$ )

# Magnetic Shielding

## Magnetic Shielding Contributions for Different Elements

<b>s-Block Elements</b>	<p>valence p-orbitals absent (H) or hardly occupied (group 1, 2 metals) ⇒ diamagnetic term dominates ⇒ large non-local contributions (up to 20% for <math>^1\text{H}</math>)</p>
<b>p,d-Block Elements</b>	<p>valence p,d-orbitals involved in bonding ⇒ paramagnetic term dominates ⇒ non-local contributions mostly not important (but may become important for nuclei with lone pairs)</p>

# The Diamagnetic Contribution to the Magnetic Shielding Constant



$$\mathbf{B}_{\text{nucl}} = \mathbf{B}_0 - \mathbf{B}_{\text{induced}} = \mathbf{B}_0 - \mathbf{B}_0 \sigma$$

$$\mathbf{B}_{\text{nucl}} = \mathbf{B}_0(1 - \sigma)$$

$$\omega = \gamma \mathbf{B}_{\text{nucl}} = \gamma \mathbf{B}_0(1 - \sigma)$$

# The Diamagnetic Contribution to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

$$\sigma = \sigma^{d,is} + \sigma^d$$

$\sigma^{d,is}$  Shielding Constant for an isolated atom

(LAMB, easily computed from first principles, electron in a spherical orbit)

$$\sigma^{d,is} = \frac{\mu_0 e^2}{4\pi m_e} \left\langle \Psi^0 \left| r^{-1} \right| \Psi^0 \right\rangle$$

$\Psi_0$  = wavefunction of the ground state

$\mu_0 = 4\pi \cdot 10^{-7} \text{ N A}^{-2}$  permeability of free space

$m_e$  = electron mass

$r$  = electron radius

# The Diamagnetic Contribution to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

$$\sigma = \sigma^{\text{d,is}} + \sigma^{\text{d}}$$

$\sigma^{\text{d}}$  Correction for Atoms in Molecules  
(Approximation by FLYGARE)

$$\sigma^{\text{d}} = \frac{\mu_0 e^2}{4\pi m_e} \sum_{\text{ligands}} \frac{Z_i}{r_i} = k \sum_{\text{ligands}} \frac{Z_i}{r_i}$$

Shielding increases when

- element number  $Z_i$  of the ligands increases
- coordination number of the observed atom increases
- bond distance  $r_i$  decreases

# Diamagnetic Shifts for Isolated Atoms

$\sigma_{\text{dia}}$	ppm
$^1\text{H}$	18
$^{13}\text{C}$	261
$^{14/15}\text{N}$	325
$^{17}\text{O}$	395
$^{19}\text{F}$	471
$^{21}\text{Ne}$	552
$^{31}\text{P}$	961
$^{33}\text{S}$	1050
$^{83}\text{Kr}$	3246
$^{127}\text{I}$	5502
$^{129}\text{Xe}$	5642
$^{195}\text{Pt}$	9396
$^{207}\text{Pb}$	10061

Alkalides  $\text{M}^-$

$^{23}\text{Na}$  -62

$^{39}\text{K}$  -105

$^{87}\text{Rb}$  -185

$^{133}\text{Cs}$  -280

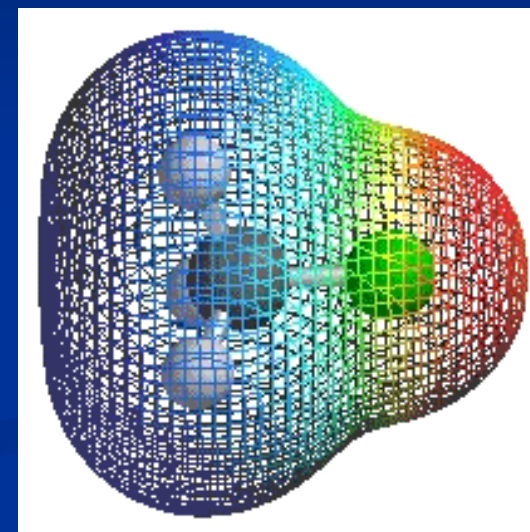
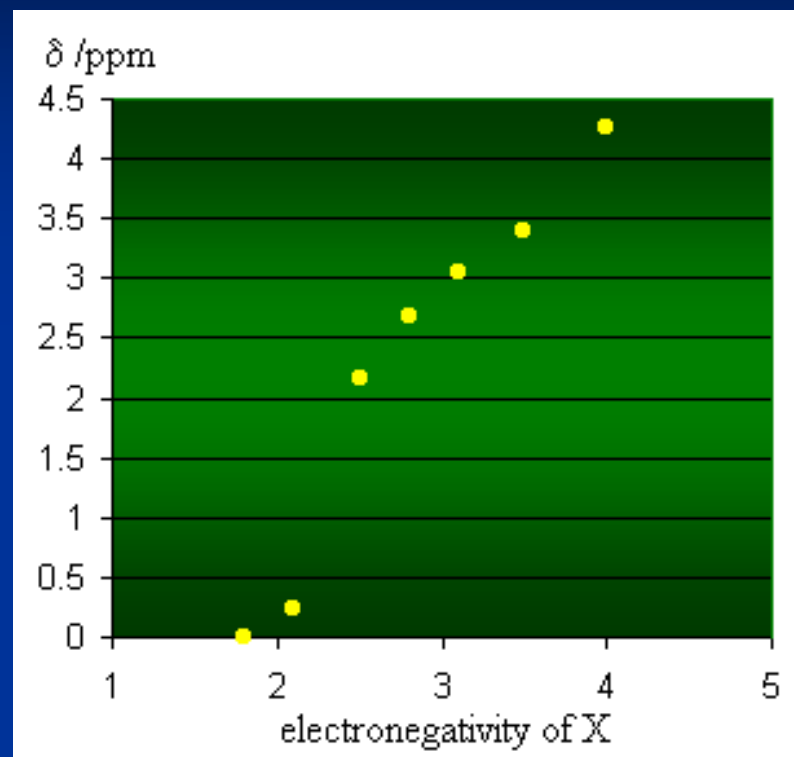
Shielding increases when element number  $Z$  of the observed atom increases

$$\sigma^{\text{d}} \sim 0.319 \cdot 10^{-4} Z^{4/3}$$

Large and heavy atoms have large diamagnetic shielding

# Influence of Electronegativity

$\delta (^1\text{H}) / \text{ppm}$



Compound,  $\text{CH}_3\text{X}$   
X

$\text{CH}_3\text{F}$   
F

$\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$   
O

$\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$   
Cl

$\text{CH}_3\text{Br}$   
Br

$\text{CH}_3\text{I}$   
I

$\text{CH}_4$   
H

$(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{Si}$   
Si

Elnegat of X

4.0

3.5

3.1

2.8

2.5

2.1

1.8

Chemical shift,  $\delta / \text{ppm}$

4.26

3.4

3.05

2.68

2.16

0.23

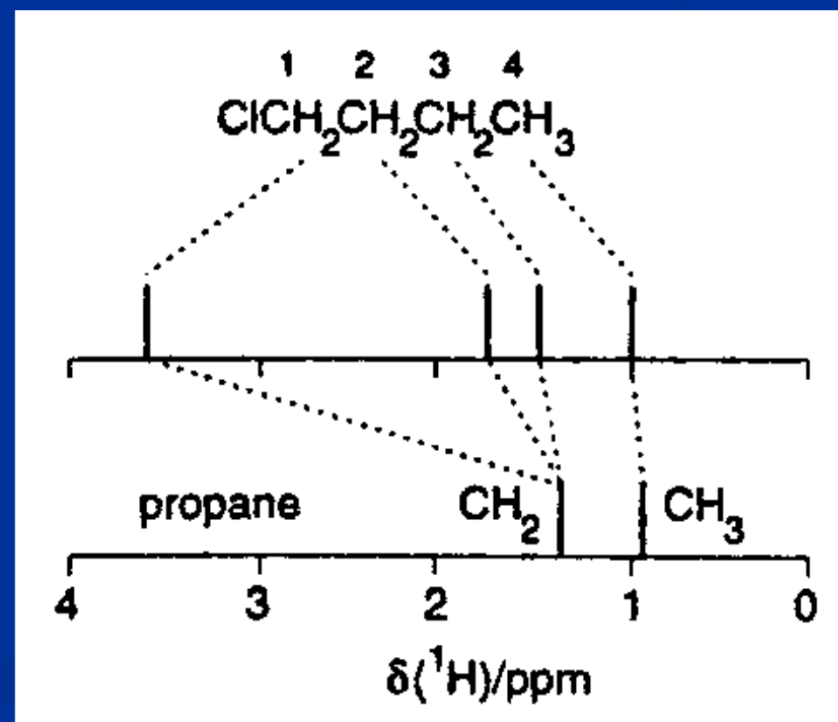
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# Influence of Electronegativity

Compound	$\text{CHCl}_3$	$\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$	$\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$	$\text{CH}_4$
$\delta(^1\text{H}) / \text{ppm}$	7.27	5.30	3.05	0.23

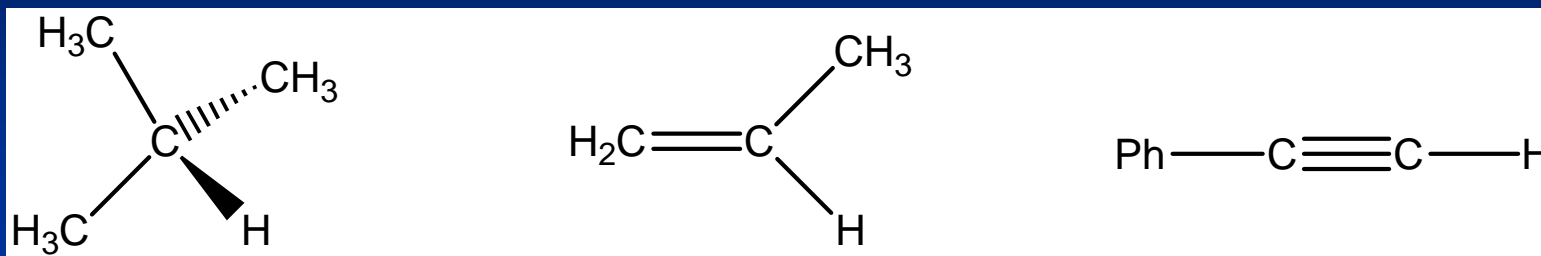
Influence of electronegative substituents :

- increases with their increasing number
- decreases with increasing distance





# Influence of Electronegativity



$\text{pK}_a$ (in DMSO)	~55	44	28.8
acidity of C increases			
% C-H s-character	25	33	50
electronegativity of C increases			

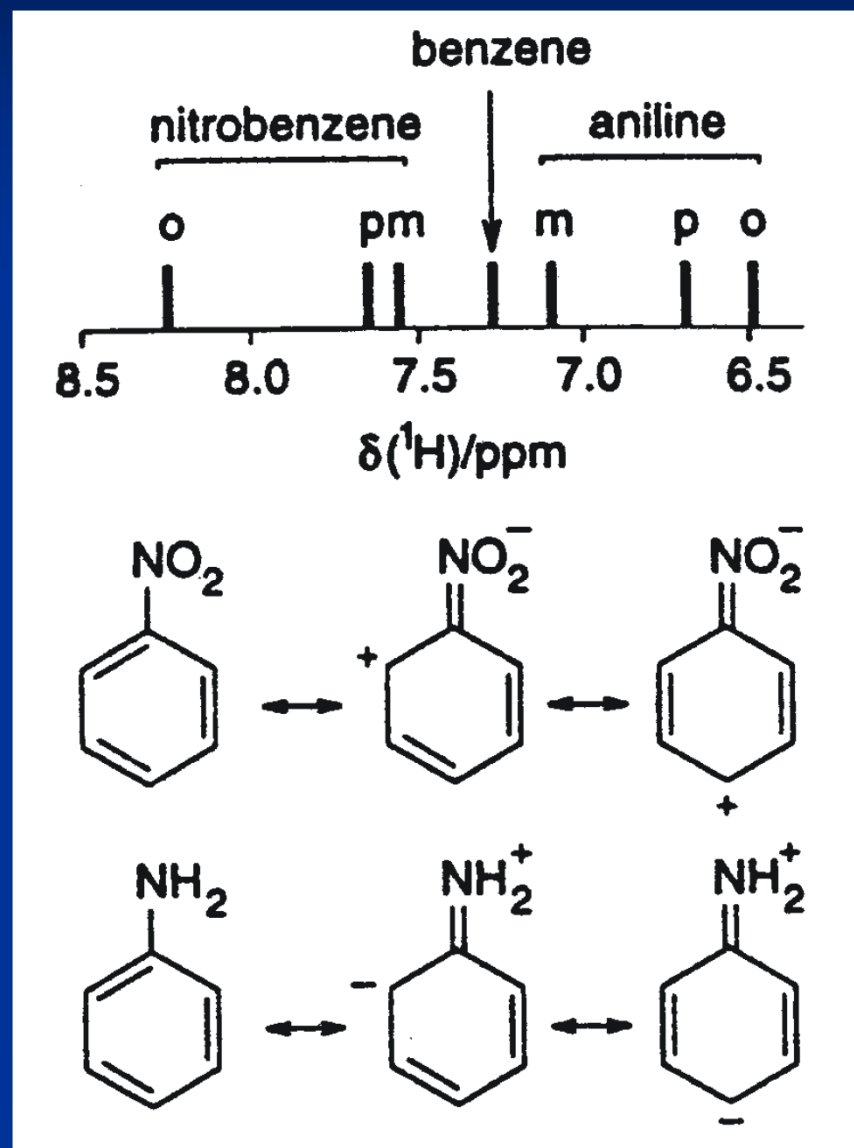


# Aromatic Proton Shifts

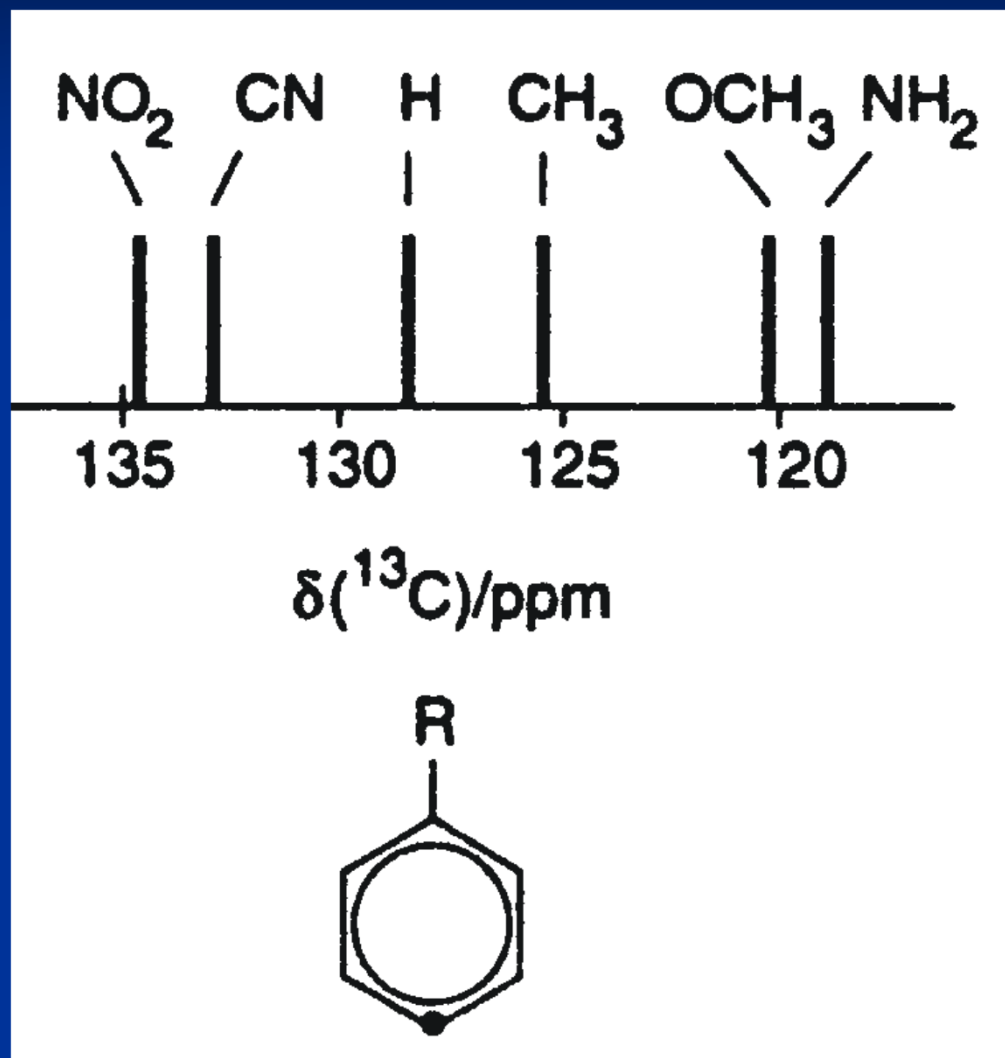
Electrophilic substitution

Meta directing  
Strongly deactivating

Ortho, para directing  
Strongly activating

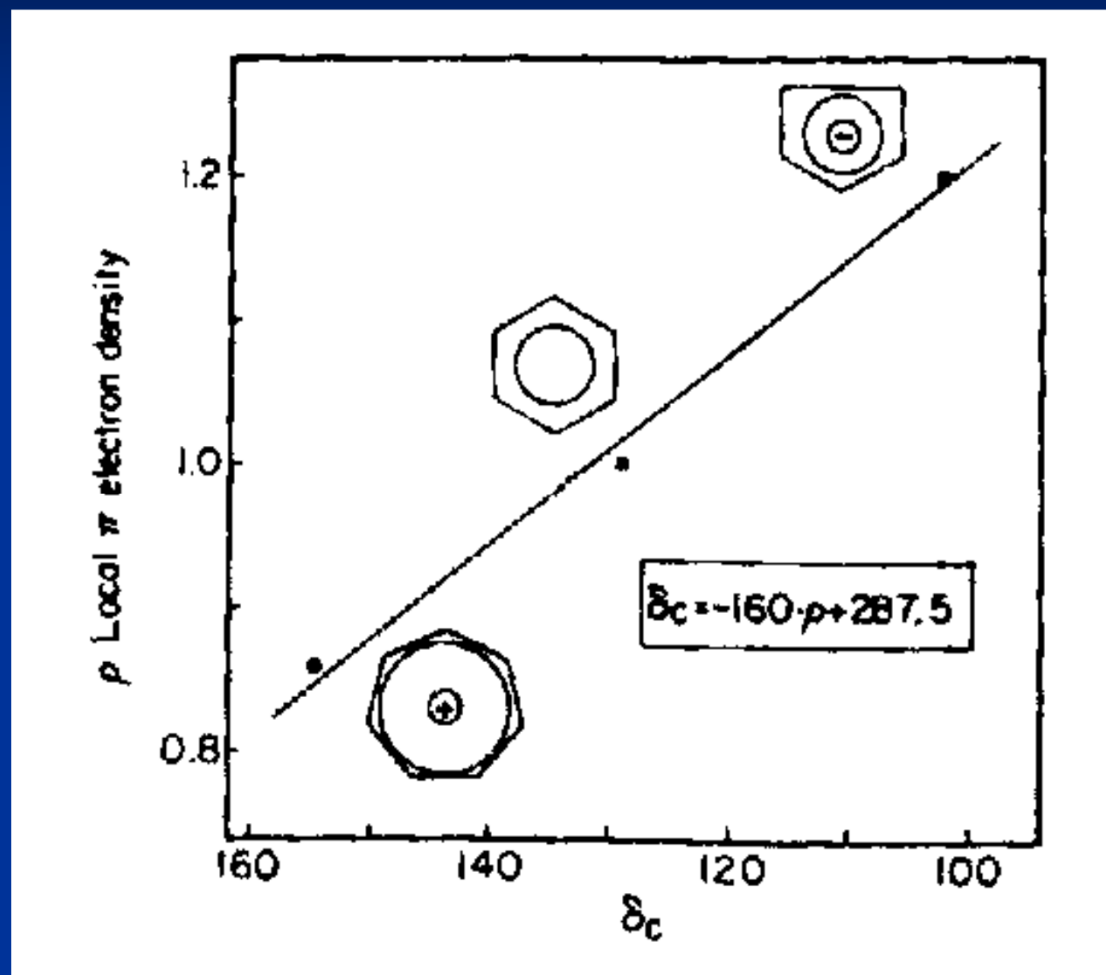


# Aromatic Carbon Shifts



# Aromatic Carbon Shifts

Number of  
 $\pi$  electrons  
per C



$\delta$  ( $^{13}\text{C}$ ) / ppm

# The Paramagnetic Contribution to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

Quantum chemical approach by RAMSEY: The electron polarization leading to  $\sigma_{\text{para}}$  is described in terms of mixing of the wave functions of the molecular ground state with excited states under the influence of the magnetic field.

Approximative expressions for  $\sigma_{\text{para}}$  were given for

main-group elements by KARPLUS and POPLE:

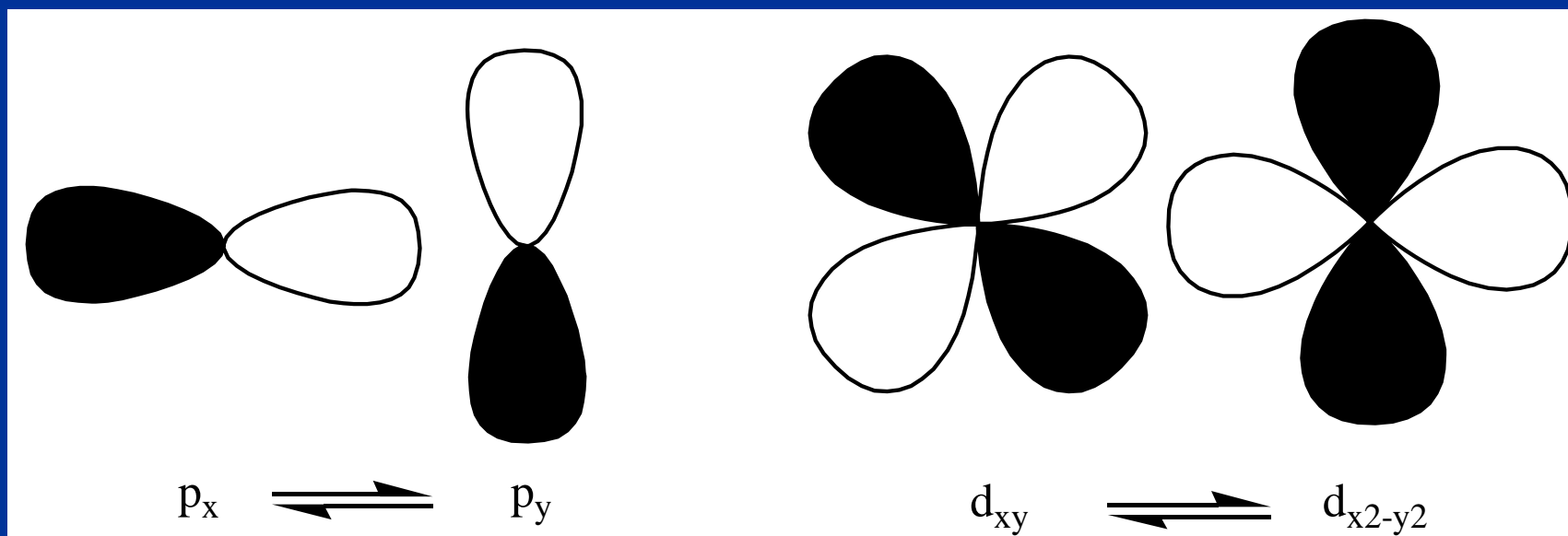
$$\sigma_{\text{para}} \approx -\frac{\mu_0 \mu_B^2}{2\pi} \Delta E^{-1} r_{\langle np \rangle}^{-3} \sum_{\text{bonds}} Q_i$$

and for transition metals by GRIFFIN and ORGEL:

$$\sigma_{\text{para}} \approx -\frac{\mu_0 \mu_B^2}{2\pi} \Delta E^{-1} r_{\langle (n-1)d \rangle}^{-3} \langle \mathbf{0} | \mathbf{L}^2 | \mathbf{0} \rangle$$

# The Paramagnetic Contribution to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

Nonspherical circulation of electrons under influence of  $B_0$



# Paramagnetic Contribution to the Magnetic Shielding

Average energy approximation

$$\sigma_{para} = -const \frac{\Delta P_{imbalance}}{\Delta E \times \langle r_p \rangle^3}$$



# The Paramagnetic Contribution to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

Characteristics of  $\sigma_{para}$  :

Magnitude of  $\sigma_{para}$  (= deshielding) increases when



• the mean electronic excitation energy decreases ( $\sigma_{para} \sim \Delta E^{-1}$ )

HOMO-LUMO gap,  $\Delta_0$

shielding is most susceptible to changes in  $\Delta E^{-1}$  (1 eV = 30 ppm)

least precisely known

• the effective radius of the valence shell decreases ( $\sigma_{para} \sim r^{-3}$ )

more electrons = more e-e repulsion = larger r

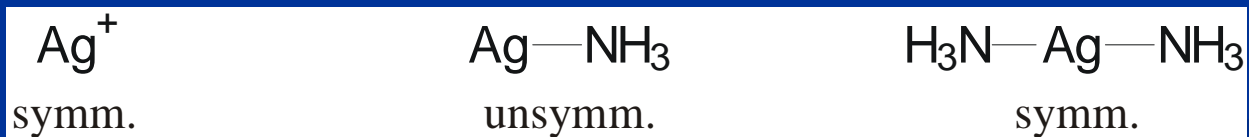
• the imbalance of valence electrons increases  
increasing symmetry = decreasing imbalance  
higher bond order = shielding

$$\sigma_{para} = -const \frac{\Delta P_{imbalance}}{\Delta E \times \langle r_p \rangle^3}$$

$$(\sigma_{para} = f(Q_i / L^2))$$

# The Paramagnetic Contribution to the Magnetic Shielding Constant

Contributions to  $\sigma_{\text{para}}$  by individual valence electron pairs are anisotropic and may cancel out because of symmetry reasons !



$\sigma_{\text{para}} = 0$  for spherical symmetry, closed shell atoms ( e.g.  $\text{F}^-$  )

# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

For p- and d-block elements, chemical shifts are dominated by the paramagnetic contribution to the magnetic shielding,  $\sigma_{\text{para}}$ .  
The Karplus-Pople approach proves useful to rationalize some important general patterns of chemical shifts in terms of variations of

$\langle r^{-3} \rangle$   
“radial term”

Different total chemical shift ranges of different elements

$\Delta E^{-1}$   
“energy term”

Correlation between chemical shifts and electronic transitions

$Q_i(L^2)$   
“orbital term”

Comparable chemical shift patterns for electronically similar compounds of different elements


# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

$$\langle r^{-3} \rangle$$

“radial term”


$$\sigma_{para} = -const \frac{\Delta P_{imbalance}}{\Delta E \times \langle r_p \rangle^3}$$

	$\text{NH}_4^+$	$\text{NH}_3$
$\delta (^{15}\text{N})$	-325.9	-380.2



Positive charge = p orbital contraction, less e-e repulsion,  
radius decreases = deshielding

	$\text{CMe}_3^+$	$\text{H CMe}_3$
$\delta (^{13}\text{C})$	335.7	50



# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

$\langle r^{-3} \rangle$   
“radial term”

$^{129}\text{Xe}$  Chemical Shift dependence on the oxidation state

Xe(VIII)	Xe(VI)	Xe(IV)	Xe(II)	Xe(0)
$\text{XeO}_6^{2-}$	$\text{XeO}_3$	$\text{XeF}_4$	$\text{XeF}_2$	Xe
2077	217	253	-1592	-5331
	$\text{XeOF}_4$	$\text{Xe}(\text{OTeF}_5)_4$	$\text{Xe}(\text{OTeF}_5)_2$	
	0	-637	-2379	

Higher oxidation state = more positive charge = smaller  $\langle r \rangle$  = deshielding



# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

$^{109}\text{Ag}$  NMR Chemical Shift dependence on the oxidation state

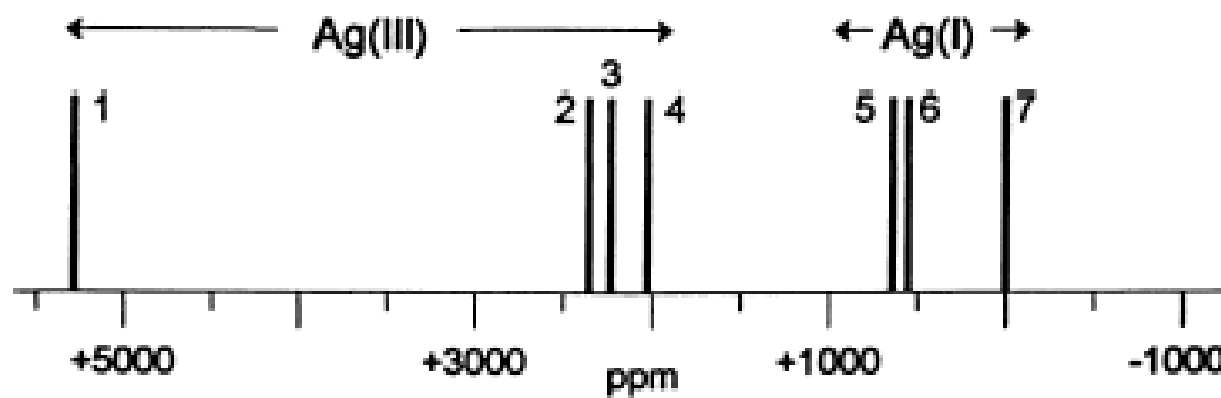


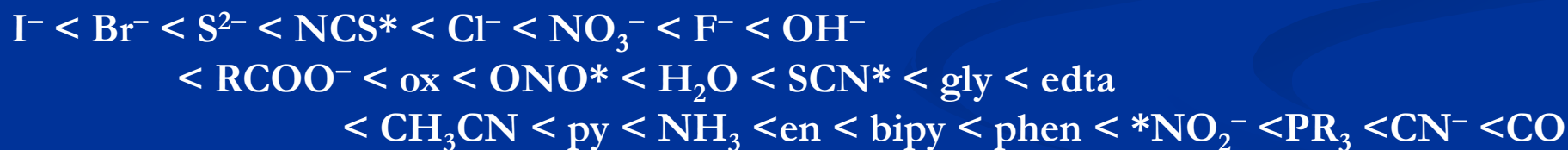
Fig. 3. The range of  $^{109}\text{Ag}$  NMR chemical shifts. 1:  $\text{Ag}^{\text{III}}\text{F}_4^-$ ; 2:  $\text{Ag}^{\text{III}}(\text{CF}_3)(\text{CN})_3^-$  [6]; 3:  $\text{Ag}^{\text{III}}(\text{CF}_3)_4^-$  [6]; 4:  $\text{Ag}^{\text{III}}(\text{CF}_2\text{H})_4^-$  [5]; 5:  $\text{Ag}^{\text{I}}(\text{CF}_2\text{H})_2^-$  [5]; 6:  $\text{Ag}^{\text{I}}(\text{CF}_3)_2^-$  [6]; 7:  $\text{Ag}_{\text{aq}}^{\text{I}}$  +.

# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

Chemists are interested in correlations between NMR chemical shifts and other molecular properties related to changes in molecular structures or reactivities. Some useful relations are found in particular for transition metal compounds:

## Chemical Shifts and the Spectrochemical Series of Ligands ( $\Delta_o$ )

Spectrochemical Series = increase in  $\Delta E(d-d)$  = energy term decreases



Weak ligands = deshielding  
weak bonds  
 $\sigma_{\text{para}}$  large

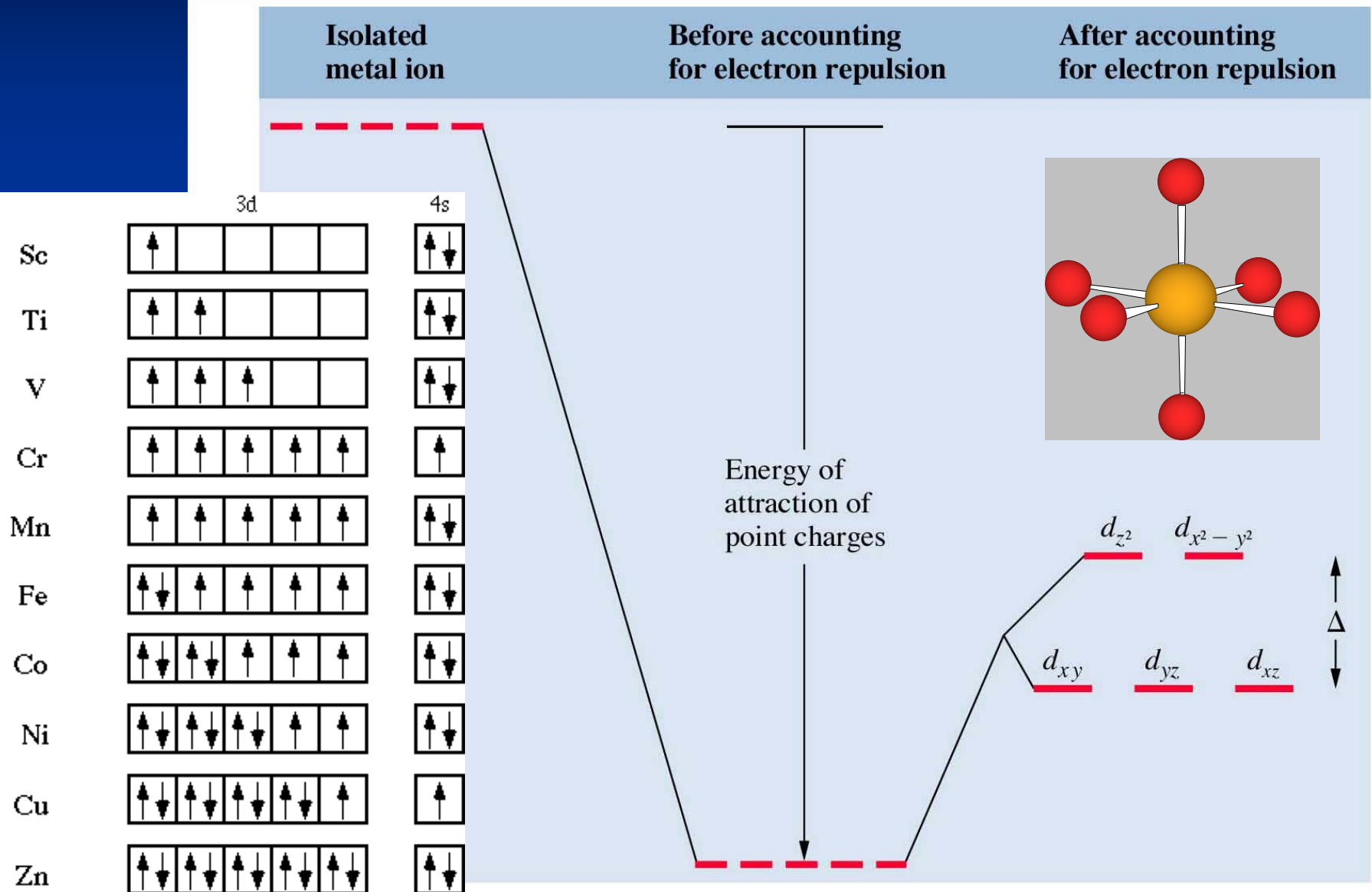


$\Delta E^{-1}$   
“energy term”

Strong ligands = shielding  
strong bonds  
 $\sigma_{\text{para}}$  small

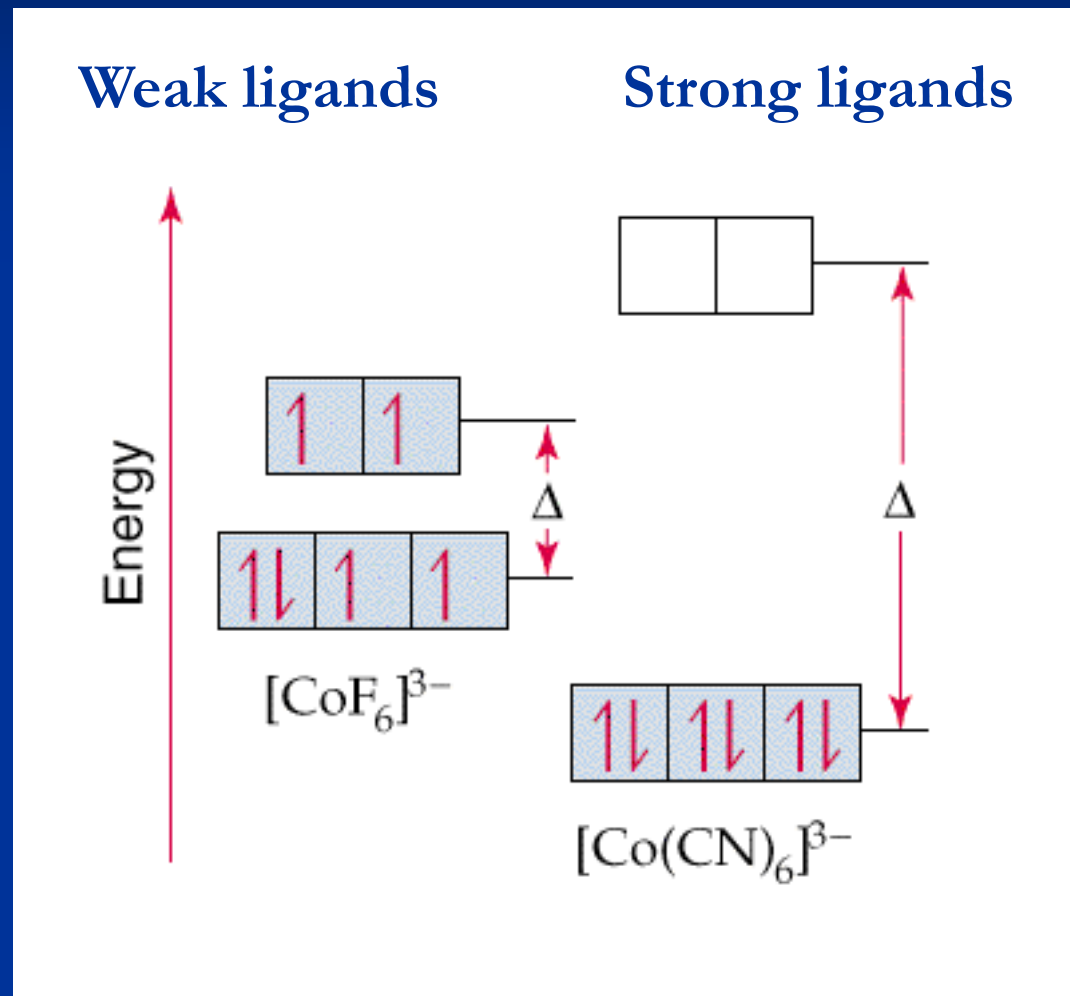


# Octahedral Complexes

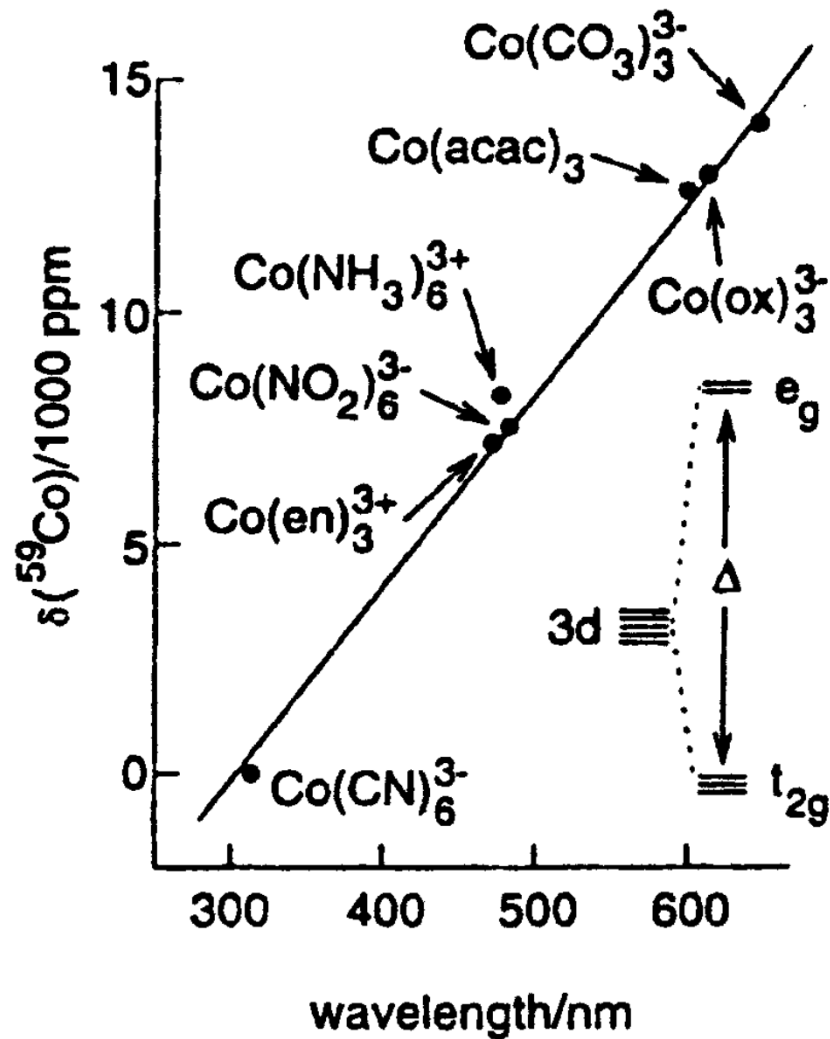




# Ligand Field Splitting



# Spectrochemical Series



$$\sigma_{para} = -const \frac{\Delta P_{imbalance}}{\Delta E \times \langle r_p \rangle^3}$$

$\Delta E^{-1}$   
"energy term"

# $^{17}\text{O}$ Chemical Shifts in Oxoanions

$\Delta E^{-1}$   
“energy term”

$$\sigma_{para} = -const \frac{\Delta P_{imbalance}}{\Delta E \times \langle r_p \rangle^3}$$

$[\text{VO}_4]^{3-}$	$[\text{CrO}_4]^{2-}$	$[\text{MnO}_4]^{-}$	$[\text{SO}_4]^{2-}$	$[\text{ClO}_4]^{-}$
568	835	1230	167	290
	$[\text{MoO}_4]^{2-}$	$[\text{TcO}_4]^{-}$	$[\text{SeO}_4]^{2-}$	
	530	749	204	
	$[\text{WO}_4]^{2-}$	$[\text{ReO}_4]^{-}$		
	420	569		

# Nephelauxetic Series

$\langle r^{-3} \rangle$   
"radial term"

Nephelauxetic effect = expansion of d-orbitals  
 $\langle r \rangle$  increases = radial term decreases



Nephelauxetic effect increases =  $\langle r \rangle$  increases



Electronegativity increases



Ionic bonding  
 $\langle r \rangle$  decreases  
Deshielding

$$\sigma_{para} = -const \frac{\Delta P_{imbalance}}{\Delta E \times \langle r_p \rangle^3}$$

Covalent bonding  
 $\langle r \rangle$  increases  
Shielding



# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

Change of ligands induces usually changes of both the energy and radial terms

$$\langle r^{-3} \rangle$$

“radial term”

Nephelauxetic effect

Normal halogen dependence

F      Cl      Br      I



Deshielding with increasing electronegativity  
(trend is similar to diamagnetic term)

$$\Delta E^{-1}$$

“energy term”

Spectrochemical Series

Inverse halogen dependence

I      Br      Cl      F



Shielding with increasing electronegativity

Depending on which effect dominates, the variation of  $\sigma(M)$  with the electronegativity of X may follow completely different patterns.

# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

$$\sigma_{para} = -const \frac{\Delta P_{imbalance}}{\Delta E \times \langle r_p \rangle^3}$$

## I. Normal Halogen (Ligand) Dependence

$\delta(M)$  follows the nephelauxetic series of ligands, increases in the series I < Br < Cl < F

$$\langle r^{-3} \rangle$$

“radial term”

Observed for

many compounds of p-block elements

many transition metal complexes with partly filled or filled d-shells

## II. Inverse Halogen (Ligand) Dependence

$\delta(M)$  follows the spectrochemical series of ligands, increases in the series F < Cl < Br < I

$$\Delta E^{-1}$$

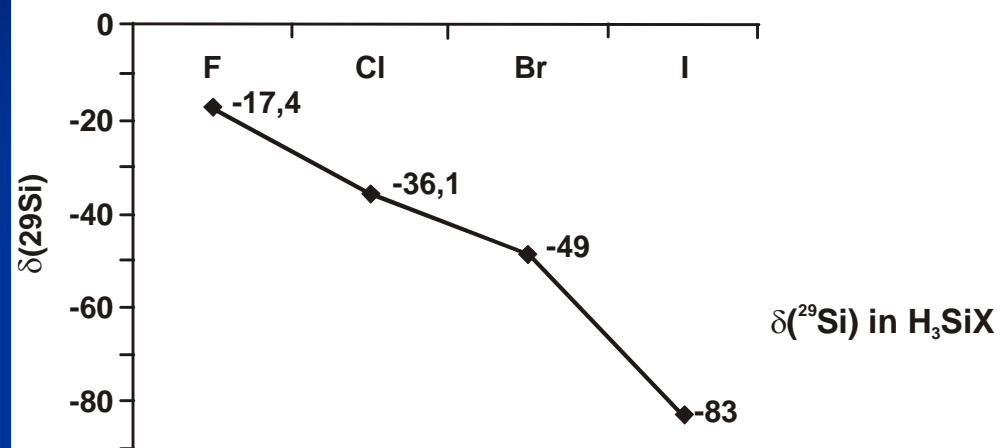
“energy term”

Observed for

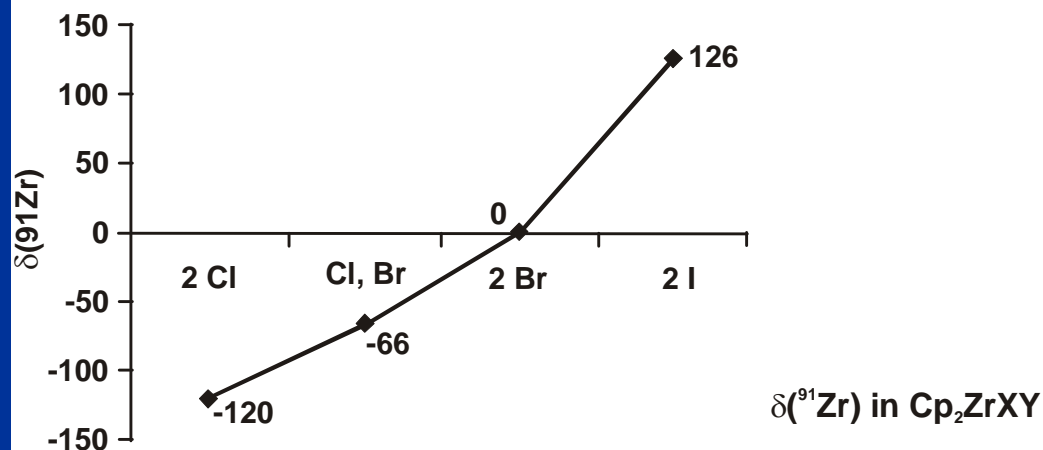
many transition metal complexes with  $d^0$ ,  $d^{10}$ - configurations, alkali metals

# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

## I. Normal Halogen(Ligand) Dependence



## II. Inverse Halogen(Ligand) Dependence



# $^{51}\text{V}$ NMR of Vanadyl derivatives

$$\sigma_{para} = -const \frac{\Delta P_{imbalance}}{\Delta E \times \langle r_p \rangle^3}$$



432 (neat)

0 (neat)

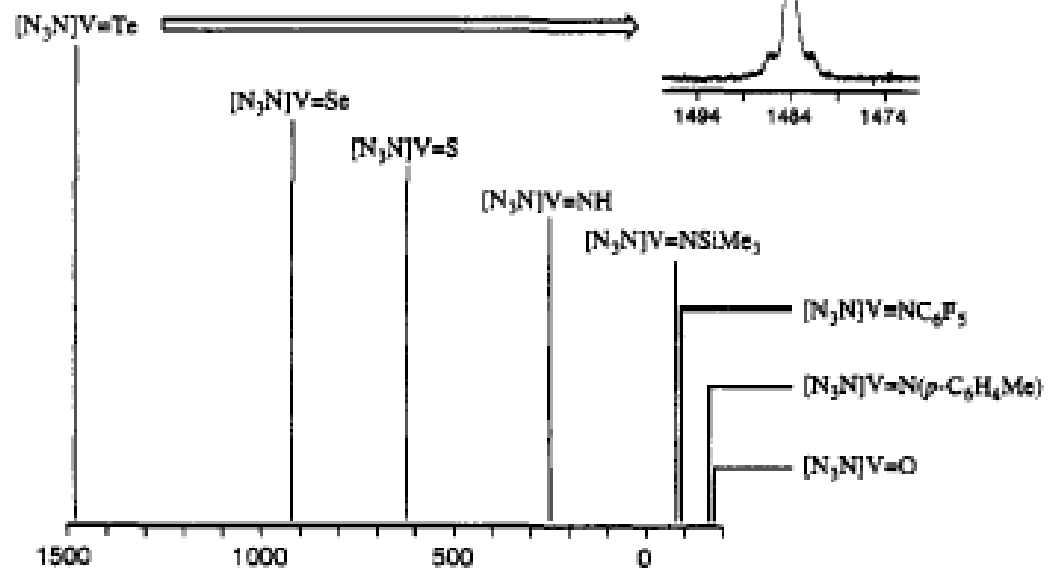
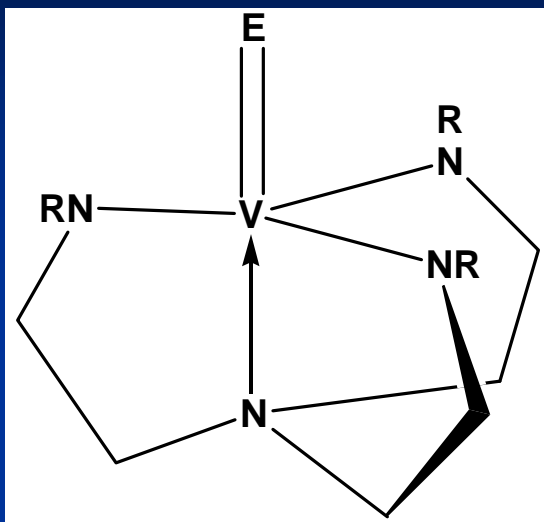
-786 ( $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$ )

Inverse Halogen (Ligand) Dependence

$$\sigma_{para} \approx -\frac{\mu_0 \mu_B^2}{2\pi} \Delta E^{-1} r_{\langle(n-1)d\rangle}^{-3} \langle \mathbf{0} | \mathbf{L}^2 | \mathbf{0} \rangle$$



# $^{51}\text{V}$ NMR of Vanadatranes



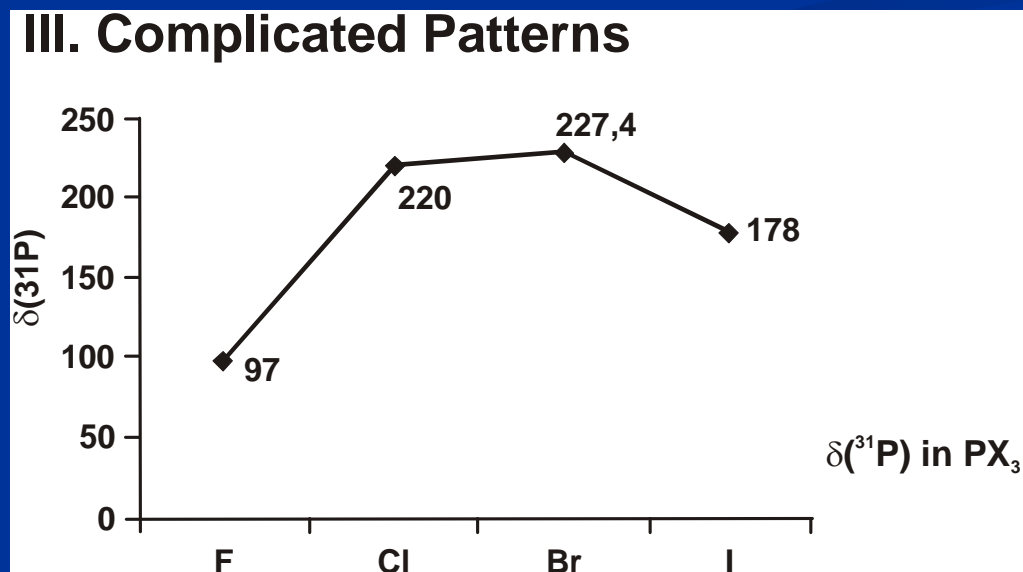
# Patterns of Chemical Shifts

## III. Complicated Patterns

Influence on  $\langle r^{-3} \rangle$  and  $\Delta E^{-1}$  of similar magnitude

Non-monotonous trend for  $\delta(M)$

Observed for  
some compounds of p-group elements



# Symmetry and Chemical Shifts

	$\text{PCl}_3$	$\text{PCl}_4^+$	$\text{PCl}_5$	$\text{PCl}_6^-$
$\delta (^{31}\text{P})$ ppm	220	96	-81	-281

$Q_i(\text{L}^2)$   
“orbital term”



Increasing symmetry = lower imbalance = shielding

# Coordination Number and Chemical Shifts

Main group elements

Higher CN = shielding



Transition metals

Higher CN = deshielding



More  $\pi$  bonding = shielding

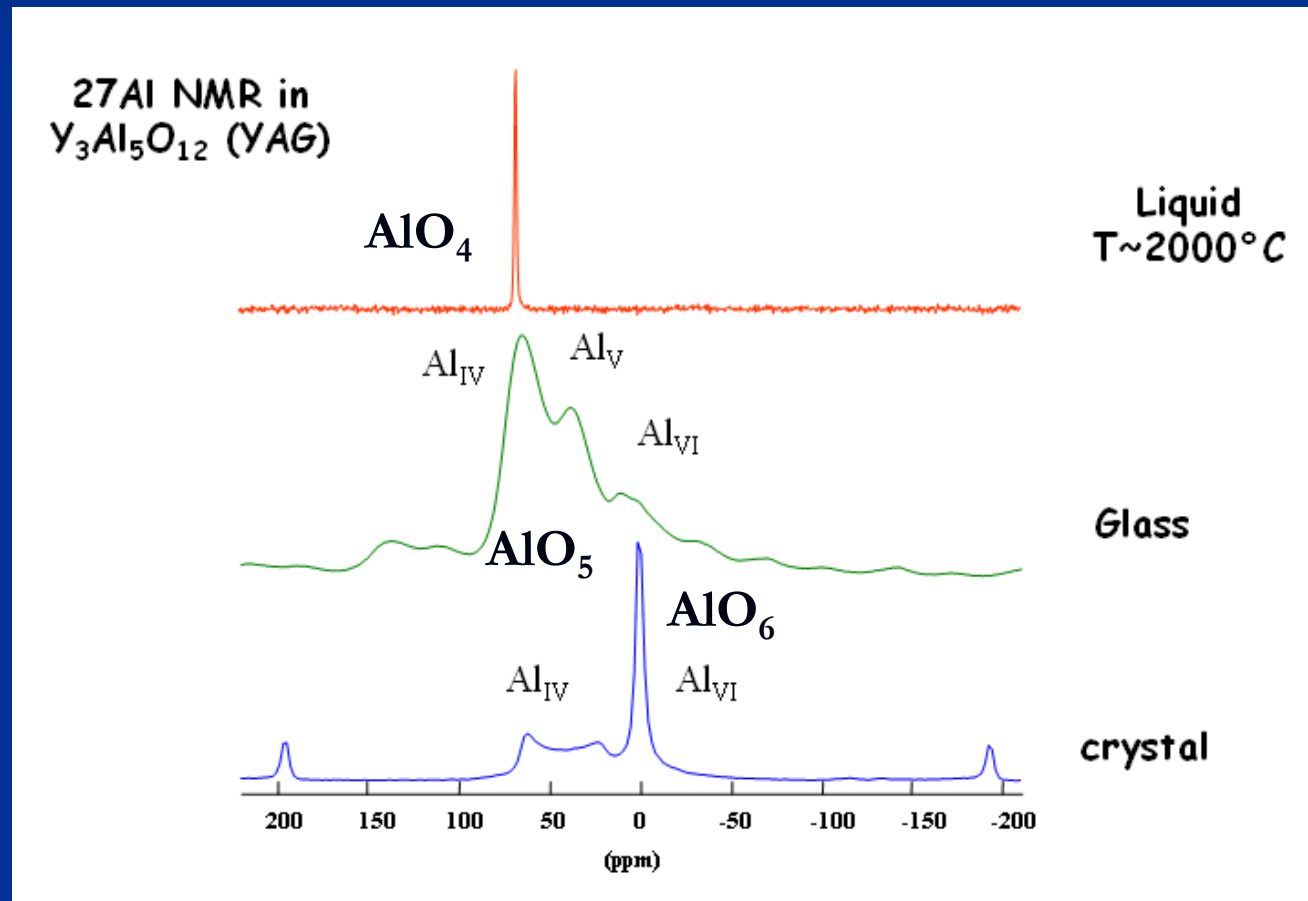
More  $\sigma$  bonding = deshielding

# Coordination Number and Chemical Shifts

Higher CN = shielding



$\delta (^{27}\text{Al})$

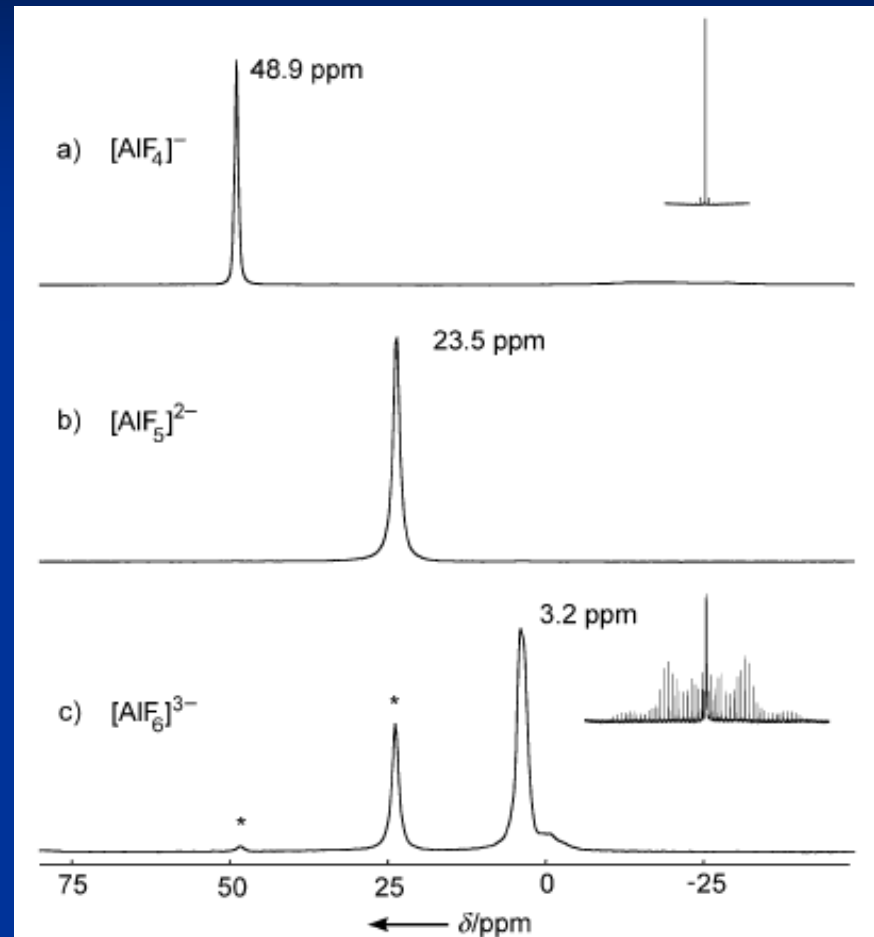


# Coordination Number and Chemical Shifts

Higher CN = shielding



$\delta$  ( $^{27}\text{Al}$ )



**Abbildung 1.**  $^{27}\text{Al}$ -MAS-NMR-Spektren von a)  $(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{N}^+[\text{AlF}_4]^-$ , b)  $[(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{N}^+]_2[\text{AlF}_5]^{2-}$  und c)  $[(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{N}^+]_3[\text{AlF}_6]^{3-}$ . Im Spektrum (c) sind Signale von (b) und (a) sichtbar (\*); der Einschub zeigt das Satellitenspektrum infolge Quadrupolwechselwirkung in störungstheoretisch 1. Ordnung.