

# Lecture 6

## Infrared spectroscopy



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# $D_2O$ in $H_2O$



$D_2O$  ice in  $H_2O$

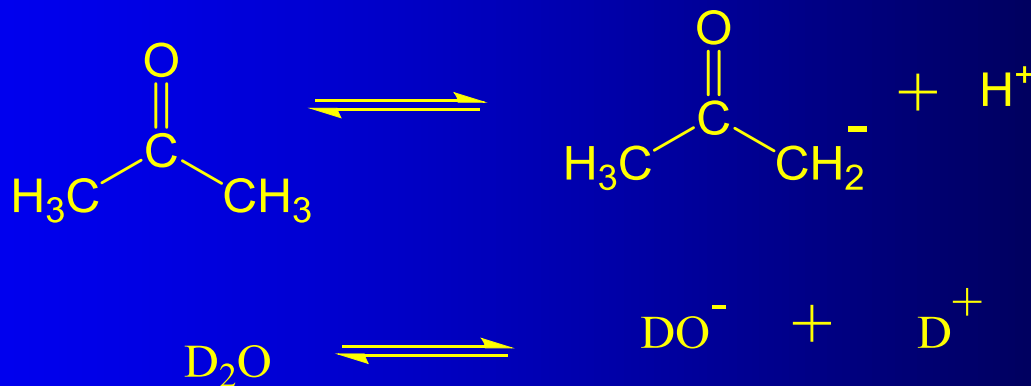


$D_2O$  ice in  $D_2O$



# Chemical Exchange

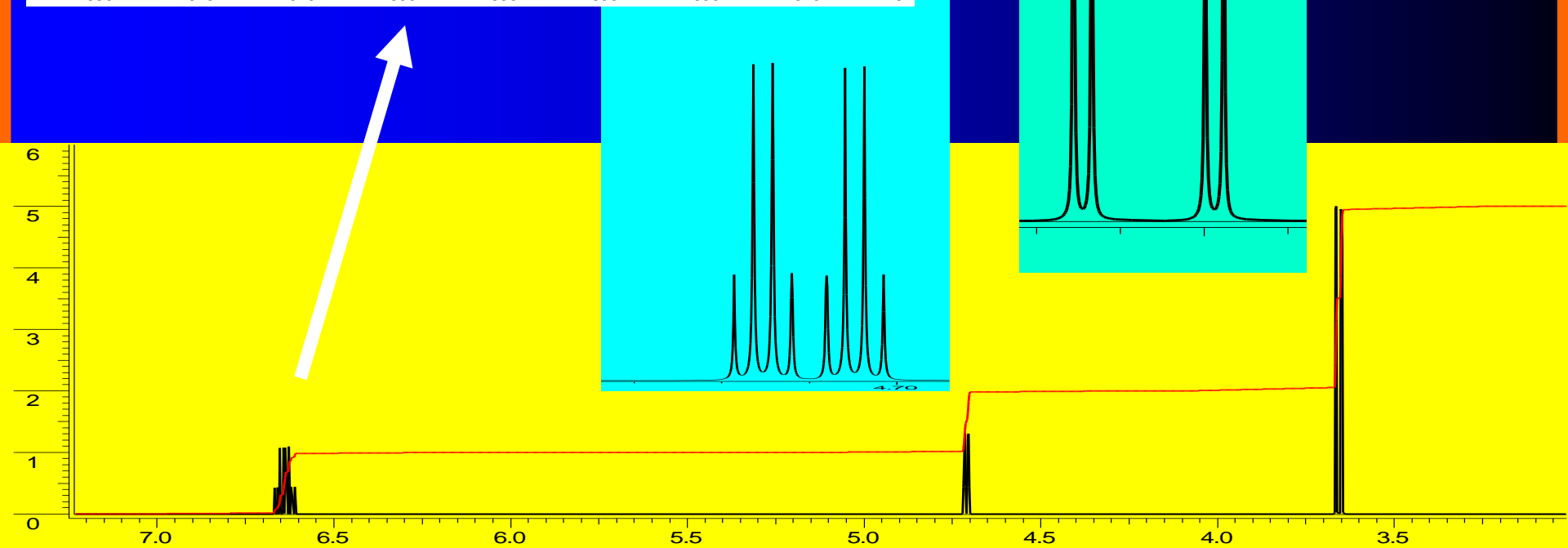
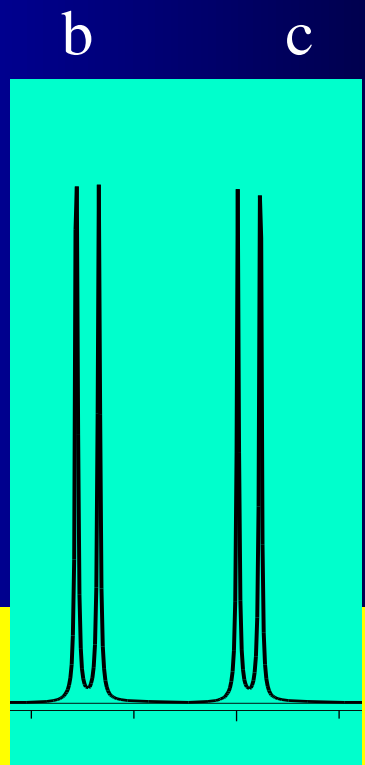
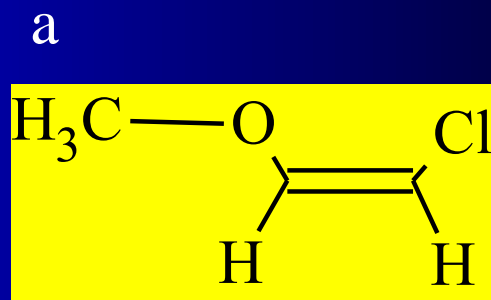
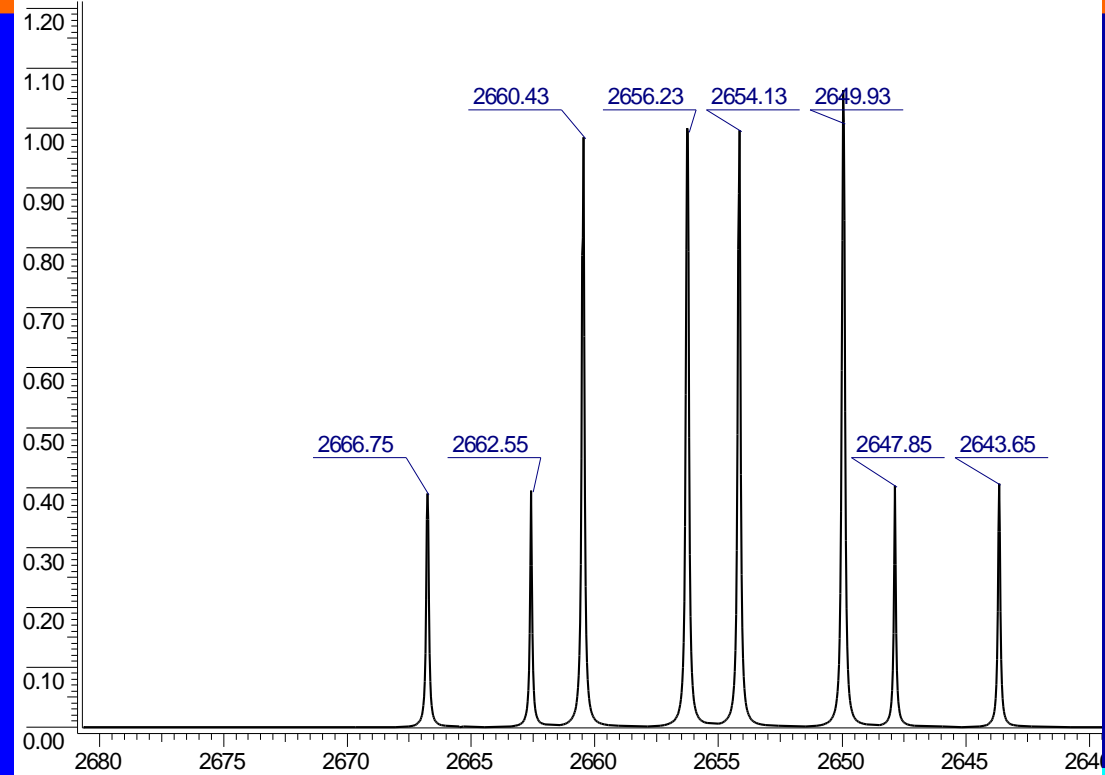
- Hydrogens on electronegative atoms such as Oxygen and Nitrogen
  - Undergo rapid “exchange” and often give only a relatively broad singlet due to “averaging”
  - These hydrogens also exchange (equilibrate) with Deuterium in D<sub>2</sub>O and “disappear” from the spectrum



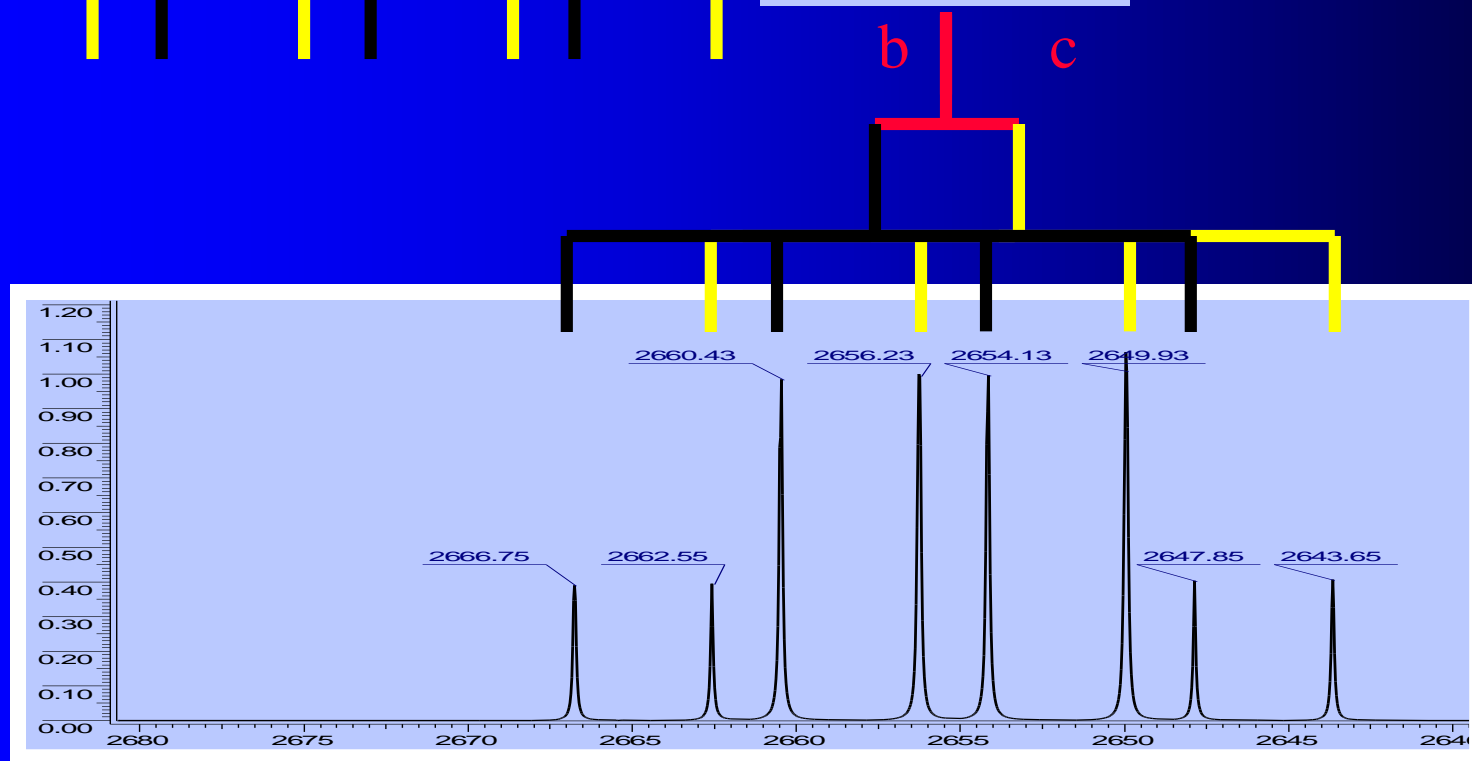
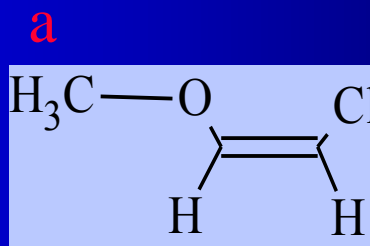
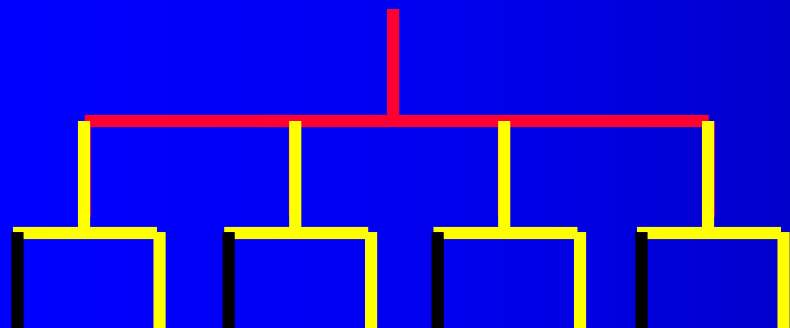
# Common $^1\text{H}$ -nmr Solvents

- $\text{DCCl}_3$
- $\text{CCl}_4$
- $(\text{CD}_3)_2\text{SO}$
- $\text{D}_2\text{O}$
- $\text{C}_6\text{D}_6$

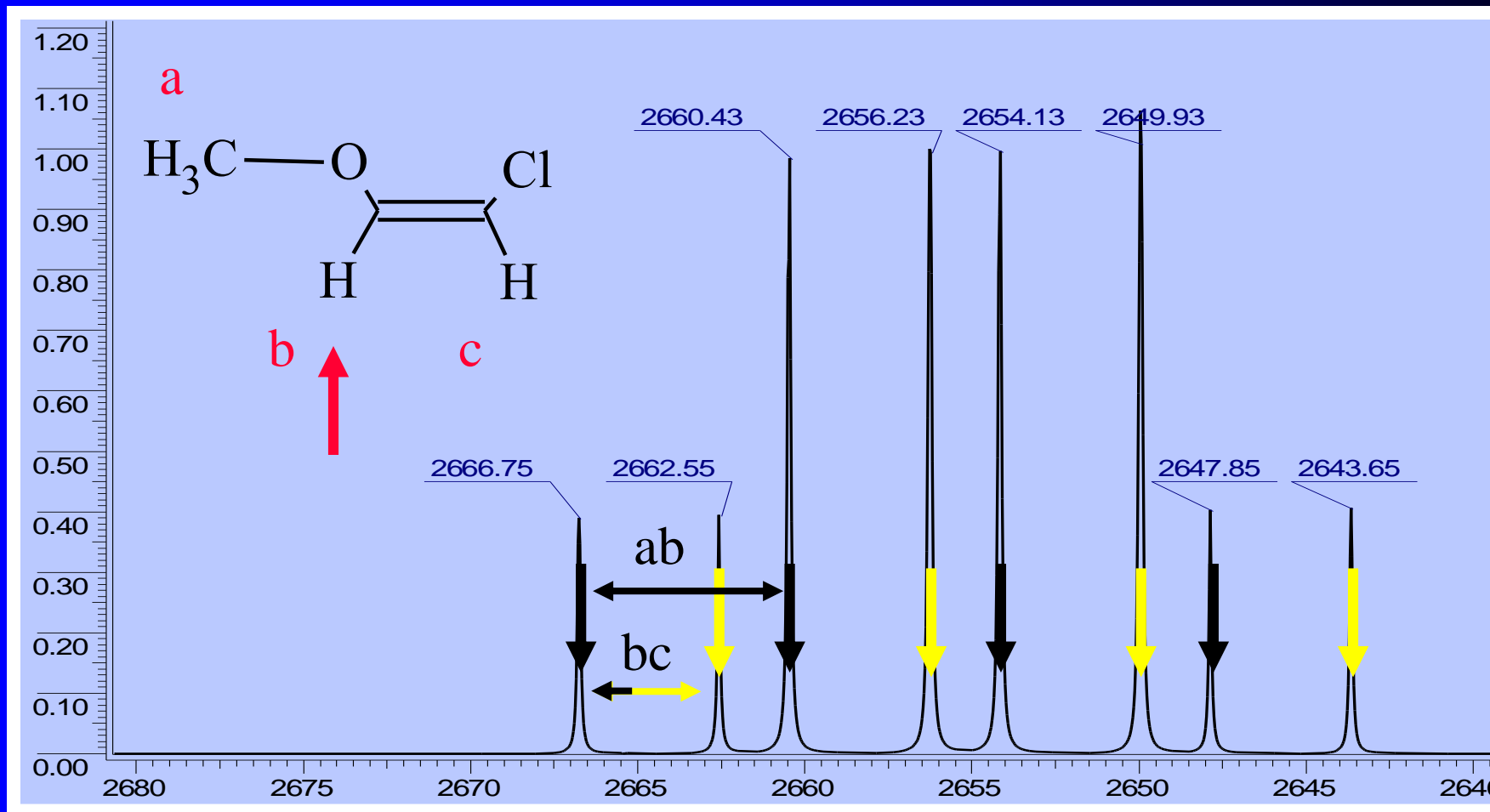




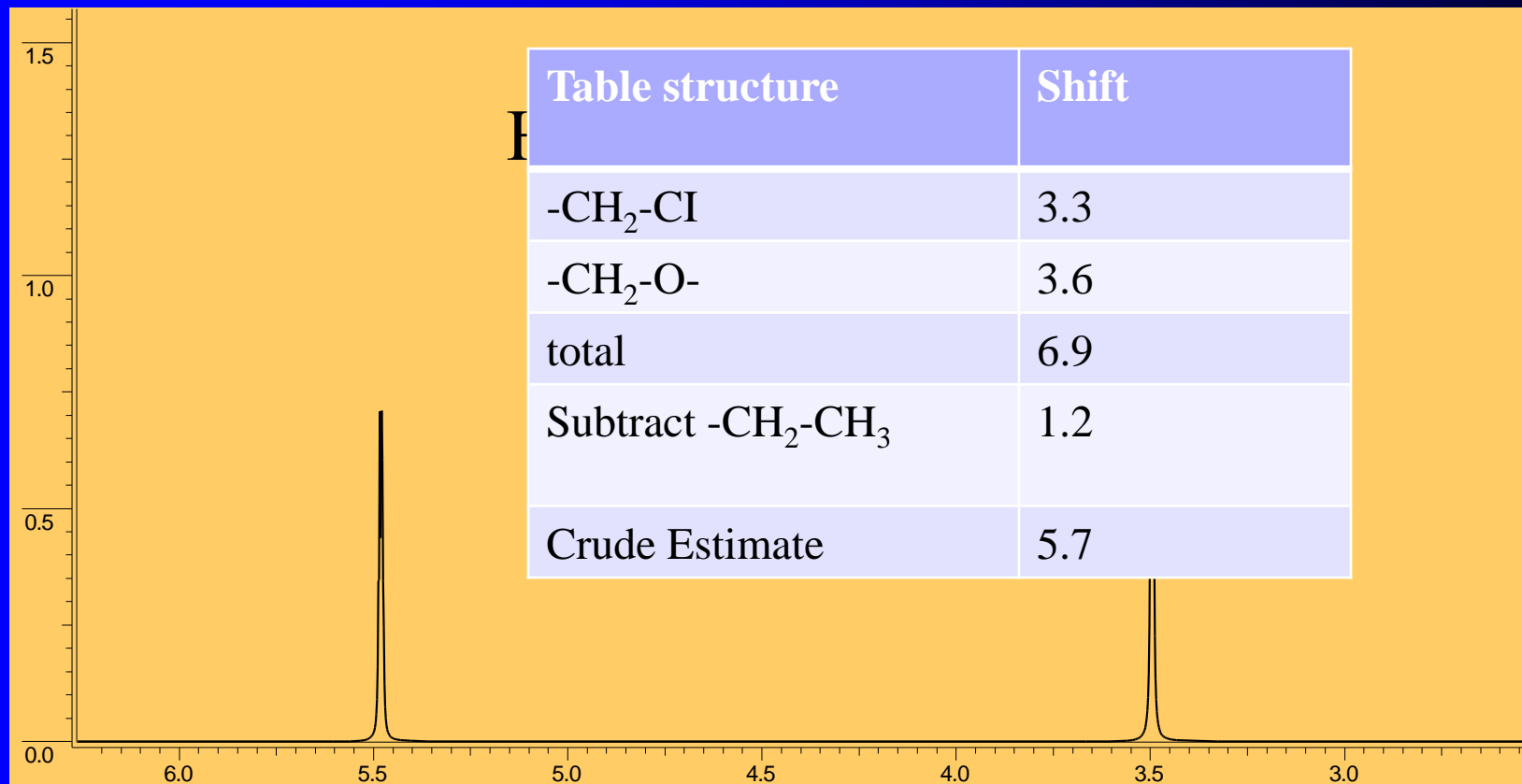
# Whats with what??



# Coupling Constants



# Chemical Shift additivity estimates



Caution.....estimates only!!



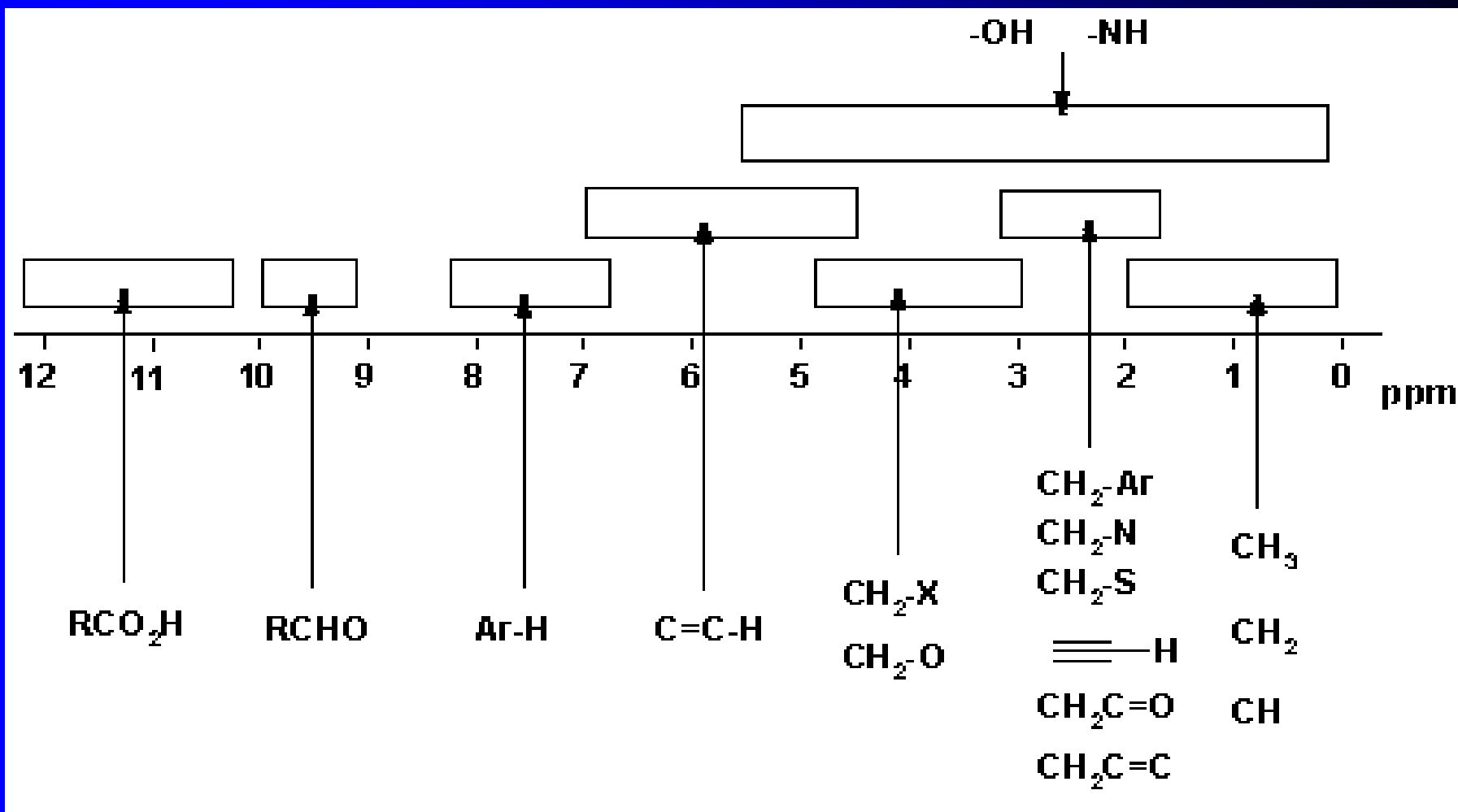


# Chemical Shift - $^1\text{H-NMR}$

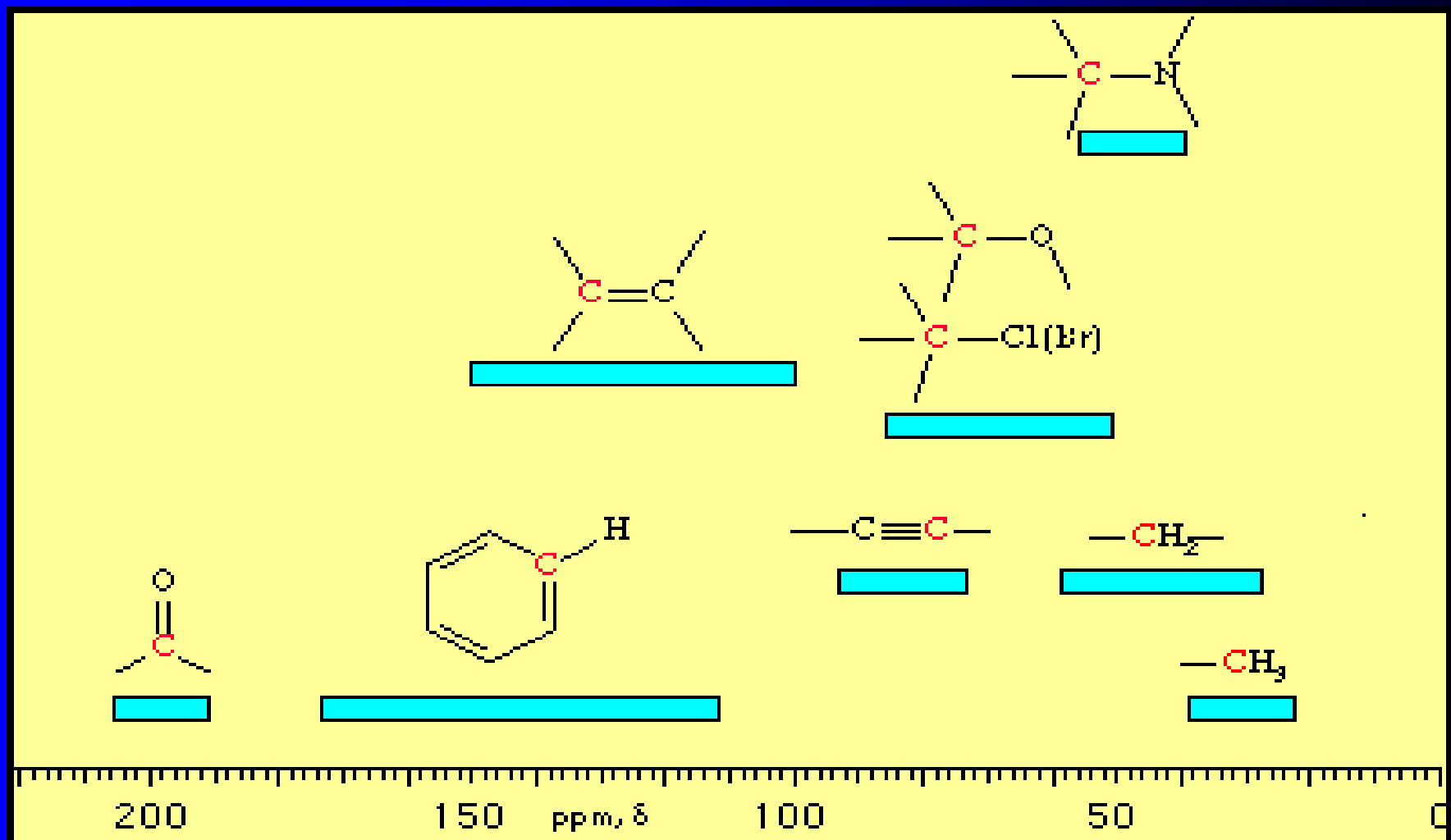
Type of H	$\delta$	Type of H	$\delta$
$(\text{C H}_3)_4 \text{Si}$	0	ROH	0.5-6.0
$\text{RCH}_3$	0.9	$\text{RCH}_2 \text{OR}$	3.3-4.0
$\text{RCH}_2 \text{R}$	1.2-1.4	$\text{R}_2 \text{NH}$	0.5-5.0
$\text{R}_3 \text{CH}$	1.4-1.7	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O} \\    \\ \text{RCCH}_3 \end{array}$	2.1-2.3
$\text{R}_2 \text{C}=\text{CRC HR}_2$	1.6-2.6	$\begin{array}{c} \text{O} \\    \\ \text{RCCH}_2 \text{R} \end{array}$	2.2-2.6
$\text{RC}\equiv\text{CH}$	2.0-3.0		
$\text{ArCH}_3$	2.2-2.5		
$\text{ArCH}_2 \text{R}$	2.3-2.8		



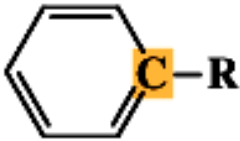
# $^1\text{H}$ Chemical Shifts



# $^{13}\text{C}$ Chemical Shifts

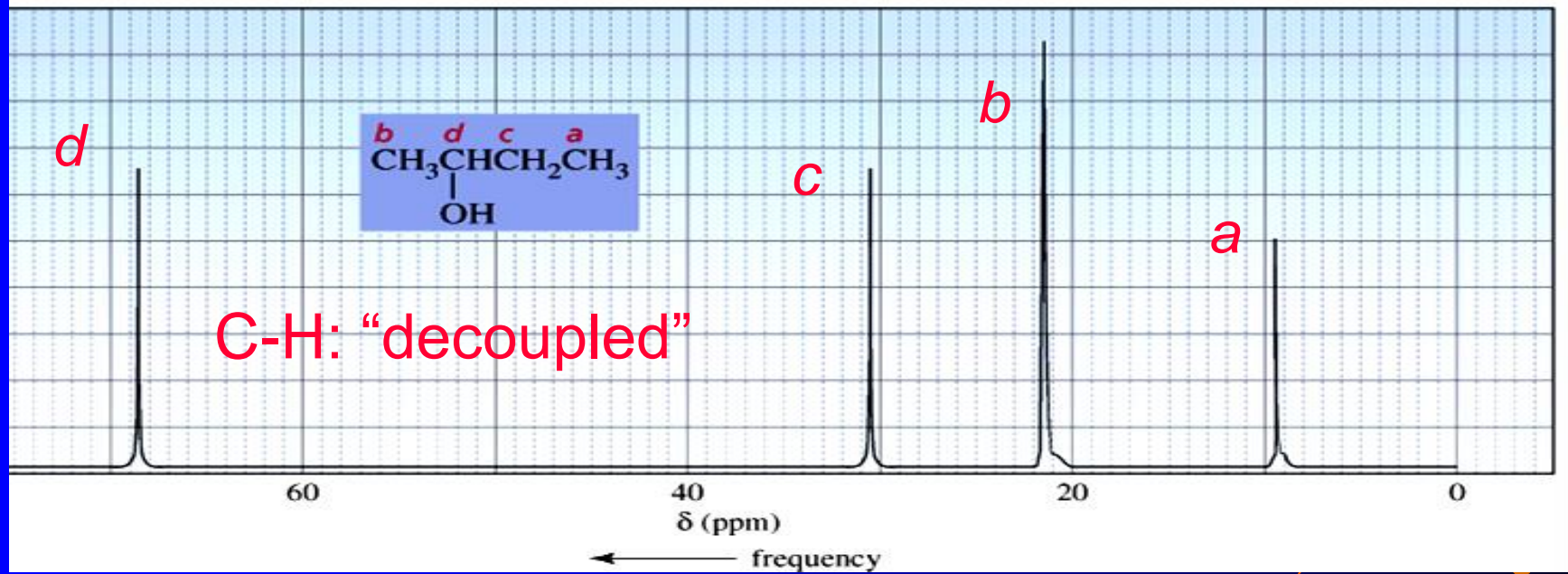
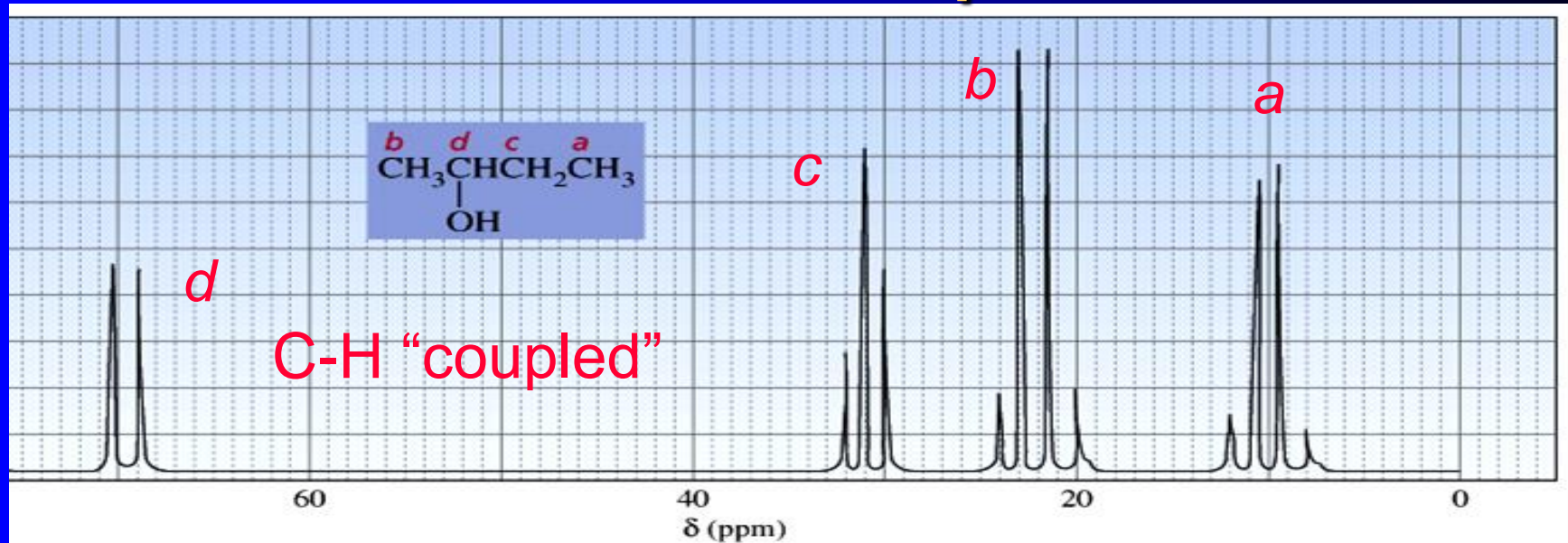


## $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR chemical shifts

Type of Carbon	Chemical Shift ( $\delta$ )	Type of Carbon	Chemical Shift ( $\delta$ )
$\text{R}\text{C}\text{H}_3$	0–40		110–160
$\text{R}\text{C}\text{H}_2\text{R}$	15–55	$\text{R}\text{C}\text{O}\text{R}$	160–180
$\text{R}_3\text{C}\text{H}$	20–60	$\text{R}\text{C}\text{N}\text{R}_2$	165–180
$\text{R}\text{C}\text{H}_2\text{I}$	0–40	$\text{R}\text{C}\text{O}\text{H}$	175–185
$\text{R}\text{C}\text{H}_2\text{Br}$	25–65	$\text{R}\text{C}\text{H}, \text{R}\text{C}\text{R}$	180–210
$\text{R}\text{C}\text{H}_2\text{Cl}$	35–80		
$\text{R}_3\text{C}\text{O}\text{H}$	40–80		
$\text{R}_3\text{C}\text{O}\text{R}$	40–80		
$\text{R}\text{C}\equiv\text{C}\text{R}$	65–85		
$\text{R}_2\text{C}=\text{C}\text{R}_2$	100–150		



# $^{13}\text{C}$ NMR Spectra



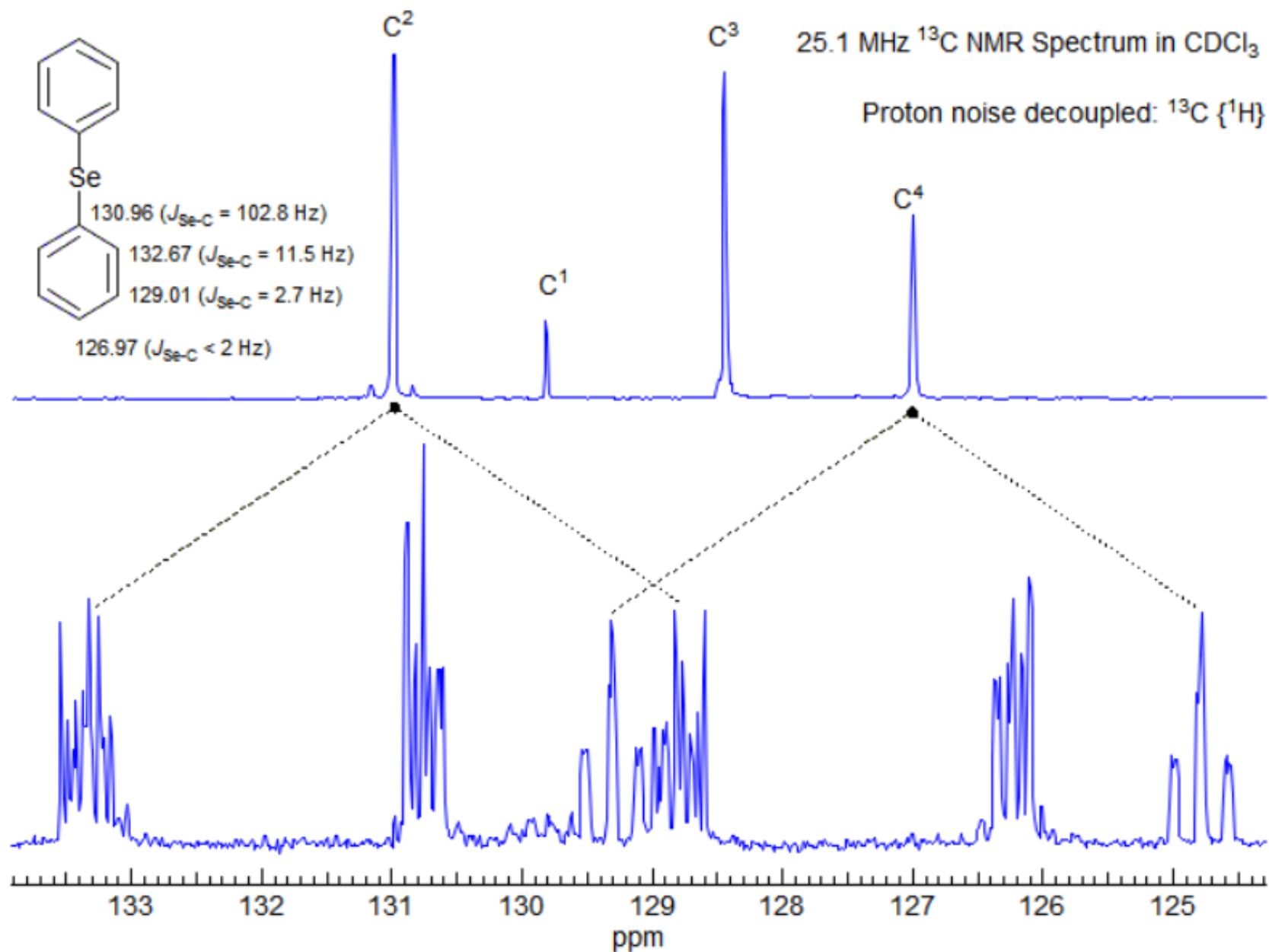
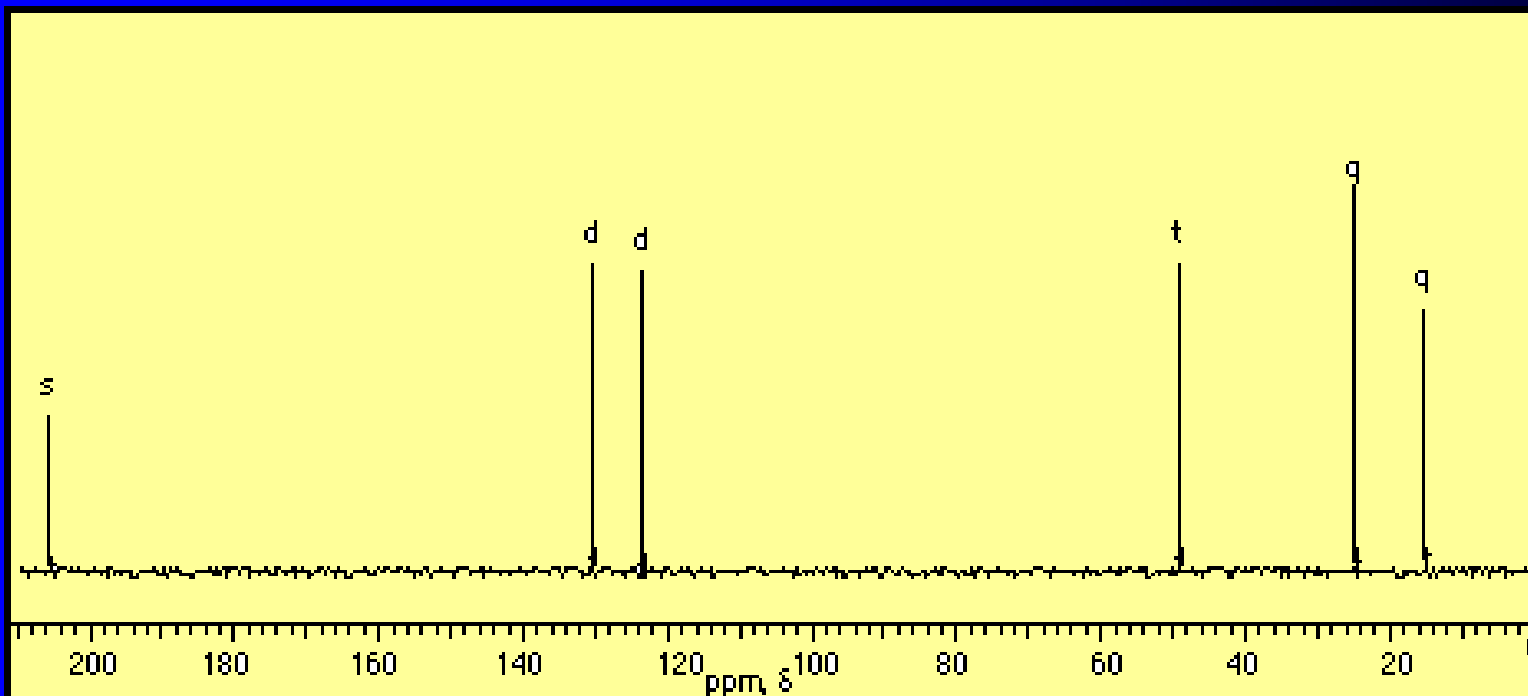
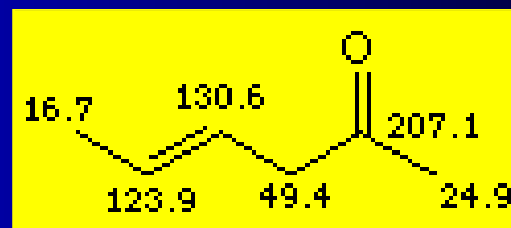


Figure 6-1.2. 25 MHz  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of diphenyl selenide in  $\text{CDCl}_3$ .

# $^{13}\text{C}$ -nmr Spectroscopy

- Each nonequivalent  $^{13}\text{C}$  gives a different, resolved signal



# The DEPT Experiment

- In the hydrogen-decoupled mode, information on spin-spin coupling between  $^{13}\text{C}$  and attached hydrogens is lost
- Distortionless Enhancement by Polarization Transfer (DEPT) is an NMR technique for determining whether  $^{13}\text{C}$  signals are from  $\text{CH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_2$ ,  $\text{CH}$ , or quaternary carbons
- DEPT is an instrumental trick that provides the means to acquire this information



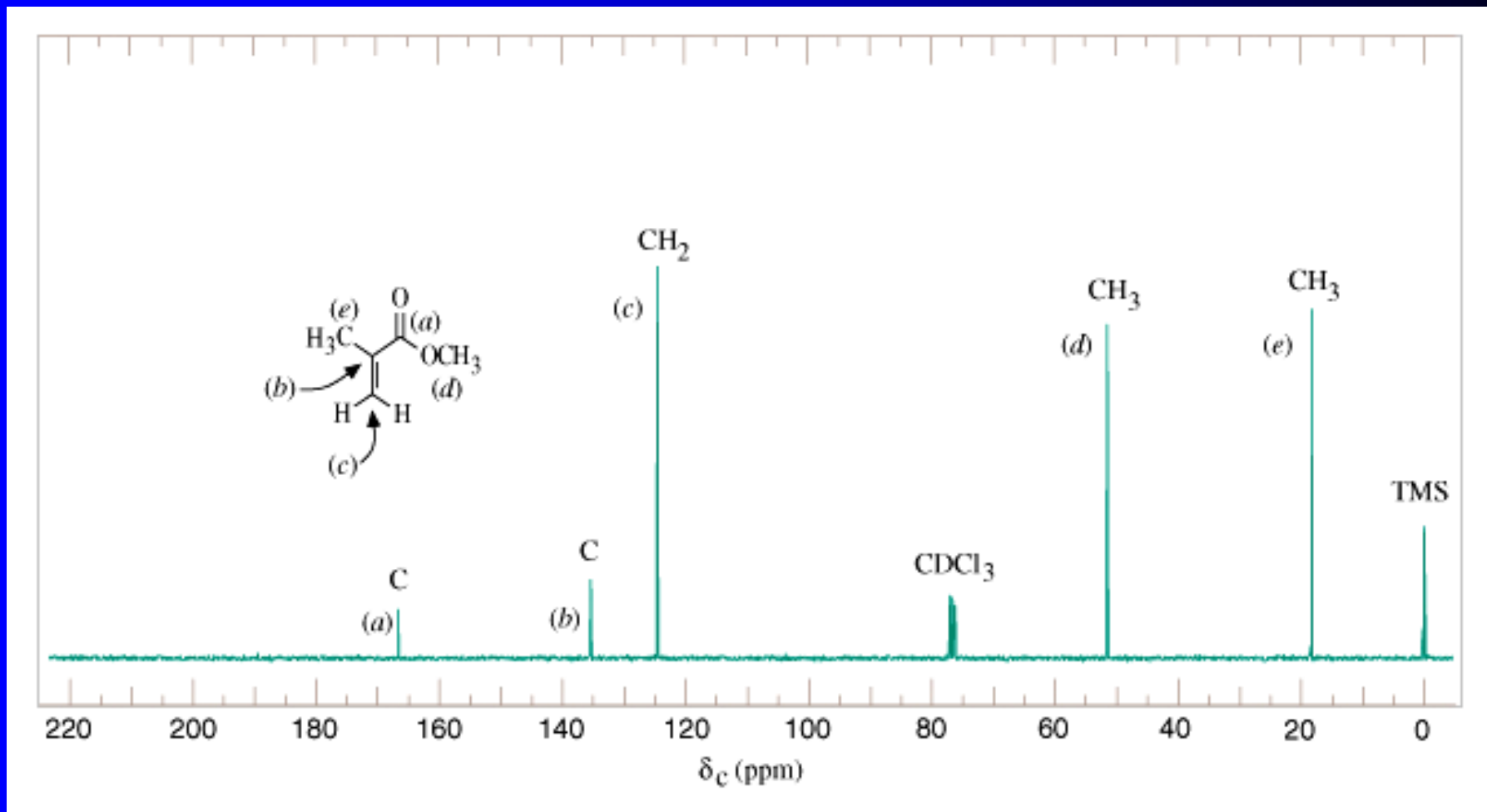


# The DEPT method

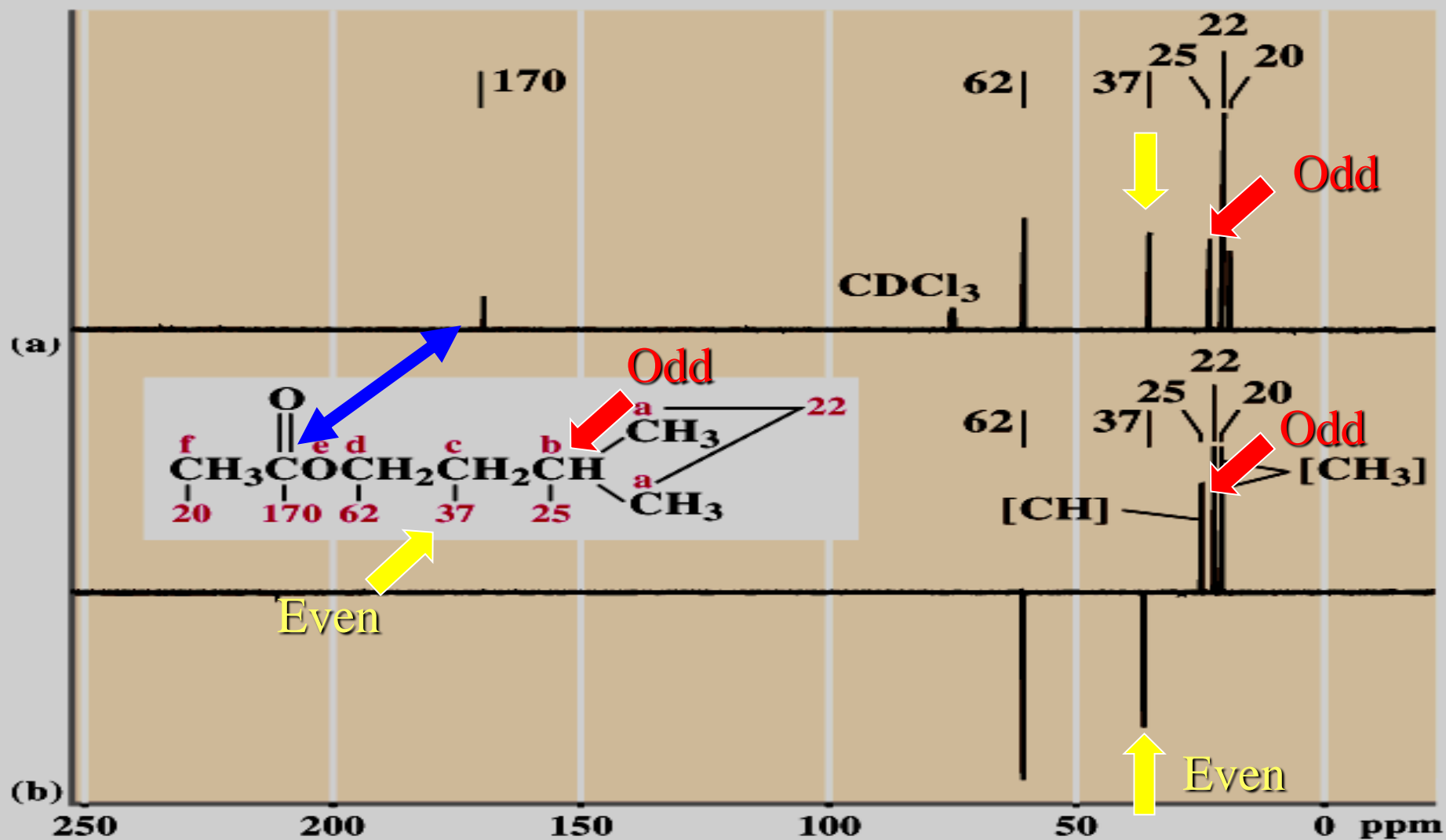
- DEPT uses a complex series of pulses in both the  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  ranges, with the result that  $\text{CH}_3$ ,  $\text{CH}_2$ , and  $\text{CH}$  signals exhibit different phases;
  - signals for  $\text{CH}_3$  and  $\text{CH}$  carbons are recorded as positive signals (*odd numbers of H*)
  - signals for  $\text{CH}_2$  carbons are recorded as negative signals (*even numbers of H*)
  - quaternary carbons give no signals in the DEPT method (*zero H*)



# Broadband decoupled $^{13}\text{C}$ nmr spectrum

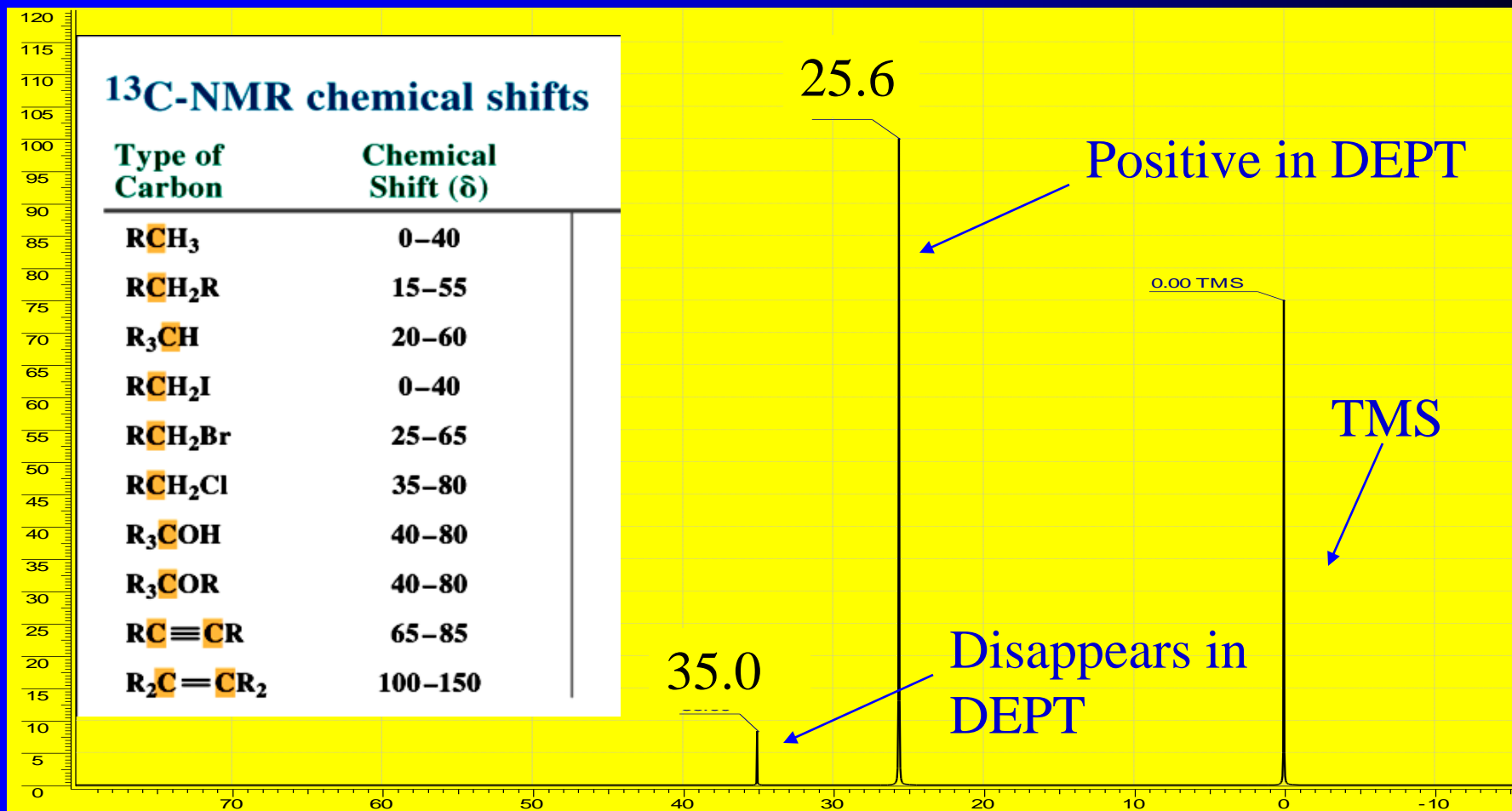


# $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR (a) and DEPT (b) spectra of isopentyl acetate

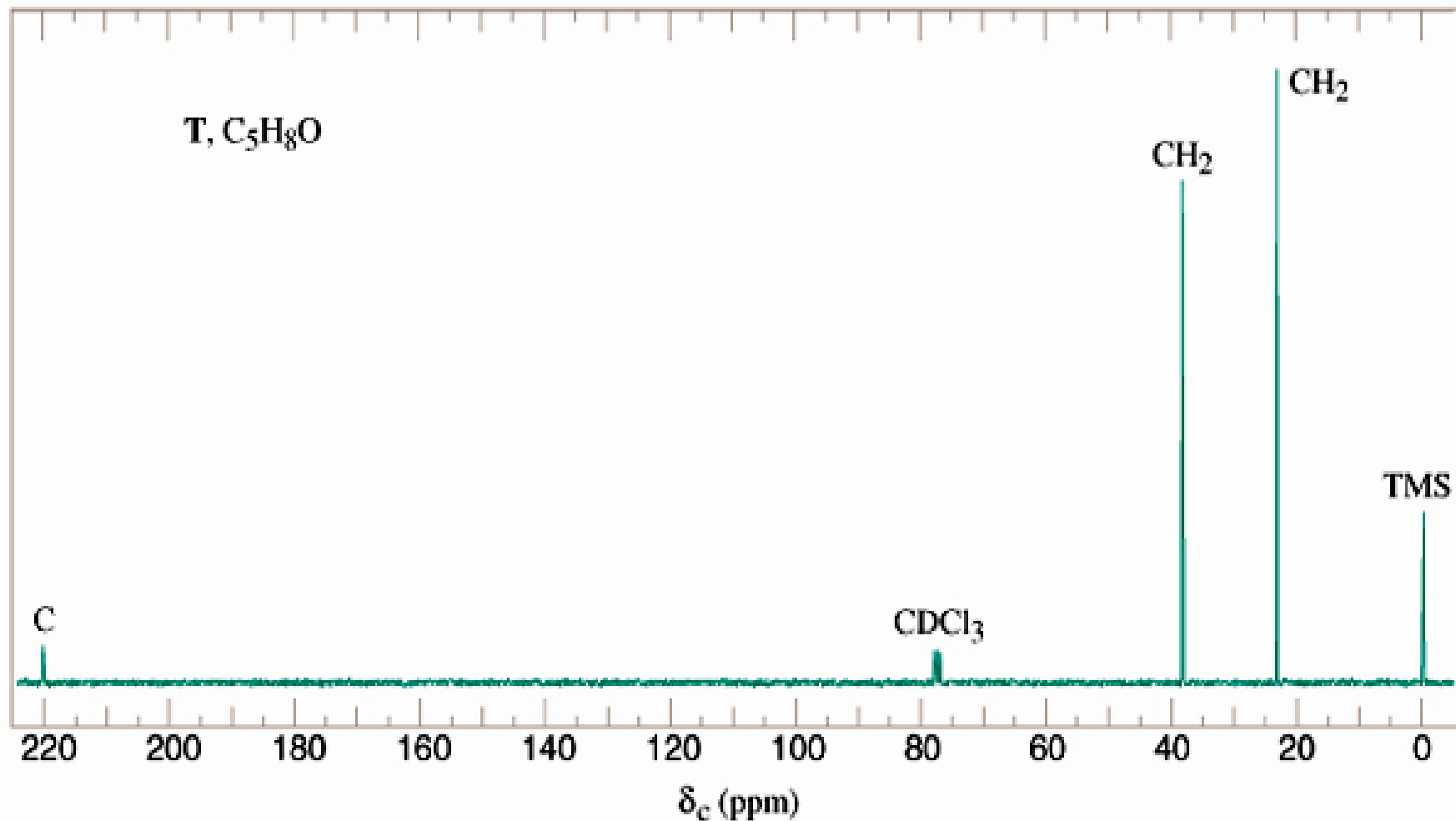


# An Unknown ☺

Empirical formula  $C_4H_9$ , MW = 114



# Whatzit??



# $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR Spectroscopy review

- Each nonequivalent  $^{13}\text{C}$  gives a different signal
- Low abundance means weak signals
- C-C splitting is insignificant
- C-H splitting is big and complex so it is “turned off” by “decoupling”
- Range of Chemical Shifts is large compared to H
- Some Coupling info can be recovered by DEPT
- Integrals of  $^{13}\text{C}$  spectra are not useful except under very special circumstances
- Mnemonic device.... PONE???



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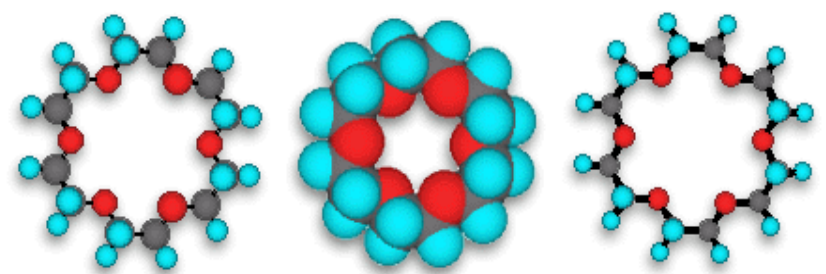
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# Organic Structure Elucidation

## A Workbook of Unknowns



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# Molecular Vibrations

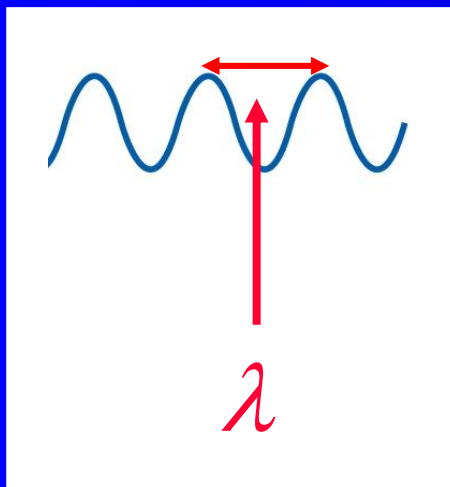
- For a molecule to absorb IR radiation, the bond undergoing vibration
  - must be polar (*change dipole moment*)
- Covalent bonds that do not meet this criterion are said to be IR inactive
  - the C-C double and triple bonds of symmetrically substituted alkenes and alkynes, for example, do not absorb IR radiation because they are not polar bonds



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# THE ENERGY OF ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVES



$$c = \lambda \nu \quad \bar{\nu} = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

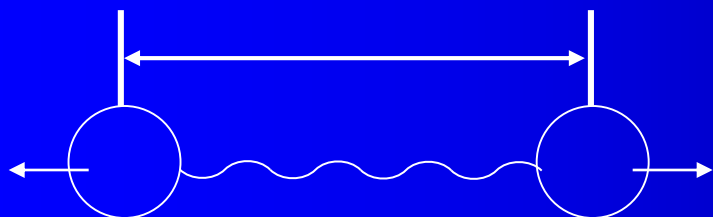
- $\bar{\nu}$  • (nu-bar) represents wavenumber, the number of wavelengths in 1 cm
- This is a unit of frequency!
- units are 1/cm or  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (Kaysers)

$$E = h\nu = h\frac{c}{\lambda} = hc\bar{\nu}$$

$$10 \text{ microns (micrometers)} = 1000 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$



# Harmonic Oscillator Model



$m_1$

$m_2$

$$\nu = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{K}{\mu}}$$

$$\mu = \frac{(m_1)(m_2)}{m_1 + m_2}$$

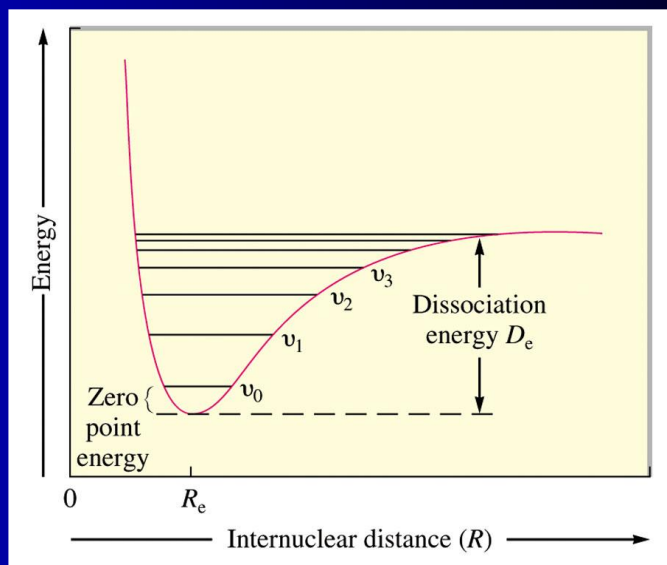
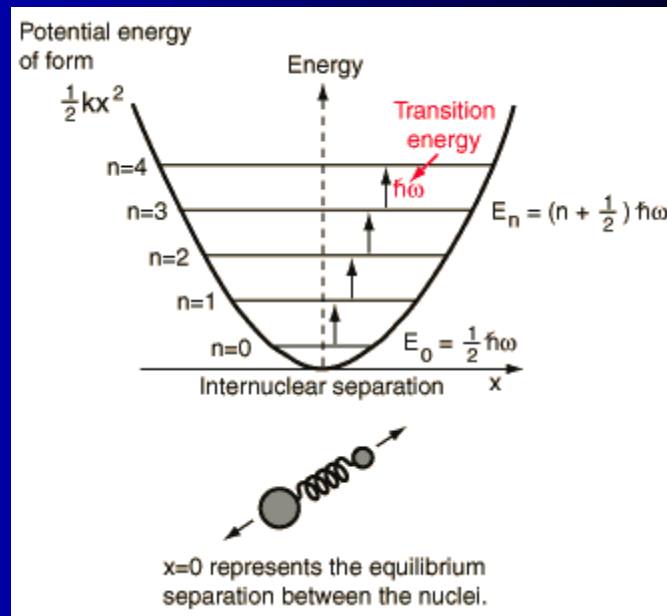
$$E_v = h \nu_0 \left(v + \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

↑  
quantized  
vibrational  
energy

$h$  = Planck's constant

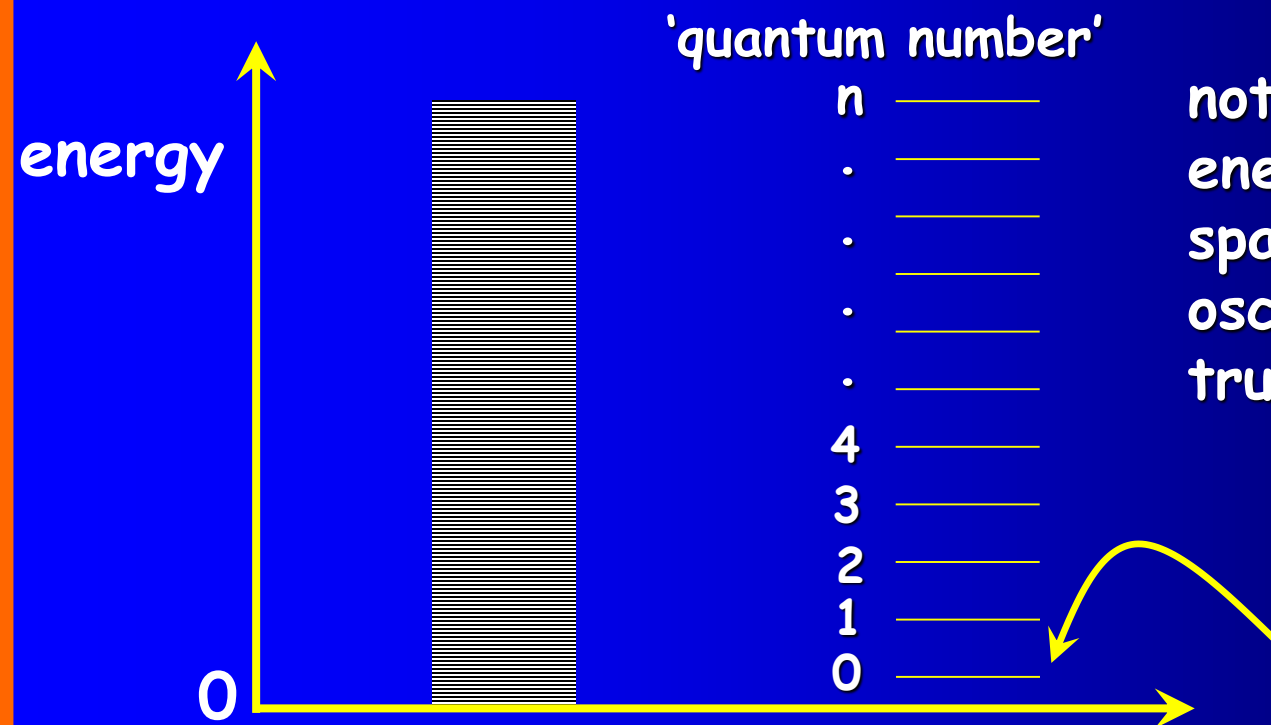
$\nu_0$  = characteristic frequency

$v = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$



# Energy quantization of the oscillator

classical and quantum behavior are very different:



note that although the energy levels are equally spaced for the harmonic oscillator this is not true for all QM systems

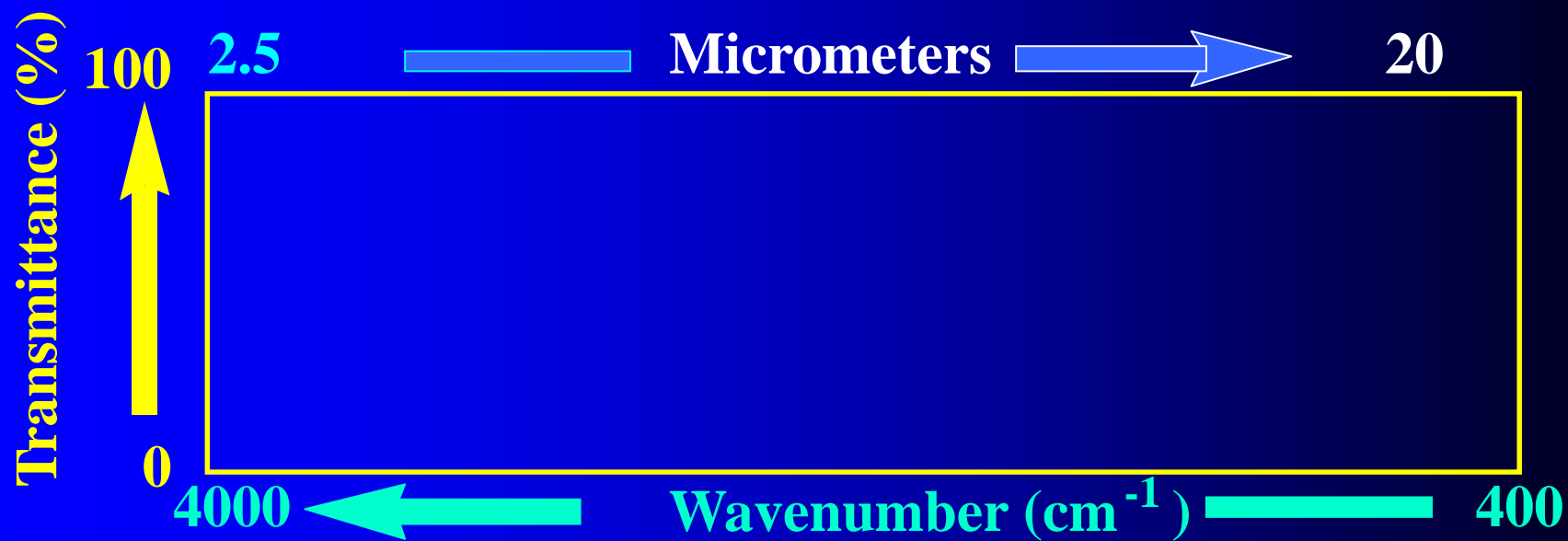
note also that it is not possible for the quantum harmonic oscillator to have zero energy - it must have some energy even at 0 K

classical: all possible values of total energy are allowed

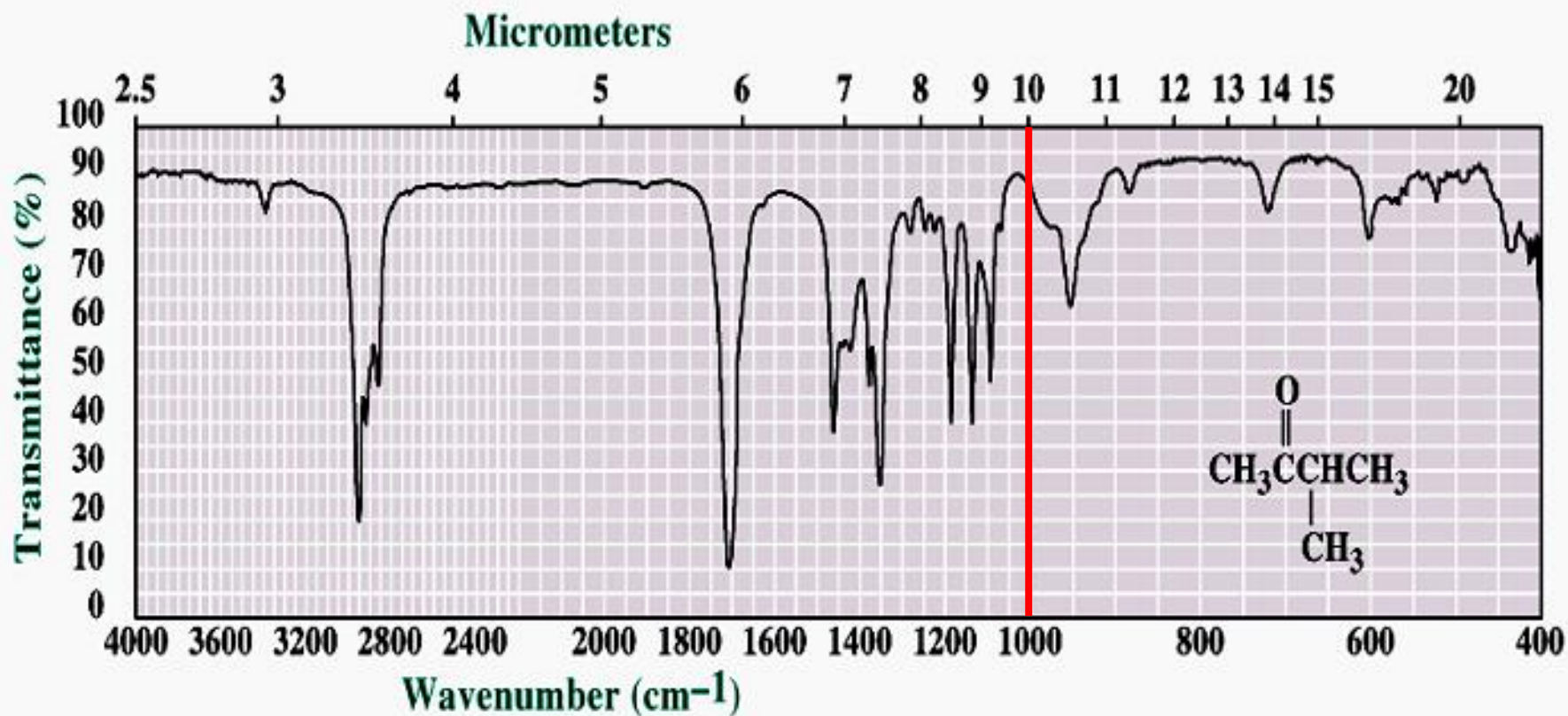
quantum: only certain 'energy levels' allowed



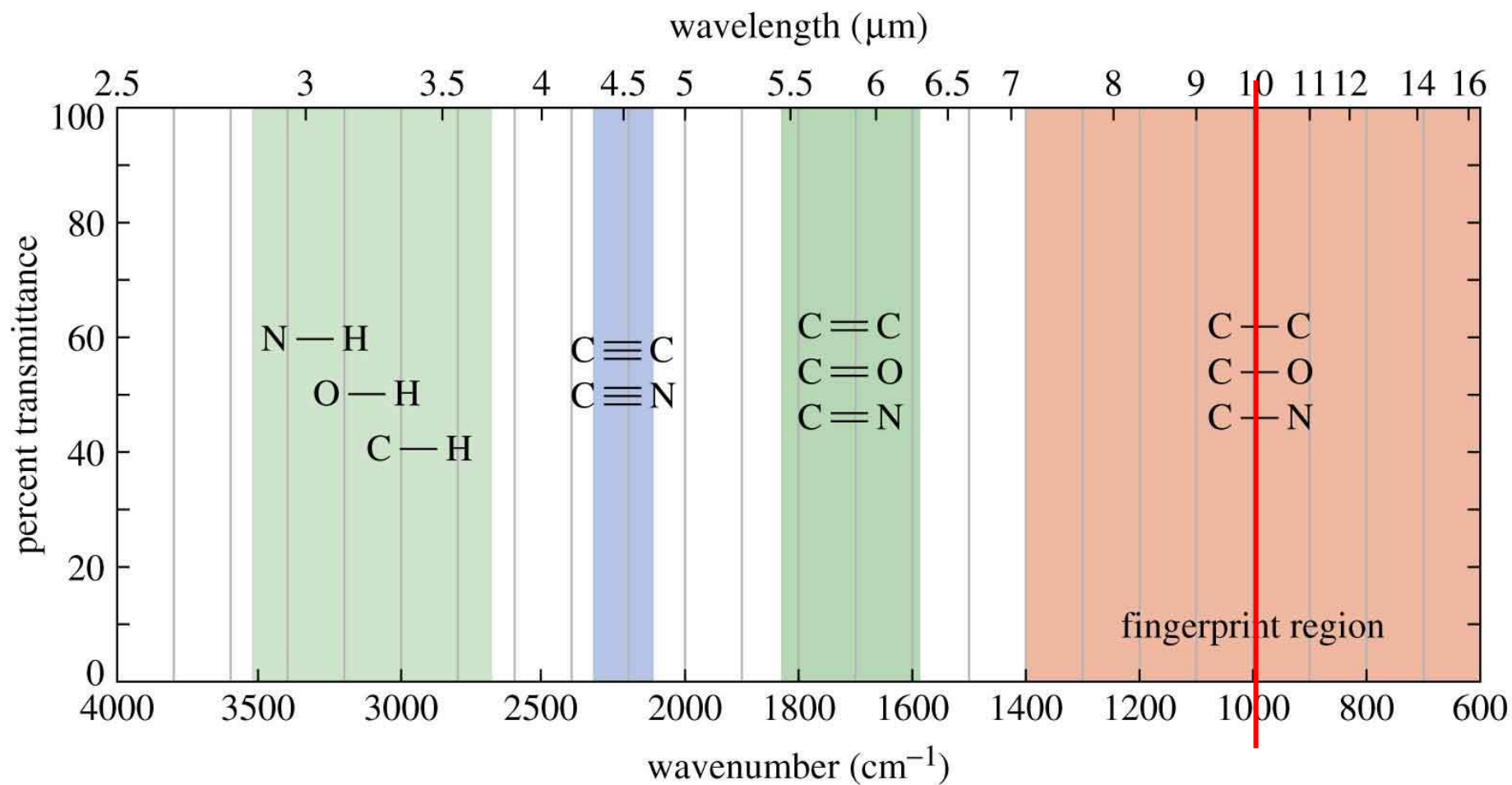
# The IR Chart



# Infrared Spectrum



# Functional group absorptions



# *Infrared Absorption Frequencies*

Structural unit	Frequency, $\text{cm}^{-1}$
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Stretching vibrations (single bonds)

$sp$ C—H	3310-3320
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$sp^2$ C—H	3000-3100
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$sp^3$ C—H	2850-2950
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$sp^2$ C—O	1200
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$sp^3$ C—O	1025-1200
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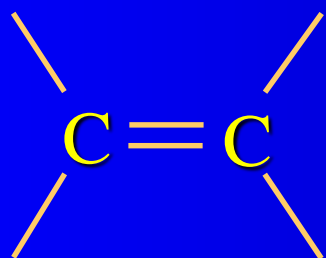


# *Infrared Absorption Frequencies*

## Stretching vibrations (multiple bonds)

Structural unit

Frequency,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$



1620-1680



2100-2200

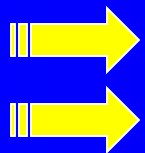
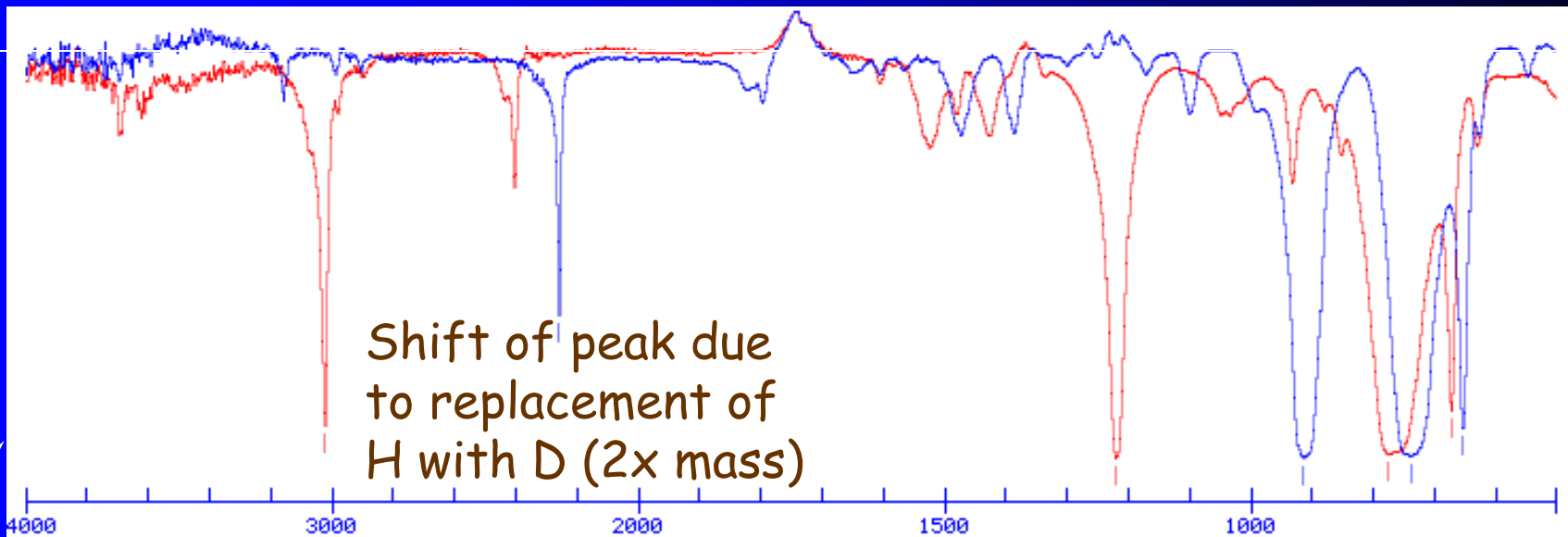


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# IR Spectra of chloroform and deuteriochloroform

Increasing absorbance



Mode of vibration	$\text{CHCl}_3$	$\text{CDCl}_3$
C-H stretching	3020	2256
C-H bending	1219	912
C-Cl stretching	773	737
C-Cl bending	671	652



# IR Group Correlation Tables

