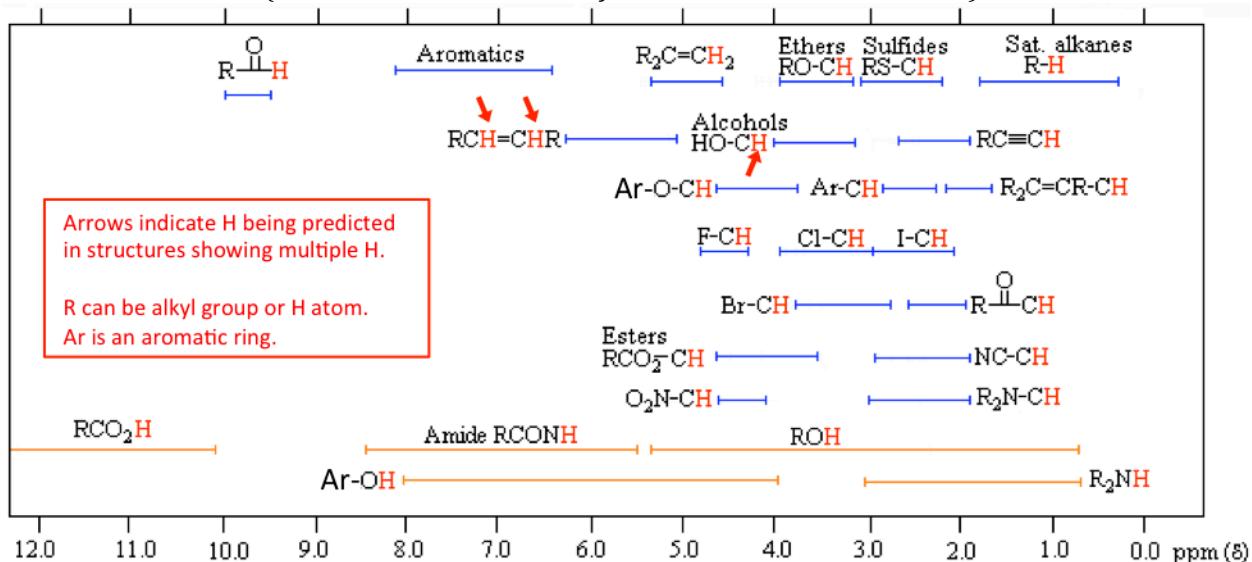


# NMR Chemical Shift Prediction Tools for Chem 111 (keep this sheet!) (rev. 14 Nov, 2013)

## <sup>1</sup>H NMR chemical shift chart modified from Reusch Virtual Organic Chemistry (Nov. 2010) (note: bottom two lines are for H attached to heteroatoms).



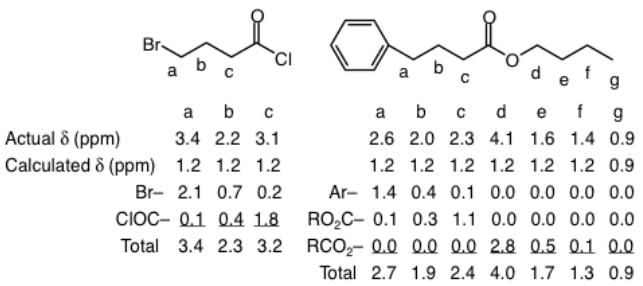
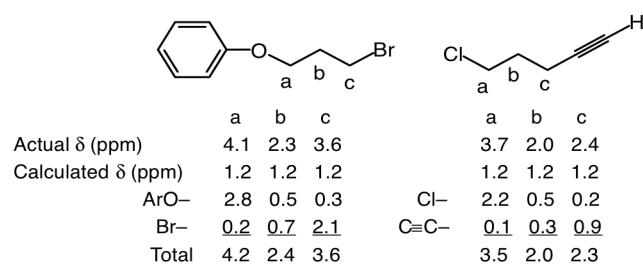
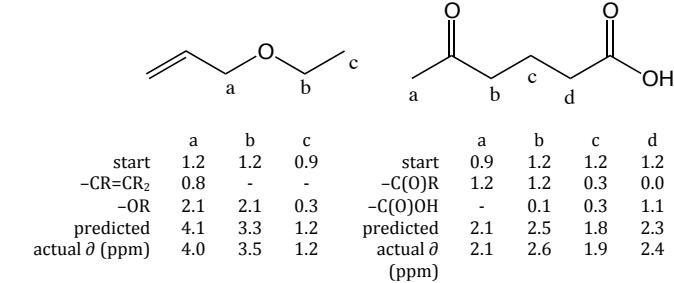
### Predicting shifts for H on sp<sup>3</sup> carbons:

(Note: R can generally be any carbon or H atom, unless there is a separate listing for aromatic carbon (Ar) or for H)

Prediction method for H on sp <sup>3</sup> C		Start with 0.9 ppm (CH <sub>3</sub> ), from Beauchamp & Marquez <i>J. Chem. Educ.</i> , 1997, 74, 1483.		
atom	-X group	shorthand	alpha (HCX)	beta (HCCX)
(HCCCX)			gamma	
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	alkenyl	-CR=CR <sub>2</sub>	0.8	0.2
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	amide	-C(O)NR <sub>2</sub>	1.0	0.3
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	carboxylic acid	-C(O)OH	1.1	0.3
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	ester	-C(O)OR	1.1	0.3
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	aldehyde	-CHO	1.1	0.4
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	aliphatic ketone	-C(O)R	1.2	0.3
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	aryl	-Ar	1.4	0.4
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	aryl ketone	-C(O)Ar	1.7	0.3
C(sp <sup>2</sup> )	acid chloride	-C(O)Cl	1.8	0.4
C(sp)	alkynyl	-C≡CR	0.9	0.3
C(sp)	nitrile	-C≡N	1.1	0.4
halide	iodo	-I	2.0	0.9
halide	bromo	-Br	2.1	0.7
halide	chloro	-Cl	2.2	0.5
halide	fluoro	-F	3.2	0.5
O	alkyl ether	-OR	2.1	0.3
O	alcohol	-OH	2.3	0.3
O	alkenyl ether	-OCR=CR <sub>2</sub>	2.5	0.4
O	aryl sulfonate	-OS(O) <sub>2</sub> Ar	2.8	0.4
O	aryl ether	-OAr	2.8	0.5
O	aliphatic ester	-OC(O)R	2.8	0.5
O	aryl ester	-OC(O)Ar	3.1	0.5
N	amine	-NH <sub>2</sub>	1.5	0.2
N	amide	-NRC(O)R	2.1	0.3
N	nitro	-NO <sub>2</sub>	3.2	0.8
S	thiol	-SH	1.3	0.4
S	thioether	-SR	1.3	0.4
S	sulfoxide	-S(O)R	1.6	0.5
S	sulfone	-S(O) <sub>2</sub> R	1.8	0.5

**Reference:** A General Approach for Calculating Proton Chemical Shifts for Methyl, Methylene and Methine Protons ... by Beauchamp and Marquez, *J. Chem. Educ.*, 1997, 74, 1483-85.

**Examples.** (First example corrected by RCS)



## Chemical shift predictions for hydrogens attached to $sp^2$ carbon atoms

(based on Silverstein, et al, *Spectrophotometric Identification of Organic Compounds*, 7th ed.).

### Substituted Benzene (phenyl)

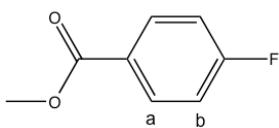
Start 7.27 ppm

Add corrections for substituents as follows:

position:	ortho	meta	para
-R (alkyl)	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
$-CR^*=CR^*_2$ (alkenyl)	0	0	0
$-C\equiv CR^*$ (alkynyl)	+0.2	0	0
-Phenyl	+0.2	0	-0.1
-F	-0.3	-0.2	0
-Cl	0	0	0
-Br	+0.3	0	0
-I	+0.5	-0.2	0
-OH	-0.5	-0.2	-0.35
-OR	-0.25	+0.1	-0.25
$-OC(=O)R$	-0.1	+0.2	0
-CHO	+0.7	+0.25	+0.4
$-C(=O)R$	+0.65	+0.3	+0.3
$-C(=O)OH$	+0.65	+0.1	+0.2
$-C(=O)OR$	+0.9	+0.2	+0.3
$-C\equiv N$	+0.3	+0.3	+0.3
$-NH_2$	-0.75	-0.1	-0.4
$-NR_2$	-0.55	-0.1	-0.55
$-NR^*C(O)R^*$	+0.35	+0.05	-0.1
$-NO_2$	+1.0	+0.3	+0.45
$-SR$	0	0	0

\* -  $R^*$  can either be alkyl or H

Example of chemical shift prediction for substituted benzene:

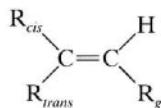


	a	b	$-CH_3$
start	7.27	7.27	0.9
$-C(O)OR$	+0.9 (o)	+0.2 (m)	3.1*
-F	-0.2 (m)	-0.3 (o)	
predicted	8.0	7.2	4.0
splitting	d	d	s
actual	8.05	7.10	3.90

\*  $-OC(O)Ar$ , from table for H on  $sp^3$  carbons

### Alkenes:

Start 5.25 ppm



$$\delta_H = 5.25 + Z_{gem} + Z_{cis} + Z_{trans}$$

TABLE D.1 Substituent Constants ( $Z$ ) for Chemical Shifts of Substituted Ethylenes.

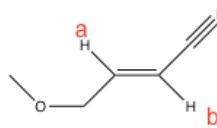
Substituent R	Z			Substituent R	Z		
	gem	cis	trans		gem	cis	trans
-H	0	0	0	$-C=O$	1.03	0.97	1.21
-Alkyl	0.44	-0.26	-0.29	$N$			
-Alkyl-ring <sup>a</sup>	0.71	-0.33	-0.30	$-C=O$	1.37	0.93	0.35
$-CH_2O$ , $-CH_2I$	0.67	-0.02	-0.07	$-C=O$			
$-CH_2S$	0.53	-0.15	-0.15	$-C=O$			
$-CH_2Cl$ , $-CH_2Br$	0.72	0.12	0.07	$-C=O$			
$-CH_2N$	0.66	-0.05	-0.23	$Cl$	1.10	1.41	0.99
$-C\equiv C$	0.50	0.35	0.10	$-C=O$			
$-C\equiv N$	0.23	0.78	0.58	$-OR$ , R: aliph	1.18	-1.06	-1.28
$-C=C$	0.98	-0.04	-0.21	$-OR$ , R: conj <sup>b</sup>	1.14	-0.65	-1.05
$-C=C$ conj <sup>b</sup>	1.26	0.08	-0.01	$-OCOR$	2.09	-0.40	-0.67
$-C=O$	1.10	1.13	0.81	Aromatic	1.35	0.37	-0.10
$-C=O$ conj <sup>b</sup>	1.06	1.01	0.95	$-Cl$	1.00	0.19	0.03
$-COOH$	1.00	1.35	0.74	$-Br$	1.04	0.40	0.55
$-COOH$ conj <sup>b</sup>	0.69	0.97	0.39	$-N(R)_2$ R:aliph	0.69	-1.19	-1.31
$-COOR$	0.84	1.15	0.56	$-N(R)_2$ R:conj <sup>b</sup>	2.30	-0.73	-0.81
$-COOR$ conj <sup>b</sup>	0.68	1.02	0.33	$-SR$	1.00	-0.24	-0.04
				$-SO_2$	1.58	1.15	0.95

<sup>a</sup> Alkyl ring indicates that the double bond is part of the ring  $\text{R}-\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$ .

<sup>b</sup> The Z factor for the conjugated substituent is used when either the substituent or the double bond is further conjugated with other groups.

Source: Pascual C., Meier, J., and Simon, W. (1966) *Helv. Chim. Acta*, **49**, 164.

Example of chemical shift prediction for alkene:



	a	b
start	5.25	5.25
$-CH_2O$	+0.67 (gem)	-0.02 (cis)
$-CN$	+0.78 (cis)	+0.23 (gem)
predicted	6.70	5.46
splitting	d of t	d

### $^{13}C$ NMR chemical shift chart, modified from Reusch Virtual Organic Chemistry (Nov. 2010)

