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Chemistry Department UK NMR Managers meeting 24 June 2016

- 13 Machines in basement corridor
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Research NMR Machines – Selection Chart

	Open-Access		Trained user operated			Service only		Specialist users	
Machine Location ⇒ <i>Computer name</i>	Glaxo 400 B18 <i>laphroaig</i>	QNP 400 B25 <i>lagavulin</i>	DRX 400 B13 florence	BB 500 B19 glengrant	TCI 500 B19 glenlivet	Service 500 B28 aberlour	Service 400 B28 cragganmore	TXI 700 B14 <i>arran</i>	Solids 400s B17 glenlossie/glenkinchie
Sample changer $? \Rightarrow$	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Cryoprobe $? \Rightarrow$	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Spectra needed ↓									
Routine 1H	~	~	~	~	~~~	~~	~~	~~~	v
Non-routine 1H and 2D spectra	>	~	~	~	~~~	~~	~~	~~~	
13C	~	~	~	~	~~	~~~	~~	×	~
19F	~	~	~	~	×	×	~~~	×	~
31P	~	~	~	~	×	×	~~~	×	~
Other nuclei	~	~	~	~~	×	×	×	×	~
VT work	×	×	~	~~~	×	×	×	×	~~
Biological nmr	×	×	×	~~	~~~	×	×	~~~	×
Solid or bead samples	×	×	~~	×	×	×	×	×	~~

best machine for the job – best quality / highest sensitivity

- ✓✓ will produce high quality spectra on all but most dilute samples
- ✓ good for routine spectra on reasonably concentrated samples (20~30mg of sample with formula weight 200~500)
- X instrument will not record these spectra

Both current and archive data on all spectrometers may be accessed via: smb://scapa.ch.cam.ac.uk

• Open-Access Machines, B18 and B25

These machines were upgraded 2 years ago and are now able to record 1H, 13C, 19F, 31P and a variety of other nuclei

Laphroiag (B18) will have a more restricted list of available experiments to allow for fastest turnaround of routine experiments

Capabilities will evolve over time

• Open-Access Machines, B18 and B25 By default, data will not be printed

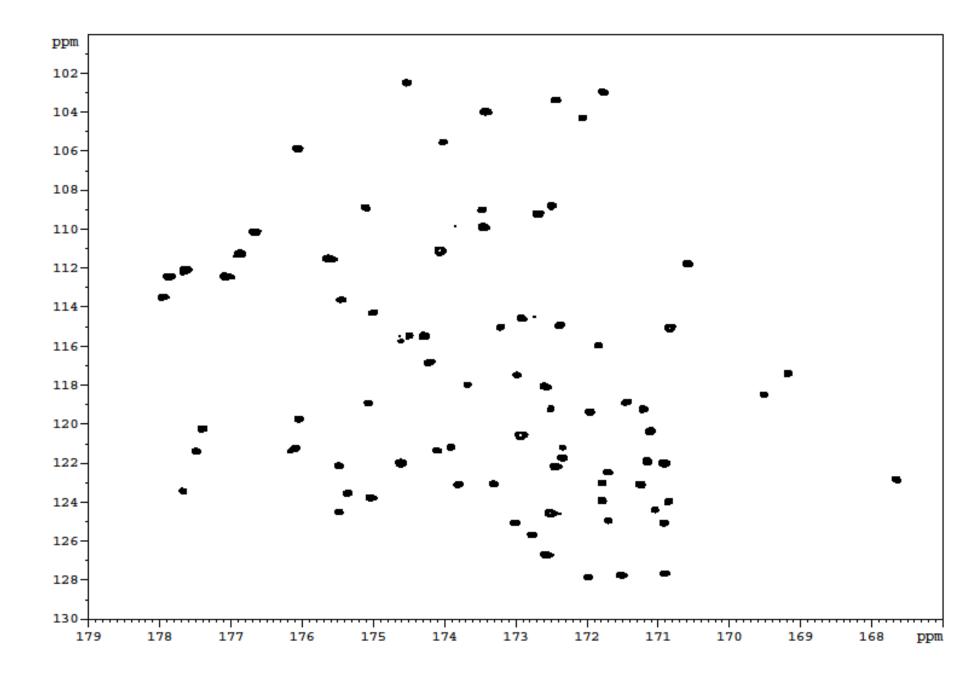
You will be able to print when you collect your sample

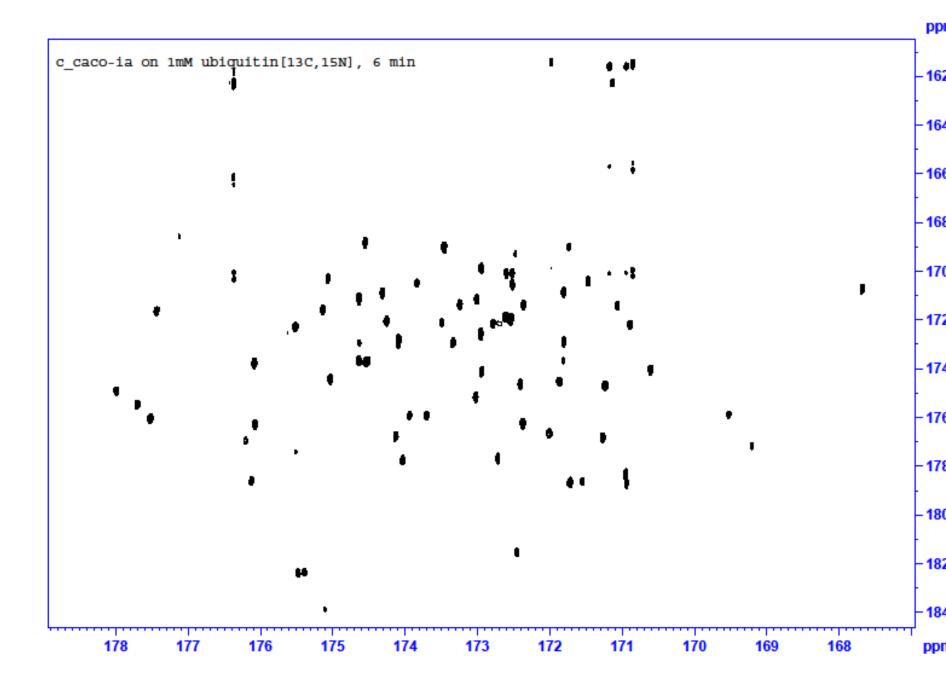
You can have data e-mailed to you automatically

• Trained User Operated Machines

 Arran, AVANCE 700MHz, TXO Cryoprobe
 1H sensitivity not as high as TXI probe but not degraded by increasing salt concentration.

Used for protein samples *via* 13C and 15N observe experiments



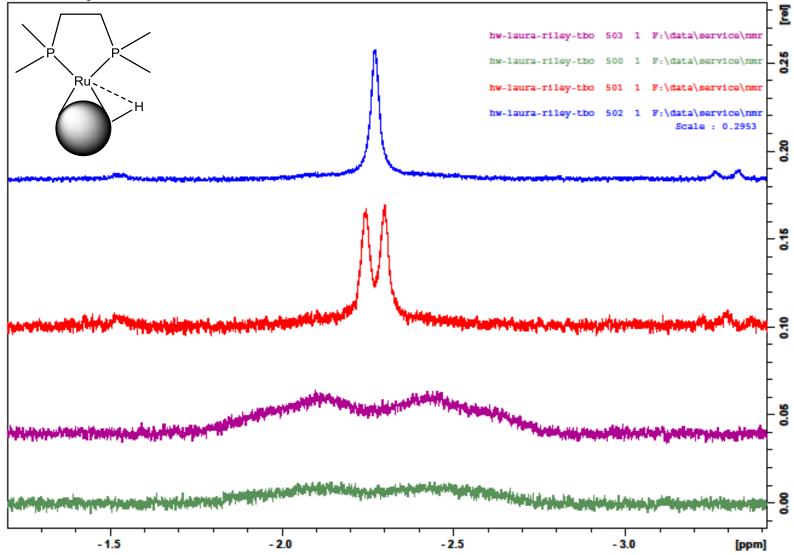


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 – Glengrant, 500MHz, Room B19, Smart Probe, AVANCE III HD, 3-channel, BCU-II

Also has TBO probe

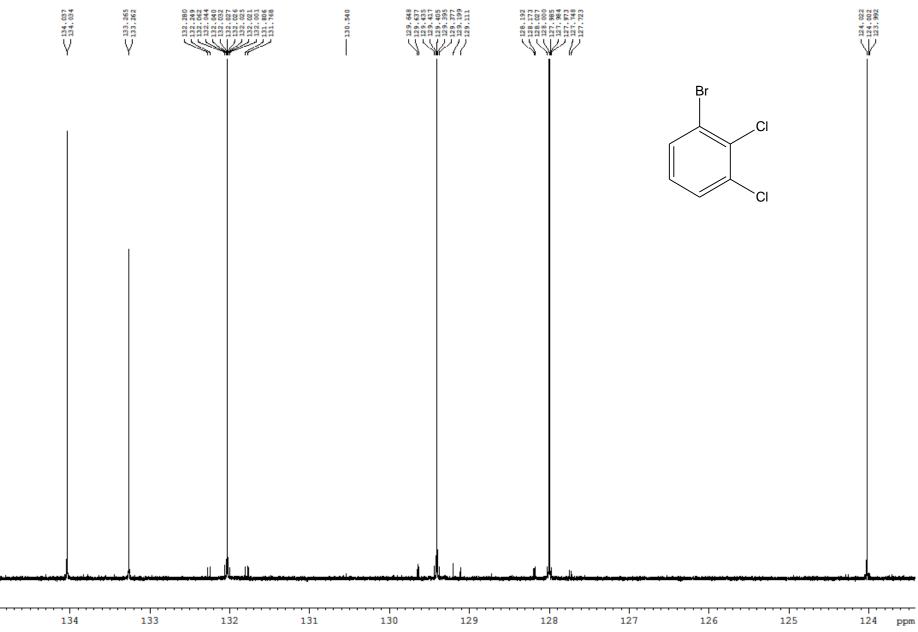
Main machine for VT work, -60C ~ 120C

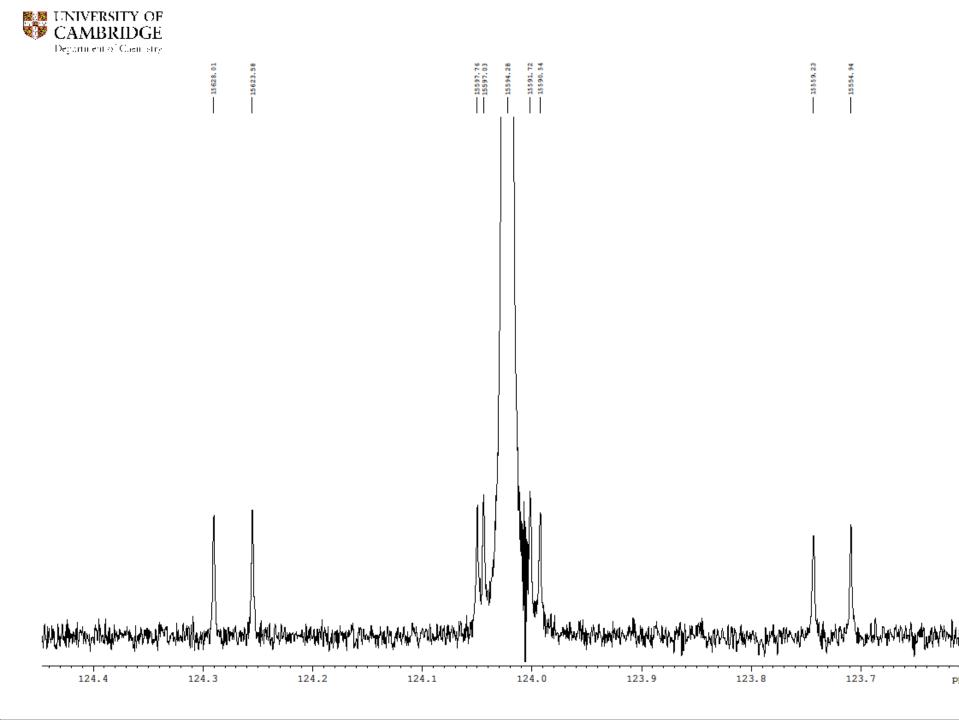


 NMR Service, Room B28 Aberlour: 500MHz, DCH Cryoprobe 1H and 13C Our most sensitive instrument for 13C Temperature range 0~135C ** 1- and 2-D spectra ** temperature sensor in Cryoplatform** ** may not agree with VT unit!**



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- WEB SITE
 - http://www.ch.cam.ac.uk/analytical/nmr
 - how to access your data
 - tips and tricks
 - software for PC and Mac
 - coming soon, Open Access Data
 - maybe ... electronic sample submission