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# **paramagpy Documentation**

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## INTRODUCTION



Fig. 1: *Please, not the eyes!* - Canberra cyclist

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## FEATURES

- Support for PDB protein structures with models
- Combined SVD gridsearch and gradient descent algorithms for solving PCS tensors
- Optional fitting of reference offset parameter for PCS datasets
- Support for Residual Anisotropic Chemical Shielding (RACS) and Residual Anisotropic Dipolar Shielding (RADS) corrections to PCS
- Lanthanide parameter templates available
- Plotting of correlation between experiment/calculated values
- Plotting of tensor isosurfaces compatible with PyMol
- Q-factor calculations
- Error analysis of tensor fit quality by Monte-Carlo or Bootstrap methods
- Optimisation of multiple PCS/PRE/CCR datasets to a common position
- Unique tensor representation compatible with Numbat (program)
- Fitting of RDC tensor by SVD algorithm
- PRE calculations by Solomon and Curie spin mechanisms
- Spectral power density tensor fitting for anisotropic dipolar PREs
- CSA cross-correlation correction to PRE calculations
- Dipole-dipole/Curie spin cross-correlated relaxation calculations
- Fitting of tensor parameters to PRE/CCR data
- Macro scripts for integration with CCPNMR and Sparky

## DOCUMENTATION

- <https://henryorton.github.io/paramagpy/>

## **CITING PARAMAGPY**

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## CONTENTS

## 5.1 Installation Guide

### 5.1.1 Requirements

Paramagpy is written for python 3. It requires packages:

- NumPy
- SciPy
- matplotlib
- BioPython

### 5.1.2 Unix/OSX Installation

Install directly using pip:

```
$ pip install paramagpy
```

Or, download the [source code](#) and run:

```
$ python setup.py install
```

within the source directory.

### 5.1.3 Windows Installation

Paramagpy has never been tested on windows, but theoretically it should work. Good luck!

### 5.1.4 Running the GUI

Once you have installed paramagpy, see *Graphic User Interface (GUI)* for how to run the GUI.

## 5.2 Examples

Note that all these examples are for scripted calculations using the Paramagpy python module. Most of this functionality is also available by the GUI *Graphic User Interface (GUI)*

### 5.2.1 PCS data

#### Fit Tensor to PCS Data

This example shows how to fit a  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor to experimental PCS data for the protein calbindin D9k. These data contain amide 1H and 15N chemical shifts between diamagnetic and paramagnetic states with the lanthanide Er3+ bound.



## Downloads

- Download the data files `4icbH_mut.pdb` and `calbindin_Er_HN_PCS.npc` from [here](#):
- Download the script `pcs_fit.py`

## Script + Explanation

Firstly, the necessary modules are imported from paramagpy.

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal
```

The protein is then loaded from a PDB file using `paramagpy.protein.load_pdb()` into the variable `prot`. This returns a `CustomStructure` object which is closely based on the `Structure` object from `BioPython` and contains the atomic coordinates. The object, and how to access atomic coordinates is discussed at this [link](#).

```
# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/4icbH_mut.pdb')
```

The PCS data is then loaded from a `.npc` file using the function `paramagpy.dataparse.read_pcs()` into the variable `rawData`. This is a dictionary of (PCS, Error) tuples which may be accessed by `rawData[(seq, atom)]` where `seq` is an integer specifying the sequence and `atom` is the atom name e.g (3, 'HA'). Note that these should match the corresponding sequence and atom in the PDB file.

```
# Load the PCS data
rawData = dataparse.read_pcs('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS.npc')
```

To associate the experimental PCS value with atoms of the PDB structure, the method `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()` is called on `rawData`. The returned array `parsedData` has a row for each atom with columns [mdl, atm, exp, cal, err, idx], where `mdl` is the model number from the PDB file, `atm` is an atom object from the BioPython PDB structure, `exp` and `cal` are the experimental and calculated values, `err` is the experimental uncertainty and `idx` is the atom index, used to define ensemble averaging behaviour.

```
# Associate PCS data with atoms of the PDB
parsedData = prot.parse(rawData)
```

An initial  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor is defined by initialising a `paramagpy.metal.Metal` object. The initial position is known to be near the binding site, which is set to the CA atom of residue 56. Note that the `position` attribute is always in Angstrom units.

```
# Define an initial tensor
mStart = metal.Metal()

# Set the starting position to an atom close to the metal
mStart.position = prot[0]['A'][56]['CA'].position
```

A quick gridsearch is conducted in a sphere of 10 Angstrom with 10 points per radius using the function `paramagpy.fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs()`. This requires two lists containing the starting metals `mStart` and parsed experimental data `parsedData`. This function returns lists containing a new fitted metal object, the calculated PCS values from the fitted model.

```
# Calculate an initial tensor from an SVD gridsearch
[mGuess], [data] = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs(
    [mStart], [parsedData], radius=10, points=10)
```

This is then refined using a non-linear regression gradient descent with the function `paramagpy.fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs()`.

```
# Refine the tensor using non-linear regression
[mFit], [data] = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs([mGuess], [parsedData])
```

The Q-factor is then calculated using the function :code:`paramagpy.fit.qfactor`.

```
# Calculate the Q-factor
qfac = fit.qfactor(data)
```

The fitted tensor parameters are saved by calling the method `paramagpy.metal.Metal.save()`. Alternatively they may be displayed using `print(mFit.info())`

```
# Save the fitted tensor to file
mFit.save('calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor.txt')
```

Output: [calbindin\_Er\_HN\_PCS\_tensor.txt]

```
ax      | 1E-32 m^3 :   -8.688
rh      | 1E-32 m^3 :   -4.192
x       | 1E-10 m   :   25.517
y       | 1E-10 m   :    8.652
z       | 1E-10 m   :    6.358
a       |          deg :  116.011
b       |          deg :  138.058
g       |          deg :   43.492
mueff   |          Bm :    0.000
shift   |          ppm :    0.000
B0      |          T   :   18.790
temp    |          K   :  298.150
tle     |          ps  :    0.000
taur    |          ns  :    0.000
```

These experimental/calculated PCS values are then plotted in a correlation plot to assess the fit. This is achieved using standard functions of the plotting module `matplotlib`.

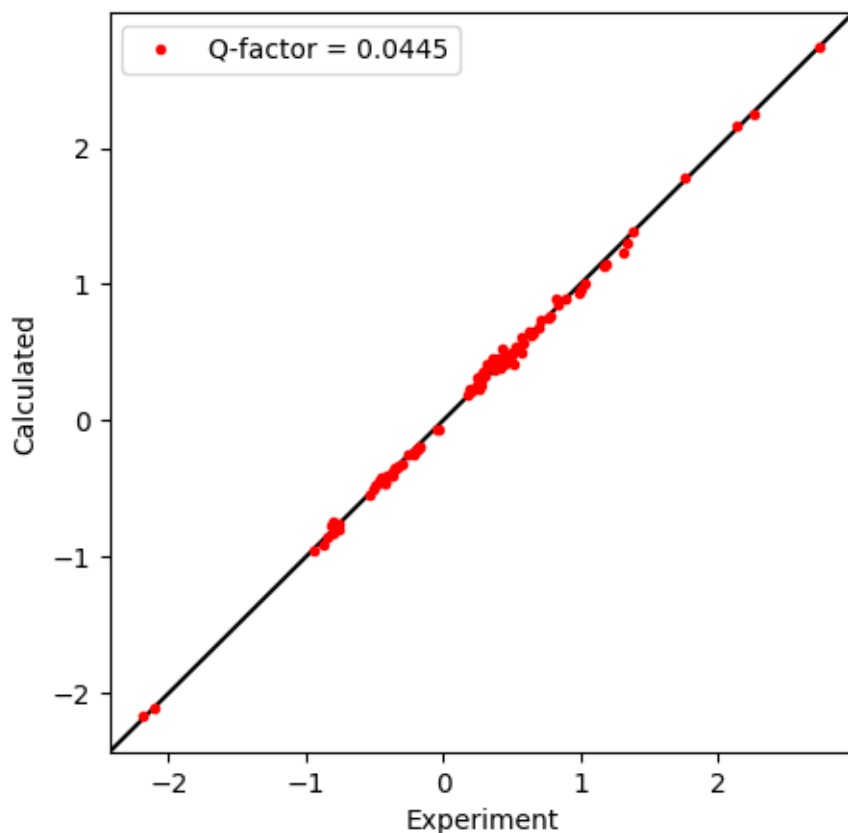
```
#### Plot the correlation ####
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(5,5))

# Plot the data
ax.plot(data['exp'], data['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=3, c='r',
        label="Q-factor = {:.4f}".format(qfac))

# Plot a diagonal
l, h = ax.get_xlim()
ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], '-k', zorder=0)
ax.set_xlim(l,h)
ax.set_ylim(l,h)

# Make axis labels and save figure
ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
ax.legend()
fig.savefig("pcs_fit.png")
```

Output: [pcs\_fit.png]



### Plot PCS isosurface (PyMol view)

This example shows how to plot the PCS isosurface of a fitted  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor for data from the example *Fit Tensor to PCS Data*. The isosurface can be viewed in [PyMol](#).

### Downloads

- Download the data files `4icbH_mut.pdb` and `calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor.txt` from [here](#):
- Download the script `pcs_plot_isosurface.py`

### Explanation

The protein and tensor are loaded as described previously in.

The isosurface files are generated using the function `paramagpy.metal.Metal.isomap()`. The contour level can be chosen by setting the `isoval` argument. A larger density value will result in a smoother surface. This function writes two files `isomap.pml` and `isomap.pml.ccp4` which are the PyMol script and PCS grid files respectively.

The isosurface can be displayed by executing `pymol isomap.pml` from a terminal, or by selecting File>Run and navigating to the script `isomap.pml`.

### Script

```
[pcs_plot_isosurface.py]
```

```

from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal

# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/4icbH_mut.pdb')

# Load the fitted tensor
met = metal.load_tensor('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor.txt')

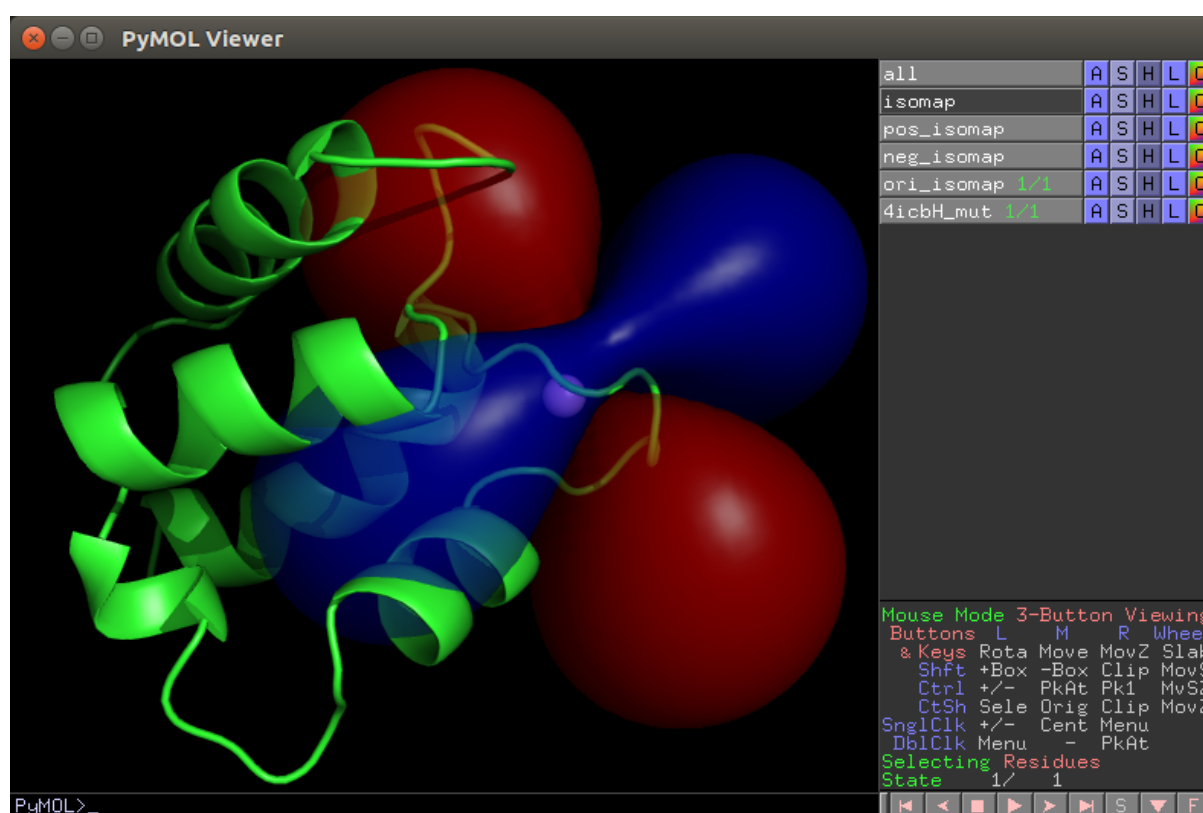
# Plot the isosurface to be opened in PyMol
met.isomap(prot.id, density=1, isoval=1.0)

```

## Output

*PyMol view of isosurface*

[pcs\_plot\_isosurface.png]



## Fit multiple PCS datasets to common position

This example shows how to fit multiple  $\Delta\chi$ -tensors to their respective datasets with a common position, but varied magnitude and orientation. This may arise if several lanthanides were investigated at the same binding site, and the data may be used simultaneously to fit a common position. Data from several PCS datasets for calbindin D9k were used here, and is a generalisation of the previous example: *Fit Tensor to PCS Data*.

## Downloads

- Download the data files `4icbH_mut.pdb`, `calbindin_Tb_HN_PCS.npc`, `calbindin_Er_HN_PCS.npc` and `calbindin_Yb_HN_PCS_tensor.txt` from [here](#):
- Download the script `pcs_fit_multiple.py`

## Explanation

The protein and PCS datasets are loaded and parsed. These are placed into a list `parsedData`, for which each element is a PCS dataset of a given lanthanide.

The two fitting functions:

- `paramagpy.fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs()`
- `paramagpy.fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs()`

can accept a list of metal objects and a list of datasets with arbitrary size. If this list contains more than one element, fitting will be performed to a common position. The starting position is taken only from the first metal of the list.

After fitting, a list of fitted metals is returned. The fitted tensor are then written to files and a correlation plot is made.

## Script

[pcs\_fit\_multiple.py]

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal

# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/4icbH_mut.pdb')

# Load the PCS data
rawData1 = dataparse.read_pcs('../data_files/calbindin_Tb_HN_PCS.npc')
rawData2 = dataparse.read_pcs('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS.npc')
rawData3 = dataparse.read_pcs('../data_files/calbindin_Yb_HN_PCS.npc')

# Associate PCS data with atoms of the PDB
parsedData = []
for rd in [rawData1, rawData2, rawData3]:
    parsedData.append(prot.parse(rd))

# Make a list of starting tensors
mStart = [metal.Metal(), metal.Metal(), metal.Metal()]

# Set the starting position to an atom close to the metal
mStart[0].position = prot[0]['A'][56]['CA'].position

# Calculate initial tensors from an SVD gridsearch
mGuess, datas = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs(
    mStart, parsedData, radius=10, points=10)

# Refine the tensors using non-linear regression
fitParameters = ['x', 'y', 'z', 'ax', 'rh', 'a', 'b', 'g']
mFit, datas = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs(mGuess, parsedData, fitParameters)

# Save the fitted tensors to files
for name, metal in zip(['Tb', 'Er', 'Yb'], mFit):
    metal.save("tensor_{}.txt".format(name))

#### Plot the correlation ####
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(5,5))

# Plot the data
for d, name, colour in zip(datas, ['Tb', 'Er', 'Yb'], ['r', 'g', 'b']):
    qfactor = fit.qfactor(d)
    ax.plot(d['exp'], d['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=1, c=colour,
            label="{0:} - {1:5.3f}".format(name, qfactor))
```

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```
# Plot a diagonal
l, h = ax.get_xlim()
ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], '-k', zorder=0)
ax.set_xlim(l,h)
ax.set_ylim(l,h)

# Axis labels
ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
ax.legend()
fig.savefig("pcs_fit_multiple.png")
```

## Outputs

### *Tb fitted tensor*

[tensor\_Tb.txt]

ax		1E-32 m <sup>3</sup>	:	31.096
rh		1E-32 m <sup>3</sup>	:	12.328
x		1E-10 m	:	25.937
y		1E-10 m	:	9.481
z		1E-10 m	:	6.597
a		deg	:	151.053
b		deg	:	152.849
g		deg	:	69.821
mueff		Bm	:	0.000
shift		ppm	:	0.000
B0		T	:	18.790
temp		K	:	298.150
t1e		ps	:	0.000
taur		ns	:	0.000

### *Er fitted tensor*

[tensor\_Er.txt]

ax		1E-32 m <sup>3</sup>	:	-8.422
rh		1E-32 m <sup>3</sup>	:	-4.886
x		1E-10 m	:	25.937
y		1E-10 m	:	9.481
z		1E-10 m	:	6.597
a		deg	:	126.015
b		deg	:	142.899
g		deg	:	41.039
mueff		Bm	:	0.000
shift		ppm	:	0.000
B0		T	:	18.790
temp		K	:	298.150
t1e		ps	:	0.000
taur		ns	:	0.000

### *Yb fitted tensor*

[tensor\_Yb.txt]

ax		1E-32 m <sup>3</sup>	:	-5.392
rh		1E-32 m <sup>3</sup>	:	-2.490
x		1E-10 m	:	25.937
y		1E-10 m	:	9.481

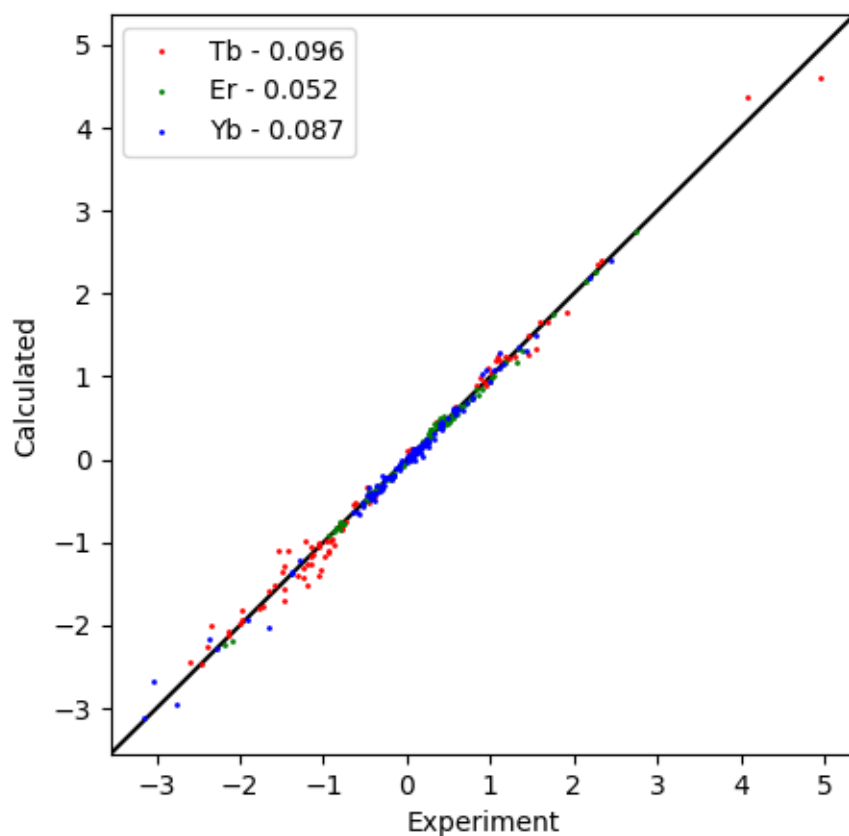
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z		1E-10 m :	6.597
a		deg :	129.650
b		deg :	137.708
g		deg :	88.796
mueff		Bm :	0.000
shift		ppm :	0.000
B0		T :	18.790
temp		K :	298.150
t1e		ps :	0.000
taur		ns :	0.000

### Correlation Plot

[pcs\_fit\_multiple.png]



### Fit Tensor to PDB with Models

This example shows how to fit a  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor to experimental PCS data using an NMR structure that contains multiple models. Data for calbindin D9k are used as in the previous example [Fit Tensor to PCS Data](#).

There are 3 fitting options available in paramagpy for fitting:

1. Averaged fit: A tensor is fit to each model independently, and then all fitted tensors are averaged together. This is a good choice if models in your PDB represent structural uncertainty.
2. Ensemble averaged fit: A single tensor is fit simultaneously to all models by averaging calculated PCS values during fitting. This is a good choice if models in your PDB represent dynamics as comes from a molecular dynamics simulation.

3. Separate model fit: A tensor is fit to each model independently and the best fitting model is taken. This is a good choice if you are only looking for the best fit model in a PDB containing many models.

## Downloads

- Download the data files 2bcb.pdb and calbindin\_Er\_HN\_PCS.npc from [here](#):
- Download the script pcs\_fit\_models.py

## Script + Explanation

Firstly, the standard preamble and loading of data.

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal

# Load data
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/2bcb.pdb')
rawData = dataparse.read_pcs('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS.npc')
parsedData = prot.parse(rawData)
```

If all models are provided in the parsedData argument, the default functionality for all fitting methods such as `paramagpy.fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs()` is to fit using method 1, meaning a tensor is fit to each model and the averaged tensor is returned. This is equivalent to setting the `ensembleAverage` argument to `False`. This is done below. Averaging behaviour can be controlled through the `idx` column of `parsedData`. The `idx` array contains common integers for corresponding atoms to be averaged, and defaults to the atom's serial number found in the PDB file.

```
#### Averaged fit to all models ####
[mGuess], [data] = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs([mStart], [parsedData],
↳radius=10, points=10, ensembleAverage=False)
[mFit], [data] = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs([mGuess], [parsedData],
↳ensembleAverage=False)
qfac = fit.qfactor(data, ensembleAverage=False)
avg = qfac, data, mFit
```

Method 2 can be followed by the same method, except setting the `ensembleAverage` argument to `True`. At each stage of the fitting process, all PCS calculations are then averaged before fitting of a single tensor to all the data simultaneously. The ensemble averaging behaviour can be set through the `idx` column of the input data for `paramagpy.fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs()`.

```
#### Ensembled averaged fit to all models ####
[mGuess], [data] = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs([mStart], [parsedData],
↳radius=10, points=10, ensembleAverage=True)
[mFit], [data] = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs([mGuess], [parsedData],
↳ensembleAverage=True)
qfac = fit.qfactor(data, ensembleAverage=True)
e_avg = qfac, data, mFit
```

Method 3 can be achieved by constructing a `for` loop over the PDB models and fitting a separate tensor to the data from each model. The model which achieves the lowest Q-factor can then be extracted.

```
#### Seperate fit for each model ####
sep = {}
for model in prot:
    singleModelData = parsedData[parsedData['mdl']==model.id]
    [mGuess], [data] = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs([mStart],
↳[singleModelData], radius=10, points=10)
    [mFit], [data] = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs([mGuess], [singleModelData])
    qfac = fit.qfactor(data)
    sep[model.id] = qfac, data, mFit
```

Finally we plot three sets of data:



- The averaged fit calculated over all models (green)
- The ensemble average of the calculated values of the ensemble fit (red)
- The best fitting single model (blue)

Note that to calculate the ensemble average of the calculated values we use the function `paramagpy.fit.ensemble_average()`. This can take any number of arguments, and will average values based on common serial numbers of the list of atoms in the first argument.

```
#### Plot the correlation ####
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(5,5))

# Plot averaged fit correlation
qfac, data, mFit = avg
mFit.save('calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor_average.txt')
ax.plot(data['exp'], data['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=2, c='g',
        alpha=0.5, label="Averaged Fit: Q = {:.4f}".format(qfac))

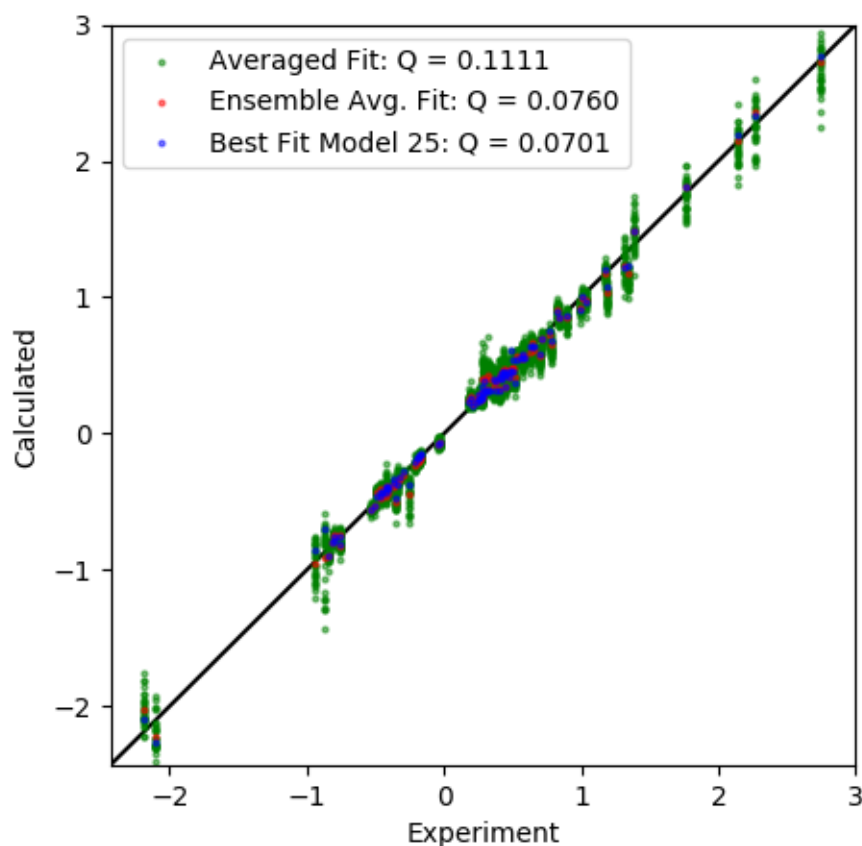
# Plot ensemble averaged fit correlation
qfac, data, mFit = e_avg
mFit.save('calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor_ensemble_average.txt')
# Ensemble average the data to get a single point for each model
data = fit.ensemble_average(data)
ax.plot(data['exp'], data['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=2, c='r',
        alpha=0.5, label="Ensemble Avg. Fit: Q = {:.4f}".format(qfac))

# Plot best fit model correlation
# Sort fits by Qfactor and take smallest
model, (qfac, data, mFit) = sorted(sep.items(), key=lambda x: x[1][0])[0]
mFit.save('calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor_best_model.txt')
ax.plot(data['exp'], data['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=2, c='b',
        alpha=0.5, label="Best Fit Model {}: Q = {:.4f}".format(model, qfac))

# Plot a diagonal
l, h = ax.get_xlim()
ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], '-k', zorder=0)
ax.set_xlim(l,h)
ax.set_ylim(l,h)

# Make axis labels and save figure
ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
ax.legend()
fig.savefig("pcs_fit_models.png")
```

Output: [pcs\_fit\_models.png]



### Constrained Fitting

This example shows how to fit a  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor with constraints applied. The two cases here constrain position to fit a tensor to a known metal ion position from an X-ray structure, and fit an axially symmetric tensor with only 6 of the usual 8 parameters.

### Downloads

- Download the data files `4icbH_mut.pdb` and `calbindin_Er_HN_PCS.npc` from [here](#):
- Download the script `pcs_fit_constrained.py`

### Script + Explanation

The necessary modules are imported and data is loaded

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal

# Load data
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/4icbH_mut.pdb')
rawData = dataparse.read_pcs('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS.npc')
parsedData = prot.parse(rawData)
mStart = metal.Metal()
```

The calcium ion from the X-ray structure is contained in a heteroatom of the PDB file. We set the starting position of the tensor to this position.

```
# Set the starting position to Calcium ion heteroatom in PDB
mStart.position = prot[0]['A'][('H_ CA', 77, ' ')]['CA'].position
```

To fit the the anisotropy and orientation without position, the linear PCS equation can be solved analytically by the SVD gridsearch method but using only one point with a radius of zero. The Q-factor is then calculated and the tensor is saved.

```
# Calculate tensor by SVD
[mFit], [data] = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs(
    [mStart],[parsedData], radius=0, points=1)

qfac = fit.qfactor(data)

mFit.save('calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor_position_constrained.txt')
```

Output: [pcs\_fit\_constrained.png]

```
ax | 1E-32 m^3 : -8.152
rh | 1E-32 m^3 : -4.911
x  | 1E-10 m : 25.786
y  | 1E-10 m : 9.515
z  | 1E-10 m : 6.558
a  | deg : 125.841
b  | deg : 142.287
g  | deg : 41.758
mueff | Bm : 0.000
shift | ppm : 0.000
B0 | T : 18.790
temp | K : 298.150
tle | ps : 0.000
taur | ns : 0.000
```

To fit an axially symmetric tensor, we can use the Non-linear regression method and specify exactly which parameters we want to fit. This will be the axiality *ax*, two Euler angles *b* and *g* and the position coordinates. Note that in the output, the rhombic *rh* and alpha *a* parameters are redundant.

```
# Calculate axially symmetric tensor by NRL
[mFitAx], [dataAx] = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs(
    [mStart], [parsedData], params=('ax','b','g','x','y','z'))

qfacAx = fit.qfactor(dataAx)

mFitAx.save('calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor_axially_symmetric.txt')
```

Output: [pcs\_fit\_constrained.png]

```
ax | 1E-32 m^3 : 9.510
rh | 1E-32 m^3 : 0.000
x  | 1E-10 m : 24.948
y  | 1E-10 m : 8.992
z  | 1E-10 m : 3.205
a  | deg : 0.000
b  | deg : 134.697
g  | deg : 180.000
mueff | Bm : 0.000
shift | ppm : 0.000
B0 | T : 18.790
temp | K : 298.150
tle | ps : 0.000
taur | ns : 0.000
```

Finally we plot the data.

```

#### Plot the correlation ####
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(5,5))

# Plot the data
ax.plot(data['exp'], data['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=2, c='r',
        label="Position constrained: Q = {:.4f}".format(qfac))

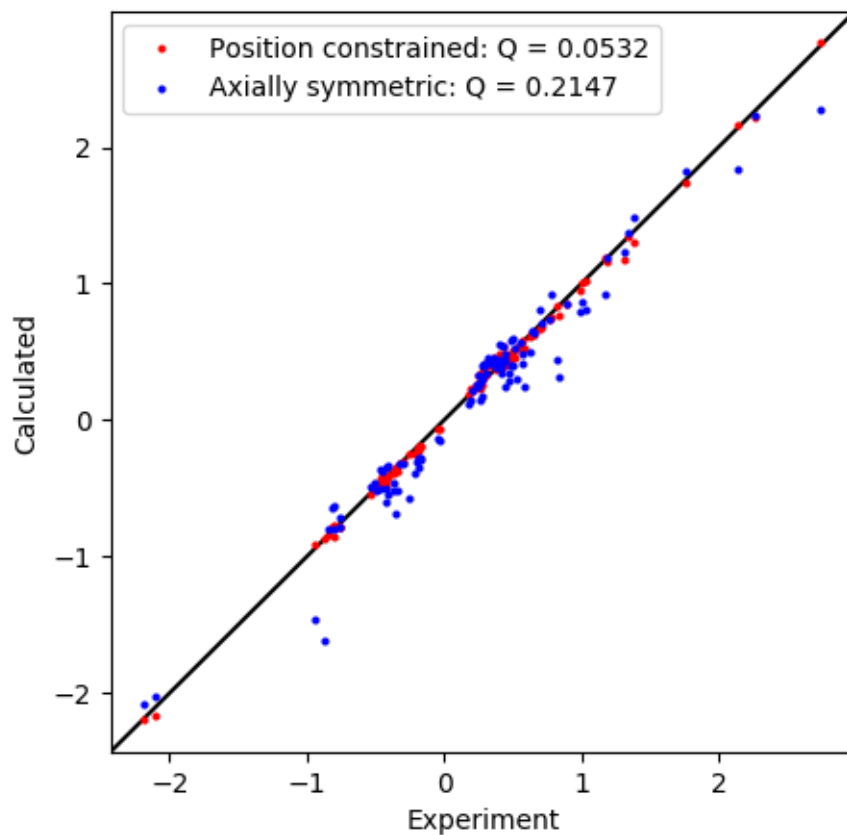
ax.plot(dataAx['exp'], dataAx['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=2, c='b',
        label="Axially symmetric: Q = {:.4f}".format(qfacAx))

# Plot a diagonal
l, h = ax.get_xlim()
ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], '-k', zorder=0)
ax.set_xlim(l,h)
ax.set_ylim(l,h)

# Make axis labels and save figure
ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
ax.legend()
fig.savefig("pcs_fit_constrained.png")

```

Output: [pcs\_fit\_constrained.png]



### Fit a tensor to PCS data with uncertainties

This example shows how to conduct a weighted fit of a  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor to experimental PCS data with experimental errors.

## Downloads

- Download the data files `4icbH_mut.pdb` and `calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_errors.npc` from [here](#):
- Download the script `pcs_fit_error.py`

## Script + Explanation

This script follows very closely the script *Fit Tensor to PCS Data*. The only difference being that errors are included in the fourth column of the `.npc` file and errorbars are included in the plotting routine.

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal

# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/4icbH_mut.pdb')

# Load the PCS data
rawData = dataparse.read_pcs('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_errors.npc')

# Associate PCS data with atoms of the PDB
parsedData = prot.parse(rawData)

# Define an initial tensor
mStart = metal.Metal()

# Set the starting position to an atom close to the metal
mStart.position = prot[0]['A'][56]['CA'].position

# Calculate an initial tensor from an SVD gridsearch
[mGuess], [data] = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs(
    [mStart], [parsedData], radius=10, points=10)

# Refine the tensor using non-linear regression
[mFit], [data] = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs([mGuess], [parsedData])

qfac = fit.qfactor(data)

# Save the fitted tensor to file
mFit.save('calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor_errors.txt')

#### Plot the correlation ####
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(5,5))

# Plot the data
ax.errorbar(data['exp'], data['cal'], xerr=data['err'], fmt='o', c='r', ms=2,
            ecolor='k', capsize=3, label="Q-factor = {:.4f}".format(qfac))

# Plot a diagonal
l, h = ax.get_xlim()
ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], 'grey', zorder=0)
ax.set_xlim(l,h)
ax.set_ylim(l,h)

# Make axis labels and save figure
ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
ax.legend()
fig.savefig("pcs_fit_error.png")
```

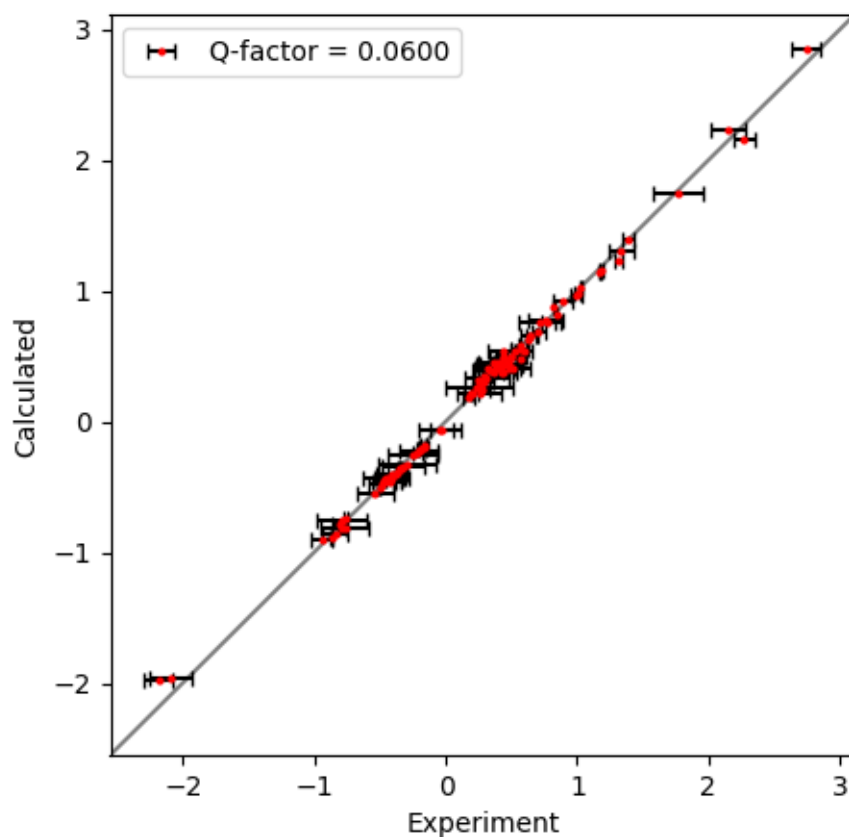
The fitted tensor:

Output: `[calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor_errors.txt]`

ax		1E-32 m <sup>3</sup>	:	-8.012
rh		1E-32 m <sup>3</sup>	:	-4.125
x		1E-10 m	:	24.892
y		1E-10 m	:	8.456
z		1E-10 m	:	6.287
a		deg	:	112.440
b		deg	:	135.924
g		deg	:	46.210
mueff		Bm	:	0.000
shift		ppm	:	0.000
B0		T	:	18.790
temp		K	:	298.150
t1e		ps	:	0.000
taur		ns	:	0.000

And correlation plot:

Output: [pcs\_fit\_error.png]



### Fit Atomic Coordinates to PCS data

This example shows how to calculate the region in space which is likely for atomic coordinates from PCS measurements. Multiple  $\Delta\chi$ -tensors are used from different tagging sites in the protein IMP1 to localise a tryptophan sidechain in a loop.

The script fits the  $\Delta\chi$ -tensors from backbone PCS data and then samples 20 perturbed tensors using a bootstrap fitting. The sampled tensors improve stability of the final calculation. The script then calculates the RMSD between experiment and calculated PCS values for nuclei in the sidechain of tryptophan at residue 28 on a grid of points. The grid is then viewed in PyMol.

## Downloads

- Download the data files 5ev6AH.pdb and all IMP1 datasets from [here](#):
- Download the script pcs\_fit\_atom.py

## Script + Explanation

After importing modules from paramagpy, the tagging sites and lanthanoid ions are specified as tuple variables. The PDB file is loaded. The atoms list contains the atoms of interest (in this case the NH and adjacent CH protons of tryptophan 28). Finally the number of bootstrap iterations are defined.

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal
import re

sites = 'A53C-C2', 'N172C-C2', 'S204C-C2', 'N172C-C12'
ions = 'Tm', 'Tb'
pdb_path = "../data_files/5ev6AH.pdb"
prot = protein.load_pdb(pdb_path)
atomns = 'H07', 'H08'
atoms = [prot[0]['A'][28][atomn] for atomn in atomns]
BOOTSTRAP_ITER = 20
```

Two dictionaries are specified to define the final colours and RMSD contour levels to be plotted in PyMol.

```
# Isosurface colours
surface_colours = {
    (ions[0], atomns[0]): 'teal',
    (ions[1], atomns[0]): 'blue',
    (ions[0], atomns[1]): 'magenta',
    (ions[1], atomns[1]): 'red',
}

# RMSD contour levels
surface_contour = {
    (ions[0], atomns[0]): 0.04,
    (ions[1], atomns[0]): 0.04,
    (ions[0], atomns[1]): 0.016,
    (ions[1], atomns[1]): 0.02,
}
```

A PyMol script object paramagpy.protein.PyMolScript is created and the PDB is added to it. This object makes it easy to add density maps, PDBs and spheres to PyMol from Paramagpy.

```
pmlscript = protein.PyMolScript()
pmlscript.add_pdb(path=pdb_path, name='5ev6')
```

Next is a rather involved loop that iterates of the tagging sites, fits the  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor using a simultaneous fit between Tm and Tb data and finally samples the tensor fits using bootstrap. The fitted tensors are bundled into the variable mdata.

```
mdata = []
for site in sites: # Loop over sites
    bindingSite = int(re.search("\\d+", site).group()) # Get residue number
    mStart = metal.Metal()
    mStart.position = prot[0]['A'][bindingSite]['CA'].position # Set strating_
    ↪position

    hnpcss = []
    # Assemble exp. PCS data for both ions
    for ion in ions:
        hnpcs_raw = dataparse.read_pcs("../data_files/IMP1_HN_{ }_{ }_FREE.
    ↪npc".format(site, ion))
```

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```

        hnpcs = prot.parse(hnpcs_raw)
        hnpcss.append(hnpcs)

        # Fit the tensor by SVD, then NLR
        mGuess, _ = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs([mStart, mStart], hnpcss)
        mFit, _ = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs(mGuess, hnpcss)

        # Sample perturbed tensors by bootstrap
        mSamples, mStd = fit.fit_error_bootstrap(
            fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs,
            BOOTSTRAP_ITER,
            0.8,
            initMetals=mFit,
            dataArrays=hnpcss
        )

        mdata.append(mSamples)

```

The fitted  $\Delta\chi$ -tensors are then unzipped (to allow iterating over each ion) and assembled with the tryptophan PCS data in two lists `mdata` and `trpdata`. For each data array contained in `trpdata` there must be an associated tensor contained in `mdata`, so that is why they are constructed side by side.

```

for ion, mSamples in zip(ions, zip(*mdata)):
    trpdata = []
    mdata = []
    # Loop sites with fitted tensors
    for site, mSample in zip(sites, mSamples):
        # Load TRP PCS data
        trppcs_raw = dataparse.read_pcs("../data_files/IMP1_TRP_{}_{}_FREE.
↪npc".format(site, ion))
        trppcs = prot.parse(trppcs_raw)

        # Assemble associated lists of atoms/PCS with tensors
        for atom in atoms:
            dataset = trppcs[trppcs['atm'] == atom]
            if len(dataset)>0:
                for m in mSample:
                    trpdata.append(dataset)
                    mdata.append(m)

```

The function `paramagpy.fit.gridsearch_fit_atom_from_pcs()` is called which calculates the PCS RMSD on a grid as defined by the function arguments `mapSize` and `mapDensity`. This function returns a dictionary which contains keys for the atoms of the PDB files and values of `paramagpy.fit.DensityMap` which define the grid of PCS RMSD values.

What remains of the script is to add the PCS RMSD grid to the PyMol script and save it so that it plots with the specified colours and contour levels. What results is a volume which contains all points that have an RMSD less than the specified `isoVals` value. Finally some standard PyMol commands are added to display the protein structure as desired.

```

for atom in atoms:
    mapname = "{}{}map".format(atom.id, ion)
    dmapFilePath = "{}.ccp4".format(mapname)
    gridsVol[atom].write(dmapFilePath)
    pmlscript.add_map(
        path=dmapFilePath,
        name=mapname,
        isoVals=[surface_contour[(ion, atom.id)]],
        colours=[surface_colours[(ion, atom.id)]],
        surfaceType='isodot',
    )

```

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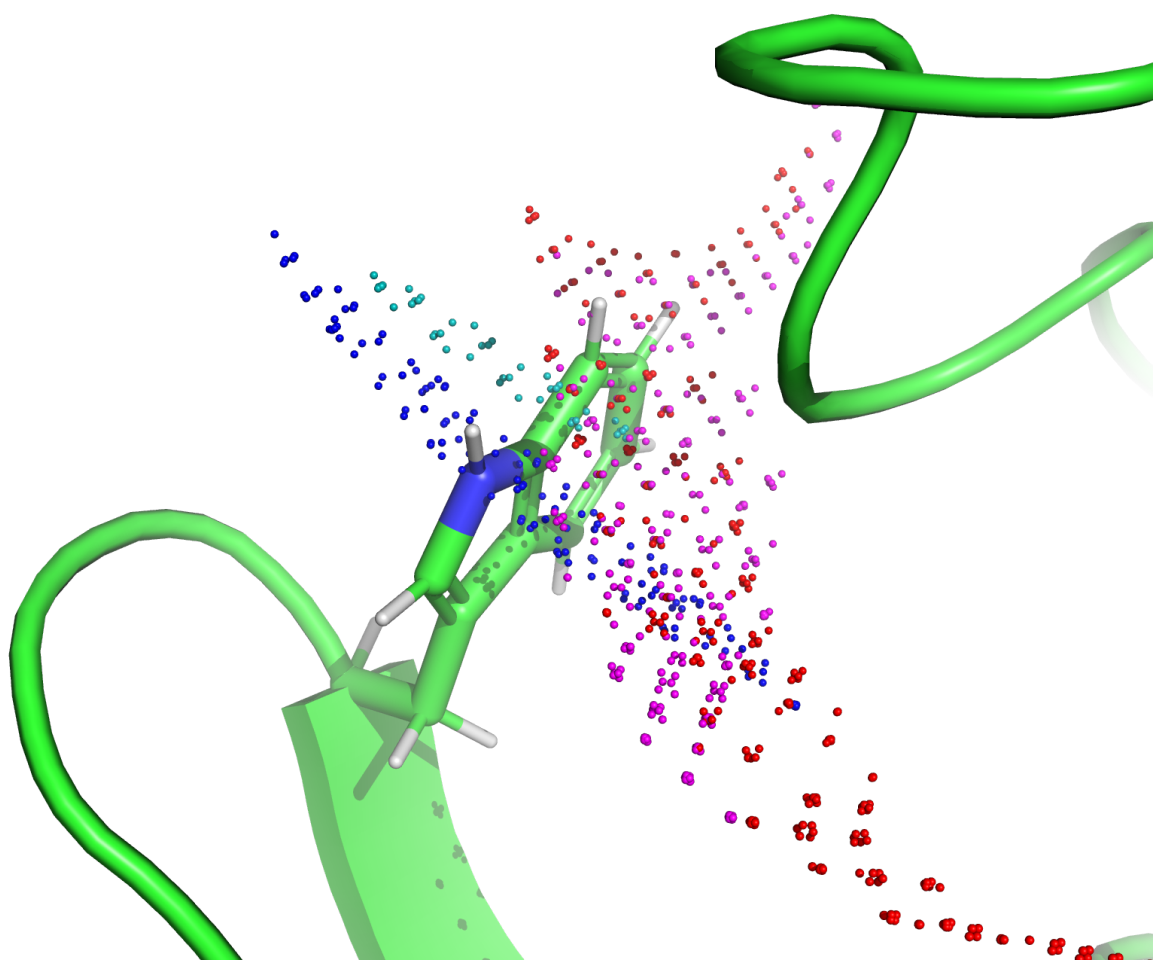
```

pmlscript += "set dot_radius, 0.05"
pmlscript += "show sticks, ///28 and sc."
pmlscript += "show sticks, ///28/CA"
pmlscript += "set bg_rgb=[1,1,1]"
pmlscript += "set mesh_width, 0.5"
pmlscript += "zoom ///28/H07\n"
pmlscript += """
set_view (\
    0.505656540,    -0.827194929,    -0.245069817,\
    -0.741597414,    -0.561904311,     0.366465807,\
    -0.440846384,    -0.003562994,    -0.897575319,\
     0.000152570,     0.000080852,   -36.169487000,\
    48.539413452,    83.819839478,    42.674442291,\
    26.907037735,    45.422363281,   -20.000000000 )
"""
pmlscript += "ray 1600"
pmlscript += "png pcs_fit_atom.png"
pmlscript.write("pcs_fit_atom.pml")

```

This generates the following PyMol script which allows viewing of the PCS RMSD region. `pcs_fit_atom.pml`. After opening the script in PyMol the following image is generated.

[pcs\_fit\_atom.png]



## Propagate Uncertainty to Fitted Tensor Parameters

This example shows the various error analysis functions available in paramagpy for estimating the uncertainty in fitted parameters for a paramagnetic center.

### Downloads

- Download the data files 2bcb.pdb and calbindin\_Er\_HN\_PCS\_errors.npc from [here](#):
- Download the script pcs\_fit\_uncertainty.py

### Script + Explanation

This start of this script follows the script *Fit Tensor to PCS Data* to fit the tensor.

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal
import numpy as np

# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/2bcb.pdb')

# Load the PCS data
rawData = dataparse.read_pcs('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_errors.npc')

# Associate PCS data with atoms of the PDB
parsedData = prot.parse(rawData)

# Define an initial tensor
mStart = metal.Metal()

# Set the starting position to an atom close to the metal
mStart.position = prot[0]['A'][56]['CA'].position

# Calculate an initial tensor from an SVD gridsearch
[mGuess], [data] = fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs(
    [mStart], [parsedData], radius=10, points=10)

# Refine the tensor using non-linear regression
[mFit], [data] = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs([mGuess], [parsedData])
```

### Uncertainty from structure models

The PDB file contains models that capture uncertainty in the structure of the protein. This can be propagated to estimate uncertainty in the fitted tensor parameters using the function `paramagpy.fit.fit_error_model()`. This fits a separate tensor to each model and returns all fitted tensors as well as the standard deviation in the fitted parameters.

```
# Estimate uncertainty sourcing noise from the models of the PDB
[mod_all], [mod_std] = fit.fit_error_models(fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs,
    initMetals=[mFit], dataArrays=[parsedData])

mod_std.save('error_tensor_models.txt')
```

The standard deviation in the fitted tensor parameters is found in the variable `mod_std`. This variation in tensor principle axes can be viewed by a Sanson-Flamsteed plot.

Output: [error\_tensor\_models.txt]

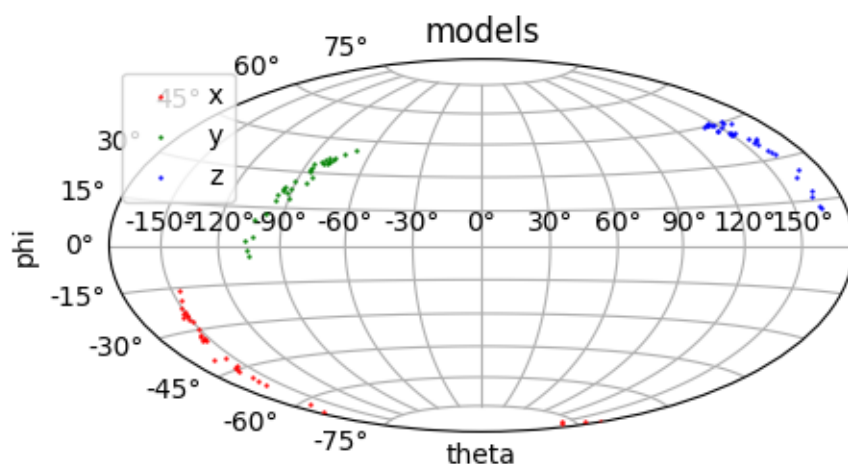
```
ax | 1E-32 m^3 : 0.556
rh | 1E-32 m^3 : 0.525
x  | 1E-10 m : 0.756
y  | 1E-10 m : 0.695
```

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z		1E-10 m :	0.957
a		deg :	7.466
b		deg :	9.948
g		deg :	19.294
mueff		Bm :	0.000
shift		ppm :	0.000
B0		T :	0.000
temp		K :	0.000
t1e		ps :	0.000
taur		ns :	0.000

Output: [models.png]



### Uncertainty from experimental uncertainties

Experimental uncertainties can be measured. This may arise due to spectral noise in peak heights for PREs, or spectral noise as uncertainties in chemical shifts for PCSs, as is the case here. The function `paramagpy.fit.fit_error_monte_carlo()` will repeat the fit for many iterations, each time adding random noise from a uniform distribution scaled by the experimental errors present in the `err` column of the `dataArray` `parsedData`.

```
# Estimate uncertainty sourcing noise from experimental uncertainties
[mc_all], [mc_std] = fit.fit_error_monte_carlo(fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs,
                                              50, initMetals=[mFit], dataArray=[parsedData])

mod_std.save('error_tensor_monte_carlo.txt')
```

Output: [error\_tensor\_monte\_carlo.txt]

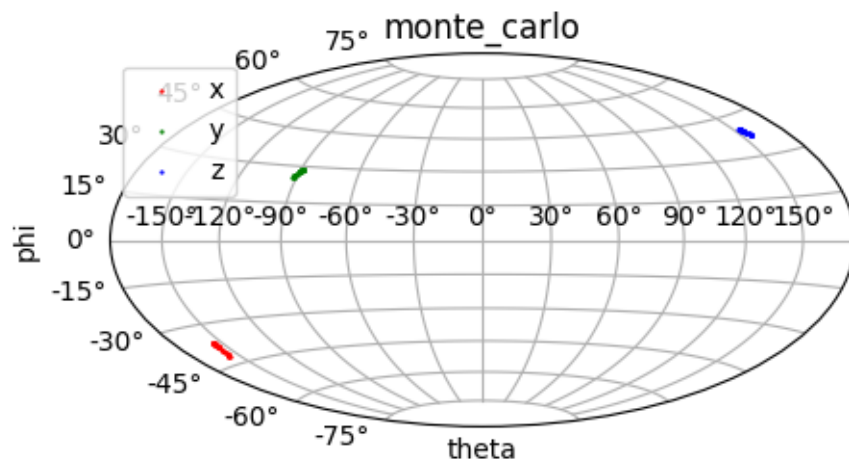
ax		1E-32 m^3 :	0.556
rh		1E-32 m^3 :	0.525
x		1E-10 m :	0.756
y		1E-10 m :	0.695
z		1E-10 m :	0.957
a		deg :	7.466
b		deg :	9.948
g		deg :	19.294
mueff		Bm :	0.000
shift		ppm :	0.000
B0		T :	0.000
temp		K :	0.000

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t1e	ps :	0.000
taur	ns :	0.000

Output: [monte\_carlo.png]



### Uncertainty from sample fraction

A final, but generally not recommended method is to source noise from taking a random fraction of the data and conducting the fit for many iterations to then view the deviation in fitted parameters. This method is often called bootstrapping and is desirable if the experimental uncertainties are unknown and the PDB file does not contain models that capture structural uncertainty. The function `paramagpy.fit.fit_error_bootstrap()` will repeat the fit for many iterations, each time sampling the desired amount of the experimental data randomly.

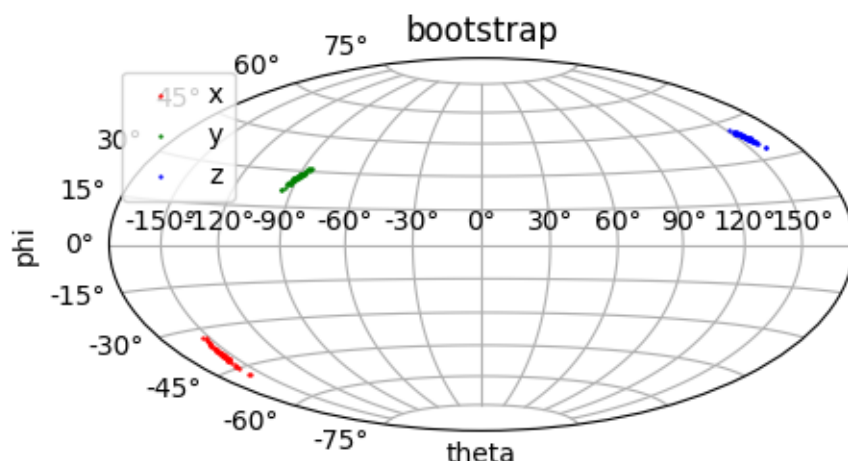
```
# Estimate uncertainty sourcing noise from sample fractions
[bs_all], [bs_std] = fit.fit_error_bootstrap(fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs,
      50, 0.8, initMetals=[mFit], dataArrays=[parsedData])

mod_std.save('error_tensor_bootstrap.txt')
```

Output: [error\_tensor\_bootstrap.txt]

ax	1E-32 m^3 :	0.556
rh	1E-32 m^3 :	0.525
x	1E-10 m :	0.756
y	1E-10 m :	0.695
z	1E-10 m :	0.957
a	deg :	7.466
b	deg :	9.948
g	deg :	19.294
mueff	Bm :	0.000
shift	ppm :	0.000
B0	T :	0.000
temp	K :	0.000
t1e	ps :	0.000
taur	ns :	0.000

Output: [bootstrap.png]



This piece of code is used to generate the Sanson-Flamsteed projection plots

```
#### Plot Sanson-Flamsteed ####
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt

def transform(vector):
    x, y, z = vector
    theta = np.arctan2(y, x)
    phi = -np.arccos(z) + np.pi/2.
    return theta, phi

for name, mset in [('models', mod_all), ('monte_carlo', mc_all), ('bootstrap', bs_
    all)]:
    spcoords = []
    for m in mset:
        x, y, z = m.rotationMatrix.T
        spcoords.append(tuple(map(transform, [x,y,z])))
    points = zip(*spcoords)
    fig = plt.figure(figsize=(5, 3), dpi=100)
    ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='hammer')
    ax.set_xlabel("theta")
    ax.set_ylabel("phi")
    ax.set_title(name)
    ax.grid()
    for data, col, label in zip(points, ['r','g','b'], ['x','y','z']):
        theta, phi = zip(*data)
        ax.scatter(theta, phi, s=0.4, c=col, label=label, zorder=10)
    ax.legend()
    fig.savefig("{}_{}.png".format(name, mset))
```

## Fit to PCS data with offset, RACS and RADS corrections

### 5.2.2 RDC data

#### Fit Tensor to RDC Data

This example shows how to fit a  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor or equivalently, an alignment tensor to experimental RDC data. These data are taken from a Tb3+ tagged ubiquitin mutant:

Benjamin J. G. Pearce, Shereen Jabar, Choy-Theng Loh, Monika Szabo, Bim Graham, Gottfried Otting (2017) Structure restraints from heteronuclear pseudocontact shifts generated by lanthanide tags at two different sites *J. Biomol. NMR* 68:19-32

## Downloads

- Download the data files 2kox.pdb, ubiquitin\_a28c\_c1\_Tb\_HN.rdc and ubiquitin\_s57c\_c1\_Tb\_HN.rdc from [here](#):
- Download the script rdc\_fit.py

## Script + Explanation

Firstly, the necessary modules are imported from paramagpy. And the two RDC datasets are loaded. Because this PDB contains over 600 models, loading may take a few seconds

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal

# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/2kox.pdb')

# Load the RDC data
rawData1 = dataparse.read_rdc('../data_files/ubiquitin_a28c_c1_Tb_HN.rdc')
rawData2 = dataparse.read_rdc('../data_files/ubiquitin_s57c_c1_Tb_HN.rdc')

# Associate RDC data with atoms of the PDB
parsedData1 = prot.parse(rawData1)
parsedData2 = prot.parse(rawData2)
```

Two starting metals are initialised. It is important here to set the magnetic field strength and temperature.

```
# Define an initial tensor
mStart1 = metal.Metal(B0=18.8, temperature=308.0)
mStart2 = metal.Metal(B0=18.8, temperature=308.0)
```

The alignment tensor is solved using the function `paramagpy.fit.svd_fit_metal_from_rdc()` which return a tuple of (metal, calculated), where metal is the fitted metal, calculated is the calculated RDC values. The tensors are then saved. Note that we set the argument `ensembleAverage` to `True`. This is important because the PDB structure represents an MD simulation. If set to `False`, a much smaller tensor would be fit.

```
# Calculate the tensor using SVD
[sol1], [data1] = fit.svd_fit_metal_from_rdc([mStart1], [parsedData1],
↪ensembleAverage=True)
[sol2], [data2] = fit.svd_fit_metal_from_rdc([mStart2], [parsedData2],
↪ensembleAverage=True)

# Save the fitted tensor to file
sol1.save('ubiquitin_a28c_c1_Tb_tensor.txt')
sol2.save('ubiquitin_s57c_c1_Tb_tensor.txt')
```

Output: [ubiquitin\_a28c\_c1\_Tb\_tensor.txt]

```
ax | 1E-32 m^3 : -4.776
rh | 1E-32 m^3 : -1.397
x  | 1E-10 m : 0.000
y  | 1E-10 m : 0.000
z  | 1E-10 m : 0.000
a  | deg : 16.022
b  | deg : 52.299
g  | deg : 83.616
mueff | Bm : 0.000
shift | ppm : 0.000
B0 | T : 18.800
temp | K : 308.000
```

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t1e	ps :	0.000
taur	ns :	0.000

Output: [ubiquitin\_s57c\_c1\_Tb\_tensor.txt]

ax	1E-32 m^3 :	-5.930
rh	1E-32 m^3 :	-1.899
x	1E-10 m :	0.000
y	1E-10 m :	0.000
z	1E-10 m :	0.000
a	deg :	9.976
b	deg :	99.463
g	deg :	37.410
mueff	Bm :	0.000
shift	ppm :	0.000
B0	T :	18.800
temp	K :	308.000
t1e	ps :	0.000
taur	ns :	0.000

The experimental/calculated correlations are then plotted. The tensor is by default fitted to the ensemble averaged calculated values. Backcalculation of all models is shown here, as well as the ensemble average.

```
#### Plot the correlation ####
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(5,10))
ax1 = fig.add_subplot(211)
ax2 = fig.add_subplot(212)
ax1.set_title('A28C-C1-Tb')
ax2.set_title('S57C-C1-Tb')

for sol, ax, data in zip([sol1,sol2], [ax1,ax2], [data1,data2]):

    # Calculate ensemble averages
    dataEAv = fit.ensemble_average(data)

    # Calculate the Q-factor
    qfac = fit.qfactor(data, ensembleAverage=True)

    # Plot all models
    ax.plot(data['exp'], data['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=2, c='b',
            alpha=0.5, label="All models: Q = {:.4f}".format(qfac))

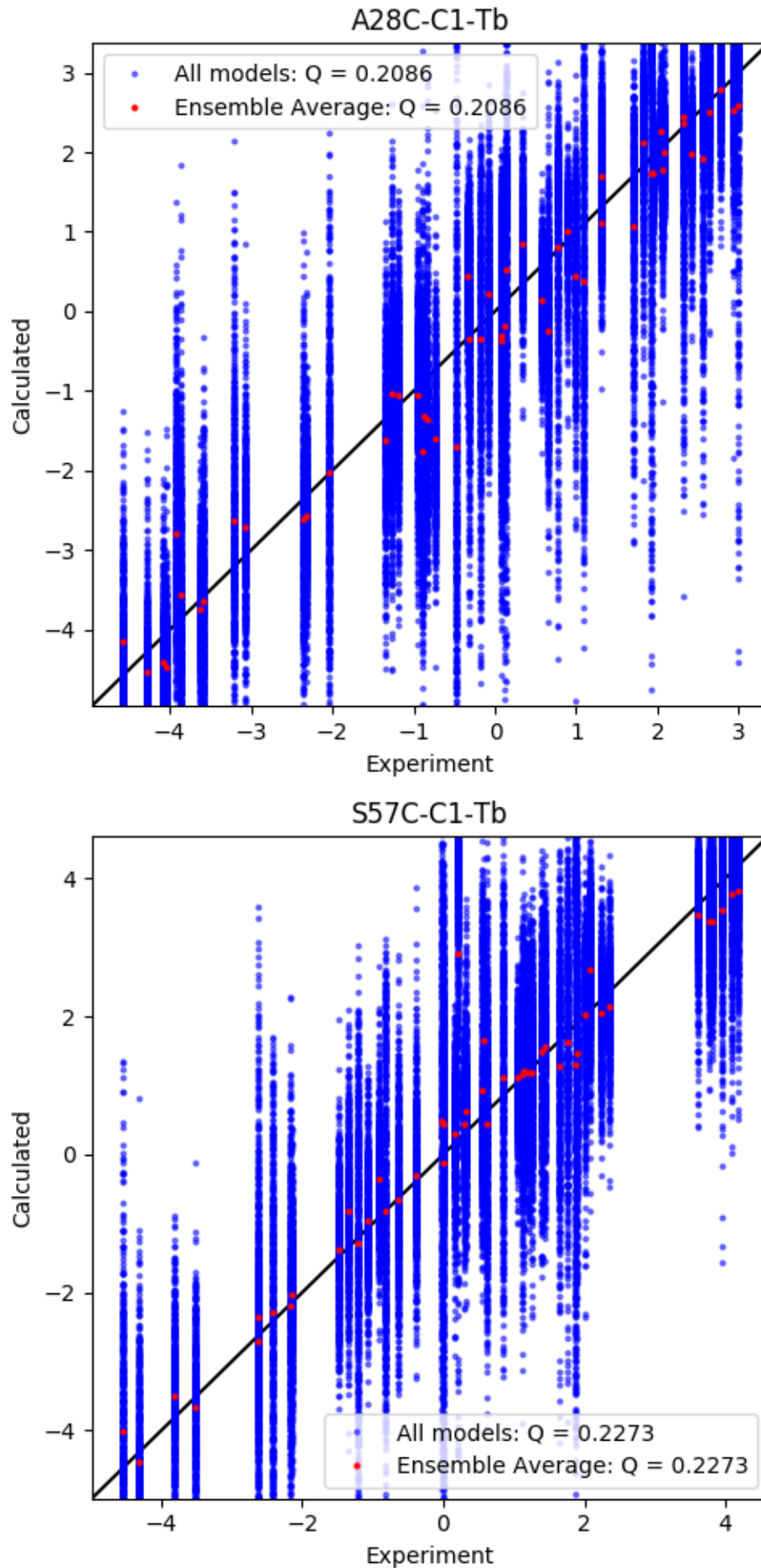
    # Plot the ensemble average
    ax.plot(dataEAv['exp'], dataEAv['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=2, c='r',
            label="Ensemble Average: Q = {:.4f}".format(qfac))

    # Plot a diagonal
    l, h = ax.get_xlim()
    ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], '-k', zorder=0)
    ax.set_xlim(l,h)
    ax.set_ylim(l,h)

    # Make axis labels and save figure
    ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
    ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
    ax.legend()

fig.tight_layout()
fig.savefig("rdc_fit.png")
```

Output: [rdc\_fit.png]





## Calculate RDC from a known Tensor

This example shows how to calculate theoretical RDC values from a known  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor which has been fitted from PCS data. Paramagpy allows seamless calculation of one PCS/PRE/RDC/CCR effect from a tensor fitted from another effect.

## Downloads

- Download the data files `4icbH_mut.pdb` and `calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor.txt` from [here](#):
- Download the script `rdc_calculate.py`

## Script + Explanation

First the relevant modules are loaded, the protein is loaded and the metal is loaded from file. The magnetic field strength and temperature are also set.

```
from paramagpy import protein, metal

# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/4icbH_mut.pdb')

# Load the fitted tensor
met = metal.load_tensor('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor.txt')
met.B0 = 18.8
```

A loop is made over the atoms of the protein. The amide H and N atoms are selected and then the RDC value is calculated. Finally the formatted data is appended to list `forFile`.

```
forFile = []
for atom in prot.get_atoms():
    if atom.name == 'H':
        residue = atom.parent
        seq = residue.id[1]
        if 'N' in residue:
            H = atom
            N = residue['N']
            rdc = met.atom_rdc(H, N)
            line = "{0:2d} {1:^3s} {2:2d} {3:^3s} {4:6.3f} 0.0\n".
            ↪format(
                seq, H.name, seq, N.name, rdc)
            forFile.append(line)
```

The formatted data is written to file:

```
with open("calbindin_Er_RDC_calc.rdc", 'w') as f:
    f.writelines(forFile)
```

Output: [calbindin\_Er\_RDC\_calc.rdc]

```
0 H 0 N -1.724 0.0
1 H 1 N -6.196 0.0
2 H 2 N -4.993 0.0
4 H 4 N -0.922 0.0
5 H 5 N 1.783 0.0
6 H 6 N 0.280 0.0
7 H 7 N -1.906 0.0
8 H 8 N 1.056 0.0
9 H 9 N 0.713 0.0
10 H 10 N 0.213 0.0
11 H 11 N -0.881 0.0
12 H 12 N 2.712 0.0
```

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13	H	13	N	0.614	0.0
14	H	14	N	-2.346	0.0
15	H	15	N	1.659	0.0
16	H	16	N	0.648	0.0
17	H	17	N	0.383	0.0
18	H	18	N	0.420	0.0
19	H	19	N	-7.863	0.0
21	H	21	N	0.973	0.0
22	H	22	N	1.026	0.0
23	H	23	N	-0.613	0.0
24	H	24	N	-5.847	0.0
25	H	25	N	1.761	0.0
26	H	26	N	6.470	0.0
27	H	27	N	5.541	0.0
28	H	28	N	-0.334	0.0
29	H	29	N	3.624	0.0
30	H	30	N	6.673	0.0
31	H	31	N	3.952	0.0
32	H	32	N	1.658	0.0
33	H	33	N	5.449	0.0
34	H	34	N	7.370	0.0
35	H	35	N	1.033	0.0
36	H	36	N	1.136	0.0
38	H	38	N	-7.378	0.0
39	H	39	N	-6.979	0.0
40	H	40	N	-4.810	0.0
41	H	41	N	-3.187	0.0
42	H	42	N	2.415	0.0
43	H	43	N	1.710	0.0
44	H	44	N	-5.977	0.0
45	H	45	N	-5.467	0.0
46	H	46	N	3.243	0.0
47	H	47	N	3.937	0.0
48	H	48	N	7.047	0.0
49	H	49	N	4.577	0.0
50	H	50	N	3.718	0.0
51	H	51	N	4.519	0.0
52	H	52	N	6.077	0.0
53	H	53	N	2.940	0.0
54	H	54	N	2.541	0.0
55	H	55	N	-7.493	0.0
56	H	56	N	-7.159	0.0
57	H	57	N	4.948	0.0
58	H	58	N	-1.078	0.0
59	H	59	N	-0.759	0.0
60	H	60	N	0.161	0.0
61	H	61	N	-1.132	0.0
62	H	62	N	-5.719	0.0
63	H	63	N	4.025	0.0
64	H	64	N	5.929	0.0
65	H	65	N	2.363	0.0
66	H	66	N	2.477	0.0
67	H	67	N	8.265	0.0
68	H	68	N	5.078	0.0
69	H	69	N	3.724	0.0
70	H	70	N	7.743	0.0
71	H	71	N	2.188	0.0
72	H	72	N	4.911	0.0
73	H	73	N	7.514	0.0
74	H	74	N	-0.001	0.0
75	H	75	N	1.119	0.0

## 5.2.3 PRE data

### Fit Tensor to PRE Data

This example demonstrates fitting of the rotational correlation time  $\tau_r$  to 1H PRE data of calbindin D9k. You can fit any parameters of the  $\chi$ -tensor you desire, such as position or magnitude as well.

### Downloads

- Download the data files `4icbH_mut.pdb`, `calbindin_Er_H_R2_600.npc` and `calbindin_Tb_H_R2_800.npc` from [here](#):
- Download the script `pre_fit_proton.py`

### Script + Explanation

Firstly, the necessary modules are imported from paramagpy.

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal
```

The protein is then loaded from a PDB file.

```
# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/4icbH_mut.pdb')
```

The PRE data is loaded. Note that the Er data was recorded at 600 MHz and the Tb data was recorded at 800 MHz.

```
rawData_er = dataparse.read_pre('../data_files/calbindin_Er_H_R2_600.pre')
rawData_tb = dataparse.read_pre('../data_files/calbindin_Tb_H_R2_800.pre')
```

The  $\Delta\chi$ -tensors that were fitted from PCS data are loaded from file and the relevant  $B_0$  magnetic field strengths are set.

```
mStart_er = metal.load_tensor('../data_files/calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_tensor.txt')
mStart_tb = metal.load_tensor('../data_files/calbindin_Tb_HN_PCS_tensor.txt')
mStart_er.B0 = 14.1
mStart_tb.B0 = 18.8
```

Fitting of the rotational correlation time is done with the function `paramagpy.fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pre()`. To fit position or  $\chi$ -tensor magnitude, you can change the `params` argument.

```
(m_er,), (cal_er,) = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pre(
    [mStart_er], [data_er], params=['taur'], rtypes=['r2'])
(m_tb,), (cal_tb,) = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pre(
    [mStart_tb], [data_tb], params=['taur'], rtypes=['r2'])
```

The fitted tensors are saved to file. Note that the Er dataset gives a reasonable  $\tau_r$  of around 4 ns which is close to the literature value of 4.25 ns. However, the Tb dataset gives an unreasonably large value of 18 ns. This is due to magnetisation attenuation due to 1H-1H RDCs present during the relaxation evolution time as discussed in [literature](#) giving rise to artificially large measured PREs for lanthanides with highly anisotropic  $\Delta\chi$ -tensors. This is also reflected in the correlation plot below.

```
m_er.save('calbindin_Er_H_R2_600_tensor.txt')
m_tb.save('calbindin_Tb_H_R2_800_tensor.txt')
```

Output: [calbindin\_Er\_H\_R2\_600\_tensor.txt]

```
ax | 1E-32 m^3 : -8.152
rh | 1E-32 m^3 : -4.911
```

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x		1E-10 m :	25.786
y		1E-10 m :	9.515
z		1E-10 m :	6.558
a		deg :	125.841
b		deg :	142.287
g		deg :	41.758
mueff		Bm :	9.581
shift		ppm :	0.000
B0		T :	14.100
temp		K :	298.150
t1e		ps :	0.189
taur		ns :	3.923

*Output:* [calbindin\_Tb\_H\_R2\_800\_tensor.txt]

ax		1E-32 m^3 :	30.375
rh		1E-32 m^3 :	12.339
x		1E-10 m :	25.786
y		1E-10 m :	9.515
z		1E-10 m :	6.558
a		deg :	150.957
b		deg :	152.671
g		deg :	70.311
mueff		Bm :	9.721
shift		ppm :	0.000
B0		T :	18.800
temp		K :	298.150
t1e		ps :	0.251
taur		ns :	18.917

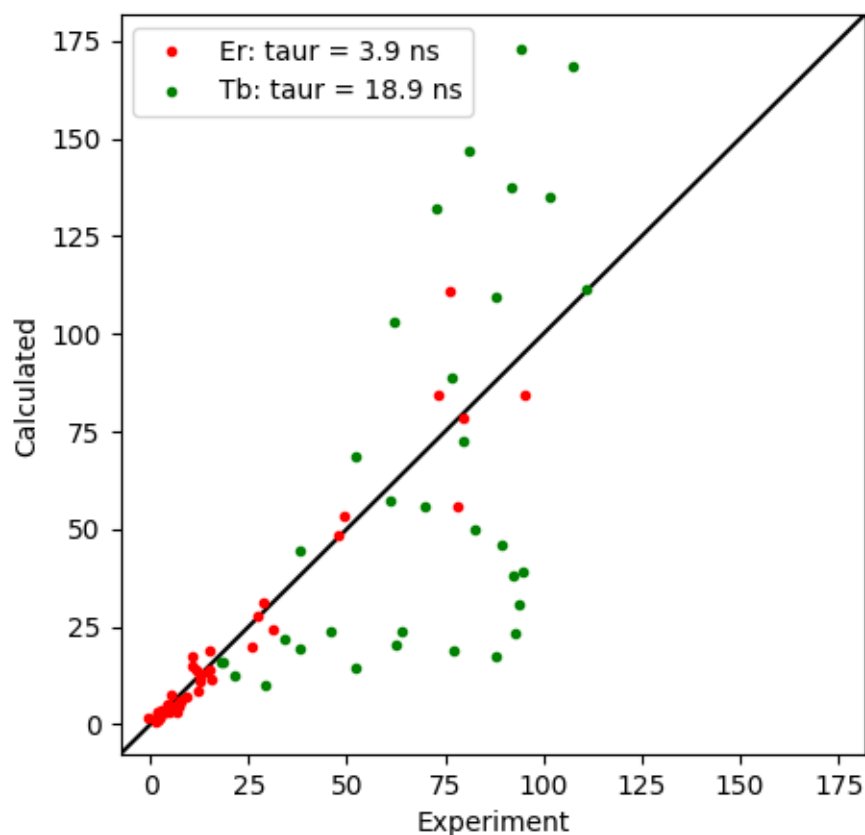
And the results are plotted.

```
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(5,5))

# Plot the data
ax.plot(cal_er['exp'], cal_er['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=3, c='r',
        label="Er: taur = {:.1f} ns".format(1E9*m_er.taur))
ax.plot(cal_tb['exp'], cal_tb['cal'], marker='o', lw=0, ms=3, c='g',
        label="Tb: taur = {:.1f} ns".format(1E9*m_tb.taur))

# Plot a diagonal
l, h = ax.get_ylim()
ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], '-k', zorder=0)
ax.set_xlim(l,h)
ax.set_ylim(l,h)

# Make axis labels and save figure
ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
ax.legend()
fig.savefig("pre_fit_proton.png")
```



### Calculate 15N PREs with cross-correlation effects

This example shows how to conduct a weighted fit of a  $\Delta\chi$ -tensor to experimental PCS data with experimental errors.

### Downloads

- Download the data files `4icbH_mut.pdb`, `calbindin_Tb_N_R1_600.pre` and `calbindin_Tb_HN_PCS_tensor.txt` from [here](#):
- Download the script `pre_calc_nitrogen.py`

### Script + Explanation

First the relevant modules are loaded, the protein and data are read and the data is parsed by the protein.

```
from paramagpy import protein, metal, dataparse

# Load the PDB file
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/4icbH_mut.pdb')

# Load PRE data
rawData = dataparse.read_pre('../data_files/calbindin_Tb_N_R1_600.pre')

# Parse PRE data
data = prot.parse(rawData)
```

The Tb tensor fitted from PCS data is loaded and the relevant parameters, in this case the magnetic field strength, temperature and rotational correlation time are set.

```
met = metal.load_tensor('../data_files/calbindin_Tb_HN_PCS_tensor.txt')
met.B0 = 14.1
met.T = 298.0
met.taur = 4.25E-9
```

A loop is conducted over the nitrogen atoms that are present in the experimental data. The PRE is calculated using the function `paramagpy.metal.atom_pre()`. Calculations without CSA are appended to the list `cal` and calculations including CSA cross-correlation with the Curie-spin relaxation are appended to the list `cal_csa`.

```
exp = []
cal = []
cal_csa = []
for atom, pre, err in data[['atm', 'exp', 'err']]:
    exp.append(pre)
    cal.append(met.atom_pre(atom, rtype='r1'))
    cal_csa.append(met.atom_pre(atom, rtype='r1', csa=atom.csa))
```

Finally the data are plotted. Clearly CSA cross-correlation is a big effect for backbone nitrogen atoms and should always be taken into account for Curie-spin calculations. Also note the existence and correct prediction of negative PREs!

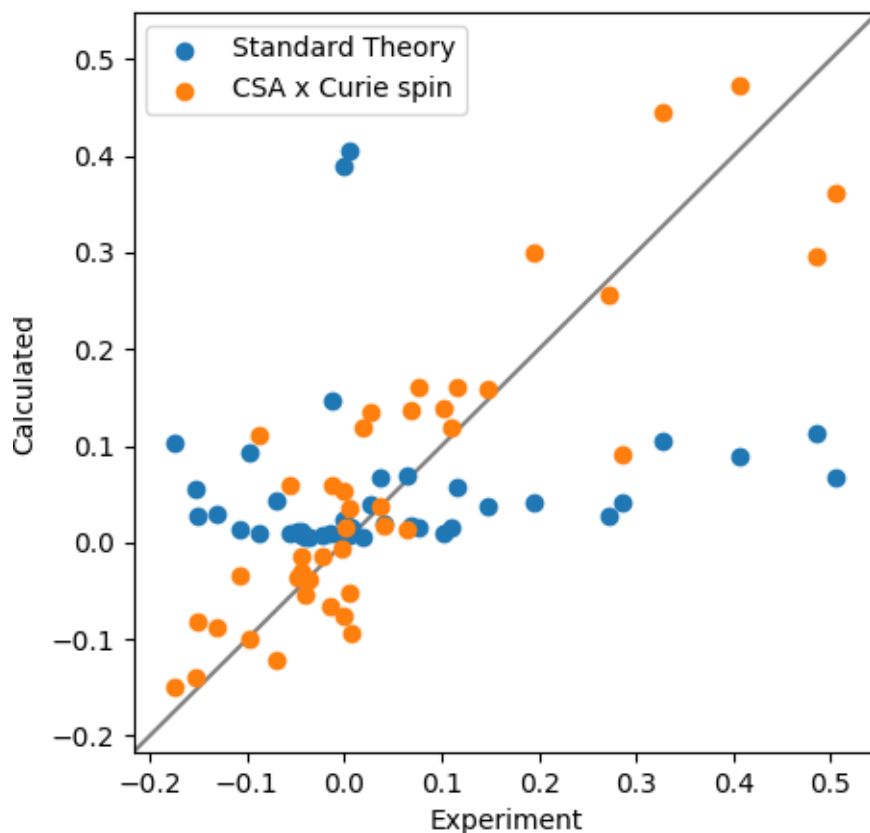
```
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(5,5))

# Plot the data
ax.scatter(exp, cal, label="Standard Theory")
ax.scatter(exp, cal_csa, label="CSA x Curie spin")

# Plot a diagonal
l, h = ax.get_xlim()
ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], 'grey', zorder=0)
ax.set_xlim(l,h)
ax.set_ylim(l,h)

# Make axis labels and save figure
ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
ax.legend()
fig.savefig("pre_calc_nitrogen.png")
```

Output: [pre\_calc\_nitrogen.png]



### Fit spectral power density tensor

This example shows how to fit the spectral power density tensor to anisotropic PREs. The data and theory are derived from <https://doi.org/10.1039/C8CP01332B>.

### Downloads

- Download the data files `parashift_Tb.pdb` and `parashift_Tb_R1_exp.pre` from [here](#):
- Download the script `pre_fit_aniso_dipolar.py`

### Script + Explanation

Load the relevant modules, read the PDB coordinates and experimental PRE values. Parse the values.

```
from paramagpy import protein, metal, fit, dataparse
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/parashift_Tb.pdb')
pre_exp = dataparse.read_pre('../data_files/parashift_Tb_R1_exp.pre')
exp = prot.parse(pre_exp)
```

The spectral power density tensor is written here explicitly and set to the attribute `g_tensor`. The values here are sourced from the original paper, and arise from the robust linear fit to the experimental data. We will use this tensor for comparison to the fit achieved by paramagpy.

```
m = metal.Metal(taur=0.42E-9, B0=1.0, temperature=300.0)
m.set_lanthanide('Tb')

m.g_tensor = np.array([
    [1754.0, -859.0, -207.0],
    [-859.0, 2285.0, -351.0],
    [-207.0, -351.0, -196.0]]) * 1E-60
```

An starting tensor with no parameters is also initialised and will be used for fitting to the experimental data with paramagpy.

```
m0 = metal.Metal(taur=0.42E-9, B0=1.0, temperature=300.0)
m0.set_lanthanide('Tb')
```

The fit is conducted by setting the `usegsbm` flag to `True`. This uses anisotropic SBM theory to fit the spectral power density tensor in place of the isotropic SBM theory. The relevant fitting parameters must be specified as `'tle'`, `'gax'`, `'grh'`, `'a'`, `'b'`, `'g'` which represent the electronic relaxation time, the axial and rhombic components of the power spectral density tensor and the 3 Euler angles alpha, beta and gamma respectively. Note that the fitted `tle` parameter is only an estimate of the electronic relaxation time.

```
[mfit], [data] = fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pre([m0], [exp], params=('tle', 'gax', 'grh',
↪ 'a', 'b', 'g'),
```

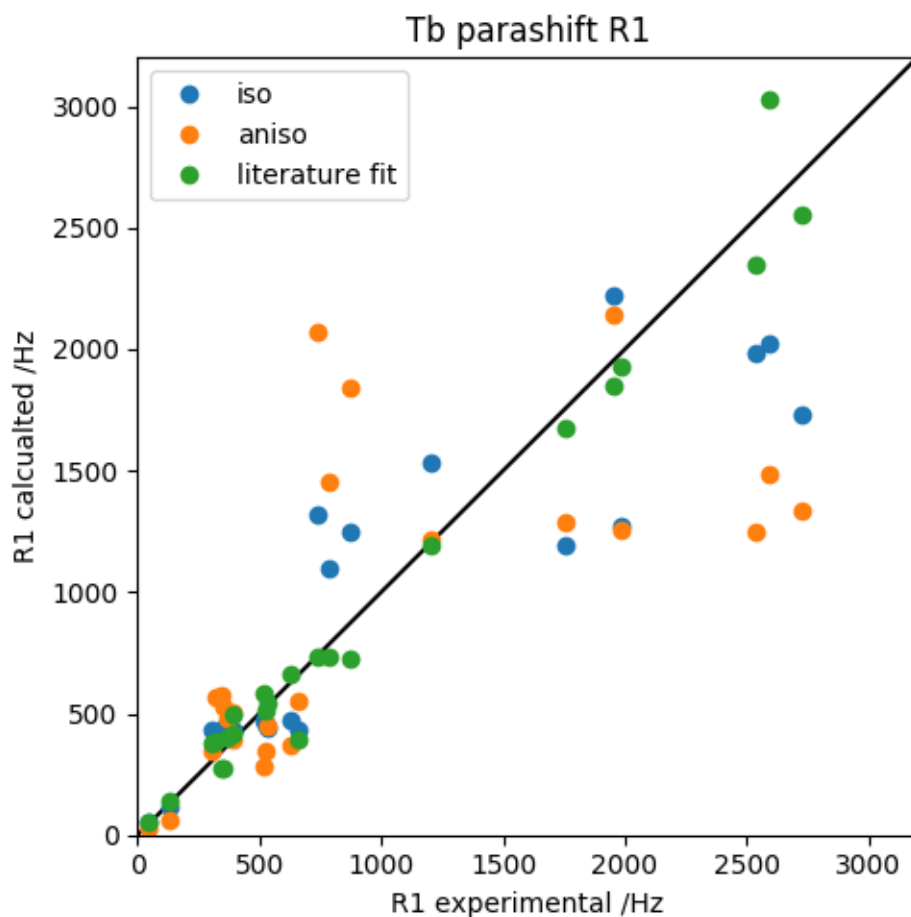
Finally the results of the fit are plotted alongside the isotropic theory and the literature fit. Note that the difference in the fit from paramagpy is small, and probably arises because the original paper uses a *Robust* linear fit, which may include weighting with experimental uncertainties. However paramagpy weights values evenly here because the experimental uncertainties are unknown.

```
pos = np.array([a.position for a in exp['atm']])
gam = np.array([a.gamma for a in exp['atm']])

fig = plt.figure(figsize=(5,5))
ax = fig.add_subplot(111)
ax.plot([0,3200],[0,3200], '-k')
ax.plot(exp['exp'], mfit.fast_sbm_r1(pos, gam), marker='o', lw=0, label='iso')
ax.plot(exp['exp'], mfit.fast_g_sbm_r1(pos, gam), marker='o', lw=0, label='aniso')
ax.plot(exp['exp'], m.fast_g_sbm_r1(pos, gam), marker='o', lw=0, label='literature_
↪ fit')
ax.set_xlim(0,3200)
ax.set_ylim(0,3200)
ax.set_xlabel("R1 experimental /Hz")
ax.set_ylabel("R1 calculated /Hz")
ax.set_title("Tb parashift R1")
ax.legend()
fig.tight_layout()
fig.savefig("pre_fit_aniso_dipolar.png")
```

Output: [pre\_fit\_aniso\_dipolar.png]





## 5.2.4 CCR data

### Calculate Cross-correlated Relaxation

This example shows how to calculate dipole-dipole/Curie-spin cross-correlated relaxation as measured for data in the literature by Pintacuda et. al.

### Downloads

- Download the data files `1bzhH.pdb`, `myoglobin_cn.ccr` and `myoglobin_f.ccr` from [here](#):
- Download the script `ccr_calculate.py`

### Script + Explanation

First the relevant modules are loaded, and the iron atom (paramagnetic centre) is identified as the variable `ironAtom`.

```
from paramagpy import protein, fit, dataparse, metal
import numpy as np

# Load the PDB file and get iron centre
prot = protein.load_pdb('../data_files/1bzhH.pdb')
ironAtom = prot[0]['A'][("H_HEM", 154, " ")]['FE']
```

Two paramagnetic centres are defined for the high and low spin iron atom. The positions are set to that of the iron centre along with other relevant parameters. The measured isotropic  $\chi$ -tensor magnitudes are also set.

```
met_cn = metal.Metal(position=ironAtom.position,
                     B0=18.79,
                     temperature=303.0,
                     taur=5.7E-9)

met_f = met_cn.copy()
met_cn.iso = 4.4E-32
met_f.iso = 30.1E-32
```

The experimental data are loaded and parsed by the protein.

```
data_cn = prot.parse(dataparse.read_ccr("../data_files/myoglobin_cn.ccr"))
data_f = prot.parse(dataparse.read_ccr("../data_files/myoglobin_f.ccr"))
```

A loop is conducted over the atoms contained in the experimental data and the CCR rate is calculated using the function `paramagpy.metal.Metal.atom_ccr()`. These are appended to lists `compare_cn` and `compare_f`.

Note that the two H and N atoms are provided. The first atom is the nuclear spin undergoing active relaxation. The second atom is the coupling partner. Thus by swapping the H and N atoms to give `atom_ccr(N, H)`, the differential line broadening can be calculated in the indirect dimension.

```
# Calculate the cross-correlated relaxation
compare_cn = []
for H, N, value, error in data_cn[['atm', 'atx', 'exp', 'err']]:
    delta = met_cn.atom_ccr(H, N)
    compare_cn.append((value, delta*0.5))

compare_f = []
for H, N, value, error in data_f[['atm', 'atx', 'exp', 'err']]:
    delta = met_f.atom_ccr(H, N)
    compare_f.append((value, delta*0.5))
```

Finally a correlation plot is made.

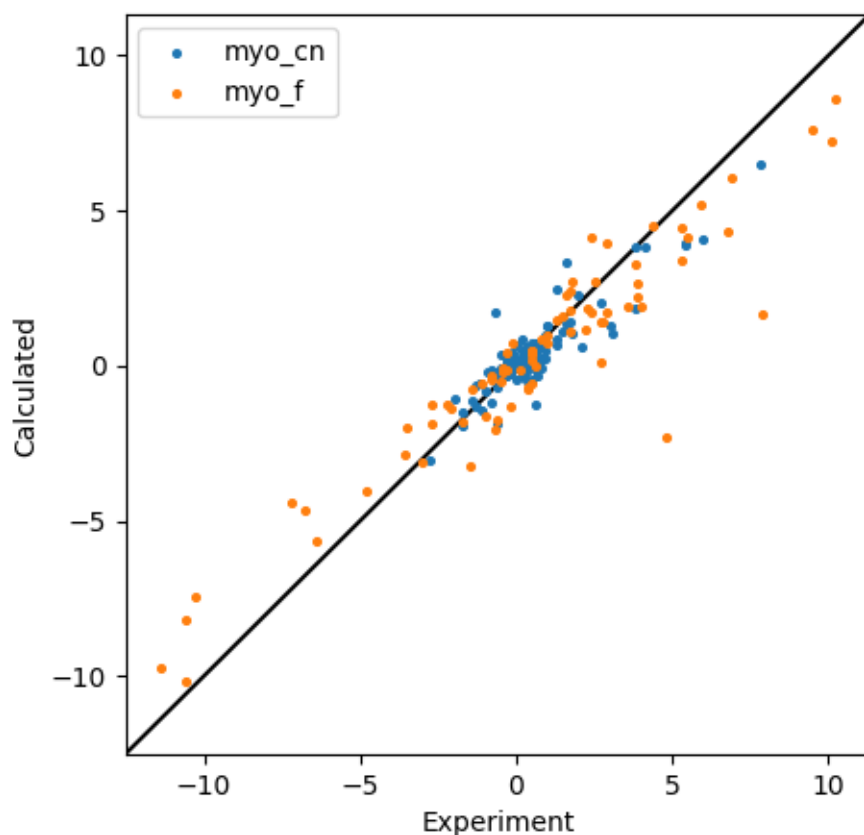
```
#### Plot the correlation ####
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(5,5))

# Plot the data correlations
ax.scatter(*zip(*compare_cn), s=7, label="myo_cn")
ax.scatter(*zip(*compare_f), s=7, label="myo_f")

# Plot a diagonal
l, h = ax.get_xlim()
ax.plot([l,h],[l,h], '-k', zorder=0)
ax.set_xlim(l,h)
ax.set_ylim(l,h)

# Make axis labels and save figure
ax.set_xlabel("Experiment")
ax.set_ylabel("Calculated")
ax.legend()
fig.savefig("ccr_calculate.png")
```

Output: [ccr\_calculate.png]



## 5.3 Graphic User Interface (GUI)

Paramagpy is equipped with a GUI which is cross-platform and contains most of the functionality of the scripted module. This gives a rapid way for new users to fit and compare PCS, RDC and PRE effects.

### 5.3.1 YouTube Tutorial

[Check out the tutorial on YouTube](#)

### 5.3.2 Running the GUI

To run the GUI, first open the python interpreter in the terminal

```
user@computer:~$ python3
Python 3.5.2 (default, Nov 23 2017, 16:37:01)
[GCC 5.4.0 20160609] on linux
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
>>>
```

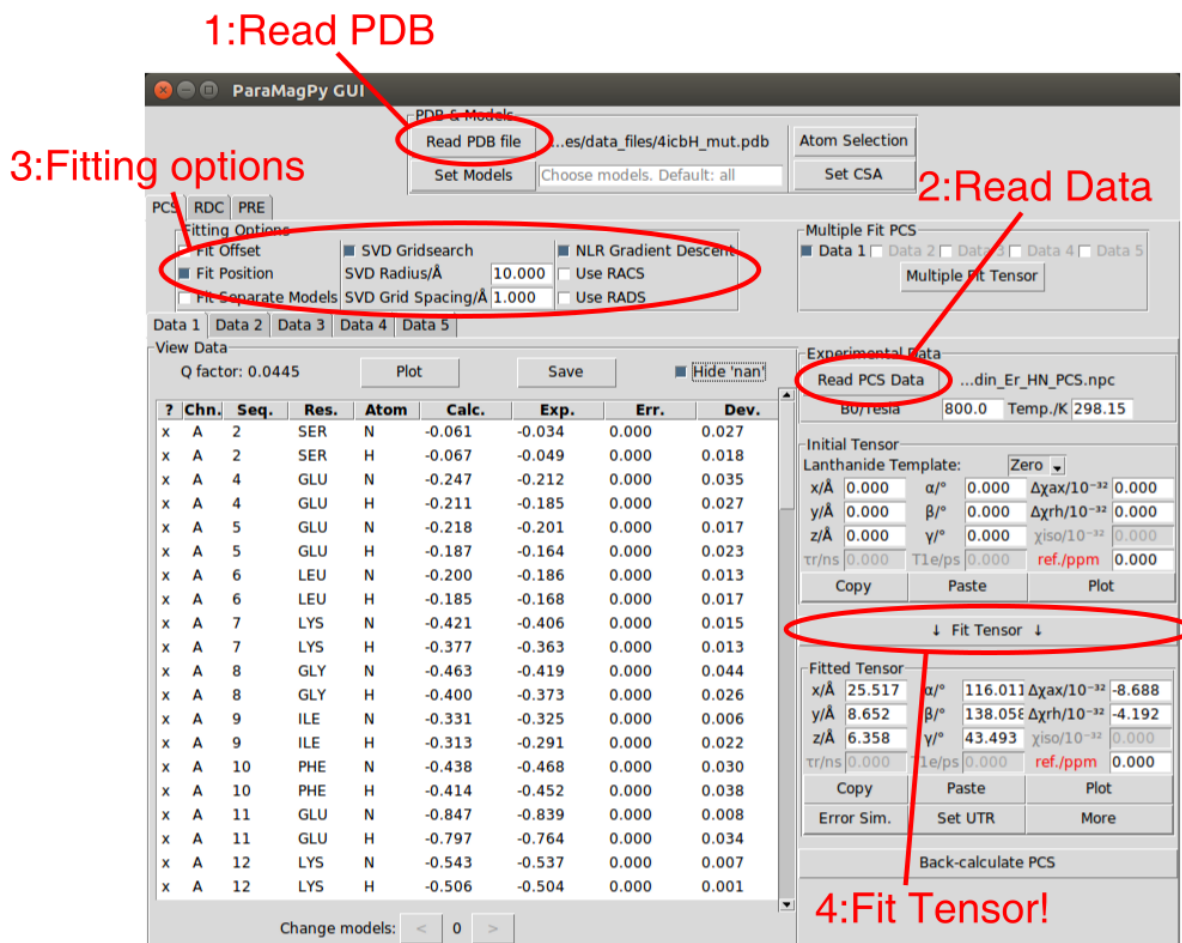
Then import paramagpy and start the gui with `paramagpy.gui.run()`.

```
user@computer:~$ python3
Python 3.5.2 (default, Nov 23 2017, 16:37:01)
[GCC 5.4.0 20160609] on linux
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
>>> import paramagpy
>>> paramagpy.gui.run()
```

Alternatively you can simply execute the following from the command line

```
user@computer:~$ echo "import paramagpy; paramagpy.gui.run()" | python3
```

If all this fails, you can contact the author for a prebuilt executable at [henry.orton@anu.edu.au](mailto:henry.orton@anu.edu.au)



## 5.4 NMR Software Macros

Paramagpy includes scripts for reading/writing PCS values directly from popular NMR software. This drastically improves the iterative process of tensor fitting.

### 5.4.1 CCPNMR Analysis 2.4

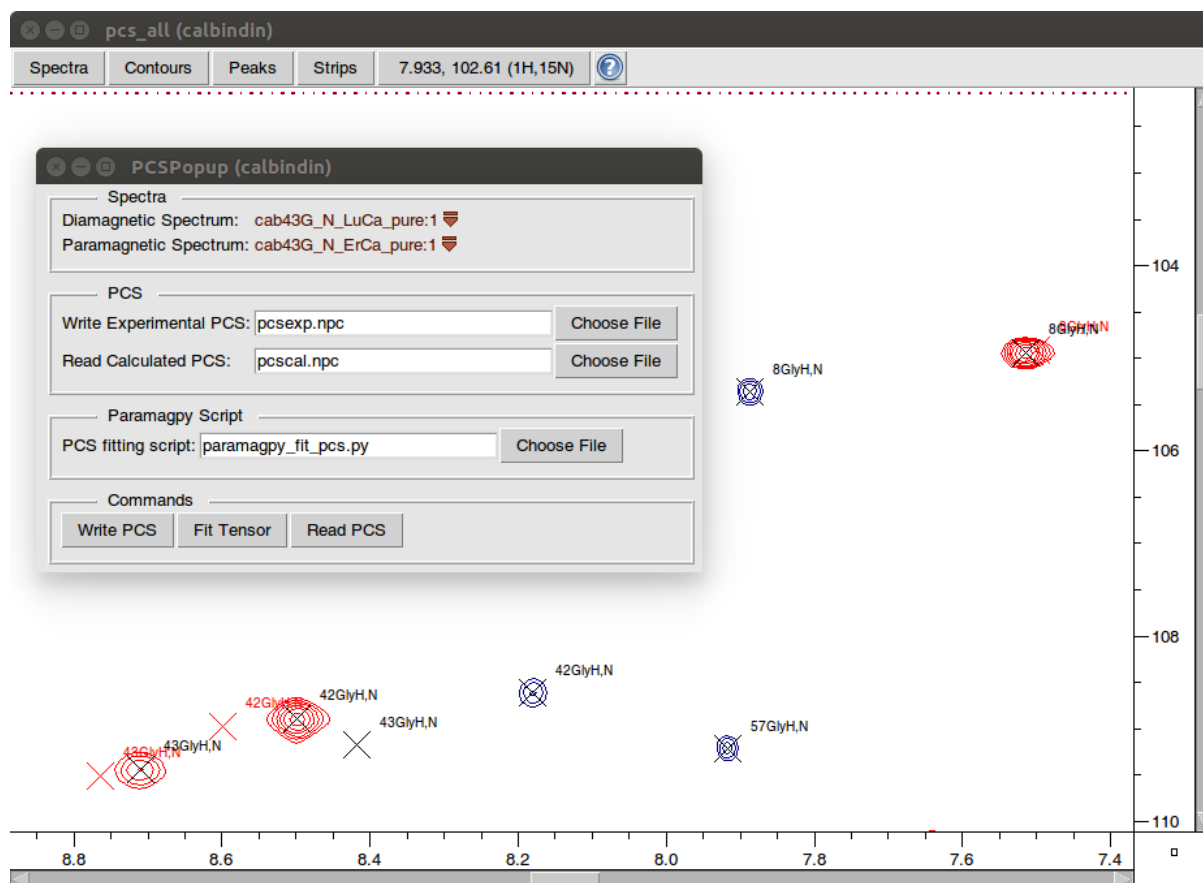
Download the two scripts:

- `paramagpy_ccpnmr_macro.py`
- `paramagpy_fit_pcs.py`

In the first line of the script `paramagpy_fit_pcs.py`, replace the shebang with the path to the python version on your machine that contains the paramagpy installation. On my computer this is set to.

```
#!/usr/bin/python3
```

Open CCPNMR analysis and navigate to Menu->Macro->Organise Macros. At the lower right click *Add Macro* and open the script `paramagpy_ccpnmr_macro.py`, then select `paramagpyMACRO` and click *Load Macro*. You can then select if from the list and click *Run* to reveal the screen below.



The popup window allows you to select a diamagnetic and paramagnetic spectrum and has 3 available buttons:

- **Write PCS:** This will calculate the difference between assigned peaks in the paramagnetic and diamagnetic spectra and write them to a .npc file (as specified in the relevant field).
- **Fit Tensor:** This will call the paramagpy script *paramagpy\_fit\_pcs.py* to fit the tensor the the written PCS values.
- **Read PCS:** This will read back-calculated PCS values from file (as specified in the relevant field) and plot the expected peaks on the paramagnetic spectrum in red.

Note, to alter the parameters for fitting of the PCS tensor, you can change the values within the script *paramagpy\_fit\_pcs.py*.

## 5.4.2 Sparky

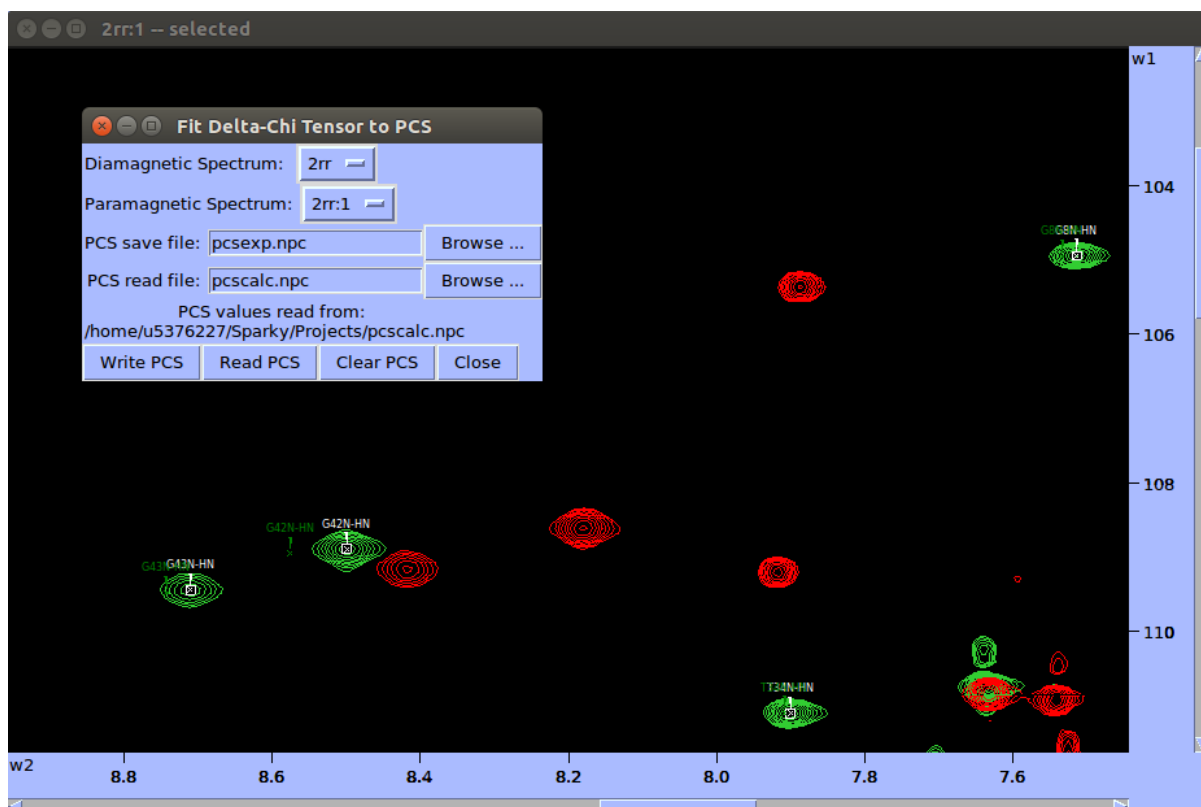
Download the 3 scripts:

- `paramagpy_sparky_macro.py`
- `sparky_init.py`
- `paramagpy_fit_pcs.py`

Place the first two scripts *paramagpy\_sparky\_macro.py* and *sparky\_init.py* in the Sparky directory `~/Sparky/Python`. Note that the Sparky directory usually contains the *Projects*, *Lists* and *Save* folders. You may need to create the *Python* directory here in which to place the two scripts.

Place the third script *paramagpy\_fit\_pcs.py* in your home directory.

Open Sparky and navigate to Extensions->Read and write PCS files.



The popup window allows you to select a diamagnetic and paramagnetic spectrum and has 3 available buttons:

- **Write PCS:** This will calculate the difference between assigned peaks in the paramagnetic and diamagnetic spectra and write them to a .npc file (as specified in the relevant field).
- **Read PCS:** This will read back-calculated PCS values from file (as specified in the relevant field) and plot the expected peaks on the paramagnetic spectrum in green.
- **Clear PCS:** This will remove all calculated PCS peaks from the spectrum.

Note, to perform the tensor fitting, you will need to execute the paramagpy script in a separate terminal including an argument with the experimental PCS file such as:

```
user@computer:~$ ./paramagpy_fit_pcs.py pcsexp.npc
```

To alter the parameters for fitting of the PCS tensor, you can change the values within the script *paramagpy\_fit\_pcs.py*.

## 5.5 Mathematical Proofs

### 5.5.1 Proof of equivalence between the matrix representation of Curie-spin dipole–dipole cross-correlated relaxation (Paramagpy implementation) and the original description by Ghose and Prestegard

This proof concerns equations 24-27 of the [article](#) on the software Paramagpy, which describe the cross-correlated relaxation between the Curie spin and dipole–dipole relaxation mechanisms. The equations 24-27 follow the matrix representation of relaxation theory (equations 20-21) by [Suturina et al.](#). It is shown below that these equations are equivalent to the equations established previously by [Ghose and Prestegard](#) and reported in slightly modified form by [Bertini et al.](#). The proof begins with equations 24-27 of the manuscript and describes their rearrangement into the form given by [Bertini et al.](#)

For a specific example, we consider the case of a  $^{15}\text{N}$  -  $^1\text{H}$  group, with the Curie-spin shielding tensor  $\sigma$  at the site

of the  $^1\text{H}$  spin located at  $\vec{r} = [x, y, z]$  and distance  $r$  from the paramagnetic centre.

$$\sigma = \frac{1}{4\pi r^5} \begin{bmatrix} (3x^2 - r^2) & 3xy & 3xz \\ 3xy & (3y^2 - r^2) & 3yz \\ 3xz & 3yz & (3z^2 - r^2) \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \chi_{xx} & \chi_{xy} & \chi_{xz} \\ \chi_{xy} & \chi_{yy} & \chi_{yz} \\ \chi_{xz} & \chi_{yz} & \chi_{zz} \end{bmatrix}$$

We choose the orientation of the electron- $^1\text{H}$  vector to be aligned with the  $z$ -axis such that  $z \rightarrow r$ . In the case of an isotropic magnetic susceptibility,  $x = y = 0$  and the  $\chi$  tensor is represented by a diagonal matrix with three identical elements  $\chi_{\text{iso}}$ , yielding the following simplification

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma &= \frac{1}{4\pi r^5} \begin{bmatrix} -r^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -r^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2r^2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \chi_{\text{iso}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \chi_{\text{iso}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \chi_{\text{iso}} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \xi_{\text{DSA}} \begin{bmatrix} -r^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -r^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2r^2 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{where } \xi_{\text{DSA}} &= \frac{\chi_{\text{iso}}}{4\pi r^5} \end{aligned}$$

The nuclear dipole shielding tensor arising from the  $^{15}\text{N}$  spin can be described in the same coordinate frame for an arbitrary orientation of the bond vector  $\vec{r}_{\text{HN}} = [x, y, z]$  with bond length  $r_{\text{HN}}$  by

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_N &= \frac{1}{B_0} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \gamma_N \hbar I \left[ 3 \frac{\vec{r}_{\text{HN}} \otimes \vec{r}_{\text{HN}}^T}{r_{\text{HN}}^5} - \frac{\mathbb{I}_3}{r_{\text{HN}}^3} \right] \\ \sigma_N &= \xi_{\text{DD}} \begin{bmatrix} (3x^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2) & 3xy & 3xz \\ 3xy & (3y^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2) & 3yz \\ 3xz & 3yz & (3z^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2) \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{where } \xi_{\text{DD}} &= \frac{1}{B_0} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{\gamma_N \hbar I}{r_{\text{HN}}^5} \end{aligned}$$

and  $x, y, z$  denote the coordinates of the  $^{15}\text{N}$  spin relative to the  $^1\text{H}$  spin.

The effective shielding tensor at the site of the  $^1\text{H}$  spin, when the  $^{15}\text{N}$  partner is in the spin-up state, is given by the sum of the two tensors

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{\uparrow} &= \sigma + \sigma_N \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} (3x^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} - (r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}} & (3xy)\xi_{\text{DD}} & (3xz)\xi_{\text{DD}} \\ (3xy)\xi_{\text{DD}} & (3y^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} - (r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}} & (3yz)\xi_{\text{DD}} \\ (3xz)\xi_{\text{DD}} & (3yz)\xi_{\text{DD}} & (3z^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} + (2r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Note that this matrix is symmetric. Therefore we can ignore equation 18 of the main text and only need to substitute matrix elements into equation 19. Expanding and simplifying (via symbolic processing in the program Mathematica), this yields

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta(\sigma_{\uparrow})^2 &= \sigma_{xx}^2 + \sigma_{yy}^2 + \sigma_{zz}^2 - \sigma_{xx}\sigma_{yy} - \sigma_{xx}\sigma_{zz} - \sigma_{yy}\sigma_{zz} \\ &\quad + \frac{3}{4} [(\sigma_{xy} + \sigma_{yx})^2 + (\sigma_{xz} + \sigma_{zx})^2 + (\sigma_{yz} + \sigma_{zy})^2] \\ &= ((3x^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} - (r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}})^2 \\ &\quad + ((3y^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} - (r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}})^2 \\ &\quad + ((3z^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} + (2r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}})^2 \\ &\quad - ((3x^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} - (r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}})((3y^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} - (r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}}) \\ &\quad - ((3x^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} - (r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}})((3z^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} + (2r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}}) \\ &\quad - ((3y^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} - (r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}})((3z^2 - r_{\text{HN}}^2)\xi_{\text{DD}} + (2r^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}}) \\ &\quad + \frac{3}{4} [(6xy\xi_{\text{DD}})^2 + (6xz\xi_{\text{DD}})^2 + (6yz\xi_{\text{DD}})^2] \\ &= 9\xi_{\text{DD}}^2 r_{\text{HN}}^4 + 9\xi_{\text{DSA}}^2 r^4 - 9\xi_{\text{DD}}(r_{\text{HN}}^2 - 3z^2)\xi_{\text{DSA}}r^2 \end{aligned}$$

The angle  $\theta$  between the electron-nuclear vector  $\vec{r}$  and the nuclear bond vector  $\vec{r}_{\text{HN}}$  is captured by the dot product formula

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{r} \cdot \vec{r}_{\text{HN}} &= |\vec{r}| |\vec{r}_{\text{HN}}| \cos \theta \\ \Rightarrow [0, 0, r] \cdot [x, y, z] &= r r_{\text{HN}} \cos \theta \\ \Rightarrow z &= r_{\text{HN}} \cos \theta\end{aligned}$$

Using above equation to substitute  $z$  yields

$$\Delta(\sigma_{\uparrow})^2 = 9\xi_{\text{DD}}^2 r_{\text{HN}}^4 + 9\xi_{\text{DSA}}^2 r^4 - 9\xi_{\text{DD}} r_{\text{HN}}^2 (1 - 3 \cos^2 \theta) \xi_{\text{DSA}} r^2$$

where the first two terms account for the dipolar and Curie spin auto-relaxation terms respectively, and the last term accounts for their cross-correlation. The  $R_2$  relaxation rate can be calculated by substitution of  $\Delta^2$  into equation 21 of the main text.

$$R_2^{\text{Curie}}(\sigma_{\uparrow}) = \frac{1}{45} \omega^2 [4\mathbf{J}(0) + 3\mathbf{J}(\omega)] (9\xi_{\text{DD}}^2 r_{\text{HN}}^4 + 9\xi_{\text{DSA}}^2 r^4 + 9\xi_{\text{DD}} r_{\text{HN}}^2 (3 \cos^2 \theta - 1) \xi_{\text{DSA}} r^2)$$

The same derivation for  $\sigma_{\downarrow}$  yields the same result except for a sign change in the cross term:

$$R_2^{\text{Curie}}(\sigma_{\downarrow}) = \frac{1}{45} B_0^2 \gamma_H^2 [4\mathbf{J}(0) + 3\mathbf{J}(\omega)] (9\xi_{\text{DD}}^2 r_{\text{HN}}^4 + 9\xi_{\text{DSA}}^2 r^4 - 9\xi_{\text{DD}} r_{\text{HN}}^2 (3 \cos^2 \theta - 1) \xi_{\text{DSA}} r^2)$$

Taking the difference we obtain

$$\begin{aligned}R_2^{\text{Curie} \times \text{DD}} &= R_2^{\text{Curie}}(\sigma_{\uparrow}) - R_2^{\text{Curie}}(\sigma_{\downarrow}) \\ &= \frac{1}{45} B_0^2 \gamma_H^2 (18\xi_{\text{DD}} r_{\text{HN}}^2 (3 \cos^2 \theta - 1) \xi_{\text{DSA}} r^2) [4\mathbf{J}(0) + 3\mathbf{J}(\omega)] \\ &= \frac{18}{45} \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{B_0 \gamma_H^2 \gamma_N \hbar I}{r_{\text{HN}}^3} \frac{\chi_{\text{iso}}}{4\pi r^3} (3 \cos^2 \theta - 1) [4\mathbf{J}(0) + 3\mathbf{J}(\omega)]\end{aligned}$$

Substituting  $\chi_{\text{iso}}$  and the spin of  $^{15}\text{N}$  as  $I=1/2$  yields

$$\begin{aligned}R_2^{\text{Curie} \times \text{DD}} &= \frac{9}{45} \left( \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \right)^2 \frac{B_0 \gamma_H^2 \gamma_N \hbar}{r_{\text{HN}}^3} \frac{\mu_B^2 g^2 J(J+1)}{3kTr^3} (3 \cos^2 \theta - 1) [4\mathbf{J}(0) + 3\mathbf{J}(\omega)] \\ &= \frac{2}{15} \left( \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \right)^2 \frac{B_0 \gamma_H^2 \gamma_N \hbar}{r_{\text{HN}}^3} \frac{\mu_B^2 g^2 J(J+1)}{kTr^3} \frac{(3 \cos^2 \theta - 1)}{2} [4\mathbf{J}(0) + 3\mathbf{J}(\omega)]\end{aligned}$$

The differential line width can be calculated from the relaxation rate as  $\Delta\nu = R_2^{\text{Curie} \times \text{DD}} / \pi$  and thus this equation matches equation 7 from Bertini et al..

## 5.6 Reference Guide

### 5.6.1 Paramagnetic module

This module handles the paramagnetic centre by defining the magnetic susceptibility tensor and methods for PCS, RDC and PRE calculations.

#### paramagpy.metal

##### Functions

<code>euler_to_matrix(eulers)</code>	Calculate a rotation matrix from euler angles using ZYZ convention
<code>matrix_to_euler(M)</code>	Calculate Euler angles from a rotation matrix using ZYZ convention
<code>unique_eulers(eulers)</code>	Calculate Euler angles in unique tensor representation.
<code>make_tensor(x, y, z, axial, rhombic, alpha, ...)</code>	Make a ChiTensor instance from given parameters.



### paramagpy.metal.euler\_to\_matrix

`paramagpy.metal.euler_to_matrix(eulers)`

Calculate a rotation matrix from euler angles using ZYZ convention

**Parameters** `eulers` (*array of floats*) – the euler angles [alpha,beta,gamma] in radians by ZYZ convention.

**Returns** `matrix` – the rotation matrix

**Return type** 3x3 numpy ndarray

#### Examples

```
>>> eulers = np.array([0.5,1.2,0.8])
>>> euler_to_matrix(eulers)
array([[ -0.1223669 , -0.5621374 ,  0.81794125],
       [  0.75057357,  0.486796  ,  0.44684334],
       [ -0.64935788,  0.66860392,  0.36235775]])
```

### paramagpy.metal.matrix\_to\_euler

`paramagpy.metal.matrix_to_euler(M)`

Calculate Euler angles from a rotation matrix using ZYZ convention

**Parameters** `M` (*3x3 numpy ndarray*) – a rotation matrix

**Returns** `eulers` – the euler angles [alpha,beta,gamma] in radians by ZYZ convention

**Return type** array of floats

#### Examples

```
>>> matrix = array([[ -0.1223669 , -0.5621374 ,  0.81794125],
                   [  0.75057357,  0.486796  ,  0.44684334],
                   [ -0.64935788,  0.66860392,  0.36235775]])
>>> matrix_to_euler(matrix)
np.array([0.5,1.2,0.8])
```

### paramagpy.metal.unique\_eulers

`paramagpy.metal.unique_eulers(eulers)`

Calculate Euler angles in unique tensor representation.

Given general Euler angles by ZYZ convention, this function accounts for the symmetry of a second rank symmetric tensor to map all angles within the range [0, pi].

**Parameters** `eulers` (*array of float*) – the three Euler angles in radians

**Returns** `eulers_utr` – the euler angles [alpha,beta,gamma] in radians by ZYZ convention

**Return type** array of floats

#### Examples

```
>>> eulers = np.array([-5.2,10.3,0.1])
>>> unique_eulers(eulers)
np.array([1.08318531 0.87522204 3.04159265])
```

## paramagpy.metal.make\_tensor

`paramagpy.metal.make_tensor(x, y, z, axial, rhombic, alpha, beta, gamma, lanthanide=None, temperature=298.15)`

Make a ChiTensor instance from given parameters. This is designed to use pdb coordinates (x, y, z) and euler angles from an output like Numbat.

### Parameters

- **y, z** (*x*,) – tensor position in pdb coordiante in Angstroms
- **rhombic** (*axial*,) – the tensor anisotropies in units  $10^{-32}$
- **beta, gamma** (*alpha*,) – the euler angles in degrees that maps the tensor to the pdb (I think?)

**Returns** **ChiTensor** – a tensor object for calulating paramagnetic effects on nuclear spins in the pdb coordinate

**Return type** object `paramagpy.metal.Metal`

## Classes

<code>Metal</code> ([position, eulers, axrh, mueff, ...])	An object for paramagnetic chi tensors and delta-chi tensors.
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## paramagpy.metal.Metal

**class** `paramagpy.metal.Metal` (*position*=(0, 0, 0), *eulers*=(0, 0, 0), *axrh*=(0, 0), *mueff*=0.0, *g\_axrh*=(0, 0), *t1e*=0.0, *shift*=0.0, *temperature*=298.15, *B0*=18.79, *taur*=0.0)

An object for paramagnetic chi tensors and delta-chi tensors. This class has basic attributes that specify position, axiality/rhombicity, isotropy and euler angles. It also has methods for calculating PCS, RDC, PRE and CCR values.

**\_\_init\_\_** (*position*=(0, 0, 0), *eulers*=(0, 0, 0), *axrh*=(0, 0), *mueff*=0.0, *g\_axrh*=(0, 0), *t1e*=0.0, *shift*=0.0, *temperature*=298.15, *B0*=18.79, *taur*=0.0)  
Instantiate ChiTensor object

### Parameters

- **position** (*array of floats, optional*) – the (x,y,z) position in meters. Default is (0,0,0) stored as a np.matrix object.
- **eulers** (*array of floats, optional*) – the euler angles [alpha,beta,gamma] in radians by ZYZ convention. Default is (0,0,0)
- **axrh** (*array of floats, optional*) – the axial and rhombic values defining the magnetic susceptibility anisotropy
- **g\_axrh** (*array of floats, optional*) – the axial and rhombic values defining the power spectral density tensor
- **mueff** (*float*) – the effective magnetic moment in units of A.m<sup>2</sup>
- **shift** (*float*) – a bulk shift value applied to all PCS calculations. This is a correction parameter that may arise due to an offset between diamagnetic and paramagnetic PCS datasets.
- **temperature** (*float*) – the temperature in Kelvin
- **t1e** (*float*) – the longitudinal electronic relaxation time
- **B0** (*float*) – the magnetic field in Telsa
- **taur** (*float*) – the rotational correlation time in seconds

## Methods

<code>atom_ccr(atom, atomPartner)</code>	Calculate R2 cross-correlated relaxation due to DDxDSA
<code>atom_pcs(atom[, racs, rads])</code>	Calculate the psuedo-contact shift at the given atom
<code>atom_pre(atom[, rtype, dsa, sbm, csa])</code>	Calculate the PRE for an atom
<code>atom_rdc(atom1, atom2)</code>	Calculate the residual dipolar coupling between two atoms
<code>atom_set_position(atom)</code>	Set the position of the Metal object to that of an atom
<code>average(metals)</code>	Set the attributes of the current instance to the average of a list of provided tensor objects
<code>ccr(position, gamma, dipole_shift_tensor)</code>	Calculate R2 cross-correlated relaxation due to DDxDSA
<code>copy()</code>	Copy the current Metal object to a new instance
<code>dipole_shift_tensor(position)</code>	Calculate the chemical shift tensor at the given position
<code>dsa_r1(position, gamma[, csa])</code>	Calculate R1 relaxation due to Curie Spin
<code>dsa_r2(position, gamma[, csa])</code>	Calculate R2 relaxation due to Curie Spin
<code>fast_ccr(posarray, gammaarray, dstarray)</code>	Vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.ccr()</code>
<code>fast_dipole_shift_tensor(posarray)</code>	A vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.dipole_shift_tensor()</code>
<code>fast_dsa_r1(posarray, gammaarray[, csaarray])</code>	Vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.dsa_r1()</code>
<code>fast_dsa_r2(posarray, gammaarray[, csaarray])</code>	Vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.dsa_r2()</code>
<code>fast_first_invariant_squared(t)</code>	Vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.first_invariant_squared()</code>
<code>fast_g_sbm_r1(posarray, gammaarray)</code>	Vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.g_sbm_r1()</code>
<code>fast_pcs(posarray)</code>	A vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.pcs()</code>
<code>fast_pre(posarray, gammaarray, rtype[, dsa, ...])</code>	Calculate the PRE for a set of spins using Curie and or SBM theory
<code>fast_racs(csaarray)</code>	A vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.racs()</code>
<code>fast_rads(posarray)</code>	A vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.rads()</code>
<code>fast_rdc(vecarray, gammaProdArray)</code>	A vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.rdc()</code> method.
<code>fast_sbm_r1(posarray, gammaarray)</code>	Vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.sbm_r1()</code>
<code>fast_sbm_r2(posarray, gammaarray)</code>	Vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.sbm_r2()</code>
<code>fast_second_invariant_squared(t)</code>	Vectorised version of <code>paramagpy.metal.Metal.second_invariant_squared()</code>
<code>first_invariant_squared(t)</code>	Calculate the antisymmetric contribution to relaxation via the first invariant of a tensor.
<code>g_sbm_r1(position, gamma)</code>	Calculate R1 relaxation due to Solomon-Bloembergen-Morgan theory from anisotropic power spectral density tensor
<code>get_params(params)</code>	Get tensor parameters that have been scaled appropriately

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<code>info([comment])</code>	Get basic information about the Metal object
<code>isomap([protein, isoval])</code>	
<code>make_mesh([density, size, origin])</code>	Construct a 3D grid of points to map an isosurface
<code>pcs(position)</code>	Calculate the psuedo-contact shift at the given position
<code>pcs_gradient(position)</code>	Calculate the gradient of the psuedo-contact shift at the given position.
<code>pcs_mesh(mesh)</code>	Calculate a PCS value at each location of cubic grid of points
<code>pre(position, gamma, rtype[, dsa, sbm, ...])</code>	Calculate the PRE for a set of spins using Curie and or SBM theory
<code>pre_mesh(mesh[, gamma, rtype, dsa, sbm])</code>	Calculate a PRE value at each location of cubic grid of points
<code>racs(csa)</code>	Calculate the residual anisotropic chemical shift at the given position.
<code>rads(position)</code>	Calculate the residual anisotropic dipolar shift at the given position.
<code>rdc(vector, gammaProd)</code>	Calculate Residual Dipolar Coupling (RDC)
<code>save([fileName])</code>	
<code>sbm_r1(position, gamma)</code>	Calculate R1 relaxation due to Solomon-Bloembergen-Morgan theory
<code>sbm_r2(position, gamma)</code>	Calculate R2 relaxation due to Solomon-Bloembergen-Morgan theory
<code>second_invariant_squared(t)</code>	Calculate the second invariant squared of a tensor.
<code>set_Jg(J, g)</code>	Set the magnetic susceptibility absolute magnitude from J/g.
<code>set_lanthanide(lanthanide[, set_dchi])</code>	Set the anisotropy, isotropy and T1e parameters from literature values
<code>set_params(paramValues)</code>	Set tensor parameters that have been scaled appropriately
<code>set_utr()</code>	Modify current tensor parameters to unique tensor representation (UTR)
<code>spec_dens(tau, omega)</code>	A spectral density function with Lorentzian shape:
<code>write_isomap(mesh, bounds[, fileName])</code>	Write a PyMol script to file which allows loading of the isosurface file
<code>write_pymol_script([isoval, surface-Name, ...])</code>	Write a PyMol script to file which allows loading of the isosurface file

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.atom\_ccr

`Metal.atom_ccr (atom, atomPartner)`

Calculate R2 cross-correlated relaxation due to DDxDSA

#### Parameters

- **atom** (`paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom`) – the active nuclear spin for which relaxation will be calculated must have attributes 'position' and 'gamma'
- **atomPartner** (`paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom`) – the coupling partner nuclear spin must have method 'dipole\_shift\_tensor'

**Returns value** – the CCR differential line broadening in Hz

**Return type** float

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.atom\_pcs

`Metal.atom_pcs (atom, racs=False, rads=False)`

Calculate the psuedo-contact shift at the given atom

**Parameters**

- **atom** (*biopython atom object*) – must have ‘position’ attribute
- **racs** (*bool (optional)*) – when True, RACS (residual anisotropic chemical shielding) correction is included. Default is False
- **rads** (*bool (optional)*) – when True, RADS (residual anisotropic dipolar shielding) correction is included. Default is False

**Returns** **pcs** – the pseudo-contact shift in parts-per-million (ppm)

**Return type** float

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.atom\_pre**

`Metal.atom_pre(atom, rtype='r2', dsa=True, sbm=True, csa=0.0)`

Calculate the PRE for an atom

**Parameters**

- **atom** (`paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom`) – the active nuclear spin for which relaxation will be calculated must have attributes ‘position’ and ‘gamma’
- **rtype** (*str*) – either ‘r1’ or ‘r2’, the relaxation type
- **dsa** (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default), DSA or Curie spin relaxation is included
- **sbm** (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default), SBM spin relaxation is included
- **csa** (*array with shape (3,3) (optional)*) – CSA tensor of the spin. This defaults to 0.0, meaning CSAxDSA crosscorrelation is not accounted for.

**Returns** **rate** – The PRE rate in /s

**Return type** float

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.atom\_rdc**

`Metal.atom_rdc(atom1, atom2)`

Calculate the residual dipolar coupling between two atoms

**Parameters**

- **atom1** (*biopython atom object*) – must have ‘position’ and ‘gamma’ attribute
- **atom2** – must have ‘position’ and ‘gamma’ attribute

**Returns** **rdc** – the RDC values in Hz

**Return type** float

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.atom\_set\_position**

`Metal.atom_set_position(atom)`

Set the position of the Metal object to that of an atom

**Parameters** **atom** (*biopython atom object*) – must have ‘position’ attribute

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.average**

`Metal.average(metals)`

Set the attributes of the current instance to the average of a list of provided tensor objects

WARNING: averaging is unstable for spectral power density <g\_tensor>

**Parameters** **metals** (*a list of Metal objects*) – the average of attributes of this list will be taken

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.ccr**

`Metal.ccr(position, gamma, dipole_shift_tensor)`

Calculate R2 cross-correlated relaxation due to DDxDSA

If the metal has an anisotropic magnetic susceptibility, this is taken into account.

**Parameters**

- **position** (*array of floats*) – three coordinates (x,y,z) this is the position of the nuclear spin
  - **gamma** (*float*) – the gyromagnetic ratio of the relaxing spin
  - **dipole\_shift\_tensor** (*3x3 array of floats*) – this is the dipole shift tensor arising from the nuclear spin of the coupling partner
- Returns value** – The R2 differential line broadening rate in /s  
**Return type** float

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.copy

`Metal.copy()`

Copy the current Metal object to a new instance

**Returns new\_tensor** – a new Metal instance with the same parameters

**Return type** Metal object

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.dipole\_shift\_tensor

`Metal.dipole_shift_tensor(position)`

Calculate the chemical shift tensor at the given position

This arises due to the paramagnetic dipole tensor field

**Parameters position** (*array floats*) – the position (x, y, z) in meters

**Returns dipole\_shift\_tensor** – the tensor describing chemical shift at the nuclear position

**Return type** 3x3 array

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.dsa\_r1

`Metal.dsa_r1(position, gamma, csa=0.0)`

Calculate R1 relaxation due to Curie Spin

If the metal has an anisotropic magnetic susceptibility, this is taken into account, resulting in orientation dependent PRE as predicted by Vega and Fiat. CSA cross-correlated relaxation may be included by providing an appropriate CSA tensor.

**Parameters**

- **position** (*array of floats*) – three coordinates (x,y,z) in meters
- **gamma** (*float*) – the gyromagnetic ratio of the spin
- **csa** (*3x3 matrix (optional)*) – the CSA tensor of the given spin. This defaults to 0.0, meaning CSAxDSA crosscorrelation is not accounted for.

**Returns value** – The R1 relaxation rate in /s

**Return type** float

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.dsa\_r2

`Metal.dsa_r2(position, gamma, csa=0.0)`

Calculate R2 relaxation due to Curie Spin

If the metal has an anisotropic magnetic susceptibility, this is taken into account, resulting in orientation dependent PRE as predicted by Vega and Fiat. CSA cross-correlated relaxation may be included by providing an appropriate CSA tensor.

**Parameters**

- **position** (*array of floats*) – three coordinates (x,y,z)
- **gamma** (*float*) – the gyromagnetic ratio of the spin
- **csa** (*3x3 matrix (optional)*) – the CSA tensor of the given spin. This defaults to 0.0, meaning CSAxDSA crosscorrelation is not accounted for.

**Returns value** – The R2 relaxation rate in /s

**Return type** float

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_ccr**

`Metal.fast_ccr(posarray, gammaarray, dstarray)`

Vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.ccr()`

This is generally used for speed in fitting DDxDSA data

If the metal has an anisotropic magnetic susceptibility, this is taken into account.

**Parameters**

- **posarray** (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of positions in meters
- **gammaarray** (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of gyromagnetic ratios of the spins
- **dstarray** (array with shape  $(n, 3, 3)$ ) – array of nuclear dipole shift tensors arising from the coupling partners

**Returns** **rates** – The R2 differential line broadening rates in /s

**Return type** array with shape  $(n, 1)$

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_dipole\_shift\_tensor**

`Metal.fast_dipole_shift_tensor(posarray)`

A vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.dipole_shift_tensor()`

This is generally used for fast calculations.

**Parameters** **posarray** (array) – an array of positions with shape  $(n, 3)$

**Returns** **dipole\_shift\_tensor\_array** – and array of dipole shift tensors at corresponding positions. This has shape  $(n, 3, 3)$

**Return type** array

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_dsa\_r1**

`Metal.fast_dsa_r1(posarray, gammaarray, csaarray=0.0)`

Vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.dsa_r1()`

This is generally used for speed in fitting PRE data

**Parameters**

- **posarray** (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of positions in meters
- **gammaarray** (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of gyromagnetic ratios of the spins
- **csaarray** (array with shape  $(m, 3, 3)$  (optional)) – array of CSA tensors of the spins. This defaults to 0.0, meaning CSAxDSA crosscorrelation is not accounted for.

**Returns** **rates** – The R1 relaxation rates in /s

**Return type** array with shape  $(n, 1)$

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_dsa\_r2**

`Metal.fast_dsa_r2(posarray, gammaarray, csaarray=0.0)`

Vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.dsa_r2()`

This is generally used for speed in fitting PRE data.

**Parameters**

- **posarray** (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of positions in meters
- **gammaarray** (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of gyromagnetic ratios of the spins
- **csaarray** (array with shape  $(m, 3, 3)$  (optional)) – array of CSA tensors of the spins. This defaults to 0.0, meaning CSAxDSA crosscorrelation is not accounted for.

**Returns** **rates** – The R2 relaxation rates in /s

**Return type** array with shape  $(n, 1)$

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_first\_invariant\_squared****static** `Metal.fast_first_invariant_squared(t)`Vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.first_invariant_squared()`

This is generally used for speed in fitting PRE data

**Parameters** `tensorarray` (array with shape  $(n, 3, 3)$ ) – array of shielding tensors**Returns** `firstInvariantSquared` – the first invariants squared of the tensors**Return type** array with shape  $(n, 1)$ **paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_g\_sbm\_r1**`Metal.fast_g_sbm_r1(posarray, gammaarray)`Vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.g_sbm_r1()`

This is generally used for speed in fitting PRE data

**Parameters**

- `posarray` (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of positions in meters
- `gammaarray` (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of gyromagnetic ratios of the spins

**Returns** `rates` – The R1 relaxation rates in /s**Return type** array with shape  $(n, 1)$ **paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_pcs**`Metal.fast_pcs(posarray)`A vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.pcs()`

This efficient algorithm calculates the PCSs for an array of positions and is best used where speed is required for fitting.

**Parameters** `posarray` (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of ‘n’ positions (x, y, z) in meters**Returns** `pcs` – the pseudo-contact shift in parts-per-million (ppm)**Return type** array of floats with shape  $(n, 1)$ **paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_pre**`Metal.fast_pre(posarray, gammaarray, rtype, dsa=True, sbm=True, gsbm=False, csaarray=0.0)`

Calculate the PRE for a set of spins using Curie and or SBM theory

**Parameters**

- `posarray` (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of positions in meters
- `gammaarray` (array with shape  $(n, 3)$ ) – array of gyromagnetic ratios of the spins
- `rtype` (*str*) – either ‘r1’ or ‘r2’, the relaxation type
- `dsa` (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default), DSA or Curie spin relaxation is included
- `sbm` (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default), SBM spin relaxation is included
- `gsbm` (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default=False), anisotropic dipolar relaxation is included using the spectral power density tensor `<g_tensor>` NOTE: when true, ignores relaxation of type SBM NOTE: only implemented for R1 relaxation calculations
- `csaarray` (array with shape  $(m, 3, 3)$  (*optional*)) – array of CSA tensors of the spins. This defaults to 0.0, meaning CSAxDSA crosscorrelation is not accounted for.

**Returns** `rates` – The PRE rates in /s**Return type** array with shape  $(n, 1)$



### paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_racs

`Metal.fast_racs` (*csaarray*)

A vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.racs()`

This is generally used when speed is required for fitting

**Parameters** `csaarray` (*array with shape (n, 3, 3)*) – array of chemical shift anisotropy tensors

**Returns** `racs_array` – the residual anisotropic chemical shift in parts-per-million (ppm)

**Return type** array of floats with shape (n,1)

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_rads

`Metal.fast_rads` (*posarray*)

A vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.rads()`

This is generally used when speed is required for fitting

**Parameters** `posarray` (*array with shape (n, 3)*) – an array of ‘n’ positions (x, y, z) in meters

**Returns** `rads_array` – the residual anisotropic dipole shift in parts-per-million (ppm)

**Return type** array of floats with shape (n,1)

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_rdc

`Metal.fast_rdc` (*vecarray, gammaProdArray*)

A vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.rdc()` method.

This is generally used for speed in fitting RDC data

**Parameters**

- `vecarray` (*array with shape (n, 3)*) – array of internuclear vectors in meters
- `gammaProdArray` (*array with shape (n, 1)*) – the products of gyromagnetic ratios of spins A and B where each has units of rad/s/T

**Returns** `rdc_array` – the RDC values in Hz

**Return type** array with shape (n,1)

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_sbm\_r1

`Metal.fast_sbm_r1` (*posarray, gammaarray*)

Vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.sbm_r1()`

This is generally used for speed in fitting PRE data

**Parameters**

- `posarray` (*array with shape (n, 3)*) – array of positions in meters
- `gammaarray` (*array with shape (n, 3)*) – array of gyromagnetic ratios of the spins

**Returns** `rates` – The R1 relaxation rates in /s

**Return type** array with shape (n,1)

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_sbm\_r2

`Metal.fast_sbm_r2` (*posarray, gammaarray*)

Vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.sbm_r2()`

This is generally used for speed in fitting PRE data

**Parameters**

- `posarray` (*array with shape (n, 3)*) – array of positions in meters
- `gammaarray` (*array with shape (n, 3)*) – array of gyromagnetic ratios of the spins

**Returns** `rates` – The R2 relaxation rates in /s

**Return type** array with shape (n,1)

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.fast\_second\_invariant\_squared****static** `Metal.fast_second_invariant_squared(t)`Vectorised version of `paramagpy.metal.Metal.second_invariant_squared()`

This is generally used for speed in fitting PRE data

**Parameters** `tensorarray` (*array with shape (n,3,3)*) – array of shielding tensors**Returns** `secondInvariantSquared` – the second invariants squared of the tensors**Return type** array with shape (n,1)**paramagpy.metal.Metal.first\_invariant\_squared****static** `Metal.first_invariant_squared(t)`

Calculate the antisymmetric contribution to relaxation via the first invariant of a tensor.

This is required for PRE calculations using the shielding tensor

**Parameters** `tensor` (*3x3 matrix*) – a second rank tensor**Returns** `firstInvariantSquared` – the first invariant squared of the shift tensor**Return type** float**paramagpy.metal.Metal.g\_sbm\_r1**`Metal.g_sbm_r1(position, gamma)`

Calculate R1 relaxation due to Solomon-Bloembergen-Morgan theory from anisotropic power spectral density tensor

**Parameters**• **position** (*array of floats*) – three coordinates (x,y,z)• **gamma** (*float*) – the gyromagnetic ratio of the spin**Returns** `value` – The R1 relaxation rate in /s**Return type** float**paramagpy.metal.Metal.get\_params**`Metal.get_params(params)`

Get tensor parameters that have been scaled appropriately

This is often used to get parameter values during fitting where floating point errors would otherwise occur on the small values encountered.

**Parameters** `params` (*list of str*) – each element of the list is a string that corresponds to an attribute of the Metal to be retrieved.**Returns** `scaled_params` – a list with respective scaled parameter values from the input.**Return type** list**Examples**

```
>>> metal = Metal(axrh=[20E-32, 3E-32], position=[0.0, 10E-10, -5E-10])
>>> metal.get_params(['ax', 'rh', 'x', 'y', 'z'])
[20.0, 3.0, 0.0, 10.0, -5.0]
```

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.info**`Metal.info(comment=True)`

Get basic information about the Metal object

This is returned as a string in human readable units This is also the file format for saving the tensor

**Parameters** `comment` (*bool (optional)*) – if True, each line has a '#' placed at the front**Returns** `information` – a string containing basic information about the Metal

**Return type** str

### Examples

```
>>> metal = Metal()
>>> metal.set_lanthanide('Er')
>>> metal.info()
# ax      | 1E-32 m^3 :   -11.600
# rh      | 1E-32 m^3 :    -8.600
# x       | 1E-10 m   :    0.000
# y       | 1E-10 m   :    0.000
# z       | 1E-10 m   :    0.000
# a       |          deg :    0.000
# b       |          deg :    0.000
# g       |          deg :    0.000
# mueff   |          Bm :    9.581
# shift   |          ppm :    0.000
# B0      |          T  :   18.790
# temp    |          K  :   298.150
# tle     |          ps :    0.189
# taur    |          ns :    0.000
```

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.isomap

`Metal.isomap` (*protein=None, isoval=1.0, \*\*kwargs*)

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.make\_mesh

`Metal.make_mesh` (*density=2, size=40.0, origin=None*)

Construct a 3D grid of points to map an isosurface

This is contained in a cube

#### Parameters

- **density** (*int (optional)*) – the points per Angstrom in the grid
- **size** (*float (optional)*) – the length of one edge of the cube

#### Returns

- **mesh** (*cubic grid array*) – This has shape (n,n,n,3) where n is the number of points along one edge of the grid. Units are meters
- **origin** (*array of floats,*) – the (x,y,z) location of mesh vertex
- **low** (*array of ints, the integer location of the first*) – point in each dimension
- **high** (*array of ints, the integer location of the last*) – point in each dimension
- **points** (*array of ints,*) – the number of points along each dimension

### paramagpy.metal.Metal.pcs

`Metal.pcs` (*position*)

Calculate the psuedo-contact shift at the given postition

**Parameters** **position** (*array floats*) – the position (x, y, z) in meters

**Returns** **pcs** – the pseudo-contact shift in parts-per-million (ppm)

**Return type** float

### Examples

```
>>> metal = Metal()
>>> metal.set_lanthanide('Er')
>>> metal.pcs([0., 0., 10E-10])
-6.153991132886608
```

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.pcs\_gradient****Metal.pcs\_gradient** (*position*)

Calculate the gradient of the psuedo-contact shift at the given postition. This equation uses analytic partial derivatives calculated in Mathematica.

**Parameters** **position** (*array floats*) – the position (x, y, z) in metres

**Returns** **gradient** – the [x,y,z] gradient vector for the pseudo-contact shift in parts-per-million (ppm) per metre

**Return type** array of floats

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.pcs\_mesh****Metal.pcs\_mesh** (*mesh*)

Calculate a PCS value at each location of cubic grid of points

**Parameters** **mesh** (*array with shape (n,n,n,3)*) – a cubic grid as generated by the method <make\_mesh>

**Returns** **pcs\_mesh** – The same grid shape, with PCS values at the respective locations

**Return type** array with shape (n,n,n,1)

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.pre****Metal.pre** (*position, gamma, rtype, dsa=True, sbm=True, gsbm=False, csa=0.0*)

Calculate the PRE for a set of spins using Curie and or SBM theory

**Parameters**

- **position** (*array of floats*) – position in meters
- **gamma** (*float*) – gyromagnetic ratio of the spin
- **rtype** (*str*) – either 'r1' or 'r2', the relaxation type
- **dsa** (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default), DSA or Curie spin relaxation is included
- **sbm** (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default), SBM spin relaxation is included
- **gsbm** (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default=False), anisotropic dipolar relaxation is included using the spectral power density gensor <g\_tensor> NOTE: when true, ignores relaxation of type SBM NOTE: only implemented for R1 relaxation calculations
- **csa** (*array with shape (3,3) (optional)*) – CSA tensor of the spin. This defaults to 0.0, meaning CSAxDSA crosscorrelation is not accounted for.

**Returns** **rate** – The PRE rate in /s

**Return type** float

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.pre\_mesh****Metal.pre\_mesh** (*mesh, gamma=267512897.63847807, rtype='r2', dsa=True, sbm=True*)

Calculate a PRE value at each location of cubic grid of points

**Parameters**

- **mesh** (*array with shape (n,n,n,3)*) – a cubic grid as generated by the method <make\_mesh>
- **gamma** (*float*) – the gyromagnetic ratio of the spin
- **rtype** (*str*) – either 'r1' or 'r2', the relaxation type
- **dsa** (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default), DSA or Curie spin relaxation is included
- **sbm** (*bool (optional)*) – when True (default), SBM spin relaxation is included

**Returns** **pre\_mesh** – The same grid shape, with PRE values at the respective locations

**Return type** array with shape (n,n,n,1)

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.racs**`Metal.racs(csa)`

Calculate the residual anisotropic chemical shift at the given position.

The partial alignment induced by an anisotropic magnetic susceptibility causes the chemical shift tensor at a nuclear position to average to a value different to the isotropic value.

**Parameters** `csa` (*3 x 3 array*) – the chemical shift anisotropy tensor**Returns** `racs` – the residual anisotropic chemical shift in parts-per-million (ppm)**Return type** float**paramagpy.metal.Metal.rads**`Metal.rads(position)`

Calculate the residual anisotropic dipolar shift at the given position.

The partial alignment induced by an anisotropic magnetic susceptibility causes the dipole shift tensor at a nuclear position to average to a value different to the PCS.

**Parameters** `position` (*array floats*) – the position (x, y, z) in meters**Returns** `rads` – the residual anisotropic dipole shift in parts-per-million (ppm)**Return type** float**paramagpy.metal.Metal.rdc**`Metal.rdc(vector, gammaProd)`

Calculate Residual Dipolar Coupling (RDC)

**Parameters**

- `vector` (*array of floats*) – internuclear vector (x,y,z) in meters
- `gammaProd` (*float*) – the product of gyromagnetic ratios of spin A and B where each has units of rad/s/T

**Returns** `rdc` – the RDC in Hz**Return type** float**paramagpy.metal.Metal.save**`Metal.save(fileName='tensor.txt')`**paramagpy.metal.Metal.sbm\_r1**`Metal.sbm_r1(position, gamma)`

Calculate R1 relaxation due to Solomon-Bloembergen-Morgan theory

**Parameters**

- `position` (*array of floats*) – three coordinates (x,y,z)
- `gamma` (*float*) – the gyromagnetic ratio of the spin

**Returns** `value` – The R1 relaxation rate in /s**Return type** float**paramagpy.metal.Metal.sbm\_r2**`Metal.sbm_r2(position, gamma)`

Calculate R2 relaxation due to Solomon-Bloembergen-Morgan theory

**Parameters**

- `position` (*array of floats*) – three coordinates (x,y,z)
- `gamma` (*float*) – the gyromagnetic ratio of the spin

**Returns** `value` – The R2 relaxation rate in /s**Return type** float

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.second\_invariant\_squared****static** `Metal.second_invariant_squared(t)`

Calculate the second invariant squared of a tensor.

This is required for PRE calculations using the shielding tensor

**Parameters** `tensor` (*3x3 matrix*) – a second rank tensor**Returns** `secondInvariantSquared` – the second invariant squared of the shift tensor**Return type** float**paramagpy.metal.Metal.set\_Jg**`Metal.set_Jg(J, g)`

Set the magnetic susceptibility absolute magnitude from J/g.

This is achieved using the following formula:

$$\mu_{eff} = g\mu_B\sqrt{J(J+1)}$$

**Parameters**

- `J` (*str*) – the total spin angular momentum quantum number
- `g` (*bool, optional*) – the Lande g-factor

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.set\_lanthanide**`Metal.set_lanthanide(lanthanide, set_dchi=True)`

Set the anisotropy, isotropy and T1e parameters from literature values

**Parameters**

- `lanthanide` (*str*) – one of 'Ce', 'Pr', 'Nd', 'Pm', 'Sm', 'Eu', 'Gd', 'Tb', 'Dy', 'Ho', 'Er', 'Tm', 'Yb'
- `set_dichi` (*bool (optional)*) – if True (default), the tensor anisotropy is set. Otherwise only the isotropy and T1e values are set

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.set\_params**`Metal.set_params(paramValues)`

Set tensor parameters that have been scaled appropriately

This is the inverse of the method &lt;get\_params&gt;

**Parameters** `paramValues` (*list of tuple*) – each element is a tuple (variable, value) where 'variable' is the string identifying the attribute to be set, and 'value' is the corresponding value

**Examples**

```
>>> metal = Metal()
>>> metal.set_params([('ax', 20.0), ('rh', 3.0)])
>>> metal.axrh
[2.e-31 3.e-32]
```

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.set\_utr**`Metal.set_utr()`

Modify current tensor parameters to unique tensor representation (UTR)

Note that multiple axial/rhombic and euler angles can give congruent tensors. This method ensures that identical tensors may always be compared by using Numbat style representation.

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.spec\_dens****static** `Metal.spec_dens` (*tau*, *omega*)

A spectral density function with Lorentzian shape:

$$\mathbb{J}(\tau, \omega) = \frac{\tau}{1 + (\omega\tau)^2}$$

**Parameters**

- **tau** (*float*) – correaltion time
- **omega** (*float*) – frequency

**Returns** *value* – the value of the spectral densitiy**Return type** *float***paramagpy.metal.Metal.write\_isomap**`Metal.write_isomap` (*mesh*, *bounds*, *fileName*=*'isomap.pml.ccp4'*)

Write a PyMol script to file which allows loading of the isosurface file

**Parameters**

- **mesh** (*3D scalar np.ndarray of floats*) – the scalar field of PCS or PRE values in a cubic grid
- **bounds** (*tuple (origin, low, high, points)*) – as generated by `paramagpy.metal.Metal.make_mesh()`
- **fileName** (*str (optional)*) – the filename of the isosurface file

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.write\_pymol\_script**
`Metal.write_pymol_script` (*isoval*=*1.0*, *surfaceName*=*'isomap'*, *scriptName*=*'isomap.pml'*, *meshName*=*'.isomap.pml.ccp4'*, *pdbFile*=*None*)

Write a PyMol script to file which allows loading of the isosurface file

**Parameters**

- **isoval** (*float (optional)*) – the contour level of the isosurface
- **surfaceName** (*str (optional)*) – the name of the isosurface file within Py-Mol
- **scriptName** (*str (optional)*) – the name of the PyMol script to load the tensor isosurface
- **meshName** (*str (optional)*) – the name of the binary isosurface file
- **pdbFile** (*str (optional)*) – if not <None>, the file name of the PDB file to be loaded with the isosurface.

**Attributes**

<i>B0_MHz</i>	1H NMR frequency for the given field in MHz
<i>GAMMA</i>	
<i>HBAR</i>	
<i>K</i>	
<i>MU0</i>	
<i>MUB</i>	
<i>a</i>	alpha euler anglue
<i>alignment_factor</i>	Factor for conversion between magnetic susceptibility and alignment tensors
<i>ax</i>	axiality
<i>b</i>	beta euler anglue
<i>eigenvalues</i>	The eigenvalues defining the magnitude of the principle axes
<i>fit_scaling</i>	
<i>fundamental_attributes</i>	

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<i>g</i>	gamma euler anglue
<i>g_eigenvalues</i>	The eigenvalues defining the magnitude of the principle axes
<i>g_isotropy</i>	Estimate of the spectral power density tensor isotropy
<i>g_tensor</i>	The magnetic susceptibility tensor matrix representation
<i>gax</i>	axial componenet of spectral power density tensor
<i>grh</i>	axial componenet of spectral power density tensor
<i>iso</i>	isotropy
<i>isotropy</i>	The magnidue of the isotropic component of the tensor
<i>lanth_axrh</i>	
<i>lanth_lib</i>	
<i>lower_coords</i>	
<i>rh</i>	rhombicity
<i>rotationMatrix</i>	The rotation matrix as defined by the euler angles
<i>saupe_factor</i>	Factor for conversion between magnetic susceptibility and saupe tensors
<i>tauc</i>	The effective rotational correlation time.
<i>tensor</i>	The magnetic susceptibility tensor matrix representation
<i>tensor_alignment</i>	The alignment tensor matrix representation
<i>tensor_saupe</i>	The saupe tensor matrix representation
<i>tensor_traceless</i>	The traceless magnetic susceptibility tensor matrix representation
<i>upper_coords</i>	
<i>upper_triangular</i>	Fetch 5 unique matrix element defining the magnetic susceptibility tensor
<i>upper_triangular_alignment</i>	Fetch 5 unique matrix element defining the alignment tensor
<i>upper_triangular_saupe</i>	Fetch 5 unique matrix element defining the magnetic susceptibility tensor
<i>x</i>	x coordinate
<i>y</i>	y coordinate
<i>z</i>	z coordinate

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.B0\_MHz**`Metal.B0_MHz`

1H NMR frequency for the given field in MHz

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.GAMMA**`Metal.GAMMA = 176085964400.0`**paramagpy.metal.Metal.HBAR**`Metal.HBAR = 1.0546e-34`**paramagpy.metal.Metal.K**`Metal.K = 1.381e-23`



**paramagpy.metal.Metal.MU0**

`Metal.MU0` = 1.2566370614359173e-06

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.MUB**

`Metal.MUB` = 9.274e-24

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.a**

`Metal.a`  
alpha euler anglue

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.alignment\_factor**

`Metal.alignment_factor`  
Factor for conversion between magnetic susceptibility and alignment tensors

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.ax**

`Metal.ax`  
axiality

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.b**

`Metal.b`  
beta euler anglue

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.eigenvalues**

`Metal.eigenvalues`  
The eigenvalues defining the magnitude of the principle axes

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.fit\_scaling**

`Metal.fit_scaling` = {'a': 57.29577951308232, 'ax': 1e+32, 'b': 57.29577951308

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.fundamental\_attributes**

`Metal.fundamental_attributes` = ('position', 'eulers', 'axrh', 'mueff', 'g\_axrh',

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.g**

`Metal.g`  
gamma euler anglue

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.g\_eigenvalues**

`Metal.g_eigenvalues`  
The eigenvalues defining the magnitude of the principle axes

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.g\_isotropy**

`Metal.g_isotropy`  
Estimate of the spectral power density tensor isotropy

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.g\_tensor****Metal.g\_tensor**

The magnetic susceptibility tensor matrix representation

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.gax****Metal.gax**

axial componenet of spectral power density tensor

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.grh****Metal.grh**

axial componenet of spectral power density tensor

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.iso****Metal.iso**

isotropy

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.isotropy****Metal.isotropy**

The magnidue of the isotropic component of the tensor

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.lanth\_axrh****Metal.lanth\_axrh** = {'Ce': (2.08, 0.71), 'Dy': (34.7, 20.3), 'Er': (-11.6, -8.6)}**paramagpy.metal.Metal.lanth\_lib****Metal.lanth\_lib** = {'Ce': (2.5, 0.8571428571428571, 1.33e-13), 'Dy': (7.5, 1.33e-13)}**paramagpy.metal.Metal.lower\_coords****Metal.lower\_coords** = ((0, 1, 1, 2, 2), (0, 1, 0, 0, 1))**paramagpy.metal.Metal.rh****Metal.rh**

rhombicity

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.rotationMatrix****Metal.rotationMatrix**

The rotation matrix as defined by the euler angles

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.saupe\_factor****Metal.saupe\_factor**

Factor for conversion between magnetic susceptibility and saupe tensors

**paramagpy.metal.Metal.tauc****Metal.tauc**

The effective rotational correlation time.

This is calculated by combining the rotational correlation time and the electronic relaxation time:

$$\tau_c = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\tau_r} + \frac{1}{T_{1e}}}$$

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.tensor**

**Metal.tensor**

The magnetic susceptibility tensor matrix representation

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.tensor\_alignment**

**Metal.tensor\_alignment**

The alignment tensor matrix representation

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.tensor\_saupe**

**Metal.tensor\_saupe**

The saupe tensor matrix representation

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.tensor\_traceless**

**Metal.tensor\_traceless**

The traceless magnetic susceptibility tensor matrix representation

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.upper\_coords**

**Metal.upper\_coords** = ((0, 1, 0, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1, 2, 2))

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.upper\_triang**

**Metal.upper\_triang**

Fetch 5 unique matrix element defining the magnetic susceptibility tensor

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.upper\_triang\_alignment**

**Metal.upper\_triang\_alignment**

Fetch 5 unique matrix element defining the alignment tensor

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.upper\_triang\_saupe**

**Metal.upper\_triang\_saupe**

Fetch 5 unique matrix element defining the magnetic susceptibility tensor

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.x**

**Metal.x**

x coordinate

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.y**

**Metal.y**

y coordinate

### **paramagpy.metal.Metal.z**

**Metal.z**

z coordinate

## 5.6.2 Protein module

This module handles the protein structure coordinates and includes methods for loading a PDB file and calculating atomic properties such as CSA or gyromagnetic ratio

### paramagpy.protein

#### Functions

<code>load_pdb(fileName[, ident])</code>	Read PDB from file into biopython structure object
<code>rotation_matrix(axis, theta)</code>	Return the rotation matrix associated with counterclockwise rotation about the given axis by theta radians.

### paramagpy.protein.load\_pdb

`paramagpy.protein.load_pdb(fileName, ident=None)`

Read PDB from file into biopython structure object

#### Parameters

- **fileName** (*str*) – the path to the file
- **ident** (*str* (optional)) – the desired identity of the structure object

**Returns** **values** – a structure object containing the atomic coordinates

**Return type** `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure`

### paramagpy.protein.rotation\_matrix

`paramagpy.protein.rotation_matrix(axis, theta)`

Return the rotation matrix associated with counterclockwise rotation about the given axis by theta radians.

**Parameters** **axis** (*array of floats*) – the [x,y,z] axis for rotation.

**Returns** **matrix** – the rotation matrix

**Return type** numpy 3x3 matrix object

#### Classes

<code>CustomAtom(*arg, **kwargs)</code>	
<code>CustomStructure(*arg, **kwargs)</code>	This is an overload hack of the BioPython Structure object
<code>CustomStructureBuilder(*arg, **kwargs)</code>	This is an overload hack of BioPython's Custom-StructureBuilder

### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom

**class** `paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom(*arg, **kwargs)`

**\_\_init\_\_** (*\*arg, \*\*kwargs*)

Create Atom object.

The Atom object stores atom name (both with and without spaces), coordinates, B factor, occupancy, alternative location specifier and (optionally) anisotropic B factor and standard deviations of B factor and positions.

#### Parameters

- **name** (*string*) – atom name (eg. "CA"). Note that spaces are normally stripped.

- **coord** (*Numeric array (Float0, size 3)*) – atomic coordinates (x,y,z)
- **bfactor** (*number*) – isotropic B factor
- **occupancy** (*number*) – occupancy (0.0-1.0)
- **altloc** (*string*) – alternative location specifier for disordered atoms
- **fullname** (*string*) – full atom name, including spaces, e.g. " CA ". Normally these spaces are stripped from the atom name.
- **element** (*uppercase string (or None if unknown)*) – atom element, e.g. "C" for Carbon, "HG" for mercury,

## Methods

<code>copy()</code>	Create a copy of the Atom.
<code>detach_parent()</code>	Remove reference to parent.
<code>dipole_shift_tensor(position)</code>	Calculate the magnetic field shielding tensor at the given position due to the nuclear dipole
<code>flag_disorder()</code>	Set the disordered flag to 1.
<code>get_altloc()</code>	Return alternative location specifier.
<code>get_anisou()</code>	Return anisotropic B factor.
<code>get_bfactor()</code>	Return B factor.
<code>get_coord()</code>	Return atomic coordinates.
<code>get_full_id()</code>	Return the full id of the atom.
<code>get_fullname()</code>	Return the atom name, including leading and trailing spaces.
<code>get_id()</code>	Return the id of the atom (which is its atom name).
<code>get_level()</code>	
<code>get_name()</code>	Return atom name.
<code>get_occupancy()</code>	Return occupancy.
<code>get_parent()</code>	Return parent residue.
<code>get_serial_number()</code>	
<code>get_sigatm()</code>	Return standard deviation of atomic parameters.
<code>get_siguij()</code>	Return standard deviations of anisotropic temperature factors.
<code>get_vector()</code>	Return coordinates as Vector.
<code>is_disordered()</code>	Return the disordered flag (1 if disordered, 0 otherwise).
<code>set_altloc(altloc)</code>	
<code>set_anisou(anisou_array)</code>	Set anisotropic B factor.
<code>set_bfactor(bfactor)</code>	
<code>set_coord(coord)</code>	
<code>set_occupancy(occupancy)</code>	
<code>set_parent(parent)</code>	Set the parent residue.
<code>set_serial_number(n)</code>	
<code>set_sigatm(sigatm_array)</code>	Set standard deviation of atomic parameters.
<code>set_siguij(siguij_array)</code>	Set standard deviations of anisotropic temperature factors.
<code>top()</code>	
<code>transform(rot, tran)</code>	Apply rotation and translation to the atomic coordinates.

## paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.copy

`CustomAtom.copy()`  
Create a copy of the Atom.

Parent information is lost.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.detach\_parent**

`CustomAtom.detach_parent()`

Remove reference to parent.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.dipole\_shift\_tensor**

`CustomAtom.dipole_shift_tensor(position)`

Calculate the magnetic field shielding tensor at the given position due to the nuclear dipole

Assumes nuclear spin 1/2

**Parameters** `position` (*array floats*) – the position (x, y, z) in meters

**Returns** `dipole_shielding_tensor` – the tensor describing magnetic shielding at the given position

**Return type** 3x3 array

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.flag\_disorder**

`CustomAtom.flag_disorder()`

Set the disordered flag to 1.

The disordered flag indicates whether the atom is disordered or not.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_altloc**

`CustomAtom.get_altloc()`

Return alternative location specifier.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_anisou**

`CustomAtom.get_anisou()`

Return anisotropic B factor.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_bfactor**

`CustomAtom.get_bfactor()`

Return B factor.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_coord**

`CustomAtom.get_coord()`

Return atomic coordinates.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_full\_id**

`CustomAtom.get_full_id()`

Return the full id of the atom.

The full id of an atom is the tuple (structure id, model id, chain id, residue id, atom name, altloc).

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_fullname**

`CustomAtom.get_fullname()`

Return the atom name, including leading and trailing spaces.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_id**

`CustomAtom.get_id()`

Return the id of the atom (which is its atom name).

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_level**

`CustomAtom.get_level()`

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_name**

`CustomAtom.get_name()`

Return atom name.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_occupancy**

`CustomAtom.get_occupancy()`

Return occupancy.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_parent**

`CustomAtom.get_parent()`

Return parent residue.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_serial\_number**

`CustomAtom.get_serial_number()`

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_sigatm**

`CustomAtom.get_sigatm()`

Return standard deviation of atomic parameters.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_siguij**

`CustomAtom.get_siguij()`

Return standard deviations of anisotropic temperature factors.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.get\_vector**

`CustomAtom.get_vector()`

Return coordinates as Vector.

**Returns** coordinates as 3D vector

**Return type** Bio.PDB.Vector class

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.is\_disordered**

`CustomAtom.is_disordered()`

Return the disordered flag (1 if disordered, 0 otherwise).

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_altloc**

`CustomAtom.set_altloc(altloc)`

**paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_anisou**

`CustomAtom.set_anisou(anisou_array)`

Set anisotropic B factor.

Parameters **anisou\_array** (*Numeric array (length 6)*) – anisotropic B factor.

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_bfactor

CustomAtom.**set\_bfactor** (*bfactor*)

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_coord

CustomAtom.**set\_coord** (*coord*)

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_occupancy

CustomAtom.**set\_occupancy** (*occupancy*)

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_parent

CustomAtom.**set\_parent** (*parent*)

Set the parent residue.

Parameters **parent** – Residue object (-) –

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_serial\_number

CustomAtom.**set\_serial\_number** (*n*)

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_sigatm

CustomAtom.**set\_sigatm** (*sigatm\_array*)

Set standard deviation of atomic parameters.

The standard deviation of atomic parameters consists of 3 positional, 1 B factor and 1 occupancy standard deviation.

Parameters **sigatm\_array** (*Numeric array (length 5)*) – standard deviations of atomic parameters.

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.set\_siguij

CustomAtom.**set\_siguij** (*siguij\_array*)

Set standard deviations of anisotropic temperature factors.

Parameters **siguij\_array** (*Numeric array (length 6)*) – standard deviations of anisotropic temperature factors.

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.top

CustomAtom.**top** ()

#### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.transform

CustomAtom.**transform** (*rot, tran*)

Apply rotation and translation to the atomic coordinates.

Parameters

- **rot** (*3x3 Numeric array*) – A right multiplying rotation matrix
- **tran** (*size 3 Numeric array*) – the translation vector

#### Examples

```
>>> rotation=rotmat(pi, Vector(1, 0, 0))
>>> translation=array((0, 0, 1), 'f')
>>> atom.transform(rotation, translation)
```



## Attributes

<i>HBAR</i>	
<i>MU0</i>	
<i>csa</i>	Get the CSA tensor at the nuclear position This uses the geometry of neighbouring atoms and a standard library from Bax J.
<i>csa_lib</i>	docstring for CustomAtom
<i>gyro_lib</i>	
<i>position</i>	

### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.HBAR

CustomAtom.**HBAR** = 1.0546e-34

### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.MU0

CustomAtom.**MU0** = 1.2566370614359173e-06

### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.csa

CustomAtom.**csa**

Get the CSA tensor at the nuclear position This uses the geometry of neighbouring atoms and a standard library from Bax J. Am. Chem. Soc. 2000

**Returns matrix** – the CSA tensor in the PDB frame if appropriate nuclear positions are not available <None> is returned.

**Return type** 3x3 array

### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.csa\_lib

CustomAtom.**csa\_lib** = {'C': (array([-8.65e-05, 1.18e-05, 7.47e-05]), 0.6632251157  
docstring for CustomAtom

### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.gyro\_lib

CustomAtom.**gyro\_lib** = {'C': 67261498.71335746, 'H': 267512897.63847807, 'N': -27

### paramagpy.protein.CustomAtom.position

CustomAtom.**position**

## paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure

**class** paramagpy.protein.**CustomStructure** (\*arg, \*\*kwargs)

This is an overload hack of the BioPython Structure object

**\_\_init\_\_** (\*arg, \*\*kwargs)

Initialize the class.

## Methods

<i>add(entity)</i>	Add a child to the Entity.
<i>copy()</i>	
<i>detach_child(id)</i>	Remove a child.
<i>detach_parent()</i>	Detach the parent.
<i>get_atoms()</i>	

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<code>get_chains()</code>	
<code>get_full_id()</code>	Return the full id.
<code>get_id()</code>	Return the id.
<code>get_iterator()</code>	Return iterator over children.
<code>get_level()</code>	Return level in hierarchy.
<code>get_list()</code>	Return a copy of the list of children.
<code>get_models()</code>	
<code>get_parent()</code>	Return the parent Entity object.
<code>get_residues()</code>	
<code>has_id(id)</code>	Check if a child with given id exists.
<code>insert(pos, entity)</code>	Add a child to the Entity at a specified position.
<code>parse(dataValues[, models])</code>	Associate experimental data with atoms of the PDB file This method takes a DataContainer instance from the dataparse module
<code>set_parent(entity)</code>	Set the parent Entity object.
<code>transform(rot, tran)</code>	Apply rotation and translation to the atomic co-ordinates.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.add**

`CustomStructure.add(entity)`  
Add a child to the Entity.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.copy**

`CustomStructure.copy()`

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.detach\_child**

`CustomStructure.detach_child(id)`  
Remove a child.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.detach\_parent**

`CustomStructure.detach_parent()`  
Detach the parent.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_atoms**

`CustomStructure.get_atoms()`

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_chains**

`CustomStructure.get_chains()`

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_full\_id**

`CustomStructure.get_full_id()`  
Return the full id.

The full id is a tuple containing all id's starting from the top object (Structure) down to the current object. A full id for a Residue object e.g. is something like:

`("1abc", 0, "A", (" ", 10, "A"))`

This corresponds to:

Structure with id "1abc" Model with id 0 Chain with id "A" Residue with id (" ", 10, "A")

The Residue id indicates that the residue is not a hetero-residue (or a water) because it has a blank hetero field, that its sequence identifier is 10 and its insertion code "A".

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_id**

`CustomStructure.get_id()`  
Return the id.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_iterator**

`CustomStructure.get_iterator()`  
Return iterator over children.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_level**

`CustomStructure.get_level()`  
Return level in hierarchy.  
A - atom R - residue C - chain M - model S - structure

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_list**

`CustomStructure.get_list()`  
Return a copy of the list of children.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_models**

`CustomStructure.get_models()`

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_parent**

`CustomStructure.get_parent()`  
Return the parent Entity object.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.get\_residues**

`CustomStructure.get_residues()`

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.has\_id**

`CustomStructure.has_id(id)`  
Check if a child with given id exists.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.insert**

`CustomStructure.insert(pos, entity)`  
Add a child to the Entity at a specified position.

#### **paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse**

`CustomStructure.parse(dataValues, models=None)`  
Associate experimental data with atoms of the PDB file This method takes a DataContainer instance from the dataparse module  
**Parameters** `dataValues` (*DataContainer instance*) – a dictionary containing the experimental values  
**Returns** `dataArray` – the returned array has a row for each relevant atom in the PDB file. The columns contain model, experimental/calculated data, errors and indexes.  
**Return type** numpy structured array

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.set\_parent**

`CustomStructure.set_parent` (*entity*)

Set the parent Entity object.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.transform**

`CustomStructure.transform` (*rot, tran*)

Apply rotation and translation to the atomic coordinates.

**Parameters**

- **rot** (*3x3 Numeric array*) – A right multiplying rotation matrix
- **tran** (*size 3 Numeric array*) – the translation vector

**Examples**

```
>>> rotation = rotmat(pi, Vector(1, 0, 0))
>>> translation = array((0, 0, 1), 'f')
>>> entity.transform(rotation, translation)
```

**Attributes**


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*id*

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**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.id**

`CustomStructure.id`

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder**

**class** `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder` (*\*arg, \*\*kwargs*)

This is an overload hack of BioPython's CustomStructureBuilder

**\_\_init\_\_** (*\*arg, \*\*kwargs*)

Initialize the class.

**Methods**

<code>get_structure()</code>	Return the structure.
<code>init_atom</code> (name, coord, b_factor, occupancy, ...)	Create a new Atom object.
<code>init_chain</code> (chain_id)	Create a new Chain object with given id.
<code>init_model</code> (model_id[, serial_num])	Create a new Model object with given id.
<code>init_residue</code> (resname, field, resseq, icode)	Create a new Residue object.
<code>init_seg</code> (segid)	Flag a change in segid.
<code>init_structure</code> (structure_id)	Initialize a new Structure object with given id.
<code>set_anisou</code> (anisou_array)	Set anisotropic B factor of current Atom.
<code>set_header</code> (header)	
<code>set_line_counter</code> (line_counter)	Tracks line in the PDB file that is being parsed.
<code>set_sigatm</code> (sigatm_array)	Set standard deviation of atom position of current Atom.
<code>set_siguij</code> (siguij_array)	Set standard deviation of anisotropic B factor of current Atom.
<code>set_symmetry</code> (spacegroup, cell)	

### paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.get\_structure

`CustomStructureBuilder.get_structure()`

Return the structure.

### paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.init\_atom

`CustomStructureBuilder.init_atom(name, coord, b_factor, occupancy, altloc, full-name, serial_number=None, element=None)`

Create a new Atom object. :param - name - string, atom name, e.g. CA, spaces should be stripped:  
:param - coord - Numeric array: :type - coord - Numeric array: Float0, size 3 :param - b\_factor - float, B factor: :param - occupancy - float: :param - altloc - string, alternative location specifier:  
:param - fullname - string, atom name including spaces, e.g. "CA ": :param - element - string, upper case, e.g. "HG" for mercury:

### paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.init\_chain

`CustomStructureBuilder.init_chain(chain_id)`

Create a new Chain object with given id.

Parameters **chain\_id** - string (-) -

### paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.init\_model

`CustomStructureBuilder.init_model(model_id, serial_num=None)`

Create a new Model object with given id.

Parameters

- **id** - int (-) -
- **serial\_num** - int (-) -

### paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.init\_residue

`CustomStructureBuilder.init_residue(resname, field, resseq, icode)`

Create a new Residue object.

Parameters

- **resname** - string, e.g. "ASN" (-) -
- **field** - hetero flag, "W" for waters, "H" for (-) - hetero residues, otherwise blank.
- **resseq** - int, sequence identifier (-) -
- **icode** - string, insertion code (-) -

### paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.init\_seg

`CustomStructureBuilder.init_seg(segid)`

Flag a change in segid.

Parameters **segid** - string (-) -

### paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.init\_structure

`CustomStructureBuilder.init_structure(structure_id)`

Initialize a new Structure object with given id.

Parameters **id** - string (-) -

### paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.set\_anisou

`CustomStructureBuilder.set_anisou(anisou_array)`

Set anisotropic B factor of current Atom.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.set\_header**

`CustomStructureBuilder.set_header(header)`

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.set\_line\_counter**

`CustomStructureBuilder.set_line_counter(line_counter)`

Tracks line in the PDB file that is being parsed.

**Parameters** `line_counter` – `int` (–) –

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.set\_sigatm**

`CustomStructureBuilder.set_sigatm(sigatm_array)`

Set standard deviation of atom position of current Atom.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.set\_siguij**

`CustomStructureBuilder.set_siguij(siguij_array)`

Set standard deviation of anisotropic B factor of current Atom.

**paramagpy.protein.CustomStructureBuilder.set\_symmetry**

`CustomStructureBuilder.set_symmetry(spacegroup, cell)`

### 5.6.3 Data I/O module

This module handles the reading and writing of experimental data.

**paramagpy.dataparse****Functions**

<code>read_pcs(fileName)</code>	Read pseudo contact shift values from file.
<code>read_rdc(fileName)</code>	Read residual dipolar coupling values from file.
<code>read_pre(fileName)</code>	Read paramagnetic relaxation enhancement values from file.
<code>read_ccr(fileName)</code>	Read cross-correlated relaxation values from file.

**paramagpy.dataparse.read\_pcs**

`paramagpy.dataparse.read_pcs(fileName)`

Read pseudo contact shift values from file. The returned object is a dicationary. They keys are tuples of (sequence, atomName) The values are tuples of (value, error)

**Parameters** `fileName` (*str*) – the path to the file

**Returns** `values` – a dictionary containing the parsed data

**Return type** `paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer`

**Examples**

```
>>> values = paramagpy.dataparse.read_pcs("calbindin_Er_HN_PCS_errors.npc")
>>> for v in values.items():
...     print(v)
...
((2, 'H'), (-0.04855485, 0.0016))
((2, 'N'), (-0.03402764, 0.0009))
((4, 'H'), (-0.18470315, 0.0004))
```

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```
...
((75, 'H'), (0.19553661, 0.0005))
((75, 'N'), (0.17840666, 0.0004))
```

### paramagpy.dataparse.read\_rdc

`paramagpy.dataparse.read_rdc(fileName)`

Read residual dipolar coupling values from file. The returned object is a dicationary. They keys are frozensets of tuples of the form: `frozenset((sequence1, atomName1), (sequence2, atomName2))` The frozenset only allows unordered unique atom identification pairs The values are tuples of (value, error)

**Parameters** `fileName` (*str*) – the path to the file

**Returns** `values` – a dictionary containing the parsed data

**Return type** `paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer`

#### Examples

```
>>> values = paramagpy.dataparse.read_rdc("ubiquitin_a28c_c1_Tb_HN.rdc")
>>> for v in values.items():
...     print(v)
...
(frozenset((2, 'N'), (2, 'H'))), (-2.35, 0.32))
(frozenset((3, 'N'), (3, 'H'))), (-4.05, 0.38))
(frozenset((4, 'H'), (4, 'N'))), (-3.58, 0.42))
...
(frozenset((73, 'N'), (73, 'H'))), (-0.47, 0.75))
(frozenset((76, 'H'), (76, 'N'))), (0.14, 0.3))
```

### paramagpy.dataparse.read\_pre

`paramagpy.dataparse.read_pre(fileName)`

Read paramagnetic relaxation enhancement values from file. The returned object is a dicationary. They keys are tuples of (sequence, atomName) The values are tuples of (value, error)

**Parameters** `fileName` (*str*) – the path to the file

**Returns** `values` – a dictionary containing the parsed data

**Return type** `paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer`

#### Examples

see `paramagpy.dataparse.read_pcs()` which has the same file structure

### paramagpy.dataparse.read\_ccr

`paramagpy.dataparse.read_ccr(fileName)`

Read cross-correlated relaxation values from file. These are typically Curie-spin cross Dipole-dipole relaxation rates The returned object is a dicationary. They keys are tuples of the form: `((sequence1, atomName1), (sequence2, atomName2))` Note that the first column is for the active nucleus undergoing relaxation and the second column is for the partner spin. The values are tuples of (value, error)

**Parameters** `fileName` (*str*) – the path to the file

**Returns** `values` – a dictionary containing the parsed data

**Return type** `paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer`

## Examples

see `paramagpy.dataparse.read_rdc()` which has the similar file structure

## Classes

<code>DataContainer(*args, **kwargs)</code>	A dictionary-like container for storing PCS, RDC, PRE and CCR data Has an additional attribute 'dtype' to define datatype
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### paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer

**class** paramagpy.dataparse.**DataContainer** (\*args, \*\*kwargs)

A dictionary-like container for storing PCS, RDC, PRE and CCR data Has an additional attribute 'dtype' to define datatype

**\_\_init\_\_** (\*args, \*\*kwargs)

Initialize self. See help(type(self)) for accurate signature.

## Methods

<code>clear()</code>	
<code>copy()</code>	
<code>fromkeys(S[, v])</code>	If not specified, the value defaults to None.
<code>get(k[,d])</code>	
<code>items()</code>	
<code>keys()</code>	
<code>move_to_end</code>	Move an existing element to the end (or beginning if last==False).
<code>pop(k[,d])</code>	value.
<code>popitem()</code>	Pairs are returned in LIFO order if last is true or FIFO order if false.
<code>setdefault(k[,d])</code>	
<code>update([E, ]**F)</code>	If E is present and has a .keys() method, then does: for k in E: D[k] = E[k] If E is present and lacks a .keys() method, then does: for k, v in E: D[k] = v In either case, this is followed by: for k in F: D[k] = F[k]
<code>values()</code>	

### paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.clear

`DataContainer.clear()` → None. Remove all items from od.

### paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.copy

`DataContainer.copy()` → a shallow copy of od

### paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.fromkeys

`DataContainer.fromkeys(S[, v])` → New ordered dictionary with keys from S.  
If not specified, the value defaults to None.

### paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.get

`DataContainer.get(k[, d])` → D[k] if k in D, else d. d defaults to None.



**paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.items**

`DataContainer.items()` → a set-like object providing a view on D's items

**paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.keys**

`DataContainer.keys()` → a set-like object providing a view on D's keys

**paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.move\_to\_end**

`DataContainer.move_to_end()`

Move an existing element to the end (or beginning if `last=False`).

Raises `KeyError` if the element does not exist. When `last=True`, acts like a fast version of `self[key]=self.pop(key)`.

**paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.pop**

`DataContainer.pop(k[, d])` → v, remove specified key and return the corresponding value. If key is not found, d is returned if given, otherwise `KeyError` is raised.

**paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.popitem**

`DataContainer.popitem()` → (k, v), return and remove a (key, value) pair.

Pairs are returned in LIFO order if `last` is true or FIFO order if false.

**paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.setdefault**

`DataContainer.setdefault(k[, d])` → `od.get(k, d)`, also set `od[k]=d` if k not in `od`

**paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.update**

`DataContainer.update([E], **F)` → None. Update D from dict/iterable E and F.

If E is present and has a `.keys()` method, then does: for k in E: `D[k] = E[k]` If E is present and lacks a `.keys()` method, then does: for k, v in E: `D[k] = v` In either case, this is followed by: for k in F: `D[k] = F[k]`

**paramagpy.dataparse.DataContainer.values**

`DataContainer.values()` → an object providing a view on D's values

## 5.6.4 Fitting module

This module handles the fitting of paramagnetic objects to experimental data.

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*paramagpy.fit*

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**paramagpy.fit****Functions**

<code>ensemble_average(dataArray)</code>	Calculate the ensemble average for the calculated values in the column 'cal' of the argument <dataArray> over models of the PDB file.
<code>extract_atom_data(data[, csa, separateModels])</code>	Extract values required for PCS/PRE calculations
<code>extract_ccr_data(data[, separateModels])</code>	Extract values required for CCR calculations

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<code>extract_rdc_data(data[, separateModels])</code>	Extract values required for RDC calculations
<code>fit_error_bootstrap(fittingFunction, ...)</code>	Perform uncertainty analysis sourcing noise from fractioning the experimental data.
<code>fit_error_models(fittingFunction, **kwargs)</code>	Perform uncertainty analysis sourcing noise from coordinates as defined by models of the PDB structure.
<code>fit_error_monte_carlo(fittingFunction, ...)</code>	Perform uncertainty analysis sourcing noise from experimental uncertainties This function takes a fitting routine <fittingFunction> and repeats it for the specified iterations in a Monte-Carlo approach.
<code>gridsearch_fit_atom_from_pcs(metals, dataArrays)</code>	Calculate likely regions for an atom on a grid using an experimental PCS value and multiple delta-chi-tensors.
<code>gridsearch_fit_atom_restrain_distance</code>	(Given two RMSD density maps, this function will compare all points pairwise and return only those within the bounds of a given distance cutoff and within a certain number of points that are that are sorted by RMSD value.
<code>gridsearch_fit_atom_restrain_distance</code>	(Given two RMSD density maps, this function will compare all points pairwise and return only those within the bounds of a given distance cutoff and within a given RMSD cutoff.
<code>metal_standard_deviation(metals, params)</code>	Calculate the standard deviation in parameters <params> for a list of metal objects <metals>.
<code>nlr_fit_metal_from_ccr(initMetals, dataArrays)</code>	Fit Chi tensor to CCR values using non-linear regression.
<code>nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs(initMetals, dataArrays)</code>	Fit deltaChi tensor to PCS values using non-linear regression.
<code>nlr_fit_metal_from_pre(initMetals, ..., ...)</code>	Fit Chi tensor to PRE values using non-linear regression.
<code>pcs_gradient_orthogonality_cross(metals, ...)</code>	An experimental metric for calculating the likelihood of a particular nuclear position being well localised from multiple tensors.
<code>pcs_gradient_orthogonality_dot(metals, position)</code>	An experimental metric for calculating the likelihood of a particular nuclear position being well localised from multiple tensors.
<code>qfactor(dataArray[, ensembleAverage, ...])</code>	Calculate the Q-factor to judge tensor fit quality
<code>sphere_grid(origin, radius, points)</code>	Make a grid of cartesian points within a sphere
<code>svd_calc_metal_from_pcs(pos, pcs, idx, errors)</code>	Solve PCS equation by single value decomposition.
<code>svd_calc_metal_from_pcs_offset(pos, pcs, ...)</code>	Solve PCS equation by single value decomposition with offset.
<code>svd_calc_metal_from_rdc(vec, ...)</code>	Solve RDC equation by single value decomposition.
<code>svd_fit_metal_from_rdc(initMetals, dataArrays)</code>	Fit deltaChi tensor to RDC values using Single Value Decomposition.
<code>svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs(...[, ...])</code>	Fit deltaChi tensor to PCS values using Single Value Decomposition over a grid of points in a sphere.

### paramagpy.fit.ensemble\_average

`paramagpy.fit.ensemble_average (dataArray)`

Calculate the ensemble average for the calculated values in the column 'cal' of the argument <dataArray> over models of the PDB file. Ensemble averaging behaviour is determined by the column 'idx' of the input array.

**Parameters** `dataArray` (*numpy array*) – the input array for ensemble averaging

**Returns** `data` – a smaller dataArray with ensemble averaged values

**Return type** numpy array

### paramagpy.fit.extract\_atom\_data

`paramagpy.fit.extract_atom_data(data, csa=False, separateModels=True)`

Extract values required for PCS/PRE calculations

#### Parameters

- **data** (*numpy.ndarray*) – a numpy structured array containing atomic information and experimental data values This is returned from. `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`
- **csa** (*bool, optional*) – when True, calculates the CSA tensor for each atom this may be required for RACS and CSAxDSA calculations
- **separateModels** (*bool, optional*) – when True, separates data into separate lists by their model number. When False, returns only one list

**Returns** **arr** – this has fields specified by structdtype this array is core to all fitting algorithms

**Return type** numpy.ndarray

### paramagpy.fit.extract\_ccr\_data

`paramagpy.fit.extract_ccr_data(data, separateModels=True)`

Extract values required for CCR calculations

#### Parameters

- **data** (*numpy.ndarray*) – a numpy structured array containing atomic information and experimental data values This is returned from `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`
- **separateModels** (*bool, optional*) – when True, separates data into separate lists by their model number. When False, returns only one list

**Returns** **arr** – this has fields specified by structdtype this array is core to all fitting algorithms

**Return type** numpy.ndarray

### paramagpy.fit.extract\_rdc\_data

`paramagpy.fit.extract_rdc_data(data, separateModels=True)`

Extract values required for RDC calculations

#### Parameters

- **data** (*numpy.ndarray*) – a numpy structured array containing atomic information and experimental data values This is returned from `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`
- **separateModels** (*bool, optional*) – when True, separates data into separate lists by their model number. When False, returns only one list

**Returns** **arr** – this has fields specified by structdtype this array is core to all fitting algorithms

**Return type** numpy.ndarray

### paramagpy.fit.fit\_error\_bootstrap

`paramagpy.fit.fit_error_bootstrap(fittingFunction, iterations, fraction, **kwargs)`

Perform uncertainty analysis sourcing noise from fractioning the experimental data. This function takes a fitting routine <fittingFunction> and repeats it for the specified iterations in a Bootstrap approach. With each iteration, a random subset of the experimental data is sampled as specified by the <fraction> argument. The standard deviation in the fitted parameters is then returned.

### Parameters

- **fittingFunction** (*function*) – the fitting routine to be used. This could be 'nlr\_fit\_metal\_from\_ccr' for example
- **iterations** (*int*) – the number of iterations for the Monte-Carlo simulation
- **fraction** (*float*) – the proportion of data to be samples. Must be between 0 and 1.0
- **kwargs** (*dict*) – all key-word arguments will be bundled into this variable and parsed to the fittingFunction.

### Returns

- **sample\_metals** (*list of list of metals*) – the metals fitted to the data with noise at each iteration
- **std\_metals** (*list of metals*) – the standard deviation in fitted parameters over all iterations of the Monte Carlo simulation. These are stored within the metal object. All unfitted parameters are zero.

## paramagpy.fit.fit\_error\_models

`paramagpy.fit.fit_error_models` (*fittingFunction*, *\*\*kwargs*)

Perform uncertainty analysis sourcing noise from coordinates as defined by models of the PDB structure. This function takes a fitting routine <fittingFunction> and repeats it for each model. The standard deviation in the fitted parameters is then returned.

### Parameters

- **fittingFunction** (*function*) – the fitting routine to be used. This could be 'nlr\_fit\_metal\_from\_ccr' for example
- **kwargs** (*dict*) – all key-word arguments will be bundled into this variable and parsed to the fittingFunction.

### Returns

- **sample\_metals** (*list of list of metals*) – the metals fitted to the data with noise at each iteration
- **std\_metals** (*list of metals*) – the standard deviation in fitted parameters over all iterations of the Monte Carlo simulation. These are stored within the metal object. All unfitted parameters are zero.

## paramagpy.fit.fit\_error\_monte\_carlo

`paramagpy.fit.fit_error_monte_carlo` (*fittingFunction*, *iterations*, *\*\*kwargs*)

Perform uncertainty analysis sourcing noise from experimental uncertainties This function takes a fitting routine <fittingFunction> and repeats it for the specified iterations in a Monte-Carlo approach. With each iteration, random noise sourced from a uniform distribution scaled by the experimental uncertainties is added to the experimental values. The standard deviation in the fitted parameters is then returned.

NOTE: the 'err' column of the dataArrays must be set to non-zero values for this method to work.

### Parameters

- **fittingFunction** (*function*) – the fitting routine to be used. This could be 'nlr\_fit\_metal\_from\_ccr' for example
- **iterations** (*int*) – the number of iterations for the Monte-Carlo simulation
- **kwargs** (*dict*) – all key-word arguments will be bundled into this variable and parsed to the fittingFunction.

### Returns

- **sample\_metals** (*list of list of metals*) – the metals fitted to the data with noise at each iteration
- **std\_metals** (*list of metals*) – the standard deviation in fitted parameters over all iterations of the Monte Carlo simulation. These are stored within the metal object. All unfitted parameters are zero.

### paramagpy.fit.gridsearch\_fit\_atom\_from\_pcs

`paramagpy.fit.gridsearch_fit_atom_from_pcs` (*metals, dataArrays, mapSize=10.0, mapDensity=1.0*)

Calculate likely regions for an atom on a grid using an experimental PCS value and multiple delta-chi-tensors. The calculation returns a grid of PCS RMSD values for each atom. The smallest values on the grid indicated the likely positions. This function returns a dictionary with key/value pairs associating the atoms/grids.

#### Parameters

- **metals** (*list of Metal objects*) – a list of metals used for calculating the theoretical PCS values used during the RMSD calculation a list must always be provided, but may also contain only one element.
- **dataArrays** (*list of PCS dataArray*) – each PCS dataArray must correspond to an associated metal. each PCS dataArray has structure determined by `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`.
- **mapSize** (*float, optional*) – the edge length of the grid in angstrom defaults to 10 Angstrom
- **mapDensity** (*float, optional*) – the density of points in the grid defaults to 1 point per Angstrom

**Returns** **positions** – a dictionary of density maps. Each key is an atom as defined in <dataArrays> and corresponds to a value which is the density map. a density map defines the RMSD calculation on a grid

**Return type** dict of `paramagpy.fit.DensityMap`

### paramagpy.fit.gridsearch\_fit\_atom\_restrain\_distance

`paramagpy.fit.gridsearch_fit_atom_restrain_distance` (*densityMapA, densityMapB, distUpper, distLower, number*)

Given two RMSD density maps, this function will compare all points pairwise and return only those within the bounds of a given distance cutoff and within a certain number of points that are that are sorted by RMSD value. This might be useful if two density maps for separate atoms in a molecule are known to be constrained w.r.t. one another and you would like to use that restraint to further restrict the space of PCS RMSD points. The calculation first sorts the RMSD points and takes the bottom <number> of points and then compares each point pairwise to fulfill the distance condition. It then returns those points from both maps. Unfortunately there is no correlation data available between these two maps.

#### Parameters

- **densityMapA** (`paramagpy.fit.DensityMap`) – a density map of PCS RMSD values.
- **densityMapB** (`paramagpy.fit.DensityMap`) – a second density map of PCS RMSD values.
- **distUpper** (*float*) – The upper limit for distance. Any pairwise distances larger than this value will be rejected from the final space of points
- **distLower** (*float*) – The lower distance limit for distance. Any pairwise distance smaller than this value will be rejected from the final space of points

- **number** (*int*) – The total number of positions to be considered for the pairwise distance comparison. This calculation first sorts points by RMSD and takes <number> of points with minimum RMSD and uses these for the pairwise distance calculation. Note that the total number of points returned could be significantly more than this value after the pairwise comparison

**Returns tuple** – two lists of [x,y,z] coordinates are returned associated with the inputs <densityMapA> and <densityMapB>. The returned coordinates are taken from the original grids and represent points that have another associated point in the other grid which is within the distance bounds and contained within an RMSD low enough to be within the lowest <number> of points

**Return type** np.ndarray of position coordinates

### paramagpy.fit.gridsearch\_fit\_atom\_restrain\_distance\_cutoff

```
paramagpy.fit.gridsearch_fit_atom_restrain_distance_cutoff(densityMapA,
                                                           densityMapB,
                                                           distUpper, distLower,
                                                           cutoffValue)
```

Given two RMSD density maps, this function will compare all points pairwise and return only those within the bounds of a given distance cutoff and within a given RMSD cutoff. This might be useful if two density maps for separate atoms in a molecule are known to be constrained w.r.t. one another and you would like to use that restraint to further restrict the space of PCS RMSD points. The calculation first selects points with an RMSD less than the given cutoff value and then compares each point pairwise to fulfill the distance condition. It then returns those points from both maps. Unfortunately there is no correlation data available between these two maps.

#### Parameters

- **densityMapA** (*paramagpy.fit.DensityMap*) – a density map of PCS RMSD values.
- **densityMapB** (*paramagpy.fit.DensityMap*) – a second density map of PCS RMSD values.
- **distUpper** (*float*) – The upper limit for distance. Any pairwise distances larger than this value will be rejected from the final space of points
- **distLower** (*float*) – The lower distance limit for distance. Any pairwise distance smaller than this value will be rejected from the final space of points
- **cutoffValue** (*float*) – The RMSD threshold for which points are taken for the pairwise distance comparison. Note that the total number of points returned is significantly influenced by this parameter and should be chosen carefully

**Returns tuple** – two lists of [x,y,z] coordinates are returned associated with the inputs <densityMapA> and <densityMapB>. The returned coordinates are taken from the original grids and represent points that have another associated point in the other grid which is within the distance bounds and have an RMSD below the cutoff threshold.

**Return type** np.ndarray of position coordinates

### paramagpy.fit.metal\_standard\_deviation

```
paramagpy.fit.metal_standard_deviation(metals, params)
```

Calculate the standard deviation in parameters <params> for a list of metal objects <metals>.

#### Parameters

- **metals** (*list of Metal objects*) – the metals for which the standard deviation in parameters will be calculated

- **params** (*list of str*) – the parameters for the standard deviation calculation. For example ['x','y','z','ax','rh','a','b','g','shift']

**Returns** **std\_metal** – the returned metal object has attributes equal to the standard deviation in the given parameter. All other attributes are zero.

**Return type** metal object

### paramagpy.fit.nlr\_fit\_metal\_from\_ccr

`paramagpy.fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_ccr` (*initMetals, dataArrays, params=('x', 'y', 'z'), ensembleAverage=False, progress=None*)

Fit Chi tensor to CCR values using non-linear regression. This algorithm applies to CSA/Curie spin cross-correlated relaxation for R2 differential line broadening.

#### Parameters

- **initMetals** (*list of Metal objects*) – a list of metals used as starting points for fitting. a list must always be provided, but may also contain only one element. If multiple metals are provided, each metal is fitted to their respective PRE dataset by index in <dataArrays, but all are fitted to a common position.
- **dataArrays** (*list of PRE dataArray*) – each PRE dataArray must correspond to an associated metal for fitting. each PRE dataArray has structure determined by `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`.
- **params** (*list of str*) – the parameters to be fit. For example ['x','y','z','ax','rh','a','b','g']
- **ensembleAverage** (*bool, optional*) – when False, each model of the structure is fit independently. The parameters for each fitted tensor are then averaged before returning the final averaged tensor. When True, the structure models are treated as an ensemble and ensemble averaging of calculated PCS/PRE/RDC/CCR values is conducted at all stages of fitting to fit a single tensor to all models simultaneously. The 'idx' column of the dataArray determines the ensemble averaging behaviour with common indices for atoms between models resulting in their summation.
- **progress** (*object, optional*) – to keep track of the calculation, `progress.set(x)` is called each iteration and varies from 0.0 -> 1.0 when the calculation is complete.

#### Returns

- **fitMetals** (*list of metals*) – a list of the fitted tensors.
- **dataArrays** (*list of dataArray*) – each dataArray is copy of the original dataArray with the 'cal' column populated with back-calculated values from the fitted tensor.

### paramagpy.fit.nlr\_fit\_metal\_from\_pcs

`paramagpy.fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pcs` (*initMetals, dataArrays, params=('x', 'y', 'z', 'ax', 'rh', 'a', 'b', 'g'), ensembleAverage=False, userads=False, useracs=False, progress=None*)

Fit deltaChi tensor to PCS values using non-linear regression.

#### Parameters

- **initMetals** (*list of Metal objects*) – a list of metals used as starting points for fitting. a list must always be provided, but may also contain only one element. If multiple metals are provided, each metal is fitted to their respective PCS dataset by index in <dataArrays, but all are fitted to a common position.
- **dataArrays** (*list of PCS dataArray*) – each PCS dataArray must correspond to an associated metal for fitting. each PCS dataArray has structure determined by `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`.



- **params** (*list of str*) – the parameters to be fit. For example ['x','y','z','ax','rh','a','b','g','shift']
- **ensembleAverage** (*bool, optional*) – when False, each model of the structure is fit independently. The parameters for each fitted tensor are then averaged before returning the final averaged tensor. When True, the structure models are treated as an ensemble and ensemble averaging of calculated PCS/PRE/RDC/CCR values is conducted at all stages of fitting to fit a single tensor to all models simultaneously. The 'idx' column of the dataArray determines the ensemble averaging behaviour with common indices for atoms between models resulting in their summation.
- **userads** (*bool, optional*) – include residual anisotropic dipolar shielding (RADS) during fitting
- **useracs** (*bool, optional*) – include residual anisotropic chemical shielding (RACS) during fitting. CSA tensors are taken using the <csa> method of atoms.
- **progress** (*object, optional*) – to keep track of the calculation, progress.set(x) is called each iteration and varies from 0.0 -> 1.0 when the calculation is complete.

#### Returns

- **fitMetals** (*list of metals*) – a list of the fitted tensors.
- **dataArrays** (*list of dataArray*) – each dataArray is copy of the original dataArray with the 'cal' column populated with back-calculated values from the fitted tensor.

### paramagpy.fit.nlr\_fit\_metal\_from\_pre

```
paramagpy.fit.nlr_fit_metal_from_pre (initMetals, dataArrays, rtypes, params=('x',
                                     'y', 'z'), usesbm=True, usegsbm=False,
                                     usedsa=True, usecsa=False, ensembleAverage=False, progress=None)
```

Fit Chi tensor to PRE values using non-linear regression.

#### Parameters

- **initMetals** (*list of Metal objects*) – a list of metals used as starting points for fitting. a list must always be provided, but may also contain only one element. If multiple metals are provided, each metal is fitted to their respective PRE dataset by index in <dataArrays, but all are fitted to a common position.
- **dataArrays** (*list of PRE dataArray*) – each PRE dataArray must correspond to an associated metal for fitting. each PRE dataArray has structure determined by `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`.
- **rtypes** (*list of str, optional*) – the relaxation type, either 'r1' or 'r2'. A list must be provided with each element corresponding to an associated dataset. Defaults to 'r2' for all datasets of None is specified.
- **params** (*list of str*) – the parameters to be fit. For example ['x','y','z','ax','rh','a','b','g','shift']
- **usesbm** (*bool, optional*) – include Solomon-Bloembergen-Morgan (Dipole-dipole) relaxation theory. default is True
- **usegsbm** (*bool, optional*) – include anisotropic dipolar relaxation theory. note that the g-tensor must be set for this default is False
- **usedsa** (*bool, optional*) – include Dipolar-Shielding-Anisotropy (Curie Spin) relaxation theory. default is True
- **usecsa** (*bool, optional*) – include Chemical-Shift-Anisotropy cross-correlated relaxation theory. default is False
- **ensembleAverage** (*bool, optional*) – when False, each model of the structure is fit independently. The parameters for each fitted tensor are then averaged before



returning the final averaged tensor. When True, the structure models are treated as an ensemble and ensemble averaging of calculated PCS/PRE/RDC/CCR values is conducted at all stages of fitting to fit a single tensor to all models simultaneously. The 'idx' column of the dataArray determines the ensemble averaging behaviour with common indices for atoms between models resulting in their summation.

- **progress** (*object, optional*) – to keep track of the calculation, `progress.set(x)` is called each iteration and varies from 0.0 -> 1.0 when the calculation is complete.

#### Returns

- **fitMetals** (*list of metals*) – a list of the fitted tensors.
- **dataArrays** (*list of dataArray*) – each dataArray is copy of the original dataArray with the 'cal' column populated with back-calculated values from the fitted tensor.

### paramagpy.fit.pcs\_gradient\_orthogonality\_cross

`paramagpy.fit.pcs_gradient_orthogonality_cross (metals, position)`

An experimental metric for calculating the likelihood of a particular nuclear position being well localised from multiple tensors. The metric scores the orthogonality of the PCS gradient vectors and accounts for their magnitude. This algorithm calculates the PCS gradient vector arising at a given position from each tensor provided. It then calculates the pairwise cross product of each vector and averages their norm (length).

#### Parameters

- **metals** (*list of Metal objects*) – a list of paramagpy metal objects which define the tensors.
- **position** (*numpy.ndarray of floats*) – the [x,y,z] coordinate to calculate the orthogonality score

**Returns score** – the orthogonality score. This is necessarily between greater than zero. A larger score defines a more favourable orthogonality between PCS gradient vectors and also score larger PCS gradients more highly.

**Return type** float

### paramagpy.fit.pcs\_gradient\_orthogonality\_dot

`paramagpy.fit.pcs_gradient_orthogonality_dot (metals, position)`

An experimental metric for calculating the likelihood of a particular nuclear position being well localised from multiple tensors. This algorithm calculates the normalised PCS gradient vector arising at a given position from each tensor provided. It then calculates the pairwise dot product of each vector and averages their absolute value.

#### Parameters

- **metals** (*list of Metal objects*) – a list of paramagpy metal objects which define the tensors.
- **position** (*numpy.ndarray of floats*) – the [x,y,z] coordinate to calculate the orthogonality score

**Returns score** – the orthogonality score. This is necessarily between 0 and 1 for this metric. A lower score defines a more favourable orthogonality between PCS gradient vectors. Note that a value of zero is not possible when more than 4 metals are provided.

**Return type** float

### paramagpy.fit.qfactor

`paramagpy.fit.qfactor (dataArray, ensembleAverage=False, calDenominator=False)`

Calculate the Q-factor to judge tensor fit quality

A lower value indicates a better fit. The Q-factor is calculated using the following equation:

$$Q = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_i \left[ \left( \sum_m [PCS_{m,i}^{exp} - PCS_{m,i}^{calc}] \right)^2 \right]}{\sum_i \left[ \left( \sum_m [PCS_{m,i}^{exp}] \right)^2 \right]}}$$

where  $m$  and  $i$  are usually indexed over models and atoms respectively.

#### Parameters

- **dataArray** (*numpy array*) – the dataArray must contain the columns ‘exp’, ‘cal’ and ‘idx’ corresponding to the experimental, calculated and index values respectively. The index value determines the ensemble averaging behaviour, and can be ignored if the argument <ensembleAverage> is False.
- **ensembleAverage** (*bool, optional*) – when False, the q-factor calculation squares each difference independently. When True, the q-factor calculates an ensemble average before taking the square of differences. The ‘idx’ column of the dataArray determines the ensemble averaging behaviour with common indices for atoms between models resulting in their summation.
- **calDenominator** (*bool, optional*) – when False, the standard Q-factor is calculated with only the sum of squares for the experimental values used in the denominator when True, the Q-factor established by Ubbink et al. is calculated which has a sum of absolute values of exp and cal values squared in the denominator.

**Returns** **qfactor** – the Q-factor

**Return type** float

### paramagpy.fit.sphere\_grid

`paramagpy.fit.sphere_grid(origin, radius, points)`

Make a grid of cartesian points within a sphere

#### Parameters

- **origin** (*float*) – the centre of the sphere
- **radius** (*float*) – the radius of the sphere
- **points** (*int*) – the number of points per radius

**Returns** **array** – the points within the sphere

**Return type** array of [x,y,z] coordinates

### paramagpy.fit.svd\_calc\_metal\_from\_pcs

`paramagpy.fit.svd_calc_metal_from_pcs(pos, pcs, idx, errors)`

Solve PCS equation by single value decomposition. This function is generally called by higher methods like <svd\_gridsearch\_fit\_metal\_from\_pcs>

#### Parameters

- **pos** (*array of [x,y,z] floats*) – the atomic positions in meters
- **pcs** (*array of floats*) – the PCS values in ppm. Note these should be weighted by the experimental uncertainties.
- **idx** (*array of ints*) – an index assigned to each atom. Common indices determine summation between models for ensemble averaging.
- **errors** (*array of floats*) – the standard deviation representing experimental uncertainty in the measured value

**Returns**

- **calc** (*array of floats*) – the calculated PCS values from the fitted tensor
- **sol** (*array of floats*) – solution to the linearised PCS equation and consists of the tensor 5 matrix elements

### paramagpy.fit.svd\_calc\_metal\_from\_pcs\_offset

`paramagpy.fit.svd_calc_metal_from_pcs_offset(pos, pcs, idx, errors)`

Solve PCS equation by single value decomposition with offset. An offset arising from referencing errors between diamagnetic and paramagnetic datasets can be accounted for using this method. This function is generally called by higher methods like `<svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs>`

NOTE: the factor of 1E26 is required for floating point error mitigation

#### Parameters

- **pos** (*array of [x,y,z] floats*) – the atomic positions in meters
- **pcs** (*array of floats*) – the PCS values in ppm. Note these should be weighted by the experimental uncertainties.
- **idx** (*array of ints*) – an index assigned to each atom. Common indices determine summation between models for ensemble averaging.
- **errors** (*array of floats*) – the standard deviation representing experimental uncertainty in the measured value

#### Returns

- **calc** (*array of floats*) – the calculated PCS values from the fitted tensor
- **sol** (*array of floats*) – solution to the linearised PCS equation and consists of the tensor 5 matrix elements and offset values

### paramagpy.fit.svd\_calc\_metal\_from\_rdc

`paramagpy.fit.svd_calc_metal_from_rdc(vec, rdc_parameterised, idx, errors)`

Solve RDC equation by single value decomposition. This function is generally called by higher methods like `<svd_fit_metal_from_rdc>`

#### Parameters

- **vec** (*array of [x,y,z] floats*) – the internuclear vectors in meters
- **rdc\_parameterised** (*array of floats*) – the experimental RDC values, normalised by a prefactor
- **idx** (*array of ints*) – an index assigned to each atom. Common indices determine summation between models for ensemble averaging.
- **errors** (*array of floats*) – the standard deviation representing experimental uncertainty in the measured value

#### Returns

- **calc** (*array of floats*) – the calculated RDC values from the fitted tensor
- **sol** (*array of floats*) – sol is the solution to the linearised PCS equation and consists of the tensor matrix elements

### paramagpy.fit.svd\_fit\_metal\_from\_rdc

`paramagpy.fit.svd_fit_metal_from_rdc(initMetals, dataArrays, params=('ax', 'rh', 'a', 'b', 'g'), ensembleAverage=False, progress=None)`

Fit deltaChi tensor to RDC values using Single Value Decomposition. Note this is a weighted SVD calculation which takes into account experimental errors.

#### Parameters

- **initMetals** (*list of Metal objects*) – a list of metals used as starting points for fitting. a list must always be provided, but may also contain only one element. If multiple metals are provided, each metal is fitted to their respective RDC dataset by index in <dataArrays>.
- **dataArrays** (*list of PRE dataArray*) – each RDC dataArray must correspond to an associated metal for fitting. each RDC dataArray has structure determined by `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`.
- **params** (*list of str*) – the parameters to be fit. NOTE: This is a dummy argument and does not influence the fitting. The default parameters ('ax','rh','a','b','g') are the only option.
- **ensembleAverage** (*bool, optional*) – when False, each model of the structure is fit independently. The parameters for each fitted tensor are then averaged before returning the final averaged tensor. When True, the structure models are treated as an ensemble and ensemble averaging of calculated PCS/PRE/RDC/CCR values is conducted at all stages of fitting to fit a single tensor to all models simultaneously. The 'idx' column of the dataArray determines the ensemble averaging behaviour with common indices for atoms between models resulting in their summation.
- **progress** (*object, optional*) – to keep track of the calculation, `progress.set(x)` is called each iteration and varies from 0.0 -> 1.0 when the calculation is complete.

#### Returns

- **fitMetals** (*list of metals*) – a list of the fitted tensors.
- **dataArrays** (*list of dataArray*) – each dataArray is copy of the original dataArray with the 'cal' column populated with back-calculated values from the fitted tensor.

### paramagpy.fit.svd\_gridsearch\_fit\_metal\_from\_pcs

```
paramagpy.fit.svd_gridsearch_fit_metal_from_pcs (initMetals, dataArrays, ensembleAverage=False, origin=None, radius=20.0, points=16, offsetShift=False, progress=None)
```

Fit deltaChi tensor to PCS values using Single Value Decomposition over a grid of points in a sphere. Note this uses a weighted SVD fit which takes into account experimental errors

#### Parameters

- **initMetals** (*list of Metal objects*) – a list of metals used as starting points for fitting. a list must always be provided, but may also contain only one element. If multiple metals are provided, each metal is fitted to their respective PCS dataset by index in <dataArrays, but all are fitted to a common position.
- **dataArrays** (*list of PCS dataArray*) – each PCS dataArray must correspond to an associated metal for fitting. each PCS dataArray has structure determined by `paramagpy.protein.CustomStructure.parse()`.
- **ensembleAverage** (*bool, optional*) – when False, each model of the structure is fit independently. The parameters for each fitted tensor are then averaged before returning the final averaged tensor. When True, the structure models are treated as an ensemble and ensemble averaging of calculated PCS/PRE/RDC/CCR values is conducted at all stages of fitting to fit a single tensor to all models simultaneously. The 'idx' column of the dataArray determines the ensemble averaging behaviour with common indices for atoms between models resulting in their summation.
- **origin** (*float, optional*) – the centre of the gridsearch of positions in Angstroms. If None, the position of the first metal is used
- **radius** (*float, optional*) – the radius of the gridsearch in Angstroms.
- **points** (*int, optional*) – the number of points per radius in the gridsearch

- **offsetShift** (*bool, optional*) – if True, an offset value added to all PCS values is included in the SVD fitting. This may arise due to a referencing error between diamagnetic and paramagnetic PCS datasets and may be used when many data points are available. Default False, no offset is included in the fitting.
- **progress** (*object, optional*) – to keep track of the calculation, `progress.set(x)` is called each iteration and varies from 0.0 -> 1.0 when the calculation is complete.

#### Returns

- **fitMetals** (*list of metals*) – a list of the fitted tensors.
- **dataArrays** (*list of dataArray*) – each dataArray is copy of the original dataArray with the 'cal' column populated with back-calculated values from the fitted tensor.

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