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Memorandum

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MUSRFIT plug-in for simple β -NMR resonance line shapes

This library contains useful functions to fit NMR and β -NMR line shapes. The functional form of the powder averages was taken from M. Mehring, Principles of High Resolution NMR in Solids (Springer 1983). The libLineProfile library currently contains the following functions:

LineGauss

$$A(f) = e^{-\frac{4\ln 2(f - f_0)^2}{\sigma^2}} \tag{1}$$

Gaussian line shape around f_0 with width σ and height 1.

MUSRFIT theory line: userFcn libLineProfile LineGauss 1 2

Parameters: f_0 , σ .

LineLaplace

$$A(f) = e^{-2\ln 2\left|\frac{f - f_0}{\sigma}\right|} \tag{2}$$

Laplaceian line shape around f_0 with width σ and height 1.

MUSRFIT theory line: userFcn libLineProfile LineLaplace 1 2

Parameters: f_0 , σ .

LineLorentzian

$$A(f) = \frac{\sigma^2}{4(f - f_0)^2 + \sigma^2}$$
 (3)

Lorentzian line shape around f_0 with width σ and height 1.

MUSRFIT theory line: userFcn libLineProfile LineLorentzian 1 2

Parameters: f_0 , σ .

LineSkewLorentzian

$$A(f) = \frac{\sigma * \sigma_a}{4(f - f_0)^2 + \sigma_a^2}, \quad \sigma_a = \frac{2\sigma}{1 + e^{a(f - f_0)}}$$
(4)

Skewed Lorentzian line shape around f_0 with width σ , height 1 and skewness parameter a.

MUSRFIT theory line: userFcn libLineProfile LineSkewLorentzian 1 2 3

Parameters: f_0 , σ , a.

LineSkewLorentzian2

$$A(f) = \begin{cases} \frac{\sigma_1^2}{4(f - f_0)^2 + \sigma_1^2}, & f < f_0\\ \frac{\sigma_2^2}{4(f - f_0)^2 + \sigma_2^2}, & f > f_0 \end{cases}$$
 (5)

Skewed Lorentzian line shape around f_0 with height 1 and widths σ_1 , and σ_2 .

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MUSRFIT theory line: userFcn libLineProfile LineSkewLorentzian2 1 2 3

Parameters: f_0 , σ_1 , σ_2 .

PowderLineAxialLor

$$A(f) = I_{ax}(f) \circledast \left(\frac{\sigma^2}{4f^2 + \sigma^2}\right) \tag{6}$$

Powder average of a axially symmetric interaction, convoluted with a Lorentzian.

$$I_{ax}(f) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2\sqrt{(f_{\parallel} - f_{\perp})(f - f_{\perp})}} & f \in (f_{\perp}, f_{\parallel}) \cup (f_{\parallel}, f_{\perp}) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
 (7)

The maximal height of the curve is normalized to ~ 1 .

MUSRFIT theory line: userFcn libLineProfile PowderLineAxialLor 1 2 3

Parameters: $f_{\parallel}, f_{\perp}, \sigma$.

PowderLineAxialGss

$$A(f) = I_{ax}(f) \circledast \left(e^{-\frac{4\ln 2(f - f_0)^2}{\sigma^2}} \right)$$
(8)

Powder average of a axially symmetric interaction (Eq. 7), convoluted with a Gaussian. The maximal height of the curve is normalized to \sim 1.

MUSRFIT theory line: userFcn libLineProfile PowderLineAxialGss 1 2 3

Parameters: f_{\parallel} , f_{\perp} , σ .

PowderLineAsymLor

$$A(f) = I(f) \circledast \left(\frac{\sigma^2}{4f^2 + \sigma^2}\right) \tag{9}$$

Powder average of a asymmetric interaction, convoluted with a Lorentzian. Assume without loss of generality that $f_1 < f_2 < f_3$, then

$$I(f) = \begin{cases} \frac{K(m)}{\pi\sqrt{(f-f_1)(f_3-f_2)}}, & f_3 \ge f > f_2\\ \frac{K(m)}{\pi\sqrt{(f_3-f)(f_2-f_1)}}, & f_2 > f \ge f_1\\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
(10)

$$m = \begin{cases} \frac{(f_2 - f_1)(f_3 - f)}{(f_3 - f_2)(f - f_1)}, & f_3 \ge f > f_2\\ \frac{(f - f_1)(f_3 - f_2)}{(f_3 - f)(f_2 - f_1)}, & f_2 > f \ge f_1 \end{cases}$$

$$(11)$$

$$K(m) = \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{\mathrm{d}\varphi}{\sqrt{1 - m^2 \sin^2 \varphi}},\tag{12}$$

where K(m) is the complete elliptic integral of the first kind. Note that $f_1 < f_2 < f_3$ is not required by the code. The maximal height of the curve is normalized to ~ 1 .

MUSRFIT theory line: userFcn libLineProfile PowderLineAsymLor 1 2 3 4

Parameters: f_1, f_2, f_3, σ .

PowderLineAsymGss

$$A(f) = I(f) \otimes \left(e^{-\frac{4 \ln 2(f - f_0)^2}{\sigma^2}}\right)$$
 (13)

Powder average of a asymmetric interaction (Eq. 10-12), convoluted with a Gaussian. The maximal height of the curve is normalized to \sim 1.

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Parameters: f_1 , f_2 , f_3 , σ .

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