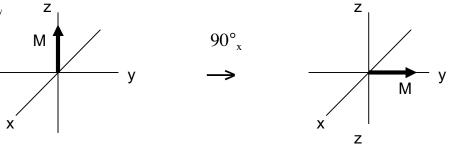
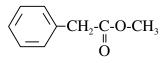
## Problem Set #2, CHEM/BCMB 4190/6190/8189

1). The effect on the bulk magnetization vector, M, of a 90° ( $\pi$ /2) pulse applied along the "x" axis (90°<sub>x</sub>) is shown below. Show what effect the following pulses would have: 90°<sub>xx</sub>, 90°<sub>xy</sub>,  $180^{\circ}_{v}$ ,  $270^{\circ}_{x}$ ,  $270^{\circ}_{-v}$ 



2). Using Shoolery's rule for methylene groups, predict the <sup>1</sup>H chemical shift for the (equivalent) methylene protons of the following compound:

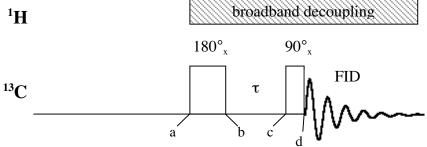


3). Using the Grant and Paul incremental system for alkanes, predict the <sup>13</sup>C chemical shifts for all of the non-equivalent <sup>13</sup>C nuclei in 2,2dimethylbutane (the actual shifts are;  $\delta^{13}C^1=29.1$ ,  $\delta^{13}C^2=30.6$ ,  $\delta^{13}$ C<sup>2</sup>=36.9, and  $\delta^{13}$ C<sup>4</sup>=8.9 ppm):

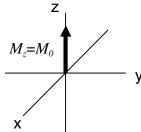
$$\begin{array}{c}
CH_{3} \\
C^{1}H_{3}-C^{2}-C^{3}H_{2}-C^{4}H_{3} \\
CH_{3}
\end{array}$$

- 4). In a 1% solution, the chemical shift of the hydroxyl <sup>1</sup>H of phenol is approximately 4.37 ppm. The chemical shift increases with concentration up to 7.45 ppm at 100%. Conversely, the chemical shift of the hydroxyl <sup>1</sup>H of o-hydroxyacetophenone is very high (12.05 ppm), and is invariant with concentration.
  - a. Why does the chemical shift of the <sup>1</sup>H of the hydroxyl of phenol change with concentration, and why does the chemical shift increase when the concentration increases?
  - b. Why is the chemical shift of the <sup>1</sup>H of the hydroxyl of *o*-hydroxyacetophenone so high? c. Why does the chemical shift of the <sup>1</sup>H of the hydroxyl
  - of o-hydroxyacetophenone not change with concentration?
- 5). If the longitudinal relaxation time for a given nucleus is 10 seconds, how long after a **180°** pulse will we have to wait until the magnitude of the z component of the bulk magnetization  $(M_z)$ is equal to 95% of the magnitude of the bulk magnetization before the pulse  $(M_0)$ ?

6). The following diagram represents the pulse sequence (experiment) used to measure T<sub>1</sub> for nuclei:



a. At point 'a', just before the first  $(180^{\circ}_{x})$  pulse, the magnitude of the longitudinal component of the bulk  $^{13}$ C magnetization  $(M_{z})$  is equal to the magnitude of the equilibrium magnitization  $(M_{o})$ , as shown in the vector diagram at the right. Draw similar diagrams for points 'b', 'c', and 'd' showing the effects of the pulses and delays, assuming  $\tau$ =0.0 seconds.



- b. After point 'd', if we record the FID (for  $\tau$ =0.0 s) and perform a Fourier transform on it, what will the resulting signal look like (sketch the signal)?
- c. Draw sketches of the vector diagrams at points 'c' and 'd' and the Fourier transforms of the FIDs collected after point 'd' for increasing values of  $\tau$ .
- d. At some value of  $\tau$  (see question 'c'), the magnitude of the longitudinal component of the bulk magnitization is zero ( $M_z$ =0) at point 'c', and the Fourier transform of the FID reveals no signal. If  $T_1$  is 10 seconds, at what value of  $\tau$  does this occur?
- e. You find that when  $\tau$  is 10s, there is no signal at point 'd'. What is  $T_1$ ?
- f. In order to measure  $T_1$  properly, we measure the amplitude of the signal (Fourier transform of the FID) as a function of  $\tau$  and fit the data to the appropriate first order equation. We should wait for a time equal to at least  $5T_1$  between successive experiments in order to allow for re-equilibration of the bulk magnetization. If  $T_1$  is 10 s, and if we wait for  $5T_1$  between experiments, how complete is the re-equilibration (assume  $\tau$ =0, the acquisition time=0 and the 90° pulse width is also=0)?