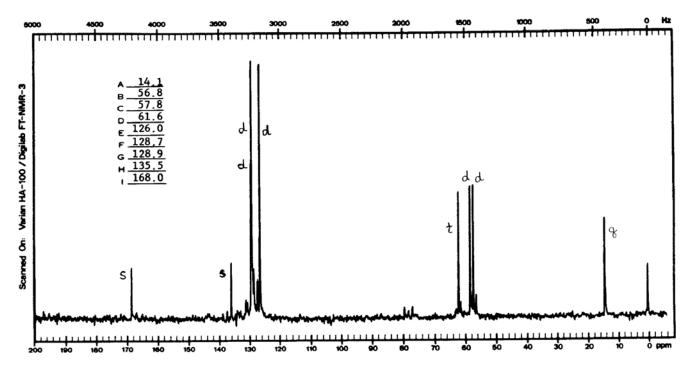


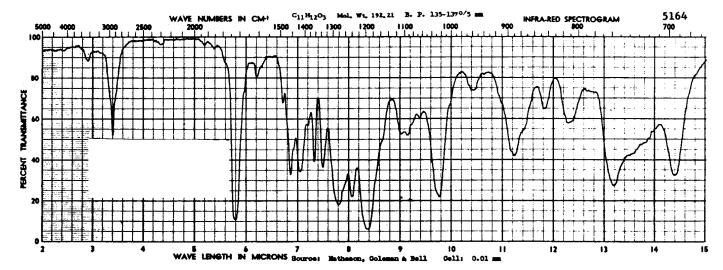
Problem R-12H ( $C_{11}H_{12}O_3$ ). 25 MHz <sup>13</sup>C NMR Spectrum in CDCI<sub>3</sub>.

Source: Sadtler



**Problem R-12H**  $(C_{11}H_{12}O_3)$ .

IR Spectrum neat. Source: Sadtler



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1730 cm<sup>-1</sup> possible ester C=O, not 4 or 5 ring

1490, 1460, 1420 aromatic

No OH stretch (not acid or alcohol)

1030 cm<sup>-1</sup> C-O

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14.2: CH<sub>3</sub>

61.6: CH<sub>2</sub>-O

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57.8, 61.6: two CH-O

135.5: quat aromatic

128.9, 128,7, 126.0: aromatic p, o, m

168.0: Ester carbonyl

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Assign the downfield epoxide proton to the PhCH because it is a little broader (not so tall) due to coupling to Ph protons Also,  $\alpha$ -Ph (CH) is 1.35,  $\alpha$ -CO<sub>2</sub>R (CH) is 0.95.

4.25, d, 
$${}^{3}J = 5 Hz$$

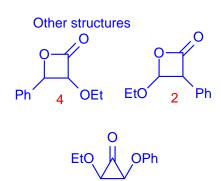
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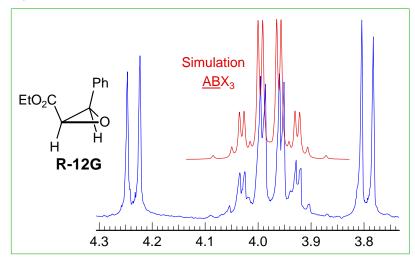
1.0 t,  $J = 7 Hz$ 

R-12G

4.0, AB of ABX<sub>3</sub>

4.25, AB of ABX<sub>3</sub> 4.05, d, <sup>3</sup>J = 2 Hz H O CO<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>3</sub> Ph 6 H 3.5, d, <sup>3</sup>J = 2 Hz **R-12H** 





(e) What feature(s) of the spectra allowed you to make the distinction between the isomers?

In 3-membered rings  $J_{cis}$  is <u>always</u> larger than  $J_{trans}$  for a given system

In 4-membering rings  $J_{cis}$  is usually larger than  $J_{trans}$