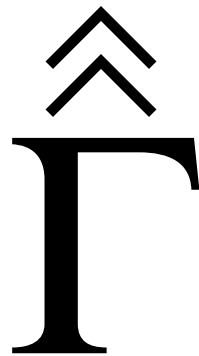


# GAMMA

## Users Guide



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# 1 Introduction

## THIS DOCUMENT ASSUMES THAT THE READER HAS A WORKING VERSION OF Γ.

GAMMA is a computational environment designed to simplify the simulation of magnetic resonance (MR) phenomena. It accomplishes this by allowing users to write C++ programs using the objects that are commonly used to describe MR. Thus GAMMA programs are C++ programs both they make use of quantities such as spin systems, pulses, delays, Hamiltonians, and the like. This document describes the basics of using GAMMA and writing GAMMA programs. It will be biased towards simulations of nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) problems as well as towards use in a Unix environment. It also assumes that the reader is familiar with some editor and that the GAMMA platform has been successfully installed.

## 1.1 Basics of C++ Programs

The purpose of GAMMA is to allow you, the user, to write your own programs easily and efficiently. In this regard it is similar to programs such as MATLAB, Mathematica, MAPLE, etc. However GAMMA programs **are** C++ programs, and that implies that

- 1 You have a full computer language at your disposal with all its flexibility and added libraries.
- 2 You will have to gain some rudimentary knowledge of programming<sup>1</sup> in C++.

There is a learning curve associated with GAMMA but we hope you will find that small relative to what you will gain in ability.

### 1.1.1 Basic C++ Program: Hello Cruel World

We begin by writing a “GAMMA” (actually a C++) program. A simple program would be the following:

```
#include <gamma.h>
main()
{
    cout << “\n\tHello World\n”;
}
```

The first line is a compiler directive to include the GAMMA platform. You can have several lines such as this to include more libraries as desired. In this program GAMMA isn’t providing anything so the line could be left out.

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1. The author was a steadfast FORTRAN user until the GAMMA project began. Some can argue that he still doesn’t know how to program in C (and barely manages in C++), but he now avoids FORTRAN unless its shoved in his face. Given that a slow learner such as him can manage in C++, you should be able to as well.

The next line declares that the main part of the program is following, enclosed by the brackets {.....}. These brackets must both be present and any code associated with main must reside between them.

The only line of code is just to write “Hello World” to standard output. A few things to note.

- 1 Standard output (your screen by default) is called **cout**.
- 2 The **operator** << is one that the object itself (the stuff enclosed in “”, a String) knows all about.
- 3 The special combinations, \n and \t, are a page break and tab respectively when in a String.
- 4 Every code line must end with a semicolon, ; (**except things enclosed in {}**).

Now we must convert this program code into an executable. That is done by using the “gamma” script which invokes the C++ compiler, links any C++ libraries and links to the GAMMA platform. We will use **noesy>** to be the prompt that the computer we are working on uses, and we will assume the program is called hello.cc (note that the .cc is often mandatory when using the C++ compiler!). Here we go.

```
noesy> gamma hello.cc
```

```
G A M M A
```

```
[Other Messages]
```

```
noesy>
```

Your actual response may vary depending on your GAMMA version and your computer type. The command **gamma** acting on hello.cc (or any C++ program) will produce an executable that has a default name<sup>1</sup> called **a.out**. To run the program,

```
noesy> a.out
```

```
Hello World
```

```
noesy>
```

That’s it, if this worked you have completed compilation of your first C++ program and compilation your GAMMA programs will be very similar.

### 1.1.2 Basic C++ Program: Comments, Spacing, Executable Name

We’ll will cover a few of the basics of C++ programming before using GAMMA for anything interesting. A few key points to remember:

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1. On Intel based PC’s running Windows the executable file is a.exe rather than a.out.

- 1 Blank spaces are ignored, it doesn't matter if there is 1 or 20 or none. Thus, there is no column alignment of code, code may span multiple lines (i.e. multiple lines before a ";"), or there may be multiple ";"s on a single line.
- 2 Comments in C++ may be either in the typical C fashion (i.e. anything between /\* and \*/ is taken as a comment) or by use of a // (anything past // on that line is a comment).
- 3 The output executable can be named anything you like by using "-o outfile" during compilation of your program.

Now, we can start by writing a "GAMMA" (actually a C++) program. A simple program would be the following:

```
#include <gamma.h>                // Include the GAMMA library
/*****
** Here's the same program again **
*****/
main()
{ cout << "\n\tHello World\n"; } // Output the message
```

Assuming that this file is named hello1.cc, we shall compile and name the output executable "again".

```
noesy> gamma hello1.cc -o again
```

G A M M A

[Other Messages]

```
noesy>
```

To run the program,

```
noesy> again
```

Hello World

```
noesy>
```

### 1.1.3 Basic C++ Program: Includes, Subroutines, Running Interactive

Three more basic areas and then we'll do something with GAMMA.

- 1 Include statements are used to tell the C++ compiler about specific files it should know about. These may be **header files (filename.h)**, files that indicate how to interface with various functions and data types whose code has already been compiled and will be included in a library, or they may be files of C++ code (**filename.cc**). Include statements begin with



a # and the filename will be encased either with brackets to indicate it is in a searched directory (e.g. # include <filename.h>) or in quotes indicating it is in the local directory (e.g. # include "filename.cc").

- 2 Subroutines, or functions, which are in the file containing the main source code will normally reside after the include statements but before the main program. The main program will see only routines which are above it in the file. Functions and subroutine may also exist in separate files, included as indicated in the previous paragraph.
- 3 Interactive programs may be written either by allowing the main "function" to accept arguments or by use of standard input.

Our simple programs have already used the "#include" statement so that they have been able to use GAMMA (but haven't). If you wish to include other programs and modules you will have to experiment, that's really beyond the level of this section. However, here is a small modification that uses a function. The function precedes the main part of the program but is included in the same file.

```
#include <gamma.h>
```

```
String evenworse(int i)
```

```
{  
    if(i<=0) return String("Cruel");  
    else if(i==1) return String("Very Cruel");  
    return String("Extremely Cruel");  
}
```

```
main()
```

```
{  
    cout << "\n\tJust How Cruel [0,1,2]? ";  
    int i=0;  
    cin >> i;  
    cout << "\n\tHello " << evenworse(i) << " World\n";  
}
```

Assuming that this file is named hello2.cc, we shall compile and name the output executable "onemore".

```
noesy> gamma hello2.cc -o onemore
```

G A M M A

[Other Messages]

**noesy>**

To run the program,

**noesy>** onemore

Just How Cruel [0,1,2]? 2

Hello Extremely Cruel World

**noesy>**

We could have added more functions that take different arguments and we could have put the function codes in external files. You'll have to learn as you go. This covers the very basics of C++ programming. If you wish to become versed in C++ buy a nice book on that subject and look at other programs. The rest of this document will teach you some C++ as we make GAMMA programs and you can look at the GAMMA sources for other ways to do things.

## 2 Classes

In the previous chapter of this document you learned the basics of constructing and compiling simple C++ programs. In this chapter we shall start writing simple programs which use the objects which are defined both in C++ and in GAMMA. The programs herein will highlight some of the features of using GAMMA classes \*\*\*\*BUT\*\*\*\* to take full advantage of them you should look at the GAMMA CLASS DOCUMENTATION. There will be a chapter for each class type and a full list of the functions and operators defined for them.

### 2.1 Double Precision Numbers

Consider the data type **double**, intrinsic in C++. Such variables are used to track floating point numbers with double precision accuracy. We bring this up here so that those who are new to C++ can see how to utilize double precision numbers in their programs. Subsequently, data types supplied by GAMMA will be used with similar lines of code.

Variables of type **double** have the following **data type** properties:

- 1 A double precision number may be declared anywhere in a program.
- 2 An array of double precision numbers can be readily declared and accessed with [].
- 3 Double precision numbers come with their own functions (exp, <<).
- 4 Double precision numbers have a defined algebra (+, \*, /, ...).
- 5 Double precision number have the ability to interact with other data types (int + double).

Other intrinsic data types - such as integers, strings - have similar characteristics. In GAMMA still more data types are defined and also have such features (matrices, operators, tensors...). In the next sections we'll look at some simple programs with double, then simple programs using GAMMA defined (non-intrinsic) data types.

#### 2.1.1 Basic C++ Program Using Doubles

We begin by writing a "GAMMA" (actually a C++) program. A simple program would be the following:

```
#include <gamma.h>
main()
{
    double x;                // This is an empty double
    double y = 5.0;          // This is double y of value 5
    cout << "\nValue y is " << y << "\n";    // Print value of y to standard out
    x = 12.4/y + exp(1.07);   // Set double x to some value
    xarr[10];                // This is an array of doubles
```

```
for(int i=0; i<10; i++)           // A loop to fill up xarr
    xarr[i] = x - i*y;
cout << "\nThe 1st array value is " // Print the first array value
    << xarr[0];
cout << "\nThe last array value is " // Print the last array value
    << xarr[9];
double tanx = tan(x);             // Here is the tangent of x
}
```

Again we'll emphasize what the intrinsic class **double** means:

- 1 All doubles have a well defined interface. Not to much worry about multiplying and adding them, one knows exactly what to expect.
- 2 They have a set of functions which apply to them and perhaps to other types as well. Thus the **operator** << is known to both doubles and Strings, the operator log will be known to both integers and doubles, and so on.

Now we must convert this program code into an executable. That is done by using the "gamma" script which invokes the C++ compiler, links any required C++ libraries, and links to the GAMMA platform. We still use **noesy>** to be the prompt that the computer we are working on uses, and we will assume the file containing this program code is called `dbl.cc` (note that the `.cc` is often mandatory when using the C++ compiler!). Here we go.

```
noesy> gamma dbl.cc
```

G A M M A

[Other Messages]

```
noesy>
```

Your actual response may vary depending on your GAMMA version and your computer type. The command **gamma** acting on `dbl.cc` (or any C++ program) will produce an executable that has a default name called **a.out**. To run the program,

```
noesy> a.out
```

[Output From Program]

```
noesy>
```

I won't include the output of this run, the program isn't meant to do anything constructive. It is only to show what a simple C++ program using doubles will look like,

## 2.2 Matrices and Vectors

Let us now jump up a level in abstraction yet remain focused on mathematical manipulations. GAMMA provides data types **matrix**, **row\_vector**, and **col\_vector** to handle matrices, row vectors and column vectors respectively. What does that mean? It means that you are free to manipulate these objects in your GAMMA programs just as you freely manipulated double precision numbers in the last example.

Variables of type **matrix**, **row\_vector**, and **col\_vector** have the following **data type** properties:

- 1 Matrices and vectors may be declared anywhere in a program.
- 2 An array of matrices and or vectors can be readily declared and accessed with [].
- 3 Matrices and Vectors come with their own functions (exp, <<).
- 4 Matrices and Vectors have a defined algebra (+, \*, ...).

### 2.2.1 Basic GAMMA Program Using Matrices & Vectors

Have a look at the following code.

```
#include <gamma.h>
main()
{

    double x;                // This is an empty double
    matrix mx;               // This is an empty matrix
    row_vector rv;           // This is an empty row vector
    col_vector cvs[10];      // These are 10 empty column vectors
    matrix mx1(2,3, 7);      // A 2x3 matrix filled with 7's
    complex z(2,-1.3);       // A complex number 2-1.3i
    matrix mx2(3,5,z);       // A 3x5 matrix filled with z
    mx2.put(complex(2,2),0,1); // Set <1|mx|2> to be 2+2i
    rv = row_vector(3,-1);   // Now rv's a row vector of length 3 with -1's
    matrix mx3 = exp(x)*rv*mx2/complexi; // What the heck, just playing around.
    cout << mx3;             // Let's have a look at mx3....isn't it 1x5?
}
```

In GAMMA programs you can build up any vectors and matrices you need and then you may manipulate them as readily as you would a double precision number! Make arrays of matrices, take their exponentials, do whatever you like within reason... they are objects for you to wield to your hearts content, much in the same way you can do in MATLAB.

I'll no longer bother with the compilation step, just look to the previous examples. Here is the result of running the above program:

### GAMMA 1 x 5 Full Matrix

```
( 3.90, 6.00) ( 0.60, 6.00) ( 3.90, 6.00) ( 3.90, 6.00) ( 3.90, 6.00)
```

Note that the strength of GAMMA is NOT in its matrix and vector manipulations! That is a powerful feature, but it is shared by other types of programs to some extent. (Yes, GAMMA can read and write matrices to and from MATLAB...) The wonderful thing about GAMMA for those working in magnetic resonance will be demonstrated through use of the MR tailored classes.

## 2.3 Basic Spin Systems

At this point we will depart from the “mathematical” classes and switch our focus to a GAMMA provided class **spin\_sys**. This is a data type which embodies a fundamental entity in magnetic resonance, namely a collection of spins and associated spin quantum numbers. I will not continue emphasizing the flexibility one has when working with data types. (Yes you can make an array of spin systems if you wish).

### 2.3.1 GAMMA Base Spin System: Primitive Construction, Standard Output

Here's a simple program which is very much like the original “Hello World” program.

```
#include <gamma.h>
main()
{
    spin_sys sys(3);                // System “sys”, 3 spins
    cout << “\n\tA Default Three Spin System\n”    // Write sys to standard output
        << sys;
}
```

The program just declares a spin system and then the system writes itself to standard output. We'll compile and run the program, taking sys1.cc to be the name of the file containing the above code.

```
noesy> gamma sys1.cc
```

G A M M A

[Other Messages]

```
noesy> a.out
```

```
    A Default Three Spin System
System      :
Spin        :      0      1      2
```

```
Isotope      :      1H      1H      1H
Momentum :      1/2      1/2      1/2
```

```
noesy>
```

Because we have not specified any details other than that the system contains 3 spins, GAMMA automatically uses a default isotope of 1H. Also, note that there is a standard output function, “<<” defined for a spin system. In effect, the system knows how to display itself to the screen (as do doubles, integers, matrices, and most of the data types in GAMMA).

### 2.3.2 GAMMA Base Spin System: Member Functions, Info Access, File Input

Now we’ll get a bit more fancy with our basic spin system. Since in C++ we have control over what functions are available to these type of variables, lets consider some that might be useful.

- 1 Set./Retrieve the number of spins
- 2 Set/Retrieve a spin’s particular isotope type
- 3 Read/Write spin system to disk
- 4 Get the system Hilbert space dimension.
- 5 Obtains a spins angular momentum and/or gyromagnetic ratio
- 6 .....

All of these are **intrinsic** properties of any spin system and therefore available to GAMMA programs at any time. Have a look at the following variation of the previous program. I’m gonna make it more sophisticated now that you know a bit of C++ and GAMMA....

```
#include <gamma.h>
main()
{
    spin_sys sys;                                // System “sys”
    sys.read(“test.sys”);                        // System reads itself from file test.sys
    cout << sys;                                // Have a look at the system.
    cout << “\n2nd spin Iz: “ << sys.qn(1);      // Here is Iz of the 2nd spin
    cout << “\n1st spin is “ << sys.element(0);   // This is the 1st spin type
    cout << “\nSystem Hilbert space is “ << sys.HS(); // This is the spin Hilbert space
    if(sys.homonuclear())                       // Tell us if it homo/hetero nuclear
        cout << “\nSystem is Homonuclear”;
    else
        cout << “\nSystem is Heteronuclear”;
}
```

The above code may seem cryptic to those used C and FORTRAN programs because it makes use of **member functions**. Rather than making use of the function sin on the variable x via sin(x), the

member function use of sine might be written `x.sin()`, i.e. the function is attached to the data type by a single period “.”. In the above code, the `spin_sys` member functions `read`, `qn`, `element`, `HS`, and `homonuclear` are used. It'll take some getting used to but once you familiarize yourself with this syntax you'll start to like it. However, there may be both member and non-member functions defined for a particular data type - but that is simple - you just need to look up the function and its usage.

Pay particular attention to the fact that this program DOES NOT contain any information about the spin system, it is system independent (although I do ask for information on the 1st two spins, so the program would give an error if the system doesn't have at least two spins...).

When the program is run it will look for a file “test.sys” that contains information that defines the system. Here is an example of such a file:

This is a Example of A File Containing A Basic GAMMA Spin System

<code>SysName (2) : CDV</code>	- Name of the Spin System
<code>NSpins (0) : 3</code>	- Number of Spins in the System
<code>Iso(0) (2) : 13C</code>	- Spin Isotope Type
<code>Iso(1) (2) : 2H</code>	- Spin Isotope Type
<code>Iso(2) (2) : 51V</code>	- Spin Isotope Type

If I compile the program and the above system information is in a file “test.sys” here will be the program output:

```
System : CDV
Spin   :    0    1    2
Isotope :   13C   2H   51V
Momentum :  1/2    1   7/2
```

```
2nd spin Iz: 1
1st spin is C
System Hilbert space is 48
```

If you use a different “test.sys” file you will of course get different results.

### 2.3.3 GAMMA Base Spin System: Interactive

Suppose now that you like the above program very much but, rather than having it always read the file “test.sys” to get the spin system you would like it to ask you for which file to read the system from. That can be done crudely by use of code such as

<code>spin_sys sys;</code>	// System “sys”
<code>String filename;</code>	// A string for the filename
<code>cout &lt;&lt; “\n\n\tWhich file? “;</code>	// Ask the user for a filename
<code>cin &gt;&gt; filename;</code>	// Get the filename from user



```
sys.read(filename); // System reads itself from file test.sys
```

substituted in the previous program. I'll use a more sophisticated approach because its something that is nice to use once you take the time to learn it. Here's a rewrite of the previous program start:

```
#include <gamma.h>
main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    spin_sys sys; // System "sys"
    sys.ask_read(argc, argv, 1); // Ask for and/or Read system
    cout << sys; // Have a look at the system.
    //..... // Rest of the program here!
}
```

The key concepts here are 1.) The change to the main program to take an integer and an array of strings and 2.) Use of the member function ask\_read to have the spin system ask the user which file it should read itself from.

The former is standard in C and C++ - you don't need to understand it, you can just always write you "main" program statement in such a manner. What that does is provide the program with argc, the number of arguments given on the command line when the program is run, and argv, the arguments given on the command line.

The latter is just part of class spin\_sys in GAMMA. If the 1st argument (via the 1 in the call) is provided when the program is executed then sys will use that value as the filename it should use to read itself. If no 1st argument is provided then the system will ask the user for a filename.

Don't spend too much time worrying about the details here. You'll learn this stuff with experience. Below is the above program run both with and without a spin system file name on the command line. I'm leaving out the code following cout << sys for brevity. Here is the program (executable named a.out) run when the name test.sys is supplied on the command line:

```
|gamma1>a.out test.sys
System : CDV
Spin   :    0    1    2
Isotope :   13C   2H   51V
Momentum :  1/2    1   7/2
```

Here is the same program run when no arguments are supplied on the command line:

```
|gamma1>a.out

Spin system filename? test.sys
System : CDV
Spin   :    0    1    2
Isotope :   13C   2H   51V
Momentum :  1/2    1   7/2
```

See the difference? Now your GAMMA program can be run repeatedly with any number of input spin system files. Yep, the current program doesn't do much.... but wait until you use spin systems to do simulations later. This is the means by which you will soon learn how one can just make a general COSY simulator for any spin system (containing any isotopes!). The above was run on my SPARC20, a machine with the prompt |gamma1> so don't let that worry you.

GAMMA is not limited to the number of spins in a spin system and has a internal knowledge of most spin isotopes! To learn more about GAMMA's spin system(s) and isotopes see their chapters in the GAMMA CLASS DOCUMENTATION.

## 2.4 Spin Operators

Having learned about basic spin systems, we shall start learning to use something which is fundamental to the mathematical treatment of magnetic resonance, a spin operator. GAMMA provides the user with a wide variety of functions that return spin operators - operators based on spin angular momentum - that reside in a composite spin space. These functions almost invariably take a GAMMA spin system as a function argument.

### 2.4.1 GAMMA Spin Operators: Construction, Functions, Output

To keep things simple, the following program will just read in the system file (test.sys) rather than ask the user for it.

```
#include <gamma.h>

main()
{
    spin_sys sys;                                // System "sys"
    sys.read("test.sys");                        // System reads itself from file test.sys
    spin_op FZ = Fz(sys);                        // Here is Fz for the system
    cout << "\nSystem Total Fz Op: " << FZ;      // Have a look at Fz for the system
    cout << "\nSystem F+: "                      // Here is F+ for the system output
        << Fx(sys)+complexi*Fy(sys);            // to the screen
    //cout << "\nSystem F+: " << Fp(sys);        // This is also F+ by a easier way
    double dij = 134.7;                         // Dipolar coupling value
    gen_op HD = dij*Fz(sys,0)*Fz(sys,1);        // Dipolar Hamiltonian component}
}
```

Since, according to the previous program demonstrating class spin\_sys, the Hilbert space is 34 for the "test.sys" defined spin system, all our output operators will be 34x34 arrays, too big to do a screen capture and have on this page. So, I'm going to use a smaller spin system defined in my "test.sys". Here is the one I will use instead (just tritium instead of vanadium)

SysName (2) : 3Spins	- Name of the Spin System
NSpins (0) : 3	- Number of Spins in the System
Iso(0) (2) : 13C	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(1) (2) : 2H	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(2) (2) : 3H	- Spin Isotope Type

I'm also going to use a GAMMA FrameMaker function so I can bring them right into this document. Rather than use the function `cout << spin_op` (as is shown in the above program) I will substitute in `FM_Matrix("file.mif", spin_op)`; Those of you who don't use FrameMaker don't need to worry about this, suffice it to say that the following matrices are one in the same as the ones that would appear on screen if you ran the program with the 3-spin CDV system used previously (except they would show up on screen as diagonal and Hermitian arrays...)

$$F_z = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad F_+ = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1.41 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.41 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1.41 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.41 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1.41 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.41 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1.41 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1.41 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note also that I cheated on the last line of the program and used GAMMA class `gen_op`, the general quantum mechanical operator class. We'll get back to that later, I just wanted to show those who know the math how one can build up various Hamiltonians. Of course, there are functions in GAMMA for doing such things in 1 step... but you can build up ANY spin Hamiltonians you like and manipulate them in whatever way you need.

To find out which spin operators are available by simple function calls see the GAMMA MR Library DOCUMENTATION. You'll find that all commonly used spin operators are there including spin rotation operators. Users can build up any such operators if there is no function to do so. To see how GAMMA spin operators are constructed and their functionality see the GAMMA CLASS DOCUMENTATION.

## 2.5 Isotropic Spin Systems

The last two sections have shown how basic spin systems (variables of class `spin_sys`) are defined and, in turn, are used to produce spin operators in a completely generalized manner. Spin systems are "containers" of information about the spin isotopes in a sample. The system provides that in-

formation to the spin operator functions and this sets the stage for building spin Hamiltonians and ultimately for applying pulses, delays, and acquisitions to the sample.

Consider the high-resolution isotropic NMR Hamiltonian. It is given by

$$H_o = \sum_{i=1}^{spins} -\omega_i I_{iz} + \sum_i^{spins} \sum_{j>i}^{spins} J_{ij} I_i \cdot I_j$$

We have already seen that we can readily make  $I_{iz}$  spin operators for each spin in the system. A line of code might be (where sys is the spin system)

```
spin_op Iz0 = Fz(sys,0)           // Iz for the 1st spin
```

Without much thought ( $I_i \cdot I_j = I_{iz} I_{jz} + I_{ix} I_{jx} + I_{iy} I_{jy}$ ) we know we can readily make the spin operators required for scalar coupled spin pairs. Here is a code line that would partially suffice

```
spin_op I0I1 = Fz(sys,0)*Fz(sys,1)      // Iz1*Iz2 for the 1st spin pair
              + Fx(sys,0)*Fx(sys,1)
              + Fy(sys,0)*Fy(sys,1)
```

If we stretch out imaginations we can just put in a loop over the number of spins and the number of spin pairs and do a summation. The code C++ code would look like

```
int i,j;
for(i=0; i<sys.spins(); i++)
{
    // Add in the chemical shift contributions here
    for(j=i+1; j<sys.spins(); j++)
    {
        // Add in the scalar coupling contributions here
    }
}
```

However we still lack some important information, particularly the chemical shifts of all the system spins and the scalar couplings between the system spin pairs. One solution would be to just add this isotropic information directly into the spin system and let the system itself tell us what these values are. That is (almost) exactly what GAMMA does. However, it does NOT use the basic spin system class, `spin_sys`, to do so. It uses an isotropic spin system class, `spin_system`, to do that job. Variables of class `spin_system` contain all of the information that variables of class `spin_sys` do but in addition they contain isotropic shift values for each spin and isotropic scalar couplings for each spin pair!

Now, lets have a look at building our isotropic Hamiltonian again.

```
spin_system sys;           // An isotropic system (not spin_sys!)
sys.read("ABX.sys");       // Read in the system from file
int i, j, ns=sys.spins();  // Needed integers, number of spins
```

```
for(i=0; i<ns; i++)                // Loop over the spins
{
  H0 -= sys.shift(i)*Fz(sys,i);      //      Add shift contributions
  for(j=i+1; j<ns; j++)              //      Loop spin pairs
  {
    H0 += sys.J(i,j)                 //      Add coupling contributions
      * ( Fz(sys,i)*Fz(sys,j)
        + Fx(sys,i)*Fx(sys,j)
        + Fy(sys,i)*Fy(sys,j) );
  }
}
```

This is NOT a complete GAMMA program (I haven't defined H0 yet). However it does illustrate a key concept in C++: derived classes. GAMMA's class `spin_system` is derived from the base spin system class `spin_sys`. As such, all functions that take variables of type `spin_sys` will also take variables of type `spin_system`. So, accessing the spin operators in the above code looks identical to the previous programs which used base systems - except now we are putting in an isotropic spin system when calling the functions.

### 2.5.1 GAMMA Isotropic Spin System: Interactive, NMR Hamiltonian

To illustrate this, lets now make the isotropic NMR Hamiltonian. We'll read in a spin system from an external file and then build and output the isotropic Hamiltonian to the screen. Here goes:

```
#include <gamma.h>
main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
  spin_system sys;                  // System "sys"
  sys.ask_read(argc, argv, 1);      // Ask for and/or Read system
  cout << Ho(sys);                  // Have a look at Ho.
}
```

Well? Not too hard, was it? Hopefully you haven't forgotten about the "ask\_read" function discussed in the `spin_sys` section, nor the arguments in the "main" call. Sure, I could have left in the looping over spins and spin pairs but the isotropic Hamiltonian is simply used too often in NMR simulations. Thus, it is just a function in GAMMA (that we will learn all about shortly). If you looked at the code for the "Ho" function you would find that it is just that, a loop over the spins and spin pairs and the summing up of components. Lets try out the program. I'll use the following ASCII file, "sosi.sys", as my input system

SysName	(2) : C-D	- Name of the Spin System
NSpins	(0) : 2	- Number of Spins in the System
Iso(0)	(2) : 13C	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(1)	(2) : 2H	- Spin Isotope Type

J(0,1) (1) : 22.0	- Scalar coupling (Hz)
v(0) (1) : 1200	- Shift of spin 1 (Hz)
PPM(1) (1) : 0	- Shift of spin 2 (PPM)
Omega (1) : 600.00	- Spec. Freq. in MHz (1H based)

Remember, you can have any number of spins in a spin system and virtually any spin isotope. Now I'll run the program with this file.

```
|gamma1>a.out sosi.sys
```

Matrix:

GAMMA 6 x 6 Diagonal Matrix

```
(-589.00, 0.00)
(-600.00, 0.00)
(-611.00, 0.00)
(589.00, 0.00)
(600.00, 0.00)
(611.00, -0.00)
```

Basis:

Default Basis (6 x 6) Identity Matrix

O.K., that is pretty uneventful. The Hamiltonian is diagonal because the scalar coupling is heteronuclear. The GAMMA function Ho knows that from the system and automatically sets weak scalar coupling. Let me rerun after switching the deuterium to carbon (replacing 2H by 13C in the file sosi.sys). Now here is the output:

```
|gamma1>a.out sosi.sys
```

Matrix:

GAMMA 4 x 4 Full Matrix

```
(-594.50, 0.00) ( 0.00, 0.00) ( 0.00, 0.00) ( 0.00, 0.00)
( 0.00, 0.00) (-605.50, 0.00) ( 11.00, 0.00) ( 0.00, 0.00)
( 0.00, 0.00) ( 11.00, 0.00) (594.50, 0.00) ( 0.00, 0.00)
( 0.00, 0.00) ( 0.00, 0.00) ( 0.00, 0.00) (605.50, 0.00)
```

Basis:

Default Basis (4 x 4) Identity Matrix

Still dull, but at least we have off-diagonals! Note how, although the GAMMA program has nothing specific about the input system, the output Hamiltonian automatically adjusts depending upon the system used. We will later deal with Hamiltonians and operators, operators being the return data type from function Ho - that is why the output talks about a basis.

## 2.5.2 GAMMA Isotropic Spin System: Access Functions

Now you know about isotropic systems, how they do everything base spin systems do, and how readily they may be used in GAMMA programs. Now think how you might run a program that loops through a set of similar spin systems, perhaps fitting some results to spin system parameters or watching the effects of strong coupling a two spins shifts mover closer together.

To do that you'll need full access to the spin system information, i.e. be able to set chemical shifts, coupling constants, isotope types, etc. within your GAMMA programs. Not a problem. The next program illustrates a couple of these abilities.

```
#include <gamma.h>
main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    spin_system sys(4);                // A system of 4spins (all 1H!)
    cout << sys;                       // Lets have a look at it
    sys.isotope(2,"31P");              // Set the 3rd spin to phosphorous
    sys.Omega(900.0);                 // Set field for 900 MHz proton (yeah)
    sys.PPM(7.2, 0);                  // Set 1st spin shift to 7.2 PPM
    sys.J(0, 1, 11.0);                // Set J12 to be 11 Hz
    cout << sys;                       // Lets have another look
}
```

Here's the output from this little ditty:

a.out sosi.sys

Spin	:	0	1	2	3
Isotope	:	1H	1H	1H	1H
Momentum	:	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2

Shifts	:	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
J Values (Hz)					
Spin 0	:		0.00	0.00	0.00
Spin 1	:			0.00	0.00
Spin 2	:				0.00

Spin	:	0	1	2	3
Isotope	:	1H	1H	31P	1H
Momentum	:	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2

Shifts	:	6.48 K	0.00	0.00	0.00
PPM	:	7.20	0.00	0.00	0.00

```
J Values (Hz)
Spin 0 :      11.00    0.00    0.00
Spin 1 :           0.00    0.00
Spin 2 :           0.00
Omega  :  900.00 M 900.00 M 364.33 M 900.00 M
```

Ho hum....Lets move on, you'll get your fill of spin systems as you go through this document. See the GAMMA CLASS DOCUMENTATION for all of the spin\_system functions and what parameters are important in external ASCII files that may be used to define them.

## 2.6 General Operators

Often, magnetic resonance problems are described in terms of operators: whether spin operators (as we have already seen), product operators, single transition operators, even Hamiltonian operators. To handle generalized quantum mechanical operators GAMMA contains class gen\_op. In the same way that GAMMA contains a battery of function to construct common spin operators, GAMMA contains a variety of functions that construct common general operators. An example of that was the function Ho that was used in an earlier program.

### 2.6.1 GAMMA Operators: Hamiltonians, Propagators, Density Operators

To demonstrate the use of GAMMA operators we'll approach a simple equation often encountered in NMR, the evolution of the spin system during a delay under a constant Hamiltonian. The spin system will be embodied by a density operator and we'll use the isotropic NMR Hamiltonian for our constant Hamiltonian. Here is the math (solution to the Liouville equation under constant H):

an external file and then build and output the isotropic Hamiltonian to the screen. Here goes:

```
#include <gamma.h>
main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    spin_system sys;                                // System "sys"
    sys.ask_read(argc, argv, 1);                    // Ask for and/or Read system
    gen_op sigma = Fx(sys);                          // Start with pure x magnetization
    gen_op H = Ho(sys);                              // Have a look at Ho
    double t = 1.23;                                // Set time for 1.23 seconds
    gen_op sigma1 = evolve(sigma, H, t);              // Evolve sigma under H for time t
}
```

You are very close to a 1D NMR simulation. In this example the operator sigma is used to represent the state of the spin system following a perfect 90y pulse (pure X magnetization). The operator H is set to the isotropic NMR Hamiltonian and then a new density operator, sigma1, is made by evolving sigma under the Hamiltonian H for a time t using the function "evolve".



That might be too cryptic for some, since the function `evolve` does hide the underlying mathematics just as the functions `Ho` and `Fx` hide the mathematics behind themselves. But that is only for convenience, there is nothing preventing the user from doing the step by step processes explicitly. Here is another way to do the evolution in the last line of the previous code:

```
gen_op U = exp(-complexi*2.0*PI*H*t);  
gen_op sigma1 = U*sigma*adjoint(U);
```

Here's another way to do it:

```
gen_op U = exp(-complexi*2.0*PI*H*t);  
gen_op sigma1 = evolve(sigma,U);
```

Here's yet another way to do it:

```
gen_op U = prop(H, t);  
gen_op sigma1 = evolve(sigma,U);
```

We could make a few dozen more too. As you get used to using GAMMA and become convinced that functions such as `Ho` are every bit as good as you writing out the sums over spin operators you'll switch to the simpler (more cryptic? not really, `Ho` is `Ho` and `evolve` is just that...) code. But if you don't like to, write out the steps. Sometimes one needs a specialized Hamiltonian or operators and the best way to get it is to just add up various spin components!

## 3 Magnetic Resonance Library

At this point you have learned how to build C++ and GAMMA programs. You've also experienced the use of GAMMA provided data types: spin systems, operators, superoperators, tensors. Along with these data types, GAMMA also provides a number of functions which perform manipulations on them which are common to magnetic resonance simulations.

For example, rather than building the isotropic NMR Hamiltonian stepwise there is a simple function which returns that Hamiltonian (as an operator, `gen_op`) in a single step. Rather than writing a subroutine to make a dipolar relaxation matrix there is a simple function which will return it (as a superoperator, `super_op`) contains a Magnetic Rather than looping over the points of an acquisition there are functions which will fill a data block with the FID points. And so on....

You don't have to use these functions in your GAMMA programs just as you are not required to use GAMMA data types in your C++ programs. But the idea is that, once you are used to them, you can focus your programming efforts on new and exciting things rather than spending a week to program in a 90 pulse.....

### 3.1 Hamiltonians

This document already made use of the function which provides the isotropic Hamiltonian, `Ho`. It is just a sum of the isotropic shift Hamiltonian and the isotropic scalar coupling Hamiltonian. That's all we'd ever need for NMR simulations if we always dealt with small molecules in nicely liquid systems where relaxation didn't concern us.

But the fact is that we do deal strongly relaxing systems, large molecules, powder samples, liquid crystals, etc. If we want to do simulations on those (we do, we do...) then we'll need some other Hamiltonians at our disposal. Remember, you can just build any Hamiltonian you wish by adding and multiplying together spin operators. The Hamiltonian "functions" provided are just the ones so common that we don't want to have to think about them.

#### 3.1.1 Isotropic NMR

First we'll make some isotropic ones (good for liquid NMR simulations). Remember, the key here is to use a "spin\_system", a spin system that internally knows about isotropic shifts, isotropic scalar couplings, isotope types, gyromagnetic ratios, .....

```
#include <gamma.h>
main()
{
    spin_system sys;                // Here is a spin system, empty though
    sys.read("ABMX.sys");           // Set the system from ASCII file ABMX.sys
    gen_op H = Ho(sys);             // Our friend, the isotropic NMR Ham.
    gen_op H_S = Hcs(sys);          // Just the shift part of Ho
```

```
gen_op H_SL = Hcs_lab(sys);           // Shift in the lab frame (big #'s here!)
gen_op H_J = HJ(sys);                 // Isotropic scalar coupling (STRONG!)
gen_op H_JW = HJw(sys);               // Isotropic scalar coupling (WEAK!)
gen_op H_JWH = HJwh(sys);             // Isotropic scalar coupling (Weak Hetero!)
gen_op H1 = H_S + H_JWH;              // Same as H above!
gen_op HZ = Hz(sys);                 // Zeeman Hamiltonian (big #'s if in a field)
gen_op HZI = Hz(sys, "2H");           // Zeeman Hamiltonian for any deuteriums
gen_op HQ = HQsec(sys, 2.e6, 0);      // Quad. Ham., wQ 2 MHz, 1st spin
}
```

We could go on but I think you might be a bored as I am. Have a look in the GAMMA MR Library Documentation for all the Hamiltonian functions. The really important part of all of this is only that you have simple likes of code to get some need Hamiltonians. Even better, you can manipulate the Hamiltonians because they are just operators (gen\_op).

**Note: For Anisotropic Hamiltonians, See Spatial & Spin Tensors and the Rank 2 Interactions**

## 3.2 Ideal Pulses

This is the stuff to know about if you don't care about artifacts from pulse offsets, pulse power, and pulse lengths. Ideal pulses are perfect and the easiest way to generate transverse magnetization. You might think of these pulses as being infinitely short and with just the power to get the pulse angle you need. They actually can do the impossible, you can even do perfect spin specific pulses (impossible to do experimentally if two spins have overlapping transitions!).

There are lots of functions in GAMMA that do ideal pulses (any angle, any phase, any selectivity). But **you MUST know** that these functions come in two flavors:

- 1 Those that operate directly on the spin system (density operator)
- 2 Those that produce pulse "propagators" that can be used repeatedly in a simulation.

If you just need a quick pulse in some simulation just a function that does a direct pulse on the system. If you are doing some long and involved multi-dimensional experiment simulations where the same pulse is repeatedly applied then use the latter, it will conserve both CPU time and memory use. If you don't know which to use don't bother, they both do the same thing if applied in your GAMMA program correctly.

Here's some code to demonstrate these things:

```
#include <gamma.h>

main(int argc, char( argv[]))
{
    spin_sys sys;                               // System "sys"
```

```
sys.read("test.sys");           // System reads itself from file test.sys
gen_op sigma0 = sigma_eq(sys);  // Equilibrium density operator
gen_op sigma1 = Iypuls(sys, sigma0, 90.0); // Apply 90y ideal pulse (direct)
gen_op U90y = Iypuls_U(sys, 90.0); // Pulse propagator for 90y
sigma1 = evolve(sigma0, U90y);   // Again the 90y pulse (with prop)
sigma1 = Fx(sys);               // About the same thing!
gen_op sigma2 = Ixpuls(sys, sigma1, 33.3); // Now pulse about x, angle 33.3 deg.
sigma1 = Iypuls(sys, sigma0, 2, 18.9); // Apply 18.9 deg y pulse to 3rd spin
gen_op U90x1H = Ixpuls_U(sys, "1H", 90.0); // Propagator for 90x on protons
gen_op U90 = Ixypuls_U(sys, "51V", 45.0, 90.0); // 90 pulse, phase 45, on vanadiums
}
```

Enough? There's more. Note that I used "spin\_sys" in the above program. That's because these pulse functions don't care about things like chemical shifts and coupling constants, that doesn't affect them at all. What would happen if you used "spin\_system" instead in this program? NO EFFECT AT ALL. If you just want to see that a 90y pulse on FZ produces FX just use class spin\_sys. If you want to generate a 1D NMR spectrum the use class spin\_system because you'll need those shift and J values in other parts of your program. Class spin\_system would work for watching FZ -> FZ but class spin\_sys won't make it easy for you to make a 1D spectrum. Get it?

If, by some odd circumstance, you need to pulse with a different spin selectivity than what I've shown above there is indeed a way to do it. Say you want to pulse only spins 2, 3, & 6, what you do is set their spin flags in the spin system (just on/off switches that don't affect anything in particular) and call a special ideal pulse function that is active only on the spins who have their flags set. Have a look in the ideal pulse documentation for specifics, it's not a big stretch.

Remember, we are dealing exclusively with ideal pulses in this section. Other sections will cover square pulses, shaped pulses, pulse trains, and how to include relaxation effects during the pulses.

If all of this is stuff about density operators confuses you, get away from the quantum mechanics and look at the GAMMA treatment of the Bloch equations and magnetization vectors. You can do pulses and delays in that context too.

## 4 Plotting

This chapter discusses methods of visualizing output from GAMMA simulations. Since each simulation in GAMMA is produced by a C++ program, the user always has the freedom to produce output to screen or file with the standard I/O functions available in C and C++ as well as the ability to link his/her program(s) to other I/O libraries. However, GAMMA has modules which interface to some of the more common plotting and manipulation programs.

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### 4.3 Overview

GAMMA provides interfaces between itself and the formats supported by several useful software packages. This scheme is depicted in the following diagram.

*GAMMA Supported I/O*

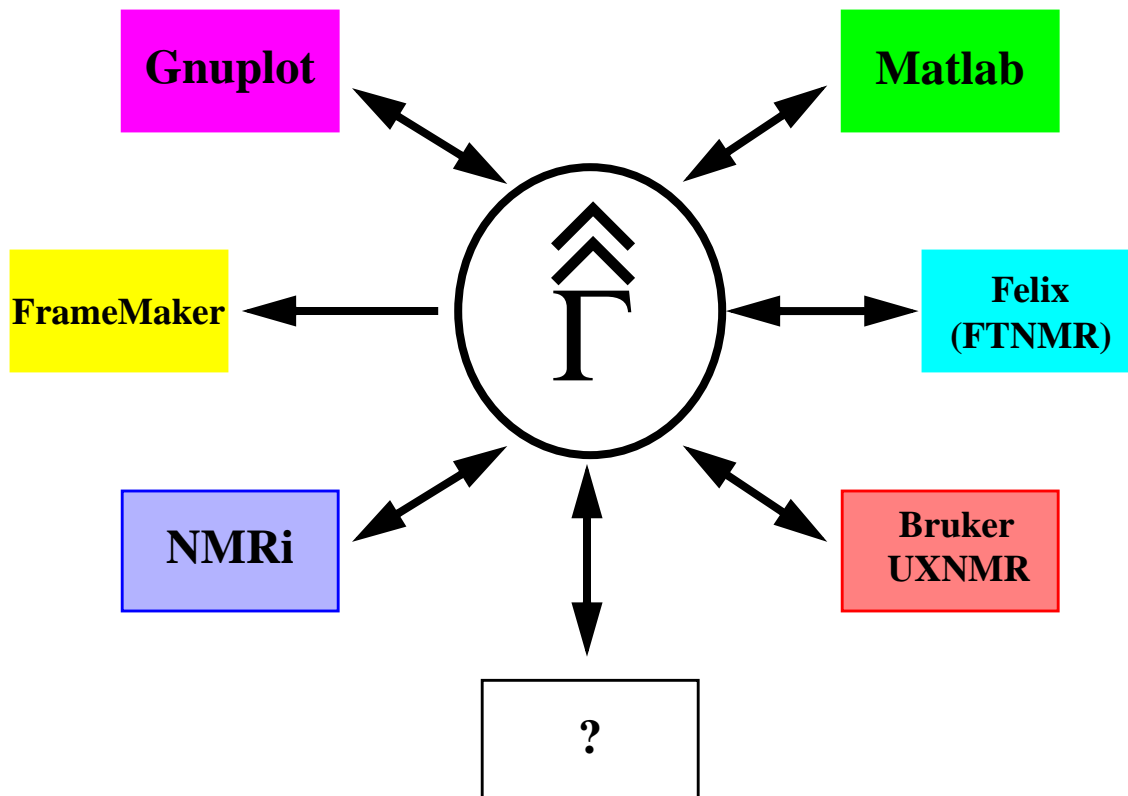


Figure 19-1 : Some of the programs with which GAMMA can easily interact. There are other programs that also have been used with GAMMA, those that come to mind at the moment are SigmaPlot, DeltaGraph and XMGR. These take ASCII input and need no special interface.

GAMMA has the ability to read and write data in the formats used by the programs in the figure. Thus, GAMMA may be used to directly produce data in a format specific to any of these, or used to swap data between the different programs. This allows the user to take advantage of any data processing provided in these programs and any additional program which perform data conversions on them.

Keep in mind that GAMMA itself has only rudimentary abilities for graphical display and signal processing. It would be foolish to compete with professional and/or establish public domain programs that performs such tasks well. Furthermore, it is difficult to support all plotting and terminal devices, there are plenty of excellent software packages on the market which already perform this duty. Our aim is simply to provide a means of reading and writing data files in the formats utilized

by such programs. A nice consequence of supporting multiple formats is that GAMMA may also be used to perform format conversions.

### *GAMMA I/O Methodology*

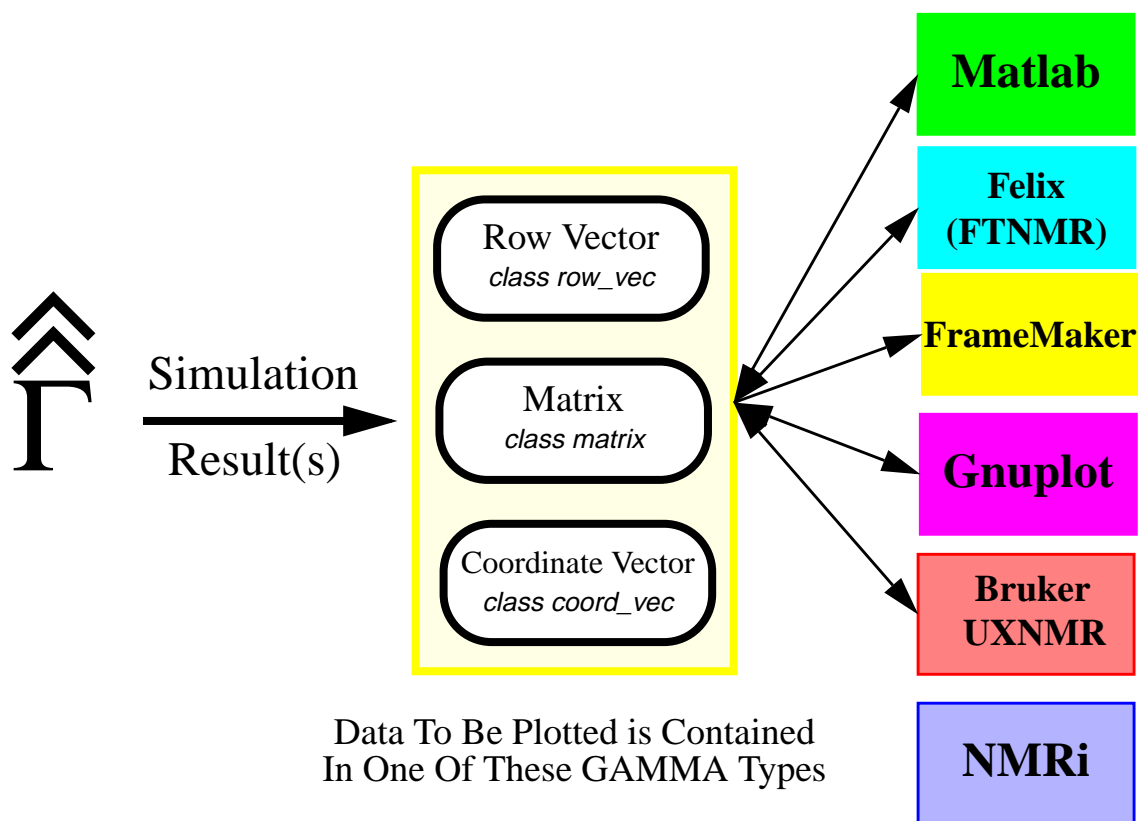


Figure 19-2 : Some of the programs with which GAMMA can easily interact.

We should mention that there are **currently NO direct plots from GAMMA to the screen, NOR direct output to any specialized printing and plotting devices.** There are many ways to do “**indirect**” plots so that your programs will **interactively display, print, and/or plot.** These are just GAMMA programs which output their data into one or more of the supported formats, then call the associated program(s) from within the GAMMA program, having it perform the visual and/or hardcopy output. In particular, see the Gnuplot section for programs which plot to screen interactively.

## 4.4 Gnuplot

### 4.4.1 Description

One way to have your plots appear on the screen during the course of a GAMMA simulation is to have your program output its data into a file that is compatible with the Gnuplot program and then call Gnuplot from within your program while it is running. Alternatively you can use Gnuplot to view results of GAMMA simulations after program completion.

Typically, the GAMMA program files a vector or matrix full of simulated data. Then one of the numerous gnuplot functions provided in GAMMA is called with the vector or matrix as one of the function arguments. The gnuplot function writes out the data to an external file in a format which is readable with gnuplot. If the plot is desired to be viewed during program execution then another call is made to the system, either using other GAMMA gnuplot functions or with explicit code. To view the plot using gnuplot after program completion, gnuplot is started and the appropriate commands issued to read the file created by the GAMMA program.

### 4.4.2 1D - Plots

The simplest type of plot is a 1D-plot created from a data vector with the function GP\_1D. With this function the horizontal axis is the point index of vector and the vertical axis contains the data value.

This program demonstrates how to have a 1D plot sent interactively to the screen using gnuplot. Note that in order for it to work, the system command “gnuplot” must be known to the user running the program.

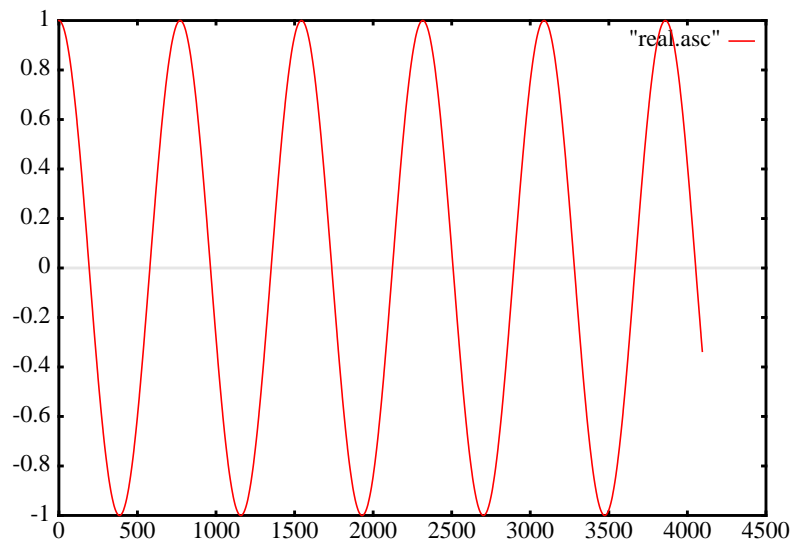
```
#include <gamma.h>                // Include GAMMA itself
main ()
{
    int N = 4096;                  // We'll plot this many points
    row_vector data(N);            // Here's a vector of points
    double rval, ival;             // More temporaries
    for(int i=0; i<N; i++)         // Now we'll fill up the vector
    {                               // putting a cosine into the
        rval = cos(33.33*double(i)/double(N-1)); // real part
        data.put(rval, i);
    }
    GP_1D("real.asc", data, 0);    // Write real points to ASCII file
    GP_1Dplot("real.gnu", "real.asc"); // This will plot points in "real.asc"
    cout << "\n\n";               // Keep the screen nice
}
```

The call to the function GP\_1D produces an ASCII file called “real.asc” that is usable by the Gn-



uplot program. It will contain the cosine function which was put into the row\_vector “data”. The call to the function GP\_1Dplot will make a plot on the screen of the data in “real.asc” during program execution. It first makes an ASCII gnuplot “load file” called “real.gnu” then runs gnuplot using the commands in the load file.

The following figure is “roughly” the plot that appears on the screen when you run the program. What I’ve done here is re-run gnuplot after program completion, plotted the “real.asc” file, then output the plot into this document (using Gnuplots MIF output).



There are a couple of very nice Gnuplot features worth mentioning. First and foremost is that it is a program in public domain. Not only does the user not have to pay for it, one has access to the entire source code and it runs on almost all common computer architectures. Second, Gnuplot has many different output formats. That means that you can get your figures in PostScript, MIF (as was done here) for FrameMaker, LaTeX, PBM, even GIF.

## 4.5 FrameMaker

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### 4.5.1 Description

GAMMA provides functions for generation of figures suitable for direct use in FrameMaker (see <http://www.frame.com>). The GAMMA functions are handed data, typically a matrix or vector, and produce disk files in MIF (Maker Interchange Format) format or in the MML (Maker Mathematical Language) format. Plots or data structures are then seen by simply opening the file with FrameMaker. Such output may then be graphically manipulated and/or incorporated as part of a document and data such a matrices placed into FrameMaker equations. Plots produced in this manner can be printed on a laserprinter in PostScript, colorized to make transparencies, converted into HTML, etc.

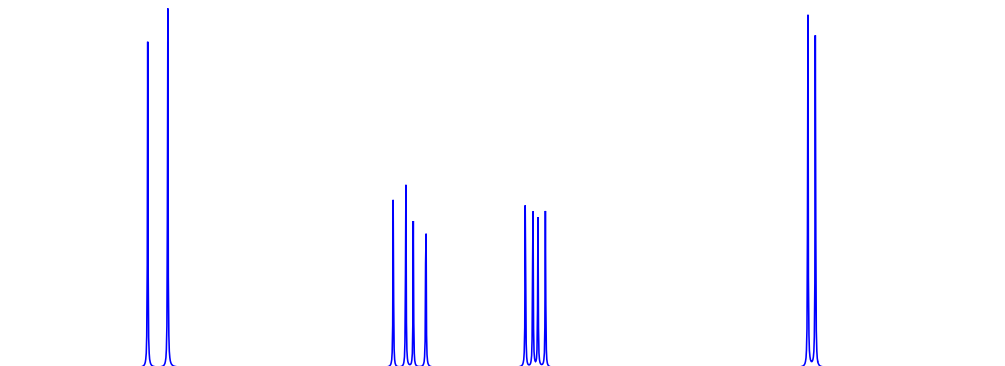
One important point to realize is that these FrameMaker files are not changeable into other formats with any GAMMA based code. If your data is valuable, and you wish to use it again in GAMMA, it should be stored to disk in one of the other formats so that GAMMA can retrieve and manipulate it once again. There are some FrameMaker and public domain programs which can convert FrameMaker files to other formats, but they must be obtained independently from GAMMA.

To see all specifics regarding these functions look in the GAMMA FrameMaker Documentation.

### 4.5.2 1D Plots

The simplest type of plot is a 1D-plot created from a data vector with the function FM\_1D. With this function the horizontal axis is the point index of vector and the vertical axis contains the data value. An example would be the simulated NMR spectrum shown below.

### Ninety Ideal Pulse On A 4 Spin Proton System.

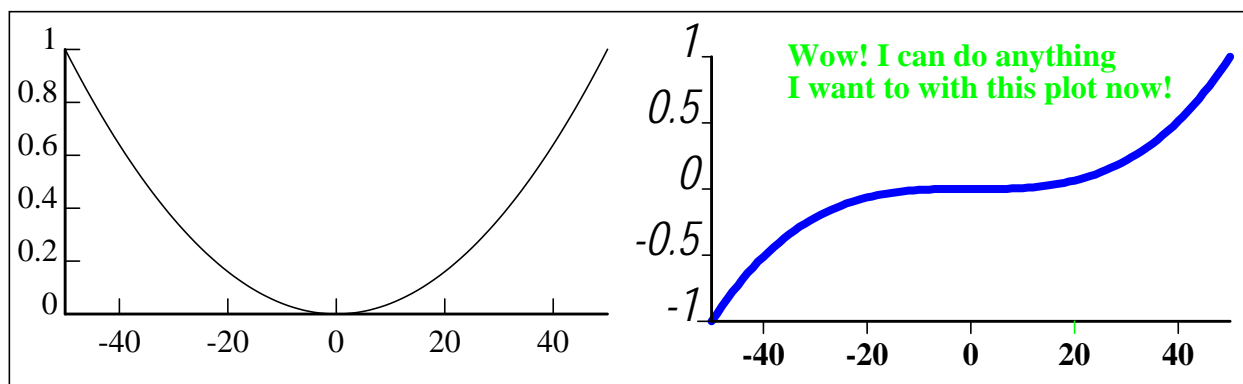


Have your GAMMA program fill up a row vector with the simulated data points you wish to plot. Then make a function call to FM\_1D with the row vector and an output file name given as arguments. The output file can be read by FrameMaker. Please note that GAMMA takes no time to make “pretty” output, you can do the cosmetic work within FrameMaker!

Here is a simple example:

```
#include <gamma.h>
main ()
{
    row_vector vx(101);                // 1-dim. data block (or use row_vector)
    double x, y;
    for(int i=0; i<101; i++)           // Fill up data block
    {
        x = double(i-50);
        y = x*x*x/125000;              // cubical parabolic in imaginaries
        x = x*x/2500;                 // parabolic into reals
        vx.put(complex(x,y),i);
    }
    FM_1D(“FM.mif”,vx,10,5, -50, 50, 1); // output FM.mif with both plots
}
```

When compiled and run it will produce a file called FM.mif. When that file is subsequently read by FrameMaker the following plots will appear. The one on the left has been left (except for resizing) as GAMMA produced, the one on the right has been cosmetically enhanced just to show what you can do to the plot in FrameMaker.



### 4.5.3 Multiple 1D - Plots

You can easily output several plots into the same graph by using the function FM\_1Dm. Instead of providing a single vector to the function the user just provides an array of vectors.

#### *Dipolar Longitudinal Relaxation Times versus Correlation Time*

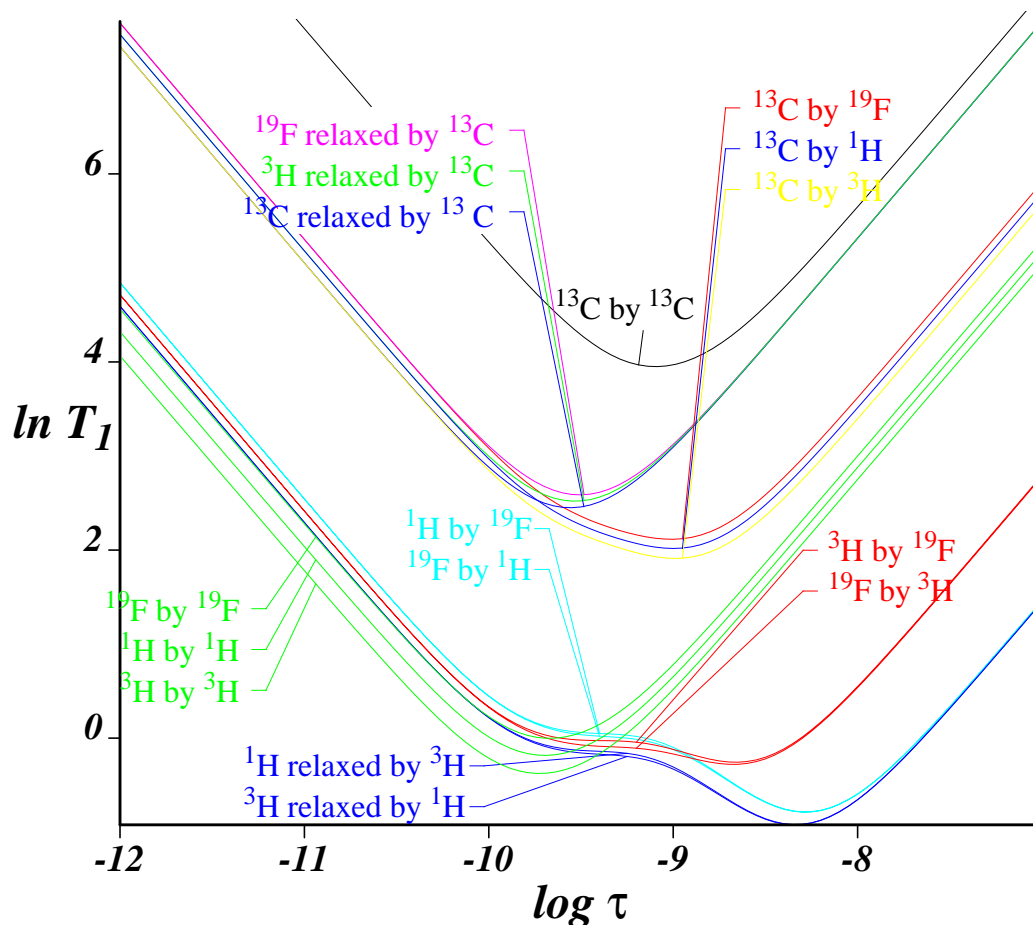


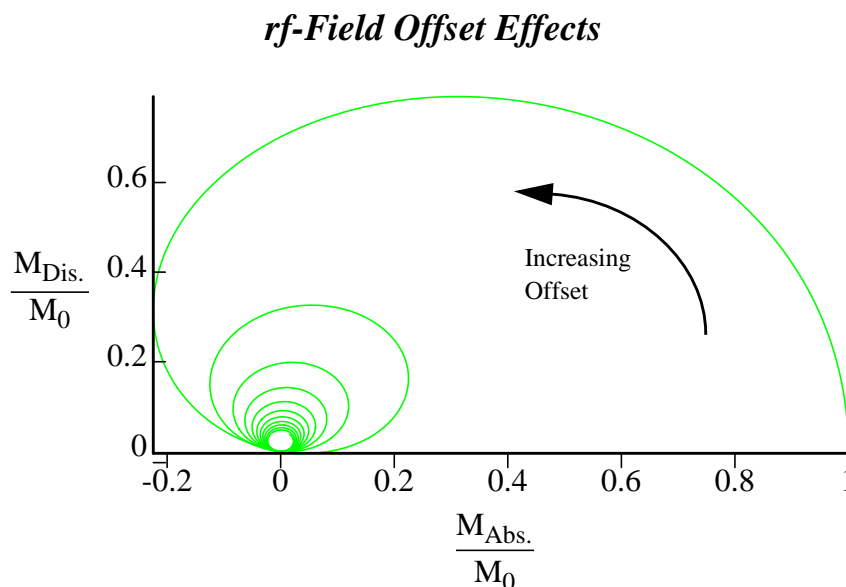
Figure 19-3 Dipolar longitudinal relaxation times for several spin pairs versus correlation time. The

distance between the spins was kept at  $2A$  and the field strength set to 500 MHz.

The above plot was made with a simple GAMMA program using the FM\_1Dm program (see GAMMA DIPOLAR RELAXATION DOCUMENTATION).

#### 4.5.4 xy-Plane Plots

Plots in the xy-plane can be produced with the FrameMaker function FM\_xyPlot. Unlike the function FM\_1D, this function need not have the horizontal coordinate always increasing. The plot below is a typical example. It has been annotated and resized in FrameMaker after creation with GAMMA.



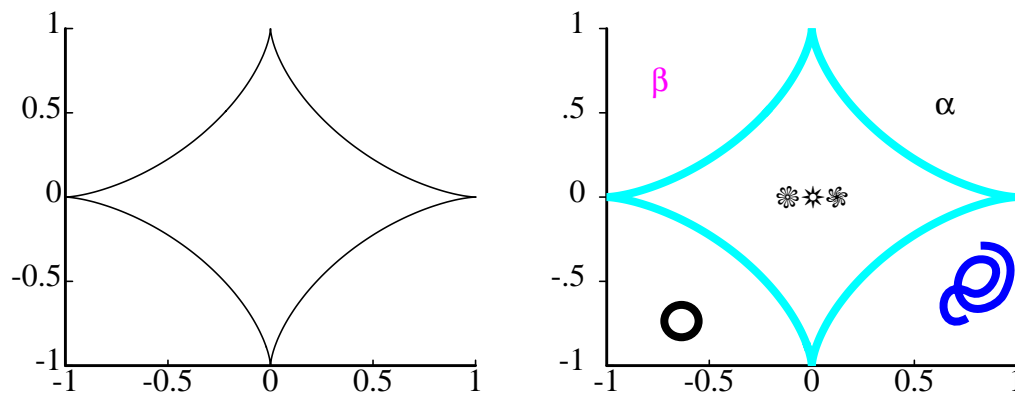
Have your GAMMA program fill up a row vector with the simulated data points you wish to plot. Then make a function call to FM\_xyPlot with the row vector and an output file name given as arguments. The output file can be read by FrameMaker. Please note that GAMMA takes no time to make “pretty” output, you can do the cosmetic work within FrameMaker!.

Here is a simple example:

```
#include <gamma.h>
main ()
{
    row_vector vx(360);           // create a data block
    double x,y,theta;             // declare needed variables
    for(int i=0; i<360; i++)      // loop through 360 degrees
    {                             // fill up block with Astroid
        theta = i*2.0*PI/360.0;   // also called a Hypercycloid of four cusps
        x = cos(theta);           // x = a*[cos(theta)]**3, here a = 1
        y = sin(theta);           // y = a*[sin(theta)]**3, here a = 1
    }
}
```

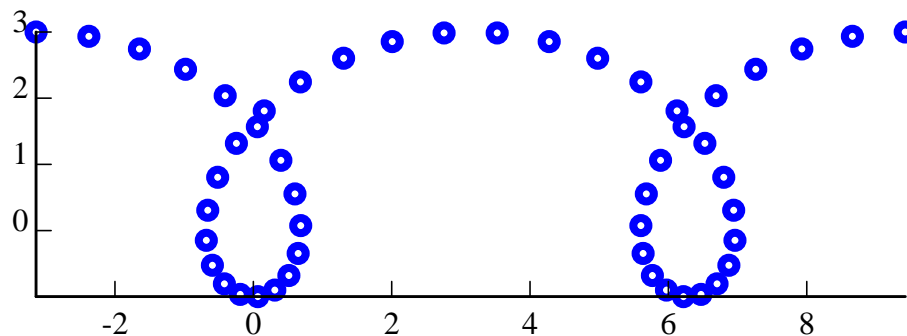
```
x = x*x*x;  
y = y*y*y;  
vx.put(complex(x,y), (i);  
}  
FM_xyPlot("astroid.mif", BLK);           // output FrameMaker .mif plot file  
}
```

When compiled and run it will produce a file called astroid.mif. When that file is subsequently read by FrameMaker the following plot on the left will appear. The one on the right is just a copy that I've jerked with within FrameMaker.



#### 4.5.5 Scatter Plots

Scatter plots can be generated for FrameMaker with the function `FM_scatter`. These are similar to plots produced with the function `FM_xyPlot` except that the plots are not connected and can be individually plotted with symbols or characters.



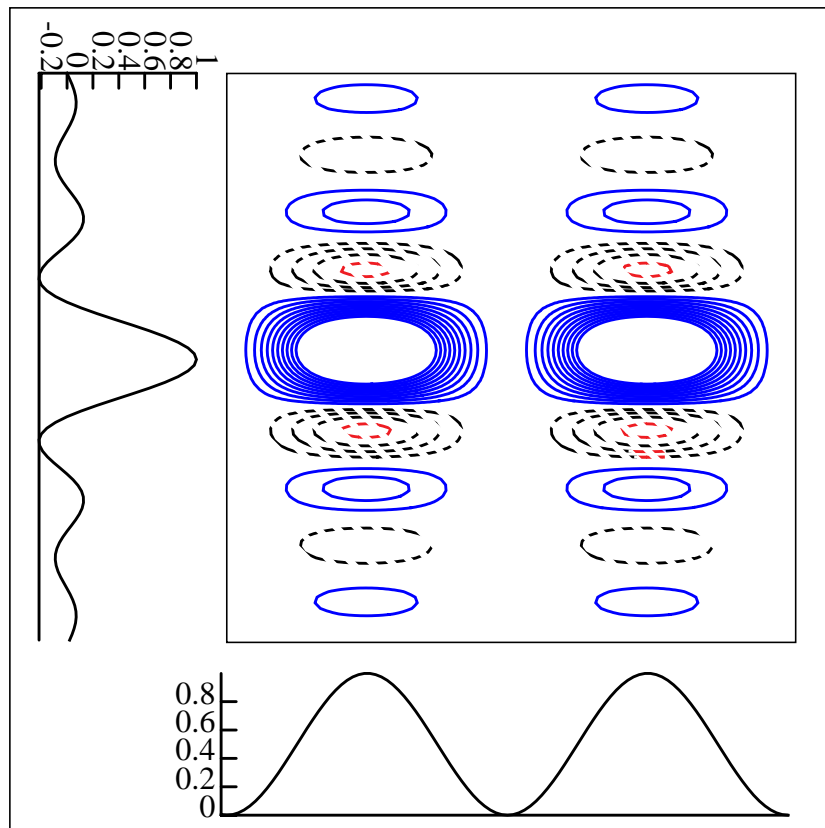
I forget why I even wrote this function now. Perhaps I used it to have my point plotted on top of a theoretical curve by blending a graphic like the one above with another one with a continuous line. Here's the code for the one above.

```
#include <gamma.h>
main ()
{
    block_1D BLK(50);           // create a data block
    double x,y,theta;           // declare needed variables
    double a,b;                 // declare needed variables
    for(int i=0; i<50; i++)      // loop through 50 points
    {                             // fill up block with Prolate Cycloid
        a = 1;
        b = 2;
        theta = -PI + i*(4.0*PI/49.0); // angles span -pi to 3pi
        x = a*theta - b*sin(theta);    // x = a(theta) - b*sin(theta), here a=1, b=2
        y = a - b*cos(theta);          // y = a - b*cos(theta)
        BLK(i) = complex(x,y);
    }
    FM_scatter("FM.mif", BLK, 0, .1, 14, 5); // output FrameMaker .mif plot file
}
```

You can set the symbol type to use in the figure either in the function call or afterwards in FrameMaker..

#### 4.5.6 2D Contour Plots

2D contour plots are produced for FrameMaker with function FM\_contour. Each contour is an individual graphic object which can be manipulated. For example, the negative contours can selectively changed to dashed lines. Overall plot height & width can be set within FrameMaker.



The example plot has been altered within FrameMaker and the 1D-plots added. This program made it.

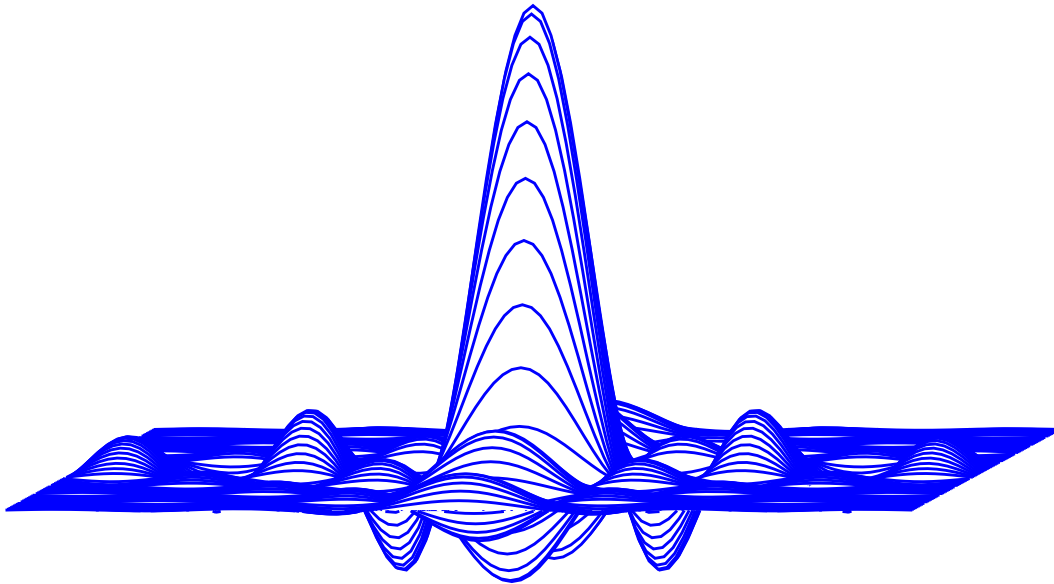
```
#include <gamma.h>
main()
{
    matrix mx(101, 101);                // create a 101x101 matrix for data
    row_vector BLK1(101), BLK2(101);    // create two 1D-data blocks of length 101
    BLK1 = sinc(101, 50, 10);           // use provided window sinc function
    BLK2 = sin_square(101, 50);         // use provided window sin squared function
    for(int i=0; i<101; i++)             // loop through and fill up the matrix
        for(int j=0; j<101; j++)
            mx(i,j) = BLK1(i) * BLK2(j);
    FM_contour("contour.mif",mx,.05,10,.05); //create file FM contour file - contour.mif
}
```

You can just use the computer to remove your T1 noise now! Read your spectrum (F1xF2) into a GAMMA matrix, output the contour plot into FrameMaker, Edit As You Wish (removing artifacts you don't want anyone to see, no more white out.....), Print to A Transparency. Too Easy.



### 4.5.7 2D Stack Plots

Two dimensional stack plots are produced for FrameMaker with the function `FM_stack`. The function is called with a GAMMA matrix as an input argument.

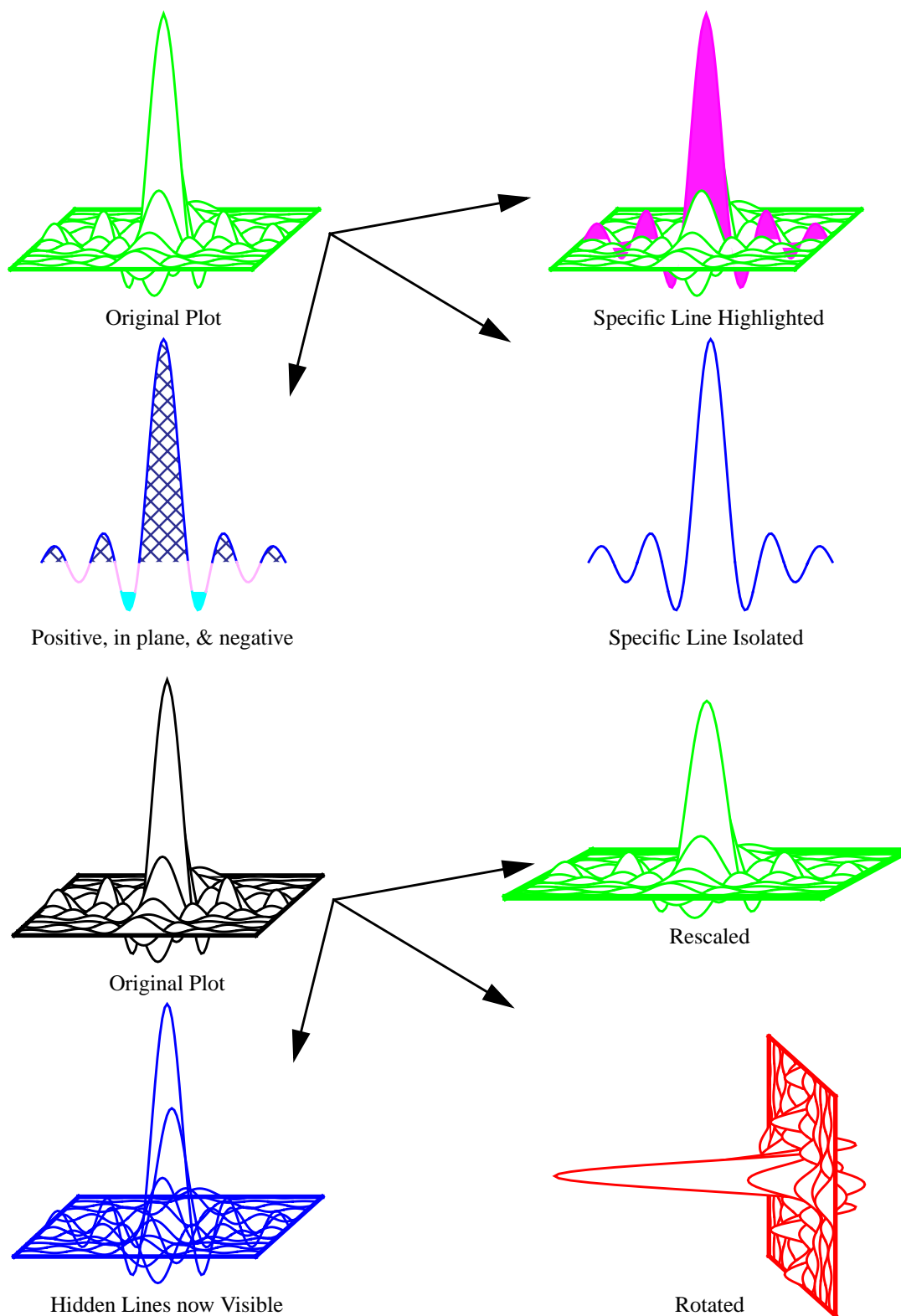


The function automatically used a hidden line algorithm (which can be removed in FrameMaker) and the user may set the skew. Each plotted row is an individual graphic object which can be manipulated. For example, a particular slice in the plot below was selectively shaded. The overall plot height and width can be altered as well within FrameMaker.

Here is a simple program, the one that produced the plot above.

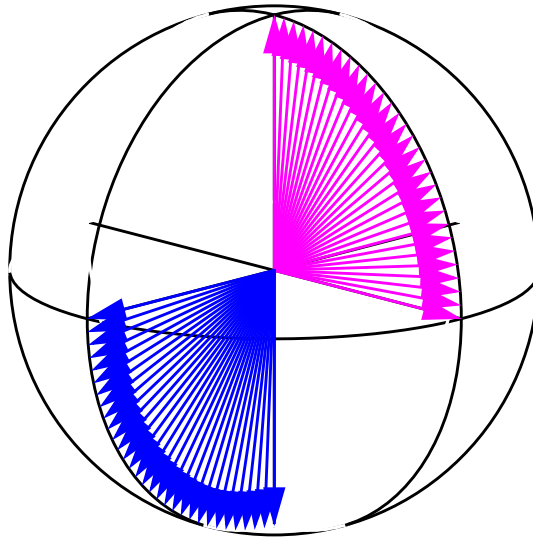
```
#include <gamma.h>
main()
{
    matrix mx(101, 101);           // create a 101x101 matrix for data
    block_1D vx(100);             // create a 1D-data block of length 101
    vx = sinc(101, 50, 10);        // use provided window sinc function
    for(int i=0; i<101; i++)        // loop through and fill up the matrix
        for(int j=0; j<101; j++)
            mx(i,j) = vx(i) * vx(j);
    FM_stack("stack.mif", mx, 0.02, 0.02, 1); // output the FrameMaker .mif plot file
}
```

The output file, `stack.mif`, can be read into FrameMaker and below are some of the manipulations that can be subsequently performed.



### 4.5.8 3D Sphere Plots

Three dimensional sphere plots are produced for FrameMaker with the function FM\_sphere. This is real handy for making 3-dimensional plots of trajectories, for example

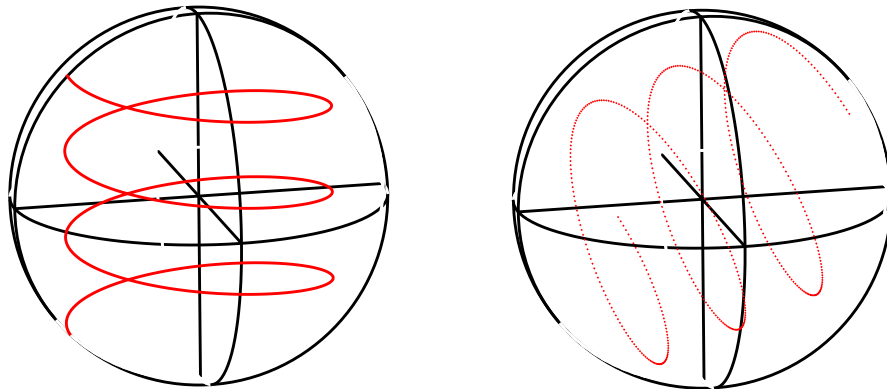


Unlike other FM functions, this function takes a vector of coordinates (class coord\_vec) which are assumed to be in Cartesian space. The function allows the user to orient the sphere and to plot either with vectors from the origin to the points, with a line connecting points, or just with the points plotted individually. As with all other FM function, the user can fully manipulate the plot within FrameMaker after it is output by GAMMA. Here is a simple example program.

```
#include <gamma.h>
main ()
{
    coord_vec data1(500);           // Declare a 500 point coordinate vector
    coord_vec data2(500);           // A second coordinate vector
    double xx, yy, zz;              // Declare needed variables
    double theta;                   // Declare an angle variable
    for(int i=0; i<500; i++)        // Fill data1 with a spiral
    {
        theta = i*6.0*PI/499.0;
        xx = 3.0*cos(theta);
        yy = 3.0*sin(theta);
        zz = 3.0 - (6.*i/499.);
        data1.put(xx, yy, zz, i);
    }
    data2 = data1.rotate(90,90,0);   // Set 2nd coordinate vector to rotated data1
```

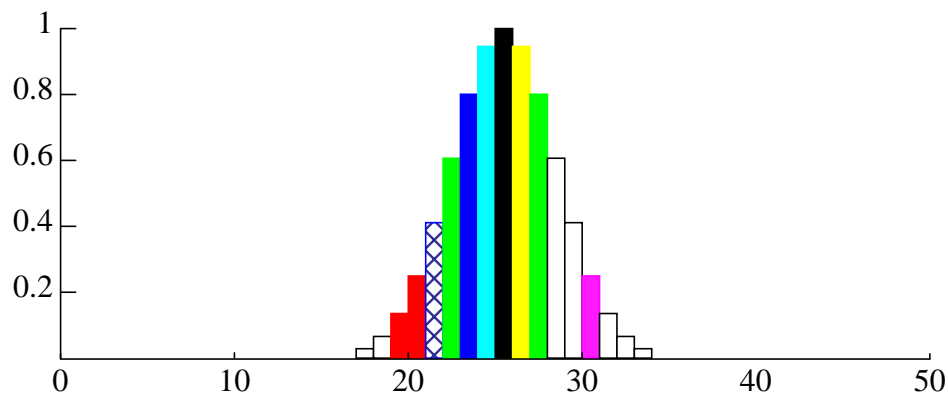
```
FM_sphere("FM_sph2a.mif", data1,0);    // Output FrameMaker file FM_sph2a.mif
FM_sphere("FM_sph2b.mif", data2,1);    // Output FrameMaker file FM_sph2b.mif
}
```

The program will produce two plot files, FM\_sph2a.mif and FM\_sph2b.mif which are shown below. I marked the points in red within FrameMaker after the fact.



#### 4.5.9 Histograms

Histogram plots can be generated for FrameMaker with the function FM\_histogram.



Here is a little program that illustrates how to make FrameMaker histograms in a GAMMA program.

```
#include <gamma.h>
main ()
{
    row_vector vx(51);                // create a data block
    row_vector vx1 = Gaussian(51, 25, 3); // fill up data with Gaussian
}
```

```

for(int i=0; i<51; i++)
    vx(i) = complex(i, Re(vx1(i)));
FM_histogram("FM.mif", vx, bins);      // output FrameMaker .mif plot file
}

```

I colored some of the boxes in FrameMaker after reading the file FM.mif into that program. Perhaps one of the nicer uses of this function is to make cool plots of your pulse shape functions. Once again we see the typical scheme for getting plotted output from GAMMA. We do something to fill some array, in this case a row vector, with some simulated data we wish to plot. Then one (or more) of the plot functions is called with the array as one of the arguments.

#### 4.5.10 Matrix Output

Matrices can be output for FrameMaker equations with the function FM\_matrix. For example, the following double commutation superoperators given below were incorporated directly from GAMMA into this document.

$$\frac{1}{16} [T_{2,1}^D(kl), [T_{2,-1}^D(kl), \quad ]]$$

$$\frac{1}{16} [T_{2,-1}^D(kl), [T_{2,1}^D(kl), \quad ]]$$

-2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	-3	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0
0	-1	-3	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	-4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	0
1	0	0	0	0	-2	-1	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	0	0	-1	-2	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	1
0	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	-3	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	0
1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-2	-1	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	-1	-2	0	0	0	0	1
0	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-3	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	0
0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	0
0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	-2

-2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0
0	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	-3	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	0
1	0	0	0	0	-2	-1	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	0	0	-1	-2	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	1
0	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-3	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	0
1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-2	-1	0	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	-1	-2	0	0	0	0	1
0	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-4	0	0
0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	-3	-1	0
0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-3	0
0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	-2

Here is a simple example of how this is done.

```

#include <gamma.h>
main ()
{
    matrix mx(3, 4, complex0);      // Make a 3x4 array, filled with zero
    for(int i=0; i<mx.rows(); i++)  // Put 6's in the first column
        mx.put(6, i, 0);
    for(int j=0; j<mx.cols(); j++)  // Put i's in the first row
        mx.put(complexi, 0,j);
    mx.put(complex(2,3), 1,2);      // Set <3|mx|4> to 2+3i
}

```

```
FM_Matrix("FM.mmf", mx);      // Output FrameMaker .mmf file
}
```

Here is the output from the program, the contents of file FM.mmf read by FrameMaker.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \cdot i & 1 \cdot i & 1 \cdot i & 1 \cdot i \\ 6 & 0 & (2 + 3 \cdot i) & 0 \\ 6 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

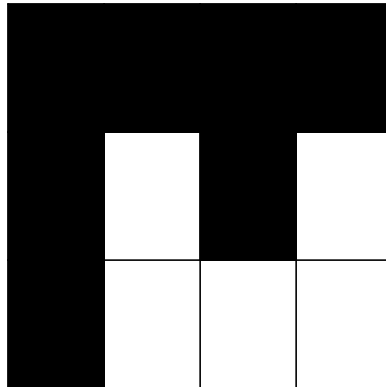
#### 4.5.11 Matrix Plots

While the previous function is great for putting matrices into your documents (remember `cout << mx` will print any array to the screen), often the arrays in GAMMA programs are just too darn big to look at. Every once in a while we just need a graphical representation of which elements are non-zero rather than what the actual elements are. For that purpose you can use the function `FM_Mat_Plot`.

For an example, we'll just reuse the previous program but with the `FM_Mat_Plot` function instead of `FM_Matrix`.

```
#include <gamma.h>
main ()
{
    matrix mx(3, 4, complex0);      // Make a 3x4 array, filled with zero
    for(int i=0; i<mx.rows(); i++)   // Put 6's in the first column
        mx.put(6, i, 0);
    for(int j=0; j<mx.cols(); j++)   // Put i's in the first row
        mx.put(complexi, 0,j);
    mx.put(complex(2,3), 1,2);       // Set <3|mx|4> to 2+3i
    FM_Mat_Plot("FM.mif", mx);      // Output FrameMaker .mmf file
}
```

Here is the output from the program, the contents of file FM.mif read by FrameMaker.



Those familiar with FrameMaker should not that the result of this function is a graphical object whereas the result of the previous function goes into an equation.

## 4.6 Felix

### 4.6.1 Description

GAMMA has some knowledge of the Felix NMR processing program. It contains a class for performing I/O to and from Felix files (and to the older FTNMR).



## 5 NMR Simulations

If you have been following diligently through this book you now know how to build C++ programs and GAMMA programs. You also know how to weild the GAMMA supplied data types as well as the wide variety of functions supplied. We combine all of that knowledge in this section and embark on some NMR simulations.

### 5.1 NMR Simulation Sections

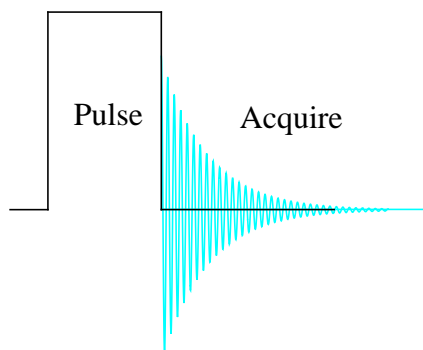
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### 5.2 NMR Simulation Figures

### 5.3 Single Pulse, Acquisition Simulations

The simplest NMR experiment one can simulate is that of a single pulse experiment. A pulse is applied to the system with subsequent FID acquisition. The pulse sequence is depicted in the following diagram.

#### *Simple Pulse Acquisition Sequence*



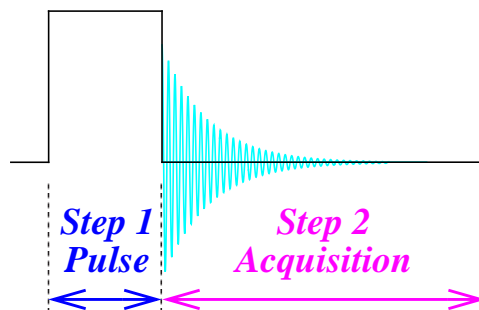
Even with this simple experiment there are several tradeoffs between computational simplicity<sup>1</sup>

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1. Do not confuse computational ease with programming ease. The intent of GAMMA is to make complicated simulations relatively easy to produce. In many instances the more computationally intensive simulations are produced from GAMMA programs which are not significantly more complex.

and simulation accuracy which one may wish to consider. Below is again the pulse sequence diagram with GAMMA provided simulation possibilities listed for each of the two steps.

### *Single Pulse Experiment Simulation Possibilities*



- A. "Ideal"
  - B. Real, No Relaxation
  - C. Real, Relaxation
  - D. Shaped, No Relaxation
  - E. Shaped, Relaxation
- I. No Relaxation
  - II. Relaxation

For the application of any pulse in GAMMA, users may opt to apply what we call an "ideal" pulse. An ideal pulse affects all spins of a particular isotope equally and occurs instantaneously. This would be suitable when one is not particularly concerned with the effects of relaxation, pulse shape, or pulse length (phasing problems). Being the easiest to implement computationally, it might also be used when one desires the most rapid simulation.

When the pulse itself is of concern one may apply either a square pulse of finite length, which we call a "real" pulse, or an individually tailored shaped pulse. Although these take use more computer time, the simulation becomes more realistic. Real pulses have user specified lengths and strengths so may be used for frequency selection, spin locking, etc. The same is true for shaped pulses but then users have the additional ability to specify the pulse waveform in the time domain.

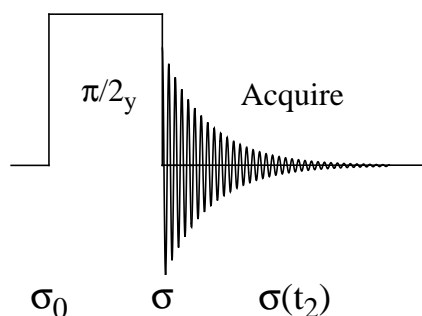
Another level of complexity involves the treatment of relaxation, both while the rf-field is applied and during the FID acquisition. This is not applicable to ideal pulses as they are infinitely short. During the application of real and shaped pulse application and during acquisition, steps which are of finite length, appreciable relaxation may occur. This of course depends upon input relaxation strengths and step times. Inclusion of relaxation effects will always increase program execution time and should only be used when of true concern or for comparison with analogous experiments without relaxation. Normally, it is the relaxation during the FID acquisition that is most important as this contributes the most to spectral linewidths.

We shall NOT cover all of these aspects in these documents. See one of the GAMMA Examples DOCUMENTATION Books. Instead we will do just a couple of such simulations and try and cover the fundamental aspects of these calculations.

**I most often use FrameMaker output of the simulated spectra so that they may be incorporated directly into this document.** You don't have to. Just go back to the "Plotting" chapter, find the appropriate command(s) to replace the "FM" output function that will output the spectra in the format you can deal with. On occasion I'll add in a couple of output formats.

## 5.4 Ideal 90 Pulse - 4,8,(N) Homonuclear Spin Systems

Since you've gone through this user manual and are now a seasoned GAMMA programmer, we'll work on a general level in our programs (even if we use simple mathematical models). The figure below is the pulse sequence we want to simulation, the "sigmas" are density operators that define the state of the spin system through the pulse sequence.



To keep the program general (and simplify the code) we'll read in our spin system - that which defines the sample in the spectrometer - from an external ASCII file. You'll see this treatment time and time again because reading in the system is highly desirable when working with large spin systems, with using the same system repeatedly in different programs, or when running the same program with differing spin systems. At the same time, the code presented will be set to run interactively, taking parameters (the spin system filename, dwell time, number of acquisition points) either from the command line or interactively by query to the user. For this example, if the spin system filename is not given as input the program will ask for it then wait for the filename to be supplied. We will test the program on two different test systems, both forms of parameter input will be demonstrated.

### 5.4.1 Program

```
#include <gamma.h>
main (int argc, char* argv[])
{
    // Read in Parameters

    String filename;           // Name of spin system file
    double dt;                 // Dwell time for acquisition
```

```
int t2pts;                                // Number of points in FID
query_parameter(argc, argv,              // Get or ask for filename (#1)
    1, "\nSpin system filename? ", filename);
query_parameter(argc, argv,              // Get or ask for dwell time (#2)
    2, "\nDwell time? ", dt);
query_parameter(argc, argv,              // Get or ask for block size (#3)
    3, "\nNumber of points? ", t2pts);
spin_system sys;                         // Declare spin system sys
sys.read(filename);                      // Read system from filename

// Set Variables

block_1D data(t2pts);                    // Storage for the FID/Spectrum
gen_op sigma = sigma_eq(sys);            // Set density matrix equilibrium
gen_op H = Hcs(sys) + HJ(sys)            // Set the Hamiltonian
gen_op detect = Fm(sys);                 // Set detection operator to F-

// Pulse Sequence, Data Workup
sigma = Iypuls(sys, sigma, 90);           // Apply a (PI/2)y pulse
FID(sigma,detect,H,dt,t2pts,data);        // Calculate the FID after the pulse
NMRI("One_pulse.2.dat",data);            // Write data in NMRI format
exponential_multiply(data, -8);           // Apodize the FID
data = FFT (data);                       // Fourier transform the FID
FM_1D ("One_pulse.2.mif",                // Write spectrum to FrameMaker file
    data, 14, 5,-0.5/dt, 0.5/dt);        // with frames of the size 5*14 cm
}
```

## 5.4.2 Discussion

**Read in Parameters:** Note that in the program start, main, there are now two arguments, argc and argv. This is a means by which programs in C and C++ can take parameters supplied directly from the command line at run-time<sup>1</sup>. Three parameters are asked for using GAMMA's function "query\_parameter": the spin system filename, the dwell time, and the number of points in the acquisition. When the program is run, values for these can be given directly or (if not given) the program will automatically ask for them. If the values are given, the program will not ask for them. The spin system is then read in from the file.

**Set Variables:** The first line here creates a data block of the proper size. The density matrix is declared and set to equilibrium. Another general operator, H, is specified and initialized to the liquid NMR Hamiltonian with strong (homonuclear) coupling. The detection operator is declared and set to F<sub>-</sub>.

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1. FORTRAN programmers may find this unfamiliar territory. In C and C++, the program itself is structured as any other routine: it has a name (main), its code is encased in brackets ({}), and it may take arguments.

**Pulse Sequence, Data Workup:** The pulse sequence is very short; two steps and two program lines. The first step makes use of the function Iypuls which takes  $\sigma_0$ , the equilibrium density matrix and applies a 90 pulse along the y-axis to it. The resulting density matrix is set equal to sigma. The next function, FID, propagates sigma under the active Hamiltonian H while filling up the data block. The detector, the number of points, and the dwell time are also parameters used as arguments for this function. Following this, the FID is sent out to a file One\_pulse.2.dat in NMR1 compatible format. The FID is then internally manipulated by an exponential multiplication, Fourier transformation, and finally an output to the file One\_pulse.2.mif in FrameMaker format. I left in a line to output the unprocessed FID to an NMRi compatible file for those who use that software.

### 5.4.3 Example Data - 4 Spin System

The first spin system file One\_pulse.2.sys contains:

```
SysName  (2) : antamanide - Name of the Spin System
NSpins   (0) : 4          - Number of Spins in the System
Iso(0)   (2) : 1H         - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(1)   (2) : 1H         - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(2)   (2) : 1H         - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(3)   (2) : 1H         - Spin Isotope Type
v(0)     (1) : 200.0      - Chemical Shifts in Hz
v(1)     (1) : 40.0       - Chemical Shifts in Hz
v(2)     (1) : -10.0      - Chemical Shifts in Hz
v(3)     (1) : -200.0     - Chemical Shifts in Hz
J(0,1)   (1) : 5.0        - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(0,2)   (1) : 0.0        - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(0,3)   (1) : 0.0        - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,2)   (1) : 10.0       - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,3)   (1) : 0.0        - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(2,3)   (1) : 8.0        - Coupling Constants in Hz
Omega    (1) : 400        - Spectrometer Frequency in MHz (1H based)
```

### 5.4.4 Results - 4 Spin System

The program was compiled with the command

```
gamma One_pulse.2.cc -o One_pulse.2
```

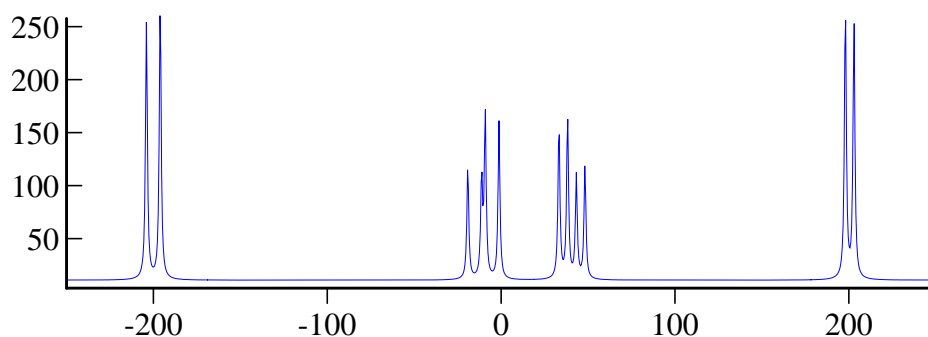
This takes the gamma library and links to the program One\_pulse.2.cc during compilation. The -o option specifies the name of the final executable program, in this instance called One\_pulse.2. Had the -o option not been used (-o One\_pulse.2 left out) the executable program is automatically

given the name a.out.

The compiled program was called with

```
One_pulse.2 One_pulse.2.sys 0.002 1024
```

Since we have given the executable the name `One_pulse.2` it is run by entering that name. The program, having been given all needed parameters, will run to completion without asking questions to the user. The program writes two files, one data file with the FID in the format of the NMRi program and the other (processed) spectrum file in FrameMaker format, the later is below.



An alternative way of running the program is to let it prompt the user for needed information. The following is a second way of achieving the same results.

```
One_pulse.2
Spin system filename? One_pulse.2.sys
Dwell time? 0.002
Number of points? 1024
```

Since the parameters were not supplied on the command line which executed the program `One_pulse.2.sys`, the program responds by asking the user to supply them. The results are of course identical to that as when the parameters are given on the command line.

### 5.4.5 Example Data - 8 Spin System

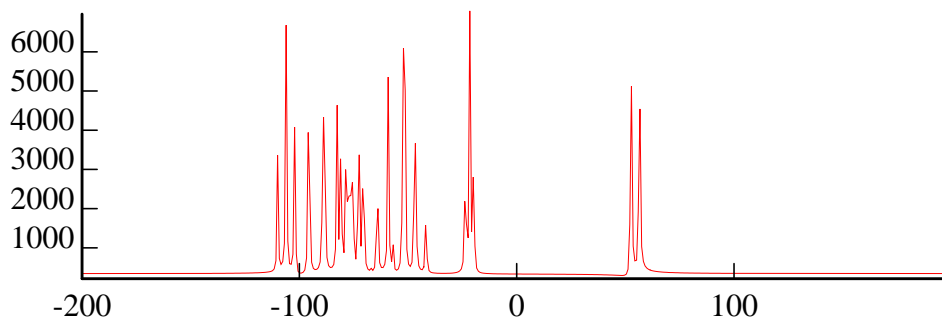
The second spin system file `One_pulse.2a.sys` contains

```
SysName (2)      : galact - Name of the Spin System (galactose)
NSpins (0)       : 8      - Number of Spins in the System
Iso(0) (2)       : 1H     - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(1) (2)       : 1H     - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(2) (2)       : 1H     - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(3) (2)       : 1H     - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(4) (2)       : 1H     - Spin Isotope Type
```

```
Iso(5) (2)      : 1H      - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(6) (2)      : 1H      - Spin Isotope Type
Iso(7) (2)      : 1H      - Spin Isotope Type
PPM(0) (1)      : 4.27    - Chemical Shifts in PPM
PPM(1) (1)      : 3.47    - Chemical Shifts in PPM
PPM(2) (1)      : 3.6     - Chemical Shifts in PPM
PPM(3) (1)      : 3.89    - Chemical Shifts in PPM
PPM(4) (1)      : 3.63    - Chemical Shifts in PPM
PPM(5) (1)      : 3.76    - Chemical Shifts in PPM
PPM(6) (1)      : 3.71    - Chemical Shifts in PPM
PPM(7) (1)      : 3.54    - Chemical Shifts in PPM
J(0,1) (1)      : 7.8     - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,2) (1)      : 8.2     - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(2,3) (1)      : 3.7     - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(3,4) (1)      : 4.0     - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(4,5) (1)      : 10.5    - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(5,6) (1)      : 10.5    - Coupling Constants in Hz
J(6,7) (1)      : 15      - Coupling Constants in Hz
Omega (1)       : 400     - Spectrometer Frequency in MHz (1H based)
```

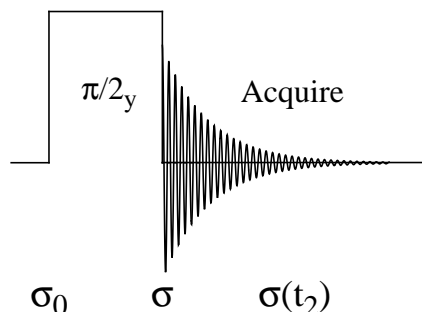
## 5.4.6 Results - 8 Spin System

The second example was done with: `One_pulse.2.One_pulse.2a.sys 0.0025 1024`



## 5.5 One Ideal Pulse - Homonuclear Spin System

For the next example of a single pulse experiment simulation we present a more complicated program which will work on any input spin system. The pulse sequence is again shown below with density matrices labeled to coincide with the program code.



The spin system, acquisition size, isotope to be detected, and output format at will all be specified by the user interactively. Following this, the spin system shifts will be offset to the center of the spectrum so the simulation occurs in an optimal rotating frame. All spectral parameters such as the spectral width and dwell time will be determined automatically. The equilibrium density matrix,  $\sigma_0$ , can be generated directly from the specified spin system. This density matrix is then treated by a 90 degree pulse along the y-axis and propagated in time (without relaxation effects) while the FID is computed. The detection operator, necessary for determining the FID, will be set to  $F_x$  for the entire spin system. The is equivalent to a operator which samples by xy-magnetization. Use of  $F_x$  as the detection operator, in combination with a pulse along the y-axis produces a properly phased spectrum.

Again we must mention that the FID does not decay, as shown in the pulse sequence diagram. For that relaxation effects must be included or the FID apodized. Since we here ignore relaxation effects it is assumed the user will apply some apodization in the spectral workup prior to Fourier transformation (done automatically for FrameMaker output). Also, the code is written to be clear and concise. Although efficient, it is not the most computationally efficient.

### 5.5.1 Program

```
#include <gamma.h>
main (int argc, char* argv[])
{
    cout << "\n\n\t\tGAMMA 1D NMR Simulation Program\n\n";

    //                                Read in Parameters

    String filename;                                // Name of spin system file
    query_parameter(argc, argv,                    // Get filename from command
        1, "\n\tSpin system filename? "           // line or ask for them
        , filename);
    spin_system sys;                                // Declare spin system sys
```



```
sys.read(filename); // Read system from filename
int t2pts; // Number of points in FID
query_parameter(argc, argv, // Get number of points
  2, "\n\tNumber of acquisition points? ", t2pts);
char J;
query_parameter(argc, argv, // Get number of points
  3, "\n\tStrong or Weak Coupling (s/w)? ", J);

// Determine the Isotope Detection Type

int isoset = 0;
String Isotype = sys.symbol(0); // Get isotope type of first spin
if(sys.heteronuclear()) // Check if system is heteronuclear
{
  isoset--;
  while(isoset < 0)
  {
    cout << "\n\tWhich Isotope Type? ";
    cin >> Isotype;
    for(int k=0; k<sys.spins(); k++)
      if(Isotype == sys.symbol(k))
      {
        isoset = k;
        break;
      }
    if(isoset < 0)
      cout << "\n\tSystem Contains No Spin of That Type!";
  }
}

// Set Up Spectral Parameters

double offset = sys.center(isoset); // Find the center of the system
sys.offsetShifts(offset, isoset); // Offset the rotating frame
double NyqF = sys.Nyquist(); // Approximate Nyquist frequency
double dt = 1.0/(2.0*NyqF); // Dwell time, quadrature detection
double sw = 2.0*NyqF; // Total Spectral width +/- Nyquist

// Set Variables
```

```
block_1D data(t2pts);           // Storage for the FID/Spectrum
gen_op sigma = sigma_eq(sys);   // Set density matrix equilibrium
gen_op H;
if(J == 'w')
    H = Hcs(sys) + HJw(sys);    // Set the weak coupling Hamiltonian
else
    H = Hcs(sys) + HJwh(sys);   // Set the strong coupling Hamiltonian
gen_op detect = Fm(sys, Isotype); // Set detection operator to F-

//                               Pulse Sequence

sigma=Iypuls(sys,sigma,Isotype,90); // Apply an (PI/2)y pulse
FID(sigma,detect,H,dt,t2pts,data);  // Calculate the FID after the pulse

//                               Spectral Output Format & File Selection

int type = 0;                     // Select an output format
while((type <=0) || (type > 4))
{
    cout << "\n\tPlease Choose an Output Format";
    cout << "\n\n\t1. FrameMaker";
    cout << "\n\t2. Felix";
    cout << "\n\t3. NMRi";
    cout << "\n\t4. MatLab";
    cout << "\n\n\tOutput Type? ";
    cin >> type;
    cout << "\n";
}
cout << "\n\tOutput File Name - Please Include any Extension? ";
if(type == 2)
{
    cout << "\n\tFelix 1D Files Normally Use a .dat Extension";
    cout << "\n\t(Remember Felix reads only lower case names!) ";
}
cin >> filename;

//                               Spectral Output

cout << "\n";
switch(type)
```

```
{
case 1:                                     // FrameMaker output
default:
    double lf, rt;
    double inPPM = 2;
    lf = offset-(sw/2.0);                   // Set plot limits in Hertz
    rt = offset+(sw/2.0);
    while(inPPM < 0 || inPPM > 1)           // Querie for Hertz or PPM axis
    {
        cout << "\n\n\tAxes in Hz(0) or PPM(1)? ";
        cin >> inPPM;
        cout << "\n";
    }
    if(inPPM)                               // For PPM adjust plot limits
    {
        lf = lf/sys.Omega();
        rt = rt/sys.Omega();
    }
    exponential_multiply(data,-8);          // Apodize the FID
    data = FFT(data);                      // Fourier transform the FID
    FM_1D(filename,data,14,5,lf,rt); // Write spectrum to a FrameMaker file
    break;
case 2:                                     // Felix output
    Felix(filename,data);                  // Output FID in Felix format
    cout << "\n\tParameters Needed for Felix Data Workup\n";
    cout << "\n\tTo set OMEGA      : sf " << sys.Omega(iso);
    cout << "\n\tTo set spectral width: sw " << 2*NyqF;
    cout << "\n\tTo set offset (no zf): ref " << t2pts/2 << " " << offset;
    cout << "\n\tTo set axis in Hertz : ax 2" << "\n\n";
    break;
case 3:
    NMRI(filename,data);                   // Output FID in NMRI format
    break;
case 4:
    MATLAB(filename,"spectrum",data);      // Output FID in MatLab format
    cout << "\n\tMATLAB Spectrum is Internally Named: spectrum";
    break;
cout << "\n";
}
```

```
}
```

## 5.5.2 Discussion

**Read in Parameters:** Following the output of the program description, an arbitrary spin system is read in from an external file specified. Afterwards the number of points in the FID is interactively set. Because it is useful to examine the weak coupling case, the user is then allowed to specify weak or strong coupling.

**Determine the Isotope Detected:** A check is made to see if the input spin system is homonuclear or heteronuclear. If heteronuclear, the user must choose the isotope type to be detected.

**Set Up Spectral Parameters:** Here, all chemical shifts (for spins of the isotope type being detected) may be altered so as to be referenced to an optimal rotating frame. Following this, a Nyquist frequency is chosen and both the dwell time and spectral width set.

**Set Variables:** A 1D data block is declared to hold the simulated FID. A general operator is declared and set to the equilibrium density matrix. Another general operator is declared and set to be either the strong or weak coupling isotropic Hamiltonian. Finally, a general operator is declared and set to hold the detection operator.

**Pulse Sequence:** The pulse sequence is very short; a two step sequence is performed with two program lines. The first step makes use of the function `Iypuls` which takes  $\sigma_0$ , the equilibrium density matrix and applies a 90 pulse along the y-axis to it. The resulting density matrix is set equal to  $\sigma$ . The next function, `FID`, propagates  $\sigma$  with the Hamiltonian  $H$  while filling up the data block. The detector, the number of points, and the dwell time are also parameters used as arguments for this function.

**Spectral Output Format & File Selection:** The user is prompted to specify an output type. Currently four formats are allowed.

**Spectral Output:** In this section the simulated FID is written to an output file. For `FrameMaker` output, the FID is apodized and Fourier Transformed before output since that program has not FFT capabilities. Because `Felix` currently has problems accepting data into its parameter block, the parameters needed to reference the spectrum are output if this format is specified. For `MATLAB` output, there may be several “matrices” stored in each `.MAT` file. These each have an internal `MATLAB` data name which is set to “spectrum” here.

## 5.5.3 Data - 5 Spin System

This program is general and may take any spin system. For demonstration we here use the input spin system file `One_pulse.3.sys` which contains a p-fluorophenyl spin system. This is a heteronuclear system containing 5 spin 1/2 species:

```
SysName    (2) : p_fluoro_PHE  - Name of the Spin System
NSpins     (0) : 5             - Number of Spins in the System
```

Iso(0)	(2) : 19F	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(1)	(2) : 1H	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(2)	(2) : 1H	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(3)	(2) : 1H	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(4)	(2) : 1H	- Spin Isotope Type
Omega	(1) : 300.00	- 1H Spectrometer Frequency (MHz)
v(0)	(1) : 110.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
v(1)	(1) : 2175.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
v(2)	(1) : 2175.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
v(3)	(1) : 2313.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
v(4)	(1) : 2313.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
J(0,1)	(1) : 9.10	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(0,2)	(1) : 9.10	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(0,3)	(1) : 5.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(0,4)	(1) : 5.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,2)	(1) : 2.62	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,3)	(1) : 8.60	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,4)	(1) : 0.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(2,3)	(1) : 0.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(2,4)	(1) : 8.60	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(3,4)	(1) : 2.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz

## 5.5.4 Results

The program was compiled with the command

```
gamma One_pulse.3.cc -o One_pulse.3
```

This takes the gamma library and links to the program One\_pulse.3.cc during compilation. The -o option specifies the name of the final executable program, in this instance called One\_pulse.3. Had the -o option not been used (-o One\_pulse.3 left out) the executable program is automatically given the name a.out.

The compiled program can be executed with the command

```
One_pulse.3
```

Since we have given the executable the name One\_pulse.3 it is run by entering that name. Below is the full computer interaction which took place to produce the fluorine spectrum. (The prompt |cosy> is just the computer prompt and will vary from machine to machine.). User response, typed in from the keyboard and followed by a return, is printed in ***bold face italics***.

```
|cosy>One_pulse.3
```

GAMMA 1D NMR Simulation Program

Spin system filename? ***One\_pulse.3.sys***

Number of acquisition points? **2048**

Strong or Weak Coupling (s/w)? **s**

Which Isotope Type? **19F**

Please Choose an Output Format

1. FrameMaker
2. Felix
3. NMRi
4. MatLab

Output Type? **2**

Output File Name - Please Include any Extension?

Felix 1D Files Normally Use a .dat Extension

(Remember Felix reads only lower case names!) ***pfphe.dat***

Parameters Needed for Felix Data Workup

To set OMEGA : sf 282.282

To set spectral width: sw 32.12

To set offset (no zf): ref 1024 110

To set axis in Hertz : ax 2

|cosy>

Alternatively, this program will accept input directly on the command line. Below is the full computer interaction which took place to produce the protom spectrum, now the information is input directly. Again, user response, typed in from the keyboard and followed by a return, is printed in ***bold face italics***.

|cosy>***One\_pulse.3 pfPHE.sys 2048 s***

GAMMA 1D NMR Simulation Program

Which Isotope Type? **1H**

Please Choose an Output Format

1. FrameMaker
2. Felix
3. NMRi
4. MatLab

Output Type? **2**

Output File Name - Please Include any Extension?

Felix 1D Files Normally Use a .dat Extension

(Remember Felix reads only lower case names!) *hpfphe.dat*

Parameters Needed for Felix Data Workup

To set OMEGA : sf 300

To set spectral width: sw 274.12

To set offset (no zf) : ref 1024 2244

To set axis in Hertz : ax 2

|cosy>

These two runs produced the Felix files pfphe.dat and hpfphe.dat respectively. These are shown on the following page using the felix commands given below.

### Fluorine Spectrum

re pfphe.dat

sf 282.282

sw 32.12

ref 1024 110

ax 2

lb 0.1

em

ft

dr

hdv pfphe.hpgl

hpm 32

hcp

### Proton Spectrum

re hpfphe.dat

sf 300

sw 274.12

ref 1024 2244

ax 2

lb 0.1

em

ft

dr

hdv hpfphe.hpgl

hpm 32

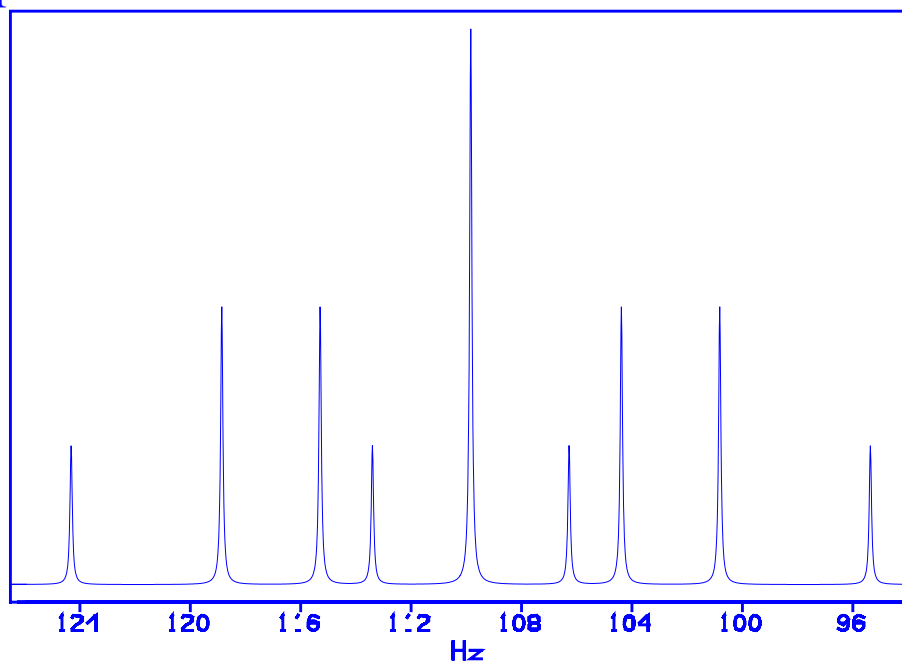
hcp

The last three commands in both workups create hpgl plot output files. These were then converted into FrameMaker MIF files and incorporated into this document (in FrameMaker).<sup>1</sup>

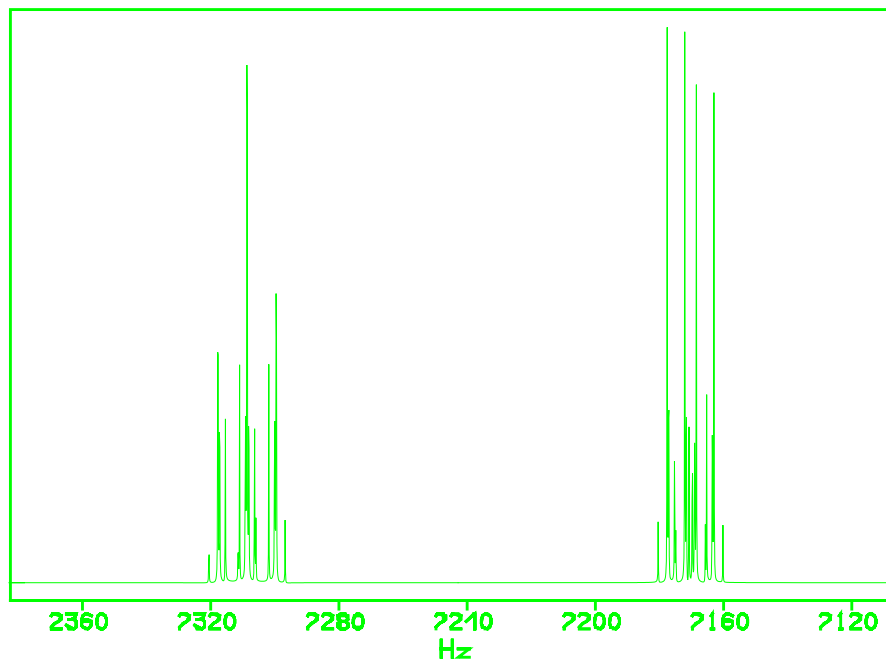
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1. A conversion program of this type is supplied with the program FrameMaker. For those who use FrameMaker but do not have the conversion program there is a (currently) crude GAMMA program which does the job called hp2mif.cc included with the example files here.

## $^{19}\text{F}$ Spectrum



## $^1\text{H}$ Spectrum

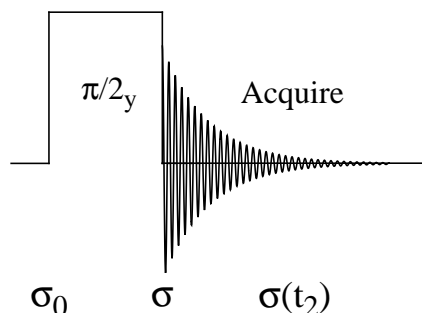




## 5.6 One Pulse - General

### 5.6.1 Description

In the previous example we put together a general GAMMA program to simulate a simple 1D experiment using ideal pulses and ignoring relaxation. In many experiments the effects of relaxation and finite length pulses are well apparent and cannot be ignored. We now turn our attention to adding in the effects of relaxation during the acquisition period. For the moment, we continue to apply a single “Ideal” pulse but we slightly modify the previous simulation to include relaxation effects. Again, the simulation code is long so as to accommodate any input spin system<sup>1</sup>. The pulse sequence is again shown below with density matrices labeled to coincide with the program code.



The spin system, acquisition size, isotope to be detected, and output format at will all be specified by the user interactively. Following this, the spin system shifts will be offset to the center of the spectrum so the simulation occurs in an optimal rotating frame. All spectral parameters such as the spectral width and dwell time will be determined automatically. The equilibrium density matrix,  $\sigma_0$ , can be generated directly from the specified spin system. This density matrix is then treated by a 90 degree pulse along the y-axis and propagated in time (without relaxation effects) while the FID is computed. The detection operator, necessary for determining the FID, will be set to  $F_x$  for the entire spin system. This is equivalent to an operator which samples by xy-magnetization. Use of  $F_x$  as the detection operator, in combination with a pulse along the y-axis produces a properly phased spectrum. In this simulation, the FID does decay during the acquisition due to relaxation effects. For our test spin system these effects will decay the FID to zero before the acquisition is complete. However, if relaxation is not strong enough (depending upon the effects included, correlation times, internuclear distances, etc.) it may still be necessary to apodize prior to Fourier transformation. The code is written to be clear and concise. Although efficient, it is not the most computationally efficient.

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1. The spin system size is not limited by GAMMA, but is ultimately limited by the computer running the program and its associated memory.

```
#include <gamma.h>
main (int argc, char* argv[])
{
    cout << "\n\n\t\tGAMMA 1D NMR Simulation Program\n\n";

//                                Read in Parameters

String filename;                               // Name of spin system file
query_parameter(argc, argv,                   // Get filename from command
    1, "\n\tSpin system filename? "           // line or ask for them
                                   , filename);

spin_system sys;                               // Declare spin system sys
sys.read(filename);                           // Read system from filename
int t2pts;                                    // Number of points in FID
query_parameter(argc, argv,                   // Get number of points
    2, "\n\tNumber of acquisition points? ", t2pts);
char J;
query_parameter(argc, argv,                   // Get number of points
    3, "\n\tStrong or Weak Coupling (s/w)? ", J);

// Determine the Isotope Detection Type

int isoset = 0;
String Isotype = sys.symbol(0);                // Get isotope type of first spin
if(sys.heteronuclear())                        // Check if system is heteronuclear
{
    isoset--;
    while(isoset < 0)
    {
        cout << "\n\tWhich Isotope Type? ";
        cin >> Isotype;
        for(int k=0; k<sys.spins(); k++)
            if(Isotype == sys.symbol(k))
            {
                isoset = k;
                break;
            }
    }
}
```

```
        if(iso<0)
            cout << "\n\tSystem Contains No Spin of That Type!";
        }
    }
//    Set Up Spectral Parameters

    double offset = sys.center(iso);           // Find the center of the system
    sys.offsetShifts(offset, iso);             // Offset the rotating frame
    double NyqF = sys.Nyquist();               // Approximate Nyquist frequency
    double dt = 1.0/(2.0*NyqF);                // Dwell time, quadrature detection
    double sw = 2.0*NyqF;                     // Total Spectral width +/- Nyquist

//                                     Set Variables

    block_1D data(t2pts);                     // Storage for the FID/Spectrum
    gen_op sigma = sigma_eq(sys);              // Set density matrix equilibrium
    gen_op H;
    if(J == 'w')
        H = Hcs(sys) + HJw(sys);              // Set the weak coupling Hamiltonian
    else
        H = Hcs(sys) + HJwh(sys);             // Set the strong coupling Hamiltonian
    gen_op detect = Fm(sys, IsoType);          // Set detection operator to F-

//                                     Pulse Sequence

    sigma=Iypuls(sys,sigma,IsoType,90);        // Apply an (PI/2)y pulse
    FID(sigma,detect,H,dt,t2pts,data);         // Calculate the FID after the pulse

//    Spectral Output Format & File Selection

    int type = 0;                             // Select an output format
    while((type <=0) || (type > 4))
    {
        cout << "\n\tPlease Choose an Output Format";
        cout << "\n\n\t1. FrameMaker";
        cout << "\n\t2. Felix";
        cout << "\n\t3. NMRi";
        cout << "\n\t4. MatLab";
        cout << "\n\n\tOutput Type? ";
    }
```

```
    cin >> type;
    cout << "\n";
}
cout << "\n\tOutput File Name - Please Include any Extension? ";
if(type == 2)
{
    cout << "\n\tFelix 1D Files Normally Use a .dat Extension";
    cout << "\n\t(Remember Felix reads only lower case names!) ";
}
cin >> filename;
//                                     Spectral Output

cout << "\n";
switch(type)
{
    case 1:                                     // FrameMaker output
    default:
        double lf, rt;
        double inPPM = 2;
        lf = offset-(sw/2.0);                 // Set plot limits in Hertz
        rt = offset+(sw/2.0);
        while(inPPM < 0 || inPPM > 1)         // Querie for Hertz or PPM axis
        {
            cout << "\n\n\tAxes in Hz(0) or PPM(1)? ";
            cin >> inPPM;
            cout << "\n";
        }
        if(inPPM)                             // For PPM adjust plot limits
        {
            lf = lf/sys.Omega();
            rt = rt/sys.Omega();
        }
        exponential_multiply(data,-8);        // Apodize the FID
        data = FFT(data);                     // Fourier transform the FID
        FM_1D(filename,data,14,5,lf,rt); // Write spectrum to a FrameMaker file
        break;
    case 2:                                     // Felix output
        Felix(filename,data);                 // Output FID in Felix format
        cout << "\n\tParameters Needed for Felix Data Workup\n";
```

```
    cout << "\n\tTo set OMEGA      : sf " << sys.Omega(isoset);
    cout << "\n\tTo set spectral width: sw " << 2*NyqF;
    cout << "\n\tTo set offset (no zf): ref " << t2pts/2 << " " << offset;
    cout << "\n\tTo set axis in Hertz : ax 2" << "\n\n";
    break;
case 3:
    NMRi(filename,data);                // Output FID in NMRi format
    break;
case 4:
    MATLAB(filename,"spectrum",data);    // Output FID in MatLab format
    cout << "\n\tMATLAB Spectrum is Internally Named: spectrum";
    break;
    cout << "\n";
}
}
```

### 5.6.3 Discussion

**Read in Parameters:** Following the output of the program description, an arbitrary spin system is read in from an external file specified. Afterwards the number of points in the FID is interactively set. Because it is useful to examine the weak coupling case, the user is then allowed to specify weak or strong coupling.

**Determine the Isotope Detected:** A check is made to see if the input spin system is homonuclear or heteronuclear. If heteronuclear, the user must choose the isotope type to be detected.

**Set Up Spectral Parameters:** Here, all chemical shifts (for spins of the isotope type being detected) may be altered so as to be referenced to an optimal rotating frame. Following this, a Nyquist frequency is chosen and both the dwell time and spectral width set.

**Set Variables:** A 1D data block is declared to hold the simulated FID. A general operator is declared and set to the equilibrium density matrix. Another general operator is declared and set to be either the strong or weak coupling isotropic Hamiltonian. Finally, a general operator is declared and set to hold the detection operator.

**Pulse Sequence:** The pulse sequence is very short; a two step sequence is performed with two program lines. The first step makes use of the function `lypuls` which takes  $\sigma_0$ , the equilibrium density matrix and applies a 90 pulse along the y-axis to it. The resulting density matrix is set equal to  $\sigma$ . The next function, `FID`, propagates  $\sigma$  with the Hamiltonian  $H$  while filling up the data block. The detector, the number of points, and the dwell time are also parameters used as arguments for this function.

**Spectral Output Format & File Selection:** The user is prompted to specify an output type. Currently four formats are allowed.

**Spectral Output:** In this section the simulated FID is written to an output file. For FrameMaker output, the FID is apodized and Fourier Transformed before output since that program has not FFT capabilities. Because Felix currently has problems accepting data into its parameter block, the parameters needed to reference the spectrum are output if this format is specified. For MATLAB output, there may be several “matrices” stored in each .MAT file. These each have an internal MATLAB data name which is set to “spectrum” here.

### 5.6.4 Data - 5 Spin System

This program is general and may take any spin system. For demonstration we here use the input spin system file One\_pulse.3.sys which contains a p-fluorophenyl spin system. This is a heteronuclear system containing 5 spin 1/2 species:

SysName (2) : p_fluoro_PHE	- Name of the Spin System
NSpins (0) : 5	- Number of Spins in the System
Iso(0) (2) : 19F	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(1) (2) : 1H	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(2) (2) : 1H	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(3) (2) : 1H	- Spin Isotope Type
Iso(4) (2) : 1H	- Spin Isotope Type
Omega (1) : 300.00	- 1H Spectrometer Frequency (MHz)
v(0) (1) : 110.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
v(1) (1) : 2175.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
v(2) (1) : 2175.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
v(3) (1) : 2313.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
v(4) (1) : 2313.0	- Chemical Shift (Hz)
J(0,1) (1) : 9.10	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(0,2) (1) : 9.10	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(0,3) (1) : 5.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(0,4) (1) : 5.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,2) (1) : 2.62	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,3) (1) : 8.60	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(1,4) (1) : 0.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(2,3) (1) : 0.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(2,4) (1) : 8.60	- Coupling Constants in Hz
J(3,4) (1) : 2.50	- Coupling Constants in Hz

## 5.6.5 Results

The program was compiled with the command

```
gamma One_pulse.3.cc -o One_pulse.3
```

This takes the gamma library and links to the program One\_pulse.3.cc during compilation. The -o option specifies the name of the final executable program, in this instance called One\_pulse.3. Had the -o option not been used (-o One\_pulse.3 left out) the executable program is automatically given the name a.out.

The compiled program can be executed with the command

```
One_pulse.3
```

Since we have given the executable the name One\_pulse.3 it is run by entering that name. Below is the full computer interaction which took place to produce the fluorine spectrum. (The prompt |cosy> is just the computer prompt and will vary from machine to machine.). User response, typed in from the keyboard and followed by a return, is printed in ***bold face italics***.

```
|cosy>One_pulse.3
```

### GAMMA 1D NMR Simulation Program

Spin system filename? ***One\_pulse.3.sys***

Number of acquisition points? ***2048***

Strong or Weak Coupling (s/w)? ***s***

Which Isotope Type? ***19F***

Please Choose an Output Format

1. FrameMaker
2. Felix
3. NMRi
4. MatLab

Output Type? ***2***

Output File Name - Please Include any Extension?

Felix 1D Files Normally Use a .dat Extension

(Remember Felix reads only lower case names!) ***pfphe.dat***

Parameters Needed for Felix Data Workup

To set OMEGA : sf 282.282

To set spectral width: sw 32.12

To set offset (no zf): ref 1024 110

To set axis in Hertz : ax 2

|cosy>

Alternatively, this program will accept input directly on the command line. Below is the full computer interaction which took place to produce the protom spectrum, now the information is input directly. Again, user response, typed in from the keyboard and followed by a return, is printed in ***bold face italics***.

|cosy>***One\_pulse.3 pfPHE.sys 2048 s***

GAMMA 1D NMR Simulation Program

Which Isotope Type? ***IH***

Please Choose an Output Format

1. FrameMaker
2. Felix
3. NMRi
4. MatLab

Output Type? ***2***

Output File Name - Please Include any Extension?

Felix 1D Files Normally Use a .dat Extension

(Remember Felix reads only lower case names!) ***hpfphe.dat***

Parameters Needed for Felix Data Workup

To set OMEGA : sf 300

To set spectral width: sw 274.12

To set offset (no zf) : ref 1024 2244

To set axis in Hertz : ax 2

|cosy>

These two runs produced the Felix files pfphe.dat and hpfphe.dat respectively. These are shown



on the following page using the felix commands given below.

### Fluorine Spectrum

```
re pfphe.dat
sf 282.282
sw 32.12
ref 1024 110
ax 2
lb 0.1
em
ft
dr
hdv pfphe.hpgl
hpm 32
hcp
```

### Proton Spectrum

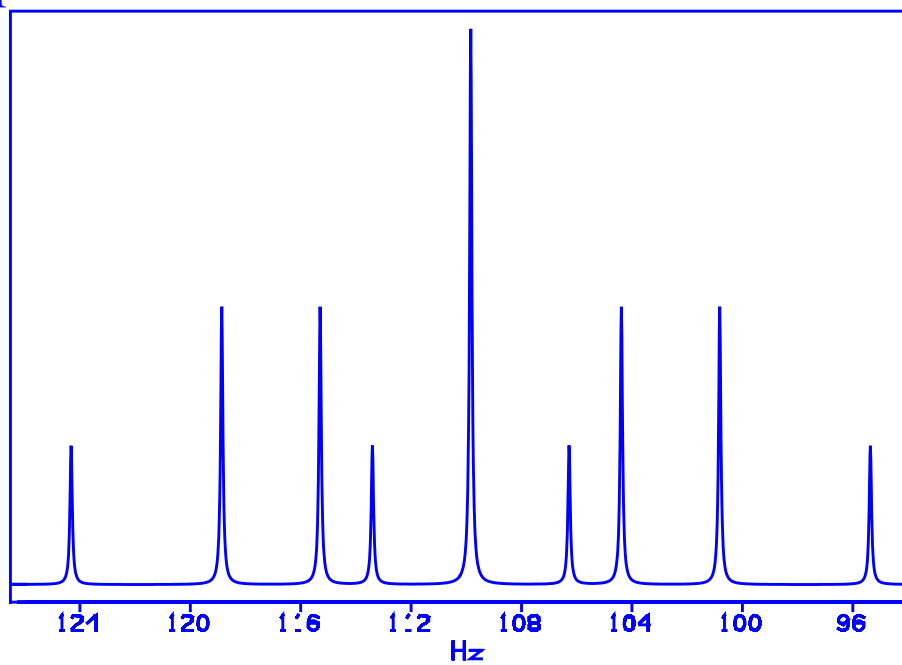
```
re hpfphe.dat
sf 300
sw 274.12
ref 1024 2244
ax 2
lb 0.1
em
ft
dr
hdv hpfphe.hpgl
hpm 32
hcp
```

The last three commands in both workups create hpgl plot output files. These were then converted into FrameMaker MIF files and incorporated into this document (in FrameMaker).<sup>1</sup>

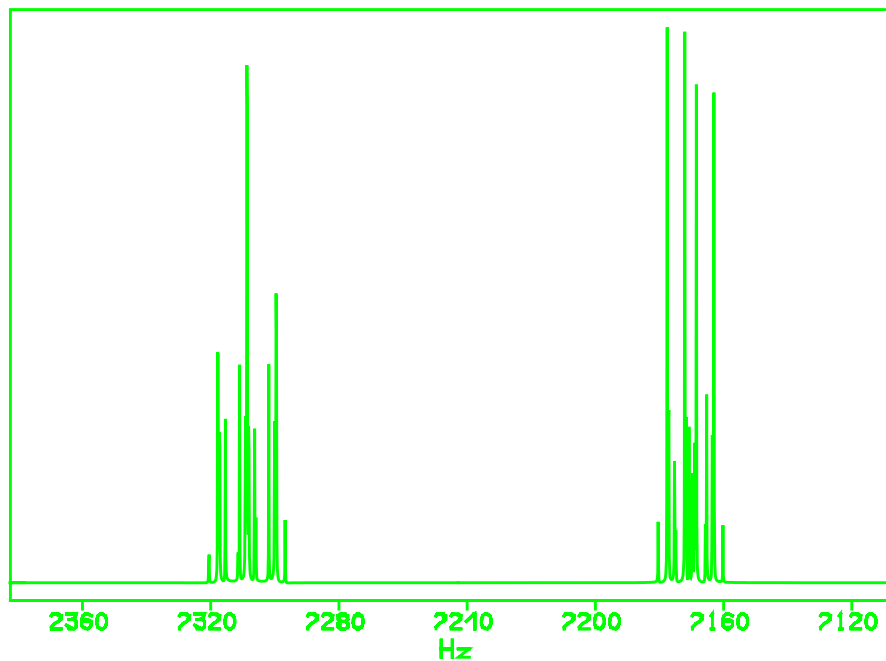
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1. A conversion program of this type is supplied with the program FrameMaker. For those who use FrameMaker but do not have the conversion program there is a (currently) crude GAMMA program which does the job called hp2mif.cc included with the example files here.

## $^{19}\text{F}$ Spectrum

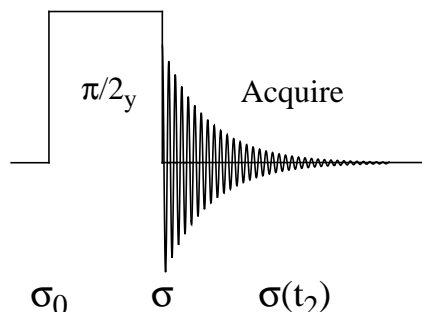


## $^1\text{H}$ Spectrum



## 5.7 One RF-Pulse

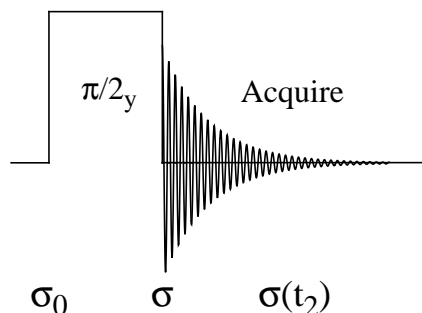
This example is another implementation of the one pulse experiment simulation on a two spin system. The pulse sequence is shown below with density matrices labeled to coincide with the program code.



The spin system will be read in from a disk file. From this the equilibrium density matrix,  $\sigma_0$ , can be generated. This density matrix is then treated by a 90 degree pulse along the y-axis and propagated in time including (in an unscaled fashion) the effects of dipole-dipole relaxation while the FID is computed. The detection operator, necessary for determining the FID, will be set to  $F_x$  for the entire spin system. This is equivalent to an operator which samples xy-magnetization.  $F_x$ , in combination with a pulse along the y-axis produces a properly phased spectrum. In this simulation, the FID does decay (somewhat as shown in the pulse sequence diagram) on its own via relaxation processes. Thus, no apodization is utilized during the spectral workup.

## 5.8 One Pulse - Finite Length

This example is another implementation of the one pulse experiment simulation on a two spin system. The pulse sequence is shown below with density matrices labeled to coincide with the program code.



The spin system will be read in from a disk file. From this the equilibrium density matrix,  $\sigma_0$ , can be generated. This density matrix is then treated by a 90 degree pulse along the y-axis and prop-

agated in time including (in an unscaled fashion) the effects of dipole-dipole relaxation while the FID is computed. The detection operator, necessary for determining the FID, will be set to  $F_x$  for the entire spin system. This is equivalent to a operator which samples  $xy$ -magnetization.  $F_x$ , in combination with a pulse along the  $y$ -axis produces a properly phased spectrum. In this simulation, the FID does decay (somewhat as shown in the pulse sequence diagram) on its own via relaxation processes. Thus, no apodization is utilized during the spectral workup.

### 5.8.1 Program

```
#include <gamma.h>

main ()
{

//                                SET PARAMETERS

    spin_system sys;                                // Set up a spin system
    sys.read("One_pulse.3.sys");                    // Read system in from disk
    double t2dt = 0.005;                            // Dwell time (+/- 100 Hz)
    int t2pts = 1024;                                // Number of increments
//
//                                DECLARE NEEDED VARIABLES
//
    gen_op sigma0 = sigma_eq(sys);                  // set equilibrium density matrix, sys
    gen_op H = Hcs(sys) + HJ(sys);                  // set Hamiltonian to shift + J
    gen_op detect = Fm(sys);                        // set the detection operator to F-
    block_1D data(t2pts);                           // storage for the FID/Spectrum
    super_op R = RDDExtNrw(sys,H);                  // dipolar relaxation superoperator
    gen_op sigma;                                    // working density matrix
    acquire ACQ(detect, H, t2dt);                   // set up an acquisition
//
//                                PULSE SEQUENCE AND DATA WORKUP
//
    sigma = Iypuls(sys,sigma0,90);                  // apply a (PI/2)y pulse
    ACQ(sigma, sigma0, R, data);                    // perform an acquisition
    FM_1D("One_pulse.3.FIDmif",                     // write FID to a FrameMaker file
        data,14,5,0,(t2pts-1)*t2dt);               // with size 5*14 cm
    data = FFT (data);                              // Fourier transform the FID
    double lim = 1.0/(2.0*t2dt);                    // for plot widths
```

```
FM_1D("One_pulse.3.FFTmif",           // write spectrum to a FrameMaker
file                                     // with size 5*14 cm
    data,14, 5, -lim, lim);
}
```

### 5.8.2 Discussion

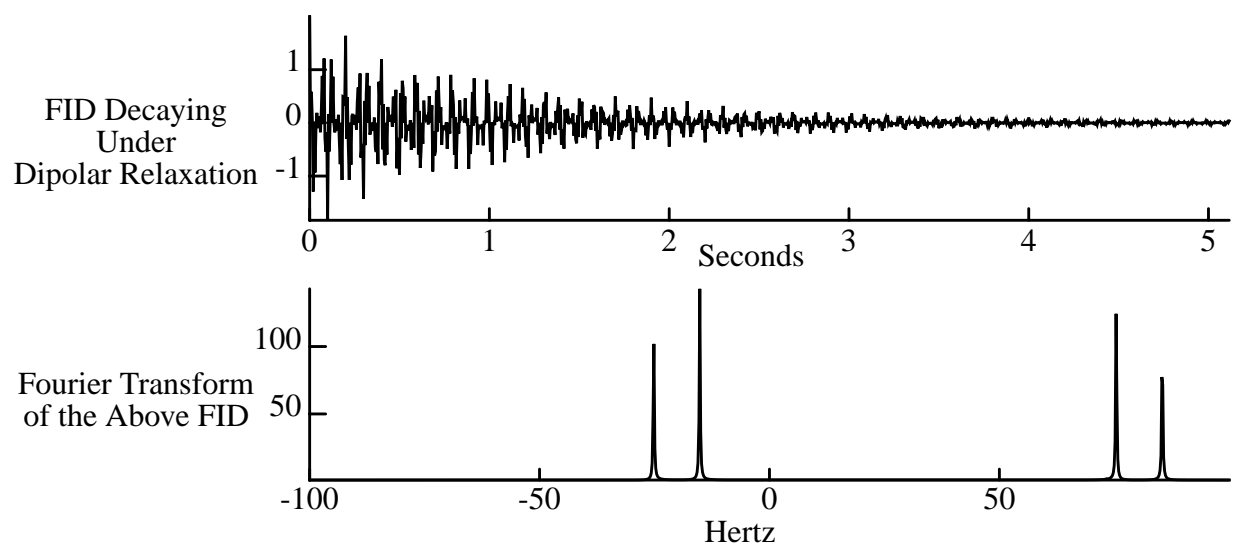
**Set Parameters:** The spin system used was a simple two spin system read in from the disk file One\_pulse.3.sys. The dwell time is set to 0.005, called t2dt, which sets the resulting spectral width to +/- 100. This will insure the shift frequencies in sys are covered. The number of points in the acquisition is set to 1K.

**Declare Needed Variables:** Many of these steps both declare a variable and set it at the same time. The first line specifies a general operator, sigma0, which is initialized to the equilibrium density matrix. Similarly the operator H is declared and set to the liquid NMR Hamiltonian with strong coupling. The detection operator is declared and set to F\_. A 1-dimensional data block is set up to contain t2pts points. An unscaled dipolar relaxation superoperator is set in the next line. Following this a working density matrix is declared. The last line of this section declares and sets an acquisition, a parameter which facilitates computation of acquisitions.

**Apply Pulse Sequence and Data Workup:** The pulse sequence is very short; two step sequences and two program lines. The first step makes use of the function Iypuls which takes  $\sigma_0$ , the equilibrium density matrix and applies a 90 pulse along the y-axis to it. The resulting density matrix is set equal to sigma. The next step is analogous to the function FID used in previous simulations of this chapter. Here we are utilizing the acquire ACQ previously set. The parameters indicate how the acquisition takes place, filling the block data with the points as relaxation is in effect. In order to explicitly see the decaying FID, the next step writes the acquisition to the FrameMaker file One\_pulse.3.FIDmif. The data is then Fourier transformed and put out to a second FrameMaker file called One\_pulse.3.FFT.mif.

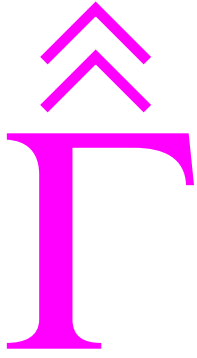
### 5.8.3 Results

The two FrameMaker files from the simulation are reproduced below, scaled and annotated.

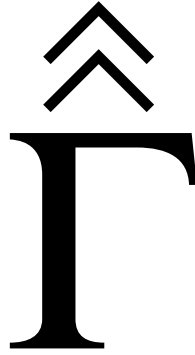


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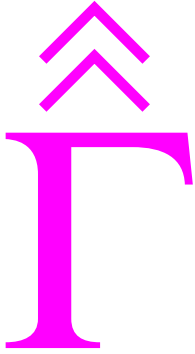
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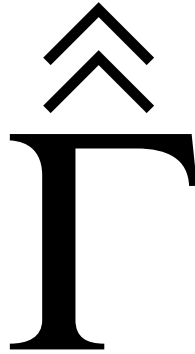
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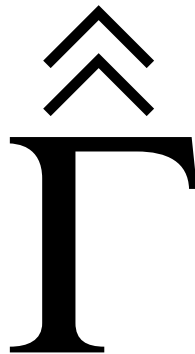
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