

Instructions for extended Hadamard MT experiment

You will need to copy TS/wavemaker/excitation/cw file to TS/wavemaker/inversion/cw_iwvm_x/wvm – Unix executable to be placed in Topspin/ext/stan/nmr/wavemaker/bin folder

1. Select imino protons' peaks from 1D (Watergate or 11-echo spectrum) using peak picking – and save it (note that up to 4 and 8 peaks will be encoded into eH4 and eH8 matrix, respectively)
2. Create new HMT experiment (use parameter set, not prosol compatible)
3. Use command “had_pl”
4. Type the experiment number with 1D spectrum where peaks are saved
5. “had_pl” will automatically create peak list inside HMT experiment
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7. Based on spectral resolution and broadness of the peaks – choose appropriate saturation B1 field in cnst23
8. Choose p28, duration of cw saturation – standard option is 600-800ms
9. For ¹⁵N labeled samples, in order to allow long saturation in the presence of ¹⁵N decoupling, without damaging the probe and heating up the sample, very soft decoupling should be used and applied in the middle of imino ¹⁵N chemical shift (for example pcpd7=500 us, cnst18 = 153ppm)
10. For using extended Hadamard matrix, copy eH4.had or eH8.had file and paste into the current experiment and then change filename into wvm.had
11. Use au program “wvm -a” to create all the pulses and update acquisition parameters
12. Use au program “wvm_x” to create Hadamard pulses based on wvm.had file (if wvm.had file is missing, “wvm_x” will generate pulses based on the regular Hadamard matrix)
13. Start the experiment
14. Use “proc_hadx” to process the spectrum – zero filling set up with SI will artificially increase F1 resolution

When setting up experiment for the first time, ased will complain that it doesn't contain necessary pulses – after “had_pl”, do immediately “wvm -a” which will create pulses using default parameters and will allow you to go through pulse parameters. Don't forget to do “wvm -a” and “wvm_x” at the end again if you change cnst23

