

Unit 9 - Structure determination of molecules

Course outline

How does an NPTEL online course work?

Week 0 Assignment

Introduction to NMR spectroscopy

Chemical shifts and J-coupling

One-dimensional proton NMR

One dimensional NMR of X-nuclei (¹³C, ¹⁵N, ³¹P and ¹⁹F)

Homonuclear 2D NMR

Heteronuclear 2D NMR

Structure determination of molecules

2D HSQC TOCSY and its analysis with examples

Structure determination of molecules by NMR

Structure determination of peptides I

Structure determination of peptides II

Structure determination of peptides III

Quiz : Week 7 Assignment

Advanced topics (Solvent suppression, Drug Discovery, DOSY)

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Week 7 Assignment

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.
As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

Due on 2020-03-18, 23:59 IST.

1) What is the typical chemical shift range of alpha proton of amino acids in proteins and peptides?

1 point

1.5 – 3.5 ppm

3.5 – 5.5 ppm

5.5 – 7.5 ppm

7.5 – 02.5 ppm

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
3.5 – 5.5 ppm

2) Which of the following pairs of experiments are used for sequence specific resonance assignment of peptides?

1 point

2D ROESY and 2D NOESY

2D NOESY and 2D HSQC

2D TOCSY and 2D NOESY

2D COSY and 2D NOESY

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
2D TOCSY and 2D NOESY

3) Which of the following two amino acids have similar spin system in 2D TOCSY?

1 point

Glycine and Serine

Valine and Leucine

Phenylalanine and Tyrosine

Glutamine and Alanine

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
Phenylalanine and Tyrosine

4) In resonance assignments of peptides, the following three steps are involved. Arrange them in the right sequence in which they are carried out:
1. Identify resonances for each amino acid (spin system identification)
2. Solve the structure of the peptide
3. Arrange assignment according to their amino acid sequence

1 point

1, 2, 3

1, 3, 2

3, 2, 1

2, 3, 1

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
1, 3, 2

5) How many cross peaks will be observed along a NH tocsy strip of alanine?

1 point

1

2

3

4

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
2

6) Which of the following is used for detecting the presence of hydrogen bonds in a peptide

1 point

Amide proton chemical shift

Chemical shift index

Amide proton deuterium exchange

NOESY cross peaks from amide proton to other protons

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
Amide proton deuterium exchange

7) Which of the following information obtained from NMR is useful in distinguishing alpha helix from beta-sheets

1 point

Hydrogen bonds

Three bond J-coupling between amide proton and alpha-H of amino acids

Three bond J-coupling between alpha-H protons and beta-protons of amino acids

Cross peaks in a 2D NOESY spectrum between amide to side-chains

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
Three bond J-coupling between amide proton and alpha-H of amino acids

8) Which of the following is not true about NMR based protein structure determination

1 point

NMR can be used for the determination of the structure and dynamics of proteins

Sequence specific assignment of amino acids cannot be done with NMR

NMR gives more than one possible protein structure

Hydrogen bonded residues can be probed by NMR

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
Sequence specific assignment of amino acids cannot be done with NMR

9) Which of the following information is needed to begin resonance assignment of a peptide?

1 point

The amino acid sequence of the peptide

The molecular weight of the peptide

The types of secondary structure present in the peptide

The function of the peptide

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
The amino acid sequence of the peptide

10) A di-peptide AB has two NH peaks and tocsy strips along NH(A) has 2 cross peaks at 4.35ppm and 1.39ppm and NH(B) has 4 cross peaks at 4.18ppm, 2.13ppm, 0.97ppm and 0.94ppm. Identify amino acids A and B

1 point

Glycine and Alanine

Alanine and Valine

Valine and Glycine

Leucine and Alanine

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
Alanine and Valine