

Chemistry 233

Chapter 13

NMR Spectroscopy

Methods for Structure Determination

NMR Spectroscopy – Carbon-Hydrogen Framework

Infrared Spectroscopy – Functional Groups

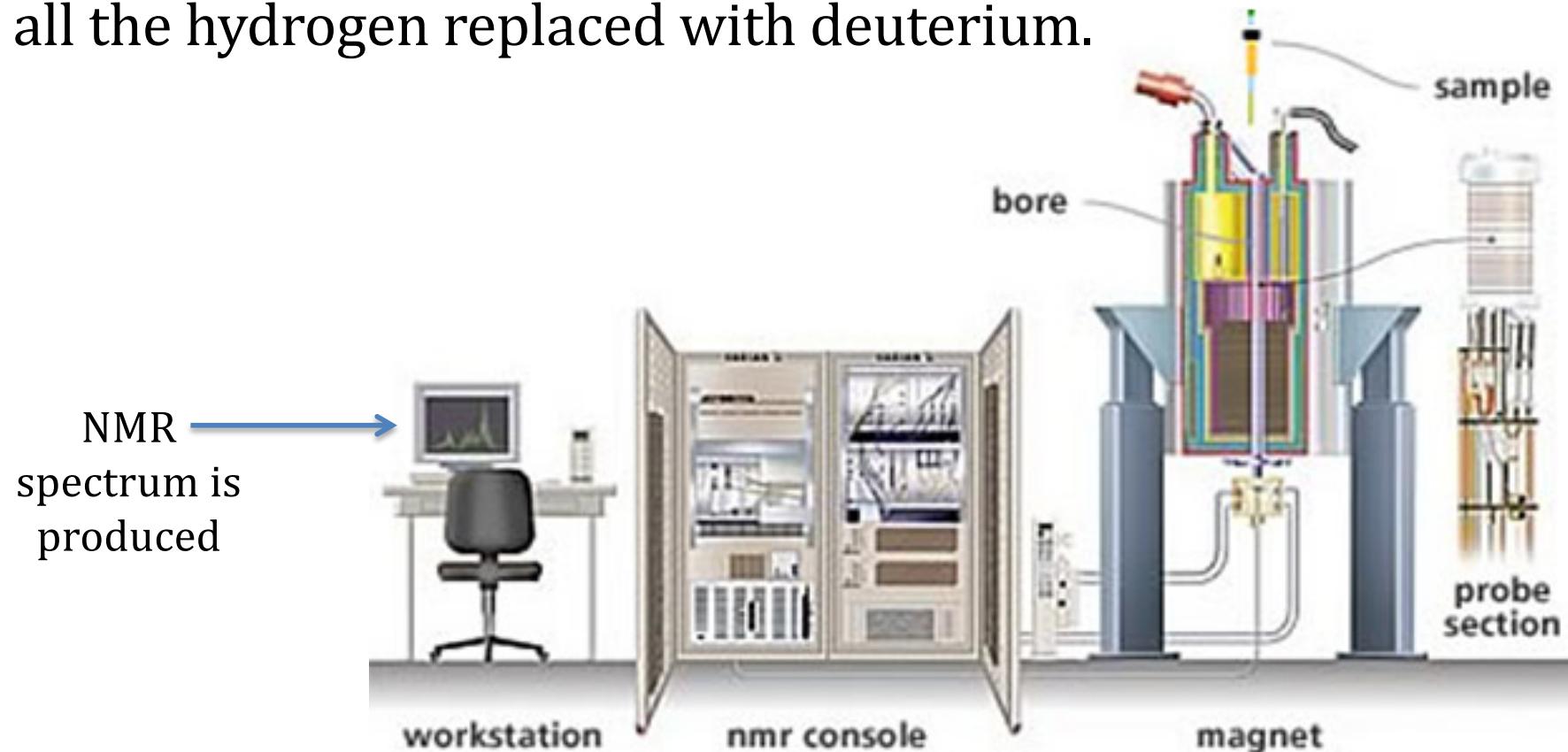
Mass Spectrometry – Molecular weight and formula

NMR Spectroscopy

NMR = Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

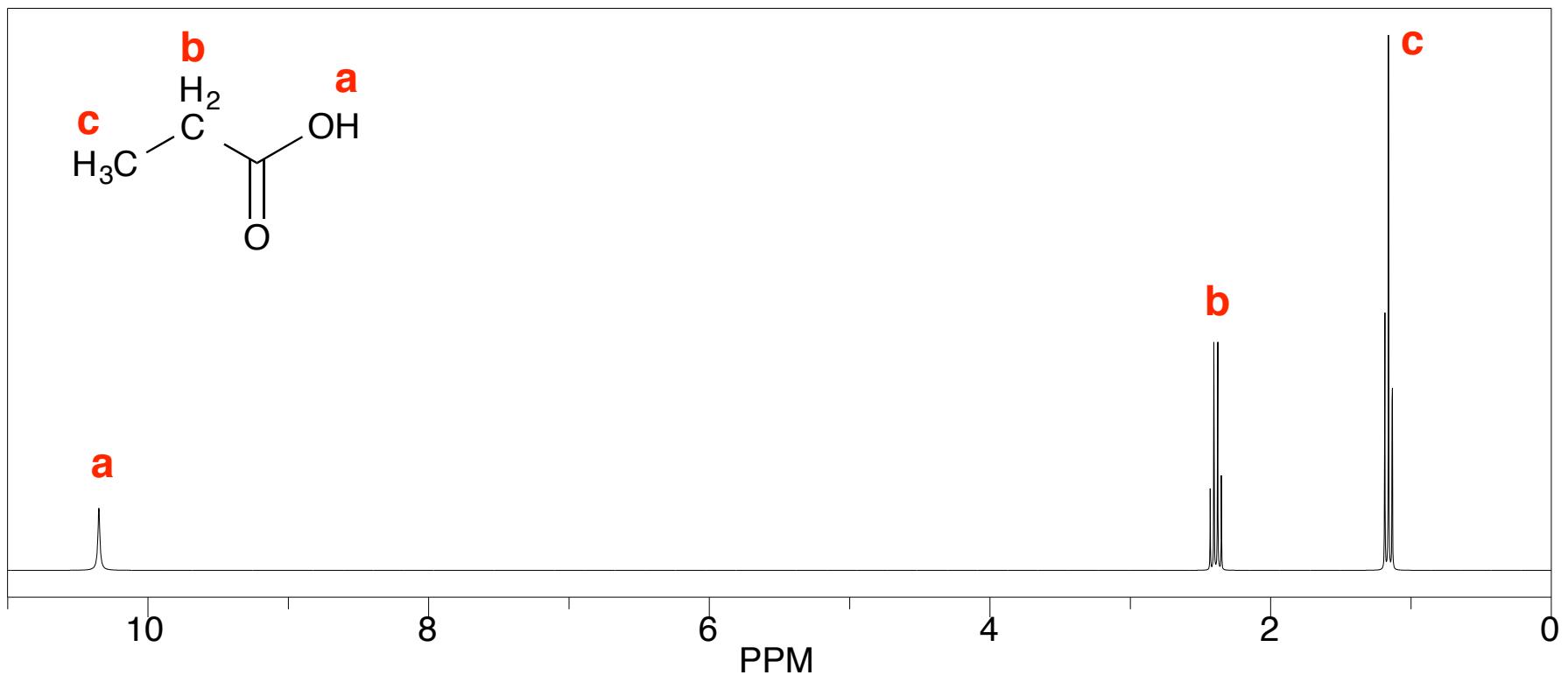
Resonance of certain nuclei (^1H , ^{13}C , and others) in the presence of a magnetic field.

Sample is dissolved in an NMR solvent – A solvent that has had all the hydrogen replaced with deuterium.



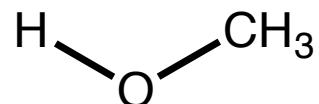
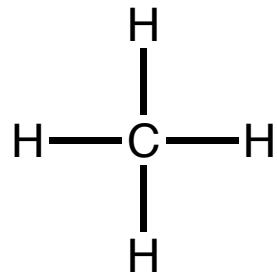
Sample ^1H (Proton) NMR

Each distinct type of hydrogen in the molecule produces a signal in the spectrum.

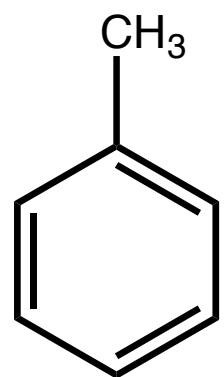
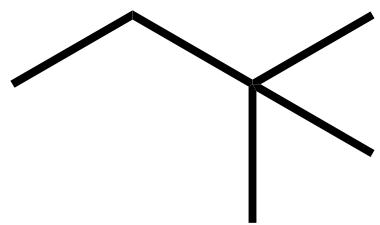


Chemically Equivalent/Distinct H

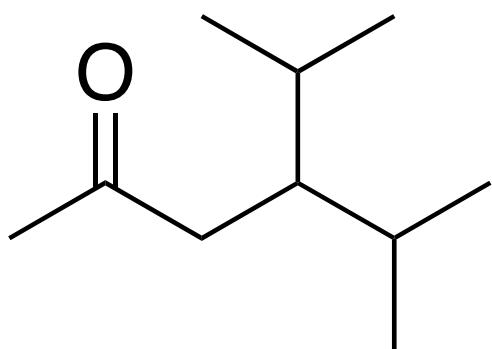
- Different types H in a molecule react differently -- consider the selectivity of radical halogenation.
- In proton (^1H) NMR, each distinct type of H gives rise to a signal.



Chemically Equivalent/Distinct H



Question



- How many distinct types of hydrogen are present in the molecule shown?

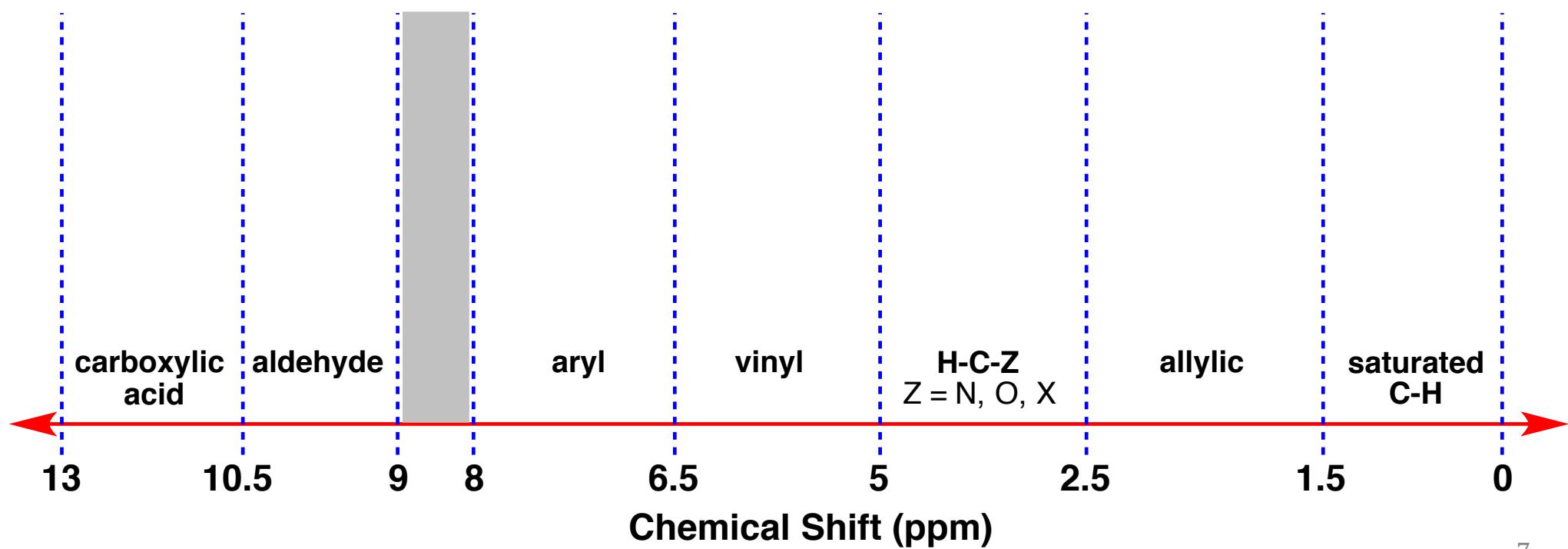
- How many distinct types of carbon are present in the molecule shown?

Chemical Shift

- Where between 0 and 13 ppm will the signals show up?
- Different H's live in different environments depending on its neighboring groups.



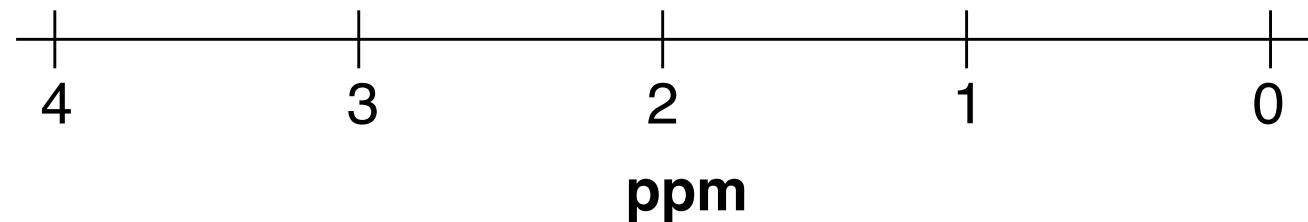
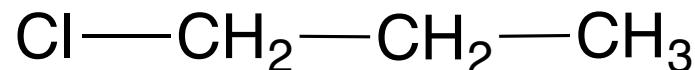
Basic ^1H Chemical Shift Regions:



Integration (Peak Height)

The area under a signal is proportional to the number of hydrogen that the signal corresponds to.

Example:

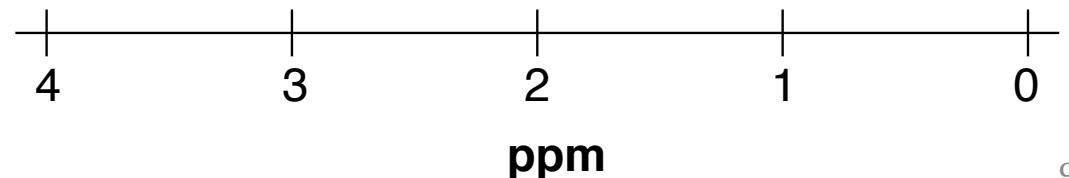
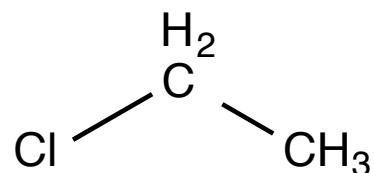


Coupling (Splitting of Signals)

The signal corresponding to a particular proton will split due to the protons on adjacent carbons.

Follows the **n+1 rule** where $n = \#$ of H's on adjacent C.

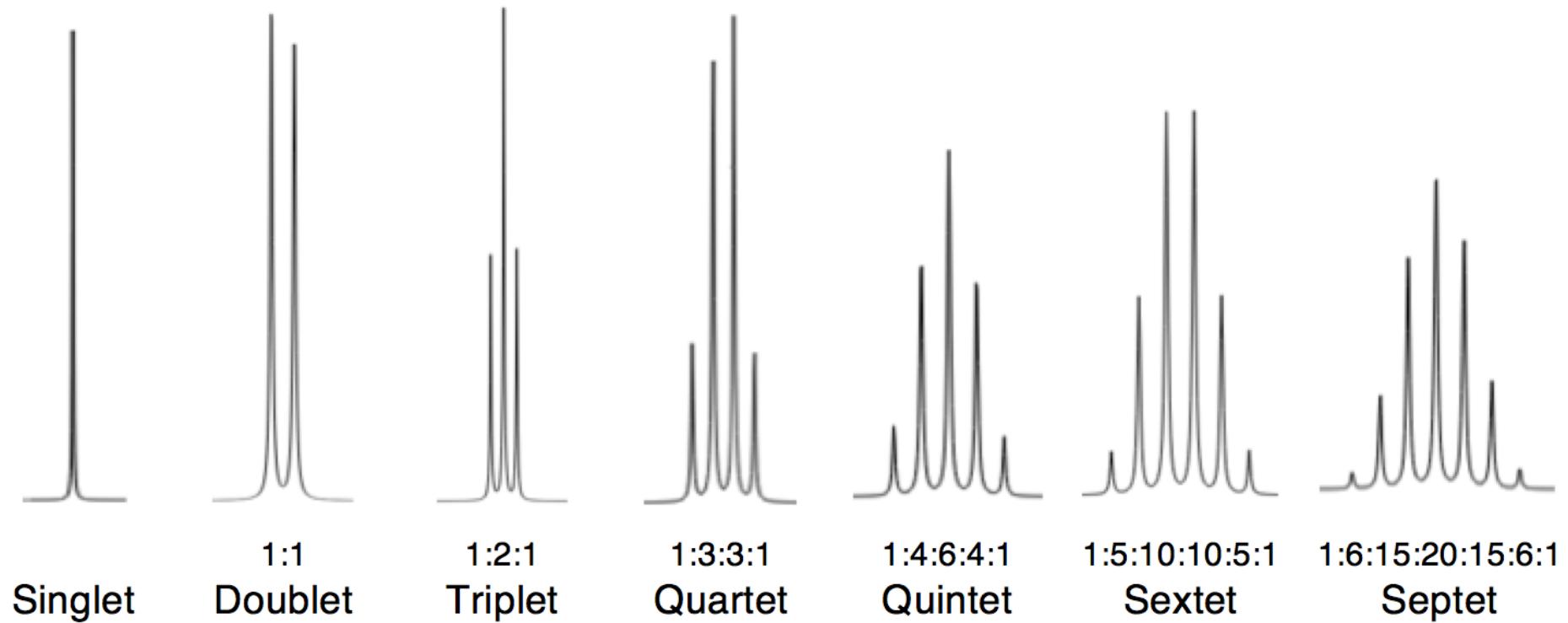
Example: Predict the ^1H NMR Spectrum for:



Common Multiplicities

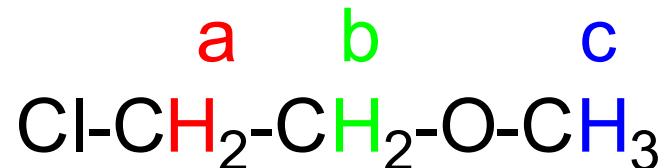
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1	singlet	s
2	doublet	d
3	triplet	t
4	quartet	q

# peaks	Multiplicity	Abbr.
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6	sextet	sex
7	septet	sep
>7	multiplet	m



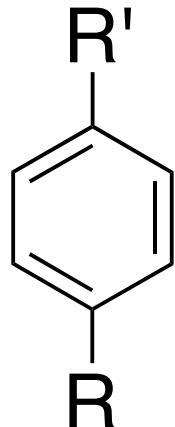
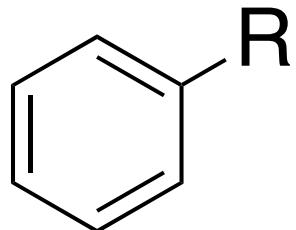
Question

- Predict the splitting pattern for protons labeled a, b, and c, giving that for “a” first.

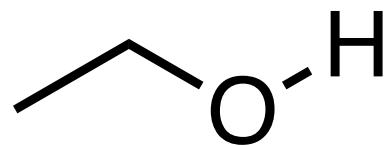


- A. doublet, doublet, singlet
- B. multiplet, triplet, singlet
- C. triplet, multiplet, triplet
- D. triplet, triplet, singlet
- E. all singlets

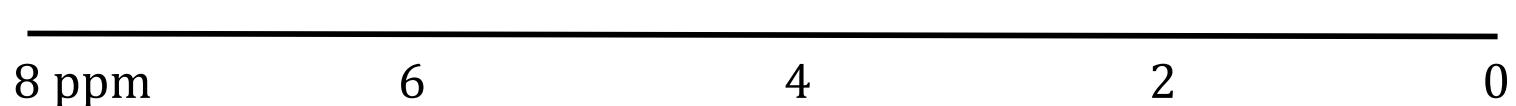
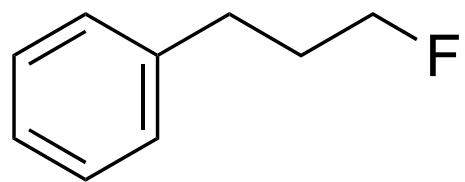
Splitting in Aromatic Rings



Typically no coupling through heteroatoms

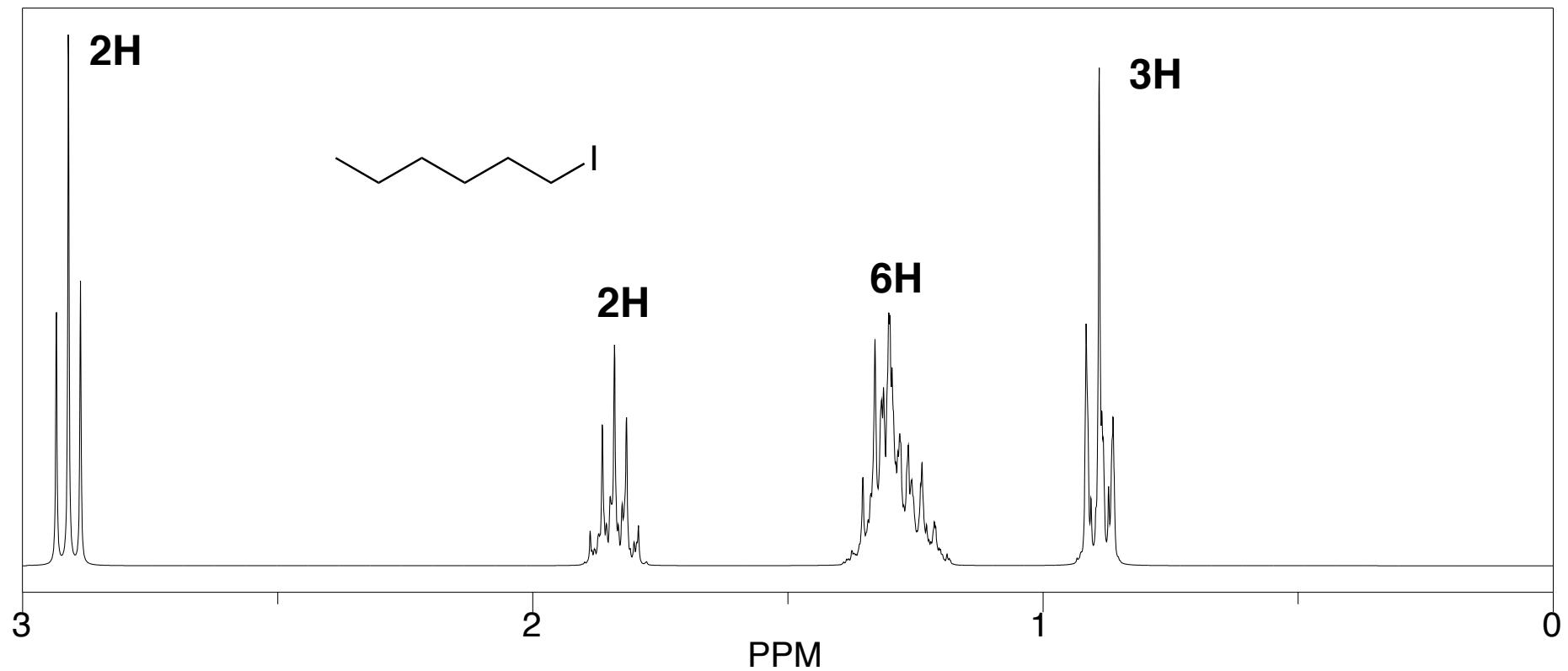


Example

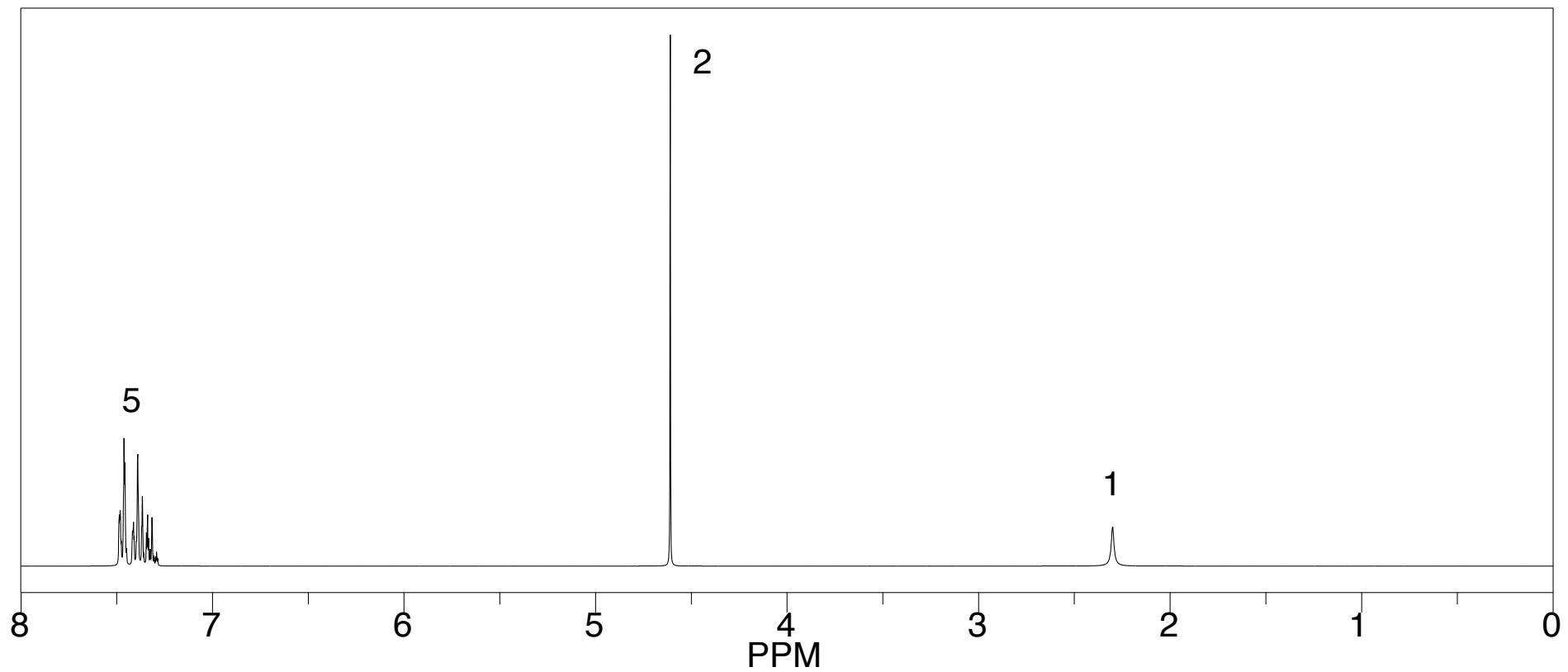


Overlapping Signals

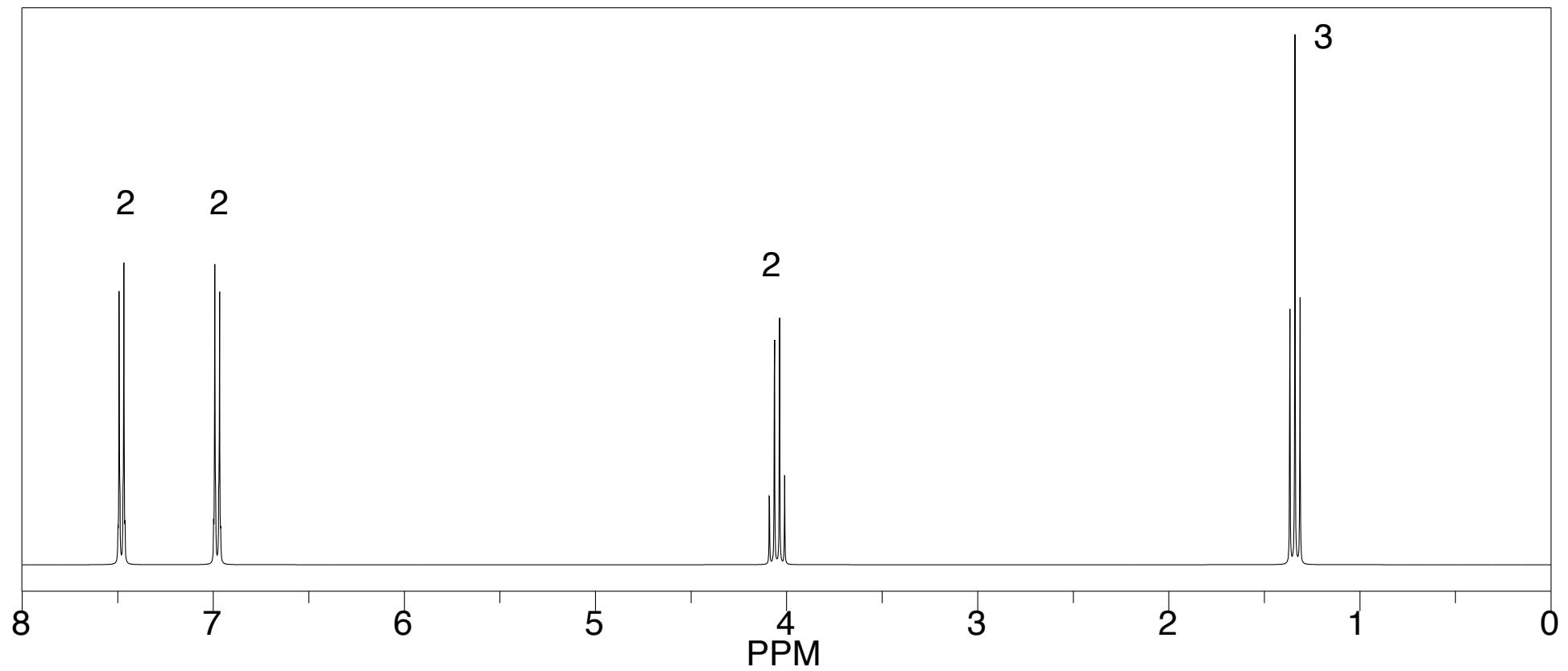
Protons that are chemically distinct, yet have similar chemical environments can potentially overlap creating a multiplet.



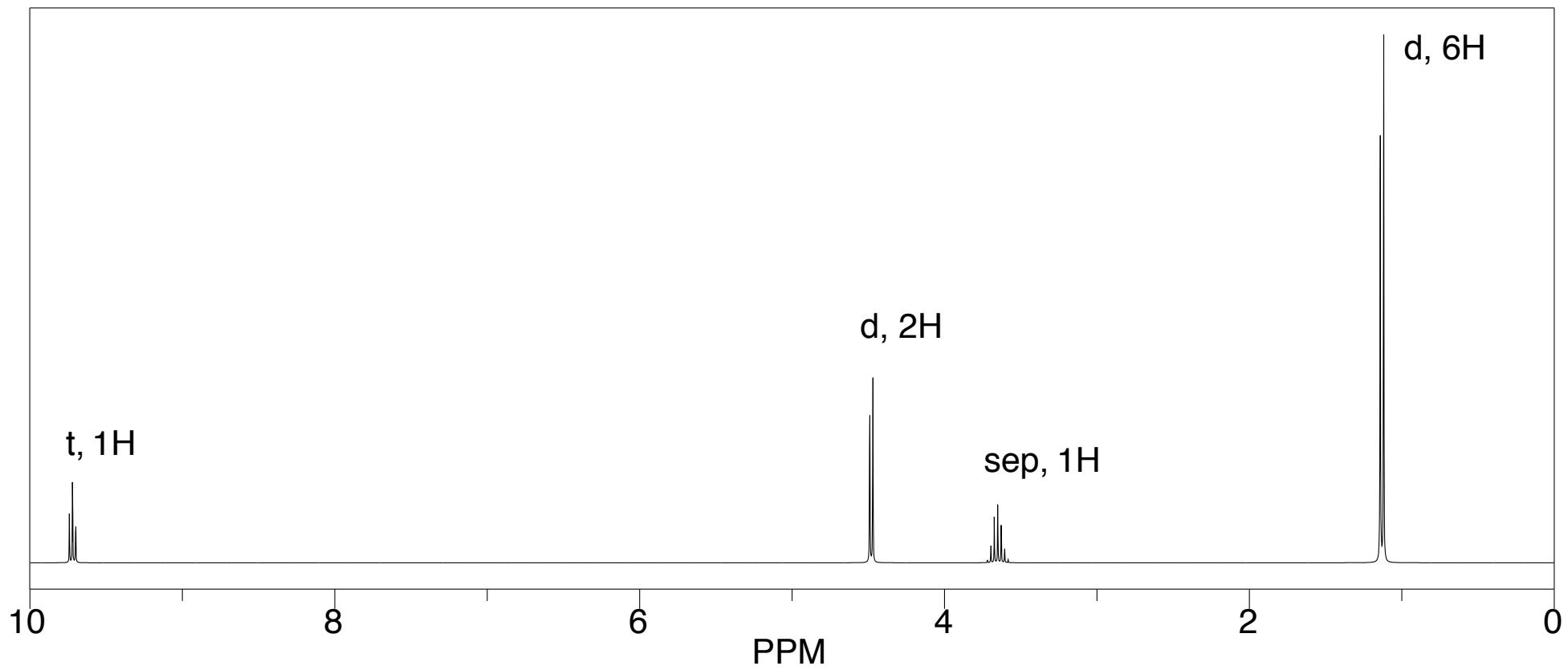
Example 1 – C₇H₈O



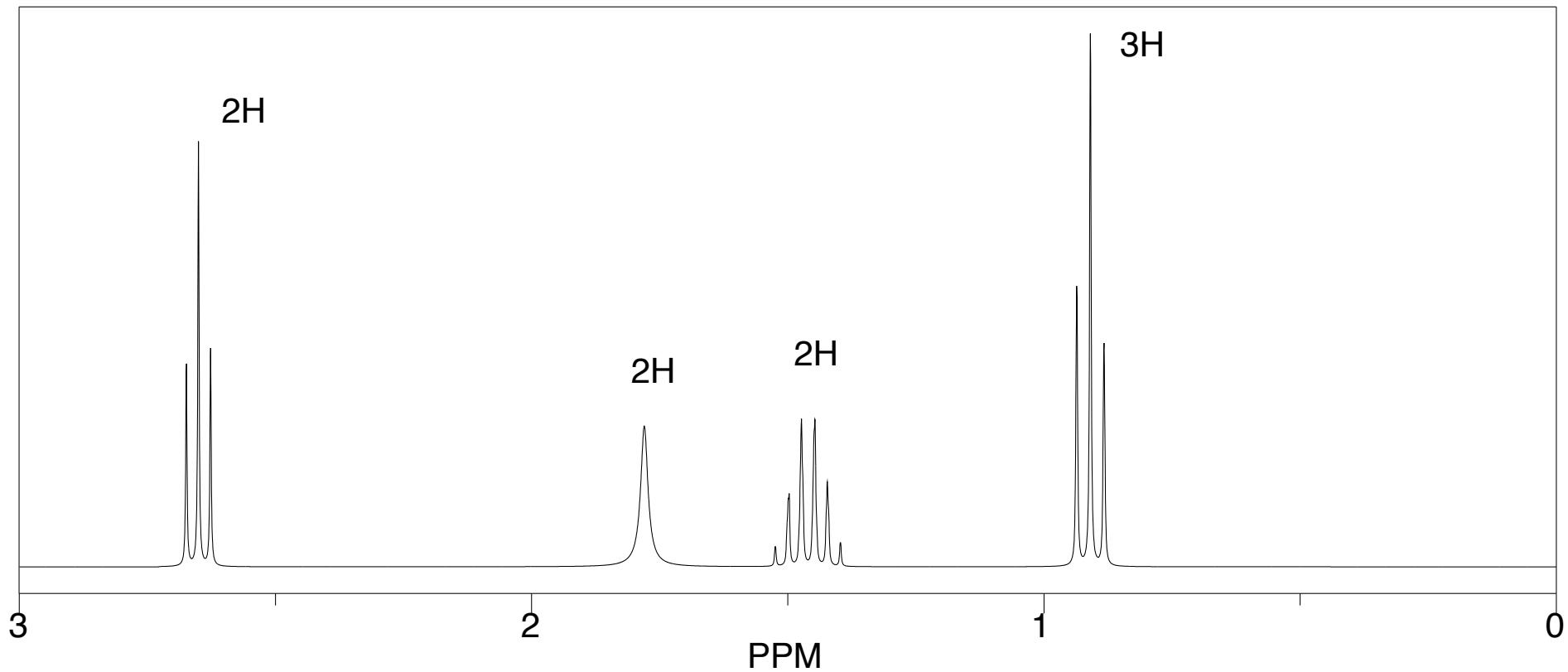
Example 2 – C₈H₉BrO



Example 3 – $C_5H_{10}O_2$

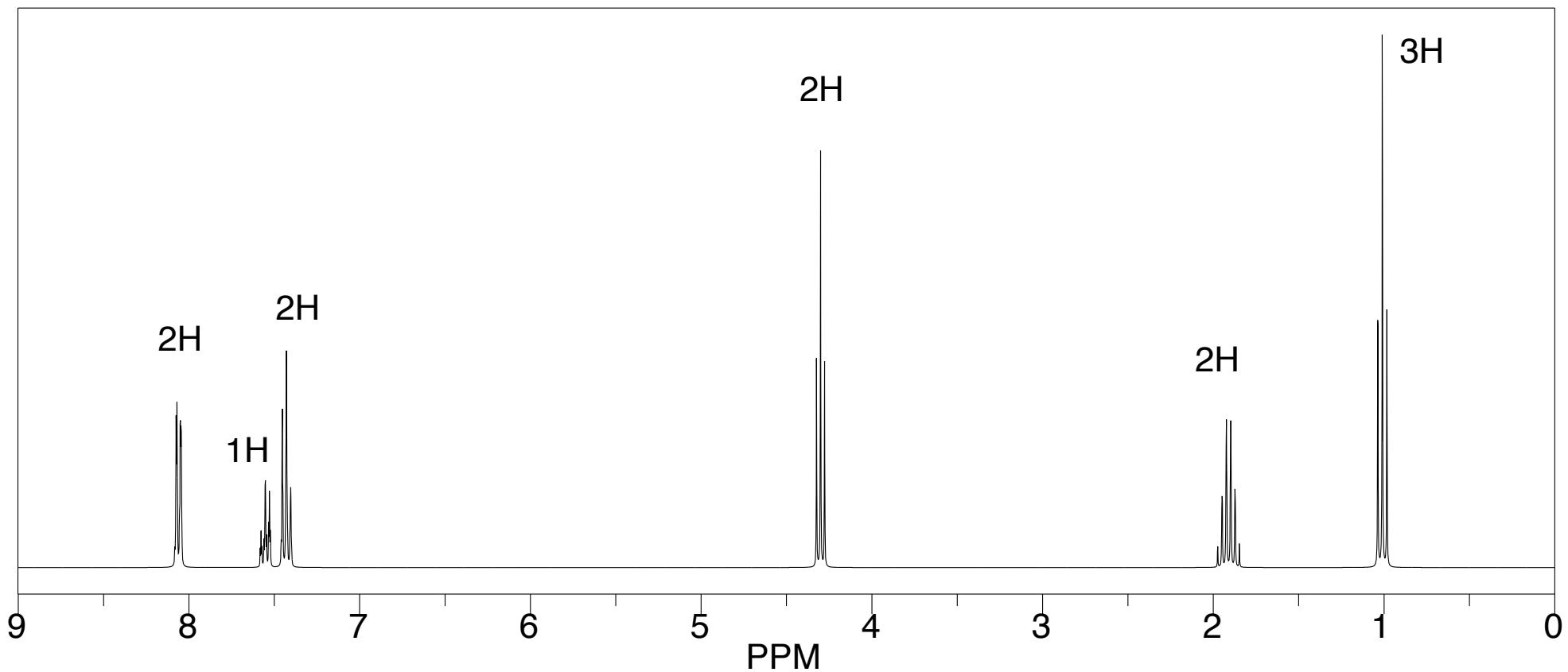


Example 4 – $\text{C}_3\text{H}_9\text{N}$

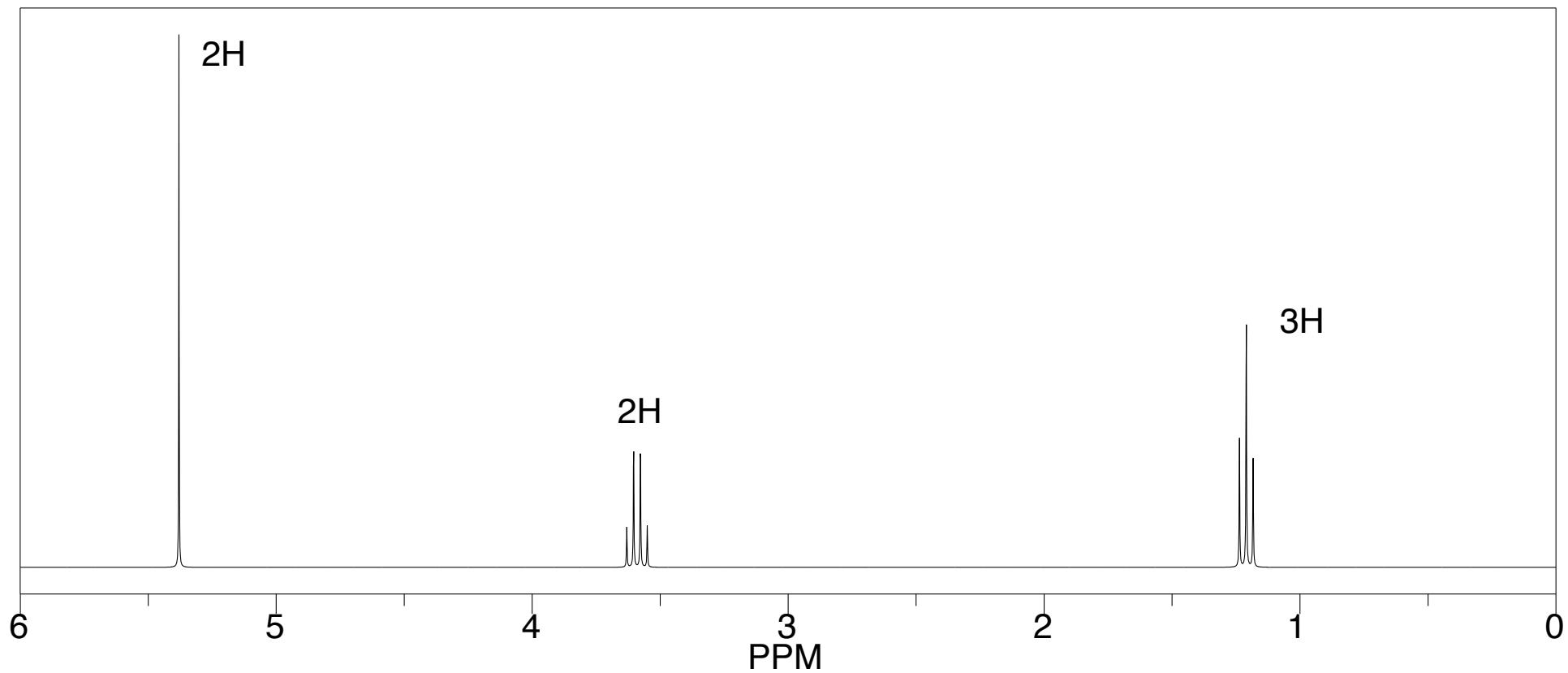


Example 5 – $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_2$

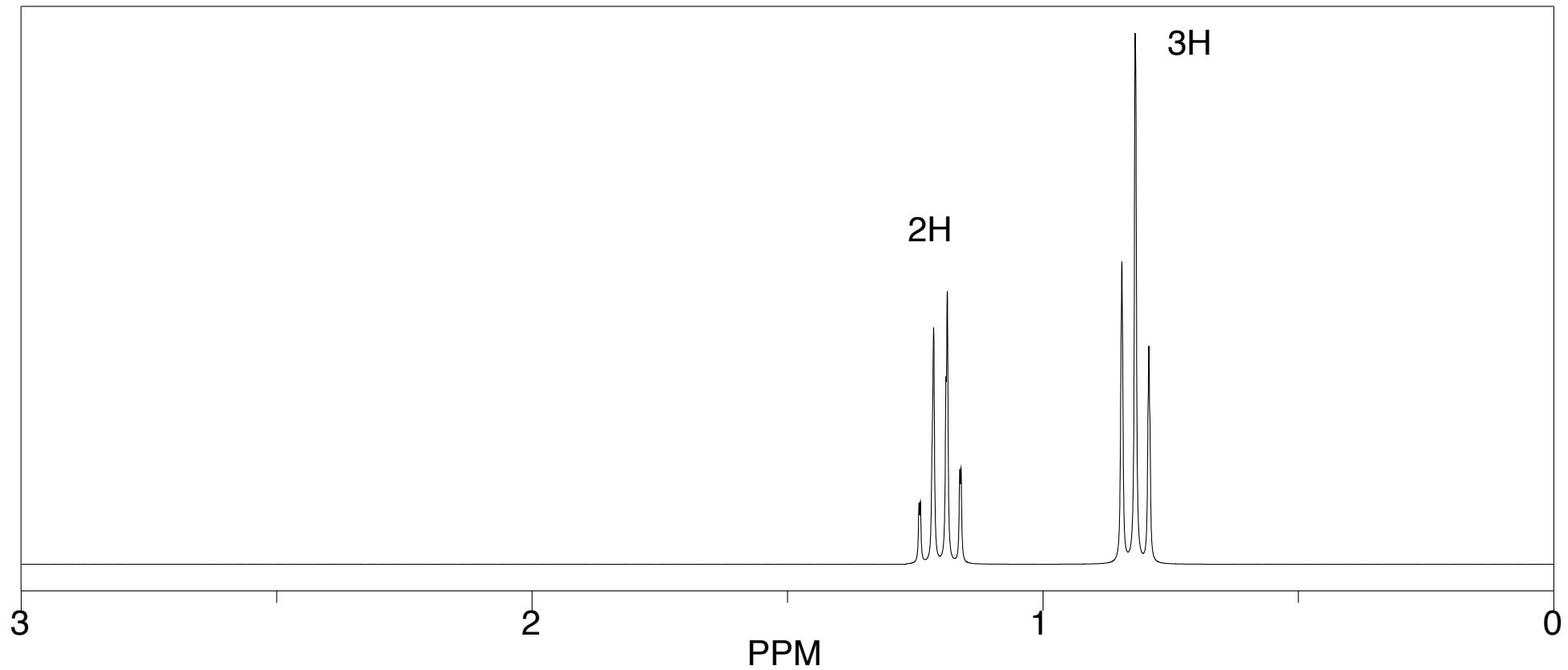
IR Data: 1720, 1610, 1505, 1210, 1010 cm^{-1}



Example 6 – $\text{C}_3\text{H}_7\text{BrO}$

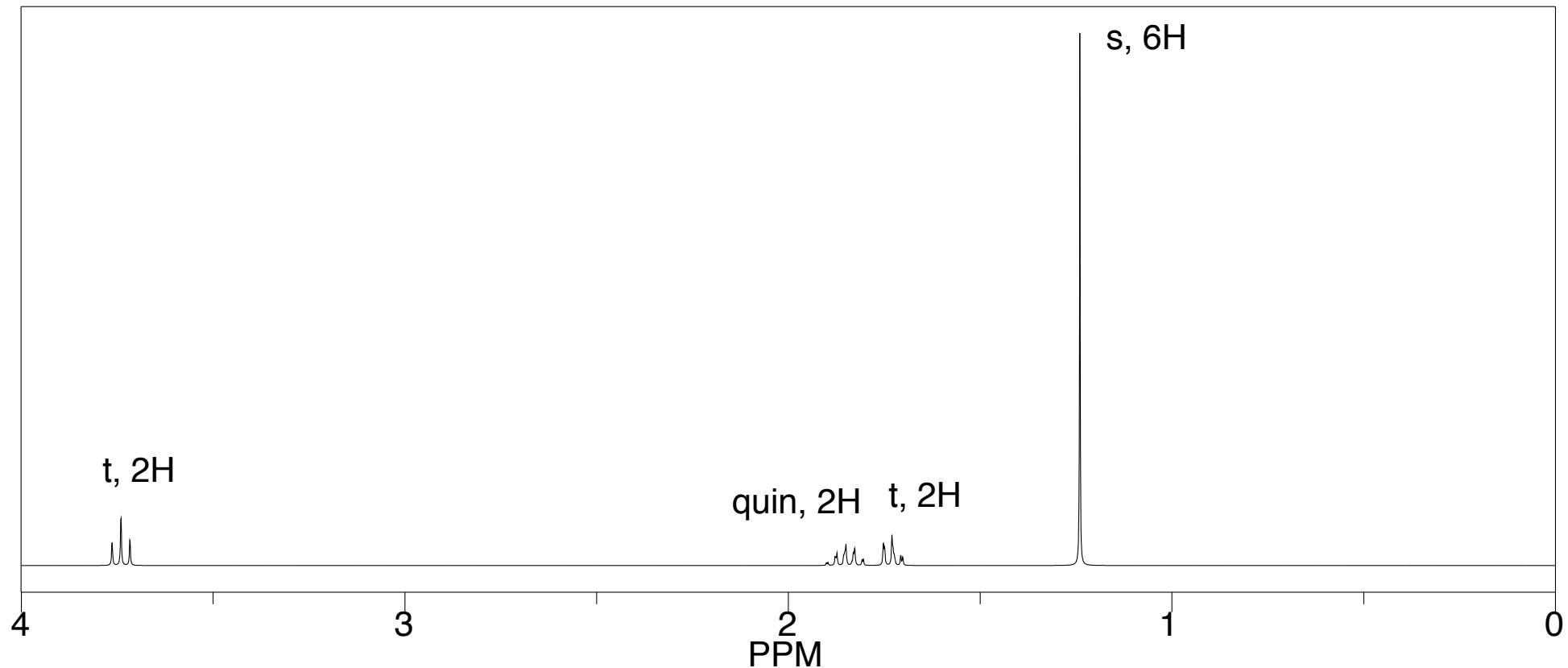


Example 7 – C₉H₂₀



Example 8 – C₆H₁₂O

No IR stretches in the 1600-1700 cm⁻¹ region



Example 9 – $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{10}\text{O}_2$

IR Data: 3100 (broad, strong); 1730, 1650 cm^{-1}

