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Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy. Carbon-13 Chemical Shifts of Chlorinated Organic Compounds^{1a}

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The ¹³C chemical shifts of a variety of perchlorocarbons, their hydrogen-substituted derivatives, and chlorocarbon ketones have been determined and assigned to specific carbons by high-resolution nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy. The assignment of ¹³C resonances for these substances was often aided by ¹³C-¹H couplings and Overhauser enhancements observed in the carbon spectra of the hydrogen-substituted derivatives. Correlations between ¹³C chemical shifts and structure were found for simple molecules and these correlations appear to provide the possibility of reasonable structural assignments for complex perchlorocarbons.

Chlorocarbon chemistry is growing in interest and importance,² and because the number of techniques for structural analysis of this type of substance is limited, we have investigated the degree to which ¹³C nmr (cmr) spectra might be useful in this difficult area.

Detection and interpretation of the cmr resonances of chlorocarbons is substantially harder than for hydrocarbons of corresponding structures because of the absence of Overhauser enhancement of the ¹³C signals associated with proton decoupling and the lack of spin-spin splitting information, as can be obtained for hydrocarbons by offresonance decoupling. Nonetheless, we have been able to find correlations between ¹³C chemical shifts and structural features for chlorocarbons and it is possible that cmr spectra may, in the long run, prove nearly as useful in the chlorocarbon area as ¹⁹F spectra have been in the study of fluorocarbon structures.

Experimental Section

Chlorocarbons. cis- and trans-1,2-dichloroethylene, trichloroethylene, tetrachloroethylene, 1,1,1-trichloroethane, hexachloroethane. hexachloropropene, 1,1-difluorohexachloropropane, 1,1,1-trifluoropentachloropropane, hexachlorobutadiene, and hexachlorocyclopentadiene were commercial samples. All of the other chlorocarbons used in this study were generously provided by Professor R. West (University of Wisconsin) and Dr. V. Mark (Hooker Research Center).

Cmr Spectra. Cmr spectra were obtained for ¹³C in natural abundance using a Varian DFS-60 spectrometer³ operating at 15.08 MHz. For the hydrogen- and fluorine-substituted chlorocarbons, cmr spectra were determined both with and without proton or fluorine noise decoupling.4 The preferred solvent was chloroform, which provides resonances for a proton field-frequency lock and internal ¹³C reference. However, dioxane, cyclohexane, benzene, or tetrachloroethylene were sometimes used. Sweep rates of 40 Hz sec⁻¹ or less were employed, which allowed the use of a high radiofrequency power level without saturation of the ¹³C resonances.⁵ The chemical shifts were reproducible to ± 1.0 ppm. This variation in chemical shift with solvent, while relatively large, is not so large as to vitiate the structural correlations to be described later. Chemical shifts measured relative to internal standard were corrected to carbon disulfide as internal reference by the relation $\delta_{\rm C}^{\rm CS_2} = \delta_{\rm C}^{\rm INT} + N$, where N is 165.8 ppm for cyclohexane, 126.2 ppm for dioxane, 115.4 ppm for chloroforms, 64.6 ppm for benzene, and 71.0 ppm for tetrachloroethylene in a 1:1 tetrachloroethylene-dioxane mixture. Coupling constants and line widths are believed accurate to ± 3 Hz. All chemical shifts obtained in this study are presented in Tables I-III. If it is desired that the shifts be referenced to tetramethylsilane (TMS), they can be corrected by the relation $\delta_{\rm C}^{\rm TMS} = 192.8 - \delta_{\rm C}^{\rm CS_2}$.

Results and Discussion

Assignments. The bulk of the compounds we have investigated are perchloroalkenes and cycloalkenes which are available in considerable profusion.² For these compounds, it is easy to distinguish between the resonances of the double-bond carbons, which fall between 50 and 75 ppm, and those of the single-bond carbons, which come between 90 and 120 ppm. It is interesting that the 50-75ppm range of the alkenic carbon resonances for perchloroalkenes is not substantially different from the 40-80ppm range of the corresponding resonances of ordinary alkenes,⁶ although the alkane carbons of the perchlorocarbons are shifted some 50 ppm downfield relative to hydrocarbons by the substituent effect of the chlorines.

With the start provided by the differences between double-bonded and single-bonded carbons and taking advantage of symmetry or spin-spin splittings where present, it is possible to assign unambiguously the resonances of many of the compounds shown in Table I, which is arranged to highlight the structural features of each compound for future comparisons. The resonances of the more complicated compounds were assigned (where possible) so as to be consistent with the general pattern of correlation of chemical shifts with structures, as will be discussed below

A. Single-Bonded Carbon Chemical Shifts. The data of Table I show that the chemical shift of a single-bonded carbon is strongly influenced by the nature of the directly bonded atoms. The single-bonded carbons are here classified as trichloromethyl (CCl₃), dichloromethylene (CCl₂), or chloromethine (CCl). Each class is then subdivided according to the number of directly attached double-bonded or single-bonded carbons. The chemical shift of each subgroup falls within a relatively narrow range, as illustrated in Figure 1.

1. The CCl₃ Carbon. Chemical shifts for trichlorometh-

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Figure 1. Correlation of ¹³C chemical shifts of dichloromethylene and chloromethine carbons in fully chlorinated compounds, with degree of substitution. The number of examples is shown in parentheses along with the position of the mean chemical shift of each structural type. The observed range of shifts is shown by the light lines, while the heavy bars are centered on the means and cover the range of average deviation.

yl carbons of five compounds are given in Table IV. The resonances for compounds 6 and 7 were assigned by virtue of the shift change on substitution of a fluorine atom by chlorine and by the ${}^{13}C{}^{-19}F$ coupling constant, both of which diminish with increase in the number of intervening bonds. The two signals were assigned for octachloropropane (8) on the basis of the expected intensity ratio 2:1. Further confirmation for these assignments is given by the chlorocarbon hydrides, 49 and 50, from the onebond ${}^{13}C{}^{-1}H$ coupling constant, and the cmr-shift change produced by substitution of a chlorine for a hydrogen, which diminishes with an increase in the intervening number of bonds.

The signal at 95.6 ppm for chlorocarbon 21 is assigned to the CCl₃ carbon, because the signal at 115.2 ppm is logically assigned to C-5 in order to be consistent with the shift of 119.7 ppm for C-5 in chlorocarbon 37. Finally, the signal due to the CCl₃ carbon (C-6) in chlorocarbon 22 is at 104.7 ppm, which is consistent with the assignments for the three CCl₂ carbons (C-3, C-4, C-5) as shown below.

An examination of Table IV shows that the atoms at both the β and γ positions can influence the trichloromethyl carbon shift. Thus, the trichloromethyl carbon chemical shift is readily correlated with the hybridization of the β -carbon atom and the number of γ -chlorine and carbon atoms. An increase in the shielding at the trichloromethyl carbon of about 4.4 ppm is observed for each γ chlorine atom that is replaced by a carbon atom.

A similar upfield shift is observed for the structural change

$$\begin{array}{c|c} \gamma & \beta & \alpha \\ -C & C & C \\ -C & C \\ -$$

2. The CCl₂ and CCl Carbons. Chemical shifts for dichloromethylene and chloromethine carbons are presented in Table V. These shifts are classified according to the type of β and γ atoms, and are arranged in subclasses according to the number of β sp²- and sp³-hybridized carbons.

Here, as noted for the CCl₃ carbon, an upfield shift of 5-8 ppm is associated with each change of a β sp³ carbon

to β sp² carbon atom. A β chlorine atom is more deshielding than a β carbon by 8-10 ppm. There does not appear to be a consistent correlation for the γ atom shift. It is observed that the chemical shifts of the CCl₂ and CCl carbons fall within narrow limits for each subgroup of β carbon atoms and there is relatively little overlap between the subgroups for the dichloromethylene carbon, or between the subgroups for the chloromethine carbon shifts. However, there is considerable overlap in the chemicalshift ranges between the subgroups for the two different classes (CCl₂ or CCl) of carbon. While this is a potential limitation to the analysis of complex structures, most of the compounds studied here have sufficiently few sp³ carbons that their resonances can usually be assigned by comparison with the chemical shifts predicted from the semiempirical correlations shown in Figure 1.

Chlorocarbons 22, 30, and 44 are cyclopentenyl structures, and the number of lines in the cmr spectra is consistent with an unsymmetrical 1- or 3-cyclopentenyl derivative, represented as isomers a and b.

Predicted chemical shifts, ppm



The observed resonances (see Table I) are most consistent with isomers 22a, 30a, and 44a. For compound 22, the sp³ carbon resonance at 104.7 ppm is assigned to the trichloromethyl carbon. The nature of the substituent R appears to have no significant effect on the sp³ carbon chemical shifts for these compounds.

The molecular formula $(C_{10}Cl_{10})$ for chlorocarbon 41 suggests six double-bond equivalents. In the observed cmr spectrum, there are three sp³ and two sp² carbon signals, all of equal intensity. We consider two possible structures, 41a and 41b.



For structure 41b, the quaternary carbon (C-1) resonance would be predicted to be at about 119 ppm (the chloromethine carbon resonances with one β sp² carbon and two β sp³ carbons should come at about 109 ppm, plus an additional 10 ppm for the substitution of the β chlorine by a β sp³ carbon). The chemical shift for C-5 in structure 41b should be 90-95 ppm, consistent with the observed chemical shift for C-7 in norbornene derivatives. Thus, structure 41b is not in agreement with the observed shifts of 107.2, 112.0, and 101.6 ppm. The chemical shifts predicted for structure 41a, on the other hand, are in reasonable agreement with experiment (109, 109, and 104 ppm for C-1, C-4, and C-5, respectively). Structure 41a has subsequently been proved to be correct.⁷

The cmr spectra of the chlorocarbons 32 and 33 (isomeric bicyclo[3.3.0]octatrienes, C_8Cl_8) show eight signals. The chemical shifts predicted for four possible structures, a-d, of these isomers are as shown. The predicted shifts for a are in close agreement with those observed for 32, with the signals at 110.4 and 106.2 ppm assigned to C-3 and C-8, respectively.⁸ The shifts predicted for b are consistent with signals at 115.7 and 100.4 ppm for 33.

			Table I:	¹³ C Chemical	l Shifts of C	hlorocarbons	a				
Structure	Formula	C-1	C-2	C-3	C-4	C-5	C-6	C-7	C-8	C-9	C-10
: C=C CF-CF	1 C ₂ Cl ₄ 2 C ₂ Cl ₄ F ₂	75.4 72.6^{b} 1308 351									
c—c	3 C2CI6	87.5									
	4 C ₃ Cl ₄	70.0		130.4							
'c=²c°c	5 C _s Cl ₆	65.5	60.7	6.99							
$^{1}CF_{2}$ $-^{2}C$ $-^{3}C$	6 C ₃ Cl ₆ F ₂	64.7 19071	95.8 197 51	92.6							
$^{1}\mathrm{CF}_{\mathrm{s}}$	7 C ₃ Cl ₅ F ₃	71.6 71.6	100.3 100.3 1391	93.3							
¹ c ² cc	8 C _s Cl _s	91.4°	89.8°								
¹ c= ² c-c=c	9 C4C16	(65.5	66.1)								
\mathbf{F}_{2}	10 C4Cl4F4	78.8°, ^j [300, 15]		104.4^{e} [15]							
	II C4C16	58.7		100.7							
¹ c ² cc	12 C ₄ Cl ₁₀	(89.9	89.3)								
$\mathbf{F}_{z}\overset{\mathbf{F}_{2}}{\overset{1}{\overset{2}{\overset{2}}}}\mathbf{F}_{z}$	13 C5Cl2F6	$90.1^{b,s}$ [?, 24]	$87.6^{b,s}$ [262, 24]	65.0 ⁶ [28]							
2°2°	14 C ₅ Cl ₆	(60.8	61.8)			110.6					
$\underset{Br}{\operatorname{Br}} \overset{\operatorname{Br}_2}{\underset{Br}{\bigcap}} \overset{\operatorname{Br}_2}{\underset{Br}{\bigcap}}$	15 C ₅ Br ₆	(62.8	70.0)			135.7					
r ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓	16 C ₅ Cl ₈	57.6		6.99	93.4						
م م	17 C ₆ Cl ₆	61.4	75.0			55.6	62.0				
¥	18 C ₆ Cl ₆	(56.7	$61.3)^{d}$			83.3^{d}					
<u> </u>	19 C ₆ Cl ₈	59.8	103.3			65.5					
**************************************	20 C ₆ Cl ₈	(55.2)	110.7	57.1			(56.0)				
3	21 C ₅ Cl ₈	(59.8	62.1)			115.2	95.6				
<u>-</u>	22 C ₆ Cl ₁₀	(50.8	55.9)	9 [.] 6*	92.2	101.1^{*}	104.7				

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	23	C ₆ Cl4F4	82.4 [257, 28]	66.6 [30]	60.4						
	24	C ₇ Cl _s	113.9	(55.3	59.4)	104.9	110.8	(59.4	60.4)		
	25	C,CIs	106.8	55.4					7.97		
	26	C ₇ Cl ₈	(54.3	59.7	62.0	$64.6^{*})$	110.6	65.9*	75.0		
	27	C ₇ C1 ₈	(54.7	57.2	58.3	64.7*)	110.6	64.7*	74.2		
	28	C,CI	(57.7	58.1	63.0)				107.6		
	29	$\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{f}}\mathbf{C}\mathbf{I}_{10}$	113.4	(53.0	60.6)	102.0	106.4	97.6	97.6		
	30	C ₇ Cl ₁₀	52.4	58.0	6.99	92.4	101.0	64.3	75.0		
ĸ	31	C7CI ₁₈	105.4 104.1€	55.7 54.5°			95.4 94.2°		95.4 94.2°		
	32	ĊsCI	(52.0	53.0)	110.4	(57.7	59.6	65.1	65.3)	106	5
	33	CsCls	115.7	(46.6	57.5	60.5	60.7	65.9	67.8)	100	4
	34	$\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{s}}\mathbf{C}_{10}$	103.8	56.3	59.3	100.4					
	35	C_8Cl_{10}	(54.8	56.0)	96.8	94.9	113.9	(56.4	58.3)	111	9
	36	C_sCl_{10}	(50.0	57.6	58.1	62.7)	110.2	65.0*	74.5^{**}	99	*0
÷1	37	$C_{10}Cl_{10}$	(60.8	61.8)			119.7				
12	38	$\mathbf{C}_{10}\mathbf{C}\mathbf{I}_{10}$	(51.8	61.1	64.3	67.0)	110.5				
01_F	39	$\mathbf{C}_{10}\mathbf{C}\mathbf{I}_{10}$	(54.3	54.5	60.4	64.7)	109.4				

	C-10	110.4		99.5	97.5		te pairs of s values of shexane as ene in 1:1 1.
	C-9	66.5)		60.9)	58.7)		asterisks deno ttheses enclose internal cyclc trachloroethyl cmr spectrum
	C-8	64.5		(54.1	(56.4		solvent; the ged; the paren gesured from m internal te ise-decoupled
	C-7	62.9		94.9	87.4		chloroform as l be interchan s in hertz. ^b JN e Measured fr nent in ¹⁹ F no
	C-6	(61.9		106.1	106.4		from internal gnments could oling constant ne as solvent. user enhancen
()	C-5	109.7	101.6	104.0	105.2	100.7*	ere measured t that the assign a "aC-"aF count broform-dioxa Small Overhau
(Continued	C-4	59.4)	107.2*	109.5*	108.6*	9.16	wise stated, w wise a possibility its contain the rm in 1:1 chlo r spectrum. " f
Table I	0-3	55.9	64.1)	57.4)	54.3)	99.7*	, unless other wever, there i at: the bracke ernal chlorofo decoupled cmu
	C-2	54.9	(59.1	(51.5	(52.7	61.8)	id from CS_2 and th other data; ho becifically assigne leasured from int ent in ¹⁹ F noise-
	C-1	(49.9	112.0*	109.0*	107.5*	(48.3	er million upfic e consistent wi could not be sy could a solvent. ^d M auser enhancem
	Formula	40 C ₁₀ Cl ₁₀	41 C ₁₀ Cl ₁₀	42 C ₁₀ Cl ₁₂	43 C ₁₀ Cl ₁₂	44 $C_{10}Cl_{14}$	shifts are in parts t e been assigned to 1 a resonances which om internal dioxant ent. / Large Overh:
	Structure	D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D D		a contraction of the second se			^{<i>a</i>} 'The ¹³ C chemical resonances which hav double-bonded carbor solvent. ^{<i>e</i>} Measured fr C ₂ Cl ₁ -dioxane as solv

		176.1°, <i>°,1</i> [130]	61.2)	76.5	91.9	94.4	91.8	93.8	93.8	93.2	101.1*	128.6°,",* [165]
	168.7/ [113]	58.6)°	(58.1	_	97.4/ [174] [204]	100.9/ [170] [216]	131.5 ⁷ [163]			126.1/ [169]	135.10	101.7
	122.9°	0.69	115.1"	51.7' [191.5, 4.5	149.9°./ [142] [23]	129.7 ⁷ [163] [15]	147.6' [143]	128.1 [/] [166]	131.2/ [168]	123.8/ [167]	98.9*	9 8.0 [€]
115.2 ⁷ [162]		69.0	128.8/ [164.5]		114.6	110.7	115.0			110.8	114.6"	111.6°
105.9"		(65.5	64.8' [179.5]		62.9) ^e	61.9	60.3°			59.5)	128.8/ [164]	61.4)°
	65.4)	153.5 ^{6,7} [135]	57.3"	55.0	(59.8	60.3	61 . 6°	60.3	58.0	(58.6	153.2/ [191]	(58.5
56.9	(58.1	155.5°./ [135]	111.6	109.1^{s} [10]	111.1° 1H ™F [20]	112.0° 1Н 19F [20]	109.7°	110.3	111.3	111.6	133.2"	129.4°," [166]
C5Cl7H	C ₆ Cl ₅ H ₃	C,Cl ₄ H ₆	C ₇ Cl ₆ H ₂	$C_7CI_6H_2$	C ₇ Cl ₆ FH ₃	C ₇ Cl ₇ H ₃	C ₇ Cl ₇ H ₃	$C_{1}C_{1}H_{2}$	$C_7Cl_sH_2$	$C_7Cl_8H_2$	$C_7Cl_sH_2$	$C_7Cl_sH_2$
53	54	55	56	57	5X 9X	59	60	19	62	63	64	65

	-	FD	6 C	Table II	(Continued	() C-5	9-0	C-7	80	C-9	C-10
structure	Formula	C-1	C-Z	C-3	C-4	C-9	<u>م</u>	5	2-0	6-0	
н											
H H	66 C ₇ Cl ₈ H ₂	123.7°.0.* [165]	(61.0	59.8)°	105.2°	95.8°	100.4°	122.4°,°,* [165]			
H	67 C ₇ Cl ₈ H ₂	104.9°,*	58.6°	59.4°	115.7	138.1°./ [145]	$105.3^{\circ,*}$	92.5°			
H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H	68 C ₇ Cl ₉ H ₂	119.80	55.0	60.3	101.2	111.5°	128.9/ [168]	128.9/ [168]			
	69 C ₇ Cl ₉ H	113.1	54.7	59.2	100.9	111.70	122.5/ [161.5]	105.4°			
Hi o fi	70 C ₇ Cl ₉ H	105.1	(56.9	59.6)	110.9"	119.6/ [167.6]	101.3^{a}	94.3			
H H H H	71 C _s Cl ₆ H ₄	108.7°	62.1°	60.6¢	114.7°	152.1°./ [140]	52.5°	91 .2°	81.4°./ [160]		
H, H L k CH ₂ Cl	72 CsClsH4	154.9° 154.6 ^d	131.5^{e} 131.4^{d}	99 . 7° 99 . 2 ⁴	116.5° 116.2 ^d			150.9°./ [147] 150.9 ^{4.7}	154.9°.7 [154] 154.6 ^{d,f}		
H z z	73 C ₈ Cl ₉ H	110.8	63.7 [8]	61.9 [6]	127.1 [/] [164]	111.6° [7]	(59.7	56.2)	93.8		
H H ScHOl,	74 C _s Cl ₃ H ₃	149.6° 149.3^{d}	131.5° 131.9⁴	99 . 6¢	116.6° 116.3 ^d			$\begin{array}{c} 153.3^{e,l} \\ [145] \\ 153.3^{d,l} \end{array}$	126.9°./ [180] 126.5 ^d ./		
H H	75 $C_8Cl_{10}H_2$	112.3/	122.3/ [159]	102.1 <i>°</i> [5]			60.8		92.6		
T	76 C _s Cl ₁₀ H ₂	111.6"	58.0	58.0	98.8	107.3"	118.7/.*	6 66	119.7/.*		

	145.1 ⁷ [138]	127.8' [168]		slohexane as coupled cmr	C-10							
	60.1 ^{<i>s</i>}) [10]	57.9"		m internal cyc in proton-de	C-9							
84.2 ^{6.7} [16 3]	(55.9	58.2		Measured fro enhancement	C-8							
90 [°] .06	133.1 ⁷ [146]	113.8′ [161]	141.6/.* [170]	e as solvent. ° ge Overhauser	C-7							
	103.2	106.4	139.6/.* [170]	ternal dioxane sserved. / Lar; četonesª	C-6							
53.56	112.2	110.5	110.80	sured from in lartet were of lorocarbon I	C-5			122.5	105.4		125.7	95.5
	116.69.*	110.90.*	101.3	t hertz. ^b Meau he expected qu Shifts of Ch	C-4		103.0		102.4			90.2
	60.6) [10]	63.0°) [6]	59.6)	g constants in ther lines of th ectrum.	C-3		26.0		35.7	56.0		38.1
60.9	(60.1 ^s [10]	(60.9° [7]	(55.6	C- ¹ H couplin ly the two cer upled cmr sp upled cmr sr Table III: ¹³	C-2	17.3	58.7	44.1	61.8	116.4	105.4	56.2
109.9	115.8",*	110.30,*	120.10	contain the ¹³ solvent. ^e On n proton-decc	C-1	102.6	18.8	13.3	14.7	10.0	10.6	17.0
C ₉ Cl ₆ H ₄	C ₁₀ Cl ₈ H ₄	$\mathrm{C}_{10}\mathrm{Cl}_{10}\mathrm{H}_2$	$C_7Br_2Cl_6H_2$	square brackets ernal benzene as r enhancement i	Formula	I C3C16O	32 C4C14O	3 C5C14O2	4 C5Cl6O	SE C5C16O	6 C5Cl6O2	37 C5Cl4O5S
77	78	79	80	l'able I; from int from int verhause		~	w	~	~	Ŵ	×	w
H H H	H H A S	H	H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H	^a See footnote a, ^r solvent. ^d Measured spectrum. ^a Small O	Structure			0 to 0		°=		

○ == <u></u>	88 C ₆ C160	-	17.2^{b}	49.1	(57.7	64.3	66.4)	116.0				
1 	89 C ₇ C1 ₆ O	-	119.0	10.8	60.8*	36.0	117.0	56.7	61.3*			
	90 CsCl6O	-	(48.5	22.8	52.1	60.7	66.1)	106.1	(67.4	69.3)		
	91 C ₁₀ Cl ₈ (\mathbf{O}_2	121.7	56.0			14.2					
	92 C ₁₀ Cl ₈ (3.	122.3	10.9	55.6	34.1	116.9					
	93 C ₁₀ CJ ₈ (\mathbf{O}_2	122.1°	11.3°	54.7°	37.2"	114.3^{e}					
	94 C ₁₀ Cl _s (02	119.8	(61.3	61.3)	115.6	114.8	117.8	13.2*	12.0*	(53.4)	36.
	95 C ₁₀ Cl ₁₀	Ō	111.3	(56.1	55.5)	108.5*	108.6*	117.0	94.7	12.3	(55.1)	36.
cH ₂ 0 tho	96 CrCIAE	I ₆ O	(63.8	64.3)			88.3	141.2				
H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H H	97 C ₇ Cl ₇ F	Oł	120,9¢	7.8	57.2	34.7	114.7	105.0	125.7/ [162.5]			
CCH ²	98 C _s Cl ₃ I	H ₃ O	119.9*	9.4	85.6	21.4	119.3*	(58.0	59.0)	131.4 [150]		
^a See footnote a and	e-g, Table I. ^b l	Measured	from interna	l dioxane as s	olvent.							

Table III (Continued)

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Table IV ¹⁸C Chemical Shifts^a for the Trichloromethyl Carbon R_{γ^1}

		R_{γ^2}	$\mathbf{C}_{\boldsymbol{\beta}}$	—ČαC ଃ	13		
Compd	Carbon	Cβ	R1	R²	R۶	*CCl₃, ppm	∆ppm
3	1,2	sp^{s}	Cl	Cl	Cl	87.5	
8	1, 3	$\mathbf{s}\mathbf{p}^{s}$	С	Cl	Cl	91.4	3.9
21	6	sp^{3}	С	С	\mathbf{Cl}	95.6	
5	3	${ m sp}^2$	C		Cl	99.9	4.3 4.8
22	6	\mathbf{sp}^{2}	C		С	104.7	

^a See footnote a, Table I.

Predicted chemical shifts, ppm



The cmr spectra of 34 and 35 (isomeric bicyclo[3.3.0]octadienes, C_8Cl_{10}) show two and four sp³ carbon resonances, respectively. Of the set of possible structures e-j, 34 has the symmetrical structure e or f, with e being more consistent with the shifts of 100.4 and 103.8 ppm. Chlorocarbon 35 must have one of the unsymmetrical structures g-j, and the predicted shifts for g are in best agreement with the observed shifts. Thus, the observed resonances are assigned to C-5 at 113.9 ppm, C-8 at 111.6 ppm, C-3 at 96.8 ppm, and C-4 at 94.9 ppm.

Predicted chemical shifts, ppm



The C-7 resonances for octachloro- (25) and hexachloro-5,6-dihydronorbornadiene (57) are at 79.7 and 76.5 ppm, respectively, and appear abnormally deshielded for dichloromethylene carbons. The C-7 resonance for the parent hydrocarbon, norbornadiene, has also been observed at low field.⁹ These low-field shifts may be due to extra ring strain in the dienes as compared to norbornene derivatives.

The cmr spectrum of 64 shows examples of the resonances due to dichloromethylene carbons (C-5 and C-7) with a β cyclopropyl group which are assigned at 98.9 and 101.1 ppm, respectively. These resonances are only slight-

Table V ¹³C Chemical Shifts^a for Dichloromethylene and Chloromethine Carbons

	Compd	Carbon	*CCl ₂ , ppm^b	\mathbb{R}^1	R²	R١
	44 22 30 16 35 31	4 4 4 4 5,6	91.6 92.2 92.4 93.4 94.9 95.4	Cl Cl Cl Cl Cl Cl Cl Cl		
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Cl * Cl R:	(28 40 32 38 14 26 32 39 40 36 27 20	$7 \\ 10 \\ 3 \\ 5 \\ 5 \\ 5 \\ 5 \\ 5 \\ 5 \\ 5 \\ 5 \\ 5$	107.6 110.4 110.5 110.6 110.6 106.2 109.4 109.7 110.2 110.6 110.7	$\begin{array}{c} Cl \\ Cl $		
\mathbb{R}^3 \mathbb{C} \mathbb{R}^4 \mathbb{R}^2	29 42 43 41	2,0 8 5 5 5 5 5	111.6 106.4 104.0 105.2 101.6	C C C C C C C C C	Cl C C C	Cl Cl Cl C
C_{1}^{1}	$ \begin{bmatrix} 24 \\ 29 \\ 34 \\ 42 \\ 43 \\ 43 \\ 43 \\ 42 \\ 43 \\ 41 \\ 41 \\ 41 \end{bmatrix} $	5 1 1 4 1 4 6 6 1 4 5	$\begin{array}{c} 110.8\\ 113.4\\ 103.8\\ 109.0\ (109.5)\\ 109.5\ (109.0)\\ 107.5\ (108.6)\\ 108.6\ (107.5)\\ 106.1\\ 106.4\\ 112.0\ (107.2)\\ 107.2\ (112.0)\\ 115.2\\ \end{array}$		$\begin{array}{c} Cl \\ Cl $	
$Cl * R^1$	$ \begin{array}{r} 21 \\ 35 \\ 33 \\ 24 \\ 37 \end{array} $	5 1 1 5	115.2 113.9 115.7 113.9 119.7	Cí C C C C C	Cl Cl Cl C C	

^a See footnote a, Table I. ^b Parentheses enclose assignments which may be interchanged.

ly affected by hydrogen substitution at C-2 and C-3, as will be shown later. It appears (see Table V) that a β sp² carbon and cyclopropyl carbon have a similar effect upon the dichloromethylene carbon shift. This observation is borne out by resonances of C-3 and C-5 for 72 and 74 which come at 99.7 and 99.9 ppm, respectively.

3. The CH Group. Substitution of hydrogen for chlorine in the perchlorocarbons can aid in assignment of the resonances by giving $^{13}C^{-1}H$ couplings, and by producing recognizable shifts of the carbons relative to the parent compound. Thus, there is a large upfield shift for the carbon directly attached to hydrogen compared to the parent perchlorocarbon, while the carbons β to the CH group experippm upfield from CS₂. Figure 2. Variation in ¹³C chemical shifts for successive substitution by hydrogen in *endo*-perchlorocyclopentadiene dimer.

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ence a smaller upfield shift. The one-bond ${}^{13}C{}^{-1}H$ coupling further aids in assignment and the directly bonded carbon resonance shows substantial Overhauser enhancement for proton-decoupled spectra. The β carbon usually has only a small Overhauser enhancement and sometimes an observable, but small, two-bond ${}^{13}C{}^{-C{}^{-1}H}$ coupling.

The six sp³ carbon resonances of the exo and endo isomers of hexachlorocyclopentadiene dimer (42 and 43) were assigned with the aid of the cmr spectra of the endo-7,10dihydro and endo-7,7,10,10-tetrahydro derivatives 78 and 79. The chemical-shift assignments for compounds 43, 78, and 79 are summarized in Figure 2 (see also Table VI). The C-7 and C-10 resonances are readily identified by the large upfield shift (17-30 ppm) for the introduction of each hydrogen, and by the enhanced signal intensity in proton-decoupled spectra. The C-1, C-4, and C-5 resonances are identified by much smaller upfield shifts (2-6 ppm) for each proton introduced at C-7 or C-10, and small Overhauser enhancements. The γ carbon (C-6) is but little affected by substitution of chlorine by hydrogen and, for compound 78, actually experiences a small downfield shift. The signal at 105.2 ppm in 43 is assigned to C-5 (predicted shift 104 ppm) while the signals at 107.5 and 108.6 ppm are assigned to C-1 and C-4 in general agreement with other bridgehead carbon assignments in other norbornene derivatives. Assignments for the exo isomer 42 were made in a corresponding way.

The five sp^3 carbon resonances of decachlorobicyclo-[3.2.0]heptene (29) are in reasonable agreement with the predicted shifts. Analysis of the cmr spectra of the 6hydro (69), 6,7-dihydro (68), and 6,7-dibromo-6,7-dihydro (80) derivatives allows a fairly definite set of assignments for compound 29. The variations in chemical shifts for this group of compounds are summarized in Figure 3 (see also Table VI). High-field resonances and Overhauser enhancements indicate those carbons with directly bonded protons (C-6 for 69, and C-6 and C-7 for 68). The resonances due to C-5 and C-7 of 69 and C-1 and C-5 of 68 are identified by an upfield shift (6-8 ppm relative to 29) and small Overhauser enhancements. The signal due to C-4 is least affected by hydrogen substitution at C-6 and C-7, and for 69 and 68, a small downfield shift (-1.1 ppm) is observed. The mode of synthesis of 69 suggests the hydrogen to be either at C-6 or C-7, and having the hydrogen at C-6 is more consistent with the cmr data. The highest field resonance (113.4 ppm) for 29 can only be the C-1, and if the hydrogen in 69 were at C-7, an upfield shift for the C-1 resonance would be expected, but is not observed.

Table VI shows the chemical-shift variations for substitution of chlorine by hydrogen in chlorocarbons. The average chemical-shift changes at the α , β , and γ carbons for substitution by a single proton are approximately +25, +6, and -1 ppm, respectively. Substitution by a second proton to yield a vicinal dihydro derivative results in similar average α , β , and γ carbon shift increments. For substitution by a second proton to yield a geminal dihydro derivative, the average α , β , and γ carbon shift increments are +21, +5, and -1 ppm, respectively.

$$\Delta \alpha = +25 \text{ ppm}$$

$$\Delta \beta = +6 \text{ ppm}$$

$$C - C - CCl - CCl_{2} - \frac{\Delta \gamma = -1 \text{ ppm}}{\Delta \alpha_{1} = +26 \text{ ppm}}$$

$$\Delta \alpha_{1} = +26 \text{ ppm}$$

$$\Delta \alpha_{1} = +7 \text{ ppm}$$

$$\Delta \alpha_{1} = +7 \text{ ppm}$$

$$C - CCl - CHCl_{2} - \frac{\Delta \gamma_{1} = -0.5 \text{ ppm}}{\Delta \beta_{1} = +5 \text{ ppm}}$$

$$\Delta \alpha = +21 \text{ ppm}$$

$$\Delta \beta = +5 \text{ ppm}$$

$$\Delta \gamma = -1 \text{ ppm} \cdot C - CH_{2} - CH_{2$$

In a study of norbornene hydrocarbons, sterically induced shifts have been attributed to the C-7, C-5, and C-6 carbons.^{9a} The C-7 chemical-shift variations with hydrogen substitution at C-5 and C-6 for the chloronorbornenes do not appear due to steric factors, but correlate well with the number rather than with configuration (exo or endo) of the hydrogens at C-5 and C-6, with an additive downfield " γ -shift parameter" at C-7 for each hydrogen. The chemical-shift change at C-7 per exocyclic double bond is -1.3 ppm for the change from 67 to 71, and -2 ppm for the change from 31 to 77.

B. The sp² Carbon Chemical Shifts. The sp² alkenic carbon resonances occur in the range 50-75 ppm. However, certain assignments are generally only possible for

Table VI ¹³C Chemical-Shift Changes between Perchlorocarbons and Chlorocarbon Hydrides

	Perchlow	oerbon to r	nonohydro d	lerivative_	M	anabydra t	vicinal dib	udro derive	tive	Monoh	ydro to gem 	-dihydro
Carbon	70-31	53-16	6929	79–43	68-69	60-67	61-70	62-70	63-70	67-70	78-79	72-74
1	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-0.3}$		$\stackrel{\gamma}{-0.3}$	$^{\beta}$ +2.8	$^{\beta}_{+6.7}$	$^{\beta}$ +4.8	$^{eta}_{+5.2}$	+6.2	$^{\beta}_{+6.5}$	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-0.2}$	β +5.5	$^{eta}_{+5.3}$
3		+6.0										
4	$^{eta}_{+5.5}$	$+\overset{lpha}{21.8}$	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-1.1}$	$egin{array}{c} eta+\gamma\ +2.3 \end{array}$	$^{\delta}_{+0.3}$	$-\stackrel{\gamma}{0.7}$	$-\stackrel{\gamma}{0.6}$	+0.4	$-\stackrel{\gamma}{0.1}$	β +4.8	$\beta + \gamma + 5.7$	
5	+24.2		$^{eta}_{+5.3}$	$\beta + \gamma + 5.3$	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-0.2}$	$^{eta}_{+9.5}$	$^{\beta}_{+8.5}$	$^{\beta}_{\pm 11.6}$	$^{eta}_{+4.2}$	+18.5	$eta+\gamma+1.7$	
6	$^{eta}_{+5.9}$		+24.9	$\gamma + \gamma 0.0$	$^{\beta}+6.4$	+26.2	+26.8	$+\overset{lpha}{29}.9$	$\overset{lpha}{+24.8}$	$^{\beta}$ +4.0	$\gamma + \gamma - 3.2$	$\stackrel{\gamma}{0.0}$
7	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-1.1}$		$^{\beta}_{+7.8}$	$+\frac{lpha}{26.4}$	+23.5	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-0.7}$	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-0.5}$	$\stackrel{\gamma}{0.5}$	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-1.1}$	$\stackrel{\gamma}{-1.8}$	$+\overset{lpha}{19.3}$	$-\frac{\gamma}{2}.4$
8												+28.0
10				+30.3							$+\overset{lpha}{17.3}$	
i.	-					pro	otons (C-	6 for 69,	and C-6	and C-7 f	for 68). 7	The reso-



¹³C Nmr of Chlorinated Organic Compounds

Perchlorocyclopentenes ^a							
Compd		sp² car	bon shift	Дð	Mean sp² carbon shift		
\bigcirc	16	C-1	57.6				
	20	C-3	57.1	-0.5			
H J	53	C-1	56.9	-0.7			
	22	C-1 C-2	50.8 55.9	-6.8 -1.7	53.4		
	30	C-1 C-2	$\begin{array}{c} 52.4 \\ 58.0 \end{array}$	-5.2 + 0.4	55.2		
	44	C-1 C-2	$48.3 \\ 61.8$	-9.3 + 4.2	55.0		

 Table VII

 ¹⁸C Chemical Shifts of Some Alkenic Carbons in Perchlorocyclopentenes^a

^a See footnote *a*, Table I.



ppm upfield from CS₂.

Figure 3. Variation in ¹³C chemical shifts for successive substitution by hydrogen in perchlorobicyclo[3.2.0]hept-2-ene.

simple molecules. For more complex molecules, the only helpful data involve comparisons with model compounds and with sp² carbon resonances for hydrocarbons. For this reason, the sp² carbon resonances assigned in Table I seem reasonable and internally consistent; however, these assignments cannot be considered unequivocal. In general, sp² carbon chemical shifts in hydrocarbons do not appear sensitive to conjugation.¹⁰ Similar effects are observed here for the sp^2 alkenic carbon resonances in the chlorocarbons. For hydrocarbons, replacement of a vinylic proton by carbon results in deshielding of the α sp² carbon resonance and shielding of the β sp² carbon resonance.¹¹ For chlorocarbons, there is a corresponding deshielding change of the α sp² carbon shift on replacement of chlorine by carbon. The β sp² carbon seems to be erratic in experiencing a smaller shielding or deshielding effect.

The data in Tables VII and VIII give a mean value of the sp² alkenic carbon shift in a five-membered ring of 57.4 ± 0.5 ppm, when chlorine is the only substituent. A carbon substituent at an alkenic carbon in the chlorocyclopentenes causes a larger chemical-shift difference between the two sp² carbon resonances, but the mean shift is nearly constant at 54.5 ppm.

The position of the vinyl substituent for the perchlorovinylcyclopentadienes, 26, 27, and 36, does not seem to be deducible from the cmr chemical-shift data. However, the relatively constant chemical shifts of 64-65 and 74-75

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	Table VIII	
C	Chemical Shifts of Alkenic Carbons	in
	Perchlorocycloalkenes ^a	

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Compd		sp ² car	rbon shift	Mean	
\Box_i	16	C-1	57.6		
3	29	C-2 C-3	53.0 60.6	56.8	
(The second seco	69	C-2 C-3	54.7 59.2	56.9	
K H	68	C-2 C-3	55.0 60.3	57.6	
Br H Br	80	C-2 C-3	55.6 59.6	57.6	Average = 57.4 ppm
	24	C-2 C-3	55.3	57.4	
$\langle \rangle$	34	C-2 C-3	56.3 59.3	57.8	
$\overset{H}{\underset{H}{\longleftarrow}}$	76	C-2	58.0 58.0	58.0	l
	22	C-1 C-2	50.8 55.9	53.4 `	1
	30	C-1 C-2	$\begin{array}{c} 52.4 \\ 58.0 \end{array}$	55.2	Average = 54.5 ppm
\bigcirc	44	C-1 C-2	48.3 61.8	55.0	l
	11	C-1	58.7		l
	24	C-6 C-7	(59.4) (60.4)	59.9	Average =
H-	56	C-6 C-7	(58.1) (61.2)	59.7	99.4 ppm

^a See footnote a, Table I.

ppm observed for some sp^2 carbon resonances in chlorocarbons 26, 27, 30, and 36 suggest that these resonances be assigned to the sp^2 carbons of the vinyl substituents themselves.

The number of resonances in the cmr spectrum of the divinyl derivative 36 indicates unsymmetrical substitution (1,2) or 1,3-divinyl). There is no compelling evidence to assign the higher field resonance (74–75 ppm) to the terminal sp² carbon, except by comparison with the sp² carbons in unsaturated hydrocarbons.⁹

The resonances for the sp² carbons in the chloronorbornenes are tentatively assigned in Table IX. The sp² carbon resonances for the exo 5,6-dihydro derivative 61 are shielded relative to those for the endo derivative 62. The measurable three-bond $^{13}C^{-1}H$ couplings were used to assign the sp² carbon resonances of chlorocarbons 60, 67, and 71 (see below).

C. ${}^{13}C^{-1}H$ Coupling Constants. As mentioned previously, the ${}^{13}C^{-1}H$ coupling constants in chlorocarbon hydrides provide an additional tool for the cmr spectral analysis. The observed coupling constants are summarized in Table X. The one-bond ${}^{13}C^{-1}H$ coupling constants for sp³-hybridized carbons carrying one proton are about the same whether the carbon is attached to chlorine or to ei-

 Table IX

 ¹⁸C Chemical Shifts^a for C-2, and C-3, C-7 in Some Chlorinated Norbornenes

		Å	H H	Д. H		H H	H, H	H H	H	н	H
	31	70	62	61	63	67	60	71	77	25	57
C-7 Δδ/H ^b	95.4	94.3 1.1	93.8 0.8	93.8 -0.8	93.2 -1.1	92.5 -1.4	91.8 - 1.2	91.2	90.9	79.7	76.5 - 1.6
C-2 C-3	55.7 55.7	56.9 59.6	58.0 58.0	60.3 60.3	58.6 59.5	58.6 59.4	$\begin{array}{c} 61.6 \\ 60.3 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 62.1 \\ 60.6 \end{array}$	60.9 60.9	55.4	$55.0 \\ 55.0$

^a See footnote a, Table I; also Figure 4. Where C-2 and C-3 are not identical by symmetry, the assignments are tentative. ^b The C-7 shift relative to C-7 in compound **31** for the norbornenes, and C-7 in compound **25** for the norbornadiene, divided by the number of protons at C-5 and C-6.

Compd	Carbon	$^{1}J(^{13}\mathrm{C-1H}), \mathrm{Hz}$	
75	2,4	159	}
79	7	161	
69	6	161.5	
53	4	162	
60	6	163	
64	3	164	
73	4	164	
56	4	164.5	С
65	7	165	
66	1	165	sp^{3} carbon R-C-H R = Cl or C
50	2	166	
61	5,6	166	C C
66	7	165	Mean ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C{}^{-1}H) = 165 \pm 6 \text{ Hz}$
63	5(6)	167	
70	5	167.6	
62	5,6	168	
68	6, 7	168	
79	10	168	
63	6(5)	169	
80	6, 7	170	J
52	5	136)
78	10	138	Н
71	5	140	
60	5	143	$sp^{3} carbon$ C
67	5	145	
74	7	145	H
78	7	146	Mean ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C-{}^{1}H) = 142 \pm 5 Hz$
72	7	147	
Ethylene		157°	H
71	8	160	
Vinvl chloride	2	160-161°	$sp^2 \text{ carbon} = C$
77	8,9	163	ц
Vinylidene chloride	2	166°	Mean ${}^{1}U({}^{13}C-{}^{1}H) = 161 \pm 5 Hz$
1.2.3.4-Tetrachlorohengene	5	171 Qa	
2 4 6-Trichloroaniline	3	170 14	
1.3.5-Trichlorobenzene	6 6	172 24	sn ² carbon C-H
2.3.5.6-Tetrachloronitrobenzene	4	175.0^{a}	sp caroon o m
2,0,0,0-1 etraemoromorosenzene 56	3	179 5	Mean ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C-{}^{1}H) = 174 \pm 6 \text{ Hz}$
57	56	191 51	
101	0,0	101.01	, H
Vinyl chloride	1	195 00	
47	1	200.5	sp [*] carbon == C
45	-	206	CI
46		208	Mean ${}^{1}J$ (${}^{13}C{}^{-1}H$) = 202 ± 7 Hz
			$ \wedge \wedge^{\mathrm{H}} $
64	2	191	sp [*] carbon
			Mean ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C-{}^{1}H) = 191 \text{ Hz}$

			Table X			
One-Bond	${}^{13}C-{}^{1}H$	Coupling	Constants fo	or (Chlorocarbon	Hydrides

^a J. Goldstein and G. S. Reddy, J. Chem. Phys., 36, 2644 (1962). ^b Not included in the mean value. ^c G. Govil, J. Chem. Soc. A, 1420 (1967).

ther sp² or sp³ carbons. The average value of this type of coupling was 165 ± 6 Hz. The *gem*-dihydro carbons show an average value ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C{}^{-1}H) = 142 \pm 5$ Hz. The difference between the average values for the coupling constants at

these two carbon types is 24 Hz, which compares with the differences in ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C-{}^{1}H)$ of 28-31 Hz for chloromethanes.¹² The larger coupling constant (191 Hz) for the cyclopropyl derivative 64 is consistent with the increased value for ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C_{-}{}^{1}H)$ in the cyclopropane hydrocarbon.¹³ The one-bond sp² carbon-proton coupling constants fall into three distinct classes. Cyclic double-bond sp² carbons $({}^{1}J({}^{13}C_{-}{}^{1}H) = .174 \pm 6$ Hz), terminal double-bond sp² carbons bonded to one proton ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C_{-}{}^{1}H) = 202 \pm 7$ Hz), and terminal double-bond sp² carbons bonded to two protons $({}^{1}J({}^{13}C_{-}{}^{1}H) = 161 \pm 5$ Hz). These couplings are comparable to one-bond sp² carbon-proton coupling constants in hydrocarbons; 14 thus, the terminal sp² carbon of styrene has ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C_{-}{}^{1}H) = 161$ Hz, 13a and the sp² carbons of cyclohexene have ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C_{-}{}^{1}H) = 170$ Hz. 15

Chlorocarbon 51 is a monohydro derivative of hexachlorobutadiene. It is not possible to assign the proton to C-1 or C-2 from chemical-shift data alone; however, ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C-{}^{1}H) = 169.8$ Hz seems incompatible with the proton at C-1, but is reasonable for the proton at C-2 (see Table X). The observed coupling constant ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C-{}^{1}H) = 191.5$ Hz for hexachloro-5,6-dihydronorbornadiene (57) is larger than expected, possibly because ring strain produces greater s character in the alkenic C(-H) orbitals which should be reflected¹⁶ in an increased ${}^{1}J({}^{13}C-{}^{1}H)$.

Figure 4 shows the sp^2 carbon resonances observed for chlorocarbon hydrides 60, 67, and 71. The broader of the resonances in the proton-decoupled spectra is assigned to C-3 for both 67 and 71. This assignment is subject to the assumption that the three-bond ${}^{13}C_{-1}H$ coupling constant is not zero, while a four-bond coupling is not observable. The spectra shown in Figure 4 were measured at 20 Hz sec⁻¹ sweep rate, and, while the three-bond couplings are not resolved, the participating sp² carbon resonances are measurably broader. The partial resolution of the threebond ${}^{13}C_{-1}H$ coupling at the sp² carbons for 60 was reproducible, although the assignments are not conclusive because of the rapid sweep rates employed.

D. Chlorocarbon Ketones. The cmr chemical-shift data for the chlorocarbon ketones are summarized in Table III. Carbonyl carbon resonances are observed at 9-23 ppm, and other sp²- and sp³-hybridized carbon resonances are observed in the usual regions, as previously discussed.

1. The sp³ Carbon Chemical Shifts. It is possible to correlate the chemical shifts of a carbon (the β' carbon) directly bonded to a carbonyl carbon with that of a carbon (the β carbon) directly bonded to a dichloromethylene carbon (see Table XI).¹⁷

The assignments of the resonances for C-1 and C-5 of the ketone 89 were made with the aid of the substituent chemical-shift parameters in Table XI, in conjunction with the assignments shown in Table I for 24. For chlorocarbon ketone 98, the chemical shifts for C-1 and C-5 are very similar (119.9 and 119.3 ppm) and, for ketone 89, the corresponding shifts are C-1 and C-5, 119.3 and 117.0, respectively. If the C-4 methoxy substituent of ketone 98 has a shielding effect at C-5, with negligible effect at C-1, then there is further evidence for the assignment of C-1 of 89 to the resonance at 119.0 ppm. For this reason, the C-1 resonance is assigned to higher field than the C-5 resonance in 92 and 93, and the C-6 resonance to higher field than the C-5 resonance in 94 and 95.

The diketone 94 has been assigned as the endo (rather than exo) isomer on the basis of the better correlation between the observed chemical shifts and the shifts predicted from *endo*-perchlorocyclopentadiene dimer 43, with the substituent chemical-shift parameters presented in Table XI. The indication that ketone 95 is the exo isomer is the greater similarity between the C-7 chemical shift for the ketone and *exo*- (rather than *endo*-) perchlorocyclopentadiene dimer 42.

2. The sp² Carbon Chemical Shifts. The alkenic sp²



Figure 4. Schematic proton-coupled (right) and -decoupled (left) ¹³C spectra of 60, 67, and 71 at 15.0 MHz. The numbers directly under the peaks are approximate line widths at half-height.

carbon resonances in the β' and γ' unsaturated ketones¹⁷ are observed at ~34 and 55-60 ppm. The lower field signal is assigned to the γ' alkenic carbon by analogy with the corresponding hydrocarbon ketones.¹⁸ The deshielding effect of the methoxy substituent on the C-4 resonance of 98 (compare with 89) is also consistent with ¹³C shifts in hydrocarbon β', γ' unsaturated ketones.¹⁸ In many cases, the β' alkenic carbon resonance cannot be distinguished from other alkenic carbon resonances in the same molecule. However, the low-field alkenic carbon resonance (*ca.* 34 ppm) and carbonyl carbon resonance (9-23 ppm) readily characterize a β', γ' unsaturated chlorocarbon ketone.

Ketone 90 is an isomer of hexachloro-2-oxobicyclo[3.3.0]octatriene with the possible structures 90a-e.

Predicted chemical shifts, ppm



The cmr spectrum of chlorocarbon ketone 90 does not show a low-field alkenic carbon resonance characteristic of a β', γ' unsaturated ketone. The sp³ carbon resonance is observed at 106.1 ppm. On the basis of the predicted chemical shifts for the sp³ carbon resonance, structure 90b or 90c seems most reasonable for 90. In the absence of a better correlation for sp² carbon chemical shifts in conjugated systems, it is not possible to assign a more specific structure to ketone 90.

There are four possible structures (a-d) for the isomeric diketones 92 and 93, and the cmr chemical-shift data do not, at this time, permit one to distinguish between them.



Registry No.—1, 127-18-4; 2, 76-12-0; 3, 67-72-1; 4, 6262-42-6; 5, 1888-71-7; 6, 661-96-1; 7, 1652-89-7; 8, 594-90-1; 9, 87-68-3; 10, 336-50-5; 11, 6130-82-1; 12, 6820-74-2; 13, 706-79-6; 14, 77-47-4; 15.

Table XI Comparison of ¹³C Chemical Shifts of Carbons Adjacent to a Carbonyl and a Dichloromethylene Group



^a An additive effect is assumed for the two carbonyl groups in compounds 83 and 86.

14310-17-9; 16, 706-78-5; 17, 6317-25-5; 18, 1128-20-7; 19, 1680-65-5; 20, 3424-05-3; 21, 6928-57-0; 22, 50565-48-5; 23, 50565-49-6; 24, 34004-45-0; 25, 15725-07-2; 26, 50565-47-4; 28, 21703-93-5; 29, 50565-50-9; 30, 50565-51-0; 31, 2626-30-4; 32, 27376-18-7; 33, 33234-21-8; 42, 2626-29-1; 43, 27425-43-0; 44, 27396-27-6; 45, 156-59-2; 46, 156-60-5; 47, 79-01-6; 48, 71-55-6; 49, 594-89-8; 50, 3849-33-0; 51, 21400-41-9; 52, 695-77-2; 53, 50565-55-4; 54, 16177-47-2; 55, 50565-56-5; 56, 50565-57-6; 57, 3389-71-7; 58, 14446-77-6; 59, 50565-58-7; 60, 2440-02-0; 61, 2439-87-4; 62, 38672-05-8; 63, 2439-88-5; 64, 50565-59-8; 65, 28021-60-5; 66, 26770-94-5; 67, 50565-60-1; 68, 50565-61-2; 69, 50565-62-3; 70, 35960-34-0; 71, 4659-42-1; 72, 50565-63-4; 73, 50565-64-5; 74, 50565-65-6; 75, 50565-66-7; 76, 50479-40-8; 77, 6914-86-9; 78, 50565-67-8; 79, 29272-51-3; 80, 50565-68-9; 81, 116-16-5; 82, 3200-96-2; 83, 15743-13-2; 84, 2514-52-5; 85, 15743-12-1; 86; 50565-69-0; 87, 50565-70-3; 88, 21306-21-8; 89, 23326-66-1; 90, 50565-71-4; 91, 50565-72-5; 92, 50565-73-6; 94, 50565-74-7; 95, 50565-75-8; 96, 2207-27-4; 97, 50565-76-9; 98, 50479-41-9.

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Spectral Comparison of Steric Inhibition of Resonance in Some Hindered p-Arylacetophenones as Neutrals and as Gaseous Ions

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The infrared and ultraviolet absorption spectra of a series of p-phenylacetophenones substituted ortho to the aryl-aryl bond indicate steric inhibition of interaction between the rings by the substituent. The mass spectra, within error limits established earlier for multiple substitution, indicate that steric inhibition of resonance is not important in the ions.

The remarkable correlation of ion intensities in the mass spectra of acylbenzenes with Hammett σ constants¹ is probably the result of a correlation of onset potentials for formation of the pertinent ions unobscured by the various factors which cannot be correlated by such constants and which apparently are unimportant in the acylbenz-