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## 2D Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Analysis of Osmylated $C_{60}$

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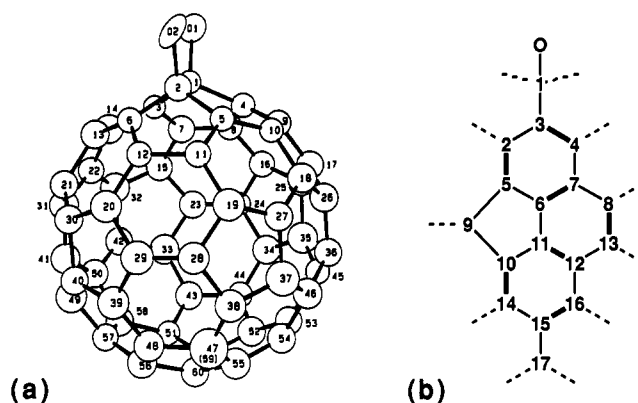
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Buckminsterfullerene ( $C_{60}$ ) presents a novel array of pyramidalized tricoordinate carbons with a spherical closed-shell topology. Derivatives of  $C_{60}$  where added atoms make specific carbons tetracoordinate generate new topologies. For example, our 1:1 and 2:1 adducts of  $OsO_4$  with  $C_{60}$  correspond to cup- and band-shaped arrays of unsaturated carbons.<sup>1</sup> With our crystal structure of the 1:1 adduct  $C_{60}(OsO_4)(4\text{-tert-butylpyridine})_2$  (**1**) we proved the soccer ball shaped carbon framework of  $C_{60}$  and provided structural information for the cup-shaped  $\pi$ -system.<sup>1</sup> Here we report a 2D NMR analysis of **1** whereby we establish regioselective osmylation of  $C_{60}$ , assign chemical shifts for the carbons in **1**, determine C-C coupling constants corresponding to the two types of C-C bonds in  $C_{60}$ , and provide the first correlation of quaternary-quaternary carbon bond lengths to  $^1J_{CC}$ .

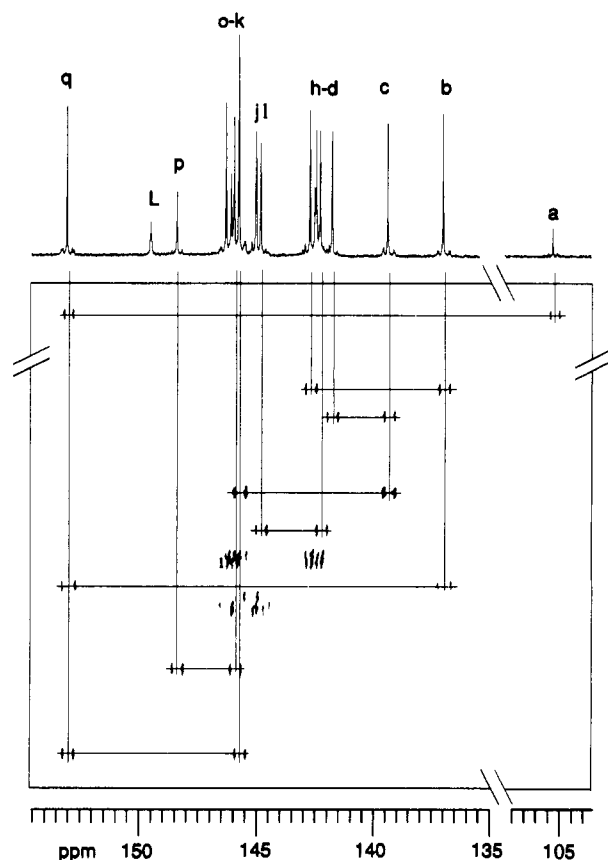
Carbon-13-enriched  $C_{60}$  was prepared from cored natural abundance carbon rods packed with  $^{13}C$  powder<sup>2</sup> and converted to **1**.<sup>1</sup> The 1D  $^{13}C$  NMR spectrum of enriched **1** showed 22 peaks. Five of the peaks were assigned to coordinated 4-*tert*-butylpyridine.<sup>3</sup> Of the 17 remaining peaks, four displayed approximately half the intensity of the other 13 peaks. This pattern agrees with the structure of **1**, considering that it has two approximate mirror planes, one containing carbons 1, 2, 59, and 60, and one containing carbons 26, 36, 31, and 41 (Figure 1a). Accordingly, the  $C_{60}$  segment of **1** has 17 types of carbons, 13 represented four times, and four that lie on a mirror plane and are represented two times (Figure 1b).

The resolution of multiple cluster carbons indicates that the C-O bonding is not fluxional on the NMR time scale. Signals corresponding to the other possible 1:1 adduct where  $OsO_4$  has added across the junction of a five- and a six-membered ring were not detectable. The isomer observed in the crystal thus represents the whole, and the observed regioselectivity agrees with theory.<sup>1</sup>

The 17 types of carbons were assigned on the basis of the connectivities derived from a 2D NMR INADEQUATE experiment (Figure 2, Table I).<sup>2,4,5</sup> The half-intensity peaks (a, g, n,



**Figure 1.**  $C_{60}O_2$  unit of crystal structure of  $C_{60}(OsO_4)(4\text{-tert-butylpyridine})_2$  (**1**) showing cluster carbon numbering scheme (a), and fragment showing the connectivities of the 17 types of carbons in the cluster (b). Narrow lines indicate six-five ring fusions, bold lines indicate six-six ring fusions, and dashed lines indicate bonds between symmetry-related carbons or nonindependent couplings.



**Figure 2.** Upper spectrum: 1D  $^{13}C$  NMR spectrum of **1**. Cluster carbons are labeled a-q as assigned in Table I; L indicates 4-*tert*-butylpyridine. Lower spectrum: 2D NMR INADEQUATE spectrum of **1**.<sup>4,5</sup> Vertical and horizontal lines delineate couplings: a-q, b-h, b-q, c-d, c-k, c-l, e-i, k-q, and m-p. Other couplings are not marked for clarity.

and p) were assigned to the carbons on the approximate mirror planes (types 1, 8, 13, and 17). Peaks a and p were assigned to types 1 and 17 because they each couple with only one carbon. Of the pair, the remote upfield peak, a, was assigned to the tetracoordinate O-bonded carbon, type 1.<sup>6,7</sup> Starting from carbon

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(3) Coordinated 4-*tert*-butylpyridine carbons:  $\delta$  165.95, 149.51, 122.85, 35.16, 30.52 ppm.

(4) A 2D  $^{13}C$ - $^{13}C$  chemical shift correlation spectrum of 40 mg of **1** (C1-C60 5.0%  $^{13}C$ ) in 3.3 mL of  $CDCl_3$  at 26 °C was acquired at 125.276 MHz on a Bruker AM-500 instrument using a 10-mm probe. The INADEQUATE experiment<sup>2a</sup> was used with a modified phase cycling using 45° phase shifts.<sup>2b</sup> Proton decoupling simplified 4-*tert*-butylpyridine signals. The spectral width was set to 8196 Hz in  $F_2$  and 16392 Hz in  $F_1$ ; 8K points were sampled in  $F_2$ ; 400 increments of 96 scans were acquired in  $F_1$ . The refocusing delay was set to 5 ms. The repetition time was set to 5.5 s ( $T_1$  for C(type 2)-C(type 17) < 4 s). The resulting matrix was processed with zero-filling in  $F_1$  for a final size of 4K × 2K points. The  $F_1$  dimension was processed with a real transform; a magnitude calculation was not applied. Coupling constants were measured from individual rows.

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**Table I.** Chemical Shifts, Peak Assignments, and Carbon-Carbon Coupling Constants for the C<sub>60</sub> Portion of **1**

peak	chemical shift (ppm)	carbon type	cluster carbons	carbon type, <sup>1</sup> J <sub>CC</sub> (Hz)
a	105.38	1	1, 2	3, 48
b	137.02	4	9, 10, 13, 14	3, 71; 7, 56
c	139.42	5	15, 16, 19, 20	2, 68; 6, 56; 9, 56
d	141.81	9	23, 24, 28, 29	5, 56; 10, not first order
e	142.32	10	33, 34, 38, 39	9, not first order; 11, 56 <sup>a</sup>
f	142.48	14	43, 44, 47, 48	15, 56 <sup>a</sup>
g	142.55	13	36, 41	8, 67; 12, 56
h	142.75	7	17, 18, 21, 22	4, 56; 6, 67; 8, 55
i	144.85	11	35, 37, 40, 42	6, 54; 10, 56; 12, 68
j	145.04	16	53, 54, 57, 58	12, 56; 15, 65
k	145.76	2 <sup>b</sup>	7, 8, 11, 12	3, 57; 5, 68
l	145.77	6 <sup>b</sup>	25, 27, 30, 32	5, 56; 7, 67; 11, 54
m	145.99	15	51, 52, 55, 56	14, 56; 16, 65; 17, 56
n	146.10	8	26, 31	7, 55; 13, 67
o	146.32	12	45, 46, 49, 50	11, 68; 13, 56; 16, 56
p	148.41	17	59, 60	15, 56
q	153.03	3	3, 4, 5, 6	1, 48; 2, 57; 4, 71

<sup>a</sup>No coupling was observed between peaks e and f, presumably due to small  $\delta/J$ . <sup>b</sup>Peaks k and l are extremely close and may have the reversed assignment.

type 1, C-C connectivities provided assignments for carbon types 2-13 and 16. Types 5 and 7 were readily differentiated in that type 5 (peak c) couples with three full-intensity peaks (d, k, and l), while type 7 (peak h) couples with two full-intensity peaks (b and l) and a half-intensity peak (n). The coupling between carbon types 9 and 10 (peaks d and e) was not first order, and <sup>1</sup>J<sub>CC</sub> could not be measured. Peaks e and f, corresponding to types 10 and 14, are very close, and the associated cross peaks are not visible.<sup>8</sup> Connectivities from carbon type 17 completed the assignments. The up-down pattern aided assignments in complicated regions.

Buckminsterfullerene contains one type of carbon and two types of carbon-carbon bonds. The <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of C<sub>60</sub> thus shows a single peak,<sup>6</sup> and C-C couplings corresponding to the two types of C-C bonds are not discernible. In contrast, derivative **1** shows 17 peaks and the associated couplings (Table I). The C-C coupling constants for the C<sub>60</sub> portion of **1** fall into three groups, 48 Hz, 54-57 Hz, and 65-71 Hz. A plot of bond length versus <sup>1</sup>J<sub>CC</sub> shows three distinct types of bonds (Figure 3).<sup>9</sup> The 48-Hz coupling corresponds to the bond between carbon types 1 and 3 and is comparable with the 47.7-Hz C(sp<sup>2</sup>)-C(sp<sup>3</sup>) coupling in benzyl alcohol.<sup>10</sup> The 54-57-Hz couplings correspond to fusions between five- and six-membered rings, and the 65-71-Hz couplings correspond to fusions between two six-membered rings (Figure 1b).<sup>11</sup> Considering carbon types 2 and 4-17, which have approximately equivalent geometries and symmetrical bonds,<sup>1</sup> the average coupling constants for these two ranges, 55.6 (2) and 67.2 (6) Hz, can be used to calculate the s character in the two types of bonds: 31.5% s for six-five ring fusions, and 34.0% s for six-six ring fusions.<sup>12</sup> The  $\pi$ -orbital accordingly has 3% s character.<sup>13</sup>

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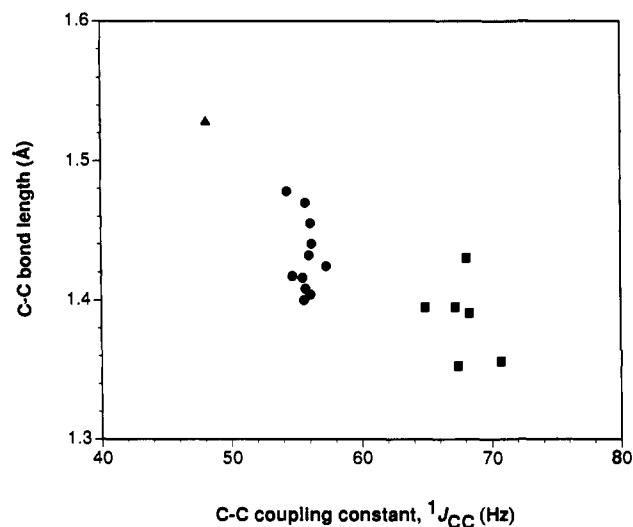
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(12) <sup>1</sup>J<sub>C-C</sub> = [0.073(% s<sub>a</sub>)(% s<sub>b</sub>) - 17] Hz, % s<sub>a</sub> = % s<sub>b</sub>, for symmetrical bonds. Weigert, F. J.; Roberts, J. D. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1972**, *94*, 6021. Wehrli, F. W.; Wirthlin, T. *Interpretation of Carbon-13 NMR Spectra*; Heyden: Philadelphia, 1978; p 57.



**Figure 3.** Plot of C-C bond length versus C-C coupling constant in **1** showing three groupings: C(type 1)-C(type 3) (▲), six-five ring fusions (●), and six-six ring fusions (■).

Since the structure of this portion of **1** closely fits the soccer ball structure of buckminsterfullerene,<sup>1</sup> these hybridizations provide a good model for C<sub>60</sub>.

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## Selective Modification of DNA Controlled by an Ionic Signal

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Oligonucleotide-directed alkylating agents<sup>1</sup> provide an exciting new method for site-specific derivatization of nucleic acids in vitro and in vivo.<sup>2</sup> The ultimate utility of this type of affinity technique is determined in part by the functional groups chosen for modifying the desired target. Selective modification by a compound of innate reactivity requires a slow rate of conversion in order to permit binding recognition to precede target derivatization. Consequently,

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