



# Spherical Harmonics and other tales

EPSR auxiliary routines

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Operative  
flowchart

Setup EPSR simulation



Run EPSR simulation (3 steps):

- MC with Reference Potential (without any input from the data)
- Potential Refinement (MC loop with potential adjustment)
- Accumulation of Configurations (in this phase we keep refining the potential)



Analysis of the configurations  
accumulated

## 6. Auxiliary routines.

- 6.1. Input and output data formats and running.
- 6.2. **partials** – calculate site-site radial distribution functions. (obsolete)
- 6.3. **coord** – calculate coordination numbers and coordination number distributions about specific sites.
- 6.4. **triangles** – calculate bond angle distribution functions.
- 6.5. **torangles** – calculate torsional angle distribution functions.
- 6.6. **clusters** – calculate cluster size distribution functions.
- 6.7. **chains** – calculate chain length distribution functions.
- 6.8. **rings** – calculate ring length distribution functions.

## 7. Spherical harmonic expansion of many-body correlation functions.

- 7.1. Introduction – the spatial density function and orientational correlation function
- 7.2. **sharm** – calculates the spherical harmonic coefficients for the spatial density function and orientational pair correlation function
- 7.3. **sdf** – spatial density functions for non-molecular systems.
- 7.4. **plot2d** and **plot3d** – plotting the results from 7.2 and 7.3.
- 7.5. Triple body correlation function and higher order correlation functions.

EPSRshell> help

The list of valid commands is:-

makeato  
makemole  
fmole  
fcluster  
bonds  
mixato  
dockato  
growcluster  
changeato  
introtcluster  
epswts  
epswtsx

setup

epsw  
partials  
triangles  
torangles  
chains  
rings  
clusters  
voids  
coord  
sharm  
sdf

plot - Starts the plot menu

plotato - Plots the specified .ato file using GNUplot, PGplot, or ATOMS

plot2d

plot3d

system - Invoke the specified system command.

cd - Sets the working folder.

pwd - Shows the current working folder.

ls or dir - Lists the contents of the working folder.

md - Makes a new folder.

ed or edit - Invokes the specified editor.

del - Delete a file or files.

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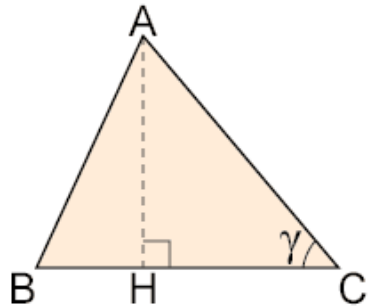
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Basic	What for	How to (theory)	How to (practice)
<b>Triangles</b> calculates the distribution of angles between three atoms which satisfy the specified distance constraints	The importance of correcting for the solid angle sampling (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	Analytical geometry (from the set of coordinates)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Setup <b>&lt;program&gt;</b> <b>&lt;input filename.dat&gt;</b></li> <li>• Input and Output files format</li> <li>• Commands that can be run either as one-offs or repeatedly in a script file</li> <li>• Plot routines</li> </ul>

# The importance of correcting for the solid angle sampling

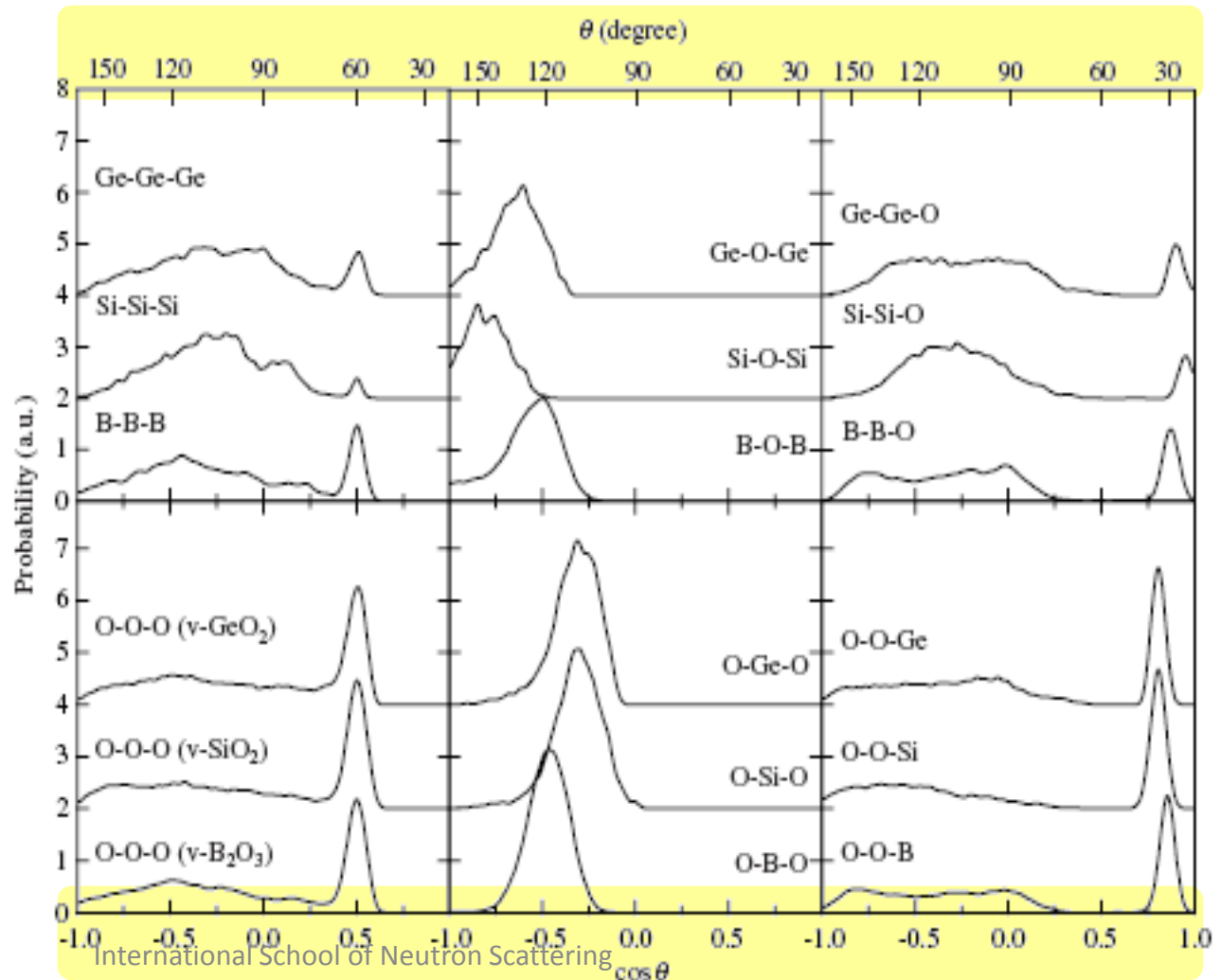
Carnot's theorem

$$\overline{AB}^2 = \overline{AC}^2 + \overline{BC}^2 - 2\overline{AC} \cdot \overline{BC} \cos \gamma$$



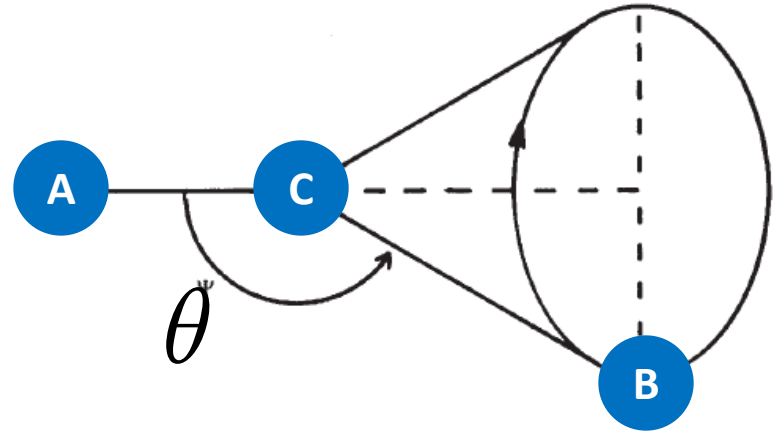
Since the cosine is a non-linear function, equal spacing in cosine doesn't correspond to equal spacing in the actual bond angle

Do you think this plot is correct?



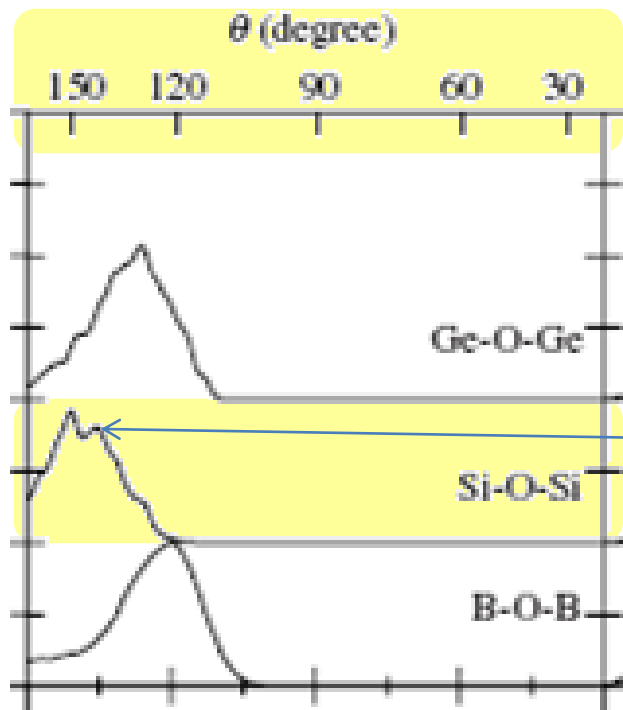
Whenever we make a variable transformation we have to correct the dependent variable for the so-called Jacobian...

This is in fact taking into account that I have more possibilities for atom B to lie at an angle of say  $45^\circ$  than  $20^\circ$



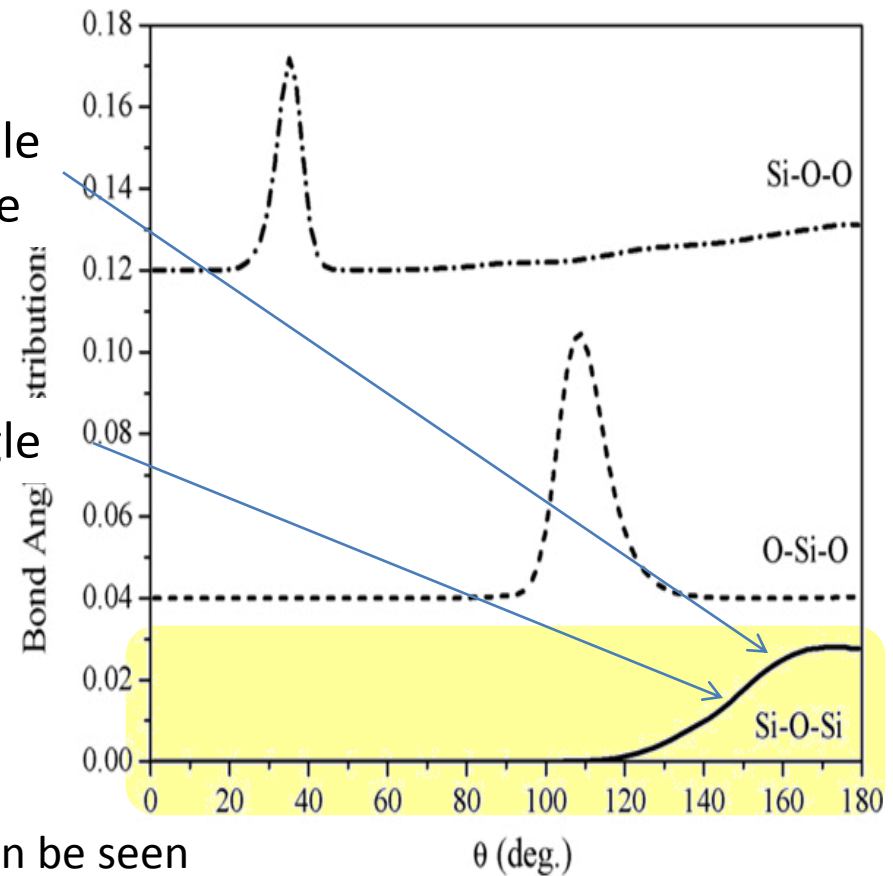
$$f(\cos(\theta))d\cos(\theta) = f(\cos(\theta))\frac{d\cos(\theta)}{d\theta}d\theta$$

$$f(\cos(\theta))d\cos(\theta) = g(\theta)\sin(\theta)d\theta$$



Most probable  
(modal) angle

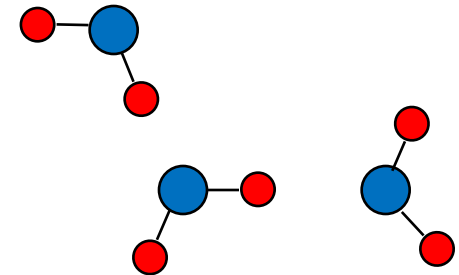
Average angle



The Si–O–Si bond angle distribution function can be seen to have a modal value close to a linear bond i.e.,  $180^\circ$ .

The combination of

- Si–O coordination number = 3.9 oxygen atoms around each silicon atom
- dominant  $109^\circ$  O–Si–O and  $35^\circ$  Si–O–O bond angles confirms the basic tetrahedral structure of this glass.





## Input file for TRIANGLES

(either with “setup” from the shell of copying and modifying an example file)

<filename>.TRI.dat

```
h2o298tot.TRI          Title of this file
fnameato      h2o298tot.ato      Name of .ato file
nsize         100                Number of cos(theta) bins [100]
nsumt         -1                Number of configurations already accumulated
ndist         1                 Number of tri-angle distributions

triangles     1

atom1         OW                Atom type 1 to define a triangle
atom2         OW                Atom type 2 to define a triangle
atom3         OW                Atom type 3 to define a triangle
ltype         1                 Single atom3 types [1], or multiple atom3 types [2]?
rmin12        1                 Minimum distance for atoms 1 and 2
rmax12        3.4               Maximum distance for atoms 1 and 2
rmin23        1                 Minimum distance for atoms 2 and 3
rmax23        3.4               Maximum distance for atoms 2 and 3
q
```

## Output files (very general)

As a general rule the input and output files for EPSR and its auxiliary routines will have a double extension of the form

**<filename>.<program>.<filetype>**

.TRI	triangles input and output files
.TOR	torangles input and output files
.CLUSTERS	clusters input and output files
.CHAINS	chains input and output files
.RINGS	rings input and output files
.SHARM	sharm input and output files
.SDF	sdf input and output files

**<filename>.<program>.<filetype>**

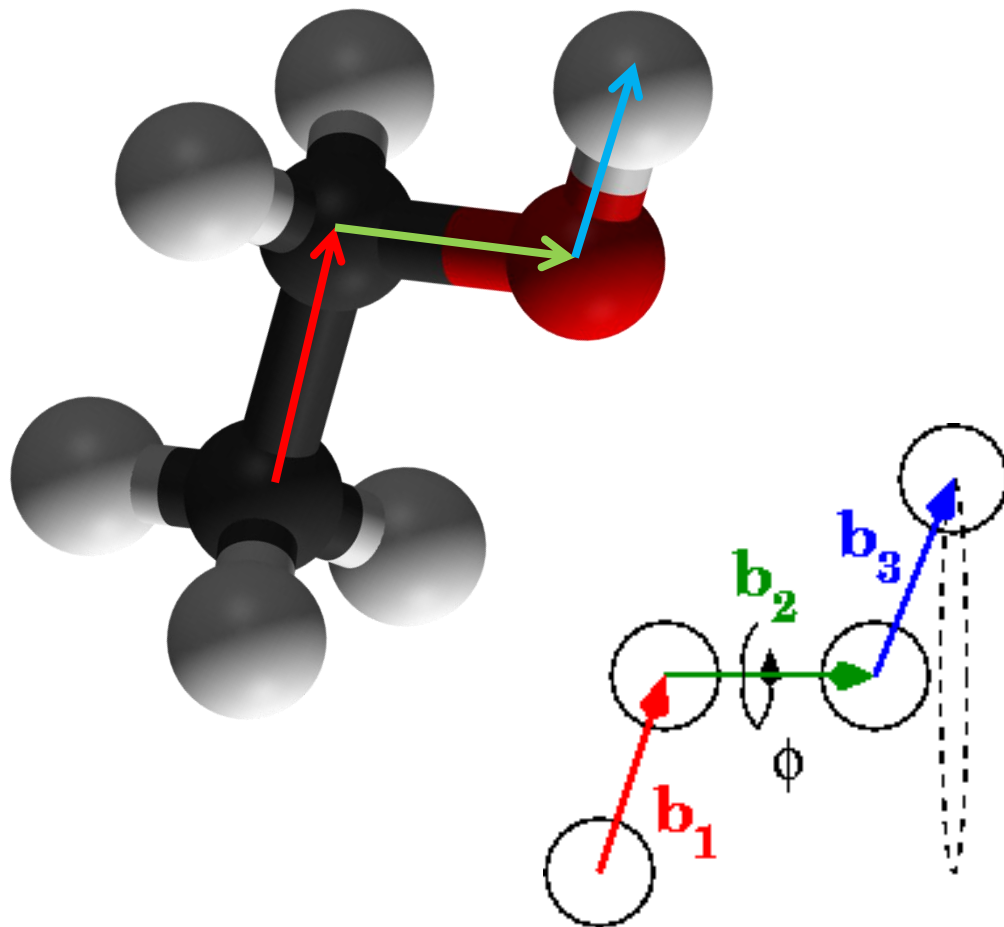
.c01	output files for TRIANGLES and TORANGLES angle distributions
.n01	output files for CLUSTERS, CHAINS, COORD, RINGS distribution functions
.h01, .h02, etc.	output files for SHARM and SDF coefficients

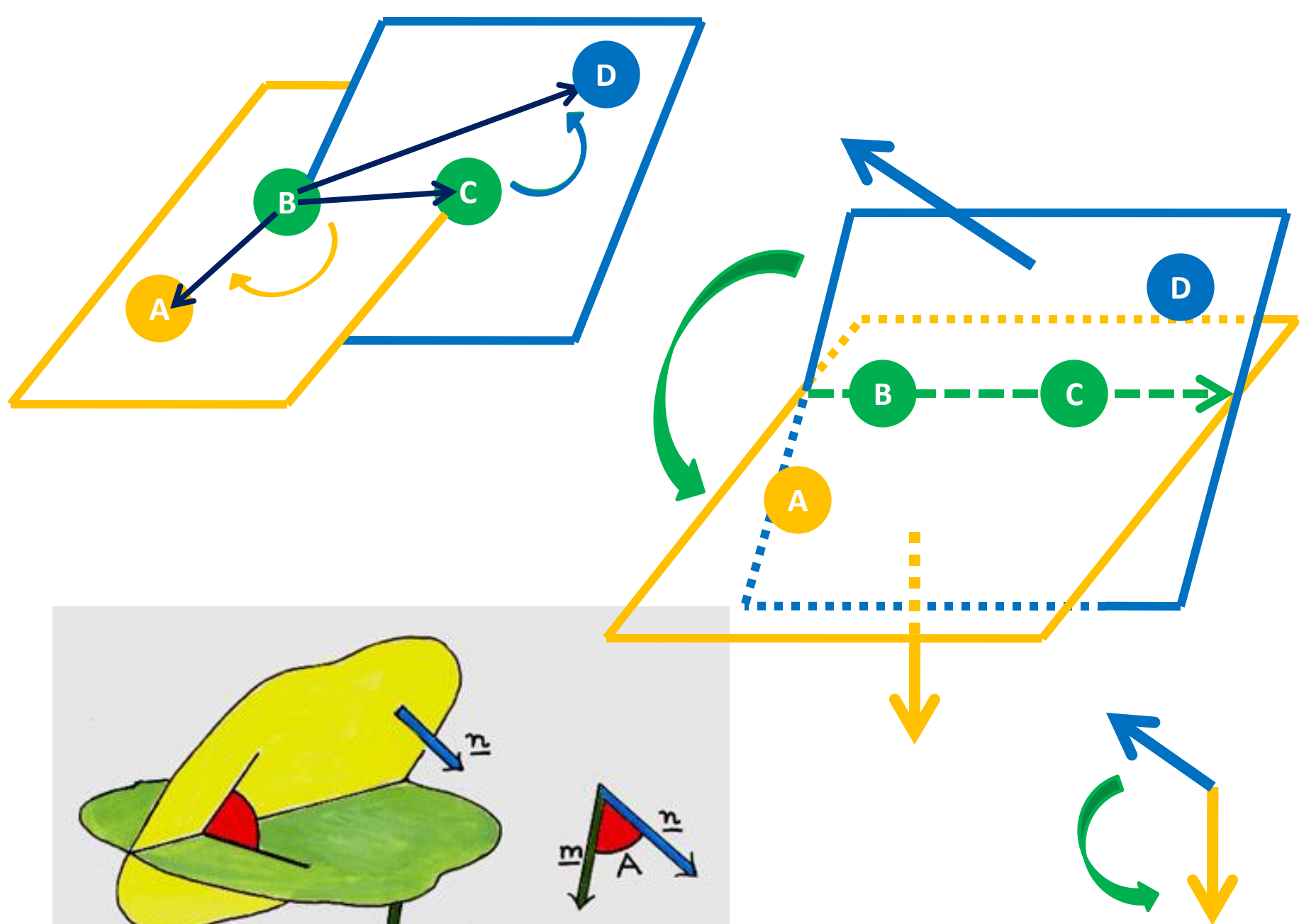
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<b>Triangles</b>		Analytical geometry (from the set of coordinates)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Setup <b>&lt;program&gt;</b></li> <li> &lt;filename&gt;.&lt;program&gt;.dat</li> <li>• Input and Output files format</li> <li>• Commands that can be run either as one-offs or repeatedly in a script file</li> <li>• Plot routines</li> </ul>
<b>Torangles</b> calculates the distribution of angles between four atoms (aka torsion or dihedral angle)			

## The analytical geometry bit

The dihedral or torsion angle of two planes can be seen by looking at the planes "edge on", i.e., along their line of intersection. The dihedral angle  $\phi_{AB}$  between two planes denoted A and B is the angle between their two normal unit vectors  $\mathbf{n}_A$  and  $\mathbf{n}_B$

$$\cos \phi_{AB} = \mathbf{n}_A \cdot \mathbf{n}_B.$$





## Input file for torangles

<filename>.TOR.dat

```
eth4wat6.TOR      Title of this
fnameato          eth4wat6.atom
nsize  180        Number of coordinates
nsumt   198       Number of coordinates
ndist   2         Number of triangles
```

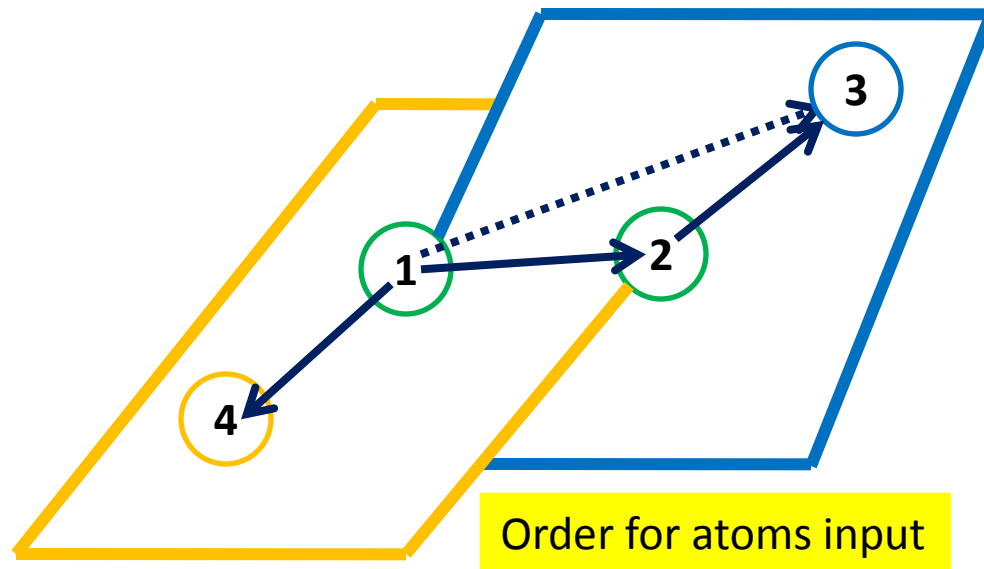
torangles 1

atom1	CM	Atom type to define which molecule type
ltyp1	5	First atom number to define the axis
ltyp2	8	Second atom number to define the axis
ltyp3	1 1	Two atom numbers for vector from atom 1
ltyp4	9 9	Two atom numbers for vector from atom 2

torangles 2

atom1	CM	Atom type to define which molecule type
ltyp1	1	First atom number to define the axis
ltyp2	5	Second atom number to define the axis
ltyp3	2 3	Two atom numbers for vector from atom 1
ltyp4	6 7	Two atom numbers for vector from atom 2

q

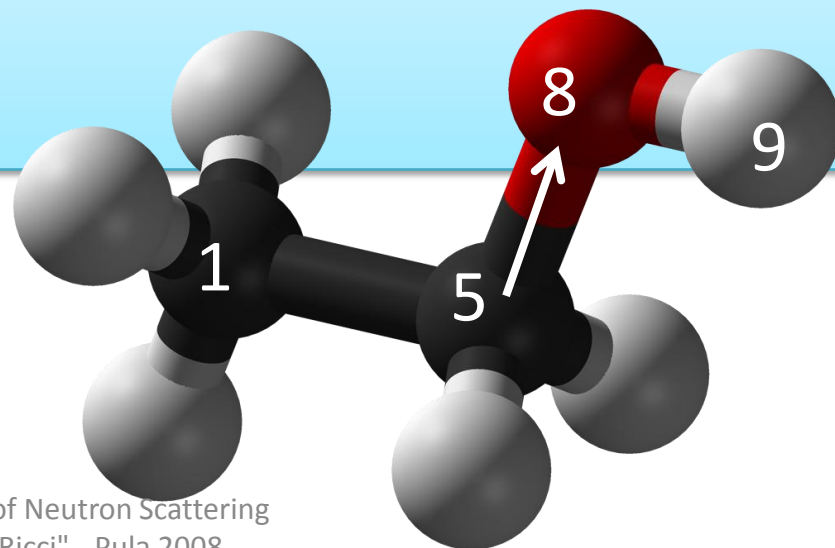


**.mol** file

```
4
| |1 |2 |3 |4 |5 |6 |7 |8 |9 |10 |11 |12 |13 |14 |15 |16 |17 |18 |19
1      CM * 3HM
2      *
3      CC * 2HM
4      *
5      O * H
....
```

**.atm** file

```
4
| |1 |2 |3 |4 |5 |6 |7 |8 |9 |10 |11 |12 |13 |14 |15 |16 |17 |18 |19
1      1 * 32
2      *
3      5 * 26
4      *
5      8 * 9
```



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nsumt	198
ndist	2

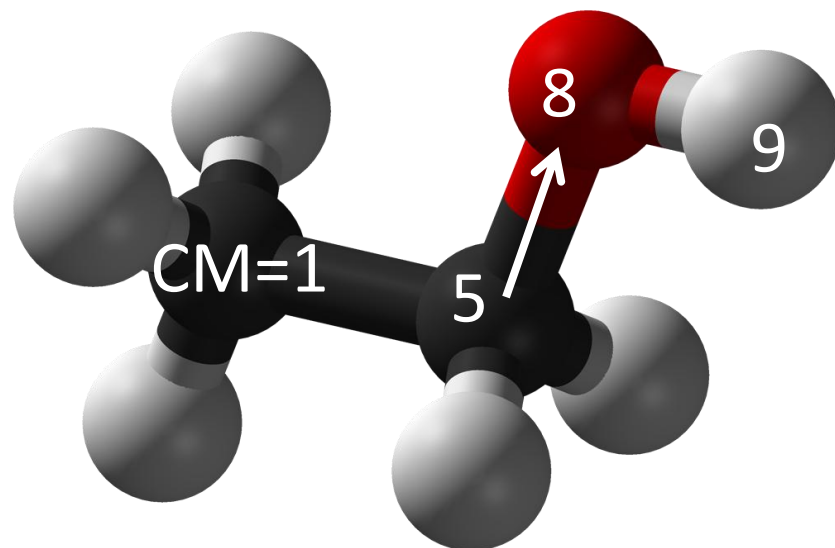
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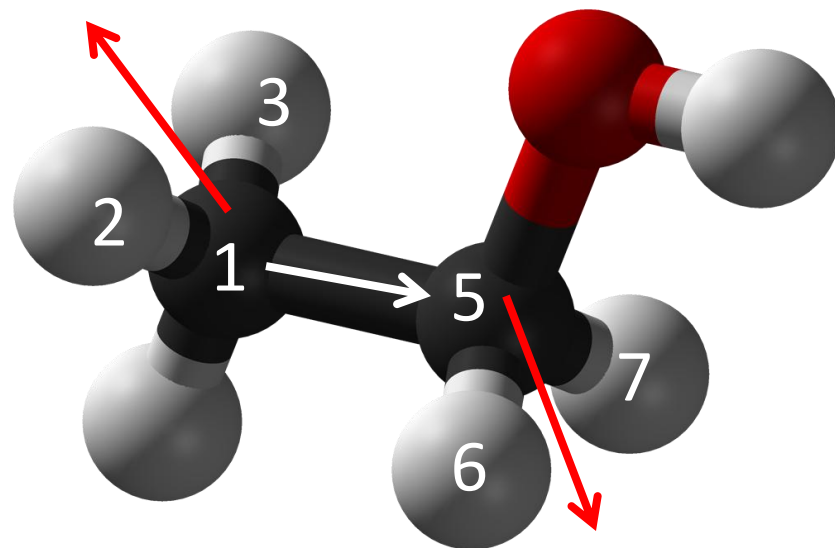
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Clusters calculates the distribution of cluster sizes involving molecules which are at specified distances	Percolation (methane- water mixture)		

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<b>Torangles</b>			
<b>Clusters</b>	Percolation (methane-water mixture)		
<b>Chains</b> calculates the distribution of chains among molecules and atoms which satisfy specific distance constraints, using the “shortest path” criterion to estimate the chain length between two atoms.			
<b>Rings</b> calculates the distribution of rings among molecules and atoms which satisfy specific distance constraints, using the “shortest path” criterion.			

## Percolation (methane-water mixture)



FIG. 3. Snapshot of an experimentally constrained EPSR model of the methanol-water mixture at  $x = 0.54$  showing clusters of the segregated components. Methyl groups are shown as black spheres, large white spheres highlight the position of water molecules, and small gray spheres denote methanol oxygen atoms.

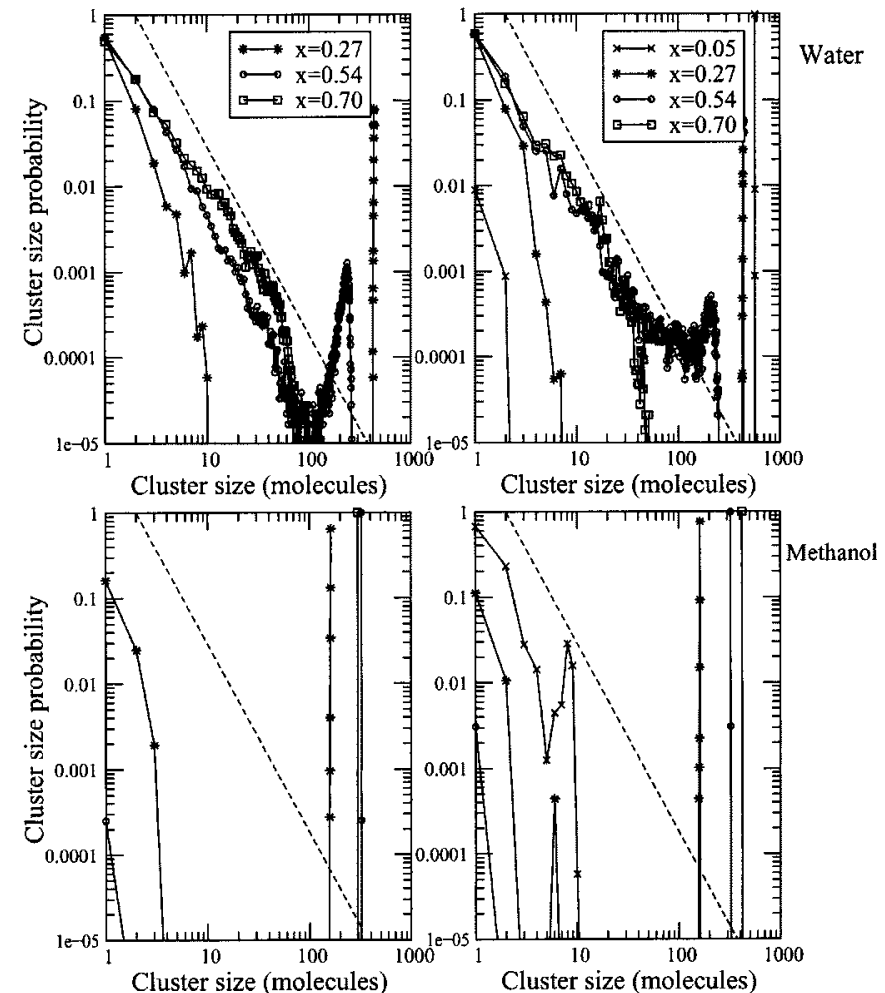


FIG. 4. Cluster size distributions for water (top) and methanol (bottom) clusters in methanol-water mixtures. For water molecules the hydrogen-bond definition was used to designate which molecules belong to a given water cluster, while for methanol clusters the C-C distance definition was used. On the left, from MD simulations with methanol mole fractions 0.27, 0.54, and 0.7 and on the right from neutron diffraction experiments for methanol mole fractions 0.05, 0.27, 0.54 and 0.7. The dashed lines show the predicted cluster size distribution at the percolation threshold (Ref. 36). Percolation in the simulated box occurs when clusters of a size close to the number of molecules in the simulation box form (vertical lines on the right hand side of the plot).

## Input file for clusters

```
mw73.CLUSTERS                               Title of this file
fnameato      mw73.atom                     Name of .atom file
nsize         1000                          Maximum cluster size (max 1000)
nsumt         -1                           Number of configurations already accumulated
ndist         3                             Number of cluster distributions
```

cluster 1

```
atom1      C      Atom type 1 to define a bond
atom2      C      Atom type 2 to define a bond
rmin       2      Minimum distance for this bond
rmax       5.5    Maximum distance for this bond
```

cluster 2

```
atom1      O      Atom type 1 to define a bond
atom2      H      Atom type 2 to define a bond
rmin       1      Minimum distance for this bond
rmax       2.5    Maximum distance for this bond
```

cluster 3

```
atom1      OW     Atom type 1 to define a bond
atom2      HW     Atom type 2 to define a bond
rmin       1      Minimum distance for this bond
rmax       2.5    Maximum distance for this bond
```

Q

**Output:**

**mw73.CLUSTERS.n01**

```
Cluster 1: fraction containing 2 or more molecules 1.00000
Cluster 2: fraction containing 2 or more molecules 0.79762
Cluster 3: fraction containing 2 or more molecules 0.72222
```

**It's also the  
output...**

Compared to **clusters**, the **chains** program uses a **more advanced criterion for deciding whether two molecules are bonded or not**.

The program calculates 2 distributions for each chain definition.

- The first is the distribution of bond numbers, i.e. how many bonds are there per valid molecule.
- The second is the chain length distribution.

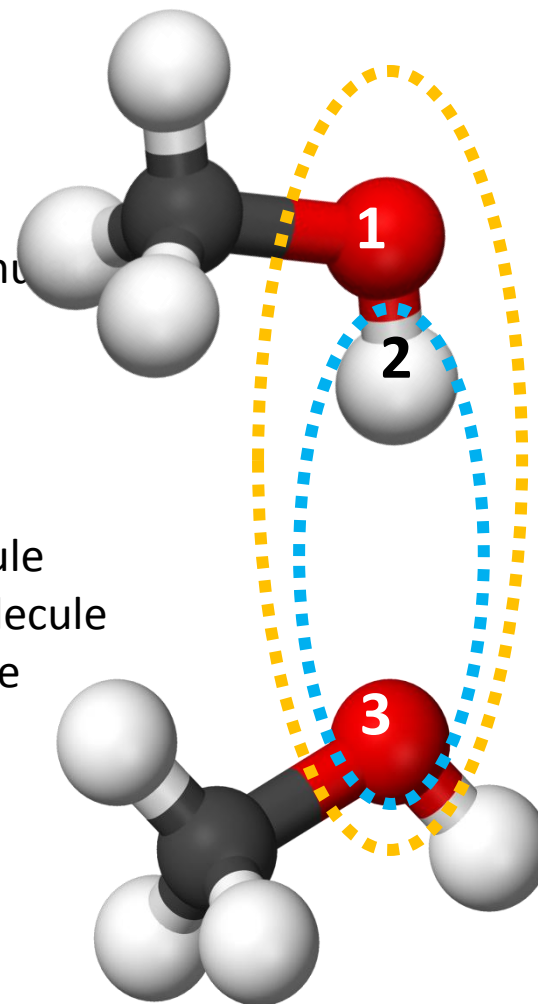
The chain length is calculated using the “shortest path” criterion, which basically sorts through all the possible linked paths between two molecules, and counts only the shortest path, i.e. the one with the least number of linkages between those two molecules.

- Each **chain** must begin and end on a molecule with only one link to another molecule.
- The only difference between the two routines is that a **ring** can only begin and end on a molecule with two or more linkages.

## Input file for CHAINS and RINGS

methanol.CHAINS	Title of this file	
fnameato	methanol1.ato	Name of .ato file
nsizesize	200	Maximum chain length (max 200)
nsumt	-1	Number of configurations already accumulated
ndist	1	Number of chain length distributions
chain	1	
atom1	O	Atom type 1 for first atom in first molecule
atom2	H	Atom type 2 for second atom in first molecule
atom3	O	Atom type 3 for atom in second molecule
rmin1	1	Minimum distance for atom1-atom3
rmax1	3.4	Maximum distance for atom1-atom3
rmin2	1	Minimum distance for atom2-atom3
rmax2	2.5	Maximum distance for atom2-atom3
q		

1 0.17900E+01 0.63511E+00 0.58000E+01 0.48229E+01



# Advanced

## What for

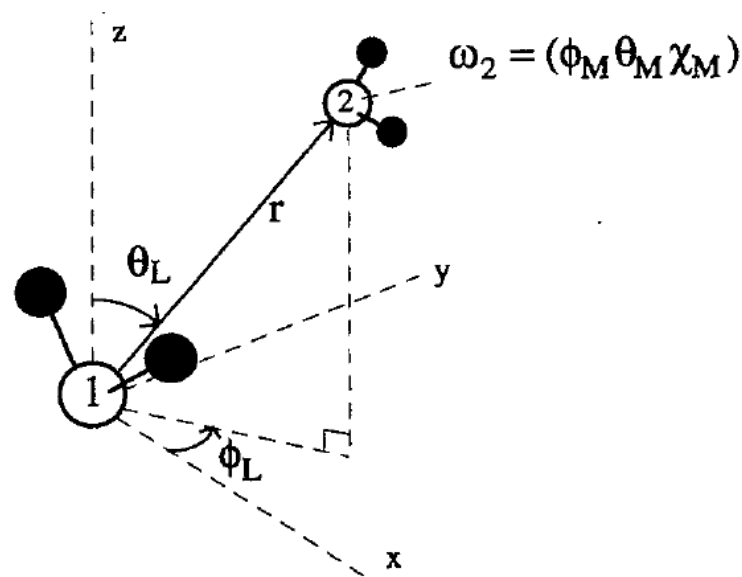
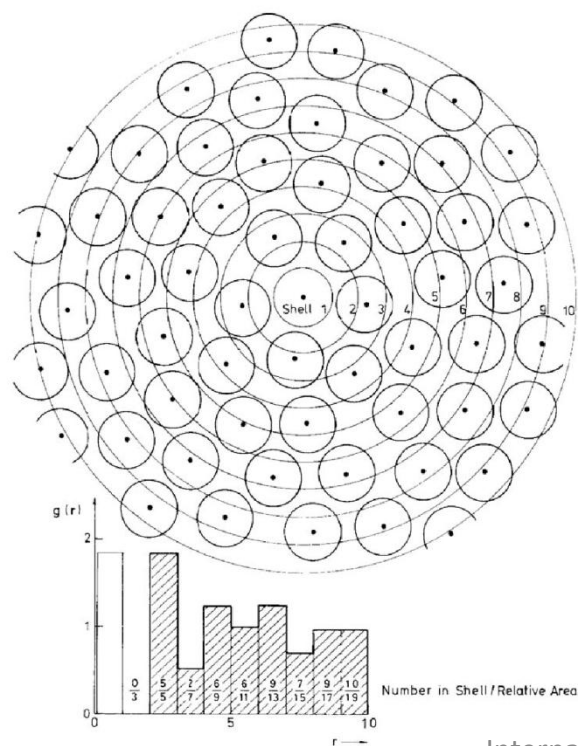
## How to (theory and practice)

### Sharm and SDF

calculates the spherical harmonic coefficients for the Spatial Density Function (SDF) and the Orientational Correlation Function (OCF)

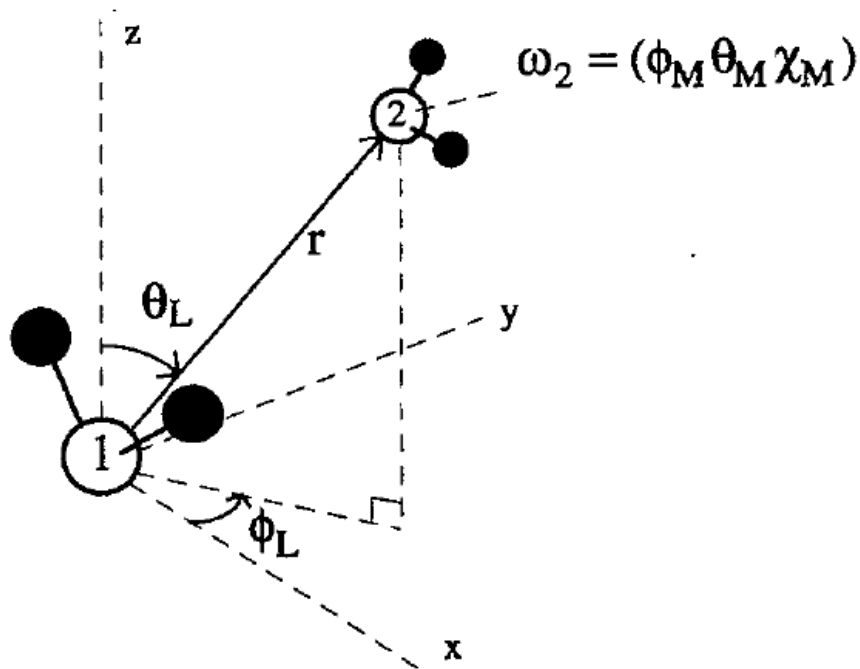
- The peculiar case of Hydrogen Bond in H<sub>2</sub>O and H<sub>2</sub>S
- NaOH in Water

1. Minimum Noise approach to a "heavily undetermined" problem
2. Spherical Harmonics representation of  $g(r)$





Where I explain why explicit calculation is not so convenient...



“Once you get away from the cosy world of pair distribution functions, you run into two problems”

- **How to store a function of 3 to 6 variables**

For example, the orientational correlations for two arbitrary shaped molecules with little symmetry:

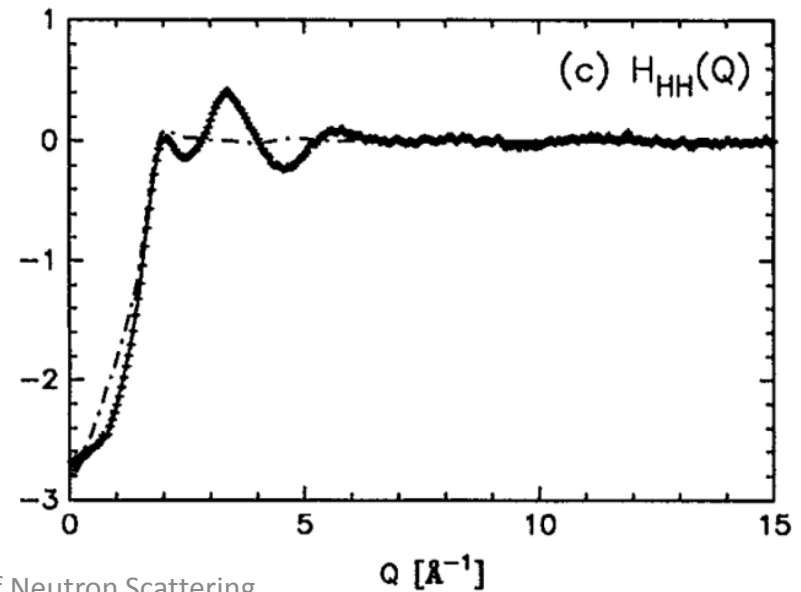
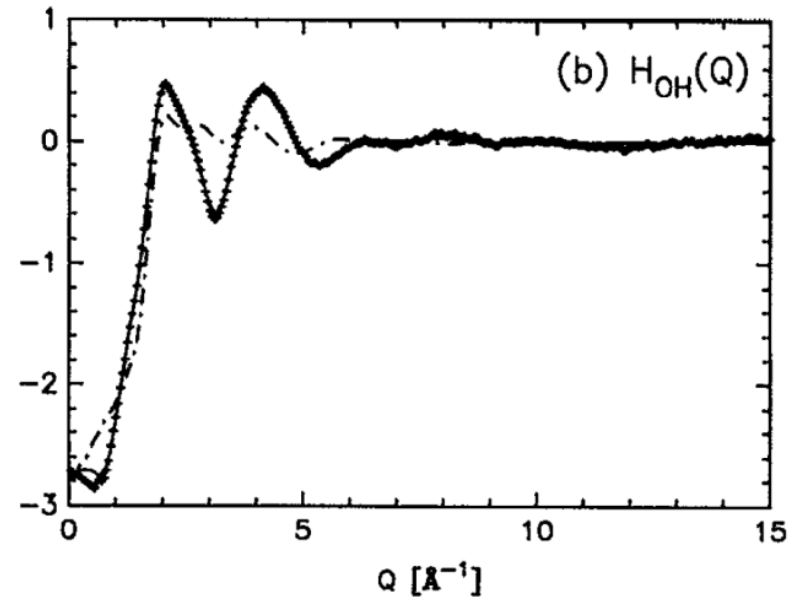
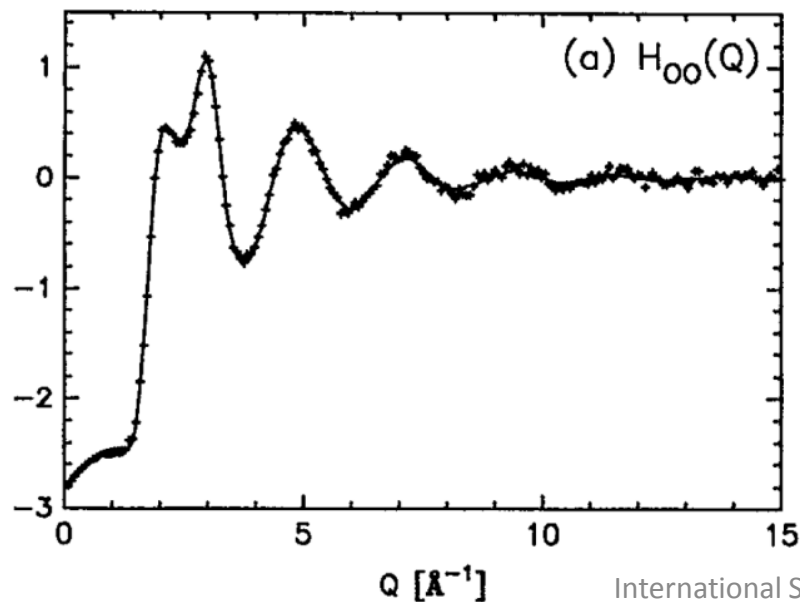
- Digitize a radial grid into 100 steps
- Digitize each angle into  $9^\circ$  steps:

$20\theta_L, 40\phi_L, 20\theta_M, 40\phi_M, 40\chi_M$

Total number of pixels =  $2560000000 = 2.59 \times 10^9$

- **How to visualize the output (given that we can understand maximum 3 dimensions)**

**Measured partial structure factors for water** as obtained in a recent SANDALS experiment. The crosses show the actual data, the **solid lines** show the fit to these data using the **full spherical harmonic expansion** and the **dashed-dotted lines** show the result of assuming the water molecules have **isotropic relative orientations**.



**Measured partial structure factors  
for hydrogen sulfide** (symbols) and  
their minimum noise fit

“While fully admitting that there is no direct route to the complete orientational correlation function in a molecular liquid, it is nonetheless a very reasonable question to ask **what would be the least amount of structure in that correlation function that could be sustained**, given that there are some measured partial structure factor data available, and given that the liquid is made up of molecules of known geometry.”

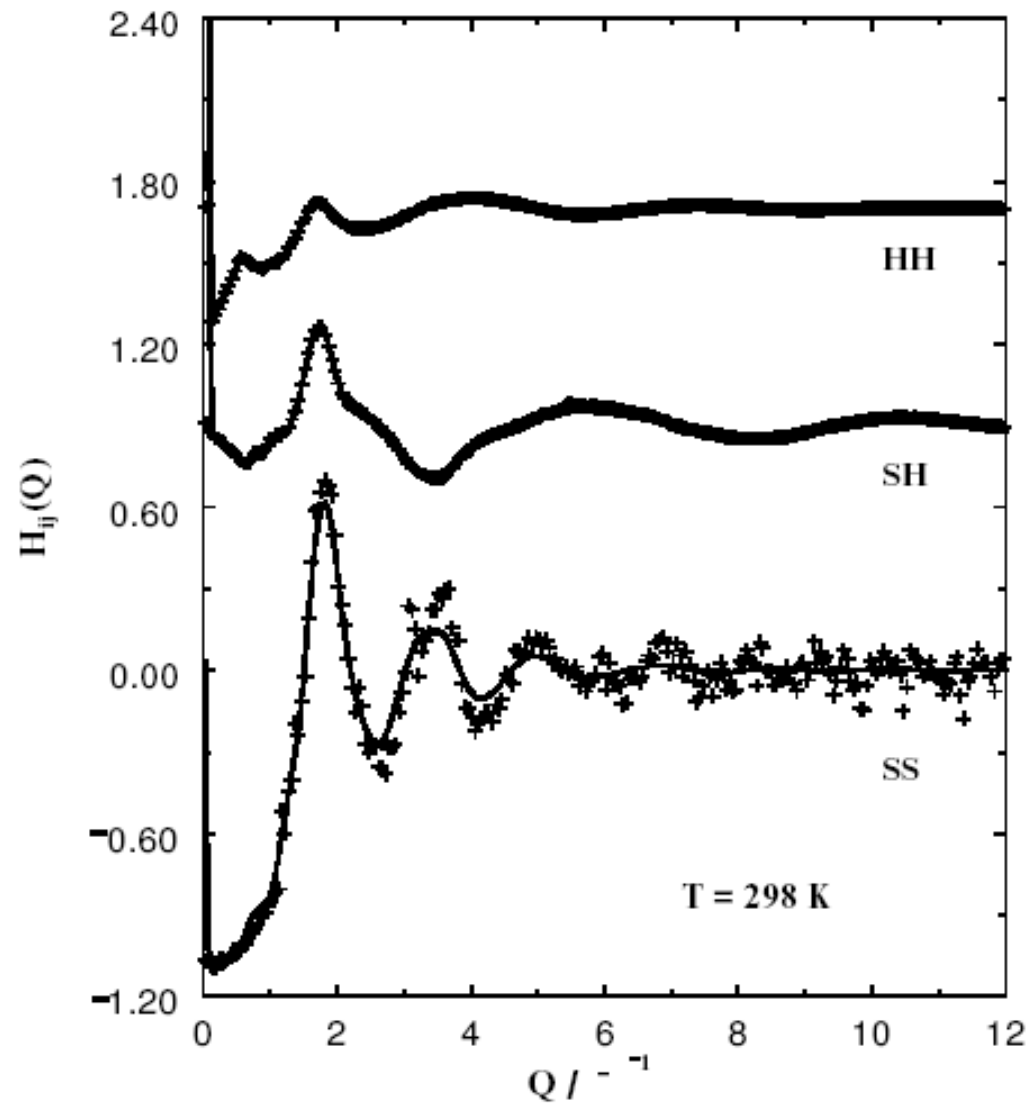


Figure 2. Partial structure factors measured at  $T = 298 \text{ K}$  (symbols) and their minimum noise fit (solid line); sulphur-hydrogen and hydrogen-hydrogen factors have been shifted by an arbitrary quantity.

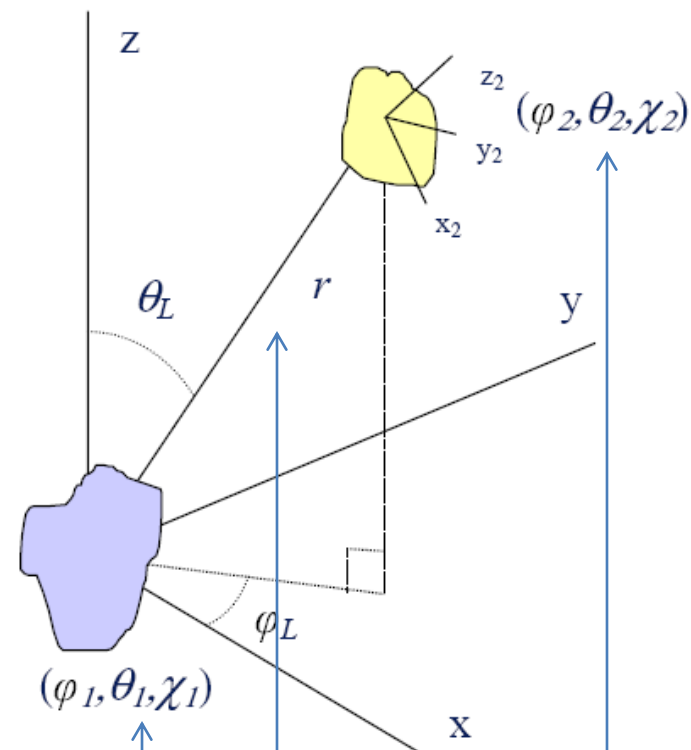
The site-site partial structure factors can be expanded as a series of spherical harmonic functions

- Generalized rotation matrix

$$D_{mn}^l(\omega) = e^{-im\phi} d_{mn}^l(\theta) e^{-in\chi}$$

- Clebsch-Gordan coefficients

$$|l_1 - l_2| \leq l \leq l_1 + l_2 \text{ and } m = m_1 + m_2$$



$$h(\mathbf{r}, \omega_1, \omega_2) = \sum_{l_1 l_2 l} \sum_{m_1 m_2 m} \sum_{n_1 n_2} h(l_1 l_2 l; n_1 n_2; r)$$

$$\times C(l_1 l_2 l; m_1 m_2 m) D_{m_1 n_1}^{l_1}(\omega_1)^*$$

$$\times D_{m_2 n_2}^{l_2}(\omega_2)^* D_{m_0}^l(\omega),$$

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$$H_{\alpha\beta}(Q) = 4\pi\rho \int_0^\infty r^2 [g_{\alpha\beta}(r) - 1] \frac{\sin Qr}{Qr} dr.$$

$$h(\mathbf{r}, \omega_1, \omega_2) [= g(\mathbf{r}, \omega_1, \omega_2) - 1]$$

Both the Q side and the r side  
can be expanded...

$$h(\mathbf{r}, \omega_1, \omega_2) \quad \text{See previous slide...}$$

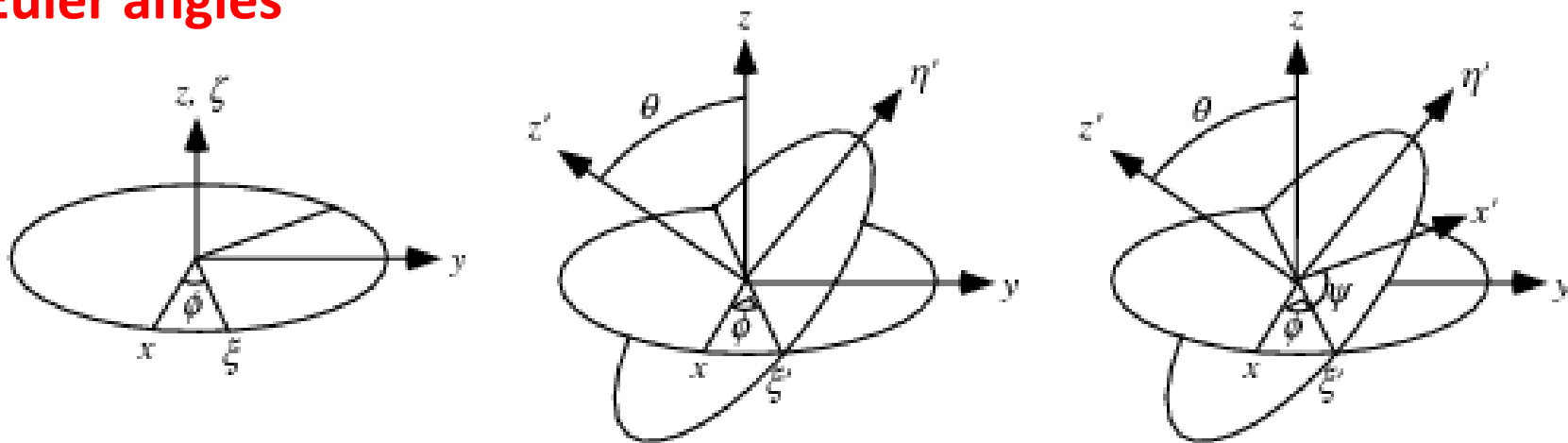
$$H(Q) = \sum_{l_1 l_2 l} \sum_{n_1 n_2} f(l_1 l_2 l) C(l_1 l_2 l; 000) H(l_1 l_2 l; n_1 n_2; Q)$$

$$\times [F_{l_1 n_1}(Q) \times F_{l_2 n_2}(Q)],$$

The coefficients for each expansion are related by a fourier bessel transform

$$H(l_1 l_2 l; n_1 n_2; Q) = 4\pi\rho \int_0^\infty r^2 h(l_1 l_2 l; n_1 n_2; r) j_l(Qr) dr$$

# Euler angles



To perform a transformation from the fixed starting coordinate reference system to a relative reference frame  $XYZ \rightarrow xyz$ , the convention adopted was

(i) to rotate positively in the advancing direction of a right hand screw, through an angle  $\phi$  ( $0^\circ \leq \phi \leq 360^\circ$ ) about the  $Z$  axis,  $XYZ \rightarrow X'Y'Z'$ ,

(ii) rotate by  $\theta$  ( $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$ ) about  $Y'$ ,  $X'Y'Z' \rightarrow X''Y''Z''$ , and finally

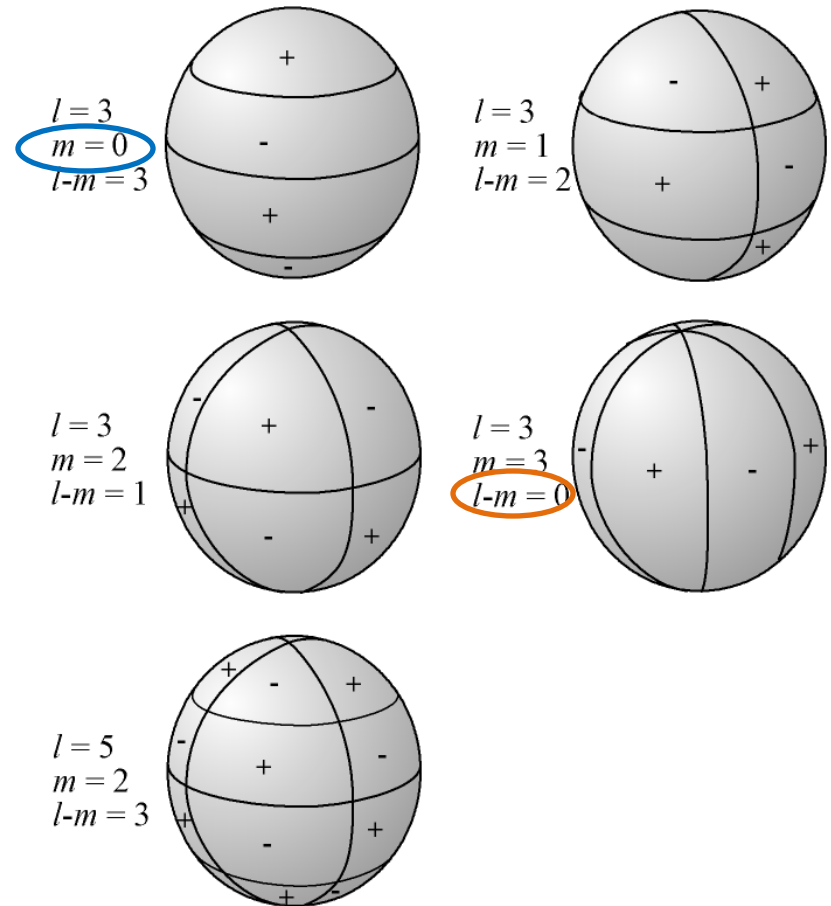
(iii) rotate by  $\chi$  ( $0^\circ \leq \chi \leq 180^\circ$ ) about  $Z''$  to bring  $X''Y''Z'' \rightarrow xyz$

## Ok but, how do they look like?

$$Y_{\ell}^m(\theta, \varphi) = \sqrt{\frac{(2\ell+1)(\ell-m)!}{4\pi(\ell+m)!}} P_{\ell}^m(\cos\theta) e^{im\varphi}$$

The spherical harmonics are **easily** visualized by counting the number of zero crossings they possess in both the latitudinal and longitudinal directions. For the latitudinal direction, the associated Legendre functions possess  $\ell - |m|$  zeros, whereas for the longitudinal direction, the trigonometric sin and cos functions possess  $2|m|$  zeros.

When the spherical harmonic order  $m$  is zero, the spherical harmonic functions do not depend upon longitude, and are referred to as zonal. When  $\ell = |m|$ , there are no zero crossings in latitude, and the functions are referred to as sectoral. For the other cases, the functions checker the sphere, and they are referred to as tesseral.



Schematic representation of  $Y_{\ell m}$  on the unit sphere.  $Y_{\ell m}$  is equal to 0 along  $m$  great circles passing through the poles, and along  $\ell - m$  circles of equal latitude. The function changes sign each time it crosses one of these lines.

## Input file for SHARM

h2o298tot.SHARM		Title of this file
fnameato	h2o298tot_s.ato	Name of .ato file
nr	130	Number of radius values (max 200)
rmax	13	Maximum radius for spherical harmonic coefficients
nsumt	1	Number of configurations already accumulated
ncoeffs	158	Number of coefficients (program calculates this)
l1values	0 1 2 3 4	L1 values (separated by spaces)
l2values	0 1 2 3 4	L2 values (separated by spaces)
lvalues	0 1 2 3 4	L values (separated by spaces)
n1step	2	Step in N1 values
n2step	2	Step in N2 values
atom-c	OW	Central molecule - list of centre atom types
axisc1	z 2 3	First axis definition for central molecule
axisc2	y 2	Second axis definition for central molecule
atom-s	OW	Second molecule - list of centre atom types
axiss1	z 2 3	First axis definition for second molecule
axiss2	y 2	Second axis definition for second molecule



## Input file for SDF

sio2_095.SDF		Title of this file
fnameato	sio2_095.ato	Name of .ato file
nr	130	Number of radius values (max 200)
rmax	13	Maximum radius for spherical harmonic coefficients
nsumt	1	Number of configurations already accumulated
ncoeffs	16	Number of coefficients (program calculates this)
l1values	0 1 2 3 4 5 6	L1 values (separated by spaces)
l2values	0	L2 values (separated by spaces)
lvalues	0 1 2 3 4 5 6	L values (separated by spaces)
nlstep	2	Step in N1 values
n2step	0	Step in N2 values
atom-c	Si O O	List of centre atom types. First will be origin.
pairdist-c	1.6 1.6 2.6	List of pair distances for centre molecule.
fracdist-c	0.2	Acceptance half-width (fraction of pair distance).
axiscl	z 2 3	First axis definition for centre molecule.
axisc2	y 2	Second axis definition for centre molecule.
atom-s	O	List of second atom types. First will be origin.
pairdist-s	0	List of pair distances for second molecule.
fracdist-s	0.2	Acceptance half-width (fraction of pair distance).
axiss1	z	First axis definition for second molecule.
axiss2	y	Second axis definition for second molecule.
q		

# The power of the method

The power of the method arises from the fact that awkward integrals over angular coordinates are replaced by simple sums over the coefficients

**The spherical harmonic representation is an extremely compact method of storing many-body correlation functions.**

The added bonus is that having calculated the coefficients you can go back and interrogate the distribution in various ways without having to recalculate the atom positions all over again.

## Sharm and SDF

**Calculates the spherical harmonic coefficients** for the Spatial Density Function (SDF) and the Orientational Correlation Function (OCF)

## PLOT2D and PLOT3D

This is where I really to integrate over a certain variable or over a different one

## Input file for PLOT3D

Basically once the coefficients have been calculated you can choose how to sum the up (this step is equivalent to an integration in one of the variables) and this is done directly in the plot routine

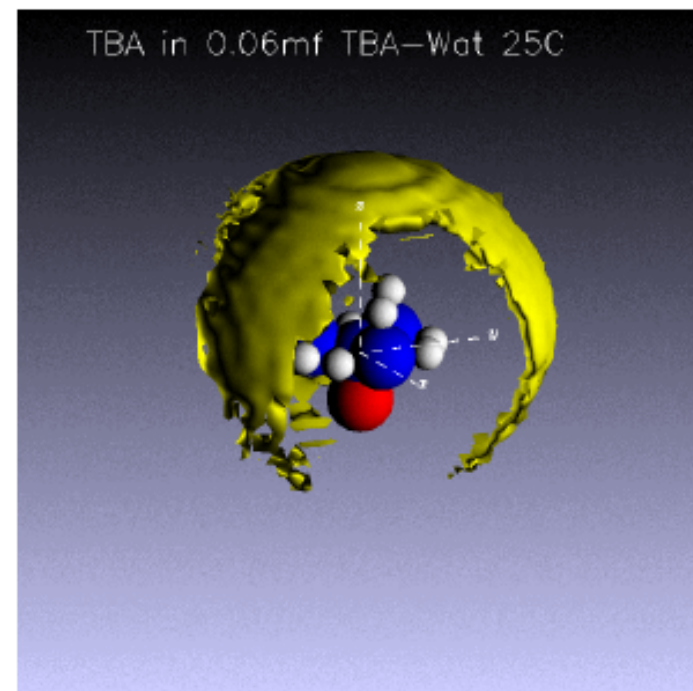
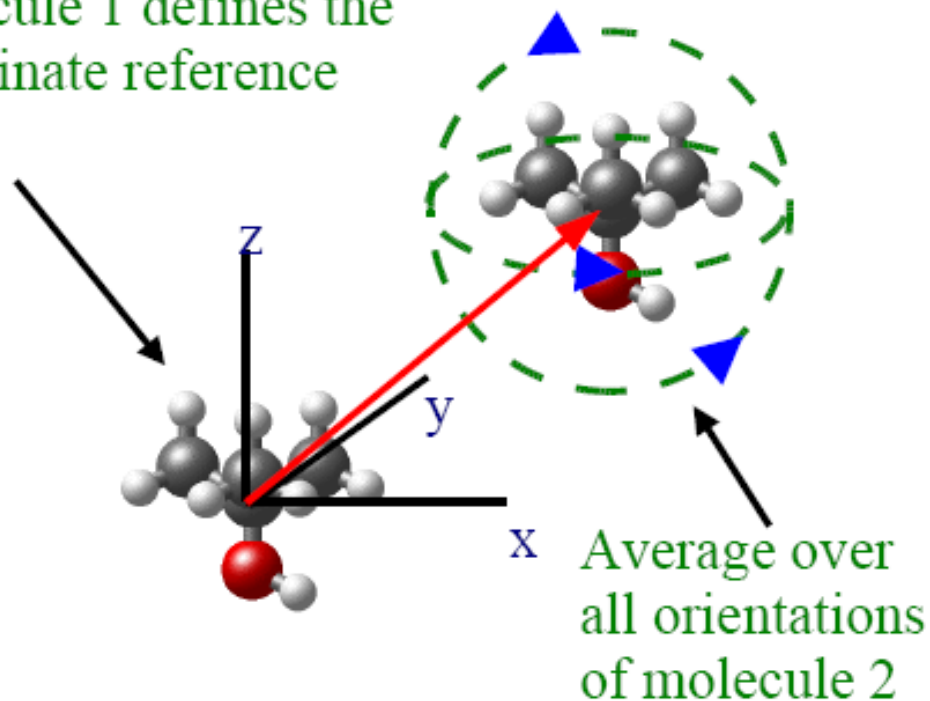
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sio2_095.SDF.h01
16          no. of coefficients - determined from coefficients file
1           = 0 for identical molecules, else 1 if different
1           0 sets first coefficient to zero - normally 1
4           number of smoothings on coefficients
6           maximum radius of plotting box
1 1         no. of plots along x- and y-axis [set at 1 1]
1.0         aspect ratio of plot [1.0]
1 6         minimum and maximum radius of plot
0.2         fractional isosurface level (-ve for absolute)
1 0         use l1 and l2 (1 or 0)
1 0         use n1 and n2 (1 or 0)
0           use m (1 or 0)
1           vary (thetal, phil) (1), (thetam, phim) (2), (thetam, chim) (3)
0 0 0
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...etc

## Spatial Density/Distribution Functions (SDF's)

The spatial density function,  $g(\mathbf{r}, \Omega)$ , represents the probability of finding a neighbouring molecule as a function of radial distance  $\mathbf{r}$  and orientation  $\Omega$ , about a central molecule defining the coordinate reference frame.

Molecule 1 defines the coordinate reference frame

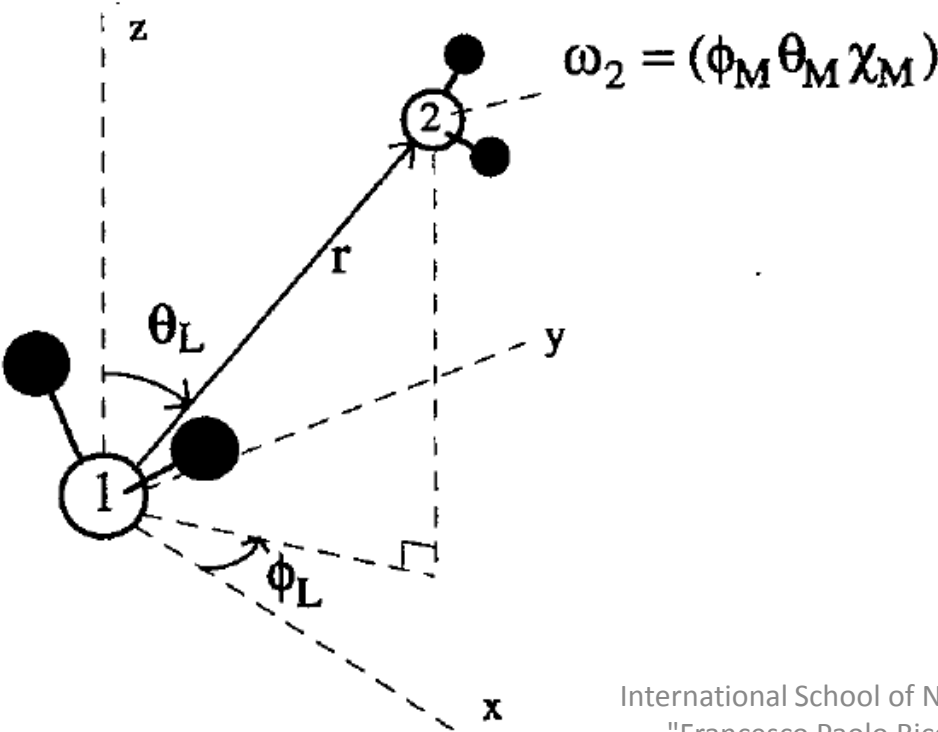


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1 0          use n1 and n2 (1 or 0)
0           use m (1 or 0)
1           vary (thetal, phil) (1), (thetam, phim) (2), (thetam, chim) (3)
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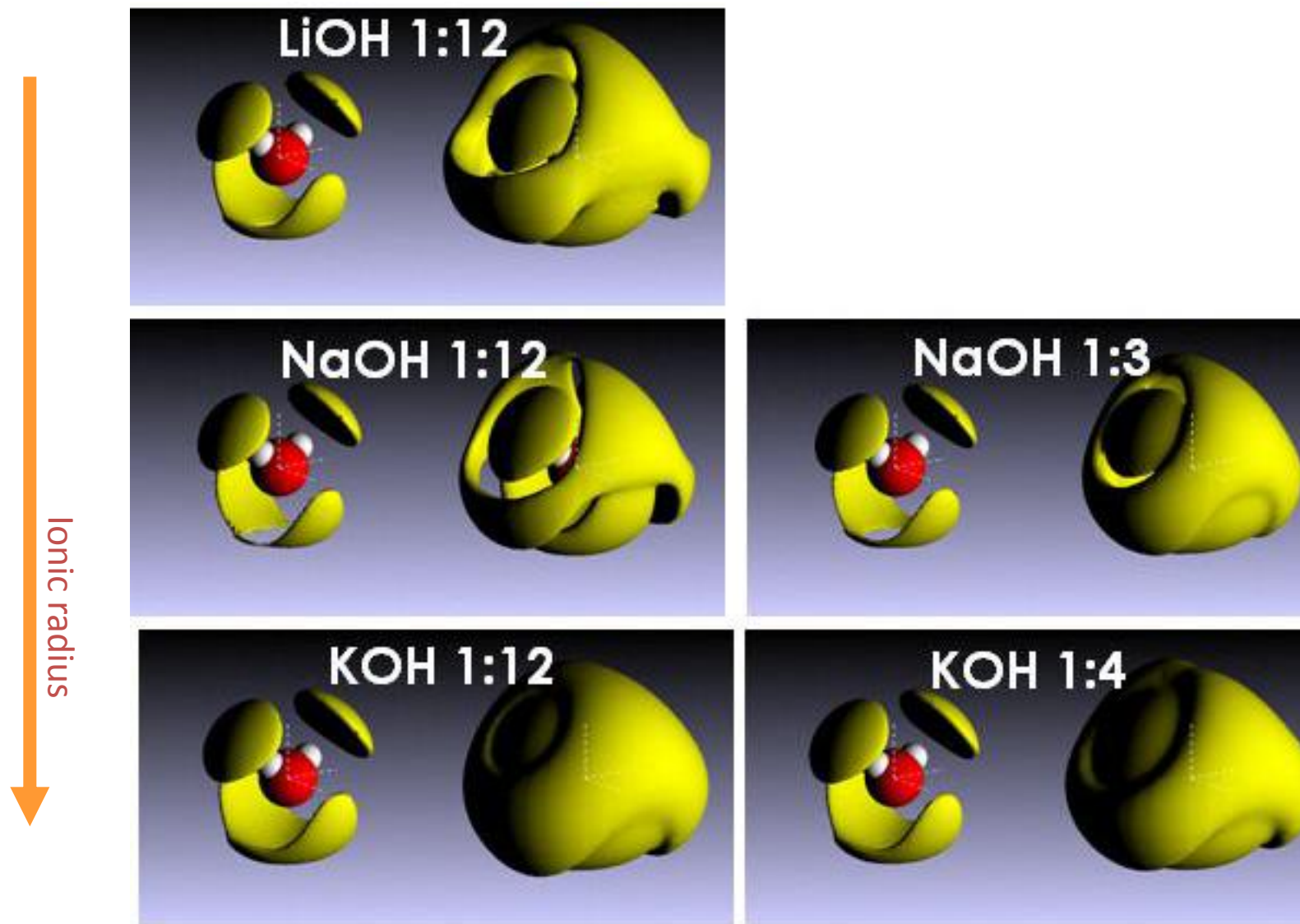
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$$D^l_{mn}(\omega) = e^{-im\phi} d^l_{mn}(\theta) e^{-in\chi}$$



Euler angle	“Quantum” no.
f	m
q	lmn
c	n

Relative position		Orientation of molecule 2	
l1 (l)	1	l2	0
n1 (n)	1	n2	0
		m2	0



Ion concentration →

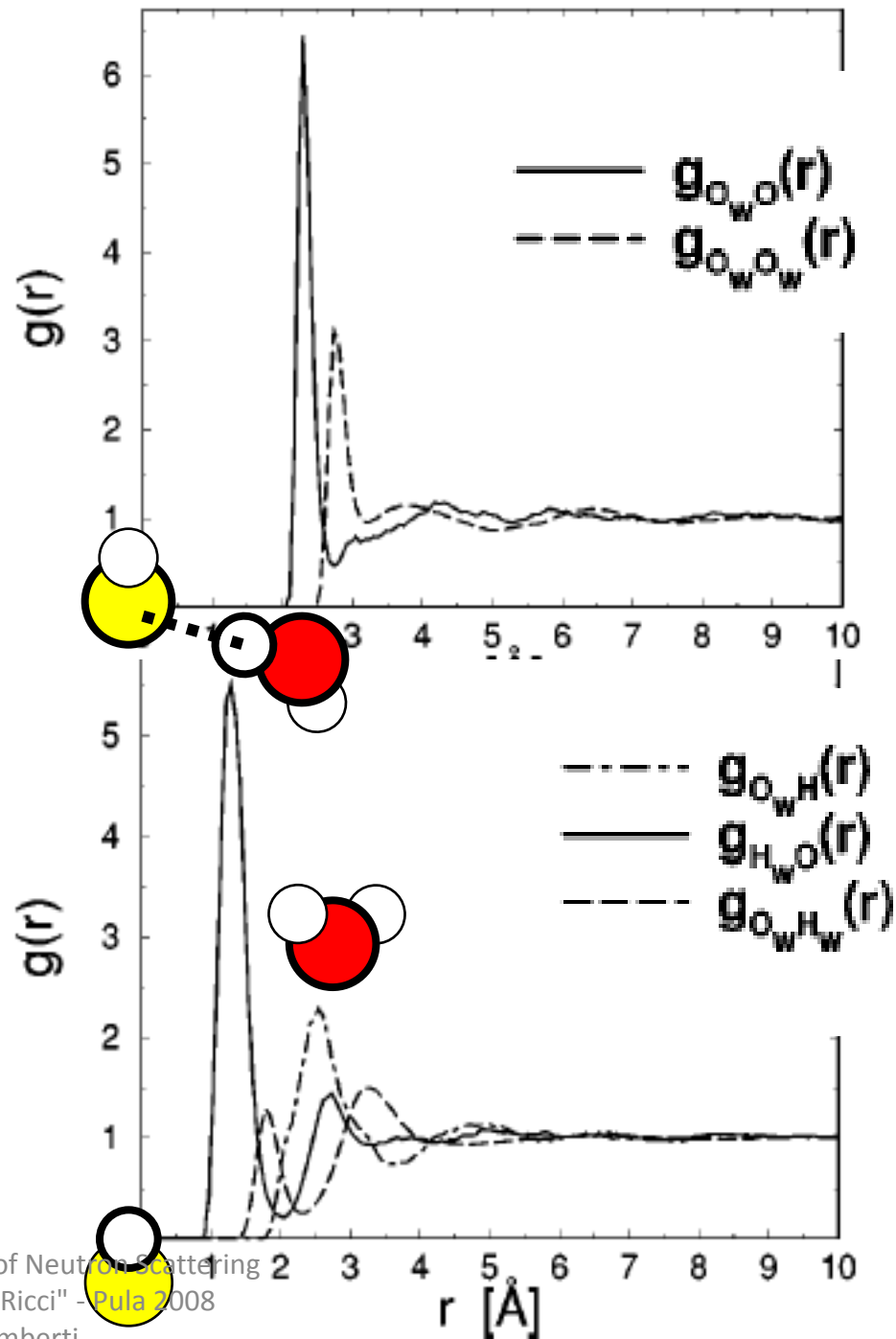
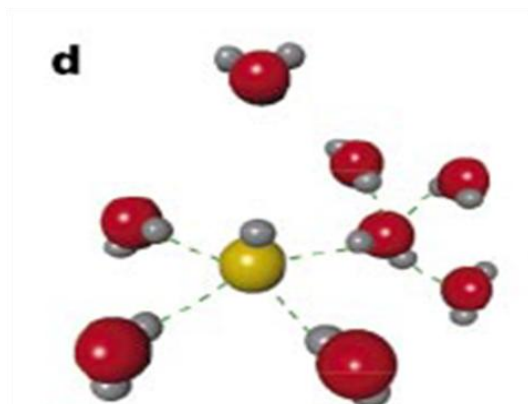
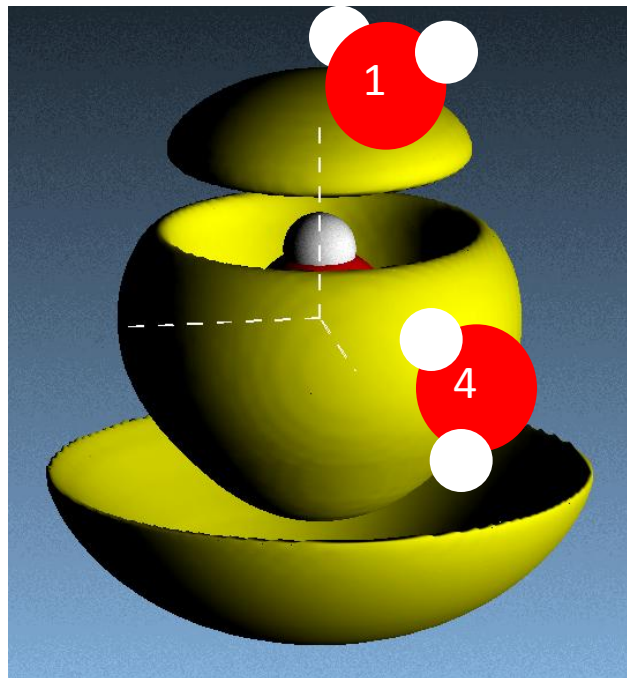
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## Hydroxyl ion solvation shell

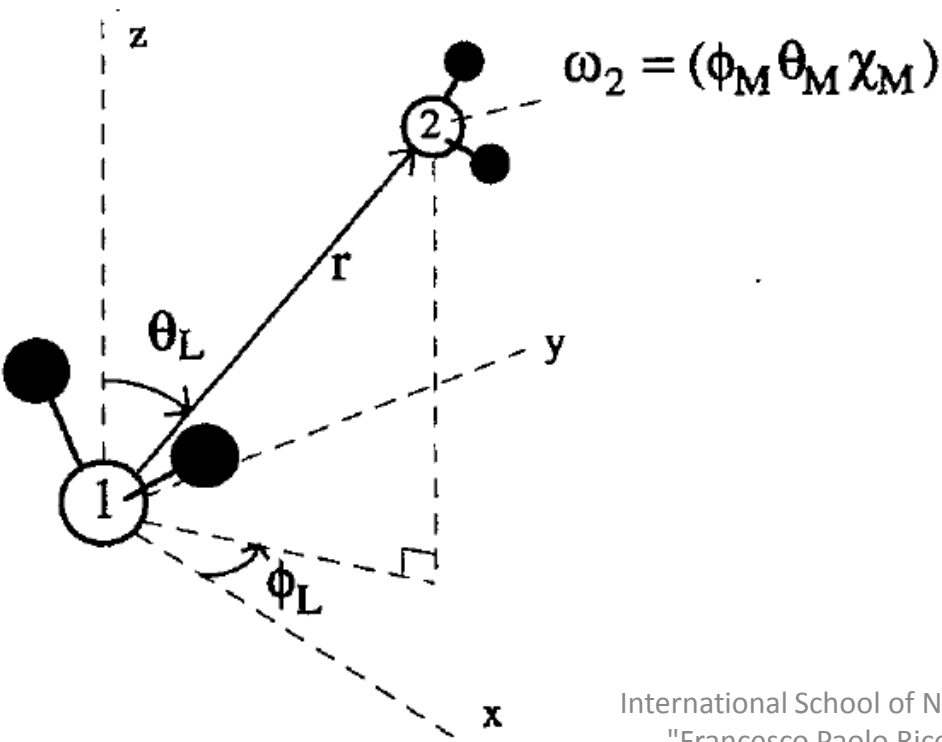


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1 0      use l1 and l2 (1 or 0)
1 0      use n1 and n2 (1 or 0)
0        use m (1 or 0)
1        vary (thetal, phil) (1), (thetam, phim) (2), (thetam, chim) (3)
0 0 0

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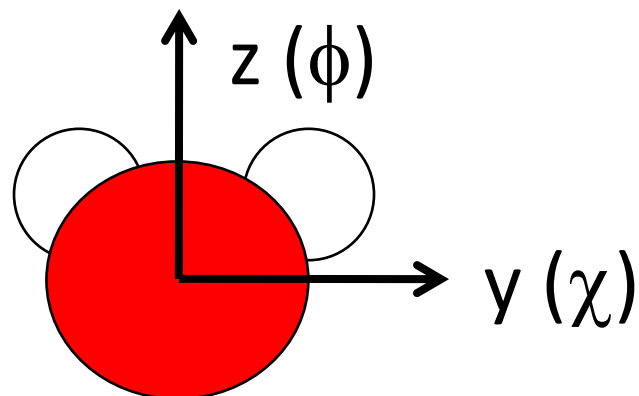
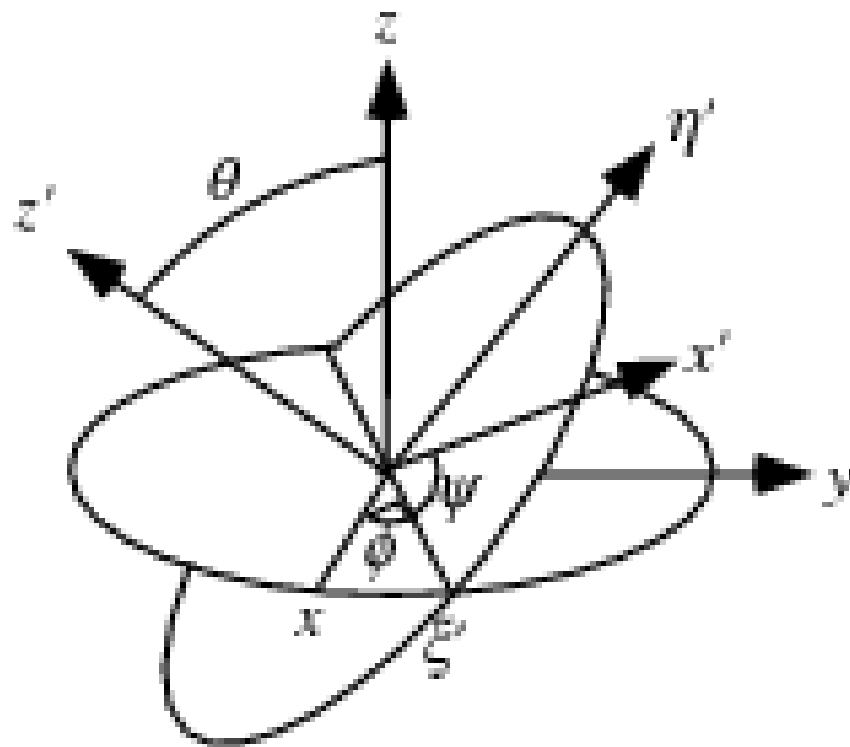
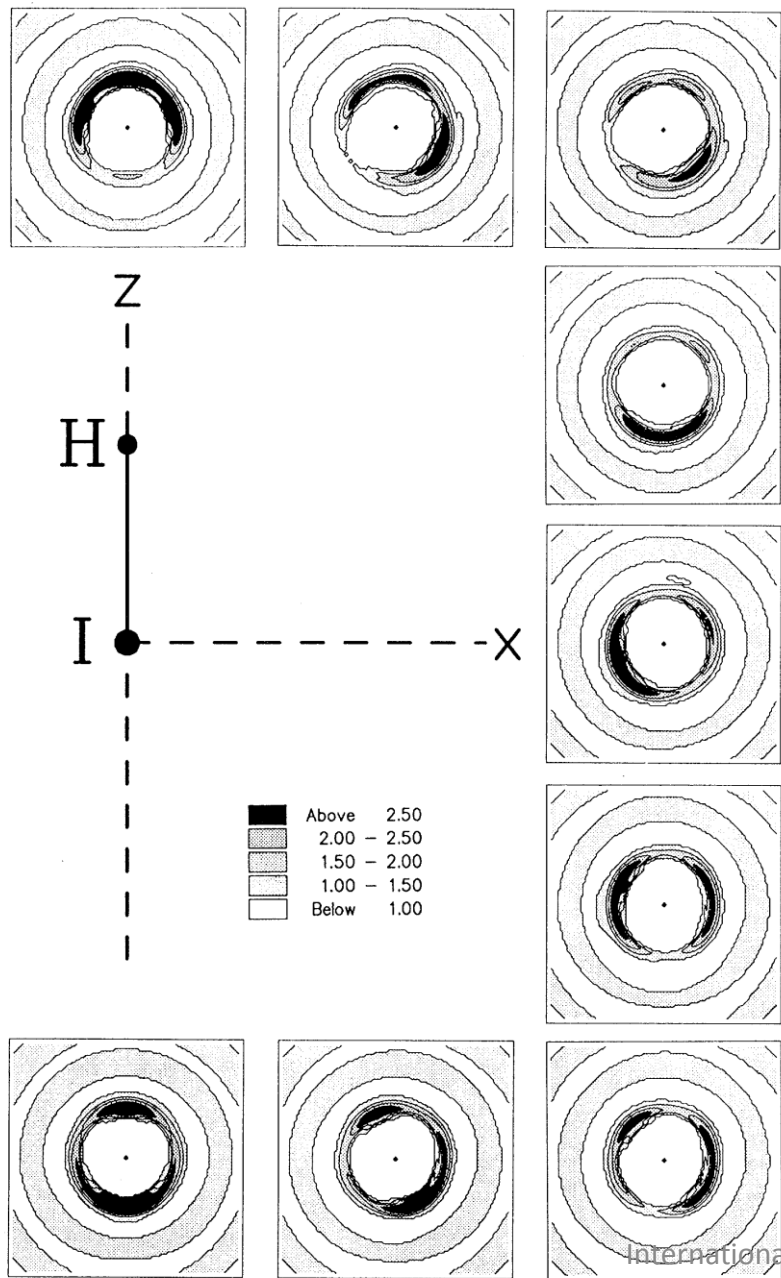
$$D^l_{mn}(\omega) = e^{-im\phi} d^l_{mn}(\theta) e^{-in\chi}$$



Euler angle	“Quantum” no.
f	m
q	lmn
c	n

Relative position		Orientation of molecule 2	
l1 (l)	1	l2	1
n1 (n)	1	n2	1
		m2	1

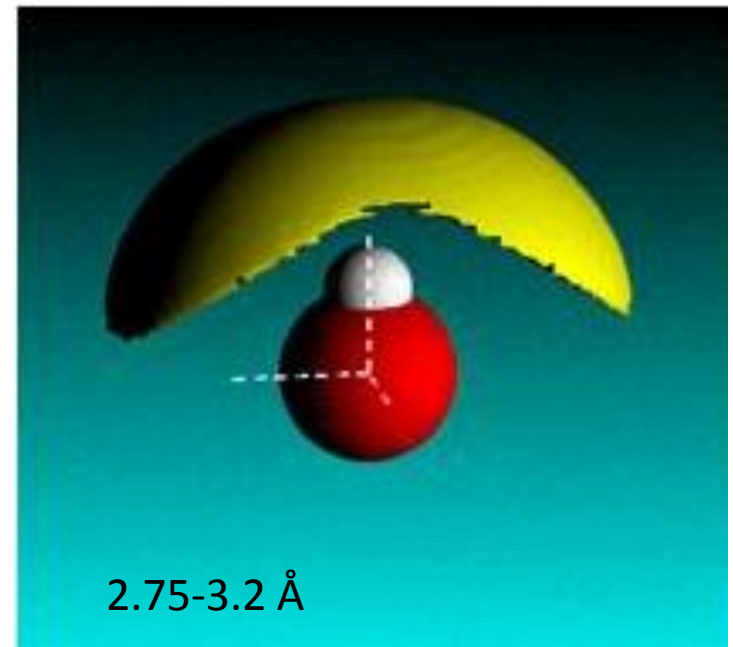
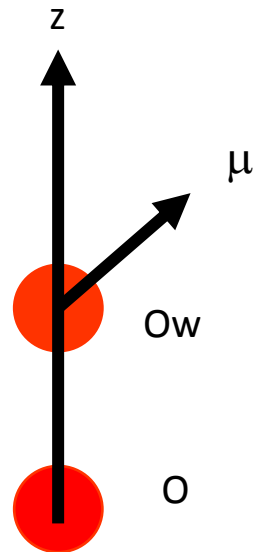
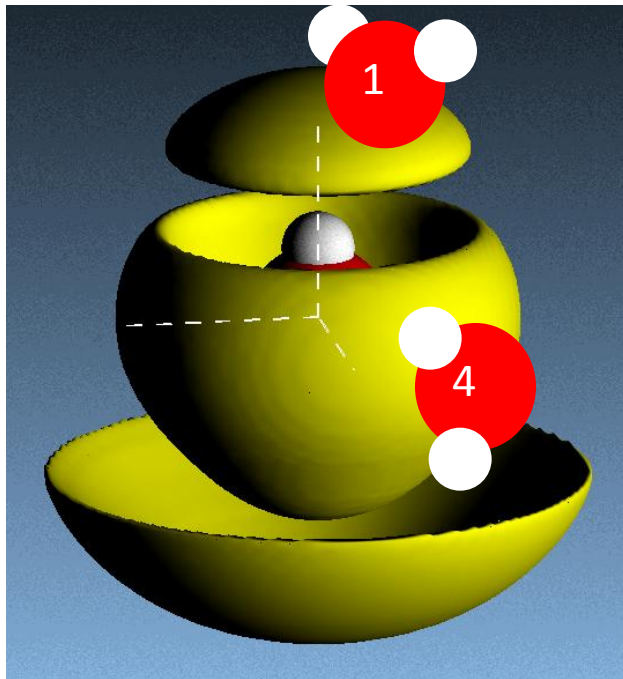




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1 1          #11 if zero use only l1=0 and/or l2=0
1 1          #12 if zero use only n1=0 and/or n2=0
1           #13 if zero use only m2=0
3           #14 vary thetal and phil(1) thetam and
phim(2), or thetam and chim(3) for second molecule

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The most exciting phrase to hear in science, the one that heralds new discoveries, is not “Eureka” (I’ve found it!) but “That’s funny...”

(Isaac Asimov)

Have fun!