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Supporting Information

Can Variations of ^1H NMR Chemical Shifts in Benzene Substituted with an Electron-Accepting (NO_2)/Donating (NH_2) Group be Explained in Terms of Resonance Effects of Substituents?

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Table S1. Experimental (in CDCl₃)^{1,2} and calculated (BPW91/6-311G(d,p)//BPW91/6-311++G(d,p), in CHCl₃) ¹H NMR chemical shifts of benzene (R = H), aniline (R = NH₂) and nitrobenzene (R = NO₂) in *ortho* (*o*-), *meta* (*m*-) and *para* (*p*-) relation to the substituent.

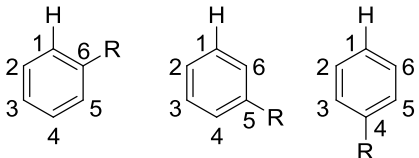
R	H	<i>o</i> -NH ₂	<i>m</i> -NH ₂	<i>p</i> -NH ₂	<i>o</i> -NO ₂	<i>m</i> -NO ₂	<i>p</i> -NO ₂
Exp	7.31	6.68	7.15	6.76	8.16	7.52	7.68
Calc	7.57	6.66	7.21	6.70	8.38	7.75	7.91

Table S2. NLMO contributions to the total isotropic proton shielding in benzene (R = H), aniline (R = NH₂) and nitrobenzene (R = NO₂), calculated at the BPW91/6-311G(d,p)//BPW91/6-311++G(d,p), in CHCl₃. The proton in question is the one bound to the C1 atom. Values are in ppm.

NLMO	H	<i>o</i> -NH ₂	<i>m</i> -NH ₂	<i>p</i> -NH ₂	<i>o</i> -NO ₂	<i>m</i> -NO ₂	<i>p</i> -NO ₂
C1-C2	-2.13	-1.83	-2.38	-2.05	-2.01	-2.60	-2.62
C1-C6	-2.13	-1.61	-2.22	-2.05	-1.64	-2.19	-2.62
C2-C3	-0.33	-0.35	-0.25	-0.36	-0.22	-0.24	-0.37
C5-C6	-0.33	-0.26	-0.31	-0.36	-0.29	-0.33	-0.37
C3-C4	-0.04	-0.01	-0.06	-0.05	0.05	-0.07	-0.11
C4-C5	-0.04	0.01	-0.06	-0.05	-0.02	-0.11	-0.11
C-C_{total}	-5.00	-4.05	-5.28	-4.92	-4.13	-5.54	-6.18
C1-H	27.10	26.84	27.17	27.08	26.14	26.97	27.14
C2-H	-0.27	-0.30	-0.21	-0.24	-0.33	-0.26	-0.18
C6-H	-0.27	/	-0.23	-0.24	/	-0.21	-0.18
C3-H	-0.06	-0.06	-0.08	-0.07	-0.08	-0.06	-0.03
C5-H	-0.06	-0.04	/	-0.07	-0.05	/	-0.03
C4-H	-0.09	-0.08	-0.07	/	-0.09	-0.05	/
C-H_{total}	26.35	26.36	26.58	26.46	25.59	26.39	26.72
C=C_{total}	2.27	2.35	2.66	2.89	2.05	2.40	2.28

CR (C)_{total}	0.47	0.40	0.60	0.61	0.26	0.72	0.98
C-N	/	-0.50	-0.19	-0.17	-0.26	-0.02	-0.01
N-H _{total}	/	0.06	0.08	0.06	/	/	/
N-O _{total}	/	/	/	/	0.53	0.23	0.18
N=O	/	/	/	/	1.04	0.27	0.16
LP _π	/	0.41	0.00	0.05	-0.52	-0.19	-0.12
LP _{other}	/	/	/		-1.23	-0.30	-0.26
CR (N/O) _{total}	/	-0.04	-0.02	-0.02	-0.06	-0.02	-0.02
R	/	-0.48	-0.13	-0.13	-1.02	-0.11	-0.09
π_{total}	2.27	2.76	2.65	2.94	2.57	2.48	2.32
Total	24.09	24.99	24.42	24.96	23.27	23.94	23.75

Table S3. NLMO contributions to the paramagnetic and diamagnetic component of shielding tensor in benzene (R = H), aniline (R = NH₂) and nitrobenzene (R = NO₂), calculated at the BPW91/6-311G(d,p)//BPW91/6-311++G(d,p), in CHCl₃. The proton in question is the one bound to the C1 atom. Values are in ppm.

NLMO							
	H	<i>o</i> -NH ₂	<i>m</i> -NH ₂	<i>p</i> -NH ₂	<i>o</i> -NO ₂	<i>m</i> -NO ₂	<i>p</i> -NO ₂
C1-C2	-2.13	-1.83	-2.38	-2.05	-2.01	-2.60	-2.62
para	-2.68	-2.49	-2.92	-2.55	-2.65	-3.14	-3.24
dia	0.55	0.66	0.55	0.50	0.64	0.55	0.62
C1-C6	-2.13	-1.61	-2.22	-2.05	-1.64	-2.19	-2.62
para	-2.68	-1.57	-2.70	-2.55	-1.98	-2.73	-3.24
dia	0.55	-0.04	0.48	0.50	0.35	0.55	0.62
C2-C3	-0.33	-0.35	-0.25	-0.36	-0.22	-0.24	-0.37
para	-0.37	-0.39	-0.30	-0.35	-0.30	-0.28	-0.37
dia	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.01	0.08	0.04	0.00
C5-C6	-0.33	-0.26	-0.31	-0.36	-0.29	-0.33	-0.37
para	-0.37	-0.38	-0.18	-0.35	-0.35	-0.30	-0.37
dia	0.04	0.12	-0.13	0.01	0.06	-0.03	0.00
C3-C4	-0.04	-0.01	-0.06	-0.05	0.05	-0.07	-0.11
para	-0.60	-0.56	-0.59	-0.60	-0.49	-0.60	-0.69
dia	0.56	0.55	0.53	0.55	0.54	0.53	0.58
C4-C5	-0.04	0.01	-0.06	-0.05	-0.02	-0.11	-0.11
para	-0.60	-0.54	-0.71	-0.60	-0.55	-0.72	-0.69
dia	0.56	0.55	0.65	0.55	0.53	0.61	0.58

C-C_{total}	-5.00	-4.05	-5.28	-4.92	-4.13	-5.54	-6.18
para	-7.30	-5.92	-7.40	-7.01	-6.31	-7.77	-8.57
dia	2.30	1.88	2.12	2.09	2.19	2.23	2.40
C1-H	27.10	26.84	27.17	27.08	26.14	26.97	27.14
para	2.66	2.28	2.63	2.50	2.57	2.83	2.97
dia	24.44	24.56	24.54	24.58	23.57	24.14	24.17
C2-H	-0.27	-0.30	-0.21	-0.24	-0.33	-0.26	-0.18
para	-1.12	-1.16	-1.01	-1.09	-1.21	-1.14	-1.06
dia	0.85	0.86	0.81	0.85	0.88	0.88	0.88
C6-H	-0.27	/	-0.23	-0.24	/	-0.21	-0.18
para	-1.12	/	-1.10	-1.09	/	-1.14	-1.06
dia	0.85	/	0.87	0.85	/	0.93	0.88
C3-H	-0.06	-0.06	-0.08	-0.07	-0.08	-0.06	-0.03
para	-0.24	-0.24	-0.24	-0.19	-0.27	-0.25	-0.23
dia	0.18	0.18	0.16	0.12	0.19	0.19	0.20
C5-H	-0.06	-0.04	/	-0.07	-0.05	/	-0.03
para	-0.24	-0.27	/	-0.19	-0.28	/	-0.23
dia	0.18	0.23	/	0.12	0.23	/	0.20
C4-H	-0.09	-0.08	-0.07	/	-0.09	-0.05	/
para	-0.08	-0.06	-0.07	/	-0.08	-0.07	/
dia	-0.01	-0.02	0.00	/	-0.01	0.02	/
C-H_{total}	26.35	26.36	26.58	26.46	25.59	26.39	26.72
para	-0.13	0.56	0.22	-0.07	0.73	0.24	0.38
dia	26.46	25.80	26.36	26.53	24.86	26.15	26.34
C=C_{total}	2.27	2.35	2.66	2.89	2.05	2.40	2.28
para	-3.57	-3.32	-3.10	-3.06	-3.60	-3.36	-3.33
dia	5.83	5.67	5.76	5.95	5.65	5.76	5.61
CR (C)_{total}	0.47	0.40	0.60	0.61	0.26	0.72	0.98
para	0.89	0.83	1.03	1.08	0.67	1.13	1.39
dia	-0.42	-0.43	-0.43	-0.47	-0.41	-0.41	-0.41
C-N	/	-0.50	-0.19	-0.17	-0.26	-0.02	-0.01
para	/	-1.59	-0.27	0.01	1.02	0.13	0.38
dia	/	1.09	-0.08	-0.18	-0.76	-0.15	-0.39
N-H _{total}	/	0.06	0.08	0.06	/	/	/
para	/	-0.80	-0.66	-0.66	/	/	/
dia	/	0.86	0.74	0.72	/	/	/
N-O _{total}	/	/	/	/	0.53	0.23	0.18
para	/	/	/	/	-0.70	-0.83	-0.90
dia	/	/	/	/	1.24	1.06	1.08
N=O	/	/	/	/	1.04	0.27	0.16
para	/	/	/	/	-0.69	-0.53	-0.27
dia	/	/	/	/	1.74	0.80	0.43
LP _π	/	0.41	0.00	0.05	-0.52	-0.19	-0.12
para	/	-0.06	-0.05	-0.09	-0.06	0.05	-0.18

dia	/	0.47	0.05	0.14	-0.46	-0.24	0.06
LP _{other}	/	/	/	/	-1.23	-0.30	-0.26
para	/	/	/	/	0.77	0.43	0.33
dia	/	/	/	/	-2.00	-0.73	-0.59
CR (N/O) _{total}	/	-0.04	-0.02	-0.02	-0.06	-0.02	-0.02
para	/	-0.01	0.00	0.00	-0.04	0.00	0.00
dia	/	-0.03	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02
R	/	-0.48	-0.13	-0.13	-1.02	-0.11	-0.09
para	/	-2.39	-0.94	-0.64	-1.00	-0.26	-0.19
dia	/	1.92	0.81	0.51	-0.02	0.15	0.10
π_{total}	2.27	2.76	2.65	2.94	2.57	2.48	2.32
para	-3.57	-3.40	-3.15	-3.12	-4.34	-3.85	-3.78
dia	5.83	6.16	5.80	6.06	6.91	6.33	6.10
Total	24.09	24.99	24.42	24.96	23.27	23.94	23.75
para	-10.11	-10.34	-10.24	-9.73	-10.25	-10.52	-10.76
dia	34.19	35.34	34.67	34.69	33.52	34.46	34.51

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**Absolute energies and x, y, z coordinates of the optimized structures at the
BPW91/6-311++G(d,p) level**

Benzene

E = -232.2749331 a.u.

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	6	0	0.000000	1.401775	0.000000
2	6	0	1.213973	0.700887	0.000000
3	6	0	1.213973	-0.700888	0.000000
4	6	0	0.000000	-1.401775	0.000000
5	6	0	-1.213973	-0.700887	0.000000
6	6	0	-1.213973	0.700888	0.000000
7	1	0	0.000000	2.493267	0.000000
8	1	0	2.159233	1.246633	0.000000
9	1	0	2.159233	-1.246634	0.000000
10	1	0	0.000000	-2.493267	0.000000
11	1	0	-2.159233	-1.246634	0.000000
12	1	0	-2.159233	1.246634	0.000000

Aniline

E = -287.650898 a.u.

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z
1	6	0	0.001820	-1.175802	1.206893
2	6	0	0.001820	0.222024	1.213193
3	6	0	0.002002	0.944978	0.000000
4	6	0	0.001820	0.222024	-1.213193
5	6	0	0.001820	-1.175802	-1.206893
6	6	0	0.002552	-1.889371	0.000000
7	1	0	-0.000432	-1.711741	2.158175
8	1	0	0.003405	0.764048	2.161769
9	1	0	0.003405	0.764048	-2.161769
10	1	0	-0.000432	-1.711741	-2.158175
11	1	0	0.001644	-2.979892	0.000000
12	7	0	0.067404	2.341926	0.000000
13	1	0	-0.275214	2.796745	-0.841832
14	1	0	-0.275214	2.796745	0.841832

Nitrobenzene

E = -436.8488854 a.u.

Center Number	Atomic Number	Atomic Type	Coordinates (Angstroms)		
			X	Y	Z

1	6	0	0.000000	1.225665	-0.432694
2	6	0	0.000000	1.216402	-1.829760
3	6	0	0.000000	0.000000	-2.527125
4	6	0	0.000000	-1.216402	-1.829760
5	6	0	0.000000	-1.225665	-0.432694
6	6	0	0.000000	0.000000	0.242292
7	1	0	0.000000	2.155588	0.132466
8	1	0	0.000000	2.160958	-2.374124
9	1	0	0.000000	0.000000	-3.617814
10	1	0	0.000000	-2.160958	-2.374124
11	1	0	0.000000	-2.155588	0.132466
12	7	0	0.000000	0.000000	1.724290
13	8	0	0.000000	1.094347	2.305596
14	8	0	0.000000	-1.094347	2.305596
