

Chemical Deuteration Activities at CROSS



What is the purpose of deuteration?

Neutron contrast

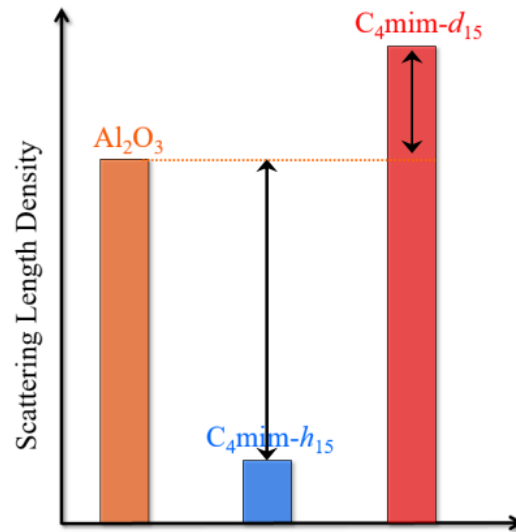
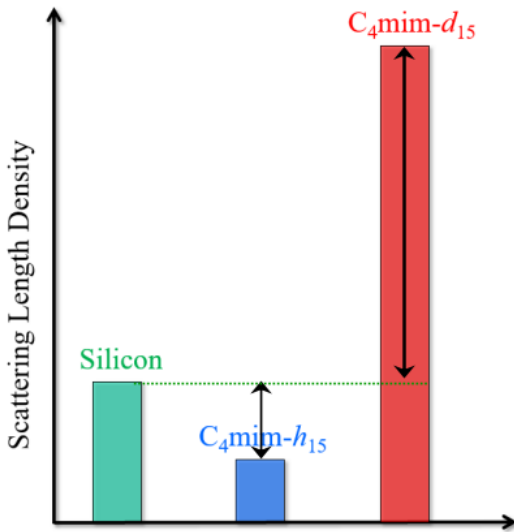
$$C_{4\text{mim-}h_{15}} < C_{4\text{mim-}d_{15}}$$

Neutron contrast

$$C_{4\text{mim-}h_{15}} > C_{4\text{mim-}d_{15}}$$

Incoherent scattering

$$C_{4\text{mim-}h_{15}} > C_{4\text{mim-}d_{15}}$$



	Coherent		Incoherent	
Ratio				Ratio
0.31		H		39.1
1.0		D		1.0
1.0		C		~0
1.97		N		0.24

For SANS or NR → contrast variation

For inelastic (quasi-elastic) neutron scattering

→ elimination of ^1H incoherent scattering

Use of deuterated materials @ J-PARC

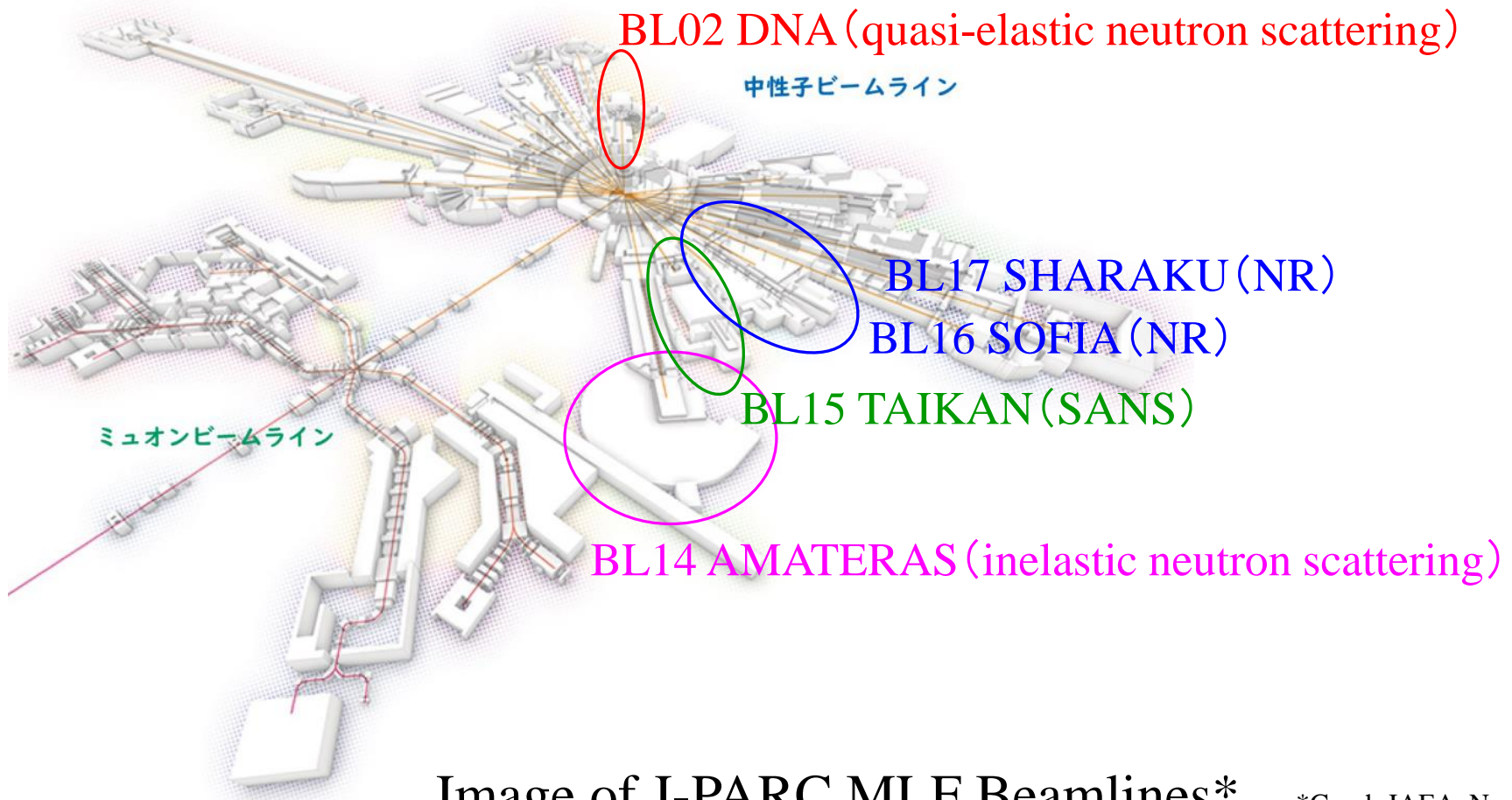


Image of J-PARC MLF Beamlines*

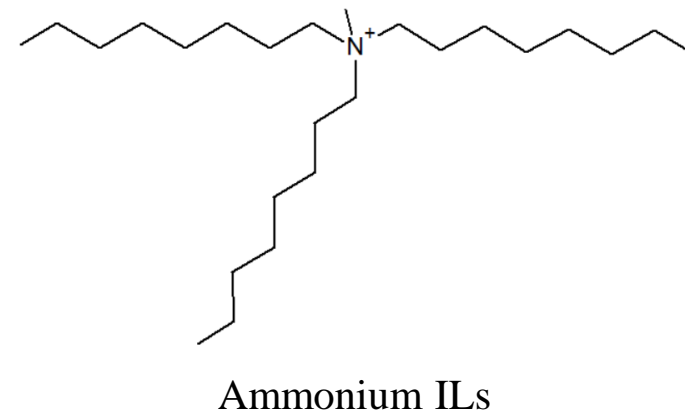
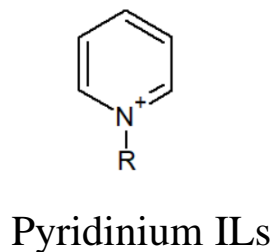
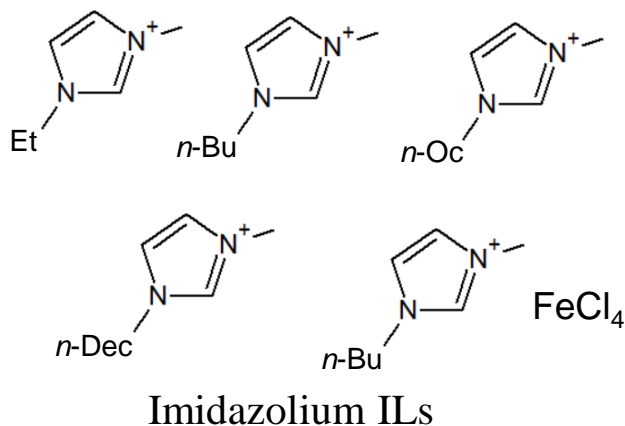
*Graph JAEA, No.11, 2019

Mary kinds of deuterated materials have been used at J-PARC MLF.

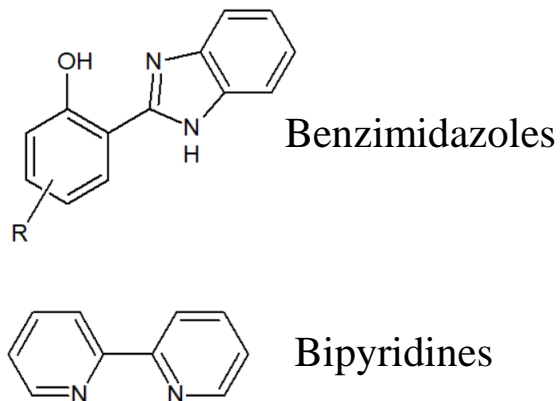
Deuteration Targets

Deuteration Requested Materials

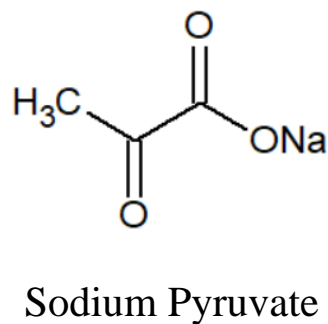
Ionic Liquids (ILs)



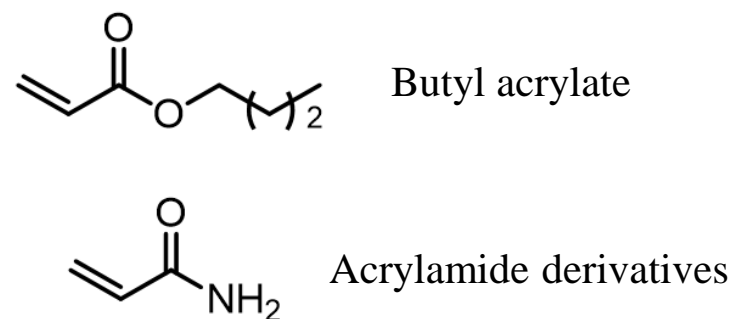
Fluorescent Dyes



Food Materials

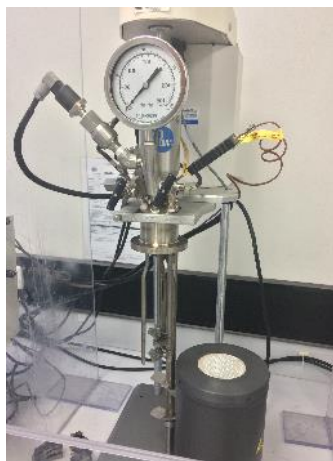


Monomers



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Deuteration of **imidazolium** ionic liquids @ANSTO-NDF



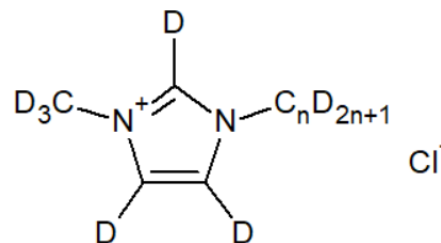
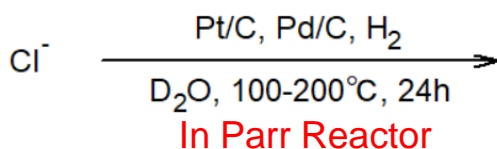
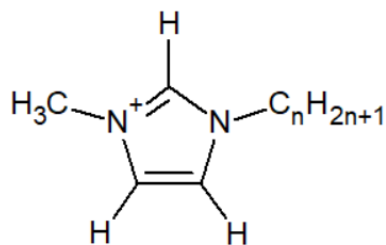
Parr Reactor



LC-MS



ANSTO-NDF staff



Deuteration Ratio
0~98%

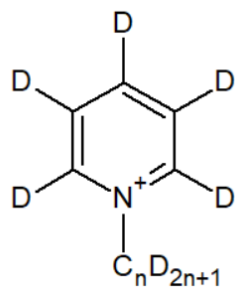
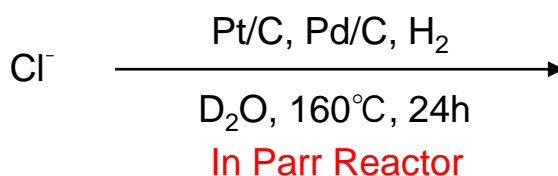
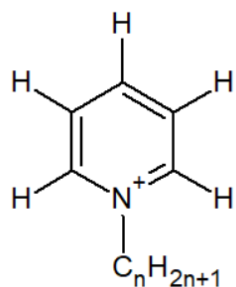
Detueration ratio controlled deuteration by one step reaction

Chemical Deuteration at CROSS_1

Deuteration of **pyridinium** ionic liquids @CROSS



Parr Reactor

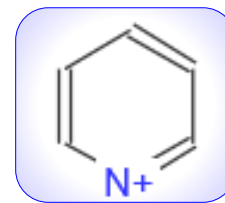


Cl^-

R = *n*-butyl

Deuteration Ratio = 46.7%

D > 90%



D < 50%

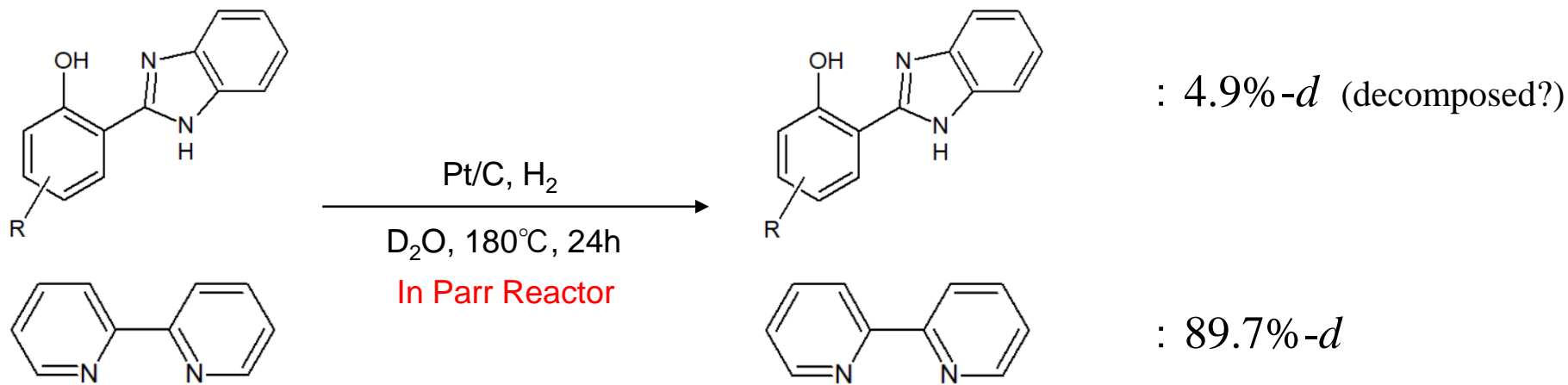


D < 10%

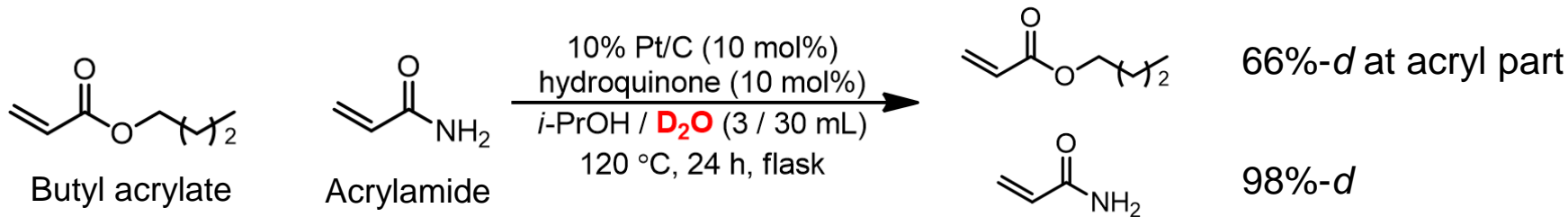


Chemical Deuteration at CROSS_2

Deuteration of **fluorescent dyes** @CROSS



Deuteration of **monomer** compounds @CROSS

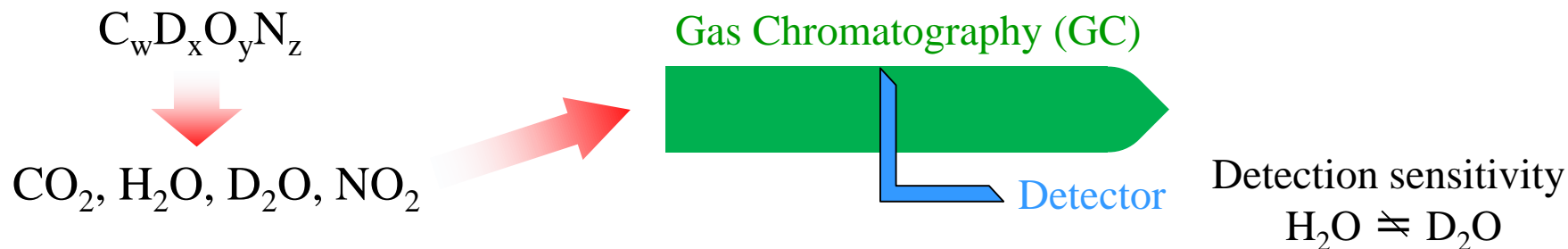


*K. Park, *et al*, *Adv. Synth. Catal.*, 2303 (2018).

Chemical Deuteration at CROSS_3

Development of elemental analysis method

*K. Akutsu, *et al.*, *JPS. Conf. Proc.*, **25**, 011018 (2019).



H/D correction formula can be expressed as*

$$\text{Corrected H}\% = AV_H \times R_H / (R_H + R_D \times 1.028) \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Corrected D}\% = AV_H \times R_D \times 1.028 \times 1.944 / (R_H + R_D \times 1.028) \quad (2)$$

This is a collaboration work by CROSS and Japan Spectroscopic Corporation (JASCO)

Summary

- Deuteration of **Ionic Liquids, Fluorescent Dyes, and Monomers** have been carried out at CROSS.
- Various kinds of the deuterated materials are used **in inelastic (quasi-elastic) neutron scattering, SANS,** and **NR** experiments at J-PARC MLF

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