

Supporting Information to: Dynamic Nuclear Polarization Study of Inhibitor Binding to the M2₁₈₋₆₀ Proton Transporter from Influenza A

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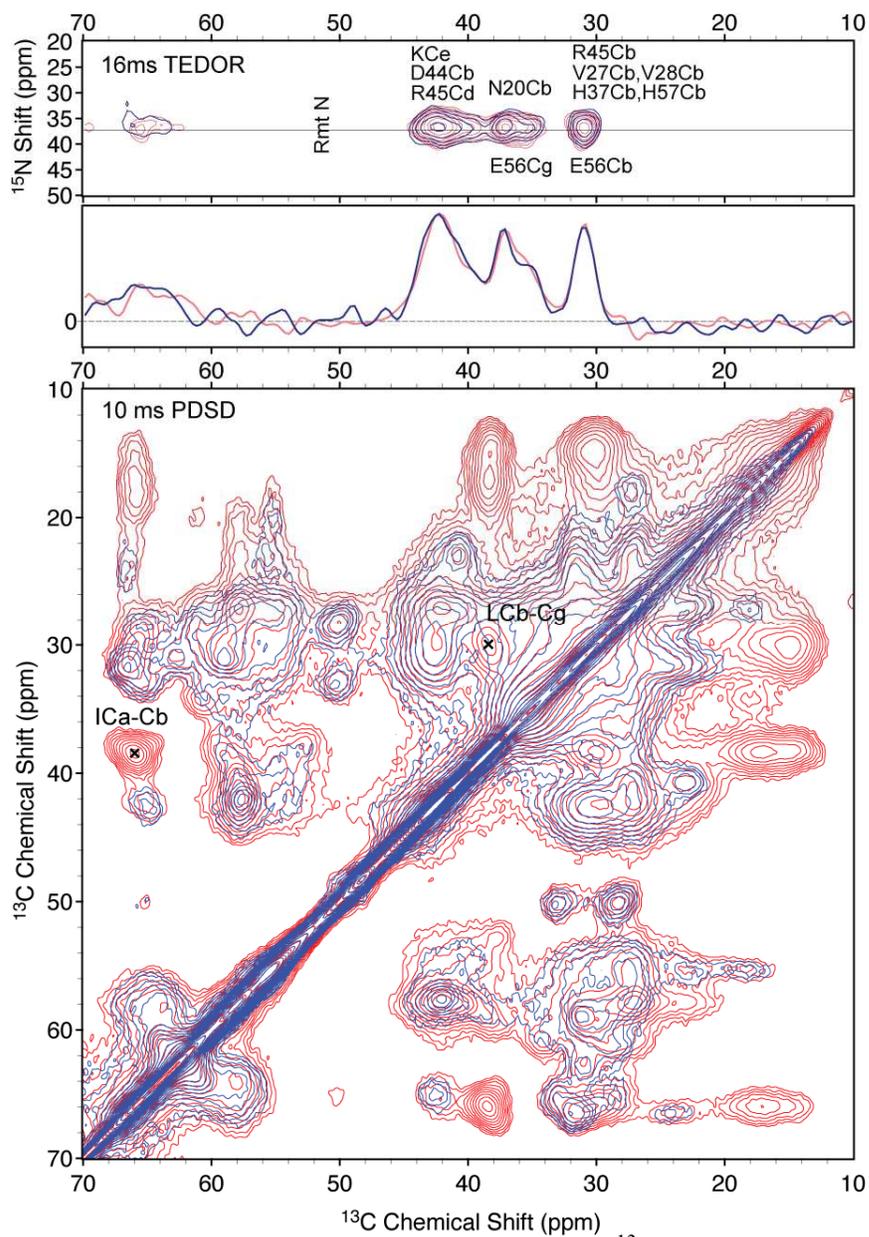


Figure S1. Top: 16 ms ZF-TEDOR spectra of ^{13}C -ILFY reverse labeled M2 (blue) show identical crosspeaks as FY reverse labeled M2 (red). A 1D slice from the 2D spectrum is displayed. Bottom: A 10 ms PDSD spectrum demonstrates successful labeling for these samples since Ile and Leu cross peaks are absent from the blue spectrum. Spectra were

recorded at 400 MHz, 9009 kHz MAS, and a temperature of ~ 105 K. D21G-D24G M2 was used, and ^{15}N was incorporated into the backbone of the protein with ^{15}N Leucine.

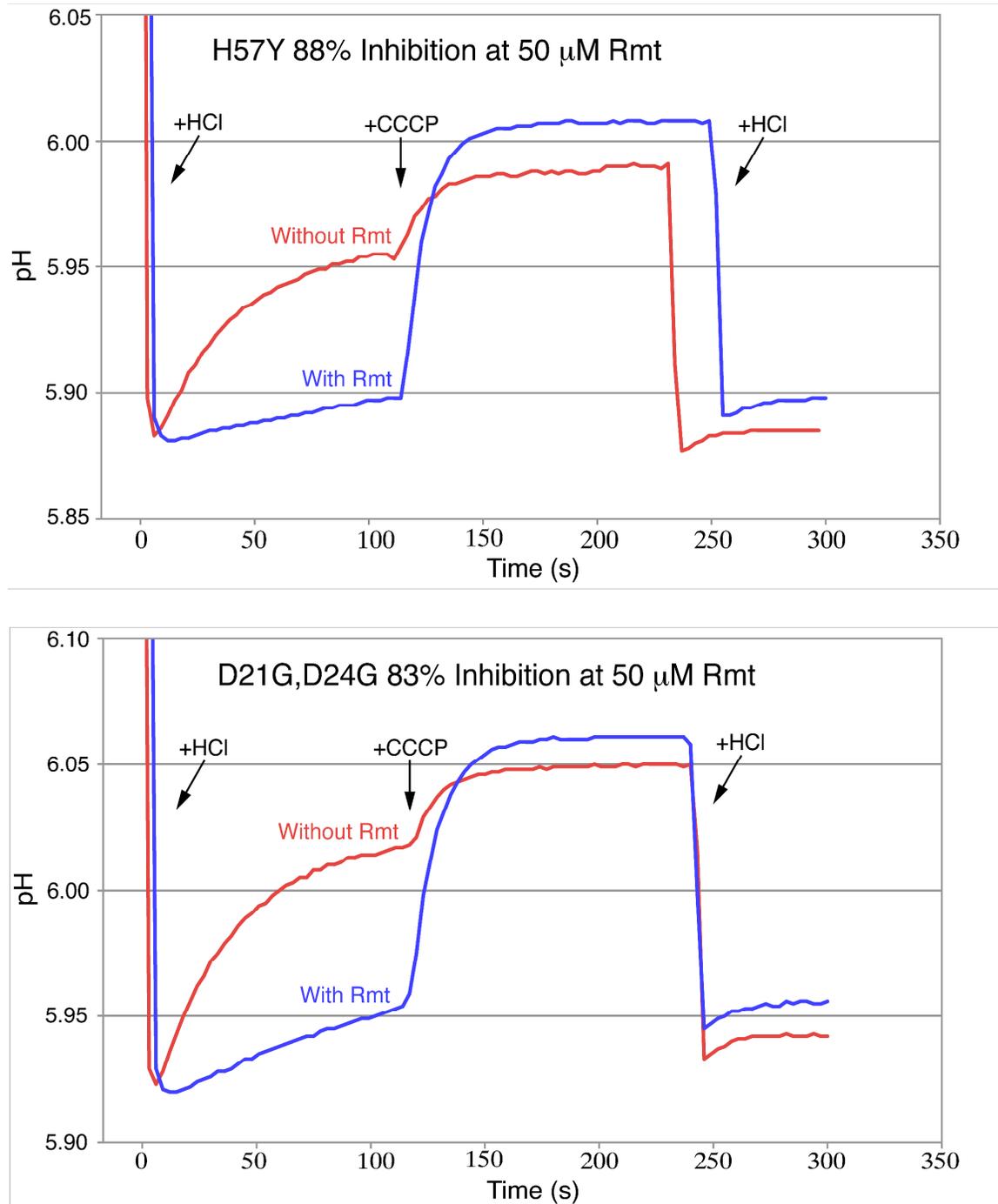


Figure S2. Channel current is measured indirectly by pH in a liposome assay described previously.⁽¹⁾ Briefly, M2 is prepared in liposomes, and the pH outside the liposomes is

measured as a function of time. Addition of HCl initiates channel conduction of protons into the liposomes, the initial slope of which is used as a measure of proton flux. The proton flux per channel was calculated using CCCP to equalize the pH inside and outside the liposome, followed by addition of a known amount of HCl to calculate the total buffering capacity. The D21G,D24G double mutant and the H57Y mutant are drug sensitive, with ~80-90% reduction in proton current in the presence of 50 μ M Rimantadine, similar to wild type protein.

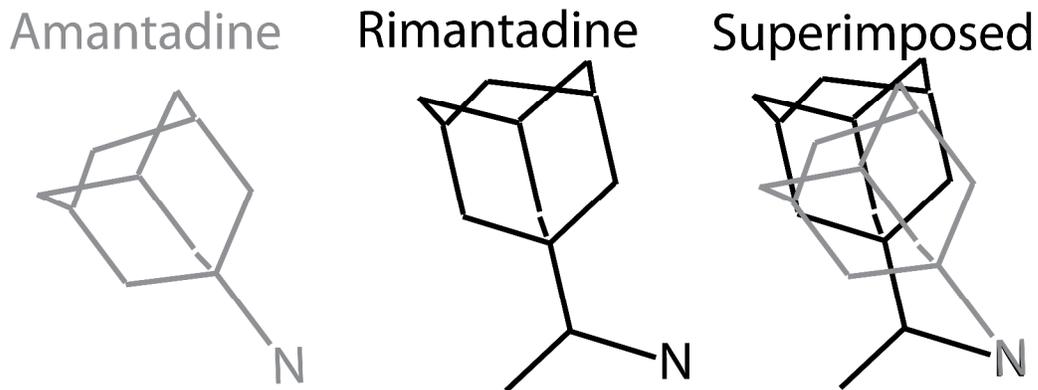


Figure S3. An illustration of the tilt angle measured by Hong and coworkers for Amantadine and Rimantadine(2, 3). Amantadine is tilted 37° from the bilayer normal, while Rimantadine is tilted by only 13° . In both cases, the amine and adamantyl ends of the molecule occupy similar positions relative to the membrane normal. The illustration was generated using a single internuclear distance and ideal angles of 120° for the projection of tetrahedral geometry in 2 dimensions.

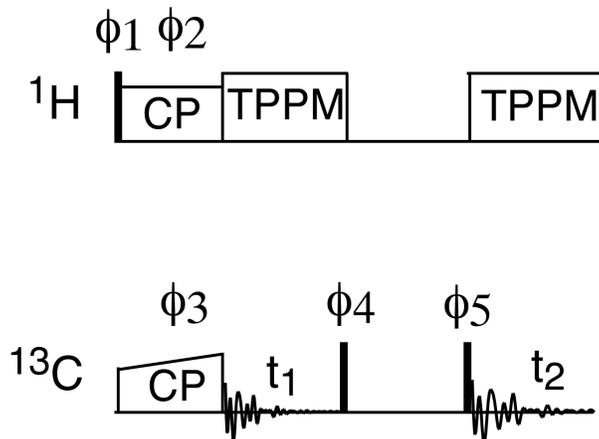


Figure S4. The Proton Driven Spin Diffusion (PDS) pulse program used in Figure 1 is depicted as previously described(4, 5). Narrow rectangles represent 90° pulses. A ^1H flip and decoupling power level of 83 kHz was used. Two pulse phase modulation(6) (TPPM) was optimized with phases of 18 and 0 degrees, and a pulse length of 5.8 μs . 83 kHz of ^{13}C was used for flip pulses. Cross polarization (CP) was applied for 1.5 to 2 ms with constant irradiation at ~ 70 kHz on ^1H and with an optimized ramp on ^{13}C centered at one rotor frequency below the proton nutation frequency. The phase cycle was: $\phi_1 = 13$, $\phi_2 = 2$, $\phi_3 = 1133$, $\phi_4 = 2$, $\phi_5 = 1111\ 3333\ 2222\ 4444$, $\phi_{\text{receiver}} = 2442\ 4224\ 3113\ 1331$, where $x=1$, $y=2$, $-x=3$, $-y=4$.

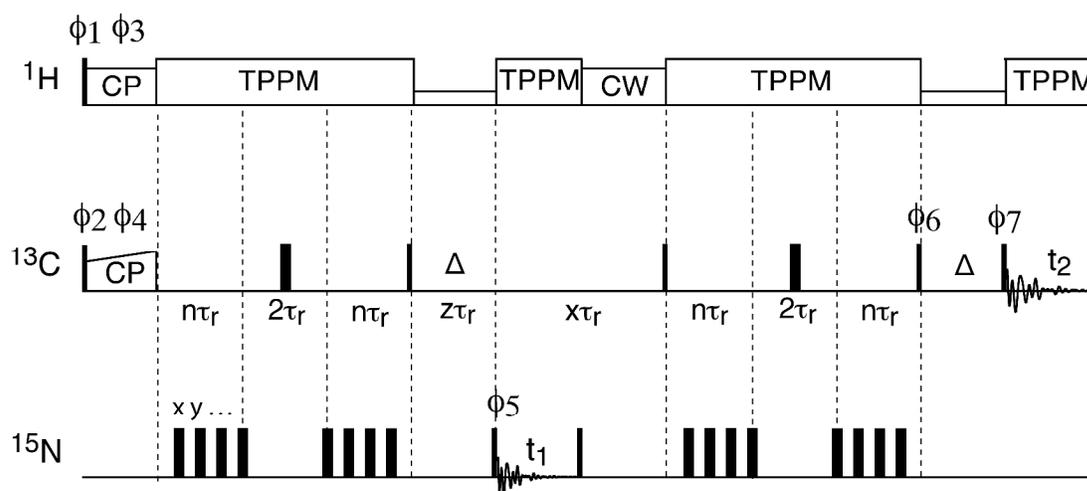


Figure S5. The z-filtered transferred echo double resonance (ZF-TEDOR) pulse program used in Figures 2-4 is depicted as previously described(7). Narrow rectangles represent 90° pulses, and broad rectangles represent 180° pulses. A ¹H flip and decoupling power level of 83 to 100 kHz was used during evolution, and ~100 kHz was applied during mixing. Two pulse phase modulation (TPPM) was optimized with phases of 18 and 0 degrees, and a pulse length of 5.8 μs (83 kHz) or 4.8 μs (100 kHz). 50 to 83 kHz of ¹³C was used for flip pulses. A power level of 20 to 40 kHz was typical for flip pulses on the ¹⁵N channel. At 278 K, cross polarization (CP) was applied for 1.5 to 2 ms with constant irradiation at ~70 kHz on ¹H and with an optimized ramp on ¹³C centered at one rotor frequency below the proton nutation frequency. At low temperature, 0.9 ms of CP was used. The phase cycle was: $\phi_1 = 16x(1) 16x(3)$, $\phi_2 = 16x(4) 16x(2)$, $\phi_3 = 2$, $\phi_4 = 1$, $\phi_5 = 13$, $\phi_6 = 2244$, $\phi_7 = 1111 2222 3333 4444$, $\phi_{\text{receiver}} = 4224 1331 2442 3113 2442 3113 4224 1331$, where $x=1$, $y=2$, $-x=3$, $-y=4$. The initial flip pulse on the ¹³C channel was omitted for spectra acquired at ~100 K. Rotor synchronization is indicated under the ¹³C channel in the figure. Mixing times ($4n\pi\tau$) are indicated in the manuscript. Z-filters of 2 to 4 rotor periods were sufficient to suppress unwanted coherences.

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