Submitting Samples to 500 MHz Spectrometer Using VNMRJ-3.2-A

Log in to your user account and add your samples to sample changer as usual – do not put your sample into the slot above the yellow triangle (this belongs to the sample that is already in the probe). You can submit to a <u>GREY</u>, GREEN or RED slots ONLY.

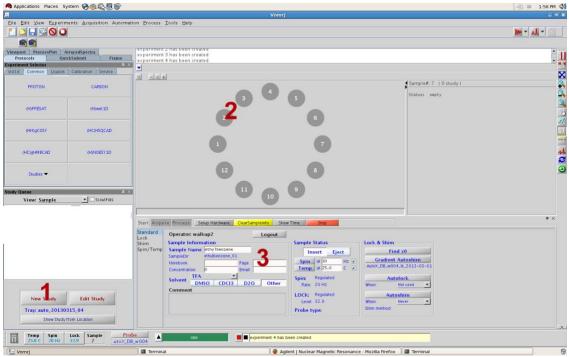


Figure 1

- **1.** Click **New Study (Figure 1)** to enter *Submit Mode.*
- **2.** Click the location in the sample tray that corresponds to your sample. The selected sample location will now show a flashing highlighted ring.
- 3. In the Start>SampleInfo tab fill in the sample information: SAMPLE NAME, SOLVENT. NOTE: Sample names must not contain symbols, spaces and periods. Stick to letters, number, hyphen or underscore only.
- **4. Check** either the **DayQ** or **NightQ** option. You need to do this part first before selecting experiments you want to run **[Figure 2]**
- **5.** Click on the button(s) in the **Experimental Selector** (such as **PROTON** or **CARBON**) that corresponds to the experiments that you wish to collect on your sample. *Note you can add as many experiments as you want to run for this sample if time allows*.
- **6.** Each Experiment will be added to the **Study Queue** as individual nodes.
- 7. Double click on these nodes to change the number of scans and other acquisition parameters in the **Acquire>Default** tabs (**Figure 3**)
- **8.** Click the **Submit** button to add your study to the queue and acquire data.

- **9.** If you have another sample to queue simply change the name of your sample in the **Start>Standard** tab, select the correct solvent and if you are running the same experiment just click the submit button to queue that sample. If you are running a different experiment (for example, if you submitted a proton previously but you now want to run a carbon with the next sample) drag the current experiment in the **Study Queue** to the trash can and select the new experiment from the **Experiment Selector**. You can then change the number of scans as in **Step 7** above and submit that sample.
- **10.** Once you are done submitting all your samples you may log out of the VNMRJ software by pressing the **logout button** in the **Start>SampleInfo** tab.

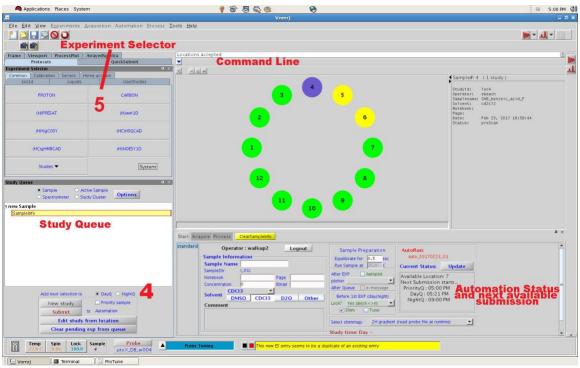


Figure 2

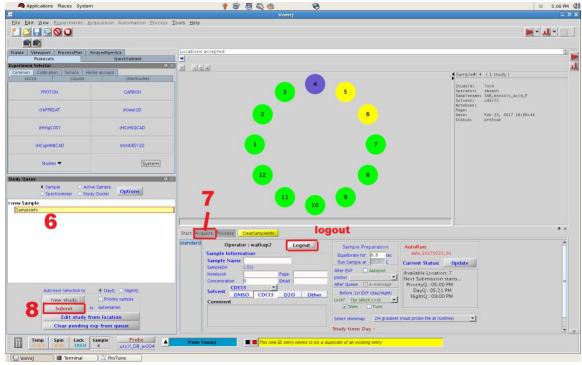


Figure 3

Once your experiments are done, the NMR will eject your sample. During the eject process, you will see your sample bounce up and down in the sample changer. Do not remove your sample at this stage. Wait for the eject process to complete and your sample stops moving before you take your sample out of the sample changer.