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Slow-Motion 1H NMR Study of κ -(ET) $_2$ Cu[N(CN) $_2$]Br 1 J.C. GEZO, TAK-KEI LUI, R.W. GIANNETTA, C.P. SLICHTER, Loomis Laboratory of Physics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, J.A. SCHLEUTER, Materials Sciences Division, Argonne National Laboratory — The recent discovery of an anomalous Nernst signal in the pseudogap phase of organic superconductor κ -(ET) $_2$ Cu[N(CN) $_2$]Br suggests the presence of magnetic flux vortices above T_c . 2 We report spin-locked and line-narrowed proton NMR data on the pseudogap phase of this material. These experiments are sensitive to magnetic fluctuations, and probe far slower timescales (10^{-6} - 10^{-3} s) than the previously explored NMR parameter space. Other experiments 3 have suggested that vortices leave an NMR fingerprint at these low frequencies.

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