

Figure S1: Experimental EPR spectrum of spin-labelled lysozyme in the composite (black), and the individual traces of the 4 components simulation shown in figure 2

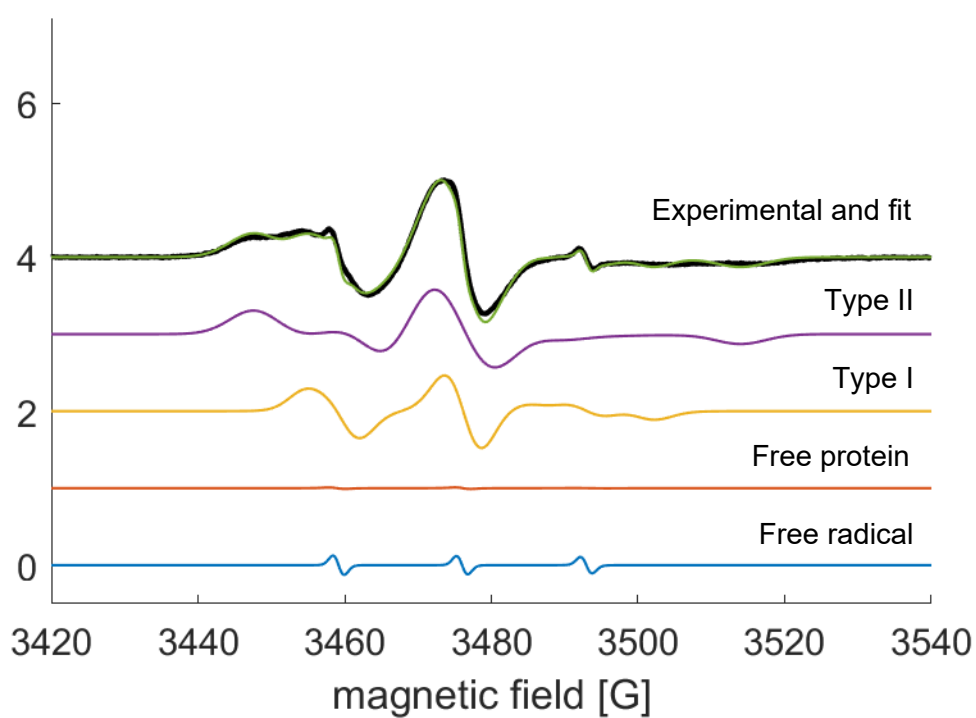


Figure S2: Experimental EPR spectrum of spin-labelled lysozyme in the composite (black), and the individual traces of the 4 components simulation (Table S1). Squared sum of the residuals 1.91

Table S1: Components used for the fit reported in Figure S2.

| Component | Rotational Diffusion coefficients ($\times 10^6 \text{ s}^{-1}$) | lwpp (G) | L_x ($^\circ$) | L_y ($^\circ$) | L_z ($^\circ$) | weight (%) |
|--------------|---|-------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------|
| Free radical | $4.0 \cdot 10^3$ | 1.5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.51 |
| Free protein | 22, 28, 12 | 1.5 | 62 | 34 | 45 | 0.13 |
| Type I | 2.98 | 4.2 | 62 | 34 | 45 | 22.1 |
| Type II | 0.30 | 6.7 | 35 | 16 | 2 | 77.3 |

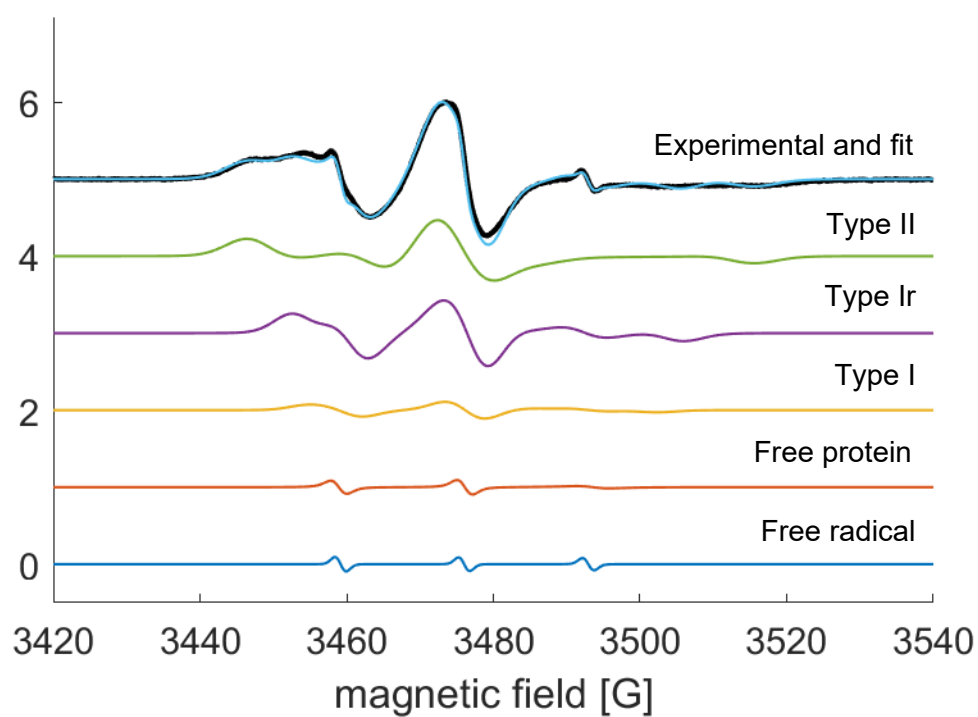


Figure S3: Experimental EPR spectrum of spin-labelled lysozyme in the composite (black), and the individual traces of the 5 components simulation shown in figure 2

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function Tav = quasilibration(T,L)
P = sin(L).*cos(L)./L;
Tav = T;
Tav(1) = Tav(1) + 0.5*(T(3)-T(1))*(1-P(2)) +
0.5*(T(2)-T(1))*(1-P(3));
Tav(2) = Tav(2) + 0.5*(T(3)-T(2))*(1-P(1)) +
0.5*(T(1)-T(2))*(1-P(3));
Tav(3) = Tav(3) + 0.5*(T(1)-T(3))*(1-P(2)) +
0.5*(T(2)-T(3))*(1-P(1));
return
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