

CHECKLIST OF KEY EQUATIONS

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FOCUS 1

TOPIC 1A Work and heat

Property or process	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Work of raising a weight	$w = mgh$	At surface of Earth	1
Expansion work	$w = -p_{\text{ex}}\Delta V$	Constant external pressure	2
	$w = -nRT \ln(V_f/V_i)$	Reversible, isothermal expansion, perfect gas	5
Heat capacity	$C = q/\Delta T$	Preliminary definition*	6a
Boltzmann distribution	$N_2/N_1 = e^{-(\epsilon_2 - \epsilon_1)/kT} = e^{-\Delta\epsilon/kT}$		7

* The definition is developed in Topics 1B and 1D.

TOPIC 1B Internal energy and enthalpy

Property or process	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Internal energy change	$\Delta U = w + q$	Definition	1
	$\Delta U = q_V$	No non-expansion work	3
Heat capacity at constant volume	$C_V = dU / dT$	Definition, constant volume	4b
Enthalpy	$H = U + pV$	Definition	5
Change in enthalpy	$\Delta H = \Delta U + p\Delta V$	Constant pressure	6b
	$\Delta H = q_p$	No non-expansion work	8
Heat capacity at constant pressure	$C_p = dH / dT$	Definition, constant pressure	9b
Relation between molar heat capacities	$C_{p,m} - C_{V,m} = R$	Perfect gas	10

TOPIC 1C Calorimetry

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Calorimeter constant	$C = q/\Delta T$	Determined empirically	1
Electrical heating	$q = I\Delta\phi\Delta t$	I in amperes, $\Delta\phi$ in volts	2
Enthalpy and internal energy	$\Delta H_m = \Delta U_m + \Delta V_{\text{gas}}RT$	Gases regarded as perfect	3

TOPIC 1D Fundamental processes

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Forward and reverse processes	$\Delta_{\text{forward}} H^\ominus(T) = -\Delta_{\text{reverse}} H^\ominus(T)$	Same temperature	1
Composite processes	$\Delta_{\text{sub}} H^\ominus(T) = \Delta_{\text{fus}} H^\ominus(T) + \Delta_{\text{vap}} H^\ominus(T)$	Same temperature	2

TOPIC 1E Chemical change

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Standard reaction enthalpy	$\Delta_r H = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu H_m - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu H_m$	Definition	1a
	$\Delta_r H^\ominus = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu \Delta_f H^\ominus - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu \Delta_f H^\ominus$	Calculation	1b
Heat capacity difference	$\Delta_r C_p^\ominus = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu C_{p,m}^\ominus - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu C_{p,m}^\ominus$	Definition	2b
Temperature dependence of standard reaction enthalpy	$\Delta_r H^\ominus(T_f) = \Delta_r H^\ominus(T_i) + \Delta_r C_p^\ominus \times (T_f - T_i)$	Kirchhoff's law; $\Delta_r C_p^\ominus$ independent of temperature	3

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TOPIC 2A Entropy

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Entropy change	$\Delta S = q_{\text{rev}}/T$	Definition	1
Entropy change on heating	$\Delta S = \int_{T_i}^{T_f} (C/T)dT$		3b
	$\Delta S = C \ln(T_f/T_i)$	If C independent of temperature	3c
Entropy of phase transition	$\Delta_{\text{trs}} S(T_{\text{trs}}) = \Delta_{\text{trs}} H(T_{\text{trs}})/T_{\text{trs}}$	trs = vap, fus, ...	4a,b
Entropy change of surroundings	$\Delta S_{\text{sur}} = -\Delta H/T$	At constant pressure	5

TOPIC 2B Entropy in biology

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Standard entropy of reaction	$\Delta_r S^\ominus = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu S_m^\ominus - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu S_m^\ominus$	Definition	1
Standard entropy change of surroundings	$\Delta_r S_{\text{sur}}^\ominus = -\Delta_r H^\ominus/T$	Constant pressure	2
Hydrophobicity index	$\pi = \log_{10} \{s(\text{RX})/s(\text{HX})\}$	Definition	3

TOPIC 2C The Gibbs energy

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Gibbs energy	$G = H - TS$	Definition; also referred to as 'free energy'	3
Standard reaction Gibbs energy	$\Delta_r G^\ominus = \Delta_r H^\ominus - T \Delta_r S^\ominus$	Definition	6a
	$\Delta_r G^\ominus = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu G_m^\ominus - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu G_m^\ominus$	Calculation	6b
Maximum non-expansion work	$\Delta G = w_{\text{non-exp,max}}$	Constant temperature and pressure	7

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TOPIC 3A Water in transition

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Variation of Gibbs energy with pressure and temperature	$dG = Vdp - SdT$	Constant composition	1
Variation of Gibbs energy with pressure	$G_m(p_f) = G_m(p_i) + (p_f - p_i)V_m$	Incompressible substance	3
	$G_m(p_f) = G_m(p_i) + RT \ln(p_f/p_i)$	Perfect gas	4

TOPIC 3B The thermodynamic properties of water

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Clapeyron equation	$dp/dT = \Delta_{\text{trs}}H/T\Delta_{\text{trs}}V$		1
Clausius–Clapeyron equation	$d \ln p/dT = \Delta_{\text{vap}}H/RT^2$	Vapour is a perfect gas	2
Capillary rise	$h = 2\gamma/\rho g r$	Hemispherical meniscus	3

TOPIC 3C The thermodynamic description of aqueous solutions

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Chemical potential	$\mu_1(\text{g}) = \mu_1^\ominus(\text{g}) + RT \ln(p_1/p^\ominus)$	Perfect gas	2b
Raoult's law	$p_w = x_w p_w^*$	Ideal solution	3
Chemical potential of water	$\mu_w(\text{aq}) = \mu_w^*(\text{l}) + RT \ln x_w$	Ideal solution	4a
	$\mu_w(\text{aq}, h) = \mu_w^*(\text{l}) + RT \ln x_w + M_w g h$	In a gravitational field	4b
Henry's law	$[S] = K_H p_s$	Ideal–dilute solution	5
Chemical potential of solute	$\mu_s(\text{aq}) = \mu_s^* + RT \ln([S]/c^\ominus)$	Ideal–dilute solution	6a
	$\mu_s(\text{aq}) = \mu_s^* + RT \ln [S] + zF\phi$	In electric field	6c
Activity	$a_w = \gamma_w x_w$	Of water	8
	$a_s = \gamma_s [S]/c^\ominus$	Of solute	8

TOPIC 3D Water at equilibrium in solution

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Elevation of boiling point	$\Delta T_b = K_b b_s$	Empirical relation	1
Depression of freezing point	$\Delta T_f = K_f b_s$	Empirical relation	1
van 't Hoff equation	$\Pi \approx [S]RT$	Ideal solution	2
Water potential	$\Psi = (\mu_w - \mu_w^\ominus)/V_w$	Definition	3
	$\Psi = P - \Pi + \rho_w g h$		4

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TOPIC 4A The thermodynamic background

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Gibbs energy of reaction	$\Delta_r G = (c\mu_C + d\mu_D) - (a\mu_A + b\mu_B)$	Evaluated at a specific stage of the reaction	1c
Condition for equilibrium	$\Delta_r G = 0$	Constant temperature, pressure	2
Standard Gibbs energy of reaction	$\Delta_r G^\ominus = \{cG_m^\ominus(C) + dG_m^\ominus(D)\} - \{aG_m^\ominus(A) + bG_m^\ominus(B)\}$	Definition	4b
Reaction quotient	$Q = a_C^c a_D^d / a_A^a a_B^b$	Definition	6
Reaction Gibbs energy	$\Delta_r G = \Delta_r G^\ominus + RT \ln Q$		7
Equilibrium constant	$K = Q_{\text{equilibrium}} = (a_C^c a_D^d / a_A^a a_B^b)_{\text{equilibrium}}$	Definition	8
Thermodynamic relation	$\Delta_r G^\ominus = -RT \ln K$		9
Condition for K becoming >1	$T = \Delta_r H^\ominus / \Delta_r S^\ominus$	For an endothermic reaction	10

* The definitions refer to a reaction of the form $aA + bB \rightarrow cC + dD$.

TOPIC 4B The standard reaction Gibbs energy

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Standard Gibbs energy of reaction	$\Delta_r G^\ominus = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu G_m^\ominus - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu G_m^\ominus$	Definition	2
	$\Delta_r G^\ominus = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu \Delta_f G^\ominus - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu \Delta_f G^\ominus$	Implementation	4
Relation between standards	$\Delta_r G^{\ominus'} = \Delta_r G^\ominus + 7\nu RT \ln 10$	For reactants + $\nu \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ \rightarrow$ products	5
Relation between equilibrium constants	$K' = K \times 10^{-7\nu}$	For reactants + $\nu \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ \rightleftharpoons$ products	7

* Quantities without a prime refer to conventional (thermodynamic) standard states; those with a prime refer to biochemical standard states (pH = 7).

TOPIC 4C The response of equilibria to the conditions

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
van 't Hoff equation	$\ln K_2 = \ln K_1 + (\Delta_r H^\ominus / R)(1/T_1 - 1/T_2)$	Integrated form	3

TOPIC 4E Proton transfer equilibria

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
pH	$\text{pH} = -\log_{10} a_{\text{H}_3\text{O}^+}$	Definition	2
Acidity constant	$K_a = a_{\text{H}_3\text{O}^+} a_{\text{A}^-} / a_{\text{HA}}$	Definition	3a
	$\text{p}K_a = -\log_{10} K_a$		4
Basicity constant	$K_b = a_{\text{HB}^+} a_{\text{OH}^-} / a_{\text{B}}$	Definition	5a
Relation between constants	$\text{p}K_a + \text{p}K_b = \text{p}K_w$	Conjugate acid/base pair	7b
Autoprotolysis	$\text{pH} + \text{pOH} = \text{p}K_w$		8
pH of amphiprotic salt	$\text{pH} = \frac{1}{2}(\text{p}K_{a1} + \text{p}K_{a2})$	Approximate relation	9
Fraction deprotonated	$f_{\text{deprotonated}} = [\text{A}^-]_{\text{at equilibrium}} / [\text{HA}]_{\text{as prepared}}$	Definition	10a
Fraction protonated	$f_{\text{protonated}} = [\text{HB}^+]_{\text{at equilibrium}} / [\text{B}]_{\text{as prepared}}$	Definition	10b

* For ideal solutions, replace a_i by $[i]/c^\ominus$.

TOPIC 4F Buffer solutions

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Henderson–Hasselbalch equation	$\text{pH} = \text{p}K_a - \log_{10}([\text{acid}]/[\text{base}])$	Ideal solution; [acid] and [base] little changed from 'as prepared'.	1

TOPIC 4G Ligand binding equilibria

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Fractional saturation	$f = N_{\text{bound}} / N_{\text{P}}$	Definition	1a
	$f = [\text{L}] / (K_d c^\ominus + [\text{L}])$	One ligand type	1b
Scatchard equation	$f/[\text{L}] = 1/K_d c^\ominus - f/K_d c^\ominus$		2
Relation between equilibrium constants	$K_d = \hat{K}_d / N_{\text{sites}}$	For first ligand binding	4
Microscopic binding	$\hat{f} = [\text{L}] / (\hat{K}_d c^\ominus + [\text{L}])$		5a
	$f = N_{\text{sites}} \hat{f}$		5b
Measure of cooperativity	$g = \Delta_{\text{bind}} G^\ominus (\text{L}' \text{ to PL}) - \Delta_{\text{bind}} G^\ominus (\text{L}' \text{ to P})$	$g = g'$	7
	$g' = \Delta_{\text{bind}} G^\ominus (\text{L to PL}') - \Delta_{\text{bind}} G^\ominus (\text{L to P})$		
Multisite binding	$\ln \{f/(n-f)\} = n \ln ([\text{L}]/c^\ominus) - \ln K_d$		9
Polydentate binding	$K_d(\text{L-L}') = K_d(\text{L})K_d(\text{L}')$	Independent centres	10

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TOPIC 5A Ion transport across membranes

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Activity coefficient	$\log_{10} \gamma = -Az^2 I^{1/2}$	Limiting law	3
Ionic strength	$I = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i z_i^2 c_i / c^\ominus$	Definition	4
Extended Debye-Huckel equation	$\log_{10} \gamma = -Az^2 I^{1/2} / (1 + BI^{1/2})$		5a
Davies equation	$\log_{10} \gamma = -Az^2 I^{1/2} / (1 + BI^{1/2}) + CI$	Empirical constants	5b
Electrochemical potential	$\mu_j = \mu_j^\ominus + RT \ln a_j + z_j F \phi$	Definition	8
Permeability coefficient	$P_j = D_j K_j / L$	Definition	15

TOPIC 5B Electron transfer reactions

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Relation between the cell potential and $\Delta_r G$	$-vFE_{\text{cell}} = \Delta_r G$	Reversible conditions	2
Standard cell potential	$E_{\text{cell}}^\ominus = -\Delta_r G^\ominus / vF$	Definition	3a
Nernst equation	$E_{\text{cell}} = E_{\text{cell}}^\ominus - (RT/vF) \ln Q$		3b
Equilibrium constant	$\ln K = vFE_{\text{cell}}^\ominus / RT$		4
Electrode potentials	$E_{\text{cell}} = E_{\text{R}} - E_{\text{L}}$	Definition	5
Biochemical standard potential	$E^{\ominus'}(\text{Ox}/\text{Red}) = E^\ominus(\text{Ox}/\text{Red}) - 7v_p RT(\ln 10) / vF$		6
Equilibrium constant	$\ln K_1 = v\{E^\ominus(\text{A}_{\text{ox}}/\text{A}_{\text{red}}) - E^\ominus(\text{B}_{\text{ox}}/\text{B}_{\text{red}})\}F / RT$	Reaction 1	7a
	$\ln K_2 = v_a v_b \{E^\ominus(\text{A}_{\text{ox}}/\text{A}_{\text{red}}) - E^\ominus(\text{B}_{\text{ox}}/\text{B}_{\text{red}})\}F / RT$	Reaction 2	7b
Standard reaction entropy	$\Delta_r S^\ominus = vF dE_{\text{cell}}^\ominus / dT$		8
Standard reaction enthalpy	$\Delta_r H^\ominus = -vF(E_{\text{cell}}^\ominus - dE_{\text{cell}}^\ominus / dT)$		9

TOPIC 5C Electron transport chains

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Reaction Gibbs energy	$\Delta_r G = -vF\{E(\text{Ox}_2/\text{Red}_2) - E(\text{Ox}_1/\text{Red}_1)\}$	Matching electron numbers	1a
	$\Delta_r G = -v_a v_b F\{E(\text{B}_{\text{ox}}/\text{B}_{\text{red}}) - E(\text{A}_{\text{ox}}/\text{A}_{\text{red}})\}$	Based on individual half-reactions	1b
Gibbs energy gradient	$\Delta G_m = F\Delta\phi - RT(\ln 10)\Delta\text{pH}$		2b
Proton motive force	$\Delta\text{p} = -\Delta G_m / F$	Definition	3a
	$\Delta\text{p} = (RT/F)(\ln 10)\Delta\text{pH} - \Delta\phi$		3b

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TOPIC 6A Reaction rates

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Instantaneous reaction rate	$v(J) = d[J]/dt $	Definition	1b
Unique rate	$v = (1/\nu_i) d[J]/dt $	Definition	Summary of 2
Reaction order	$v = k_r[A]^x[B]^y \dots$	xth-order in A, yth-order in B, . . . and overall order $x + y + \dots$	Summary of 4

TOPIC 6B The rate laws of single-step reactions

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Concentration of reactant	$[A] = [A]_0 - k_r t$ for $k_r t \leq [A]_0$, $[A] = 0$ for $k_r t > [A]_0$	Zeroth-order reaction	1b
	$\ln[A] = \ln[A]_0 - k_r t$	First-order reaction	3b
	$[A] = [A]_0 e^{-k_r t}$		3c
	$1/[A] = 1/[A]_0 + k_r t$	Second-order reaction	6b
Half-life	$[A] = [A]_0 / (1 + k_r t [A]_0)$		6c
	$t_{1/2} = [A]_0 / 2k_r$	Zeroth-order reaction	In text
	$t_{1/2} = (\ln 2) / k_r$	First-order reaction	4
Equilibrium constant	$t_{1/2} = 1/k_r [A]_0$	Second-order reaction	7
	$K = k_r / k'_r$	First-order in both directions	11

TOPIC 6C The rate laws of multi-step reactions

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
$A \xrightarrow{k_{r,1}} I \xrightarrow{k_{r,2}} P$	$[A] = f_A(t)[A]_0, \quad f_A(t) = e^{-k_{r,1}t}$		1a
	$[I] = f_I(t)[A]_0, \quad f_I(t) = (k_{r,1}/(k_{r,2} - k_{r,1}))(e^{-k_{r,1}t} - e^{-k_{r,2}t})$		1b
	$[P] = f_P(t)[A]_0, \quad f_P(t) = 1 + (1/(k_{r,2} - k_{r,1}))(k_{r,1}e^{-k_{r,1}t} - k_{r,2}e^{-k_{r,2}t})$		1c
Time at which [I] is greatest	$t_{\max} = (1/(k_{r,2} - k_{r,1})) \ln(k_{r,2}/k_{r,1})$		2
A^- and HA different reactivities	$1/k_{r,\text{eff}} = 1/k_{r,2} + [H_3O^+]/K_a k_{r,2}$	A^- active	10a
	$1/k_{r,\text{eff}} = 1/k_{r,2} + K_a/k_{r,2}[H_3O^+]$	HA active	10b
Kinetic control	$[P_2]/[P_1] = k_{r,2}/k_{r,1}$		11

TOPIC 6D The values of rate constants

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Activation and diffusion control	$k_r = k_a k_d / (k_d' + k_a)$		1
Diffusion control	$k_r = k_d$	$k_a \gg k_d'$	2a
Activation control	$k_r = k_a k_d / k_d'$	$k_a \ll k_d'$	2b
Temperature coefficient	$Q_{10}(T) = \nu(T + 10 \text{ K}) / \nu(T)$	Definition	4a
	$Q_{10}(T) = k_r(T + 10 \text{ K}) / k_r(T)$	For reactions with rate law $\nu = k_r[A]^x[B]^y \dots$	4b
Arrhenius law	$\ln k_r = \ln A - E_a / RT$	General form	5b
	$k_r = A e^{-E_a / RT}$	Alternative form	5c
	$\ln Q_{10}(T) = (E_a / RT) \{1 - T / (T + 10 \text{ K})\}$	For reactions that follow the Arrhenius law	6b
Eyring equation	$k_a = \kappa(kT/h)K^\ddagger$	Transition-state theory	8
Activation Gibbs energy	$\Delta^\ddagger G^\ominus = -RT \ln K^\ddagger$	Definition	9a
Activation enthalpy and entropy	$\Delta^\ddagger G^\ominus = \Delta^\ddagger H^\ominus - T \Delta^\ddagger S^\ominus$	Definition	9b
Kinetic isotope effect	$k_r(\text{H}) / k_r(\text{D}) = e^{\delta E / RT}$	E_a is increased to $E_a + \delta E$	11
Kinetic salt effect	$\log_{10} k_a = \log_{10} k_a^o + 2A z_A z_B I^{1/2}$	Dilute solution (low ionic strength)	12

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TOPIC 7A Enzyme action

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Molar rate	$v_m = dn_p/dt$	Definition; $v_m = Vv$	1a
Specific rate	$v_s = v_m/m_E$	Definition	1c
Specific activity	$a_s = v_{s,max}$	Definition	1d
	$a_s = v_{max}/M[E]_{total}$		1e
Michaelis constant	$K_M = (k'_{r,1} + k_{r,2})/k_{r,1}$	Definition	2
Michaelis–Menten equation	$v = v_{max} [S]/(K_M + [S])$		5a
Lineweaver–Burk equation	$1/v = 1/v_{max} + K_M/v_{max} [S]$		6
Fractional rate	$v/v_{max} = f_{ES_2}$	Ternary complex mechanism	9
Turnover frequency	$k_{cat} = k_{r,2} = v_{max}/[E]_{total}$	Michaelis–Menten model, $k_{cat} = Ma_s$	14
Catalytic efficiency	$\eta = k_{cat}/K_M$	Michaelis–Menten model	15

TOPIC 7B Enzyme inhibition

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Inhibition parameters	$v_{max}^{inhibited} = v_{max}/(1 + [I]/K_{d,ESI})$	Definition; pre-equilibrium approximation	1
	$K_M^{inhibited} = \{(1 + [I]/K_{d,EI})/(1 + [I]/K_{d,ESI})\}K_M$		
Rate with inhibition	$v = v_{max}^{inhibited} [S]/(K_M^{inhibited} + [S])$	Definition; pre-equilibrium approximation	2a
Lineweaver–Burk equation with inhibition	$1/v = 1/v_{max}^{inhibited} + (K_M^{inhibited}/v_{max}^{inhibited}) \times 1/[S]$		2b
	$y\text{-intercept} = (1 + [I]/K_{d,ESI})/v_{max}$		2c
	$slope = (1 + [I]/K_{d,EI})K_M/v_{max}$		

TOPIC 7C Diffusion in biological systems

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Flux	$J = N/A\Delta t$	Definition	1a
Fick's first law	$J = -Ddc/dx \quad J_m = -Ddc_m/dx$		2
Diffusion equation	$\partial c/\partial t = D\partial^2 c/\partial x^2$	In one dimension	3
Diffusion coefficient	$D = D_0 e^{-E_a/RT}$	Activated process	5
Stokes–Einstein relation	$D = kT/f$	f is the frictional coefficient	6
Frictional force	$F = fs$		7
Stokes' law	$f = 6\pi\eta a$	a is the hydrodynamic radius	-
Mean square distance	$\langle r^2 \rangle^{1/2} = (6Dt)^{1/2}$	Random walk in 3D	8
Einstein–Smoluchowski equation	$D = d^2/2\tau$		9
Drift speed	$s = ezE/f$	In an electric field E	10a
Electrophoretic mobility	$s = uE$	Definition	10b
	$u = ez/6\pi\eta a$	Assuming Stokes' law	10c
Partition constant	$\kappa = [A]_{\text{outer}}/[A]_{\text{bulk}}$	Definition	13
Diffusion flux	$J_m = (\kappa D/L)[A]_{\text{bulk}}$	Linear gradient	14a
Net diffusion flux	$J_m = (D/L)(\kappa_{\text{outer}}[A]_{\text{bulk,outer}} - \kappa_{\text{inner}}[A]_{\text{bulk,inner}})$		14b
	$J_m = P_A([A]_{\text{bulk,outer}} - [A]_{\text{bulk,inner}})$	Assumes $\kappa_{\text{outer}} = \kappa_{\text{inner}}$	14c
Facilitated flux	$J_m = J_{m,\text{max}}[A]_{\text{bulk}}/([A]_{\text{bulk}} + K_d)$		15

TOPIC 7D Electron transfer

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Gibbs energy of activation	$\Delta^\ddagger G^\circ = (\Delta_{\text{reorg}} G^\circ + \Delta_r G^\circ)^2/4\Delta_{\text{reorg}} G^\circ$	$D + A \rightarrow D^+ + A^-$	3
Rate constant	$k_r = \kappa(kT/h)e^{-\beta r} e^{-\Delta^\ddagger G/RT}$	Transition-state theory	4
Experimental test	$\ln k_r = -\beta r + \text{constant}$	For molecules with a fixed r	5
Marcus cross-relation	$k_{r,\text{ct}} = (k_{r,\text{DD}} k_{r,\text{AA}} K_{\text{DA}})^{1/2}$	Assumes $Z_{\text{DA}}/(Z_{\text{DD}} Z_{\text{AA}})^{1/2} \approx 1$	7

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TOPIC 8A The principles of quantum theory

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Bohr frequency condition	$\Delta E = h\nu$	h is Planck's constant	1
de Broglie relation	$\lambda = h/p$		3
Schrödinger equation	$-(\hbar^2/2m)(d^2\psi/dx^2) + V\psi = E\psi$	$\hbar = h/2\pi$	4a
	$\hat{H}\psi = E\psi$	\hat{H} is an operator	4b
Position-momentum uncertainty relation	$\Delta p\Delta x \geq \frac{1}{2}\hbar$		5

TOPIC 8B The quantum mechanics of motion

Property	Equation*	Comment	Equation number
Particle in a box			
Energy	$E_n = n^2(h^2/8mL^2)$	One dimension	1a
Wavefunction	$\psi_n(x) = (2/L)^{1/2} \sin(n\pi x/L)$		1c
Angular momentum	$J = pr$	In 2D	7
Rotation in 2D	$E_{m_l} = m_l^2 \hbar^2/2I$		10
Rotation in 3D			
Energy	$E_{l,m_l} = l(l+1)\hbar^2/2I$		12
Angular momentum	$J = \{l(l+1)\}^{1/2} \hbar$		13a
z-Component	$J_z = m_l \hbar$		13b
Hooke's law	Restoring force = $-k_f x$		14a
Parabolic potential energy	$V(x) = \frac{1}{2} k_f x^2$		14b
Harmonic oscillator	$E_\nu = (\nu + \frac{1}{2})h\nu$, $\nu = (1/2\pi)(k_f/m)^{1/2}$		15

* For allowed values of the quantum numbers, see the preceding table.

TOPIC 8C Atomic orbitals

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Energy levels	$E_{n,l,m_l} = -Z^2 R/n^2$	Independent of l, m_l	2
Wavefunctions	$\psi_{n,l,m_l}(r, \theta, \phi) = \psi_{l,m_l}(\theta, \phi)\psi_{n,l}(r)$		3
Radial distribution function	$P(r) = 4\pi r^2 \psi^2$	For s orbitals	6

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TOPIC 9B Molecular orbital theory: diatomic molecules

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Linear combination	$\psi = c_A\psi_A + c_B\psi_B$	$c_A^2 = c_B^2$ in a homonuclear diatomic molecule	1a
Overlap integral	$S = \int \psi_A \psi_B d\tau$	Integration over all space	2
Bond order	$b = \frac{1}{2}(n - n^*)$	Definition	4

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TOPIC 10A Molecular interactions

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Coulomb potential energy	$E_p = Q_1 Q_2 / 4\pi\epsilon r$	$\epsilon = \epsilon_r \epsilon_0$	1b
Dipole moment and electronegativity	$\mu/D \approx \Delta\chi$	Pauling electronegativities	2
Charge–dipole interaction	$E_p = -(\mu_1 Q_2 / 4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2) \cos\theta$	Orientation as in (7)	4b
Dipole–dipole interaction	$E_p = (\mu_1 \mu_2 / 4\pi\epsilon_0 r^3)(1 - 3\cos^2\theta)$	Orientation as in (8)	5
	$E_p = -2\mu_1^2 \mu_2^2 / 3(4\pi\epsilon_0)^2 kTr^6$	Rotating molecules	6
Polarizability	$\mu = \alpha E$	Definition	7
Polarizability volume	$\alpha' = \alpha / 4\pi\epsilon_0$	Definition	8
Dipole–induced-dipole interaction	$E_p = -\mu_1^2 \alpha_2' / 4\pi\epsilon_0 r^6$		9
London formula	$E_p = -\frac{3}{2}(\alpha_1' \alpha_2' / r^6) I_1 I_2 / (I_1 + I_2)$	Dispersion interaction	10a
Lennard-Jones (12,6) potential energy	$E_p = -A/r^6 + B/r^{12}$	$A = 4\epsilon\sigma^6$ and $B = 4\epsilon\sigma^{12}$	12

TOPIC 10B Macromolecular structure

Property	Equation	Equation number
Distribution of ends	$f(r) = 4\pi(a/\pi^{1/2})^3 r^2 e^{-a^2/r^2}$, $a = (3/2Nl^2)^{1/2}$	1
Contour length	$R_c = Nl$	2
Root mean square separation	$R_{rms} = N^{1/2}l$	3
Radius of gyration	$R_g = (N/6)^{1/2}l$	4
Conformational entropy	$\Delta S = -\frac{1}{2}Nk \ln\{(1+\nu)^{1+\nu}(1-\nu)^{1-\nu}\}$, $\nu = \delta L/R_c$	5a

* All the entries refer to a fully flexible three-dimensional chain with N links of length l .

TOPIC 10C Conformational stability and molecular aggregation

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Cooperativity modelling	$K_{intra}(i) = K_{inter} \{X\}_{effective} C_i^{i-1}/c^0$		4
Gibbs–Helmholtz equation	$d(G/T)/dT = -H/T^2$		5
Surfactant packing parameter	$N_s = V_{tail}/A_{head}l_{tail}$	Definition	7

TOPIC 10D Computer-aided simulation

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Contribution to the conformational energy	$E_{p,stretch} = \frac{1}{2}k_{f,stretch}(R - R_e)^2$	Bond stretching	1
	$E_{p,bend} = \frac{1}{2}k_{f,bend}(\theta - \theta_e)^2$	Bond bending	2
	$E_{p,torsion} = \frac{1}{2}A\{1 + \cos(n\phi - \phi_0)\}$	Bond torsion	3
	$E_{p,electrostatic} = Q_i Q_j / 4\pi\epsilon r_{ij}$, $\epsilon = \epsilon_r \epsilon_0$	Electrostatic interactions	4
	$E_{p,Lennard-Jones} = -A_{ij}/r_{ij}^6 + B_{ij}/r_{ij}^{12}$	Dispersive and repulsive interactions	5
	$E_{p,H-bond} = -C_{ij}/r_{ij}^{10} + D_{ij}/r_{ij}^{12}$	Hydrogen bonding	6

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TOPIC 11A General features of spectroscopy

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Beer–Lambert law	$I = I_0 10^{-\epsilon[I]L}$	Uniform composition	3
Absorbance	$A = \log_{10}(I_0/I)$	Definition	4a
Transmittance	$T = I/I_0$	Definition	4b
Transition dipole moment	$\mu_{fi} = \int \psi_f \mu \psi_i d\tau$	Definition	9
Rate of stimulated absorption	$Rate = N_i B_{1 \rightarrow u} I(\nu)$		10a
Rate of stimulated emission	$Rate = N_u B_{u \rightarrow 1} I(\nu)$		10b
Relation between coefficients	$A_{u \rightarrow 1} = (8\pi h \nu^3 / c^3) B_{u \rightarrow 1}, B_{u \rightarrow 1} = B_{1 \rightarrow u}$		11

TOPIC 11B Vibrational spectroscopy

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Vibrational energy levels	$E_v = (v + \frac{1}{2})h\nu, v = 0, 1, 2, \dots$	Harmonic approximation	2a
	$\nu = (1/2\pi)(k_f/\mu)^{1/2}, \mu = m_A m_B / (m_A + m_B)$		2b
Selection rule	$\Delta v = \pm 1$		3
Number of normal modes	$N_{\text{vib}} = 3N - 6$	Nonlinear molecules	5
	$N_{\text{vib}} = 3N - 5$	Linear molecules	

TOPIC 11D Photoactivation and its consequences

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Primary quantum yield	$\phi_E = N_E / N_{\text{photons absorbed}}$	E denotes an event [definition]	1
	$\phi_E = \nu_{\text{E,induced}} / I_{\text{abs}}$	Implementation	3
Fluorescence lifetime	$\tau_{F,0} = 1/(k_F + k_{\text{ISC}} + k_{\text{IC}})$	No quencher	6
	$\tau_{F,Q} = 1/(k_F + k_{\text{ISC}} + k_{\text{IC}} + k_Q[\text{Q}])$	With quencher	9b
Fluorescence quantum yield	$\phi_{F,0} = k_F / (k_F + k_{\text{ISC}} + k_{\text{IC}})$	No quencher	7
	$\phi_{F,Q} = k_F / (k_F + k_{\text{ISC}} + k_{\text{IC}} + k_Q[\text{Q}])$	With quencher	9a
Concentration dependence of quenching	$\phi_{F,0} / \phi_{F,Q} = 1 + \tau_{F,0} k_Q [\text{Q}]$	Stern–Volmer equation	10a
Energy transfer efficiency	$\eta_T = 1 - \phi_{F,Q} / \phi_{F,0}$	Definition	11
	$\eta_T = R_0^6 / (R_0^6 + R^6)$	Förster theory	12

TOPIC 11E Nuclear magnetic resonance

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Energy of nucleus in a magnetic field	$E_{m_i} = -\gamma_N \hbar \mathcal{B}_0 m_i$	γ_N is the magnetogyric ratio	1
Nuclear magneton	$\mu_N = e\hbar/2m_p$	Definition	2a
Resonance condition	$h\nu = \gamma_N \hbar \mathcal{B}_0$, or $\nu = \gamma_N \mathcal{B}_0/2\pi$		6
Scalar spin-spin coupling	$E_{\text{spin-spin}} = hJ m_A m_X$		10
Karplus equation	${}^3J_{\text{HH}} = A + B \cos \phi + C \cos 2\phi$	Empirical	11
Enhancement parameter	$\eta = (I - I_0)/I_0$	NOE; definition	13

TOPIC 11F Electron paramagnetic resonance

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Magnetic moment of electron	$\mu_z = \gamma_e s_z$, $\gamma_e = -g_e e/2m_e$	z -component	1
Energy of an electron in a magnetic field	$E_{m_s} = -\gamma_e \hbar \mathcal{B}_0 m_s$	Free electron	2
Bohr magneton	$\mu_B = e\hbar/2m_e$	Definition	3
Resonance condition	$h\nu = g\mu_B \mathcal{B}_0$		7
McConnell equation	$a = Q\rho$	Empirical statement	11
Dipolar coupling energy	$E_{m_1(1),m_2(2)} = hDm_1(1)m_2(2)$, $hD = (\mu_0 \hbar^2 \gamma_1^2 \gamma_2^2 / 4\pi r^3)(1 - 3\cos^2 \theta)$	Electrons aligned in z -direction	12

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TOPIC 12A Scattering by individual molecules

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Rayleigh ratio	$R(\theta) = (I(\theta)/I_0) \times r^2$	Definition	1
	$R(\theta) = KM c_{\text{mass}}$		3
Form factor	$P(\theta) \approx 1 - A \sin^2 \frac{1}{2} \theta$, $A = 16\pi^2 R_g^2 / 3\lambda^2$	$A \ll 1$	5a
Radius of gyration	$R_g = \left((1/N) \sum_{i=1}^N r_i^2 \right)^{1/2}$	Definition in scattering theory	5b
Guinier approximation	$I(q) = I(0) e^{-\frac{1}{3} q^2 R_g^2}$, $\ln\{I(q)/I(0)\} = -\frac{1}{3} q^2 R_g^2$	$q = (4\pi/\lambda) \sin \frac{1}{2} \theta$	7
Intensity correlation function	$g_2(\tau) = \langle I(t)I(t+\tau) \rangle / \langle I(t) \rangle^2$	Definition	8

TOPIC 12B Cooperative scattering: X-ray diffraction

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Separation of planes	$1/d^2 = h^2/a^2 + k^2/b^2 + l^2/c^2$	Orthorhombic lattice	1
Bragg's law	$\lambda = 2d \sin \theta$		2a
Structure factor	$F_{hkl} = \sum_{j=1}^N f_j e^{i\phi_{hkl}(j)}$ $\phi_{hkl}(j) = 2\pi(hx_j + ky_j + lz_j)$	Definition	3
Fourier synthesis of electron density	$\rho(\mathbf{r}) = (1/V) \sum_{h,k,l} F_{hkl} e^{-i\phi_{hkl}(\mathbf{r})}$	V is volume of unit cell	4b

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TOPIC 13A Ultracentrifugation

Property	Equation	Comment	Equation number
Sedimentation constant	$S = s/r\omega^2$	Definition	1
	$S = (1 - \rho v_s)MD/RT$	Based on Stokes-Einstein equation	2
Equilibrium distribution	$\ln c(r) = \ln c(r_0) + \{(1 - \rho v_s)M\omega^2/2RT\}(r^2 - r_0^2)$		3