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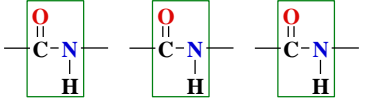
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Mage file : [CarbonicAnhy.kin](#) and lunch  CA Carbonic Anhydrase Elizabeth M. Boon '97, Aaron Downs '00, David Marcey: <http://aris.gusc.lv/ChemFiles/CA/CAnhidrazeII.htm>

at Display conditions: **Stick** (on Menu Stripe) **Ball & Stick** **Spacefill**

Atom Name	Symbol	Color	Valence Number
Carbon	C	Gray lightly or Black	4
Hydrogen	H	White	1
Oxygen	O	Red	2 (donor acceptor ligand up to 4)
Nitrogen	N	Bluish	3 + 1 (donor acceptor ligand up to 4)
Sulfur	S	Yellow	-2 , +6
Phosphor	P	Yellow Intensive dark	5 (& 3)
Sodium ion	Na⁺	Blue	+1 (coordination up to 6)
Magnesium ion	Mg²⁺	Green	+2 (coordination up to 6)
Calcium ion	Ca²⁺	Gray Dark	+2 (coordination up to 6)
Iron ion	Fe²⁺	Yellow Gray	+2 (coordination up to 6)
Iron ion	Fe³⁺	Yellow Gray	+3 (coordination up to 6)

Corey, Pauling, Koltun the CPK color scheme 1965 USA patent for atomic modeling
Protein Backbone is C α carbon atoms of amino acids **trace**



Side chains: **Hydrophobic gray**
Polar magenta and **Polar slightly bluish**
 at Physiologic pH=7.36 conditions
Acidic-COO⁻ negative charge
Basic-NH₃⁺ positive charge

- N-terminus** amino acid is His..... and C-terminus amino acid is Lys..... of **2VVA.pdb** chain. How many amino acids are on CA chain ... see 3rd page. Missing in **Thr125-Lys127** sequence is ... and **2VVA.pdb** has (261-1 missing)=260; 260-3+1=....amino acids.
- What 2° structures dose contains **CA**?**helixes** and.....**strands**
- What number of **alpha helices** constitute **CA** polypeptide molecule?.....**Alpha-helices**
- What type of **beta structure** and **sheets** and how many **beta strands** constitute Carbonic Anhydrase molecule?.....**stranded**,**beta-sheet**.
- Describe the Carbonic Anhydrase active site geometry? active site is located the bottom .of aÅ cone-shaped cavity that leads to the.....of the protein
- To make seven measures of size?Å.... Å..... Å.... Å..... Å..... Å..... Å....
- What three amino acids locate in active site Carbonic Anhydrase?
His.....,His..... ,His.....
- Which ion forms the coordination sphere?...Which three atoms in amino acids coordinated to central metal ion in metallo enzyme Carbonic Anhydrase? three Histidineatoms.
- What water molecule and which atom of water make the coordinative donor-acceptor bond with central metal ion in metallo enzyme Carbonic Anhydrase?atom **HOH**.....
- What coordination number has central metal ion – complex maker?.....N =.....
- What the water molecules ordered in active site of CA?.....,.....,.....
- To which water molecule is oriented carbon dioxide **O=C=O**? **HOH** Nr=.....

13. Put in coordination sphere

four ligand atoms!



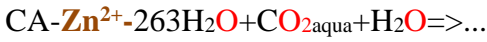
14. What four amino acids lined at the bottom of the active site

Carbonic Anhydrase form together with deep water **HOH**338

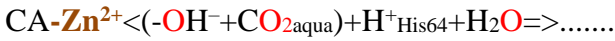
Leu....., Trp....., Val....., Val.....

15. Write the collision **CO₂** with **E-Zn²⁺-OH₂**+His64! (1a,1b)

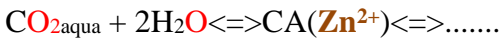
(1a).water 263 HOH protolysis H⁺_{His64} and OH⁻ collision OH⁻+CO₂_{aqua};



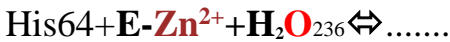
(1b) second water molecule protolytic protonation :



16. High rate CO₂_{aqua} protolysis with 2H₂O overall reaction:



17. Write **H₂O**₂₃₆ coordination by **Zn²⁺** active site **CA-Zn²⁺**!

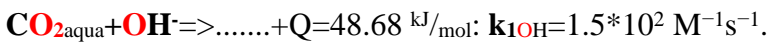


High rate protolysis Biosphere attractor pH=7,36 stay at equilibrium state, while homeostasis irreversible continue generate concentration gradients

H₃O⁺ + HCO₃⁻ for transport and H₂O + O₂_{aqua} osmosis, because is

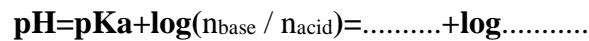
non-equilibrium state. [Prigogine](#) attractor Nobel prize in Chemistry 1977.

18. **CO₂**_{aqua} slow exothermic reaction with hydroxide **OH⁻** ions!



19. Calculate CA pKa=! $K_a=K_{\text{eq}} * [\text{H}_2\text{O}]^2=2.906*10^{-11}*55.3^2=10.....$; pKa=.....

20. Write Henderson Haselbalh buffer **[HCO₃⁻]/[CO₂]** pH expression!



21. How **AZM** inhibit Carbonic Anhydrase in tier solution and prevent glaucoma pressure on optic nerve fiber so prevent vision loss?.

tightly bound to

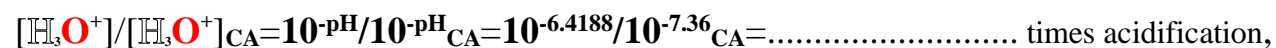
22. Put in coordination sphere four ligand atoms!



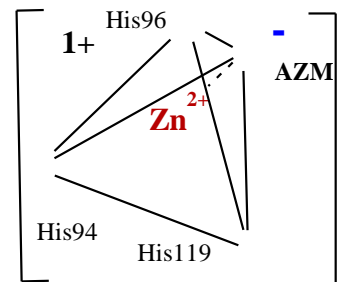
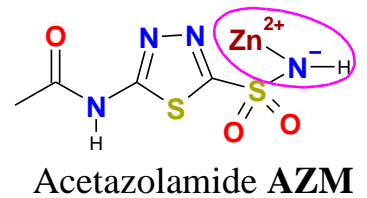
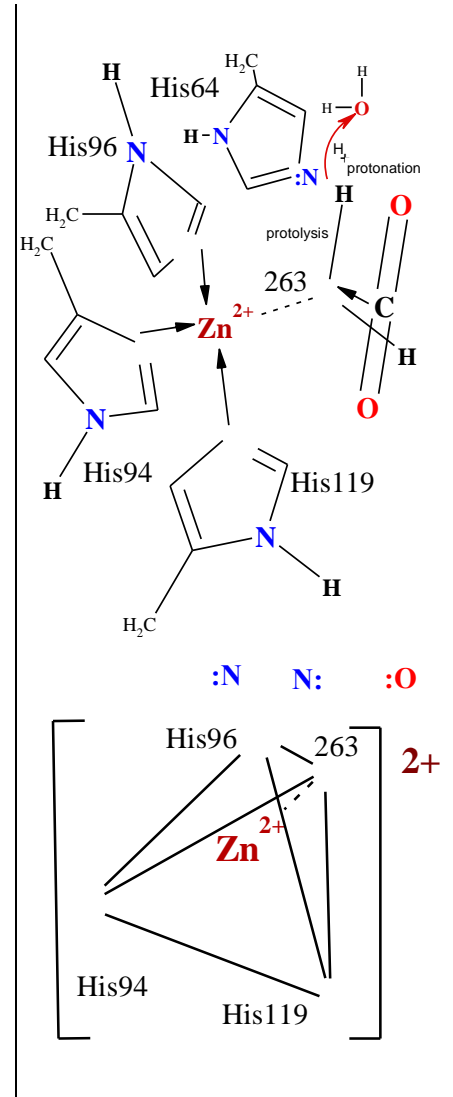
23. Calculate the alkaline reserve ratio **[HCO₃⁻]/[CO₂]** in blood



24. What the hazard for cells and life on pH=6.4188 in blood $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]=10^{-\text{pH}}=10^{-6.4188} \text{ mol/L}$ at inhibition CA if concentration normal is $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]_{\text{CA}}=10^{-\text{pH}_{\text{CA}}}=10^{-7.36} \text{ mol/L}$?



bubbling CO₂↑_{gas},, stress..



27. What CA2 isoelectric point IEP=pH=pK_{a-vid} at physiologic pH=7,36 ? To determine friendly water solution pH=7,36 with CA2 concentration C=10^{-7,3502} M (mol/Litre)!

<http://aris.gusc.lv/ChemFiles/CA/2VVApIStud.doc> ; <http://aris.gusc.lv/ChemFiles/CA/2VVApI.xls>

Sequence of 260 AA Amino Acids in CA2 2VVA,2VVB.4G0C.pdb molecule

10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80
MSHHWGYGKH	NGPEHWHKDF	PIAKGERQSP	VDIDTHTAKY	DPSLKPLSVS	YDQATSLRIL	NNGHAFNVEF	DDSQDKAVLK
90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160
GGPLDGTYRL	IQFHFHWGSL	DGQGSEHTVD	KKKYAAELHL	VHWNTKYGDF	GKAVQQPDGL	AVLGIFLKVVG	SAKPGLQKVV
170	180	190	200	210	220	230	240
DVLDSIKTKG	KSADFTNFDP	RGLLPESLDY	WTYPGSLTTP	PLLECVTWIV	LKEPISVSSE	QVLKFRKLNf	NGEGEPEELM
250	260						

VNWRPAQPL KNRQIKASFK CAH2 Human

AApK_{COO}-pK_{NH3}+pK_{RR} Nr AA pK_{COO}-pK_{NH3}+pK_{RR}Nr

M	9,21	1	1	Y	10,07	114	44
H	6	3	2	E	4,25	117	45
H	6	4	3	H	6	119	46
Y	10,07	7	4	H	6	122	47
K	10,53	9	5	K	10,53	126	48
H	6	10	6	Y	10,07	127	49
E	4,25	14	7	D	3,65	129	50
H	6	15	8	K	10,53	132	51
H	6	17	9	D	3,65	138	52
K	10,53	18	10	K	10,53	148	53
D	3,65	19	11	K	10,53	153	54
K	10,53	24	12	K	10,53	158	55
E	4,25	26	13	D	3,65	161	56
R	12,48	27	14	D	3,65	164	57
D	3,65	32	15	K	10,53	167	58
D	3,65	34	16	K	10,53	169	59
H	6	36	17	K	10,53	171	60
K	10,53	39	18	D	3,65	174	61
Y	10,07	40	19	D	3,65	179	62
D	3,65	41	20	R	12,48	181	63
K	10,53	45	21	E	4,25	186	64
Y	10,07	51	22	D	3,65	189	65
D	3,65	52	23	Y	10,07	190	66
R	12,48	58	24	Y	10,07	193	67
H	6	64	25	E	4,25	204	68
E	4,25	69	26	C	8,18	205	69
D	3,65	71	27	K	10,53	212	70
D	3,65	72	28	E	4,25	213	71
D	3,65	75	29	E	4,25	220	72
K	10,53	76	30	K	10,53	224	73
K	10,53	80	31	R	12,48	226	74
D	3,65	85	32	K	10,53	227	75
Y	10,07	88	33	E	4,25	233	76
R	12,48	89	34	E	4,25	235	77
H	6	94	35	E	4,25	237	78
H	6	96	36	E	4,25	238	79
D	3,65	101	37	D	3,65	242	80
E	4,25	106	38	R	12,48	245	81
H	6	107	39	K	10,53	251	82
D	3,65	110	40	R	12,48	253	83
K	10,53	111	41	K	10,53	256	84
K	10,53	112	42	G 2,34		260	85
K	10,53	113	43				

CA2 7,36988 ; 85 ; sum 624,1

In account are present Cysteine 204 residue pK_{RR} =8.18;
Sum of 85 pKa values in table sum 624,1.

Tasks for carbonic anhydrase molecule CA2

Protolytic constant pK_a isoelectric point IEP=pK_a calculate of side chains ΣpK_{aRside group} pK_{aNterminal}NH₃ and pK_{aCterminal}COO-constants sum divide with number of acid groups NpK_a:

IEP=pK_a=(ΣpK_{aRside group}+ pK_{aNterminal}+ pK_{aCterminal})/NpK_a

1. Acid groups number in sum NpK_a=83.....+2.....=.....

260 amino acids of them for pK_a side groups number 83+2.

N-terminal Methionine M pK_{aNterminal}=9.21 and

C-terminal Lysine K pK_{aCterminal}=2.34

Sum are calculate as

ΣpK_{aRside group}+pK_{aNterminal}+pK_{aCterminal}=.....

2. Average constant pK_{mean}=pK_a=IEP **ISOELEKTRIC POINT**
NpK_a=83+2=..... ; IEP= =624,1 / 85 =.....

At pH value on isoelectric point pH=IEP total charge is zero „0” plus (+)—zero charge „0” IEP=pH—minus (-) —→ 14 pH scale

COOH & -NH₃⁺ positive COO⁻ & NH₃⁺ negative -COO⁻ & -NH₂

Underline existing: positive (+) or zero charge or negative (-)!

3. CA2 molecule charge sign (+). zero „0” or (-) at pH=7.36

Underline existing:

COOH, NH₃⁺ positive + pH=7.36 < IEP=7,64 negative -COO⁻, NH₂.

4. CA2 molecule charge +. zero „0” or - at electrophoresis pH 8.8

Underline existing:

COOH, NH₃⁺ positive + IEP=7,64 < pH = 8,8 negative - COO⁻, NH₂

5. Calculate C=10^{-7,3502} M CA2 solution pH

by Ostwald dilution law concentration C in logarithm:

$$\text{pH} = \frac{\text{pK}_a - \log C}{2} = \frac{7,36988 - \log 10^{-7,3502}}{2} = \frac{7,36988 + 7,3502}{2} = 14,7201 / 2 = \dots$$

Attractor 7,36 CA2 concentration isM.

Carbonic Anhydrase CA synthesis indispensable solubility attractor CO₂gas for CO₂aqua+2H₂O activation.

CO₂gas endoergic solubility G_{sk}CO₂=8.38 kJ/mol activation CO₂aqua+2H₂O indispensable carbonic anhydrase (CA) reactivity with high rate protolysis in products H₃O⁺+HCO₃⁻ create multi functional global attractor value pH=7.36. Biosphere Self-Organization attractors CA and pH=7.36 generate H₃O⁺+HCO₃⁻ concentration gradients accumulate free energy G_{H3O++HCO3-}=G_{sk}CO₂+G_{CA}=8.38 kJ/mol+60 kJ/mol, what as Brownian molecular engines drive irreversible homeostasis for evolution and for survival.

No reaction CO₂ with water H₂O at absence of CA. CO₂ is slightly soluble and slow reacts with OH⁻.

Solubility product: $K_{sp} = \frac{[CO_2\text{ aqua}]}{[CO_2\text{ gas}] \cdot [H_2O]} = \text{EXP}(-\Delta G_{sp}/R/T) = \text{EXP}(-8379/8.3144/298.15) = \dots\dots\dots$

Substance	$\Delta H^\circ_{Hess}, \text{kJ/mol}$	$\Delta S^\circ_{Hess}, \text{J/mol/K}$	$\Delta G^\circ_{Hess}, \text{kJ/mol}$
H ₃ O ⁺	-285.81	-3.854	-213.274599
HCO ₃ ⁻	-689.93	98.324	-586.93988
HCO ₃ ⁻	-692.4948	-494.768	-544.9688
H ₂ O	-285.85	69.9565	-237.191
H ₂ O	-286.65	-453.188	-151.549
CO ₂ aqua	-413.7976	117.5704	-385.98
CO ₂ ↑ _{gas}	-393.509	213.74	-394.359

Solubility $CO_2\uparrow_{gas} + \Delta G \rightleftharpoons CO_2\text{aqua} + Q = 20.3 \text{ kJ/mol}$;
 $\Delta H_{sp} = \Delta H^\circ_{CO_2aq} - \Delta H^\circ_{CO_2gas} = -413.7976 - (-393.509) = -20.3 \text{ kJ/mol}$;
 $G_{sp}CO_2 = \Delta G^\circ_{CO_2aq} - \Delta G^\circ_{CO_2gas} = -385.98 + 394.359 = 8.379 \text{ kJ/mol}$;

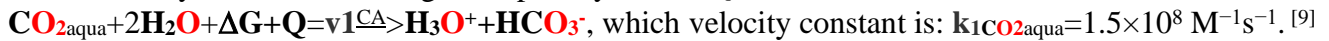
Pure gas 100% [CO₂gas] = X_{CO2gas} = 1 mol fraction solubility is [CO₂aqua] = K_{sp} * 1 * [H₂O] = 0.034045 * 55.3457339 = 1.884 M. Atmospheric 0.04% = [CO₂gas] = X_{CO2gas} = 0.0004 mol fraction solubility [CO₂aqua] = K_{sp} * [CO₂↑_{gas}] * [H₂O] is

[CO₂aqua] = K_{sp} * [CO₂↑_{gas}] * [H₂O] = 0.034045 * 0.0004 * 55.3 = 0.000754 M; 4th, 45th, 46th pages.

$\Delta G_{hydrationHess} = \Delta H_{hydrationHess} - T * \Delta S_{hydrationHess} = -17.9 - 298.15 * -0.09617 = \dots\dots\dots \text{kJ/mol}$

Carbonic anhydrase CA protolysis reactivity create functional active bicarbonate buffer. [9,14]

Carbonic anhydrase CA drive high rate protolysis CO₂aqua with two water molecules:



..... ΔH_{Hess}=9.7576 kJ/mol; ΔG_{Hess}=102 kJ/mol;. [9]; Hess expressions:

$\Delta H_{Hess} = \Delta H^\circ_{H_3O} + \Delta H^\circ_{HCO_3} - 2\Delta H^\circ_{H_2O} - \Delta H^\circ_{CO_2} = -285.81 - 689.93 - (2 * -285.85 - 413.7976) = 9.7576 \dots\dots\dots \text{kJ/mol}$;

$\Delta G_{protolysisHess} = \Delta G^\circ_{H_3O} + \Delta G^\circ_{HCO_3} - 2\Delta G^\circ_{H_2O} - \Delta G^\circ_{CO_2} = -213.2746 - 544.9688 - (2 * -237.191 - 385.98) = 102 \dots\dots\dots \text{kJ/mol}$;

$\Delta G_{Absolute} = G_{H_3O} + G_{HCO_3} - (2G_{H_2O} + G_{CO_2\text{aqua}}) = 22.44 + 46.08 - (2 * 0 + 8.379) = 60.14 \text{ kJ/mol}$;

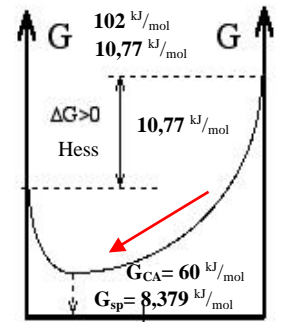
CA weak acid equilibrium $K_{eqCA} = \frac{[HCO_3^-]_{\text{aqua}} \cdot [H_3O^+]}{[CO_2]_{\text{aqua}} \cdot [H_2O]^2} = K_a / [H_2O]^2 = 10^{-(7.0512)} / 55.3457339^2 = 2.906 * 10^{-11}$

Exothermic ΔH_{sp}Hess=-..... kJ/mol and endoergic solubility [CO₂aqua]=0.000754 M for dissolution is ΔG_{sp}Hess=..... kJ/mol and protolysis constant is K_{eq}CA=2.906*10⁻¹¹ <1; therefore positive endoergic free energy change minimum:

$G_{CA} = -R \cdot T \cdot \ln(K_{eqCA}) = -8.3144 * 298.15 * \ln(2.906 * 10^{-(11)}) = \dots\dots\dots \text{kJ/mol}$.

Endoergic CO₂gas solubility and CO₂aq protolysis Hess free energy change positive ΔG_{sp}Hess 10.77 kJ/mol and ΔG_{protolysisHess} 102 kJ/mol, but minimizes reaching equilibrium mixture of solubility G_{sp}=8.38 kJ/mol and of protolysis ΔG_{min}=G_{CA} 60 kJ/mol:

CO₂+2H₂O protolysis generate indispensable concentrations H₃O⁺+HCO₃⁻ gradients of free energy accumulation G_{sp}CO₂+G_{CA}=8.38 kJ/mol+60 kJ/mol. Using the gradients energy Brownian molecular engines drive irreversible homeostasis of H₃O⁺+HCO₃⁻ for transport down the gradient through membrane cannels exhaling CO₂gas+H₂O and of O₂aqua+H₂O for osmosis against the gradients through aquaporins inhaling oxygen O₂. Photosynthesis with CA inhale CO₂gas+H₂O through proton H⁺+HCO₃⁻ bicarbonate cannels and exhale O₂aqua+H₂O through aquaporins cannels in osmosis manner.



A+2B 50% C+D
 CO₂aq+2H₂O reactants
 products HCO₃⁻+H₃O⁺
 A 50% B
 CO₂↑_{gas} reactant
 product CO₂aqua

Prigogine attractor free energy change minimum ΔG_{min} reaching is Le Chatelier principle of equilibrium mixture. High rate protolysis attractor stay at equilibrium, while homeostasis continues, because is non-equilibrium state. Prigogine: "This equilibrium state is an "attractor" for non-equilibrium states." 1977. [4]

CA Carbonic Anhydrase drive irreversible dissolve carbon dioxide protolysis with two water molecules cooling Earth biosphere in photosynthesis: CO₂aqua+2H₂O+ΔG+Q =^{CA}> H₃O⁺+HCO₃⁻ high solubility ratio K_{CO2aqua+HCO3-}=[CO₂aqua+HCO₃⁻]/[CO₂↑_{air}]=0.023 M/0.000754 M=..... times for inhale. CO₂gas+H₂O. [14]

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