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Introduction to the Reference Interaction Site Model (RISM)

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Outline

1. Integral Equations Theory (IET) of Molecular Liquids

- a. Ornstein-Zernike (OZ) equation
- b. Molecular OZ equation
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2. Solvation thermodynamics from RISM approximations

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Radial Distribution Function (RDF)



Direct correlation function



Ornstein, L. S. and Zernike, F. Proc. Acad. Sci. Amsterdam 1914, 17, 793-806

Indirect correlation function



$$h(r_{12}) = c(r_{12}) + \gamma(r_{12})$$

indirect correlation function

The indirect influence can be described with *direct* influence of particle **1** on **any** particle **3**, which, in turn, influences *indirectly* particle **2**

$$h(r_{12}) = c(r_{12}) + \rho \int c(r_{13})h(r_{32})dr_3$$

Ornstein-Zernike (OZ) equation



Ornstein-Zernike equation

for homogeneous fluid of spherical particles

$$h(r_{12}) = c(r_{12}) + \rho \int c(r_{13})h(r_{32})dr_3$$

 $h(r_{12}) = c(r_{12}) + \rho \int c(r_{13})c(r_{32})dr_3 + \rho^2 \int \int c(r_{13})c(r_{34})c(r_{42})dr_3dr_4 + \dots$

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Closure relation

 $h(r_{12}) = c(r_{12}) + \rho \int c(r_{13})h(r_{32})dr_3$ two unknown functions

Closure relation

$$\begin{cases} h(r_{12}) = c(r_{12}) + \rho \int c(r_{13})h(r_{32})dr_3 \\ h(r_{12}) - 1 = e^{-\beta U(r_{12}) + h(r_{12}) - c(r_{12})} + B(r_{12}) & \text{bridge functional} \end{cases}$$

Hyper-Netted Chain Closure (HNC)

$$B(r) = 0$$

h(r)-1 = exp[$\Xi(r)$] Problem with convergence!

$$\Xi(r) = -\beta U(r) + h(r) - c(r)$$

Partial linearization of HNC closure:

$$h(r)-1 = \begin{cases} \exp[\Xi(r)] & \text{when } \Xi(r) \le 0 \\ \sum_{i=0}^{n} \Xi^{i}(r)/i! & \text{when } \Xi(r) \ge 0 \quad \text{(KH closure: i=1)} \end{cases}$$

J.P. Hansen, I.R. McDonald, *Theory of Simple Liquids* 4th ed., Elsevier Academic Press, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, **2000**

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MOZ equation



MOZ equations

homogeneous fluid:



$$h(\Gamma_{12}) = c(\Gamma_{12}) + \frac{\rho}{8\pi^2} \iint_{\mathbf{R}} \int_{\Omega} c(\Gamma_{13}) h(\Gamma_{32}) d\mathbf{r}_3 d\Theta_3$$

heterogeneous fluid:

$$h(\boldsymbol{\Gamma}_{ij}) = c(\boldsymbol{\Gamma}_{ij}) + \sum_{m=1}^{M} \frac{\rho_m}{8\pi^2} \int_{\mathbf{R}} \int_{\Omega} c(\boldsymbol{\Gamma}_{im}) h(\boldsymbol{\Gamma}_{mj}) d\boldsymbol{r}_m d\boldsymbol{\Theta}_m$$

6D integrals over positional and orientational coordinates

Necessary to introduce some *approximations* to make the MOZ equations solvable for systems of chemical interest

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Site-site approximation



Molecules are modeled as *sets* of *sites* (atoms, groups).

Intramolecular correlation functions:

$$\omega_{ss'}(r) = \frac{\delta(r - r_{ss'})}{4\pi r_{ss'}^2}$$

Bulk solvent susceptibility:

$$\chi_{\alpha\beta} = \omega_{\beta\beta'}(r) + \rho h_{\alpha\beta}(r)$$

Assumption:

$$c(r_{ij}, \Theta_i, \Theta_j) = \sum_{s\alpha} c_{s\alpha}(r)$$

 $h_{s\alpha}(r) = \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \int_{\Omega} h(r_{ij}, \Theta_i, \Theta_j) d\Theta_i d\Theta_j$

D. Chandler, H.C. Andersen, J. Chem. Phys., 1972, 57, 1930-1937



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D. Beglov, B. Roux, J. Phys. Chem., 1997, 101, 7821-7826

RISM calculations: *workflow*



AmberTools http://ambermd.org

http://ambermd.org/tutorials/ TUTORIAL A14: Using 3D-RISM to place waters (Dan Sindhikara)





https://www.chemcomp.com

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Physico-chemical properties in Drug Design



Early stage Drug Design:

- Hit-to-lead
- Lead optimization

(filtering, ranking, and analysis of compounds)

Partitioning and hydration free energy



Models for hydration free energy calculation



Hydration free energy from RISM





D.S. Palmer, A.I. Frolov, E.L. Ratkova, M.V. Fedorov, J. Phys. Cond. Matt., 2010, 22, 492101

Prediction of HFE for drugs

 ΔG_{hyd}^{exp} [kcal/mol]



logP predictions

$$\log P_{oct/wat} = \frac{1}{-RT(\ln 10)} \left(\Delta G_{solv(oct)}^{UC} - \Delta G_{solv(wat)}^{UC} \right)$$
$$\Delta G_{solv}^{UC} = \Delta G_{solv}^{RISM} + a_1 \rho \overline{V} + a_0$$



- alkanes
- alkylbenzenes
- alcohols
- phenols
- chloroalkanes
- aldehydes
- * ketones
- polychlorinated alkanes
- polychlorinated benzenes
- polychlorinated alkenes
- acids and amines

Small molecules:

• there are as efficient predictive models

Larger molecules:

- problem with site-site representation of solvent
- problems with convergence •

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Partial Molar Volume (PMV)

Partial Molar Volume characterizes the change in the volume when an infinitesimal amount of substance is added to water at constant T, P, and amount of solvent.

$$\overline{\mathbf{V}}_{A} = \left(\frac{\partial \mathbf{V}}{\partial n_{A}}\right)_{T,P,n_{B\neq A}}$$



T. Imai; *et al. Protein Sci.* **2007**, *16*, 1927. T.V. Chalikian; K.J. Breslauer. *Biopolymers* **1996**, *39*, 619.

PMV predictions with RISM



Ratkova E.L. (2011). *PhD Thesis*. University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany T. Imai; *et al. Chem, Phys. Lett.* 2004, 395, 1.

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Water analysis: workflow



Water analysis: *software*

1) Explicit positions of water molecules



Software "Placevent" (free)

http://ambermd.org/tutorials/ TUTORIAL A14

2) Thermodynamic parameters of water molecules



Software "SolutionMap" (Molecular Design Frontier Co. Ltd.)

(a-la "WaterMap")

Principle hydration sites



HIV-1 protease has 1 conserved H_2O in binding pocket ^[1]





Bovine chymosin has 7 conserved H_2O in binding pocket ^[2]



[1] D.J. Sindhikara, N. Yoshida, F. Hirata, *J. Comp. Chem.* **2012**, 133, 1536

[2] Palmer et al., J. Comp. Theor. Chem. 2013, 9, 5706

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Mixed solvent for fragment placement in *de-novo* design



X-ray data **3D RISM results**



X-ray structure of ZF^PLA



complex with thermolysin

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Take-home messages

RISM is <u>a theory</u>, not a computer experiment

- Significantly less computationally expensive than molecular simulation
- ✓ Allows specific solute-solvent effects to be studied (unlike continuum solvent models)
- 1D and 3D versions allow choose between speed and accuracy
- Allows calculations at different parameters (T, concentration, etc.)

Phys/chem properties predictions

Solvent = water (ΔG_{hydr} , PMV)

- ✓ high accuracy for small compounds
- ✓ applicable for larger molecules

Solvent = octanol (logP_{o/w})

- ✓ high accuracy for small compounds
- problems for larger molecules

Structure predictions

Solvent = water

- ✓ Correct principal hydration sites
- ✓ Analysis of thermodynamics
- ✓ Developed software

Solvent = water + fragments

- there is a proof-of-concept
- non-trivial replacement
- under development

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