Callapy

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CHAPTER

ONE

CALLAPY

The physical adsorption of both solute and solvent from liquid solutions onto solids is difficult to determine in widely adopted static (i.e., batch) experiments, because only the bulk liquid reservoir can be probed directly. The consequences of this limitation are best explained by the mass balances. The total mass balance for uptake from a binary mixture can be expressed as

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$$V_{\rm in}\rho_{\rm in} = V_{\rm eq}\rho_{\rm eq} + m\left(Q_{\rm A} + Q_{\rm S}\right) \tag{1.1}$$

where $V_{\rm in}$ is the initial solution volume, $\rho_{\rm in}$ is the initial solution density, $V_{\rm eq}$ is the solution volume measured at equilibrium, $\rho_{\rm eq}$ is the solution density at equilibrium, m is the mass of the solid, $Q_{\rm A}$ is the loading of the solute A, and $Q_{\rm S}$ is the loading of the solvent S. The mass balance on the solute is

$$V_{\rm in}C_{\rm A,in} = V_{\rm eq}C_{\rm A,eq} + mQ_{\rm A} \tag{1.2}$$

where $C_{A,in}$ is the initial concentration of the solute A, and $C_{A,eq}$ is the concentration of the solute A measured at equilibrium.

From the batch adsorption procedure, $V_{\rm in}$, $C_{\rm A,in}$, $C_{\rm A,eq}$, and m are measured. The initial $(\rho_{\rm in})$ and equilibrium $(\rho_{\rm eq})$ densities are usually either determined from separate experiments, taken from available literature reports, or estimated from pure component densities. As a result, Equations (1.1) and (1.2) have three unknowns $(V_{\rm eq}, Q_{\rm A}, {\rm and} Q_{\rm S})$, giving them no unique solution.

The excess adsorption (XS) is one common approach. In this case, the volume of solution at equilibrium is assumed to be the same as the initial volume of solution. The third relationship required to close the mass balances is

$$V_{\rm in} = V_{\rm eq}$$

The solute loading calculated by the XS approach is expressed as

$$Q_{\rm A}^{\rm XS} = \frac{V_{\rm in} \left(C_{\rm A,in} - C_{\rm A,eq} \right)}{m} \tag{1.3}$$

The solvent loading calculated by the XS approach is expressed as

$$Q_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{XS}} = \frac{V_{\mathrm{in}} \left[\rho_{\mathrm{in}} - \rho_{\mathrm{eq}} - \left(C_{\mathrm{A,in}} - C_{\mathrm{A,eq}} \right) \right]}{m}$$

Another option is to assume that no solvent (NS) adsorbs into the solid (i.e., only solute adsorbs). The third relationship required to close the mass balances is

$$Q_{\rm S} = 0 \tag{1.4}$$

The solute loading calculated by the NS approach can be obtained by

$$Q_{\rm A}^{\rm NS} = \frac{V_{\rm in} \left[\rho_{\rm in} - \left(\frac{C_{\rm A,in}}{C_{\rm A,eq}} \rho_{\rm eq} \right) \right]}{m \left(1 - \frac{\rho_{\rm eq}}{C_{\rm A,eq}} \right)}$$
(1.5)

By definition, the solvent loading for the NS approach is zero.

The volume change by solute adsorption method (VC) estimates the volume change of solution based off of how much solute adsorbs. The third relationship required to close the mass balances is

$$V_{\rm eq} = V_{\rm in} - mQ_{\rm A}/\rho_{\rm A}$$

The solute loading calculated by the VC method is calculated as

$$Q_{\rm A}^{\rm VC} = \frac{V_{\rm in} \left(C_{\rm A,in} - C_{\rm A,eq} \right)}{m \left(1 - \frac{C_{\rm A,eq}}{\rho_{\rm A}} \right)} \tag{1.6}$$

where ρ_A is an estimated adsorbed density of the solute A. The solvent loading calculated by the VC approach is expressed as

$$Q_{\rm S}^{\rm VC} = \frac{V_{\rm in}}{m} \left[\rho_{\rm in} - \rho_{\rm eq} - \left(1 - \frac{\rho_{\rm eq}}{\rho_{\rm A}} \right) \left(\frac{C_{\rm A,in} - C_{\rm A,eq}}{1 - \frac{C_{\rm A,eq}}{\rho_{\rm A}}} \right) \right]$$
(1.7)

Another option is to assume that the pores in the solid are filled upon adsorption. The additional relationship is

$$V_{\rm p} = Q_{\rm A}/\rho_{\rm A} + Q_{\rm S}/\rho_{\rm S}$$

where $\rho_{\rm S}$ is an estimated density of the solvent, and $V_{\rm p}$ is an estimated pore volume of the adsorbent.

For the pore filling model, the solute loading can be calculated as

$$Q_{\rm A}^{\rm PF} = \frac{V_{\rm in} \left[\rho_{\rm in} - \left(\frac{C_{\rm A,in}}{C_{\rm A,eq}} \rho_{\rm eq} \right) \right] - m \rho_{\rm S} V_{\rm p}}{m \left(1 - \frac{\rho_{\rm eq}}{C_{\rm A,eq}} - \frac{\rho_{\rm S}}{\rho_{\rm A}} \right)}$$
(1.8)

while the solvent loading can be calculated as

$$Q_{\mathrm{S}}^{\mathrm{PF}} = V_{\mathrm{p}} \rho_{\mathrm{S}} - \frac{\rho_{\mathrm{S}}}{\rho_{\mathrm{A}}} \left(\frac{V_{\mathrm{in}} \left[\rho_{\mathrm{in}} - \left(\frac{C_{\mathrm{A,in}}}{C_{\mathrm{A,eq}}} \rho_{\mathrm{eq}} \right) \right] - m \rho_{\mathrm{S}} V_{\mathrm{p}}}{m \left(1 - \frac{\rho_{\mathrm{eq}}}{C_{\mathrm{A,eq}}} - \frac{\rho_{\mathrm{S}}}{\rho_{\mathrm{A}}} \right)} \right)$$

class callapy.model.Model(**kwargs)

Parameters

- V_in (input_data) initial volume, V_{in}
- **d_in** (input_data) initial density, ρ_{in}
- **d_eq** ($input_data$) equilibrium density, ρ_{eq}
- m(input_data) mass of zeolite, m
- CA_in $(input_data)$ initial concentration of solute A, $C_{A,in}$
- CA_eq (input_data) equilibrium concentration of solute A, C_{A.eq}
- d_A (input_data, optional) estimated density of adsorbate used in calculating PF adsorption, defaults to None

- d_S (input_data, optional) estimated density of solvent in pores in calculating PF adsoption, defaults to None
- V units units for volume, defaults to ""
- V units str, optional
- C units units for concentration, defaults to ""
- C_units str, optional
- m_units units for mass of solid, defaults to ""
- m_units str, optional
- d_units units for density, defaults to ""
- d_units str, optional
- **V_p** estimated pore volume within solid, defaults to None
- **V_p** float, optional
- **e_V_in** (*error_data*, *optional*) **error** of initial volume, defaults to last decimal point input from Model.V_in
- e_d_in (error_data, optional) error of initial density, defaults to last decimal point input from d in
- e_d_eq(error_data, optional) error of equilibrium density, defaults to last decimal point input from d_eq
- e_m (error_data, optional) error of adsorbent mass, defaults to last decimal point input from e_m
- e_CA_in (error_data, optional) error of adsorbent mass, defaults to last decimal point input from CA_in
- e_CA_eq (error_data, optional) error of adsorbent mass, defaults to last decimal point input from CA_eq

PF()

Pore-filling adsorption model (PF)

Parameters

- **d_A** estimated adsorbed density of solute A, ρ_A
- **d_S** estimated adsorbed density of solute S, ρ_S
- V p estimated pore volume of solid, $V_{\rm p}$
- **kwargs** key-word arguments

Returns (Q_A, Q_S, V_{eq})

 $\textbf{eval_NS}\,(\,)\,\rightarrow Tuple$

No-solvent adsorption model (NS)

Parameters kwargs – key-word arguments

Returns (Q_A, Q_S, V_{eq})

eval_VC()

Volume change by solute adsorption model (VC)

Parameters

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- d_A estimated adsorbed density of solute A, $\rho_{\rm A}$
- **kwargs** key-word arguments

Returns
$$(Q_A, Q_S, V_{eq})$$

$$\mathbf{eval} _\mathbf{XS} \, (\,) \, \to \mathbf{Tuple}$$

Excess adsorption model (XS)

Parameters kwargs – key-word arguments

Returns
$$(Q_A, Q_S, V_{eq})$$

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