The Thermodynamic Characteristic of Complex Formations of some metals with 3-(4-nitrophenylazo) pentan-2, 4-dione in Aqueous Ethanol Solution

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Abstract: The method of potentiometric titrations investigates complex formation of some metals with 3-(4-nitrophenylazo)pentan-2,4-dione (L) in aqueous ethanol a solution at various temperatures (298 0.5; 308 0.5; 318 0.5 K). Standard thermodynamic functions of reaction of complex formation which change in the following sequence also are established:

$$\left|\Delta G^{\,0}\right|$$
: Fe Cu UO₂ Ni Co Zn Cd Mn Mg Ca $\left|\Delta H^{\,0}\right|$: Fe Cu UO₂ Ni Co Zn Cd Mn Mg Ca $\Delta S^{\,0}$: Ca Mg Mn Cd Co Zn Co UO₂ Cu Fe

Method MO LCAO in approximation Hückel quantum-chemical calculations determines effective charges of atoms in tautomeric forms (enol-azo, keto-azo, hydrazo) of L.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Thermodynamic functions of reaction of complexformation of azoderivatives of acetylacetone are fundamental characteristics for forecasting analytical opportunities of this class of organic reagents [1, 2] At complex formation of ions of metals with these reagents it dominates enthalpy factor bound with formating of quasiaromatic six-membered chelate.

In the present work thermodynamic functions of reaction of complexformation of azoderivative of acetylacetone — 3-(4-nitrophenylazo)pentan-2,4-dione (L) with some metals are investigated by method potentiometric titrations. Besides that we established reactionary ability of tautomeric forms (enol-azo, keto-azo, hydrazo) L by method MO LCAO in approximation Hückel.

2. Experimental

L was prepared by azo coupling of diazotized *p*-nitroaniline with acetylacetone in a weakly alkaline medium in technique [3]; its structure was proved by IR and ¹H NMR spectroscopy [4].

The starting reagents $FeCl_3 \oplus 6H_2O$, $CuSO_4 5H_2O$ UO_2SO_4 $3H_2O$, $NiSO_4$ $7H_2O$, $CoSO_4$ 7H₂O , $Cd(NO_3)$, 4H₂O ,
$$\label{eq:solution} \begin{split} ZnSO_4 & , & MnCl_2 \ 4H_2O \ , \\ MgSO_4 \ 7H_2O & , & Ca(NO_3)_2 \ \ \text{(reagent)} \end{split}$$
grade) and solutions of L in aqueous ethanol. In aqueous solutions of the salts, concentrations of Fe(III), Cu(II), Ni(II), Co(II), Zn(II), Cd(II) and Mn(II) were determined by atomic absorption spectroscopy, concentrations of Mg(II) and Ca(II), by atomic emission spectroscopy, and the concentration of UO₂(II), by photometry [5]. Potentiometric titration of mixtures of L with the corresponding metal (M) salts was carried out in aqueous ethanol (3: 7, v/v) with consideration of the

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Bates correction [6] ($c_{\rm M}$ $c_{\rm L}$ 1 10 3 mol dm⁻³) at 298 0.5, 308 0.5, and 318 0.5. The ionic strengths of solutions were maintained constant (=0.1 mol dm⁻³) by adding a calculated amount of KCl. A solution of KOH (c=1 10 2 mol dm⁻³) free of carbon dioxide was used as a titrant. Solutions were stirred with a magnetic stirrer. The pH values of solutions were measured with an I-130 ionometer with glass and flow silver-chloride electrodes. The conductivities of solutions were measured with a KEL-1M2 conductometer.

3. Results and discussion

In [7-9] we demonstrated that azo derivatives of acetylacetone exist as three tautomeric forms. Therefore as it is specified, that with increase in quantity tautomeric forms of organic reagents it is recommended carrying out quantum-chemical calculations [10]. For finding-out of reactionary ability and typical pK a reagent abstraction a proton from any groups in tautomeric forms L are lead quantum-chemical calculations by method MO LCAO in approximation Hückel [11-13]:

$$q_A n_A^0 n_A^0 n_i n_j |c_{q_i}|^2$$

where n_A^0 is the positive charge of the nuclear core of atom A, n_i is the number of electrons at the ith molecular orbital (MO), and c_{q_i} is the coefficient of the qth basic function q in the expression of the ith MO

positively charged Mⁿ ion should interact with the keto-azo tautomer of L (ambidentate form) with forming a quasiaromatic sixmembered chelate ring [14, 15]:

The dissociation constants of L at different temperatures ... e calculated by the equation [16]:

$$\lg K_{\mathrm{dis}}$$
 pH $\lg[\mathrm{HL}]$ $\lg[\mathrm{L}]$; $\lg K_{\mathrm{dis}}$ pK.

The dissociation constant have been evaluated at 298, 308 and 318 K and are given in table 1. The slope of the plot (pK versus 1/T) was utilized to evaluate the enthalpy change (ΔH^0) for the dissociation process. From the Gibbs energy change (ΔG^0) and (ΔH^0) values one can deduce the entropy change (ΔS^0) using the well known relationships [17]:

$$\Delta G^0 = 2.303RTpK$$
; $\Delta S^0 = (H - G)/T$

TABLE 1
Thermodynamic characteristics dissociation L in aqueous ethanol a solution

T, K	p <i>K</i>	ΔG^0 , kJ mol ¹	ΔH^0 , kJ mol 1	ΔS^0 , J mol 1K					
298 0.5	8.10 0.02	46.22 0.11		-51.40 1.78					
308 0.5	7.95 0.03		30.90 1.67						
318 0.5	7.76 0.05								

On the basis of these given (table 1) it is possible to make the following conclusions:

- 1. With increase in temperature value pK decreases, i.e. increases acid properties L [17, 18].
- 2. Positive value H shows that process is endothermic [17-19].
- 3. Change G of process is positive, therefore process dissociation does not process spontaneous [17-19].
- 4. A negative value of S is obtained due to increased order as a result of solvation processes [18, 19].

From molecular diagrams of tautomeric forms of a reagent follows that at potentiometric titration in a proton abstraction groups it (enolazo) and -NH- (hydrazo) values of effective $^{0.463}$ charges of atoms in $\stackrel{0.463}{N}$ more, than century

0.302

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m O}$. Based on the quantum-chemical data, one can assume that $K_{
m dis}$ of L characterizes proton abstraction form its hydrazo form (table 1)

The stability constants $K_{\rm st}$ of metal complexes with L were calculated by the Chaberak-Martell method [20]:

$$K_{st} = \frac{c_L - [L][x]}{[L]^2[x]}$$

[L]
$$\frac{\{c_L(1 \ a) \ [H \] \ [OH \]\}\ K_{dis}}{[H \]}$$

[x]
$$\frac{[H]}{K_{dis}}$$
 1, a is the neutralization point,

and $c_{\rm M}$ $c_{\rm L}$ 1 10 3 mol dm⁻³. The Gibbs energies and enthalpies of formation of complexes were calculated by the formulas [21]:

$$\Delta G^0 = RTlnK_{st} ~~;$$

$$\Delta H^0 = \{ ~R(lnK_{st(T_3)} - lnK_{st(T_1)}) \} / \{ (1/T_3) - (1/T_1) \} .$$
 The entropy of the complexation reaction was calculated by the formula

was calculated by the formula ΔS^0 (H ΔG)/T. Results of calculations are submitted in table 2.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} TABLE\ 2\\ Thermodynamic\ characteristics\ of\ reactions\ of\ complex formation\ L\ with\ some\ metals\ in\ aqueous\ ethanol\ solution \end{tabular}$

Solu		1 1 **	0 1		1 0
ML	T, K	lg K	ΔG^0 , kJ mol ¹	ΔH^0 , kJ mol ¹	ΔS^0 , J mol 1K
	298 0.5	8.02 0.02	$-45.76 \ 0.10$,	16.34 2.28
FeL	308 0.5	7.80 0.04		-40.89 2.18	
	318 0.5	7.57 0.04			
	298 0.5	7.87 0.04	-44.90 0.12		19.56 2.24
CuL	308 0.5	7.66 0.04		-39.07 2.12	
	318 0.5	7.44 0.05			
	298 0.5	7.63 0.06	-43.53 0.13		27.15 2.07
UO ₂ L	308 0.5	7.55 0.05		-35.44 1.94	
	318 0.5	7.24 0.03			
	298 0.5	7.07 0.07	-40.34 0.14		25.60 1.95
NiL	308 0.5	6.89 0.06		-32.71 1.81	
	318 0.5	6.71 0.02			
	298 0.5	6.72 0.06	-38.34 0.13		37.18 1.65
CoL	308 0.5	6.57 0.05		-27.26 1.52	
	318 0.5	6.42 0.03			
	298 0.5	6.58 0.03	-37.54 0.10		43.62 1.45
ZnL	308 0.5	6.44 0.05		-24.54 1.35	
	318 0.5	6.31 0.04			
	298 0.5	6.37 0.03	-36.35 0.10		48.79 1.31
CdL	308 0.5	6.25 0.05		-21.81 1.21	
	318 0.5	6.13 0.05			
	298 0.5	6.31 0.02	-36.00 0.08		53.72 1.18
MnL	308 0.5	6.20 0.06		-19.99 1.10	
	318 0.5	6.09 0.03			
	298 0.5	6.04 0.04	-34.46 0.10		60.77 1.04
MgL	308 0.5	5.95 0.04		-16.35 0.94	
	318 0.5	5.86 0.05			
G -	298 0.5	5.77 0.05	-32.92 0.11		64.73 0.92
CaL	308 0.5	5.69 0.05		-13.63 0.81	
	318 0.5	5.62 0.06			
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From table 2 it is visible that thermodynamic functions of reactions complexformation change in the following sequence:

$$|\Delta G^0|$$
: Fe Cu UO₂ Ni Co Zn Cd Mn Mg Ca $|\Delta H^0|$: Fe Cu UO₂ Ni Co Zn Cd Mn Mg Ca $|\Delta S^0|$: Ca Mg Mn Cd Co Zn Co UO₂ Cu Fe

The specified sequence of change enthalpy complexformation is connected to increase in a degree covalente communications (a "internal" part of change enthalpy) (keto-azo) and, accordingly, decrease in the electrostatic contribution (a "external" part of change enthalpy) [22, 23], and also dominate functional groups (enthalpy shift tautomeric equilibrium) depending on affinity of ions of metals with dorbitales in complexformation.

The increase of entropy is connected to abstraction molecules of water at complex formation, and also at formation of a complex with lower charge, than at initial ions and as a result it smaller solvatasion the received complexes [24]. Increase entropy of complex formation can be, basically is caused by losses configuration entropy liganda (entropy tautomeric equilibrium).

Thus, the following conclusions received from table 2:

- Change of temperature influences reaction of complexformation, i.e. with increase in temperature stability of complexes decreases.
- 2. Negative value $\,G\,$ show, that reactions of complexformation processed spontaneously [20, 21, 24].
- Reactions of complexformation are exotermic

 H <0) and fovarite the role plays enthalpy at complexformation.
- 4. Positive change of entropy of process asserts complexformation in a solution

Results of conductometric titration in technique [26] 50 cm 3 1 10 3 L dm $^{-3}$ water solutions of the salts of metals with 1 10 2 L dm $^{-3}$ aqueous ethanol solution of reagent show, that due to mobile of ions H_3O (which are more mobile) increases conductivities of system:

$$M(H_2O)_m^n (aq) rHL(H_2O)_t(aq) ML_r(H_2O)_u^{(n-r)}(aq) (m-rt-u-r)H_2O rH_3O$$

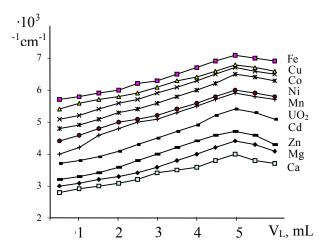


FIGURE. Conductometric titration curves of aqueous solutions of the metal salts (solution of L in aqueous ethanol as titrants) with L

Comparison of constants of stability of complexes (table 2) and their conductivity shows (figure), that the ions H_3O are more abstraction at complexformation, the received complex (figure) is stable. It can be seen from figure that the conductivities decrease after the equivalence point. This is associated with the shift of the equilibrium L H HL to the right (i.e., with the protonation of L).

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