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# A Study for Transition of Vitamin-C and Water Through Channel Membrane and Channel Aquaporin

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#### ABSTRACT

In this work we have exhibited vitamin C permeability and water transition through channel of Aquaporin. This study describes the investigation of the vitamin channel membrane proteins for selective transition among the B group of vitamins and water. The interaction among the channels with some vitamins and water has been calculated. Total energy ( $E_{tot}$ ), Potential ( $E_{pot}$ ) and Kinetic ( $E_{tin}$ ) energies (kcal/mol), calculated by the molecular simulation with different force fields at different temperatures. The NMR parameters have been calculated for confirmation of the results.

Keywords: Monte Carlo, NMR, Vitamin C, Channel membrane, Channel Aquaporin.

# INTRODUCTION

Aquaporin or water channel, is a membrane proteins from intrinsic protein which form pores in the cell membranes, basically facilitating transition of water and some small molecules from outside to inside of a cell. The cell membrane of different animal and plants even bacteria and fungi, cell contain aquaporin through which water and some small molecules can flow more rapidly into and out of the cell via diffusing through phospholipid bilayers. The protein of aquaporin is composed of six transmembrane  $\alpha$ -helices which are embedded in the cell membranes. The amino segment and carboxyl group ends face the inside of the cell and both of them halves resemble each other<sup>1-5</sup>.

Vitamin C, or ascorbic acid, is a watersoluble compound which is naturally present is in some plants, foods, and available as a diet supplements. Vitamin C is needed for important bio-synthesis of collagen and certain neuro-transmitters and it is also involved in protein metabolism<sup>6</sup>.

Collagen is an important compoundx, which plays a vital role in wound healing<sup>7</sup>. Vitamin C is also a unique physiological antioxidant<sup>8</sup> and has been exhibited for regenerating other antioxidants within the human bodies, including vitamin E<sup>9</sup>. Furthermore to its antioxidant function, it plays a basic role in immune function<sup>4</sup> and improves the absorption of iron for hemoglubin<sup>10</sup>.



This is an **3** Open Access article licensed under a Creative Commons Attribution-NonCommercial-ShareAlike 4.0 International License (https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by-nc-sa/4.0/), which permits unrestricted NonCommercial use, distribution and reproduction in any medium, provided the original work is properly cited. Insufficient concentration of it in human body intake causes scurvy, which is characterized by lassitude<sup>5-9</sup>, widespread connective tissue<sup>10</sup> weakness<sup>11</sup>, and capillary fragility<sup>5-11</sup>.Cells accumulate<sup>12</sup> vitamin C through a second specific transports proteins and physiologic importance of dehydroascorbic acids uptake to overall vitamin C is unknown<sup>12</sup>. The total body ranges of vitamin C are from 300 mg to about 2 g<sup>8-11</sup>. High amount of



Fig.1(a). The optimized structure of Vitamin C



Fig.1(b). 4 holes for Vitamin C transition via AQ4 from out of cell to cytoplasm



Fig.2. 1 hole in the Z-axis of AQ porin with 4OJ2 characterization. pdb file Channels

vitamin C is maintained in cell and tissues<sup>11</sup>, and are highest in leukocyte, eye, adrenal gland, pituitary glands, and brain. Relatively low levels of vitamin C are found in extracellular fluid, such as plasma, red blood cell, and saliva<sup>11</sup>.

#### Model of theory and computational details

Thermodynamic averages of molecular properties can be determined from molecular mechanics and Monte Carlo (MC) method, as can minimum-energy structure. Furthermore, it might be mention that constraining potential are occasionally applied at a finite temperature. MC simulations, which can generate canonical ensembles, are used when a system has difficult integral to be solved and have to generate some random numbers for generating uniform independent value statistically. In the MC, the metropolis algorithms are applied more than other algorithms because of its simplicities.



Fig.3. H2o Channels and Vitamin C Channel of 1FQY pdb file



Fig.4. Vitamin C during transmission of AQ 1LDI through a selective channel

Monte Carlo is the term used in several fields of sciences and engineering or statistics and mathematics for meaning entirely different thing. The only one thing that all MC method have same root is that those all need random number for calculating something. MC simulation is widely used in the area of chemistry, biology, physic and applied engineering for to determining the minimized structural and thermodynamic data of the systems at the atomic levels. Introducing the suitable potentials enable one for defining cluster of desired size. The MC is one of the important commonly used numerical techniques, with application in the statistical physics, quantum mechanics, and field theories and so on.

Table. 1: Gibbs free energy of various media with various force fields for AQP4+Vitamin C

	Medium	Dielectric constant	MM+	AMBER ∆G(kcal/mol)	OPLS
AQP1LDI +Vitamin C	Gas phase	1	323.11	245.16	212.8
	Water	78.2	399.48	316.23	348.44
	Methanol	32.1	429.18	421.06	369.7
	Ethanol	24.1	423.64	438.27	376.9



Fig.5. HNMR of Vitamin C in the channel of AQ 1LDI

The accuracy of the method is defined by a random displacement. In this investigation, differences of force fields are shown by comparing the calculated energies using AMBER and OPLS. In this investigation Hyper-Chem professional release 7.01 is used for most of chemical calculations.

In this work, the quantum and molecular mechanic chemical studies were carried out using MC simulation. In the work, it has been investigated the temperature effects (291, 293, 295, 297, 298 and 300) for calculation of various aquaporin with OPLS, BIO+ and Amber force fields in several molecular mechanic (MM) method. The



Fig.6. <sup>c</sup>NMR of Vitamin C in the channel of AQ 1LDI

temperature range from 291 to 300 have selected based on the temperatures under and close to the normal temperature of the human body.

Different force fields are available in the MM program. Choosing the suitable force fields that is well parameterized for the molecular system under study is very important.

Gauge including atomic orbitals or GIAO and CSGT are adopted for solving the gauge problem in the calculation of nuclear magnetic shielding. The quantum chemical calculations yield the CS tensors in principal axes system which is:  $(\sigma_{33} > \sigma_{22} > \sigma_{11})$ 

	Vitan	nin C insid	le AQ porir	1LDI						Isolá	ated Vitami	n C	
atom	charge	σ iso	σ aniso	և	Δô	α	atom	charge	σiso	σ aniso	μ	Δð	σ
1 C	-0.3484	157.323	20.998	0.82820	-22.973	-15.314	1 C	-0.3301	156.13	17.236	0.89243	-16.309	11.49
5 C	-0.2898	155.83	27.0044	0.47897	-36.517	-24.345	5 C	-0.29709	157.08	14.755	0.55554	-18.971	-12.6473
С ю	-0.1109	142.637	26.9201	0.91005	-28.187	-18.791	с С	-0.13977	139.89	21.8808	0.55224	-16.982	14.5872
4 C	-0.2133	148.429	13.0794	0.07426	-24.35	-16.233	4 C	-0.20869	147.77	12.3787	0.93849	-11.997	8.2524
5 0	0.1479	46.7711	165.721	0.68853	-139.91	8.7196	5 0	0.16373	41.478	159.852	0.69029	-135.09	106.568
0 9	0.0962	48.3536	119.442	0.92464	-124.11	-82.746	6 0	0.09089	54.457	121.342	0.85416	-112.49	80.8949
7 0	-0.1691	65.1154	130.511	0.81445	-118.4	79.628	7 0	-0.15148	58.979	108.381	0.91451	-113.22	-75.4806
0 8	0.1734	49.0582	132.669	0.98149	-133.9	-89.272	0 8	0.1853	47.893	130.576	0.90639	-136.98	-91.3249
0 0	-0.3369	162.811	14.1317	0.69501	-11.976	88.446	9 0	-0.34835	159.53	13.3565	0.4317	-9.5613	8.9044
10 O	-0.3559	159.913	14.9366	0.45953	-10.9	9.4211	10 O	-0.36898	157.25	6.3312	0.85289	-5.8656	4.2209
11 C	-0.1374	114.253	26.6625	0.50869	-20.112	9.9577	11 C	-0.10489	104.69	18.2654	0.55891	-14.237	12.177
12 O	-0.0662	60.892	27.6963	0.90745	-29.04	-19.36	12 O	-0.08352	56.965	19.7716	0.69261	-23.362	-15.5748
13 H	-0.1366	61.9507	38.8862	0.26584	-24.612	18.464	13 H	-0.07699	65.323	30.5611	0.70687	-35.809	-23.873
14 H	-0.1349	59.9703	34.8601	0.20301	-20.968	25.924	14 H	-0.12839	58.908	32.0133	0.30139	-20.831	21.3422
15 H	-0.1891	104.736	50.7511	0.39735	-72.638	-48.425	15 H	-0.13612	63.732	31.8065	0.30558	-20.763	21.2044
16 H	0.1788	29.0289	13.856	0.65513	-11.466	33.834	16 H	0.17681	29.265	10.5477	0.76184	-11.973	-7.9823
17 H	0.1669	29.4867	5.7385	0.45597	-7.8827	-5.2551	17 H	0.17322	29.193	3.4448	0.29059	-5.3384	-3.5589
18H	0.161	29.9286	6.4746	0.63858	-7.9028	-5.2685	18 H	0.15588	30.177	6.8325	0.49556	-9.137	-6.0914
19 H	0.1604	30.2646	7.2237	0.8455	-7.8284	-5.2189	19 H	0.15737	30.294	7.7118	0.87302	-7.2223	5.1413
20 H	0.183353	29.5464	11.4263	0.55381	-8.8771	4.8158	20 H	0.18329	28.952	7.4258	0.34344	-4.988	4.9505

Table.2: NMR parameters for Vitamin C during transmission of AQ 1LDI through a selective channel

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The calculation was accomplished using Hyper-Chem professional release 7.01 package and the total energies, potentials and kinetic energies, have been done through MC simulation with AMBER, OPLS and MM+ in different Temperatures.

NMR chemical shifts measurements have been implemented in vast ranges of problems in chemistry and has unraveled to be an invaluable microscopic probes which have played a significant roles in the structural meaning.

Therefore, they used to evaluate the isotropic chemical-shielding or CSI, anisotropic chemical-shielding or CSA parameter, antisymmetry parameter  $\eta$ .

CSI (ppm) =  $(\sigma_{33} + \sigma_{22} + \sigma_{11})/3$ CSA (ppm) =  $\sigma_{33}^{-}(\sigma_{22} + \sigma_{11})/2$  $\eta = (\sigma_{22} - \sigma_{11})/(\sigma_{33} - CSI)$ 

The Span factor according to the:  $\Omega$  =  $\sigma_{_{33}}-\sigma_{_{11}}$  and  $\kappa$ =3( $\sigma_{_{iso}}-\sigma_{_{vv}})$  /  $\Omega$ 

This work has been down based on previous theoretical and calculations<sup>13-40</sup>.

### **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

NMR investigation gives deeper physical insight into the impact of different structures. In this work NMR parameters were calculated the aquaporin with different situation group in their active sites that the consider models geometry optimization were accomplished by method Monte Carlo. In fact, we calculate NMR factors and then compare data and we draw diagrams associated with them According to tables 1&2. The NMR measurements were carried out using GIAO method of nuclear magnetic resonance at theoretical concepts in different dielectric constants.

NMR calculations on trance membrane proteins via interaction with vitamin C using density functional theory (DFT) reveal that methods including electron correlation show significant improvements in the NMR shielding over results. as soon as AQ 1LDI was shown to be a vitamin pore, studies began towards elucidating its structure, pore properties, and the mechanisms underlying selective water conduction and proton exclusion. In this work we have shown a significant increase in vitamin C permeability was observed in AQ 1LDI as suitable protein trans-membrane for various vitamins resulting in dramatic swelling followed by dielectric of solvent tables.1. Aquaporin, of AQ 1LDI, have been detected in different, non-overlapping areas of the central. This study describes the developmental expression pattern of the vitamin C channel membrane proteins for some selected vitamin C. Total energy, Potential and Kinetic energy (kcal/mol), calculated by Monte Carlo simulation with Amber and OPLS force field in different Temperature the total energy, Potential and Kinetic energy (kcal/mol). The total energy, Potential and Kinetic energy (kcal/mol), are calculated by Amber and OPLS force field. In this study, we examined energy values from interaction of aquaporin with different vitamins in different media of solvents (water, methanol, ethanol and DMSO) at different temperatures. Calculations of the total energy, potential energy and kinetic energy by Monte Carlo simulation (AMBER, OPLS) have been to solvents (water, methanol, ethanol and DMSO) at different temperatures and in different number of solvents. Since the two different force fields have been utilized, the calculated energy of molecules will not be the same.

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