Understanding finite-size effects in molecule-surface adsorption using intermolecular perturbation theory

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system "size"

Water on graphene



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J. Ma, A. Michaelides, D. Alfe, L. Schimka, G. Kresse & E. Wang, PRB 84 (2011)

• Finite systems:

- SAPT(DFT)/DFT-SAPT
- Slow convergence of electrostatic energy
- Binding energy: 130 meV

- 14 Angstrom spacing
- DMC 5 x 5: -70(10) meV
- RPA 5 x 5: -77 meV
- RPA 2 x 2/HF 8 x 8: -98 meV





• DMC & RPA

Questions

- Why the 30 meV difference? It's not due to geometry differences.
- What is the nature of the finite-size effects?
- Why were 8 x 8 supercell HF energies needed?
- Which of the two results is more reliable?

Goal of this project is to provide tentative answers to some of these questions. To do this we will use intermolecular perturbation theory.



- Interaction is a small correction: $H_{AB} = H_A + H_B + V$
- Interpretation:

$$E_{\text{int}} = E^{(1)} + E^{(2)} + \cdots$$

= $E^{(1)}_{\text{elst}} + E^{(1)}_{\text{exch}} + \frac{E^{(2)}_{\text{ind}}}{E^{(2)}_{\text{disp}}} + \cdots$

• Express energies in terms of molecular properties

$$E_{\text{elst}}^{(1)} = \int \frac{\rho^{A}(\mathbf{r}_{1})\rho^{B}(\mathbf{r}_{2})}{|\mathbf{r}_{1} - \mathbf{r}_{2}|} d^{3}\mathbf{r}_{1}d^{3}\mathbf{r}_{2}$$

• Un-perturbed densities.

• Express energies in terms of molecular properties

$$E_{\rm ind}^{(2)} = -\frac{1}{2} \iint V(\mathbf{r}) \alpha(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}'; \mathbf{0}) V(\mathbf{r}') d\mathbf{r} d\mathbf{r}'$$

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Magnasco & McWeeny (1991) Angyan *et al* (1994)

• Un-perturbed densities & static density response functions

• Express energies in terms of molecular properties

$$E_{\rm disp}^{(2)} = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\infty du \iiint \int \frac{\alpha^A(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_1'; \mathbf{u}) \alpha^B(\mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}_2'; \mathbf{u})}{|\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_2| |\mathbf{r}_1' - \mathbf{r}_2'|} d\mathbf{r}_1 d\mathbf{r}_2 d\mathbf{r}_1' d\mathbf{r}_2'$$

Longuet-Higgins (1965)

• Frequency-dependent density response functions

- Exchange terms: explicitly orbital dependent.
- Terms higher than second-order: mainly induction. Calculated using a combination of HF and SAPT(CHF). Large in polar systems.

- Molecular properties from DFT & TDDFT
- PBEo/AC with ALDA+CHF response kernel
- Density-fitting: Computational scaling O(N5)
- Accuracy on par with CCSD(T)
- Availability: Molpro, SAPT2008, CamCASP
- DFT-SAPT: Hesselmann & Jansen

Misquitta, Jeziorski & Szalewicz, PRL 2003 Misquitta & Szalewicz, JCP 2005 Misquitta, Podeszwa, Jeziorski & Szalewicz, JCP 2006

SAPT(DFT) : Accuracy





energies in meV

	Min	SAPT(DFT)	CCSD(T)
SAPT(DFT) is very accurate!	Mı	-28.419	-27.973
	M2	-28.719	-28.968
	M3	-18.822	-18.708

R. Podeszwa, R. Bukowski & K. Szalewicz, JPC A 110 (2006)



Table 2 Contributions to the DF–DFT–SAPT water–acene interaction energies (kcal mol^{-1})

Let not Cambrid http://pubs.	Benzene	Coronene	HBC	DBC
Electrostatics	-2.85	-1.73	-1.54	-1.39
Exchange-repulsion	3.24	2.79	2.85	2.85
Induction B	-1.28	-1.29	-1.36	-1.37
Exchange-induction	0.82	0.80	0.83	0.84
$\delta(HF)$	-0.26	-0.20	-0.23	-0.23
Net induction	-0.71	-0.69	-0.75	-0.75
Dispersion	-3.28	-3.83	-4.00	$(-4.07)^{a}$
Exchange-dispersion	0.44	0.42	0.43	(0.43)
Net dispersion	-2.84	-3.42	-3.57	$(-3.64)^{a}$
Total interaction energy	-3.16	-3.05	-3.01	$(-2.93)^{b}$



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Electrostatics

- Involves un-perturbed charge densities of monomers.
- Finite system: large source of error. Slow to converge with system size.
- Periodic system: Introduces constant repulsive term of water with periodic images. Not a problem.

Dispersion

- Finite-system: Slow to converge, but easy to correct for finite-size using -C₆/R⁶ terms.
 Potentially missing terms from long wavelength fluctuations in graphene.
- Periodic system: Constant repulsive dispersion between water and periodic images(!). Long wavelength terms missing. Spurious attraction from periodic images in graphene.

Induction

- Graphene polarizes water. Distance-dependent.
- Water polarizes graphene. Distance-dependent.
- Water 'sees' image in graphene. Second-order polarization. Distance-dependent.
- Charge transfer!
- Finite system: No problem. Converges quickly.
- Periodic system: Spurious distance-dependent interactions between water and periodic images.









True induction energy

• Induced dipole: $\Delta \mu = \alpha \bar{E}$

$$=\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\frac{\alpha\mu'}{4z^3}\hat{z}$$

• Induction energy:

$$E_{\text{ind}} = -\frac{1}{2}\Delta\bar{\mu}\bar{E}$$
$$= -\left(\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right)^2 \frac{\alpha\mu^2}{32} \left(\frac{\chi_e}{\chi_e+2}\right)^2 \frac{1}{z^6}$$

• This is the true induction (in this model!).



- Define: $\lambda = \frac{z}{a}$
- Field arises from images in the dielectric and due to periodic boundary conditions (PBCs).

$$\bar{E} = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{2\bar{\mu}}{8d^3} \left(\frac{\chi_e}{\chi_e+2}\right) \left[-8\zeta(3)\lambda^3 \left(\frac{\chi_e+2}{\chi_e}\right) + 1 + \lambda^3 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} \frac{\frac{8\lambda^2}{n^2} - 1}{\left(1 + \frac{4\lambda^2}{n^2}\right)^{5/2}}\right]$$
$$= \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{2\bar{\mu}}{8d^3} \left(\frac{\chi_e}{\chi_e+2}\right) \left[F(\lambda)\right]$$

• And the induction energy is:

$$\begin{split} E_{\text{ind}} &= -\frac{1}{2} \Delta \bar{\mu} \bar{E} \\ &= -\left(\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right)^2 \frac{\alpha \mu^2}{32} \left(\frac{\chi_e}{\chi_e+2}\right)^2 \frac{1}{z^6} [F(\lambda)]^2 \end{split}$$

$\left[F(\lambda) ight]^2$



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- Develop an understanding using water...PAH systems.
- Use this information on periodic systems.

- PBEo/AC or PBE with Sadlej-pVTZ basis
- Linear-response DFT with ALDAX+CHF or ALDAX kernel.
- Non-local polarizabilities. Ranks 0 to 4 available, but only 0 to 2 used.
- Multipoles from GDMA2.
- CamCASP and ORIENT.
- Multipoles on PAH replaced with $Q_{20} = -1.161$

water...pentacene



• What is the spurious induction energy resulting from this dipole change?



• Field: $\bar{E} = \bar{E}(Q_{20}) + \bar{E}(\mu') + \bar{E}^{PB}(\mu + \Delta \mu) + \bar{E}^{PB}(\mu')$

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$$E_{\text{ind}} = -\frac{1}{2}\Delta\mu\bar{E}$$

= $-\frac{1}{2}\Delta\mu\bar{E}(Q_{20}) - \frac{1}{2}\Delta\mu\bar{E}(\mu') - \frac{1}{2}\Delta\mu\bar{E}^{\text{PB}}(\mu + \Delta\mu) - \frac{1}{2}\Delta\mu\bar{E}^{\text{PB}}(\mu')$

- Assumes that induced dipole doesn't change in presence of periodic images.
- Square lattice

 $E_{\rm ind}^{\rm PB} = -\frac{1}{2}\Delta\mu\bar{E}^{\rm PB}(\mu + \Delta\mu) - \frac{1}{2}\Delta\mu\bar{E}^{\rm PB}(\mu')$









What is CT?

• It is included in the Induction energy:

$$E_{\text{ind}}^{(2)}[A] = \sum_{r \neq 0} \frac{|\langle \Psi_0^X | \hat{V} | \Psi_r^X \rangle|^2}{E_0^X - E_r^X}$$

- The potential \hat{V} arises from all charges (electrons and nuclei) at A.
- Let's consider the simple case where this potential arises from a single atom.

CT $V(r) = -\frac{Z}{|r-R|} + \int \frac{\rho(r')}{|r-r'|} dr'$ Electron deficient **Electron** rich Little screening Strong screening





Suppression of CT

Localize basis to suppress CT

Stone (1993) Khaliullin et al. (2007) Stone & Misquitta (2009)

Define: $E_{ind}(CT) = E_{ind}(DC) - E_{ind}(MC)$

CT: Stone-Misquitta

$E_{\rm ind}(\rm CT) = E_{\rm ind}(\rm DC) - E_{\rm ind}(\rm MC)$

- Works, but not satisfactory as results are basisdependent.
- Water dimer in H-bonded configuration. Energies in kJ/mol

	aDZ	aTZ	aQZ
CT(2) S-M (2009)	-2.20	-I.42	-I.2I

Khaliullin et al.: -3.5 kJ/mol

CT via Regularization

Regularization



- Proposed to cure the problem of slow convergence or divergence of perturbation theories.
- Patkowski (2001, 2004) & Adams (2002)
- R-SRS theory

Regularized Induction
$$V_{\rm reg}(r) = -\frac{Z}{r}(1 - e^{-\eta r^2})$$

- Patkowski et al. (in press)
- R-SRS theory: Responses calculated using regularized potential, but energy evaluated using full potential.

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• Implemented in CamCASP & SAPT2008.



	aDZ MC	aTZ MC	aQZ MC	aDZ MC+	aTZ MC+	aQZ MC+
CT(2) S-M (2009)	-2.20	-I.42	-I.2I	-	-	-
CT(2) Reg	-1.95	-1.31	-I.20	-0.95	-0.96	-0.96

Khaliullin et al.: -3.5 kJ/mol DeltaHF = -2.55 kJ/mol

Basis-independent CT(2)















Charge transfer

- How do we partition the charge density to get at the actual charge transferred?
- Distribution methods like Stone's DMA result in an erratic charge allocation.
- We expect an exponential behaviour of the charge transfer as this is a tunnelling phenomenon.

Iterative stockholder approach (ISA)

- T. C. Lillestolen & R. Wheatley, ChemComm 2008
- Given a molecular density, define atomic component densities:

$$\rho_a(r) = \rho(r) \frac{w_a(r)}{\sum_b w_b(r)}$$

• Were the shape-functions are defined as:

$$w_a(r) = \langle \rho_a(r) \rangle_{\rm sph}$$

• Iterate to convergence.



Hydrogen shape functions



H : shape functions : aTZ/aTZ







Summary

- Charge transfer appears to be the dominant cause of finite-size effects.
- Effects of the order 10 meV at $\lambda = 0.2$
- Secondary effects from induced dipoles. Unlikely to be relevant.
- Results preliminary!!! Need to be converged with size and effects included consistently.
- Potentially useful in providing analytic form for finite-size corrections.

Codes

- CamCASP: SAPT(DFT), WSM polarizabilities & dispersion models, GDMA2 multipoles.
- ORIENT: Fitting of PESs. Searches using 'Basin-Hopping'.
- <u>http://www-stone.ch.cam.ac.uk/</u>



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