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# Group additivity calculation of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of aqueous amino acids, polypeptides and unfolded proteins as a function of temperature, pressure and ionization state

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## Abstract

Thermodynamic calculation of the chemical speciation of proteins and the limits of protein metastability affords a quantitative understanding of the biogeochemical constraints on the distribution of proteins within and among different organisms and chemical environments. These calculations depend on accurate determination of the ionization states and standard molal Gibbs free energies of proteins as a function of temperature and pressure, which are not generally available. Hence, to aid predictions of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of ionized proteins as a function of temperature and pressure, calculated values are given below of the standard molal thermodynamic properties at 25°C and 1 bar and the revised Helgeson-Kirkham-Flowers equations of state parameters of the structural groups comprising amino acids, polypeptides and unfolded proteins. Group additivity and correlation algorithms were used to calculate contributions by ionized and neutral sidechain and backbone groups to the standard molal Gibbs free energy ( $\Delta G^\circ$ ), enthalpy ( $\Delta H^\circ$ ), entropy ( $S^\circ$ ), isobaric heat capacity ( $C_p^\circ$ ), volume ( $V^\circ$ ) and isothermal compressibility ( $\kappa_T^\circ$ ) of multiple reference model compounds. Experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  at high temperature were taken from the recent literature, which ensures an internally consistent revision of the thermodynamic properties and equations of state parameters of the sidechain and backbone groups of proteins, as well as organic groups. As a result,  $\Delta G^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H^\circ$ ,  $S^\circ$ ,  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  of unfolded proteins in any ionization state can be calculated up to  $T \approx 300^\circ\text{C}$  and  $P \approx 5000$  bars. In addition, the ionization states of unfolded proteins as a function of not only pH, but also temperature and pressure can be calculated by taking account of the degree of ionization of the sidechain and backbone groups present in the sequence. Calculations of this kind represent a first step in the prediction of chemical affinities of many biogeochemical reactions, as well as of the relative stabilities of proteins as a function of temperature, pressure, composition and intra- and extracellular chemical potentials of  $\text{O}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2$ ,  $\text{NH}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4$  and  $\text{CO}_2$ .

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## 1. Introduction

The interplay between genomes and their chemical environments, as well as the formation and relative stabilities of proteomes that support life in vastly different parts of the biosphere have received considerable attention in recent years (Elser et al., 2000; Gasch et al., 2000; Kato et al., 2004; Tyson et al., 2004; Schulze, 2005; Boon-  
5 yaratanakornkit et al., 2005). A thermodynamic approach offers a quantitative understanding of consequences of biogeochemical reactions. For example, the generation of pe-pH diagrams of proteins facilitates the understanding of their relative stabilities in natural gradients of oxidation state and pH, which have been documented in biogeo-  
10 chemical and physiological settings (Schafer and Buettner, 2001; Ding et al., 2001). The computerized calculation of these and other types of speciation diagrams, however, depends on knowing the temperature-, pressure- and pH-dependence of the ionization states and values of the standard molal Gibbs free energies of proteins, which are generally unavailable.

The purpose of the present study is to develop the ability to calculate the mean net charge and values of the standard molal Gibbs free energy ( $\bar{Z}$  and  $\Delta G^\circ$ , respectively) of unfolded proteins as a function of temperature, pressure and pH. Values of  $\Delta G^\circ$  for proteins and their constituent groups as a function of temperature ( $T$ ) and pressure ( $P$ ) are calculated from the revised Helgeson-Kirkham-Flowers (HKF) equation of state  
15 (Helgeson et al., 1981; Tanger and Helgeson, 1988) summarized in Appendix A.

In the revised HKF equations of state,  $P_r$  and  $T_r$  represent the reference temperature and pressure of 1 bar and 298.15 K,  $\Psi$  and  $\Theta$  denote solvent parameters equal to 2600 bar and 228 K, and  $\epsilon$ ,  $\epsilon_{P_r, T_r}$  and  $Y_{P_r, T_r}$  stand for dielectric properties of pure water (these and other symbols and abbreviations used in the text are summarized  
20 in Table 1). The species-dependent variables in the revised HKF equations of state include  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  (which along with  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  are referred to as the *standard molal thermodynamic properties at 25°C and 1 bar*), and  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $a_3$ ,  $a_4$ ,  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\omega$ , known as the *revised HKF parameters*. Values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  of the *reference model*

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*compounds* can be taken from the literature or are calculated from those of the corresponding interphase transfer properties. On the other hand, the values of the revised HKF parameters are obtained from experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$ , or estimated from correlations with the standard molal thermodynamic properties where experimental measurements are not available. For example, improved accuracy is achieved in estimating the solvation HKF parameter,  $\omega$ , by retrieving values from calorimetric measurements at *high temperature* ( $>100^\circ\text{C}$ ) and from correlations with the standard molal entropy of hydration ( $\Delta S_{hyd}^\circ$ ).

In the present study, we adopt the hypothesis that the properties and parameters discussed above can be calculated for neutral and ionized unfolded proteins by summing those of the constituent sidechain and backbone groups. These group contributions can be calculated from experimental data for reference model compounds including amino acids, Gly–X–Gly tripeptides and other polypeptides, and unfolded proteins. Earlier calculations of this kind were precluded by the dearth of available experimental data for amino acids (Amend and Helgeson, 1997a). Since then, high-temperature experimental data for amino acids (Hakin et al., 1998; Clarke and Tremaine, 1999; Clarke et al., 2000) and calorimetric and volumetric data for Gly–X–Gly tripeptides (Downes and Hedwig, 1995; Vogl et al., 1995; Häckel et al., 1998, 1999a,b) have been published. As a consequence, improved correlations and group additivity model compound approximations can be used to estimate the temperature and pressure dependence of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of amino acids, polypeptides and unfolded proteins.

## 2. Summary of group additivity equations

Group additivity algorithms have been used to calculate the thermodynamic properties of aqueous organic species both at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  and 1 bar (Cabani et al., 1981) and as a function of temperature and pressure (Amend and Helgeson, 1997b). Amino acids have also been the subject of group additivity analyses of the contributions by backbone

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and sidechain groups (Amend and Helgeson, 1997a), as well as the contributions by the smaller organic groups that constitute the sidechain groups (Marriott et al., 1998). In addition, the additivity of standard molal volumes of ionized aqueous organic compounds has been demonstrated (Lepori and Gianni, 2000). Group additivity algorithms for calculating the thermodynamic properties of neutral proteins have been in place for at least 60 years, since Cohn and Edsall (1943) calculated group contributions to the volumes of aqueous proteins at or near 25°C. More recent group additivity calculations of  $C_p^\circ$  of unfolded proteins were carried out for temperature increments ranging up to 125°C (Makhatadze and Privalov, 1990; Privalov and Makhatadze, 1990; Makhatadze et al., 1990). The standard molal thermodynamic properties and revised HKF equations of state parameters of nonionized unfolded proteins and those in selected ionization states were first calculated by Amend and Helgeson (2000). However, they did not include contributions by the ionized amino acid backbone or the cysteine or tyrosine sidechain groups. A group additivity scheme that involved a more complete treatment of ionization was proposed by Kharakoz (1997) for the calculation of volume and compressibility of ionized polypeptides and proteins at 25°C and 1 bar. In the discussion that follows, the ionization-specific contributions to these and other standard molal thermodynamic properties as a function of temperature and pressure will be considered.

In the present study, the standard molal thermodynamic properties of selected reference sidechain groups are first calculated according to

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[SC]} = \sum_{i=1} n_i \bar{\Xi}_i, \quad (1)$$

where  $\bar{\Xi}_i$  stands for any standard molal thermodynamic property or equation of state parameter of the  $i$ th organic group,  $n_i$  indicates the number of occurrences of the  $i$ th organic group in the reference sidechain group, and  $\bar{\Xi}_{[SC]}$  represents the calculated sidechain group contribution. (The definitions of these symbols and the others used in the text are summarized in Table 1.) The values of  $\bar{\Xi}_{[AABB]}$  and  $\bar{\Xi}_{[GXGGB]}$  are then calculated from those of the reference sidechain groups and those of amino acids and

Gly–X–Gly tripeptides using

$$\Xi_{AA} = \Xi_{[AABB]} + \Xi_{[SC]} \quad (2)$$

and

$$\Xi_{GXG} = \Xi_{[GXGBB]} + \Xi_{[SC]}, \quad (3)$$

5 where [AABB] represents the neutral zwitterionic amino acid backbone group, which has a formula of  $C_2H_4NO_2$ , [GXGBB] represents the backbone group of Gly–X–Gly tripeptides, with a formula of  $C_6H_{10}N_3O_4$ , and AA, GXG and [SC] represent, respectively, any amino acid, Gly–X–Gly tripeptide, or sidechain group (the italic text is used to generically identify these species).

10 Simultaneous consideration of Eqs. (1)–(3) and high-temperature calorimetric data for diols and diamines has led to a revision of the contributions by organic groups given by [Amend and Helgeson \(1997b\)](#). This revision is summarized in Appendix B. The primary feature of this revision is the addition of a correction term for bifunctional compounds such as diols and diamines. In consequence, the contributions by terminal groups such as  $[-CH_3]$  and  $[-CH_2OH]$  have been updated, which permits the accurate calculation of the contributions by [Ala], [Ser] and the other reference sidechain groups to the properties and parameters of both amino acids and Gly–X–Gly tripeptides.

15 Using the values of  $\Xi_{[AABB]}$ , Eq. (2) is used to calculate the contributions by all the neutral sidechain groups except for [Lys] and [Arg]. This statement can be validated by inspection of Fig. 1, which shows the  $pK_a$  values of the ionization reactions of sidechain and backbone groups in amino acids as a function of temperature. At 25°C and 1 bar, the  $pK_a$  values can be calculated from the values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  of amino acids taken from the literature and summarized in Table 2, but at other temperatures, they are calculated from values of  $\Delta G^\circ$  predicted from the revised HKF equations of state and the equations of state parameters of backbone and sidechain groups derived below. It is apparent from Fig. 1 that, for the ionizable amino acids other than Lys and Arg, the

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ionization of the sidechain group occurs in conditions where [AABB] is stable relative to either of its charged counterparts. Consequently, Eq. (2) can be used to retrieve the thermodynamic properties of most neutral sidechain groups. However, because the ionizations of [Lys] and [Arg] occur at pHs corresponding to stability of [AABB<sup>-</sup>], their properties may be retrieved from

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}^-} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}^-]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{Lys}]} \quad (4)$$

and

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Arg}^-} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}^-]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{Arg}]} . \quad (5)$$

In order to retrieve the thermodynamic properties of charged sidechain groups, we use charge-explicit versions of Eq. (2), which can be written as

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{AA}^-} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{SC}^-]} \quad (6)$$

for [Glu<sup>-</sup>], [Asp<sup>-</sup>], [Cys<sup>-</sup>] and [Tyr<sup>-</sup>],<sup>1</sup> and

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{AA}^+} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{SC}^+]} \quad (7)$$

for [His<sup>+</sup>], [Lys<sup>+</sup>] and [Arg<sup>+</sup>].

In order to calculate the group additivity contributions to the standard molal thermodynamic properties of unfolded proteins, we first choose a hypothetical reference state corresponding to a nonionized protein, represented by  $UP^0$ . Accordingly, the calculation of  $\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{UPBB}]}$  described in Sect. 4 takes account of the properties of unfolded proteins or polypeptides referenced to their nonionized form, together with the group additivity scheme adopted by Amend and Helgeson (1997b), which can be written as

$$\bar{\Xi}_{UP^0} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + (n - 1) \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{PBB}]} + \sum_{i=1}^{\hat{i}} n_{[\text{SC}]_i} \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{SC}]_i} , \quad (8)$$

<sup>1</sup>Standard three-letter abbreviations are used in the text to denote amino acids and sidechain groups; these or the standard one-letter abbreviations are used in the figures.

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where [UPBB], and  $[SC]_i$  represent the protein backbone group ( $C_2H_2NO$ ) and the  $i$ th sidechain group, respectively,  $n$  stands for the number of residues (length) of the protein,  $n_{[SC]_i}$  designates the number of occurrences of the  $i$ th sidechain group in the protein, and  $i = 1, 2, \dots, \hat{i}$ , where  $\hat{i}$  denotes the number of different kinds of sidechain groups in the protein, which is equal to 20 for proteins consisting of the common sidechain groups. It should be noted that [AABB] in Eq. (8) is used to represent the contribution by the terminal groups to the standard molal thermodynamic properties and equations of state parameters of unfolded proteins.

Although the application of the group additivity algorithm represented by Eq. (8) is restricted to neutral unfolded proteins with nonionized sidechain groups, actual proteins in aqueous solution are ionized, often with large amounts of both positively and negatively charged groups. Therefore, the comparison in Sect. 5 of experimental and predicted thermodynamic properties of unfolded proteins takes account of a simple model of ionization of unfolded proteins.

### 3. Regression and correlation of the revised HKF equations of state parameters of amino acids and Gly–X–Gly tripeptides

The revised HKF equations of state parameters of amino acids and Gly–X–Gly tripeptides are summarized in Tables 3 and 4 and are derived from experimental measurements available in the literature of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  of amino acids and  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of Gly–X–Gly tripeptides as a function of temperature and pressure. Because high-temperature (to  $\sim 250^\circ\text{C}$ ) calorimetric data are available for only three amino acids, a correlation algorithm has been developed to estimate the values of  $\omega$  of the remainder of the amino acids. This correlation of  $\omega$  with the entropy of hydration ( $\Delta S_{hyd}^\circ$ ) of neutral amino acids closely represents the values of the  $\omega$  parameter in the revised HKF equations of state. Insufficient high-temperature calorimetric data are available to generate a similar regression for charged amino acids, but a correlation between  $\Delta S_{hyd}^\circ$  and  $\omega$  of alkali- and fluoride- group metal ions can be used to calculate provisional estimates



of  $\omega$  of charged amino acids. Calculation of  $\Delta S_{hyd}^{\circ}$  of both neutral and charged amino acids depends on the standard molal thermodynamic properties of both the gaseous and aqueous species. Because the values of  $\Delta G_f^{\circ}$ ,  $\Delta H_f^{\circ}$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^{\circ}$  of gaseous amino acids are generally not available in the literature, a group additivity algorithm is used in the present study to calculate them, in the manner described in Appendix C.

### 3.1. Thermodynamic properties of aqueous amino acids at high temperature

Values of  $\omega$  of neutral and charged amino acids can be estimated from correlations with  $\Delta S_{hyd}^{\circ}$  in the following manner. Values of  $\omega$  of Gly, Ala and Pro are independently regressed using Eq. (A30) and  $C_p^{\circ}$  data at temperatures  $>200^{\circ}\text{C}$ . A correlation between  $\omega$  and  $\Delta S_{hyd}^{\circ}$  can be observed for these amino acids, and is depicted in Fig. 5. The corresponding equations are given in Table 6. The close correspondence apparent for His and Val in Fig. 2 between the straight lines and the experimental points supports the extrapolation of the correlation to predict  $\omega$  of amino acids that have values of  $\Delta S_{hyd}^{\circ}$  beyond the range represented by Gly, Ala and Pro.

For metal anions and cations, similar correlations can be documented. These correlations are illustrated in Fig. 5 and are represented by Eqs. (6.2) and (6.3) in Table 6.

Insufficient experimental data at high temperatures and uncertainty of the applicability of the revised HKF equations of state (Schulte et al., 2001) lead to a high uncertainty in the regression of  $\omega$  from high temperature values of  $V^{\circ}$ . It can be seen in Fig. 3 that  $V^{\circ}$  of Gly, Ala, Pro and Ser at high temperatures predicted using Eqs. (A30) and (A11) is consistent with the overall trend of these data, with the exception of Ala, which exhibits a decrease in  $V^{\circ}$  at elevated temperatures that is larger than predicted. Nevertheless, an uncertainty in  $V^{\circ}$  of even this magnitude ( $\sim 10\text{ cm}^3\text{ mol}^{-1}$ ) corresponds to a relatively small energetic uncertainty ( $\sim 0.25\text{ kcal mol}^{-1}$  at  $25^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), so the value of  $\omega$  retrieved from experimental  $C_p^{\circ}$  data is preferred. It should perhaps be noted that a constant error  $V^{\circ}$  of  $10\text{ cm}^3\text{ mol}^{-1}$  would contribute an uncertainty of  $1.2\text{ kcal mol}^{-1}$  in  $\Delta G^{\circ}$  at  $300^{\circ}\text{C}$  and 5000 kbar, which is considerably less than our estimate for the total uncertainty in

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the calculation of protein free energies (see Sect. 6).

Experimental heat capacities to 125°C of Gly–Gly–Gly, Gly–Ala–Gly and Gly–Thr–Gly have been reported (Makhatadze and Privalov, 1990; Downes and Hedwig, 1995). The results of iterative estimations of  $\omega$  of these tripeptides indicate that the experimental heat capacity data can be closely represented by using values of  $\omega$  given by

$$\omega_{Gly-X-Gly} \times 10^{-5} = \omega_{AA} \times 10^{-5} - 1.77, \quad (9)$$

where  $\omega$  is in cal mol<sup>-1</sup> and  $\omega_{AA}$  is the value for the corresponding amino acid. Using Eq. (9), it is possible to calculate the values of  $\omega$  of the remaining Gly–X–Gly tripeptides, which are given in Table 4 and which are used to calculate the values of  $\Delta C_{P,n}^{\circ}$  and  $\Delta V_n^{\circ}$  plotted in Figs. 7–8. In contrast to those of the amino acids, the values of  $\omega$  of the Gly–X–Gly tripeptides are negative. If these values are representative of the behavior of amino acids and tripeptides at high temperature, measurements near the critical point of water might indicate that the standard molal thermodynamic properties of the Gly–X–Gly tripeptides diverge in the opposite direction from those of amino acids.

The regression lines in the plots of  $\Delta V_n^{\circ}$  vs.  $1/(T - \Theta)$  depicted in Fig. 8 for the Gly–X–Gly tripeptides generally fall within the experimental uncertainty represented by the brackets, supporting the applicability of the revised HKF equations of state and the accuracy of the values of  $\omega$  derived from  $C_P^{\circ}$  data. Nevertheless, the experimentally derived values of  $V_n^{\circ}$  at high temperatures are generally lower than those predicted by the equations of state.

### 3.2. Regression retrieval of the non-solvation parameters $c_1$ , $c_2$ , $a_1$ , $a_2$ , $a_3$ and $a_4$

The experimental or calculated values of  $C_P^{\circ}$ ,  $V^{\circ}$  and  $\kappa_T^{\circ}$  are combined with values of  $\omega$  to give  $\Delta C_{P,n}^{\circ}$ ,  $\Delta V_n^{\circ}$  and  $\Delta \kappa_{T,n}^{\circ}$ . The intercepts and slopes of regression lines on plots of  $\Delta C_{P,n}^{\circ}$  vs.  $1/(T - \Theta)^2$  correspond to  $c_1$  and  $c_2$ , respectively, in the revised HKF

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equations of state. On plots vs.  $1/(T - \Theta)$ , regression lines of  $\Delta V_n^\circ$  have intercepts of  $\sigma$  and slopes of  $\xi$ , while the intercepts and slopes of regression lines for  $\Delta \kappa_{T,n}^\circ$  correspond to  $-(\partial\sigma/\partial P)_T$  and  $-(\partial\xi/\partial P)_T$ , respectively. These regression plots are shown in Figs. (2)–(4) for amino acids and in Figs. (7)–(8) for Gly–X–Gly tripeptides.

5 Values of  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  that are estimated in the present study are indicated by open diamonds. For Gly<sup>+</sup>, values of  $C_p^\circ$  are calculated by combining values of  $\Delta C_{P,ion}^\circ$  taken from Wang et al. (1996) with those of  $C_p^\circ$  of Gly calculated using Eq. (A30) and the revised HKF parameters taken from Table 3. The polynomial fits of the experimental scanning measurements of  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  given by Hedwig et al. have been used to generate values at 15, 25, 40, 55, 70, 80, 90 and 100°C.

10 The values of  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  of the Gly–X–Gly tripeptides retrieved from the regression plots are given in Table 4. The values of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  of the amino acids are retrieved from those of  $-(\partial\sigma/\partial P)_T$  and  $-(\partial\xi/\partial P)_T$  using Eqs. (A27) and (A28), respectively. The values of  $a_1$  and  $a_3$  are then calculated from those of  $\sigma$  and  $a_2$ , and  $\xi$  and  $a_4$  using Eqs. (A24) and (A25), respectively. The values of  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $a_3$  and  $a_4$ , together with those of  $c_1$  and  $c_2$ , are given in Table 3.

15 In general, experimental compressibility data for the amino acids refer to isentropic compressibilities ( $\kappa_S^\circ$ ). Accordingly, values of the isothermal compressibilities ( $\kappa_T^\circ$ ) of the amino acids are calculated from (Desnoyers and Philip, 1972; Amend and Helgeson, 1997b)

$$\kappa_T^\circ = \kappa_S^\circ + \frac{TV_{H_2O}^\circ \alpha_{H_2O}^\circ (2E^\circ - V_{H_2O}^\circ \alpha_{H_2O}^\circ C_p^\circ / C_{P,H_2O}^\circ)}{C_{P,H_2O}^\circ}, \quad (10)$$

25 where  $E^\circ$  represents the isobaric expansibility of the amino acid and  $C_{H_2O}^\circ$ ,  $V_{H_2O}^\circ$  and  $\alpha_{H_2O}^\circ$  represent the standard molal heat capacity, volume and coefficient of isobaric thermal expansion of H<sub>2</sub>O, respectively. Values of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $E^\circ$  are calculated from the values of  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  determined in the manner described above, and  $C_{H_2O}^\circ$ ,  $V_{H_2O}^\circ$  and  $\alpha_{H_2O}^\circ$  are taken from SUPCRT92.

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Experimental data for the charged amino acids and Gly–X–Gly tripeptides are derived from measurements of the corresponding aqueous Na- or Cl- electrolytes. Because these organic salts can be considered to be completely dissociated under the conditions of the experiments, their measured properties can be related to those of the corresponding charged amino acid or Gly–X–Gly tripeptide by subtracting the property of Na<sup>+</sup> or Cl<sup>-</sup> at each experimental temperature, which can be calculated using SUPCRT92 and the parameters taken from [Shock et al. \(1997\)](#).

Judging from the scatter of the data points, especially those representing values from different laboratories, the representative uncertainties in the experimental data for amino acids and Gly–X–Gly tripeptides are equal to 2.5% for  $C_p^\circ$ , 1% for  $V^\circ$ , and (for amino acids) 2.5% for  $\kappa_T^\circ$ . In general, the figures indicate that the revised HKF equations of state closely represent the bulk of the experimental calorimetric, volumetric, and compressional data for both the neutral and charged reference model compounds for protein sidechains.

It should perhaps be noted that the [His] sidechain group, and not the amino acid backbone group, is charged when HisHCl dissociates to give His<sup>+</sup>. Consequently,  $\Delta C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of HisHCl reported by [Jardine et al. \(2001\)](#) are included in the regression calculations. However, the experimental values of  $\Delta C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of NaHis ([Jardine et al., 2001](#)), NaPro and ProHCl ([Sorenson et al., 2003](#)) and NaVal and ValHCl ([Price et al., 2003b](#)), along with the measurements of [Wang et al. \(1996\)](#), are not included in the regression calculations. Instead, they are reserved to be used to test the model compound prediction of  $\Delta C_p^\circ$  of [AABB<sup>+</sup>] and [AABB<sup>-</sup>] (see Sect. 5).

### 3.3. Model compound and correlation algorithms for non-solvation parameters

Where experimental data are insufficient to regress the revised HKF parameters of amino acids, model compound algorithms can be used to estimate values of  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  as a function of temperature. This approach is used to generate values of  $C_p^\circ$  of Asp<sup>-</sup>, Glu<sup>-</sup>, Cys, Tyr, Cys<sup>-</sup> and Tyr<sup>-</sup> and of  $V^\circ$  of Cys<sup>-</sup> and Tyr<sup>-</sup> at 15, 25, 40 and 55 °C, as well as values of  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of Lys<sup>-</sup> at 25, 50 and 75 °C. The close correspondence

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between the experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$  of Tyr at 15 and 25°C and those estimated using the equations in Table 5 provides support for the use of these equations for estimating  $C_p^\circ$  at higher temperatures. The values calculated in this manner are included in the subsequent regression analysis of the revised HKF parameters, described above, and are identified in Figs. 2 and 3 by open diamonds.

Experimentally unconstrained parameters of amino acids with charged counterparts, i.e. Arg<sup>-</sup> and Lys, can be estimated by taking account of the corresponding ionizations of other amino acids. For example,  $c_2$  and  $\xi$  of Lys are calculated from

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}} = \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}^+} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Arg}} - \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Arg}^+} . \quad (11)$$

The values of  $c_1$  and  $\sigma$  of Lys are then fixed by the available values of  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of Lys at 25 °C and 1 bar (Jolicoeur et al., 1986). However, because no experimental data can be found for  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of Arg<sup>-</sup>, the values of  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  of Arg<sup>-</sup> are all estimated from

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Arg}^-} = \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Arg}} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}^-} - \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}} . \quad (12)$$

Finally, correlations between known values of  $V^\circ$ ,  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  of amino acids are used to predict values of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  of Arg, Arg<sup>-</sup>, Asp, Cys<sup>-</sup>, Lys, Lys<sup>-</sup> and Tyr<sup>-</sup>. Such an approach was already used for amino acids (Amend and Helgeson, 1997a) and for other organic species (Plyasunov and Shock, 2001). Updated correlations for the amino acids are depicted in Fig. 6, and the corresponding equations are given in Table 6.

The intercepts of correlation lines in this figure are charge-dependent, but the slopes in a first approximation can be considered to be independent of charge. This interpretation is consistent with the provisional correlations adopted by Amend and Helgeson (1997a), which were restricted at that time by the available experimental data for ionized amino acids.

#### 4. Group additivity calculation of the contributions by sidechain and backbone groups to the properties and parameters of unfolded proteins

The thermodynamic properties of [AABB] can be assessed by from the group additivity regression plots of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta S^\circ$ ,  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\xi$  shown in Figs. 9 and 10. In the latter figure are also depicted regression plots of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\xi$  of [GXGBB]. Because fewer reference model sidechain groups or amino acids have regressed values of  $a_2$ ,  $a_4$  and  $\omega$ , these parameters are correlated in the manner described below. The sidechain groups represented by [Ala], [Ser], [Glu], [Gln], [Leu] and [Phe] are chosen as the reference model sidechain groups. Respectively, they contain the terminal and branched organic groups represented by  $[-CH_3]$ ,  $[-CH_2OH]$ ,  $[-COOH]$ ,  $[-CONH_2]$ ,  $[-CHCH_3-]$ , and  $[-C_6H_5]$ . In these sidechain groups,  $n_{[-CH_2-]}$  is equal to 0 in [Ala] and [Ser], 1 in [Leu] and [Phe], and 2 in [Glu] and [Gln]. In selecting this representative set, Glu and Gln are chosen over their counterparts with shorter chains (Asp and Asn). Also, Leu is included instead of the shorter-chain Val and the isomer Ile, in which the branch occurs closer to the backbone. Although [Lys] contains the terminal group represented by  $[-CH_2NH_2]$ , Lys is not included as a model compound for  $\Xi_{[AABB]}$  because the sidechain group of neutral Lys is charged (see Table 2).

##### 4.1. $\Delta G_f^\circ$ , $\Delta H_f^\circ$ and $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$

It can be deduced from Fig. 9 that the symbols representing  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of the neutral reference amino acids as a function of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of the sidechain groups are consistent with regression lines of unit slope. It follows from Eq. (2) that the intercepts of these regression lines correspond to  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of [AABB]. Likewise, the intercepts of the regression lines in Fig. 9 for  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of the charged reference amino acids as a function of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of the sidechain groups correspond to  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of [AABB<sup>+</sup>] and [AABB<sup>-</sup>]. Glu<sup>-</sup> is excluded from consideration in the calculations of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of [AABB<sup>-</sup>] because the negative charge of Glu<sup>-</sup> occurs on its sidechain

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group, rather than on the amino acid backbone group (see Table 2). The values of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_f, T_f}^\circ$  of [AABB], [AABB<sup>+</sup>] and [AABB<sup>-</sup>] retrieved from Fig. 9 are given in Table 8, together with corresponding values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  calculated from  $\Delta G_f^\circ = \Delta H_f^\circ - T\Delta S_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  of the elements.

#### 5 4.2. $C_p^\circ$ , $V^\circ$ and $\kappa_T^\circ$

The values of  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\omega$  of [AABB<sup>+</sup>] are calculated from

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}^+]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Gly}^+} - \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Gly}} \quad (13)$$

In contrast, the remaining equations of state parameters of [AABB<sup>+</sup>], and those of [AABB<sup>-</sup>], are calculated from those of Asp and Lys. These amino acids with ionizable sidechain groups are chosen to model the properties of ionized amino acid backbone groups because their sidechain groups most closely resemble the structure of the ionizable groups in the amino acid backbone group. Accordingly, the parameters of [AABB<sup>+</sup>] and [AABB<sup>-</sup>] in the revised HKF equations of state can be calculated from

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}^+]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Asp}} - \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Asp}^-} \quad (14)$$

15 and

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}^-]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}^-} - \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}} \quad (15)$$

where  $\bar{\Xi}$  stands for  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $a_3$  or  $a_4$  of [AABB<sup>+</sup>] or  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $a_3$ ,  $a_4$  or  $\omega$  of [AABB<sup>-</sup>]. Compared to the zwitterionic [AABB], the net charge on [AABB<sup>+</sup>] arises from neutralization of the negatively charged carboxylic acid group; this explains why  $\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Asp}}$  and  $\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Asp}^-}$  are used to calculate its parameters. Similarly,  $\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}}$  and  $\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Lys}^+}$  are used to derive the parameters of [AABB<sup>-</sup>].

#### 4.3. Sidechain groups and ionization

The standard molal thermodynamic properties and equations of state parameters of the neutral sidechain groups except [Lys] and [Arg] are calculated by taking account

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of the properties of the amino acids given in Tables 2 and 3, and the group additivity algorithm represented by Eq. (1). Because the  $pK_s$  of [Lys] and [Arg] lie within the stability field for [AABB<sup>-</sup>] over most of the experimental temperature range (see Fig. 1), the values of the standard molal thermodynamic properties and equations of state parameters of [Lys] and [Arg] are calculated from Eqs. (4) and (5).

Comparative calculations summarized in the subsequent pages strongly support the hypothesis adopted above that the standard molal thermodynamic properties and equations of state parameters of neutral protein sidechain groups are equal in a first approximation to those of the neutral sidechain groups in amino acids. In contrast, equilibrium constants of the ionization reactions of sidechain and backbone groups in unfolded aqueous proteins may differ considerably from those of the corresponding amino acid ionization reactions (Nozaki and Tanford, 1967a). Accordingly, calculated and experimental values of the standard molal Gibbs free energies of ionization ( $\Delta G_{ion}^\circ$ ) at 25°C and 1 bar and the  $pK_s$  of deprotonation reactions of sidechains and [AABB] are listed in Table 9. The experimental values shown in this table are consistent with observations of the ionization behavior of a number of polypeptides and unfolded proteins, so in a first approximation they can be considered representative of the ionization of sidechain and terminal groups in unfolded proteins. This observation is further supported by independent evidence that specific types of ionizable sidechain groups in unfolded proteins tend to have unique equilibrium constants, while those in folded proteins are much more variable (Tollinger et al., 2003). It can be seen in Table 9 that the  $pK_s$  at 25°C and 1 bar of the ionization reactions of [Asp], [Glu], [His], [Cys], and [Tyr] in amino acids and proteins differ from those in unfolded proteins by 0.50 or less. However, the  $pK_s$  of [AABB] in amino acids and [AABB] in unfolded proteins differ by more than a log unit.

#### 4.4. $\Delta G_f^\circ$ , $\Delta H_f^\circ$ and $S^\circ$ of [UPBB]

Amend and Helgeson (2000) estimated values of  $\Delta H^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  from those of [UPBB]



and

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{UPBB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{Gly}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{\text{diketopiperazine}}/2, \quad (16)$$

using the properties of diketopiperazine given by Shock (1992). Because  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  estimated in this manner are used to calculate  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  of [UPBB], the uncertainty in such a characterization contributes considerably in the calculation of Gibbs free energy at elevated temperatures and pressures. Diketopiperazine is a circular dipeptide that might be expected to behave differently than polypeptide chains or unfolded proteins. Therefore, linear dipeptides for which  $\Delta H^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  are known are included in the present analysis. The properties of [UPBB] can be estimated from the model compound and group additivity statements represented by

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{UPBB}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{GlyGly}} - (\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Gly}} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Gly}}), \quad (17)$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{UPBB}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{AlaGly}} - (\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Ala}} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Gly}}), \quad (18)$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{UPBB}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{LeuGly}} - (\bar{\Xi}_{\text{Leu}} + \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Gly}}), \quad (19)$$

Values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  of the dipeptides can be found in Shock (1992). Unlike the present study, the entropies of the elements used by Shock (1992) are from Wagman et al. (1982). Nevertheless, differences between these and the values used in the present study lead to variations in the calculation of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  that are less than an order of magnitude smaller than the uncertainties associated with the model compound analysis. These four equations yield  $\Delta H_{f,[\text{UPBB}]}^\circ = -44.08, -48.04, -43.49$  and  $-45.29$  kcal mol<sup>-1</sup> and  $S_{[\text{UPBB}]}^\circ = 9.44, -5.44, 4.88$  and  $-2.40$  cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>, respectively. The averages of these values are given in Table 8, as are the uncertainties involved, which are estimated from the differences between the values calculated from Eqs. (16)–(19). The estimated uncertainty in  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  is smaller than that in  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ , which is consistent with the scatter of the values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  ( $-22.64, -21.84, -20.34, -19.99$  kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>) that can

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be calculated from the above equations. However, to ensure consistency, the value of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  given in Table 8 is not the average of the afore-mentioned values, but instead is calculated from  $\Delta H_{f,[UPBB]}^\circ$ ,  $S_{[UPBB]}^\circ$ , and  $S^\circ$  of the elements.

The refinement of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  is possible by considering equilibrium constants and enthalpies of dissolution of crystalline proteins, or by taking into account the measured enthalpies and Gibbs free energies of polypeptides, or preferably, entire proteins. Such a characterization, however, depends on the quantification of the activity coefficients of folded proteins (because the dissolution experiments take place in relatively high ionic strength solutions), as well as the measurement or prediction of the properties of protein unfolding (because the dissolution experiments yield folded proteins in solution). However, this calculation outside the scope of the current investigation.

#### 4.5. $C_p^\circ$ and $V^\circ$ of [UPBB] and [PPBB]

The reference values of  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of [UPBB] and [PPBB] can be calculated from the corresponding experimental measurements of nonionized unfolded proteins ( $\Xi_{UP0}$ ) using the group additivity algorithm represented by Eq. (8). The reference proteins chosen for this calculation include the eight proteins listed in Table 11 for which Privalov et al. have measured  $C_p^\circ$  and/or  $V^\circ$  from 25 to 100°C. Their reported values at 125°C, which are actually derived using group additivity, are included in Figs. 11 and 12, and generally are consistent with the trend of the regression lines. It has been shown in calorimetric experiments that the measured  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of protein ionization reactions are essentially compensated by corresponding reactions with the denaturing buffer. In addition, experimental values of the standard molal heat capacities as a function of temperature of four unfolded proteins in the reference set were found to approach common values despite variations in solution pH from 2 to 6 (Privalov et al., 1989), supporting the notion that there is a compensating effect and that the measured values reflect the properties of nonionized proteins. Consequently, we consider the data from calorimetric measurements of  $V^\circ$  and  $C_p^\circ$  of unfolded proteins in a denaturing buffer to represent reference values for nonionized unfolded proteins.

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Even in a strong denaturant such as 8M GuHCl, unfolded proteins in aqueous solution may not adopt completely unstructured conformations (Georgescu et al., 2001). The degree of formation of secondary structure in unfolded proteins also depends on other solution conditions including temperature and pH (Guzman-Casado et al., 2003).

5 The formation of secondary structure, and decrease of exposure to the solvent, may result in deviations of the standard molal thermodynamic properties from the values predicted by group additivity. Such a deviation has been noted for heat capacity by Georgescu et al. (2001) and Guzman-Casado et al. (2003), among others. In contrast to proteins, polypeptides have more random conformations in aqueous solutions. Accordingly, pentapeptides are used as the reference model compounds to calculate the values of  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of [PPBB]. Because the values of  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of [UPBB] and [PPBB] discussed below are derived from experimental properties of unfolded proteins and pentapeptides, respectively, they implicitly reflect the consequences of the actual conformation of the molecules, such as the effects of the  $\phi$  and  $\psi$  angles on thermo-  
15 dynamic properties. These angles are not fixed in unfolded proteins, and they may be especially variable for small sidechain groups such as [Gly]. Consequently, a higher uncertainty would be expected with the calculation of the properties and parameters of [PPBB] from polyglycine peptides. In contrast with other studies, therefore, polyglycines are not used here as model compounds for the properties of [PPBB].

20 Regression lines for  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  of [UPBB] and [PPBB] are shown in Figs. 11 and 12. The values of  $c_2$  represented by the slopes of the lines are common to both [UPBB] and [PPBB]. In contrast, the intercepts of the correlation lines, representing values of  $c_1$ , are different for [UPBB] and [PPBB]. Note that, within the scatter of the experimental data points represented by the symbols, the contributions by the sidechain groups derived from amino acids and those derived from experimental data for the Gly–X–Gly tripeptides (see above) results in the same values of  $\Delta C_{p,n}^\circ$  and  $\Delta V_n^\circ$  of [UPBB] and [PPBB]. As in the case of  $c_2$ , the values of  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  are respectively identical for [UPBB] and [PPBB]. The latter values are combined with estimated values of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  derived in the manner described below, to calculate the values of  $a_1$  and  $a_3$  of [UPBB].

#### 4.6. $\kappa_T^\circ$ , $a_2$ and $a_4$ of [UPBB]

The isothermal compressibility ( $\kappa_T^\circ$ ) at 25°C and 1 bar of [UPBB] can be calculated from the measured compressibilities of poly-*d,l*-alanine and poly-glutamic acid and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  of [Ala] and [Glu] using the relations

$$\kappa_{T,[UPBB]}^\circ = \kappa_{T,\text{poly-}d,l\text{-alanine}}^\circ - \kappa_{T,[Ala]}^\circ \quad (20)$$

and

$$\kappa_{T,[UPBB]}^\circ = \kappa_{T,\text{poly-glutamic acid}}^\circ - \kappa_{T,[Glu]}^\circ, \quad (21)$$

which yield values of the isothermal compressibility of [UPBB] of  $-13.40 \times 10^{-4}$  and  $-13.98 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ bar}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ , respectively. In Eqs. (20) and (21), the isothermal compressibilities of the polypeptides are calculated using Eq. (10) and the values of  $\kappa_S^\circ$  measured by [Kharakoz \(1997\)](#). The values of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $E^\circ$  of the polypeptides in Eq. (10) are estimated using the revised HKF equation of state and the properties and parameters of the sidechain and backbone groups taken from Table 10, along with the values of  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  of [UPBB] calculated above.

The group additivity algorithm used by [Amend and Helgeson \(2000\)](#) to calculate values of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  of [UPBB] is given by

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[UPBB]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[AABB]} + 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-CH_2]} - \bar{\Xi}_{[-CH_2OH]} - \bar{\Xi}_{[-CH_3]}, \quad (22)$$

where  $\bar{\Xi}$  represents  $a_2$  or  $a_4$  of the subscripted group. Using this equation and the group contributions given in Table 10, results in  $a_{2,[UPBB]} \times 10^{-2} = -3.75 \text{ cal mol}^{-1}$  and  $a_{4,[UPBB]} \times 10^{-4} = -1.53 \text{ cal mol}^{-1} \text{ K}$ . In the revised HKF equations of state, these values, when taken together with the value of  $\omega_{[UPBB]}$  give  $\kappa_{T,[UPBB]}^\circ = -37.15 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ bar}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ . This is considerably lower than the value obtained above for the polypeptides. Accordingly, to minimize uncertainty in the prediction of  $\kappa_T^\circ$  at 25°C and 1 bar, the value of  $a_2$  of [UPBB] adopted in the present study is calculated using Eq. (22).

In contrast, the value of  $a_4$  of [UPBB] is selected so that the additivity calculation of  $\kappa_{T,[UPBB]}^\circ$  at 25° and 1 bar is equal to the average of the results of Eqs. (20) and (21).

## 5. Comparison of calculated and experimental heat capacities, ionization constants and charges of amino acids and unfolded proteins

5 Experimental data not included in the regression calculations can be used to test the accuracy of the predictions of thermodynamic properties of ionized amino acids and proteins. Comparative calculations of this kind are presented below for the heat capacities and ionization constants of amino acids at high temperature, for the ionization states and heat capacities of unfolded proteins as a function of pH and temperature, and for the enthalpies of solution of proteins at 25°C and 1 bar.

### 5.1. $C_p^\circ$ and pK of amino acid ionization at high temperature

Experimental values of  $\Delta C_{P,r}^\circ$  of the ionization reaction represented by  $[AABB^+] \rightleftharpoons [AABB] + H^+$  are available to  $\geq 120^\circ\text{C}$  for Gly, Ala, Pro and Val. These are shown in Fig. 13 along with the values of  $\Delta C_{P,r}^\circ$  as a function of temperature calculated from the group contributions to  $\Xi_{[AABB]}$  and  $\Xi_{[AABB^+]}$  given in Tables 8 and 10. The calculated values of  $\Delta C_{P,r}^\circ$  shown in Fig. 13, track closely with the experimental data for Gly ionization, from which the group contributions were derived. At low temperatures, they are also consistent with experimental values of  $\Delta C_{P,r}^\circ$  of the other amino acids shown in the figure (Gly, Pro and Val), but at temperatures  $>80^\circ\text{C}$ , the experimental values diverge, by as much as  $30 \text{ kcal mol}^{-1}$ . These differences in the ionization properties of the amino acid backbone group may arise from interactions with the sidechain group, as well as from differences in experimental conditions, possibly leading to degradation of the amino acids at high temperatures. The latter explanation seems reasonable, as the  $\Delta C_{P,r}^\circ$  data below  $80^\circ\text{C}$  seem to indicate a unique backbone contribution, regardless of the sidechain group present. The present calculations closely represent these

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low-temperature measurements, and split the difference between the measurements at high temperatures. The coincidence of predicted and measured values of  $pK$  at even higher temperatures, to 250 °C (lower panel of Fig. 13) further supports the applicability of the group contributions at hydrothermal conditions.

It can be deduced from Fig. 13 that  $n$ -carboxylic acids do not appear to be suitable model compounds for the estimation of  $C_p^\circ$  of  $[AABB^+]$ . This might be because the ionization of  $[AABB]$  involves the destruction of a zwitterion. On the other hand, propanoic and butanoic acids remain appropriate model compounds for  $[Asp^+]$  and  $[Glu^+]$ , because no zwitterion is destroyed in their ionization.

### 5.2. Mean net charge of unfolded proteins as a function of temperature and pH

Assuming no interaction among the ionization groups of unfolded proteins, the degree of formation of the  $i$ th ionized group ( $\alpha_i$ ) can be calculated from

$$\alpha_i = \frac{1}{1 + 10^{Z_i(\text{pH} - \text{p}K)}}, \quad (23)$$

where  $Z_i$  is the formal charge on the  $i$ th ionized group.  $pK$  is equal to the negative logarithm of the deprotonation reaction involving any of the charged groups, and can be calculated using the revised HKF equations of state and the group contributions given in Tables 8 and 10. Because there may be many charged groups in a protein molecule, the mean net charge ( $\bar{Z}$ ) is defined; it reflects the contributions by all the ionizable groups in the protein molecules to the total charge (Edsall and Wyman, 1958).

It follows that  $\bar{Z}$  of any unfolded protein can be calculated from

$$\bar{Z}_{UP} = \sum_i n_i \alpha_i Z_i. \quad (24)$$

Eq. (24) permits the calculation of protein charge as a function of not only pH, but also temperature and pressure. The results of this calculation can be compared with the experimental values at 25°C represented in Fig. 14. The calculations reveal that,

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compared with the measurements of  $\bar{Z}$  in 6 M guanidinium hydrochloride (GuHCl, a common laboratory denaturant), the calculations underestimate the  $\bar{Z}$  at pHs  $\gtrsim$  8. This is most likely a consequence of disulfide bonds that are retained in the unfolded proteins under oxidizing experimental conditions. Although proteins adopt an unfolded conformation in aqueous solutions of 6 M guanidinium hydrochloride (GuHCl), any disulfide bonds that are present in the native state may remain intact, depending on the oxidation state of the system. Support for this hypothesis has been provided by spectroscopic measurements on RNAS1\_BOVIN and LYC\_CHICK in 6 M GuHCl, with or without a reducing agent (dithiothreitol) in the solution (Hu and Zou, 1992, 1993). Each of these proteins contain 8 Cys residues that form 4 disulfide bonds in the native protein (Neumann et al., 1964). If the experimental conditions under which the titration data were obtained were sufficiently oxidizing (which is the most likely case, since no attempt was made to provide reducing conditions in the measurements), there is no stability field for Cys<sup>-</sup>, relative to Cys, no matter how high the pH. Under these conditions, therefore, accurate calculation of the ionization state of disulfide-containing unfolded proteins can be accomplished by removing from consideration the ionization of the Cys sidechains.

Experimental measurements of the temperature dependence of charge of unfolded proteins is minimal, but Cohn and Edsall's (1943) titrations of crystalline horse serum albumin over the temperature range 5–25°C indicate that protein net charge decreases considerably with increasing temperature at high pH, but varies much less at pHs  $\lesssim$  6. This observation is in qualitative agreement with the results shown in Fig. 14.

### 5.3. $C_p^\circ$ and $G^\circ$ of unfolded proteins as a function of temperature, pH, and oxidation state of Cys sidechain groups

The ionization of groups in proteins contributes not only to  $\bar{Z}$ , but also to the standard molal thermodynamic properties of unfolded proteins. Equation (24) can be rewritten to account for the ionization contribution to the net protein property, represented by

$\Delta\Xi_{ion}$ :

$$\Delta\Xi_{ion} = \sum_i n_i \alpha_i \Delta\Xi_{ion,i}, \quad (25)$$

where  $\Delta\Xi_{ion,i,j}$  represents  $\Delta C_{P,ion}^\circ$  or  $\Delta G_{ion}^\circ$  of the ionization reaction of the  $i$ th charged sidechain or backbone group. Any standard molal thermodynamic property of an ionized unfolded protein ( $\Xi_{UP\bar{z}_{UP}}$ ) can then be calculated by summing Eqs. (8) and (25) to give

$$\Xi_{UP\bar{z}_{UP}} = \Xi_{UP^0} + \sum_i n_i \alpha_i \Delta\Xi_{ion,i}. \quad (26)$$

Values of  $\Delta G^\circ$  calculated using Eq. (26) as a function of ionization state and temperature are shown in Fig. 14. For 25°C, the results of the same calculation, but with the exclusion of [Cys] ionization, are shown by the dashed curves. It is evident that the ionization contributions by even a single type of residue can contribute substantially to the thermodynamic properties of proteins. In the future, the contributions by the disulfide group should also be quantified.

## 6. Estimated uncertainties in the calculation of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of amino acids, sidechain groups and unfolded proteins as a function of temperature and pressure

These uncertainties are representative of amino acids, sidechain groups, and unfolded protein backbone groups. In some cases, discussed above, the trend of experimental data suggest that there is greater uncertainty in the calculation of these properties at high temperature. The following discussion of uncertainty is limited to amino acids, unfolded proteins and their constituent groups. However, a similar interpretation may be made for Gly-X-Gly tripeptides, and polypeptides. It can be seen by comparing the number of significant figures given for the properties and parameters in Tables 8,

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10 and 3 that the precisional uncertainty is generally at least an order of magnitude smaller than the estimated uncertainties in AA and [SC] described below.

### 6.1. Amino acids

The uncertainties, as well as the values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of the aqueous amino acids given in Table 2 are taken from Amend and Helgeson (1997a), who assigned the uncertainties on the basis of experimental error apparent in the measurements of the solubilities and enthalpies of solution of amino acids. The uncertainties in the non-solvation revised HKF regression parameters are estimated from the scatter of the symbols shown in the regression plots in Figs. 2–4. The consequent uncertainties of  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  are given in Table 3. The uncertainties of the other non-solvation regression parameters are  $\pm 1.2 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$  for  $\sigma$ ,  $\pm 1.5 \times 10^2 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$  for  $\xi$ ,  $\pm 3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ bar}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$  for  $(\partial\sigma/\partial P)_T$  and  $\pm 5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ bar}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$  for  $(\partial\xi/\partial P)_T$ . From these values, the uncertainties in  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $a_3$  and  $a_4$  can be calculated by taking the absolute value of the revised HKF equations of state expression containing known parameters. For example,  $\delta a_3$  (the estimated uncertainty in  $a_3$ ) can be calculated using a rearrangement of Eq. (A25):

$$\delta a_3 = \pm \left| \delta \xi - \frac{\delta a_4}{\Psi + P} \right|, \quad (27)$$

where  $\delta \xi$  and  $\delta a_4$  represent the uncertainties in the corresponding parameters.

The uncertainties in  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  of amino acids may in fact be higher than those we report here. These values from Amend and Helgeson (1997a) and Shock (1992) for Gly, Ala and Leu differ by as much as  $1.93 \text{ kcal mol}^{-1}$  ( $\Delta H_f^\circ$ ) and  $1.45 \text{ cal mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$  ( $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$ ).

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## 6.2. Sidechain groups

The total uncertainties in the group additivity calculation of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  and the revised HKF parameters of [AABB] can be inferred from the scatter of data points in the regression plots shown in Figs. 9 and 10. To estimate the contributions by the sidechain groups to the total uncertainties in these properties and parameters, we adopt in a first approximation the hypothesis that [AABB] and [SC] contribute equally to the total group additivity uncertainty. Therefore, we can write

$$\delta \Xi_{[SC]} = \delta \Xi_{\text{group additivity}} / 2, \quad (28)$$

where  $\delta \Xi_{\text{group additivity}}$  stands for the total group additivity uncertainty, which is represented in Figs. 9 and 10 by the length of the error bars. Eq. (28) is used to estimate the uncertainties of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ ,  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$ ,  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $a_1$  and  $a_3$  of [SC] listed in Tables 8 and 10. Although the uncertainties in the values of  $a_2$ ,  $a_4$  and  $\omega$  of [SC] can not be estimated in this manner, we take provisional values that are equal to twice the corresponding uncertainties of AA.

There may be compensating uncertainties in  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of the species and the reference model compounds used in the calculations that lead to an uncertainty in  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ . Accordingly, although the value of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  of [AABB] is calculated from the values of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  derived from the regression plots shown in Fig. 9, a group additivity regression analysis of the calculated values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  – similar to that shown for  $\Delta H^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  in Fig. 9 – is needed to compute a regression uncertainty in this property. The result of this analysis indicates that the uncertainty in  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  is smaller than the uncertainty in  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ .

## 6.3. Protein backbone groups

The uncertainties in  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of [UPBB] are discussed in Sect. 4.4. Consideration of the scatter of points apparent in the amino acid sidechain plots of Figs. 11 and 12 indicates the uncertainties in  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  of the group additivity analysis,

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which can be expressed as

$$\delta \Xi_{\text{group additivity}} = \delta \Xi_{[SC]} + \delta \Xi_{[UPBB]} . \quad (29)$$

For the group additivity analysis, [SC] and [UPBB], respectively, the uncertainties in  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  are (3.0, 1.8, 1.2) cal mol<sup>-1</sup> and (2.4, 0.8, 1.6) cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>. Likewise, the uncertainties in  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  are (2.0, 0.8, 1.2) cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>, and in  $\omega$  are (240, 40, 200) cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup> (for [SC], the uncertainties in  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  are roughly equal to those in  $a_1$  and  $a_3$ , respectively, after conversion from caloric to volumetric units). Because  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  of [UPBB] are calculated from Eq. (22) their uncertainties can be considered comparable to those of AA. Finally, the uncertainties in  $a_1$  and  $a_3$  of [UPBB] are calculated using Eq. (27) and its counterpart for  $\sigma$ . The uncertainty in  $\omega$  of [UPBB] is probably of the order of that of [SC].

#### 6.4. Uncertainties of standard molal thermodynamic properties as a function of temperature and pressure

Propagated uncertainties in  $\Delta G^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H^\circ$ ,  $S^\circ$ ,  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  calculated as a function of temperature and pressure are given in Table 12. Because the uncertainties are expressed as average errors, the propagated uncertainties are computed by summing the absolute value of each term in the corresponding equation. (If the uncertainties were expressed as standard deviations, this calculation would be performed by taking the square root of the sum of squares of each term.) For example, the uncertainty propagated to  $V^\circ$  can be calculated using a rearrangement of Eq. (A31):

$$\delta V^\circ = |\delta \sigma| + \left| \frac{\delta \xi}{T - \Theta} \right| + |\delta \omega Q| , \quad (30)$$

where  $\delta V^\circ$ ,  $\delta \sigma$ ,  $\delta \xi$  and  $\delta \omega$  represent the uncertainties in the values of  $V^\circ$ ,  $\sigma$ ,  $\xi$  and  $\omega$ . Because the absolute value of each term is summed, regardless of the sign present in the original equation, propagated uncertainties represent estimated maximum uncertainties, and the actual uncertainty will most likely be much smaller. The propagated

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uncertainties in  $\Delta G^\circ$  and  $C_p^\circ$  are depicted in Fig. 16 over the temperature range 25–250°C at  $P_{\text{SAT}}$  as percentages of the average value of the 20 neutral amino acids. It can be concluded that, although the equation of state parameters, particularly  $\omega$ , govern the uncertainty apparent in the calculation of  $\Delta C_p^\circ$  at high and low temperatures, the largest source of error in the calculation of  $\Delta G^\circ$  as a function of temperature is not uncertainty in the equations of state parameters, but instead the uncertainty in  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$ .

It might be noted that the estimated uncertainties in  $\Delta H^\circ$ ,  $S^\circ$ ,  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  actually decrease with increasing pressure. For  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$ , this is a consequence of the smaller values of uncertainty contributions by the non-solvation terms, as well as the smaller values of  $X$ ,  $Q$  and  $N$  – and therefore of the solvation terms – at elevated pressures. In addition, the estimated uncertainties in the calculation of  $\Delta G^\circ$  of amino acids and sidechain and protein backbone groups shown in Table 12 increase only moderately over this range of temperature and pressure. However, above 300°C and 5000 bar, the predictions of the derivative properties – particularly  $C_p^\circ$  – are much more uncertain; in general, then, these might be considered upper limits for the applicability of the group additivity and equation of state calculations in the current context.

### 6.5. Comparison with other estimates of uncertainty

Our estimated uncertainty of  $V_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of  $[\text{SC}]$  ( $\pm 7.2 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ ) is comparable to the largest differences between experimental and calculated volumes observed by Hnědkovský and Cibulka (2004), who used group additivity to model the volumes of benzene and aliphatic hydroxyl derivatives including carboxylic acids and alcohols. However, it should perhaps be emphasized that these high deviations are not representative of group additivity in general. For example, other group additivity schemes have been shown to reproduce the volumes of the reference compounds with accuracies approaching  $\pm 1 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$  or less (Lepori and Gianni, 2000; Hnědkovský and Cibulka, 2004). Also in the pursuit of predicting the thermodynamic properties of organic so-

lutes, Cabani et al. (1981) developed a group additivity scheme that includes a constant contribution to each species. Their estimated uncertainties in  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  at 25°C and 1 bar are  $\pm 3.2 \text{ cal mol}^{-1}$  and  $\pm 0.70 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ , respectively. We expect that the actual uncertainties in the current calculations to be of this order.

The combined uncertainties in the calculation of  $\Delta G^\circ$  of each protein residue (i.e. [SC] and [UPBB]) are considerably greater than the target of  $\pm 0.1 \text{ kcal mol}^{-1}$  recommended by Dill (1997) for group additivity calculations of the energetics of conformational interactions of proteins such as protein unfolding and other non-covalent structural changes. Nevertheless, the current method affords a close approximation of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of proteins of differing covalent (or primary) structure, which can be used a reference point for beginning more refined calculations of the properties of folded proteins and their natural complexes.

## 7. Discussion

### 7.1. Comparison with other estimates of group additivity uncertainty

Although there are no experimental values of  $\Delta G^\circ$  of ionized unfolded proteins to compare with the predictions, experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$  as a function of temperature and pH are available for at least three proteins not included in the regression calculations (Laderman et al., 1993; Guzman-Casado et al., 2003). A comparison between the experimental values and the predicted values of  $C_p^\circ$  of nonionized proteins as a function of temperature and of  $C_p^\circ$  of ionized proteins as a function of temperature and pH is depicted in Fig. 15. It can be seen in this figure that predicted values for nonionized unfolded proteins are in general higher than the measured values. (However, it should perhaps be noted that our predictions for the nonionized unfolded proteins are comparable to values of  $C_p^\circ$  of unfolded proteins calculated by Guzman-Casado et al. (2003), using the group contributions given by Makhatadze and Privalov (1990).) In contrast, the predicted values of  $C_p^\circ$  of ionized proteins at experimental pHs much more

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closely represent the experimental data. Such a consideration of ionization contributions to the standard molal thermodynamic properties of unfolded proteins may lead to an altered interpretation of the differences between experimental and additive heat capacities, which have been commonly attributed to the formation of residual structure (Georgescu et al., 2001; Guzman-Casado et al., 2003).

## 7.2. Departures from ideality

Activity coefficients of ionizable groups in proteins would be expected to depart significantly from unity in high ionic strength solutions such as 6 M GuHCl. Also, interactions between the ionized groups in unfolded proteins might contribute to their thermodynamic properties (Whitten and García-Moreno E., 2000). A number of models have been proposed that take these considerations into account, such as the Linderstrom-Lang model (Nozaki and Tanford, 1967b). A limitation of such models is their applicability at present to only ambient conditions, but in the future it may be possible to extend them to higher temperatures and pressures.

It should be apparent from Fig. 10 that the both amino acids and Gly–X–Gly tripeptides are well suited to group additivity analysis, which was not the conclusion reached by Hedwig and Hinz (2003). They, and Hakin and Hedwig (2001a), hypothesized that the zwitterionic backbone interacts significantly with the sidechain groups of amino acids. However, the terminal groups of tripeptides, and of unfolded proteins themselves, behave as zwitterions over much of the pH range, and it is probably the case that there are significant interactions between them and the sidechain groups.

Either amino acids or Gly–X–Gly can serve as model compounds for the sidechains; indeed, some of the Gly–X–Gly data are used to estimate the properties of, for example, [Cys] where amino acid data is lacking. Because the data available for Gly–X–Gly include  $\Delta C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$ , but do not include  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  or  $S^\circ$  or  $\kappa_T^\circ$ , the experimental data available for amino acids seems the most appropriate source of primary experimental data for this purpose. In summary, the experiments on Gly–X–Gly tripeptides represents a complementary (and indispensable) source of data, and seem to indicate that

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the properties of sidechain groups in amino acids and polypeptides are comparable.

### 7.3. Oxidation-reduction buffers and the stability of amino acids in hydrothermal experiments

The calorimetric measurements might be able to take advantage of oxidation-reduction buffered systems, which have been shown to slow or eliminate the decomposition of amino acids at 200°C and 50 bar (Andersson and Holm, 2000). The preservation of alanine at high temperatures may also be favored by ionic strengths of KCl up to 2 M (Li et al., 2002). Thermodynamic predictions of the oxidation-reduction stabilization of amino acids were reported by Amend and Helgeson (1997b), but the prediction of stabilities of amino acids relative to their decarboxylation or other decomposition products will require more detailed knowledge of the activity coefficients of all the species involved.

### 7.4. Electrostatic interactions in unfolded proteins

Several experiments (Tan et al., 1995) and models relying on electrostatic calculations (Elcock, 1999; Kundrotas and Karshikoff, 2002) more sophisticated than those presented here indicate that the individual values of pKs of ionizable groups in unfolded proteins may differ substantially from those of model compounds. Although it may be less accurate than such calculations at 25°C, the present method permits the estimation of the titration curves of unfolded proteins at other temperatures and pressures. We are not aware of other titration models with this provision. (Although, however, the results of our calculations as a function of temperature might be able to provide the null, or baseline pK values which form the starting point of the electrostatic simulations.)

### 7.5. Extension of the group additivity database: [Cys-] and [H<sub>2</sub>O]

Although recent experimental work on the properties of thiols and polysulfides has appeared (Schulte and Rogers, 2004; Plyasunova et al., 2005), we don't yet have many

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measurements on disulfides, at least not enough to easily retrieve their equations of state parameters. Because disulfides are present not only in proteins, but also as a part of the glutathione oxidation-reduction systems in cells, the experimental and theoretical determination of their thermodynamic properties may play an important role in understanding cellular metabolism. This will aid not only the prediction of the thermodynamic properties of proteins, but also the interpretation oxidation-reduction conditions responsible for the stability of disulfide-bonded proteins prevalent different biogeochemical environments, including the intracellular environments of archaeal organisms (Mallick et al., 2002).

## 8. Conclusions

The group contributions to the standard molal thermodynamic properties at 25°C and 1 bar and the revised HKF equations of state parameters of neutral and charged aqueous sidechain and backbone groups generated above permit calculation of the thermodynamic properties of unfolded proteins with any amino acid sequence in any ionization state as a function of temperature and pressure. It has been demonstrated above that the availability of recent high- and low-temperature calorimetric and experimental data, combined with a group additivity approach using multiple reference model compounds, facilitates calculation with unprecedented accuracy of the the standard molal thermodynamic properties of ionized amino acids, Gly–X–Gly tripeptides, polypeptides and unfolded proteins.

The standard molal thermodynamic properties generated in the present study can be combined with computer codes that perform Gibbs free energy minimization for specific bulk composition. These codes include GEMS-PSI (Karpov et al., 2001; Kulik, 2004), HCh (Shvarov and Bastrakov, 1999) and visualization software capable of generating two- and three-dimensional projections of metastable equilibrium phase relations in compositional hyperspace (Connolly, 1990). Such software facilitates a global interpretation of the consequences of chemical reactions among proteins in biogeochem-

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ical systems. The consequences of evolutionary adaption of microbial communities to changes in these systems include the differences in protein composition in thermophilic and mesophilic organisms noted by Fukuchi and Nishikawa (2001) and Kreil and Ouzounis (2001). Even on cellular length and time scales, there is mounting evidence (Conour et al., 2004) that changes of protein composition during cell growth may be linked to oxidation-reduction gradients between different subcellular units (Al-Habori, 1995). The physical chemical basis for such proteomic variation is amenable to thermodynamic assessment of the biogeochemical constraints on protein speciation using the properties, parameters and equations discussed above.

## A. Summary of the revised HKF equations of state

### A.1. Thermodynamic conventions

According to convention, the standard molal free energy of the hydrogen ion in aqueous solution is zero at all temperatures and pressures. For other charged aqueous, the standard molal thermodynamic properties are given by

$$\Xi = \Xi^{\text{abs}} - Z\Xi_{\text{H}^+}^{\text{abs}}, \quad (\text{A1})$$

where  $\Xi$  and  $\Xi^{\text{abs}}$  stand for any given conventional and absolute standard molal property, or equation of state coefficients of the aqueous species of interest,  $\Xi_{\text{H}^+}^{\text{abs}}$  denotes the corresponding absolute standard molal property of the hydrogen ion, and  $Z$  represents the charge of the aqueous species of interest. It can be seen that  $\Xi_{\text{H}^+} = 0$  at all temperatures and pressures. This convention establishes the scale by which the standard molal thermodynamic properties of all other species are reported. If needed, calculations that take account of the biochemical standard state (defined at pH=7 and usually at 37°C) can be referenced to the standard state adopted here by taking ac-

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count of the appropriate equations.<sup>2</sup>

The standard molal thermodynamic properties of aqueous species other than H<sub>2</sub>O are for a hypothetical one molal solution referenced to infinite dilution at 25°C and 1 bar. At other temperatures and pressures, apparent standard molal thermodynamic enthalpies ( $\Delta H^\circ$ ) and Gibbs free energies ( $\Delta G^\circ$ ) are given by

$$\Delta H^\circ = \Delta H_f^\circ + \left( H_{P,T}^\circ - H_{P_r,T_r}^\circ \right) \quad (\text{A2})$$

and

$$\Delta G^\circ = \Delta G_f^\circ + \left( G_{P,T}^\circ - G_{P_r,T_r}^\circ \right), \quad (\text{A3})$$

where  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  represent the standard molal enthalpy and Gibbs free energy of formation of the species from the elements at the reference temperature ( $T_r$ ) and pressure ( $P_r$ ) of 25°C and 1 bar, respectively, and  $H_{P,T}^\circ - H_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  and  $G_{P,T}^\circ - G_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  denote the differences between the standard molal enthalpy and Gibbs free energy, respectively, at the temperature ( $T$ ) and pressure ( $P$ ) of interest, and those at  $T_r$  and  $P_r$ .

The values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  are related by

$$\Delta G_f^\circ = \Delta H_f^\circ - T_r \left( S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ - S_{P_r,T_r, \text{elements}}^\circ \right), \quad (\text{A4})$$

where  $S_{P_r,T_r, \text{elements}}^\circ$  represents the sum of the standard molal entropies of the elements in the species of interest at 25°C and 1 bar. The values of the entropies of the elements at 25°C and 1 bar are taken [Cox et al. \(1989\)](#).

Where needed, conversions between volumetric and energetic units are calculated from the relation 1 cal = 41.84 cm<sup>3</sup> bar.

<sup>2</sup>See, for example, LaRowe, D. E. and Helgeson, H. C.: Biomolecules in hydrothermal systems: Calculation of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of nucleic-acid bases, nucleosides, and nucleotides at elevated temperatures and pressures, *Geochim. Cosmochim. Acta*, submitted.

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## A.2. Solvation and non-solvation contributions

The revised HKF equations of state (Helgeson et al., 1981; Tanger and Helgeson, 1988) permit calculation of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of aqueous species as continuous functions of temperature and pressure. They have been used successfully to represent experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  of a wide variety of organic and inorganic aqueous species, including amino acids (Amend and Helgeson, 1997a; Marriott et al., 1998). The revised HKF equations of state are derived from the separation of variables represented by

$$\Xi = \Delta\Xi_n + \Delta\Xi_s, \quad (\text{A5})$$

where  $\Xi$  stands for any standard molal thermodynamic property or equations of state parameter of an aqueous species, and  $\Delta\Xi_n$  and  $\Delta\Xi_s$  refer, respectively, to the nonsolvation and solvation contributions to that property or parameter.

The non-solvation contributions to  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $\kappa_T^\circ$  and  $E^\circ$  of a given species can be expressed as

$$\Delta C_{p,n}^\circ = c_1 + \frac{c_2}{(T - \Theta)^2} - \left( \frac{2T}{(T - \Theta)^3} \right) \left( a_3(P - P_r) + a_4 \ln \left( \frac{\Psi + P}{\Psi + P_r} \right) \right), \quad (\text{A6})$$

$$\Delta V_n^\circ = a_1 + \frac{a_2}{\Psi + P} + \left( a_3 + \frac{a_4}{\Psi + P} \right) \left( \frac{1}{T - \Theta} \right), \quad (\text{A7})$$

$$-\Delta \kappa_{T,n}^\circ = \left( a_2 + \frac{a_4}{T - \Theta} \right) \left( \frac{1}{\Psi + P} \right)^2, \quad (\text{A8})$$

and

$$\Delta E^\circ = - \left( a_3 + \frac{a_4}{\Psi + P} \right) \left( \frac{1}{T - \Theta} \right)^2, \quad (\text{A9})$$

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where  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $a_3$ ,  $a_4$ ,  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  represent temperature- and pressure-independent coefficients for the species of interest,  $\Theta$  and  $\Psi$  represent solvent parameters equal to 228 K and 2600 bars, respectively,  $T$  and  $P$  refer to the temperature and pressure of interest, and  $P_r$  stands for the reference pressure of 1 bar. The solvation contributions to  $C_{P,s}^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $\kappa_T^\circ$  and  $E^\circ$  in the revised HKF equations of state can be expressed as

$$\Delta C_{P,s}^\circ = \omega T X + 2 T Y \left( \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial T} \right)_P - T \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{\partial^2 \omega}{\partial T^2} \right)_P, \quad (\text{A10})$$

$$\Delta V_s^\circ = -\omega Q + \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial P} \right)_T, \quad (\text{A11})$$

$$\Delta \kappa_{T,s}^\circ = \omega N + 2 Q \left( \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial P} \right)_T - \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} - 1 \right) \left( \frac{\partial^2 \omega}{\partial P^2} \right)_T, \quad (\text{A12})$$

and

$$\Delta E^\circ = -\omega U, \quad (\text{A13})$$

where  $\omega$  is an equation of state parameter for the species of interest and  $Q$ ,  $N$ ,  $X$ ,  $Y$  and  $U$  stand for the partial derivatives of the reciprocal dielectric constant of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  ( $1/\epsilon$ ) given by

$$Q \equiv - \left( \frac{\partial (1/\epsilon)}{\partial P} \right)_T, \quad (\text{A14})$$

$$N \equiv \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial P} \right)_T, \quad (\text{A15})$$

$$Y \equiv - \left( \frac{\partial (1/\epsilon)}{\partial T} \right)_P, \quad (\text{A16})$$

$$X \equiv \left( \frac{\partial Y}{\partial T} \right)_P, \quad (\text{A17})$$

and

$$U \equiv \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial T} \right)_P. \quad (\text{A18})$$

5 The values of  $Q$ ,  $X$ ,  $Y$ ,  $N$  and  $U$  are calculated in the present study using SUPCRT92 (Johnson et al., 1992), which relies on interpolation of the values given by Shock et al. (1992) and Tanger and Helgeson (1988).

The solvation contributions in Eqs. (A10)–(A12) are represented by terms that contain  $\omega$  and its first- and second- partial derivatives with respect to temperature and pressure. In the revised HKF equations of state, these partial derivatives are set to zero for neutral species. In contrast, charged species generally are characterized by partial derivatives of  $\omega$  that are calculated from charge-dependent correlations (Tanger and Helgeson, 1988). The use of group additivity for charged species, however, must be able to extend to neutral zwitterions, for which the partial derivatives of  $\omega$  with respect to temperature and pressure are zero. This implies the partial derivatives of  $\omega$  must be zero also for all charged groups, i.e.

$$\left( \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial T} \right)_P = \left( \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial P} \right)_T = \left( \frac{\partial^2 \omega}{\partial T^2} \right)_P = \left( \frac{\partial^2 \omega}{\partial T^2} \right)_P = 0. \quad (\text{A19})$$

For neutral species, values of the partial derivatives of  $\omega$  are set equal to zero. However, group additivity involves charged groups whose partial derivatives of  $\omega$  do not sum to zero. Nevertheless, comparative calculations indicate that the uncertainty introduced by this approximation is negligible in the context of the present study. Therefore, the partial derivatives of  $\omega$  for neutral species, as well charged groups are taken to be zero.

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### A.3. $\Delta G^\circ$ , $\Delta H^\circ$ and $S^\circ$ at $T$ and $P$

Taking into account Eq. (A19), the revised HKF equations of state for  $\Delta G^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta G^\circ = & \Delta G_f^\circ - S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ (T - T_r) - c_1 \left[ T \ln \left( \frac{T}{T_r} \right) - T + T_r \right] \\ & - c_2 \left\{ \left[ \left( \frac{1}{T - \Theta} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{T_r - \Theta} \right) \right] \left( \frac{\Theta - T}{\Theta} \right) - \frac{T}{\Theta^2} \ln \left[ \frac{T_r (T - \Theta)}{T (T_r - \Theta)} \right] \right\} \\ & + a_1 (P - P_r) + a_2 \ln \left( \frac{\Psi + P}{\Psi + P_r} \right) \\ & + \left( \frac{1}{T + \Theta} \right) \left[ a_3 (P - P_r) + a_4 \ln \left( \frac{\Psi + P}{\Psi + P_r} \right) \right] \\ & + \omega \left[ Y_{P_r, T_r} (T - T_r) + \frac{1}{\epsilon} - \frac{1}{\epsilon_{P_r, T_r}} \right], \quad (\text{A20}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta H^\circ = & \Delta H_f^\circ + c_1 (T - T_r) - c_2 \left[ \left( \frac{1}{T - \Theta} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{T_r - \Theta} \right) \right] \\ & + a_1 (P - P_r) + a_2 \ln \left( \frac{\Psi + P}{\Psi + P_r} \right) \\ & + \left( \frac{2T - \Theta}{(T - \Theta)^2} \right) \left[ a_3 (P - P_r) + a_4 \ln \left( \frac{\Psi + P}{\Psi + P_r} \right) \right] \\ & + \omega \left[ TY - T_r Y_{P_r, T_r} + \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} - 1 \right) - \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon_{P_r, T_r} - 1} \right) \right], \quad (\text{A21}) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$S^\circ = S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ + c_1 \ln \left( \frac{T}{T_r} \right) - \frac{c_2}{\Theta} \left\{ \left( \frac{1}{T - \Theta} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{T_r - \Theta} \right) + \frac{1}{\Theta} \ln \left[ \frac{T_r (T - \Theta)}{T (T_r - \Theta)} \right] \right\} + \left( \frac{1}{T - \Theta} \right)^2 \left[ a_3 (P - P_r) + a_4 \ln \left( \frac{\Psi + P}{\Psi + P_r} \right) \right] + \omega (Y - Y_{P_r, T_r}) . \quad (\text{A22})$$

#### A.4. Regression equations

With the aid of the equations described below, values of the non-solvation revised HKF parameters can be regressed from experimental and estimated values of  $C_P^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_S^\circ$  as a function of temperature. At low pressure, the non-solvation contributions to each of these properties can be expressed as linear functions of two non-solvation revised HKF parameters. The contribution by the pressure-dependent terms is minimal even to a few hundred bars, so all the experimental data considered in the present study, whether measured at ambient or elevated pressures, can be treated in the following manner. For example, at  $P = P_r$ , Eq. (A6) reduces to

$$\Delta C_{P,n}^\circ = c_1 + \frac{c_2}{(T - \Theta)^2} , \quad (\text{A23})$$

which can be used to retrieve values of  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  from experimental values of  $C_P^\circ$ . Similar regression calculations can be carried out for volumetric data by first defining the parameters  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  as

$$\sigma \equiv a_1 + \frac{a_2}{\Psi + P} \quad (\text{A24})$$

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and

$$\xi \equiv a_3 + \frac{a_4}{\Psi + P}. \quad (\text{A25})$$

Combining Eqs. (A24) and (A25) with Eq. (A7) yields

$$V_n^\circ = \sigma + \frac{\xi}{T - \Theta}, \quad (\text{A26})$$

5 which can be used to retrieve values of  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  from experimental values of  $V^\circ$ . The partial derivatives with respect to pressure of Eqs. (A24) and (A25) are given by

$$\left(\frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial P}\right)_T = \frac{-a_2}{(\Psi + P)^2} \quad (\text{A27})$$

and

$$\left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial P}\right)_T = \frac{-a_4}{(\Psi + P)^2}, \quad (\text{A28})$$

10 which can be combined with Eq. A8) to give

$$-\Delta\kappa_{T,n}^\circ = \left(\frac{\partial \sigma}{\partial P}\right)_T + \left(\frac{\partial \xi}{\partial P}\right)_T \left(\frac{1}{T - \Theta}\right). \quad (\text{A29})$$

This expression can be used to derive values of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  from experimental values of  $\kappa_T^\circ$ .

15 The non-solvation term can be included in the regression equations by taking account of Eqs. (A5) and (A19) along with Eqs. (A10) and (A23) for  $\Delta C_{P,n}^\circ$  or Eqs. (A11) and (A26) for  $\Delta V_n^\circ$ . Thus, it is possible to write

$$C_P^\circ = c_1 + \frac{c_2}{(T - \Theta)^2} + \omega TX \quad (\text{A30})$$

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and

$$V^{\circ} = \sigma + \frac{\xi}{T - \Theta} - \omega Q, \quad (\text{A31})$$

which can be used to retrieve values of  $\omega$  where sufficient high-temperature experimental data are available. Because this is not possible for all of the amino acids, provisional values of  $\omega$  can be estimated from correlations among the solvation or hydration properties of the species.

## B. Calculation of updated values of the revised HKF parameters of organic groups

The equations of state parameters given by [Amend and Helgeson \(1997b\)](#) for aqueous organic groups were derived in part from those for aqueous alcohols and diols, and amines and diamines. Because homologous series were used in their analysis, the non-solvation equations of state parameters of the  $[-\text{CH}_2-]$  group were accurately determined. However, little or no calorimetric data were available at the time for diols and diamines at temperatures other than 25°C. As a consequence, large uncertainties are inherent in their group additivity predictions of the equations of state parameters of molecules such as *n*-alkanes and amino acids. Owing to the availability of more recent experimental data reported in the literature, these uncertainties can now be reduced considerably by revising the organic group contributions derived from diols and diamines. This can be done by introducing a correction term, [di.corr], to modify the group additivity contributions derived from diols and diamines. Doing so results in revised values of the parameters of the terminal groups used by [Amend and Helgeson \(1997b\)](#), which are given in Table 10.

The values of [di.corr] for  $\Delta G_f^{\circ}$ ,  $\Delta H_f^{\circ}$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^{\circ}$  are taken to be zero, because the group additivity calculations using the unmodified group contributions to these properties given by [Amend and Helgeson \(1997b\)](#) accurately predict the properties of amino acids and many other organic compounds, including diols and diamines.

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The group equations of state parameters given by Amend and Helgeson (1997b) are indicated below by a superscript AH97b. In contrast, the symbols representing the revised parameters carry no superscript. For propanol, no correction term is needed, so the revised group contributions do not change the group additivity predictions. Consequently, one can write Eq. (B1) where  $\Xi$  represents any equation of state parameter. For butane-1,4-diol, a correction term in the revised group additivity algorithm is needed, but in calculating a trial value the revision should not alter the results of the group additivity analysis. Therefore, one can write Eq. (B2) where  $\Xi_{[di.corr]}$  denotes the correction term. The value of this term can be calculated from amino acid and Gly–X–Gly group additivity algorithms. For example, combining Eqs. (B1) and (B2), and taking  $\Xi_{[-CH_2-]} = \Xi_{[-CH_2-]}^{AH97b}$ , one obtains Eqs. (B3) and (B4). Generalizing Eq. (B4) permits the revised contributions by the other terminal groups (excluding  $[-CH_3]$ ) to be calculated from Eq. (B5) where  $[term]$  stands for  $[-COOH]$ ,  $[-CH_2OH]$ ,  $[-CONH_2]$  or  $[-CH_2NH_2]$ . Because  $[-CHCH_3-]$  is not a terminal group, its revised group contributions are given by Eq. (B6).

The constraints given by the above equations ensure that the revised group contributions are consistent not only with amino acid properties, but also with the properties of the compounds from which they were originally derived. Taking into account these equations, the value of  $\Xi_{[di.corr]}$  for  $\Xi = C_P^\circ$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $\xi$ ,  $a_2$  and  $a_4$ , is selected such that the revised group contributions minimize the uncertainty in the calculation of [AABB] and [GXGBB] from the reference amino acids and Gly–X–Gly tripeptides identified above. For example, an initial value of  $C_{P,[di.corr]}^\circ = -22.5$  yields the revised values of  $C_{P,[-CH_3]}^\circ$  and  $C_{P,[-CH_2OH]}^\circ$  given in Table 10. These revised values yield  $C_{P,[AABB]}^\circ$  of  $-2.2$  and  $-0.7 \text{ cal mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$  from Ala and Ser, respectively, which indicates a much smaller uncertainty than that inherent in the original group contributions adopted by Amend and Helgeson (1997b).

The values of  $C_P^\circ$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\xi$  of [AABB] and [GXGBB] correspond to the values of the intercepts of the regression lines on the plots of  $\Xi_{AA}$  and  $\Xi_{GXG}$  vs.  $\Xi_{[SC]}$  depicted in Fig. 10. For the most part, the symbols shown in this figure lie within a representative

total group additivity uncertainty. In contrast, the symbols corresponding to  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $c_2$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\xi$  of  $[-C_6H_5]$  and  $\xi$  of  $[-COOH]$  lie outside the representative uncertainties and are not shown. Consequently, the revised contributions by these groups to the properties are not calculated from Eq. (B5) but are computed from the respective properties of the corresponding amino acids.

Of the groups considered by Amend and Helgeson (1997b), only  $[-CH_2]^{AH97b}$  and  $[-CH_2OH]^{AH97b}$  have values of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  that were derived from non-amino acid compounds. Therefore, the values of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  of [di.corr] and [AABB] can be calculated by solving the system of equations represented by Eq. (B7) using the values of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  of Ala and Ser given in Table 3.

The values of  $V^\circ$  and  $\xi$  of  $[-CHCH_3-]$  and those of  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  of  $[-CHCH_3-]$ ,  $[-COOH]$ ,  $[-CONH_2]$ ,  $[-C_6H_5]$  and  $[-CH_2NH_2]$  can be computed by combining appropriate statements of Eqs. (1) and (2) with the equations of state parameters of amino acids taken from Table 3 and those of [AABB],  $[-CH_3]$  and  $[-CH_2-]$  given in Table 10. The corresponding properties of [di.corr], as well as values of  $\omega$  of all the groups can be calculated from the regression of the experimental high-temperature heat capacities of mono- and di-alcohols and amines described below.

Experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$  at 280 bar and temperatures to  $\sim 250^\circ C$  along the vapor-liquid saturation curve of propanol, butane-1,4-diol, hexane-1,6-diol, propylamine, butane-1,4-diamine and hexane-1,6-diamine have been reported in the literature (Inglese and Wood, 1996; Inglese et al., 1997). These high-temperature data are suitable for determining the values of  $\omega$  of [di.corr],  $[-CH_3]$ ,  $[-CH_2-]$ ,  $[-CH_2OH]$ ,  $[-CH_2NH_2]$ , as well as those of  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  of [di.corr] by taking account the systems of equations represented by Eqs. (B8) and (B9) for alcohols and amines, respectively. Iterative regression of the high-temperature experimental data of the diols and diamines shown as symbols in Fig. 17 yields trial values of  $\omega$  of  $[-CH_2]$ , which can be substituted into Eqs. (B8) and (B9) to retrieve values of  $\omega$  of the four remaining groups by iterative regression to obtain the best fits of the data. Note in Fig. 17 that the the revised group contributions to  $\omega$  result in regression lines which are consistent within experimental

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uncertainty with both the high-temperature data for the mono- and di- alcohols and amines. The dearth of such high-temperature data for these types of compounds at the time prevented [Amend and Helgeson \(1997b\)](#) from performing a similar calculation.

### C. Calculation of $\Delta G_f^\circ$ , $\Delta H_f^\circ$ and $S_{P_r, T_R}^\circ$ of gaseous amino acids

5 Group additivity is used in the following manner to calculate the values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  of the gaseous amino acids – except for Ala, Gly and Pro – given in Table 2. The properties of the sidechain groups in the amino acids can be calculated from the group additivity algorithm represented by Eq. (1), where  $\Xi_{[SC]}$  and  $\Xi_i$  stand for any property or parameter of the sidechain group of interest and the  $i$ th group contribution, respectively. The gaseous group contributions to  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  at 25°C and 1 bar are summarized in Table 15 and are taken from [Domalski and Hearing \(1993\)](#), with the exception of a few groups for which the properties can be estimated using the strategies described in the footnotes to the table. In particular, the properties of [AABB] given in Table 15 are calculated using Eq. (2) and the experimental properties of Ala. For  
10 gaseous amino acids, we adopt a modification of the additivity scheme developed by [Benson and Buss \(1958\)](#) and [Domalski and Hearing \(1993\)](#). Specific statements of Eq. (1) are given in Table 14 for all of the gaseous amino acid sidechain groups except [Gly] and [Pro]. These sidechain groups are not readily modeled by the additivity scheme ([Gly] because it has no atoms other than H; [Pro] because it is bonded twice to [AABB]). In addition,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_R}^\circ$  of Gly and Pro have been measured or can be  
20 calculated.

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## D. Group additivity calculation of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of crystalline proteins as a function of temperature and pressure

The available high-temperature experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$  (up to 146.85°C) of crystalline amino acids and proteins indicate that the trend of  $C_p^\circ$  of these compounds can be modeled with a linear approximation. This is not the generally the case for crystalline compounds, nor is it true of proteins at temperatures below 100 K. Nevertheless, in the context of the present study, the values of  $c$  in the Maier-Kelley equation can be taken to be zero for the amino acids, polypeptides, proteins, and their constituent groups.

### D.1. Revision of the Maier-Kelley parameters of crystalline Leu

Unlike  $C_p^\circ$  of the other amino acids, the heat capacity of Leu exhibits an upward curvature near the upper temperature limit of the experimental measurements (Hutchens et al., 1963). This observation lead Helgeson et al. (1998) to fit the  $C_p^\circ$  of Leu with a non-zero value of  $c$  using the Maier-Kelley equation, represented by

$$C_p^\circ = a + bT + cT^{-2}, \quad (\text{D1})$$

where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are temperature-independent coefficients for the species of interest. However, to maintain compatibility with the linear trend of  $C_p^\circ$  of crystalline proteins, and because the observed curvature in  $C_p^\circ$  of Leu is characteristic of the anticipation of a structural transition in the crystal, the Maier-Kelley parameters of Leu are reevaluated in the present study with the aid of the regression plot shown in Fig. 18. It is evident from this figure that the first two terms of Eq. (D1) accurately fit the experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$  of Leu below the onset of transition. The values of the Maier-Kelley parameters of the remaining amino acids are taken from Helgeson et al. (1998).

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D.2. Calculation of the standard molal thermodynamic properties at 25 °C and 1 bar and the Maier-Kelley parameters of crystalline amino acid backbone and sidechain groups

The values of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ ,  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $C_P^\circ$  at 25°C and 1 bar, and  $b$  of crystalline Ala, Val, Leu and Ile taken from Helgeson et al. (1998) can be combined with the group contributions by [–CH<sub>3</sub>], [–CH<sub>2</sub>–] and [> CH–] to these properties taken from Richard and Helgeson (1998) to generate the regression plots shown in Fig. 19. The intercepts of the regression lines in this figure represent the contributions by the crystalline [AABB] to each of these properties, the values of which are given in Table 16. The values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  and  $a$  of [AABB] given in Table 16 are generated using Eqs. (A4) or (D1), combined with the values of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ , or  $C_P^\circ$ ,  $b$  and  $c$ , respectively, of [AABB].

D.3. Calculation of  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of the crystalline protein backbone group

The group additivity calculation of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of crystalline proteins, which is required for the additive calculation of  $\Delta H_{sol}^\circ$  of proteins, can be performed in the manner described below.  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of the crystalline protein backbone can be calculated from values of  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  reported by Hutchens et al. (1969) for crystalline insulin and chymotrypsinogen A (0.3144 and 0.3227 cal K<sup>-1</sup> g<sup>-1</sup>, respectively) and by Mrevlishvili (1986) for bovine albumin (0.3207 cal K<sup>-1</sup> g<sup>-1</sup>). Converting these values to units of cal K<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup> using masses of 5773, 25666, and 66433 g, respectively, for one mole of the insulin monomer with one-half mole zinc, chymotrypsinogen A, and bovine albumin, and substituting the contributions to  $S^\circ$  given in Table 16 from the crystalline sidechain groups and amino acid backbone into Eq. 8, along with the number of amino acid residues of each protein, gives 11.18, 11.56, and 11.13 cal K<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup> for the values of  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of the crystalline protein backbone in insulin, chymotrypsinogen A, and bovine albumin, respectively. Because of the uncertain contribution by zinc to  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of insulin, the mean of only the latter two values, 11.34, is shown in Table 16. It can

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be combined with  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of [AABB] from the same table and that of H<sub>2</sub>O (16.71 cal K<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>; calculated using SUPCRT92) to give  $\Delta S^\circ$  of the reaction represented by [AABB]  $\rightleftharpoons$  [PBB] + H<sub>2</sub>O. This value, 8.83 cal K<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>, is about 0.2 to 0.5 cal K<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup> less than those calculated by [Hutchens et al. \(1969\)](#).

#### 5 D.4. Calculation of $\Delta G_f^\circ$ and $\Delta H_f^\circ$ of the crystalline protein backbone group

An experimental value of  $\Delta H^\circ$  of combustion of a crystalline protein of known sequence is available in the literature for only one protein ([Tsuzuki et al., 1958](#)). Although measurements of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  of combustion of two other crystalline proteins have been reported ([Kienzle et al., 2001](#)), they are referenced to proteins of ambiguous composition. Therefore, a provisional value of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  of [PBB], given in Table 16, is calculated from Eq. (8) using the enthalpy of combustion of INS\_PIG (5382.2 cal g<sup>-1</sup>) reported by [Tsuzuki et al., 1958](#) combined with the values of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  of the crystalline amino acid backbone groups summarized above and  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  of the gaseous combustion products. Because only one reference model protein is included in this calculation, the estimated uncertainty is 1 kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>, which is large compared to the uncertainty estimated for  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  of unfolded proteins. Reconnaissance calculations using  $\Delta H^\circ$  of combustion of crystalline tri- and tetrapeptides ([Chemical Rubber Company, 1975](#)) yield values of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  of [UPBB] that are 3 kcal mol<sup>-1</sup> smaller than that calculated from insulin, which differ from the value obtained from the calculation with INS\_PIG by more than the estimated uncertainty, supporting the notion that crystalline polypeptides of this length are perhaps poor candidates for modeling the thermodynamic properties of crystalline proteins in the reference state adopted here.

A comparison of calculated and experimental values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^\circ$  of four proteins is shown in Fig. 20. The calculated values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^\circ$  of the four proteins represented in this figure are calculated from Eq. (8) and the respective group contributions to  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  of nonionized unfolded and crystalline proteins taken from Tables 8 and 16. It can be seen in Fig. 20 that, in general, the additive values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^\circ$  deviate from the experimen-

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tal values taken from Souillac et al. (2002) by less than the experimental uncertainty, which we estimate to be  $\pm 20\%$  of the experimental value. This degree of uncertainty is comparable to the differences between the experimental  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  of lyophilized and non-lyophilized (as-is) samples reported by Souillac et al. (2002). It should perhaps be noted, however, that the aqueous proteins in these experiments are most likely not nonionized unfolded proteins, but are instead both ionized and folded. The ionization contribution can be approximated by taking account of Eqs. (26) and (23) for arbitrary values of pH. The values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  of ionized unfolded proteins calculated in this manner are represented by the position of the text-labeled symbols shown in Fig. 20 for pHs of 3, 7 and 10. It is apparent from the trend of these values that the experimental data are in some cases more closely represented by ionized unfolded proteins present in a solutions between pH 7 and 10. The question remains of what is the experimental pH of the protein solution, which is not reported by Souillac et al. (2002). In the future, it is evident that protein ionization may contribute substantially to the observed  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$ . A possible compensating factor may arise from the ionization state of the crystalline proteins. Because they contain at least some water, the crystalline proteins themselves might be ionized, with perhaps similar enthalpic consequences as for aqueous proteins. Such an interpretation would suggest a lessening the effects of ionization upon dissolution of the proteins.

Another source of uncertainty in these comparative calculations is the difference between the enthalpies of ionized unfolded proteins and those of ionized folded proteins. Because the measurements of  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  probably involved folded proteins, and because protein unfolding is generally an endothermic process, the calculated values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  may be overestimated by 10 to 50 kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>. Consideration of folded proteins would lead to shifts in the calculated values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  shown in Fig. 20 in the same direction as shown for the ionization effects.



## D.5. Calculation of $V_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$ of the crystalline protein backbone group

As with heat capacity, the volume of protein crystals changes considerably with the degree of hydration. For example, consideration of the unit cell parameters of crystals of RNP\_BOVIN with Protein Data Bank IDs 1BEL and 1C0C indicates that the unit cell volume decreases from 109 000 to 72 000 Å<sup>3</sup> upon desiccation by exposure to CaSO<sub>4</sub>. It has also been noted that temperature (Kurinov and Harrison, 1995) and pressure (Vant et al., 2002) may affect the volumetric properties of protein crystals. Nevertheless, it might prove useful for geochemical calculations to adopt a reference state for calculating the contributions by the protein backbone group to  $V_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of crystalline proteins.

## D.6. Regression of the Maier-Kelley parameters of the crystalline protein backbone group

Figure 21 shows the results of an iterative fitting procedure to retrieve values of  $a$  and  $b$  of [UPBB], which are reported in Table 16. The result is a close correspondence between the calculated and experimental heat capacities as a function of temperature. In terms of the reproduction of experimental data, our results are similar to those of Bakk's 2002 calculations of the contributions by the vibrational modes of the molecules. But the group additivity concept adopted here has the added advantage of using just the amino acid sequence to predict the heat capacities of crystalline proteins.

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**Table 1.** Symbols and abbreviations used in the text.

Symbol(s)	Definition
[SC]	Abbreviation for any sidechain group.
[AABB], [AABB <sup>+</sup> ], [AABB <sup>-</sup> ]	Abbreviations for the neutral zwitterionic, positively charged and negatively charged amino acid backbone group.
[Ala], [Arg], [Arg <sup>+</sup> ], . . . , [Val]	3-letter abbreviations, including formal charge, for sidechain groups.
[GXGBB]	Abbreviation for the Gly–X–Gly backbone group, which is used here to refer to what remains upon removal of the middle (X) sidechain group.
[UPBB], [PPBB]	Abbreviations for the protein backbone group of crystalline proteins and the aqueous unfolded protein and polypeptide backbone groups, all of which share the formula C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>2</sub> NO.
$\Delta C_{P,n}^{\circ}$ , $\Delta V_n^{\circ}$ , $\Delta \kappa_{T,n}^{\circ}$	Standard molal non-solvation isobaric heat capacity, volume and isothermal compressibility.
$\Delta C_{P,s}^{\circ}$ , $\Delta V_s^{\circ}$ , $\Delta \kappa_{T,s}^{\circ}$	Standard molal solvation isobaric heat capacity, volume and isothermal compressibility.
$\Delta G^{\circ}$ , $\Delta H^{\circ}$ , $S^{\circ}$	Standard molal Gibbs free energy, enthalpy, and entropy at <i>P</i> and <i>T</i> .
$\Delta G_f^{\circ}$ , $\Delta H_f^{\circ}$ , $S_{P_r,T_r}^{\circ}$	Standard molal Gibbs free energy and enthalpy of formation, and third law entropy, at <i>P<sub>r</sub></i> and <i>T<sub>r</sub></i> .
$\Delta S_{hyd}^{\circ}$	Standard molal entropy of hydration.
$\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ}$	Standard molal Gibbs free energy of ionization.
Ξ	Any standard molal thermodynamic property or revised HKF parameter of a given species.
AA	Abbreviation for any amino acid.
A, C, D, . . . , X, Y.	Conventional 1-letter abbreviations for amino acids or sidechain groups.
Ala, Arg, Asn, . . . , Val	Conventional 3-letter abbreviations for amino acids.
Ala, Arg, Arg <sup>+</sup> , Arg <sup>-</sup> , . . .	3-letter abbreviations for the amino acids, including formal charge.
GXG	Abbreviation for any Gly–X–Gly tripeptide (X represents any sidechain group).
<i>P<sub>r</sub></i> , <i>T<sub>r</sub></i>	Reference pressure (1 bar) and temperature (25°C).

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Symbol(s)	Definition
$P_{sat}$	Reference geothermal gradient of pressure, corresponding to $P_r$ at temperatures $< 100^\circ\text{C}$ and the saturation vapor pressure of pure $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ at temperatures $\geq 100^\circ\text{C}$ .
$\sigma, \xi$	Volumetric non-solvation parameters in the revised HKF equations of state.
$\omega$	Solvation parameter in the revised HKF equations of state.
$c_1, c_2, a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4$	Caloric non-solvation parameters in the revised HKF equations of state.
$n, n_i$	Total number of sidechain groups (length) of a peptide; number of occurrences of the $i$ th sidechain or organic group in a group additivity equation.
$pK$	Negative logarithm of the equilibrium constant of the deprotonation reaction of a group or species.

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**Table 2.**  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of aqueous and gaseous amino acids. Values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of aqueous amino acids in different ionization states are taken from [Amend and Helgeson \(1997a\)](#). Unless otherwise noted, the values for gaseous amino acids are from additivity calculations of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ , which are combined with  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of the elements to give  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ .

	$\Delta G_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$\Delta H_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>		$\Delta G_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$\Delta H_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>		$\Delta G_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$\Delta H_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>
Aqueous amino acids			Aqueous amino acids			Aqueous amino acids					
Ala <sup>+</sup>	-92.01	-133.08	47.61	His <sup>2+</sup>	-58.89	-115.90	75.30	Trp <sup>+</sup>	-30.07	-97.25	72.00
Ala	-88.81	-132.50	38.83	His <sup>+</sup>	-56.57	-115.20	69.86	Trp	-26.82	-97.59	59.96
Ala <sup>-</sup>	-75.36	-121.47	30.71	His	-48.42	-108.20	66.00	Trp <sup>-</sup>	-14.01	-85.66	57.00
				His <sup>-</sup>	-35.76	-97.70	58.76				
Arg <sup>2+</sup>	-72.41	-155.86	87.60					Tyr <sup>+</sup>	-94.80	-157.45	70.45
Arg <sup>+</sup>	-69.93	-154.88	82.57	Ile <sup>+</sup>	-85.15	-151.58	60.37	Tyr	-91.80	-157.74	59.41
Arg	-57.36	-143.06	80.06	Ile	-81.99	-151.60	49.70	Tyr <sup>-</sup>	-79.38	-149.42	45.66
Arg <sup>-</sup>	-40.34	-129.42	68.72	Ile <sup>-</sup>	-68.68	-140.52	42.23	Tyr <sup>2-</sup>	-65.65	-140.18	30.60
Asn <sup>+</sup>	-128.25	-183.44	64.66	Leu <sup>+</sup>	-87.38	-153.96	59.87	Val <sup>+</sup>	-88.51	-146.59	55.77
Asn	-125.49	-182.70	57.88	Leu	-84.20	-153.60	50.41	Val	-85.33	-146.42	45.68
Asn <sup>-</sup>	-114.47	-172.85	53.96	Leu <sup>-</sup>	-70.90	-142.27	43.80	Val <sup>-</sup>	-72.08	-138.36	28.27

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$\Delta G_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>			$\Delta H_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>			$S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>			$\Delta G_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>			$\Delta H_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>			$S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>											
Aqueous amino acids									Aqueous amino acids									Gaseous amino acids								
Asp <sup>+</sup>	-175.23	-227.14	61.65	Lys <sup>2+</sup>	-95.86	-170.40	71.68	Ala <sup>a</sup>	-71.91	-99.10	94.17															
Asp	-172.51	-226.34	55.22	Lys <sup>+</sup>	-92.89	-170.37	61.82	Arg	2.14	-69.05	128.73															
Asp <sup>-</sup>	-167.17	-224.54	43.34	Lys	-80.68	-159.33	57.91	Asn	-98.81	-141.13	107.84															
Asp <sup>2-</sup>	-153.52	-209.10	49.34	Lys <sup>-</sup>	-66.31	-146.34	53.27	Asp	-151.04	-187.80	112.47															
Cys <sup>+</sup>	-82.66	-124.61	52.32	Met <sup>+</sup>	-123.23	-179.14	70.71	Cys	-64.33	-90.08	106.65															
Cys	-80.33	-124.07	46.32	Met	-120.12	-178.52	62.36	Gln	-96.81	-146.06	117.20															
Cys <sup>-</sup>	-68.97	-117.08	31.66	Met <sup>-</sup>	-107.55	-167.98	55.55	Glu	-149.04	-192.73	121.83															
Cys <sup>2-</sup>	-54.26	-108.04	12.65					Gly <sup>a</sup>	-73.35	-93.30	85.84															
				Phe <sup>+</sup>	-52.95	-109.04	67.93	His	-14.31	-62.60	104.53															
Gln <sup>+</sup>	-129.24	-192.53	70.10	Phe	-49.43	-108.90	56.60	Ile	-66.10	-114.41	121.15															
Gln	-126.28	-191.86	62.41	Phe <sup>-</sup>	-36.76	-98.01	50.63	Leu	-66.10	-114.41	121.15															
Gln <sup>-</sup>	-113.82	-182.11	53.33					Lys	-49.47	-105.95	132.25															
				Pro <sup>+</sup>	-76.22	-124.17	58.52	Met	-59.13	-98.34	126.73															
Glu <sup>+</sup>	-176.00	-234.99	70.53	Pro	-73.56	-124.10	49.83	Phe	-32.33	-71.95	123.16															
Glu	-173.05	-234.82	61.20	Pro <sup>-</sup>	-59.05	-113.84	35.58	Pro <sup>a</sup>	-55.66	-87.52	112.48															
Glu <sup>-</sup>	-167.21	-234.15	43.86					Ser	-103.12	-134.94	103.16															
Glu <sup>2-</sup>	-154.44	-217.28	57.61	Ser <sup>+</sup>	-126.90	-172.74	56.16	Thr	-104.79	-143.42	112.92															
				Ser	-123.92	-172.42	47.24	Trp	1.48	-51.13	120.88															
Gly <sup>+</sup>	-94.16	-125.72	46.91	Ser <sup>-</sup>	-111.36	-162.71	37.68	Tyr	-69.87	-114.70	130.20															
Gly	-90.95	-124.78	39.29					Val	-68.10	-109.48	111.79															
Gly <sup>-</sup>	-77.61	-114.19	30.07	Thr <sup>+</sup>	-122.69	-179.31	52.58																			
				Thr	-119.83	-178.94	44.23																			
				Thr <sup>-</sup>	-107.41	-169.11	35.54																			

<sup>a</sup> Values of  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  of these amino acids are calculated from  $\Delta G_{hyd}^\circ$  (Plyasunov and Shock, 2001) and  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  of the corresponding aqueous amino acids. Values of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  are taken from Ngauv et al. (1977) and Sabbah and Laffitte (1978). Values of  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  are calculated from  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ , and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of the elements.

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**Table 3.** Values and estimated uncertainties of revised HKF equations of state parameters of amino acids.

Amino Acid	$\omega \times 10^{-5}$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$c_1$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>	$c_2 \times 10^{-4}$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K	$a_1 \times 10$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> bar <sup>-1</sup>	$a_2 \times 10^{-2}$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$a_3$ cal K mol <sup>-1</sup> bar <sup>-1</sup>	$a_4 \times 10^{-4}$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K
Ala	0.18	49.5	-7.00	14.90	1.74	7.16	-3.69
Arg	0.22	94.8	-12.50	28.83	8.21	7.20	-5.95
Arg <sup>+</sup>	0.73	103.8	-9.60	31.72	0.22	5.46	-5.15
Arg <sup>-</sup>	2.30	141.9	-19.60	31.28	13.76	32.12	-9.94
Asn	0.21	56.5	-11.70	19.83	2.37	3.76	-4.81
Asp	2.47	56.3	-15.30	16.96	5.77	10.11	-6.37
Asp <sup>-</sup>	0.17	58.1	-11.90	18.96	3.05	-6.62	-2.23
Cys	0.15	59.8	-5.60	18.14	2.40	9.31	-4.97
Cys <sup>-</sup>	2.59	61.0	-9.50	14.44	5.08	12.24	-3.68
Glu	0.15	65.2	-10.00	22.30	4.23	6.55	-5.84
Glu <sup>-</sup>	2.65	47.6	-7.80	20.49	6.96	10.86	-7.02
Gln	0.18	68.6	-11.40	23.22	3.58	5.44	-5.23
Gly	0.23	28.5	-8.40	11.30	0.71	3.99	-3.04
His	0.27	81.6	-11.30	24.32	4.80	7.52	-6.05
His <sup>+</sup>	-0.50	78.0	-12.00	26.42	-4.06	-0.88	-3.07
Ile	0.09	99.7	-3.60	24.49	6.55	18.16	-7.76
Leu	0.09	102.7	-3.30	24.68	7.51	19.93	-8.37
Lys	0.07	89.5	-10.90	24.56	8.30	30.81	-9.53
Lys <sup>+</sup>	1.21	95.2	-8.00	28.29	-1.51	4.47	-3.99
Lys <sup>-</sup>	2.67	133.7	-18.00	28.29	10.53	2.97	-7.61
Met	0.13	85.3	-6.60	24.95	6.90	13.59	-7.77
Phe	0.12	108.1	-6.50	28.27	8.80	19.33	-9.38
Pro	0.14	63.6	-9.50	19.39	4.87	11.88	-5.68
Ser	0.18	48.5	-9.40	15.69	0.73	3.87	-3.49
Thr	0.11	65.5	-7.10	18.94	2.83	8.87	-4.87
Trp	0.15	116.8	-7.80	33.91	9.21	14.78	-9.36
Tyr	0.09	106.2	-12.40	30.06	8.49	8.36	-8.58
Tyr <sup>-</sup>	2.78	109.0	-16.00	26.34	10.49	16.42	-7.59
Val	0.12	83.8	-4.30	21.35	4.48	14.58	-6.12
$\delta_{AA}$	$\pm 0.1$	$\pm 1.0$	$\pm 1.20$	$\pm 0.1$	$\pm 0.48$	$\pm 0.47$	$\pm 0.81$

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**Table 4.** Revised HKF equations of state parameters of Gly–X–Gly tripeptides and [GXGBB].

Tripeptide	$\omega^a \times 10^{-5}$	$c_1^b$	$c_2^c \times 10^{-4}$	$\sigma^e$	$\zeta^f \times 10^{-2}$
Ala	-1.59	85.8	-15.80	130.7	-3.20
Arg <sup>+</sup>	-1.04	116.0	-20.00	192.0	-7.00
Asn	-1.56	89.0	-18.00	157.9	-8.52
Asp	-1.60	78.9	-13.80	147.9	-6.15
Cys	-1.62	89.0	-11.80	147.3	-5.71
Glu	-1.62	94.6	-15.50	164.5	-6.39
Gln	-1.59	100.5	-18.80	167.3	-6.45
Gly	-1.54	63.9	-16.60	112.2	-3.10
His	-1.50	151.9	-36.10	178.8	-7.69
Ile	-1.68	122.6	-6.80	188.4	-11.34
Leu	-1.68	129.4	-9.60	184.8	-9.18
Lys <sup>+</sup>	-0.56	180.0	-36.00	189.0	-9.50
Met	-1.64	105.9	-9.40	190.2	-12.43
Phe	-1.65	128.4	-11.30	204.1	-10.90
Pro	-1.63	91.5	-17.80	149.1	-5.93
Ser	-1.59	77.5	-15.70	130.3	-3.14
Thr	-1.66	99.3	-16.50	149.0	-5.45
Tyr	-1.68	126.8	-17.20	203.9	-9.58
Val	-1.65	111.8	-10.80	164.4	-6.08
$\delta$	$\pm 0.10$	$\pm 1.0$	$\pm 1.20$	$\pm 1.2$	$\pm 1.50$
[GXGBB]	-1.54	52.6	-17.6	101.2	-1.59

<sup>a</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup>.<sup>b</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>.<sup>c</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K.<sup>d</sup> 25°C and 1 bar.<sup>e</sup> cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>.<sup>f</sup> cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup> K.

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**Table 5.** Reference model compound algorithms for estimating  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of amino acids as a function of temperature.

Amino Acid	Property or Parameter	Reference Model Compound Algorithm
Asp <sup>-</sup>	$C_p^\circ$	Asp <sup>a</sup> + propanoate <sup>b</sup> – propanoic acid <sup>b</sup>
Cys	$C_p^\circ$	Ser <sup>a</sup> + Gly–Cys–Gly <sup>c</sup> – Gly–Ser–Gly <sup>c</sup>
Cys <sup>-</sup>	$C_p^\circ, V^\circ$	Cys + propanoate <sup>b</sup> – propanoic acid <sup>b</sup>
Glu <sup>-</sup>	$C_p^\circ$	Glu <sup>a</sup> + butanoate <sup>b</sup> – butanoic acid <sup>b</sup>
Lys <sup>-</sup>	$C_p^\circ, V^\circ$	Lys + <i>n</i> -butanamine <sup>d</sup> – <i>n</i> -butanamine <sup>+ d</sup>
Tyr	$C_p^\circ$	Phe <sup>e</sup> + Gly–Tyr–Gly <sup>f</sup> – Gly–Phe–Gly <sup>f</sup>
Tyr <sup>-</sup>	$C_p^\circ, V^\circ$	Tyr + propanoate <sup>b</sup> – propanoic acid <sup>b</sup>

<sup>a</sup> Hakin et al. (1994a).

<sup>b</sup> Shock (1995).

<sup>c</sup> Häckel et al. (1998).

<sup>d</sup>  $C_p^\circ$ : Makhatadze and Privalov (1990);  $V^\circ$ : Makhatadze et al. (1990).

<sup>e</sup> Marriott et al. (1998).

<sup>f</sup> Häckel et al. (1999a).

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**Table 6.** Correlations among the properties of amino acids: summary of equations for calculating  $\omega$ ,  $a_2$  (cal mol<sup>-1</sup>) and  $a_4$  (cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K) from  $\Delta S_{hyd}^\circ$  (cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>) and  $V^\circ$  (cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>) at 25°C and 1 bar.

	Equation	$Z_{AA}$
6.1	$\omega \times 10^{-5} = 0.49 + 0.0056 \times \Delta S_{hyd}^\circ$	0
6.2	$\omega \times 10^{-5} = 1.12 - 0.0196 \times \Delta S_{hyd}^\circ$	-1
6.3	$\omega \times 10^{-5} = -0.17 - 0.0196 \times \Delta S_{hyd}^\circ$	+1
6.4	$a_2 \times 10^{-2} = -4.80 + 0.105 \times V^\circ$	0
6.5	$a_2 \times 10^{-2} = -1.25 + 0.105 \times V^\circ$	-1
6.6	$a_2 \times 10^{-2} = -13.50 + 0.105 \times V^\circ$	+1
6.7	$a_4 \times 10^{-4} = -2.78 - 0.721a_2 \times 10^{-2}$	0
6.8	$a_4 \times 10^{-4} = -2.18 - 0.721a_2 \times 10^{-2}$	-1
6.9	$a_4 \times 10^{-4} = -5.48 - 0.721a_2 \times 10^{-2}$	+1

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**Table 7.**  $C_P^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  of amino acids and  $C_P^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  of Gly–X–Gly tripeptides at 25°C and 1 bar. Values are not given for tripeptides for which no calorimetric or volumetric data are available in the literature.

	GXG tripeptides		Amino Acids			
	$C_P^{\circ a}$	$V^{\circ b}$	$C_P^{\circ a}$	$V^{\circ b}$	$\kappa_T^{\circ c}$	
Ala	68.2	130.6	33.6	60.4	-23.46	
Arg	–	–	67.4	123.7	-3.74	
Arg <sup>+</sup>	84.8	184.9	77.6	122.4	-50.88	
Arg <sup>-</sup>	–	–	81.1	143.0	-24.08	
Asn	66.6	150.1	30.8	77.3	-29.72	
Asp	65.4	143.6	2.7	65.0	-3.39	
Asp <sup>-</sup>	–	–	32.4	74.9	-43.62	
Cys	79.8	143.7	47.1	73.3	-30.38	
Cys <sup>-</sup>	–	–	18.1	60.3	-25.29	
Glu	77.9	159.9	43.5	90.2	-26.73	
Glu <sup>-</sup>	–	–	7.6	80.0	-43.68	
Gln	76.8	162.5	43.8	93.6	-25.65	
Gly	44.2	112.1	9.3	43.2	-24.56	
His	92.2	172.0	56.2	99.3	-26.18	
His <sup>+</sup>	–	–	58.2	97.7	-56.95	
Ile	124.1	176.9	91.6	105.8	-28.75	
Leu	125.2	176.4	95.2	107.9	-28.19	
Lys	–	–	66.7	108.8	-33.34	
Lys <sup>+</sup>	111.9	177.0	67.9	107.4	-55.85	
Lys <sup>-</sup>	–	–	72.8	112.2	-26.94	
Met	101.7	177.0	70.7	105.6	-27.05	
Phe	120.5	193.1	93.8	122.2	-29.40	
Pro	70.2	145.2	43.0	82.7	-21.27	
Ser	60.1	130.2	27.8	60.7	-27.94	
Thr	80.9	145.8	50.1	77.4	-26.46	
Trp	–	–	99.6	143.6	-26.96	
Tyr	107.2	194.9	80.2	124.7	-23.98	
Tyr <sup>-</sup>	–	–	51.2	111.7	-28.09	
Val	104.9	160.3	74.0	90.7	-27.37	
$\delta_{GXG}$	±4.4	±3.6	$\delta_{AA}$	±4.4	±3.6	±11.05

<sup>a</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>b</sup> cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>c</sup> cm<sup>3</sup> bar<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>.

**Table 8.**  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  of aqueous amino acid sidechain and backbone groups and organic groups and ionized protein sidechain groups and unfolded protein backbone groups.

Group	$\Delta G_f^{\circ a}$	$\Delta H_f^{\circ a}$	$S^{\circ b}$	Group	$\Delta G_f^{\circ a}$	$\Delta H_f^{\circ a}$	$S^{\circ b}$	Group	$\Delta G_f^{\circ a}$	$\Delta H_f^{\circ a}$	$S^{\circ b}$
<b>Amino Acid Sidechain Groups</b>				<b>Amino Acid Sidechain Groups</b>				<b>Protein Backbone and Terminal Groups</b>			
[Ala]	-3.94	-13.29	16.85	[Ser]	-39.05	-53.21	25.26	[AABB <sup>+</sup> ]	-89.94	-119.58	37.74
[Arg]	31.63	-20.73	54.74	[Thr]	-34.96	-59.73	22.25	[AABB <sup>-</sup> ]	-75.07	-108.69	24.38
[Arg <sup>+</sup> ]	14.94	-35.67	60.59	[Trp]	58.05	21.62	37.98	[UPBB]	-21.45	-45.22	1.62
[Asn]	-40.61	-63.49	35.9	[Tyr]	-6.92	-38.53	37.43				
[Asp]	-87.64	-107.13	33.24	[Tyr <sup>-</sup> ]	5.50	-30.21	23.68				
[Asp <sup>-</sup> ]	-82.29	-105.33	21.36	[Val]	-0.46	-27.21	23.7	<b>Organic Groups<sup>d</sup></b>			
[Cys]	4.54	-4.86	24.34					[-CH <sub>2</sub> -]	2.24	-5.67	6.07
[Cys <sup>-</sup> ]	15.91	2.13	9.68					[-CH <sub>3</sub> ]	-2.19	-12.46	13.78
[Gln]	-41.40	-72.65	40.43	<b>Amino Acid Backbone Groups</b>				[-CHCH <sub>3</sub> -]	3.47	-12.48	11.71
[Glu]	-88.18	-115.61	39.22	[AABB]	-84.87	-119.21	21.98	[-CH <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>2</sub> ]	7.04	-12.43	21.44
[Glu <sup>-</sup> ]	-82.34	-114.94	21.88	[AABB <sup>+</sup> ]	-88.00	-119.58	31.23	[-CH <sub>2</sub> OH]	-41.53	-56.79	21.57
[Gly]	-6.07	-5.57	17.31	[AABB <sup>-</sup> ]	-71.97	-108.69	13.97	[-CONH <sub>2</sub> ]	-46.55	-61.42	30.14
[His]	36.46	11.01	44.02					[-COOH]	-92.57	-104.38	26.41
[His <sup>+</sup> ]	28.31	4.01	47.88	<b>Protein Sidechain Groups<sup>c</sup></b>				[-C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> ]	31.66	15.17	31.02
[Ile]	2.89	-32.39	27.72	[Arg <sup>+</sup> ]	15.59	-35.67	58.41	[di.corr]	0.00	0.00	0.00
[Leu]	0.67	-34.39	28.43	[Asp <sup>-</sup> ]	-82.06	-105.33	20.59				
[Lys]	5.66	-37.65	39.29	[Cys <sup>-</sup> ]	15.88	2.13	9.78	<b>Representative Uncertainties</b>			
[Lys <sup>+</sup> ]	-8.01	-51.16	39.84	[Glu <sup>-</sup> ]	-82.04	-114.94	20.87	$\delta_{AA}$	±0.50	±0.50	±0.50
[Met]	-35.25	-59.31	40.38	[His <sup>+</sup> ]	27.86	4.01	49.39	$\delta_{[SC]}$	±1.45	±1.89	±1.85
[Phe]	35.44	10.31	34.62	[Lys <sup>+</sup> ]	-7.84	-51.16	39.24	$\delta_{[UPBB]}$	±1.45	±2.82	±7.82
[Pro]	11.31	-4.89	27.85	[Tyr <sup>-</sup> ]	6.18	-30.21	21.4				

<sup>a</sup> kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>b</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>c</sup> The values of the properties of any neutral protein sidechain group are taken to be equal to those of the corresponding amino acid sidechain group.

<sup>d</sup> Amend and Helgeson (1997b) (except [di.corr]).

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**Table 9.**  $\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ}$  of ionization reactions and pK at 25°C and 1 bar of sidechain and amino acid backbone groups in amino acids and unfolded proteins.

Ionized group	Amino Acids		Unfolded Proteins	
	$\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ}$ <sup>a,b</sup>	pK <sup>b</sup>	$\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ}$ <sup>a,c</sup>	pK <sup>c</sup>
[Asp <sup>-</sup> ]	5.34	3.91	5.57	4.08
[Glu <sup>-</sup> ]	5.84	4.28	6.14	4.50
[His <sup>+</sup> ]	-8.15	5.97	-8.60	6.30
[Lys <sup>+</sup> ]	-14.37	10.53	-14.19	10.40
[Arg <sup>+</sup> ]	-17.02	12.47	-16.37	12.00
[Cys <sup>-</sup> ]	11.36	8.33	11.33	8.30
[Tyr <sup>-</sup> ]	12.42	9.10	13.10	9.60
[AABB <sup>+</sup> ]	-2.70	1.98	-4.64	3.40
[AABB <sup>-</sup> ]	13.33	9.77	10.23	7.50
$\delta$	$\pm 0.50$	$\pm 0.37$	$\pm 0.26$	$\pm 0.19$

<sup>a</sup> kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>b</sup> Values of  $\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ}$  of the sidechain and backbone groups of amino acids are calculated from corresponding values of  $\Delta G_f^{\circ}$  taken from Table 2. The uncertainty of  $\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ}$  of amino acids is estimated to be equal to the uncertainty in the value of  $\Delta G_f^{\circ}$ . The values and uncertainty of pK of the corresponding deprotonation reactions of amino acids are calculated from those of  $\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ}$  and  $\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ} = -2.303RT \log K$ .

<sup>c</sup> pKs of reference model compounds for the deprotonation reactions of sidechain and amino acid backbone groups in aqueous proteins are taken from Steinhardt and Reynolds (1969). The estimated uncertainty of pKa arising from interactions in the unfolded protein is calculated by halving the range of values measured by Tollinger et al. (2003) for deprotonation reactions of [Asp] and [Glu] in. Using the values and uncertainty of pKa of groups in unfolded proteins, those of  $\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ}$  are calculated from  $\Delta G_{ion}^{\circ} = -2.303RT \log K$ .

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**Table 10.** Revised HKF equations of state parameters and  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $\kappa_T^\circ$  at 25 °C and 1 bar of aqueous sidechain, backbone and organic groups, and their estimated uncertainties.

Group	$c_1^a$	$c_2^b \times 10^{-4}$	$a_1^c \times 10$	$a_2^d \times 10^{-2}$	$a_3^e$	$a_4^b \times 10^{-4}$	$\omega^d \times 10^{-5}$	$C_p^{\circ a}$	$V^{\circ f}$	$\kappa_T^\circ \times 10^4$
Amino Acid and Protein Sidechain Groups										
[Ala]	27.9	3.60	5.40	3.60	4.39	-1.92	-0.05	35.7	26.7	5.81
[Arg]	73.2	-1.90	18.10	13.39	50.81	-10.09	-0.53	74.2	105.9	-1.18
[Arg <sup>+</sup> ]	82.2	1.00	22.20	2.08	2.69	-3.38	0.50	79.7	88.7	-21.62
[Asn]	34.9	-1.10	10.30	4.23	0.99	-3.04	-0.02	32.8	43.6	-0.45
[Asp]	36.5	-1.30	9.50	4.91	-9.39	-0.46	-0.06	34.4	41.2	26.87
[Asp <sup>-</sup> ]	34.7	-4.70	7.50	7.63	7.34	-4.60	2.24	4.7	31.3	-14.35
[Cys]	38.2	5.00	8.60	4.26	6.54	-3.20	-0.08	49.1	39.6	-1.12
[Cys <sup>-</sup> ]	39.4	1.10	4.90	6.94	9.47	-1.91	2.36	20.1	26.4	3.97
[Gln]	47.0	-0.80	13.70	5.44	2.67	-3.46	-0.05	45.8	59.9	3.61
[Glu]	43.6	0.60	12.80	6.09	3.78	-4.07	-0.08	45.5	56.5	2.53
[Glu <sup>-</sup> ]	26.0	2.80	11.00	8.82	8.09	-5.25	2.42	9.6	46.3	-14.41
[Gly]	6.9	2.20	1.80	2.57	1.22	-1.27	0.00	11.4	9.5	4.70
[His]	60.0	-0.70	14.80	6.66	4.75	-4.28	0.04	58.2	65.5	3.08
[His <sup>+</sup> ]	56.4	-1.40	16.90	-2.20	-3.65	-1.30	0.28	51.0	61.2	-27.69
[Ile]	78.1	7.00	15.00	8.41	15.39	-5.99	-0.14	93.6	72.1	0.51
[Leu]	81.1	7.30	15.20	9.37	17.16	-6.60	-0.14	97.2	74.2	1.07
[Lys]	65.0	-0.30	15.10	10.16	21.66	-7.76	-0.16	65.8	75.1	-4.08
[Lys <sup>+</sup> ]	73.6	2.60	19.10	0.35	1.70	-2.22	0.98	70.0	73.7	-26.59
[Met]	63.7	4.00	15.50	8.76	10.82	-6.00	-0.10	72.7	71.9	2.22
[Phe]	86.5	4.10	18.80	10.66	16.56	-7.61	-0.11	95.8	88.5	-0.13
[Pro]	42.0	1.10	9.90	6.73	9.11	-3.91	-0.09	45.1	49.0	7.99
[Ser]	26.9	1.20	6.20	2.59	1.10	-1.72	-0.05	29.8	27.0	1.32
[Thr]	43.9	3.50	9.40	4.69	6.10	-3.10	-0.12	52.1	43.7	2.80
[Trp]	95.2	2.80	24.40	11.07	12.01	-7.59	-0.08	101.6	109.9	2.30
[Tyr]	84.6	-1.80	20.60	10.35	5.59	-6.81	-0.14	82.2	90.9	5.28
[Tyr <sup>-</sup> ]	87.4	-5.40	16.80	12.35	13.65	-5.82	2.55	53.2	77.9	1.18
[Val]	62.2	6.30	11.80	6.34	11.81	-4.35	-0.11	76.0	56.9	1.89

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Table 10. Continued.

Group	$c_1^a$	$c_2^b \times 10^{-4}$	$a_1^c \times 10$	$a_2^d \times 10^{-2}$	$a_3^e$	$a_4^b \times 10^{-4}$	$\omega^d \times 10^{-5}$	$C_P^{ca}$	$V^f$	$\kappa_T^o \times 10^4$
Amino Acid Backbone and Protein Backbone Groups										
[AABB]	21.6	-10.6	0.947	-1.86	2.77	-1.77	0.23	-2.0	33.7	-29.26
[AABB <sup>+</sup> ]	23.4	-7.2	1.15	-4.58	-13.96	2.37	-2.07	27.6	43.6	11.96
[AABB <sup>-</sup> ]	68.7	-17.7	1.32	0.37	-18.69	0.15	2.83	6.9	37.2	-22.91
[UPBB]	11.2	-7.5	0.805	-3.75	-14.38	1.13	0.05	-4.5	21.3	-13.70
[PPBB]	21.2	-7.5	0.805	-3.75	-14.38	1.13	0.05	5.5	21.5	-13.70
Organic Groups										
[-CH <sub>2</sub> -]	16.0	2.3	0.349	2.15	3.09	-1.70	0.00	20.7	16.0	-1.69
[-CH <sub>3</sub> ]	31.5	1.9	0.555	3.60	3.96	-1.92	-0.05	35.8	26.9	5.81
[-CHCH <sub>3</sub> -]	30.1	4.4	0.62	3.62	10.12	-2.98	-0.09	39.9	31.2	-3.04
[-CH <sub>2</sub> NH <sub>2</sub> ]	25.9	-2.5	0.698	0.00	-0.74	0.00	-0.19	22.6	29.4	1.78
[-CH <sub>2</sub> OH]	26.2	0.9	0.586	2.59	3.03	-1.72	-0.05	28.5	26.9	1.32
[-CONH <sub>2</sub> ]	14.5	-4.9	0.702	1.14	-5.03	-0.06	-0.05	5.0	28.1	6.99
[-COOH]	12.9	-4.1	0.582	1.79	-2.40	-0.67	-0.08	5.3	24.4	5.91
[-C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> ]	70.4	1.8	1.533	8.51	13.47	-5.91	-0.11	75.1	72.5	1.56
[di.corr]	0.0	-6.7	0.006	-1.48	-0.05	2.32	-0.02	-13.5	3.4	11.49
Representative Uncertainties										
$\delta_{[SC]}$	1.8	0.8	0.2	0.96	0.97	1.62	0.20	±5.2	±7.2	±22.09
$\delta_{[UPBB]}$	1.2	1.6	0.4	0.50	0.93	1.00	0.20	±6.3	±5.9	±13.78

<sup>a</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>b</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K.

<sup>c</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> bar<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>d</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>e</sup> cal K mol<sup>-1</sup> bar<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>f</sup> cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>.

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**Table 11.** Protein abbreviations, identification, length, mass, formula and sources of  $C_P^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  data as a function of temperature for the reference set of proteins.

Abbreviation <sup>a</sup>	Protein	Organism	<i>n</i>	Mass <sup>b,c</sup>	Formula <sup>b</sup>	Property <sup>d</sup>
ALBU_BOVIN	Serum albumin	<i>Bos taurus</i>	583	66433	C <sub>2934</sub> H <sub>4615</sub> N <sub>781</sub> O <sub>897</sub> S <sub>39</sub>	$C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
AMYA_PYRFU	Alpha amylase	<i>Pyrococcus furiosus</i>	648	76178	C <sub>3526</sub> H <sub>5325</sub> N <sub>885</sub> O <sub>976</sub> S <sub>14</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ$
BPT1_BOVIN	Pancreatic trypsin inhibitor	<i>Bos taurus</i>	58	6518	C <sub>284</sub> H <sub>438</sub> N <sub>84</sub> O <sub>79</sub> S <sub>7</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ$
CTRA_BOVIN	Chymotrypsinogen A	<i>Bos taurus</i>	245	25665	C <sub>1127</sub> H <sub>1784</sub> N <sub>308</sub> O <sub>352</sub> S <sub>12</sub>	$C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
CYC_BOVIN	Cytochrome C	<i>Bos taurus</i>	104	11572	C <sub>517</sub> H <sub>825</sub> N <sub>143</sub> O <sub>150</sub> S <sub>4</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ, V_{(aq)}^{\circ,h}$
IL1B_HUMAN	Interleukin 1-Beta	<i>Homo sapiens</i>	153	17377	C <sub>773</sub> H <sub>1219</sub> N <sub>201</sub> O <sub>237</sub> S <sub>8</sub>	$C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
INS_BOVIN	Insulin	<i>Bos taurus</i>	51	5722	C <sub>254</sub> H <sub>381</sub> N <sub>65</sub> O <sub>74</sub> S <sub>6</sub>	$C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
LACB_BOVIN	Beta-Lactoglobulin	<i>Bos taurus</i>	162	18367	C <sub>821</sub> H <sub>1322</sub> N <sub>206</sub> O <sub>250</sub> S <sub>9</sub>	$C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
LYC_CHICK	Lysozyme C	<i>Gallus gallus</i>	129	14313	C <sub>613</sub> H <sub>959</sub> N <sub>193</sub> O <sub>185</sub> S <sub>10</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ, V_{(aq)}^{\circ,h}, C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
MYG_HORSE	Myoglobin	<i>Equus caballus</i>	153	16952	C <sub>769</sub> H <sub>1212</sub> N <sub>210</sub> O <sub>218</sub> S <sub>2</sub>	$C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
MYG_PHYCA	Myoglobin	<i>Physeter catodon</i>	153	17200	C <sub>783</sub> H <sub>1240</sub> N <sub>216</sub> O <sub>216</sub> S <sub>2</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ, V_{(aq)}^{\circ,h}$
OVAL_CHICK	Ovalbumin	<i>Gallus gallus</i>	385	42750	C <sub>1901</sub> H <sub>2999</sub> N <sub>499</sub> O <sub>575</sub> S <sub>22</sub>	$C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
RNBR_BACAM	Ribonuclease	<i>Bacillus amyloliquefaciens</i>	110	12383	C <sub>555</sub> H <sub>847</sub> N <sub>153</sub> O <sub>170</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ$
RNH_ECOLI	Ribonuclease H	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	155	17597	C <sub>776</sub> H <sub>1215</sub> N <sub>227</sub> O <sub>228</sub> S <sub>7</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ$
RNH_THET8	Ribonuclease H	<i>Thermus thermophilus</i>	166	18728	C <sub>829</sub> H <sub>1297</sub> N <sub>253</sub> O <sub>231</sub> S <sub>7</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ$
RNP_BOVIN	Pancreatic ribonuclease	<i>Bos taurus</i>	124	13690	C <sub>575</sub> H <sub>909</sub> N <sub>171</sub> O <sub>193</sub> S <sub>12</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ, V_{(aq)}^{\circ,h}, C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$
RNT1_ASPOR	Ribonuclease T1	<i>Aspergillus oryzae</i>	104	11089	C <sub>479</sub> H <sub>687</sub> N <sub>127</sub> O <sub>171</sub> S <sub>4</sub>	$C_{P,(aq)}^\circ$

<sup>a</sup> Abbreviation used in the SWISS-PROT database (Boeckmann et al., 2003).

<sup>b</sup> For the neutral, disulfide-free and metal-free protein.

<sup>c</sup> g mol<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>d</sup> Values of  $C_{P,(cr)}^\circ$  are taken from the sources indicated in the caption to Fig. 21.

Others are indicated by:

<sup>e</sup> Laderman et al. (1993).

<sup>f</sup> Makhatadze et al. (1993).

<sup>g</sup> Privalov and Makhatadze (1990).

<sup>h</sup> Makhatadze et al. (1990)

<sup>i</sup> Makhatadze et al. (1994).

<sup>j</sup> Griko et al. (1994).

<sup>k</sup> Guzman-Casado et al. (2003)

<sup>l</sup> Yu et al. (1994).

**Table 12.** Estimated uncertainties in the calculation of the standard molal thermodynamic properties of amino acids and sidechain and unfolded protein backbone groups at 100 and 200°C and  $P_{\text{SAT}}$  and at 200 and 300°C at 5000 bar. Estimated uncertainties at 25°C and 1 bar are given in Tables 2 and 7 for AA and Tables 8 and 10 for [SC] and [UPBB].

Property	100°C, $P_{\text{SAT}}$			200°C, $P_{\text{SAT}}$		
	AA	[SC]	[UPBB]	AA	[SC]	[UPBB]
$\Delta G^{\circ a}$	0.57	1.63	2.08	0.74	2.00	3.05
$\Delta H^{\circ a}$	0.75	2.26	3.20	1.13	2.96	3.87
$S^{\circ b}$	1.26	2.95	8.97	2.15	4.59	10.52
$C_P^{\circ b}$	3.0	5.0	4.8	5.3	10.1	9.6
$V^{\circ c}$	2.7	5.4	4.8	3.3	6.6	6.3
$\kappa_T^{\circ d}$	8.72	17.43	11.94	21.79	43.58	39.17

Property	200°C, 5000 bar			300°C, 5000 bar		
	AA	[SC]	[UPBB]	AA	[SC]	[UPBB]
$\Delta G^{\circ a}$	0.90	2.33	3.40	1.19	2.94	4.60
$\Delta H^{\circ a}$	1.07	2.84	3.71	1.10	2.85	3.70
$S^{\circ b}$	1.74	3.78	9.59	2.04	4.30	10.07
$C_P^{\circ b}$	1.9	3.3	2.8	2.3	4.3	3.8
$V^{\circ c}$	2.1	4.1	3.8	2.0	4.1	3.9
$\kappa_T^{\circ d}$	5.56	11.13	6.72	5.62	11.24	7.29

<sup>a</sup> kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>b</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>c</sup> cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>.

<sup>d</sup> 10<sup>-4</sup> cm<sup>-3</sup> bar<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>.

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**Table 13.** Group additivity equations for calculating the parameters of [di.corr] and revising the parameters of the organic groups given by [Amend and Helgeson \(1997b\)](#).

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_3]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{COOH}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_3]}^{\text{AH97b}} + \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]}^{\text{AH97b}} + \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{COOH}]}^{\text{AH97b}} \quad (\text{B1})$$

$$2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{COOH}]} + 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]} = 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{COOH}]}^{\text{AH97b}} + 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]}^{\text{AH97b}} \quad (\text{B2})$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_3]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_3]}^{\text{AH97b}} + \frac{1}{2}\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]} \quad (\text{B3})$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{COOH}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{COOH}]}^{\text{AH97b}} - \frac{1}{2}\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]} \quad (\text{B4})$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{term}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{term}]}^{\text{AH97b}} - \frac{1}{2}\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]} \quad (\text{B5})$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CHCH}_3-]} = \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CHCH}_3-]}^{\text{AH97b}} \quad (\text{B6})$$

(B7)

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Ala}} - \left( \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_3]}^{\text{AH97b}} + \frac{1}{2}\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]} \right)$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{AABB}]} = \bar{\Xi}_{\text{Ser}} - \left( \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}]}^{\text{AH97b}} - \frac{1}{2}\bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]} \right)$$

(B8)

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{propanol}} = \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_3]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}]}$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{butane-1,4-diol}} = 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]} + 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]}$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{hexane-1,6-diol}} = 4\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]} + 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]}$$

(B9)

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{propylamine}} = \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_3]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2]}$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{butane-1,4-diamine}} = 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]} + 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]}$$

$$\bar{\Xi}_{\text{hexane-1,6-diamine}} = 4\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2-]} + 2\bar{\Xi}_{[-\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2]} + \bar{\Xi}_{[\text{di.corr}]}$$

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**Table 14.** Group additivity algorithms for calculating  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$  of gaseous amino acid sidechains.

Group	Group additivity algorithm
[Ala]	$[C - (H)_3(C)]$
[Arg]	$2[C-(H)_2(C)_2] + [C-(H)_2(C)(N)] + [N-(H)(C)_2] + [C-(N)_2(N_A)] + [N-(H)_2(C)]_{\text{second, amino acids}} + [N_A^-(H)(C)]$
[Asn]	$[C-(H)_2(CO)(C)] + [CO-(C)(N)] + [N-(H)_2(CO)]_{\text{amides, ureas}}$
[Asp]	$[C-(H)_2(CO)(C)] + [CO-(C)(O)] + [O-(H)(CO)]$
[Cys]	$[C-(H)_2(C)(S)] + [S-(C)(H)]$
[Gln]	$[C-(H)_2(C)_2] + [C-(H)_2(CO)(C)] + [CO-(C)(N)] + [N-(H)_2(CO)]_{\text{amides, ureas}}$
[Glu]	$[C-(H)_2(C)_2] + [C-(H)_2(CO)(C)] + [CO-(C)(O)] + [O-(H)(CO)]$
[His]	$S^\circ: [C-(H)_2(C)(C_B)] + [C_B-(N)(C_B)(C)] + [C_B-(H)(C_B)(N_A)] + [N_1-(C_B)] + [C_B-(H)(N_1)(N)] + [N-(H)(C_B)_2]$ $\Delta H_f^\circ: [2 - \text{ethylimidazole}] - [C-(H)_3(C)]$
[Ile]	$[C-(H)_2(C)_2] + 2[C-(H)_3(C)] + [C-(H)(C)_3]$
[Leu]	$[C-(H)_2(C)_2] + 2[C-(H)_3(C)] + [C-(H)(C)_3]$
[Lys]	$3[C-(H)_2(C)_2] + [C-(H)_2(C)(N)] + [N-(H)_2(C)]_{\text{second}}$
[Met]	$[C-(H)_2(C)_2] + [C-(H)_2(C)(S)] + [S-(C)_2] + [C-(H)_3(S)]$
[Phe]	$[C-(H)_2(C)(C_B)] + [C_B-(C)(C_B)_2] + 5[C_B-(H)(C_B)_2]$
[Ser]	$[C-(H)_2(O)(C)] + [O-(H)(C)]$
[Thr]	$[C-(H)(O)(C)_2]_{\text{alcohols, peroxides}} + [C-(H)_3(C)] + [O-(H)(C)]$
[Trp]	$[C-(H)_2(C)(C_B)] + [C_B-(C)(C_B)_2] + [C_B-(H)(C_B)(N)] + [N-(H)(C_B)_2] + [C_B-(N)(C_B)_2] + 4[C_B-(H)(C_B)_2] + [C_{BF}-(C_{BF})(C_B)_2]$
[Tyr]	$[C-(H)_2(C)(C_B)] + [C_B-(C)(C_B)_2] + 4[C_B-(H)(C_B)_2] + [C_B-(O)(C_B)_2] + [O-(H)(C_B)]$
[Val]	$2[C-(H)_3(C)] + [C-(H)(C)_3]$

**Table 15.** Group contributions to  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S^\circ$  of gaseous amino acids.<sup>a</sup>

	$\Delta H_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>		$\Delta H_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>		$\Delta H_f^\circ$ kcal mol <sup>-1</sup>	$S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ cal mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup>
<b>Groups</b>			<b>Groups</b>			<b>Groups</b>		
[AABB] <sup>c</sup>	-89.00	63.74	[C – (H)(O)(C) <sub>2</sub> ] <sup>b1</sup>	-6.24	-10.29	[CO–(C)(N)]	-31.85	13.55
[C – (H) <sub>3</sub> (C)]	-10.10	30.43	[C – (H) <sub>2</sub> (O)(C)]	-7.86	10.38	[N – (H) <sub>2</sub> (CO)] <sup>b3</sup>	-15.06	21.09
[C – (H) <sub>2</sub> (C) <sub>2</sub> ]	-4.93	9.36	[C – (H) <sub>2</sub> (C)(N)]	-6.76	10.10	[C – (H) <sub>3</sub> (S)]	-10.10	30.43
[C – (H)(C) <sub>3</sub> ]	-0.28	-12.81	[C <sub>B</sub> – (H)(N <sub>1</sub> )(N)] <sup>d</sup>	-6.76	10.10	[C – (H) <sub>2</sub> (C)(S)]	-5.54	10.01
[C <sub>B</sub> – (H)(C <sub>B</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ]	3.30	11.55	[N – (H) <sub>2</sub> (C)] <sup>b2</sup>	4.60	30.33	[S – (H)(C)]	4.46	32.90
[C <sub>B</sub> – (C)(C <sub>B</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ]	5.65	-8.51	[N–(H)(C) <sub>2</sub> ]	16.14	8.12	[S – (C) <sub>2</sub> ]	11.23	13.19
[C – (H) <sub>2</sub> (C)(C <sub>B</sub> )]	-5.10	10.18	[N <sub>A</sub> – (H)(C)] <sup>e</sup>	16.14	8.12			
[C <sub>B</sub> F – (C <sub>B</sub> F)(C <sub>B</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ]	4.80	0.00	[N – (H)(C <sub>B</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ] <sup>h</sup>	19.97	8.12	<b>Model compounds</b>		
[CO – (C)(O)]	-32.80	14.96	[N <sub>1</sub> – (C <sub>B</sub> )]	16.49	11.24	2-ethylimidazole <sup>j</sup>	16.30	—
[O – (H)(CO)]	-60.78	24.31	[C <sub>B</sub> – (N)(C <sub>B</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ]	-0.31	-10.40	pyrrole <sup>k</sup>	25.88	—
[O – (H)(C <sub>B</sub> )]	-38.31	29.04	[C <sub>B</sub> – (N)(C <sub>B</sub> )(C)] <sup>f</sup>	-0.31	-10.40			
[O – (H)(C)]	-38.08	29.04	[C – (N) <sub>2</sub> (N <sub>A</sub> ) <sup>g</sup> ]	-0.31	-10.40	<b>Estimated Uncertainty<sup>j</sup></b>		
[C <sub>B</sub> – (O)(C <sub>B</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ]	-1.14	-10.45	[C <sub>B</sub> – (H)(C <sub>B</sub> )(N <sub>A</sub> ) <sup>g</sup> ]	3.30	11.55	$\delta$	0.60	0.50
[C – (H) <sub>2</sub> (CO)(C)]	-5.22	9.46	[C <sub>B</sub> – (H)(C <sub>B</sub> )(N)] <sup>i</sup>	-0.34	11.55			

<sup>a</sup> Unless otherwise noted, values of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  are from Domalski and Hearing (1993). Specific designations are represented by <sup>b1</sup> (alcohols, peroxides), <sup>b2</sup> (second, amino acids) and <sup>b3</sup> (amides, ureas). <sup>c</sup>  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  of gaseous Ala is taken from Ngauv et al. (1977).  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of Ala is calculated from  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ , the entropies of the elements, and  $\Delta G_f^\circ$  taken from Plyasunov and Shock (2001). <sup>d–g</sup>  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of the indicated groups are made equivalent to those of (<sup>d</sup>) [C – (H)<sub>2</sub>(C)(N)], (<sup>e</sup>) [N – (H)(C)<sub>2</sub>], (<sup>f</sup>) [C<sub>B</sub> – (N)(C<sub>B</sub>)<sub>2</sub>] or (<sup>g</sup>) [C<sub>B</sub> – (H)(C<sub>B</sub>)<sub>2</sub>]. <sup>h</sup>  $S_{[N-(H)(C_B)_2]}^\circ = S_{[N-(H)(C)_2]}^\circ$ . <sup>i</sup>  $\Delta H_{f,[C_B-(H)(C_B)_2]}^\circ = \frac{1}{2} \Delta H_{f,pyrrole}^\circ - \Delta H_{f,[C_B-(H)(C_B)_2]}^\circ - \frac{1}{2} \Delta H_{f,[N-(H)(C_B)_2]}^\circ$ ;  $S_{[C_B-(H)(C_B)_2]}^\circ = S_{[C_B-(H)(C_B)_2]}^\circ$ . <sup>j</sup> Jimenez et al. (1992). <sup>k</sup> Scott et al. (1967). <sup>l</sup> These values are Benson and Buss' (1958) estimates of the uncertainty in the additive prediction of  $\Delta H_f^\circ$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$  of gaseous species.

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**Table 16.**  $\Delta G_f^\circ$ ,  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ ,  $S_{P_r,T_r}^\circ$ , Maier-Kelley parameters and  $C_p^\circ$  and  $V^\circ$  at 25°C and 1 bar of sidechain and backbone groups of crystalline amino acids and proteins. Values of the Maier-Kelley parameter  $c$  are taken to be zero.

Group	$\Delta G_f^{\circ a}$	$\Delta H_f^{\circ a}$	$S_{P_r,T_r}^{\circ b}$	$a^b$	$b^c \times 10^3$	$C_p^{\circ b}$	$V^{\circ d}$
[Ala]	-1.22	-12.12	11.66	1.9	42.1	14.4	26.7
[Arg]	29.88	-26.67	40.68	1.5	132.3	41.0	105.9
[Asn]	-39.25	-66.12	22.49	3.0	68.9	23.6	43.6
[Asp]	-87.25	-110.26	21.44	3.1	64.4	22.3	41.2
[Cys]	5.97	-4.32	21.38	-2.8	89.7	24.0	39.6
[Gln]	-39.79	-74.92	27.4	4.4	83.3	29.2	59.9
[Glu]	-87.49	-118.94	25.76	3.1	80.1	27.0	59.9
[Gly]	-3.01	-6.02	5.52	-0.4	31.1	8.9	9.5
[His]	38.05	10.88	38.24	0.4	126.6	38.2	65.5
[Ile]	4.33	-30.12	30.49	3.3	90.2	30.2	72.1
[Leu]	1.96	-32.22	31.4	2.6	97.0	31.5	74.2
[Lys]	4.62	-39.83	35.46	-0.6	121.4	35.6	75.1
[Met]	-33.48	-58.82	36.1	5.4	90.4	32.3	71.9
[Phe]	36.74	10.78	31.84	-1.8	119.2	33.7	88.5
[Pro]	15.23	-3.32	19.99	-0.3	72.7	21.4	49.0
[Ser]	-35.96	-52.75	16.43	3.1	48.7	17.6	27.0
[Thr]	-32.72	-58.98	17.28	0.0	76.7	22.9	43.7
[Trp]	58.78	23.18	40.78	-1.7	147	42.1	109.9
[Tyr]	-8.11	-41.36	31.93	-1.7	129.6	37.0	0.0
[Val]	1.48	-25.32	23.53	3.6	73.8	25.6	56.9
[AABB]	-87.22	-122.38	19.22	3.9	36.5	14.8	33.7
[PBB]	-22.33	-43.22	11.34	1.3	25.0	8.8	—
$\delta_{[SC]}$	$\pm 0.50$	$\pm 0.50$	$\pm 0.10$	$\pm 2.0$	$\pm 5.0$	$\pm 2.0$	$\pm 3.0$
$\delta_{[PBB]}$	$\pm 1.00$	$\pm 1.00$	$\pm 0.12$	$\pm 2.0$	$\pm 5.0$	$\pm 2.0$	$\pm 10.0$

<sup>a</sup> kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>b</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>. <sup>c</sup> cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-2</sup>. <sup>d</sup> cm<sup>3</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>.

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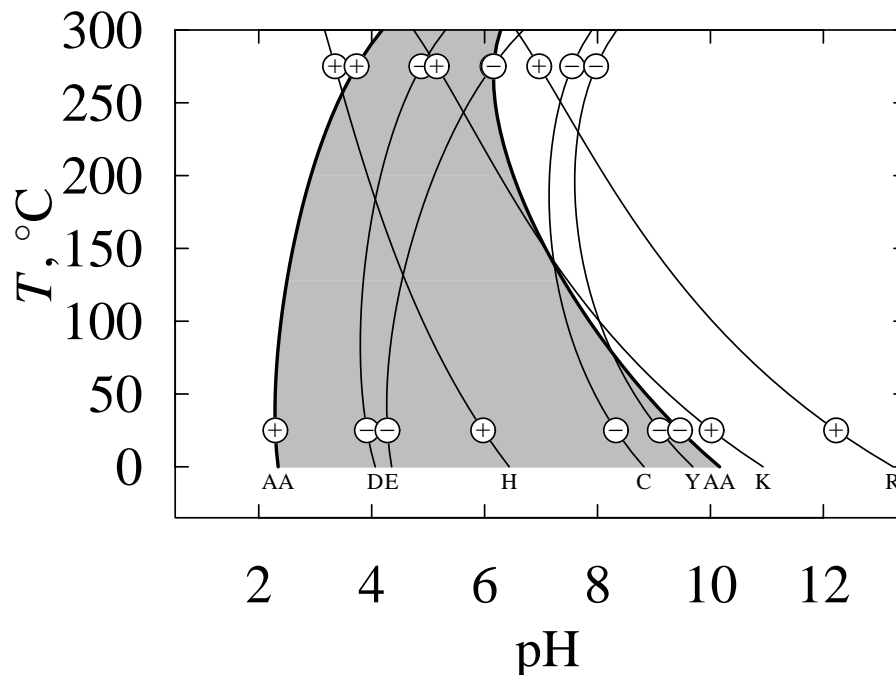
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**Fig. 1.**  $pK_s$  of sidechain and backbone groups in amino acids as a function of temperature at  $P_{sat}$ , calculated at 25°C using values of the standard molal thermodynamic properties taken from Table 8 and at other temperatures using these values and the values of the equations of state parameters taken from Table 10. Thin curves represent equal activity of neutral and ionized forms of the sidechain groups, which are identified by the one-letter abbreviations shown beneath the curves. The bold curves represent equal activities of either  $[AABB^+]$  or  $[AABB^-]$  relative to  $[AABB]$ , and therefore delimit the stability field of  $[AABB]$ , represented by grey shading. Charges of the ionized groups are indicated by “+” and “-” symbols.

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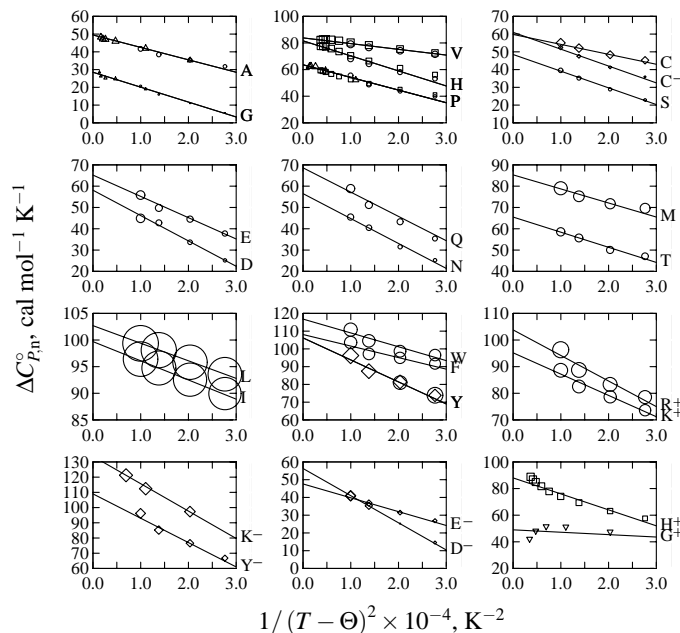
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**Fig. 2.**  $\Delta C_{P,n}^{\circ}$  of amino acids as a function of  $1/(T - \Theta)^2$ . The intercepts and slopes of the regression lines correspond to  $c_1$  and  $c_2$ , respectively, in the revised HKF equations of state. Values of  $\Delta C_{P,n}^{\circ}$  are calculated from experimental values of  $C_P^{\circ}$  taken from (○) Hakin et al. (1994a) (Ala, Gly, Ser, Thr), Hakin et al. (1994b) (Asp, Glu), Duke et al. (1940) (Ile, Leu, Val), Hakin et al. (1995) (Asn, Gln), Hakin et al. (1997a) (Arg, Met, Pro), Marriott et al. (1998) (His, Phe, Trp, Tyr), Hakin and Hedwid (2001b) (Lys<sup>+</sup>, Arg<sup>+</sup>); (□) Price et al. (2003a) (His), Jardine et al. (2001) (His<sup>+</sup>), Price et al. (2003b) (Val); (Δ) Clarke et al. (2000); (▽) Downes et al. (2001). Values of  $C_P^{\circ}$  estimated in the present study are represented by open diamonds (◇). The diameters of the symbols represent an estimated average uncertainty of  $\pm 2.5\%$  in the experimental value of  $C_P^{\circ}$ . The data at 25° and 1 bar given by Jolicoeur et al. (1986), Spink and Wädso (1969) and DiPaola and Belleau (1978) are not shown.

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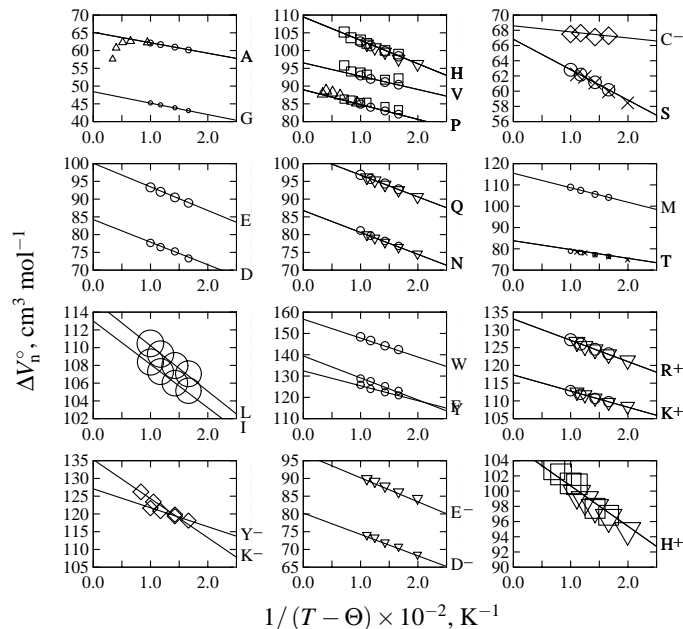
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$$1/(T - \Theta) \times 10^{-2}, \text{K}^{-1}$$

**Fig. 3.**  $\Delta V_n^\circ$  of amino acids as a function of  $1/(T - \Theta)$ . The intercepts and slopes of the regression lines correspond to  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$ , respectively, in the revised HKF equations of state. Values of  $\Delta V_n^\circ$  are calculated from experimental values of  $V^\circ$  from (○) Hakin et al. (1994a) (Ala, Gly, Ser, Thr), Hakin et al. (1994b) (Asp, Glu), Duke et al. (1940) (Ile, Leu, Val), Hakin et al. (1995) (Asn, Gln), Hakin et al. (1997a) (Arg, Met, Pro), Marriott et al. (1998) (His, Phe, Trp, Tyr), Hakin and Hedwid (2001b) (Lys<sup>+</sup>, Arg<sup>+</sup>); (□) Price et al. (2003a) (His), Jardine et al. (2001) (His<sup>+</sup> and His<sup>-</sup>), Sorenson et al. (2003) (Pro), Price et al. (2003b) (Val); (Δ) Clarke and Tremaine (1999); (▽) Yasuda et al. (1998); (×) Mizuguchi et al. (1997). Not shown are low-temperature data given by Marriott et al. (2001), Kharakoz (1998), Kikuchi et al. (1995), Banipal and Kapoor (1999), Jolicoeur et al. (1986), Millero et al. (1998), Ahluwalia et al. (1977). The diameters of the symbols represent an estimated average uncertainty of  $\pm 1\%$  in the experimental value of  $V^\circ$ . Values of  $C_p^\circ$  estimated in the present study are represented by open diamonds (◇).

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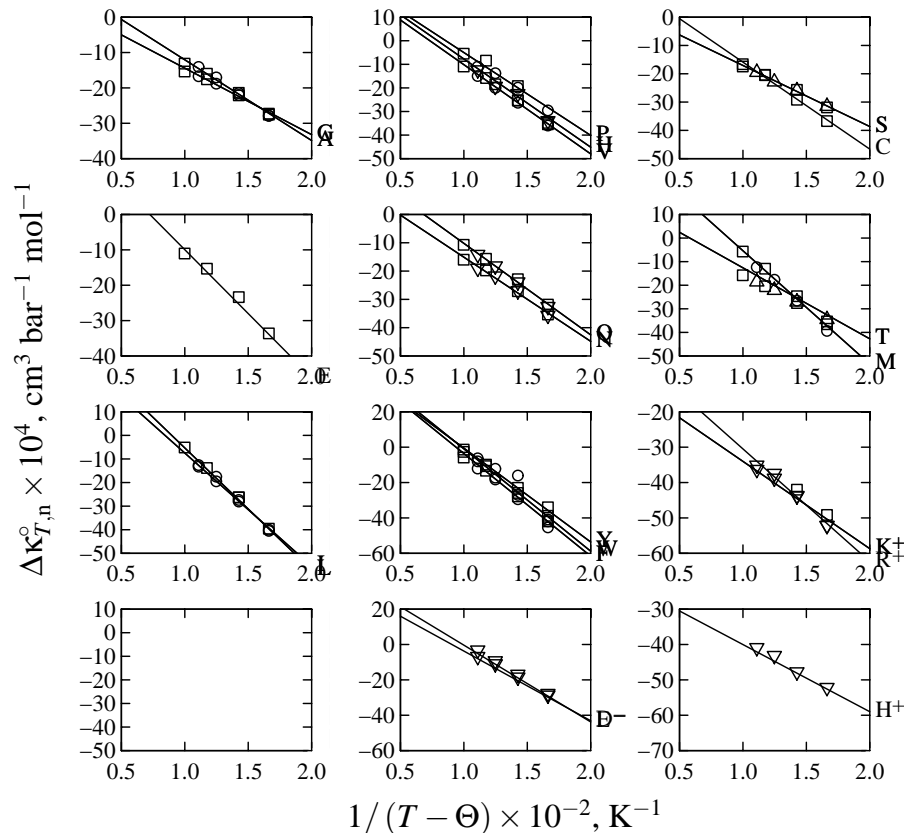
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**Fig. 4.**  $\Delta\kappa_{T,n}^{\circ}$  of amino acids as a function of  $1/(T - \Theta)$ . The slopes and intercepts of the regression lines correspond to  $-(\partial\sigma/\partial P)_T$  and  $-(\partial\xi/\partial P)_T$ , respectively, in the revised HKF equations of state. Values of  $\Delta\kappa_{T,n}^{\circ}$  are calculated from experimental values of  $\kappa_S^{\circ}$  from (○) Kikuchi et al., 1995; (□) Kharakoz, 1991; (△) Mizuguchi et al., 1997; (▽) Yasuda et al., 1998; and (×) Millero et al., 1998. The diameters of the symbols represent an estimated average uncertainty of  $\pm 2.5\%$  in the experimental value of  $\kappa_T^{\circ}$ .

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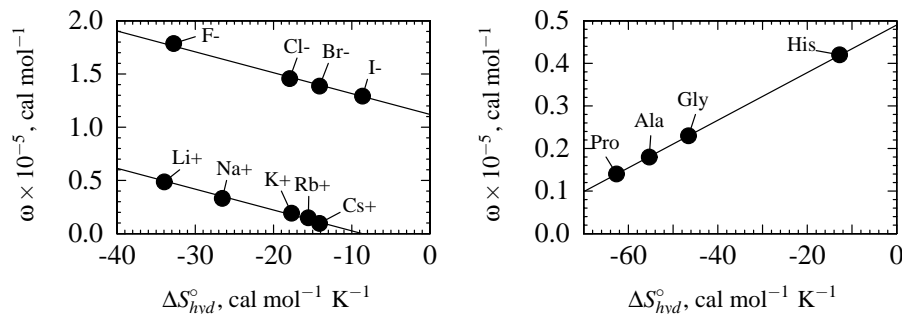
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**Fig. 5.**  $\omega$  as a function of  $\Delta S_{hyd}^{\circ}$  at 25°C and 1 bar for *left*, monovalent metal anions and cations and *right*, neutral amino acids. The symbols represent experimental data (see text), but the lines represent correlations corresponding to Eqs. (6.1)–(6.3).

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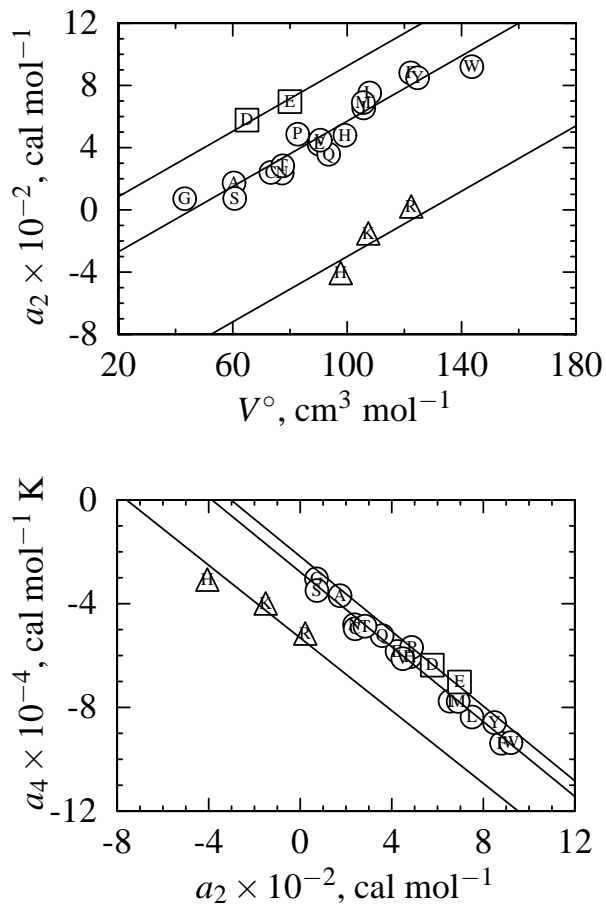
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**Fig. 6.** Correlations between  $V^{\circ}$  and  $a_2$  (top), and between  $a_2$  and  $a_4$  (bottom) for neutral (○), positively charged (△), and negatively charged (□) amino acids.

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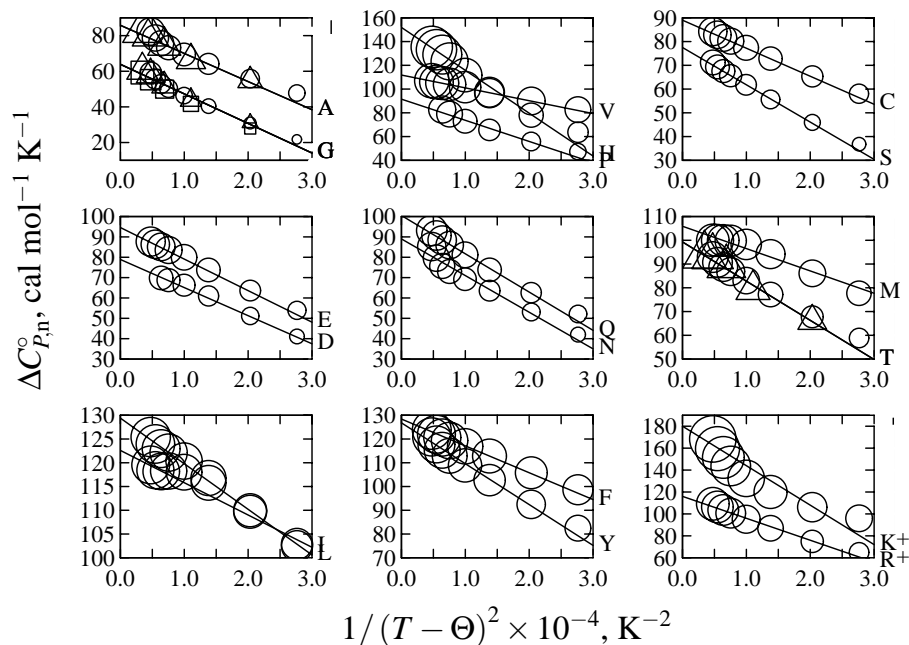
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**Fig. 7.**  $\Delta C_{p,n}^{\circ}$  as a function of  $1/(T - \Theta)^2$  for Gly-X-Gly tripeptides. The intercepts and slopes of the regression lines correspond to  $c_1$  and  $c_2$ , respectively, in the revised HKF equations of state. Values of  $\Delta C_{p,n}^{\circ}$  are calculated from experimental values of  $C_p^{\circ}$  from (○) (Häckel et al., 1999a, 1998; Vogl et al., 1995), (□) Downes and Hedwig, 1995 and (△) Makhatadze and Privalov, 1990. The diameters of the symbols represent an estimated average uncertainty of  $\pm 2.5\%$  in the experimental value of  $C_p^{\circ}$ .

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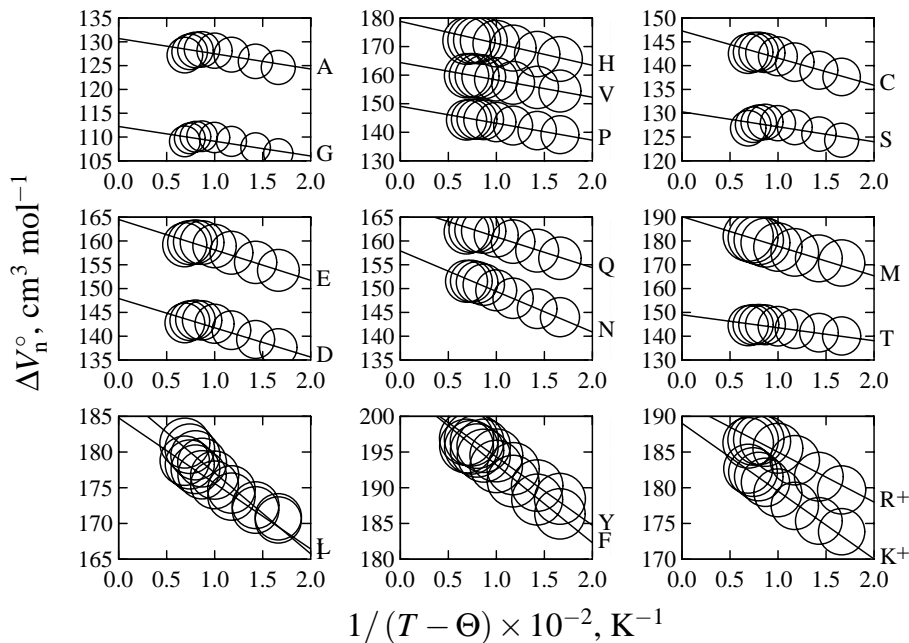
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**Fig. 8.**  $\Delta V_n^o$  as a function of  $1/(T - \Theta)$  for Gly-X-Gly tripeptides. The regression lines have intercepts and slopes that correspond, respectively, to  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$  in the revised HKF equations of state. Values of  $\Delta V_n^o$  are calculated from experimental values of  $V^o$  from (○) (Häckel et al., 1999a, 1998; Vogl et al., 1995). The diameters of the symbols represent an estimated average uncertainty of  $\pm 2.5\%$  in the experimental value of  $C_p^o$ .

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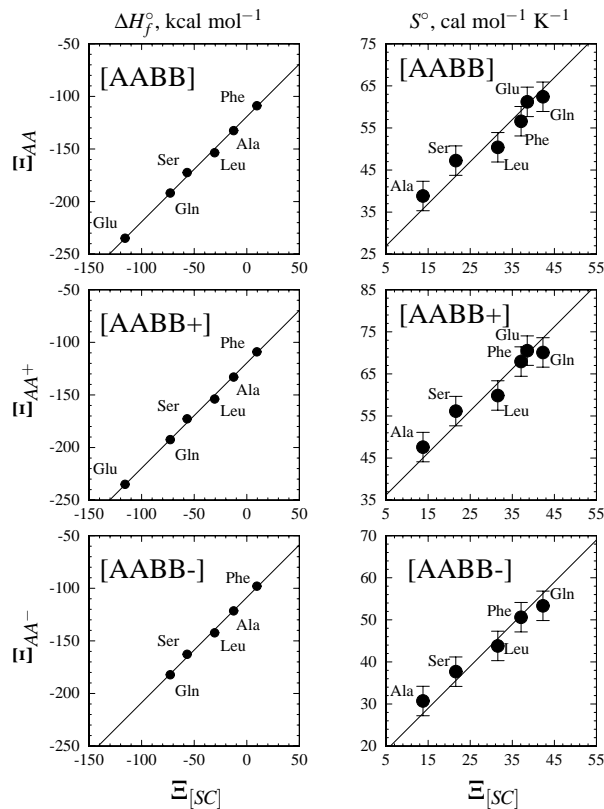
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**Fig. 9.**  $\Xi_{AA}$  (top),  $\Xi_{AA^+}$  (middle), and  $\Xi_{AA^-}$  (bottom) as a function of  $\Xi_{[SC]}$  for  $\Xi = \Delta H_f^0$  (left) and  $\Xi = S^0$  (right). The symbols are labeled by the reference sidechain groups and represent values of  $\Xi_{AA}$ ,  $\Xi_{AA^+}$  and  $\Xi_{AA^-}$  taken from Table 2, and those of  $\Xi_{[SC]}$  calculated using Eq. (1) and the group contributions given in Table 8. The regression lines have unit slopes and intercepts that correspond to  $\Delta H_f^0$  or  $S^0$  of [AABB], [AABB<sup>+</sup>] and [AABB<sup>-</sup>]. The uncertainty in the group additivity calculation of  $\Delta H_f^0$  is represented by the diameters of the symbols, and that of  $S^0$  by the lengths of the error bars.

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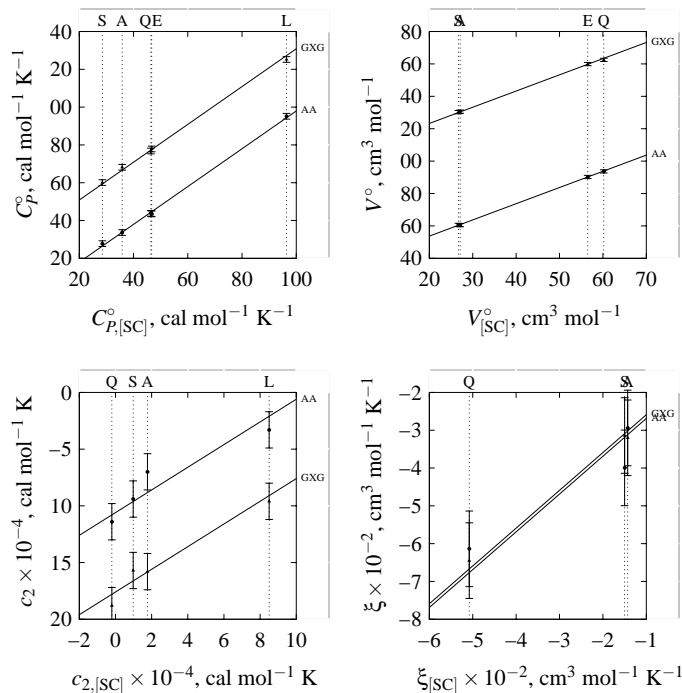
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**Fig. 10.**  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\xi$  of amino acids and Gly-X-Gly tripeptides as a function of the corresponding properties of reference model sidechain groups. Values of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\xi$  of AA and GXG are taken from Tables 3, 4 and 7, except those of  $\xi$  of AA which are calculated using Eq. (A25) and values of  $a_3$  and  $a_4$  taken from Table 3. Values of  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\xi$  of the sidechain groups, corresponding to the positions of the droplines, are calculated using appropriate statements of Eq. (1) and the group contributions given in Table 10. The regression lines have unit slope and intercepts that correspond to  $C_p^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\xi$  of [AABB] and [GXGBB]. The lengths of the error bars indicate the uncertainty of the group additivity calculation of the properties of AA and GXGBB, estimated from the scatter of the symbols around the regression lines.

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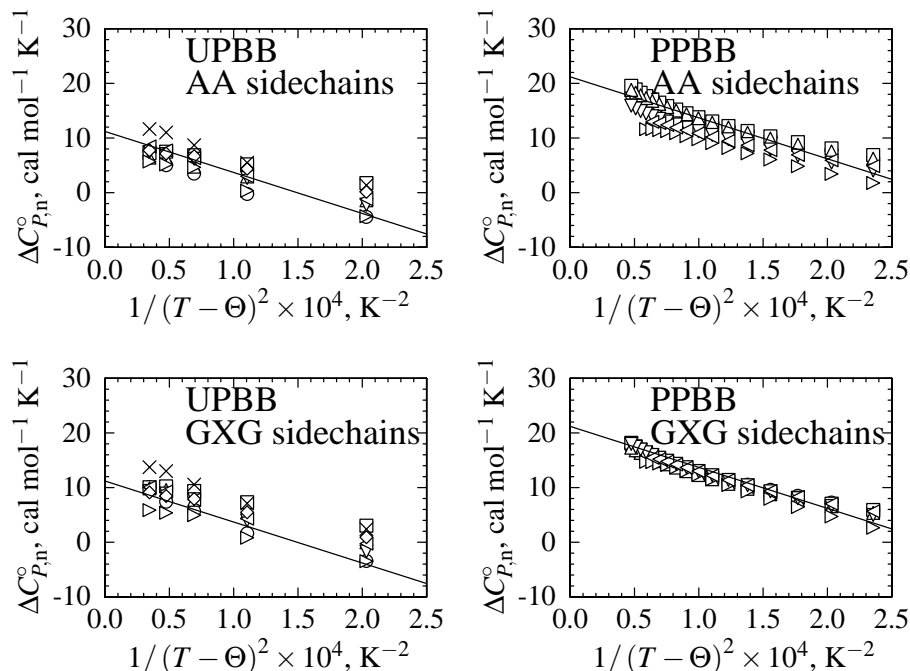
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**Fig. 11.**  $\Delta C_{P,n}^{\circ}$  as a function of  $1/(T - \Theta)^2$  of the aqueous unfolded protein backbone and polypeptide backbone. The intercepts and slopes of the regression lines correspond to  $c_1$  and  $c_2$ , respectively in Eq. (A23), and are consistent with the group contributions by [UPBB] (left) or [PPBB] (right) given in Table (10). The symbols represent values of  $\Delta C_{P,n}^{\circ}$  calculated using Eqs. (A5), (A10) and (8), the group contributions by protein sidechains generated from amino acid reference model compounds (upper; Table 10) or Gly–X–Gly reference model compounds (lower), and experimental values of  $C_p^{\circ}$  of the unfolded proteins CYC\_BOVIN ( $\diamond$ ), MYG\_PHYCA ( $\triangleright$ ), LYC\_CHICK ( $\nabla$ ), RNP\_BOVIN ( $\triangleleft$ ), BPT1\_BOVIN ( $\square$ ), IL1B\_HUMAN ( $\Delta$ ), RNBR\_BACAM ( $\circ$ ) and RNT1\_ASPOR ( $\times$ ), and of the polypeptides GGLGG ( $\circ$ ) and GGSAG ( $\Delta$ ). The reported values of  $C_p^{\circ}$  of unfolded proteins at 125°C are derived using estimated values of  $V^{\circ}$  at this temperature.

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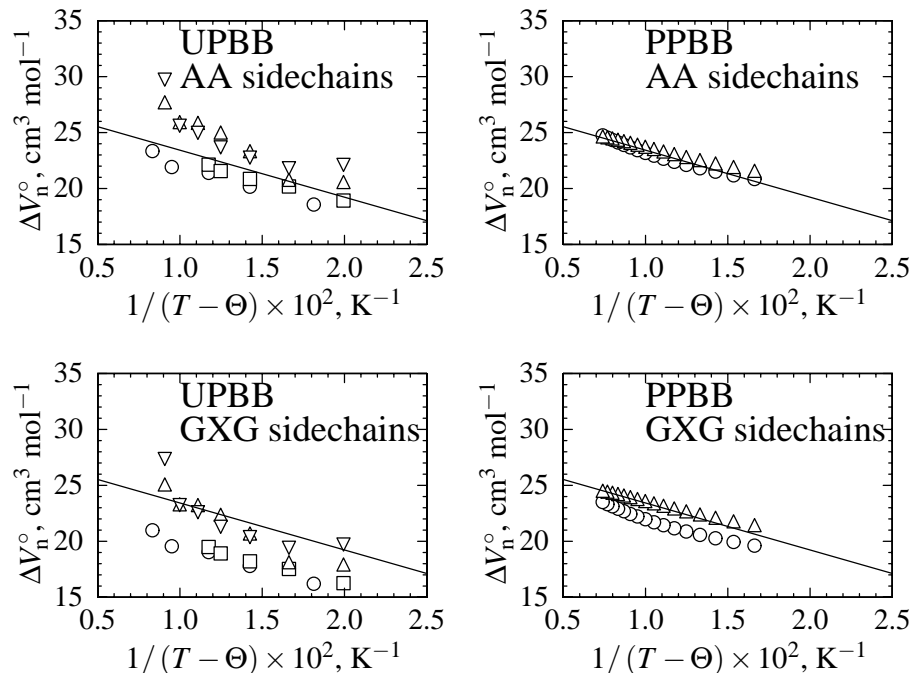
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**Fig. 12.**  $\Delta V_n^\circ$  as a function of  $1/(T - \Theta)$  of the aqueous unfolded protein backbone and polypeptide backbone. The intercepts and slopes of the regression lines correspond to  $\sigma$  and  $\xi$ , respectively in Eq. (A7), and are consistent with the contributions [UPBB] (left) or [PPBB] (right) given in Table (10). The symbols represent values of  $\Delta V_n^\circ$  calculated using Eqs. (A5), (A11) and (8), the group contributions by protein sidechains generated from amino acid model compounds (upper; Table 10) or Gly-X-Gly model compounds (lower), and experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$  of the unfolded proteins CYC\_BOVIN (○), LYC\_CHICK (△), MYG\_PHYCA (□), and RNP\_BOVIN (▽), and of the polypeptides GGLGG (○) and GGSAG (△). The reported values of  $V^\circ$  of unfolded proteins at 125°C are generated from group additivity.

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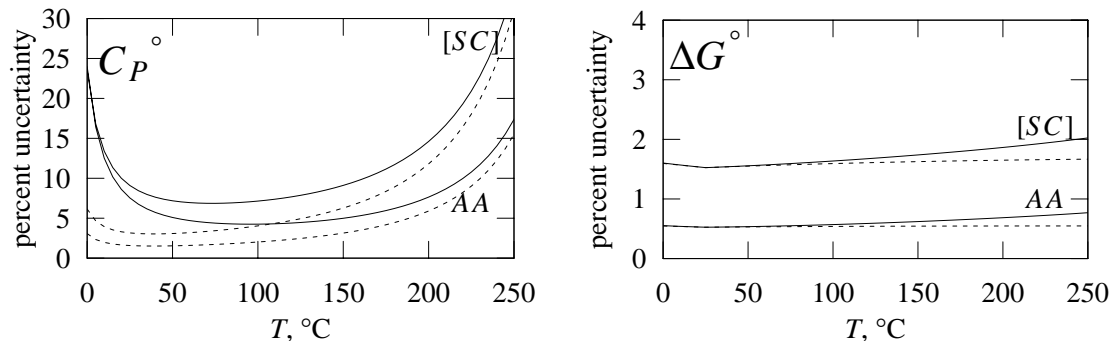
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**Fig. 13.** Propagated amino acid (AA) and sidechain group ([SC]) uncertainties in  $C_p^\circ$  (top) and  $\Delta G^\circ$  (bottom) as a function of temperature at  $P_{\text{sat}}$ . Calculated total uncertainties are converted to percentages of the average value of the property of the 20 neutral amino acids. Solid curves represent total propagated uncertainties; the dashed curves represent either the contributions by  $\delta\omega$  to  $\delta\Delta C_p^\circ$  or the contributions by  $\delta\Delta G_f^\circ$  and  $\delta S^\circ$  to  $\delta\Delta G^\circ$ .

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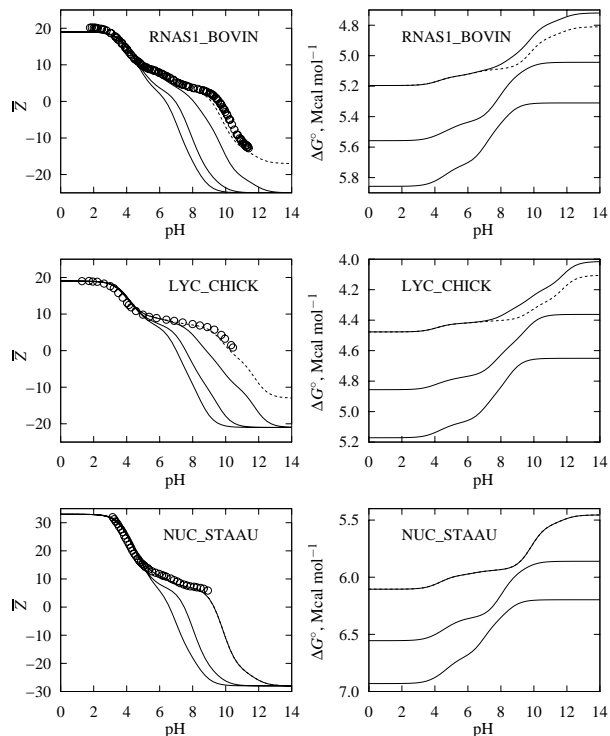
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**Fig. 14.** Calculated and experimental values of the mean net charge ( $\bar{Z}$ ; *left*) and calculated values of the standard molal Gibbs free energy ( $\Delta G^\circ$ ; *right*) of unfolded RNAS1\_BOVIN (*upper*), LYC\_CHICK (*middle*) and NUC\_STAAU (*lower*) as a function of pH and temperature. Open circles represent values of  $\bar{Z}$  reported from titration experiments in 6.0 M GuHCL at 25°C (Nozaki and Tanford, 1967b; Roxby and Tanford, 1971; Whitten and García-Moreno E., 2000), and solid curves represent values of  $\bar{Z}$  and  $\Delta G^\circ$  calculated using Eqs. (23) and (24) at 25, 100 and 150°C. Dashed curves – not shown for NUC\_STAAU – represent the exclusion of the [Cys] ionization reaction in the calculation of  $\bar{Z}$  and  $\Delta G^\circ$  at 25°C.

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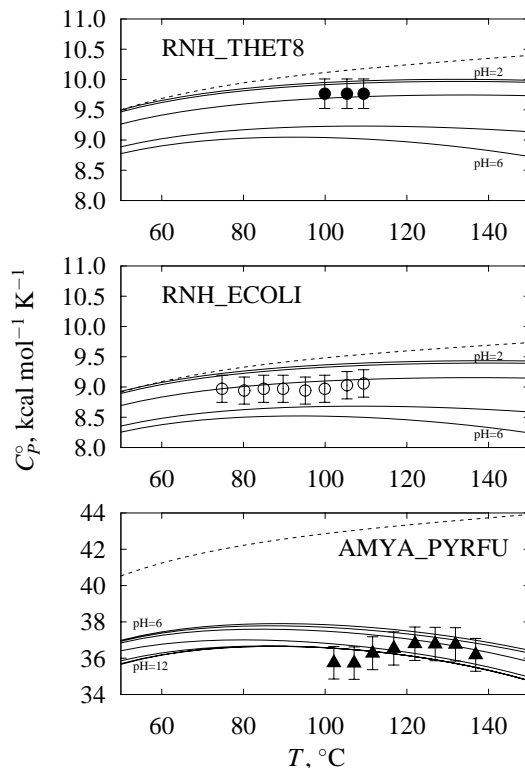
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**Fig. 15.**  $C_p^\circ$  to temperatures  $> 100^\circ\text{C}$  at  $P_{sat}$  of heat-denatured thermophilic proteins. Experimental values taken from Figure 6 of [Guzman-Casado et al. \(2003\)](#) are shown for ribonuclease H from *T. thermophilus* (RNH\_THET8) at pHs of 4.0–5.0 (○) and for ribonuclease H from *E. coli* (RNH\_ECOLI) at pHs of 2.0–3.5 (○). Experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$  of unfolded AMYA\_PYRFU (▲) are taken from the curve for pH=10.3 in Fig. 4 of [Laderman et al. \(1993\)](#), from 122 to 137°C. At temperatures greater than  $125^\circ\text{C}$ , the pH=10.3 curve in Fig. 4 of [Laderman et al. \(1993\)](#) coincides with those for pH=7.0 and pH=8.0. Values predicted in the present study for nonionized unfolded proteins are shown by the dashed curves.

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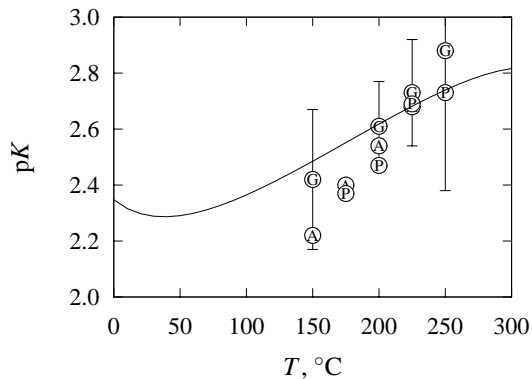
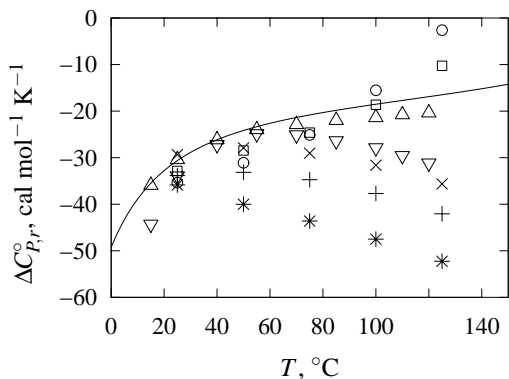
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**Fig. 16.** Comparison of experimental and calculated values of  $\Delta C_{P,r}^{\circ}$  (top) and  $pK$  (bottom) as a function of temperature at  $P_{SAT}$  of the reaction represented by  $[\text{COOH}] \rightleftharpoons [\text{COO}^-] + \text{H}^+$ , corresponding to  $[\text{AABB}^+] \rightleftharpoons [\text{AABB}] + \text{H}^+$  for amino acids with nonionizable sidechain groups. The curve in the top panel represent values of  $\Delta C_{P,r}^{\circ}$  of the latter reaction calculated from Eq. (A30) and the values of  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$  and  $\omega$  of [AABB] and [AABB<sup>+</sup>] taken from Table 10. Experimental values are taken from Wang et al. (1996) for Ala (○) and Gly (□), from Price et al. (2003b) for Val (Δ), and from Sorenson et al. (2003) for Pro (▽). Experimental values of  $\Delta C_{P,r}^{\circ}$  of  $[\text{COOH}] \rightleftharpoons [\text{COO}^-] + \text{H}^+$  are calculated using the revised HKF parameters taken from Shock (1995) for acetic (+), propanoic (×) and butanoic (\*) acids and their ionized counterparts. Experimental values of  $pK$ , shown in the lower panel, are represented by circles with a one-letter amino acid label, and were measured at 45 bar by Clarke et al. (2005). These authors' estimated experimental errors for Gly are represented by the error bars shown in the plot. (For clarity, the error bars for Ala and Pro are omitted. Clarke et al. (2005) report experimental uncertainties for Ala of nearly  $\pm 1$  pK unit at 150°C, but less than  $\pm 0.1$  at 225°C. All reported experimental errors for Pro are less than  $\pm 0.05$  pK unit.) The solid curve represents values of  $pK$  calculated at  $P_{SAT}$  using the values of the revised HKF parameters and  $\Delta G_f^{\circ}$ ,  $\Delta H_f^{\circ}$  and  $S_{P_r,T_r}^{\circ}$  of [AABB<sup>+</sup>] and [AABB].

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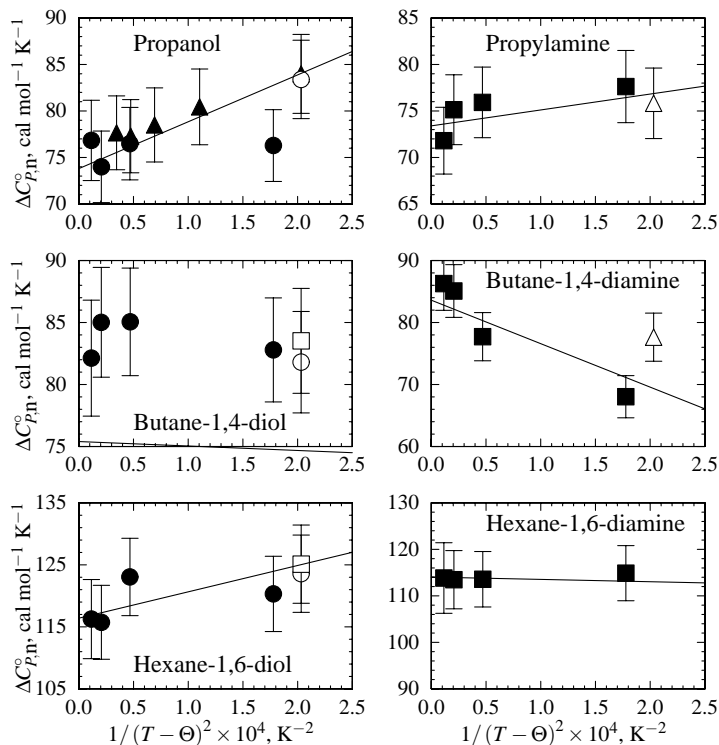
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**Fig. 17.**  $\Delta C_{p,n}^o$  as a function of  $1/(T - \Theta)^2$  of aqueous propanol, butane-1,4-diol, hexane-1,6-diol, propylamine, butane-1,4-diamine, and hexane-1,6-diamine. The symbols represent values of  $\Delta C_{p,n}^o$  calculated from Eqs. (A5) and (A10) using values of  $\omega$  estimated with the group contributions given in Table 10 and experimental values of  $C_p^o$  from (○) Inglesse and Wood, 1996; (■) Inglesse et al., 1997; (▲) Makhatadze and Privalov, 1989; (○) Jolicoeur and Lacroix, 1976; (□) Nichols et al., 1976; (△) Cabani et al., 1981. The error bars represent an estimated 5% uncertainty in the value of  $C_p^o$ . The intercepts and slopes of the lines correspond to values of  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  that can be calculated with the organic group contributions given in Table 10.

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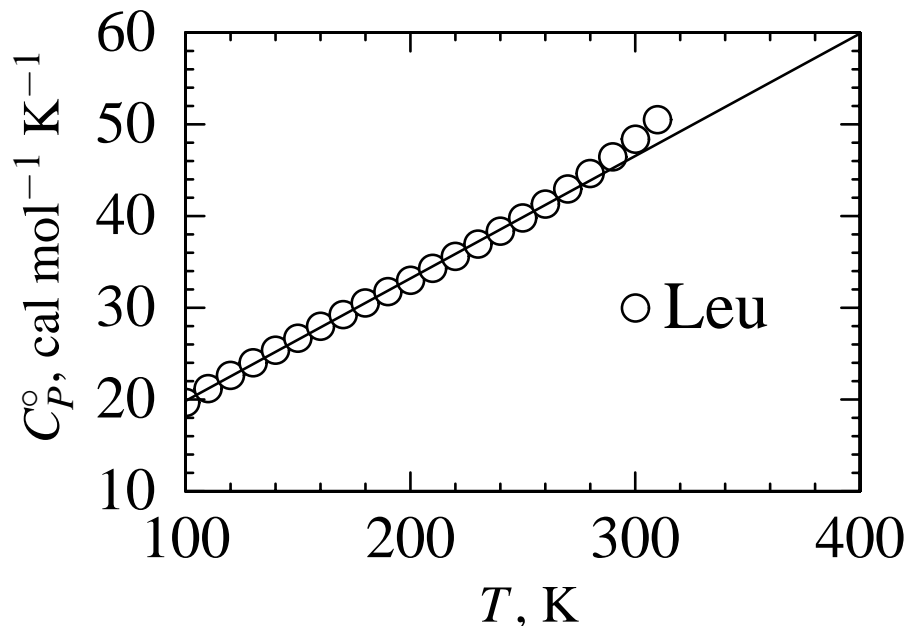
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**Fig. 18.**  $C_p^\circ$  of crystalline Leu as a function of temperature. The symbols represent experimental data taken from Hutchens et al. (1963), but the regression line corresponds to Eq. (D1) with  $a = 6.5$  cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>,  $b = 0.1335$  cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-2</sup> and  $c = 0$  cal mol<sup>-1</sup> K.

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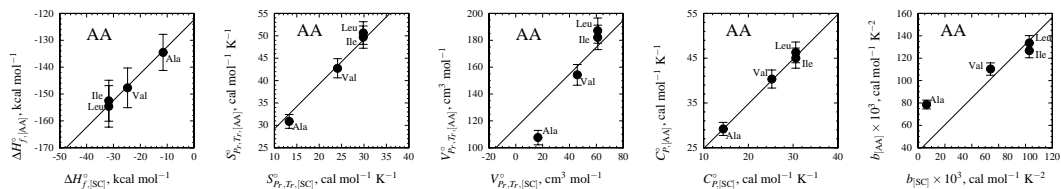
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**Fig. 19.**  $\Delta H_f^\circ$ ,  $S_{P_r, T_r}^\circ$ ,  $V^\circ$  and  $C_P^\circ$  at 25°C and 1 bar and  $b$  of crystalline amino acids as a function of the corresponding property of the respective sidechain groups, calculated using the group contributions given by [Richard and Helgeson \(1998\)](#).

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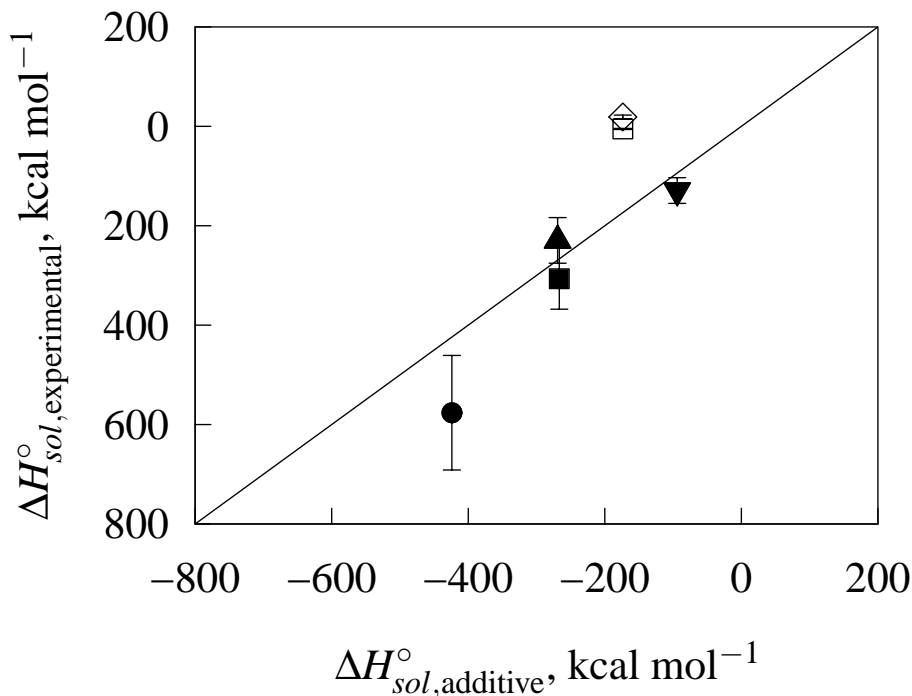
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**Fig. 20.** Comparison of calculated and experimental values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  of DRN1\_HUMAN (○), SOMA\_HUMAN (■), Protropin\_HUMAN (▲) and IGFA\_HUMAN (▼). Error bars represent  $\pm 20\%$  uncertainty in the experimental values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  taken from Souillac et al. (2002). Symbols represent values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  calculated for nonionized unfolded proteins. Also shown for LYC\_CHICK are calculated values of  $\Delta H_{sol}^{\circ}$  and the experimental values of  $-\Delta H_{cr}^{\circ}$  of the orthorhombic (◇) and tetragonal (□) crystal forms taken from Howard et al. (1988).

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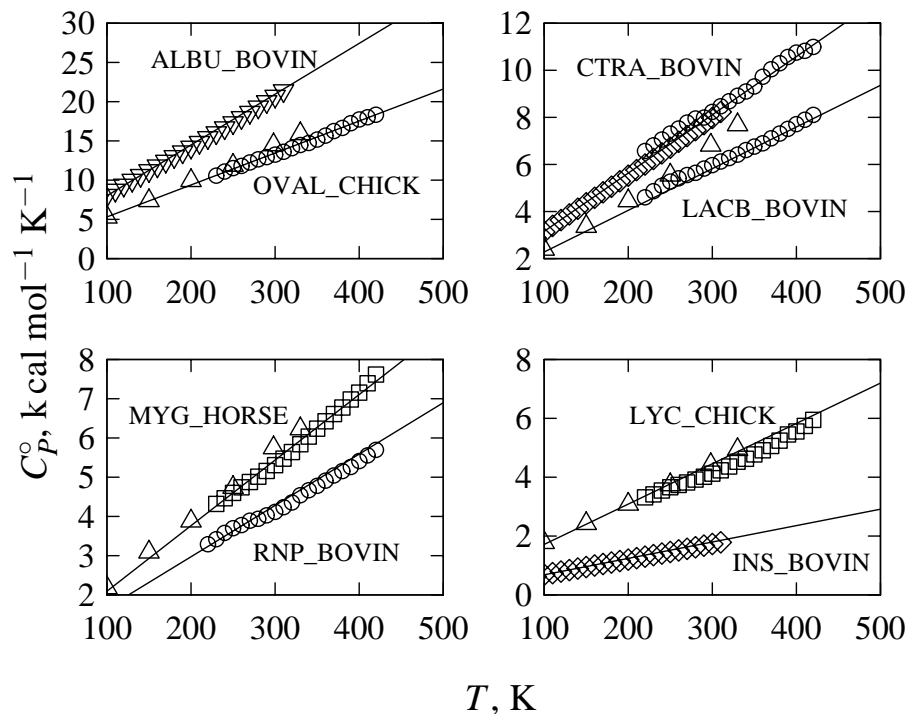
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**Fig. 21.**  $C_p^\circ$  of crystalline proteins as a function of temperature. The symbols represent experimental values of  $C_p^\circ$  taken from (○) Zhang et al. (1996), (□) Di Lorenzo et al. (1999), (△) Kulagina et al. (2001), (▽) Mrevlishvili (1986) and (◇) Hutchens et al. (1969). The regression curves are consistent with Eq. (D1) and the values of  $a$  and  $b$  of the crystalline sidechain and backbone groups given in Table 16.

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