

	In	Out	Nernst = $58 \log \frac{c^{out}}{c^{in}}$
K <sup>+</sup>	140	5	-89 mV
Na <sup>+</sup>	10	145	+67 mV
Cl <sup>-</sup>	4	110	-83.5 mV

$P_{Na}/P_K = 0.019$

$P_{Cl}/P_K = 0.381$

1. The Goldman (or GHK) Equ:

$$V = 58 \log_{10} \frac{\sum_i (P_i c_i^{out} + P_i a_i^{in})}{\sum_i (P_i c_i^{in} + P_i a_i^{out})}$$

$c_i = \text{cations } z_i = +1$   
 $a_i = \text{anions } z_i = -1$

all permeabilities may be divided by  $P_K$  (i.e., divide numerator + denominator by  $P_K$ )

$$V = 58 \log_{10} \frac{K^{out} + \frac{P_{Na}}{P_K} Na^{out} + \frac{P_{Cl}}{P_K} Cl^{in}}{K^{in} + \frac{P_{Na}}{P_K} Na^{in} + \frac{P_{Cl}}{P_K} Cl^{out}}$$

$$= 58 \log_{10} \frac{5 + (0.019)(145) + (0.381)(4)}{140 + (0.019)(10) + (0.381)(110)} = -75.0 \text{ mV}$$

2. See Table for Nernst values

3. No ions are at equilibrium.  $V_m$  is more negative than Nernst for Na, so Na<sup>+</sup> leaks in.  $V_m$  is more positive than Nernst for K and Cl, so K<sup>+</sup> leaks out and Cl<sup>-</sup> (negative charge) leaks in. Since all ions are running down their concentration gradients, without a pump the cell slowly depolarizes until  $V$  reaches 0, and  $K^{in} = 5$ ,  $Na^{in} = 145$ ,  $Cl^{in} = 110$ .

[P.S. - Not shown, but required for electroneutrality, is that  $A^- = 146$  inside and  $A^- = 40$  outside, where  $A^- = \text{impermeable anions}$ . Note that this also puts the cell in osmotic equilibrium (300 mosm at start). But, as  $K^{in} \rightarrow 5$ ,  $Na^{in} \rightarrow 145$  and  $Cl^{in} \rightarrow 110$ , internal osmolarity drops as follows:

At final equilibrium,  $\frac{K^{in}}{K^{out}} = \frac{Na^{in}}{Na^{out}} = \frac{Cl^{out}}{Cl^{in}}$  (Donnan Rule)

$$\frac{K^{in}}{5} = \frac{Na^{in}}{145} = \frac{110}{Cl^{in}}$$

$$K^{in} + Na^{in} = Cl^{in} + A^{in} \quad (\text{electroneutrality})$$

$$K^{in} + Na^{in} + Cl^{in} + A^{in} = 300 \quad (\text{osmotic equilibrium})$$

$$K^{in} + \frac{145}{5} K^{in} + \frac{110}{5 K^{in}} + A^{in} = 300$$

$$K^{in} + \frac{145}{5} K^{in} - \frac{110}{5 K^{in}} - A^{in} = 0 \Rightarrow 2K^{in} + 2 \cdot \frac{145}{5} K^{in} = 300$$

$$\Rightarrow K^{in} = 5, Na^{in} = 145, Cl^{in} = 110$$

and  $A^{in} = 40$

so osm<sup>in</sup> drops to 40 mM by water entry, cell swells, and lyses!

All this is just an aside...

4.  $I_{Na-p} = -1.5 I_{K-p} = -r I_{K-p}$

$$I_{Na} = -I_{Na-p}$$

$$I_{Na} + I_K + I_{Cl} + I_{K-p} + I_{Na-p} = 0$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} I_K + I_{Cl} + I_{K-p} &= 0 \\ -\frac{1}{r} I_{Na-p} & \\ +\frac{1}{r} I_{Na} & \end{aligned} \right\} I_{Na} + r I_K + r I_{Cl} = 0$$

Nernst-Planck single ion Equations:

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$$I_i = z_i^2 g \xi P_i \frac{c_i^{in} - c_i^{out} e^{-z_i \xi}}{1 - e^{-z_i \xi}} \quad \text{where } \xi = gV/kT$$

$$I_{Na} (z=+1) + I_K (z=+1) + I_{Cl} (z=-1) = 0$$

$$\frac{g \xi P_{Na} (Na^{in} - Na^{out} e^{-\xi})}{1 - e^{-\xi}} + \frac{r g \xi P_K (K^{in} - K^{out} e^{-\xi})}{1 - e^{-\xi}} + \frac{r g \xi P_{Cl} (Cl^{in} - Cl^{out} e^{+\xi})}{1 - e^{+\xi}} = 0$$

$$\frac{(-e^{-\xi}) r g \xi P_{Cl} (Cl^{in} - Cl^{out} e^{+\xi})}{(-e^{-\xi}) (1 - e^{+\xi})} = \frac{r g \xi P_{Cl} (Cl^{out} - Cl^{in} e^{-\xi})}{1 - e^{-\xi}}$$

Multiply by  $\frac{1 - e^{-\xi}}{g \xi}$ , collect terms, divide by  $P_K$

$$\frac{P_{Na}}{P_K} Na^{in} + r K^{in} + r \frac{P_{Cl}}{P_K} Cl^{out} = \left( \frac{P_{Na}}{P_K} + r K^{out} + r \frac{P_{Cl}}{P_K} Cl^{in} \right) e^{-gV/kT}$$

$$e^{gV/kT} = \left( \frac{P_{Na}}{P_K} Na^{out} + r K^{out} + r \frac{P_{Cl}}{P_K} Cl^{in} \right) / \left( \frac{P_{Na}}{P_K} Na^{in} + r K^{in} + r \frac{P_{Cl}}{P_K} Cl^{out} \right)$$

$$V = \frac{kT}{g} \ln \left( \frac{\dots}{\dots} \right) = 58 \log_{10} \frac{\frac{P_{Na}}{P_K} Na^{out} + r K^{out} + r \frac{P_{Cl}}{P_K} Cl^{in}}{\frac{P_{Na}}{P_K} Na^{in} + r K^{in} + r \frac{P_{Cl}}{P_K} Cl^{out}}$$

$$= 58 \log_{10} \frac{(0.019)(145) + (1.5)(5) + (1.5)(0.38)(4)}{(0.019)(10) + (1.5)(140) + (1.5)(0.38)(110)} = -77.6 \text{ mV with pump}$$

5. Ouabain: cell depolarizes by 2.6 mV To -75.0 mV