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Comparative study of interaction of benzene sulfonamides with Zn-metal, Zn²⁺-ion and carbonic anhydrase (Zn²⁺-CA)

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ABSTRACT

Interaction of benzene sulfonamies has been discussed with Zn-metal, Zn^{2+} -ion and carbonic anhydrase (Zn^{2+} -CA) in terms of metal ligand interaction energy (E_{int}), shift in charge (ΔN) and lowering in energy (ΔE). The structure of all the above compounds has been drawn and their geometries have been optimized with the help of CAChe software by applying semiempirical PM3 method. Interaction energy shows that the interactions between sulfonamides and carbonic anhydrase are dominant over Zn-metal and Zn^{2+} -ion. Charge transfer phenomenon shows that the interactions between sulfonamides and Zn^{2+} -ion are dominant over Zn-metal and Zn^{2+} -CA. Energy lowering show that the interactions between sulfonamides and Zn^{2+} -ion are dominant over Zn-metal and Zn^{2+} -CA.

Keywords: Benzene sulfonamides, interaction energy, Zn-metal, Zn²⁺-ion and carbonic anhydrase

INTRODUCTION

The primary function of the enzyme carbonic anhydrase (CA) is to inter convert carbon dioxide and dioxide and bicarbonate to maintain acid-base balance in blood and other tissues and to help transport carbon dioxide out of tissues.^{1,2} CAs are a family of structurally related zinc containing enzyme.³ CAs, as shown in figure-1, have a single zinc ion tetrahedrally coordinated in the active site by three histidine residues (His94, 96, and 119) and a bound water molecule, which serves as the fourth ligand.



Figure 1. Structure of carbonic anhydrase

The zinc ion is very rigidly coordinated and has an estimated dissociation constant of 1.4×10^{-6} s⁻¹ for hCA II corresponding to a half-life of about five days.⁴ Excess production of CA may disturb the normal physiological function of the body. In such an event synthetic inhibitors are required to prevent the over functioning of the enzyme. Inorganic and organic anions have been useful in studying the properties of the metal center in carbonic anhydrase. Most monovalent anions inhibit CA with varying affinities. These inhibitors bind to the metal ion and disrupt the coordination of the zinc-OH⁻ group that disrupts the catalytic activity of the enzyme.⁵ Spectrophotometric

analysis of Co^{2+} -substituted CA suggests that some anions have the ability to replace the zinc-OH⁻ group, while others displace this group forming a pentacoordinated metal-binding sphere.⁶ The objective of the paper is to study the donor-acceptor interaction between donor molecules (derivatives of sulfonamide listed in Table-1) and acceptor molecules (Zn-metal, Zn²⁺-ion and Zn²⁺-CA) in terms of metal ligand interaction energy (ΔE_{int}).⁷⁻⁹ And the measurement of bond strength (formed between metal and ligand after interaction) by shift in charge (ΔN) from donor to accepter and lowering in energy (ΔE) of the system.⁷

EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

The study material of this work is derivatives of benzene sulfonamide listed in Table-1, which have been used as a donor molecule. And Zn-metal, Zn^{2+} -ion and Zn^{2+} -CA have been used as acceptor molecule. The structure of all the above compounds has been drawn and their geometries have been optimized with the help of CAChe software¹⁰ by applying semiempirical PM3 method.^{11,12} The donor acceptor interaction between molecules listed in Table-1 and Zn-metal, Zn^{2+} -ion and Zn^{2+} -CA have been studied in terms of metal ligand interaction energy (E_{int}), shift in charge (ΔN) and lowering in energy (ΔE).

 ΔE_{int} , ΔN and ΔE and have been evaluated by solving the respective equations given below. The ΔE_{int} between two chemical species A and B, is given by

$$\Delta E_{\text{int}} = E[\rho_{AB}] - E[\rho_{A}] - E[\rho_{B}] \qquad \text{Eq.1}$$

It has been shown by $Gazquez^7$ that if the interaction energy is divided into two steps and one makes the properties of the hardness and softness functions then the above equation can be written as

$$\Delta E_{\rm int} = \Delta E_{\nu} + \Delta E_{\mu}$$
 Eq.2

Here the first term ΔE_v corresponds to the charge transfer process between A and B arising from the chemical potential equalization principle at constant external potential

$$\Delta E_{\nu} \approx -\frac{1}{2} \frac{(\mu_A - \mu_B)^2}{(S_A + S_B)} S_A S_B$$
 Eq.3

where μ_A and μ_B are the chemical potential of A and B, S_A and S_B are their global softness. The second term ΔE_{μ} , corresponds to a reshuffling of the charge distribution, and is basically a manifestation of the maximum hardness principle.⁷

$$\Delta E_{\mu} \approx -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\lambda}{(S_A + S_B)}$$
 Eq.4

where λ is a constant related to an "effective number of valence electrons" that participates in the interaction between A and B, and S_A and S_B are their global softness.

If two systems, A and B (acceptor and donor), are brought together, electrons will flow from that of lower χ to that of higher χ , until the chemical potentials (μ) become equal.⁷ The shift in charge ΔN and lowering energy ΔE have been defined as

$$\Delta N = \frac{\chi_A - \chi_B}{2(\eta_A + \eta_B)}$$
Eq.5

$$\Delta E = \frac{-(\chi_A - \chi_B)}{4(\eta_A + \eta_B)}$$
Eq.6

where χ_A and χ_B are the electronegativity of A and B, while η_A and η_B are their global hardness.

| Table 1. Derivatives of benzene sulfonamides $O > S < O > NH_2$ R | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| No. | Substituents (R) | log K | | | | |
| 1 | Н | 6.69 | | | | |
| 2 | 4-CH ₃ | 7.09 | | | | |
| 3 | $4-C_2H_5$ | 7.53 | | | | |
| 4 | 4-C ₃ H ₇ | 7.77 | | | | |
| 5 | $4-C_4H_9$ | 8.30 | | | | |
| 6 | $4-C_5H_{11}$ | 8.86 | | | | |
| 7 | 4-CO ₂ CH ₃ | 7.99 | | | | |
| 8 | $4-CO_2C_2H_5$ | 8.50 | | | | |
| 9 | $4-CO_2C_3H_7$ | 8.77 | | | | |
| 10 | $4-CO_2C_4H_9$ | 9.11 | | | | |
| 11 | $4-CO_2C_5H_{11}$ | 9.39 | | | | |
| 12 | $4-CO_2C_6H_{13}$ | 9.39 | | | | |
| 13 | 4-CONHCH ₃ | 7.08 | | | | |
| 14 | 4-CONHC ₂ H ₅ | 7.53 | | | | |
| 15 | 4-CONHC ₃ H ₇ | 8.08 | | | | |
| 16 | 4-CONHC ₄ H ₉ | 8.49 | | | | |
| 17 | 4-CONHC ₅ H ₁₁ | 8.75 | | | | |
| 18 | 4-CONHC ₆ H ₁₃ | 8.88 | | | | |
| 19 | 4-CONHC ₇ H ₁₅ | 8.93 | | | | |
| 20 | 3-CO ₂ CH ₃ | 5.87 | | | | |
| 21 | $3-CO_2C_2H_5$ | 6.21 | | | | |
| 22 | $3-CO_2C_3H_7$ | 6.44 | | | | |
| 23 | $3-CO_2C_4H_9$ | 6.95 | | | | |
| 24 | $3-CO_2C_5H_{11}$ | 6.86 | | | | |
| 25 | $2-CO_2CH_3$ | 4.41 | | | | |
| 26 | $2-CO_2C_2H_5$ | 4.80 | | | | |
| 27 | $2-CO_2C_3H_7$ | 5.28 | | | | |
| 28 | $2-CO_2C_4H_9$ | 5.76 | | | | |
| 29 | $2-CO_2C_5H_{11}$ | 6.18 | | | | |

Where log K is binding constants of benzene sulfonamides to CA

The essential values of electronegativity, absolute hardness, softness, chemical potential, numbers of electron and lambda have been obtained by solving the equation described below and have been listed in Table 2 and 3.

According to Koopman's theorem electronegativity^{13,14} is defined as

$$\chi = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\varepsilon LUMO + \varepsilon HOMO\right)$$
 Eq.7

Parr et al. have shown that the electro negativity of any chemical species is equal tp the negative value of chemical potential. Thus,

$$-\mu = \chi = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot (\varepsilon LUMO + \varepsilon HOMO)$$
 Eq.8

The absolute hardness, $^{13,14}\eta$, is defined as

$$\eta = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (\varepsilon LUMO - \varepsilon HOMO)$$
 Eq.9

where ϵ LUMO and ϵ HOMO are the frontier orbital energies. The corresponding global softness⁹ is defined as

$$S = \frac{1}{\left(\varepsilon LUMO - \varepsilon HOMO\right)}$$
 Eq.10

The value of lambda,⁸ λ , is defined as

$$\lambda = (N_A + N_B)^2 / 1000 \qquad \text{Eq.11}$$

where NA and NB are number of effective electrons of acid (accepter) and base (donor).

 Table 2. Values of HOMO and LUMO energies, electronegativity and chemical potential of donors and acceptors

 C No
 HOMO
 LUMO

| C No | номо | LUMO | | |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|--------|---------|
| C.110. | Energy | Energy | X | μ |
| Base(B) 1 | -9.552 | -1.883 | 5.718 | -5.718 |
| 2 | -9.493 | -1.843 | 5.668 | -5.668 |
| 3 | -9.488 | -1.837 | 5.663 | -5.663 |
| 4 | -9.504 | -1.849 | 5.677 | -5.677 |
| 5 | -9.512 | -1.848 | 5.680 | -5.680 |
| 6 | -9.510 | -1.849 | 5.680 | -5.680 |
| 7 | -9.596 | -2.289 | 5.943 | -5.943 |
| 8 | -9.491 | -2.330 | 5.911 | -5.911 |
| 9 | -9.647 | -2.261 | 5.954 | -5.954 |
| 10 | -9.648 | -2.260 | 5.954 | -5.954 |
| 11 | -9.648 | -2.261 | 5.955 | -5.955 |
| 12 | -9.650 | -2.260 | 5.955 | -5.955 |
| 13 | -9.663 | -2.097 | 5.880 | -5.880 |
| 14 | -9.657 | -2.088 | 5.873 | -5.873 |
| 15 | -9.657 | -2.089 | 5.873 | -5.873 |
| 16 | -9.655 | -2.089 | 5.872 | -5.872 |
| 17 | -9.654 | -2.089 | 5.872 | -5.872 |
| 18 | -9.653 | -2.089 | 5.871 | -5.871 |
| 19 | -9.656 | -2.089 | 5.873 | -5.873 |
| 20 | -9.656 | -2.189 | 5.923 | -5.923 |
| 21 | -9.691 | -2.201 | 5.946 | -5.946 |
| 22 | -9.555 | -2.186 | 5.871 | -5.871 |
| 23 | -9.688 | -2.198 | 5.943 | -5.943 |
| 24 | -9.689 | -2.198 | 5.944 | -5.944 |
| 25 | -9.775 | -2.200 | 5.988 | -5.988 |
| 26 | -9.792 | -2.189 | 5.991 | -5.991 |
| 27 | -9.788 | -2.186 | 5.987 | -5.987 |
| 28 | -9.788 | -2.187 | 5.988 | -5.988 |
| 29 | -9.789 | -2.187 | 5.988 | -5.988 |
| Acid (A) Zn-metal | -8.855 | 3.825 | 2.515 | -2.515 |
| Zn ²⁺ -ion | -30.371 | -22.317 | 26.344 | -26.344 |
| Zn ²⁺ -CA | -14.533 | -6.998 | 10.766 | -10.766 |

| cuve number of valence electrons of donors and acceptors | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-----|--|--|--|
| | C.No. | η | S | Ν | | | |
| Base(B) | 1 | 3.835 | 0.261 | 54 | | | |
| | 2 | 3.825 | 0.261 | 60 | | | |
| | 3 | 3.826 | 0.261 | 66 | | | |
| | 4 | 3.828 | 0.261 | 72 | | | |
| | 5 | 3.832 | 0.261 | 78 | | | |
| | 6 | 3.831 | 0.261 | 84 | | | |
| | 7 | 3.654 | 0.274 | 76 | | | |
| | 8 | 3.581 | 0.279 | 82 | | | |
| | 9 | 3.693 | 0.271 | 88 | | | |
| | 10 | 3.694 | 0.271 | 94 | | | |
| | 11 | 3.694 | 0.271 | 100 | | | |
| | 12 | 3.695 | 0.271 | 106 | | | |
| | 13 | 3.783 | 0.264 | 76 | | | |
| | 14 | 3.785 | 0.264 | 82 | | | |
| | 15 | 3.784 | 0.264 | 88 | | | |
| | 16 | 3.783 | 0.264 | 94 | | | |
| | 17 | 3.783 | 0.264 | 100 | | | |
| | 18 | 3.782 | 0.264 | 106 | | | |
| | 19 | 3.784 | 0.264 | 112 | | | |
| | 20 | 3.734 | 0.268 | 76 | | | |
| | 21 | 3.745 | 0.267 | 82 | | | |
| | 22 | 3.685 | 0.271 | 88 | | | |
| | 23 | 3.745 | 0.267 | 94 | | | |
| | 24 | 3.746 | 0.267 | 100 | | | |
| | 25 | 3.788 | 0.264 | 76 | | | |
| | 26 | 3.802 | 0.263 | 82 | | | |
| | 27 | 3.801 | 0.263 | 88 | | | |
| | 28 | 3.801 | 0.263 | 94 | | | |
| | 29 | 3.801 | 0.263 | 100 | | | |
| Acid (A) | Zn-metal | 6.340 | 0.158 | 2 | | | |
| | Zn ²⁺ -ion | 4.027 | 0.248 | 0 | | | |
| | Zn ²⁺ -CA | 3.768 | 0.265 | 180 | | | |

| Table 3. Values of absolute hardness, global softness | and |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| effective number of valence electrons of donors and acc | eptors |

| Table 4. Values of interaction energy, shift in charge and lowering energy for interaction of donors with acceptors | | | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|---------|--|--|
| Zu metal | 7-2+ : | 7-2+ CA | | |

| C No | | Zn-metal | | | Zn ²⁺ -ion | | | Zn ²⁺ -CA | | |
|------|------|--------------------|--------|--------|-----------------------|-------|---------|----------------------|-------|--------|
| | C.NO | \mathbf{E}_{int} | ΔN | ΔE | \mathbf{E}_{int} | ΔN | ΔE | \mathbf{E}_{int} | ΔN | ΔE |
| | 1 | -4.251 | -0.157 | -0.252 | -29.923 | 1.312 | -13.530 | -53.704 | 0.332 | -0.838 |
| | 2 | -5.074 | -0.155 | -0.245 | -30.753 | 1.317 | -13.611 | -56.374 | 0.336 | -0.856 |
| | 3 | -6.003 | -0.155 | -0.244 | -31.508 | 1.317 | -13.617 | -59.149 | 0.336 | -0.857 |
| | 4 | -7.026 | -0.155 | -0.246 | -32.278 | 1.316 | -13.596 | -61.990 | 0.335 | -0.852 |
| | 5 | -8.135 | -0.156 | -0.246 | -33.139 | 1.315 | -13.583 | -64.929 | 0.335 | -0.851 |
| | 6 | -9.322 | -0.156 | -0.246 | -34.099 | 1.315 | -13.586 | -67.891 | 0.335 | -0.851 |
| | 7 | -7.639 | -0.171 | -0.294 | -32.628 | 1.328 | -13.548 | -62.346 | 0.325 | -0.784 |
| | 8 | -8.654 | -0.171 | -0.291 | -33.814 | 1.343 | -13.721 | -64.613 | 0.330 | -0.802 |
| | 9 | -10.041 | -0.171 | -0.295 | -34.386 | 1.321 | -13.463 | -68.525 | 0.322 | -0.776 |
| | 10 | -11.345 | -0.171 | -0.295 | -35.435 | 1.320 | -13.462 | -71.567 | 0.322 | -0.776 |
| | 11 | -12.730 | -0.171 | -0.295 | -36.557 | 1.320 | -13.462 | -74.662 | 0.322 | -0.776 |
| | 12 | -14.204 | -0.171 | -0.295 | -37.743 | 1.320 | -13.459 | -77.844 | 0.322 | -0.775 |
| | 13 | -7.767 | -0.166 | -0.280 | -32.444 | 1.310 | -13.405 | -63.434 | 0.324 | -0.790 |
| | 14 | -8.918 | -0.166 | -0.278 | -33.384 | 1.310 | -13.412 | -66.385 | 0.324 | -0.793 |
| | 15 | -10.154 | -0.166 | -0.278 | -34.379 | 1.310 | -13.413 | -69.382 | 0.324 | -0.792 |
| | 16 | -11.474 | -0.166 | -0.278 | -35.449 | 1.311 | -13.416 | -72.443 | 0.324 | -0.793 |
| | 17 | -12.880 | -0.166 | -0.278 | -36.586 | 1.311 | -13.417 | -75.576 | 0.324 | -0.793 |
| | 18 | -14.372 | -0.166 | -0.278 | -37.794 | 1.311 | -13.419 | -78.776 | 0.324 | -0.793 |
| | 19 | -15.954 | -0.166 | -0.278 | -39.063 | 1.311 | -13.414 | -82.064 | 0.324 | -0.793 |
| | 20 | -7.724 | -0.169 | -0.288 | -32.464 | 1.316 | -13.435 | -63.010 | 0.323 | -0.782 |
| | 21 | -8.890 | -0.170 | -0.292 | -33.292 | 1.312 | -13.384 | -66.006 | 0.321 | -0.773 |
| | 22 | -9.999 | -0.167 | -0.281 | -34.628 | 1.327 | -13.589 | -68.503 | 0.328 | -0.804 |
| | 23 | -11.431 | -0.170 | -0.291 | -35.349 | 1.312 | -13.388 | -72.048 | 0.321 | -0.774 |
| | 24 | -12.831 | -0.170 | -0.291 | -36.476 | 1.312 | -13.386 | -75.174 | 0.321 | -0.774 |
| | 25 | -7.808 | -0.171 | -0.298 | -32.151 | 1.302 | -13.257 | -63.401 | 0.316 | -0.755 |
| | 26 | -8.980 | -0.171 | -0.298 | -33.033 | 1.300 | -13.229 | -66.451 | 0.315 | -0.753 |
| | 27 | -10.218 | -0.171 | -0.297 | -34.041 | 1.300 | -13.235 | -69.457 | 0.316 | -0.754 |
| | 28 | -11.544 | -0.171 | -0.297 | -35.108 | 1.300 | -13.235 | -72.529 | 0.316 | -0.754 |
| | 29 | -12.956 | -0.171 | -0.297 | -36.244 | 1.300 | -13.233 | -75.678 | 0.316 | -0.754 |

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

A. Interaction with Zn-metal: The interaction energy between all the donor (derivatives of benzene sulfonamide) and acceptor (Zn metal) have been evaluated and included in Table-4. The higher the negative value of ΔE_{int} , higher the energy lost by the system and thus greater will be the stability of complexes formed by donor and acceptor.^{7,8} Lowest value of interaction energy of interaction of benzene sulfonamide derivative C1 with acceptor has been observed and its value is -4.251 eV, which indicates formation of least stable complex of benzene sulfonamide derivatives C1 and acceptor CA. The value of interaction energy of benzene sulfonamide derivative C19 with Zn metal is highest and is equal to -15.954 eV, which indicates that benzene sulfonamide C19 forms most stable complex with Zn metal. The value of interaction energy indicates that the order of the stability of complexes formed by donors with acceptor Zn metal is in the order: C19 > C18 > C12 > C29 > C17 > C24 > C11 > C28 > C16 > C23 > C10 > C27 > C15 > C9 > C22 > C6 > C26 > C14 > C21 > C8 > C5 > C25 > C13 > C20 > C7 > C4 > C3 > C2 > C1.

When donor and acceptor come close to each other, electrons will flow from that of lower χ (B) to that of higher χ (A), until the chemical potentials become equal. Stability of complex formed between the interactions of benzene sulfonamide derivative with Zn metal has also been measured in term of shift in charge (Δ N from Eq.5.2) and lowering of energy (Δ E from Eq.5.3). Higher the value of Δ N, higher the values of charge transfer from B to A and thus greater will be the stability of complex. And higher the negative value of Δ E, higher the energy lowering of the system and thus greater will be the stability of complex. The values of Δ N are presented in Table-4. The value of charge transfer indicate that the least stable complex formation is between benzene sulfonamide derivative C7 and Zn metal (Δ N = -0.171eV). The benzene sulfonamide derivatives (C8 to C12 and C25 to C29) also have the same value of Δ N (i.e., -0.171eV). The most stable complex is formed with benzene sulfonamide derivative C2 to C4 and Zn metal (Δ N = -0.155 eV). Graph between charge transfers (Δ N) for interaction of derivatives of benzene sulfonamide with Zn metal is given in Graph-2. Order of stable complex formation is C2 = C3 = C4 > C5 = C6 > C1 > C13 = C14 = C15 = C16 = C17 = C18 = C19 > C22 > C20 > C21 = C23 = C24 > C7 = C8 = C9 = C10 = C11 = C12 = C25 = C26 = C27 = C28 = C29.

The values of ΔE are also presented in Table-4. Higher the negative value of ΔE , higher the energy lowering of the system and thus greater will be the stability of complex.^{7,8} The bond strength between benzene sulfonamide derivatives C3 and Zn metal is weakest as the value of ΔE is lowest (-0.244eV). Strongest bond strength has been observed between benzene sulfonamide derivatives C25 and C26, and Zn metal in which case the value if ΔE is highest (-0.298eV). Value of energy lowering indicate the following order of complex formation of derivatives of benzene sulfonamide with Zn metal, C25 = C26 > C27 = C28 = C29 > C9 = C10 = C11 = C12 > C7 > C21 > C8 = C23 = C24 > C20 > C22 > C13 > C14 = C15 = C16 = C17 = C18 = C19 > C1 > C4 = C5 = C6 > C2 > C3.

B. Interaction with Zn^{2+}-ion: The interaction energy between all the donor (derivatives of benzene sulfonamide) and acceptor (Zn^{2+} -ion) have also been evaluated and included in Table-4. The higher the negative value of ΔE_{int} , higher the energy lost by the system and thus greater will be the stability of complexes formed by donor and acceptor.^{1,2} Lowest value of interaction energy of interaction of benzene sulfonamide derivative C1 with acceptor has been observed and its value is -29.923 eV, which indicates formation of least stable complex of benzene sulfonamide derivatives C1 and acceptor Zn^{2+} -ion. The value of interaction energy of benzene sulfonamide derivative C29 with Zn^{2+} -ion is highest and is equal to -39.063 eV, which indicates that benzene sulfonamide C19 forms most stable complex with Zn^{2+} -ion. The value of interaction energy indicate that the order of the stability of complexes formed by donors with acceptor Zn^{2+} -ion is in the order: C19 > C18 > C12 > 17 > C11 > C24 > C29 > C16 > C10 > C23 > C28 > C22 > C9 > C15 > C6 > C27 > C8 > C14 > C21 > C5 > C26 > C7 > C20 > 13 > C4 > C25 > C3 > C2 > C1.

When donor and acceptor come close to each other, electrons will flow from that of lower χ (B) to that of higher χ (A), until the chemical potentials become equal. Stability of complex formed between the interactions of benzene sulfonamide derivative with Zn^{2+} -ion has also been measured in term of shift in charge (ΔN from Eq.5) and lowering of energy (ΔE from Eq.5.3). Higher the value of ΔN , higher the values of charge transfer from B to A and thus greater will be the stability of complex. The values of ΔN are presented in Table-4. The value of charge transfer indicate that the least stable complex formation is between benzene sulfonamide derivative C26 and Zn^{2+} -ion ($\Delta N = 1.30 \text{ eV}$). The benzene sulfonamide derivatives (C27 to C29) also have the same value of ΔN (i.e., 1.30 eV). The most stable complex is formed with benzene sulfonamide derivative C8 and Zn^{2+} -ion ($\Delta N = 1.343 \text{ eV}$). Order of stable complex formation is C8 > C7 > C22 > C9 > C10 = C11 = C12 > C2 = C3 > C4 = C20 > C5 = C6 > C1 = C21 = C23 = C24 > C16 = C17 = C18 = C19 > C13 = C14 = C15 > C25 > C26 = C27 = C28 = C29.

The values of ΔE are also presented in Table-4. Higher the negative value of ΔE , higher the energy lowering of the system and thus greater will be the stability of complex.^{1,2} The bond strength between benzene sulfonamide derivatives C26 and Zn²⁺-ion is weakest as the value of ΔE is lowest -13.229 eV). Strongest bond strength has been observed between benzene sulfonamide derivatives C8 and Zn²⁺-ion in which case the value if ΔE is highest (-13.721 eV). Value of energy lowering indicate the following order of complex formation of derivatives of benzene sulfonamide with Zn²⁺-ion, C8 > C3 > C2 > C4 > C22 > C6 > C5 > C7 > C1 > C9 > C10 = C11 > C12 > C20 > C18 > C17 > C16 > C19 > C15 > C14 > C13 > C23 > C24 > C21 > C25 > C27 = C28 = C29 > C26.

C. Interaction with Zn²⁺-CA: The interaction energy between all the donor, derivatives of benzene sulfonamide, and acceptor, Zn²⁺-CA, have been evaluated and included in Table-4. The higher the negative value of ΔE_{int} , higher the energy lost by the system and thus greater will be the stability of complexes formed by donor and acceptor.^{7,8} Lowest value of interaction energy of interaction of benzene sulfonamide derivative C1 with acceptor has been observed and its value is -53.704 eV, which indicates formation of least stable complex of benzene sulfonamide derivative C19 with CA is highest and is equal to -82.064 eV, which indicates that benzene sulfonamide C19 forms most stable complex with Zn²⁺-CA. The value of interaction energy indicates that the order of the stability of complexes formed by donors with acceptor CA is in the order: C19 > C18 > C12 > C29 > C17 > C24 > C11 > C28 > C16 > C23 > C10 > C27 > C15 > C9 > C22 > C6 > C26 > C14 > C21 > C5 > C8 > C13 > C25 > C20 > C7 > C4 > C3 > C2 > C1.

When donor and acceptor come close to each other, electrons will flow from that of lower χ (B) to that of higher χ (A), until the chemical potentials become equal. Stability of complex formed between the interactions of benzene sulfonamide derivative with Zn²⁺-CA has also been measured in term of shift in charge (Δ N from Eq.5) and lowering of energy (Δ E from Eq.6). Higher the value of Δ N, higher the values of charge transfer from B to A and thus greater will be the stability of complex. And higher the negative value of Δ E, higher the energy lowering of the system and thus greater will be the stability of complex.^{7,8} The values of Δ N are presented in Table-4. The value of charge transfer indicate that the least stable complex formation is between benzene sulfonamide derivative C26 and Zn²⁺-CA (Δ N = 0.315 eV). The most stable complex is formed with benzene sulfonamide derivative C2 and C3, and CA (Δ N = 0.336 eV). Order of stable complex formation is C2 = C3 > C4 = C5 = C6 > C1 > C7 = C8 = C22 > C13 = C14 = C15 = C16 = C17 = C18 = C19 > C20 > C9 = C10 = C11 = C12 > C21 = C23 = C24 > C25 = C27 = C28 = C29 > C26.

The values of ΔE are also presented in Table-4. Higher the negative value of ΔE , higher the energy lowering of the system and thus greater will be the stability of complex.^{7,8} The bond strength between benzene sulfonamide derivatives C26 and Zn²⁺-CA is weakest as the value of ΔE is lowest (-0.753 eV). Strongest bond strength has been observed between benzene sulfonamide derivatives C3 and Zn²⁺-CA in which case the value if ΔE is highest (-0.857 eV). Value of energy lowering indicate the following order of complex formation of derivatives of benzene sulfonamide with Zn metal, C3 > C2 > C4 > C5 = C6 > C1 > C22 > C8 > C14 = C16 = C17 = C18 = C19 > C15 > C13 > C7 > C20 > C9 = C10 = C11 > C12 > C23 = C24 > C21 > C25 > C27 = C28 = C29 > C26.



 $\label{eq:Figure 2. Graph between interaction energy (\Delta E_{int}) \mbox{ of derivatives of benzene sulfonamide for interaction with Zn-metal, Zn^{2+}-ion and Zn^{2+}-CA$



Figure 3. Graph between charge transfers (ΔN) for interaction of derivatives of benzene sulfonamide with Zn-metal, Zn²⁺-ion and Zn²⁺-CA



Figure 4. Graph between energy lowering (ΔE) for interaction of derivatives of benzene sulfonamide with Zn-metal, Zn²⁺-ion and Zn²⁺-CA

A comparative study of these interactions shows that:

1. Interaction energy of benzene sulfonamides show that C19 ($\Delta E_{int} = -15.954 \text{ eV}$), C29 ($\Delta E_{int} = -39.063 \text{ eV}$) and C19 ($\Delta E_{int} = -82.064 \text{ eV}$) form most stable complex with Zn-metal, Zn²⁺-ion and Zn²⁺-CA, respectively. Further, the interactions between sulfonamides and carbonic anhydrase are dominant over Zn-metal and Zn²⁺-ion. It is also demonstrated by the figure-2.

2. Charge transfer show that C2 ($\Delta N = -0.155 \text{eV}$), C8 ($\Delta N = 1.343 \text{ eV}$) and C2 ($\Delta N = 0.336 \text{ eV}$) form most stable complex with Zn-metal, Zn²⁺-ion and Zn²⁺-CA, respectively. Further, the interactions between sulfonamides and Zn²⁺-ion are dominant over Zn-metal and Zn²⁺-CA. It is also demonstrated by the figure-3.

3. Energy lowering show that C25 ($\Delta E = -0.298eV$), C8 ($\Delta E = -13.721 eV$) and C3 ($\Delta E = -0.857 eV$) form most stable complex with Zn-metal, Zn²⁺-ion and Zn²⁺-CA, respectively. Further, the interactions between sulfonamides and Zn²⁺-ion are dominant over Zn-metal and Zn²⁺-CA. It is also demonstrated by the figure-4.

CONCLUSION

The higher the negative value of ΔE_{int} , higher the energy lost by the system and thus greater will be the stability of complexes formed by donor and acceptor. The value of interaction energy of benzene sulfonamide derivative C19 with Zn²⁺-CA is highest and is equal to -82.064 eV, which indicates that benzene sulfonamide C19 forms most stable complex with Zn²⁺-CA. Higher the value of ΔN , higher the values of charge transfer from B to A and thus greater will be the stability of complex. Study of charge transfer phenomenon indicate that the most stable complex is formed with benzene sulfonamide derivative C2 and C3, and Zn²⁺-CA ($\Delta N = 0.336 \text{ eV}$). Higher the negative value of ΔE , higher the energy lowering of the system and thus greater will be the stability of complex. Strongest between benzene sulfonamide derivatives C3 and Zn²⁺-CA in which case the value if ΔE is highest (-0.857 eV).

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