# Seperation of the Electrical Effects in Linear Free Energy Relationship

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# 自由에너지 直線關係式에서의 場効果, 誘發効果 및 共鳴効果의 分離

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#### Summary

Theoretical advances in the seperations of electrical effects on the linear ralationship were reviewed and discussed.

The theoretical analysis show that Taft equation is best of all the seperations of the electrical effects and that the most general and useful approach to the correlation of data for any kind of groups is the use of the extended Hammett equation,  $Q_x = \alpha \sigma_{1x} + \beta \sigma_{Rx} + h$  with the  $\sigma_R$  and  $\sigma_I$  constants.

#### Introduction

It is sometimes instructive to divide substituent effects in to two categories, localized and delocalized. Localized effects include inductive and field affects, with the latter probably predominating. Delocalized effects are resonance effects

A good discussion of substituent effects is given is given by Katritzky and topsom(1). It should be possible then to dissect the overall effects of a substituent into locaized and delocalized contributions.

$$\sigma_{X} = \lambda \sigma_{1X} + \delta \sigma_{RX} \tag{1}$$

Thus where  $\sigma_x$  is any substituent constant,  $\sigma_{tx}$  is a measure of the localized effect, and  $\sigma_{Rx}$  is a measure of the delocalized effect. Substitution of Equation  $Q_x = \rho \sigma_x + h$  gives

$$Q_{x} = \rho \lambda \sigma_{1x} + \rho \delta \sigma_{xx} + h \qquad (2)$$

or

$$Q_{x} = \alpha \sigma_{1x} + \beta \sigma_{Rx} + h \tag{3}$$

Equation 3, the extended Hammett equation, was first proposed by Taft (2), and first attempt to resolve substituent effects into localized and delocalized contributions was carried out by Taft and Lewis(3). The essence of their treatment may be written as follows. From Equation 1,

$$\sigma_{m} = \lambda_{m} \sigma_{1X} + \delta_{m} \sigma_{RX} \tag{4}$$

$$= \lambda_{P} \sigma_{IX} + \delta_{P} \sigma_{RX} \tag{5}$$

Assume  $\lambda_n = \lambda_p$ .

$$\delta_{\pi}/\delta_{p} = c \tag{6}$$

Now from Equation 2,

$$Q_{xx} = \rho \lambda_{x} \sigma_{1x} + \rho \delta_{x} \sigma_{xx} + h \qquad (7)$$

$$Q_{PX} = \rho \lambda_{P} \sigma_{1X} + \rho \delta_{P} \sigma_{RX} + h \qquad (8)$$

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$$Q_{PX} - h - \rho \delta_{P} \sigma_{RX} = \rho \lambda_{P} \sigma_{1X} = \rho \lambda_{R} \sigma_{1X} = Q_{RX} - h - \rho \delta_{R} \sigma_{PX}$$
(9)

or

$$Q_{px} - Q_{mx} = \rho(\delta_p - \delta_m)\sigma_{RX}$$
 (10)

Thus.

$$\sigma_{RX} = \frac{Q_{PX} - Q_{MX}}{\rho(\delta_P - \delta_M)} \tag{11}$$

From5

$$\sigma_{PX} = \lambda_{P}\sigma_{IX} + \delta_{P} \left( \frac{Q_{PX} - Q_{PX}}{\rho(\delta_{P} - \delta_{PX})} \right) \quad (12)$$

From6.

$$\sigma_{PX} = \lambda_{P} \sigma_{I}^{X} + \left( \frac{Q_{PX} - Q_{\pi X}}{\rho(c-1)} \right)$$
 (13)

and

$$\sigma_{1X} = \frac{1}{\lambda_{P}} \left[ \sigma_{PX} - \left( \frac{Q_{PX} - Q_{mX}}{\rho(c-1)} \right) \right] \quad (14)$$

### Theoretical review

An equation analogous to Equation 3 was proposed by Yukawa and Tsuno(4) It may be written as

$$logk_{x} = \rho(\sigma_{x} + \gamma(\sigma_{x}^{+} - \sigma_{x})) + logk_{H}$$
 (15)

From Equation 1,

$$\log k_{x} = \rho \lambda_{1x} + \rho \delta_{Rx} + \rho_{r} (\lambda \sigma_{1x}^{+} + \delta_{Rx}^{-} - \lambda \sigma_{1x}^{-} - \delta \sigma_{Rx}^{-}) + \log k_{H}$$
(16)  
$$= \rho \lambda_{1x} + \rho \delta_{Rx} + \rho_{r} (\delta^{+} - \delta) \sigma_{R}^{x} + \log k_{H}$$
(17)  
$$= \alpha \sigma_{1x} + \beta \sigma_{Rx} + \log k_{H}$$
(18)

equivalent to 3 with

$$\beta = \rho \delta + \rho \Upsilon(\delta^+ - \delta) \tag{19}$$

Equation 15, which unlike Equation 3 can be included both meta- and para- substituted compou-

nds in the same data set, is intended for use with the same type of reaction that Brown and his coworkers deviced the  $\sigma^+$  constants for. It is intended for the fact that sets will vary in their resonance component, and therefore correlations with simple substituent constants such as  $\sigma_P$  and  $\sigma_P^+$  will show deviations. An equation analogous to that of Yukawa and Tsuno but intended for use with reactions of the type to which the  $\sigma_P^-$  constants are applied has also been devised(5). It is

$$\log k_x = \rho (\sigma_x + \tau) \sigma_x - \sigma_x) + \log k_B$$
 (20)

There has been considerable interest in obtaining a seperation of localized and delocalized electrical effects that will not depend on Taft's assumption that  $\lambda_{\text{m}}$  and  $\lambda_{\text{p}}$  are equal. An attempt to evaluate the ratio  $\lambda_{\text{m}}/\lambda_{\text{p}}$  was made by Exner (1), who plotted log  $K_{\text{px}}$ —log  $K_{\text{m}}$  vs. log  $K_{\text{mx}}$ —log  $K_{\text{m}}$  for the substituted benzoic acids. Only substituted groups that are presumed to have little or no resonance effects were included. Exner found that in two solvent systems

$$\log K_{Px} - \log K_{H} = 1.14 (\log K_{xx} - \log K_{H})$$
 (21)

From the Hammett equation  $\log \frac{K_x}{K_B} = \rho \sigma_x$ 

$$\rho\sigma_{\rm PX} = 1.14 \tag{22}$$

$$\sigma_{PX} = 1.14\sigma_{PX} \tag{23}$$

From Equation 4 and 5, and the assumption that  $\sigma_R = 0.00$ ,

$$\lambda_{P}\sigma_{1X} = 1.14 \lambda_{m}\sigma_{1X} \tag{24}$$

or

$$\lambda_{\text{m}}/\lambda_{\text{p}} = 0.878 \tag{25}$$

There is a flaw in Exner's approach however. If  $\sigma_{\mathbf{z}} \neq 0.00$ ,

to substituent effects than are the 4-substituted bicyclo (2.2.2) octane-1-carboxylic acids and therefore give more accurate values of  $\sigma_1$  for weak substituted. Second, Substituted acetic acids are generally water soluble, permitting accurate determination of the ionization constant by potentiometric titration or conductivity. And third, substituted acetic acids are easy to synthesize and purify. Values of  $\sigma_1$  have also been defined from the Figure 1 chemical shifts of m-substituted fluorobenzenes (16).

The various  $\sigma_R$  constants may now be defined as

$$\rho_{\mathbf{R}} = \sigma_{\mathbf{P}} - \sigma_{1}, \sigma_{\mathbf{R}}^{\circ} = \sigma_{\mathbf{P}}^{\circ} - \sigma_{1}, \sigma_{\mathbf{R}} = \sigma_{\mathbf{P}}^{*} - \sigma_{1}, \sigma_{\mathbf{R}} = \sigma_{\mathbf{P}} - \sigma_{1}$$
(32)

There is some argument over whether one  $\sigma_R$  scale is sufficient for all types of reactions or whether a number of  $\sigma_R$  scales are necessary for good correlation. Swain and Lupton argue that only one resonance parameter can accommodate all observed variations, and this approach has been adopted by others. Taft's group(17) and Exner(18) recently suggested that, in fact, the best correlations require use of more than one resonance parameter.

A method based on the calculation of substituent constants for any system under consideration from localzed and delocalized effects is due to Dewar and Grisdale(19). According to this treatment, F and M are factors representing localized and delocalized effects, respectively, Substituent constants are then defined by.

$$\sigma_{x,pg} = \frac{F_x}{T_{ij}} + Mq_{ij}$$
 (33)

The quantity  $\gamma_i$ , represents the distance between the atom i of the skeletal group G to which the reaction site X is attached and the atom j of G to which the reaction site Y is attached, expressed in units of the benzene bond length. The quantity  $b_{ij}$  is the charge on the atom bearing Y in the carbanion :  $CH_2GY$ . The charge q is calculated by the method of Longuet-Higgins(20). The F and M values can be calculated from the  $\sigma_m$  and  $\sigma_P$  constants, as

$$\sigma_{xx} = \frac{F_x}{1.73}, \quad \sigma_{px} = \frac{F_x}{2} + \frac{M_x}{7}$$
 (34)

With  $E_x$  and  $M_x$  known, values of  $\sigma_{x,DG}$  may be calculated for any system. It must be noted that when the Dewar treatment is applied to XGY the substituent constants for the effects of both X and G, and therefore for agiven Y,  $\rho$  should be constant. Correlations with the simple Hammett equation and the  $\sigma_{x,DG}$  constants do not give a constant value of  $\rho$ , however(21), It should also be noted, that the Taft and Dewar treatments are mutually exclusive. If the Taft treatment is correct, then, the Dewar F values include a resonance effects. In a more recent paper, Dewar et al.(22) modified the above method. These authors propose that substituent constants be given by the equation.

$$\sigma_{1n}^{x} = \frac{F_{x}}{K_{1n}} + M_{x}q_{1n} + M_{F \cdot x} \sum_{x \neq n} \frac{q_{1x}}{k_{rn}}$$
 (35)

The quantity F and M represent the field and mesomeric effects as before, while the quantity  $M_F$  represents the mesomeric field effect, which is an additional resonance effect.  $R_{i,m}$  is given by.

$$R_{in} = \frac{1}{T_{in}} - \frac{0.9}{T_{in}}$$
 (36)

where 7 values are expressed, as before, in units of the benzene bond length. The  $F_x$  parameters are now evaluated from the ionization constants of 4-substituted bycyclo (2.2.2) octane-1-carboxylic acids. The  $M_x$  and  $M_{F^-x}$  parameters are thene evaluated from the  $\sigma_x$  and  $\sigma_F$  constants.

A correlation of the  $\sigma_{i=.x}$  constants calculated

$$\lambda_{P}\sigma_{IX} + \delta_{P}\sigma_{RX} = 1.14\lambda_{\pi}\sigma_{IX} + 1.14\delta_{\pi}\sigma_{RX}$$
 (26)

$$(\lambda_{P}-1.14\lambda_{m})\sigma_{1x} = (1.14\delta_{m}-\delta_{P})\sigma_{R}^{x} \qquad (27)$$

$$\sigma_{1x} = \frac{(1.14\delta_{m} - \delta_{p})}{(\lambda_{p} - 1.14\lambda_{m})} \sigma_{Rx}$$
 (28)

$$= c\sigma_{RX} \tag{29}$$

A plot of  $\sigma_1$  agaist  $\sigma_R$  suggest that Equation 29 is obeyed for many substituents.

Another alternative seperation of electrical effects is that suggested by Swain and Lupton (7). As a measure of the localized effect  $\log (K_x/K_H)$  for the ionization of 4-substituted bicyclo(2.2.2) octane-1-carboxylic acid in 50% aqueous ethanol at 25° were chosen, from these quantities, F value were defined. Resonance parameters designated R were defined from the equation

$$\sigma_{P} = \alpha F + R \tag{30}$$

The value of  $\alpha$  was determined to be 0.56 by setting R=0 for Me<sub>3</sub>N<sup>+</sup> The basis for this assumption is th fact that the ultraviolet spectrum of the trimethylanilium ion resemble that of benzene. It is argued that as uv spectra depend on resonance effects this similarity in the spectra suggests that the resonance effects of NMe<sub>3</sub><sup>+</sup> must be similar to that of H, for which the resonance effect is zero.

## Results and Discussion

There are two major objections to the Swain-Lupton approach. They are;

(1) The seperation proposed by Swain and Lupton depends on the  $\sigma_m$  and  $\sigma_P$  values of the trimethylammonium group. McDaniel and brown (10) reported probable errors of  $\pm 0.2$  for these substituent constants. A seperation based on such doubtful values is certainly suspected.

The Swain-Lupton treatment is based on the assumption that the trimethylammonium group has a resonance parameter value of zero and exhibits absolutly no resonance effect. Trimethylammonium

is isoelectronic with tertiary butyl, and there is general agreement that the latter is a resonance donor. It seems likely, then, that the trimethyl-ammonium group should also be considered a donor by resonance, and Charton has summarized evidence for his position (11). More recently Cutress and coworkers(12) discuss the existance of a donor resonance effect of the trimethylammonium and ammonium groups based on infrared evidence. It thus seems reasonable to reject the Swain-Lupton seperation of the electrical effect. At present, in the absence of a better approach, Taft's method described previosly seems to be the most useful technique for factoring overall substituent effects.

Taft and Lewis (13) defined the  $\sigma_1$  constants to agree with the constants of Roberts and Moreland. The defining equation is

$$\sigma_{1x} = 0.45 \sigma_{xcH_2} \tag{31}$$

The  $\sigma_1$  constants proposed by Taft when correlated with the ionization constants of substituted acetic acids, which are known to four or five significant figures, give exellent correlations (14). Charton has therefore proposed that for most substituents  $\sigma_1$  may be conveniently defined from the inoization of substituted acetic acids.

This has the advantage that the inoization constants for many substituted acetic acids have already been accurately reported.

There are two disadvantages to this method of defining  $\sigma_i$ : (1)Ionization constants of strong acids are difficult to measure with accuracy thus, the value of  $\sigma_i$  reported by Charton for the nitro group seems high by  $0.07\sigma$  unit. In such cases better values are obtainable from the 4-substibuted bicyclo (2.2.2) octane-1-carboxylic acids. (2)Targe shbstiutents such as bulky aryl groups have been reported to give rise to steric effects(15).

There are fundamental advantages to using substituted acetic acid ionization constants for defining  $\sigma_1$ . First, substituted acetic acids are more sensitive

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# 自由에너지 直線關係式에서의 場効果 誘發効果 및 共鳴効果의 分離

電子効果의 세가지 類型, 즉 場効果, 誘發効果 및 共鳴効果를 特定한 自由에너지 直線關係式에 의거 ユ 相互作用을 比較檢討하였다.

理論的 分析의 結果는, 置換体常數  $\sigma_R$  및  $\sigma_I$  養型 Hammett 方程式  $Q_X = \alpha \sigma_{IX} + \beta \sigma_{RX} + h$ 에 適用하여 使用한 경우가 가장 좋은 直線關係式의 相關關係를 나타내었다.

with  $\sigma_x$  constants defined from the ionization of the appropriate carboxylic acids gives, excluding data for which steric factors may be important,

$$\sigma_{x} = 0.892 \sigma_{i \, x \, \cdot \, x} + 0.0087 \tag{37}$$

Thus the Dewar method still, I think, does not

give complete agreement.

Conclusively, of all the seperations of electrical effect described so far, I feel that Taft's is best. The most general and useful apprach to the correlation of data for any kind of group G is the use of the extended Hammett equation with the  $\sigma_R$  and  $\sigma_I$  constants.

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