

# CEE 680: Water Chemistry

Lecture #37

Precipitation and Dissolution: Metal  
Hydroxides/Oxides & Carbonates

(Stumm & Morgan, Chapt.7)

**Benjamin; Chapter 8.7-8.15**

# Practice Session

- $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$  ppt
  - Homework
- $\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3$  ppt
- $\text{Zn}(\text{OH})_2$  ppt
- $\text{Cd}(\text{OH})_2$  ppt

# Metal Precipitates; $K_{s0}$ values (1/2)

- Table 11.1a in Benjamin (pg 581)

| Metal            | Mineral Name   | Formula  | $\log K_{s0}$ | Metal            | Mineral Name | Formula  | $\log K_{s0}$ |
|------------------|----------------|--|---------------|------------------|--------------|--|---------------|
| Ag <sup>+</sup>  |                | AgOH( <i>s</i> )   | -7.70         | Cd <sup>2+</sup> |              | Cd(OH) <sub>2</sub> ( <i>s</i> )   | -14.36        |
|                  |                | Ag <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                     | -11.09        |                  | Otavite      | CdCO <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )   | -12.01        |
|                  |                | Ag <sub>3</sub> PO <sub>4</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                     | -17.59        |                  | Greenockite  | CdS( <i>s</i> )  | -31.42        |
|                  | Acanthite      | Ag <sub>2</sub> S( <i>s</i> )                                    | -53.62        |                  |              | Cd <sub>3</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                       | -32.60        |
|                  | Cerargyrite    | AgCl( <i>s</i> )   | -9.75         | Co <sup>2+</sup> |              | Co(OH) <sub>2</sub> ( <i>am</i> )  | -14.91        |
| Al <sup>3+</sup> |                | Al(OH) <sub>3</sub> ( <i>am</i> )                                | -31.10        |                  |              | CoCO <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )   | -11.20        |
|                  | Gibbsite       | Al(OH) <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                                 | -34.26        | Cr <sup>3+</sup> |              | Cr(OH) <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )   | -32.65        |
|                  |                | AlPO <sub>4</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                                   | -22.50        | Cu <sup>2+</sup> |              | Cu(OH) <sub>2</sub> ( <i>s</i> )   | -18.71        |
| Ca <sup>2+</sup> | Calcite        | CaCO <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                                   | -8.48         |                  | Tenorite     | CuO( <i>am</i> )   | -19.51        |
|                  | Aragonite      | CaCO <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                                   | -8.34         |                  | Malachite    | Cu <sub>2</sub> (OH) <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                     | -33.47        |
|                  | Portlandite    | Ca(OH) <sub>2</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                                 | -5.30         |                  |              | CuCO <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> )   | -11.50        |
|                  | Lime           | CaO( <i>s</i> )  | -4.70         |                  |              | Cu <sub>3</sub> (PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> · 3 (H <sub>2</sub> O)( <i>s</i> ) | -35.12        |
|                  | Gypsum         | CaSO <sub>4</sub> ( <i>s</i> )                                   | -4.61         |                  | Covellite    | CuS( <i>s</i> )  | -39.62        |
|                  | Hydroxyapatite | Ca <sub>5</sub> (OH)(PO <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> ( <i>s</i> ) | -58.33        | Cu <sup>+</sup>  |              | CuCl( <i>s</i> )   | -6.76         |

# Metal Precipitates; $K_{s0}$ values (2/2)

- Table 11.1b in Benjamin (pg 582)

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| Metal            | Mineral Name  | Formula   | $\log K_{s0}$ | Metal            | Mineral Name   | Formula   | $\log K_{s0}$ |
|------------------|---------------|---|---------------|------------------|----------------|---|---------------|
| $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ |               | $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_2(am)$                              | -14.51        | $\text{Mn}^{2+}$ |                | $\text{MnCO}_3(am)$                                       | -10.50        |
|                  | Siderite      | $\text{FeCO}_3(s)$  | -10.59        | $\text{Ni}^{2+}$ |                | $\text{Ni}(\text{OH})_2(am)$                              | -17.11        |
|                  | Vivianite     | $\text{Fe}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2 \cdot 8\text{H}_2\text{O}(s)$ | -37.76        |                  |                | $\text{NiCO}_3(s)$  | -11.20        |
|                  |               | $\text{FeS}(ppt)$   | -20.35        |                  |                | $\text{Ni}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2(s)$                           | -31.30        |
| $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ | Ferrihydrite  | $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3(s)$                               | -38.80        | $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ | Massicot       | $\text{PbO}(s)$   | -15.11        |
|                  | Goethite      | $\alpha\text{-FeOOH}(s)$                                  | -41.51        |                  | Hydrocerussite | $\text{Pb}_3(\text{CO}_3)_2(\text{OH})_2(s)$              | -46.76        |
|                  | Lepidocrocite | $\gamma\text{-FeOOH}(s)$                                  | -40.63        |                  | Cerussite      | $\text{PbCO}_3(s)$  | -13.20        |
|                  | Hematite      | $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3(s)$                                | -85.42        |                  | Galena         | $\text{PbS}(s)$   | -32.32        |
|                  | Maghemite     | $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3(s)$                                | -77.61        |                  |                | $\text{Pb}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2(s)$                           | -43.53        |
| $\text{Hg}^{2+}$ |               | $\text{Hg}(\text{OH})_2(s)$                               | -24.50        | $\text{Si}^{4+}$ | Silica         | $\text{SiO}_2(am, ppt)$                                   | -2.74         |
|                  | Montroydite   | $\text{HgO}(s)$   | -24.39        | $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ |                | $\text{Zn}(\text{OH})_2(am)$                              | -15.53        |
|                  |               | $\text{HgCO}_3(s)$  | -22.52        |                  |                | $\text{ZnCO}_3 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}(s)$               | -10.26        |
|                  |               | $\text{Hg}(\text{CN})_2(s)$                               | -39.28        |                  |                | $\text{Zn}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}(s)$ | -35.42        |
|                  | Cinnabar      | $\text{HgS}(s)$   | -56.52        |                  | Zincite        | $\text{ZnO}(s)$   | -16.77        |
| $\text{Mn}^{2+}$ | Pyrochroite   | $\text{Mn}(\text{OH})_2(s)$                               | -12.81        |                  | Wurtzite       | $\text{ZnS}(s)$   | -26.02        |

|                  | $i$ | $\text{Log } K_i$ | $\text{Log}^* K_i$ | $\text{Log } \beta_i$ | $\text{Log}^* \beta_i$ |
|------------------|-----|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Ag <sup>+</sup>  | 1   | 2.00              | -12.00             | 2.00                  | -12.00                 |
|                  | 2   | 2.00              | -12.00             | 4.00                  | -24.00                 |
| Al <sup>3+</sup> | 1   | 9.01              | -4.99              | 9.01                  | -4.99                  |
|                  | 2   | 8.89              | -5.11              | 17.90                 | -10.10                 |
|                  | 3   | 8.10              | -5.90              | 26.00                 | -16.00                 |
|                  | 4   | 7.00              | -7.00              | 33.00                 | -23.00                 |
| Ca <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 1.40              | -12.60             | 1.40                  | -12.60                 |
| Cd <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 3.92              | -10.08             | 3.92                  | -10.08                 |
|                  | 2   | 3.73              | -10.27             | 7.65                  | -20.35                 |
|                  | 3   | 1.05              | -12.95             | 8.70                  | -33.30                 |
|                  | 4   | -0.05             | -14.05             | 8.65                  | -47.35                 |
| Co <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 4.80              | -9.20              | 4.80                  | -9.20                  |
|                  | 2   | 4.90              | -9.10              | 9.70                  | -18.30                 |
|                  | 3   | 1.10              | -12.90             | 10.80                 | -31.20                 |
| Cr <sup>3+</sup> | 1   | 10.00             | -4.00              | 10.00                 | -4.00                  |
|                  | 2   | 8.38              | -5.62              | 18.38                 | -9.62                  |
|                  | 3   | 6.87              | -7.13              | 25.25                 | -16.75                 |
|                  | 4   | 2.98              | -11.02             | 28.23                 | -27.77                 |
| Cu <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 6.00              | -8.00              | 6.00                  | -8.00                  |
|                  | 2   | 8.32              | -5.68              | 14.32                 | -13.68                 |
|                  | 3   | 0.78              | -13.22             | 15.10                 | -26.90                 |
|                  | 4   | 1.30              | -12.70             | 16.40                 | -39.60                 |
| Fe <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 4.50              | -9.50              | 4.50                  | -9.50                  |
|                  | 2   | 2.93              | -11.07             | 7.43                  | -20.57                 |
|                  | 3   | 3.57              | -10.43             | 11.00                 | -31.00                 |
| Fe <sup>3+</sup> | 1   | 11.81             | -2.19              | 11.81                 | -2.19                  |
|                  | 2   | 10.52             | -3.48              | 22.33                 | -5.67                  |
|                  | 3   | 6.07              | -7.93              | 28.40                 | -13.60                 |
|                  | 4   | 6.00              | -8.00              | 34.40                 | -21.60                 |

# Metal Hydrolysis

- Table 10.2 in Benjamin
- Pg 858-859

|                  | $i$ | $\text{Log } K_i$ | $\text{Log}^* K_i$ | $\text{Log } \beta_i$ | $\text{Log}^* \beta_i$ |
|------------------|-----|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Hg <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 4.50              | -9.50              | 4.50                  | -9.50                  |
|                  | 2   | 2.93              | -11.07             | 7.43                  | -20.57                 |
|                  | 3   | 3.57              | -10.43             | 11.00                 | -31.00                 |
| Mg <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 2.21              | -11.79             | 2.21                  | -11.79                 |
| Ni <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 4.14              | -9.86              | 4.14                  | -9.86                  |
|                  | 2   | 4.86              | -9.14              | 9.00                  | -19.00                 |
|                  | 3   | 3.00              | -11.00             | 12.00                 | -30.00                 |
| Pb <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 6.29              | -7.71              | 6.29                  | -7.71                  |
|                  | 2   | 4.59              | -9.41              | 10.88                 | -17.12                 |
|                  | 3   | 3.06              | -10.94             | 13.94                 | -28.06                 |
|                  | 4   | 2.36              | -11.64             | 16.30                 | -39.70                 |
| Zn <sup>2+</sup> | 1   | 5.04              | -8.96              | 5.04                  | -8.96                  |
|                  | 2   | 6.06              | -7.94              | 11.10                 | -16.90                 |
|                  | 3   | 2.50              | -11.50             | 13.60                 | -28.40                 |
|                  | 4   | 1.20              | -12.80             | 14.80                 | -41.20                 |

# Cd(OH)<sub>2</sub> example

- Cd species equations
  - From Benjamin, pg 584

$$\log (\text{Cd}^{2+}) = 13.64 - 2 \text{ pH} \quad (11.14)$$

$$\log (\text{CdOH}^+) = 3.55 - \text{pH} \quad (11.15)$$

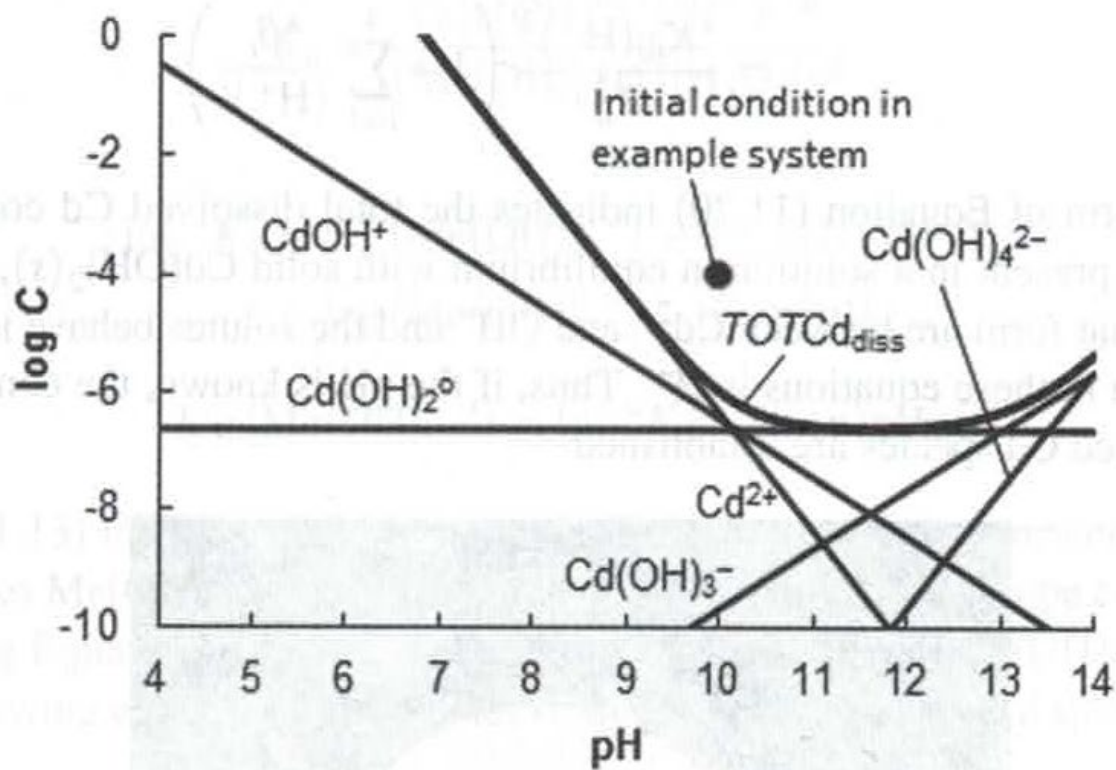
$$\log (\text{Cd(OH)}_2^{\circ}(\text{aq})) = -6.65 \quad (11.16)$$

$$\log (\text{Cd(OH)}_3^-) = -19.66 + \text{pH} \quad (11.17)$$

$$\log (\text{Cd(OH)}_4^{2-}) = -33.64 + 2 \text{ pH} \quad (11.18)$$

# Cd(OH)<sub>2</sub> solubility diagram

- Pg 586 in Benjamin



**Figure 11.1** LogC-pH diagram showing dissolved Cd species in equilibrium with Cd(OH)<sub>2</sub>(s). The point identified as the initial condition is for an example presented later in this chapter.

# Zinc with OH, CO<sub>3</sub> and Cl

- Pg 636 in Benjamin

Tableau - Visual MINTEQ

Aqueous species in the present problem

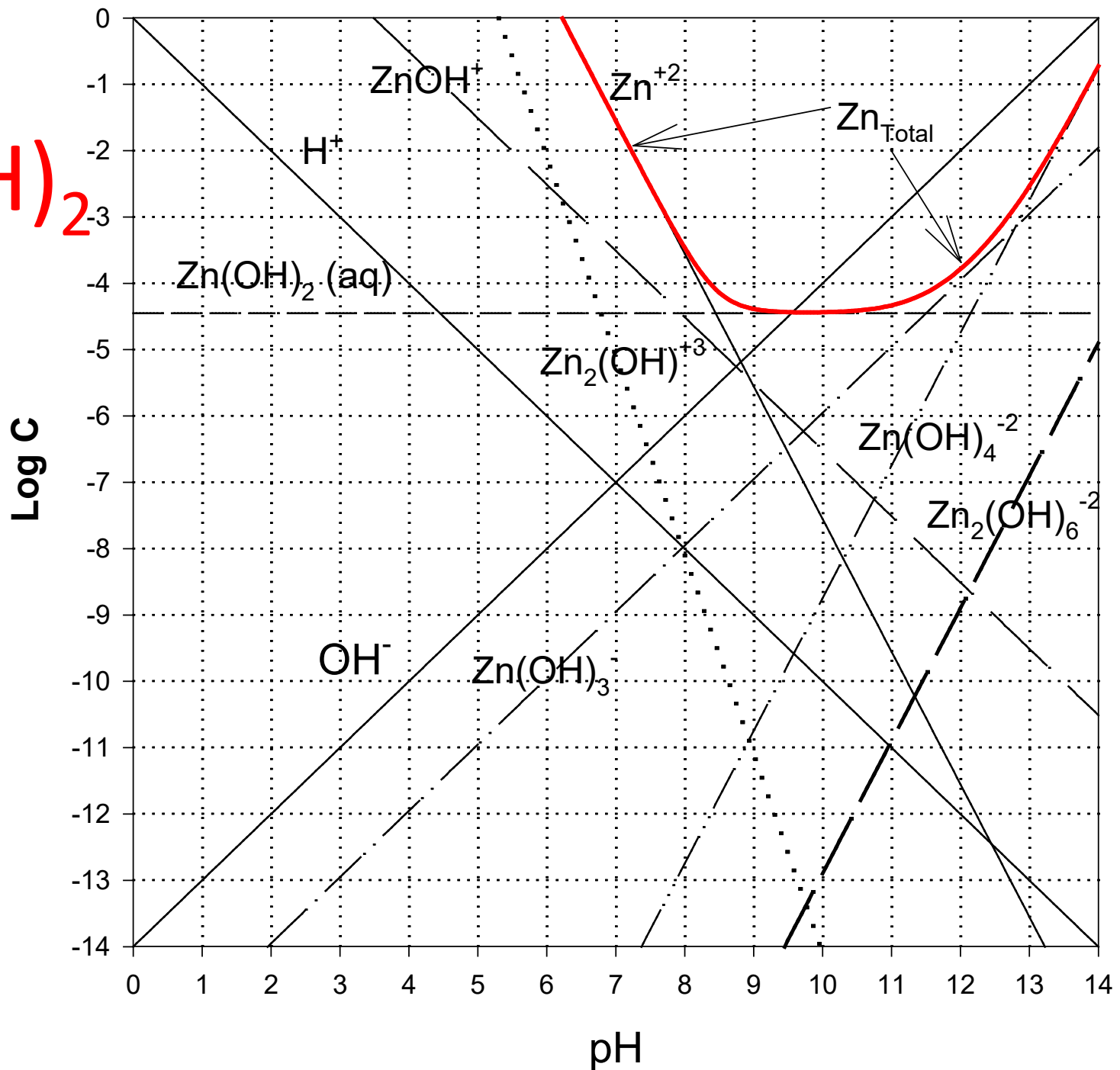
|              | log K   | delta: Hr (kJ/mol) | CO3-2 | Cl-1 | H+1 | H2O | Na+1 | Zn+2 |
|--------------|---------|--------------------|-------|------|-----|-----|------|------|
| H2CO3* (aq)  | 16.681  | -32                | 1     | 0    | 2   | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| HCO3-        | 10.329  | -14.6              | 1     | 0    | 1   | 0   | 0    | 0    |
| NaCl (aq)    | -3      | -8                 | 0     | 1    | 0   | 0   | 1    | 0    |
| NaCO3-       | 1.27    | -20.35             | 1     | 0    | 0   | 0   | 1    | 0    |
| NaHCO3 (aq)  | 10.029  | -28.3301           | 1     | 0    | 1   | 0   | 1    | 0    |
| NaOH (aq)    | -13.897 | 59.81              | 0     | 0    | -1  | 1   | 1    | 0    |
| OH-          | -13.997 | 55.81              | 0     | 0    | -1  | 1   | 0    | 0    |
| Zn(CO3)2-2   | 7.3     | 0                  | 2     | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0    | 1    |
| Zn(OH)2 (aq) | -16.894 | 0                  | 0     | 0    | -2  | 2   | 0    | 1    |
| Zn(OH)3-     | -28.391 | 0                  | 0     | 0    | -3  | 3   | 0    | 1    |
| Zn(OH)4-2    | -41.188 | 0                  | 0     | 0    | -4  | 4   | 0    | 1    |
| Zn2OH+3      | -8.997  | 63.81              | 0     | 0    | -1  | 1   | 0    | 2    |
| ZnCl+        | .46     | 5.4                | 0     | 1    | 0   | 0   | 0    | 1    |
| ZnCl2 (aq)   | .45     | 35.6               | 0     | 2    | 0   | 0   | 0    | 1    |
| ZnCl3-       | .5      | 40                 | 0     | 3    | 0   | 0   | 0    | 1    |
| ZnCl4-2      | .2      | 45.9               | 0     | 4    | 0   | 0   | 0    | 1    |
| ZnCO3 (aq)   | 4.76    | 0                  | 1     | 0    | 0   | 0   | 0    | 1    |

Figure 11.22 Aqueous species considered by Visual Minteq in the simulated titration of 0.02 M Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> with 0.1 M ZnCl<sub>2</sub>.



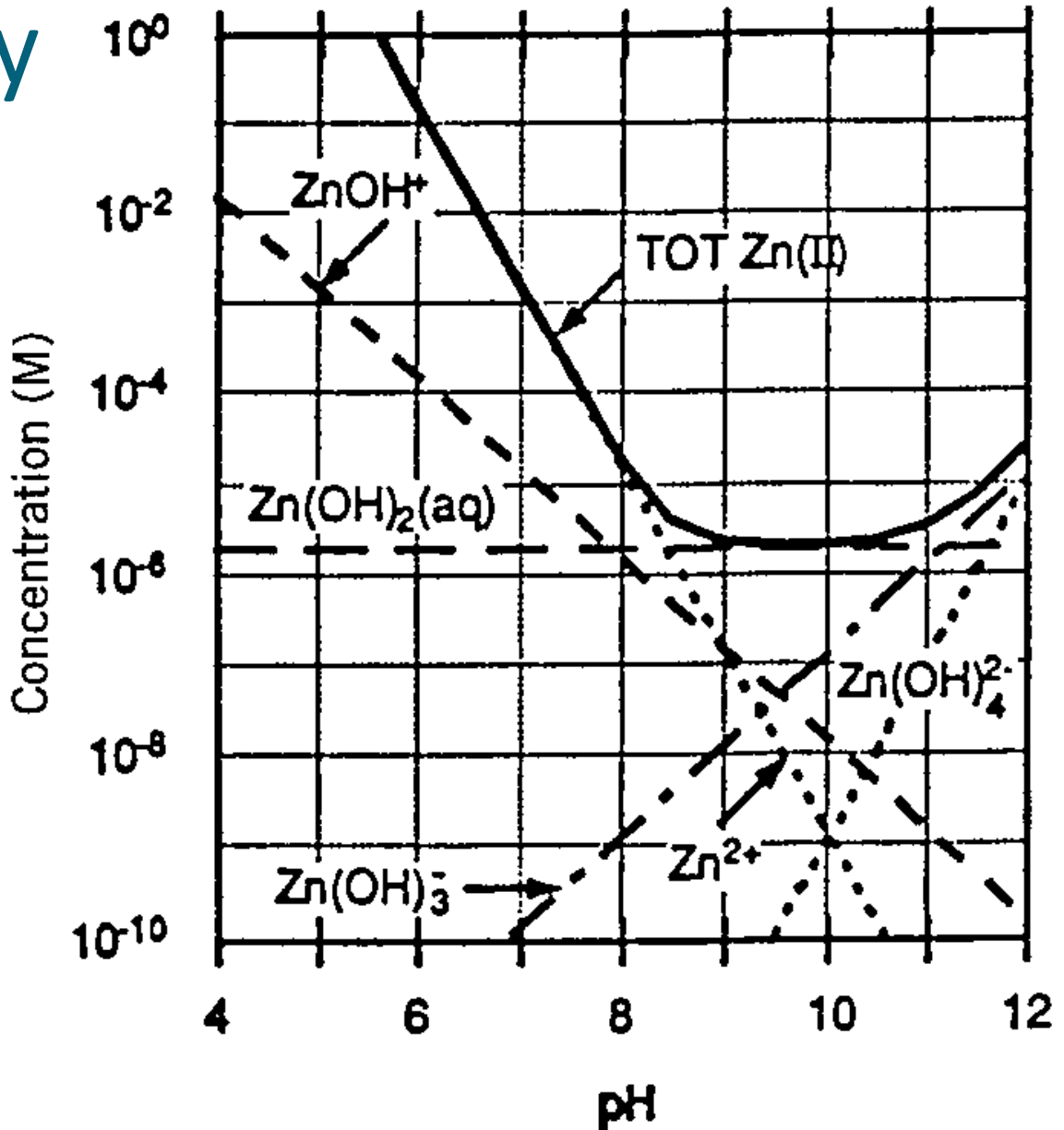
# Zn(OH)<sub>2</sub>

- Zn solubility
- Compare to Stumm & Morgan's fig. 6.8c, pg.273



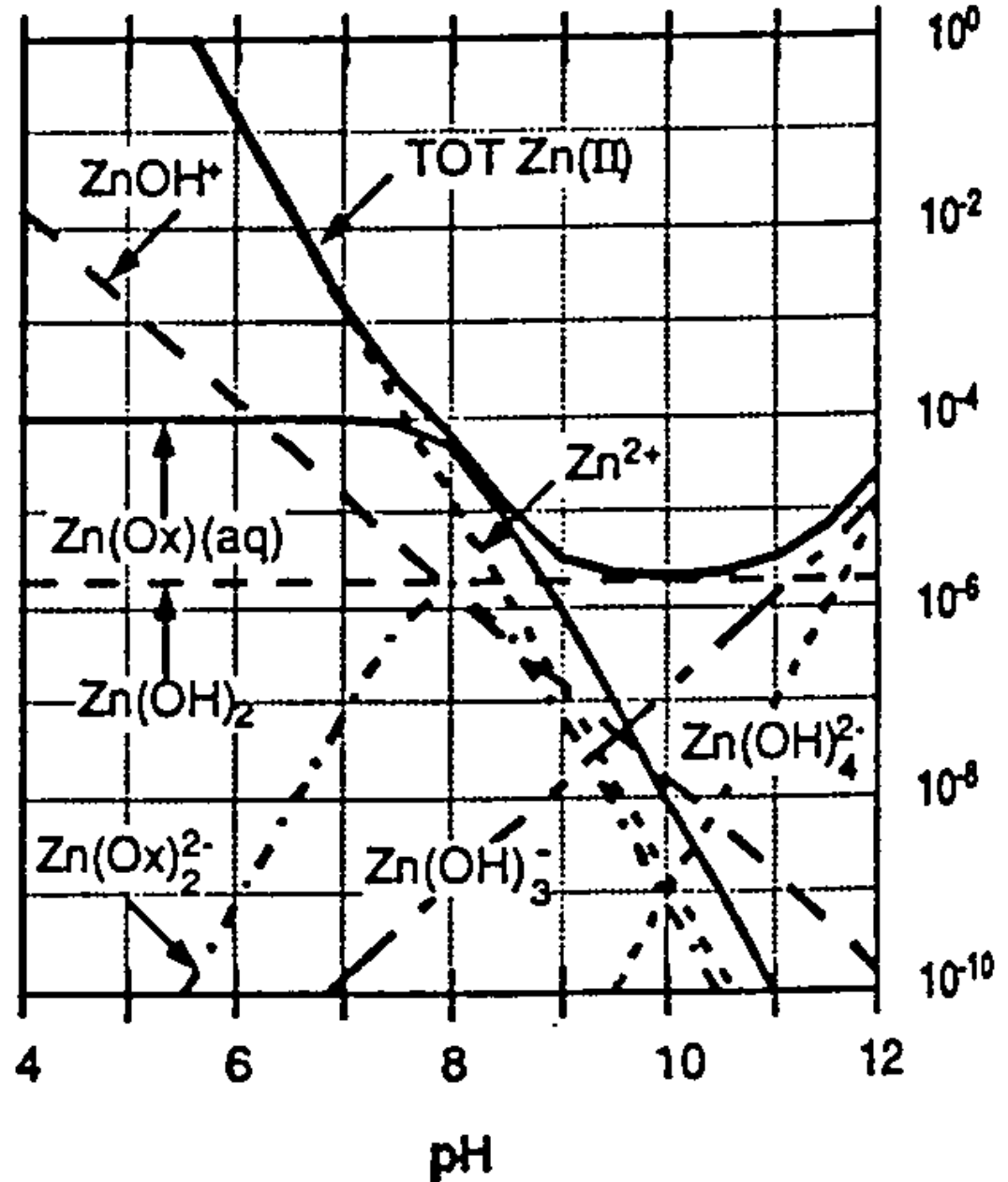
# ZnO solubility

Stumm &  
Morgan, 1996,  
Figure 7.6a, pg.  
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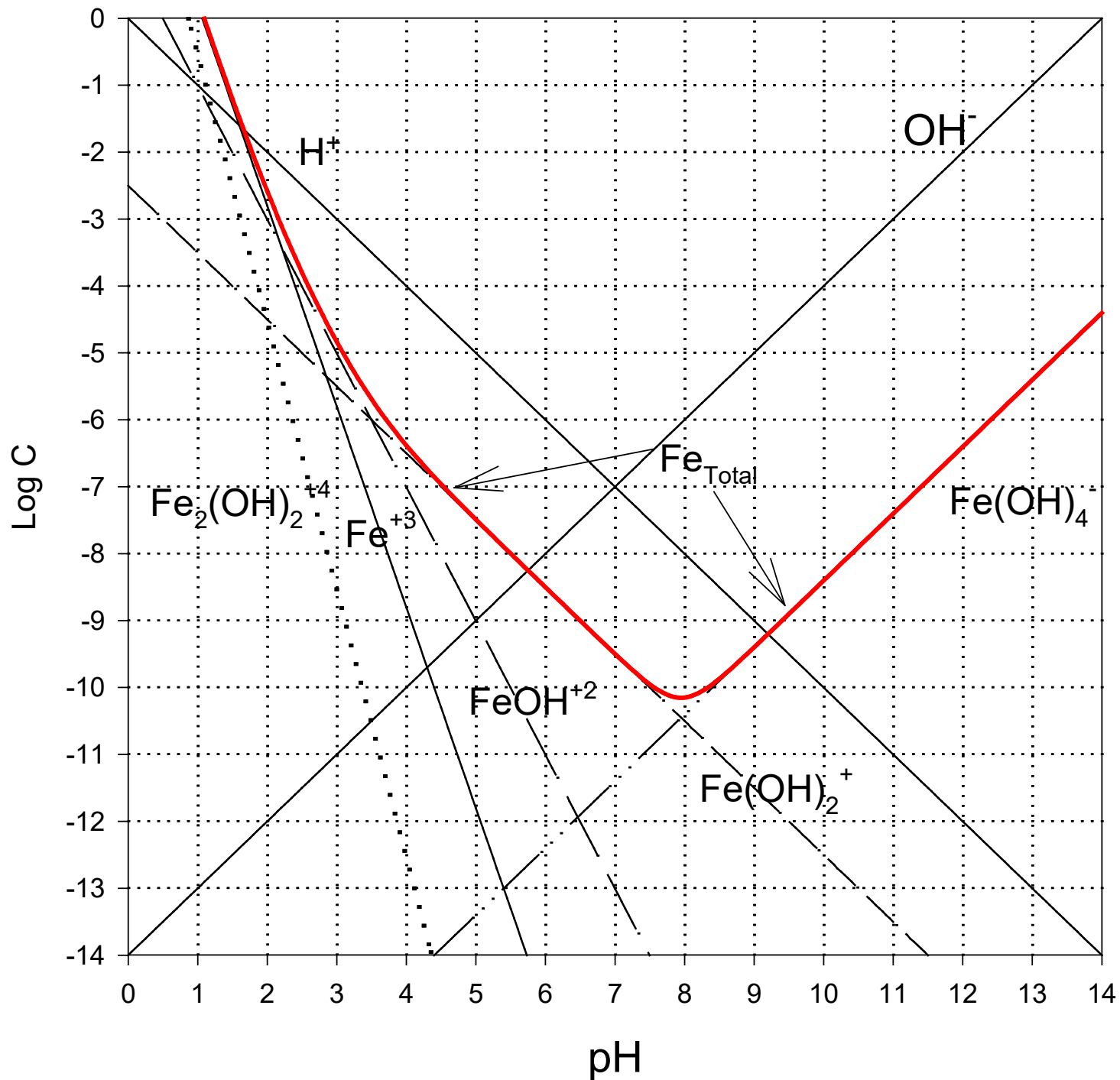
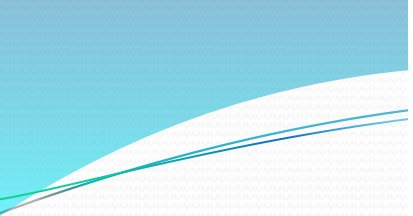


# ZnO solubility

- With oxalate
  - $10^{-4}$  M



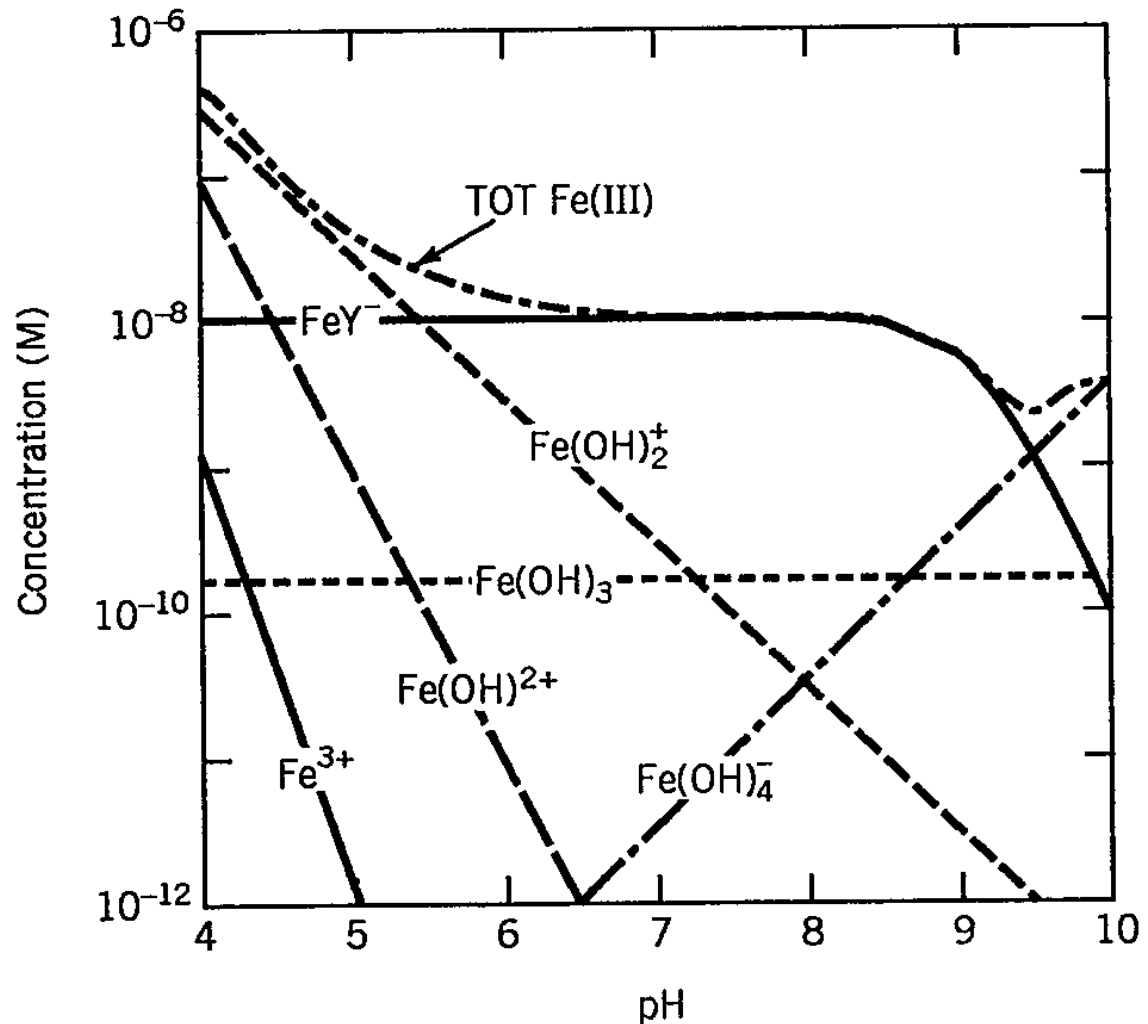
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Morgan, 1996,  
Figure 7.6b, pg.  
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# Fe with EDTA

- $10^{-8}$  M EDTA
  - Elevates solubility in mid-pH range

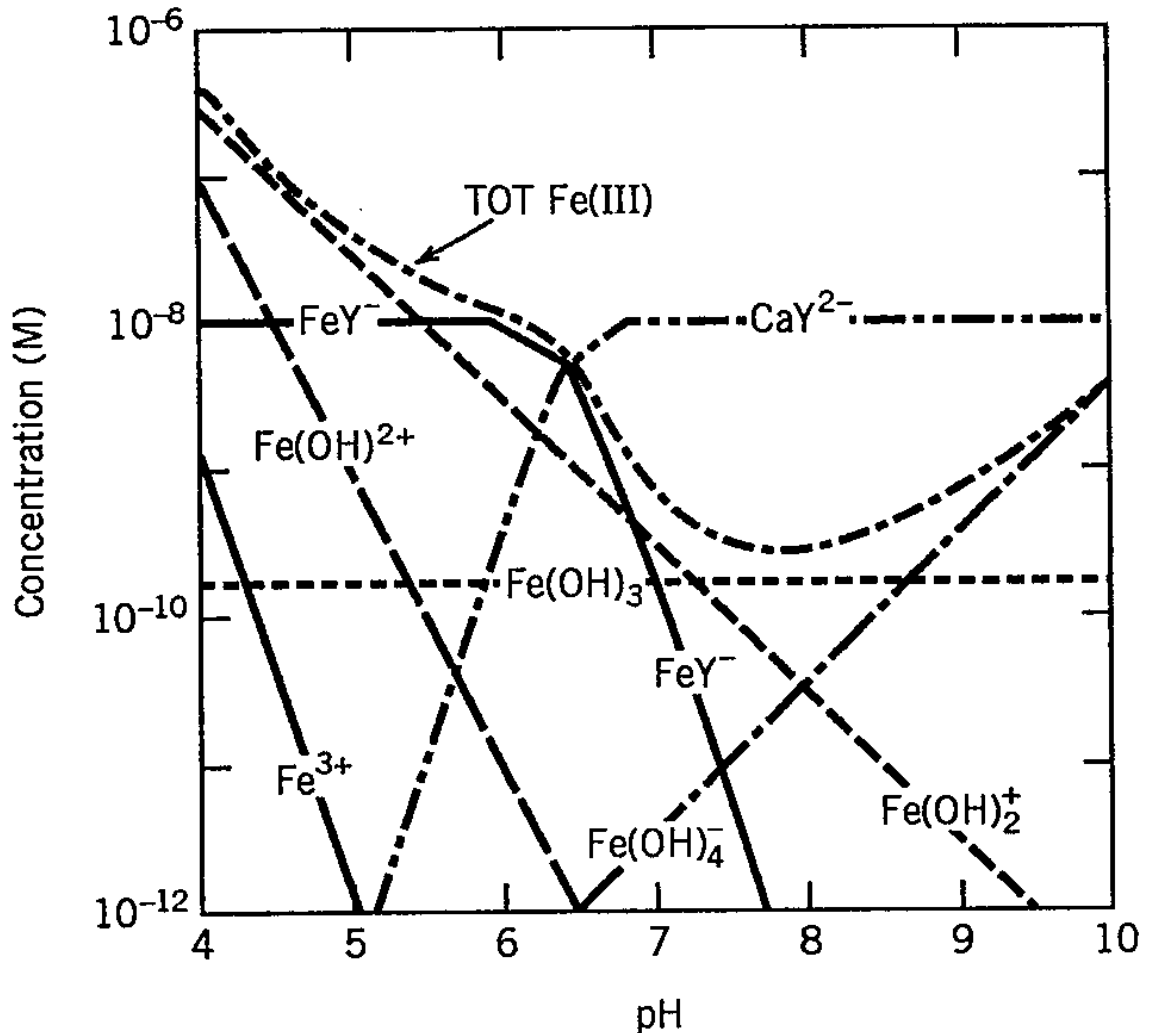
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Figure 7.7a, pg.  
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# Fe with EDTA & Ca

- $10^{-8}$  M EDTA
- $10^{-2}$  M Ca
- Mostly counteracts affect of EDTA

Stumm &  
Morgan, 1996,  
Figure 7.7b, pg.  
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- To next lecture