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### **Abstract**

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## **1 Introduction**

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In [1] it is shown that

$$E_K = \frac{RT}{zF} \ln \frac{[K^+]_{\text{out}}}{[K^+]_{\text{in}}}, \quad (1)$$

where  $R$  is the gas constant,  $T$  the absolute temperature in kelvin,  $z$  the valence of  $K^+$ ,  $F$  is Faraday's constant, and  $[K^+]_{\text{in}}$  and  $[K^+]_{\text{out}}$  are the concentrations of  $K^+$  inside and outside the cell. A generalization of this equation including sodium, potassium and chloride is the *Goldman-Hodgkin-Katz equation* which reads

$$E_K = \frac{RT}{F} \ln \frac{P_K[K^+]_{\text{out}} + P_{Na}[Na^+]_{\text{out}} + P_{Cl}[Cl^-]_{\text{in}}}{P_K[K^+]_{\text{in}} + P_{Na}[Na^+]_{\text{in}} + P_{Cl}[Cl^-]_{\text{out}}},$$

where the  $P_j$ 's are the permeabilities of each of the three ionic species. In Tab. 1 typical ion concentrations and Nernst potentials are listed for a squid axon and a mammalian cell.

**Theorem (Gauss-Ostrogradsky)** *If  $f$  and its first derivative are continuous in the volume  $V$  as well on its surface  $\partial V$ , then*

$$\int_V \nabla \cdot \mathbf{f} \, d\mathbf{r} = \int_{\partial V} \mathbf{f} \cdot d\mathbf{s}.$$

### 3 Tables and Figures



(a) Caption1



(b) Caption2

Figure 1: Main caption.

Table 1: Some ion concentrations and Nernst potentials according to (1).

Ion	Inside (mM)	Outside (mM)	Nernst potential (mV)
Frog muscle			$T = 20^\circ\text{C} = 293^\circ\text{K}$
$\text{K}^+$	124	2.25	-101
$\text{Na}^+$	10.4	109	+59
$\text{Cl}^-$	1.5	77.5	-99
Squid axon			$T = 20^\circ\text{C} = 293^\circ\text{K}$
$\text{K}^+$	400	20	-75
$\text{Na}^+$	50	440	+55
$\text{Cl}^-$	40 to 150	560	-66 to -33
Mammalian cell			$T = 37^\circ\text{C} = 310^\circ\text{K}$
$\text{K}^+$	140	5	-89.7
$\text{Na}^+$	5 to 15	145	+90 to +61
$\text{Cl}^-$	4	110	-89

from Johnston and Wu [2]

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