Exam 31.01.2024

- 1. Discuss the Goldman-Hodgkin-Katz (GHK-) current equation by providing a graph for the i V relation. Assume a single permeant, univalent cation present at tenfold increased concentration inside the cell. What can be learned from the voltage if i = 0?
- 2. Why is external pressure required for forming a lipid monolayer at the air-water interface, whereas lipid bilayers can form highly compressed structures without external pressure? (please provide a sketch and a brief explanation)
- 3. Mobility in membranes can be determined by the equation $\langle x^2 \rangle \propto t^{\alpha}$, where $\langle x^2 \rangle$ describes the mean square displacement. Discuss which modes of motion can be characterized by $\alpha < 1$, $\alpha = 1$, $\alpha > 1$. What can be the molecular origin of these processes?

Exam 01.02.23

- 1. Cooperativity: how cells are activated
- 2. Explain why the partial specific volume of a protein is generally not identical to the reciprocal density of the pure protein substance?
- 3. Why is external pressure required for forming a lipid monolayer at the air-water interface, whereas lipid bilayers can form highly compressed structures without external pressure? (please provide a sketch and a brief explanation)
- 4. Transport: different types of movement: where do they come from? <x>, α -coefficient which movement can be explained

Exam 08.02.22

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Exam 03.21:

- 1. Goldman-Hodgkin-Katz current equation
- 2. loaded particle: probability distribution
- 3. explain why reciprocal density ≠ partial specific volume

Exam 2018

- 1. Sie haben eine Zelle, mit einem Oberflächenpotential auf der Membran. Wie und wodurch wird dieses Potential abgeschirmt. Skizze.
- 2. Transportprozesse, welche Art (directed, random diffusion) erwarten Sie wo, wodurch kommen sie zu Stande.
- 3. Membran, Arten, wie formen sie sich, innerer Druck in Membranen