

SBML Model Report

Model name:
“Koschorreck2008_InsulinClearance”



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1 General Overview

This is a document in SBML Level 2 Version 4 format. This model was created by Ishan Ajmera¹ at August fifth 2011 at 9:33 a. m. and last time modified at October tenth 2014 at 10:32 a. m. Table 1 shows an overview of the quantities of all components of this model.

Table 1: Number of components in this model, which are described in the following sections.

Element	Quantity	Element	Quantity
compartment types	0	compartments	1
species types	0	species	13
events	0	constraints	0
reactions	0	function definitions	0
global parameters	58	unit definitions	0
rules	52	initial assignments	0

Model Notes

This model is from the article:

Mathematical modeling and analysis of insulin clearance in vivo.

Koschorreck M, Gilles ED. BMC Syst Biol. 2008 May 13;2:43. [18477391](#),

Abstract:

BACKGROUND: Analyzing the dynamics of insulin concentration in the blood is necessary for a comprehensive understanding of the effects of insulin in vivo. Insulin removal from the blood

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has been addressed in many studies. The results are highly variable with respect to insulin clearance and the relative contributions of hepatic and renal insulin degradation. **RESULTS:** We present a dynamic mathematical model of insulin concentration in the blood and of insulin receptor activation in hepatocytes. The model describes renal and hepatic insulin degradation, pancreatic insulin secretion and nonspecific insulin binding in the liver. Hepatic insulin receptor activation by insulin binding, receptor internalization and autophosphorylation is explicitly included in the model. We present a detailed mathematical analysis of insulin degradation and insulin clearance. Stationary model analysis shows that degradation rates, relative contributions of the different tissues to total insulin degradation and insulin clearance highly depend on the insulin concentration. **CONCLUSION:** This study provides a detailed dynamic model of insulin concentration in the blood and of insulin receptor activation in hepatocytes. Experimental data sets from literature are used for the model validation. We show that essential dynamic and stationary characteristics of insulin degradation are nonlinear and depend on the actual insulin concentration.

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2 Unit Definitions

This is an overview of five unit definitions which are all predefined by SBML and not mentioned in the model.

2.1 Unit `substance`

Notes Mole is the predefined SBML unit for substance.

Definition mol

2.2 Unit `volume`

Notes Litre is the predefined SBML unit for volume.

Definition l

2.3 Unit `area`

Notes Square metre is the predefined SBML unit for area since SBML Level 2 Version 1.

Definition m²

2.4 Unit `length`

Notes Metre is the predefined SBML unit for `length` since SBML Level 2 Version 1.

Definition `m`

2.5 Unit `time`

Notes Second is the predefined SBML unit for `time`.

Definition `s`

3 Compartment

This model contains one compartment.

Table 2: Properties of all compartments.

Id	Name	SBO	Spatial Dimensions	Size	Unit	Constant	Outside
compartment1	compartment1		3	1	litre	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

3.1 Compartment `compartment1`

This is a three dimensional compartment with a constant size of one litre.

Name `compartment1`

4 Species

This model contains 13 species. The boundary condition of 13 of these species is set to `true` so that these species' amount cannot be changed by any reaction. Section 7 provides further details and the derived rates of change of each species.

Table 3: Properties of each species.

Id	Name	Compartment	Derived Unit	Constant	Boundary Condi- tion
R	R	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ins	ins	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
IR	IR	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
I2R	I2R	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rp	Rp	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
IRp	IRp	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
I2Rp	I2Rp	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Ren	Ren	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
IRen	IRen	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
I2Ren	I2Ren	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
RPen	RPen	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
IRPen	IRPen	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
I2RPen	I2RPen	compartment1	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

5 Parameters

This model contains 58 global parameters.

Table 4: Properties of each parameter.

Id	Name	SBO	Value	Unit	Constant
kins	kins	0000009	0.001		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
kins1d	kins1d	0000180		$4 \cdot 10^{-4}$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
kins2d	kins2d	0000180	0.040		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
kins1den	kins1den	0000180	0.002		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
kins2den	kins2den	0000180	0.004		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
kyd	kyd	0000330	0.004		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
kyden	kyden	0000330	0.007		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
kyp	kyp	0000216	0.023		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
intk1	intk1	0000009		$5.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
intk2	intk2	0000009		$2 \cdot 10^{-4}$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
reck1	reck1	0000009	0.002		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rtotal	Rtotal	0000009	40.000		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k1ub	k1ub	0000009	0.350		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k2ub	k2ub	0000180	0.200		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
pansec	pansec	0000009	0.002		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Kpan	Kpan	0000009	0.500		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
mliver	mliver	0000504	10.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
vp	vp	0000468	0.007		<input type="checkbox"/>
rholiver	rholiver	0000226	1051.000		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
vhep	vhep	0000468	0.007		<input type="checkbox"/>
vd	vd	0000468	0.002		<input type="checkbox"/>
mkidney	mkidney	0000504	1.478		<input type="checkbox"/>
Kkidney	Kkidney	0000009	$3.32608695652174 \cdot 10^{-5}$		<input type="checkbox"/>
r1	r1	0000009	3.538		<input type="checkbox"/>
r2	r2	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
r3	r3	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
r4	r4	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
r5	r5	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
r6	r6	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
r7	r7	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
i1	i1	0000216	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
i2	i2	0000216	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
i3	i3	0000216	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
i4	i4	0000216	$-1.70974345792274 \cdot 10^{-17}$		<input type="checkbox"/>
i5	i5	0000216	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
i6	i6	0000216	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
i7	i7	0000216	$3.20632409511745 \cdot 10^{-17}$		<input type="checkbox"/>

Id	Name	SBO	Value	Unit	Constant
f1	f1	0000009	$-4.78999999985533 \cdot 10^{-8}$		<input type="checkbox"/>
f2	f2	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
f3	f3	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
f4	f4	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
f5	f5	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
f6	f6	0000009	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
bw	bw	0000002	200.000		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
parameter_1	rliv	0000179	3.890		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_2	rkid	0000179	0.493		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_3	Ratetotal	0000064	4.383		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_4	Fracliver	0000009	88.758		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_5	Frackidney	0000009	11.242		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_6	C liver	0000009	1.576		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_7	C kidney	0000009	0.200		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_8	C total	0000009	1.775		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_9	ReceptorIns	0000064	$-1.11022302462516 \cdot 10^{-16}$		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_10	ReceptorIns2	0000064	$-1.11022302462516 \cdot 10^{-16}$		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_11	ReceptorInsPM	0000064	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_12	ReceptorIns2PM	0000064	0.000		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_13	ReceptorInsEN	0000064	$-1.11022302462516 \cdot 10^{-16}$		<input type="checkbox"/>
parameter_14	ReceptorIns2EN	0000064	$-1.11022302462516 \cdot 10^{-16}$		<input type="checkbox"/>

6 Rules

This is an overview of 52 rules.

6.1 Rule `mkidney`

Rule `mkidney` is an assignment rule for parameter `mkidney`:

$$\text{mkidney} = \frac{2 \cdot 0.85 \cdot \text{bw}}{230} \quad (1)$$

6.2 Rule `mliver`

Rule `mliver` is an assignment rule for parameter `mliver`:

$$\text{mliver} = 0.05 \cdot \text{bw} \quad (2)$$

6.3 Rule `vp`

Rule `vp` is an assignment rule for parameter `vp`:

$$\text{vp} = 0.03375 \cdot 10^3 \cdot \text{bw} \quad (3)$$

6.4 Rule v_{hep}

Rule v_{hep} is an assignment rule for parameter v_{hep} :

$$v_{hep} = \frac{m_{liver}}{r_{holiver}} \cdot 0.78 \quad (4)$$

6.5 Rule v_d

Rule v_d is an assignment rule for parameter v_d :

$$v_d = 0.272 \cdot 10^3 \cdot v_{hep} \cdot r_{holiver} \quad (5)$$

6.6 Rule $I2R_{Pen}$

Rule $I2R_{Pen}$ is an assignment rule for species $I2R_{Pen}$:

$$I2R_{Pen} = R_{total} - [R] - [IR] - [I2R] - [Rp] - [IRp] - [I2Rp] - [Ren] - [IRen] - [I2Ren] - [RPen] - [IRPen] \quad (6)$$

6.7 Rule K_{kidney}

Rule K_{kidney} is an assignment rule for parameter K_{kidney} :

$$K_{kidney} = 0.0225 \cdot 10^3 \cdot m_{kidney} \quad (7)$$

6.8 Rule r_1

Rule r_1 is an assignment rule for parameter r_1 :

$$r_1 = k_{ins} \cdot [R] \cdot [ins] - k_{ins1d} \cdot [IR] \quad (8)$$

6.9 Rule r_2

Rule r_2 is an assignment rule for parameter r_2 :

$$r_2 = k_{ins} \cdot [Rp] \cdot [ins] - k_{ins1d} \cdot [IRp] \quad (9)$$

6.10 Rule r_3

Rule r_3 is an assignment rule for parameter r_3 :

$$r_3 = k_{ins} \cdot [IR] \cdot [ins] - k_{ins2d} \cdot [I2R] \quad (10)$$

6.11 Rule r_4

Rule r_4 is an assignment rule for parameter r_4 :

$$r_4 = k_{ins} \cdot [IRp] \cdot [ins] - k_{ins2d} \cdot [I2Rp] \quad (11)$$

6.12 Rule r_5

Rule r_5 is an assignment rule for parameter r_5 :

$$r_5 = k_{yd} \cdot [R_p] \quad (12)$$

6.13 Rule r_6

Rule r_6 is an assignment rule for parameter r_6 :

$$r_6 = k_{yp} \cdot [I_R] - k_{yd} \cdot [I_{R_p}] \quad (13)$$

6.14 Rule r_7

Rule r_7 is an assignment rule for parameter r_7 :

$$r_7 = k_{yp} \cdot [I_{2R}] - k_{yd} \cdot [I_{2R_p}] \quad (14)$$

6.15 Rule i_1

Rule i_1 is an assignment rule for parameter i_1 :

$$i_1 = k_{ins1den} \cdot [I_{Ren}] \quad (15)$$

6.16 Rule i_2

Rule i_2 is an assignment rule for parameter i_2 :

$$i_2 = k_{ins1den} \cdot [I_{R_{Pen}}] \quad (16)$$

6.17 Rule i_3

Rule i_3 is an assignment rule for parameter i_3 :

$$i_3 = k_{ins2den} \cdot [I_{2Ren}] \quad (17)$$

6.18 Rule i_4

Rule i_4 is an assignment rule for parameter i_4 :

$$i_4 = k_{ins2den} \cdot [I_{2R_{Pen}}] \quad (18)$$

6.19 Rule i_5

Rule i_5 is an assignment rule for parameter i_5 :

$$i_5 = k_{yden} \cdot [R_{Pen}] \quad (19)$$

6.20 Rule i6

Rule i6 is an assignment rule for parameter i6:

$$i6 = kyp \cdot [IRen] - kyden \cdot [IRPen] \quad (20)$$

6.21 Rule i7

Rule i7 is an assignment rule for parameter i7:

$$i7 = kyp \cdot [I2Ren] - kyden \cdot [I2RPen] \quad (21)$$

6.22 Rule f1

Rule f1 is an assignment rule for parameter f1:

$$f1 = intk2 \cdot [R] - reck1 \cdot [Ren] \quad (22)$$

6.23 Rule f2

Rule f2 is an assignment rule for parameter f2:

$$f2 = intk2 \cdot [IR] \quad (23)$$

6.24 Rule f3

Rule f3 is an assignment rule for parameter f3:

$$f3 = intk2 \cdot [I2R] \quad (24)$$

6.25 Rule f4

Rule f4 is an assignment rule for parameter f4:

$$f4 = intk1 \cdot [Rp] - reck1 \cdot [RPen] \quad (25)$$

6.26 Rule f5

Rule f5 is an assignment rule for parameter f5:

$$f5 = intk1 \cdot [IRp] \quad (26)$$

6.27 Rule f6

Rule f6 is an assignment rule for parameter f6:

$$f6 = intk1 \cdot [I2Rp] \quad (27)$$

6.28 Rule `parameter_1`

Rule `parameter_1` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_1`:

$$\text{parameter_1} = \frac{(r1 - r2 - r3 - r4) \cdot \text{vhcp}}{\text{vp}} \quad (28)$$

6.29 Rule `parameter_2`

Rule `parameter_2` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_2`:

$$\text{parameter_2} = \frac{\text{Kkidney} \cdot [\text{ins}]}{\text{vp}} \quad (29)$$

6.30 Rule `parameter_3`

Rule `parameter_3` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_3`:

$$\text{parameter_3} = \text{parameter_2} + \text{parameter_1} \quad (30)$$

6.31 Rule `parameter_4`

Rule `parameter_4` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_4`:

$$\text{parameter_4} = \frac{\text{parameter_1}}{\text{parameter_1} + \text{parameter_2}} \cdot 100 \quad (31)$$

6.32 Rule `parameter_5`

Rule `parameter_5` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_5`:

$$\text{parameter_5} = \frac{\text{parameter_2}}{\text{parameter_2} + \text{parameter_1}} \cdot 100 \quad (32)$$

6.33 Rule `parameter_6`

Rule `parameter_6` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_6`:

$$\text{parameter_6} = \frac{\text{parameter_1} \cdot \text{vp} \cdot 6000}{[\text{ins}]} \quad (33)$$

6.34 Rule `parameter_7`

Rule `parameter_7` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_7`:

$$\text{parameter_7} = \frac{\text{parameter_2} \cdot \text{vp} \cdot 6000}{[\text{ins}]} \quad (34)$$

6.35 Rule `parameter_8`

Rule `parameter_8` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_8`:

$$\text{parameter_8} = \text{parameter_7} + \text{parameter_6} \quad (35)$$

6.36 Rule `parameter_9`

Rule `parameter_9` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_9`:

$$\text{parameter_9} = \frac{R_{\text{total}} - [R] - [Rp] - [Ren] - [RPen]}{R_{\text{total}}} \quad (36)$$

6.37 Rule `parameter_11`

Rule `parameter_11` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_11`:

$$\text{parameter_11} = \frac{[IR] + [I2R] + [IRp] + [I2Rp]}{R_{\text{total}}} \quad (37)$$

6.38 Rule `parameter_10`

Rule `parameter_10` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_10`:

$$\text{parameter_10} = \frac{[I2R] + [I2Ren] + [I2Rp] + [I2RPen]}{R_{\text{total}}} \quad (38)$$

6.39 Rule `parameter_12`

Rule `parameter_12` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_12`:

$$\text{parameter_12} = \frac{[I2R] + [I2Rp]}{R_{\text{total}}} \quad (39)$$

6.40 Rule `parameter_13`

Rule `parameter_13` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_13`:

$$\text{parameter_13} = \text{parameter_9} - \text{parameter_11} \quad (40)$$

6.41 Rule `parameter_14`

Rule `parameter_14` is an assignment rule for parameter `parameter_14`:

$$\text{parameter_14} = \text{parameter_10} - \text{parameter_12} \quad (41)$$

6.42 Rule `R`

Rule `R` is a rate rule for species `R`:

$$\frac{d}{dt}R = r1 + r5 - f1 \quad (42)$$

6.43 Rule IR

Rule IR is a rate rule for species IR:

$$\frac{d}{dt}IR = r1 - r3 - r6 - f2 \quad (43)$$

6.44 Rule I2R

Rule I2R is a rate rule for species I2R:

$$\frac{d}{dt}I2R = r3 - r7 - f3 \quad (44)$$

6.45 Rule Rp

Rule Rp is a rate rule for species Rp:

$$\frac{d}{dt}Rp = r2 - r5 - f4 \quad (45)$$

6.46 Rule IRp

Rule IRp is a rate rule for species IRp:

$$\frac{d}{dt}IRp = r2 - r4 + r6 - f5 \quad (46)$$

6.47 Rule I2Rp

Rule I2Rp is a rate rule for species I2Rp:

$$\frac{d}{dt}I2Rp = r4 + r7 - f6 \quad (47)$$

6.48 Rule Ren

Rule Ren is a rate rule for species Ren:

$$\frac{d}{dt}Ren = i1 + i5 + f1 \quad (48)$$

6.49 Rule IRen

Rule IRen is a rate rule for species IRen:

$$\frac{d}{dt}IRen = i1 + i3 - i6 + f2 \quad (49)$$

6.50 Rule I2Ren

Rule I2Ren is a rate rule for species I2Ren:

$$\frac{d}{dt}I2Ren = i3 - i7 + f3 \quad (50)$$

6.51 Rule RPen

Rule RPen is a rate rule for species RPen:

$$\frac{d}{dt}RPen = i2 - i5 + f4 \quad (51)$$

6.52 Rule IRPen

Rule IRPen is a rate rule for species IRPen:

$$\frac{d}{dt}IRPen = i2 + i4 + i6 + f5 \quad (52)$$

7 Derived Rate Equations

When interpreted as an ordinary differential equation framework, this model implies the following set of equations for the rates of change of each species.

7.1 Species R

Name R

SBO:0000244 receptor

Initial concentration 35.3837 mol · l⁻¹

Involved in rule R

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.2 Species ins

Name ins

SBO:0000252 polypeptide chain

Initial concentration 100 mol · l⁻¹

$$\frac{d}{dt}ins = 0 \quad (53)$$

7.3 Species [IR](#)

Name IR

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [IR](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.4 Species [I2R](#)

Name I2R

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [I2R](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.5 Species [Rp](#)

Name Rp

SBO:0000244 receptor

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [Rp](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.6 Species [IRp](#)

Name IRp

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [IRp](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.7 Species [I2Rp](#)

Name I2Rp

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [I2Rp](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.8 Species [Ren](#)

Name Ren

SBO:0000244 receptor

Initial concentration $4.6163 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [Ren](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.9 Species [IRen](#)

Name IRen

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [IRen](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.10 Species [I2Ren](#)

Name I2Ren

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [I2Ren](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.11 Species [RPen](#)

Name RPen

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [RPen](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.12 Species [IRPen](#)

Name IRPen

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [IRPen](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

7.13 Species [I2RPen](#)

Name I2RPen

SBO:0000297 protein complex

Initial concentration $-4.44089209850063 \cdot 10^{-15} \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

Involved in rule [I2RPen](#)

One rule determines the species' quantity.

A Glossary of Systems Biology Ontology Terms

SBO:0000002 quantitative systems description parameter: A numerical value that defines certain characteristics of systems or system functions. It may be part of a calculation, but its value is not determined by the form of the equation itself, and may be arbitrarily assigned

SBO:0000009 kinetic constant: Numerical parameter that quantifies the velocity of a chemical reaction

SBO:0000064 mathematical expression: Formal representation of a calculus linking parameters and variables of a model

- SBO:0000179 degradation:** Complete disappearance of a physical entity
- SBO:0000180 dissociation:** Transformation of a non-covalent complex that results in the formation of several independent biochemical entities
- SBO:0000216 phosphorylation:** Addition of a phosphate group ($\text{-H}_2\text{PO}_4$) to a chemical entity
- SBO:0000226 density of an entity pool:** A quantitative measure of an amount or property of an entity expressed in terms of another dimension, such as unit length, area or volume
- SBO:0000244 receptor:** Participating entity that binds to a specific physical entity and initiates the response to that physical entity. The original concept of the receptor was introduced independently at the end of the 19th century by John Newport Langley (1852-1925) and Paul Ehrlich (1854-1915). Langley JN. On the reaction of cells and of nerve-endings to certain poisons, chiefly as regards the reaction of striated muscle to nicotine and to curari. J Physiol. 1905 Dec 30;33(4-5):374-413
- SBO:0000252 polypeptide chain:** Naturally occurring macromolecule formed by the repetition of amino-acid residues linked by peptidic bonds. A polypeptide chain is synthesized by the ribosome. CHEBI:1654
- SBO:0000297 protein complex:** Macromolecular complex containing one or more polypeptide chains possibly associated with simple chemicals. CHEBI:3608
- SBO:0000330 dephosphorylation:** Removal of a phosphate group ($\text{-H}_2\text{PO}_4$) from a chemical entity.
- SBO:0000468 volume:** A quantity representing the three-dimensional space occupied by all or part of an object
- SBO:0000504 mass of an entity pool:** The mass that comprises an entity pool

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