



## Equilibrium constants for hydrolysis and associated equilibria in critical compilations

## Dysprosium

Equilibrium reactions	lgK at infinite dilution and T = 298 K	
	Baes and Mesmer, 1976	Brown and Ekberg, 2016
$Dy^{3+} + H_2O \rightleftharpoons DyOH^{2+} + H^+$	-8.0	-7.53 ± 0.14
$Dy^{3+} + 2 H_2O \rightleftharpoons Dy(OH)_2^+ + 2 H^+$	(-16.2)	
$Dy^{3+} + 3 H_2O \rightleftharpoons Dy(OH)_3 + 3 H^+$	(-24.7)	
$Dy^{3+} + 4 H_2O \rightleftharpoons Dy(OH)_4^- + 4 H^+$	-33.5	
2 Dy <sup>3+</sup> + 2 H <sub>2</sub> O $\rightleftharpoons$ Dy <sub>2</sub> (OH) <sub>2</sub> <sup>4+</sup> + 2 H <sup>+</sup>		-13.76 ± 0.20
3 Dy <sup>3+</sup> + 5 H <sub>2</sub> O $\rightleftharpoons$ Dy <sub>3</sub> (OH) <sub>5</sub> <sup>4+</sup> + 5 H <sup>+</sup>		-30.6 ± 0.3
$Dy(OH)_3(s) + 3 H^+ \rightleftharpoons Dy^{3+} + 3 H_2O$	15.9	16.26 ± 0.30
$Dy(OH)_3(c) + OH^- \rightleftharpoons Dy(OH)_4^-$	-3.6 ± 0.3	
$Dy(OH)_3(c) \rightleftharpoons Dy(OH)_3$	-8.8	

C.F. Baes and R.E. Mesmer, The Hydrolysis of Cations. Wiley, New York, 1976, p. 137.

P.L. Brown and C. Ekberg, Hydrolysis of Metal Ions. Wiley, 2016, pp. 247, 250–251 and 290–292.

## Distribution diagrams

These diagrams have been computed at two Dy concentrations (1 mM =  $1x10^{-3}$  mol L<sup>-1</sup> and 1  $\mu$ M =  $1x10^{-6}$  mol L<sup>-1</sup>) with the 'best' equilibrium constants above (in green). Calculations assume T = 298 K for the limiting case of zero ionic strength (*i.e.*, even neglecting plotted ions).



