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Plutonium(III)

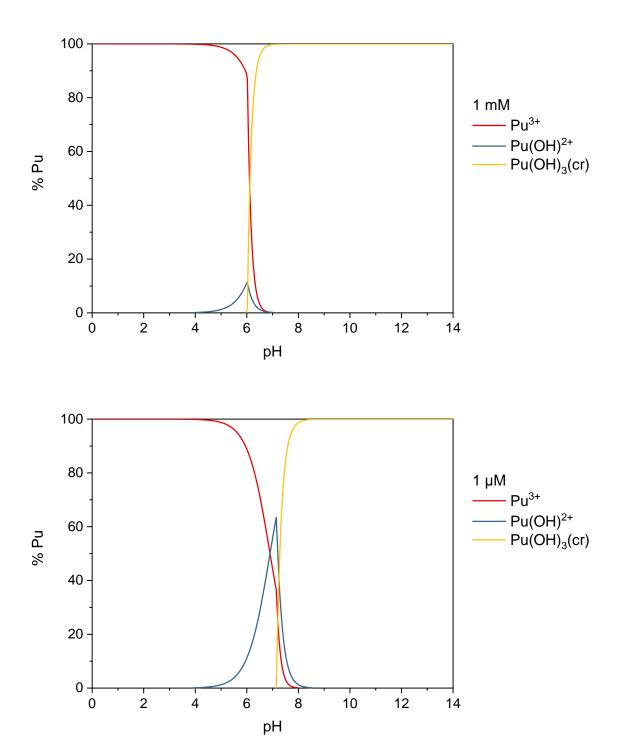
Equilibrium reactions	$\lg K$ at infinite dilution and $T = 298 \text{ K}$			
	Baes and Mesmer, 1976	NIST46	Brown and Ekberg, 2016	Grenthe et al., 2020
$Pu^{3+} + H_2O \rightleftharpoons PuOH^{2+} + H^+$		-7.0	-6.9 ± 0.2	-6.9 ± 0.3
$Pu^{3+} + 3 H_2O \rightleftharpoons Pu(OH)_3(cr) + 3 H^+$	-19.65		-15.8 ± 0.8	-15 ± 1

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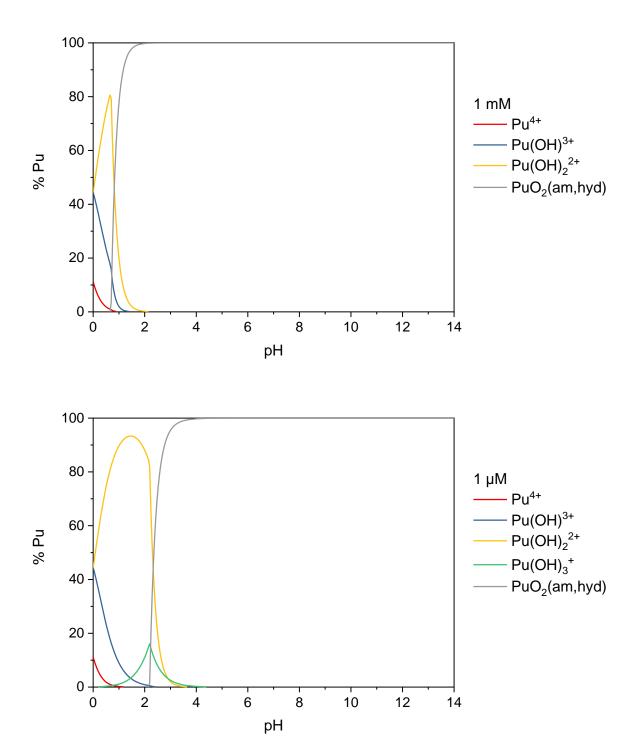
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Plutonium(IV)

Equilibrium reactions	$\lg K$ at infinite dilution and $T = 298 \text{ K}$			
	Baes and Mesmer, 1976	NIST46	Brown and Ekberg, 2016	Grenthe et al., 2020
$Pu^{4+} + H_2O \rightleftharpoons PuOH^{3+} + H^+$	-0.5	-0.5	-0.7 ± 0.1	0.6 ± 0.2
$Pu^{4+} + 2 H_2O \rightleftharpoons Pu(OH)_2^{2+} + 2 H^+$	(-2.3)			0.6 ± 0.3
$Pu^{4+} + 3 H_2O \rightleftharpoons Pu(OH)_3^+ + 3 H^+$	(-5.3)			-2.3 ± 0.4
$Pu^{4+} + 4 H_2O \rightleftharpoons Pu(OH)_4 + 4 H^+$	-9.5		-12.5 ± 0.7	-8.5 ± 0.5
$Pu^{4+} + 4 OH^{-} \rightleftharpoons PuO_2(am, hyd) + 2 H_2O$	49.5		47.9 ± 0.4 (0w)	58.3 ± 0.5
			53.8 ± 0.5 (1w)	

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Plutonium(V)

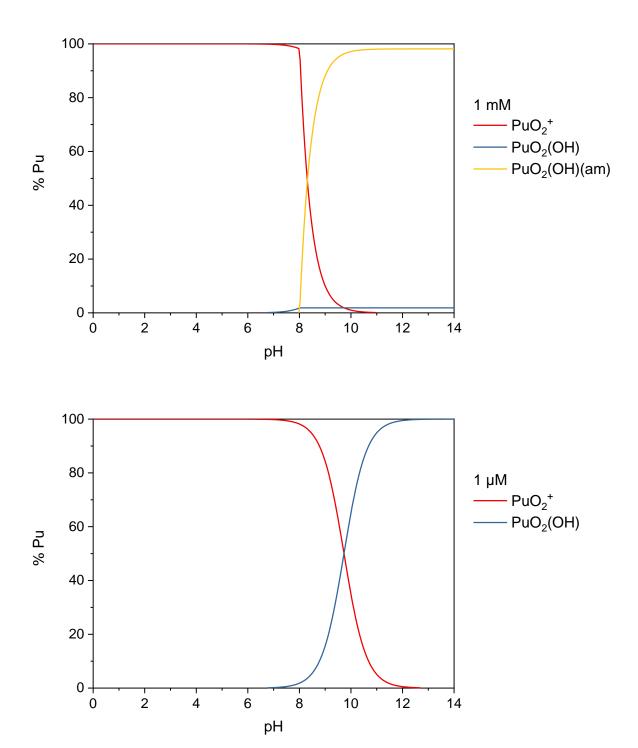
Equilibrium reactions	$\lg K$ at infinite dilution and $T = 298 \text{ K}$			
	Baes and Mesmer, 1976	NIST46	Brown and Ekberg, 2016	Grenthe et al., 2020
$PuO_2^+ + H_2O \rightleftharpoons PuO_2(OH) + H^+$	-9.7	-9.7		≤-9.73
$PuO_2^+ + H_2O \rightleftharpoons PuO_2(OH)(am) + H^+$	≥ -5.4	-5.4	-5.0 ± 0.3	-5.0 ± 0.5

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Plutonium(VI)

Equilibrium reactions	$\lg K$ at infinite dilution and $T = 298 \text{ K}$			
	Baes and Mesmer, 1976	NIST46	Brown and Ekberg, 2016	Grenthe et al., 2020
$PuO_2^{2+} + H_2O \rightleftharpoons PuO_2(OH)^+ + H^+$	-5.6	-5.6	-5.36 ± 0.09	-5.5 ± 0.5
$PuO_2^{2+} + 2 H_2O \rightleftharpoons PuO_2(OH)_2 + 2 H^+$			-12.9 ± 0.2	-13 ± 1
$PuO_2^{2^+} + 3 H_2O \rightleftharpoons PuO_2(OH)_3^- + 3 H^+$				-24 ± 1
$2 \text{ PuO}_2^{2+} + 2 \text{ H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons (\text{PuO}_2)_2(\text{OH})_2^{2+} + 2 \text{ H}^+$	-8.36	-8.36	-7.8 ± 0.5	-7 ± 1
$3 \text{ PuO}_2^{2+} + 5 \text{ H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons (\text{PuO}_2)_3(\text{OH})_5^+ + 5 \text{ H}^+$	-21.65	-21.65		
$PuO_2^{2+} + 2 OH^- \rightleftharpoons PuO_2(OH)_2(am, hyd)$				22.8 ± 0.6

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