## Summary of formulas and constants used in biochemistry

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## Constants

$$R = 0.008314 \ kJ \cdot mol^{-1} \cdot K^{-1}$$
$$T \ in \ K = T \ in \ ^{\circ}C + 273.15$$

Free energy and concentration:

$$aA + bB \rightleftharpoons cC + dD$$
 
$$\Delta G^{\circ\prime} = -RT ln \left( K_{eq} \right) = -RT ln \left( \frac{[A]_{eq}^a [B]_{eq}^b}{[C]_{eq}^c [D]_{eq}^d} \right)$$
 
$$\Delta G = \Delta G^{\circ\prime} + RT ln \left( \frac{[A]^a [B]^b}{[C]^c [D]^d} \right)$$

pH:

$$\begin{split} M \cdot H &\overset{K_a}{\rightleftarrows} M + H^+ \\ K_a &= \frac{[M][H^+]}{[M \cdot H]} \\ pH &= -log_{10} \left( [H^+] \right); \ pK_a = -log_{10} \left( K_a \right) \\ \theta &= \frac{[M \cdot H]}{[M] + [M \cdot H]} = \frac{1}{1 + K_a/[H^+]} = \frac{1}{1 + 10^{(pH - pK_a)}} \end{split}$$