Supplement

Equations S1

 $V = \frac{d[P]}{dt} = -\frac{d[S]}{dt} = \frac{k_{\text{cat}}[S][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[S] + K_{\text{m}}}$

Equation 1. The Michaelis-Menten rate-law for initial reaction velocity. k_{cat} , turnover number; [S], substrate concentration, $[E_{tot}]$, total enzyme concentration; K_m , Michaelis constant.

 $V = \frac{k_{\text{cat}}[S][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[S] + K_{\text{m}}(1 + \frac{[P]}{K_{\text{mp}}})} - \frac{k_{-2}[P][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[P] + K_{\text{mp}}(1 + \frac{[S]}{K_{\text{m}}})}$

Equation 2. The reversible Michaelis-Menten rate-law for initial reaction velocity. k_{cat} , turnover number for the forward reaction; [S], substrate concentration, $[E_{tot}]$, total enzyme concentration; [P], product concentration; K_m , substrate concentration giving $V=0.5V_{max}$ in forward direction at [P]=0; K_{mp} , product concentration giving $V=0.5V_{max}$ in reverse direction at [S]=0; k_{-2} , turnover number for the reverse reaction

 $[P]_{i+\Delta t} = [P]_i + \frac{d[P]_i}{dt}\Delta t$

Equation 3. Equation for numeric integration of the initial reaction velocity (V_0). $[P]_{i+\Delta t}$, product concentration at time point $i+\Delta t$; $[P]_i$, product concentration at time point i;

 $\frac{d[P]_i}{dt}$, reaction velocity at time point *i*; Δt , the integration time step.

 $[E] = [E_{\rm o}] \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{t/t_{(1/2)}}$

Equation 4. Equation expressing the decay of enzyme as a function of time with respect to its half-life. $[E_o]$, enzyme concentration at time zero; *t*, time; $t_{(1/2)}$, enzyme half-life.

$$V = \frac{k_{\text{cat}}[S][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[S] + K_{\text{m}}(1 + \frac{[P]}{K_{mP}} + \frac{[I]}{K_{ic}})} - \frac{k_{-2}[P][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[P] + K_{\text{mp}}(1 + \frac{[S]}{K_{m}} + \frac{[I]}{K_{ic}})}$$

Equation 5. Reversible Michaelis-Menten equation with competitive inhibition. [*I*], inhibitor concentration; K_{ic} , enzyme inhibitor dissociation constant for competitive inhibition; other notations as in equation 2.

$$V = \frac{k_{\text{cat}}[S][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[S](1 + \frac{[I]}{K_{iu}}) + K_{\text{m}}(1 + \frac{[P]}{K_{mP}})} - \frac{k_{-2}[P][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[P](1 + \frac{[I]}{K_{iu}}) + K_{\text{mp}}(1 + \frac{[S]}{K_{m}})}$$

Equation 6. Reversible Michaelis-Menten equation with uncompetitive inhibition. K_{iu} , enzyme inhibitor dissociation constant for uncompetitive inhibition; other notations as in equation 2.

$$V = \frac{k_{\text{cat}}[S][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[S](1 + \frac{[I]}{K_{iu}}) + K_{\text{m}}(1 + \frac{[P]}{K_{mP}} + \frac{[I]}{K_{ic}})} - \frac{k_{-2}[P][E_{\text{tot}}]}{[P](1 + \frac{[I]}{K_{iu}}) + K_{\text{mp}}(1 + \frac{[S]}{K_{m}} + \frac{[I]}{K_{ic}})}$$

Equation 7. Reversible Michaelis-Menten equation with mixed inhibition. Notations as in equations 2 & 5-6. Note that non-competitive inhibition is obtained by setting $K_{iu}=K_{ic}$.

 ${IC'}_{50} = [I] \times \frac{[P_{inh}]}{[P_{uninh}] - [P_{inh}]}$

Equation 8. Inhibitor concentration giving 50% observed inhibition. $[P_{inh}]$, product concentration of the inhibited reaction; $[P_{uninh}]$, product concentration of the uninhibited reference reaction; other notations as in equation 5. At initial reaction conditions, IC'₅₀ equals IC₅₀.

%*Inhibition* = $100 \times \left(\frac{[P_{uninh}] - [P_{inh}]}{[P_{uninh}]}\right)$ Equation 9. Observed inhibition (%). Notations as in equation 8.

 $\% Substrate = 100 \times \left(\frac{[P] - [P_o]}{[S_o]}\right)$

Equation 10. Degree of substrate depletion (%). [*P*], accumulated product concentration; [P_0], product concentration at time zero; [S_0], substrate concentration at time zero.

 $IC_{50} = K_{\rm ic} \left(1 + \frac{[S]}{K_{\rm m}} + \frac{[P]}{K_{\rm mp}} \right)$

Equation 11*. Relation between IC₅₀ and K_{ic} for competitive inhibition and product inhibition. Notations as in equations 2 & 5.

 $IC_{50} = K_{iu} \left(1 + \frac{K_{m}}{[S]} + \frac{K_{m}[P]}{K_{mp}[S]} \right)$

Equation 12*. Relation between IC₅₀ and K_{iu} for uncompetitive inhibition and product inhibition. Notations as in equations 2 & 6.

 $IC_{50} = \left(S + K_m + \frac{K_m[P]}{K_{mp}}\right) \div \left(\frac{[S]}{K_{iu}} + \frac{K_m}{K_{ic}}\right)$

Equation 13*. Relation between IC_{50} and K_i values for mixed inhibition and product inhibition. Notations as in equations 2 & 5-6.

*Equations 11-13 were deduced by setting $0.5V=V(IC_{50})$ with the expression for *V* from equation 2 to the left and the expression for *V* (with [*I*] set to IC₅₀) from each of the equations 5-7 to the right. This gave 3 equations which were solved for IC₅₀, similar to Cheng and Prusoff¹.

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