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Investigation of Water Sorption to Ca₅Na₃A Zeolite at Adsorption of Micro Calorimetric Device

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ABSTRACT: Isotherm, differential heats, entropy and thermokinetics of water adsorption in Ca₅Na₃A A zeolite were measured at 303K. The detailed mechanism of water adsorption in Ca₅Na₃A zeolite from zero filling to saturation was discovered. The adsorption isotherm was quantitatively reproduced by the Theory for Volume filling of Micropores (TVFM) theory equations.

KEY WORDS: Isotherm, differential heats of adsorption, entropy, thermokinetics, ion-molecular complexes, zeolite Ca₅Na₃A, CO₂, adsorption calorimetry.

I. INTRODUCTION

Adsorption mainly involves the absorption of adsorbate molecules to the adsorbent surface. Adsorbent is usually a micronutrient with a high surface area. The adsorbate forms thin layers as a result of physical adsorption and chemical adsorption on the adsorbent surface. If the adsorbent effects of adsorbate are due to chemical bonds, then physical adsorption occurs if chemical adsorption occurs under the forces of van der Vaal's (1).

It is important to calculate adsorption enthalpies during heat release and cooling in adsorption gases [2-4], adsorption desalination [5-7] and adsorption of adsorbed molecules [8-16]. 13X [17] and the adsorption of N₂, O₂, and CO₂ molecules in CaA zeolites is based on calorimetric measurements by esoteric methods, and the esoteric method is required to determine the thermodynamic values required to calculate the differential energy of the adsorption process [18,19,20]. This method is used to study the physical adsorption of the adsorption process [21].

Adsorption enthalpies are calculated using calorimetric measurements using the Tian-Calve calorimeter [22] and esostatic enthalpy of adsorption.

Examining the adsorption properties of zeolites reveals their adsorption isotherm, thermodynamic, and kinetic functions [23-29].

II. RESEARCH METHODS AND OBJECTS

For micro calorimetric research, a type A synthetic Ca₅Na₃A zeolite (Si/Al=1) was used. The content of elemental cells of the zeolite obtained for the study is Ca₅Na₃A – Ca₅Na₃ [(AlO₂)₁₂(SiO₂)₁₂] 27H₂O. Absolute water was selected for adsorption with Ca₅Na₃A zeolite. Ca₅Na₃A zeolite was carried out in a high-vacuum adsorption at micro calorimetric device for water adsorption detection [30-31].

The adsorbates were first frozen and then purified by vacuum pump and zeolite. The micro calorimeter allows measuring long-term heat energy. The adsorption measurements were performed on a high vacuum adsorption device and calculated by capillary method. Low adsorption of adsorbents increases the accuracy of adsorption measurements.

III. OBTAINED RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

The amount of adsorption (N) is expressed in the elemental cell (e.c) H₂O, and the isotherm is expressed in units of ln (p/p₀). Figure 1 shows at the temperature at 303 K on Ca₅Na₃A zeolite of the water adsorption of isotherm is ln (p/p₀)

of (p₀-water vapor pressure, p₀ (303K) = 4,42 kPa) at a relative pressure of ~10⁻⁶. The adsorption isotherm was studied in three parts. In the first section, the adsorption isotherm of water in Ca₅Na₃A zeolite is initially ln (p/p^o)=-16,74, p-0.00000171 millimeters of mercury, and the adsorption rate begins at N = 0,265 H₂O/e.c. Adsorption isotherm ln (p/p^o)=-16,74 to ln (p/p^o)=-10,06, towards the adsorption axis, where the adsorption rate will be N=10,19 H₂O/e.c. Here the adsorption pressure is in the range of p-0.00000171 mm. over thermometer from p-0.0011358 mm. over thermometer. At the same time, the adsorption and isotherm values and graphs show that water molecules are firmly in the zeolite pores, and the adsorbate molecules are inactive. In the second part, the adsorption isotherm rises vertically until it reaches ln (p/p^o) =-10,19 and the adsorption reaches N=11,37 H₂O/e.c. In the third fragment, the isotherm is partially bent towards the adsorption axis at ln (p/p^o) =-10,06 to ln (p/p^o) =-4,43, where the adsorption rate is N=19,85 H₂O/e.c equals this. The atmospheric pressure at these ranges is r-0.001358 mm over thermometer from p-0.38 mm over thermometer.

Adsorption of water molecules is also strongly enhanced at this stage, that is, it forms complexes with metal cations contained in zeolite. The metal cations in the zeolite pores with water molecules form complex compounds in the first and second stages.

Then, in the third section, the isothermal signs rise partially vertically from ln (p/p^o)=-4,43 to ln (p/p^o) = - 0,1, and adsorption will be around N=19, 85 H₂O/e.c and N = 35,91. H₂O/e.c. At the end of the process, the adsorption atmospheric pressure is p-28,71 mm over thermometer and water saturation approaches the vapor pressure.

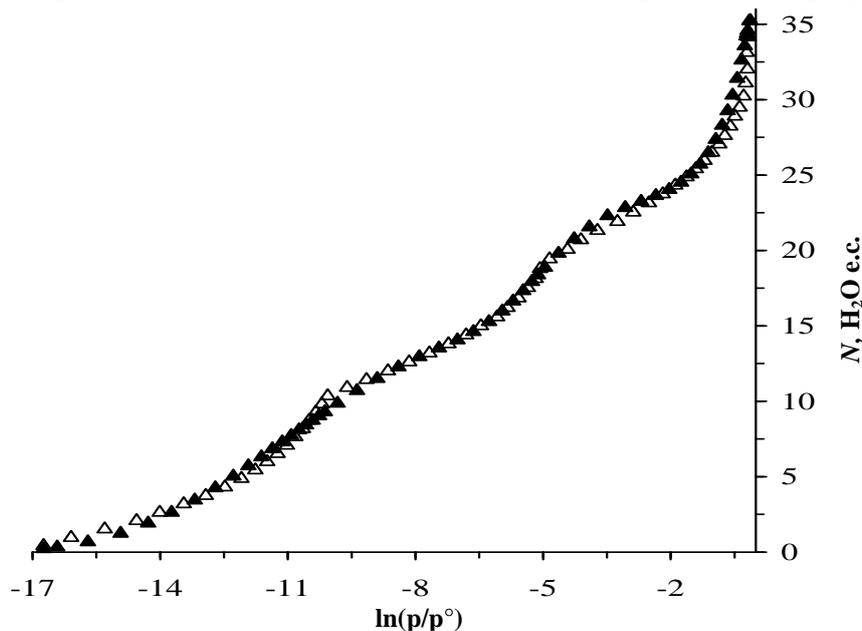


Figure 1. Water adsorption isotherm in the zeolite Ca₅Na₃A at 303K.
Δ-experimental data. ▲- estimating data by VMOT

Adsorption isotherm of water in the Ca₅Na₃A zeolites is satisfactorily described by three term equation of the theory of volumetric micropore occupancy (VMOT) [32-33].

$$N = 15,835 \exp[A/30,03]^4 + 7,406 \exp[A/13,32]^5 + 14,765 \exp[A/1,89]^1,$$

Where: N-adsorption in microwaves, (H₂O/e.c, A=RTln (P^o/P) -1 H₂O/e.c (P^o pressure) to transport vapor from surface (P^o pressure) to a gas phase.

Figure 2 shows the differential heat (Q_d) adsorption of water to Ca₅Na₃A zeolite at a temperature of 303 K. Long lines-heat condensation of water below 303 K (ΔH_v=43,5 κJ/mol). In this zeolite, the adsorption heat decreases in the form of a wave-like step. Adsorption generates several small steps. At the first stage, the adsorption of water molecules on Ca₅Na₃A zeolite (starting at N=0,29 H₂O/e.c) starts with a differential heat of ~106,42 kJ/mol. Subsequently, adsorption with differential heat up to N = 3.02 H₂O/e.c and gradually decreases to Q_d -81,39 kJ / mol. The adsorption heat is Q_d-98,23kJ/mol when adsorption is N = 0,806 H₂O/e.c. The high heat of adsorption here is due to the fact that water molecules penetrate into the zeolite cavities because of their small size and the oxygen atoms joining silicon aluminum

at the entrance. Here again, the cations in the zeolite microwaves are inactive until water molecules are distributed. Then the adsorption $N = 3,02 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ decreases sequentially to $Q_d = 81,39 \text{ kJ/mol}$. Then, $N = 3,02 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ $N = 5,819 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ forms a second high-energy second low adsorption interval (where $Q_d = 81,39 \text{ kJ/mol}$).

The main reason for the orderly step reduction from the second step is the formation of complex compounds with metal cations located in active centers in the zeolite pores.

The adsorption is the third smallest in the range $N = 5,819$ to $9,116 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ ($Q_d = 74,79 \text{ kJ/mol}$). The second and third steps are $2,799 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ and $3,297 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$. At this stage, the adsorption heat gradually decreases from $81,39 \text{ kJ/mol}$ to $71,49 \text{ kJ/mol}$. The difference between the adsorption heats is $\sim 10 \text{ kJ/mol}$. The fourth $N = 9,116 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ is $11,82 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ and the fifth sub-step is followed by two spots in the interval from $11,82$ to $14,20 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$. At these stages, the adsorption heat decreases from $71,49 \text{ kJ/mol}$ to $66,55 \text{ kJ/mol}$ in the fourth step and to $64,0 \text{ kJ/mol}$ in the fifth step. The fourth and fifth steps are $2,704 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ and $2,38 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$. If it counts for the adsorption quantities of the four small steps above contain two large steps. Large steps showed a decrease in adsorption heat from $81,39 \text{ kJ/mol}$ to $71,49 \text{ kJ/mol}$. In the processes that go with high adsorption heat, S_{III} occurs in pores. In the case of type A S_{II} , the adsorption heat decreases in a uniform waveform.

In addition, when the adsorption at the sixth step reaches $14,20$, there is a gradual decrease in the differential heat, and the differential heat decreases from $64,0 \text{ kJ/mol}$ to $62,04 \text{ kJ/mol}$. Then the adsorption temperature will be the seventh small step from $62,04 \text{ kJ/mol}$ to $58,43 \text{ kJ/mol}$. The adsorption range is $1,92 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$, and the heat range is 3.61 kJ/mol . The amount of adsorption decreases in the range from $19,21 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ to $29,96 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ with a differential temperature from $58,43 \text{ kJ/mol}$ to $44,79 \text{ kJ/mol}$. At these adsorption intervals, three smaller steps are formed. These are eighth in the range from $19,21 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ to $22,94 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$, the ninth in the low $22,94 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ and the lowest tenth in $26,32 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ is $29,96 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$.

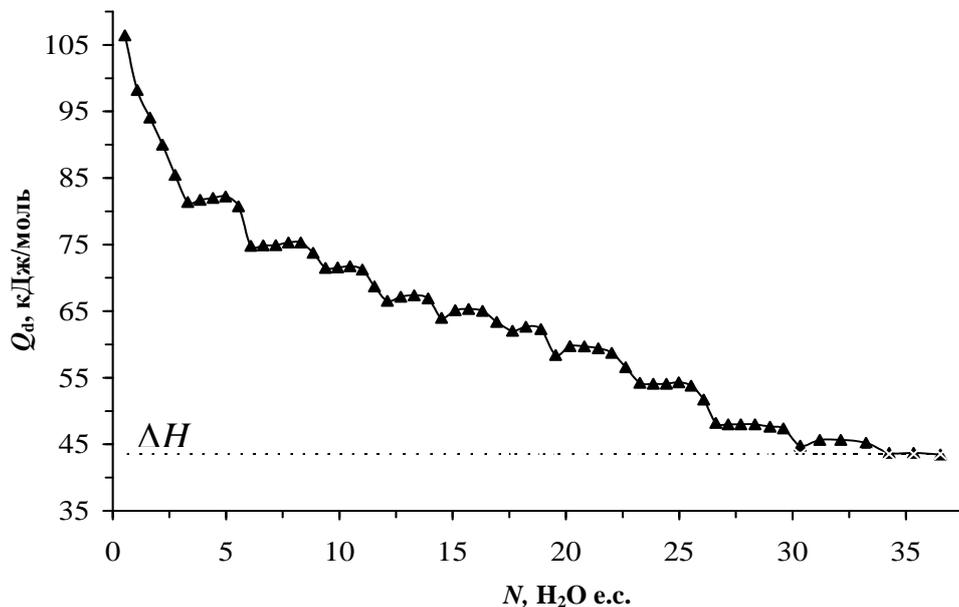


Figure 2 The differential heat of water adsorption in the zeolite $\text{Ca}_5\text{Na}_3\text{A}$ at 303K. The horizontal dashed line is heat water condensation at 303K

After these steps, the heat of adsorption approaches the condensation heat. The process ends with two more steps. In the eleventh step, the adsorption rates range from $29,96 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ to $33,75 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ ($Q_d = 44,79 \text{ kJ/mol}$ to $43,54 \text{ kJ/mol}$) and the twelfth step to $33,75 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ reaching $35,93 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$. The adsorption of Na^+ and Ca^{2+} cations in the zeolite pore ranges from $9,116 \text{ H}_2\text{O/cell}$ to $26,32 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ cells. At this stage, $17,204 \text{ H}_2\text{O/e.c}$ water molecules are adsorbed into Na^+ and Ca^{2+} cations. At the same time, multivariate complexes $(\text{H}_2\text{O})_n\text{Na}^+$ and $(\text{H}_2\text{O})_n\text{Ca}^{2+}$ are formed.

In the pore of the $\text{Ca}_5\text{Na}_3\text{A}$ zeolite, there are 3 active centers, the adsorption cavities, where the adsorbates are adsorbed. Alkaline and alkaline earth metals are the basis of active centers. In the first cavity, the Ca^{2+} cations are located in the center of the S_1 six-member oxygen ring and form the β -cavity. This cavity is partially saturated with metal cations

because of its small size. In the second cavity, the Ca^{2+} and Na^{+} cations are located slightly inside the S_{II} eight-member oxygen ring plane and finally in the third cavity, the Ca^{2+} cations is in the large α -cavity opposite the S_{III} quadruple oxygen ring.

Apparently, S_{III} and S_{II} cavities constitute the bulk of the adsorption because they are located within the super cavity. Because the cations in the S_I cavity are poorly adsorbed because they are surrounded by cations of six strong oxygen atoms. A total of 35.93 $H_2O/e.c$ per Ca_5Na_3A zeolite water molecules are adsorbed. Of these, $\sim 26.94 H_2O/e.c$ in the S_{II} cavity, and S_{III} cavity is $\sim 8,184 H_2O/e.c$. The S_I cavity space is 0.806 e.c.

The Gibbs-Helmholtz equation was used to calculate the differential entropy using the differential heat of water adsorption and the isotherm values for Ca_5Na_3A zeolite [9].

$$\Delta S_d = \frac{\Delta H - \Delta G}{T} = \frac{-(Q_d - \lambda) + A}{T}$$

λ -thermal condensation, ΔH and ΔG -enthalpy and free energy change, T - temperature, Q_d -middle differential heat.

Figure 3 shows the differential entropy of water adsorption to Ca_5Na_3A zeolite. It is clear from the beginning of the process that the adsorption heat is high, indicating that at the initial saturation, the water molecules are not in a tight state of the zeolite microbes.

Shows adsorption differential entropy initially begins at $-54.88 J/mol \cdot K$, where the adsorption is $N = 0.53 H_2O/e.c$. Then the entropy decreases to $-13.72 J / mol \cdot K$ and there is an increase of $-24.77 J/mol \cdot K$. In this part of the zeolite, there is an abundance of free pore space, and the aluminum and silicon oxides that form it are highly energized by the contact of water molecules to the oxygen atoms.

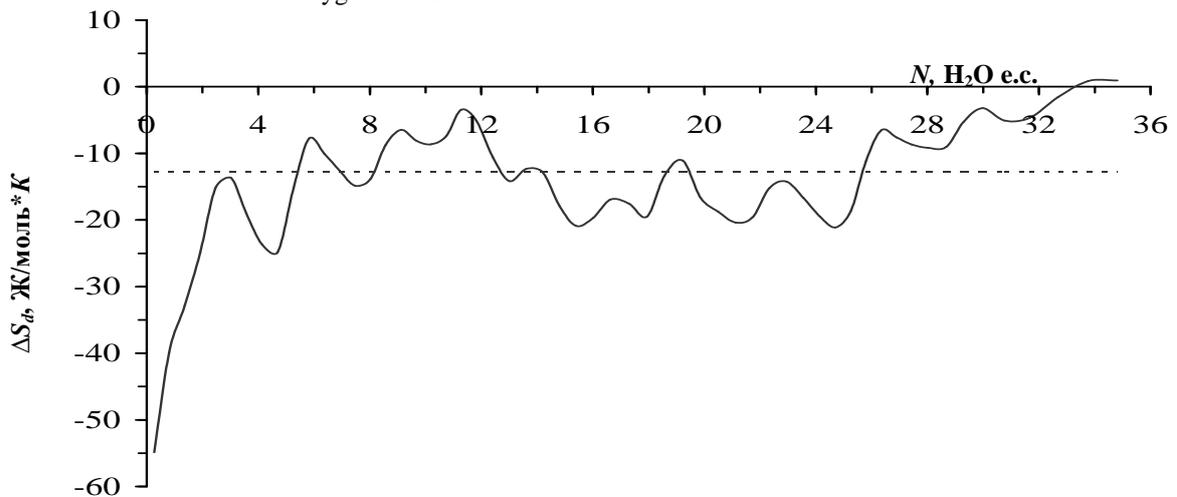


Figure 3. The differential entropy of the water adsorption in the zeolite Ca_5Na_3A at 303K. Entropy of liquid water is taken as zero. The horizontal dashed line – mean molar integral entropy.

The adsorption differential entropy is wave-shaped, rising from $N = 4.98 H_2O/e.c$ to $N = 15,69 H_2O/e.c$ with wave lines at $-20,90 J/mol \cdot K$. Adsorption goes below the mean integral entropy line from $N = 15,69 H_2O/e.c$ to $N = 24.98 H_2O/e.c$. The adsorption is then gradually slotted over the mean integral lines after $N = 24.98 H_2O/e.c$ and approaches 0. This is adsorbed to the S_{II} cavities of the zeolite matrix while forming small waveforms. Due to the large number of cations in these cavities, the distribution of energy in cations migration and adsorption is regular and strongly adsorbed. The mean integral entropy is $-12.75 J/mol \cdot K$.

Figure 4 shows the equilibrium time of water adsorption to Ca_5Na_3A zeolite. In this zeolite the equilibrium time curves are strongly.

Shows the adsorption time of water adsorption to Ca_5Na_3A zeolite is initially 26.18 h. In the initial saturation process, the water adsorption takes longer to stabilize. This may be explained by the fact that the distribution of water molecules in the cations of the zeolite and cations in the pore space takes longer. Basically, when the adsorption is up to $N \sim 25.19 H_2O/e.c$, the equilibrium time curves are in the form of a strong wave. After that, the equilibrium time gradually

decreases for several hours. The differential heat of water adsorption to $\text{Ca}_5\text{Na}_3\text{A}$ zeolite is in the form of a small step, which can be observed even during equilibrium.

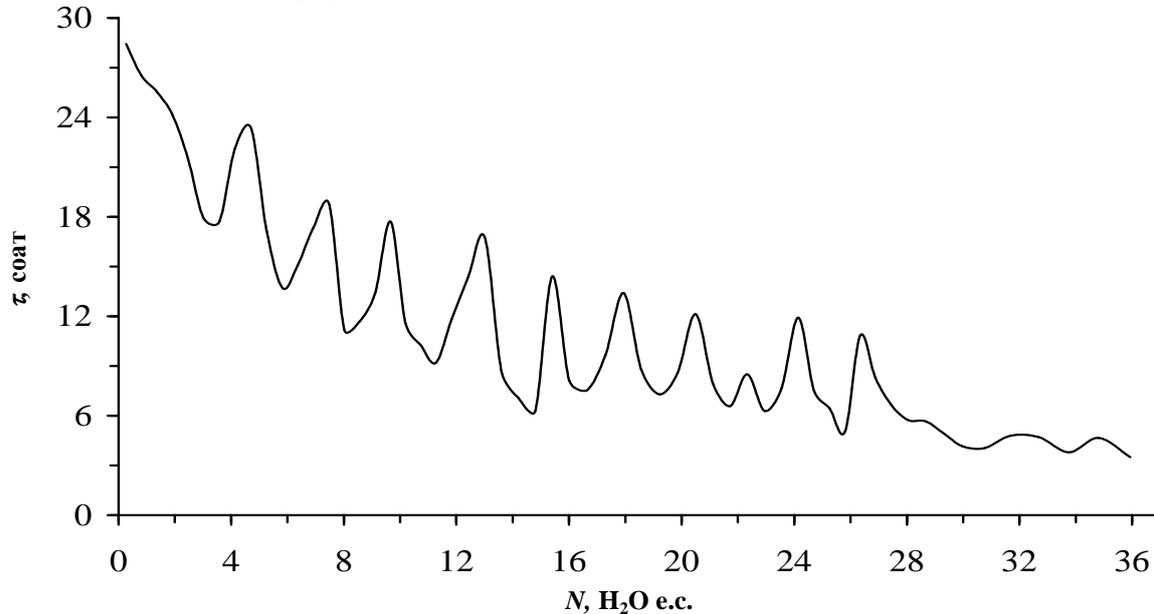


Figure 4.–The set-time of the adsorption equilibrium, depending on the size of the adsorption of water in the zeolite $\text{Ca}_5\text{Na}_3\text{A}$ at 303K.

IV. CONCLUSION

The adsorption heat of the water in the $\text{Ca}_5\text{Na}_3\text{A}$ zeolites is of a small footprint, where all steps form the single and multi-dimensional adsorption complexes $(\text{H}_2\text{O})_n/\text{Ca}^+$ and $(\text{H}_2\text{O})_n/\text{Na}^+$ in $\text{Ca}_5\text{Na}_3\text{A}$ zeolite. The adsorption isotherm is represented by a three-axis micro size adsorption of the theory equation. The total sorption capacity of the $\text{Ca}_5\text{Na}_3\text{A}$ zeolite is about $\sim 3636.53 \text{ H}_2\text{O}/\text{e.c}$ water molecules. On the basis of the differential entropy values, water molecules are strongly adsorbed to these zeolite microbes. The adsorption differential entropy has average integral entropy of $-12,75 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}$. Water molecules are strongly adsorbed in solid state in the zeolite superpowers. The adsorption of water to $\text{Ca}_5\text{Na}_3\text{A}$ zeolite initially starts at 28,44 hours and is reduced to several hours (3.4 hours) at the end of the process.

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