

**STRUKTUR SOLVASI DAN SIFAT DINAMIKA ION  $\text{Cu}^+$  DAN  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$   
DALAM PELARUT AMONIA CAIR DAN LARUTAN AMONIA:  
SIMULASI DINAMIKA MOLEKUL AB INITIO  
QUANTUM MECHANICAL CHARGE FIELD (QMCF)**

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**INTISARI**

Struktur solvasi dan sifat dinamika ion  $\text{Cu}^+$  dan  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  dalam amonia cair pada 235,15 K, dan larutan amonia 18,6% pada 298,15 K telah diinvestigasi menggunakan simulasi dinamika molekul QMCF (DM QMCF). Simulasi ini juga dilakukan untuk mengetahui perbandingan sifat dinamik antara amonia cair model fleksibel dan *rigid* terutama pada kulit solvasi kedua. Preferensial solvasi ion  $\text{Cu}^+$  dan  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  terhadap ligan  $\text{NH}_3$  atau  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  diidentifikasi pada sistem larutan amonia 18,6%.

Metode simulasi DM QMCF memiliki dua daerah simulasi, yaitu daerah mekanika kuantum (MK) dan mekanika molekul (MM). Daerah MK diperpanjang dan dibagi menjadi daerah inti (*core*) dan daerah *layer*. Metode perhitungan pada tingkat Hartree-Fock (HF) digunakan pada daerah MK, dengan himpunan basis LANL2DZ-ECP untuk ion  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  dan  $\text{Cu}^+$ , dan himpunan basis DZP-Dunning untuk ligan  $\text{NH}_3$  dan  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .

Sistem ion  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  dalam amonia cair dan larutan amonia 18,6% membentuk kompleks oktahedral  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{2+}$  yang stabil tanpa ada perpindahan ligan  $\text{NH}_3$  di kulit solvasi pertama selama proses simulasi berlangsung. Jarak  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ - $\text{NH}_3$  pada pelarut amonia cair model fleksibel, model *rigid*, dan larutan amonia 18,6% masing-masing sebesar 2,17 Å; 2,19 Å; 2,19 Å. Pada sistem ion  $\text{Cu}^+$  dalam amonia cair membentuk kompleks berkoordinasi 3 (95,7%) dan 4 (4,3%). Jarak  $\text{Cu}^+$ - $\text{NH}_3$  pada pelarut amonia model fleksibel dan *rigid*, masing-masing sebesar 2,23 Å dan 2,24 Å. Pada larutan amonia 18,6% terbentuk kompleks dengan bilangan koordinasi 3 (5,2%); 4 (83,3%); 5 (10,8%); 6 (0,7%), dan terjadi perpindahan ligan  $\text{NH}_3$  dan  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  di kulit solvasi pertama. Jarak  $\text{Cu}^+$ - $\text{NH}_3$  pada larutan amonia 18,6% sebesar 2,23 Å. Pada ketiga sistem ion  $\text{Cu}^+$  ini, kompleks yang paling stabil adalah  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4]^+$  tetrahedral terdistorsi, meskipun terdapat perpindahan ligan di kulit solvasi pertama. Secara garis besar sifat dinamika solvasi ion  $\text{Cu}^+$  lebih tinggi dibandingkan  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ , dan analisis NBO menunjukkan bahwa kekuatan interaksi elektrostatik  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ - $\text{NH}_3$  lebih tinggi dibandingkan  $\text{Cu}^+$ - $\text{NH}_3$ . Pada sistem pelarut amonia cair, sifat dinamika ligan  $\text{NH}_3$  model fleksibel lebih tinggi dibandingkan model *rigid* terutama pada kulit solvasi kedua. Preferensial solvasi ion  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  dan  $\text{Cu}^+$  terhadap ligan  $\text{NH}_3$  lebih tinggi dibandingkan  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  pada larutan amonia 18,6%.

Kata kunci: simulasi, DM QMCF, struktur, dinamika, solvasi,  $\text{Cu}^+$ ,  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ , amonia cair, larutan amonia

**SOLVATION STRUCTURE AND DYNAMICAL PROPERTIES OF  
 $\text{Cu}^+$  AND  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  ION IN LIQUID AMMONIA AND AQUEOUS AMMONIA  
SOLUTION: *AB INITIO* QUANTUM MECHANICAL CHARGE FIELD  
(QMCF) MOLECULAR DYNAMICS SIMULATION**

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**ABSTRACT**

Solvation structures and dynamical properties of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cu}^+$  in liquid ammonia at 235.15 K and 18.6% aqueous ammonia at 298.15 K have been investigated via quantum mechanical charge field molecular dynamics (QMCF MD) simulation. This simulation is also carried out to compare the dynamical properties of flexible and rigid ammonia models was also carried out, especially in the second solvation shell. The preferential solvation of  $\text{Cu}^+$  and  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  ions to  $\text{NH}_3$  or  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  ligands was identified in the 18.6% aqueous ammonia solutions.

The QMCF MD simulation method has two simulation regions, namely quantum mechanics (QM) and molecular mechanics (MM). The QM region is extended and divided into core and layer areas. The QM region is treated via ab initio Hartree–Fock (HF), using LANL2DZ-ECP basis set for  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cu}^+$ , and DZP-Dunning for  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  ligands.

$\text{Cu}^{2+}$  ion in liquid ammonia and 18.6% aqueous ammonia solution formed a stable octahedral complex  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{2+}$  with the absence of first shell ligand exchange during simulation time. The distance of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ - $\text{NH}_3$  in flexible, rigid ammonia, and 18.6% aqueous ammonia solutions were 2.17 Å; 2.19 Å; 2.19 Å, respectively.  $\text{Cu}^+$  in liquid ammonia formed complexes coordinating 3 (95.7%) and 4 (4.3%). The distances of  $\text{Cu}^+$ - $\text{NH}_3$  in flexible and rigid ammonia were respective 2.23 Å and 2.24 Å. In the 18.6% aqueous ammonia solution, complexes with the coordination number of 3 (5.2%); 4 (83.3%); 5 (10.8%); 6 (0.7%) were formed, with  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  ligand exchange in the first solvation shell. The distance of  $\text{Cu}^+$ - $\text{NH}_3$  in 18.6% aqueous ammonia solution was 2.23 Å. All of these  $\text{Cu}^+$  ion solvation systems indicated the most stable complex was  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4]^+$  distorted tetrahedral, even though there was a ligand displacement on the first solvation shell. In general simulation, the dynamical properties of  $\text{Cu}^+$  ion was higher than  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ , and NBO analysis also showed that electrostatic interaction of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ - $\text{NH}_3$  was higher than  $\text{Cu}^+$ - $\text{NH}_3$ . In liquid ammonia solution, the dynamical properties of flexible ammonia model was higher than the rigid model, particularly in the second solvation shell. The preferential  $\text{Cu}^+$  and  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  ions to  $\text{NH}_3$  ligand was higher than  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in 18.6% aqueous ammonia solutions.

Keywords: simulation, QMCF MD, structural, dynamical, solvation,  $\text{Cu}^+$ ,  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ , liquid ammonia, aqueous ammonia