

Molecular scale behavior of xylan during solvent-controlled extraction and precipitation

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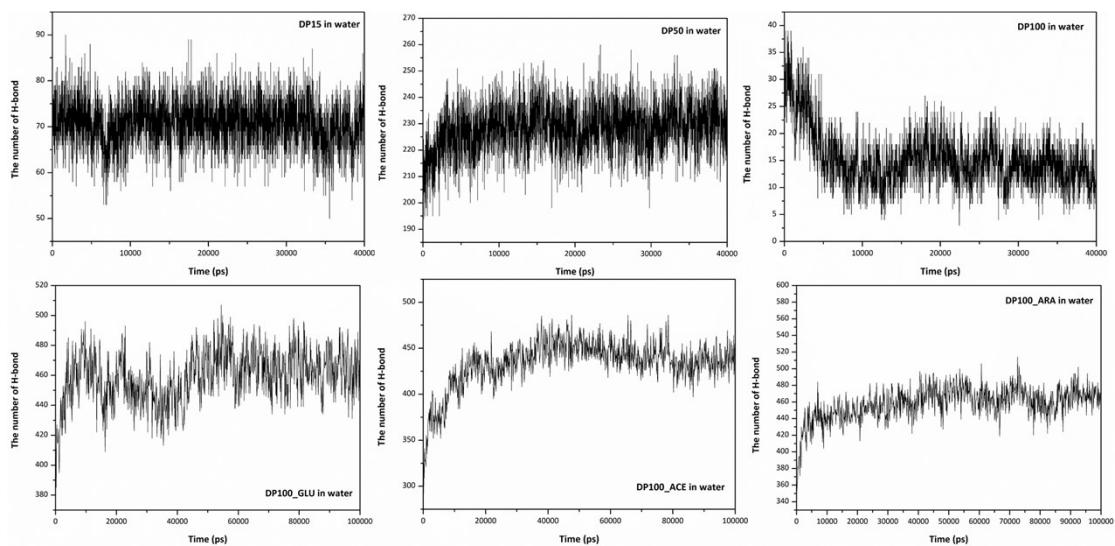


Figure S1. The number of H-bond between xylan (DP15, DP50, DP100, DP100_GLU, DP100_ACE, and DP100_ARA) and water

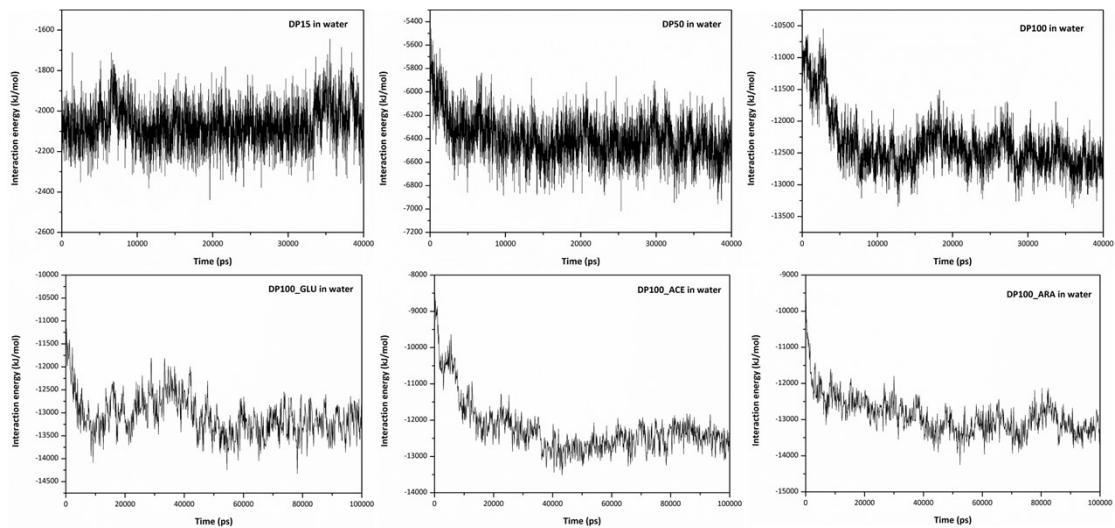


Figure S2. The interaction energy between xylan (DP15, DP50, DP100, DP100_GLU, DP100_ACE, and DP100_ARA) and water

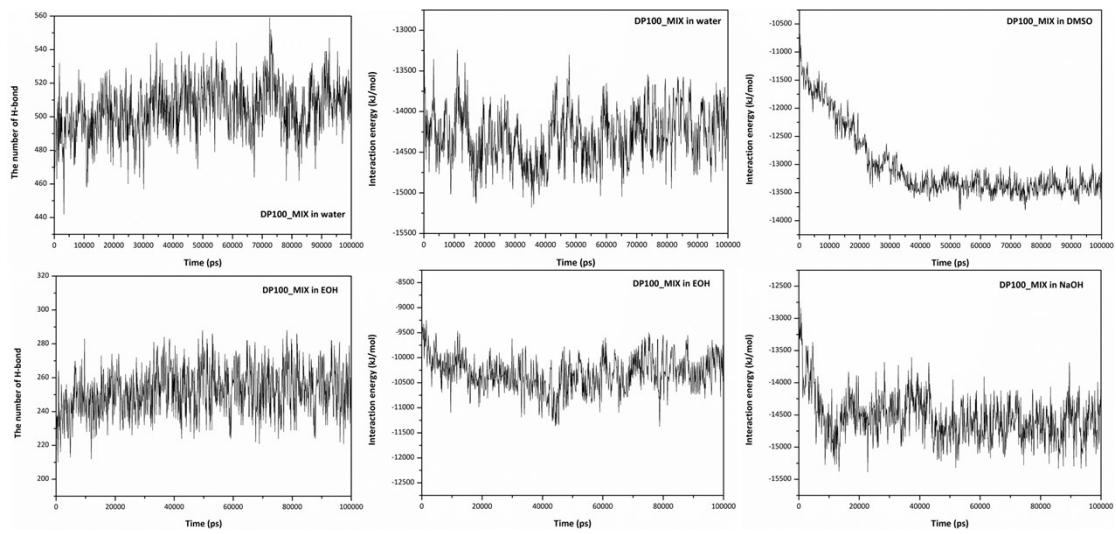


Figure S3. The interaction energy and the number of H-bond between xylan (DP100_MIX) and solvent (water, ethanol, DMSO, and NaOH solution)

Table S1 The number of hydrogen bond and interaction energy of DP15 and DP100_MIX in water and ethanol

	DP15		DP100_MIX	
	In water	In ethanol	In water	In ethanol
3Xylan-3Xylan	-12887±112	-13521±148	-85789±742	-87982±679
3Xylan-solvent	-6259.4±31.1	-4407.7±24.7	-43794±289	-31983±194
Interaction energy (kJ/mol)	Xylan①-Xylan①	-4268.1±36.0	-4400.5±17.8	-28858±155
	Xylan①-Xylan②	-1.4±0.2	-55.4±4.2	0
	Xylan①-Xylan③	-3.5±0.6	-66.8±8.7	0
	Xylan②-Xylan②	-4269.2±15.3	-4385.6±29.5	-28625±208
	Xylan②-Xylan③	-11.8±0.8	-195.4±5.6	0
	Xylan③-Xylan③	-4271.1±35.7	-4367.0±29.4	-28306±164
Hydrogen bond	3Xylan-3Xylan	5.6±0.1	25.2±1.4	55.6±6.4
	3Xylan-solvent	216.3±8.6	102.1±2.6	1513.6±20.1
	Xylan①-Xylan①	1.8±0.2	7.1±0.4	19.1±1.5
	Xylan①-Xylan②	0.004±7E-4	1.3±0.2	0
	Xylan①-Xylan③	0.09±0.004	1.5±0.1	0
	Xylan②-Xylan②	1.8±0.1	6.5±0.5	18.2±1.5
	Xylan②-Xylan③	0.2±0.01	3.4±0.4	0
	Xylan③-	1.7±0.1	5.5±0.6	18.4±1.0
				52.0±4.5

Xylan③

Table S2 Force-field parameters for all species

Species	Atom	q (e)	ϵ (kJ/mol)	σ (nm)	Source
Na ⁺	Na	1	0.132754039	0.262815122	DOI: 10.1021/ct500918t ^[1]
Hydronium	H	0.32	0.50208	0.302905564168	CHARMM36 force
	O	-1.32	0.192464	0.0400013524445	field

[1] Pengfei Li, Lin Frank Song, and Kenneth M. Merz, Jr. Systematic Parameterization of Monovalent Ions Employing the Nonbonded Model. *J. Chem. Theory Comput.* 2015, 11, 4, 1645–1657. DOI: 10.1021/ct500918t