

Huggins equation

The equation describing the dependence of the reduced viscosity, $\frac{\eta_i}{c}$, on the mass concentration of a polymer, c , for dilute polymer solutions of the form:

$$\frac{\eta_i}{c} = [\eta] + k_H [\eta]^2 c$$

where k_H is the Huggins coefficient and $[\eta]$ is the intrinsic viscosity.

Source:

Purple Book, p. 63