

## **self-poisoning**

**Synonym:** autopoisoning *in catalysis*

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A product of a reaction may cause poisoning or inhibition. The phenomenon is called self-poisoning or autopoisoning.

**Source:**

PAC, 1976, 46, 71 (*Manual of Symbols and Terminology for Physicochemical Quantities and Units - Appendix II. Definitions, Terminology and Symbols in Colloid and Surface Chemistry. Part II: Heterogeneous Catalysis*) on page 83