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#### **Question 1**

 $N_2(g) + 3 H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2 NH_3(g)$ 

- 1. For the reaction represented above, the value of the equilibrium constant,  $K_p$ , is  $3.1 \times 10^{-4}$  at 700. K.
  - (a) Write the expression for the equilibrium constant,  $K_p$ , for the reaction.

$_{\nu}$ – $p^2_{\rm NH_3}$	1 point for pressure expression
$K_p = \frac{1}{p_{N_2} \times p_{H_2}^3}$	1 point for correct substitution

(b) Assume that the initial partial pressures of the gases are as follows:

 $p_{\rm N2} = 0.411$  atm,  $p_{\rm H2} = 0.903$  atm, and  $p_{\rm NH3} = 0.224$  atm.

(i) Calculate the value of the reaction quotient, Q, at these initial conditions.

$Q = \frac{p_{\rm NH_3}^2}{p_{\rm N_2} \times p_{\rm H_2}^3} = \frac{(0.224)^2}{(0.411)(0.903)^3}$	1 point for calculation of $Q$ with correct mass action expression
Q = 0.166	<u>Note:</u> must be consistent with part (a)

(ii) Predict the direction in which the reaction will proceed at 700. K if the initial partial pressures are those given above. Justify your answer.

Since $Q > K_p$ , the numerator must decrease and the denominator must increase, so the reaction must	1 point for direction or for stating that $Q > K_p$
proceed from right to left to establish equilibrium.	1 point for explanation

(c) Calculate the value of the equilibrium constant,  $K_c$ , given that the value of  $K_p$  for the reaction at 700. K is  $3.1 \times 10^{-4}$ .

$K_p = K_c(RT)\Delta n$ $\Delta n = 2 - 4 = -2$ $K_p = K_c(RT)^{-2}$	1 point for calculating $\Delta n$
$3.1 \times 10^{-4} = K_c (0.0821 \frac{\text{L atm}}{\text{mol K}} \times 700 \text{ K})^{-2}$ $3.1 \times 10^{-4} = K_c (57.5)^{-2}$	1 point for correct substitution and value of $K_c$
$3.1 \times 10^{-4} = K_c (3.0 \times 10^{-4})$ $1.0 = K_c$	

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#### Question 1 (cont'd.)

(d) The value of  $K_p$  for the reaction represented below is  $8.3 \times 10^{-3}$  at 700. K.

$$NH_3(g) + H_2S(g) \rightleftharpoons NH_4HS(g)$$

Calculate the value of  $K_p$  at 700. K for each of the reactions represented below.

(i)  $NH_4HS(g) \rightleftharpoons NH_3(g) + H_2S(g)$ 

$K_p = \frac{1}{8.3 \times 10^{-3}} = 1.2 \times 10^2$	1 point for the calculation of $K_p$
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(ii)  $2 H_2S(g) + N_2(g) + 3 H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2 NH_4HS(g)$ 

$2 \times [\mathrm{NH}_3(g) + \mathrm{H}_2\mathrm{S}(g) \rightleftharpoons \mathrm{NH}_4\mathrm{HS}(g)]$ $\mathrm{N}_2(g) + 3 \mathrm{H}_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2 \mathrm{NH}_3(g)$	$\begin{split} K_p &= (8.3\times 10^{-3})^2 \\ K_p &= 3.1\times 10^{-4} \end{split}$	1 point for squaring $K_p$ for NH <sub>4</sub> HS or for multiplying $K_p$ 's
$2 H_2S(g) + N_2(g) + 3 H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2 NH_4HS(g)$ $K_p = (8.3 \times 10^{-3})^2 (3.1 \times 10^{-4}) = 2.1 \times 10^{-8}$		1 point for correct $K_p$

#### **Question 2**

2. Answer the following questions related to hydrocarbons.

(a) Determine the empirical formula of a hydrocarbon that contains 85.7 percent carbon by mass.

$n_{\rm C} = 85.7 \text{ g C} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol C}}{12.01 \text{ g C}} = 7.14 \text{ mol C}$ $n_{\rm H} = 14.3 \text{ g H} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol H}}{1.008 \text{ g H}} = 14.2 \text{ mol H}$	1 point for moles of C and moles of H
$\frac{7.14 \text{ mol C}}{7.14} : \frac{14.2 \text{ mol H}}{7.14}$	
1 mol C : 1.99 mol H	1 point for ratio of moles of C to moles of H
The empirical formula is $CH_2$	1 point for correct formula

(b) The density of the hydrocarbon in part (a) is 2.0 g  $L^{-1}$  at 50°C and 0.948 atm.

(1) Calculate the molar mass of the hydrocard
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$PV = nRT = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{molar mass}}RT$	
molar mass = $\frac{\text{mass}}{V} \times \frac{RT}{P}$ = density $\times \frac{RT}{P}$	1 point for correct substitution
molar mass = 2.0 g L <sup>-1</sup> × $\frac{0.0821 \frac{\text{L atm}}{\text{mol K}} \times 323 \text{ K}}{0.948 \text{ atm}}$	
molar mass = $56 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$	1 point for the answer

#### (ii) Determine the molecular formula of the hydrocarbon.

empirical mass $\times n = \text{molar mass}$	
empirical mass for $CH_2 = 14 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$	
$14 \text{ g mol}^{-1} \times n = 56 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$	1 point for correct formula
n = 4	
The molecular formula is $C_4H_8$ .	

#### Question 2 (cont'd.)

(c) Two flasks are connected by a stopcock as shown below. The 5.0 L flask contains  $CH_4$  at a pressure of 3.0 atm, and the 1.0 L flask contains  $C_2H_6$  at a pressure of 0.55 atm. Calculate the total pressure of the system after the stopcock is opened. Assume that the temperature remains constant.



$P_f \text{ of } CH_4 = \frac{P_i V_i}{V_f} = \frac{(3.0 \text{ atm})(5.0 \text{ L})}{6.0 \text{ L}} = 2.5 \text{ atm } CH_4$	1 point for final pressure of $CH_4$ or $C_2H_6$
$P_f \text{ of } C_2 H_6 = \frac{P_i V_i}{V_f} = \frac{(0.55 \text{ atm})(1.0 \text{ L})}{6.0 \text{ L}} = 0.092 \text{ atm } C_2 H_6$	
$P_T = P_f CH_4 + P_f C_2 H_6 = 2.5 \text{ atm} + 0.092 \text{ atm} = 2.6 \text{ atm}$	1 point for the total pressure

(d) Octane,  $C_8H_{18}(l)$ , has a density of 0.703 g mL<sup>-1</sup> at 20°C. A 255 mL sample of  $C_8H_{18}(l)$  measured at 20°C reacts completely with excess oxygen as represented by the equation below.

$$2 C_8 H_{18}(l) + 25 O_2(g) \rightarrow 16 CO_2(g) + 18 H_2 O(g)$$

Calculate the total number of moles of gaseous products formed.

$n_{\text{products}} = 255 \text{ mL } \text{C}_8 \text{H}_{18} \times \frac{0.703 \text{ g } \text{ C}_8 \text{H}_{18}}{1 \text{ mL } \text{ C}_8 \text{H}_{18}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{ C}_8 \text{H}_{18}}{114 \text{ g } \text{ C}_8 \text{H}_{18}} \times$	1 point for substitution of any of these conversion factors
$\frac{34 \text{ mol products}}{2 \text{ mol } C_8 H_{18}} = 26.7 \text{ mol products}$	1 point for the correct answer

#### **Question 3**

$$2 \operatorname{H}_2\operatorname{O}_2(aq) \rightarrow 2 \operatorname{H}_2\operatorname{O}(l) + \operatorname{O}_2(g)$$

- 3. Hydrogen peroxide decomposes according to the equation above.
  - (a) An aqueous solution of  $H_2O_2$  that is 6.00 percent  $H_2O_2$  by mass has a density of 1.03 g mL<sup>-1</sup>. Calculate each of the following.
    - (i) The original number of moles of  $H_2O_2$  in a 125 mL sample of the 6.00 percent  $H_2O_2$  solution

$n_{\rm H_2O_2} = 125 \text{ mL H}_2O_2(aq) \times \frac{1.03 \text{ g H}_2O_2(aq)}{1.00 \text{ mL H}_2O_2(aq)} \times$	1 point for determining mass of $H_2O_2(aq)$
$\frac{6.00 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}_2}{100 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}_2(aq)} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}_2}{34.0 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}_2} = 0.227 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}_2$	1 point for mass of $H_2O_2$ 1 point for moles of $H_2O_2$

(ii) The number of moles of  $O_2(g)$  that are produced when all of the  $H_2O_2$  in the 125 mL sample decomposes

$n_{O_2} = 0.227 \text{ mol } H_2O_2 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } O_2(g)}{2 \text{ mol } H_2O_2(aq)} = 0.114 \text{ mol } O_2(g)$	1 point for moles of $O_2(g)$
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(b) The graphs below show results from a study of the decomposition of  $H_2O_2$ .



### Question 3 (cont'd.)

(i) Write the rate law for the reaction. Justify your answer.

$rate = k[H_2O_2]^1$	1 point for correct rate law
A plot of $\ln[H_2O_2]$ versus time is a straight line, so the reaction follows simple first-order kinetics.	1 point for explanation

(ii) Determine the half-life of the reaction.

Using the graph showing $[H_2O_2]$ versus time, the half- life is about 650 minutes.	
$OR$ Calculate from $t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{k}$ after determining k from the slope in part (b)(iii)	1 point for a half-life between 600 and 700 minutes

(iii) Calculate the value of the rate constant, k. Include appropriate units in your answer.

$t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{k}$ $k = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{650 \text{ min}} = 1.1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ min}^{-1}$ <i>OR</i>	1 point for the magnitude of the rate constant 1 point for the units
k can be obtained from the determination of the slope of the line in the ln $k$ versus time plot	

(iv) Determine  $[H_2O_2]$  after 2,000 minutes elapse from the time the reaction began.

From the graph of $[H_2O_2]$ versus time, $[H_2O_2]$ is approximately 0.12 <i>M</i> .	
OR	1 point for $0.09 < [H_2O_2] < 0.13 M$
From the graph of $\ln[H_2O_2]$ versus time, $\ln[H_2O_2]$ is approximately -2.2, so $[H_2O_2] = e^{-2.2} = 0.11 M$	

#### **Question 4**

Write the formulas to show the reactants and the products for any FIVE of the laboratory situations described below. Answers to more than five choices will not be graded. In all cases, a reaction occurs. Assume that solutions are aqueous unless otherwise indicated. Represent substances in solution as ions if the substances are extensively ionized. Omit formulas for any ions or molecules that are unchanged by the reaction. You need not balance the equations.

Example: A strip of magnesium is added to a solution of silver nitrate.

(a) Cadmium metal is placed in a solution of tin(II) chloride.

$Cd + Sn^{2+} \rightarrow Sn + Cd^{2+}$ 1 point	t for reactant(s), 2 points for product(s)
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(b) Magnesium pellets are placed in 1.0 M hydrochloric acid.

(c) Sulfur in its standard state is burned in air.

$S_8 + O_2 \rightarrow SO_2$	1 point for reactant(s), 2 points for product(s)
OR	
$S + O_2 \rightarrow SO_2$	

(d) Solutions of silver nitrate and sodium chloride are combined.

$Ag^+ + Cl^- \rightarrow AgCl$	1 point for reactant(s), 2 points for product(s)
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(e) Solid iron(II) sulfite is heated strongly.

$FeSO_3 \rightarrow FeO + SO_2$	1 point for reactant(s), 2 points for product(s)
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#### Question 4 (cont'd.)

(f) Powdered barium oxide is mixed with water.

$BaO + H_2O \rightarrow Ba^{2+} + OH^-$	1 point for reactant(s), 2 points for product(s)
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(g) Excess saturated sodium fluoride solution is added to a solution of aluminum sulfate.

$F^- + Al^{3+} \rightarrow [AlF_6]^{3-}$ 1 point for reactant(s), 2 points for product(s)
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<u>Note:</u>  $[AlF_4]^-$  and  $[AlF_5]^{2-}$  were also accepted as products.

#### (h) Solid potassium carbonate is added to 1.0 M sulfuric acid.

$\mathrm{K_2CO_3}~+~\mathrm{H^+}~\rightarrow~\mathrm{CO_2}~+~\mathrm{H_2O}~+~\mathrm{K^+}$	1 point for reactant(s), 2 points for product(s)
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#### **Question 5**

- 5. An experiment is performed to determine the molar mass of an unknown solid monoprotic acid, HA, by titration with a standardized NaOH solution.
  - (a) What measurement(s) must be made to determine the number of moles of NaOH used in the titration?

Initial volume of standardized NaOH solution and final volume of standardized NaOH solution (volume at the endpoint of the titration)	1 point for identifying both initial and final volume of base
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(b) Write a mathematical expression that can be used to determine the number of moles of NaOH used to reach the endpoint of the titration.

$M_{ m NaOH}$ $ imes$ $V_{ m NaOH}$	1 point for mathematical approacion
(Molarity of NaOH solution) times (volume (in L) of NaOH added)	i point for mathematical expression

(c) How can the number of moles of HA consumed in the titration be determined?

HA + NaOH $\rightarrow$ NaA + H <sub>2</sub> O moles HA = moles NaOH moles monoprotic acid = moles NaOH $n_{\rm HA}$ = moles NaOH $\left(\frac{1 \text{ mol HA}}{1 \text{ mol NaOH}}\right)$	point for showing conversion based on stoichiometry of he neutralization reaction
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(d) In addition to the measurement(s) made in part (a), what other measurement(s) must be made to determine the molar mass of the acid, HA ?

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(e) Write the mathematical expression that is used to determine the molar mass of HA.

$\frac{\text{mass HA}}{\text{mol HA}}$ mass of HA measured in part (d) divided by the moles of HA determined in part (c)	1 point for quotient
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### Question 5 (cont'd.)

(f) The following diagram represents the setup for the titration. In the appropriate boxes below, list the chemical(s) needed to perform the titration.



Chemical in buret: standardized NaOH solution

1 point for NaOH in the buret

- (g) Explain what effect each of the following would have on the calculated molar mass of HA. Justify your answers.
  - (i) The original solid acid, HA, was not completely dry at the beginning of the experiment.

Measured mass of HA is larger; so, according to expression in	1 point for the effect on molar mass and
part (e), calculated molar mass will be higher than it should.	explanation.

(ii) The procedure called for 25 mL of  $H_2O$  in the Erlenmeyer flask, but a student used 35 mL of  $H_2O$ .

No effect on calculated molar mass, because mathematical expression for molar mass does not include amount of water used to dissolve solid HA. Both mass and number of moles of HA are unaffected by the addition of water.	1 point for effect on molar mass and explanation.
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#### **Question 6**



- 6. The following questions refer to the electrochemical cell shown in the diagram above.
  - (a) Write a balanced net ionic equation for the spontaneous reaction that takes place in the cell.

 $Zn^{2+}(aq) + 2 e^{-} \rightarrow Zn(s)$   $Ag^{+}(aq) + e^{-} \rightarrow Ag(s)$  I point for the balanced net-ionic equation I point for correct direction (reactants and products)

(b) Calculate the standard cell potential,  $E^{\circ}$ , for the reaction in part (a).

$Zn^{2+}(aq) + 2 e^{-} \rightarrow Zn(s)$ Ag <sup>+</sup> (aq) + e <sup>-</sup> $\rightarrow$ Ag(s)	$E^{\circ} = -0.76 \text{ V}$ $E^{\circ} = +0.80 \text{ V}$	1 point for the correct, positive $E_{cell}^{\circ}$
$E_{cell}^{\circ} = E_{cathode}^{\circ} - E_{anode}^{\circ} = +0$	0.80  V - (-0.76  V) = +1.56  V	

- (c) In the diagram above,
  - (i) label the anode and the cathode on the dotted lines provided, and

#### Question 6 (cont'd.)

(ii) indicate, in the boxes below the half-cells, the concentration of AgNO<sub>3</sub> and the concentration of  $Zn(NO_3)_2$  that are needed to generate  $E^{\circ}$ 

$[AgNO_3] = [Zn(NO_3)_2] = 1 M$	1 point for the correct concentration for the anodic chamber
	1 point for the correct concentration for the cathodic chamber

(d) How will the cell potential be affected if KI is added to the silver half-cell? Justify your answer.

A precipitate will form as $I^-$ ions react with $Ag^+$ ions in solution in cathode compartment. $[Ag^+]$ will be reduced, causing cell potential to decrease.	<ol> <li>point for correctly indicating a reaction occurs</li> <li>point for indicating the cell potential decreases</li> </ol>
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#### **Question 7**

 $N_2(g) + 2 H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons N_2 H_4(g) \qquad \Delta H_{298}^\circ = +95.4 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}; \ \Delta S_{298}^\circ = -176 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ 

- 7. Answer the following questions about the reaction represented above using principles of thermodynamics.
  - (a) On the basis of the thermodynamic data given above, compare the sum of the bond strengths of the reactants to the sum of the bond strengths of the product. Justify your answer.

Bond energy (B.E.) of reactants is greater than bond energy of products. Reaction is endothermic, so more energy is required to break bonds of reactants than is given off when new bonds form in products:	<ol> <li>point for indicating that reactants have</li></ol>
$\Delta H = \sum (B.E.)_{reactants} - \sum (B.E.)_{products} > 0$	greater bond strength <li>point for correct explanation</li>

(b) Does the entropy change of the reaction favor the reactants or the product? Justify your answer.

Entropy change favors reactants.	
Since there are three moles of reactants in gas phase compared to only one mole of products, there are more possible arrangements of reactant molecules compared to product molecules.	<ol> <li>point for indicating which, reactants or products, are favored</li> <li>point for explanation</li> </ol>

(c) For the reaction under the conditions specified, which is favored, the reactants or the product? Justify your answer.

Reactants are favored because $\Delta G^{\circ}$ for reaction is positive. $\Delta G^{\circ} = \Delta H^{\circ} - T\Delta S^{\circ}$ , so a positive $\Delta H^{\circ}$ and a negative $\Delta S^{\circ}$	1 point for indicating which, reactants or products, are favored
means $\Delta G$ is always positive, independent of temperature.	1 point for explanation
<u>Note:</u> Calculation of $\Delta G^{\circ}$ is acceptable with explanation.	

### Question 7 (cont'd.)

(d) Explain how to determine the value of the equilibrium constant,  $K_{eq}$ , for the reaction. (Do <u>not</u> do any calculations.)

(e) Predict whether the value of  $K_{eq}$  for the reaction is greater than 1, equal to 1, or less than 1. Justify your answer.

$K_{eq}$ value is less than 1 for the reaction as written.	
$\Delta G^{\circ} = -RT \ln K_{eq}$ , and since $\Delta G^{\circ}$ is positive, $\ln K_{eq}$ will be a negative number which means that $K_{eq}$ is less than one. OR	1 point for the correct prediction with an explanation
$\Delta H^{\circ} > 0$ and $S^{\circ} < 0$ , thus $\Delta G^{\circ} > 0$ , which means that $K_{eq} < 1$ .	

#### **Question 8**



- 8. The gas-phase conversion reaction between the geometric isomers *cis*-2-butene and *trans*-2-butene is represented by the equation above. The value of the equilibrium constant,  $K_{eq}$ , for the reaction is 3.2 at 298 K and 1.0 atm.
  - (a) In a mixture of the isomers at equilibrium at 298 K and 1.0 atm, which is present at a higher concentration, *cis*-2-butene or *trans*-2-butene? Justify your answer.

Since $K_{eq} > 1$ and $K_{eq} = \frac{[trans-2-butene]}{[cis-2-butene]}$ , products have a greater concentration compared to reactants, so <i>trans</i> -2-butene is present at higher concentration	1 point for <i>trans</i> -2-butene 1 point for explanation
present at higher concentration.	

(b) If 1.00 mol of pure *cis*-2-butene and 1.0 mol of pure *trans*-2-butene were introduced into an evacuated container at 298 K, in which direction (to the right or to the left) would the reaction proceed to establish equilibrium? Justify your answer.

$Q = \frac{[trans-2-butene]}{[cis-2-butene]} = \frac{1}{1} = 1$	1 point for predicting direction
Q < K, so numerator must increase and denominator must decrease, thus reaction proceeds to right.	1 point for using $Q$

(c) Given that  $K_{eq}$  for the reaction at 400 K has the value 1.3, predict whether the reaction is endothermic or exothermic. Justify your answer.

At higher temperature $K_{eq}$ is smaller, so <i>trans</i> isomer has a lower concentration, so reaction has shifted to left. Reaction must be	1 point for correct answer
exothermic for this to occur.	i point for explanation

#### Question 8 (cont'd.)

(d) There are other structural isomers of *cis*-2-butene and *trans*-2-butene. Draw one of these isomers, including all atoms, and give its IUPAC name.

