

Chemistry 1250 - Sp22

Solutions for Practice Midterm 3

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1) Use **Combined Gas Law**:

$$\frac{P_f V_f}{T_f} = \frac{P_i V_i}{T_i}$$

$$P_f = 3P_i \quad V_f = 1/2 V_i \quad (\text{Vol dec to } 1/2 \text{ its initial value})$$

$$T_f = \frac{P_f V_f}{P_i V_i} T_i = \left(\frac{P_f}{P_i}\right) \left(\frac{V_f}{V_i}\right) T_i$$

$$T_f = \left(\frac{3 P_i}{P_i}\right) \left(\frac{1/2 V_i}{V_i}\right) T_i = (3/2)T_i$$

C

2) There are several methods for solving this problem. In all of them you need to know what STP is.

STP => Standard Temp. & Pressure: $T = 0^\circ\text{C} (273.15\text{K})$ & $P = 1 \text{ atm}$

a) Method 1

To get the volume determine the moles of O_2 and then use IGL ($PV=nRT$) to get the volume.

Assume 1 L (or just solve for n/V)

$$? \text{ mol O}_2 = 1.60 \text{ g O}_2 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol O}_2}{32.00 \text{ g O}_2} = 0.0500 \text{ mol O}_2$$

$$V = \frac{nRT}{P} = \frac{(0.0500 \text{ mol})(0.08206 \text{ L}\cdot\text{atm/mol}\cdot\text{K})(273.15 \text{ K})}{(1 \text{ atm})}$$

$$= 1.12073 \text{ L O}_2$$

$$= 1.12 \text{ L O}_2$$

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2) (cont.)

b) Method 2

$$\mathcal{M} = \left(\frac{RT}{P}\right) D \quad \Rightarrow \quad D = \left(\frac{P}{RT}\right) \mathcal{M} \quad (\text{in g/L})$$

$$D = \frac{(1 \text{ atm}) (32.00 \text{ g/mol})}{(0.08206 \text{ L}\cdot\text{atm/mol}\cdot\text{K}) (273.15\text{K})} = 1.42\textbf{76} \text{ g/L}$$

$$V = \frac{m}{D} = \frac{1.60 \text{ g}}{1.42\textbf{76} \text{ g/L}} = 1.12 \text{ L}$$

Using dimensional analysis:

$$? \text{ L} = 1.60 \text{ g} \times \frac{1 \text{ L}}{1.42\textbf{76} \text{ g}} = 1.12 \text{ L}$$

c) Method 3 (only usable at STP)**Molar Volume** at STP: $V/n = 22.41 \text{ L/mol}$ (1 mol gas = 22.41 L)

$$? \text{ L} = 0.050\textbf{0} \text{ mol} \times \frac{22.41 \text{ L}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 1.12 \text{ L}$$

E

3) Use Dalton's Law of Partial Pressures,

$$P_{\text{Total}} = P_1 + P_2 + P_3 + \dots$$

Each gas acts independently of the other gases and each follows the IGL as does P_{Tot} .

$$P_{\text{T}} = P_{\text{H}_2} + P_{\text{He}}$$

$$P_{\text{He}} = P_{\text{T}} - P_{\text{H}_2} = 3.0 - 0.20 = 2.80 \text{ atm}$$

Want mass of He - find moles first

$$n = \frac{PV}{RT} = \frac{(2.80 \text{ atm})(1.0 \text{ L})}{(0.08206 \text{ L}\cdot\text{atm}/\text{mol}\cdot\text{K})(298.15 \text{ K})} = 0.116398 \text{ mol He}$$

$$? \text{ g He} = 0.116398 \text{ mol He} \times \frac{4.00 \text{ g He}}{1 \text{ mol He}} = 0.466 \text{ g} = 0.47 \text{ g He}$$

A

4) Determine molecular formula of a gas given the empirical formula, $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{O}$, mass & P, V, T data

$$\text{MF} = (\text{EF})_n \quad \& \quad \text{MW} = n * (\text{EFW}) \quad (\text{where MW} = \text{molecular wt and EFW} = \text{empirical formula wt})$$

$$n = \frac{\text{MW}}{\text{EFW}} \quad \& \quad \mathcal{M} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{moles}} \quad (\text{molar mass or molecular wt})$$

Have mass of 0.345 g, need moles. (Remember, molar mass = g/mol, same as MW.)

$$P = 0.942 \text{ atm}; \quad V = 85.0 \text{ mL} = 0.0850 \text{ L}; \quad T = 100^\circ\text{C} + 273.15 = 373.15 \text{ K}$$

$$n_{\text{C}_x\text{H}_y\text{O}_z} = \frac{PV}{RT} = \frac{(0.942 \text{ atm})(0.0850 \text{ L})}{(0.08206 \text{ L}\cdot\text{atm}/\text{mol}\cdot\text{K})(373.15 \text{ K})} = 2.6148 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$$

$$\mathcal{M} = \frac{0.345 \text{ g}}{2.6148 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}} = 131.93 \text{ g/mol or } 131.93 \text{ amu}$$

$$\text{EFW}_{\text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{O}} = 44.05 \text{ amu}$$

$$n = \frac{131.93 \text{ amu}}{44.05 \text{ amu}} = 2.9951 = 3$$

$$\text{MF} = (\text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{O})_3 = \text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_3$$

D

5)

Have same # moles of Ne, CO & H₂S in same container. Ne effuses faster than CO because it is lighter than CO. CO effuses faster than H₂S because it is lighter than H₂S. The smaller the molecule the faster its average velocity.

$$u = \left(\frac{3 RT}{M} \right)^{1/2} \quad r_{\text{eff}} \propto u$$

So $r_{\text{eff}} \propto 1/(M)^{1/2}$ at constant T (M = molar mass, i.e. molec. wt.)

So rate of effusion is proportional to $1/(M)^{1/2}$ (inversely prop to $M^{1/2}$).

$\therefore$ smaller $M \Rightarrow$ larger r_{eff}

Thus a lighter gas effuses at a faster rate & after a period of time more Ne than CO and more CO than H₂S will escape. Therefore the partial pressures of the gases are in the following order:

$$P_{\text{Ne}} < P_{\text{CO}} < P_{\text{H}_2\text{S}}$$

C

- 6) The $KE \propto T$ (in kelvin), **KE is directly proportional to absolute Temp** (T in kelvin)

The **average velocity** (root-mean-square velocity), u , is **NOT** directly prop. to **T**.

$$u \propto T^{1/2} \quad (u \text{ is proportional to the square root of } T)$$

$$u = \left(\frac{3 RT}{M} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$M = \text{molar mass (in kg/mol)}, \quad R = 8.314 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}, \quad T = \text{temp (K)}$$

$$KE_{\text{avg}} = \frac{3}{2} RT \quad (\text{for 1 mole of gas})$$

D

- 7) Want to determine if the gas is behaving ideally or if not is the deviation from ideality a negative or positive deviation since this determines whether the a or b factor in the the **van der Waals** equation is more important (attractive forces or molecular volume):

$$\left(P + \frac{n^2 a}{V^2} \right) (V - nb) = nRT$$

or

$$P = \frac{nRT}{V - nb} - \frac{n^2 a}{V^2}$$

causes (+) deviation	causes (-) deviation
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$$P_m > P_i$$

$$P_m < P_i$$

$$P_m = \text{measured (real) } P; \quad P_i = \text{ideal } P$$

due to vol
of molecules

due to IAF

b : corrects for finite molecular volume of real gases ($b=0$ for an ideal gas)

a : corrects for attractive forces between real molecules ($a=0$ for an ideal gas)

Thus, larger molecule $\Rightarrow$ larger molecular volume $\Rightarrow$ larger b
stronger AF $\Rightarrow$ larger a

7) (Cont.)

Real gases behave nearly ideally at high T (where KE is great enough to overcome IAF) and low P (larger container volume, in which case the molecular volume is less important). As the temp dec. and pressure inc. a gas behaves less ideally and approaches its liquefaction point. A bigger molecule has larger volume (b value) & would exhibit larger (+) deviations. A molecule with larger “a” value has stronger AF and would exhibit larger (-) deviations.

Can use the data and calculate the ideal pressure, P_i , using the Ideal Gas Law and then use the VDW eqn. to calculate the van der Waals pressure, P_{vw} , which should be closer to the real pressure.

Calculate the ideal pressure

$$P_i = \frac{(1.000 \text{ mol}) (0.08206 \text{ L}\cdot\text{atm/mol}\cdot\text{K}) (273.15 \text{ K})}{(3.000 \text{ L})} = 7.47\textbf{1}56 \text{ atm} = 7.47\textbf{2} \text{ atm}$$

Calculate the VDW pressure

$$a = 3.59 \text{ L}^2\cdot\text{atm/mol}^2 \quad b = 0.0427 \text{ L/mol}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_{vw} &= \frac{(1.000 \text{ mol}) (0.08206 \text{ L}\cdot\text{atm/mol}\cdot\text{K}) (273.15 \text{ K})}{\{3.000 \text{ L} - (1.000 \text{ mol})(0.0427 \text{ L/mol})\}} - \frac{(1.000 \text{ mol})^2 (3.59 \text{ L}^2\cdot\text{atm/mol}^2)}{(3.000 \text{ L})^2} \\ &= 7.57\textbf{2}44 - 0.39\textbf{8}88 \\ &= 7.18\textbf{0}55 \text{ atm} \end{aligned}$$

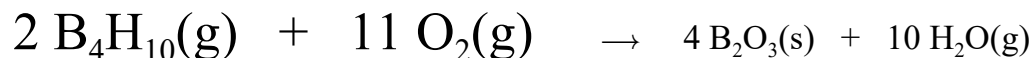
$$P_{vw} < P_i$$

This is a **negative deviation** from ideality. A **negative** deviation is caused by **intermolecular attractive forces (IAF)**, so the IAF are the more important factor under these conditions.

B

- 8) Can calculate the volume of desired from volume of given by using the volume ratio which is the same as the mole ratio from the balanced equation. You can see this from **Avogadro's Law**:

$$\frac{V_2}{n_2} = \frac{V_1}{n_1} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{n_2}{n_1} = \frac{V_2}{V_1} \quad \text{vol ratio} = \text{mole ratio}$$



$$? \text{ L B}_4\text{H}_{10} = 15.7 \text{ L O}_2 \times \frac{2 \text{ L B}_4\text{H}_{10}}{11 \text{ L O}_2} = 2.85 \text{ L B}_4\text{H}_{10}$$

numbers in this ratio are
coefficients in bal. eqn.

Could use the P, T, V data given to first calculate the moles of O_2 that reacts. Then do a mole-to-mole stoichiometry problem to determine the moles of B_4H_{10} produced from the moles of O_2 . Then you could use the moles of B_4H_{10} with the P and T data given to calculate the volume of B_4H_{10} . This is not complicated but certainly more complicated and much more work than above.

A

9) a) T:	Viscosity (HF) > Viscosity (HBr)		<u>HF</u>		<u>HBr</u>
MW:	20	81	LF	<	LF
# e ⁻ :	10	36	DD	>	DD
H-bonds					

The HF and HBr molecules are both polar. The HBr is bigger and has larger LF. The HF molecule is much more polar (due to the very electronegative F atom) and has bigger DD AF. However, HF molecules can form H bonds while HBr can not. Thus, **HF** has **stronger IAF** and a **greater viscosity**.

b) F:	b.p.(CH ₃ OH) > b.p.(CH ₃ NH ₂)		<u>CH₃OH</u>		<u>CH₃NH₂</u>
MW:	32	31	LF	≈	LF
# e ⁻ :	18	18	DD	>	DD
			H-bonds		H-bonds

Both molecules are polar and can form H bonds between molecules. The molecules are essentially the same size and have similar LF. The CH₃OH molecules are more polar than the CH₃NH₂ molecules (since an O atom is more electronegative than a N atom) so CH₃OH has greater DD forces. Both molecules can form H bonds. However, H-bonding involving O atoms is stronger than that involving N atoms (again because an O atom is more E.N. than a N atom). Thus **CH₃OH** has **stronger IAF** and a **higher b.p.**

c) T:	VP(CO ₂) > VP(SO ₂)		<u>CO₂</u>		<u>SO₂</u>
MW:	44	64	LF	≈	LF
# e ⁻ :	22	32			DD

SO₂ has **stronger IAF** than the nonpolar CO₂ and thus a **lower vapor pressure**.

d) T:	AF(CH ₃ F) < AF(CH ₃ OH)		<u>CH₃F</u>		<u>CH₃OH</u>
MW:	34	32	LF	≈	LF
# e ⁻ :	18	18	DD	<	DD
H-bonds					

The CH₃F molecule is polar (tetrahedral but the 4 atoms around C are not identical) and has LF and DD attractive forces (AF). The CH₃OH molecule is polar (tetrahedral but the 4 atoms around C are not identical and it is bent around the O) and has LF, DD and H-bonding between CH₃OH molecules. Thus, **CH₃OH** has **stronger AF** than CH₃F.

e) T:	critical temp (H ₂ O) > critical temp (H ₂ S)		<u>H₂O</u>		<u>H₂S</u>
MW:	18	34	LF	<	LF
# e ⁻ :	10	18	DD	>	DD
H-bonds					

The **H-bonding** that occurs between **H₂O** molecules is a **very strong IAF** compared to the other forces and is in addition to the other IAF and is what is the main reason for the higher IAF of H₂O compared to other molecules of approximately same size.

Remember: Stronger Att. Forces ⇒ Lower Vapor Pressure
Slower rate of evaporation

Higher b.p., m.p., sublimation pt.

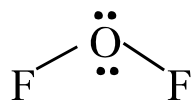
ΔH_{vap}, ΔH_{fus}, ΔH_{sub},

critical temp., surface tension, viscosity

B

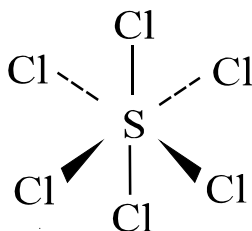
(statement B was false - changed to be correct above)

- 10) Determine if molecules are nonpolar or polar (Draw Lewis Structure and determine shape). Also, remember that in general if there is one or more lone pair of electrons (lpe-) the molecule will be polar. The exceptions to this rule is a linear molecule resulting from 5 e- pairs and a square planar molecule resulting from 6 e- pairs, which can be nonpolar.



POLAR (around the O atom, just like H₂O. There are lpe- on O.)
Has both LF & DD att. forces

a) SCl₆

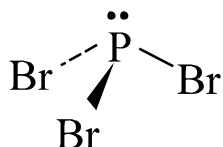


Octahedral

Nonpolar (All 6 atoms around S are identical.)

LF only

c) PBr₃

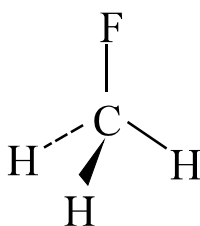


Trigonal pyramidal (like :NH₃, :NF₃, :PH₃, :PF₃, etc.)

Polar ; **LF & DD**

(Usually lpe- on central atom ⇒ polar)

c) CH₃F



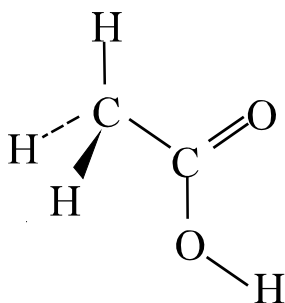
Tetrahedral (like CH₄, CF₄, SiH₄, SiCl₄, etc.)

Polar (all 4 atoms on C are not identical)

LF & DD

(No H-bonding; H bonded to C not F)

d) CH₃CO₂H

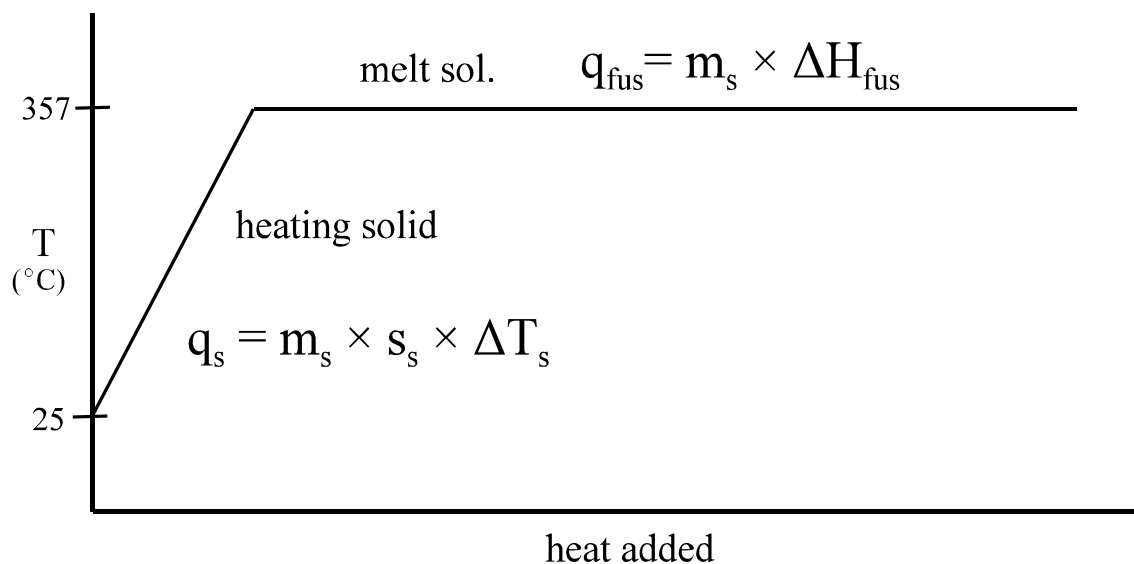


Tetrahedral around CH₃ C atom and trigonal planar around CO₂H C atom.

POLAR (around both C atoms, especially C=O group)

LF, DD, H-bonding (H on OH forms H-bonds)

11) Draw a heating curve and label it (makes it easier)



$$q = q_{\text{heat solid}} + q_{\text{fusion}}$$

$$= (m_s \cdot s_s \cdot \Delta T_s) + (m_s \cdot \Delta H_{\text{fus}})$$

$$= [125 \text{ g} \cdot 0.138 \text{ J/g} \cdot ^{\circ}\text{C} \cdot (357 - 25.0)^{\circ}\text{C}] + (125 \text{ g} \cdot 292 \text{ J/g})$$

$$= 5727 \text{ J} + 36500 \text{ J} = 42227 \text{ J} = 42.2 \text{ kJ}$$

A

12) For questions 12, it would be helpful to sketch a phase diagram for an imaginary compound (the points are already plotted for you):

triple point = 52 °C, 0.5 atm

vapor pressure of solid at -15 °C
= 0.15 atm

normal melting point = 49 °C

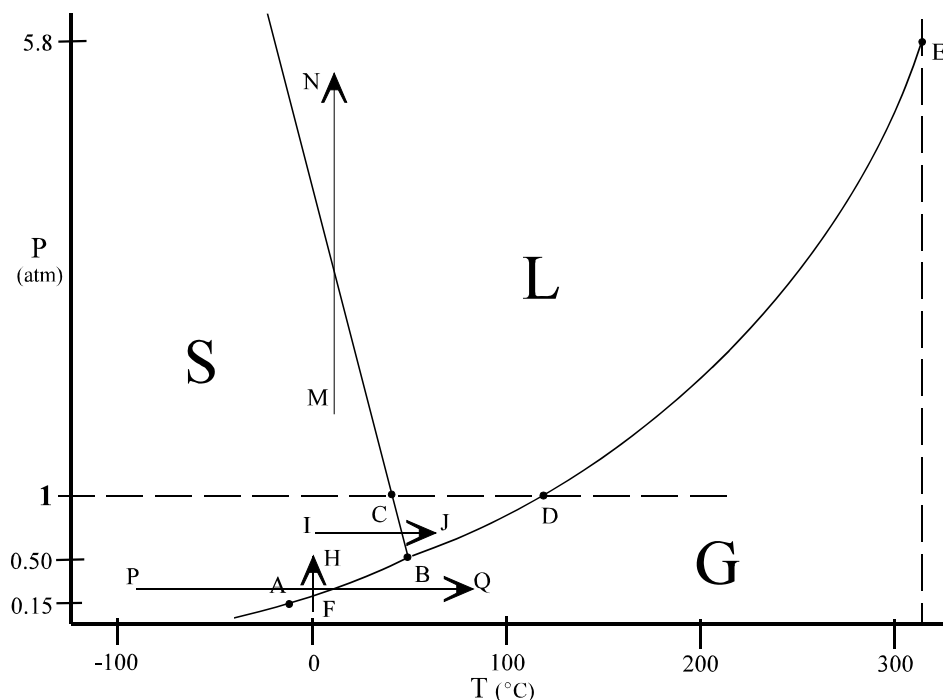
normal boiling point = 118 °C

critical point = 329 °C, 5.8 atm

line AB: VP curve for solid ($s \rightleftharpoons g$)
-sublimation curve

line BE: VP curve for liq ($\ell \rightleftharpoons g$)
-boiling pt. curve

line BC: m.p. curve for solid
($s \rightleftharpoons \ell$)



- T: Line IJ. A phase change occurs going from a solid to a liquid. This is fusion (melting).
- T: The m.p. curve (line BC, s- ℓ equil.) slopes to the left (has a negative slope) - **m.p. dec.** as **Pressure inc.** (like H₂O, exception to that of most substances).
 - when pressure is supplied you go to the state with a smaller volume.
 - Apply P to solid and get a liquid so the **liquid** has smaller vol., **greater density** (solid is less dense than the liquid)
- T: The normal melting point is 49 °C. The s- ℓ equil. line has a negative slope (T dec. as P inc.). The **m.p. dec.** as **P inc.** Thus, the solid **can** be liquefied at temp. less than that of the melting point by applying pressure (inc. P). (See line MN.)
- F: Line FH. A phase change occurs going from a gas to a solid, **deposition**.
- T: Line PQ is represents the phase transition of s $\rightarrow$ g, sublimation.

D

13) cations A in simple cubic (at corners) : $1/8 \text{ A cation/corner} * 8 \text{ corners/uc} = 1 \text{ A/u.c}$

cation B at body center: 1 B/u.c

anion X at center of each face : $1/2 \text{ X anions/face} * 6 \text{ faces/uc} = 3 \text{ X/u.c}$



A

14) radius, $r = 1.247 \text{ \AA}$ (edge length, $\ell = 2.88 \text{ \AA} = 2.88 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm}$ - see below)

$$\text{Vol/uc} = \ell^3 = (2.88 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm})^3/\text{uc}$$

$$\text{density} = 7.20 \text{ g/cm}^3$$

bcc (body-centered cubic) $\Rightarrow 2 \text{ atoms/uc}$

Want atomic weight (molar mass) $\Rightarrow \text{calc g/mol}$

$$\ell = \frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4(1.247 \text{ \AA})}{\sqrt{3}} = 2.8798 \text{ \AA} = 2.880 \text{ \AA}$$

$$? \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mol}} = \frac{7.20 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ cm}^3} \times \frac{(2.880 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm})^3}{\text{uc}} \times \frac{1 \text{ uc}}{2 \text{ atoms}} \times \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms}}{1 \text{ mol}}$$

density uc



mass uc



mass per atom



mass per mol

$$= 51.760 \text{ g/mol} = 52.0 \text{ g/mol} \quad (52.0 \text{ amu})$$

C

15) Which member of the following pairs has **higher m.p.** - look at attractive forces

B **SiC** **NaCl** **Mo** **Al₂O₃**

SiC or **H₂O**
covalent molecular
network

SiC is a covalent network solid which has the diamond structure in which half the C atoms have been replaced by Si atoms - very hard and very high m.p. (solid at room temp) Must break covalent bonds to melt this type of solid

(Group 4A elements form covalent network solids as pure solids and compounds of these elements - C(diamond), C(graphite), Si, Ge, gray Sn & elements close to group 4A - BN (s), SiO₂ (quartz), GeO₂)

H₂O is a molecular solid and forms LF, DD & H-bonds but these are much weaker than covalent bonds (H₂O is a liquid at room temp.)

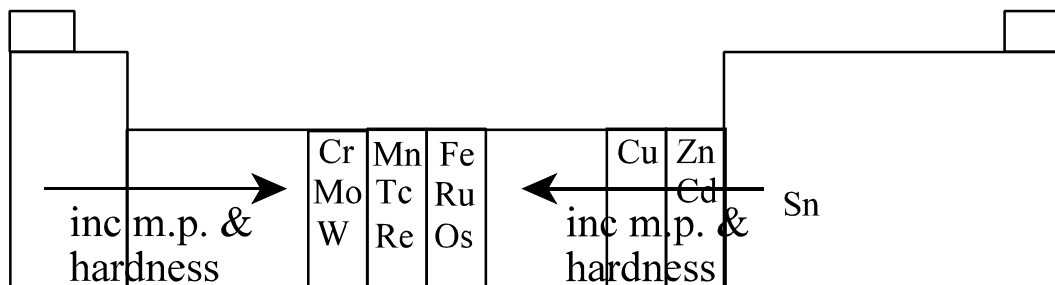
HF or **NaCl**
molecular **ionic**

NaCl is an ionic solid and has ionic bonds between ions. **Ionic solids** have much **higher m.p.** (400 - 3000°C) than the majority of molecular compounds.

HF is a molecular solid and has LF, DD & H-bonding. Even though HF can form H-bonds these IAF are **NOT** as strong as ionic bonds. HF is a gas at room temp.

Mo or **Sn**
metallic metallic

Both are metallic & m.p. inc from both the left and right in the PT toward the middle of the transition elements (has to do with # "valence" e⁻ in the metal).



15) (cont.)

Fe₂O₃ ionic	or	KCl ionic	Ionic Solids - m.p. & hardness (and solubility) depends on Lattice Energy
$LE \propto \frac{Q^+ Q^-}{d}$			Q: charge on ion d: distance between centers of ions & usually determined by adding ionic radii.

The Fe³⁺ has a +3 charge while K⁺ has a +1 charge & Fe³⁺ is smaller than K⁺

The O²⁻ has a -2 charge while Cl⁻ has a -1 charge & O²⁻ is smaller than Cl⁻.

∴ Numerator for Fe₂O₃ ∝ |(+3)(-2)| = 6 & for KCl ∝ |(+1)(-1)| = 1

so numerator for Fe₂O₃ is 6 times larger than that for KCl

Feso, $r(\text{Fe}^{3+}) < r(\text{K}^+)$ & $r(\text{O}^{2-}) < r(\text{Cl}^-)$ so $d_{(\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3)} < d_{(\text{KCl})}$

∴ $LE_{(\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3)} > LE_{(\text{KCl})}$ (mostly based on the charges)

& Fe₂O₃ has higher m.p. (greater LE => higher m.p. Also, generally less soluble.)

16)

- 1) T : hcp - ABABAB... ccp (fcc) - ABCABC...

Both ccp (same as fcc) and hcp are closest-packed structures. Both have 12 nearest neighbors and have the least amount of empty space., 26% empty space (74% space occupied).

- 2) F: The neighboring molecules in molecular solids are attracted to each other ("held together") by LF, DD and H-bonds (the atoms within a molecule are held together by covalent bonds). These relatively weak IAF between molecules are the forces broken during phase changes (while the covalent bonds between the atoms within a molecule remain intact).

molecular solids (IAF: LF, DD, H-bonding) generally have the **lowest mp** of the 4 types of solids (-272 to 400°C).

- 3) F: Ionic solids are hard and brittle have very high m.p. (400 - 3000°C). Must break ionic bonds to melt this type of solid. This requires a lot of energy. Ionic solids do **NOT conduct electricity** in the **solid** state (ions or electrons are not free to flow and carry charge). However, the molten substance (liquid state) or solutions of ionic substances do conduct electricity (ions are free to flow and carry the charge).

- 4) F: A fcc structure has 4 atoms/uc and each particle has **12 nearest neighbors** (coordination # of 12).

	sc (pc)	bcc	fcc
# part.	1	2	4
coord #	6	8	12
% empty space	48	32	26
ℓ	$= \frac{4r}{(4)^{1/2}}$	$\frac{4r}{(3)^{1/2}}$	$\frac{4r}{(2)^{1/2}}$

- 5) T: LiF has the NaCl structure. NaCl has a face-centered lattice structure (Cl^- in a fcc w. Na^+ in holes between the Cl^- on the edges and 1 Na^+ in the body center; or Na^+ in fcc w. Cl^- in holes). In this structure, each Na^+ has 6 nearest neighbor (is surrounded by) Cl^- ions and each Cl^- has 6 nearest neighbor (is surrounded by) 6 Na^+ ions. Therefore, since LiF has the NaCl structure each Li^+ has **6 nearest neighbor** F^- ions.

E (2, 3 & 4 are False - corrected statements above)

Remember: “Like Dissolves Like”

Nonpolar solvents dissolve **nonpolar** solutes

CCl_4 is a NONpolar molecular compound and forms LF only between like molecules in the pure substance. The Na_2CO_3 is an ionic compound with ionic bonding. In order to dissolve Na_2CO_3 in CCl_4 the ionic AF between the ions in Na_2CO_3 have to broken and the LF between CCl_4 molecules have to be broken. The only AF that can form between the ions of Na_2CO_3 and nonpolar CCl_4 molecules is LF. So you are trying to replace very strong ionic AF with very weak LF. This will NOT happen and Na_2CO_3 is **INSOLUBLE** in CCl_4 .

Both are polar and form H-bonds between like molecules in the pure substances. So when HF dissolves in $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ you are breaking LF, DD and H-bonding between HF molecules and $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ molecules and reforming the same AF between solute (HF) and solvent ($\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$) molecules. So replacing AF between like molecules (solute-solute and solvent-solvent) with the same AF between the unlike molecules (solute and solvent). So HF is very soluble in $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$. In addition some of the HF molecules ionize and the resulting ions form ion-dipole AF to the $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ molecules.

CH₃CN is very soluble in C₂H₅OH. Both are polar. Breaking LF and DD between CH₃CN molecules. Breaking LF, DD and H-bonds between H₂O molecules. Forming LF and DD IAF between CH₃CN and H₂O molecules. Also, while CH₃CN can not form H-bonds between solute molecules as a pure substance it can form H-bonds to the H₂O solvent molecules (between the lone-pair e⁻ on the N atom of a CH₃CN molecule and the H atom on the O of a H₂O molecule). Breaking similar AF between solute molecules and between solvent molecules and forming same type of AF between solute and solvent molecules.

17) (cont.)

d) Br_2 in C_6H_6
molecular molecular
(nonpolar - LF only) (nonpolar - LF only)

Both are nonpolar and have only LF between like molecules. So breaking LF between like molecules and reforming LF between unlike (solute-solvent) molecules. Similar AF are being broken and then reformed between solute and solvent molecules.

NH_4Cl in H_2O
ionic molecular (polar)
(ionic bonding) (LF, DD, H-bonding)

For NH_4Cl to dissolve in H_2O ionic AF have to be broken between NH_4^+ and Cl^- ions and LF, DD and H-bonding AF have to be broken between H_2O molecules. Then **ion-dipole** AF are formed between the NH_4^+ and Cl^- ions and the H_2O molecules. This is a very strong AF, slightly weaker than ionic bonding but stronger than the H-bonds between H_2O molecules. So forming similar AF between solute and solvent that were broken to separate the solute particles (ions) and solvent molecules (H_2O).

A

18) Identify the important **solute-solvent** attractions

D (False)

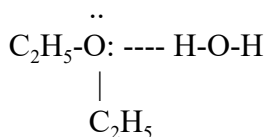
CH₃OH in CHBr₃
polar polar

LF & DD AF between CH₃OH & CHBr₃. However, these molecules can not form H-bonds to each other in solution. The CHBr₃ molecules can not form H-bonds. The H on the C atom in CHBr₃ will not form a H-bond to the O atom of CH₃OH and the Br atoms can not form H-bonds to the H atoms on the O of CH₃OH.

(**No H-bonding** between solute and solvent)

a) C₂H₅-O-C₂H₅ in H₂O
polar polar

LF, DD & H-bonding between C₂H₅-O-C₂H₅ & H₂O. Even though C₂H₅-O-C₂H₅ can't form H-bonds in the pure substance (between like molecules) it can form H-bonds between the lone-pair e⁻ on the O and the H atom on the O atom of the H₂O molecules.



b) CaCl₂ in CH₃OH
ionic polar

When CaCl₂ dissolves in CH₃OH it dissociates into **ions** which get surrounded by polar CH₃OH molecules (solvated) and form Ion-Dipole AF. The most important AF is Ion-Dipole,

$$F_{\text{I-D}} \propto \frac{Q \mu}{d^3}$$

Q: charge on ion

μ: dipole moment of solvent molecule

d: distance between centers of ions & usually determined by adding radii of the ion and the molecule.

c) CH₃NH₂ in CCl₄
polar nonpolar

LF only. Since CCl₄ is nonpolar the only AF it can form are LF, either to other CCl₄ molecules or the polar CH₃NH₂ molecules.

19) Use mass % as a conversion factor between mass of solute and mass of solution.

$$\text{mass \% C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 = \frac{\text{mass C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6}{\text{mass solution}} \times 100\% \quad 5.31 \% \text{ C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 \implies \frac{5.31 \text{ g C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6}{100 \text{ g solution}}$$

$$? \text{ g C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 = 0.0109 \text{ mol C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 \times \frac{180.16 \text{ g C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6}{1 \text{ mol C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6} \times \frac{100 \text{ g soln}}{5.31 \text{ g C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6}$$



get g of C₆H₁₂O₆



get g of solution
- Use % as parts
per 100

$$= 36.981 \text{ g soln}$$

$$= 37.0 \text{ g soln}$$

C

20) $\Pi = i M R T$, where Π = osmotic pressure
 i = # ions in the formula for an ionic cmpd or ionizing molecule
 = 1 for nonionizing or nondissociating cmpds

$\Pi = M_{\text{part}} R T$ M = molarity ($iM = M_{\text{part}}$, molarity of particles)
 $R = 0.0821 \text{ L} \cdot \text{atm} / \text{mol} \cdot \text{K}$; T = temp in kelvin

greater conc of particles ==> greater Π ; higher T ==> greater Π

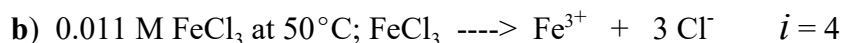
The first thing to do is to calculate the conc of particles in each case and then compare those with the same temp. This is easily done by determining the # particles you get from each compound.

At the same temp the solution with the higher conc of particles will have the higher Π .
 For those with the same conc of particles the one with the higher T will have the higher Π .

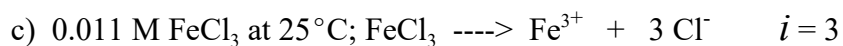
Do NOT have to actually calculate Π for any of the solutions to do this problem.



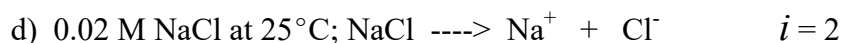
$$M_{\text{ions}} = 3(0.012 \text{ M}) = \mathbf{0.036 \text{ M ions}} \quad \text{at } 25^\circ\text{C}$$



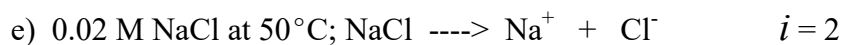
$$M_{\text{ions}} = 4(0.011 \text{ M}) = \mathbf{0.044 \text{ M ions}} \quad \text{at } 50^\circ\text{C}$$



$$M_{\text{ions}} = 4(0.011 \text{ M}) = \mathbf{0.044 \text{ M ions}} \quad \text{at } 25^\circ\text{C}$$



$$M_{\text{ions}} = 2(0.03 \text{ M}) = \mathbf{0.04 \text{ M ions}} \quad \text{at } 25^\circ\text{C}$$



$$M_{\text{ions}} = 2(0.03 \text{ M}) = \mathbf{0.04 \text{ M ions}} \quad \text{at } 50^\circ\text{C}$$

Looking at the solutions at 25°C the 0.011 M FeCl_3 (**0.044 M ions**) would have the highest Π .
 Looking at the solutions at 50°C the 0.011 M FeCl_3 (**0.044 M ions**) would have the higher Π .
 Then looking at the two FeCl_3 solutions, both have the same conc., 0.011 M FeCl_3 (**0.044 M ions**) so the one with the higher T will have the higher osmotic pressure, Π .

B

- 21) Want the mass of sucrose, $C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}$, that needs to be dissolved in 4.00×10^2 g water to produce a solution that boils at 101.36°C . To find the mass of sucrose you first find the moles using the **boiling point elevation** equation to determine molality.

$$\Delta T_b = i K_b m = m_{\text{part}} K_b \quad K_b = \text{boiling point elevation constant (depends on solvent)}$$

i = # ions in the formula for an ionic cmpd or ionizing molecule
 = 1 for nonionizing or nondissociating cmpds

m = molality ($i m = m_{\text{part}}$, molality of particles)

Since $C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}$ is nonionizing $i = 1$. $\Delta T_b = 101.36^\circ\text{C} - 100.00^\circ\text{C} = 1.36^\circ\text{C}$

$$m = \frac{\Delta T_b}{K_b} = \frac{1.36^\circ\text{C}}{0.512^\circ\text{C/m}} = 2.65625 \text{ m} = \frac{2.65625 \text{ mol } C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}}{\text{kg } H_2O}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ? \text{ g} &= (4.00 \times 10^2) \text{ g } H_2O \times \frac{1 \text{ kg } H_2O}{10^3 \text{ g } H_2O} \times \frac{2.65625 \text{ mol } C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}}{\text{kg } H_2O} \times \frac{342.50 \text{ g } C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}}{1 \text{ mol } C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}} \\ &= 363.906 \text{ g } C_{12}H_{22}O_{11} \\ &= 364 \text{ g } C_{12}H_{22}O_{11} \end{aligned}$$

D

22) a) T: Volatile substances in an ideal solution follow Raoult's Law:

$$P_A = X_A P_A^0 \quad \text{Raoult's Law}$$

X_A = mole fraction of the volatile substance in the solution

P_A^0 = vapor pressure of pure substance

P_A = vapor pressure due to the substance in the solution.

$P_{\text{solution}} = P_{\text{solvent}}$ (for a nonvolatile solute - no appreciable vapor pressure)

- b) T: The charges on the ions in CaSO_4 (Ca^{2+} and SO_4^{2-}) are bigger than those for KCl (K^+ and Cl^-). This means the Ca^{2+} and SO_4^{2-} are more likely to form ion pairs in solution and behave less ideally (stronger attraction due to the larger charges). See Table 13.5 in the text book.
- c) T: Vapor pressure lowering. The solute causes the VP to **decrease** compared to the pure solvent. Thus the $VP_{\text{soln}} < VP_{\text{solvent}}$.
- d) T: The VP_{soln} depends on temp, just like that of pure substances. As the temp inc the KE of the particles increases so there are more particles with enough KE able to escape into the vapor phase and thus giving a higher VP.
- e) F: Hydrophilic ("water loving") colloid particles have polar or charged groups that allow them to stay dispersed in water. Hydrophobic ("water hating") colloids particles tend to separate from the water and need "help" to stay dispersed (like emulsifying agents).

E

23) initial rate problem

Write the rate law and use initial rate method to find the order with respect to each substance:

$$r = [A]^m [B]^n$$

You can find the exponents by inspection. However, this isn't the most general way. To find all the exponents, except the "last" one, you need to find reactions in which the concentrations of all substances are held constant except for one substance. You don't have to do this for the last exponent since by that time you will know all the other exponents (i.e. you don't have to look for two reactions in which the conc of all substances, except the one of interest, are held constant). However, this could be difficult to do by inspection.

I am showing the general way of doing these problems. You start by taking the ratio of the rates for two different experiments. This will give the following general relationship that can be used for any set of reactions.

$$\frac{r_i}{r_j} = \frac{[A]_i^m [B]_i^n}{[A]_j^m [B]_j^n}$$

$$\frac{r_i}{r_j} = \left(\frac{[A]_i}{[A]_j} \right)^m \left(\frac{[B]_i}{[B]_j} \right)^n$$

It doesn't matter which exponent is determined first as long as you can find 2 experiments in which the concentrations of all but one substance are held constant. You will notice that there are no experiments in which [A] changes while [B] is held constant. You have to start with finding n.

Step 1: determine order, n, with respect to B ([A] held constant in exp 1 & 2)

$$\frac{r_2}{r_1} = \left(\frac{[A]_2}{[A]_1} \right)^m \left(\frac{[B]_2}{[B]_1} \right)^n$$

$$\frac{1.60 \times 10^{-3}}{2.00 \times 10^{-4}} = \left(\frac{0.20}{0.20} \right)^m \left(\frac{0.40}{0.20} \right)^n$$

$$8 = (2)^n \quad n = 3$$

23) (cont.)

Step 2: determine order, m, with respect to A

No sets of experiments in which B is held constant. That's okay since we know its exponent in the rate law. Just have to make sure [A] changes so we need to use exp 1 & 3 or 2 & 3.

$$\frac{r_3}{r_1} = \left(\frac{[A]_3}{[A]_1} \right)^m \left(\frac{[B]_3}{[B]_1} \right)^3$$

$$\frac{1.024 \times 10^{-1}}{2.00 \times 10^{-4}} = \left(\frac{0.40}{0.20} \right)^m \left(\frac{0.80}{0.20} \right)^3$$

$$512 = (4)^3 (2)^m = (64) (2)^m \quad 8 = (2)^m \quad m = 3$$

The final rate law is:

$$r = [A]^3 [B]^3$$

E

24)

$$r = k [A]^2 [B]^{1/2} [C]^{3/2}$$

2nd order in A, 1/2 order in B, 3/2 order in C

Treat this like any other math equation.

Given the initial rate of reaction, conc of A, B and rate constant, k.

Want the conc of C

$$[C] = \left(\frac{r}{k [A]^2 [B]^{1/2}} \right)^{2/3} = \left(\frac{1.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ Ms}^{-1}}{(70.7 \text{ M}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}) (0.0100 \text{ M})^2 (0.0200 \text{ M})^{1/2}} \right)^{2/3}$$

$$[C] = 0.010 \text{ M}$$

C



$$r = k [A]^0 = k$$

0 (zero) order in A

The rate is constant as long as there is some reactant and the rate equals the rate constant. Once the reactant goes to zero the rate will be zero.

$$r = k = 5.0 \times 10^{-2}$$

You can check to see what the conc. is after 5.0 seconds to make sure you still have some reactant left. Use the zero-order integrated rate law.

$$[A]_t = -k t + [A]_o = -(5.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M/s})(5.0 \text{ s}) + 1.0 \text{ M} = 0.75 \text{ M}$$

Since there is still reactant, the rate will be what it was at the start of the reaction (constant).

A

26) Integrated rate law problem.

$$r = (1.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ min}^{-1}) [A_2] \quad (1^{\text{st}} \text{ order in } A_2)$$

Need to use 1st-order integrated rate law:

$$1^{\text{st}} \text{ order reaction} \quad r = k [A_2] \quad \text{where, } k = 1.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ min}^{-1}$$

$$\ln \left(\frac{[A]_t}{[A]_o} \right) = -k t \quad \text{or} \quad [A]_t = [A]_o e^{-kt} \quad \text{or} \quad \ln[A]_t = -k t + \ln[A]_o$$

Want time it takes for the reactant to reach 60% of its initial concentration (60% remains). This is the same as stating the time it takes for reaction to be 40% complete (40% of the reactant has reacted).

$$[A_2]_t = 0.60 [A_2]_o$$

Not given $[A_2]_o$ but don't need to have $[A_2]_o$ for a 1st-order reaction. As you see below, the $[A_2]_o$ cancels. If you didn't think to use this form of the equation you can assume a value for $[A]_o$ and it will work out.

$$\ln \left(\frac{[A_2]_t}{[A_2]_o} \right) = -k t \quad \ln \left(\frac{0.60 [A_2]_o}{[A_2]_o} \right) = -k t \quad \ln (0.60) = -k t$$

$$\ln (0.60) = - (1.0 \times 10^{-2}) t \quad t = 5.1 \times 10 \text{ min}$$

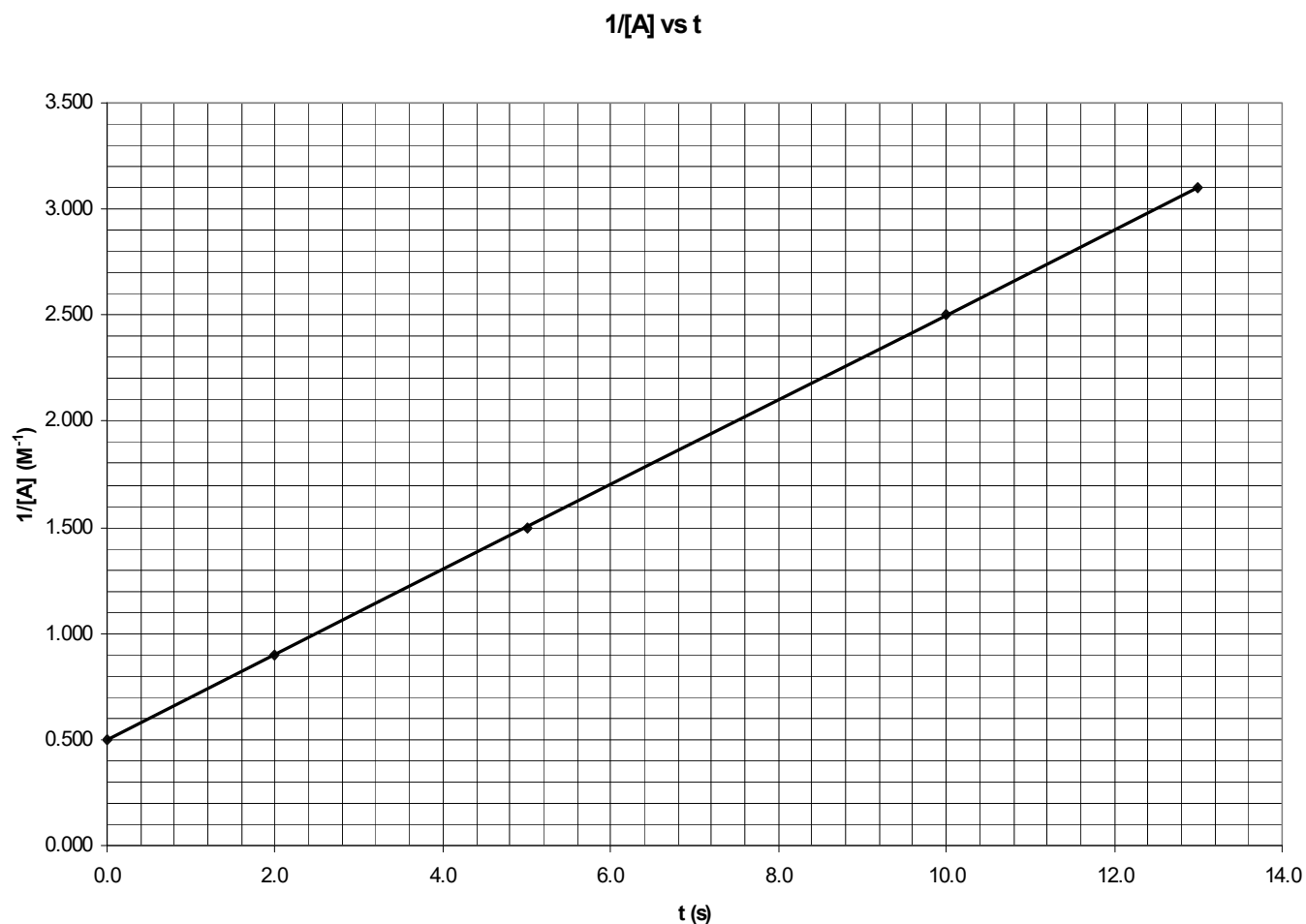
The integrated rate laws for 0 and 2nd order rxn are:

$$0 \text{ order:} \quad [A]_t = -k t + [A]_o$$

$$2^{\text{nd}} \text{ order:} \quad \frac{1}{[A]_t} = k t + \frac{1}{[A]_o}$$

B

27) Find the rate constant, k ($\text{M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$), from the following plot of $1/[A]$ vs t



This is the plot for a 2nd order reaction ($1/[A]$ vs t is a straight line - tells you it is 2nd)

$$\text{2}^{\text{nd}} \text{ order: } \frac{1}{[A]_t} = k t + \frac{1}{[A]_o}$$

Equation of a straight line with $y = 1/[A]$, $x = t$, slope = k , y-intercept = $1/[A]_o$

$$\text{Slope} = k = (2.100 - 0.900 \text{ M}^{-1}) / (8.0 - 2.0 \text{ s}) = 0.20 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$$

$$1/[A]_o = \text{y-intercept} = 0.500 \text{ M}^{-1} \quad [A]_o = 2.00 \text{ M}$$

$$\text{For 2}^{\text{nd}} \text{ order: } t_{1/2, 1} = \frac{1}{k [A]_o} = \frac{1}{(0.20 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1})(2.00 \text{ M})} = 2.5 \text{ s}$$

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27) (Cont.)

Half-life for 1st order is the only one which is independent of concentration. The half-life is constant as the reaction proceeds. This is not true for reactions with orders other than 1st order.

Half-lives (similar to #50 on Ch 14 extra practice problems handout)

successive half-lives:

$$\text{Zero-order}$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{[A]_0}{2k}$$

DECREASES
as rx. proceeds
(successive 1/2-lives
get smaller - 1/2 previous
e.g. $t_{1/2,1} = 40 \text{ s}$
 $t_{1/2,2} = 20 \text{ s}$
 $t_{1/2,3} = 10 \text{ s}$)

$$1^{\text{st}}\text{-order}$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{k}$$

CONSTANT
as rx. proceeds
(successive 1/2-lives
are same
e.g. $t_{1/2,1} = 40 \text{ s}$
 $t_{1/2,2} = 40 \text{ s}$
 $t_{1/2,3} = 40 \text{ s}$)

$$2^{\text{nd}}\text{-order}$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{1}{k[A]_0}$$

INCREASES
as rx. proceeds
(successive 1/2-lives
get larger - double
e.g. $t_{1/2,1} = 10 \text{ s}$
 $t_{1/2,2} = 20 \text{ s}$
 $t_{1/2,3} = 40 \text{ s}$)

1st-order: successive half-lives are constant.

0-order: successive half-lives decrease, cut in half.

2nd-order: successive half-lives increase, double.

28) Use Arrhenius equation in its two point form (given on last page).

$$\ln \left(\frac{k_2}{k_1} \right) = \frac{E_a}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right) \quad T \text{ in KELVIN, } R = 8.314 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}$$

$$k_1 \quad T_1 = 20.0^\circ\text{C} = 293.15 \text{ K}$$

$$k_2 = 3 k_1 \quad T_2 = 40.0^\circ\text{C} = 313.15 \text{ K}$$

$$E_a = ?$$

$$\ln \left(\frac{3 k_1}{k_1} \right) = \frac{E_a}{8.314 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}} \left(\frac{1}{293.15 \text{ K}} - \frac{1}{313.15 \text{ K}} \right)$$

$$\ln (3) = (2.620 \times 10^{-5} \text{ J}^{-1}\cdot\text{mol}) E_a$$

$$E_a = 4.1924 \times 10^4 \text{ J/mol} = 41.9 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

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28) (cont.)

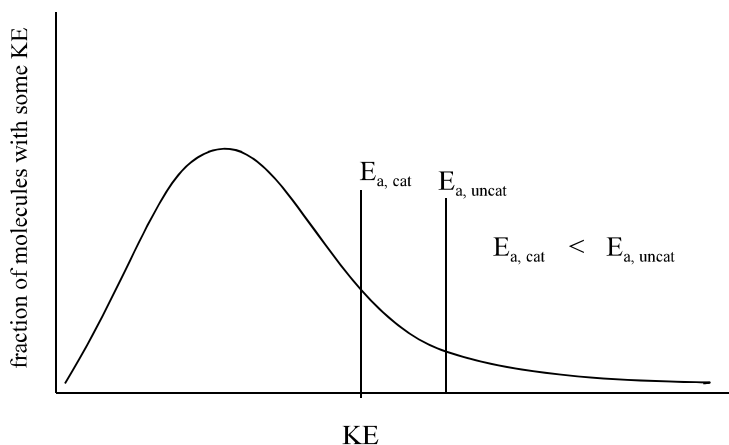
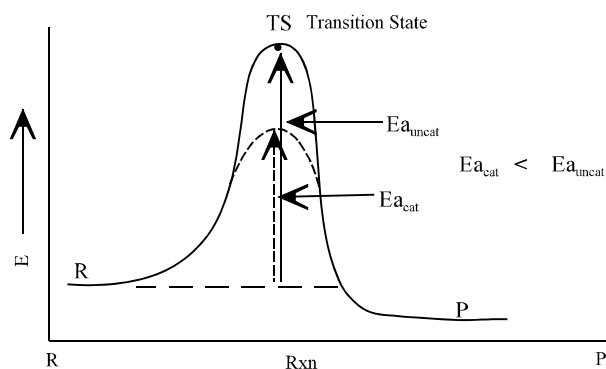
Aside:

Since it is related to the figure above how are E_a , T and catalyst related to reaction rate?

Catalysts do not shift the equilibrium toward products. **Catalysts speed up the rate** at which equilibrium is reached but do **not effect the position of equilibrium** (i.e. Amounts of reactant and product at equilibrium). **Catalyst inc rxn rate by lowering E_a** so that at the same temp more molecules have $KE > E_a$. A catalyst lowers the “hill” (rxn barrier) so it takes less energy to get over (through the transition state, TS). Can use the Arrhenius eqn to see this.

$$k = A e^{-(E_a/RT)} \quad \text{Arrhenius eqn.}$$

As E_a **inc.**, E_a/RT inc., $e^{-(E_a/RT)}$ dec., **k dec.**, **rate dec** ($r \propto k$)
 E_a **dec.**, E_a/RT dec, $e^{-(E_a/RT)}$ inc., **k inc.**, **rate inc** ($r \propto k$)



Assuming the frequency factor is the same for different reactions, the **rate** of a reaction depends **ONLY** on E_a and not whether a reaction is exothermic or endothermic or how exothermic or endothermic the reaction is. An endothermic reaction will be faster than an exothermic reaction if the E_a for the endothermic reaction is smaller than the E_a for the exothermic reaction.

Reaction 1

 $\Delta H = -30 \text{ kJ}$
 $E_a = 20 \text{ kJ}$

Reaction 2

 $\Delta H = 20 \text{ kJ}$
 $E_a = 10 \text{ kJ}$
 faster

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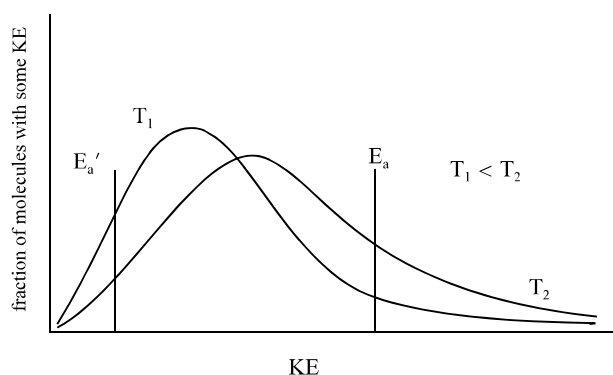
28) (cont.)

You can see how Temperature effects rate by looking at the Arrhenius eqn.

$$k = A e^{-(E_a/RT)} \quad \text{Arrhenius eqn.}$$

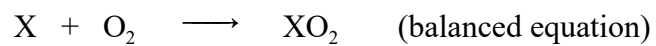
As **T inc.**, E_a/RT dec, $e^{-(E_a/RT)}$ inc., **k inc.**, **rate inc** ($r \propto k$)
T dec., E_a/RT inc, $e^{-(E_a/RT)}$ dec., **k dec.**, **rate dec** ($r \propto k$)

An inc. in T causes an inc. in K.E. so more molecules have $KE > E_a$ and may therefore react

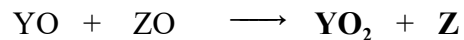
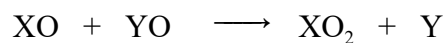
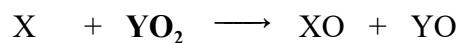


Also, temperature has a bigger effect on the rate constant, k , (and therefore the rate) for reactions with bigger activation energies. That's because for a reaction with a small E_a more molecules are already getting over the barrier (hill) and raising the temp doesn't inc the number of molecules getting over the hill as much as it would for a reaction with a larger E_a . In the figure above, inc temp from T_1 to T_2 inc the number of molecules with KE greater than E_a more for the rxn with E_a than for the rxn with E_a' .

29)



Mechanism below:



intermediates: XO, YO, Y, ZO

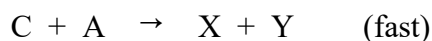
Appear for the **first time** as a **product** and **used** in **subsequent step** as a **reactant**.catalysts: **YO₂, Z**Appear for the **first time** as **reactant** and **reproduced** in **subsequent step** as a **product**.**E**

30)



The rate law is written based on the slow (rate determining) step

a) 2nd step is the slow step



$r = k_2 [B_2] [A]$ A is an intermediate - try to replace it using conc. of reactants &/or product

Use 1st fast equilibrium step to determine [A]

$$r_{\text{forward},1} = r_{\text{reverse},1}$$

$$k_1 [A_2] = k_{-1} [A]^2$$

$$[A] = \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}}\right)^{1/2} \cdot [A_2]^{1/2} \quad \text{substitute this expression for [A] into r from step 2}$$

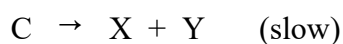
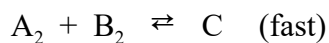
$$r = k_2 [B_2] [A]$$

$$r = k_2 [B_2] \left\{ \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}}\right)^{1/2} \cdot [A_2]^{1/2} \right\}$$

$$r = k_2 \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}}\right)^{1/2} [B_2] [A_2]^{1/2} = k [B_2] [A_2]^{1/2}$$

This does not agree w. exp. rate law given - NOT the proper mechanism

b) 2nd step is the slow step



$r = k_2 [C]$ C is an intermediate - try to replace it using conc. of reactants &/or product

Use 1st fast equilibrium step to determine [C]

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30) (cont.)

$$r_1 = r_{-1}$$

$$k_1 [A_2] [B_2] = k_{-1} [C]$$

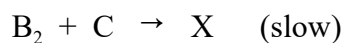
$$[C] = \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}} \right) [A_2] [B_2] \quad \text{substitute this expression for [A] into r from step 2}$$

$$r = k_2 [C]$$

$$r = k_2 \left\{ \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}} \right) [A_2] [B_2] \right\} = \left(\frac{k_2 k_1}{k_{-1}} \right) [A_2] [B_2] = k [A_2] [B_2]$$

This does not agree w. exp. rate law given - NOT the proper mechanism

c) 2nd step is the slow step



$$r = k_2 [B_2] [C] \quad C \text{ is an intermediate - try to replace it using conc. of reactants \&/or product}$$

Use 1st fast equilibrium step to determine [C]

$$r_1 = r_{-1}$$

$$k_1 [A_2] = k_{-1} [C] [Y]$$

$$[C] = \frac{k_1}{k_{-1}} \cdot \frac{[A_2]}{[Y]} \quad \text{substitute this expression for [C] into r from step 2}$$

$$r = k_2 [B_2] [C] \quad - \quad \text{rate law from above}$$

$$r = k_2 [B_2] \left\{ \frac{k_1}{k_{-1}} \cdot \frac{[A_2]}{[Y]} \right\}$$

$$r = \left\{ \frac{k_2 k_1}{k_{-1}} \right\} \cdot \frac{[B_2] [A_2]}{[Y]}$$

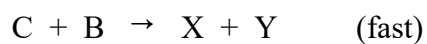
$$r = k \frac{[B_2] [A_2]}{[Y]}$$

This agrees w. exp. rate law given - It **IS** the proper mechanism

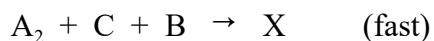
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30) (cont.)

d) 1st step is the slow step



$r = k_1 [\text{B}_2]$ This does not agree w. exp. rate law given - NOT the proper mechanism

e) 2nd step is the slow step

$r = k_2 [\text{B}]$ B is an intermediate - try to replace it using conc. of reactants &/or product

Use 1st fast equilibrium step to determine [B]

$$r_1 = r_{-1}$$

$$k_1 [\text{B}_2] = k_{-1} [\text{B}]^2$$

$$[\text{B}] = \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}} \right)^{1/2} \cdot [\text{B}_2]^{1/2} \quad \text{substitute this expression for [B] into } r \text{ from step 2}$$

$$r = k_2 [\text{B}]$$

$$r = k_2 \left\{ \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}} \right)^{1/2} \cdot [\text{B}_2]^{1/2} \right\}$$

$$r = k_2 \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}} \right)^{1/2} [\text{B}_2]^{1/2} = k [\text{B}_2]^{1/2}$$

C

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30) (cont.)

Note: Anything that appears in the rate law must appear as a reactant in the slow step or as a reactant and/or product in the fast equilibrium steps which precede the slow step.

The fast steps which follow the slow step have no effect on the rate law. They are only there to make sure all steps add up to the balanced equation.

This brings up a good point that makes this type of problem easier to approach.

First look at mech. w. slow step 1 - easy to determine these rate laws (only the reactants in this step will appear in the rate law).

Then look at remaining mech.

To get a rate law with a $\frac{1}{2}$ power (e.g. $[A_2]^{1/2}$) there would need to be the following type of elementary step as a fast step preceding the slow step.



$$r_{\text{forward},1} = r_{\text{reverse},1}$$

$$k_1 [A_2] = k_{-1} [A]^2$$

$$[A] = \left(\frac{k_1}{k_{-1}}\right)^{1/2} \cdot [A_2]^{1/2}$$

Also, look at the following mechanism: Get C in the rate law based on step 2. Then if you look at step 1 you will get something for [C] involving A and X (a product). X will appear in the denominator in the rate law. You really shouldn't have to go through the math to see you will wind up with X in the rate law. In order to get a product in the rate law the first step can't be the rate determining step.

