

2020 Fall Semester Mid-term Examination For General Chemistry I

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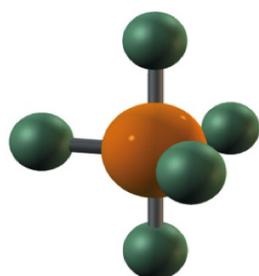
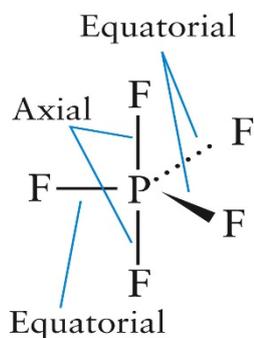
1. (total 10 pts)

For phosphorus pentafluoride, PF₅, answer the following questions.

(a) Draw and name the shape of the molecule. (4 pts)

(Answer)

Steric number = 5



Trigonal bipyramid

Molecular structure

+2 pts

(If three-dimensional indication is missing, only **+1 pt** available)

Name of the structure: Trigonal bipyramid

+2 pts

(b) Do the equatorial P-F and axial P-F have the same length or different lengths? Explain the reason.

(6 pts)

(Answer)

They have different bond lengths.

+2 pts

(Axial bond length (1.577 Å) > Equatorial bond length (1.534 Å))

Axial Fs experience three 90° repulsions, while equatorial Fs have two 90° repulsions.

+2 pts

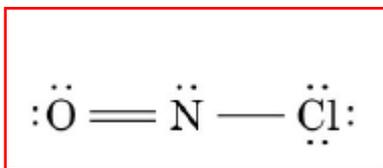
Hence the axial Fs feel higher repulsion and the bond lengths become longer.

+2 pts

2. (total 10 pts, each 2 pts)

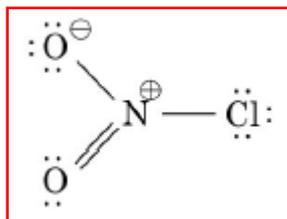
Draw Lewis diagrams and write down the predicted geometries of the following molecules, and write whether they are polar or nonpolar.

(a) ONCl



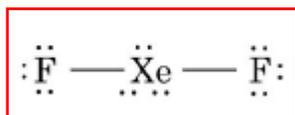
,bent, polar

(b) O₂NCl



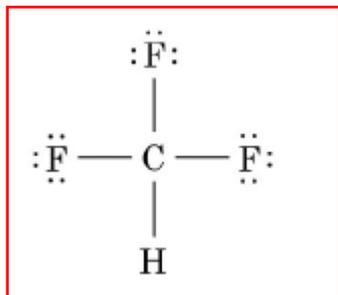
Trigonal Planar, Polar (You should express the formal charge)

(c) XeF₂



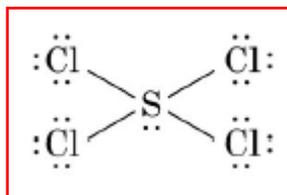
Linear, Non-polar

(d) CHF₃



Tetrahedral, Polar

(e) SCl₄



Seesaw, polar

3. (total 10 pts, each 2.5 pts)

For the given atomic orbital, answer the following questions below

$$R_{nl} = \frac{4}{81\sqrt{6}} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2} (6\sigma - \sigma^2) \exp\left(-\frac{\sigma}{3}\right), \quad Y_{lm} = \left(\frac{3}{4\pi}\right)^{1/2} \sin\theta \sin\phi$$

- (a) From the radial part of the wavefunction, what is the number of radial nodes? Express the number of radial nodes with n and l .
- (b) From the angular part of the wavefunction, what is the angular nodal plane?
- (c) From 1 and 2, find the principle quantum number n and the angular momentum quantum number l .
- (d) Using the process of 1–3), find the n and l for the below orbital, and give the name of this orbital.

$$R_{nl} = \frac{4}{81\sqrt{30}} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2} \sigma^2 \exp\left(-\frac{\sigma}{3}\right), \quad Y_{lm} = \left(\frac{15}{4\pi}\right)^{1/2} \sin\theta \cos\theta \sin\phi$$

Answer

(a)

$$R_{3p} = \frac{4}{81\sqrt{6}} \left(\frac{Z}{a_0}\right)^{3/2} (6\sigma - \sigma^2) \exp(-\sigma/3)$$

The wavefunction becomes 0 when σ is 0 or 6. So, the number of radial nodes is 1.

$$1 = n - l - 1$$

(b) There exists a radial node where $\phi = \pi$. This is the xz plane.

(c) Since there are 1 angular nodes for an orbital (n, l, m) , $l = 1$ in this case.

Using the equation in 1), $1 = n - 1 - 1$, so $n = 3$

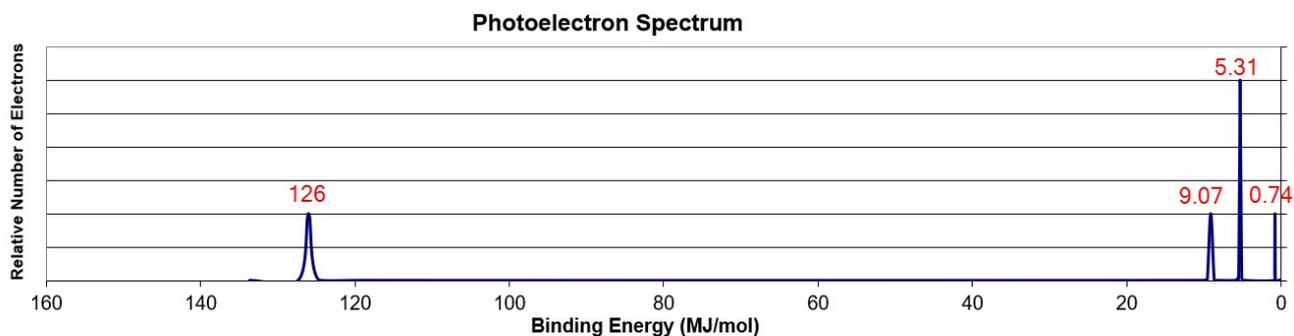
(d) There is no radial node. So, $0 = n - l - 1$

From the angular wavefunction, there are two nodal planes when $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$, $\phi = \pi$.

So, $l = 2$, and $n = 3$. This is the 3d orbital.

4. (total 10 pts)

Using the photoelectron spectrum below, answer the following questions.



(a) (2 pts) What is the electron configuration of the element shown above?

(Answer)



(b) (2 pts) What element is illustrated?

(Answer)

Mg (magnesium)

(c) (6 pts) What is the wavelength required, in m, to remove a valence electron from the element shown above?

(Answer)

$$\frac{0.74 \text{ MJ}}{\text{mol}} \times \frac{10^6 \text{ J}}{\text{MJ}} \times \frac{\text{mol}}{6.022 \times 10^{23}} = 1.23 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}$$

$$E = \frac{hc}{\lambda} = 1.23 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J} \dots \mathbf{2pt}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{hc}{E} = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s})(2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-1})}{1.23 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}} = 1.62 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$$

5. (total 10 pts)

- (a) (5 pts) Write simple valence bond wave functions for the bonds in H₂O.
(b) (5 pts) What geometry does the VB model predict for H₂O? Justify your answer.

Answer

(a) The simple VB model predicts that O (valence electron configuration $2s^2 2p_x^1 2p_y^1 2p_z^2$) forms single bonds with each of the two H atoms. These atoms are designated H₁ and H₂ in the following valence-bond wave functions, which come from overlap of the 2p_x and 2p_y orbitals on the O with the respective 1s orbitals on the H's

$$O - H_1 : \psi_{\sigma}^{bond}(1,2; R_{OH_1}) = c_1[1s^{H_1}(1)2p_x^O(2)] + c_2[1s^{H_1}(2)2p_x^O(1)]$$

$$O - H_2 : \psi_{\sigma}^{bond}(1,2; R_{OH_2}) = c_1[1s^{H_2}(1)2p_y^O(2)] + c_2[1s^{H_2}(2)2p_y^O(1)]$$

(b) The model predicts (incorrectly) that the H—O—H angle equals 90°.

6. (total 10 pts)

- (a) (4 pts) Predict the ground electronic state of the He₂²⁺ ion.
(b) (3 pts) What is the bond order?
(c) (3 pts) Will it be stable in the ground state? Justify your answer.

Answer

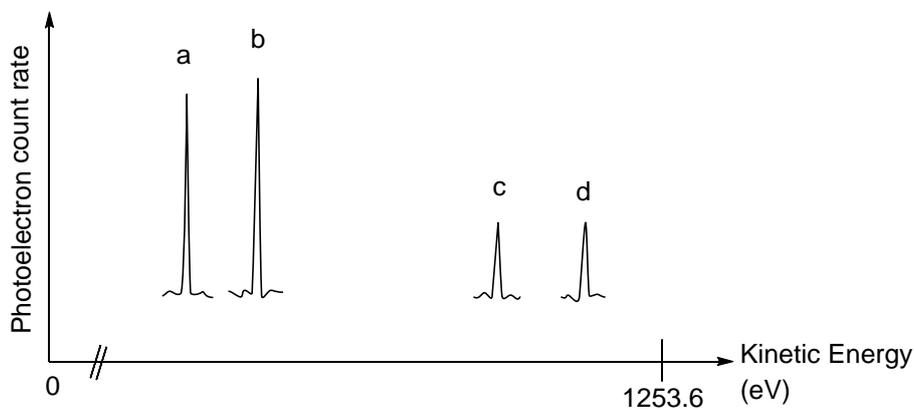
(a) The ground state electron configuration of the He₂²⁺ ion is $(\sigma_{1s})^2$.

(b) bond order: one.

(c) This configuration is stable in its ground state, because its bond order is nonzero..

7. (total 10 pts, each 2.5 pts)

The following figure shows the data obtained with photoelectron spectroscopy for Ne and Na with X-rays with $\lambda = 9.890 \times 10^{-10}$ m. Assign the peaks a–d with the 1st, 2nd ionization energy of each atom.



- a :
- b :
- c :
- d :

Answer

- a: 2nd ionization energy of Na.
- b: 2nd ionization energy of Ne
- c: 1st ionization energy of Ne
- d: 1st ionization energy of Na

8. (total 10 pts)

(a) Name the types of attractive forces that will contribute to the interactions among atoms, molecules, or ions in the following substances. Indicate the one(s) you expect to predominate. (each 2 pts)

- (i) Ne
- (ii) ClF
- (iii) BaCl₂

(b) (4 pts) Predict whether an atom of argon will be most strongly attracted to another atom of argon, an atom of neon, or an atom of krypton.

Answer

- (a) (i) dispersion forces (ii) dipole-dipole forces (predominant) and dispersion forces (iii) ion-ion forces (predominant) and dispersion forces
- (b) An atom of argon should be most strongly attracted by an atom of krypton. The krypton atom has more electrons and is more polarizable than one of argon and the strength of dispersion forces depends on the polarizability of the interacting species.

9. (total 10 pts)

A sample of an oxide of osmium (1.509g) is gaseous at 200.0°C / 0.980 atm pressure, and occupies 235mL under these conditions. Assuming the ideal gas behavior, determine the molecular formula of the oxide. [Molar masses (g mol⁻¹): Os = 190.2; O = 16.00. R = 0.08206 L atm K⁻¹ mol⁻¹. Take 0°C to be 273K]. Please show your work (partial points).

Answer

Since the gas has ideal behavior,

$PV = nRT$, where $n = m/M_r$ (M_r is molar mass)

$$n = (0.980 \text{ atm})(0.235 \text{ L}) / (0.08206 \text{ L atm/K mol})(473 \text{ K}) = 0.00590 \text{ mol} \text{ ----- (3 pts)}$$

$$\text{Hence } M_r = (1.509 \text{ g}) / (0.00590 \text{ mol}) = 254 \text{ g mol}^{-1} \text{ ----- (3 pts)}$$

If the molecular formula of the oxide is OsO_x, then the molar mass is

$$192.0 \text{ g mol}^{-1} + x(16.00 \text{ g mol}^{-1}) = 254 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$x = 3.99 \sim 4$$

Molecular formula is OsO₄ (4 points)

10. (total 10 pts, each 2.5 pts)

The following formula is the van der Waals equation of gaseous state.

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

- (a) How is the compressibility factor z calculated in this condition?
- (b) What is the dimension (unit) for a and b ? (Use atm as a unit of pressure.)
- (c) What is the meaning behind these constants?
- (d) Compare the constants a and b of gaseous ammonia (NH₃) and hydrogen (H₂).

Answer

(a) $z = \frac{PV}{nRT} = \frac{V}{V-nb} - \frac{a n}{RT V} = \frac{1}{1-bn/V} - \frac{a n}{RT V}$

(b) $a : \text{atm L}^2 \text{ mol}^{-2}$

$b : \text{L mol}^{-1}$

(c) a stands for the attractive force, while b stands for repulsive forces (the volume excluded by 1 mol of molecules)

(d) Comparing the gaseous ammonia (NH₃) and hydrogen (H₂), the a value for **ammonia** is more than 10 times larger than for **hydrogen**. However, the value for b for each is very similar.

(Full point for both of a and b, +1pt for only in number)

Physical Constants

Avogadro's number	$N_A = 6.02214179 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
Bohr radius	$a_0 = 0.52917720859 \text{ \AA} = 5.2917720859 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$
Boltzmann's constant	$K_B = 1.3806504 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J K}^{-1}$
Electronic charge	$e = 1.602176487 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$
Faraday constant	$F = 96485.3399 \text{ C mol}^{-1}$
Masses of fundamental particles:	
Electron	$m_e = 9.10938215 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$
Proton	$m_p = 1.672621637 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
Neutron	$m_n = 1.674927211 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
Permittivity of vacuum	$\epsilon_0 = 8.854187817 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^{-2} \text{ J}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-1}$
Planck's constant	$h = 6.62606896 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}$
Ratio of proton mass to electron mass	$m_p / m_e = 1836.15267247$
Speed of light in a vacuum	$c = 2.99792458 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (exactly)
Standard acceleration of terrestrial gravity	$g = 9.80665 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ (exactly)
Universal gas constant	$R = 8.314472 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ $= 0.0820574 \text{ L atm mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$

Values are taken from the 2006 CODATA recommended values, as listed by the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

Conversion factors

Ångström	$1 \text{ \AA} = 10^{-10} \text{ m}$
Atomic mass unit	$1 \text{ u} = 1.660538782 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$ $1 \text{ u} = 1.492417830 \times 10^{-10} \text{ J} = 931.494028 \text{ MeV}$ (energy equivalent form $E = mc^2$)
Calorie	$1 \text{ cal} = 4.184 \text{ J}$ (exactly)
Electron volt	$1 \text{ eV} = 1.602177 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} = 96.485335 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
Foot	$1 \text{ ft} = 12 \text{ in} = 0.3048 \text{ m}$ (exactly)
Gallon (U. S.)	$1 \text{ gallon} = 4 \text{ quarts} = 3.785412 \text{ L}$ (exactly)
Liter	$1 \text{ L} = 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3 = 10^3 \text{ cm}^3$ (exactly)
Liter-atmosphere	$1 \text{ L atm} = 101.325 \text{ J}$ (exactly)
Metric ton	$1 \text{ t} = 1000 \text{ kg}$ (exactly)
Pound	$1 \text{ lb} = 16 \text{ oz} = 0.4539237 \text{ kg}$ (exactly)
Rydberg	$1 \text{ Ry} = 2.17987197 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J} = 1312.7136 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} = 13.60569193 \text{ eV}$
Standard atmosphere	$1 \text{ atm} = 1.01325 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa} = 1.01325 \times 10^5 \text{ kg m}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-2}$ (exactly)
Torr	$1 \text{ torr} = 133.3224 \text{ Pa}$

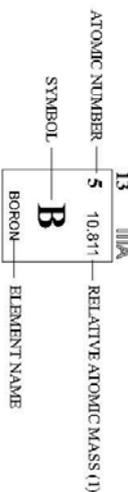
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37	85.468 Rb RUBIDIUM	38	87.62 Sr STRONTIUM	39	88.906 Y YTRBIUM	40	91.224 Zr ZIRCONIUM	41	92.906 Nb NIObIUM	42	95.94 Mo MOLYBDENUM	43	(99) Tc TECHNETIUM	44	101.07 Ru RUTHENIUM	45	102.91 Rh RHODIUM	46	106.42 Pd PALLADIUM	47	107.87 Ag SILVER	48	112.41 Cd CADMIUM	49	114.82 In INDIUM	50	118.71 Sn TIN	51	121.76 Sb ANTIMONY	52	127.60 Te TELLURIUM	53	126.90 I IODINE	54	131.29 Xe XENON
55	132.91 Cs CAESIUM	56	137.33 Ba BARIUM	57-71	Lanthanide																81	204.38 Tl THALLIUM	82	207.2 Pb LEAD	83	208.98 Bi BISMUTH	84	(209) Po POLONIUM	85	(210) At ASTATINE	86	(222) Rn RADON			
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Relative atomic mass is shown with the significant figures. For elements with no stable nuclides, the value enclosed in brackets indicates the mass number of the longest-lived isotope of the element.

However, these such elements (Th, Pa, and U) do have a characteristic terrestrial isotopic composition, and for these an atomic weight is tabulated.

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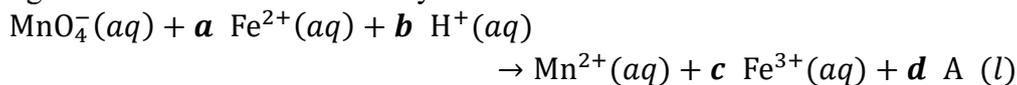
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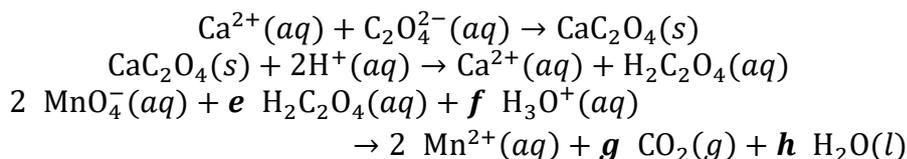
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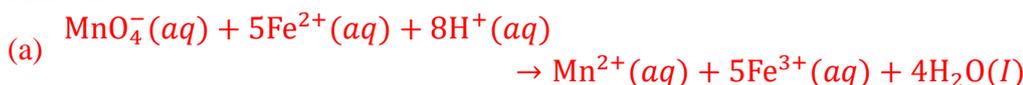
The following is a redox reaction commonly used for titration.



- (a) (4 pts) Find the values for **a**, **b**, **c**, **d**, and the unknown chemical species A.
- (b) (4 pts) 37.2 ml of 0.13 M KMnO_4 solution was used to titrate a sample of Fe^{2+} . The final volume after titration is 52.3 ml. What was the initial concentration of Fe^{2+} in the original solution?
- (c) (4 pts) Potassium manganate can also be used for the titration of calcium ion. Suppose a 50 ml of 0.1 M KMnO_4 solution was used in the indirect titration of 5 ml of Ca^{2+} solution. What was the initial concentration of Ca^{2+} in the original solution? Do not need to specify **e**, **f**, **g**, **h**.



Answer



$$a = 5 / b = 8 / c = 5 / d = 4 / A = \text{H}_2\text{O}$$

- Total 4 pts, 1 point for each value

- (b) MnO_4^- and Fe^{2+} reacts in a 1:5 ratio.

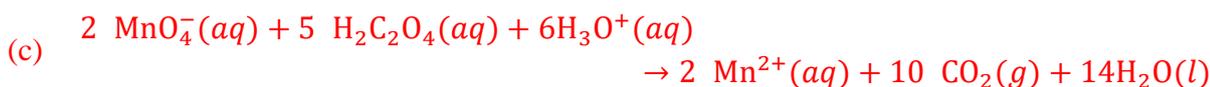
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Thus,

$$37.2 \text{ ml} * 0.13 \text{ M} * 5 = (52.3 - 37.2) \text{ ml} * [\text{Fe}^{2+}]_0$$

$$[\text{Fe}^{2+}]_0 = 1.6 \text{ M}$$

- Full points for correct answer



From the above equation, the molar reaction ratio between MnO_4^- and Ca^{2+} is 2:5. Thus, since 50 ml of 0.1M KMnO_4 solution contains 5 mmol of MnO_4^- , $[\text{Ca}^{2+}] * 5 \text{ ml} = 5 \text{ mmol} * (5/2) = 12.5 \text{ mmol}$. So, the $[\text{Ca}^{2+}] = 2.5 \text{ M}$.

- Full points for correct answer

2. (total 10 pts)

The vapor pressure of pure liquid CS₂ is 0.3914 atm at 20°C. When 40.0g of rhombic sulfur is dissolved in 1.00kg of CS₂, the vapor pressure of CS₂ decreases to 0.3868 atm. Determine the molecular formula for the sulfur molecules dissolved in CS₂ and rationalize your answer.

Answer

$$\Delta P = 0.3868 - 0.3914 = -0.0046 \text{ atm.}$$

$$\text{Mole fraction of the sulfur present in the sulfur-CS}_2 \text{ system, } X_{\text{sulfur}} = \frac{\Delta P}{P^{\circ}_{\text{CS}_2}} = \frac{-(-0.0046 \text{ atm})}{(0.3914 \text{ atm})} = 0.0117 \quad +2 \text{ point}$$

$$1.00 \text{ kg of CS}_2 = 13.13 \text{ mol of CS}_2, \quad +2 \text{ point}$$

$$X_{\text{sulfur}} = 0.0117 = \frac{n_{\text{sulfur}}}{(n_{\text{sulfur}} + n_{\text{CS}_2})} = \frac{n_{\text{sulfur}}}{(n_{\text{sulfur}} + 13.13 \text{ mol})}$$

$$n_{\text{sulfur}} = 0.155 \text{ mol. } \rightarrow 40.0 \text{ g of sulfur} \quad +3 \text{ point}$$

$$\text{molar mass} = 40.0 \text{ g} / 0.155 \text{ mol} = 257 \text{ gmol}^{-1}. \text{ Which is 8 times of } 32 \text{ gmol}^{-1} \text{ (the molar mass of S).}$$

$$\text{Molecular formula} = \text{S}_8 \quad +3 \text{ point}$$

3. (total 8 pts, each 4 pts)

One mole of an ideal monatomic gas initially at 300K and a pressure of 15.0 atm expands to a final pressure of 1.00 atm. The expansion can occur via any one of three different paths: a) isothermal and reversible, b) isothermal and irreversible, c) adiabatic and reversible. In irreversible process, the expansion occurs against an external pressure of 1.00 atm. For the below cases, calculate the values of q , w , ΔU and ΔH .

(a) (1 pt for each quantity) isothermal and reversible

(b) (1 pt for each quantity) isothermal and irreversible.

Answer

(a) When an ideal gas undergoes an isothermal process, $\Delta U=0$ and $\Delta H=0$.

$$w = -nRT \ln (P_1/P_2) = - (1 \text{ mol}) (8.314 \text{ JK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1})(300\text{K}) \ln (15.0 \text{ atm}/1.00\text{atm}) = -6.75 \times 10^3 \text{ J.}$$

$$q = \Delta U - w = -w = 6.75 \times 10^3 \text{ J.}$$

(b) for isothermal process, $\Delta U=0$ and $\Delta H=0$. $W = -P_{\text{ex}}(V_2 - V_1)$

V_1 and V_2 determined using ideal gas law:

$$V_1 = nRT/P_1 = [(1 \text{ mol})(0.08206 \text{ LatmK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1})(300\text{K})]/15.0 \text{ atm} = 1.641 \text{ L}$$

$$V_2 = nRT/P_2 = [(1 \text{ mol})(0.08206 \text{ LatmK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1})(300\text{K})]/1.0 \text{ atm} = 24.62 \text{ L}$$

$$W = -(1.00\text{atm}) (24.62\text{L} - 1.641\text{L}) (101.3\text{J}/1\text{L atm}) = -2.33 \times 10^3 \text{ J}$$

$$q = \Delta U - w = -w = 2.33 \times 10^3 \text{ J}$$

4. (total 10 pts)

Air is contained in an insulated, rigid volume at 20°C and 2 atm. A paddle wheel, inserted in the volume, does 720 kJ of work on the air. If the volume is 2 m³, calculate the entropy increase assuming a constant specific heat (0.717 J g⁻¹ K⁻¹) and ideal-gas behavior. Rationalize your answer.

(Answer)

Mass of air

$$m = \frac{MPV}{RT} = \frac{(28.8 \text{ g mol}^{-1})(2 \text{ atm})(2000 \text{ L})}{(0.082 \text{ L atm mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1})(293 \text{ K})} = 4780 \text{ g} \quad +3 \text{ point}$$

Internal energy $\Delta U = q + w = mc_s\Delta T$

$$720 \text{ kJ} = (4780 \text{ g})(0.717 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1})((T_2 - 293) \text{ K}) \quad \therefore T_2 = 503 \text{ K} \quad +3 \text{ point}$$

Entropy change

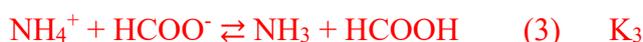
$$\Delta S = mc_s \ln \frac{T_2}{T_1} = (4780 \text{ g})(0.717 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}) \ln \frac{503 \text{ K}}{293 \text{ K}} = 1850 \text{ J K}^{-1} \quad +4 \text{ point}$$

5. (total 10 pts)

Estimate the pH of a 0.0100 M solution of ammonium formate in water at 25 °C. Formic acid, HCOOH, is the simplest organic acid and has $K_a = 10^{-3.7}$. For NH_4^+ , $K_a = 10^{-9.3}$. Rationalize your answer.

(Answer)

Three equilibria are possible here; the reaction of the ammonium ion and formic acid with water, and the reaction of ammonium and formate ions.



Equation (3) = (1) - (2)

$$K_3 = K_1 / K_2 = 10^{-9.3 + 3.7} = 10^{-5.6}$$

+3 point

$$[\text{NH}_4^+] = [\text{HCOO}^-] \text{ and } [\text{NH}_3] = [\text{HCOOH}]$$

$$\text{Then } K_3 = \frac{[\text{NH}_3][\text{HCOOH}]}{[\text{NH}_4^+][\text{HCOO}^-]} = \frac{[\text{HCOOH}]^2}{[\text{HCOO}^-]^2} = 10^{-5.6}$$

$$\therefore \frac{[\text{HCOOH}]}{[\text{HCOO}^-]} = 10^{-2.8}$$

+3 point

From equation (2)

$$\therefore \frac{[\text{HCOO}^-][\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]}{[\text{HCOOH}]} = 10^{-3.7}$$

$$\therefore [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 10^{-3.7} \times \frac{[\text{HCOOH}]}{[\text{HCOO}^-]} = 10^{-3.7} \times 10^{-2.8} = 10^{-6.5}$$

+3 point

$$\therefore \text{pH} = 6.5$$

+1 point

Another answer

8 lines are the same as previous answer

$$\text{Then } K_3 = \frac{[\text{NH}_3][\text{HCOOH}]}{[\text{NH}_4^+][\text{HCOO}^-]} = \frac{[\text{NH}_3]^2}{[\text{NH}_4^+]^2} = 10^{-5.6}$$

$$\therefore \frac{[\text{NH}_3]}{[\text{NH}_4^+]} = 10^{-2.8}$$

+3 point



$$K_b = \frac{[\text{NH}_4^+][\text{OH}^-]}{[\text{NH}_3]} = \frac{K_w}{K_a} = \frac{10^{-14}}{10^{-9.3}} = 10^{-4.7}$$

$$\therefore [\text{OH}^-] = 10^{-4.7} \times \frac{[\text{NH}_3]}{[\text{NH}_4^+]} = 10^{-4.7} \times 10^{-2.8} = 10^{-7.5}$$

$$\therefore [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = \frac{K_w}{[\text{OH}^-]} = \frac{10^{-14}}{10^{-7.5}} = 10^{-6.5}$$

+3 point

$\therefore \text{pH} = 6.5$

+1 point

6. (total 9 pts)

Identify the acid and base in each of these reactions (each 3pts):



Answer

For each question, no partial point



In the first reaction CaO donates O²⁻ to SiO₂ so CaO is the base, and SiO₂ is the acid.



In the second reaction the SiO₂ again accepts an O²⁻ and is again the acid. It accepts the O²⁻ from



In the third reaction, the CaO donates O²⁻ to Ca₂SiO₄. The latter serves as an acid in this reaction, the opposite of its role in the second reaction.

7. (total 10 pts)

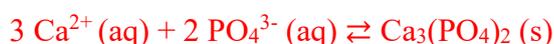
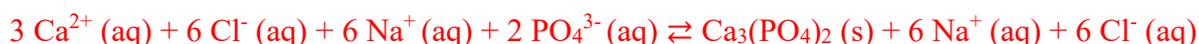
(a) (5 pts) Suppose 100.0 mL of a 0.0100 M CaCl₂ solution and 200.0 mL of a 0.0200 M Na₃PO₄ solution were mixed. K_{sp} of Ca₃(PO₄)₂ is 1.0 x 10⁻²⁶. Would a precipitate occur? Write the chemical equation and rationalize your answer.

(Answer)

The balanced chemical equation:



Net ionic form:



The concentration of the Ca²⁺ ions and the PO₄³⁻ ions resulting from the mixing of the two solutions:

$$[\text{Ca}^{2+}] = \frac{(0.100 \text{ L})(0.010 \text{ mol L}^{-1})}{0.300 \text{ L}} = 0.00333 \text{ M}$$

$$[\text{PO}_4^{3-}] = \frac{(0.200 \text{ L})(0.020 \text{ mol L}^{-1})}{0.300 \text{ L}} = 0.0133 \text{ M} \quad +1 \text{ point}$$

The solubility product quotient:

$$Q = [\text{Ca}^{2+}]^3[\text{PO}_4^{3-}]^2 = [0.00333 \text{ M}]^3[0.0133 \text{ M}]^2 = 6.532 \times 10^{-12} > K_{\text{sp}} = 1.0 \times 10^{-26} \quad +2 \text{ point}$$

∴ A precipitate of Ca₃(PO₄)₂ will form in this case. +1 point

(b) (5 pts) What is the molar solubility of Ca₃(PO₄)₂ in water?

(Answer)

Reaction	Ca ₃ (PO ₄) ₂ (s)	⇌	3 Ca ²⁺ (aq)	+	2 PO ₄ ³⁻ (aq)
Initial			0		0
Change	-y		3y		2y
Equilibrium	-y		3y		2y

$$K_{\text{sp}} = [\text{Ca}^{2+}]^3[\text{PO}_4^{3-}]^2 = 1.0 \times 10^{-26} = (3y)^3(2y)^2 \quad +2 \text{ point}$$

$$108 y^5 = 1.0 \times 10^{-26}$$

$$y^5 = 1.0 \times 10^{-26} / 108 = 9.3 \times 10^{-29}$$

$$y = 2.5 \times 10^{-6}$$

The molar solubility of Ca₃(PO₄)₂ is 2.5 x 10⁻⁶ M.

- Full points for correct answer

8. (total 9 pts, each 3 pts)

For each of the following ionic compounds, state whether the solubility will increase, decrease, or remain unchanged as a solution at pH 7 is made acidic.

- (a) SrCO_3 (b) Hg_2Br_2 (c) MnS

Answer

(a) Solubility will increase as CO_3^{2-} reacts with H_3O^+ to give HCO_3^- .

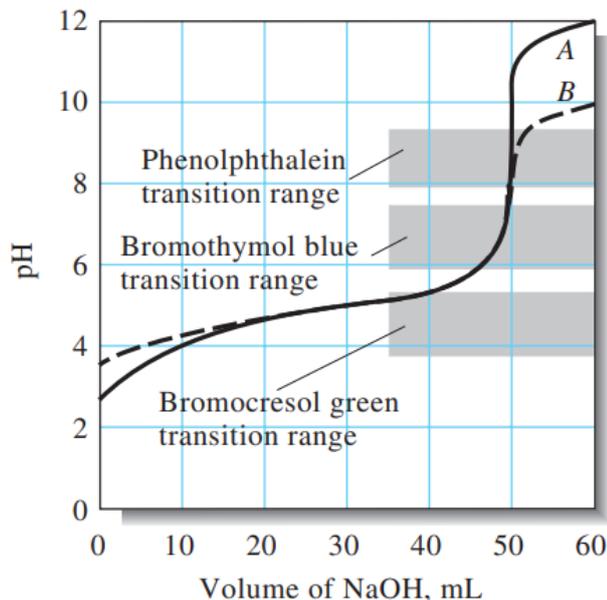
(b) Solubility will show little change because HBr is a strong acid.

(c) Solubility will increase as HS^- (from the dissolution of the MnS) reacts with H_3O^+ to give H_2S .

- Full points for correct answer

9. (total 12 pts)

The following is a titration curve of acetic acid with sodium hydroxide. One of the curves is titration of 0.1 M acid with 0.1 M base, and the other is for 0.001M acid with 0.001 M base. (pK_a of acetic acid: 4.75)



- (a) (4 pts) Which concentration of acid/base does the curve A and curve B correspond to?
- (b) (8 pts, each 2 pts) In the case of 0.1 M acetic with 0.1 M sodium hydroxide, calculate the pH at 45, 49, 50, 55 ml of NaOH.

Answer

The image was adopted from “Fundamentals of Analytical Chemistry, 9th edition” by Skoog et al

- (a) A: 0.1 M of acid/base // B: 0.001M of acid/base (0 or 4 points)
- (b) As the titration curve shows an equivalence point at 50 ml, the initial volume of 0.1 M acid is 50 ml.

At 45ml, pH = 5.70

$$pH = 4.75 - \log_{10} \frac{5 - 4.5 \text{ mmol}}{4.5 \text{ mmol}}$$

At 49ml, pH = 6.44

$$pH = 4.75 - \log_{10} \frac{5 - 4.9 \text{ mmol}}{4.9 \text{ mmol}}$$

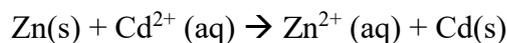
At 50 ml, the pH is governed by the hydrolysis of the weak base AcO^- . pH = 8.73

At 55ml, the pH is governed by the excess $[\text{OH}^-]$. The additional hydroxy ion is 0.5 mmol, and the total volume of the solution is 105 ml. So, pH = 14 – pOH = 11.68

10. (total 10 pts, each 2.5 pts)

A galvanic cell consists of a cadmium cathode immersed in a CdSO_4 solution and a zinc anode immersed in a ZnSO_4 solution. A salt bridge connects the two half-cells.

The balanced equation of the cell is



- (a) A current of 1.45 A is observed to flow for a period of 2.60 hours. How much charge passes through the circuit during this time? (2.5 pts)
- (b) How many moles of electrons is this charge equivalent to? (2.5 pts)
- (c) Calculate the change in mass of the zinc electrode. (2.5 pts)
- (d) Calculate the change in mass of the cadmium electrode. (2.5 pts)

Answer

- (a) The product of the (steady) current in amperes and the time in seconds is the charge in coulombs. It is 1.36×10^4 C.
- (b) Dividing by the Faraday constant gives the chemical amount of electrons, 0.141 mol.
- (c) Every 1 mol of electrons that passes through the cell oxidizes 1/2 mol of zinc. Hence 0.0703 mol of zinc is oxidized. This is 4.60 g of zinc and is the mass lost by the zinc electrode.
- (d) Every 1 mol of electrons that passes through the cell reduces 1/2 mol of cadmium(II) ions. This is 0.0703 mol of Cd^{2+} , or 7.91 g of Cd^{2+} . This is the mass gained by the cadmium electrode.

Physical Constants

Avogadro's number	$N_A = 6.02214179 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
Bohr radius	$a_0 = 0.52917720859 \text{ \AA} = 5.2917720859 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$
Boltzmann's constant	$K_B = 1.3806504 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J K}^{-1}$
Electronic charge	$e = 1.602176487 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$
Faraday constant	$F = 96485.3399 \text{ C mol}^{-1}$
Masses of fundamental particles:	
Electron	$m_e = 9.10938215 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$
Proton	$m_p = 1.672621637 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
Neutron	$m_n = 1.674927211 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
Permittivity of vacuum	$\epsilon_0 = 8.854187817 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^{-2} \text{ J}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-1}$
Planck's constant	$h = 6.62606896 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}$
Ratio of proton mass to electron mass	$m_p / m_e = 1836.15267247$
Speed of light in a vacuum	$c = 2.99792458 \times 10^8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ (exactly)
Standard acceleration of terrestrial gravity	$g = 9.80665 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ (exactly)
Universal gas constant	$R = 8.314472 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ $= 0.0820574 \text{ L atm mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$

Values are taken from the 2006 CODATA recommended values, as listed by the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

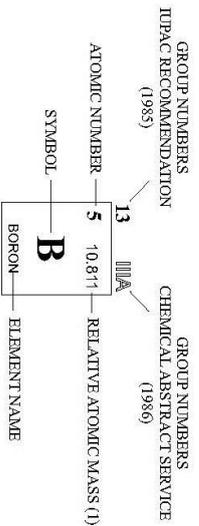
Conversion factors

Ångström	$1 \text{ \AA} = 10^{-10} \text{ m}$
Atomic mass unit	$1 \text{ u} = 1.660538782 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$ $1 \text{ u} = 1.492417830 \times 10^{-10} \text{ J} = 931.494028 \text{ MeV}$ (energy equivalent form $E = mc^2$)
Calorie	$1 \text{ cal} = 4.184 \text{ J}$ (exactly)
Electron volt	$1 \text{ eV} = 1.602177 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} = 96.485335 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
Foot	$1 \text{ ft} = 12 \text{ in} = 0.3048 \text{ m}$ (exactly)
Gallon (U. S.)	$1 \text{ gallon} = 4 \text{ quarts} = 3.785412 \text{ L}$ (exactly)
Liter	$1 \text{ L} = 10^{-3} \text{ m}^3 = 10^3 \text{ cm}^3$ (exactly)
Liter-atmosphere	$1 \text{ L atm} = 101.325 \text{ J}$ (exactly)
Metric ton	$1 \text{ t} = 1000 \text{ kg}$ (exactly)
Pound	$1 \text{ lb} = 16 \text{ oz} = 0.4539237 \text{ kg}$ (exactly)
Rydberg	$1 \text{ Ry} = 2.17987197 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J} = 1312.7136 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} = 13.60569193 \text{ eV}$
Standard atmosphere	$1 \text{ atm} = 1.01325 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa} = 1.01325 \times 10^5 \text{ kg m}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-2}$ (exactly)
Torr	$1 \text{ torr} = 133.3224 \text{ Pa}$

PERIODIC TABLE OF THE ELEMENTS

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GROUP		PERIOD																		
1	IIA											13	14	15	16	17	VIIIA			
1 1.0079 H HYDROGEN	2 IIA 4 9.0122 Be BERYLLIUM	3 6.941 Li LITHIUM	11 22.990 Na SODIUM	12 24.305 Mg MAGNESIUM	3 III B 21 44.956 Sc SCANDIUM	4 IV B 22 47.867 Ti TITANIUM	5 VB 23 50.942 V VANADIUM	6 VIB 24 51.996 Cr CHROMIUM	7 VI B 25 54.938 Mn MANGANESE	8 VII B 26 55.845 Fe IRON	9 VIII B 27 58.933 Co COBALT	10 VIII B 28 58.693 Ni NICKEL	11 IB 29 63.546 Cu COPPER	12 IIB 30 65.39 Zn ZINC	13 IIIA 31 69.723 Ga GALLIUM	14 IVA 32 72.64 Ge GERMANIUM	15 VA 33 74.922 As ARSENIC	16 VIA 34 78.96 Se SELENIUM	17 VIIA 35 79.904 Br BROMINE	18 VIIIA 36 83.80 Kr KRYPTON
19 39.098 K POTASSIUM	20 40.078 Ca CALCIUM	37 85.468 Rb RUBIDIUM	38 87.62 Sr STRONTIUM	39 88.906 Y YTRORIUM	40 91.224 Zr ZIRCONIUM	41 92.906 Nb NIOBIUM	42 95.94 Mo MOLYBDENUM	43 (99) Tc TECHNETIUM	44 101.07 Ru RUTHENIUM	45 102.91 Rh RHODIUM	46 106.42 Pd PALLADIUM	47 107.87 Ag SILVER	48 112.41 Cd CADMIUM	49 114.82 In INDIUM	50 118.71 Sn TIN	51 121.76 Sb ANTIMONY	52 127.60 Te TELLURIUM	53 126.90 I IODINE	54 131.29 Xe XENON	
55 132.91 Cs CAESIUM	56 137.33 Ba BARIUM	57-71 La-Lu Lanthanide	72 178.49 Hf HAFNIUM	73 180.95 Ta TANTALUM	74 183.84 W TUNGSTEN	75 186.21 Re RHENIUM	76 190.23 Os OSMIUM	77 192.22 Ir IRIDIUM	78 195.08 Pt PLATINUM	79 196.97 Au GOLD	80 200.59 Hg MERCURY	81 204.38 Tl THALLIUM	82 207.2 Pb LEAD	83 208.98 Bi BISMUTH	84 (209) Po POLONIUM	85 (210) At ASTATINE	86 (222) Rn RADON			
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Relative atomic mass is shown with five significant figures. For elements with no stable nuclides, the value enclosed in brackets indicates the mass number of the longest-lived isotope of this element.
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