

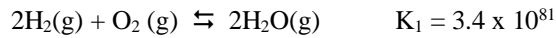
Answers to extra questions from Study Unit 7

CHEMIESE EWEWIG. / CHEMICAL EQUILIBRIUM.

Q1

Bepaal K_2 vir die reaksie: / Determine K_2 for the reaction: $\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \frac{1}{2}\text{O}_2(\text{g})$

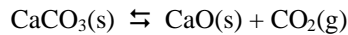
as K_1 gelyk is aan $3,4 \times 10^{81}$ by 25°C vir die volgende reaksie: / if K_1 is equal to $3,4 \times 10^{81}$ at 25°C for the following reaction:



$$K_2 = (1/K_1)^{1/2} = (1/3,4 \times 10^{81})^{1/2} = (2,94 \times 10^{-82})^{1/2} = 1,715 \times 10^{-41}$$

Q2

By 900°C is $K_c = 0,0108$ vir die volgende reaksie: / At 900°C , $K_c = 0,0108$ for the following reaction:



Indien 'n mengsel van 15,0 g CaCO_3 , 15,0 g CaO en 4,25 g CO_2 in 'n 10,0 L fles by 900°C geplaas word, sal die hoeveelheid CaCO_3 toeneem, afneem of dieselfde bly wanneer die sisteem ewewig bereik? Omkring die opsie wat jy dink is reg. / If a mixture of 15,0 g CaCO_3 , 15,0 g CaO and 4,25 g CO_2 is placed in a 10,0 L vessel at 900°C , will the amount of CaCO_3 increase, decrease or stay the same when the system reaches equilibrium? Circle the option that you think is correct.

- a) Toeneem. / Increase.
- b) Afneem. / Decrease.
- c) **Dieselfde bly. / Stay the same.**

Q3

'n Mengsel van CH_4 en H_2O word by 'n 1000 K oor 'n nikkelkatalisator gestuur. Die gasse wat dan vrygestel word, word in 'n 5,00 L fles opgevang. Analise van die gasse by ewewig lewer 0,308 mol CO , 1,287 mol H_2 , 2,681 mol CH_4 en 2,686 mol H_2O . Bereken die ewewigskonstante, K_c , vir die reaksie by 1000 K. / A mixture of CH_4 and H_2O is passed over a nickel catalyst at 1000 K. The emerging gasses is collected in a 5,00 L flask. Analysis of the gasses at equilibrium yielded 0,308 mol CO , 1,287 mol H_2 , 2,681 mol CH_4 and 2,686 mol H_2O . Calculate the equilibrium constant, K_c , for the reaction at 1000 K.



$$c_{\text{CH}_4} = 2,681 \text{ mol} / 5 \text{ L} = 0,536 \text{ M}$$

$$c_{\text{H}_2\text{O}} = 2,686 \text{ mol} / 5 \text{ L} = 0,537 \text{ M}$$

$$c_{\text{CO}} = 0.308 \text{ mol} / 5 \text{ L} = 0.062 \text{ M}$$

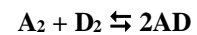
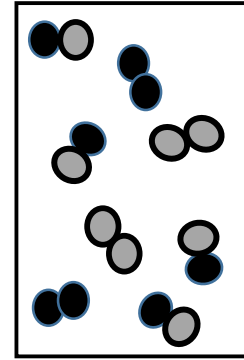
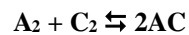
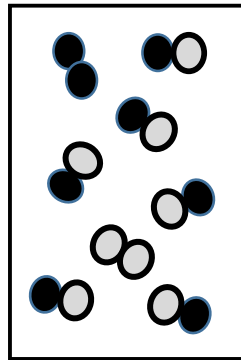
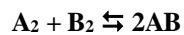
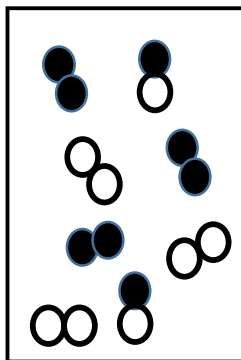
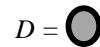
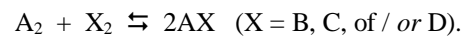
$$c_{\text{H}_2} = 1.287 \text{ mol} / 5 \text{ L} = 0.257 \text{ M}$$

$$K_c = [\text{CO}][\text{H}_2]^3 / [\text{CH}_4][\text{H}_2\text{O}]$$

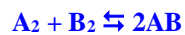
$$K_c = (0.062)(0.257)^3 / (0.536)(0.537) = 0.00366 \quad (3.66 \times 10^{-3})$$

Q4

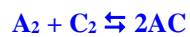
Die volgende prentjies stel die ewewigstoestand van drie verskillende reaksies voor, van die tipe: / *The following pictures represent the equilibrium state for three different reactions of the type:*



Watter reaksie het die kleinste ewewigskonstante? / *Which reaction has the smallest equilibrium constant?*



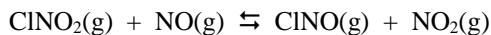
Watter reaksie het die grootste ewewigskonstante? / *Which reaction has the largest equilibrium constant?*



Q5

Sal die konsentrasie van NO_2 (g) toeneem, afneem of dieselfde bly as die volgende ewewig versteur word deur:

Will the concentration of NO_2 (g) increase, decrease or remain the same when the following equilibrium is disturbed by:



nog ClNO_2 by te voeg. / *adding more ClNO_2 .*

equilibrium shifts towards more products (toeneem) (skuif regs)

nog ClNO by te voeg. / *adding more ClNO .*

equilibrium shifts towards more reactants (afneem) (skuif links)

nog NO by te voeg. / *adding more NO .*

equilibrium shifts towards more products (toeneem) (skuif regs)

NO te verwyder. / *removing NO .*

equilibrium shifts towards more reactants (afneem) (skuif links)

Q6

Die volgende ewewigskonsentrasies by 127°C word waargeneem vir die Haber-proses: / *The following equilibrium concentrations were observed for the Haber process at 127°C :*

$$[\text{NH}_3] = 3.1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L}$$

$$[\text{N}_2] = 8.5 \times 10^{-1} \text{ mol/L}$$

$$[\text{H}_2] = 3.1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol/L}$$

- 1 Bereken die waarde van K_1 by 127°C vir die reaksie van die Haberproses. / *Calculate the value of K_1 at 127°C for the reaction of the Haber process.*



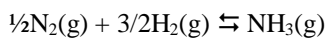
$$K_1 = \frac{[\text{NH}_3]^2}{([\text{N}_2][\text{H}_2]^3)} = \frac{(3.1 \times 10^{-2})^2}{(8.5 \times 10^{-1} \times (3.1 \times 10^{-3})^3)} = 3.7950 \times 10^4 \text{ L}^2/\text{mol}^2$$

- 2 Bereken die waarde van die ewewigkonstante, K_2 , by 127°C vir die volgende reaksie.
Calculate the value of the equilibrium constant, K_2 , at 127°C for the following reaction:



$$K_2 = 1/(3.7950 \times 10^4) = 2.635 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol}^2/\text{L}^2$$

- 3 Bereken die waarde van die ewewigkonstante, K_3 , by 127°C vir die reaksie wat gegee word deur die vergelyking: / Calculate the value of the equilibrium constant, K_3 , at 127°C for the reaction given by the equation:



$\frac{1}{2}\text{N}_2(\text{g}) + \frac{3}{2}\text{H}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_3(\text{g})$ this reaction is $(5.1.1) \times \frac{1}{2}$ thus $K_3 = (K_1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$$K_3 = (3.7950 \times 10^4)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 194.808 \text{ L/mol}$$

Q7

Gasagtige NOCl ontbind om die gasse NO en Cl_2 te vorm. By 35°C is die ewewigskonstante 1.6×10^{-5} mol. Wat is die ewewigskonsentrasies wanneer 1.0 mol NOCl in 'n 2.0 liter fles geplaas word?

Gaseous NOCl decomposes to form the gases NO and Cl_2 . At 35°C the equilibrium constant is 1.6×10^{-5} mol/L.

When 1.0 mol NOCl is placed in a 2.0 liter flask, what are the equilibrium concentrations?



$$K = \frac{[\text{NO}]^2 [\text{Cl}_2]}{[\text{NOCl}]^2} = 1.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol/L} \quad \text{and} \quad [\text{NOCl}] = \frac{1}{2} = 0.50 \text{ mol/L}$$

	NOCl	NO	Cl_2
[Initial]	0.5	0	0
[change]	-2x	+2x	+x
[Equilibrium]	$(0.5 - 2x)$	2x	x
	0.48	2.0×10^{-2}	1.0×10^{-2}

$$K = \frac{[\text{NO}]^2 [\text{Cl}_2]}{[\text{NOCl}]^2} = \frac{(2x)^2(x)}{(0.5 - 2x)^2}$$

$[\text{initial}] / K \gg 100$ thus $0.5 / 1.6 \times 10^{-5} = 31250 > 100$ the x in $(0.5 - 2x)$ can be ignored

$$K = \frac{[\text{NO}]^2 [\text{Cl}_2]}{[\text{NOCl}]^2} = \frac{(2x)^2(x)}{(0.5)^2} = \frac{4x^2(x)}{0.25} = 1.6 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$4x^3 = 1.0 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$x = 1.0 \times 10^{-2}$$

Q8

Wat is die verskil tussen die ewewigskonstante en die reaksiekwosient? / What is the difference between the equilibrium constant and the reaction quotient?



Both are determined with the same equation BUT K with equilibrium concentrations and Q with given concentrations to determine whether a reaction is at equilibrium, moving towards equilibrium or is past equilibrium.

Q9

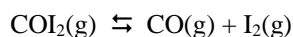
Hoekom word gesê dat chemiese ewewigte in 'n dinamiese toestand is? / *Why are chemical equilibria said to be in a dynamic state?*

- omrede die reagens konsentrasie stadig oor tyd afneem. / *because the reactant concentration decreases slowly over time.*
- omrede die omgekeerde reaksie enige tyd dominant kan word. / *because the reverse reaction could become dominant at any moment.*
- omrede die konsentrasies van al die chemiese spesies nie verander nie. / *because the concentrations of all chemical species do not change.*
- omrede die voorwaartse en terugwaartse reaksies teen dieselfde tempo aanhou. / *because the forward and reverse reactions continue to occur at equal rates.***

Q10

0.55 M COI_2 word aanvanklik in 'n 2.00 L fles verhit en die reaksie word toegelaat om ewewig te bereik. By ewewig is die konsentrasie I_2 gelyk aan 0.022 M. Bereken die ewewigskonstante, K_c , vir die reaksie.

0.55 M of COI_2 is heated initially in a 2.00 L flask and the reaction is left to reach equilibrium. At equilibrium the concentration of I_2 is equal to 0.022 M. Calculate the equilibrium constant, K_c , for the reaction.



Handwritten solution for Q10:

Reaction: $\text{COI}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{CO}(\text{g}) + \text{I}_2(\text{g})$

A	0.55	0	0
V	-x	+x	+x
E	0.55 - x	x	0.022 = x

From the equilibrium concentration of I_2 (0.022 M), we find $x = 0.022$.

Equilibrium concentration of COI_2 : $0.55 - 0.022 = 0.528$

Equilibrium constant calculation:

$$K_c = \frac{[\text{I}_2][\text{CO}]}{[\text{COI}_2]}$$
$$= \frac{(0.022)(0.022)}{0.528}$$
$$= 0.000916$$

(9.16×10^{-4})