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CLOSED BOOK EXAM—No notes or books allowed. Calculators may be used. Atomic masses of interest are included. Periodic tables are not allowed for this exam.

1. What is the solubility product expression for mercury(I) cyanide, Hg₂(CN)₂?
   (a) [Hg⁺²][CN⁻]²  (b) [Hg⁺][CN⁻]  (c) [Hg₂⁺][CN⁻]²  (d) [Hg₂⁺][2CN⁻]²  (e) [Hg₂⁺][CN⁻]²

2. Which of the following metal sulfides is the next to the most soluble (mol/L) in water?
   (a) CoS (K_sp = 4 x 10⁻²¹)  (b) CuS (K_sp = 8 x 10⁻³⁶)  (c) FeS (K_sp = 5 x 10⁻¹⁸)
   (d) HgS (K_sp = 4 x 10⁻⁵⁰)  (e) MnS (K_sp = 6 x 10⁻¹⁶)

3. Silver oxalate, Ag₂C²O₄, is slightly soluble in water. The silver ion concentration in a saturated solution is 2.2 x 10⁻⁴ M. What is the K_sp of Ag₂C₂O₄?
   (a) 1.1 x 10⁻⁴  (b) 2.4 x 10⁻⁸  (c) 1.1 x 10⁻¹¹  (d) 5.3 x 10⁻¹²  (e) 1.3 x 10⁻¹²

4. K_sp for Pb₃(PO₄)₂ is 10⁻⁴⁴. Two solutions are mixed, one containing Pb²⁺ and the other PO₄³⁻. If, at the instant of mixing, Pb²⁺ is 10⁻⁶ M and PO₄³⁻ is 10⁻⁸ M, which one of the following statements is true?
   (a) A precipitate forms because Q_sp < K_sp.  (b) A precipitate forms because Q_sp > K_sp.
   (c) No precipitate forms because Q_sp = K_sp.  (d) No precipitate forms because Q_sp < K_sp.
   (e) No precipitate forms because Q_sp > K_sp.

5. The addition of dilute hydrobromic acid would clearly distinguish between solutions of
   (a) barium nitrate and sodium sulfate  (b) lead nitrate and silver nitrate
   (c) mercury(I) nitrate and silver nitrate  (d) silver nitrate and calcium sulfate
   (e) calcium nitrate and barium nitrate

6. In a solution in which the fluoride-ion concentration is 0.40 M, what is the molar solubility of MgF₂?
   (K_sp for MgF₂ is 8.0 x 10⁻⁸)
   (a) 1.0 x 10⁻⁷  (b) 2.0 x 10⁻⁷  (c) 5.0 x 10⁻⁷  (d) 1.4 x 10⁻⁴  (e) 7.1 x 10⁻⁴

7. The total entropy of a system and its surroundings always increases for a spontaneous process. This is a statement of
   (a) the law of constant composition  (b) the first law of thermodynamics
   (c) the second law of thermodynamics  (d) the third law of thermodynamics
   (e) the law of conservation of matter

8. Arrange the following in order of INCREASING entropy, S°: Hg(l), Hg(s), C₆H₆(l), CH₃OH(l)
   (a) Hg(s), CH₃OH(l), C₆H₆(l), Hg(l)
   (b) CH₃OH(l), Hg(s), Hg(l), C₆H₆(l)
   (c) Hg(l), Hg(s), C₆H₆(l), CH₃OH(l)
   (d) Hg(s), Hg(l), C₆H₆(l), CH₃OH(l)
   (e) Hg(s), Hg(l), CH₃OH(l), C₆H₆(l)
9. The Gibbs free energy is given by the equation
(a) \( \Delta G = \Delta S - T \Delta H \)  
(b) \( \Delta G = G_{\text{initial}} - G_{\text{final}} \)  
(c) \( \Delta G = \Delta H - T \Delta S \)  
(d) \( \Delta G = \Delta S - H \Delta T \)  
(e) \( \Delta G = \Delta H - S \Delta T \)  

10. The best criterion for the spontaneity of a chemical reaction is the sign of
(a) \( \Delta H \)  
(b) \( \Delta H^\circ \)  
(c) \( T \Delta S \)  
(d) \( \Delta G \)  
(e) \( \Delta G^\circ \)  

11. All the following have free energy of formation values of zero **EXCEPT**
(a) Ca(s)  
(b) H(g)  
(c) He(g)  
(d) Ni(s)  
(e) U(s)  

12. Given the following
\[
\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3(s) + 3\text{CO}(g) \rightarrow 2\text{Fe}(s) + 3\text{CO}_2(g) \quad ; \quad \Delta G^\circ = -29.4 \text{ kJ} \\
3\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3(s) + \text{CO}(g) \rightarrow 2\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4(s) + \text{CO}_2(g) ; \quad \Delta G^\circ = -61.6 \text{ kJ} 
\]

calculate \( \Delta G^\circ \) for \( \text{Fe}(s) + \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3(s) + \text{CO}_2(g) \rightarrow \text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4(s) + \text{CO}(g) \)
(a) \(-32.2 \text{ kJ}\)  
(b) \(-16.1 \text{ kJ}\)  
(c) \(+16.1 \text{ kJ}\)  
(d) \(+32.2 \text{ kJ}\)  
(e) \(+48.3 \text{ kJ}\)  

13. For a reaction that has an equilibrium constant of \(3 \times 10^5\), which of the following statements must be true?
(a) \( \Delta G^\circ < 0 \)  
(b) \( \Delta G^\circ > 0 \)  
(c) \( \Delta H^\circ < 0 \)  
(d) \( \Delta H^\circ > 0 \)  
(e) \( \Delta S^\circ > 0 \)  

14. The driving force for the endothermic dissolution of an ionic compound is an increase in
(a) entropy  
(b) enthalpy  
(c) internal energy  
(d) Gibbs energy  
(e) work  

15. In an electrochemical cell, which statement is **ALWAYS** true of the cathode?
(a) It is considered the “negative” electrode.  
(b) It is considered the “positive” electrode.  
(c) Reduction occurs here.  
(d) Metal is plated out here.  
(e) Negative ions flow toward the cathode.  

16. What mass of chromium could be deposited by electrolysis of an aqueous solution of \(\text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3\) for 180.0 minutes using a constant current of 10.0 Amperes?
(a) 0.187 g  
(b) 0.373 g  
(c) 2.16 g  
(d) 6.47 g  
(e) 19.4 g  

17. According to the following cell diagram, which species is undergoing oxidation?
\[
\text{Sn} \mid \text{Sn}^{2+} \mid \mid (\text{Pt})\text{MnO}_2/\text{Mn}^{2+}
\]
(a) Sn  
(b) \(\text{Sn}^{2+}\)  
(c) Pt  
(d) \(\text{MnO}_2\)  
(e) \(\text{Mn}^{2+}\)  

18. Calculate \(E^\circ\) for the cell reaction \(2\text{Cr} + 3\text{Sn}^{4+} \rightarrow 3\text{Sn}^{2+} + 2\text{Cr}^{3+}\) given that
\[
\text{Cr}^{3+} + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cr}^0 \quad E^\circ = -0.74 \text{ V} \\
\text{Sn}^{4+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Sn}^{2+} \quad E^\circ = 0.15 \text{ V}
\]
(a) 1.93 V  
(b) 0.89 V  
(c) 0.59 V  
(d) 0.45 V  
(e) \(-0.59 \text{ V}\)
**KEY EQUATIONS**

\( f.p. \text{cyclohexane}=6.55°C \)

\( k_f (\text{cyclohexane}) = 20.2°C/m \)

K.E. = \(mv^2/2\)

\( m_c = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{kg} \)

\( m_p = 1.673 \times 10^{-27} \text{kg} \)

\( m_n = 1.675 \times 10^{-27} \text{kg} \)

\( K_f (\text{water}) = 1.86°C/m \)

\( K_b (\text{water}) = 0.512°C/m \)

\( J = N \cdot m \)

\( J = C \cdot V \)

\( e = 2.718 \)

\( F = 96,500 \text{C} \)

\( N = m \cdot \text{kg} \cdot \text{m}^2/\text{s}^2 \)

\( N_0 = n_A = 6.02 \times 10^{-23} \text{units/mol} \)

\( R = 0.0821 \text{L atm/mol K} \)

\( 1 \text{L atm} = 101.325 \text{J} = 0.101 \text{kJ} \)

\( 1 \text{atm} = 1.01325 \times 10^5 \text{Pa} \)

\( g = 9.807 \text{m/s}^2 \)

\( M = n/V \)

\( w = -P \Delta V \)

\( \Delta U = q + w \)

\( \Delta H^\circ_{\text{rxn}} = \Sigma \Delta H^\circ_f (\text{products}) - \Sigma \Delta H^\circ_f (\text{reactants}) \)

\( \Delta H_{\text{rxn}} = \Delta U_{\text{rxn}} + P \Delta V \)

\( \Delta H = nC_p \Delta T \)

\( q = ms \Delta T \)

\( 1 \text{Ci} = 3.700 \times 10^{10} \text{dps} \)

\( t_{1/2} = 5730 \text{years for } ^{14}\text{C} \)

\( x_i = \left( \frac{n_i}{n_{\text{total}}} \right) = \left( \frac{P_i}{P_{\text{total}}} \right) \)

\( P_i = x_i P_T \)

\( P_T = \Sigma P_i \)

\( \log \left( \frac{P_2}{P_1} \right) = \left( \frac{\Delta H_{\text{vap}}}{2.303R} \right) \left( \frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right) \)

\( \ln \left( \frac{K_2}{K_1} \right) = \left( \frac{\Delta H_{\text{rxn}}}{R} \right) \left( \frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right) \)

\( S = k T P \)

\( P_A = P_A^o X_A \)

\( \Delta P = P_A^o X_B \)

\( \Delta T_B = K_A c_m \)

\( \Delta T_f = K_A c_m \)

\( \pi = \text{MRT} \)

\( \ln \left[ \frac{[A]}{[A]_0} \right] = -kt \)

\( \log \left[ \frac{[A]}{[A]_0} \right] = -kt/2.303 \)

\( t_{1/2} = 0.693/k \)

\( k = pfZ \)

\( f = e^{E_a/RT} \)

\( \text{r.m.s.} = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{M_m}} \)

\( K_c = [C]^c [D]^d \)

\( \frac{[A]^a [B]^b}{[A]^c [D]^d} \)

\( Q_c = \frac{[A]^a [B]^b}{[A]^c [D]^d} \)

\( K_p = K_c RT \Delta n \)

\( K_{\text{reverse}} = 1/K_{\text{forward}} \)

\( \Delta G_{\text{rxn}} = -nFE_{\text{cell}} \)

\( \Delta G_{\text{rxn}} = -nFE_{\text{cell}} + RT \ln Q \)

\( \Delta G_{\text{rxn}} = -RT \ln K \)

\( \Delta G_{\text{rxn}} = RT \ln (Q/K) \)

\( E_{\text{cell}} = (0.0592/n) \log K \)

\( E_{\text{cell}} = E_{\text{cell}}^0 - (0.0592/n) \log Q \)

\( Q = I \cdot t \)

\( \Delta S_{\text{fus}} = (\Delta H_{\text{fus}}/T_m) \)

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