

COURSE OUTLINE FOR CHEM 102

Text: Chemistry A Molecular Approach, by Nivaldo J. Tro, First Edition

I. Chemical Kinetics (Chapter 13)

- A. Rate of a Chemical Reaction
 - 1. Measuring Reaction Rates
- B. The Rate Law: Effect of Concentration on Reaction Rate
 - 1. Determining the Order of a Reaction
 - 2. Reaction Order for Multiple Reactants
- C. The Integrated Rate Law: The Dependence of Concentration on Time
 - 1. Half Life
- D. The Effect of Temperature on Reaction Rate
 - 1. Collision Model
 - 2. Activation Energy
 - 3. The Arrhenius Equation
 - 4. Determining the Activation Energy
- E. Reaction Mechanisms
 - 1. Rate Laws for Elementary Steps
 - 2. Rate Determining Steps and Overall Reaction Rate Laws
 - 3. Reactions with a Fast Initial Step
- G. Catalysis

II. Chemical Equilibrium (Chapter 14)

- A. The Concept of Dynamic Equilibrium
- B. The Equilibrium Constant
 - 1. Expressing the Equilibrium Constants for Chemical Reactions
 - 2. Significance of the Equilibrium Constant
 - 3. Relationships Between the Equilibrium Constant and the Chemical Equation
- C. Expression of the Equilibrium Constant in Terms of Pressure
- D. Heterogeneous Equilibria
- E. Calculating Equilibrium Constants from Measured Equilibrium Concentrations
- F. The Reaction Quotient: Predicting the Direction of Change
- G. Finding Equilibrium Concentrations
- H. Le Chatelier's Principle

III. Acids and Bases (Chapter 15)

- A. The Nature of Acids and Bases
- B. Definitions of Acids and Bases
 - 1. Arrhenius Definition
 - 2. Bronsted-Lowry Definition
- C. The Autoionization of Water and pH
 - 1. The pH Scale
 - 1. The pOH and Other Scales
- D. Finding the Hydronium Ion Concentration and the pH of Strong and Weak Acid Solutions
 - 1. Percent Ionization of a Weak Acid
 - 2. Mixtures of Acids

- E. Base Solutions
 - 1. Strong Bases
 - 2. Weak Bases
 - 3. Finding the Hydroxide Ion Concentration and the pH of Basic Solutions
- F. Acid-Base Properties of Salt Solutions
 - 1. Anions as Weak Bases
 - 2. Cations as Weak Acids
 - 3. Classifying Salt Solutions as Acidic, Basic or Neutral
- G. Polyprotic Acids
 - 1. Finding the pH of Polyprotic Acid Solutions
 - 2. Finding the Concentration of Anions for a Weak Diprotic Acid Solution
- H. Acid Strength and Molecular Structure
- I. Lewis Acids and Bases

IV. Aqueous Ionic Equilibrium (Chapter 16)

- A. Buffers: Solutions That Resist pH Change
 - 1. Calculating the pH of a Buffer
 - 2. Henderson – Hasselbalch Equation
 - 3. Calculating pH Changes in a Buffer Solution
 - 4. Buffers Containing a Base and Its Conjugate Acid
- B. Buffer Effectiveness: Buffer Range and Buffer Capacity
- C. Titrations and Curves
 - 1. Strong Acid – Strong Base
 - 2. Weak Acid – Strong Base
 - 3. Titrations of Polyprotic Acids
 - 4. Indicators
- D. Solubility Equilibria and The Solubility Product Constant
 - 1. K_{sp} and Molar Solubility
 - 2. K_{sp} and Relative Solubility
 - 3. Common-Ion Effect
 - 4. Solubility and pH
- E. Precipitation and Separation of Ions
- F. Qualitative Analysis for Metallic Elements
- G. Complex Ion Equilibria

V. Thermochemistry (Chapter 6)

- A. The Nature of Energy and Its Transformations
- B. The First Law of Thermodynamics
 - 1. Internal Energy
 - 2. Relating the Change in Internal Energy to Heat and Work
 - 3. State Functions
- C. Quantifying Heat and Work
- D. Measuring ΔE for Chemical Reactions: Constant Volume Calorimetry
- E. Enthalpy: The Heat Evolved in a Chemical Reaction at Constant Pressure
 - 1. Endothermic and Exothermic Processes
 - 2. Stoichiometry Involving ΔH
 - 3. Thermochemical Equations
- F. Constant Pressure Calorimetry
- G. Relationships Involving ΔH_{rxn}

1. Hess's Law
- H. Enthalpies of Reaction from Standard Heats of Formation

VI. Free Energy and Thermodynamics (Chapter 17)

- A. Spontaneous and Nonspontaneous Processes
- B. Entropy and the Second Law of Thermodynamics
- C. Heat Transfer and Changes in the Entropy of the Surroundings
 1. The Temperature Dependence of ΔS_{surr}
 2. Quantifying Entropy Changes in the Surroundings
- D. Entropy Changes in Chemical Reactions
 1. Standard Molar Entropies
 2. Third Law of Thermodynamics
- E. Gibbs Free Energy
 1. Calculation of ΔG° from Enthalpy and Entropy Information
 2. Calculation of ΔG° from Standard Free Energies of Formation
- F. Free Energy Changes for Nonstandard States
- G. Free Energy and the Equilibrium Constant

VII. Electrochemistry (Chapter 18)

- A. Oxidation States
- B. Balancing Oxidation-Reduction Equations
- C. Voltaic (or Galvanic) Cells
 1. Electrochemical Cell Notation
- D. Standard Reduction Potentials
 1. Predicting the Spontaneous Direction of an Oxidation-Reduction Reaction
 2. Predicting Whether a Metal Will Dissolve in Acid
- E. Cell Potential, Free Energy and the Equilibrium Constant
 1. The Relationship Between ΔG° and E°_{cell}
 2. The Relationship Between K and E°_{cell}
- F. Cell Potential and Concentration
 1. The Nernst Equation
 2. Concentration Cells
- G. Batteries: Using Chemistry to Generate Electricity
 1. Dry Cell Batteries
 2. Lead Acid Storage Batteries
 3. Fuel Cells
- H. Electrolysis
 1. Predicting the Products of Electrolysis
 2. Stoichiometry of Electrolysis
- I. Corrosion

VIII. Radioactivity and Nuclear Chemistry (Chapter 19)

- A. Discovery of Radioactivity
- B. Types of Radioactivity
 1. Alpha Decay
 2. Beta Decay
 3. Gamma Ray Emission
 4. Positron Emission
 5. Electron Capture

- C. Valley of Stability; Predicting the Type of Radioactivity
 - 1. Magic Numbers
 - 2. Radioactive Decay Series
- D. Detection of Radioactivity
- E. The Kinetics of Radioactive Decay
 - 1. The Integrated Rate Law
 - 2. Using Radioactivity to Measure the Age of Fossils and Artifacts
 - 3. Uranium/Lead Dating
- F. The Discovery of Fission
- G. Converting Mass into Energy: Mass Defect and Nuclear Binding Energy
- H. Nuclear Fusion
- I. Nuclear Transmutation and Transuranium Elements
- J. The Effects of Radiation on Life
- K. Radioactivity in Medicine and Other Applications

IX. Transition Metals and Coordination Compounds (Chapter 24)

- A. Properties of Transition Metals
- B. Coordination Compounds
- C. Nomenclature of Coordination Compounds
- D. Structure and Isomerism
- E. Bonding in Coordination Compounds
 - 1. Valence Bond Theory
 - 2. Crystal Field Theory
 - 3. The Color of Complex Ions and Crystal Field Strength
 - 4. Magnetic Properties
- F. Applications of Coordination Compounds
 - 1. Chelating Agents
 - 2. Chemical Analysis
 - 3. Coloring Agents
 - 4. Biomolecules