

School of Basic Sciences
Bachelor of Science Honours in Chemistry
Mid Term Examination - May 2024

Duration : 90 Minutes

Max Marks : 50

Sem II - C1UB204B - Chemical Thermodynamics and Equilibrium

General Instructions

Answer to the specific question asked

Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary

Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator

- 1) Why the value of C_p is always greater than C_v and write the relation between them. K2 (2)
- 2) Define the term work. Write the mathematical formulas of work done for irreversible process during expansion and compression. K1 (3)
- 3) Explain the term internal energy. Calculate ΔE , q and w if 2 moles of hydrogen at 3 atm pressure expand isothermally at 50°C and reversibly to a pressure of 1 atm. K2 (4)
- 4) Illustrate the concise statement of the first law of thermodynamics. Deduce its mathematical form and explain the terms involved. K2 (6)
- 5) Determine ΔH of the reaction $C(s) + 2H_2(g) \rightarrow CH_4(g)$ from the following data : K3 (6)
 - (i) $C(s) + O_2(g) \rightarrow CO_2(g), \Delta H = -393.7 \text{ kJ}$
 - (ii) $H_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_2(g) \rightarrow H_2O(l), \Delta H = -285.7 \text{ kJ}$
 - (iii) $CH_4(g) + 2O_2(g) \rightarrow CO_2(g) + 2H_2O(l), \Delta H = -890.3 \text{ kJ}$
- 6) Explain the special forms of First Law of Thermodynamics and derive that $\Delta H = qp$. K3 (9)
- 7) Discuss the term heat of combustion. The heat of combustion of carbon monoxide at constant volume and at 17°C is -283.3 kJ . Calculate its enthalpy of combustion at constant pressure ($R = 8.314 \text{ J degree}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$). K4 (8)
- 8) Compare various factors on which bond energy depends and define the term bond energy. Given that energies for H–H, O=O and O–H bonds are 104, 118 and 111 kcal mol⁻¹ respectively, calculate the heat of the reaction $H_2(g) + \frac{1}{2} O_2(g) \rightarrow H_2O(g)$ K4 (12)

OR

Compare the difference between bond energy and bond dissociation energy. The bond dissociation energy of H_2 , Cl_2 and HCl are 110, 52 and 103 kcal/mol respectively. Find heat of formation for HCl : $\frac{1}{2} H_2 + \frac{1}{2} Cl_2 \rightarrow HCl$; $\Delta H = ?$ K4 (12)