

Tutorial Series N°5

Exercise 1

Consider the following equilibrium:



How does the equilibrium move if:

- $\text{CO}_2(\text{g})$ is added
- $\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$ is added
- $\text{CO}(\text{g})$ is removed
- A catalyst is added
- We raise the temperature
- The volume of the container is reduced at constant temperature

Exercise 2

Consider the following chemical equilibria:

- $\text{CO}(\text{g}) + 2\text{H}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{CH}_3\text{OH}(\text{g})$
- $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2(\text{s}) \rightleftharpoons \text{Ca}_{\text{aq}}^{2+} + 2\text{OH}_{\text{aq}}^-$
- $\text{Ni}(\text{s}) + 4\text{CO}(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4(\text{g})$
- $\text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) + \text{CO}(\text{g})$

- Indicate if the previous equilibria are homogeneous or heterogeneous.
- Write the expressions for K_C , K_P and those linking K_P to K_C .

Exercise 3

Convert the values of K_C to values of K_P or the values of K_P to values of K_C .

- $\text{N}_2(\text{g}) + 3\text{H}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{NH}_3(\text{g}) \quad K_C = 0,50 \text{ at } 400^\circ\text{C}$
- $\text{H}_2 + \text{I}_2 \rightleftharpoons 2\text{HI} \quad K_C = 50,2 \text{ at } 448^\circ\text{C}$
- $\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g}) \quad K_P = 0,122 \text{ at } 50^\circ\text{C}$

Exercise 4

We introduced into a vacuum vessel at 500 K; 0,4 moles of CO and 0,2 moles of H_2O ,
The following equilibrium is obtained:



- At equilibrium, 0,199 moles of CO_2 are formed
 - Calculate the constant K_P and deduce K_C
 - Calculate the free enthalpy at 500 K. Is the reaction spontaneous at this temperature
- Which way does the equilibrium move if:
 - the total pressure is increased
 - the quantity of carbon monoxide is reduced

Exercise 5

We introduce 1,15 g of solid N_2O_4 into a container of 1 liter, which is heated to 27°C , this compound vaporises completely and dissociates in part according to the reaction:



When equilibrium is established, the total pressure is 4000 KPa calculate:

- 1- the number of moles of each of the two gases in the equilibrium mixture
- 2- the equilibrium constant K_P of the equilibrium
- 3- the change in the free enthalpy of formation of N_2O_4 (g), given that the free enthalpy of the reaction is constant
- 4- calculate the change in the standard entropy of the reaction. Can you predict its sign?

Data: molar masse (g/mol) : N (14), O (16)

$\Delta H_f^\circ(N_2O_4)g = 12.5$ KJ/mol, $\Delta H_f^\circ(NO_2)g = 33.4$ KJ/mol, $\Delta G_f^\circ(NO_2)g = 52.3$ KJ/mol