Chemical Equilibrium -1

- 1. In which of the following attainment of "equilibrium state" can be recognized with the help of constancy in colour
 - 1) Decomposition of CaCO₃
 - 2) Reaction between $N_2 \& O_2$
 - 3) Decomposition of N₂O₄
 - 4) Decomposition of PCl₅
- 2. In the case of CaCO₃ \implies CaO + CO₂, attainment of equilibrium state is

noticed with the help of constancy in

- 1) Concentration of CaCO₃
- 3) Pressure of CaO

2) Concentration of CO₂

4) All of these

3. At low temperature, Nitrogen dioxide, a reddish brown gas gets associated to form the colourless dinitrogen tetroxide as in the reaction

 $2NO_{2(g)} \rightleftharpoons N_2O_{4(g)}$. Then at equilibrium

- 1) There would be an increase in colour intensity
- 2) The mixture would become colourless
- 3) There would be a decrease in colour intensity
- 4) There would be no change in colour intensity
- 4. Which of the following is correct for $N_2+3H_2 \longrightarrow 2NH_3$



5.	$Fe^{+3}(aq)^+SCN^-(aq) \iff [Fe(SCN)]^{+2}(aq)$ is an example to		
	1) Heterogeneous equilibrium		
	2) Homogeneous equilibrium		
	3) Reversible process that never attains equilibrium state		
	4) Irreversible process that attains equilibrium state		
6.	Which of the following is an irreversible reaction?		
	1) $PCl_5 \rightarrow PCl_3 + Cl_2$ 2) $2SO_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2SO_3$		
	3) $N_2 + 3H_2 \rightarrow 2NH_3$ 4) $2KClO_3 \rightarrow 2KCl + 3O_2$		
7.	An example of an irreversible reaction		
	1) $CH_3COOC_2H_5 + H_2O \rightarrow CH_3COOH + C_2H_5OH$		
	2) $N_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2NO$		
	3) $NH_4HS \rightarrow NH_3 + H_2S$		
	4) $BaCl_{2(aq)}+K_2SO_{4(aq)} \rightarrow BaSO_{4(s)}+2KCl_{(aq)}$		
8.	Which of the following is a characteristic property of equilibrium?		
	1) Number of moles of reactants and products is always equal.		
	2) Catalyst affects the equilibrium state.		
	3) It never proceeds to completion.		
	4) Rate of forward and backward reactions are not equal.		
9.	When a system is in equilibrium state		
	1) The concentration of products is equal to the concentration of the reactants.		
	2) The ratio of the product of Molar concentrations of products and reactants is		
constant.			
3) Number of moles of reactants and products is the same.			
10	4) The ratio of rate constants of the forward and backward reaction is always unity.		
10.	10. Attainment of equilibrium can be noticed with the help of constancy of which		
	of the following physical properties?		
	1) Intensity of colour 2) Density 3) Pressure 4) All the above		
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11. Change in volume of the system does not alter the number of moles in which of the following equilibrium?

2) PCl_{5 (g)} \rightleftharpoons PCl_{3(g)}+Cl_{2(g)}

4) $SO_2Cl_2(g) \rightleftharpoons SO_2(g) + Cl_2(g)$

4) ΔG is positive

- 1) N_{2 (g)} +O_{2 (g)} \rightleftharpoons 2NO (g)
- 3) N_{2 (g)} $+3H_{2 (g)} \leftrightarrow 2NH_{3 (g)}$
- 12. At equilibrium state
 - 1) $\Delta H = negative$ 2) $\Delta G = negative$ 3) $\Delta G = zero$

13. A catalyst

- 1) Alters the equilibrium constant
- 2) Increases the equilibrium concentration of products
- 3) Helps establishing the equilibrium quickly
- 4) Decreases the equilibrium concentration of products
- 14. Gas phase homogeneous equilibrium is involved in one of the following
 - 1) Acid hydrolysis of Ester
 - 2) Synthesis of ammonia by Haber's process
 - 3) Dissociation of lime stone in a closed vessel
 - 4) Dissociation of lime stone in a open vessel

15. The following are some statements about chemical equilibrium.

- A) The rate of forward reaction is equal to the rate of backward reation.
- B) The chemical equilibrium can be established from reactant side only.

C) The concentration of the reactants and products remain same with time.

The correct statements are

1) A and B 2) A and C 3) B and C 4) All A, B, C

16. The reaction is reversible if it is carried out

- 1) At constant pressure
- 2) At constant temperature
- 3) In an open vessel
- 4) In a closed vessel

In the lime-kiln; the reaction $CaCO_{3(s)} \Leftrightarrow CaO_{(s)} + CO_{2(g)}$

- 1) Attains a state of equilibrium after some time
- 2) Stops after some time

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- 3) Does not take place at all
- 4) Goes to completion eventually

Hint: Lime kyln is a open vessel.

18. When H_2 and I_2 are mixed and equilibrium is attained, then

- 1) Amount of HI formed is equal to the amount of H_2 dissociated
- 2) HI dissociation stops
- 3) The reaction stops completely
- 4) Both forward and backward reactions proceed with same rate

19. $CaCO_3 \rightleftharpoons CaO + CO_2$ reaction in a lime kiln goes to completion because

- 1) It is a heterogeneous reaction.
- 2) Backward reaction is very slow.
- 3) CO_2 formed escapes out.
- 4) K_{C} (or) K_{P} has no unit.

20. When the rate of formation of reactants is equal to the rate of formation of products, this is known as,

- 1) Chemical reaction 2) Chemical equilibrium
- 3) Chemical kinetics 4) Chemical energetics
- 21. For the reaction: $Cu(s) + 2Ag^+$ (aq) $\rightleftharpoons Cu^{2+}(aq) + 2Ag(s)$, the equilibrium constant is given by

Hint: The molar concentration of a solid is unity.

22. As per law of mass action, for $NH_4HS_{(s)} \rightleftharpoons NH_{3(g)} + H_2S_{(g)}$ ratio of rate constants of forward (Kf) & backword (Kh) reactions at equilibrium equals to

2) $P_{NH3}+P_{H2S}$ 3) $[H_2S] + [NH_3]$ 4) $[NH_3] [H_2S]$ 1) $[NH_4HS]$ **Hint:** $K_f K_b = K_c = [NH_3] [H_2S]$:: $[NH_4HS_{(S)}] = 1$

- 23. Law of mass action is not applicable to C (graphite \rightleftharpoons) C (diamond) because
 - 1) It is a physical equilibrium
 - 2) It is a Homogenious chemical equilibrium
 - 3) It is a Heterogenious chemical equilibrium
 - 4) Both forms are crystalline
- Units of K_C for $xA_{(g)} \rightleftharpoons yB_{(g)}$ is lit²-mol⁻², then the values of x & y can be 24.

3) 2, 3 2) 3, 2 4) 3, 1 1) 1, 2

Hint: units of $K_c = (moles/lit)^{\Delta n}$, given (lit²-mol⁻²) i.e Δn =-2

- Unit of K_P for $NH_4COONH_{2(s)} \rightleftharpoons 2NH_{3(g)} + CO_{2(g)}$ is 25.
 - 2) atm^2 3) atm^3 4) atm^{-3} 1) No units **Hint:** units of $K_P = (atm)^{\Delta n}$, for this $\Delta n = (2+1) \cdot 0 = 3$
- K_C for $H_2+I_2 \longrightarrow 2HI$ is 'K', then for 26.

1) K²

HI
$$\Longrightarrow$$
 1/2 H₂ + 1/2 I₂, it is
1) K² 2) \sqrt{K} 3) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{K}}$ 4) $\frac{1}{K^2}$

Hint: K_C for $H_2+I_2 \longrightarrow 2HI$ is 'K', then , K_C for $2HI \longrightarrow H_2+I_2$ is 1/K, then for HI $\rightleftharpoons 1/2$ H₂ + 1/2 I₂. K_C= $\frac{1}{\sqrt{K}}$

27. Law of mass action cannot be applied to

- 1) 2HI (g) \rightleftharpoons H₂ (g) + I₂ (g)
- 2) $PCl_{5(g)} \iff PCl_{3(g)} + Cl_{2(g)}$

3) $S_{\text{Rhombic}} \iff S_{\text{Monoclinic}}$

4) $CaCO_{3(s)} \longrightarrow CaO_{(s)} + CO_{2(g)}$

Hint: Law of mass action not applicable for a physical equilibrium.

28. Law of mass action is applicable to

1) Homogeneous chemical equilibrium only

2) Heterogeneous chemical equilibrium only

- 3) Both homogeneous and Heterogeneous chemical equilibria
- 4) Physical equilibrium
- 29. At a given temperature, for a reversible reaction, if the concentration of reactants is doubled then the equilibrium constant will

1) Be doubled2) Be halved3) Change to 1/34) Remain sameHint: K_C is independent of Concentration of reactants and products.

30. If $N_2+3H_2 \rightleftharpoons 2NH_3...$ (I) &

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{N_{2}+3H_{2}} & \longleftrightarrow \mathbf{2NH_{3}...} \ \textbf{(II)} \text{ are in equilibrium at same temperature, then} \\ 1) \ \mathbf{K_{C}} \text{ of } \mathbf{I} = \mathbf{K_{C}} \text{ of } \mathbf{II} \qquad 2) \ \mathbf{K_{C}} \text{ of } \mathbf{I} = \mathbf{K_{P}} \text{ of } \mathbf{II} \\ 3) \ \mathbf{K_{C}} \text{ of } \mathbf{I} < \mathbf{K_{C}} \text{ of } \mathbf{I} < \mathbf{K_{C}} \text{ of } \mathbf{II} \qquad 4) \ \mathbf{K_{P}} \text{ of } \mathbf{II} > \mathbf{K_{P}} \text{ of } \mathbf{I} \end{split}$$

Hint: K_C depends on Temperature. As temperature is same K_C of $I = K_C$ of II

31. The active mass of 5.6 lit of CO₂ at STP in moles/lit is

1) 5.6 / 22.4 2) 8 / 5.6 3) 32 / 5.6 4) 0.25 / 5.6

Hint: No. of moles in 5.6lit=5.6/22.4= 0.25

Active mass of a gas= Molarity= moles/volume in lit =0.25/5.6 mole/lit (or) 1/22.4mole/lit.

32. The reaction H_{2 (g)} + I_{2 (g)} → 2HI (g) is carried out in a 1 litre flask. If the same reaction is carried out in a 2 litre flask at the same temperature, the equilibrium constant will be

1) Same2) Doubled3) Halved4) DecreasedHint: At a given temperature the value of K_C is independent of concentration,
pressure, volume of vessel and catalyst.

- **33.** The relationship between Kp and Kc is given by
 - 1) $K_{C} = K_{P}(RT)^{\Delta n}$ 2) $K_{P} = K_{C}(RT)^{\Delta n}$

3) $K_{C} = K_{P} + (R T)^{\Delta n}$ 4) $K_{P} = K_{C} + RT \Delta n$

34. For the equilibrium reaction,

 $3Fe_{(s)} + 4H_2O_{(g)} \Leftrightarrow Fe_3O_{4(s)} + 4H_{2(g)}$ the relation between Kp and Kc is

1) $K_P > K_C$ 2) $K_P < K_C$ 3)

3) $K_P = K_C x (RT)^{-2}$ 4) $K_P = K_C$

Hint: $\Delta n=0$

- 35. For which of the following reactions, $Kp (RT)^2 = Kc$
 - 1) $PCl_{5(g)} \xleftarrow{\square} PCl_{3(g)} + Cl_{2(g)}$

2)
$$N_{2(g)} + 3H_{2(g)} \Leftrightarrow 2NH_{3(g)}$$

$$3) \xrightarrow{2SO_{2(g)} + O_{2(g)}} \Leftrightarrow 2SO_{3(g)}$$

4)
$$H_{2(g)} + I_{2(g)} \Leftrightarrow 2HI_{(g)}$$

Hint: Given Kp (RT) 2 = Kc i.e. Kp = Kc(RT)- 2 $\therefore \Delta n$ =-2

37. The ionisation constant of H₂CO₃ as an acid in aqueous solution at room temperature is X. If the first and second ionisation constants of H₂CO₃ are X₁ and X₂ respectively then

1)
$$X=X_1/X_2$$

3) $X = X_1X_2$
2) $X=X_2/X_1$
4) $X = 1/X_1X_2$

Hint: When two or more equations are added their equilibrium constant values are multiplied

38. In which of the following cases, does the reaction go farthest to completion



- 2) The molar volumes of the gases
- 3) The partial pressures of the gases
- 4) The mole fraction of the gases

44. The following are some statements about active masses.

- A) Active mass of pure liquids and solids are taken as unity.
- B) Active mass of electrolytes is taken as Normality

C) For 'dilute solutions of non-electrolytes, the active mass can be taken as molarity.

The correct combination is

- 1) A and B 2) B and C
- 3) A and C 4) A, B, C

45. Which one of the following has greater active mass

- 1) 200 gm of lime stone in 2 lit vessel
- 2) 90 gm of CS₂ liquid in 100 ml vessel
- 3) 56 gm of N₂ gas in 0.5 lit vessel
- 4) 1 mole of O₂ gas at STP

Hint: Active mass of 56 gm of N_2 gas in 0.5 lit vessel=(56/28)/0.5 =4moles/lit

Active mass of 1 mole of O_2 gas at STP=1/22.4 mole/lit

Active mass of a pure solid or liquid =1

46. Which of the following expression is true for the system ${}^{2SO_{2(g)} + O_{2(g)}} \Leftrightarrow 2SO_{3(g)}$?

1) $K_{p}(K_{c})^{-1} < 1$	2) $K_{p}(K_{c})^{-1} > 1$
3) $K_{p}(K_{c})^{-1} = 1$	$4) K_p = K_c$

- 47. For the reaction $2NO_2(g) \rightleftharpoons N_2O_4(g) K_P / K_C$ is
 - 1) RT 2) (RT)⁻¹ 3) (RT)^{-1/2} 4) (RT)^{1/2}

Hint: $\Delta n = 1-2=-1$, **KP** / **KC**=(**RT**)⁻¹

48. The following are some statements about units of Kc and Kp.

- A) Kp has always units.
- B) Kc has no units at all times.
- C) If n = 0, then Kp and Kc have no units.

The correct set is

- 1) A and B 2) C only
- 3) C and A 4) A, B, C

49. If K₁ and K₂ are the equilibrium constants of equilibria A and B respectively, then the relationship between the two constants is

A)
$$SO_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_2(g) \Leftrightarrow SO_3(g) \to K_1$$

B) $^{2SO_3(g) \Leftrightarrow 2SO_2(g) + O_2(g) \rightarrow K_2}$

1)
$$K_1 = K_2$$
 2) $K_1 = \frac{1}{K_2}$ 3) $K_2 = K_1^2$ 4) $K_1^2 = \frac{1}{K_2}$

Hint: The equation (A)is inverted and multiplied by two toget Equation (B). Thus $K_2 = 1/K_1^2$

50. The equilibrium constant of a reaction is

1) Which has only numerical value and carries no units

2) With or without units depending upon the stoichiometric coefficients of the species involved in a chemical equation

3) Whose value always depends upon the units in which the concentrations of species involved in chemical reaction

4) Independent of temperature

51. The equilibrium constant for the reaction A \rightleftharpoons B is K. The equilibrium constant for the reaction mA \rightleftharpoons mB is

1) mK 2) K/m 3) K^m 4) m^K

Hint: As equation is multiplied with m, the value of K becomes K^m

52. The equilibrium constants of a reaction at 298 K and 308 K are 1.0×10^{-2} and 2×10^{-2} respectively, the reaction is

- 1) Exothermic2) Endothermic
- 3) May be endothermic or exothermic 4) Cannot be predicted

Hint: as the value of K increases with increase in temperature, the reaction is an Endothermic process.

53. The equilibrium constant of the reaction (K_c) $2SO_2 + O_2 \rightleftharpoons 2SO_3$ when the reaction is conducted in a one litre vessel was found to be 2.5 $\times 10^{-2}$. If the reaction is conducted at the same temperature in a 2 litre vessel the value of K_c is

1) 1.25×10^{-2} 2) 2.5×10^{-2} 3) 6. 25×10^{-4} 4) 40

Hint: The value of K_C is independent of volume of the vessel.

54. In the system $CaF_2(s) \longrightarrow Ca^{2+}(aq) + 2F^{-}(aq)$, increasing the concentration of

 Ca^{2+} four times; the equilibrium concentration of F⁻ will be changed to

- 1) One half of its initial value 2) Twice the initial value
- 3) 1/4th of its initial value 4) Thrice of its initial value

Hint: $K_c = [Ca^{2+}][F^-]^2$ As K is constant at a given temperature $[f^-]^2 = 1/[Ca^{+2}] = 1/4$ and $[F^-] = 1/2$.

55. If the equilibrium constant for the reaction 2AB \iff A₂ + B₂ is 25. What is the equilibrium constant for 4AB \iff 2A₂ + 2 B₂

1) 5 2) 625 3) 50 4) 12.5

Hint; If whole equation is multiplied with two K becomes squre. Thus $K=(25)^2=625$ 56. The equilibrium constant for the reaction

 $N_2(g) + O_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NO(g)$ is 4×10^{-4} at 2000 K. In presence of a catalyst the equilibrium is attained three times faster. The equilibrium constant in presence of the catalyst at 2000 K

1) 40 x 10⁻⁴ 2) 4 x 10⁻⁴ 3) 1.2x 10⁻³ 4) 6.4 X 10⁻¹¹

57. With increase in temperature, the value of equilibrium constant

- 1) Increases2) Decreases
- 3) May increase or decrease 4) Remains constant

58. For an exothermic reaction, the Equilibrium constant

- 1) Increases with increase of temperature
- 2) Decreases with increase of temperature
- 3) Increases with increase of pressure
- 4) Decreases with increase of pressure

59. For the equilibrium, PCl₅ \implies PCl₃ + Cl₂; temperature remaining constant

- 1) K_c will increase with increase in volume
- 2) K_c will increase with decrease in volume
- 3) K_c will not change with the change in volume
- 4) K_c may increase or decrease with the change in volume depending upon its numerical value
- 60. For the equilibrium N₂ (g) + $3H_2$ (g) $\implies 2NH_3$ (g) at 1000^0 C the equilibrium constant is very low, then which of the following is correct at equilibrium?
 - 1) $[H_2]$ is very high but not $[N_2]$ 2) $[H_2]$ is low
 - 3) [N₂] is low 4) [NH₃] is very low

Hint: Lower value of K represents very low concentration of products at equilibrium.

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1) 3 2) 2 3) 4 4) 2 5) 2 6) 4 7) 4 8) 3 9) 2 10) 4

11) 1 12) 3 13) 3 14) 2 15) 2 16) 4 17) 4 18) 4 19) 3 20) 2

21)3 22) 4 23) 1 24) 4 25) 3 26) 3 27) 3 28) 3 29) 4 30) 1

31)4 32)1 33)2 34)4 35)2 36)2 37)3 38)1 39)4 40)2

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