

CHM 1311 - F

First Midterm

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1. The solution key will be posted on the web on Wednesday.
2. You must respond to all exercises.
3. Periodic Table, Electronegativity Table and relevant values are at the end.
4. A few scratch sheets are at the very end. Report in the booklet the minimum amount of calculations to show your reasoning.

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2	/3	7	/2
3	/2	8	/1
4	/4	9	/1
5	/3	10	/2

Total/21 =**Total/10 =**

1. (2 points) Terephthalic acid, used in the production of polyester fibers and films, is composed of carbon, hydrogen, and oxygen. When 0.6943 g of terephthalic acid was subjected to combustion analysis it produced 1.471 g CO₂ and 0.226 g H₂O. What is its empirical formula?

Grams of C in the sample: $1.471/44 \times 12 = 0.40$

Grams of H in the sample: $0.226/18 \times 2 = 0.025$

Grams of O in the sample = $0.6943 - 0.40 - 0.025 = 0.269$

Moles of C = $0.40/12 = 0.033$

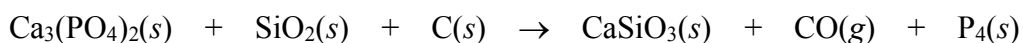
Moles of H = $0.025/1 = 0.025$

Moles of O = $0.269/16 = 0.0168$

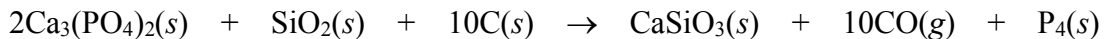
The ratio would give C₂H_{1.5}O₁ and which should be multiplied by 2 yielding:

Anw. C₄H₃O₂

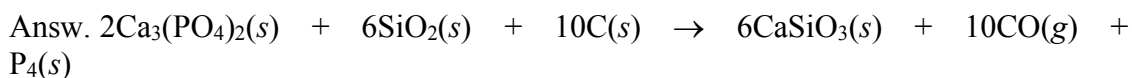
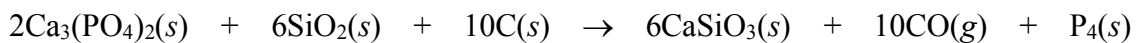
2. (3 points) Balance the following equation:



P exchanges 10 electrons to get into P_4 and C exchanges 2 and the electron balance yields:

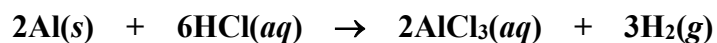


the subsequent mass balance yields:



3. (2 points)

Aluminum metal dissolved in hydrochloric acid as follows:



- What is the minimum volume of 6.0 M HCl(aq) needed to completely dissolve 3.20 g of aluminum in this reaction?**
- What mass of $AlCl_3$ would be produced by complete reaction of 3.20 g of aluminum?**

- a. What is the minimum volume of 6.0 M HCl(aq) needed to completely dissolve 3.20 g of aluminum in this reaction?
- b. What mass of AlCl₃ would be produced by complete reaction of 3.20 g of aluminum?

$$\text{Moles of Al} = 3.2/26.98 = 0.118$$



Thus moles HCl needed: $0.118 \times 3 = 0.356$ which, divided by the molarity, corresponds to 59.3 mL

The mass of AlCl₃ = 0.118 moles x molar mass AlCl₃ = 15.8 g

Answ. a) 59.3 mL
b) 15.8 g

4. (4 points)

When light of frequency $1.30 \times 10^{15} \text{ s}^{-1}$ shines on the surface of cesium metal, electrons are ejected with a maximum kinetic energy of $5.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$. Calculate (a) the wavelength of this light; (b) the binding energy of electrons

to cesium metal; and (c) the longest wavelength of light that will eject electrons. $E_{\text{photon}} = E_{\text{binding}} + E_{\text{kinetic}}$

$$4.17 \text{ (a) } \lambda = \frac{c}{\nu} = \frac{2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{1.30 \times 10^{15} \text{ s}^{-1}} = 2.31 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$$

(b) First determine the energy of the photon, then use $E_{\text{binding}} = E_{\text{photon}} - E_{\text{kinetic}}$

$$E_{\text{photon}} = h\nu = (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s})(1.30 \times 10^{15} \text{ s}^{-1}) = 8.61 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

$$E_{\text{binding}} = (8.61 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}) - (5.2 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}) = 3.4 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

(c) The longest wavelength that will eject electrons corresponds to a photon

with energy equal to the binding energy: $\lambda = \frac{hc}{E_{\text{binding}}}$

$$\lambda = \frac{(6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s})(2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s})}{3.4 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}} = 5.8 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$$

5. (3 point)

Determine the frequencies that hydrogen atoms emit in transitions from the $n = 6$ and $n = 5$ levels to the $n = 3$ level. ($E_n = -2.18 \times 10^{-18} / n^2$)

Energies and frequencies for transitions in hydrogen atoms can be calculated from the equation for hydrogen atom energy levels:

$$E_n = \frac{-2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}}{n^2}$$

$$\Delta E_{6-3} = E_6 - E_3 = \left(\frac{-2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}}{6^2} \right) - \left(\frac{-2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}}{3^2} \right) = 1.817 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

$$\nu = \frac{E}{h} = \frac{1.817 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}} = 2.74 \times 10^{14} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta E_{5-3} = E_5 - E_3 = \left(\frac{-2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}}{5^2} \right) - \left(\frac{-2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J}}{3^2} \right) = 1.550 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}$$

$$\nu = \frac{E}{h} = \frac{1.550 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J}}{6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J s}} = 2.34 \times 10^{14} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

These photons lie in the IR, just short of the visible spectral region (see Figure 4-4).

6. (1 point)

For the following sets of quantum numbers, determine which describe actual orbitals and which are non-existent. For each one that is non-existent, list the restriction that forbids it:

	n	l	m_l	m_s
(a)	5	3	-2	-1
(b)	5	3	-3	+1/2
(c)	3	3	-3	+1/2
(d)	3	0	0	-1/2

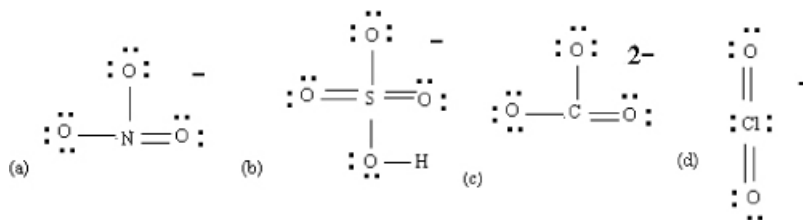
Remember that n must be a positive integer, l is restricted to zero and positive integers less than n , m_l is restricted to integers between $-l$ and $+l$, and $m_s = +\frac{1}{2}$ or $-\frac{1}{2}$.

(a) Non-existent: m_s must be $+\frac{1}{2}$ or $-\frac{1}{2}$; (b) actual; (c) non-existent: l must be less than n ; and (d) actual.

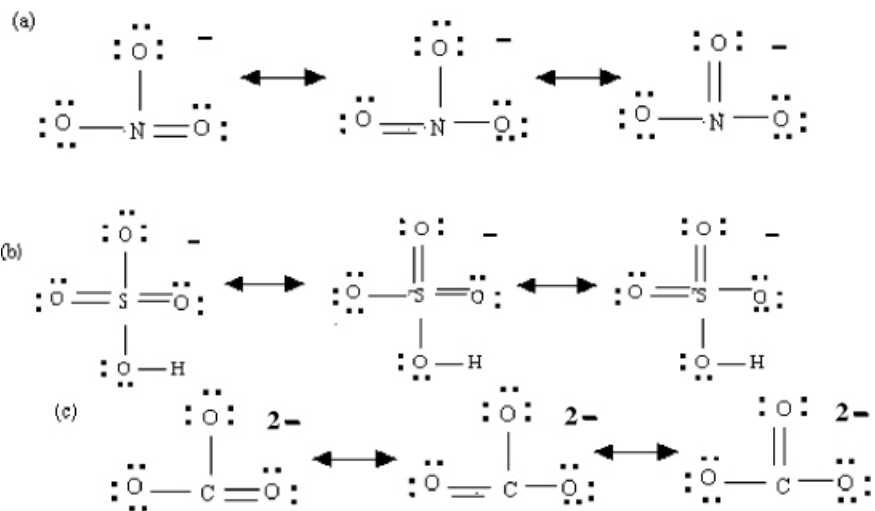
7. (2 points)

Determine the Lewis structure of each of the following polyatomic ions. Include all resonance structures and formal charges, where appropriate: (a) NO_3^- ; (b) HSO_4^- ; (c) CO_3^{2-} ; and (d) ClO_2^- .

Optimize electron configurations of the inner atoms. The inner atoms in (a) and (c) are second row, so complete their octets. The inner atoms in (b) and (d) are third row, so reduce their formal charges to zero by making two double bonds to each:



. The outer oxygen atoms all are equivalent, so all but (d) have three equivalent structures.



8. (1 point)

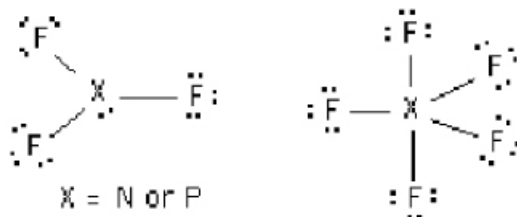
**Identify the hybrid orbitals used by the inner atoms for:
SO₃, SO₂, CHCl₃, PBr₃**

Use the Lewis structure of the molecule: (a) sp^2 hybrids; (b) sp^2 hybrids; (c) sp^3 hybrids (d) sp^3 hybrids.

9. (1 point)

Both PF₃ and PF₅ are known compounds. NF₃ also exists, but NF₅ does not. Why is there no molecule with the formula NF₅?

The Lewis structures of molecules with formula XF₃ show octets around the inner atom and $FC_X = 0$, making them stable. Compounds with formula XF₅ also have $FC_X = 0$ but have five electron pairs associated with the inner atom. This is possible for phosphorus, a third-row element that has *d* orbitals available for bonding. It is not possible for nitrogen, a second-row element that lacks valence *d* orbitals:



10. (2 points)

Use molecular orbital diagram to rank the bond energies of the following diatomic species from strongest to weakest:

He_2 , He_2^+ and He_2^{2+}

He_2^{2+} He_2^+ He_2

Data For Water

Density = 1.00 g/mL (at 25°C)

$s = 2.13 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ (solid)

$s = 4.184 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ (liquid)

$s = 2.01 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ (gas)

$\Delta H^{\circ}_{\text{fus}} = 6.02 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

$\Delta H^{\circ}_{\text{vap}} = 40.7 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

Constants and Conversion Factors

1 mmHg = 1 torr 760 mmHg = 1 atm 1 atm = 101.325 kPa 1 atm = 1.013125 bar
 1 cm³ = 1 mL 1000 mL = 1 L 1000 L = 1 m³

Avogadro's Number	N	$6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
Boltzmann's constant	k	$1.30866 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J} \cdot \text{K}^{-1}$
Faraday's constant	F	$96,485 \text{ C} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$
Gas constant	R	$8.31451 \text{ J} \cdot \text{K}^{-1} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$
	R	$0.08206 \text{ atm} \cdot \text{L} \cdot \text{K}^{-1} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$
	R	$8.31451 \text{ m}^3 \text{ Pa} \cdot \text{K}^{-1} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$
	R	$0.0831451 \text{ bar} \cdot \text{L} \cdot \text{K}^{-1} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$
	R	
Planck's constant	h	$6.62608 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J} \cdot \text{s}$
Speed of Light	c	$2.99792458 \times 10^8 \text{ m} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$

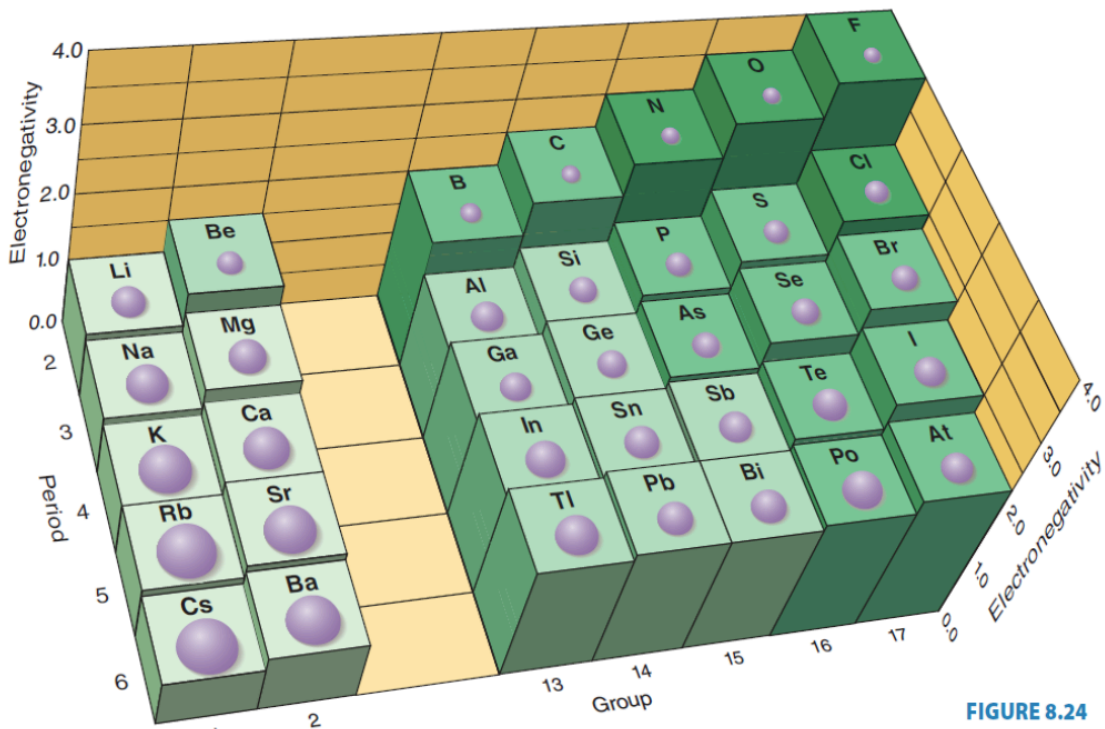


FIGURE 8.24

Gas Laws

$$PV = nRT$$

$$\frac{P_1V_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2V_2}{T_2}$$

$$P_T = P_1 + P_2 + P_3 + \dots$$

$$d = \frac{m}{V} = \frac{P \cdot MM}{RT}$$

$$E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$$

$$u_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{MM}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Rate A}}{\text{Rate B}} = \sqrt{\frac{MM_B}{MM_A}}$$

$$\left(P + \frac{n^2a}{V^2}\right)(V - nb) = nRT$$

Equilibrium

$$K_p = K_c(RT)^{\Delta n}$$

Acid/Base

$$pOH = -\log[OH^-]$$

$$pH = -\log[H^+]$$

$$pH + pOH = 14$$

$$K_a \times K_b = K_w$$

$$pH = pK_a + \log \frac{[A^-]}{[HA]}$$

$$pH = \frac{pK_{a1} + pK_{a2}}{2}$$

Thermochemistry

$$\Delta U = q + W$$

$$W_{\text{system}} = -P\Delta V = -\Delta nRT$$

$$\Delta H = \Delta U + P\Delta V$$

$$q_p = \Delta U + P\Delta V$$

$$q = ms\Delta T$$

$$\Delta H_{\text{rxn}}^\circ = \sum n\Delta H_f^\circ(\text{pds}) - \sum n\Delta H_f^\circ(\text{rxts})$$

The atom

$$E = hv$$

$$c = v\lambda$$

$$E = -B/n^2$$

Kinetics

$$[A]_t = [A]_o - kt$$

$$\ln[A]_t = \ln[A]_o - kt$$

$$1/[A]_t = 1/[A]_o + kt$$

$$k = Ae^{(-E_a/RT)}$$

$$\ln(k_2/k_1) = (-E_a/R)(1/T_2 - 1/T_1)$$

