# SOLVED EXAMPLES

# JEE Main/Boards

**Example 1:** A 10.0 litre vessel contains 2 moles of B at 100 K. How many moles of C should be added to drive the following backward reaction practically to completion?

 $A(s) \longrightarrow B(s) + 2C(g); K_p = 16 \text{ atm}^2$ 

**Sol:** Using the given  $K_{p}$ , calculate the partial pressure of gas C and use it to get the no. of moles. Using the reaction, moles of C can be found.

$$K_{p} = [p_{c}]^{2} = 16; P_{c} = 4 \text{ atm}$$

Using ideal gas equation, for C,

pV = nRT

 $4 \times 10 = n_c \times 0.0821 \times 100$ 

$$n_c = \frac{0.0821 \times 100}{4 \times 10}$$

n<sub>c</sub> = 4. 872 moles

By looking at the given equation, stoichiometry for B and C should be in the ration 1:2

Thus 2 moles of B shall combine with 4 moles of C to give back A.

In order to drive the backward reaction almost to completion total number of moles required will be = 4.872 + 4 = 8.872

**Example 2:** (a) For which of the following reactions,  $K_p$  is equal to  $K_c$ ?

- (i)  $H_2 + I_2 \implies 2HI$
- (ii)  $N_2 + 3H_2 \implies 2NH_3$
- (iii)  $PCl_5 \implies PCl_3 + Cl_2$

**Sol:** Use equation  $K_p = K_c(RT)^{\Delta n}$  to solve the above.

In order to calculate  $K_{_{p^\prime}}$  we have to use the formula,  $K_{_n}$  =  $K_c(RT)^{\Delta n}$ 

For reaction  $H_2 + I_2 = 2HI$  only  $\Delta n = 2 - 2 = 0$ For this reaction (RT)<sup> $\Delta n$ </sup> = 0

Thus  $K_p = K_c$ 

**Example 3:** For which of the following cases does the reaction go farthest to completion:

 $K = 1, K = 10^{10}, K = 10^{-10}$ ?

**Sol:** More the value of the ratio of [product]/[reactant], farther the reaction will go.

The reaction having  $K=10^{10}$  will go farthest to completion because the ratio [product]/[reactant] is maximum in this case.

**Example 4:** Both metal Mg and Fe can reduce the metal copper from a solution having copper ions (Cu<sup>2+</sup>), according to the equilibria:

$$Mg(s) + Cu^{2+} \xrightarrow{} Mg^{2+} + Cu(s); K_1 = 6 \times 10^{90}$$

$$Fe(s) + Cu^{2+} \xrightarrow{} Fe^{2+} + Cu(s); K_2 = 3 \times 10^{26}$$

Which metal will remove cupric ions from the solution to a greater extent?

#### Sol:

- As we know greater the value of K forward reaction is more feasible.
- Since  $K_1 > K_{2'}$  the product in the first reaction is much more favoured than in the second one.
- Mg thus removes more Cu<sup>2+</sup> from solution than does Fe.

 $({\rm K}_{_1} \text{ and } {\rm K}_{_2} \text{ include the constant concentration of the solid species.})$ 

**Example 5:** Two moles of  $PCI_5$  were heated to 327°C in a closed two litre vessel and when equilibrium was achieved,  $PCI_5$  was found to be 40% dissociated into  $PCI_3$  and  $CI_2$ . Calculate the equilibrium constants  $K_p$  and  $K_c$  for this reaction,

**Sol:** Amount of reacting species and the product can be calculated and then apply the 40% dissociation. Accordingly solve  $K_p$  and  $K_c$  by using  $K_p = K_c (RT)^{\Delta n}$ 

Reaction for dissociation of PCl<sub>5</sub>:

$$PCl_5 \Longrightarrow PCl_3 + Cl_2$$

Given: Amount of  $PCl_{s}$  (initially) = 2 moles

Percentage dissociation at equilibrium = 40%

 $\therefore$  No. of moles of PCI5 dissociated at equilibrium

$$=\frac{40}{100} \times 2 = 0.8$$
 mole

: Amounts of  $\mathrm{PCl}_{\mathrm{s'}}\,\mathrm{PCl}_{\mathrm{3}}$  and  $\mathrm{Cl}_{\mathrm{2}}$  at equilibrium will be

$$PCl_{5} = 2 - 0.8 = 1.2$$
 mole

[From the reaction, 1 mole of  $PCI_5$  on dissociation gives 1 mole of  $PCI_3$  and 1 mole of  $CI_2$ ]

$$\therefore$$
 PCl<sub>3</sub> = 0.8 mole

∴ Cl = 0.8 mole

In order to calculate  $K_c$  we have to calculate molar concentration of reactant and product at equilibrium.

(Given: volume of vessel = 2 litre)

Thus,

$$[PCl_{5}] = \frac{1.2}{2} = 0.6 \text{ mol} \text{L}^{-1},$$
$$[PCl_{3}] = \frac{0.8}{2} = 0.4 \text{ mol} \text{L}^{-1}$$
And  $[Cl_{2}] = \frac{0.8}{2} = 0.4 \text{ mol} \text{L}^{-1}$ 

Applying the law of chemical equilibrium to the dissociation equilibrium, we get

$$K_{c} = \frac{[PCI_{3}][CI_{2}]}{[PCI_{5}]} = \frac{0.4molL^{-1} \times 0.4molL^{-1}}{0.6molL^{-1}}$$

 $K_c = 0.267 \text{ mole } L^{-1}$ 

As we have calculated the value of  $\rm K_{_c}$  we can now calculate value of  $\rm K_{_p}$  using the following equation.

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

Now,  $\Delta n = n_p = n_r = 2 - 1 = 1$  mole

 $\therefore K_{p} = K_{c}(RT)$ 

T = 327 + 273 = 600 K

 $R = 0.0821 L atm K^{-1} mol^{-1}$ 

:.  $K_p = 0.267 \text{mol } L^{-1} \times 0.0821 \text{ L}$  atm  $K^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1} \times 600 \text{ K}$ = 13.15 atm

**Example 6:**  $AB_2$  dissociates as:  $AB_2(g) \Longrightarrow AB(g) + B(g)$ . If the initial pressure is 500 mm of Hg and the total pressure at equilibrium is 700 mm of Hg, calculate K<sub>p</sub> for the reaction.

**Sol:** Using partial pressure concepts in the given reaction, calculate the partial pressure and then apply  $K_{a}$  expression.

After dissociation, suppose the decreases in the pressure of  $AB_2$  at equilibrium is p mm. Then

Initially at equil 
$$AB_{2(g)} \rightleftharpoons AB_{(g)} +B_{(g)}$$
  
 $500 \quad 0 \quad 0$   
 $500 - P \quad P \quad P$   
 $PT = 500 - P + P + P = 500 + P$   
 $\therefore 700 = 500 + P \therefore P = 200 \text{ MM}$   
 $\therefore P_{AB_2} = 500 - 200 = 300 \text{ mm}$   
 $\therefore K_p = \frac{P_{AB} \times P_B}{P_{AB_2}} = \frac{200 \times 200}{300} = 133.33 \text{ mm}$ 

**Example 7:** The degree of dissociation of  $PCl_{s}$  at a certain temperature and pressure is 0.2. Calculate the pressure at which it will be half (50%) dissociated at the same temperature.

**Sol:** Using the reaction and the given degree of dissociation, frame the partial pressure equations and solve by using  $K_{a}$ .

Suppose  $\alpha$  is the degree of dissociation, then

	$PCl_5$	$\rightleftharpoons$ PCl <sub>3</sub>	$+Cl_2$
Initial conc.	1mole	0	0
At. Equilibriun	n 1-α	α	α

... Total number of moles at equilibrium

$$= 1 - \alpha + \alpha + \alpha = 1 + \alpha$$

If P is the total pressure at equilibrium, then partial pressures will be

$$\begin{split} p_{PCI_3} &= \frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha} P \ , \ \ p_{CI_2} = \frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha} P \ , \end{split} \\ p_{PCI_5} &= \frac{1-\alpha}{1+\alpha} P \ ; \ \ K_p = \frac{p_{PCI_3} \times p_{CI_2}}{p_{PCI_5}} \end{split}$$

Substituting the values in above equation,

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha}\mathsf{P}\right) \times \left(\frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha}\mathsf{P}\right)}{\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{1+\alpha}.\mathsf{P}\right)}$$

 $K_{p} = \frac{\alpha^{2}}{1 - \alpha^{2}}.P$ 

We are given that at P = 1 atm, a = 0.2.

Hence, 
$$K_p = \frac{(0.2)^2}{1-(0.2)^2} \times 1 \therefore K_p = 0.042$$

At 50%, dissociation i. e.  $\alpha$  = 0.5,

Suppose total pressure is P'. Then

A(g) + 2B(g) 
$$\longrightarrow$$
 C(g)  
0.042 =  $\frac{(0.5)^2}{1-(0.5)^2} \times p$ 

P' = 0.1272 atm

**Example 8:** A vessel at 1000 K contains carbon dioxide with a pressure of 0.4 atm. Some of the carbon dioxide is converted to carbon monoxide on addition of graphite. Calculate the value of K if the total pressure at equilibrium is 0.7 atm.

**Sol:** Frame the reaction. Using the total pressure and the partial pressure concept, solve for K. The chemical reaction for the above transformation is:

 $CO_2(g) + C(s) \Longrightarrow 2CO(g)$ 

Suppose decrease in pressure of  $CO_2$  after reaction = p atm

Final pressure = 0.7

Then increase in pressure due to CO = 2 p

Final pressure = (0.4 - p) + 2p = 0.4 + p = 0.7 atm

 $\therefore$  p = 0.3 atm. Hence, we have

$$p_{CO_2} = 0.4 - 0.3 = 0.1 \text{ atm}$$

 $p_{co} = 2 \times 0.3 = 0.6$  atm

$$K = \frac{p_{CO}^2}{p_{CO_2}^2} = \frac{(0.6)^2}{0.1} = 3.6$$

**Example 9:** Two solids A and C dissociate into gas products as follows;

 $\begin{array}{l} \mathsf{A(s)} & \mathchoice{\longrightarrow}{\leftarrow}{\leftarrow} & \mathsf{B(g)} + \mathsf{D(g)} \ ; \ \mathsf{K_{p_1}} \ = \ 400 \\ \\ \mathsf{C(s)} & \mathchoice{\longleftarrow}{\leftarrow}{\leftarrow} & \mathsf{E(g)} + \mathsf{D(g)} \ ; \ \mathsf{K_{p_2}} \ = \ 900 \end{array}$ 

At  $25^{\circ}$  C, the pressure over excess solid A only is 400 atm, and that over solid C only is 60 atm. Find the pressure over solid mixture.

**Sol:** Arrange the stepwise conversion and using the given values of  $K_{p'}$  frame for partial pressure and solve for solid mixture pressure.

- When two solids A and C are taken together in a closed container, both decompose to give gases B, D and E.
- As D is the common gas, the dissociation of both the solids A and C shall be suppressed.

 Suppose that the partial pressures of B and D due to dissociation of only A are p<sub>1</sub> atm each, and the partial pressures of E and D due to dissociation of only C are p<sub>2</sub> atm each.

A(s) ⇒ B(g) + D(g); K<sub>p1</sub> = 400 p1p1 C(s) ⇒ E(g) + D(g); K<sub>p2</sub> = 900 p2p2 K<sub>p1</sub> = p<sub>B</sub> · p<sub>D</sub> = p1(p1 + p2) = 400 ... (i) and K<sub>p2</sub> = p<sub>E</sub> · p<sub>D</sub> = p2(p1 + p2) = 900 ... (ii) Solving equation. (1) and (2), p1 = 11.097 and p2 = 24.96 atm. ∴ pressure over solid mixture = 2(p1 + p2) = 2(11.097 + 24.96) = 72.114 atm.

**Example 10:** The equilibrium constant of the reaction,  $H_2(g) + I_2(g) \longrightarrow 2HI(g)$  at 426° C is 65.5, what will be the value of the equilibrium constant

(a) if the reaction is reversed, and

(b) if the given reaction is represented as

$$3H_2 + 3I_2 \implies 6HI?$$

**Sol:** Using 1/K and (K)<sup>n</sup>, solve the above.

(a) The reverse reaction of the given reaction is

 $2HI \longrightarrow H_2 + I_2$ (**Remember:** If the reaction is reversed equilibrium constant is given by 1/k)

 $\therefore$  Equilibrium constant =  $\frac{1}{65.5}$  = 0.0152

(b) The reaction  $3H_2 + 3I_2 \longrightarrow 6HI$  has been obtained by multiplying the reaction  $H_2 + I_2 \longrightarrow 2HI$  by 3.

(Remember: if the reaction is multiplied by n,

then equilibrium constant =  $(K)^n$ 

Hence,  $K = (65.5)^3 = 281011$ .

**Example 11:** A mixture of 1. 62 mol of  $N_2$ , 1.20 mol of  $H_2$  and 9.24 mole of  $NH_3$  is introduced into a 20 L reaction vessel at 500K. At this temperature, the equilibrium constant,  $K_c$  for the reaction,

$$N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2NH_3(g)$$
 is  $1.7 \times 10^2$ .

Predict the direction of reaction.

**Sol:** Calculate the concentration of each species in the reaction and then solve for  $Q_c$ .

For a general reaction aA + bB = cC + dD

$$\frac{N_2(g)}{20} + \frac{3H_2(g)}{20} \xrightarrow{2NH_3(g)}{20}$$

$$\frac{1.62}{20} - \frac{1.20}{20} - \frac{9.24}{20}$$

$$Q = \frac{\left[C\right]^{c} \left[D\right]^{d}}{\left[A\right]^{a} \left[B\right]^{b}} = \frac{\left(0.462\right)^{2}}{\left(0.081\right)\left(0.08\right)^{3}} = 4.9 \times 10^{3}$$

For the given reaction, K<sub>c</sub>

$$N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2NH_3(g)$$
 is  $= 1.7 \times 10^2$ 

As  $Q_c > K_{c'}$  the net reaction will be in the backward direction.

**Example 12:** What is the effect of reducing the volume on the system described below?

 $2C(s) + O_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2CO(g)$ 

Sol:

- This can be explained on the basis of Le Chatelier's principle.
- On reducing the volume, the pressure will increase.
- By Le Chatelier's principle equilibrium will shift to the side accompanied by decrease of pressure, i.e. decrease in the number of gaseous moles, i.e. backward direction.

**Example 13:** In the reaction  $N_2 + 3H_2 \implies 2NH_3$  at equilibrium, helium gas is injected into the vessel without disturbing the overall pressure of the system. What will be the effect on the equilibrium?

Sol: Application of Le-Chatelier's principle.

$$K_{c} = \frac{[NH_{3}]^{2}}{[N_{2}][H_{2}]^{3}}$$

- Since pressure is kept constant, volume will increase.
- Hence, molar concentration of NH<sub>3</sub>, N<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub> will decrease.
- As there are two concentration terms in numerator and four concentration terms in the denominator, to keep K<sub>c</sub> constant, decrease in NH<sub>3</sub> should be more, i.e., equilibrium will shift in the backward direction.

**Example 14:** A liquid is in equilibrium with its vapour in a sealed container at fixed temperature. The volume of the container is suddenly increased.

(a) What is the initial effect of the change on vapour pressure?

(b) How do rates of evaporation and condensation change initially?

(c) What happens when equilibrium is restored finally and what will be the final vapour pressure?

**Sol:** (a) As volume is increased, the vapour pressure will decrease because the same amount of vapour are now distributed in larger space. Number of molecules striking the wall of container decreases and thus pressure decreases.

(b) As the vessel is sealed, the rate of evaporation remains constant at constant temperature. However, the rate of condensation will be low initially because there are fewer molecules per unit volume in the vapour phase and hence the number of collisions per unit time with the liquid surface decreases.

(c) When equilibrium is restored, Rate of evaporation = rate of condensation. The final vapour pressure =Initial pressure because vapour pressure of a liquid depends only on temperature and not volume.

**Example 15:** The following system is in equilibrium:

$$SO_2CI_2 + Heat \implies SO_2 + CI_2$$

What will happen to the temperature of the system if some Cl<sub>2</sub> is added into it at constant volume?

**Sol:** Temperature will increase. Backward direction will be more feasible. Thus equilibrium will shift in the backward direction producing more heat.

**Example 16:** Explain why pure liquids and solids can be ignored while writing the equilibrium constant expression.

**Sol:** This can be explained by considering density of pure solid or pure liquid.

[Pure liquid] or [Pure solid] =  $\frac{\text{No. of moles}}{\text{Volume in L}}$ 

No of moles= Mass/ Mol. Mass =  $\frac{Mass / mol.mass}{Volume}$ 

 $= \frac{Mass}{Volume} \times \frac{1}{Mol.mass} = \frac{Density}{Mol.mass}$ 

 Density of a pure liquid or pure solid is constant at constant temperature and molecular mass is also constant, therefore, their molar concentrations are constant and are ignored into the equilibrium constant.

# **JEE Advanced/Boards**

**Example 1:** One mole of nitrogen is mixed with 3 moles of hydrogen in 4-litre container. If 0.50 % of nitrogen is converted to ammonia by the following reaction,

$$N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \longrightarrow 2NH_3(g),$$

Calculate the equilibrium constant ( $K_c$ ) in concentration units. What will be the value of  $K_c$  for the following

equilibrium? 
$$\frac{1}{2}N_2(g) + \frac{3}{2}H_2(g) \longrightarrow NH_3(g)$$

**Sol:** Using the reaction, calculate equilibrium concentration and  $K_c$ . Apply the formula for the next reaction and solve the new  $K_c$ .

Initial moles	N <sub>2</sub> 1	3H <sub>2</sub> + 3	$\underset{0}{\longleftarrow}$ NH <sub>3</sub> (g)
Moles at equilibrium	(1-0.0050)	(3-0.0050	) (2×0.0050)

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Molar concentration} \\ \text{at equilibrium} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \underline{0.9950} \\ 4 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \underline{2.9950} \\ 4 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \underline{0.01} \\ 4 \end{array}$ 

$$K_{c} = \frac{[NH_{3}]^{2}}{[N_{2}][H_{2}]^{3}}$$
  
=  $\frac{\left(\frac{0.01}{4}\right)^{2}}{\left(\frac{0.9950}{4}\right)\left(\frac{2.9950}{4}\right)^{3}} \frac{6.25 \times 10^{-6}}{(0.2487) \times (0.1044)}$   
=  $6.0 \times 10^{-5} (mol/L)^{-2}$ 

For the other reaction  $\frac{1}{2}N_2(g) + \frac{3}{2}H_2(g) \longrightarrow NH_3(g)$ 

We can see that the above reaction has been obtained by multiplying the equation

$$N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \longrightarrow 2NH_3(g), \text{ by } \frac{1}{2}.$$

Thus, the new equilibrium constant =  $(6.0 \times 10^{-5})^{1/2}$ 

$$K_c = 7.7 \times 10^{-3} (\text{mole/litre})^{-1}$$

**Example 2:** Would 1% CO<sub>2</sub> in the air be sufficient to prevent any loss in weight when Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> is dried at 120°C? Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>(s) is dried at 120°C? Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>(s)  $\rightleftharpoons$  Ag<sub>2</sub>O (s) + CO<sub>2</sub>(g); kp = 0. 0095 at 120°C. How low would the partial pressure of CO<sub>2</sub> have to be to promote this reaction at 120°C?

**Sol:** 
$$K_p = \frac{p_{Ag_2O} \times p_{CO_2}}{p_{Ag_2CO_3}} = p_{CO_2}$$

- Thus, if  $Ag_2CO_3$  is taken in a closed container, a small amount of it would decompose to give  $CO_2$  gas until the partial pressure of  $CO_2$  reaches 0.0095 atm.
- As this is the equilibrium pressure of CO<sub>2</sub>, the decomposition would then stop.
- Now since partial pressure of CO<sub>2</sub> in air is 0.01 atm (:: CO<sub>2</sub> is 1% in air) which is much greater than 0.0095 atm, the equilibrium would practically shift to the left-hand side completely, or in other words, there would be no loss in weight of Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> (by decomposition) if placed in air containing 1% CO<sub>2</sub>.
- Further, if the partial pressure of CO<sub>2</sub> in air is less than the equilibrium pressure of 0.0095 atm, the decomposition of Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> would continue till the CO<sub>2</sub> pressure around Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> becomes 0.0095 atm.

**Example 3:** In the preparation of quick lime from limestone, the reaction is

$$CaCO_3(s) \rightleftharpoons CaO(s) + CO_2(g)$$

Experiments carried out between 850°C and 950°C led to a set of K<sub>n</sub> values fitting an empirical equation

$$\log K_p = 7.282 - \frac{8500}{T}$$

where T is the absolute temperature. If the reaction is carried out in quiet air, what temperature would be predicted from this equation for complete decomposition of the limestone?

**Sol:** For the equilibrium  $CaCO_3$  (s)  $\rightleftharpoons CaO(s) + CO_2(g)$ 

$$K_p = P_{CO_2}$$

the decomposition of  $CaCO_3$  in quiet air, would continue till the pressure developed due to  $CO_2$  equals 1 atm (atmospheric pressure).

 $\therefore$  when the decomposition is complete  $K_p = 1atm$ 

Substituting  $K_{\!_{p}}$  in the given empirical equation,

$$\log 1 = 7.282 - \frac{8500}{T} = 0.$$
  
T = 1167 K = 894° C

**Example 4:** 0.0785 g of selenium vapour occupying a volume of 105 mL of 600° C exerts a pressure of 160 mm. The selenium is in a state of equilibrium according to

the reaction  $Se_6(g) \Longrightarrow 3Se_2(g)$ .

Calculate (a) degree of dissociation of selenium, (b)  $K_{p'}$  and (c)  $K_{c}$ ; (Se = 79)

 $\therefore p_{CO_2} = 0.0095$  atm = constant at 120°C.

**Sol:** Using 
$$\left(\frac{p_1V_1}{T_1} = \frac{p_2V_2}{T_2}\right)$$
, find

- 1. Volume at NTP
- 2. No. of moles
- 3. Molar mass
- 4. Vapour density
- 5. Degree of dissociation

6. Using reaction, find moles at equilibrium and then solve for  $\rm K_{\rm p}$  and  $\rm K_{\rm c}$  from

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

(a) Volume at NTP = 
$$\frac{160}{760} \times \frac{105}{873} \times 273 \text{ mL}$$

$$= 6.9216 \left( \frac{p_1 V_1}{T_1} = \frac{p_2 V_2}{T_2} \right)$$

 $\therefore \text{ Moles at NTP} = \frac{6.9216}{22400} \dots$ 

Let the observed molecular weight of selenium be M.

:. No. of moles = 
$$\frac{0.0785}{M}$$
  
Hence,  $\frac{0.0785}{M} = \frac{6.9216}{22400}$ 

M = 254.04

: Observed vapour density = 
$$\frac{254.04}{2} = 127.02$$

Theoretical vapour density =  $\frac{79 \times 6}{2}$  = 237 (mol. wt. of Se<sub>6</sub> = 79 × 6)

(i.e., when there is no diss.)

Since 1 molecule of selenium produces 3 molecules

∴ n = 3

Substituting the above values in Eqn.(4), we get

Degree of dissociation of Se<sub>6</sub> = 
$$\frac{(237 - 127.02)}{(3 - 1) \times 127.02}$$
  
=  $\frac{190.98}{254.04} = 0.43$ 

(b)

	Se <sub>6</sub> (g)	<del>`</del>	3Se <sub>2</sub> (g)
Initial moles(suppose)	1		0
Moles at eqm.	(1 – x)		Зx
(x = deg. of diss.)			
Total moles at equilibr	ium = 1 -	– x + 3x =	= 1 + 2x

$$K_{p} = \frac{p_{Se_{2}}^{3}}{p_{Se_{6}}} = \frac{\left(\frac{3x}{1+2x} \times p\right)^{3}}{\left(\frac{1-x}{1+2x} \times p\right)} = \frac{27x^{3}}{(1+2x)^{2}(1-x)} \times p^{2}$$

Substituting the values of x = 0.43 and p =  $\frac{160}{760}$  atm, K = 0.8970

(c) 
$$K_p = K_c(RT)^{\Delta n} \dots (Eqn. 3)$$
  
 $0.8970 = K_c (0.08821 \times 973)^2$   
 $(\Delta n = 3 - 1 = 2)$ 

$$K_c = \frac{0.8970}{(0.821 \times 973)^2} = 1.40 \times 10^{-4}$$

#### Example 5: An equilibrium mixture,

 $CO(g) + H_2O(g) \longrightarrow CO_2(g)+H_2(g)$ , present in a vessel of one litre capacity at 1000 K was found to contain 0.4 mole of CO, 0.3 mole of H<sub>2</sub>O, 0.2 mole of  $CO_2$  and 0.6 mole of H<sub>2</sub>. If it is desired to increase the concentration of CO to 0.6 mole by adding  $CO_2$  into the vessel, how many moles of it must be added into equilibrium mixture at constant temperature in order to get this change?

**Sol: Step-1** To calculate  $K_c$  of the reaction.

$$Kc = \frac{[CO(g)][H_2(g)]}{[CO(g)][H_2O(g)]} = \frac{0.2 \times 0.6}{0.4 \times 0.3} = 1$$

**Step-2** To calculate extra  $CO_2$  to be added: Suppose X mole of extra  $CO_2$  is added Then writing the reverse reaction, we have

	CO <sub>2</sub>	+	$H_2 \rightarrow$	CO	+	$H_2O$
Initial moles	(0.2 + x)		0.6	0.4		0.3
after add <sup>n</sup>						
Moles (Molar	(0.2 + x		(0.6	(0.4		(0.3
conc.) = at new	-0.2)		-0.2)	+0.2)		+0.2)
Equilibrium	= x		= 0.4	= 0.6		= 0.5

(V = 1 L) (Given)

$$K_{c} = \frac{1}{K_{c}} = \frac{0.6 \times 0.5}{x \times 0.4} = 1$$
  $\therefore x = \frac{0.6 \times 05}{0.4} = 0.75$ 

**Example 6:** Ammonium carbamate decomposes as  $NH_2COONH_4(s) \Longrightarrow 2NH_3(g) + CO_2(g)$ . In a closed vessel containing ammonium carbamate in equilibrium,  $NH_3$  is added such that the partial pressure of  $NH_3$  now

equals original total pressure. Calculate the ratio of total pressure now to the original pressure.

**Sol:** Let us assume that initial pressure of the mixture is P. Thus, pressure is due to  $NH_3$  and  $CO_2$  which are present in the ratio of 2 : 1. (from the reaction)

Thus, 
$$p_{NH_3} = \frac{2}{3}P$$
,  $p_{CO_2} = \frac{1}{3}P$   
 $K_P = (p_{NH_3})^2 (p_{CO_2})^2 = \left(\frac{2}{3}P\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{3}P\right) = \frac{4}{27}P^3$ 

After adding  $NH_{3'}$ , partial pressure of  $NH_{3}$  equals the original total pressure

$$p_{NH_3} = P \text{ (given)}$$
  
∴ P<sup>2</sup> × P<sub>CO2</sub>  

$$= K_p = \frac{4}{27}P^3 \text{ or } P_{CO_2} = \frac{4}{27}P$$
  
∴ Total pressure now = P<sub>NH3</sub> + P<sub>CO2</sub> = P +  $\frac{4}{27}P = \frac{31}{27}P$   

$$= \frac{31}{27}$$

**Example 7:** An equilibrium mixture at 300 K contains  $N_2O_4$  and  $NO_2$  at 0.23 and 1.4 atm respectively. If the volume of the container is doubled, calculate the new equilibrium pressure of the two gases.

Sol: Step-1: Calculate K<sub>p</sub>

$$N_2O_4 \longrightarrow 2NO_2$$
  
Equilibrium pressure 0.23 1.4atm

$$K_p = \frac{p_{NO_2}^2}{p_{N_2O_4}} = \frac{(1.4atm)^2}{0.23atm} = 8.52atm$$

Step-2: Calculation of new equilibrium pressures:

According to Boyle's law, volume increases pressure decreases.

Thus on doubling the volume, pressure will decrease to half.

As pressure decreases, equilibrium will shift to the side accompanied by increase in the number of mole, i.e. forward direction.

This means that pressure of  $N_2O_4$  will decrease while that of  $NO_2$  will increase

Let us assume that decrease in pressure of  $N_2O_4 = p$ .

Then

Initial pressure 
$$\frac{0.23}{2}$$
 atm  $\frac{1.4}{2}$  atm  
New eq pre  $\left(\frac{0.23}{2} - p\right)$  atm  $\left(\frac{1.4}{2} + p\right)$  atm  
 $K_p = \frac{(0.70 + 2p)^2}{(0.115 - p)} = 8.52$  atm (Calculate above)  
 $0.49 + 4p^2 + 2.8p = 0.9798 - 8.52p$   
 $4p^2 + 11.32p - 0.4898 = 0$   
 $p = \frac{-11.32 \pm \sqrt{128.14 + 7.83}}{8} = 0.042$  atm  $\cdot$   
(minus value is neglected)  
(For quadratic equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ ,  
 $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ )  
 $\therefore$  New equilibrium pressures will be  
 $P_{N_2O_4} = 0.115 - 0.042 = 0.072$  atm,  
 $P_{NO_2} = 0.70 + 2 \times 0.042 = 0.113$  atm

N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>

2NO<sub>2</sub>

**Example 8:** At some temperature and under a pressure of 4 atm,  $PCI_{5}$  is 20% dissociated. Calculate the pressure at which  $PCI_{5}$  will be 40% dissociated, temperature remaining same.

**Sol:** Split into case 1 and case 2 where in case 1, 20% dissociation and in case 2, 40% dissociation is applied.

Case 1: When PCl<sub>5</sub> is 20% dissociated

$$\begin{array}{rcl} & \mathsf{PCI}_5 & & \longrightarrow \mathsf{PCI}_3 & + & \mathsf{CI}_2 \\ \text{At eq. (mole)} & 1 - 0.2 & & 0.2 & & 0.2 \\ & & = 0.8 \end{array}$$

Total no. of moles = 0.8 + 0.2 + 0.2 = 1.2 mole

$$p_{PCI_{5}} = \frac{0.8}{1.2} \times 4 \text{ atm,}$$

$$p_{PCI_{3}} = \frac{0.2}{1.2} \times 4 \text{ atm,}$$

$$p_{CI_{2}} = \frac{0.2}{1.2} \times 4 \text{ atm,}$$

$$K_{p} = \frac{\frac{0.8}{1.2} \times \frac{0.8}{1.2}}{3.2} = 0.166$$

**Case 2:** When  $PCI_{s}$  is 40% dissociated. Suppose total pressure = P atm. Then,

 $\begin{array}{rrrr} & \mbox{PCl}_5 & & \mbox{PCl}_3 & + & \mbox{Cl}_2 \\ \mbox{Initial mole} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \mbox{Eqm mole} & & \mbox{I-0.4} \\ & = 0.6 & 0.4 & 0.4 \end{array}$ 

Total no. of moles = 0.6 + 0.4 + 0.4 = 1.4 moles

$$p_{PCl_5} = \frac{0.6}{1.4} \times P \text{ atm, } p_{PCl_3} = \frac{0.4}{1.2} \times P \text{ atm, } P_{Cl_2} = \frac{0.4}{1.2} \times P \text{ atm}$$

$$K_{p} = \frac{\frac{0.4}{1.4} P \times \frac{0.4}{1.4} P}{\frac{0.6}{1.4} P} = \frac{0.4}{1.4} \times \frac{0.4}{0.6} P = 0.1904 P$$

$$K_{p} = 0.166$$
Which gives P = 0. 87 atm
But K\_{p} = 0.166
$$\therefore P = 0.8 \text{ atm}$$

## **JEE Main/Boards**

#### **Exercise 1**

**Q.1** When 46 g of  $I_2$  and Ig or  $H_2$  are heated at equilibrium at 450°C, the equilibrium mixture contained 1.9g of  $I_2$ . How many moles of  $I_2$  and HI are present at equilibrium?

**Q.2** A two litre flask contains 1.4 gm nitrogen and 1.0 gm hydrogen. The ratio of active mass of nitrogen and hydrogen would be?

**Q.3** In the reaction: A + B = C + D the initial concentration of A is double the initial concentration of B. At equilibrium the concentration of B was found to be one third of the concentration of C. The value of equilibrium constant is?

**Q.4** The value of  $K_c$  for the reaction: A + 3B  $\implies$  2C at 400°C is 0.1768. Calculate the value of  $K_p$ ?

**Q.5** Two moles of ammonia was introduced in an evacuated vessel of 1 litre capacity. At high temperature the gas undergoes particle dissociation according to the equation:

 $2NH_3(g) \Longrightarrow N_2(g) + 3H_2(g)$ 

At equilibrium the concentration of ammonia was found be 1 mole. What is the value of 'K'?

**Q.6** What will be the expressions of formation of  $PCI_{5}$  for  $K_{p}$  and  $K_{c}$ ?

**Q.7** 4.0 gms of hydrogen react with  $9.023 \times 10^{23}$  molecules of chorine to form HCL gas. The total pressure after the reaction was found to be 700 mm. What will be the partial pressure of HCl?

**Q.8** The equilibrium constant K for the reaction  $N_2 + 3H_2 \implies 2NH_3$  is 16. What would be value of equilibrium constant 'K' for the reaction:

$$NH_3 \xrightarrow{1}{2}N_2 + \frac{3}{2}H_2$$

**Q.9** 1.0 mole of  $PCl_3$  (g) and 2.0 moles of  $Cl_2$  (g) were placed in a 3 litre flask and heated to 400 K. When equilibrium was established, only 0.70 mole of  $PCl_3$ (g) remained. What is the value of equilibrium constant for

the reaction:  $PCl_3(g) + Cl_2(g) \Longrightarrow PCl_5(g)$  at 400 K?

**Q.10** For the reaction:  $PCl_5(g) \longrightarrow PCl_3(g) + Cl_2(g)$ 

The moles of each component  $PCI_{5}$ ,  $PCI_{3}$  and  $CI_{2}$  at equilibrium were found to be 2. If the total pressure is 3 atm. What will be the value of  $K_{p}$ ?

**Q.11** For the reaction  $H_2 + I_2 \implies 2HI$ 

The value of equilibrium constant is 9.0. Calculate the degree of dissociation of HI?

**Q.12** For the reaction  $N_2 + H_2 \implies 2NH_3$ ,  $N_2$ :  $H_2$  where taken in the ratio of 1:3. Up to the points of equilibrium 50% each reactant has been reacted. If total pressure at equilibrium is P. Calculate the partial pressure of ammonia?

**Q.13** In a reaction vessel of 2 litre capacity 3 mole  $N_2$  reacts with 2 moles of  $O_2$  to produce 1 mole of NO. What is the molar concentration of N2 equilibrium?

**Q.14** At 300 K,  $K_p$  for the reaction:  $SO_2(g) = 1/2O_2(g) \xrightarrow{SO_3(g)} is 1.7 \times 10^{-12}$ Calculate  $K_p$  and  $K_c$  for the reaction  $2SO_3(g) \xrightarrow{2SO_2} + O_2(g)$  at 300 K?

**Q.15** 2.0 g mol of  $PCI_5$  were heated in a 3 litre capacity vessel. At equilibrium 50%  $PCI_5$  is dissociated. What will be the dissociation constant of the reaction?

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

**Q.16** What should be the equilibrium constant  $K_2$  for the reaction  $2C \Longrightarrow A + 3B$ , if the equilibrium constant for the reaction  $A + 3B \Longrightarrow 2C$  is  $K_1$ ?

**Q.17** If the value of  $K_c$  for  $P + Q \implies R + S$  is  $10^{-2}$  and that of  $K_f$  is  $10^{-1}$  the rate constant for the backward reaction will be.

**Q.18** If the concentration of B is increased at fixed temperature, in the reaction,  $A + 2B \xrightarrow{} C + 3D$  the equilibrium constant of backward reaction.

**Q.19** In reaction  $A + B \xrightarrow{} C + D$ , if concentration of A in increased four times and concentration of B is halved, the rate of reaction will become.

**Q.20** The value of for the reaction  $K_p^0$  for the reaction  $\frac{1}{2}H_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}I_2(g) \longrightarrow HI(g)$  is 8.32 at 873 K and 1 bare pressure Calculate K<sup>0</sup> K and K for

pressure. Calculate  $K_{_{p}}{}^{_{0}}\!\!,\;K_{_{C}{}^{o}}\,$  and  $K_{_{x}}$  for

(i)  $2HI(g) \Longrightarrow H_2(g) + I_2(g)$ 

(ii) 
$$H_2(g) + I_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2 HI(g)$$

(iii) HI(g)  $\xrightarrow{1}{2}$  H<sub>2</sub>(g) +  $\frac{1}{2}$ I<sub>2</sub>(g)

**Q.21** A mixture of hydrogen and iodine (molecular ratio is 2:1) is reacted to form HI. Calculate total moles at equilibrium?

**Q.22** The vapour density for dissociation of  $PCl_s$  at 250°C is 57.9. What will be the value of amount of dissociation, if molecular weight of  $PCl_s$  is 208.5?

**Q.23** In the reaction,  $PCl_5 \implies PCl_3 + Cl_2$ , a moles of PCI5 are initially taken. If the amount x gets dissociated and total pressure is P, the value of  $P_{PCl_2} \times P^{-1}$  will be

Q.24 In the following reaction

 $2A(g) + B(g) \xrightarrow{3} 3C(g) + D(g)$  two moles each of A and B are initially taken in a one-litre flask. What will be the [A] – [D]?

**Q.25** What of the following effect will occur when  $CN^{-}$  is added in the reaction,  $HCN(aq) \Longrightarrow H^{+}(aq) + CN^{-}(aq)$ , at equilibrium?

Q.26 In the reaction,

 $CH_3COOH(I) + C_2H_5OH(I) \longrightarrow H_2O(I)$ , the concentration of product can be increased when?

**Q.27** What happens when pressure is increased in the equilibrium system, Ice  $\implies$  Water?

**Q.28** A vessel at 1000 K contains  $CO_2$  with a pressures of 0.5 atmosphere. Some of the  $CO_2$  in converted into CO on addition on graphite. Calculate the value of K, if total pressure at equilibrium is 0.8 atmosphere.

**Q.29** At a certain temperature equilibrium constant  $(K_c)$  is 16 for the reaction:  $SO_2(g) + NO_2(g) \longrightarrow SO_3(g) + NO(g)$ . If we take 1 mole of each of the four gases in 1 litre vessel, what is equilibrium concentration of NO and  $NO_2$ ?

**Q.30** For the formation of ammonia the equilibrium constant data at 673 K and 773 K respectively are  $1.64 \times 10^{-4}$  and  $1.44 \times 10^{-5}$  respectively. Calculate heat of the reaction. Given R = 8.314 JK<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>.

**Q.31** K<sub>c</sub> for the reaction N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>  $\implies$  2NH<sub>2</sub> in chloroform at 291 K is 1.14. Calculate the free energy change of the reaction when the concentration of the two gases are 0.5 mol dm-3 each at the same temperature. (R = 0.082 lit atm K<sup>-1</sup> mol<sup>-1</sup>)

**Q.32** Calculate the pressure of  $CO_2$  gas at 700K in the heterogeneous equilibrium reaction

 $CaCO_3(s) \longrightarrow CaO(s) + CO_2(g)$  if  $\Delta G^\circ$  for this reaction is 130.2 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>.

Q.33 For the equilibrium

NiO(s) + CO(g)  $\longrightarrow$  Ni(s) + CP<sub>2</sub>(g),  $\Delta G^{\circ}$  (J mol<sup>-1</sup>) = -20,700 - 11.97 T. Calculate the temperature at which will contain 400 ppm (parts per million) of carbon monoxide.

# Exercise 2

#### Single Correct Choice Type

#### Q.1 Which is false?

(A) The greater the concentration of the substance involved in a reaction, the lower the speed of the reaction

(B) The dissociation of weak electrolyte is a reversible reaction

(C) The presence of free ions facilities chemical changes

(D) All of the above

**Q.2** Chemical equations convey quantitative information on the:

(A) Type of atoms/molecules taking part in the reaction

(B) Relative number of moles of reactants and products involved in the reaction

(C) Number of atoms/molecules of the reactants and products involved in the reaction

(D) Quantity of reactant consumed and quantity of product formed.

**Q.3** In the thermal decomposition of potassium chlorate given as:

 $2\text{KCIO}_3 \longrightarrow 2\text{KCI} + 3\text{O}_2$ , law of mass action:

(A) Can be applied

- (B) Cannot be applied
- (C) Can be applied at low temperature
- (D) Can be applied at high temperature and pressure

**Q.4** In which of the following, the reaction proceeds towards completion?

(A) K = 1 (B) K = 10 (C)  $K = 10^2$  (D)  $K = 10^3$ 

**Q.5** A reversible chemical reaction having two reactants in equilibrium. If the concentration of the reactants are doubled, then the equilibrium constant will:

(A) Be halved	(B) Also be doubled
(C) Remains the same	(D) None of these

**Q.6** Pure ammonia is placed in a vessel at temperature where its dissociation constant ( $\alpha$ ) is appreciable. At equilibrium:

(A) K<sub>n</sub> does not change significantly with pressure

(B)  $\alpha$  does not change with pressure

(C) Concentration of NH<sub>3</sub> does not change with pressure

(D) Concentration of  $H_2$  is less than that of  $N_2$ 

**Q.7** 2 moles of  $PCI_5$  were heated vessel of 2 L capacity. At equilibrium 40% of  $PCI_5$  is dissociated into  $PCI_3$  and  $CI_2$ . The value of equilibrium constant is:

(A) 0.266 (B) 0.366 (C) 2.66 (D) 3.66

**Q.8** The decomposition of N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> and NO<sub>2</sub> is carried out at 280 K in chloroform. When equilibrium has been established, 0.2 mole of N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> and  $2 \times 10^{-3}$  mole of NO<sub>2</sub> are present in 2 L solution. The equilibrium constant for

reaction,  $N_2O_4 \implies 2NO_2$  is:

(A) 
$$1\times 10^{\text{-2}}$$
 (B)  $1\times 10^{\text{-3}}$  (C)  $1\times 10^{\text{-4}}$  (D)  $1\times 10^{\text{-5}}$ 

**Q.9**  $A+B \longrightarrow C+D$ . If finally the concentration of A and B are both equal but at equilibrium, concentration of D will be twice of that of A then what will be the equilibrium constant of reaction?

(A) 2 (B) 4 (C) 
$$\frac{2}{3}$$
 (D)  $\frac{4}{5}$ 

**Q.10** In the reaction,  $N_2O_4 \rightleftharpoons 2NO_2$ ,  $\alpha$  is that part of  $N_2O_4$  which dissociates, then the number of moles at equilibrium will be:

(A) 1 (B) 3 (C)  $(1 + \alpha)$  (D)  $(1 - \alpha)^2$ 

**Q.11** A mixture of 0.3 mole of  $H_2$  and 0.3 mole of  $I_2$  is allowed to react in a 10 L evacuated flask at 500°C. The reaction is  $H_2 + I_2 \implies 2HI$ , the K is found to be 64. The amount of unreacted at equilibrium is:

(A) 0.03 mole	(B) 0.06 mole
(C) 0.09 mole	(D) 3.6 moles

**Q.12** In a chemical equilibrium, the rate constant of the backward reaction is  $7.5 \times 10^{-4}$  and the equilibrium constant is 1.5. So, the rate constant of the forward reaction is:

(A) 1.125 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	(B) 2.225 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>
(C) 3.335 × 10 <sup>-5</sup>	(D) $1.125 \times 10^{-1}$

**Q.13** 28 g of N<sub>2</sub> and 6 g of H<sub>2</sub> were kept at C in 1 L vessel, the equilibrium mixture contained 27.54 g of NH<sub>3</sub>. The approximate value of K<sub>c</sub> for the above reaction can be (in mol<sup>-2</sup> L<sup>2</sup>):

(A) 25 (B) 50 (C) 75 (D) 100

**Q.14** The equilibrium concentration of X, Y and  $XY_2$  are 4, 2 and 2 moles respectively for the equilibrium,

 $2X + Y \implies YX_2$ . The value of K<sub>c</sub> is:

(A) 0.625 (B) 0.0625 (C) 0.00625 (D) 6.25

**Q.15** An amount of solid NH<sub>4</sub>HS is placed in a flask already containing ammonia gas at a certain temperature and 0.50 atm pressure. Ammonia hydrogen sulphide decomposes to yield NH<sub>3</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>S gases in the flask. When the decomposition reaction reaches equilibrium, the total pressure in the flask rises to 0.84 atm. The equilibrium constant for decomposition at this temperature is:

(A) 0.11 (B) 0.22 (C) 0.33 (D) 0.44

**Q.16** A reaction is,  $A+B \longrightarrow C+D$ , Initially we start with equal concentration of A, and B. At equilibrium we find the moles of C is two times of A. What is the equilibrium constant of the reaction?

(A) 2 (B) 4 (C) 
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 (D)  $\frac{1}{4}$ 

**Q.17** 9.2 g of  $N_2O_4(g)$  is taken in a closed 1 L vessel and heated till the following equilibrium is reached.

 $N_2O_4(g) \Longrightarrow 2NO_2(g)$ . At equilibrium, 50%  $N_2O_4(g)$  is dissociated. What is the equilibrium constant (in mol/L) (molecular weight of  $N_2O_4 = 92$ ).

(A) 0.1 (B) 0.2 (C) 0.3 (D) 0.4

**Q.18** In Haber process, 30 L of dihydrogen and 30 L of dinitrogen were taken for reaction which yielded only 50% of the expected product. What will be the composition of gaseous mixture under the aforesaid condition in the end?

- (A) 10 L NH<sub>3</sub>, 25 L NH<sub>3</sub>, 15 L
- (B) 20 L NH<sub>3</sub>, 20 L NH<sub>3</sub>, 20 L

(C) 20 L NH<sub>3</sub>, 25 L NH<sub>3</sub>, 15 L

(D) 20 L NH<sub>3</sub>, 10 L NH<sub>3</sub>, 30 L

**Q.19** 3.2 moles of hydrogen iodine were heated in a sealed bulb at 444°C till the equilibrium state was reached. Its degree of dissociation at this temperature was found to be 22%. The number of moles of hydrogen iodine present at equilibrium are:

(A) 1.876 (B) 2.496 (C) 3.235 (D) 4.126

**Q.20** 56 g of nitrogen and 8 g hydrogen gas heated in a closed vessel. At equilibrium, 34 g of ammonia are present. The equilibrium number of moles of nitrogen, hydrogen and ammonia are, respectively:

(A) 1, 1, 2 (B) 1, 2, 2 (C) 2, 1, 1 (D) 2, 2, 1

**Q.21** The reaction,  $2SO_2(g) + O_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2SO_3(g)$  is carried out in a 1 dm<sup>3</sup> vessel and 2 dm<sup>3</sup> vessel respectively. The ratio of the reaction velocities will be:

(A) 1:4 (B) 2:4 (C) 1:8 (D) 8:1

**Q.22** When NaNO<sub>3</sub> is heated in a closed vessel,  $O_2$  is liberated and NaNO<sub>2</sub> is left behind. At equilibrium:

(i) Addition of NaNO<sub>3</sub> favours forward reaction

(ii) Addition of NaNO<sub>2</sub> favours backward reaction

(iii) Increasing pressure favours reverse reaction

(iv) Increasing temperature favours forward reaction

(A) (i), (ii), (iii)	(B) (ii), (iii), (iv)
(C) (i), (iii), (iv)	(D) (i), (ii), (iii), (iv)

**Q.23** 5 moles of SO<sub>2</sub> and 5 moles of O<sub>2</sub> are allowed to react to form SO<sub>3</sub> in a closed vessel. At the equilibrium stage 60% of SO<sub>2</sub> is used up. The total number of moles of SO<sub>2</sub>, O<sub>2</sub> and SO<sub>3</sub> in the vessel now is:

(A) 8.5 (B) 9.5 (C) 10 (D) 10.5

**Q.24** K for the synthesis of HI is 50. K for the dissociation of HI is:

(A) 0.2 (B) 0.02 (C) 0.4 (D) 0.04

**Q.25** For which of the following reactions  $K_p = K_c$ ?

(A) 
$$N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NH_3(g)$$
  
(B)  $H_2(g) + CI_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2HCI(g)$   
(C)  $2NOCI(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NO(g) + CI_2(g)$   
(D)  $N_2O_4(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NO_2(g)$ 

**Q.26** In which of the following reaction  $K_p > K_c$ 

- (A)  $N_2 + 3H_2 \longrightarrow 2NH_3$  (B)  $H_2 + I_2 \longrightarrow 2HI$
- (C)  $2SO_3 \longrightarrow O_2 + 2SO_2$  (D)  $PCI_3 + CI_2 \longrightarrow PCI_5$

**Q.27** The equilibrium constant  $(K_p)$  for the reaction,  $PCl_5(g) \Longrightarrow PCl_3(g) + Cl_2(g)$  is 16. If the volume of the container is reduced to one half its original volume, the value of  $K_p$  for the reaction at the same temperature will be:

(A) 8 (B) 16 (C) 32 (D) 64

**Q.28** For the reversible reaction,  $N_2(g)+3H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NH_3(g)$ at 500°C, the value of  $K_p$  is  $1.44 \times 10^{-5}$  when partial pressure is measured in atmospheres. The corresponding value of  $K_c$  with concentration in mol L<sup>-1</sup>, is:

(A) 
$$\frac{1.44 \times 10^{-5}}{(0.082 \times 773)^{-2}}$$
 (B)  $\frac{1.44 \times 10^{-5}}{(0.082 \times 773)^{2}}$   
(C)  $\frac{1.44 \times 10^{-5}}{(8.314 \times 773)^{-2}}$  (D)  $\frac{1.44 \times 10^{-5}}{(0.082 \times 500)^{-2}}$ 

**Q.29** A chemical reaction is catalysed by a catalyst X. Hence, X:

(A) Reduce enthalpy of the reaction

(B) Decreases rates constant of the reaction

(C) Increases rate constant of the reaction

(D) Does not affect equilibrium constant of reaction

**Q.30** Phosphorus pentachloride dissociate as follows, in a closed reaction vessel,  $PCI_5(g) \Longrightarrow PCI_3(g) + CI_2(g)$ 

If total pressure at equilibrium of the reaction mixture is P and degree of dissociation of is x, the partial pressure of will be:

(A) 
$$\left(\frac{x}{x+1}\right)P$$
 (B)  $\left(\frac{2x}{1-x}\right)P$  (C)  $\left(\frac{x}{x-1}\right)P$  (D)  $\left(\frac{x}{1-x}\right)P$ 

Q.31 The equilibrium constant for the reaction

 $SO_3(g) \xrightarrow{} SO_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_2(g)$ . Is  $K_c = 4.9 \times 10^{-2}$ . The value of  $K_c$  for the reaction.

 $2SO_2(g) + O_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2SO_3(g)$  will be:

(A) 416 (B) 
$$2.40 \times 10^{-3}$$
 (C)  $9.8 \times 10^{-2}$  (D)  $4.9 \times 10^{-2}$ 

## **Previous Years' Questions**

**Q.1** For the reaction  $CO(g) + H_2O(g) \Longrightarrow CO_2(g) + H_2(g)$ At a given temperature, the equilibrium amount of  $CO_2(g)$  can be increased by [1998]

- (A) Adding a suitable catalyst
- (B) Adding an inert gas
- (C) Decreasing the volume of the container
- (D) Increasing the amount CO (g)

**Q.2** At constant temperature, the equilibrium constant  $(K_p)$  for the decomposition reaction  $N_2O_4 \implies 2NO_2$  is expressed by

 $K_p = \frac{(4x^2P)}{(1-x^2)}$ , where P = pressure, x = extent of

decomposing. Which one of the following statements is true [2001]

(A)  $K_{p}$  increases with increase of P

(B)  $K_{n}$  increases with increases of x

(C)  $K_{p}$  increases with increases of x

(D)  $K_n$  remains constant with change in P & x

**Q.3** Ammonia under a pressure of 15 atm at 27°C is heated to 437°C in a closed vessel in the presence of a catalyst. Under the conditions,  $NH_3$  is partially decomposed according to the equation,  $2NH_3 \rightleftharpoons N_2 + 3H_2$ . The vessel is such that the volume remains effectively constant whereas pressure increases to 50 atm. Calculate the percentage of  $NH_3$  actually decomposed. **[2001]** 

(A) 65% (B) 61.3% (C) 62.5% (D) 64%

**Q.4** The partial pressure of  $CH_3OH$  CO and  $H_2$  in the equilibrium mixture of the reaction  $CO + 2H_2 \longrightarrow CH_3OH$  at 427° Care 2.0, 1.0 and 0.1 atm respectively. The value of  $K_p$  for the decomposition of  $CH_3OH$  to CO and  $H_2$  is **[1999]** 

(A)  $1 \times 10^2$  atm (B)  $2 \times 10^2$  atm<sup>-1</sup>

(C) 50 atm<sup>2</sup> (D) 5  $\times 10^{-3}$  atm<sup>2</sup>

**Q.5** For the gas phase reaction  $C_2H_4 + H_2 \longrightarrow C_2H_6$ . Carried out in a vessel, the equilibrium concentration of  $C_2H_4$  can be increased by [1984]

- (A) Increasing the temperature
- (B) Decreasing the pressure

(C) Removing some H<sub>2</sub>

(D) Adding some  $C_2H_6$ 

**Q.6** When  $NaNO_3$  is heated in a closed vessel, oxygen is liberated and  $NaNO_2$  is left behind. At equilibrium

[1986]

(A) Addition of NaNO<sub>2</sub> favours reverse reaction.

(B) Addition of NaNO<sub>3</sub> favours forward reaction.

(C) Increasing temperature favours forwarded reaction

(D) Increasing pressure favours reverse reaction

**Q.7** For the reaction  $PCl_5(g) \longrightarrow PCl_3(g) + Cl_2(g)$ .

The forward reaction at constant temperature is favored by [1991]

(A) Introducing an inert gas at constant volume

(B) Introducing chlorine gas at constant volume

(C) Introducing an inert gas at constant pressure

(D) Increasing the volume of the container

(E) Introducing PCl<sub>5</sub> at constant volume

**Q.8** When two reactants, A and B are mixed to give products, C and D, the reaction quotient, (Q) at the initial stages of the reaction **[2000]** 

(A) Is zero (B) Decreases with time

(C) Is independent of time (D) Increases with time

Each of the questions given below consists of two statements, an assertion (Assertion) and reason (Reason). Select the number corresponding to the appropriate alternative as follows

(A) If both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.

(B) If both assertion and reason are true and reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.

(C) If assertion is true but reason is false.

(D) If assertion is false but reason is true.

**Q.9 Assertion:** Effect of temperature on  $K_c$  or  $K_p$  depends on enthalpy change. [1993]

**Reason:** Increase in temperature shifts the equilibrium in exothermic direction and decrease in temperature shifts the equilibrium position in endothermic direction.

Q.10 Assertion: For a gaseous reaction,

$$xA + yB \longrightarrow IC + mD$$
,  $K_p = K_c$ . [1996]

**Reason:** Concentration of gaseous reactant is taken to be unity.

**Q.11 Assertion:** Ice  $\implies$  water, if pressure is applied water will evaporate. **[1986]** 

**Reason:** Increases of pressure pushes the equilibrium towards the side in which number of gaseous mole decreases.

**Q.12** For the following three reactions a, b and c, equilibrium constants are given: [2008]

a. 
$$CO(g) + H_2O(g) \rightleftharpoons CO_2(g) + H_2(g); K_1$$
  
b.  $CH_4(g) + H_2O(g) \rightleftharpoons CO(g) + 3H_2(g); K_2$ 

c. 
$$CH_4(g) + 2H_2O(g) \Longrightarrow CO_2(g) + 4H_2(g); K_3$$

Which of the following relations is correct?

(A)  $K_1 \sqrt{K_2} = K_3$  (B)  $K_2 K_3 = K_1$ (C)  $K_3 = K_1 \cdot K_2$  (D)  $K_3 \cdot K_2^3 = K_1^2$ 

**Q.13** The equilibrium constant (K<sub>c</sub>) for the reaction at temperature T is  $N_2(g) + O_2(g) \rightarrow 2NO(g)$ . The value of K<sub>c</sub> for the reaction,  $NO(g) \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} N_2(g) + \frac{1}{2} O_2(g)$  at the same temperature is: [2012] (A) 0.02 (B)  $25 \times 10^2$  (C)  $4 \times 10^{-4}$  (D) 50.0

**Q.14** For the reaction  $SO_{2(g)} + \frac{1}{2}O_{2(g)} \rightleftharpoons SO_{3(g)}$ , if  $K_{p} = K_{C}(RT)^{x}$  where the symbols have usual meaning then the value of x is (assuming ideality) [2014]

(A) -1 (B) 
$$-\frac{1}{2}$$
 (C)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (D) 1

**Q.15** The standard Gibbs energy change at 300 K for the reaction  $2A \rightleftharpoons B + C$  is 2494.2 J. At a given time, the composition of the reaction mixture is  $[A] = \frac{1}{2}$ , [B] = 2and  $[C] = \frac{1}{2}$ . The reaction proceeds in the: [R = 8.314 J/K/mol, e = 2.718] [2015]

(A) Forward direction because  $Q > K_c$ 

(B) Reverse direction because Q >  $K_c$ 

(C) Forward direction because  $Q < K_c$ 

(D) Reverse direction because  $Q < K_c$ 

# **JEE Advanced/Boards**

#### **Exercise 1**

**Q.1** The equilibrium constant  $K_p$  for the reaction,  $2SO_2(g) + O_2(g) \implies 2SO_3(g)$  is 900 atm<sup>-1</sup> at 800 K. A mixture containing  $SO_3$  and  $O_2$  having initial partial pressure of 1 and 2 atm respectively is heated at constant volume to equilibrate. Calculate the partial pressure of each gas at 800 K.

**Q.2** What is the concentration of CO in equilibrium at 25°C in a sample of a gas originally containing 1.00 mol L<sup>-1</sup> of CO<sub>2</sub>? For the dissociation of CO<sub>2</sub> at 25°C,  $K_c = 2.96 \times 10^{-92}$ .

**Q.3** Ammonia is heated at 15 atm from 27°C to 347°C assuming volume constant. The new pressure becomes 50 atm at equilibrium. Calculate % of  $NH_3$  actually decomposed.

**Q.4** Calculate the percent dissociation of  $H_2S(g)$  if 0.1 mole of  $H_2S$  is kept in 0.4 litre vessel at 1000 K for the reaction,  $2H_2S(g) \Longrightarrow 2H_2(g) + S_2(g)$ 

The value of  $K_c$  is  $1.0 \times 10^{-6}$ 

**Q.5** The vapour density (hydrogen = 1) of a mixture containing NO<sub>2</sub> and N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> is 38.3 at 26.7°C. Calculate the number of moles of NO<sub>2</sub> in 100 grams of the mixture.

**Q.6** At temperature T, the compound  $AB_2(g)$  dissociated according to the reaction,  $2AB_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2AB(g) + B_2(g)$ .

With a degree of dissociation, x, which is small compared with unity. Deduce the expression for x in terms of the equilibrium constant,  $K_p$  and the total pressure, P.

**Q.7** At 25°C and one atmospheric pressure, the partial pressures in an equilibrium mixture of  $N_2O_4$  and  $NO_2$  are 0.7 and 0.3 atmosphere, respectively. Calculate the partial pressures of these gases when they are in equilibrium at 25°C and at a total pressure of 10 atmospheres.

**Q.8** At 450°C, the equilibrium constant,  $K_{p'}$  for the reaction,  $N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2NH_3(g)$ . Was found to be  $1.6 \times 10^{-5}$  at a pressure of 200 atm. If  $N_2$  and  $H_2$  are taken in 1 : 3 ratio what is % of NH<sub>3</sub> formed at this temperature?

**Q.9** A mixture of SO<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>2</sub> at 1 atmosphere in the ratio of 2 : 1 is passed through a catalyst at 1170°C for attainment of equilibrium. The exit gas is found to contain 87% SO<sub>3</sub> by volume. Calculate  $K_{o}$  for the reaction,

$$SO_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_2(g) \Longrightarrow SO_3(g)$$

**Q.10** At 627°C and one atmosphere  $SO_3$  is partially dissociated into SO<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>2</sub> by the reaction.

$$SO_3(g) \Longrightarrow SO_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_2(g)$$

The density of the equilibrium mixture is 0.925 g  $L^{-1}$ . What is the degree of dissociation?

**Q.11** When limestone is heated, quicklime is formed according to the equation.

$$CaCO_3(s) \Longrightarrow CaO(s) + CO_2(g)$$

The experiment was carried out in the temperature range 800 – 900°C. Equilibrium constant  $K_p$  follows the relation, log  $K_p$  = 7.282 – 8500 / T

Where, T is temperature in Kelvin. At what temperature the decomposition will give  $CO_2(g)$  at 1 atm?

**Q.12** In the following equilibrium  $N_2O_4(g) \Longrightarrow 2NO_2(g)$ 

When 5 moles of each is taken and the temperature is kept at 298 K, the total pressure was found to be 20 bar.

Given: 
$$\Delta G^{\circ}_{f N_2 O_4} = 100 \text{ kJ}, \Delta G^{\circ}_{f N O_2} = 50 \text{ kJ}$$

(i) Find  $\Delta G$  of the reaction at 298 K.

(ii) Find the direction of the reaction

**Q.13** Equilibrium constant for the reaction of iodine with propane according to the following was determined. Some results obtained at 545 K were as given ahead:

Initial Pressure (mm Hg)		Equilibrium Pressure (mm)		
I <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>6</sub>	HI	HI	C₃H₅I
23.9	505.8	0	1.80	1.80
16.1	355.3	1.62	2.27	0.645

Calculate equilibrium constant according to the following equation,

$$I_2(g) + C_3H_6(g) \Longrightarrow C_3H_5I(g) + HI(g)$$

**Q.14** The equilibrium constant K<sub>p</sub> for the reaction, N<sub>2</sub> + 3H<sub>2</sub>  $\rightleftharpoons$  2NH<sub>3</sub> is 1.64 × 10<sup>-4</sup> at 400°C and 0.144 × 10<sup>-4</sup> at 500°C. Calculate the mean heat of formation of 1 mole of NH<sub>3</sub> from its elements in this temperature range.

**Q.15** When 3.06 g of solid  $NH_4HS$  is introduced into a two litre evacuated flask at 27°C, 30% of the solid decomposes into gaseous ammonia and hydrogen sulphide.

(i) Calculate  $K_c$  and  $K_p$  for the reaction at 27°C.

(ii) What would happen to the equilibrium when more solid is introduced into the flask?

**Q.16** At 540 K, 0.10 mole of  $PCI_s$  are heated in a 8 litre flask. The pressure of equilibrium mixture is found to be 1.0 atm. Calculate K<sub>n</sub> and K<sub>c</sub> for the reaction.

**Q.17** Density of equilibrium mixture of  $N_2O_4$  and  $NO_2$  at 1 atm and 384 K is 1.84 g dm<sup>-3</sup>. Calculate the equilibrium constant of the reaction.

 $N_2O_4 \implies 2NO_2$ 

**Q.18** 2NOBr(g)  $\longrightarrow$  2NO(g)+Br<sub>2</sub>(g). If nitrosyl bromide (NOBr) is 33.33% dissociation at 25°C and a total pressure of 0.28 atm. Calculate K<sub>p</sub> for the dissociation at this temperature.

**Q.19** At 30° C, the following equilibrium is established:  $H_2(g) + S(g) \longrightarrow H_2S(g)$ ,  $K_p = 6.8 \times 10^{-2}$ . If 0.2 mol of hydrogen and 1. 0 mol of sulphur are heated to 90°C in a 1.0 litre vessel, what will be the partial pressure of  $H_2S$ at equilibrium?

**Q.20** A mixture of 2 moles of  $CH_4$  and 34 gms of  $H_2S$  was placed in an evacuated container, which was then heated to and maintained at 727°C. When equilibrium was established in the gaseous reaction  $CH_4+2H_2S\rightarrow CS_2+4H_2$  the total pressure in the container was 0.92 atm. & the partial pressure of hydrogen was 0. 2 atm. What was the volume of the container?

**Q.21** At 1200° C, the following equilibrium is established between chlorine atoms & molecules:

 $Cl_2(g) \longrightarrow 2Cl(g)$ 

The composition of the equilibrium mixture may be determined by measuring the rate of effusion the mixture through a pin hole. It is found that at 1200°C and 1 atm pressure the mixture effuses 1.16 times as fast as krypton effuses under the same condition. Calculate the equilibrium constant  $K_c$ .

**Q.22** SO<sub>3</sub> decomposes at a temperature of 1000 K and at a total pressure of 1.642 atm. At equilibrium, the density of mixture is 1.28 g/l in a vessel. Find the degree of dissociation of SO<sub>3</sub> for SO<sub>3</sub>(g)  $\longrightarrow$  SO<sub>2</sub>(g) + 1 / 2O<sub>2</sub>(g).

**Q.23** Consider the equilibrium:  $P(g) + 2Q(g) \rightleftharpoons R(g)$ . When the reaction is carried out at a certain temperature, the equilibrium concentration of P and Q are 3M and 4M respectively. When the volume of the vessel is doubled and the equilibrium is allowed to be re-established, the concentration of Q is found to be 3M. Find (i) K<sub>c</sub>, (ii) concentration of R at two equilibrium stages.

# **Exercise 2**

#### Single Correct Choice Type

**Q.1** The reaction which proceeds in the forward direction is:

(A)  $Fe_2O_3 + 6HCI = 2FeCI_3 + 3H_2O$ (B)  $SnCI_4 + Hg_2CI_2 = SnCI_2 + 2HgCI_2$ (C)  $NH_3 + H_2O + NaCI = NH_4CI + NaOH$ (D)  $2CuI + I_2 + 4K^+ = 2Cu^{2+} + 3KI$ 

**Q.2** In  $K_p = K_c [RT]^{\Delta n}$ ,  $\Delta n$  may have:

(A) +ve values (B) –ve values

(C) Integer or fractional values (D) Either of the above

**Q.3** For reaction,  $PCI_3(g) + CI_2(g) \Longrightarrow PCI_5(g)$ , the value of K<sub>c</sub> at 250°C is 26 mol litre<sup>-1</sup>. The value of K<sub>p</sub> at this temperature will be:

(A) 0.61 atm <sup>-1</sup>	(B) 0.57 atm <sup>-1</sup>
(C) 0.83 atm <sup>-1</sup>	(D) 0.46 atm <sup>-1</sup>

**Q.4** For the reversible reaction,  $N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NH_3(g)$  at 500°C, the value of  $K_p$  is  $1.44 \times 10^{-5}$  when partial pressure is measured in the atmosphere. The corresponding value of  $K_{c'}$  with concentration in mol litre<sup>-1</sup>, is:

(A)  $1.44 \times 10^{-5} / (0.082 \times 500)^{-2}$ (B)  $1.44 \times 10^{-5} / (8.314 \times 773)^{-2}$ (C)  $1.44 \times 10^{-5} / (0.082 \times 773)^{2}$ (D)  $1.44 \times 10^{-5} / (0.082 \times 773)^{-2}$  **Q.5** A cylinder fitted with a movable piston contains liquid water in equilibrium with water vapour at 25°C. Which operation result in a decrease in the equilibrium vapour pressure?

- (A) Moving the piston downward a short distance
- (B) Removing a small amount of vapour
- (C) Removing a small amount of the liquid water
- (D) Dissolving salt in the water

**Q.6** The volume of the reaction vessel containing an equilibrium mixture in the reaction,

 $SO_2CI_2(g) \Longrightarrow SO_2(g) + CI_2(g)$ 

Is increases. When equilibrium is restablished:

(A) The amount of SO<sub>2</sub>(g) will decrease

- (B) The amount of SO<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>(g) will decrease
- (C) The amount of  $Cl_2(g)$  will increase
- (D) The amount of  $Cl_2(g)$  will remain unchanged.

**Q.7** For the equilibrium  $CaCO_3(s) \rightleftharpoons CaO(s) + CO_2(g)$ , which of the following expression is correct?

(A) 
$$K_{p} = [CaO][CO_{2}] / [CaCO_{3}]$$
  
(B)  $K_{p} = (P_{CaO} \times P_{CO_{2}}) / P_{CaCO_{3}}$   
(C)  $K_{p} = P_{CO_{2}}$   
(D)  $K_{p} = (P_{CaO} + P_{CO_{2}} / P_{CaCO_{3}})$ 

**Q.8** Just before a reversible reaction attains equilibrium it is found that:

(A) The velocity of both forward reaction and backward reaction is also increasing

(B) The velocity of the forward reaction is decreasing and that of backward reaction is increasing

(C) The velocity of both forward and backward reaction is decreasing

(D) All of the above

**Q.9** Densities of diamond and graphite are 3.5 and 2.3 g/mL respectively. Increase of pressure on the

equilibrium  $C_{(diamond)} \longrightarrow C_{(graphite)}$ :

- (A) Favours backward reaction
- (B) Favours forward reaction
- (C) Have no effect
- (D) Increases the reaction rate

**Q.10** For the reaction,  $N_2 + 3H_2 \implies 2NH_3$  in a vessel, after the addition of equal numbers of mole of  $N_2$  and  $H_{2'}$  equilibrium state is formed. Which of the following is correct?

(A) $\begin{bmatrix} H_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} N_2 \end{bmatrix}$	$(B) \left[H_2\right] < \left[N_2\right]$
(C) $\left[H_2\right] > \left[N_2\right]$	(D) $\left[H_2\right] > \left[NH_3\right]$

**Q.11** A characteristic feature of reversible reaction is that:

(A) They never proceed to completion

(B) They proceed to completion

(C) They are not complete unless the reactants are removed from sphere of reaction mixture

(D) None of the above

Q.12 An example of reversible reaction is:

(A) 
$$AgNO_3(aq) + HCI(aq) \longrightarrow AgCI(s) + HNO_3(aq)$$

- (B)  $2NA + 2H_2O \longrightarrow 2NaOH + H_2$
- (C)  $NaOH + CH_3COOH \longrightarrow CH_3COONa + H_2O$
- (D)  $Pb(NO_3)_2 + 2NaI \longrightarrow PbI_2 + 2NaNO_3$

**Q.13** The correct relation between  $K_p$  and  $K_c$  for the reaction  $aX + bY \Longrightarrow bZ + aW$  is:

(A) 
$$K_p = K_c [Rt]^{a+b}$$
 (B)  $K_p = \frac{K_c}{(a+b)^2}$   
(C)  $K_p = K_c [RT]$  (D)  $K_p = K_c$ 

**Q.14** The reaction that proceeds in the forward direction is:

- (A)  $SnCl_4 + Hg_2Cl_2 \longrightarrow SnCl_2 + 2HgCl_2$
- (B)  $NH_4CI + NaOH \longrightarrow H_2O + NH_3 + NaCI$
- (C)  $Mn^{2+} + 2H_2O + CI_2 \longrightarrow MnO_2 + 4H^+ + 2CI^-$

(D) 
$$S_4O_6^{2-} + 2I^- \longrightarrow 2S_2O_3^{2-} + I_2$$

**Q.15** Which information can be obtained from Le Chatelier's principle?

(A) Shift in equilibrium position on changing P, T and concentration

- (B) Dissociation constant of a weak acid
- (C) Energy change in a reaction
- (D) Equilibrium constant of a chemical reaction

**Q.16** The values of  $K_{p_1}$  and  $K_{p_2}$  for the reaction:

(i) 
$$X \xrightarrow{} Y + Z$$
 (ii)  $A \xrightarrow{} 2B$ 

Are in the ratio 9 : 1. Assuming degree of dissociation of X and A and be same, the dissociation pressure at equilibrium (i) and (ii) are in the ratio:

(A) 36 : 1 (B) 1 : 1 (C) 3 : 1 (D) 1 : 9

**Q.17** For the equilibrium,  $PCI_5 \longrightarrow PCI_3 + CI_2$ 

 $K_c = \alpha^2 / (1 - \alpha) V$ , temperature remaining constant:

(A) K<sub>c</sub> will increase with the increase in volume

(B) K<sub>c</sub> will increase with decrease in volume

(C) K<sub>c</sub> will not change with the change in volume

(D)  $K_c$  may increase or decrease with the change in volume depending upon its numerical value.

**Q.18** Consider the following equilibrium in a closed container:  $N_2O_4(g) \Longrightarrow 2NO_2(g)$ 

At a fixed temperature, the volume of the reaction container is halved. For this change, which of the given statements golds true regarding the equilibrium constant ( $K_n$ ) and degree of dissociation ( $\alpha$ )?

(A) Neither  $K_n$  nor  $\alpha$  changes

(B) Both  $K_n$  and  $\alpha$  change

(C)  $\text{K}_{_{\text{D}}}$  changes, but  $\alpha$  does not change

(D)  $K_{p}$  does not change, but  $\alpha$  changes

Q.19 At constant temperature, the equilibrium constant

 $(K_p)$  for the decomposition reaction  $N_2O_4 \implies 2NO_2$  is

expressed by,  $K_p = \frac{(4x^2P)}{(1-x^2)}$ 

Where, P = pressure, x = extent of decomposition.Which of the following statements is true?

(A)  $K_{p}$  increases with increase of P

(B)  $K_{p}$  increases with increases of x

(C)  $K_{p}$  increases with decrease of x

(D)  $K_{_{\rm P}}$  remains constant with change in P and x decreases with pressure

Q.20 For the reaction in equilibrium,

$$N_2O_4(g) \Longrightarrow 2NO_2(g)$$

The concentrations, of N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> and NO<sub>2</sub> at equilibrium are  $4.8 \times 10^{-2}$  and  $1.2 \times 10^{-2}$  mol L<sup>-1</sup> respectively. The value of K<sub>2</sub> for this reaction is:

(A) 
$$3 \times 10^{-3}$$
 mol L<sup>-1</sup> (B)  $3 \times 10^{3}$  mol L<sup>-1</sup>  
(C)  $3.3 \times 10^{2}$  mol L<sup>-1</sup> (D)  $3 \times 10^{-1}$  mol L<sup>-1</sup>

**Q.21** 1.1 mole of A are mixed with 2.2 mole of B and the mixture is then kept in one litre flask till the equilibrium

is attained  $A + 2B \longrightarrow 2C + D$ . At the equilibrium, 0.2 mole of C are formed. The equilibrium constant of the reaction is:

(A) 0.001 (B) 0.002 (C) 0.003 (D) 0.004

**Q.22** For the reactions,  $H_2(g)+I_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2HI(g)$  at 720 K, the value of equilibrium constant is 50, when equilibrium concentration of both  $H_2$  and  $I_2$  is 0.5 M.  $K_p$  under the same conditions will be:

**Q.23** The equilibrium constant for a reaction is  $1 \times 10^{20}$  at 300 K. The standard Gibbs energy change for this reaction is:

(A) - 115 kJ (B) + 115 kJ (C) + 166 kJ (D) - 166 kJ

Q.24 The equilibrium constant for the reaction:

$$P_{4}(s) + 5O_{2}(g) = P_{4}O_{10}(s) \text{ is:}$$
(A)  $K_{c} = \frac{1}{[O_{2}]^{5}}$ 
(B)  $K_{c} = [O_{2}]^{5}$ 
(C)  $K_{c} = \frac{[P_{4}O_{10}]}{5[P_{4}][O_{2}]}$ 
(D)  $K_{c} = \frac{[P_{4}O_{10}]}{5[P_{4}][O_{2}]^{5}}$ 

**Q.25** Eight mole of a gas  $AB_3$  attain equilibrium in a closed container of volume 1 dm<sup>3</sup> as,  $2AB_3 \rightleftharpoons A_2(g) + 3B_2(g)$ . If at equilibrium 2 mole of  $A_2$  are present then, equilibrium constant is:

(A) 72 mol<sup>2</sup> L<sup>-2</sup> (B) 36 mol<sup>2</sup> L<sup>-2</sup>

(C) 3 mol<sup>2</sup> L<sup>-2</sup> (D) 27 mol<sup>2</sup> L<sup>-2</sup>

**Q.26** The equilibrium constant for the reaction,  $N_2(g) + O_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2NO(g)$  is  $4 \times 10^{-4}$  at 2000 K. in presence of a catalyst the equilibrium is attained 10 times faster. Therefore, the equilibrium constant, in presence of the catalyst, at 2000 K is:

(A)  $40 \times 10^{-4}$ 

(B)  $4 \times 10^{-4}$ 

(C)  $4 \times 10^{-3}$ 

(D) Difficult to compute without more data

**Q.27** The reaction,  $A + 2B \longrightarrow 2C + D$  was studied using an initial concentration of B which was 1.5 times that of A. But the equilibrium concentrations of A and C were found to be equal. Then the for the equilibrium is:

(A) 4 (B) 8 (C) 6 (D) 0.32

#### **Multiple Correct Choice Type**

Q.28 The yield of product in the reaction

 $2A(g) + B(g) \Longrightarrow 2C(g) + QkJ$ 

Would be lower at:

(A) Low temperature and low pressure

(B) High temperature and high pressure

(C) Low temperature and to high pressure

(D) High temperature and low pressure

**Q.29** What is the effect of the reduction of the volume of the system for the equilibrium  $2C(s)+O_2(g) \longrightarrow 2CO(g)$ ?

(A) The equilibrium will be shifted to the left by the increased pressure caused by the reduction in volume

(B) The equilibrium will be shifted to the right by the decreased pressure by the reduction in volume.

(C) The equilibrium will be shifted to the left by the increased pressure caused by the increased in volume.

(D) The equilibrium will be shifted to the right by the increased pressured caused by the reduction in volume.

**Q.30** For the reaction  $PCl_5(g) \longrightarrow PCl_3(g) + Cl_2(g)$ , the forward reaction at constant temperature is favoured by

(A) Introducing an inert gas at constant volume

(B) Introducing chlorine gas at constant volume

(C) Introducing an inert gas at constant pressure

(D) Introducing PCl<sub>5</sub> at constant volume.

#### **Comprehension Type**

**Paragraph 1:** 10 moles of is heated at 15 atm from 27°C to 347°C assuming volume constant. The pressure at equilibrium is found to be 50 atm. The equilibrium constant for dissociation of

NH<sub>3</sub>: 2NH<sub>3</sub> 
$$\implies$$
 N<sub>2</sub> + 3H<sub>2</sub>;  $\Delta$ H = 91.94 kJ  
Can be written as; K<sub>p</sub> =  $\frac{P_{N_2} \times (P_{H_2})^3}{(P_{NH_3})^2} (atm)^2$ 

Q.31 The degree of dissociation of is:

(A) 61.3% (B) 20% (C) 48% (D) None of these

Q.32 The equilibrium constant for the reaction is:

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mbox{(A) } 7.08 \times 10^2 & \mbox{(B) } 3.06 \times 10^2 \\ \mbox{(C) } 7.6 \times 10^2 & \mbox{(D) } 1.53 \times 10^3 \end{array}$ 

Q.33 The volume of container in which gas is heated is:

(A) 16.42 litre (B) 8.21 litre (C) 20 litre (D) 15 litre

**Paragraph 2:** For a reversible reaction at a certain temperature when it is at equilibrium has been attained whether physical or chemical, a change in certain variables might change the state of equilibrium. These variables includes pressure, volume, concentration and temperature. Due to these changes, a system under equilibrium changes its state in such a manner, i.e., the equilibrium moves in forward direction or backward direction, so that the effect of change is annulled. For a gaseous phase endothermic decomposition of phosphorus pentachloride, can be made spontaneous by increasing concentration of PCl<sub>s</sub>, lowering the pressure and increasing temperature of the system.

**Q.34** Which of the following reactions proceed in forward direction with increase in temperature are:

- (A)  $H_2(g) + I_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2HI(g) + 3000$  cal
- (B)  $N_2(g) + O_2(g) \implies 2NO(g) 43200$  cal
- (C)  $N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \implies 2HN_3(g) + 22400$  cal
- (D)  $C(s) + O_2(g) \longrightarrow CO_2(g) + 94300$  cal

**Q.35** The equilibrium, solid  $\implies$  liquid  $\implies$  gas, will shift in forward direction when:

(A) Temperature is raised (B) Temperature is constant

(C) Temperature is lowered (D) Pressure is increases

**Q.36** The change is standard Gibbs energy for a reaction at equilibrium, e.g.,  $PCI_5(g) \Longrightarrow PCI_3(g) + CI_2(g)$ , on addition of an inert gas at constant pressure and then at constant volume respectively are:

(A) Decreases, no change(B) Increases, no change(C) No change, no change(D) No change, decreases

# **Previous Years' Questions**

Q.1 For the reaction $CO(g) + 2H_2(g) \longrightarrow CH_2OH(g)$ ,<br/>true condition is[1992](A)  $K_p = K_c$ (B)  $K_p > K_c$ 

(C) K <sub>p</sub> < K <sub>c</sub>	(D) $K_c = 0$ but $K_p \neq 0$

**Q.2** Which of the following is not favorable for  $SO_3$  formation  $2SO_2(g) + O_2(g) \implies 2SO_3(g); \Delta H = -45.0$  kcal

- (A) High pressure
- (B) High temperature
- (C) Decreasing SO<sub>3</sub> concentration
- (D) Increasing reactant concentration

Q.3 The formation of NO2 in the reaction

 $2NO + O_2 \implies 2NO_2 + heat is favoured by [1998]$ 

- (A) Low pressure
- (B) High pressure
- (C) Low temperature
- (D) Reduction in the mass of reactant

**Q.4** For the gas phase reaction  $C_2H_4 + H_2 \longrightarrow C_2H_6$ 

 $(\Delta H = -32.7 \text{ kcal})$ . Carried out in a vessel, the equilibrium concentration of  $C_2H_4$  can be increased by [1984]

(A) Increasing the temperature

(B) Decreasing the pressure

- (C) Removing some H<sub>2</sub>
- (D) Adding some C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub>

**Q.5** The equilibrium  $SO_2CI_2(g) \Longrightarrow SO_2(g) + CI_2(g)$  is attained at 25°C in a closed container and an inert gas helium is introduced. Which of the following statements are correct? [1989]

(A) Concentration of  $SO_{2'}$   $CI_2$  and  $SO_2$   $CI_2$  change

- (B) More chlorine is formed
- (C) Concentration of  $SO_2$  is reduced
- (D) All the above are incorrect

**Q.6** For the chemical reaction  $3X(g) + Y(g) \xrightarrow{} X_3Y(g)$ , the amount of  $X_3Y$  at equilibrium is affected by **[2009]** 

- (A) Temperature and pressure
- (B) Temperature only
- (C) Pressure only
- (D) Temperature, pressure and catalyst

**Q.7** The equilibrium  $SO_2Cl_2(g) \longrightarrow SO_2(g) + Cl_2(g)$  is attained at 25°C in a closed container and an inert gas helium is introduced which of the following statement is correct. **[1989]** 

- (A) More chlorine is formed
- (B) Concentration of SO<sub>2</sub> is reduced
- (C) More SO<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> is formed

[1997]

(D) Concentration of  $SO_2Cl_2$ ,  $SO_2$  and  $Cl_2$  does not

**Q.8** In the reaction,  $A_2(g) + 4B_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2AB_4(g)$ 

- $\Delta H < 0$  the formation of AB<sub>4</sub> is will be favoured at [1990]
- (A) Low temperature, high pressure
- (B) Low temperature, low pressure
- (C) Low temperature low pressure
- (D) High temperature low pressure
- **Q.9** For the given equilibrium: [2003]  $2SO_2 + O_2 \implies 2SO_3 + heat$

The equilibrium reaction proceeds in forward direction when

(A) Oxygen is removed	(B) $SO_3$ is added
(C) Heat is added	(D) Oxygen is added

**Q.10 Statement-I:** For every chemical reaction at equilibrium, standard Gibbs energy of reaction is zero.

**Statement-II**: At constant temperature and pressure, chemical reactions are spontaneous in the direction of decreasing Gibbs energy. [2008]

(A) Statement-I is True, statement-II is True; statement-II is correct explanation for statement-I

(B) Statement-I is True, statement-II is True; statement-II is NOT a correct explanation for statement-I

(C) Statement-I is True, statement-II is False

(D) Statement-I is False, statement-II is True

**Q.11** The thermal dissociation equilibrium of (s) is studied under different conditions.

 $CaCO_3(s) \Longrightarrow CaO(s) + CO_2(g)$ 

For this equilibrium, the correct statement(s) is(are) **[2013]** (A)  $\Delta$ H is dependent on T

(B) K is independent of the initial amount of CaCO<sub>3</sub>

(C) K is dependent on the pressure of  $CO_2$  at a given T

(D)  $\Delta H$  is independent of the catalyst, if any

**Paragraph:** Thermal decomposition of gaseous X2 to gaseous X at 298 K takes place according to the following equation:

The standard reaction Gibbs energy, of this reaction is positive. At the start of the reaction, there is one mole of X2 and no X. As the reaction proceeds, the number

of moles of X formed is given by  $\beta$ . Thus,  $\beta_{equilibrium}$  is the number of moles of X formed at equilibrium. The reaction is carried out at a constant total pressure of 2 bar. Consider the gases to behave ideally. (Given: R = 0.083 L bar K mol<sup>-1</sup>)

(A) 
$$\frac{8\beta_{equilibrium}^2}{2-\beta_{equilibrium}}$$
 (B)  $\frac{8\beta_{equilibrium}^2}{4-\beta_{equilibrium}^2}$ 

(C) 
$$\frac{4\beta_{equilibrium}^2}{2-\beta_{equilibrium}}$$
 (D)  $\frac{4\beta_{equilibrium}^2}{4-\beta_{equilibrium}^2}$ 

Q.13 The INCORRECT statement among the following, for this reaction, is [2016]

(A) Decrease in the total pressure will result in formation of more moles of gaseous X.

(B) At the start of the reaction, dissociation of gaseous  $X_2$ , takes place spontaneously.

(C) 
$$\beta_{equilibrium} = 0.7$$
.

(D) K<sub>c</sub> < 1

# **PlancEssential** Questions

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Exercise 1			Exercise 1		
Q.1	Q.7	Q.8	Q.2	Q.6	Q.8
Q.15	Q.17	Q.22	Q.12	Q.15	Q.23
Q.25	Q.29				
			Exercise 2		
Exercise 2			Q.10	Q.12	Q.18-20
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#### **Previous Years' Questions**

Q.1 Q.3 Q.8

# **Answer Key**

# **JEE Main/Boards**

#### Exercise 1

**Q.1** At equilibrium: Mole of  $I_2 = 0.0075$  moles; Mole of HI = 0.347 moles

<b>Q.2</b> 1:10	<b>Q.3</b> K <sub>c</sub> = 1.8	<b>Q.4</b> $K_p = 1.64 \times 10^{-4}$ atm	<b>Q.5</b> K = 1.7 mol <sup>2</sup> l <sup>-2</sup>
<b>Q.6</b> $\frac{K_p}{K_c} = 1$	Q.7 Partial pressure of	HCI = 600 mm	<b>Q.8</b> K' = 0.25
<b>Q.9</b> K <sub>c</sub> = 0.76	<b>Q.10</b> $K_p = 1$ atmospher	e	<b>Q.11</b> x = 2/5
<b>Q.12</b> $P_{NH_3} = \frac{1}{3}P$	<b>Q.13</b> [N <sub>2</sub> ] = 1.25	<b>Q.14</b> $K_p = 3.5 \times 10^{23}$	atm K <sub>c</sub> = 1.4 × 10 <sup>22</sup> mol I <sup>-1</sup>
<b>Q.15</b> 0.33	<b>Q.16</b> $K_2 = \frac{1}{K_1}$	<b>Q.17</b> 1000 times of <b>P</b>	ζ <sub>c</sub>
Q.18 Remains unchang	ed	<b>Q.19</b> Double	<b>Q.20</b> $K_p = K_c = K_x = 0.1202$
<b>Q.21</b> 3	<b>Q.22</b> 0.8	<b>Q.23</b> $\frac{x}{a+x}$	<b>Q.24</b> [A] – [D] = 2 – 3x

Q.25 Increase is the negative log value of concentration of H<sup>+</sup>

 $Q.26 H_2SO_4$  is used in the reaction, due to absorption of water where the reaction no more remains reversible. Thus, the reaction proceeds in forward direction only and the product is obtained in larger amounts

Q.27 Melting point of	ice decreases	<b>Q.28</b> 1.2 atmosphere
<b>Q.29</b> NO <sub>2</sub> = 0.4 mole,	NO = 1.6 mole	<b>Q.30</b> –105.216 kJ
<b>Q.31</b> –19.67 lit atm	<b>Q.32</b> $p_{CO_2} = K_p = 1.94$	$\times 10^{-10}$ atm <b>Q.33</b> T = 399 K

# Exercise 2

#### Single Correct Choice Type

<b>Q.1</b> A	<b>Q.2</b> B	<b>Q.3</b> B	<b>Q.4</b> D	<b>Q.5</b> C	<b>Q.6</b> A	<b>Q.7</b> A
<b>Q.8</b> D	<b>Q.9</b> B	<b>Q.10</b> C	<b>Q.11</b> B	<b>Q.12</b> A	<b>Q.13</b> C	<b>Q.14</b> B
<b>Q.15</b> A	<b>Q.16</b> B	<b>Q.17</b> B	<b>Q.18</b> A	<b>Q.19</b> B	<b>Q.20</b> A	<b>Q.21</b> D
<b>Q.22</b> D	<b>Q.23</b> A	<b>Q.24</b> B	<b>Q.25</b> B	<b>Q.26</b> C	<b>Q.27</b> B	<b>Q.28</b> A
<b>Q.29</b> D	<b>Q.30</b> A	<b>Q.31</b> A				

# **Previous Years' Questions**

<b>Q.1</b> D	<b>Q.2</b> D	<b>Q.3</b> B	<b>Q.4</b> D	<b>Q.5</b> A, B, C, D	<b>Q.6</b> C, D	<b>Q.7</b> C, D, E
<b>Q.8</b> A, D	<b>Q.9</b> C	<b>Q.10</b> D	<b>Q.11</b> E	<b>Q.12</b> C	<b>Q.13</b> D	<b>Q.14</b> B
<b>Q.15</b> B						

# **JEE Advanced/Boards**

Exercise 1

<b>Q.1</b> 0.977 atm	<b>Q.2</b> =	3.90×10 <sup>-31</sup> mol	$L^{-1}$	<b>Q.3</b> 61.3	<b>Q.4</b> 2.0	<b>Q.5</b> 0.4	3 mol NO <sub>2</sub>
<b>Q.6</b> $x = \left(\frac{2K_p}{P}\right)^{1}$	<sup>/3</sup> <b>Q.7</b> p	0 <sub>N2O4</sub> = 8.93 atm;	p <sub>NO2</sub> = 1	07 atm	<b>Q.8</b> 17.64	<b>Q.9</b> = -	48.24 atm <sup>-1/2</sup>
<b>Q.10</b> 34%	Q.11	894.26°C					
<b>Q.12</b> –5.705 kJ	and Negative	value shows that	reaction v	vill be in forward	d direction.		
<b>Q.13</b> 2.9×10 <sup>-4</sup>	Q.14	= -12.57 kcal mol	-1	<b>Q.15</b> 0.049	Q.1	. <b>6</b> 1.77 atm	
<b>Q.17</b> 2.09 atm	Q.18	K <sub>p</sub> = 0.01 atm		<b>Q.19</b> 0.379 atm	Q.2	<b>0</b> 300 L	
<b>Q.21</b> 6.71 × 10 <sup>-</sup>	4 <b>Q.22</b>	α = 0.5		<b>Q.23</b> K <sub>c</sub> = 1/12,	[R] = 4 (initi	al), = 1.5 (fir	nal)
Exercise 2							
Single Correct	Choice Type						
<b>Q.1</b> A	<b>Q.2</b> D	<b>Q.3</b> A	<b>Q.4</b> D	<b>Q.5</b> D	Q.6	C	<b>Q.7</b> C
<b>Q.8</b> B	<b>Q.9</b> C	<b>Q.10</b> B	<b>Q.11</b> A	<b>Q.12</b> C	Q.1	. <b>3</b> D	<b>Q.14</b> B
<b>Q.15</b> A	<b>Q.16</b> A	<b>Q.17</b> C	<b>Q.18</b> D	<b>Q.19</b> D	Q.2	<b>0</b> A	<b>Q.21</b> A
<b>Q.22</b> C	<b>Q.23</b> A	<b>Q.24</b> A	<b>Q.25</b> D	<b>Q.26</b> B	Q.2	2 <b>7</b> D	
Multiple Corre	ct Choice Type	9					
<b>Q.28</b> A, B, C	Q.29	A, B, C, D	<b>Q.30</b> C,	D			
Comprehensio	n Type						
Paragraph 1:	<b>Q.31</b> A	<b>Q.32</b> D	<b>Q.33</b> A				
Paragraph 2:	<b>Q.34</b> B	<b>Q.35</b> A	<b>Q.36</b> C				
Previous Ye	ars' Questi	ons					
<b>Q.1</b> C	<b>Q.2</b> B	<b>Q.3</b> B, C	<b>Q.4</b> A, E	8, C, D <b>Q.5</b>	D <b>Q.6</b>	БА	<b>Q.7</b> D
<b>Q.8</b> A	<b>Q.9</b> D	<b>Q.10</b> D	<b>Q.11</b> A,	B, D <b>Q.1</b>	2 B Q.1	. <b>3</b> C	

# Solutions

# **JEE Main/Boards**

# Exercise 1

Sol 1:	$H_2 +$	$I_2 \rightleftharpoons$	2HI
	1 :	1	2
Initial moles	23	0.18	0
Moles of equil	ibrium	$\frac{1.9}{126 \times 2} =$	0.0075×2 = 0.345
		0.0075	
Sol 2: N <sub>2</sub>	:	H <sub>2</sub>	

14 g	1.0 g
conc. $=\frac{n}{v}$	conc. $=\frac{n}{v}$
$=\frac{1.4}{28}\times\frac{1}{2}=\frac{1}{40}$	$=\frac{1.0}{2}\times\frac{1}{2}=\frac{1}{4}$
1:10	

#### Sol 3:

	A +	$B\rightleftharpoons$	C+	D
Initial	2B	В	0	0
Eq <sup>m</sup>	2B - x	B - x	х	х
	Х			
		B – x =	$\frac{1}{3}x$	
Eq <sup>m</sup>	5x 3	$\frac{x}{3}$	х	х

#### Sol 4:

 ${\rm K_p}={\rm K_c}({\rm RT})^{\Delta n}=0.1768(0.0821\times 400)^{2-}=1.64\times 10^{-4}$ 

**Sol 5:** Let  $\alpha$  be the degree of dissociation: Hence we have:

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

$$2 \qquad 0 \qquad 0$$

$$2 - 2\alpha \qquad \alpha \qquad 3 \alpha$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} N_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}, \ \begin{bmatrix} H_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{3}{2}, \ \begin{bmatrix} NH_3 \end{bmatrix} = 1$$
  
$$\therefore \ K = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} N_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} H_2 \end{bmatrix}^3}{\begin{bmatrix} NH_3 \end{bmatrix}^2} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{3}{2}}{1 \times 1} = \frac{27}{16} = 1.7 \text{ mol}^2 \ \Box^2$$

Sol 6: 
$$PCI_3 + CI_2 \rightleftharpoons PCI_5$$
  
 $K_p = K_c (RT)^{\Delta n}$   
 $\Delta n = 1$ 

$$K_c = K_p$$

$$\frac{K_c}{K_p} = 1$$

**Sol 7:**  $H_2 + Cl_2 \implies 2HCl$ 

$$\frac{4}{2} \quad \frac{9.023 \times 10^{23}}{6.02 \times 10^{23}} \quad 0 \quad \text{Initially}$$

$$2 \quad \approx \frac{3}{2} \qquad 0 \quad \text{Initially}$$

3/2 moles of  $Cl_2$  will react with 3/2 moles of  $H_2$  to give  $\frac{3}{2} \times 2 = 3.0$  moles of HCl. So the total number of moles in the reaction.

$$= \left(2 - \frac{3}{2}\right) + 0 + 3 = 3.5$$
  
Partial pressure of HCl =  $\frac{3 \times 700}{3.5} = 600$  mm

Sol 8: 
$$N_2 + 3H_2 \rightleftharpoons 2NH_3 \rightarrow k = 16$$
  
 $2NH_3 \rightleftharpoons N_2 + 3H_2 \rightarrow k^1 = \frac{1}{16}$   
 $\therefore NH_3 \rightleftharpoons \frac{1}{2}N_2 + \frac{3}{2}H_2 \rightarrow k^{11} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{16}}$ 

Sol 9:

	PCl <sub>3</sub> +	$\operatorname{Cl}_2_{(g)} \rightleftharpoons$	PCl <sub>5</sub>
	1 :	$1 \rightarrow$	1
Initial	1/3	2/3	0
Equilibrium	$\frac{0.70}{3}$	$\frac{1.70}{3}$	<u>0.30</u> 3

$$K_{c} = \frac{0.30/3}{\left(\frac{0.70}{3}\right)\left(\frac{1.70}{3}\right)}$$

**Sol 10:** Total Moles = 2 + 2 + 2 = 6

$$P_{PCl_{3}} = \frac{2}{6} \times 3 , P_{PCl_{5}} = \frac{2}{6} \times 3 , P_{Cl_{2}} = \frac{2}{6} \times 3$$
$$K_{p} = \frac{P_{PCl_{3}} \times P_{Cl_{2}}}{P_{PCl_{5}}} = \frac{1 \times 1}{1} = 1 \text{ atmosphere}$$

Sol 11: 
$$H_2 + I_2 \rightleftharpoons 2HI$$
  $K_c = 9$   
 $\therefore 2HI \rightarrow H_2 + I_2$ ;  $K_c = \frac{1}{9}$   
Initial 2 0 0  
 $eq^m 2 - 2x \times x$ 

:. 
$$K_c' = \frac{x^2}{(2-2x)^2}; (2-2x)^2 = 9x^2$$
  
 $2-2x = 3x : x = \frac{2}{5}$ 

#### Sol 12:

N <sub>2</sub>	+	3H <sub>2</sub>	$\rightleftharpoons$	$2\mathrm{NH}_3$
1-0.5		3-3(0.	.5)	2×0.5
0.5		1.5		1.0
∴ P <sub>NH3</sub> =	$=\frac{1}{3}\times P$	(3 = Tot	al no. of	moles)

#### Sol 13:

	$N_2$	+	0 <sub>2</sub>	$\rightarrow$	2NO
Initial	$\frac{3}{2}$		$\frac{2}{2}$		0
eq <sup>m</sup>	$\frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$	= 1.0			$\frac{1}{2}$

Sol 14: T = 300 K  $SO_{(g)}^{2} + \frac{1}{2}O_{2} \xrightarrow{} SO_{3}$   $k_{p} = 1.7 \times 10^{-12}$   $\therefore 2SO_{3} \xrightarrow{} 2SO_{2} + O_{2}$ 

$$k_{p}' = \left(\frac{1}{k_{p}}\right)^{2} = \left(\frac{1}{1.7 \times 10^{-12}}\right)^{2}$$
$$k_{p} = k_{c} (RT)^{\Delta n}$$

Sol 15:

$$PCI_{5} \iff PCI_{3} + CI_{2} \qquad \left(\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{50}{100}\right)^{2}$$
Initial  $\frac{2}{3}$  0 0  
eq<sup>m</sup>  $\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3}$   $\frac{1}{3}$   $\frac{1}{3}$   
 $\therefore \quad k_{c} = 0.33$   
Sol 16: 2C  $\iff A + 3B$   
 $k_{2} = \frac{1}{k_{1}} \qquad (\because k_{1} \Rightarrow A + 3B \iff 2C)$ 

Sol 17: P + Q 
$$\implies$$
 R + S  
 $K_c = 10^{-2}$ ;  $K_f = 10^{-1}$   
 $\therefore K_c = \frac{K_f}{K_b} \implies K_b = 10^1$ 

**Sol 18:** A + 2B  $\rightleftharpoons$  C + 3D Le-chatlier's principle

Sol 19: Apply law of mass action

**Sol 20:** In this case  $\Delta n = 0$ 

$$\therefore K_{p} = K_{c} = K_{x} = K$$

(i)  $2HI(g) \Longrightarrow H_2(g) + I_2(g)$ 

Reaction is reversed and multiplied by two.

$$\therefore K = \frac{(8.32)^2}{8.32} = 8.32$$
(ii) H<sub>2</sub>(g) + I<sub>2</sub>(g)  $\implies 2$  HI(g)  
Reaction is multiplied by 2  

$$\therefore K = (8.32)^2 = 69.66$$
(iii) Since the reaction is reversed,  $K = \frac{1}{8.32} = 0.1201$ 

#### Sol 21:

	$H_2$	+	$I_2$	$\longrightarrow$	HI
Initial	2		1		0

Sol 22: Vapour density = 57.9

Molar mass = 208.5

$$\alpha = \frac{D-d}{(n-1)d} \Longrightarrow \frac{D = \text{initial V.D}}{d = \text{equilibrium V.D.} = 57.9}$$

D = 
$$\frac{M_{PCI_5}}{2} = \frac{208.5}{2} = 104.25 (n = 2)$$
  
∴  $\alpha = \frac{104.25 - 57.9}{1 \times 57.9} = 0.8$ 

#### Sol 23:

 $\therefore$  Total no. of moles = (a - x) + x + x

$$= a + x$$
  

$$\therefore P_{PCl_{5}} = \frac{a - x}{a + x}P; \quad P_{PCl_{3}} = \frac{x}{a + x}P; P_{Cl_{2}} = \frac{x}{a + x}P$$
  

$$\therefore P_{PCl_{3}} \times \frac{1}{P} = \frac{x}{a + x}P \times \frac{1}{P} = \frac{x}{a + x}$$

Sol 24:

	2A + (g)	<b>B</b> (g)	<del>~`</del>	3C (g)	+	D (g)
	2	1	$\longrightarrow$	3	:	1
Initial	2	2	$\longrightarrow$	0		0
eq <sup>m</sup>	2 – 2x	2 - x	$\longrightarrow$	Зx		Х
$\therefore$ [A] - [D] = 2 - 2x - x = 2 - 3x						

**Sol 25:** What of the following effect will occur when  $CN^-$  is added in the reaction,  $HCN(aq) \Longrightarrow H^+(aq) + CN^-(aq)$ , at equilibrium Increase is the negative log value of concentration of H<sup>+</sup>.

Sol 26:  $CH_3COOH(2) + C_2H_5OH(I) \xrightarrow{} CH_3COOC_2H_5 + H_2O(I)$ Le-chatlier's principle **Sol 27:** Le-chatlier's principle when pressure is increased in the equilibrium system of water and ice, Melting point of ice decreases.

#### Sol 28:

$$CO_2 + C \rightarrow 2CO$$
  
Initial Pressure 0.5

Final Pressure 0.5 – x 2x

Total pressure=0.5+x

But the total pressure at equilibrium is 0.8 atm

$$0.5 + x = 0.8$$
  
 $x = 3$  atm  
 $K = \frac{[CO]^2}{[CO_2]} = \frac{6^2}{0.3} = 1.2$ 

#### Sol 29:

$$x = \frac{4}{5} = 0.8$$
  
∴ eq<sup>m</sup> conc. of NO = 0.8  
NO = 0.2

#### Sol 30:

$$T_1 = 673 k T_2 = 773 k k_1 = 1.64 \times 10^{-4} k_2 = 1.44 \times 10^{-5} R = 8.314 Jk^{-1} mol^{-1}$$

$$\log \frac{k_2}{k_1} = \frac{\Delta H}{2.303 R}. \quad \left(\frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2}\right) \quad (Apply)$$

Sol 31:  $N_2O_4 \implies 2NO_2$ 

 $k_c$  = 1.14  $\Delta G$  = ? ; R = 0.082 lit atm  $k^{-1} \mbox{ mol}^{-1}$  T = 291K  $\Delta G$  = -RT ln k (Apply)

Sol 32:  $CaCO_3 \rightleftharpoons CaO_4 + CO_2$   $\Delta G^\circ = 130.2 \text{ k J mol}^{-1}$  T = 700 k $\Delta G^\circ = -\text{RT ln k} \text{ (Apply)}$ 

**Sol 33:**  $NiO_{(s)} + CO_{(g)} \xrightarrow{Ni} + CO_{(g)}^{2}$   $\Delta G^{o} = -20,700 - 11.97T$   $\Delta G^{o} = -RT \ln k$  $-20,700 - 11.97T = -0.082T \ln k$ 

# **Exercise 2**

#### Single Correct Choice Type

**Sol 1: (A)** As we increases the concentration of substance, then speed of the reaction increases.

**Sol 2: (B)** Chemical reaction quantitatively depend on the reactant and product molecule.

**Sol 3: (B)** In the thermal decomposition of potassium chlorate given as:

 $2\text{KCIO}_3 \longrightarrow 2\text{KCI} + 3\text{O}_2$ , law of mass action cannot be applied.

**Sol 4: (D)** Those reaction which have more value of K proceeds towards completion.

**Sol 5:** (C)  $K_c$  is a characteristic constant for the given reaction.

**Sol 6: (A)**  $K_{p}$  is a constant and does not change with pressure.

#### Sol 7: (A)

$PCl_5$	<u> </u>	$PCl_3 +$	Cl <sub>2</sub>	
0		0	0	initially
2×60		2×40	$2 \times 40$	at oquilibrium
100		100	100	at equilibrium

Volume of container = 2 L.

$$K_{c} = \frac{\frac{2 \times 40}{100 \times 2} \times \frac{2 \times 40}{100 \times 2}}{\frac{2 \times 60}{100 \times 2}} = 0.266$$

Sol 8: (D)

$$K_{c} = \frac{\left[NO_{2}\right]^{2}}{\left[N_{2}O_{4}\right]} = \frac{\left[2 \times \frac{10^{-3}}{2}\right]}{\left[\frac{0.2}{2}\right]}$$
$$= \frac{10^{-6}}{10^{-1}} = 10^{-5}$$

Sol 9: (B)

$$A + B \underbrace{\longrightarrow}_{C} C + D$$

$$x \quad x \quad 0 \quad 0$$

$$2x \quad 2x$$

$$K_{c} = \frac{\left[C\right]\left[D\right]}{\left[A\right]\left[B\right]} = \frac{2x \cdot 2x}{x \cdot x} = 4$$

Sol 10: (C)

$N_2O_4 \implies$	2NO <sub>2</sub>	
1	2	initially
$(1-\alpha)$	2α	at equilibrium

Total moles at equilibrium  $=(1-\alpha)+2\alpha$ 

 $= 1 + \alpha$ 

$$K_{c} = \frac{\left[HI\right]^{2}}{\left[H_{2}\right]\left[I_{2}\right]}$$
  
$$\therefore 64 = \frac{x^{2}}{0.03 \times 0.03}$$
  
$$\therefore x^{2} = 64 \times 9 \times 10^{-4}$$
  
Or, x = 8 × 3 × 10<sup>-2</sup>

 ${\bf x}$  is the amount of HI at equilibrium amount of  ${\bf I_2}$  at equilibrium will be:

$$0.30 - 0.24 = 0.06$$

**Sol 12: (A)** 
$$K_c = \frac{k_f}{k_b}$$
  
 $\therefore k_f = k_c \times k_b = 1.5 \times 7.5 \times 10^{-4} = 1.125 \times 10^{-3}$ 

#### Sol 13: (C)

N <sub>2</sub>	+	3H <sub>2</sub>	<del></del>	$2NH_3$	
1		3			
1 - 0.81	3	-2.43		0	initially
(= 0.19)	(	= 0.57	)	1.62	at equilibrium

Number of moles of N<sub>2</sub> =  $\frac{28}{28}$  = 1 mol

Number of moles of  $H_2 = \frac{6}{2} = 3 \text{ mol}$ 

Number of moles of  $NH_3 = \frac{27.54}{17} = 1.62 \text{ mol}$ 

$$\therefore \ \ K_{c} = \frac{\left[NH_{3}\right]^{2}}{\left[N_{2}\right]\left[H_{2}\right]^{3}} = \frac{\left[1.62\right]^{2}}{\left[0.19\right]\left[0.57\right]^{3}} = 75$$

**Sol 14: (B)** 
$$K_c = \frac{[YX_2]}{[X]^2[Y]} = \frac{2}{4 \times 4 \times 2} = \frac{1}{16} = 0.0625$$

Sol 15: (A)

$$\begin{split} \mathsf{NH}_4\mathsf{HS}(s) & \longleftrightarrow \mathsf{NH}_3(g) + \mathsf{H}_2\mathsf{S}(g) \\ a & 0.5 \text{ atm} \quad 0 \quad \text{initially} \\ (a-x) & 0.5 + x \quad x \quad \text{at equilibrium} \\ \text{Total pressure} &= 0.5 + 2 \ x = 0.84 \\ \text{i.e.,} \ x &= 0.17 \\ \mathsf{K}_p &= \mathsf{P}_{\mathsf{NH}_3}.\mathsf{P}_{\mathsf{H}_2\mathsf{S}} = \big(0.67\big) \times \big(0.17\big) = 0.1139 \end{split}$$

#### Sol 16: (B)

$$A + B \xrightarrow{C} C + D$$
  
a a 2a 2a at equilibrium  
$$\therefore \quad K_{c} = \frac{[C][D]}{[A][B]}$$
  
$$= \frac{2a \times 2a}{2a} = 4.$$

Sol 17: (B)

a×a

$$K_{c} = \frac{\left[NO_{2}\right]^{2}}{\left[N_{2}O_{4}\right]} = \frac{4 \times \left(0.05\right)^{2}}{0.05} = 4 \times 0.05 = 0.2$$

#### Sol 18: (A)

 $\begin{array}{rrrr} N_2 & + & 3H_2 & ~~ & ~~ & ~~ \\ 30 & 30 & 0 & initially \\ \left( 30 - x \right) & \left( 30 - x \right) & 2x & ~~ at equilibrium \end{array}$ 

$$2x = 10,$$
  $\therefore x = \frac{10}{2} = 5$   
 $N_2 = 30 - 5 = 25 L$   
 $H_2 = 30 - 3 \times 5 = 15 L$   
 $NH_2 = 2 \times 5 = 10 L$ 

**Sol 19: (B)** 
$$\frac{22}{100} \times 3.2 = 0.704$$

Sol 20: (A)

N<sub>2</sub> +  $3H_2$  $\Rightarrow 2NH_3$ ....(1) 56 g 8g 0g (= 4 mol) (0 mol)(= 2 mol) initially (t = 0)(4 - 3)(2-1) 34 g at equilibrium =1 =1 (= 2 mol)

According to Eq. (1) 2 moles of ammonia are present and to produce 2 moles of  $NH_{3'}$  we need 1 mole of  $N_2$ and 3 moles of  $H_{2'}$  hence, 2 - 1 = 1 mole of  $N_2$  and 4 - 3= 1 mole of  $H_2$  are present at equilibrium in vessel.

Sol 21: (D)  $2SO_2(g) + O_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2SO_3(g)$ For 1 dm<sup>3</sup>,  $B - k [SO_2]^2 [O_1]$ 

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For 2 dm<sup>3</sup>,

$$R = k \left[ SO_2 \right]^2 \left[ O_2 \right]$$
$$R = k \left[ \frac{1}{T} \right]^2 \left[ \frac{1}{1} \right] = 1$$
$$R = k \left[ \frac{1}{2} \right]^2 \left[ \frac{1}{2} \right] = \frac{1}{8}$$

So, the ratio is 8:1.

**Sol 22: (D)** When NaNO<sub>3</sub> is heated in a closed vessel,  $O_2$  is liberated and NaNO<sub>2</sub> is left behind. At equilibrium increasing temperature favours forward reaction

**Sol 23:** (A) 5 moles of SO<sub>2</sub> and 5 moles of O<sub>2</sub> are allowed to react to form SO<sub>3</sub> in a closed vessel. At the equilibrium stage 60% of SO<sub>2</sub> is used up. The total number of moles of SO<sub>2</sub>, O<sub>2</sub> and SO<sub>3</sub> in the vessel now is 8.5.

#### Sol 24: (B)

$$K_{c_{1}} \text{ for } H_{2} + I_{2} \rightleftharpoons 2HI \text{ is}$$

$$K_{c_{2}} \text{ for } 2HI \rightleftharpoons H_{2} + I_{2}$$

$$K_{c_{1}} = \frac{\left[HI\right]^{2}}{\left[H_{2}\right]\left[I_{2}\right]}$$

$$K_{c_{2}} = \frac{\left[H_{2}\right]\left[I_{2}\right]}{\left[HI\right]^{2}}$$

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On reversing Eq. (i)

$$\frac{1}{K_{c_1}} = \frac{\left[H_2\right]\left[I_2\right]}{\left[HI\right]^2}$$

From Eqs. (ii) and (iii)

$$K_{c_2} = \frac{1}{K_{c_1}} = \frac{1}{50} = 0.02$$

**Sol 25: (B)**  $K_{p} = K_{c} (RT)^{\Delta n}$ Here,  $\Delta n = 2 - 2 = 0$ 

**Sol 26 : (C)**  $K_{p} = K_{c} (RT)^{\Delta n}$ Here,  $\Delta n = 3 - 2 = 1$ 

**Sol 27: (B)** For reaction,  $2SO_3 \implies O_2 + 2SO_2$ Here,  $\Delta n = 3 - 2 = 1$ , i.e., + ve, thus,  $K_p$  is more than  $K_c$  $\left[ \because K_p = K_c (RT)^{\Delta n} \right]$ 

#### Sol 28: (A)

$$N_{2} + 3H_{2} \xrightarrow{2} 2NH_{3}$$

$$\underbrace{1 \quad 3}_{4} \qquad 2$$

$$\Delta n = 2 - 4 = -2$$

$$K_{p} = K_{c} (RT)^{\Delta n}$$

$$\therefore \quad K_{p} = K_{c} (RT)^{-2}$$

$$\therefore \quad K_{c} = \frac{K_{p}}{(RT)^{-2}} = \frac{1.44 \times 10^{-5}}{(0.082 \times 773)^{-2}}$$

Sol 29: (D) Catalyst does not affect equilibrium constant.

Sol 30: (A) 
$$\operatorname{PCl}_{5}(g) \underset{(1-x)}{\longrightarrow} \operatorname{PCl}_{3}(g) + \operatorname{Cl}_{2}(g) \underset{x}{\longrightarrow}$$

Total number of moles at equilibrium

$$= (1 - x) + x + x$$
$$= 1 + x$$
$$P_{PCl_3} = \left[\frac{x}{1 + x}\right] \times P$$

Sol 31: (A) Equilibrium constant for the reaction:

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$$SO_{2}(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_{2} \iff SO_{3}(g)$$

$$K_{c} = \frac{1}{4.9 \times 10^{-2}}$$
And for  $2SO_{2} + O_{2} \iff 2SO_{3}(g)$ 

$$K_{c} = \left(\frac{1}{4.9 \times 10^{-2}}\right)^{2}$$

$$= \frac{10^{4}}{(4.9)^{2}} = 416.49$$

# **Previous Years' Questions**

Sol 1: (D) According to Le-chatelier's principle

**Sol 2:**  $K_{p}$  (equilibrium constant) is independent of pressure and concentration.

#### Sol 3: (B)

$2NH_{3} \rightleftharpoons$	N <sub>2</sub>	+	$3H_2$
а	0		0
(a – 2x)	х		Зx

Initial pressure of  $NH_3$  of mole = 15 atm at 27°C The pressure of 'a' mole of  $NH_3$  = p atm at 347° C

$$\therefore \qquad \frac{15}{300} = \frac{p}{620}$$

∴ p = 31 atm

At constant volume and at 347° C, mole  $\propto$  pressure

a  $\propto$  31 (before equilibrium)

 $\therefore$  a + 2x  $\propto$  50 (after equilibrium)

$$\therefore \ \frac{a+2x}{a} = \frac{50}{31}$$

x = 
$$\frac{19}{62}$$
 a  
∴ % of NH<sub>3</sub> decomposed =  $\frac{2x}{a} \times 1(a)$   
=  $\frac{2 \times 19a}{62 \times a} \times 100 = 61.29\%$ 

Sol 4: (D)  $CH_3OH \rightarrow CO + 2H_2$ 

 $\frac{[H_2]^2[CO]}{[CH_3OH]} = \frac{0.1 \times 0.1 \times 1}{2} = \frac{0.01}{2} = \frac{10 \times 10^{-3}}{2}$ 

Sol 5: (A, B, C, D) According to Le-Chatelier's Principle.

**Sol 6: (C, D)** NaNO<sub>3</sub>(s)  $\rightleftharpoons$  NaNO<sub>2</sub>(s) + O<sub>2</sub>(g),  $\Delta H = +\upsilon e$ Since reaction is endothermic, forward reaction is favoured by increases in temperature.

 $K_p = [PO_2]^{1/2}$ . Thus, addition of NaNO<sub>2</sub> or NaNO<sub>3</sub> does not cause any change in  $K_p$ .

Sol 7: (C, D, E) According to Le-Chatelier's principle.

**Sol 8: (A, D)** Reaction quotient = 
$$\frac{[C][D]}{[A][B]}$$

Initial stages (C) = 0 or [D] = 0

So, the value of quotient =  $\frac{0}{[A][B]} = 0$  and increases with time.

**Sol 9: (C)** According to Le-Chatelier's principle endothermic reaction favours increases in temperature. However exothermic reaction favours decreases in temperature.

**Sol 10:** Kp = Kc(RT)<sup> $\Delta n$ </sup>; where  $\Delta n = (l + m) - (x + y)$ 

Concentration of solids and liquids is taken to be unity.

**Sol 11: (E)** Increases in pressure favours melting of ice into water because at higher pressure melting point of ice is lowered.

Sol 12: (C) Equation (c)= Equation (a)+Equation (b)

Thus,  $K_3 = K_1 K_2$ 

Sol 13: (D) 
$$N_2 + O_2 \implies 2NO$$
  $K_c = 4 \times 10^{-4}$   
 $NO \implies \frac{1}{2}N_2 + \frac{1}{2}O_2$   $K_c^1 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{K_c}}$ 

$$K_{c}^{1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4 \times 10^{-4}}} = 50$$

Sol 14: (B)  $SO_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_2(g) \Longrightarrow SO_3(g)$  $K_p = K_c (RT)^x$ 

 $x=\Delta n_g^{}=$  no. of gaseous moles in product – no. of gaseous in reactant

$$= 1 - \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\right) = 1 - \frac{3}{2} = \frac{-1}{2}$$

**Sol 15: (B)**  $\Delta G = \Delta G^{\circ} + RT \ln Q$ = 2494.2 + 8.314 × 300 ln 4 = Positive  $\Delta G = RT \ln \frac{Q}{k}$ 

Since,  $\Delta G$  is positive so, Q > K so reaction shifts in reverse direction.

# JEE Advanced/Boards

# **Exercise 1**

**Sol 1:** The system in the initial stage does not contain  $SO_2.SO_3$  will, thus, decompose to form  $SO_2$  and  $O_2$  until equilibrium is reached. The partial pressure of  $SO_3$  will decrease. Let the decrease in partial pressure be 2x.

$$2SO_{2}(g) + O_{2}(g) \Longrightarrow 2SO_{3}(g)$$
  
At equilibrium (2x) (2+x) (1-2x)

Applying law of mass action.

$$K_{p} = \frac{(1-2x)^{2}}{(2x)^{2}(2+x)}$$
 (2+x)→2  
900 =  $\frac{(1-2x)^{2}}{8x^{2}}$   
Or  $\frac{1-2x}{x} = 84.85$   
Or x = 0.0115 atm

Thus, the partial pressure at equilibrium are:

$$P_{SO_2} = 2 \times 0.0115 = 0.023$$
 atm

$$P_{O_2} = 2 + 0.0115 = 2.0115$$
 atm  
 $P_{SO_3} = 1 - 2 \times 0.0115 = 0.977$  atm

Sol 2:

$$2CO_{2}(g) \Longrightarrow 2CO(g) + O_{2}(g)$$
  
At equilibrium  $(1-2x)$   $(2x)$   $(x)$ 

Applying law of mass action,

$$K_{c} = \frac{[O_{2}][CO]^{2}}{[CO_{2}]^{2}} = \frac{x \times (2x)^{2}}{(1-2x)^{2}} = 2.96 \times 10^{-92}$$

It can be assumed that  $1 - 2x \approx 1.0$  as K<sub>c</sub> is very small.

So, 
$$4x^{3} = 2.96 \times 10^{-92}$$
  
Or  $x = 1.95 \times 10^{-31} \text{ mol } \text{L}^{-1}$   
 $[\text{CO}] = 2x = 2 \times 1.95 \times 10^{-31}$   
 $= 3.90 \times 10^{-31} \text{ mol } \text{L}^{-1}$ 

**Sol 3:** Pressure of  $NH_3$  at  $27^{\circ}C = 15$  atm

Pressure of  $NH_3$  at 347°C = P atm

 $\frac{P}{620} = \frac{15}{300}$ 

P = 31 atm

Let a moles of ammonia be present. Total pressure at equilibrium = 50 atm

 $2NH_{3}(g) \rightleftharpoons N_{2}(g) + 3H_{2}(g)$ At equilibrium (a-2x) x 3x

Total moles a - 2x + x + 3x = a + 2x

$$\frac{\text{Initial number of moles}}{\text{Moles at equilibrium}} = \frac{\text{Initial pressure}}{\text{Equilibrium pressure}}$$
$$\frac{a}{(a+2x)} = \frac{31}{50}$$
$$x = \frac{19}{62} a$$

Amount of ammonia decomposed =

 $2x = 2 \times \frac{19}{62} a = \frac{19}{31} a$ 

% of ammonia decomposed  $=\frac{19 \times a}{31 \times a} \times 100 = 61.3$ 

Sol 4: 
$$2H_2S(g) = 2H_2(g) + S_2(g)$$
  
At equilibrium  $(0.1-x)$  x x/2  
Molar conc.  $(0.1-x)$  x x/2  
 $K_c = \frac{[H_2]^2[S_2]}{[H_2S]^2} = \frac{(\frac{x}{0.4})^2(\frac{x}{0.8})}{(\frac{0.1-x}{0.4})^2} = 1.0 \times 10^{-6}$   
Or  $\frac{x^3}{0.8(0.1-x)^2} = 1.0 \times 10^{-6}$   
as x is very small;  $0.1 - x \to 0.1$ 

$$\frac{x^{3}}{0.8 \times (0.1)^{2}} = 1.0 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$x^{3} = 8 \times 10^{-9}$$
Or
$$x = 2 \times 10^{-3}$$
So, percent dissociation
$$= \frac{2 \times 10^{-3}}{0.1} \times 100 = 2.0$$

Sol 5:

$$\begin{split} N_2O_4\left(g\right) & \Longrightarrow 2NO_2\left(g\right) \\ At \ equilibrium \ \left(1-x\right) & 2x \end{split}$$

x (degree of dissociation) =  $\frac{D-d}{(n-1)d}$ 

Given, d = 38.3, D = 
$$\frac{\text{Mol. mass of N}_2\text{O}_4}{2} = \frac{92}{2} = 46$$
, n = 2

So, 
$$x = \frac{46 - 38.3}{38.3} = 0.2$$

At equilibrium, amount of  $N_2O_4 = 1 - 0.2 = 0.8$  mol And amount of  $NO_2 = 2 \times 0.2 = 0.4$  mol Mass of the mixture  $= 0.8 \times 92 + 0.4 \times 46$ = 73.6 + 18.4 = 92.0 g

Since, 92 gram of the mixture contains =  $0.4 \text{ mol NO}_2$ 

So, 100 gram of the mixture contains

$$= \frac{0.4 \times 100}{92} = 0.43 \text{ mol } \text{NO}_2$$

#### Sol 6:

 $2AB_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2AB(g) + B_2(g)$ At equilibrium (1-x)х x/2 Total moles at equilibrium =  $1 - x + x + x/2 = \frac{2 + x}{2}$  $p_{AB_2} = \frac{2(1-x)}{(2+x)}.P$ ;  $p_{AB} = \frac{2x}{(2+x)}.P$ ;  $p_{B_2} = \frac{x}{(2+x)}.P$ ;  $K_{p} = \frac{\left(p_{AB}\right)^{2}\left(p_{B_{2}}\right)}{\left(p_{AB_{2}}\right)^{2}} = \frac{\left[\frac{2x}{\left(2+x\right)}P\right]^{2}\left(\frac{x}{2+x}\right)P}{\left(\frac{2\left(1-x\right)}{\left(2+x\right)}P\right)^{2}}$  $=\frac{x^{3}P}{(2+x)(1-x)^{2}}$ 

As x is very small,  $(2+x) \rightarrow 2$  and  $(1-x) \rightarrow 1$ .

So, 
$$K_p = \frac{x^3 P}{2}$$
  
Or  $x^3 = \frac{2K_p}{P}$   
Or  $x = \left(\frac{2K_p}{P}\right)^{1/3}$ 

Sol 7:

At equilibrium

 $N_2O_4(g) \Longrightarrow 2NO_2(g)$ 0.7 At equilibrium

$$K_{p} = \frac{\left(p_{NO_{2}}\right)^{2}}{p_{N_{2}O_{4}}} = \frac{0.3 \times 0.3}{0.7} = 0.1285 \text{ atm}$$

Let the degree of dissociation of  $N_2O_4$  be x when total pressure is 10 atmosphere.

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathsf{N}_2\mathsf{O}_4(\mathsf{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\mathsf{NO}_2(\mathsf{g}) \\ (1-\mathsf{x}) & 2\mathsf{x} \end{array}$$

0.3 atm

Total number of moles = 1 - x + 2x = 1 + x

$$P_{N_2O_4} = \frac{(1-x)}{(1+x)} \times 10; \ p_{NO_2} = \frac{2x}{(1+x)} \times 10$$
$$K_p = 0.1285 = \frac{\left(\frac{2x}{1+x}\right)^2 \times 10^2}{\left(\frac{1-x}{1+x}\right) \times 10} = \frac{40 x^2}{1-x^2}$$

Since, x is very small, 
$$(1 - x^2) \rightarrow 1$$
  
So,  $x^2 = \frac{0.1285}{40}$   
Or  $x = 0.0566$   
 $p_{N_2O_4} = \frac{(1 - x)}{(1 + x)} \times 10 = \frac{1 - 0.0566}{1 + 0.0566} \times 10 = \frac{0.9436 \times 10}{1.0566}$   
 $= 8.93 \text{ atm}$   
 $p_{NO_2} = \frac{2x}{(1 + x)} \times 10 = \frac{2 \times 0.0566}{1 + 0.0566} \times 10 = \frac{0.1132}{1.0566} \times 10$   
 $= 1.07 \text{ atm}$ 

Sol 8:

$$\begin{split} N_2(g) &+ 3H_2(g) \Longrightarrow 2NH_3(g) \\ \text{At equilibrium } (1-x) & (3-3x) & 2x \end{split}$$

Total number of moles = 1 - x + 3 - 3x + 2x = 4 - 2x

$$p_{N_{2}} = \frac{(1-x)}{(4-2x)} P; p_{H_{2}} = \frac{(3-3x)}{(4-2x)} P; p_{NH_{3}} = \frac{2x}{(4-2x)} P$$

$$K_{p} = \frac{\left(p_{NH_{3}}\right)^{2}}{p_{N_{2}} \times \left(p_{H_{2}}\right)^{3}} = \frac{\left(\frac{2x}{4-2x}P\right)^{2}}{\left(\frac{1-x}{4-2x}P\right)\left(\frac{3-3x}{4-2x}P\right)^{3}}$$

$$= \frac{4x^{2} (4-2x)^{2}}{(1-x) \times 27 \times (1-x)^{3} P^{2}}$$

$$1.6 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{16}{27} \times \frac{x^{2} (2-x)^{2}}{(1-x)^{4} \times (200)^{2}}$$

$$Or \qquad \frac{x^{2} (2-x)^{2}}{(1-x)^{4}} = \frac{1.6 \times 10^{-5} \times 27 \times (200)^{2}}{16}$$

$$= \frac{16 \times 10^{-6} \times 27 \times (200)^{2}}{16}$$

$$Or \qquad \frac{x(2-x)}{(1-x)^{2}} = 200 \times 10^{-3} \times \sqrt{27} = 1.039$$

$$Or \qquad x = 0.30$$
Moles of ammonia formed =  $2 \times 0.30 = 0.60$ 

Total moles at equilibrium =

 $(4-2x) = (4-2 \times 0.30) = 3.40$ 

% of NH<sub>3</sub> at equilibrium = 
$$\frac{0.60}{3.40} \times 100 = 17.64$$
  
**Sol 9:** The volume of SO<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>2</sub> at equilibrium  
= (100 - 87) = 13 mL  
Volume of SO<sub>2</sub> =  $\frac{2}{3} \times 13 = 8.67$  mL  
Volume of oxygen =  $\frac{1}{3} \times 13 = 4.33$  mL  
 $p_{SO_3} = \frac{87}{100} \times 1 = 0.87$  atm  
 $p_{SO_2} = \frac{8.67}{100} \times 1 = 0.0433$  atm  
 $p_{O_2} = \frac{4.33}{100} \times 1 = 0.0433$  atm  
 $K_p = \frac{p_{SO_3}}{p_{SO_2} \times (p_{O_2})^{1/2}} = \frac{0.87}{(0.0867) \times (0.0433)^{1/2}}$   
 $= \frac{0.87}{(0.0867) \times 0.208} = 48.24 \text{ atm}^{-1/2}$ 

**Sol 10:** Let the molecular mass of the mixture at equilibrium be  $\mathrm{M}_{\mathrm{mix}}$ 

Applying the relation,

$$M_{mix} = \frac{dRT}{P} = \frac{0.925 \times 0.0821 \times 900}{1} = 68.348$$

Molecular mass of  $SO_3 = 80$ 

Vapour density of 
$$SO_3, D = \frac{80}{2} = 40$$

Vapour density of mixture, 
$$d = \frac{68.348}{2} = 34.174$$

Let the degree of dissociation be x.

$$x = \frac{D-d}{(n-1)d} = \frac{40-34.174}{\left(\frac{3}{2}-1\right)\times 34.174} = \frac{5.826\times 2}{34.174} = 0.34$$

Or x = 34 % dissociated

i.e., SO<sub>3</sub> is 34% dissociated.

**Sol 11:**  $K_p = p_{CO_2} = 1$  $\log K_p = 7.282 - \frac{8500}{T}$ 

$$\log 1 = 7.282 - \frac{8500}{T}$$

$$T = \frac{8500}{7.282} = 1167.26 \text{ K} = 894.26 \text{°C}$$
Sol 12: Reaction Quotient 
$$= \frac{\left[p_{NO_2}\right]^2}{p_{N_2O_4}} = \frac{100}{10} = 10$$

$$\Delta G_{\text{reaction}}^{\text{o}} = 2 \Delta G_{\text{f }NO_2}^{\text{o}} - \Delta G_{\text{f }N_2O_4}^{\text{o}}$$

$$= 2 \times 50 - 100 = 0$$
We know that,  $\Delta G = \Delta G^{\circ} - 2.303 \text{ RT} \log Q_p$ 

$$= 0 - 2.303 \times 8.314 \times 298 \log 10$$

$$= -5705.8 \text{ J} = -5.705 \text{ kJ}$$

Negative value shows that reaction will be in forward direction.

Sol 13: Ist experiment:

$$\begin{array}{rrrr} & I_2(g) & + & C_3H_6(g) & \Longrightarrow & C_3H_5I(g) + HI(g) \\ t = 0 & 23.9 & 505.8 & 0 & 0 \\ t_{eq.} & (23.9 - 1.8) & (505.8 - 1.8) & 1.80 & 1.80 \end{array}$$

$$K_{p} = \frac{P_{C_{3}H_{5}I} \times P_{HI}}{P_{I_{2}} \times P_{C_{3}H_{6}}} = \frac{1.8 \times 1.8}{22.1 \times 504} = 2.9 \times 10^{-4}$$

Similarly, solve for second experiment.

Sol 14: We know that, 
$$\log \frac{K_2}{K_1} = \frac{\Delta H}{2.303 \text{ R}} \left( \frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right)$$
  
 $\log \frac{0.144}{1.64} = \frac{\Delta H}{2.303 \times 1.987 \times 10^{-3}} \left( \frac{1}{673} - \frac{1}{773} \right)$   
 $\Delta H = -25.14$  kcal for 2 mole  
 $= -12.57$  kcal mol<sup>-1</sup>

Sol 15: 
$$NH_4HS(s) \implies NH_3(g) + H_2S(g)$$
  
Moles of  $NH_4HS = \frac{3.06}{51} = 0.06$   
Degree of dissociation = 0.3  
At equilibrium,

$$\left[ NH_{3}(g) \right] = \frac{0.3 \times 0.06}{2}; \left[ H_{2}S(g) \right] = \frac{0.3}{2} \times 0.06$$

$$K_{c} = [NH_{3}(g)][H_{2}S(g)] = \frac{0.3 \times 0.06 \times 0.3 \times 0.06}{2 \times 2}$$
  
= 8.1 × 10<sup>-5</sup>

Now applying,

$$K_{p} = K_{c} (RT)^{\Delta n} = 8.1 \times 10^{-5} \times (0.082 \times 300)^{2} = 0.049$$

Since, NH, HS is solid, so it causes no change in equilibrium.

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#### Sol 16:

$$PCI_{5} \rightleftharpoons PCI_{3} + CI_{2}$$
At equilibrium (mole) (0.1 - x) x x  
Total number of moles,  

$$n = (0.1 - x) + x + x = (0.1 + x)$$

$$PV = nRT$$

$$1 \times 8 = (0.1 + x) \times 0.082 \times 540$$
Or x = 0.08  

$$K_{c} = \frac{\left[PCI_{3}\right]\left[CI_{2}\right]}{\left[PCI_{5}\right]} = \frac{x^{2}}{(0.1 - x) \times 8}$$

$$= \frac{0.08 \times 0.08}{(0.1 - 0.08)8} = 4 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol } L^{-1}$$

$$K_{p} = K_{c} (RT)^{\Delta n} = K_{c}RT (\Delta n = +1)$$

$$= 4 \times 10^{-2} \times 0.082 \times 540 = 1.77 \text{ atm}$$

Sol 17: We know that,

Pm = dRT $1 \times m = 1.84 \times 0.0821 \times 384$  $m = 29 \times 2$ Vapour density (d) at equilibrium = 29 Initial vapour density = M/2 = 92/2 = 46

$$x = \frac{D-d}{(n-1)d} = \frac{46-29}{29} = 0.586$$

$$N_2O_4 \iff 2NO_2$$

$$t = 0 \qquad 1 \qquad 0$$

$$t_{eq.} \qquad 1-x \qquad 2x \qquad (\text{Total moles} = 1+x)$$

$$p_{N_2O_4} = \frac{1-x}{1+x} \times P; \ p_{NO_2} = \frac{2x}{1+x} \times P$$

$$K_{p} = \frac{4x^{2}P}{1-x^{2}} = \frac{4 \times (0.586)^{2} \times 1}{1 - (0.586)^{2}} = 2.09 \text{ atm}$$

Sol 18:  

$$2NOBr \longrightarrow 2NO + Br_2$$
  
 $2-2a \quad 2a \quad a$   
 $P = 0.28 \text{ atm;} a = 0.33$ 

$$K_{p} = \frac{\left(\frac{2a}{2+a}0.28\right)^{2} \left(\frac{a}{2+a}0.28\right)}{\left(\frac{2.2a}{2+a}0.28\right)^{2}}$$

**Sol 19:** Partial pressure =  $\frac{\text{no. of moles}}{\text{total moles}} \times \text{eq}^{\text{m}}$  pressure

Sol 20: Let calculate no. of moles & 0.92 atm is the total equilibrium pressure.

$$k_{p} = \frac{\left(P_{H_{2}}\right)^{2} \left(P_{CS_{2}}\right)}{\left(P_{CH_{4}}\right) \left(P_{H_{2}S}\right)^{2}}$$
  
$$k_{p} = (\text{no. of moles}) \times \left(\frac{\text{RT}}{\text{v}}\right)^{\Delta n}$$

Sol 21:

$$Cl_{2}(g) \longrightarrow 2Cl(g)$$

$$\frac{(effusion rate)_{Cl_{2}}}{(effusion rate)_{k_{r}}} = \sqrt{\frac{Mk_{r}}{M_{Cl_{2}}}} = \sqrt{\frac{n_{Cl_{2}}}{n_{k_{r}}}}$$

$$\frac{1.16kr}{kr} = \sqrt{\frac{83.1}{71}} = \sqrt{\frac{n_{Cl_{2}}}{n_{k_{r}}}}$$

$$\frac{(1.16)^{2} \times n_{k_{r}}}{83.7} = 71 n_{Cl_{2}}, 0.01607 n_{k_{r}} = 71 n_{Cl_{2}}$$

$$n_{k_{r}} = \frac{71 \times 1}{0.01607} = 4418.17$$
Sol 22: SO<sub>3</sub>  $\longrightarrow$  SO<sub>2</sub> +  $\frac{1}{2}$  O<sub>2</sub>  
(g)

Total P = 1.642 atm Density = 1.28 g/l

(g)



#### **Exercise 2**

#### Single Correct Choice Type

Sol 1: (A) It is an acid-base reaction;

Rest all occurs in reverse direction.

**Sol 2: (D)**  $\Delta n$  may be zero, positive or negative integers or fractional depending upon nature of reaction.

#### Sol 3: (A)

$$\begin{split} K_{p} &= K_{c} \left( RT \right)^{\Delta n} \\ \therefore \Delta n &= -1 \\ \therefore K_{p} &= 26 \times \left( 0.0821 \times 523 \right)^{-1} = 0.61 \text{ atm}^{-1} \end{split}$$

**Sol 4: (D)**  $K_p = K_c (RT)^{\Delta n}$ ;  $\Delta n$  for the given reaction is 2 - 4 = -2

 $R = 0.082 L atm K^{-1} mol^{-1}$ 

Thus, 
$$K_{c} = \frac{K_{p}}{(RT)^{\Delta n}} = \frac{1.44 \times 10^{-5}}{(0.082 \times 773)^{-2}}$$

**Sol 5: (D)** Addition of salt always lowers the vapour pressure. Also vapour pressure of a liquid is its characteristic pressure and depends only on temperature.

**Sol 6: (C)** An increase in volume for the equilibrium having,

$$\mathsf{K}_{\mathsf{c}} = \frac{\left[\mathsf{SO}_{2}\right]\left[\mathsf{CI}_{2}\right]}{\left[\mathsf{SO}_{2}\mathsf{CI}_{2}\right]} = \frac{\left[\mathsf{mole of SO}_{2}\right]\left[\mathsf{mole of CI}_{2}\right]}{\left[\mathsf{mole of SO}_{2}\mathsf{CI}_{2}\right] \times \mathsf{volume}}$$

Will increase the mole of  $Cl_2$  or  $SO_2$  to maintain  $K_c$  values constant.

**Sol 7: (C)** Only  $CO_2$  is gas at equilibrium and  $K_p = P_{CO_2}$ .

**Sol 8: (B)** Before attaining the equilibrium, the rate of forward reaction decreases due to decrease in concentration of reactants with time and the rate of backward reaction increases due to increase in concentration of products with time.

**Sol 9: (C)** Le Chatelier's principle is not valid for solid-solid equilibrium.

Sol 10: (B) 1 mole of N<sub>2</sub> reacts with 3 moles of H<sub>2</sub> thus, for

$$N_{2} + 3H_{2} \iff 2NH_{3}; \quad (a-x) > (a-3x)$$
  
a a  
$$(a-x) \quad (a-3x) \qquad 2x$$

**Sol 11: (A)** Reversible reactions always attains equilibrium and never go for completion.

**Sol 12: (C)** Choices (A) and (D) involves precipitation of AgCl and Pbl<sub>2</sub> respectively; In (B) H<sub>2</sub> is escaped out.

**Sol 13: (D)** 
$$\Delta n = (a+b) - (a+b) = 0$$

Sol 14: (B) Rest all occur in backward direction.

**Sol 15: (A)** Le Chatelier proposed a principle to explain the effect of P, T and C on system in equilibrium.

# Sol 16: (A) $X \xrightarrow{} Y + Z$ $1 - \alpha \qquad \alpha \qquad \alpha$ For (i) $K_{p_1} = \frac{n_y \cdot n_z}{n_x} \frac{P_1}{[\Sigma n]_1} = \frac{\alpha^2}{(1 - \alpha)} \cdot \frac{P_1}{(1 + \alpha)}$ $A \xrightarrow{} 2B$ $1 - \alpha \qquad 2\alpha$ For (ii) $K_{p_2} = \frac{(n_B)^2}{(n_A)} \times \frac{P_2}{[\Sigma n]_2} = \frac{4\alpha^2}{(1 - \alpha)} \cdot \frac{P_2}{(1 + \alpha)}$

$$\therefore \frac{K_{p_1}}{K_{p_2}} = \frac{\alpha^2 \times P_1}{(1-\alpha) \times (1+\alpha)} \times \frac{(1-\alpha)(1+\alpha)}{4\alpha^2 \times P_2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{P_1}{P_2} = \frac{4 \times 9}{1} = \frac{36}{1}$$

**Sol 17: (C)**  $K_c$  is characteristic constant for a given reaction at a temperature.

Sol 18: (D) K<sub>n</sub> remains constant with T. For the reaction,

$$N_2O_4(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NO_2(g)$$

$$K_c = \frac{4a^2\alpha^2}{(a - a\alpha).V}$$

Where, a is initial mole of  $N_2O_4$  present in V L and  $\alpha$  is its degree of dissociation.

Also, 
$$K_p = K (RT)^{\Delta t}$$

On reducing the volume of container to  $\frac{V}{2}L$ , initial concentration of  $N_2O_4$  becomes  $\frac{2a}{V}$ . An increase in concentration leads to more dissociation of  $N_2O_4$  in order to have  $K_c$  constant, a characteristic constant for a given reaction at a temperature.

**Sol 19: (D)**  $K_p$  is a characteristic constant for a given reaction and changes only with temperature.

Sol 20: (A)

$$K_{c} = \frac{\left[NO_{2}\right]^{2}}{\left[N_{2}O_{4}\right]} = \frac{\left[1.2 \times 10^{-2}\right]^{2}}{4.8 \times 10^{-2}} = 3 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol } L^{-1}$$

Sol 21: (A)

 $\begin{array}{cccc} A & + & 2B & \longrightarrow & 2C + D \\ a & b & 0 & 0 \\ (a - x) & (b - 2x) & 2x & x \end{array}$ 

Given, 2x = 0.2, Also, a = 1.1

x = 0.1 b = 2.2  
∴ K<sub>c</sub> = 
$$\frac{4x^3}{(a-x)(b-2x)^2}$$
  
=  $\frac{4 \times (0.1)^3}{(1.1-0.1)(2.2-0.2)^2} = 0.001$ 

**Sol 22: (C)**  $K_{p}$  is independent of initial concentration.

Sol 23: (A) 
$$\Delta G^{\circ} = -2.303 \text{ RT} \log K_{p}$$
  
= -2.303 × 8.314 × 300 log 10<sup>20</sup>  
= -114.88 kJ

**Sol 24: (A)**  $K_c = \frac{1}{[O_2]^5}$ ; note that the expression does

not involve the concentration terms of solid species.

Sol 25: (D)

$$2AB_{3}(g) \xrightarrow{} A_{2}(g) + 3B_{2}(g)$$

$$t = 0 \qquad 8 \qquad 0 \qquad 0$$
At equilibrium (8-a) 
$$a/2 \qquad \frac{3a}{2}$$
Thus, 
$$K_{c} = \frac{\left[A_{2}\right]\left[B_{2}\right]^{3}}{\left[AB_{3}\right]^{2}}; \text{ Also }, \frac{a}{2} = 2 \qquad \therefore a = 4$$

$$\therefore \left[AB_{3}\right] = \frac{4}{1}; \left[A_{2}\right] = \frac{2}{1}; \left[B_{2}\right] = \frac{6}{1}$$
Thus, 
$$K_{c} = \frac{2 \times 6^{3}}{4^{2}} = 27 \text{ mol}^{2}L^{-2}$$

**Sol 26: (B)** K<sub>n</sub> and K<sub>c</sub> values do not change with catalyst.

Sol 27: (D)  

$$A + 2B \implies 2C + D$$

$$a \qquad \frac{3}{2}a \qquad 0 \qquad 0$$

$$(a-x) \qquad \left(\frac{3}{2}a-2x\right) \qquad 2x \qquad x$$
Given,  $a-x = 2x$ 

$$\therefore x = a/3$$
Now,  $K_c = \frac{\left[C\right]^2 \left[D\right]}{\left[A\right] \left[B\right]^2}$ 

#### **Multiple Correct Choice Type**

**Sol 28: (A, B, C)** According to Le – Chatlier's principle, the yield of product in the reaction

 $2A(g) + B(g) \Longrightarrow 2C(g) + QkJ$ 

Would be higher at high temperature and low pressure.

Sol 29:. (A, B, C, D) Le – Chatlier's principle.

**Sol 30: (C, D)** According to Le – Chatlier's principle, the forward reaction at constant temperature is favoured by introducing an inert gas at constant pressure and by introducing PCl<sub>s</sub> at constant volume.

#### **Comprehension Type**

#### Paragraph 1:

Sol 31: (A)

	$2NH_3$	<del>`</del>	$N_2$	+ 3H <sub>2</sub>
at 300 K	10		0	0
at 620 K	(10 - 2x)	)	х	Зx

Pressure increase due to increases in temperature as well as due to increase in moles.

Initially  $P \propto T$ 

15 ∝ 300

 $P \propto 620$ 

:  $P = \frac{620}{300} \times 15 = 31$  atm of 10 moles of NH<sub>3</sub> at 620 K

Now, NH<sub>3</sub> is dissociated to attain 50 atm at 620 K.

Thus, 
$$P \propto n$$
 or  $10 \propto 31$   
 $10 + 2x \propto 31$   
 $\therefore 2x = 6.13$ 

$$\therefore \ \alpha = \frac{2x}{10} \times 100 = \frac{6.13 \times 100}{10} = 61.3\%$$

Sol 32: (D)

$$K_{p} = \frac{n_{N_{2}} \times (NH_{2})^{3}}{\left(n_{NH_{3}}\right)^{2}} \times \left[\frac{P}{\Sigma n}\right]^{2}$$

$$=\frac{\frac{6.13}{2}\times\left[\frac{6.13\times3}{2}\right]^{3}}{\left[10-6.13\right]^{2}}\times\left[\frac{50}{10+6.13}\right]^{2}=1.528\times10^{3} \text{ atm}^{2}$$

**Sol 33: (A)** PV = nRT

 $15\times V = 10\times 0.0821\times 300$ 

 $\therefore$  V = 16.42 litre

#### Paragraph 2:

**Sol 34: (B)** Endothermic reactions are favoured with increase in temperature.

**Sol 35: (A)** Increase in temperature will favour the change showing absorption of heat.

**Sol 36: (C)**  $K_c$  remains constant and thus  $\Delta G^\circ$  is not changed.

# **Previous Years' Questions**

**Sol 1: (C)** When  $n_r > n_p$  then  $K_p < K_c$ 

Where  $n_r = no.$  of moles of reactant  $n_p = no.$  of moles of product.

**Sol 2: (B)** The reaction is exothermic so high temperature will favour backward reaction.

Sol 3: (B, C) According to Le-Chatelier's principle.

**Sol 4: (A, B, C, D)** 
$$C_2H_4 + H_2 \rightleftharpoons C_2H_6 \Delta H = -32.7$$
 kcal

The above reaction is exothermic, increasing temperature will favor backwawrd reaction, will increase the amount of  $C_2H_4$ . Decreasing pressure will favour reaction in direction containing more molecules (reactant side in the present case). Therefore, decreasing pressure will increase amount of  $C_2H_4$ .

Removing  $H_2$ . which is a reactant, will favour reaction in backward direction, more  $C_2H_4$  will be formed.

Adding  $C_2H_6$  will favour backward reaction and some of the  $C_2H_6$  will be dehydrogenated to  $C_2H_4$ .

**Sol 5: (D)** NaNO<sub>3</sub>(s) 
$$\implies$$
 NaNO<sub>2</sub>(s) +  $\frac{1}{2}O_2(g)$   $\Delta H > 0$ 

 $NaNO_3$  and  $NaNO_2$  are in solid state, changing their amount has no effect on equilibrium. Increasing temperature will favour forward reaction due to endothermic nature of reaction. Also, increasing pressure will favour backward reaction in which some  $O_2$  (g) will combine with  $NaNO_2$ (s) forming  $NaNO_3$ .

**Sol 6: (A)** Temperature and pressure both affects the concentration of  $X_{3}Y$ 

**Sol 7: (D)**  $SO_2Cl_2(g) \rightleftharpoons SO_2(g) + Cl_2(g)$ 

Adding inert gas at constant volume will not affect partial pressure of reactant or products, hence will not affect equilibrium amount of either reactant or products.

Sol 8: (A) Factors affecting equilibrium are pressure, temperature and concentration of product of reactant.

Sol 9: (D) As per Le-Chatelier's principle.

Sol 10: (D) At constant temperature and pressure, chemical reactions are spontaneous in the direction of decreasing Gibbs energy.

Sol 11: (A, B, D)  $\Delta H$  is dependent on T

- (B) K is independent of the initial amount of CaCO<sub>2</sub>
- (D)  $\Delta H$  is independent of the catalyst, if any

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#### Sol 12: (B)

$$\begin{split} X_{2(g)} &\to 2X_{(g)} \\ t = 0 \text{ (No.of moles)} & 1 & 0 \\ t = t & 1 - \frac{\beta}{2} & \beta \\ t = t_{eq} & \left(1 - \frac{\beta_{eq}}{2}\right) & \beta_{eq} \\ \\ P_x &= 2 \left(\frac{\beta_{eq}}{1 + \frac{\beta_{eq}}{2}}\right) & \text{nTotal} = 1 - \frac{\beta_{eq}}{2} + \beta_{eq} = \left(1 + \frac{\beta_{eq}}{2}\right) \\ Px_2 &= 2 \left(\frac{1 - \beta_{eq/2}}{1 + \beta_{eq/2}}\right) \\ \\ Fx_2 &= 2 \left(\frac{1 - \beta_{eq/2}}{1 + \beta_{eq/2}}\right) \\ \\ K_p &= \frac{\left(Px\right)^2}{Px_2} = \frac{\left[2 \left(\frac{\beta_{eq}}{1 + \beta_{eq}/2}\right)\right]^2}{\left[2 \left(\frac{1 - \beta_{eq}/2}{1 + \beta_{eq}/2}\right)\right]^2} = \frac{2\beta_{eq}^2}{1 - \frac{\beta_{eq}^2}{4}} = \frac{8\beta_{eq}^2}{4 - \beta_{eq}^2} \end{split}$$

**Sol 13: (C)** If 
$$\beta_{eq} = 0.7$$

$$K_{p} = \frac{8 \times (0.7)^{2}}{4 - (0.7)^{2}} = \frac{3.92}{3.51} > 1$$

Which can't be possible as  $\Delta G^{\circ} > 0 \implies K_{_{D}} < 1$ .

 $\therefore$  Therefore, option (C) is incorrect.