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## 12 Chapter 1

1. The molecular weights of N, H<sub>2</sub>S, and NaHCO<sub>3</sub> are 14, 34.1, and 84, respectively.

$$1 \text{ mg/L} = 1 \text{ ppm}; 1 \text{ }\mu\text{g/L} = 10^{-6} \text{ g}/10^3 \text{ g} = 1 \text{ ppb} = 10^{-3} \text{ ppm}$$

(a)  $4.2 \text{ mg N/L} = 4.2 \text{ ppm} = 4\,200 \text{ ppb}$

$$4.2 \frac{\text{mg N}}{\text{L}} \times \frac{1 \text{ M}}{14\,000 \text{ mg}} = 3.00 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M} = 3.00 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$$

(b)  $12 \text{ }\mu\text{g H}_2\text{S/L} = 12 \text{ ppb} = 12 \times 10^{-3} \text{ ppm}$

$$12 \frac{\mu\text{g}}{\text{L}} \times \frac{1 \text{ M}}{34.1 \times 10^6 \mu\text{g}} = 3.52 \times 10^{-7} \text{ M} = 3.52 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}$$

(c)  $1.36 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M} = 1.36 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$

$$1.36 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\text{mole}}{\text{L}} \times \frac{84\,000 \text{ mg}}{\text{mole}} = 114 \text{ mg/L} = 114 \text{ ppm} = 114 \times 10^3 \text{ ppb}$$

- 2.

Substance	MW	Concentration	moles in 1 L	mole fraction
H <sub>2</sub> O	18.0	1 000 g/L	55.56	1.00
NaCl	58.5	75 mg/L	$1.28 \times 10^{-3}$	$2.30 \times 10^{-5}$
C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>12</sub> O <sub>6</sub>	180.0	120 mg/L	$6.67 \times 10^{-4}$	$1.20 \times 10^{-5}$
O <sub>2</sub>	32.0	8 mg/L	$2.50 \times 10^{-4}$	$4.50 \times 10^{-6}$
Ca(HCO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	162.0	150 mg/L	$9.26 \times 10^{-4}$	$1.67 \times 10^{-5}$
MgSO <sub>4</sub>	120.4	45 mg/L	$3.74 \times 10^{-4}$	$6.73 \times 10^{-6}$
KNO <sub>3</sub>	101.1	15 mg/L	$1.48 \times 10^{-4}$	$2.66 \times 10^{-6}$
		Total	55.56	1.00

The last column was calculated after the total moles in the system was calculated.

- 3.

Substance	[ ], mg/L	MW	Factor	[ ] as N, mg/L
NO <sub>2</sub> <sup>-</sup>	0.40	46	14/46 = 0.304	0.12
NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup>	1.90	62	14/62 = 0.226	0.43
NH <sub>3</sub>	0.70	17	14/17 = 0.824	0.58
NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup>	8.90	18	14/18 = 0.778	6.92
			Total	8.05

4. 
$$[\text{CO}] = 2.0 \text{ ppm} \left( \frac{1 \text{ mg}}{10^6 \text{ mg}} / \text{ppm} \right) \left( \frac{1.292 \text{ g air}}{\text{L}} \right) \left( \frac{10^3 \text{ mg}}{1 \text{ g}} \right) \left( \frac{10^3 \text{ L}}{1 \text{ m}^3} \right) \left( \frac{10^3 \mu\text{g}}{\text{mg}} \right)$$

$$= 2.59 \times 10^3 \mu\text{g/m}^3$$

5. (a) NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> has a net charge of +1. Each H has an oxidation number of +1. ∴ N has an oxidation number of -3.

$\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  has a net charge of  $-2$ . The 4 O's each have an oxidation number of  $-2$ .  $\therefore$  S has an oxidation number of  $+6$ .

Fe has an oxidation number that will make the overall compound neutral.

$$\text{Fe ox. no.} = -[2(+1) + 2(-2)] = +2$$

(b) The oxidation numbers on each H are  $+1$  for a total contribution of  $+4$ .

The oxidation numbers on each O are  $-2$  for a total contribution of  $-4$ .

The C-C bond makes no contribution. The C on the right is bonded to two O's, one of which has an H bonded to it. The ox. no. of this carbon is  $-[1(1) + 2(-2)] = +3$ . To maintain a neutral compound the oxidation number on the other C must be  $-3$  (which can also be determined by noting that it is bonded to three H atoms).

6. The compound is neutral. The average oxidation number on each C is

$$\text{ox. no.} = -\frac{12(1) + 6(-2)}{6} = 0.$$

7.  $\text{NaClO}_4$ : Na -  $+1$ ; O -  $-2$ ;  $x = -[1 + (4)(-2)] = +7$

$\text{NaClO}_3$ : Na -  $+1$ ; O -  $-2$ ;  $x = -[1 + (3)(-2)] = +5$

$\text{ClO}_2$ : O -  $-2$ ;  $x = -(2)(-2) = +4$

$\text{NaOCl}$ : Na -  $+1$ ; O -  $-2$ ;  $x = -(1 - 2) = +1$

$\text{HOCl}$ : H -  $+1$ ; O -  $-2$ ;  $x = -(1 - 2) = +1$

$\text{NH}_2\text{Cl}$ : Because Cl is more electronegative than N it must have an oxidation number of  $-1$ . H -  $+1$ ;

for N,  $x = -[-1 + 2(1)] = +1$

$\text{NHCl}_2$ : Cl -  $-1$ ; H -  $+1$ ; for N,  $x = -[2(-1) + 1] = +1$

$\text{NCl}_3$ : Cl -  $-1$ ; for N,  $x = -3(-1) = +3$

$\text{HCl}$ : H -  $+1$ ;  $x = -(1) = -1$

8. (a)  $6\text{H}_2\text{O} + 6\text{CO}_2 \Leftrightarrow \text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6 + 6\text{O}_2$

(b)  $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + 3\text{Ca}(\text{HCO}_3)_2 \Leftrightarrow 2\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3 + 3\text{CO}_2 + 3\text{CaSO}_4$

9. Nitrate is produced from the oxidation of ammonia in aerobic (oxygen is utilized) biological wastewater treatment.

(a) Determine which of the following core reactions is feasible and balance it.

i.  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{O}_2 \approx \text{NO}_3^-$

ii.  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{O}_2 \approx \text{NO}_3^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

iii.  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{O}_2 \approx \text{NO}_3^- + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{H}^+$

iv.  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{O}_2 \approx \text{NO}_3^- + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{OH}^-$

v.  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{O}_2 \approx \text{NO}_3^- + \text{H}_2$



Only reaction (iii) is feasible because the charge will balance on each side of the equation. O needs to be multiplied by 2 on the left-hand side, which will not affect the charge balance.

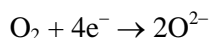


(b) Oxidation reaction for ammonia

Ammonium adds an additional H to the LHS and an additional positive charge. An  $\text{H}^+$  is required on the RHS.

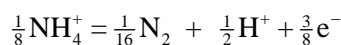
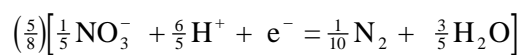
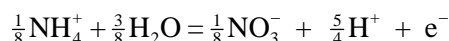


10. In an electron transfer reaction, the oxidation number of oxygen decreases from 0 to  $-2$ . The equivalent weight of oxygen is  $16/2 = 8$  g. For  $\text{O}_2$ , each oxygen atom decreases its oxidation number from 0 to  $-2$ .



The equivalent weight is  $32/4 = 8$  g. Also reaction 28 in Table 1.3 can be checked to show that the equivalent weight of  $\text{O}_2$  is 8 g.

11. Use reactions 25 and 27 from Table 1.3. Reverse reaction 25.



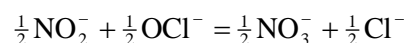
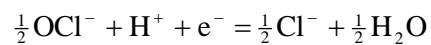
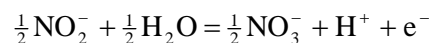
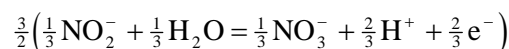
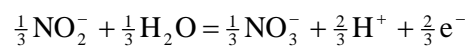
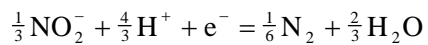
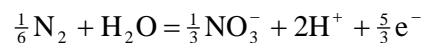
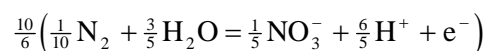
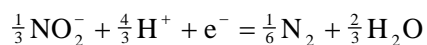
Normalizing the half-reaction to the transfer of 1  $\text{e}^-$ :  $\frac{1}{3}\text{NH}_4^+ = \frac{1}{6}\text{N}_2 + \frac{4}{3}\text{H}^+ + \text{e}^-$

The gram molecular weight of ammonium is

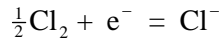
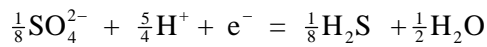
$$\text{MW} = 14.0 + 4(1.0) = 18.0 \text{ g}$$

Its equivalent weight in this reaction is  $18 \text{ g}/3 = 6.0 \text{ g}$ .

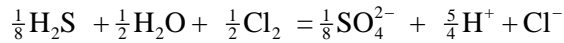
12. Use reactions 26 and 27 (or reactions 24 and 25) in Table 1.3 to find a half-reaction for  $\text{NO}_2^-$  and  $\text{NO}_3^-$ .



13. (a) The half-reactions involved are

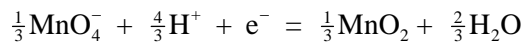


Reversing the reaction for sulfide and adding it to the chlorine reaction, the overall reaction is

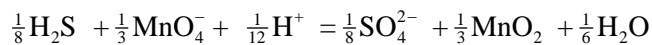


There is a net production of 1 H<sup>+</sup> for each 1/8 mole of S<sup>2-</sup> oxidized. Because H<sup>+</sup> is on the right hand side, a high concentration of H<sup>+</sup> will favor the reaction to the left. Therefore a high pH (low [H<sup>+</sup>]) favors the reaction to the right.

The half-reaction for permanganate-manganese dioxide is



The overall reaction is



In this case a low pH (high [H<sup>+</sup>]) would favor the reaction.

14. Although ions may have the same charge, different sizes of ions will be less mobile which affects current carrying ability. Charge interaction effects occur in more highly concentrated solutions which also affects equivalent conductance.

15. From Eq. (1.11)  $\mu = 1.6 \times 10^{-5} \kappa$

From Eq. (1.10)  $\mu = 2.5 \times 10^{-5} (\text{TDS})$

Equating the two:  $1.6 \times 10^{-5} \kappa = 2.5 \times 10^{-5} (\text{TDS})$

$$\kappa = \frac{2.5 \times 10^{-5}}{1.6 \times 10^{-5}} (\text{TDS}) = 1.56 (\text{TDS})$$

where TDS is in mg/L

$\kappa$  is in  $\mu\text{mhos/cm}$

16. Eq. (1.26):  $k = A \exp\left(-\frac{E_a}{RT}\right)$  Eq. (1.27):  $k_{T_2} = k_{T_1} \theta^{(T_2 - T_1)}$

From Eq. (1.26),

$$\frac{k_{T_2}}{k_{T_1}} = \exp\left[-\frac{E_a}{R}\left(\frac{1}{T_2} - \frac{1}{T_1}\right)\right] = \exp\left[\frac{E_a}{R}\left(\frac{T_2 - T_1}{T_1 T_2}\right)\right] = \exp\left[\frac{E_a}{RT_1 T_2}(T_2 - T_1)\right]$$

$$\therefore \theta = e^{\frac{E_a}{RT_1 T_2}}$$

17.  $p = 0.21 \text{ atm}$ ,  $T = 25^\circ\text{C} = 25^\circ + 273.2^\circ = 298.2^\circ\text{K}$

$$pV = nRT$$

$$R = 0.082 \text{ L-atm/}^\circ\text{-mole}$$

$$\frac{n}{V} = \frac{p}{RT} = \frac{0.21 \text{ atm}}{(0.082 \text{ L-atm/}^\circ\text{-mole})(298.2^\circ)} = 8.59 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$$

$$= \left( 8.59 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\text{mole}}{\text{L}} \right) \left( \frac{32 \text{ g}}{\text{mole}} \right) \left( \frac{1000 \text{ mg}}{\text{g}} \right) = 275 \text{ mg/L}$$

18. Air contains 21% oxygen and 79% nitrogen by volume.  $p_T = 1 \text{ atm}$ .

$$pV = nRT$$

$$p_{O_2} = 0.21(1 \text{ atm}) = 0.21 \text{ atm}$$

$$R = 0.082 \text{ L-atm/}^\circ\text{-mole}$$

$$\text{for } O_2: \frac{n}{V} = \frac{p}{RT} = \frac{0.21 \text{ atm}}{(0.082 \text{ L-atm/}^\circ\text{-mole})(298.2^\circ)} = 8.59 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$$

$$= \left( 8.59 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\text{mole}}{\text{L}} \right) \left( \frac{32 \text{ g}}{\text{mole}} \right) = 0.275 \text{ g/L}$$

$$p_{N_2} = 0.79(1 \text{ atm}) = 0.79 \text{ atm}$$

$$\text{for } N_2: \frac{n}{V} = \frac{p}{RT} = \frac{0.79 \text{ atm}}{(0.082 \text{ L-atm/}^\circ\text{-mole})(298.2^\circ)} = 0.0323 \text{ M}$$

$$= \left( 0.0323 \frac{\text{mole}}{\text{L}} \right) \left( \frac{28 \text{ g}}{\text{mole}} \right) = 0.904 \text{ g/L}$$

The density of air at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  is

$$\rho = 0.904 + 0.275 = 1.18 \text{ g/L}$$

(Other substances in atmospheric air slightly change this value.)

19. From Henry's law:

$$C_s = K_H p_{N_2}$$

From Table 1.4, at  $0^\circ\text{C}$  for  $N_2$ ,  $K_H = 29.1 \text{ mg/L-atm}$

From Dalton's law:

$$p_{N_2} = 0.79 p_T = 0.79(1.0) = 0.79 \text{ atm}$$

$$C_s = (29.1 \text{ mg/L-atm})(0.79 \text{ atm}) = 23.0 \text{ mg/L}$$

From Table 1.4, at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  for  $N_2$ ,  $K_H = 18.0 \text{ mg/L-atm}$

$$C_s = (18.0 \text{ mg/L-atm})(0.79 \text{ atm}) = 14.2 \text{ mg/L}$$

20. The depth is 100 m and atmospheric air contains oxygen at 0.21 atm.

$$C_s = K_H p_{O_2}$$

The total pressure at a depth of 100 m is  $p = p_0 + \rho gh$

$$p_0 = \text{atmospheric pressure} = 101.3 \text{ kN/m}^2 = 101.3 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m-s}^2$$

The density of water,  $\rho = 997.0 \text{ kg/m}^3$  at  $25^\circ\text{C}$

$$g = 9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$$

The total pressure at a depth of 100 m is

$$p = 101.3 \times 10^3 + (997.0 \text{ kg/m}^3)(9.81 \text{ m/s}^2)(100 \text{ m}) = 101.3 \times 10^3 + 978.1 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m-s}^2$$

$$= 1\,079.4 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m-s}^2 = \left( 1\,079.4 \times 10^3 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m-s}^2} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ atm}}{101.3 \times 10^3 \frac{\text{kg}}{\text{m-s}^2}} \right) = 10.66 \text{ atm}$$

The composition of gas will not change as it is compressed. From Dalton's law, the partial pressure of oxygen is

$$p_{\text{O}_2} = \frac{n_1}{n_2} p_T = 0.21(1\,079.4 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m-s}^2) = 226.7 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m-s}^2$$

$$= 2.24 \text{ atm}$$

Using Henry's law:  $C_s = (39.3 \text{ mg/L-atm})(2.24 \text{ atm}) = 88.0 \text{ mg/L}$

21. At  $0^\circ\text{C}$ , the Henry's law constants for  $\text{CH}_4$  and  $\text{Cl}_2$  are given in Table 1.4 as 3 968 and 1 460 mg/L-atm, respectively. The units on the Henry's law constants are

$$K_H = \frac{[G(\text{aq})]}{[G(\text{g})]} = \frac{\text{mg/L}}{\text{atm}}; \quad K'_H = \frac{[G(\text{aq})]}{[G(\text{g})]} = \frac{\text{mole/L of solution}}{\text{mole/L of air}}$$

$$\frac{K'_H}{K_H} = \frac{\frac{\text{mole/L}}{\text{mg/L}}}{\frac{\text{mole/L}}{\text{atm}}} = \frac{\text{mole/mg}}{\text{mole/L - atm}} \quad \text{or} \quad K'_H = K_H \frac{\text{mole/mg}}{\text{mole/L - atm}}$$

At a temperature of  $0^\circ\text{C}$  and pressure of 1 atm, 1 mole of gas occupies 22.4 L. In the denominator, the number is  $1/22.4 = 0.0446$ . For  $\text{CH}_4$ , there is 1 mole/16 000 mg =  $6.25 \times 10^{-5}$  mole/mg; for  $\text{Cl}_2$  there is 1 mole/70 900 mg =  $1.41 \times 10^{-5}$  mole/mg.

$$\text{For } \text{CH}_4: K'_H = (1\,460) \frac{6.25 \times 10^{-5}}{0.0446} = 2.05$$

$$\text{For } \text{Cl}_2: K'_H = (3\,968) \frac{1.41 \times 10^{-5}}{0.0446} = 1.25$$

22. (a)  $C_0 = 2.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$ ,  $k = 0.063 \text{ h}^{-1}$ ,  $T = 10^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $t = 2 \text{ h}$

$$\frac{dC}{dt} = -kC \Rightarrow C = C_0 e^{-kt}$$

$$C = (2.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}) e^{-(0.063)(2)} = 2.29 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

$\theta = 1.06$ , at  $30^\circ\text{C}$

$$k_{T_2} = k_{T_1} \theta^{(T_2 - T_1)} \Rightarrow k_{30} = (0.063 \text{ h}^{-1})(1.062)^{(30 - 10)} = 0.21 \text{ h}^{-1}$$

$$C = (2.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}) e^{-(0.21)(2)} = 1.71 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

(b)  $\frac{dC}{dt} = -kC^2 \Rightarrow \int_{C_0}^C \frac{dC}{C^2} = -k \int_0^t dt$

$$-\frac{1}{C} \Big|_{C_0}^C = -kt, \quad \frac{1}{C_0} - \frac{1}{C} = -kt$$

$$\frac{1}{C} = \frac{1}{C_0} + kt, \quad C = \frac{C_0}{1 + C_0 kt}$$

$$C = \frac{2.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ moles/L}}{1 + (2.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ moles/L})(106.8 \text{ L/moles/h})(2 \text{ h})} = 2.46 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

$$\theta = 1.062, \text{ at } 30^\circ\text{C}$$

$$k_{30} = (106.8 \text{ h}^{-1})(1.062)^{(30-10)} = 355.7 \text{ h}^{-1}$$

$$C = \frac{2.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ moles/L}}{1 + (2.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ moles/L})(355.7 \text{ L/moles/h})(2 \text{ h})} = 2.19 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

$$23. \quad \Delta T = 10^\circ\text{C} = T_2 - T_1; \quad \left(\frac{dC}{dt}\right)_{T_2} = 2\left(\frac{dC}{dt}\right)_{T_1}$$

$$k_{T_2} C^n = 2k_{T_1} C^n$$

$$k_{T_2} = k_{T_1} \theta^{(T_2 - T_1)}$$

$$(T_2 - T_1) \ln \theta = \ln \left( \frac{k_{T_2}}{k_{T_1}} \right) \quad \ln \theta = \frac{1}{(T_2 - T_1)} \ln \left( \frac{k_{T_2}}{k_{T_1}} \right)$$

$$\theta = \left( \frac{k_{T_2}}{k_{T_1}} \right)^{\frac{1}{T_2 - T_1}} = 2^{\frac{1}{10}} = 1.072$$

$$24. \quad k = 0.22 \text{ d}^{-1}, \quad \alpha = 0.0085 \text{ d}^{-1}$$

$$\frac{dC}{dt} = -\frac{k}{1 + \alpha t}, \quad \int_{C_0}^C \frac{dC}{C} = -k \int_0^t \frac{dt}{1 + \alpha t}$$

$$\ln(C/C_0) = -\frac{k}{\alpha} \ln(1 + \alpha t) \Big|_0^t$$

$$\ln(C/C_0) = -\frac{k}{\alpha} \ln(1 + \alpha t)$$

$$\text{Taking the antilog of each side: } \frac{C}{C_0} = (1 + \alpha t)^{-k/\alpha}$$

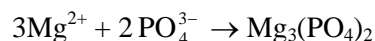
$$\text{Substituting values for the coefficients: } \frac{C}{C_0} = (1 + 0.0085t)^{-0.22/0.0085} = (1 + 0.0085t)^{-25.9}$$

Data are given in the table below for times up to 10.0 days.

t, d	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	4.0	5.0	6.0	8.0	10.0
C/C <sub>0</sub> , %	89.6	80.3	72.0	64.6	58.0	52.1	42.1	34.0	27.6	18.2	12.1

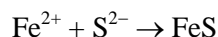
$$25. \quad \text{Define } S \text{ as solubility.}$$

$$(a) \quad \text{Mg}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2, \quad S = 6.1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$



$$K_{sp} = (3S)^3(2S)^2 = 108S^5 = 108(6.1 \times 10^{-5})^5 = 9.12 \times 10^{-20}$$

(b)  $\text{FeS}, S = 6.3 \times 10^{-9} \text{ M}$



$$K_{sp} = (S)(S) = S^2 = (6.3 \times 10^{-9})^2 = 3.97 \times 10^{-17}$$

(c)  $\text{CuF}_2, S = 7.4 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$

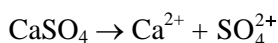


$$K_{sp} = (S)(2S)^2 = 4S^3 = 4(7.4 \times 10^{-3})^3 = 1.62 \times 10^{-6}$$

26. The initial concentrations of  $\text{CaSO}_4$  and  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$  are:

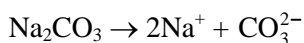
$$\text{CaSO}_4: \left(40 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{L}}\right) \left[ \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{(40.1 + 32.1 + 4 \times 16.0)\text{g}} \right] \left( \frac{1 \text{ g}}{10^3 \text{ mg}} \right) = 2.94 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

$$\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3: \left(100 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{L}}\right) \left[ \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{(2 \times 23.1 + 12.0 + 3 \times 16.0)\text{g}} \right] \left( \frac{1 \text{ g}}{10^3 \text{ mg}} \right) = 9.42 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$



$$x \quad x \quad x$$

The initial concentration of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  is  $2.94 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$

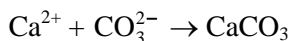


$$x \quad 2x \quad x$$

The initial concentration of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  is  $9.42 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$

At equilibrium,

$$[\text{Ca}^{2+}][\text{CO}_3^{2-}] = 5.00 \times 10^{-9} = xy \text{ which corresponds to the reaction}$$



$$z \quad z \quad z$$

$$x = 2.94 \times 10^{-4} - z; \quad y = 9.42 \times 10^{-4} - z$$

$$(2.94 \times 10^{-4} - z)(9.42 \times 10^{-4} - z) = 5.00 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$z^2 - 1.24 \times 10^{-3} z + 2.76 \times 10^{-7}$$

$$z = \frac{1.24 \times 10^{-3} \pm \sqrt{1.54 \times 10^{-6} - 4(1)(2.76 \times 10^{-7})}}{2} = \frac{1.24 \times 10^{-3} \pm 6.60 \times 10^{-4}}{2}$$

$$= 9.50 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}, 2.90 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

It is impossible for  $z = 9.50 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$  because the initial concentration of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  is lower than this value. Therefore the answer is  $2.90 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$ . The final concentrations of the species are:

$$[\text{Ca}^{2+}] = 2.94 \times 10^{-4} - 2.90 \times 10^{-4} = 4.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$$

$$[\text{CO}_3^{2-}] = 9.42 \times 10^{-4} - 2.90 \times 10^{-4} = 6.52 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

27. The molar concentrations of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  and  $\text{F}^-$  are:

$$\text{Ca}^{2+}: \quad \left(150 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{L}}\right) \left[\frac{1 \text{ mole}}{40.1 \text{ g}}\right] \left(\frac{1 \text{ g}}{10^3 \text{ mg}}\right) = 3.74 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$$

$$\text{F}^-: \quad \left(1 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{L}}\right) \left[\frac{1 \text{ mole}}{19.0 \text{ g}}\right] \left(\frac{1 \text{ g}}{10^3 \text{ mg}}\right) = 5.26 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$

The precipitation reaction is



$$x \quad 2x \quad x$$

$$[\text{Ca}^{2+}][\text{F}^-]^2 = 3.00 \times 10^{-11}$$

$$x(2x)^2 = 4x^3 = 3.00 \times 10^{-11}$$

$$\text{If } [\text{Ca}^{2+}] = 3.74 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$$

$$[\text{F}^-] = \sqrt{\frac{3.00 \times 10^{-11}}{[\text{Ca}^{2+}]}} = \sqrt{\frac{3.00 \times 10^{-11}}{3.74 \times 10^{-3}}} = 8.96 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$

$$\text{The maximum amount of F}^- \text{ is } \left(8.96 \times 10^{-5} \frac{\text{M}}{\text{L}}\right) \left(\frac{19\,000 \text{ mg}}{\text{mole}}\right) = 1.70 \text{ mg/L}$$

$$\text{If } [\text{F}^-] = 1.0 \text{ mg/L}$$

$$[\text{Ca}^{2+}] = \frac{3.00 \times 10^{-11}}{[\text{F}^-]^2} = \frac{3.00 \times 10^{-11}}{(5.26 \times 10^{-5})^2} = 0.0108 \text{ M}$$

The maximum amount of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  is

$$[\text{Ca}^{2+}] = \left(0.0108 \frac{\text{M}}{\text{L}}\right) \left(\frac{40\,100 \text{ mg}}{\text{mole}}\right) = 435 \text{ mg/L}$$

27. A ligand is a set of atoms, ions, or molecules bonded to a central atom or ion in a complex.

28. free  $[\text{Hg}^{2+}] = 0.10 \text{ mg/L}$ , free  $[\text{Cl}^-] = 0.5 \text{ mg/L}$

The MWs of  $\text{Hg}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cl}^-$  are 200.6 and 35.45 g, respectively.

$$[\text{Hg}^{2+}] = \left(0.10 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{L}}\right) \left(\frac{1 \text{ mole}}{200.6 \text{ g}}\right) \left(\frac{1 \text{ g}}{1\,000 \text{ mg}}\right) = 4.98 \times 10^{-7} \text{ M}$$

$$[\text{Cl}^-] = \left(0.50 \frac{\text{mg}}{\text{L}}\right) \left(\frac{1 \text{ mole}}{35.45 \text{ g}}\right) \left(\frac{1 \text{ g}}{1\,000 \text{ mg}}\right) = 1.41 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$



$$K_1 = \frac{[\text{HgCl}^+]}{[\text{Hg}^{2+}][\text{Cl}^-]} \quad [\text{HgCl}^+] = K_1[\text{Hg}^{2+}][\text{Cl}^-]$$

$$[\text{HgCl}^+] = 8.8(4.98 \times 10^{-7})(1.41 \times 10^{-5}) = 6.18 \times 10^{-11}$$

$$[\text{HgCl}_2] = K_2[\text{HgCl}^+][\text{Cl}^-] = 8.7(6.18 \times 10^{-11})(1.41 \times 10^{-5}) = 7.58 \times 10^{-15}$$

$$[\text{HgCl}_3^-] = K_3[\text{HgCl}_2][\text{Cl}^-] = 1.0(7.58 \times 10^{-15})(1.41 \times 10^{-5}) = 1.07 \times 10^{-19}$$

$$[\text{HgCl}_4^{2-}] = K_4[\text{HgCl}_3^-][\text{Cl}^-] = 0.78(1.07 \times 10^{-19})(1.41 \times 10^{-5}) = 1.18 \times 10^{-24}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma \text{HgCl}_i^{2-i} &= 4.98 \times 10^{-7} + 6.18 \times 10^{-11} + 7.58 \times 10^{-15} + 1.07 \times 10^{-19} + 1.18 \times 10^{-24} \\ &= 4.98 \times 10^{-7} \end{aligned}$$

29. Stability constant for  $\text{AgCl}_3^{2-}$

$$\beta_3 = \frac{[\text{AgCl}_3^{2-}]}{[\text{Ag}^+][\text{Cl}^-]^3}$$

$$K_1 = \frac{[\text{AgCl}]}{[\text{Ag}^{2+}][\text{Cl}^-]}, K_2 = \frac{[\text{AgCl}_2^-]}{[\text{AgCl}][\text{Cl}^-]}, K_3 = \frac{[\text{AgCl}_3^{2-}]}{[\text{AgCl}_2^-][\text{Cl}^-]}$$

$$K_1 = 3.45, K_2 = 2.22, K_3 = 0.33$$

$$\beta_3 = K_1 K_2 K_3 = (3.45)(2.22)(0.33) = 2.53$$

30.  $1 \text{ Bq} = 27 \times 10^{-9} \text{ Ci}$

For Ra-226, activity = 1 Ci/g.

For potassium-40, activity =  $6.9 \times 10^{-6} \text{ Ci/g}$

For cobalt-60, activity =  $1.1 \times 10^3 \text{ Ci/g}$

For cesium-137, activity = 87 Ci/g

For radon-222, activity =  $1.6 \times 10^5 \text{ Ci/g}$

Define  $M$  as the mass

$A$  as the activity = 0.1 Bq

$a$  as the specific activity

$$\text{For radium-226: } M = \frac{A}{a} = (0.1 \text{ Bq}) \left( \frac{27 \times 10^{-9} \text{ Ci}}{1 \text{ Bq}} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ g}}{\text{Ci}} \right) = 2.7 \times 10^{-9} \text{ g} = 2.7 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mg}$$

$$\text{For potassium-40: } M = \frac{A}{a} = (0.1 \text{ Bq}) \left( \frac{27 \times 10^{-9} \text{ Ci}}{1 \text{ Bq}} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ g}}{6.9 \times 10^{-6} \text{ Ci}} \right) = 3.91 \times 10^{-4} \text{ g} = 0.391 \text{ mg}$$

$$\text{For cobalt-60: } M = \frac{A}{a} = (0.1 \text{ Bq}) \left( \frac{27 \times 10^{-9} \text{ Ci}}{1 \text{ Bq}} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ g}}{1.1 \times 10^3 \text{ Ci}} \right) = 2.45 \times 10^{-12} \text{ g} = 2.45 \times 10^{-9} \text{ mg}$$

$$\text{For cesium-137: } M = \frac{A}{a} = (0.1 \text{ Bq}) \left( \frac{27 \times 10^{-9} \text{ Ci}}{1 \text{ Bq}} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ g}}{87 \text{ Ci}} \right) = 3.10 \times 10^{-11} \text{ g} = 3.10 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mg}$$

$$\text{For radon-222: } M = \frac{A}{a} = (0.1 \text{ Bq}) \left( \frac{27 \times 10^{-9} \text{ Ci}}{1 \text{ Bq}} \right) \left( \frac{1 \text{ g}}{1.6 \times 10^5 \text{ Ci}} \right) = 1.69 \times 10^{-14} \text{ g} = 1.69 \times 10^{-11} \text{ mg}$$



32. Radioactive decay of an unstable isotope generally does not terminate radiation because the daughter isotope(s) are usually unstable.
33. 1 g of uranium I decays for 1 000 yr, find radium formation

$$\text{Uranium I decay: } \frac{dm_{\text{UI}}}{dt} = -k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}} \quad \int_{m_{\text{UI}0}}^{m_1} \frac{dm_{\text{UI}}}{m_{\text{UI}}} = -k_{\text{UI}} \int_0^t dt \Rightarrow m_{\text{UI}} = m_{\text{UI}0} e^{-k_{\text{UI}} t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} {}^{234}_{90}\text{Th production and decay: } \frac{dm_{\text{Th}}}{dt} &= f \left( \frac{dm_{\text{Th}}}{dt} \right)_{\text{production}} - \left( \frac{dm_{\text{Th}}}{dt} \right)_{\text{decay}} \\ &= f_1 k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}} - k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{Th}} = f_1 k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}0} e^{-k_{\text{UI}} t} - k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{Th}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dm_{\text{Th}}}{dt} + k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{Th}} = f k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}0} e^{-k_{\text{UI}} t}$$

$$e^{k_{\text{Th}} t} \left( \frac{dm_{\text{Th}}}{dt} + k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{Th}} \right) = \frac{d}{dt} (m_{\text{Th}} e^{k_{\text{Th}} t})$$

$$\int d(m_{\text{Th}} e^{k_{\text{Th}} t}) = m_{\text{Th}} e^{k_{\text{Th}} t} = f_1 k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}0} \int e^{(k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}) t} dt = \frac{f_1 k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}} e^{(k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}) t} + C$$

$$m_{\text{Th}} = \frac{f_1 k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}} e^{-k_{\text{UI}} t} + C e^{-k_{\text{Th}} t}$$

The initial concentration of  ${}^{234}_{90}\text{Th} = 0$ .

$$0 = \frac{f_1 k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}} e^{-k_{\text{UI}}(0)} + C e^{-k_{\text{Th}}(0)} \Rightarrow C = -\frac{f_1 k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}}$$

$$m_{\text{Th}} = \frac{f_1 k_{\text{UI}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}} (e^{-k_{\text{UI}} t} - e^{-k_{\text{Th}} t})$$

The developments for the other products follow the above procedure.

$$\text{For } {}^{234}_{91}\text{Pa}^m: \frac{dm_{\text{Pa}}}{dt} = f_2 k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{Pa}} m_{\text{Pa}} = \frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}} (e^{-k_{\text{UI}} t} - e^{-k_{\text{Th}} t}) - k_{\text{Pa}} m_{\text{Pa}}$$

$$\frac{dm_{\text{Pa}}}{dt} + k_{\text{Pa}} m_{\text{Pa}} = \frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}} (e^{-k_{\text{UI}} t} - e^{-k_{\text{Th}} t})$$

$$\int d(m_{\text{Pa}} e^{k_{\text{Pa}} t}) = m_{\text{Pa}} e^{k_{\text{Pa}} t} = \frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}}} \left[ \int e^{(k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{UI}}) t} dt - \int e^{(k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{Th}}) t} dt \right]$$

$$= \frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{(k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}})} \left( \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{UI}}} - \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{Th}}} \right) + C$$

$$m_{\text{Pa}} = \frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI}0}}{(k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}})} \left( \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{UI}}} - \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{Th}}} \right) e^{-k_{\text{Pa}} t} + C e^{-k_{\text{Pa}} t}$$

At  $t = 0$ ,  $m_{\text{Pa}} = 0$

$$0 = \frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI0}}}{(k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}})} \left( \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{UI}}} - \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{Thi}}} \right) + C$$

$$C = -\frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI0}}}{(k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}})} \left( \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{UI}}} - \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{Thi}}} \right)$$

$$m_{\text{Pa}} = \frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI0}}}{(k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}})} \left( \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{UI}}} - \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{Thi}}} \right) (e^{-k_{\text{Pa}} t} - 1)$$

$$\text{uranium I: } k_{\text{UI}} = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{4.51 \times 10^9 \text{ yr}} = 1.54 \times 10^{-10} \text{ yr}^{-1}$$

$${}^{234}_{90}\text{Th: } k_{\text{Th}} = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{24.1 \text{ d}} = 2.88 \times 10^{-2} \text{ d}^{-1} = (2.88 \times 10^{-2} \text{ d}^{-1}) \left( \frac{365 \text{ d}}{\text{yr}} \right) = 10.5 \text{ yr}^{-1}$$

$${}^{234}_{91}\text{Pa}^{\text{m}}: k_{\text{Pa}} = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{1.17 \text{ mo}} = 0.592 \text{ mo}^{-1} = (0.592 \text{ mo}^{-1}) \left( \frac{12 \text{ mo}}{\text{yr}} \right) = 7.11 \text{ yr}^{-1}$$

$$f_1 = 234/238 = 0.983$$

$$f_2 = 234/234 = 1.00$$

$$m_{\text{Pa}} = \frac{f_1 f_2 k_{\text{UI}} k_{\text{Th}} m_{\text{UI0}}}{(k_{\text{Th}} - k_{\text{UI}})} \left( \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{UI}}} - \frac{1}{k_{\text{Pa}} - k_{\text{Thi}}} \right) (e^{-k_{\text{Pa}} t} - 1)$$

$$m_{\text{Pa}} = \frac{(0.983)(1.00)(1.54 \times 10^{-10} \text{ yr}^{-1})(10.5 \text{ yr}^{-1})(1.0 \text{ g})}{(10.5 \text{ yr}^{-1} - 1.54 \times 10^{-10} \text{ yr}^{-1})} \left( \frac{1}{7.11 \text{ yr}^{-1} - 1.54 \times 10^{-10} \text{ yr}^{-1}} \right.$$

$$\left. - \frac{1}{7.11 \text{ yr}^{-1} - 10.5 \text{ yr}^{-1}} \right) \left[ e^{-(7.11 \text{ yr}^{-1})(1000 \text{ yr})} - 1 \right]$$

$$= 2.34 \times 10^{-11} \text{ g}$$