

THERMODYNAMICS-02

1. Two blocks of the same metal having same mass and at temperature T_1 and T_2 , respectively, are brought in contact with each other and allowed to attain thermal equilibrium at constant pressure. The change in entropy, ΔS , for this process is :

$$(1) 2C_p \ln \left(\frac{T_1 + T_2}{4T_1 T_2} \right) \quad (2) 2C_p \ln \left[\frac{(T_1 + T_2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{T_1 T_2} \right]$$

$$(3) C_p \ln \left[\frac{(T_1 + T_2)^2}{4T_1 T_2} \right] \quad (4) 2C_p \ln \left[\frac{T_1 + T_2}{2T_1 T_2} \right]$$

2. For the chemical reaction $X \rightleftharpoons Y$, the standard reaction Gibbs energy depends on temperature T (in K) as :

$$\Delta_r G^\circ \text{ (in kJ mol}^{-1}\text{)} = 120 - \frac{3}{8}T$$

The major component of the reaction mixture at T is :

- (1) X if $T = 315$ K
- (2) X if $T = 350$ K
- (3) Y if $T = 300$ K
- (4) Y if $T = 280$ K

3. The INCORRECT match in the following is
 (1) $\Delta G^\circ < 0$, $K < 1$ (2) $\Delta G^\circ = 0$, $K = 1$
 (3) $\Delta G^\circ > 0$, $K < 1$ (4) $\Delta G^\circ < 0$, $K > 1$

4. A process will be spontaneous at all temperatures if :-

- (1) $\Delta H > 0$ and $\Delta S < 0$
- (2) $\Delta H < 0$ and $\Delta S > 0$
- (3) $\Delta H > 0$ and $\Delta S > 0$
- (4) $\Delta H < 0$ and $\Delta S < 0$

5. For the equilibrium,

$2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + \text{OH}^-$, the value of ΔG° at 298 K is approximately :-

- (1) -80 kJ mol^{-1}
- (2) -100 kJ mol^{-1}
- (3) 100 kJ mol^{-1}
- (4) 80 kJ mol^{-1}

6. The standard reaction Gibbs energy for a chemical reaction at an absolute temperature T is given by

$$\Delta_r G^\circ = A - BT$$

Where A and B are non-zero constants. Which of the following is TRUE about this reaction ?

- (1) Exothermic if $B < 0$
- (2) Exothermic if $A > 0$ and $B < 0$
- (3) Endothermic if $A < 0$ and $B > 0$
- (4) Endothermic if $A > 0$

7. The reaction, $\text{MgO(s)} + \text{C(s)} \rightarrow \text{Mg(s)} + \text{CO(g)}$, for which $\Delta_r H^\circ = + 491.1 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ and $\Delta_r S^\circ = 198.0 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$, is not feasible at 298 K. Temperature above which reaction will be feasible is :-

- (1) 1890.0 K (2) 2480.3 K
- (3) 2040.5 K (4) 2380.5 K

8. A process has $\Delta H = 200 \text{ J mol}^{-1}$ and $\Delta S = 40 \text{ JK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1}$. Out of the values given below, choose the minimum temperature above which the process will be spontaneous :
- (1) 5 K (2) 4 K (3) 20 K (4) 12 K
9. The entropy change associated with the conversion of 1 kg of ice at 273 K to water vapours at 383 K is :
- (Specific heat of water liquid and water vapour are $4.2 \text{ kJ K}^{-1} \text{ kg}^{-1}$ and $2.0 \text{ kJ K}^{-1} \text{ kg}^{-1}$; heat of liquid fusion and vapourisation of water are 344 kJ kg^{-1} and 2491 kJ kg^{-1} , respectively).
($\log 273 = 2.436$, $\log 373 = 2.572$, $\log 383 = 2.583$)
- (1) $7.90 \text{ kJ kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ (2) $2.64 \text{ kJ kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$
(3) $8.49 \text{ kJ kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ (4) $9.26 \text{ kJ kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$

SOLUTION

1. Ans.(3)



Heat lost by block - I = Heat gained by block -II

$$C_m(T_f - T_1) = C_m (T_2 - T_f)$$

$$T_f = \frac{T_1 + T_2}{2}$$

$$\Delta S_1 = C_p \ln \frac{T_f}{T_1}$$

$$\Delta S_T = C_p \ln \left(\frac{T_f}{T_1} \right) + C_p \ln \left(\frac{T_f}{T_2} \right)$$

$$\Delta S_T = C_p \ln \left(\frac{T_f^2}{T_1 \cdot T_2} \right)$$

2. Ans. (1)

At equilibrium

$$120 - \frac{3}{8}T = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow T = 320 \text{ K}$$

If $T < 320 \text{ K} \Rightarrow \Delta G = +ve \Rightarrow X$ is major product

If $T > 320 \text{ K} \Rightarrow \Delta G = -ve \Rightarrow Y$ is major product.

3. Ans.(1)

$$\Delta G^\circ = -RT \ln k$$

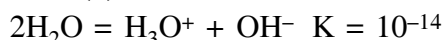
$$\text{if } K < 1 \Rightarrow \Delta G^\circ > 0$$

4. Ans.(2)

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$$

for spontaneous process at all temp. $\Delta G < 0$ and it is possible when $\Delta H < 0$ and $\Delta S > 0$.

5. Ans. (4)



$$\Delta G^\circ = -RT \ln K$$

$$= \frac{-8.314}{1000} \times 298 \times \ln 10^{-14}$$

$$= 80 \text{ KJ/Mole}$$

6. Ans. (4)

Compare with $\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$

7. Ans. (2)

$$T_{eq} = \frac{\Delta H}{\Delta S}$$

$$= \frac{491.1 \times 1000}{198}$$

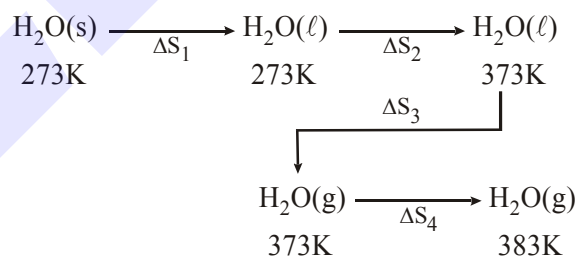
$$= 2480.3 \text{ K}$$

8. Ans. (1)

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$$

$$T = \frac{\Delta H}{\Delta S} = \frac{200}{40} = 5\text{K}$$

9. Ans. (4)



$$\Delta S_1 = \frac{\Delta H_{\text{fusion}}}{273} = \frac{334}{273} = 1.22$$

$$\Delta S_2 = 4.2 \ln \left(\frac{373}{273} \right) = 1.31$$

$$\Delta S_3 = \frac{\Delta H_{\text{vap}}}{373} = \frac{2491}{373} = 6.67$$

$$\Delta S_4 = 2.0 \ln \left(\frac{383}{373} \right) = 0.05$$

$$\Delta S_{\text{total}} = 9.26 \text{ kJ kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$$