SLE155 Chemistry for the Professional Sciences

Burwood and Geelong



Practice Questions week 3

Equilibrium



In a chemical reaction system which has reached equilibrium the net concentration of each species is unchanging even though particular molecules continue to react throughout the system.

- a. True
- b. False



When *Kc* is much less than 1, the reaction mixture contains a large amount of reactant and very little product.

- a. True
- b. False



In a heterogeneous reaction all of the reactants and products are in the same phase.

- a. True
- b. False



At equilibrium *Qc=Kc*.

- a. True
- b. False



If the reaction quotient (Qc) is greater than the equilibrium constant (Kc) then the system reacts to use up the reactants and forms more products.

- a. True
- b. False



Adding an inert gas to a gaseous reaction mixture at equilibrium increases the total pressure of the system and changes the position of equilibrium.

- a. True
- b. False



The addition of a pure solid or pure liquid has no effect on the position of equilibrium.

- a. True
- b. False



For an exothermic reaction, increasing the temperature decreases the equilibrium constant, so reactants are favoured.

- a. True
- b. False



Adding a catalyst to a reaction mixture increases the equilibrium constant, so products are favoured.

- a. True
- b. False



When the coefficients in an equation are multiplied by a factor, the equilibrium constant is also multiplied by the same factor.

- a. True
- b. False



• 4.00 moles of NH $_3$ were placed in a 50.0 × 10 $^{-3}$ m 3 container and allowed to come to equilibrium according to the equation:

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

Which situation below is true, at equilibrium?

- a. $[NH3] = 3 \times [H2]$
- b. [NH3] = [H2]
- c. [H2] > [NH3]
- d. [NH3] > [H2]



The following system was allowed to come to equilibrium at 300 K in a 3 L container.

$$H_2(g) + X_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2HX(g) Kc = 24.4$$

The system was initially charged with 1.00 mole of H_2 and 1.00 mole of I_2 . How many moles of $H_2(g)$ should there be at equilibrium?

- a. 0.288 mol
- b. 0.147 mol
- c. 0.338 mol
- d. 0.256 mol



The following system was allowed to come to equilibrium at 318 K in a 2 L container.

$$I_2(g) + Br_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2IBr(g)$$
 Kc = 250

The system was initially charged with 0.0500 moles of I_2 and 0.0500 moles of Br_2 . How many moles of IBr(g) should there be at equilibrium?

- a. 0.0056 mol
- b. 0.0444 mol
- c. 0.0888 mol
- d. 0.100 mol

