

Module -5 chemistry

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Phase Rule

Phase rule is a generalization given by Willard Gibbs which seeks the equilibrium existing (1876) in heterogeneous systems.

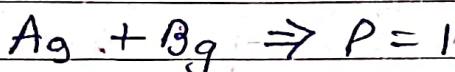
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Phase

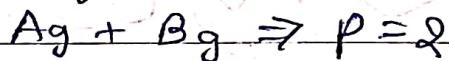
Phase is defined as any homogeneous & uniform in composition, physical distinct portions of matter which is mechanically separated from other such parts of the system by definite boundary surfaces & is in dynamic equilibrium with each other.

How to calculate no. of phases :-

① Mixture of Gas \rightarrow Single phase $P = 1$



But if Van der waal force $A \ggg B$

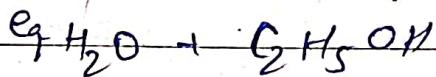


② Colloidal Solution \Rightarrow heterogeneous

$P = \text{no. of solute} + \text{solvent}$

③ True solution \rightarrow homogeneous $P = 1$

④ Polar + Polar $\Rightarrow P = 1$



} Homogeneous

non-polar + non polar $\Rightarrow P = 1$

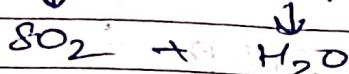


P = 2

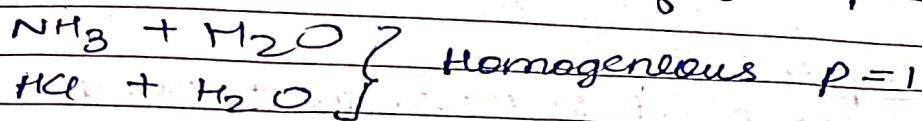
Polar + Non-Polar \Rightarrow heterogeneous
 $H_2O + CCl_4$

(5) Gas in contact with liquid.

Gas + liquid
 \downarrow



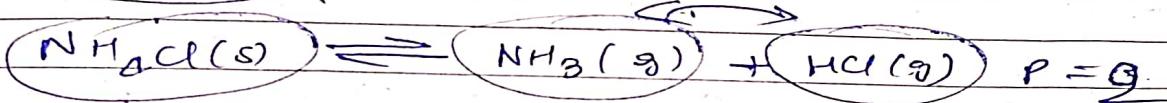
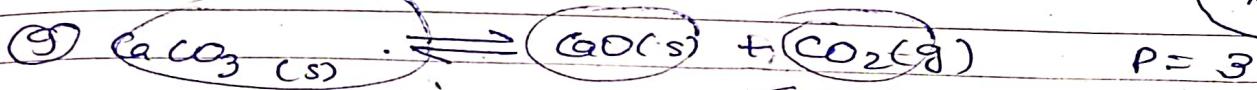
But if dipole moment of gas \uparrow stability \uparrow



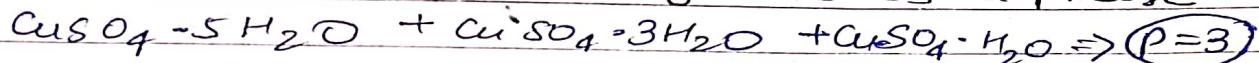
(6) Saturated solution above saturation \rightarrow hetero $p \neq 1$
 Saturated solution below saturation \rightarrow homo $p = 1$

(7) Mixture of solid $\rightarrow p = \text{no. of solids} \Rightarrow$ hetero

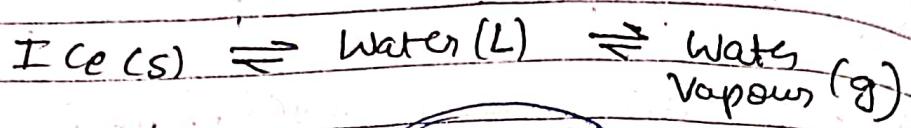
(8) Alloy \rightarrow homo $p = 1$ $Zn + Cu \rightarrow$ Brass



(10) hydrate solution \rightarrow each hydrate is a phase



water consists of



$$P = 3$$

Two immiscible liq (benzene & water) $\rightarrow P = 2$

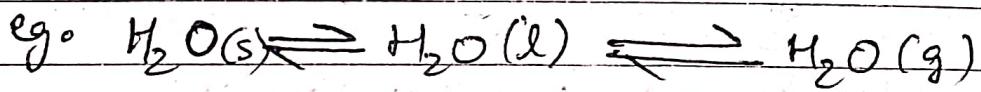
Two miscible liq (alcohol & water) $P = 1$

Component

Component is the smallest number of independent variable constituents in terms of which the composition of each phase can be expressed in the form of chemical equation

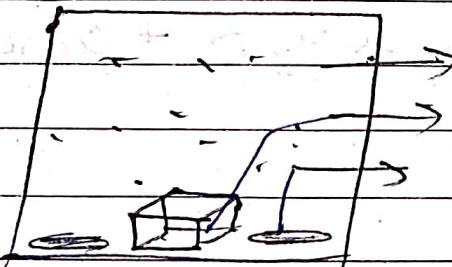
No. of components = No. of constituents - No. of eqn
 relating to concn of constituents

$$C = N - E$$



$$\begin{aligned} C &= N - E \\ &= 3 - 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{C = 1}$$



phase = 3

eg. (Semicrystalline) + (Monoclinic) + liquid \xrightarrow{S} + vapour

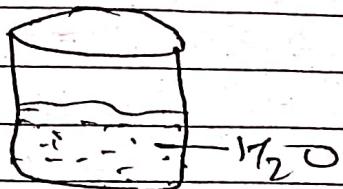
$$P = 4$$

$$C = 4 - 3$$

$$\boxed{C = 1}$$

eg. sugar solution

$$\boxed{C = 2}$$



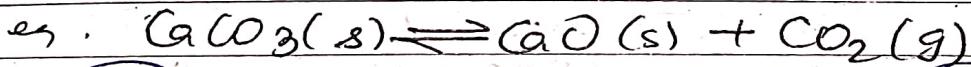
e.g. Guttenberg soln of NaCl consists of solid NaCl, NaCl soln & water vapour. The chemical comp. of all the three phases is NaCl & H₂O. Hence it is two component system.

$$\boxed{C = 2}$$

For chemically ~~relative~~ reaction

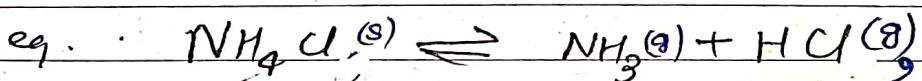
$$\text{No. of component} = \text{constituents} - E \quad \begin{matrix} \text{relation} \\ (\text{cond}) \end{matrix} \quad \text{b/w them}$$

every substance that can be separated from system



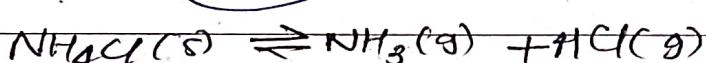
$$\boxed{P=3}$$

$$C = N - E = 3 - 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{C = 2}$$



$$C = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$$\boxed{C = 1}$$



$$C = 3 - 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{C = 2}$$

$$\boxed{P_{\text{NH}_3} = P_{\text{HCl}}}$$

$$\boxed{P = 2}$$

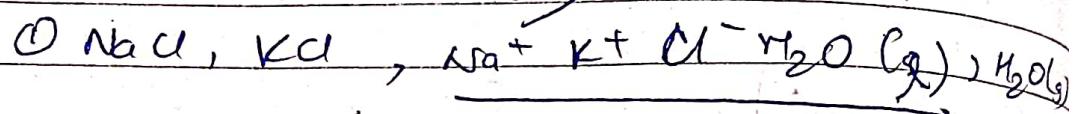
$$P_{\text{NH}_3} \neq P_{\text{HCl}}$$

water at its boiling point



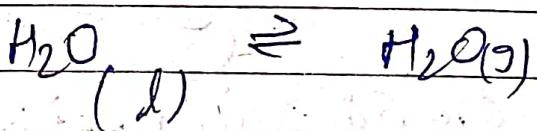
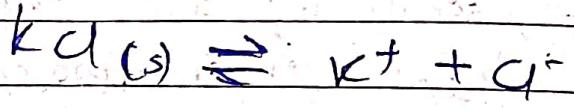
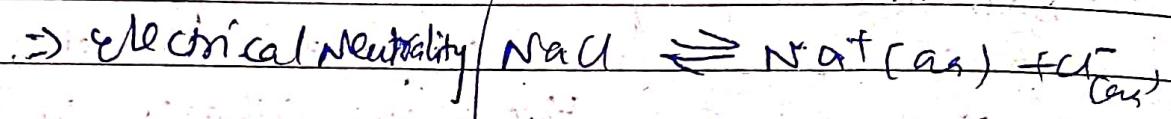
$$C = 2 - 1 = 1$$

$$C = 1$$



Electrical neutrality

relation



$$C = N - E$$

$$C = 7 - 4 \Rightarrow C = 3$$

chemical species

11. Degree of Freedom :-

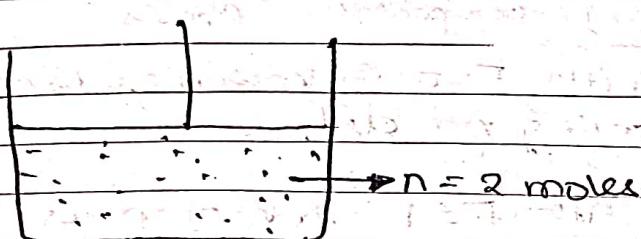
Degree of freedom (Dof) is defined as the minimum number of independently variable factors, such as pressure, temperature & composition (conc' or volume), which can completely define the equilibrium of a system.

The least no. of variable factors (conc', pressure & Temp) which must be specified so that the remaining variables are fixed automatically & system is completely defined.

Phase \rightarrow (P)

component \rightarrow $C = N - E$

H_2O



$H_2O(g)$

$H_2O(l)$

$T = 40^\circ\text{C}$

$P \& T$ mono variant

$T, P, V \rightarrow \text{Variables}$

minimum - 2 variable

$H_2O(s)$

$H_2O(l)$

$H_2O(g)$

Invariant

$f = 0$

Gibbs Phase Rule

Phase rule can be stated as in heterogeneous systems if equilibrium b/w phases are not influenced by gravity, magnetic and electrical forces, but are influenced only by pressure, temperature & concentration. Then no. of degree of freedom of the system is related to no. of component & no. of phases (P) by the following phase

$$F = C - P + 2$$

↓ ↓
component Phases

→ A system with $F=0$ is known as non-varient or having no dof

→ A system with $F=1$ is known as univariant or having one dof.

→ A system with $F=2$ is known as bivariant or having 2 dof.

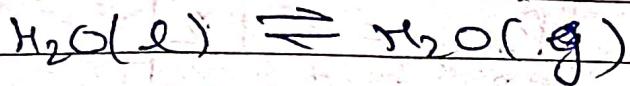
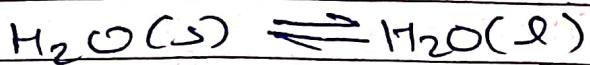
1 Component System ($C=1$)

\Rightarrow single phase $P = 1$ (ice / liquid / gas)
 $F = 1 - 1 + 2$

$$\boxed{F = 2}$$

Bivariant

\Rightarrow 2 phase



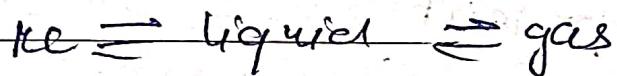
$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$F = 1 - 2 + 2$$

$$\boxed{F = 1}$$

monovariant

3 phase



$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$F = 1 - 3 + 2$$

$$F = 1 - 1$$

$$\boxed{F = 0}$$

Non-varient

when $P \uparrow$ $F \downarrow$

when P_{max} then $F = 0$.

For P_{max} -

$$\theta = C - P_{max} + 2$$

$$P_{max} = C + 2$$

① 1 component

$$C = 1$$

$$P_{max} = C + 2 = 1 + 2$$

$$P_{max} = 3$$

② 2 component

$$P_{max} = C + 2 = 2 + 2$$

$$P_{max} = 4$$

$\# F_{max} \uparrow P_{min} \uparrow P \neq 0$

$$F_{max} = C - P_{min} + 2$$

$$F_{max} = C - 1 + 2$$

$$F_{max} = C + 1$$

$$\text{for e.g. } H_2O \rightarrow F_{max} = 1 + 1 = 2$$

$$F_{max} = 2$$

$$\boxed{P_{\max} = C + 2 \rightarrow F = 0}$$

$$\boxed{F_{\max} = C + 1 \rightarrow P = 1}$$

Merits of phase Rule

1. It is applicable to both physical & chemical equilibria.
2. It is a convenient method of classifying the equilibrium states in terms of phases, components & degree of freedom.
3. It indicates different system with same degree of freedom behave similarly.
4. It helps us to predict the behaviour of a system under different sets of variables.
5. It helps in deciding whether no. of substances remains in equilibrium or not.

Limitations of Phase Rule :-

1. Phase rule is only applicable for those systems which are in equilibrium. It is not of much use for those systems which attain the equilibrium state very slow.
2. Only 3 variables like P , T & C are considered but not electrical, magnetic & gravitational forces.
3. It is applied only to a single equilibrium system.
4. It requires utmost care in deciding no. of phases existing in equilibrium.
5. Solid & liquid phases must not be in finely divided state otherwise deviations occur.

Derivation of Phase Rule :-

consider a heterogeneous system in equilibrium, having (C) components in which (P) phases are present.

A/c to defⁿ of dof, F - min. no. of independent variables which must be fixed arbitrarily to define the system completely.

No. of Independent Variables

$$= \text{Total no. of Variables} - \text{no. of relations b/w them at eqm.}$$

Calculate total no. of independent variables:

(1) Temperature - At eqm, temp. of every phase is same so there is only one temp. variable of the entire system.

(2) Pressure - At eqm, each phase has same pressure so there is only one pressure variable of the entire system.

(3) Concentration - concn. of each components is generally expressed in terms of mole fraction.

If we have C components we must know the concn of $C-1$ components. So for P phases the total composition variables are $P(C-1)$.

Total no. of variables.

$$= 1 \text{ (for temp)} + 1 \text{ (for press)} + P(C-1) \quad (\text{for comp.})$$

$$= P(C-1) + 2$$

when Phases are present, $(P-1)$ eqns are available for each component for each component total no. of eqns are $(C(P-1))$

$$F = \text{Total no. of variables} - \text{no. of eqns b/w them}$$

$$F = P(C-1) + 2 - C(P-1)$$

$$\boxed{F = C - P + 2}$$

Phase diagram

Phase diagram is a graph obtained by plotting one degree of freedom against another.

If temp is plotted against pressure the diagram is called P-T diagram. Similarly, plot of temp against composition is known as T-C diagram.

Systems are classified on the basis of no. of components into 3 types.

- ① One component systems
- ② Two component systems
- ③ Three component systems

Phase Diagram of one component system

In any system, the minimum no. of phases is 1

$$F = C - P + 2 = 1 - 1 + 2$$

$$\boxed{F = 2}$$

For one component system max no. of freedom is 2. The max no. of phases in any system is 3.

$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$F = L - 3 + 2$$

$$\boxed{F = 0}$$

Minimum no. of dof = 0
for one component system.

Water System :-

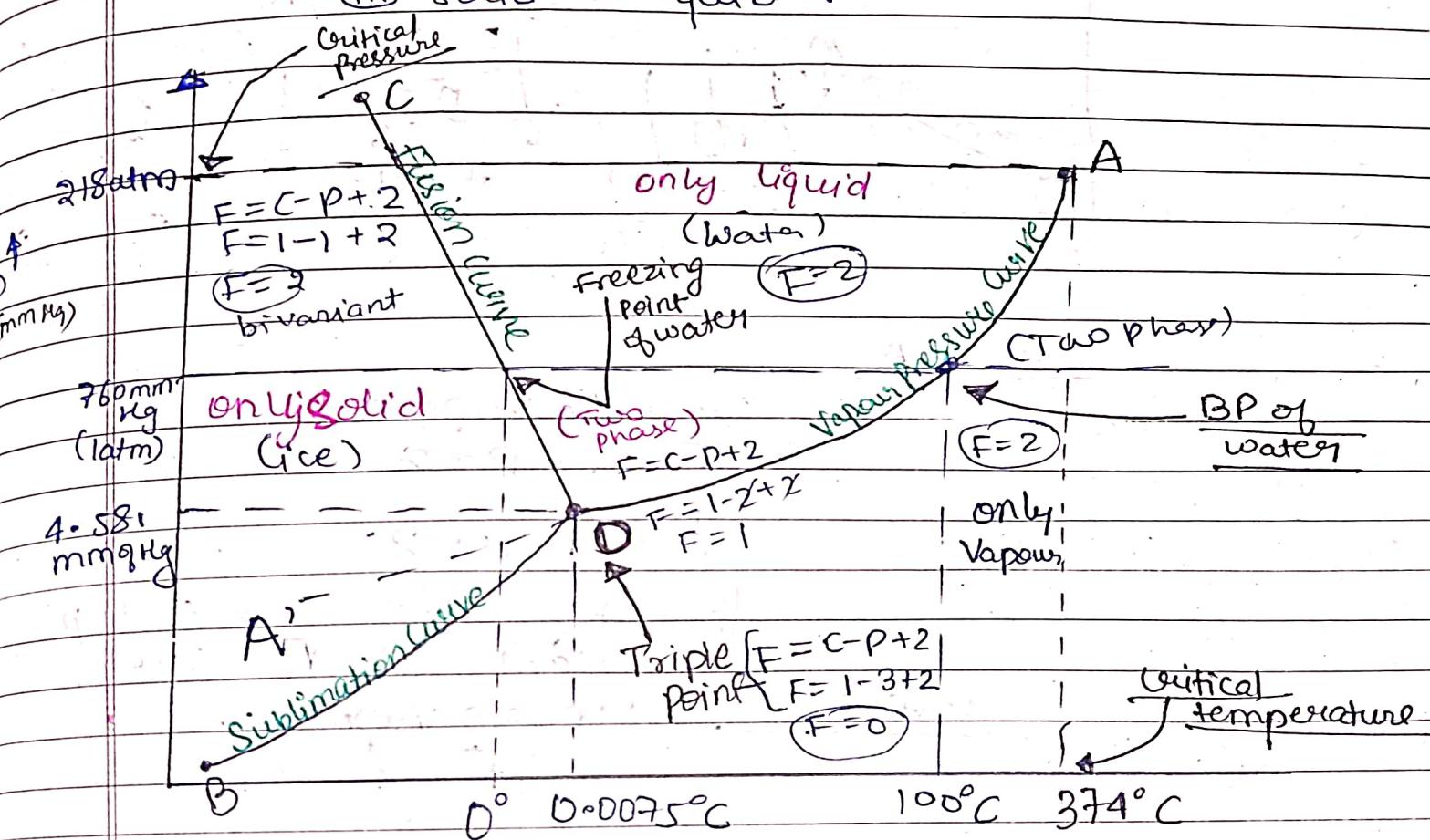
Water exists in 3 possible phases namely solid, liquid & vapour.

Three eqm with two phases for each eqm
with two phases for each eqm.

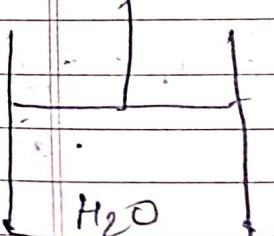
i) Liquid \rightleftharpoons Vapour

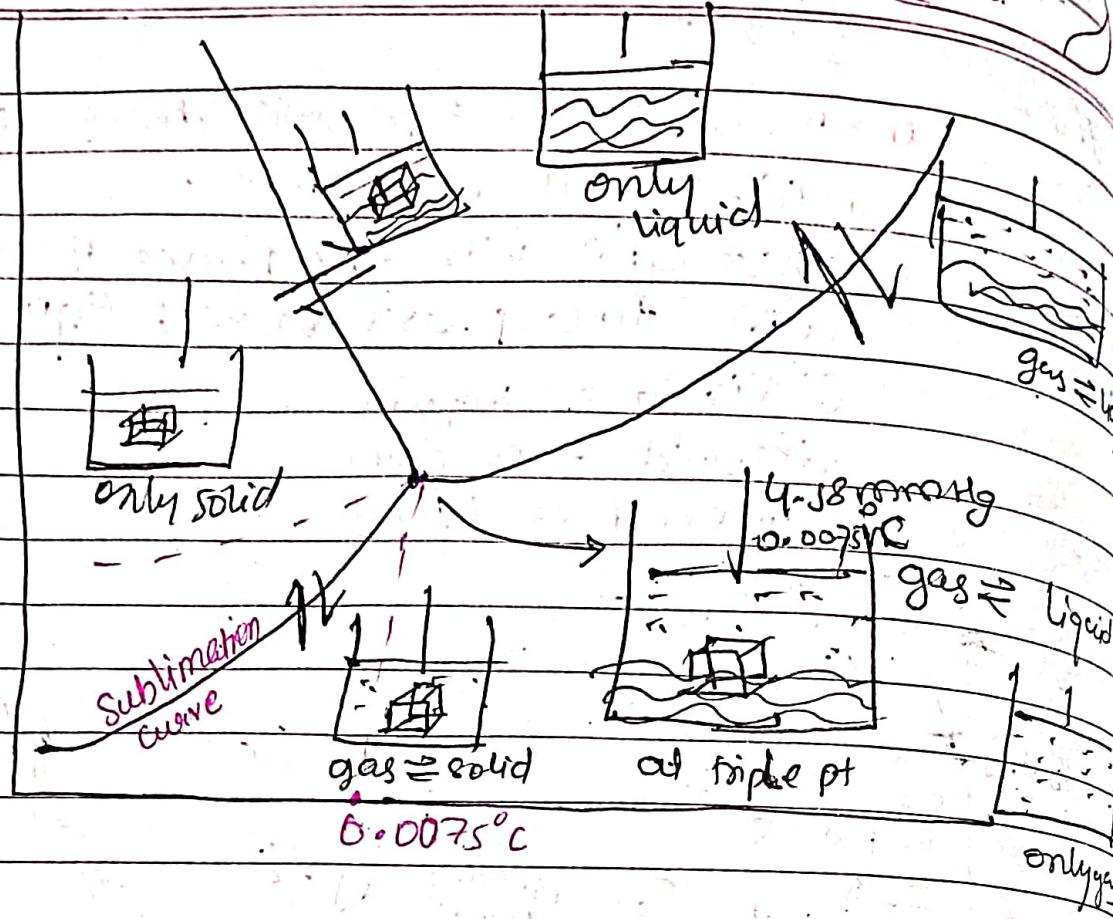
ii) Solid \rightleftharpoons Vapour

iii) Solid \rightleftharpoons Liquid



$T \rightarrow$
(°C)





Curve OA

Liquid \rightleftharpoons Vapour

$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$F \Rightarrow 1 - x + 2$$

$F = 1$ eqm will extend up
univariant to T_c (374°C)

Curve OB

Ice \Rightarrow Vapour

$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$F = 1 - x + 2$$

$$F = 1$$

eqm will extend up to absolute zero

Triple point

curve OA & OB meet at pt O where
3 phases (solid, liq and vap. coexist.)
such a pt is called triple point.

Temp at the triple pt = 0.0078°C
Pressure at rm triple pt = 4.58 mm Hg.

$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$= 1 - 2 + 2$$

$$\boxed{F = 0}$$

bivariant

Curve OC

Ice \rightleftharpoons water.

$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$= 1 - 2 + 2$$

$$\boxed{F = 1}$$

univariant

MP of ice ↑ by PP

Curve OAC super cool wats \rightleftharpoons vapour.

$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$F = 1 - 2 + 2$$

$$\boxed{F = 1} \text{ univariant}$$

Area OAB, OAC, BOC contain vapour, liquid & ice phases respectively within these single phase areas the system

$$\text{or bivariant } F = C - P + 2 \Rightarrow F = 1 - 1 + 2$$

$$\boxed{F = 2}$$

I component system

$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$F = L - P + 2$$

$$f = 3 - P$$

$P \uparrow F \downarrow P_{\min}$

$f_{\max} P = 1 f_{\max} = 3-1$

$f_{\min} P_{\max} = 3 f_{\max} = 9$

$f_{\min} = 3-3=0$

Invariant

Total P.H.P

II Two component system

$$F = C - P + 2$$

$$F = 2 - P + 2$$

$$F = 4 - P$$

$f_{\max} = ?$

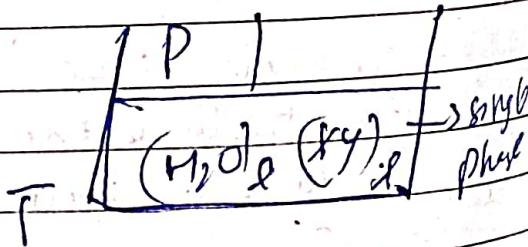
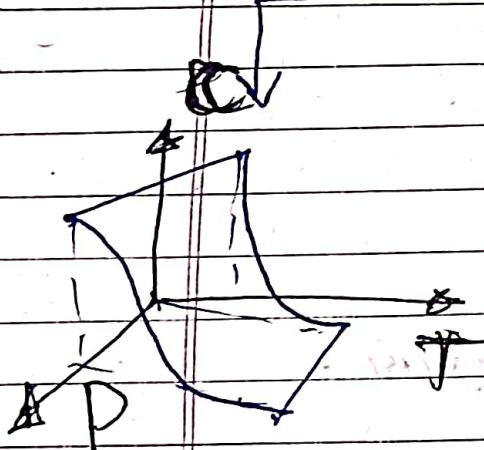
$P_{\min} = 1$

$$F = 4 - P$$

$$-4-1$$

$$F = 3$$

$P \downarrow T \downarrow$ conc



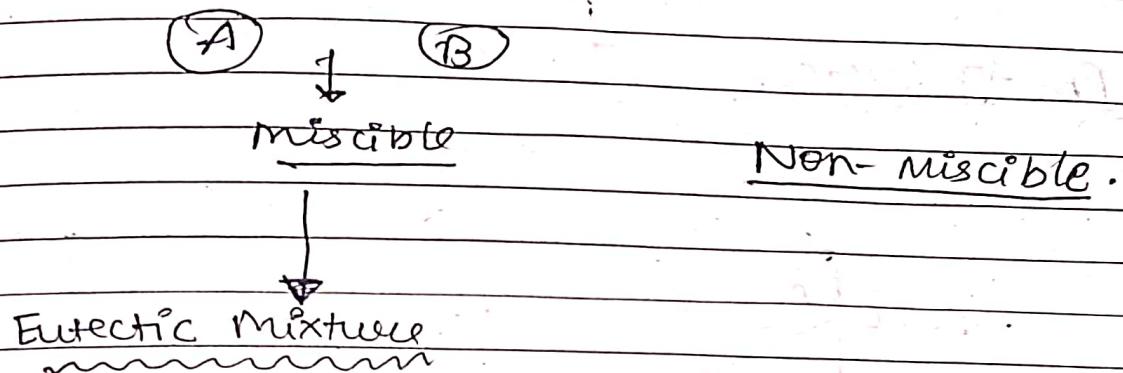
Modify

$$F = (4 - P) - r$$

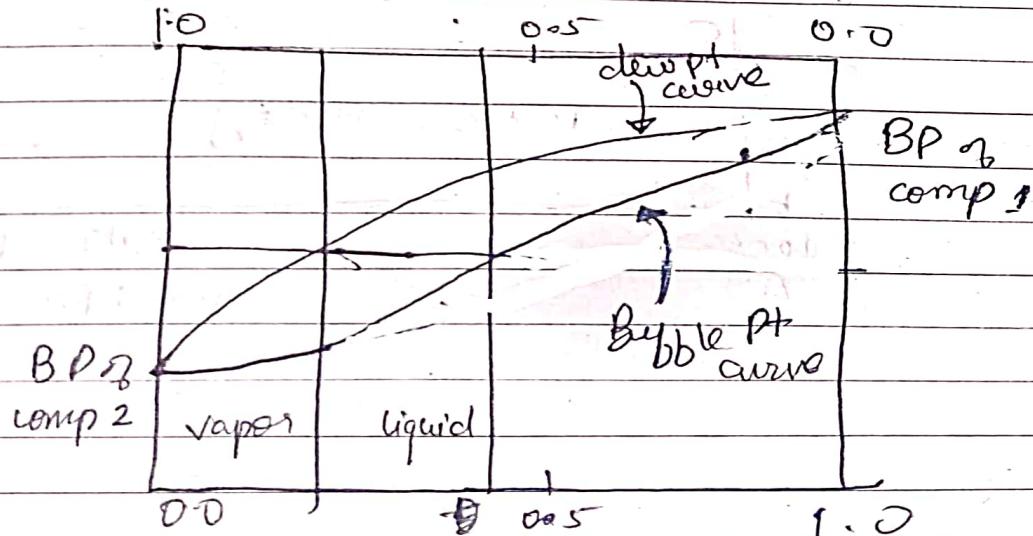
$$F' = 3 - P$$

Reduced Gibb's Equation

T & concn



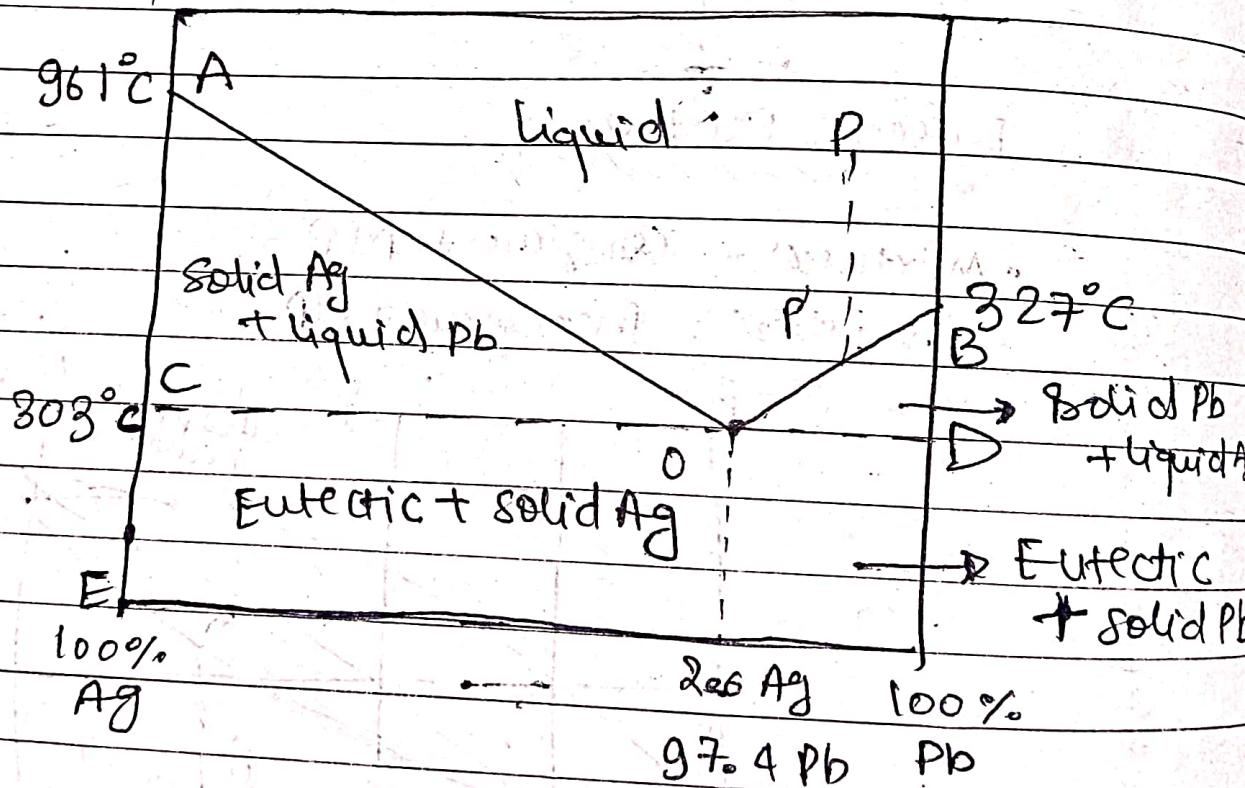
- Mixture - Congruent MP
- Mixture - Incongruent MP.

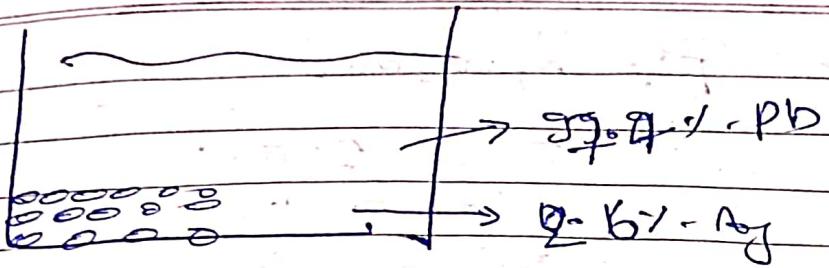


Simple Eutectic formation :-

If two substances are completely miscible in the liquid state, but completely immiscible in the solid state, form a simple eutectic of the various mixture one mixture has lowest MP such a mixture is known as a eutectic mixture.

Pb-Ag System





when Pb starts solidify the % composition of Ag in solution (liquid)

Curve AD : A : MP of Pure Ag (961°C)
 AD : (melting pt depression of Ag
 by addition of lead.)

$$F = C - P + I$$

$$F = 2 - 2 + 1$$

$F = 1$ univariant

Curve BO, B : MP of Pure Lead (327°C)

BO : melting pt depression of lead
 on gradual addition of Pure.

O (Eutectic pt) : ($\text{Ag} = 2.6\%, \text{Pb} = 97.4\%$)
 temp 303°C (eutectic temp.)

$$F = C - P + I$$

~~$F' = 2 - P + 2$~~

~~$F' = 0$~~

invariant

B.C.
AOD

Pb Ag 80/19

$$F' = C - P + 1$$

$$F' = 2 - t + x$$

$$F' = 2$$

bi-x-concent

Applications:

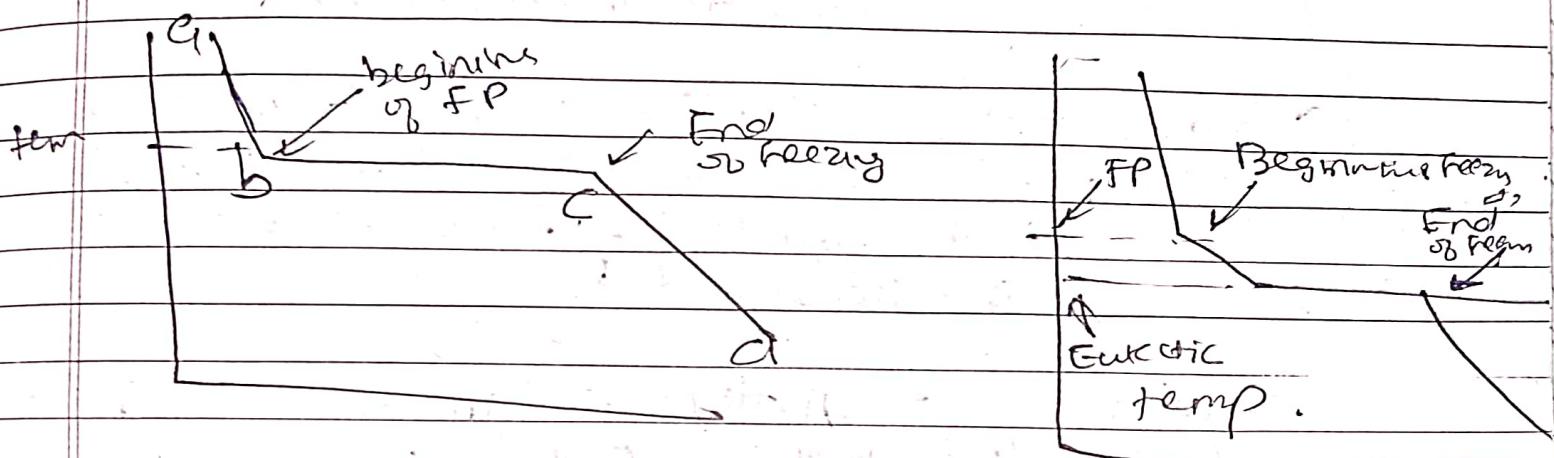
(1) Pattison's Process:-

If a sample of Argentiferous lead, containing less than 2.6% Ag is allowed to cool gradually lead will separate out & the solution will become progressively richer in Ag till the 2.6% Ag is reached and on further cooling the whole mass will solidify as such. On other hand, if lead-silver alloy containing Ag greater than 2.6% is allowed to cool, & then pure silver separates along the curve AO, till the eutectic composition at O is reached.

② Thermal analysis or cooling curve :-

The shape of cooling curve can be determined by thermal analysis. Thermal analysis is a method involving a study of cooling curves of various compositions of a system during solidification.

The cooling curve is obtained by plotting fall of temp. with time.



A compd is said to possess incongruent MP if it decomposes completely at a temp below MP yielding a new solid phase with a composition diff. from original.

Uses

- ① MP & Eutectic temp can be noted from cooling curve
- ② Percentage Purity of the compd can be known
- ③ Behaviour of compd can be used to derive the phase diagram of any two component system

Heat treatment of steel

→ Hardening : plunging into water or oil to 200°C (lower temp)

Temp is carried about 200°C to

make hard steel resistant to abrasion
at higher temp ($\sim 540^{\circ}\text{C}$) to
make tough steel capable
with standing shock loads.

→ Casehardening : Surface treatment by which
inside soft core of steel is hardened
on the surface low C steels are
casehardened &

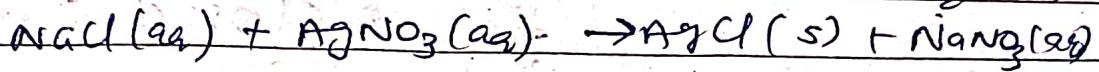
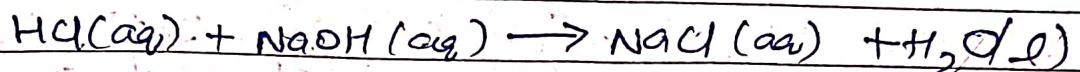
Cyaniding : Article is immersed in a molten
bath of Sodium.

Nitriding hard surface on alloy steels
heating alloy in presence of Ammonia
to about 550°C . Form

Annealing involves heating & holding steel
at suitable temp for some time
to facilitate the dissolution
of carbon in r-iron followed
by slow cooling in a controlled
manner in a furnace.

Chemical Equilibrium

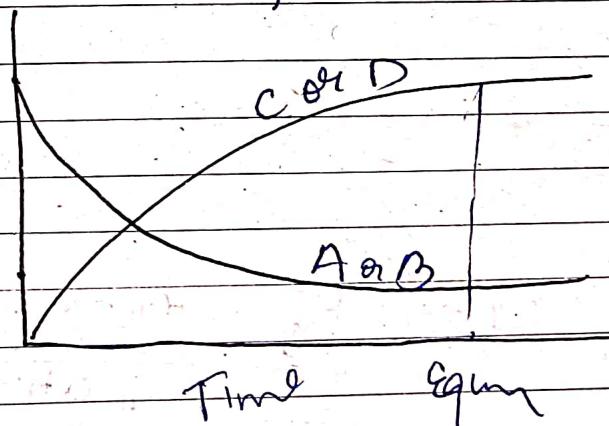
Rxns which occur in one direction -
are called irreversible reactions.



Reversible rxn : In certain cond' off-T & P

If forward & reverse rxn occurs simultaneously
then rxn is reversible.

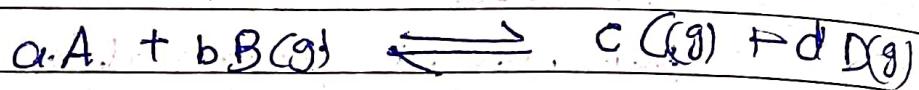
A reversible rxn is said to be in eqm state when
forward \Rightarrow backward rxn occurs simultaneously
at same rate in closed system.



Characteristics Properties of equilibrium state :-

- (I) Chemical eqm is dynamic in nature
- (II) Eqm can be attained from either side
- (III) Eqm can be attained from a closed system
- (IV) A catalyst can't change eqm state

Law of equilibrium



Forward Rxn - Backward rxn
Rate = Rate

$$K_f [A]^a [B]^b = K_r [C]^c [D]^d$$

$$K_c = \frac{K_f}{K_r}$$

$$K_c = \frac{[C]^c [D]^d}{[A]^a [B]^b}$$

Law of chemical eqm defined as

ratio of prod of conc of product to prod conc of reactant with each conc raised its power by

~~topic~~
eqm. constant & Gibbs free energy

$$\Delta G^\circ = -RT \ln K_{\text{eq}}$$

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

$$-RT \ln K_{\text{eq}} = \Delta H^\circ - T\Delta S^\circ$$

$$\boxed{\ln K_{\text{eq}} = -\frac{\Delta H^\circ}{R} + \frac{\Delta S}{R}}$$

$$\boxed{\ln \frac{K_2}{K_1} = -\frac{\Delta H^\circ}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right)}$$

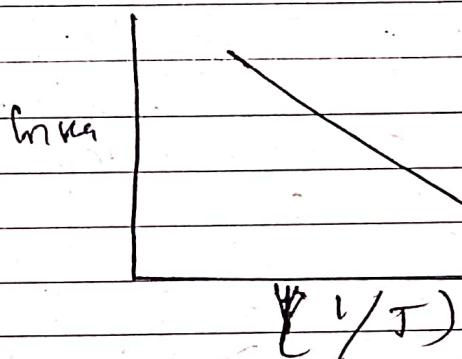
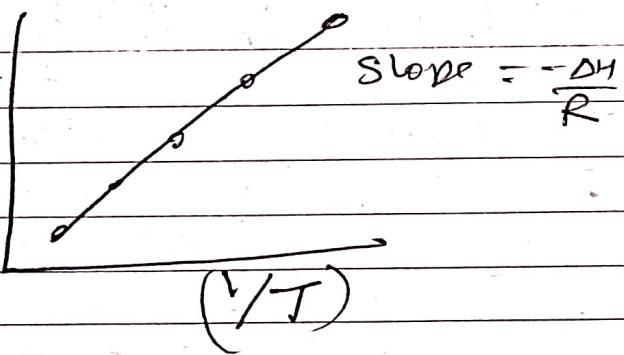
~~Exo~~
Exothermic Reaction

- heat is released
- $\Delta H < 0$ ($-\frac{\Delta H}{R} \Rightarrow +ve$)
(slope)
- Vant Hoff Plot has positive slope

Endothermic Reaction

- heat is absorbed
- $\Delta H > 0$ ($-\frac{\Delta H}{R} \Rightarrow -ve$)
slope

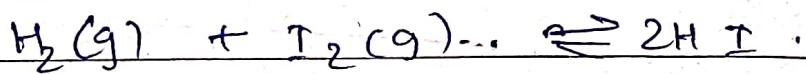
→ Vant Hoff Plot has -ve slope



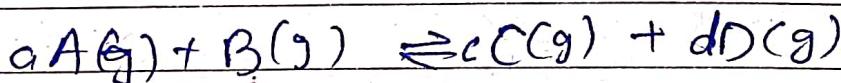
Q. what is equilibrium constant? what is K_p & K_c ?
 - what are their significances?

Ans → The conc' values in the law of equilibrium
 are the eqm concn of reactants & products
 K_c is called conc' eqm constants

In case of gases their partial pressures
 can also be used in the place of molar conc
 (∴ $P \propto C$) The eqm K_p is called pressure
 equilibrium constant



$$K_c = \frac{[HI]^2}{[H_2][I_2]} \quad K_p = \frac{P_{HI}^2}{P_{H_2} P_{I_2}}$$



$$K_c = \frac{[C]^c [D]^d}{[A]^a [B]^b}$$

$$K_p = \frac{P_C^c P_D^d}{P_A^a P_B^b}$$

Eqm constant ~~does~~ changes when temp changes.

magnitude of eqm constant is a measure of the extent upto which a reaction proceeds before equilibrium is reached.

K is large \Rightarrow Pdt is present in larger amt than react.

Types of chemical equilibria.

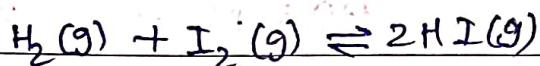
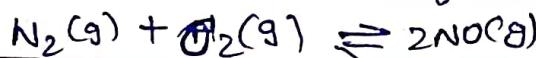
Two types of chemical equilibria :-

- (1) Homogeneous equilibria
- (2) Heterogeneous equilibria.

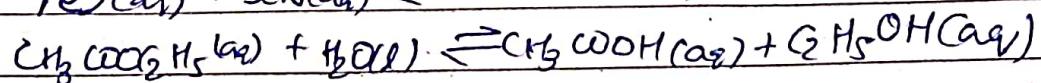
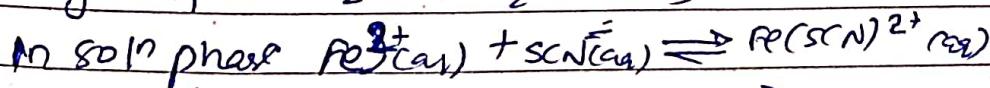
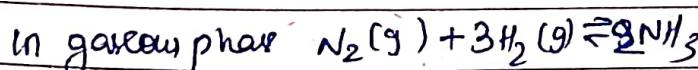
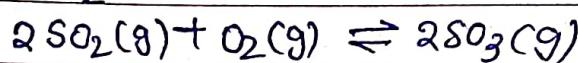
Homogeneous Equilibria :-

The equilibrium rxn in which all the reactants & the products are in same phase are known as homogeneous equilibrium reactions.

No. of Pdt molecules = No. of reactant molecules



No. of Pdt molecules \neq No. of reactant molecules

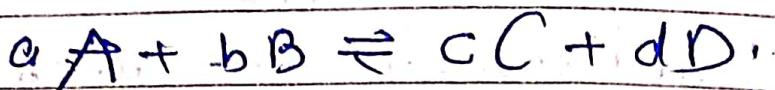


The eqm constant for homogeneous rxn in gaseous systems : $PV = nRT$

$$P = \frac{n}{V} RT$$

$$P = CRT$$

$$R = 0.0831 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}\text{K}^{-1}$$



$$K_p = \frac{(P_C)^c (P_D)^d}{(P_A)^a (P_B)^b}$$

$$K_p = \frac{([C] RT)^c ([D] RT)^d}{([A] RT)^a ([B] RT)^b}$$

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

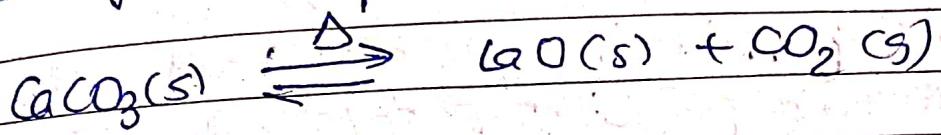
$$K_p = k_c (RT)^{\Delta n}$$

$\Delta n = \text{No. of moles of gaseous prod}$

- No. of moles of gaseous reactants

Heterogeneous equilibria

The eqm rxns in which reactants & products are present in different phases are known as heterogeneous equilibrium rxn.



$$K_c = \frac{[\text{CaO}(s)][\text{CO}_2(g)]}{[\text{CaCO}_3(s)]}$$

$$K_p = P_{\text{CO}_2}$$

$$K_p = P_{\text{CO}_2}$$

Electrochemistry

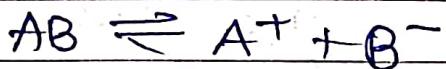
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weak & strong electrolytes :-

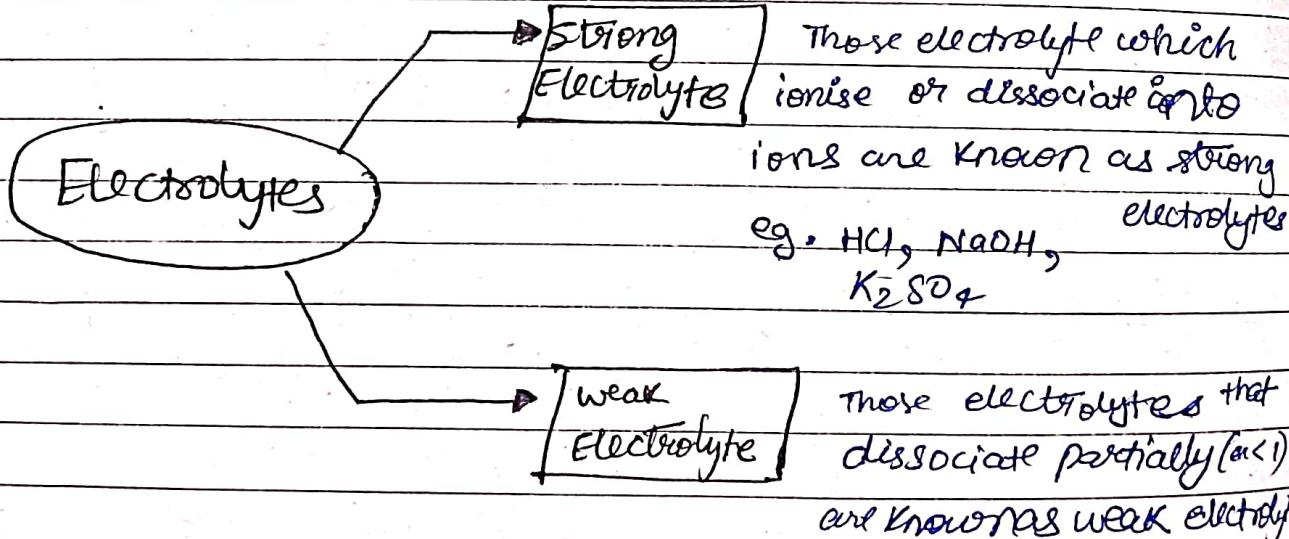
A redox rxn involves transfer of e⁻ from one chemical species to another.

Am^t of moles) of salt that has made soln saturated per litre of soln is called solubility of salt.

AB salt



Those substances which allow the passage of electricity by way of aqueous solution or fused state & undergo chemical decomposition are called electrolytic conductors eg. Acid, base & salt soln.



e.g. CH₃COOH, H₂CO₃, NH₄OH, H₂S, etc.

The energy from a redox rxn can be used to accomplish work by constructing an electrochemical cell. In an electrochemical cell, oxidⁿ & redⁿ process are separated into two half cells connected by an external wire. The cell with oxidation process is losing negative charge (e^- loss) while the half cell with the reduction is gaining $-ve$ charge (e^- gain). To connect the two half cells to permit the transfer of ions b/w two polar maniacal electrical neutrality in both half cells a salt bridge must complete the ckt. b/w half cell.

Transfer of e^- through external wire create a current that can do work. The driving force pushing e^- through wire is diff in attraction of e^- in two half cells. This voltage diff is called Cell potential (E_{cell}) & is measured in Volts.

General representation of Electrochemical Cells :-

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Cathode</u>	<u>Anode</u>
Sign	+ve	-ve
rxn	(due to consumption of e^-)	(due to e^-)
Reaction	Reduction	Oxidation
movement of electrons	into the cell	out of cell

Standard Electrode Potential (E°_{cell})

$$E^\circ_{\text{cell}} = E^\circ_{\text{Reduction}} + E^\circ_{\text{Oxidation}}$$

Standard conditions / 1 M soln

1 atm pressure

298 K

~~Ques~~ What is EMF? Describe measurement of ~~standard~~ EMF of a cell?

Ans → The Voltage, which we usually refer to as cell potential is the potential difference between the electrodes and ~~is~~ the difference b/w the half-cell potentials of the right & left side

$$E_{\text{cell}} = \Delta V = V_{\text{right}} - V_{\text{left}}$$

$$\text{eg. } E_{\text{cell}} = V_{\text{Cu}} - V_{\text{SgN}} + V_{\text{SOPN}} - V_{\text{Zn}}$$

Reversible EMF of a cell is the EMF under the condition where rxn occurring in the cell is infinitesimally slow ie - practically no current is flowing

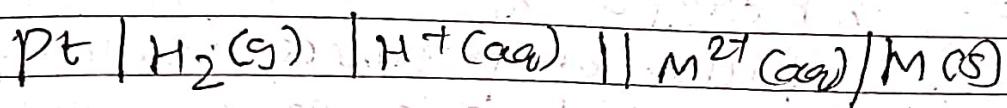
~~Nernst eqn~~

$$E_{\text{cell}} = E^\circ_{\text{cell}} - \frac{0.059}{n} \log Q$$

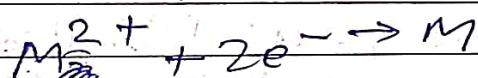
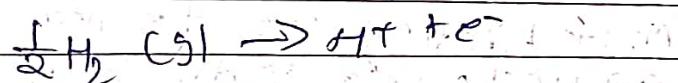
Q : reaction Quotient
 n : no. of e⁻ transferred

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SHE Electrode



$$E_{cell} = V_m - 30/m$$



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Batteries :-

A battery is an electrochemical cell or series of cells that produces an electric current. In principle, any galvanic cell could be used as a battery.

An ideal battery would never run down, produce an unchanging voltage & be capable of withstanding environmental extremes of heat, & humidity.

Real batteries strike a balance b/w ideal & practical limitations.

e.g. mass of a car battery is about 18kg or 1/10 of mass of an average car or light-duty truck.

This type of battery could supply nearly unlimited energy if used in a smartphone but could be rejected for this application b/c of its mass -

thus no single battery is "best" batteries are selected for a particular application keeping things like the mass of the battery, its cost, reliability & current capacity in mind.

There are two basic types of batteries

- (1) Primary Battery
- (2) Secondary Battery

① Primary Batteries

→ Primary batteries are single-use batteries b'coz they cannot be recharged.

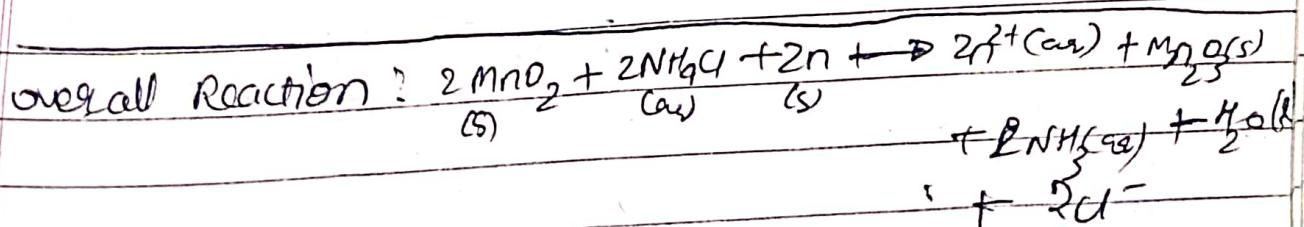
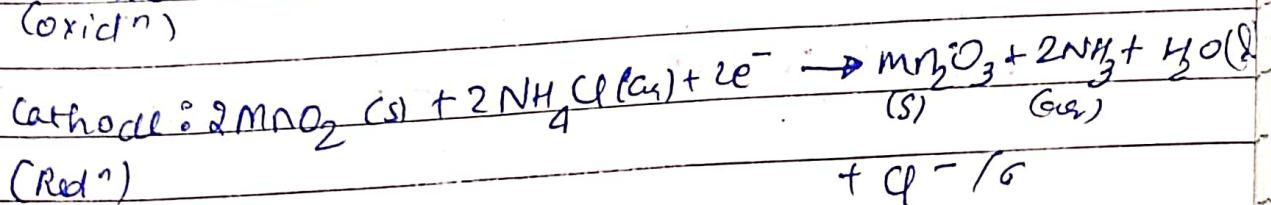
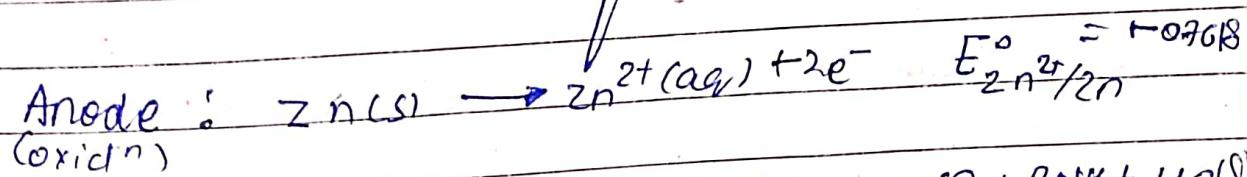
→ A common primary battery is Dry Cell.

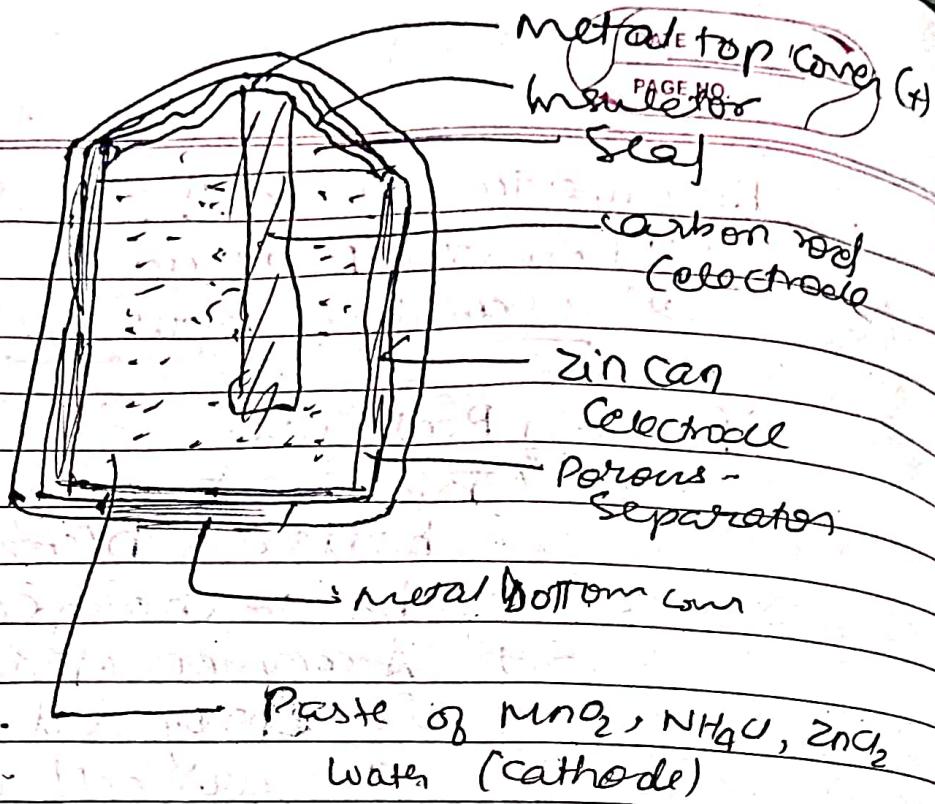
The dry cell is zinc-carbon battery.

The Zinc can serve as both a container & the -ve electrode.

The positive electrode is a rod made of carbon that is surrounded by a paste of Manganese (IV) oxide, Zinc chloride & Ammonium chloride,

carbon powder & a small amount of water.

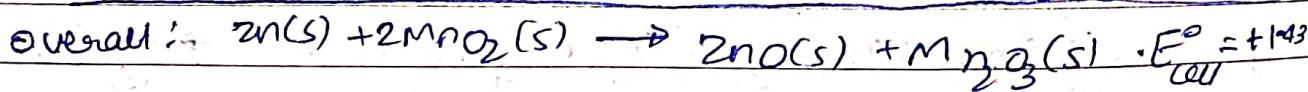
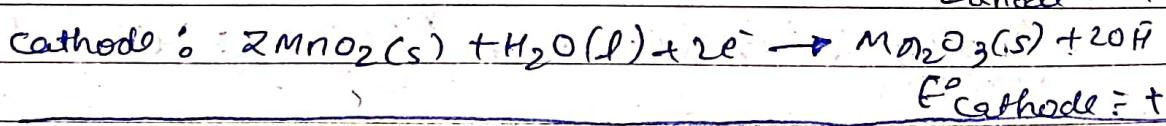
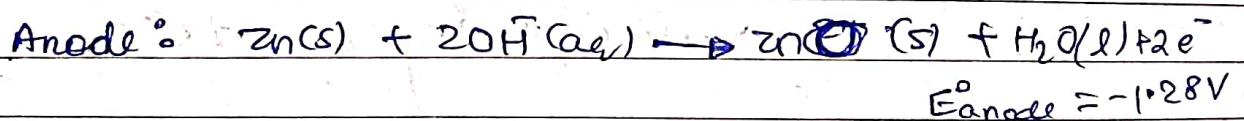




Alkaline batteries: They were developed in 1950s partly to address some of the performance issues with Zinc-Carbon dry cells.

They are manufactured to be exact replacements for Zn-C dry cell.

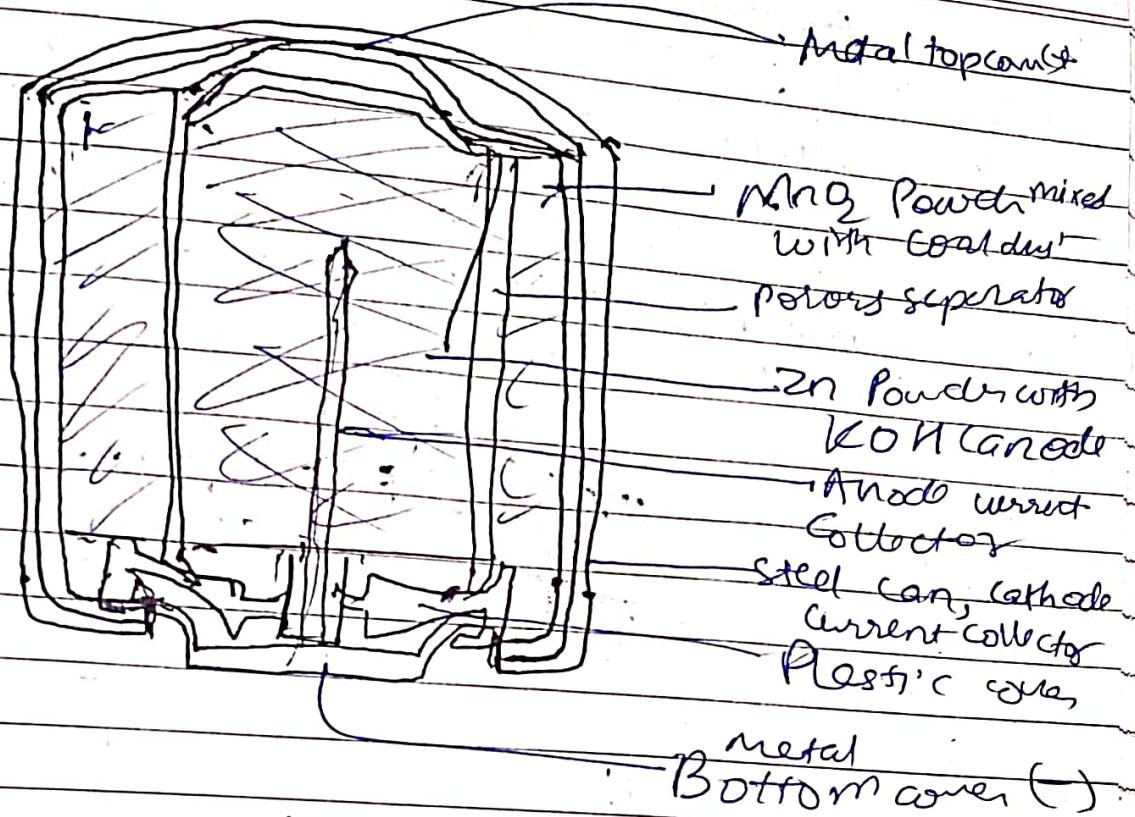
As name suggest these type of batteries use alkaline electrolyte, often potassium hydroxide.



$$E^\circ_{\text{cell}} = E_{\text{cathode}} - E_{\text{anode}}$$

Secondary Batteries

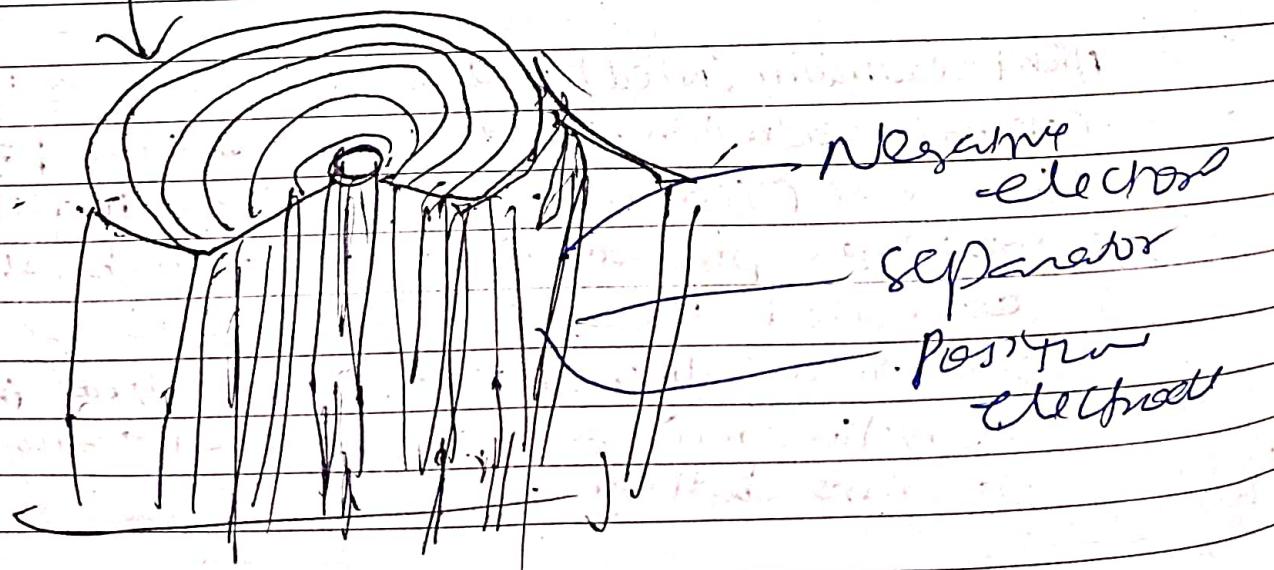
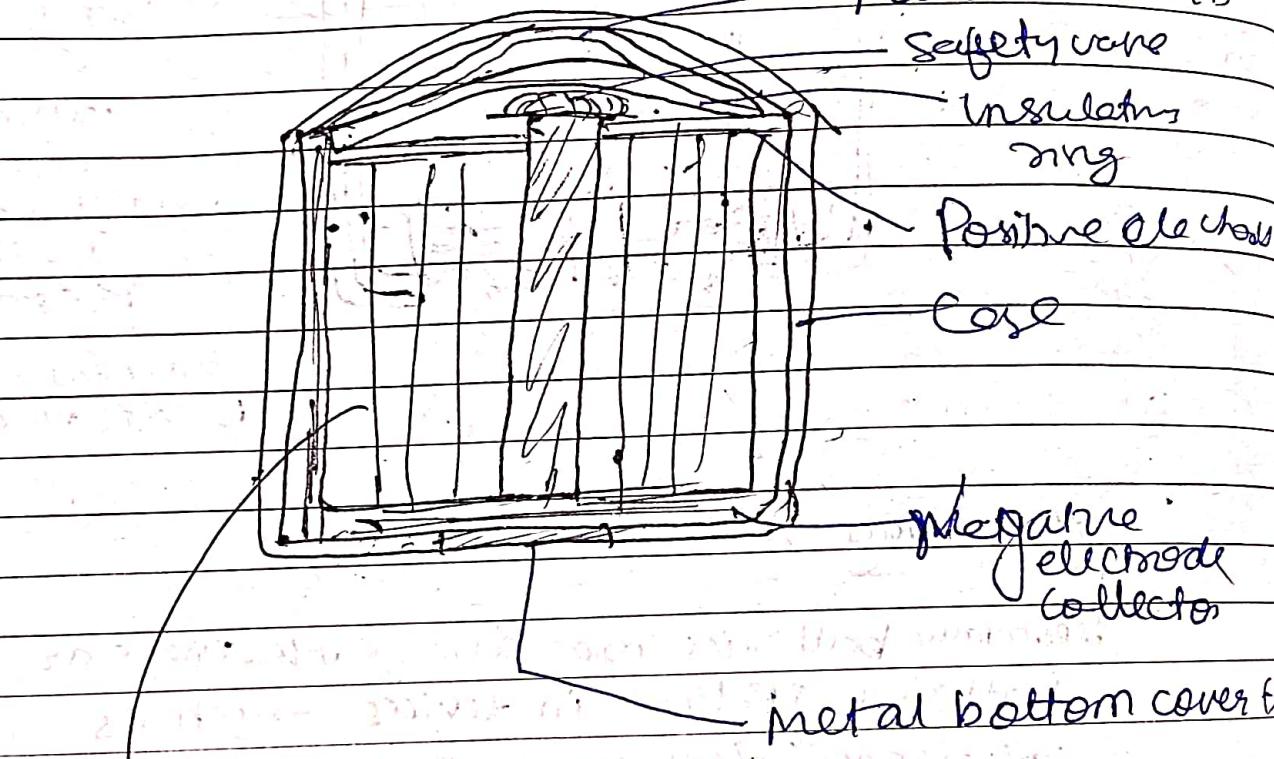
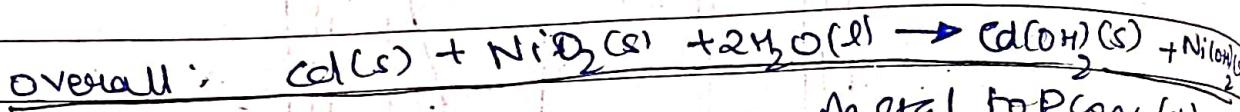
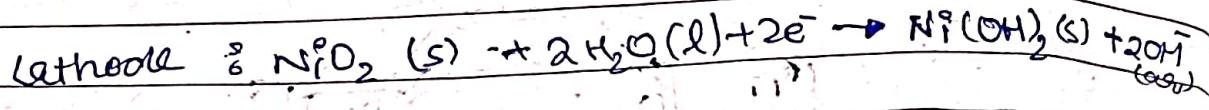
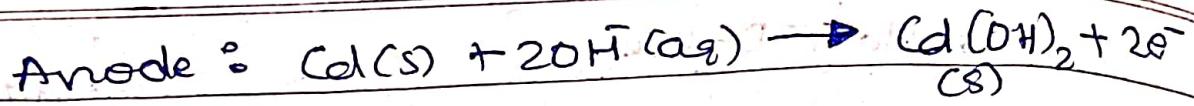
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Secondary Batteries

Secondary batteries are rechargeable. These are types of batteries found in devices such as smartphones, electronic flexibles & automobiles.

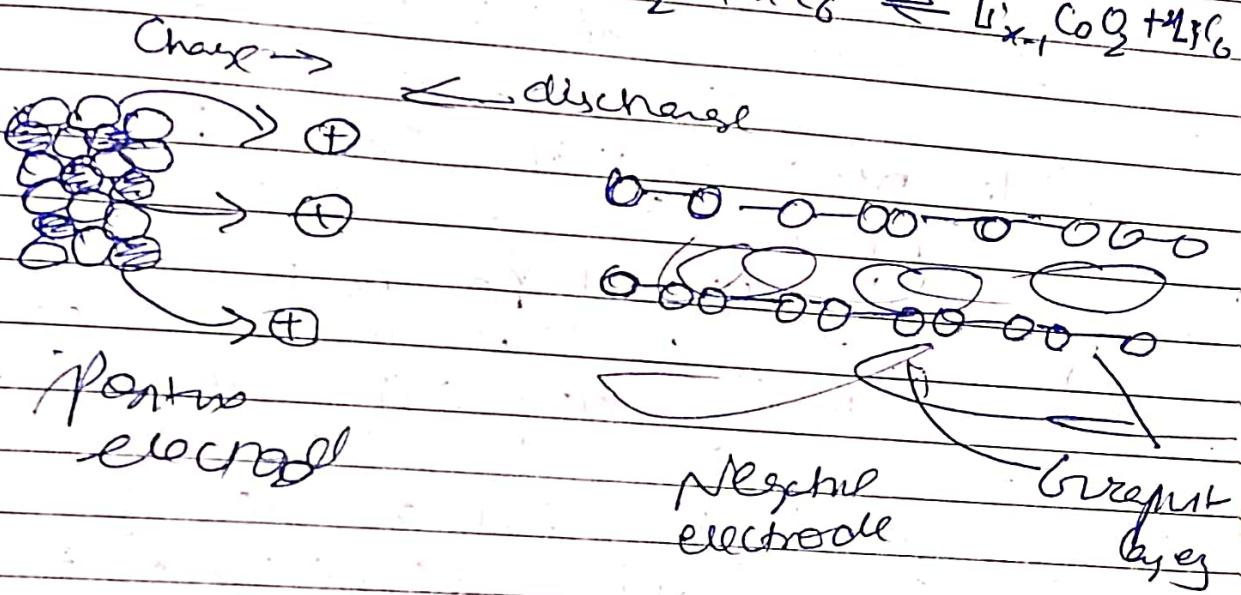
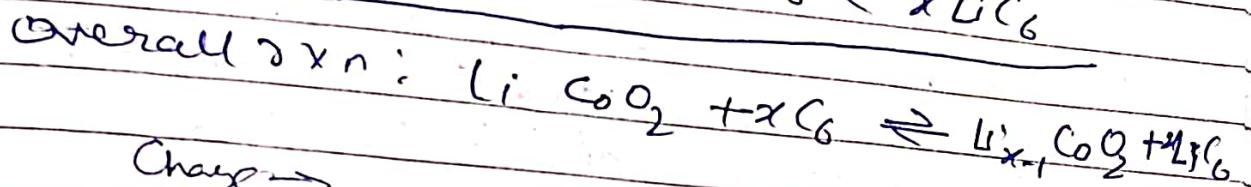
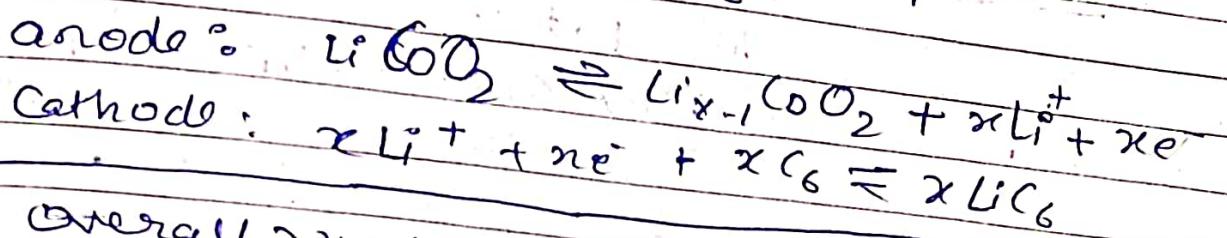
Nickel-cadmium (NiCd) batteries consist of a nickel-plated cathode, cadmium plated anode and a potassium hydroxide electrode. The positive & negative plates which are prevented from shorting by the separators are rolled together and put into the case. They ~~is~~ a jelly roll design and allows the NiCd cell to deliver much more current than a similar sized alkaline battery.



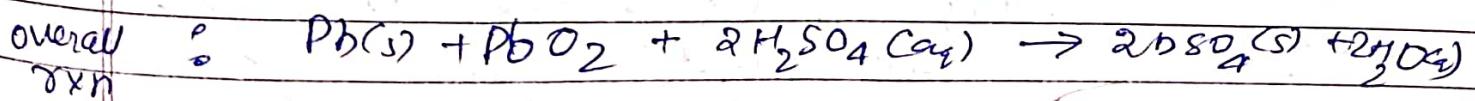
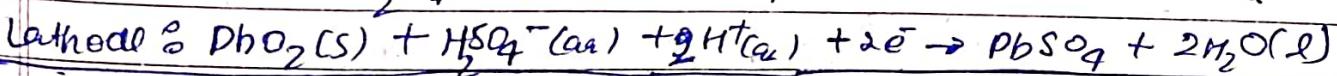
Lithium ion batteries

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It is the most popular rechargeable batteries and are used in many portable electronic device



Lead acid battery: It is type of secondary battery used in your automobile. It is inexpensive & capable of producing high current required by automobile in the start.



Describe principle of fuel cell.

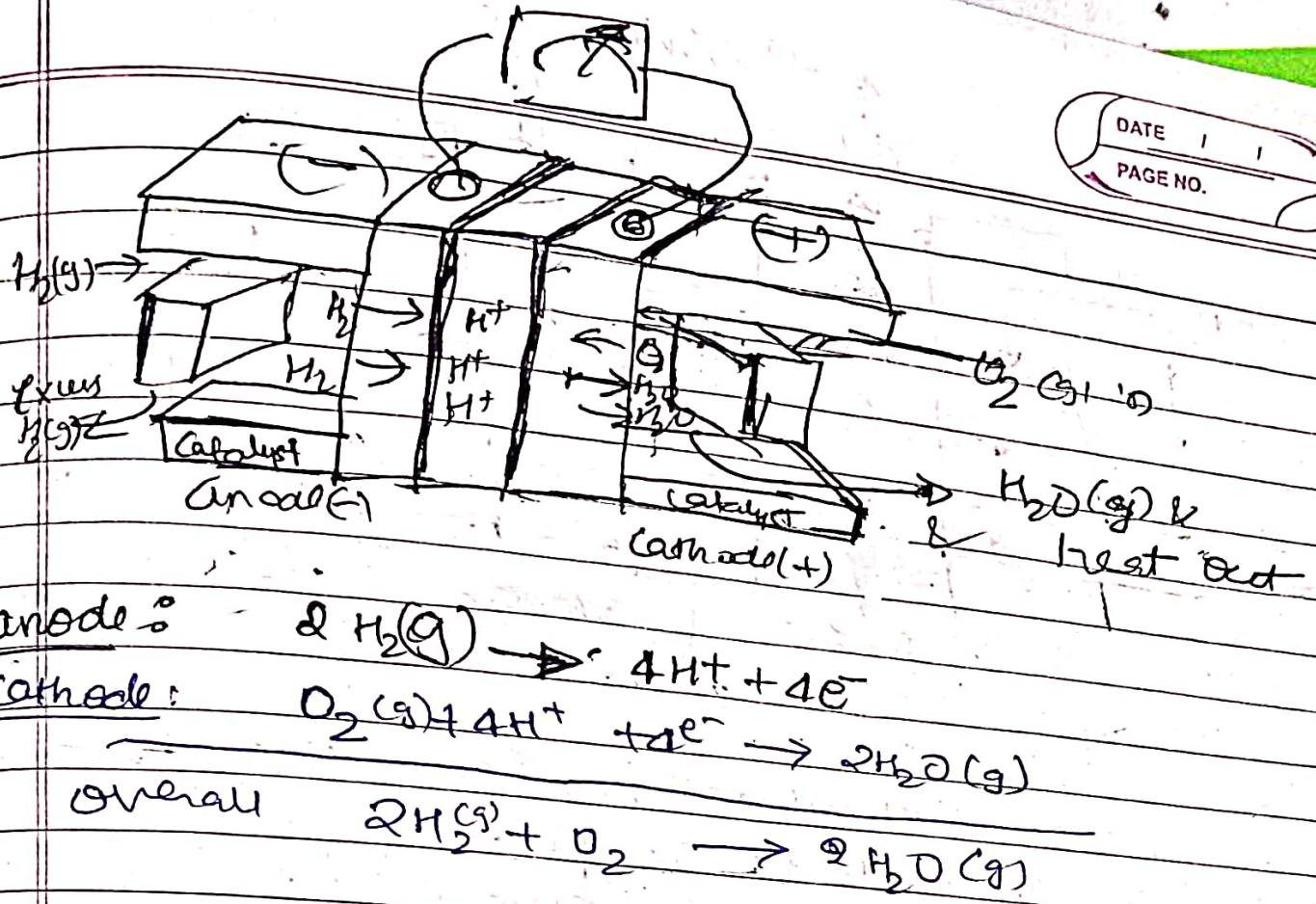
Fuel Cells

A fuel cell is a galvanic cell that requires a constant external supply greater part of reaction are continuously removed. Unlike battery, it does not store chemical or electrical energy a fuel cell allows electrical energy to be extracted directly from a chemical reaction.

In principle, this should be more efficient process than e.g. burning fuel to drive an internal combustion engine that fuelling a generator which is typically less than 40% efficient.

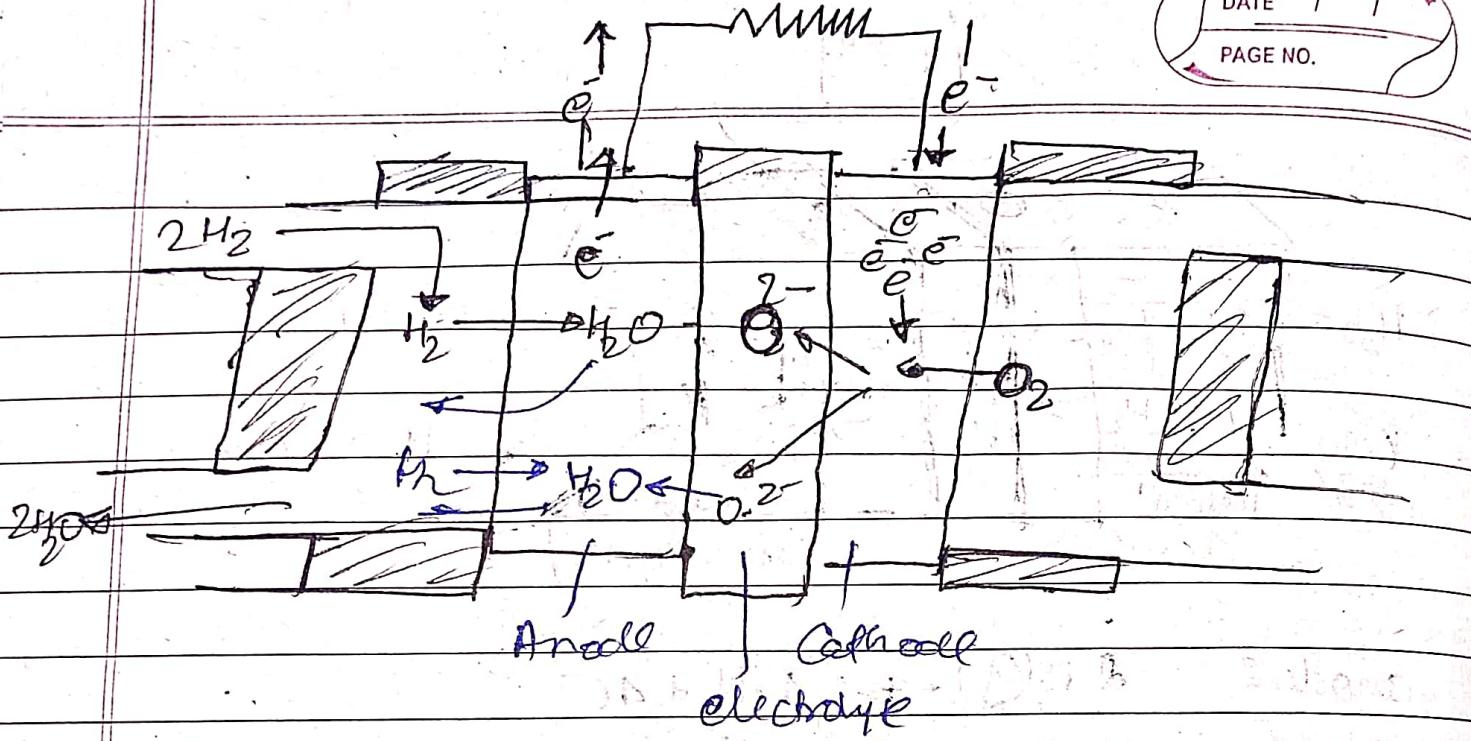
Efficiency of a fuel cell is generally 40-60%. Unfortunately significant cost & reliability problems have hindered the wide scale adoption of fuel cells.

In practice, their use has been restricted to applications in which mass may be a significant cost factor, such as US manned space vehicles. These space vehicles use a hydrogen/oxygen fuel cell that requires a continuous input of $H_2(g)$ & $O_2(g)$ as illustrated in fig.



The overall reaction represents an essentially pollution-free conversion of Hydrogen & Oxygen to water which in Space Vehicles is then collected and used.

Although this type of fuel cell should produce 1.023V under standard conditions, in practice the device achieves only about 0.9V. One of the major barriers to achieving greater efficiency is the fact that a reduction of $O_2(g)$ at cathode is intrinsically rather slow, which limits the current that can be achieved. All major automobile manufacturers have major research programs involving fuel cells: one of the most important goals in the development of a better catalyst for the reduction of $O_2(g)$.



A fuel cell requires an external supply of reactants as products are continuously removed.