

Chemical Equilibrium

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Table 7.1 Some Features of Physical Equilibria

Process	Conclusion
Liquid \rightleftharpoons Vapour $\text{H}_2\text{O (l)} \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_2\text{O (g)}$	$p_{\text{H}_2\text{O}}$ constant at given temperature
Solid \rightleftharpoons Liquid $\text{H}_2\text{O (s)} \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_2\text{O (l)}$	Melting point is fixed at constant pressure
Solute(s) \rightleftharpoons Solute (solution) Sugar(s) \rightleftharpoons Sugar (solution)	Concentration of solute in solution is constant at a given temperature
Gas(g) \rightleftharpoons Gas (aq) $\text{CO}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{CO}_2(\text{aq})$	$[\text{gas(aq)}]/[\text{gas(g)}]$ is constant at a given temperature $[\text{CO}_2(\text{aq})]/[\text{CO}_2(\text{g})]$ is constant at a given temperature

Q1. Which of the following statements are correct?

- A. (i),(iii) are correct
- B. (ii),(iv) are correct
- C. (i),(iii),(iv) are correct
- D. (i),(ii),(iii),(iv) are correct

Ans. (D)



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Table 7.4 Relations between Equilibrium Constants for a General Reaction and its Multiples.

Chemical equation	Equilibrium constant
$a A + b B \rightleftharpoons c C + d D$	K_c
$c C + d D \rightleftharpoons a A + b B$	$K'_c = (1/K_c)$
$na A + nb B \rightleftharpoons ncC + ndD$	$K''_c = (K_c^n)$

Q1. What is the equilibrium constant of reaction $c C + d D \rightleftharpoons a A + b B$, if equilibrium constant of the given reaction $a A + b B \rightleftharpoons c C + d D$ is K_c .

- A. K_c
- B. $(1/K_c)$
- C. $[K_c]^2$
- D. $(K_c)^3$

Ans. (B)

Q2. If equilibrium constant for the reaction $a A + b B \rightleftharpoons c C + d D$ is K_c , then equilibrium constant for the reaction $na A + nb B \rightleftharpoons ncC + ndD$ is

- A. $(K_c)^n = (K_c)^n$
- B. $c(K)^n = 1/(K_c)^n$
- C. $(K_c)^n = (K_c)^{n^2}$
- D. $(K_c)^n = (K_c)^{1/n}$

Ans. (A)



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Table 7.5 Equilibrium Constants, K_p for a Few Selected Reactions

Reaction	Temperature/K	K_p
$\text{N}_2(\text{g}) + 3\text{H}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{NH}_3$	298	6.8×10^5
	400	41
	500	3.6×10^{-2}
$2\text{SO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{SO}_3(\text{g})$	298	4.0×10^{24}
	500	2.5×10^{10}
	700	3.0×10^4
$\text{N}_2\text{O}_4(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{NO}_2(\text{g})$	298	0.98
	400	47.9
	500	1700

Q1. How will the K_p of the following reaction change at 400K and 500K respectively $\text{N}_2(\text{g}) + 3\text{H}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{NH}_3$

- A. Increases, increases
- B. Decreases, decreases
- C. Increases, decreases
- D. Decreases, increases

Ans. (C)

Q2. How will K_p of the following reaction change at 500K and 700K respectively $2\text{SO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{SO}_3(\text{g})$

- A. Decreases, increases
- B. Increases, increases
- C. Decreases, decreases
- D. Increases, decreases

Ans. (D)

Q3. What happens to the K_p of following reaction as the temperature increases $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{NO}_2(\text{g})$

- A. decreases
- B. increases
- C. remains same



D. cannot say

Ans. (B)

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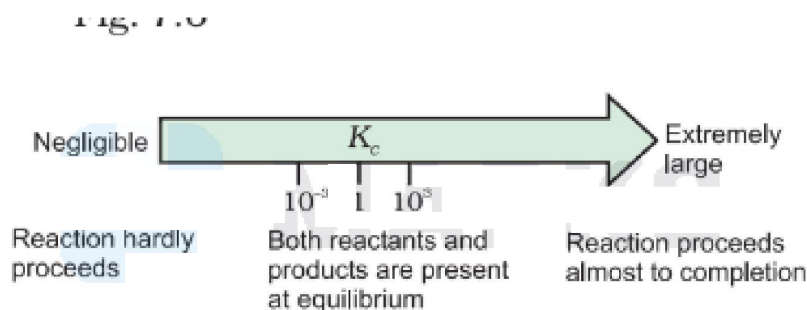


Fig. 7.6 Dependence of extent of reaction on K_c

Q1. For reactions having K_c less than 10^{-3}

- A. Reaction rarely proceeds
- B. Products dominate reactants
- C. Appreciable range of reactants and products are present
- D. Cannot say

Ans. (A)

Q2. What happens for the reactions whose K_c value is greater than 10^3

- A. Reactant dominate products
- B. Products dominate reactants
- C. Appreciable range of reactants and products are present
- D. Cannot say

Ans. (B)

Q3. For reactions having K_c value in between 10^{-3} and 10^3

- A. Reaction rarely proceeds
- B. Products dominate reactants
- C. Appreciable range of reactants and products are present
- D. Cannot say



Ans. (C)

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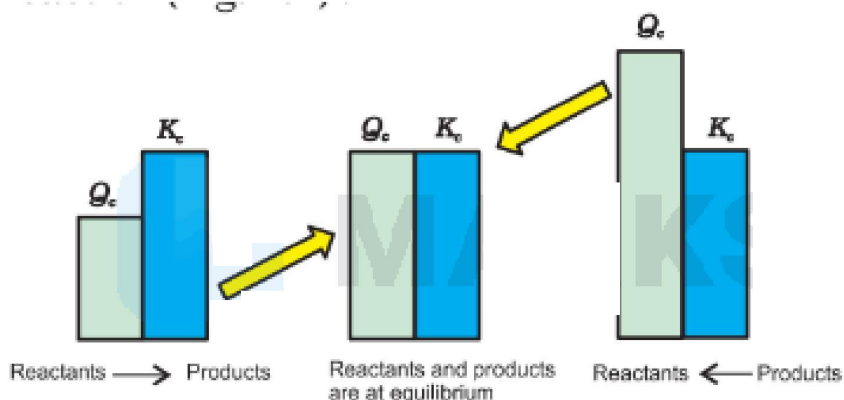


Fig. 7.7 Predicting the direction of the reaction

Q1. What happens if a reaction has $Q_c < K_c$

- A. Net reaction goes from left to right
- B. Net reaction goes from right to left
- C. Products and reactants are at equilibrium
- D. Cannot say

Ans. (A)

Q2. For reaction $Q_c > K_c$, the

- A. Net reaction goes from left to right
- B. Net reaction goes from right to left
- C. Products and reactants are at equilibrium
- D. Cannot say

Ans. (B)

Q3. What happens if a reaction has $Q_c = K_c$

- A. Net reaction goes from left to right
- B. Net reaction goes from right to left



C. Products and reactants are at equilibrium

D. Cannot say

Ans. (C)

