

## CHAPTER 13 CHEMICAL EQUILIBRIA

$A \xrightleftharpoons{K} B$       $K = [B]/[A]$      equilibrium constant, [ ]  $\Rightarrow$  concentration

$$dG = -SdT + Vdp + \mu_A dN_A + \mu_B dN_B$$

Take  $T, p$  constant

$$dG = \mu_A dN_A + \mu_B dN_B$$

at equilibrium

$$dG = 0 = \mu_A dN_A + \mu_B dN_B$$

$$N = N_A + N_B = \text{const}$$

$$dN_A = -dN_B$$

$$(\mu_A - \mu_B) dN_A = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_A = \mu_B$$

$$q' = \sum_{j=0}^t e^{-\varepsilon_j/kT} = e^{-\varepsilon_0/kT} + e^{-\varepsilon_1/kT} + \dots$$

$$q = e^{\varepsilon_0/kT} q' \quad \leftarrow \text{factor out ground state}$$

$$\mu_A = -kT \ln \frac{q'_A}{N_A}, \quad \mu_B = -kT \ln \frac{q'_B}{N_B}$$

$$\ln \frac{q'_A}{N_A} = \ln \frac{q'_B}{N_B} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{q'_A}{N_A} = \frac{q'_B}{N_B}$$

$$\frac{q_A e^{-\varepsilon_{0A}/kT}}{N_A} = \frac{q_B e^{-\varepsilon_{0B}/kT}}{N_B}$$

$$K = \frac{N_B}{N_A} = \frac{q_B}{q_A} e^{-(\varepsilon_{0B} - \varepsilon_{0A})/kT}$$

ignores interactions

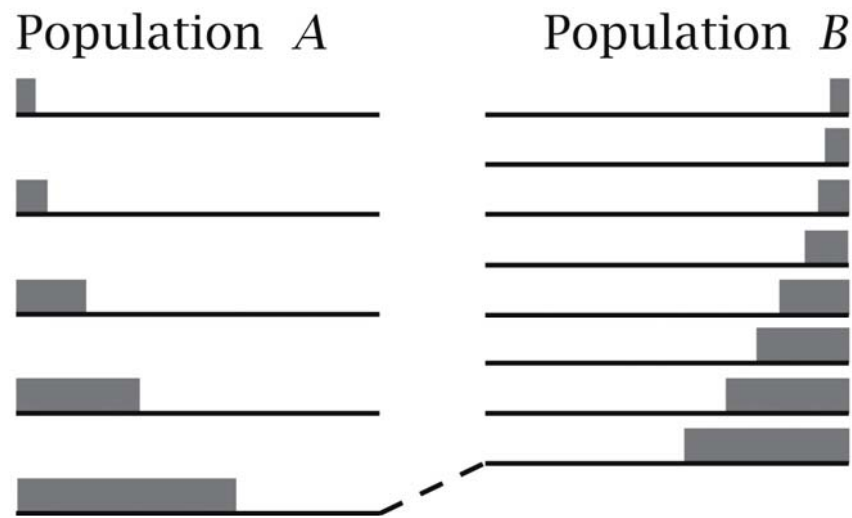
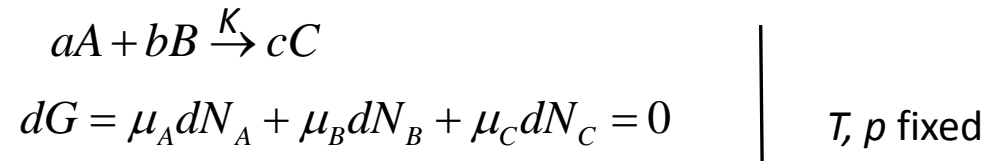


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Generalize



introduce a progress variable  $\xi$

$$dN_C = cd\xi$$

$$dN_A = -ad\xi$$

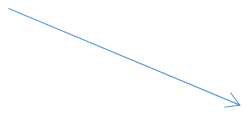
$$dN_B = -bd\xi$$

$$(c\mu_C - a\mu_A - b\mu_B)d\xi = 0$$

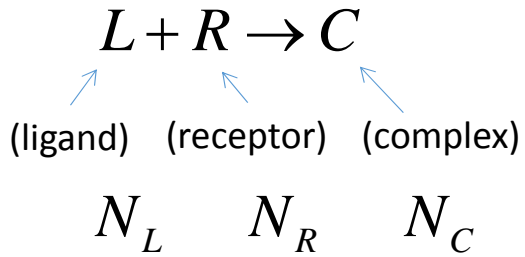
$$c\mu_C = a\mu_A + b\mu_B \quad \text{at equilibrium}$$

$$c \left[ -kT \ln \frac{q'_C}{N_C} \right] = a \left[ -kT \ln \frac{q'_A}{N_A} \right] + b \left[ -kT \ln \frac{q'_B}{N_B} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{q'_C}{N_C} \right)^c = \left( \frac{q'_A}{N_A} \right)^a \left( \frac{q'_B}{N_B} \right)^b$$


$$K = \frac{N_C^c}{N_A^a N_B^b} = \frac{(q'_C)^c}{(q'_A)^a (q'_B)^b} = \frac{(q_C^c)}{(q_A^a)(q_B^b)} e^{-(c\varepsilon_{0C} - a\varepsilon_{0A} - b\varepsilon_{0B})/KT}$$

Example 13.2: Model for ligand binding



$$q_R = Vz \quad q_L = Vz \quad q_C = Vz e^{-\varepsilon_0/kT}$$

$$K = \frac{N_C}{N_R N_L} = \frac{q_C}{q_R q_L} = \frac{e^{-\varepsilon_0/kT}}{Vz}$$

$$\frac{d \ln K}{dT} = \frac{\varepsilon_0}{kT^2}$$

$$\ln K = \ln \left[ \frac{e^{-\varepsilon_0/kT}}{Vz} \right]$$

$$= \frac{-\varepsilon_0}{kT} - \ln(Vz)$$

$\uparrow$   $\Delta h$        $\uparrow$   $-T\Delta s$

binding is weaker at higher  $T$

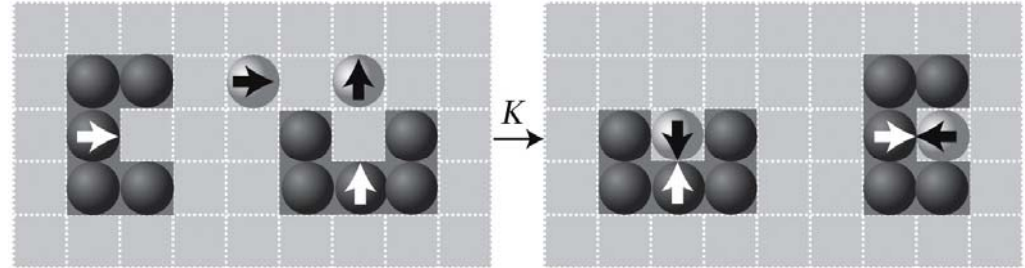


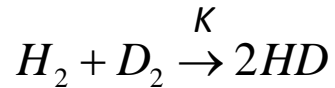
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correct orientation on lattice  $\rightarrow$  energy  $\varepsilon_0 < 0$

$V$  = # of lattice sites where each species can be located;  $Z$  = # of directions (2, 4, 6)

A different convention for dealing with relative energies

$$\Delta \varepsilon_0 = -\Delta D \quad | \quad D = \text{dissociation energy}$$



$$K = \frac{(q_{HD})^2}{q_{H_2} q_{D_2}} e^{\Delta D/kT}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta D &= 2(435.2) \\ &\quad - 431.8 - 439.2 \\ &= 0.6 \text{ kJ / mol} \end{aligned}$$

Why isn't this zero?

$$e^{\Delta D/kT} = 0.79 \text{ at } T = 300 \text{ K}$$

$$K = K_t K_r K_v e^{\Delta D/kT}$$

$$\begin{aligned} K_t &= \frac{\left[ (2\pi m_{HD} kT / h^2)^{3/2} \right]^2}{(2\pi m_{H_2} kT / h^2)^{3/2} (2\pi m_{D_2} kT / h^2)^{3/2}} = \frac{m_{HD}^3}{m_{H_2}^{3/2} m_{D_2}^{3/2}} \\ &= \frac{3^3}{2^{3/2} 4^{3/2}} = \frac{27}{2\sqrt{28}} = 1.19 \end{aligned}$$

$$K_r = \frac{\sigma_{H_2} \sigma_{D_2}}{(\sigma_{HD})^2} \frac{I_{HD}^2}{I_{H_2} I_{D_2}}$$

$$K_r = \frac{2.28}{1^2 \cdot 9} = 3.56$$

$$I = \mu R^2$$

$$\mu_{H_2} = \frac{1.1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\mu_{D_2} = \frac{2.2}{2} = 1$$

$$\mu_{HD} = \frac{1.2}{3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\frac{I_{HD}^2}{I_{D_2} I_{H_2}} = \frac{(2/3)^2}{1/2 \cdot 1} = \frac{8}{9}$$

Here I neglected  $R^2$  as it will cancel out.

$$K_v = \frac{(1 - e^{-h\nu_{HD}/kT})^{-2}}{(1 - e^{-h\nu_{H_2}/kT})^{-1} (1 - e^{-h\nu_{D_2}/kT})^{-1}}$$

$$K = (1.19)(3.56)(1)(0.79) = 3.35$$

trans      rot      vibr       $\Delta D_e$

Largest contribution arises from symmetry #'s in rotational term

When  $T \rightarrow \infty$   $K \rightarrow 4.23$

## Equilibrium constants in terms of pressure

$$K = \frac{N_C^c}{N_A^a N_B^b} \quad \left| \quad pV = NkT, \quad N = \frac{pV}{kT} \right.$$

$$K = \frac{(p_C V/kT)^c}{(p_A V/kT)^a (p_B V/kT)^b} = \frac{p_C^c}{p_A^a p_B^b} \left( \frac{kT}{V} \right)^{a+b-c} = \frac{q_C^c}{q_A^a q_B^b} e^{\Delta D/kT} \quad \left| \quad K_p = \left( \frac{V}{kT} \right)^{a+b-c} K \right.$$

$$K_p = \frac{p_C^c}{p_A^a p_B^b} = \frac{q_C^c}{q_A^a q_B^b} \left( \frac{kT}{V} \right)^{(c-a-b)} e^{\Delta D/kT}$$

$$K_p = \frac{q_{0C}^c}{q_{0A}^a q_{0B}^b} (kT)^{c-a-b} e^{+\Delta D/kT}$$

$$q_0 = q/V = \text{partition function with volume removed}$$

get chemical potentials in terms of partial pressures

$$\mu = -kT \ln\left(\frac{q'}{N}\right) = -kT \ln\left(\frac{q'_0 V}{N}\right) \quad \left| \quad V = \frac{NkT}{p}\right.$$

$$\mu = -kT \ln\left(\frac{q'_0 kT}{p}\right)$$

$$\mu = +kT \ln\left(\frac{p}{p_{\text{int}}^o}\right) = \mu^o + kT \ln p \quad \left| \quad p_{\text{int}}^o = q'_0 kT\right.$$

$\uparrow$   
 $-kT \ln(q'_0 kT)$

$\mu_o =$  standard state chemical potential

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### Example 13.4: Dissociation

$$I_2 = 2I, \quad T = 1000K, \quad m_I = 2.109 \times 10^{-25} \text{ kg}$$

$$q_{el,I} = 4 \quad \theta_{rot} = 0.0537K$$

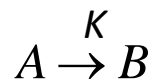
$$q_{el,I_2} = 1 \quad \theta_{vib} = 308K$$

$$\Delta D = -35.6 \text{ kcal/mol} \quad e^{\Delta D/RT} = 1.66 \times 10^{-8}$$

$$K_p = 3.1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ atm}$$



## Le Chatelier's Principle



fluctuation  $dN_B$  in #B

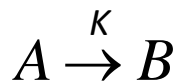
$$dG = (\mu_B - \mu_A) d\xi$$

move toward equilibrium  $\Rightarrow dG \leq 0$

so  $\mu_A - \mu_B$  and  $d\xi$  of opposite sign  
system tends to equilibrium by moving  
in a direction opposite a perturbation

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$K(T)$  at different temperatures  $\rightarrow S, H$



At equilibrium  $\mu_A = \mu_B$

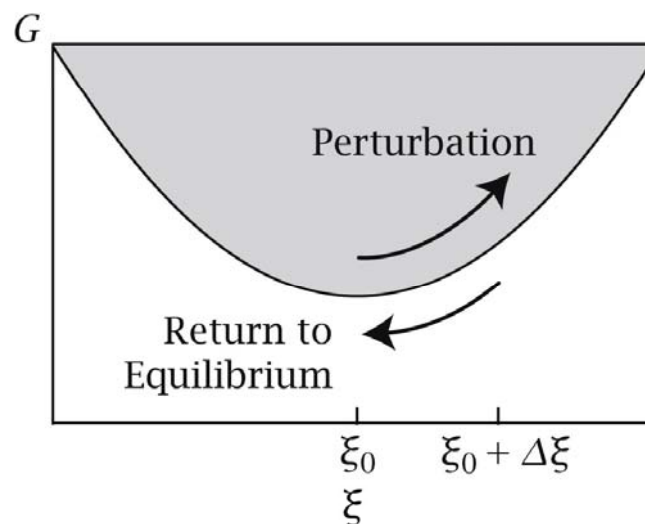


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$$\mu_A^0 + kT \ln p_A = \mu_B^0 + kT \ln p_B$$

$$K = \left( \frac{q_B}{q_A} \right) e^{-(\varepsilon_{0B} - \varepsilon_{0A})/kT}$$

$$= \frac{p_B}{p_A}$$

$$\ln K_p = \ln \left( \frac{p_B}{p_A} \right) = -\frac{(\mu_B^o - \mu_A^o)}{kT} = -\frac{\Delta\mu^o}{kT}$$

$$\Delta\mu^o = \Delta h^o - T\Delta s^o$$

$$\ln K_p = -\Delta\mu^o / kT = -\frac{\Delta h^o - T\Delta s^o}{kT}$$

The "o" meant P = 1 atm.

$\Delta\mu^o$  depends only  
on  $T$  for ideal gas

$$\frac{\partial \ln K_p}{\partial T} = \frac{\Delta h^\circ}{kT^2}$$

assuming  $h^\circ, s^\circ$  are independent of  $T$

or 
$$\frac{\partial \ln K_p}{\partial (1/T)} = \frac{-\Delta h^\circ}{k}$$

van't Hoff equation

$$\ln \left( \frac{K_p(T_2)}{K_p(T_1)} \right) = \frac{-\Delta h^\circ}{k} \left( \frac{1}{T_2} - \frac{1}{T_1} \right)$$

From integration of eq. at top assuming  $\Delta h$  indep. of  $T$ .

$$\Delta \mu_o = -R \ln K_p$$

$$\Delta s_0^\circ = \frac{\Delta h^\circ - \Delta \mu^\circ}{T}$$

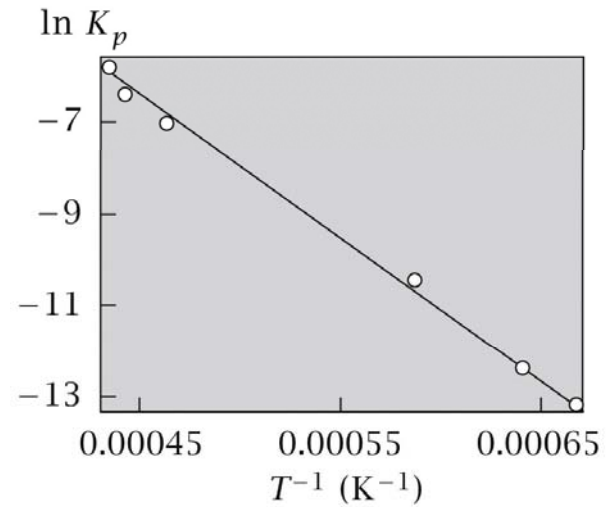


Figure 13.5 Molecular Driving Forces 2/e (© Garland Science 2011)

van't Hoff plot for dissociation of water

## Gibbs – Helmholtz Equation

Not restricted to gases or chem. equilibrium

$$G = H - TS$$

$$H = G + TS$$

$$H = G - T \left( \frac{\partial G}{\partial T} \right)_p$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial(G/T)}{\partial T} \right)_p = \frac{1}{T} \left( \frac{\partial G}{\partial T} \right)_p - \frac{G}{T^2} - \frac{-1}{T^2} \left[ G - T \left( \frac{\partial G}{\partial T} \right)_p \right]$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial(G/T)}{\partial T} \right)_p = -\frac{H(T)}{T^2} \quad \left| \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Gibbs – Helmholtz} \\ \text{Equation} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial(F/T)}{\partial T} \right)_v = -\frac{U(T)}{T^2}$$

$$d \left( \frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{vdu - u dv}{v^2}$$

$$u = G, \quad v = T$$

$$d \left( \frac{G}{T} \right) = \frac{TdG - GdT}{T^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dT} \left( \frac{G}{T} \right) = \frac{1}{T} \frac{dG}{dT} - \frac{1}{T^2} G$$

## Pressure dependence of $K$

$$\ln K_p = \frac{-\Delta\mu^\circ}{kT}$$

$$\frac{\partial \ln K_p}{\partial p} = -\frac{1}{kT} \left( \frac{\partial \Delta\mu^\circ}{\partial p} \right) = 0 \quad \text{for ideal gas}$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial \mu}{\partial p} \right)_{T,N} = \left( \frac{\partial V}{\partial N} \right)_{T,p} = v$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial (\mu_B^\circ - \mu_A^\circ)}{\partial p} \right)_T = v_B^\circ - v_A^\circ = \Delta v^\circ$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial \ln K_p}{\partial p} \right)_T = \frac{-\Delta v^\circ}{kT}$$

if  $B$  is state of smaller volume  
>  $p$  will shift equilibrium from  $A$   
toward  $B$

$$\mu = kT \ln \left( \frac{q}{N} \right)$$

$$\mu^\circ = -kT \ln(q' kT)$$

$$\Delta\mu^\circ = \mu_B^\circ - \mu_A^\circ$$

$$\mu = \mu^\circ + kT \ln \rho$$