

The exam of Principles of Physical Chemistry (CHEM-C1230) at 11.12.2023. has been corrected. There is an Excel file in the MyCourses which has all the points (also the exercises and quiz). Please check the points.

I will add the marks to Sisu after few days. The next exam is **22.1.2024** form 13:00-17:00. The registration is open in Sisu. The Jan exam **is a remote exam**.

The exam weight was 70 %, the exercise 25 % and the quiz 5 %.

The point score is below.

	lowest points
1	50
2	60
3	70
4	80
5	90

Correction notes 11.12. exam

- 1) Iron Fe(s) oxides quite easily to Fe₂O₃(s). Which is more exothermic at room temperature – the oxidation with gas phase water H₂O(g) or with O₂(g).
2 p. reaction equations
2 p. how to compute the reaction enthalpy, where you got the data. Having only equations is not enough.
1 p. correct calculation of reaction enthalpy.
1 p. correct conclusion Note: comparison needs to be made on same amount of Fe₂O₃.
- 2) Explain how the constant pressure calorimeter works.
1 p. A picture and general explanations
1 p. you observe temperature change
1 p. you measure heat change -> enthalpy and heat capacity
1 p. calibration -> you need the heat capacity of the calorimeter
2 p. correct calculations of the heat capacity of the calorimeter
- 3) Table salt NaCl(s) dissolves quite easily to water
1 p. reaction enthalpy
1 p. reaction gibbs energy
2 p. correct conclusion for heating and spontaneity
2 p. the calculation for KCl and correct conclusion

- 4) Fugacity and fugacity coefficient
- 1 p. fugacity is similar to pressure
 - 1 p. definition of fugacity coefficient
 - 1 p. the fugacity (or real pressure) estimation of the gases at 200 atm.
 - 1 p. ammonia synthesis reaction equation and equilibrium constant (K)
 - 1 p. estimation of the K using fugacities
 - 1 p. general quality of the answer
- 5) The phase changes can be investigated using either P-T or P-V diagram
- 1 p. pressure need to be higher than P(triple point) and lower than P(critical)
 - 1 p. volume change in solid and liquid when temp increase
 - 1 p. volume change at melting point,
 - 1 p. co-exist of solid and liquid.
 - 1 p. volume change at boiling point, co-exist of liquid and gas
 - 1 p. large change in liquid gas transition. in gas $V = nRT/p$
- 6) Explain the reaction rate and rate constant of a model reaction
- 2 p. what are reaction rate and rate constant, understanding the reaction order.
 - 1 p. the unit of reaction rate and rate constant.
 - 1 p. general equilibrium constant, $aA + bB \leftrightarrow cC + dD$ and $A + B \leftrightarrow C + D$ reactions
 - 1 p. At equilibrium forward and backward reactions are equal
 - 1 p. relation of K, $k(\text{forw})$, and $k(\text{backw})$