

Chemistry

Semester 1 Outline 2011-2012

I. Chapter 1: Introduction to Chemistry

- a. Evolution of Chemistry (Philosophers, alchemists, chemists)
Aristotle, Boyle, Lavoisier
- b. Science defined
- c. Scientific Method (Observation, question, hypothesis, experiment, appraise results for support of hypothesis)
- d. Theory vs. Law
- e. Branches of chemistry and applications
- f. Science vs. Technology

II. Chapter 2: Scientific Measurements

- a. Accuracy vs. precision
- b. Scientific Notation
 - i. Expressing a number in scientific notation.
 - ii. Addition and subtraction
 - iii. Multiplication and division
- c. The Factor-Label Method of Solving Problems
- d. Significant Figures
 - i. Determining the number of significant figures
 - ii. Addition and subtraction
 - iii. Multiplication and division

III. Chapter 3: The Metric System

- a. Units and prefixes of the metric system
- b. Base vs. derived units
- c. Calculating volumes
- d. Volume by displacement
- e. Density
- f. Temperature conversions ($^{\circ}\text{C}$, $^{\circ}\text{F}$, K)
- g. Heat and Specific Heat

IV. Chapter 4: Matter and Energy

- a. Matter defined
- b. Phases of matter
 - i. Solid, liquid, gas
- c. Heating and cooling curves
- d. Classification of matter
 - i. Pure substance vs. mixture
 - ii. Element vs. compound
 - iii. Heterogeneous mixture vs. homogeneous mixture (solution)
- e. Regions of the periodic table
- f. Properties of metals, nonmetals and semimetals (metalloids)
- g. Interpretation and writing of chemical formulas (composition and fixed ratios)
- h. Chemical vs. physical properties

- i. Similarities among elements within the same group (family)
- j. Conservation of matter
- k. Different forms of energy (Heat, Light, Chemical, Electrical, Mechanical, Nuclear)
- l. Mass-energy equivalence; $E=mc^2$ (Einstein)
- m. Development of the periodic table (Dobereiner, Newlands, Mendeleev, Moseley)
- n. The layout of the modern periodic table
 - i. Groups (families) (including alkali metals, alkaline earth metals, halogens and noble gases)
 - ii. Periods
 - iii. Regions (including metals, nonmetal, semimetals, transition and post-transition metals, inner transition elements [lanthanides and actinides; aka rare-earth elements], transuranium elements)
- o. Diatomic elements (H_2 , N_2 , F_2 , O_2 , I_2 , Cl_2 , Br_2)

V. Chapter 5: Models of the Atom / Chapter 6: The Periodic Table

- a. John Dalton (Dalton's Atomic Theory; Law of constant composition)
- b. Law of multiple proportions
- c. J. J. Thomson; Cathode ray tube experiment (cathode rays = electron beam)
 - i. Plum pudding model of the atom
 - ii. Charge to mass ratio of electron
- d. Eugen Goldstein; Canal rays (positively charged particles)
- e. Robert Millikan; Millikan's Oil Drop Experiment (discovered charge on electron)
- f. Ernest Rutherford; Rutherford's Gold Foil Experiment (discovery of the nucleus)
 - i. Nuclear model of the atom
- g. James Chadwick; Discovery of the neutron
- h. Atomic mass unit (amu) defined; 1/12 mass of a carbon-12 isotope
- i. Atomic notation (atomic number, mass number, symbol)
 - i. Element defined by number of protons in the nucleus
- j. Isotope defined (Same element with different number of neutrons)
- k. Electromagnetic waves defined.
 - i. Electrical and magnetic wave components.
 - ii. Energy carried on the frequency of the EM wave
 - iii. Photoelectric effect (Einstein); revealed particle (photon) nature of light
- l. Explanation of spectral lines (electron transitions)
 - i. Bohr model of the atom
 - ii. Electrons in specific quantized orbits
 - iii. Electron representation in the Bohr model ($\max e = 2n^2$)
- m. Erwin Schrodinger and the Wave Mechanical Model of the atom
 - i. Electrons exist in atoms as waves of probability
 - ii. Different energy states correspond to different probability regions (shapes)
 - iii. Shapes represent 90% probability region
 - iv. Quantum numbers (n , l , m_l , m_s) determine energy state of the electron
 - v. Follows Aufbau Principle, Hund's Rule and the Pauli Exclusion Principle
 - vi. Electron configurations can be represented with spectroscopic and condensed spectroscopic notation
- n. Periodic properties based on electron configuration
 - i. Core vs. valence electrons
 - ii. Atomic radius; Ionization energy; electron affinity; predicting charges
 - iii. Lewis dot diagram for representing valence electrons
 - iv. Charged atoms that are isoelectronic with noble gases

VI. Chapter 7: Language of Chemistry

- a. Define IUPAC (International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry) naming rules
- b. Define organic vs. inorganic chemistry
- c. Predicting formulas and names of different types of compounds
- d. Nomenclature of compounds containing ionic bonding (ionic compounds)
 - i. Binary ionic compounds with fixed cation charge
 - ii. Binary ionic compounds with variable cation charge
 - iii. Ionic compounds containing polyatomic ions
 - iv. Empirical formula
- e. Nomenclature of compounds containing covalent bonding (covalent compounds – molecules)
 - i. Nonmetal-nonmetal bonding rules
 - ii. Molecular vs. empirical formula
- f. Acid nomenclature
 - i. Identifying an acid (Leading hydrogens)
 - ii. Binary acid nomenclature
 - iii. Oxyacid (ternary) acid nomenclature

VII. Chapter 8: Chemical Reactions

- a. Recognizing physical vs. chemical changes
- b. Evidence and driving forces of chemical reactions
 - i. Gas produced; insoluble compound produced; permanent color change; energy change; water produced.
- c. Writing and balancing chemical reaction equations
 - i. Writing correct compound formulas
 - ii. Balancing with coefficients
- d. Interpreting and translating reaction descriptions into symbolic form
- e. Symbology related to chemical reactions (e.g. (s), (l), (g), (aq), etc.)
- f. Definition of a catalyst
- g. Reaction Types
 - i. Combination (synthesis reactions): $A + Z \rightarrow AZ$
 - ii. Decomposition: $AZ \rightarrow A + Z$
 - iii. Behavior of specific decomposition reactions (containing carbonates, bicarbonates and metallic oxides)
 - iv. Single replacement reactions: $A + BZ \rightarrow AZ + B$
 - v. Double displacement (precipitation): $AX + BZ \rightarrow AZ + BX$
 - vi. Activity series and solubility rules will be provided on the exam as needed
 - vii. Acid-Base: $HX + BOH \rightarrow BX + HOH$ (acid + base yields a salt and water)
 - viii. Combustion: $C_xH_y + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2 + H_2O$

VIII. Chapter 12: Chemical Bonding

- a. Core vs. valence electrons revisited
- b. Lewis dot structure and the octet rule
- c. Transferring vs. sharing of electrons
- d. Ionic bonding (formula unit) and ionic radius
- e. Covalent bonding (molecule) and internuclear distance
- f. Representing ionic and molecular compounds using Lewis dot diagrams
- g. Identifying and drawing resonance structures
- h. Bond polarity and electronegativity trend on the periodic table
- i. Coordinate covalent bonds defined

- j. Hydrogen bonding (hydrogen bonded to N, O or F)
- k. Intramolecular and intermolecular attractions
- l. VSEPR (valence shell electron pair repulsion) theory
 - i. Accounts for geometry of molecules
 - ii. Electron pairs spatially as far apart as possible.
- m. Electron geometry vs. molecular geometry
- n. geometric classes
 - i. Linear
 - ii. Trigonal planar (subclass bent)
 - iii. Tetrahedral (subclasses trigonal pyramidal and bent)
- o. Molecular polarity dependent upon Δ Electronegativity of bonding atoms and geometry of molecule.

Please remember that this outline is only a guide. It is not meant to be a substitute for a comprehensive review of the material.

Information and equations that will be included on the final.

$$^{\circ}\text{C} = 5(^{\circ}\text{F}-32)/9 \quad \text{K} = ^{\circ}\text{C} + 273.15 \quad ^{\circ}\text{F} = 9^{\circ}\text{C}/5 + 32 \quad 1\text{mL} = 1\text{cm}^3$$

$$\text{Density (d)} = \text{mass}/\text{Volume} \quad 1 \text{ micro} = 1\mu = 10^{-6} \quad 1 \text{ nano} = 1\text{n} = 10^{-9}$$

$$E = mc^2 \quad \text{Mass of electron} = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{kg} \quad \text{Charge of electron} = -1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{C}$$

Weighted average = (Isotopic mass₁)(isotopic decimal percent abundance₁) + (Isotopic mass₂)(isotopic decimal percent abundance₂) + (Isotopic mass₃)(isotopic decimal percent abundance₃) + ...

$$c = \lambda\nu \quad E = h\nu \text{ or } E = hc/\lambda \quad c = \text{speed of light} = 3.0 \times 10^8 \text{m/s}$$

$$h = \text{Planck's constant} (6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{Js}) \quad \Delta x \Delta mv \geq h/4\pi$$

$$\text{Max } e = 2n^2 \quad q = m \times c \times \Delta T \text{ (specific heat equation)}$$