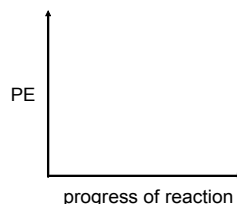


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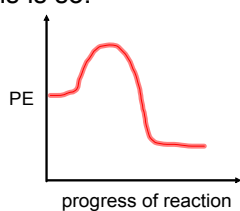
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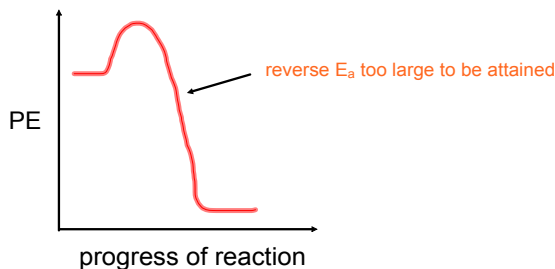
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Thus, the reverse  $E_a$  becomes attainable due to the extra energy supplied to the system.

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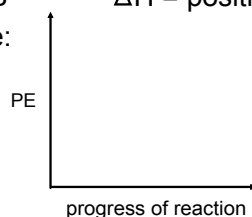
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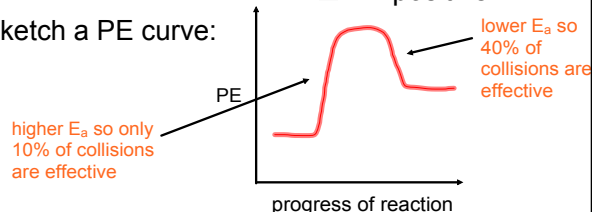
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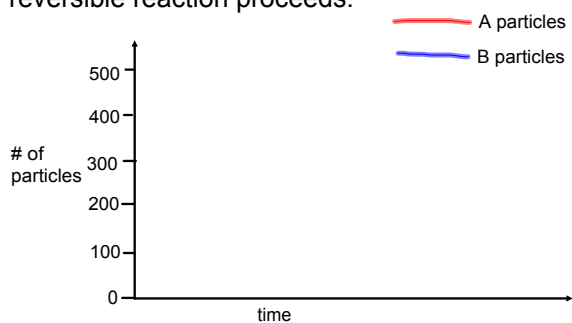
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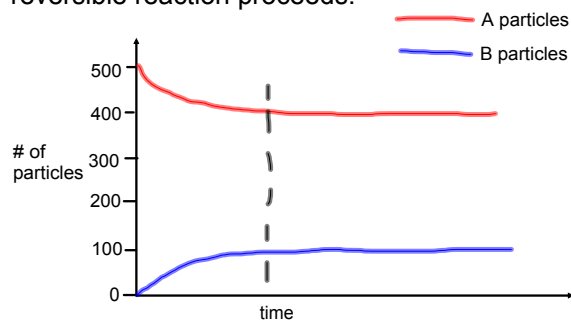
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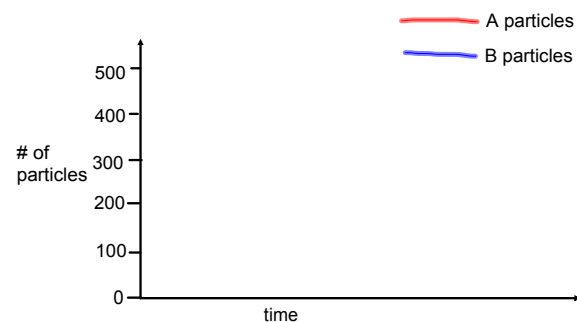
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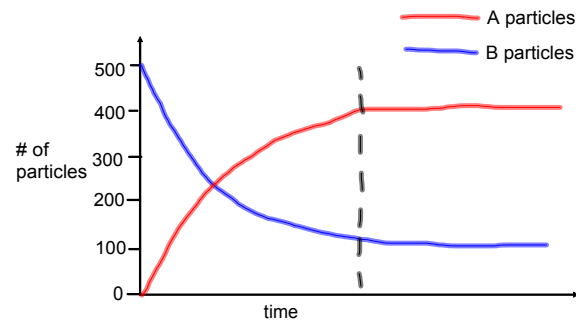
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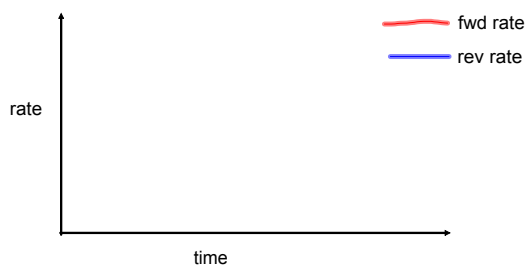
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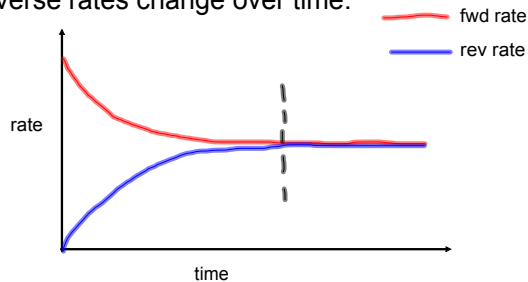
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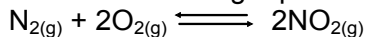
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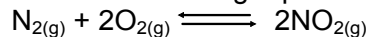
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### II) LeChatelier's Principle

What will happen if an equilibrium system is disturbed?

Possible disturbances include a change in concentration of one of the substances, a change in temperature, or a change in the pressure (essentially the concentration) of a gas, or the addition of a catalyst.

The French chemist LeChatelier developed a principle to help chemists predict the effect of a disturbance.

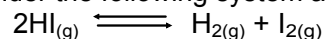
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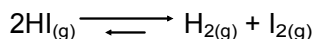
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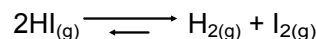
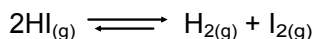
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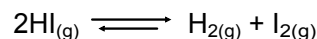


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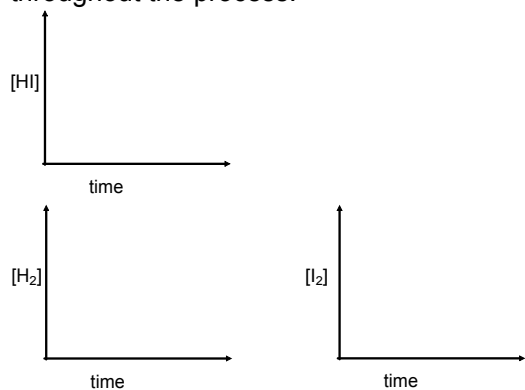
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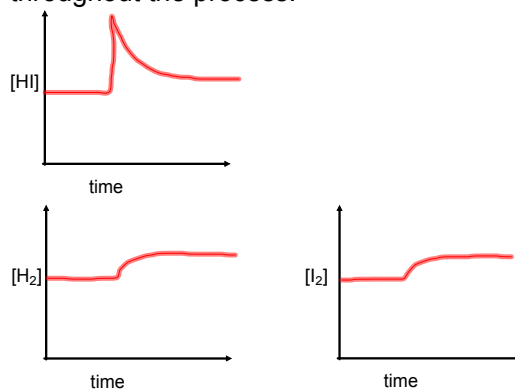
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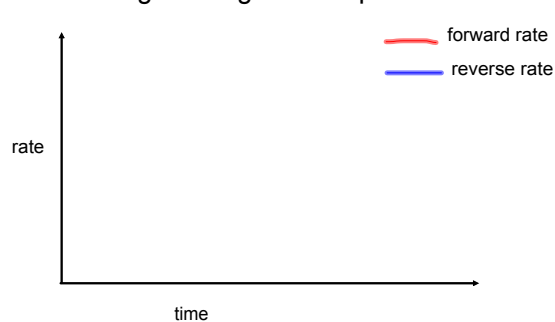
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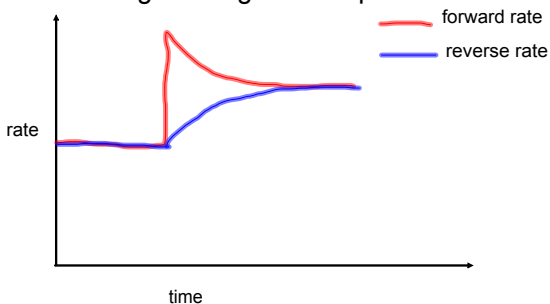
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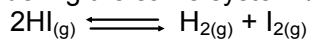
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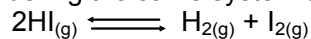
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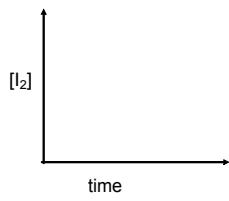
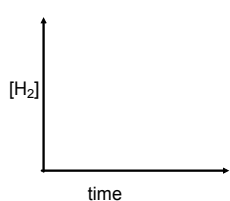
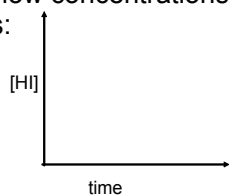
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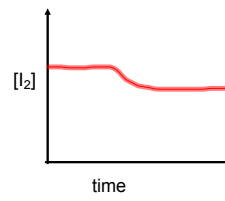
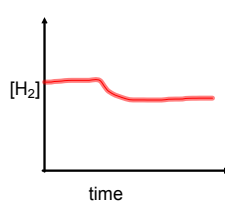
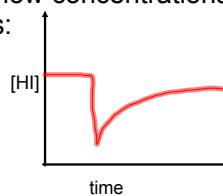
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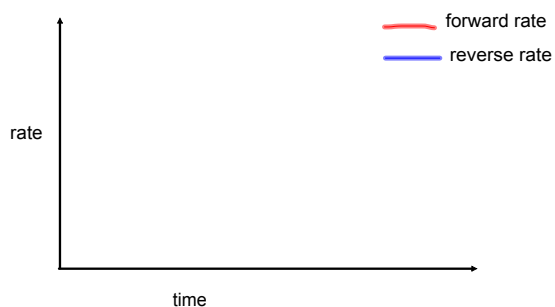
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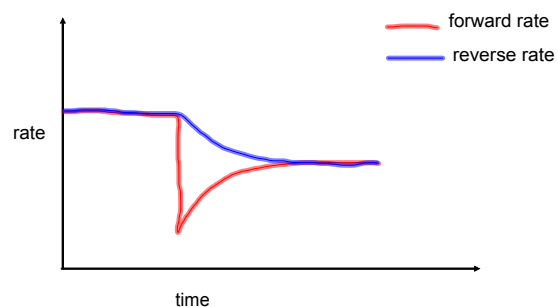
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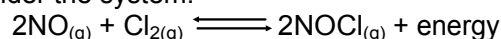
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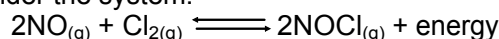
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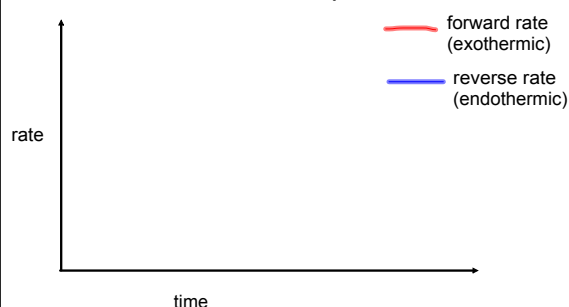
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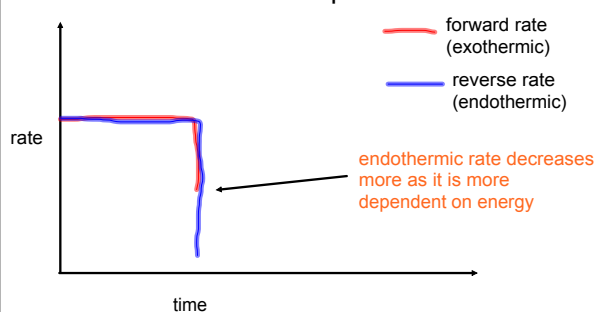
the reverse reaction rate (endothermic in this example) will decrease to a greater extent than the forward reaction rate (exothermic)

Graph how the forward and reverse rates change due to the decrease in temperature.



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Therefore, which rate is temporarily greater?

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This means, that for a time, products will be produced faster than they're being used (resulting in a net increase), and visa versa for reactants.

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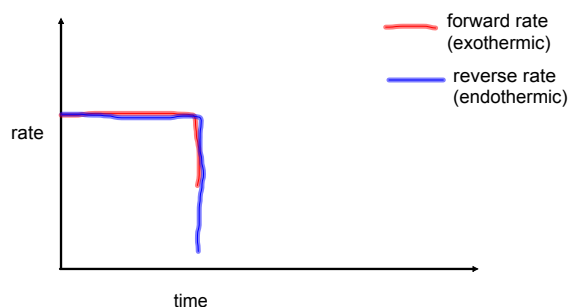
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Therefore, there is a shift to the right (exo side) and products are favoured.

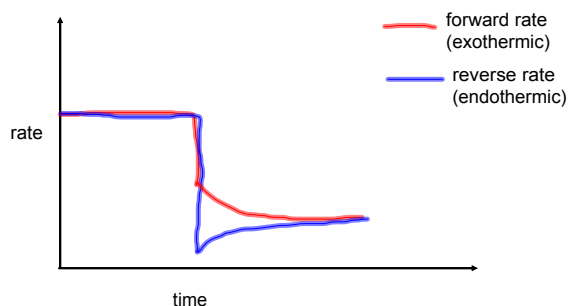
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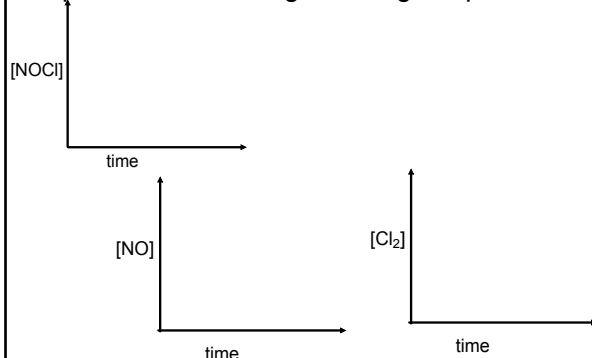
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When equilibrium has been re-established, why are the rates lower than originally?

Temperature has been decreased, thus both rates are lower than before as there are less collisions, and the collisions aren't as hard.

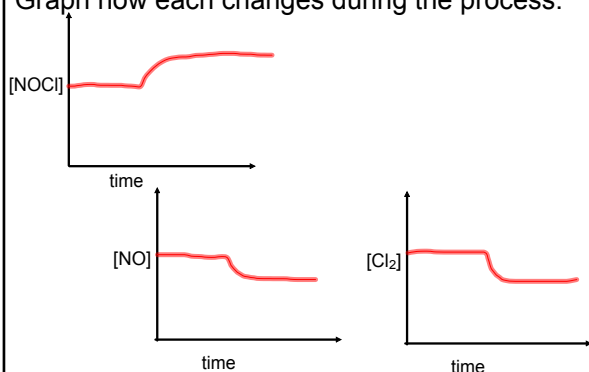
Due to the shift right (to the exothermic side), the [NOCl] \_\_\_\_\_, [NO] \_\_\_\_\_, and [Cl<sub>2</sub>] \_\_\_\_\_.

Graph how each changes during the process:

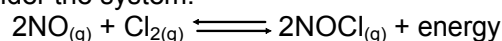


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Graph how each changes during the process:

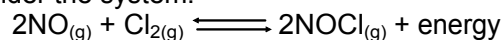


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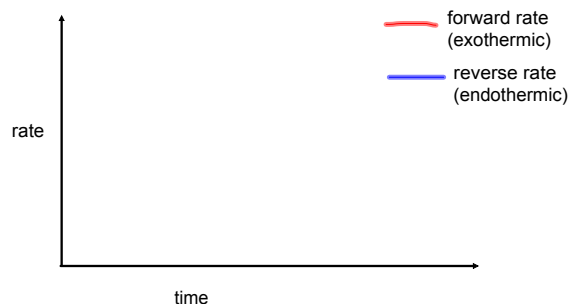
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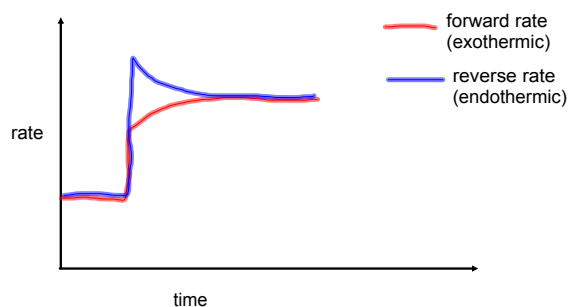
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Draw a rate graph to model the entire process:



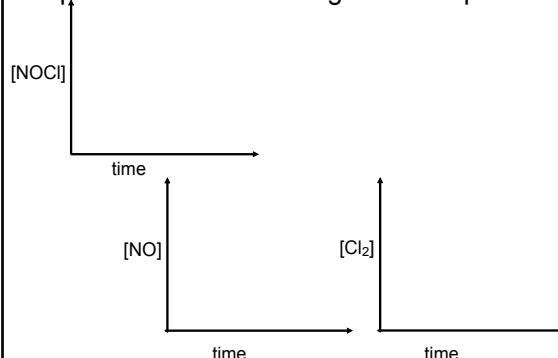
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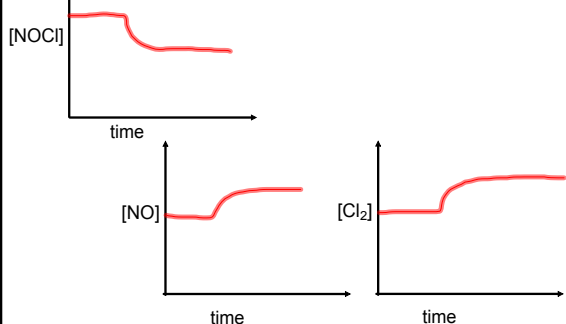
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Graph concentration changes for the process:



[NOCl] will decrease, [NO] will increase, and [Cl<sub>2</sub>] will increase.

Graph concentration changes for the process:



### Conclusion:

Decreasing temperature results in a shift in the \_\_\_\_\_ direction.

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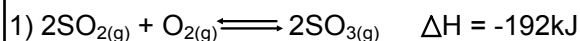
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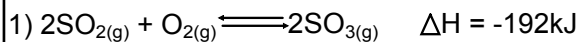


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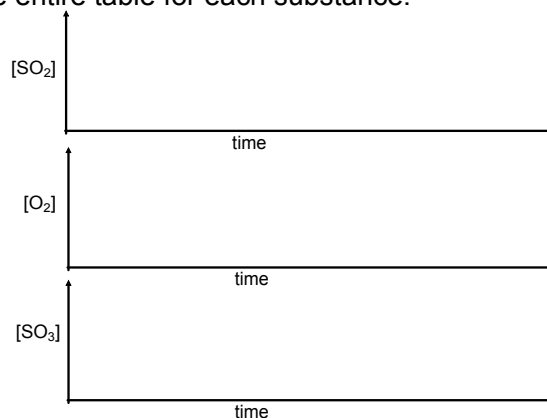
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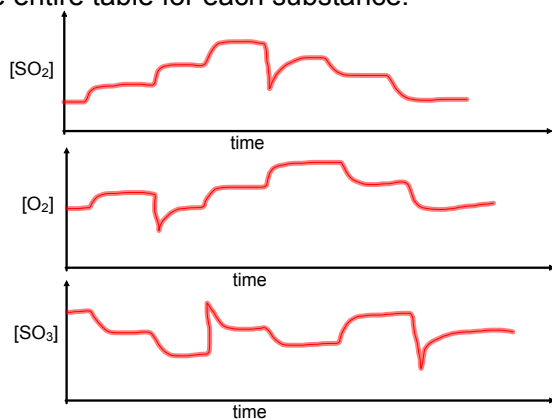
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Inject more SO <sub>3</sub>	left	$\uparrow$	$\uparrow$	$\downarrow = \uparrow$
Remove SO <sub>2</sub>	left	$\downarrow = \uparrow$	$\uparrow$	$\downarrow$
Decrease temperature	right	$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$	$\uparrow$
Decrease [SO <sub>3</sub> ]	right	$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$	$\downarrow = \uparrow$

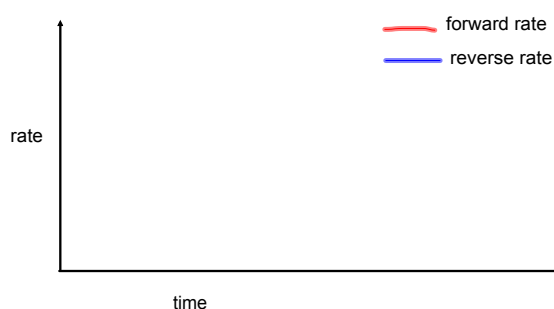
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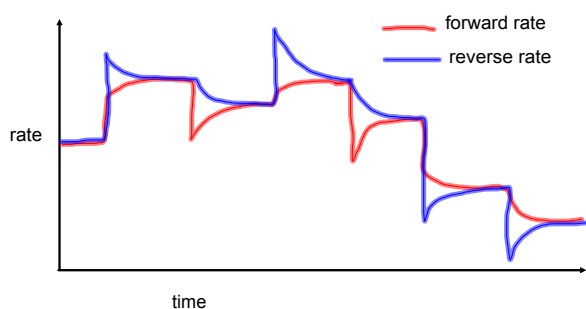
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Explain:

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Explain:

If volume is decreased, you have the same number of gas particles in a smaller volume of space, which means that there is more gas per unit space resulting in an increase in gas concentration (pressure).  
Visa versa for a volume increase.

A change in pressure **may** also cause a LeChatelier shift to occur.

If the pressure of a system is increased, gas particles are packed for tightly together, so what can you say about collisions?

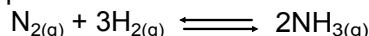
Therefore, what happens to both the forward and reverse rates?

However, one rate may increase more than the other. The side of the equation with more gas particles will experience a greater rate increase, causing a shift to the other side (the side with less gas particles). Soon the rates re-balance, and a new equilibrium is established.

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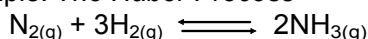
A change in pressure **may** also cause a LeChatelier shift to occur.  
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Example: *The Haber Process*



What happens to the pressure of the gases if the volume of the system is decreased?  
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 What happens to the rates?  
 How many gas molecules on the reactant side?  
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 Thus, which rate will increase more?  
 Therefore, a shift has occurred to what side?  
 Then, the rates will eventually re-balance and a new equilibrium will be established.

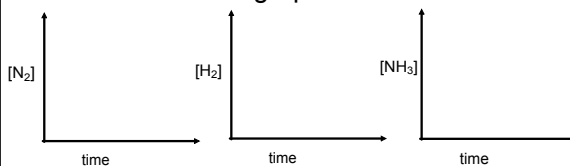
Example: *The Haber Process*



What happens to the pressure of the gases if the volume of the system is decreased? **increase**  
 So what happens initially to all gas concentrations? **all increase**  
 So what happens to the # of collisions? **increase**  
 What happens to the rates? **both increase**  
 How many gas molecules on the reactant side? **4**  
 How many gas molecules on the product side? **2**  
 Thus, which rate will increase more? **forward**  
 Therefore, a shift has occurred to what side? **right**  
 Then, the rates will eventually re-balance and a new equilibrium will be established.

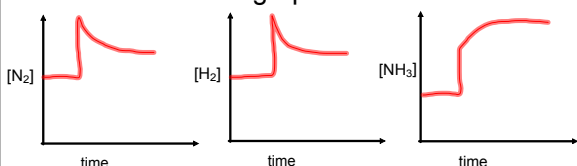
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Draw concentration graphs:

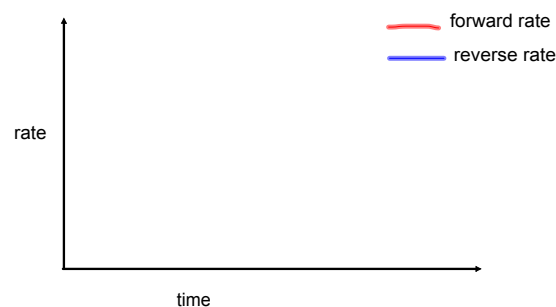


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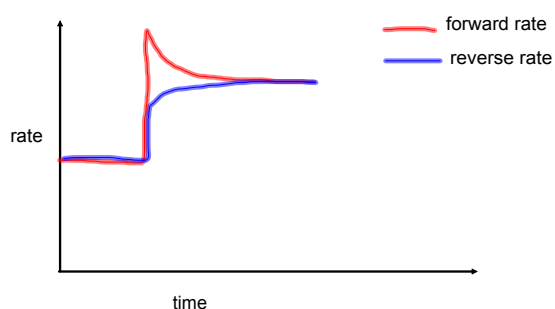


Sketch a rate vs. time graph for the process:



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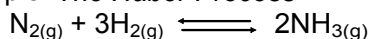
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LeChatelier:

An increase in pressure (initial change) causes a shift to the side with less gas particles (counteraction) until a new equilibrium is established.

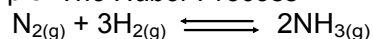
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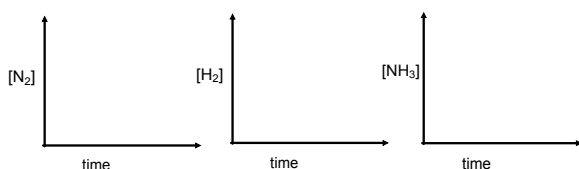
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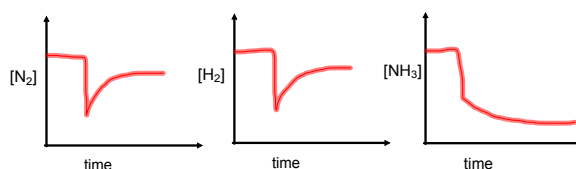
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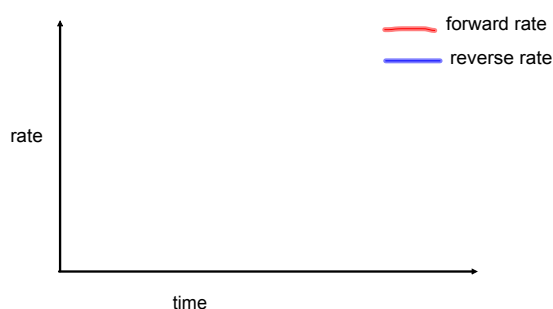


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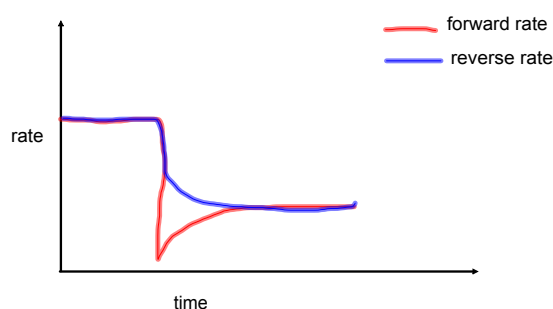


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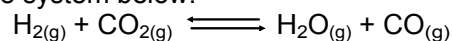
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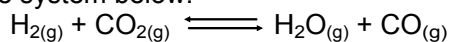
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Why would a pressure change not cause a shift for the system below:



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There are equal numbers of gas particles on each side, so no shift will occur. However, any initial gas concentration changes due to a change in volume will occur.

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**Conclusion:**

An increase in pressure will cause all gas concentrations to initially \_\_\_\_\_, and then a shift to the side with \_\_\_\_\_ gas particles will ensue.

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### Conclusion:

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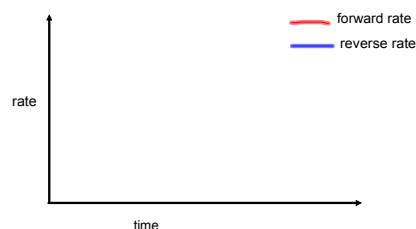
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### Addition of a Catalyst:

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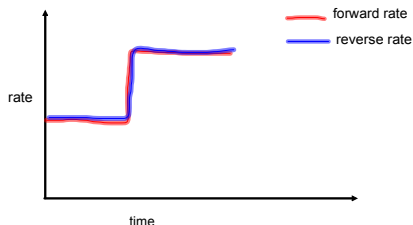
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### Important Concepts for Shifts:

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2) If more solid or liquid is added to an equilibrium mixture (or if some is removed), NO shift will occur and equilibrium will be maintained. Adding solid or liquid will cause a rate increase, but both the forward and reverse rates increase equally (they both decrease equally for a solid or liquid removal). The explanation behind why this is so is very advanced and difficult to conceptualize (it is beyond the scope of Chemistry 12).

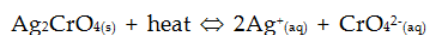
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### Assignment 3

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Decrease temperature				
Increase pressure				
Decrease Ag <sup>+</sup> (aq)				
Increase CrO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup> (aq)				

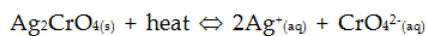
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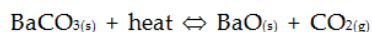
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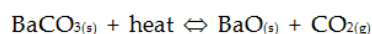
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Increase temperature	L	—	↓	↓
Increase pressure	—	—	—	—
Decrease Ag <sup>+</sup> (aq)	R	—	↓↑ = ↓	↑
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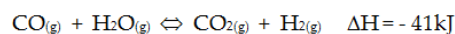
Stress	Shift	[BaCO <sub>3</sub> ]	[BaO]	[CO <sub>2</sub> ]
Add BaCO <sub>3</sub> (s)				
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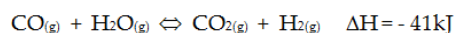
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### III) Equilibrium Graphs

Changes to an equilibrium system have been described in the last section. In this section, we will graphically represent concentration changes.

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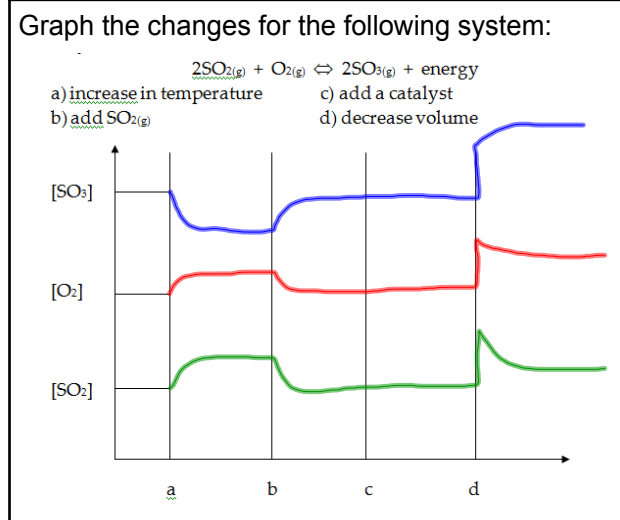
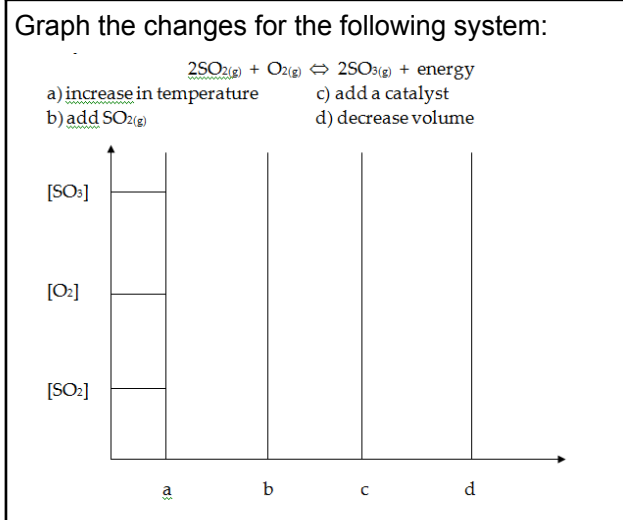
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2) When there is a temperature change, there are no immediate changes in concentration (spikes). The only changes are gradual (due to the shift) for (g) and (aq).

3) Changes in pressure result in immediate changes to gas concentrations, followed by a possible shift that will cause gradual changes in all (g) and (aq) substances.

4) A concentration change for a substance shows an immediate change for that substance, followed by gradual changes for the other (g) and (aq) substances.

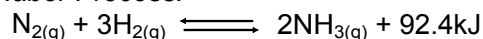
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### Haber Process

The Haber Process for making ammonia ( $\text{NH}_3$ ) was developed by German chemist Fritz Haber prior to WW1. In order for Germany to make TNT, which contains nitrogen, they needed a source of nitrates from soil, which they were purchasing from Chile. However, the British cut off the shipping lines from Chile once the war began. Haber had to develop a process to make ammonia from  $\text{N}_2$ . The ammonia could then be used as a precursor for TNT. Getting  $\text{N}_2$  to react is very difficult due to its triple bond. However, Haber manipulated an equilibrium system to maximize the yield (amount) of  $\text{NH}_3$ .

### The Haber Process:



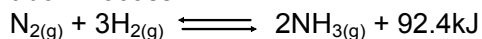
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- 1) constant removal of  $\text{NH}_3$  from the system to cause a permanent shift right
- 2) added a catalyst (Fe) to make the rates go faster

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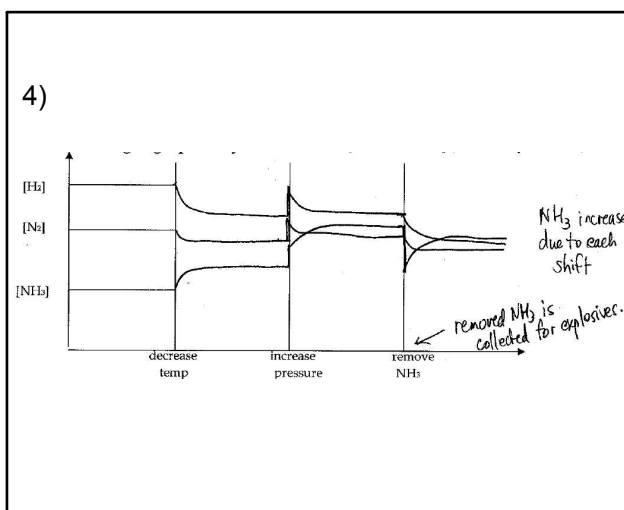
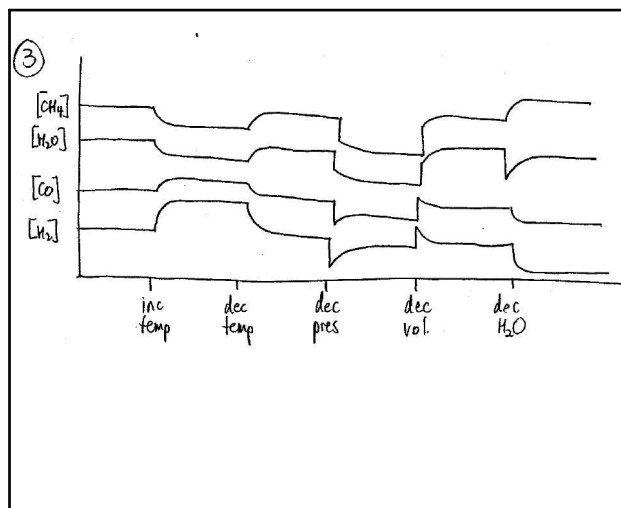
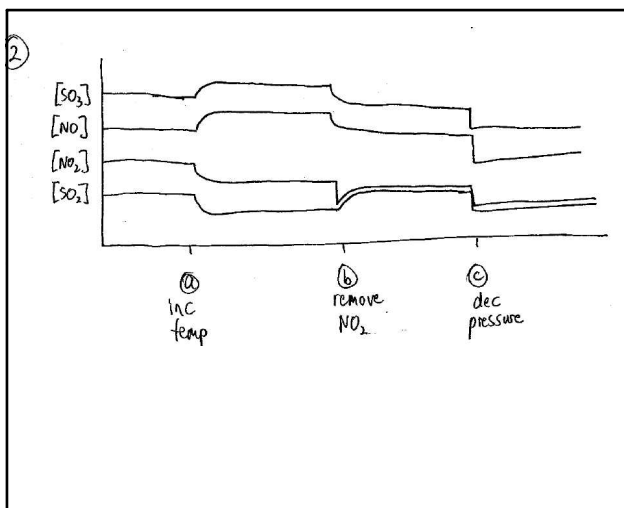
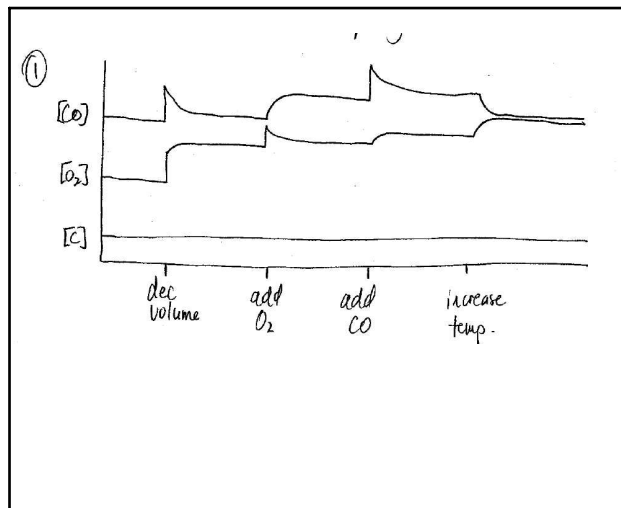
Haber developed the process in 1910, and won the Nobel Prize for it in 1918.

In 1931, the German chemist Carl Bosch won the Nobel Prize in Chemistry for transforming the process to an even larger scale.

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## Assignment 4: Graph each system below:

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 stresses: a) decrease volume c) add CO  
 b) add  $O_2$  d) increase temperature
- 2)  $SO_3(g) + NO(g) \rightleftharpoons NO_2(g) + SO_2(g) + \text{energy}$   
 stresses: a) increase temperature  
 b) remove some  $NO_2(g)$   
 c) decrease pressure
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- 5) Hebden page 55, numbers 27 & 28



## IV) Predicting Whether a Reaction will go to Completion, to Equilibrium, or Not React

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Rank the states of matter [(aq) included] from most entropic to least entropic:

**Reactions tend toward increasing or maximum entropy (the side with the most gas particles).**



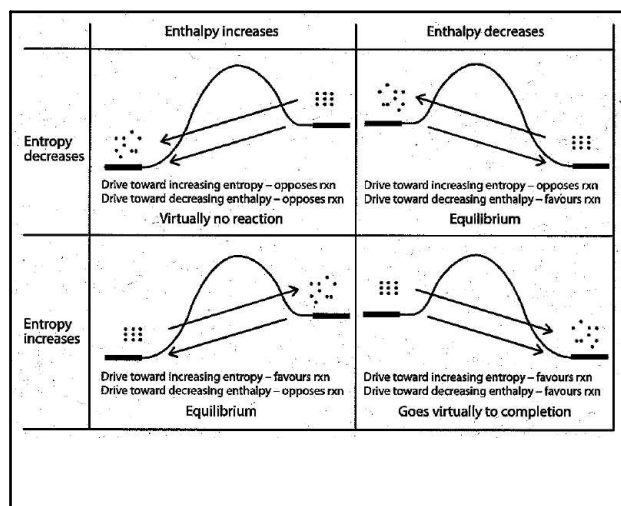
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So, we can use the summary to make predictions on whether reactions go to completion, form an equilibrium, or don't occur at all.

Examples:

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- $$\text{C}_2\text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2(\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons \text{CaC}_2(\text{s}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) \quad \Delta\text{H} = 185\text{kJ}$$
- $$\text{C}_2\text{H}_6(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{C}_2\text{H}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{H}_2(\text{g}) \quad \Delta\text{H} = 311\text{kJ}$$



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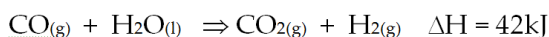
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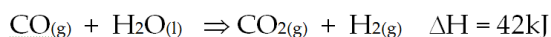
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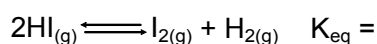
Enthalpy is increasing in the reverse direction, therefore it is decreasing in the forward direction. Entropy is increasing in the forward direction. Therefore, the reaction will not reach equilibrium. It will go to completion.

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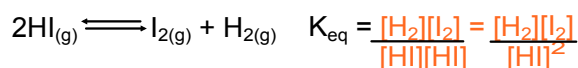


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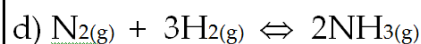
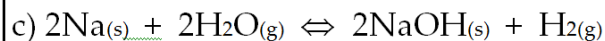
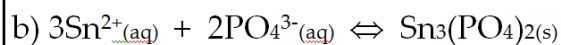
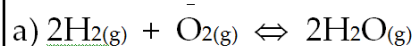
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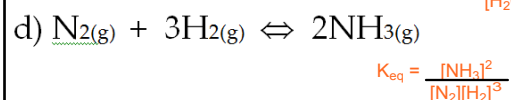
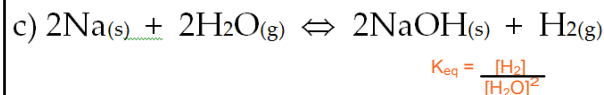
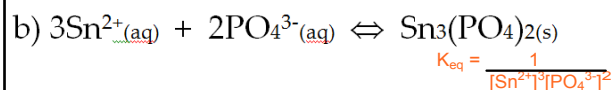
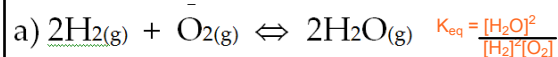


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If equilibrium is disturbed due to a *concentration* or *pressure* change, it will shift and eventually return to a new equilibrium, and though the concentrations of each gas and aqueous substance may be different than they were originally, the equilibrium constant ( $K_{eq}$ ) - the ratio of products to reactants - will remain the same, hence why it is called a CONSTANT.

However, if equilibrium is disturbed due to a *temperature* change, the  $K_{eq}$  constant will change.

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Let's say that originally  $K_{eq} = \frac{[p]}{[r]} = \frac{2}{5} = 0.40$

then after a temp shift left (prods dec and reacs inc)  $K_{eq} = \frac{1}{6} = 0.17$

The  $K_{eq}$  must change. Same idea if the shift is to the right.

So how is it possible that  $K_{eq}$  mathematically can, and actually will, stay the same after a concentration or pressure change?

Because there are immediate concentration changes before shift changes. For example, if you increase [HI] in this system:  $2HI_{(g)} \rightleftharpoons I_{2(g)} + H_{2(g)}$ , then all concentrations end up with a net increase, so the fraction can, and will, remain the same:

For example, originally,  $K_{eq} = \frac{(3.0)(3.0)}{(2.0)^2} = 2.25$

After [HI] inc,  $K_{eq} = \frac{(4.0)(4.0)}{(2.667)^2} = 2.25$

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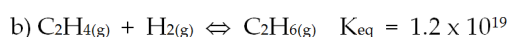
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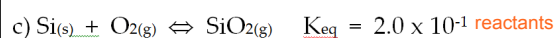
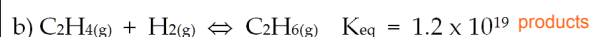
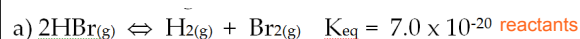
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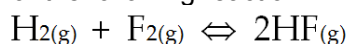
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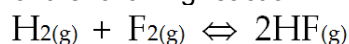
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$$K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{H}_2][\text{F}_2]}{[\text{HF}]^2}$$

It is the reciprocal of the equation above, so the  $K_{\text{eq}}$  constant is the reciprocal of 0.25.

The  $K_{\text{eq}}$  is  $\frac{1}{0.25} = 4.0$

**VI) Temperature and the  $K_{\text{eq}}$  Constant**

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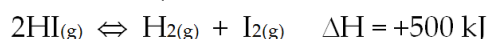
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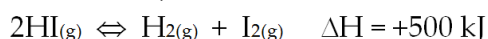
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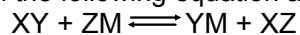


- forward reaction is endo and reverse is exo
- a temp decrease causes a shift exo
- so in this case, a temp decrease causes a shift to the left
- a shift left causes a  $K_{\text{eq}}$  decrease

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Example:

Given the following equation and data:



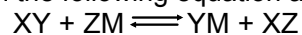
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- as temperature increases (300 to 500),  $K_{eq}$  decreases (60.0 to 45.0)
- a temp increase causes a shift endo
- a  $K_{eq}$  decrease is a shift left
- therefore, endo must be left
- so, the forward reaction must be exothermic

### Assignment 6

1) Hebden page 60, #31acegj, 32, 35abcd, and page 62, #36, 40, 41, 44-46

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$$K_{eq} = 12.0 \text{ at } 200 \text{ degrees C}$$

$$K_{eq} = 20.0 \text{ at } 300 \text{ degrees C}$$

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answers in the back of Hebden

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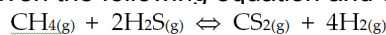
$$K_{eq} = 12.0 \text{ at } 200 \text{ degrees C}$$

$$K_{eq} = 20.0 \text{ at } 300 \text{ degrees C}$$

Is the forward reaction exothermic or endothermic? Support your answer with explanations.

- as temperature increases (200 to 300),  $K_{eq}$  also increases (12.0 to 20.0)
- a temperature increase causes a shift endo
- a  $K_{eq}$  increase means a shift right
- therefore the forward reaction is endothermic

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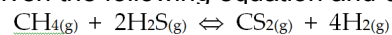


$$K_{eq} = 1.0 \times 10^{-2} \text{ at } 500^\circ\text{C}$$

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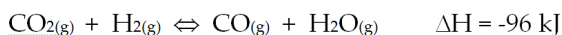
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- thus, the forward reaction is exothermic

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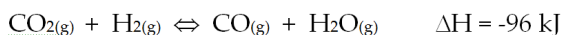
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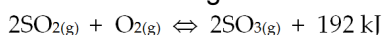
- a decrease in temp causes a shift exo
- exo in this reaction is forward
- thus, a decrease in temp causes a shift in the forward direction
- this will cause the  $K_{\text{eq}}$  to decrease

### VII) Type 1 $K_{\text{eq}}$ Problems

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Example:

1. For the following reaction:



Equilibrium concentrations were found to be as follows:

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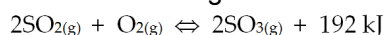
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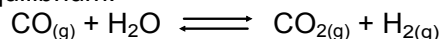
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Calculate the value of  $K_{\text{eq}}$ .

$$K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{SO}_3]^2}{[\text{SO}_2]^2[\text{O}_2]} = \frac{(1.6)^2}{(2.0)^2(0.50)} = 1.3$$

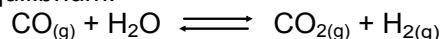
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$$[\text{CO}] = \frac{0.750\text{mol}}{2.00\text{L}} = 0.375\text{M} \quad [\text{H}_2\text{O}] = \frac{0.276\text{mol}}{2.00\text{L}} = 0.138\text{M}$$

$$[\text{CO}_2] = \frac{0.600\text{mol}}{2.00\text{L}} = 0.300\text{M} \quad K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{CO}_2][\text{H}_2]}{[\text{CO}][\text{H}_2\text{O}]}$$

$$0.986 = \frac{(0.300)[\text{H}_2]}{(0.375)(0.138)} \quad [\text{H}_2] = 0.170\text{M}$$

$$\text{moles H}_2 = (0.170\text{M})(2.00\text{L}) = 0.340 \text{ moles}$$

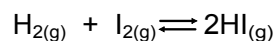
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### VIII) Type 2 $K_{eq}$ Problems

Type 2  $K_{eq}$  problems provide some initial data and some equilibrium data for certain substances, which you are to use to calculate the  $K_{eq}$  constant. Use an 'ICE' table for assistance.

Example:

1) A mixture of  $H_2$  and  $I_2$  was prepared by placing 0.100mol of  $H_2$  and 0.100mol of  $I_2$  into a 1.00L flask. At equilibrium, the  $[I_2]$  dropped to 0.020M. Calculate the  $K_{eq}$ .



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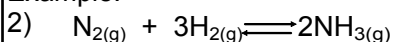
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\*In a 1.00L flask, the moles = molarity

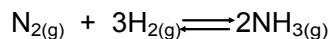
	$H_{2(g)} + I_{2(g)} \rightleftharpoons 2HI_{(g)}$		
<b>I</b> nitial	0.100M	0.100M	0
<b>C</b> hange	-0.080M	-0.080M	+0.16M
<b>E</b> quilibrium	0.020M	0.020M	0.16M

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[HI]^2}{[H_2][I_2]} = \frac{(0.16)^2}{(0.020)^2} = 64$$

Example:

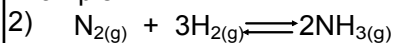


Given:  $[N_2]_i = 0.32M$ ,  $[H_2]_i = 0.66M$ ,  $[H_2]_{eq} = 0.30M$   
Calculate  $K_{eq}$ .



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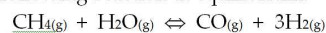
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	$N_{2(g)} + 3H_{2(g)} \rightleftharpoons 2NH_{3(g)}$		
<b>I</b> nitial	0.32M	0.66M	0.00M
<b>C</b> hange	-0.12M	-0.36M	+0.24M
<b>E</b> quilibrium	0.20M	0.30M	0.24M

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[NH_3]^2}{[N_2][H_2]^3} = \frac{(0.24)^2}{(0.20)(0.30)^3} = 11$$

### Assignment 7

1. For the following reaction at equilibrium:



$$[CH_4] = 0.600M \quad [H_2O] = 0.060M$$

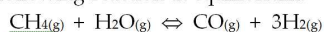
$$[CO] = 0.200M \quad [H_2] = 0.700M$$

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Calculate the  $K_{\text{eq}}$  for this reaction. Are the reactants or products favoured?

$$K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{CO}][\text{H}_2]^3}{[\text{CH}_4][\text{H}_2\text{O}]} = \frac{(0.200)(0.700)^3}{(0.600)(0.060)} = 1.9$$

products are favoured  
because  $K_{\text{eq}} > 1$

2. For the following reaction:



At equilibrium in a 1.0L container, 0.020mol of CO, 0.010mol H<sub>2</sub>O, 0.030 mol CO<sub>2</sub>, and 0.010mol of H<sub>2</sub> are present.

- Calculate the  $K_{\text{eq}}$
- State whether reactants or products are favoured
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$$\text{a) } K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{CO}_2][\text{H}_2]}{[\text{CO}][\text{H}_2\text{O}]} = \frac{(0.030)(0.010)}{(0.020)(0.010)} = 1.5$$

b) products favoured because the  $K_{\text{eq}} > 1$

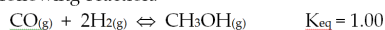
c) the  $K_{\text{eq}}$  will not change. Only a temperature change can cause a change in  $K_{\text{eq}}$

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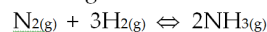
$$[\text{CO}] = \frac{0.420\text{mol}}{2.0\text{L}} = 0.21\text{M} \quad [\text{H}_2] = \frac{0.100\text{mol}}{2.0\text{L}} = 0.050\text{M}$$

$$K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{CH}_3\text{OH}]}{[\text{CO}][\text{H}_2]^2} \quad 1.00 = \frac{[\text{CH}_3\text{OH}]}{(0.21)(0.050)^2}$$

$$[\text{CH}_3\text{OH}] = 1.00(0.21)(0.050)^2 = 0.000525$$

$$\text{moles CH}_3\text{OH} = (0.000525)(2.0\text{L}) = 1.1 \times 10^{-3}$$

4. For the following reaction and data:

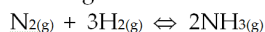


	[N <sub>2</sub> ] (M)	[H <sub>2</sub> ] (M)	[NH <sub>3</sub> ] (M)
Trial 1	0.200	0.400	0.500
Trial 2	?	0.300	0.600

Find [N<sub>2</sub>] in Trial 2.

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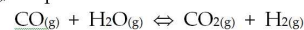
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$$\text{Trial 1: } K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{NH}_3]^2}{[\text{N}_2][\text{H}_2]^3} = \frac{(0.500)^2}{(0.200)(0.400)^3} = 19.531$$

$$\text{Trial 2: } 19.531 = \frac{(0.600)^2}{[\text{N}_2](0.300)^3} \quad [\text{N}_2] = \frac{(0.600)^2}{19.531(0.300)^3} = 0.683\text{M}$$

### Type II Exercises (ICE diagrams)

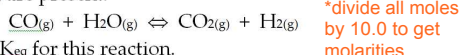
5. A mixture consisting of 1.00mol CO<sub>(g)</sub> and 1.00mol H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>(g)</sub> is placed in a 10.00L container. At equilibrium, 0.665mol CO<sub>2(g)</sub> and 0.665mol H<sub>2(g)</sub> are present.



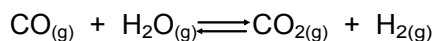
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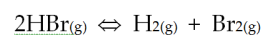
Calculate the  $K_{\text{eq}}$  for this reaction.



I	0.100M	0.100M	0.00M	0.00M
C	-0.0665M	-0.0665M	+0.0665M	+0.0665M
E	0.0335M	0.0335M	0.0665M	0.0665M

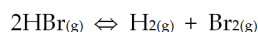
$$K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{CO}_2][\text{H}_2]}{[\text{CO}][\text{H}_2\text{O}]} = \frac{(0.0665)^2}{(0.0335)^2} = 3.9$$

6. When 1.00M HBr is placed into a flask, the following equilibrium is achieved:

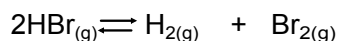


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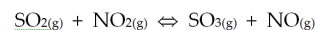
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I	1.00M	0.00M	0.00M
C	-0.280M	+0.140M	+0.140M
E	0.72M	0.140M	0.140M

$$K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{H}_2][\text{Br}_2]}{[\text{HBr}]^2} = \frac{(0.140)^2}{(0.72)^2} = 0.038$$

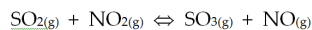
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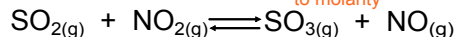
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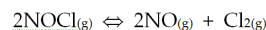
What is the  $K_{eq}$  for the reaction? *\*divide by 5.00 to get moles to molarity*



I	1.20M	0.500M	0.200M	0.00M
C	-0.400M	-0.400M	+0.400M	+0.400M
E	0.80M	0.100M	0.600M	0.400M

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{SO}_3][\text{NO}]}{[\text{SO}_2][\text{NO}_2]} = \frac{(0.600)(0.400)}{(0.80)(0.100)} = 3.0$$

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I	0.50M	0.00M	0.00M
C	-0.20M	+0.20M	+0.10M
E	0.30M	0.20M	0.10M

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{NO}]^2[\text{Cl}_2]}{[\text{NOCl}]^2} = \frac{(0.20)^2(0.10)}{(0.30)^2} = 4.4 \times 10^{-2}$$

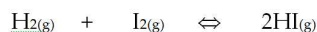
### IX) Type 3 $K_{eq}$ Problems

Type 3  $K_{eq}$  problems give some initial data and a  $K_{eq}$  constant. You must find equilibrium concentrations. OR You will be provided with some equilibrium data and a  $K_{eq}$  constant. You must find an initial concentration.

1.  $\text{H}_2(g) + \text{I}_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{HI}(g)$   $K_{eq} = 55.6$

$[\text{H}_2]_i = 0.200\text{M}$ ,  $[\text{I}_2]_i = 0.200\text{M}$

What is the equilibrium  $[\text{HI}]$ ?



I  
C  
E

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I 0.200M 0.200M 0.00M  $7.45654(0.200 - x) = 2x$   
 $1.4913 - 7.45654x = 2x$   
 $1.4913 = 9.45654x$   
 C -x -x +2x  $x = 0.1577$   
 E 0.200 - x 0.200 - x 2x  $[\text{HI}]_{eq} = 2x = 2(0.1577)$   
 $[\text{HI}]_{eq} = 0.315\text{M}$

Let  $x = \Delta[\text{H}_2]$   $55.6 = \frac{(2x)^2}{(0.200 - x)^2}$

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{HI}]^2}{[\text{H}_2][\text{I}_2]} = \frac{7.45654 = \frac{2x}{0.200 - x}}{55.6 = \frac{(2x)^2}{(0.200 - x)^2}}$$

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C	-x		-x		+x		+x	
E	0.10 - x		0.10 - x		x		x	

Let  $x = \Delta[\text{CO}]$   $\sqrt{4.06} = \frac{(x)^2}{(0.100 - x)^2}$   $2.015(0.100 - x) = x$   
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I	x		0		0	$x - 0.500 = 0.0625$
C	-0.500M		+0.500M		+0.250M	$x = 0.5625$
E	x - 0.500		0.500M		0.250M	$[\text{H}_2\text{O}]_i = 0.5625\text{M}$

Let  $x = [\text{H}_2\text{O}]_i$   $16.0(x - 0.500)^2 = (0.500)^2(0.250)$   
 $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{H}_2]^2[\text{O}_2]}{[\text{H}_2\text{O}]^2}$   $(x - 0.500)^2 = \frac{(0.500)^2(0.250)}{16.0}$   
 $16.0 = \frac{(0.500)^2(0.250)}{(x - 0.500)^2}$   $(x - 0.500)^2 = 3.906 \times 10^{-3}$   $\sqrt{(x - 0.500)^2} = \sqrt{3.906 \times 10^{-3}}$   $\text{mol H}_2\text{O} = (0.5625)(2.00) = 1.13 \text{ moles}$

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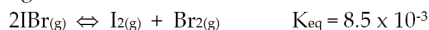
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I	0.0100M		0.0100M		0.00M		0.00M
C	-x		-x		+x		+x
E	0.0100 - x		0.0100 - x		x		x

Let  $x = \Delta[\text{H}_2]$   $\sqrt{0.771} = \frac{(x)^2}{(0.0100 - x)^2}$   $x = 0.004674$   
 $K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{H}_2][\text{CO}_2]}{[\text{H}_2\text{O}][\text{CO}]}$   $0.771 = \frac{(x)^2}{(0.0100 - x)^2}$   $0.878066 = \frac{x}{0.0100 - x}$   $[\text{H}_2]_{\text{eq}} \& [\text{CO}]_{\text{eq}} = 0.0100 - x = 0.0053\text{M}$   
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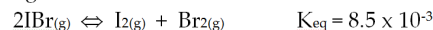
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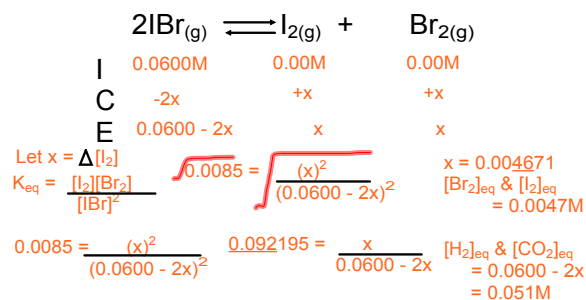


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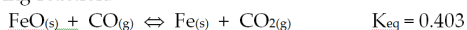
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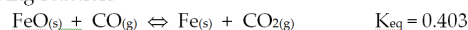


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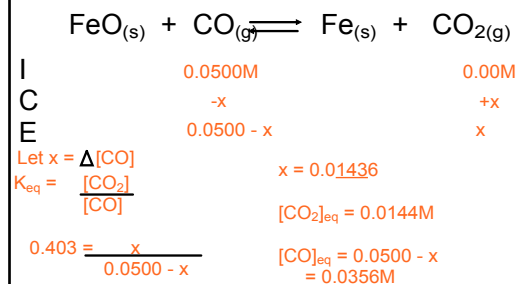


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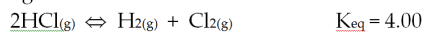
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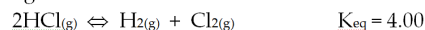


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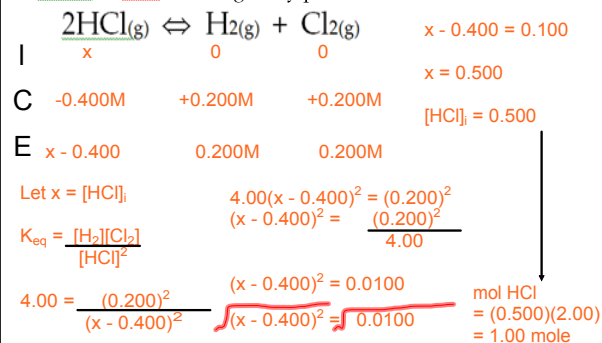


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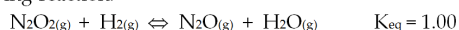


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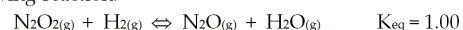
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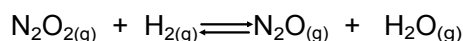


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I	0.00M	0.00M	0.150M	0.150M
C	+x	+x	-x	-x
E	x	x	0.150 - x	0.150 - x

$$K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{H}_2\text{O}][\text{N}_2\text{O}]}{[\text{N}_2\text{O}_2][\text{H}_2]} = 1.00 = \frac{(0.150 - x)^2}{(x)^2} \quad x = 0.0750$$

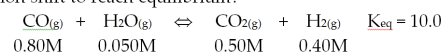
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### X) Type 4 $K_{\text{eq}}$ Problems

Type 4 problems use a TRIAL  $K_{\text{eq}}$  (called 'Q' in Hebden), which can be used to predict whether or not a system is at equilibrium. If the system is not at equilibrium, the trial  $K_{\text{eq}}$  value compared to the actual  $K_{\text{eq}}$  can be used to predict in what direction the system is shifting to attain equilibrium.

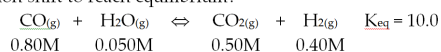
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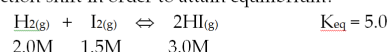
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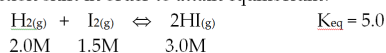




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Therefore, the system must shift **LEFT** to attain equilibrium, so  $[\text{Br}_2]$  will increase.

### Assignment 9

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Trial  $K_{\text{eq}}$  of 7.5 < Actual  $K_{\text{eq}}$  of 75

Therefore, the system must shift **RIGHT** to attain equilibrium.

2. Consider the following reaction:  $2\text{SO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{SO}_3(\text{g})$   $K_{\text{eq}} = 75$

A student places 0.50moles  $\text{SO}_2$ , 0.080mol  $\text{O}_2$ , and 1.0mol  $\text{SO}_3$  into a 1.0L flask. The student predicts that the  $[\text{SO}_2]$  will decrease as equilibrium is established. Do you agree with the student's prediction? Explain using appropriate calculations.

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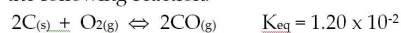
$$\text{Trial } K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{SO}_3]^2}{[\text{SO}_2]^2[\text{O}_2]} = \frac{(1.0)^2}{(0.50)^2(0.080)} = 5.0 \times 10^1$$

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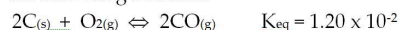
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$$\text{Trial } K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{CO}]^2}{[\text{O}_2]} = \frac{(0.600)^2}{(0.800)} = 0.45$$

The trial  $K_{\text{eq}}$  does not equal the actual  $K_{\text{eq}}$  so currently not at equilibrium.

$$\text{Trial } K_{\text{eq}} \text{ of } 0.45 > \text{Actual } K_{\text{eq}} \text{ of } 1.20 \times 10^{-2}$$

Therefore, the system must shift LEFT to attain equilibrium. The [C] will remain constant, as it's a solid.

4. For the following reaction:  $\text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \text{Cl}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{HCl}(\text{g})$   $K_{\text{eq}} = 0.15$   
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$$\text{Trial } K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{HCl}]^2}{[\text{H}_2][\text{Cl}_2]} = \frac{(x)^2}{(x)(x)} = \frac{x^2}{x^2} = 1$$

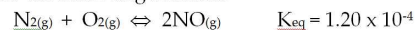
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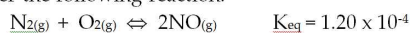


If 0.060 mol  $\text{N}_2$ , 0.060 mol  $\text{O}_2$ , and 0.00025 mol NO are mixed in a 1.0L container, in which direction will the reaction proceed in order to achieve equilibrium? What will be the equilibrium  $[\text{N}_2]$ ,  $[\text{O}_2]$ , and  $[\text{NO}]$ ?

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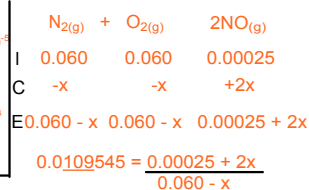


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$$\text{Trial } K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{NO}]^2}{[\text{N}_2][\text{O}_2]} = \frac{(0.00025)^2}{(0.060)^2} = 1.7 \times 10^{-5}$$

The trial  $K_{\text{eq}}$  does not equal the actual  $K_{\text{eq}}$  so currently not at equilibrium.

Trial  $K_{\text{eq}}$  of  $1.7 \times 10^{-5} <$  Actual  $K_{\text{eq}}$  of  $1.20 \times 10^{-4}$   
Therefore, the system must shift RIGHT to attain equilibrium.



$$K_{\text{eq}} = \frac{[\text{NO}]^2}{[\text{N}_2][\text{O}_2]}$$

$$x = 2.025 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$1.20 \times 10^{-4} = \frac{(0.00025 + 2x)^2}{(0.060 - x)^2}$$

square root each side

$$[\text{N}_2]_{\text{eq}} \text{ \& } [\text{O}_2]_{\text{eq}} = 0.060 - x = 0.060\text{M}$$

$$[\text{NO}]_{\text{eq}} = 6.6 \times 10^{-4}\text{M}$$