# Chemistry 236 -- Quiz 4 March 27, 2012 — Experiments 3 and 4

## Lab Day \_\_\_\_

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### A. (13) Bomb Calorimetry.

1. (4) Combustion of 1.473 g of substance A raises the temperature of 0.931 kg of water by 2.143 K. Therefore, combustion of 1.910 g of A will raise the *T* of 1.095 kg of water by how much?

$$T = m_A/m_{\text{water}}$$
  $T = 2.363 \text{ K}$ 

2. (6) In experiments run at ~25°C, 1.038 g of BA and 47 mg of Fe fuse wire yield a temperature rise of 2.119 K. Then 1.272 g of unknown and 58 mg of fuse wire yield T = 1.822 K. In each case the calorimeter pail is filled with the same volume of water. Calculate (a) the calorimeter constant, and (b)  $q_{\text{specific}}$  for the unknown.  $[q_{\text{specific}}(BA) = -26.413 \text{ kJ/g}; q_{\text{specific}}(Fe) = -6.68 \text{ kJ/g}]$ 

(a) 
$$C_{\rm K} = 13.087 \text{ kJ/K}$$
 (b)  $q_{\rm specific} = -18.441 \text{ kJ/g}$ 

3. (3) If the masses just above are considered exact and the T values are uncertain by 0.016 K, what are the % uncertainties in (a) the calorimeter constant, and (b)  $q_{\text{specific}}$  for the unknown.

(a) 
$$0.76\%$$
 (b)  $1.16\% [0.76^2 + 0.88^2]^{1/2}\%$ 

#### B. (14) Phase Equilibria and the Triple Point.

1. (6) The normal boiling point of water is  $100.0^{\circ}$ C, and  $H_{m,vap} = 40.66$  kJ/mol at that T. Taking  $H_{m,vap}$  to be constant, calculate the boiling point of water at the top of Pike's Peak on a day when the atmospheric pressure is its average value of 446 torr.

2. (3) I. B. Alwette and U. P. Water run the TP experiment and analyze their data to obtain  $H_{m,vap} = 44.74\pm0.12$  kJ/mol and  $H_{m,sub} = 52.39\pm0.07$  kJ/mol. Calculate from these results  $H_{fus}$  and its uncertainty. State the results with the proper numbers of significant figures.

- 3. (5) In analyzing our vapor pressure data for water, we assumed that  $H_{m,vap}$  was independent of temperature. Over an extended T range, this becomes a poor approximation. Suppose we include the T-dependence in  $H_{m,vap}$  by treating  $C_P (= C_{P,m,g} C_{P,m,l})$  as independent of T.
  - (a) Give an expression for  $H_{m,vap}(T)$ , in terms of  $C_P$  and  $H_{m,vap}$  at the triple point  $(T_0)$ . [If need be, you can derive this using  $(H/T)_P = C_P$ .]
  - (b) Use this expression to obtain a version of the integrated Claussius-Clapeyron equation that could be used to analyze vapor pressure data to obtain  $C_P$  and  $H_{m,vap}$  at  $T_0$ . [Hint: You may start here with the differential equation, d ln  $P/dT = H_{m,vap}/(RT^2)$ .]

[See Study Problem 9 for Experiment 4.]