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Chemical equilibria worksheet 9

An amount equal to 3.200 mol of Hydrogen and 2.200 mol of chlorine gases are mixed in a 2.00 Litre reaction vessel. Gaseous hydrochloric acid is formed. The mixture is allowed to reach equilibrium at a particular temperature and at which point it was found that 4.00 mol of HCl gas is present. During the reaction the contents of the reaction vessel increased in temperature.

- (a) Write a balanced equation to the above information.
- (b) Using the above equation, give an expression for the equilibrium constant for this reaction.
- (c) Is the reaction endothermic or exothermic? Explain.
- (d) Calculate the equilibrium constant at the particular temperature .

(e) Show the effect on the percentage yield of hydrochloric acid vapour if the following stresses are placed on the equilibrium by completing the following table.

| | Impact on the [HCI] | Response of the | Value of the |
|--|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| | once the mixture | system. | equilibrium |
| | reaches equilibrium | (right, left, no change) | constant |
| | once again. | | |
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| At t1 more hydrogen gas is added at constant | | | |
| volume and constant temperature | | | |
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| At t2 helium gas is added at constant volume | | | |
| and constant temperature | | | |
| At t3 volume of the reaction vessel is doubled | | | |
| at constant temperature | | | |
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| At t4 temperature is increased at constant | | | |
| volume | | | |
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(f) Given the changes to the system mentioned above, complete the graph below.

