Friday Worksheet

Enthalpy and rate worksheet 4

1) To determine the enthalpy change of the reaction between aluminium metal and copper ions, as shown below, a student conducted an experiment.

 $2AI(s) + 3CuSO_4(aq) => 3Cu(s) + AI_2(SO_4)_3(aq) \Delta H =?$

This involved adding a known mass of powdered aluminium to 1.00 M copper (II) sulfate solution in a calorimeter and then measuring the temperature change.

Two separate experiments, A and B, were conducted under the same conditions. In experiment **B** a greater volume of $CuSO_4(aq)$ was used than in **A**. In both experiments, copper sulfate was always in excess. The results of experiment A are shown below.

| Temperature °C | Time (seconds) |
|----------------|----------------|
| 20.0 | 0 |
| 23.1 | 2 |
| 28.2 | 4 |
| 38.2 | 8 |
| 60.5 | 15 |
| 66.6 | 17 |
| 68.2 | 18 |
| 70.4 | 19 |
| 72.2 | 20 |
| 72.8 | 21 |
| 71.5 | 22 |
| 70.2 | 23 |
| 70.0 | 24 |
| 69.8 | 25 |

| | Experiment A | Experiment B |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Amount of aluminium metal used | 0.0500 mol | 0.0500 mol |
| Volume of 1.50 M CuSO ₄ (aq) | 50.0 mL | 80.0 mL |
| Initial temperature of the CuSO ₄ (aq) | Y ℃ | 20 °C |
| Temperature of solution after the reaction's completion | D°C | X °C |

a) Give the temperature of Y $^{\circ}C$ and D $^{\circ}C$

- b) Assume that 4.20 J is needed to raise the temperature of 1.00 mL of solution by 1.00 °C. Use the results of Experiment A to calculate the energy released, in kJ, by the reaction between the aluminium metal and the copper (II) sulfate solution.
- c) Calculate the ΔH of the reaction

- d) Is the temperature reached by the solution in experiment B greater , less than or equal to that of experiment ?. Explain.
- 2) Reactants A and B react according to the equation below.

$$A(g) + 2B(g) \rightleftharpoons AB_2(g) \Delta H = +22 \text{ kJ.mol}^-$$

Indicate whether the statements below are True of False? Offer an explanation

- a) The amount of AB₂ present at equilibrium increases.
- b) The expression [AB₂] increases at equilibrium [A]
- c) The reaction changes to A(g) + 2B (g) \rightleftharpoons AB₂(g) Δ H = -22 kJ.mol⁻
- d) Lowers the value of the equilibrium constant thus allowing more particles to react and increasing the rate at which the reaction proceeds.