

## Chemistry 20BH Syllabus: Winter 2019

<https://nano.ucla.edu/chemistry-20bh/>

**Lectures:** MWF 11-11<sup>50</sup> AM Young Hall 2200

**Instructor:** Prof. Paul S. Weiss

**Textbook:** *Principles of Modern Chemistry*, 8<sup>th</sup> edition, Oxtoby, Gillis, & Butler

**Discussion (and some lectures):** TR 11-11<sup>50</sup> AM Young Hall 2200

<b>Lecture Dates:</b>	<b>Topic:</b>	<b>Book Chapter(s) +:</b>
Week 1 7-11 Jan	Class Introduction, Single-Molecule Measurements, Ideal Gas Law, Kinetic Theory of Gases, Intermolecular Forces, Non-Ideal Gases, Energy Scales, and Spectroscopies	Ch. 9/20 Literature
Week 2 14-18 Jan	Bulk Properties of Gases/Liquids/Solids, Phase Transitions, Phase Diagrams	Ch. 10 Literature
Week 3 21 Jan Wed 23 Jan 23-25 Jan	No lecture – Martin Luther King Jr. Day – Holiday Final project topic due in lecture Solutions, Acid-Base Titrations, Redox Titrations, Equilibrium	Ch. 11/14 Literature
Week 4 28 Jan-1 Feb Wed 30 Jan	Internal Energy, Work, Enthalpy, Entropy, Gibb's Free Energy 6-8 PM Midterm 1	Ch. 12/13
Week 5 4-8 Feb Fri 8 Feb	Equilibrium, Acid-Base Equilibria, Buffers Final project abstract due on CCLE before lecture	Ch. 15
Week 6 12-15 Feb	Solubility and Precipitation, Electrochemistry, Cell Potentials and Gibbs Free Energy, Batteries	Ch. 16/17 Literature
Week 7 18 Feb 20-22 Feb Sat 23 Feb	No Lecture – Presidents' Day – Holiday Electrochemistry Continued 2-6 PM Presentations (Tentative)	Ch. 17
Week 8 25 Feb-1 Mar Wed 27 Feb	Band Theory of Conduction, Semiconductors Semimetals, Direct Band-Gap vs. Indirect Band-Gap, Spectroscopies 6-8 PM Midterm 2	Ch. 22 Literature
Week 9 4-8 Mar Fri 8 Mar	Chemical Kinetics, Rate Laws, Mechanisms, Catalysts Final project paper due in lecture	Ch. 18
Week 10 12-16 Mar Mon 18 Mar	Nuclear Chemistry 11 <sup>30</sup> AM – 2 <sup>30</sup> PM Final Exam	Ch. 19 Literature

## Learning in Chem 20BH

This is an exciting course for many reasons. We are able to cover many of the highlights of chemistry in a relatively informal way. This introduction is meant to guide you through many future years of scientific thinking and discussion, citizenship, and possibly even more chemistry.

Much of what you learn, you will learn on your own or from each other. This will allow us to have a higher level of discussion in class. This will require work on your part. Please be prepared for it and budget the time for it. Anticipate that **the lectures, the readings, and the homeworks will be *complementary* rather than overlapping. You will be responsible for the material from *all* of these sources.** Similarly, your participation in class is required both for discussions and for the education of your classmates, TAs, and professor.

While we will cover everything in the regular (Chem 20B) version of this course, we will do it much faster (!) in order to allow us to pursue many other additional topics. This will require a great deal of work on your part. Please be prepared for it and budget the time for it. Anticipate that the lectures, the readings, and the homeworks will be ***complementary*** rather than overlapping. You will be responsible for the material from all of these sources. Similarly, your participation in class is required both for discussions and for the education of your classmates and professor. There is little that we plan to say that is so critical that a good classroom discussion would not be preferable.

Unlike other general chemistry classes, we will cover how it is that we know what we think we do and how we test that understanding. We will develop an understanding of what experiments and theory are required to answer fundamental chemical and scientific questions.

## Grading

Midterms (30% total): 15% each

Project (15% total): 10% poster + 5% paper

5 literature assignments (10% total): 2% each (top 5 of 6)

Homework (20% total): 10% creative problems (1/week) + 10% graded problems

Participation: 5%

Final: 20%

### *Final project*

For the final project you will need to prepare a poster presentation and written report on a selected topic related to energy. First, you must select your topic and turn it in to your TA for approval by Wednesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>. Abstracts for your written report will be due on Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup>. You must create a poster on your selected topic and prepare a brief oral presentation. The comments/feedback you receive on your poster presentation from the TAs and Prof. Weiss should be incorporated into your final paper. The final paper must be from 5-10 pages in length with references, double spaced, 12 pt font, and 1" margins, and will be due on Friday, March 9<sup>th</sup>.

Sample Reference Format:

Author Last Name, Initials; ... Title. *Abbreviated Journal Name*. **Year**, *Issue*, Page Numbers.

Example:

(1) Yeager, L. J.; Saeki, F.; Shelly, K.; Hawthorne, M. F.; Garrell, R. L. Formation of monolayer films by the spontaneous assembly of organic thiols from solution onto gold. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **1998**, *120*, 9961-9962.

(2) Evans, D. A.; Fitch, D. M.; Smith, T. E.; Cee, V. J. Application of Complex Aldol Reactions to the Total Synthesis of Phorboxazole B. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* **2000**, *122*, 10033-10046.

### *Literature assignment*

Find a research article from a scientific journal (i.e. *Science*, *ACS Nano*, *Nature*, etc.) published within the last year on the provided topic of the week, and write at least 10 sentences (2-3 paragraphs) summarizing the paper. This should include describing the figures, explaining what techniques the authors used, major findings and conclusions from the article, what you learned, definitions of words or techniques that you did not know prior to the readings, etc. Make sure to include the reference for the paper you are summarizing in the format provided above. You will upload the literature assignments to CCLE prior to lecture. There are six assigned literature assignments in total, your best five of six will count toward your final grade.

### *Homework*

Homework is due at the beginning of lecture and will be returned in discussion section or Monday lecture. Do the reading and homework in *advance* of lecture to prepare for a higher level discussion in class.

One creative problem is due with each week's homework assignment. You will write and answer a problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture. These will always be graded. The best problems will be assigned to future classes and/or will be used in exams, and your biography (and "vintage") will be given.

Check the syllabus frequently, as we will update readings, homeworks, and other links. (When the **next lecture date** is in green, those assignments are finalized.)

Note that all material discussed in assigned readings is considered testable material, even if it is not explicitly discussed in lecture. **The lectures, the readings, and the homework assignments are designed to be complementary.**

**Notes on Exams:** No notes, calculators, computers, phones, smart watches, connected devices, etc. are allowed during exams. A periodic table and needed formulas and constants will be provided. Exam regrade requests will be considered for one week after the exam is returned and the entire exam paper will be regraded. Only exams done in ink are eligible to be regraded.

Please coordinate special exam requirements with your TA at the beginning of the quarter (i.e., during the first week).

Makeup exams, when necessary because of exams missed with approved excuses, will be conducted as private oral exams with Prof. Weiss.

Letter grades will be determined based on student performance after the final exam is given.

### **Office Hours**

Prof. Paul Weiss, in 3041 Young Hall

Tuesdays 2<sup>30</sup>-3<sup>30</sup> PM and Thursdays 1<sup>30</sup>-2<sup>30</sup> PM (there will be some shifts with travels and visitors)

For the two of you who cannot make either time, please schedule additional meetings with me.

(NB- On crowded days, we may move to 3056 Young Hall)

Prof. Weiss is often available on iChat/WeChat/etc. as PSWeiss

TA Office Hours – announced in sections and on course web site: <http://bit.ly/chem20bhw19>

Recap file (updated all quarter): <http://bit.ly/recap20bh19>

## Chem 20BH: Reading and Homework

**(Updated frequently, not finalized until the upcoming lecture date is in green)**

**Please complete readings prior to coming to lecture.**

**Turn in homework at/before lecture.**

**If you are not going to make it to lecture, email your homework to your TA *prior* to lecture.**

**Late homework will not be accepted without a TA-approved excuse.**

All readings will come from *Principles of Modern Chemistry*, by Oxtoby, Willis, & Campion, 8<sup>th</sup> edition, unless otherwise specified.

Older editions may also be used, however the chapters and problems **will vary**, so be sure to get the correct readings and problems from the current edition for assignments.

### For Lecture 1, Monday 7 January

Review Chapters 1-8

Intro, Syllabus, Energies, and Single-Molecule Measurements

### **Optional seminar:**

Professor Ke Xu from the Department of Chemistry at University of California, Berkeley  
“Multifunctional & multidimensional super-resolution microscopy”

Monday, January 7, 2019 2033 Young Hall 4:00 PM

### For Lecture 2, Wednesday 9 January

Choose your favorite energy units from

eV, kJ/mole, kcal/mole,  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (one of the first three would likely be most useful)

Know the conversions to the others and conversions to J and to K (absolute temperature)

What are typical bond strengths and bond lengths for C-C single, double, and triple bonds.  
(Use at least two units)

Reading:

9.1 The Chemistry of Gases

9.2 Pressure and Temperature of Gases

9.3 The Ideal Gas Law

9.4 Mixture of Gases

For fun (not required, but sometimes helpful):

We discussed X-ray diffraction (vs. spectroscopy) where there is no photon energy change, only scattering and interference. X-rays are used because their wavelengths match chemical bond lengths

<http://www.vega.org.uk/video/programme/80>

Lucas, Lambin, Mairesse & Mathot

*Journal of Chemical Education* 76, 378 (1999)

<http://bit.ly/1St91NM>

A prank in the periodic table from a great UCLA chemistry alumnus

Some notable class alumni:

[Prof. Adam Numis](#) now at UCSF

[Prof. Kerri Pratt's lab](#) at the University of Michigan and her recent [award in environmental chemistry](#)

For **Lecture 3, Friday 11 January**

Review Chapter 20: Molecular Spectroscopy and Photochemistry

Topic:

Single-molecule measurements

At the beginning of class, we asked, "How strong is a carbon-carbon bond?" Before Friday's class please do the following.

Find the bond length, and bond strength of each of the following:

C-C

C=C

C≡C

Draw a molecule for each of those bonds.

*Literature assignment*

Find a research article from a top scientific journal (*i.e.*, *Science*, *ACS Nano*, *Nature*, etc.) published within the last year on the topic of **single-molecule measurements**, and write at least 10 sentences summarizing the paper.

For **Lecture 4, Monday 14 January**

Reading:

9.5 Kinetic Theory of Gases

9.6 Real Gases

10.1 Bulk Properties of Gases, Liquids, and Solids: Molecular Interpretation

10.2 Intermolecular Forces: Origins in Molecular Structure

For **Lecture 5, Wednesday 16 January (HW)**

Reading:

10.3 Intermolecular Forces in Liquids

10.4 Phase Equilibrium

10.5 Phase Transitions

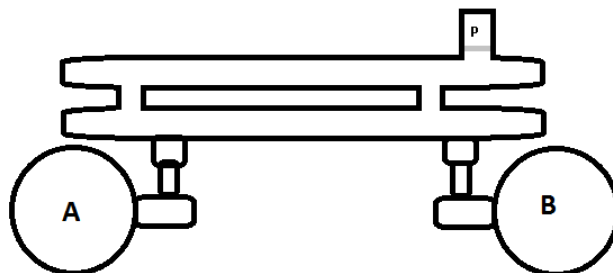
10.6 Phase Diagrams

Take a look at mass spectrometry and mass spectrometers in chemical analysis (find a source – if you locate a particularly good one, alert your TA directly.)

Problems:

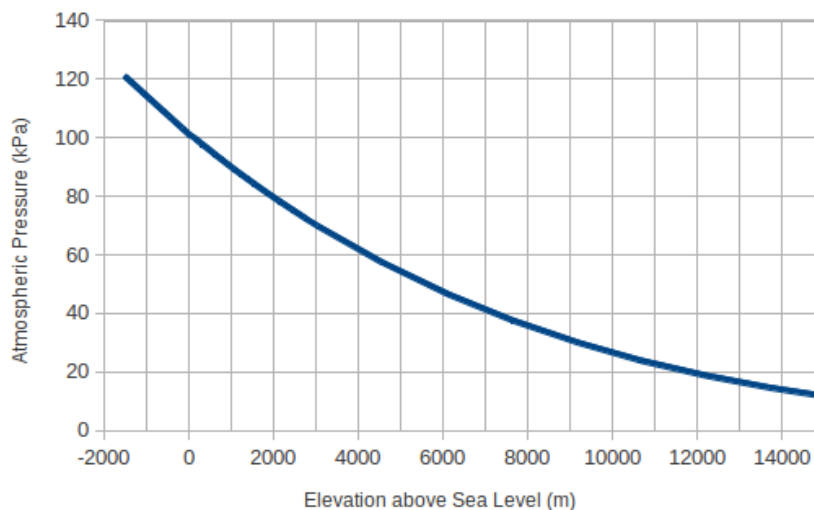
9.18, 9.20, 9.34, 9.44, 9.64, 9.87

Many experiments use gas manifolds to transfer gases from one reaction vessel to another. Knowing the volume of such manifolds can be crucial. Bulb A was filled with 540. mL of  $N_2$  gas. When opened to the glass manifold, the pressure was allowed to equilibrate and the new pressure (read at location P) was 295 Torr. Next, an empty 549 mL bulb labeled B was opened to the manifold. The new pressure read was 228 Torr. What is the available volume in the glass manifold assuming ideal gas law?



After a pleasant weekend on the shores of Lake Tahoe (elevation: 1900 m), Leroy travels back down the Sierra Nevada to his hometown in Folsom, California (elevation: 70 m). During his trip, Leroy feels his eardrum bulging inward to compensate for pressure. Given that the volume of the inner ear is approximately 225.0  $\mu\text{L}$  in the neutral starting position (i.e. no eardrum bulging), what is the volume of Leroy's inner ear when he arrives in Folsom. Assume constant temperature, and use the data below to guide your calculations.

Elevation and Atmospheric Pressure



**The Engineering Toolbox**  
www.EngineeringToolBox.com

Created by Matthew Ye in our Winter 2016 class: Matthew is a biophysics major from Toronto, Canada. In high school, he enjoyed using chemistry to create “energetic chemical reactions” in his friend's garage. Since then, he has been involved in research at Stanford University and currently works in Professor Weiss's lab. In his free time, he enjoys distance running and hopes to run his first marathon in the summer.

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

For fun (not required):

*Scientific American* discussion of North Korea's test of what might not have been a hydrogen bomb:

<http://bit.ly/1OSiHSD>

*Quanta* (<http://bit.ly/1mLf04f>) article on George Church's left-handed world (more on George later this quarter):

<http://bit.ly/1mLf04f>

A chemistry song from my friend and colleague, Dr. (Col. Hon.) [Chuck Martin](#) at the University of Florida

<http://bit.ly/1mzngop>

*NB*- Paul was in the audience at the club with Prof. Martin's students for this performance after giving a talk in his department.

[Ice skating text box](#), describing why the reduction in friction when skating is *not* due to pressure-induced melting.

<http://bit.ly/1N1WbiD>

### Thursday 17 January

Paul's office hours are 4-5 pm

“Ultracapacitive Energy Storage Using 2D Nanomaterials Under Extreme Conditions”

Dr. Ho Seok Park

Sungkyunwan University

At the CNSI Auditorium from 1:30-2:30 pm

<http://c-mit.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/Flyer-1-pdf-709x1024.jpg>

“Movers and Shakers at the Nanoscale: Nucleic Acid Based Devices Inspired by Nature's Molecular Machines”

Prof. Nils G. Walter

University of Michigan

At the CNSI Presentation Space from 2:00-3:00 pm

<http://c-mit.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/Flyer-2-pdf-709x1024.jpg>

### For Lecture 6, Friday 18 January

Reading:

11.1 Composition of Solutions

11.2 Nature of Dissolved Species

11.3 Reaction Stoichiometry in Solutions: Acid–Base Titrations

Recaps:

<http://bit.ly/recap20bh19>

*Literature assignment*

Find a research article from a top scientific journal (*i.e.*, *Science*, *ACS Nano*, *Nature*, etc.) published within the last year on the topic of **environmental issues or environmental clean-up related to chemistry**, and write at least 10 sentences summarizing the paper.

## **Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday Monday 21 January**

For **Lecture 7, Wednesday 23 January (HW)**

Reading:

11.4 Reaction Stoichiometry in Solutions: Oxidation–Reduction Titrations

11.5 Phase Equilibrium in Solutions: Nonvolatile Solutes

11.6 Phase Equilibrium in Solutions: Volatile Solutes

Problems:

10.8, 10.15, 10.20, 10.34, 10.48, 11.3, 11.9, 11.14, 11.26, 11.34, 11.40, 11.58, 11.78

Assign the formal oxidation state of each atom in these iron oxides and hydroxides:

FeO Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> Fe<sub>4</sub>O<sub>5</sub> Fe(OH)<sub>2</sub> Fe(OH)<sub>3</sub>

Which have mixed valence?

**Final project topic due in lecture (unless extended in consultation with Prof. Weiss)**

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

### **Paul's Office hours: 2:45-3:30pm**

“Actuated ‘hairy’ surfaces: En route for adaptive, homeostatic materials”

Prof. Joanna Aizenberg

Harvard University

At CNSI Auditorium at 4:00 pm

For **Lecture 8, Thursday 24 January**

Reading:

14.1 The Nature of Chemical Equilibrium

14.2 The empirical Law of Mass Action

14.3 Thermodynamic Description of the Equilibrium State

14.4 The Law of Mass Action for Related and Simultaneous Equilibria

### **Paul's Office hours: 1-2 pm**

For **Discussion, Friday 25 January**

*Literature assignment*

Find a research article from a top scientific journal (*i.e.* *Science*, *ACS Nano*, *Nature*, etc.) published within the last year on the topic of **energy harvesting and storage**, and write at least 10 sentences summarizing the paper.



## **LA and UA EXAM REVIEW**

**Clarissa in discussion and Gennifer at 5pm in Young Hall 4216**

### **For Discussion, Monday 28 January**

Exam Review with Kris and Gail

(Here is what Paul is doing today:

<https://www.iams.sinica.edu.tw/en/?link=advisors>)

### **For Lecture 9, Tuesday 29 January (HW)**

#### **EXAM REVIEW**

Reading:

14.5 Equilibrium Calculations for Gas-Phase and Heterogeneous Reactions

14.6 The Direction of Change in Chemical Reactions: Empirical Description

14.7 The Direction of Change in Chemical Reactions: Thermodynamic Explanation

14.8 Distribution of a Single Species between Immiscible Phases: Extraction and Separation Processes

Problems:

14.10, 14.16, 14.18, 14.20, 14.22, 14.35, 14.58, 14.73

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

A resource on azeotropes and distillation from Alexandra Li, 2018

<http://bit.ly/LibAzeo18>

### **For Lecture 10, Wednesday 30 January**

Exam preparation

Reading:

12.1 Systems, States, and Processes

12.2 The First Law of Thermodynamics: Internal Energy, Work, and Heat

12.3 Heat Capacity, Calorimetry, and Enthalpy

12.4 The First Law and Ideal Gas Processes

**Paul's Office hours: 2:45-4:15 pm**

## **Wednesday 30 January 6-8 PM Midterm #1**

**At Lakretz 110**

**Please use a pen for the exam – exams done in pencil are ineligible for regrading**

**The exam will cover reading, homework, and lecture through Tuesday 29 January**

### **For Lecture 11, Friday 1 February**

Reading:

12.5 Molecular Contributions to Internal Energy and Heat Capacity

12.6 Thermochemistry

- 12.7 Reversible Processes in Ideal Gases
- 12.8 Distribution of Energy among Molecules

Read the wikipedia page on heat capacity, which is free to use a little calculus, and gives a better explanation, in my opinion

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Heat\\_capacity](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Heat_capacity)

For **Lecture 12, Monday 4 February (HW)**

Reading:

- 13.1 The Nature of Spontaneous Processes
- 13.2 Entropy and Spontaneity: A Molecular Statistical Interpretation
- 13.3 Entropy and Heat: Macroscopic Basis of the Second Law of Thermodynamics
- 13.4 Entropy Changes in Reversible Processes

Problems:

12.3, 12.10, 12.14, 12.15, 12.26, 12.42, 12.56, 12.63

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

For **Lecture 13, Wednesday 6 February**

Reading:

- 13.5 Entropy Changes and Spontaneity
- 13.6 The Third Law of Thermodynamics
- 13.7 The Gibbs Free Energy
- 13.8 Carnot Cycles, Efficiency, and Entropy

For **Lecture 14, Friday 8 February**

Reading:

- 15.1 Classification of Acids and Bases
- 15.2 Properties of Acids and Bases in Aqueous Solutions
- 15.3 Acid and Base Strength
- 15.4 Equilibria Involving Weak Acids and Bases

Final project abstract due before lecture on CCLE.

For **Lecture 15 Monday 11 February (HW)**

Reading:

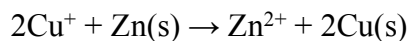
15.5 Buffer Solutions

15.6 Acid-Base Titration Curves

15.7 Polyprotic Acids

Problems:

For the reaction:



Calculate  $E^\circ_{\text{cell}}$ ,  $\Delta G^\circ$ , and  $K_{\text{eq}}$

13.2, 13.6, 13.10, 13.16, 13.24, 13.34, 13.40

15.1, 15.8, 15.17, 15.24, 15.38

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

For **Lecture 16, Wednesday 13 February**

Reading:

16.1 The Nature of Solubility Equilibria

16.2 Ionic Equilibria between Solids and Solutions

16.3 Precipitation and the Solubility Product

Here is a poster example that you can also use as a template:

<http://bit.ly/20bh18poster>

Here is the template for the abstract:

<http://bit.ly/20bh18Abs>

Please rename the poster with your name first, like this:

WeissPaul20bh19poster.pptx

“From Microorganisms to Animals: Advanced Materials Technologies Inspired by Nature”

Professor Tak-Sing Wong

Pennsylvania State University

At 38-138 Engineering-IV 2:00 – 3:00 pm

<https://www.mae.ucla.edu/events/professor-tak-sing-wong/>

Happy Valentine's Day!



For **Lecture 17, Friday 15 February**

Reading:

16.4 The Effects of pH on Solubility

16.5 Complex Ions and Solubility

16.6 A Deeper Look... Selective Precipitation of Ions

*Literature assignment*

Find a research article from a top scientific journal (*i.e.*, *Science*, *ACS Nano*, *Nature*, etc.) published within the last year on the topic of **energy storage**, and write at least 10 sentences summarizing the paper.

**Presidents' Day Holiday Monday 18 February**

For **Lecture 18, Wednesday 20 February (HW)**

Reading:

17.1 Electrochemical Cells

17.2 Cell Potentials and the Gibbs Free Energy

17.3 Concentrations Effects and the Nernst Equation

Problems:

15.46, 15.48, 15.52, 15.58, 15.66

16.3, 16.11, 16.20, 16.24, 16.32, 16.37, 16.54

Optional problem:

For 1 M, 0.5 M, and 0.1 M acetic acid (each), at equilibrium:

What is the acetate ion concentration?

What is the pH?

What is the fraction dissociation?

17.8, 17.24, 17.27

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

For **Discussion, Thursday 21 February**

Exam Review with Gennifer

For **Lecture 19, Friday 22 February**

Reading:

17.4 Molecular Electrochemistry, *Connection to Biology* : ECL in Clinical Assays  
and *Connection to Energy*: Solar Energy Conversion

17.5 Batteries and Fuel Cells

If you did not cover or do not remember, crystal field theory and metal ion complexes, review those sections.

If you have the time, read ahead in Chapter 22 on the electrical properties and excitations in metals and semiconductors. Some of the issues are now covered in the Recaps.

## Saturday 23 February

Poster presentation from 2-6 pm. Location Young Hall 2033.

### For Lecture 20, Monday 25 February

Reading:

22.6 Band Theory of Conduction

22.7 Semiconductors

17.6 Corrosion and Corrosion Protection

17.7 Electrometallurgy

17.8 A Deeper Look: Electrolysis of Water and Aqueous Solutions

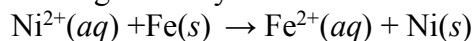
Problems:

17.45, 17.53, 17.55, 17.62, 17.72

Name one vitamin, draw its chemical structure, and briefly describe one aspect of what it does in terms of biological function (*e.g.*, if it is part of a particular enzyme). Can you overdose on it (*i.e.*, is it fat-soluble?)?

Name one neurotransmitter, draw its chemical structure, and briefly describe one aspect of what it does in our brains (*e.g.*, relation to behavior, mood, etc.)

Making a battery out of nickel and iron that proceeds by the following reaction:



What are  $\Delta G$  and  $E_{\text{cell}}$  initially and after running the battery until the concentrations of the metal ions in solution are:  $[\text{Ni}^{2+}] = 0.050 \text{ M}$  and  $[\text{Fe}^{2+}] = 1.0 \text{ M}$ .

You attempt to "recharge" your battery by adding  $\text{Ni}^{2+}$  until it is 0.5 M (ignore any volume change due to the addition). What are the new  $\Delta G$  and  $E_{\text{cell}}$ ?

22.4, 22.9, 22.12

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from any time in the course.

Optional reading on **Zone Refining** and just for fun:

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Zone\\_melting](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Zone_melting)

### For Discussion, Tuesday 26 February

Exam Review with Kris, Gail and Clarissa

### For Lecture 21, Wednesday 27 February

Reading:

- 22.1 Minerals: Naturally Occurring Inorganic Materials
- 22.2 Properties of Ceramics
- 22.3 Silicate Ceramics

### Wednesday 27 February 6-8 PM Midterm #2

#### At Kaplan A51

Please use a pen for the exam – exams done in pencil are ineligible for regrading

Here are some old exams for practice, but we have not covered all the topics in them:

<http://bit.ly/20bh18oldexams>

(or [http://www.nano.ucla.edu/\\_psw/20BH18/20bhOldExams.pdf](http://www.nano.ucla.edu/_psw/20BH18/20bhOldExams.pdf))

#### For Lecture 22, Friday 1 March

Go over exam

Reading:

- 22.4 Nonsilicate Ceramics
- 22.5 Electrical Conduction in Materials

#### *Literature assignment*

Find a research article from a top scientific journal (i.e. *Science*, *ACS Nano*, *Nature*, etc.) published within the last year on the topics of **coupling light and electronics**, and write at least 10 sentences summarizing the paper.

#### For Lecture 23, Monday 4 March (HW)

Reading (if you did not do it last week):

- 22.6 Band Theory of Conduction
- 22.7 Semiconductors

Problems:

- 22.16, 22.19, 22.21, 22.25
- 18.4, 18.8, 18.18, 18.22, 18.23

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

#### For Lecture 24, Wednesday 6 March

Reading:

- 18.1 Rates of Chemical Reactions
- 18.2 Rate Laws
- 18.3 Reaction Mechanisms

#### For Lecture 25, Friday 8 March

- 18.4 Reaction Mechanisms and Rate
- 18.5 Effect of Temperature on Reaction Rates

Final project due SUNDAY by 11<sup>59</sup> PM on CCLE.

Microbiome TED Talk by Rob Knight at UCSD:

<http://bit.ly/KnightTED>

Microbiome Technology Roadmap we published (*ACS Nano* **10**, 6, 2016) to propose the US Microbiome Initiative

<http://bit.ly/2hNywiW>

For **Lecture 26, Monday 11 March (HW)**

Reading:

18.6 Molecular Theories of Elementary Reactions

18.7 Reactions in Solution

18.8 Catalysis

Problems:

22.28, 22.32, 22.54, 22.56

18.26, 18.29, 18.37, 18.40, 18.64, 18.72

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

For **Lecture 27, Wednesday 13 March**

Reading:

19.1 Mass-Energy Relationships in Nuclei

19.2 Nuclear Decay Processes

19.3 Kinetics of Radioactive Decay

19.4 Radiation in Biology and Medicine

19.5 Nuclear Fission

19.6 Nuclear Fusion and Nucleosynthesis

*Literature assignment*

Find a research article from a top scientific journal (i.e. *Science*, *ACS Nano*, *Nature*, etc.) published within the last year on the topic of **catalysis or nuclear reactions**, and write at least 10 sentences summarizing the paper.

For **Discussion, Thursday 14 March**

Exam Review with Kris, Gail, and our LAs

For **Lecture 28, Friday 15 March (HW)**

Reading:

In-Class Review – please find all the slides **in our Recap file**:

Problems:

19.4, 19.9, 19.15, 19.27, 19.46

Create and solve your own original problem that captures a key concept from the previous topic or lecture.

**Monday 18 March, 11<sup>30</sup>AM -2<sup>30</sup> PM Final Exam**  
**No calculators/watches/devices are allowed for the final exam.**

**Tuesday 19 March** (optional)  
Go over final, recap class, learning, careers, and more