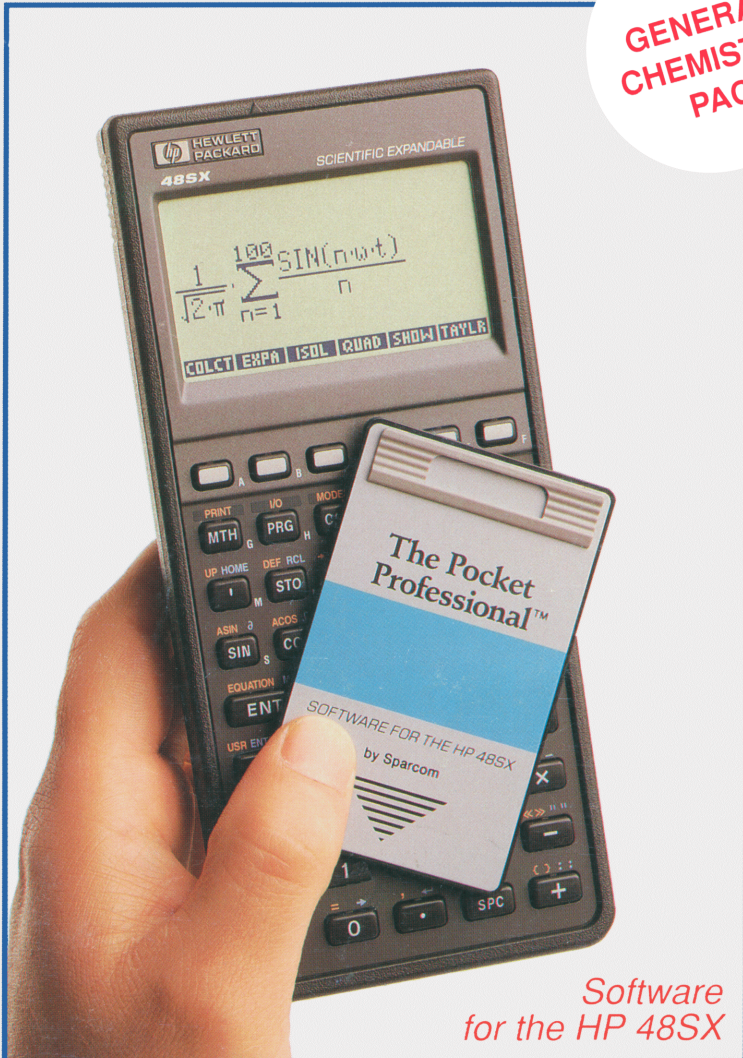


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PAC



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for the HP 48SX



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# General Chemistry Application Pac Changes

The following changes were made to the General Chemistry Application Pac for version 2.5:

- ✓ Browser: Cursor movement and scrolling speed have been increased.
- ✓ Constant Library: Constants have been updated to conform to latest accepted values.

**HP 48GX USERS ONLY:** You should install the application card in Port 1 for two reasons:

1. Application cards installed in Port 1 will execute ~ 20% faster than those installed in Port 2.
2. Application cards installed in Port 2 may experience long pauses (~ 5-10 seconds or more) intermittently during operation. This is not a software defect. It is caused by the new memory architecture of the extended HP 48GX Port 2, which is different from the HP 48SX Port 2. Such pauses will not occur if the application card is operated from Port 1 of the HP 48GX or if it is operated from either port of the HP 48SX.

# General Chemistry Application Pac Manual Changes

These changes apply to the General Chemistry Application Pac Manual, Edition 2, November 1991.

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## Changes for the HP 48GX

General: To display all libraries on the HP 48GX, press  $\boxed{\rightarrow} \boxed{[LIBRY]}$  instead of  $\boxed{\leftarrow} \boxed{[LIBRY]}$ .

General: On the HP 48GX, the  $\boxed{[FIN]}$  key has been replaced by CANCEL.

General: To perform a screen dump on the HP 48GX, press  $\boxed{[ON]} \boxed{[F2]}$  instead of  $\boxed{[ON]} \boxed{[WITH]}$ .

General: To display an item too wide for the display on the HP 48GX, press  $\boxed{\rightarrow} \boxed{[CSC]}$  instead of  $\boxed{\rightarrow} \boxed{[VSTF]}$ .

Page 1-19: On the HP 48GX,  $\boxed{[COORD]}$  has been renamed to  $\boxed{[X, Y]}$ .

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## Changes for Version 2.5

General: Because the constants have been updated, some of the examples may differ slightly from the manual.

Page 1-3: Accessing the General Chemistry Application Pac: Picture menu keys should read  $\boxed{[GCAP]} \boxed{[GCON]} \boxed{[ABOUT]}$  instead of  $\boxed{[GCAP]} \boxed{[GCON]} \boxed{[DFRG]} \boxed{[DFRUB]} \boxed{[DERUV]} \boxed{[ABOUT]}$ .

Page 1-5: Using the Main Menu: The Constant Library now includes 31 constants.

Page 1-6: Using the Search Mode: The search mode is now case-insensitive.

Page 1-10: Using the Solver Function: After pressing  $\boxed{[SOLVE]}$ , press  $\boxed{[UNITS]}$  to turn units on.

Page 2-16: Concentration: Example 1:  $ma=5.8E-2\_mol/kg$ .

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Page 2-43: Thermodynamics: Example:  $\Delta S=28.7_{\text{cal}}/(\text{mol}\cdot\text{K})$ .

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Page 2-48: First Order: Example:  $C_a=.01_{\text{mol/l}}$ ,  $C_{a0}=1_{\text{mol/l}}$ ,  $\text{Rate}=7.7\text{E}-7_{\text{mol}}/(\text{cm}^3\cdot\text{s})$ .

Page 2-53: Second Order (II): Example: Solve equation 2.

Page 3-3: List of Element Names and Symbols: Picture should include the title, "Elements"; 3rd picture should read GCHEMD instead of GCAPPD in status area.

Page 5-1: Using the Constants Library: The Constant Library now includes 31 constants.



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# Chapter 1

## Getting Started

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- Installing and Removing the Card
- Using the Main Menu
- Using the Equation Library
- What You Should Know About the Solver
- Sparcom's GCHEMD Directory
- Equation Library Structure
- Summary of Softkeys

Sparcom's Pocket Professional™ software is the first of its kind, developed to provide speed, efficiency and portability to students and professionals in technical fields. When you slide the Pocket Professional™ General Chemistry Application Pac into your HP 48SX, your calculator is instantly transformed into an electronic "textbook," ready to efficiently solve your chemistry problems. The software is organized into six major sections: Equation Library, Periodic Table, Stoichiometry, Species Library, Constants Library and Reference Library. . . all in an efficient, menu-driven format.

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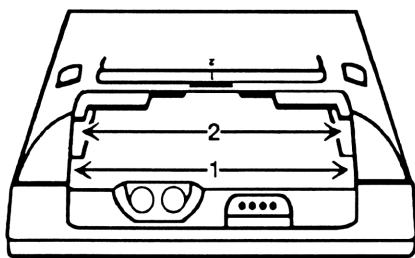
## Installing and Removing the Card

The HP 48SX has two ports for installing plug-in cards. You can install the software card in either port. Be sure to **turn off the calculator** while installing or removing the card. Otherwise, user memory may be erased.

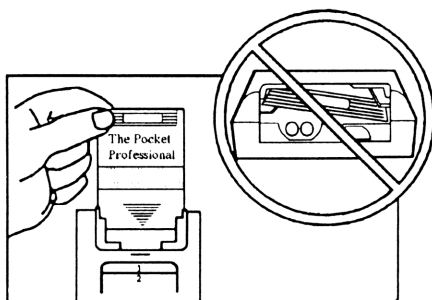
### To Install the Application Card

1. Turn off the calculator. Do not press **ON** until you have completed the installation procedure.
2. Remove the port cover. Press against the grip lines and push forward. Lift the cover to expose the two plug-in ports.

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3. Select either empty port for the Pocket Professional card.
4. Position the card just outside the slot. Point the triangular arrow on the card toward the calculator port opening, as shown.
5. Slide the card firmly into the slot. After you first feel resistance, push the card about 1/4 inch further, until it is fully seated.

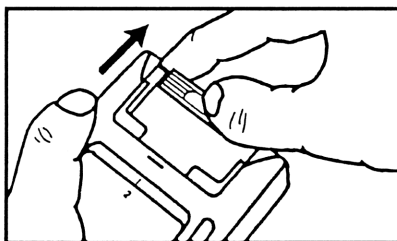


6. Replace the port cover.

## To Remove the Application Card

1. Turn the calculator off. Do not press **ON** until you have completed the procedure.
2. Remove the port cover. Press against the card's grip and slide the card out of the port.



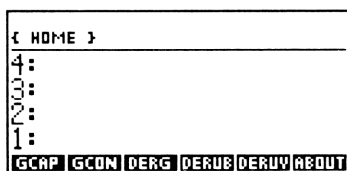


3. Replace the port cover. If you want to remove a RAM card that contains merged memory, **you must free the merged memory** before removing the card. Otherwise, you are likely to **lose data stored in user memory**. See the *HP 48SX Owner's Manual* for instructions.

## Accessing the General Chemistry Application Pac

After you turn your calculator **ON**, there are three ways to start the software.

**First Method:** Press **LIBRARY** to display all libraries available to the HP 48SX. Find and press **GCAP** to enter the General Chemistry Application Pac library directory. The screen displays new menu keys or “softkeys” along the bottom, as shown:



Press the **GCAP** softkey again to start the application.

Pressing the last softkey in the row, **ABOUT**, displays a screen containing the revision number of the software. (Press **ATN** to exit the revision screen). The **GCON** softkey accesses the Constants Library, described in Chapter 5. The other softkeys access programs required by the software and are not available to the user.

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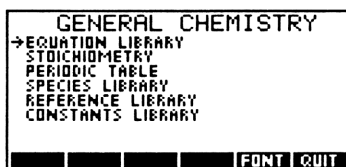
**Second Method:** Type in the letters GCAPP (using alpha entry mode) and press **ENTER**.

**Third Method:** Add the command “GCAPP” to the CST (custom) menu (for more information, refer to Chapter 15 of the *HP-48SX Owner's Manual*, “Customizing the Calculator”). After the command has been added, press **CST**, then press **GCAP** to start the software.

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## Using the Main Menu

After you start the application, the main menu screen appears:



The main menu lists the six main functions of the General Chemistry Application Pac in a “browser” menu format. “Browser” refers to the ability to use the cursor keys (**▲**, **▼**) to move the pointer to the menu item you wish and to press **ENTER** to select an item or function.

Each function in the main menu is briefly described below, and is discussed in detail in the next five chapters of this manual.

Equation Library	Allows you to solve, plot and analyze over 150 equations.
Species Library*	A list of chemical compounds to be used as reactants and products when building your own chemical equations.
Periodic Table	Displays properties for each element of the Periodic Table.











Stoichiometry	Lets you enter your own chemical equation, check mass and charge balance, and perform theoretical yield and limiting reagent calculations.
Constants Library	Lists the values for 29 common constants.
Reference Library	Selected reference data useful in solving today's practical problems.

\*The Species Library is discussed in Chapter 4: "Stoichiometry."





The "softkeys" located along the bottom of each screen give you options that relate to that screen. The following softkeys appear in the main menu screen. A summary of common softkeys used throughout the software program is given at the end of this chapter.

<b>FONT</b>	Toggles between the small and medium fonts for optimum viewing of results.
<b>QUIT</b>	Exits the General Chemistry Application Pac.

## Moving Around the Screen

Use the  and  keys to move the pointer up and down in the menu list. Pressing  moves the pointer to the bottom of the screen, or pages down (one screen at a time) if the pointer is already at the bottom of the screen. Pressing  moves the pointer to the top of the screen, or pages up. Pressing  moves the pointer to the bottom of the list, and  moves the pointer to the top of the list.

## Viewing Items Too Wide for the Display

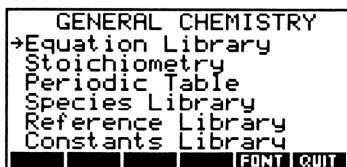
If the text of a topic or subtopic is too wide to fit within the display, an ellipsis (...) appears at the end of the line. Press  to display the rest of the text. Press  or  to return the display to the beginning of the line.

## Changing the Font Size

The default font for the General Chemistry Application Pac displays information in small, uppercase letters only. Pressing **FONT**

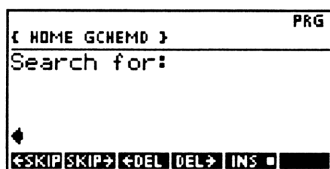
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displays the information in a medium font, which is case-sensitive. The font size stays medium (shown below) until you press **FONT** again:



## Using the Search Mode

When menu lists are long, it may be faster to locate an item using the search mode. To initiate a search, press the **SEARCH** key, which displays the following screen:



The calculator is now in *alpha* entry mode, as indicated by the alpha ( $\alpha$ ) annunciator at the very top of the screen. Alpha entry mode overrides the function of the standard keyboard. This means that each key that has a white capital letter printed to its lower right loses its original function and types that letter onto the command line when pressed. (See the *HP 48SX Owner's Manual*, "The Keyboard and Display", for a complete description of how the alpha mode operates). Type the first letter or letters of the name you want to search for, to create the *search string*, and press **ENTER**. **The search function is case-sensitive.** To enter a lower case letter in the alpha entry mode, press the **SHIFT** key before typing in each letter.

## Editing Text Entries

The search mode softkeys along the bottom of the screen are command line editing keys. They are built into the HP 48SX and allow you to edit the search string. Their functions are summarized below:

**←SKIP** Moves the cursor to the beginning of the current word.

**SKIP→** Moves the cursor to the beginning of the next word.

- ←DEL** Deletes all the characters in the current word to the left of the cursor.
- DEL→** Deletes all the characters from the cursor's current position to the first character of the next word.
- INS** Toggles between insert and typeover modes.
- STK** Accesses a version of the "Interactive Stack" in which only the echo function is available. (For more information on the Interactive Stack, see Chapter 3 of the *HP 48SX Owner's Manual*).

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## Using the Equation Library

The Equation Library contains over 150 equations commonly used by today's chemist, and is organized into seven main categories. The Equation Library enables you to:

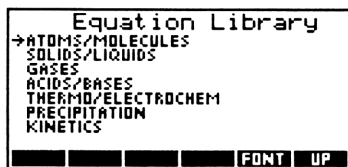
- Select the equation category and topic from the main menu.
- List all the equations in a topic.
- Solve a specific equation or a set of equations.
- View a description of the variables.
- View a figure that illustrates the problem.
- Plot the equation.

### Solving a Single Equation

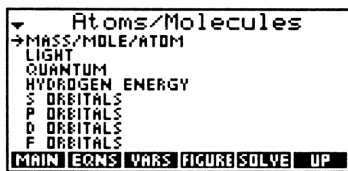
Suppose, for example, you want to calculate the number of moles of iron (molecular weight = 55.847 g/mol) in a truck containing 1.5 metric tons of material.

### Accessing Equations

The first step in solving this problem is to locate the necessary equation in the Equation Library. At the main menu, move the pointer to "EQUATION LIBRARY" and press **ENTER**. This displays the list of categories available in the Equation Library, shown below:

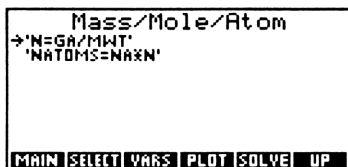


Move the pointer to the category “ATOMS/MOLECULES,” and press **ENTER** to display the list of topics:



## Selecting and Displaying Equations

Move the pointer to the topic “MASS/MOLE/ATOM” and press **ENTER**, or press the **EQNS** softkey, to display the equation set for mass-to-mole conversions:



This screen lists all the equations in the current topic. In the case of mass-to-mole conversions, there are only two. You may choose to solve all the equations in a set or solve only one equation. Solving multiple equations is discussed later in this chapter. For this example, the number of moles of iron in the truck is given by the following equation (which is the first equation in the list):

$$n = \frac{ga}{MWT}$$

where  $n$  is the number of moles,  $ga$  is the mass of iron and  $MWT$  is the molecular weight of iron (55.847 g/mol). Any equation may be selected by moving the pointer to the desired equation and pressing the **SELECT**

softkey. If no equation is selected, then all equations are solved. When an equation is selected, a triangular tag is placed in front of the equation:

```

      Mass/Mole/Atom
  → N=GA/MWT
     NATOMS=N*AN
  
```

MAIN SELECT VARS PLOT SOLVE UP

If you want to view the equation in its full “textbook” form, move the pointer to the equation and press **ENTER**. This displays the equation on the screen:

```

      HP 485X EQUATION WRITER
  
```

$$n = \frac{ga}{MWT}$$

```

  
```

PRESS [ENTER] TO RETURN TO LIST...

When a chemical equation is lengthy, pressing **◀** or **▶** scrolls the screen to the left or to the right to display the entire equation. Press **ENTER** or **ATN** to return to the list of equations.

## Viewing Variable Definitions

You can view a list that defines all the variables in the selected equation or set of equations by pressing the **VAR** softkey at the equations screen. The screen below shows the definitions for each variable in the first equation of the MASS/MOLE/ATOM topic:

```

      Mass/Mole/Atom
  → N: (MOL) MOLES
     GA: (KG) MASS
     MWT: (KG/MOL) MWT
  
```

MAIN EQNS VIEW FIGURE SOLVE UP

## Using the Solver Function

The Sparcom “solver” is a software function that simplifies the job of setting up equations to be calculated by the HP 48SX. The solver function is discussed in more detail later in this chapter, under “What You Need to Know About the Solver.”

To execute the solver, press **SOLVE** at the equations screen. The variables for the selected equation(s) now appear in the screen, waiting for you to enter values, as shown:

```

Mass/Mole/Atom
N: '0_MOL'
→ GA: '0_KG'
MNT: '0_KG/MOL'

CALC EQNS VARS UNIT →STK UP
  
```

To enter the mass of iron, move the pointer to ga and press **ENTER**. This displays the following screen:

```

PRG
{ HOME GCHEMD }
Set ga, Mass:

_KG _G _MG _U _LB _T
  
```

Enter the mass of iron at the prompt.

```

PRG
{ HOME GCHEMD }
Set ga, Mass:

1.5
_KG _G _MG _U _LB _T
  
```

After the mass has been entered, you may assign units to your entry by pressing the appropriate unit softkey. If you choose not to add units and press **ENTER** at the prompt, SI units will be assumed. In some cases, more units are available than the six softkeys displayed in the first screen. In these cases, press **NXT** to display the next page of additional units. For a complete description of units available in the HP 48SX, see Chapter 13 of the *HP 48SX Owner's Manual*.



In this example, press **T** to add units of metric tons to this entry.

```

{ HOME GCHEM } PRG
Set ga, Mass:

1.5_t
┌_KG└┌_G└┌_MG└┌_U└┌_LB└┌_T

```

Press **ENTER** to store this value into ga. This returns you to the solver screen with 1.5\_t of iron stored into the variable, ga:

```

Mass/Mole/Atom
N: '0_MOL'
▶GA: '1.5_T'
→MWT: '0_KG/MOL'

┌CALC└┌EQNS└┌VARS└┌UNIT└▶STK└UP

```

The triangular tag indicates that ga is a known variable. Repeat this procedure for the other known variable, MWT, which for iron is 55.847\_g/mol. This results in the following screen:

```

Mass/Mole/Atom
→N: '0_MOL'
▶GA: '1.5_T'
▶MWT: '55.847_G/MOL'

┌CALC└┌EQNS└┌VARS└┌UNIT└▶STK└UP

```

With two of the three variables known in this equation, you can now solve the equation for the number of moles by pressing **CALC**. After a few moments, the calculator returns to this screen with the calculated value of n:

```

Mass/Mole/Atom
→*N: '26859.0971762_MOL'
▶GA: '1.5_T'
▶MWT: '55.847_G/MOL'

┌CALC└┌EQNS└┌VARS└┌UNIT└▶STK└UP

```

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The \* by n indicates that this value was calculated and was not user specified.

## Converting Data to Different Units

Suppose you want to convert the mass of iron just computed to pounds. First press **NXT** to view a new page of softkeys:

```
Mass/Mole/Atom
→XN: '26859.0971762_MOL'
  GA: '1.5_T'
  MW: '55.847_G/MOL'

KNOW WANT CLEAR PURGE CONV UP
```

Move the pointer to the variable ga and press **CONV**. This lists all the possible units for ga:

```
Convert to:
→_KG
  _G
  _U
  _LB
  _T
  _OZ
  _OZT
  _SLUG

EXIT
```

Move the pointer to **\_lb** (**\_LB** when condensed font is used) and press **ENTER**.

```
Mass/Mole/Atom
XN: '26859.0971762_MOL'
→GA: '3306.9333277_LB'
MW: '55.847_G/MOL'

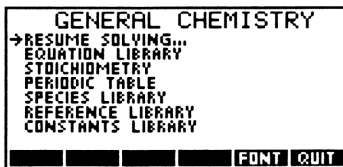
KNOW WANT CLEAR PURGE CONV UP
```

This converts the mass in metric tons to pounds. If you want to use the data for further calculations, move the pointer to the data item and press **ENTER** to place it on the calculator stack.

## Options After Solving the Equation

Pressing **ATN** exits the General Chemistry Application Pac and places you in the calculator operating environment. Pressing **CLEAR** resets all entries in the current topic to zero. Pressing **PURGE** eliminates each variable in the current topic from calculator memory.

To return to the main menu screen press **UP** multiple times. At the main menu, a new “RESUME SOLVING...” entry will have been added to the list, as shown:



Selecting the RESUME SOLVING function returns you directly to the equation set you were working with, with all previous entries still intact.

## Managing Units

When solving an equation, **UNITS** (a toggle key) controls whether the calculations are performed in your choice of units, or in Systeme Internationale d’Unites (SI) units. When the **UNITS** softkey appears, it means that all entries are converted to SI units and the unit designations are removed. **UNIT** indicates that the software is managing units, and that all values will contain the unit designations that you specify. All values entered without unit designations are assumed to be in (SI) units. Be aware that **using designated units increases the processing time substantially.**

## Solving Multiple Equations

For many problems, the result of one calculation acts as the input to another. The General Chemistry Application Pac is capable of solving multiple equations, sequentially and systematically.

### Selecting the Equation Set

Suppose you want to calculate the concentration in moles per liter (molarity) of HCl in water in a 100\_ml solution that is a 36% by weight HCl with a density of 1.19\_g/ml (a standard concentrated HCl solution).

To solve this problem, move to the “CONCENTRATION” topic under the “SOLIDS/LIQUIDS” category. This topic contains 12 equations which relate the various forms of concentration of solute (labeled a) in the solvent

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(labeled b) to the fundamental parameters of the solution. These equations are listed below:

$$g_s = g_a + g_b$$

$$m_a = \frac{n_a}{g_b}$$

$$n_a = \frac{g_a}{MWT_a}$$

$$x_a = \frac{n_a}{n_a + n_b}$$

$$g_a = w_a \cdot \frac{g_s}{100}$$

$$w_a + w_b = 100$$

$$g_b = w_b \cdot \frac{g_s}{100}$$

$$n_b = \frac{g_b}{MWT_b}$$

$$g_s = v_s \cdot \rho_s$$

$$ppm_a = \frac{g_a \cdot 1E6}{g_b}$$

$$M_a = \frac{n_a}{v_s}$$

$$g_b = v_b \cdot \rho_b$$

These equations are displayed on the screen when you select the CONCENTRATION topic, shown below:

```

Concentration
→'GS=GA+GB'
'NA=GA/MWTA'
'GA=WA*GS/100'
'GB=WB*GS/100'
'GS=VS*PS'
'MA=NA/VS'
'NA=NA/GB'
'NA=NA/(NA+NB)'
MAIN SELECT VARS PLOT SOLVE UP
    
```

To view the variables for this equation set, press **VARS**. All the variables for the CONCENTRATION topic, and their (SI) units are listed in the following table:

Variable	Description	Units
ga	mass solute	1_kg
gb	mass solvent	1_kg
na	moles solute	1_mol
nb	moles solvent	1_mol
MWTa	molecular weight solute	1_kg/mol
MWTb	molecular weight solvent	1_kg/mol
wa	weight % solute	1

wb	weight % solvent	1
$\rho_b$	pure solvent density	1_kg/m <sup>3</sup>
vb	volume of solvent	1_m <sup>3</sup>
gs	mass solution	1_kg
vs	volume solution	1_m <sup>3</sup>
$\rho_s$	density solution	1_kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Ma	molarity solution	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
ma	molality solution	1_mol/kg
xa	mole fraction solution	1
ppma	solute concentration	1

### Solving the Equation Set

Press **SOLVE** to execute the solver function. Enter all the information pertaining to the problem at one time, including any unit conversions you wish to make, using the procedure described previously. Press **CALC** to start the solver. The solver then steps through each equation in the list, solving those equations that contain sufficient information to calculate a solution.

When all variables are found, or all remaining equations have more than one unknown variable, the solver stops. It then lists the variables it can't find, and returns to the solver screen. The given variables and calculated results for this example are shown below:

Given	Result
MWTa = 36.4609_g/mol (HCl)	Ma = 11.7_mol/l
MWTb = 18.0152_g/mol (H <sub>2</sub> O)	
wa = 36.0	
vs = 100._ml	
$\rho_s$ = 1.19_g/ml	

With the information given, the solver found all variables but two,  $\rho_b$  and vb (no asterisk \*). The solver also calculated the solution concentration in molality, in mole-fraction, and in parts-per-million, as the screen below shows:

```

Concentration
▼
*GA: '0.04284_KG'
*GB: '7.6150000000002E-2_#KG'
*NA: '1.17495728301_MDL'
*NB: '4.22754118745_MDL'
▶MWA: '36.4609_G/MOL'
▶MWB: '18.0152_G/MOL'
▶WA: 36
▶WB: 64.00000000002
  VE: '0_KG/M^3'
  VS: '100_ML'
  PS: '1.19_G/ML'
→*MA: '1.17495728301_MDL/ML'
  *MA: '15.4274853336_MDL/ML#KG'
  *MA: '217484056578'
  *PPMA: 562499.999999
[KNOW] [WANT] [CLEAR] [PURGE] [CONV] [UP]

```

The screen above has been graphically expanded to reveal the entire list. To see all 17 variables on the calculator screen, you must scroll through the variable list.

### Tagging Variables

If you want to solve for only one variable in the list, you can “tag” it: Move the pointer to the variable you want to tag, press **[NEXT]** to display the additional softkeys for this screen, and press **[WANT]**. This places a “?” tag in front of the variable you want to solve for:

```

Concentration
▲
VE: '0_M^3'
GS: '0_KG'
▶VS: '100_ML'
▶PS: '1.19_G/ML'
→?MA: '0_MDL/M^3'
  MA: '0_MDL/KG'
  *A: 0
  *PPMA: 0
[KNOW] [WANT] [CLEAR] [PURGE] [CONV] [UP]

```

If you tag Ma (molarity) and press **[CALC]** the solver calculates for Ma only, rather than solving for the entire set. It is possible to tag more than one variable in the list.

### Plotting One Equation

Any equation in the equation library that is of the form:  $y = f(a, b, \dots)$  can be easily plotted using the General Chemistry Application Pac. To plot an equation, the dependent variable,  $y$  (on the left), and the desired independent variable,  $a$  or  $b$  or  $c$ , etc. (on the right), must be unknown (no triangular tag). However, all other variables must be known.

## Finding and Selecting the Equation

As an example, plot the titration curve (the pH versus the volume of added base) of the titration: 25\_ml of a 0.1\_mol/l strong acid with a 0.1\_mol/l strong base at 25°C. The equations that describe strong acid/strong base titrations are filed in the ACIDS/BASES category of the Equation Library, under the topic TITRATION (SA/SB). The equation screen for this topic is shown below:

```

Titration (SA/SB)
→'VE=CA/CE*VA'
'PH=-LOG(-(VB*CB-VA*CA)/(CE*(VA+...
'PH=-LOG(H)'
'CB=GB/(M*V)'
MAIN SELECT VARS PLOT SOLVE UP

```

Select the second equation in the list. This equation is written out below:

$$\text{pH} = -\text{LOG} \left[ \frac{-(V_b \cdot C_b - V_a \cdot C_a)}{2 \cdot (V_a + V_b)} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left( \left( \frac{V_b \cdot C_b - V_a \cdot C_a}{V_a + V_b} \right)^2 + 4 K_w \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right]$$

where:

Ca	acid concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Cb	base concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Va	volume of acid solution	1_m <sup>3</sup>
Vb	volume of base titrant	1_m <sup>3</sup>
Kw	water dissociation constant	1_mol <sup>2</sup> /m <sup>6</sup>
pH	pH value	1

## Tagging and Entering the Variables

To plot the titration curve (pH versus Vb), Ca, Cb, Va, and Kw must be tagged as known variables. Move the pointer to the second equation and press **SELECT**. Then press **SOLVE** to enter the values for the following known variables:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ca} &= 0.1\_ \text{mol/l} \\ \text{Cb} &= 0.1\_ \text{mol/l} \\ \text{Va} &= 25\_ \text{ml} \\ \text{Kw} &= 1.01 \times 10^{-14} \_ \text{mol}^2/\text{l}^2 \end{aligned}$$

Use the **CONV** softkey to change the units of Vb to \_ml for the plot.

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With these four variables entered, return to the equations screen by pressing **EQNS**. Move the pointer to the second equation and press **PLOT**. Since this equation is of the proper form, and all but  $V_b$  has been specified on the right hand side, it may be plotted.

## Entering the X and Y Coordinates

The first prompt asks whether you want to erase the previous plot and reset the axes, **YES**, or whether you want the new plot drawn over any existing graphics already on the screen, **NO**. To continue with this example, at the prompt enter **YES** to clear all previous plots from the screen.

Now enter the minimum and maximum x coordinates for the graph, starting with the x range as  $x_1$   $x_2$ . Type the coordinates for the plot on the same line, separated by a space (use the **SPC** key). Plot between 0 and 50 milliliters of added base, since this is approximately twice the equivalent volume:

```

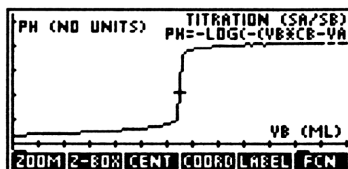
{ HOME GCHEMD }                                PRG
Enter horizontal range
for Va (ml):
<Min> <Max>
↓
←SKIP←SKIP→ ←DEL DEL→ INS ▣ ↑STK

```

At the next prompt, enter the y axis limits in the same format. For this example, plot from -3 to 16, to ensure that all portions of the plot are visible. If you press **ENTER** without typing in the y axis limits, the calculator autoscales the plot.

**NOTE: When the independent variable has units of °C or °F, plots may not autoscale correctly.**

Once the x and y axes limits are entered, press **ENTER**. After several minutes of working time, the calculator draws the following plot:





## Plotting Speed

The calculator takes approximately 10 minutes to draw this plot (plus an additional three minutes if autoscaling is desired). The plotting speed is limited by the HP 48SX unit manager. **If the units are turned off** (by pressing **UNIT** at the solver screen) **the plot takes only 40 seconds** (plus 10 seconds for autoscaling).

However, as described earlier in this chapter under “Managing Units,” when you turn off units, all user entered values are converted to SI units.

Therefore, when you enter the x-axis coordinates, you need to enter them as “0 0.000050” to account for concentration units of  $\text{m}^3$  instead of  $\text{ml}$ . The plot will also be displayed in SI units.

## Softkeys for the Plot Function

The softkeys shown in the above plot are plot function keys in the HP 48SX. For example, pressing **COORD** displays the (x,y) coordinates of any point on the screen indicated by the cursor. For a description of the behavior of the plot function softkeys, see Chapter 18 of the *HP 48SX Owner's Manual*.

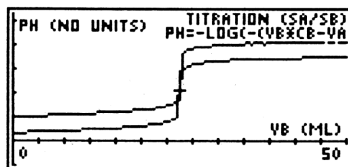
Note that the **SLOPE** and **F** keys, inside the HP 48SX **FCN** submenu, are supported by the General Chemistry Application Pac only when SI units are used (units are off).

You can remove the softkeys from the plot to expose more of the graph by pressing **NXT** **NXT** and **KEYS**. Press **ATH** to interrupt the plotting of an equation or to return to the equation screen.

## Plotting Multiple Equations

For comparison purposes, you may want to plot the same variables in an equation to a new parameter. To do this, simply answer **NO** to the “clear plot first?” prompt after you have pressed **PLOT**.

For example, suppose you're interested in plotting a family of titration curves on the previous graph, except with lower concentrations of acid and base solutions ( $\text{Ca} = 0.001 \text{ mol/l}$  and  $\text{Cb} = 0.001 \text{ mol/l}$ ). First, return to the solver screen and enter the new values for Cb and Ca. Then, go to the equations screen, move the pointer to the pH titration equation, and press **PLOT**. At the prompt, press **NO**. The new graph will plot over the previous one, as shown:



There is no limit to the number of times your equation can be plotted on the current axis. However, the HP 48SX plot/graphics function keys support only the most recent plot.

## What You Should Know About the Solver

As you have seen in the examples in this chapter, the Sparcom solver allows you to easily specify the values and units of your equation or set of equations before sending the data to the HP 48SX numerical root-finder. For the selected equation(s), the solver screen lists all the variables, shows whether they are known (triangular tag), unknown (no tag), wanted ("?" tag), or already calculated (\*); and whether units are on or off.

Once you set these parameters, pressing **CALC** activates the HP 48SX root-finder to calculate the solution(s). The root-finder requires an initial value on which to base its search. You can provide a “guess” for the calculator to use, or the solver will provide the root-finder “guess” value of 1. The root-finder then generates pairs of intermediate values and interpolates between them to find the solution. The time required to find the root depends on how close the initial guess is to the actual solution.

## Speeding Up Computing Time

You can speed up computing time by providing the calculator a “guess” value close to the expected solution. At the variables screen, enter your guess value into the “unknown” variable. The variable will then be tagged as “known” (triangle). Press the **KNOW** softkey to toggle the variable back to “unknown” (no tag). Now press **CALC**.

## “Bad Guess” Message

If the calculator displays the message, “Bad Guess(es),” after you press the **CALC**

softkey, it indicates an error has been made in setting up the problem. Go back through the set up process and check for errors in specifying data.

## Equations with Multiple Roots

It is advisable to provide “guesses” for the unknown variables in equations containing multiple roots. For example, the positive root of a cubic equation is desired when solving for the  $H^+$  concentration in a weak acid. A guess near the desired solution will minimize the chance that the positive root will be missed in lieu of one of the negative roots.

See Chapter 17 of the *HP 48SX Owner's Manual* for a detailed discussion on using the root finder or HP's solver function.

## Loading Values from the Stack

There are two methods of entering a value into the Sparcom solver directly from the calculator stack:

**First Method:** At the HOME screen make sure the value you want is on level one of the stack. Press **GCAP**, then select RESUME SOLVING to return to the equation set you're working with. At the variables screen, move the pointer to the variable that will incorporate the value currently on the stack and press **ENTER**. A prompt message asks you to enter the value. Press **☐** **+/-** to reveal the command line editing keys. Pressing **↑** **STK** displays the value in a limited version of the HP 48SX's interactive stack. Press **ECHO** then **ENTER**. This takes you back to the “enter value” prompt message. Press **ENTER** again to reveal the solver screen, showing the value incorporated into the selected variable and tagged as “known.”

**Second Method:** Alternatively, store the desired value into a global variable in the GCHEMD directory under the same name as the equation variable. When the solver is entered, it will automatically recall the value and load it into the selected equation variable.

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## Sparcom's GCHEMD Directory

When you plug in the General Chemistry Application Pac for the first time, the software creates its own directory, GCHEMD, in the HOME directory of

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the HP 48SX. ALL operations performed by the software take place in the GCHEMD directory. It is, therefore, the only place where global variables are created or purged by the solver level. If you purge this directory by mistake, it will be recreated in its entirety. However, all the values that you have stored in the software memory will be lost.

The variables created in the GCHEMD directory and their functions are described below:

**GCpar** The parameter GCpar is utilized to provide a direct path from the main menu to the solver level. GCpar is created (or rewritten) whenever the equation, solver, or variable levels of the Equation Library is exited. The three possible exit routes that trigger a GCpar update are: 1) Pressing **ATN** to quit the General Chemistry Pac and exit to the calculator stack, 2) Pressing **UP** to return to the topic level, or 3) Pressing **MAIN** to return to the main menu level

**RXNS** Contains user defined reactions. To eliminate all reactions, this variable may be purged. It is recreated whenever a new reaction is built

**SPEC** Contains user-defined species stored in the Species Library. To eliminate all species, this variable may be purged. It is recreated whenever a new species is added

### **SPECCODE**

Contains the index of the last species added to the Species Library. User modification or deletion of this variable will corrupt the reaction and species libraries

### **USRSYMB**

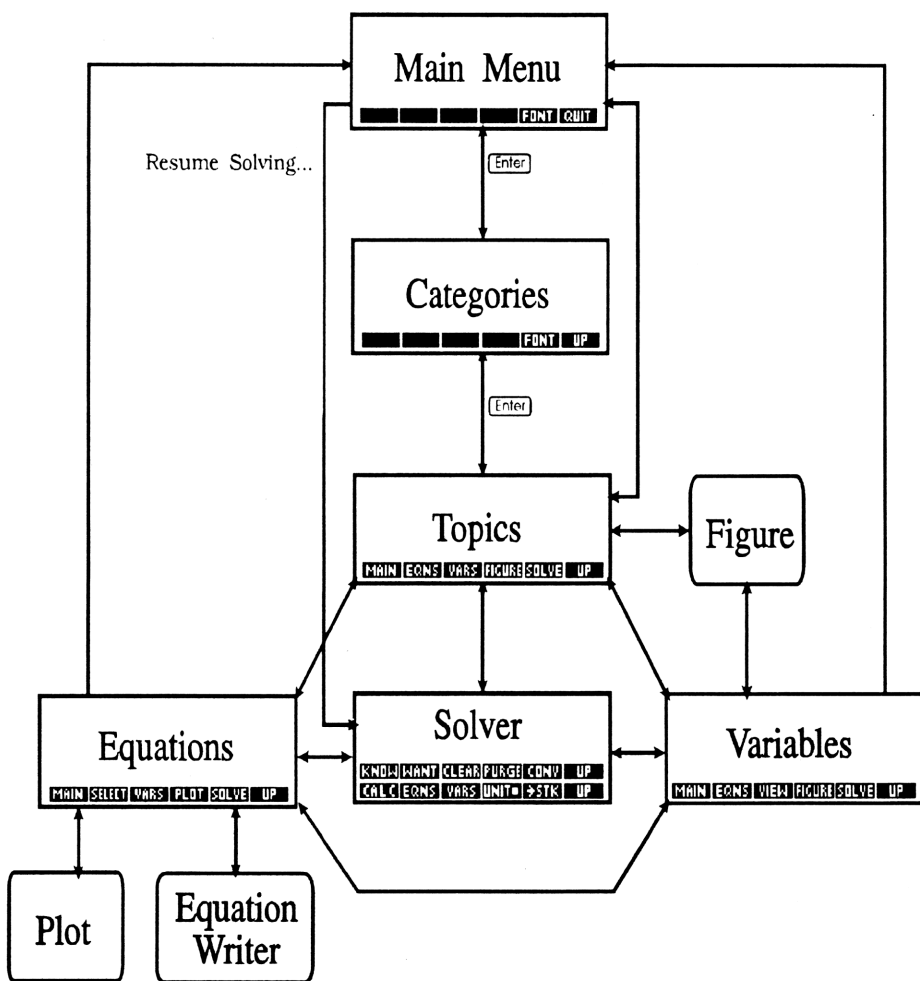
Contains user-defined chemical symbols

### **USRATWTS**

Contains user-defined atomic weights

## Equation Library Structure

The following figure diagrams the basic flow and function of each level of the Equation Library and Sparcom's solver interface. On the following page, the softkeys available at each level are explained in more detail.



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## Summary of Softkeys

- CALC** Stores all variable values and iterates through the set of selected equations in an attempt to find values for all wanted variables. After completion of the solver process, the user is returned to the solver level, where newly found variables are marked with “\*”.
- CLEAR** Resets the values of the current variable set to zero.
- EQNS** Enters the equation level of the current topic.
- FIGURE** Displays a figure for the currently selected topic or displays “No figure”.
- FONT** Toggles between small and medium display fonts of the HP 48SX.
- KNOW** Toggles the currently selected variable between known and unknown, adding or removing the triangular tag.
- MAIN** Returns to the main menu.
- PLOT** Prompts the user for x-axis and y-axis values (with option for autoscale y). This feature only works for equations of the form  $y = f(a, b, \dots)$  where y and one variable on the right are unknown.
- PURGE** Purges the global copies (in the GCHEMD directory) of the current variable set displayed in the solver level.
- QUIT** Exits the General Chemistry Application Pac.
- SELECT** Marks or unmarks the currently selected equation with the triangular tag. Only variables in the marked equations will appear in the solver and variable levels. If no equations are selected, all will be used.
- SOLVE** Enters the solver level of the current topic.
- ↑STK** Copies selected entry to calculator stack.
- UNIT** Toggle key. Indicates that units are on.

- UNITS** Toggle key. Indicates units are off. When off, all variables are assumed to be SI if entered with no units or are converted to SI units.
- UP** Moves up one level in the software menu structure.
- VAR** Enters the variable level for the current topic.
- VIEW** Displays the full text entry for a variable description or value if the description is too wide to fit on the screen.
- WANT** Toggles the currently selected variable between wanted and not wanted, adding or removing the symbol "?". If no variables are marked "wanted," all variables are assumed to be wanted.
- ENTER** Prompts for the value of the currently selected variable. If the selected variable already contains a value, that value is copied to the command line for editing. Pressing **ATH** clears the command line, or returns you to the variables screen if the command line is already empty.
- ATH** Generally used to exit a function or application.

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# Equation Library

### In This Chapter

The Equation Library for the General Chemistry Application Pac contains over 150 equations organized into seven main categories, each containing one or more topics. Each topic includes a description, an equation or set of equations, a complete list of variables, a set of units for all variables, and a working example. The examples in this chapter often give results in units different from the SI units used by the software. To match the printed results with those shown on the calculator, convert the units using the procedure described in Chapter 1. Some of the equation sets also include a figure to illustrate the topic more fully.

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Atoms/Molecules | <input type="checkbox"/> Thermo/Electrochemistry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Solids/Liquids  | <input type="checkbox"/> Precipitation           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gases           | <input type="checkbox"/> Kinetics                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Acids/Bases     |  |

In the Equation Library, the following constants are used:

$\pi$	$\pi$
g	Acceleration due to gravity
R	Universal gas constant
NA	Avogadro's number
c	Velocity of light
h	Planck's constant
k	Boltzmann's constant
q	Electron charge
$R_{\infty}$	Rydberg's constant
ao	Bohr radius
$\sigma$	Stefan-Boltzmann
F	Faraday constant

## Atoms/Molecules

In this category, equations relating to the fundamental relationships of elements and molecules are contained in the following topics:

- Mass/Mole/Atom
- Light
- Quantum
- Hydrogen Energy
- s, p, d and f Orbitals
- Diatomic Moment
- Symmetrical Moment

### Mass/Mole/Atom

These equations relate the mass of a sample to its number of moles and number of atoms.

$$1) n = \frac{ga}{MWT} \qquad 2) Natoms = NA \cdot n$$

Variable	Description	Units
n	number of moles	1_mol
ga	mass of sample	1_kg
MWT	molecular weight of sample	1_kg/mol
Natoms	number of atoms	1

**Example:** How many atoms and moles are contained in a 45\_lb sample of iron (molecular weight = 55.847\_g/mol)?

#### Given

$$ga = 45\_lb$$

$$MWT = 55.847\_g/mol$$

#### Result

$$n = 365.5\_mol$$

$$Natoms = 2.201E26$$

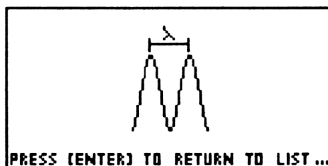
## Light

These equations relate the frequency, wavelength, photon energy, and wavenumber of light.

$$1) \lambda = \frac{c}{\gamma}$$

$$2) E = h \cdot \gamma$$

$$3) nubar = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$



Variable	Description	Units
$\lambda$	wavelength	1_m
$\gamma$	frequency	1_Hz
E	photon energy	1_J
nubar	wavenumber	1_1/m

**Example:** Calculate the frequency, photon energy, and wavenumber of light from a He-Ne laser ( $\lambda = 6328_{\text{\AA}}$ ).

**Given**

$$\lambda = 6328_{\text{\AA}}$$

**Result**

$$\gamma = 4.738 \text{ E}14_{\text{ Hz}}$$

$$E = 3.139 \text{ E-}19_{\text{ J}}$$

$$\text{nubar} = 15803_{\text{ 1/cm}}$$

## Quantum

Two fundamental equations of quantum mechanics are included here. The first equation relates the de Broglie wavelength of a particle to its momentum, and the second equation relates particle mass to its inherent energy.

$$1) \lambda l = \frac{h}{m \cdot v} \quad 2) E = m \cdot c^2$$

Variable	Description	Units
$\lambda l$	de Broglie wavelength	1_m
m	mass	1_kg
v	velocity	1_m/s
E	energy	1_J
h	Planck's constant	1_J·s
c	speed of light	1_m/s

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**Example:** What is the de Broglie wavelength of a 1.0\_oz bullet moving at 600\_ft/s? What is the bullet's inherent energy ?

### Given

$$m = 1.0\_oz$$

$$v = 600\_ft/s$$

### Result

$$\lambda l = 1.28 \text{ E-}25\_nm$$

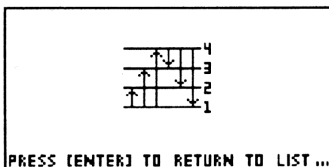
$$E = 2.55 \text{ E}15\_J$$

## Hydrogen Energy

These equations relate the energy, wavelength, and frequency of transition to their initial and final quantum numbers in a one-electron atom.

$$1) E = \frac{-R_{\infty} \cdot Z^2}{n_i^2} \quad 2) \Delta E = -R_{\infty} \cdot Z^2 \cdot \left( \frac{1}{n_f^2} - \frac{1}{n_i^2} \right)$$

$$3) \gamma = \frac{\Delta E}{h} \quad 4) \lambda l = \frac{c}{\gamma}$$



Variable	Description	Units
E	energy	1_J
Z	nuclear charge	1
n <sub>i</sub>	initial quantum number	1
n <sub>f</sub>	final quantum number	1
ΔE	energy change	1_J
γ	frequency	1_Hz
λl	wavelength	1_m

**Example:** What is the wavelength and frequency of the blue emission line (n<sub>f</sub> = 2 and n<sub>i</sub> = 4) in the Balmer series of hydrogen? Use all four equations.

### Given

$$Z = 1$$

$$n_i = 4$$

$$n_f = 2$$

### Result

$$E = -1.36 \text{ E-}19\_J$$

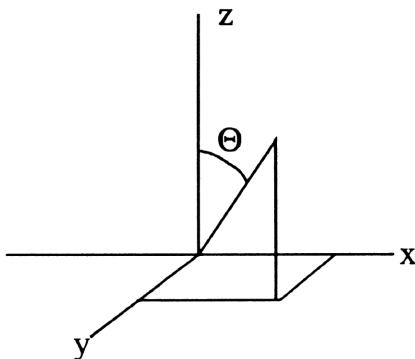
$$\Delta E = -4.09 \text{ E-}19\_J$$

$$\gamma = 6.17 \text{ E}14\_Hz$$

$$\lambda l = 486\_nm$$

## s,p,d and f Orbitals

These equations describe the angular and radial portions of the Schrodinger one-electron atom. They are grouped by azimuthal quantum number (s, p, d or f). Note that the wavefunction,  $\varphi_{nlm}$ , is given by:  $\varphi_{nlm} = R_{nl} \cdot X_{lm}$ . The normalization constant given below is provided for reference only and guarantees that the integrated probability over all space is unity.



$$\rho = \frac{2 \cdot Z \cdot r}{a_0}$$

### Radial Functions:

$$(1s) \quad R_{10} = R_{10} = Z^{3/2} \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{2}{a_0^{3/2}}$$

$$(2s) \quad R_{20} = Z^{3/2} \cdot (2 - \rho) \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{2}}$$

$$(3s) \quad R_{30} = Z^{3/2} \cdot (6 - 6 \cdot \rho + \rho^2) \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 9 \cdot \sqrt{3}}$$

$$(4s) \quad R_{40} = Z^{3/2} \cdot (24 - 36 \cdot \rho + 12 \cdot \rho^2 - \rho^3) \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

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$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 96}$$

$$(2p) \quad R_{21} = Z^{3/2} \cdot \rho \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{6}}$$

$$(3p) \quad R_{31} = Z^{3/2} \cdot (4 - \rho) \cdot \rho \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 9 \cdot \sqrt{6}}$$

$$(4p) \quad R_{41} = Z^{3/2} \cdot (20 - 10 \cdot \rho + \rho^2) \cdot \rho \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 32 \cdot \sqrt{15}}$$

$$(3d) \quad R_{32} = Z^{3/2} \cdot \rho^2 \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 9 \cdot \sqrt{30}}$$

$$(4d) \quad R_{42} = Z^{3/2} \cdot (6 - \rho) \cdot \rho^2 \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 96 \cdot \sqrt{5}}$$

$$(4f) \quad R_{43} = Z^{3/2} \cdot \rho^3 \cdot e^{-\rho/2}$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{a_0^{3/2} \cdot 96 \cdot \sqrt{35}}$$

## Angular Wave Functions

$$(s) \quad X_{ml} = X_{00} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \sqrt{2}$$

$$(p) \quad X_{10} = \cos(\Theta)$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \sqrt{6}$$

$$(p) \quad X_{11} = \text{SIN}(\Theta) \quad \text{constant} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \sqrt{3}$$

$$(d) \quad X_{20} = 3 \cdot \text{COS}^2(\Theta) - 1 \quad \text{constant} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \sqrt{10}$$

$$(d) \quad X_{21} = \text{SIN}(\Theta) \cdot \text{COS}(\Theta) \quad \text{constant} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \sqrt{15}$$

$$(d) \quad X_{22} = \text{SIN}^2(\Theta) \quad \text{constant} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \sqrt{15}$$

$$(f) \quad X_{30} = \frac{5}{3} \cdot \text{COS}^3(\Theta) - \text{COS}(\Theta)$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \sqrt{14}$$

$$(f) \quad X_{31} = \text{SIN}(\Theta) \cdot (5 \cdot \text{COS}^2(\Theta) - 1)$$

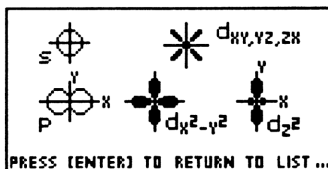
$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{8} \cdot \sqrt{42}$$

$$(f) \quad X_{32} = \text{SIN}^2(\Theta) \cdot \text{COS}(\Theta)$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \sqrt{105}$$

$$(f) \quad X_{33} = \text{SIN}^3(\Theta)$$

$$\text{constant} = \frac{1}{8} \cdot \sqrt{70}$$



Variable	Description	Units
$\rho$	normalized distance	1

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r	distance from nuclei	1_m
Z	nuclear charge	1
R10	1s radial function	1
R20	2s radial function	1
R30	3s radial function	1
R40	4s radial function	1
R21	2p radial function	1
R31	3p radial function	1
R41	4p radial function	1
R32	3d radial function	1
R42	4d radial function	1
R43	4f radial function	1
X10	p (m = 0) angular function	1
X11	p (m = 1) angular function	1
X20	d (m = 0) angular function	1
X21	d (m = 1) angular function	1
X22	d (m = 2) angular function	1
X30	f (m = 0) angular function	1
X31	f (m = 1) angular function	1
X32	f (m = 2) angular function	1
X33	f (m = 3) angular function	1
$\Theta$	azimuthal angle	1_°
ao	Bohr radius*	1_m

\* Bohr radius is defined as 5.2917706E-11\_m and is not entered by the user.

**Example:** At what distance from the hydrogen atom ( $Z = 1$ ) is the first node in the 3s radial function? There are two nodes in the 3s radial function. The easiest way to solve this problem is to plot the 3s function versus  $\rho$ , find  $\rho$  at the first node, then solve for r.

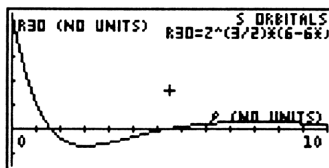
After entering  $Z = 1$ , plot the R30 function (in s orbitals) from  $\rho = 0$  to  $\rho = 10$ , as shown below (autoscale y):

$$x1 = 0$$

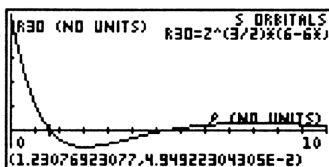
$$x2 = 10$$

autoscale y





Move the cursor to the first node and press **COORD** to display the (x,y) coordinates of the node. This yields:

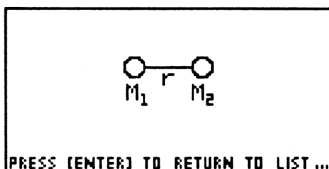


The first node occurs at  $\rho = 1.23$ . Pressing **ATN** returns to the EQNS screen. Press **SOLVE** to go to the solver screen. Enter  $\rho = 1.23$  and press **CALC**. The result of the calculation is  $r = 0.033$  nm.

## Diatomic Moment

The first equation in this subtopic relates the moment of inertia of a diatomic molecule to its molecular geometry. The second equation relates the rotational constant to the moment of inertia.

$$I = \frac{1}{NA} \cdot \left( \frac{m_1 \cdot m_2}{m_1 + m_2} \right) \cdot r^2 \qquad B = \frac{h}{8\pi^2 \cdot I \cdot c}$$



Variable	Description	Units
I	moment of inertia	1_kg · cm <sup>2</sup>
m1	mass of 1	1_kg/mol
m2	mass of 2	1_kg/mol
r	internuclear distance	1_m
B	rotational constant	1_1/cm

## Equation Library

**Example:** What is the moment of inertia and rotational constant of HCl? Assume the interatomic distance between H and Cl to be 1.27460 Å, and get the gram molecular weight from the Periodic Table function.

### Given

$$m1 = 1.00797 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$m2 = 35.453 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$r = 1.27460 \text{ Å}$$

### Result

$$I = 2.644\text{E-}40 \text{ g} \cdot \text{cm}^2$$

$$B = 10.59 \text{ cm}^{-1}$$

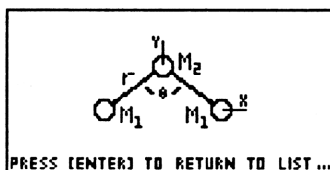
## Symmetrical Moment

These equations relate the moment of inertia of a bent symmetrical molecule to the internuclear geometry.

$$I_x = \left( \frac{2}{NA} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{m1 \cdot m2}{2 \cdot m1 + m2} \right) \cdot r^2 \cdot \cos^2 \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$

$$I_y = \left( \frac{2}{NA} \right) \cdot m1 \cdot r^2 \cdot \sin^2 \left( \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$

$$I_z = I_x + I_y$$



Variable	Description	Units
Iy	moment of inertia about y	1_kg·m^2
Ix	moment of inertia about x	1_kg·m^2
Iz	moment of inertia about z	1_kg·m^2
m1	mass of 1	1_kg/mol
m2	mass of 2	1_kg/mol
r	internuclear distance	1_m
Θ	bond angle	1_°

**Example:** What is the moment of inertia of water?

### Given

$$r = 0.96 \text{ Å}$$

$$m1 = 1.0079 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$m2 = 15.9994 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$\Theta = 104.9 \text{ °}$$

### Result

$$I_x = 1.02\text{E-}40 \text{ g} \cdot \text{cm}^2$$

$$I_y = 1.94\text{E-}40 \text{ g} \cdot \text{cm}^2$$

$$I_z = 2.96\text{E-}40 \text{ g} \cdot \text{cm}^2$$

## Solids/Liquids

The following topics contain equations describing characteristics of solids and liquids.

- Heat Capacity
- Blackbody Radiation
- Equation of State
- Bragg Law
- Born-Haber Cycle
- Melting Point
- Concentration
- Raoult's Law
- BP/FP (Colligative)
- Molarity/Dilution
- Clausius Clapeyron
- Capillary Rise

### Heat Capacity

The Einstein and Debye models of solids yield equations which predict heat capacity at different temperatures. These two equations are included here.

$$\text{Einstein: } C_{vE} = 3 \cdot R \cdot \left( \frac{\Theta_e}{T} \right)^2 \cdot \frac{e^{-(\Theta_e/T)}}{(1 - e^{-(\Theta_e/T)})^2}$$

$$\text{*Debye: } C_{vD} = 9 \cdot R \cdot \left( \frac{T}{\Theta_d} \right)^3 \cdot \int_0^{(\Theta_d/T)} x^4 \cdot e^x \cdot dx \cdot \frac{1}{(e^x - 1)^2}$$

\*This equation can take several minutes to solve. Note that given a single heat capacity at a certain temperature, it is not possible to solve uniquely for the Debye or Einstein temperatures. Both the Debye and Einstein temperatures are defined by the equation:  $\Theta = h \nu_m/k$ .

Variable	Description	Units
$C_{vE}$	Einstein heat capacity	$1 \text{ J}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{K})$
$C_{vD}$	Debye heat capacity	$1 \text{ J}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{K})$
$\Theta_e$	Einstein characteristic temperature	$1 \text{ K}$
$\Theta_d$	Debye characteristic temperature	$1 \text{ K}$
$T$	temperature	$1 \text{ K}$

**Example:** The Debye characteristic temperature of Pb is  $\Theta_d = 88 \text{ K}$ . Estimate the heat capacity of Pb at  $20 \text{ K}$  and  $25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ . First enter  $\Theta_d$  and  $T = 20 \text{ K}$ , and solve for  $C_{vD}$ . Next enter  $T = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  and solve again for  $C_{vD}$ .

## Equation Library

### Given

$$\Theta d = 88\_K$$

$$T = 20\_K$$

$$T = 25\_°C$$

### Result

$$CvD = 11.1\_J/(mol \cdot K) @ 20\_K$$

$$CvD = 24.8\_J/(mol \cdot K) @ 25\_°C$$

## Blackbody Radiation

The equations which describe the emission at various frequencies and the total emission of an ideal blackbody are shown below:

$$E_{\gamma} = \frac{8\pi \cdot h \cdot \gamma^3}{c^3 \cdot (e^{h \cdot \gamma / k \cdot T} - 1)}$$

$$ET = \sigma \cdot T^4$$

Variable	Description	Units
$E_{\gamma}$	energy density	1_J · s/m <sup>3</sup>
ET	total energy density	1_W/m <sup>3</sup>
T	absolute temperature	1_K
$\gamma$	frequency	1_Hz

**Example:** What is the total output of a radiating surface at 5000\_K? At what frequency does emission fall to zero?

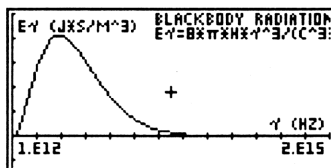
### Given

$$T = 5000\_K$$

### Result

$$ET = 35439500\_W/m^2$$

To solve the second part of the problem, set  $T = 5000\_K$  and plot  $E_{\gamma}$  versus  $\gamma$  over a wide range of frequencies (this example uses 1E12\_Hz to 2E15\_Hz), as shown:



Move the cursor to the low frequency and high frequency intersection (where intensity is zero) and press **COORD**. This displays the approximate coordinates of the low frequency limit of  $\sim 8.7E12\_Hz$  and the high frequency limit of  $\sim 1.2E15\_Hz$ . Note that a more accurate determination of the intercept may be obtained by using a more expanded graph.

## Equation of State

This equation is general to solids and relates volume, pressure and temperature.

$$VTP = V_o \cdot (1 + \alpha_s \cdot (t_2 - 0_{\text{°C}})) \cdot (1 - \rho_s \cdot (p_2 - 1_{\text{atm}}))$$

Variable	Description	Units
VTP	volume at any temperature & pressure	1_m^3
V <sub>o</sub>	reference volume	1_m^3
α <sub>s</sub>	thermal expansion coefficient	1_1/K
t <sub>2</sub>	temperature	1_K
ρ <sub>s</sub>	compressibility coefficient	1_1/Pa
p <sub>2</sub>	pressure	1_Pa

**Example:** A 1.000\_cm<sup>3</sup> solid has a coefficient of expansion of α<sub>s</sub> = 1.03E-4\_1/K and a compressibility coefficient of ρ<sub>s</sub> = 2.86E-6\_1/atm. What is the volume at 360\_°F and pressure of 1800\_psi?

### Given

$$\begin{aligned} V_o &= 1.000_{\text{cm}^3} \\ \alpha_s &= 1.03\text{E-}4_{\text{1/K}} \\ \rho_s &= 2.86\text{E-}6_{\text{1/atm}} \\ t_2 &= 360_{\text{°F}} \\ p_2 &= 1800_{\text{psi}} \end{aligned}$$

### Result

$$VTP = 1.02_{\text{cm}^3}$$

## Bragg Law

The Bragg diffraction law describes the diffraction that occurs when electromagnetic radiation impinges on planes of atoms separated by a distance d.

$$\text{SIN}(\Theta) = \frac{n \cdot \lambda d}{2 \cdot d}$$

Variable	Description	Units
Θ	diffraction angle	1_°
n	order	1
λ <sub>d</sub>	wavelength	1_m
d	distance between planes	1_m

**Example:** At what angle does the (hkl = 100) first-order diffraction occur when Cu  $\alpha$  radiation ( $\lambda = 1.44 \text{ \AA}$ ) impinges on NaCl ( $d = 5.627 \text{ \AA}$ )?

**Given**

$$d = 5.627 \text{ \AA}$$

$$n = 1$$

$$\lambda = 1.44 \text{ \AA}$$

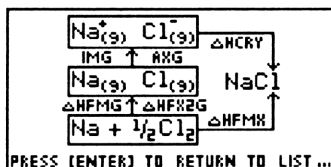
**Result**

$$\Theta = 7.35^\circ$$

## Born-Haber Cycle

Lattice energies in a salt are difficult to measure. However, they may be calculated from other thermodynamic quantities by means of the Born-Haber Cycle.

$$\Delta H_{fmx} = \Delta H_{cry} + \Delta H_{fmg} + \frac{1}{2} \Delta H_{fx2g} + I_{mg} + A_{xg}$$



Variable	Description	Units
$\Delta H_{fmx}$	heat of formation of mx	1_J/mol
$\Delta H_{cry}$	heat of crystallization of mx	1_J/mol
$\Delta H_{fmg}$	heat of formation of gaseous m	1_J/mol
$\Delta H_{fx2g}$	heat of formation of gaseous x2	1_J/mol
$I_{mg}$	ionization energy of m	1_J/mol
$A_{xg}$	electron affinity of x	1_J/mol

**Example:** Given the energies of each step in the Born-Haber Cycle, calculate the heat of formation of NaCl (s).

**Given**

$$\Delta H_{cry} = -779.0 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

$$\Delta H_{fmg} = 108.4 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

$$\Delta H_{fx2g} = 243.3 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

$$I_{mg} = 495.7 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

$$A_{xg} = -367.7 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

**Result**

$$\Delta H_{fmx} = -421.0 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

## Melting Point

This equation is the integrated form of the Clapyron equation and relates the melting point at any temperature to pressure.

$$P_2 = P_1 \cdot \left( \frac{\Delta H_{fus}}{\Delta V_{fus}} \right) \cdot LN \left( \frac{T_{2m}}{T_{1m}} \right)$$

Variable	Description	Units
P2	pressure	1_Pa
P1	reference pressure	1_Pa
$\Delta H_{fus}$	heat of fusion	1_J/mol
$\Delta V_{fus}$	volume change upon fusion	1_m^3/mol
T1m	reference melting point	1_K
T2m	new melting point	1_K

**Example:** What is the melting point of water under 3400\_atm, given the values of  $\Delta H_{fus}$  and  $\Delta V_{fus}$  below ?

### Given

$$P_2 = 3400\_atm$$

$$P_1 = 1.0\_atm$$

$$\Delta H_{fus} = 1.4363\_kcal/mol$$

$$T_{1m} = 273.16\_K$$

$$\Delta V_{fus} = -1.61\_cm^3/mol$$

### Result

$$T_{2m} = 249.1\_K$$

## Concentration

The concentration of a solute in a solution is often given in molarity (mol/l), molality (mol/kg), mole fraction (no units), and parts-per-million (no units). In the case of a solute “a” dissolved in a solvent “b”, the following equations relate these concentrations to various parameters of the solution.

$$1) \quad g_s = g_a + g_b$$

$$2) \quad m_a = \frac{n_a}{g_b}$$

$$3) \quad n_a = \frac{g_a}{MWT_a}$$

$$4) \quad x_a = \frac{n_a}{n_a + n_b}$$

$$5) \quad g_a = w_a \cdot \frac{g_s}{100}$$

$$6) \quad w_a + w_b = 100$$

## Equation Library

$$7) gb = wb \cdot \frac{gs}{100}$$

$$8) nb = \frac{gb}{MWTb}$$

$$9) gs = vs \cdot \rho s$$

$$10) ppma = \frac{ga \cdot 1E6}{gb}$$

$$11) Ma = \frac{na}{vs}$$

$$12) gb = vb \cdot \rho b$$

Variable	Description	Units
ga	mass solute	1_kg
gb	mass solvent	1_kg
na	moles solute	1_mol
nb	moles solvent	1_mol
MWTa	molecular weight solute	1_kg/mol
MWTb	molecular weight solvent	1_kg/mol
wa	weight % solute	1
wb	weight % solvent	1
$\rho b$	pure solvent density	1_kg/m <sup>3</sup>
vb	volume of solvent	1_m <sup>3</sup>
gs	mass solution	1_kg
vs	volume solution	1_m <sup>3</sup>
$\rho s$	density solution	1_kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Ma	molarity solution	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
ma	molality solution	1_mol/kg
xa	mole fraction solution	1
ppma	solute concentration	1

**Example 1:** Calculate the molality of Br<sup>-</sup> in a 1000\_g solution containing 4600 ppm of the ion.

### Given

$$gb = 1000_g$$

$$MWTa = 79.904_g/mol$$

$$ppma = 4600$$

### Result

$$ma = 5.8E-2_mol/kg$$

**Example 2:** Given that the density of a solution of 5.0\_g of toluene and 225.0\_g benzene is 0.876\_g/mol, calculate the solution concentration in: a) molarity, b) mole fraction, and c) weight percentage.

### Given

$$ga = 5.0_g$$

### Result

$$Ma = 0.206_mol/l$$



$$\begin{aligned} gb &= 225.0\_g & xa &= .0185 \\ MWTa &= 92.1402\_g/mol & wa &= 2.17 \\ \rho_s &= 0.876\_g/ml \\ MWTb &= 78.1134\_g/mol \end{aligned}$$

Other variables solved for are:

$$\begin{aligned} na &= 0.054\_mol & gs &= 0.23\_kg \\ nb &= 2.88\_mol & vs &= 0.263\_l \\ wb &= 97.8 & ma &= 0.24\_mol/kg \\ & & ppma &= 22222.2 \end{aligned}$$

## Raoult's Law

When non-volatile solutes are added to a liquid solvent, the vapor pressure is lowered. The relationship which describes the vapor pressure lowering of a solvent, b, by the addition of a solute, a, is called Raoult's Law.

$$1) P = xb \cdot Pin \quad 2) \Delta P = -xa \cdot Pin \quad 3) \Delta P = P - Pin$$

$$4) na = \frac{ga}{MWTa} \quad 5) nb = \frac{gb}{MWTb} \quad 6) xa = \frac{na}{na + nb}$$

$$7) xb = \frac{nb}{na + nb} \quad 8) xa = 1 - xb$$

Variable	Description	Units
P	solvent partial pressure	1_Pa
xb	solvent mole fraction	1
Pin	solvent initial pressure (pure)	1_Pa
$\Delta P$	pressure difference	1_Pa
xa	solute mole fraction	1
na	moles of solute	1_mol
ga	mass of solute	1_kg
MWTa	molecular weight of solute	1_kg/mol
MWTb	molecular weight of solvent	1_kg/mol
nb	moles of solvent	1_mol
gb	mass of solvent	1_kg

**Example:** Calculate the vapor pressure lowering caused by the addition of 100\_g sucrose ( $C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}$ ) to 1000\_g of water if the initial vapor pressure of water at 25\_°C is 23.8\_torr.

## Equation Library

### Given

$P_{in} = 23.8\_torr$   
 $g_a = 100\_g$   
 $MW_{Ta} = 342.2992\_g/mol$   
 $MW_{Tb} = 18.0152\_g/mol$   
 $g_b = 1000\_g$

### Result

$\Delta P = -0.125\_torr$   
 $P = 23.68\_torr$   
 $x_a = 5.24 \times 10^{-3}$   
 $n_a = 0.292\_mol$   
 $x_b = 0.995$

## BP/FP (Colligative)

When a non-volatile soluble material is added to a solvent, the freezing point of the solvent is lowered and the boiling point is raised. The following equations describe this behavior.

$$1) \Delta T_b = K_b \cdot m_a$$

$$2) m_a = \frac{n_a}{g_b}$$

$$3) n_a = \frac{g_a}{MW_{Ta}}$$

$$4) \Delta T_f = -K_f \cdot m_a$$

Variable	Description	Units
$\Delta T_b$	boiling point elevation	1_K
$K_b$	ebullioscopic constant	1_K·kg/mol
$m_a$	solute concentration in molality	1_mol/kg
$n_a$	moles of solute	1_mol
$g_b$	mass of solvent	1_kg
$g_a$	mass of solute	1_kg
$MW_{Ta}$	molecular weight of solute	1_kg/mol
$\Delta T_f$	freezing point depression	1_K
$K_f$	cryoscopic constant	1_K·kg/mol

Note that once calculated, the values of  $\Delta T_b$  and  $\Delta T_f$  may not be converted into other temperature values. When entering a value for  $\Delta T_f$ , it must be negative.

**Example:** What is the freezing point depression and boiling point elevation of a solution composed of 100\_g ethylene glycol ( $C_2H_6O_2$ ) in 900\_g water?

### Given

$K_b = 0.52\_K \cdot kg/mol$   
 $g_b = 900\_g$   
 $g_a = 100\_g$   
 $MW_{Ta} = 62\_g/mol$   
 $K_f = 1.86\_K \cdot kg/mol$

### Result

$\Delta T_b = 0.932\_^{\circ}C$   
 $m_a = 1.79\_mol/kg$   
 $n_a = 1.61\_mol$   
 $\Delta T_f = -3.33\_^{\circ}C$

## Molarity/Dilution

The following equations relate the final concentration of solute to the initial concentration after dilution.

$$1) M_i = \frac{na}{V} \qquad 2) na = \frac{ga}{MWTa} \qquad 3) V_f \cdot M_f = V_i \cdot M_i$$

Variable	Description	Units
$M_i$	initial concentration, Molarity	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
$na$	moles of solute	$1 \text{ mol}$
$V_i$	initial volume	$1 \text{ m}^3$
$ga$	mass of solute	$1 \text{ kg}$
$MWTa$	molecular weight of solute	$1 \text{ kg/mol}$
$V_f$	final volume	$1 \text{ m}^3$
$M_f$	final concentration	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
$V$	solution volume	$1 \text{ m}^3$

**Example:** 4.5060\_g of NaOH is added to a 250.00\_ml volumetric flask. 10.00\_ml of this solution is then diluted to 500.00\_ml in a second volumetric flask. What is the final concentration?

### Given

$$\begin{aligned} ga &= 4.5060 \text{ g} \\ MWTa &= 39.99707 \text{ g/mol} \\ V &= 250.00 \text{ ml} \\ V_i &= 10.00 \text{ ml} \\ V_f &= 500 \text{ ml} \end{aligned}$$

### Result

$$\begin{aligned} M_i &= 0.4506 \text{ mol/l} \\ M_f &= 9.013 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol/l} \\ na &= 0.1127 \text{ mol} \end{aligned}$$

## Clausius Clapyron

The Clausius Clapyron equation relates the vapor pressure of a liquid to temperature.

$$\ln \left( \frac{P}{P_0} \right) = \frac{\Delta H_v}{R} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{T_0} - \frac{1}{T} \right)$$

Variable	Description	Units
$P$	vapor pressure	$1 \text{ Pa}$
$\Delta H_v$	heat of vaporization	$1 \text{ J/mol}$
$T_0$	reference temperature	$1 \text{ K}$
$T$	temperature	$1 \text{ K}$
$P_0$	reference vapor pressure	$1 \text{ Pa}$

## Equation Library

**Example:** The vapor pressure of white phosphorus has the values: P at (76.6°C) = 1.0\_mmHg, P at (197.3\_°C) = 100.0\_mmHg. Calculate the heat of vaporization of liquid phosphorus.

### Given

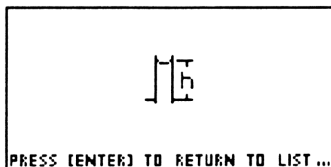
$$\begin{aligned}P_o &= 1.0\_mmHg \\T_o &= 76.6\_°C \\P &= 100.0\_mmHg \\T &= 197.3\_°C\end{aligned}$$

### Result

$$\Delta H_v = 12.47 \text{ kcal/mol}$$

## Capillary Rise

These equations describe the capillary rise phenomenon observed with fluids. The first equation is an approximate equation, assuming no interaction between the capillary surface and the liquid ( $\Theta = 0\_°$ ), and no edge effects. The second equation includes these contributions.



$$h = \frac{2 \cdot \gamma_l}{\rho_l \cdot g \cdot r}$$

$$hex = \frac{2 \cdot \gamma_l \cdot \cos(\Theta)}{(\rho_l - \rho_v) \cdot g \cdot r} - \frac{r}{3}$$

Variable	Description	Units
h	capillary rise	1_m
$\gamma_l$	surface tension	1_N/m
$\rho_l$	liquid density	1_kg/m^3
r	capillary radius	1_m
$\Theta$	meniscus angle	1_°
$\rho_v$	vapor density	1_kg/m^3
hex	capillary rise (exact)	1_m

**Example:** A capillary ( $r = 0.100\_mm$ ) is inserted into a fluid ( $\gamma_l = 46.0\_dyn/cm$ ) with a density of  $1.06\_g/cm^3$ . The contact angle is measured to be  $76\_°$  and the vapor has a density of  $1.0\_g/l$ . What is the predicted capillary rise using the simple and exact expressions?

### Given

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_l &= 46.0\_dyn/cm \\ \rho_l &= 1.06\_g/cm^3 \\ r &= 0.10\_mm\end{aligned}$$

### Result

$$\begin{aligned}h &= 88.5\_mm \\ hex &= 21.4\_mm\end{aligned}$$

$$\Theta = 76_{\text{°}}$$

$$\rho_V = 1.0_{\text{g/l}}$$

## Gases

The equations in this topic describe the pressure, temperature, and volume relationships of ideal and non-ideal gases as well as kinetic and collision theory.

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|-----------------------|---------------------|
| ■ Ideal Gas           | ■ Van der Waals Gas |
| ■ State Changes       | ■ Kinetic Theory    |
| ■ Gas Over Water      | ■ Graham's Law      |
| ■ Barometric Equation | ■ Collision Theory  |

### Ideal Gas

An "ideal" gas behaves according to the equations below.

$$1) P = \frac{n \cdot R \cdot T}{V} \quad 2) n = \frac{mg}{MWT} \quad 3) \rho = \frac{mg}{V}$$

Variable	Description	Units
P	pressure	1_Pa
n	moles of gas	1_mol
T	temperature	1_K
V	volume	1_m^3
mg	mass of gas	1_kg
MWT	molecular weight	1_kg/mol
$\rho$	density	1_kg/m^3

**Example:** A 2.889\_g sample of gas with unknown molecular weight expands to 933\_ml at a pressure of 735\_mmHg and at a temperature of 31\_°C. Assuming ideal gas behavior, what is its molecular weight?

#### Given

$$P = 735_{\text{mmHg}}$$

$$V = 933_{\text{ml}}$$

$$T = 31_{\text{°C}}$$

$$mg = 2.889_{\text{g}}$$

#### Result

$$n = 3.62 \times 10^{-2}_{\text{mol}}$$

$$\rho = 3.09 \times 10^{-2}_{\text{g/cm}^3}$$

$$MWT = 79.9_{\text{g/mol}}$$

## State Changes

For an ideal gas undergoing a change in pressure, temperature, volume, or mass (a state change), the following equations apply.

(complete state change)

$$1) \frac{P_1 \cdot V_1}{n_1 \cdot T_1} = \frac{P_2 \cdot V_2}{n_2 \cdot T_2}$$

$$2) \frac{P_1 \cdot V_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2 \cdot V_2}{T_2} \quad (n \text{ constant})$$

$$3) P_1 \cdot V_1 = P_2 \cdot V_2 \quad (n, T \text{ constant})$$

$$4) \frac{P_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2}{T_2} \quad (n, V \text{ constant})$$

$$5) \frac{V_1}{T_1} = \frac{V_2}{T_2} \quad (P, n \text{ constant})$$

$$6) P_1 \cdot V_1 = n_1 \cdot R \cdot T_1$$

$$7) P_2 \cdot V_2 = n_2 \cdot R \cdot T_2$$

Note: The first five equations are not independent relations. To solve a problem using this equation set, first select the appropriate equations (n constant, P and V constant, etc.).

Variable	Description	Units
P1	initial pressure	1_Pa
V1	initial volume	1_m^3
n1	initial moles	1_mol
T1	initial temperature	1_K
P2	final pressure	1_Pa
V2	final volume	1_m^3
n2	final moles	1_mol
T2	final temperature	1_K

**Example:** A 45.0\_ml sample of gas at 246\_°C and 1.68\_mmHg is compressed and cooled to 36.0\_ml and 25\_°C. What is the final pressure?

To solve this problem, select the second equation and press **SOLVE** (since moles remain constant in this problem). Then:

**Given**

$$P1 = 1.68\_mmHg$$

$$V1 = 45\_ml$$

$$T1 = 246\_°C$$

$$V2 = 36\_ml$$

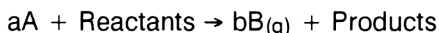
$$T2 = 25\_°C$$

**Result**

$$P2 = 1.21\_mmHg$$

**Gas Over Water**

Consider the general chemical reaction:

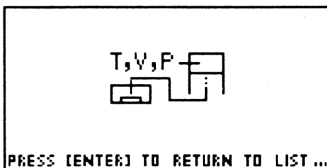


Often, the gaseous product is collected by displacing liquid from a graduated cylinder filled with water. The following equations relate the volume, temperature, pressure, and number of moles of gas to the quantity of reactant consumed in the reaction. Note that the vapor pressure of water at the temperature of collection,  $P_w$ , must be included to account for the partial pressure of water vapor in the graduated cylinder.

$$1) \quad na = \frac{a}{b} \cdot nb \qquad 2) \quad nb = \frac{gb}{MWTb} \qquad 3) \quad na = \frac{ga}{MWTa}$$

$$4) \quad Pb \cdot V = nb \cdot R \cdot T \qquad 5) \quad nt = nb + nw$$

$$6) \quad Pt = Pb + Pw \qquad 7) \quad Pt \cdot V = nt \cdot R \cdot T$$



Variable	Description	Units
na	moles a	1_mol
a	a coefficient, reactant	1
b	b coefficient, gaseous product	1
nb	moles b	1_mol
gb	mass b	1_kg
MWTb	molecular weight b	1_kg/mol

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ga	mass a	1_kg
MW <sub>Ta</sub>	molecular weight a	1_kg/mol
P <sub>b</sub>	partial pressure of gas	1_Pa
V	collected gas volume	1_m^3
T	temperature	1_K
nt	total moles collected	1_mol
n <sub>w</sub>	moles of water collected	1_mol
P <sub>t</sub>	total pressure	1_Pa
P <sub>w</sub>	water partial pressure	1_Pa

**Example:** Consider the decomposition of CaCO<sub>3</sub> according to the reaction:



When 4.6\_g of CaCO<sub>3</sub> decomposes, what volume of gas is collected at 1.0\_atm and 26\_°C? Note that the partial pressure of water at 26\_°C is 25.0\_torr. Use all seven equations.

### Given

$$a = b = 1$$

$$\text{MW}_{Tb} = 44.0098 \text{ g/mol (CO}_2\text{)}$$

$$\text{MW}_{Ta} = 100.0892 \text{ g/mol (CaCO}_3\text{)}$$

$$g_a = 4.6 \text{ g}$$

$$T = 26 \text{ °C}$$

$$P_t = 1.0 \text{ atm}$$

$$P_w = 25.00 \text{ torr}$$

### Result

$$V = 1.17 \text{ l}$$

$$n_b = 4.60 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol}$$

$$g_b = 2.02 \times 10^{-3} \text{ kg}$$

$$P_b = 0.967 \text{ atm}$$

$$n_a = 4.60 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol}$$

$$n_t = 4.75 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol}$$

$$n_w = 1.56 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$$

## Barometric Equation

The barometric equation describes the variation in pressure and concentration of a gas above sea level.

$$1) P = P_0 \cdot \text{EXP} \left( \frac{-MWT \cdot g \cdot h}{R \cdot T} \right)$$

$$2) C_0 = \frac{P_0}{R \cdot T}$$

$$3) C = \frac{P}{R \cdot T}$$



Variable	Description	Units
P	pressure at height, h	1_Pa
Po	reference pressure	1_Pa
MWT	molecular weight of gas	1_kg/mol
h	height above sea level	1_m
T	temperature	1_K
Co	reference concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
C	concentration at height, h	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>

**Example:** What is the pressure and concentration of air (average molecular weight = 29\_g/mol) at a height of 1.0\_km above sea level? Plot the pressure of air versus height above sea level (Assume T is 75°F).

**Given**

Po = 1.0\_atm  
 MWT = 29\_g/mol  
 h = 1\_km  
 T = 75\_°F

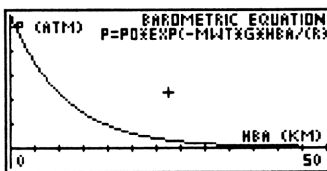
**Result**

P = 0.89\_atm  
 Co = 4.1 E-2\_mol/l  
 C = 3.6 E-2\_mol/l

Plotting the barometric equation yields:

x1 = 0\_km  
 x2 = 50\_km

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## Van der Waal Gases

The Van der Waals equation is a semi-empirical equation of state for a non-ideal gas:

$$1) \rho = \frac{n \cdot R \cdot T}{V - n \cdot b} - \frac{n^2 \cdot a}{V^2}$$

$$2) Z = P \cdot \frac{V}{n \cdot R \cdot T}$$

$$3) T_c = \frac{8 \cdot a}{27 \cdot b \cdot R}$$

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$$4) V_c = 3 \cdot n \cdot b$$

$$5) P_c = \frac{a}{27 \cdot b^2}$$

$$6) n = \frac{ga}{MWT}$$

Variable	Description	Units
p	pressure of gas	1_Pa
n	moles of gas	1_mol
V	volume of gas	1_m ^ 3
T	absolute temperature	1_K
a	Van der Waal's constant (attractive)	1_m ^ 6 · Pa/mol ^ 2
b	Van der Waal's constant (repulsive)	1_m ^ 3/mol
Z	compressibility factor	1
T <sub>c</sub>	critical temperature	1_K
V <sub>c</sub>	critical volume	1_m ^ 3
P <sub>c</sub>	critical pressure	1_Pa
ga	mass of gas	1_kg
MWT	molecular weight of gas	1_kg/mol

**Example:** A 8000\_g sample of nitrogen (N<sub>2</sub>) is compressed in a vessel to 100\_l at 300\_°C. What is the pressure?

### Given

$$T = 300_°C$$

$$V = 100_l$$

$$b = 0.03913_l/mol$$

$$a = 1.390_l^2 \cdot atm/mol^2$$

$$ga = 8000_g$$

$$MWT = 28.0134_g/mol$$

### Result

$$p = 139.9_atm$$

$$n = 285.7_mol$$

$$Z = 1.04$$

$$T_c = 128.3_K$$

$$V_c = 33.54_l$$

$$P_c = 33.6_atm$$

## Kinetic Theory

The velocity distribution of gas molecules is expressed by Maxwell-Boltzman statistics. Equation 1 provides the probability that velocity is in the range of C to C + dC. The next three equations give net results of Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution function for all velocities: the most probable velocity (c<sub>mp</sub>), the average velocity (c<sub>avg</sub>) and the rms velocity (c<sub>rms</sub>).

$$1) fC = 4\pi \left( \frac{MWT}{2\pi \cdot R \cdot T} \right)^{3/2} \cdot C^2 \cdot \text{EXP} \left( \frac{-MWT \cdot C^2}{2 \cdot R \cdot T} \right) \cdot dC$$

$$2) cmp = \left( \frac{2 \cdot R \cdot T}{MWT} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$3) cavg = \left( \frac{8 \cdot R \cdot T}{\pi \cdot MWT} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$4) crms = \left( \frac{3 \cdot R \cdot T}{MWT} \right)^{1/2}$$

Variable	Description	Units
fC	probability that velocity is within dC	1
MWT	molecular weight of gas	1_kg/mol
T	absolute temperature	1_K
C	velocity of molecules	1_m/s
dC	velocity range	1_m/s
cmp	most probable velocity	1_m/s
cavg	average velocity	1_m/s
crms	root mean-square velocity	1_m/s

**Example:** What is the average velocity of an oxygen molecule at 300\_K? Use equation 3.

**Given**

$$MWT = 31.9988\_g/mol$$

$$T = 300\_K$$

**Result**

$$cavg = 395\_m/s$$

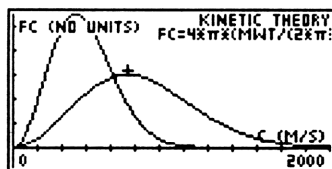
For an oxygen molecule, plot the velocity distribution at T = 300\_K and T = 1000\_K (assume dC = 1\_m/s) . This yields:

$$x1 = 0$$

$$x2 = 2000$$

$$y1 = 6.0 \text{ E-}4$$

$$y2 = 3 \text{ E-}3$$



Note that the maximum shifts from  $C = 400$  m/s to  $C = 707$  m/s with the increase in temperature.

## Grahams' Law

Thomas Graham discovered (in 1830) that the effusion rate of gases was inversely proportional to the square root of the masses.

$$f = \left( \frac{MWT_2}{MWT_1} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$f = \frac{r_1}{r_2}$$

Variable	Description	Units
f	enrichment factor	1
MWT2	molecular weight of gas 2	1 kg/mol
MWT1	molecular weight of gas 1	1 kg/mol
r1	rate of effusion of gas 1	1 m <sup>3</sup> /s
r2	rate of effusion of gas 2	1 m <sup>3</sup> /s

**Example:** What is the enrichment factor of nitrogen compared to oxygen?

Given	Result
MWT2 = 28.0134 g/mol	f = 0.9357
MWT1 = 31.9988 g/mol	

## Collision Theory

The Maxwell Boltzman distribution function leads to the following collision and transport parameters (see Adamson, 1979 for a detailed description).

$$1) \text{cavg} = \left( \frac{8 \cdot R \cdot T}{\pi \cdot MWT} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$2) n = \frac{NA \cdot P}{R \cdot T}$$

$$3) Z = \frac{1}{4 \cdot NA} \cdot n \cdot \text{cavg}$$

$$4) Z1 = \frac{2 \cdot d^2 \cdot \left( \left( \frac{\pi \cdot R \cdot T}{MWT} \right)^{1/2} \right) \cdot n^2}{NA}$$

$$5) \lambda mfp = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} \cdot \pi \cdot d^2 \cdot n}$$

$$6) D = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \text{cavg} \cdot \lambda mfp$$

$$7) \rho = \frac{MWT \cdot P}{R \cdot T}$$

$$8) \eta = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \rho \cdot \text{cavg} \cdot \lambda mfp$$

$$9) n = \frac{\rho \cdot NA}{MWT}$$

Variable	Description	Units
cavg	average velocity	1_m/s
T	absolute temperature	1_K
MWT	molecular weight	1_kg/mol
n	particle density	1_1/m^3
P	pressure	1_Pa
Z	surface collision frequency	1_mol/(m^2·s)
Z1	bimolecular collision frequency	1_mol/(m^3·s)
d	collision diameter	1_m
λmfp	mean free path	1_m
D	self diffusion coefficient	1_m^2/s
ρ	density of gas	1_kg/m^3
η	viscosity coefficient	1_kg/(m·s)

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**Example:** Calculate the surface collision frequency, bimolecular collision frequency, mean free path, and viscosity coefficient of O<sub>2</sub> (Molecular weight = 31.9988 g/mol) at 25 °C.

### Given

$$P = 1.0 \text{ atm}$$

$$T = 25 \text{ °C}$$

$$\text{MWT} = 31.9988 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$d = 3.61 \text{ Å}$$

### Result

$$c_{\text{avg}} = 444 \text{ m/s}$$

$$n = 2.46 \text{ E}19 \text{ 1/cm}^3$$

$$Z = 0.454 \text{ mol}/(\text{cm}^2 \cdot \text{s})$$

$$Z_1 = 1.29 \text{ E}5 \text{ mol}/(\text{cm}^3 \cdot \text{s})$$

$$\lambda_{\text{mfp}} = 701 \text{ Å}$$

$$D = 0.156 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

$$\rho = 1.31 \text{ E-}3 \text{ g/cm}^3$$

$$\eta = 2.04 \text{ E-}4 \text{ g}/(\text{cm} \cdot \text{s})$$

## Acids/Bases

In this category, the pH of solutions of strong acids and bases, weak acids and bases, and titration curves are included.

- pH Function
- Strong Acids
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- Henderson-Hasselbach
- Titration (SA/SB)
- Titration (SB/SA)
- Titration (WA/SB)
- Titration (WB/SA)

Note that in the equation library, SA indicates a strong acid, SB a strong base, WB a weak base, and WA a weak acid. Although it is common to denote concentrations of ions in solution with brackets, i.e  $[H^+]$ , this notation is not supported by the HP 48SX. Therefore, all concentrations are enclosed by parenthesis.

### pH Function

The following equations define pH, pOH, pKb, pKa and pKw for aqueous systems. Note that in all cases, concentrations used in the “p” function must be in moles/liter. Concentrations in SI or other units are converted to moles/liter prior to the calculation.

$$1) \text{pH} = -\text{LOG} (H) \qquad 2) \text{pOH} = -\text{LOG} (OH)$$

$$3) \text{pKw} = -\text{LOG} (Kw) \qquad 4) \text{pKa} = -\text{LOG} (Ka)$$

$$5) \text{pKb} = -\text{LOG} (Kb) \qquad 6) Kw = Ka \cdot Kb$$

$$7) Kw = H \cdot OH$$

Variable	Description	Units
H	hydrogen ion concentration	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
OH	hydroxide ion concentration	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
Kw	water dissociation constant	$1 \text{ mol}^2/\text{m}^6$
Ka	acid dissociation constant	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
Kb	base dissociation constant	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
pH	pH function	1
pOH	pOH function	1
pKw	pKw function	1
pKa	pKa function	1

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pKb                      pKb function                      1

**Example:** The hydrogen ion concentration in a sample ( $H^+$ ) = 0.01 mol/l at 25 °C. What is pH, pOH and OH? Use equations 1, 2, 3 and 7.

### Given

$$H = 0.01 \text{ mol/l}$$

$$K_w = 1.01 \times 10^{-14} \text{ mol}^2/\text{l}^2$$

### Result

$$pH = 2$$

$$OH = 1.01 \times 10^{-12} \text{ mol/l}$$

$$pOH = 12.0$$

$$pK_w = 14.0$$

## Strong Acids

This set of equations defines the concentration of hydrogen ion and the resulting pH made by dissolving a strong acid in water.

$$H = n \cdot \frac{ga}{MWT_a \cdot V}$$

$$pH = -\text{LOG}(H)$$

Variable	Description	Units
H	hydrogen ion concentration	1 mol/m <sup>3</sup>
ga	mass of acid	1 kg
MWT <sub>a</sub>	molecular weight of acid	1 kg/mol
V	volume of solution	1 m <sup>3</sup>
pH	pH function	1
n	Number of hydrogen ions per molecule	1

**Example:** 0.50 g of a diprotic acid (MWT = 98.0734 g/mol) is dissolved in 100 ml of water. What is the pH?

### Given

$$ga = 0.50 \text{ g}$$

$$V = 100 \text{ ml}$$

$$MWT_a = 98.0734 \text{ g/mol}$$

$$n = 2$$

### Result

$$H = 0.101 \text{ mol/l}$$

$$pH = 0.991$$

## Strong Bases

This set of equations defines the concentration of hydroxide ion and the resulting pH made by dissolving a strong base in water.



$$1) OH = n \cdot \frac{gb}{MWTb \cdot V}$$

$$2) H = \frac{Kw}{OH}$$

$$3) pH = -\text{LOG}(H)$$

Variable	Description	Units
OH	hydroxide ion concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
H	hydrogen ion concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
gb	mass of base	1_kg
MWTb	molecular weight of base	1_kg/mol
V	volume of solution	1_m <sup>3</sup>
pH	pH function	1
Kw	water dissociation constant	1_mol <sup>2</sup> /m <sup>6</sup>
n	Number of hydroxide ions per molecule	1

**Example:** 4.5617\_g of primary standard NaOH (MWT = 39.99707\_g/mol) is dissolved in a 500\_ml volumetric flask. What is the pH?

**Given**

$$gb = 4.5617\_g$$

$$MWTb = 39.99707\_g/mol$$

$$V = 500\_ml$$

$$Kw = 1.01 \times 10^{-14}\_mol^2/l^2$$

$$n = 1$$

**Result**

$$pH = 13.35$$

$$H = 4.43 \times 10^{-14}\_mol/l$$

$$OH = 0.228\_mol/l$$

**Weak Acids/Bases**

These six equations allow calculation of pH for a solution composed of a weak acid or a weak base.

$$1) H^3 + Ka \cdot H^2 - (Ca \cdot Ka + Kw) \cdot H - Ka \cdot Kw = 0$$

$$2) OH^3 + Kb \cdot OH^2 - (Cb \cdot Kb + Kw) \cdot OH - Kb \cdot Kw = 0$$

$$3) Kw = H \cdot OH$$

$$4) pH = -\text{LOG}(H)$$

$$5) Ca = \frac{ga}{MWT \cdot V}$$

$$6) Cb = \frac{gb}{MWT \cdot V}$$

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Variable	Description	Units
Ca	acid concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Cb	base concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Ka	acid dissociation constant	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Kb	base dissociation constant	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Kw	water dissociation constant	1_mol <sup>2</sup> /l <sup>2</sup>
H	hydrogen concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
OH	hydroxide concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
pH	pH value	1
ga	mass of acid	1_kg
gb	mass of base	1_kg
MWT	molecular weight	1_kg/mol
V	primary standard volume	1_l

**Example:** 0.3862 grams of iodic acid, HIO<sub>3</sub> (K<sub>a</sub> = 0.162), is dissolved in 1.0 liter of water. What is the pH? Use equations 3-5.

### Given

$$ga = 0.3862\_g$$

$$Ka = 0.162\_mol/l$$

$$V = 1.0\_l$$

$$MWT = 175.9106\_g/mol$$

$$Kw = 1.01 \times 10^{-14}\_mol^2/l^2$$

### Result

$$Ca = 2.20 \times 10^{-3}\_mol/l$$

$$H = 2.17 \times 10^{-3}\_mol/l$$

$$pH = 2.66$$

Note that when solving for the hydrogen ion concentration, it is important to seed the solver properly to ensure that the positive root is found.

## Henderson-Hasselbach

Henderson-Hasselbach is an approximate expression relating the observed pH of a solution composed of a weak acid and its conjugate base.

$$1) Ca = \frac{ga}{MWTa \cdot V}$$

$$2) Ccb = \frac{gb}{MWTb \cdot V}$$

$$3) pKa = -LOG(Ka)$$

$$4) pH = pKa - LOG\left(\frac{Ca}{Ccb}\right)$$

Variable	Description	Units
Ca	acid concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
ga	mass acid	1_kg
MWTa	acid molecular weight	1_kg/mol

V	volume	1_kg/m ^ 3
Ccb	base concentration	1_mol/m ^ 3
gb	mass base	1_kg
MWTb	molecular weight of base	1_kg/mol
pKa	pKa function	1
Ka	acid dissociation constant	1_mol/m ^ 3
pH	pH value	1

**Example:** 0.45 grams of NaCH<sub>3</sub>COCOO are placed in a beaker known to contain 100\_ml of 0.01\_mol/l acetic acid. What is the resulting pH? (The Ka of acetic acid is  $1.78 \times 10^{-5}$ \_mol/l).

**Given**

$$\begin{aligned} gb &= 0.45\_g \\ MWTb &= 110.04467\_g/mol \\ V &= 100\_ml \\ Ca &= 0.01\_mol/l \\ Ka &= 1.78 \times 10^{-5}\_mol/l \end{aligned}$$

**Result**

$$\begin{aligned} pKa &= 4.75 \\ Ccb &= 4.09 \times 10^{-2}\_mol/l \\ pH &= 5.36 \end{aligned}$$

Note that the Henderson-Hasselbach equation is valid when the acid to base concentration is  $10 < \text{acid/base} < 0.1$ .

**Titration (SA/SB)**

The following equations describe the pH of a solution obtained when a sample of strong monoprotic acid is titrated with a monoprotic strong base.

$$1) V_e = \frac{Ca}{Cb} \cdot Va$$

$$2) pH = -\text{LOG} \left( \frac{-(Vb \cdot Cb - Va \cdot Ca)}{2 \cdot (Va + Vb)} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left( \left( \frac{Vb \cdot Cb - Va \cdot Ca}{Va + Vb} \right)^2 + 4 Kw \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right)$$

$$3) pH = -\text{LOG} (H) \quad 4) Cb = \frac{gb}{MWT \cdot V}$$

Variable	Description	Units
Ca	acid concentration	1_mol/m ^ 3
Cb	base (titrant) concentration	1_mol/m ^ 3
Ve	equilibrium volume	1_m ^ 3
Va	volume of acid solution	1_m ^ 3

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Vb	volume of base titrant	1_m ^ 3
Kw	water dissociation constant	1_mol ^ 2/m ^ 6
H	hydrogen ion concentration	1_mol/m ^ 3
pH	pH value	1
gb	mass of base primary standard	1_Kg
MWT	molecular weight of base	1_kg/mol
V	primary standard volume	1_m ^ 3

**Example:** A primary standard solution was made by adding 0.3986\_g of NaOH (MWT = 39.99707\_g/mol) to 1.000\_l of water. A 100\_ml acid sample of unknown concentration was titrated to an equivalent point of 49.68\_ml at 25\_°C. What is the concentration of acid and predict the pH curve expected for such a titration.

### Given

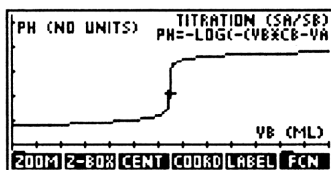
gb = 0.3986\_g  
 MWT = 39.99707\_g/mol  
 V = 1.000\_l  
 Kw =  $1.01 \times 10^{-14}$ \_mol<sup>2</sup>/l<sup>2</sup>  
 Ve = 49.68\_ml  
 Va = 100\_ml

### Result

Ca =  $4.951 \times 10^{-3}$ \_mol/l  
 Cb =  $9.966 \times 10^{-3}$ \_mol/l

With Ca and Cb calculated and tagged as knowns, you may plot pH versus the volume of added base, Vb, as shown (after changing Vb to ml):

x1 = 0\_ml  
 x2 = 100\_ml  
 y1 = -3  
 y2 = 16



## Titration (SB/SA)

The following equations describe the pH of a solution obtained when a sample of strong monoprotic base is titrated with a monoprotic strong acid.

$$1) V_e = \frac{C_b}{C_a} \cdot V_b$$

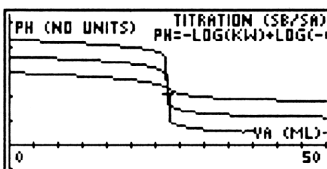
$$pH = -\text{LOG}(K_w) + \text{LOG} \left( \frac{-(V_a \cdot C_a - V_b \cdot C_b)}{2 \cdot (V_a + V_b)} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left( \left( \frac{V_a \cdot C_a - V_b \cdot C_b}{V_a + V_b} \right)^2 + 4 K_w \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right)$$

$$3) pH = -\text{LOG}(H)$$

$$4) C_a = \frac{ga}{MWT \cdot V}$$

Variable	Description	Units
Ca	concentration of acid titrant	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Cb	concentration of base	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Ve	equilibrium volume	1_m <sup>3</sup>
Va	volume of acid solution	1_m <sup>3</sup>
Vb	volume of base titrant	1_m <sup>3</sup>
Kw	dissociation constant of water	1_mol <sup>2</sup> /l <sup>2</sup>
H	hydrogen concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
pH	pH value	1
ga	mass primary standard	1_kg
MWT	molecular weight	1_kg/mol
V	primary standard volume	1_m <sup>3</sup>

**Example:** Plot the family of titration curves, starting with 25\_ml of 0.1, 0.001, and .00001\_mol/l of base, with identical concentrations of acid.



## Titration (WA/SB)

The following equations describe the concentration of H<sup>+</sup> in a solution made from a titration of a weak acid with volume of strong base.

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$$1) H^3 + \left( \frac{C_b \cdot V_b}{V_a + V_b} + K_a \right) \cdot H^2 - \left( \frac{C_a \cdot V_a - C_b \cdot V_b}{V_a + V_b} \cdot K_a + K_w \right) \cdot H$$

$$- K_a \cdot K_w = 0$$

$$2) V_b = V_a \cdot \frac{\left( \left( \frac{C_a \cdot K_a}{K_a + H} \right) - H + \frac{K_w}{H} \right)}{\left( C_b + H - \frac{K_w}{H} \right)}$$

$$3) pH = -\text{LOG}(H)$$

Note that the first two equations are equivalent. When solving for the hydrogen ion concentration, it is important to seed the solver properly to ensure that the positive root is found.

Variable	Description	Units
Ca	acid concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Cb	base (titrant) concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Ka	acid dissociation constant	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Kw	water dissociation constant	1_mol <sup>2</sup> /l <sup>2</sup>
Va	volume acid solution	1_m <sup>3</sup>
Vb	volume base titrant	1_m <sup>3</sup>
H	hydrogen concentration	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
pH	pH value	1

**Example:** What will be the pH of a 25\_°C solution made by mixing 25.0\_ml of 0.1\_mol/l HAc (Ka = 1.78 x 10<sup>-5</sup>\_mol/l) with 10.00\_ml of 0.10\_mol/l NaOH? How much does the pH change if 2.50\_ml of additional NaOH are added? 2.50\_ml more?

### Given

$$Ca = 0.1\_mol/l$$

$$Cb = 0.1\_mol/l$$

$$Kw = 1.01 \text{ E-}14\_mol^2/l^2$$

$$Ka = 1.78 \text{ E-}5\_mol/l$$

$$Va = 25.0\_ml$$

$$Vb = 10.0\_ml$$

### Result

$$10.0\_ml$$

$$H = 2.67 \times 10^{-5}\_mol/l$$

$$pH = 4.57$$

$$12.50\_ml$$

$$H = 1.78 \times 10^{-5}\_mol/l$$

$$pH = 4.75$$

$$15.0\_ml$$

$$H = 1.19 \times 10^{-5}\_mol/l$$

$$pH = 4.92$$

## Titration (WB/SA)

The following equations describe the concentration of  $H^+$  in a solution of a weak base titrated with a weak acid.

$$1) \quad OH^3 + \left( \frac{Ca \cdot Va}{Va + Vb} + Kb \right) \cdot OH^2 - \left( \frac{Cb \cdot Vb - Ca \cdot Va}{Va + Vb} \cdot Kb + Kw \right) \cdot OH - Kb \cdot Kw = 0$$

$$2) \quad Va = Vb \cdot \frac{\left( \left( \frac{Cb \cdot Kb}{Kb + OH} \right) - OH + \frac{Kw}{OH} \right)}{\left( Ca + OH - \frac{Kw}{OH} \right)}$$

$$3) \quad Kw = H \cdot OH$$

$$4) \quad pH = -\text{LOG}(H)$$

Note: Equations 1 and 2 are equivalent. When solving for the hydrogen ion concentration, it is important to seed the solver properly to ensure that the positive root is found.

Variable	Description	Units
Ca	concentration of acid titrant	1 mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Cb	concentration of base (titrant)	1 mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Kb	dissociation constant of base	1 mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Kw	water dissociation constant	1 mol <sup>2</sup> /l <sup>2</sup>
Va	volume of added titrant	1 m <sup>3</sup>
Vb	volume of base solution	1 m <sup>3</sup>
H	hydrogen concentration	1 mol/m <sup>3</sup>
OH	hydroxide concentration	1 mol/m <sup>3</sup>
pH	pH value	1

**Example:** 10.0 ml of 0.1 mol/l HCl is added to 30.0 ml of 0.1 mol/l NH<sub>4</sub>OH (K<sub>b</sub> = 1.80 x 10<sup>-5</sup> mol/l). What is the pH?

### Given

$$Ca = 0.100 \text{ mol/l}$$

$$Cb = 0.100 \text{ mol/l}$$

$$Kb = 1.80 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol/l}$$

$$Kw = 1.01 \text{ E-14 mol}^2/\text{l}^2$$

### Result

$$H = 2.81 \times 10^{-10} \text{ mol/l}$$

$$OH = 3.59 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol/l}$$

$$pH = 9.55$$

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$$V_a = 10.0\_ml$$

$$V_b = 30.0\_ml$$

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## Thermo/Electrochemistry

Seven topics in this category focus on thermal and thermodynamic properties, and electrochemical reactions.

- Heat Transfer
- Heat Engines
- Free Energy
- Thermodynamics
- Heat Capacity
- Nernst Law
- Reduction

### Heat Transfer

The following relations describe the heat flow equations which govern the flow of heat between two bodies of different temperatures with no phase change.

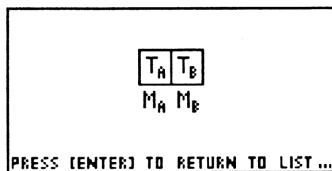
$$1) q_a = m_a \cdot c_{pa} \cdot (T_f - T_a) \qquad 2) q_b = m_b \cdot c_{pb} \cdot (T_f - T_b)$$

$$3) q_a = -q_b$$

$$4) T_f = \frac{m_b \cdot c_{pb} \cdot T_b + m_a \cdot c_{pa} \cdot T_a}{m_a \cdot c_{pa} + m_b \cdot c_{pb}}$$

$$5) c_{pa} = \frac{C_{pa}}{MWT_a}$$

$$6) c_{pb} = \frac{C_{pb}}{MWT_b}$$



Variable	Description	Units
q <sub>a</sub>	heat flow in or out of material a	1_J
q <sub>b</sub>	heat flow in or out of material b	1_J
m <sub>a</sub>	mass of a	1_kg
m <sub>b</sub>	mass of b	1_kg



cpa	specific heat of a	1_J/(kg·K)
cpb	specific heat of b	1_J/(kg·K)
Cpa	molar heat capacity of a	1_J/(mol·K)
Cpb	molar heat capacity of b	1_J/(mol·K)
Tf	final temperature	1_K
Ta	temperature of a	1_K
Tb	temperature of b	1_K
MW <sub>Ta</sub>	molecular weight of a	1_kg/mol
MW <sub>Tb</sub>	molecular weight of b	1_kg/mol

**Example:** Suppose a 20\_g block of copper at 90\_°C is placed in 100\_g of water at 25.0\_°C. What is the final temperature?

**Given**

cpa (copper) = 0.385\_J/(g·K)  
 ma = 20\_g  
 Ta = 90\_°C  
 cpb (water) = 4.184\_J/(g·K)  
 mb = 100\_g  
 Tb = 25\_°C

**Result**

qa = -491\_J  
 qb = 491\_J  
 Tf = 26\_°C

Cannot solve for MW<sub>Ta</sub>, MW<sub>Tb</sub>, Cpa, and Cpb.

## Heat Engines

The thermal efficiency and coefficient of performance for a thermodynamic heat engine are given by the equations below.

$$1) \eta = 1 - \frac{T_c}{T_h}$$

$$2) \text{Cop} = \frac{T_c}{T_h - T_c}$$

Variable	Description	Units
$\eta$	thermal efficiency	1
Cop	coefficient of performance	1
T <sub>c</sub>	temperature of cold reservoir	1_K
T <sub>h</sub>	temperature of hot reservoir	1_K

**Example:** What is the operating efficiency and coefficient of performance of an engine operating between a temperature of 459\_°F and 25\_°C?

**Given**

T<sub>h</sub> = 459\_°F  
 T<sub>c</sub> = 25\_°C

**Result**

$\eta$  = 0.42  
 Cop = 1.4

## Free Energy

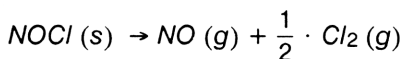
The following equations define free energy.

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T \cdot \Delta S$$

$$\Delta G = -R \cdot T \cdot \ln(\text{Keq})$$

Variable	Description	Units
$\Delta G$	free energy change	1_J/mol
$\Delta H$	enthalpy change	1_J/mol
T	temperature	1_K
$\Delta S$	entropy change	1_J/(mol·K)
Keq	equilibrium constant	1

**Example:** The reaction below has a  $\Delta H$  and a  $\Delta S$  of +37.6\_kJ/mol and 58.5\_J/mol·K at 25\_°C.



Is this a spontaneous reaction? If not, at what temperature is it spontaneous?

**Given**

$$\Delta H = 37.6\_kJ/mol$$

$$\Delta S = 58.5\_J/(mol \cdot K)$$

$$T = 25\_°C$$

**Result**

$$\Delta G = 20.2\_kJ/mol$$

$$\text{Keq} = 2.94042E-4$$

$$(\ln \text{Keq} = -8.13)$$

The reaction is non-spontaneous at 25\_°C, solving for the equilibrium temperature where  $\Delta G = 0$ .

**Given**

$$\Delta G = 0$$

$$\Delta H = 37.6\_kJ/mol$$

$$\Delta S = 58.5\_J/(mol \cdot K)$$

**Result**

$$T = 369\_°C$$

$$\text{Keq} = 1$$

$$(\ln \text{Keq} = 0)$$

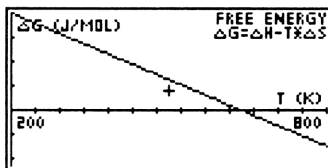
**Note: To solve this problem the temperature “T” must be “Unknown”**

$\Delta G$  vs. T is plotted below (Note: Temperature variable T must be converted to \_K before this plot is generated):

$$x1 = 200$$

$$x2 = 800$$

$$y = \text{autoscale}$$



## Thermodynamics

Empirical heat capacities are usually of the form given in the first equation. Enthalpy and entropies are obtained by simple integration over temperature.

$$1) C_p = A + B \cdot T + C \cdot T^2 + \frac{D}{T^2}$$

$$2) \Delta H = A \cdot T + \frac{B}{2} \cdot T^2 + \frac{C}{3} \cdot T^3 - \frac{D}{T} - H_{298}$$

$$3) \Delta S = 2.303 \cdot A \cdot \text{LOG}(T) + B \cdot T + \frac{C}{2} \cdot T^2 - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{D}{T^2} - S_{298}$$

Variable	Description	Units
Cp	heat capacity	1_J/(mol*K)
ΔH	enthalpy at T	1_J/mol
ΔS	entropy at T	1_J/(mol*K)
A	empirical constant	1_J/(mol*K)
B	empirical constant	1_J/(mol*K^2)
C	empirical constant	1_J/(mol*K^3)
D	empirical constant	1_J*K/mol
T	absolute temperature	1_K
H298	enthalpy at 298_K	1_J/mol
S298	entropy at 298_K	1_J/(mol*K)

**Example:** What is the heat capacity, enthalpy and entropy of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>(s) at 600\_K? The appropriate constants are given below:

### Given

$$A = 26.12_{\text{cal}}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{K})$$

$$B = 4.388 \times 10^{-3}_{\text{cal}}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}^2)$$

$$C = 0$$

$$D = -7.269 \times 10^5_{\text{cal}} \cdot \text{K}/\text{mol}$$

$$T = 600_{\text{K}}$$

$$H_{298} = 10.422_{\text{kcal}}/\text{mol}$$

### Results

$$C_p = 26.73_{\text{cal}}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{K})$$

$$\Delta H = 7.251_{\text{kcal}}/\text{mol}$$

$$\Delta S = 28.43_{\text{cal}}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{K})$$

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$$S_{298} = 142.03 \text{ cal}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{K})$$

## Heat Capacity

For any material, the following equations relate the difference in heat capacity at constant volume and pressure to fundamental parameters of the material.

$$\Delta C = \frac{\alpha^2 \cdot V \cdot T}{\epsilon}$$

$$\Delta C = C_p - C_v$$

Variable	Description	Units
$\Delta C$	heat capacity difference	1_J/(mol·K)
$\alpha$	expansion coefficient	1_1/K
V	molar volume	1_m^3/mol
T	temperature	1_K
$\epsilon$	compressibility coefficient	1_1/Pa
$C_p$	heat capacity (constant pressure)	1_J/(mol·K)
$C_v$	heat capacity (constant volume)	1_J/(mol·K)

**Example:** What is the difference in the heat capacities at constant volume and pressure for water at 25 °C?

### Given

$$\alpha = 2.07 \times 10^{-4} \text{ 1/K}$$

$$V = 18.087 \text{ cm}^3/\text{mol}$$

$$T = 25 \text{ °C}$$

$$\epsilon = 45.3 \times 10^{-6} \text{ 1/atm}$$

### Result

$$\Delta C = .517 \times 10^{-3} \text{ J}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{K})$$

## Nernst Law

The Nernst Law relates the electrode potential to the concentrations of materials in a reaction of the form:  $aA + bB \rightarrow cC + dD$ .

$$1) E = E_o - 2.303 \cdot \frac{RT}{n \cdot F} \cdot \text{LOG}(Q)$$

$$2) Q = \frac{(C)^c \cdot (D)^d}{(A)^a \cdot (B)^b}$$

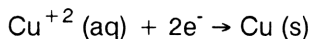
$$3) E_o = 2.303 \cdot \frac{RT}{n \cdot F} \cdot \text{LOG}(K)$$

$$4) \Delta G = -n \cdot F \cdot E$$

$$5) \Delta G_o = -n \cdot F \cdot E_o$$

Variable	Description	Units
E	cell potential	1_V
E <sub>o</sub>	standard cell potential	1_V
T	temperature	1_K
n	moles electrons	1
Q	reaction quotient	1
a,b,c,d	product/reactant coefficients	1
A,B,C,D	product/reactant concentrations	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
ΔG	free energy change	1_J/mol
ΔG <sub>o</sub>	standard free energy change	1_J/mol
K	equilibrium constant	1

**Example:** Calculate the half-potential, measured at 49 °C, for the reaction



if E<sub>o</sub> = 0.34\_V and [Cu<sup>+2</sup>] = 5.0\_mol/l.

#### Given

$$E_o = 0.34\_V$$

$$T = 49\_^{\circ}\text{C}$$

$$n = 2$$

$$A = 5$$

$$a = 1$$

$$B = C = D = 1$$

$$b = c = d = 0$$

#### Result

$$E = 0.36\_V$$

$$Q = 0.2$$

$$\Delta G = -16.7\_ \text{kcal/mol}$$

$$\Delta G_o = -15.7\_ \text{kcal/mol}$$

$$K = 4.3 \times 10^{10}$$

## Reduction

The following equations describe the quantity of *a* produced by electrolytic reduction for time *t* by the chemical equation: Reactant + *n* e<sup>-</sup> → *a*A.

$$1) Q = A \cdot t$$

$$2) ne = \frac{Q}{F}$$

$$3) na = \left(\frac{a}{n}\right) \cdot ne$$

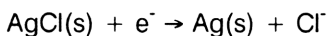
$$4) ma = MWTa \cdot na$$

Variable	Description	Units
Q	charge	1_C
A	current	1_A
t	time	1_s

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ne	moles of electrons	1_mol
na	moles of a produced	1_mol
a	coefficient of a	1
n	coefficient of n	1
ma	mass of a produced	1_kg
MWTa	molecular weight of a	1_kg/mol

**Example:** An electrolytic cell is constructed in which silver chloride is reduced to silver metal and chloride ion according to the reaction



A current of 50\_mA is passed through the cell for 4.5\_h. What is the mass of silver deposited?

### Given

$$t = 4.5\_h$$

$$A = 50.0\_mA$$

$$a = n = 1$$

$$\text{MWTa} = 107.87\_g/mol$$

### Result

$$Q = 810\_C$$

$$ne = 8.40 \times 10^{-3}\_mol$$

$$na = 8.40 \times 10^{-3}\_mol$$

$$ma = 0.906\_g$$

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## Precipitation

The condition for precipitation of a salt in water defines the solubility product  $K_{sp}$ . For a salt of the solubility of the form  $A_aB_b$ , the solubility product is defined as  $K_{sp} = [A]^a[B]^b$ .

The following equations relate the solubility product to the overall solubility of the salt.

$$AB \quad K_{sp} = fa \cdot fb \cdot s^2$$

$$A_2B \quad K_{sp} = 4 fa^2 \cdot fb \cdot s^3$$

$$AB_2 \quad K_{sp} = 4 fa \cdot fb^2 \cdot s^3$$

$$A_3B \quad K_{sp} = 27 fa^3 \cdot fb \cdot s^4$$

$$AB_3 \quad K_{sp} = 27 fa \cdot fb^3 \cdot s^4$$

$$A2B3 \quad K_{sp} = 108 f_a^2 \cdot f_b^3 \cdot s^5$$

$$A3B2 \quad K_{sp} = 108 f_a^3 \cdot f_b^2 \cdot s^5$$

$$s = \frac{ga}{MWT \cdot V}$$

Variable	Description	Units
K <sub>sp</sub>	solubility product	*
f <sub>a</sub>	activity coefficient of a	**
f <sub>b</sub>	activity coefficient of b	1
s	solubility	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
ga	mass of a	1_kg
MWT	molecular weight of a	1_kg/mol
V	volume	1_m <sup>3</sup>

\* Units of K<sub>sp</sub> depend on the stoichiometric ratios within the dissolving species.

\*\*Activity coefficients are equal to 1 if ideal.

**Example:** What is the solubility of BiI<sub>3</sub>(s) (AB<sub>3</sub>, K<sub>sp</sub> = 8.1 × 10<sup>-19</sup>) in a solution such that, at equilibrium, f<sub>Bi<sup>3+</sup></sub> = 0.110 and f<sub>I<sup>-</sup></sub> = 0.200. How many grams of BiI<sub>3</sub> are dissolved in 100\_ml at equilibrium? Compare your results assuming ideality and non-ideality.

Case 1: Non-Ideal

**Given**

$$f_b = 0.200$$

$$f_a = 0.110$$

$$K_{sp} = 8.1 \times 10^{-19} \text{ _mol}^4/\text{l}^4$$

$$V = 100 \text{ _ml}$$

$$MWT = 589.6939 \text{ _g/mol}$$

**Result**

$$s = 7.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ _mol/l}$$

$$ga = 4.5 \text{ _mg}$$

Case 2: Ideal

**Given**

$$f_b = 1$$

$$f_a = 1$$

$$K_{sp} = 8.14 \times 10^{-19} \text{ _mol}^4/\text{l}^4$$

$$V = 100 \text{ _ml}$$

$$MWT = 589.6939 \text{ _g/mol}$$

**Result**

$$s = 1.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ _mol/l}$$

$$ga = 0.776 \text{ _mg}$$

## Kinetics

Chemical kinetics is the study of the time dependence of chemical reactions. The following topics represent common kinetic studies.

- First Order
- Parallel First Order
- First Order Consecutive
- Second Order ( I )
- Second Order (II)
- Arrhenius Law
- Fractional Life

### First Order

A reaction:  $A \xrightarrow{k_{1st}} \text{Products}$ , which proceeds in first order, behaves according to the following equations.

$$1) \text{ Rate} = k_{1st} \cdot C_a$$

$$2) C_a = C_{a0} \cdot e^{-k_{1st} \cdot t}$$

$$3) t_{half} = \frac{\text{LN}(2)}{k_{1st}}$$

Variable	Description	Units
Rate	rate of reaction	$1 \text{ mol}/(\text{m}^3 \cdot \text{s})$
$k_{1st}$	rate constant	$1/\text{s}$
$C_a$	concentration A (t)	$1 \text{ mol}/\text{m}^3$
$C_{a0}$	concentration A (t = 0)	$1 \text{ mol}/\text{m}^3$
t	time	$1 \text{ s}$
$t_{half}$	half life	$1 \text{ s}$

**Example:** At  $25^\circ\text{C}$ , a first order reaction takes 15.0 minutes to reach the point where half the initial concentration of the reactant has been consumed (half life). How long before less than 1% is left over?

#### Given

$$\begin{aligned} C_a &= 1.0 \text{ mol/l (assumed)} \\ C_{a0} &= 0.01 \text{ mol/l (assumed)} \\ t_{half} &= 15 \text{ min} \end{aligned}$$

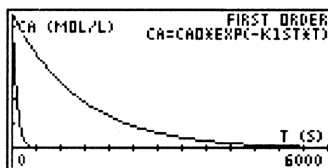
#### Result

$$\begin{aligned} k_{1st} &= 7.7 \times 10^{-4} \text{ 1/s} \\ t &= 5979 \text{ s} \\ \text{Rate} &= 7.7 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol}/(\text{m}^3 \cdot \text{s}) \end{aligned}$$



If the reaction is heated to 125 °C, the reaction has a half life of only 1.0\_min. Under these conditions, how long does it take to reach 1.0% of initial concentration: Plot the reactant concentration vs. time for these two cases.

x1 = 0\_s  
x2 = 6000\_s  
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**Given**

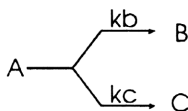
thalf = 1.0\_min  
Cao = 1.0\_mol/l  
Ca = 0.01\_mol/l

**Result**

k1st = 1.16 × 10<sup>-2</sup> 1/s  
t = 398\_s

**Parallel First Order**

The following reactions describe concentrations of reactants for first order, irreversible, parallel reactions of the form:



$$1) A = A_0 \cdot e^{-(k_b + k_c) \cdot t}$$

$$2) B = B_0 + \frac{k_b \cdot A_0}{(k_b + k_c)} \cdot [1 - e^{-(k_b + k_c) \cdot t}]$$

$$3) C = C_0 + \frac{k_c \cdot A_0}{(k_b + k_c)} \cdot [1 - e^{-(k_b + k_c) \cdot t}]$$

**Variable****Description****Units**

B	concentration B (t)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Bo	concentration B (t=0)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
kb	rate constant for reaction B	1_1/s

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$A_0$	concentration A ( $t = 0$ )	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
$k_c$	rate constant for reaction C	$1 \text{ 1/s}$
$t$	time	$1 \text{ s}$
$C$	concentration C ( $t$ )	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
$C_0$	concentration C ( $t = 0$ )	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$
$A$	concentration A ( $t$ )	$1 \text{ mol/m}^3$

**Example:** A parallel reaction can produce two products with rate constants of  $1.0 \text{ 1/s}$  and  $0.5 \text{ 1/s}$ . Starting with  $1 \text{ mol/l}$  of initial reactant, plot the concentration profiles of A, B and C vs. time.

### Given

$$B_0 = 0 \text{ mol/l}$$

$$k_c = 0.5 \text{ 1/s}$$

$$k_b = 1.0 \text{ 1/s}$$

$$C_0 = 0 \text{ mol/l}$$

$$A_0 = 1.0 \text{ mol/l}$$

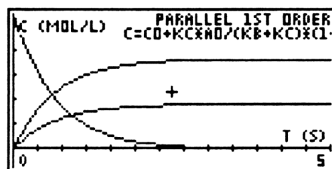
and

$$x_1 = 0$$

$$x_2 = 5 \text{ s}$$

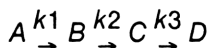
$$y_1 = -0.1363$$

$$y_2 = 1.0$$



## First Order Consecutive

The simplest form of consecutive reactions is a series of first order reactions of the form:



These four equations describe the kinetics of such a system.

$$1) A = A_0 \cdot e^{-k_1 \cdot t}$$

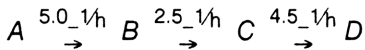
$$2) B = B_0 \cdot e^{-k_2 \cdot t} + \frac{k_1 \cdot A_0}{k_2 - k_1} \cdot (e^{-k_1 \cdot t} - e^{-k_2 \cdot t})$$

$$3) C = C_0 e^{-k_3 \cdot t} + B_0 \cdot \left( \frac{k_2 \cdot e^{-k_2 \cdot t}}{k_3 - k_2} - \frac{k_2 e^{-k_3 \cdot t}}{k_3 - k_2} \right) +$$

$$A_0 \left( \frac{k_1 \cdot k_2 e^{-k_1 \cdot t}}{(k_3 - k_1)(k_2 - k_1)} - \frac{k_1 \cdot k_2 e^{-k_2 \cdot t}}{(k_3 - k_2)(k_2 - k_1)} + \frac{k_1 \cdot k_2 e^{-k_3 \cdot t}}{(k_3 - k_2)(k_3 - k_1)} \right)$$

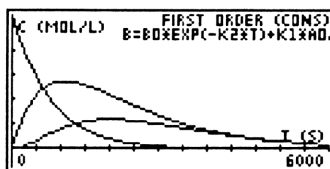
Variable	Description	Units
A	concentration A (t)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
A <sub>0</sub>	concentration A (t = 0)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
B	concentration B (t)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
B <sub>0</sub>	concentration B (t = 0)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
C	concentration C (t)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
C <sub>0</sub>	concentration C (t = 0)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
k <sub>1</sub>	rate constant for A → B	1_1/s
k <sub>2</sub>	rate constant for B → C	1_1/s
k <sub>3</sub>	rate constant for C → D	1_1/s
t	time	1_s

**Example:** Irreversible successive first order reactions kinetics is often used to describe radioactive decay. Consider the progressive series of reactions:



where  $A(t=0) = 1.0 \text{ mol/l}$  and  $B_0 = C_0 = 0 \text{ mol/l}$ . Plot the concentration of B and C vs. time, and determine the point where the maximum concentration of each material occurs.

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= 0 \text{ s} \\ x_2 &= 6000 \text{ s} \\ y_1 &= -0.1363 \\ y_2 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$



A (maximum) = 0.00\_s

B (maximum) = 0.50\_mol/l, ~ 969\_s

C (maximum) = 0.22\_mol/l, ~ 1800\_s

## Second Order (I)

These three equations describe the concentration versus time for a second order reaction of the form:  $aA \rightarrow \text{products}$ .

$$1) \text{ Rate} = k_{2nd} \cdot Ca^2$$

$$2) Ca = \frac{Cao}{(1 + a \cdot k_{2nd} \cdot t \cdot Cao)}$$

$$3) \text{ thalf} = \frac{1}{a \cdot Cao \cdot k_{2nd}}$$

Variable	Description	Units
Rate	rate of reaction	1_mol/(m <sup>3</sup> ·s)
k <sub>2nd</sub>	rate constant	1_m <sup>3</sup> /(mol·s)
Ca	concentration A (t)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
Cao	concentration A (t=0)	1_mol/m <sup>3</sup>
a	stoichiometric coefficient	1
t	time	1_s
thalf	half life	1_s

**Example:** The thermal decomposition of HI ( $2HI \rightarrow H_2 + I_2$ ) proceeds in second order in HI. In this reaction, a 0.10\_mol/l of HI sample reacts for 10 minutes in a spectrophotometer. After 10 minutes the concentration is 0.08\_mol/l. What is the rate constant and half life?

### Given

$$Cao = 0.10\_mol/l$$

$$Ca = 0.08\_mol/l$$

$$t = 10.0\_min$$

### Result

$$k_{2nd} = 2.08 \times 10^{-3} \_l/(mol \cdot s)$$

$$\text{thalf} = 40\_min$$

$$a = 2$$

## Second Order (II)

The following equations describe concentrations versus time for a second order reaction of the form:  $aA + bB \rightarrow \text{products}$ .

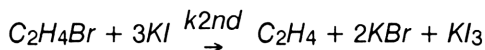
$$1) \text{ Rate} = k_{2nd} \cdot C_a \cdot C_b$$

$$2) f = \left( \frac{C_{bo}}{C_{ao}} \right) \cdot \exp \left( (a \cdot C_{bo} - b \cdot C_{ao}) \cdot k_{2nd} \cdot t \right)$$

$$3) f = \left( \frac{CB}{CA} \right)$$

Variable	Description	Units
Rate	rate of reaction	$1 \text{ mol}/(\text{m}^3 \cdot \text{s})$
$k_{2nd}$	rate constant	$1 \text{ m}^3/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{s})$
$C_a$	concentration A (t)	$1 \text{ mol}/\text{m}^3$
$C_b$	concentration B (t)	$1 \text{ mol}/\text{m}^3$
f	reactant ratio	1
$C_{ao}$	concentration A (t=0)	$1 \text{ mol}/\text{m}^3$
$C_{bo}$	concentration B (t=0)	$1 \text{ mol}/\text{m}^3$
a	stoichiometric coefficient of a	1
b	stoichiometric coefficient of b	1
t	time	$1 \text{ s}$

**Example:** The reaction of ethylene bromide with potassium iodide in 99% methanol proceeds in second order according to the following reaction:



At  $59.72 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $k_{2nd}$  is reported to be  $5.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ l}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{s})$  when the initial concentration of ethylene bromide and potassium iodide are  $0.02864 \text{ mol/l}$  and  $0.1531 \text{ mol/l}$ , respectively. Calculate the reactant ratio at  $0.1 \text{ h}$ ,  $0.5 \text{ h}$ ,  $1.0 \text{ h}$  and  $10 \text{ hr}$ .

### Given

$$C_{ao} = 0.02864 \text{ mol/l}$$

$$C_{bo} = 0.1531 \text{ mol/l}$$

$$k_{2nd} = 5.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ l}/(\text{mol} \cdot \text{s})$$

$$a = 1$$

### Result

$$f(0.1 \text{ h}) = 6.03$$

$$f(0.5 \text{ h}) = 9.78$$

$$f(1 \text{ h}) = 17.9$$

$$f(10 \text{ h}) = 9.5E5$$

## Equation Library

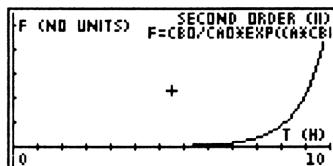
$$b = 3$$

$$t = 0.5\_h$$

$$x1 = 0$$

$$x2 = 10$$

$$y = \text{autoscale}$$



## Arrhenius Law

These equations describe the Arrhenius Law, which relates the rate constant to the temperature and activation energy of the reaction.

$$k1 = A e^{- (Ea / (R \cdot T))}$$

$$\ln \left( \frac{k1}{k2} \right) = - \left( \frac{Ea}{R} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{1}{T1} - \frac{1}{T2} \right)$$

Variable	Description	Units
k1	rate constant at T1	1
k2	rate constant at T2	1
A	pre-exponential	1
Ea	activation energy	1_J/mol
T1	temperature at k1	1_K
T2	temperature at k2	1_k

**Example:** The rate constants for the rearrangement of methyl isonitrile are  $2.52 \times 10^{-5}$  1/s and  $3.16 \times 10^{-3}$  1/s at 189.7 °C and 251.2 °C respectively. From this data, calculate the activation energy and pre-exponential for this reaction.

### Given

$$k1 = 2.52 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$k2 = 3.16 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$T1 = 189.7\_°C$$

$$T2 = 251.2\_°C$$

### Result

$$Ea = 159\_kJ/mol$$

$$A = 1.96 \times 10^{13}$$

## Fractional Life

The time necessary for a given fraction of a reagent to react will depend on the initial concentrations of reactants and the rate expression for the reaction. The following equations calculate the time necessary for the reactant to reach to a fraction of its original concentration.

$$\text{if } no \neq 1, \text{ then } t_{\text{frac}} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{1-f}\right)^{no-1} - 1}{(no-1) \cdot a \cdot k_{\text{gen}} \cdot Cao^{no-1}}$$

$$\text{if } no = 1, \text{ then } t_{\text{frac}} = \frac{-LN(1-f)}{k_{\text{gen}}}$$

Variable	Description	Units
tfrac	fractional life	1_s
no	reaction order	1
kgen	general rate constant	1_1/s*
Cao	general concentration	1
a	stoichiometric coefficient	1
f	fractional order	1

\*The units of kgen will be in the units of (time)<sup>-1</sup>, times the units of Cao to the (1-no) power. Note that only one equation is shown in the calculator.

**Example:** A second order reaction ( $2A \rightarrow \text{products}$ ) proceeds with a rate constant of  $1.03 \times 10^{-3} \text{ 1/(h} \cdot \text{mol)}$ . If the initial concentration of A is  $0.01 \text{ mol/l}$ , how long will it take for 10% of A to react? How about 25%, 50%, or 75%?

### Given

$$no = 2$$

$$k_{\text{gen}} = 1.03 \times 10^{-3} \text{ 1/h}$$

$$Cao = 0.01$$

$$a = 2$$

$$f = 0.10$$

### Result

$$t_{\text{frac}} = 1.94 \text{ E7}_s \text{ 10\%}$$

$$t_{\text{frac}} = 5.82 \text{ E7}_s \text{ 25\%}$$

$$t_{\text{frac}} = 17.5 \text{ E7}_s \text{ 50\%}$$

$$t_{\text{frac}} = 52.4 \text{ E7}_s \text{ 75\%}$$

## Equation Library

Notes:



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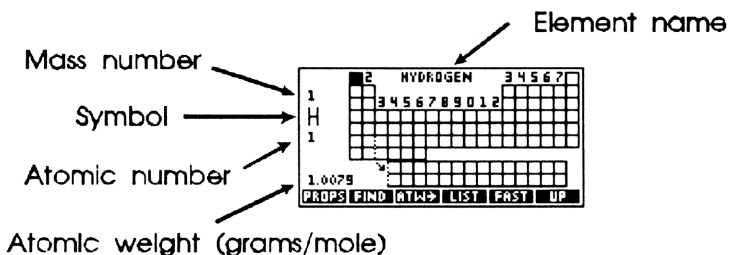
# Periodic Table

### In This Chapter

The Periodic Table function is a quick reference tool that provides basic information, such as mass number, electron configuration, oxidation state, and atomic weight, for each element.

### Using the Periodic Table

The Periodic Table screen displays after selecting this topic at the main menu. The figure below illustrates the information given on the screen for each element:



In the Periodic Table display, each square represents one element. The square, black cursor marks the selected element. The element name, mass number, symbol, atomic number and molecular weight, are displayed.

### Properties of Each Element

Press **PROPS** or **ENTER** to view a list of properties for the current element:

Hydrogen → DENSITY: 0.0899_G/L ON STATES: 1 ELEC CFG: 1S1 STATE: GAS MELTING PT: 14.025_K BOILING PT: 20.268_K GROUP: 1(A) FAMILY: - MAIN ← SIX PRINT UNIT FONT EXIT
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## Periodic Table

Use the cursor keys to scroll down the list to the desired property. Pressing **ENTER** places the data on the calculator stack.

The properties listed for each element (if available) are:

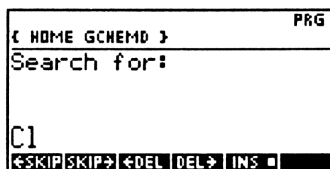
- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic Number (Table)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Mass Number (Table)           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic Weight (Table)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Density                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Oxidation State            | <input type="checkbox"/> Electron Configuration        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physical State             | <input type="checkbox"/> Electronegativity (Pauling's) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Atomic Radii               | <input type="checkbox"/> Covalent Radii                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> First Ionization Potential | <input type="checkbox"/> Boiling Point                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Group and Family           | <input type="checkbox"/> Melting Point                 |

## Moving Around the Periodic Table

Use the cursor keys (**▼**, **▶**, **◀**, **▲**) to move the pointer to any element. Pressing the **↵** key with a cursor key moves the cursor to the beginning or end of the current row or column. Pressing **FAST** eliminates the element information from the screen and allows you to quickly move from element to element using the cursor keys. Press **FAST** again to retrieve the screen information.

## Using Search and List Utilities

To search for a particular element press the **FIND** softkey. At the prompt, type in the symbol or atomic number of the element you want to search for, as shown:



If you are entering an element's symbol, the second letter must be lower case. Lower case entries are made by pressing **↵** before typing in the letter. Press **ENTER** to move to the Periodic Table screen containing the element you were searching for, in this case, chlorine:

## List of Element Names and Symbols

Pressing **LIST** displays the names and symbols of all the elements in the Periodic Table, in alphabetical order:

## Searching for a Property

To search for particular property, press at the list of properties screen. At the “search for” prompt, type in the desired variable, remembering that searches are case sensitive. For example, to search for the covalent radii of chlorine, type in “Cov” at the prompt, as shown:

Then press **ENTER** to initiate the search. The following screen displays:

Press **EXIT** to return to the Periodic Table screen.

## Editing Text Entries During a Search

The search mode softkeys ( **←SKIP** **←DEL** **INS** ) along the bottom of the search screen are command line editing keys. They are built into the HP 48SX and allow you to edit the search string. Their functions are summarized below:

- ←SKIP** Moves the cursor to the beginning of the current word.
- SKIP→** Moves the cursor to the beginning of the next word.
- ←DEL** Deletes all the characters in the current word to the left of the cursor.
- DEL→** Deletes all the characters from the cursor's current position to the first character of the next word.
- INS** Toggles between insert and typeover modes.

## Using the Print Function

You can send data from the Periodic Table directly to an infrared (IR) printer compatible with the HP 48SX via the infrared port. Follow the instructions in the printer manual regarding operating and positioning the printer relative to the HP 48SX.

When you press the **PRINT** softkey at the Periodic Table screen, the next screen asks you to select *all* or *field*. If you press **ALL**, all data for the current element is sent to the printer. Pressing **FIELD** prints only the data item currently selected by the pointer.

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## Summary of Softkeys

<b>MAIN</b>	Returns to the main menu.
<b>-STK</b>	Copies selected entry to calculator stack.
<b>PRINT</b>	Sends selected data to an IR printer.
<b>UNITS</b>	Toggles units on and off. When off, all variables are assumed to be SI.
<b>UNIT■</b>	Indicates that units are on.
<b>EXIT</b>	Exits to the Periodic Table or list of elements
<b>FONT</b>	Toggles the display font between large and small.
<b>TABLE</b>	Returns to the Periodic Table display from the element list.
<b>PROPS</b>	Displays a list of various properties for each element.
<b>FIND</b>	Initiates a search for an element name, number, symbol or property.
<b>LIST</b>	Displays an alphabetical listing of elements and symbols.
<b>FAST</b>	Toggles fast display mode on and off.
<b>FAST■</b>	Indicates that fast mode is on.
<b>ATW→</b>	Places the atomic weight of the current element on the stack as a tagged object

## **Periodic Table**

Notes:

## Chapter 4

# Stoichiometry

### In This Chapter

The stoichiometry function allows you to build new chemical reactions, and perform theoretical yield and limiting reagent calculations, for liquid, solid, gas and solution reactions. The Species Library, which stores the chemical species needed to form these chemical reactions, is also discussed.

- Using the Stoichiometry Function
- Using the Species Library
- Creating a Chemical Reaction
- Summary of Softkeys

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## Using the Stoichiometry Function

The stoichiometry function is designed for you to enter, name, and store your own chemical reactions in the calculator's memory. The software checks for mass and charge balance and allows you to easily calculate theoretical yields and limiting reagents. Two chemical reactions, methane combustion and permanganate reduction, are included in the software as examples to demonstrate the stoichiometry function.

When you select **STOICHIOMETRY** at the main menu for the first time, only the two sample chemical reactions appear on the screen. As you enter and name your own reactions, they are added to the list. The next three sections use the sample reactions to illustrate how to access reactions and calculate theoretical yields and limiting reagents. The remaining sections explain how to build, check, and edit your own chemical reactions.

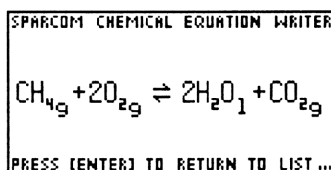
### Selecting and Displaying a Chemical Reaction

Select **STOICHIOMETRY** at the main menu screen and press **ENTER** to display the reactions currently available in the calculator's memory:

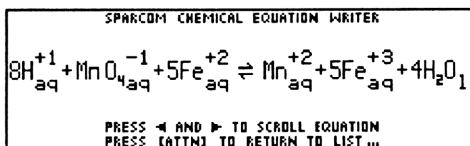
## Stoichiometry



When you first use the General Chemistry Application Pac, only the two sample reactions are listed on the STOICHIOMETRY menu. Move the pointer to METHANE COMBUSTION and press the softkey for the Chemical Equation Writer, **CHEW**, to view the methane combustion reaction, shown below:



Press **ENTER** to return to the STOICHIOMETRY menu screen. For reactions that are too lengthy to fit on the screen, use the **▶** and **◀** keys to scroll the display to the right or to the left. The figure below illustrates what a long reaction (in this case, the permanganate reaction) would look like if the screen were wide enough to display all the data at once.



Press **ATTN** to return to the STOICHIOMETRY menu screen.

## Calculating Theoretical Yields

Suppose you want to calculate the mass of O<sub>2</sub> required to react with 1 g of CH<sub>4</sub> during combustion. Move the pointer to the METHANE COMBUSTION reaction and press **STOIC**. This displays all reactants (labeled R) and products (labeled P) in the reaction, as shown:



```

METHANE COMBUSTION
→R: {0} 1CH4[G]
R: {0} 2O2[G]
P: {0} 2H2O[L]
P: {0} 1CO2[G]

CALC CONV CLEAR VIEW →STK EXIT

```

At this point the reaction is checked for mass and charge balance. If it is not balanced, a warning message appears, giving you the option of continuing, despite the imbalance.

### Entering a Quantity of a Reactant

To enter a quantity of a reactant (or product), move the pointer to that species and press **ENTER**. Enter 1, then press the appropriate unit softkey to append a unit to your entry, as shown:

```

{ HOME GCHEMD } PRG
Enter quantity of
1CH4[G]:
1_g
-G _KG _MOL _LB _L _ML

```

Press **ENTER** to store 1\_g as the quantity of CH<sub>4</sub>:

```

METHANE COMBUSTION
R: {1_g} 1CH4[G]
→R: {0} 2O2[G]
P: {0} 2H2O[L]
P: {0} 1CO2[G]

CALC CONV CLEAR VIEW →STK EXIT

```

All quantities are displayed in brackets. To perform a theoretical yield calculation, press **CALC**. The quantity of the single, specified reactant (or product) is used to calculate the theoretical yields of all the other components, in grams.

```

METHANE COMBUSTION
R: {1.999999999999_g} 1CH4[G]
→R: {3.999922867864_g} 2O2[G]
P: {2.24592023737_g} 2H2O[L]
P: {2.74330844127_g} 1CO2[G]

CALC CONV CLEAR VIEW →STK EXIT

```

## Stoichiometry

To convert the mass of oxygen (or any reactant or product) into units other than grams, move the pointer to the reactant or product you want to convert (in this case, O<sub>2</sub>) and press **CONV**. This displays a list of available units:

```
          Convert to:
GRAMS
MOLES
LITERS
KILLOGRAMS
->POUNDS
MILLILITERS
_____EXIT
```

Move the cursor to pounds and press **ENTER**. This converts the mass of oxygen from grams to pounds:

```
METHANE COMBUSTION
R: 1.9999999999999999_G 1CH4(G)
->R: 18.74474378866E-3_LB 2O2(G)
P: 12.24582023737_G 2H2O(L)
P: 12.74330844127_G 1CO2(G)
_____CALC CONV CLEAR VIEW ->STK EXIT
```

To perform another theoretical yield calculation, first press **CLEAR** to reset all quantities to zero.

## Limiting Reagents

Suppose a reaction vessel contains 1\_g of CH<sub>4</sub> and 1\_g of O<sub>2</sub>. The reaction will proceed until all of one reactant is consumed, leaving other reactants. The reactant that is totally consumed is termed a limiting reagent. To solve such a problem, simply enter both quantities into the stoichiometry list, as shown:

```
METHANE COMBUSTION
R: 11_G 1CH4(G)
R: 11_G 2O2(G)
->P: 103 2H2O(L)
P: 103 1CO2(G)
_____CALC CONV CLEAR VIEW ->STK EXIT
```

Press **CALC** to start the calculation. The result is shown below:

```

METHANE COMBUSTION
R: {250675025314_G} 1CH4(G)
R: {1_G} 2O2(G)
→P: {562996112355_G} 2H2O(L)
P: {68767891296_G} 1CO2(G)
CALC CONV CLEAR VIEW →STK EXIT

```

This shows that all the  $O_2$  is consumed in the reaction (it's the limiting reagent) whereas only 0.25\_g of  $CH_4$  was consumed. Limiting reagent calculations may be performed with any number of reactants and products specified.

## Stoichiometry with Solutions

In some cases, reactions are most convenient if they proceed with reactants and/or products in the form of solutions. For example, consider the reaction of 25\_ml of 0.01\_mol/l of potassium permanganate, according to the permanganate reaction. To calculate theoretical yields in this case, simply select the permanganate reactant and press **ENTER**. Type in 25\_ml and press **ENTER**. The next screen asks you to enter the molarity of the permanganate solution. Type in 0.01\_mol/l at the prompt:

```

{ HOME GCHEMD }          PRG
-----
Enter molarity of
1MnO4[aq]-1:

.01_mol/l
_M _mM

```

Press **ENTER** to place the volume and concentration onto the stoichiometry list for permanganate, as shown:

```

PERMANGANATE
R: {0} 8H(AQ)+1
R: {25_ML,.01_MOL/L} 1MnO4(AQ...
→R: {0} 5FE(AQ)+2
P: {0} 1Mn(AQ)+2
P: {0} 5FE(AQ)+3
P: {0} 4H2O(L)
CALC CONV CLEAR VIEW →STK EXIT

```

Press **CALC** to initiate the theoretical yield calculation for this reaction. The result is shown below:

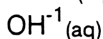
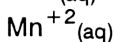
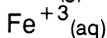
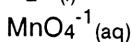
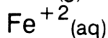
```

PERMANGANATE
R: (.0020158.G) BH(AQ)+1
R: (.25_ML .01_MOL/L) IMM04(AQ...
→R: (.06980875.G) 5FE(AQ)+2
P: (.0137345.G) 1MNA(AQ)+2
P: (.06980875.G) 5FE(AQ)+3
P: (.0180152.G) 4H2O(L)
CALC CONV CLEAR VIEW →STK EXIT

```

## Using the Species Library

The Species Library stores the chemical species, or “building blocks,” used to form new chemical reactions. When you first use the General Chemistry Application Pac, the Species Library includes the following default species:



To view these chemical species, select SPECIES LIBRARY at the main menu:

```

SPECIES LIBRARY
→CH4(G)
CO2(G)
FE(AQ)+2
FE(AQ)+3
H2O(L)
H(AQ)+1
MNO4(AQ)-1
MNA(AQ)+2
ADD DELETE EDIT CHEM MINT: UP


```

All chemical species must be entered into the Species Library before they can be used to build a chemical reaction. To add a new species to the Species Library, press the **ADD** softkey. The prompt asks for the formula, and optional state and charge, of the new chemical species:

```

ALG PRG
{ HOME GCHEM }
Enter chemical species
Formula[State]±Charge:
[ G ] [ L ] [ S ] [ AQ ] [ ( ) ]

```

Suppose you want to add NaOH to the list. Type N  A O H, as shown:

```

ALG PRG
( HOME GCHEM )
Enter chemical species
Formula[State]±Charge:
NaOH
(G) (L) (S) (AQ) ( )

```

Press **ENTER** to place NaOH into the Species Library:

```

^ SPECIES LIBRARY
FE(AQ)+3
H2O(L)
H(AQ)+1
MNO4(AQ)-1
MNE(AQ)+2
→ NaOH
O2(G)
OH(AQ)-1
ADD DELETE EDIT CHEW MW% UP

```

The softkeys along the bottom of the Species Library screen allow you to add, edit, or delete species from the list, evaluate their molecular weight and percent element composition, and display each species on the screen. The softkeys function in the Sparcom Chemical Equation Writer format.

To evaluate the molecular weight of any species in the list, for example  $\text{MnO}_4^{-1}(\text{aq})$ , simply move the pointer to that species and press **MW%**. The molecular weight and the percent composition are then displayed on the screen, as shown:

```

MnO4[aq]-1
118.9356_g/mol
0 53.8% MN46.2%
PRESS (STO) TO SAVE TO STACK ...
PRESS (ENTER) TO RETURN TO LIST ...

```

Press **STO** to store the molecular weight on the calculator stack. Pressing **ENTER** returns you to the Species Library. Press **CHEW** to display the species on the screen:

---

## Creating a Chemical Reaction

To perform stoichiometric calculations you must enter your own chemical reactions. Each entry consists of a name, a list of reactants and products, and

## Stoichiometry

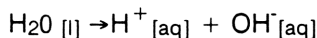
their corresponding stoichiometric coefficients. Reactants and products are selected from the Species Library.

Upon entering the STOICHIOMETRY function of the General Chemistry Application Pac, all stored reactions are listed on the screen, as shown:

```
STOICHIOMETRY
→METHANE COMBUSTION
PERMANGANATE

ADD DELETE EDIT CHEM STOIC UP
```

Suppose you wish to add the chemical reaction for the dissociation of water, given by:



Press the **ADD** softkey. At the prompt, type in the name of the reaction:

```
{ HOME GCHEM } PRG
Enter reaction name:
WATER DISSOCIATION
←SKIP←SKIP→ ←DEL DEL→ INS ▢ ↑STK
```

(in this case WATER DISSOCIATION) and press **ENTER**. To edit or delete a reaction, press **EDIT** or **DELETE**. You are then prompted to enter the reactions and products for the reaction:

```
WATER DISSOCIATION
→PRESS ADD

ADD R ADD P DELETE EDIT STOIC UP
```

The “PRESS ADD” prompt indicates that no reactants or products have been entered for this reaction. To enter a reactant, press **ADD R**. This places you in the SPECIES LIBRARY where you will select a reactant from the species in the list. Scroll down the list until you find H<sub>2</sub>O[L] and press **ENTER**.

```

Pick species:
CH4(G)
CO2(G)
Fe(AQ)+2
Fe(AQ)+3
→H2O(L)
H(AQ)+1
MnO4(AQ)-1
Mn(AQ)+2
ADD DELETE EDIT CHEW MWZ EXIT

```

The prompt then asks for the stoichiometric coefficient, which in this case is 1. Type 1 at the prompt and press **ENTER**:

```

[ HOME GCHEM ] PRG
Enter coefficient:
<SKIP SKIP> <DEL DEL> INS <ST>

```

This places H<sub>2</sub>O on the reaction list, labeled R for reactant. The coefficient 1 precedes the species entry on the list.

```

WATER DISSOCIATION
→R: 1H2O(L)
ADD R ADD P DELETE EDIT STOIC UP

```

Press **ADD P** to add a product species. Once again, scroll down the list until you find OH[*aq*]-1 and press **ENTER**. Repeat this procedure to add H<sup>+</sup> to the reaction list as a product (look for H[*aq*] + 1). If you make a mistake, press **DELETE** to delete a reactant. Pressing **EDIT** allows you to enter a replacement species and new stoichiometric coefficient. This results in the complete reaction listing for the WATER DISSOCIATION reaction, as shown:

```

WATER DISSOCIATION
→R: 1H2O(L)
P: 1H(AQ)+1
P: 1OH(AQ)-1
ADD R ADD P DELETE EDIT STOIC UP

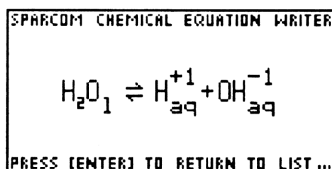
```

## Stoichiometry

Press **STOIC** to perform stoichiometric calculations on this reaction. You may press **UP** to return to the main menu with the pointer at the reaction that you just added, as shown:








Press **CHEW** to view the reaction on the screen:























## Entering Molecular Formulas


Species formulas consist of a series of element symbols and chemical groups of element symbols in parenthesis. Optional trailing multipliers may be entered to indicate more than one of a given element or group. Fractional multipliers may be entered, in decimal format.

You may optionally include a state and/or charge in the format given in the prompt. A shortcut for entering the state is unlocking alpha-entry mode (by pressing ) and pressing the appropriate softkey. Charges must be preceded by the sign (either + or -). Parentheses may be entered by either pressing   or the two softkeys shown in the display. (Note that   does not require unlocking alpha-entry mode.)

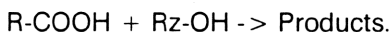
Some examples of acceptable chemical formulas are:

Compound	Input
HCl	HC  L
HNO <sub>3</sub>	HNO3
Ca(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	C  A   NO3   2
H <sup>+</sup> [aq]	H  [aq] + 1
C(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> <sup>+</sup>	C   C H 3   3 + 1
Ca(OH) <sub>2</sub> ·6H <sub>2</sub> O	C  A   OH   2   H2O   6



After unlocking alpha-entry mode to enter parentheses or to move the cursor, it is necessary to press  once or twice to relock alpha-entry mode for subsequent alphabetic entry. For more information, see the *HP 48SX Owner's Manual*.

In some cases, it may be useful to abbreviate large entries in the Species Library or to define new symbols. For example, suppose you are interested in performing stoichiometric calculations on the esterification reaction of a carboxylic acid by an alcohol:



To enter this reaction, you must enter the species RCO<sub>2</sub>H, Rz-OH, and Pro into the Species Library. After these are entered, you will be prompted for the molecular weight (in -g/mol only) of the unknown symbols R, Rz, and Pro. Once defined, these symbols are accessible to all species in the Species Library.

You must enter these user-defined symbols as single uppercase letters, optionally followed by one or two lowercase letters. Once created, a user-defined symbol can not be modified or deleted except by deleting the USRSYMB and USRATWTS files in the GCHEMD directory.

## Summary of Softkeys

The following table lists the softkeys and their respective functions for the Stoichiometry and Species Library in the General Chemistry Application Pac.

### Stoichiometry Softkeys

<b>ADD</b>	Adds a new chemical reaction to the list.
<b>ADD R</b>	Adds a reactant from the Species Library and a stoichiometric coefficient to the selected chemical reaction.
<b>ADD P</b>	Adds a product from the Species Library and a stoichiometric coefficient to the selected chemical reaction.
<b>CALC</b>	Utilizes the current species quantities to perform theoretical yield or limiting reagent calculations.

## Stoichiometry

- CHEW** Displays a chemical reaction on the screen in the Sparcom Chemical Equation Writer format.
- CLEAR** Clears all quantities in the stoichiometry function.
- CONV** Converts a quantity to a different unit.
- DELETE** Deletes a chemical reaction or a reactant or product from a chemical reaction.
- EDIT** Edits a chemical reaction or a reactant or a product.
- ENTER** Allows you to specify the quantity of a reactant or product.
- EXIT** Exits the Stoichiometry solving screen.
- STK** Copies selected entry to calculator stack.
- STOIC** Enters the stoichiometry solving screen after the selected chemical reaction is mass and charge balanced.
- UP** Moves up one level in the menu structure.
- VIEW** Displays entries too wide to fit on the screen. It is not functional if the line does fit on the screen. ADD

## Species Library Softkeys

- ADD** Adds a new chemical species to the Species Library.
- CHEW** Displays a chemical species on the screen in the Sparcom Chemical Equation Writer format.
- DELETE** Deletes a chemical species from the Species Library.
- EDIT** Edits a chemical species.
- MWT%** Displays the molecular weight and percent composition of the selected species.
- UP** Returns to the main menu.

# Chapter 5

## Constants Library

### In This Chapter

The Constants Library is a collection of useful constants commonly used in general chemistry.

- Using the Constants Library
- Constants Library Softkeys

### Using the Constants Library

Select the Constants Library from the main menu screen:






The Constants Library menu lists 29 constants and their symbols, listed below:

pi	$\pi$
g	Acceleration of gravity
R1	Universal gas constant - J/(mol*K)
R2	Gas constant - l*atm/(mol*K)
NA	Avogadro's number
c	Velocity of light
h	Planck's constant
k	Boltzmann's constant
hb	Dirac's constant
q	Electron charge

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$\epsilon_0$	Permittivity of vacuum
$m_e$	Electron mass
$r_e$	Classical electron radius
$m_p$	Proton rest mass
$R_\infty$	Rydberg's constant
$\alpha$	Fine structure constant
$a_0$	Bohr radius
$\mu_B$	Bohr magneton
$\lambda$	Wavelength for 1 eV
$\lambda_c$	Compton's wavelength
$\sigma$	Stefan-Boltzmann
$c_1$	First radiation constant
$c_2$	Second radiation constant
$V_t$	Thermal voltage at 300 K
$\mu_0$	Permeability of free space
$\phi_0$	Magnetic flux quantum
$F$	Faraday constant
$\mu_e$	Electron magnetic moment
$\mu_p$	Proton magnetic moment



## Using the GCON Function

You can extract the value of any constant without entering the General Chemistry Application Pac with the GCON( ) function. In all cases, the constant name must be prefixed with a '\$' symbol, accessed by   . For example, suppose you want to retrieve the speed of light:

### User Program Method

Inside a user program, use the commands '\$c' GCON or 'GCON(\$c)' EVAL to call for the speed of light.

### Stack Method

Type '\$c' into level 1 of the stack and press the  library softkey or type the letters GCON and press .

The constant value will have SI units if units are selected (i.e., if flag 61 is clear); otherwise, the value will have no units.

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## Constants Library Softkeys

- VALUE** Displays the value of the constant with units on the screen. Press **ENTER** to return to the constants list.
- STK** Places a copy of the selected constant on the calculator stack. Whether or not the value has units appended is controlled by the units key setting, which can be toggled at the Equation Library screen.
- FONT** Toggles between large and small display font.
- UP** Exits to the main menu.
- MAIN** Exits to the main menu.

## Constants Library

Notes:

## Chapter 6

# Reference Library

### In This Chapter

The Reference Library is a collection of useful data commonly used in general chemistry.

- Using the Reference Library
- Summary of Softkeys

## Using the Reference Library

When you select the Reference Library from the main menu, the following screen appears:



The Reference Library application, accessed from the main menu, consists of 10 topics. To access a given topic, move the pointer to the desired topic and press **ENTER**. The 10 Reference Library topics are described below:

PKas	The dissociation constants of selected weak acids.
Common anions	Names and formulas of common anions.
Air composition	Percent composition (by volume) of air at sea level.
Vapor pressure - H <sub>2</sub> O	Vapor pressure of pure water at selected temperatures.

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Water Kw vs. T	Dissociation constant of water at selected temperatures.
Van der Waals	Van der Waals constants for selected gases.
Colligative	Normal boiling point, freezing point, ebullioscopic constant and cryoscopic constant for common solvents.
Expansion/Compressibility	Coefficient of expansion and coefficient of compressibility of four common materials.
PKsps	Solubility product constants (at 25 °C) for common precipitates.
Bond Energy/Distance	Energies and distances for common bonds.

## Example Using the Reference Library

Suppose you need the vapor pressure of water at 25 °C for a gas law calculation you're working on in the calculator stack. Use the cursor keys to move the pointer to the VAPOR PRESSURE - H2O menu item. Press **ENTER** to display the following screen:

Vapor Pressure-H2O	
→ 0°C:	4.6_TORR
10°C:	9.2_TORR
15°C:	12.8_TORR
20°C:	17.5_TORR
25°C:	23.8_TORR
30°C:	31.8_TORR
35°C:	42.2_TORR
40°C:	55.3_TORR

At the bottom of the screen, there is a navigation bar with the following options: **MAIN**, **←**, **STK**, **PRINT**, **UNIT**, **FONT**, **UP**.

Move the pointer to 25 °C and press **ENTER**. This copies the value 23.8\_torr onto the calculator stack. You need to exit the Pac to continue your calculation on the stack.



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## Summary of Softkeys

- FONT** Toggles the display font between condensed and large sizes.
- UP** Moves up one level in the menu structure.
- MAIN** Exits to the main menu.
- STK** Copies selected entry to calculator stack.
- PRINT** Allows you to print a data field or the entire list of data to an IR printer.
- ALL** Sends all the data in a list to an IR printer.
- ONE** Sends the data in the field selected by the pointer to an IR printer.
- UNITS** Toggles key. Indicates units are off. When off, all variables are assumed to be SI.
- UNIT** Toggle key. Indicates that units are on.

## Reference Library

## Appendix A

# Warranty and Service

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## Pocket Professional Support

You can get answers to your questions about using your Pocket Professional card from Sparcom. If you don't find the information in this manual or in the HP 48SX *Owner's Manual*, contact us in writing, at :

### Sparcom Corporation

Attn: Technical Support Dept.

897 NW Grant Avenue, Corvallis, OR 97330, U.S.A. (503) 757-8416

or send E-mail:

from <b>Internet:</b>	support@sparcom.com
from <b>CompuServe:</b>	> Internet:support@sparcom.com
from <b>FidoNet:</b>	To:support@sparcom.com

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## Limited One-Year Warranty

### What Is Covered

The Pocket Professional is warranted by Sparcom Corporation against defects in material and workmanship for one year from the date of original purchase. If you sell your card or give it as a gift, the warranty is automatically transferred to the new owner and remains in effect for the original one-year period. During the warranty period, we will repair or replace (at no charge) a product that proves to be defective, provided you return the product and proof of purchase, shipping prepaid, to Sparcom.

### What Is Not Covered

This warranty does not apply if the product has been damaged by accident or misuse or as the result of service or modification by any entity other than Sparcom Corporation.

No other warranty is given. The repair or replacement of a product is your exclusive remedy. ANY OTHER IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS IS LIMITED TO THE ONE-YEAR DURATION OF THIS WRITTEN WARRANTY. IN NO EVENT SHALL SPARCOM CORP. BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES. Products are sold on the basis of specifications applicable at the time of manufacture. Sparcom shall have no obligation to modify or update products, once sold.

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## If the Card Requires Service

Sparcom will repair a card, or replace it with the same model or one of equal or better functionality, whether it is under warranty or not.

### Service Charge

There is a fixed charge for standard out-of-warranty repairs. This charge is subject to the customer's local sales or value-added tax, wherever applicable. Cards damaged by accident or misuse are not covered by fixed charges. These charges are individually determined based on time and material.

### Shipping Instructions

If your card requires service, ship it to Sparcom Corporation, 897 NW Grant Avenue, Corvallis, OR 97330, U.S.A.

- Include your return address and a description of the problem.
- Include proof-of-purchase date if the warranty has not expired.
- Include a purchase order, along with a check, or credit card number and expiration date (VISA or MasterCard) to cover the standard repair charge.
- Ship your card, postage prepaid, in adequate protective packaging to prevent damage. Shipping damage is not covered by the warranty, so insuring the shipment is recommended.

Cards are usually serviced and reshipped within five working days.

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## Environmental Limits

The reliability of the Pocket Professional depends upon the following temperature and humidity limits:

- Operating temperature: 0 to 45 °C (32 to 113 °F).
- Storage temperature: -20 to 60 °C (-4 to 140 °F).
- Operating and storage humidity: 90% relative humidity at 40 °C (104 °F) maximum.

**Notes:**

## Appendix B

# Questions and Answers

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### Questions Commonly Asked

- Q.** I can't find the **GCAP** subdirectory in the Library menu. How can I verify that the card and the calculator are functioning properly?
- A.** There are several possibilities:
- Check to make sure that the card is properly seated in the calculator port.
  - Turn the calculator off and on.
  - The calculator checks the application card when it turns on. If an "Invalid Card Data" or a "Port Not Available" message is displayed, the card may require service.
- Q.** What do three dots (...) mean at the end of a display line?
- A.** The three dots indicate that the object is too long to show on one line. To view the complete object, use the cursor keys to move the arrow to the object and press **→** **VISIT**. Pressing **ENTER** or **ATTN** returns you to the browser.
- Q.** I'm using the Equation Library to solve a problem. After selecting the equations and entering values for the variables, the calculator displays "Too many unknowns." What's wrong?
- A.** Not enough variables were specified to completely solve the problem. You will have to specify more values and solve again.
- Q.** I'm using the Equation Library to solve a problem. After selecting the equations, I'm ready to enter values for my variables. I find that some of the variables have values already displayed. What's wrong?
- A.** The variables with values displayed indicate that these variable names have been used in solving another equation. To start with a clean slate of values, you can use **CLEAR** to reset the values of all variables to 0.

- Q.** While using the Equation Library, I turned units off and all the numbers changed. What's wrong?
- A.** In no-units mode, the Equation Library assumes that all values are SI in order for the equations to solve correctly. Therefore, when units are turned off, all values are first converted to SI units, then the unit tags are eliminated.
- Q.** While using the Equation Library to solve an equation set, intermediate answers are given. Why?
- A.** The Sparcom's equation solver engine has the ability to solve a set of equations in a systematic fashion. The result of computation from each equation is reported, to keep you informed of the solver's progress.
- Q.** The calculator displays "Bad Guess(es)" while running the Equation Library. What's wrong?
- A.** The HP 48SX root finder encountered variable values or units that prevented a solution. You may need to start the root finding process by providing a proper "seed" value. See Chapter 1 for details.
- Q.** While solving for an angle, I got an answer that was too large: For example,  $8752^\circ$  instead of the expected answer of  $112^\circ$ .
- A.** The calculated result may be offset by integer multiples of  $360^\circ$ . By seeding the variable properly, or by solving in no-units mode, you should be able to avoid this problem.
- Q.** I solved a problem some time ago, and I'm trying to recall those calculated values for a problem I'm working on now. The values from the past calculation have changed. What's wrong?
- A.** Most likely, the same variable name was used in solving another equation, so you will not be able to recall the old values.
- Q.** While searching a list of information, I used the alpha key, but the search function didn't work. Why?
- A.** Since the search function is case-sensitive, you most likely entered the letters in the incorrect case.



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