

2010

AP Chemistry Syllabus

4 days

Monday

Introductions
Hand out publisher's donations
Questionnaire 1 - Goals
LAB: Reaction Products
The re-design process
What happens at the reading
Warm-ups and Grading
Teacher Tools - Equation editors
The AP Audit
Reaction Products - New and Old
 How to approach Reaction Products
 1994 Reaction Products as a group
 Homework: 1995-1998
HW: 2010 AP Test

Tuesday

Warm-up : Nitroglycerine
1996 AP Question 4: Products and Questions
Alternative schedule of topics
LAB: Thermochemistry and Hess' Law
LAB: Molecular weight of a volatile liquid
LAB: Molecular weight by freezing point depression
Demo: Enthalpy of the vaporization of water
LAB: Graham's Law
Selected topics -
 Electron configuration
 Shielding effect
 Factors affecting an ideal gas
 Kinetic theory
 Heat/Temp/Energy
Evolution of the AP test
Questionnaire 2 - How is it going?
Time to share

Wednesday

Kinetics
 Introduction

Integrated Method

LAB: MM's and Kinetics

Differential Method

LAB: Kinetics (Hostage) - make apparatus

LAB: Sulfur Clock Rx

LAB: Kinetics (Vonderbrink)

WS: The 'proper' method of solving (differential) kinetics

Mechanisms

Equilibrium

Dance analogy

LAB: Equilibrium-I (qualitative)

LAB: Equilibrium-II (quantitative)

Acid/Base Equilibrium

Help Sheet - Why and how

Selection and sequence of topics

Titration curve - qualitative

Titration curve - quantitative

LAB: Make a buffer (Hostage)

LAB: Determine Ka (Final exam)

LAB: Ksp by dehydration (start - finish tomorrow)

Thursday

Solubility equilibrium

The Problem of the 2

LAB: Ksp by dehydration

LAB: Ksp by pH

LAB: Ksp by Serial Dilution

2010 AP Chemistry Test (Form A)

The rubric

The workshop sample papers

Time to Share

Review Question - demonstrate teaching technique

Thermodynamics

Qualitative

Quantitative

Demo: $\text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2 \cdot 8\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$

1987 Problem

Electrochemistry

Galvanic Cell

Terminology

Voltage (J/C) and Current (C/s)

Line Notation

$\text{Mg}(\text{s})|\text{Mg}^{2+}(\text{aq})||\text{Al}^{3+}(\text{aq})|\text{Al}(\text{s})$

Defined by ...

E°_T and balanced cell reaction

Direction of e^- flow

Anode/Cathode designation

Nature of electrodes and ions present

Equations ...

EMBED Equation.3

EMBED Equation.3

EMBED Equation.3

When $Q = K_{eq}$... complete discharge of battery

At equilibrium - components of the two cells have
the same free energy, $\Delta G = 0$

Calculate K_{eq} for a Redox Reaction ...

EMBED Equation.3

EMBED Equation.3

Electrolysis

Demo: CuBr_2 in a U-Tube

Demo: Electroplating