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Chemistry 12
EQUILIBRIUM Lesson #8
EQUILIBRIUM CALCULATIONS CONTINUED

EXAMPLE E

$K_{eq} = 3.5$ for $SO_2(g) + NO_2(g) \rightleftharpoons SO_3(g) + NO(g)$.

If 4.0 mol of $SO_2(g)$ and 4.0 mol of $NO_2(g)$ are placed in a 5.0 L bulb and allowed to come to equilibrium, what concentration of all species will exist at equilibrium?

1. Write out the K_{eq} expression

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[SO_3][NO]}{[SO_2][NO_2]}$$

2. Solve for the []'s of substances given in the question.

$$[SO_2]_I = \frac{4.0 \text{ mol}}{5.0 \text{ L}} = 0.80 \text{ M}, \quad [NO_2]_I = \frac{4.0 \text{ mol}}{5.0 \text{ L}} = 0.80 \text{ M}$$

3. B/c there is a sense of "TIME PASSING" we need an ICE TABLE

	$SO_2(g) + NO_2(g) \rightleftharpoons SO_3(g) + NO(g)$		
I	0.80	0.80	$\emptyset \quad \emptyset$
+ C	-x	-x	+x +x
E	0.80-x	0.80-x	+x x

4. First use K_{eq} expression to solve for x

$$3.5 = \frac{(x)(x)}{[0.80-x][0.80-x]} \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{(0.80-x)^2} = \sqrt{3.5}$$

$$(0.80-x) \frac{x}{0.80-x} = (1.871)(0.80-x) \rightarrow x = 1.496 - 1.871x + 1.871x$$

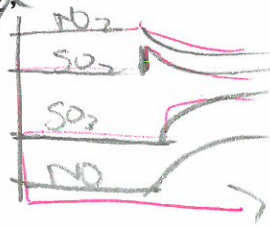
$$\therefore 2.871x = 1.496 \rightarrow x = \frac{1.496}{2.871}$$

EXAMPLE F: *Think of Le Chatelier graphs*

A 1.0 L reaction vessel contained 1.0 mol of SO₂, 4.0 mol of NO₂, 4.0 mol of SO₃ and 4.0 mol of NO at equilibrium according to:



If 3.0 mol of SO₂ is added to the mixture, what will be the new concentration of NO when equilibrium is re-attained?



1. Write out the K_{eq} expression $K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{SO}_3][\text{NO}]}{[\text{SO}_2][\text{NO}_2]}$

2. Use equilibrium []'s to solve for K_{eq}

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[4.0][4.0]}{[1.0][4.0]} = \boxed{4.0}$$

$$[\text{SO}_2]_E = \frac{1.0 \text{ mol}}{1.0 \text{ L}} = 1.0 \text{ M} + \frac{3.0 \text{ mol}}{1.0 \text{ L}}$$

$$[\text{NO}_2]_E = \frac{4.0 \text{ mol}}{1.0 \text{ L}} = 4.0 \text{ M}$$

But there is no change in temp, the NEW EQUILIBRIUM will also be 4.0!

3. The Addition of 3.0 mol will be shown in the [I] (In the ICE TABLE)

	SO ₂ (g)	+ NO ₂ (g)	⇌	SO ₃ (g)	+ NO(g)
I	<u>4.0</u> + 3.0	4.0		4.0	4.0
C	-x	-x		+x	+x
E	4.0-x	4.0-x		4.0+x	<u>4.0+x</u>

4. Use $K_{eq} = 4.0$ and Equilibrium []'s to solve for X!

$$\sqrt{4.0} = \sqrt{\frac{(4.0+x)^2}{(4.0-x)^2}} = 2.0 = \frac{4.0+x}{4.0-x} \times \cancel{4.0}$$

$$2.0(4.0-x) = 4.0+x$$

$$8.0 - 2.0x = 4.0+x$$

SEAT WORK/HOMEWORK: Exercises 55-65 pgs 71-72

PLO F8 (PLEASE NOTE that we have NOT COVERED: PLO's D2, D3 and E3)

$$\frac{8.0-4.0}{3.0} = \frac{3.0x}{3.0}$$

$$1.33 = x$$