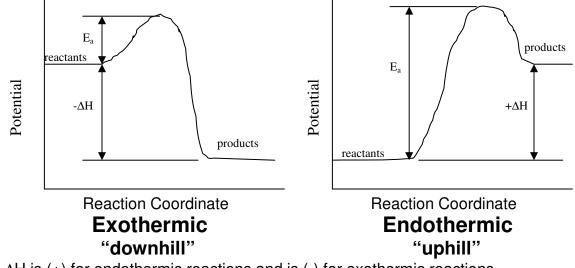
## Unit #12

## **Regents Chemistry**

## **Kinetics and Equilibrium**

- 1. Covalently bonded substances tend to react more slowly than ionic compounds.
- 2. Increasing the concentration of reactants will increase reaction rate.
- 3. Increasing the surface areas of the reactants will increase reaction rate.
- 4. Increasing the pressure on gases increases reaction rate.
- 5. *Catalysts* speed up reactions by lowering their *activation energies*. They are not changed themselves and can be reused many times over.
- 6. Increasing temperature increases reaction rate.
- 7. Be able to recognize and read *potential energy diagrams*.



- 8.  $\Delta H$  is (+) for endothermic reactions and is (-) for exothermic reactions.
- 9. The rates of the forward and reverse reactions are equal at equilibrium.
- 10. *Adding* any reactant or product to a system at equilibrium will shift the equilibrium <u>away</u> from the added substance.
- 11. *Removing* any reactant or product from a system at equilibrium will shift the equilibrium point <u>toward</u> that removed substance.
- 12. An *increase in temperature* shifts an equilibrium system in the *endothermic direction*.
- 13. A *decrease in temperature* shifts an equilibrium system in the *exothermic direction*.
- 14. *Increasing the pressure* on a gaseous equilibrium will shift the equilibrium point toward the side with *fewer moles of gas*.
- 15. *Decreasing the pressure* on a gaseous equilibrium will shift the equilibrium point toward the side with *more moles of gas*.
- 16. *Catalysts* have *no effect* on an *equilibrium*. It just establishes itself quicker.
- 17. For the hypothetical reaction  $wA + xB \rightarrow yC + zD$ ,  $K_{eq} = \frac{[C]^{y}[D]^{z}}{[A]^{w}[B]^{x}}$
- 18. *Enthalpy (H)* is the heat energy gained or lost in a reaction.
- 19. *Entropy (S)* is high in a highly unorganized system, such as a gas, a messy room, etc.

USE THE REFERENCE TABLES!!!