

CHEM 021: General Chemistry II

Term: 2020 Winter Session Instructor: Staff Language of Instruction: English Classroom: TBA Office Hours: TBA Class Sessions Per Week: 6 Total Weeks: 4 Total Class Sessions: 25 Class Session Length (minutes): 145 Credit Hours: 4

Course Description:

CHEM 021 is the continuous study of general chemistry course based on CHEM 011. This course is designed to help students get a comprehensive understanding on the principles and applications in the filed of general chemistry. Through the semester, students will explore the following topics: Chemical Kinetics, Acid and Base, chemical thermodynamics, equilibrium, electrochemistry and nuclear chemistry. Students will learn about the scope, methodology, and application of chemistry. This course aims to help students apply the analytical and quantitative skills learned to explain the physical world and for their future studies in advanced chemistry. *Prerequisites: CHEM 011*

Course Materials:

1. Textbook

Chemistry: The Molecular Nature of Matter and Change, 8th Ed., by Martin S. Silberberg **2.** Lecture notes

Course Format and Requirements:



Material involves taking time to think things through, develop the knowledge (or process) and practice this. It is also very helpful to test yourself on your knowledge development. Using the quiz or exam as a means to test if you have learned something could be too late to determine you still have a gap in knowledge. Remember, lecture is very important in seeing process and models and hearing concepts and their derivation and application BUT is not the beginning and end of learning. It would be unusual to learn something simply from sitting in lecture.

Grading Scale:

A+: 98%-100% A: 93%-97% A-: 90%-92% B+: 88%-89% B: 83%-87% B-: 80%-82% C+: 78%-79% C: 73%-77% C-: 70%-72% D+: 68%-69% D: 63%-67% D-: 60%-62% F: Below 60%

Course Assignments:

Homework Assignment

6 Quizzes

Exams

Two midterms and one final exam will be given in this class. The exams will be most similar to the questions in the textbook, and the recitation quiz questions. Sample exams will be distributed prior to each midterm. A sheet of standard formulas and physical constants will be provided with each exam. All other notes, books, programs or other prepared materials may not be used during the test. Calculators may not be shared.



Course Assessment:

Homework Assignment	10%
6 Quizzes	15%
Midterm Exam 1	20%
Midterm Exam 2	20%
Final Exam	35%
Total	100%

Course Schedule:

Week	Topics	Activities
	Go through syllabus	Homework Assignment
1.	Review on CHEM 011	Quiz 1 and Quiz 2
	Chemical Kinetics:	
	Introduction to Rate	
	Rate Law: Concentration on the Reaction Rate	
	The integrated Rate Law	
	Temperature, Reaction Rate and Reaction Mechanism	
	Catalysis	
	Chemical Equilibrium:	
	Constants in a chemical equilibrium	
	Expressing and Calculating Equilibrium Constants	
	Chemical Equilibrium:	Homework Assignment
2.	Predicting the Direction of Change	Quiz 3
	Finding Equilibrium Concentrations	Midterm 1
	Le Chatelier's Principle-The Equilibrium Law	



	Acid and Bases:	
	The Nature and Definition of Acids and Bases	
	Strength of acid related to structure	
	The pH value, Strong Acids, Weak Acids;	
	Base solutions	
	The Acid- Based Properties of Ions and Salts	
	Polyprotic Acid	
	Lewis Acids and Bases	
	Aqueous Ionic Equilibrium:	Homework Assignment
3.	Introduction to Buffers	Quiz 4 and 5
	Buffer Effectiveness	Midterm 2
	Titrations and PH Curve	
	K_sp and solubility;	
	Selective Precipitation and Complex Ion Equilibrium	
	Free Energy and Thermodynamics:	
	1st Law of Thermodynamics	
	Entropy and the Second Law of Thermodynamics	
	Conservation of Energy, Internal Energy, Enthalpy	
	3rd Law of Thermodynamic	
	Free energy	
	Electrochemistry:	Homework Assignment
	Galvanic/Voltaic Cells	Quiz 6
4.	Balancing Reactions in Galvanic Cells	Final Exam



Standard Electrode Potentials;	
Cell Potential, Free Energy and the Equilibrium	
Constants	
Cell Potential and Concentration	
Batteries and Electrolysis	
Corrosion	
Radioactivity and Nuclear Chemistry:	
Nuclear transmutation;	
Biological effects of radiation	
Course Summary and Review for Final	

Academic Integrity:

Students are encouraged to study together, and to discuss lecture topics with one another, but all other work should be completed independently.

Students are expected to adhere to the standards of academic honesty and integrity that are described in the Shanghai Normal University's *Academic Conduct Code*. Any work suspected of violating the standards of the *Academic Conduct Code* will be reported to the Dean's Office. Penalties for violating the *Academic Conduct Code* may include dismissal from the program. All students have an individual responsibility to know and understand the provisions of the *Academic Conduct Code*.

Special Needs or Assistance:

Please contact the Administrative Office immediately if you have a learning disability, a medical issue, or any other type of problem that prevents professors from seeing you have learned the course material. Our goal is to help you learn, not to penalize you for issues which mask your learning.



