

All of this is intended to be done without the aid of a calculator. All of the calculations are designed such that approximating should be straight-forward and produce a correct result.

1. Based on the physical constants involved, which colligative property has the greatest magnitude for a solution of a given concentration? Which can't be compared in this way? Why?
2. Which colligative properties have a linear concentration dependence? Write their equations.
3. Rank the following aqueous solutions in terms of increasing boiling point: 3 *m* sugar, 2 *m* NaCl, 0.5 *m* Mg(OH)<sub>2</sub>, 5 *m* AlN, 1 *m* urea.
4. Assuming a cell wall can withstand an osmotic pressure of 1 atmosphere and the concentration of Na<sup>+</sup> in a cell is 50 mM, approximate the [Na<sup>+</sup>] outside the cell that would cause lysis.
5. If you dissolved 28 grams of NaCl in 90 grams of pure H<sub>2</sub>O hot enough to have a vapor pressure of 30 torr, what will the new vapor pressure be?
6. Assuming standard conditions and a  $K_f = 0.2 \text{ K}\cdot\text{m}^{-1}$  and a  $K_b = 0.5 \text{ K}\cdot\text{m}^{-1}$  for water, what would be the freezing point of a solution that boiled at 375.5 K? Express your answer in both K and °C.
7. Based on the question above and assuming 1 kg of water, how many moles of NaCl would be needed to produce this effect? What about sugar?
8. Based on your understanding of boiling point elevation, why **doesn't** salting water help food to cook faster?
9. Vapor pressure is often described as a "surface phenomenon." Define this term in your own words to the best of your ability.
10. Raoult's can be used to calculate the decrease in vapor pressure when a non-volatile substance (like salt) is dissolved in a volatile substance (like water). Explain this phenomenon.
11. Write a mass action quotient (aka mass action expression) for the general equation below:  
 $aA + bB \rightarrow cC + dD$
12. What sort of mathematical relationship exists between  $\Delta G$  and  $K$ ? Which of these terms should have a wider range of possible values?
13. What is the difference between  $Q$  and  $K$ ?
14. What can you for certain about  $\Delta G$  when  $K$  is less than 1, equal to 1 or greater than 1?
15. Based on your answer to question 14, what does the value of  $K$  tell you about the spontaneity of a reaction?

16. If a given reaction has  $K = 10$ , and presently has a  $Q = 5$ , what must happen in order for the reaction to reach equilibrium?

17. Based on your understanding of reaction stoichiometry, complete the RICE diagram below by filling in the blank regions.

<b>Reaction</b>	$\text{CH}_4(\text{g}) +$	$2 \text{O}_2(\text{g})$	$\text{---->}$	$\text{CO}_2(\text{g}) +$	$2 \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$
<b>Initial</b>	10 moles	19 moles			
<b>Change</b>					
<b>Equilibrium</b>	1 mol			10 moles	25 moles

18. Write a mass action quotient and determine  $K$  for the reaction in question 17.

$$K = [\text{CO}_2] \cdot [\text{H}_2\text{O}]^2 / [\text{CH}_4] \cdot [\text{O}_2]^2 = 10 \cdot 25^2 / 1 \cdot 1^2 = 6,250$$

19. If the equilibrium established in question 17 were disturbed by the addition of 90 moles of  $\text{CO}_2$ , what would the value of  $Q$  then be? Fill in a new RICE diagram, using X for unknown values.

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<b>Initial</b>					
<b>Change</b>					
<b>Equilibrium</b>					

20. How will the system respond to the stress in question 19 in order to re-establish equilibrium?