

# Physical Chemistry lecture

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## Part 2.3. Thermochemistry

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# Thermochemistry

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thermochemistry deals with the measurement and quantitative analysis of heat flow during chemical reactions.

## HEAT OF REACTION - HESS'S LAW

Under isochoric conditions

$$Q_{r,V} = \Delta U_r$$

Under isobaric conditions

$$Q_{r,p} = \Delta U + p\Delta V =$$
$$Q = \Delta(U + pV) = \Delta H_r$$

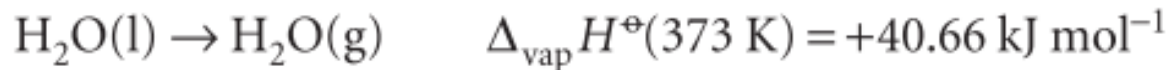
Under these conditions, heat is a state function.

### 2.7 Standard enthalpy changes

*Key points* (a) The standard enthalpy of transition is equal to the energy transferred as heat at constant pressure in the transition. (b) A thermochemical equation is a chemical equation and its associated change in enthalpy. (c) Hess's law states that the standard enthalpy of an overall reaction is the sum of the standard enthalpies of the individual reactions into which a reaction may be divided.

# (a) Enthalpies of physical change

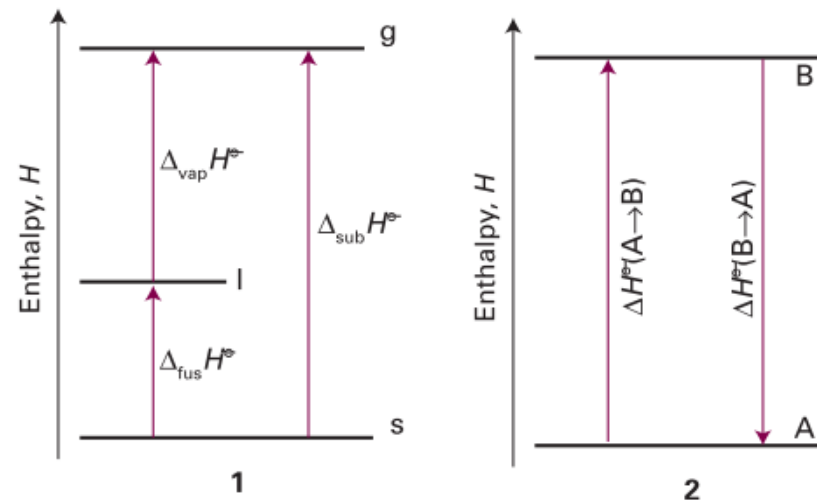
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**Table 2.4** Enthalpies of transition

Transition	Process	Symbol*
Transition	Phase $\alpha \rightarrow$ phase $\beta$	$\Delta_{\text{trs}}H$
Fusion	$s \rightarrow l$	$\Delta_{\text{fus}}H$
Vaporization	$l \rightarrow g$	$\Delta_{\text{vap}}H$
Sublimation	$s \rightarrow g$	$\Delta_{\text{sub}}H$
Mixing	Pure $\rightarrow$ mixture	$\Delta_{\text{mix}}H$
Solution	Solute $\rightarrow$ solution	$\Delta_{\text{sol}}H$
Hydration	$X^\pm(\text{g}) \rightarrow X^\pm(\text{aq})$	$\Delta_{\text{hyd}}H$
Atomization	Species(s, l, g) $\rightarrow$ atoms(g)	$\Delta_{\text{at}}H$
Ionization	$X(\text{g}) \rightarrow X^+(\text{g}) + e^-(\text{g})$	$\Delta_{\text{ion}}H$
Electron gain	$X(\text{g}) + e^-(\text{g}) \rightarrow X^-(\text{g})$	$\Delta_{\text{eg}}H$
Reaction	Reactants $\rightarrow$ products	$\Delta_rH$
Combustion	Compound(s, l, g) + $\text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}), \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}, \text{g})$	$\Delta_cH$
Formation	Elements $\rightarrow$ compound	$\Delta_fH$
Activation	Reactants $\rightarrow$ activated complex	$\Delta^\ddagger H$

\* IUPAC recommendations. In common usage, the transition subscript is often attached to  $\Delta H$ , as in  $\Delta H_{\text{trs}}$ .



## (b) Enthalpies of chemical change

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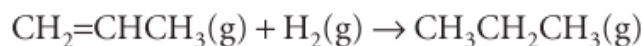
$$\Delta_r H^\ominus = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu H_m^\ominus - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu H_m^\ominus$$

Definition of standard reaction enthalpy

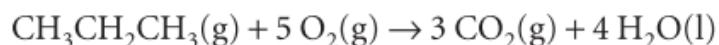
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### Example 2.5 Using Hess's law

The standard reaction enthalpy for the hydrogenation of propene



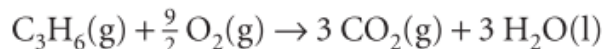
is  $-124 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ . The standard reaction enthalpy for the combustion of propane



is  $-2220 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ . Calculate the standard enthalpy of combustion of propene.

**Method** The skill to develop is the ability to assemble a given thermochemical equation from others. Add or subtract the reactions given, together with any others needed, so as to reproduce the reaction required. Then add or subtract the reaction enthalpies in the same way. Additional data are in Table 2.6.

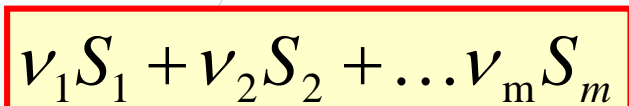
**Answer** The combustion reaction we require is



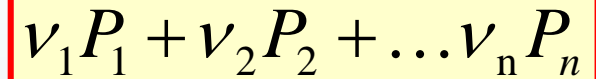
This reaction can be recreated from the following sum:

	$\Delta_r H^\ominus / (\text{kJ mol}^{-1})$
$\text{C}_3\text{H}_6(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{C}_3\text{H}_8(\text{g})$	-124
$\text{C}_3\text{H}_8(\text{g}) + 5 \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow 3 \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + 4 \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$	-2220
$\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) \rightarrow \text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \frac{1}{2} \text{O}_2(\text{g})$	+286
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$\text{C}_3\text{H}_6(\text{g}) + \frac{9}{2} \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow 3 \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + 3 \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$	-2058

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Standard enthalpy of formation  $\Delta_f H^\circ$ 

Stoichiometric amounts of substrates in standard states

$$\Delta H^\circ$$


Stoichiometric quantities of products in standard states

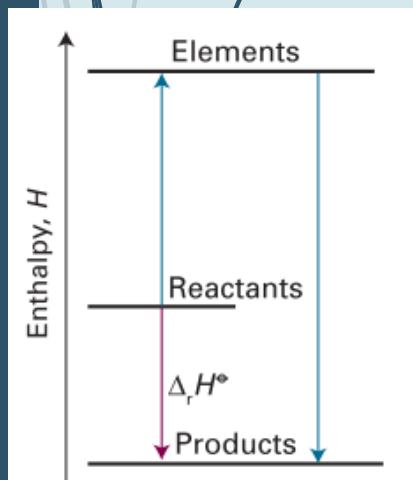
$$\sum_{\text{substrates}} \nu_i \Delta_f H_i^\circ$$

$$\sum_{\text{products}} \nu_i \Delta_{tw} H_i^\circ$$

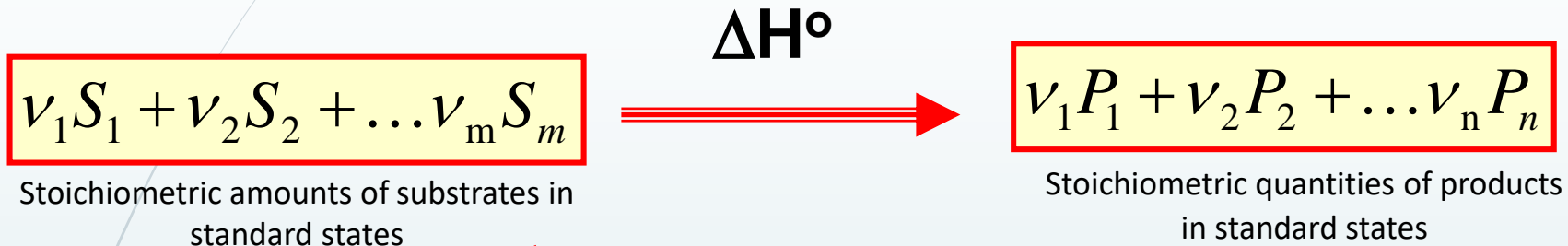
$$\Delta H^\circ = \sum_{\text{products}} \nu_i \Delta_f H_i^\circ - \sum_{\text{substrates}} \nu_i \Delta_f H_i^\circ$$

$$\Delta H^\circ = \sum_{\text{reagents}} \nu_i \Delta_f H_i^\circ$$

subscript „f” stands for formation



## 2.3.6

Standard enthalpy of combustion  $\Delta_c H^\circ$ ...

$$\sum_{\text{substrates}} \nu_i \Delta_c H_i^\circ$$

$$\sum_{\text{products}} \nu_i \Delta_c H_i^\circ$$

Combustion products in standard states

$$\Delta H^\circ = \sum_{\text{substrates}} \nu_i \Delta_c H_i^\circ - \sum_{\text{products}} \nu_i \Delta_c H_i^\circ$$

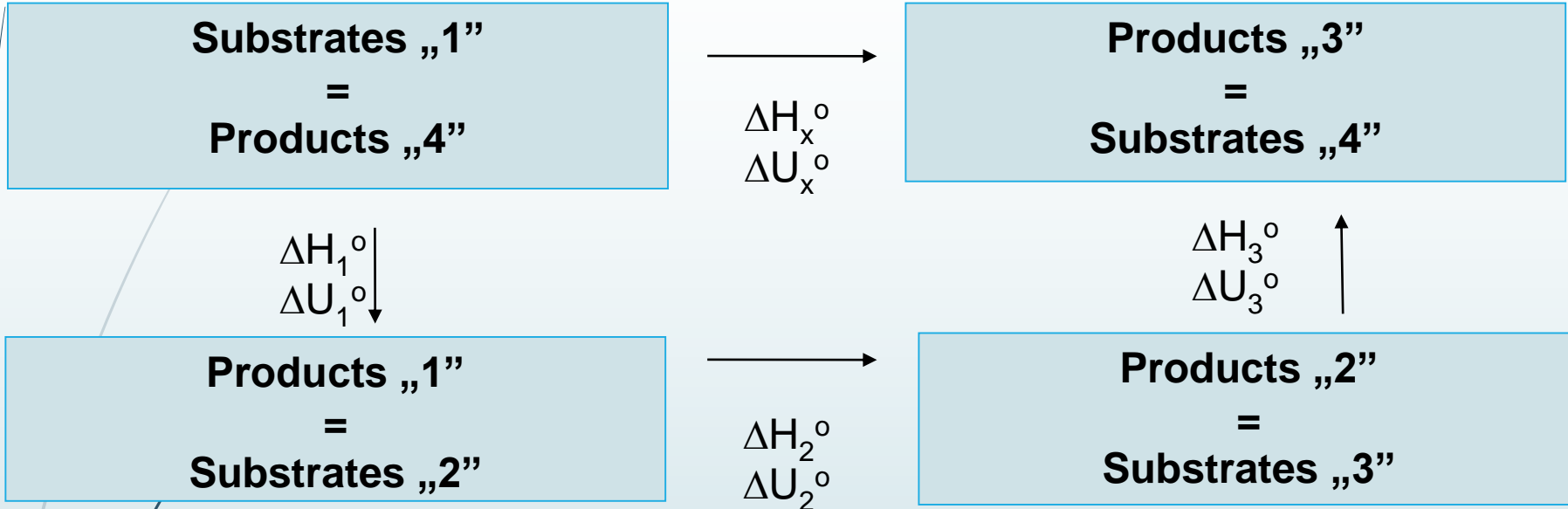
$$\Delta H^\circ = - \sum_{\text{reagents}} \nu_i \Delta_c H_i^\circ$$

# The Third Law of Thermochemistry

## THERMAL EFFECT OF CYCLIC REACTIONS

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The enthalpy of any process can be replaced by a set of other reactions (thermochemical equations = algebraic equations)



For any thermodynamic cycle:

$$\sum_i \Delta H_i = 0$$

$$\sum_i \Delta U_i = 0$$

$$\Delta H_x = \Delta H_1 + \Delta H_2 + \Delta H_3$$

$$\Delta U_x = \Delta U_1 + \Delta U_2 + \Delta U_3$$

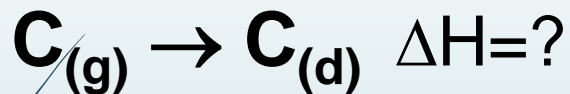
# EXAMPLES OF CALCULATION OF THERMAL EFFECTS

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### Example:

Energetics of making a diamond from pencil lead.

We are looking for



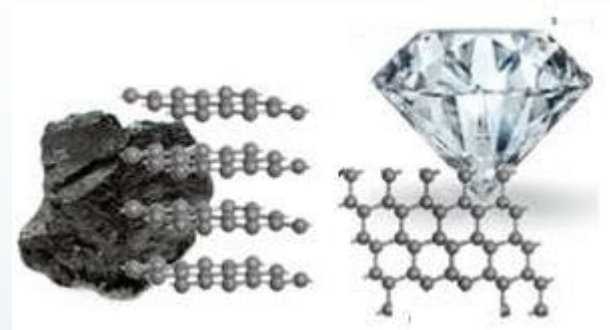
We know:



$$\Delta H = (\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{CO}_2) - \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{C}_{(g)}) - \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{O}_2)) - (\mathbf{H}(\mathbf{CO}_2) - \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{C}_{(d)}) - \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{O}_2))$$

$$\Delta H = \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{C}_{(g)}) - \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{C}_{(d)}) = -393.51 + 395.40 = 1.89 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

requires  $P > 20 \text{ GPa} = 200 \text{ Katm}$





# EXAMPLES OF CALCULATING THERMAL EFFECTS

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**Write the expression for heat of reaction at constant pressure**



$$\Delta U = Q_V = \sum n_i \Delta U_i \text{ (prod)} - \sum n_i \Delta U_i \text{ (substr)}$$

$$\Delta H = Q_p = \sum n_i \Delta H_i \text{ (prod)} - \sum n_i \Delta H_i \text{ (substr)}$$

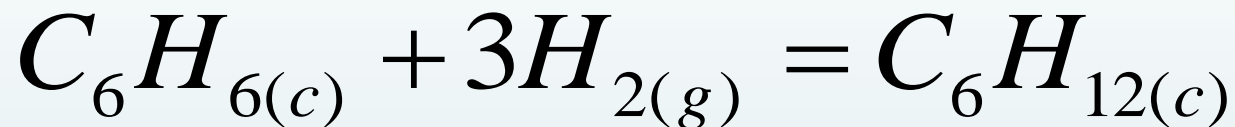
$$\Delta H = \Delta H_{SO_3} - \left( \frac{1}{2} \Delta H_{O_2} + \Delta H_{SO_2} \right)$$

The energy effect of a reaction is the sum of the enthalpy of formation



## Example

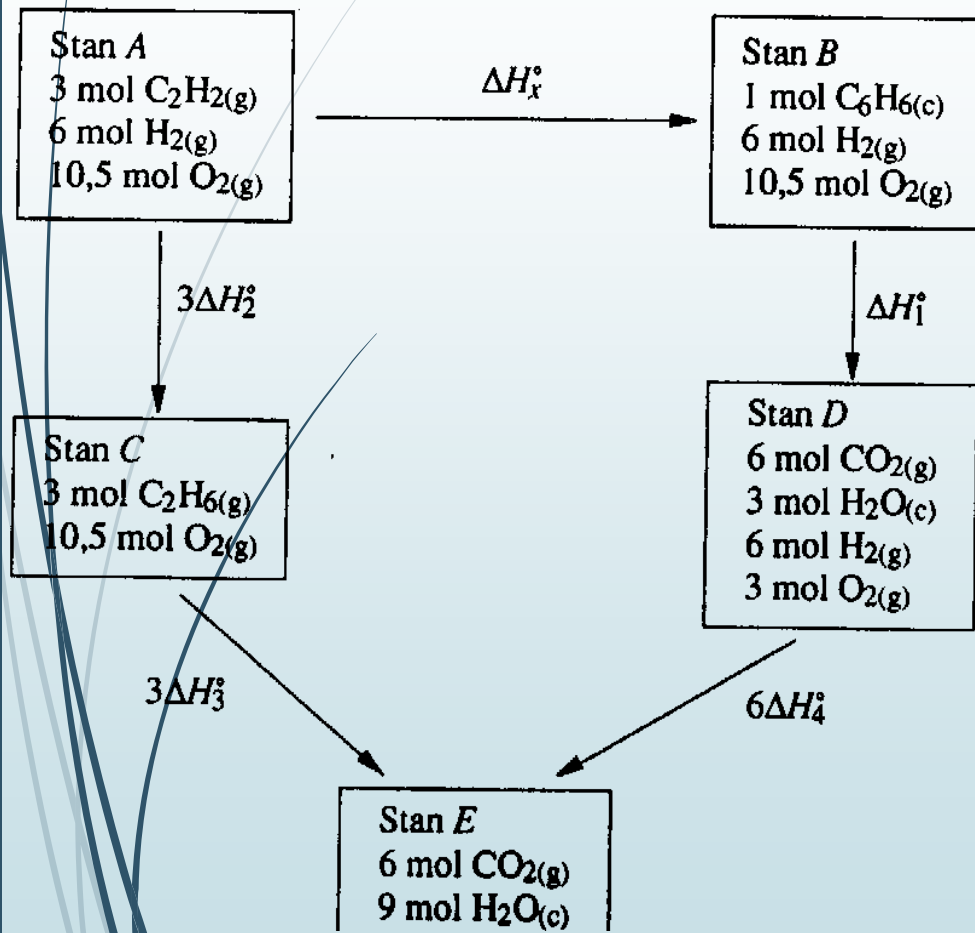
Calculate the standard enthalpy change for the hydrogenation of benzene:



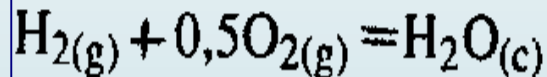
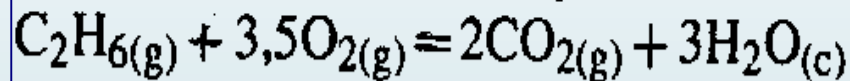
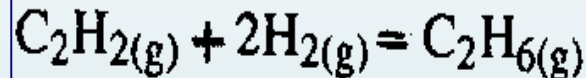
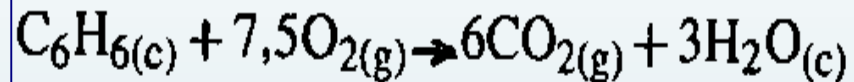
It is necessary to know thermochemical data,  
e.g. standard enthalpies of formation of reactants:

$$\Delta H_{298}^{\circ} = \Delta H_{298}^{\circ}(C_6H_{12}) - \Delta H_{298}^{\circ}(C_6H_6) - 3\Delta H_{298}^{\circ}(H_2)$$

Calculate the enthalpy of formation of liquid benzene from gaseous acetylene.



We have standard enthalpies for the following reactions



$$\Delta H_1^\circ = -3269,80 \text{ kJ} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$$

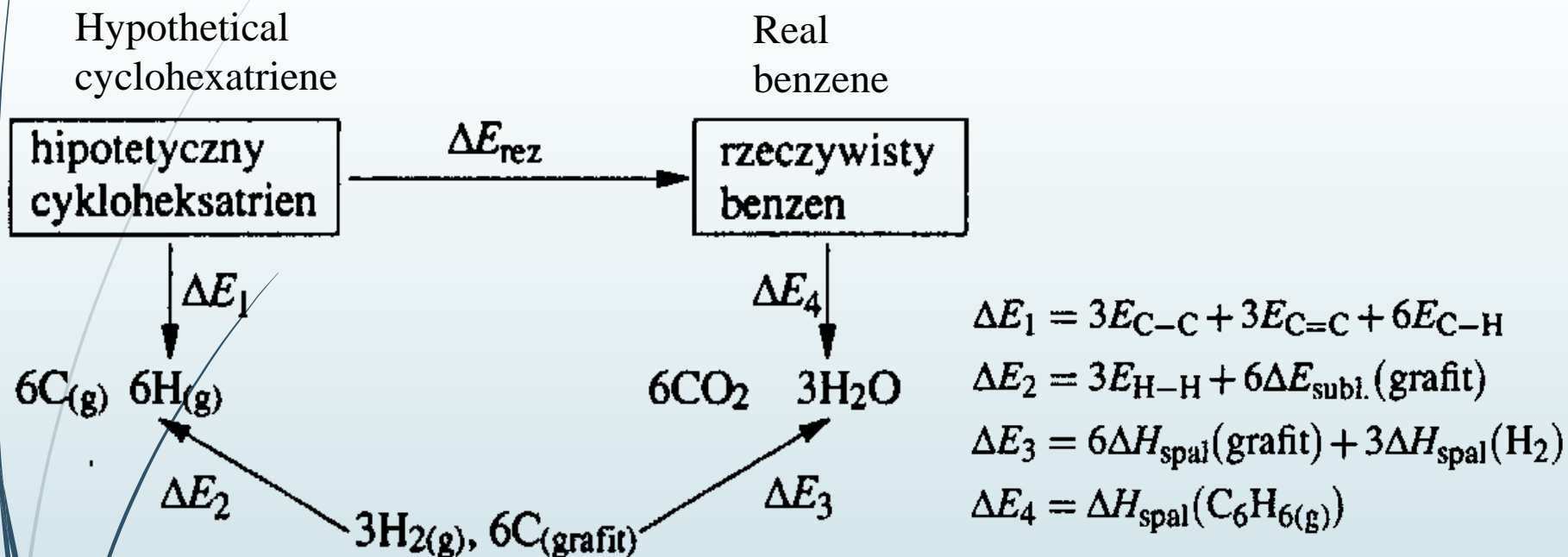
$$\Delta H_2^\circ = -310,62 \text{ kJ} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta H_3^\circ = -1560,92 \text{ kJ} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta H_4^\circ = -286,03 \text{ kJ} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta H_x = 3\Delta H_2 + 3\Delta H_3 - 6\Delta H_4 - \Delta H_1$$

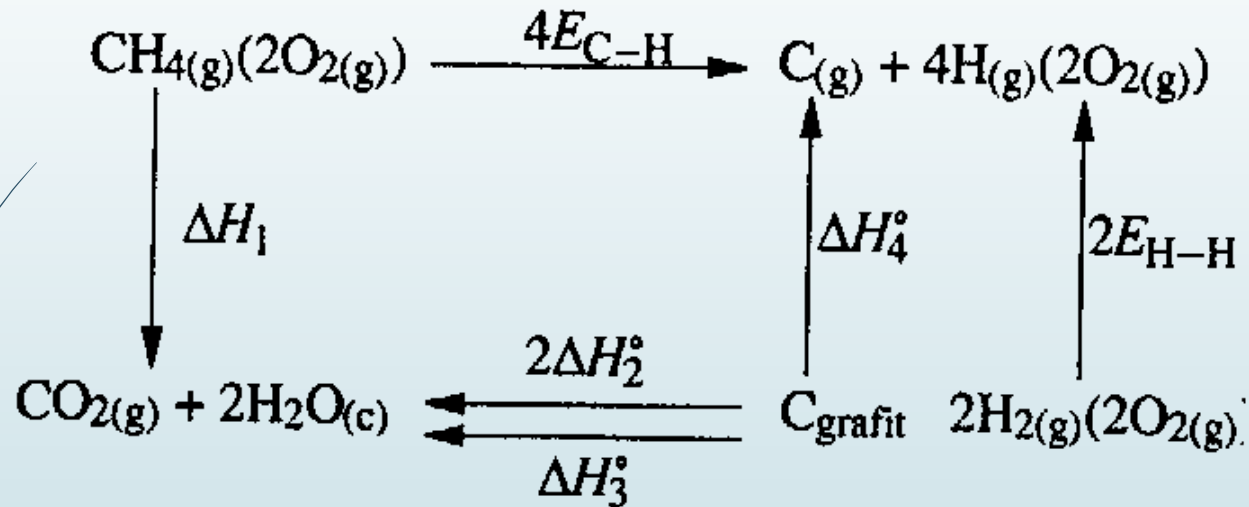
Estimate the resonance energy of benzene knowing the standard combustion enthalpies of: graphite ( $\Delta H_1$ ), hydrogen ( $\Delta H_2$ ), benzene ( $\Delta H_3$ )



$$\Delta E_{\text{rez}} = \Delta E_1 - \Delta E_2 + \Delta E_3 - \Delta E_4$$

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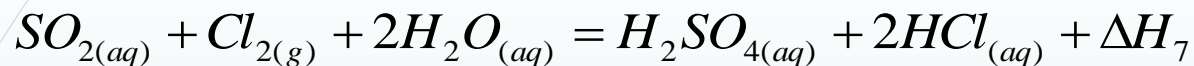
Estimation of the C-H bond energy knowing the standard combustion enthalpies: methane ( $\Delta H_1$ ), hydrogen ( $\Delta H_2$ ), graphite ( $\Delta H_3$ )



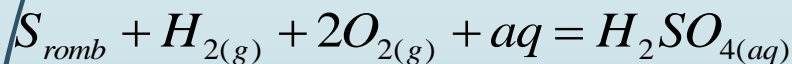
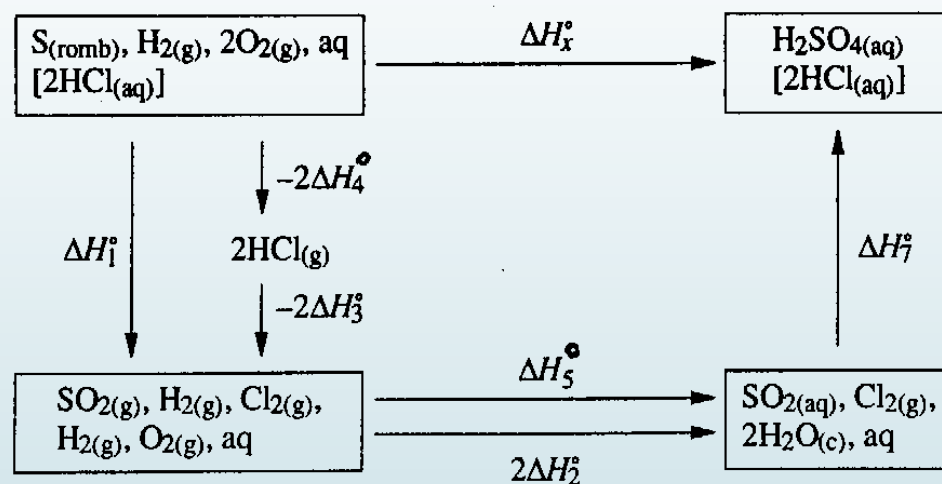
$$4\Delta H_{\text{C-H}} = \Delta H_1 - 2\Delta H_2 - \Delta H_3 + \Delta H_4 + 2\Delta H_{\text{H-H}}$$

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Calculate the standard enthalpy of formation of a liquid electrolyte in aqueous solution.



Data: standard enthalpies of combustion: sulfur in oxygen ( $\Delta H_1$ ), hydrogen in oxygen ( $\Delta H_2$ ), hydrogen in chlorine ( $\Delta H_3$ ), standard enthalpies of dissolution: gaseous hydrogen chloride ( $\Delta H_4$ ), gaseous SO<sub>2</sub> ( $\Delta H_5$ ), liquid sulfuric acid ( $\Delta H_6$ ), standard enthalpy of reaction ( $\Delta H_7$ ):

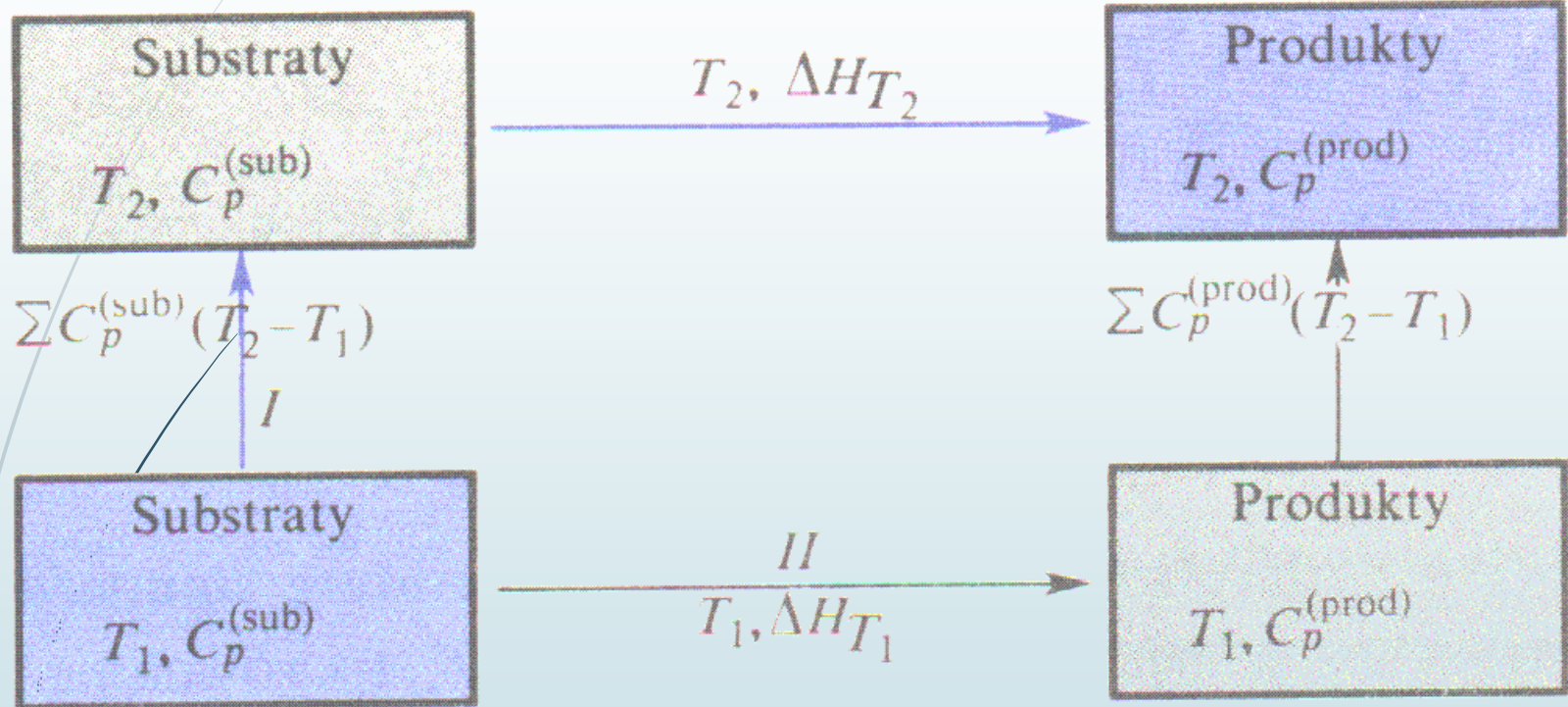


$$\Delta H_x = \Delta H_1 - 2\Delta H_4 - 2\Delta H_3 + \Delta H_5 + 2\Delta H_2 + \Delta H_7$$

# Kirchhoff's law

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## DEPENDENCE OF HEAT ON TEMPERATURE



Reaction paths

Method I – heating the substrates and carrying out the reaction

Method II – carrying out the reaction and heating the products

## Mathematical formulation of KIRCHHOFF's law

$$\left(\frac{\partial \Delta U_r^o}{\partial T}\right)_V = \left(\frac{\partial C_V}{\partial \xi}\right)_V = \sum_i \nu_i C_{V,i}^o$$

$$\Delta U_{r,T_2} = \Delta U_{r,T_1} + \int_{T_1}^{T_2} \sum \nu_i C_{V,i} dT$$

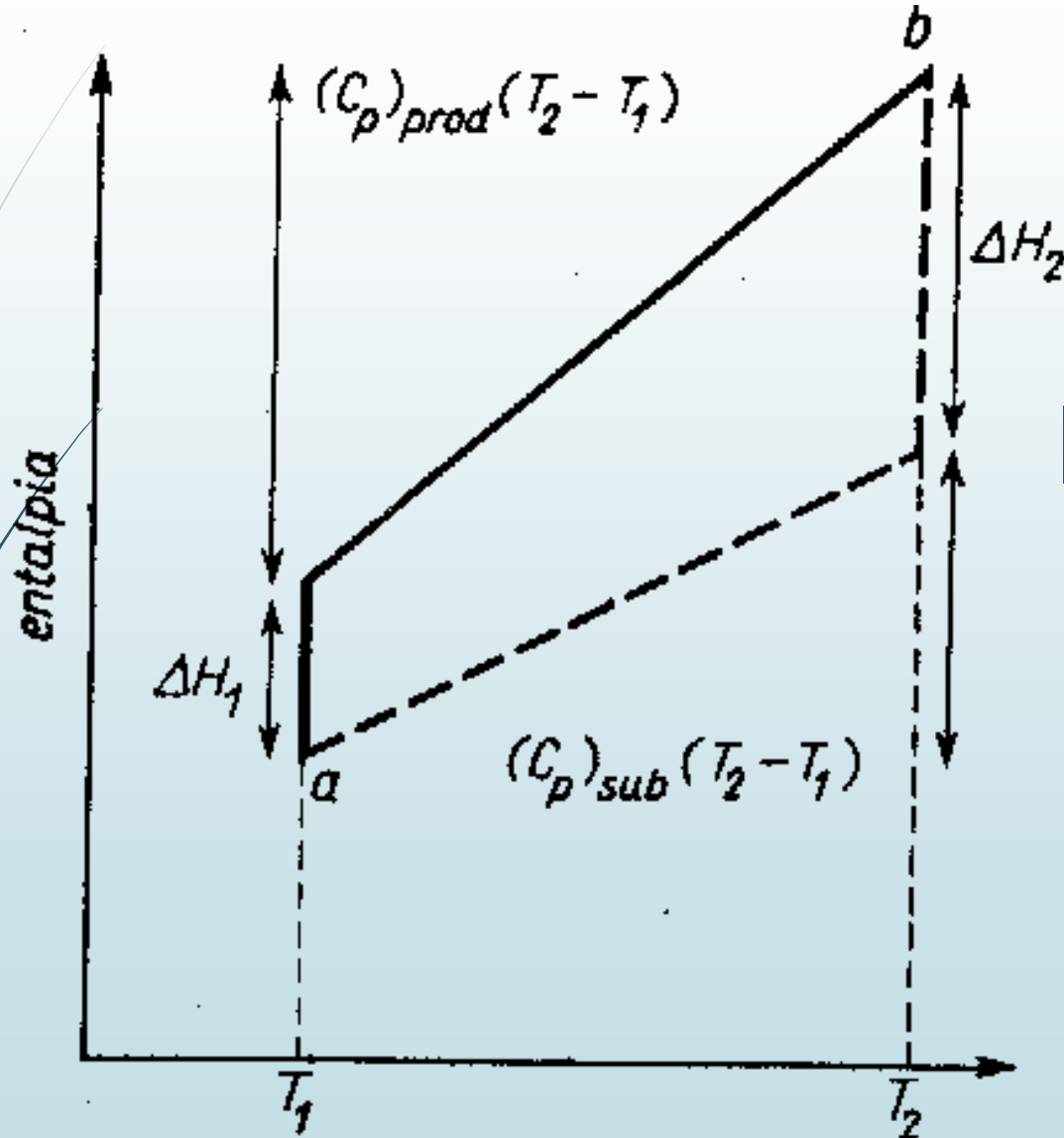
$$\left(\frac{\partial \Delta H_r^o}{\partial T}\right)_p = \left(\frac{\partial C_p}{\partial \xi}\right)_p = \sum_i \nu_i C_{p,i}^o$$

$$\Delta H_{r,T_2} = \Delta H_{r,T_1} + \int_{T_1}^{T_2} \sum \nu_i C_{p,i} dT$$



# Graphical interpretation of KIRCHHOFF's law

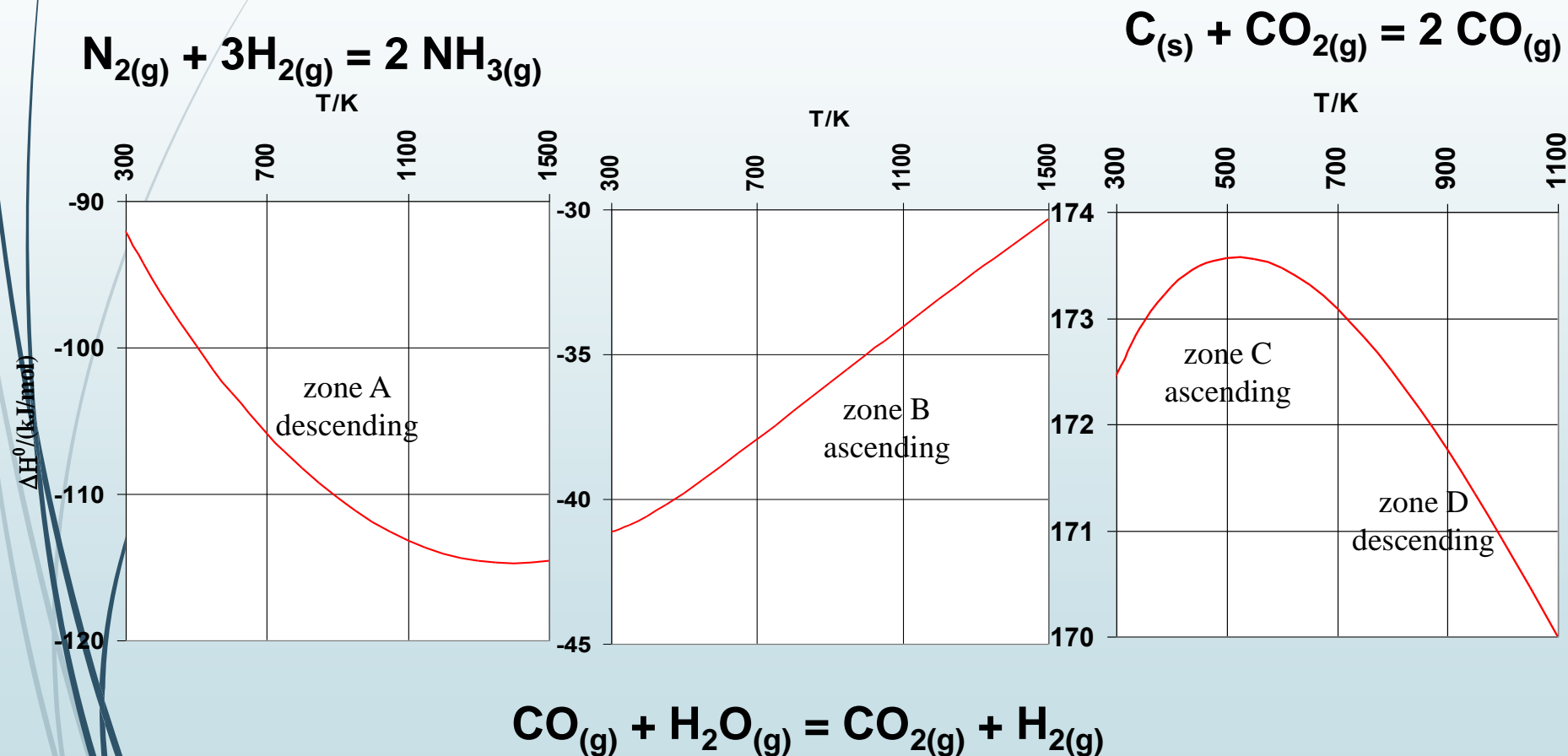
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$$C_p = a + b \cdot T + c \cdot T^{-2}$$

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An example of the effect of temperature on the energetics of a reaction  $\Delta H^\circ(T)$ :






















## Checklist of key equations

Property	Equation	Comment
First Law of thermodynamics	$\Delta U = q + w$	Acquisitive convention
Work of expansion	$dw = -p_{\text{ex}}dV$	
Work of expansion against a constant external pressure	$w = -p_{\text{ex}}\Delta V$	$p_{\text{ex}} = 0$ corresponds to free expansion
Work of isothermal reversible expansion of a perfect gas	$w = -nRT \ln(V_f/V_i)$	Isothermal, reversible, perfect gas
Heat capacity at constant volume	$C_V = (\partial U/\partial T)_V$	Definition
Heat capacity at constant pressure	$C_p = (\partial H/\partial T)_p$	Definition
Relation between heat capacities	$C_p - C_V = nR$	Perfect gas
Enthalpy	$H = U + pV$	Definition
The standard reaction enthalpy	$\Delta_r H^\ominus = \sum_{\text{Products}} \nu H_m^\ominus - \sum_{\text{Reactants}} \nu H_m^\ominus$	
Kirchhoff's law	$\Delta_r H^\ominus(T_2) = \Delta_r H^\ominus(T_1) + \int_{T_1}^{T_2} \Delta_r C_p^\ominus dT$	
Internal pressure	$\pi_T = (\partial U/\partial V)_T$	For a perfect gas, $\pi_T = 0$
Joule-Thomson coefficient	$\mu = (\partial T/\partial p)_H$	For a perfect gas, $\mu = 0$

**Further information 2.1** *Adiabatic processes*

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