



T-104
2022

Course Specification



Course Title: **Thermodynamics**

Course Code: **241CHEM3**

Program: **Bachelor in Chemistry**

Department: **Chemistry**

College: **College of Science**

Institution: **Jazan University (JU)**

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A. General information about the course:

Course Identification

1. Credit hours: 3h

2. Course type

a. University ☐ College ☐ Department ☒ Track ☐ Others ☐

b. Required ☒ Elective ☐

3. Level/year at which this course is offered: Level 7
Year 3

4. Course general Description

Course Title	Course Number	Contact Hours (CH)		Credit unit (CU)	Year	Level	Pre-requisite
		Lecture	Practical				
Thermodynamics	241 CHEM	2	1	3	3	7	201CHEM-4

The course is designed to give the students basic information about the thermodynamic chemistry, laws, thermochemistry, and phase rule

Course objectives: They are to identify the following.

- ❖ 1. Identify the types of thermodynamic systems and processes
- ❖ 2. Recognize the different thermodynamic laws and thermochemistry
- ❖ 3. Calculate the required thermodynamic parameters via solving problems
- ❖ 4. Identify the applications of thermodynamic phenomena
- ❖ 5. Understand the phase rule and related phase transitions
- ❖ 6. Investigate one, two and three component system and calculate degree of freedom.

Syllabus: A-Theoretical contents

Heat and work, Heat capacity, specific heat, thermodynamic process, thermodynamic laws: thermochemistry, Carnot cycle, Joule-Tomson effect Gibbs- Helmholtz free energy, phase rule, system with different component.

Syllabus: A-Practical contents

Experimental work illustrating selected parts of the theoretical content.





5. Pre-requirements for this course (if any): **344CHEM**

6. Co- requirements for this course (if any): **None**

7. Course Main Objective(s)

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1. Teaching mode (mark all that apply)

No	Mode of Instruction	Contact Hours	Percentage
1.	Traditional classroom	22	100
2.	E-learning		
3.	Hybrid <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Traditional classroom E-learning 		
4.	Distance learning		

2. Contact Hours (based on the academic semester)

No	Activity	Contact Hours
1.	Lectures	22
2.	Laboratory/Studio	22
3.	Field	
4.	Tutorial	
5.	Others (specify)	
	Total	44

B. Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs), Teaching Strategies and Assessment Methods

Code	Course Learning Outcomes	Code of CLOs aligned with program	Teaching Strategies	Assessment Methods
1.0	Knowledge and understanding; (Upon completion of the course, student will be able to)			
1.1	Demonstrate a broad understanding and critical view on the principle of thermodynamic chemistry, Concepts, and terminology of thermodynamic topics, including Heat, Work, different types of systems, and laws of thermodynamic	K(1.1)	lecture / discussion Seminars /presentation	Objective question



Code	Course Learning Outcomes	Code of CLOs aligned with program	Teaching Strategies	Assessment Methods
1.2	Describe correctly the different phenomena associated with thermodynamic laws, phase rule, and phase transitions	K(1.2)	<i>lecture / discussion / Seminars /Individual presentation</i>	Essay question
2.0	Skills: (Upon completion of the course, student will be able to)			
2.1	Demonstrate critical thinking, numeracy, statistical, analytical reasoning, use graphs, charts and solve problems related to work, Enthalpy, internal energy, Entropy, Gibbs free energy, Helmholtz free energy, degree of freedom, and systems with different components.	S(2.1)	<i>lecture / discussion / Seminars /Individual presentation</i>	Solving Problems & chart analysis
2.2	Perform experiments in Thermodynamic chemistry, record, analyze, interpret the scientific data, and write reports. (M)	S(2.2)	<i>Lab work, group work</i>	<i>Objective question, Essay question, lab report rubric</i>
2.3	Knows the proper procedures and regulations for safe handling and use of chemicals and can follow the correct techniques and rules for secure handling when using chemicals. (P)	S(2.3)	<i>lab demonstrations / hands-on student learning activities</i>	<i>Safety exam</i>
3.0	Values, autonomy, and responsibility; (Upon completion of the course, student will be able to)			
3.1	Working as a group leader in cooperation with other colleagues. (P)	V(3.1)	<i>lab demonstrations / whole group and small group discussion</i>	<i>Practical group work Rubric</i>



C. Course Content

No	List of Topics	Contact Hours
1.	<i>Basics of thermodynamic chemistry</i>	3
2.	<i>The 0th. Law of thermodynamics and Gases</i>	2
3.	<i>Work and Heat, Internal Energy and the 1st. Law of Thermodynamics</i>	3
4.	<i>Entropy, the 2nd. Law of Thermodynamics and More on Entropy</i>	3
5.	<i>The 3rd. Law of Thermodynamics</i>	2
6.	<i>Thermochemistry</i>	3
7.	<i>Solutions and Condensed Phases Equilibrium and Chemical Equilibrium, Changes in Equilibrium Constants</i>	2
8.	<i>A Single -Component System and Phase Transition</i>	2
9.	<i>The Gibbs Phase Rule and Two Components: Liquid/Liquid Systems</i>	2
10.	<i>Selected topics related to course content</i>	22
Total		44

D. Students Assessment Activities

No	Assessment Activities *	Assessment timing (in week no)	Percentage of Total Assessment Score
1.	Homework assignment	3-8	1%
2.	Lecture Quizzes	4-6	4%
3.	Mid-term exam	6-8	15 %
4.	LAB Sheet	11	5 %
5.	Quiz in Safety	10-11	3%
6.	Final practical exam	11	10 %
7.	Lab report	2-10	10 %
8.	Group work evaluation	2-10	2%
9.	Final Exam	12-14	50 %
	Total		100 %

*Assessment Activities (i.e., Written test, oral test, oral presentation, group project, essay, etc.)

E. Learning Resources and Facilities

1. References and Learning Resources

Essential References	Physical Chemistry (Second Edition) by David W. Ball, Cleveland State University, 2014.
Supportive References	Essentials Of Physical Chemistry. Bahl A., et al. S. Chand. 2010, English. 4ed. 1166\1166. 1122910 Translated Arabic version of peter Atkins (KSU)





Electronic Materials	Some course contents and materials are posted on Black board sites
Other Learning Materials	www.wikipedia.org/ https://chem.libretexts.org/Special:Search?qid=&fpid=230&fpth=&query=thermodynamic&type=wiki

2. Required Facilities and equipment

Items	Resources
facilities (Classrooms, laboratories, exhibition rooms, simulation rooms, etc.)	1 Lecture room(s) for groups of 50 students
Technology equipment (Projector, smart board, software)	Smart board, Data show, Black board, internet
Other equipment (Depending on the nature of the specialty)	none

F. Assessment of Course Quality

Assessment Areas/Issues	Assessor	Assessment Methods
Effectiveness of teaching		Likert-type Survey CES) Indirect
Effectiveness of students' assessment		Classroom evaluation (direct & indirect
Quality of learning resources		Indirect
The extent to which CLOs have been achieved		Indirect
Other		

Assessor (Students, Faculty, Program Leaders, Peer Reviewer, Others (specify)

Assessment Methods (Direct, Indirect)

G. Specification Approval Data

COUNCIL /COMMITTEE	Chemistry Department Council CHEMS2301
REFERENCE NO.	CHEMS230104
DATE	11/1/2023G – 18/06/1444H





H. Attachments

1- Practical Work

Week	EXPERIMENTAL TITLE	Chemicals and Apparatus used	Remarks
1	Safety and regulations		
2	<i>The Heat Capacity of the Calorimeter.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Styrofoam cups <input type="checkbox"/> Ice <input type="checkbox"/> 100 mL graduated cylinder <input type="checkbox"/> Cardboard lid w/ hole <input type="checkbox"/> DI water <input type="checkbox"/> Burner or hot plate	None
3-4	<i>Heat of Fusion of ICE.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer (-10 to 110 °C) <input type="checkbox"/> 150 mL Beaker <input type="checkbox"/> Watch or Clock <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer clamp <input type="checkbox"/> 250 mL Beaker <input type="checkbox"/> Centigram balance	None
3-4	<i>Specific Heat Capacity of an Unknown Metal.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Styrofoam cups <input type="checkbox"/> Ice <input type="checkbox"/> 100 mL graduated cylinder <input type="checkbox"/> Cardboard lid w/ hole <input type="checkbox"/> DI water <input type="checkbox"/> Burner or hot plate <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer (-10 to 110 °C) <input type="checkbox"/> 150 mL Beaker <input type="checkbox"/> Watch or Clock <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer clamp <input type="checkbox"/> 250 mL Beaker <input type="checkbox"/> Centigram balance <input type="checkbox"/> metal sample (i.e.: Iron, Copper, Zinc, Aluminum...)	None
5-6	<i>Heat of Solution of a Salt. (exo- and endo-) thermic dissolution.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Styrofoam cup <input type="checkbox"/> Balance <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer <input type="checkbox"/> 100 mL graduated cylinder <input type="checkbox"/> Anhydrous Sodium acetate, <input type="checkbox"/> Ammonium nitrate, NH ₄ NO ₃	None
5-6	<i>Heat of Neutralization.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Styrofoam cups <input type="checkbox"/> Ice <input type="checkbox"/> 100 mL graduated cylinder <input type="checkbox"/> Cardboard lid w/ hole <input type="checkbox"/> DI water <input type="checkbox"/> Burner or hot plate <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer (-10 to 110 °C) <input type="checkbox"/> 150 mL Beaker	None





		<input type="checkbox"/> Watch or Clock <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer clamp <input type="checkbox"/> 250 mL Beaker <input type="checkbox"/> centigram balance <input type="checkbox"/> NaOH, HCl and CH ₃ COOH	
7	Heat of Precipitation.	<input type="checkbox"/> Foam cup <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer <input type="checkbox"/> Silver nitrate solution <input type="checkbox"/> Sodium chloride solution	None
7-8	Heats of Reaction – Hess's Law.	<input type="checkbox"/> Styrofoam cup <input type="checkbox"/> Balance <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer <input type="checkbox"/> 100 mL graduated cylinder <input type="checkbox"/> sodium hydroxide, NaOH <input type="checkbox"/> 1M sodium hydroxide <input type="checkbox"/> 1M Hydrochloric acid <input type="checkbox"/> 0.5M Hydrochloric acid <input type="checkbox"/> Distilled water	None
8	The Thermodynamics of Solubility.	<input type="checkbox"/> Solid KNO ₃ <input type="checkbox"/> Boiling water bath <input type="checkbox"/> Graduated cylinders <input type="checkbox"/> one 50 mL graduated cylinder with the plastic base removed <input type="checkbox"/> one 25 mL graduated cylinder <input type="checkbox"/> one 10 mL graduated cylinder <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer or temperature measuring probe <input type="checkbox"/> Large test tube	None
8-9	Spontaneity of Reaction.	<input type="checkbox"/> Solid KNO ₃ <input type="checkbox"/> Foam cup <input type="checkbox"/> Graduated cylinders <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer or temperature measuring probe	Metal sheets and equipment are not available
8-9	Determination of Critical Solution Temperature (CST)	<input type="checkbox"/> Test tubes, <input type="checkbox"/> boiling tube as air jacket, <input type="checkbox"/> thermometer (graduated to 0.1°C), <input type="checkbox"/> stirrer, <input type="checkbox"/> beakers, <input type="checkbox"/> phenol, water <input type="checkbox"/> sodium chloride 1N, <input type="checkbox"/> Hot plate.	Metal sheets and equipment are not available
10	Phase diagram of 3 Component systems	<input type="checkbox"/> Test tubes, <input type="checkbox"/> thermometer (graduated to 0.1°C), <input type="checkbox"/> stirrer, <input type="checkbox"/> beakers, <input type="checkbox"/> Ethanol / Toluene / Water	Metal sheets and equipment are not available
11	Final exam		





2- Blue Print

Course Name	Thermodynamics
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PLOs	K1	K2	S1	S2	S3	S4	V1	V2
CLOs								3.2
Marks	30	24	16	25	3		2	---

Learning Domain	PLOs	CLOs	Assessment Type	Assessment Tool	No of Questions	Marks of the Assessment	Weight of the Assessment
Knowledge & understanding	K1	1.1 (30 M)	Quiz	Objective question	3	3	2
			Mid term	Objective question	1	5	6
			Final Exam	Objective question	2	22	22
	K2	1.2 (24 M)	Quiz	Essay question	2	2	2
			Mid term	Essay question	1	5	5
			Final Exam	Essay question	2	17	17
Skills	S1	2.1 (16M)	H.W	Solving Problems & chart analysis	4	1	1
			Mid term	Solving Problems & chart analysis	2	4	4
			Final Exam	Solving Problems & chart analysis	6	11	11
	S2	2.2 (25 M)	Practical Sheet	MCQ	6	5	5
			Lab Report	Lab Report Rubric	10	10	10
			Final Lab Exam	1 Task experiment	1	12	10
	S3	2.3 (3 M)	Safety Quiz	MCQ	8	3	3
Values	V1	3.1(2M)	Groupwork evaluation	rubric			2
TOTAL		100					100

