Chemistry 163B

Electrochemistry

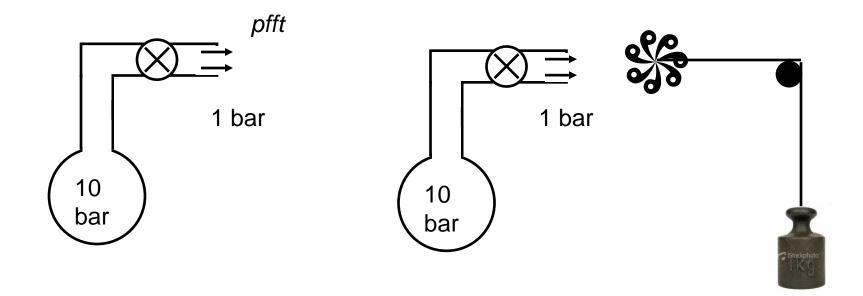
activity coefficients for ions (HW9 #58)

$$BaCl_{2}(s) \rightleftharpoons Ba^{2+}(aq) + 2Cl^{-}(aq)$$
$$K_{sp} = \frac{\left(a_{Ba^{2+}(aq)}\right)\left(a_{Cl^{-}(aq)}\right)^{2}}{\left(a_{BaCl_{2}(s)}\right)}$$
$$a_{BaCl_{2}(s)} = 1$$
$$a_{Ba^{2+}(aq)} = \gamma_{Ba^{2+}} \left[Ba^{2+}\right]$$
$$a_{Cl^{-}(aq)} = \gamma_{Cl^{-}} \left[Cl^{-}\right]$$

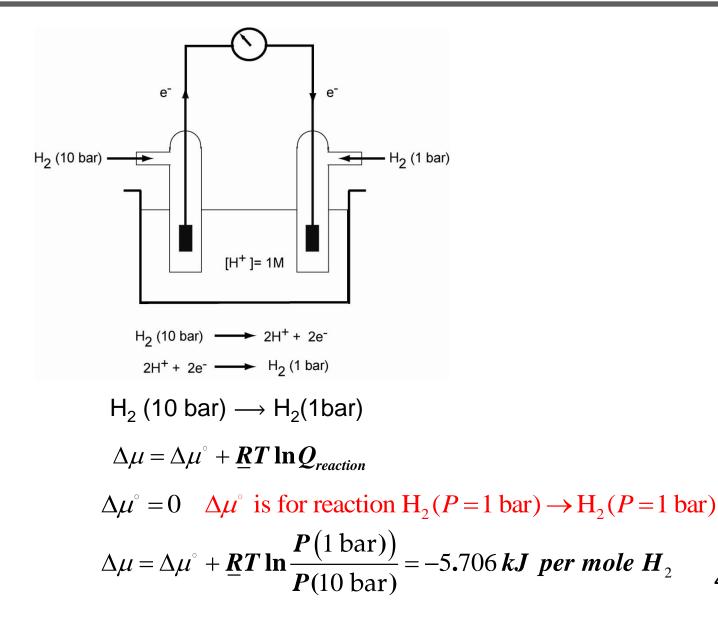
cannot determine $\gamma_{Ba^{2+}}$ and $\gamma_{Cl^{-}}$ independently but only $\gamma_{Ba^{2+}} = \gamma_{Cl^{-}} = \gamma_{\pm} \quad (\gamma_{+} = \gamma_{-} \equiv \gamma_{\pm})$

$$K_{sp} = \frac{\left(\gamma \pm\right)^{3}}{1} \frac{\left(\left[Ba^{2+}\right]/1M\right)\left(\left[Cl^{-}\right]/1M\right)^{2}}{(1)}$$
$$K_{sp} = \left(\gamma \pm\right)^{3} \left[Ba^{2+}\right]\left[Cl^{-}\right]^{2}$$

 H_2 (10 bar) $\rightarrow H_2$ (1 bar)



hydrogen pressure ['concentration'] cell (reaction I of III)



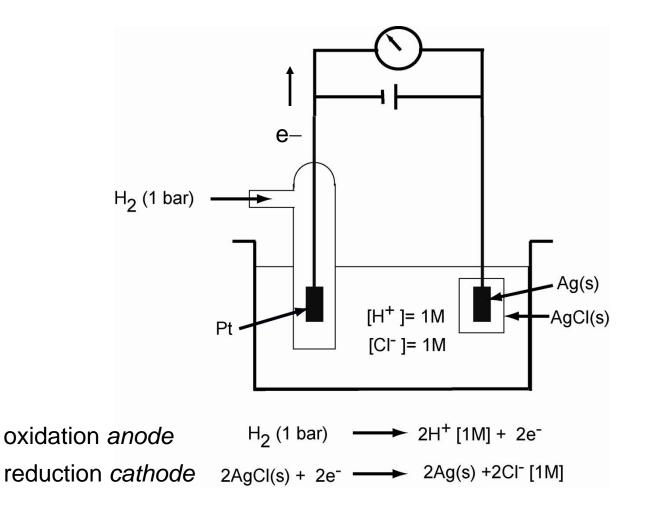
$$d\mu = d\overline{H} - Td\overline{S} - \overline{S}dT$$

$$d\mu = \underbrace{d\overline{q} - Td\overline{S}}_{\leq 0 \text{ by 2nd law}} - \overline{S}dT + VdP + d\overline{w}_{other} \quad (\text{very general})$$

$$\overset{\leq 0 \text{ by 2nd law}}{\leq d\mu_{T,P}} \leq d\overline{w}_{other}$$

for a spontaneous process at constant T,P the MAXIMUM work done ON SURROUNDINGS is $|\Delta\mu|$ and this occurs when the process approaches

REVERSIBILITY



 $2e^{-} + H_2 (g, 1 bar) + 2AgCl(s) \rightarrow 2H^+ [1M] + 2Cl^- [1M] + 2Ag(s) + 2e^-$

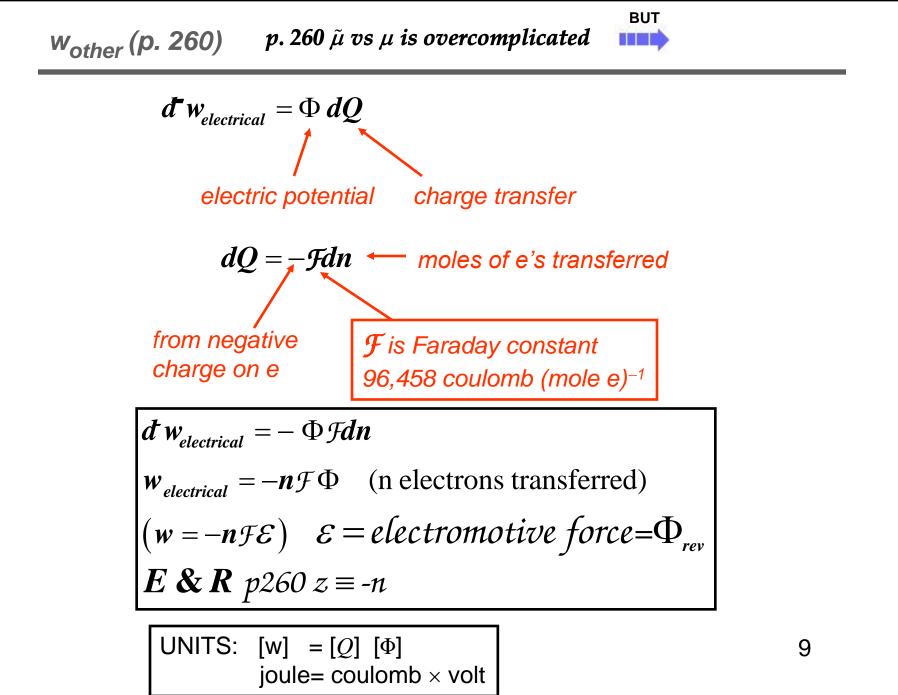
 $\Delta \mu$ for the reaction (see Appendix A, Table 4.1 for data; additional decimal places from other tables)

 $e^- + \frac{1}{2} H_2$ (g, 1atm) + AgCl(s) \rightarrow H⁺ [1M] + Cl⁻ [1M] + Ag(s) + e^-

 $\Delta \mu \approx \Delta G$ =-21.44 kJ per ½ mole H₂

 $\Delta\mu$ for 1 mole e⁻ transferred

TABLE 2.1 Types of Work				
Types of Work	Variables	Equation for Work	Conventional Units	
Volume expansion	Pressure (P), volume (V)	$w = -\int_{V_i}^{V_f} P_{external} dV$	$Pa m^3 = J$	
Stretching	Force (F) , length (l)	$w = \int_{x_i}^{x_f} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{l}$	N m = J	
Surface expansion	Surface tension (γ) , area (σ)	$w = \int_{\sigma_i}^{\sigma_f} \boldsymbol{\gamma} \cdot d\boldsymbol{\sigma}$	$(N \; m^{-1})(m^2) = J$	
Electrical	Electrical potential (ϕ), electrical charge (Q)	$w = \int_0^Q \phi dQ'$	V C = J	



$$\begin{split} \Delta \mu_{T,P} &\leq w_{other} \\ \Delta \mu_{T,P} &< -n\mathcal{F} \ \Phi_{cell}^{irrev} \qquad \Phi_{cell}^{irrev} \text{ for irreversible} \\ \Delta \mu_{T,P} &= -n\mathcal{F} \ \Phi_{cell} \qquad \Phi_{cell}^{ell} = \mathcal{E} m f \text{ for reversible} \end{split}$$

 $\Delta \mu_{\text{T,P}}$ < 0 spontaneous $\Rightarrow \Phi$ > 0 spontaneous

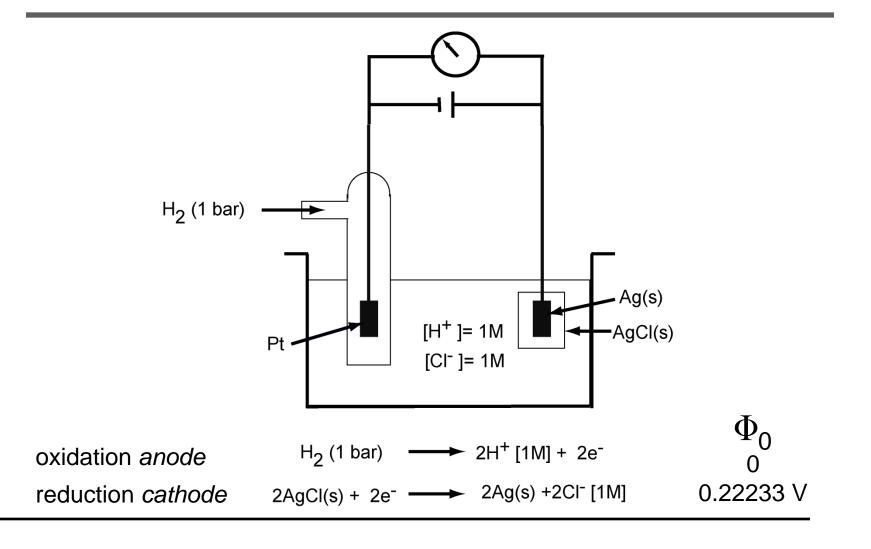
$$\Delta \mu = \Delta \mu^{\circ} + \underline{R}T \ln Q_{reaction} = -n\mathcal{F}\Phi$$

$$\Phi = -\frac{\Delta \mu^{\circ}}{n\mathcal{F}} - \frac{\underline{RT}}{n\mathcal{F}} \ln Q_{reaction}$$
$$\Phi^{\circ}$$

$$\Phi = \Phi^{\circ} - \frac{\underline{RT}}{n\mathcal{F}} \ln Q_{reaction}$$
$$T = 298K$$
$$\Phi = \Phi^{\circ} - \frac{0.02569 \text{ V}}{\overline{n}} \ln Q_{reaction}$$

$$n = \text{moles electrons transferred}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} n \end{bmatrix} = \text{mol}$$
$$\overline{n} = n \times \text{mol}^{-1}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} \overline{n} \end{bmatrix} = unitless$$

responsible for 3 redox reactions; here's II (HW9, prob #60)



 $2e^{-} + H_2 (g, 1bar) + 2AgCI(s) \longrightarrow 2H^+ [1M] + 2CI^- [1M] + 2Ag(s) + 2e^{-} 0.22233 V$ 12 $2e^- + H_2$ (g, 1bar) + 2AgCl(s) $\rightarrow 2H^+$ [1M] + 2Cl⁻ [1M] + 2Ag(s) + 2e⁻

$$\Phi = \Phi^{\circ} - \frac{0.02569 \text{ V}}{\overline{n}} \ln \left[\frac{a_{H^{+}}^{2} a_{Cl^{-}}^{2} a_{Ag(s)}^{2}}{a_{H_{2}} a_{AgCl(s)}^{2}} \right]$$
$$a_{AgCl} = a_{Ag} = 1$$
$$a_{H^{+}} = \gamma_{H^{+}} [H^{+}] \quad a_{Cl^{-}} = \gamma_{Cl^{-}} [Cl^{-}]$$

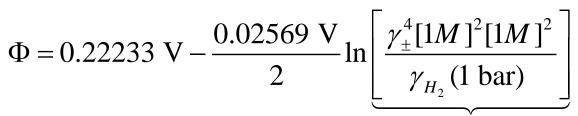
can't independently meansure γ_{H^+} and γ_{Cl^-}

 $\gamma_{H^+}=\gamma_{Cl^-}=\gamma_{\pm}$

$$\Phi = \Phi^{\circ} - \frac{0.02569 \text{ V}}{\overline{n}} \ln \left[\frac{\gamma_{\pm}^{4} [H^{+}]^{2} [Cl^{-}]^{2}}{\gamma_{H_{2}} P_{H_{2}}} \right]$$

$$\Phi = \Phi^{\circ} - \frac{0.02569 \text{ V}}{n} \ln \left[\frac{\gamma_{\pm}^{4} [H^{+}]^{2} [Cl^{-}]^{2}}{\gamma_{H_{2}} P_{H_{2}}} \right]$$

0.22233 V 2 e's



unitless; have dropped standard state concs and pressure from denominators

$$\Phi = 0.22233 - \frac{0.02569 \text{ V}}{2} \ln \left[\frac{\gamma_{\pm}^{4} [1M]^{2} [1M]^{2}}{\gamma_{H_{2}} (1 \text{ bar})} \right]$$

Calculate γ's from observed Φ (HW9, prob 60)
If γ's =1

$$\Phi = 0.22233 \text{ V} - \frac{0.02569 \text{ V}}{2} \ln[1] = 0.22233 \text{ V} = \Phi^{\circ}$$
$$\Delta \mu = -n\mathcal{F}\Phi$$
$$\Delta \mu = -2 \ mol \ (96,485 \ C \ mol^{-1}) (0.22233 \ V)$$
$$\Delta \mu = -4.290 \times 10^4 \ CV = -42.90 \ kJ$$

 $\Delta \mu^{\circ} = -42.88 \text{ kJ for 2 moles } e^- \text{ transferred [from } \Delta \mu_f^{\circ} \text{ earlier]}$

intensive Φ vs extensive $\Delta \mu \qquad \Phi = - (\Delta \mu / n \mathcal{F})$

$$H_2 (g, 1 \text{ bar}) \longrightarrow 2\text{H}^+ [1\text{M}] + 2e^- \qquad \Phi^\circ = 0 \lor$$

2e⁻ + 2AgCl(s) → 2Cl⁻ [1M] + 2Ag(s)
$$\Phi^\circ = 0.22233 \lor$$

 $2e^- + H_2$ (g, 1 bar) + 2AgCl(s) $\rightarrow 2H^+$ [1M] + 2Cl⁻ [1M] + 2Ag(s) + 2e⁻

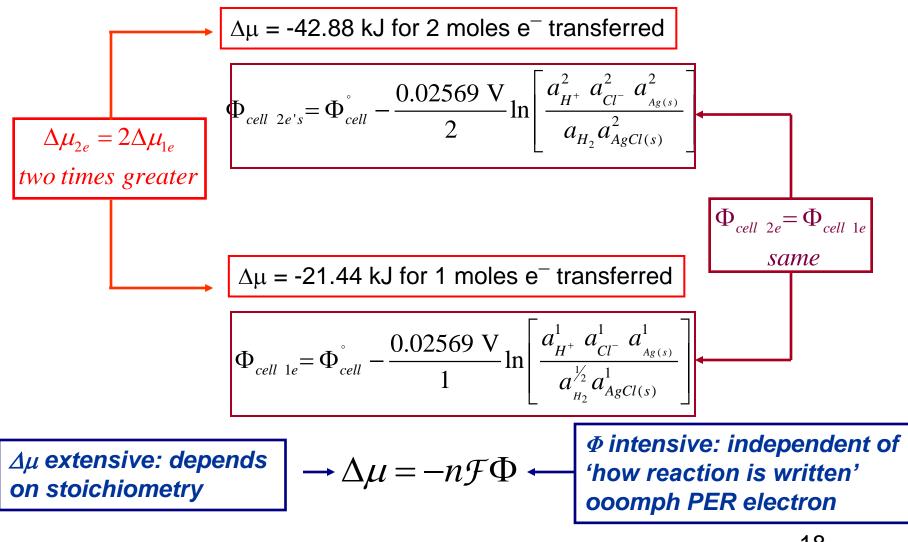
$$\Phi_{\text{cell}}^{\circ}$$
= 0.22233 V

 $\Delta \mu$ = -42.88 kJ for 2 moles e⁻ transferred

$$\Phi_{cell\ 2e's} = \Phi_{cell}^{\circ} - \frac{0.02569 \text{ V}}{2} \ln \left[\frac{a_{H^+}^2 a_{Cl^-}^2 a_{Ag(s)}^2}{a_{H_2} a_{AgCl(s)}^2} \right]$$

intensive Φ vs extensive $\Delta \mu$ $\Phi = - (\Delta \mu / n\mathcal{F})$

$$\begin{split} & \overset{1}{_{2}}\text{H}_{2}\left(\text{g}, 1 \text{ bar}\right) \longrightarrow \text{H}^{+}\left[1\text{M}\right] \text{ +e}^{-} & \Phi^{\circ} = 0 \text{ V} \\ & e^{-} + \text{AgCl}(\text{s}) \longrightarrow \text{Cl}^{-}\left[1\text{M}\right] + \text{Ag}(\text{s}) & \Phi^{\circ} = 0.22233 \text{ V} \\ e^{-} + \overset{1}{_{2}}\text{H}_{2}\left(\text{g}, 1 \text{ bar}\right) + \text{AgCl}(\text{s}) \longrightarrow \text{H}^{+}\left[1\text{M}\right] + \text{Cl}^{-}\left[1\text{M}\right] + \text{Ag}(\text{s}) & +e^{-} \\ & \Phi_{\text{cell}}^{\circ} = 0.22233 \text{ V} \\ \hline \Delta\mu = -21.44 \text{ kJ for 1 moles } e^{-} \text{ transferred} & \Phi_{\text{cell}}^{\circ} = 0.22233 \text{ V} \\ & \Phi_{\text{cell}}^{\circ} = 0.2233$$



cell

$$\Psi_{2}O_{2}(g) + 2H^{+}(aq) + 2CytC(Fe^{2+}) \rightarrow 2CytC(Fe^{3+}) + H_{2}O(\ell)$$

$$\Phi_{cell} = \Phi_{cell}^{\circ'} - \frac{RT}{n\mathcal{F}} \ln[\mathcal{Q}] = \Phi_{cell}^{\circ'} - \frac{RT}{n\mathcal{F}} \ln\left[\frac{\dots}{(\frac{\gamma_{\pm}[H^{+}]}{10^{-7}M})^{2}\left(\frac{\gamma_{O_{2}}P_{O_{2}}}{1bar}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}\dots}\right]$$
standard state '

what's Φ° ? what's Q ? what's n ?



$$\Delta \mu = -n\mathcal{F}\Phi$$
$$\Phi = -\frac{\Delta \mu}{n\mathcal{F}}$$

$$\Delta \mu^{\circ} = -\underline{R}T \ln K_{eq} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \Phi^{\circ} = \frac{\underline{R}T}{n\mathcal{F}} \ln K_{eq}$$
$$\left(\frac{\partial \Delta \mu}{\partial T}\right)_{P} = -\Delta \overline{S} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left(\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial T}\right)_{P} = \frac{\Delta \overline{S}}{n\mathcal{F}}$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial \frac{\Delta \mu}{T}}{\partial T}\right)_{P} = -\frac{\Delta \overline{H}}{T^{2}} \implies \left(\frac{\partial \frac{\Phi}{T}}{\partial T}\right)_{P} = \frac{\Delta \overline{H}}{n\mathcal{F}T^{2}}$$

$$\begin{split} \left(\frac{\partial\Delta\mu}{\partial T}\right)_{p} &= -\Delta\overline{S} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \left(\frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial T}\right)_{p} = \frac{\Delta\overline{S}}{n\mathcal{F}} \\ \Delta\mu &= \Delta\overline{H} - T\Delta\overline{S} \\ \Delta\overline{H} &= \Delta\mu + T\Delta\overline{S} = -n\mathcal{F}\Phi + T \ n\mathcal{F}\left(\frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial T}\right)_{p} \\ \swarrow \\ \left(\frac{\partial\Delta\overline{H}}{\partial T}\right)_{p} &= \Delta C_{p} = -n\mathcal{F}\left(\frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial T}\right)_{p} + n\mathcal{F}\left(\frac{\partial\Phi}{\partial T}\right)_{p} + n\mathcal{F}T\left(\frac{\partial^{2}\Phi}{\partial T^{2}}\right)_{p} \\ \Delta C_{p} &= n\mathcal{F}T\left(\frac{\partial^{2}\Phi}{\partial T^{2}}\right)_{p} \end{split}$$

Electrochemistry:

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$$\Delta \mu_{\text{reaction}} = -n \mathcal{F} \Phi_{\text{cell}}$$

$$\Phi = \Phi^{\circ} - \frac{\underline{RT}}{n\mathcal{F}} \ln Q$$
$$\Phi = \Phi^{\circ} - \frac{0.02569 \text{ V}}{\overline{n}} \ln Q \quad at \ T = 298K$$

battery -

- nicely package electrochemical cell
- closed system
- runs irreversibly ($\Phi < E$)
- may be recharged (storage battery)

fuel cell-

- electrochemical cell
- open system (reactants continuously flow in)

compare:

 $W_{electrical}$ (on surr) from lead storage battery ΔG=-377 kJ mol⁻¹, ΔH =-228 kJ mol⁻¹

with

 W_{P-V} (on surr) of heat engine using $q_{upper} = -\Delta H_{storage \ battery}$

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heat engine: T_u=600K, T_L=300K

\epsilon=(600-300)/600= 0.5

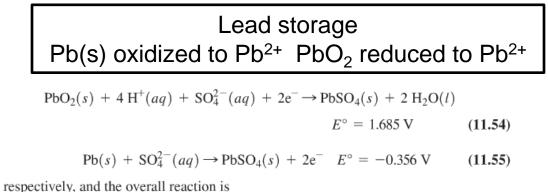
w_{P-V}=(0.5)*228 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> = 114 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>
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battery: ΔG =-377 kJ mol⁻¹, T=300K w_{electrical}=- ΔG = 377 kJ mol⁻¹

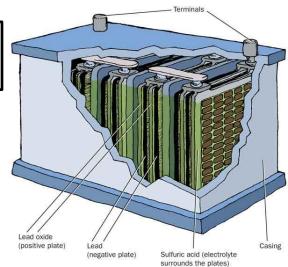
the winner:

$$\frac{w_{electrical}}{w_{P-V}} = \frac{377}{114} = 3.31$$

types of batteries

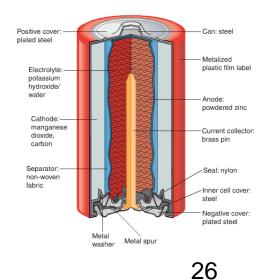


 $PbO_2(s) + Pb(s) + 2 H_2SO_4(aq) \implies 2 PbSO_4(s) + 2 H_2O(l) E^\circ = 2.04 V$ (11.56)



Alkaline storage (no liquids) Zn(s) oxidized to Zn^{2+} MnO₂ reduced to Mn₂O₃

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Zn}(s) + 2\text{OH}^{-}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{ZnO}(s) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(l) + 2\text{e}{-} & +1.26\text{V} \\ 2\text{MnO}_2(s) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(l) + 2\text{e}{-} \rightarrow \text{Mn}_2\text{O}_3(s) + 2\text{OH}{-}(\text{aq}) & 0.275 \\ \text{Zn}(s) + 2\text{MnO}_2(s) & \rightarrow \text{ZnO}(s) + \text{Mn}_2\text{O}_3(s) & +1.5\text{V} \\ \end{array}$



NiMH- Nickel Metal Hydride M='intermetallic compound', e.g. M=AB₅, A is a rare earth mixture of lanthanum, cerium, neodymium, praseodymium B is nickel, cobalt, manganese, and/or aluminum

 Ni^{2+} oxidized to Ni^{3+} H⁺ reduced to H⁻, "M" oxidized

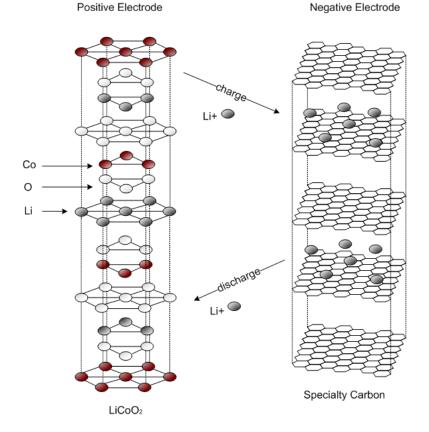
 $H_2O + M + e^- \rightarrow OH^- + MH$ Ni(OH)₂ + OH⁻ \rightarrow NiO(OH) + $H_2O + e^-$



High power Ni-MH battery of Toyota NHW20 Prius

$$LiCoO_2 \leftrightarrows Li_{1-x}CoO_2 + xLi^+ + xe^-$$

 $xLi^+ + xe^- + 6C \leftrightarrows Li_xC_6$



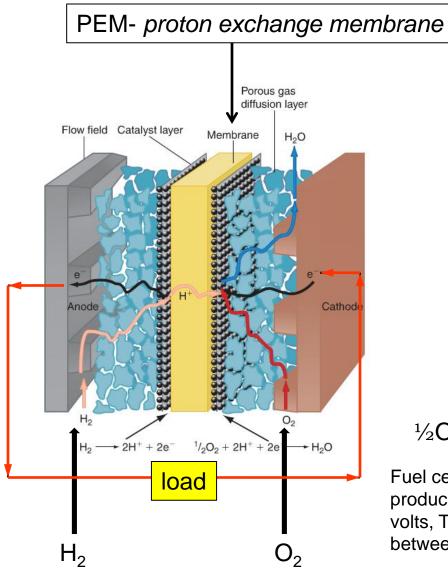
Li-ion batteries can pack more energy into smaller and lighter weight units than other types of batteries. Those attributes have spurred enormous growth in their use for cell phones, laptop computers, and other portable electronic devices.

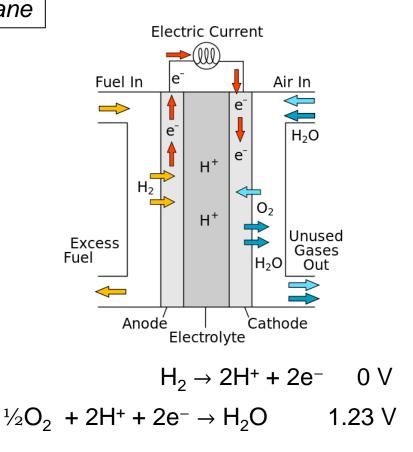


A downside of Li-ion cells, however, is that they contain a flammable electrolyte solution consisting of lithium salts in organic solvents such as ethylene carbonate and ethyl methyl carbonate. This is not the case for other commercial battery types. 28

Zinc	1.5V	Non-rechargeable –first the forerunner and later an inexpensive alternative to Alkaline batteries. However, reductions in the price of Alkalines have made both Zinc-Carbon and Zinc-Chloride batteries all but obsolete.
Alkaline	1.5V	Rechargeable– Alkaline rechargeable batteries are lower capacity (don't hold a charge as long) than the more popular NiMH rechargeables. The advantage of the rechargeable Alkaline over the NiMH or the NiCAD is that it loses its charge gradually,
Nickel-Metal Hydride (NiMH)	1.25V	Rechargeable- Lightweight and rechargeable, the NiMH has a higher capacity than the NiCAD plus you can throw it away since it doesn't contain toxic metals and it isn't classed as a hazardous waste item.
Lithium ion	3.6V	Rechargeable– For a given voltage, a lithium ion battery is smaller in size and lighter in weight than a nickel cadmium (NiCd) or nickel metal hydride (NiMH) battery. In addition, lithium ion has virtually no self-discharge. This allows a lithium ion battery to be stored for months without losing charge. The battery chemistries can be compared as follows:

fuel cells





Fuel cells come in a variety of sizes. Individual fuel cells produce relatively small electrical potentials, about 0.7 volts, The energy efficiency of a fuel cell is generally between 40–60%.

End of Lecture

$\tilde{\mu}_{i}$ the electrochemical potential

$$dG - \overline{dw}_{elec} = -SdT + VdP + \sum_{i,\gamma} \mu_i^{(\gamma)} dn_i^{(\gamma)}$$
$$\left(\Delta G_{reaction}\right)_{T,P} - w_{elec} = \sum_{i,\gamma} v_i^{(\gamma)} \mu_i^{(\gamma)} = \left(\Delta \mu_{reaction}\right) \leq 0$$

VS

$$dG = -SdT + VdP + \sum_{i,\gamma} \tilde{\mu}_{i}^{(\gamma)} dn_{i}^{(\gamma)}$$
$$\left(\Delta G_{reaction}\right)_{T,P} = \sum_{i,\gamma} \nu_{i}^{(\gamma)} \tilde{\mu}_{i}^{(\gamma)} \leq 0$$

$$\mu_i^{(\gamma)} = \mu_i^{(\gamma)} + \left(\mathbf{\bar{d}} \mathbf{w}_i^{(\gamma)} \right)_{elec}$$

 $\tilde{\mu}_i$ assigns electrical work to each species including electrons transferred