

18 - Lattice Energy

Q-1) What is the enthalpy change of formation?

> It's the enthalpy change when 1 mol of a compound is formed from its elements under standard conditions.

* The reactants and products must be in their standard states

↓ exothermic.

Q-2) What is standard enthalpy change of atomisation?

> It's the enthalpy change when 1 mol of gaseous atoms are formed from its elements under standard conditions.

↑ endothermic.

Q-3) What is ionisation energy 1/2?

> It's the energy needed to remove one e^- from each atom / +1 ion in one mole of atoms / +1 ions in the gaseous state to form one mole of +1 / +2 ions.

↑ endothermic.

Q-4) What is electron affinity 1/2?

> It's the enthalpy change when 1 mol of e^- is added to 1 mol of gaseous atoms / -1 ions to form 1 mol of gaseous -1 / -2 ions under standard conditions.

EA1 = ↓ exothermic

EA2+ = ↑ endothermic.

Q-5) What is bond energy?

> It's the energy needed to break 1 mol of a particular bond in 1 mol of gaseous molecules

↑ endothermic

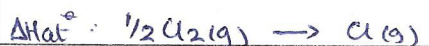
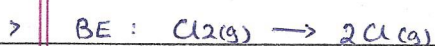


Q-6) What is lattice energy?

- > It's the enthalpy change when 1 mol of an ionic compound is formed from its gaseous ions under standard conditions.

↓ exothermic

Q-7) Relationship between bond energy and $\Delta H_{\text{at}}^\ominus$



$\therefore \Delta H_{\text{at}}^\ominus = \frac{1}{2}\text{BE}$

Q-8) Factors affecting lattice energy

> Size of ions:

- as size increases, ΔH_{at} becomes less exothermic (less -ve) as there are less forces of attraction.

> Charge on ions:

- as charge increases, ΔH_{at} becomes more exothermic (more -ve) as there are more forces of attraction.

ΔH_{at} more exothermic (more -ve) when:

- Small size of ion
- high charge on ion

Q-9) Thermal stability of group 2 carbonates and nitrates.



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brown fumes

Ion polarisation is when the high charge density cation pulls the e^- cloud of large anion towards itself.



Down the group 2

- cation size increases.
 - charge density decreases
 - ion polarisation decreases.
- $\therefore \rightarrow$ thermal stability increases
 \rightarrow decomposition temperature increases.

Q-10) What is standard enthalpy change of solution?

- > It's the enthalpy change when 1 mol of an ionic solid dissolves completely in a solvent to give an infinitely dilute dilute solution

\rightarrow exothermic or endothermic.

Q-11) What is standard enthalpy change of hydration?

- > It's the enthalpy change when 1 mol of a gaseous ion dissolves in a solvent to form an infinitely dilute solution.

\downarrow exothermic.

Q-12) Solubility of group 2 sulphates and hydroxides.

- > A compound is soluble in water when:

$$\Delta H_{\text{hyd}} > \Delta H_{\text{latt}} \quad \text{---} \circ \text{ since } \Delta H_{\text{sol}} = \Delta H_{\text{hyd}} - \Delta H_{\text{latt}}$$

Down the group 2: **SULPHATES:**

- ΔH_{hyd} and ΔH_{latt} decreases
- BUT ΔH_{hyd} decreases more rapidly
- $\therefore \Delta H_{\text{hyd}} < \Delta H_{\text{latt}}$.
- \therefore Solubility decreases (ΔH_{sol} becomes more endothermic)

HYDROXIDES:

- BUT ΔH_{latt} decreases more rapidly
- $\therefore \Delta H_{\text{hyd}} > \Delta H_{\text{latt}}$
- \therefore solubility increases (ΔH_{sol} becomes more exothermic)

