THINGS YOU MUST DO THIS FIRST WEEK OF CLASS
1) Attend your lab section to claim your space. **If you miss your first lab, you will be dropped from the course!**
2) Attend seminar during the first week of school!
3) Read this syllabus thoroughly. You are responsible for all the information contained in this document.
4) **Log on to the course Canvas website before the second day of class** and get started on Quiz 0 (review from Chem 1A). **The quiz must be completed by 10 am sharp on Wednesday, Aug. 29th.** Do not wait until the last minute to make sure you can login to the Canvas website and begin the quiz, since no late quizzes will be accepted.
5) If you purchased the manual, read pages i – xii of the lab manual before attending your lab session. If not, go to the SJSU Chem. Dept. website and read the safety rules for teaching labs.
6) If you decide to drop the course, please give Dr. Singmaster a note with your name indicating that you will be dropping the course. It will allow her to add people efficiently.
7) Do the calculator practice in your lab manual. **It is your responsibility to know how to use your calculator. Instructors will not assist you during an exam or quiz!**
8) Start working on Expt. 13 problems on concentration and stoichiometry.
9) Do the GREENSHEET QUIZ through the Canvas course for your seminar.
BOOKS/SUPPLIES/WORKSHOPS

Required
1) Chemistry: The Central Science – Brown, LeMay and Bursten – 12th edition (11th or 10th also OK)
2) Lab Manual/Handouts for Chemistry 1B - Sold during the first 2 weeks of school by the Chemistry Student Club (DH20 - basement) - They only take cash ($20)!
3) Preparing for Your ACS Examination in General Chemistry – Technically not required, but highly recommended! This book helps you review for the final exam which will be a standardized test taken at many universities. More details will be provided in lecture. This is also a good Gen. Chem. review for the MCAT or other standardized tests that cover Gen Chem. ($24- Also sold by Chem Club in DH 20.)
4) Hand-held scientific calculator - Must be non-programmable and should have log x, 10^x, ln x, e^x and x^2 keys. - You will not be allowed to use your programmable calculator during a lecture nor lab exam, nor a quiz!

Not Required (But useful)
1) Academic Excellence Workshops to help you study for Chem. 1B. These are 2.5-hour per week organized study sessions. I will provide more information on how to enroll and the times.
2) Other Chemistry texts - Most freshman chemistry books are about the same in quality and content; however, you might find another author's prose and text layout more to your liking. You can check out additional textbooks from the library.
3) Solutions manuals to textbook problems - These options are available with your textbook.
4) Student Study Guide for the textbook. – More worked-out problems and many more practice problems.

Course Web Page
Students will take on-line quizzes on the course website hosted by Canvas. Course materials such as this syllabus, quizzes, extra materials, etc. will also be provided there. You are responsible for the material on the course website, so you must either check it daily or set up your profile to notify you when there are changes. Login with your student ID & SJSUOne password.


(If you are having trouble logging in, the most common problem is trying to bookmark the next page after the above website, which will not work. Instead go back to the above login website which may be bookmarked. If this does not solve your problem, then go to [http://www.sjsu.edu/ecampus/support/for technical support.](http://www.sjsu.edu/ecampus/support/for technical support.)

Note: Course materials for the laboratory portion of the course will be posted to the 1B seminar Canvas page.

Prerequisites/Corequisites
The prerequisite for Chem. 1B is a grade of C or better in Chem. 1A. If you took Chem. 1A two or more semesters ago, and/or just barely got a C in Chem 1A, you will need to work hard to pass this class. Be aware of this, keep up to date with the work and find study groups or tutors early. Do not postpone or the material will be truly overwhelming.

Every student who wishes to remain in the course or who wishes to add the course must be present in lab and in seminar for the safety discussion during the first seminar period and must take and pass a safety quiz during the second seminar period. You must get 80% or better on this quiz. If you are waiting to get into the class, please make certain you attend the safety discussion and take the safety quiz.

Lecturer and lab instructors will assume you are adept at writing and naming chemical compounds, balancing chemical reactions (redox, double displacement – net ionics, combustions), using the solubility rules and performing calculations with mass, moles, atoms, molarity, % composition, stoichiometry, heats of reaction and molecular weights following correct units and significant figures. They will also assume you understand electronic configuration, bonding, intermolecular forces, gas laws, etc. These are Chem 1A topics and are required knowledge for Chem 1B.
Catalog Course Description

Topics including stoichiometry, colligative properties, kinetics, equilibria, thermodynamics and electrochemistry. Lab program complements lecture.

Object and Scope of the Course

The student is expected to gain knowledge of elementary principles and facts of chemistry and their application to problem solving. While Chem. 1A emphasized inorganic, organic and qualitative chemistry, Chemistry 1B covers mainly physical chemistry (kinetics, thermodynamics, equilibria) in lecture and quantitative chemistry in the laboratory. This semester will require greater use of your mathematical abilities in problem solving. A listing of course topics is provided at the end of this syllabus.

Attendance/Workload

Regular attendance to lecture and lab are required. Attendance will not be taken in lecture, but you are responsible for all announcements and material presented during class. Lecture material will not necessarily reiterate text material. It is a serious mistake either to depend on a classmate's notes or exclusively on the textbook. It is essential to keep up with class work, homework and laboratories to succeed in this course. The instructor is not responsible for covering material you missed due to absences. Absences to lab can and will result in an F grade for the FULL course (two unexcused absences from lab are sufficient for me to drop or fail you!!). Missing lecture or lab to study for another class is not an acceptable excuse. In an effort to reward those that attend lecture consistently, once or twice during the semester I will give a simple quiz. Those present in lecture will receive bonus points.

HOMEWORK: In order to master CHEM 1B material and succeed in the course, students will need to spend a significant amount of time practicing problem solving. At a minimum, students should do the study assignments located in the lab manual at the end of each experiment or occasionally towards the back of the manual in the Practice Problems section (see course schedule). I may also recommend problems from the text.

Please remember this is a 5 unit course; it will require a great deal of your time. Seldom does a student who works and carries a full course load succeed in this class. Make arrangements for a reasonable course load now; don't wait until you are behind. The university workload expectations are a minimum of three hours of study time per unit per week.

GRADING

Lecture Exams and Final

Three midterm exams (100 points each), will be given approximately every fourth week. Dates for the exams are on the course schedule; mark them in your calendars now! The exams might include a take-home problem. Please plan ahead. The final exam (200 points) is a comprehensive multiple choice test that covers Chem. 1A and 1B topics. Most of this final is a standardized American Chemical Society test used at many universities. More details on this will be provided in lecture. There will be no make-ups for lecture exams. Should you miss an exam because of illness or equally compelling reasons, you should inform me of the fact as soon as possible, and hopefully before the exam is given. You can do so by e-mail or by leaving a message in my voice mail, including a phone number where you can be reached. You will need to provide me with written evidence (doctor’s note, police report, etc.) for your excuse. If I accept your excuse, I will use your score on the final as your missing exam score. An unexplained or unsatisfactory excuse for missing an exam will result in a grade of zero.

Quizzes

Seven on-line quizzes will be given via the Canvas website. There will be no make-ups for missed quizzes, since solutions will be posted immediately after the due date in the glass cabinets between the two doors to DH 10. Students should print the quiz questions and record their work since Canvas will not show the quiz questions after submission.

Laboratory

The total lab grade constitutes 40% of the final grade. Failing lab (55.0% or less) or lack of attendance to lab will result in an F grade for the FULL COURSE, regardless of how well you are doing in lecture. Do not miss labs!! Details regarding the lab grade will be provided in the lab/seminar syllabus.
Grading Scale
At the end of the semester you will receive a single grade for the course. The following grade scale is for the full course, including lab.

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Incompletes will not be given unless a strong compelling reason with proof is furnished to support the need for an incomplete. Incompletes will not be granted just because the university won’t late drop you or because the low grade will disqualify you, put you on probation or increase your car insurance payment! Incompletes do not remove past scores on exams! Incompletes are only given to students who have completed at least 80% of the course. Incompletes are removed by completing pending tasks. I do not provide special projects to make up incompletes.

PLEASE note that we do NOT provide extra credit work at the end of the semester for students who are doing poorly.

Roughly the % weight of each lecture graded item is: 11% for each lecture exam, 21% for the final and 1% for each quiz. (Lab covers the remaining 40%).

Academic Integrity
Your commitment, as a student, to learning is evidenced by your enrollment at San Jose State University. The University Academic Integrity Policy S07-2 at http://www.sjsu.edu/senate/docs/S07-2.pdf requires you to be honest in all your academic course work. Faculty members are required to report all infractions to the office of Student Conduct and Ethical Development. The Student Conduct and Ethical Development website is available at http://www.sjsu.edu/studentconduct/.

Specific rules for an exam/quiz in lecture:
1) You must sit in the seat you are assigned! Check the seating chart well before the exam date! It will be posted a week before on Canvas. Find the seat in the lecture hall a few days before the exam so that you do not waste time looking for it! If you reach your seat and it is broken, please come tell me and I will find another one. No sitting on the floor in the back of the lecture hall or on the stairs!
2) Keep your eyes down on your own paper.
3) No whispering or talking during an exam, even if you have handed in your exam. Wait until you leave the room.
4) No programmable calculators, cell phones nor smart watches. No sharing of calculators nor periodic tables. If your calculator fails, inform the instructor.
5) You may not use your cell phone nor smart watch as a calculator; these should be stored in your backpack or on the floor beneath your seat. You may not answer the phone during an exam.
6) No caps, hats, etc. unless required by a physician. Then they need to be turned around.
7) No head phones or other devices in ears unless they are prescribed hearing aids!
8) All printed or written material (notebooks, textbooks, etc.) should be placed under the seat, left outside the room or placed near the lecturer’s table at the front of the room.
9) Ask for scratch paper. Do not pull it from your backpack.
10) Place backpacks under your seat so as to make sure that others don’t trip trying to get out. No open books, notes, etc. on the floor at your feet!
11) Leave by the door at the front of the room that we will open, not the back door, so that I can keep track of who is leaving and whether they have handed in the exam.
Failure to comply will cause the instructor to pick up the exam and give a grade of F for the exam and/or course. Willful solicitation, procurement or conveyance of exams/quizzes/unknowns will also result in failure of the course. The instructor can and will bring the person caught cheating to the attention of the university committee in charge of student misconduct.
Safe and Respectful Community

We hope that the classroom and laboratory will serve as an environment that will promote learning and the development of new ideas, as well as be a safe and respectful community. Behavior that interferes with the normal academic function in a classroom or lab is unacceptable. Students exhibiting this behavior will be asked to leave the class. Examples of such behavior include:

a) Persistent interruptions or using disrespectful adjectives in response to the comments of others.

b) The use of obscene or profane language.

c) Yelling at classmates and/or faculty.

d) Persistent and disruptive late arrival to or early departure from class without permission.

e) Physical threats, harassing/bullying behavior, or personal insults (even when stated in a joking manner).

f) Use of personal electronic devices such as pagers, cell phones, PDAs in class, unless it is part of the instructional activity.

Emergencies/Evacuations

If you hear a continuously sounding alarm, or are told to evacuate the building by an Emergency Coordinator, walk quickly to the nearest exit. Take your personal belongings as you may not be allowed to return. Follow the instructions of the Emergency Coordinators. Be quiet so you can hear instructions. Once outside, move away from the building. Do not return to the building unless the police or the Emergency Coordinator announces that this is permissible. If an alarm should occur during an exam or quiz, please attempt to give your instructor the paper.

Miscellaneous

1) You must bring the lab manual to each lab class and lecture (just in case you need to look at one of the handouts); however you do not need to bring the textbook to lecture.

2) Keep track of your scores. Also keep your exams, quizzes, etc. Grades for lecture will be posted to Canvas. At the end of the semester, compare your grade sheet with the lecturer and lab instructor's grade sheets to make sure we have transcribed your grades correctly. **You have only 9 days from the day a quiz or exam is returned to ask for a regrade of your exam or quiz. I will not do regrades after 9 days have passed.**

3) Do not believe any sign saying that Chem. 1B class is canceled. You are expected to wait for me until 10:45am. In the highly unlikely event that I am late, but get to class by that time, I will lecture.

4) Each exam in lecture will require that you sign a statement indicating that you have behaved in an honorable manner while taking the exam. This means that you have not used crib sheets, programmed equations, etc. in your calculator, requested information from a classmate, etc. The statement will also indicate that you are not aware of any other classmate cheating, etc. during the course of the exam. Please be aware that you have classmates that do not tolerate cheating and will most likely inform the instructor if they observe such behavior. If you feel that you are unable to sign such a pledge, talk to me.

5) **If a fire alarm were to interrupt an exam please do the following:** Leave the room via the door closest to the instructor and give the instructor your quiz or exam. Provide assistance to any disabled students. Take your belongings with you since there is some chance you might need to go to your next class before you are allowed in the room. Please note that if the cause of evacuation is a bomb threat, the Dean will request that I give him and UPD a list of students absent from the exam.

6) Please remember that you must check out of the lab even if you drop the course. A $50 charge will be billed to you if you do not check out.

7) A student has two weeks to determine whether they wish to remain in the course. Students dropping after those two weeks will be charged a $40 fee to help defray the costs incurred in lab and for the fact that we can’t replace them with an add. All students dropping the course are strongly encouraged to let Dr. Singmaster know in writing of their intent to drop.

Office Hours

My office is located in the basement level of Duncan Hall (Room 2). Please be efficient and organized when you come to ask questions during office hours. I might have to limit the amount of time I spend with you if there are several students waiting. If my office hours do not match your schedule, then contact me to set up an appointment. Office hours are subject to change with adequate notice.

Other good sources for assistance are the lab instructors or tutors.
Resources for Help
1) Dr. Van Wyngarden (Lecture predominantly)
2) Ms. Serrano and Dr. Singmaster (Lab predominantly)
3) Lab instructors (Lab predominantly, although some can also provide excellent help for lecture.)
4) Academic Excellence Workshops (Lecture) – You must be enrolled! **Please note these are not tutoring sessions.** They are organized, collaborative study times.
5) CoSAC - The College of Science Advising Center is located in the second Floor of Duncan Hall, DH 213. They have peer advisors and tutors. Check their schedule.
6) SAACS - (DH20) Student club has tutors at selected times. Some are very good for 1B, others not as good. Look for someone who took 1B with Dr. Van Wyngarden or Dr. Singmaster. Ask them what grade they got!
7) Peer Connections – Student Services Center and Clark Hall - Tutors for many of your classes, but you might have to hunt down one that works for you. See Syllabus Information web page
8) ASPIRE – Student Resource Center – Services for low income, first generation college students or students with disabilities.
9) Counseling Services - They might have brochures or workshops on how to deal with test anxiety, if that is an issue you are having. See Syllabus Information web page
10) Private tutors – Cost $$. You might find ads in the ChemClub and in the hallways where Chemistry courses are taught (5th floor of DH, 1st floor of SCI).
11) If you feel that you are unable to keep up with the class even though you have all the prerequisites; if you are spending ample time studying yet you never have time to finish exams and quizzes and/or if this class, for some reason, is testing your abilities to learn, you might consider paying a visit to the Accessible Education Center. They might be able to test you to determine whether you have a learning disability.

Chem. 1B Final Exam – ACS Standardized Test
It is important to note that the final will include a comprehensive standardized test covering the FULL year of General Chemistry. It will be multiple choice. The test is written by the American Chemical Society (ACS) and is given at many universities. In addition, I will add approximately 20 multiple choice questions on topics covered near the end of the course and therefore not covered on midterm exams (usually electrochemistry and nuclear chemistry).

The Chemistry Club sells the ACS booklet for General Chemistry to help you review for the test. They will be selling it at the start of the semester for a price that is lower than if you attempt to purchase it yourself because the ACS charges a handling fee that they don’t charge the club.

It is an excellent book to purchase at the **start** of Chem. 1B because it provides you with review as well as multiple choice questions. That way you can use it for the full semester. In addition, it may be a really good book to use to review for MCAT, DAT or other standardized tests that require knowledge of General Chemistry. (By the way, they also have one for the full year of Organic Chemistry which will help in Chem. 112B because they, too, will give you the full year standardized test at the end of Organic!)

UNIVERSITY POLICIES
Per University Policy S16-9, university-wide policy information relevant to all courses, such as academic integrity, accommodations, etc. will be available on Office of Graduate and Undergraduate Programs’ Syllabus Information web page at [http://www.sjsu.edu/gup/syllabusinfo/](http://www.sjsu.edu/gup/syllabusinfo/)” Make sure to review these university policies and resources.

**Campus Policy in Compliance with the American Disabilities Act**
If you need course adaptations or accommodations because of a disability, or if you need to make special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, please make an appointment with me as soon as possible, or see me during office hours. Presidential Directive 97-03 at [http://www.sjsu.edu/president/docs/directives/PD_1997-03.pdf](http://www.sjsu.edu/president/docs/directives/PD_1997-03.pdf) requires that students with disabilities requesting accommodations must register with the Accessible Education Center (AEC) at [http://www.sjsu.edu/aec](http://www.sjsu.edu/aec) to establish a record of their disability.

Note from Dr. Van Wyngarden: This ensures protection of privacy and allows for appropriate accommodations to be provided in cases where they are necessary. Assignments missed due to disabilities or other special concerns will not be accepted except as requested by the AEC.
Workload
Success in this course is based on the expectation that students will spend, for each unit of credit, a minimum of 45 hours over the length of the course (normally 3 hours per unit per week with 1 of the hours used for lecture) for instruction or preparation/studying or course related activities including but not limited to internships, labs, clinical practica. Other course structures will have equivalent workload expectations as described in the syllabus.

Consent for Recording of Class and Public Sharing of Instructor Material
- Common courtesy and professional behavior dictate that you notify someone when you are recording him/her. You must obtain the instructor’s permission to make audio or video recordings in this class. Such permission allows the recordings to be used for your private, study purposes only. The recordings are the intellectual property of the instructor; you have not been given any rights to reproduce or distribute the material.
- Course material developed by the instructor is the intellectual property of the instructor and cannot be shared publicly without his/her approval. You may not publicly share or upload instructor generated material for this course such as exam questions, lecture notes, or homework solutions without instructor consent.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Course Learning Outcomes
Below are the main learning outcomes for the course. Experiments in which specific outcomes are addressed are indicated in parentheses. An even more detailed list of expectations, broken down for every exam, is in the lab manual, which all students must purchase.

Please note that for many of the topics in this course, real world examples are used and are analyzed by students. Also, on occasion, the topics result in brief discussions of economic or societal issues. The student will be able to:

1) calculate concentration using different units and convert between different concentration units (molarity, %, ppm, g/L, etc.) (Exp. 13, 16, 19, 23)
2) calculate concentration changes associated with dilution (Exp. 13, 20, 22, 24)
3) solve stoichiometry problems using concentration or mass, including balancing redox, combustion and double displacement reactions, and calculations with known or unknown limiting reagents (Exp. 16, 19, 21)
4) predict heats of reaction using bond energies and compare these values to heats of reaction obtained from Hess’ Law or heats of formation calculations
5) define entropy and evaluate the sign of entropy for compounds, physical processes and chemical reactions (Exp 15)
6) calculate the entropy for a reaction given molar entropies for the compounds
7) evaluate whether a chemical reaction will occur using predictions for the sign of heat of reaction and entropy and whether altering the temperature of the reaction will affect product formation (Exp. 15)
8) calculate Gibbs free energy using data for heat of reaction and entropy or Gibbs free energy of formation for compounds
9) explain the effect that concentration, temperature, presence of a catalyst and physical state have on the rate of a reaction and predict what effect changing these variables will have on the rate of reaction (Exp. 17)
10) derive the rate law for chemical and non-chemical systems using data and then use the rate law to obtain half-life and to determine the amount of product formed at a given time or vice versa
11) apply Arrhenius’ equation to chemical systems to obtain activation energy and explain the effect of temperature on chemical reaction rate at the molecular level (Exp. 17)
12) construct a rate law using a reaction mechanism and evaluate reaction mechanisms to predict whether they are plausible based on rate law information.
13) define the terms catalyst and inhibitor; and compare data for reaction rates to determine whether a reaction is catalyzed or inhibited by selected compounds (Exp. 17)
14) construct the mathematical expression for an equilibrium constant given a chemical equilibrium and use thermodynamic or experimental data to find the value of the equilibrium constant (Exp. 18, 20, 21)
15) use a reaction quotient to determine the direction a chemical system must shift to reach equilibrium.
16) calculate equilibrium concentrations given initial concentrations and an equilibrium constant
17) use Le Chatelier’s principle to explain the effect that changes in temperature, pressure, volume and
addition/removal of a reagent will have on a system at equilibrium; use this principle to plan how to get a
system at equilibrium to produce more products
18) define and identify acids and bases based on their types (conjugate, weak, strong, Arrhenius, etc.)
19) calculate an equilibrium constant for a weak acid or base given pH data (Exp. 20)
20) analyze acid/base equilibria so as to determine the type of equilibrium and utilize this information to calculate
the pH of the solution
21) define a buffer, clearly describing how it works and why buffers are important; given a buffer system,
calculate the pH (Exp. 20, 25)
22) design a buffer system given the pH region where it must serve as a buffer and the total concentration of ions
needed (Exp. 25)
23) calculate the equilibrium constant for an “insoluble” salt given solubility data and vice versa, calculate the
solubility of an “insoluble” substance when given K_{sp} (Exp. 21)
24) use the solubility product to determine whether a precipitate will form when solutions are mixed, including
the effect pH might have on the given system
25) organize compounds in order of increasing strength as acids or solubility given equilibrium constants
26) calculate standard cell potentials for any redox reaction and combine this information with concentration data
to determine the effect concentration will have on the cell potential (Exp. 22)
27) draw a redox cell diagram given cell notation; identify all the components, reactions occurring and, if
applicable, the roles selected components play (Exp. 22)
28) determine cell potentials using thermodynamic data
29) cite the differences between chemical and nuclear reactions; list the biological effects of radiation exposure
30) balance nuclear reactions identifying which nuclear particles are involved in the process and use the neutron
to proton ratio to predict the possible types of nuclear decay an isotope could undergo
31) calculate mass differences and binding energies for nuclei and nuclear reactions; use this information to
identify species that can undergo fusion or fission
32) calculate kinetic parameters for nuclear decay including applications to radioactive dating
33) list the colligative properties of solutions, explaining how and why each property is affected by an increase
in the amount of solute (Exp. 23)
34) calculate the osmotic pressure of a solution.

Program Learning Outcomes
CHEM 1B covers the basics needed to achieve BS/BA Chemistry Program Learning Objectives #1-7. Higher
level chemistry courses address one or more of the objectives in more detail.
1) Demonstrate understanding of core concepts and to effectively solve problems in inorganic chemistry.
2) Demonstrate understanding of core concepts and to effectively solve problems in organic chemistry.
3) Demonstrate understanding of core concepts and to effectively solve problems in analytical chemistry.
4) Demonstrate understanding of core concepts and to effectively solve problems in physical chemistry.
5) Demonstrate understanding of core concepts and to effectively solve problems in biochemistry.
6) Answer questions regarding safe practices in the laboratory and chemical safety.
7) Demonstrate safe laboratory skills (including proper handling of materials and chemical waste) for particular
laboratory experiments.
## Course Schedule

The following schedule of lecture topics is tentative and subject to change at the instructor’s discretion. *(Exam dates are not tentative and should be noted in your calendar immediately.)* The beginning of each new major topic is indicated by **bold font** and a reading assignment that should be completed **before** the lecture. Sub-topics within each major topic are listed, but may be covered in a somewhat different order.

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