

# **N4 - THERMOCHEMISTRY**

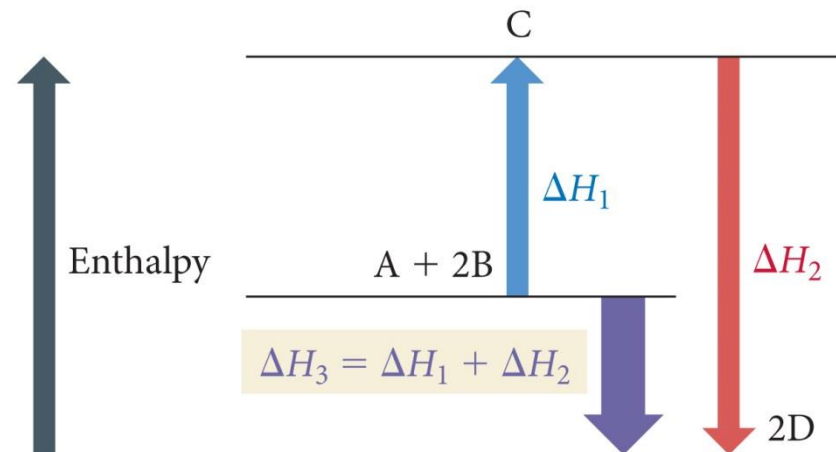
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“In going from a particular set of reactants to a particular set of products, the change in enthalpy is the same whether the reaction takes place in one step or a series of steps.”

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The change in enthalpy for a stepwise process is the sum of the enthalpy changes of the steps.



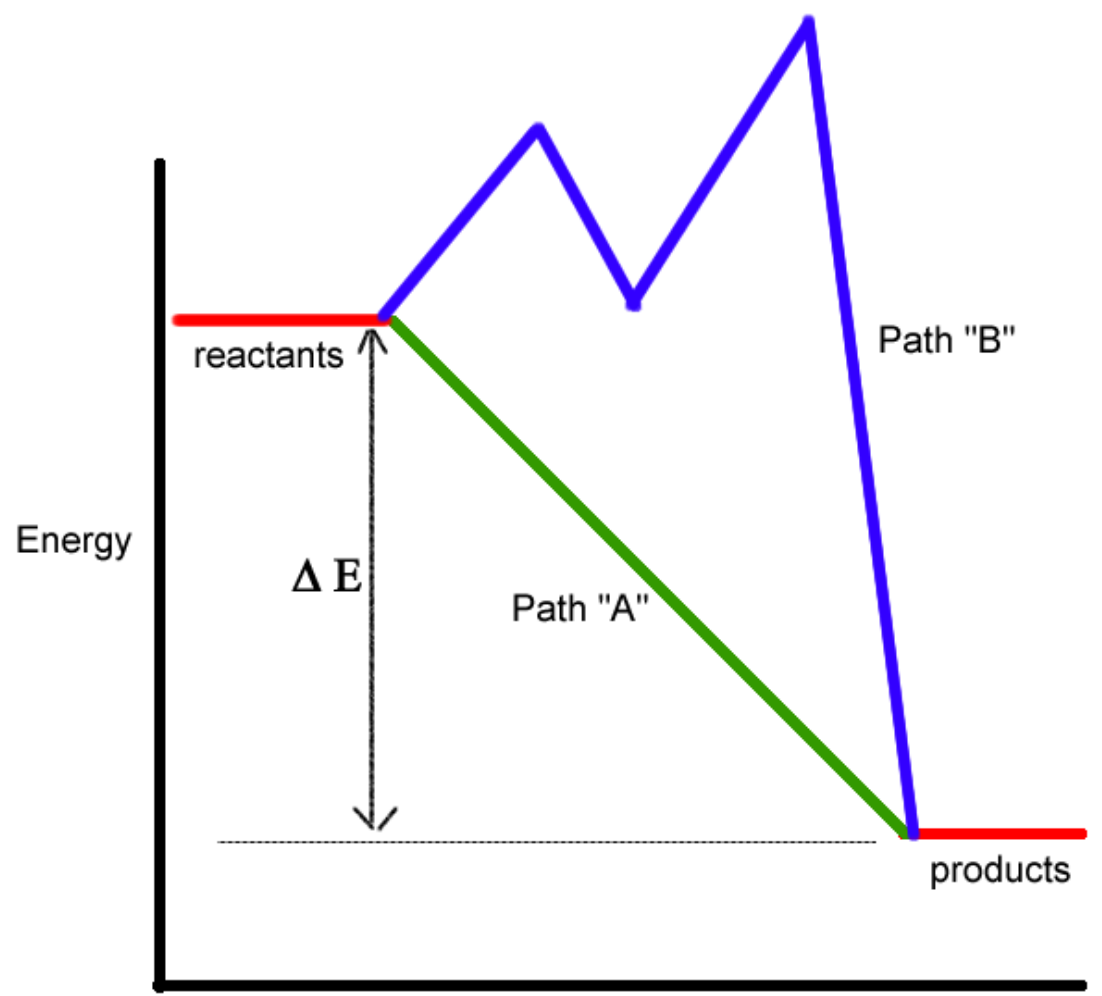
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**Path A** – Mrs. Farmer cleaning the house.

**Path B** – Mr. Farmer cleaning the house.

Regardless of the path taken, you still get to the

same place. Although Path B drives Mrs. Farmer bonkers – Ha!

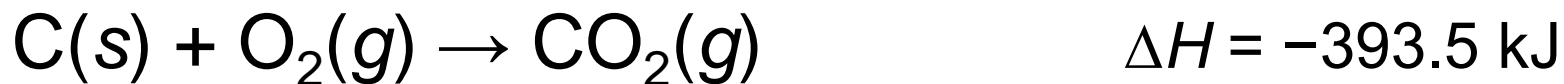


# Relationships Involving $\Delta H_{\text{rxn}}$

- **Multiplying Rxn by a # to Change Coefficients**

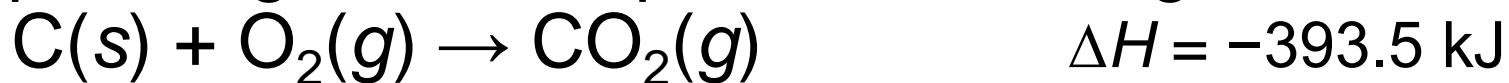
$\Delta H_{\text{rxn}}$  is multiplied by that factor.

- Because  $\Delta H_{\text{rxn}}$  is extensive – depends on the amount of substance



- **Reversing a rxn to flip which side the products/reactants are on**

Flip the sign of  $\Delta H$ , if positive now negative, if negative, now positive



# Standard Conditions

- **Standard State**

The state of a material at a defined set of conditions.

- Pure gas at 1 atm pressure
- Pure solid or liquid in its most stable form at 1 atm pressure and temperature of interest (usually 25°C)
- Substances in a solution with a 1M concentration

# Standard Enthalpy Change

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$\Delta H^\circ$  - the Enthalpy change when all reactants and products are in their standard states.

That's what the  $^\circ$  symbol means – that it is under the standard conditions. You can have  $\Delta H$  values that are not at standard conditions, then you leave the  $^\circ$  off.

# Standard Enthalpy of Formation

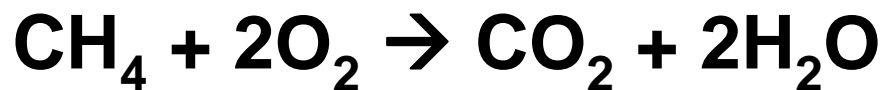
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$\Delta H^\circ_f$  - the Enthalpy change for the reaction forming 1 mole of a pure compound from its constituent elements.

- Elements must be in their standard states
- $\Delta H^\circ_f$  for a pure element in its standard state = 0 kJ/mol  
*That includes diatomic gases! They are still pure elements!*

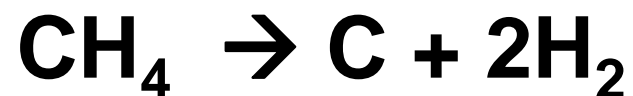
# Hess's Law Example Problem #1

Calculate  $\Delta H$  for the combustion of methane,  $\text{CH}_4$ :



## Step #1:

$\text{CH}_4$  must appear on the reactant side, so we reverse reaction #1 and change the sign on  $\Delta H$ .



#	Reaction	$\Delta H^\circ$
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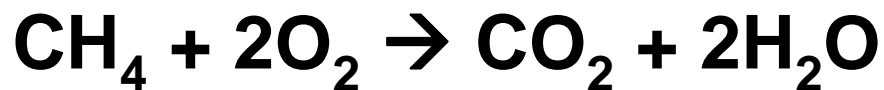
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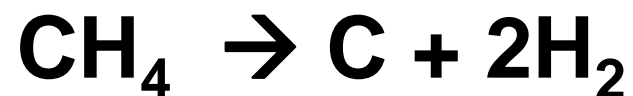
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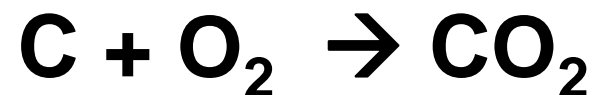
## Step #2:

Keep reaction #2 unchanged, because  $\text{CO}_2$  belongs on the product side

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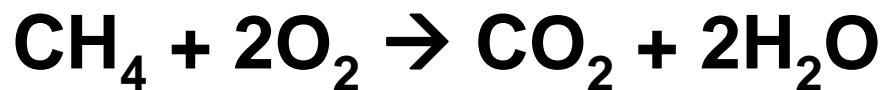


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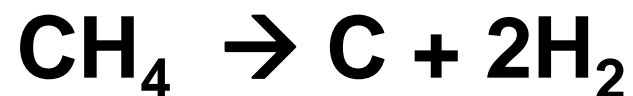
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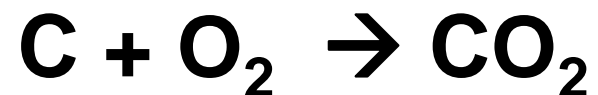
## Step #3:

Use reaction #3 to get water as a product, but multiply it by 2 since you have 2  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

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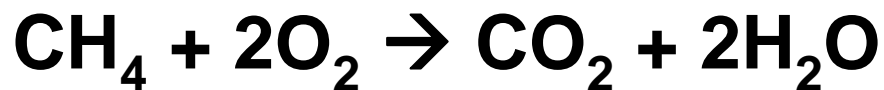


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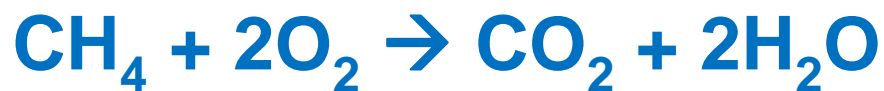
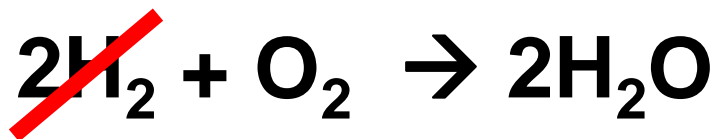
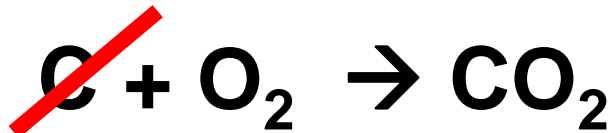
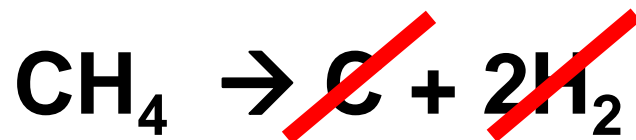
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## Step #4:

Cross out things that show up on both sides, then sum up your  $\Delta H$  values



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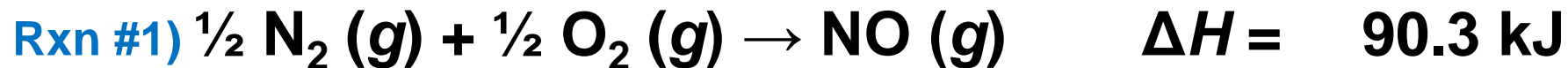
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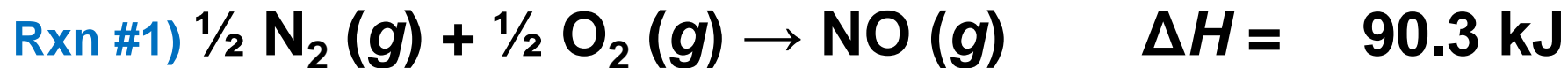
**-890.36 kJ**

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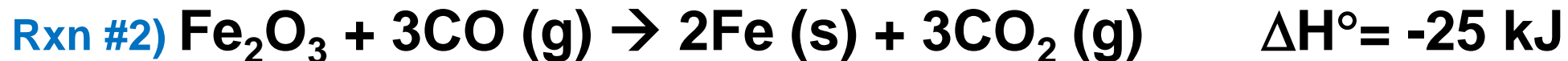


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2	- and x 2	<del><math>2 \text{NOCl} \rightarrow 2\text{NO} + \text{Cl}_2</math></del>	-2 (-38.6)
1	- and x 2	<del><math>2\text{NO} \rightarrow \text{N}_2 + \text{O}_2</math></del>	-(90.3)
		$2\text{NOCl} \rightarrow \text{N}_2 + \text{O}_2 + \text{Cl}_2$	<b>-103.4 kJ</b>

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3	- and x 1/3	<del><math>\text{FeO} + \frac{1}{3}\text{CO}_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_4 + \frac{1}{3}\text{CO}</math></del>	$-\frac{1}{3} (19)$
1	- and x 1/6	<del><math>\frac{1}{3}\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4 + \frac{1}{3}\text{CO}_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + \frac{1}{6}\text{CO}</math></del>	$-\frac{1}{6} (-47)$
2	x 1/2	<del><math>\frac{1}{2}\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + \frac{3}{2}\text{CO} \rightarrow \text{Fe} + \frac{3}{2}\text{CO}_2</math></del>	$\frac{1}{2} (-25)$
		$\text{FeO} + \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{Fe} + \text{CO}_2$	<b>-11 kJ</b>

# Its just a puzzle!

Sometimes it's a really hard puzzle...  
but it's still just a puzzle!  
All the pieces are there,  
you just have to figure out how to  
put them together...unfortunately  
no real "tricks" for how to figure  
out which parts to put together.

