

Laboratory Content, Consumables, and Experiment Specific Equipment Cost Correlations:

(for 25 students)

Small-Scale Experiments Based on Chemtek: <i>Small-Scale Experiments for General Chemistry</i> by Stephen Thompson	Traditional Experiments based on Chemistry: <i>The Molecular Science</i> by Olmsted/Williams
Spectroscopy	Spectroscopy
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spectroscopy: The Interaction of Light and Matter (ch. 2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Characterization of a Transmission Diffraction Grating ◦ Exploring Spectroscope Specifications ◦ Wavelength Calibration of the Spectroscope ◦ A Comparison of Continuous Emission Spectra ◦ Atomic Line Spectra and Electronic Transitions; Electrical Emission Tubes ◦ Flame Emission Spectra 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visible Absorption Measurements (ch. 6) • The Visible Atomic Spectrum of Hydrogen (ch. 17) • A Colorimetric Determination of Aspirin in Commercial Preparations (ch. 20)
Consumables: \$6.44 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$540.43	Consumables: \$592.33 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$9588.60
Techniques in Mass & Volume Transfer & Measurement	Techniques in Mass & Volume Transfer & Measurement
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small-Scale Techniques and the Absorption of Light (ch. 3) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ An Introduction to Small-Scale Scientific Apparatus ◦ Making a Microburner ◦ Making Microburets ◦ General Microburet Techniques ◦ Microburet Calibration for Quantitative Volumetric Work ◦ Quantitative Dilution of Solutions ◦ Standard Color Solutions and Colorimetry ◦ The Factors that Govern the Absorption of Light ◦ Colorimetric Analysis of a Beverage ◦ Solution Absorption Spectrophotometry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mass Measurements (ch. 3) • Volume Measurements of Liquids (ch. 4)
Consumables: \$0.11 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$0.00	Consumables: \$80.69 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$2423.75
Instruments-The Gas Laws	Instruments-The Gas Laws
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Instruments: What They Do and What They Don't (ch. 5) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Basic Electronics ◦ The Operation of a Digital/Analog Multimeter as a Measurement Instrument ◦ A Semiconductor Silicon Temperature Sensor System ◦ The Constuction and Calibration of a Gas Thermometer ◦ An Extended Range Gas Thermometer 	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ A Novel Pressure Gauge Balance 	
Consumables: \$10.23 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$204.50	Consumables: \$119.10 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$1596.50
Thermochemistry	Thermochemistry
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thermochemistry and Solar Energy Storage (ch. 6) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Calibration of a Styrofoam Microcalorimeter ◦ Determination of the Specific Energy of Granite Rock Used for Solar Energy Storage ◦ Determination of the Heat of Crystallization of Sodium Thiosulfate Pentahydrate ◦ An Assessment of the Microcalorimetric Methodology and the Storage Information Obtained 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enthalpy of Hydration (ch. 24) • Enthalpy of Neutralization (ch. 25) • Enthalpy of Formation of Ammonium Salts (ch. 26)
Consumables: \$1.15 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$26.97	Consumables: \$228.13 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$888.19
Chemical Reactions in Aqueous Solutions	Chemical Reactions in Aqueous Solutions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solutions and Reactions (ch. 7) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Naming and Making Solutions ◦ Solubility and Solutions ◦ Solutions and Reactions ◦ Four Major Types of Chemical Reaction in Aqueous Solution ◦ A Chemical Reaction Survey: The Ion Reaction Chart ◦ Identification of Three Unknowns ◦ Five Unknowns: Solo ◦ Finding General Solubility Rules 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Detecting Signs of Chemical Change (ch. 8) • Studying Chemical Reactions and Writing Chemical Equations (ch. 9) • A Sequence of Chemical Reactions (ch. 13) • Stoichiometry of the Reaction of Magnesium with Hydrochloric Acid (ch. 14) • The Chemistry and Qualitative Analysis of Anions (ch. 36)
Consumables: \$13.20 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$20.00	Consumables: \$262.68 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$2522.34
Introduction to Acids and Bases	Introduction to Acids and Bases
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An Introduction to Acids and Bases (ch. 8) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Common Laboratory Acids and Bases: Necessary Facts and Some Questions ◦ Indicator Color Probes for Acids and Bases ◦ Microburet Construction ◦ Acid-Base Titrations; Stoichiometry and Molarity ◦ Eggshell and Seashell Analysis ◦ Acid Concentration in Fruits: Pucker Order 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standardizing a Hydrochloric Acid Solution (ch. 29) • Standardizing a Sodium Hydroxide Solution (ch. 30) • Evaluations of Commercial Antacids (ch. 31)
Consumables: \$2.69 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$0.00	Consumables: \$196.14 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$3598.00
Halogens and Their Compounds	Halogens and Their Compounds
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Halogens and Their Compounds (ch. 9) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ From Fluorine to Astatine: A Basic Introduction to the Halogens ◦ The Synthesis and Reactions of Chlorine ◦ A Small-Scale Pilot Plant for the Manufacture 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determining the Percent Sodium Hypochlorite in Commercial Bleach (ch. 32)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> of Chlorine by the Industrial Process ◦ Electrochemical Writing with a Halogen ◦ Precipitation Reactions & Titration of a Halide ◦ Redox Analysis of Commercial Bleach 	
Consumables: \$4.46 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$0.00	Consumables: \$113.41 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$0.00
Natural Waters	Natural Waters
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Chemistry of Natural Waters (ch. 10) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ The Evaporation of Water Samples to Give Total Dissolved Solids ◦ Divalent Cation Analysis by EDTA Titration ◦ The Dissolution of Rocks ◦ Important Ways of Reporting the Hardness of Water ◦ Determination of the Hardness of Ground-, Spring-, and Wellwater ◦ The Reaction of Divalent Cations with Soap; Soap Titrations ◦ Water Softening with Commercial Water-Conditioning Agents ◦ Divalent Cation Removal by Ion Exchange 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determining Aluminum(III) Concentrations in Natural Waters (ch. 18)
Consumables: \$2.77 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$13.50	Consumables: \$818.97 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$2906.24
Nutritional Chemistry	Nutritional Chemistry
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vitamin C Analysis (ch. 11) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Optimizing the Reaction Conditions for the Determination of Vitamin C ◦ Standardization of 2,6-Dichloroindophenol ◦ The Analysis of a Commercial Vitamin C Tablet ◦ Vitamin C Concentration in Fresh Fruit Juices ◦ Analysis of a Breakfast Cereal for Vitamin C ◦ Research Project 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determining the Acid Content of Fruit Juices (ch. 33)
Consumables: \$1.42 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$122.02	Consumables: \$55.03 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$399.75
Chemical Reaction Kinetics	Chemical Reaction Kinetics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kinetic Blues (ch. 13) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Experimental Evidence: A Review of "The System" ◦ A Possible Reaction Mechanism for "The System" ◦ Further Investigations of the Mechanism and a Comparison of Rates of Reaction ◦ The Rate-Determining Step and the Rate Law for the Overall Reaction ◦ Determination of the Order of Reaction for Fructose and Hydroxide Ion ◦ Determination of the Energy of Activation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kinetic Study of a Chemical Reaction (ch. 28)
Consumables: \$0.59	Consumables: \$37.03

Experiment Specific Equipment: \$3.75	Experiment Specific Equipment: \$223.04
Acid-Base Equilibria	Acid-Base Equilibria
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acid-Base Equilibria (ch. 14) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Conductimetry and the Strength of Acids and Bases ◦ Acid-Base Equilibria and Indicator Dyes ◦ Determination of the K_a Values of Weak Acid Indicators ◦ pH Measurement with Indicator Color Probes ◦ The Study of Acid-Base Equilibria by Graphical Interpretation of Titration Data ◦ The Titration of Polyprotic Acids ◦ Calculations on Diprotic and Triprotic Acids 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determining the Dissociation Constant of a Weak Acid Using pH Measurement (ch. 34) • A Study of pH, Dissociation, Hydrolysis, and Buffers (ch. 35)
Consumables: \$2.72 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$20.00	Consumables: \$80.68 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$990.00
Redox Equilibria and Electrochemistry	Redox Equilibria and Electrochemistry
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Redox Equilibria and Electrochemistry (ch. 15) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Redox Reaction Investigations ◦ A Small-Scale Electrochemical Cell ◦ An Electrochemical Series from Cell Data ◦ Electrographic Analysis of Metals ◦ Nernst's Law and Potentiometric Redox Titrations ◦ Lead-Acid Automobile Battery 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Studying Electrochemistry and Establishing the Relative Reactivities of a Series of Metals (ch. 37) • Studying Electrochemical Cells and Reduction Potentials (ch. 38)
Consumables: \$35.20 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$0.00	Consumables: \$100.76 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$1397.00
Chromatography	Chromatography
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paper and Liquid Chromatography <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Paper Chromatography of Dyes ◦ Moist Buffered Phase Chromatography of Nicotine ◦ Calculations of the K_b of Nicotine from Chromatographic Data ◦ Preparation of a Liquid Chromatography Column ◦ Investigations of Column Parameters and Processes ◦ Derivatization of the Silica Gel Stationary Phase ◦ Chromatography of Selected Synthetic Dyes ◦ LC of Beet Pigment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separating and Identifying Food Dyes by Paper Chromatography (ch. 21)
Consumables: \$16.34 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$29.44	Consumables: \$10.71 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$40.18
Complexation Equilibria	Complexation Equilibria
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Zinc Links: Coordination Chemistry and Nutritional Deficiency (ch. 22) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ The Preparation of Calibration Standards for the Quantitative Colorimetric Determination of 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spectrophotometric Determination of the Formula of a Complex Ion (ch. 19)

<p>Zinc</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Zinc Determination in Unknown Samples ◦ The Chelation of Zinc by Phytate and Other Naturally Occurring Substances ◦ A Quantitative Instrumental Colorimeter for the Determination of Zinc ◦ Calculation of Your Daily Zinc Intake 	
<p>Consumables: \$3.70 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$75.48</p>	<p>Consumables: \$35.71 Experiment Specific Equipment: \$0.00</p>
<p>Total Consumables: \$101.02 Total Experiment Specific Equipment: \$1,056.09</p>	<p>Total Consumables: \$2731.37 Total Experiment Specific Equipment: \$26,573.59</p>

**Additional Small-Scale Experiments Done in Chemtrek:
Small-Scale Experiments for General Chemistry by
Stephen Thompson**

The System (ch. 1)

Consumables: \$0.87
Experiment Specific Equipment: \$8.25

**The Use and Abuse of Aluminum and Its Compounds
(ch. 4)**

- The Aluminum Can
- Recycling Aluminum: The Synthesis of Alum (Potassium Aluminum Sulfate)
- Qualitative Analysis of an Alum Sample
- A Practical Use for the Reaction of Aluminum with a Base

Consumables: \$3.25
Experiment Specific Equipment: \$5.00

Alcohol Abuse: Chemical Tests for Intoxication (ch. 12)

- Preparation of a Set of Colorimetric Standards for the Determination of Ethanol
- The Analysis of Unknown Samples Containing Ethanol
- An Exploration of the Relationship between Chemical Structure and the Chemical and Physiological Behavior of Alcohols
- Drinking and Driving . . . A Sad Story

Consumables: \$2.75
Experiment Specific Equipment: \$2.75

Acid Deposition (ch. 16)

- Design and Characterization of a Probe System for Acidity and Alkalinity
- A Chemical Reaction Source for Nitric Oxide and Exploration of the Atmospheric Transport and Reactions of NO_x with Raindrops

- Cloud Formation and Cloud Scavenging of NO_x
- Redox Chemistry of NO_x
- The Susceptibility of Lakes to Acid Deposition-Model Studies
- Source, Transport, and Deposition Reactions of Sulfur Dioxide (SO_2)
- Heterogeneous Oxidation of SO_2 to Sulfur Trioxide (SO_3) and Sulfuric Acid (H_2SO_4) by Hydrogen Peroxide (H_2O_2) in Raindrops and Cloud Drops
- The Effects of Acid Deposition on Naturally Occurring Minerals and on Construction Materials
- The Effects of SO_2 on Plants
- Putting It All Together: Acid Deposition from NO_x plus SO_x
- Space Shuttle Launches: An Example of Severe Local Hydrochloric Acid Deposition

Consumables: \$6.05

Experiment Specific Equipment: \$11.24

Gas Chromatography (ch. 19)

- The Construction of a Gas Chromatograph
- Measurements of the Retention Time of Air and the Gas Flow Rate
- Measurements of the Retention Times of Halocarbons
- GC Separation of Halocarbon Mixtures
- GC Analysis of Industrial Products Optimizing a GC System: The Van Deemter Plot
- Quantitative Analysis by GC with Photodetection

Consumables: \$11.88

Experiment Specific Equipment: \$169.65

Surface Chemistry: Bubbles and Films (ch. 20)

- The Measurement of Surface Tension by Capillary Rise Techniques
- Langmuir-Blodgett Pockels Techniques and Oil Spill Chemistry
- Some Properties of Soap Films
- Minimum-Distance Networks and Soap Film Computers
- Three-Dimensional Systems: Bubbles and Films on Frames
- Free and Captive Bubbles and So Froth
- Fun with Big Bubbles

Consumables: \$3.53

Experiment Specific Equipment: \$45.15

Natural Products Chemistry: Anthocyanins as Food

Dyes (ch. 21)

- The Extraction of Plant Dyes
- Anthocyanin Purification by Chromatography
- The Solution Chemistry of Anthocyanins
- Spectroscopy of Anthocyanins
- Anthocyanin Synthesis
- The Evaluation of Anthocyanins and Betacyanins as Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Dyes

Consumables: \$3.45

Experiment Specific Equipment: \$4819.88

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