

**Marks**  
**4**

- A key step in the metabolism of glucose for energy is the isomerism of glucose-6-phosphate (G6P) to fructose-6-phosphate (F6P);



At 298 K, the equilibrium constant for the isomerisation is 0.510. Calculate  $\Delta G^\circ$  at 298 K.

Answer:

Calculate  $\Delta G$  at 298 K when the  $[\text{F6P}] / [\text{G6P}]$  ratio = 10.

Answer:

In which direction will the reaction shift in order to establish equilibrium? Why?

**2**

- The specific heat capacity of water is  $4.18 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$  and the specific heat capacity of copper is  $0.39 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ . If the same amount of energy were applied to a 1.0 mol sample of each substance, both initially at  $25^\circ \text{C}$ , which substance would get hotter? Show all working.

Answer: