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AP WORKED ANSWERS

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Points 2, 3, 2, 2

(a) $\Delta S^\circ = \Sigma S^\circ_{(\text{products})} - \Sigma S^\circ_{(\text{reactants})}$

$$-232.7 = \Sigma S^\circ_{(\text{products})} - [(200.9) + 2(130.7)]$$

$$\Sigma S^\circ_{(\text{products})} = \underline{\mathbf{+ 229.6 \text{ JK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1}}}$$

(b) First calculate ΔH using either Hess's Cycle or $\Delta H^\circ = \Sigma H^\circ_{(\text{products})} - \Sigma H^\circ_{(\text{reactants})}$ or algebraic manipulation of equations.

$$\Delta H = (-84.7) - (226.7) = - 311.4 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

Then apply;

$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$$

$$\Delta G = (-311.4) - ((298)(-0.2327))$$

$$\Delta G = \underline{\mathbf{- 242.1 \text{ kJ (negative so feasible)}}$$

Note: ΔG is quoted at a specific temperature. Any stated temperature is OK. Using $T = 273 \text{ K}$ rather than 298 K gives $\Delta G = -247.9 \text{ kJ}$.

$$(c) \ln K = - \frac{\Delta G}{RT} = \frac{242.1}{(8.31)(298)} = 97.7$$

$$K = \underline{\mathbf{3 \times 10^{42}}}$$

(d)

Bonds Broken (Endothermic +ve)		Bonds made (Exothermic -ve)	
C≡C	X	C-C	-347
2 H-H	(2) (+436)	6 C-H	(6) (-414)
2 C-H	(2) (+414)		
TOTAL	+1700 + X	TOTAL	- 2831

ΔH from part (b) =

$$-311.4 \text{ kJ} = (\text{Total broken}) + (\text{Total formed})$$

$$- 311.4 \text{ kJ} = (+1700 + X) + (-2831)$$

$$X = \underline{\mathbf{820 \text{ kJ}}}$$