

# THE “OFFICIAL” CHEMISTRY 12 REDOX & ELECTROCHEMISTRY STUDY GUIDE

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- LEARN FROM YOUR MISTAKES!** If you get a question wrong, **figure out why!** If you are having difficulty, **talk to your study partner**, or maybe **phone someone in your Peer Tutoring group**. Get together with group members or other students from class and work on these questions together. Explain how you got your answers to tough questions to others. In explaining yourself to someone else, you will learn the material better yourself (try it!) Ask your teacher to explain the questions to you during tutorial or after school. **Your goal should be to get 100% on any Chemistry 12 multiple choice test**- learning from your mistakes in this booklet will really help you in your efforts to meet this goal!
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- Check Off the STATUS box on the PRESCRIBED LEARNING OUTCOMES sheet.** I have tried to organize the questions in the identical sequence to which they appear on your Redox/Electrochemistry Prescribed Learning Outcome sheet. By doing this, you can be confident that you know everything you need to know for both the UNIT EXAM and PROVINCIAL EXAM !

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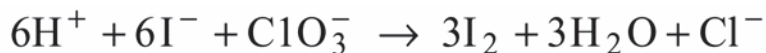
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## INTRODUCTION

1. **S01** Which one of the following is the strongest reducing agent?

A.  $I^-$                       B.  $F^-$                       C.  $Cl^-$                       D.  $Br^-$

2. **S01** In the reaction below:



the oxidizing agent is

A.  $I^2$                       B.  $I^-$                       C.  $H^+$                       D.  $ClO_3^-$

3. **S01** Which of the following is the **strongest** reducing agent?

- A. cobalt  
B. copper  
C. calcium  
D. chromium

4. **S01** An oxidizing agent is

- A. reduced as it loses electrons.  
B. reduced as it gains electrons.  
C. oxidized as it loses electrons.  
D. oxidized as it gains electrons.

5. **S01** Which of the following is the **strongest** oxidizing agent?

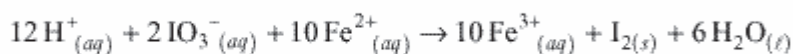
- A. Mn  
B.  $Mn^{2+}$   
C. acidified  $MnO_2$   
D. acidified  $MnO_4^-$

6. **S01** Referring to the Data Booklet, which of the following can act as an oxidizing agent but not as a reducing agent?
- A. Zn  
B.  $\text{Cl}^-$   
C.  $\text{Sn}^{2+}$   
D.  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$
7. **S01** **An oxidizing agent**
- A. loses electrons.  
B. decreases in oxidation number.  
C. loses mass in an operating electrochemical cell.  
D. acts as an anode in an operating electrochemical cell.

8. **S01** Which of the following substances is the strongest reducing agent?

- A. Hg  
B. Zn  
C. Sn  
D. Ag

9. **S01** Consider the following redox equation:



The reducing agent is

- A.  $\text{I}_2$   
B.  $\text{H}^+$   
C.  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$   
D.  $\text{IO}_3^-$

10. **S01** Which of the following represents a redox reaction?

- A.  $\text{CaCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$   
B.  $\text{SiCl}_4 + 2\text{Mg} \rightarrow \text{Si} + 2\text{MgCl}_2$   
C.  $2\text{NaOH} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$   
D.  $\text{AgBr} + 2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3^{2-} \rightarrow \text{Ag}(\text{S}_2\text{O}_3)_2^{3-} + \text{Br}^-$

11. **S01** **When  $\text{NO}_2$  acts as a reducing agent, a possible product is**

- A. NO      B.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$       C.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$       D.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$

12. **S01** An oxidizing agent will cause which of the following changes?

- A.  $\text{PtO}_2 \rightarrow \text{PtO}$   
B.  $\text{PtO}_3 \rightarrow \text{PtO}_2$   
C.  $\text{Pt}(\text{OH})_2 \rightarrow \text{Pt}$   
D.  $\text{Pt}(\text{OH})_2^{2+} \rightarrow \text{PtO}_3$

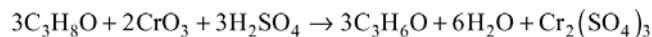
13. **S02** **The oxidation state of S in  $\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-}$  is:**

- A. -2      B. +7      C. +8      D. +14

14. **S02** **As  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  changes to  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$ , it is said that sulphur is being reduced since its oxidation number:**

- A. increases as electrons are lost.      B. decreases as electrons are lost.  
C. increases as electrons are gained.      D. decreases as electrons are gained.

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15. S02 Consider the following:



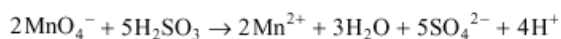
The oxidation number of the chromium

- A. increases as it undergoes reduction.
- B. increases as it undergoes oxidation.
- C. decreases as it undergoes oxidation.
- D. decreases as it undergoes reduction.

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16. S02 The oxidation number of sulphur in  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$  is

- A. -2
- B. +1
- C. +2
- D. +4

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17. S02 Consider the following:



The species that undergoes reduction is

- A. S in  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$
- B. H in  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$
- C. O in  $\text{MnO}_4^-$
- D. Mn in  $\text{MnO}_4^-$

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18. S02 In which of the following unbalanced equations does chromium undergo oxidation?

- A.  $\text{Cr}^{3+} \rightarrow \text{Cr}$
- B.  $\text{Cr}^{3+} \rightarrow \text{Cr}^{2+}$
- C.  $\text{Cr}^{3+} \rightarrow \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$
- D.  $\text{CrO}_4^{2-} \rightarrow \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$

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19. S02 The oxidation number of carbon in  $\text{CaC}_2\text{O}_4$  is

- A. +2
- B. +3
- C. +4
- D. +6

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20. S02 When  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  reacts to form  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$ , the manganese in  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  is

- A. reduced as its oxidation number increases.
- B. reduced as its oxidation number decreases.
- C. oxidized as its oxidation number increases.
- D. oxidized as its oxidation number decreases.

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21. S02 The oxidation number of nitrogen increases in

- A.  $\text{NO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{NO}$
  - B.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4 \rightarrow \text{NI}_3$
  - C.  $\text{NH}_3 \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+$
  - D.  $\text{NO}_2 \rightarrow \text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
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22. **S02** In a redox reaction, the species which loses electrons

- A. is oxidized.
- B. is called the cathode.
- C. gains mass at the electrode.
- D. decreases in oxidation number.

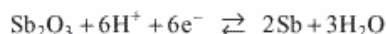
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23. **S02** When  $\text{NO}_2$  reacts to form  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  the oxidation number of nitrogen

- A. increases by 2.
- B. increases by 4.
- C. increases by 8.
- D. does not change.

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24. **S02** Consider the following half-reaction:



The oxidation number of antimony in  $\text{Sb}_2\text{O}_3$

- A. increases by 3.
- B. increases by 6.
- C. decreases by 3.
- D. decreases by 6.

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25. **S02** **Manganese has an oxidation number of +4 in**

- A.  $\text{MnO}$       B.  $\text{MnO}_2$       C.  $\text{Mn}_2\text{O}_3$       D.  $\text{Mn}_2\text{O}_7$

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26. **S02** In which reaction is nitrogen reduced?

- A.  $2\text{NO} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NO}_2$
- B.  $4\text{NH}_3 + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{NO} + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- C.  $\text{Cu}^{2+} + 2\text{NO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Cu} + 4\text{H}^+ + 2\text{NO}_3^-$
- D.  $4\text{Zn} + 10\text{H}^+ + \text{NO}_3^- \rightarrow 4\text{Zn}^{2+} + \text{NH}_4^+ + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$

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27. **S03** Consider the following:



The substance which loses electrons is

- A.  $\text{Pb}$
- B.  $\text{PbO}_2$
- C.  $\text{H}^+$
- D.  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$

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28. **S03** Consider the following equation:



Electrons are lost in the reaction by

- A.  $\text{Fe}$       B.  $\text{Cu}$       C.  $\text{Fe}^{+3}$       D.  $\text{Cu}^{+2}$

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29. **S03** Electrons are lost by the

- A. reducing agent as it undergoes oxidation.
  - B. reducing agent as it undergoes reduction.
  - C. oxidizing agent as it undergoes oxidation.
  - D. oxidizing agent as it undergoes reduction.
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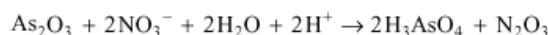
30. S03 Consider the following redox equation:



Which of the following is gaining electrons?

- A.  $\text{Br}_2$
- B.  $\text{SO}_2$
- C.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- D.  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$

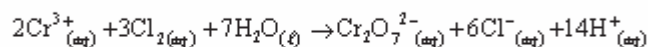
31. S03 Consider the following redox reaction:



In this reaction, nitrogen

- A. loses electrons and increases in oxidation number.
- B. gains electrons and increases in oxidation number.
- C. loses electrons and decreases in oxidation number.
- D. gains electrons and decreases in oxidation number.

32. S03 Consider the following redox reaction:



The species which loses electrons is

- A.  $\text{Cl}_2$
- B.  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$
- C.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- D.  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$

33. S03 The species which gains electrons in a redox reaction

- A. loses mass.
- B. is oxidized.
- C. is the oxidizing agent.
- D. increases in oxidation number.

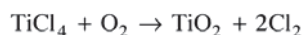
34. S03 In an oxidation half-reaction there is a

A. gain of protons.      B. gain of electrons.      C. loss of protons.      D. loss of electrons.

35. S03 As an element is oxidized, its oxidation number

A. increases as electrons are lost.      B. decreases as electrons are lost.  
C. increases as electrons are gained.      D. decreases as electrons are gained.

36. S03 Consider the following reaction:



Each oxygen atom is

- A. reduced and loses  $2\text{e}^-$
- B. reduced and gains  $2\text{e}^-$
- C. oxidized and loses  $2\text{e}^-$
- D. oxidized and gains  $2\text{e}^-$

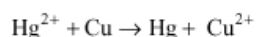
37. **S05** Samples of Uranium, Vanadium and Yttrium (U, V, Y) were placed in solutions containing one of the metallic ions  $U^{3+}$ ,  $V^{2+}$ ,  $Y^{3+}$ . The following observations were recorded.

Trial	Ion	Metal	Observation
1	$U^{3+}$	Y	reaction
2	$V^{2+}$	U	reaction
3	$V^{2+}$	Y	reaction
4	$Y^{3+}$	V	no reaction

The oxidizing agents from the strongest to the weakest are

- A.  $V^{2+}$ ,  $U^{3+}$ ,  $Y^{3+}$   
B.  $U^{3+}$ ,  $V^{2+}$ ,  $Y^{3+}$   
C.  $Y^{3+}$ ,  $U^{3+}$ ,  $V^{2+}$   
D.  $V^{2+}$ ,  $Y^{3+}$ ,  $U^{3+}$

38. **S05** Consider the following redox reaction:



In this reaction,  $Hg^{2+}$  is a

- A. weaker reducing agent than  $Cu^{2+}$   
B. weaker oxidizing agent than  $Cu^{2+}$   
C. stronger reducing agent than  $Cu^{2+}$   
D. stronger oxidizing agent than  $Cu^{2+}$
39. **S05** Which of the following is the strongest oxidizing agent?

- A.  $Cu^{2+}$   
B.  $Pb^{2+}$   
C.  $Ni^{2+}$   
D.  $Sn^{2+}$

40. **S05** Metallic platinum reacts spontaneously with  $Au^{3+}_{(aq)}$  but does not react with  $Ag^{+}_{(aq)}$ . The metals, in order of increasing strength as reducing agents, are

- A. Ag, Pt, Au  
B. Pt, Au, Ag  
C. Au, Ag, Pt  
D. Au, Pt, Ag

41. **S06** Which of the following reactions is spontaneous at standard conditions?

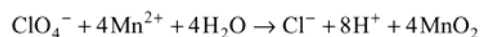
- A.  $2H_2O \rightarrow 2H_2 + O_2$   
B.  $2Fe^{3+} + Fe \rightarrow 3Fe^{2+}$   
C.  $2Cl^{-} + Br_2 \rightarrow Cl_2 + 2Br^{-}$   
D.  $2Br^{-} + Sn^{4+} \rightarrow Sn^{2+} + Br_2$

42. **S06** Which of the following species will react with  $Cl_2$  but not with  $Br_2$  ?

- A. Mn  
B. acidified  $Mn^{2+}$   
C. acidified  $MnO_2$   
D. acidified  $MnO_4^{-}$

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43. S06 Consider the following:



The forward reaction is

- A. spontaneous and the  $E^\circ$  is +0.16 V
- B. spontaneous and the  $E^\circ$  is -0.16 V
- C. non-spontaneous and the  $E^\circ$  is +0.16 V
- D. non-spontaneous and the  $E^\circ$  is -0.16 V

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44. S06 The reducing agents yttrium, uranium and vanadium, from the strongest to the weakest, are Y, U and V. Which of the following statements is true?

- A. V will react with the  $\text{Y}^{3+}$  ion.
- B. V will react with the  $\text{U}^{3+}$  ion.
- C. V will react with both the  $\text{U}^{3+}$  and  $\text{Y}^{3+}$  ions.
- D. V will not react with either  $\text{U}^{3+}$  or  $\text{Y}^{3+}$  ions.

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45. S06 Which of the following reactions is spontaneous?

- A.  $\text{Fe} + \text{Cu}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Cu}$
- B.  $\text{Fe} + \text{Zn}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Zn}$
- C.  $\text{Fe} + \text{Mn}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Mn}$
- D.  $\text{Fe} + \text{Mg}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Mg}$

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46. S06 Which of the following reactions is spontaneous?

- A.  $\text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Sn} \rightarrow \text{Fe} + \text{Sn}^{2+}$
- B.  $\text{Fe}^{3+} + \text{Sn} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Sn}^{2+}$
- C.  $\text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Sn}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Fe} + \text{Sn}^{4+}$
- D.  $\text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{Sn}^{4+} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{3+} + \text{Sn}^{2+}$

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47. S06 The reaction that occurs when pieces of lead, zinc, copper and silver are placed in a solution of  $\text{Ni}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  is

- A.  $\text{Pb} + \text{Ni}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Pb}^{2+} + \text{Ni}$
- B.  $\text{Zn} + \text{Ni}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + \text{Ni}$
- C.  $\text{Cu} + \text{Ni}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Cu}^{2+} + \text{Ni}$
- D.  $2\text{Ag} + \text{Ni}^{2+} \rightarrow 2\text{Ag}^+ + \text{Ni}$

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48. S06 Which of the following ions can be reduced from an aqueous solution?

- A.  $\text{Ba}^{2+}$
  - B.  $\text{Al}^{3+}$
  - C.  $\text{Sn}^{2+}$
  - D.  $\text{Na}^+$
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49. S06 Three beakers contain 1.0 M  $\text{CuCl}_2$ . A piece of metal is placed in each of the beakers.

BEAKER	SOLUTION	METAL
1	$\text{CuCl}_2$	Zn
2	$\text{CuCl}_2$	Ag
3	$\text{CuCl}_2$	Ni

Reactions occur in

- A. beaker 2 only.  
B. beakers 1, 2 and 3.  
C. beakers 1 and 2 only.  
D. beakers 1 and 3 only.
50. S06 Which of the following pairs of ions will react spontaneously in solution?

- A.  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$   
B.  $\text{Pb}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Sn}^{2+}$   
C.  $\text{Co}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cr}^{2+}$   
D.  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cr}^{2+}$

51. S06 Which of the following 1.0 M solutions will react spontaneously with lead?

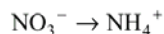
A. KCl      B.  $\text{CuCl}_2$       C.  $\text{ZnCl}_2$       D.  $\text{MgCl}_2$

52. S06 Which of the following will oxidize  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ ?

- A.  $\text{I}_{2(s)}$   
B.  $\text{Ni}_{(s)}$   
C.  $\text{Zn}_{(s)}$   
D.  $\text{Br}_{2(l)}$

## BALANCING REDOX EQUATIONS

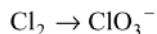
53. T01 Consider the following:



The balanced half-reaction is

- A.  $\text{NO}_3^- + 10\text{H}^+ + 9\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+ + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
B.  $\text{NO}_3^- + 7\text{H}^+ + 8\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+ + 3\text{OH}^-$   
C.  $\text{NO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+ + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
D.  $\text{NO}_3^- + 10\text{H}^+ + 8\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+ + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$

54. T01 Consider the following:



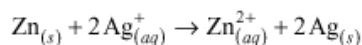
The balanced half-reaction is

- A.  $\text{Cl}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{ClO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ + 5\text{e}^-$   
B.  $\text{Cl}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ + 4\text{e}^-$   
C.  $\text{Cl}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^- + 6\text{H}_2$   
D.  $\text{Cl}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^- + 12\text{H}^+ + 10\text{e}^-$



55. **T01** In a redox reaction,  $\text{ClO}^-$  was converted to  $\text{Cl}^-$  in a basic solution. The balanced half-reaction for this process is
- $\text{ClO}^- + \text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}^- + 2\text{OH}^-$
  - $\text{ClO}^- + 2\text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}^- + 2\text{e}^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{ClO}^- + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Cl}^- + 2\text{e}^- + 2\text{OH}^-$
  - $\text{ClO}^- + 2\text{OH}^- + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
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56. **T01** Which of the following represents a balanced reduction half-reaction?
- $\text{VO}_2^+ + \text{H}^+ + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{VO}^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{VO}_2^+ + \text{H}_2 \rightarrow \text{VO}^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{O} + 1\text{e}^-$
  - $\text{VO}_2^+ + 2\text{H}^+ + 1\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{VO}^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{VO}_2^+ + 4\text{H}^+ + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{VO}^{2+} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$
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57. **T01** Consider the following half-reaction in a basic solution:
- $$\text{Ag}_2\text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{AgO} \quad (\text{basic})$$
- The balanced half-reaction is
- $\text{Ag}_2\text{O}_3 + 4\text{H}^+ + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{AgO} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{Ag}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{H}^+ + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{AgO} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{Ag}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{AgO} + 2\text{OH}^-$
  - $\text{Ag}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{AgO} + 4\text{OH}^-$
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58. **T02** Which of the following is a balanced half-reaction in base?
- $\text{Cl}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{ClO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ + 5\text{e}^-$
  - $\text{Cl}_2 + 6\text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{ClO}_3^- + 5\text{e}^- + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{Cl}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^- + 12\text{H}^+ + 10\text{e}^-$
  - $\text{Cl}_2 + 12\text{OH}^- \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^- + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} + 10\text{e}^-$
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59. **T04** What two substances are produced when Cr and 1.0 M  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  react in **basic** solution?
- $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$
  - $\text{MnO}_2$  and  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$
  - $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cr}^{2+}$
  - $\text{MnO}_2$  and  $\text{CrO}_4^{2-}$
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60. **T05** Which of the following chemicals could be used in a titration in which  $\text{Br}^-$  is changed to  $\text{Br}_2$  ?
- $\text{I}_2$
  - $\text{Cl}^-$
  - $\text{NO}_3^-$  (acidified)
  - $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  (acidified)
- 
61. **T05** The concentration of  $\text{Fe}^{2+}_{(\text{aq})}$  can be determined by a redox titration using
- KBr
  - $\text{SnCl}_2$
  - $\text{KMnO}_4$  (basic)
  - $\text{KBrO}_3$  (acidic)

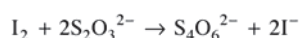
62. T06 Consider the following reaction:



What volume of 0.500 M  $\text{AgNO}_3$  is required to react completely with 6.54 g of zinc?

- A. 0.0131 L
- B. 0.0262 L
- C. 0.200 L
- D. 0.400 L

63. T06 Consider the following redox reaction:



In a titration, 40.00 mL of  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$  is needed to react completely with  $4.0 \times 10^{-3}$  mol  $\text{I}_2$ .  
What is the concentration of  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$  ?

- A. 0.10 M
- B. 0.16 M
- C. 0.20 M
- D. 0.32 M

## ELECTROCHEMICAL CELLS

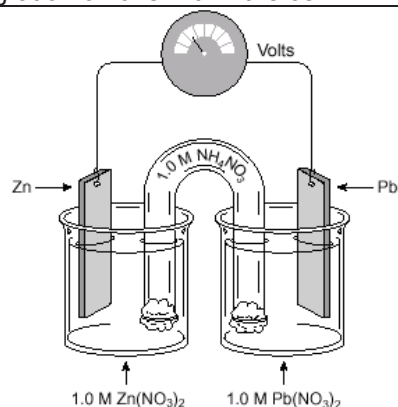
64. U01 In an electrochemical cell, the cathode

A. is reduced.      B. loses mass.      C. is the reducing agent.      D. is the site of reduction.

65. U01 In an operating electrochemical cell the function of a salt bridge is to

A. allow hydrolysis to occur.      B. allow a non-spontaneous reaction to occur.  
C. permit the migration of ions within the cell.      D. transfer electrons from the cathode to the anode.

66. U0  
2



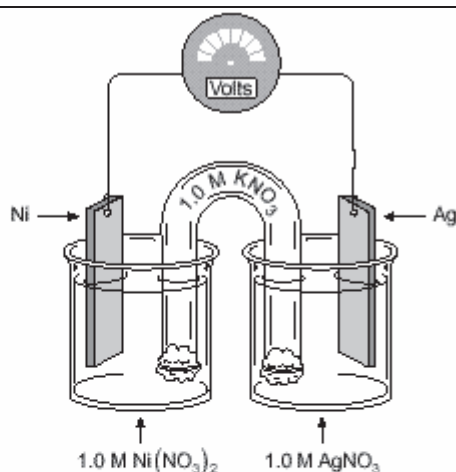
The reaction at the anode is

- A.  $\text{Pb} \rightarrow \text{Pb}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^{-}$
- B.  $\text{Pb}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^{-} \rightarrow \text{Pb}$
- C.  $\text{Zn}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^{-} \rightarrow \text{Zn}$
- D.  $\text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^{-}$

67. U0  
2 The electrons move from the

- A. zinc to the lead through the wire.
- B. lead to the zinc through the wire.
- C. zinc to the lead through the salt bridge.
- D. lead to the zinc through the salt bridge.

68. UO  
2



The balanced equation for the overall reaction is

- A.  $\text{Ni}^+_{(aq)} + \text{Ag}_{(s)} \rightarrow \text{Ag}^+_{(aq)} + \text{Ni}_{(s)}$
- B.  $\text{Ni}_{(s)} + \text{Ag}^+_{(aq)} \rightarrow \text{Ag}_{(s)} + \text{Ni}^+_{(aq)}$
- C.  $\text{Ni}^{2+}_{(aq)} + 2\text{Ag}_{(s)} \rightarrow 2\text{Ag}^+_{(aq)} + \text{Ni}_{(s)}$
- D.  $\text{Ni}_{(s)} + 2\text{Ag}^+_{(aq)} \rightarrow 2\text{Ag}_{(s)} + \text{Ni}^{2+}_{(aq)}$

69. UO  
2

This redox reaction occurs because

- A.  $\text{Ag}_{(s)}$  is a stronger oxidizing agent than  $\text{Ni}_{(s)}$
- B.  $\text{Ag}_{(s)}$  is a weaker reducing agent than  $\text{Ni}_{(s)}$
- C.  $\text{Ag}^+_{(aq)}$  is a stronger reducing agent than  $\text{Ni}^{2+}_{(aq)}$
- D.  $\text{Ag}^+_{(aq)}$  is a weaker oxidizing agent than  $\text{Ni}^{2+}_{(aq)}$

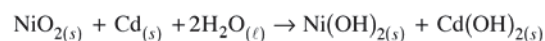
70. UO  
2

The initial cell voltage at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  is

- A.  $-1.06\text{ V}$
- B.  $-0.54\text{ V}$
- C.  $+0.54\text{ V}$
- D.  $+1.06\text{ V}$

71. UO  
2

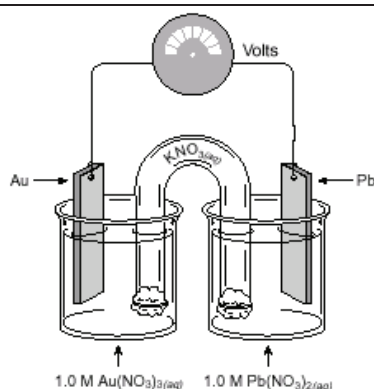
Consider the overall reaction of the rechargeable nickel-cadmium battery:



Which of the following occurs at the **anode** as the reaction proceeds?

- A. Cd loses  $2e^-$  and forms  $\text{Cd(OH)}_{2(s)}$
- B. Cd gains  $2e^-$  and forms  $\text{Cd(OH)}_{2(s)}$
- C.  $\text{NiO}_2$  loses  $2e^-$  and forms  $\text{Ni(OH)}_{2(s)}$
- D.  $\text{NiO}_2$  gains  $2e^-$  and forms  $\text{Ni(OH)}_{2(s)}$

72. **UO**  
**3**



As the cell operates,

- A.  $\text{NO}_3^-$  and  $\text{K}^+$  will migrate toward the Pb half-cell.
- B.  $\text{NO}_3^-$  and  $\text{K}^+$  will migrate toward the Au half-cell.
- C.  $\text{NO}_3^-$  will migrate toward the Pb half-cell and  $\text{K}^+$  will migrate toward the Au half-cell.
- D.  $\text{NO}_3^-$  will migrate toward the Au half-cell and  $\text{K}^+$  will migrate toward the Pb half-cell.

73. **UO**  
**3**

The initial voltage is

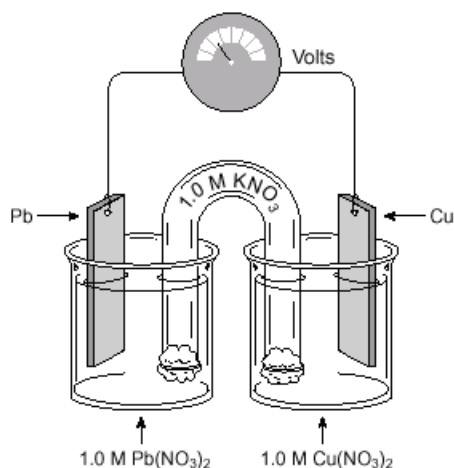
- A.  $-1.37 \text{ V}$
- B.  $0.00 \text{ V}$
- C.  $1.37 \text{ V}$
- D.  $1.63 \text{ V}$

74. **UO**  
**3**

The direction of the electron flow is

- A. from Au to Pb through the wire.
- B. from Pb to Au through the wire.
- C. from Au to Pb through the salt bridge.
- D. from Pb to Au through the salt bridge.

75. **UO**  
**4**



In the electrochemical cell above, the electrons flow from

- A. copper to lead through the wire.
- B. lead to copper through the wire.
- C. copper to lead through the salt bridge.
- D. lead to copper through the salt bridge.

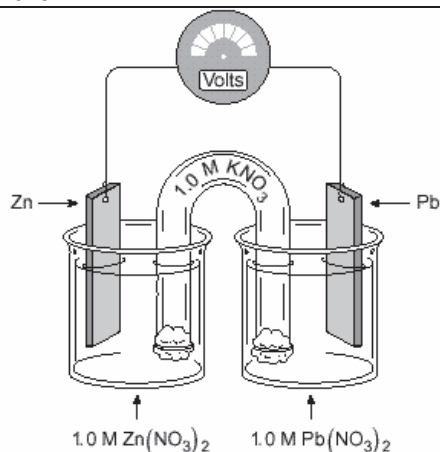
76. **UO**  
**4** In the electrochemical cell above, the initial  $E^\circ$  value is

- A. 0.03 V
- B. 0.21 V
- C. 0.29 V
- D. 0.47 V

77. **UO**  
**4** In an operating zinc-copper electrochemical cell, the oxidizing agent

- A. loses electrons at the anode.   B. loses electrons to the cations.   C. gains electrons at the cathode.   D. gains electrons from the anions.

78. **UO**  
**4**



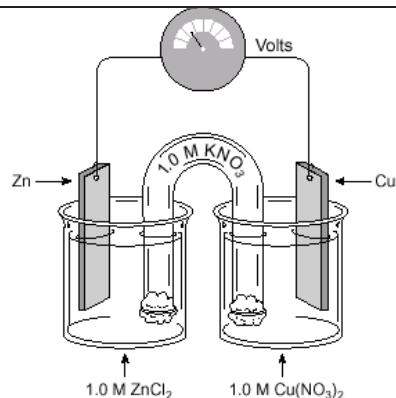
In the electrochemical cell above, the electrons flow from

- A. zinc to lead and the mass of zinc increases.
- B. zinc to lead and the mass of lead increases.
- C. lead to zinc and the mass of zinc increases.
- D. lead to zinc and the mass of lead increases.

79. **UO**  
**9** The initial cell voltage is

- A. -0.89 V
- B. -0.63 V
- C. +0.63 V
- D. +0.89 V

80. **UO**  
**5**



In the above electrochemical cell,

- A. the mass of the anode increases and the mass of the cathode increases.
- B. the mass of the anode decreases and the mass of the cathode decreases.
- C. the mass of the anode decreases and the mass of the cathode increases.
- D. the mass of the anode increases and the mass of the cathode decreases.

81. **U0**  
**5**

In the electrochemical cell above,

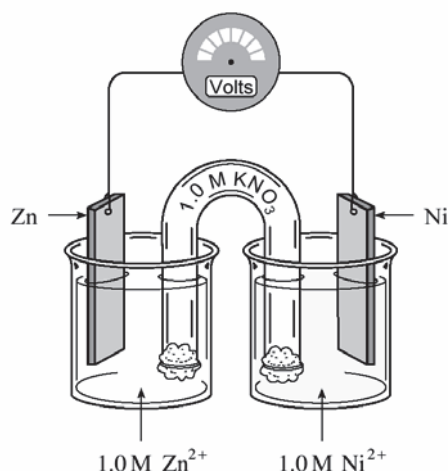
- A. electrons migrate into the salt bridge.
- B. the zinc ions migrate into the salt bridge.
- C. the chloride ions migrate into the salt bridge.
- D. the copper(II) ions migrate into the salt bridge.

82. **U0**  
**5**

In the operating electrochemical cell above, the initial voltage is

- A.  $-1.10\text{ V}$
- B.  $-0.42\text{ V}$
- C.  $0.00\text{ V}$
- D.  $+1.10\text{ V}$

83. **U0**  
**5**



Which of the following occurs as the cell operates?

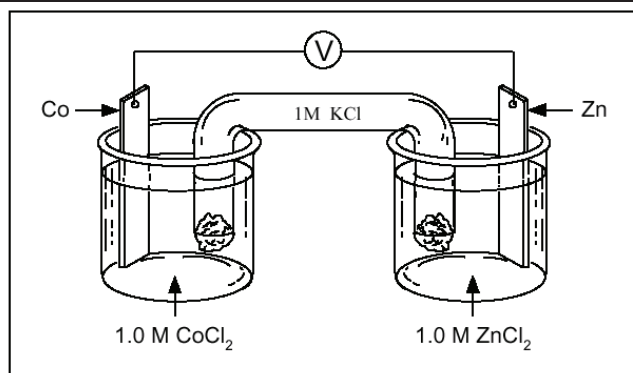
- A. Zinc electrode is reduced and increases in mass.
- B. Zinc electrode is reduced and decreases in mass.
- C. Zinc electrode is oxidized and increases in mass.
- D. Zinc electrode is oxidized and decreases in mass.

84. **U0**  
**6**

When the cell establishes equilibrium, the voltage will be

- A.  $-0.63\text{ V}$
- B.  $0.00\text{ V}$
- C.  $+0.63\text{ V}$
- D.  $+0.89\text{ V}$

85. UO  
7



The initial voltage of the cell in the above diagram is

- A. 0.48 V
- B. -0.48 V
- C. 0.00 V
- D. 1.04 V

86. UO  
7

Which of the following statements would be correct if the zinc half-cell had been chosen as the standard instead of the hydrogen half-cell?

- A. The reduction potentials of all half-cells would remain unchanged.
- B. The reduction potentials of all half-cells would increase by 0.76 V.
- C. The reduction potentials of all half-cells would have positive values.
- D. The reduction potential of the hydrogen half-cell would decrease by 0.76 V.

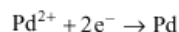
87. UO  
8

The  $E^\circ$  of the hydrogen half-cell is

- A. arbitrarily set.
- B. determined by experiment.
- C. independent of temperature.
- D. found by comparison with the oxygen half-cell.

88. UO  
9

A student attempted to determine the  $E^\circ$  (volts) of the following half-reaction:



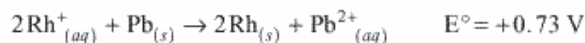
She recorded the following:

1.  $\text{Pd}^{2+} + \text{Cu} \rightarrow \text{Pd} + \text{Cu}^{2+}$
2.  $\text{Pd}^{2+} + \text{Au} \rightarrow \text{no reaction}$
3.  $\text{Pd}^{2+} + \text{Hg} \rightarrow \text{no reaction}$

Based on the above, the  $E^\circ$  (volts) of a Pd half-cell is

- A. less than 0.34 V.
- B. greater than 1.50 V.
- C. greater than 0.85 V but less than 1.50 V.
- D. greater than 0.34 V but less than 0.85 V.

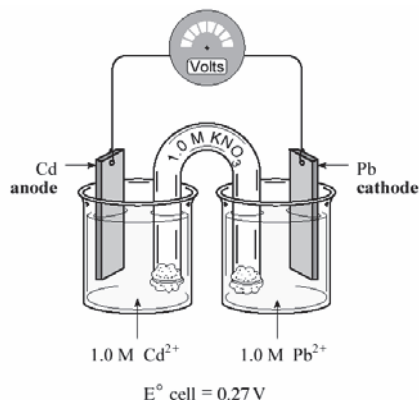
89. **U0**  
**9** Consider the following overall reaction:



The  $E^{\circ}$  for the half-reaction  $\text{Rh}_{(aq)}^{+} + e^{-} \rightleftharpoons \text{Rh}$  is

- A.  $-0.86 \text{ V}$
- B.  $-0.60 \text{ V}$
- C.  $+0.60 \text{ V}$
- D.  $+0.86 \text{ V}$

90. **U0**  
91. **9**



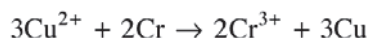
As the cell operates, electrons flow toward

- A. the Pb electrode, where Pb is oxidized.
- B. the Cd electrode, where Cd is oxidized.
- C. the Pb electrode, where  $\text{Pb}^{2+}$  is reduced.
- D. the Cd electrode, where  $\text{Cd}^{2+}$  is reduced.

The  $E^{\circ}$  value for the reduction of  $\text{Cd}^{2+}$  is

- A.  $-0.40 \text{ V}$
- B.  $-0.27 \text{ V}$
- C.  $+0.14 \text{ V}$
- D.  $+0.40 \text{ V}$

92. **U0**  
**9** The following reaction occurs in an electrochemical cell:



The  $E^{\circ}$  for the cell is

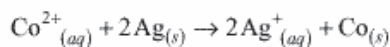
- A.  $0.40\text{V}$
- B.  $0.75\text{V}$
- C.  $1.08\text{V}$
- D.  $2.50\text{V}$

93. **U0**  
**9**

Which of the following reactants would produce an  $E^{\circ}$  of  $+0.63 \text{ V}$ ?

- A.  $\text{Ag}^{+} + \text{I}_2$
- B.  $\text{Pb}^{2+} + \text{Zn}$
- C.  $\text{Mg}^{2+} + \text{Ca}$
- D.  $\text{Zn}^{2+} + \text{Mn}$

94. **U10** Consider the following redox reaction:



The reaction is

- A. spontaneous and  $E^{\circ}$  is positive.
- B. spontaneous and  $E^{\circ}$  is negative.
- C. non-spontaneous and  $E^{\circ}$  is positive.
- D. non-spontaneous and  $E^{\circ}$  is negative.

95. **U11**

The principal function of a fuel cell is to

- A. produce fuel.
- B. electrolyze fuel.
- C. produce hydrogen.
- D. produce electricity.

96. **U11**

Hydrogen and oxygen react to provide energy in a(n)

- A. dry cell.
- B. fuel cell.
- C. alkaline cell.
- D. lead-acid storage cell.



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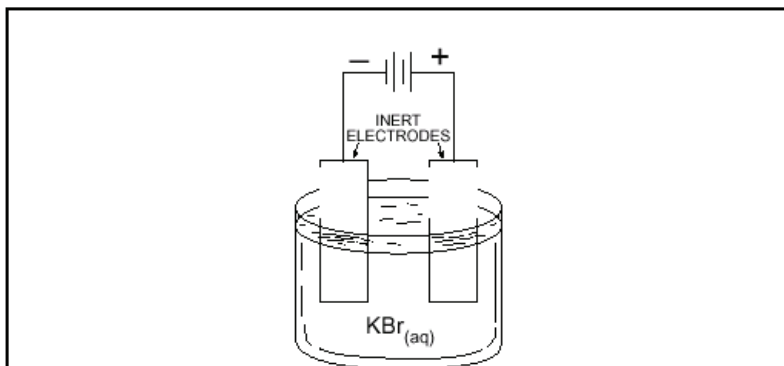
## CORROSION

98. **VO1**  
**E** A reaction that occurs during the corrosion of iron is
- A.  $\text{Fe} + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{3+}$
  - B.  $\text{Fe} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^-$
  - C.  $\text{Fe}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}$
  - D.  $\text{Fe}^{3+} + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+}$
- 
99. **VO**  
**2** During the corrosion of magnesium, the anode reaction is
- A.  $\text{Mg} \rightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^-$
  - B.  $\text{Mg}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Mg}$
  - C.  $4\text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{O}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 4\text{e}^-$
  - D.  $\text{O}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow 4\text{OH}^-$
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100. **VO**  
**3** Which of the following should be used to cathodically protect an iron sculpture?
- A. lead
  - B. nickel
  - C. copper
  - D. magnesium
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101. **VO**  
**3** Corrosion of iron can be prevented by attaching a piece of
- A. Mn
  - B. Cu
  - C. Pb
  - D. Sn
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102. **VO**  
**4** Which of the following metals can be used to cathodically protect iron?
- A. tin
  - B. zinc
  - C. nickel
  - D. copper
- 
103. **VO**  
**4** Which of the following metals could be used to cathodically protect a sample of lead?
- A. iron      B. gold      C. silver      D. copper
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104. **VO**  
**4** A solution of 1.0 M  $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  will not react with a container made of
- A. Cu
  - B. Fe
  - C. Sn
  - D. Zn
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## ELECTROLYTIC CELLS

105. **WO** [ 1] The process of applying an electric current through a cell to produce a chemical change is called:  
 A. corrosion. B. ionization. C. hydrolysis. D. electrolysis.

106. **WO**  
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The product at the cathode is

- A. K
- B. O<sub>2</sub>
- C. H<sub>2</sub>
- D. Br<sub>2</sub>

107. **WO**  
4

In the above cell,

- A. K<sup>+</sup> ions move to cathode and Br<sup>-</sup> ions move to anode.
- B. Br<sup>-</sup> ions move to cathode and K<sup>+</sup> ions move to anode.
- C. Br<sup>-</sup> ions move to cathode and H<sup>+</sup> ions move to anode.
- D. OH<sup>-</sup> ions move to cathode and Br<sup>-</sup> ions move to anode.

108. **WO**  
4

The substance formed at the anode during the electrolysis of 1.0 M NaI is

- A. iodine.
- B. oxygen.
- C. sodium.
- D. hydrogen.

109. **WO**  
4

When molten aluminum oxide is electrolyzed, the cathode reaction is

- A.  $\text{Al} \rightarrow \text{Al}^{3+} + 3\text{e}^-$
- B.  $\text{Al}^{3+} + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Al}$
- C.  $\text{O}_2 + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{O}^{2-}$
- D.  $2\text{O}^{2-} \rightarrow \text{O}_2 + 4\text{e}^-$

110. **WO**  
4

When 1.0 M NaI is electrolyzed, bubbles of gas form on one electrode and a reddish-brown substance forms on the other. The half-reaction at the cathode is

- A.  $2\text{I}^- \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2\text{e}^-$
- B.  $\text{Na}^+ + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Na}$
- C.  $\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\text{O}_2 + 2\text{H}^+ + 2\text{e}^-$
- D.  $2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2 + 2\text{OH}^-$

111. **WO** Which of the following is formed at the anode during the electrolysis of 1.0 M NaI ?

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- A.  $I_2$
- B.  $O_2$
- C.  $H_2$
- D. Na

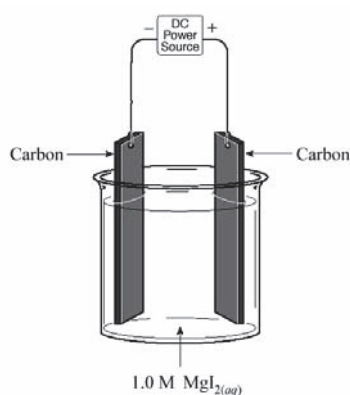
112. **WO** An iron spoon is electroplated with copper. The equation representing the reduction reaction is

**4**

- A.  $Cu^{2+}_{(aq)} + 2e^- \rightarrow Cu_{(s)}$
- B.  $Cu_{(s)} \rightarrow Cu^{2+}_{(aq)} + 2e^-$
- C.  $Fe^{2+}_{(aq)} + 2e^- \rightarrow Fe_{(s)}$
- D.  $Fe_{(s)} \rightarrow Fe^{2+}_{(aq)} + 2e^-$

113. **WO** The cathode reaction is

**4**



- A.  $2I^- \rightarrow I_2 + 2e^-$
- B.  $Mg^{2+} + 2e^- \rightarrow Mg$
- C.  $H_2O \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}O_2 + 2H^+ + 2e^-$
- D.  $2H_2O + 2e^- \rightarrow H_2 + 2OH^-$

114. **WO** If a piece of nickel is to be gold-plated using an electrolytic process, which half-reaction occurs at the cathode?

**6**

- A.  $Ni \rightarrow Ni^{2+} + 2e^-$
- B.  $Ni^{2+} + 2e^- \rightarrow Ni$
- C.  $Au \rightarrow Au^{3+} + 3e^-$
- D.  $Au^{3+} + 3e^- \rightarrow Au$

115. **WO** To plate a nickel coin with copper,

**6**

- A. the nickel coin must be the cathode.
- B. the cathode must be made of copper.
- C. the electrons must flow to the anode.
- D. the solution must contain nickel ions.

116. **WO** In electrorefining lead, pure lead is deposited on the cathode from an impure lead anode. In this process, lead is

**7**

- A. reduced at the anode.
- B. oxidized at the anode.
- C. reduced at the anode and the cathode.
- D. oxidized at the anode and the cathode.

117. **WO** An example of electrorefining is the

**7**

- A. extraction of aluminum from bauxite.
- B. purification of lead from an impure anode.
- C. recovery of zinc from a zinc sulphate solution.
- D. production of chlorine from a sodium chloride solution.

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118. **WO**  
**8** The substance formed at the cathode during the electrolysis of molten  $\text{ZnCl}_2$  is

- A. zinc.
- B. oxygen.
- C. chlorine.
- D. hydrogen.

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119. **WO**  
**8** In the electrolysis of molten zinc chloride, the half-reaction at the anode is

- A.  $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^-$
- B.  $2\text{Cl}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^-$
- C.  $\text{Zn}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Zn}$
- D.  $\text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^-$

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120. **WO**  
**8** A molten binary salt,  $\text{ZnCl}_2$ , undergoes electrolysis. The cathode reaction is

- A.  $\text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^-$
  - B.  $2\text{Cl}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^-$
  - C.  $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^-$
  - D.  $\text{Zn}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Zn}$
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**ANSWER KEY:**

## Introduction:

1.	A
2.	D
3.	C
4.	B
5.	D
6.	D
7.	B
8.	B
9.	C
10.	B
11.	D
12.	D
13.	B
14.	D
15.	D
16.	C
17.	D
18.	C
19.	B

20.	B
21.	D
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24.	C
25.	B
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32.	B
33.	C
34.	D
35.	A
36.	B
37.	A
38.	D

39.	A
40.	D
41.	B
42.	B
43.	A
44.	D
45.	A
46.	B
47.	B
48.	C
49.	D
50.	C
51.	B
52.	D

## Balancing Redox Equations:

53.	D
54.	D
55.	A
56.	C
57.	C
58.	D
59.	B
60.	D
61.	D
62.	D
63.	C

## Electrochemical Cells

64.	D
65.	C
66.	D
67.	A
68.	D
69.	B
70.	D
71.	A
72.	C
73.	D
74.	B
75.	B

76.	D
77.	C
78.	B
79.	C
80.	C
81.	B
82.	D
83.	D
84.	B
85.	A
86.	B
87.	A

88.	D
89.	C
90.	C
91.	A
92.	C
93.	B
94.	D
95.	D
96.	B
97.	C

## Corrosion:

98.	B
99.	A

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100.	<b>D</b>
101.	<b>A</b>
102.	<b>B</b>
103.	<b>A</b>
104.	<b>A</b>

***Electrolytic Cells:***

105.	<b>D</b>
106.	<b>C</b>
107.	<b>A</b>
108.	<b>A</b>
109.	<b>B</b>
110.	<b>D</b>
111.	<b>A</b>
112.	<b>A</b>

113.	<b>D</b>
114.	<b>D</b>
115.	<b>A</b>
116.	<b>B</b>
117.	<b>B</b>
118.	<b>A</b>
119.	<b>B</b>
120.	<b>D</b>