

## Redox Reactions Review

1. Identify each of the following changes as either oxidation or reduction.
  - (a)  $I_2 + 2e^- \rightarrow 2I^-$
  - (b)  $K \rightarrow K^+ + e^-$
  - (c)  $Fe^{2+} \rightarrow Fe^{3+} + e^-$
  - (d)  $Ag^+ + e^- \rightarrow Ag$
2. Identify what is oxidized and what is reduced in the following processes.
  - (a)  $2Br^- + Cl_2 \rightarrow Br_2 + 2Cl^-$
  - (b)  $2Ce + 3Cu^{2+} \rightarrow 3Cu + 2Ce^{3+}$
  - (c)  $2Zn + O_2 \rightarrow 2ZnO$
3. Identify the oxidizing agent and the reducing agent in each of the following reactions.
  - (a)  $Mg + I_2 \rightarrow MgI_2$
  - (b)  $2Na + 2H^+ \rightarrow 2Na^+ + H_2$
  - (c)  $H_2S + Cl_2 \rightarrow S + 2HCl$
4. Determine the oxidation number of the underlined element in the following formulas for compounds.
  - (a)  $Na\text{ClO}_4$
  - (b)  $\text{Al}\text{PO}_4$
  - (c)  $\text{H}\text{NO}_2$
5. Determine the oxidation number of the underlined element in the following formulas for ions.
  - (a)  $\text{NH}_4^+$
  - (b)  $\text{AsO}_4^{3-}$
  - (c)  $\text{CrO}_4^{2-}$
6. Determine the oxidation number of the underlined element in these compounds.
  - (a)  $\text{Sb}_2\text{O}_5$
  - (b)  $\text{H}\text{N}\text{O}_3$
  - (c)  $\text{Ca}\text{N}_2$
  - (d)  $\text{Cu}\text{W}\text{O}_4$  (copper(II) tungstate)
7. Determine the oxidation number of the underlined element in these ions.
  - (a)  $\text{I}\text{O}_4^-$
  - (b)  $\text{Mn}\text{O}_4^-$
  - (c)  $\text{B}_4\text{O}_7^{2-}$
  - (d)  $\text{N}\text{H}_2^-$

8. Use the oxidation-number method to balance these redox equations.
- $\text{HCl} + \text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{HOCl} + \text{NO} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{SnCl}_4 + \text{Fe} \rightarrow \text{SnCl}_2 + \text{FeCl}_3$
  - $\text{NH}_3(\text{g}) + \text{NO}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{N}_2(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O(l)}$
9. Use the oxidation-number method to balance the following net ionic redox reactions.
- $\text{H}_2\text{S(g)} + \text{NO}_3^-(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{S(s)} + \text{NO(g)}$  (in acid solution)
  - $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}(\text{aq}) + \text{I}^-(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Cr}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + \text{I}_2(\text{s})$  (in acid solution)
  - $\text{I}^-(\text{aq}) + \text{MnO}_4(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{I}_2(\text{s}) + \text{MnO}_2(\text{s})$  (in basic solution)
10. Balance these equations for redox reactions by using the oxidation-number method.
- $\text{HClO}_3(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{ClO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{HClO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{O(l)}$
  - $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{FeSO}_4(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{O(l)}$
  - $\text{H}_2\text{SeO}_3(\text{aq}) + \text{HClO}_3(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SeO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{Cl}_2(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O(l)}$
11. Balance these net ionic equations for redox reactions.
- $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}(\text{aq}) + \text{Fe}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Cr}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + \text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{aq})$  (in acid solution)
  - $\text{Zn(s)} + \text{V}_2\text{O}_5(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{V}_2\text{O}_4(\text{aq})$  (in acid solution)
  - $\text{N}_2\text{O(g)} + \text{ClO}^-(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Cl}^-(\text{aq}) + \text{NO}_2^-(\text{aq})$  (in basic solution)
12. Identify the species oxidized and the species reduced in each of these redox reactions.
- $3\text{Br}_2 + 2\text{Ga} \rightarrow 2\text{GaBr}_3$
  - $\text{HCl} + \text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{ZnCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$
  - $\text{Mg} + \text{N}_2 \rightarrow \text{Mg}_3\text{N}_2$
13. Identify the oxidizing agent and the reducing agent in each of these redox reactions.
- $\text{H}_2\text{S} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HCl} + \text{S}$
  - $\text{N}_2 + 3\text{H}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NH}_3$
  - $2\text{Na} + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NaI}$
14. Determine the oxidation number of the underlined element in these substances and ions.
- $\text{Ca}\underline{\text{Cr}}\text{O}_4$
  - $\text{NaHS}\underline{\text{O}}_4$
  - $\underline{\text{N}}\text{O}_2^-$
  - $\underline{\text{Br}}\text{O}_3^-$
15. Determine the oxidation number of nitrogen in each of these molecules or ions.
- $\text{NH}_3$
  - $\text{KCN}$
  - $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$
  - $\text{NO}_3^-$
  - $\text{N}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{NF}_3$

16. Determine the oxidation number of each element in these compounds or ions.

- (a)  $\text{FeCr}_2\text{O}_4$  (iron(II) chromite)
- (b)  $\text{Au}_2(\text{SeO}_4)_3$  (gold(III) selenate)
- (c)  $\text{Ni}(\text{CN})_2$  (nickel(II) cyanide)

17. Use the oxidation-number method to balance these redox equations.

- (a)  $\text{CO} + \text{I}_2\text{O}_5 \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + \text{CO}_2$
- (b)  $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{NaCl} + \text{HOCl}$
- (c)  $\text{SO}_2 + \text{Br}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{HBr} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
- (d)  $\text{HBrO}_3 \rightarrow \text{Br}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2$

18. Use the oxidation-number method to balance the following ionic redox equations.

- (a)  $\text{Al} + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{Al}^{3+} + \text{I}^-$
- (b)  $\text{MnO}_2 + \text{Br}^- \rightarrow \text{Mn}^{2+} + \text{Br}_2$  (in acid solution)
- (c)  $\text{Cu} + \text{NO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{Cu}^{2+} + \text{NO}$  (in acid solution)
- (d)  $\text{Zn} + \text{NO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + \text{NO}_2$  (in acid solution)

19. Use the oxidation-number method to balance these redox equations.

- (a)  $\text{PbS} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{PbO} + \text{SO}_2$
- (b)  $\text{NaWO}_3 + \text{NaOH} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{NaWO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- (c)  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{CuO} \rightarrow \text{Cu} + \text{N}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- (d)  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{C} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{AlCl}_3 + \text{CO}$

20. Use the oxidation-number method to balance these ionic redox equations.

- (a)  $\text{MoCl}_5 + \text{S}^{2-} \rightarrow \text{MoS}_2 + \text{Cl}^- + \text{S}$
- (b)  $\text{Al} + \text{OH}^- + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2 + \text{AlO}_2^-$
- (c)  $\text{TiCl}_6^{2-} + \text{Zn} \rightarrow \text{Ti}^{3+} + \text{Cl}^- + \text{Zn}^{2+}$