

Chem 122 Rybolt Exam 3 Fall 2009 Name \_\_\_\_\_

Numerical constants may be listed below. Other needed information is given in the problem or written on the board or found in the periodic tables you will use during exam. For numerical problems, be sure to **show your work**, include units and circle your final answer. If several choices are given, **circle the one correct answer**. Your written answers should be brief and to the point. You can use only your own calculator on the exam, but no notes, books, external information, or other electronic devices are to be used. No cell phone is to be used in Exam room.

$$1 \text{ cal} = 4.184 \text{ J} \quad c = 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s} \quad 1 \text{ atm} = 760 \text{ torr} = 1.01 \times 10^5 \text{ N/m}^2 \quad h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$$

$$R = 0.08206 \text{ (L atm/ mol K)} \quad R = 8.31 \text{ J/mol K} \quad (\text{K}) = (^\circ\text{C}) + 273 \quad (^\circ\text{C}) = (^\circ\text{F} - 32) / 1.8$$

$$1 \text{ g} = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ amu} \quad 1 \text{ F} = 96485 \text{ C/mol of e} \quad \Delta G^\circ = -n \text{ F E}^\circ \quad \Delta G^\circ = -R \text{ T ln K}$$

$$E = E^\circ - (0.0592/n) \log(Q) \quad \ln(N/N_0) = -kt \quad \text{or } \ln N = \ln N_0 - kt \quad 0.693 = k t_{1/2} \quad J = C V \quad A = C/s$$

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1) Consider the following reaction  $\text{Zn (s)} + 2 \text{HCl (aq)} \rightarrow \text{ZnCl}_2 \text{ (aq)} + \text{H}_2 \text{ (g)}$

The oxidation number of zinc in Zn is \_\_\_\_\_ and ox nu of H in  $\text{H}_2$  is \_\_\_\_\_

2) The oxidation number of hydrogen in HCl is \_\_\_\_\_ and ox nu of Zn in  $\text{ZnCl}_2$  is \_\_\_\_\_

3) In the combustion of methane for heating in a home we could write the following balanced equation and because of the changes in oxidation number we should say that C is

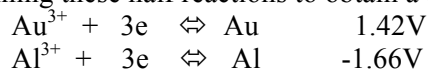


a) reduced      b) oxidized      c) not reduced or oxidized

4) Using the reaction  $\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_3 \rightleftharpoons \text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{Mn}^{2+}$  write two half reactions showing appropriate number of electrons for each half reaction as written

5) Now balance by first combining the two half reactions above appropriately and then adding  $\text{H}^+$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  as needed assuming that this reaction takes place in a basic aqueous solution

6) You have an idea to make a gold and aluminum battery (galvanic cell) and you decide you need to do some preliminary calculations. First what is the overall balanced spontaneous chemical reaction obtained by combining these half reactions to obtain a correct redox reaction?



7) Second what is the standard state potential (volts) or electromotive force  $E^\circ$  obtained for this reaction?

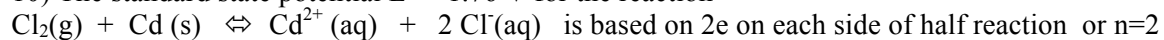
8) Third complete the abbreviated cell representation below based on the reaction above



9) And fourth at the Aluminum electrode which of the following is true

oxidation is occurring at the cathode    reduction is occurring at the anode  
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10) The standard state potential  $E^\circ = 1.76 \text{ V}$  for the reaction



So therefore what is the voltage potential of E for the same reaction where conditions are not at standard but rather  $[\text{Cl}^-]=0.55\text{M}$  and  $[\text{Cd}^{2+}]=0.55\text{M}$  and  $P_{\text{Cl}_2}=2.55\text{atm}$

11) What is the value of  $\Delta G^\circ$  (kJ) for a reaction if  $E^\circ = +3.08\text{V}$  and the number of electrons is  $n=3\text{mol}$



21) The size of atom is due to its  
protons      neutrons      electrons      photons

22) Protons and neutrons in close contact in the nucleus are attracted to each other by  
gravity      strong force      electromagnetism      vacuum pressure

23) Gold has a density of 19.3 g/mL and Aluminum is 2.70 g/mL. Although there are differences in the size and packing of the gold and aluminum atoms, another critical factor in this density difference is that relative to aluminum,  
gold has more \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ of each Au atom.

24) Which of these metals is very soft and can be cut with a steel knife  
Na      Ti      Fe      Cu      Ni

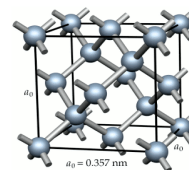
25) Metal that was used in a compound added to gasoline (banned about 2 decades ago in US) to make engine burn smoother (acted as antiknock agent)  
Mg      V      Cr      Cu      Pb

26) Most abundant metal in the earth's crust but more expensive than gold in 1855.  
Al      Ag      Na      U

27) If 10.000 grams of  $^{234}\text{U}$  are sealed in a container and then opened many years later —exactly how time has passed if the amount of uranium isotope left in the container is 1.8222g given that the half life of this isotope of uranium is  $t_{1/2} = 200,000$  year

28) Element found in the greatest number of compounds because of its unique ability to form long chains and rings.  
Ar      B      C      Si      S

29) This diagram illustrates the connections found in



diamond      graphite      carbon nanotubes      buckyballs

30) By mass your body is mostly  
H      C      U      O      Cl

31) Is stronger than steel and a better conductor of electricity than copper.  
sodium chloride      carbon nanotube      silicon dioxide      sodium

32) This element has the lowest density as a gas: C      H      At      Ta      No      O      Ga