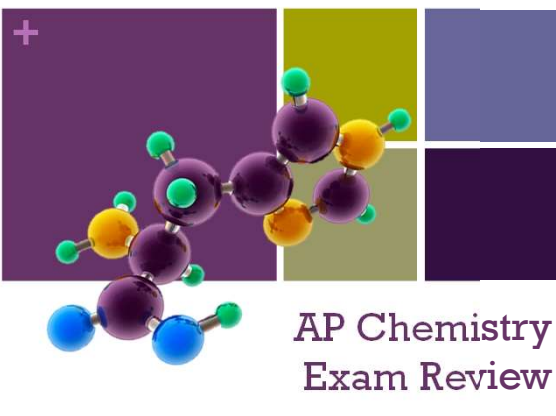
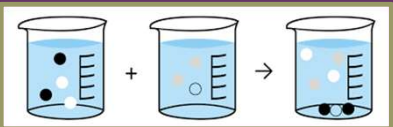


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Big Idea #3
Chemical Reactions

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Changes in matter involve the rearrangement and/or reorganizations of atoms and/or the transfer of electrons.



$2 \text{H}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightleftharpoons 2 \text{H}_2\text{O}$

+ Types of Chemical Reactions

Synthesis
 $A + B \rightarrow AB$

Decomposition
 $AB \rightarrow A + B$

Single Displacement
 $A + BC \rightarrow AC + B$

Double Displacement
 $AB + CD \rightarrow AD + CB$

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LO 3.1: Students can translate among macroscopic observations of change, chemical equations, and particle views.

+ Types of Chemical Reactions

Combustion
 $C, H_x + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2 + H_2O$

Acid-Base (Neutralization)
 $HA + BOH \rightarrow H_2O + BA$

Oxidation-Reduction
 $A \rightarrow A + e^-$
 $B + e^- \rightarrow B$

Precipitation
 $AB(aq) + CD(aq) \rightarrow AD(aq) + CB(s)$

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+ Balanced Equations

Complete Molecular: $AgNO_3(aq) + KCl(aq) \rightarrow AgCl(s) + KNO_3(aq)$

Complete Ionic: $Ag^+(aq) + NO_3^-(aq) + K^+(aq) + Cl^-(aq) \rightarrow AgCl(s) + K^+(aq) + NO_3^-(aq)$

Net Ionic: $Ag^+(aq) + Cl^-(aq) \rightarrow AgCl(s)$

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TABLE 4.2 Solubility Rules for Common Ionic Compounds in Water at 25°C	
Soluble Compounds	Insoluble Exceptions
Compounds containing alkali metal ions (Li ⁺ , Na ⁺ , K ⁺ , Rb ⁺ , Cs ⁺) and the ammonium ion (NH ₄ ⁺)	
Nitrates (NO ₃ ⁻), bicarbonates (HCO ₃ ⁻), and chlorates (ClO ₃ ⁻)	
Halides (Cl ⁻ , Br ⁻ , I ⁻)	Halides of Ag ⁺ , Hg ₂ ²⁺ , and Pb ²⁺
Sulfates (SO ₄ ²⁻)	Sulfates of Ag ⁺ , Ca ²⁺ , Sr ²⁺ , Ba ²⁺ , Hg ₂ ²⁺ , and Pb ²⁺
Insoluble Compounds	Soluble Exceptions
Carbonates (CO ₃ ²⁻), phosphates (PO ₄ ³⁻), chromates (CrO ₄ ²⁻), sulfides (S ²⁻)	Compounds containing alkali metal ions and the ammonium ion
Hydroxides (OH ⁻)	Compounds containing alkali metal ions and the Ba ²⁺ ion

Spectator ions should not be included in your balanced equations.

Remember, the point of a Net Ionic Reaction is to show only those ions that are involved in the reaction. Chemists are able to substitute reactants containing the same species to create the intended product.

You only need to memorize that compounds with nitrate, ammonium, halides and alkali metals are soluble.

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LO 3.2: The student can translate an observed chemical change into a balanced chemical equation and justify the choice of equation type (molecular, ionic, or net ionic) in terms of utility for the given circumstances.

+ Making Predictions

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Solid copper carbonate is heated strongly:

Click reveals answer and explanation.

What evidence of a chemical change would be observed with this reaction?

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What is the percent yield of CO_2 if you had originally heated 10.0g CuCO_3 and captured 3.2g CO_2 ?

Click reveals answer and explanation.

How could you improve your percent yield?

Click reveals answer and explanation.

LO 3.3: The student is able to use stoichiometric calculations to predict the results of performing a reaction in the laboratory and/or to analyze deviations from the expected results.

+ Limiting Reactants – D.A.

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$$\text{Al}_2\text{S}_3 + 6 \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3 + 3 \text{H}_2\text{S}$$

15.00 g aluminum sulfide and 10.00 g water react

a) Identify the Limiting Reactant

Click reveals answer and explanation.

b) What is the maximum mass of H_2S which can be formed from these reagents?

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c) How much excess reactant is left in the container?

Click reveals answer and explanation.

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***Dimensional Analysis is not the only way to solve these problems. You can also use BCA tables (modified ICE charts), which may save time on the exam →*

LO 3.4: The student is able to relate quantities (measured mass of substances, volumes of solutions, or volumes and pressures of gases) to identify stoichiometric relationships for a reaction, including situations involving limiting reactants and situations in which the reaction has not gone to completion.

+ Limiting Reactants – BCA Table

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+ Experimental Design

Synthesis

A sample of pure Cu is heated in excess pure oxygen. Design an experiment to determine quantitatively whether the product is CuO or Cu₂O.

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Decomposition $\text{CaCO}_3(s) \rightarrow \text{CaO}(s) + \text{CO}_2(g)$

Design a plan to prove experimentally that this reaction illustrates conservation of mass.

Click reveals basic steps

LO3.5: The student is able to design a plan in order to collect data on the synthesis or decomposition of a compound to confirm the conservation of matter and the law of definite proportions.

+ Data Analysis

When tin is treated with concentrated nitric acid, and the resulting mixture is strongly heated, the only remaining product is an oxide of tin. A student wishes to find out whether it is SnO or SnO₂.

Mass of pure tin 5.200 grams.
 Mass of dry crucible 18.690 g
 Mass of crucible + oxide after first heating 25.500 g
 Mass after second heating 25.253 g
 Mass after third heating 25.252 g

How can you use this data, and the law of conservation of mass, to determine the formula of the product?

Click reveals answer and explanation.

LO 3.6: The student is able to use data from synthesis or decomposition of a compound to confirm the conservation of matter and the law of definite proportions.

+ Bronsted-Lowry Acids & Bases

According to Bronsted-Lowry (B.L.) an acid is a "proton donor" and a base is a "proton acceptor." The proton here is shown as a hydrogen.

The acid's conjugate base is the anion.
 The base's conjugate acid now has the proton (hydrogen ion).

Reactants: Acid (H-A) + Base (B) → Products: Conjugate Base (A-) + Conjugate Acid (H-B)

Hydrogen fluoride: A Brønsted-Lowry acid

$$\text{HF}(aq) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(l) \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_3\text{O}^+(aq) + \text{F}^-(aq)$$

Acid Base Conjugate acid Conjugate base

Ammonia: A Brønsted-Lowry base

$$\text{NH}_3(aq) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(l) \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_4^+(aq) + \text{OH}^-(aq)$$

Base Acid Conjugate acid Conjugate base

Amphoteric nature of water
 Water acts as both an acid & a base.

H₂O as an acid: $\text{H}-\text{O}^-$ H₂O as a base: $\text{H}-\text{O}^+$

$$\text{H}_2\text{O} \leftrightarrow \text{H}^+ + \text{OH}^-$$

$$2\text{H}_2\text{O} \leftrightarrow \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + \text{OH}^-$$

LO 3.7: The student is able to identify compounds as Bronsted-Lowry acids, bases and/or conjugate acid-base pairs, using proton-transfer reactions to justify the identification.

+ Redox Reactions

When an electron is transferred, it is called a **redox reaction**. When something is reduced, the RED part of redox, it gains electrons. You may have

Question:
Zinc ions will react with aluminum metal according to the following chemical reaction:

$$2 \text{Al}_{(s)} + 3 \text{Zn}^{2+}_{(aq)} \rightarrow 2\text{Al}^{3+}_{(aq)} + 3 \text{Zn}_{(s)}$$

Based on this chemical reaction how many moles of electrons would be transferred when 1 mole of Zn is consumed?

Answer:
The correct answer is "c" 2.0 moles. For each Zn²⁺ ion 2 electrons are needed to convert it in to a Zn atom. If we are consuming 1 mole of Zn²⁺ we will need to transfer 2 moles of electrons.

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LO 3.8: The student is able to identify redox reactions and justify the identification in terms of electron transfer.

+ Redox Titrations

A redox titration (also called an oxidation-reduction titration) can accurately determine the concentration of an unknown analyte by measuring it against a standardized titrant. A common example is the redox titration of a standardized solution of potassium permanganate (KMnO₄) against an analyte containing an unknown concentration of iron (II) ions (Fe²⁺). The balanced reaction in acidic solution is as follows:

$$\text{MnO}_4^- + 5\text{Fe}^{2+} + 8\text{H}^+ \rightarrow 5\text{Fe}^{3+} + \text{Mn}^{2+} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$$

In this case, the use of KMnO₄ as a titrant is particularly useful, because it can act as its own indicator; this is due to the fact that the KMnO₄ solution is bright purple, while the Fe²⁺ solution is colorless. It is therefore possible to see when the titration has reached its endpoint, because the solution will remain slightly purple from the unreacted KMnO₄.

LO 3.9: The student is able to design and/or interpret the results of an experiment involving a redox titration.

+ Evidence of Chemical Change

Note: it is a common misconception that boiling water makes O₂ and H₂ gas. Notice that the water molecule stays intact as the water boils. Covalent bonds are not broken with this physical change- only intermolecular attractions (hydrogen bonds) between water molecules.

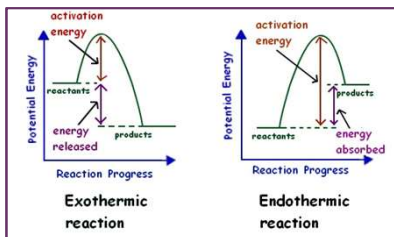
Production of heat*:
 $2 \text{Mg}_{(s)} + \text{O}_{2(g)} \rightarrow 2\text{MgO}_{(s)}$ + heat
 *can also include the absorption of heat

Production of gas:
 Similar visible evidence (i.e. creates "bubbles," but bonds are not broken and are reformed. No new substances are formed.)

LO 3.10: Evaluate the classification of a process as a physical, chemical, or ambiguous change based on both macroscopic observations and the distinction between rearrangement of covalent interactions and noncovalent interactions.

+ Energy Changes

- Chemical reactions involve the formation of new products
- Bonds between atoms or ions in the reactants must be **BROKEN** (the enthalpy of the system is increasing ... **ENDOTHERMIC** process)
- Bonds are then **FORMED** between atoms or ions to make the products of the reaction. (the enthalpy of the system is decreasing...**EXOTHERMIC** process)



LO 3.11: The student is able to interpret observations regarding macroscopic energy changes associated with a reaction or process to generate a relevant symbolic and/or graphical representation of the energy changes.

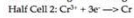
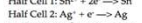
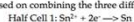
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+ Galvanic Cell Potential

Question:
The following question is based on combining the three different half cells listed below:



Galvanic Cell	Half Cells	Reaction	E°_{cell} (V)
X	1 & 2	$\text{Sn} + 2\text{Ag}^+ \rightarrow 2\text{Ag} + \text{Sn}^{2+}$	0.94
Y	2 & 3	$\text{Cr} + 3\text{Ag}^+ \rightarrow 3\text{Ag} + \text{Cr}^{3+}$	1.54
Z	1 & 3	$2\text{Cr} + 3\text{Sn}^{2+} \rightarrow 3\text{Sn} + 2\text{Cr}^{3+}$?

What is the cell potential of galvanic cell Z?

- 0.26 V
- 0.60 V
- 2.48 V
- 5.90 V

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LO 3.12: Make qualitative or quantitative predictions about galvanic or electrolytic reactions based on half-cell reactions and potentials and/or Faraday's laws.

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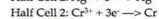
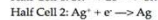
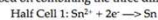
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+ Redox Reactions and Half Cells

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Answer:

The correct answer is "c", oxidation occurs in cell X and reduction in cell Z. In galvanic cell X the tin is losing electrons to form the Sn^{2+} ion, this is oxidation. In galvanic cell Z the Sn^{2+} is gaining electrons to form Sn, this is reduction.

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LO 3.13: The student can analyze data regarding galvanic or electrolytic cells to identify properties of the underlying redox reactions

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