

Chemistry 12
 January 2001 Provincial Examination
ANSWER KEY / SCORING GUIDE

CURRICULUM:

Organizers	Sub-Organizers
1. Reaction Kinetics	A, B, C
2. Dynamic Equilibrium	D, E, F
3. Solubility Equilibria	G, H, I
4. Acids, Bases, and Salts	J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R
5. Oxidation – Reduction	S, T, U, V, W

Part A: Multiple Choice

Q	K	C	S	CO	PLO	Q	K	C	S	CO	PLO
1.	A	U	1	1	A2	25.	B	U	1	4	K8
2.	B	U	1	1	A6	26.	A	U	2	4	L11
3.	B	K	1	1	B3	27.	B	U	2	4	L12
4.	A	U	1	1	B1	28.	A	H	1	4	K6, L11
5.	A	U	2	1	B6, C4	29.	C	U	1	4	M4
6.	B	K	1	1	C3	30.	C	U	1	4	P6
7.	A	K	1	2	D4, F2	31.	D	K	1	4	N3
8.	D	K	1	2	D9	32.	C	U	2	4	O3
9.	C	U	1	2	E2	33.	D	U	2	4	P2
10.	C	H	2	2	E3	34.	D	U	1	4	O4, P1
11.	D	K	1	2	F3	35.	A	K	1	4	Q5
12.	C	U	2	2	F4	36.	A	K	1	4	Q3
13.	A	U	1	2	F8	37.	A	K	1	4	R1
14.	C	K	1	3	G2	38.	A	U	1	5	S1
15.	B	H	1	3	G6	39.	B	U	1	5	S2
16.	B	U	1	3	G6	40.	D	U	1	5	S5
17.	C	U	1	3	G8	41.	C	U	2	5	S5, U8
18.	B	H	1	3	H1	42.	C	U	1	5	S6
19.	D	U	2	3	H2	43.	D	U	2	5	T4
20.	C	H	2	3	I4	44.	B	H	1	5	U3, 5
21.	C	K	1	4	J1	45.	D	K	1	5	U9
22.	B	K	1	4	J4	46.	D	K	1	5	U10
23.	A	U	1	4	J7	47.	C	K	1	5	V3
24.	A	K	1	4	K4	48.	D	U	2	5	W4

Multiple Choice = 60 marks (48 questions)

Part B: Written Response

Q	B	C	S	CO	PLO
1.	1	U	5	1	C2, 5
2.	2	U	5	2	F7
3.	3	U	2	2	E2, F4
4.	4	U	2	3	H3
5.	5	U	5	3	I6
6.	6	U	2	4	J6, 11
7.	7	U	6	4	P3, 4
8.	8	U	4	4	L6, 10
9.	9	U	5	5	T2
10.	10	U	4	5	U1

Written Response = 40 marks

Multiple Choice = 60 (48 questions)

Written Response = 40 (10 questions)

EXAMINATION TOTAL = 100 marks

LEGEND:

Q = Question Number

K = Keyed Response

C = Cognitive Level

B = Score Box Number

S = Score

CO = Curriculum Organizer

PLO = Prescribed Learning Outcome

PART B: WRITTEN RESPONSE

Value: 40 marks

Suggested Time: 50 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS: You will be expected to communicate your knowledge and understanding of chemical principles in a clear and logical manner.

Your steps and assumptions leading to a solution must be written in the spaces below the questions.

Answers must include units where appropriate and be given to the correct number of significant figures.

For questions involving calculation, full marks will NOT be given for providing only an answer.

1. Consider the following reaction mechanism for the formation of NO_2 .

Step 1	$2\text{NO} \rightarrow \text{N}_2\text{O}_2$
Step 2	_____ \rightarrow _____
Overall	$2\text{NO} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NO}_2$

- a) Complete Step 2. **(2 marks)**

Solution:

For Example:



- b) Define the term *reaction intermediate*. **(2 marks)**

Solution:

For Example:

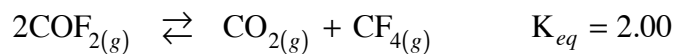
A species that is produced and then used up in a later step. **\leftarrow 2 marks**

- c) Identify a reaction intermediate in the above mechanism. **(1 mark)**

Solution:



2. Consider the following equilibrium system:



A 2.00 L container is filled with 0.500 mol of COF_2 .

Calculate the $[\text{COF}_2]$ at equilibrium.

(5 marks)

Solution:

For Example:

	$2\text{COF}_{2(g)}$	\rightleftharpoons	$\text{CO}_{2(g)}$	+	$\text{CF}_{4(g)}$	
[I]	$\frac{0.500 \text{ mol}}{2.00 \text{ L}} = 0.250 \text{ mol/L}$		0		0	} ← 2 marks
[C]	$-2x$		$+x$		$+x$	
[E]	$0.250 - 2x$		x		x	

$$K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{CO}_2][\text{CF}_4]}{[\text{COF}_2]^2}$$

$$2.00 = \frac{(x)(x)}{(0.250 - 2x)^2}$$

$$x = 0.0923 \text{ mol/L}$$

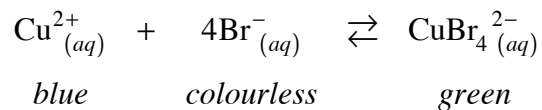
$$[\text{COF}_2] = 0.250 - 2x$$

$$= 0.250 - 2(0.0923)$$

$$= 0.065 \text{ mol/L}$$

} ← 3 marks

3. Consider the following equilibrium system:



Cooling the equilibrium changes the colour from green to blue. What effect will the decrease in temperature have on K_{eq} ? Explain, using Le Chatelier's Principle. **(2 marks)**

Solution:

For Example:

The value of K_{eq} decreased.

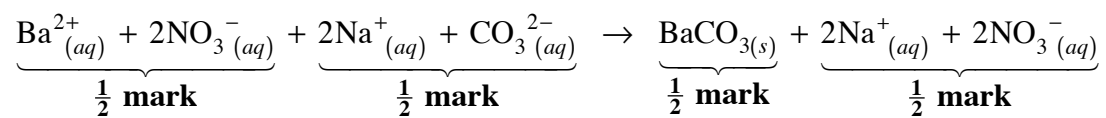
← **1 mark**

When the temperature stress is applied to the equilibrium system, the system shifts to the left to offset the stress and in the new equilibrium, the [products] has decreased.

} ← **1 mark**

4. Write the balanced complete ionic equation for the reaction that occurs when 0.20 M of $\text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$ is added to an equal volume of 0.20 M Na_2CO_3 . (2 marks)

Solution:



5. Calculate the minimum number of moles of $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$ required to start precipitation in 50.0 mL of 0.15 M ZnI_2 . (5 marks)

Solution:

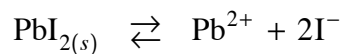
For Example:

$$[\text{ZnI}_2] = 0.15 \text{ M}$$

$$\therefore [\text{I}^-] = 2 \times 0.15 \text{ M}$$

$$= 0.30 \text{ M}$$

} ← 1 mark



$$K_{sp} = [\text{Pb}^{2+}][\text{I}^-]^2$$

$$8.5 \times 10^{-9} = (x)(0.30)^2$$

$$x = 9.44 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol/L}$$

$$\text{moles} = 9.44 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol/L} \times 0.0500 \text{ L}$$

$$= 4.7 \times 10^{-9} \text{ mol}$$

} ← 1 mark

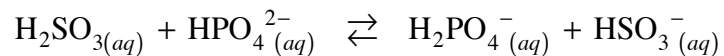
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(Deduct $\frac{1}{2}$ mark for incorrect significant figures.)

6. Consider the following Brønsted-Lowry equilibrium:



a) Identify the two Brønsted-Lowry acids in the above equilibrium.

(1 mark)

Solution:

For Example:

Species 1: H_2SO_3

← $\frac{1}{2}$ mark

Species 2: H_2PO_4^-

← $\frac{1}{2}$ mark

b) Define the term *conjugate acid*.

(1 mark)

Solution:

For Example:

A conjugate acid is a species produced when a proton is accepted by a Brønsted-Lowry base.

} ← 1 mark

7. A 250.0 mL sample of HCl with a pH of 2.000 is completely neutralized with 0.200 M NaOH.

a) What volume of NaOH is required to reach the stoichiometric point?

(4 marks)

Solution:

For Example:

$$\begin{aligned} [\text{HCl}] &= 1.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M} \\ \text{mol HCl} &= (0.250 \text{ L}) (1.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L}) \\ &= 2.50 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol} \\ \text{mol HCl} &= \text{mol NaOH} \\ \text{Volume of NaOH} &= \frac{2.50 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}}{0.200 \text{ M}} = 1.25 \times 10^{-2} \text{ L} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} [\text{HCl}] &= 1.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M} \\ \text{mol HCl} &= (0.250 \text{ L}) (1.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L}) \\ &= 2.50 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol} \\ \text{mol HCl} &= \text{mol NaOH} \\ \text{Volume of NaOH} &= \frac{2.50 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}}{0.200 \text{ M}} = 1.25 \times 10^{-2} \text{ L} \end{aligned}} \right\} \leftarrow \mathbf{4 \text{ marks}}$$

(Deduct $\frac{1}{2}$ mark for incorrect significant figures.)

b) Write the net ionic equation for the neutralization reaction.

(1 mark)

Solution:

For Example:



c) If the HCl were titrated with a 0.200 M $\text{NH}_3(\text{aq})$ instead of 0.200 M NaOH, how would the volume of base required to reach the equivalence point compare with the volume calculated in part a) ? Explain your answer.

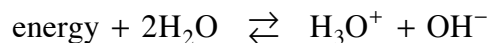
(1 mark)

Solution:

For Example:

The volume of base required would not change, $\leftarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{ mark}$
because the strong acid results in the reaction going to completion in a 1:1 ratio. $\left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \text{The volume of base required would not change,} \\ \text{because the strong acid results in the reaction going to completion} \\ \text{in a 1:1 ratio.} \end{aligned}} \right\} \leftarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{ mark}$

8. Consider the following equilibrium:



a) Explain how pure water can have a $\text{pH} = 7.30$. **(2 marks)**

Solution:

For Example:

A lower temperature causes a shift to the left.
The $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$ drops as a result, and the pH increases. } ← **2 marks**

b) Calculate the value of K_w for the sample of water with a $\text{pH} = 7.30$. **(2 marks)**

Solution:

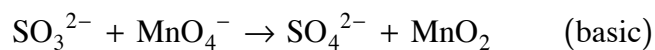
For Example:

$$[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = [\text{OH}^-] = 1 \times 10^{-7.30} = 5.0 \times 10^{-8} \text{ M} \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$K_w = [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] \times [\text{OH}^-] = (5.0 \times 10^{-8})(5.0 \times 10^{-8}) = 2.5 \times 10^{-15} \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

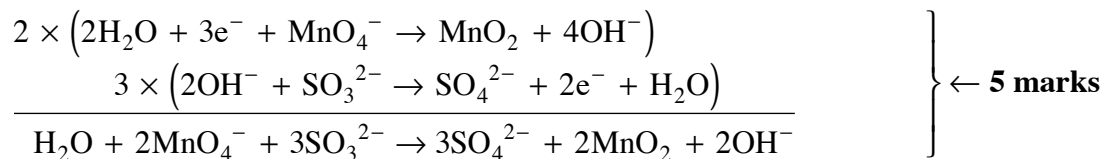
9. Balance the following redox reaction in basic solution.

(5 marks)

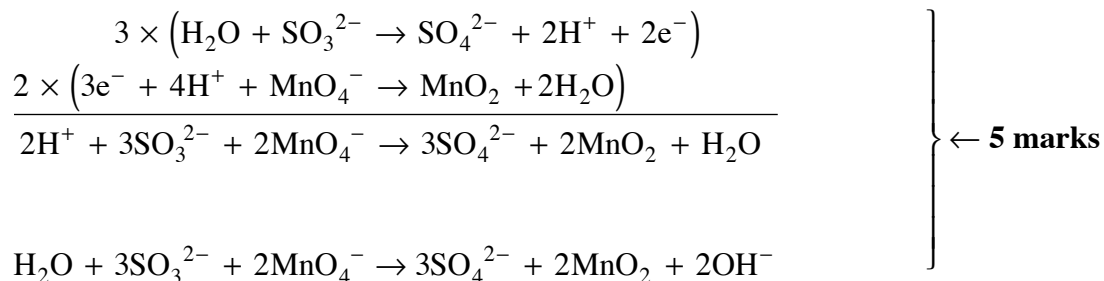


Solution:

For Example:



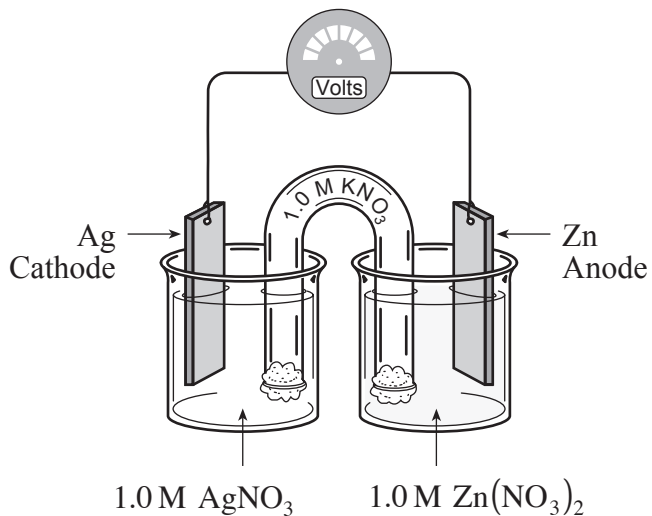
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10. Draw and label the parts of an operating electrochemical cell using a zinc anode that will produce an electric current having a voltage of 1.56 V at standard conditions. (4 marks)

Solution:

For Example:



**2 marks for set up.
1 mark for suitable cathode.
1 mark for suitable electrolytes.**

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