

**Chemistry 12**  
 August 1999 Provincial Examination  
**ANSWER KEY / SCORING GUIDE**

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**CURRICULUM:**

<b>Organizers</b>	<b>Sub-Organizers</b>
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**

<b>Q</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>PLO</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>PLO</b>
1.	B	K	1	A1	25.	C	K	4	L2
2.	B	U	1	A3	26.	D	U	4	L6, 7
3.	C	H	1	A6	27.	D	K	4	L4
4.	A	H	1	B5	28.	D	K	4	L11
5.	D	U	1	C4	29.	A	U	4	M1
6.	B	K	1	B7	30.	A	U	4	L11
7.	A	H	2	D3	31.	B	K	4	O1
8.	A	U	2	E2	32.	A	U	4	P1
9.	C	U	2	E2, F4	33.	B	U	4	P2
10.	A	U	2	E3	34.	B	U	4	P6
11.	A	U	2	F2	35.	B	K	4	Q6
12.	B	K	2	F4	36.	C	U	4	P3
13.	A	U	2	F5	37.	D	K	5	S1
14.	B	U	3	G1	38.	B	U	5	S2
15.	C	U	3	G8	39.	C	U	5	S2
16.	B	U	3	H2	40.	C	U	5	S6
17.	C	U	3	H5	41.	C	U	5	T1
18.	D	K	3	I2	42.	D	H	5	U3, 4, 5
19.	B	H	3	H5	43.	B	K	5	U6
20.	A	U	3	I5	44.	B	U	5	U9
21.	C	H	3	I6	45.	B	K	5	U11, W7
22.	C	K	4	J4	46.	C	U	5	T6
23.	D	U	4	J7	47.	D	U	5	W3
24.	D	U	4	K5	48.	D	U	5	W7

**Multiple Choice = 48 marks**

**Part B: Written Response**

<b>Q</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>PLO</b>
1.	1	U	3	1	A3
2.	2	U	2	2	D7
3.	3	U	3	2	F7
4.	4	U	2	3	G7, 8
5.	5	U	5	3	I4
6.	6	H	2	4	J7, K6
7.	7	U	3	4	N1, 2, M4
8.	8	U	4	4	P5
9.	9	U	3	5	T2
10.	10	U	2	5	V3
11.	11	U	3	5	W7

**Written Response = 32 marks**

Multiple Choice = 48 (48 questions)

Written Response = 32 (11 questions)

**EXAMINATION TOTAL = 80 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: 32 marks

Suggested Time: 50 minutes

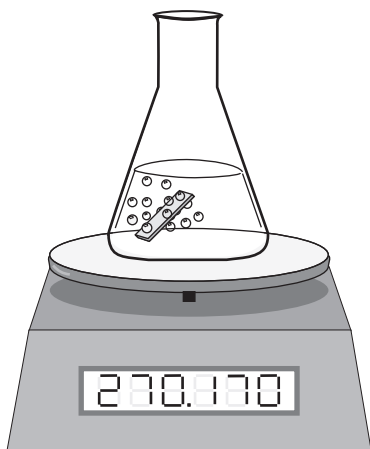
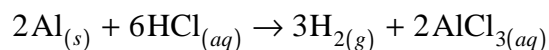
**INSTRUCTIONS:** You will be expected to communicate your knowledge and understanding of chemical principles in a clear and logical manner.

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. An experiment is done to determine the rate of the following reaction:



The following data are collected:

TIME (s)	MASS OF FLASK PLUS CONTENTS (g)
0.0	270.230
30.0	270.200
60.0	270.170

Calculate the rate of consumption of Al in mol/min.

(3 marks)

**Solution:**

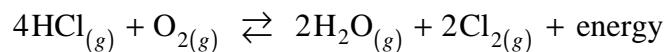
$$\text{rate} = \frac{0.060 \text{ g H}_2}{60.0 \text{ s}} = \frac{0.060 \text{ g H}_2}{\text{min}} \quad \left. \vphantom{\frac{0.060 \text{ g H}_2}{60.0 \text{ s}}} \right\} \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rate} &= \frac{0.060 \text{ g H}_2}{\text{min}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol H}_2}{2.0 \text{ g}} \\ &= \frac{0.030 \text{ mol H}_2}{\text{min}} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\frac{0.060 \text{ g H}_2}{\text{min}}} \right\} \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rate} &= \frac{0.030 \text{ mol H}_2}{\text{min}} \times \frac{2 \text{ mol Al}}{3 \text{ mol H}_2} \\ &= \frac{0.020 \text{ mol Al}}{\text{min}} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\frac{0.030 \text{ mol H}_2}{\text{min}}} \right\} \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

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

2. Consider the following equilibrium:



a) How does the **entropy** change in the forward direction? Explain your reasoning. (1 mark)

**Solution:**

*For Example:*

Entropy is decreasing. Five particles of gas (reactants) have more entropy than four particles of gas (products). } ← 1 mark

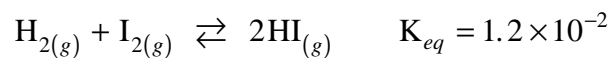
b) How does the **enthalpy** change in the forward direction? Explain your reasoning. (1 mark)

**Solution:**

*For Example:*

Enthalpy is decreasing. The reaction is exothermic, so the enthalpy of the products is less than the enthalpy of the reactants. } ← 1 mark

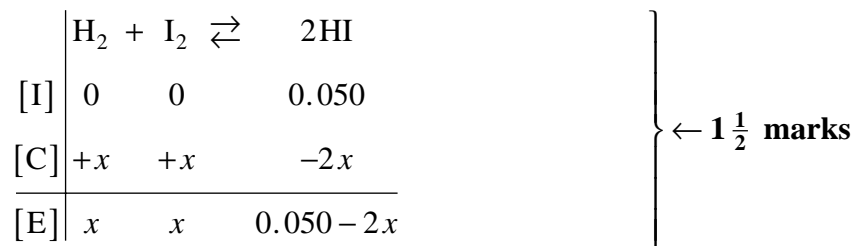
3. Consider the following equilibrium:



A 2.0 L flask is filled with 0.10 mol HI. Calculate the concentration of  $\text{H}_2$  at equilibrium.

**(3 marks)**

**Solution:**



$$K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{HI}]^2}{[\text{H}_2][\text{I}_2]} = 1.2 \times 10^{-2} \quad \left. \right\} \leftarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{ mark}$$

$$= \frac{(0.050 - 2x)^2}{x^2} = 1.2 \times 10^{-2} \quad \left. \right\} \leftarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{ mark}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{(0.050 - 2x)^2}{x^2}} = \sqrt{1.2 \times 10^{-2}} \quad \left. \right\} \leftarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{ mark}$$

$$x = [\text{H}_2] = 0.024 \text{ M} \quad \leftarrow \frac{1}{2} \text{ mark}$$

4. The solubility of  $\text{Mn}(\text{IO}_3)_2$  is  $4.8 \times 10^{-3}$  mol/L.

a) Write the net ionic equation that describes a saturated solution of  $\text{Mn}(\text{IO}_3)_2$ . (1 mark)

**Solution:**

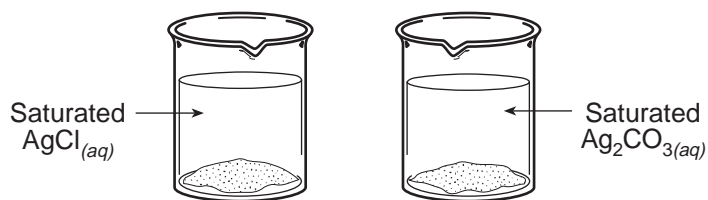


b) Calculate the concentrations of the ions in a saturated solution of  $\text{Mn}(\text{IO}_3)_2$ . (1 mark)

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} [\text{Mn}^{2+}] &= 4.8 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M} \\ [\text{IO}_3^{-}] &= 2 \times 4.8 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M} = 9.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} [\text{Mn}^{2+}] \\ [\text{IO}_3^{-}] \end{aligned}} \right\} \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

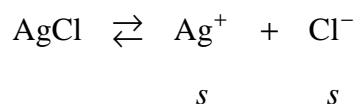
5. Consider the following saturated solutions at 25°C:



Using calculations, identify the solution with the greater  $[Ag^+]$ .

(5 marks)

**Solution:**



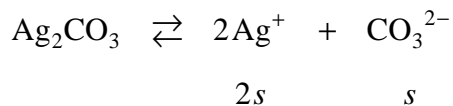
$$[Ag^+][Cl^-] = 1.8 \times 10^{-10}$$

$$s^2 = 1.8 \times 10^{-10}$$

$$s = 1.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$

$$[Ag^+] = 1.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$

← 2 marks



$$[Ag^+]^2[CO_3^{2-}] = 8.5 \times 10^{-12}$$

$$4s^3 = 8.5 \times 10^{-12}$$

$$s = 1.3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

$$[Ag^+] = 2.6 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$$

← 2 marks

Therefore  $[Ag^+]$  in  $Ag_2CO_3$  is higher than  $[Ag^+]$  in  $AgCl$ .

← 1 mark



6. Consider a Brønsted-Lowry acid-base equation, where  $\text{HNO}_2$  is a reactant and  $\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^-$  is a product.

a) Complete the following equation.

**(1 mark)**

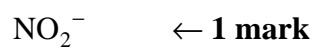
**Solution:**



b) Identify the weaker base in the equilibrium in part a).

**(1 mark)**

**Solution:**

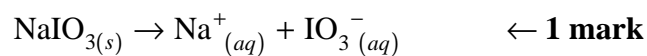


7. A chemist prepares a solution by dissolving the salt  $\text{NaIO}_3$  in water.

a) Write the equation for the dissociation reaction that occurs.

(1 mark)

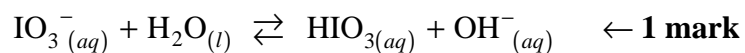
**Solution:**



b) Write the equation for the hydrolysis reaction that occurs.

(1 mark)

**Solution:**



c) Calculate the value of the equilibrium constant for the hydrolysis in part b).

(1 mark)

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} K_b &= \frac{K_w}{K_a} \\ &= \frac{1.0 \times 10^{-14}}{1.7 \times 10^{-1}} \\ &= 5.9 \times 10^{-14} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} K_b &= \frac{K_w}{K_a} \\ &= \frac{1.0 \times 10^{-14}}{1.7 \times 10^{-1}} \\ &= 5.9 \times 10^{-14} \end{aligned}} \right\} \leftarrow \mathbf{1 \text{ mark}}$$

8. Calculate the pH of a solution prepared by adding 15.0 mL of 0.500 M  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to 35.0 mL of 0.750 M NaOH. **(4 marks)**

**Solution:**

*For Example:*

$$\begin{aligned} [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] &= 2 \times [\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4] = 2 \times 0.500 \text{ M} \times \frac{15.0 \text{ mL}}{50.0 \text{ mL}} \\ &= 0.300 \text{ M} \\ [\text{OH}^-] &= [\text{NaOH}] = 0.750 \text{ M} \times \frac{35.0 \text{ mL}}{50.0 \text{ mL}} \\ &= 0.525 \text{ M} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] \\ [\text{OH}^-] \end{aligned}} \right\} \leftarrow \text{2 marks}$$

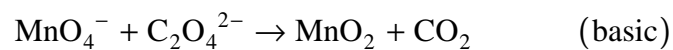
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Excess } [\text{OH}^-] &= 0.525 \text{ M} - 0.300 \text{ M} \\ &= 0.225 \text{ M} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \text{Excess } [\text{OH}^-] \\ \text{Excess } [\text{OH}^-] \end{aligned}} \right\} \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{pOH} &= -\log(0.225) \\ &= 0.648 \\ \text{pH} &= 14.00 - 0.648 \\ &= 13.352 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \text{pOH} \\ \text{pH} \end{aligned}} \right\} \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

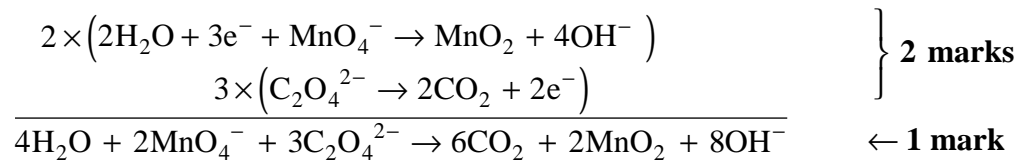
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9. Balance the following redox reaction in basic solution.

**(3 marks)**



**Solution:**



} **2 marks**

← **1 mark**

10. Describe **two** chemically different methods that can be used to prevent corrosion of iron and explain why each method works. **(2 marks)**

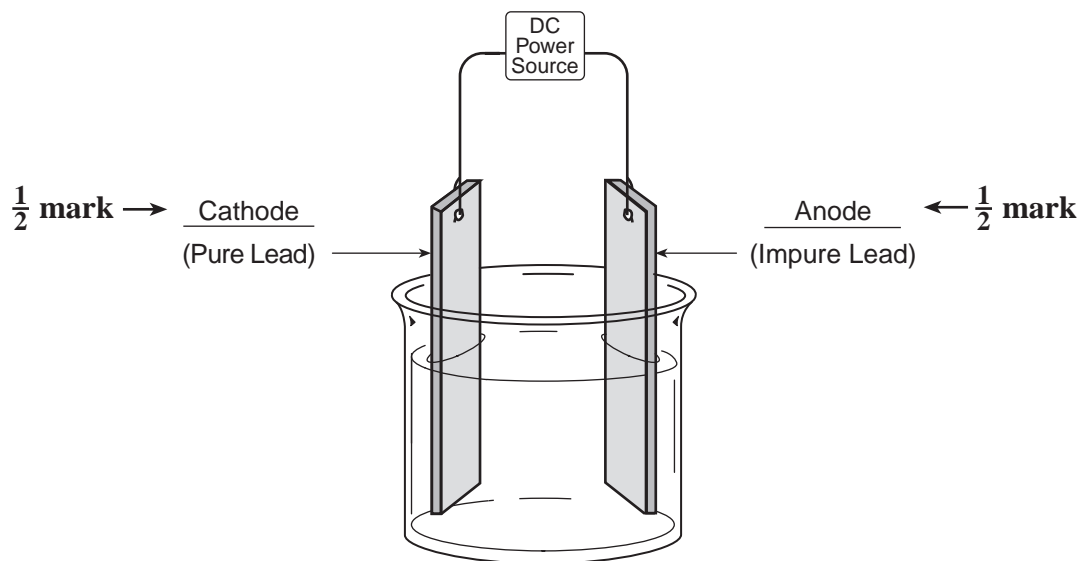
**Solution:**

*For Example:*

(Any **two** of the following for **2 marks**.  $\frac{1}{2}$  **mark** for each method,  $\frac{1}{2}$  **mark** for each explanation.)

- paint the iron — prevents collision of  $O_2$  and  $H_2O$  molecules with iron so that rust cannot form
- attach a material such as magnesium — provides cathodic protection (i.e., it is more readily oxidized than the iron)
- provide a small current through the iron object (e.g., boat hull) — prevents or reverses the reaction forming rust

11. Consider the following diagram for the electrorefining of lead:



a) On the diagram above, label the anode and the cathode.

(1 mark)

**Solution:**

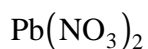
See diagram above.

b) Write the formula for a suitable electrolyte.

(1 mark)

**Solution:**

*For Example:*

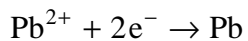


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c) Write the equation for the reduction half-reaction.

(1 mark)

**Solution:**



$\leftarrow$  1 mark

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