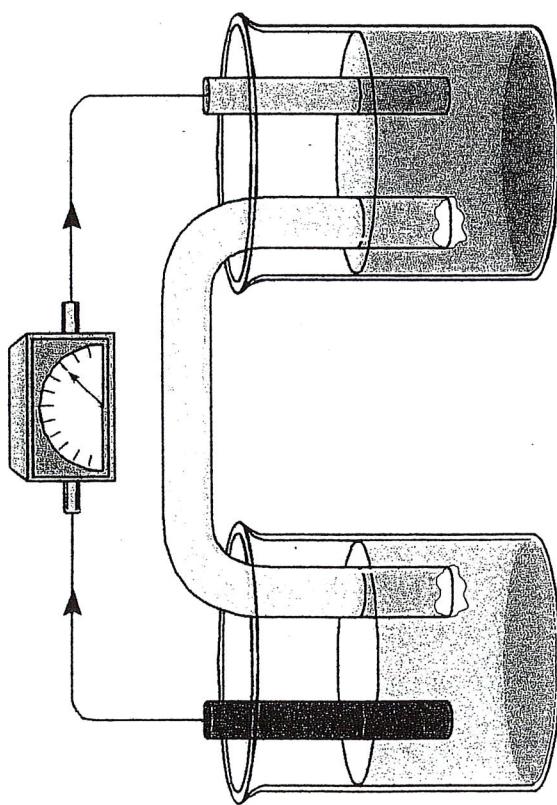


Chapter

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electrochemistry





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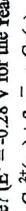
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**1994**

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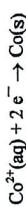
- a)  $\text{Ca}(\text{OCl})_2$
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- c) two
- d) three

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48. Solutions of  $\text{Ag}^+$ ,  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Ti}^{4+}$  are electrolyzed with a constant current until 0.10 mol of metal is deposited. Which will require the greatest length of time?

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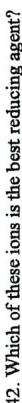
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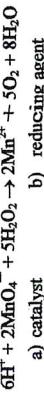
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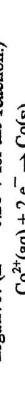
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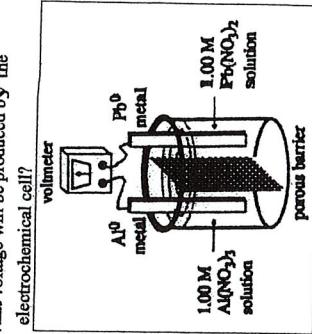
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# **Electron Transfer Reactions**

# ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL WORKSHEET

Consider the reduction potential chart. Find and copy the reduction equations for  $\text{Ag}^+ \rightarrow \text{Ag}^\circ$  and  $\text{Pb}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Pb}^\circ$ . Be sure to include their reduction potentials (in volts).

1. Which metal ion has the greater reduction potential? \_\_\_\_\_
  2. If these two metals (and their solutions) were used to create a galvanic cell, which metal would be the anode? \_\_\_\_\_
  3. Write the reaction at the anode: \_\_\_\_\_
  4. Write the reaction at the cathode: \_\_\_\_\_
  5. What is the overall reaction? \_\_\_\_\_
  6. What would be the voltage of the standard electrochemical cell? \_\_\_\_\_
  7. Sketch the cell:

8. Write the cell notation for the cell: \_\_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_\_ || \_\_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_\_

9. How many moles of electrons are involved in this reaction?  $n =$  \_\_\_\_\_

10. Find and copy down the Nernst Equation: \_\_\_\_\_

11. If a new cell is set up with the  $[Ag^+] = 0.50\text{ M}$  and the  $[Pb^{2+}] = 2.0\text{ M}$ , the cell voltage will be \_\_\_\_\_ (greater / less).

12. Use the Nernst equation to calculate the cell voltage with these new concentrations.

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## ELECTROLYSIS WORKSHEET

Standard Reduction Potential	$E^\circ$ (volts)
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$\text{O}_2(\text{g}) + 4\text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$	+1.23
$\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ag}(\text{s})$	+0.80
$\text{I}_2(\text{s}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{I}^-(\text{aq})$	+0.535
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$\text{SO}_4^{2-}(\text{aq}) + 4\text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{SO}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$	+0.20
$2\text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2(\text{g})$ (reference electrode)	0.00
$2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{OH}^-(\text{aq})$	-0.828
$\text{Na}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Na}(\text{s})$	-2.714
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- Write the change that water goes through at the (+) electrode. \_\_\_\_\_
- Add these two reactions together (make certain the electrons cancel) and write the overall reaction for the electrolysis of water. \_\_\_\_\_
- We will perform this electrolysis using an aqueous solution of sodium sulfate. Both the  $\text{Na}^+$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  will be near the (-) electrode. Which chemical is more likely to be reduced? \_\_\_\_\_
- Both the  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  will be near the (+) electrode. Which chemical will be oxidized? \_\_\_\_\_

11. In the electrolysis of KI(aq)

Both the  $\text{K}^+$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  will be near the (-) electrode. Which chemical is more likely to be reduced? \_\_\_\_\_

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Write the reactions at each electrode and the overall reaction:

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13. Silver plating occurs when electrolysis of a  $\text{Ag}_2\text{SO}_4$  solution is used because silver metal is formed at the \_\_\_\_\_ (cathode/anode).

This is the (\_\_\_\_) (+ / - )electrode. The reaction at this electrode is: \_\_\_\_\_.

Recall that  $1 \text{ amp}\cdot\text{sec} = 1 \text{ Coulomb}$  and  $96,500 \text{ Coulombs} = 1 \text{ mole e}^-$ 's (Faraday's constant).

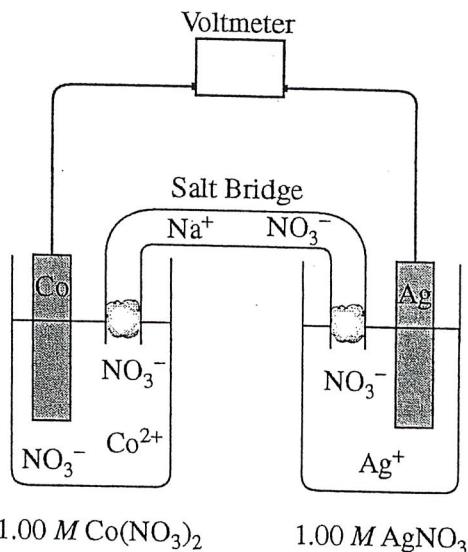
If a cell is run for 200. seconds with a current of 0.250 amps, how many grams of  $\text{Ag}^\circ$  will be deposited?

14. A current of 10.0 amperes flows for 2.00 hours through an electrolytic cell containing a molten salt of metal X. This results in the decomposition of 0.250 mole of metal X at the cathode. The oxidation state of X in the molten salt is \_\_\_\_\_ ( $\text{X}^+, \text{X}^{2+}, \text{X}^{3+}, \text{X}^{4+}$ )

15. Solutions of  $\text{Ag}^+$ ,  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$  and  $\text{Ti}^{4+}$  are electrolyzed with a constant current until 0.10 mol of metal is deposited. Which will require the greatest length of time? \_\_\_\_\_

Answer Question 5 and Question 6. The Section II score weighting for these questions is 15 percent each.

Your responses to these questions will be graded on the basis of the accuracy and relevance of the information cited. Explanations should be clear and well organized. Examples and equations may be included in your responses where appropriate. Specific answers are preferable to broad, diffuse responses.



5. Answer the following questions relating to the galvanic cell shown in the diagram above.

- Write the balanced equation for the overall cell reaction.
- Calculate the value of  $E^\circ$  for the cell.
- Is the value of  $\Delta G^\circ$  for the overall cell reaction positive, negative, or 0? Justify your answer.
- Consider the cell as it is operating.
  - Does  $E_{cell}$  increase, decrease, or remain the same? Explain.
  - Does  $\Delta G$  of the overall cell reaction increase, decrease, or remain the same? Explain.
  - What would happen if the  $\text{NaNO}_3$  solution in the salt bridge was replaced with distilled water? Explain.
- After a certain amount of time, the mass of the Ag electrode changes by  $x$  grams. Given that the molar mass of Ag is  $108 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$  and the molar mass of Co is  $59 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ , write the expression for the change in the mass of the Co electrode in terms of  $x$ .

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**Question 6**

Answer each of the following using principles of atomic or molecular structure and/or intermolecular or intramolecular forces.

- (a) Explain why the H–O–H bond angle in H<sub>2</sub>O is less than the H–N–H bond angles in NH<sub>3</sub>, as shown in the table below.

H–O–H Bond Angle in H <sub>2</sub> O	H–N–H Bond Angles in NH <sub>3</sub>
104.5°	107°

One point is earned for citing the difference in number of nonbonding pairs of electrons.

One point is earned for citing the greater repulsion from nonbonding pairs as compared with bonding pairs.

- (b) Explain why the radius of the Br atom is less than the radius of the Br<sup>−</sup> ion, as shown in the table below.

Radius of Br	Radius of Br <sup>−</sup>
0.111 nm	0.196 nm

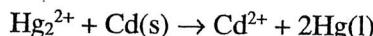
One point is earned for recognition that Br and Br<sup>−</sup> have the same nuclear charge.

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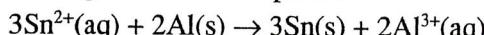
## Electro Chemistry Review

1. Which of the following is the correct cell notation for the reaction



- a)  $\text{Cd}^{2+} | \text{Cd} || \text{Hg}_2^{2+} | \text{Hg}$
- b)  $\text{Cd}^{2+} | \text{Hg}_2^{2+} || \text{Cd} | \text{Hg}$
- c)  $\text{Cd} | \text{Cd}^{2+} || \text{Hg}_2^{2+} | \text{Hg}$
- d)  $\text{Cd}^{2+} | \text{Hg} || \text{Hg}_2^{2+} | \text{Cd}$
- e)  $\text{Hg} | \text{Cd} || \text{Hg}_2^{2+} | \text{Cd}^{2+}$

2. Consider an electrochemical cell where the following reaction takes place:



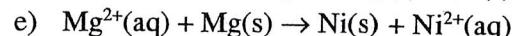
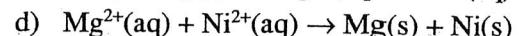
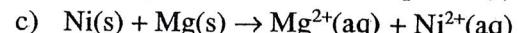
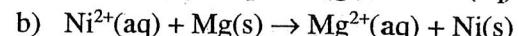
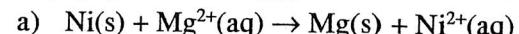
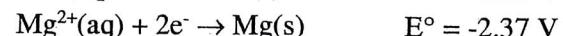
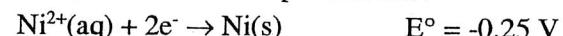
Which of the following is the correct cell notation for this cell?

- a)  $\text{Al} | \text{Al}^{3+} || \text{Sn}^{2+} | \text{Sn}$
- b)  $\text{Al}^{3+} | \text{Al} | \text{Sn} | \text{Sn}^{2+}$
- c)  $\text{Sn} | \text{Sn}^{2+} || \text{Al}^{3+} | \text{Al}$
- d)  $\text{Sn} | \text{Al}^{3+} || \text{Al} | \text{Sn}^{2+}$
- e)  $\text{Al} | \text{Sn}^{2+} || \text{Sn} | \text{Al}^{3+}$

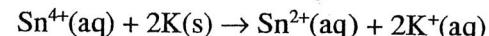
### Standard Reduction Potentials at 25°C $E^\circ$ (volts)

$\text{F}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{F}^-(\text{aq})$	+2.87
$\text{Au}^{3+} + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Au(s)}$	+1.50
$\text{Cl}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^-(\text{aq})$	+1.36
$\text{O}_2(\text{g}) + 4\text{H}_3\text{O}^+(\text{aq}) + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow 6\text{H}_2\text{O(l)}$	+1.23
$\text{Br}_2(\text{l}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Br}^-(\text{aq})$	+1.08
$\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ag(s)}$	+0.80
$\text{Hg}_2^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Hg(l)}$	+0.79
$\text{I}_2(\text{s}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{I}^-(\text{aq})$	+0.535
$\text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cu(s)}$	+0.337
$\text{Sn}^{4+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Sn}^{2+}(\text{aq})$	+0.15
$\text{Sn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Sn(s)}$	-0.14
$\text{Cd}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cd(s)}$	-0.40
$\text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Zn(s)}$	-0.763
$2\text{H}_2\text{O(l)} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{OH}^-(\text{aq})$	-0.828
$\text{Al}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Al(s)}$	-1.66
$\text{K}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{K(s)}$	-2.93
$\text{Li}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Li(s)}$	-3.045

3. Given the two half reactions and their potentials, which net reaction is spontaneous?



4. Calculate  $E^\circ$  for the following reaction:

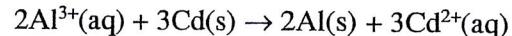


- a) +6.00 V
- d) +2.78 V

- b) -3.08 V
- e) -2.78 V

- c) +3.08 V

5. Calculate  $E^\circ$  for the following reaction:

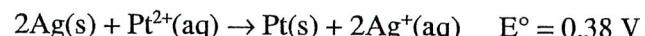


- a) -2.06 V
- d) -4.52 V

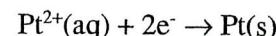
- b) +4.52 V
- e) -1.26 V

- c) +2.06 V

6. Using data from the reduction potential table and the reaction



calculate the standard reduction potential of the half-reaction



- a) -1.18 V
- d) 1.18 V

- b) -0.40 V
- e) 2.00 V

- c) 0.40 V

7. Using data from the reduction potential table, predict which of the following is the best oxidizing agent.

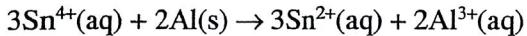
- a)  $\text{F}_2$
- d)  $\text{Ag}^+$

- b) Ag
- e)  $\text{Al}^{3+}$

- c)  $\text{Sn}^{4+}$

8. An electrochemical cell of notation  $\text{Pd} \mid \text{Pd}^{2+} \parallel \text{Cu}^{2+} \mid \text{Cu}$  has an  $E^\circ = -0.65$  V. If we know that the standard reduction potential of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}/\text{Cu}$  is  $E^\circ = 0.34$  V, what is the standard reduction potential for  $\text{Pd}^{2+}/\text{Pd}$ ?
- a) -0.99 V      d) 0.62 V  
b) -0.31 V      e) +0.99 V  
c) +0.31 V

9. The standard cell potential for



is  $E^\circ = 1.81$  V. What is  $E_{\text{cell}}$  when

$$[\text{Sn}^{4+}] = 1.0,$$

$$[\text{Sn}^{2+}] = 1.0 \times 10^{-2}, \text{ and}$$

$$[\text{Al}^{3+}] = 1.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ at } 298 \text{ K.}$$

- a) 1.70 V      d) 1.86 V  
b) 1.76 V      e) 1.93 V  
c) 1.81 V

10. Predict the product at the anode when electric current is passed through a solution of KI.

- a)  $\text{I}_2(\text{l})$       d)  $\text{K}(\text{s})$   
b)  $\text{K}^+(\text{aq})$       e)  $\text{O}_2(\text{g})$   
c)  $\text{H}_2(\text{g})$

- If electric current is passed through aqueous LiBr, the product at the cathode would be

\_\_\_\_\_ and the product at the anode would be \_\_\_\_\_.

- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}), \text{Li}^+(\text{aq})$       d)  $\text{Br}_2(\text{l}), \text{H}_2(\text{g})$   
b)  $\text{Br}_2(\text{l}), \text{Li}(\text{s})$       e)  $\text{H}_2(\text{g}), \text{Br}_2(\text{l})$   
c)  $\text{Li}(\text{s}), \text{Br}_2(\text{l})$

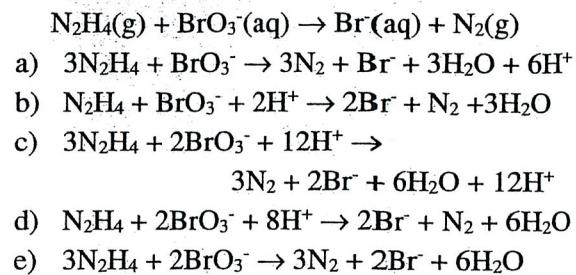
12. How long would it take to deposit 1.36 g of copper from an aqueous solution of copper(II) sulfate by passing a current of two amperes through the solution?

- a) 2070 sec      d) 736 sec  
b)  $1.11 \times 10^{-5}$  sec      e) 1030 sec  
c) 2570 sec

13. If a current of 6.0 amps is passed through a solution of  $\text{Ag}^+$  for 1.5 hours, how many grams of silver are produced?

- a) 0.60 g      d) 3.0 g  
b) 36 g      e) 1.0 g  
c) 0.34 g

14. Balance the following redox equation which occurs in acidic solution.



15. Which of the following reactions is NOT a redox reaction?

- a)  $2\text{HgO}(\text{s}) \rightarrow 2\text{Hg}(\text{l}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g})$   
b)  $\text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \text{Br}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow 2\text{HBr}(\text{g})$   
c)  $2\text{HCl}(\text{aq}) + \text{Zn}(\text{s}) \rightarrow \text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \text{ZnCl}_2(\text{aq})$   
d)  $\text{H}_2\text{CO}_3(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) + \text{CO}_2(\text{g})$   
e)  $2\text{KClO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl}(\text{s}) + 3\text{O}_2(\text{g})$

Push Problems