

Chemistry 12

Electrochemistry I Worksheet

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1. Define each:

- a) Oxidation: loss of electrons
- b) Reduction: gain of electrons
- c) Oxidizing agent: causes oxidation by undergoing reduction
- d) Reducing agent: causes reduction by undergoing oxidation

2. State the oxidation number of each of the elements that is underlined.

- a) NH₃ -3
- b) H₂SO₄ 6
- c) ZnSO₃ +4
- d) Al(OH)₃ +3
- e) Na 0
- f) Cl₂ 0
- g) AgNO₃ +1
- h) ClO₄⁻ +7
- i) SO₂ +4
- j) K₂CrO₄ +6

3. What is the oxidation number of carbon in each of the following substances?

- a) CO +2
- b) C 0
- c) CO₂ +4
- d) CO₃²⁻ +4
- e) C₂H₆ -3
- f) CH₃OH -2

4. Label each as oxidation or reduction.

- a) Al → Al³⁺ + 3e⁻ oxidation
- b) S + 2e⁻ → S²⁻ reduction
- c) 2 O²⁻ → O₂ + 4e⁻ oxidation
- d) Ca → Ca²⁺ + 2e⁻ oxidation
- e) Ba²⁺ + 2e⁻ → Ba reduction
- f) Ga³⁺ + 3e⁻ → Ga reduction
- g) 2 N³⁻ → N₂ + 6e⁻ oxidation
- h) S²⁻ → S + 2e⁻ oxidation
- i) Br₂ + 2e⁻ → 2Br⁻ reduction
- j) H₂ → 2H⁺ + 2e⁻ oxidation
- k) P + 3e⁻ → P³⁻ reduction
- l) 2H⁺ + 2e⁻ → H₂ reduction
- m) 2F⁻ → F₂ + 2e⁻ oxidation
- n) P³⁻ → P + 3e⁻ oxidation

5. Label the species that is **reduced**, that is **oxidized**, the **reducing agent** and the **oxidizing agent**.



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