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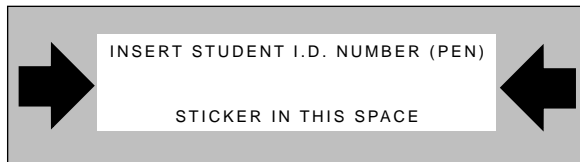
# CHEMISTRY 12

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1. Insert the stickers with your Student I.D. Number (PEN) in the allotted spaces above. **Under no circumstance is your name or identification, other than your Student I.D. Number, to appear on this paper.**
2. Take the separate Answer Sheet and follow the directions on its front page.
3. Be sure you have an **HB pencil** and an eraser for completing your Answer Sheet. Follow the directions on the Answer Sheet when answering multiple-choice questions.
4. For each of the written-response questions, write your answer in the space provided.
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6. At the end of the examination, place your Answer Sheet inside the front cover of this booklet and return the booklet and your Answer Sheet to the supervisor.

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	Value	Suggested Time
1. This examination consists of <b>two</b> parts:		
PART A: 48 multiple-choice questions	48	70
PART B: 11 written-response questions	32	50
	<b>Total: 80 marks</b>	<b>120 minutes</b>

2. The following tables can be found in the separate **Data Booklet**:

- Periodic Table of the Elements
- Atomic Masses of the Elements
- Names, Formulae, and Charges of Some Common Ions
- Solubility of Common Compounds in Water
- Solubility Product Constants at 25° C
- Relative Strengths of Brønsted-Lowry Acids and Bases
- Acid-Base Indicators
- Standard Reduction Potentials of Half-cells

No other reference materials or tables are allowed.

3. An approved scientific calculator is essential for the examination. The calculator must be a hand-held device designed **only** for mathematical computations such as logarithmic and trigonometric functions. It **can be** programmable, but **must not** contain any graphing capabilities. You **must not** bring into the examination room any devices to support calculators such as manuals, printed or electronic cards, printers, memory expansion chips or cards, or keyboards.
4. You have **two hours** to complete this examination.

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## PART A: MULTIPLE CHOICE

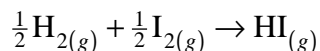
Value: 48 marks

Suggested Time: 70 minutes

**INSTRUCTIONS:** For each question, select the **best** answer and record your choice on the Answer Sheet provided. Using an HB pencil, completely fill in the circle that has the letter corresponding to your answer.

- At 30°C, a 25.0 mL sample of bleach decomposes producing 50.0 mL of oxygen gas in 80 seconds. The rate of oxygen formation can be determined by the expression
  - 50.0 mL/80 s
  - 50.0 mL/30°C
  - 25.0 mL/80 s
  - 25.0 mL/30°C
- As reactant particles approach one another, their
  - kinetic energy increases and their potential energy increases.
  - kinetic energy increases and their potential energy decreases.
  - kinetic energy decreases and their potential energy increases.
  - kinetic energy decreases and their potential energy decreases.
- An activated complex has
  - low potential energy and is stable.
  - high potential energy and is stable.
  - low potential energy and is unstable.
  - high potential energy and is unstable.

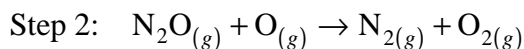
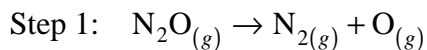
- Consider the following reaction:



The activation energy for the formation of HI is 167 kJ and for the decomposition of HI is 139 kJ. The reaction for the formation of HI is

- exothermic and the  $\Delta\text{H} = -28$  kJ
- exothermic and the  $\Delta\text{H} = +28$  kJ
- endothermic and the  $\Delta\text{H} = -28$  kJ
- endothermic and the  $\Delta\text{H} = +28$  kJ

5. Consider the following reaction mechanism:



A reactant in the overall reaction is

- A. O
- B. O<sub>2</sub>
- C. N<sub>2</sub>
- D. N<sub>2</sub>O

6. In **all** systems at equilibrium, the

- A. concentration of reactants is less than the concentration of products.
- B. concentration of reactants and the concentration of products are equal.
- C. concentration of reactants is greater than the concentration of products.
- D. concentration of reactants and the concentration of products are constant.

7. Chemical systems tend to move toward positions of

- A. minimum enthalpy and maximum entropy.
- B. maximum enthalpy and minimum entropy.
- C. minimum enthalpy and minimum entropy.
- D. maximum enthalpy and maximum entropy.

8. An equilibrium system shifts left when the

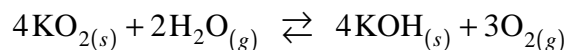
- A. rate of the forward reaction is equal to the rate of the reverse reaction.
- B. rate of the forward reaction is less than the rate of the reverse reaction.
- C. rate of the forward reaction is greater than the rate of the reverse reaction.
- D. rate of the forward reaction and the rate of the reverse reaction are constant.

9. A 1.00 L flask contains a gaseous equilibrium system. The addition of reactants to this flask results in a

- A. shift left and a decrease in the concentration of products.
- B. shift left and an increase in the concentration of products.
- C. shift right and a decrease in the concentration of products.
- D. shift right and an increase in the concentration of products.



10. Consider the following equilibrium:



The equilibrium constant expression is

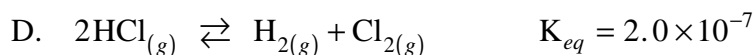
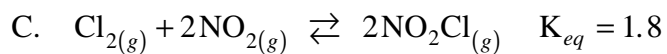
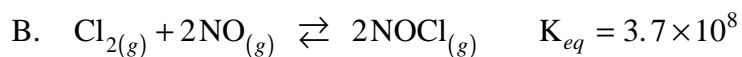
A.  $K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{KOH}]^4[\text{O}_2]^3}{[\text{KO}_2]^4[\text{H}_2\text{O}]^2}$

B.  $K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{O}_2]^3}{[\text{H}_2\text{O}]^2}$

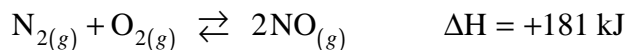
C.  $K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{KO}_2]^4[\text{H}_2\text{O}]^2}{[\text{KOH}]^4[\text{O}_2]^3}$

D.  $K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{H}_2\text{O}]^2}{[\text{O}_2]^3}$

11. Which of the following equilibrium systems most favours the products?



12. Consider the following equilibrium:



When the temperature is decreased, the equilibrium

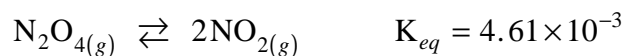
A. shifts left and the  $K_{eq}$  value increases.

B. shifts left and the  $K_{eq}$  value decreases.

C. shifts right and the  $K_{eq}$  value increases.

D. shifts right and the  $K_{eq}$  value decreases.

13. Consider the following equilibrium:



A 1.00 L container at equilibrium was analyzed and found to contain 0.0200 mol  $\text{NO}_2$ . At equilibrium, the concentration of  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  is

- A. 0.0868 mol/L
- B. 0.230 mol/L
- C. 4.34 mol/L
- D. 11.5 mol/L

14. The greatest mass of solid  $\text{SnS}$  will dissolve in 1.0 L of

- A.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- B. 0.10 M  $\text{MgS}$
- C. 0.10 M  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{S}$
- D. 0.10 M  $\text{Sn}(\text{NO}_3)_2$

15. The  $K_{sp}$  expression for  $\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2$  is

- A.  $K_{sp} = \frac{[\text{Ca}^{2+}]^3 [\text{PO}_4^{3-}]^2}{[\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2]}$
- B.  $K_{sp} = \frac{[2\text{Ca}^{2+}][3\text{PO}_4^{3-}]}{[\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2]}$
- C.  $K_{sp} = [\text{Ca}^{2+}]^3 [\text{PO}_4^{3-}]^2$
- D.  $K_{sp} = [2\text{Ca}^{2+}][3\text{PO}_4^{3-}]$

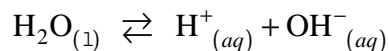
16. A student evaporated 200.0 mL of a saturated solution of  $\text{SrCrO}_4$  to dryness. The residue contained  $1.2 \times 10^{-3}$  mol  $\text{SrCrO}_4$ . The solubility of  $\text{SrCrO}_4$  is

- A.  $1.4 \times 10^{-6}$  M
- B.  $3.6 \times 10^{-5}$  M
- C.  $2.4 \times 10^{-4}$  M
- D.  $6.0 \times 10^{-3}$  M

17. In 1.5 M  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$ , the ion concentrations are
- $[\text{NH}_4^+] = 1.5 \text{ M}$  and  $[\text{SO}_4^{2-}] = 1.5 \text{ M}$
  - $[\text{NH}_4^+] = 1.5 \text{ M}$  and  $[\text{SO}_4^{2-}] = 3.0 \text{ M}$
  - $[\text{NH}_4^+] = 3.0 \text{ M}$  and  $[\text{SO}_4^{2-}] = 1.5 \text{ M}$
  - $[\text{NH}_4^+] = 3.0 \text{ M}$  and  $[\text{SO}_4^{2-}] = 3.0 \text{ M}$
18. Which of the following is the least soluble in water at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ ?
- $\text{CaSO}_4$
  - $\text{BaSO}_4$
  - $\text{CuSO}_4$
  - $\text{MgSO}_4$
19. To remove  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  from a solution by precipitation, a student should add
- $\text{NaI}$
  - $\text{KOH}$
  - $\text{Li}_2\text{SO}_4$
  - $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{S}$
20. Which of the following represents the equilibrium in a saturated solution of  $\text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$ ?
- $\text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_{3(s)} \rightleftharpoons \text{Cr}^{2+}_{(aq)} + \text{SO}_4^{3-}_{(aq)}$
  - $\text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_{3(s)} \rightleftharpoons \text{Cr}^{3+}_{(aq)} + \text{SO}_4^{2-}_{(aq)}$
  - $\text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_{3(s)} \rightleftharpoons 2\text{Cr}^{2+}_{(aq)} + 3\text{SO}_4^{3-}_{(aq)}$
  - $\text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_{3(s)} \rightleftharpoons 2\text{Cr}^{3+}_{(aq)} + 3\text{SO}_4^{2-}_{(aq)}$

21. The conjugate acid of  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{O}^-$  is
- A.  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{O}^-$
  - B.  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OH}$
  - C.  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_4\text{O}^{2-}$
  - D.  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{OH}^+$
22. Which of the following solutions will have the greatest electrical conductivity?
- A. 1.0 M HCl
  - B. 1.0 M  $\text{HNO}_2$
  - C. 1.0 M  $\text{H}_3\text{BO}_3$
  - D. 1.0 M HCOOH
23. A solution of 1.0 M HF has
- A. a lower pH than a solution of 1.0 M HCl
  - B. a higher pOH than a solution of 1.0 M HCl
  - C. a higher  $[\text{OH}^-]$  than a solution of 1.0 M HCl
  - D. a higher  $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$  than a solution of 1.0 M HCl
24. Which of the following is the weakest acid?
- A.  $\text{HIO}_3$
  - B. HCN
  - C.  $\text{HNO}_2$
  - D.  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{COOH}$

25. Consider the following:



When a small amount of 1.0 M KOH is added to the above system, the equilibrium

- A. shifts left and  $[\text{H}^+]$  decreases.
- B. shifts left and  $[\text{H}^+]$  increases.
- C. shifts right and  $[\text{H}^+]$  decreases.
- D. shifts right and  $[\text{H}^+]$  increases.

26. Which of the following solutions has the highest pH?

- A. 1.0 M  $\text{NaIO}_3$
- B. 1.0 M  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$
- C. 1.0 M  $\text{Na}_3\text{PO}_4$
- D. 1.0 M  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$

27. In a 100.0 mL sample of 0.0800 M NaOH the  $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$  is

- A.  $1.25 \times 10^{-13}$  M
- B.  $1.25 \times 10^{-12}$  M
- C.  $8.00 \times 10^{-3}$  M
- D.  $8.00 \times 10^{-2}$  M

28. Consider the following:

I	ammonium nitrate
II	calcium nitrate
III	iron(III) nitrate

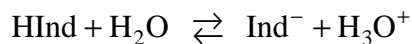
When dissolved in water, which of these salts would form a neutral solution?

- A. II only
- B. III only
- C. I and III only
- D. I, II and III

29. A 1.0 M solution of sodium dihydrogen phosphate is

- A. acidic and the  $\text{pH} < 7.00$
- B. acidic and the  $\text{pH} > 7.00$
- C. basic and the  $\text{pH} < 7.00$
- D. basic and the  $\text{pH} > 7.00$

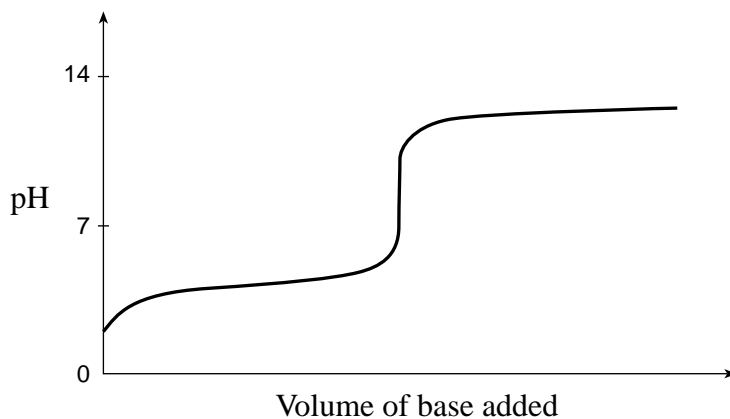
30. Consider the following equilibrium for an indicator:



When a few drops of the indicator chlorophenol red are added to a colourless solution of  $\text{pH} 4.0$ , the resulting solution is

- A. red as  $[\text{HInd}] < [\text{Ind}^-]$
- B. red as  $[\text{HInd}] > [\text{Ind}^-]$
- C. yellow as  $[\text{HInd}] < [\text{Ind}^-]$
- D. yellow as  $[\text{HInd}] > [\text{Ind}^-]$

31. Consider the following titration curve:



Which pair of solutions would result in the above curve?

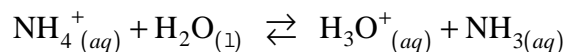
- A.  $\text{HCl}$  and  $\text{NH}_3$
- B.  $\text{HCl}$  and  $\text{NaOH}$
- C.  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  and  $\text{NH}_3$
- D.  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  and  $\text{NaOH}$

32. The volume of 0.200 M  $\text{Sr}(\text{OH})_2$  needed to neutralize 50.0 mL of 0.200 M HI is
- A. 10.0 mL
  - B. 25.0 mL
  - C. 50.0 mL
  - D. 100.0 mL

33. The pOH of 0.050 M HCl is
- A. 0.30
  - B. 1.30
  - C. 12.70
  - D. 13.70

34. A buffer solution can be prepared from
- A. nitric acid and sodium nitrate.
  - B. sulphuric acid and sodium hydroxide.
  - C. hydrocyanic acid and sodium cyanide.
  - D. sodium hydroxide and sodium chloride.

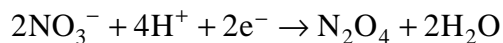
35. Consider the following equilibrium for a buffer solution:



When a few drops of HCl are added,

- A. both the  $[\text{NH}_3]$  and the  $[\text{NH}_4^+]$  increase.
  - B. both the  $[\text{NH}_3]$  and the  $[\text{NH}_4^+]$  decrease.
  - C. the  $[\text{NH}_3]$  decreases and the  $[\text{NH}_4^+]$  increases.
  - D. the  $[\text{NH}_3]$  increases and the  $[\text{NH}_4^+]$  decreases.
36. Normal rainwater has a pH of approximately 6 as a result of dissolved
- A. oxygen.
  - B. carbon dioxide.
  - C. sulphur dioxide.
  - D. nitrogen dioxide.

37. Consider the following:



This equation represents

- A. reduction.
- B. oxidation.
- C. neutralization.
- D. decomposition.

38. A strong oxidizing agent has a

- A. weak attraction for electrons.
- B. strong attraction for electrons.
- C. weak ability to become reduced.
- D. strong ability to become oxidized.

39. A solution of 1.0 M  $\text{Co}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  should be stored in a container made of

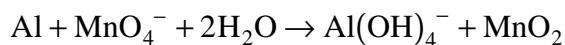
- A. tin.
- B. zinc.
- C. aluminum.
- D. magnesium.

40. Hydrogen has an oxidation number of  $-1$  in

- A.  $\text{H}_2$
- B.  $\text{NaH}$
- C.  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- D.  $\text{KOH}$



41. Consider the following redox reaction:



The chemical species being oxidized is

- A. Al
- B.  $\text{MnO}_4^-$
- C.  $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_4^-$
- D.  $\text{MnO}_2$

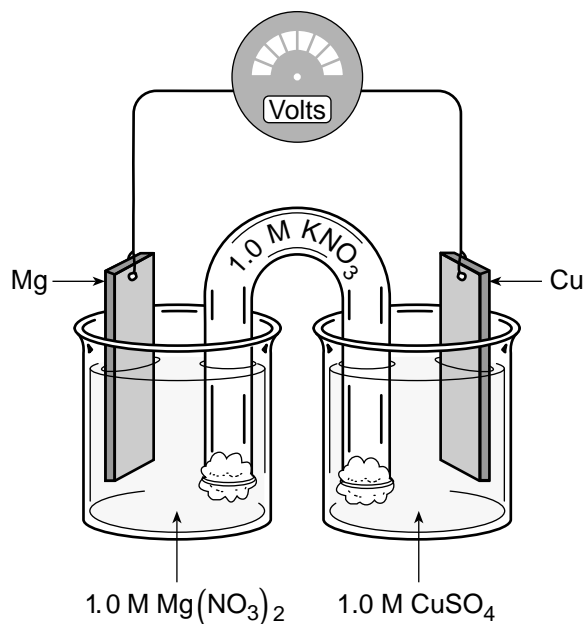
42. Which of the following half-reactions is balanced?

- A.  $\text{IO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ + 5\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- B.  $\text{IO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ + 4\text{e}^- \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\text{I}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- C.  $\text{IO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\text{I}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} + 5\text{e}^-$
- D.  $\text{IO}_3^- + 6\text{H}^+ + 5\text{e}^- \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\text{I}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$

43. To determine the  $[\text{Fe}^{2+}]$  in a solution of  $\text{FeSO}_4$  by a redox titration, a suitable reagent would be an acidified solution of

- A.  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$
- B.  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$
- C.  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$
- D.  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$

Use the following cell diagram to answer questions 44, 45 and 46.



44. In the above electrochemical cell, the reaction at the anode is

- A.  $\text{Cu} \rightarrow \text{Cu}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^-$
- B.  $\text{Cu}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Cu}$
- C.  $\text{Mg} \rightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^-$
- D.  $\text{Mg}^{2+} + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Mg}$

45. As the above electrochemical cell operates,

- A. nitrate ions migrate into the copper half-cell.
- B. copper(II) ions migrate through the salt bridge.
- C. magnesium ions migrate through the salt bridge.
- D. potassium ions migrate into the magnesium half-cell.

46. In the above electrochemical cell, the initial voltage is

- A. 2.03 V
- B. 2.52 V
- C. 2.71 V
- D. 2.89 V

47. As a metal corrodes,
- A. it gains electrons.
  - B. it becomes reduced.
  - C. it acts as a reducing agent.
  - D. its oxidation number decreases.
48. In the electrolysis of **molten**  $\text{PbBr}_2$ , the products at the anode and cathode are

	ANODE (INERT)	CATHODE (INERT)
A.	$\text{Br}_2$	$\text{H}_2$
B.	$\text{O}_2$	Pb
C.	Pb	$\text{Br}_2$
D.	$\text{Br}_2$	Pb

**This is the end of the multiple-choice section.**  
**Answer the remaining questions directly in this examination booklet.**

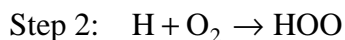
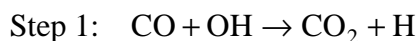
## PART B: WRITTEN RESPONSE

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. One of the reactions in the production of smog involves the oxidation of nitrogen monoxide. A possible mechanism for this reaction is:



- a) Write the balanced equation for the overall reaction. **(2 marks)**

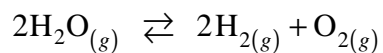
- b) Identify all reaction intermediates. **(1 mark)**

- c) Identify the catalyst. **(1 mark)**

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2. Consider the following equilibrium:



Identify two ways to increase the rate of the forward reaction.

**(2marks)**

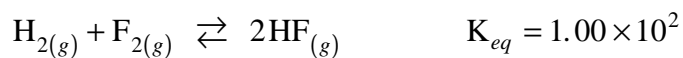
i) \_\_\_\_\_

ii) \_\_\_\_\_

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Question 2:

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3. Consider the following:



A 1.00 L flask is initially filled with 2.00 mol  $\text{H}_2$  and 2.00 mol  $\text{F}_2$ .

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

**(4 marks)**

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4. A solution contains 0.20 M  $\text{Cl}^-$  and 0.20 M  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ .

a) Identify a cation that could be added to the solution to give a precipitate with only one of these anions. **(1 mark)**

b) Write the net ionic equation for the precipitation reaction in part a). **(1 mark)**

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Question 4:

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5. Will a precipitate form when 25.0 mL of 0.15 M  $\text{AgNO}_3$  is added to 15.0 mL of 0.20 M  $\text{NaCl}$ ? Support your answer with appropriate calculations.

**(3 marks)**

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Question 5:

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6. a) Write the balanced equation representing the reaction of HF with H<sub>2</sub>O. (1 mark)

b) Identify the Brønsted-Lowry bases in the above equation.

(1 mark)

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Question 6:

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7. Consider the following data:

CHEMICAL SPECIES	FORMULA	IONIZATION CONSTANT
barbituric acid	HC <sub>4</sub> H <sub>3</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	$K_a = 9.8 \times 10^{-5}$
sodium propanoate	NaC <sub>3</sub> H <sub>5</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	$K_b = 7.5 \times 10^{-10}$
propanoic acid	HC <sub>3</sub> H <sub>5</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	?

Which is the stronger acid, propanoic acid or barbituric acid? Explain, using appropriate calculations. (2 marks)

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Question 7:

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**OVER**

8. A solution of 0.100 M HOCN has a pH of 2.24. Calculate the  $K_a$  value for this acid.  
(4 marks)

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Question 8:

8. \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. Calculate the pH of a 25.0 mL solution formed by mixing 0.0300 mol  $\text{HNO}_3$   
and 0.0280 mol NaOH.  
(2 marks)

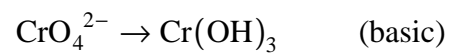
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Question 9:

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10. Balance the following half-reaction:

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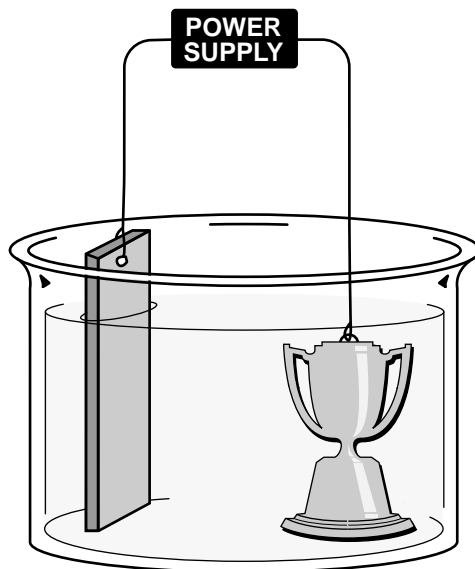


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Question 10:

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**OVER**

11. A trophy manufacturer electroplates an iron trophy with gold.



a) Write the equation for the half-reaction that occurs at the iron trophy. **(1 mark)**

b) Identify an appropriate electrolyte. **(1 mark)**

c) Identify the cathode. **(1 mark)**

d) Explain how to maintain a constant metal ion concentration in the electrolyte. **(1 mark)**

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Question 11:

11. \_\_\_\_\_  
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**END OF EXAMINATION**