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PERIODIC TABLE OF THE ELEMENTS

1 **H** 1.008																	2 **He** 4.00
3 **Li** 6.94	4 **Be** 9.01											5 **B** 10.81	6 **C** 12.01	7 **N** 14.01	8 **O** 16.00	9 **F** 19.00	10 **Ne** 20.18
11 **Na** 22.99	12 **Mg** 24.30											13 **Al** 26.98	14 **Si** 28.09	15 **P** 30.97	16 **S** 32.06	17 **Cl** 35.45	18 **Ar** 39.95
19 **K** 39.10	20 **Ca** 40.08	21 **Sc** 44.96	22 **Ti** 47.90	23 **V** 50.94	24 **Cr** 52.00	25 **Mn** 54.94	26 **Fe** 55.85	27 **Co** 58.93	28 **Ni** 58.69	29 **Cu** 63.55	30 **Zn** 65.39	31 **Ga** 69.72	32 **Ge** 72.59	33 **As** 74.92	34 **Se** 78.96	35 **Br** 79.90	36 **Kr** 83.80
37 **Rb** 85.47	38 **Sr** 87.62	39 **Y** 88.91	40 **Zr** 91.22	41 **Nb** 92.91	42 **Mo** 95.94	43 **Tc** (98)	44 **Ru** 101.1	45 **Rh** 102.91	46 **Pd** 106.42	47 **Ag** 107.87	48 **Cd** 112.41	49 **In** 114.82	50 **Sn** 118.71	51 **Sb** 121.75	52 **Te** 127.60	53 **I** 126.91	54 **Xe** 131.29
55 **Cs** 132.91	56 **Ba** 137.33	57 ***La** 138.91	72 **Hf** 178.49	73 **Ta** 180.95	74 **W** 183.85	75 **Re** 186.21	76 **Os** 190.2	77 **Ir** 192.2	78 **Pt** 195.08	79 **Au** 196.97	80 **Hg** 200.59	81 **Tl** 204.38	82 **Pb** 207.2	83 **Bi** 208.98	84 **Po** (209)	85 **At** (210)	86 **Rn** (222)
87 **Fr** (223)	88 **Ra** 226.02	89 **†Ac** 227.03	104 **Rf** (261)	105 **Db** (262)	106 **Sg** (266)	107 **Bh** (264)	108 **Hs** (277)	109 **Mt** (268)	110 **Ds** (271)	111 **Rg** (272)							

*Lanthanide Series	58 **Ce** 140.12	59 **Pr** 140.91	60 **Nd** 144.24	61 **Pm** (145)	62 **Sm** 150.4	63 **Eu** 151.97	64 **Gd** 157.25	65 **Tb** 158.93	66 **Dy** 162.50	67 **Ho** 164.93	68 **Er** 167.26	69 **Tm** 168.93	70 **Yb** 173.04	71 **Lu** 174.97
†Actinide Series	90 **Th** 232.04	91 **Pa** 231.04	92 **U** 238.03	93 **Np** (237)	94 **Pu** (244)	95 **Am** (243)	96 **Cm** (247)	97 **Bk** (247)	98 **Cf** (251)	99 **Es** (252)	100 **Fm** (257)	101 **Md** (258)	102 **No** (259)	103 **Lr** (262)

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STANDARD REDUCTION POTENTIALS IN AQUEOUS SOLUTION AT 25°C

Half-reaction			$E°$(V)
$F_2(g) + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$2F^-$	2.87
$Co^{3+} + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	Co^{2+}	1.82
$Au^{3+} + 3e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Au(s)$	1.50
$Cl_2(g) + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$2Cl^-$	1.36
$O_2(g) + 4H^+ + 4e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$2H_2O(l)$	1.23
$Br_2(l) + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$2Br^-$	1.07
$2Hg^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	Hg_2^{2+}	0.92
$Hg^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Hg(l)$	0.85
$Ag^+ + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Ag(s)$	0.80
$Hg_2^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$2Hg(l)$	0.79
$Fe^{3+} + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	Fe^{2+}	0.77
$I_2(s) + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$2I^-$	0.53
$Cu^+ + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Cu(s)$	0.52
$Cu^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Cu(s)$	0.34
$Cu^{2+} + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	Cu^+	0.15
$Sn^{4+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	Sn^{2+}	0.15
$S(s) + 2H^+ + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$H_2S(g)$	0.14
$2H^+ + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$H_2(g)$	0.00
$Pb^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Pb(s)$	-0.13
$Sn^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Sn(s)$	-0.14
$Ni^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Ni(s)$	-0.25
$Co^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Co(s)$	-0.28
$Cd^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Cd(s)$	-0.40
$Cr^{3+} + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	Cr^{2+}	-0.41
$Fe^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Fe(s)$	-0.44
$Cr^{3+} + 3e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Cr(s)$	-0.74
$Zn^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Zn(s)$	-0.76
$2H_2O(l) + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$H_2(g) + 2OH^-$	-0.83
$Mn^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Mn(s)$	-1.18
$Al^{3+} + 3e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Al(s)$	-1.66
$Be^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Be(s)$	-1.70
$Mg^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Mg(s)$	-2.37
$Na^+ + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Na(s)$	-2.71
$Ca^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Ca(s)$	-2.87
$Sr^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Sr(s)$	-2.89
$Ba^{2+} + 2e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Ba(s)$	-2.90
$Rb^+ + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Rb(s)$	-2.92
$K^+ + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$K(s)$	-2.92
$Cs^+ + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Cs(s)$	-2.92
$Li^+ + e^-$	$\rightarrow$	$Li(s)$	-3.05

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ADVANCED PLACEMENT CHEMISTRY EQUATIONS AND CONSTANTS

ATOMIC STRUCTURE

$E = h\nu \qquad c = \lambda\nu$

$\lambda = \dfrac{h}{m\upsilon} \qquad p = m\upsilon$

$E_n = \dfrac{-2.178 \times 10^{-18}}{n^2}$ joule

EQUILIBRIUM

$K_a = \dfrac{[H^+][A^-]}{[HA]}$

$K_b = \dfrac{[OH^-][HB^+]}{[B]}$

$K_w = [OH^-][H^+] = 1.0 \times 10^{-14}$ @ 25°C

$= K_a \times K_b$

$pH = -\log[H^+],\ pOH = -\log[OH^-]$

$14 = pH + pOH$

$pH = pK_a + \log\dfrac{[A^-]}{[HA]}$

$pOH = pK_b + \log\dfrac{[HB^+]}{[B]}$

$pK_a = -\log K_a,\ pK_b = -\log K_b$

$K_p = K_c(RT)^{\Delta n}$,

where Δn = moles product gas − moles reactant gas

THERMOCHEMISTRY/KINETICS

$\Delta S^\circ = \sum S^\circ$ products $-\sum S^\circ$ reactants

$\Delta H^\circ = \sum \Delta H_f^\circ$ products $-\sum \Delta H_f^\circ$ reactants

$\Delta G^\circ = \sum \Delta G_f^\circ$ products $-\sum \Delta G_f^\circ$ reactants

$\Delta G^\circ = \Delta H^\circ - T\Delta S^\circ$

$= -RT\ln K = -2.303\,RT\log K$

$= -n\mathcal{F}E^\circ$

$\Delta G = \Delta G^\circ + RT\ln Q = \Delta G^\circ + 2.303\,RT\log Q$

$q = mc\Delta T$

$C_p = \dfrac{\Delta H}{\Delta T}$

$\ln[A]_t - \ln[A]_0 = -kt$

$\dfrac{1}{[A]_t} - \dfrac{1}{[A]_0} = kt$

$\ln k = \dfrac{-E_a}{R}\left(\dfrac{1}{T}\right) + \ln A$

E = energy
υ = velocity
ν = frequency
n = principal quantum number
λ = wavelength
m = mass
p = momentum

Speed of light, $c = 3.0 \times 10^8$ m s^{-1}

Planck's constant, $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34}$ J s

Boltzmann's constant, $k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23}$ J K^{-1}

Avogadro's number $= 6.022 \times 10^{23}$ mol^{-1}

Electron charge, $e = -1.602 \times 10^{-19}$ coulomb

1 electron volt per atom = 96.5 kJ mol^{-1}

Equilibrium Constants

K_a (weak acid)
K_b (weak base)
K_w (water)
K_p (gas pressure)
K_c (molar concentrations)

S° = standard entropy
H° = standard enthalpy
G° = standard free energy
E° = standard reduction potential
T = temperature
n = moles
m = mass
q = heat
c = specific heat capacity
C_p = molar heat capacity at constant pressure
E_a = activation energy
k = rate constant
A = frequency factor

Faraday's constant, $\mathcal{F}$ = 96,500 coulombs per mole of electrons

Gas constant, R = 8.31 J mol^{-1} K^{-1}
= 0.0821 L atm mol^{-1} K^{-1}
= 8.31 volt coulomb mol^{-1} K^{-1}

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GASES, LIQUIDS, AND SOLUTIONS

$$PV = nRT$$

$$\left(P + \frac{n^2 a}{V^2}\right)(V - nb) = nRT$$

$$P_A = P_{total} \times X_A, \text{where } X_A = \frac{\text{moles A}}{\text{total moles}}$$

$$P_{total} = P_A + P_B + P_C + \ldots$$

$$n = \frac{m}{\boldsymbol{M}}$$

$$\text{K} = {}^\circ\text{C} + 273$$

$$\frac{P_1V_1}{T_1} = \frac{P_2V_2}{T_2}$$

$$D = \frac{m}{V}$$

$$u_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{3kT}{m}} = \sqrt{\frac{3RT}{\boldsymbol{M}}}$$

$$KE \text{ per molecule} = \frac{1}{2}m\upsilon^2$$

$$KE \text{ per mole} = \frac{3}{2}RT$$

$$\frac{r_1}{r_2} = \sqrt{\frac{\boldsymbol{M}_2}{\boldsymbol{M}_1}}$$

$$\text{molarity, } M = \text{ moles solute per liter solution}$$

$$\text{molality} = \text{ moles solute per kilogram solvent}$$

$$\Delta T_f = iK_f \times \text{molality}$$

$$\Delta T_b = iK_b \times \text{molality}$$

$$\pi = iMRT$$

$$A = abc$$

P = pressure
V = volume
T = temperature
n = number of moles
D = density
m = mass
υ = velocity

u_{rms} = root-mean-square speed
KE = kinetic energy
r = rate of effusion
$\boldsymbol{M}$ = molar mass
π = osmotic pressure
i = van't Hoff factor
K_f = molal freezing-point depression constant
K_b = molal boiling-point elevation constant
A = absorbance
a = molar absorptivity
b = path length
c = concentration
Q = reaction quotient
I = current (amperes)
q = charge (coulombs)
t = time (seconds)
E° = standard reduction potential
K = equilibrium constant

OXIDATION-REDUCTION; ELECTROCHEMISTRY

$$Q = \frac{[\text{C}]^c[\text{D}]^d}{[\text{A}]^a[\text{B}]^b}, \text{ where } a\,\text{A} + b\,\text{B} \rightarrow c\,\text{C} + d\,\text{D}$$

$$I = \frac{q}{t}$$

$$E_{\text{cell}} = E^\circ_{\text{cell}} - \frac{RT}{n\mathcal{F}}\ln Q = E^\circ_{\text{cell}} - \frac{0.0592}{n}\log Q \ \ @\ 25^\circ\text{C}$$

$$\log K = \frac{nE^\circ}{0.0592}$$

Gas constant, R = 8.31 J mol^{-1} K^{-1}
= 0.0821 L atm mol^{-1} K^{-1}
= 8.31 volt coulomb mol^{-1} K^{-1}

Boltzmann's constant, $k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23}$ J K^{-1}

K_f for H_2O = 1.86 K kg mol^{-1}

K_b for H_2O = 0.512 K kg mol^{-1}

1 atm = 760 mm Hg
= 760 torr

STP = 0.00 °C and 1.0 atm

Faraday's constant, $\mathcal{F}$ = 96,500 coulombs per mole of electrons

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CHEMISTRY

Section II

(Total time—95 minutes)

Part A

Time—55 minutes

YOU MAY USE YOUR CALCULATOR FOR PART A.

CLEARLY SHOW THE METHOD USED AND THE STEPS INVOLVED IN ARRIVING AT YOUR ANSWERS. It is to your advantage to do this, since you may obtain partial credit if you do and you will receive little or no credit if you do not. Attention should be paid to significant figures.

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Answer Questions 1, 2, and 3. The Section II score weighting for each question is 20 percent.

1. The compound butane, C_4H_{10}, occurs in two isomeric forms, *n*-butane and isobutane (2-methyl propane). Both compounds exist as gases at 25°C and 1.0 atm.

   (a) Draw the structural formula of each of the isomers (include all atoms). Clearly label each structure.

   (b) On the basis of molecular structure, identify the isomer that has the higher boiling point. Justify your answer.

   The two isomers exist in equilibrium as represented by the equation below.

   $$n\text{-butane}(g) \rightleftarrows \text{isobutane}(g) \qquad K_c = 2.5 \text{ at } 25°\text{C}$$

   Suppose that a 0.010 mol sample of pure *n*-butane is placed in an evacuated 1.0 L rigid container at 25°C.

   (c) Write the expression for the equilibrium constant, K_c, for the reaction.

   (d) Calculate the initial pressure in the container when the *n*-butane is first introduced (before the reaction starts).

   (e) The *n*-butane reacts until equilibrium has been established at 25°C.

      (i) Calculate the total pressure in the container at equilibrium. Justify your answer.

      (ii) Calculate the molar concentration of each species at equilibrium.

      (iii) If the volume of the system is reduced to half of its original volume, what will be the new concentration of *n*-butane after equilibrium has been reestablished at 25°C ? Justify your answer.

   Suppose that in another experiment a 0.010 mol sample of pure isobutane is placed in an evacuated 1.0 L rigid container and allowed to come to equilibrium at 25°C.

   (f) Calculate the molar concentration of each species after equilibrium has been established.

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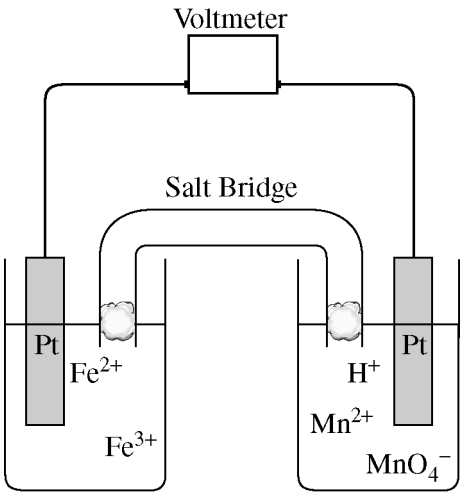

$$5\ Fe^{2+}(aq) + MnO_4^-(aq) + 8\ H^+(aq) \rightarrow 5\ Fe^{3+}(aq) + Mn^{2+}(aq) + 4\ H_2O(l)$$

2. A galvanic cell and the balanced equation for the spontaneous cell reaction are shown above. The two reduction half-reactions for the overall reaction that occurs in the cell are shown in the table below.

Half-Reaction	$E°$ (V) at 298 K
$Fe^{3+}(aq) + e^- \rightarrow Fe^{2+}(aq)$	+0.77
$MnO_4^-(aq) + 8\ H^+(aq) + 5\ e^- \rightarrow Mn^{2+}(aq) + 4\ H_2O(l)$	+1.49

(a) On the diagram, clearly label the cathode.

(b) Calculate the value of the standard potential, $E°$, for the spontaneous cell reaction.

(c) How many moles of electrons are transferred when 1.0 mol of $MnO_4^-(aq)$ is consumed in the overall cell reaction?

(d) Calculate the value of the equilibrium constant, K_{eq}, for the cell reaction at 25°C. Explain what the magnitude of K_{eq} tells you about the extent of the reaction.

Three solutions, one containing $Fe^{2+}(aq)$, one containing $MnO_4^-(aq)$, and one containing $H^+(aq)$, are mixed in a beaker and allowed to react. The initial concentrations of the species in the mixture are 0.60 M $Fe^{2+}(aq)$, 0.10 M $MnO_4^-(aq)$, and 1.0 M $H^+(aq)$.

(e) When the reaction mixture has come to equilibrium, which species has the higher concentration, $Mn^{2+}(aq)$ or $MnO_4^-(aq)$? Explain.

(f) When the reaction mixture has come to equilibrium, what are the molar concentrations of $Fe^{2+}(aq)$ and $Fe^{3+}(aq)$?

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3. A sample of ore containing the mineral tellurite, TeO_2, was dissolved in acid. The resulting solution was then reacted with a solution of $K_2Cr_2O_7$ to form telluric acid, H_2TeO_4. The unbalanced chemical equation for the reaction is given below.

$$\ldots TeO_2(s) + \ldots Cr_2O_7^{2-}(aq) + \ldots H^+(aq) \rightarrow \ldots H_2TeO_4(aq) + \ldots Cr^{3+}(aq) + \ldots H_2O(l)$$

(a) Identify the molecule or ion that is being oxidized in the reaction.

(b) Give the oxidation number of Cr in the $Cr_2O_7^{2-}(aq)$ ion.

(c) Balance the chemical equation given above by writing the correct lowest whole-number coefficients on the dotted lines.

In the procedure described above, 46.00 mL of 0.03109 *M* $K_2Cr_2O_7$ was added to the ore sample after it was dissolved in acid. When the chemical reaction had progressed as completely as possible, the amount of unreacted (excess) $Cr_2O_7^{2-}(aq)$ was determined by titrating the solution with 0.110 *M* $Fe(NO_3)_2$. The reaction that occurred during the titration is represented by the following balanced equation.

$$6\ Fe^{2+}(aq) + Cr_2O_7^{2-}(aq) + 14\ H^+(aq) \rightarrow 2\ Cr^{3+}(aq) + 6\ Fe^{3+}(aq) + 7\ H_2O(l)$$

A volume of 9.85 mL of 0.110 *M* $Fe(NO_3)_2$ was required to reach the equivalence point.

(d) Calculate the number of moles of excess $Cr_2O_7^{2-}(aq)$ that was titrated.

(e) Calculate the number of moles of $Cr_2O_7^{2-}(aq)$ that reacted with the tellurite.

(f) Calculate the mass, in grams, of tellurite that was in the ore sample.

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CHEMISTRY
Part B

Time—40 minutes

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Answer Question 4 below. The Section II score weighting for this question is 10 percent.

4. For each of the following three reactions, in part (i) write a balanced equation and in part (ii) answer the question about the reaction. In part (i), coefficients should be in terms of lowest whole numbers. Assume that solutions are aqueous unless otherwise indicated. Represent substances in solutions as ions if the substances are extensively ionized. Omit formulas for any ions or molecules that are unchanged by the reaction. You may use the empty space at the bottom of the next page for scratch work, but only equations that are written in the answer boxes provided will be scored.

EXAMPLE:

A strip of magnesium metal is added to a solution of silver(I) nitrate.

(i) Balanced equation:

$Mg + 2Ag^+ \longrightarrow Mg^{2+} + 2Ag$

(ii) Which substance is oxidized in the reaction?

Mg is oxidized.

(a) Solid copper(II) sulfate pentahydrate is gently heated.

(i) Balanced equation:

(ii) How many grams of water are present in 1.00 mol of copper(II) sulfate pentahydrate?

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(b) Excess concentrated aqueous ammonia is added to a solution of nickel(II) nitrate, leading to the formation of a complex ion.

(i) Balanced equation:

(ii) Which of the reactants acts as a Lewis acid?

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(c) Methylamine (CH_3NH_2) is added to a solution of hydrochloric acid.

(i) Balanced equation:

(ii) Methylamine dissolves in water to form a solution. Indicate whether this solution is acidic, basic, or neutral.

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

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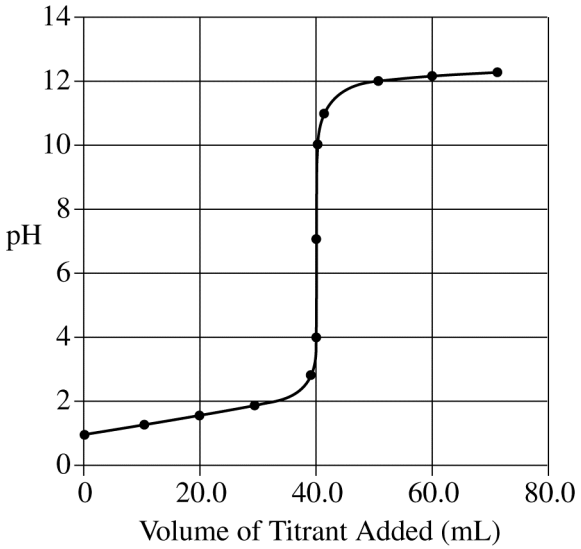

5. A solution of 0.100 *M* HCl and a solution of 0.100 *M* NaOH are prepared. A 40.0 mL sample of one of the solutions is added to a beaker and then titrated with the other solution. A pH electrode is used to obtain the data that are plotted in the titration curve shown above.

   (a) Identify the solution that was initially added to the beaker. Explain your reasoning.

   (b) On the titration curve above, circle the point that corresponds to the equivalence point.

   (c) At the equivalence point, how many moles of titrant have been added?

   (d) The same titration is to be performed again, this time using an indicator. Use the information in the table below to select the best indicator for the titration. Explain your choice.

Indicator	pH Range of Color Change
Methyl violet	0 – 1.6
Methyl red	4 – 6
Alizarin yellow	10 – 12

   (e) What is the difference between the <u>equivalence point</u> of a titration and the <u>end point</u> of a titration?

   (f) On the grid provided on the next page, sketch the titration curve that would result if the solutions in the beaker and buret were reversed (i.e., if 40.0 mL of the solution used in the buret in the previous titration were titrated with the solution that was in the beaker).

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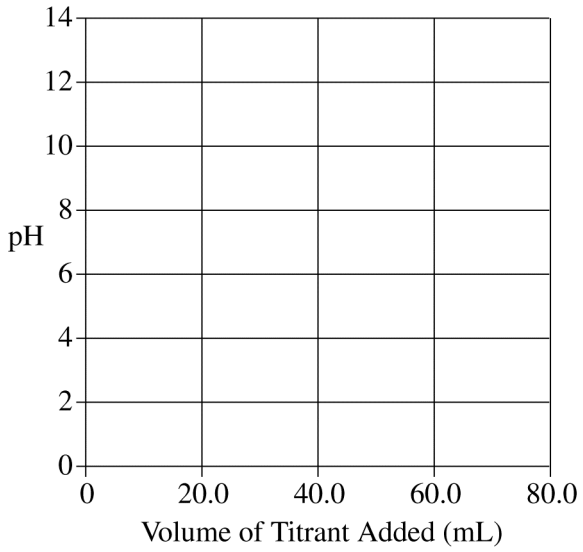

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$$H_2(g) + Cl_2(g) \rightarrow 2\ HCl(g)$$

6. The table below gives data for a reaction rate study of the reaction represented above.

Experiment	Initial $[H_2]$ (mol L^{-1})	Initial $[Cl_2]$ (mol L^{-1})	Initial Rate of Formation of HCl (mol L^{-1} s^{-1})
1	0.00100	0.000500	1.82×10^{-12}
2	0.00200	0.000500	3.64×10^{-12}
3	0.00200	0.000250	1.82×10^{-12}

(a) Determine the order of the reaction with respect to H_2 and justify your answer.

(b) Determine the order of the reaction with respect to Cl_2 and justify your answer.

(c) Write the overall rate law for the reaction.

(d) Write the units of the rate constant.

(e) Predict the initial rate of the reaction if the initial concentration of H_2 is 0.00300 mol L^{-1} and the initial concentration of Cl_2 is 0.000500 mol L^{-1}.

The gas-phase decomposition of nitrous oxide has the following two-step mechanism.

Step 1: $N_2O \rightarrow N_2 + O$

Step 2: $O + N_2O \rightarrow N_2 + O_2$

(f) Write the balanced equation for the overall reaction.

(g) Is the oxygen atom, O, a catalyst for the reaction or is it an intermediate? Explain.

(h) Identify the slower step in the mechanism if the rate law for the reaction was determined to be *rate* = $k\,[N_2O]$. Justify your answer.

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