

110pts possible

MHS 2015 Tryout

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Science Teacher

I. THE ATOM

Note: If you've learned any quantum mechanics, forget about it for a while. Think grade 9 level chem.
Components of an atom: Electron
Neutron
Proton
if pg 1 is used. Pg 1 should help differentiate 9th graders if any are tried.

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- 1) Which component carries a positive charge?
- 2) Which component carries a negative charge?
- 3) Which component does not have mass?
- 4) Which component is not in the nucleus?
- 5) Complete the table:

proton
electron
electron
electron

each row is all or nothing

Atomic #	Element Name	Atomic Symbol	# of protons	# of neutrons	Atomic mass mass #
6	Carbon	C	6	6	12
8	Oxygen	O	8	8	16
17	Chlorine	Cl	17	18	35

6) Sodium chloride (table salt) is composed of two atoms, sodium and chlorine atoms. This means that sodium chloride is an... (circle answer)

- A) element **B) compound** C) solution D) isotope E) ion

7) When an atom has lost or gained an electron it no longer has a neutral charge. The type of atom which carries either electrical charge is called an... (circle answer)

- A) element B) compound C) solution D) isotope **E) ion**

8) The atomic mass listed in the periodic table is not an integer (a whole number). It is a decimal number. Why?

It is an average based upon the natural abundance of the different isotopes of an element.

10pts

II. CHEMISTRY SKILLS

Balance the following reactions:

10pts
(2 each)



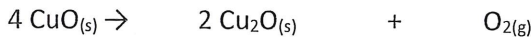
6) Complete the following table:

10pts
(1 each)

Chemical Name	Chemical Formula
Sodium Chloride	NaCl
Lithium Hydride	LiH
Calcium Carbonate	CaCO ₃
Ammonium Nitrate	NH ₄ NO ₃
Hypochlorous Acid	HClO
Magnesium Fluoride	MgF ₂
Carbon Dioxide	CO ₂
Copper (II) Oxide	CuO
Tetraphosphorus Decoxide	P ₄ O ₁₀
Sulfurous Acid	H ₂ SO ₃

7) Copper (II) Oxide will decompose when it is heated strongly.

3pts



How many grams of oxygen can be obtained from 2.64 g CuO(s)?

1: answer (value)

1: all three conversions shown/justified

1: correct label and sig figs

$$2.64 \text{ g CuO} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol CuO}}{79.55 \text{ g CuO}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol O}_2}{4 \text{ mol CuO}} \times \frac{32.00 \text{ g O}_2}{1 \text{ mol O}_2} = \boxed{0.265 \text{ g O}_2}$$

7pts

8.) 100. kg of glass (SiO₂) are reacted with excess carbon to produce 57.4kg silicon carbide (SiC). What is the % yield of silicon carbide? (7pts)



Theoretical yield

$$100 \text{ kg SiO}_2 \times \frac{1,000 \text{ g SiO}_2}{\text{kg SiO}_2} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol SiO}_2}{60.1 \text{ g SiO}_2} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol SiC}}{1 \text{ mol SiO}_2} \times \frac{40.1 \text{ g SiC}}{1 \text{ mol SiC}} \times \frac{\text{kg SiC}}{1,000 \text{ g SiC}} = \underline{\underline{66.7 \text{ kg SiC}}}$$

2: theoretical work shown
2: theoretical value

Actual Yield = 57.4kg SiC

$$\% \text{ yield} = \frac{57.4 \text{ kg SiC}}{66.73 \text{ kg SiC}} = \boxed{83.1\%}$$

2: final value
1: correct sig figs

30pts

III. Chemical Kinetics

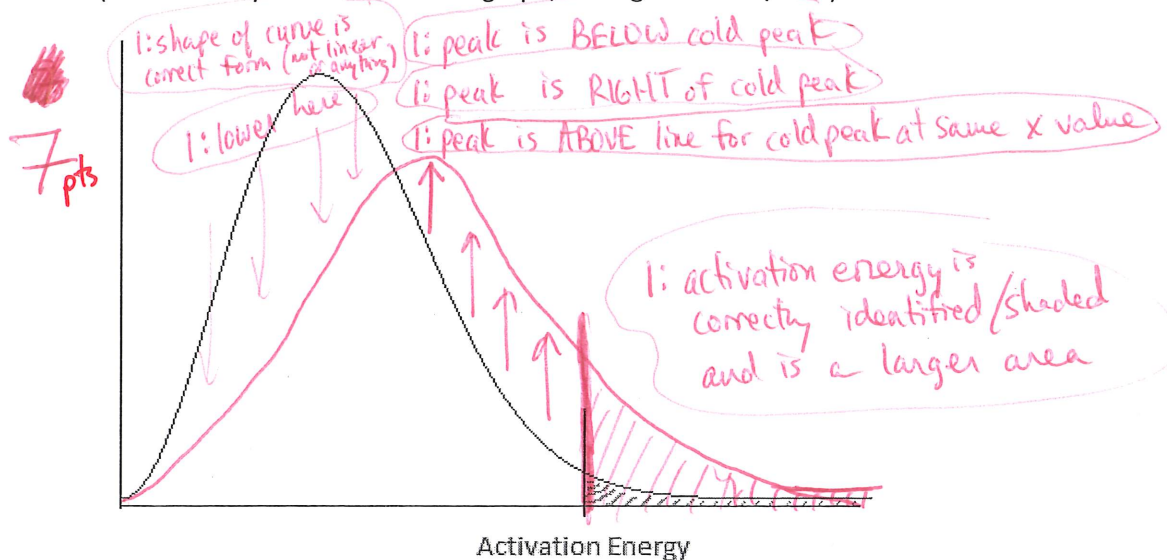
A reaction is activated by a teacher inside the glow sticks he is using. The reaction gives off energy in the form of light. One glow stick is exposed to a cold environment, the other a warmer environment.

1 pts

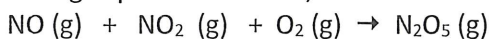
1. In which environment is the reaction occurring more quickly?

WARMER

2. If this Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution represents the reacting molecules in the cold glow stick, draw a rough Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution representing the warm glow stick on the same graph below (write directly OVER the current graph, adding a 2nd line/area).



3) Given the following experimental data, find the rate law and the rate constant for the reaction:



Run	[NO] ₀ , M	[NO ₂] ₀ , M	[O ₂] ₀ , M	Initial Rate, Ms ⁻¹
1	0.10 M	0.10 M	0.10 M	2.1 × 10 ⁻²
2	0.20 M	0.10 M	0.10 M	4.2 × 10 ⁻²
3	0.20 M	0.30 M	0.20 M	1.26 × 10 ⁻¹
4	0.10 M	0.10 M	0.20 M	2.1 × 10 ⁻²

6 pts

$$\text{Rate} = k [\text{NO}] [\text{NO}_2]$$

$$0.021 \text{ mol L}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1} = k (0.10 \text{ mol L}^{-1}) (0.10 \text{ mol L}^{-1})$$

$$k = 2.1 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$-\frac{d[\text{NO}]}{dt} = 2.1 \text{ L} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1} \cdot \text{s}^{-1} [\text{NO}] [\text{NO}_2]$$

4) When the proper molecules collide for a reaction to take place, that reaction does not always happen. Name 2 reasons why a reaction may not occur even when reactants collide.

6 pts

1.) IMPROPER ORIENTATION

2.) low TEMPERATURE
insufficient ENERGY
does not meet ACTIVATION ENERGY

3

These are all the
SAME reason.

20 pts

5pts

5. At 25°C the rate constant for a first order reaction is $2.0 \times 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$. The activation energy is 15.0 kJ per mole. What is the rate constant at 75°C? ($R = 8.31 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$)

$$\ln \frac{k_2}{k_1} = \frac{-E_a}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right)$$

$k_2 = \text{answer}$
 $k_1 = 2.0 \times 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$
 $T_2 = 348 \text{ K}$
 $T_1 = 298 \text{ K}$
 $E_a = 15.0 \text{ kJ/mol}$
 $R = 8.31 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$
 $\hookrightarrow .00831 \text{ kJ K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

$$\ln \frac{k_2}{2.0 \times 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}} = \frac{-15.0 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}}{.00831 \text{ kJ K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}} \left(\frac{1}{348 \text{ K}} - \frac{1}{298 \text{ K}} \right)$$

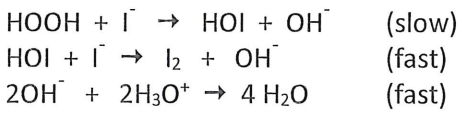
$k_2 = 4.8 \times 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$

4pts

6) The mechanism of a reaction is shown below.

- What is the overall reaction?
- Which compounds are intermediates?
- Predict the rate law based on this mechanism.
- What is the overall order of the reaction?

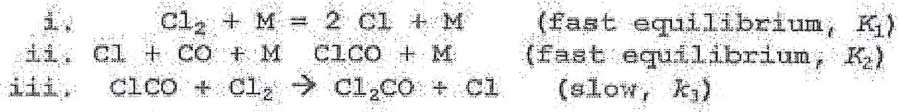
- 1: equation
- 2: value
- 1: unit
- 1: sig figs



- $\text{HOOH} + 2\text{I}^- + 2\text{H}_3\text{O}^+ \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- HOI, OH^-
- $\text{RATE} = k [\text{HOOH}] [\text{I}^-]$
- 2ND ORDER

11pts

7) Derive the rate law that is consistent with the proposed mechanism in the formation of phosgene from Cl_2 and CO . Solve for the rate constant in terms of $k_1, k_2,$ and k_3 . What is the order of the reaction?



The overall reaction is: $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{CO} = \text{Cl}_2\text{CO}$

$$\text{Rate} = k [\text{ClCO}] [\text{Cl}_2]$$

$$[\text{ClCO}] = [\text{Cl}] [\text{CO}]$$

$$[\text{Cl}] = [\text{Cl}_2]^{1/2}$$

$$\text{Rate} = k_3 [\text{ClCO}] [\text{Cl}_2]$$

$$[\text{ClCO}] = k_2 [\text{Cl}] [\text{CO}]$$

$$[\text{Cl}] = k_1^{1/2} [\text{Cl}_2]^{1/2}$$

The overall order of the reaction is 2.5.

$\text{Rate} = k [\text{Cl}_2]^{3/2} [\text{CO}]$

$\text{Rate} = k [\text{CO}] [\text{Cl}_2]^{3/2}$ where $k = k_3 k_1^{1/2} k_2$

20pts

IV. Reactions – Write net ionic equations matching the following descriptions.

1. Hydrochloric acid solution is treated with rubidium hydroxide solution.
2. Pentane (C_5H_{12}) is burned completely in excess oxygen gas.
3. A sample of solid iron(III) oxide is reduced completely with solid carbon.
4. Hydrazine (N_2H_4) is burned in a limited oxygen environment.
5. Equal volumes of equimolar sodium hydroxide and sulfuric acid are combined.
6. Nitric acid solution is dropped onto zinc ribbon.
7. Sodium oxide shavings are added to distilled water.
8. A solution containing silver(I) ion (an oxidizing agent) is mixed with a solution containing iron(II) ion (a reducing agent).
9. Bromine gas is bubbled into a solution of sodium iodide.
10. Phosphorus pentabromide is added to water.

1 pt reactants
1 pt products
1 pt all correct AND balanced

