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The full examination consists of 60 multiple-choice questions representing a fairly wide range of difficulty. Students should be permitted to use non-programmable calculators. A periodic table and other useful information are provided on page two of this exam booklet for student reference.

Suggested Time: 60 questions-110 minutes

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This is a multiple-choice examination with four choices for each question. There is only one correct or best answer to each question. When you select your choice, blacken the corresponding space on the answer sheet with your pencil. Make a heavy full mark, but no stray marks. If you decide to change your answer, be certain to erase your original answer completely.

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| ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| amount of substance | $n$ | Faraday constant $F$ | molar | M |
| ampere | A | free energy $G$ | molar mass | M |
| atmosphere | atm | frequency $v$ | mole | mol |
| atomic mass unit | u | gas constant $\quad R$ | Planck's constant | $h$ |
| atomic molar mass | A | gram $\quad \mathrm{g}$ | pressure | $P$ |
| Avogadro constant | $N_{\text {A }}$ | hour h | rate constant | $k$ |
| Celsius temperature | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | joule | reaction quotient | $Q$ |
| centi- prefix | c | kelvin K | second | s |
| coulomb | C | kilo- prefix k | speed of light | c |
| electromotive force | E | liter L | temperature, K | $T$ |
| energy of activation | $E_{\text {a }}$ | measure of pressure mmHg | time | $t$ |
| enthalpy | H | milli- prefix m | volt | V |
| entropy | S | molal $\quad m$ | volume | V |
| equilibrium constant | K |  |  |  |

## EQUATIONS

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E=E^{\mathrm{o}}-\frac{R T}{n F} \ln Q \quad \ln K=\left(\frac{-\Delta H}{R}\right)\left(\frac{1}{T}\right)+\text { constant } \quad \ln \left(\frac{k_{2}}{k_{1}}\right)=\frac{E_{a}}{R}\left(\frac{1}{T_{1}}-\frac{1}{T_{2}}\right)
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| 1.008 | 2A |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3A | 4A | 5A | 6A | 7A | 4.003 |
| 3 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| Li | Be |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | B | C | N | O | F | Ne |
| 6.941 | 9.012 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10.81 | 12.01 | 14.01 | 16.00 | 19.00 | 20.18 |
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| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 32 | 33 | 34 | 35 | 36 |
| K | Ca | Sc | Ti | V | Cr | Mn | Fe | Co | Ni | Cu | $\mathbf{Z n}$ | Ga | Ge | As | Se | Br | $\mathbf{K r}$ |
| 39.10 | 40.08 | 44.96 | 47.88 | 50.94 | 52.00 | 54.94 | 55.85 | 58.93 | 58.69 | 63.55 | 65.39 | 69.72 | 72.61 | 74.92 | 78.96 | 79.90 | 83.80 |
| 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 41 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 45 | 46 | 47 | 48 | 49 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 53 | 54 |
| Rb | Sr | Y | Zr | Nb | Mo | Tc | Ru | Rh | Pd | Ag | Cd | In | Sn | Sb | Te | I | Xe |
| 85.47 | 87.62 | 88.91 | 91.22 | 92.91 | 95.94 | (98) | 101.1 | 102.9 | 106.4 | 107.9 | 112.4 | 114.8 | 118.7 | 121.8 | 127.6 | 126.9 | 131.3 |
| 55 | 56 | 57 | 72 | 73 | 74 | 75 | 76 | 77 | 78 | 79 | 80 | 81 | 82 | 83 | 84 | 85 | 86 |
| Cs | Ba | La | Hf | Ta | W | $\mathbf{R e}$ | Os | Ir | Pt | Au | Hg | Tl | Pb | Bi | Po | At | Rn |
| 132.9 | 137.3 | 138.9 | 178.5 | 180.9 | 183.8 | 186.2 | 190.2 | 192.2 | 195.1 | 197.0 | 200.6 | 204.4 | 207.2 | 209.0 | (209) | (210) | (222) |
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## DIRECTIONS

- When you have selected your answer to each question, blacken the corresponding space on the answer sheet using pencil. Make a heavy, full mark, but no stray marks. If you decide to change an answer, erase the unwanted mark ver
- There is only one correct answer to each question. Any questions for which more than one response has been blackened be counted.
- Your score is based solely on the number of questions you answer correctly. It is to your advantage to answer every question.

1. Which salt is colorless?
(A) $\mathrm{KMnO}_{4}$
(B) $\mathrm{BaSO}_{4}$
(C) $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{CrO}_{4}$
(D) $\mathrm{CoCl}_{2}$
2. Which 0.10 M aqueous solution exhibits the lowest electrical conductivity?
(A) $\mathrm{NH}_{4} \mathrm{Cl}$
(B) $\mathrm{CuBr}_{2}$
(C) $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}$
(D) $\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{OH}$
3. Which element is a liquid at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and 1 atm ?
(A) fluorine
(B) chlorine
(C) bromine
(D) iodine
4. Mixing which combination produces a gaseous product?
(A) solid ammonium nitrate and solid calcium hydroxide
(B) copper metal and 0.10 M hydrochloric acid
(C) solutions of barium hydroxide and 0.10 M sulfuric acid
(D) solutions of aluminum nitrate and sodium chloride
5. Which technique can be used to determine the number of components in a plant pigment?
(A) calorimetry
(B) chromatography
(C) colorimetry
(D) gravimetry
6. In the determination of the molar mass of a solid acid by titrating it with a standardized base, which procedural error will yield a molar mass that is smaller than the actual value?
(A) adding the standardized base to a buret containing drops of water
(B) dissolving the weighed solid acid in twice the recommended volume of water
(C) using half as many drops of indicator as suggested
(D) weighing out half of the recommended mass of solid acid
7. The mass of one atom of an element is $1.71 \times 10^{-22} \mathrm{~g}$. What is the atomic mass of this element in $\mathrm{g} \cdot \mathrm{mol}^{-1}$ ?
(A) 101
(B) 103
(C) 105
(D) 107
8. What is the percent by mass of nitrogen in ammonium carbonate, $\left(\mathrm{NH}_{4}\right)_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}$ ?
(A) $14.53 \%$
(B) $27.83 \%$
(C) $29.16 \%$
(D) $33.34 \%$
9. How many moles of water will be produced from the complete combustion of 4.4 g of $\mathrm{C}_{3} \mathrm{H}_{8}$ ?
(A) 0.10
(B) 0.25
(C) 0.40
(D) 0.80
10. A 10.0 g sample of an oxide of copper forms metallic copper and 1.26 g of water when heated in a stream of hydrogen. What is the mass percent of copper in this oxide?
(A) $11.2 \%$
(B) $66.6 \%$
(C) $79.9 \%$
(D) $88.8 \%$
11. A 49.9 g sample of barium hydroxide octahydrate,

| Molar Mass $/ \mathbf{g} \cdot \mathbf{m o l}^{-1}$ |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| $\mathrm{Ba}(\mathrm{OH})_{2} \cdot 8 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O} \quad 315$ |  | $\mathrm{Ba}(\mathrm{OH})_{2} \cdot 8 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$, is dissolved in water and the solution is diluted to give a final volume of 2.50 L . What is the concentration of the hydroxide ion in this solution?

(A) 0.0634 M
(B) 0.127 M
(C) 0.190 M
(D) 0.634 M
12. What volume (in mL ) of 0.0500 M phosphoric acid is needed to titrate completely 25.0 mL of 0.150 M barium hydroxide solution to a phenolphthalein end point?

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3 \mathrm{Ba}(\mathrm{OH})_{2}+2 \mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{PO}_{4} \rightarrow \mathrm{Ba}_{3}\left(\mathrm{PO}_{4}\right)_{2}+6 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}
$$

(A) 50.0
(B) 75.0
(C) 100 .
(D) 150 .
13. A sample of gas at 273 K has a pressure of $P_{1}$ and a volume of $V_{1}$. When the pressure is changed to $P_{2}$, what is the volume $V_{2}$ ? (Assume the temperature remains constant.)
(A) $\frac{P_{1} P_{2}}{V_{1}}$
(B) $\frac{P_{1} V_{1}}{P_{2}}$
(C) $\frac{P_{2} V_{1}}{P_{1}}$
(D) $\frac{P_{2}}{P_{1} V_{1}}$
14. How do the number of molecules, $n$, in 1.0 L of each of the following gases; $\mathrm{CH}_{4}, \mathrm{~N}_{2}, \mathrm{CO}_{2}$, compare at 1 atm and $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ?
(A) $n_{\mathrm{CH}_{4}}<n_{\mathrm{CO}_{2}}<n_{\mathrm{N}_{2}}$
(B) $n_{\mathrm{N}_{2}}<n_{\mathrm{CO}_{2}}<n_{\mathrm{CH}_{4}}$
(C) $n_{\mathrm{CO}_{2}}<n_{\mathrm{CH}_{4}}<n_{\mathrm{N}_{2}}$
(D) $n_{\mathrm{CH}_{4}}=n_{\mathrm{CO}_{2}}=n_{\mathrm{N}_{2}}$
15. Solid sodium acetate, $\mathrm{NaC}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$, is what type of solid?
(A) ionic
(B) metallic
(C) molecular
(D) network covalent
16. Which substance has the highest vapor pressure at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ?
(A) methanol, $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{OH}$
(B) ethanol, $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{OH}$
(C) 1-propanol, $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{OH}$
(D) 1-butanol, $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{OH}$
17. Which point on the phase diagram represents the normal boiling point?

(A) point A
(B) point B
(C) point C
(D) point D
18. What types of
I. dipole-dipole forces
II. hydrogen bonding III. London dispersion forces are exerted by $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{Cl}$ molecules in the liquid phase?
(A) I only
(B) II only
(C) I and III only
(D) II and III only
19. A 22.0 g piece of metal is heated to $100.0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and placed in 75.0 g
 $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ at $25.0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. If the final temperature of the metal and water is $27.8^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, what is the specific heat capacity of the metal in $\mathrm{J} \cdot \mathrm{g}^{-1} \cdot{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}^{-1}$ ? (Assume no heat is lost/gained by the surroundings.)
(A) 0.038
(B) 0.16
(C) 0.55
(D) 5.0
20. Which change(s) is(are) accompanied by an increase in
I. conversion of $\mathrm{O}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$ to $\mathrm{O}_{3}(\mathrm{~g})$
II. freezing of water entropy of the system?
(A) I only
(B) III only
(C) I and II only
(D) II and III only
21. $\mathrm{NO}(\mathrm{g}) \rightarrow 1 / 2 \mathrm{~N}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})+1 / 2 \mathrm{O}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$
$2 \mathrm{NO}(\mathrm{g}) \rightarrow \mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g})+1 / 2 \mathrm{O}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$
Which relationship is correct?
(A) $\Delta H_{1}{ }^{\circ}=\Delta H_{2}{ }^{\circ}$
(B) $\Delta H_{\mathrm{f}}{ }^{\circ}$ for $\mathrm{NO}(\mathrm{g})=\Delta H_{1}{ }^{\circ}$
(C) $\Delta H_{\mathrm{f}}{ }^{\circ}$ for $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g})=\Delta H_{2}{ }^{\circ}$
(D) $\Delta H_{\mathrm{f}}{ }^{\circ}$ for $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{g})=\Delta H_{2}{ }^{\circ}-2 \Delta H_{1}{ }^{\circ}$
22. When 2.74 g of $\mathrm{Ba}(\mathrm{s})$ reacts with $\mathrm{O}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$ at 298 K and 1 atm to form $\mathrm{BaO}(\mathrm{s}), 11,100 \mathrm{~J}$ of heat is released. What is $\Delta H_{\mathrm{f}}^{\circ}$ for $\mathrm{BaO}(\mathrm{s})$ in $\mathrm{kJ} \cdot \mathrm{mol}^{-1}$ ?
(A) 556
(B) 221
(C) -221
(D) -556
23. A reaction has $\Delta H^{\circ}>0$ and $\Delta G^{\circ}>0$ at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. This reaction
(A) is at equilibrium at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
(B) could not be spontaneous under standard conditions at any temperature.
(C) could be spontaneous under standard conditions at temperatures above $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
(D) could be spontaneous under standard conditions at temperatures below $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
24. An ionic compound has a solubility of $1 \mathrm{~mol} \cdot \mathrm{~L}^{-1}$ in water at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and its solubility increases as the temperature is raised. What are the signs of $\Delta H^{\circ}$ and $\Delta S^{\circ}$ for the dissolving process?

|  | $\Delta \boldsymbol{H}^{\circ}$ | $\Delta \boldsymbol{S}^{\circ}$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| (A) | + | + |
| (B) | + | - |
| (C) | - | + |
| (D) | - | - |

25. For the reaction represented by the accompanying diagram, which reaction rate is the greatest?

(A) average rate
(B) final rate
(C) initial rate
(D) rate at 20 seconds
26. Which units are appropriate for a reaction rate?
(A) $\mathrm{mol} \cdot \mathrm{L}^{-1} \cdot \mathrm{~s}^{-1}$
(B) $\mathrm{mol} \cdot \mathrm{L}^{-1}$
(C) $\mathrm{mol} \cdot \mathrm{L} \cdot \mathrm{s}^{-1}$
(D) $\mathrm{L} \cdot \mathrm{mol}^{-1} \cdot \mathrm{~s}^{-1}$
27. What is the rate equation for a reaction,
$\mathrm{A}+\mathrm{B} \rightarrow$ products, based on the rate data?

| $[\mathbf{A}]_{\mathbf{0}}, \mathbf{m o l} \cdot \mathbf{L}^{\mathbf{- 1}}$ | $[\mathbf{B}]_{\mathbf{o}}, \mathbf{m o l} \cdot \mathbf{L}^{-\mathbf{1}}$ | Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.15 | 0.10 | x |
| 0.30 | 0.20 | 4 x |
| 0.30 | 0.40 | 16 x |

(A) Rate $=k[\mathrm{~A}]^{2}$
(B) Rate $=k[\mathrm{~B}]^{2}$
(C) Rate $=k[\mathrm{~A}][\mathrm{B}]$
(D) Rate $=k[\mathrm{~A}][\mathrm{B}]^{2}$
28. The effect of temperature on the rates of chemical reactions is primarily a result of the
(A) size of the colliding molecules.
(B) orientation of the colliding molecules.
(C) enthalpies of the reactants and products.
(D) kinetic energies of the colliding molecules.
29. The value of the rate constant for a gas phase reaction can be changed by increasing the
(A) amount of product.
(B) pressure of the reactant.
(C) temperature of the reaction vessel.
(D) volume of the reaction vessel.
30. What is the half life of the irreversible first order reaction, $A \rightarrow B$, if $75 \%$ of $A$ is converted to $B$ in 60 minutes?
(A) 30 minutes
(B) 45 minutes
(C) 60 minutes
(D) 80 minutes
31. What is the $K_{\text {eq }}$ expression for the reaction, $\mathrm{C}(\mathrm{s})+\mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightleftharpoons 2 \mathrm{CO}(\mathrm{g}) ?$
(A) $K_{\text {eq }}=\frac{2[\mathrm{CO}]}{\left[\mathrm{CO}_{2}\right]}$
(B) $K_{\text {eq }}=\frac{2[\mathrm{C}][\mathrm{CO}]}{\left[\mathrm{CO}_{2}\right]}$
(C) $K_{\text {eq }}=\frac{[\mathrm{CO}]^{2}}{\left[\mathrm{CO}_{2}\right]}$
(D) $\quad K_{\mathrm{eq}}=\frac{[\mathrm{C}][\mathrm{CO}]^{2}}{\left[\mathrm{CO}_{2}\right]}$
32. The equilibrium system $\mathrm{N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightleftharpoons 2 \mathrm{NO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$ has $K_{\mathrm{p}}=11$ and $\Delta H^{\circ}=57 \mathrm{~kJ} \cdot \mathrm{~mol}^{-1}$ at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Which action will not cause a change in the position of the equilibrium?
(A) increasing the temperature
(B) adding $\mathrm{NO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$
(C) adding xenon gas to increase the pressure
(D) increasing the container volume
33. Which is not a conjugate acid/base $p$
(A) $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3} \& \mathrm{CO}_{3}{ }^{2-}$
(B) $\mathrm{HSO}_{4}$
(C) $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{PO}_{4}^{-}$\& $\mathrm{HPO}_{4}{ }^{2-}$
(D) $\mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{O}^{+} \& \mathrm{H}^{2}$
34. What is the $\left[\mathrm{OH}^{-}\right]$in an aqueous solution which has $\mathrm{pH}=11.70$ ?
(A) $7.1 \times 10^{-2} \mathrm{M}$
(B) $5.0 \times 10^{-3} \mathrm{M}$
(C) $1.4 \times 10^{-6} \mathrm{M}$
(D) $2.0 \times 10^{-12} \mathrm{M}$
35. Equal volumes of $0.25 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{HNO}_{2}$ and $0.25 \mathrm{M} \mathrm{HNO}_{3}$ are titrated separately with 0.25 M KOH . Which would be the same for both titrations?
(A) initial pH
(B) pH halfway to the equivalence point
(C) pH at the equivalence point
(D) pH when 5 mL excess KOH has been added
36. For which salt is the molar solubility, $s$, equal to $4 \times 10^{-6} \mathrm{M}$ ?
(A) $\mathrm{AgC}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$
$K_{\text {sp }}=2 \times 10^{-3}$
(B) TlBr
$K_{\text {sp }}=4 \times 10^{-6}$
(C) $\mathrm{MnCO}_{3}$
$K_{\text {sp }}=2 \times 10^{-11}$
(D) $\mathrm{Zn}(\mathrm{OH})_{2}$
$K_{\text {sp }}=3 \times 10^{-17}$
37. Which substance can act only as a reducing agent?
(A) $\mathrm{I}_{2}$
(B) BrCl
(C) NaBr
(D) $\mathrm{HIO}_{4}$
38. When the equation
$\mathrm{Sn}^{2+}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{IO}_{3}^{-}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{H}^{+}(\mathrm{aq}) \rightarrow \mathrm{Sn}^{4+}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{I}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{l})$ is balanced, what is the $\mathrm{Sn}^{2+}(\mathrm{aq}) / \mathrm{IO}_{3}^{-}(\mathrm{aq})$ mole ratio?
(A) $1 / 1$
(B) $2 / 1$
(C) $1 / 2$
(D) $5 / 2$
39. Given the standard reduction potentials, which statement is correct?

| $\mathrm{Cu}^{2+}(\mathrm{aq})+2 \mathrm{e}^{-} \rightarrow \mathrm{Cu}(\mathrm{s})$ | $E^{\circ}=0.34 \mathrm{~V}$ |
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| $2 \mathrm{H}^{+}(\mathrm{aq})+2 \mathrm{e}^{-} \rightarrow \mathrm{H}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})$ | $E^{\circ}=0.00 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| $\mathrm{Cr}^{3+}(\mathrm{aq})+3 \mathrm{e}^{-} \rightarrow \mathrm{Cr}(\mathrm{s})$ | $E^{\circ}=-0.73 \mathrm{~V}$ |

(A) $\mathrm{Cr}(\mathrm{s})$ will react with acid.
(B) Cu (s) will react with acid.
(C) $\mathrm{Cu}^{2+}(\mathrm{aq})$ will react with acid.
(D) $\mathrm{Cu}(\mathrm{s})$ will react with $\mathrm{Cr}^{3+}(\mathrm{aq})$.
40. Use the standard reduction potentials given to calculate the standard potential for the reaction;

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(A) 1.73 V
(B) 0.93 V
(C) 0.67 V
(D) 0.54 V
41. For the voltaic cell represented,

$$
\mathrm{Ni}(\mathrm{~s})\left|\mathrm{Ni}^{2+}(\mathrm{aq})\right|\left|\mathrm{Ag}^{+}(\mathrm{aq})\right| \mathrm{Ag}(\mathrm{~s})
$$

which change will increase the cell potential?
(A) increasing the $\left[\mathrm{Ag}^{+}\right]$
(B) increasing the $\left[\mathrm{Ni}^{2+}\right]$
(C) adding $\mathrm{Ni}(\mathrm{s})$
(D) removing $\mathrm{Ag}(\mathrm{s})$
42. The deposition of 1.0 g of which element from its molten chloride requires the shortest time at a current of 1 A ?
(A) Na
(B) Mg
(C) Al
(D) Ba
43. Which properties of electromagnetic radiation are inversely related?
(A) amplitude and frequency
(B) energy and wavelength
(C) energy and frequency
(D) wavelength and amplitude
44. Which electronic transition in a hydrogen atom releases the greatest amount of energy?
(A) $n=3 \rightarrow n=2$
(B) $n=5 \rightarrow n=3$
(C) $n=6 \rightarrow n=5$
(D) $n=3 \rightarrow n=6$
45. Which must represent an atom in an excited state?
(A) $1 \mathrm{~s}^{2} 2 \mathrm{~s}^{2} 2 \mathrm{p}^{1}$
(B) $1 \mathrm{~s}^{2} 2 \mathrm{~s}^{2} 2 \mathrm{p}^{2}$
(C) $1 \mathrm{~s}^{2} 2 \mathrm{~s}^{2} 2 \mathrm{p}^{2} 3 \mathrm{~s}^{1}$
(D) $1 s^{2} 2 s^{2} 2 p^{5}$
46. Which quantum numbers represent the orbitals being filled in the ground state for the elements Sc (21) to Zn (30)?
(A) $n=3,1=1$
(B) $n=3, l=2$
(C) $n=4, l=1$
(D) $n=4, l=2$
47. Which pair consists of species that are isoelectronic?
(A) $\mathrm{Na}^{+}, \mathrm{K}^{+}$
(B) $\mathrm{Cl}, \mathrm{Cl}^{-}$
(C) $\mathrm{Fe}^{2+}, \mathrm{Mn}^{2+}$
(D) $\mathrm{Ar}, \mathrm{Ca}^{2+}$
48. In which series are the species listed increasing size?
(A) $\mathrm{N}, \mathrm{O}, \mathrm{F}$
(B) $\mathrm{Na}, \mathrm{Mg}$,
(C) $\mathrm{Cr}, \mathrm{Cr}^{2+}, \mathrm{Cr}^{3+}$
(D) $\mathrm{Cl}, \mathrm{Cl}^{-}, \mathrm{S}^{2-}$
49. In which molecule does the chlorine have the most positive partial charge?
(A) HCl
(B) BrCl
(C) $\mathrm{OCl}_{2}$
(D) $\mathrm{SCl}_{2}$
50. Which molecule contains the shortest carbon-carbon bonds?
(A) $\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{2}$
(B) $\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{4}$
(C) $\mathrm{C}_{3} \mathrm{H}_{8}$
(D) $\mathrm{C}_{6} \mathrm{H}_{12}$
51. How many valence electrons are in one ion of thiosulfate, $\mathrm{S}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3}{ }^{2-}$ ?
(A) 26
(B) 28
(C) 30
(D) 32
52. Which substance has the highest melting point?
(A) CO
(B) $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$
(C) $\mathrm{SiO}_{2}$
(D) $\mathrm{P}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{5}$
53. Which species has exactly five pairs of electrons around the central atom?
(A) $\mathrm{ClF}_{5}$
(B) $\mathrm{SF}_{4}$
(C) $\mathrm{SF}_{5}^{-}$
(D) $\mathrm{XeF}_{4}$
54. What are the hybridizations of the carbon atoms labeled $\mathrm{C}_{1}$ and $\mathrm{C}_{2}$, respectively, in glycine?


|  | $\mathrm{C}_{1}$ | $\mathrm{C}_{2}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| (A) | $\mathrm{sp}^{2}$ | $\mathrm{sp}^{2}$ |
| (B) | $\mathrm{sp}^{2}$ | $\mathrm{sp}^{3}$ |
| (C) | $\mathrm{sp}^{3}$ | $\mathrm{sp}^{2}$ |
| (D) | $\mathrm{sp}^{3}$ | $\mathrm{Sp}^{3}$ |

55. The formula, $\mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{CCOCH}_{3}$, represents $\mathrm{a}(\mathrm{n})$
(A) aldehyde.
(B) ester.
(C) ether.
(D) ketone.
56. Which suffix is used to designate a carbohydrate?
(A) -ase
(B) -ate
(C) -one
(D) -ose
57. Which compound has the largest molar mass?
(A) hexane
(B) 1-hexene
(C) 1-hexyne
(D) benzene
58. Which functional group is not commonly found in proteins?
(A) alcohol
(B) aldehyde
(C) amide
(D) amine
59. Which hydrogen is the most acidic in the molecule shown?

(A) $\mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{a}}$
(B) $\mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{b}}$
(C) $\mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{c}}$
(D) $\mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{d}}$
60. The gentle oxidation of ethanol, $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CH}_{2} \mathrm{OH}$, produces
(A) ethanal, $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CHO}$.
(B) ethanoic acid, $\mathrm{CH}_{3} \mathrm{CO}_{2} \mathrm{H}$.
(C) carbon monoxide, CO .
(D) carbon dioxide, $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$.

END OF TEST

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KEY

| Number | Answer | Number | Answer |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. | B | 31. | C |
| 2. | D | 32. | C |
| 3. | C | 33. | A |
| 4. | A | 34. | B |
| 5. | B | 35. | D |
| 6. | A | 36. | C |
| 7. | B | 37. | C |
| 8. | C | 38. | D |
| 9. | C | 39. | A |
| 10. | D | 40. | B |
| 11. | B | 41. | A |
| 12. | A | 42. | D |
| 13. | B | 43. | B |
| 14. | D | 44. | A |
| 15. | A | 45. | C |
| 16. | A | 46. | B |
| 17. | D | 47. | D |
| 18. | C | 48. | D |
| 19. | C | 49. | C |
| 20. | B | 50. | A |
| 21. | D | 51. | D |
| 22. | D | 52. | C |
| 23. | C | 53. | B |
| 24. | A | 54. | C |
| 25. | C | 55. | D |
| 26. | A | 56. | D |
| 27. | B | 57. | A |
| 28. | D | 58. | B |
| 29. | C | 59. | D |
| 30. | A | 60. | A |

