

 Last Answer Key

 First Exam I - Fall 2010

Question 1 How many **significant figures** are there in each of the following numbers?

6 Points

- a. 57.4 **3** c. 13.40×10^3 **4**
 b. 0.065 **2**

Question 2 a. When **36.456** is added to **74.2**, the result should be reported to how many decimal places?

4 Points

- 1**
 b. The number **26.71560...** rounded to **4** significant figures is: **26.72**

Question 3 The density of whole blood at **37°F** is **1.06 g.cm⁻³**. What is the mass, in grams of a **15.0 cm³** sample of blood? **Show work.**

4 Points

$$\frac{15.0 \text{ cm}^3}{1 \text{ cm}^3} \times \frac{1.06 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ cm}^3} = 15.9 \text{ g}$$

15.9 g

Question 4 Give the correct **formula** for the following **polyatomic ions**:

8 Points

- a. **Nitrite** **NO₂⁻**
 b. **Nitride** **N³⁻**
 c. **Carbonate** **CO₃²⁻**
 d. **Permanganate** **MnO₄⁻**

Question 5 Which of the following applies to the **proton**?

4 Points

- mass $\sim 9.109 \times 10^{-28} \text{ g}$ charge = -1
 charge = 0 **charge = +1**
 mass $\sim 1.673 \times 10^{-24} \text{ g}$

Question 6 How many **protons**, **neutrons** and **electrons** are there in **⁴⁰Ca²⁺**?

6 Points

20 Protons **20 Neutrons** **18 Electrons**

Question 7 The following questions pertain to the periodic table given at the front of this exam:

8 Points

- a. The **symbol** for the **noble gas** in **period 3**? **Ar**
 b. The **symbol** for the **group IB, period 4** element? **Cu**
 c. The **symbol** for the **heaviest alkali earth metal** is? **Ra**
 d. The **d block elements** are also known as: **Transition Metals**

Question 8
8 Points

1. Name the compound with the formula Na_2CrO_4 ? **Sodium chromate**
2. Name the compound with the formula Fe_2CO_3 ? **Iron(I) carbonate**
3. What is the formula for magnesium phosphide? **Mg_3P_2**
4. What is the formula for iron(II) nitrate? **$\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_2$**

Question 9
5 Points

A certain element consists of two stable isotopes:

	Exact Mass (amu)	Abundance (%)
#1	120.9038	57.25
#2	122.9041	42.75

What is the atomic weight of this element? **Give answer to 5 significant figures.**
Show Work

$$120.9038(0.5725) + 122.9041(0.4275) = 121.7589$$

121.76 amu

Question 10
5 Points

How many moles of N_2O_4 molecules are present in a sample that contains 5.52 moles of **nitrogen atoms**?

Show Work

$$\frac{5.52 \text{ mol N}}{2 \text{ N}} \times \frac{1 \text{ N}_2\text{O}_4}{1 \text{ N}_2\text{O}_4} = 2.76 \text{ mol N}_2\text{O}_4$$

2.76 moles

Question 11
6 Points

How many moles of dinitrogen tetrafluoride, N_2F_4 , are present in 2.61 grams of this compound?

Show Work

$$2(14.01) + 4(19.00) = 104.02 \text{ g}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$$

$$\frac{2.61 \text{ g}}{104.02 \text{ g}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 0.0251 \text{ mol}$$

0.0251 moles

Question 12
6 Points

Balance the following chemical equations using the **smallest possible integer coefficients**.



b. For the **complete oxidation** reaction that occurs when **ethanol** ($\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$) burns in air.

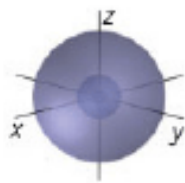


c. When **phosphorus** (P_4) reacts with **chlorine**, **phosphorus trichloride** is formed.

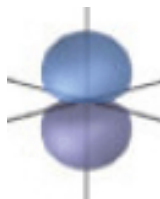


Question 13 Label the following orbital drawings as s, p, d or f.

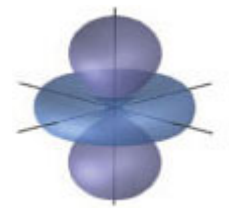
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s



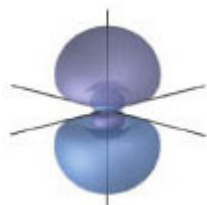
p



d

Question 14

3 Points



The orbital depicted on the left is not:

2p

1s

3d

(Circle those that apply)

3p

Question 15

3 Points

How many **types** of orbitals are there in the shell with $n = 4$ in an atom? 4

Question 16

10 Points

1. Write the **complete** electronic configuration for **chlorine**? $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^5$

2. Write the **noble gas** configuration for **nickel**, (Ni)? $[\text{Ar}]4s^2 3d^8$

3. The **element** with an **electron configuration** of $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^6 4s^1 3d^5$ **Cr**

4. **Po**, $[\text{Xe}]6s^2 5d^{10} 4f^{14} 6p^4$, has how many **valence electrons**? 6

5. The **element** in **period 3** that has the **Lewis diagram**, $\cdot \text{X} \cdot$ **Si**

Question 17

4 Points

Using only the periodic table **arrange** the following elements in order of **increasing atomic radius**: **Ga, N, Si, F**

F

Smallest

N

Si

Ga

Largest

Question 18

4 Points

Using only the periodic table **arrange** the following elements in order of **decreasing ionization energy**: **S, Ca, Al, Mg**

S

Highest

Al

Mg

Ca

Lowest

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