- When you have selected your answer to each question, blacken the corresponding space on the answer sheet using a soft, #2 pencil. Make a heavy, full mark, but no stray marks. If you decide to change an answer, erase the unwanted mark very carefully.
- There is only one correct answer to each question. Any questions for which more than one response has been blackened will not be counted.
- Your score is based solely on the number of questions you answer correctly. It is to your advantage to answer every question.

What is the mole fraction of acetic acid (CH₃COOH, M =(a) 0.00195 (b) (A) 0.00195 (c) (A) 0.00195 (d) (A) 0.00195 (e) (A) 0.00195 (f) (A) 0.00195 (g) (A) 0.00195 (h) (A) 0.00195 (g) (A) 0.00195 (h) (A) 0.00195 (h) (A) 0.00195 (h) (A) 0.00195 (h) (A) 1.00195 (h) (A) 1.00195 (h) (A) 2.00195 (h) (A) 1.00195 (h) (A) 2.00195 (h) (A) 3.00195 (h) (A) 4.00195 60.05) in an aqueous solution that is 11.7% by mass

6. 10.0 mL of 0.50 M potassium sulfate and 10.0 mL of 0.50 M silver nitrate solutions are mixed and the mixture is allowed to attain equilibrium. Which ordering of the

concentrations of the ions in solution is correct?

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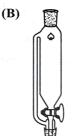
Hydrogen peroxide (M = 34.02) decomposes to give water and oxygen gas. How much 3.00% by mass aqueous H₂O₂ must decompose to afford 4.00 L of dry O₂ (C) $[K^{+}] > [NO_{3}^{-}] > [Ag^{+}] > [SO_{4}^{2}]$ 2/4, 9 + SOU **(D)** $[K^+] > [NO_3^-] > [SO_4^{2-}] > [Ag^+]$

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at STP? (A) 6.08 g (B) 101 g (C) 203 g (D) 405 g

7. A neutral organic compound is to be separated from a basid impurity by washing a solution of the compound in hexane with 5% aqueous HCl. Which apparatus is best suited to this operation?

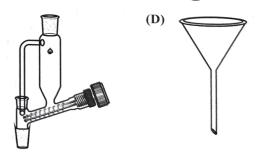
A diamagnetic compound that contains only carbon, hydrogen, nitrogen, and oxygen is 19.99% C, 3.35% H, and 23.31% N by mass. Which is its molecular formula?



(A) CH_2N_2O (B) CH_2NO_2 (C) C_2H_3NO (C) $C_2H_4N_2O_4$ (C) $C_2H_4N_2O_4$ What is the chloride ion concentration in a solution (CHN 2)

prepared by mixing 35.0 mL of 0.35 M sodium chloride and 65.0 mL of 0.65 M calcium chloride?

N = 0.0617.0 g Ba(NO₃)₂ (M = 261.32) is mixed with 11.5 g of an alkali metal sulfate and the precipitated BaSO₄ (M =233.37) is collected by filtration, placed in a tared crucible, and the crucible heated to drive off water. The mass of BaSO₄ obtained is 15.4 d. Which conclusion is best supported by the data? M=233 n=0.0661 700651



(A) The sulfate salt used was Na_2SO_4 (M = 142.05)

(B) The sulfate salt used was K_2SO_4 (M = 174.27)

The BaSO₄ was not heated long enough to drive off

Which substance may be treated with bleach (sodium hypochlorite) to render it less hazardous?

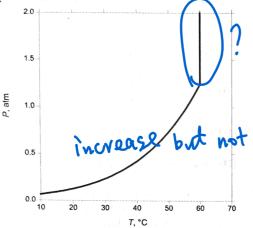
(A) Sodium cyanide

Some of the BaSO₄ was spilled before it was transferred to the crucible.

(C) Hydrochloric acid

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G.	Which indicator would be most suitable for a titration to determine the concentration of ammonia in a window cleaning solution using aqueous HCl? (A) Eriochrome Black T (B) Ferroin	13. A sample of pentane (bp = 36 °C) is in a rigid closed container at 50 °C and 1 atm. Which best describes what happens when the container is heated? (A) Liquid pentane vaporizes. (B) The intermolecular forces between pentane
10. D	A test tube contains 4 mL of a solution that is 0.1 M in one or more of the following salts: AgNO ₃ , Mn(NO ₃) ₂ , and Al(NO ₃) ₃ . 1 mL of 6 M HCl is added to the test tube, which causes neither a color change nor formation of a precipitate. After subsequent addition of 1.5 mL aqueous NaOH and 0.5 mL of 3% aqueous H ₂ O ₂ and brief heating in a hot water bath, there is a dark precipitate in the test tube. What may be determined about the cations initially present? Must be May be Must be	The intermolecular forces between pentane molecules become stronger. The average kinetic energy of the pentane molecules increases. The density of the sample decreases. The density of the sample decreases. OH OH OH OH OH OH
Y	present present absent $M_{1} \circ (SH)$ $M_{2} \circ (SH)$ $M_{3} \circ (SH)$ $M_{1} \circ (SH)$ $M_{2} \circ (SH)$ $M_{3} \circ (SH)$ $M_{2} \circ (SH)$ $M_{3} \circ (SH)$ $M_{4} \circ (SH)$ $M_{5} \circ (SH$	OH 15. A mole of which gas has the smallest volume at 0 °C and 1 atm pressure? (A) He (B) CO ₂ (C) SO ₂ (D) Xe
成了其本語	Ethane, C ₂ H ₆ , and diborane, B ₂ H ₆ , do not adopt analogous molecular structures. Which experimental technique would be least useful in establishing this fact? (A) Infrared spectroscopy (B) Mass spectrometry (C) Nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy (D) X-ray crystallography The concentration of a solution of potassium permanganate is determined by titrating it into an Erlenmeyer flask with solid ferrous ammonium sulfate hexahydrate (Fe(NH ₄) ₂ (SO ₄) ₂ • 6 H ₂ O) dissolved in dilute sulfuric acid. Which error would result in a measured concentration of KMnO ₄ that is lower than the actual concentration? The titration was begun before the ferrous ammonium sulfate had fully dissolved in the sulfuric acid.	16. Two compounds, A and B, are both solids at 20 °C. In separate experiments, one mole of each is heated and its temperature measured as a function of the amount of heat added. Which statement about the compounds is correct? 80.0 Compound A Compound B 20.0 Compound B 10.0 Compound B
	The sides of the Erlenmeyer flask were periodically rinsed down with deionized water during the titration. Some of the Fe(II) ions in the solid ferrous ammonium sulfate had been oxidized to Fe(III) on storage. The buret was rinsed with distilled water and then filled with KMnO ₄ solution while still wet.	Heat added, J The molar heat capacity of solid A is greater than that of solid B. The molar heat capacity of liquid A is greater than that of liquid B. The melting point of A is less than that of B. The heat of fusion of A is less than that of B.
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A sample of a pure substance is placed in a sealed, rigid container and the pressure is measured as a function of temperature. Which is the best explanation for the result shown?



At lower temperatures, the substance is a mixture of solid and vapor, while at 60 °C the solid melts to give a mixture of liquid and vapor.

At lower temperatures, the substance is a mixture of liquid and vapor, while at 60 °C only liquid is present.

At lower temperatures, the substance is a mixture of liquid and vapor, while at 60 °C only a supercritical fluid is present.

At lower temperatures, the substance consists of vapor only, while at 60 °C only a supercritical fluid is present.

8. Cesium chloride (M = 168.4) crystallizes in a primitive cubic unit cell with each cesium ion surrounded by eight chloride ions arranged in a cube. The density of solid 7 CsCl is 3.988 g cm⁻³. What is the Cs-Cl distance?

(A) 206.2 pm

(B) 291.6 pm

357.1 pm

(D) 412.4 pm

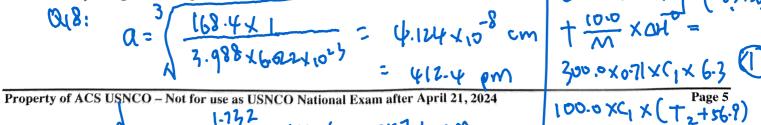
Steam turbines convert heat energy into mechanical work. Which statement best describes the efficiency of this process?

(X) 100%, because energy is conserved

Less than 100%, because the steam decreases in temperature

Greater than 100%, because the turbine increases in kinetic energy

Can be greater than, less than, or equal to 100% depending on the design of the turbine



At what temperatures is the decomposition of tungstic acid, $H_2WO_4(s)$, to tungsten trioxide and water vapor spontaneous under standard conditions?

$$H_2WO_4(s) \rightarrow WO_3(s) + H_2O(g)$$

Compound	ΔH°_{f} , kJ mol ⁻¹	S°, J mol ⁻¹ K ⁻¹
$H_2WO_4(s)$	-1130	140
$WO_3(s)$	-840	80
$H_2O(g)$	-240	190

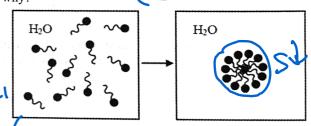
(B) T < 385 K (C) T < 385 K

(C) The reaction is spontaneous at all temperatures.

(D) The reaction is not spontaneous at any temperature.

In a well-insulated container, 10.0 g solid octane at its freezing point (-56.9 °C) is added to 300.0 mL liquid octane at $0.0 \,^{\circ}$ C (density = $0.71 \,^{\circ}$ g mL⁻¹). After equilibrium is achieved, the temperature is -6.3° When the experiment is repeated under the same conditions except with 100.0 g solid octane, what is the final temperature?

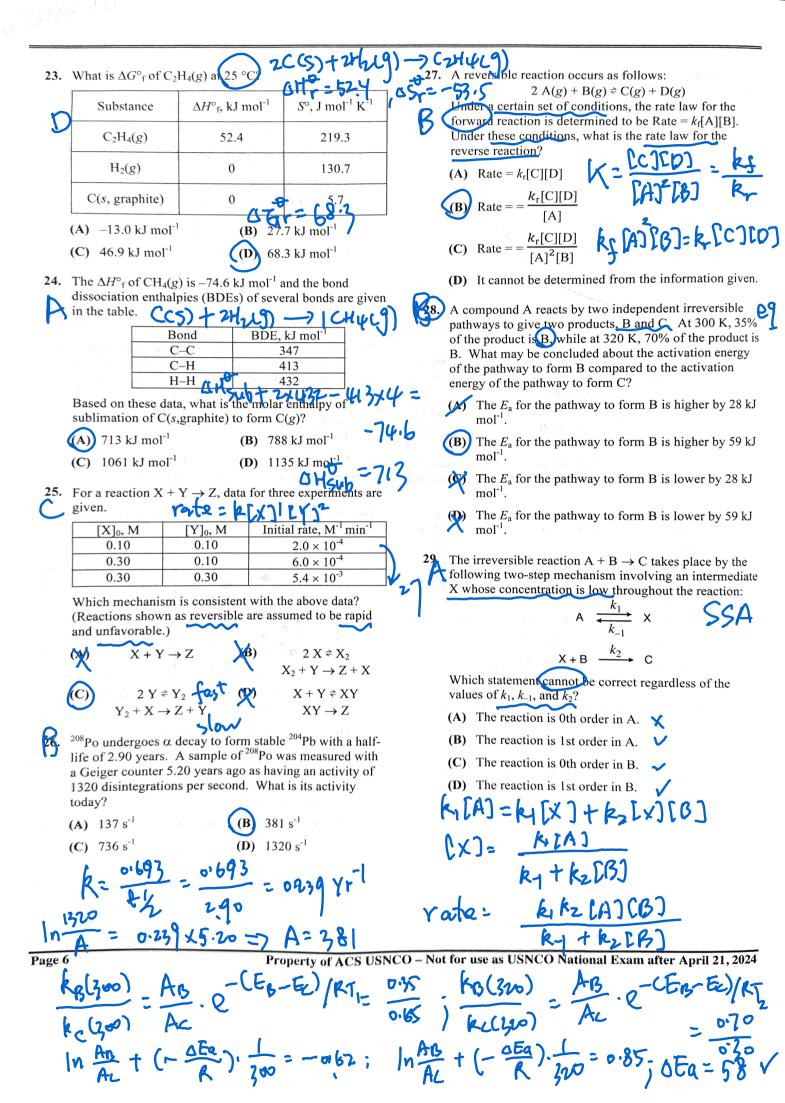
Amphiphilic species like CH₃(CH₂)₁₀COO can aggregate into micelles in water, as depicted schematically below. ΔS for micelle formation is positive. Which best explains why?

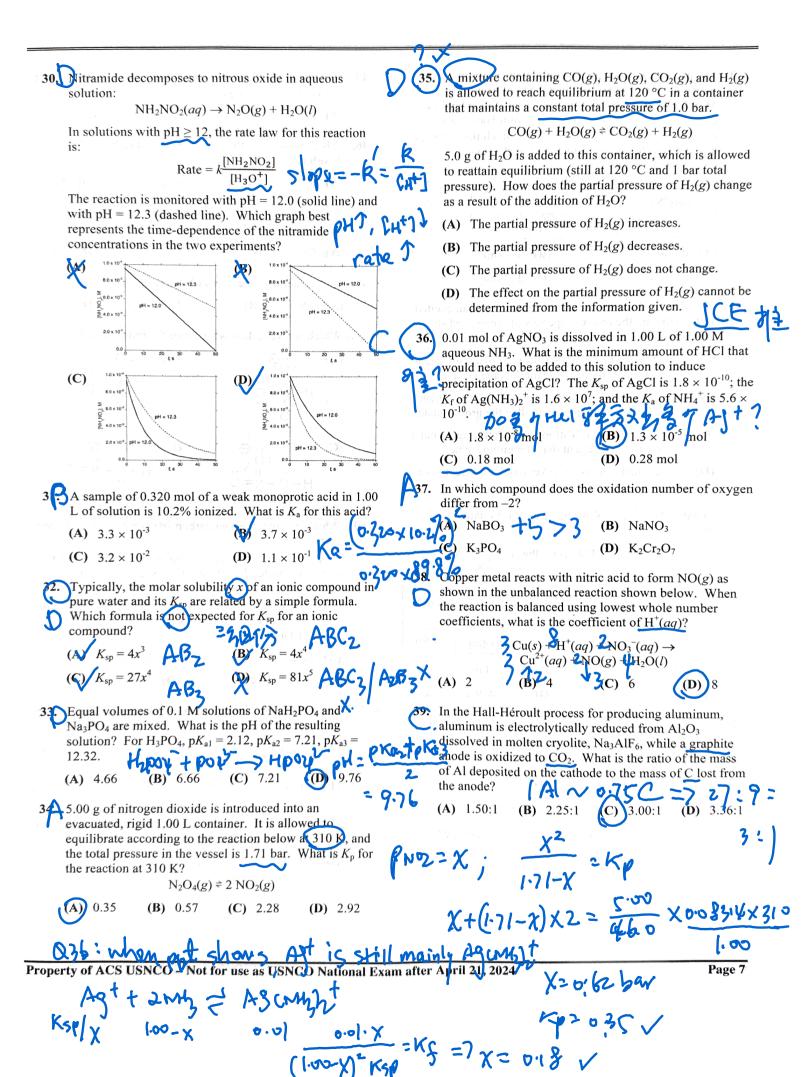


Amphiphilic compounds are solvated by an ordered layer of water molecules.

- (B) Micelle formation involves converting many independent amphiphilic compounds into a single large micelle.
- (C) Water molecules are trapped in the hydrophobic interior of micelles.
- (D) Water molecules form ordered structures around the exterior of micelles.

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40. The cathode of an electrolytic cell with a copper electrode initially has 100.0 mL of a solution that is 1.00 M in both $\text{Cu}^{2+}(aq)$ and $\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6^{3-}(aq)$. The solution is electrolyzed with a constant current of 0.500 A at a	How many electron in a ground-state gas-phase atom of arsenic (As) have a quantum number $m_l = 1$? (A) 5 (B) 7 2 (C) 15 (D) 18			
constant temperature of 298 K. How much time elapses before Cu(s) begins to deposit on the electrode?	46. Which orbital has the same number of radial nodes as a 3s orbital?			
Half-reaction E° , V $Fe(CN)_{6}^{3}(aq) + e^{-} \rightarrow Fe(CN)_{6}^{4}(aq) \qquad 0.370 \qquad \qquad$	(A) 3p (B) 4s (C) 4f (D) 5d Which anthanide has a common oxidation number different from +3?			
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state. How do the redox properties of the excited state compare to those of the ground state?	49. Which is a valid Lewis structure for nitric acid, HNO ₃ ?			
(A) The excited state is both a stronger oxidizing agent and a stronger reducing agent than the ground state. The excited state is both a weaker oxidizing agent and a weaker reducing agent than the ground state.	(A)⊖ : O: H-N=O +N=O : O: : O:			
The excited state is a stronger oxidizing agent but a weaker reducing agent than the ground state. (D) The excited state is a weaker oxidizing agent but a stronger reducing agent than the ground state.	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$			
What is ΔG° at 298 K for the disproportionation of PbO(s)? $2 \text{ PbO}(s) \rightarrow \text{PbO}_{2}(s) + \text{Pb}(s) \qquad \Delta G^{\circ} = ???$	Which statements about carbon-oxygen bond lengths are correct? The carbon-oxygen bond in carbon dioxide, CO ₁ , is charter than the selection of the correct of the carbon dioxide, CO ₂ , is charter than the carbon dioxide, CO ₂ , and the carbon dioxide, CO ₃ , is charter than the carbon dioxide, CO ₃ , and the carbon dioxide, CO ₃ , are carbon dioxide, CO ₃ , and the c			
Half-reaction E° , V PbO ₂ (s) + 4 H ⁺ (aq) + 4e ⁻ \rightarrow Pb(s) + 2 H ₂ O(l) 0.671	is shorter than the carbon-oxygen bond in carbonyl sulfide, COS. II The carbon-oxygen bond in phospene, COCl ₂ , is shorter than the carbon-oxygen bond in urea, CO(NH ₂) ₂ .			
PbO(s) + H ₂ O(l) + 2e ⁻ \rightarrow Pb(s) + 2 OH ⁻ (aq) -0.580 (A) 163 kJ mol ⁻¹ (B) 241 kJ mol ⁻¹ (C) 403 kJ mol ⁻¹ (D) 483 kJ mol ⁻¹	(A) I only (C) Both I and II (D) Neither I nor II			
For which gas-phase atoms is addition of an electron endothermic? Li N -7 kg/wel	of BF ₃ and BCl ₃ ? BF ₃ is a weaker Lewis acid than BCl ₃ because F is more electronegative than Cl.			
(A) I only 59. (B) II only (C) Both I and II (D) Neither I nor II	(B) BF ₃ is a weaker Lewis acid than BCl ₃ because F is a better π donor than Cl.			
Which atom has the lowest first ionization energy?	(C) BF ₃ is a stronger Lewis acid than BCl ₃ because F is more electronegative than Cl.			
(A) Be (B) B (C) Mg (D) Al	(D) BF ₃ is a stronger Lewis acid than BCl ₃ because F is a better π donor than Cl.			
Smeller M9 Al . TA	exception 0= c= 5 0= c= 5 115.78 pm			
Page 8 Property of ACS USNCO – Not for use as USNCO National Exam after April 21, 2024 $042: 042 - 0 = 2960 + 440 = 960 + 96 + 440 + 400 = 3$				
	+ 4×9 L500 × 0.671 = 637 KJ/m) n (10-14) 4= 3187 (64)			
DGrm = 637 - (=8.314) ×298 ×1	n (15-14) 4= 318? 164			

Which comparisons of bond angles are correct? Which product would be obtained in the greatest quantity from bromination of 4-nitrotoluene using an aluminum The bond angle in NH₃ is greater than the bond bromide catalyst? angle in NF₃. CH_3 The bond angle in NH₃ is greater than the bond angle in PH₃. Br₂ (A) I only (B) II only cat. AIBr₃ (C) Both I and II (D) Neither I nor II NO2 The gas-phase molecules E₂ and O₂ are both paramagnetic. Which statement about the relative CH₃ **(B)** energies of their molecular orbitals explains these observations? Br I. The σ_{2p} MO is higher in energy than the π MO's. B2√ ; 02× The σ_{2p}^* MO is higher in energy than the π_{2p}^* NO_2 NO₂ CH₃ **(D) (C)** CH_3 **(B)** I for O_2 , II for B_2 I for B_2 , II for O_2 for both B₂ and O₂ (D) II for both B₂ and O₂ How many stereoisomers are there of the octahedral coordination complex Co(NH2CH2CO2)3? NO_2 (A) 1 **(D)** 4 Which compound is least eactive toward How many tertiary alcohols have the formula $C_5H_{12}O$? ethylmagnesium bromide, CH₃CH₂MgBr? **(B)** 2 **(A)** 1 (B) (A) Which difluorocyclohexanes are optically active? **(D)** (A) I only (B) II only wich. (D) Neither I nor II (C) Both I and II Which best describes the outcome of extracting a dilute Which statements describe significant differences solution of benzoic acid in diethyl ether with 5% aqueous between RNA and DNA? VaHCO3? The bases used in RNA include three purines and ore pyrimidine, while those in DNA include two (A) Benzoic acid is present in the bottom layer. purines and two pyrimidines. Benzoate ion is present in the bottom layer. Hydrolysis of RNA frequently involves cyc phosphate intermediates, while hydrolysis o Benzoic acid is present in the top layer. DNA never does. Benzoate ion is present in the top layer. (A) I only (B) II only (C) Both I and II (D) Neither I nor II **END OF TEST** Property of ACS USNCO - Not for use as USNCO National Exam after April 21, 2024