

BALANCING REDOX REACTIONS

61. Balance each redox reaction using the half-reaction method.

- (a) $\text{K}(s) + \text{Cr}^{3+}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Cr}(s) + \text{K}^{+}(aq)$
- (b) $\text{Mg}(s) + \text{Ag}^{+}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+}(aq) + \text{Ag}(s)$
- (c) $\text{Al}(s) + \text{Fe}^{2+}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Al}^{3+}(aq) + \text{Fe}(s)$

63. Classify each half-reaction occurring in acidic aqueous solution as an oxidation or a reduction and balance the half-reaction.

- (a) $\text{MnO}_4^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Mn}^{2+}(aq)$
- (b) $\text{Pb}^{2+}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{PbO}_2(s)$
- (c) $\text{IO}_3^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{I}_2(s)$
- (d) $\text{SO}_2(g) \longrightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-}(aq)$

65. Use the half-reaction method to balance each redox reaction occurring in acidic aqueous solution.

- (a) $\text{PbO}_2(s) + \text{I}^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Pb}^{2+}(aq) + \text{I}_2(s)$
- (b) $\text{SO}_3^{2-}(aq) + \text{MnO}_4^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-}(aq) + \text{Mn}^{2+}(aq)$
- (c) $\text{S}_2\text{O}_3^{2-}(aq) + \text{Cl}_2(g) \longrightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-}(aq) + \text{Cl}^{-}(aq)$

67. Use the half-reaction method to balance each redox reaction occurring in acidic aqueous solution.

- (a) $\text{ClO}_4^{-}(aq) + \text{Cl}^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{ClO}_3^{-}(aq) + \text{Cl}_2(g)$
- (b) $\text{MnO}_4^{-}(aq) + \text{Al}(s) \longrightarrow \text{Mn}^{2+}(aq) + \text{Al}^{3+}(aq)$
- (c) $\text{Br}_2(aq) + \text{Sn}(s) \longrightarrow \text{Sn}^{2+}(aq) + \text{Br}^{-}(aq)$

69. Balance each redox reaction occurring in basic solution.

- (a) $\text{ClO}^{-}(aq) + \text{Cr}(\text{OH})_4^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{CrO}_4^{2-}(aq) + \text{Cl}^{-}(aq)$
- (b) $\text{MnO}_4^{-}(aq) + \text{Br}^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{MnO}_2(s) + \text{BrO}_3^{-}(aq)$

62. Balance each redox reaction using the half-reaction method.

- (a) $\text{Zn}(s) + \text{Sn}^{2+}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+}(aq) + \text{Sn}(s)$
- (b) $\text{Mg}(s) + \text{Cr}^{3+}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Mg}^{2+}(aq) + \text{Cr}(s)$
- (c) $\text{Al}(s) + \text{Ag}^{+}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Al}^{3+}(aq) + \text{Ag}(s)$

64. Classify each half-reaction occurring in acidic aqueous solution as an oxidation or a reduction and balance the half-reaction.

- (a) $\text{S}(s) \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{S}(g)$
- (b) $\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-}(aq) \longrightarrow 2 \text{SO}_4^{2-}(aq)$
- (c) $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Cr}^{3+}(aq)$
- (d) $\text{NO}(g) \longrightarrow \text{NO}_3^{-}(aq)$

66. Use the half-reaction method to balance each redox reaction occurring in acidic aqueous solution.

- (a) $\text{I}^{-}(aq) + \text{NO}_2^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{I}_2(s) + \text{NO}(g)$
- (b) $\text{BrO}_3^{-}(aq) + \text{N}_2\text{H}_4(g) \longrightarrow \text{Br}^{-}(aq) + \text{N}_2(g)$
- (c) $\text{NO}_3^{-}(aq) + \text{Sn}^{2+}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Sn}^{4+}(aq) + \text{NO}(g)$

68. Use the half-reaction method to balance each redox reaction occurring in acidic aqueous solution.

- (a) $\text{IO}_3^{-}(aq) + \text{SO}_2(g) \longrightarrow \text{I}_2(s) + \text{SO}_4^{2-}(aq)$
- (b) $\text{Sn}^{4+}(aq) + \text{H}_2(g) \longrightarrow \text{Sn}^{2+}(aq) + \text{H}^{+}(aq)$
- (c) $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}(aq) + \text{Br}^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{Cr}^{3+}(aq) + \text{Br}_2(aq)$

70. Balance each redox reaction occurring in basic solution.

- (a) $\text{NO}_2^{-}(aq) + \text{Al}(s) \longrightarrow \text{NH}_3(g) + \text{AlO}_2^{-}(aq)$
- (b) $\text{Al}(s) + \text{MnO}_4^{-}(aq) \longrightarrow \text{MnO}_2(s) + \text{Al}(\text{OH})_4^{-}(aq)$