

# Oxidation Reduction Reactions

(red-ox rxns)

## objectives:

(#4-3) How do chemicals undergo an oxidation reduction reaction?

(#4-3a) I can identify if a reaction is oxidation/reduction

(#4- 3b) I can identify which species in a reaction is being oxidized or reduced.

(#4- 3c) I can balance a "simple" redox reaction. Simple: Non- oxygen based.

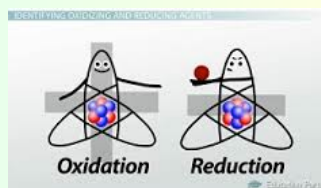
(#4-3d) I can determine the voltage of a redox reaction.

(#4-3e) I can determine the spontaneity based upon a chemical voltage.

also

I can write half reactions and model the reaction.

# Oxidation **Red**uction Reactions



(a.k.a. **RedOx** rxns)

Atoms/ions gain and lose charge in reaction

- $e^-$  are transferred from one species to another
- must occur simultaneously

First, must determine the oxidation state(charges)

**oxidation state:** the apparent charge on an atom

## Oxidation State Rules

- 0 is always  $O^{2-}$  when bonded to other atom (except F)
- H is always  $H^+$  when bonded to other atom (usually)
- elements by self have 0 charge if  $\begin{cases} \rightarrow \text{not bonded} \\ \rightarrow \text{diatomic (super 7)} \end{cases}$
- use ion sheet or periodic table

## Practice: write oxidation state

Cu

$O_2$

$AgNO_3$

$NO_2$

Al

Fe

$Cl_2$

$FeCl_2$

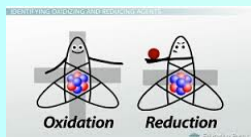
HF

try these:

$SO_4^{2-}$

$NaHCO_3$

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**L**ose  
**E**lectrons  
**O**xidation

**G**ain  
**E**lectrons  
**R**eduction



*to help you  
remember*

Check for REDOX: write charges (oxidation state) above each to see what happens to the charge.

Label Reduction and Oxidation.

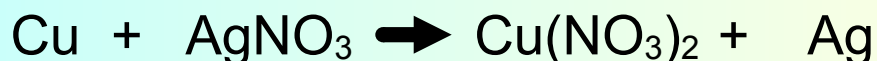


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**Types: Determine oxidation and reduction**

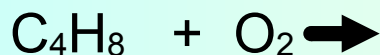
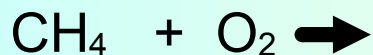
**Metal Replaces Metal ion**



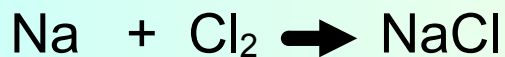
**Non-Metal Replaces NonMetal ion**



**Combustion**



**Synthesis (often redox)**

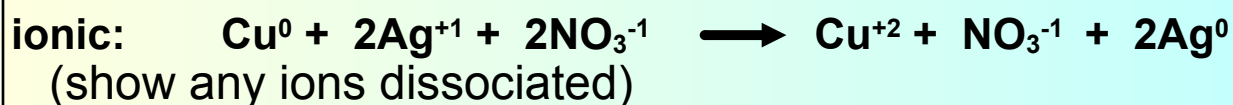


**Decomposition (often redox)**



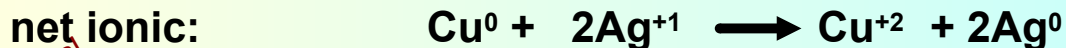
### 3 equations to depict reaction:

molecular, ionic and net ionic



spectator ion: ion that does not change on either side  
and is not part of the reaction

(remove spectator ions -- cross off  $\text{NO}_3^{-1}$  -- same on both sides)



actual  
chemical  
reaction

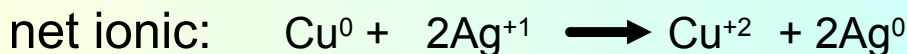
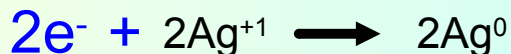
### balancing 1/2 reactions

separate the species, add  $e^-$  to balance

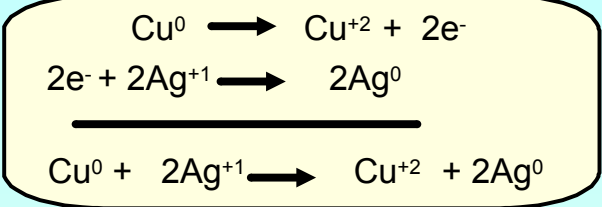
lose  $e^-$  -- Ox.



gain  $e^-$  -- Red.



Does this reaction happen?  
look at potential to lose or gain e<sup>-</sup>

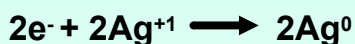


reduction potential chart: ability to gain e<sup>-</sup> in E<sup>0</sup>(Volts)

GER  
(based off H<sub>2</sub> at 0 V)

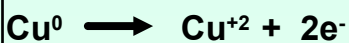
Standard Reduction Potentials in Aqueous Solution at 25°C		E <sup>0</sup> (V)
Half-reaction		
F <sub>2</sub> (g) + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ 2F <sup>-</sup>	2.87
Co <sup>3+</sup> + e <sup>-</sup>	→ Co <sup>2+</sup>	1.82
Au <sup>3+</sup> + 3e <sup>-</sup>	→ Au(s)	1.50
Cl <sub>2</sub> (g) + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ 2Cl <sup>-</sup>	1.36
O <sub>2</sub> (g) + 4H <sup>+</sup> + 4e <sup>-</sup>	→ 2H <sub>2</sub> O(l)	1.23
Br <sub>2</sub> (l) + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ 2Br <sup>-</sup>	1.07
2Hg <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Hg <sub>2</sub> <sup>2+</sup>	0.92
Hg <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Hg(l)	0.85
Ag <sup>+</sup> + e <sup>-</sup>	→ Ag(s)	0.80
Hg <sub>2</sub> <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ 2Hg(l)	0.79
Fe <sup>3+</sup> + e <sup>-</sup>	→ Fe <sup>2+</sup>	0.77
I <sub>2</sub> (s) + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ 2I <sup>-</sup>	0.53
Cu <sup>+</sup> + e <sup>-</sup>	→ Cu(s)	0.52
Cu <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Cu(s)	0.34
Cu <sup>+</sup> + e <sup>-</sup>	→ Cu <sup>+</sup>	0.15
Sn <sup>4+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Sn <sup>2+</sup>	0.15
S(s) + 2H <sup>+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ H <sub>2</sub> S(g)	0.14
2H <sup>+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ H <sub>2</sub> (g)	0.00
Pb <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Pb(s)	-0.13
Sn <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Sn(s)	-0.14
Ni <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Ni(s)	-0.25
Co <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Co(s)	-0.28
Cd <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Cd(s)	-0.40
Cr <sup>3+</sup> + e <sup>-</sup>	→ Cr <sup>2+</sup>	-0.41
Fe <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Fe(s)	-0.44
Cr <sup>3+</sup> + 3e <sup>-</sup>	→ Cr(s)	-0.74
Zn <sup>2+</sup> + 2e <sup>-</sup>	→ Zn(s)	-0.76
H <sub>2</sub> (g) + 2OH <sup>-</sup>	→ 2OH <sup>-</sup>	-0.83
Mn(s)		-1.18
Al(s)		-1.66
Be(s)		-1.70
Mg(s)		-2.37
Na(s)		-2.71
Ca(s)		-2.87
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Ba(s)		-2.90
Rb(s)		-2.92
K(s)		-2.92
Cs(s)		-2.92
Li(s)		-3.05

compare rxn to find E<sup>0</sup>



same rxn: use E<sup>0</sup>  
2x's e<sup>-</sup>, but **do not** 2x's E<sup>0</sup>

**+0.80 V**



reverse rxn:  
use E<sup>0</sup> with opposite sign

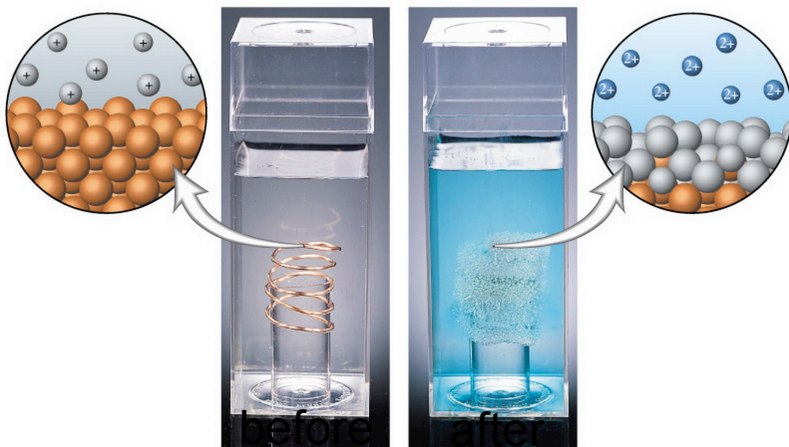
**-0.34 V**

**+0.46 V**

spontaneous

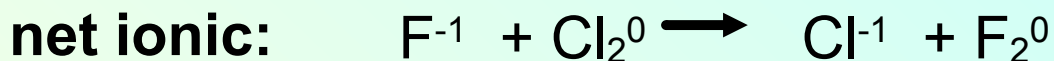
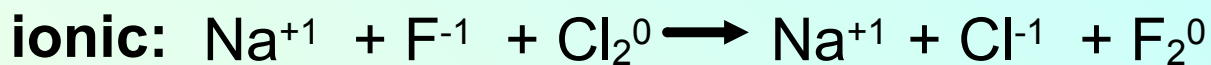
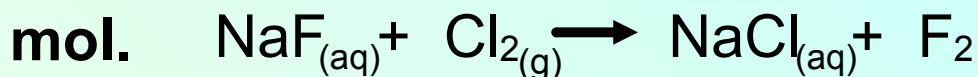
**+ V = rxn will occur**

**- V = rxn will not occur**

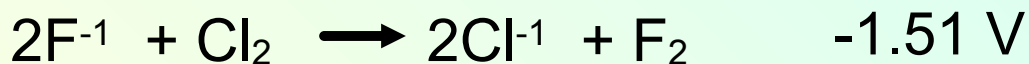
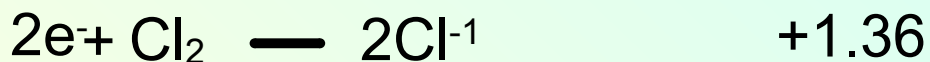
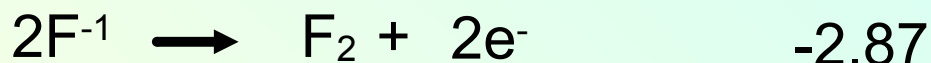


Determine if Red-Ox, write ionic and net ionic eq.

remember to balance these



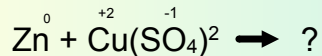
**half reactions** and  $E^0$  (reduction potential) GER



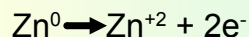
$E^0$  (-) is non-spontaneous

does not occur without electric current

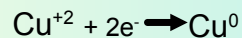
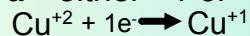
Predict products:



**Zn** usually  
becomes  $\text{Zn}^{+2}$



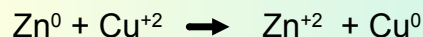
**Cu** --either +1 or +2



**SO<sub>4</sub><sup>-1</sup>**  
spectator ion

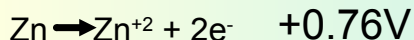
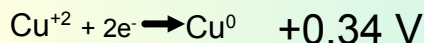
general rule:

metals exchange with metals  
non-metals exchange with non-metals



Does this happen?

Check reduction potential chart



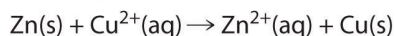
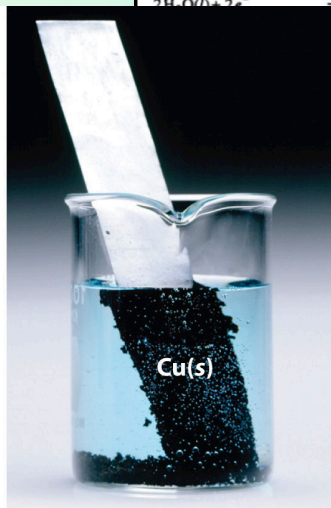
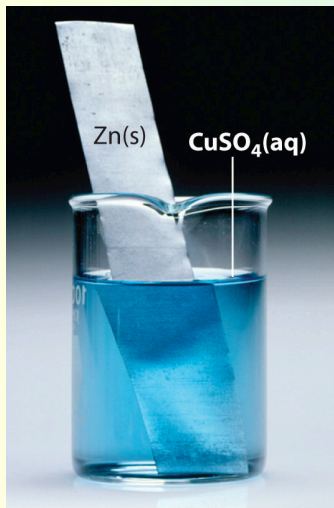
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$$+1.00 \text{ V}$$

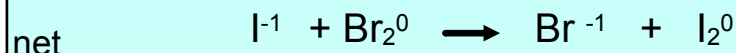
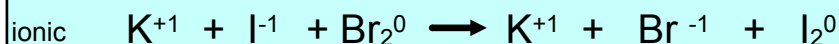
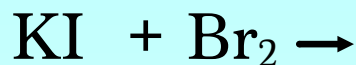
V is (+) so  
spontaneous rxn

Standard Reduction Potentials  
in Aqueous Solution at 25°C

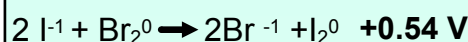
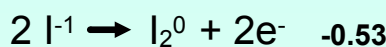
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$\text{S}(\text{s}) + 2\text{H}^+ + 2e^- \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{S}(\text{g})$	0.14
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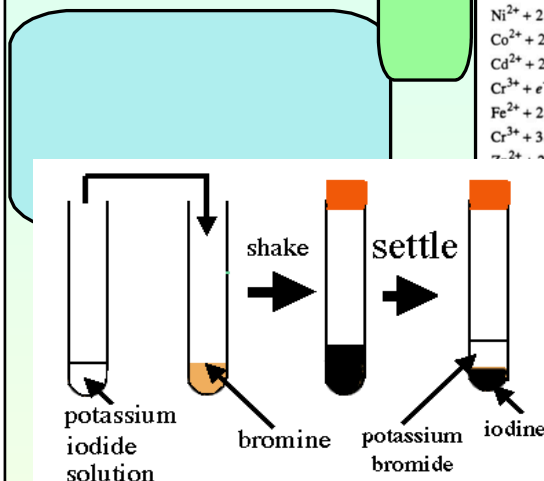


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Will the reverse (opposite) reaction occur?



- 0.54V

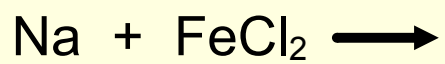
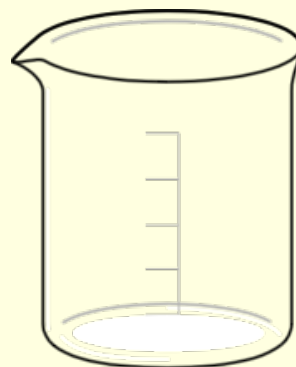
- V so nonspontaneous

(reaction will not occur)

Write the molecular, ionic, and net ionic equation

Write the half reactions.

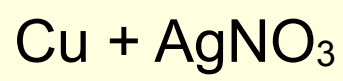
Determine the voltage and  
if the reaction is spontaneous.



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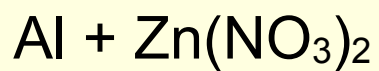
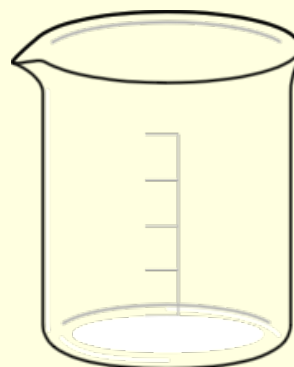
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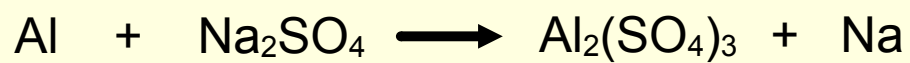
Write the molecular, ionic, and net ionic equation

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Which will occur?



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