

Houston Community College System HCCS

Spring Semester 2018

General Chemistry I (CHEM 1411)

Exam II

Time: 2 Hours

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100 Points

MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

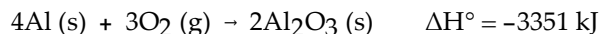
- 1) Which one of the following conditions would always result in an increase in the internal energy of a system? 1) _____
- A) The system gains heat and does work on the surroundings.
 - B) The system gains heat and has work done on it by the surroundings.
 - C) The system loses heat and does work on the surroundings.
 - D) The system loses heat and has work done on it by the surroundings.
 - E) None of the above is correct.

- 2) At what velocity (m/s) must a 20.0 g object be moving in order to possess a kinetic energy of 1.00 J? 2) _____
- A) 10.0
 - B) 1.00×10^3
 - C) 50.0
 - D) 1.00
 - E) 100×10^2

- 3) Which one of the following is an endothermic process? 3) _____
- A) boiling soup
 - B) water freezing
 - C) Hydrochloric acid and barium hydroxide are mixed at 25 °C: the temperature increases.
 - D) ice melting
 - E) Both A and C

- 4) A _____ ΔH corresponds to an _____ process. 4) _____
- A) zero, endothermic
 - B) positive, endothermic
 - C) negative, endothermic
 - D) positive, exothermic
 - E) zero, exothermic

- 5) The reaction 5) _____



is _____, and therefore heat is _____ by the reaction.

- A) exothermic, absorbed
- B) endothermic, released
- C) exothermic, released
- D) endothermic, absorbed
- E) thermoneutral, neither released nor absorbed

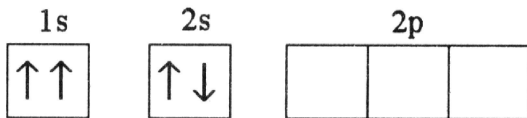
- 6) Which of the subshells below do not exist due to the constraints upon the angular momentum quantum number?
- A) 2s
 - B) 2p
 - C) 2d
 - D) all of the above
 - E) none of the above

6) _____

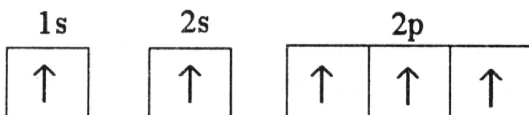
- 7) Which electron configuration represents a violation of the Pauli exclusion principle?

7) _____

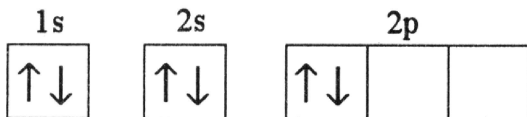
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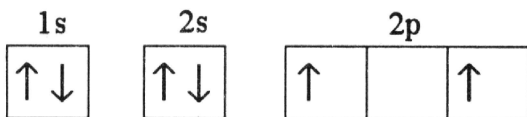
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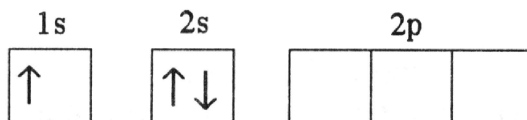
C)



D)



E)



- 8) The ground-state electron configuration of the element _____ is $[\text{Kr}]5s^14d^5$.

8) _____

- A) Tc B) Nb C) Cr D) Mn E) Mo

- 9) The ground state configuration of tungsten is _____.

9) _____

- A) $[\text{Xe}]6s^24f^7$
- B) $[\text{Kr}]5s^24d^{10}5p^5$
- C) $[\text{Xe}]6s^24f^{14}5d^4$
- D) $[\text{Ar}]4s^23d^3$
- E) $[\text{Ne}]3s^1$

- 10) The valence shell of the element X contains 2 electrons in a 5s subshell. Below that shell, element X has a partially filled 4d subshell. What type of element is X? 10) _____
- A) transition metal
 - B) halogen
 - C) main group element
 - D) chalcogen
 - E) alkali metal
- 11) Electrons in the 1s subshell are much closer to the nucleus in Ar than in He due to the larger _____ in Ar. 11) _____
- A) Hund's rule
 - B) nuclear charge
 - C) paramagnetism
 - D) azimuthal quantum number
 - E) diamagnetism
- 12) Atomic radius generally increases as we move _____. 12) _____
- A) down a group and from left to right across a period
 - B) up a group and from left to right across a period
 - C) down a group; the period position has no effect
 - D) down a group and from right to left across a period
 - E) up a group and from right to left across a period
- 13) Which of the following correctly represents the second ionization of calcium? 13) _____
- A) $\text{Ca}^+ (\text{g}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ca}^{2+} (\text{g})$
 - B) $\text{Ca}^- (\text{g}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ca}^{2-} (\text{g})$
 - C) $\text{Ca}^+ (\text{g}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ca} (\text{g})$
 - D) $\text{Ca} (\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{Ca}^+ (\text{g}) + \text{e}^-$
 - E) $\text{Ca}^+ (\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{Ca}^{2+} (\text{g}) + \text{e}^-$
- 14) Sodium is much more apt to exist as a cation than is chlorine. This is because _____. 14) _____
- A) chlorine is more metallic than sodium
 - B) chlorine has a greater electron affinity than sodium does
 - C) chlorine is bigger than sodium
 - D) chlorine is a gas and sodium is a solid
 - E) chlorine has a greater ionization energy than sodium does
- 15) All of the halogens _____. 15) _____
- A) exist under ambient conditions as diatomic gases
 - B) form salts with alkali metals with the formula MX
 - C) tend to form negative ions of several different charges
 - D) exhibit metallic character
 - E) tend to form positive ions of several different charges

For the questions that follow, consider the BEST Lewis structures of the following oxyanions:

(i) NO_2^- (ii) NO_3^- (iii) SO_3^{2-} (iv) SO_4^{2-} (v) BrO_3^-

16) There can be four equivalent best resonance structures of _____.

A) (i)

B) (ii)

C) (iii)

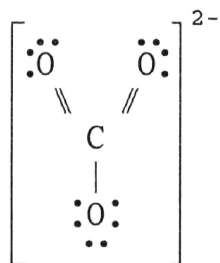
D) (iv)

E) (v)

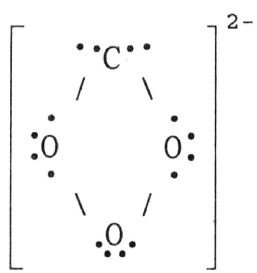
16) _____

17) The Lewis structure of the CO_3^{2-} ion is _____.

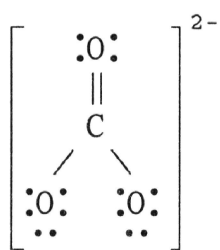
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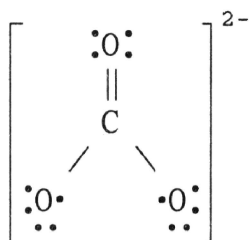
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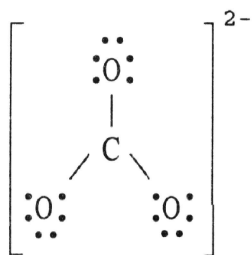


D)



17) _____

E)



18) Of the bonds C-N, C=N, and C≡N, the C-N bond is _____.

18) _____

- A) strongest/shortest
- B) weakest/longest
- C) strongest/longest
- D) intermediate in both strength and length
- E) weakest/shortest

19) Given that the average bond energies for C-H and C-Br bonds are 413 and 276 kJ/mol, respectively, the heat of atomization of bromoform (CHBr₃) is _____ kJ/mol.

19) _____

- A) 1378
- B) 689
- C) -689
- D) 1241
- E) -1378

Answer Key

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- 1) B
- 2) A
- 3) E
- 4) B
- 5) C
- 6) C
- 7) A
- 8) E
- 9) C
- 10) A
- 11) B
- 12) D
- 13) E
- 14) E
- 15) B
- 16) D
- 17) C
- 18) B
- 19) D