

## Announcements – 9/27/00

- Chapter 10: Gases
  - start on Friday
  - assigned problems are now available
- Demos & Quiz: Friday

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## Oxidation #: examples

- **SrBr<sub>2</sub>**: group II, group VII  
+2 -1
- **Zn(OH)<sub>4</sub><sup>2-</sup>**: OH<sup>-</sup> is -1, -2 charge for compd  
+2 -2 +1
- **Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub><sup>2-</sup>**:  $-2 = 7(-2) + 2(x)$   
+6 -2                       $x = +6$
- **MnO<sub>4</sub><sup>-</sup>**:  $-1 = 4(-2) + x$   
+7 -2                       $x = +7$

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## Formal Charges

- Another way of looking at charge distribution in compounds:

-whereas *oxidation numbers* assume complete transfer electrons between atoms (ionic model)

-*formal charges* assumes complete **sharing** of electrons between atoms (covalent model)

**Formal Charge =**

$$\# \text{valence } e^- - (\# \text{bonds} + \# \text{nonbonding } e^-)$$

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## Formal Charges: Example

- What is the structure of HCN?

Two choices:



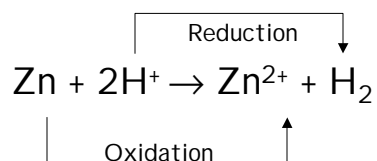
$$\begin{array}{ll} 1) \underline{\text{H}}: 1-(1+0) = 0 & 2) \underline{\text{H}}: 1-(1+0) = 0 \\ \underline{\text{C}}: 4-(4+0) = 0 & \underline{\text{C}}: 4-(3+2) = -1 \\ \underline{\text{N}}: 5-(3+2) = 0 & \underline{\text{N}}: 5-(4+0) = +1 \end{array}$$

**\*Structure which minimizes formal charges is preferred\***

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## Back to Redox Reactions

- Redox reactions *change* the oxidation states of the reactants:



**Zn:** is *oxidized* (reducing agent)

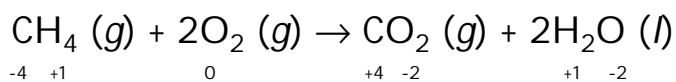
**H<sup>+</sup>:** is *reduced* (oxidizing agent)

Reox movies

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## Redox Examples

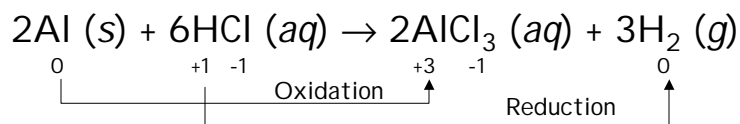
- Combustion



**C:** oxidized (-4 → +4)

**O:** reduced (0 → -2)

- Acid oxidation of a metal



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# Solubility

- How do we know whether a compound is soluble in water?

-we will address this from a *structural* point of view in Chem 36

NaCl dissolution movie

-for now, we need to learn **Solubility Rules:**

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# Solubility Rules: Goldberg

- ALL are Soluble:

- **Nitrates** ( $\text{NO}_3^-$ )
- **Chlorates** ( $\text{ClO}_3^-$ )
- **Acetates** ( $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$ )
- **Sulfates** ( $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ )
  - **Except:**  $\text{BaSO}_4$ ,  $\text{SrSO}_4$ ,  $\text{PbSO}_4$  <- *insoluble*  
 $\text{CaSO}_4$ ,  $\text{Ag}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{Hg}_2\text{SO}_4$  <- *slightly insoluble*
- **Chlorides, Bromides and Iodides**
  - **Except:**  $\text{Ag}^+$  and  $\text{Hg}^+$  salts <- *insoluble*  
 $\text{Pb}^{2+}$  Salts <- *slightly insoluble*

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## Solubility Rules: Goldberg, Part I I

- ALL are INSoluble:

- **Hydroxides** (OH<sup>-</sup>)

- **Except:** Group I A, NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> and Ba<sup>2+</sup> salts <- *soluble*
    - Sr<sup>2+</sup> and Ca<sup>2+</sup> salts <- *slightly soluble*

- **Carbonates** (CO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>)

- **Except:** Group I A and NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> salts <- *soluble*

- **Phosphates** (PO<sub>4</sub><sup>3-</sup>)

- **Except:** Group I A and NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> salts <- *soluble*

- **Sulfides** (S<sup>2-</sup>)

- **Except:** Group I A, II A and NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> salts <- *soluble*

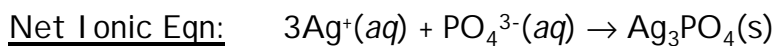
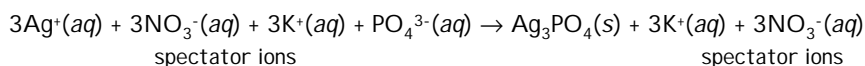
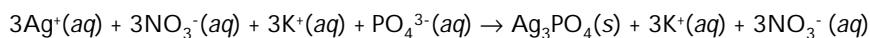
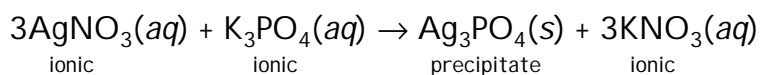
NEW RULE: All Group I A and NH<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> salts are **Soluble**

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## Precipitation Reactions

- When an *insoluble* compound is formed in a reaction:

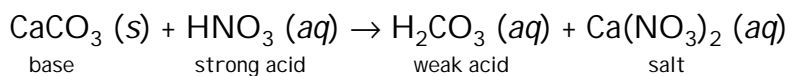
Example: Silver Nitrate + Potassium Phosphate



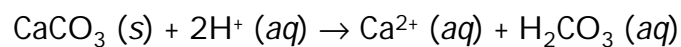
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## Acid/Base? Solubility? Both!

### ■ Calcium Carbonate + Nitric Acid



### Net Ionic:



### But, also:

