## **Vodcast - Electrochemistry**

$$14 \text{ H}^+ (aq) + \text{Cr}_2 \text{O}_7^{2-} (aq) + 6 \text{ Cl}^- (aq) \rightarrow 2 \text{ Cr}^{3+} (aq) + 7 \text{ H}_2 \text{O} (1) + 3 \text{ Cl}_2 (aq)$$

- 1. What can be stated about the oxidation number of chromium in the reaction above?
  - (A) Cr changes from -6 to +3
  - (B) Cr changes from -3 to +3
  - (C) Cr changes from +3 to +6
  - (D) Cr changes from +6 to +3
- 2. In which of the following species does sulfur have the same oxidation number as it does in H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>?
  - (A) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>3</sub>
  - (B)  $S_2O_3^{2-}$
  - (C)  $S^{2-}$
  - (D)  $SO_2Cl_2$

$$Zn(s) + 2 Ag^{+}(aq) \rightarrow Zn^{2+}(aq) + 2 Ag(s)$$

3. Calculate the standard cell potential,  $E^{\circ}$ , for the reaction above given the following half reactions:

$$Zn^{2+}$$
 (aq) + 2 e<sup>-</sup>  $\rightarrow$  Zn (s)  $E^{\circ} = -0.76 \text{ V}$   
Ag<sup>+</sup> (aq) + 1 e<sup>-</sup>  $\rightarrow$  Ag (s)  $E^{\circ} = 0.80 \text{ V}$ 

- (A) 0.04 V
- (B) 1.56 V
- (C) 1.56 V
- (D)-0.04 V

- 4. What can be stated about the galvanic cell with the overall balanced reaction above?
  - (A) Aluminum is reduced
  - (B) Aluminum is oxidized
  - (C) The voltage is negative since it is thermodynamically favorable
  - (D) The voltage is positive since it is thermodynamically unfavorable

- 5. If the half-cell containing 1.00 *M* KMnO<sub>4</sub> (aq) is replaced with a half-cell containing 5.00 *M* KMnO<sub>4</sub> (aq), what will be the effect on the system?
  - (A) The voltage will increase and the amount of CO<sub>2</sub> (g) will increase.
  - (B) The voltage will increase and the amount of CO<sub>2</sub> (g) will decrease.
  - (C) The voltage will decrease and the amount of  $CO_2$  (g) will increase.
  - (D) The voltage will decrease and the amount of CO<sub>2</sub> (g) will decrease.