

P H2 Writing & Balancing Equations, Looking For Patterns

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Write out skeleton equations, then balance. Use NoteSheet H1 and looking for patterns, try to identify what reaction-type category that each reaction fits into. (Choosing from the five types: DR, SR, Decomposition, Synthesis, Combustion) Some reactions may fit into more than one category.

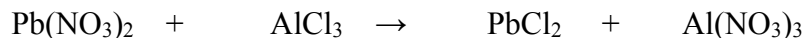
1. Solid aluminum metal reacts with fluorine gas to produce solid aluminum fluoride.
2. Electrical current through water. This is known as electrolysis of water and will produce two gaseous elements.
3. Solid iron rusts. Solid iron reacts with oxygen gas to produce iron(III) oxide.
4. Sodium iodide solution is reacted with lead(II) nitrate solution to produce a solid precipitate of lead(II) iodide and aqueous sodium nitrate.
5. Solid potassium metal is reacted with with water to produce aqueous potassium hydroxide and hydrogen gas.
6. Acetic acid reacts with barium hydroxide to produce aqueous barium acetate and water.
7. Solid zinc reacts with a hydrochloric acid solution to produce aqueous zinc chloride and hydrogen gas.
8. Burning of methane gas, CH_4 in air (using the oxygen in air) to produce carbon dioxide gas and water vapor.
9. Calcium reacts with water to produce calcium hydroxide and hydrogen gas.
10. Hydrogen peroxide decomposes into water and oxygen gas.

1. Skeleton Equation: $\text{Al} + \text{F}_2 \rightarrow \text{AlF}_3$
 - Balanced Equation: $2 \text{Al} + 3 \text{F}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{AlF}_3$
 - Synthesis reaction, following the pattern with only one product: $\text{A} + \text{X} \rightarrow \text{AX}$
2. Skeleton Equation: $\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2 + \text{O}_2$
 - Balanced Equation: $2 \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2 \text{H}_2 + \text{O}_2$
 - Decomposition reaction, following the pattern of only one reactant: $\text{AX} \rightarrow \text{A} + \text{X}$
3. Skeleton Equation: $\text{Fe} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$
 - Balanced Equation: $4 \text{Fe} + 3 \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$
 - Synthesis reaction, following the pattern with only one product: $\text{A} + \text{X} \rightarrow \text{AX}$
4. Skeleton Equation: $\text{NaI} + \text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \rightarrow \text{PbI}_{2(\text{ppt})} + \text{NaNO}_3$
 - Balanced Equation: $2 \text{NaI} + \text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \rightarrow \text{PbI}_{2(\text{ppt})} + 2 \text{NaNO}_3$
 - Double replacement reaction, precipitation type, following the pattern: $\text{AX} + \text{BY} \rightarrow \text{BX} + \text{AY}$ (with the formation of solid)
5. Skeleton Equation: $\text{K} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{KOH} + \text{H}_2$
 - Balanced Equation: $2 \text{K} + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2 \text{KOH} + \text{H}_2$
 - Single replacement reaction, following the pattern: $\text{B} + \text{AX} \rightarrow \text{AX} + \text{B}$
6. Skeleton Equation: $\text{HC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2 + \text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2 \rightarrow \text{Ba}(\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2)_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - Balanced Equation: $2 \text{HC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2 + \text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2 \rightarrow \text{Ba}(\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2)_2 + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - Double replacement reaction following the pattern: $\text{AX} + \text{BY} \rightarrow \text{BX} + \text{AY}$ (acid base type with the formation of water)
7. Skeleton Equation: $\text{Zn} + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{ZnCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$
 - Balanced Equation: $\text{Zn} + 2 \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{ZnCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$
 - Single replacement reaction, following the pattern: $\text{A} + \text{BX} \rightarrow \text{AX} + \text{B}$
8. Skeleton Equation: $\text{CH}_4 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - Balanced Equation: $\text{CH}_4 + 2 \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CO}_2 + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - Combustion reaction, following the pattern: $\text{C}_x\text{H}_y + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
9. Skeleton Equation: $\text{Ca} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2 + \text{H}_2$
 - Balanced Equation: $\text{Ca} + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2 + \text{H}_2$
 - Single replacement reaction, following the pattern: $\text{AX} + \text{B} \rightarrow \text{BX} + \text{A}$
10. Skeleton Equation: $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2$
 - Balanced Equation: $2 \text{H}_2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2$
 - Decomposition reaction, following the pattern of only one reactant: $\text{AX} \rightarrow \text{A} + \text{X}$

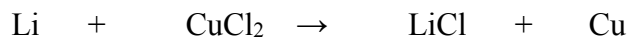
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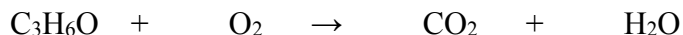
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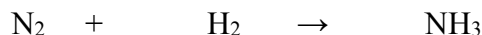
2. Balance the skeleton equation below. What type of reaction is this?



3. Balance the skeleton equation below. What type of reaction is this?



4. Balance the skeleton equation below. What type of reaction is this?



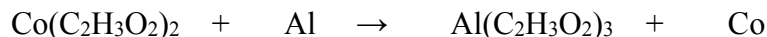
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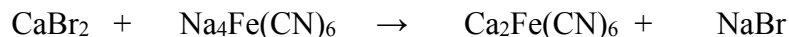
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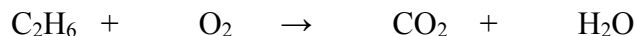
7. Balance the skeleton equation below. What type of reaction is this?



8. Balance the skeleton equation below. What type of reaction is this?



9. Balance the skeleton equation below. What type of reaction is this?



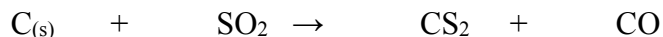
10. Balance the skeleton equation below. What type of reaction is this?



11. Balance the skeleton equation below. What type of reaction is this?



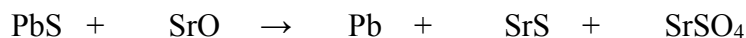
12. Balance the skeleton equation below. Not all reactions fit neatly into one of our five categories. This one does not.



13. Balance the skeleton equation below. This is another reaction that does not fit neatly into one of the five categories.



14. Balance the skeleton equation below. This is another reaction that does not fit neatly into one of the five categories.



P G1 (pg 4) **Writing & Balancing Equations, Looking For Patterns**

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1. double replacement $3 \text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + 2 \text{AlCl}_3 \rightarrow 3 \text{PbCl}_2 + 2 \text{Al}(\text{NO}_3)_3$
2. single replacment $2 \text{Li} + \text{CuCl}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{LiCl} + \text{Cu}$
3. combustion $\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{O} + 4 \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 3 \text{CO}_2 + 3 \text{H}_2\text{O}$
4. synthesis $\text{N}_2 + 3 \text{H}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{NH}_3$
5. This synthesis reaction equation is already balanced. $\text{MgO} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$
6. synthesis $2 \text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_2 + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2 \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
7. single replacement $3 \text{Co}(\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2)_2 + 2 \text{Al} \rightarrow 2 \text{Al}(\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2)_3 + 3 \text{Co}$
8. double replacement $2 \text{CaBr}_2 + \text{Na}_4\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6 \rightarrow \text{Ca}_2\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6 + 4 \text{NaBr}$
9. combustion $2 \text{C}_2\text{H}_6 + 7 \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 4 \text{CO}_2 + 6 \text{H}_2\text{O}$
10. This decomposition reaction equation is already balanced $\text{CaCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$
11. decomposition $2 \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 \rightarrow 4 \text{Al} + 3 \text{O}_2$
12. $5 \text{C}_{(\text{s})} + 2 \text{SO}_2 \rightarrow \text{CS}_2 + 4 \text{CO}$
13. $2 \text{CuFeS}_2 + 5 \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{Cu} + 2 \text{FeO} + 4 \text{SO}_2$
14. $4 \text{PbS} + 4 \text{SrO} \rightarrow 4 \text{Pb} + 3 \text{SrS} + \text{SrSO}_4$