

2007 AP[®] CHEMISTRY FREE-RESPONSE QUESTIONS (Form B)

- (b) Chlorine gas, an oxidizing agent, is bubbled into a solution of potassium bromide.

(i) Balanced equation:

(ii) What is the oxidation number of chlorine before the reaction occurs? What is the oxidation number of chlorine after the reaction occurs?

- (c) A small piece of sodium is placed in a beaker of distilled water.

(i) Balanced equation:

(ii) The reaction is exothermic, and sometimes small flames are observed as the sodium reacts with the water. Identify the product of the reaction that burns to produce the flames.