Answer on Question #79518 - Chemistry - Other

Task:

Indicates the oxidized element and the reduced element in the following chemical equation. $H_2AsO_4 + H_2S \rightarrow H_7AsO_3 + S + H_2O$

Solution:

An **oxidizing agent**, or **oxidant**, *gains* electrons and is reduced in a chemical reaction.

A **reducing agent,** or **reductant**, *loses* electrons and is oxidized in a chemical reaction.

 H_2S – reducing agent – **oxidized.**

H₂AsO₄ - oxidizing agent – **reduced.**