## Answer on Question \#79518 - Chemistry - Other

## Task:

Indicates the oxidized element and the reduced element in the following chemical equation. $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{AsO}_{4}+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{~S} \rightarrow \mathrm{H}_{7} \mathrm{AsO} 3+\mathrm{S}+\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$

## 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.
$\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{~S}$ - reducing agent - oxidized.
$\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{AsO}_{4}$ - oxidizing agent - reduced.

