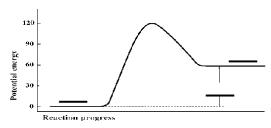
Reaction Rate Worksheet 1

PART A - REACTION ENERGY

- Fill in the blanks on the reaction coordinate diagram with the appropriate letters. Not all letters will be used
 - A. reactants
 - B. products
 - C. energy released
 - D. energy absorbed



Specify whether each reaction is exothermic (EXO) or endothermic (ENDO).

- 2. _____ The reaction shown in the diagram to the right.
- 3. _____ The burning of wood to produce a hot flame.
- 4. _____4Fe(s) + $3O_2(g) \rightarrow 2Fe_2O_3(s)$ + energy
- 5. ______A test tube that feels cold to the touch after two substances have been mixed.

PART B - REACTION RATES

Using the reaction coordinate diagram above, draw a new curve that shows how a catalyst would affect the reaction pathway.

Place a checkmark next to the actions that would most likely increase the reaction rate.

- 7. ____ Lowering the temperature of the reactants.
- 8. ____ Dissolving two solids in water before mixing them together.
- 9. ____ Diluting an aqueous solution of HCl with water before adding a piece of magnesium.
- 10. ____ Grinding a solid into fine particles.
- 11. ____ Adding an enzyme catalyst.