



Oxidising Agent  
and Reducing Agent.

	(reducing agent) Oxidation	(oxidising Agent) Reduction
O	gain O	lose O
H	lose H	gain H
oxid. state	↑	↓
e <sup>-</sup> transfer	lose e <sup>-</sup>	gain e <sup>-</sup>

- Oxidising agent "oxidant" :- the substance that itself reduced and causes the other substance to be oxidised.

- Reducing agent "reductant" :- the substance that itself oxidised and causes the other substance to be reduced.