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- 1. The numbers of radial nodes, planar angular nodes and non-planar angular nodes in $3d_{z^2}$, 3s and $3p_x$ orbitals are
 - (a) (0, 0, 2), (2, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0) respectively
 - (b) (0, 2, 0), (2, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0) respectively
 - (c) (2, 0, 0), (2, 0, 0), (0, 1, 1) respectively
 - (d) (0, 2, 0), (0, 2, 0), (1, 1, 0) respectively
- 2. The angular wave function for hydrogen atom depends upon the quantum number(s)
 - (a) n and l only
 - (b) l and m_l only
 - (c) m_1 only
 - (d) l, m_1 and n
- 3. The total number of nodal planes possible for all the atomic orbitals with a value of principal quantum (n) = 3 is
 - (a) 8
 - (b) 9
 - (c) 11
 - (d) 14
- 4. The covalent radius of C atom is 0.77 Å and that of H atom is 0.37 Å. What is the internuclear distance between C and H atoms in CH₄ molecule?
 - (a) 1·14 Å
 - (b) 1.20 Å
 - (c) 1.25 Å
 - (d) 1.41 Å

- 5. The bond distance in Cl₂ molecule is 1.98 Å. What will be its covalent radius?
 - (a) 0.99 Å
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 - (c) 0.98 Å
 - (d) 1·10 Å
- 6. Which one of the following represents the correct order of size among O²⁻, F⁻, Na⁺ and Mg²⁺ isoelectronic ions?
 - (a) $O^{2-} < F^{-} < Na^{+} < Mg^{2+}$
 - (b) $Mg^{2+} < Na^+ < F^- < O^{2-}$
 - (c) $Mg^{2+} < Na^+ < O^{2-} < F^-$
 - (d) $O^{2-} < F^{-} < Mg^{2+} < Na^{+}$
- 7. Graphite is used as a dry lubricant in machines running at high temperature where oil cannot be used as lubricant, because
 - (a) graphite has layered structure and the layers are held by van der Waals' forces and cleaves easily between layers
 - (b) graphite is a crystalline substance
 - (c) graphite conducts electricity and is thermodynamically stable
 - (d) each carbon atom in the hexagonal ring undergoes sp^2 hybridization





- 8. The effective nuclear charges for 4s and 3d electrons in nickel are
 - (a) 4.05 and 7.55 respectively
 - (b) 7.55 and 4.05 respectively
 - (c) 4.75 and 7.95 respectively
 - (d) 4.25 and 7.65 respectively
- 9. Consider the following statements regarding periodic properties of elements:

Statement-1:

Atomic radius increases down a group in the periodic table.

Statement-2:

On descending a group, the valence electrons are found in orbitals of successively higher principal quantum number.

Which one of the following is correct in respect of the above statements?

- (a) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true and Statement-2 is the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (b) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true but Statement-2 is not the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (c) Statement-1 is true but Statement-2 is false
- (d) Statement-1 is false but Statement-2 is true
- 10. Consider the following statements in respect of ortho and para form of hydrogen molecule:
 - Ortho hydrogen molecules have nuclear spin vectors parallel.
 - 2. At high temperature, hydrogen gas contains about 75% ortho hydrogen.

- 3. In *para* form of hydrogen, nuclear spins exist in opposite manner.
- 4. Para form has the lower energy and at absolute zero, the gas contains 100% of para form.

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) 1 and 3 only
- (b) 2 and 4 only
- (c) 1, 3 and 4 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4
- 11. Which one of the following represents the correct order of electron gain enthalpy (electron affinity) among F, Cl, Br and I?
 - (a) Cl > F > Br > I
 - (b) F > Cl > Br > I
 - (c) I > Br > Cl > F
 - (d) I > Br > F > C1
- 12. How many orbitals are there in an atom having atomic weight 23 and atomic number 11?
 - (a) 14
 - (b) 12
 - (c) 9
 - (d) 6





- **13.** Which one of the following complexes will have the maximum spin-only value?
 - (a) $[Cr(H_2O)_6]^{3+}$
 - (b) $[Fe(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$
 - (c) $[Cu(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$
 - (d) $[Zn(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$
- **14.** Consider the following statements regarding lanthanide series metals:
 - 1. They are silvery white.
 - 2. They are electropositive.
 - 3. They are non-reactive.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) 1 and 2 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- **15.** Which one of the following is **not** valid for oxoacids of phosphorus?
 - (a) All oxoacids contain tetrahedral four-coordinate phosphorus
 - (b) All oxoacids contain at least one P=O unit and one P=OH group
 - (c) Orthophosphoric acid is used in the manufacture of triple superphosphate
 - (d) Hypophosphorous acid is a diprotic acid

16. Consider the following statements regarding alkali metal halides:

Statement-1:

Among all alkali metal halides, lithium iodide (LiI) is the most covalent in nature.

Statement-2:

 ${\rm Li}^+$ being very small in size has high tendency to distort electron cloud around the negative large ${\rm I}^-$ ion.

- (a) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true and Statement-2 is the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (b) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true and Statement-2 is not the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (c) Statement-1 is true but Statement-2 is false
- (d) Statement-1 is false but Statement-2 is true
- **17.** The hybridizations of B¹ and B² atoms in diborane are

- (a) sp^3 and sp^2 respectively
- (b) sp^2 and sp^2
- (c) sp^3 and sp^3
- (d) sp^2 and sp^3 respectively





- 18. Which one of the following is correct regarding an ionic compound MX?
 - (a) High value of lattice energy of M⁺X⁻ ionic crystal
 - (b) Electronegativity difference between M and X atoms is very small
 - (c) High ionization energy of atom M
 - (d) Low electron affinity of atom X
- 19. Which one of the following represents the correct order of lattice energy of oxides among the given alkaline earth metals?
 - (a) BeO < MgO < CaO < SrO < BaO
 - (b) BeO < SrO < MgO < CaO < BaO
 - (c) BaO < MgO < CaO < SrO < BeO
 - (d) BaO < SrO < CaO < MgO < BeO
- **20.** According to Fajans' rule, which one of the following conditions is necessary to form a covalent bond?
 - (a) Large cation and large anion
 - (b) Small cation and small anion
 - (c) Small cation and large anion
 - (d) Large cation and small anion

- 21. Consider the following statements regarding defects in crystals:
 - Schottky defect occurs in highly ionic compounds where positive and negative ions are of similar size with high coordination number.
 - 2. Frenkel defect is found in ionic crystal having low coordination number and large difference in size between the positive and negative ions.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 only
- (b) 2 only
- (c) Both 1 and 2
- (d) Neither 1 nor 2
- Which one of the following represents the correct bond order among the given nitrogen species?

(a)
$$N_2^- < N_2^{2-} < N_2$$

(b)
$$N_2^- < N_2 < N_2^{2-}$$

(c)
$$N_2^{2-} < N_2^{-} < N_2$$

(d)
$$N_2 < N_2^{2-} < N_2^{-}$$

23. Which one of the following is the correct electronic configuration of O_2^{2-} ?

(a)
$$1\sigma_g^2 1\sigma_u^2 2\sigma_g^2 1\pi_u^4 1\pi_g^4$$

(b)
$$1\sigma_g^2 1\sigma_u^2 1\pi_u^4 2\sigma_g^2 1\pi_g^4$$

(c)
$$1\sigma_g^2 1\sigma_u^2 1\pi_u^4 1\pi_g^4 2\sigma_g^2$$

(d)
$$1\sigma_u^2 1\sigma_g^2 2\sigma_g^2 1\pi_u^4 1\pi_g^4$$





- 24. Which one of the following is **not** a resonance structure of thiocyanate (SCN⁻)?
 - (a) $: \ddot{S} = C = \bar{N}:$
 - (b) : C=N:
 - (c) :\$==C-N:²⁻
 - (d) $s^{2-} = \bar{N}$:
- **25.** Which one of the following is an inner orbital complex that also shows diamagnetism?
 - (a) $[Cr(NH_3)_6]^{2+}$
 - (b) $[Zn(NH_3)_6]^{2+}$
 - (c) $[Ni(NH_3)_6]^{2+}$
 - (d) $[Co(NH_3)_6]^{3+}$
- 26. Which one of the following is an example of neutral bidentate ligand?
 - (a) Oxalato
 - (b) o-Phenanthroline
 - (c) Glycinato
 - (d) Nitrilotriacetate
- 27. Which one of the following is the correct IUPAC name of K₃[Fe(CN)₅NO]?
 - (a) Tripotassium pentacyanonitrosylferrate(III)
 - (b) Potassium pentacyanonitrosyliron(II)
 - (c) Potassium pentacyanonitrosylferrate(II)
 - (d) Tripotassium pentacyanonitrosyliron(III)

- 28. The number of geometrical isomers that can exist for a square planar complex [Pt(Cl)(py)(NH₃)(NH₂OH)]⁺ is
 - (a) 2
 - (b) 3
 - (c) 4
 - (d) 6
- 29. Which of the following types of isomerism are exhibited by [Co(NH₃)₄(NO₂)₂]Cl?
 - (a) Linkage isomerism, geometrical isomerism and optical isomerism
 - (b) Linkage isomerism, ionization isomerism and geometrical isomerism
 - (c) Ionization isomerism, geometrical isomerism and optical isomerism
 - (d) Linkage isomerism, ionization isomerism and optical isomerism
- **30.** The molar equilibrium constant of pure water (K_w) at 25 °C is
 - (a) 1.0×10^{-7}
 - (b) 1·0
 - (c) 1.0×10^{-14}
 - (d) 1.0×10^7





- 31. Which one of the following represents the correct order of acidic strength among BBr₃, BCl₃, BF₃ and BI₃?
 - (a) $BI_3 < BBr_3 < BCl_3 < BF_3$
 - (b) $BF_3 < BCl_3 < BBr_3 < BI_3$
 - (c) $BF_3 < BBr_3 < BCl_3 < BI_3$
 - (d) $BF_3 < BCl_3 < BI_3 < BBr_3$
- 32. What is the degree of dissociation of a 0.01 M aqueous solution of acetic acid at 25 °C having a specific conductance $1.63 \times 10^{-2} \text{ S m}^{-1}$ and molar conductance of acetic acid at infinite dilution $390.7 \times 10^{-4} \text{ S m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$?
 - (a) 1.82×10^{-5}
 - (b) 1.82×10^5
 - (c) 0.0417
 - (d) 4·17
- 33. Which of the following factors affect the ionization energy?
 - 1. Atomic size
 - 2. Nuclear charge
 - 3. Type of electrons involved

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3

- **34.** The pOH and pH of a 6×10^{-2} M solution of NaOH will be $(\log 6 = 0.77)$
 - (a) 6 and 8 respectively
 - (b) 8 and 6 respectively
 - (c) 1.23 and 12.77 respectively
 - (d) 12.77 and 1.23 respectively
- **35.** Which one of the following is used for the calibration of pH electrodes?
 - (a) Acidic solution
 - (b) Basic solution
 - (c) Buffer solution
 - (d) Water
- 36. What will be the pH of a buffer solution, prepared by mixing of 10 mL of 0.1 M acetic acid and 10 mL of 0.01 M sodium acetate? (p K_a of acetic acid = 4.76)
 - (a) Approximately 2.6
 - (b) Approximately 3.8
 - (c) Approximately 4.2
 - (d) Approximately 5.8
- 37. 25 mL of H_2SO_4 solution requires 48.75 mL of 0.02 M NaOH for complete titration. What will be the molarity of H_2SO_4 ?
 - (a) 0.0201 M
 - (b) 0.0161 M
 - (c) 0.0180 M
 - (d) 0.0195 M





- **38.** In which one of the following titrimetric analyses, AgNO₃ is used as a primary standard?
 - (a) Acid-base titration
 - (b) Complexometric titration
 - (c) Precipitation titration
 - (d) Redox titration
- **39.** Which one of the following pairs about titrimetric quantitative estimation is **not** correctly matched?
 - (a) Complexometric titration:
 EDTA/Ca²⁺
 - (b) Acid-base titration:

Na₂CO₃/Na₂B₄O₇

- (c) Redox titration: K₂Cr₂O₇/KBrO₃
- (d) Precipitation titration:

NaNO3/KNO2

- 40. 1,10-Phenanthroline-iron(II) complex is
 - (a) acid-base indicator
 - (b) metal ion indicator
 - (c) redox indicator
 - (d) internal indicator
- **41.** The pressure exerted by 10^{20} gas particles, each of mass 10^{-22} g in a container of volume $1 \, \text{dm}^3$ and root mean square speed $10^3 \, \text{m s}^{-1}$, is
 - (a) 10 Pa
 - (b) $\frac{1}{3} \times 10 \text{ Pa}$
 - (c) 10⁴ Pa
 - (d) $\frac{1}{3} \times 10^4 \text{ Pa}$

42. Consider the following statements:

Statement-1:

At the zero of the absolute scale of temperature, the limiting value of pV [denoted by $(pV_m)_0$] is zero.

Statement-2:

The temperature -273·15 °C is the natural or true zero.

- (a) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true
- (b) Statement-1 is true but Statement-2 is false
- (c) Statement-1 is false but Statement-2 is true
- (d) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are false
- **43.** The translational kinetic energy of an ideal gas is
 - (a) inversely proportional to the absolute temperature
 - (b) independent of the absolute temperature
 - (c) directly proportional to the absolute temperature
 - (d) directly proportional to square root of the absolute temperature





- **44.** The temperature at which the average speed of hydrogen (H₂) equals that of oxygen (O₂) at 480 K is
 - (a) 10 K
 - (b) 20 K
 - (c) 30 K
 - (d) 40 K
- 45. Consider the following statements:

Statement-1:

The speed distribution of O_2 molecules at temperature T is the same as that of SO_2 molecules at temperature 2T.

Statement-2:

The distribution of speeds, in general, depends upon the value of M/T.

- (a) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true and Statement-2 is the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (b) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true and Statement-2 is not the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (c) Statement-1 is true but Statement-2 is false
- (d) Statement-1 is false but Statement-2 is true

- 46. The mean free path of a gas is
 - (a) directly proportional to pressure (p)and inversely proportional to temperature (T)
 - (b) directly proportional to T and inversely proportional to p
 - (c) directly proportional to \sqrt{T} and inversely proportional to \sqrt{p}
 - (d) directly proportional to \sqrt{pT}
- 47. The ratio of the rate of effusion of a nitrogen (N₂) molecule and a carbon dioxide (CO₂) molecule through a small hole at room temperature and one atmospheric pressure is

(a)
$$\sqrt{\frac{11}{7}}:1$$

(b)
$$\sqrt{\frac{7}{11}}:1$$

(c)
$$\frac{11}{7}$$
: 1

(d)
$$\frac{7}{11}$$
: 1

- **48.** For a reversible adiabatic expansion of an ideal gas, the plot of $\log p$ versus $\log V$ is a straight line of slope
 - (a) $+\gamma$
 - $(b) -\gamma$
 - (c) -1
 - (d) +1

(where
$$\gamma = \frac{C_p}{C_V}$$
)





- **49.** Which one of the following represents a pair of extensive variables?
- (a) Dipole moment and vapour pressure
 - (b) Entropy and enthalpy
- (c) Free energy and concentration
 - (d) Heat capacity and e.m.f. of a dry cell
- **50.** If the internal energy (U) of a system is dependent on the pressure (p) and volume (V) of the system, then, according to the cyclic rule

$$\left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial p}\right)_{V} \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial V}\right)_{U} \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial U}\right)_{p}$$

is equal to

- (a) zero
- (b) +1
- (c) -1
- (d) ∞
- **51.** Which of the following are essential criteria of a state function?
 - 1. The change in the value of a state function depends only on the initial and final states and not on the path taken to go from the initial to the final state.
 - 2. The cyclic integration involving a state function is zero.
 - 3. The state function has an exact differential.
 - 4. Entropy, enthalpy and chemical potential satisfy the requirements of state function.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1, 2 and 3 only
- (b) 1 and 4 only
- (c) 2, 3 and 4 only
- (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4
- 52. Consider the following statements:

Statement-1:

For hydrogen gas at room temperature, there is heating in the Joule-Thomson expansion.

Statement-2:

For hydrogen gas at room temperature, $\frac{2a}{RT} < b$ (where a and b

are the van der Waals' constants, R = universal gas constant.

- (a) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true and Statement-2 is the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (b) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are true and Statement-2 is not the correct explanation of Statement-1
- (c) Statement-1 is true but Statement-2 is false
- (d) Statement-1 is false but Statement-2 is true





- **53.** At the inversion temperature of a gas, the value of $\left(\frac{\partial (pV)}{\partial p}\right)_T$ is
 - (a) positive and equal to the magnitude of $\left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial V}\right)_T \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial P}\right)_T$
 - (b) negative only
 - (c) positive and is greater than the magnitude of $\left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial V}\right)_T \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial p}\right)_T$
 - (d) negative and is less than the magnitude of $\left(\frac{\partial U}{\partial V}\right)_T \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial p}\right)_T$
- **54.** For the adiabatic irreversible free expansion of an ideal gas
 - (a) w = 0 only
 - (b) $\Delta U = 0$ only
 - (c) $\Delta U = 0$, $\Delta T = 0$, $\Delta H = 0$ only
 - (d) w = 0, $\Delta T = 0$, $\Delta U = 0$ and $\Delta H = 0$
- one mole of HCl (g) is dissolved in a large amount of water at room temperature for the following change in state?

$$HCl(g) + aq \rightarrow H^{+}(aq) + Cl^{-}(aq)$$

[where $\Delta_f H^\circ (HCl, g) = -92.3 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1};$ $\Delta_f H^\circ (Cl^-, aq) = -167.2 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}]$

- (a) $-74.9 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
- (b) $-259.5 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
- (c) $+74.9 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
- (d) $+259.5 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

- **56.** Consider the following statements regarding efficiency of a Carnot engine:
 - The efficiency of the heat engine is dependent on the working substance.
 - 2. The efficiency of a reversible heat engine is greater than that of an irreversible engine.
 - 3. With an increase in the difference of the temperature between the source and the sink, the efficiency increases (keeping the temperature of the sink constant).

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 1 and 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only
- (d) 1, 2 and 3
- **57.** Which one of the following Maxwell thermodynamic relations is **not** correct?

(a)
$$\left(\frac{\partial S}{\partial V}\right)_T = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial T}\right)_V$$

(b)
$$\left(\frac{\partial S}{\partial p}\right)_T = -\left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial T}\right)_D$$

(c)
$$\left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial p}\right)_{S} = \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial S}\right)_{p}$$

(d)
$$\left(\frac{\partial T}{\partial V}\right)_{S} = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial S}\right)_{V}$$





- **58.** The values of $\oint \frac{dq_{(rev.)}}{T}$ and $\oint \frac{dq_{(irrev.)}}{T}$ for a system are respectively (where q = heat absorbed by the system at temperature T)
 - (a) zero and less than zero
 - (b) less than zero and zero
 - (c) greater than zero and zero
 - (d) zero and greater than zero
- **59.** Which one of the following expressions represents Gibbs-Helmholtz equation?

(a)
$$\Delta_r G = \Delta_r H + T \left(\frac{\partial G}{\partial T} \right)_p$$

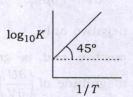
(b)
$$\Delta_r H = \Delta_r G - T \left(\frac{\partial (\Delta_r G)}{\partial T} \right)_p$$

(c)
$$\Delta_r A = \Delta_r U + p \left(\frac{\partial (\Delta_r A)}{\partial T} \right)_V$$

(d)
$$\Delta_r U = \Delta_r A + T \left(\frac{\partial (\Delta_r A)}{\partial T} \right)$$

- 60. The change in the Gibbs free energy (ΔG) at constant pressure (p) in a certain process is $-83.7 \, \text{kJ}$ at 32 °C and $-80.7 \, \text{kJ}$ at 42 °C. The value of the change in enthalpy of the process at 37 °C is
 - (a) -148.0 kJ
 - (b) $-82 \cdot 2 \text{ kJ}$
 - (c) +175.2 kJ
 - (d) -175.2 kJ

61. The variation of $\log_{10} K$ with 1/T is shown in the following graph in which the straight line is at 45° (where K is the equilibrium constant, $R=8\cdot3$ JK⁻¹ mol⁻¹; $\tan 45^{\circ}=1$; $\ln 10=2\cdot 303$):



The value of ΔH° is approximately

- (a) $+19.1 \,\mathrm{J} \,\mathrm{mol}^{-1}$
- (b) $-19.1 \,\mathrm{J} \,\mathrm{mol}^{-1}$
- (c) $+8.3 \,\mathrm{J}\,\mathrm{mol}^{-1}$
- (d) $-8.3 \,\mathrm{J}\,\mathrm{mol}^{-1}$
- **62.** Which one of the following is correct for an endothermic reaction $A \rightarrow B$ that proceeds spontaneously?
 - (a) ΔS is positive and $T\Delta S > \Delta H$
 - (b) ΔH is positive and $\Delta H > T\Delta S$
 - (c) ΔS is negative and $T\Delta S > \Delta H$
 - (d) ΔH is positive and $T\Delta S = \Delta H$
- **63.** Which one of the following solutions in water possesses the lowest vapour pressure?
 - (a) 0.1 M BaCl₂
 - (b) 0.1 M NaCl
 - (c) 0.1 M KC1
 - (d) 0.1 M Urea





- 64. The mass of a solute of molar mass 360 g mol⁻¹ that should be dissolved in 180 g of water to reduce its vapour pressure to 23 torr at 25 °C is approximately (the vapour pressure of water at 25 °C = 24 torr)
 - (a) 120 g
 - (b) 150 g
 - (c) 128 g
 - (d) 114 g
- **65.** For a binary (A + B) ideal liquid solution, the total vapour pressure of the solution is given as
 - (a) $p_{\text{total}} = p_A^* + (p_A^* p_B^*) x_A$
 - (b) $p_{\text{total}} = p_B^* + (p_A^* p_B^*) x_A$
 - (c) $p_{\text{total}} = p_A^* + (p_B^* p_A^*) x_A$
 - (d) $p_{\text{total}} = p_B^* + (p_B^* p_A^*) x_B$

(where x_A and x_B are the mole fractions of the components A and B)

- **66.** A $0.002 \, M$ sugar solution in water is separated from pure water by an osmotic membrane. The osmotic pressure developed at $27 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$ is (where $R = 0.083 \, \text{dm}^3$ bar K^{-1} mol⁻¹)
 - (a) 1.9 kPa
 - (b) 2.5 kPa
 - (c) 3.7 kPa
 - (d) 5.0 kPa

- **67.** A 0.1 molal solution of a monobasic acid HX is 10% ionized in water. The freezing point of the resultant solution is (where K_f for water = 1.86 K molal⁻¹)
 - (a) -0.45°C
 - (b) -0.205°C
 - (c) +0.45°C
 - (d) +0.312°C
- 68. The Henry's law constants for the solubilities of O₂ and N₂ gases in water are 880 Pa and 440 Pa respectively at 25 °C. What will be the ratio of the mole fractions of O₂ and N₂ dissolved in water at 25 °C? (The mole fractions of O₂ and N₂ present in the atmosphere are 0.20 and 0.80 respectively)
 - (a) 0.25
 - (b) 0·125
 - (c) 0.20
 - (d) 0.50
- 69. Which of the following statements are not correct with respect to solubility of gases in a liquid solvent?
 - 1. Gases which are easily liquefied are less stable in common solvents.
 - 2. Gases forming ions in water are more soluble in water.
 - 3. Under constant pressure, the solubility of a gas increases with rise in temperature.
 - The solubility of a gas in a liquid is highly dependent on the pressure of the system.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1 and 2
- (b) 1 and 3
- (c) 1 and 4
- (d) 3 and 4





- 70. Which of the following statements about solutions of electrolytes is/are correct?
 - 1. Conductivity of solution depends upon the size of the ions.
 - 2. Conductivity depends upon the viscosity of solution.
 - Conductivity does not depend upon the solvation of ions present in solution.
 - 4. Conductivity of solution varies with the temperature.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1 and 2 only
- (b) 3 only
- (c) 1, 2 and 4
- (d) 2, 3 and 4
- 71. The resistance of a 0.10~N solution of an electrolyte occupying a volume between two platinum electrodes of cell constant $39~m^{-1}$ is $30~\Omega$. The specific conductance and equivalent conductance of the solution will be respectively
 - (a) $0.013 \Omega^{-1} \text{ m}^{-1}$ and $1.3 \Omega^{-1} \text{ m}^{2} \text{ eq}^{-1}$
 - (b) $1.3 \Omega^{-1} \text{ m}^{-1}$ and $0.013 \Omega^{-1} \text{ m}^{2} \text{ eq}^{-1}$
 - (c) $2.5 \Omega^{-1} \text{ m}^{-1}$ and $0.25 \Omega^{-1} \text{ m}^2 \text{ eq}^{-1}$
 - (d) $1.3 \Omega^{-1} \,\mathrm{m}^{-1}$ and $130 \Omega^{-1} \,\mathrm{m}^{2} \,\mathrm{eq}^{-1}$

72. Consider the following statements:

Statement-1:

Near the lower value of the concentration, Λ_m (molar conductivity) of CH₃COOH increases sharply on dilution.

Statement-2:

 Λ_m° (limiting molar conductivity) is obtained by using the Kohlrausch law of independent migration of ions.

- (a) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are correct
- (b) Statement-1 is correct but Statement-2 is incorrect
- (c) Both Statement-1 and Statement-2 are incorrect
- (d) Statement-1 is incorrect but Statement-2 is correct
- **73.** Which one of the following statements is correct with respect to ionic mobilities in solution?
 - (a) Ionic mobilities in solution have similar magnitudes as the speed of gaseous molecules in gas.
 - (b) Solvation increases the ionic mobility in a solution.
 - (c) Sodium ions have low ionic mobility due to extensive hydration of the Na⁺ ions in aqueous solution.
 - (d) Ionic mobility reduces the degree of dissolution of strong electrolytes in solution.





74. Consider the following statements:

- Molar conductivity increases with dilution.
- 2. Conductivity decreases with decrease in concentration.
- 3. For strong electrolyte, the molar conductivity increases very sharply with decrease in concentration.

Which of the statements given above is/are correct?

- (a) 1 and 2
- (b) 1 and 3
- (c) 2 and 3
- (d) 3 only

- 76. In a conductivity cell of cell constant $0.003 \, \mathrm{cm}^{-1}$ containing a $0.01 \, M$ solution of acetic acid, the resistance against ionic mobility is $20 \, \Omega$ at $25 \, ^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$. The degree of dissociation of the acid is (where the molar conductance at infinite dilution = $390 \times 10^{-4} \, \Omega^{-1} \, \mathrm{m}^2 \, \mathrm{mol}^{-1}$ at $25 \, ^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$)
 - (a) 0.015
 - (b) 0.027
 - (c) 0.038
 - (d) 0.047

- 75. Which one of the following statements is **not** correct in relation to the Debye-Hückel theory of electrolytic solutions?
 - (a) The Debye-Hückel theory assumes the ions in a solution to be in constant motion.
 - (b) The Debye-Hückel limiting law is applicable for concentrated solutions only.
 - (c) The ionic strength of a solution does not depend on the dielectric constant of the solvent.
 - (d) The Debye-Hückel limiting law plots for NaCl and KCl should be identical.

- 77. The specific conductance of a saturated solution of the sparingly soluble salt AgCl in water at 25 °C, after subtracting the specific conductance of pure water, is $1.82 \times 10^{-4} \ \Omega^{-1} \ m^{-1}$. What will be the approximate value of solubility of AgCl at this temperature, given that the molar conductance of AgCl at infinite dilution is $1.38 \times 10^{-2} \ \Omega^{-1} \ m^2 \ mol^{-1}$?
 - (a) $1.32 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol m}^{-3}$
 - (b) $1.43 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol m}^{-3}$
 - (c) $2.52 \times 10^{-6} \ \Omega^{-2} \ \text{m mol}$
 - (d) $2.52 \times 10^{-10} \ \Omega^{-2} \ \text{m mol}$

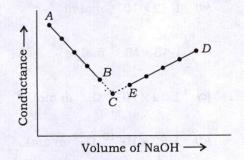




- 78. Which of the following statements regarding conductometric titrations involving acids and bases is/are not correct? [In each case, the base (alkali) is added to the acid contained in the conductivity cell as the titration progresses]
 - 1. The electrical conductance depends only on the mobility, but not on the number of ions.
 - 2. The titration of a strong acid against a strong base yields a V-shaped plot.
 - Titrations of a strong acid against a weak base and a weak acid against a strong base yield identicalshaped plots.
 - 4. In a titration involving a mixture of a strong acid and a weak acid against a strong base, the strong acid is neutralized first.

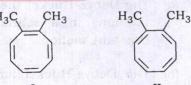
Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1 and 4
- (b) 1 only
- (c) 2
- (d) 1 and 3
- **79.** Consider the following conductometric titration curve of HCl with NaOH:



Which one of the following statements is **not** correct in respect of the given conductometric titration curve?

- (a) At point B, the solution contains a mixture of HCl and NaCl salt.
- (b) At point C, the solution contains a mixture of NaOH and NaCl salt.
- (c) At point E, the solution contains a mixture of HCl and NaCl salt.
- (d) At point A, the solution contains HCl only.
- 80. What will be the transport number of H⁺ ions in an aqueous solution of 0.050 M HCl using the moving boundary method, with CdCl₂ as the indicator electrode? Here, the boundary moves by 7.5 cm in a tube of cross-sectional area of 2.5 cm², upon flowing of 1.1×10⁻³ faraday of electricity in the circuit.
 - (a) 0.85
 - (b) 0·17
 - (c) 0.085
 - (d) 0.72
- **81.** Which one of the following statements is **not** true about the molecules *I* and *II*?

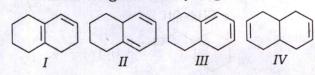


- II III
- (a) The structures of I and II are simply two resonance forms of the same molecule.
- (b) The structures of I and II represent different molecules.
- (c) I and II are non-aromatic in nature.
- (d) The dianions of I and II are aromatic in nature.





82. Rank the following dienes in order of increasing heat of hydrogenation:



- (a) I < III < IV < II
- (b) IV < II < I < III
- (c) III < I < IV < II
- (d) I < III < II < IV
- **83.** The hybridization of nitrogen present in the following imine is

- (a) sp
- (b) sp
- (c) sp
- (d) sp^3d
- **84.** Which of the indicated C—H bonds in each of the following pairs of compounds would yield a more stable free radical upon homolytic cleavage?

Pair
$$X$$
:
$$1 \qquad 2 \qquad H$$

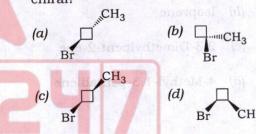
Pair Y:
$$\begin{pmatrix} H \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$
 $\begin{pmatrix} H \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

- (a) 1 and 3
- (b) 1 and 4
- (c) 2 and 3
- (d) 2 and 4

85. The mechanism of reactions at Stage *II*, Stage *II* and Stage *III* in the following reaction sequence is

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
\hline
 & H_2SO_4 \\
\hline
 & Stage I
\end{array}$$
Stage II

- (a) Stage I: Radical, Stage II: Radical, Stage III: Polar
- (b) Stage I: Polar, Stage II: Radical, Stage III: Polar
- (c) Stage I: Polar, Stage II: Polar, Stage III: Radical
- (d) Stage I: Radical, Stage II: Polar, Stage III: Polar
- **86.** Which one of the following molecules is chiral?



87. Which one of the following is **not** a meso compound?





88. The stereochemical notations for the following compound are

- (a) 2Z, 4R
- (b) 2Z, 4S
- (c) 2E, 4R
- (d) 2E, 4S
- **89.** Which one of the following compounds shows geometrical isomerism?
 - (a) Cyclooctene
 - (b) Isoprene
 - (c) 2,3-Dimethylpent-2-ene
 - (d) 4-Methyl-1,3-pentadiene
- 90. The eclipsed conformation of CH₃CH₂Cl is 15 kJ/mol and is less stable than the staggered conformation. How much is H, Cl eclipsing interaction worth in destabilization? (where H, H eclipsing interaction worth = 4 kJ/mol)
 - (a) 8 kJ/mol
 - (b) 11 kJ/mol
 - (c) 7 kJ/mol
 - (d) 12 kJ/mol

91. The major product formed in the following reaction is

$$CH_3$$
 OH CH_3 + $HC1$ \longrightarrow

92. Which of the following substrates will be more reactive in solvolysis conditions using formic acid in Pair X and Pair Y respectively?

Pair X:

MeO

OTS

O2N

II

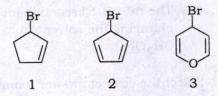
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- (a) I and III
- (b) I and IV
- (c) II and III
- (d) II and IV





93. The relative order of reactivity of the following bromides in S_N1 reaction is



- (a) 3 > 2 > 1
- (b) 2 > 3 > 1
- (c) 3>1>2
- (d) 2 > 1 > 3

95. Rank the following alkyl bromides from most reactive to least reactive in a reaction using aqueous solvolysis acetone:

- (a) II > IV > I > III
 - (b) I > II > IV > III
 - III > IV > II > I
 - (d) III > IV > I > II

96. The major products [X] and [Y] formed in the following reactions are

94. Which one of the following compounds would react most readily by SN2 mechanism?









(d) None of the above

(a)
$$[X] = Ph$$

$$[Y] = Ph$$

$$Ph$$

(b)
$$[X] = Ph$$

$$Ph$$

$$Ph$$

$$Ph$$

(c)
$$[X] = [Y] = Ph$$

(d)
$$[X] = [Y] = Ph$$





97. Which one of the following is true for the reaction given below?

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{Cl} & \text{NaOMe} \\
\text{Me} & \text{Me}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{NaOMe} \\
\text{Me} & \text{Me}
\end{array}$$

(a)
$$[X]$$
 is Me and is called

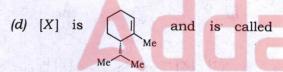
Hofmann product

(b)
$$[X]$$
 is Me and is called Me

Hofmann product

(c)
$$[X]$$
 is and is called Me

Zaitsev product



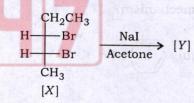
Zaitsev product

- **98.** Which of the following statements are true about the kinetics of *E1* reaction of an alkyl halide in presence of base?
 - 1. The rate of *E*1 reaction doubles by doubling the concentration of the alkyl halide.
 - 2. The rate of *E*1 reaction doubles by doubling the concentration of the base.

- The rate of E1 reaction decreases by changing the alkyl halide from (CH₃)₃CBr to CH₃CH₂CH₂Br.
- The rate of E1 reaction increases by changing the solvent from DMSO to CH₃OH.

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 1, 2 and 3
- (b) 2, 3 and 4
- (c) 1, 3 and 4
- (d) 1 and 2 only
- and the product [Y] formed in the following reaction are



- (a) [X] is (2R, 3S)-2,3-dibromopentane and [Y] is (E)-pent-2-ene
- (b) [X] is (2R, 3S)-2,3-dibromopentane and [Y] is (Z)-pent-2-ene
- (c) [X] is (2S, 3S)-2,3-dibromopentane and [Y] is (E)-pent-2-ene
- (d) [X] is (2R, 3R)-2,3-dibromopentane and [Y] is (Z)-pent-2-ene





100. The major product formed in the following reaction sequence is

(d)
$$O = \bigcirc CO_2Me$$

101. The major product formed in the following reaction sequence is

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{i) Br}_2, H_2O \\
\text{ii) } H_2SO_4, \Delta
\end{array}$$

102. The precursor [X] in the following reaction is

$$[X] \xrightarrow{\text{i) NaOMe}} O \longrightarrow O$$

$$MeO_2C$$

103. The major products formed in the following reaction sequence are





104. The major product formed in the following reaction sequence is

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{i) Hg(OAc)}_2 \\ \hline \text{ii) NaBH}_4 \end{array}$$



105. Which one of the following compounds does not serve as Michael acceptor?

106. The final product [X] formed in the following reaction sequence is

107. An unknown compound with molecular formula C₁₀H₁₄ decolorizes bromine in carbon tetrachloride. When treated with warm, concentrated potassium permanganate, this compound gives ciscyclohexane-1,2-dicarboxylic acid and oxalic acid. The structure for the unknown compound is





108. The major product formed in the following reaction is

(c)
$$HO_{m_n}$$
 CH_3

109. Which is the most stable intermediate in the following Pair X and Pair Y respectively?

- (a) I and III
- (b) I and IV
- (c) II and III
- (d) II and IV

110. The major products [X] and [Y] formed in the following reactions are

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
H \\
N \\
Me \\
\hline
 & KN(C_2H_5)_2 \\
\hline
 & HN(C_2H_5)_2
\end{array} \Rightarrow [Y]$$

(a)
$$[X] = [Y] =$$

$$H_{\mathsf{E}} C_2 C_2 H_{\mathsf{S}}$$

(c)
$$[X] = [Y] = NH$$

(d)
$$[X] = [Y] = N_{M_0}$$

111. The major product formed in the following reaction is

(a)
$$\stackrel{\text{NH}_2}{\longleftarrow}$$
 CN (b) $\stackrel{\text{F}}{\longleftarrow}$ CN $\stackrel{\text{NH}_2}{\longleftarrow}$

(c)
$$\stackrel{F}{\underset{Cl}{\bigvee}} NH_2$$
 (d) $\stackrel{F}{\underset{Cl}{\bigvee}} NH_2$





112. Arrange the following alkyl benzenes in decreasing order of percentage of ortho/para ratio of products formed in nitration reaction:

I. Toluene

II. Cumene

III. tert-Butylbenzene

IV. Ethylbenzene

(a) II > III > I > IV

(b) I > IV > II > III

(c) III > II > IV > I

(d) IV > II > III > I

113. Which one of the following substrates does **not** participate in Friedel-Crafts alkylation of benzene using AlCl₃ as Lewis acid catalyst?







- 114. Which one of the following statements is not true about the reactivity towards aromatic nucleophilic substitution reaction?
 - (a) 2-Chloropyridine is more reactive than chlorobenzene.
 - (b) Iodobenzene is more reactive than fluorobenzene.
 - (c) 2-Chloronitrobenzene is more reactive than 3-Chloronitrobenzene.
 - (d) 2-Chloropyridine is more reactive than 3-Chloropyridine.

115. Which one of the following is the correct sequence of events for the preparation of ethyl 2,4-dinitrophenyl ether?

(a)
$$\xrightarrow{\text{HNO}_3} \xrightarrow{\text{Br}_2} \xrightarrow{\text{NaOEt}}$$

(b)
$$Cl_2 \rightarrow HNO_3 \rightarrow NaOEt \rightarrow FeCl_3 \rightarrow H_2SO_4 \rightarrow NaOEt \rightarrow H_2SO_4 \rightarrow H_2SO_5 \rightarrow$$

(c)
$$Cl_2 \rightarrow NaOEt \rightarrow HNO_3 \rightarrow H_2SO_4$$

(d)
$$\xrightarrow{\text{aq. NaOH}} \xrightarrow{\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{Br}} \xrightarrow{\text{HNO}_3} \xrightarrow{\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4}$$

occurring in the following transformation is

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(a) three

(b) four

(c) five

(d) six





117. The major product formed in the following reaction sequence is

$$\begin{array}{c}
OH \\
OH \\
OH
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
i) H^+ \\
ii) LiAlH_4 \\
iii) H^+
\end{array}$$

118. The intermediate which is less likely to be formed in the mechanism of the following reaction is

119. The product formed due to neighbouring group participation in the following reaction is

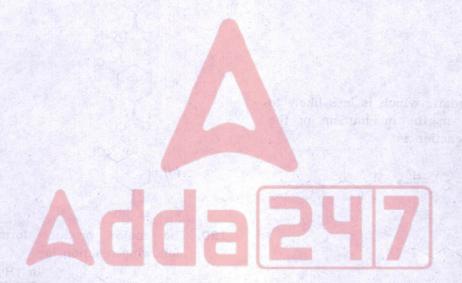
120. The major product formed in the following reaction is

(a)
$$^{82}Br$$
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