

Self Practice Paper (SPP)

- When a salt is heated with dilute H_2SO_4 and KMnO_4 solution, the pink colour of KMnO_4 is discharged, the salt is :
(1) a sulphite (2) a carbonate (3) a nitrate (4) a bicarbonate
- Solution of a salt in dilute H_2SO_4 or acetic acid produces deep blue colour with starch iodide solution. The salt contains :
(1) Br^- (2) I^- (3) NO_3^- (4) NO_2^-
- A test tube containing a nitrate and another containing a bromide and MnO_2 are treated with concentrated H_2SO_4 . The reddish brown fumes evolved are passed through water. The water will be coloured by :
(1) the nitrate (2) the bromide (3) both (4) none of the two
- Which of the following combines with Fe(II) ions to form a brown complex?
(1) N_2O (2) NO (3) N_2O_3 (4) N_2O_4
- Colourless salt (A) + dil. H_2SO_4 or CH_3COOH + $\text{KI} \longrightarrow$ blue colour with starch. (A) can be
(1) K_2SO_3 (2) Na_2CO_3 (3) NH_4NO_2 (4) NH_4Cl
- There are four test tubes containing dilute HCl , BaCl_2 , CdCl_2 and KNO_3 solutions. Which of the following reagents will help in the identification of BaCl_2 ?
(1) NaOH (2) K_2CrO_4 (3) AgNO_3 (4) both (2) and (3)
- Which one of the following ions does not give borax bead test ?
(1) Cr^{3+} (2) Cu^{2+} (3) Mn^{2+} (4) Zn^{2+}
- A brick red colour is imparted to Bunsen flame by a :
(1) Ca salt (2) Sr salt (3) Na salt (4) Co salt
- Which one of the following metal salts produces a blue coloured bead in cobalt nitrate charcoal cavity test ?
(1) Zn^{2+} (2) Mg^{2+} (3) Sn^{2+} (4) Al^{3+}
- BaCl_2 solution gives a white precipitate with a solution of a salt, which dissolves in dilute hydrochloric acid with the evolution of colourless, pungent smelling gas. The gas as well as the salt both are used as bleaching agent in the textile industries. The salt contains:
(1) sulphite (2) sulphide (3) acetate (4) carbonate
- Pink colour of acidified KMnO_4 is decolourised but there is no evolution of any gas. This may happen with the compound containing the following acid radical.
(1) SO_3^{2-} (2) NO_2^- (3) S^{2-} (4) All of these
- When KI is added to acidified solution of sodium nitrite :
(1) NO gas is liberated and I_2 is set free (2) N_2 gas is liberated and HI is produced
(3) N_2O gas is liberated and I_2 is set free (4) N_2 gas is liberated and HOI is produced
- Zinc pieces are added to acidified solution of SO_3^{2-} . Gas liberated can :
(1) turn lead acetate paper black (2) turn lime water milky
(3) give white precipitate with AgNO_3 solution (4) None of these

14. A substance on treatment with dilute H_2SO_4 liberates a colourless gas which produces (i) turbidity with baryta water and (ii) turns acidified dichromate solution green. The reaction indicates the presence of :
 (1) CO_3^{2-} (2) S^{2-} (3) SO_3^{2-} (4) NO_2^-
15. Ammonium molybdate test is used for the estimation of :
 (1) PO_4^{3-} (2) NO_3^- (3) SO_3^{2-} (4) SO_4^{2-}
16. A colorless gas is dissolved in water and the resulting solution turns red litmus blue ; the gas may have been which one of the following ?
 (1) HCl (2) H_2S (3) SO_2 (4) NH_3
17. NaCl , NaBr , NaI mixture on adding conc. H_2SO_4 gives gases, respectively :
 (1) HCl , HBr , HI (2) HCl , Br_2 , I_2 (3) Cl_2 , Br_2 , I_2 (4) None of these
18. Which of the following pair of acid radicals can be distinguished by using dil. H_2SO_4 ?
 (I) $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$ and NO_3^- (II) NO_3^- and NO_2^- (III) Cl^- and Br^- (IV) HCO_3^- and CO_3^{2-}
 (1) I and II (2) II only (3) II and IV (4) III and IV
19. Identify the compound which turns black with ammonia solution.
 (1) Lead chloride (2) Mercurous chloride (3) Mercuric chloride (4) Silver chloride
20. A white crystalline substance dissolves in water. On passing H_2S in this solution, a black precipitate is obtained. The black precipitate dissolves completely in hot HNO_3 . On adding a few drops of concentrated H_2SO_4 , a white precipitate is obtained which is soluble in ammonium acetate. The white precipitate is that of :
 (1) BaSO_4 (2) SrSO_4 (3) PbSO_4 (4) Ag_2SO_4
21. The composition of golden spangles is :
 (1) PbCrO_4 (2) PbI_2 (3) As_2S_3 (4) BaCrO_4
22. In which of the following solvents, AgBr will have the highest solubility ?
 (1) 10^{-3} M NaBr (2) $10^{-3} \text{ M NH}_4\text{OH}$ (3) Pure water (4) 10^{-3} M HBr
23. Which one among the following pairs of ions can not be separated by H_2S in presence of dilute hydrochloric acid?
 (1) Cd^{2+} , Sn^{2+} (2) Al^{3+} , Hg^{2+} (3) Zn^{2+} , Cu^{2+} (4) Ni^{2+} , Bi^{3+}
24. Which of the following is not precipitated as sulphide by passing H_2S in the presence of concentrated HCl ?
 (1) Copper (2) Arsenic (3) Cadmium (4) Lead
25. Which of the following metal cation is reduced from its higher oxidation state (+2) to (+1) by both KI solution and excess of KCN solution ?
 (1) Zn^{2+} (2) Hg^{2+} (3) Cu^{2+} (4) None
26. Which of the following reagents gives a yellow precipitate with a hot faintly acidic solution of Bi^{3+} ions ?
 (1) Ammonia solution (excess).
 (2) Freshly prepared 10% solution of pyrogallol.
 (3) Potassium iodide solution.
 (4) Freshly prepared 0.125 M alkaline sodium tetrahydroxidoantimonate (III) solution.
27. Which of the following compounds on reaction with NaOH and Na_2O_2 gives yellow colour solution?
 (1) $\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3$ (2) $\text{Zn}(\text{OH})_2$ (3) $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$ (4) $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$

41. **Statement-1** : In a mixture containing Br^- and I^- , violet colour (of I_2) appears first in chloroform layer, when chlorine gas is passed through the mixture dissolved in water.
Statement-2 : The order of the strength of reducing properties is as follows $\text{I}^- > \text{Br}^- > \text{Cl}^- > \text{F}^-$.
(1) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(2) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(3) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(4) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
(5) Both Statements are False.
42. **Statement-1** : PbCl_2 and AgCl precipitates can be separated by ammonia solution.
Statement-2 : PbCl_2 precipitate is soluble in hot water and concentrated potassium chloride solution.
(1) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(2) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(3) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(4) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
(5) Both Statements are False.
43. **Statement-1** : Hg_2Cl_2 is blackened by NH_3 due to the formation of iodide of Millon's base.
Statement-2 : Hg^{2+} ions give deep-blue crystalline precipitate with cobalt(II) thiocyanate.
(1) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(2) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(3) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(4) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
(5) Both Statements are False.
44. **Statement-1** : Cu^{2+} and Cd^{2+} ions react with KCN solution (in excess) forming the colourless soluble complexes.
Statement-2 : Of these colourless soluble complexes only cadmium complex gives yellow precipitate with H_2S gas in slightly acidic medium.
(1) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(2) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(3) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(4) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
(5) Both Statements are False.
45. **Statement-1** : Borax bead test can be used for the identification of coloured cations of transition metals.
Statement-2 : They give different coloured beads with glassy transparent borax bead ($\text{NaBO}_2 + \text{B}_2\text{O}_3$).
(1) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(2) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True; Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1.
(3) Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False.
(4) Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True.
(5) Both Statements are False.

SPP Answers

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| 8. | (1) | 9. | (4) | 10. | (1) | 11. | (4) | 12. | (1) | 13. | (1) | 14. | (3) |
| 15. | (1) | 16. | (4) | 17. | (2) | 18. | (2) | 19. | (2) | 20. | (3) | 21. | (2) |
| 22. | (2) | 23. | (1) | 24. | (3) | 25. | (3) | 26. | (2) | 27. | (1) | 28. | (3) |
| 29. | (3) | 30. | (1) | 31. | (4) | 32. | (2) | 33. | (2) | 34. | (1) | 35. | (4) |
| 36. | (3) | 37. | (4) | 38. | (3) | 39. | (2) | 40. | (4) | 41. | (1) | 42. | (2) |
| 43. | (4) | 44. | (2) | 45. | (1) | | | | | | | | |

SPP Solutions

1. SO_3^{2-} reduces KMnO_4 to colourless Mn^{2+}

$$5\text{SO}_3^{2-} + 2\text{MnO}_4^- + 6\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{2+} + 5\text{SO}_4^{2-} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$$
2. Nitrite ion liberates I_2 from potassium iodide turning starch blue.

$$2\text{NO}_2^- + 3\text{I}^- + 4\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} \longrightarrow \text{I}_3^- + 2\text{NO}\uparrow + 4\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^- + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$$

$$\text{I}_2 + \text{starch} \longrightarrow \text{blue colour}$$
3. NO_3^- gives NO_2 with concentrated H_2SO_4 which on passing through water form colourless $\text{HNO}_3(\ell)$ and $\text{HNO}_2(\ell)$. $\text{Br}^- + \text{MnO}_2$ on heating with concentrated H_2SO_4 gives Br_2 gas which on passing through water imparts it a reddish brown colour.
4. $\text{Fe}^{2+} + \text{NO} + 5\text{H}_2\text{O} \longrightarrow [\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_5\text{NO}]^{2+}$ (brown complex)
5. $2\text{NO}_2^- + 3\text{I}^- + 4\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} \longrightarrow \text{I}_3^- + 2\text{NO}\uparrow + 4\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^- + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$.
 $\text{I}_3^- + \text{starch} \longrightarrow \text{blue colouration}$.
6. $\text{Ba}^{2+} + \text{CrO}_4^{2-} \longrightarrow \text{BaCrO}_4\downarrow$ (yellow); $\text{Ag}^+ + \text{Cl}^- \longrightarrow \text{AgCl}\downarrow$ (white).
7. Zn^{2+} is colourless and borax bead test is given by coloured ions such as Cu^{2+} , Mn^{2+} , Fe^{3+} etc.
8. Ca salts impart brick red colour to the flame.
9. $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot \text{CoO}$ formed in the test is blue in colour. It is called as thenard's blue.
10. $\text{Ba}^{2+} + \text{SO}_3^{2-} \longrightarrow \text{BaSO}_3\downarrow$ (white)
 $\text{BaSO}_3 + 2\text{HCl} \longrightarrow \text{BaCl}_2 + \text{SO}_2$ (colourless pungent smelling gas) + H_2O
 SO_3^{2-} and SO_2 both act as bleaching agent.
11. (1) $5\text{SO}_3^{2-} + 2\text{MnO}_4^- + 6\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{2+} + 5\text{SO}_4^{2-} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 (2) $2\text{MnO}_4^- + 5\text{NO}_2^- + 6\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{2+} + 5\text{NO}_3^- + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 (3) $2\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{H}_2\text{S} + 6\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{2+} + 5\text{S}\downarrow + 8\text{H}_2\text{O}$
12. $\text{NO}_2^- + 2\text{I}^- + 4\text{CH}_3\text{COOH} \longrightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2\text{NO}\uparrow + 4\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^- + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

13. $\text{SO}_3^{2-} + \text{Zn} + 8\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{S} \uparrow + 3\text{Zn}^{2+} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 $\text{Pb}^{2+} + \text{S}^{2-} \longrightarrow \text{PbS} \downarrow \text{ (black)}$
 $\text{Ag}^+ + \text{S}^{2-} \longrightarrow \text{Ag}_2\text{S} \downarrow \text{ (black)}$
14. $\text{SO}_3^{2-} + \text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2 \longrightarrow \text{BaSO}_3 \downarrow \text{ (white)} + 2\text{OH}^-$
 $3\text{SO}_2 + \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-} + 2\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow 2\text{Cr}^{3+} \text{ (green colour solution)} + 3\text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
16. NH_3 is basic
17. HBr and HI are strong reducing agents and are oxidized by H_2SO_4 to Br_2 and I_2 , respectively.
18. (I) $\begin{cases} \rightarrow \text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} + 2\text{H}^+ \xrightarrow{\text{dil. H}_2\text{SO}_4} \text{No vapors or gas is evolved} \\ \rightarrow \text{NO}_3^- : \text{No reaction with dil. H}_2\text{SO}_4 \end{cases}$
 (II) $\begin{cases} \rightarrow \text{NO}_3^- : \text{No reaction with dil. H}_2\text{SO}_4 \\ \rightarrow \text{NO}_2^- + \text{H}^+ \xrightarrow{\text{dil. H}_2\text{SO}_4} \text{HNO}_2 \end{cases} \xrightarrow{\text{disproportionation}} \text{HNO}_3 + \text{NO} \uparrow \xrightarrow{\text{atm. air}} \text{NO}_2 \uparrow$
 Hence, distinction is possible.
 (III) Both Cl^- and Br^- have no reaction with dil. H_2SO_4 .
 (IV) Both HCO_3^- and CO_3^{2-} produce $\text{CO}_2 \uparrow$ which evolves with effervescences.
19. $\text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{NH}_3 \longrightarrow \text{Hg} \begin{matrix} \text{Cl} \\ \swarrow \\ \text{NH}_2 \end{matrix} \downarrow \text{ (white)} + \text{Hg} \downarrow \text{ (black)} + \text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$

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 Black
20. The white precipitate obtained with H_2SO_4 is that of PbSO_4 . The white crystalline substance may be that of $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$.
 $\text{Pb}^{2+} + \text{S}^{2-} \longrightarrow \text{PbS} \downarrow \text{ (black)} ; 3\text{PbS} \downarrow + 8\text{HNO}_3 \longrightarrow 3\text{Pb}^{2+} + 6\text{NO}_3^- + 3\text{S} \downarrow + 2\text{NO} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 $\text{Pb}^{2+} + \text{SO}_4^{2-} \longrightarrow \text{PbSO}_4 \downarrow \text{ (white)}$
 $\text{PbSO}_4 + 2\text{CH}_3\text{COONH}_4 \longrightarrow (\text{NH}_4)_2[\text{Pb}(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_4] + (\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$
 BaS and SrS precipitates are not black in colour. Ag_2SO_4 is white precipitate but does not dissolve in ammonium acetate.
21. PbI_2 is yellow (known as golden spangles).
22. AgBr has the highest solubility in $10^{-3} \text{ M NH}_4\text{OH}$
 AgBr dissolves in all other solvents poorly.
23. Both Cd^{2+} and Sn^{2+} are precipitated as yellow sulphides in the presence of dilute HCl.
24. $\text{Cd}^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{S} \longrightarrow \text{CdS} \downarrow + 2\text{H}^+$, reaction is reversible; if the concentration of strong acid in the solution is above 0.5 M, precipitation is incomplete. Concentrated acid dissolves the precipitate for the same reason.
25. $2\text{Cu}^{2+} + 4\text{I}^- \longrightarrow \text{Cu}_2\text{I}_2 \downarrow + \text{I}_2$
 $\text{Cu}^{2+} + 3\text{CN}^- \longrightarrow \text{CuCN} \downarrow + (\text{CN})_2$

26. (1) $\text{Bi}^{3+} + 3\text{NH}_4\text{OH} \longrightarrow \text{Bi}(\text{OH})_3 \downarrow \text{ (white)} + 3\text{NH}_4^+$
 (2) $\text{Bi}^{3+} + \text{C}_6\text{H}_3(\text{OH})_3 \longrightarrow \text{Bi}(\text{C}_6\text{H}_3\text{O}_3)_3 \downarrow \text{ (yellow)} + 3\text{H}^+$
 (3) $\text{Bi}^{3+} + 3\text{I}^- \longrightarrow \text{BiI}_3 \downarrow \text{ (black)} ; \quad \text{BiI}_3 + \text{I}^- \longrightarrow [\text{BiI}_4]^- \text{ (orange solution)}$
 (4) $\text{Bi}^{3+} + 3\text{OH}^- \longrightarrow \text{Bi}(\text{OH})_3 \downarrow \text{ (white)} ; 2\text{Bi}(\text{OH})_3 \downarrow + 3[\text{Sn}(\text{OH})_4]^{2-} \longrightarrow 2\text{Bi} \downarrow \text{ (black)} + 3[\text{Sn}(\text{OH})_6]^{2-}$
27. $3\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2 + 2\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} 2\text{NaOH} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{Na}_2\text{CrO}_4 \text{ (yellow)}$
28. On adding H_2O_2 in alkaline medium or SnCl_2 solution in acidic medium, the $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-}$ part of the compound is reduced and prussian blue is precipitated.
29. $\text{CrO}_4^{2-} + 2\text{H}^+ + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}_2 \longrightarrow \text{CrO}_5 \text{ (chromium peroxide)} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 It in ethereal layer develops blue colouration.
30. $\text{Mn}(\text{OH})_2 + 2\text{HNO}_3 \longrightarrow \text{Mn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$.
 $2\text{Mn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + 5\text{PbO}_2 + 6\text{HNO}_3 \longrightarrow 2\text{HMnO}_4 \text{ (red – violet or purple colour)} + 5\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$.
31. (1) $\text{Zn}(\text{OH})_2 \downarrow + 2\text{OH}^- \rightleftharpoons [\text{Zn}(\text{OH})_4]^{2-}$
 (2) and (3) $\text{Zn}(\text{OH})_2 \downarrow + 4\text{NH}_3 \rightleftharpoons [\text{Zn}(\text{NH}_3)_4]^{2+} + 2\text{OH}^-$
 or NH_4^+
32. (1) No precipitate with K_2CrO_4 in acetic acid as its k_{sp} is high.
 (2) $\text{Ca}^{2+} + 2\text{K}^+ + [\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{4-} \longrightarrow \text{K}_2\text{Ca}[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6] \downarrow \text{ (white)}$
 (3) It imparts brick red colour to Bunsen flame.
 (4) $\text{Ca}(\text{HCO}_3)_2$ is formed which is water soluble.
33. (2) $\text{BaCO}_3 + \text{ZnS}$ mixture dissolves in HCl but is insoluble in water. Further the solution in HCl will be colourless due to the formation of soluble BaCl_2 and ZnCl_2 .
34. Ni^{2+} and Fe^{2+} both on reaction with alkaline solution of dimethyl glyoxime give red precipitate and red solution respectively but not zinc.
35. (1) $\text{Pb}^{+2} + \text{CrO}_4^{-2} \longrightarrow \text{PbCrO}_4 \text{ (yellow ppt)}$
 (2) $\text{Ba}^{+2} + \text{CrO}_4^{-2} \longrightarrow \text{BaCrO}_4 \text{ (Yellow ppt)}$
 (3) $\text{Ag}^{\oplus} + \text{CrO}_4^{-2} \longrightarrow \text{Ag}_2\text{CrO}_4 \text{ (Brick like red ppt)}$
 (4) $\text{Ca}^{+2} + \text{CrO}_4^{-2} \longrightarrow \text{CaCrO}_4 \text{ (soluble)}$
36. $\text{Hg}_2(\text{NO}_3)_2 + \text{K}_2\text{CrO}_4 \longrightarrow \text{Hg}_2\text{CrO}_4 \xrightarrow{\text{aq. NH}_3} \text{Hg}(\text{NH}_2)\text{I} + \text{Hg}$
 (Red ppt.) (Black)
37. $\text{CrO}_2\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{CrO}_4 + 2\text{HCl}$
 $\text{H}_2\text{CrO}_4 + (\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2\text{Ba} \longrightarrow \text{BaCrO}_4 \downarrow \text{ (Yellow)} + 2\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$
38. Ag_3PO_4 is yellow precipitate which is soluble both in dilute ammonia solution and dilute HNO_3 .
 $\text{HPO}_4^{2-} + 3\text{Ag}^+ \longrightarrow \text{Ag}_3\text{PO}_4 \downarrow + \text{H}^+$
 $\text{Ag}_3\text{PO}_4 + 2\text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^- \downarrow + 3\text{Ag}^+$; $\text{Ag}_3\text{PO}_4 \downarrow + 6\text{NH}_3 \longrightarrow 3[\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_2]^+ + \text{PO}_4^{3-}$
 Pale yellow precipitate of AgBr is not soluble in dilute HNO_3 ; bright yellow precipitate of AgI is not soluble in both; Ag_2CrO_4 is obtained as red precipitate.

39. HgCl_2 fails to give positive chromyl chloride test because of its covalent nature i.e., it does not dissociate to give Cl^- .
40. $\text{CoCl}_2 + 4\text{NH}_4\text{SCN} \xrightarrow{\text{ether}} (\text{NH}_4)_2[\text{Co}(\text{SCN})_4]$ (blue colour in ethereal layer) + $2\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$.
 $\text{Cu}^{2+} + 3\text{SCN}^- \longrightarrow \text{CuSCN} \downarrow$ (white) + $(\text{SCN})_2$.
 $\text{FeCl}_3 + 3\text{NH}_4\text{SCN} \xrightarrow{\text{ether}} \text{Fe}(\text{SCN})_3$ (blood red colour) + $3\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$.
 $\text{Ag}^+ + \text{SCN}^- \longrightarrow \text{AgSCN} \downarrow$ (white).
 $\text{Co}^{2+} + 4\text{SCN}^- + \text{Hg}^{2+} \longrightarrow \text{Co}[\text{Hg}(\text{SCN})_4] \downarrow$ (deep blue).
41. As I^- is stronger reducing agent than Br^- so it will oxidised prior to Br^- liberating iodine gas according to the following reaction,
 $2\text{I}^- + \text{Cl}_2 \longrightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2\text{Cl}^-$; $2\text{Br}^- + \text{Cl}_2 \longrightarrow \text{Br}_2 + 2\text{Cl}^-$
42. **Statement-1** : $\text{AgCl} + 2\text{NH}_3 \longrightarrow [\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_2]\text{Cl}$ (soluble complex)
 $\text{Pb}^{2+} + 2\text{NH}_3 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \longrightarrow \text{Pb}(\text{OH})_2 \downarrow$ (white) + 2NH_4^+
Statement-2 : $\text{PbCl}_2 \downarrow + 2\text{Cl}^- \longrightarrow [\text{PbCl}_4]^{2-}$ [soluble complex] ; PbCl_2 is also soluble in hot water.
43. **Statement-1** : $\text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{NH}_3 \longrightarrow \text{Hg} \begin{matrix} \nearrow \text{NH}_2 \\ \searrow \text{Cl} \end{matrix} + \text{Hg} + \text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$

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Statement-2 : $\text{Hg}^{2+} + \text{Co}^{2+} + 4\text{SCN}^- \longrightarrow \text{Co}[\text{Hg}(\text{SCN})_4] \downarrow$

(deep-blue)
44. **Statement-1** : $\text{Cu}^{2+} + 4\text{CN}^- \longrightarrow [\text{Cu}(\text{CN})_4]^{3-}$ (colourless)
 $\text{Cd}^{2+} + 4\text{CN}^- \longrightarrow [\text{Cd}(\text{CN})_4]^{2-}$ (colourless)
Statement-2 : Cd^{2+} complex is less stable, therefore, it reacts with H_2S forming yellow precipitate of CdS .
Where as $[\text{Cu}(\text{CN})_4]^{3-}$ is more stable and thus is unaffected by H_2S gas.
45. Coloured cations of transition metals form different colour metaborates with borax bead.