

## Assertion and Reason

1	b	2	b	3	a	4	a	5	a
6	c	7	b	8	e	9	a	10	a
11	e	12	a	13	a	14	a	15	a
16	c	17	b	18	c	19	d	20	d
21	a	22	b	23	d	24	d	25	b
26	d	27	c	28	c	29	a	30	a
31	a	32	c	33	b	34	a	35	a
36	b	37	a	38	b	39	b	40	b
41	a	42	c	43	a	44	d	45	c
46	a	47	d	48	b	49	d	50	a
51	e	52	b	53	d	54	b	55	c
56	a	57	a	58	a	59	d	60	b
61	a	62	b	63	c	64	b		

## AS Answers and Solutions

## Alkali metals

1. (b) Element  $Na$   $K$   
 $IE_1$  496 419  
 $IE_2$  4562 3051  
 Sodium has higher I.E. because of smaller atomic size.
2. (c) Alkali metals are highly reactive metals. They react with  
 Alcohol –  $2C_2H_5OH + 2K \rightarrow 2C_2H_5OK + H_2$   
 Water –  $2K + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2KOH + H_2$   
 Ammonia –  $K + (x+y)NH_3 \rightarrow [K(NH_3)_x]^+ + [e(NH_3)_y]^-$   
Ammoniated cation  
Ammoniated electron  
 But they do not react with kerosene.
4. (b) After removal of an electron the effective nuclear charge per electron increases hence the size decreases.
5. (a) Alkali metals valence shell configuration =  $ns^1$
6. (b) Element –  $Li$   $Na$   $K$   $Rb$   $Cs$   
 Ionic radius – 76 102 138 152 167 (pm)  
 as the atomic no. increases the no. of shells increases hence, atomic radius increases.
7. (c) On moving down the group electropositive character increases.
8. (a) Carnallite –  $KCl \cdot MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$   
 Cryolite –  $Na_3AlF_6$   
 Bauxite –  $(Al_2O_3 \cdot 2H_2O)$   
 Dolomite –  $MgCO_3 \cdot CaCO_3$
10. (d) Element –  $Li$   $Na$   $K$   $Rb$   
 Atomic radius (pm) – 152 186 227 248

12. (b)  $Li$  is much softer than the other group 1 metals. Actually  $Li$  is harder than other alkali metals
13. (a)  $Cu^{+2} + 2e^- \rightarrow Cu, E^o = +0.34 V$   
 $Mg^{+2} + 2e^- \rightarrow Mg, E^o = -2.37 V$   
 $Na^+ + e^- \rightarrow Na, E^o = -2.71 V$
14. (d) Anhydrous form of  $Na_2CO_3$  does not decompose on heating even to redness. It is a amorphous powder called soda ash.
17. (c) Fehling's solution is a mixture of Alk.  $CuSO_4 + Na - K$  tartarate (Rochelle salt)
19. (b)  $2K + 2HCl \rightarrow 2KCl + H_2$  (violent reaction).
20. (b) Although lattice energy of  $LiCl$  higher than  $NaCl$  but  $LiCl$  is covalent in nature and  $NaCl$  ionic there after, the melting point decreases as we move  $NaCl$  because the lattice energy decreases as a size of alkali metal atom increases (lattice energy  $\propto$  melting point of alkali metal halide)
22. (b) It form calcium and magnesium complex with EDTA salt.
24. (a)  $LiOH < NaOH < KOH < RbOH$   
 Down the group basic character increases
25. (d)  $Na_2CO_3 \cdot 10H_2O \xrightarrow{\Delta} Na_2CO_3 \cdot H_2O \xrightarrow[\text{washing powder}]{\Delta}$   
 $Na_2CO_3 + H_2O \uparrow$
26. (b)  $Na_2CO_3, K_2CO_3$  and  $(NH_4)_2CO_3$  are soluble in water because hydration energy is more than lattice energy
29. (c)  $K_2SO_4 \cdot Al_2(SO_4)_3 \cdot 24H_2O$  potash alum it is a double salt.
31. (d) It is a colourless gas.
32. (a)  $NaHCO_3 \rightarrow Na^+ + HCO_3^-$   
 (Salt of strong base & weak acid)  
 $\downarrow$   
 $OH^- + CO_2$
33. (b)  $FeSO_4 \cdot (NH_4)_2SO_4 \cdot 6H_2O$  Mohr's salt.
35. (d)  $Ca^{+2} > Na^+ > Mg^{+2} > Al^{+3}$
36. (b)  $Li^+ + e^- \rightarrow Li, E^o = -3.05 V$   
 $K^+ + e^- \rightarrow K, E^o = -2.93 V$   
 $Ca^{+2} + 2e^- \rightarrow Ca, E^o = -2.87 V$
37. (a) Because their valence electrons are present in s- orbitals.
38. (a)  $6Li + N_2 \rightarrow 2Li_3N$  Lithium nitride.
39. (d)  $Li, Na, K$  are lighter than water but  $Rb$  is heavier than water.
42. (c)  $KF + HF \rightarrow KHF_2 = K^+ + HF_2^-$
43. (b)  $Cs > Rb > K > Na > Li$   
 Metallic character decreasing order.
45. (d)  $2Rb + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2RbOH + H_2$   
 $Li < Na < K < Rb < Cs$   
 As we go down the group reactivity with  $H_2O$  increases.
48. (b) Atomic number  $11 \rightarrow Na \rightarrow Na_2O$   
 $Na_2O + H_2O \rightarrow 2NaOH$   
(base)
51. (d) Generally ionic character decreasing from  $LiCl$  to  $NaCl$
52. (c) In castner process  $Na$  metal is made of anode.
55. (a) Fajan's rule is applied.

57. (a) Small atomic and ionic size leads to high electronegativity and hydration energy. Small atomic and ionic size leads to high electronegativity and hydration energy.
58. (c) Mohr salt is  $(FeSO_4)(NH_4)_2SO_4 \cdot 6H_2O$ .
60. (a) Sodium thiosulphate is a reducing agent which convert metallic silver into silver salt.
64. (a) In alkali metal group elements alkali means plant ash.
67. (d)  $2Na + 2NH_3 \xrightarrow{\text{heat}} 2NaNH_2 + H_2$
68. (a,b)  $2Na + \frac{1}{2}O_2 \xrightarrow{\text{moist air}} Na_2O$   
 $Na_2O + 2H_2O \longrightarrow 2NaOH + H_2$ .
69. (d)  $2KClO_3 \rightarrow 2KCl + 3O_2$ .
70. (d) Due to free electron liquid ammonia becomes paramagnetic.
72. (a) They possess highest atomic volume in their respective periods.
74. (c)  $Fe(OH)_3$  is soluble in sodium hydroxide solution.
76. (d) The cell involves the following reaction,  
 $NaCl \rightleftharpoons Na^+ + Cl^-$   
 At anode :  $2Cl^- \rightarrow 2Cl + 2e \rightarrow Cl_2$   
 At cathode :  $Na^+ + e \rightarrow Na$   
 $Na + Hg \rightarrow \text{amalgam}$   
 At anode :  $Na - \text{amalgam} \rightarrow Na^+ + Hg + e$   
 At cathode :  $2H_2O + 2e \rightarrow H_2 \uparrow + 2OH^-$
78. (a) *Li* is a more reducing agent compare to other element.
79. (b) Element – *Li Na K Rb Cs*  
 M.pt in K – 4535 370.8 336.2 312 301.5
80. (a)  $2Na + 2HOH \rightarrow 2NaOH + H_2 \uparrow$   
 $2K + 2HOH \rightarrow 2KOH + H_2 \uparrow$
82. (a) Alkali metal are good conductor of heat and electricity.
83. (c) Potassium react with halogens (chlorine) to gives violet colour flame.
84. (b) Mobility decreases from top to bottom because of the atomic size is increases.
85. (c) Lithium shows digonal relationships with *Mg*.
86. (c)  $K > Ca > C > Cl$   
 Electropositive character in decreasing order.
87. (d)  $2NaCl \xrightarrow[\text{Molten}]{\text{Electrolysis}} 2Na + Cl_2$   
 Cathode Anode
88. (b) When sodium bicarbonate ( $NaHCO_3$ ) is heated, sodium carbonate,  $CO_2$  and water are formed.  
 $2NaHCO_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} Na_2CO_3 + CO_2 \uparrow + H_2O$   
 Sodium carbonate
89. (c) Alum is used for softning of water.
90. (a) Only salts of (weak acid + strong base) and (strong acid + weak base) get hydrolysed (*i.e.*, show alkalinity or acidity in water).  $KClO_4$  is a salt of strong acid and strong base therefore it does not get hydrolysed in water.  
 $KClO_4 \rightleftharpoons K^+ + ClO_4^-$ ;  $H_2O \rightleftharpoons \underset{\text{Strong}}{OH^-} + \underset{\text{Strong}}{H^+}$   
 $\underset{\text{Strong}}{KOH} \quad \underset{\text{Strong}}{HClO_4}$
91. (c) Carbon dioxide does not help in burning, also it forms carbonate with alkali metals.
92. (a) When carbonate are heated they decompose to form the oxide. Sodium carbonate and potassium carbonate do not decompose.
- The carbonate become more difficult to decompose as we go down the group.
93. (c) Aluminium reacts with caustic soda to form sodium meta aluminate.  
 $2Al + 2NaOH + 2H_2O \rightarrow \underset{\text{Sodium meta aluminate}}{2NaAlO_2} + 3H_2 \uparrow$
94. (a) Alkaline earth metals ( $ns^2$ ) are denser than alkali metal ( $ns^1$ ) because metallic bonding in alkaline earth metal is stronger.
95. (c) Lithium is basic in nature and hence it is not amphoteric.
96. (a)  $CsOH$  of the following is most basic in character due to increase electropositive character in a group of alkali.
97. (a) Group 1 element are so highly electropositive that they emit electrons even when exposed to light (Photoelectric effect) and this character increase on moving down the group from lithium towards cesium.
98. (b) Lithium form nitride on heating with nitrogen. Lithium nitride gives ammonia when heated with  $H_2O$ . Ammonia gas form tetrammine copper complex with  $CuSO_4$  solution.  
 $6Li + N_2 \rightarrow 2Li_3N$   
 $Li_3N + 3H_2O \rightarrow 3LiOH + NH_3$   
 $CuSO_4 + 4NH_3 \rightarrow [Cu(NH_3)_4]SO_4$
99. (d) The given compound *x* must be  $CaCO_3$ . It can be explained by following reactions,  
 $CaCO_3 \xrightarrow[\text{(x)}]{\Delta} CaO + CO_2 \uparrow$ ;  $CaO + H_2O \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2$  (y)  
 $Ca(OH)_2 + CO_2 + H_2O \rightarrow Ca(HCO_3)_2$  (z)  
 $Ca(HCO_3)_2 \xrightarrow[\text{(x)}]{\Delta} CaCO_3 + CO_2 \uparrow + H_2O$
100. (c) According to Fajan's rule  $RbCl$  has greatest ionic character due to large ionic size of  $Rb^+$  ion.  $BeCl_2$  has least ionic (Maximum covalent) due to small size of  $Be^{+2}$  ion which has highly polarising.
105. (c)  $2Na + 2NH_3 \rightarrow 2NaNH_2 + H_2$
110. (d)  $2Na + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2NaOH + H_2$
112. (c) It reacts with alcohol to form sodium alkoxide  
 $2C_2H_5OH + 2Na \rightarrow 2C_2H_5ONa + H_2$
113. (a) Causticizing process (Gossage process) it is an old process and involves heating of 10% solution of  $Na_2CO_3$  with a little excess of milk of lime  $Ca(OH)_2$   
 $Na_2CO_3 + Ca(OH)_2 \rightarrow CaCO_3 \downarrow + 2NaOH$
114. (c)  $NaOH + CO \xrightarrow[5-10 \text{ atm}]{150^\circ-200^\circ C} HCOONa$
115. (a)  $2NaCl + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2NaOH + H_2 + Cl_2$
119. (b)  $NaOH$  is a deliquescent white crystalline solid. It absorbs moisture from the atmosphere.
120. (a)  $Na_2CO_3 + H_2O + 2SO_2 \rightarrow 2NaHSO_3 + CO_2$
123. (c)  $NaOH + CaO$  is called soda lime 3 : 1
124. (c) Molten sodium is used as a coolant

126. (c)  $AgBr + 2Na_2S_2O_3 \rightarrow Na_3[Ag(S_2O_3)_2] + NaBr$
128. (b)  $Na_2SO_3 + S \xrightarrow{NaOH} Na_2S_2O_3$   
Sod. thiosulphate
129. (a,b)  $2NaCl + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2NaOH + Cl_2 + H_2$   
Anode Cathode
132. (b)  $Sn + 2NaOH + H_2O \rightarrow Na_2SnO_3 + 2H_2$
135. (b)  $2NaCl + 2H_2O \xrightarrow{\text{Electrolysis}} 2NaOH + Cl_2 + H_2$   
Anode Cathode
136. (d)  $2NaCl \xrightarrow{\text{Electric current}} 2Na^+ + 2Cl^-$   
Cation Anion
138. (a)  $HgCl_2 + 2NaOH \rightarrow HgO + 2NaCl + H_2O$
139. (a) Down's cell is used for the electrolysis of fused  $NaCl$
142. (c)  $Fe(OH)_3$  does not dissolve in  $NaOH$
143. (a) Castner's process used to obtain  $Na$ , by electrolysis of sodium hydroxide.
144. (a) Excess of  $Na^+$  ion causes high B.P.
145. (b) Ferric alum is  $(NH_4)_2SO_4 \cdot Fe_2(SO_4)_3 \cdot 24H_2O$
146. (d) When  $Na$  is heated in presence of air or oxygen,  $Na$  burns to form sodium oxide and sodium peroxide.
148. (d) Pyrolusite or Manganese dioxide ( $MnO_2$ ) is a mineral of manganese.
149. (c)  $CaCl_2$  bring down the melt temperature from 1075 K to 850 K
23. (d)  $Ca(OH)_2 + Cl_2 \rightarrow CaOCl_2 + H_2O$   
Slaked lime Bleaching powder
24. (a) Strontium  $\rightarrow$  Crimson or pink colour
26. (b,c)  $Ca_3P_2 + 6H_2O \rightarrow 3Ca(OH)_2 + 2PH_3$   
 $K_3P + 3H_2O \rightarrow 3KOH + PH_3$
27. (d)  $CaCl_2 \rightarrow Ca^{+2} + 2Cl^-$   
Cathode Anode  
Cathode :  $Ca^{+2} + 2e^- \rightarrow Ca$   
Anode :  $2Cl^- \rightarrow 2e^- + Cl_2$
28. (d) Element –  $Mg$   $Al$   $Si$   $P$   
Atomic radii (Å) – 1.60 1.43 1.32 1.28  
as we move across the period nuclear charge increases, hence, size decreases.
30. (b)  $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O + 5MgO + xH_2O \rightarrow$   
 $MgCl_2 \cdot 5MgO \cdot xH_2O$   
Magnesia cement or sorrel cement
31. (d)  $ZnS + BaSO_4$  is lithopone used as white pigment.
36. (d) Aqueous  $CaCl_2$  or hydrated  $CaCl_2$  can not act as dehydrating agent.
38. (d) As we go down the group electropositive character increases because I.E. decreases.  
 $Ba$  is most electropositive element in the group.
39. (d) Due to the inert pair effect.
40. (a) Element –  $Be$   $Al$   
Electronegativity – 1.5 1.5
41. (c)  $Be > Mg > Ca > Sr > Ba$

On moving down the group lattice energy remains almost constant as the sulphate is so big that small increase in the size of the cations from  $Be$  to  $Ba$  does not make any difference. However the hydration energy decreases from  $Be^{+2}$  to  $Ba^{+2}$ . This causes decrease in the solubility of the sulphates as the ionic size increases.

42. (a) Element –  $Be$   $Mg$   $Ca$   $Sr$   $Ba$   
Electrode potential – 1.70 – 2.37 – 2.87 – 2.89 – 2.90
43. (a) Element –  $Mg$   $Ca$   $Sr$   $Ba$   
I.E. – 737 590 549 503
44. (a)  $Be$  due to diagonal relationship
45. (a)  $K^+$  is highly soluble because of high hydration energy.
47. (b)  $\underbrace{MgO}_{\text{Basic}} \underbrace{Al_2O_3}_{\text{Amphoteric}} \underbrace{SiO_2}_{\text{Acidic}} \underbrace{P_2O_5}_{\text{Acidic}}$   
 $MgO + H_2O \rightarrow Mg(OH)_2$  Base or alkali

48. (d) Duralium ( $Al = 95\%$ ,  $Cu = 4\%$ ,  $Mn = 0.5\%$ ,  $Mg = 0.5\%$ ) being light, tough and durable is used for the manufacture of aeroplanes and automobile parts.
49. (c)  $Na$   $K$   $Ba$   $Ca$   $Sr$   
Yellow Pale violet Apple green Brick red Crimson
51. (a) Magnesium burns with an intense light. Therefore  $Mg$  is used in flash bulbs for photography, fireworks and signal fires.
53. (b)  $CaO + CO_2 \rightarrow CaCO_3$   
 $CaO + H_2O \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2$
54. (a) When water is added to cement an exothermic reaction occurs. During this process, the cement reacts with water to form a gelatinous mass which slowly sets into a hard mass having three dimensional network structure involving  $-Si-O-Si-$  and  $-Si-O-Al-$  chains.

### Alkaline earth metals

2. (d)  $CaSO_4 \cdot \frac{1}{2}H_2O$  or  $(CaSO_4)_2 \cdot H_2O$
3. (a)  $CaCl_2$  because it is hygroscopic
7. (d) Setting of plaster of paris is exothermic process  
 $CaSO_4 \cdot \frac{1}{2}H_2O \xrightarrow{H_2O} CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O$   
Orthorhombic  
Hardening  $\rightarrow CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O$   
Mono orthorhombic Gypsum
- The setting is due to formation of another hydrate
10. (a)  $MgCO_3 \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} MgO + CO_2$   
The metal whose oxide is stable, its carbonate is unstable
12. (d)  $MgCl_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Electrolysis}} Mg^{+2} + 2Cl^-$   
(Molten) Cation Anion  
Anode –  $2Cl^- \rightarrow 2Cl + 2e^-$ ,  $Cl + Cl \rightarrow Cl_2$   
Cathode –  $Mg^{+2} + 2e^- \rightarrow Mg$
13. (a) Because of small atomic size and high I.E.  $Be$  forms covalent chloride.
16. (d)  $BeSO_4$  is most soluble because hydration energy is more than lattice energy.  
 $BeSO_4 > MgSO_4 > CaSO_4 > SrSO_4 > BaSO_4$   
Hydration energy decreases hence, solubility decreases.
19. (b)  $2(CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O) \xrightarrow{120^\circ C} 2CaSO_4 \cdot H_2O + 3H_2O$   
Gypsum Dehydration Plaster of paris
21. (b) Lithopone ( $ZnS + BaSO_4$ ) is used as a white pigment.

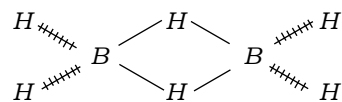
55. (b)  $CaO$  – (quick lime)  
 $Ca(OH)_2$  – (slaked lime)  
 $Ca(OH)_2 + H_2O$  – an aqueous suspension of  $Ca(OH)_2$  in water is called lime water.  
 $CaCO_3$  (lime stone).
57. (d) Lime stone –  $CaCO_3$   
Clay – silica and alumina  
Gypsum –  $CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O$
59. (b) Because hydration energy decreases down the group.
63. (d)  $Be$  does not react with water.
64. (a) (i) Small atomic size.  
(ii) High electronegativity  
(iii) Absence of  $d$  orbitals
65. (a)  $Ba(OH)_2 > Sr(OH)_2 > Ca(OH)_2 > Mg(OH)_2$   
Solubility decreasing order.
66. (d) Solubility increasing top to bottom.
67. (a)  $Be$  to  $Ba$  ionic character increasing.
70. (a)  $Ca + 2H_2O \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2 + H_2$   
 $CaH_2 + 2H_2O \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2 + 2H_2$
72. (a) They are denser than alkali metals because they can be packed more tightly to their greater charge and smaller radii.
76. (d)  $Be(OH)_2 < Mg(OH)_2 < Ca(OH)_2 < Sr(OH)_2 < Ba(OH)_2$   
On moving down the group basic character increases.
77. (b)  $Mg(OH)_2$   $Mg$  is most electropositive element amongst the given elements.
78. (d) Lime stone =  $CaCO_3$   
Quick lime =  $CaO$   
Slaked lime =  $Ca(OH)_2$
79. (c) As we go down the group I.E. decreases. Hence,  $Ba$  can easily give electrons. Therefore strongest reducing agent.
80. (c)  $CaSO_4 \cdot \frac{1}{2}H_2O + \frac{1}{2}H_2O \rightarrow CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O$   
Plaster of paris Hard mass
82. (a)  $BeCl_2 < MgCl_2 < CaCl_2 < BaCl_2$   
As we go down the group I.E. decreases. Hence ionic character increases.
83. (c)  $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O \xrightarrow{\text{heat}} MgO + 5H_2O + 2HCl$
84. (a) The solubility of hydroxides of alkaline earth metals in water increases on moving down the group.
85. (c) Bleaching action of  $Cl_2$  in moist condition is permanent.  
 $Cl_2 + H_2O \rightarrow HCl + HClO$   
 $HClO \rightarrow HCl + O$   
 $Cl_2 + H_2O \rightarrow 2HCl + O$   
Coloured matter + nascent oxygen  $\rightarrow$  colourless matter
86. (d) The solubility of hydroxides of alkaline earth metals in water increases on moving down the group.
87. (c)  $CO_2$  escapes simultaneously.
88. (d) It consist of high lattice energy and lowest hydration energy.
90. (a) It is a  $s$ -block elements.
91. (b) Barium  $Ba_{56}$  is a alkali earth metal.
92. (c) Thermal stability increasing from top to bottom.
94. (b) On moving down the group; Lattice energy decreases with increase in size of cation.
96. (d)  $BaSO_4$  is sparingly soluble in water because the solubility of second group sulphates decreases with increasing atomic size. Because of hydration energy decreases.
97. (d) Beryllium because of small atomic size and high ionization energy.
99. (a)  $\frac{Mg < Ca < Sr < Ba < Ra}{\text{Ionic nature increases}} \rightarrow$   
as we go down the group ionic nature increases because I.E. decreases.
100. (b)  $CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O$  – Gypsum  
 $CaSO_4 \cdot \frac{1}{2}H_2O$  – Plaster of paris
101. (b)  $Ca + \frac{1}{2}O_2 \rightarrow CaO$ .
102. (c) Calcium cyanamide is the slow acting nitrogenous fertilizer as it decompose very slowly.  
 $CaNCN + 2H_2O \rightarrow CaCO_3 + \underset{\text{Urea}}{NH_2CONH_2}$   
 $NH_2CONH_2 + H_2O \rightarrow CO_2 + 2NH_3$   
 $NH_3 \xrightarrow[\text{bacteria}]{\text{Nitrifying}} \text{Soluble nitrates} \rightarrow \text{Plants}$
103. (a) Plaster of paris  $[(CaSO_4)_2H_2O]$  is used in surgery for setting of bones, dentistry and manufacturing of statues. It is prepared as follows,  
 $2CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O \xrightarrow{125^\circ C} (CaSO_4)_2 \cdot H_2O + 3H_2O$   
Plaster of paris
104. (b) Due to electropositive and reactive in nature, magnesium is readily converted into positive ions on contact with iron pipes and hence, iron pipes remains as it is.
105. (c) A binary compound is one made of two different elements. These can be one of each element such as  $CuCl$  or  $FeO$ . These can also be several of each element such as  $Fe_2O_3$  or  $SnBr_4$ . Metal which have variable oxidation number can form more than one type of binary compound like  $Fe$  shows the oxidation state +2 and +3. Hence it forms two type of binary compound *e.g.*,  $FeCl_2, FeCl_3$ .
106. (a) Diagonal relationship: elements of 2<sup>nd</sup> period often show resemblance to the element of the III<sup>rd</sup> period diagonally placed to it. This type of behaviour is called as diagonal relationship  $Li$  shows the diagonal relationship with  $Mg$ .
107. (a)  $MgCl_2 + 2NaHCO_3 \rightarrow Mg(HCO_3)_2(aq) + 2NaCl$   
 $Mg(HCO_3)_2(aq) \xrightarrow{\Delta} MgCO_3 \downarrow + H_2O + CO_2 \uparrow$   
(White ppt.)
108. (c) We know that  
 $MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} MgCl_2 + 6H_2O$   
Thus in this reaction magnesium dichloride is produced.
109. (d) Magnesium burns in  $CO$  to produce  
 $Mg + CO \rightarrow MgO + C$
110. (d) Sorel's cement is,  $MgCl_2 \cdot 5MgO \cdot xH_2O$
111. (b) Colemanite is a mineral of boron having composition as  $Ca_2B_6O_{11} \cdot 5H_2O$ .

## Boron family

3. (a)  $B_2O_3 + 3C + 3Cl_2 \rightarrow 2BCl_3 + 3CO$

$BCl_3$  is obtained by passing chlorine over the heated mixture of  $B_2O_3$  and powdered charcoal.

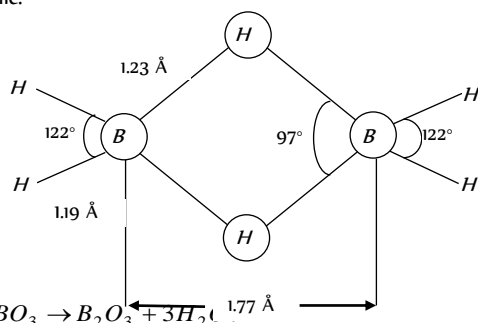
6. (d)  $B_2H_6$  has two types of  $B-H$  bonds



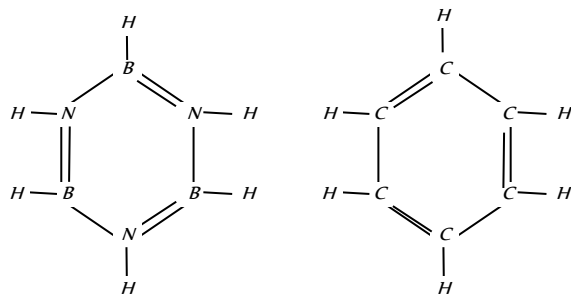
$B-H$  119 pm (Terminal bond)

$B-H$  134 pm (Bridge bond)

12. (b) Diltney in 1921 proposed a bridge structure for diborane. Four hydrogen atoms, two on the left and two on the right, known as terminal hydrogens and two boron atoms lie in the same plane. Two hydrogen atoms forming bridges, one above and other below, lie in a plane perpendicular to the rest of molecule.

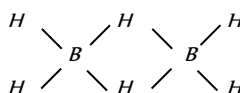


15. (c)  $2H_3BO_3 \rightarrow B_2O_3 + 3H_2O$
16. (a,c,d)  $Al_2Cl_6$ ,  $In_2Cl_6$ ,  $Ga_2Cl_6$
17. (a) Liquified  $Ga$  expand on solidification  $Ga$  is less electropositive in nature, it has the weak metallic bond so it expand on solidification.
18. (d)  $Al_2Cl_6 + 12H_2O \rightleftharpoons 2[Al(H_2O)_6]^{3+} + 6Cl^-$
19. (e)  $B_4C$  is the hardest substance along with diamond.
20. (a) Borazine  $B_3N_3H_6$ , is isoelectronic to benzene and hence, is called inorganic benzene some physical properties of benzene and borazine are also similar.

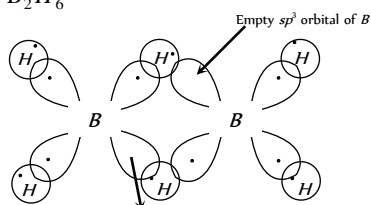


21. (c) Except  $B(OH)_3$  all other hydroxide are of metallic hydroxide having the basic nature  $B(OH)_3$  are the hydroxide of nonmetal showing the acidic nature.
22. (c) Moissan boron is amorphous boron, obtained by reduction of  $B_2O_3$  with  $Na$  or  $Mg$ . It has 95-98% boron and is black in colour.

23. (d) Boron form different hydride of general formula  $B_nH_{n+4}$  and  $B_nH_{n+6}$  but  $BH_3$  is unknown.
24. (c) Alumina is amphoteric oxide, which reacts acid as well as base.
25. (a)  $Al$  is the most abundant metal in the earth crust.
29. (a)  $AlCl_3 \cdot 6H_2O \xrightarrow{\Delta} Al(OH)_3 + 3HCl + 3H_2O$   
Thus  $AlCl_3$  can not be obtained by this method
30. (d) Amphoteric substance can react with both acid and base.
33. (c)  $2Al + 6HCl \rightarrow 2AlCl_3 + 3H_2$
34. (c)  $Al \rightarrow III \text{ group} \rightarrow \text{Forms } Al_2O_3$
35. (d)  $2KOH + 2Al + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2KAlO_2 + 3H_2$
37. (c)  $Na_2CO_3 + H_2O \rightarrow 2NaOH + CO_2$   
 $2NaOH + 2Al + 6H_2O \rightarrow 2Na[Al(OH)_4] + 3H_2$
41. (c)  $B(OH)_3 \rightleftharpoons H_3BO_3$  Boric acid  
 $Al(OH)_3 \rightleftharpoons \text{Amphoteric}$
45. (b)  $FeSO_4 \cdot (NH_4)_2SO_4 \cdot 6H_2O$
46. (b)  $Al_2O_3$  is an amphoteric oxide.
47. (c) Aluminium oxide is highly stable therefore, it is not Reduced by chemical reactions.
48. (d) Aluminium is used as reducing agent in metallurgy.
49. (a)  $Al$  is used as reducing agent in thermite process.
50. (c) In Goldschmidt aluminothermic process, thermite contains 3 parts of  $Fe_2O_3$  and 1 part of  $Al$ .
51. (c) For the purification of red bauxite which contains iron oxide as impurity  $\rightarrow$  Baeyer's process. For the purification of white bauxite which contains silica as the main impurity Serpeck's process.
52. (b) In Hall's process  
 $Al_2O_3 \cdot 2H_2O + Na_2CO_3 \rightarrow 2NaAlO_2 + CO_2 + 2H_2O$   
 $2NaAlO_2 + 3H_2O + CO_2 \xrightarrow{333 K}$   
 $2Al(OH)_3 \downarrow + Na_2CO_3$   
 $2Al(OH)_3 \xrightarrow{1473 K} Al_2O_3 + 3H_2O$
54. (d) Cryolite  $Na_3AlF_6$   
(1) Decreases the melting point of alumina  
(2) Increases conductivity of the solution
55. (b) Cryolite  $Na_3AlF_6$  is added  
(1) To decrease the melting temp from  $2323 K$  to  $1140 K$   
(2) To increase the electrical conductivity of solution
61. (d) Iron oxide impurity - Baeyer's process  
Silica impurity - Serpeck's process
64. (b) Cryolite is added to lower the melting point of alumina and to increase the electrical conductivity.
65. (c) The purification of alumina can be done by Baeyer's process.
67. (c) In electrolytic method of obtaining aluminium from purified bauxite, cryolite is added to charge because it reduces the melting point of Bauxite (from  $1200^\circ C$  to  $800^\circ - 900^\circ C$ ) and also it increases electrical conductivity of mixture.
68. (a) Hoop's process  $\Rightarrow$  Purification of  $Al$   
Hall and Heroult process  $\Rightarrow$  Reduction of  $Al_2O_3$   
Baeyer's and Serpeck's process  $\Rightarrow$  Concentration of Bauxite ore
74. (a)



$$3c - 2e : B-H-B; \quad 2c - 2e : H-B-H$$

75. (a)  $B_2H_6$ 

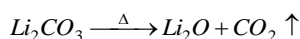
76. (b) Pure alumina is a bad conductor of electricity and the fusion temperature of pure alumina is about  $2000^\circ\text{C}$  and at this temperature when the electrolysis is carried of fused mass the metal formed vapourises as the boiling point of  $Al$  is  $1800^\circ\text{C}$ . To overcome this difficulty,  $Na_3AlF_6$  and  $CaF_2$  are mixed with alumina.

77. (a) Concentration of Lewis acid of boron tri halides is increased in following order.  $BF_3 < BCl_3 < BBr_3 < BI_3$ .

### Carbon family

3. (d) It react with alkali as well as acid.

6. (a) Among alkali metal carbonates only  $Li_2CO_3$  decomposes.



7. (b) Propyne can be prepared by the hydrolysis of magnesium carbide.



10. (d) Generally red lead decompose into  $PbO$  and  $O_2$ .

11. (c)  $CO_2$  is acidic oxide and thus more effectively absorbed by an alkali.

12. (b)  $CaC_2$  have one sigma and two  $\pi$  bond.

13. (d)  $C$  and  $Si$  are non-metal and  $Pb$  is a metal.

16. (a)  $SiO_2 + 2Mg \rightarrow Si + 2MgO$ .

17. (b) Generally IV group element shows catenation tendency and carbon has more catenation power.

18. (b) Metal oxides or some salts are fused with glass to impart colour of glass.

19. (d)  $Al_2(CO_3)_3$  is less soluble in water than  $Na_2CO_3$ ,  $ZnCO_3$ .

20. (d) The inert pair effect is most prominent in  $Pb$  because from top to bottom due to increase in number of shells.

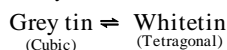
25. (c)  $Co + NaOH \xrightarrow{200^\circ\text{C}} HCOONa$   
Sod. formate

27. (c) Sodium oxalate react with conc.  $H_2SO_4$  to form  $CO$  and  $CO_2$  gas.

33. (d) It is hydrolysed with water to form a  $Si(OH)_4$ .

35. (b) When hydrogen peroxide react with  $PbS$  then they form  $PbSO_4$ .

36. (b) Grey tin is very brittle and easily crumbles down to a powder in very cold climates.



The change of white tin to grey tin is accompanied by increase in volume. This is called tin disease or tin plague.

37. (c) Solid  $CO_2$  is known as dry ice because it evaporates at  $-78^\circ\text{C}$  without changing in the liquid state.

38. (b) Zeolite have  $SiO_4$  and  $AlO_4$  tetrahedrons linked together in a three dimensional open structure in which four or six membered ring predominate. Due to open chain structure they have cavities and can take up water and other small molecules.

39. (b) Crook's glass is a special type of glass containing cerium oxide. It does not allow the passage of ultra violet ray and is used for making lenses.

40. (b) Inert pair effect become significant for the 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> period of p-block element.

41. (a) Carbon suboxide has linear structure with  $C-C$  bond length equal to  $130 \text{ \AA}$  and  $C-O$  bond length equal to  $120 \text{ \AA}$ .



42. (c)  $Pb_3O_4$  is a mixed oxide. It can be represented as  $2PbO \cdot PbO_2$ .

43. (b) Noble gases are found in very minute amount in atmosphere. These are separated from each other by using coconut charcoal. Which adsorb different gas at different temperature.

44. (c) Lapis Lazuli is a rock composed mainly of the following mineral, lazurite, hauynite, sodalite, nosean, calcite, pyrite, lapis lazuli is actually sulphur containing, sodium aluminium silicate having chemical composition  $3Na_2O \cdot 3Al_2O_3 \cdot 6SiO_2 \cdot 2Na_2S$ .

45. (d) In carbon family stability +2 oxidation state increases on moving down the group in the periodic table with an increase in atomic number due to screening effect.

46. (c) Tin is oxidised to meta stannic acid when it is treated with nitric acid.



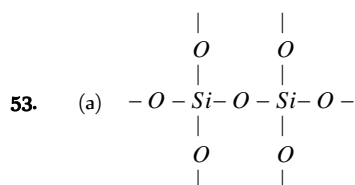
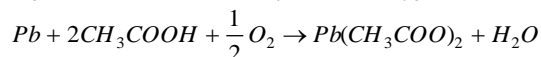
47. (c)  $Pb + Sn$

49. (d) Three dimensional sheet structures are formed when three oxygen atoms of each  $[SiO_4]^-$  tetrahedral are shared.

50. (a)  $Pb_3O_4 \Rightarrow$  Red lead (Sindhur)

51. (c) White lead  $\Rightarrow 2PbCO_3 \cdot Pb(OH)_2$

52. (c) Organic acids dissolve lead in presence of oxygen



55. (a)  $S^2P^2$  Total 4 valence electrons  $\Rightarrow$  IV group

56. (c)  $PbCl_2$  is most ionic because on going down the group the metallic character increases and also the inert pair effect predominates.

58. (b) Type metal  $Pb = 82\%$ ,  $Sb = 15\%$ ,  $Sn = 3\%$

60. (b) Sugar of lead  $(CH_3COO)_2Pb \Rightarrow$  lead acetate

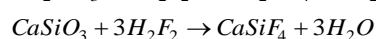
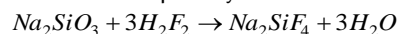
63. (d)  $Pb \Rightarrow 11.34 \text{ g/ml}$  Heaviest

64. (c)  $Pb_3O_4$  is a mixed oxide of  $2PbO + PbO_2$

67. (c) Boron ( $B$ ),  $Si$ ,  $Ge$ ,  $As$ ,  $Sb$ , and  $At$  are the metalloid elements. Bismuth ( $Bi$ ) and tin ( $Sn$ ) are metals while carbon ( $C$ ) is non-metal.

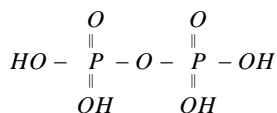
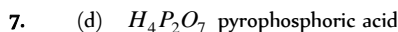
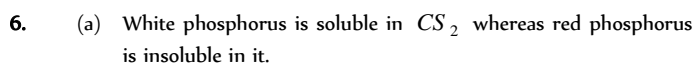
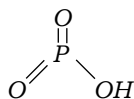
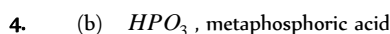
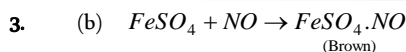
68. (a)  $Al_4C_3 + 12H_2O \rightarrow 3CH_4 + 4Al(OH)_3$

69. (b) Glass being a mixture of sodium and calcium silicates reacts with hydrofluoric acid forming sodium and calcium fluorosilicates respectively.

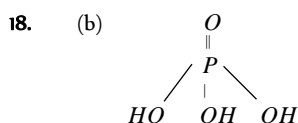
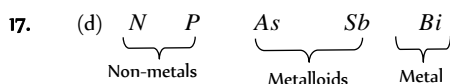
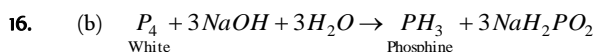
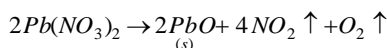
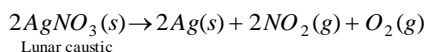
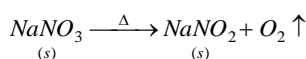
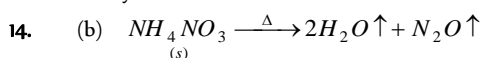
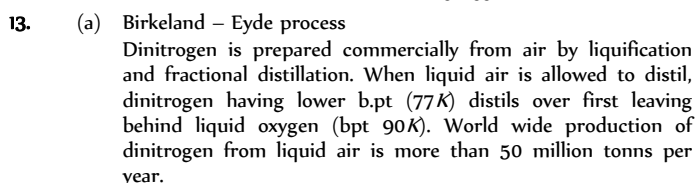
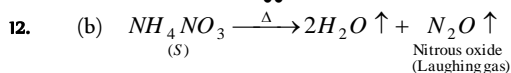
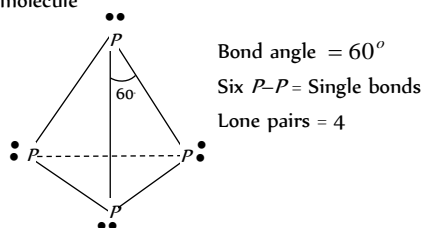
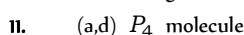
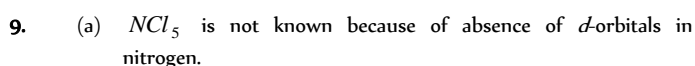
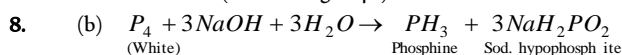


The etching of glass is based on these reactions.

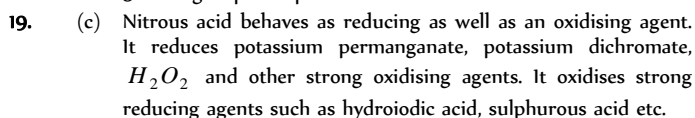
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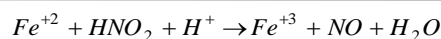
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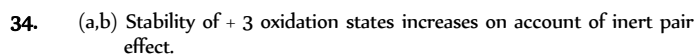
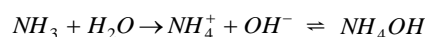
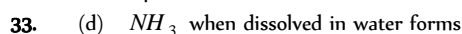
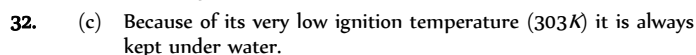
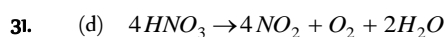
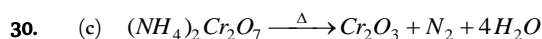
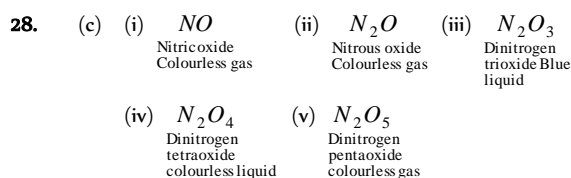
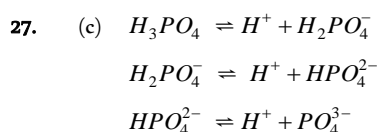
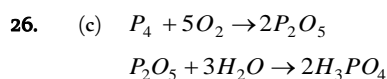
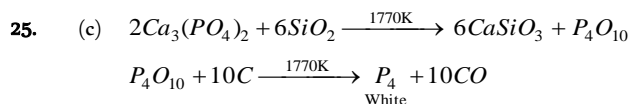
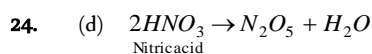
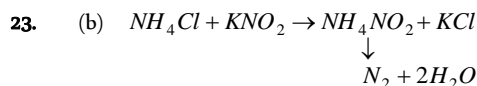
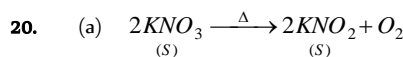
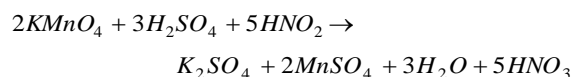
3 - OH groups are present hence it is tribasic.



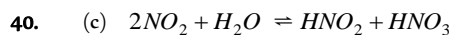
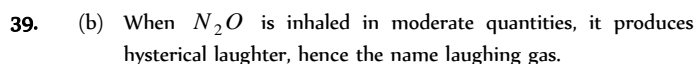
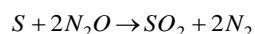
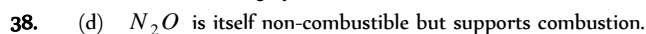
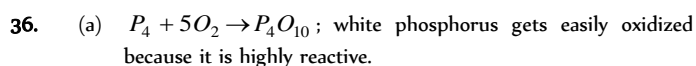
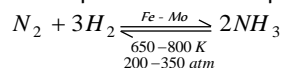
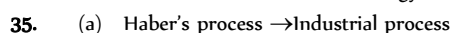
It oxidises  $Fe^{+2}$  into  $Fe^{+3}$  in acidic medium;



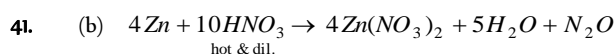
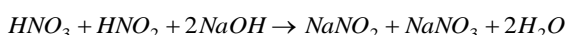
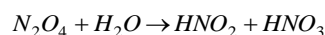
It reduces acidified  $KMnO_4$ .



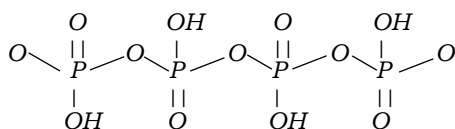
Reducing character of hydrides increases down the group because bond dissociation energy decreases down the group.



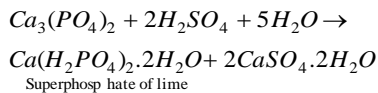
When dissolved in water, gives a mixture of nitrous acid and nitric acid.



42. (a)
- $(HPO_3)_n$
- Polymetaphosphoric acid



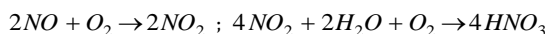
43. (b) Superphosphate of lime – It is a mixture of calcium dihydrogen phosphate and gypsum and is obtained by treating phosphatic rock with conc.
- $H_2SO_4$



44. (d)
- $3NaOH + H_3PO_4 \rightarrow Na_3PO_4 + 3H_2O$

46. (d)
- $4NH_3 + 5O_2 \xrightarrow[1100\text{ K}]{Pt} 4NO + 6H_2O$

$NO$  is used in the preparation of  $HNO_3$

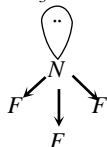


47. (d)
- $P_4 + 20HNO_3 \rightarrow 4H_3PO_4 + 20NO_2 + 4H_2O$

49. (b)
- $\underbrace{P_2O_3 \quad A_2O_3 \quad B_2O_3}_{\text{Acidic oxides}} \quad \underbrace{Bi_2O_3}_{\text{Alkaline}}$

50. (b)
- $P_2O_3 + 3H_2O \rightarrow 2H_3PO_3$

51. (a)
- $NF_3$



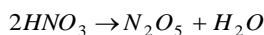
It is least basic because of the high electronegativity of  $3F$  atoms. The lone pair present on nitrogen atom is not easily available for donation.

52. (d)
- $3H_2O + PCl_3 \rightarrow H_3PO_3 + 3HCl$

53. (c) Due to less reactivity of red phosphorus

54. (d)
- $NO_2$
- brown coloured gas.

55. (d)
- $N_2O_5$
- is an anhydride of
- $HNO_3$



Therefore, it can act only as oxidising agent.

56. (c)
- $NH_4NO_2 \xrightarrow{\text{(Oxidation number)}} NH_4^+ + NO_2^-$

\*

57. (b)
- $P_4O_8$

$$4x + (-2 \times 8) = 0$$

$$4x - 16 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{16}{4} = +4$$

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58. (c)
- $NH_2OH$

$$x + 2 + (-2) + 1 = 0$$

$$x + 2 - 2 + 1 = 0$$

$$x = -1$$

60. (c)
- $NH_3 > PH_3 > AsH_3 > SbH_3$

On moving down the group atomic size increases and availability of lone pair decreases. Hence, basic character decreases.

61. (a)
- $PH_3 > AsH_3 > SbH_3 > BiH_3$

On moving down the group bond energy decreases. Hence, stability decreases.

62. (d) Due to absence of
- $d$
- orbitals in
- $N$
- atom, it cannot accept electrons from
- $H_2O$
- for hydrolysis of
- $NF_3$
- .

63. (b)
- $NH_3$
- is most thermally stable hydride. Hence, electrolysis temperature is maximum.

64. (a) Phosphorus is kept in water due to it burnt at
- $30^\circ C$
- .

66. (c)
- $BiCl_3 + H_2O \rightarrow BiOCl + 2HCl$

67. (c) When the black ppt. of
- $Bi_2S_3$
- is dissolved in 50%
- $HNO_3$
- and a solution of
- $NH_4OH$
- is added. A white ppt. of
- $Bi(OH)_3$
- is obtained.

69. (a) Atmospheric nitrogen is inert and unreactive because of very high bond energy (
- $945 \text{ kJ/mole}$
- ).

70. (b) Bismuth does not show allotropy other elements show allotropy.

Nitrogen  $\rightarrow \alpha$ -nitrogen and  $\beta$ -nitrogen (solid crystalline forms)

Phosphorus  $\rightarrow$  White, Red and Black forms

Arsenic  $\rightarrow$  Yellow and Grey forms

Antimony  $\rightarrow$  Yellow and Grey forms

71. (a) Nitrogen does not form complexes because of the absence of
- $d$
- orbitals.

72. (a)
- $NH_3$
- is a strongest base because Lone pair is easily available for donation.

74. (b) Hydride
- $NH_3 \quad PH_3 \quad AsH_3 \quad SbH_3 \quad BiH_3$

Boling point  $238.5 \quad 185.5 \quad 210.6 \quad 254.6 \quad 290$

75. (a)
- $NCl_3$
- is highly reactive and unstable. Hence it is explosive.

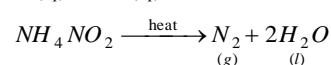
76. (b)
- $\underbrace{N_2O_3 \quad P_2O_3 \quad As_2O_3}_{\text{Acidic}} \quad \underbrace{Sb_2O_3}_{\text{Amphoteric}} \quad \underbrace{Bi_2O_3}_{\text{Basic}}$

Acidic character decreases down the group

77. (c)
- $SbCl_2$
- is not exists because

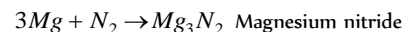
$V^-$  group elements normally show  $+3$  and  $+5$  oxidation state.

78. (b)
- $NH_4Cl + NaNO_2 \rightarrow NH_4NO_2 + NaCl$



79. (c)
- $NH_4NO_2 \rightarrow N_2 + 2H_2O$

80. (d)
- $6Li + N_2 \rightarrow 2Li_3N$
- Lithium nitride



81. (d)
- $N \equiv N$
- bond energy is very high
- $945 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
- .

83. (d)
- $N_7 \rightarrow 1s^2, 2s^2, 2p^3$

$d$ -orbitals are absent in nitrogen.

85. (d)
- $NH_4NO_3 \xrightarrow{\text{heat}} N_2O + 2H_2O$

(Laughing gas)

86. (d)
- $NH_2OH + HNO_2 \rightarrow H_2N_2O_2 + H_2O$

87. (c)
- $N_2O$
- is a linear molecule

88. (b)
- $2HNO_2 \rightarrow H_2O + N_2O_3$

89. (d)
- $2HNO_3 \rightarrow H_2O + N_2O_5$

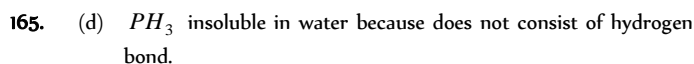
90. (c)
- $2Pb(NO_3)_2 \rightarrow 2PbO + 4NO_2 + O_2$

91. (a)
- $2Pb(NO_3)_2 \rightarrow 2PbO + 4NO_2 + O_2$

92. (b)
- $3Cu + 8HNO_3 \rightarrow 3Cu(NO_3)_2 + 4H_2O + 2NO$

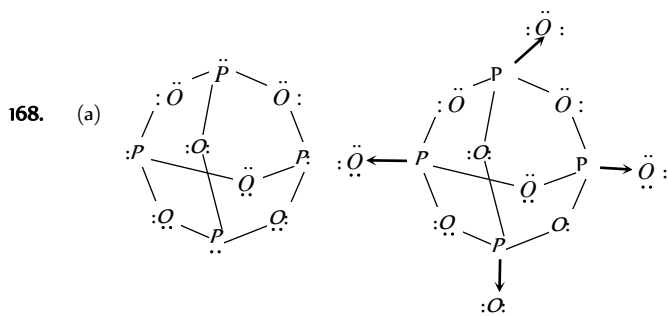
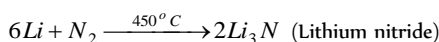
93. (d) In upper atmosphere
- $NO$
- is formed by lightning flash.







167. (a) Nitrogen react with metal to form a nitride.

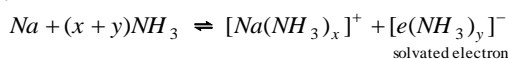


169. (b) It is a salt of pyrophosphoric acid  $H_4P_2O_7^{PO}$ .

172. (d) Copper react with conc. nitric acid to form a nitric oxide.

173. (a)  $N_2O$  on account of stimulating effect on nervous system.

174. (d) Sodium metal in liq.  $NH_3$  solution shows strong reducing power due to solvated electron.



175. (c)  $PH_3 + 4Cl_2 \rightarrow PCl_5 + 3HCl$

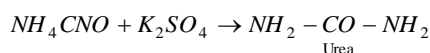
178. (c) Generally  $P_2O_5$  are used as a dehydrating agent.

180. (a) Phosphorus show +5 valency.

181. (b) In the Haber process for the manufacture of  $NH_3$ ,  $Fe$  is used catalyst and  $Mo$  as a promotre.

182. (a) On adding excess of ammonium hydroxide to a copper chloride solution a deep blue solution of  $[Cu(NH_3)_4]^{2+}$  ion is formed.

183. (d)  $(NH_4)_2SO_4 + KCNO \rightarrow$



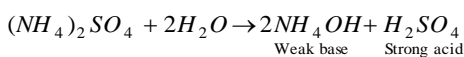
185. (a) Nitric acid turns the skin yellow because it reacts with protein giving a yellow compound called xanthoprotein.

186. (d) Ammonium sulphate is a nitrogenous fertilizers.

187. (d) Ammonia generally prepared by the Haber's process.

192. (a)  $H_3PO_2$  is hypophosphorus acid

193. (c)  $(NH_4)_2SO_4$  is a salt of weak base & strong acid

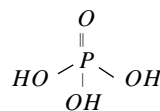
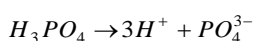


194. (a) One part of concentrated  $HNO_3$  and 3 parts concentrated  $HCl$  form aquaregia.

196. (c) -3 to +5  $PH_3$  (-3) and  $H_3PO_4$  (+5)

199. (b)  $BiCl_5$  does not exist because +3 oxidation state of  $Bi$  is more stable than +5 due to inert pair effect.

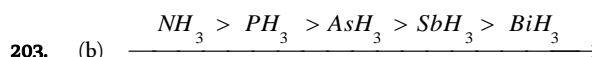
200. (c)  $H_3PO_3 \rightarrow$  Tribasic acid  $\rightarrow$  3 - OH groups are present



201. (d)  $Na_2HPO_4 \rightarrow Na_2PO_4^- + H^+$

It can give  $H^+$  ion in solution.

202. (c)  $\ddot{N}H_3$  and  $\ddot{P}H_3$  both are basic because of the presence of lone pair of electrons.



Stability decreases down the group because bond energy decreases down the group.

204. (a) Nitrogen forms  $NH_3$  which is most basic.

205. (b)  $H_3PO_3$  is a diabasic acid. It forms two types of salts  $NaH_2PO_3$  and  $Na_2HPO_3$ .

206. (a)  $NH_2 - CO - NH_2 + 2HNO_2 \rightarrow CO_2 + 3H_2O + 2N_2$

	I	II	III	IV	V
Element -	N	P	As	Sb	Bi
Atomic no.	7	15	33	51	83

210. (c) it is ionizes in three steps because three - OH group are present.

212. (c)  $Ca_3P_2 + 3H_2O \rightarrow 3Ca(OH)_2 + 2PH_3$

213. (d)  $(NH_4)_2Cr_2O_7 \rightarrow N_2 + Cr_2O_3 + 4H_2O$

214. (b)  $B > P > As > Bi$

As we go down the group bond angle decreases because repulsion between bonded pairs of electron decreases.

215. (b,c)  $3NH_3 + OCl^- \rightarrow NH_2 - NH_2 + NH_4Cl + OH^-$

217. (a) Acidic character of oxides decreases down the group.

218. (d)  $N_7 - 1s^2, 2s^2, 2p^3$

d-orbitals absent in second sub-shell.

220. (c)  $N_2$  can form  $NCl_3$ ,  $N_2O_5$  and  $Ca_3N_2$  but does not form  $NCl_5$ .

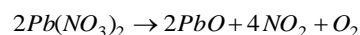
221. (a) Highest oxidation state is +5 which remains unchanged.

222. (a) Hypophosphorus acid ( $H_3PO_2$ ) is a monobasic acid which act as reducing agent. In this molecule two  $P - H$  bonds are responsible for its reducing character and one  $O - H$  bond is responsible for its monobasic acid character.

223. (a) Bone black is the polymorphic form of phosphorus.

224. (b) Nitrous oxide is known as Laughing gas.

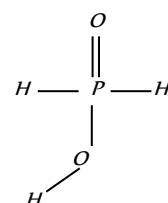
225. (a) We know that,



So nitric oxide ( $NO_2$ ) is produced.

226. (d) Phosphorus exist as solid at  $27^\circ C$  and 1 atmospheric pressure (m.p. of white phosphorus =  $44^\circ C$ )

227. (b) We know that,  $4HNO_3 + P_4O_{10} \rightarrow 4HPO_3 + 2N_2O_5$  The product is dinitrogen pentaoxide ( $N_2O_5$ ).

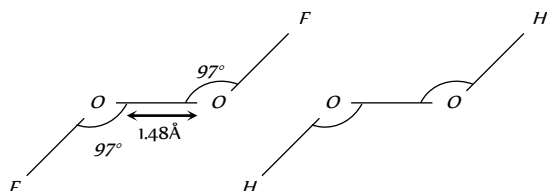


228. (b) Hypophosphorous acid is  $H_3PO_2$ .
229. (b)  $NO(g) + NO_2(g) \xrightarrow{-30^\circ C} N_2O_3(l)$   
(Blue)
230. (c) The ignition temperature of black phosphorus is highest among all allotropes.
231. (a)  $(NH_4)_2Cr_2O_7 \xrightarrow{\Delta} N_2 \uparrow + Cr_2O_3 + 4H_2O$   
 $NH_4NO_2 \xrightarrow{\Delta} N_2 \uparrow + 2H_2O$
232. (a) Nitrogen shows +I to +V, all oxidation states.
233. (c) Boiling points of  $SbH_3$  (254 K),  $NH_3$  (238 K),  $AsH_3$  (211 K) and  $PH_3$  (185 K) therefore boiling points are of the order  $SbH_3 > NH_3 > AsH_3 > PH_3$ .
234. (a) Because phosphorous is most electronegative element out of P, Bi, Sb and C.
235. (d)  $Ca_3(PO_4)_2 + 3SiO_2 \rightarrow 3CaSiO_3 + P_2O_5$
236. (a) When a solid compound on heating change into gaseous state without changing into liquid state, the phenomenon is known as sublimation. e.g.,  $I_2$ ,  $NH_4Cl$  and camphor.
237. (b) 16 bond by its structure.
238. (d) Phosphorus is a non-metallic element. It form's acidic oxide.
239. (b)  $2NO_2 + H_2O \rightarrow HNO_2 + HNO_3$   
Mixed acid anhydride
240. (c) Oxidation number of As in  $H_2AsO_4^-$   
 $2 + x - 8 = -1$   
 $x - 6 = -1$   
 $x = 5$
241. (a) The inorganic nitrogen exists in the form of ammonia, which may be lost as gas to the atmosphere, may be acted upon by nitrifying bacteria, or may be taken up directly by plants.
20. (a) Paramagnetism because of two unpaired electrons in the antibonding molecular orbitals.
21. (a)  $2Na_2SO_3 + O_2 \rightarrow 2Na_2SO_4$
24. (c)  $3O_2 \xrightleftharpoons[\text{electric discharge}]{\text{silent}} 2O_3$
28. (b)  $O_3 \rightarrow O_2 + [O]$   
 $2KI + H_2O + [O] \rightarrow 2KOH + I_2$   
 $2KI + H_2O + O_3 \rightarrow 2KOH + I_2 + O_2$
32. (d)  $2KMnO_4 + 3H_2SO_4 + 5H_2S \rightarrow$   
 $K_2SO_4 + 2MnSO_4 + 8H_2O + 5S$
33. (a)  $Cu + 2H_2SO_4 \rightarrow CuSO_4 + 2H_2O + SO_2$
35. (a) The minimum and maximum oxidation number of S are -2 and +6 respectively. Since the oxidation number of S in  $SO_2$  is +4, therefore it can be either increased or decreased. Therefore  $SO_2$  behaves both as an oxidising as well as reducing agent.
36. (a)  $2H_2S + SO_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O + 3S$   
reducing agent      oxidising agent
37. (d)  $K_2Cr_2O_7 + H_2SO_4 + 3SO_2 \rightarrow$   
 $K_2SO_4 + Cr_2(SO_4)_3 + 3H_2O$   
Green
39. (a)  $SO_2 + 2Mg \rightarrow 2MgO + S$
40. (a)  $2H_2O + SO_2 \rightarrow H_2SO_4 + 2[H]$  (nascent hydrogen)  
Coloured flower +  $2[H] \rightarrow$  Colourless flower
41. (c)  $H_2SO_3 + 2NaOH \rightarrow Na_2SO_3 + 2H_2O$   
Sodium sulphite
42. (a)  $H_2O + SO_3 \rightarrow H_2SO_4$
43. (d)  $H_2SO_4 + SO_3 \rightarrow H_2S_2O_7$   
(oleum)
45. (b)  $2Ag + 2H_2SO_4 \rightarrow Ag_2SO_4 + 2H_2O + SO_2$   
Reducing agent      Oxidising agent
46. (a) Only dehydrating agent  
 $HCOOH \xrightarrow{H_2SO_4} CO + H_2O$
48. (b)  $COOH \xrightarrow{\text{conc. } H_2SO_4} H_2O + CO + CO_2$   
COOH
51. (d)  $H_2SO_4 + SO_3 \rightarrow H_2S_2O_7$   
(Oleum or Fuming  $H_2SO_4$ )
53. (d)  $S_2O_7^{2-}$   
 $\begin{array}{c} O \quad O \\ || \quad || \\ ^-O-S-O-S-O^- \\ || \quad || \\ O \quad O \end{array}$
55. (d)  $Na_2SO_3 + S \rightarrow Na_2S_2O_3$
56. (b)  $Na_2S_2O_3 + Cl_2 + H_2O \rightarrow Na_2SO_4 + 2HCl + S$
58. (c)  $AgBr + 2Na_2S_2O_3 \rightarrow Na_3[Ag(S_2O_3)_2] + NaBr$
60. (a)  $SO_2 + 2H_2S \rightarrow 3S + 2H_2O$
63. (a)  $2H_2S + O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O + 2S$
64. (a) Mixture of  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  and conc.  $H_2SO_4$  is known as chromic acid.

## Oxygen family

2. (c) Sulphur –  
(1) Monoclinic (2) Rhombic (3) Plastic
4. (c)  $S + O_2 \rightarrow SO_2$
5. (a)  $\frac{1}{8}S_8 + 2e^- \rightarrow S^{2-}$
6. (c)  $2H_2O + 2F_2 \rightarrow 4HF + O_2$
9. (b)  $O_8 - \begin{array}{c} 1s^2 \quad 2s^2 \quad 2p^4 \\ \boxed{\uparrow\downarrow} \quad \boxed{\uparrow\downarrow} \quad \boxed{\uparrow\downarrow} \end{array}$   
2 unpaired electrons
11. (a) Element –      O      S      Se      Te      Po  
Electronegativity –      3.5      2.5      2.4      2.1      2.0
13. (b,c)  $Na_2SO_3 + H_2SO_4 \rightarrow Na_2SO_4 + H_2O + SO_2$   
(s)      (aq)      (aq)      (l)      (g)
15. (d)  $H_2O$        $H_2S$        $H_2Se$        $H_2Te$   
104.5°      92.1°      91°      90°  
As we go down the group electronegativity decreases due to which repulsion between bonded pairs of electron also decreases. Hence, bond angle decreases.

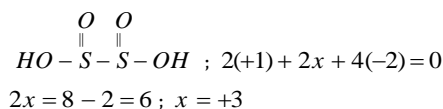
65. (c)  $H_2O$  contain hydrogen bond while no hydrogen bonding is present in  $H_2S$ .
67. (a)  $H_2O$  containing hydrogen bond.
69. (c)  $HO-SO_2-OH + PCl_5 \rightarrow Cl-SO_2-OH + POCl_3$   
 $HO-SO_2-OH + 2PCl_5 \rightarrow$   
 $Cl-SO_2-Cl + 2POCl_3 + 2HCl$   
 Sulphuryl chloride
70. (d) Mixture of  $O_2$  and  $CO_2$ .
71. (c) The bond between ( $H_2Te$ ) is weakest hence it gives  $H^+$  ion easily.
73. (c)  $KO_2$  because in  $O_2^-$  (superoxide ion) One unpaired electron is present in the antibonding orbital.
75. (b) Oxidation states are 2, 4, 6
77. (b)  $H_2O$   $H_2S$   $H_2Se$   $H_2Te$   
 373K 213K 269K 232K  
 $H_2S$  has lowest boiling point and  $H_2O$  has highest boiling point because if any compound has hydrogen bond. Its boiling point is high.
78. (c)  $V_2O_5$  catalyst are used for the manufacture of  $H_2SO_4$  by Contact process.
81. (d)  $O, S, Se$  shows polymorphism.
84. (e)  $H_2S + 2HNO_3 \rightarrow 2NO_2 + S + 2H_2O$ .
85. (b)  $O_2F_2$  is similar to that of  $H_2O_2$



87. (d) 16<sup>th</sup> group called chalcogens (oxygen family) while  $Na$  is a 1<sup>st</sup> group element which is called alkali metal.
90. (b) Caro's acid ( $H_2SO_5$ )
91. (c)  $2KO_2 + CO_2 \rightarrow K_2CO_3 + \frac{3}{2}O_2$
93. (a)  $H_2O$  consist of highest boiling point than other hydride (Due to presence of the hydrogen bonding).
94. (b) Lose of electron.
95. (c)  $SO_2$  is soluble in water  
 $H_2O + SO_2 \rightarrow H_2SO_3$   
 Sulphurous acid
96. (c)  $2Na_2O_2 + 2H_2O \rightarrow 4NaOH + O_2$ .  
 In this reaction oxygen ( $O_2$ ) is formed.
97. (b)  $3S + 4NaOH \xrightarrow{\text{boiling}} Na_2S_2O_3 + Na_2S$
98. (c) Quartz is a crystalline variety of silica.
99. (b) 98%  $H_2SO_4$  is used for absorbing dense fog of acid which is formed by dissolving  $SO_3$  in water. Hence 98%  $H_2SO_4$  is the most efficient agent for the absorption of  $SO_3$ .
100. (b) Concentrated  $H_2SO_4$  is diluted by adding the conc.  $H_2SO_4$  in the water drop by drop with constant stirring because it is

an exothermic reaction and by doing so heat is generated slowly and dissipated in the atmosphere.

101. (a) Photochemical smog is caused by oxides of sulphur and nitrogen.
102. (d)  $SO_2$  act as bleaching agent due to its reducing property.  
 $SO_2 + 2H_2O \rightarrow H_2SO_4 + 2H$   
 Coloured matter +  $H \rightarrow$  Colourless matter
103. (b) Ozone on treatment with  $SO_2$  produce  $SO_3$ .  
 $3SO_2 + O_3 \rightarrow 3SO_3$
104. (b)  $PbO_2$  is a powerful oxidizing agent and liberate  $O_2$  when treated with acids  $SO, O_2$  gas will be evolved.
105. (c) Dithionous acid ( $H_2S_2O_4$ ) has sulphur in +3 oxidation state.



106. (a)  $SO_2$  acts as an oxidising agent particularly when treated with stronger reducing agents.  $SO_2$  oxidises  $H_2S$  into  $S$ .
107. (a)  $R_3SiCl$  on hydrolysis forms only a dimer.  
 $R_3SiOH + HOSiR_3 \rightarrow R_3Si-O-SiR_3$ .
108. (d) Formation of chlorine nitrate is the main cause of ozone depletion.

### Halogen family

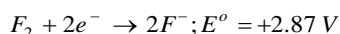
1. (b)  $HF > HCl > HBr > HI$  (Thermal stability).
2. (a)  $CHCl_3 + \frac{1}{2}O_2 \rightarrow COCl_2 + HCl$   
 Phosgene or carbonyl chloride
3. (d) Iodine has the least affinity for water and is only slightly soluble in it. However, it dissolves in 10% aq. solution of  $KI$  due to the formation of a complex ion i.e.  $I_3^-$ .  
 $I_2 + KI \rightleftharpoons KI_3$  or  $I_2 + I^- \rightleftharpoons I_3^-$  (complex ion)
4. (c)  $2Na_2S_2O_3 + I_2 \rightarrow 2NaI + Na_2S_4O_6$
5. (a)  $Cl_2 + 2KBr \rightarrow 2KCl + Br_2$   
 A more electronegative halogen can displace less electronegative halogen.
6. (a)  $HI$  is the strongest reducing agent among halogen acids because of lowest bond dissociation energy.
8. (a) Due to H-Bonding free ions are not present in aq. solution. Hence, bad conductor.
9. (c) Electronegativity of  $I_2$  is less than  $Br_2$ . Therefore unable to displace bromine.
10. (b) Carnallite is  $KCl \cdot MgCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$ . The mother liquor left after crystallisation of  $KCl$  from carnallite contain about 0.25% of bromine as  $MgBr_2$  and  $KBr$ .
11. (a)  $HF$  is liquid because of intermolecular H-Bonding.
12. (a)  $HClO \rightleftharpoons H^+ + ClO^-$   
 Weak acid                      Strong conjugate base
13. (d)  $2NaOH + Cl_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Cold}} NaCl + NaClO + H_2O$   
 (dil.)                                      Sod. hypochlorite

15. (b)  $6\text{NaOH} + 3\text{Cl}_2 \xrightarrow{\text{heat}} 5\text{NaCl} + \text{NaClO}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
(conc.) Sodium chlorate
17. (a)  $\text{HF}$  is the weakest acid. Since it is unable to give  $\text{H}^+$  ions which are trapped in H-Bonding.
18. (b) Hydride –  $\text{HF}$   $\text{HCl}$   $\text{HBr}$   $\text{HI}$   
B.pt (in K) – 293 189 206 238  
Because of having low b.p.  $\text{HCl}$  is more volatile.
19. (a)  $2\text{KClO}_3 + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KIO}_3 + \text{Cl}_2$
20. (c)  $2\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NaI} + \text{Na}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_6$
21. (d)  $2\text{KMnO}_4 + 16\text{HCl} \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + 2\text{MnCl}_2 + 5\text{Cl}_2 + 8\text{H}_2\text{O}$
22. (a)  $\begin{matrix} +7 & +5 & +3 & +1 \\ \text{HClO}_4 & > & \text{HClO}_3 & > & \text{HClO}_2 & > & \text{HClO} \end{matrix}$   
As the oxidation no. of halogen increases acidic character increases.
25. (c)  $2\text{KBr} + 3\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{MnO}_2 \xrightarrow{\Delta} 2\text{KHSO}_4 + \text{MnSO}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Br}_2$
29. (b,d) Electron affinity of  $\text{Cl}$  is maximum  

Element –	F	Cl	Br	I
E.A. kJ/mole –	332.6	348.5	324.7	295.5
Boiling pt (°C)	–188.1	–34.6	59.5	185.2
32. (a)  $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{NaBr} \rightarrow 2\text{NaCl} + \text{Br}_2$
33. (d)  $\text{CCl}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{No reaction}$   
 $d$ -orbitals are absent in carbon atom.
34. (a)  $\text{I}_2 + 10\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{HIO}_3 + 10\text{NO}_2 + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$
35. (d)  $\text{KI} + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{KI}_3$
36. (a)  $2\text{KBr} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{HBr}$
37. (b)  $\text{H}_2 + \text{F}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HF}$
42. (b)  $\text{CuSO}_4 + 2\text{KI} \rightarrow \text{CuI}_2 + \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 $2\text{CuI}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{CuI} + \text{I}_2$   
Cuprous iodide
43. (d) As the atomic number increases electronegativity decreases. Hence, tendency to gain electron decreases.
51. (a)  $\text{F}_2 + 2\text{Cl}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{F}^-$   
 $\text{F}_2 + 2\text{Br}^- \rightarrow \text{Br}_2 + 2\text{F}^-$   
 $\text{F}_2 + 2\text{I}^- \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2\text{F}^-$
53. (d)  $\text{Br}_2 + 2\text{KI} \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + 2\text{KBr}$
56. (d)  $2\text{F}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 4\text{HF} + \text{O}_2$   
 $3\text{F}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 6\text{HF} + \text{O}_3$
58. (c)  $2\text{NaCl} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH} + \text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2$   
(anode) (cathode)  
Reduction
59. (a)  $\text{MnO}_2 + 4\text{HCl} \xrightarrow{\begin{smallmatrix} +4 \quad \quad \quad +2 \\ \text{Reduction} \end{smallmatrix}} \text{MnCl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Cl}_2$
61. (b)  $2\text{NaCl} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \xrightarrow{\text{Electrolysis}} 2\text{NaOH} + \text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2$   
(aq) (g) (g)
62. (c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{HCl} + \text{HClO}$   
Exposed to air  
 $\text{HClO} \rightarrow \text{HCl} + [\text{O}]$  or  $2\text{HClO} \rightarrow 2\text{HCl} + \text{O}_2$
63. (a)  $2\text{NaOH} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{NaClO} + \text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
66. (b)  $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{HCl} + [\text{O}]$  Nascent oxygen  
Coloured +  $[\text{O}]$   $\xrightarrow[\text{agent}]{\text{Bleaching}}$  Colourless flower (Oxidized)
68. (b)  $\text{CaO} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaOCl}_2$   
 $\text{NaHCO}_3 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{No reaction}$
69. (c)  $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaOCl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$   
Slaked lime
71. (b)  $\text{MgBr}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{MgCl}_2 + \text{Br}_2$
72. (a)  $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{Br}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^- + \text{Br}_2$
73. (a)  $\text{KI} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \xrightarrow[\text{Conc.}]{\Delta} \text{KHSO}_4 + \text{HI}$   
Conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{HI} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{I}_2 + \text{SO}_2 \uparrow$   
Violet vapour
74. (b)  $2\text{NaI} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + \text{I}_2$   
 $\text{CCl}_4 + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{Violet colour}$
76. (b)  $\text{KI} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{KHSO}_4 + \text{HI}$   
 $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{HI} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{I}_2 + \text{SO}_2 \uparrow$   
Violet vapour
79. (c)  $\text{KI} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{KHSO}_4 + \text{HI}$   
 $\text{HI}$  is formed but it is further oxidised by conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  into  $\text{I}_2$   
 $2\text{HI} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{I}_2 + \text{SO}_2 \uparrow$   
Violet vapour
80. (b)  $\text{HCl} \xrightarrow[\text{(aq)}]{\text{H}_2\text{O}} \text{H}^+ + \text{Cl}^-$   
(aq) (aq)
81. (b)  $4\text{NaCl} + \text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 + 3\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{CrO}_2\text{Cl}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
Chromyl chloride
82. (c) Hydrogen bonding is absent in  $\text{HI}$  while it is present in  $\text{NH}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ .
84. (d) In case of  $\text{HI}$  due to large size of iodine strong Vander Waal forces are present. Hence, it has highest molar heat of vaporisation.
85. (d)  $\text{HI}$  is strongest acid because  $\text{H}-\text{I}$  bond is weakest among halogen acids.
86. (a) In  $\text{HF}$  the molecules aggregate because of intermolecular hydrogen bonding. Hence, it has highest boiling point.
88. (a)  $\text{ClO}_2^-$  has  $sp^3$ -hybridization and two lone pairs on halogen which produces V-shape Bent structure
- $\begin{array}{c} \cdot\cdot \\ \text{Cl} \\ \cdot\cdot \end{array}$
89. (d)  $2\text{HClO}_4 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$ .
90. (b)  $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{F}_2 \\ \text{Cl}_2 \end{array} \right\} \text{gases}$   
 $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Br}_2 \\ \text{I}_2 \end{array} \right\} \text{liquid}$   
 $\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{I}_2 \end{array} \right\} \text{solid}$

As we go down the group Vander Waal forces increases. Hence, physical state changes.

92. (c)  $F$  can not act as reducing agent because it has highest reduction potential



93. (c)  $I_2 + 10HNO_3 \rightarrow 2HIO_3 + 10NO_2 + 4H_2O$

94. (a)  $IF_5 + F_2 \rightarrow IF_7$ .

95. (a) Pseudohalide ions and Pseudohalogens

There are certain monovalent negative ions made up of two or more electronegative atoms which exhibit properties similar to these of halide ions. Such ions are known as pseudo halide ions just as halide ions, pseudo halide ions have also corresponding dimorphic molecules. These are called pseudo halogens and show properties similar to those of halogens.

Pseudohalide                      Pseudohalogens  
 $CN^-$  cyanide                       $(CN)_2$  Cyanogen

$SCN^-$  Thiocyanate                       $(SCN)_2$  Thiocyanogen

96. (c)  $NaF$  is highest melting halide because it is most ionic in nature.

98. (b)  $2F_2 + 2H_2O \rightarrow 4HF + O_2$

99. (c)  $CaOCl_2 \rightarrow CaCl_2 + [O]$  Nascent oxygen

100. (a) Generally alkali metals and alkali earth metals elements extracted by the fused electrolysis method.

102. (c)  $2Na_2S_2O_3 + I_2 \rightarrow 2NaI + Na_2S_4O_6$ .

104. (b) Beilstein test – In this test organic compound is heated on a copper wire in a flame. The appearance of a green or bluish green flame due to the formation of volatile cupric halides indicate the presence of halogens in the organic compound. (It does not tell which halogen is actually present).

105. (d)  $Cl_2 + 2KBr \xrightarrow{\text{Reduction}} Br_2 + 2KCl$

107. (b)  $3HCl + \xrightarrow[\text{Oxidation}]{HNO_3} NOCl + 2H_2O + Cl_2$ .

108. (a)  $Cl - Cl \xrightarrow[\text{Free radical}]{U.V} Cl \cdot + Cl \cdot$

109. (a)  $HF$  is a weak acid due to intermolecular hydrogen bonding.

110. (a) Acidic nature of oxide  $\propto$  Non metallic nature of element  
Non metallic nature decrease in the order  $Cl > S > P$ .

111. (c) Aqua regia is 1 part of  $HNO_3$  and 3 part of  $HCl$ .

113. (a)  $AgI$  is a covalent compound.

114. (a) Bromine is a liquid at room temperature.

115. (a)  $Cl_2 + H_2O \rightarrow 2HCl + [O]$   
Nascent oxygen

117. (b) The enamel of our teeth is the hardest substance in the body made up of  $CaF_2$  and dentine below it made of  $Ca_3(PO_4)_2$ .

118. (b) As the electronegativity decreases reactivity also decreases.

119. (b)  $KI + I_2 \rightarrow KI_3$   
(soluble complex)

121. (d)  $HI < I_2 < ICl < HIO_4$   
-1                      0                      +1                      +7

122. (a)  $HF < HCl < HBr < HI$

As we go down the group bond energy decreases hence, acidic nature increases.

123. (b) Caliche is crude chile salt petre ( $NaNO_3$ ) which contains about 0.02% iodine as sodium iodate ( $NaIO_3$ ).

124. (a)  $LiF > LiCl > LiBr > LiI$

Lattice energy depends on the size and charge of the ion.

125. (a)  $F-F$  more strong bond compare to  $F-Cl$ ,  $F-Br$  and  $Cl-Br$  bond.

126. (c)  $2Na_2S_2O_3 + I_2 \rightarrow Na_2S_4O_6 + 2NaI$ .

127. (d)  $CaCl(OCl) \Rightarrow Ca \begin{matrix} \swarrow Cl \\ \searrow O-Cl \end{matrix}$

128. (a)  $2NaOH + Cl_2 \rightarrow \begin{matrix} NaCl \\ \downarrow Na^+ + Cl^- \end{matrix} + \begin{matrix} NaOCl \\ \downarrow Na^+ + OCl^- \end{matrix} + H_2O$

131. (d)  $I_2 + NaF \longrightarrow$   
 $I_2 + NaBr \longrightarrow$   
 $I_2 + NaCl \longrightarrow$  } No reaction

Because  $I_2$  is least electronegative among halogens.

132. (a)  $HClO_4 > HCl > H_2SO_4 > HNO_3$

Decreasing order of acidic character.

134. (a)  $HgCl_2 + Hg(CN)_2 \rightarrow HgCl_2 \cdot Hg(CN)_2$   
Mercuric chloride      Mercuric cyanide

135. (a)  $HI > HBr > HCl > HF$   
Acidic character decreasing order.

136. (c)  $Ca(OH)_2 + Cl_2 \rightarrow CaOCl_2 + HOCl$   
Slaked lime                      Bleaching poeder

137. (d)  $K_2Cr_2O_7 + 14HCl \rightarrow 2KCl + 2CrCl_3 + 7H_2O + 3Cl_2$

139. (d) Fluorine does not gives positive oxidation state it is always show -1 oxidation state.

140. (a)  $HClO_4 > HClO_3 > HClO_2 > HCl$   
+7                      +5                      +3                      +1

141. (d)  $Ca(OH)_2 + Cl_2 \rightarrow CaOCl_2 + H_2O$   
bleaching powder

146. (a)  $F_2 + (dil) 2NaOH \rightarrow 2NaF + OF_2 + H_2O$

147. (a) Fluorine can not be oxidised by even strongest oxidising agent.

148. (b)  $Br_2 + 2H_2O + SO_2 \rightarrow H_2SO_4 + 2HBr$

149. (c)  $2KBr + I_2 \rightarrow 2KI + Br_2$

Iodine is a less electronegative compare to Bromine hence iodine does not change  $Br^-$  to  $Br_2$ .

150. (a)  $CaI_2$  are show covalent properties than other  $CaF_2$ ,  $CaCl_2$ ,  $CaBr_2$  compound.

151. (d)  $2KMnO_4 + 3H_2SO_4 + 10HCl \rightarrow K_2SO_4 + 2MnSO_4 + 8H_2O + 5Cl_2$

153. (d)  $PbI_4$  is least stable because of two reasons

- (1) Size of iodine is biggest.  
(2) +2 oxidation state of Pb is more stable than +4 state because of inert pair effect.

154. (a)  $Cl_2 + NaF \rightarrow$  No reaction

Since  $Cl_2$  is less electronegative then  $F_2$ . Therefore unable to displace fluorine from its salt.

156. (b)  $CS_2 + 3Cl_2 \xrightarrow{I_2} CCl_4 + S_2Cl_2$

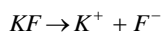
157. (b) According to the Fajan's rule largest cation and smallest anion.

158. (a)  $2F_2 + 4NaOH \rightarrow 4HF + 2H_2O + O_2$

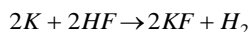
159. (c)  $\underbrace{Cl_2}_{1 \text{ mole}} \rightarrow \underbrace{2Cl \Delta H}_{2 \text{ moles}} = +ve$

High temperature and low pressure is favourable.

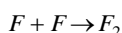
160. (d)  $BF_3$  accept lone pair of electrons.  
 161. (d)  $CrO_2Cl_2$  is a orange red gas.  
 164. (a) Fluorine always show -1 oxidation state.  
 165. (a) Solid  $NaF$  is used to purify fluorine *i.e.* by removing of  $HF$  fumes.  
 166. (c)  $KHF_2 \rightarrow KF + HF$



At cathode :  $K^+ + e^- \rightarrow K$



At anode :  $F^- \rightarrow F + e^-$



168. (c) Small atomic size of  $Li$  and  $F$  lattice energy is highest.  
 169. (b)  $SO_2$  bleaches flower by reduction  

$$2H_2O + SO_2 \rightarrow H_2SO_4 + 2[H]$$

$$2[H] + \text{Coloured flower} \xrightarrow{\text{Reduction}} \text{Colourless reduced flower}$$

This bleaching is temporary because reduced flower again oxidised by air to form coloured flower  

$$Cl_2 + H_2O \rightarrow 2HCl + [O]$$

$$[O] + \text{Coloured flower} \xrightarrow{\text{Oxidation}} \text{Colourless Oxidised flower}$$

This bleaching is permanent because oxidised flower remains colourless.

170. (a) Fluorine does not form oxyacids because it is more electronegative than oxygen.

173. (c)  $MnO_2 + 4HCl \rightarrow MnCl_2 + 2H_2O + Cl_2$   

$$2KMnO_4 + 3H_2SO_4 + 10HCl \rightarrow$$

$$K_2SO_4 + 2MnSO_4 + 8H_2O + 5Cl_2$$

175. (b)  $3KClO_3 + 3H_2SO_4 \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}}$   

$$3KHSO_4 + HClO_4 + 2ClO_2 + H_2O$$

176. (b)  $F > Cl > Br > I$ . As the size increases electronegativity decreases.

177. (c) Ionic radius increases on going down the group because no. of shells increases.

178. (b) Reducing properties increase from  $F$  to  $I$  so it oxidise by nitric acid.



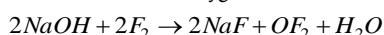
179. (a) Fluorine and chlorine are more electronegative than sulphur.

180. (d) Upper halogen can replace lower halogen from their compounds solution.

181. (a) Iodine ( $I_2$ ) is slightly soluble in water but it dissolves in 10% aqueous solution of  $KI$  due to the formation of potassium triiodide ( $KI_3$ ).

182. (a) Due to highest electronegativity of fluorine the anion  $[F \cdots H - F]^-$  exists as a result of strong hydrogen bond by which  $K^+$  associate to form  $KHF_2$ .

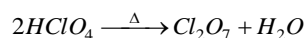
183. (a) Fluorine is the most electronegative element. It does not form oxyfluorides like other halogens. If reacts with  $NaOH$  to form sodium fluoride and oxygen fluoride.



184. (c) Due to unpaired  $e^-$   $ClO_2$  is paramagnetic.

185. (a) Oxidation number of  $HBrO_4$  is more than that of  $HOCl$ ,  $HNO_2$  and  $H_3PO_3$  so it is the strongest acid among these.

186. (a) Chlorine heptachloride ( $Cl_2O_7$ ) is the anhydride of perchloric acid.



187. (c)  $I_2$  forms complex ion  $I_3^-$  in  $KI$  solution due to which it dissolves in it.

### Noble gases

3. (a) Gas —  $H_2$   $O_2$   $He$   $N_2$   
 Mol. mass — 2 32 4 28

5. (c) Helium (In Greek Helios = Sun)

6. (d) All the noble gases are monoatomic, colourless and odourless gases. Their monoatomic nature is due to the stable outer configuration  $ns^2np^6$  of their atoms. As a result, they do not enter into chemical combination even amongst themselves.

7. (c) Except  $He$ , all other noble gases are adsorbed by coconut charcoal at low temperatures. The extent of adsorption increases as the atomic size of the noble gas increases.

10. (b) An oxygen-helium mixture is used artificial respiration in deep sea diving instead of air because nitrogen present in air dissolves in blood under high pressure when sea diver goes into deep sea. When he comes to the surface, nitrogen bubbles out of the blood due to decrease in pressure, causing pains. This disease is called "bends".

11. (c)  $XeF_2$ ,  $XeOF_2$ ,  $XeF_4$ ,  $XeOF_4$ ,  $XeF_6$ ,  $XeO_3$ .

12. (c) **Gas** (Abundance in air by volume (ppm))

Helium	5.2
Neon	18.2
Argon	93.4
Krypton	1.1
Xenon	0.09

13. (c) Neon  $\rightarrow Ne$  is monoatomic and others are diatomic  $N_2$ ,  $F_2$  and  $O_2$ .

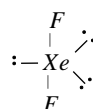
14. (c)  ${}_1H^2 + {}_1H^2 \rightarrow {}_2He^4$

15. (b)  $HeF_4$  does not exist.

16. (d)  $Ar_{18} \rightarrow 2, 8, 8$

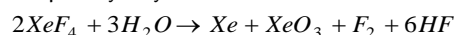
17. (b)  $Ne_{10} \rightarrow 1s^2 2s^2 2p^6$

23. (d)  $XeF_2$  has  $sp^3d$  -hybridization with linear shape



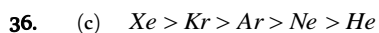
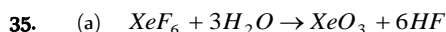
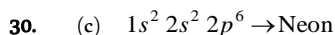
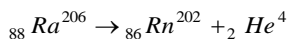
24. (b) Partial hydrolysis;  $XeF_4 + H_2O \rightarrow XeOF_2 + 2HF$

Complete hydrolysis;

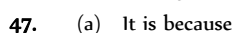
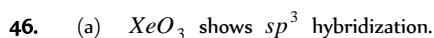
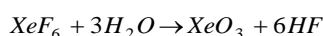
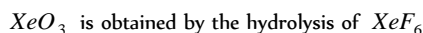
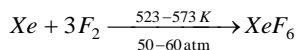
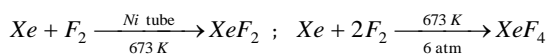
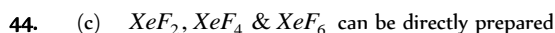
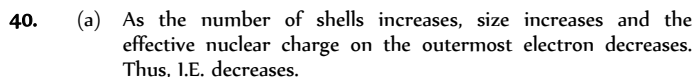
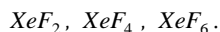
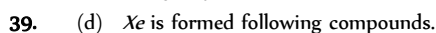
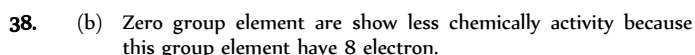
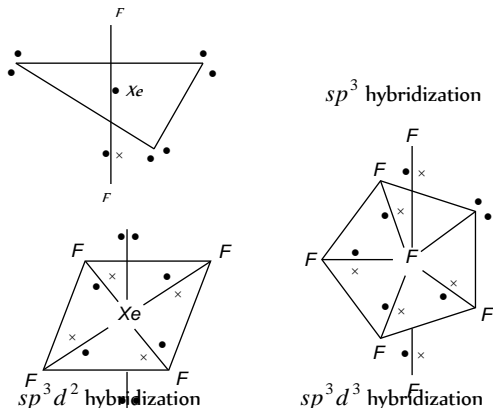


26. (d)  $He$  is least polarizable because of small atomic size.

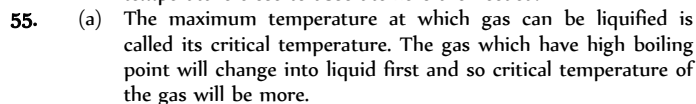
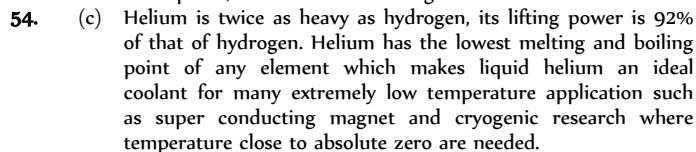
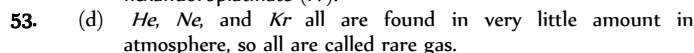
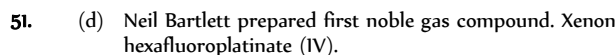
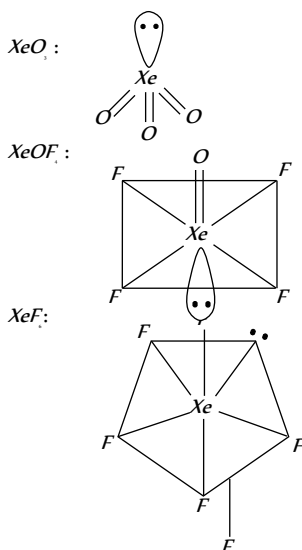
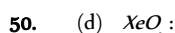
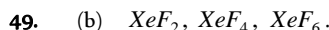
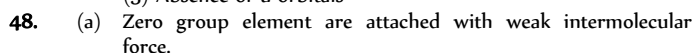
27. (a)  $Rn$  because it is radioactive element obtained by the disintegration of radium



Solubility in decreasing order.

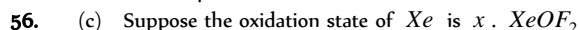


- (1) Small atomic size
- (2) High Ionization energy
- (3) Absence of  $d$ -orbitals

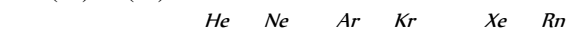
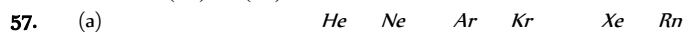


$$T_C \propto \text{B.P. and B.P.} \propto \text{Molecular weight}$$

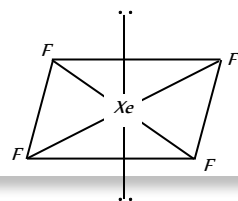
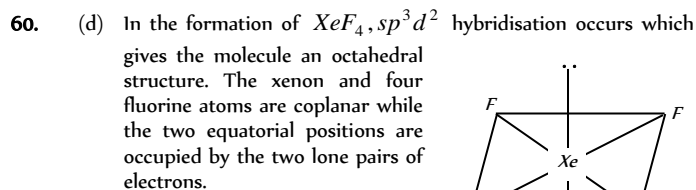
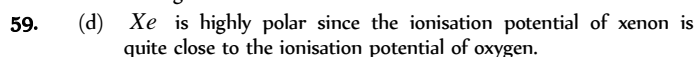
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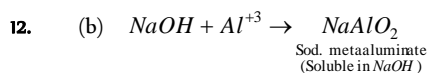
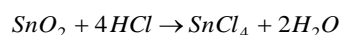
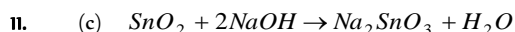
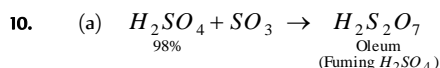
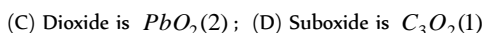
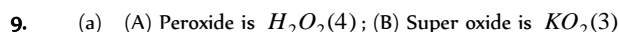
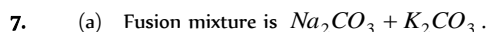
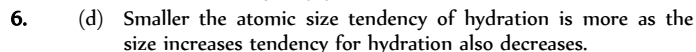
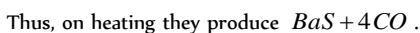
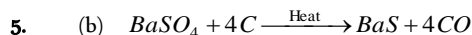
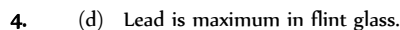
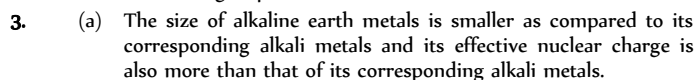
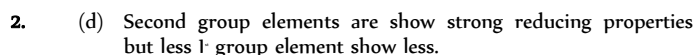
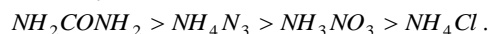
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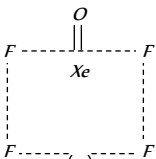
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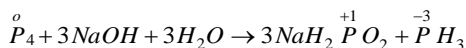


### Critical Thinking Questions





13. (d) The composition of the common glass is  $Na_2O.CaO.6SiO_2$ .
14. (c) Lead form nitric oxide with dil.  $HNO_3$   
 $3Pb + 8HNO_3 \rightarrow 3Pb(NO_3)_2 + 2NO + 4H_2O$
15. (b)  Therefore, total number of lone pair of electron on central atom Xenon = 1
16. (d) Order of acidic strength is  $H_2Te > H_2Se > H_2S > H_2O$   
 $Na_2O$  is a salt of  $NaOH + H_2O$  and  $H_2O$  is least acidic among given acids hence pH in this case will be maximum.
17. (a)  $HNO_3$  is the strong oxidising acid so it react with alkali while rest can be react with both and alkali.
18. (d) Zero group is called a buffer group because it lies between highly electronegative halogens and highly electropositive alkali metal element.
19. (c)  $PbSO_4$  is insoluble in water.
20. (a)  $N_2O_5$  is most acidic.
21. (b) Element – Fluorine Chlorine Bromine Iodine  
 B.E. in kJ mole – 158.8 242.6 192.8 151.1
22. (d)  $CaCN_2 + 3H_2O \xrightarrow[\text{pressure}]{\text{under}} CaCO_3 + 2NH_3$ .
23. (a)  $6O_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Ozonolysis}} 4O_3$   
 Complete ozonolysis gives 4 volume of ozone.
24. (b) Marble statue  $\rightarrow CaCO_3$ ; Calcinated Gypsum  $\rightarrow CaSO_4.2H_2O$ ; Sea shell  $\rightarrow CaCO_3$ ; Dalomite  $\rightarrow CaCO_3.MgCO_3$ .
25. (b) Sodium is basic in nature.
26. (c)  $I_2 + I^- \rightarrow I_3^-$
27. (a) The hydration energy decreases from  $Be^{+2}$  to  $Ba^{+2}$ . This causes the decrease in the solubilities of the sulphates in this order. In other words, the solubilities decreases with increase in the ionic size.
28. (d)  $2Mg + O_2 \rightarrow 2MgO$   
 $3Mg + N_2 \rightarrow Mg_3N_2$
29. (a)  $ZnO + BaO \xrightarrow{1100^\circ C} BaZnO_2$
30. (b) There are no free electron in  $N_2O_4$ , so it is diamagnetic in nature.
31. (b)  $CaSO_4.2H_2O \xrightarrow{120^\circ C} CaSO_4 + \frac{1}{2}H_2O + \frac{1}{2}H_2O$   
 Gypsum Plaster of paris
32. (d) Third alkaline earth metal is calcium  $_{20}Ca^{40}$ .  
 No. of electron are 20 & No. of proton are 20; e/20, p/20.
33. (a) In the compounds of alkaline earth metals all the electrons are paired. Hence, they are diamagnetic in nature.
34. (a) Mixture of helium and oxygen is used in artificial respiration.
35. (a) Alkaline solution of pyrogallol quickly absorbs oxygen.
36. (d)  $NH_4NO_2 \rightarrow N_2 + 2H_2O$   
 $2NaN_3 \rightarrow 2Na + 3N_2$   
 $(NH_4)_2Cr_2O_7 \rightarrow N_2 + Cr_2O_3 + 4H_2O$
37. (b) Because yellow phosphorus is most reactive form of phosphorus and is highly polymerised.
38. (c) Carbon has 2 electrons in their penultimate shell configuration so due to d-orbital in penultimate shell is false statement.
39. (d) All other oxides of nitrogen except  $N_2O$  and  $NO$  are acidic in nature.
40. (a)  $PbCl_4 < PbCl_2 < CaCl_2 < NaCl$  is the increasing order of ionic character.
41. (a)  $Si + 3HCl \rightarrow SiHCl_3 + H_2$   
 silanochloroform
42. (a)  $KO_2$  is used in oxygen cylinder because it absorbs  $CO_2$  and increases  $O_2$  content. Super oxides reacts with water to give  $H_2O_2$  &  $O_2$ .
43. (d)  $NaHCO_3$  and  $Na_2CO_3$  decomposes to give  $CO_2$  which extinguish fire.
44. (d)  $CaF_2$  is insoluble in water.
45. (a)  $PCl_3$  is most acidic.
46. (b)  $CsCl > KCl > NaCl > LiCl$
47. (d)  $2Na_2S_2O_3 + I_2 \rightarrow Na_2S_4O_8 + 2NaI$ .
48. (b) In general, higher the oxidation state, more is the covalent character of the oxide.  $I_2O_7$  &  $I_2O_5$  do not exist.  $I_2O_4$  is ionic in nature. It is infact iodyl iodate  $[IO]^{+}[IO_3]^{-}$ . The only covalent oxide is  $I_2O_5$ .
49. (b)  $LiAlH_4$  act as reducing agent  
 $CH_3CHO + 2H \xrightarrow{LiAlH_4} CH_3CH_2OH$
50. (c) When conc.  $HCl$  react with potassium chlorate to gives  $Cl_2 + ClO_2$ .
51. (c)  $2H_2S + SO_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O + 3S$
52. (b) Lithium nitrate on heating gives  
 $4LiNO_3 \xrightarrow{(S)} 2Li_2O + 4NO_2 \uparrow + O_2 \uparrow$   
 (S) (S)
53. (d)  $CaCO_3 > NaHCO_3 > KHCO_3$  is the Increasing order of solubility.
54. (c) Nitrolim is  $CaCN_2 + C$ .
55. (a) The oxidation state of halogens is same +1. Therefore the acidic character depends only upon the electronegativity. Higher the electronegativity of the halogen more easily it will pull the electrons of  $O-H$  bond toward itself and hence, stronger is the acid.
56. (c) Iridium  $[I, Z=77]$  is not belong to noble gas.
57. (c) Name and basicity of  $H_3PO_2$  is hypophosphorus acid & one.
58. (c) In  $NO_2$  there are free electron so it is paramagnetic in nature.
59. (a) Nessler's reagent is  $K_2HgI_4$ .
60. (b) Helium was firstly discovered by willium Ramsay.
61. (c) 1.66 Since inert gases are monoatomic.
62. (c) In this reaction, phosphorus is simultaneously oxidised to  $NaH_2PO_2$  and reduced to  $PH_3$ . Hence this reaction is an example of disproportionation.

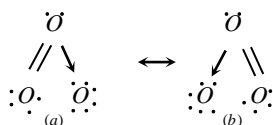


63. (c) Reduction is accompanied by an increase in oxidation number of the reducing agent. C belong to IVA so the max.-O.N. is +4. In  $CO_2$  the oxidation number of C is +4, which cannot be further increased. Hence,  $CO_2$  can not act as reducing agent.
64. (b) When silicon tetra fluoride reacts with water  $H_2SiF_6$  and  $H_4SiO_6$  are formed
- $$\underset{\text{Silicon tetrafluoride}}{3SiF_4} + \underset{\text{Water}}{4H_2O} \rightarrow 2H_2SiF_6 + \underset{\text{Whitesilicic acid}}{H_4SiO_4}$$
65. (a)  $4O_3 + 6I_2(\text{dry}) \rightarrow 3I_4O_4$
66. (c)  $Na(NH_4)HPO_4 \cdot 4H_2O$  (Microcosmic salt)
67. (b) Thermite mixture  $Fe_2O_3 + Al$
68. (d) The colour of liquid  $O_2$  is pale blue.
69. (a) Helium is not soluble in blood even under high pressure, a mixture of 80% helium and 20% oxygen is used instead of ordinary air by sea divers for respiration.
70. (a)  $Mg_3N_2 + 6H_2O \rightarrow 3Mg(OH)_2 + 2NH_3$
71. (a) Calcium cyanamide on treatment with steam produce  $CaCO_3 + NH_3$ .

### Assertion & Reason

1. (b) Sulphate is estimated as  $BaSO_4$  because of high lattice energy in a group.
2. (b) Fluorine is a strong oxidising agent than other halogens due to highest electronegativity..
3. (a) In  $HNO_3$  due to presence of two N-O bonds it is a stronger acid than  $HNO_2$ .
6. (c) Bleaching action of chlorine carried by oxidation while bleaching action of  $SO_2$  carried by reduction.
7. (b) On heating its outermost electron transits to next energy level by which it become more reactive.
10. (a) K and Cs emit electrons on exposure of light due to low ionisation potential.
11. (e) The lower value of bond dissociation energy of F-F bond due to longer inter electronic (electron - electron) repulsion between the non-bonding electrons in the 2p orbitals of fluorine atom.
12. (a) It is fact that halogens are highly reactive as they have seven electrons in their outermost orbit and they want to stabilize by acquiring an electron. Therefore, they do not occur in free state. Here both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
13. (a) Lithium forms lithium oxide. This is due to the fact that  $Li^+$  ion has smallest size and it has a strong positive field around it. Therefore, it stabilize  $O^{2-}$  ion with strong negative field around it. Thus, both assertion as well as reason are true.
14. (a) Liquid  $NH_3$  is used for refrigeration is true and it is due to the fact that it vaporises quickly and for vaporisation it takes up heat and cool the refrigerator. Hence assertion and reason both are true.
15. (a) It is true that  $Al(OH)_3$ . The reason is that  $NaOH$  is a strong alkali, it dissolves  $Al(OH)_3$ . Which is amphoteric in nature and forms  $NaAlO_2$ .
- $$Al(OH)_3 + NaOH \rightarrow \underset{\text{Sodium meta aluminate}}{NaAlO_2} + 2H_2O$$
16. (c) Boron is metalloid. Thus assertion is correct. Metalloids possess, metallic as well as non-metallic nature. Hence, reason is false.
17. (b) It is correct that inert gases are monoatomic because for inert gases  $C_p / C_v = 1.66$ .
18. (c) When Mg is burnt in nitric oxide it continue to burn because during burning the heat evolved decompose NO to  $N_2$  and  $O_2$ . Oxygen thus, produced helps Mg to burn.
- Here assertion is true but reason is false.
19. (d) Anhydrous  $BaO_2$  is not used for preparing  $H_2O_2$  because it reacts with  $H_2SO_4$  and the reaction ceases after some time due to formation of  $BaSO_4$  on  $BaO_2$ . Therefore, assertion and reason both are false.
20. (d) Inorganic benzene, borazine is highly reactive while benzene is much less reactive.
- Here, assertion is false, but reason is true.
21. (a) The halogens absorb visible light due to which all halogens are coloured. Hence, both assertion and reason are true and reason is correct explanation.
22. (b) It is true that barium is not required for normal biological function in human beings and it is also true that it does not show variable oxidation state. It only shows +2 oxidation state.
23. (d) The O-O bond length is shorter in  $O_2F_2$  than in  $H_2O_2$  due to higher electronegativity.  $H_2O_2$  is a non ionic compound. Here both assertion and reason are false.
24. (d) Here both assertion and reason are false because  $PbI_4$  is not a stable compound and iodine can not stabilize higher oxidation states. Pb shows (II) oxidation state more frequently than Pb (IV) due to inert pair effect.
25. (b) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not correct explanation of the assertion. Enamel the hardest substance of the body is composed of fluorine not magnesium. Magnesium is an essential element as it acts as a factor of many enzymes of glycolysis and a number of other metabolic reactions dependent upon ATP.
26. (d) Both assertion and reason are false.
- Radium is the rarest of all s-block elements comprising only  $10^{-10}$  percent of igneous rocks. Francium (s-block member) is radioactive; its long lived isotope  ${}^{223}Fr$  has a half life of only 21 minutes.
27. (c) Assertion is true but reason is false.
- Due to high polarizing power of  $Li^+$ ,  $LiCl$  is a covalent compound.
28. (c) Assertion is true but reason is false.
- Be has fully filled  $2s^2$  - orbital which gives a relatively more stable electronic configuration.
29. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
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32. (c) Assertion is true but reason is false.  
Helium is a noble gas (Chemically inactive) but beryllium is a member of alkaline earth metals (Chemically active).
33. (b) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.  
Lattice energy of  $Na_2SO_4$  is less than its hydration energy but the lattice energy of  $BaSO_4$  exceeds its hydration energy.
34. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
35. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.  
Presence of unpaired electrons in super oxides of alkali metals make them paramagnetic.
36. (b) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.  
Nitrogen can not expand its octet due to the non availability of  $d$ -orbital.
37. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.  
Ozone is considered to be a resonance hybrid of the following two forms.

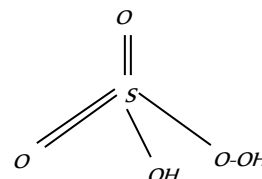


38. (b) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.  
Molecules of sulphuric acid are associated due to large number of intermolecular hydrogen bonding.
39. (b) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.  
 $PCl_5$  is trigonal bipyramidal containing  $sp^3d$  hybridized  $P$  atom in liquid and gaseous state. Whereas in solid state it consists of tetrahedral  $PCl_4^+$  cation and octahedral  $PCl_6^-$  anion.
40. (b) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.  
In case of  $Nl_3$ , the lone pair moment adds on the resultant of the  $N-I$  moments but in case of  $NF_3$ , the lone pair moment on partly cancels the resultant  $N-F$  moments.
41. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.  
The ignition temperature of white phosphorus is low (About  $30^\circ C$ ). In air it readily catches fire giving dense fumes of phosphorus pentoxide. It is therefore, kept in water.
42. (c) Assertion is true but reason is false.  
 $B$  does not have vacant  $d$ -orbitals as second shell is the outermost shell.
43. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
44. (d) Both assertion and reason are false.  
 $Si-Si$  bonds are weaker than  $Si-O$  bonds  $Si$  has no tendency to form double bonds with itself.
45. (c) Assertion is true but reason is false.

$S$  atoms in  $S_8$  molecule undergo  $sp^3$  hybridization and contain two lone pairs of electrons on each and exists as staggered 8 atom rings.

46. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.

This can be explained through structure of Caro's acid (Peroxomonosulphuric acid).



Oxidation no. of  $S = x$ , oxidation no. of  $H = +1$ ,

Oxidation no. of oxygen in peroxo linkage =  $-1$ ,

Oxidation no. of other oxygen atoms =  $-2$  (each)  
 $2 + x - 6 - 2 = 0$  or  $x = +6$ .

47. (d) Both assertion and reason are false.  
The melting point / boiling point of noble gases are quite low. The inter particle forces among noble gases are weak Vander Waal's forces.
48. (b) If both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.  
 $S$  atom in both  $SO_2$  and  $SO_3$  is  $sp^2$  hybridized but it contains a lone pair of electrons in  $SO_2$ .
49. (d) Both assertion and reason are false.  
Calcium carbide on hydrolysis gives acetylene. Calcium carbide contains  $C_2^{2-}$  anion.
50. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.
51. (e) Assertion is false but reason is true.  
In lab, hydrogen is generally prepared by the reaction of zinc with dilute hydrochloric acid.
52. (b) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.  
The relatively inert behaviour of diprotium at room temperature is due to the high enthalpy of  $H-H$  bond, being the highest for a single bond between any two elements.
53. (d) Both assertion and reason are false.  
Water can be easily transformed from liquid solid and to gaseous states. The distribution of water over the earth's surface is not uniform. The desert region have no permanent surface water while the oceans cover vast areas.
54. (b) Both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of assertion.  
The structure of ice is open due to hydrogen bonding which makes ice less dense than liquid water at the same temperature.
55. (c) Assertion is true but reason is false.  
The water molecules are joined together in an extensive three dimensional network in which each oxygen atom is bonded to four hydrogen atoms two by hydrogen bonds and two by normal covalent bonds in a near tetrahedral configuration. This situation does not exist for molecules like  $NH_3$  and  $HF$ .
56. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.  
Hard water contain soluble calcium and magnesium salt like bicarbonates, chlorides and sulphates.
57. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.

To stop decomposition  $H_2O_2$  is stored in wax-lined glass or plastic vessels in the presence of stabilizers like urea.

58. (a) Both assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.

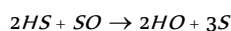
At any given instant in liquid water at room temperature, each water molecule forms hydrogen bonds with an average 3.4 other water molecules. The  $H_2O$  molecules are in continuous motion so hydrogen bonds are constantly and rapidly broken and formed. In ice  $H_2O$  molecules are, however fixed in the space lattice.

59. (d) Both assertion and reason are false.

Calgon is used for making  $Ca^{2+}$  and  $Mg^{2+}$  ions present in hard water ineffective. It forms soluble complex with  $Ca^{2+}$  and  $Mg^{2+}$  ions.

60. (b)  $SO_2$  shows both oxidising as well as reducing nature.

The reaction given in assertion is due to oxidising nature of  $SO_2$ .



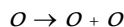
61. (a) (i) Due to smaller size of  $F$ ; steric repulsions will be less in  $SiF_4$ .  
(ii) Interaction of  $F$  lone pair electrons with  $Si$  is stronger than that of chlorine lone pairs.

62. (b) Borax bead test is not suitable for  $Al(III)$  because its oxidising as well as reducing flame is colourless in both hot as well as cold.

Alumina is insoluble in water as they exist in hydrated form like  $Al_2O_3 \cdot 2H_2O$ ,  $Al_2O_3 \cdot H_2O$  etc.

63. (c)  $SeCl_4$  possess see saw geometry, which can be regarded as a distorted trigonal bipyramidal structure having one lone pair (lp) of electrons in the basal position of the trigonal bipyramidal. See-saw geometry of  $SeCl_4$  molecules arises due to the  $sp^3d$  hybridisation of the central atom. The distortion in shape is due to the presence of one lone pair of electrons.

64. (b) Due to the ease with which it can liberate nascent oxygen,  $O_3$  acts as a powerful oxidising agent.



$:O \vdots \vdots \vdots \vdots O:$   
paramagnetic  
(due to presence of two  
unpaired electrons)

