

AIEEE 2009 Chemistry Solutions

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CHEMISTRY**PART – B**

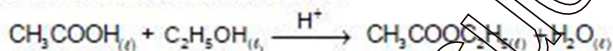
31. Knowing that the Chemistry of lanthanoids (Ln) is dominated by its +3 oxidation state, which of the following statements is incorrect ?
- (1) Because of the large size of the Ln (III) ions the bonding in its compounds is predominantly ionic in character.
 - (2) The ionic sizes of Ln (III) decrease in general with increasing atomic number.
 - (3) Ln (III) compounds are generally colourless.
 - (4) Ln (III) hydroxides are mainly basic in character.

Sol: (3)
Ln⁺³ compounds are mostly coloured.

32. A liquid was mixed with ethanol and a drop of concentrated H₂SO₄ was added. A compound with a fruity smell was formed. The liquid was :

- (1) CH₃OH
- (2) HCHO
- (3) CH₃COCH₃
- (4) CH₃COOH

Sol: (4)
Esterification reaction is involved



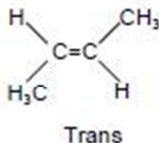
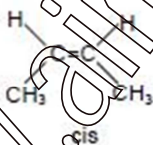
- *33. Arrange the carbanions, (CH₃)₃C⁻, CCl₃⁻, (CH₃)₂CH⁻, C₆H₅CH₂⁻, in order of their decreasing stability :

- (1) C₆H₅CH₂⁻ > CCl₃⁻ > (CH₃)₃C⁻ > (CH₃)₂CH⁻
- (2) (CH₃)₂CH⁻ > CCl₃⁻ > C₆H₅CH₂⁻ > (CH₃)₃C⁻
- (3) CCl₃⁻ > C₆H₅CH₂⁻ > (CH₃)₂CH⁻ > (CH₃)₃C⁻
- (4) (CH₃)₃C⁻ > (CH₃)₂CH⁻ > C₆H₅CH₂⁻ > CCl₃⁻

Sol: (3)
2° carbanion is more stable than 3° and Cl is -I effect group.

- *34. The alkene that exhibits geometrical isomerism is :
- (1) propene
 - (2) 2-methyl propene
 - (3) 2-butene
 - (4) 2-methyl-2-butene

Sol: (3)



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*35. In which of the following arrangements, the sequence is not strictly according to the property written against it ?

- (1) $\text{CO}_2 < \text{SiO}_2 < \text{SnO}_2 < \text{PbO}_2$: increasing oxidising power
- (2) $\text{HF} < \text{HCl} < \text{HBr} < \text{HI}$: increasing acid strength
- (3) $\text{NH}_3 < \text{PH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3 < \text{SbH}_3$: increasing basic strength
- (4) $\text{B} < \text{C} < \text{O} < \text{N}$: increasing first ionization enthalpy.

Sol: (3)

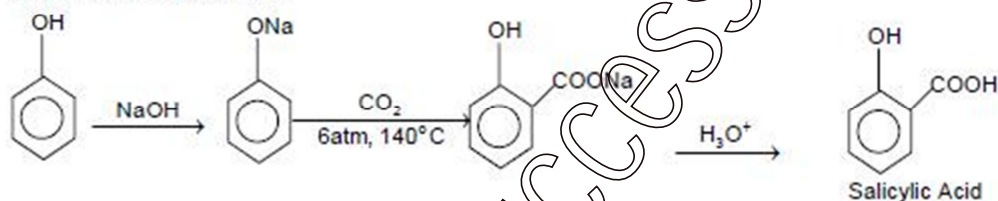
Correct basic strength is $\text{NH}_3 > \text{PH}_3 > \text{AsH}_3 > \text{BiH}_3$

36. The major product obtained on interaction of phenol with sodium hydroxide and carbon dioxide is :

- (1) benzoic acid
- (2) salicylaldehyde
- (3) salicylic acid
- (4) phthalic acid

Sol: (3)

Kolbe – Schmidt reaction is



37. Which of the following statements is incorrect regarding physisorptions ?

- (1) It occurs because of vander Waal's forces.
- (2) More easily liquefiable gases are adsorbed readily.
- (3) Under high pressure it results into multi molecular layer on adsorbent surface.
- (4) Enthalpy of adsorption ($\Delta H_{\text{adsorption}}$) is low and positive.

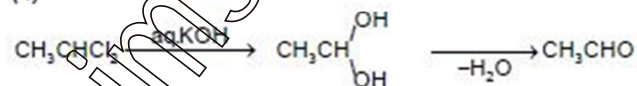
Sol: (4)

Enthalpy of adsorption regarding physisorption is not positive and it is negative.

38. Which of the following on heating with aqueous KOH, produces acetaldehyde ?

- (1) CH_3COCl
- (2) $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}$
- (3) $\text{CH}_2\text{ClCH}_2\text{Cl}$
- (4) CH_3CHCl_2

Sol: (4)



*39. In an atom, an electron is moving with a speed of 600m/s with an accuracy of 0.005%. Certainty with which the position of the electron can be located is ($h=6.6 \times 10^{-34} \text{ kg m}^2 \text{ s}^{-1}$ mass of electron, $e_m = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$)

- (1) $1.52 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$ (2) $5.10 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$
 (3) $1.92 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$ (4) $3.84 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$

Sol: (3)

$$\Delta x \cdot m \Delta v = \frac{h}{4\pi}$$

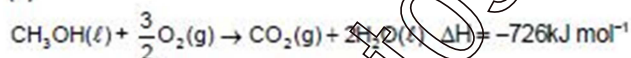
$$\Delta x = \frac{h}{4\pi m \Delta v}$$

$$\Delta v = 600 \times \frac{0.005}{100} = 0.03$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta x = \frac{6.625 \times 10^{-34}}{4 \times 3.14 \times 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \times 0.03} = 1.92 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$$

40. In a fuel cell methanol is used as fuel and oxygen gas is used as an oxidizer. The reaction is $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}(\ell) + \frac{3}{2} \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\ell)$ At 298K standard Gibb's energies of formation for $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}(\ell)$, $\text{H}_2\text{O}(\ell)$ and $\text{CO}_2(\text{g})$ are -166.2, -237.2 and -394.4 kJ mol^{-1} respectively. If standard enthalpy of combustion of methanol is -726 kJ mol^{-1} efficiency of the fuel cell will be
 (1) 80 % (2) 87 %
 (3) 90 % (4) 97 %

Sol: (4)



$$\text{Also } \Delta G_f^\circ \text{CH}_3\text{OH}(\ell) = -166.2 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta G_f^\circ \text{H}_2\text{O}(\ell) = -237.2 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta G_f^\circ \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) = -394.4 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

$$\therefore \Delta G = \sum \Delta G_f^\circ \text{ products} - \sum \Delta G_f^\circ \text{ reactants}$$

$$= -394.4 - 2(237.2) - (-166.2)$$

$$= -702.6 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{now Efficiency of fuel cell} = \frac{\Delta G}{\Delta H} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{702.6}{726} \times 100$$

$$= 97\%$$

41. Two liquids X and Y form an ideal solution. At 300K, vapour pressure of the solution containing 1 mol of X and 3 mol of Y is 550 mm Hg. At the same temperature, if 1 mol of Y is further added to this solution, vapour pressure of the solution increases by 10 mm Hg. Vapour pressure (in mm Hg) of X and Y in their pure states will be, respectively :

- (1) 200 and 300 (2) 300 and 400
(3) 400 and 600 (4) 500 and 600

Sol:

(3)

$$P_T = P_X^0 x_X + P_Y^0 x_Y$$

x_X = mol fraction of X

x_Y = mol fraction of Y

$$\therefore 550 = P_X^0 \left(\frac{1}{1+3} \right) + P_Y^0 \left(\frac{3}{1+3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{P_X^0}{4} + \frac{3P_Y^0}{4}$$

$$\therefore 550 (4) = P_X^0 + 3P_Y^0 \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

Further 1 mol of Y is added and total pressure increases by 10 mm Hg

$$\therefore 550 + 10 = P_X^0 \left(\frac{1}{1+4} \right) + P_Y^0 \left(\frac{4}{1+4} \right)$$

$$\therefore 560 (5) = P_X^0 + 4P_Y^0 \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

By solving (1) and (2)

We get, $P_X^0 = 400$ mm Hg

$P_Y^0 = 600$ mm Hg

42. The half life period of a first order chemical reaction is 6.93 minutes. The time required for the completion of 99% of the chemical reaction will be ($\log 2=0.301$) :
- (1) 230.3 minutes (2) 23.03 minutes
(3) 46.06 minutes (4) 460.6 minutes

Sol: (3)

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{0.6932}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.6932}{6.93} \text{ min}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Also } t = \frac{2.303}{\lambda} \log \frac{[A_0]}{[A]}$$

$[A_0]$ = initial concentration (amount)

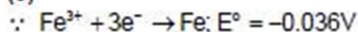
$[A]$ = final concentration (amount)

$$\therefore t = \frac{2.303 \times 6.93}{0.6932} \log \frac{100}{1}$$

$$= 46.06 \text{ minutes}$$

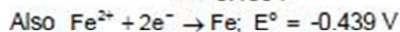
43. Given : $E^\circ_{\text{Fe}^{3+}/\text{Fe}} = -0.036\text{V}$, $E^\circ_{\text{Fe}^{2+}/\text{Fe}} = -0.439\text{V}$. The value of standard electrode potential for the change, $\text{Fe}^{3+}_{(\text{aq})} + e^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{2+}_{(\text{aq})}$ will be :
- (1) -0.072 V (2) 0.385 V
(3) 0.770 V (4) -0.270 V

Sol: (3)



$$\therefore \Delta G_1^\circ = -nFE^\circ = -3F(-0.036)$$

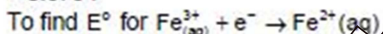
$$= +0.108 F$$



$$\therefore \Delta G_2^\circ = -nFE^\circ$$

$$= -2 F(-0.439)$$

$$= 0.878 F$$



$$\Delta G^\circ = -nFE^\circ$$

$$= -1FE^\circ$$

$$\therefore G^\circ = G_1^\circ - G_2^\circ$$

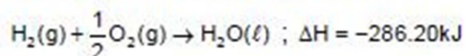
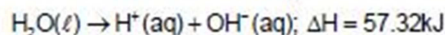
$$\therefore G^\circ = 0.108F - 0.878F$$

$$\therefore -FE^\circ = +0.108F - 0.878F$$

$$\therefore E^\circ = 0.878 - 0.108$$

$$= 0.77\text{v}$$

*44. On the basis of the following thermochemical data : ($\Delta_f G^\circ H_{(aq)}^+ = 0$)

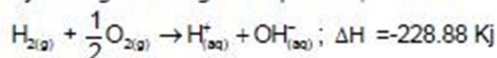


The value of enthalpy of formation of OH^- ion at 25°C is :

- (1) -22.88 kJ (2) -228.88 kJ
(3) +228.88 kJ (4) -343.52 kJ

Sol: (2)

By adding the two given equations, we have



Here ΔH_f° of $H_{(aq)}^+ = 0$

$\therefore \Delta H_f^\circ$ of $OH^- = -228.88 \text{ kJ}$

45. Copper crystallizes in fcc with a unit cell length of 361 pm. What is the radius of copper atom ?

- (1) 108 pm (2) 127 pm
(3) 157 pm (4) 181 pm

Sol: (2)

For FCC,

$\sqrt{2}a = 4r$ (the atoms touches each other along the face diagonal)

$$r = \frac{\sqrt{2}a}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{2} \times 361}{4}$$

$$= 127 \text{ pm}$$

46. Which of the following has an optical isomer ?

- (1) $[CO(NH_3)_3 Cl]^+$ (2) $[CO(en)(NH_3)_2]^{2+}$
(3) $[CO(H_2O)_4(en)]^{3+}$ (4) $[CO(en)_2(NH_3)_2]^{3+}$

Sol: (4)

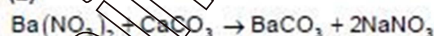
It is an octahedral complex of the type $[M(AA)_2X_2]$

Where AA is bidentate ligand

*47. Solid $Ba(NO_3)_2$ is gradually dissolved in a $1.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$ Na_2CO_3 solution. At what concentration of Ba^{2+} will a precipitate begin to form ? (K_{sp} for $BaCO_3 = 5.1 \times 10^{-9}$).

- (1) $4.1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$ (2) $5.1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$
(3) $8.1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$ (4) $8.1 \times 10^{-7} \text{ M}$

Sol: (2)



Here $[CO_3^{2-}] = [Na_2CO_3] = 10^{-4} \text{ M}$

$$K_{sp} = [Ba^{2+}][CO_3^{2-}] \Rightarrow 5.1 \times 10^{-9} = [Ba^{2+}](10^{-4}) \Rightarrow [Ba^{2+}] = 5.1 \times 10^{-5}$$

At this value, just precipitation starts.

48. Which one of the following reactions of Xenon compounds is not feasible ?

- (1) $\text{XeO}_3 + 6\text{HF} \rightarrow \text{XeF}_6 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 (2) $3\text{XeF}_4 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{Xe} + \text{XeO}_3 + 12\text{HF} + 1.5\text{O}_2$
 (3) $2\text{XeF}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{Xe} + 4\text{HF} + \text{O}_2$
 (4) $\text{XeF}_6 + \text{RbF} \rightarrow \text{Rb}(\text{XeF}_7)$

Sol: (1)
 Remaining are feasible

*49. Using MO theory predict which of the following species has the shortest bond length ?

- (1) O_2^{2+} (2) O_2^+
 (3) O_2^- (4) O_2^{2-}

Sol: (1)
 $\text{Bond length} \propto \frac{1}{\text{bond order}}$
 $\text{Bond order} = \frac{\text{no. of bonding } \bar{e} - \text{no. of antibonding } \bar{e}}{2}$
 Bond orders of O_2^{2+} , O_2^+ , O_2^- and O_2^{2-} are respectively 2.5, 1.5, 1 and 3.

50. In context with the transition elements, which of the following statements is incorrect ?

- (1) In addition to the normal oxidation states, the zero oxidation state is also shown by these elements

in complexes.

- (2) In the highest oxidation states, the transition metal show basic character and form cationic complexes.
- (3) In the highest oxidation states of the first five transition elements (Sc to Mn), all the 4s and 3d electrons are used for bonding.
- (4) Once the d^5 configuration is exceeded, the tendency to involve all the 3d electrons in bonding, decreases.

Sol: (2)
In higher Oxidation states transition elements show acidic nature

- *51. Calculate the wavelength (in nanometer) associated with a proton moving at $1.0 \times 10^3 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ (Mass of proton = $1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$ and $h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$) :
- (1) 0.032 nm
 - (2) 0.40 nm
 - (3) 2.5 nm
 - (4) 14.0 nm

Sol: (2)
$$\lambda = \frac{h}{mv} = \frac{6.63 \times 10^{-34}}{1.67 \times 10^{-27} \times 10^3} \approx 0.40 \text{ nm}$$

52. A binary liquid solution is prepared by mixing n-heptane and ethanol. Which one of the following statements is correct regarding the behaviour of the solution ?
- (1) The solution formed is an ideal solution
 - (2) The solution is non-ideal, showing +ve deviation from Raoult's law
 - (3) The solution is non-ideal, showing -ve deviation from Raoult's law.
 - (4) n-heptane shows +ve deviation while ethanol shows -ve deviation from Raoult's law.

Sol: (2)
The interactions between n-heptane and ethanol are weaker than that in pure components.

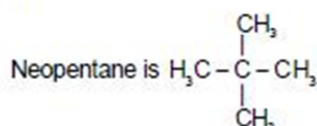
- *53. The number of stereoisomers possible for a compound of the molecular formula $\text{CH}_3 - \text{CH} = \text{CH} - \text{CH}(\text{OH}) - \text{Me}$ is :
- (1) 3
 - (2) 2
 - (3) 4
 - (4) 6

Sol: (3)
About the double bond, two geometrical isomers are possible and the compound is having one chiral carbon.

*54. The IUPAC name of neopentane is

- (1) 2-methylbutane
(2) 2, 2-dimethylpropane
(3) 2-methylpropane
(4) 2,2-dimethylbutane

Sol: (2)



*55. The set representing the correct order of ionic radius is :

- (1) $\text{Li}^+ > \text{Be}^{2+} > \text{Na}^+ > \text{Mg}^{2+}$
(2) $\text{Na}^+ > \text{Li}^+ > \text{Mg}^{2+} > \text{Be}^{2+}$
(3) $\text{Li}^+ > \text{Na}^+ > \text{Mg}^{2+} > \text{Be}^{2+}$
(4) $\text{Mg}^{2+} > \text{Be}^{2+} > \text{Li}^+ > \text{Na}^+$

Sol: (2)

Follow the periodic trends

56. The two functional groups present in a typical carbohydrate are :

- (1) -OH and -COOH
(2) -CHO and -COOH
(3) $>\text{C}=\text{O}$ and -OH
(4) -OH and -CHO

Sol: (3)

Carbohydrates are polyhydroxy carbonyl compounds.

*57. The bond dissociation energy of B - F in BF_3 is 646 kJ mol^{-1} whereas that of C-F in CF_4 is 515 kJ mol^{-1} . The correct reason for higher B-F bond dissociation energy as compared to that of C-F is :

- (1) smaller size of B-atom as compared to that of C-atom
(2) stronger σ bond between B and F in BF_3 as compared to that between C and F in CF_4
(3) significant $p\pi-p\pi$ interaction between B and F in BF_3 whereas there is no possibility of such interaction between C and F in CF_4
(4) lower degree of $p\pi-p\pi$ interaction between B and F in BF_3 than that between C and F in CF_4 .

Sol: (3)

option itself is the reason

58. In Cannizzaro reaction given below



- (1) the attack of OH^- at the carboxyl group
(2) the transfer of hydride to the carbonyl group
(3) the abstraction of proton from the carboxylic group
(4) the deprotonation of $\text{Ph CH}_2\text{OH}$

Sol: (2)

Hydride transfer is the slowest step.

59. Which of the following pairs represents linkage isomers ?

- (1) $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4][\text{PtCl}_4]$ and $[\text{Pt}(\text{NH}_3)_4][\text{CuCl}_4]$
- (2) $[\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_2(\text{NCS})_2]$ and $[\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_2(\text{SCN})_2]$
- (3) $[\text{CO}(\text{NH}_3)_5\text{NO}_3]\text{SO}_4$ and $[\text{CO}(\text{NH}_3)_5\text{SO}_4]\text{NO}_3$
- (4) $[\text{PtCl}_2(\text{NH}_3)_4]\text{Br}_2$ and $[\text{PtBr}_2(\text{NH}_3)_4]\text{Cl}_2$

Sol: (2)
NCS⁻ is ambidentate ligand and it can be linked through N (or) S

60. Buna-N synthetic rubber is a copolymer of :

- (1) $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\overset{\text{Cl}}{\underset{|}{\text{C}}}=\text{CH}_2$ and $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$
- (2) $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$ and $\text{H}_5\text{C}_6-\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$
- (3) $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CN}$ and $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$
- (4) $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CN}$ and $\text{H}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}-\overset{\text{CH}_3}{\underset{|}{\text{C}}}=\text{CH}_2$

Sol: (3)