

Chemical Reactions & Equations

Conceptual questions

- A metal 'M' acquires a green colour coating on its surface on exposure to air.
 - Identify the metal 'M' and name the process responsible for this change.
 - Name and write the chemical formula of the green coating formed on the metal.
 - List two important methods to prevent the process
- Why potato chips manufacturers fill the packet of chips with nitrogen gas?
- A brown substance 'X' on heating in air forms a substance 'Y'. When hydrogen gas is passed over heated 'Y', it again changes back to 'X'.
 - Name the substances X and Y
 - Name the chemical process occurring during the two changes.
 - Write the chemical equations
- Give an example when corrosion is an advantage rather than a disadvantage
- Which chemical compound is used in white-washing of walls? What happens when we mix it with water? Which reaction take place on the walls after white wash?
- Why does zinc plate develops holes when placed in CuSO_4 solution for few hours or days?
- Action of water on calcium carbide (CaC_2) is used for the preparation of acetylene (C_2H_2). In this reaction calcium carbide is converted into slaked lime. Write the balanced chemical equation for the reaction.
- A strip of metal X is dipped in a blue coloured salt solution YSO_4 . After some time, a layer of metal Y from the salt solution is formed on the surface of metal strip X. Metal X is used in galvanisation whereas metal Y is used in making electric wires. Metal X and metal Y together form an alloy Z.
 - Name the metal X and Y.
 - What type of chemical reaction takes when metal X reacts with salt solution YSO_4 ? Write the equation of the chemical reaction involved.
 - Name the alloy Z.
- When dilute solution of ammonium hydroxide is added to aqueous solution of ferrous sulphate, ferrous hydroxide is formed along with ammonium sulphate. Name the type of this reaction and also write chemical equation involved.
- A shiny brown coloured element X on heating in air becomes black in colour. Name the element X and the black coloured compound formed.

True/False questions

Mark the statement whether it is true or false. If the statement is false, write the true statement.

- Phosphate is a divalent ion.
- Chemical equations are balanced to satisfy the law of conservation of mass.
- When Mg ribbon is placed in atmosphere of nitrogen, it burns to form magnesium nitride.
- Photosynthesis is exothermic reaction .
- Burning of candle is a physical change whereas burning of the candle wax is a chemical change.
- The correct formula of aluminium sulphate is Al_2SO_4
- Mg ribbon burns in air with smoky flame.

8. A chemical equation cannot predict the feasibility of a reaction.
9. The term 'aqueous' represents large excess of water.
10. Reversible reactions can proceed in both the directions.
11. 1 mole of CaCO_3 on heating gives 1 mole of CaO and 44g of CO_2
12. The action of heat on ferrous sulphate crystals is an example of a decomposition reaction.
13. Silver, if placed in a solution of $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2$, will displace copper from the solution.
14. Silver bromide decomposes in the presence of light.
15. Green crystals of ferrous sulphate become dirty white upon strong heating.
16. In the electrolysis of acidulated water, volume of oxygen collected at cathode is half of the volume of hydrogen collected at anode.
17. Chemical reactions carried in the presence of sunlight are known as photochemical reaction.
18. The decomposition of vegetable matter into compost is an example of endothermic reaction.
19. The chemical formula of marble is CaCO_3 .
20. Quick lime is used in the manufacture of cement.
21. The reaction $\text{H}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HCl}$ is not an example of redox reaction.
22. Silver articles turn black when kept in the air due to the formation of silver sulphide on its surface.
23. Rust is hydrated ferric oxide ($\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O}$).
24. The rusting of iron can occur in dry air.
25. Precipitate of silver chloride dissolves in excess of water.
26. An oxidation reaction can proceed only in the company of reduction reaction.
27. Rancidity of eatables is due to oxidation.

Fill in the blanks

1. Reaction in which energy is absorbed is known as reaction.
2. The reaction in which heat is given out along with products is known as reaction.
3. $\text{NaCl}(\text{aq}) + \dots\dots\dots(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{NaNO}_3(\text{aq}) + \text{AgCl}(\text{s})$
4. The molecular formula of barium nitrate is
5. The substances that take part in a chemical reactions are called.....
6. Balancing of chemical equations is necessary because atoms are neither nor during a chemical reaction.
7. The chemical equation in which the term heat is included are called equations.
8. The reaction $\text{CaCO}_3 \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$ is a reaction.
9. Formation of Nitric oxide from nitrogen and oxygen is a reaction.
10. The reaction $2\text{Na} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NaCl}$ is a reaction.
11. The decomposition caused by light is called
12. The reaction of copper sulphate solution and iron filings is a reaction.
13. The gas liberated in the decomposition of KClO_3 is
14. The reaction $\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$ is an example of reaction.
15. Neutralisation reaction between an acid and a base is an example of reaction.
16. The gas released during respiration is
17. The reaction in which oxygen is added to the substance is called reaction
18. Reaction in which hydrogen is added to a substance is called reaction.

19. The process of loss of an electron is known as and the process of gain of an electron is known as
20. The substance undergoing oxidation acts as a/an agent.
21. The reducing agent undergoes of electrons.
22. The potato chips manufacturers use gas to flush the chips bags to prevent the chips getting oxidised.
23. Digestion of food in our body is an example of reaction.
24. In case of iron, corrosion is known as

Objective type questions

In the following questions, four options are given out of which only one is correct.

1. In the balanced equation
 $a\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + b\text{H}_2 \rightarrow c\text{Fe} + d\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 The value of a,b,c,d are respectively
 (1) 1,1, 2, 3 (2) 1,1,1,1
 (3) 1,3, 2,3 (4) 1, 2, 2, 3
2. The equation
 $\text{Cu} + x\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + y\text{NO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 The values of x and y are
 (1) 3 and 5 (2) 8 and 6
 (3) 4 and 2 (4) 7 and 1
3. Which of the following statements is/are true?
 (1) The total mass of the substance remains same in a chemical change.
 (2) A chemical change is permanent & irreversible
 (3) A physical change is temporary & reversible
 (4) All the these.
4. Which of the following statements is correct?
 (1) A chemical equation tells us about the substances involved in a reaction.
 (2) A chemical equation informs us about the symbols and formulae of the substances involved in a reaction.
 (3) A chemical equation tells us about the atoms or molecules of the reactants and products involved in a reaction.
 (4) All are correct
5. Which of the following is correct match?

Column -A Compound	Column -B Formula
i. lead nitrate	a. BaCl_2
ii. Barium sulphate	b. $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
iii. lead oxide	c. PbO
iv. Barium chloride	d. BaSO_4
(1) i-b, ii-c, iii-d, iv-a	(2) i-b, ii-d, iii-c, iv-a
(3) i-a, ii-b, iii-c, iv-d	(4) i-b, ii-a, iii-c, iv-d
6. Which of the following is correct match?

Column- A Formula	Column-B Common Name
i. CaO	a. Slaked lime
ii. $\text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$	b. Green vitriol
iii. CaCO_3	c. Quick lime
iv. $\text{FeSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$	d. Lime stone
(1) i-b, ii-c, iii-d, iv-a	(2) i-b, ii-d, iii-c, iv-a
(3) i-c, ii-a, iii-d, iv-b	(4) i-b, ii-a, iii-c, iv-d
7. Which of the following is not a chemical reaction?
 (1) Souring of milk
 (2) Dissolution of sugar in water
 (3) Rusting of iron
 (4) Digestion of food in our body
8. Reaction of oxygen with magnesium to form magnesium oxide
 (1) $\text{Mg} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{MgO}$
 (2) $2\text{Mg} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{MgO}$
 (3) $\text{Mg}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{MgO}$
 (4) $\text{Mg} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{MgO}_2$
9. The co-efficient of copper sulphate in the balanced equation of $\text{Al} + \text{CuSO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + \text{Cu}$ is ____
 (1) 4 (2) 3
 (3) 1 (4) 2
10. Which of the following is not a decomposition reaction?
 (1) $\text{CaCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$
 (2) $2\text{KClO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + 3\text{O}_2$
 (3) Digestion of food in the body
 (4) $\text{H}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HCl}$

11. Which of the following represent a double displacement reaction?
- (1) $2\text{H}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - (2) $2\text{Mg} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{MgO}$
 - (3) $\text{AgNO}_3 + \text{NaCl} \rightarrow \text{AgCl} + \text{NaNO}_3$
 - (4) $\text{H}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HCl}$
12. Which of the following is a displacement reaction?
- (1) $\text{CaCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$
 - (2) $\text{CaO} + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - (3) $\text{Fe} + \text{CuSO}_4 \rightarrow \text{FeSO}_4 + \text{Cu}$
 - (4) $\text{NaOH} + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
13. The reaction $\text{H}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HCl}$ is a
- (1) Decomposition reaction
 - (2) Combination reaction
 - (3) Double displacement reaction
 - (4) Displacement reaction
14. Which reaction is metathesis reaction?
- (1) $\text{FeCl}_3 + 3\text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{Fe(OH)}_3 + 3\text{NaCl}$
 - (2) $\text{Zn} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{ZnSO}_4 + \text{H}_2$
 - (3) $2\text{CO} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{CO}_2$
 - (4) $\text{N}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NO}$
15. What happens when dil hydrochloric acid is added to iron fillings?
- (1) Hydrogen gas and Iron chloride are produced.
 - (2) Chlorine gas and Iron hydroxide are produced.
 - (3) No reaction takes place
 - (4) Iron salt and water are produced.
16. Which of the following is/are a decomposition reaction(s)?
- (1) $2\text{HgO} \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} 2\text{Hg} + \text{O}_2$
 - (2) $\text{CaCO}_3 \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$
 - (3) $2\text{H}_2\text{O} \xrightarrow{\text{Electrolysis}} \text{H}_2 + \text{O}_2$
 - (4) All of these
17. Match the following
- | Column A | Column B |
|-------------------|---|
| Chemical reaction | Chemical equations |
| (a) Combination | (i) $\text{CaCO}_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$ |
| (b) Decomposition | (ii) $2\text{H}_2\text{O} \xrightarrow{\text{Electricity}} 2\text{H}_2 + \text{O}_2$ |
| (c) Displacement | (iii) $\text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaCO}_3$ |
| (d) Analysis | (iv) $\text{Fe} + \text{CuSO}_4(\text{aq.}) \rightarrow \text{FeSO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{Cu}$ |
- (1) a(ii), B(i), C(iv), d(iii)
 - (2) a(i), b(ii), c(iii), d(iv)
 - (3) a(iii), b(i), c(iv), d(ii)
 - (4) a(iii), b(i), c(iii), d(iv)
18. Which of the following reactions is/are double displacement reaction (s) ?
- (i) $\text{AgNO}_3 + \text{NaBr} \longrightarrow \text{NaNO}_3 + \text{AgBr}$
 - (ii) $\text{BaCl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \longrightarrow \text{BaSO}_4 + 2\text{HCl}$
 - (iii) $\text{As}_2\text{O}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{S} \longrightarrow \text{As}_2\text{S}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - (iv) $\text{NaOH} + \text{HCl} \longrightarrow \text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- (1) (i) & (ii)
 - (2) only (iii)
 - (3) only (iv)
 - (4) All of these
19. $\text{AgNO}_3(\text{aq}) + \text{NaCl}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{AgCl}(\text{s}) + \text{NaNO}_3(\text{aq})$
Above reaction is a
- (1) precipitation reaction
 - (2) double displacement reaction
 - (3) combination reaction
 - (4) both (1) and (2)
20. $\text{Zn} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{dil}) \longrightarrow \text{ZnSO}_4 + \text{H}_2 \uparrow$
Above equation is a
- (1) Decomposition
 - (2) Single displacement reaction
 - (3) Combination reaction
 - (4) Synthesis reaction

21. Which of the following statements is incorrect?
 (1) In oxidation, oxygen is added to a substance.
 (2) In reduction, Hydrogen is added to a substance
 (3) Oxidizing agent is oxidized.
 (4) Reducing agent is oxidized.
22. Which is a combustion reaction?
 (1) Boiling of water
 (2) Melting of wax
 (3) Burning of petrol
 (4) None of these
23. Which of the following is a redox reaction?
 (1) $\text{CaCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$
 (2) $\text{H}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HCl}$
 (3) $\text{CaO} + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
 (4) $\text{NaOH} + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
24. Which statement is correct about the following reaction?

$$\text{ZnO} + \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{Zn} + \text{CO}_2$$
 (1) ZnO is being oxidized
 (2) CO is being reduced
 (3) CO_2 is being oxidized
 (4) ZnO is being reduced
25. The reaction $\text{C} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CO}_2 + \text{Heat}$ is a
 (1) Combination reaction
 (2) Oxidation reaction
 (3) Exothermic reaction
 (4) All of the above
26. In reaction $\text{SO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{S} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 3\text{S}$ the reducing agent is
 (1) SO_2 (2) H_2S
 (3) H_2O (4) S
27. In the reaction $\text{Mg} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{MgCl}_2$ Chlorine may be regarded as
 (1) an oxidising agent
 (2) a reducing agent
 (3) a catalyst
 (4) providing an inert medium
28. $\text{CuO} + \text{H}_2 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Cu}$, reaction is an example of
 (1) redox reaction (2) synthesis reaction
 (3) neutralisation (4) analysis reaction
29. Which of the following is an example of oxidation reaction?
 (1) $\text{Sn}^{+2} - 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Sn}^{+4}$
 (2) $\text{Fe}^{+3} + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{+2}$
 (3) $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^-$
 (4) None of these
30. In the process of burning of magnesium in air, magnesium undergoes
 (1) reduction (2) sublimation
 (3) oxidation (4) all of these
31. In the reaction $\text{PbO} + \text{C} \rightarrow \text{Pb} + \text{CO}$
 (1) PbO is oxidized
 (2) C acts as oxidising agent.
 (3) C acts as a reducing agent.
 (4) This reaction does not represent a redox reaction.
32. A redox reaction is one in which
 (1) both the substances are reduced.
 (2) both the substances are oxidised.
 (3) an acid is neutralised by the base.
 (4) one substance is oxidised, while the other is reduced.
33. $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{Al} \rightarrow \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{Fe}$ This reaction is an example of
 (1) Combination reaction
 (2) Double displacement reaction
 (3) Decomposition reaction
 (4) Displacement reaction
34. When the gases sulphur dioxide and hydrogen sulphide react, the reaction is

$$\text{SO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{S} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 3\text{S}$$
 Here hydrogen sulphide is acting as
 (1) an oxidising agent
 (2) a reducing agent
 (3) a dehydrating agent
 (4) a catalyst

35. Which of the following statements is/are false for oxidation reaction?
- (1) Gain or addition of electronegative radical
 - (2) Removal of hydrogen atom.
 - (3) Removal or loss of electropositive radical or element
 - (4) None of these
36. A substance which oxidises itself and reduces other is known as
- (1) an oxidising agent
 - (2) a reducing agent
 - (3) both of these
 - (4) none of these
37. Oxidation is a process which involves
- (1) addition of oxygen
 - (2) removal of hydrogen
 - (3) loss of electrons
 - (4) All are correct
38. Which of the following is a decomposition reaction?
- (1) $\text{NaOH} + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - (2) $\text{NH}_4\text{CNO} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{NCONH}_2$
 - (3) $2\text{KClO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + 3\text{O}_2$
 - (4) $\text{H}_2 + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HI}$
39. Conversion of CaCO_3 into CaO as per following reaction is an example of –
- $$\text{CaCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$$
- (1) Decomposition reaction
 - (2) Reduction reaction
 - (3) Oxidation reaction
 - (4) None of these
40. When Iron nails are added to an aqueous solution of copper sulphate, a chemical change occurs, which of the following is not true about this reaction?
- (1) Blue colour of the solution fades.
 - (2) Iron nails becomes brownish in colour.
 - (3) It is a displacement reaction
 - (4) Iron nails dissolves completely
41. Which of the following equations is representing combination of two elements?
- (1) $\text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaCO}_3$
 - (2) $4\text{Na} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{Na}_2\text{O}$
 - (3) $\text{SO}_2 + 1/2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{SO}_3$
 - (4) $2\text{Na} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH} + \text{H}_2$
42. Which of the following equations is not an example of single displacement reaction?
- (1) $2\text{Al} + \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{Fe}$
 - (2) $\text{Ca} + \text{CO}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2$
 - (3) $2\text{KI} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + \text{I}_2$
 - (4) $2\text{Na} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH} + \text{H}_2$
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Answers

EXERCISE-1 OF SYNOPSIS

- (5) a. $\text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2(\text{aq}) + 2\text{HBr}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{BaBr}_2(\text{aq}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$
 b. $2\text{KCN}(\text{aq}) + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq}) + 2\text{HCN}(\text{g})$
 c. $2\text{Al}(\text{s}) + 6\text{HCl}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow 2\text{AlCl}_3(\text{aq}) + 3\text{H}_2(\text{g})$

EXERCISE-2 OF SYNOPSIS

- (1) (i) Calcium oxide or quick lime, its formula is CaO .
 (ii) $\text{CaO}(\text{s}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) \longrightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2(\text{aq})$
 Quick lime water Slaked lime

EXERCISE-3 OF SYNOPSIS

- (5) MnO_2 is oxidizing agent.
 HCl is reducing agent.

CONCEPTUAL QUESTIONS

- (1) i. M–Cu, Process - corrosion
 ii. Green coating - basic copper carbonate
 $\text{CuCO}_3 \cdot \text{Cu}(\text{OH})_2$
 iii. Painting, oiling, greasing
- (3) i. X–Cu Y–CuO
 ii. Change to Cu into CuO is oxidation whereas change of CuO back into Cu is reduction
 iii. $2\text{Cu} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{CuO}$
 $\text{CuO} + \text{H}_2 \rightarrow \text{Cu} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- (8) a. X is Zn, Y is Cu.
 b. Displacement reaction
 $\text{CuSO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{Zn}(\text{s}) \rightarrow \text{ZnSO}_4(\text{aq}) + \text{Cu}(\text{s})$
 c. Z is brass
- (9) It is a double decomposition reaction.
 $\text{FeSO}_4(\text{aq}) + 2\text{NH}_4\text{OH}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{OH})_2(\text{s}) + (\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4(\text{aq})$

True/False (T/F)

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| (1) F | (2) T |
| (3) T | (4) F |
| (5) T | (6) F |
| (7) F | (8) T |
| (9) T | (10) T |
| (11) T | (12) T |
| (13) F | (14) T |
| (15) F | (16) F |
| (17) T | (18) F |
| (19) T | (20) T |

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| (21) F | (22) T |
| (23) T | (24) F |
| (25) F | (26) T |
| (27) T | |

Fill in the blanks

- (1) Endothermic
 (2) Exothermic
 (3) AgNO_3
 (4) $\text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
 (5) reactants
 (6) created, destroyed
 (7) thermochemical
 (8) Decomposition
 (9) combination
 (10) Combination
 (11) Photochemical reaction
 (12) Displacement
 (13) Oxygen
 (14) Combination
 (15) Double displacement
 (16) CO_2
 (17) Oxidation
 (18) Reduction
 (19) Oxidation, reduction
 (20) Reducing
 (21) loss
 (22) Nitrogen
 (23) Combustion
 (24) rusting

Objective Questions

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| 1. (3) | 15. (1) | 29. (1) |
| 2. (3) | 16. (4) | 30. (3) |
| 3. (4) | 17. (3) | 31. (3) |
| 4. (4) | 18. (4) | 32. (4) |
| 5. (2) | 19. (4) | 33. (4) |
| 6. (3) | 20. (2) | 34. (2) |
| 7. (2) | 21. (3) | 35. (4) |
| 8. (2) | 22. (3) | 36. (2) |
| 9. (2) | 23. (2) | 37. (4) |
| 10. (4) | 24. (4) | 38. (3) |
| 11. (3) | 25. (4) | 39. (1) |
| 12. (3) | 26. (2) | 40. (4) |
| 13. (2) | 27. (1) | 41. (2) |
| 14. (1) | 28. (1) | 42. (2) |