

Redox Reactions

Self Evaluation Test -13

- When a piece of wire of copper is dipped in $AgNO_3$ solution, the colour of the solution turns blue due to
[MP PMT 1992; JIPMER 2002]
(a) Formation of soluble complex
(b) Oxidation of copper
(c) Oxidation of silver
(d) Reduction of copper
- HBr and HI can reduce H_2SO_4 , HCl can reduce $KMnO_4$ and HF can reduce
[IIT 1981]
(a) H_2SO_4 (b) $KMnO_4$
(c) $K_2Cr_2O_7$ (d) None of the above
- Consider the following statements :
In the chemical reaction
 $MnO_2 + 4HCl \rightarrow MnCl_2 + 2H_2O + Cl_2$
(1) Manganese ion is oxidised
(2) Manganese ion is reduced
(3) Chloride ion is oxidised
(4) Chloride ion is reduced
Which of these statements are correct [NDA 1999]
(a) 1 and 3 (b) 1 and 4
(c) 2 and 3 (d) 2 and 4
- The oxide which cannot act as a reducing agent is
[CBSE PMT 1995; AIIMS 2000; JIPMER 2002; Kurukshetra CEE 2002]
(a) SO_2 (b) NO_2
(c) CO_2 (d) ClO_2
- In the reaction between ozone and hydrogen peroxide, H_2O_2 acts as
[RPET 2000]
(a) Oxidising agent
(b) Reducing agent
(c) Bleaching agent
(d) Both oxidising and bleaching agent
- The oxidation state of each oxygen atom in Na_2O_2 is
[NCERT 1971]
(a) - 2 each (b) - 2 and zero
(c) - 1 each (d) None of the above
- The oxidation state of sulphur in SO_4^{2-} is
[Bihar MEE 1996]
(a) 4 (b) 2
(c) 6 (d) - 6
- The charge on cobalt in $[Co(CN)_6]^{3-}$ is [CPMT 1985, 93]
(a) - 6 (b) - 3
(c) + 3 (d) + 6
- Oxidation number of S in Na_2SO_4 is [CPMT 1989]
(a) - 2 (b) + 2
(c) - 6 (d) + 6
- A metal ion M^{3+} after loss of three electrons in a reaction will have an oxidation number equal to
[CPMT 1980, 83, 84, 94, 99]
(a) Zero (b) + 2
(c) + 3 (d) + 6
- Oxidation number of oxygen in ozone (O_3) is
[MP PET 2000; MP PMT 2001]
(a) + 3 (b) - 3
(c) - 2 (d) 0
- The oxidation states of sulphur in the anions SO_3^{2-} , $S_2O_4^{2-}$ and $S_2O_6^{2-}$ follow the order [CBSE PMT 2003]
(a) $S_2O_6^{2-} < S_2O_4^{2-} < SO_3^{2-}$ (b) $S_2O_4^{2-} < SO_3^{2-} < S_2O_6^{2-}$
(c) $SO_3^{2-} < S_2O_4^{2-} < S_2O_6^{2-}$ (d) $S_2O_4^{2-} < S_2O_6^{2-} < SO_3^{2-}$
- The oxidation number of hydrogen in LiH is
(a) + 1 (b) - 1
(c) 2 (d) 0
- Which of the following is not a redox reaction
[RPMT 1999]
(a) $2Rb + 2H_2O \rightarrow 2RbOH + H_2$
(b) $2CuI_2 \rightarrow 2CuI + I_2$
(c) $2H_2O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O + O_2$
(d) $4KCN + Fe(CN)_2 \rightarrow K_4Fe(CN)_6$
- Which of the following equations is a balanced one
[EAMCET 1980]
(a) $5BiO_3^- + 22H^+ + Mn^{2+} \rightarrow 5Bi^{3+} + 7H_2O + MnO_4^-$
(b) $5BiO_3^- + 14H^+ + 2Mn^{2+} \rightarrow 5Bi^{3+} + 7H_2O + 2MnO_4^-$
(c) $2BiO_3^- + 4H^+ + Mn^{2+} \rightarrow 2Bi^{3+} + 2H_2O + MnO_4^-$
(d) $6BiO_3^- + 12H^+ + 3Mn^{2+} \rightarrow 6Bi^{3+} + 6H_2O + 3MnO_4^-$
- In the equation
 $4M + 8CN^- + 2H_2O + O_2 \rightarrow 4[M(CN)_2]^- + 4OH^-$
Identify the metal M [AFMC 1998]
(a) Copper (b) Iron
(c) Gold (d) Zinc
- In alkaline condition $KMnO_4$ reacts as
 $2KMnO_4 + 2KOH \rightarrow 2K_2MnO_4 + H_2O + O_2$. The equivalent weight of $KMnO_4$ would be (Atomic mass of $K = 39$, $Mn = 55$, $O = 16$) [MP PMT 2002]
(a) 158.0 (b) 79.0
(c) 52.7 (d) 31.6



18. In acidic medium, equivalent weight of $K_2Cr_2O_7$ (mol. wt. = M) is [AFMC 1988]
 (a) $M/3$ (b) $M/4$ (c) $M/6$ (d) $M/2$

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1. (b) $2Ag^+ + Cu \rightarrow Cu^{++} + 2Ag^-$; $E_{Ag^+/Ag}^o > E_{Cu^{++}/Cu}^o$.
2. (d) F^- can be oxidised to F_2 only by electrolysis.
3. (c) Because the oxidation state of chlorine is -4 to 0 while Manganese ion is reduced because its oxidation state $+4$ to $+2$.
4. (c) CO_2 is an acidic oxide.
5. (b) H_2O_2 acts as a reducing agent in the reaction between O_3 and H_2O_2 .
6. (c) In Na_2O_2 oxygen shows -1 oxidation state.
7. (c) SO_4^{2-}
 $x - 2 \times 4 = -2$
 $x = 8 - 2 = +6$.
8. (c) In $[Co(CN)_6]^{3-}$ complex Co shows $+3$ oxidation state.
9. (d) Na_2SO_4
 $2 + x - 2 \times 4 = 0$
 $x = +6$.
10. (d) $M^{3+} \rightarrow M^{6+} + 3e^-$. Thus the oxidation number of metal = $+6$.
11. (d) Molecule and free atoms show zero oxidation state. O_3 is a molecule shows zero oxidation state.
12. (b) $S_2O_4^{2-} < SO_3^{2-} < S_2O_6^{2-}$
 Oxi. state of sulphur in $S_2O_4^{2-} = +3$
 Oxi. state of sulphur in $SO_3^{2-} = +4$
 Oxi state of sulphur in $S_2O_6^{2-} = +5$.
13. (b) LiH .
14. (d) In the reaction $4KCN + Fe(CN)_2 \rightarrow K_4Fe(CN)_6$, change in oxidation state is not taking place.
15. (b) $5BiO_3^- + 14H^+ + 2Mn^{2+} \rightarrow 5Bi^{3+} + 7H_2O + 2MnO_4^-$ is the balanced reaction.
16. (c) $4Au + 8CN^- + 2H_2O + O_2 \rightarrow 4[Au(CN)_2]^- + 4OH^-$.
17. (a) $e^- + Mn^{7+} \rightarrow Mn^{6+}$ $\therefore E = \frac{M}{1}$.
18. (c) $Cr_2O_7^{2-} + 14H^+ + 6e^- \rightarrow 2Cr^{3+} + 7H_2O$

Equivalent weight of $K_2Cr_2O_7$

$$= \frac{\text{Molecular Mass}}{6} = \frac{294.2}{6} = \frac{M}{6}$$

