15. CHEMICAL SUBSTANCES- NATURE AND BEHAVIOUR

Q. No		Question	Marks					
	Multip	ole Choice Question						
Q.48	Manav found an unknown solid substance on a riverbank. To check its nature, he carried out some tests on the substance and recorded his observations in the table shown below.							
	Effect of heat	melts on heating						
	Ductility	can be stretched into a thin strand						
	Malleability	can be beaten into a thin sheet						
	Electrical conductivity	does not conduct electricity						
	Which of the following could the	substance be?						
	 A. It is a polymer. B. It is a metal. C. It is glass. D. It is wax. 							
Q.49	Trupti has given the following rea metal for jewellery:	sons for Gold being the most abundantly	vused 1					
	(i) It has high ductility.							
	(ii) It has high malleability.							
	(iii) It shines more than other me	tals.						
	(iv) It reacts quickly with oxygen	to form a protective layer of oxide.						
	(v) It does not react with water &	oxygen even at high temperatures.						
	Which of the reasons given is/are INCORRECT?							
	A. only (iii) B. only (iv) C. only (iv) & (v) D. only (i), (ii) & (iii)							

Q.50	Sheetal has two test tubes, one containing dilute hydrochloric acid and the other dilute sulphuric acid but they are not labelled.	1
	Adding which of the following to the test tubes will help her to find out which test tube contains hydrochloric acid and which contains sulphuric acid?	
	 A. Blue litmus paper B. Zinc metal strips C. Sodium carbonate D. Barium carbonate 	
Q.51	Two statements are given - one labelled Assertion (A) and the other labelled Reason (R). Read the statements carefully and choose the option that correctly describes statements A and R.	1
	Assertion (A): An alloy may be a compound consisting of a metal and a non-metal.	
	Reason (R): An alloy is made by melting a metal and then dissolving other elements in it in definite proportions.	
	 A. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation for A. B. Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation for A. C. A is true but R is false. D. A is false but R is true. 	
Q.52	Freshly cut pieces of iron are stored in three closed containers P, Q and R containing dry air, oxygen and nitrogen respectively.	1
	In which of the containers is the Iron likely to rust?	
	 A. Only P B. Only P and Q C. All - P, Q and R D. In none of them 	
Q.53	Gautam has to courier a sample of silver bromide powder to a laboratory for analysis.	1
	Which of the following containers can he use to pack the sample?	
	P) Transparent glass bottle	
	Q) Opaque plastic bottle	
	R) Black paper packet	
	A. Only P B. Only P or Q	

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		nly Q or iy of P, C									
	D. AI	iy of F, C									
Q.54	Two statements are given - one labelled Assertion (A) and the other labelled Reason (R). Read the statements carefully and choose the option that correctly describes statements A and R.									1	
	Assertion (A): Potassium metal burns and produces a flame when thrown in water										
	Reason (R): The reaction of potassium with water is highly exothermic and violent.										
	B. Bo C. Ai	th A and s true b	d R are tru d R are tru ut R is fals out R is tru	e but R e.			-				
Q.55	Doing wh		he followi	ng will b	oreak t	he bond:	s in a c	rystal o	of sodiu	m	1
		-	i electric c t into a fin		-	h it					
		_	vith kerose	=	-1						
	D. Mi	ixing it v	vith water								
Q.56	In the list to its left	-	pelow, a m	ietal to t	he rig	ht is mor	e react	tive tha	an a me	tal that is	1
			Copper	Tin N	lickel	Cobalt	Iron	Zinc			
	The table	e below	gives the o	colour o	f the r	netal sulp	bhate s	alt sol	utions.		
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		Met	al salt sol	ution	Co	lour of a s	queou solutio		l salt		
		Coppe	er sulphate	2			blue				
		Tin sul	phate				yellow				
		Nickel	Nickel sulphate green								
		Cobalt	sulphate				pink				
		Iron su	ulphate				green				
		Zinc su	Zinc sulphate colourless								

	Adding nickel and iron metal to which of the following solutions will show that iron is more reactive than nickel?	
	 A. Copper sulphate B. Tin sulphate C. Cobalt sulphate D. Zinc sulphate 	
Q.57	Carbon compounds undergo combustion in oxygen to give carbon dioxide along with heat and light.	1
	The same number of molecules of each of the following carbon compounds undergo complete combustion.	
	P) CH₃COOH	
	Q) CH ₃ CH ₂ COOH	
	R) CH ₃ CH=CH ₂	
	S) CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ OH	
	Which of them will produce the same amount of carbon dioxide?	
	 A. Only P and Q B. Only Q and S C. Only P, Q and R D. Only Q, R and S 	
	Free response question/Subjective Question	
Q.58	A redox reaction is defined as a type of chemical reaction that involves transfer of electrons between reacting atoms, molecules or ions - one gains and the other loses electrons.	4
	Study the equation given below that shows the reaction between zinc oxide and hydrochloric acid.	
	$ZnO + 2 HCI \rightarrow ZnCl_2 + H_2O$	
	(a) Is this a double displacement reaction? Justify your answer.	
	(b) Is this a redox reaction? Justify your answer.	
	(c) Name another type of reaction that this is an example of.	
Q.59	A metal oxide XO on being heated with carbon does NOT produce carbon	1

	Give a possible explanation for thi	s behaviour of the me	etal oxide.						
Q.60	Farida checks the pH of a bottle of milk at 10:00 AM and finds it to be 6.0. She leaves the milk bottle on the table at room temperature (30 °C). She checks the pH of the milk again at 4:00 PM.								
	How is the pH of the milk at 4:00 PM likely to compare with the pH of milk at 10:00 AM? Justify your answer.								
Q.61	On opening a bottle of soda, Nishchal observed that there was a lot of effervescence and some of the soda water bubbled out of the bottle.								
	(a) Write the equation for the che	mical reaction taking	place.						
	(b) Identify the type of reaction.								
Q.62	The molecular formulae of three c	arbon compounds are	2:	2					
	CH ₂ O, C ₂ H ₄ O, C ₃ H ₆ O								
	(a) Identify the compound that can exist as two isomers having different functional groups.								
	(b) Write the structures of the two	o isomers.							
Q.63	Uzma peeled and cut some potatoes and left them in an open bowl. After a few minutes, she observed that the cut potato pieces had turned brown.								
	Radhika also peeled and cut some potatoes. She kept the cut potato pieces immersed in a bowl of water. The potato pieces in water did NOT turn brown.								
	Explain the difference in the reaction of the cut potato pieces in the two cases.								
Q.64	The densities of water and magnesium metal at different temperatures are given in the table below.								
	Temperature	Density of magnesium metal	Density of water						
	25 °C (room temperature)	1.738	0.99						
	100 °C (boiling point of water)	-	0.958						
	650 °C (melting point of magnesium)	1.64	-						
	'Magnesium floats in boiling water because its density decreases on heating.'								
	Is the statement above true or false? If true, give a reason. If false, correct it.								
	Is the statement above true or fals	se? If true, give a reas	on. If faise, correct it.						



	1) Ca + 2	2 H ₂ O	>									
	2) CaO + H ₂ O >											
(a) Write the chemical formula of the common product formed reactions.							ned in	the two				
	(b) Identify the type of reaction that will occur in (1) and (2)											
Q.70	Excess c lime.	arbon di	oxide gas	is cor	ntinuousl	y bubbled	d thro	ugh a so	lution (of slaked	5	
	(a) Desc	ribe how	the appe	aranc	e of the	solution v	will cha	ange.				
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Q.71		_	re is know reactive t							metal to	2	
			Copper	Tin	Nickel	Cobalt	Iron	Zinc				
	The tabl	e helow	gives the	colou	r of a fev	v metal si	Inhati	e salt so	lutions			
			gives the									
		Copper sulphate			blue							
		Tin sulphate Nickel sulphate Cobalt sulphate				ye	llow					
						gr	een					
						р	ink					
		Iron sulphate				green						
		Zinc su	lphate			colo	urless					
	metal to	copper	n is more i sulphate s w which is	soluti	on in sep	arate tes	t tubes	5.	metal	and iron		
Q.72	To compare the reactivity of magnesium and aluminium two friends carried out the following tests.							rried out	3			
	- Shardu	I reacted	the meta	als wit	th hydroo	chloric aci	id.					
	- Ashwir	n reacted	the meta	ls wit	h boiling	water.						
	Whose test will differentiate between the two metals based on their reactivity? Explain why.											

Answer Key and Marking Scheme

Q.No	Answers	Marks
Q.48	A. It is a polymer.	1
Q.49	B. Only (iv)	1
Q.50	D. BArium carbonate	1
Q.51	D. A is false but R is true.	1
Q.52	D. (in none of them)	1
Q.53	C. Only Q or R	1
Q.54	D. A is false but R is true.	1
Q.55	D. mixing it with water	1
Q.56	C. Cobalt sulphate	1
Q.57	D. Only Q, R and S	1
Q.58	 (a) Yes, it is. [0.5 marks] Since there is an exchange of ions between the reactants. [1 mark] (No marks to be given if justification not given.) (b) No, it is not. [0.5 marks] Since none of the reactants have gained or lost an electron. [1 mark] (No marks to be given if justification not given.) (c) neutralisation reaction 	4
Q.59	(a) The metal is more reactive than carbon.	1
Q.60	 The pH will be below 6.0. [1 mark] The bacteria in the milk will change the lactose in the milk to lactic acid. [1 mark] (no marks to ge given without justification.) 	2
Q.61	 (a) H₂CO₃> H₂O + CO₂ (b) decomposition reaction 	2
Q.62	 (a) C₃H₆O (b) CH₃ - CO - CH₃ [0.5 marks] CH₃ - CH₂ - CHO [0.5 marks] 	2

Q.63	The browning of the potato pieces kept in the open bowl is likely to be due to an oxidation reaction between the potato and air. The oxidation is prevented by keeping the potato under water as it is not in contact with air.	1
Q.64	 False. Magnesium floats when placed in boiling water because of the bubbles of hydrogen gas forming on its surface as it reacts with hot water. 	1
Q.65	 He will observe an increase in the pH of the reaction mixture. [1 mark] The amount of acid in the reaction mixture keeps decreasing as ethanoic acid gets converted to the ester. [1 mark] 	2
Q.66	 The red litmus paper will turn blue. [0.5 marks] The blue litmus paper will remain blue. [0.5 marks] Calcium reacts with water to form calcium hydroxide which is basic in nature. [1 mark] (no marks to be given if justification is not given or is incorrect) 	2
Q.67	The baking soda neutralises the acids that form in the plaque between the teeth.	1
Q.68	 (a) A,D,E (1 mark for all three correct answers, 0.5 marks for any two correct answers.) (b) 0.5 marks each for both correct names: compound A and compound F (c) compound E and compound C [0.5 marks each] HCOOH + CH₃CH₂OH> CH₃CH₂OCOH + H₂O [1 mark] 	4
Q.69	 (a) Ca(OH)₂ (b) 1 mark each for the following: (1) displacement reaction (2) combination reaction (Accept any other correct answer.) 	3
Q.70	 (a) The clear solution of slaked lime will first turn milky (whitish in colour), due to the formation of a precipitate of calcium carbonate. [1 mark] On passing excess carbon dioxide, the solution will slowly become clear again due to formation of calcium bicarbonate which is water soluble. [1 mark] (b) 1 mark for each balanced equation, and 0.5 marks for writing the states of the substances in each equation. Ca(OH)₂(aq) + CO₂ (g)> CaCO₃(s) + H₂O (l) [1.5 marks] CaCO₃ (s) + H₂O (l) + CO₂ (g)> Ca(HCO₃)₂ (aq) [1.5 marks] 	5

Q.71	The test will not be able to tell which is more reactive.	2
	Both nickel and iron are more reactive than copper and will displace copper from the copper sulphate solution turning it green in colour.	
Q.72	Only Ashwin's test	3
	1 mark each for the following:	
	- Only magnesium reacts with boiling water releasing hydrogen gas. Aluminium does not react with boiling water, but reacts only with steam. [1 mark]	
	Mg + 2 H ₂ O (I)> Mg(OH) ₂ + H ₂	
	$AI + H_2O(I) > no reaction$	
	- Both magnesium and aluminium react with hydrochloric acid producing salt and hydrogen gas. [1 mark]	
	Mg + 2 HCl> MgCl ₂ + H_2	
	2 AI + 6 HCI-> 2 AICI ₃ + 3 H ₂	