

Chapter – 1

Basic Concepts of Chemistry & Chemical Calculations

I. Choose the Best Answer

Question 1.

40 ml of methane is completely burnt using 80 ml of oxygen at room temperature. The volume of gas left after cooling to room temperature is

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- (a) 40 ml CO₂ gas
- (b) 40 ml CO₂ gas and 80 ml H₂O gas
- (c) 60 ml CO₂ gas and 60 ml H₂O gas
- (d) 120 ml CO₂ gas

Answer:

- (a) 40 ml CO₂ gas

Solution:



Content	CH ₄	O ₂	CO ₂
Stoichiometric coefficient	1	2	1
Volume of reactants allowed to react	40 mL	80 mL	-
Volume of reactant reacted and product formed	40 mL	80 mL	40 mL
Volume of gas after cooling to the room temperature	-	-	-

Since the product was cooled to room temperature, water exists mostly as liquid. Hence, option (a) is correct

Question 2.

An element X has the following isotopic composition ²⁰⁰X = 90 %, ¹⁹⁹X = 8 % and ²⁰²X = 2 %. The weighted average atomic mass of the element X is closest to

- (a) 201 u

- (b) 202 u
- (c) 199 u
- (d) 200 u

Answer:

(d) 200 u

$$= \frac{(200 \times 90) + (199 \times 8) + (202 \times 2)}{100} = 199.96 = 200 \text{ u}$$

Question 3.

Assertion:

Two moles of glucose contain 12.044×10^{23} molecules of glucose.

Reason:

The total number of entities present in one mole of any substance is equal to 6.02×10^{22}

- (a) both assertion and reason are true and the reason is the correct explanation of the assertion
- (b) both assertion and reason are true but the reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion
- (c) the assertion is true but the reason is false
- (d) both assertion and reason are false

Answer:

(c) the assertion is true but the reason is false

Correct reason:

The total number of entities present in one mole of any substance is equal to 6.022×10^{23}

Question 4.

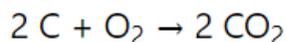
Carbon forms two oxides, namely carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide. The equivalent mass of which element remains constant?

- (a) Carbon
- (b) Oxygen
- (c) Both carbon and oxygen
- (d) Neither carbon nor oxygen

Answer:

(b) Oxygen

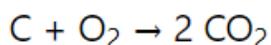
Reaction 1:



2 × 12 g carbon combines with 32 g of oxygen.

Hence, Equivalent mass of carbon = $\frac{2 \times 12}{32} \times 8 = 6$

Reaction 2:



12 g carbon combines with 32 g of oxygen.

Hence, Equivalent mass of carbon = $\frac{12}{32} \times 8 = 3$

Question 5.

The equivalent mass of a trivalent metal element is 9 g eq⁻¹ the molar mass of its anhydrous oxide is

- (a) 102 g
- (b) 27 g
- (c) 270 g
- (d) 78 g

Answer:

- (a) 102 g

Let the trivalent metal be M³⁺

Equivalent mass = mass of the metal / valance factor

9g eq⁻¹ = mass of the metal / 3 eq

Mass of the metal = 27 g

Oxide formed M₂O₃

Mass of the oxide = (2 × 27) + (3 × 16) = 102 g

Question 6.

The number of water molecules in a drop of water weighing 0.018 g is

- (a) 6.022 × 10²⁶
- (b) 6.022 × 10²³
- (c) 6.022 × 10²⁰

(d) 99×10^{22}

Answer:

(c) 6.022×10^{20}

Weight of the water drop = 0.018 g

No. of moles of water in the drop = Mass of water / molar mass = $0.018/18 = 10^{-3}$ mole

No of water molecules present in 1 mole of water = 6.022×10^{23}

No. water molecules in one drop of water (10 moles) = $6.022 \times 10^{23} \times 10^{-3} = 6.022 \times 10^{20}$

Question 7.

1 g of an impure sample of magnesium carbonate (containing no thermally decomposable impurities) on complete thermal decomposition gave 0.44 g of carbon dioxide gas. The percentage of impurity in the sample is

- (a) 0 %
- (b) 4.4 %
- (c) 16 %
- (d) 8.4 %

Answer:

(c) 16%



Mg CO₃ : $(1 \times 24) + (1 \times 12) + (3 \times 16) = 84$ g

CO₂ : $(1 \times 12) + (2 \times 16) = 44$ g

100% pure 84 g MgCO₃ on heating gives 44 g CO₂

Given that 1 g of MgCO₃ on heating gives 0.44 g CO₂

Therefore, 84 g MgCO₃ sample on heating gives 36.96 g CO₂ = 100%

Percentage of purity of the sample = $\frac{100\%}{44\text{gCO}_2} \times 36.96 \text{ g CO}_2 = 84\%$

Percentage of impurity = 16%

Question 8.

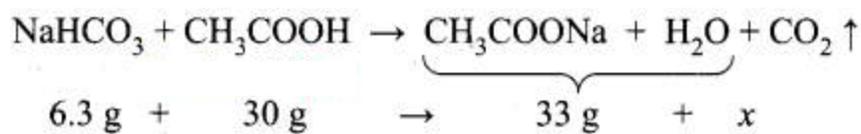
When 6.3 g of sodium bicarbonate is added to 30 g of the acetic acid solution,

the residual solution is found to weigh 33 g. The number of moles of carbon dioxide released in the reaction is-

- (a) 3
- (b) 0.75
- (c) 0.075
- (a) 0.3

Answer:

- (c) 0.075



The amount of CO₂ released, x = 3.3 g

No. of moles of CO₂ released = 3.3 / 44 = 0.075 mol

Question 9.

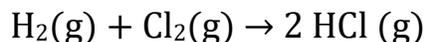
When 22.4 liters of H₂ (g) is mixed with 11.2 liters of Cl₂ (g), each at 273 K at 1 atm the moles of HCl (g), formed is equal to

- (a) 2 moles of HCl (g)
- (b) 0.5 moles of HCl (g)
- (c) 1.5 moles of HCl (g)
- (d) 1 moles of HCl (g)

Answer:

- (d) 1 moles of HCl (g)

Solution:



Content	H ₂ (g)	cl ₂ (g)	HCl (g)
Stoichiometric coefficient	1	1	2
No. of moles of reactants allowed to react at 273 K and 1 atm pressure	22.4 L (1 mol)	11.2 L (0.5 mol)	—
No. of moles of a reactant reacted and product formed	0.5	0.5	1
Amount of HCl formed 1 mol			

Question 13.

Which one of the following represents 180 g of water?

- (a) 5 Moles of water
- (b) 90 moles of water
- (c) $\frac{6.022 \times 10^{23}}{180}$ Molecules of water
- (d) 6.022×10^{24} Molecules of water

Answer:

(d) 6.022×10^{24} Molecules of water

No. of moles of water present in 180 g

= Mass of water / Molar mass of water

= $180 \text{ g} / 18 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = 10 \text{ moles}$

One mole of water contains

= 6.022×10^{23} water molecules

10 mole of water contains = $6.022 \times 10^{23} \times 10$

= 6.022×10^{24} water molecules

Question 14.

7.5 g of a gas occupies a volume of 5.6 liters at 0°C and 1 atm pressure. The gas is

- (a) NO
- (b) N₂O
- (c) CO
- (d) CO₂

Answer:

(a) NO

7.5 g of gas occupies a volume of 5.6 liters at 273 K and 1 atm pressure

Therefore, the mass of gas that occupies a volume of 22.4 liters –

$$\frac{7.5 \text{g}}{5.6 \text{L}} \times 22.4 \text{ L} = 30 \text{g}$$

Molar mass of NO (14 + 16) = 30g

Question 15.

The total number of electrons present in 1.7 g of ammonia is

(a) 6.022×10^{23}

(b) $\frac{6.022 \times 10^{22}}{1.7}$

(c) $\frac{6.022 \times 10^{24}}{1.7}$

(d) $\frac{6.022 \times 10^{23}}{1.7}$

Answer:

(a) 6.022×10^{23}

No. of electrons present in one ammonia (NH_3) molecule $(7 + 3) = 10$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{No. of moles of ammonia} &= \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Molarmass}} \\ &= \frac{1.7\text{g}}{17\text{gmol}^{-1}} = 0.1 \text{ mol} \end{aligned}$$

No. of molecules present in One ammonia

$$= 0.1 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} = 6.022 \times 10^{22}$$

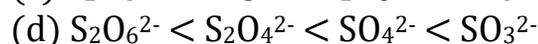
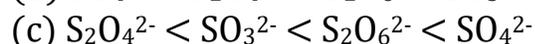
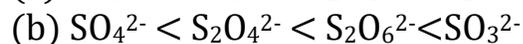
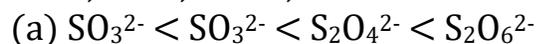
No. of electrons present in 0.1 mol of ammonia

$$10 \times 6.022 \times 10^{22} = 6.022 \times 10^{23}$$

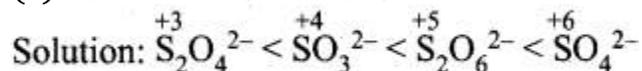
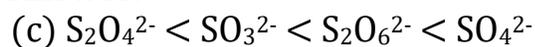
Question 16.

The correct increasing order of the oxidation state of sulphur in the anions

SO_4^{2-} , SO_3^{2-} , $\text{S}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$, $\text{S}_2\text{O}_6^{2-}$ is



Answer:

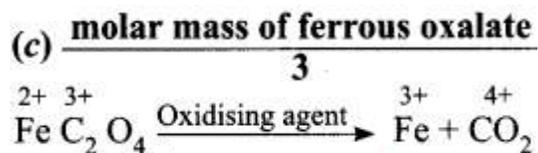


Question 17.

The equivalent mass of ferrous oxalate is

- (a) $\frac{\text{molar mass of ferrous oxalate}}{1}$
- (b) $\frac{\text{molar mass of ferrous oxalate}}{2}$
- (c) $\frac{\text{molar mass of ferrous oxalate}}{3}$
- (d) none of these

Answer:



Question 18.

If Avogadro number were changed from 6.022×10^{23} to 6.022×10^{20} , this would change

- (a) the ratio of chemical species to each other in a balanced equation
- (b) the ratio of elements to each other in a compound
- (c) the definition of mass in units of grams
- (d) the mass of one mole of carbon

Answer:

- (d) the mass of one mole of carbon

Question 19.

Two 22.4 liter containers A and B contains 8 g of O_2 and 8 g of SO_2 respectively, at 273 K and 1 atm pressure, then

- (a) number of molecules in A and B are the same
- (b) number of molecules in B is more than that in A
- (c) the ratio between the number of molecules in A to the number of molecules in B is 2 : 1
- (d) number of molecules in B is three times greater than the number of molecules in A

Answer:

- (c) The ratio between the number of molecules in A to number of molecules in B is 2 : 1

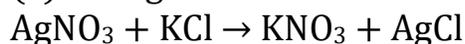
Question 20.

What is the mass of precipitate formed when 50 ml of 8.5% solution of AgNO₃ is mixed with 100 ml of 1.865% potassium chloride solution?

- (a) 3.59 g
- (b) 7 g
- (c) 14 g
- (d) 28 g

Answer:

- (a) 3.59 g

**Solution:**

50 mL of 8.5% solution contains 4.25 g of AgNO₃

No. of moles of AgNO₃ present in 50 mL of 8.5% AgNO₃ solution

$$= \text{Mass} / \text{Molar mass} = 4.25 / 170 = 0.025 \text{ moles}$$

Similarly, No of moles of KCl present in 100 mL of 1.865% KCl solution

$$= 1.865 / 74.5 = 0.025 \text{ moles}$$

So total amount of AgCl formed is 0.025 moles (based on the stoichiometry calculator)

Amount of AgCl present in 0.025 moles of AgCl

$$= \text{no. of moles} \times \text{molar mass}$$

$$= 0.025 \times 143.5 = 3.59 \text{ g}$$

Question 21.

The mass of a gas that occupies a volume of 612.5 ml at room temperature and pressure (25°C and 1 atm pressure) is 1.1g. The molar mass of the gas is

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- (a) 66.25 g mol⁻¹
- (b) 44 g mol⁻¹
- (c) 24.5 g mol⁻¹
- (d) 662.5 g mol⁻¹

Answer:

- (b) 44 g mol⁻¹

Solution:

No. of moles of a gas that occupies a volume of 6 12.5 ml at room temperature and pressure

(25° C and 1 atm pressure)

$$= 612.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ L} / 24.5 \text{ L mol}^{-1}$$

$$= 0.025 \text{ moles}$$

We know that,

Molar mass = Mass / no. of moles

$$= 1.1 \text{ g} / 0.025 \text{ mol} = 44 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

Question 22.

Which of the following contain same number of carbon atoms as in 6 g of carbon -12?

(a) 7.5 g ethane

(b) 8 g methane

(c) both (a) and (b)

(d) none of these

Answer:

(c) both (a) and (b)

Solution:

No. of moles of carbon present in 6 g of C - 12 = Mass / Molar mass

$$= 6/12 = 0.5 \text{ moles} = 0.5 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ carbon atoms.}$$

No. of moles in 8 g of methane = $8/16 = 0.5$ moles

$$= 0.5 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ carbon atoms.}$$

No. of moles in 7.5 g of ethane = $7.5/30 = 0.25$ moles

$$= 2 \times 0.25 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ carbon atoms.}$$

Question 23.

Which of the following compound(s) has/have a percentage of carbon same as that in ethylene (C₂H₄)?

(a) propene

(b) ethyne

(c) benzene

(d) ethane

Answer:

(a) propene

Solution:

Molar mass of carbon

$$\text{Percentage of carbon in ethylene (C}_2\text{H}_6) = \frac{\text{Molar mass of carbon}}{\text{Molar mass}} \times 100$$

$$= 24/28 \times 100 = 85.71\%$$

$$\text{Percentage of carbon in propene (C}_3\text{H}_6) = 24/28 \times 100 = 85.71\%$$

Question 24.

Which of the following is/are true with respect to carbon - 12?

(a) relative atomic mass is 12 u

(b) oxidation number of carbon is +4 in all its compounds.

(c) 1 mole of carbon -12 contain 6.022×10^{22} carbon atoms.

(d) all of these

Answer:

(a) relative atomic mass is 12 u

Question 25.

Which one of the following is used as a standard for atomic mass?

(a) ${}_6\text{C}^{12}$

(b) ${}_7\text{C}^{12}$

(c) ${}_6\text{C}^{13}$

(d) ${}_6\text{C}^{14}$

Answer:

(a) ${}_6\text{C}^{12}$

II. Write brief answer to the following questions

Question 26.

Define relative atomic mass.

Answer:

On the basis of carbon, the relative atomic mass of an element is defined as the ratio of the mass of one atom of the element to the mass of 1/12th mass of one atom of Carbon - 12.

$$\text{Relative atomic mass} = \frac{\text{Mass of one atom of the element}}{\text{Mass of } 1/12^{\text{th}} \text{ mass of one atom of Carbon-12}}$$

Question 27.

What do you understand by the term mole?

Answer:

The term 'mole' is used to represent 6.022×10^{23} entities (atoms or molecules or ions). One mole is the amount of substance of a system, which contains as many elementary particles as there are atoms in 12 g of carbon -12 isotope. The elementary particles can be molecules, atoms, ions, electrons, or any other specified particles.

Question 28.

Define equivalent mass.

Answer:

The equivalent mass of an element is the number of parts of the mass of an element which combines with or displaces 1.008 parts of hydrogen or 8 parts of oxygen or 35.5 parts of chlorine.

Question 29.

What do you understand by the term oxidation number?

Answer:

Oxidation number refers to the number of charges an atom would have in a molecule or an ionic compound, if electrons were transferred completely. The oxidation numbers reflect the number of electrons "transferred".

Question 30.

Distinguish between oxidation and reduction.

Answer:

The oxidation number is defined as the imaginary charge left on the atom when all other atoms of the compound have been removed in their usual oxidation states that are assigned according to set of rules. A term that is often used interchangeably with oxidation number is oxidation state.

Question 31.

Calculate the molar mass of the following compounds.

1. urea [$\text{CO}(\text{NH}_2)_2$]
2. acetone [CH_3COCH_3]
3. boric acid [H_3BO_3]
4. sulphuric acid [H_2SO_4]

Answer:

1. urea [$\text{CO}(\text{NH}_2)_2$]

Atomic mass of C = 12

Atomic mass of O = 16

Atomic mass of 2(N) = 28

Atomic mass of 4(H) = 4

∴ Molar mass of Urea = 60

2. Acetone [CH_3COCH_3]

Atomic mass of 3(C) = 36

Atomic mass of 1(O) = 16

Atomic mass of 6(H) = 6

∴ Molar mass of Acetone = 58

3. Boric acid [H_3BO_3]

Atomic mass of B = 10

Atomic mass of 3(H) = 3

Atomic mass of 3(O) = 48

∴ Molar mass of Boric acid = 61

4. Sulphuric acid [H_2SO_4]

Atomic mass of 2(H) = 2

Atomic mass of 1(S) = 32
Atomic mass of 4(O) = 64
∴ Molar mass of Sulphuric acid = 98

Question 32.

The density of carbon dioxide is equal to 1.977 kg m^{-3} at 273 K and 1 atm pressure. Calculate the molar mass of CO_2

Answer:

Molecular mass = Density x Molar volume

Molar volume of $\text{CO}_2 = 2.24 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^3$

Density of $\text{CO}_2 = 1.977 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$

Molecular mass of $\text{CO}_2 = 1.977 \times 10^3 \text{ gm}^{-3} \times 2.24 \times 10^{-2} \text{ m}^3$
 $= 1.977 \times 10^{-1} \times 2.24 = 44 \text{ g}$

Question 33.

Which contains the greatest number of moles of oxygen atoms?

1. 1 mol of ethanol
2. 1 mol of formic acid
3. 1 mol of H_2O

Answer:

1. 1 mol of ethanol

$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ (ethanol) – Molar mass = $24 + 6 + 16 = 46$

46 g of ethanol contains $1 \times 6.023 \times 10^{23}$ number of oxygen atoms.

2. 1 mol of formic acid.

HCOOH (formic acid) – Molar mass = $2 + 12 + 32 = 46$

46 g of HCOOH contains $2 \times 6.023 \times 10^{23}$ number of oxygen atoms.

3. 1 mol of H_2O

H_2O (water) – Molar mass = $2 + 16 = 18$

18 g of water contains $1 \times 6.023 \times 10^{23}$ number of oxygen atoms.

∴ 1 mole of formic acid contains the greatest number of oxygen atoms.

Question 34.

Calculate the average atomic mass of naturally occurring magnesium using the following data

Isotope	Isotopic atomic mass	Abundance (%)
Mg ²⁴	23.99	78.99
Mg ²⁶	24.99	10
Mg ²⁵	25.98	11.01

Answer:

Isotopes of Mg.

$$\text{Atomic mass} = \text{Mg}^{24} = 23.99 \times \frac{78.99}{100} = 18.95$$

$$\text{Atomic mass} = \text{Mg}^{26} = 24.99 \times \frac{10}{100} = 2.499$$

$$\text{Atomic mass} = \text{Mg}^{25} = 25.98 \times \frac{11.01}{100} = 2.860$$

$$\text{Average Atomic mass} = 24.309$$

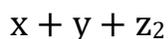
$$\text{Average atomic mass of Mg} = 24.309$$

Question 35.

In a reaction $x + y + z_2 \rightarrow xyz_2$, identify the limiting reagent if any, in the following reaction mixtures.

- (a) 200 atoms of x + 200 atoms of y + 50 molecules of z_2
- (b) 1 mol of x + 1 mol of y + 3 mol of z_2
- (c) 50 atoms of x + 25 atoms of y + 50 molecules of z_2
- (d) 2.5 mol of x + 5 mol of y + 5 mol of z_2

Answer:



(a) 200 atoms of x + 200 atoms of y + 50 molecules of z_2 According to the reaction, 1 atom of x reacts with one atom of y and one molecule of z to give product. In the case (a) 200 atoms of x, 200 atoms of y react with 50 molecules of z_2 (4 part) i.e. 50 molecules of z_2 react with 50 atoms of x and 50 atoms of y. Hence z is the limiting reagent.

(b) 1 mol of x + 1 mol of y + 3 mol of z_2

According to the equation 1 mole of z_2 only react with one mole of x and one mole of y. If 3 moles of z_2 are there, z is limiting reagent.

(c) 50 atoms of x + 25 atoms of y + 50 molecules of z₂
25 atoms of y react with 25 atoms of x and 25 molecules of z₂. So y is the limiting reagent.

(d) 2.5 mol of x + 5 mol of y + 5 mol of z₂
2.5 mol of x react with 2.5 mole of y and 2.5 mole of z₂. So x is the limiting reagent.

Question 36.

Mass of one atom of an element is 6.645×10^{-23} g. How many moles of element are there in 0.320 kg?

Answer:

Mass of one atom of an element = 6.645×10^{-23} g = Atomic mass.

Mass of given element = 0.320 kg

Number of moles = Atomic mass

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Number of moles} &= \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Atomic mass}} \\ &= \frac{0.320 \times 1000 \text{ g}}{6.645 \times 10^{-23} \text{ g}} \\ &= \frac{320 \times 10^{23}}{6.645} \\ &= 48.156 \times 10^{23} \\ &= 4.8156 \times 10^{24} \text{ moles.}\end{aligned}$$

$$= 48.156 \times 10^{-23}$$

$$= 4.8156 \times 10^{-24} \text{ moles.}$$

Question 37.

What is the difference between molecular mass and molar mass? Calculate the molecular mass and molar mass for carbon monoxide.

Answer:

Molecular mass is defined as the ratio of the mass of a molecule to the unified atomic mass unit.

The relative molecular mass of any compound can be calculated by adding the relative atomic masses of its constituent atoms.

Molar mass is defined as the mass of one mole of a substance.

The molar mass of a compound is equal to the sum of the relative atomic masses of its constituents expressed in g mol^{-1} .

Molecular mass of Carbon monoxide

$$= (1 \times \text{Atomic mass of carbon}) + (1 \times \text{Atomic mass of oxygen})$$

$$= (1 \times 12) + (1 \times 16) = 28 \text{ u.}$$

Molar mass of Carbon monoxide

$$= (1 \times \text{Atomic mass of carbon}) + (1 \times \text{Atomic mass of oxygen})$$

$$= (1 \times 12) + (1 \times 16) = 28 \text{ g mol}^{-1}.$$

Question 38.

What is the empirical formula of the following?

1. Fructose ($\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$) found in honey
2. Caffeine ($\text{C}_8\text{H}_{10}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2$) a substance found in tea and coffee.

Answer:

1. Fructose ($\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$)

Empirical formula is the simplest formula. So it is divided by 6 and so empirical formula is CH_2O .

2. Caffeine ($\text{C}_8\text{H}_{10}\text{N}_4\text{O}_2$)

$$\text{Simplified formula} = \frac{\text{molecular formula}}{2}$$

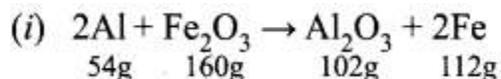
$$\text{Empirical formula} = \text{C}_4\text{H}_5\text{N}_2\text{O}.$$

Question 39.

The reaction between aluminium and ferric oxide can generate temperatures up to 3273 K and is used in welding metals. (Atomic mass of Al = 27 u Atomic mass of O = 16 u) $2\text{Al} + \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{Fe}$; If, in this process, 324 g of aluminium is allowed to react with 1.12 kg of ferric oxide.

1. Calculate the mass of Al_2O_3 formed.
2. How much of the excess reagent is left at the end of the reaction?

Answer:



1. As per the balanced equation 54 g Al is required for 112 g of iron and 102 g of Al_2O_3 .

54 g of Al gives 102 g of Al_2O_3 .

\therefore 324 g of Al will give $\frac{102}{54} \times 324 = 612$ g of Al_2O_3 .

2. 54 g of Al requires 160 g of Fe_2O_3 for welding reaction.

\therefore 324 g of Al will require $\frac{160}{54} \times 324 = 960$ g of Fe_2O_3 .

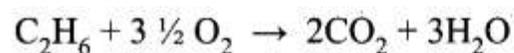
\therefore Excess Fe_2O_3 – Unreacted $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 = 1120 - 960 = 160$ g

160 g of excess reagent is left at the end of the reaction.

Question 40.

How many moles of ethane is required to produce 44 g of CO_2 (g) after combustion.

Answer:



Ethane

Carbon dioxide

1 mole of ethane $\xrightarrow{\text{Combustion}}$ 2 moles of CO_2

\therefore 44g of $\text{CO}_2 = 1$ mole of CO_2

2 moles of CO_2 is produced by 1 mole of ethane.

\therefore 1 mole of CO_2 will be produced by = ?

\therefore To produce 1 mole of CO_2 , the required mole of ethane is = $1/2 \times 1 = 0.5$ mole of ethane.

Question 41.

Hydrogen peroxide is an oxidizing agent. It dioxides ferrous ion to ferric ion and reduced itself to water. Write a balanced equation.

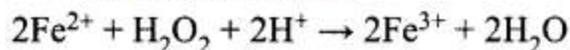
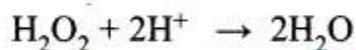
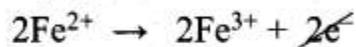
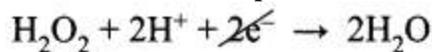
Answer:

H_2O_2 – Oxidizing agent



Ferrous ion is oxidized by H_2O_2 to Ferric ion.

The balanced equation is $\text{Fe}^{2+} \rightarrow \text{Fe}^{3+} + e^- \times 2$



Question 42.

Calculate the empirical and molecular formula of a compound containing 76.6% carbon, 6.38 % hydrogen and rest oxygen its vapour density is 47.

Answer:

Elements	Percentage	Atomic mass	Relative No. of atoms	Simple ratio of atoms	Simplest whole number ratio
Carbon (C)	76.6%	12	$\frac{76.6}{12} = 6.38$	$\frac{6.38}{1.063} = 6$	6
Hydrogen (H)	6.38%	1	$\frac{6.38}{1} = 6.38$	$\frac{6.38}{1.063} = 6$	6
Oxygen (O)	17.02%	16	$\frac{17.02}{16} = 1.063$	$\frac{1.063}{1.063} = 1$	1

Empirical formula = $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6\text{O}$

Va-pour density 47

\therefore Molecular mass = 2 x vapor density = 2 x 47 = 94

Molecular formula Empirical formula x n

Molecular mass x n

$$n = \frac{\text{Molecular mass}}{\text{Empirical formula mass}} = \frac{94}{94} = 1$$

\therefore Molecular formula = $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6\text{O}$

Question 43.

A Compound on analysis gave Na = 14.31% S = 9.97% H = 6.22% and O = 69.5% calculate the molecular formula of the compound if all the hydrogen in the compound is present in combination with oxygen as water of crystallization, (molecular mass of the compound is 322).

Answer:

Element	Percentage	Atomic mass	Relative No. of atoms	Simple ratio of atoms	Simplest whole number ratio
Na	14.31%	23	$\frac{14.31}{23} = 0.622$	$\frac{0.622}{0.311} = 2$	2
S	9.97%	32	$\frac{9.97}{32} = 0.311$	$\frac{0.311}{0.311} = 1$	1
H	6.22%	1	$\frac{6.22}{1} = 6.22$	$\frac{6.22}{0.311} = 20$	20
O	69.5%	16	$\frac{69.5}{16} = 4.34$	$\frac{4.34}{0.311} = 13.96 = 14$	14

All H combines with 10 oxygen atoms to form as $10\text{H}_2\text{O}$.

So the empirical formula is $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 \cdot 10\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Empirical formula mass = $(23 \times 2) + (32 \times 1) + (16 \times 4) + (10 \times 18)$
 $= 46 + 32 + 64 + 180 = 322$

$$n = \frac{\text{Molecular mass}}{\text{Empirical formula mass}} = \frac{322}{322} = 1$$

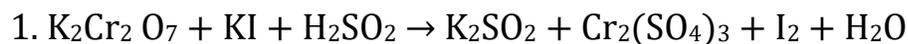
Molecular formula = $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 \cdot 10\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Question 44.

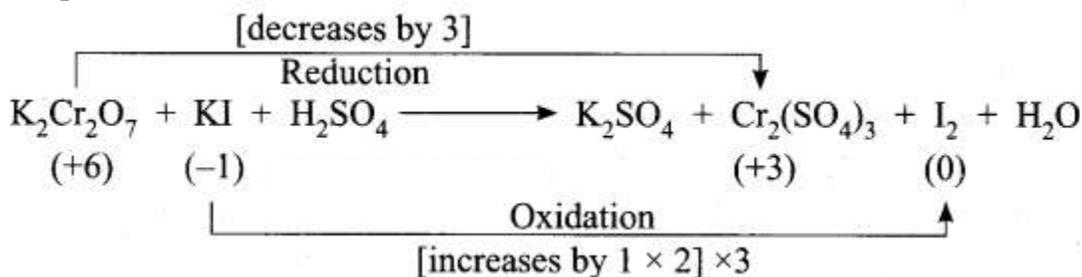
Balance the following equations by oxidation number method

- $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{KI} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + \text{I}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- $\text{KMnO}_4 + \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3 \rightarrow \text{MnO}_2 + \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{KOH}$
- $\text{Cu} + \text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + \text{NO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- $\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4 + \text{KMnO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{MnSO}_4 + \text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

Answer:

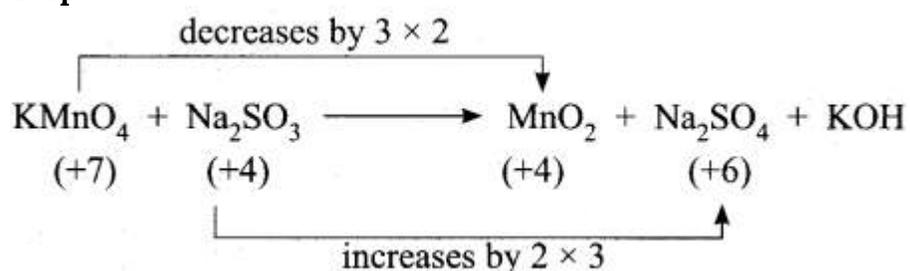


Step - 1.



Step - 2**Step - 3**

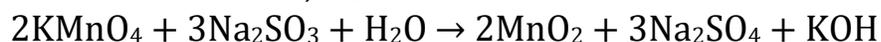
To balance other atoms

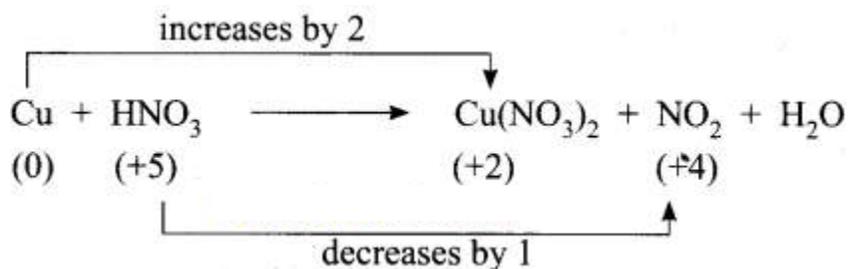
**Step - 4****2. $\text{KMnO}_4 + \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3 \rightarrow \text{MnO}_2 + \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{KOH}$ (Alkaline medium)****Step - 1****Step - 2****Step - 3**

balancing potassium, KOH is multiplied by 2

**Step - 4**

To balance H atom, H_2O is added on reactant side.

**3. $\text{Cu} + \text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + \text{NO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$** **Step - 1**

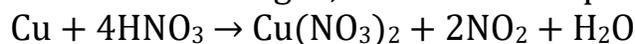


Step - 2



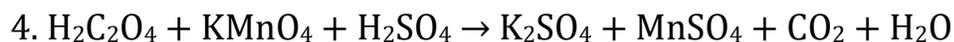
Step - 3

To balance Nitrogen, 2HNO_3 is multiplied by 2 and NO_2 is multiplied by 2

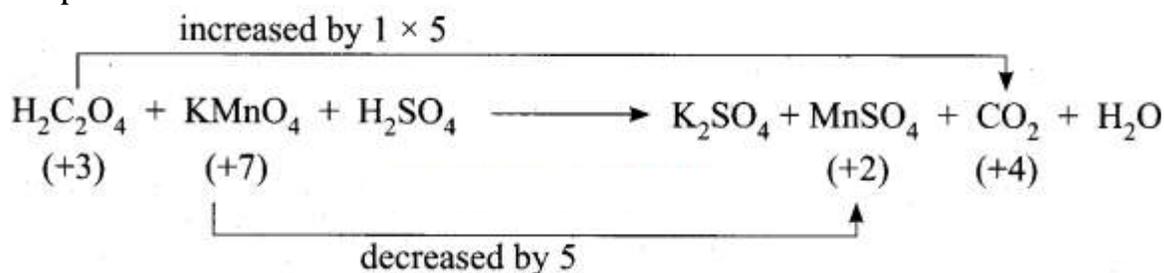


Step 4.

To balance oxygen, H_2O is multiplied by 2



Step - 1



Step - 2



Step - 3

To balance K, KMnO_4 and MnSO_4 are multiplied by 2



Step - 4

To balance O and H, H_2O and H_2SO_4 are multiplied by 3 and 6.

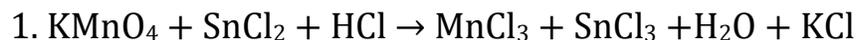


Question 45.

Balance the following equations by ion-electron method.

- $\text{KMnO}_4 + \text{SnCl}_2 + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{MnCl}_2 + \text{SnCl}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{KCl}$
- $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} + \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-} \rightarrow \text{Cr}^{3+} + \text{CO}_2$ (in acid medium)
- $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_6 + \text{NaI}$ (in acid medium)
- $\text{Zn} + \text{NO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + \text{NO}$

Answer:



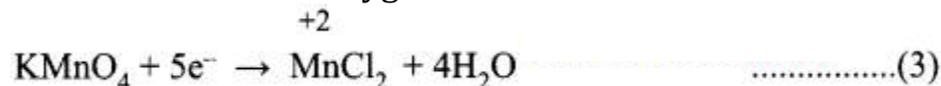
Oxidation half reaction: (loss of electrons)



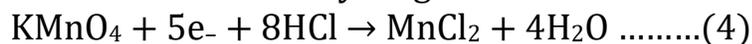
Reduction half reaction: (gain of electrons)



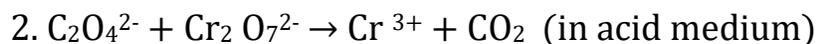
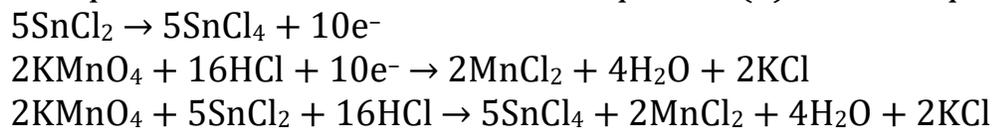
Add H₂O to balance oxygen atoms.



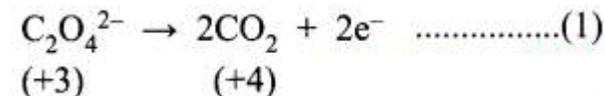
Add HCl to balance hydrogen atoms



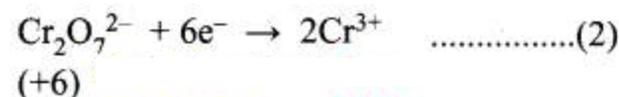
To equalize the number of electrons equation (1) x 5 and equation (2) x 2



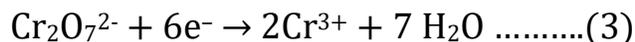
Oxidation half reaction:



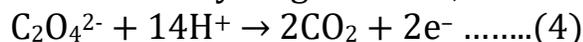
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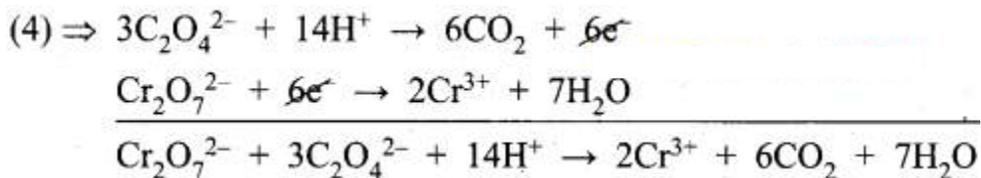
To balance oxygen atoms, H₂O is added on RHS of equation (2)



To balance Hydrogen atoms, H⁺ is added on LHS of equation (1)



To equalize the number of electrons gained and lost, multiply the equation (4) x 3.



3. $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_6 + \text{NaI}$ (in acid medium)

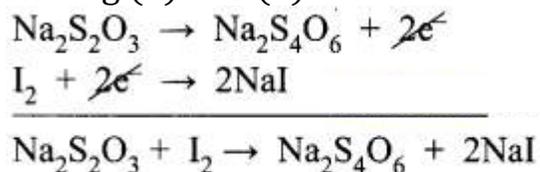
Oxidation half reaction: (Loss of electron)



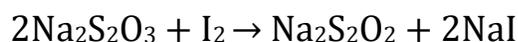
Reduction half reaction: (Gain of electron)



Adding (1) and (2)



To balance oxygen,



In acidic medium

4. $\text{Zn} + \text{NO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + \text{NO}$

Half reactions are -

