

# THE P-BLOCK ELEMENTS

## CHEMISTRY

### Single Correct Answer Type

- Nitric oxide is:
  - Acidic towards litmus
  - Basic towards litmus
  - Neutral towards litmus
  - Amphoteric
- The last member of inert gas family is:
  - Krypton
  - Radon
  - Xenon
  - Argon
- Helium -oxygen mixture is used by deep sea divers in preference to nitrogen oxygen mixture because
  - Helium is much less soluble in blood than nitrogen
  - Nitrogen is much less soluble in blood than helium
  - Due to high pressure deep under the sea nitrogen and oxygen react to give poisonous nitric oxide
  - Nitrogen is highly soluble in water
- Among the fluorides below, the one which does not exist is
  - CF<sub>4</sub>
  - HeF<sub>4</sub>
  - XeF<sub>4</sub>
  - SF<sub>4</sub>
- The percentage of nitrogen in air remains almost constant due to:
  - The fixation of nitrogen
  - The activity of symbiotic bacteria
  - The effect of lightening and bacteria
  - The nitrogen cycle in nature
- The metal which does not form ammonium nitrate by reaction with dilute nitric acid is
  - Al
  - Fe
  - Pb
  - Mg
- The following acids have been arranged in the order of decreasing acid strength. Identify the correct order  
ClOH(I) BrOH(II) IOH(III)
  - I > II > III
  - II > I > III
  - III > II > I
  - I > III > II
- H<sub>2</sub>S exhibits:
  - Oxidizing properties
  - Reducing properties
  - Basic properties
  - None of these
- Liquid oxygen is:
  - Colourless
  - Pale yellow
  - Pale blue
  - Dark blue
- HNO<sub>3</sub> is manufactured by:
  - Birkeland and Eyde's process
  - Haber's process
  - Contact's process
  - Fischer-Tropsch's process
- The decreasing values of bond angles from NH<sub>3</sub> (107°) to SbH<sub>3</sub> (91°) down the group 15 of the periodic table is due to
  - Increasing *bp-bp* repulsion
  - Increasing *p*-orbital character in *sp*<sup>3</sup>
  - Decreasing *lp-bp* repulsion
  - Decreasing electronegativity
- Nitrogen is obtained when NaNO<sub>2</sub> react with
  - NH<sub>4</sub>Cl
  - NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>
  - (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>
  - NH<sub>4</sub>OH
- Which of the following statement is wrong?
  - The stability of hydrides increases from NH<sub>3</sub> to BiH<sub>3</sub> in group 15 of the periodic table
  - Nitrogen cannot form *dπ-pπ* bond
  - Single N—N bond is weaker than the single P—P bond
  - N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> has two resonance structure

14. Which is monoatomic?  
 a) Oxygen                      b) Fluorine                      c) Neon                      d) Nitrogen
15. Which gas can be collected over water?  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                       b)  $\text{N}_2$                       c)  $\text{SO}_2$                       d)  $\text{HCl}$
16. In the reaction,  
 $2\text{KI} + \text{H}_2\text{O}_2 + \text{O}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{KOH} + \text{O}_2 + A$ , the compound  $A$  is:  
 a)  $\text{KIO}_3$                       b)  $\text{I}_2\text{O}_5$                       c)  $\text{HIO}_3$                       d)  $\text{I}_2$
17. In the reaction,  $\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{I}^- \xrightarrow{\text{Alkaline solution}} [X]$ ;  $[X]$  is:  
 a)  $\text{IO}_3^-$                       b)  $\text{IO}_4^-$                       c)  $\text{I}_2$                       d)  $\text{IO}^-$
18. Number of hydroxyl groups present in pyrosulphuric acid is:  
 a) 3                      b) 4                      c) 2                      d) 1
19. Which is not an acid salt?  
 a)  $\text{Na}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$                       b)  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_3$                       c)  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_2$                       d)  $\text{Na}_3\text{HP}_2\text{O}_6$
20. In fisher-Ringe's method of separation of noble gas mixture from air, ..... Is used.  
 a) 90%  $\text{CaC}_2$ +10% $\text{CaCl}_2$                       b) Coconut charcoal  
 c) Soda lime +potash solution                      d) 90%  $\text{CaCO}_3$  +10% urea
21. The element which evolves two gases on reacting with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is:  
 a) Si                      b) C                      c) S                      d) P
22. When conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is added to dry  $\text{KNO}_3$ , brown fumes are evolved. These fumes are of:  
 a)  $\text{SO}_2$                       b)  $\text{SO}_3$                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                       d)  $\text{NO}_2$
23. With cold and dilute sodium hydroxide fluorine reacts to give  
 a)  $\text{NaF}$  and  $\text{OF}_2$                       b)  $\text{NaF} + \text{O}_3$                       c)  $\text{O}_2$  and  $\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{NaF} + \text{O}_2$
24. The  $X-X$  bond dissociation energy is minimum in:  
 a)  $\text{F}_2$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2$                       c)  $\text{Br}_2$                       d)  $\text{I}_2$
25. Which of the following is not the characteristic of interhalogen compounds?  
 a) They are more reactive than halogens  
 b) They are quite unstable but none of them is explosive  
 c) They are covalent in nature  
 d) They have low boiling points and are highly volatile
26. Which is soluble in water?  
 a)  $\text{AgCl}$                       b)  $\text{AgBr}$                       c)  $\text{AgI}$                       d)  $\text{AgF}$
27. In the compounds of type  $E\text{Cl}_3$ , where  $E = \text{B, P, As, or Bi}$ , the angle  $\text{Cl}-E-\text{Cl}$  for different  $E$  are in the order :  
 a)  $\text{B} > \text{P} = \text{As} = \text{Bi}$                       b)  $\text{B} > \text{P} > \text{As} > \text{Bi}$                       c)  $\text{B} < \text{P} = \text{As} = \text{Bi}$                       d)  $\text{B} < \text{P} < \text{As} < \text{Bi}$
28. Colour of iodine solution can be discharged by shaking it with aqueous solution of:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$                       b) Sodium sulphide                      c) Sodium thiosulphate                      d) Sodium sulphate
29. Sulphuric acid has great affinity for water because  
 a) It hydrolyses the acid                      b) It decomposes the acid  
 c) Acid forms hydrates with water                      d) Acid decomposes water
30. Major credit for the discovery of noble gases is given to:  
 a) Cavendish                      b) Ramsay                      c) Rayleigh                      d) None of these
31. In  $\text{XeF}_2, \text{XeF}_4, \text{XeF}_6$ , the number of lone pairs of Xe is respectively  
 a) 3, 2, 1                      b) 1, 2, 3                      c) 2, 3, 1                      d) 4, 1, 2
32. Which of the following has  $pp-dp$  bonding?  
 a)  $\text{NO}_3^-$   
 b)  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$   
 c)  $\text{BO}_3^{3-}$   
 d)  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$
33. Acidified iodates are reduced to ... by  $\text{SO}_2$ .  
 a) Iodites                      b) Iodide                      c) Iodine                      d) None of these
34. Anhydron is:

- a)  $\text{HClO}_4$   
 b)  $\text{HClO}_3$   
 c) Anhydrous magnesium perchlorate  
 d) Anhydrous calcium perchlorate
35. In Kipp's apparatus,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is prepared:  
 a) Continuously                      b) By  $\text{FeS} + \text{conc. H}_2\text{SO}_4$     c) By  $\text{FeS} + \text{dil. H}_2\text{SO}_4$     d) By  $\text{Fe} + \text{dil. H}_2\text{SO}_4$
36. The mixture of conc.  $\text{HCl}$  and  $\text{HNO}_3$  in the ratio 3: 1 contains:  
 a)  $\text{ClO}_2$                                   b)  $\text{NOCl}$                                   c)  $\text{NCl}_3$                                   d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$
37. Pure nitrogen can be prepared from  
 a)  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$                                   b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_2$                                   c)  $\text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$                                   d)  $\text{Ca}_3\text{N}_2$
38. Fluorine can be free from  $\text{HF}$  by passing the mixture through:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                                       b) An alkaline solution    c) Conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                                   d)  $\text{NaF}$
39. Fluorine is usually obtained from:  
 a) Fluorspar                                  b) Fluorapatite                                  c) Cryolite                                  d) Tetrafluoromethane
40. Mark the strongest acid  
 a)  $\text{HI}$     b)  $\text{HBr}$     c)  $\text{HCl}$     d)  $\text{HF}$
41. The most basic hydride is  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$     b)  $\text{PH}_3$     c)  $\text{AsH}_3$     d)  $\text{SbH}_3$
42.  $\text{Cl}_2$  is used in the extraction of:  
 a)  $\text{Pt}$     b)  $\text{Au}$     c) Both (a) and (b)                                  d) None of these
43. A hydride of nitrogen having lowest oxidation number of N:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$     b)  $\text{N}_3\text{H}$     c)  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$     d)  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_2$
44. Chlorine acts as a bleaching agent only in presence of  
 a) Dry air                                      b) Moisture                                      c) Sunlight                                      d) Pure oxygen
45. Swimming pools are disinfected by bubbling through water with a controlled quantity of:  
 a)  $\text{Br}_2$     b)  $\text{Cl}_2$     c)  $\text{O}_2$  enriched air                                  d)  $\text{N}_2$
46. A glass tube containing molten antimony breaks upon solidification of antimony due to:  
 a) Expansion                                  b) Exothermic reaction    c) Endothermic reaction    d) None of these
47. Oxygen is paramagnetic. The unpaired electrons are present in :  
 a) Antibonding orbitals    b) Bonding orbitals    c)  $p$ - orbitals                                  d)  $f$ - orbitals
48. By warming a paste of bleaching powder with a solution of ammonia, we get:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2$     b)  $\text{N}_2$     c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$     d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$
49.  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$  has the name and basicity respectively:  
 a) Phosphorous acid and two  
 b) Hypophosphorous acid and two  
 c) Hypophosphoric acid and one  
 d) Hypophosphoric acid and two
50. The correct order of acidic nature is:  
 a)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7 > \text{SO}_2 > \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$     b)  $\text{CO}_2 > \text{N}_2\text{O}_5 > \text{SO}_3$     c)  $\text{Na}_2\text{O} > \text{MgO} > \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$     d)  $\text{K}_2\text{O} > \text{CaO} > \text{MgO}$
51. The van der Waal's forces are the greatest in:  
 a) Neon    b) Argon    c) Krypton    d) Xenon
52. Starch paper moistened with  $\text{KI}$  solution turns blue in ozone because of:  
 a) Iodine liberation  
 b) Oxygen liberation  
 c) Alkali formation  
 d) Ozone reacts with litmus paper
53. Which one is correct statement?  
 a) Basicity of  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  and  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is 3 and 3 respectively  
 b) Acidity of  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  and  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is 3 and 3 respectively  
 c) Acidity of  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  and  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is 3 and 2 respectively  
 d) Basicity of  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  and  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is 3 and 2 respectively

54. Ammonia water is a good cleaning agent because it:
- Is weakly basic
  - Emulsifies grease
  - Leaves no residue when wiped out
  - All are true
55. A clathrate is defined as a:
- Cage compound
  - Liquid crystal
  - Mixture
  - Solid solution
56. The acid employed for etching of glass is
- HCl
  - HClO<sub>4</sub>
  - HF
  - Aqua regia
57. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> reacts with sugar and acts as:
- A dehydrating agent
  - An oxidizing agent
  - A sulphonating agent
  - None of these
58. Ordinary oxygen contains:
- Only O<sup>16</sup> isotope
  - Only O<sup>17</sup> isotope
  - A mixture of O<sup>16</sup>, O<sup>17</sup> and
  - Only O<sup>18</sup> isotope
59. Metal halide which is insoluble in water is
- AgF
  - AgI
  - KBr
  - CaCl<sub>2</sub>
60. Phosphine is:
- Basic
  - Acidic
  - Amphoteric
  - Neutral
61. Antimony dissolves in aquaregia to give:
- SbCl<sub>3</sub>
  - Sb<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>
  - SbCl<sub>5</sub>
  - Sb(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>
62. Dinitrogen pentoxide a colourless solid is prepared by
- Heating NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>2</sub> with an excess of oxygen
  - Dehydrating HNO<sub>3</sub> with CaO
  - Dehydrating HNO<sub>3</sub> with P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>10</sub>
  - Heating a mixture of HNO<sub>2</sub> and Ca(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>
63. Ammonium compound not used as a fertilizer is:
- (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
  - (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>
  - NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>
  - CAN(calcium ammonium nitrate)
64. At ordinary temperature and pressure, among halogens, chlorine is a gas, bromine is a liquid and iodine is a solid. This is because:
- The specific heats are in the order Cl<sub>2</sub> > Br<sub>2</sub> > I<sub>2</sub>
  - Intermolecular forces among molecules of chlorine are the weakest and those of iodine the strongest
  - The order of density is I<sub>2</sub> > Br<sub>2</sub> > Cl<sub>2</sub>
  - The order of stability is I<sub>2</sub> > Br<sub>2</sub> > Cl<sub>2</sub>
65. Sulphur forms the chlorides S<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> and SCl<sub>2</sub>. The equivalent mass of Sulphur in SCl<sub>2</sub> is 16 g/mol. Therefore, the equivalent mass of Sulphur in S<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> is:
- 32 g/mol
  - 16 g/mol
  - 64 g/mol
  - 8 g/mol
66. Javelle water is:
- Aqueous solution of NaOCl
  - Used as bleaching agent
  - Both (a) and (b)
  - None of the above
67. The strongest acid is:
- H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>2</sub>
  - H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub>
  - H<sub>4</sub>P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>
  - H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>
68. Orthophosphoric acid on heating gives:
- Phosphine
  - Phosphorus pentoxide
  - Phosphorus acid
  - Metaphosphoric acid
69. Which oxide is more acidic?
- Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>
  - Na<sub>2</sub>O
  - MgO
  - CaO

70.  $\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{S} \rightarrow$  product, the final product is  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{S}$
71. Which of the following is not oxidised by  $\text{O}_3$ ?  
 a) KI                                  b)  $\text{FeSO}_4$                       c)  $\text{KMnO}_4$                       d)  $\text{K}_2\text{MnO}_4$
72. The gas used for inflating the tyres of aeroplanes is:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2$                                   b) He                                  c)  $\text{N}_2$                                   d) Ar
73.  $\text{F}_2$  is formed by the reaction of  $\text{K}_2\text{MnF}_6$  with:  
 a)  $\text{SbF}_5$                               b)  $\text{MnF}_3$                               c)  $\text{KrF}_6$                               d)  $\text{MnF}_4$
74. Which statement is not correct for nitrogen?  
 a) It has a small size                      b) It does not readily react with  $\text{O}_2$   
 c) It is a typical non-metal                      d) *d*-orbitals are available for bonding
75. Which is not oxidised by  $\text{MnO}_2$ ?  
 a) F                                      b) Cl                                      c) I<sub>2</sub>                                      d) I
76. Passing  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  gas through nitric acid produces:  
 a) Rhombic sulphur                      b) Monoclinic sulphur                      c) Colloidal sulphur                      d) Plastic sulphur
77. Schweitzer's reagent is:  
 a)  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4]\text{SO}_4$                       b)  $[\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_2]\text{Cl}$                       c)  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_2]\text{Cl}$                       d)  $\text{K}_4\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6$
78. Industrial name of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$  is  
 a) Pyrosulphuric acid                      b) Marshall's acid                      c) Oleum                                  d) All of these
79. Which does not give oxygen on heating?  
 a) HgO                                  b)  $\text{KMnO}_4$                                   c)  $\text{KClO}_3$                                   d)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$
80. Which of the following pairs is obtained on heating ammonium dichromate?  
 a)  $\text{N}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                       c)  $\text{NO}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                       d) NO and  $\text{NO}_2$
81. Which reaction is not feasible?  
 a)  $2\text{KI} + \text{Br}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KBr} + \text{I}_2$                       b)  $2\text{KBr} + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KI} + \text{Br}_2$   
 c)  $2\text{KBr} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + \text{Br}_2$                       d)  $2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{F}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{HF} + \text{O}_2$
82. The conjugate base of  $\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^-$  is:  
 a)  $\text{HPO}_4^{2-}$                               b)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$                               c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                               d)  $\text{PO}_4^{3-}$
83. Reaction of solid  $\text{KMnO}_4$  with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  produces manganese heptoxide ( $\text{Mn}_2\text{O}_7$ ) in:  
 a) Solution state                      b) Solid state                      c) Fine powder                      d) None of these
84. Caro's acid is:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$                               b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$                               c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$                               d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$
85. Which of the following is not oxidized by  $\text{MnO}_2$ ?  
 a)  $\text{F}^-$                                       b)  $\text{Cl}^-$                                       c)  $\text{Br}^-$                                       d)  $\text{I}^-$
86. Which is an ozonide?  
 a)  $\text{KO}_3$                                   b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{O}_3$                                   c)  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3$                                   d) Both (a) and (b)
87. Which statement is false for ozone?  
 a) It is obtained by silent electric discharge on oxygen  
 b) It is an endothermic compound  
 c) It can be obtained by the action of ultraviolet rays on oxygen  
 d) It cannot be regarded as an allotrope of oxygen
88. Which is true with regard to the properties of  $\text{PH}_3$ ?  
 a)  $\text{PH}_3$  is insoluble in water                      b)  $\text{PH}_3$  has fishy smell  
 c)  $\text{PH}_3$  is neutral towards litmus                      d)  $\text{PH}_3$  is not much stable
89. Nitric acid is generally light yellow due to the presence of:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                                   b) NO                                  c)  $\text{NO}_2$                                   d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
90. The lightning bolts in atmosphere cause the formation of:  
 a) NO                                      b)  $\text{O}_3$                                       c)  $\text{CO}_2$                                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$
91. The structure of  $\text{IF}_7$  is:  
 a) Square pyramid

- b) Trigonal bipyramid  
 c) Octahedral  
 d) Pentagonal bipyramid
92. What may be expected to happen, when phosphine gas is mixed with chlorine gas?  
 a)  $\text{PCl}_5$  and  $\text{HCl}$  are formed and the mixture cools down  
 b)  $\text{PH}_3 \cdot \text{Cl}_2$  is formed with warming up  
 c) The mixture cools down only  
 d)  $\text{PH}_3$  and  $\text{HCl}$  are formed and the mixture warms up
93.  $\text{HClO}_4 + \text{P}_2\text{O}_5 \rightarrow (A) \text{ and } (B)$   $A$  and  $B$  are  
 a)  $\text{HClO}_3, \text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_6 + \text{HPO}_3$                       c)  $\text{ClO}_2, \text{H}_2\text{PO}_4$                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7, \text{HPO}_3$
94. The formula of zinc phosphite is:  
 a)  $\text{ZnHPO}_3$                       b)  $\text{Zn}(\text{PO}_4)_3$                       c)  $\text{Zn}_2(\text{PO}_4)_3$                       d)  $\text{Zn}_3(\text{PO}_3)_2$
95. The bonds present in  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$  are:  
 a) Only ionic  
 b) Only covalent  
 c) Covalent and coordinate  
 d) Covalent and ionic
96. Uranium isotopes are usually separated by using compounds of the halogen:  
 a)  $\text{F}_2$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2$                       c)  $\text{Br}_2$                       d)  $\text{I}_2$
97. Which of the following halogen oxides is ionic?  
 a)  $\text{I}_4\text{O}_9$                       b)  $\text{I}_2\text{O}_5$                       c)  $\text{BrO}_2$                       d)  $\text{ClO}_3$
98. Which gas is used to improve the atmosphere of crowded places?  
 a)  $\text{H}_2$                       b)  $\text{O}_2$                       c)  $\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$
99. Which of the following is responsible for depletion of the ozone layer in the upper strata of atmosphere?  
 a) Polyhalogens                      b) Ferrocene                      c) Fullerenes                      d) Freons
100.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$  can be distinguished by the addition of:  
 a) Litmus solution                      b)  $\text{FeCl}_3$  solution                      c)  $\text{NaHSO}_4$  solution                      d) Magnesium powder
101.  $\text{NaNH}_2 + \text{N}_2\text{O} \rightarrow X + \text{NaOH} + \text{NH}_3$  what is the  $X$ ?  
 a)  $\text{NaN}_2$                       b)  $\text{Na}_3\text{N}$                       c)  $\text{NaN}_3$                       d) None of these
102. Ripening of fruits can be carried out in presence of  
 a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$                       b)  $\text{NaCl}$                       c)  $\text{CaC}_2$                       d)  $\text{CaCl}_2$
103. Which is most thermodynamically stable allotropic form of phosphorus?  
 a) Red                      b) White                      c) Black                      d) Yellow
104.  $\text{F}_2$  is isolated by:  
 a) Electrolysis of  $\text{HF}$   
 b) Electrolysis of  $\text{KHF}_2$   
 c) Electrolysis of  $\text{Na}_3\text{AlF}_6$   
 d) Electrolysis of  $\text{NaF}/\text{HF}$
105. Observe the following statements  
 I. Bleaching powder is used in the preparation of chloroform.  
 II. Bleaching powder decomposes in the presence of  $\text{CoCl}_2$  to liberate  $\text{O}_2$ .  
 III. Aqueous  $\text{KHF}_2$  is used in the preparation of fluorine.  
 The correct combination is  
 a) I, II and III are correct                      b) Only II is correct  
 c) Only I and III are correct                      d) Only I and II are correct
106. Which form of P shows chemiluminescence?  
 a) White P                      b) Black P                      c) Red P                      d) None of these
107. Which of the following oxy. acids of phosphorus is a reducing agent and monobasic?  
 a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$                       b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$                       c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                       d)  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_6$
108. Radon is a noble gas. Its radioactivity is used in the treatment of:  
 a) Typhoid                      b) Cancer                      c) Cough and cold                      d) Thyroid

109. Which of the following statement is true?  
 a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is a stronger acid than  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$   
 b) In aqueous medium HF is a stronger acid than HCl  
 c)  $\text{HClO}_4$  is a weaker acid than  $\text{HClO}_3$   
 d)  $\text{HNO}_3$  is a stronger acid than  $\text{HNO}_2$
110. Number of lone pairs of electrons on Xe atoms in  $\text{XeF}_2$ ,  $\text{XeF}_4$  and  $\text{XeO}_3$  molecule are respectively  
 a) 3, 2 and 1                      b) 4, 3 and 2                      c) 2, 3 and 1                      d) 3, 2 and 0
111. When a lead storage battery is discharged:  
 a)  $\text{SO}_2$  is evolved  
 b) Lead sulphate is consumed  
 c) Lead is formed  
 d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is consumed
112. On heating silver nitrate strongly ..... is obtained finally:  
 a)  $\text{NO}_2$                               b)  $\text{O}_2$                               c) Silver metal                      d) All
113. Pure phosphine is not combustible while impure phosphine is combustible, this combustibility is due to the presence of:  
 a)  $\text{P}_2\text{H}_4$                               b)  $\text{N}_2$                               c)  $\text{PH}_5$                               d)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$
114. In the contact process of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{SO}_3$  dissolves in sulphuric acid to give:  
 a) Permonosulphuric acid  
 b) Thiosulphuric acid  
 c) Pyrosulphuric acid  
 d) Perdisulphuric acid
115. When chlorine water is exposed to sunlight,  $\text{O}_2$  is liberated. Hence:  
 a) Hydrogen has little affinity to  $\text{O}_2$   
 b) Hydrogen has more affinity to  $\text{O}_2$   
 c) Hydrogen has more affinity to chlorine  
 d) It is a reducing agent
116. The number of electrons in a halogen in its outermost orbit in comparison with corresponding noble gas is:  
 a) One electron less              b) One electron more              c) Two electrons less              d) Two electrons more
117. The deep blue colour produced on adding excess of ammonia to copper sulphate solution is due to the presence of:  
 a)  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$                               b)  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_2]^{2+}$                       c)  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4]^{2+}$                       d)  $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{2+}$
118. Which of the following oxo-acids of chlorine is formed on shaking chlorine water with freshly precipitated yellow oxide of mercury?  
 a)  $\text{HClO}_3$                               b)  $\text{HClO}_2$                               c)  $\text{HClO}$                               d)  $\text{HClO}_4$
119. Phosphorus is present in bones as:  
 a)  $\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2$                       b)  $\text{FePO}_4$                               c)  $\text{Ca}_3\text{P}_2$                               d)  $\text{Cu}_3\text{P}_2$
120. Paramagnetic molecule is:  
 a) Oxygen                              b) Nitrogen                              c) Hydrogen                              d) Chlorine
121. Which is a poison?  
 a)  $\text{Hg}_2\text{Cl}_2$                               b)  $\text{As}_2\text{O}_3$                               c)  $\text{NaHCO}_3$                               d)  $\text{NaCl}$
122. Which of the following is a tribasic acid?  
 a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                               b)  $\text{HPO}_3$                               c)  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$                               d)  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_6$
123. Presence of sulphide ion cannot be confirmed by:  
 a)  $\text{BaCl}_2$                               b)  $(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2\text{Pb}$                       c) Sodium nitroprusside              d) Dil.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
124. End product of the hydrolysis of  $\text{XeF}_6$  is  
 a)  $\text{XeF}_4\text{O}$                               b)  $\text{XeF}_2\text{O}_2$                               c)  $\text{XeO}_3$                               d)  $\text{XeO}_3^-$
125. In  $\text{PO}_4^{3-}$  ion, the formal charge on each oxygen atom and P—O bond order respectively are:  
 a) -0.75, 1.25                      b) -3, 1.25                              c) -0.75, 1.0                              d) -0.75, 0.6

126. The lightest, non-inflammable gas is:  
 a)  $H_2$                                       b) He                                      c)  $N_2$                                       d) Ar
127. Which of the following chloride is water insoluble?  
 a) HCl                                      b) AgCl                                      c) Both a and b                                      d) None of the above
128. Which radical can bring about the highest oxidation state of a transition metal?  
 a)  $F^-$                                       b)  $Cl^-$                                       c)  $Br^-$                                       d)  $I^-$
129. Excess of  $PCl_5$  reacts with conc.  $H_2SO_4$  giving  
 a) Chlorosulphonic acid                                      b) Thionyl chloride  
 c) Sulphuryl chloride                                      d) Sulphurous acid
130. Conc.  $H_2SO_4$  displaces HCl from sodium chloride because:  
 a) Conc.  $H_2SO_4$  is stronger than HCl  
 b) HCl is a gas whereas  $H_2SO_4$  is a liquid  
 c) Sulphates are more soluble in water than chlorides  
 d) Sulphates are less soluble in water than chlorides
131. Which of the following halogens can replace others from their salt solutions?  
 a)  $I_2$                                       b)  $Br_2$                                       c)  $F_2$                                       d)  $Cl_2$
132. When a mixture of  $SO_2$  and  $O_2$  is passed over ..... the reaction rate increases:  
 a) Fe + Mo                                      b)  $ZnO + Cr_2O_3$                                       c)  $V_2O_5$                                       d) zymase
133. Metal reacts with Sulphur to give:  
 a) Sulphide                                      b) Sulphite                                      c) Sulphate                                      d) Thiosulphate
134. The non-metal other than graphite having metallic lustre is:  
 a)  $I_2$                                       b) Si                                      c)  $Cl_2$                                       d)  $Br_2$
135. Ozone turns benzidine paper:  
 a) Violet                                      b) Brown                                      c) Blue                                      d) Red
136. Bleaching powder is obtained by the interaction of  $Cl_2$  with a:  
 a) Dilute solution of Ca(OH) Concentrated solution of c) Dry CaO                                      d) Dry slaked lime
137. Which statement is incorrect?  
 a) Chlorine can bleach a wet piece of cloth  
 b) Iodine stain can be removed by hypo solution  
 c) Bromine can be prepared from carnallite  
 d) Bromine is liberated when iodine is passed through an acidified KBr solution
138. The bond Br—Cl is:  
 a) Polar                                      b) Non-polar                                      c) True covalent                                      d) Coordinate
139. Which element is extracted commercially by the electrolysis of an aqueous solutions of one of its compounds?  
 a) Sodium                                      b) Aluminium                                      c) Chlorine                                      d) Bromine
140.  $CN^-$  ion and  $N_2$  are isoelectronic but in contrast to  $CN^-$ ,  $N_2$  is chemically inert because of:  
 a) Low bond energy  
 b) Absence of bond polarity  
 c) Unsymmetrical electron distribution  
 d) Presence of more number of electrons in bonding orbitals
141. Which of the following gases exists more abundantly in nature than the others?  
 a) Helium                                      b) Neon                                      c) Argon                                      d) Krypton
142. Which inert gas has the highest boiling point?  
 a) Xe                                      b) Kr                                      c) Ar                                      d) Ne
143. Which characteristic is not correct about  $H_2SO_4$ ?  
 a) Reducing agent                                      b) Oxidizing agent                                      c) Sulphonating agent                                      d) Highly viscous
144.  $XeF_4$  exists as .... under ordinary atmospheric conditions.  
 a) Solid                                      b) Liquid                                      c) Gas                                      d) None of these
145. A gas, that relights glowing splinter, is  
 a)  $H_2$                                       b)  $O_2$                                       c)  $N_2$                                       d)  $NO_2$



146. The percentage of *p*-character in the orbitals forming P-P bond in  $P_4$  is  
 a) 25                                      b) 33                                      c) 50                                      d) 75
147. Fermi's salt is:  
 a) HF                                      b)  $KHF_2$                                       c) NaCl                                      d)  $KClO_3$
148. Which among the following factors is the most important in making fluorine the strongest oxidizing agent?  
 a) Electron affinity                                      b) Ionisation enthalpy  
 c) Hydration enthalpy                                      d) Bond dissociation energy
149. Halogens are:  
 a) Gases under ordinary conditions  
 b) Electronegative in nature  
 c) Fuming liquids  
 d) The gases found in atmosphere
150. Hydrogen sulphide reacts with lead acetate forming a black compound which reacts with  $H_2O_2$  to form another compound. The colour of the compound is:  
 a) Black                                      b) Yellow                                      c) White                                      d) pink
151. KF combines with HF to form  $KHF_2$ . The compound contains the species  
 a)  $K^+$ ,  $F^-$  and  $H^+$                                       b)  $K^+$ ,  $F^-$  and HF                                      c)  $K^+$  and  $[HF_2]^-$                                       d)  $[KHF]^+$  and  $F_2$
152. Which compound does not give  $NH_3$  on heating?  
 a)  $(NH_4)_2SO_4$                                       b)  $(NH_4)_2CO_3$                                       c)  $NH_4NO_2$                                       d)  $NH_4Cl$
153. When conc.  $H_2SO_4$  is distilled with  $P_4O_{10}$ , the product formed is:  
 a)  $SO_2$                                       b)  $S_2O_4$                                       c)  $SO_3$                                       d)  $S_2O_3$
154. Radon was discovered by:  
 a) Dorn                                      b) Ramsay                                      c) Rayleigh                                      d) None of these
155. The general formula of hypophosphorous acid is:  
 a)  $\begin{array}{c} O \\ || \\ H-P-OH \\ | \\ H \end{array}$                                       b)  $\begin{array}{c} O \\ || \\ H-P-OH \\ | \\ OH \end{array}$                                       c)  $\begin{array}{c} O \\ || \\ HO-P-OH \\ | \\ OH \end{array}$                                       d)  $\begin{array}{c} O \\ || \\ HO-P-COOH \\ | \\ OH \end{array}$
156. Ammonia on catalytic oxidation gives an oxide from which nitric acid is obtained. The oxide is:  
 a) NO                                      b)  $NO_2$                                       c)  $N_2O_3$                                       d)  $N_2O_5$
157. Which oxide reacts with both HCl and NaOH?  
 a)  $CO_2$                                       b) CaO                                      c) ZnO                                      d)  $N_2O_5$
158.  $O_2$  is denser than air and therefore it is collected in:  
 a) Spirit                                      b)  $H_2O$                                       c) Mercury                                      d) Kerosene
159. The structural formula of hypophosphorus acid is  
 a)  $\begin{array}{c} O \\ || \\ H-P \\ | \quad | \\ H \quad OH \end{array}$                                       b)  $\begin{array}{c} O \\ | \\ H-P \\ | \quad | \\ H \quad OH \quad OH \end{array}$                                       c)  $\begin{array}{c} O \\ || \\ H-P \\ | \quad | \\ H \quad OH \end{array}$                                       d)  $\begin{array}{c} O \\ || \\ HO-P \\ | \quad | \\ OH \quad OH \end{array}$
160. Which compound is prepared by the following reaction?  

$$Xe + 2F_2 \xrightarrow[673K, 5-6 \text{ atm}]{Ni \text{ vessel}} \text{Product}$$
 (1:5 volume ratio)  
 a)  $XeF_2$                                       b)  $XeF_6$                                       c)  $XeF_4$                                       d)  $XeOF_2$
161. Which one of the following oxides of nitrogen dimerises into a colourless solid /liquid on cooling?  
 a)  $N_2O$                                       b) NO                                      c)  $N_2O_3$                                       d)  $NO_2$
162. Which ion cannot be precipitated from water?  
 a)  $Cl^-$                                       b)  $NO_3^-$                                       c)  $SO_4^{2-}$                                       d) All of these
163. The correct order of solubility in water for He, Ne, Ar, Kr, Xe is  
 a)  $Xe > Kr > Ar > Ne > He$                                       b)  $Ar > Ne > He > Kr > Xe$   
 c)  $He > Ne > Ar > Kr > Xe$                                       d)  $Ne > Ar > Kr > He > Xe$
164. Ozone acts as:

- a) An oxidizing agent      b) A reducing agent      c) Bleaching agent      d) All of these
165. Correct order of reactivity  
 a)  $I_2 > Br_2 > Cl_2 > F_2$       b)  $Br_2 > I_2 > Cl_2 > F_2$       c)  $Cl_2 > Br_2 > I_2 > F_2$       d)  $F_2 > Cl_2 > Br_2 > I_2$
166. On boiling an aqueous solution of  $KClO_3$  with iodine the product formed is:  
 a)  $KIO_3$       b)  $KClO_4$       c)  $KIO_4$       d)  $KCl$
167. When bleaching powder is treated with carbon dioxide:  
 a) Chlorine is evolved  
 b) Calcium chloride is formed  
 c) No reaction occurs  
 d) It absorbs the gas
168. Which of the following properties does not correspond to the order?  
 $HI < HBr < HCl < HF$   
 a) Thermal stability      b) Reducing power      c) Ionic character      d) Dipole moment
169.  $ClO_2$  is an anhydride of:  
 a) Chlorous acid ( $HClO_2$ )  
 b) Chloric acid ( $HClO_3$ )  
 c) Mixed anhydride of  $HClO_2$  and  $HClO_3$   
 d) None of the above
170. Red P can be obtained by white P by  
 a) Heating it with a catalyst in an inert atmosphere      b) Distilling it in an inert atmosphere  
 c) Dissolving it in  $CS_2$  and crystallising      d) Melting it and pouring the liquid into water
171. In the halogen group chlorine is a gas, bromine is a liquid and iodine exists as solid crystals. Then the next halogen astatine (At) would be:  
 a) Solid at room temperature  
 b) Having higher electronegativity  
 c) Solid with higher IP  
 d) Least atomic size
172. A solution of chlorine in water contains:  
 a)  $HOCl$  only  
 b)  $HCl$  only  
 c)  $HCl$  and  $HOCl$   
 d)  $HCl$ ,  $HOCl$  and chlorine
173. Helium gives a characteristic spectrum with:  
 a) Orange and red lines      b) Orange lines      c) Yellow lines      d) Green lines
174. Molecules of a noble gas do not possess vibrational energy because a noble gas  
 a) Is monoatomic      b) Is chemically inert  
 c) Has completely filled shells      d) Is diamagnetic
175.  $H_2S$  is far more volatile than water because:  
 a) Sulphur atom is more electronegative than oxygen atom  
 b) Oxygen atom is more electronegative than sulphur atom  
 c)  $H_2O$  has bond angle of nearly  $105^\circ$   
 d) Hydrogen is loosely bonded with sulphur
176. Holme's signals can be given by using  
 a)  $CaC_2 + CaCO_3$       b)  $CaC_2 + CaCN_2$       c)  $CaC_2 + Ca_3P_2$       d)  $Ca_3P_2 + CaCN_2$
177. Atomicity of sulphur in rhombic sulphur is  
 a) 8      b) 2      c) 4      d) 6
178. When chlorine is passed through concentrated solution of  $KOH$ , the compound formed is  
 a)  $KClO_4$       b)  $KClO_3$       c)  $KClO_2$       d)  $KClO$
179. The dipole moment of  $NF_3$  is less than  $NH_3$  because:  
 a) F is more reactive than H  
 b)  $NH_3$  forms associated molecules

- c) The resultant of the bond polarity is less  
d) The resultant of the individual polarities is opposed by the polarity of lone pair
180. Which of the following oxides of nitrogen is the anhydride of nitrous acid?  
a) NO                                      b) N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>                                      c) N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>                                      d) N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>
181. Aqueous solution of Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> on reaction with Cl<sub>2</sub> gives:  
a) Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>4</sub>O<sub>6</sub>                                      b) NaHSO<sub>4</sub>                                      c) NaCl                                      d) NaOH
182. Halogen molecules are:  
a) Monoatomic and form X<sub>2</sub><sup>2-</sup> ions  
b) Diatomic and form X<sup>-</sup> ions  
c) Diatomic and form X<sub>2</sub><sup>2-</sup> ions  
d) Monoatomic and form X<sup>-</sup> ions
183. Least stable oxide of chlorine is  
a) Cl<sub>2</sub>O                                      b) ClO<sub>2</sub>                                      c) Cl<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>                                      d) ClO<sub>3</sub>
184. Bromine water is decolourised by:  
a) SO<sub>2</sub>                                      b) C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>                                      c) C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>                                      d) All of these
185. Fluorine reacts with water to give  
a) HF, O<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>3</sub>                                      b) HF and F<sub>2</sub>                                      c) HF and O<sub>2</sub>                                      d) HF and O<sub>3</sub>
186. The electronic configurations of four elements are given below. Which element does not belong to the same family as others?  
a) [Xe]4f<sup>10</sup>, 5d<sup>10</sup>, 6s<sup>2</sup>                                      b) [Kr]4d<sup>10</sup>, 5s<sup>2</sup>                                      c) [Ne]3s<sup>2</sup>, 3p<sup>5</sup>                                      d) [Ar]3d<sup>10</sup>, 4s<sup>2</sup>
187. Among the noble gases, xenon reacts with fluorine to give stable xenon fluorides because  
a) It has highest ionisation energy                                      b) It has lowest ionisation energy  
c) Its size is largest                                      d) It is the most readily available gas
188. Which of the following is most volatile?  
a) HF                                      b) HCl                                      c) HBr                                      d) HI
189. Which phosphorus reacts with KOH solution to produce phosphine gas?  
a) White phosphorus                                      b) Red phosphorus                                      c) Both a and b                                      d) None of these
190. In the treatment of leukaemia..... is used.  
a) White phosphorus                                      b) Red phosphorus                                      c) Scarlet phosphorus                                      d) P<sup>32</sup> isotope
191. Argon was discovered by:  
a) Cavendish                                      b) Lavoisier                                      c) Rayleigh                                      d) Thomson
192. Among K, Ca, Fe and Zn, the element which can form more than one binary compound with chlorine is  
a) Fe                                      b) Zn                                      c) K                                      d) Ca
193. Red P is used in making:  
a) Air freshners  
b) Red plastics  
c) Red dyes for plastics  
d) Safety match-striking surface
194. On heating (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>, the gas evolved is 'X'. The same gas is obtained by heating:  
a) NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>                                      b) NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>                                      c) Mg<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O                                      d) Na<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O
195. Ozone with KI solution produces  
a) IO<sub>3</sub>                                      b) I<sub>2</sub>                                      c) Cl<sub>2</sub>                                      d) HI
196. Ammonium nitrate decomposes on heating into  
a) Ammonia and nitric acid                                      b) Nitrous oxide and water  
c) Nitrogen, hydrogen and ozone                                      d) Nitric oxide, nitrogen dioxide and hydrogen
197. What is a product obtained in the reaction of HgCl<sub>2</sub> and Hg(CN)<sub>2</sub>?  
a) (CN)<sub>2</sub>                                      b) Hg(CN)Cl  
c) Hg[Hg(CN)<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>]                                      d) Addition compound HgCl<sub>2</sub> · Hg(CN)<sub>2</sub>
198. In order to prevent the hot metal filament from getting burnt, when the electric current is switched on, the bulb is filled with:

- a) CH<sub>4</sub>                      b) An inert gas                      c) CO<sub>2</sub>                      d) Cl<sub>2</sub>
199. Which of the following is incorrect?  
 a) O<sub>2</sub> is weaker oxidant than O<sub>3</sub>    b) O<sub>2</sub> has larger bond length than O<sub>3</sub>    c) Both O<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>3</sub> are paramagnetic    d) O<sub>2</sub> is linear and O<sub>3</sub> are isobut
200. Which of the following has —O—O— linkage?  
 a) H<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>6</sub>                      b) H<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>8</sub>                      c) H<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>                      d) H<sub>2</sub>S<sub>4</sub>O<sub>6</sub>
201. Which of the following is a metalloid?  
 a) N                      b) Bi                      c) As                      d) P
202. The weakest acid is  
 a) HI                      b) HBr                      c) HCl                      d) HF
203. In the preparation of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>:  
 a) SO<sub>2</sub> is dissolved in H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  
 b) SO<sub>2</sub> is dissolved in water  
 c) SO<sub>3</sub> is dissolved in conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  
 d) SO<sub>3</sub> is dissolved in dilute H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
204. Which element is most metallic?  
 a) Phosphorus                      b) Arsenic                      c) Antimony                      d) Bismuth
205. Concentrated nitric acid reacts with iodine to give:  
 a) HI                      b) HOI                      c) HOIO<sub>2</sub>                      d) HOIO<sub>3</sub>
206. Electron affinity for a noble gas is approximately equal to:  
 a) That of halogens  
 b) Zero  
 c) That of oxygen family  
 d) That of nitrogen family
207. Ozonization of water is carried out to remove:  
 a) Bacterial impurities  
 b) Bad taste  
 c) Excess of chlorine present  
 d) Calcium and magnesium salt present in it
208. Welding of magnesium can be done in an atmosphere of  
 a) Xe                      b) He                      c) Kr                      d) Ne
209. Which noble gas is not found in atmosphere?  
 a) Rn                      b) Kr                      c) Ne                      d) Ar
210. Which of the following is not oxidised by O<sub>3</sub>?  
 a) KI                      b) FeSO<sub>4</sub>                      c) KMnO<sub>4</sub>                      d) K<sub>2</sub>MnO<sub>4</sub>
211. The m. p. and b. p. is lowest for:  
 a) He                      b) Ne                      c) Xe                      d) Ar
212. The reaction of the type 2X<sub>2</sub> + S → SX<sub>4</sub>, is shown by sulphur when X is  
 a) Fluorine or chlorine                      b) Chlorine only  
 c) Chlorine and bromine only                      d) F, Cl, Br, all
213. Chlorine, bromine and iodine are placed in the seventh group of the periodic table because:  
 a) They are non-metals  
 b) They are electronegative  
 c) They have seven electrons in the outermost shells of their atoms  
 d) They are generally univalent
214. Nitric acid whether diluted or concentrated:  
 a) Reacts with Al to give H<sub>2</sub>  
 b) Reacts with Al to give NO<sub>2</sub>  
 c) Reacts with Al to give NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>  
 d) Hardly affects Al
215. NH<sub>3</sub> can be collected by the displacement of:  
 a) Mercury                      b) Water                      c) Brine                      d) Conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

216. The number of  $p$ -electrons in bromine atom is:  
 a) 17                                      b) 7                                      c) 15                                      d) 12
217. Which species has the largest dipole moment?  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                                       b)  $\text{PH}_3$                                       c)  $\text{AsH}_3$                                       d)  $\text{SbH}_3$
218. A gas reacts with  $\text{CaO}$ , but not with  $\text{NaHCO}_3$ . The gas is:  
 a)  $\text{CO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2$                                       d)  $\text{O}_2$
219. Nitrogen can be purified from the impurities of oxides of nitrogen and ammonia by passing through:  
 a) conc.  $\text{HCl}$   
 b) Alkaline solution of pyrogallol  
 c) A solution of  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$  acidified with  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 d) A solution of  $\text{KOH}$  (*aq.*)
220. Which statement is correct?  
 a) Noble gases are not found in nature  
 b) Some compounds of noble gas elements are known  
 c) Atmospheric air is free from noble gases  
 d) None of the above
221. Calcium phosphide is:  
 a)  $\text{Ca}_3\text{P}$                                       b)  $\text{Ca}_3\text{P}_2$                                       c)  $\text{Ca}_2\text{P}_3$                                       d)  $\text{CaP}_2$
222. Which of the following inert gas liquefies easily?  
 a) He                                      b) Kr                                      c) Ne                                      d) Ar
223. Compounds containing coordinate bonds is:  
 a)  $\text{O}_3$                                       b)  $\text{SO}_3$                                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                                       d) All of these
224. When  $\text{Cl}_2$  water is added to an aqueous solution of potassium halide in presence of chloroform a violet colour is obtained. On adding more of  $\text{Cl}_2$  water, the violet colour disappears and a colourless solution is obtained. This test confirms the presence of the following in aqueous solution:  
 a) Iodide                                      b) Bromide                                      c) Chloride                                      d) Iodide and bromide
225. Which forms strong  $p\pi - p\pi$  bonds?  
 a) N                                      b) As                                      c) P                                      d) Bi
226. In  $\text{OF}_2$  molecule, the total number of bond pairs and lone pairs of electrons present respectively are:  
 a) 2, 6  
 b) 2, 8  
 c) 2, 10  
 d) 2, 9
227. Nitric acid may be kept in a bottle of:  
 a) Ag                                      b) Sn                                      c) Pb                                      d) Al
228. The vapour density of  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  is almost half the expected value because it:  
 a) Is salt of a strong acid  
 b) Sublimes on heating  
 c) Dissociates completely  
 d) None of the above
229. The least stable hydride of 15th group elements is  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                                       b)  $\text{PH}_3$                                       c)  $\text{AsH}_3$                                       d)  $\text{BiH}_3$
230. Which of the light effective in the formation of chlorophyll?  
 a) Sodium lamp                                      b) Neon lamp                                      c) Mercury lamp                                      d) Argon lamp
231. Which of the following is an explosive compound?  
 a)  $\text{XeOF}_4$                                       b)  $\text{XeOF}_2$                                       c)  $\text{XeF}_2$                                       d)  $\text{XeO}_3$
232. The most abundant element in the earth crust is  
 a) O                                      b) Si                                      c) H                                      d) C
233. Blasting of TNT is done by mixing it with:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$                                       b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$                                       c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_2$                                       d)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$

234. Man dies, when nitrous oxide is inhaled in large quantities because it:
- Is poisonous
  - Causes laughing hysteria
  - Decomposes haemoglobin
  - Reacts with organic tissues
235. The chemical used for cooling in refrigerator is
- $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$
  - $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$
  - liquid  $\text{NH}_3$
  - $\text{CO}_2$
236.  $\text{SO}_2$  can act as strong oxidizing agent in:
- Acidic medium
  - Basic medium
  - Neutral medium
  - None of these
237. Nitrogen gas is absorbed by:
- Aluminium carbide
  - Calcium carbide
  - Ferrous sulphate
  - Calcium hydroxide
238. The reaction  $3\text{ClO}^- (\text{aq.}) \rightarrow \text{ClO}_3^- + 2\text{Cl}^- (\text{aq.})$  is an example of :
- Oxidation reaction
  - Reduction reaction
  - Disproportionation reaction
  - Decomposition reaction
239. .... liberates oxygen from water.
- P
  - Na
  - $\text{F}_2$
  - $\text{I}_2$
240. The hydroxide of which metal is soluble in excess of ammonia:
- Cr
  - Cu
  - Fe
  - Bi
241. The formation of  $\text{O}_2^+[\text{PtF}_6]^-$  is the basis for the formation of xenon fluorides. This is because
- $\text{O}_2$  and Xe have comparable sizes
  - Both  $\text{O}_2$  and Xe are gases
  - $\text{O}_2$  and Xe have comparable ionisation energies
  - Both a and c
242. In nitrogen family the  $\text{H}-\text{M}-\text{H}$  bond angle in the hydrides  $\text{MH}_3$  gradually becomes closer to  $90^\circ$  on going from N to Sb. This shows that gradually:
- The basic strength of the hydrides increases
  - Almost pure  $p$ -orbitals are used for  $\text{M}-\text{H}$  bonding
  - The bond energies of  $\text{M}-\text{H}$  bond increase
  - The bond pairs of electrons become farther apart from the central atom
243. Sequence of acidic character is:
- $\text{SO}_2 > \text{CO}_2 > \text{CO} > \text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
  - $\text{SO}_2 > \text{N}_2\text{O}_5 > \text{CO} > \text{CO}_2$
  - $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 > \text{SO}_2 > \text{CO} > \text{CO}_2$
  - $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 > \text{SO}_2 > \text{CO}_2 > \text{CO}$
244. Phosphorus is manufactured by heating ..... in a furnace.
- Bone-ash, sodium chloride and coke
  - Bone-ash, silica and coke
  - Bone-ash, silica and lime
  - Bone-ash, coke and limestone
245. Which oxide of nitrogen is coloured gas?
- $\text{N}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{NO}_2$
  - $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
  - NO
246. In KI solution,  $\text{I}_2$  readily dissolves and forms
- $\text{I}^-$
  - $\text{KI}_2^-$
  - $\text{KI}_3$
  - $\text{KI}_2$
247. Consider the following compounds
- Sulphur dioxide  
Hydrogen peroxide  
Ozone
- Among these compounds identify those that can act as bleaching agent.
- 1 and 3
  - 2 and 3
  - 1 and 2
  - 1,2 and 3

248. Different allotropic forms of sulphur differ in:  
 a) Crystalline structure    b) Molecular weight    c) Chemical properties    d) Chemical structure
249. Monoatomic element of nitrogen family is:  
 a) Bismuth    b) Phosphorus    c) Antimony    d) None of these
250. Which noble gas was first of all detected in solar chromosphere?  
 a) Helium    b) Neon    c) Argon    d) Krypton
251. The acid used in lead storage battery is:  
 a) Nitric acid    b) Sulphuric acid    c) Hydrochloric acid    d) Phosphoric acid
252. Halogen used in the preparation of insecticides is:  
 a) I<sub>2</sub>    b) Cl<sub>2</sub>    c) Br<sub>2</sub>    d) F<sub>2</sub>
253. Which halogen acid is a liquid?  
 a) HF    b) HCl    c) HBr    d) HI
254. Halon-1301 is  
 a) CCl<sub>2</sub>F · CClF<sub>2</sub>    b) C<sub>2</sub>F<sub>4</sub>Br<sub>2</sub>    c) CCl<sub>3</sub>F    d) CF<sub>3</sub>Br
255. Skin turns yellow in contact with conc. HNO<sub>3</sub>, because:  
 a) Proteins are converted into xanthoproteins  
 b) Water is removed by the acid  
 c) Skin gets burnt  
 d) Nitrocellulose is formed
256. The pair of species having identical shape for molecules of both species is  
 a) XeF<sub>2</sub>, IF<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>    b) BF<sub>3</sub>, NH<sub>3</sub>    c) CF<sub>4</sub>, SF<sub>4</sub>    d) PCl<sub>5</sub>, ICl<sub>5</sub>
257. Which of the following pairs are correctly matched?

1.haber process	Manufacture of ammonia
2.le-blanc process	Manufacture of sulphuric acid
3.birkeland -Eyed process	Manufacture of nitric acid
4. solvay process	Manufacture of sodium carbonate

Select the correct answer using the codes given below

- a) 2,3 and 4    b) 1,2,3,and 4    c) 1,2and 4    d) 1,3and 4
258. Which molecule does not possess distorted geometry?  
 a) Cl—F    b) IF<sub>3</sub>    c) IF<sub>5</sub>    d) IF<sub>7</sub>
259. Iodine displaces chlorine from which one of the compounds?  
 a) KCl    b) CaCl<sub>2</sub>    c) CCl<sub>4</sub>    d) KClO<sub>3</sub>
260. Which member of oxygen family has the highest catenation ability?  
 a) Oxygen    b) Sulphur    c) Selenium    d) Tellurium
261. When heated NH<sub>3</sub> is passed over CuO gas evolved is  
 a) N<sub>2</sub>    b) N<sub>2</sub>O    c) HNO<sub>3</sub>    d) NO<sub>2</sub>
262. The noble gas used in the preparation of first noble gas compound was:  
 a) Xe    b) He    c) Cr    d) Rn
263. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> is used extensively as a:  
 a) Dehydrating agent    b) Catalytic agent    c) Reducing agent    d) Preservative
264. Oxygen differs from sulphur in:  
 a) Allotropy  
 b) Formation of ions  
 c) Number of electrons in the outermost orbit  
 d) Nature of hydrides
265. Which of the following salt would give SO<sub>2</sub> with hot and dil.H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and also decolourises Br<sub>2</sub> water?  
 a) Na<sub>2</sub> SO<sub>3</sub>    b) NaHSO<sub>4</sub>    c) Na<sub>2</sub> SO<sub>4</sub>    d) Na<sub>2</sub>S
266. On heating ammonium dichromate, the gas evolved is:  
 a) Oxygen    b) Ammonia    c) Nitrogen    d) Nitric oxide
267. Regular use of which of the following fertilizers increases the acidity of soil?  
 a) KNO<sub>3</sub>

- b)  $\text{NH}_2\text{CONH}_2$   
 c)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$   
 d) Superphosphate of lime
268. The halogen showing maximum coordination number of sulphur in  $\text{SX}_n$  halides is  
 a) Cl                                      b) Br                                      c) F                                      d) I
269.  $\text{BCl}_3$  is a planar molecule whereas  $\text{NCl}_3$  is pyramidal because:  
 a)  $\text{BCl}_3$  has no lone pair of electrons but  $\text{NCl}_3$  has a lone pair of electrons  
 b) B—Cl bond is more polar than N—Cl bond  
 c) Nitrogen atom is smaller than boron atom  
 d) N—Cl bond is more covalent than B—Cl bond
270. The bond angle in  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$  molecule is:  
 a)  $180^\circ$                                       b)  $105^\circ$                                       c)  $90^\circ$                                       d)  $111^\circ$
271. Mark the wrong statement. Halogens are all coloured.  
 a) This is due to absorption of visible light by their molecules resulting in the excitation of outer electrons to higher energy levels  
 b) The small  $\text{F}_2$  molecules absorb high energy violet radiation and appear yellow  
 c) Large  $\text{I}_2$  molecule absorb low energy yellow and green radiations and appear violet in colour  
 d) The excitation energy required by the small fluorine atoms is smaller than required by the large iodine atom
272. Which reaction can be used to prepare phosphoric acid?  
 a)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \xrightarrow{20^\circ\text{C}}$                                       b)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \xrightarrow{80^\circ\text{C}}$                                       c)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \xrightarrow{25^\circ\text{C}}$                                       d)  $\text{P} + \text{conc. HNO}_3 \rightarrow$
273. Which gas is filled in electric bulbs/tubes?  
 a)  $\text{O}_2$                                       b)  $\text{N}_2$                                       c) Ar                                      d) He
274. Iodine is formed when potassium iodide reacts with a solution of  
 a)  $\text{ZnSO}_4$                                       b)  $\text{CuSO}_4$                                       c)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$                                       d)  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$
275. The interatomic distances in  $\text{H}_2$  and  $\text{Cl}_2$  molecules are 74 and 198 pm respectively. The bond length of HCl is:  
 a) 272 pm                                      b) 136 pm                                      c) 124 pm                                      d) 248 pm
276. Mg on heating to redness in an atmosphere of  $\text{N}_2$  and then on treating with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  gives:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                                       b)  $\text{H}_2$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2$                                       d)  $\text{O}_2$
277. The bleaching action of bleaching powder is due to  
 a) Nascent hydrogen                                      b) Nascent oxygen                                      c) Nascent chlorine                                      d) None of these
278. In the preparation of  $\text{O}_2$  from  $\text{KClO}_3$ ,  $\text{MnO}_2$  acts as:  
 a) Activator                                      b) Catalyst                                      c) Oxidizing agent                                      d) Dehydrating agent
279. Which noble gas has highest and least polarisability respectively?  
 a) He, Xe                                      b) Ne, Kr                                      c) Kr, Ne                                      d) Xe, He
280. Nitrolim, a nitrogenous fertilizer, is:  
 a)  $\text{Ca}_3\text{H}_2$                                       b)  $\text{Ca}(\text{CN})_2$                                       c)  $\text{CaCN}_2$                                       d)  $\text{CaCN}_2 + \text{C}$
281.  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  cannot be dried by passing over conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  because:  
 a) The acid oxidises it  
 b) The acid combines with  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  to form a salt  
 c) Both form complex  
 d) It dissolves in the acid
282. The chemical name of bleaching powder is:  
 a) Calcium chloro hypochlorite  
 b) Calcium hypochlorite  
 c) Calcium chlorate  
 d) Calcium perchlorate
283. The following are some statements related to VA group hydrides  
 I. Reducing property Increases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$



II. Tendency to donate lone pair decreases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$

III. Thermal stability of hydrides decreases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$

IV. Bond angle of hydrides decreases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$

The correct statements are

- a) I, II, III and IV      b) I, III and IV      c) I, II, IV      d) I and IV
284. The deficiency of iodine in diet causes  
a) Rickets      b) Night blindness      c) Beri -beri      d) Goitre
285. The number of P – O – P bonds in cyclic metaphosphoric acid is  
a) Zero      b) Three      c) Two      d) Four
286. Which noble gas is more soluble in water?  
a) He      b) Ar      c) Ne      d) Xe
287. An important method of fixation of atmospheric  $\text{N}_2$  is:  
a) Fischer-Tropsch's process  
b) Haber's process  
c) Frasch's process  
d) Solvay's process
288. Which statement about noble gases is not correct?  
a) Xe forms  $\text{XeF}_6$   
b) Ar is used in electric bulbs  
c) Kr is obtained during radioactive disintegration  
d) He has the lowest b. p. among all the noble gases
289. Noble gases are group of elements which exhibit very  
a) High chemical activity      b) Much paramagnetic properties  
c) Minimum electronegativity      d) Low chemical activity
290. On passing  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  through acidified  $\text{FeCl}_3$  solution,  $\text{FeCl}_3$  is converted into:  
a)  $\text{FeCl}_2$       b)  $\text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$       c)  $\text{FeS}$       d)  $\text{FeSO}_4$
291.  $\text{HPO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}}$ ? The product is:  
a)  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$       b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$       c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$       d)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$
292. Ozone reacts with:  
a)  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4$       b)  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2$       c)  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$       d) All of these
293. The inert gas abundantly found in atmosphere is  
a) Xe      b) Kr      c) He      d) Ar
294. When  $\text{SO}_2$  gas is passed through cupric chloride solution:  
a) The solution becomes colourless  
b) A white precipitate is formed  
c) No change takes place  
d) Solution becomes colourless and a white precipitate is formed
295. The reaction of chlorine with CO in the presence of sunlight gives:  
a)  $\text{COCl}_2$       b)  $\text{CO}_2\text{Cl}_2$       c)  $\text{HOCl}$       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_2$
296. The mixture of noble gases is separated by:  
a) Ramsay-Rayleigh's first method  
b) Ramsay-Rayleigh's second method  
c) Fischer and Ringe's method  
d) Dewar's coconut charcoal adsorption method
297. The boiling points of halogens increase with increase in molecular weight, it is because:  
a) As the size increases molecules undergo association leading to higher stability  
b) Bond strength increases due to increase in electronegativity  
c) Van der Waals' forces increase with increase in number of electrons per mole  
d) None of the above
298.  $\text{NCl}_3$  on hydrolysis yields:

- a) N<sub>2</sub> and NOCl                      b) NO and HCl                      c) NH<sub>3</sub> and HOCl                      d) N<sub>2</sub>O and NH<sub>3</sub>
299. The strongest oxidizing agent is:  
 a) H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>                      b) HNO<sub>3</sub>                      c) H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub>                      d) HNO<sub>2</sub>
300. Increasing order of acid strengths of hydrogen halides is:  
 a) HF < HCl < HBr < HI  
 b) HCl < HI < HBr < HF  
 c) HCl < HBr < HI < HF  
 d) None of these
301. Noble gases are sparingly soluble in water due to  
 a) Dipole-dipole interaction                      b) Dipole-induced dipole interaction  
 c) Induced dipole-induced dipole interaction                      d) Hydrogen bonding
302. Oxidation state exhibited by sulphur  
 a) +6                      b) +4                      c) 0                      d) All of these
303. Low volatile nature of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> is due to:  
 a) Hydrogen bonding                      b) Van der Waals' forces                      c) Strong bonds                      d) None of these
304. When Na<sub>2</sub>S is added to sodium nitroprusside solution:  
 a) Beautiful violet colour is produced  
 b) A complex [Fe(CN)<sub>5</sub>NOS]<sup>4-</sup> is formed  
 c) The complex Na<sub>4</sub>[Fe(CN)<sub>5</sub>NOS] is formed  
 d) All of the above
305. The reaction,  

$$2\text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$$
 is an example of :  
 a) Synthesis of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  
 b) Analysis of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  
 c) Displacement reaction  
 d) Double decomposition
306. The gases absorbed by alkaline pyrogallol and oil of turpentine respectively are:  
 a) O<sub>3</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub>                      b) O<sub>2</sub>, O<sub>3</sub>                      c) SO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub>                      d) N<sub>2</sub>O, O<sub>3</sub>
307. Ozone turns tetramethyl base paper:  
 a) Green                      b) Violet                      c) Red                      d) Black
308. A student accidentally splashes few drops of conc H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> on his cotton shirt, after a while, the splashed parts blacken and holes appear. This is happened because sulphuric acid  
 a) Dehydrates the cotton with burning                      b) Causes the cotton react with air  
 c) Heats up the cotton                      d) Removes the elements of water from cotton
309. Aquaregia is a mixture of:  
 a) 3HCl + HNO<sub>3</sub>                      b) 3HNO<sub>3</sub> + HCl                      c) H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>                      d) HCl + CH<sub>3</sub>COOH
310. The bond angle in H<sub>2</sub>S is:  
 a) 109°28'                      b) 104°51'                      c) 120°                      d) 92.5°
311. In the manufacture of sulphuric acid by contact process, tyndall box is used to  
 a) Filter dust particles                      b) Remove impurities  
 c) Convert SO<sub>2</sub> to SO<sub>3</sub>                      d) Test the presence of dust particles
312. The oxide insoluble in water is:  
 a) TeO<sub>2</sub>                      b) SO<sub>2</sub>                      c) PoO<sub>2</sub>                      d) SeO<sub>2</sub>
313. Which indicates the common laboratory method for the preparation of chlorine?  
 a)  $4\text{HCl} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{Cl}_2$   
 b)  $2\text{NaCl} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{NaOH} + \text{H}_2 + \text{Cl}_2$   
 c)  $\text{MnO}_2 + 4\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{MnCl}_2 + \text{Cl} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 d)  $2\text{Mg}_2\text{OCl}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{MgO} + 2\text{Cl}_2$
314. The geometry of XeF<sub>6</sub> is

- a) Tetrahedral  
c) Octahedral
- b) Pentagonal bipyramidal  
d) Square planar
315. Chlorine acts as a bleaching agent only in presence of  
a) Dry air                      b) Moisture                      c) Sunlight                      d) Pure oxygen
316. Which one of the following pentafluorides cannot be formed?  
a)  $\text{PF}_5$                       b)  $\text{AsF}_5$                       c)  $\text{SbF}_5$                       d)  $\text{BiF}_5$
317.  $\text{SO}_2$  oxidises:  
a) Mg                      b)  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$                       c)  $\text{KMnO}_4$                       d) All of these
318. Which of the following has highest proton affinity?  
a)  $\text{NH}_3$                       b)  $\text{PH}_3$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$
319. Nuclear fusion produces:  
a) Argon                      b) Deuterium                      c) Helium                      d) Krypton
320. Concentrated hydrochloric acid when kept in open air sometimes produces a cloud of white fumes. The explanation for it is that  
a) Concentrated hydrochloric acid emits strongly smelling HCl gas all the time  
b) Oxygen in air reacts with the emitted HCl gas to form a cloud of chlorine gas  
c) Strong affinity of HCl gas for moisture in air results in forming of droplets of liquid solution which appears like a cloudy smoke.  
d) Due to strong affinity for water, concentrated hydrochloric acid pulls moisture of air towards itself. This moisture forms droplets of water and hence the cloud.
321. In the dewar's method of separation of noble gases, the mixture of noble gases is kept in contact with coconut charcoal at 173 K. Which one of the following gaseous mixtures is not adsorbed on to the charcoal?  
a) Ar, Kr                      b) Xe, Ar                      c) He, Ne                      d) Xe, Kr
322. The type of hybrid orbitals used by chlorine atom in  $\text{ClO}_2^-$  is  
a)  $sp$                       b)  $sp^2$                       c)  $sp^3$                       d) None of these
323. The oxidation state of N is highest in:  
a)  $\text{N}_3\text{H}$   
b)  $\text{NH}_3$   
c)  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$   
d)  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH}$
324. Formula of rhombic Sulphur is:  
a)  $\text{S}_2$                       b) S                      c)  $\text{S}_4$                       d)  $\text{S}_8$
325. The noble gases are unreactive because they:  
a) Have the same number of electrons  
b) Have an atomicity of one  
c) Are gases with low densities  
d) Have stable electronic configuration or closed valency shell
326. Phosphine reacts with copper sulphate solution to form:  
a) Copper                      b) Copper phosphide                      c) Copper phosphate                      d) Copper phosphite
327. Desiccant is  
a) Anhydrous  $\text{Ba}(\text{ClO}_4)_2$                       b) Anhydrous  $\text{CaCl}_2$   
c) Anhydrous  $\text{Mg}(\text{ClO}_4)_2$                       d) Conc  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
328. Who among the following first prepared a stable compound of noble gas?  
a) Neil Bartlett                      b) Reyleigh                      c) Ramsay                      d) Rutherford
329. On exposure to light electrical conductivity of selenium:  
a) Increases  
b) Decreases  
c) Remains same  
d) First decreases then increases

330. For  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  and  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  the correct choice is  
 a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is dibasic and reducing  
 b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is dibasic and non-reducing  
 c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is tribasic and reducing  
 d)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is tribasic and non-reducing
331. When chlorine reacts with dil. NaOH under cold conditions, the oxidation state of chlorine changes from zero to  
 a) -1 and +5  
 b) +1 and +4  
 c) +5 and +3  
 d) -1 and +1
332. Yellow ammonium sulphide is:  
 a)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{S}$   
 b)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{S}_x$   
 c)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{S}_8$   
 d)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{S}_4$
333. Sulphuric acid is used:  
 a) In lead storage batteries  
 b) As a dehydrating agent  
 c) In making fertilizers  
 d) All of the above
334. Hydrolysis of  $\text{NCl}_3$  gives  $\text{NH}_3$  and X which of the following is X?  
 a)  $\text{HClO}_4$   
 b)  $\text{HClO}_3$   
 c)  $\text{HOCl}$   
 d)  $\text{HClO}_2$
335. How many lone pairs are associated with xenon atom in  $\text{XeF}_2$ ,  $\text{SeF}_4$  and  $\text{XeF}_6$  respectively?  
 a) 1, 2 and 3  
 b) 2, 3 and 1  
 c) 3, 2 and 1  
 d) 4, 3 and 2
336. Nitrous oxide  
 a) Is an acidic oxide  
 b) Is a mixed oxide  
 c) Support the combustion of sulphur  
 d) Highly soluble in hot water
337. The number of unpaired electrons in the *p*-subshell of oxygen atom is  
 a) 1  
 b) 2  
 c) 3  
 d) 4
338.  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$  on heating liberates a gas. The same gas will be obtained by  
 a) Heating  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$   
 b) Heating  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_2$   
 c) Treating  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  with  $\text{NaNO}_2$   
 d) Treating  $\text{Mg}_3\text{N}_2$  with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
339. Fluorapatite is a mineral of:  
 a)  $\text{F}_2$   
 b)  $\text{Br}_2$   
 c) P  
 d) As
340. Least malleable and ductile metal is:  
 a) Au  
 b) Ag  
 c) Ni  
 d) Bi
341. Which of the following is not correct?  

$$3\text{O}_2 \xrightleftharpoons[\text{discharge}]{\text{Silent electric}} 2\text{O}_3$$
 a)  $\Delta H = -284.5\text{KJ}$   
 b) Ozone undergoes addition reaction with unsaturated carbon compounds  
 c) Sodium thiosulphate reacts with  $\text{I}_2$  to form sodium tetrathionate and sodium iodide.  
 d) Ozone oxidises lead sulphide to lead sulphate
342. Laughing gas is prepared by heating  
 a)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$   
 b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$   
 c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl} + \text{NaNO}_3$   
 d)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$
343. A certain element forms a solid oxide which when dissolved in water forms an acidic solution. The element is:  
 a) Neon  
 b) Sodium  
 c) Phosphorus  
 d) sulphur
344.  $\text{NO}_2$  cannot be obtained by heating :  
 a)  $\text{KNO}_3$   
 b)  $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$   
 c)  $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2$   
 d)  $\text{AgNO}_3$
345. The product obtained by heating  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$  and  $\text{KCNO}$  is  
 a) Ammonia  
 b) Ammonium cyanide  
 c) Urea  
 d) Hydrocyanic acid
346. The silver halide, which is least soluble in  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$ , is:  
 a)  $\text{AgF}$   
 b)  $\text{AgCl}$   
 c)  $\text{AgBr}$   
 d)  $\text{AgI}$
347. Fermings salt is  
 a) HF  
 b)  $\text{KHF}_2$   
 c)  $\text{NOCl}$   
 d)  $\text{KClO}_3$
348.  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  is

349. Correct order of decreasing thermal stability is as
- a)  $\text{NH}_3 > \text{PH}_3 > \text{AsH}_3 > \text{SbH}_3$   
 b)  $\text{PH}_3 > \text{NH}_3 > \text{AsH}_3 > \text{SbH}_3$   
 c)  $\text{AsH}_3 > \text{PH}_3 > \text{NH}_3 > \text{SbH}_3$   
 d)  $\text{SbH}_3 > \text{AsH}_3 > \text{PH}_3 > \text{NH}_3$

350. Most electropositive halogen is:

- a) F  
 b) Cl  
 c) Br  
 d) I

351. Argon is used

- a) In filling airships  
 b) To obtain low temperature  
 c) In high temperature welding  
 d) In radiotherapy for treatment of cancer

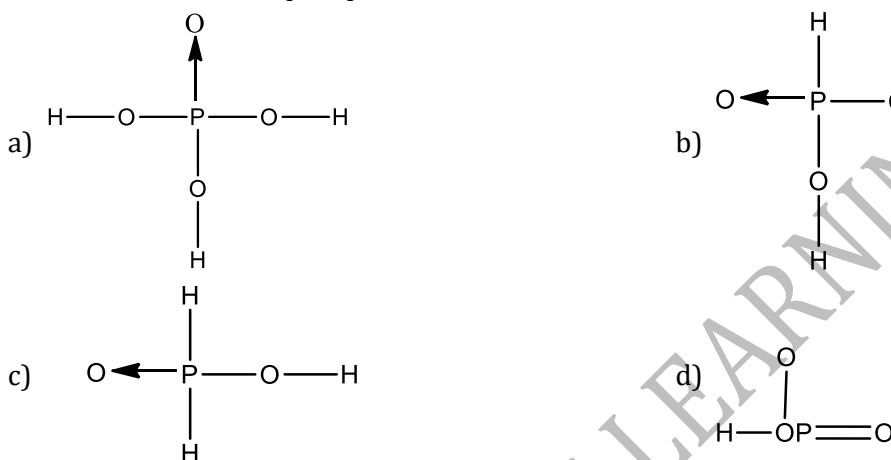
352.  $\text{K}_2\text{CS}_3$  can be called potassium:

- a) Sulphocyanide  
 b) Thiocarbide  
 c) Thiocarbonate  
 d) Thiocyanate

353. Which of the following has S—S bond

- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6$   
 b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$   
 c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$   
 d) Mustard gas

354. The structure of orthophosphoric acid is



355. Bleaching action of chlorine is due to:

- a) Reduction  
 b) Oxidation  
 c) Chlorination  
 d) Hydrogenation

356. In clathrates of xenon with water, the nature of bonding between xenon and water molecule is

- a) Dipole induced dipole interaction  
 b) Coordinate  
 c) Hydrogen bonding  
 d) Covalent

357. Asthma patients use a mixture of.....for respiration.

- a)  $\text{O}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2$   
 b)  $\text{O}_2$  and He  
 c)  $\text{O}_2$  and Ar  
 d)  $\text{O}_2$  and Ne

358. When ammonium nitrate is heated at  $250^\circ\text{C}$  the gas evolved is

- a)  $\text{N}_2$   
 b)  $\text{NH}_3$   
 c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$   
 d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$

359. Fluorine gas is stored in:

- a) Copper vessels  
 b) Steel vessels  
 c) Both (a) and (b)  
 d) None of these

360. Conc.  $\text{HNO}_3$  reacts with iron to:

- a) Render iron passive  
 b) Give ferrous nitrate and nitric oxide  
 c) Give ferric nitrate and ammonium nitrate  
 d) Give ferric nitrate and nitrogen dioxide

361. Which one of the following statements is not true?

- a) Among halide ions, iodine is the most powerful reducing agent  
 b) Fluorine is the only halogen that does not show variable oxidation state  
 c)  $\text{HOCl}$  is stronger acid than  $\text{HOBr}$   
 d)  $\text{HF}$  is a stronger acid than  $\text{HCl}$

362. In nitroprusside ion, the iron and  $\text{NO}$  exist as  $\text{Fe}^{\text{II}}$  and  $\text{NO}^+$  rather than  $\text{Fe}^{\text{III}}$  and  $\text{NO}$ . These forms can be differentiated by:

- a) Estimating the concentration of iron  
 b) Measuring the concentration of  $\text{CN}^-$

- c) Measuring the solid state magnetic moment  
d) Thermally decomposing the compound
363. The colourless gas liberated by passing excess of chlorine through  $\text{NH}_3$  gas is:  
a)  $\text{NCl}_3$                       b)  $\text{HCl}$                       c)  $\text{N}_2$                       d)  $\text{H}_2$
364. The basicity of  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  is  
a) 2                      b) 3                      c) 4                      d) 5
365. A radioactive element resembling iodine in properties is:  
a) Astatine                      b) Lead                      c) Radium                      d) Thorium
366. Which of the following form of interhalogen compounds does not exist?  
a)  $\text{IF}_7$                       b)  $\text{ClF}_3$                       c)  $\text{ICl}$                       d)  $\text{BrCl}_7$
367. Which one is true peroxide?  
a)  $\text{NO}_2$                       b)  $\text{MnO}_2$                       c)  $\text{BaO}_2$                       d)  $\text{SO}_2$
368. When a colourless gas is passed through bromine water, decolourization takes place. The gas is:  
a)  $\text{HCl}$                       b)  $\text{HBr}$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                       d)  $\text{SO}_2$
369. In case of nitrogen,  $\text{NCl}_3$  is possible but not  $\text{NCl}_5$  while in case of phosphorus,  $\text{PCl}_3$  as well as  $\text{PCl}_5$  are possible. It is due to  
a) Lower electronegativity of P but not in N  
b) Lower tendency of H bond formation in P than N  
c) Availability of vacant *d*-orbital in P but not in N  
d) Occurrence of P in solid while N in gaseous state at room temperature
370. The bonds present in pernitric acid are:  
a) Ionic bonds  
b) Covalent bonds  
c) Semipolar bonds or dative bonds  
d) Coordinate and covalent bonds
371. In which of these processes platinum is used as a catalyst?  
a) Oxidation of ammonia to form  $\text{HNO}_3$                       b) Hardening of oils  
c) Production of synthetic rubber                      d) Synthesis of methanol
372.  $D_3$  line observed in the yellow region of the sun's spectrum is due to  
a) Na                      b) Ne                      c) Kr                      d) He
373. A greenish yellow gas reacts with an alkali metal hydroxide to form a halate which can be used in fireworks and safety matches. The gas and halate respectively are:  
a)  $\text{Br}_2, \text{KBrO}_3$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2, \text{KClO}_3$                       c)  $\text{I}_2, \text{NaIO}_3$                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2, \text{NaClO}_3$
374. Correct statement about white phosphorus is:  
a) It ignites at  $240^\circ\text{C}$                       b) It is violet-red solid                      c) It is not poisonous                      d) It ignites at  $30^\circ\text{C}$
375. Ammonia reacts with excess of chlorine to form:  
a)  $\text{N}_2$  and  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$                       b)  $\text{NCl}_3$  and  $\text{HCl}$                       c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  and  $\text{NCl}_3$                       d)  $\text{N}_2$  and  $\text{HCl}$
376. The noble gas which can diffuse through rubber and glass easily is  
a) Xe                      b) Ne                      c) Ar                      d) He
377. Ozone depletes due to the formation of following compound  
a) Acrolein                      b) Chlorine nitrate                      c) Peroxy acetyl nitrate                      d)  $\text{SO}_2$  and  $\text{SO}_3$
378. A substance which gives a yellow precipitate when boiled with an excess of nitric acid and ammonium molybdate and red precipitate with  $\text{AgNO}_3$  is  
a) Orthophosphate                      b) Pyrophosphate                      c) Metaphosphate                      d) Hypophosphate
379. Nitrous acid reacts with  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to give:  
a)  $\text{NO}_2 + \text{SO}_2$                       b)  $\text{NO} + \text{SO}_2$                       c)  $\text{NO} + \text{SO}_3$                       d) None of these
380. Among the properties (a) reducing, (b) oxidising and (c) complexing, the set of properties shown by  $\text{CN}^-$  ion towards metal species is:  
a) a, b, c                      b) b, c                      c) c, a                      d) a, b
381. Sea-weeds are important sources of:  
a) Iron                      b) Chlorine                      c) Iodine                      d) Bromine

382. CAN pellets are coated with calcium silicate because:  
 a) CAN is explosive      b) CAN is hygroscopic      c) CAN is water soluble      d) None of these
383. Yellow phosphorus is kept in:  
 a) Water      b) Ether      c) Alcohol      d) Kerosene
384.  $F_2$  combines with all non-metals directly except:  
 a)  $N_2$       b) P      c) Xe      d) Kr
385. Which one of the following has lowest bond dissociation energy?  
 a) Cl—Cl      b) F—F      c) Br—Br      d) I—I
386. Ozone reacts with moist iodine giving:  
 a)  $HIO_3$       b)  $I_4O_9$       c)  $IO_5$       d)  $I_2O_5$
387. On heating sodium as well as sulphur can be melted. Molten sodium and molten sulphur are used as:  
 a) Medium for extracting metals  
 b) Catalysts  
 c) Metal refiners  
 d) Electrodes in batteries
388. Oxidation of metals by  $HNO_3$  does not depend on:  
 a) Nature of metal      b) Conc. of  $HNO_3$       c) Temperature      d) Catalyst
389. In froth floatation process for the purification of ores, the particles of ore float because  
 a) Their surface is not easily wetted by water      b) They are light  
 c) They are insoluble      d) They bear electrostatic charge
390.  $XeF_6$  on complete hydrolysis gives:  
 a)  $XeO_3$       b)  $XeO$       c)  $XeO_2$       d) Xe
391. The zero group members are collectively known as:  
 a) Inert gases      b) Rare gases      c) Noble gases      d) All of these
392. How many lone pair of electrons are present on Xe in  $XeOF_4$  ?  
 a) 1      b) 2      c) 3      d) 4
393. Hypophosphorous acid,  $H_3PO_2$  is  
 a) A monobasic acid      b) A Tribasic acid      c) A Dibasic acid      d) Not acidic at all
394. The ionization potential of  $X^-$  ion is equal to:  
 a) The electron affinity of X atom  
 b) The electronegativity of X atom  
 c) The ionization potential of X atom  
 d) None of the above
395. Which oxide of chlorine is most powerful oxidizing agent?  
 a)  $Cl_2O$       b)  $ClO_2$       c)  $Cl_2O_6$       d)  $Cl_2O_7$
396. In Ostwald process of manufacturing of  $HNO_3$  catalyst used is  
 a) MO      b) Fe      c) Mn      d) Pt
397. In the reaction,  
 $HNO_3 + P_4O_{10} \rightarrow 4HPO_3 + X$   
 the product X is  
 a)  $N_2O_3$       b)  $N_2O_5$       c)  $NO_2$       d)  $H_2O$
398. Given are  $H_3PO_2$ ,  $H_3PO_3$ ,  $H_3PO_4$  and  $H_4P_2O_7$ . which of the above oxoacids results into two series of salts?  
 a)  $H_3PO_2$       b)  $H_3PO_3$       c)  $H_3PO_4$       d)  $H_4P_2O_7$
399. Which of the following is a mixed anhydride?  
 a) NO      b)  $NO_2$       c)  $N_2O_5$       d)  $N_2O$
400. Pure  $N_2$  can be obtained by:  
 a) Heating barium azide      b)  $NH_3$  and CuO      c) Both (a) and (b)      d) None of these
401. Sulphur trioxide is dissolved in heavy water to form a compound X. The hybridisation of sulphur in X is  
 a)  $sp^2$       b)  $sp^3$       c)  $sp$       d)  $dsp^2$
402. What happens to the colour of litmus paper when a drop of  $H_2SO_4$  is added to it?  
 a) It turns red to blue      b) It turns blue to red      c) It gets destroyed      d) It is unaffected

403. Which noble gas does not form clathrates?  
 a) Xe                                      b) Kr                                      c) He                                      d) Ar
404. Strongest reducing agent is:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{Se}$                                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{Te}$
405. Most abundant element in earth's crust is:  
 a) O    b) Se    c) S    d) Te
406. Which reaction yields the greatest quantity of chlorine from a given quantity of hydrochloric acid?  
 a) Warming conc. HCl with  $\text{MnO}_2$   
 b) Warming conc. HCl with  $\text{PbO}_2$   
 c) Mixing conc. HCl with  $\text{KMnO}_4$   
 d) Treating bleaching powder with HCl
407. Superphosphate of lime is  
 a) A mixture of normal calcium phosphate and gypsum  
 b) A mixture of primary calcium phosphate and gypsum  
 c) Normal calcium phosphate  
 d) Soluble calcium phosphate
408. In Birkeland and Eyde process, the temperature of the electric arc is about:  
 a)  $1500^\circ\text{C}$                                       b)  $4000^\circ\text{C}$                                       c)  $3000^\circ\text{C}$                                       d)  $2000^\circ\text{C}$
409. Sulphides of which element are not precipitated in acidic or alkaline medium?  
 a) K    b) Ca    c) Al    d) All of these
410. Select the correct statement.  
 a) Sodium metal is stored under kerosene  
 b) One of the oxides of carbon is a basic oxide  
 c) Metals can form only basic oxides  
 d) To prevent combination of white phosphorus with oxygen it is kept in kerosene
411.  $\text{SO}_2$  is dried by:  
 a) CuO    b)  $\text{HNO}_3$     c)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$     d) Anhyd.  $\text{CaCl}_2$
412. When Zn reacts with very dilute nitric acid it produces?  
 a) NO    b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$     c)  $\text{NO}_2$     d)  $\text{H}_2$
413. The geometry of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  and its dipole moment are:  
 a) Angular and non-zero    b) Angular and zero                                      c) Linear and zero                                      d) Linear and non-zero
414. Graham's salt is:  
 a) Sodium aluminosilicate  
 b) Sodium hexametaphosphate  
 c) Ferrous ammonium sulphate  
 d) Potassium chromium sulphate
415. Yellow oils of sulphur is/are  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$     b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_1, \text{H}_2\text{S}_3$     c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$     d)  $\text{CS}_2, \text{NH}_2\text{CSNH}_2$
416. In the atmosphere  $\text{N}_2$  is present as element with  $\text{O}_2$  because:  
 a)  $\text{N}_2$  is more reactive  
 b)  $\text{N}_2$  is inert  
 c)  $\text{N}_2$  does not react with  $\text{O}_2$   
 d)  $\text{N}_2$  is actively participating in the reaction
417. Percentage of argon in air is about:  
 a) 10 per cent  
 b) 0.1 per cent  
 c) Much less than 0.1 per cent  
 d) 1 per cent
418. Select the incorrect statement among the following  
 a)  $\text{O}_3$  is used as germicide for purification of air.  
 b) In  $\text{O}_3$ , O—O bond length is identical with that of molecular oxygen



- c) O<sub>3</sub> molecule is angular in shape.  
d) O<sub>3</sub> is an oxidizing agent.
419. For advertisement the coloured discharged tubes contain  
a) He                                  b) Ne                                  c) Ar                                  d) Kr
420. Which reaction cannot be used for the preparation of the halogen acid?  
a)  $2\text{KBr} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \xrightarrow{\text{Conc.}} \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{HBr}$   
b)  $\text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \xrightarrow{\text{Conc.}} \text{NaHSO}_4 + \text{HCl}$   
c)  $\text{NaHSO}_4 + \text{NaCl} \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{HCl}$   
d)  $\text{CaF}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \xrightarrow{\text{Conc.}} \text{CaSO}_4 + 2\text{HF}$
421. The principal source of helium is:  
a) Air                                  b) Monazite sand                                  c) Radium                                  d) All of these
422. Heat of vaporisation of NH<sub>3</sub> is high due to:  
a) Its basic nature                                  b) Its polar nature                                  c) Hydrogen bonding                                  d) Solubility in water
423. Which is an essential trace element involved in physiology of thyroid glands?  
a) Fe                                  b) Ca                                  c) Na                                  d) I<sub>2</sub>
424. Which coagulates white of an egg?  
a) Orthophosphoric acid                                  b) Metaphosphoric acid                                  c) Hypophosphoric acid                                  d) Pyrophosphoric acid
425. The fluoride which does not exist is:  
a) CF<sub>4</sub>                                  b) SF<sub>6</sub>                                  c) HeF<sub>4</sub>                                  d) XeF<sub>4</sub>
426. The solubility of iodine in water increases in presence of  
a) Chloroform                                  b) Alcohol                                  c) Potassium iodide                                  d) Sodium hydroxide
427. Sal volatile is:  
a) NH<sub>4</sub>Cl                                  b) (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>                                  c) (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>                                  d) NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>
428. Halogen acid used in the preparation of aqua regia is:  
a) HF                                  b) HBr                                  c) HCl                                  d) HI
429. Bromine is liberated when an aqueous solution of KBr is treated with  
a) Dil H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>                                  b) I<sub>2</sub>                                  c) Cl<sub>2</sub>                                  d) SO<sub>2</sub>
430. In nitrogen family, the H—M—H bond angle in the hydrides gradually becomes closer to 90° on going from N to Sb. This shows that gradually:  
a) The basic strength of the hydrides increases  
b) Almost pure *p*-orbitals are used for M—H bonding  
c) The bond energies of M—H bond increase  
d) The bond pair-lone pair of electrons show lesser repulsion due to decreasing electronegativity trend
431. NH<sub>4</sub>Cl is used to clean metal surfaces because:  
a) It dissociates into NH<sub>3</sub> and HCl on heating  
b) NH<sub>3</sub> forms a soluble complex with the metal  
c) NH<sub>4</sub>Cl forms a volatile chloride  
d) None of the above
432. Which reagent can separate nitric oxide from nitrous oxide?  
a) Sodium nitroprusside solution  
b) FeSO<sub>4</sub> Solution  
c) Nessler's reagent  
d) Ammoniacal silver nitrate solution
433. The shape and hybridisation of ICl<sub>3</sub> is:  
a) Triangular planar, *sp*<sup>3</sup>  
b) Pyramidal, *sp*<sup>3</sup> *d*<sup>2</sup>  
c) Tetrahedral, *sp*<sup>3</sup>

- d) Bent T,  $sp^3 d$
434. The anhydride of pyrosulphuric acid is:  
 a)  $SO_2$                       b)  $S_2O_3$                       c)  $SO_3$                       d)  $S_2O_7$
435. Which one is strongest oxidizing agent?  
 a)  $HClO$                       b)  $HClO_2$                       c)  $HClO_3$                       d)  $HClO_4$
436. Which is not an oxo-acid of chlorine?  
 a)  $HClO$                       b)  $HClO_2$                       c)  $HClO_3$                       d)  $HClO_5$
437. A greenish-yellow coloured gas is liberated on heating a mixture of two substances which are:  
 a)  $KBr + HCl$                       b)  $KI + HCl$                       c)  $MnO_2 + HCl$                       d)  $NaCl + H_2SO_4$
438. What are the products obtained when ammonia is reacted with excess chlorine?  
 a)  $N_2$  and  $NCl_3$                       b)  $N_2$  and  $HCl$                       c)  $N_2$  and  $NH_4Cl$                       d)  $NCl_3$  and  $HCl$
439.  $PH_3$  produces smoky rings when it comes in contact with air. This is because:  
 a) It is inflammable  
 b) It combines with water vapours  
 c) It combines with nitrogen  
 d) It contains impurity of  $P_2H_4$
440. The least stable anion of oxo-acids of chlorine is  
 a)  $ClO^-$                       b)  $ClO_2^-$                       c)  $ClO_3^-$                       d)  $ClO_4^-$
441. Among  $H_2O$ ,  $H_2S$ ,  $H_2Se$  and  $H_2Te$ , the one with highest boiling point is:  
 a)  $H_2O$  because of H-bonding  
 b)  $H_2Te$  because of high mol. wt.  
 c)  $H_2S$  because of H-bonding  
 d)  $H_2Se$  because of low mol. wt.
442. Non-combustible hydride is:  
 a)  $PH_3$                       b)  $AsH_3$                       c)  $SbH_3$                       d)  $NH_3$
443. In  $H_3PO_3$ :  
 a) Each hydrogen atom is attached to oxygen atom  
 b) Two hydrogen atoms are attached to oxygen atoms  
 c) One atom of H is attached to oxygen atom  
 d) None of the above
444. In the known interhalogen compounds the maximum number of halogen atoms is:  
 a) 4                      b) 5                      c) 7                      d) 8
445. Which of the following is the life saving mixture for an asthma patient?  
 a) Mixture of helium and oxygen                      b) Mixture of neon and oxygen  
 c) Mixture of xenon and nitrogen                      d) Mixture of argon and oxygen
446. Which species is not known?  
 a)  $XeF_6$                       b)  $XeF_4$                       c)  $XeO_3$                       d)  $KrF_6$
447. The reaction of the type  $2X_2 + S \rightarrow SX_4$ , is shown by sulphur when X is  
 a) Fluorine or chlorine                      b) Chlorine only  
 c) Chlorine and bromine only                      d) F, Cl Br all
448. Oxygen reacts with each of the following elements readily, except:  
 a) P                      b) Na                      c) S                      d) Cl
449. Cane sugar reacts with concentrated  $HNO_3$  to give:  
 a)  $CO_2$  and  $H_2O$                       b) Oxalic acid                      c) Carbonic acid                      d)  $CO$  and  $H_2O$
450. Phosgene is the name of:  
 a) A phosphorus compound  
 b) A phosphonium compound  
 c) Carbonyl chloride  
 d) Phosphorus halide
451.  $H_2S$  is not a/an

- a) Reducing agent                      b) Acidic                                      c) Oxidising agent                      d) None of these
452. The idea which prompted Bartlett to prepare first ever compound of noble gas was:
- a) High bond energy of Xe—F  
 b) Low bond energy of F—F in F<sub>2</sub>  
 c) Ionization energies of O<sub>2</sub> and xenon were almost similar  
 d) None of the above
453. Which of the following statements regarding sulphur is incorrect?
- a) SO<sub>2</sub> molecule is paramagnetic.  
 b) The vapour at 200°C consists mostly of S<sub>8</sub> rings.  
 c) At 600 C the gas mainly consists of S<sub>2</sub> molecules.  
 d) The oxidation state of sulphur is never less than +4 in its compounds.
454. Which of the following is a solid in nature?
- a) N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>                                      b) N<sub>2</sub>O                                      c) NO                                      d) N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>
455. On heating copper nitrate strongly ..... is finally obtained.
- a) Copper                                      b) Copper oxide                                      c) Copper nitrite                                      d) Copper nitride
456. Which of the following dissolves in water but does not give any oxyacid solution?
- a) SO<sub>2</sub>                                      b) OF<sub>2</sub>                                      c) SCl<sub>4</sub>                                      d) SO<sub>3</sub>
457. The colour of I<sub>2</sub> is violet because it:
- a) Absorbs violet light  
 b) Does not absorb light  
 c) Absorbs yellow and green light  
 d) None of the above
458. Compounds formed when the noble gases get entrapped in the cavities of crystal lattices of certain organic and inorganic compounds are known as:
- a) Interstitial compounds  
 b) Clathrates  
 c) Hydrates  
 d) Picrates
459. The mineral cleveite on heating gives:
- a) He                                      b) Xe                                      c) Ar                                      d) Ra
460. Bromine can be liberated from potassium bromide solution by:
- a) Iodine solution                      b) Chlorine water                      c) Sodium chloride                      d) Potassium iodide
461. Which element is not considered as 'chalcogens'?
- a) Selenium                                      b) Oxygen                                      c) Sulphur                                      d) Polonium
462. When lead nitrate is heated it produces
- a) NO<sub>2</sub>                                      b) NO                                      c) N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>                                      d) N<sub>2</sub>O
463. Which is the most easily liquefiable rare gas?
- a) Xe                                      b) Kr                                      c) Ar                                      d) Ne
464. The outermost electronic configuration of group 15 or VA elements is:
- a)  $ns^2np^1$                                       b)  $ns^2np^2$                                       c)  $ns^2np^3$                                       d)  $ns^2np^4$
465. The noble gas used in atomic reactor ,is
- a) Krypton                                      b) Oxygen                                      c) Neon                                      d) Helium
466. Atom that requires high energy of excitation is:
- a) F                                      b) Cl                                      c) Br                                      d) I
467. In modern process phosphorus is manufactured by:
- a) Heating a mixture of phosphorite mineral with sand and coke in electric furnace  
 b) Heating calcium phosphate with coke  
 c) Heating bone-ash with coke  
 d) Heating the phosphate mineral with sand
468. Which property is most important in making fluorine the strongest oxidising halogen?

- a) Bond dissociation energy  
 b) Ionisation enthalpy  
 c) Hydration enthalpy  
 d) Electron affinity
469. Which has maximum vapour pressure or most volatile or low b.p.?  
 a) HCl                      b) HI                      c) HF                      d) HBr
470. Amphoteric oxide is:  
 a)  $\text{Sb}_4\text{O}_6$                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                       c)  $\text{Bi}_2\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$
471. Bone black is polymorphic form of  
 a) Phosphorus                      b) Sulphur                      c) Carbon                      d) Nitrogen
472. In which case, the order of acidic strength is not correct?  
 a)  $\text{HI} > \text{HBr} > \text{HCl}$                       b)  $\text{HIO}_4 > \text{HBrO}_4 > \text{HClO}_4$   
 c)  $\text{HClO}_4 > \text{HClO}_3 > \text{HClO}_2$                       d)  $\text{HF} > \text{H}_2\text{O} > \text{NH}_3$
473. Which compound does not has S—S bond?  
 a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_4$                       b)  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_6$                       c)  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$
474. The chamber acid contains .....  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .  
 a) 10.20%                      b) 35.45%                      c) 67.80%                      d) 82.90%
475. Compound of Sulphur used in electrical transformer is:  
 a)  $\text{SO}_2$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                       c)  $\text{SO}_3$                       d)  $\text{SF}_6$
476. The inert gases producing maximum number of compounds are  
 a) He and Ne                      b) Ar and Ne                      c) Kr and Ne                      d) Ar and Xe
477. The fertilizer named 'Nitrolim' is prepared by the use of :  
 a)  $\text{CaO} + \text{N}_2$                       b)  $\text{CaC} + \text{N}_2$                       c)  $\text{CaC}_2 + \text{N}$                       d)  $\text{CaC}_2 + \text{N}_2$
478. When KBr is treated with concentrated  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  reddish brown gas is evolved. The gas is  
 a) Bromine                      b) HCl  
 c) Mixture of bromine and HBr                      d) None of the above
479. Sulphur trioxide can be obtained by which of the following reaction:  
 a)  $\text{S} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \xrightarrow{\Delta}$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{PCl}_5 \xrightarrow{\Delta}$                       c)  $\text{CaSO}_4 + \text{C} \xrightarrow{\Delta}$                       d)  $\text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta}$
480. The metallic form of phosphorus is:  
 a) White P                      b) Red P                      c)  $\beta$ -black P                      d)  $\alpha$ -black P
481. The atomic weight of noble gases is obtained by using the relationship:  
 a) Atomic weight = equivalent weight  $\times$  valency  
 b) Atomic weight = equivalent weight/valency  
 c) Atomic weight =  $\frac{\text{Valency}}{\text{Equivalent weight}}$   
 d)  $2 \times \text{VD} = \text{molecular weight} = \text{atomic weight}$
482. When  $\text{HNO}_3$  reacts with metals, nitrogen dioxide is usually evolved if the acid is:  
 a) Dilute                      b) Very dilute                      c) Moderately strong                      d) Concentrated
483. Which one of the following reaction of xenon compounds is not feasible?  
 a)  $\text{XeO}_3 + 6\text{HF} \rightarrow \text{XeF}_6 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 b)  $3\text{XeF}_4 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{Xe} + \text{XeO}_3 + 12\text{HF} + 1.5\text{O}_2$   
 c)  $2\text{XeF}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{Xe} + 4\text{HF} + \text{O}_2$   
 d)  $\text{XeF}_6 + \text{RbF} \rightarrow \text{Rb}[\text{XeF}_7]$
484. Fixation of nitrogen means:  
 a) Reaction of nitrogen with oxygen  
 b) Conversion of free atmospheric nitrogen into nitrogen compounds  
 c) Decomposition of nitrogenous compounds to yield free nitrogen  
 d) The action of denitrifying bacteria on nitrogen compounds
485. One mole of fluorine is reacted with two moles of hot and concentrated KOH. The products formed are KF,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{O}_2$ . The molar ratio of KF,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{O}_2$  respectively is:  
 a) 1 : 1 : 2                      b) 2 : 1 : 0.5                      c) 1 : 2 : 1                      d) 2 : 1 : 2

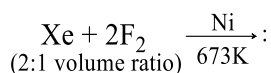
486. Slow acting nitrogenous fertilizer among the following is  
 a)  $\text{NH}_2\text{CONH}_2$                       b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$                       c)  $\text{CaNCN}$                       d)  $\text{KNO}_3$
487. Liquor ammonia is  
 a) Ammonium hydroxide                      b) Liquefied ammonia gas  
 c) Concentrated solution of  $\text{NH}_3$  in water                      d) A solution of  $\text{NH}_3$  in alcohol
488. In ramsay and rayleigh's isolation of noble gases from air, the nitrogen of the air is finally converted into  
 a)  $\text{NaNO}_2$  Only                      b)  $\text{NO}$  and  $\text{NO}_2$                       c)  $\text{NaNO}_3$  Only                      d)  $\text{NaNO}_2$  and  $\text{NaNO}_3$
489. Superphosphate of lime is used in:  
 a) Cement industry                      b) Glass industry                      c) Agriculture                      d) metallurgy
490. Noble gases are:  
 a) Colourless  
 b) Odourless  
 c) Tasteless and non-inflammable  
 d) All of the above
491. Nitric acid is used in the manufacture of :  
 a) TNT                      b) Picric acid                      c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$                       d) All of these
492. The symbol Rn represent:  
 a) Radium                      b) Radon                      c) Rhenium                      d) Rhodium
493. The gas which is absorbed by ferrous sulphate solution giving blackish brown colour is:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                       b)  $\text{N}_2$                       c)  $\text{CO}$                       d)  $\text{NO}$
494. Conc.  $\text{HNO}_3$  is heated with  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  to form:  
 a)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                       b)  $\text{NO}$                       c)  $\text{NO}_2$                       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
495. Cold fire is related to  
 a) White P                      b) Red P                      c)  $\text{PH}_3$                       d)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$
496. The non-existent species is:  
 a)  $\text{XeF}_5$                       b)  $\text{BrF}_5$                       c)  $\text{SbF}_5$                       d)  $\text{PF}_5$
497. In Kroll and ICl process of the production of titanium, the inert gas used is:  
 a) Ne                      b) Ar                      c) Kr                      d) Xe
498. A 500 g toothpaste sample has 0.2 g fluoride concentration. What is the concentration of  $\text{F}^-$  in ppm?  
 a) 250                      b) 200                      c) 400                      d) 1000
499.  $\text{PCl}_3$  on hydrolysis gives  
 a)  $\text{HPO}_3$                       b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$                       c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                       d)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$
500. Which halogen does not show bleaching property?  
 a)  $\text{F}_2$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2$                       c)  $\text{Br}_2$                       d)  $\text{I}_2$
501. Which of the following is called stranger gas?  
 a)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                       b) Xe                      c)  $\text{Cl}_2$                       d)  $\text{N}_2$
502. Noble gases possess:  
 a) High ionization potential  
 b) Zero electron affinity  
 c) High electrical conductance  
 d) All of the above
503. What would happen when a solution of potassium chromate is treated with an excess of dilute nitric acid?  
 a)  $\text{CrO}_4^{2-}$  is reduced to +3 state of Cr                      b)  $\text{CrO}_4^{2-}$  is oxidized to + 7 state of Cr  
 c)  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  are formed                      d)  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$  and  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$  are formed
504. A green yellow gas reacts with an alkali metal hydroxide to form a halate which can used in fireworks and safety matches. The gas and halate respectively are  
 a)  $\text{Br}_2$ ,  $\text{KBrO}_3$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{KClO}_3$                       c)  $\text{I}_2$ ,  $\text{NaIO}_3$                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{NaClO}_3$
505. When plants and animals decay, the organic nitrogen is converted into inorganic nitrogen  
 a) Nitrates                      b) Nitrides                      c) Ammonia                      d) Elements of nitrogen
506. Which of the following species is not a pseudohalide?

- a)  $\text{CNO}^-$                       b)  $\text{RCOO}^-$                       c)  $\text{OCN}^-$                       d)  $\text{NNN}^-$
507. Dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$  reacts with limestone to yield:  
a)  $\text{Ca(OH)}_2 \cdot \text{Ca(NO}_3)_2$     b)  $\text{CaO} \cdot \text{Ca(NO}_3)_2$     c)  $2\text{CaO} \cdot \text{Ca(NO}_3)_2$     d) None of the above
508. Sulphur is soluble in:  
a) Water                              b) Dilute HCl                      c) Ether                              d)  $\text{CS}_2$
509. Which of the following is formed by xenon?  
a)  $\text{XeF}_7$                               b)  $\text{XeF}_4$                               c)  $\text{XeF}_5$                               d)  $\text{XeF}_3$
510. The oxide which is solid at room temperature is:  
a)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                               b)  $\text{NO}$                               c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$                               d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
511. Which hydride possesses the maximum complex forming nature?  
a)  $\text{NH}_3$                               b)  $\text{PH}_3$                               c)  $\text{BiH}_3$                               d)  $\text{SbH}_3$
512. Bad conductor of electricity is:  
a)  $\text{H}_2\text{F}_2$                               b)  $\text{HCl}$                               c)  $\text{HBr}$                               d)  $\text{HI}$
513. The van der Waals' forces in halogens decrease in the order:  
a)  $\text{F}_2 > \text{Cl}_2 > \text{Br}_2 > \text{I}_2$     b)  $\text{I}_2 > \text{Br}_2 > \text{Cl}_2 > \text{F}_2$     c)  $\text{Br}_2 > \text{Cl}_2 > \text{F}_2 > \text{I}_2$     d)  $\text{Cl}_2 > \text{Br}_2 > \text{I}_2 > \text{F}_2$
514. The word argon means:  
a) Noble                              b) Now                              c) Strange                              d) Lazy
515.  $\text{SO}_2$  reacts with chlorine to form:  
a) Sulphur monochloride  
b) Sulphur dichloride  
c) Sulphuryl chloride  
d) Sulphur trichloride
516. Which hydride does not exist?  
a)  $\text{SbH}_3$                               b)  $\text{AsH}_3$                               c)  $\text{PH}_5$                               d)  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$
517. Ozone is formed by the interaction of water with:  
a) Chloride                              b) Chlorine                              c) Fluorine                              d) Fluoride
518.  $\text{PCl}_5$  exists but  $\text{NCl}_5$  does not because:  
a) Nitrogen has no vacant 'd' orbitals  
b) Lower tendency of H-bond formation in P than N  
c) Lower electronegativity of P than N  
d) Occurrence of P in solid state while  $\text{N}_2$  in gaseous state at room temperature
519. Which reaction is not valid?  
a)  $\text{HCl} + \text{F}_2 \rightarrow \text{HF} + \text{Cl}_2$                       b)  $\text{HF} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{F}_2 + \text{HCl}$   
c)  $\text{Zn} + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{ZnCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$                       d)  $\text{Al} + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{AlCl}_3 + \text{H}_2$
520. Arrange the acids (I)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$ , (II)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$ , and (III)  $\text{HClO}_3$  in the decreasing order of acidic nature.  
a) I > III > II                      b) I > II > III                      c) III > I > II                      d) II > III > I
521. With excess of chlorine, ammonia forms:  
a)  $\text{NCl}_3$                               b)  $\text{NOCl}_2$                               c)  $\text{N}_2$                               d)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$
522. Oxalic acid when heated with conc  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ , gives out  
a)  $\text{CO}$  and  $\text{CO}_2$                       b)  $\text{CO}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{CO}_2$                       d) Oxalic sulphate
523. The anhydride of hypochlorous acid is:  
a)  $\text{ClO}_3$                               b)  $\text{ClO}_2$                               c)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_5$                               d)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$
524. On bubbling  $\text{F}_2$  in 2% solution of  $\text{NaOH}$ , the product formed are:  
a)  $\text{OF}_2$                               b)  $\text{NaF}$                               c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                               d) All of these
525.  $\text{I}_2$  dissolves in  $\text{KI}$  solution due to the formation of  
a)  $\text{KI}_2$  and  $\text{I}^-$                       b)  $\text{K}^+$ ,  $\text{I}^-$  and  $\text{I}_2$                       c)  $\text{I}_3^-$                               d) None of these
526. The correct order of boiling points of the hydrides of nitrogen family is  
a)  $\text{NH}_3 > \text{PH}_3 > \text{AsH}_3 > \text{SbH}_3$                       b)  $\text{PH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3 < \text{NH}_3 < \text{SbH}_3$   
c)  $\text{NH}_3 < \text{PH}_3 < \text{SbH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3$                       d)  $\text{NH}_3 < \text{PH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3 < \text{SbH}_3$
527. In which process sulphur is not used?  
a) Protection of grape wines

- b) Manufacture of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 c) Manufacture of black shoe polish  
 d) Vulcanization of rubber
528. When the mineral cleveite is heated, it give off the inert gas  
 a) Helium                      b) Xenon                      c) Radon                      d) Argon
529. In  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{PH}_3$ , the common is  
 a) Basic nature                      b) Odour                      c) Combustibility                      d) None of these
530. Oxygen is not readily reacted with  
 a) P                      b) Cl                      c) Na                      d) S
531. Most acidic oxide among the following is  
 a)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_5$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$                       c)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$
532. Which one has the highest bond energy?  
 a)  $\text{O}-\text{O}$                       b)  $\text{S}-\text{S}$                       c)  $\text{Se}-\text{Se}$                       d)  $\text{Te}-\text{Te}$
533.  $\text{KMnO}_4$  is prepared by:  
 a) Passing  $\text{Cl}_2$  through  $\text{K}_2\text{MnO}_4$  solution  
 b) Passing  $\text{O}_2$  through  $\text{K}_2\text{MnO}_4$  solution  
 c) Reaction of  $\text{KOH}$  with  $\text{KMnO}_4$   
 d) Fusing  $\text{KON}$  with  $\text{MnO}_2$
534. Bromine is prepared in the laboratory by heating a mixture of:  
 a)  $\text{MgBr} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       b)  $\text{MgBr}_2 + \text{Cl}_2$                       c)  $\text{KBr} + \text{MnO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       d)  $\text{KBr} + \text{HCl}$
535.  $\text{I}_2$  on rubbing with liquor  $\text{NH}_3$  forms with explosion:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_4\text{I}$                       b)  $\text{N}_2$                       c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{I} + \text{N}_2 + \text{I}_2$                       d)  $\text{NI}_3\text{NH}_2$
536. When  $\text{KBr}$  is treated with concentrated  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  reddish brown gas evolved, gas is  
 a) Mixture of bromine and  $\text{HBr}$                       b)  $\text{HBr}$   
 c) Bromine                      d) None of the above
537. Which of the following noble gases is most reactive?  
 a) He                      b) Ne                      c) Ar                      d) Xe
538. First stable compound of inert gas was prepared by:  
 a) Rayleigh and Ramsay  
 b) Bartlett  
 c) Frankland and Lockyer  
 d) Cavendish
539. The function of  $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$  in the contact process is  
 a) To remove arsenic impurity                      b) To detect colloidal impurity  
 c) To remove moisture                      d) To remove dust particles
540. Which is incorrect for bleaching powder?  
 a) Highly soluble in water  
 b) Light yellow coloured powder  
 c) Oxidizing agent  
 d) Reacts with dilute acid to release chlorine
541. Molecule with a three electron bond is:  
 a)  $\text{Cl}_2$                       b)  $\text{NO}$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$
542. Phosphorus pentoxide cannot be used to dry:  
 a) Nitrogen                      b) Ammonia                      c) Hydrogen sulphide                      d) Sulphur dioxide
543. Calcium cyanamide on treatment with steam produces  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{CaO}$                       b)  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{CaHCO}_3$                       c)  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{CaCO}_3$                       d)  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2$
544. Which one of the following statements regarding helium is incorrect?  
 a) It is used to produce and sustain powerful super conducting magnets  
 b) It is used in gas-cooled nuclear reactors  
 c) It is used to fill gas balloons instead of hydrogen because it is lighter and non-inflammable  
 d) It is used as a cryogenic agent for carrying out experiments at low temperature

545. Hydrogen bromide is dried by passing the gas through:  
 a) Quick lime                      b) Anhydrous  $\text{CaCl}_2$                       c) KOH pellets                      d) Conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
546. The ion that cannot undergo disproportionation is:  
 a)  $\text{ClO}_4^-$                       b)  $\text{ClO}_3^-$                       c)  $\text{ClO}_2^-$                       d)  $\text{ClO}^-$
547. Which of the following is the most basic oxide?  
 a)  $\text{Bi}_2\text{O}_3$                       b)  $\text{SeO}_2$                       c)  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{Sb}_2\text{O}_3$
548. Which one is the anhydride of  $\text{HClO}_4$ ?  
 a)  $\text{ClO}_2$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$                       c)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_6$
549. Phosphine is generally prepared in the laboratory?  
 a) By heating phosphorus in a current of hydrogen  
 b) By heating white phosphorus with aqueous solution of caustic potash  
 c) By decomposition of  $\text{P}_2\text{H}_4$  at  $110^\circ\text{C}$   
 d) By heating red phosphorus with an aqueous solution of caustic soda
550. In  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$  the number of oxygen atoms bonded to each P atom is:  
 a) 1.5                      b) 2                      c) 3                      d) 4
551. The most abundant inert gas in air is:  
 a) He                      b) Ne                      c) Ar                      d) Kr
552. When concentrated  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is added to dry  $\text{KNO}_3$ , brown fumes evolve. These fumes are of:  
 a)  $\text{SO}_2$                       b)  $\text{SO}_3$                       c)  $\text{NO}_2$                       d) NO
553. White phosphorus reacts with caustic soda to give  $\text{PH}_3$  and  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_2$ . This reaction is an example of:  
 a) Oxidation  
 b) Reduction  
 c) Neutralisation  
 d) Oxidation and reduction
554. The molecular formula of dithionic acid is  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_4$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_5$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$
555. The correct order of pseudohalide, polyhalide and interhalogen are  
 a)  $\text{BrI}_2^-$ ,  $\text{OCN}^-$ ,  $\text{IF}_5$                       b)  $\text{IF}_5$ ,  $\text{BrI}_2^-$ ,  $\text{OCN}^-$                       c)  $\text{OCN}^-$ ,  $\text{IF}_5$ ,  $\text{BrI}_2^-$                       d)  $\text{OCN}^-$ ,  $\text{BrI}_2^-$ ,  $\text{IF}_5$
556. The substance which is solid at room temperature forms ionic compounds and reacts with hydrogen forming a hydride, the aqueous solution of which is acidic, could be  
 a) Al                      b) Na                      c)  $\text{Br}_2$                       d)  $\text{I}_2$
557. When  $\text{I}_2$  is passed through KCl, KF and KBr solutions  
 a)  $\text{Cl}_2$  and  $\text{Br}_2$  are evolved                      b)  $\text{Cl}_2$  is evolved  
 c)  $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Br}_2$  and  $\text{F}_2$  are evolved                      d) None of the above
558. When  $\text{I}_2$  is dissolved in  $\text{CCl}_4$ , the colour that results is  
 a) Colourless                      b) Brown                      c) Bluish green                      d) Violet
559. Oxide of nitrogen which is soluble in alcohol is:  
 a)  $\text{NO}_2$                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$                       d) NO
560. The correct order of reducing abilities of hydrides of V group elements is  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3 < \text{PH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3 < \text{SbH}_3 < \text{BiH}_3$                       b)  $\text{NH}_3 > \text{PH}_3 > \text{AsH}_3 > \text{SbH}_3 > \text{BiH}_3$   
 c)  $\text{NH}_3 < \text{PH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3 < \text{SbH}_3 < \text{BiH}_3$                       d)  $\text{SbH}_3 > \text{BiH}_3 > \text{AsH}_3 > \text{NH}_3 > \text{PH}_3$
561. Available chlorine is liberated from bleaching powder when it:  
 a) Is heated                      b) Reacts with water                      c) Reacts with acid                      d) Reacts with alkali
562. A salt of sulphurous acid is called:  
 a) Sulphate                      b) Sulphurate                      c) Sulphite                      d) Sulphide
563. The sides of safety matches contains  
 a) Red phosphorus + sand powder                      b)  $\text{P}_4\text{S}_3$   
 c)  $\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO})_4$  + glass pieces                      d)  $\text{KClO}_3$ ,  $\text{KNO}_3$ , sulphur + antimony
564. Which compound is prepared by the following reaction?





- a) XeF<sub>4</sub>                      b) XeF<sub>2</sub>                      c) XeF<sub>6</sub>                      d) None of these
565. The most stable hydride is  
a) NH<sub>3</sub>                      b) PH<sub>3</sub>                      c) AsH<sub>3</sub>                      d) SbH<sub>3</sub>
566. Thomas slag is:  
a) Ca<sub>3</sub>(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>                      b) CaCHNH<sub>2</sub>                      c) CaSiO<sub>3</sub>                      d) FeSiO<sub>3</sub>
567. The second most electronegative element in periodic table is:  
a) F                      b) O                      c) Cl                      d) N
568. Among the C—X bond (where X = Cl, Br, I) the correct bond energy order is:  
a) C—Cl > C—Br > C—I  
b) C—I > C—Cl > C—Br  
c) C—Br > C—Cl > C—I  
d) C—I > C—Br > C—Cl
569. When heated to 800°C, N<sub>2</sub>O gives:  
a) NO + O<sub>2</sub>                      b) NO<sub>2</sub> + O<sub>2</sub>                      c) N<sub>2</sub> + O<sub>2</sub>                      d) None of these
570. The oxidation number of S in S<sub>8</sub>, S<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>S are respectively:  
a) 0, +1, and -2                      b) -2, +1, and -2                      c) 0, +1 and +2                      d) -2, +1, and +2
571. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> has very corrosive action on skin because:  
a) It reacts with proteins  
b) It acts as an oxidizing agent  
c) It acts as dehydrating agent  
d) It acts as dehydrating agent and absorption of water is highly exothermic
572. Which oxide do not act as a reducing agent?  
a) N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>                      b) N<sub>2</sub>O                      c) NO                      d) NO<sub>2</sub>
573. Fuming sulphuric acid is  
a) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + SO<sub>3</sub>                      b) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + SO<sub>2</sub>                      c) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>                      d) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + SO<sub>4</sub>
574. The weakest acid is:  
a) H<sub>2</sub>Se                      b) H<sub>2</sub>Te                      c) H<sub>2</sub>O                      d) H<sub>2</sub>S
575. HIO<sub>3</sub> on heating gives:  
a) I<sub>2</sub>                      b) O<sub>2</sub>                      c) I<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>                      d) HI
576. Halogen used as an antiseptic is:  
a) Fluorine                      b) Chlorine                      c) Bromine                      d) Iodine
577. HF is a weak acid but HCl is a strong acid because:  
a) HF is less ionic than HCl  
b) HF attacks glass but HCl does not  
c) Bond energy of HF is higher than HCl  
d) Electron affinity of fluorine is lower than chlorine
578. The product A in the following equation,  
2KMnO<sub>4</sub> → A + MnO<sub>2</sub> + O<sub>2</sub>, is:  
a) K<sub>2</sub>Mn<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>                      b) K<sub>2</sub>MnO<sub>4</sub>                      c) K<sub>2</sub>O                      d) K<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>
579. The element present in combined state in *Laminaria stenophylla* is:  
a) Bromine                      b) Iodine                      c) Fluorine                      d) Chlorine
580. In the manufacture of bromine from sea water, the mother liquor containing bromide is treated with  
a) Carbon dioxide                      b) Chlorine                      c) Iodine                      d) Sulphur dioxide
581. Which of the following equations is not correctly formulated?  
a) 3Cu + 8HNO<sub>3</sub>(dil.) → 3Cu(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> + 2NO + 4H<sub>2</sub>O  
b) 3Zn + 8HNO<sub>3</sub>(very dil.) → 3Zn(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> + 2NO + 4H<sub>2</sub>O  
c) 4Sn + 10HNO<sub>3</sub>(dil.) → 4Sn(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> + NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub> + 3H<sub>2</sub>O  
d) As + 3HNO<sub>3</sub>(dil.) → H<sub>3</sub>AsO<sub>3</sub> + 3NO<sub>2</sub>

582.  $P_4O_{10}$  has short and long P—O bonds. The number of short P—O bonds in this compound is:  
 a) 1                                      b) 2                                      c) 3                                      d) 4
583. Which of the following acts as fluoro Lewis acids?  
 a)  $RuF_5$                                       b)  $SbF_5$                                       c)  $AsF_5$                                       d) All of these
584. A radioactive element  $X$  decays to give two inert gases.  $X$  is:  
 a)  ${}_{92}^{238}U$                                       b)  ${}_{88}^{226}Ra$                                       c)  ${}_{90}Th$                                       d)  ${}_{89}Ac$
585. Which one of the following can be purified by sublimation?  
 a)  $F_2$                                       b)  $Cl_2$                                       c)  $Br_2$                                       d)  $I_2$
586. Noble gases do not occur in:  
 a) Nature                                      b) Ores                                      c) Atmosphere                                      d) Sea water
587. Ammonia is:  
 a) Polar solvent                                      b) Non-polar                                      c) Paramagnetic                                      d) None of these
588. The treatment of Cu with dilute  $HNO_3$  gives  
 a)  $N_2O$                                       b)  $NO$                                       c)  $NH_4^+$                                       d)  $NO_2$
589. Wrong statement about  $HNO_3$  is:  
 a) The proteins are converted into xanthoproteins  
 b)  $HNO_3$  acts as a dehydrating agent  
 c) It exists in two canonical forms  
 d)  $HNO_3$  acts as an oxidizing agent
590. Sulphur on boiling with NaOH solution gives  
 a)  $Na_2SO_3 + H_2S$                                       b)  $Na_2S_2O_3 + Na_2S$                                       c)  $Na_2S_2O_3 + NaHSO_3$                                       d)  $Na_2SO_3 + SO_2$
591. Electronegativity of an inert gas is:  
 a) High                                      b) Low                                      c) Negative                                      d) Zero
592. Good conductor of electricity is:  
 a) Yellow P                                      b) Red p                                      c) Violet P                                      d) Black P
593. Which burns to form an oxide which is gas at room temperature?  
 a) Hydrogen                                      b) Phosphorus                                      c) Sodium                                      d) Sulphur
594. Helium was discovered by:  
 a) Frankland and Lockyer  
 b) Rayleigh  
 c) Ramsay  
 d) None of these
595.  $SO_2$  does not act as  
 a) Bleaching agent                                      b) Oxidising agent                                      c) Reducing agent                                      d) Dehydrating agent
596.  $NaOH + P_4 + H_2O \rightarrow ?$   
 a)  $PH_3 + NaH_2PO_2$                                       b)  $PH_3 + Na_2PO_4$                                       c)  $PH_3 + Na_2HPO_2$                                       d)  $H_3PO_4 + NaO$
597. Peroxy linkage is present in:  
 a) Caro's acid                                      b) Pyrosulphuric acid                                      c) Sulphurous acid                                      d) Dithionic acid
598. Which requires catalyst?  
 a)  $S + O_2 \rightarrow SO_2$                                       b)  $2S O_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2SO_3$                                       c)  $C + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2$                                       d) All of the above
599. Which of the following is used in very low temperature thermometers?  
 a) He                                      b) Ne                                      c)  $H_2$                                       d)  $N_2$
600. The noble gas forming maximum number of compound is  
 a) Xe                                      b) Ne                                      c) Ar                                      d) He
601. Dinitrogen tetroxide,  $N_2O_4$ , is a mixed anhydride because it:  
 a) Is a mixture of  $N_2O_3$  and  $N_2O_5$   
 b) Decomposes into two oxides of nitrogen  
 c) Reacts with water to form nitric acid  
 d) Reacts with water to form two acids
602. A depolarizer used in dry batteries is:

- a) KOH                                      b)  $\text{NH}_2\text{OH}$                                       c)  $\text{MnO}_2$                                       d)  $\text{Na}_3\text{PO}_4$
603. Which one of the following statements regarding helium is incorrect?  
 a) It is used to fill gas balloons instead of hydrogen because it is lighter and non- inflammable  
 b) It is used as a cryogenic agent for carrying out experiments at low temperatures.  
 c) It is used to produce and sustain powerful superconducting magnets  
 d) It is used in gas cooled nuclear reactors.
604. Which of the following is not obtained by direct reaction of constituent elements?  
 a)  $\text{XeO}_3$                                       b)  $\text{XeF}_2$                                       c)  $\text{XeF}_6$                                       d)  $\text{XeF}_4$
605. White phosphorus is  
 a) A monoatomic gas                                      b)  $\text{P}_4$  a tetrahedral solid  
 c)  $\text{P}_8$ , a crown                                      d) A linear diatomic molecule
606. Sides of match box have coating of  
 a) Potassium chlorate, red lead                                      b) Antimony sulphide, red phosphorus  
 c) Potassium chlorate, antimony sulphide                                      d) Antimony sulphide, red lead
607. A positive chromyl chloride test is given by a salt containing:  
 a)  $\text{Br}^-$                                       b)  $\text{Cl}^-$                                       c)  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$                                       d)  $\text{I}^-$
608. Zinc and cold dil.  $\text{HNO}_3$  reacts to produce?  
 a)  $\text{NO}$                                       b)  $\text{NO}_2$                                       c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$                                       d)  $\text{ZnNO}_3$
609. In presence of moisture,  $\text{SO}_2$  can  
 a) Act as oxidant                                      b) Act as reductant                                      c) Gain electron                                      d) Not act as reductant
610. Which has the highest molar heat of vaporization?  
 a)  $\text{HBr}$                                       b)  $\text{HCl}$                                       c)  $\text{HF}$                                       d)  $\text{HI}$
611.  $\text{SO}_2$  can be used as:  
 a) Bleaching agent                                      b) Disinfectant                                      c) Antichlor                                      d) All of these
612. When sugar is treated with concentrated sulphuric acid, the sugar is charred. In this process, sugar is:  
 a) Oxidized                                      b) Dehydrated                                      c) Reduced                                      d) sulphonated
613. Liquid ammonia is used for refrigeration because  
 a) It is basic                                      b) It is a stable compound  
 c) It has a high dipole moment                                      d) It has a high heat of vaporisation
614. The smog is essentially caused by the presence of  
 a)  $\text{O}_2$  and  $\text{N}_2$                                       b)  $\text{O}_2$  and  $\text{O}_3$   
 c)  $\text{O}_3$  and  $\text{N}_2$                                       d) Oxides of sulphur and nitrogen
615. Boiling of dil.  $\text{HCl}$  acid does not increase its concentration beyond 20.24 per cent because hydrochloric acid:  
 a) Is very volatile  
 b) Is extremely soluble in water  
 c) Forms a constant boiling mixture  
 d) Forms a saturated solution at this concentration
616. Concentrated hydrochloric acid when kept in open air sometimes produces a cloud of white fumes. The explanation for it is that:  
 a) Strong affinity of  $\text{HCl}$  gas for moisture in air results in forming of droplets of liquid solution which appears like a cloudy smoke  
 b) Due to strong affinity for water conc.  $\text{HCl}$  pulls moisture of air towards itself. The moisture forms droplets of water and hence the cloud  
 c) conc.  $\text{HCl}$  emits strongly smelling gas all the time  
 d) Oxygen in air reacts with the emitted  $\text{HCl}$  gas to form a cloud of chlorine gas
617. Atomicity of phosphorus is:  
 a) 1                                      b) 2                                      c) 3                                      d) 4
618. Each of the following is true for white and red phosphorus except that they  
 a) Can be oxidised by heating in air                                      b) Are both soluble in  $\text{CS}_2$

- c) Consists of same kind of atoms  
 619. The  $M-Cl$  bond energies are different in:  
 a)  $PCl_5$                       b)  $PCl_3$                       c)  $CCl_4$                       d)  $NCl_3$
620. Most acidic oxide is:  
 a)  $As_2O_3$                       b)  $P_2O_3$                       c)  $Sb_2O_3$                       d)  $Bi_2O_3$
621. King of chemicals is:  
 a)  $HNO_3$                       b)  $H_2SO_4$                       c)  $HCl$                       d) None of these
622. Fluorine is the best oxidising agent because it has  
 a) Highest electron affinity                      b) Highest  $E_{red}^\circ$   
 c) Highest  $E_{oxid}^\circ$                       d) Lowest electron affinity
623. Which bond has the greatest polarity?  
 a)  $H-Cl$                       b)  $H-Br$                       c)  $H-I$                       d)  $H-F$
624. Berthelot's salt is:  
 a)  $KClO_3$                       b)  $KIO_3$                       c)  $KBrO_3$                       d) None of these
625. The strongest oxidizing agent among the following is:  
 a) Ozone                      b) Oxygen                      c) Fluorine                      d) Chlorine
626. All the elements of the oxygen family are:  
 a) Non-metals                      b) Metalloids                      c) Radioactive                      d) Polymorphic
627. As the number of  $-OH$  groups increases in hypophosphorus acid phosphorus acid and phosphoric acid the acidic strength  
 a) Increases                      b) Decreases  
 c) Remains nearly same                      d) Remains appropriately same
628. Nitric acid oxidizes sulphur to:  
 a)  $SO_2$                       b)  $SO_3$                       c)  $H_2SO_3$                       d)  $H_2SO_4$
629. Which one is correct if  $HCl$  and  $HF$  are present together in liquid state?  
 a)  $HCl + HF \rightarrow H_2Cl^+ + F^-$   
 b)  $HCl + HF \rightarrow$  No reaction  
 c)  $HCl + HF \rightarrow H_2F^+ + Cl^-$   
 d) None of the above
630. Red phosphorus is chemically unreactive because:  
 a) It does not contain  $P-P$  bonds  
 b) It does not contain tetrahedral  $P_4$  molecules  
 c) It does not catch fire in air even upto  $400^\circ C$   
 d) It has a polymeric structure
631. Which acid is not formed by the action of water on phosphorus pentoxide?  
 a)  $HPO_3$                       b)  $H_4P_2O_7$                       c)  $H_3PO_4$                       d)  $H_3PO_3$
632. To make nitrogen dioxide free from oxygen it is passed through U-tube:  
 a) Containing  $FeSO_4$  solution  
 b) Containing  $NaOH$  solution  
 c) Kept in freezing mixture  
 d) Kept in boiling water
633. Sulphur does not combine with which of the following halogens to form a compound?  
 a)  $Cl_2$                       b)  $Br_2$                       c)  $I_2$                       d)  $F_2$
634. If  $Na_2SO_3$  is left open in air, we get:  
 a)  $Na_2S$                       b)  $Na_2SO_4$                       c)  $NaHSO_4$                       d)  $NaHSO_3$
635. Which is planar molecule?  
 a)  $XeO_4$                       b)  $XeF_4$                       c)  $XeOF_4$                       d)  $XeO_2F_2$
636. Bacteria convert molecular nitrogen into:  
 a)  $NO_3$                       b) Amino acids                      c)  $NO_2$                       d)  $NH_3$
637. Nitric acid (conc.) oxidizes phosphorus to:

- a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                       b)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_3$                       c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$                       d)  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$
638. The acidity of hydrides of O, S, Se, Te varies in the order  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O} > \text{H}_2\text{S} > \text{H}_2\text{Se} > \text{H}_2\text{Te}$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{O} < \text{H}_2\text{S} < \text{H}_2\text{Se} < \text{H}_2\text{Te}$   
 c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S} > \text{H}_2\text{O} > \text{H}_2\text{Se} > \text{H}_2\text{Te}$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{Se} > \text{H}_2\text{S} > \text{H}_2\text{O} > \text{H}_2\text{Te}$
639. Which of the following is anhydride of perchloric acid?  
 a)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_5$                       c)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{HClO}$
640. When plants and animals decay the organic nitrogen is converted into inorganic nitrogen. The inorganic nitrogen in the form of  
 a) Ammonia                      b) Elements of nitrogen                      c) Nitrates                      d) Nitrides
641. Minimum bond length will be in:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                       b)  $\text{HF}$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                       d)  $\text{ICI}$
642. Which of the following has no action with starch solution?  
 a)  $\text{F}_2$  and  $\text{Cl}_2$                       b)  $\text{Br}_2$                       c)  $\text{I}_2$                       d) None of these
643.  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  on passing through  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution gives:  
 a)  $\text{K}_2\text{SO}_3$                       b)  $\text{S}$                       c)  $\text{K}_2\text{MnO}_4$                       d)  $\text{MnO}_2$
644. What may be expected to happen when phosphine gas is mixed with chlorine gas?  
 a)  $\text{PCl}_5$  and  $\text{HCl}$  are formed and the mixture cools down  
 b)  $\text{PH}_3 \cdot \text{Cl}_2$  is formed with warming up  
 c)  $\text{PCl}_3$  and  $\text{HCl}$  are formed and the mixture warms up  
 d) The mixture only cools down
645. The compound that gives chlorine like smell is:  
 a)  $\text{CHCl}_3$                       b)  $\text{CaOCl}_2$                       c) Chloroform                      d) None of these
646. Hyponitrous acid is:  
 a)  $\text{HNO}_2$                       b)  $\text{HNO}_4$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$                       d)  $\text{CaN}_2$
647.  $\text{P}_4 + 3\text{NaOH} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{A} + 3\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_2$  here A is  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                       b)  $\text{PH}_3$                       c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                       d)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$
648. A gas X is passed through water to form a saturated solution. The aqueous solution on treatment with  $\text{AgNO}_3$  gives a white precipitate. The saturated aqueous solution also dissolves Mg ribbon with evolution of colourless gas Y. X and Y are respectively:  
 a)  $\text{CO}_2, \text{Cl}_2$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2, \text{CO}_2$                       c)  $\text{Cl}_2, \text{H}_2$                       d)  $\text{H}_2, \text{Cl}_2$
649. In which reaction there is no change in valency and the oxidation state?  
 a)  $\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{S} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 3\text{S}$   
 b)  $2\text{Na} + \text{O} \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{O}$   
 c)  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O}_2$   
 d)  $4\text{KClO}_3 \rightarrow 3\text{KClO}_4 + \text{KCl}$
650. Oxygen gas can be prepared from solid  $\text{KMnO}_4$  by:  
 a) Dissolving the solid in dil.  $\text{HCl}$   
 b) Dissolving the solid in dil.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 c) Treating the solid with  $\text{H}_2$  gas  
 d) Strongly heating the solid
651. In solid state of noble gases, the atoms are held together by:  
 a) Ionic bonds                      b) Hydrogen bonds                      c) Van der Waals' forces                      d) Hydrophobic forces
652. Potassium manganate ( $\text{K}_2\text{MnO}_4$ ) is formed when:  
 a) Chlorine is passed into aqueous  $\text{K}_2\text{MnO}_4$  solution  
 b) Manganese dioxide is fused with potassium hydroxide in air  
 c) Potassium permanganate reacts with conc. Sulphuric acid  
 d) None of the above
653. Phosphorus pentoxide is widely used as  
 a) Bleaching agent                      b) Dehydrating agent                      c) Oxidising agent                      d) Reducing agent
654. In the reaction,  $\text{HCOOH} \xrightarrow{\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4} \text{CO} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ ;  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  acts as

- a) Reducing agent                      b) Oxidising agent                      c) Dehydrating agent                      d) All of these
655. Which are hydrolysed by water?  
a)  $\text{XeF}_2$                                       b)  $\text{XeF}_4$                                       c)  $\text{XeF}_6$                                       d) All of these
656. Weldon mud is:  
a)  $\text{MnO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{Mn}(\text{OH})_2$                                       c)  $2\text{CaO} \cdot \text{MnO}_2$                                       d)  $\text{Mn}_2\text{O}_3$
657. In the manufacture of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  the nitrated acid from the Gay-Lussac's tower is chemically:  
a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \cdot \text{NO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \cdot \text{NO}$                                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \cdot 2\text{NO}$                                       d)  $\text{HSO}_4 \cdot \text{NO}$
658. In  $\text{PCl}_5$ , phosphorus undergoes:  
a)  $sp^2$ -hybridisation                      b)  $sp^3$ -hybridisation                      c)  $sp^3d$ -hybridisation                      d)  $sp^3d^2$ -hybridisation
659. The perchlorate ion with maximum oxidizing power is:  
a)  $\text{ClO}_4^-$                                       b)  $\text{BrO}_4^-$                                       c)  $\text{IO}_4^-$                                       d)  $\text{ClO}^-$
660. If two litre of air is passed repeatedly over heated copper and heated Mg till no further reduction in volume takes place, the volume finally obtained will be approximately:  
a) 200 mL                                      b) 20 mL                                      c) Zero                                      d) 10 mL
661. What products are expected from the disproportionation reaction of hypochlorous acid?  
a)  $\text{HClO}_3$  and  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$                       b)  $\text{HClO}_2$  and  $\text{HClO}_4$                       c)  $\text{HCl}$  and  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$                       d)  $\text{HCl}$  and  $\text{HClO}_3$
662. On exciting  $\text{Cl}_2$  molecule by UV light, we get  
a)  $\text{Cl}^\cdot$                                       b)  $\text{Cl}^-$                                       c)  $\text{Cl}^+$                                       d) All of these
663. Smelling salt is:  
a)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$                                       b)  $(\text{NH}_4)_3\text{PO}_4$                                       c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$                                       d)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{CO}_3$
664. Sulphate ion has ..... geometry.  
a) Trigonal                                      b) Square planar                                      c) Tetrahedral                                      d) None of these
665. Sulphur in + 3 oxidation state is present in  
a) Dithionous acid                                      b) Sulphurous acid                                      c) Thiosulphuric acid                                      d) Pyrosulphuric acid
666. Oleum is  
a) Fuming  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                                       b) Oil of vitriol                                      c) Castor oil                                      d) Caro's acid
667. A helium atom on losing an electron becomes:  
a)  $\alpha$ -particle  
b) Hydrogen atom  
c) Positively charged helium ion  
d) Negatively charged helium ion
668. Concentrated nitric acid on heating decomposes to give:  
a)  $\text{O}_2$  and  $\text{N}_2$                                       b)  $\text{NO}$                                       c)  $\text{O}_2$                                       d)  $\text{NO}_2$  and  $\text{O}_2$
669. Bromine is obtained on a commercial scale from:  
a) Caliche                                      b) Carnallite                                      c) Common salt                                      d) Cryolite
670. The blue coloured gas is:  
a)  $\text{F}_2$                                       b)  $\text{O}_3$                                       c)  $\text{NO}$                                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2$
671. The catalyst used in Haber's process for synthesis of  $\text{NH}_3$  is:  
a) Pt                                      b)  $\text{V}_2\text{O}_5$                                       c) Fe                                      d) Mo
672. The mixture of conc.  $\text{HCl}$  and  $\text{HNO}_3$  made in 3:1 ratio contains  
a)  $\text{ClO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{NOCl}$                                       c)  $\text{NCl}_3$                                       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$
673.  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  does not produce metallic sulphide with  
a)  $\text{ZnCl}_2$                                       b)  $\text{COCl}_2$                                       c)  $\text{CuCl}_2$                                       d)  $\text{CdCl}_2$
674. Large deposits of sulphur in nature are found in the form of:  
a) Flowers of sulphur                                      b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$                                       d) Free sulphur
675. Which of the following does not exist?  
a)  $\text{KrF}^-[\text{SbF}_6]^-$                                       b)  $[\text{KrF}_3]^-[\text{SbF}_4]^+$                                       c)  $\text{KrF}^+[\text{MoOF}_5]$                                       d)  $\text{KrF}^+[\text{WOF}_5]^-$
676. In  $\text{XeO}_3$ , Xe is:  
a)  $sp^3$ -hybridized                                      b)  $sp^2$ -hybridized                                      c)  $sp$ -hybridized                                      d)  $sp^3d$ -hybridized
677. When  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  reacts with halogens, halogens:

- a) Are oxidized                      b) Are reduced                      c) Form Sulphur halides    d) None of these
678. Gaseous HCl is a poor conductor of electricity, while its aqueous solution is a good conductor. This is because:
- a) H<sub>2</sub>O is a good conductor of electricity  
 b) A gas cannot conduct electricity, but a liquid can  
 c) HCl gas does not obey Ohm's law, whereas the solution does  
 d) HCl ionizes in aqueous solution
679. Oxygen exhibits positive oxidation state in  
 a) CO                                      b) F<sub>2</sub>O                                      c) NO                                      d) N<sub>2</sub>O
680. The poisson's ratio for inert gases is:  
 a) 1.40                                      b) 1.66                                      c) 1.34                                      d) None of these
681. The noble gas which is not found in atmosphere?  
 a) Ne                                      b) Ar                                      c) Rn                                      d) Kr
682. Which is not correct for white phosphorus (P<sub>4</sub>)?  
 a) Six P—P sigma bonds  
 b) Four P—P single bonds  
 c) Four lone pair of electrons  
 d) P—P—P angle of 60°
683. Reaction of HNO<sub>3</sub> with I, S, P and C gives respectively  
 a) HIO<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub>                      b) HIO<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> and CO<sub>2</sub>  
 c) HIO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> and CO                      d) I<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, P<sub>2</sub>O and CO<sub>2</sub>
684. Which of the following cannot be formed?  
 a) He<sup>2+</sup>                                      b) He<sup>+</sup>                                      c) He                                      d) He<sub>2</sub>
685. Make the element which displaces three halogens from their compounds  
 a) Br                                      b) F                                      c) Cl                                      d) I
686. Which of the following phosphorus is most stable?  
 a) White                                      b) Red                                      c) Black                                      d) All stable
687. Ozone reacts with dry iodine to give:  
 a) IO<sub>2</sub>                                      b) I<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>                                      c) I<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>                                      d) I<sub>4</sub>O<sub>9</sub>
688. Fluorine absorbs ..... portion of light and appears yellow.  
 a) Yellow                                      b) Green                                      c) Violet                                      d) Red
689. The hybridization and bond angle in SO<sub>3</sub> are:  
 a) sp<sup>2</sup>, 120°                                      b) sp<sup>3</sup>, 109° 28'                                      c) sp<sup>2</sup>, 109° 28'                                      d) None of these
690. The substance used in smoke screen is  
 a) Sodium chloride                      b) Sodium phosphate                      c) Calcium fluoride                      d) Calcium phosphide
691. Which is cyclic phosphate?  
 a) Na<sub>5</sub>P<sub>3</sub>O<sub>10</sub>                                      b) Na<sub>6</sub>P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>13</sub>                                      c) Na<sub>4</sub>P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>12</sub>                                      d) Na<sub>7</sub>P<sub>5</sub>O<sub>16</sub>
692. PCl<sub>5</sub> does not react with:  
 a) CH<sub>3</sub>COOH                                      b) C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>NH<sub>2</sub>                                      c) C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>5</sub>OH                                      d) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
693. Elements O, S, Se and Te are usually known as:  
 a) Metals                                      b) Rare earth metals                      c) Coinage metals                      d) Chalcogens
694. Phosphine is produced by adding water to  
 a) CaC<sub>2</sub>                                      b) HPO<sub>3</sub>                                      c) Ca<sub>3</sub>P<sub>2</sub>                                      d) P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>10</sub>
695. Which of the following is more soluble in water?  
 a) N<sub>2</sub>                                      b) O<sub>2</sub>                                      c) Ar                                      d) He
696. Which of the following compound is tribasic acid?  
 a) H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>2</sub>                                      b) H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub>                                      c) H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>                                      d) H<sub>4</sub>P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>
697. Which pair gives Cl<sub>2</sub> at room temperature?  
 a) Conc. HCl + KMnO<sub>4</sub>                      b) NaCl + Conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>                      c) NaCl + MnO<sub>2</sub>                      d) NaCl + Conc. HNO<sub>3</sub>
698. Which of the following oxide does not form acidic aqueous solution?

699. Which one below is a pseudohalide?  
 a)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$                       b)  $\text{NO}_2$                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                       d)  $\text{NO}$
700. The Nessler's reagent contains:  
 a)  $\text{Hg}_2^{2+}$                       b)  $\text{Hg}^{2+}$                       c)  $\text{Hg}_2^-$                       d)  $\text{Hg}_4^{2-}$
701. Interhalogen compounds are:  
 a) Ionic compounds  
 b) Coordinate compounds  
 c) Molecular compounds  
 d) Covalent compounds
702. Fluorine does not show positive oxidation states because:  
 a) It is a most electronegative element  
 b) It forms only anions in ionic compounds  
 c) It cannot form multiple bonds  
 d) It shows non-bonded electron pair repulsion due to small size
703. Poison for platinum, a catalyst in contact process of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is:  
 a) S                      b) P                      c) As                      d) C
704. The solubility of iodine in water is greatly increased by:  
 a) Adding an acid  
 b) Boiling the solution  
 c) Cooling the solution  
 d) Adding potassium iodide
705. The catalyst used in the preparation of red P from yellow P is:  
 a)  $\text{I}_2$                       b) Ni                      c) ZnO                      d) Fe
706. Which one of the following is present as an active ingredient in bleaching powder for bleaching action?  
 a)  $\text{CaCl}_2$                       b)  $\text{CaOCl}_2$                       c)  $\text{Ca}(\text{OCl})_2$                       d)  $\text{CaO}_2\text{Cl}$
707. Nitrogen dioxide  
 a) Does not dissolve in water  
 b) Dissolves in water forming nitric acid  
 c) Dissolves in water to form a mixture of nitrous and nitric acid  
 d) Dissolves in water to form nitrous acid and gives off oxygen
708. The gas used in gas thermometer is:  
 a) He                      b)  $\text{O}_2$                       c) Xe                      d) Ne
709. Mixture of  $\text{O}_2$  and  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$  is used as:  
 a) Fuel                      b) Anaesthetic                      c) In welding                      d) Oxidizing agent
710. Which of the following acids does not attack Cu and Ag?  
 a) Dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$                       b) Dilute HCl                      c) Conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       d) Aqua regia
711. Number of isotopes of oxygen is:  
 a) 1                      b) 3                      c) 2                      d) 0
712. The angular shape of ozone molecule ( $\text{O}_3$ ) consists of:  
 a) 2 sigma and 2  $\pi$ -bonds  
 b) 1 sigma and 1  $\pi$ -bond  
 c) 2 sigma and 1  $\pi$ -bond  
 d) 1 sigma and 2  $\pi$ -bonds
713. Bromine vapour turns moist starch-iodide paper:  
 a) Brown                      b) Red                      c) Blue                      d) Colourless
714. Nitric oxide is prepared by the action of  $\text{HNO}_3$  on  
 a) Cu                      b) Sn                      c) Zn                      d) Fe
715. The allotrope of Sulphur stable below  $90^\circ\text{C}$  is:  
 a) Rhombic sulphur                      b) Monoclinic sulphur                      c) Plastic sulphur                      d) Flowers of sulphur



716. Concentrated  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is not used to prepare HBr from KBr because it:
- Oxidizes HBr
  - Reduces HBr
  - Causes disproportionation of HBr
  - Reacts too slowly with KBr
717. There is an ozone layer at a height of about 29 kilometres above the surface of the earth. Which of the following statements is true?
- It is harmful because ozone is dangerous to living organisms
  - It is beneficial because oxidation reactions can proceed faster in the presence of ozone
  - It is beneficial because ozone cuts out the ultraviolet radiation of the sun
  - It is harmful because ozone cuts out the important radiations of the sun which are vital for photosynthesis
718.  $\text{Cl}_2$  on passing through  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3$  solution gives:
- $\text{Na}_2\text{S}$
  - $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$
  - $\text{NaHSO}_3$
  - $\text{NaHS}$
719.  $\text{SO}_2$  reduces:
- Mg
  - $\text{H}_2\text{S}$
  - $\text{KMnO}_4$
  - All of these
720. The brown yellow colour often shown by nitric acid can be removed by:
- Bubbling air through the warm acid
  - Boiling the acid
  - Passing ammonia through acid
  - Adding a little Mg powder
721. Which one will liberate  $\text{Br}_2$  from KBr?
- $\text{I}_2$
  - $\text{SO}_2$
  - HI
  - $\text{Cl}_2$
722. The halide which does not give a precipitate with  $\text{AgNO}_3$  is:
- $\text{F}^-$
  - $\text{Cl}^-$
  - $\text{Br}^-$
  - $\text{I}^-$
723. HF present as impurity in gaseous  $\text{F}_2$ , can be removed by passing over:
- $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$
  - NaF
  - $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
  - $\text{CaCl}_2$
724. In pyrophosphoric acid the number of hydroxy groups present are:
- 4
  - 3
  - 5
  - 7
725. Deep sea divers used to respire is a mixture of
- Oxygen and nitrogen
  - Oxygen and argon
  - Oxygen and hydrogen
  - Oxygen and helium
726. Which of the following gives  $\text{M}^{3+}$  ion most readily?
- P
  - N
  - Sn
  - Bi
727. Oxygen is more electronegative than sulphur, yet  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is acidic while  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is neutral. This is because:
- Water is a highly associated compound
  - H—S bond is weaker than H—O bond
  - $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is a gas while  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is a liquid
  - The molecular weight of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is more than that of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
728. HI reacts with  $\text{HNO}_3$  to form:
- $\text{O}_2$
  - $\text{N}_2\text{O}$
  - $\text{HIO}_3$
  - $\text{NO}_2 + \text{I}_2$
729. Phosphate + conc.  $\text{HNO}_3$  +  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{MoO}_4$  solution  $\rightarrow$  Yellow precipitate.  
The composition of yellow precipitate is:
- $(\text{NH}_4)_3\text{PO}_4 \cdot \text{MoO}_3$
  - $(\text{NH}_4)_3\text{PO}_4 \cdot 12\text{MoO}_3$
  - $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{PO}_4 \cdot 12\text{MoO}_3$
  - $\text{NH}_4\text{PO}_4 \cdot \text{MoO}_3$
730. Density of nitrogen gas prepared from air is slightly greater than that of nitrogen prepared by chemical reaction from a compound of nitrogen because aerial nitrogen contains:
- $\text{CO}_2$
  - Argon
  - Some  $\text{N}_2$  molecules analogous to  $\text{O}_2$
  - Greater amount of  $\text{N}_2$  molecules derived from  $\text{N}^{15}$  isotope
731. Antichlor is a compound:

- a) Which absorbs chlorine  
 b) Which removes  $\text{Cl}_2$  from a material  
 c) Which liberates  $\text{Cl}_2$  from bleaching powder  
 d) Which acts as a catalyst in the manufacture of  $\text{Cl}_2$
732. When  $\text{F}_2$  reacts with hot and concentrated  $\text{NaOH}$  then following will be obtained  
 a)  $\text{O}_2$                                       b)  $\text{H}_2$                                       c)  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$                                       d)  $\text{Na}$
733. The geometry of  $\text{XeOF}_4$  molecule is  
 a) Tetrahedral                                      b) Square pyramidal                                      c) Square planar                                      d) Octahedral
734. Oleum is  
 a) Castor oil                                      b) Oil of vitriol                                      c) Fuming  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                                       d) None of these
735. Which reacts rapidly with oxygen in the air at ordinary temperature?  
 a) White P                                      b) Red P                                      c)  $\text{N}_2$                                       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$
736. The chief source of iodine in which it is present as sodium iodate is  
 a) Carnallite                                      b) Sea weeds  
 c) Caliche                                      d) Iodine never exists as sodium iodate
737. As the atomic number of the halogens increases, the halogens:  
 a) Lose the outermost electrons less readily  
 b) Become lighter in colour  
 c) Become less dense  
 d) Gain electrons less readily
738. An interhalogen compound is:  
 a)  $\text{IF}_5$                                       b)  $\text{I}_3^-$                                       c)  $\text{CN}^-$                                       d)  $(\text{CN})_2$
739. Phosphine is not collected in air because:  
 a) It is poisonous  
 b) It absorbs moisture  
 c) It catches fire spontaneously in air  
 d) It is combustible
740. Bones glow in the dark, because:  
 a) They contain a shining material  
 b) They contain red phosphorus  
 c) White phosphorus changes into red phosphorus  
 d) White phosphorus undergoes slow combustion with air
741. Oxygen exhibits positive oxidation state with:  
 a)  $\text{F}$                                       b)  $\text{Br}$                                       c)  $\text{Cl}$                                       d)  $\text{I}$
742. Which gives carbon with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ?  
 a) Formic acid                                      b) Ethyl alcohol                                      c) Oxalic acid                                      d) Starch
743. The atom larger in size as compared to oxygen is:  
 a)  $\text{Ne}$                                       b)  $\text{F}$                                       c)  $\text{He}$                                       d) All of these
744. In the reaction,  

$$2\text{Ag} + 2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Ag}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{SO}_2, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \text{ is:}$$
 a) Reducing agent                                      b) Oxidant                                      c) Catalyst                                      d) Dehydrating agent
745. Among the phosphatic fertilizers, superphosphate of lime is a mixture of  $\text{Ca}(\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4)_2$  and:  
 a)  $\text{CaSO}_4 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$                                       b)  $\text{CaSO}_4 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$                                       c)  $\text{CaSO}_4 \cdot \frac{1}{2}\text{H}_2\text{O}$                                       d)  $\text{CaSO}_4$
746. What is the oxidising agent chlorine water?  
 a)  $\text{HCl}$                                       b)  $\text{HClO}_2$                                       c)  $\text{HOCl}$                                       d) None of these
747. Which of the following halogens is solid at room temperature?  
 a) Iodine                                      b) Fluorine                                      c) Chlorine                                      d) Bromine
748. Vegetable colouring matter in presence of moisture is bleached by  $\text{SO}_2$  due to:  
 a) Oxidation                                      b) Reduction                                      c) Sulphonation                                      d) Unsaturation
749. White phosphorus ( $\text{P}_4$ ) does not contain

- a) Six P – P single bond  
c) Four lone pairs of electrons
- b) Four P – P single bond  
d) P – P – P angle of 60°
750. The anhydride of nitrous acid is:  
a)  $N_2O_3$                       b) NO                      c)  $N_2O$                       d)  $N_2O_4$
751.  $XeF_2$  on hydrolysis gives  
a)  $XeO_3$                       b) XeO                      c) Xe                      d)  $XeO_2$
752. Coconut charcoal at  $-180^\circ C$  is used to separate a mixture of:  
a) Ar and Kr                      b) Ne and Ar                      c) He and Kr                      d) He and Ne
753. Paramagnetic oxide of chlorine is:  
a)  $ClO_3$                       b)  $Cl_2O_6$                       c)  $Cl_2O$                       d) None of these
754. Decreasing order of reducing power of hydrogen halides is:  
a)  $HI > HBr > HCl > HF$   
b)  $HF > HI > HBr > HCl$   
c)  $HI > HF > HBr > HCl$   
d) None of these
755. Nitrogen does not combine directly with:  
a) Ca                      b) Al                      c) Ag                      d) Mg
756. Which of the following is the strongest oxidising agent?  
a) HOCl                      b)  $HClO_2$                       c)  $HClO_3$                       d)  $HClO_4$
757. In case of halogen family, which trend occurs as the atomic number increases?  
a) Ionic radius decreases  
b) Ionization potential decreases  
c) Covalent character in  $MX_2$  decreases (where  $M$ =metal and  $X$ =halogen)  
d) None of the above
758. What is the product formed when phosphorus trioxide is dissolved in water?  
a)  $HPO_3$                       b)  $H_3PO_4$                       c)  $H_3PO_3$                       d)  $HPO_2$
759. Approximately what percentage of air by volume gets used in a process of combustion?  
a) 20%                      b) 10%                      c) 35%                      d) 55%
760. There is no S – S bond is  
a)  $S_2O_4^{2-}$                       b)  $S_2O_3^{2-}$                       c)  $S_2O_5^{2-}$                       d)  $S_2O_7^{2-}$
761. The acidic nature of HF can be increased in presence of:  
a)  $SbF_5$                       b)  $H_2O$                       c)  $HClO_4$                       d) None of these
762. Identify the incorrect statement among the following  
a) Ozone reacts with  $SO_2$  to give  $SO_3$   
b) Silicon reacts with  $NaOH(aq)$  in the presence of air to give  $Na_2SiO_3$  and  $H_2O$   
c)  $Cl_2$  reacts with excess of  $NH_3$  to give  $N_2$  and  $HCl$   
d)  $Br_2$  reacts with hot and strong  $NaOH$  solution to give  $NaBr$ ,  $NaBrO_4$  and  $H_2O$
763. S—S bond is not present in:  
a)  $S_2O_7^{2-}$                       b)  $S_4O_6^{2-}$                       c)  $S_2O_4^{2-}$                       d)  $S_2O_3^{2-}$
764. Which of the following oxides are acidic?  
a)  $Mn_2O_7$                       b)  $CrO_3$                       c) Both (a) and (b)                      d) None of these
765. The pentavalence in phosphorus is more stable as compared to that of nitrogen even though they belong to the same group. It is due to  
a) Inert nature of nitrogen                      b) Reactivity of phosphorus  
c) Larger size of phosphorus atom                      d) Dissimilar electronic configuration
766. Which of the following is kept in water?  
a) White phosphorus                      b) Sodium                      c) Potassium                      d) Calcium
767. The formula of iodine acetate is:  
a)  $I(CH_3COO)$                       b)  $I(CH_3COO)_3$                       c)  $I_2(CH_3COO)$                       d)  $(CH_3COO)_2I$
768. Phosphine is not evolved when:

- a) White phosphorus is boiled with a strong solution of  $\text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2$   
 b) Phosphorus acid is heated  
 c) Calcium hypophosphite is heated  
 d) Metaphosphoric acid is heated
769. The last orbit of argon would have electrons  
 a) 2                                      b) 6                                      c) 8                                      d) 18
770. Xenon directly combines with:  
 a) Oxygen                                b) Rubidium                            c) Fluorine                            d) Chlorine
771. Structure of  $\text{XeF}_5^+$  ion is  
 a) Trigonal bipyramidal    b) Square pyramidal                c) Octahedral                        d) Pentagonal
772. Thermal stability of hydrogen halide follows the order:  
 a)  $\text{HI} > \text{HBr} > \text{HCl} > \text{HF}$   
 b)  $\text{HI} > \text{HF} > \text{HBr} > \text{HCl}$   
 c)  $\text{HI} > \text{HBr} > \text{HF} > \text{HCl}$   
 d)  $\text{HF} > \text{HCl} > \text{HBr} > \text{HI}$
773. Iodine is formed when KI reacts with solution of  
 a)  $\text{CuSO}_4$                                 b)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2 \text{SO}_4$                       c)  $\text{ZnSO}_4$                                 d)  $\text{FeSO}_4$
774. The strongest reducing agent among the following is  
 a)  $\text{F}^-$                                       b)  $\text{Cl}^-$                                     c)  $\text{Br}^-$                                     d)  $\text{I}^-$
775. In Birkeland Eyde process, the raw material used is  
 a) Air                                        b)  $\text{NO}_2$                                     c)  $\text{HNO}_3$                                 d)  $\text{NH}_3$
776. Liquid flow from a higher to a lower level. Which of the following liquids can climb up the wall of the glass vessel in which it is placed?  
 a) Alcohol                                b) Liquid He                              c) Liquid  $\text{N}_2$                             d) water
777. Which is not correct for  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$ ?  
 a) It is laughing gas and is used as anaesthetic agent  
 b) It is nitrous oxide  
 c) It is not a linear molecule  
 d) It is least reactive of all the oxides of nitrogen
778. The strongest acidic oxide is:  
 a)  $\text{SO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{SO}_3$                                       c)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$                                     d)  $\text{Sb}_2\text{O}_3$
779. Apatite is an ore of  
 a) Fluorine                                b) Chlorine                                c) Bromine                                d) Iodine
780. The sulphur molecule ( $\text{S}_8$ ) possesses:  
 a) Cubical structure  
 b) Spherical structure  
 c) Tetrahedral structure  
 d) W-shaped ring structure
781. Copper turnings when heated with concentrated sulphuric acid will give  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                                       b)  $\text{SO}_2$                                       c)  $\text{SO}_3$                                       d)  $\text{O}_2$
782.  $\text{PCl}_5$  is prepared by the action of  $\text{Cl}_2$  on:  
 a)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_3$                                       b)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$                                       c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$                                 d)  $\text{PCl}_3$
783. Chlorine water on cooling deposits greenish-yellow crystals of:  
 a)  $\text{Cl}_2 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$                             b)  $\text{Cl}_2 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$                             c)  $\text{Cl}_2 \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$                             d)  $\text{Cl}_2 \cdot 8\text{H}_2\text{O}$
784. Which inert gas have highest boiling point?  
 a) Xe                                        b) Ar                                        c) Kr                                        d) He
785. Metaphosphoric acid is:  
 a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$                                 b)  $\text{HPO}_3$                                     c)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$                                 d)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$
786.  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  has..... non ionisable P—H bonds  
 a) 3    b) 1    c) 2    d) None of these

787. Dry bleach caused by  
a)  $\text{Cl}_2$                                       b)  $\text{SO}_2$                                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$                                       d)  $\text{O}_3$
788. Ammonia is dried over  
a) Slaked lime                                      b) Calcium chloride  
c) Phosphorus pentoxide                                      d) Quick lime
789. The bond dissociation energy of  $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Br}_2$  and  $\text{I}_2$  follow  
a)  $\text{Cl}_2 > \text{I}_2 > \text{Br}_2$                                       b)  $\text{I}_2 > \text{Br}_2 > \text{Cl}_2$                                       c)  $\text{I}_2 = \text{Cl}_2 = \text{Br}_2$                                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2 > \text{Br}_2 > \text{I}_2$
790. Which is correct statement?  
a) Nitric oxide is isoelectronic with  $\text{CO}_2$   
b) Nitric oxide is diamagnetic  
c) Nitric oxide is an endothermic compound  
d) Nitric oxide gas is used as general anaesthetic
791. The noble gas which behaves abnormally in liquid state is:  
a) Xe                                      b) Ne                                      c) He                                      d) Ar
792. Which of the following is correct with reference to protonic acids?  
a)  $\text{PH}_3$  is more basic than  $\text{NH}_3$   
b)  $\text{PH}_3$  is less basic than  $\text{NH}_3$   
c)  $\text{PH}_3$  is as basic as  $\text{NH}_3$   
d)  $\text{PH}_3$  is amphoteric while  $\text{NH}_3$  is basic
793. Amongst the following, the basic oxide is  
a)  $\text{Bi}_2\text{O}_3$                                       b)  $\text{Sb}_2\text{O}_3$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                                       d)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$
794. One gas bleaches the colour of the flowers by reduction while the other by oxidation. The gases are:  
a)  $\text{CO}$  and  $\text{CO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  and  $\text{Br}_2$                                       c)  $\text{SO}_2$  and  $\text{Cl}_2$                                       d)  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{SO}_3$
795.  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_6$  is an anhydride of:  
a)  $\text{HClO}_3$                                       b)  $\text{HClO}_2$                                       c)  $\text{HClO}_4$                                       d) Mixed anhydride of  $\text{HCl}$
796. In the upper layers of the atmosphere ozone is formed by the:  
a) Combination of oxygen molecules  
b) Action of electric discharge on oxygen molecules  
c) Action of ultraviolet rays on oxygen  
d) None of the above
797. Inert gases such as helium behave like ideal gases over a wide range of temperature. However, they condense into the solid state at very low temperatures. It indicates that at very low temperature there is a:  
a) Weak attractive force between the atoms  
b) Weak repulsive force between the atoms  
c) Strong attractive force between the atoms  
d) Strong repulsive force between the atoms
798. Calcium phosphide is used in smoke screens because it:  
a) Burns to form soot  
b) Gives  $\text{PH}_3$  which forms smoke  
c) Immediately catches fire in air  
d) Is a gas which brings tears in eyes
799. The inert gas obtained from monazite sand is:  
a) He                                      b) Ne                                      c) Ar                                      d) Kr
800. Sulphur does not exist as  $\text{S}_2$  molecule because  
a) It is less electronegative                                      b) It is not able to constitute  $p\pi-p\pi$  bonds  
c) It has ability to exhibit catenation                                      d) Of tendency to show variable oxidation states.
801. The oxide of nitrogen which reacts with  $\text{NaOH}$  solution giving both sodium nitrate and sodium nitrite is:  
a)  $\text{NO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$                                       d)  $\text{NO}$
802. Oxide of nitrogen used as catalyst in lead chamber process for the manufacture of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is:  
a)  $\text{NO}$                                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$                                       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
803. The non-existent compound is:

- a)  $\text{PH}_4\text{I}$                       b)  $\text{AsH}_3$                       c)  $\text{SbCl}_2$                       d)  $\text{As}_2\text{O}_3$
804. A colourless gas on passing through bromine water decolourises it. The gas is:  
a)  $\text{HCl}$                       b)  $\text{HBr}$                       c)  $\text{CO}_2$                       d)  $\text{SO}_2$
805. When silver chloride dissolves in ammonia, it forms?  
a)  $\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)\text{Cl}$                       b)  $\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_2\text{Cl}$                       c)  $\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_3\text{Cl}$                       d)  $\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_4\text{Cl}$
806. Which of the following pairs has bleaching property?  
a)  $\text{O}_3$  and  $\text{NO}_2$                       b)  $\text{O}_3$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                       c)  $\text{SO}_2$  and  $\text{Cl}_2$                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2$  and  $\text{NO}_2$
807. Which of the following is not a hydride?  
a)  $\text{HCl}$                       b)  $\text{CaH}_2$                       c)  $\text{CsH}$                       d)  $\text{LiH}$
808. Iron is dropped in dil  $\text{HNO}_3$  it gives  
a) Ferric nitrate                      b) Ferric nitrate and  $\text{NO}_2$   
c) Ferrous nitrate and ammonium nitrate                      d) Ferrous nitrate and nitric oxide
809. Pnicogens are the elements of group?  
a) 15                      b) 13                      c) 8                      d) Zero
810. The percentage of available chlorine in a commercial sample of bleaching powder is:  
a) 12%                      b) 35%                      c) 58%                      d) 85%
811. Complete fertilizer is that supplies to the soil:  
a) S, K, and N                      b) N, K and P                      c) S, K and P                      d) S and N
812. The element which liberates  $\text{O}_2$  from water is:  
a) Na                      b) Ca                      c) F                      d) N
813.  $\text{SF}_6$  exists but  $\text{OF}_6$  does not because:  
a) *d*-orbitals of sulphur are vacant and are vacant and are available for bonding  
b) More bonding electrons can be accommodated in orbitals with  $n = 3$   
c) Sulphur has larger ionization energy than oxygen  
d) The difference of electronegativity is less between oxygen and fluorine
814.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  molecule is completely changed into  $2\text{NO}_2$  molecules at:  
a)  $-10^\circ\text{C}$                       b)  $140 - 150^\circ\text{C}$                       c)  $420^\circ\text{C}$                       d)  $-40^\circ\text{C}$
815. Out of (i)  $\text{XeO}_3$  (ii)  $\text{XeOF}_4$  and (iii)  $\text{XeF}_6$ , the molecules having same number of lone pairs on Xe are:  
a) (i) and (ii) only                      b) (i) and (iii) only                      c) (ii) and (iii) only                      d) (i), (ii) and (iii)
816. Chlorous acid and its salts (chlorites) are:  
a) Good oxidising agents  
b) Good reducing agents  
c) Good bleaching agents  
d) Good oxidising and bleaching agents
817. Antimony burns in chlorine to form:  
a)  $\text{SbCl}_3$                       b)  $\text{SbCl}_2$                       c)  $\text{SbOCl}_2$                       d)  $\text{SbCl}_5$
818. Bromargyrite is a mineral of:  
a) Pb                      b) Sn                      c)  $\text{I}_2$                       d)  $\text{Br}_2$
819. Helium is used in gas balloons instead of hydrogen because:  
a) It is lighter than  $\text{H}_2$   
b) It is non-combustible  
c) It is more abundant than  $\text{H}_2$   
d) Its leakage can be detected easily
820. Reaction of  $\text{PCl}_3$  and  $\text{PhMgBr}$  would give  
a) Bromobenzene                      b) Chlorobenzene  
c) Triphenylphosphite                      d) Dichlorobenzene
821. Which does not give ammonia with water?  
a)  $\text{Mg}_3\text{N}_2$                       b)  $\text{AlN}$                       c)  $\text{CaCN}_2$                       d)  $\text{Ca}(\text{CN})_2$
822. Bond length is maximum in:  
a)  $\text{HI}$                       b)  $\text{HBr}$                       c)  $\text{HCl}$                       d)  $\text{HF}$
823. Nitrogen molecule is chemically less active because it has a ..... between two nitrogen atoms.

- a) Single bond                      b) Double bond                      c) Triple bond                      d) Coordinate bond
824. If  $\text{Cl}_2$  gas is passed into aqueous solution of KI containing some  $\text{CCl}_4$  and the mixture is shaken, then:  
 a) Upper layer becomes violet  
 b) Lower layer becomes violet  
 c) Homogeneous violet layer is formed  
 d) None of the above
825. In  $\text{NO}_3^-$  ion, the number of bond pair and lone pair of electrons on nitrogen atom are:  
 a) 2, 2                      b) 3, 1                      c) 1, 3                      d) 4, 0
826.  $\text{Cl}_2$  is used in the manufacture of:  
 a) Chloroform                      b)  $\text{CCl}_4$                       c) Westron                      d) All of these
827. Which element shows polymorphism?  
 a) O                      b) S                      c) Se                      d) All of these
828.  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$  is formed on reaction with dil.  $\text{HNO}_3$  with:  
 a) Cu                      b) Hg                      c) Ag                      d) Fe
829. The inert gases present in atmosphere are:  
 a) He and Ne                      b) He, Ne and Ar                      c) He, Ne, Ar and Kr                      d) He, Ne, Ar, Kr and Xe
830. Orthophosphoric acid is ionized in.....steps.  
 a) 1                      b) 2                      c) 3                      d) 4
831. In the clathrates of xenon with water, the nature of bonding between xenon and water molecule is:  
 a) Covalent  
 b) Hydrogen bonding  
 c) Coordinate  
 d) Dipole-induced dipole
832. Which one is least soluble in water?  
 a)  $\text{BaF}_2$                       b)  $\text{CaF}_2$                       c)  $\text{SrF}_2$                       d)  $\text{MgF}_2$
833. If  $\text{NO}_2(\text{N}_2\text{O}_4)$  is dissolved in NaOH, we get solution of ?  
 a)  $\text{NaNO}_2$                       b)  $\text{NaNO}_3$   
 c) Mixture of  $\text{NaNO}_2$  and  $\text{NaNO}_3$                       d)  $\text{NaNO}_4$
834. The bond angles in  $\text{OF}_2$ ,  $\text{OCl}_2$  and  $\text{OBr}_2$  show the order:  
 a)  $\text{OF}_2 > \text{OCl}_2 > \text{OBr}_2$                       b)  $\text{OF}_2 > \text{OBr}_2 > \text{OCl}_2$                       c)  $\text{OBr}_2 > \text{OCl}_2 > \text{OF}_2$                       d)  $\text{OCl}_2 > \text{OBr}_2 > \text{OF}_2$
835. Xenon tetrafluoride has hybridisation and structure as:  
 a)  $sp^3$  tetrahedral                      b)  $sp^3 d^2$  square planar                      c)  $sp^3 d^2$  pyramidal                      d)  $sp^3 d^3$  octahedral
836. The atomicity of phosphorus is  $X$  and the PPP bond angle in the molecule is  $Y$ . what are  $X$  and  $Y$  ?  
 a)  $X=4, Y=90^\circ$                       b)  $X=4, Y=60^\circ$                       c)  $X=3, Y=120^\circ$                       d)  $X=2, Y=180^\circ$
837. Bottle of  $\text{PCl}_5$  is kept stoppered because it:  
 a) Explodes                      b) Get oxidized                      c) Is volatilized                      d) Reacts with moisture
838. Sometimes a yellow turbidity appears while passing  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  gas even in the absence of II group radicals. This is because:  
 a) Sulphur is present in the mixture as impurity  
 b) IV group radicals are precipitated as sulphides  
 c) Of the oxidation of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  gas by some acid radicals  
 d) III group radicals are precipitated as hydroxides
839. The oxidation of thiosulphate ion by iodine gives:  
 a)  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$                       b)  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$                       c)  $\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-}$                       d)  $\text{S}_4\text{O}_6^{2-}$
840. Rain water sometimes contains  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$  because lightening in the sky causes the air to react and produce oxides of nitrogen and:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2$                       b)  $\text{NH}_3$                       c)  $\text{CO}_2$                       d) Noble gases
841. The number of molecules of water needed to convert one molecule of  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  into orthophosphoric acid is:  
 a) 2                      b) 3                      c) 4                      d) 5
842. Which of the following is the correct order of increasing enthalpy of vaporization?

- a)  $\text{NH}_3 < \text{PH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3$       b)  $\text{AsH}_3 < \text{PH}_3 < \text{NH}_3$       c)  $\text{PH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3 < \text{NH}_3$       d)  $\text{NH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3 < \text{PH}_3$
843. Which of the following was previously known as muriatic acid?  
 a)  $\text{Cl}_2$       b)  $\text{Br}_2$       c)  $\text{HCl}$       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
844. Which metal forms an amphoteric oxide?  
 a) Cr      b) Fe      c) Cu      d) Zn
845.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is added while preparing a standard solution of Mohr's salt to prevent:  
 a) Hydration      b) Reduction      c) Hydrolysis      d) Complex formation
846. The element which catches fire in air at  $30^\circ\text{C}$  and is stored under water is  
 a) Sodium      b) Phosphorus      c) Magnesium      d) Zinc
847. Which are solid?  
 a)  $\text{XeF}_2$       b)  $\text{XeF}_4$       c)  $\text{XeF}_6$       d) All of these
848.  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$  is an anhydride of:  
 a)  $\text{HClO}_4$       b)  $\text{HOCl}$       c)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_3$       d)  $\text{HClO}_2$
849. Ammonium dichromate is used in some fireworks. The green coloured powder blown is:  
 a)  $\text{CrO}_3$       b)  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3$       c) Cr      d)  $\text{CrO}(\text{O}_2)$
850. An element forms a gaseous oxide which on dissolving in water gives an acid solution. The element is:  
 a) S      b) Na      c) P      d) H
851.  $\text{PCl}_3$  and cold water reacts to produce which of the following ?  
 a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$       b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$       c)  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$       d)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$
852. Ammonia on heating with carbon dioxide under pressure gives:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_4\text{HCO}_3$       b)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{CO}_3$       c)  $\text{NH}_2\text{COONH}_4$       d)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{CO}$
853. The acid which forms two series of salts:  
 a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$       b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$       c)  $\text{H}_3\text{BO}_3$       d)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$
854. The structure of white phosphorus is:  
 a) Square planar      b) Pyramidal      c) Tetrahedral      d) Trigonal planar
855. Which of the following is strongest oxidizing agent?  
 a)  $\text{I}_2$       b)  $\text{Br}_2$       c)  $\text{Cl}_2$       d)  $\text{F}_2$
856. If 20% nitrogen is present in a compound, its minimum molecular weight can be:  
 a) 144      b) 70      c) 100      d) 140
857. Which sulphide is insoluble in yellow ammonium sulphide?  
 a) SnS      b)  $\text{As}_2\text{S}_3$       c)  $\text{Sb}_2\text{S}_3$       d)  $\text{Bi}_2\text{S}_3$
858. Which one is most basic in character?  
 a)  $\text{F}^-$       b)  $\text{Cl}^-$       c)  $\text{Br}^-$       d)  $\text{I}^-$
859. Which oxide is alkaline?  
 a)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_3$       b)  $\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$       c)  $\text{Bi}_2\text{O}_3$       d)  $\text{As}_2\text{O}_3$
860. Fluorine oxidises  $\text{HSO}_4^-$  to:  
 a)  $\text{S}_2\text{O}_3^{2-}$       b)  $\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-}$       c)  $\text{S}_4\text{O}_6^{2-}$       d)  $\text{SO}_2$
861. Oleum is chemically  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$
862. Among halogens maximum oxides are formed by:  
 a) Fluorine      b) Chlorine      c) Bromine      d) Iodine
863. Which statement is false?  
 a) Radon is obtained from the decay of radium.  
 b) Helium is an inert gas.  
 c) The most abundant noble gas in the atmosphere is He.  
 d) Xe is the most reactive among the noble gases.
864. Freons are used as:  
 a) Refrigerant      b) Catalyst      c) Oxidant      d) None of these
865. Sulphur molecule exists as:  
 a)  $\text{S}_2$       b)  $\text{S}_4$       c)  $\text{S}_6$       d)  $\text{S}_8$



866. Noble gases are adsorbed by  
 a) Anhydrous calcium chloride  
 b) Ferric hydroxide  
 c) Conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 d) Activated coconut charcoal
867. Phosphorus when exposed to air burns spontaneously because:  
 a) The reaction is endothermic  
 b) The reaction is exothermic  
 c) The activation energy is very low  
 d) Air contains some catalytic agent
868. There is O—O bond is:  
 a)  $\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-}$   
 b)  $\text{S}_4\text{O}_6^{2-}$   
 c)  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$   
 d)  $\text{S}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$
869. Freons are:  
 a)  $\text{CCl}_2\text{F}_2$   
 b)  $\text{CFCl}_3$   
 c)  $\text{CClF}_3$   
 d) All of these
870. Normality of pure sulphuric acid is:  
 a) 4 *N*  
 b) 12 *N*  
 c) 24 *N*  
 d) 36 *N*
871. The number of S – S bonds in sulphur trioxide  
 a) Three  
 b) Two  
 c) One  
 d) Zero
872. The number of electrons present in the valency shell of P in  $\text{PCl}_3$  is:  
 a) 12  
 b) 10  
 c) 8  
 d) 18
873. A hydride of nitrogen which is acidic is  
 a)  $\text{N}_3\text{H}$   
 b)  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_2$   
 c)  $\text{NH}_3$   
 d)  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$
874. Which of the following compound show sublimation?  
 a)  $\text{CaHPO}_3$   
 b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$   
 c)  $\text{BaSO}_4$   
 d)  $\text{CaCO}_3$
875. The highest ionization potential in a period is shown by:  
 a) Alkaline earth metals  
 b) Alkali metals  
 c) Halogens  
 d) Noble gases
876.  $\text{K}_2[\text{HgI}_4]$  detects the ion/group:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_2$   
 b)  $\text{NO}$   
 c)  $\text{NH}_4^+$   
 d)  $\text{Cl}^-$
877. The percentage of nitrogen in urea is about:  
 a) 70  
 b) 63  
 c) 47  
 d) 28
878. Phosphate mineral of phosphorus is:  
 a)  $\text{Fe}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 b)  $\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2$   
 c)  $3\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2 \cdot \text{CaF}_2$   
 d)  $3\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2 \cdot \text{CaCl}_2$
879. Dithionic acid has the formula:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6$   
 b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$   
 c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$   
 d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_5$
880. A person working with phosphorus suffers from a disease in which bones decay. It is known as  
 a) Arthritis  
 b) Phossy jaw  
 c) Rickets  
 d) cancer
881. A salt *X* gives white precipitates with lead acetate solution, insoluble in hot water and nitric acid. The salt *X* most probably contains:  
 a)  $\text{Cl}^-$   
 b)  $\text{Ba}^{2+}$   
 c)  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$   
 d)  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$
882. S – S bond is present in  
 a)  $\alpha - (\text{SO}_3)_n$   
 b)  $\gamma - (\text{S}_3\text{O}_9)$   
 c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$   
 d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$
883.  $\text{NH}_3$  molecule can enter into complex formation through:  
 a) Ionic bond  
 b) Covalent bond  
 c) Coordinate bond  
 d) Electron deficient bond
884. Bromine can be liberated from  $\text{KBr}$  solution by the action of  
 a)  $\text{KI}$   
 b)  $\text{NaCl}$   
 c)  $\text{Cl}_2$   
 d)  $\text{I}_2$  solution
885. The oxidation state of Xe and  $\text{XeO}_3$  and the bond angle in it respectively are  
 a) +6,  $109^\circ$   
 b) +8,  $103^\circ$   
 c) +6,  $103^\circ$   
 d) +8,  $120^\circ$
886. Among the following nitrates, lead nitrate, silver nitrate, sodium nitrate and ammonium nitrate; the one that decomposes without leaving any solid residue is

- a) Ammonium nitrate      b) Sodium nitrate      c) Silver nitrate      d) Lead nitrate
887. Ammonia and phosphine resemble each other in:
- Solubility in water
  - Forming salt with acid
  - Stability
  - Reducing character
888. In the compound of type  $POX_3$ , P atoms show multiple bonding of the type:
- $p\pi - d\pi$
  - $d\pi - d\pi$
  - $p\pi - p\pi$
  - No multiple bonding
889. Tear gas is:
- $COCl_2$
  - $CaOCl_2$
  - $NH_3$
  - $CCl_3 \cdot NO_2$
890. Which statement is not correct about  $(CN)_2$ ?
- It is poisonous gas
  - It is called pseudohalogen
  - It is named as cyanogen
  - None of the above
891. When ammonium chloride is heated with NaOH, a gas is evolved, which has
- Pungent odour
  - Smell of rotten eggs
  - Smell of ammonia
  - No smell
892. When phosphine is bubbled through solution of silver nitrate.....is precipitated.
- Silver
  - Silver phosphide
  - Silver oxide
  - None of these
893. Hydrolysis of one mole of peroxodisulphuric acid produces:
- Two moles of sulphuric acid
  - Two moles of peroxomonosulphuric acid
  - One mole of sulphuric acid and one mole of peroxomonosulphuric acid
  - One mole each of sulphuric acid, peroxomonosulphuric acid and hydrogen peroxide
894. Which has the same electronic configuration as of inert gas?
- $Ag^{3+}$
  - $Cu^{2+}$
  - $Pb^{4+}$
  - $Ti^{4+}$
895. Glacial phosphoric acid is:
- $H_3PO_4$
  - $HPO_3$
  - $H_4P_2O_7$
  - $H_3PO_2$
896. Which of the following pairs is not correctly matched?
- A halogen which is liquid at room temperature—bromine
  - The most electronegative element—fluorine
  - The most reactive halogen—fluorine
  - The strongest oxidizing agent—iodine
897. Nitrous oxide is known as
- Laughing gas
  - Laboratory gas
  - Breathing gas
  - Exercising gas
898. The number of hydrogen atom (s) attached to phosphorus atom in pyrophosphorus acid is
- Zero
  - One
  - Two
  - Three
899. Which of the following is not correct?
- Ammonia is used as refrigerant
  - A mixture of  $Ca(CN)_2$  and C is known as nitrolim
  - A mixture of  $Ca(H_2PO_4)_2$  and  $CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O$  is known as superphosphate of lime
  - Hydrolysis of  $NCl_3$  give  $NH_3$  and  $HOCl$
900. Which halide does not hydrolyse?
- $SbCl_3$
  - $AsCl_3$
  - $PCl_3$
  - $NF_3$
901. The noble gas mixture is cooled in a coconut bulb at 173k. the gases that are not absorbed are
- Ne and Xe
  - He and xe
  - Ar and Kr
  - He and Ne
902. In the reaction  $H_2S + O_3 \rightarrow \dots$ , the products are:
- $H_2O, S, O_2$
  - $H_2SO_4 + O_2$
  - $H_2O + S$
  - $SO_2 + H_2$
903. When  $PCl_5$  reacts with sulphuric acid, sulphuryl chloride ( $SO_2Cl_2$ ) is formed as the final product .this shows that sulphuric acid

- a) Has two hydroxyl groups in its structure  
 c) Is a dibasic acid
- b) Is a derivative of sulphur dioxide  
 d) Has greater affinity for water
904. Caliche is:  
 a) Crude saltpetre      b) Impure nitre      c) Impure carnallite      d) Ashes of sea-weeds

905. The number of paired electron in oxygen molecule are

- a) 14      b) 8      c) 16      d) 12

906. The number of sigma bonds in  $P_4O_{10}$  is:

- a) 6      b) 16      c) 20      d) 7

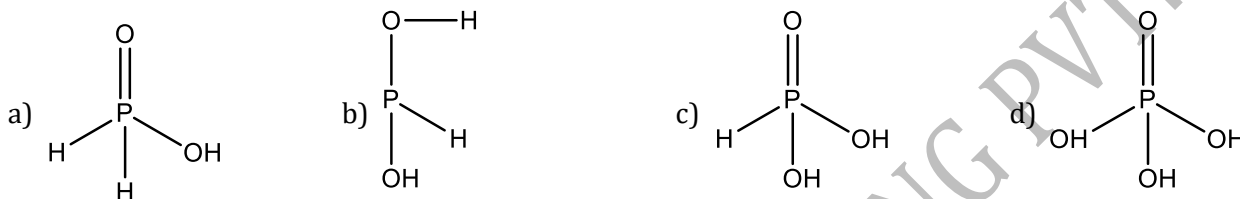
907. Bleaching action of  $SO_2$  is due to

- a) Reduction      b) Hydrolysis      c) Oxidation      d) Acidic nature

908. Nitrogen is produced when  $NaNO_2$  is heated with:

- a)  $NH_4Cl$       b)  $NH_4NO_3$       c)  $(NH_4)_2CO_3$       d)  $NH_4OH$

909. The structural formula of hypophosphorous acid is



910. Which of the following compounds gives chlorine dioxide when it reacts with  $SO_2$  in the presence of acid?

- a) Sodium chloride      b) Sodium chlorate      c) Sodium perchlorate      d) Sodium chlorite

911. The hydride of group 16 elements showing maximum tendency for complex formation is

- a)  $H_2Te$       b)  $H_2O$       c)  $H_2S$       d)  $H_2Se$

912. The noble gas which forms interstitial compounds is

- a) Helium      b) Argon      c) Neon      d) Xenon

913. Iodine may be liberated from sodium iodate by:

- a)  $H_2SO_4$       b)  $NaHSO_3$       c)  $KMnO_4$       d)  $HCl$

914. Which oxide is of different type than others?

- a)  $MnO_2$       b)  $PbO_2$       c)  $TiO_2$       d)  $Na_2O_2$

915. Oxide of nitrogen used as a catalyst in the lead chamber process for the manufacture of sulphuric acid is:

- a)  $NO$       b)  $N_2O$       c)  $N_2O_3$       d)  $N_2O_5$

916. When excess of  $KI$  is added to copper sulphate solution:

- a) Cuprous iodide is formed  
 b)  $I_2$  is liberated  
 c) Potassium iodide is oxidized  
 d) All of the above

917. The spectrum of helium is similar to:

- a)  $H$       b)  $Na$       c)  $Li^+$       d)  $He^+$

918. The reaction of  $P_4$  with  $X$  leads selectively to  $P_4O_6$  the  $X$  is

- a) dry  $O_2$       b) A mixture of  $O_2$  and  $N_2$   
 c) Moist  $O_2$       d)  $O_2$  in the presence of aqueous  $NaOH$

919.  $PH_4I + NaOH$  forms:

- a)  $PH_3$       b)  $NH_3$       c)  $P_4O_6$       d)  $P_4O_{10}$

920. When fluoride is heated with conc.  $H_2SO_4$  and  $MnO_2$  the gas evolved is:

- a)  $HF$       b)  $MnF_2$       c)  $F_2$       d) None of these

921. Which would quickly absorb oxygen?

- a) Alkaline solution of pyrogalllic acid  
 b) Concentrated sulphuric acid  
 c) Lime water  
 d) Alkaline solution of copper sulphate

922. The compound used as refrigerant is:

- a)  $\text{CCl}_4$                       b)  $\text{COCl}_2$                       c)  $\text{CF}_4$                       d)  $\text{CF}_2\text{Cl}_2$
923. Phosphine is not obtained by the reaction when:  
 a) White P is heated with NaOH  
 b) Red P is heated with NaOH  
 c)  $\text{Ca}_3\text{P}_2$  reacts with water  
 d) Phosphorus trioxide is boiled with water
924. Nitrogen forms .... Oxides.  
 a) 3                                  b) 4                                  c) 5                                  d) 6
925. Some of the reasons of reacting  $\text{NH}_3$  with hydrogen chloride are given below. The incorrect is:  
 a) The nitrogen atom of  $\text{NH}_3$  gains electrons  
 b)  $\text{NH}_3$  can give a pair of electrons  
 c) A proton in HCl can accept an electron pair from  $\text{NH}_3$   
 d) The  $\text{Cl}^-$  ion formed has a stable configuration
926. The compound of Sulphur that can be used as refrigerant is:  
 a)  $\text{S}_2\text{Cl}_2$                       b)  $\text{SO}_2$                       c)  $\text{SO}_3$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
927. Oxygen can be obtained from bleaching powder by:  
 a) Adding dilute acid  
 b) Passing carbon dioxide  
 c) Heating with a cobalt salt  
 d) Adding alkalies
928. The catalyst used in the manufacture of ammonia is  
 a)  $\text{V}_2\text{O}_5$                       b) Pt                                  c) Fe                                  d)  $\text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4$
929.  $\text{F}_2$  is largely used in:  
 a) Making Freon                      b) Making Teflon                      c) Rocket fuels                      d) All of these
930. Substance used in Holme's signal is:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                                   b)  $\text{PH}_3$                                   c)  $\text{PH}_5$                                   d)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$
931. Which one of the following combines with Fe (II) ions to form a brown complex?  
 a) NO                                  b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                                   c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$                                   d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
932. All the three atoms of ozone are used up when it reacts with:  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$                                   b) PbS                                  c) KI                                  d)  $\text{SO}_2$
933. Which can act as an acid in sulphuric acid?  
 a)  $\text{HNO}_3$                                   b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                                   c)  $\text{HClO}_4$                                   d)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
934.  $\text{SO}_2$  reduces cupric ion to cuprous ion in presence of:  
 a) KOH                                  b)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                                   c) KCNS                                  d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
935. On heating a salt with NaOH, smell of  $\text{NH}_3$  is obtained. The salt contains:  
 a)  $\text{NH}_4^+$                                   b)  $\text{NO}_3^-$                                   c)  $\text{NO}_2^-$                                   d)  $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$
936. The catalyst used in the manufacture of  $\text{HNO}_3$  by Ostwald's process is:  
 a) Platinum black                      b) Finely divided nickel                      c) Vanadium pentoxide                      d) Platinum gauze
937. Which is used in vulcanisation of rubber?  
 a)  $\text{SF}_6$                                   b)  $\text{SF}_4$                                   c)  $\text{SF}_2$                                   d)  $\text{S}_2\text{Cl}_2$
938. Superphosphate of lime is obtained from the reaction of:  
 a) Calcium carbonate with phosphoric acid  
 b) Calcium phosphate with hydrochloric acid  
 c) Calcium phosphate with sulphuric acid  
 d) Bones with gypsum
939. The anhydride of orthophosphoric acid is:  
 a)  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$                                   b)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$                                   c)  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$                                   d)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_3$
940. Which is bad conductor of electricity?  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{F}_2$                                   b) HCl                                  c) HBr                                  d) HI
941. Which compound has an incorrect formula?  
 a) Thionyl chloride—  $\text{SOCl}_2$

- b) Sulphuryl chloride—  $\text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2$   
 c) Oleum—  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6$   
 d) Phosphorus oxychloride—  $\text{POCl}_3$
942. Chromium dissolves in dil.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to form  $\text{Cr}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6^{2+}$ . The colour of the ion is:  
 a) Blue                                      b) Green                                      c) Yellow                                      d) Orange
943. The oxide that is not reduced by hydrogen in the hot is:  
 a)  $\text{Ag}_2\text{O}$                                       b)  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$                                       c)  $\text{CuO}$                                       d)  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$
944. Bleaching action of  $\text{SO}_2$  is due to its  
 a) Oxidizing property                      b) Acidic property                      c) Basic property                      d) Reducing property
945. The chloric acid and chlorates are:  
 a) Good oxidizing agents  
 b) Bleaching agents  
 c) Undergo disproportionation on heating  
 d) All of the above
946. The oxidation number of xenon in  $\text{XeOF}_2$  is  
 a) Zero                                      b) 2                                      c) 4                                      d) 3
947. Which metal liberates  $\text{H}_2$  with dil. nitric acid?  
 a) Zn                                      b) Cu                                      c) Mn                                      d) Hg
948. When dry chlorine is passed over silver chlorate at 460 K, the product is:  
 a)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$                                       b)  $\text{ClO}_2$                                       c)  $\text{ClO}_3$                                       d)  $\text{ClO}_4$
949.  $\text{FeCl}_3$  solution on reaction with  $\text{SO}_2$  changes to:  
 a)  $\text{FeCl}_2$                                       b)  $\text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$                                       c)  $\text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_3)_3$                                       d)  $\text{FeSO}_4$
950. Which of the following is known as Berthelot's salt?  
 a)  $(\text{NaPO}_3)_6$                                       b)  $\text{NaOCl}$                                       c)  $\text{KClO}_3$                                       d)  $\text{KHF}_2$
951. Pb reacts with dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$  gives  
 a) NO                                      b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                                       d)  $\text{NO}_2$
952. The chemical used for cooling in refrigeration or in manufacture of ice is:  
 a)  $\text{CS}_2$                                       b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$                                       c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$                                       d) Liquid  $\text{NH}_3$
953. If an allotropic form changes slowly to a stable form. It is called  
 a) Enantiotropy                                      b) Dynamic allotropy                                      c) Monotropy                                      d) None of these
954. The percentage of  $\text{N}_2$  in air is:  
 a) 75% by weight                                      b) 78.7% by volume                                      c) Both (a) and (b)                                      d) None of these
955. Xenon best reacts with:  
 a) The most electropositive element  
 b) The most electronegative element  
 c) The hydrogen halides  
 d) Non-metals
956. 98%  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is:  
 a) Pyrosulphuric acid                      b) Oleum                                      c) Azeotropic mixture                      d) None of these
957. Excess of KI reacts with  $\text{CuSO}_4$  solution and then  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$  solution is added to it. Which of the statement is incorrect for this reaction?  
 a) Evolved  $\text{I}_2$  is reduced                      b)  $\text{CuI}_2$  is formed                      c)  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$  is oxidised                      d)  $\text{Cu}_2\text{I}_2$  is formed
958. The gas used in the manufacture of ice-cream is:  
 a)  $\text{CO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                                       c) NO                                      d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$
959. A white precipitate is obtained on hydrolysis of:  
 a)  $\text{PCl}_5$                                       b)  $\text{NCl}_3$                                       c)  $\text{BiCl}_3$                                       d)  $\text{AsCl}_3$
960. The equation,  $2\text{KClO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + 3\text{O}_2$  indicates all of the following, except:  
 a) New compounds are formed  
 b) The reaction is exothermic  
 c) The law of conservation of mass is obeyed

- d) The amount of  $\text{KClO}_3$  decomposes
961. In a given sample of bleaching powder the percentage of available chlorine is 49. The volume of chlorine obtained if 10 g of the sample is treated with  $\text{HCl}$  at NTP is:  
 a) 1.5 litre                      b) 3.0 litre                      c) 15.0 litre                      d) 150 litre
962. Which one has the highest percentage of nitrogen?  
 a) Calcium nitrate                      b) Ammonium sulphate  
 c) Urea                      d) Ammonium nitrate
963. Which has maximum pH in aqueous solution?  
 a)  $\text{NaClO}$                       b)  $\text{NaClO}_2$                       c)  $\text{NaClO}_3$                       d)  $\text{NaClO}_4$
964. Which of the following is not a drying and dehydrating agent?  
 a) Silica gel                      b)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$                       c) Conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       d) Hydrated  $\text{CaCl}_2$
965. The compound that attacks pyrex glass is:  
 a)  $\text{XeF}_2$                       b)  $\text{XeF}_4$                       c)  $\text{XeF}_6$                       d) None of these
966. In the reaction  $\text{K} + \text{SO}_2 \rightarrow \dots$ , the products are:  
 a)  $\text{KO}_2 + \text{S}$                       b)  $\text{K}_2\text{SO}_3 + \text{K}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$                       c)  $\text{K}_2\text{SO}_4$                       d) None of these
967.  $\text{Cl}(\text{OH})$  is:  
 a) An oxide                      b) A chloride                      c) A hydride                      d) An acid
968. Which of the following occurs in free state?  
 a) N                      b) P                      c) As                      d) Sb
969. Which one is not an acid salt?  
 a)  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_2$                       b)  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_3$                       c)  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4$                       d) None of these
970. Oxygen is gas but sulphur is solid because:  
 a) Oxygen is composed of discrete molecules while sulphur is polymeric  
 b) Molecular weight of sulphur is much higher than that of oxygen  
 c) Oxygen is a stronger oxidizing agent than sulphur  
 d) Boiling point of sulphur is much higher than that of oxygen
971. In contact process impurities of arsenic are removed by:  
 a)  $\text{Al}(\text{OH})_3$                       b)  $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$                       c)  $\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3$                       d)  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$
972. Concentrated sulphuric acid does not act as:  
 a) Efflorescent                      b) Hygroscopic                      c) Oxidizing agent                      d) Sulphonating agent
973. Which halogen does not react with water?  
 a)  $\text{F}_2$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2$                       c)  $\text{Br}_2$                       d)  $\text{I}_2$
974. Which hydride is most acidic?  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{Te}$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{Se}$
975. The discovery of isotopes began with the experiments with:  
 a) Xe                      b) Kr                      c) Ar                      d) Ne
976. In the oxo-acids of chlorine  $\text{Cl}-\text{O}$  bond contains:  
 a)  $d\pi - d\pi$  bonding                      b)  $p\pi - d\pi$  bonding                      c)  $p\pi - p\pi$  bonding                      d) None of these
977. Arsenic acid is:  
 a)  $\text{H}_3\text{AsO}_3$                       b)  $\text{H}_3\text{AsO}_4$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{AsO}_4$                       d)  $\text{HAsO}_4$
978. The halogen that is most readily reduced is:  
 a) Chlorine  
 b) Bromine  
 c) Iodine  
 d) Fluorine
979. The bond angle  $\text{O}-\text{S}-\text{O}$  and hybridization of sulphur in  $\text{SO}_2$  are:  
 a)  $119.5^\circ, sp^3$                       b)  $119.5^\circ, sp^2$                       c)  $109^\circ 28', sp^3$                       d) None of these
980. Which of the element of nitrogen family produce maximum number of oxy-acids?  
 a) N                      b) P                      c) As                      d) Sb
981. Halogens are placed in the VIIA group or gp. 17 of the periodic table, because:

- a) They are non-metals  
 b) They are very reactive  
 c) They are electronegative  
 d) They have 7 electrons in outermost orbit
982. Nitrosyl chloride is:  
 a) NOCl                      b) NOCl<sub>2</sub>                      c) NO<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>                      d) N<sub>2</sub>OCl<sub>2</sub>
983. Which of the following gives M<sup>3+</sup> ion most readily?  
 a) P                      b) N                      c) Sn                      d) As
984. There is very little difference in acid strength in the acids H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>, H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>2</sub> because:  
 a) Phosphorus in these acids exists in different oxidation states  
 b) The hydrogen in these acids are not all bound to the phosphorus and have same number of unprotonated oxygen  
 c) Phosphorus is highly electronegative element  
 d) Phosphorus oxides are less basic
985. Among the following molecule (i) XeO<sub>3</sub> (ii) XeOF<sub>4</sub> (iii)XeF<sub>6</sub>  
 Those having same number of lone pairs on Xe are  
 a) (i) and (iii) only                      b) (i) and (ii) only                      c) (ii) and (iii) only                      d) (i), (ii) and (iii)
986. Which possesses highest percentage of ionic character?  
 a) HCl                      b) HBr                      c) HF                      d) HI
987. Bleaching powder slowly loses its activity when it stands in air. This is due to:  
 a) Reaction with moisture to liberate O<sub>2</sub>  
 b) Auto oxidation  
 c) Loss of CaCl<sub>2</sub>  
 d) Formation of Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub>
988. Which statement is false?  
 a) NH<sub>3</sub> is a Lewis base  
 b) NH<sub>3</sub> molecule is triangular planar  
 c) NH<sub>3</sub> does not act as reducing agent  
 d) NH<sub>3</sub> (liquid) is used as a solvent
989. The number of hydrogen atom(s) attached to phosphorus atom in hypophosphorus acid is ?  
 a) Three                      b) One                      c) Two                      d) Zero
990. Which one of the following cations does not form a complex with ammonia?  
 a) Ag<sup>+</sup>                      b) Cu<sup>2+</sup>                      c) Cd<sup>2+</sup>                      d) Pb<sup>2+</sup>
991. In the laboratory H<sub>2</sub>S gas is prepared by using black lumps and dil. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. The black lumps are  
 a) FeSO<sub>4</sub>                      b) MnO<sub>2</sub>                      c) FeS                      d) FeSO<sub>3</sub>
992. Nuclear fusion produces  
 a) Argon                      b) Deuterium                      c) Helium                      d) Krypton
993. Which possesses least stable covalent P—H bond?  
 a) PH<sub>3</sub>                      b) P<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub>                      c) P<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>                      d) PH<sub>6</sub><sup>+</sup>
994. The correct order of the thermal stability of hydrogen halides (H – X) is  
 a) HI > HCl > HF > HBr                      b) HCl > HF > HBr > HI                      c) HF > HCl > HBr > HI                      d) HI > HBr > HCl > HF
995. Noble gases can be separated by:  
 a) Passing them through some solutions  
 b) Electrolysis of their compounds  
 c) Adsorption and desorption on coconut charcoal  
 d) None of the above
996. Which of the following statements is not valid for oxoacids of phosphorus?  
 a) All oxoacids contain tetrahedral four coordinated phosphorus  
 b) All oxoacids contains atleast one P = O unit and one P—OH group  
 c) Orthophosphoric acid is used in the manufacture of triple superphosphate

- d) Hypophosphorous acid is a diprotic acid
997. Which statement is not true for astatine?
- It is less electronegative than iodine
  - It exhibits only -1 oxidation state
  - Intermolecular forces between the astatine molecules will be larger than between the iodine molecules
  - It is composed of diatomic molecules
998. The only element in VIA group or group 16 elements, which is definitely a metal, is:
- Tellurium
  - Selenium
  - Sulphur
  - Polonium
999. The increasing order of reactivity of halogens is:
- $I_2 < Br_2 < Cl_2 < F_2$
  - $Cl_2 < F_2 < Br_2 < I_2$
  - $Cl_2 < Br_2 < I_2 < F_2$
  - $I_2 < Cl_2 < Br_2 < F_2$
- 100 Coconut charcoal at  $-100^\circ\text{C}$  adsorbs a mixture of:
- He and Kr
  - Ar, Kr and Xe
  - Kr and Xe
  - He and Ne
- 100 Clathrates are
- Non-stoichiometric compounds
  - Complex compounds
  - Interstitial compounds
  - Ionic compounds
- 100 Two pungent smelling gases bleach a certain substance. The gases may be:
- $Cl_2$  and  $SO_2$
  - $Cl_2$  and  $NH_3$
  - $NH_3$  and  $PH_3$
  - $O_2$  and  $CO_2$
- 100 Nitrogen is an essential constituent of all:
- Proteins
  - Fats
  - Proteins and fats
  - None of these
- 100 Mark the halogen which shows electropositive character:
- F
  - Cl
  - Br
  - I
- 100 Which of the following is called Berthelot's salt?
- $(NaPO_3)_6$
  - NaOCl
  - $KClO_3$
  - $KHF_2$
- 100 A compound which leaves behind no residue on heating is:
- $Cu(NO_3)_2$
  - $KNO_3$
  - $NH_4NO_3$
  - None of these
- 100 Phosphine on reaction with hydrobromic acid gives:
- $PBr_3$
  - $PH_4Br$
  - $PBr_5$
  - $P_2H_4$
- 100 Bleaching powder has the molecular formula:
- $CaClO_3$
  - CaClO
  - $CaOCl_2$
  - $Ca(OCl)_2$
- 100 Six volumes of oxygen, on complete ozonisation, form .... Volumes of ozone.
- 2
  - 4
  - 6
  - 3
- 101 Iodine solution stained on clothes can be removed by:
- NaCl
  - NaBr
  - $Na_2S_2O_3$
  - $Na_2S_4O_6$
- 101 The substance which does not liberate oxygen on treatment with ozone is
- PbS
  - HCl
  - $SO_2$
  - Hg
- 101 In the reaction  $CaS + H_2S \rightarrow \dots$ , the products are:
- $CaS_2 + H_2$
  - $CaS_3 + H_2$
  - $CaS_5 + H_2$
  - Ca + S
- 101 HI cannot be prepared by heating KI with conc.  $H_2SO_4$  because:



3.  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is stronger acid than HI  
 b) HI is stronger acid than  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is an oxidizing agent  
 d) HI is more volatile than  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
- 101 Lead nitrate on heating gives lead oxide, nitrogen dioxide and oxygen. The reaction is known as:  
 4.  
 a) Combustion                      b) Combination                      c) Displacement                      d) Decomposition
- 101 Which hydride is the strongest base?  
 5.  
 a)  $\text{AsH}_3$                               b)  $\text{NH}_3$                               c)  $\text{PH}_3$                               d)  $\text{SbH}_3$
- 101 Which forms maximum compounds with xenon?  
 6.  
 a) F                                      b) Cl                                      c) Br                                      d) I
- 101 Claude's process is used in the manufacture of:  
 7.  
 a)  $\text{N}_2$                                       b)  $\text{NH}_3$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                                       d)  $\text{NO}_2$
- 101 Which is a saline oxide?  
 8.  
 a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2$                               b)  $\text{BaO}_2$                               c)  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$                               d)  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$
- 101 Which set of elements has the strong tendency to form anions?  
 9.  
 a) N, O, F                              b) P, S, Cl                              c) As, Se, Br                              d) Sb, Te, I
- 102 Light blue colour of nitrous acid is due to dissolved:  
 0.  
 a)  $\text{O}_2$                                       b)  $\text{N}_2$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                                       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$
- 102 Which one of the following pairs of reactants does not form oxygen when they react with each other?  
 1.  
 a)  $\text{F}_2$ , NaOH solution (hot, conc.)                      b)  $\text{F}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 c)  $\text{Cl}_2$ , NaOH solution (cold, dilute)                      d)  $\text{CaOCl}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ , (dilute, small amount)
- 102 Oxide of a non-metal possesses the following characteristics: (i) It is both a proton donor and proton acceptor. (ii) It is poor conductor of electricity. (iii) It reacts readily with basic and acidic oxides. (iv) It oxidises Fe at boiling point. The oxide is:  
 2.  
 a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                               b)  $\text{CO}_2$                               c)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$                               d) NO
- 102 Most unstable hydride is  
 3.  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                               b)  $\text{PH}_3$                               c)  $\text{AsH}_3$                               d)  $\text{BiH}_3$
- 102 Phosphide ion has the electronic structure similar to that of:  
 4.  
 a) Nitride ion                              b) Chloride ion                              c) Fluoride ion                              d) Sodium ion
- 102 The gaseous mixture used by deep sea divers for respiration is:  
 5.  
 a)  $\text{N}_2 + \text{O}_2$  mixture                      b)  $\text{He} + \text{O}_2$  mixture                      c)  $\text{Ar} + \text{O}_2$  mixture                      d)  $\text{Ne} + \text{O}_2$  mixture
- 102 A gas that cannot be collected over water is  
 6.  
 a)  $\text{SO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{N}_2$                                       c)  $\text{O}_2$                                       d)  $\text{PH}_3$
- 102 Which is used in the manufacture of safe matchsticks?  
 7.  
 a) Red phosphorus                      b) Sulphur                              c) Selenium                              d) White phosphorus
- 102 Bond angle in  $\text{O}_3$  molecule is:  
 8.

- a)  $108^{\circ} 29'$                       b)  $108^{\circ} 28'$                       c)  $116^{\circ} 90'$                       d)  $120^{\circ}$
- 102 The noble gas which shows abnormal behaviour in liquid state and behave as super fluid is  
9.
- a) Ne                                      b) He                                      c) Ar                                      d) Xe
- 103 Which of the following is not hydrolysed?  
0.
- a)  $\text{PF}_3$                                       b)  $\text{SbCl}_3$                                       c)  $\text{AsCl}_3$                                       d)  $\text{NF}_3$
- 103  $\text{NH}_3$  has a much higher boiling point than  $\text{PH}_3$  because:  
1.
- a)  $\text{NH}_3$  has a higher molecular weight  
b)  $\text{NH}_3$  undergoes umbrella inversion  
c)  $\text{NH}_3$  forms hydrogen bond  
d)  $\text{NH}_3$  contains ionic bonds whereas  $\text{PH}_3$  contains covalent bonds
- 103 An element belongs to group 15 and third period of the periodic table. Its electronic configuration will be  
2.
- a)  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^3$                               b)  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^4$                               c)  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^3$                               d)  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 3s^2 3p^2$
- 103 The reagent used for testing ammonia is:  
3.
- a) Bayer's reagent                      b) Nessler's reagent                      c) Fenton's reagent                      d) Molisch reagent
- 103 Elements of nitrogen family having allotropic forms are:  
4.
- a) N, Sb, Bi                                      b) N, P, As, Sb                                      c) As, Sb, Bi                                      d) P, As, Bi
- 103 An example of tetrabasic acid is:  
5.
- a) Orthophosphorus acid  
b) Orthophosphoric acid  
c) Metaphosphoric acid  
d) Pyrophosphoric acid
- 103 Phosphoric acid is syrupy liquid due to:  
6.
- a) Strong covalent bond    b) Van der Waals' forces    c) Hydrogen bonding    d) None of these
- 103 Two oxides of nitrogen NO and  $\text{NO}_2$  react together at  $253^{\circ}\text{K}$  and form a compound of nitrogen X. X reacts  
7. with water to yield another compound of nitrogen Y.  
The shape of the anion of Y molecule is
- a) Tetrahedral                      b) Triangular planar                      c) Square planar                      d) Pyramidal
- 103 The noble gas which forms maximum number of compounds is  
8.
- a) Ar                                      b) He                                      c) Ne                                      d) Xe
- 103 When conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is heated with  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ , the acid is converted into  
9.
- a) Sulphure trioxide  
b) Sulphur dioxide  
c) Sulphur  
d) A mixture of sulphur dioxide and sulphur trioxide
- 104 The most reactive allotropic form of phosphorus is:  
0.
- a) Red phosphorus                      b) Yellow phosphorus                      c) Black phosphorus                      d) Violet phosphorus
- 104  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  when treated with cold water gives:  
1.
- a) Orthophosphoric acid    b) Metaphosphoric acid    c) Pyrophosphoric acid    d) Hypophosphoric acid
- 104 Sodium pyrophosphate is represented by which of the following formula?

2. a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{P}_2\text{O}_4$                       b)  $\text{Na}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$                       c)  $\text{Na}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$                       d)  $\text{Na}_2\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$
- 104 Which of the following(s) when heated give nitrogen gas?
3. a)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$                       b)  $\text{Ba}(\text{N}_3)_2$                       c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$                       d) Both a and b
- 104 Ozone is readily dissolved in:
4. a) Water                      b) Turpentine oil                      c) Carbon disulphide                      d) Ammonia
- 104 When  $\text{AgNO}_3$  is heated strongly, the products formed are
5. a)  $\text{NO}$  and  $\text{NO}_2$                       b)  $\text{NO}_2$  and  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$                       c)  $\text{NO}$  and  $\text{O}_2$                       d)  $\text{NO}_2$  and  $\text{O}_2$
- 104 Agron was discovered by
6. a) Rayleigh                      b) Ramsay  
c) Both (a) and (b)                      d) Frankland and Lockeyer
- 104 Phosphorus compound used as drying agent and desiccating agent is:
7. a)  $\text{PCl}_3$                       b)  $\text{PCl}_5$                       c)  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$                       d)  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$
- 104 How many bonding electron pairs are there in white phosphorus ?
8. a) 6                      b) 12                      c) 4                      d) 8
- 104 Which of the following does not react with fluorine?
9. a) Kr                      b) Ar                      c) Xe                      d) All of these
- 105 Which of the following causes damage to the building containing calcium and responsible for cough and choking in human?
0. a) Sulphur                      b) Carbon                      c) Nitrogen dioxide                      d) Sulphur dioxide
- 105  $\text{ClO}^-$  disproportionate into
1. a)  $\text{Cl}^-$  and  $\text{O}$                       b)  $\text{Cl}^-$  and  $\text{ClO}_3^-$                       c)  $\text{Cl}$  and  $\text{O}$                       d)  $\text{Cl}^-$  and  $\text{O}^-$
- 105 Hydrofluoric acid is not preserved in glass bottles because:
2. a) It reacts with the visible part of light  
b) It reacts with the sodium oxide of the glass composition  
c) It reacts with the aluminium oxide of the glass composition  
d) It reacts with the silicon dioxide of glass
- 105  $\text{SO}_2$  acts as temporary bleaching agent but  $\text{Cl}_2$  acts as permanent bleaching agent. why?
3. a)  $\text{Cl}_2$  bleaches due to reduction but  $\text{SO}_2$  due oxidation  
b)  $\text{Cl}_2$  bleaches due to oxidation but  $\text{SO}_2$  due to reduction.  
c) Both of the above  
d) None of the above
- 105 Liquid ammonia bottles be opened after cooling them in ice for some time. It is because liquid  $\text{NH}_3$ :
4. a) Brings tears in the eyes  
b) Has a high vapour pressure  
c) Is a corrosive liquid  
d) Is a mild explosive
- 105 ... is the compound which can remove both oxygen and nitrogen of the air when it is passed over it at 1000°C.
5. a)  $\text{CaC}_2$                       b)  $\text{CaCl}_2$                       c)  $\text{CaCN}_2$                       d)  $\text{Ca}(\text{CN})_2$

105 The crystals of ferrous sulphate on heating give:

6.

- a)  $\text{FeO} + \text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- b)  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- c)  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- d)  $\text{FeO} + \text{SO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

105 Which one of the following reactions does not occur ?

7.

- a)  $\text{F}_2 + \text{Cl}^- \rightarrow 2\text{F}^- + \text{Cl}_2$
- b)  $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{F}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^- + \text{F}_2$
- c)  $\text{Br}_2 + 2\text{I}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Br}^- + \text{I}_2$
- d)  $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{Br}^- \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}^- + \text{Br}_2$

105 By the action of hot conc  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ , phosphorus changes to

8.

- a) Phosphorous acid
- b) Metaphosphoric acid
- c) Pyrophosphoric acid
- d) Orthophosphoric acid

105 Which is an amphoteric oxide?

9.

- a)  $\text{SO}_2$
- b)  $\text{B}_2\text{O}_3$
- c)  $\text{ZnO}$
- d)  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$

106 Anhydride of nitric acid is:

10.

- a)  $\text{NO}$
- b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$
- c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$
- d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$

106 Which of the following attacks glass:

11.

- a)  $\text{HCl}$
- b)  $\text{HF}$
- c)  $\text{HI}$
- d)  $\text{HBr}$

106 Which property of white phosphorus is common to red P?

12.

- a) It is soluble in carbon disulphide
- b) It shows chemiluminescence
- c) It reacts with hot caustic soda solution to give phosphine
- d) It burns when heated in air

106 Which one of the following pairs of substances when mixed, produces chlorine gas at room temperature?

13.

- a)  $\text{NaCl}$  and  $\text{MnO}_2$
- b)  $\text{NaCl}$  and  $\text{HNO}_3$  (conc)
- c)  $\text{NaCl}$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  (conc)
- d)  $\text{HCl}$  (conc) and  $\text{KMnO}_4$

106 Oxygen is divalent, whereas sulphur exhibits valency of 2, 4 and 6 due to:

14.

- a) S is bigger atom
- b) Ionization potential of sulphur is more
- c) S being less electronegative than O
- d) Presence of *d*-orbitals in S

106 Which of the following elements is good conductor of electricity?

15.

- a) As
- b) Sb
- c) Bi
- d) All of these

106 Which one is known as oil of vitriol?

16.

- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$
- b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$
- c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$
- d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

106 The electrolysis of brine solution to manufacture chlorine is carried out in the:

17.

- a) Dennis cell
- b) Gray cell
- c) Nelson cell
- d) Solvay cell

106 The correct order of acidic strength is:

18.

- a)  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{SiO}_2 < \text{P}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{SO}_2$

- b)  $\text{SiO}_2 < \text{SO}_2 < \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{P}_2\text{O}_3$   
 c)  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{SiO}_2 < \text{SO}_2 < \text{P}_2\text{O}_3$   
 d)  $\text{SO}_2 < \text{P}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{SiO}_2 < \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$
- 106 Ozone molecule has ..... geometry.  
 9. a) Linear                      b) Triangular                      c) Tetrahedral                      d) None of these
- 107 Which is not true for ozone?  
 0. a) It oxidizes lead sulphide  
 b) It oxidizes potassium iodide  
 c) It oxidizes mercury  
 d) It cannot act as bleaching agent
- 107 The strongest oxidizing agent is:  
 1. a)  $\text{HNO}_3$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$
- 107 The oxidation states of phosphorus vary from:  
 2. a)  $-1$  to  $+3$                       b)  $-3$  to  $+3$                       c)  $-3$  to  $+5$                       d)  $-5$  to  $+1$
- 107 The following element forms a molecule with eight of its own atoms  
 3. a) Si                      b) S                      c) Cl                      d) P
- 107 The correct order of acidic nature of oxides is in the order  
 4. a)  $\text{NO} < \text{N}_2\text{O} < \text{N}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{NO}_2 < \text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O} < \text{NO} < \text{N}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{NO}_2 < \text{N}_2\text{O}_5$   
 c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 < \text{NO}_2 < \text{N}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{NO} < \text{N}_2\text{O}$                       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 < \text{N}_2\text{O}_3 < \text{NO}_2 < \text{NO} < \text{N}_2\text{O}$
- 107 Bleaching powder is mixed calcium salt of:  
 5. a) HCl and HClO                      b)  $\text{HClO}_2$  and HCl                      c) HClO and  $\text{HClO}_2$                       d) HCl and  $\text{HClO}_3$
- 107 In compounds of type  $\text{ECl}_3$ , where  $E = \text{B, P, As}$  or  $\text{Bi}$  the angles  $\text{Cl} - \text{E} - \text{Cl}$  for different  $E$  are in the order  
 6. a)  $\text{B} > \text{P} > \text{As} > \text{Bi}$                       b)  $\text{B} > \text{P} = \text{As} = \text{Bi}$                       c)  $\text{B} < \text{P} = \text{As} = \text{Bi}$                       d)  $\text{B} < \text{P} < \text{As} < \text{Bi}$
- 107 Bleaching properties of bleaching powder are due to its:  
 7. a) Oxidizing properties  
 b) Reducing properties  
 c) Basic properties  
 d) Disinfecting properties
- 107 One mole of calcium phosphide on reaction with excess water gives  
 8. a) One mole of phosphorus pentoxide                      b) Two moles of phosphine  
 c) One mole of phosphine                      d) Two moles of phosphoric acid
- 107 Which noble gas has the least tendency to form compounds?  
 9. a) He                      b) Ne                      c) Kr                      d) Xe
- 108 Mixture used on tips of matchsticks is:  
 0. a) S + K                      b) Antimony sulphide                      c)  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{S} + \text{red P}$                       d)  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{K} + \text{S}$
- 108 A dark brown solid (X) reacts with  $\text{NH}_3$  to form a mild explosive which decomposes to give a violet coloured gas. (X) also reacts with  $\text{H}_2$  to give an acid (Y). (Y) can also be prepared by heating its salt with  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$ . X and Y are  
 1. a)  $\text{Cl}_2, \text{HCl}$                       b)  $\text{SO}_2, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       c)  $\text{Br}_2, \text{HBr}$                       d)  $\text{I}_2, \text{HI}$

- 108 The catalyst used in the manufacture of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  by contact process is
- 2.
- a)  $\text{V}_2\text{O}_3$                       b)  $\text{V}_2\text{O}_5$                       c)  $\text{FeO}$                       d)  $\text{Cu}$
- 108 Which one is the strongest reducing agent?
- 3.
- a)  $\text{NH}_3$                       b)  $\text{AsH}_3$                       c)  $\text{SbH}_3$                       d)  $\text{PH}_3$
- 108 Which among the following statements are correct?
- 4.
- (i) Carbon monoxide is neutral whereas  $\text{SO}_3$  is acidic.  
(ii) Potassium oxide is basic whereas nitrous oxide is acidic.  
(iii) Aluminium and zinc oxides are amphoteric.  
(iv) Sulphur trioxide is acidic whereas phosphorus pentoxide is basic.  
(v) Carbon dioxide is neutral whereas sulphur dioxide is amphoteric
- a) (ii) and (iii)                      b) (i) and (iv)                      c) (i) and (iii)                      d) (ii) and (iv)
- 108 Aqua fortis is:
- 5.
- a)  $\text{HNO}_3$                       b)  $\text{HNO}_2$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{NO}_2$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$
- 108 Which among the following is the strongest acid?
- 6.
- a)  $\text{HF}$                       b)  $\text{HCl}$                       c)  $\text{HBr}$                       d)  $\text{HI}$
- 108 Which does not liberate  $\text{O}_2$  on heating?
- 7.
- a)  $\text{MgO}$                       b)  $\text{NaNO}_3$                       c)  $\text{Pb}_3\text{O}_4$                       d)  $\text{KClO}_3$
- 108 Late discovery of  $\text{F}_2$  is due to its:
- 8.
- a) High reactivity  
b) High ionization potential  
c) High electronegativity  
d) High electron affinity
- 108 Peroxy acids are
- 9.
- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3, \text{H}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_6$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_6, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_5, \text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3, \text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$
- 109 The pale-yellow coloured gas is:
- 0.
- a)  $\text{Cl}_2$                       b)  $\text{F}_2$                       c)  $\text{Br}_2$                       d)  $\text{I}_2$
- 109 Which of the following is a pseudohalogen?
- 1.
- a)  $\text{ICl}_3$                       b)  $\text{ICl}_2^-$                       c)  $(\text{CN})_2$                       d)  $\text{N}_3^-$
- 109  $\text{Cl}_2$  reacts with  $\text{CS}_2$  in presence of  $\text{I}_2$  catalyst to form
- 2.
- a)  $\text{CHCl}_3$                       b)  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Cl}$                       c)  $\text{CCl}_4$                       d)  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6$
- 109  $\text{HBr}$  and  $\text{HI}$  reduce sulphuric acid;  $\text{HCl}$  can reduce  $\text{KMnO}_4$  and  $\text{HF}$  reduces:
- 3.
- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       b)  $\text{KMnO}_4$                       c)  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$                       d) None of these
- 109 A substance  $X$  when heated with sulphuric acid liberates a gas which turns starch paper blue. The
4. substance is:
- a)  $\text{NaCl}$                       b)  $\text{NaBr}$                       c)  $\text{NaI}$                       d)  $\text{NaNO}_3$
- 109  $\text{NO}_2$  is not obtained on heating
- 5.
- a)  $\text{AgNO}_3$                       b)  $\text{KNO}_3$                       c)  $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2$                       d)  $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
- 109 Concentrated  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  has great affinity for:
- 6.

- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$                                       c)  $\text{CO}_2$                                       d)  $\text{O}_2$
- 109 How can you synthesise nitric oxide in the laboratory?  
7.
- a) Zinc with cold and dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$                                       b) Zinc with concentrated  $\text{HNO}_3$   
c) Copper with cold and dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$                                       d) Heating  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$
- 109 Number of  $p\pi - d\pi$  bonds present in  $\text{XeO}_4$  are  
8.
- a) Four                                      b) Two                                      c) Three                                      d) zero
- 109 Which acid has P—P linkage?  
9.
- a) Hypophosphoric acid  
b) Pyrophosphoric acid  
c) Metaphosphoric acid  
d) Orthophosphoric acid
- 110 By the action of concentrated hydrochloric acid on potassium chlorate we get this mixture of gases:  
0.
- a)  $\text{CO}_2 + \text{Cl}_2$                                       b)  $\text{O}_2 + \text{ClO}_2$                                       c)  $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{ClO}_2$                                       d)  $\text{O}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 + \text{ClO}_2$
- 110 Generally  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  exists as a liquid while  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  as a gas because:  
1.
- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  shows hydrogen bonding  
b) Molecular weight of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is higher  
c) Bond angle in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  is larger  
d) Size of 'O' atom is smaller than 'S' atom
- 110 Ammonium salts are oxidized in the soil to nitrites by:  
2.
- a) Denitrifying bacteria  
b) Nitrifying bacteria  
c) Ammonifying bacteria  
d) Nitrosifying bacteria
- 110 Bleaching powder is a mixture of:  
3.
- a) Calcium hypochlorite and calcium chloride  
b) Calcium chlorate and calcium chloride  
c) Calcium hypochlorite and basic calcium chloride  
d) Calcium chlorate and calcium hydroxide
- 110 When  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  gas is passed through nitric acid, the product is  
4.
- a) Rhombic S                                      b) Amorphous S                                      c) Prismatic S                                      d) None of these
- 110 The chemical formula for tartar emetic is:  
5.
- |                                      |                                       |                                      |  |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| a) $\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{COOH}$ | b) $\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{COONa}$ | c) $\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{COOK}$ | d) $\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{COOSbO}$ |
|                                      |                                       |                                      |  |
| $\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{COOK}$    | $\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{COOK}$     | $\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{COOK}$    | $\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{COOK}$      |
- 110 Iodine imparts brown colour to:  
6.
- a) Water                                      b) Benzene                                      c) Alcohol                                      d) Chloroform
- 110 Neon is extensively used in:  
7.
- a) Cold storage units  
b) Organic compounds  
c) Medicines

- d) Coloured electric discharge lamps
- 110 Fluorine exhibits an oxidation state of only -1 because
- 8.
- |                                      |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| a) It can readily accept an electron | b) It is very strongly electronegative |
| c) It is a non metal                 | d) It belongs to halogen family        |
- 110 When oxygen is passed through a solution of  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3$  we get:
- 9.
- |                             |                          |                     |                 |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| a) $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$ | b) $\text{Na}_2\text{S}$ | c) $\text{NaHSO}_4$ | d) $\text{NaH}$ |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
- 111  $\text{F}_2$  on treatment with methane gives:
- 0.
- |                            |                          |                   |                 |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| a) $\text{CH}_2\text{F}_2$ | b) $\text{CH}_3\text{F}$ | c) $\text{CHF}_3$ | d) All of these |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
- 111 Coloured oxide is nitrogen is:
- 1.
- |                         |                |                           |                  |
|-------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|------------------|
| a) $\text{N}_2\text{O}$ | b) $\text{NO}$ | c) $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$ | d) $\text{NO}_2$ |
|-------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|------------------|
- 111 Oxalic acid on dehydration by conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  gives:
- 2.
- |                             |                |                  |                              |
|-----------------------------|----------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| a) $\text{C} + \text{CO}_2$ | b) $\text{CO}$ | c) $\text{CO}_2$ | d) $\text{CO} + \text{CO}_2$ |
|-----------------------------|----------------|------------------|------------------------------|
- 111 Which of the following is the life saving mixture for an asthma patient?
- 3.
- |                                  |                                |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| a) Mixture of helium and oxygen  | b) Mixture of neon and oxygen  |
| c) Mixture of xenon and nitrogen | d) Mixture of argon and oxygen |
- 111  $\text{SO}_2$  reacts with  $\text{Cl}_2$  to yield:
- 4.
- |                       |                         |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| a) Thionyl chloride   | b) Carbonyl chloride    |
| c) Sulphuryl chloride | d) Sulphur monochloride |
- 111 Which element is used in the preparation of pesticides?
- 5.
- |            |            |             |             |
|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| a) Arsenic | b) Bismuth | c) Antimony | d) Nitrogen |
|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
- 111 Which of the following is not a peroxy acid?
- 6.
- |                       |                   |                        |                    |
|-----------------------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| a) Perphosphoric acid | b) Pernitric acid | c) Perdisulphuric acid | d) Perchloric acid |
|-----------------------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
- 111 White phosphorus is:
- 7.
- |                  |                |                  |                  |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|
| a) Strong poison | b) Mild poison | c) Non-poisonous | d) None of these |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|------------------|
- 111 Which on heating with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  gives violet vapours?
- 8.
- |           |            |             |            |
|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|
| a) Iodide | b) Nitrate | c) Sulphate | d) Bromide |
|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|
- 111 Formation of ozonide is:
- 9.
- |                      |                          |                  |                  |
|----------------------|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| a) Addition reaction | b) Substitution reaction | c) Decomposition | d) None of these |
|----------------------|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|
- 112 Which blue liquid is obtained on reacting equimolar amounts of two gases at  $-30^\circ\text{C}$ ?
- 0.
- |                           |                         |                           |                           |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| a) $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$ | b) $\text{N}_2\text{O}$ | c) $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ | d) $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$ |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
- 112 Which of the following is oxidised in air?
- 1.
- |                  |                         |                  |                     |
|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| a) $\text{CH}_4$ | b) $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ | c) $\text{NaCl}$ | d) White phosphorus |
|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
- 112 Which statement is not correct?
- 2.
- |   |
|---|
| a) White and red phosphorus react with chlorine at room temperature |
|---|



- b) White phosphorus is metastable, while red phosphorus is stable  
c) White phosphorus is lighter than red phosphorus  
d) White phosphorus is highly poisonous, while red phosphorus is not
- 112 Which element does not form stable diatomic molecules?  
3.  
a) Iodine                      b) Phosphorus                      c) Nitrogen                      d) Oxygen
- 112  $H_2S$  is a:  
4.  
a) Weak dibasic acid  
b) Weak monobasic acid  
c) Strong dibasic acid  
d) Strong monobasic acid
- 112 Ozone oxidises moist sulphur to:  
5.  
a)  $SO_2$                       b)  $SO_3$                       c)  $H_2SO_4$                       d) None of these
- 112 Which element reacts with chlorine to give pentachloride?  
6.  
a) P                      b) As                      c) Sb                      d) All of these
- 112 Xenon hexafluoride reacts with silica to form a xenon compound X. The oxidation state of xenon in X is  
7.  
a) +2                      b) +4                      c) +6                      d) 0
- 112 Anomalous behavior of oxygen is due to:  
8.  
a) High electronegativity  
b) Small atomic size  
c) Non-availability of *d*-orbitals  
d) All of the above
- 112 In oxo-acids of halogen,  $X = O$  bond is formed as a result of:  
9.  
a)  $d\pi - d\pi$  overlapping    b)  $p\pi - p\pi$  overlapping    c)  $d\pi - p\pi$  overlapping    d) either of these
- 113 Fuming nitric acid is:  
10.  
a) Conc.  $HNO_3 + NO_2$     b) Conc.  $HNO_3 + NO_3$     c) Conc.  $HNO_3 + N_2O_3$     d) Conc.  $HNO_3 + NO$
- 113 When NaCl or KCl is heated with conc.  $H_2SO_4$  and solid  $K_2Cr_2O_7$ , we get:  
1.  
a) Chromic chloride  
b) Chromous chloride  
c) Chromyl chloride ( $CrO_2Cl_2$ )  
d) Chromic sulphate
- 113 Ozone is used for purifying water because  
2.  
a) It dissociates and release oxygen  
b) Do not leave any foul smell like chlorine.  
c) Kills bacteria, cyst, fungi and acts as a biocide.  
d) All of the above
- 113 Nitrogen is a relatively inactive element because:  
3.  
a) Its atom has a stable electronic configuration  
b) It has a low atomic radius  
c) Its electronegativity is fairly high  
d) Dissociation energy of its molecule is fairly high

113 The following species will not exhibit disproportionation reaction

4.

- a)  $\text{ClO}^-$                       b)  $\text{ClO}_2^-$                       c)  $\text{ClO}_3^-$                       d)  $\text{ClO}_4^-$

113 Which of the following is used to prepare  $\text{Cl}_2$  gas at room temperature from concentrated  $\text{HCl}$ ?

5.

- a)  $\text{MnO}_2$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                       c)  $\text{KMnO}_4$                       d)  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3$

113 Arsine is:

6.

- a) Solid                      b) Liquid                      c) Supersaturate liquid                      d) Gas

113 The arrangement of oxygen atoms around phosphorus atoms in  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$  is:

7.

- a) Pyramidal                      b) Octahedral                      c) Square planar                      d) Tetrahedral

113 Most of the elementary gases are obtained by chemical reaction of their compounds. For example, chlorine

8. is obtained by allowing  $\text{KMnO}_4$  to react with hydrochloric acid. Fluorine, however, can be obtained only by the electrolysis of a fluoride. This is because:

- a) Fluorine is a highly reactive gas  
b) Fluorine is the strongest chemical oxidizing agent  
c) Fluorine is highly poisonous  
d) It is easy to electrolyse a fluoride

113 The number of different oxides of chlorine is:

9.

- a) 3                      b) 4                      c) 5                      d) 6

114 The gas which does not show oxidizing and bleaching properties is:

10.

- a) Chlorine                      b) Ozone                      c) Sulphur dioxide                      d) Nitrous oxide

114 Ammonia is generally manufactured for fertilizers by the reaction:

1.

- a)  $2\text{NH}_4\text{Cl} + \text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2 \rightarrow \text{CaCl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{NH}_3$   
b) By passing an electric discharge in a mixture of  $\text{N}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2$   
c) By reducing the byproduct nitric acid  
d) By passing a mixture of  $\text{N}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2$  under high pressure and moderate temperature over a catalyst

114 Which halide of nitrogen is least basic?

2.

- a)  $\text{NF}_3$                       b)  $\text{NCl}_3$                       c)  $\text{NI}_3$                       d)  $\text{NBr}_3$

114 Reagent used to distinguish  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  and  $\text{O}_3$  is:

3.

- a)  $\text{PbS}$                       b) Starch and iodine                      c)  $\text{KMnO}_4$                       d) Bleaching powder

114 Which one liberates  $\text{Br}_2$  from  $\text{KBr}$ ?

4.

- a)  $\text{I}_2$                       b)  $\text{HI}$                       c)  $\text{Cl}_2$                       d)  $\text{SO}_2$

114 Which chloride is explosive?

5.

- a)  $\text{PCl}_3$                       b)  $\text{AsCl}_3$                       c)  $\text{NCl}_3$                       d)  $\text{SbCl}_3$

114 Extra pure  $\text{N}_2$  can be obtained by heating

6.

- a)  $\text{NH}_3$  with  $\text{CuO}$                       b)  $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3$                       c)  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$                       d)  $\text{Ba}(\text{N}_3)_2$

114 Tincture of iodine is:

7.

- a)  $\text{I}_2$ ,  $\text{KI}$  and rectified spirit  
b)  $\text{I}_2$  and rectified spirit  
c)  $\text{KI}$  and rectified spirit

- d) I<sub>2</sub> and water
- 114 What are the products formed in the reaction of xenon hexafluoride with silicon dioxide?
- 8.
- a) XeSiO<sub>4</sub> + HF                      b) XeF<sub>2</sub> + SiF<sub>4</sub>                      c) XeOF<sub>4</sub> + SiF<sub>4</sub>                      d) XeO<sub>3</sub> + SiF<sub>2</sub>
- 114 Mixture of sand and iodine can be separated by:
- 9.
- a) Dissolving in water and filtering  
b) Fractional crystallization  
c) Sublimation  
d) Separation is not possible
- 115 Cl<sub>2</sub> gas is evolved as byproduct in the manufacture of all the following elements except:
- 0.
- a) Mg                                      b) Na                                      c) Al                                      d) K
- 115 Which is more suitable for storing concentrated H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>?
- 1.
- a) Copper vessel                      b) Aluminium vessel                      c) Earthen vessel                      d) Glass vessel
- 115 Sodium nitrate on heating with zinc dust and caustic soda gives:
- 2.
- a) NaNO<sub>2</sub>                                      b) NH<sub>3</sub>                                      c) NO<sub>2</sub>                                      d) N<sub>2</sub>O
- 115 Which of the following forms vortex ring?
- 3.
- a) P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>                                      b) PH<sub>3</sub>                                      c) NH<sub>3</sub>                                      d) P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>10</sub>
- 115 When radioactive minerals like cleveite, monazite and pitchblende are heated to 1273 k in vacuo the noble gas obtained is
- 4.
- a) Rn                                      b) Kr                                      c) He                                      d) Ne
- 115 Diamagnetic oxide of chlorine is:
- 5.
- a) ClO<sub>3</sub>                                      b) Cl<sub>2</sub>O<sub>6</sub>                                      c) ClO<sub>2</sub>                                      d) None of these
- 115 Best absorbent for SO<sub>2</sub> is:
- 6.
- a) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>                                      b) KOH(aq.)                                      c) Water                                      d) CaCl<sub>2</sub> anhyd.
- 115 In which reaction does SO<sub>2</sub> act as oxidizing agent?
- 7.
- a) Acidified KMnO<sub>4</sub>                      b) Acidified K<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>                      c) Acidified C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>OH                      d) H<sub>2</sub>S
- 115 In one of the following reactions HNO<sub>3</sub> does not behave as an oxidizing agent Identify it
- 8.
- a) I<sub>2</sub> + 10HNO<sub>3</sub> → 2HIO<sub>3</sub> + 10NO<sub>2</sub> + 4H<sub>2</sub>O  
b) 3Cu + 8HNO<sub>3</sub> → 3Cu(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> + 2NO + 4H<sub>2</sub>O  
c) 4Zn + 10HNO<sub>3</sub> → 4Zn(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> + NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub> + 3H<sub>2</sub>O  
d) 2HNO<sub>3</sub> + P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> → 2HPO<sub>3</sub> + N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>
- 115 Bleaching powder is an example of:
- 9.
- a) An acidic salt                      b) A complex salt                      c) A double salt                      d) A mixed salt
- 116 Iron sulphide is heated in air to form A. an oxide of sulphur. A is dissolved in water to give an acid. The basicity of this acid is....
- 0.
- a) 2                                      b) 3                                      c) 1                                      d) zero
- 116 When ammonia is dissolved in water:
- 1.
- a) It loses a proton  
b) It loses an electron  
c) It gains a proton from water molecule

- d) It gains an electron from water molecule
- 116 The S – S – S bond angle in  $S_8$  molecule is
- 2.
- a)  $109.5^\circ$                       b)  $105^\circ$                       c)  $110^\circ$                       d)  $60^\circ$
- 116 Which of the following is planar?
- 3.
- a)  $XeF_2$                       b)  $XeO_2F_2$                       c)  $XeO_3F$                       d)  $XeF_4$
- 116 Which oxide of N is neutral?
- 4.
- a)  $N_2O_3$                       b)  $N_2O_5$                       c)  $N_2O_4$                       d)  $N_2O$
- 116  $I_2$  can exist in the oxidation states:
- 5.
- a) -1, +1, +3, +5                      b) -1, +1, +3                      c) +3, +5, +7                      d) -1, +1, +3, +5, +7
- 116 Ozone is manufactured by carrying silent electric discharge using:
- 6.
- a) Siemens ozonizer  
b) Brodie's ozonizer  
c) Siemens and Halske's ozonizer  
d) All of the above
- 116 Which forms new compound in air?
- 7.
- a)  $H_2O$  in air                      b)  $O_2$  in air                      c)  $N_2$  in air                      d) Phosphorus in air
- 116 Which statement regarding He is incorrect?
- 8.
- a) It is used in gas cooled nuclear reactor  
b) It is used as a cryogenic agent for carrying out experiment at low temperature  
c) It is used to produce and sustain powerful superconducting magnets  
d) It is used to fill gas balloons instead of  $H_2$  because it is lighter and non-combustible
- 116 Reactivity of NO is due to:
- 9.
- a) Its low molecular weight  
b) Its gaseous state  
c) Odd electron  
d) None of the above
- 117 Welding of magnesium can be done in an atmosphere of:
- 0.
- a)  $O_2$                       b) He                      c)  $N_2$                       d) All of these
- 117 Colloidal sulphur is obtained by the action of  $HNO_3$  on:
- 1.
- a)  $H_2S$                       b) HgS                      c)  $CaS_2$                       d)  $CaS_2O_3$
- 117 Treatment of  $CS_2$  with excess of  $Cl_2$  gives:
- 2.
- a)  $CCl_4$                       b)  $CHCl_3$                       c) Carbon black                      d)  $C_2H_5Cl$
- 117 The oxygen family is characterised by the electronic configuration:
- 3.
- a)  $ns^2 np^4$                       b)  $ns^2 np^2$                       c)  $ns^1 np^3$                       d)  $ns^2 np^5$
- 117 Which one of the following noble gases is used in miner's cap lamps?
- 4.
- a) Helium                      b) Neon                      c) Argon                      d) Krypton
- 117 Colour of bromine in  $CS_2$  is:

5. a) Green                      b) Orange                      c) Yellow                      d) Red
- 117 Bleaching powder on standing forms mixture of:
6. a)  $\text{CaO} + \text{Cl}_2$                       b)  $\text{HOCl} + \text{Cl}_2$                       c)  $\text{CaCl}_2 + \text{Ca}(\text{ClO}_3)_2$                       d)  $\text{CaO} + \text{CaCl}_2$
- 117 Which statement is not correct?
7. a) Xe is the most reactive among the rare gases  
b) He is an inert gas  
c) Radon is obtained from decay of radium  
d) The most abundant rare gas found in atmosphere is He
- 117 Which acid can combine with its own salt again?
8. a) HF                      b) HBr                      c) HCl                      d) HI
- 117 Among the following the number of compounds that can react with  $\text{PCl}_5$  to give  $\text{POCl}_3$  is  $\text{O}_2$ ,  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{SO}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ,
9.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$   
a) 1                      b) 2                      c) 3                      d) 4
- 118 When water is added in conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  the reaction is exothermic because:
0. a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is viscous  
b) Hydrates of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  are formed  
c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is corrosive  
d) None of the above
- 118 Polyanion formation is maximum in
1. a) Nitrogen                      b) Sulphur                      c) Oxygen                      d) Boron
- 118 The solubility of noble gases in water shows the order:
2. a)  $\text{He} > \text{Ar} > \text{Kr} > \text{Ne} > \text{Xe}$   
b)  $\text{He} > \text{Ne} > \text{Ar} > \text{Kr} > \text{Xe}$   
c)  $\text{Xe} > \text{Kr} > \text{Ar} > \text{Ne} > \text{He}$   
d) None of the above
- 118 Solid  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_6$  exists as:
3. a)  $\text{ClO}_2^+ \cdot \text{ClO}_4^-$                       b) Covalent species                      c)  $(\text{ClO}_3)_2$                       d) None of these
- 118 Which of the element listed below occurs in allotropic forms?
4. a) Sulphur                      b) Copper                      c) Iodine                      d) Silver
- 118 Concentrated  $\text{HNO}_3$  reacts with  $\text{I}_2$  to gives
5. a) HI                      b) HOI                      c)  $\text{HIO}_3$                       d)  $\text{HOIO}_2$
- 118 Noble gases are adsorbed by:
6. a) Finely divided Pd and Pt  
b) Colloidal Pd  
c) Coconut charcoal  
d) All of the above
- 118 In which of the following,  $\text{NH}_3$  is not used?
7. a) Tollen's reagent  
b) Nessler's reagent

- c) Group reagent for the analysis of IV group basic radicals  
d) Group reagent for the analysis of III group basic radicals
- 118 The element than oxidizes water to oxygen with evolution of heat is:  
8.  
a) Fluorine                      b) Chlorine                      c) Iodine                      d) Bromine
- 118 Which of the following compounds is not an "interseudohalogen"?  
9.  
a)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3$                       b)  $\text{BrCN}$                       c)  $\text{ClCN}$                       d)  $\text{ICN}$
- 119 Which is called stranger gas?  
10.  
a) Kr                      b) Xe                      c) He                      d) Ne
- 119 The ratio of the gases obtained on dehydration of  $\text{HCOOH}$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4$  by conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is:  
1.  
a) 1 : 2                      b) 2 : 1                      c) 1 : 3                      d) 3 : 1
- 119 Peroxy compound is:  
2.  
a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_8$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$
- 119 During bleaching of chlorine an antichlor is used to:  
3.  
a) Enhance bleaching action  
b) Eliminate last traces of bleaching agent  
c) Remove greases from the fibre  
d) Liberate oxygen
- 119 T-shaped interhalogen compound is  
4.  
a)  $\text{ClF}_3$                       b)  $\text{ICl}$                       c)  $\text{ClF}_5$                       d)  $\text{IF}_5$
- 119 The catalyst used in Deacon's process for  $\text{Cl}_2$  is:  
5.  
a)  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$                       b)  $\text{CuCl}_2$                       c)  $\text{AlCl}_3$                       d)  $\text{MnO}_2$
- 119 Nitre cake is:  
6.  
a)  $\text{NaHSO}_4$                       b)  $\text{NaNO}_3$                       c)  $\text{NaNO}_2$                       d)  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$
- 119 Helium is used in balloons in place of hydrogen because it is  
7.  
a) Incobusible                      b) Lighter than hydrogen  
c) Radioactive                      d) More abundant than hydrogen
- 119 The O—O bond length in ozone is:  
8.  
a) 1.27 Å                      b) 1.21 Å                      c) 1.34 Å                      d) 1.48 Å
- 119 The reaction in the Kipp's apparatus stops on closing the outlet, because:  
9.  
a) The acid becomes weak  
b) Gas starts coming out form top  
c) A protective film is formed on iron sulphide  
d) The contact between sulphide and the acid is broken by the presence of gas collected in the free surface of the middle chamber
- 120 Sulphur hepto oxide is an anhydride of  
10.  
a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$
- 120 Hydrolysis of  $\text{PI}_3$  yields:  
1.  
1.

- a) Monobasic acid and a salt  
 b) Monobasic acid and dibasic acid  
 c) Dibasic acid and tribasic acid  
 d) Monobasic acid and tribasic acid
- 120 Which is not poisonous?  
 2.  
 a)  $\text{NH}_3$                       b)  $\text{PH}_3$                       c)  $\text{AsH}_3$                       d)  $\text{SbH}_3$
- 120 What is the number of sigma ( $\sigma$ ) and pi ( $\pi$ ) bonds present in sulphuric acid molecule?  
 3.  
 a)  $6\sigma, 2\pi$                       b)  $6\sigma, 0\pi$                       c)  $2\sigma, 4\pi$                       d)  $2\sigma, 2\pi$
- 120 In sulphate ion the oxidation state of sulphur is +6 and the hybridization state of sulphur is:  
 4.  
 a)  $sp^2$                       b)  $sp^3$                       c)  $d^2sp^3$                       d)  $sp^3d^2$
- 120 The element evolving two different gases on reaction with conc. Sulphuric acid is  
 5.  
 a) P                      b) C                      c) Hg                      d) S
- 120 Which statement is correct?  
 6.  
 a) Ozone is a resonance hybrid of oxygen  
 b) Ozone is an allotropic modification of oxygen  
 c) Ozone is an isomer of oxygen  
 d) Ozone has no relationship with oxygen
- 120 When sulphur is boiled with  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3$  solution, the compound formed is  
 7.  
 a) Sodium thiosulphate    b) Sodium sulphate    c) Sodium sulphide    d) Sodium persulphate
- 120 Number of valence electrons used in the Lewis structure of  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  are:  
 8.  
 a) 22                      b) 20                      c) 18                      d) None of these
- 120 The shape of  $\text{IF}_7$  molecule is:  
 9.  
 a) Octahedral  
 b) Pentagonal bipyramidal  
 c) Tetrahedral  
 d) Trigonal bipyramidal
- 121 The strongest acid amongst the following is  
 10.  
 a)  $\text{HClO}$                       b)  $\text{HClO}_2$                       c)  $\text{HClO}_3$                       d)  $\text{HClO}_4$
- 121 In ordinary  $\text{Cl}_2$  gas  $\text{Cl}^{35}$  and  $\text{Cl}^{37}$  are in the ratio:  
 1.  
 a) 1 : 3                      b) 3 : 1                      c) 1 : 1                      d) 1 : 2
- 121 Which group is called buffer group of the periodic table?  
 2.  
 a) I                      b) VII                      c) VIII                      d) Zero
- 121 Gradual addition of electronic shells in the noble gases causes a decrease in their  
 3.  
 a) Ionisation energy    b) Density    c) Boiling point    d) Atomic radius
- 121 Colour of iodine solution is disappeared by shaking it with aqueous solution of  
 4.  
 a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}$                       b)  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$                       c)  $\text{Na}_2\text{S}$                       d)  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$
- 121 S—S bond is not present in

5. a)  $H_2S_2O_4$                       b)  $H_2S_2O_6$                       c)  $H_2S_2O_8$                       d) None of these
- 121 Which one among the following non-metals is liquid at  $25^\circ C$ ?
6. a) Bromine                      b) Sulphur                      c) Phosphorus                      d) carbon
- 121 A radioactive element is:
7. a) Sulphur                      b) Polonium                      c) Tellurium                      d) Selenium
- 121 Metalloid among the following is:
8. a) O                      b) S                      c) Te                      d) Po
- 121 The basic character of hydrides of the V-group elements decreases in the order
9. a)  $NH_3 > SbH_3 > PH_3 > AsH_3$                       b)  $SbH_3 > AsH_3 > PH_3 > NH_3$   
c)  $NH_3 > PH_3 > AsH_3 > SbH_3$                       d)  $SbH_3 > PH_3 > AsH_3 > NH_3$
- 122 At room temperature,  $H_2O$  is liquid while  $H_2S$  is a gas. The reason is
0. a) Electronegativity of O is greater than S  
b) Difference in the bond angles of both the molecules  
c) Association takes place in  $H_2O$  due to H-bonding while no H-bonding in  $H_2S$   
d) O and S belong to different periods
- 122 The correct order for decreasing acidic strength of oxoacids of gp.15 is:
1. a)  $HNO_3 > H_3SbO_4 > H_3AsO_4 > H_3PO_4$   
b)  $H_3PO_4 > H_3AsO_4 > H_3SbO_4 > HNO_3$   
c)  $HNO_3 > H_3PO_4 > H_3AsO_4 > H_3SbO_4$   
d)  $HNO_3 > H_3AsO_4 > H_3PO_4 > H_3SbO_4$
- 122 Chlorine gas can be dried by passing over:
2. a) Quick lime  
b) Soda lime  
c) Caustic potash sticks  
d) Concentrated sulphuric acid
- 122 Which of the following bonds will be most polar?
3. a) N—Cl                      b) O—F                      c) N—F                      d) N—N
- 122 The metal which forms amide on passing  $NH_3$  on it at  $300^\circ C$  is:
4. a) Magnesium                      b) Lead                      c) Aluminium                      d) sodium
- 122 The first noble gas compound obtained was:
5. a)  $XeF_2$                       b)  $XeF_4$                       c)  $XePtF_6$                       d)  $XeOF_4$
- 122 Sulphurous acid can be used as:
6. a) Oxidizing agent                      b) Reducing agent                      c) Bleaching agent                      d) All of these
- 122 The ease of liquefaction of noble gases decreases in the order:
7. a)  $He > Ne > Ar > Kr > Xe$   
b)  $Xe > Kr > Ar > Ne > He$   
c)  $Kr > Xe > He > Ar > Ne$   
d)  $Ar > Kr > Xe > He > Ne$



122 The reason why conc  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is used largely to prepare other acids is that conc  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

8.

- a) Is highly ionised  
b) Is dehydrating agent  
c) Has high specific gravity and density  
d) Has a high boiling point

122 A cold, green flame can be made by passing  $\text{CO}_2$  over warm:

9.

- a) Bronze  
b) White P  
c) Grey Sn  
d) Green candles

123 Which one of the following reacts with glass?

10.

- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
b) HF  
c)  $\text{HNO}_3$   
d)  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$

123 Super halogen is:

1.

- a)  $\text{F}_2$   
b)  $\text{Cl}_2$   
c)  $\text{Br}_2$   
d)  $\text{I}_2$

123 The gas which is supporter of combustion is:

2.

- a)  $\text{NH}_3$   
b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$   
c)  $\text{NO}_2$   
d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$

123 The halide that cannot act as Lewis acid is:

3.

- a)  $\text{SiCl}_4$   
b)  $\text{SnCl}_4$   
c)  $\text{CCl}_4$   
d)  $\text{SF}_4$

123 Which gives off oxygen on moderate heating?

4.

- a) Cupric oxide  
b) Mercuric oxide  
c) Zinc oxide  
d) Aluminium oxide

123 Which is the true covalent oxide of iodine?

5.

- a)  $\text{I}_2\text{O}_4$   
b)  $\text{I}_2\text{O}_5$   
c)  $\text{I}_2\text{O}_8$   
d)  $\text{I}_4\text{O}_9$

123 Which element out of He, Ar, Kr and Xe forms least number of compounds?

6.

- a) Kr  
b) Xe  
c) Ar  
d) He

123 Which one is the anhydride of  $\text{HClO}_4$ ?

7.

- a)  $\text{ClO}_2$   
b)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$   
c)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$   
d)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_6$

123 Dry bleaching is done by:

8.

- a)  $\text{Cl}_2$   
b)  $\text{SO}_2$   
c)  $\text{O}_3$   
d)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$

123 Which chemical contains chlorine?

9.

- a) Fischer salt  
b) Epsom salt  
c) Fermy's salt  
d) Spirit of salt

124 Which reaction represents the oxidizing behaviour of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ?

10.

- a)  $2\text{PCl}_5 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow 2\text{POCl}_3 + 2\text{HCl} + \text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2$   
b)  $2\text{NaOH} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
c)  $\text{NaCl} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{NaHSO}_4 + \text{HCl}$   
d)  $2\text{HI} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + \text{SO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

124 Which statement is wrong?

1.

- a) Oxygen and Sulphur belong to the same group of periodic table  
b) Oxygen is a gas while Sulphur is solid  
c) Both show +2, +4 and +6 oxidation states  
d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  shows no hydrogen bonding

124 Concentrated sulphuric acid can be reduced by

2.

- a) NaCl                                      b) NaF                                      c) NaOH                                      d) NaBr
- 124 A solution of  $\text{SO}_2$  in water reacts with  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  precipitating sulphur. Here  $\text{SO}_2$  acts as:
- 3.
- a) An oxidizing agent                      b) A reducing agent                      c) An acid                                      d) A catalyst
- 124 Sulphuric acid has great affinity for water because
- 4.
- a) Acid decomposes water                      b) It hydrolyses the acid  
c) It decomposes the acid                      d) Acid forms hydrates with water
- 124 Correct order of electron affinities of halogens is
- 5.
- a)  $\text{F} > \text{Cl} > \text{Br} > \text{I}$                       b)  $\text{I} > \text{Br} > \text{Cl} > \text{F}$                       c)  $\text{Cl} > \text{F} > \text{I} > \text{Br}$                       d)  $\text{Cl} > \text{F} > \text{Br} > \text{I}$
- 124 The correct order of acidity of halogenic acids is
- 6.
- a)  $\text{HF} < \text{HCl} < \text{HBr} < \text{HI}$                       b)  $\text{HI} < \text{HBr} < \text{HCl} < \text{HF}$   
c)  $\text{HI} < \text{HCl} < \text{HBr} < \text{HF}$                       d)  $\text{HF} < \text{HBr} < \text{HI} < \text{HCl}$
- 124 Pearl white is:
- 7.
- a)  $\text{BiOCl}$                                       b)  $\text{SbOCl}$                                       c)  $\text{NOCl}$                                       d)  $\text{AsOCl}$
- 124 The nitrate which when heated gives-off a gas or a mixture of gases which cannot relight a glowing splinter is:
- 8.
- a) Sodium nitrate                      b) Ammonium nitrate                      c) Lead nitrate                                      d) Potassium nitrate
- 124  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  acts as dehydrating agent in its reaction with:
- 9.
- a)  $\text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2$                                       b)  $\text{Zn}$                                       c)  $\text{KOH}$                                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4$
- 125 Nitric oxide is prepared by the action of cold dil.  $\text{HNO}_3$  on :
- 10.
- a)  $\text{Fe}$                                       b)  $\text{Cu}$                                       c)  $\text{Sn}$                                       d)  $\text{Zn}$
- 125 Which of the following halogen acids has the lowest melting point?
- 1.
- a)  $\text{HF}$                                       b)  $\text{HCl}$                                       c)  $\text{HBr}$                                       d)  $\text{HI}$
- 125 The lone pair present on N family hydrides more easily participates in bond formation in:
- 2.
- a)  $\text{AsH}_3$                                       b)  $\text{PH}_3$                                       c)  $\text{NH}_3$                                       d)  $\text{SbH}_3$
- 125 Which does not react with  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution?
- 3.
- a)  $\text{O}_3$                                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$                                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$
- 125 Noble gases are prepared by the:
- 4.
- a) Condensation of gases of the air  
b) Fractionation of liquid oxygen  
c) Removal of nitrogen and oxygen from air  
d) Fractionation of liquid air
- 125 When an aqueous solution of hypochlorite is heated:
- 5.
- a) Chlorine is evolved  
b) Chlorite is formed  
c) Chlorate is formed  
d) Chlorine peroxide is formed
- 125 Sodium chromite is:
- 6.
- a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{CrO}_4$                                       b)  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_4$                                       c)  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$                                       d)  $\text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$

- 125 Liquor ammonia bottles are opened only after cooling because it has high vapour pressure and it is mild explosive.
- It is a mild explosive
  - It generates high vapour pressure
  - Both a and b
  - It is a lachrymatory
- 125 Which is the most volatile compound?
- HCl
  - HI
  - HBr
  - HF
- 125 In halogen's group which elements has highest electron affinity?
- F
  - Cl
  - Br
  - I
- 126 Which halogens oxidises water to oxygen exothermally?
- Fluorine
  - Chlorine
  - Bromine
  - Iodine
- 126 Chlorine is mixed with drinking water so that:
- Bacteria are killed
  - Dirt is removed
  - Water is cleaned
  - Suspension is removed
- 126 In smoke screens calcium phosphide is used, because it:
- Catches fire easily
  - Burns and gives soot
  - Forms phosphine which gives smoke
  - None of the above
- 126 The non-metallic element whose molecules contain maximum number of its atoms is:
- O
  - Si
  - As
  - P
- 126 Aqua-regia is
- 1:3 conc.  $\text{HNO}_3$  and conc. HCl
  - 1:2 conc.  $\text{HNO}_3$  and conc. HCl
  - 3:1 conc.  $\text{HNO}_3$  and conc. HCl
  - 2:1 conc.  $\text{HNO}_3$  and conc. HCl
- 126  $\text{XeO}_2\text{F}_2$  is obtained by partial hydrolysis of
- $\text{XeOF}_4$
  - $\text{XeF}_6$
  - Both (a) and (b)
  - None of these
- 126 Interhalogen compounds are more reactive than the individual halogen because:
- Two halogens are present in place of one
  - They are more ionic
  - Their bond energy is less than the bond energy of the halogen molecule
  - They carry more energy
- 126 Oxalic acid when heated with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ , gives
- $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  and  $\text{CO}_2$
  - CO and  $\text{CO}_2$
  - $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  and CO
  - $\text{CO}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$
- 126 Which of the following isotopes is present in largest amount?
- $\text{O}^{16}$
  - $\text{O}^{17}$
  - $\text{O}^{18}$
  - All in equal amounts
- 126 Who observed helium first on the earth?
- Lothar Meyer
  - Ramsay
  - Sheele
  - Rutherford

127 The group 15 or VA group elements are commonly known as:

0.  
a) Halogens                      b) Normal elements              c) Pnictogens                      d) None of these

127 In the reduction of  $\text{HNO}_3$  to  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$ , the number of mole of electrons involved per mole of  $\text{HNO}_3$  is:

1.  
a) 8                                  b) 4                                  c) 3                                  d) 6

127 Sulphuric acid reacts with  $\text{PCl}_5$  to yield:

2.  
a) Thionyl chloride              b) Sulphuryl chloride              c) Phosphoric acid              d) Sulphur monochloride

127 Which of the following compounds can not be stored in glass vessels?

3.  
a)  $\text{XeF}_4$                               b)  $\text{XeF}_6$                               c)  $\text{XeO}_3$                               d)  $\text{XeF}_2$

127 Which is tribasic acid?

4.  
a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$                               b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                               c)  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$                               d)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$

127 Which substance chars when warmed with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ?

5.  
a) Protein                              b) Fat                                  c) Hydrocarbon                      d) Carbohydrate

127 When fluoride is heated with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and  $\text{MnO}_2$  the gas evolved is:

6.  
a) HF                                  b)  $\text{F}_2$                                   c) SF                                  d) None of these

127 The compound of sulphur used as a solvent in rubber industry is

7.  
a)  $\text{SO}_2(\text{OH})\text{Cl}$                       b)  $\text{SO}_2$                                   c)  $\text{SO}_3$                                   d)  $\text{S}_2\text{Cl}_2$

127 Which one can be used to test for  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  gas?

8.  
a) A smell of rotten egg  
b) A violet colouration with sodium nitroprusside  
c) Turning lead acetate paper black  
d) All of the above

127 When  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is passed through nitric acid solution, the product formed is:

9.  
a) Milk of Sulphur                      b) colloidal Sulphur                      c)  $\gamma$  - sulphur                      d)  $\beta$  - sulphur

128 Sulphurous anhydride is:

0.  
a)  $\text{SO}_2$                                   b)  $\text{SO}_3$                                   c)  $\text{HSO}_3^-$                                   d)  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$

128 The percentage of ozone in ozonized oxygen is about:

1.  
a) 10%                                  b) 40%                                  c) 80%                                  d) 100%

128 The weakest acid among the following is:

2.  
a) HClO                                  b) HBr                                  c)  $\text{HClO}_3$                                   d) HCl

128 White phosphorus may be separated from red phosphorus by:

3.  
a) Sublimation                              b) Distillation                              c) Dissolving in  $\text{CS}_2$                       d) None of these

128 The correct order of bond angles in  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ ,  $\text{NH}_3$ ,  $\text{BF}_3$  and  $\text{SiH}_4$  is:

4.  
a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S} < \text{NH}_3 < \text{BF}_3 < \text{SiH}_4$   
b)  $\text{NH}_3 < \text{H}_2\text{S} < \text{SiH}_4 < \text{BF}_3$   
c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S} < \text{NH}_3 < \text{SiH}_4 < \text{BF}_3$

- d)  $\text{H}_2\text{S} < \text{SiH}_4 < \text{NH}_3 < \text{BF}_3$
- 128 Solid  $\text{PCl}_5$  exists as:
- 5.
- a)  $\text{PCl}_5$                                       b)  $\text{PCl}_4^+$                                       c)  $\text{PCl}_6^-$                                       d)  $\text{PCl}_4^+$  and  $\text{PCl}_6^-$
- 128 Among the fluorides given below which will further react with  $\text{F}_2$ ?
- 6.
- a)  $\text{NaF}$                                       b)  $\text{CaF}_2$                                       c)  $\text{SF}_6$                                       d)  $\text{IF}_5$
- 128 Ammonia is soluble in water because it is:
- 7.
- a) A polar molecule                      b) Bronsted base                      c) Both (a) and (b)                      d) None of these
- 128 Formula of iodine phosphate is:
- 8.
- a)  $\text{I}_3\text{PO}_4$                                       b)  $\text{I}_2(\text{PO}_4)_3$                                       c)  $\text{IPO}_4$                                       d)  $\text{I}_2\text{PO}_4$
- 128 The tetrahedral nature of the three bonds in a chlorate ion ( $\text{ClO}_3^-$ ) is due to:
- 9.
- a) The presence of a lone pair of electrons  
 b)  $sp^3$ -hybridization  
 c)  $sp^2$ -hybridization  
 d) Trigonal bipyramidal shape of ion
- 129 Which acid on keeping for long time acquires brown colour?
- 0.
- a)  $\text{HF}$                                       b)  $\text{HCl}$                                       c)  $\text{HBr}$                                       d)  $\text{HI}$
- 129 Potassium chlorate on heating with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  gives:
- 1.
- a) Chlorine dioxide                      b)  $\text{HClO}_4$                                       c)  $\text{KHSO}_4$                                       d) All of these
- 129 In the reaction,  $\text{HNO}_3 + \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10} \rightarrow 4\text{HPO}_3 + x$ , the product  $x$  is
- 2.
- a)  $\text{NO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$                                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 129 Which has the strongest bond?
- 3.
- a)  $\text{F} - \text{Br}$                                       b)  $\text{F} - \text{Cl}$                                       c)  $\text{F} - \text{F}$                                       d)  $\text{Cl} - \text{Br}$
- 129 The forces of cohesion in liquid helium are:
- 4.
- a) Covalent                                      b) Ionic                                      c) Van der Waals'                                      d) Metallic
- 129 When molten sulphur is suddenly cooled by pouring into water, it takes the form of
- 5.
- a) Milk of sulphur                      b) Colloidal sulphur                      c) Flower of sulphur                      d) Plastic sulphur
- 129 Which does not react with  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to form  $\text{H}_2$ ?
- 6.
- a)  $\text{Al}$                                       b)  $\text{Pb}$                                       c)  $\text{Zn}$                                       d)  $\text{Mg}$
- 129 A certain compound when burnt gave three oxides. The first turned lime water milky, the second turned cobalt chloride paper pink and the third formed an aqueous solution of pH 3 nearly. The elements present in the compound are:
- 7.
- a)  $\text{C}, \text{S}, \text{O}$                                       b)  $\text{C}, \text{H}, \text{Na}$                                       c)  $\text{C}, \text{H}, \text{S}$                                       d)  $\text{C}, \text{H}, \text{Ca}$
- 129 The starting material in Birkeland and Eyde's process for the manufacture of  $\text{HNO}_3$  is:
- 8.
- a)  $\text{NH}_3$                                       b)  $\text{NO}_2$                                       c) Air                                      d) Chile saltpetre
- 129 Anhydride of sulphuric acid is:
- 9.
- a)  $\text{SO}_2$                                       b)  $\text{SO}_3$                                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$                                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$

130 The essential element of nitrogen fixation is:

0.  
a) Zn                                      b) Cu                                      c) Mo                                      d) B

130 Which one of the following configuration represents a noble gas?

1.  
a)  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2$                                       b)  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^1$   
c)  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6$                                       d)  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6, 4s^2$

130 Which halogen do not form polyhalide ion?

2.  
a) F                                      b) Cl                                      c) Br                                      d) I

130 Oxygen is manufactured by fractional distillation of:

3.  
a)  $H_2O$                                       b)  $H_2O_2$                                       c)  $Na_2O_2$                                       d) Liquid air

130 Which is not the property of nitrogen?

4.  
a) Hydrogen bonding                      b) Catenation                                      c) Supporter of life                      d) Low b.p.

130 Which metal loses its meniscus after reaction with ozone?

5.  
a) Ag                                      b) Hg                                      c) Pb                                      d) Cu

130 The two electrons in helium atom:

6.  
a) Occupy different shells  
b) Have different spins  
c) Have the same spins  
d) Occupy different subshells of the same subshell

130 Which of the following is not tetrahedral?

7.  
a)  $SCl_4$                                       b)  $SO_4^{2-}$                                       c)  $Ni(CO)_4$                                       d)  $NiCl_4^{2-}$

130 The hydrolysis of  $PCl_3$  produces:

8.  
a)  $H_3PO_3 + HClO$                       b)  $H_3PO_3 + HCl$                       c)  $H_3PO_4 + HCl$                       d)  $PH_3 + HClO$

130 NaOH can absorb :

9.  
a)  $N_2O_5$                                       b) NO                                      c)  $N_2O$                                       d) All of these

131 The electron affinity of halogens shows the order:

0.  
a)  $I > Cl > F > Br$                       b)  $Cl > F > Br > I$                       c)  $F > Cl > I > Br$                       d)  $F > I > Cl > Br$

131 On heating ozone its volumes:

1.  
a) Decreases to half  
b) Becomes double  
c) Increases to 3/2 times  
d) Remains unchanged

131 Which non-metal does not combine directly with  $Cl_2$ ,  $Br_2$  and  $I_2$ ?

2.  
a) Carbon                                      b) Nitrogen                                      c) Oxygen                                      d) All of these

131 Oleum or fuming  $H_2SO_4$  is:

3.  
a) A mixture of conc.  $H_2SO_4$  and oil  
b) Sulphuric acid which gives fumes of sulphur dioxide

- c) Sulphuric acid saturated with sulphur trioxide, *i. e.*,  $H_2S_2O_7$   
d) A mixture of sulphuric acid and nitric acid
- 131  $N_2$  forms  $NCl_3$ , whereas P can form both  $PCl_3$  and  $PCl_5$  why?  
4.  
a) P has low lying  $3d$  orbitals which can be used for bonding but  $N_2$  does not have low lying  $2d$  orbital  
b)  $N_2$  atom is larger than P in size  
c) P is more reactive towards Cl than  $N_2$   
d) None of the above
- 131 Which of the following is pseudohalogen?  
5.  
a)  $IF_7$                                       b)  $(CN)_2$                                       c)  $ICl_2$                                       d)  $I_3^-$
- 131 The decreasing order of b.p. or m.p. of halogens is:  
6.  
a)  $I_2 > Br_2 > Cl_2 > F_2$       b)  $F_2 > Cl_2 > I_2 > Br_2$       c)  $Cl_2 > Br_2 > I_2 > F_2$       d)  $F_2 > I_2 > Cl_2 > Br_2$
- 131 Nitrogen (I) oxide is produced by:  
7.  
a) Thermal decomposition of ammonium nitrate  
b) Disproportionation of  $N_2O_4$   
c) Thermal decomposition of ammonium nitrite  
d) None of the above
- 131  $SO_3$  on reacting with conc. HCl gives:  
8.  
a) Chlorosulphonic acid      b)  $Cl_2 + H_2SO_3$                       c)  $Cl_2 + H_2SO_4$                       d) None of these
- 131 An inorganic compound producing organic compound on heating is:  
9.  
a) Sodamide                                      b) Ammonium cyanate                      c) Sodalime                                      d) Potassium cyanide
- 132 Formula of calcium chlorite is:  
10.  
a)  $CaClO_2$                                       b)  $Ca(ClO_2)_2$                                       c)  $Ca(ClO_3)_2$                                       d)  $Ca(ClO_4)_2$
- 132 The gas not absorbed by coconut charcoal is  
11.  
a) He    b) Ne    c) Ar    d) Kr
- 132 A black sulphide when treated with ozone becomes white. The white compound is:  
12.  
a)  $ZnSO_4$                                       b)  $CaSO_4$                                       c)  $BaSO_4$                                       d)  $PbSO_4$
- 132 Sulphur on oxidation with hot sulphuric acid gives:  
13.  
a)  $SO_3$     b)  $SO_2$     c)  $H_2SO_4$     d) None of these
- 132 Which loses weight on exposure to the atmosphere?  
14.  
a) Conc.  $H_2SO_4$   
b) NaOH  
c) Anhyd.  $AlCl_3$   
d) Saturated aqueous solution of  $CO_2$
- 132 The correct order of heat of formation of halogen acids is?  
15.  
a)  $HI > HBr > HCl > HF$       b)  $HF > HCl > HBr > HI$       c)  $HCl > HF > HBr > HI$       d)  $HCl > HBr > HF > HI$
- 132 The number of P – O – P bridges in the structure of phosphorus pentoxide and phosphorus trioxide are  
16. respectively  
a) 5, 5    b) 6, 5    c) 5, 6    d) 6, 6
- 132 Rhombic and monoclinic sulphur are:

7. a) Isobars                                      b) Isomers                                      c) Isotopes                                      d) Allotropes
- 132 Copper turning on heating with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  produce
8. a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                                       b)  $\text{O}_2$                                       c)  $\text{SO}_3$                                       d)  $\text{SO}_2$
- 132 Which one of the following represents noble gas configuration?
9. a)  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10}, 4s^2 4p^6 4d^{10}, 5s^2, 5p^6 5d^6, 6s^2$   
 b)  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10}, 4s^2 4p^6 4d^{10}, 5s^2 5p^6 5d^1, 6s^2$   
 c)  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10}, 4s^2 4p^6 4d^{10}, 5s^2 5p^6$   
 d)  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10}, 4s^2 4p^6 4f^{14}, 5s^2 5p^6 5d^1$
- 133 Which of the following is more acidic in nature?
0. a)  $\text{HClO}$                                       b)  $\text{HClO}_2$                                       c)  $\text{HClO}_3$                                       d)  $\text{HClO}_4$
- 133 The lattice energy of lithium halides in the following order
1. a)  $\text{LiF} > \text{LiCl} > \text{LiBr} > \text{LiI}$                                       b)  $\text{LiI} > \text{LiBr} > \text{LiCl} > \text{LiF}$   
 c)  $\text{LiCl} > \text{LiF} > \text{LiBr} > \text{LiI}$                                       d)  $\text{LiBr} > \text{LiCl} > \text{LiF} > \text{LiI}$
- 133 Iodine readily dissolves in potassium iodide solution giving
2. a)  $\text{I}^-$                                       b)  $\text{KI}^-$                                       c)  $\text{KI}_2^-$                                       d)  $\text{KI}_3$
- 133 Which one of the following is not true at room temperature and pressure?
3. a)  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$  is a white solid                                      b)  $\text{SO}_2$  is a colourless gas  
 c)  $\text{SO}_3$  is a colourless gas                                      d)  $\text{NO}_2$  is brown gas
- 133 Amongst  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{Se}$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{Te}$  one having higher b.pt. is
4. a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  because of hydrogen bonding                                      b)  $\text{H}_2\text{Se}$  because of lower molecular weight  
 c)  $\text{H}_2\text{Te}$  because of higher molecular weight                                      d)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  because of hydrogen bonding
- 133 Which of the following acid posses oxidising, reducing and complex forming properties?
5. a)  $\text{HCl}$                                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                                       c)  $\text{HNO}_2$                                       d)  $\text{HNO}_3$
- 133 The number of  $\pi$ -bonds present in  $\text{NCl}_3$  is:
6. a) 1                                      b) 2                                      c) 3                                      d) None of these
- 133 Ammonium chloride is removed from its mixture by:
7. a) Filtration                                      b) Distillation                                      c) Sublimation                                      d) A magnet
- 133 White smoke is formed when ammonia gas meets with:
8. a) Water                                      b)  $\text{HCl}$                                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                                       d)  $\text{HNO}_3$
- 133 Pure  $\text{Cl}_2$  is prepared on heating:
9. a)  $\text{NaCl}$                                       b)  $\text{PtCl}_4$                                       c)  $\text{CuCl}_2$                                       d) All of these
- 134 Liquid ammonia is used in refrigeration because of its
0. a) High dipole moment                                      b) High heat of vaporisation



- c) High basicity  
134 The acid used in soft drinks is:
1. a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$                       b)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$                       c)  $\text{HPO}_3$                       d)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$
- 134 Which of the elements of group VA does not show allotropy?
2. a) N                      b) Bi                      c) P                      d) As
- 134 In the electrothermal process, the compound displaced by silica from calcium phosphate is
3. a) Calcium phosphide                      b) Phosphine  
c) Phosphorus                      d) Phosphorus pentoxide
- 134 It is possible to obtain oxygen from air by fractional distillation because:
4. a) Oxygen is in different group of periodic table from nitrogen  
b) Oxygen is more active than nitrogen  
c) Oxygen has higher boiling point than nitrogen  
d) Oxygen has lower density than nitrogen
- 134  $\text{NH}_3$  is an example of:
5. a) Molecular hydride                      b) Polymeric hydride                      c) Metallic hydride                      d) Interstitial hydride
- 134 When  $\text{SO}_2$  reacts with nitrous acid, the compound formed is:
6. a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$                       b) S                      c)  $\text{SO}_3$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
- 134 Among the halogens, the one which is oxidized by nitric acid is
7. a) Iodine                      b) Bromine                      c) Fluorine                      d) Chlorine
- 134 Which is most basic of the following oxides?
8. a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$                       b) BaO                      c)  $\text{As}_2\text{O}_3$                       d)  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$
- 134 Which is stronger acid?
9. a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SeO}_4$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{TeO}_4$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 135 Ammonia on reaction with hypochlorite anion, can form
0. a) NO                      b)  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$                       c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$                       d)  $\text{HNO}_2$
- 135 Which of the following compounds do not exist?
1. a)  $\text{N}_4, \text{NCl}_5, \text{PO}_2$                       b)  $\text{N}_2, \text{NCl}_3, \text{NO}_2$                       c)  $\text{PCl}_5, \text{P}_2\text{O}_5, \text{NCl}_3$                       d)  $\text{PO}_2, \text{P}_4, \text{NCl}_3$
- 135 Oxidation of ammonia by CuO yields:
2. a)  $\text{N}_2$                       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                       c) NO                      d)  $\text{NO}_2$
- 135 For chrome plating the electrolytic bath contains:
3. a)  $\text{HClO}_4$  and conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$                       b) Chromic acid and conc. l.c)  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$                       d) Chromic sulphate
- 135 At T (K), 100 L of dry oxygen is present in a sealed container. It is subjected to silent electric discharge,
4. till the volumes of oxygen and ozone becomes equal .what is the volume of ozone formed at T (K)?
- a) 50                      b) 60                      c) 30                      d) 40
- 135 What is the correct order of occurrence (% by weight) in air of Ne, Ar and Kr?
5. a)  $\text{Ne} > \text{Ar} > \text{Kr}$                       b)  $\text{Ar} > \text{Ne} > \text{Kr}$                       c)  $\text{Ar} > \text{Kr} > \text{Ne}$                       d)  $\text{Ne} > \text{Kr} > \text{Ar}$
- 135 The source of most of the noble gases is:

6. a) Decay of radioactive minerals  
b) The atmospheric air  
c) The natural gases coming out of the earth  
d) The decay of rocks
- 135 Incorrect statement for pyrophosphorus acid  $H_4P_2O_5$  is
7. a) It contains p in +5 oxidation state  
b) It is dibasic acid  
c) It is strongly reducing in nature  
d) In contains one P—O—P bond
- 135  $SO_2 + H_2S \rightarrow$  product. The final product is
8. a)  $H_2O + S$                       b)  $H_2SO_4$                       c)  $H_2SO_3$                       d)  $H_2S_2O_3$
- 135 Pure HBr gas may be obtained by heating sodium bromide with syrupy phosphoric acid and not with concentrated sulphuric acid because concentrated sulphuric acid is:
9. a) More volatile                      b) Less stable                      c) A weaker acid                      d) An oxidizing agent
- 136 Fertilizer having the highest nitrogen percentage is:
0. a) Calcium cyanamide                      b) Urea                      c) Ammonium nitrate                      d) Ammonium sulphate
- 136 Which gas is evolved by the treatment of magnesium with very dilute solution on  $HNO_3$ ?
1. a)  $N_2$                       b)  $NO_2$                       c)  $H_2$                       d)  $H_2O$
- 136 In colour discharge tubes, which is used?
2. a) Ne                      b) Ar                      c) Kr                      d) He
- 136 Which of the following hydrogen halides has the highest boiling point?
3. a) HI                      b) HBr                      c) HCl                      d) HF
- 136 Which of the following statement is not true?
4. a) HF is stronger than HCl  
b) Among halide ions, iodide is the most powerful reducing agent  
c) Radon is obtained from decay of Radium  
d) Xe is most reactive gas among the rare gas
- 136 In which of the following chlorine is not used:
5. a) As germicide                      b) As oxidant                      c) As cutting tool                      d) As disinfectant
- 136 Solubility of iodine in water may be increased by adding
6. a) Chloroform                      b) Potassium iodide  
c) Carbon disulphide                      d) Sodium thiosulphate
- 136 Platinum, palladium and iridium are called noble metals because
7. a) Alfred nobel discovered them  
b) They are found in native state  
c) They are shining lustrous and pleasing to look at  
d) They are inert towards many common reagents
- 136 Bleaching powder is disinfectant for purification of water. When water born germs are killed. But disinfectant activity is destroyed. It is due to disproportion into
8. a)  $CaCl_2$  and  $Cl_2$                       b)  $CaCl_2$  and  $Ca(ClO_3)_2$                       c)  $CaO$  and  $Cl_2$                       d)  $CaO$ ,  $Cl_2$  and  $CaCl_2$
- 136 Marshall's acid is:
- 9.

- a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_5$                       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$                       c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$                       d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$
- 137 The word neon signifies:  
0.
- a) New                      b) Old                      c) Strange                      d) None of these
- 137 Paramagnetic oxide is:  
1.
- a) NO                      b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$                       c)  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$                       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
- 137 Fluorosis disease is caused due to the reaction of ..... with excess of fluorine in the body.  
2.
- a) Ca                      b) Mg                      c) Fe                      d) K
- 137 Among the halogens, the one which is oxidised by nitric acid is  
3.
- a) Fluorine                      b) Iodine                      c) Chlorine                      d) Bromine
- 137 Which has the lowest boiling point?  
4.
- a)  $\text{NH}_3$                       b)  $\text{PH}_3$                       c)  $\text{SbH}_3$                       d)  $\text{BiH}_3$
- 137 The elements S, Se, Te can have two positive oxidation states. Which one of the following is correct?  
5.
- a) +4 and +6                      b) +2 and +4                      c) +4 and +8                      d) +2 and +6
- 137 The basicity of orthophosphoric acid is  
6.
- a) 2                      b) 4                      c) 3                      d) 5
- 137 Which sulphide is used in the manufacture of "strike anywhere" matches?  
7.
- a)  $\text{P}_2\text{S}_5$                       b)  $\text{P}_2\text{S}_3$                       c)  $\text{Sb}_2\text{S}_3$                       d) None of these
- 137 Euchlorine is a mixture of  
8.
- a)  $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{ClO}_2$                       b)  $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{Cl}_2\text{O}$                       c)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{ClO}_2$                       d)  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O} + \text{Cl}_2\text{O}_3$
- 137 Liquid oxygen:  
9.
- a) Is an important constituent of rocket fuels  
b) Is used for artificial respiration with  $\text{CO}_2$   
c) Mixed with finely divided carbon is explosive  
d) All of the above
- 138 Acetic acid is added while preparing a standard solution of  $\text{CuSO}_4 \cdot 5\text{H}_2\text{O}$  to prevent:  
0.
- a) Hydration                      b) Reduction                      c) Hydrolysis                      d) Complex formation
- 138  $\text{XeF}_2$  molecule is  
1.
- a) Square planar                      b) Trigonal bipyramidal  
c) Trigonal planar                      d) Linear
- 138 Iodine is placed between two liquids  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$  and water:  
2.
- a) It dissolves more in  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_6$   
b) It dissolves more in water  
c) It dissolves equally in both  
d) Does not dissolve in both
- 138 Which of the following oxide of nitrogen is the anhydride of  $\text{HNO}_3$ ?  
3.
- a) NO                      b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$                       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$                       d)  $\text{N}_3\text{O}_4$
- 138 The most stable allotropic form of sulphur is:

4. a) Rhombic sulphur      b) Monoclinic sulphur      c) Plastic sulphur      d) Flowers of sulphur  
138 Permonosulphuric acid is known as
5. a) Marshall's acid      b) Caro's acid      c) Sulphuric acid      d) None of these  
138 The reaction between copper and hot conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  gives:
6. a)  $\text{SO}_3$       b)  $\text{SO}_2$       c)  $\text{Cu}(\text{OH})_2$       d)  $\text{H}_2$   
138 Chlorine bleaches only in the:
7. a) Absence of acid      b) Presence of alkali      c) Absence of moisture      d) Presence of moisture  
138  $\text{HNO}_3$  oxidises:
8. a)  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$       b)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$       c)  $\text{SO}_2$       d) All of these  
138 The P – P – P bond angle in white phosphorus is
9. a)  $60^\circ$       b)  $90^\circ$       c)  $120^\circ$       d)  $109^\circ 28'$   
139 In the isolation of fluorine, a number of difficulties were encountered. Which statement is correct?
0. a) The potential required for the discharge of the fluoride ions is the lowest  
b) Fluorine reacts with most glass vessels  
c) Electrolysis of aqueous HF gives ozonized oxygen  
d) All of the above
- 139 Match List I with List II and select the answer using the codes given below:
- | Code | List           | Code | List II              |
|------|----------------|------|----------------------|
| A    | $\text{XeF}_4$ | 1    | Distorted octahedral |
| B    | $\text{XeF}_6$ | 2    | Tetrahedral          |
| C    | $\text{XeO}_3$ | 3    | Square planar        |
| D    | $\text{XeO}_4$ | 4    | Trigonal pyramidal   |
1. a) A-4, B-1, C-3, D-2      b) A-2, B-3, C-1, D-4      c) A-1, B-4, C-2, D-3      d) A-3, B-1, C-4, D-2
- 139 Which of the following elements is radioactive?
2. a) Oxygen      b) Selenium      c) Polonium      d) Tellurium
- 139 When  $\text{SO}_2$  is passed through acidified solution of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ :
3. a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$  is formed      b)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is formed      c) Sulphur sol is formed      d)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$  is formed
- 139 Which one of the following reactions of Xenon compounds is not feasible?
4. a)  $3\text{XeF}_4 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{Xe} + \text{XeO}_3 + 12\text{HF} + 1.5 \text{O}_2$   
b)  $2\text{XeF}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{Xe} + 4\text{HF} + \text{O}_2$   
c)  $\text{XeF}_6 + \text{RbF} \rightarrow \text{Rb}[\text{XeF}_7]$   
d)  $\text{XeO}_3 + 6\text{HF} \rightarrow \text{XeF}_6 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 139 Which blue liquid is obtained on reacting equimolar amounts of two gases at  $-30^\circ\text{C}$ ?
5. a)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$       b)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$       c)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$       d)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$
- 139 Which one is most electronegative?
6. a) O      b) F      c) H      d) Cl

139 NH<sub>3</sub> gas is dried over:

7.

- a) Anhydrous CaCl<sub>2</sub>      b) P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>      c) Quick lime      d) Conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

139 The largest bond angle exists in:

8.

- a) H<sub>2</sub>Se      b) NH<sub>3</sub>      c) H<sub>2</sub>O      d) H<sub>2</sub>S

139 Increasing order of strength of oxo-acids of chlorine is:

9.

- a) HClO < HClO<sub>2</sub> < HClO<sub>3</sub> < HClO<sub>4</sub>  
b) HClO<sub>4</sub> < HClO<sub>2</sub> < HClO < HClO<sub>3</sub>  
c) HClO < HClO<sub>2</sub> < HClO<sub>3</sub> < HClO<sub>4</sub>  
d) None of the above

140 The correct order of bond angles and stability of hydrides given below is:

0.

- a) NH<sub>3</sub> > PH<sub>3</sub> > AsH<sub>3</sub> > SbH<sub>3</sub>  
b) NH<sub>3</sub> > AsH<sub>3</sub> > PH<sub>3</sub> > SbH<sub>3</sub>  
c) SbH<sub>3</sub> > AsH<sub>3</sub> > PH<sub>3</sub> > NH<sub>3</sub>  
d) PH<sub>3</sub> > NH<sub>3</sub> > AsH<sub>3</sub> > SbH<sub>3</sub>

140 The reaction of P<sub>4</sub> with aqueous NaOH gives

1.

- a) P(OH)<sub>3</sub>      b) P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>      c) P(OH)<sub>5</sub>      d) PH<sub>3</sub>

140 [X] + H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> → [Y] a colourless gas with irritating smell. [Y] + K<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> → Green solution [X] and

2. [Y] are:

- a) SO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>, SO<sub>2</sub>      b) Cl<sup>-</sup>, HCl      c) S<sup>2-</sup>, H<sub>2</sub>S      d) CO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>, CO<sub>2</sub>

140 The smell of nitrogen dioxide is:

3.

- a) Pleasant      b) Pungent      c) Not known      d) All are wrong

140 The gas obtained when urea reacts with nitrous acid is:

4.

- a) N<sub>2</sub>      b) NO      c) N<sub>2</sub>O      d) NO<sub>2</sub>

140 The species that does not contain peroxide ion is

5.

- a) PbO<sub>2</sub>      b) H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>      c) SeO<sub>2</sub>      d) BaO<sub>2</sub>

140 Phosphine is prepared by the reaction of

6.

- a) P and HNO<sub>3</sub>      b) P and H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>      c) P and NaOH      d) P and H<sub>2</sub>S

140 Which of the following does not react with AgCl?

7.

- a) Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>      b) NH<sub>4</sub>OH      c) NaNO<sub>3</sub>      d) Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>

140 The oxidizing property of nitric acid is due to:

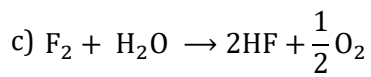
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- a) Its concentration  
b) The positive valency of N  
c) Its dilution  
d) The instability of its molecule and the presence of nitrogen in its highest state of oxidation

140 The reaction showing endothermic nature and reduction of halogen is:

9.

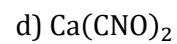
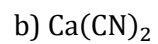
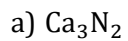
- a)  $F_2 + \frac{1}{2} O_2 \rightarrow F_2O$   
b)  $Cl_2 + O_2 \rightarrow Cl_2O$



d) None of the above

141 Calcium carbide when heated with nitrogen forms:

0.



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## 7.THE P-BLOCK ELEMENTS

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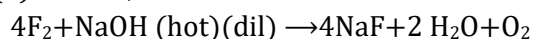
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## CHEMISTRY

### : HINTS AND SOLUTIONS :

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| <p>1 (c)<br/>N<sub>2</sub>O and NO are neutral oxides of nitrogen.</p> <p>2 (b)<br/>Zero group members are<br/>2He, 10Ne, 18Ar, 36Kr, 54Xe and 86Rn.</p> <p>3 (a)<br/>In blood He is much less soluble than nitrogen,<br/>hence He→O<sub>2</sub> mixture is used by deep sea divers<br/>in preference to N<sub>2</sub>→O<sub>2</sub> mixture.</p> <p>4 (b)<br/>HeF<sub>4</sub> does not exist</p> <p>5 (d)<br/>It is a fact, follow fixation of N<sub>2</sub>.</p> <p>6 (c)<br/>Al, Fe, Mg all reduce dilute HNO<sub>3</sub> into NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub><br/>while pb gives NO with dilute nitric acid<br/>3Pb+8HNO<sub>3</sub>→3pb(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>+2NO+4H<sub>2</sub>O<br/>dilute</p> <p>7 (a)<br/>Acid strength decreases from HClO to HIO as the<br/>electronegativity of halogen decrease</p> <p>8 (b)<br/>S in H<sub>2</sub>S has lowest oxidation number.</p> <p>9 (c)<br/>It is a fact.</p> <p>10 (a)<br/>It is a fact.</p> <p>11 (d)<br/>NH<sub>3</sub>&gt;PH<sub>3</sub>&gt;AsH<sub>3</sub>&gt;SbH<sub>3</sub><br/>As the electronegativity of central atom decreases<br/>bonded electron polarises towards central atom<br/>more, so, repulsion increases and bond angle<br/>increases.</p> <p>12 (d)<br/>NaNO<sub>2</sub> + NH<sub>4</sub>OH→NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>+NaOH<br/>NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>→N<sub>2</sub>+2H<sub>2</sub>O<br/>∴ NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>2</sub> is unstable, so it is prepared by reaction<br/>of NaNO<sub>2</sub> and NH<sub>4</sub>OH.</p> <p>13 (a)<br/>The stability of hydrides decreases down the gp.,<br/>i.e., from NH<sub>3</sub> to BiH<sub>3</sub> which can be observed<br/>from their bond dissociation enthalpy. The<br/>correct order is NH<sub>3</sub> &lt; PH<sub>3</sub> &lt; AsH<sub>3</sub> &lt; SbH<sub>3</sub> &lt;<br/>BiH<sub>3</sub>.</p> | <p>Property</p> <p>NH<sub>3</sub> PH<sub>3</sub> AsH<sub>3</sub></p> <p>SbH<sub>3</sub> BiH<sub>3</sub></p> <p><math>\Delta_{\text{diss}}H^\ominus(E - H)/\text{kJmol}^{-1}</math></p> <p>389 322 297</p> <p>255 —</p> <p>14 (c)<br/>Noble gases are monoatomic.</p> <p>15 (b)<br/>Rest all are soluble in H<sub>2</sub>O.</p> <p>16 (d)<br/>2KI + H<sub>2</sub>O + O<sub>3</sub> → 2KOH + O<sub>2</sub> + I<sub>2</sub></p> <p>17 (a)<br/>2KMnO<sub>4</sub> + KI + H<sub>2</sub>O<br/>→ 2KOH + 2MnO<sub>2</sub> + KIO<sub>3</sub></p> <p>Oxidant Reductant</p> <p>18 (c)<br/>Pyrosulphuric acid is H<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> or H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + SO<sub>3</sub> or<br/>HO—SO<sub>2</sub>—OH + SO<sub>3</sub>.</p> <p>19 (a)<br/>Na<sub>4</sub>P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> is a salt of strong acid and strong base, so<br/>it is a neutral salt</p> <p>20 (a)<br/>In Fischer Ringe's method, air free from moisture<br/>and CO<sub>2</sub> is passed over a heated mixture of<br/>(800°C) of 90% CaC<sub>2</sub> + 10% CaCl<sub>2</sub> in an iron tube ,<br/>when following reactions take place<br/><math>\text{CaC}_2 + \text{N}_2 \xrightarrow{800^\circ\text{C}} \text{CaCN}_2 + \text{c}</math><br/>2C+O→2CO<br/>C+O<sub>2</sub>→CO<sub>2</sub><br/>2CaC<sub>2</sub>+3CO<sub>2</sub>→2CaCO<sub>3</sub>+ 5C<br/>CuO+CO→Cu+CO<sub>2</sub><br/>CO<sub>2</sub> gas is now absorbed by KOH solution .Thus, a<br/>mixture inert gases is obtained.</p> <p>21 (b)<br/>C + 2H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> → CO<sub>2</sub> + 2SO<sub>2</sub> + 2H<sub>2</sub>O</p> <p>22 (d)<br/>4KNO<sub>3</sub> + 4H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub><br/>→ 4KHSO<sub>4</sub> + 2H<sub>2</sub>O + 4NO<sub>2</sub> + O<sub>2</sub></p> <p>23 (a)<br/>F<sub>2</sub> on reaction with NaOH gives different products<br/>under different conditions.<br/>(i) F<sub>2</sub> + dil, cold NaOH<br/>2F<sub>2</sub> + 2NaOH(cold)(dil) → 2NaF + H<sub>2</sub>O + OF<sub>2</sub><br/>oxygen difluoride</p> |
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(ii)  $F_2 + \text{hot, conc. NaOH}$



24 (d)

The bond energies of  $F_2$ ,  $Cl_2$ ,  $Br_2$ , and  $I_2$  are 159, 243, 193 and 151 J/mol.

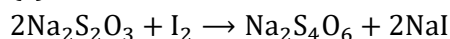
26 (d)

$AgF$  is soluble in water and rest all halides of  $Ag$  are insoluble.

27 (b)

$BCl_3$  is  $sp^2$ -hybridized ( $120^\circ$ ).  $PCl_3$ ,  $AsCl_3$ ,  $BiCl_3$  are  $sp^2$ -hybridized with one lone pair. The bond angle is contracted down the group.

28 (c)



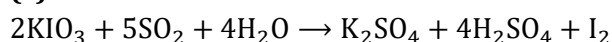
29 (c)

$H_2SO_4$  forms hydrate with water. That's why it has great affinity towards water.

30 (b)

Ramsay discovered many (Kr, Xe, Ne) of these gases.

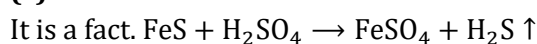
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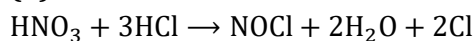
34 (c)

Used as desiccant.

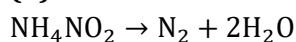
35 (c)



36 (b)



37 (b)



38 (a)

Fluorine reacts with  $H_2O$ .

39 (a)

Fluorspar is  $CaF_2$ .

40 (a)

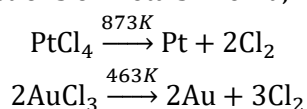
$HI$  is strongest acid because  $H-I$  bond is weakest bond

41 (a)

$NH_3$  is a stronger base because lone pair is easily available for donation

42 (c)

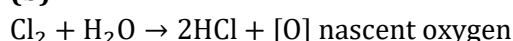
It is used in extractions of metals like  $Au$ ,  $Pt$ , e.g.,



43 (a)

$N$  in  $NH_3$  has  $-3$  oxidation number, the lowest value of oxidation number of  $N$ .

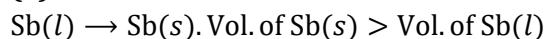
44 (b)



45 (a)

$Cl_2$  has disinfectant and antibacterial nature.

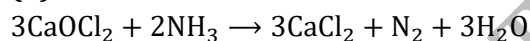
46 (a)



47 (a)

Follow molecular orbital diagram for  $O_2$ .

48 (b)



49 (c)

$H_3PO_2$  is monobasic acid.

50 (a)

Acidic character of oxides increases along the period.

51 (d)

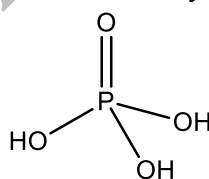
Due to higher at. weight.

52 (a)



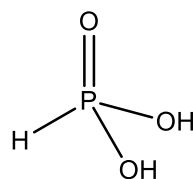
53 (d)

Orthophosphoric acid ( $H_3PO_4$ ) is a tribasic acid because it has three replaceable hydrogen atoms. Hence the basicity of  $H_3PO_4$  is 3. Its structure is as



$H_3PO_4$  (tribasic acid)

While phosphorous acid ( $H_3PO_3$ ) dibasic acid because it has two replaceable hydrogen atoms. Hence the basicity of  $H_3PO_3$  is 2. Its structure is as



$H_3PO_3$  (dibasic acid)

54 (d)

These are facts.

55 (a)

Clathrate compounds are formed not by action of valence bonds but by molecules imprisonment. Inert gases do so with metals.

58 (c)

It is a fact.

59 (b)

$AgI$  is a covalent compound so it is insoluble in water

60 (a)

- PH<sub>3</sub> is basic in nature.
- 61 (c)  
It is a fact.
- 62 (c)  
 $4\text{HNO}_2 + \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10} \rightarrow 2\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + 4\text{HPO}_3$
- 63 (b)  
It is a fact.
- 65 (a)  
Eq. of S = Eq. of Cl;  $\frac{64}{E} = \frac{71}{35.5} \therefore E = 32$
- 66 (c)  
It is a fact.
- 67 (c)  
Although each possesses nearly same strength.
- 68 (d)  
 $2\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4 \rightarrow 2\text{HPO}_3 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 69 (a)  
Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> is amphoteric. Rest all are basic oxide.
- 70 (d)  
SO<sub>2</sub> acts as an oxidising agent particularly when treated with stronger reducing agents. SO<sub>2</sub> oxidises H<sub>2</sub>S into S  
 $\text{SO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{S} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{S}$
- 71 (c)  
Mn in KMnO<sub>4</sub> has highest oxidation state. It acts only as strong oxidant.
- 72 (b)  
He is lightest (after H<sub>2</sub>), non-inflammable gas.
- 73 (a)  
 $\text{K}_2\text{MnF}_6 + 2\text{SbF}_5 \rightarrow 2\text{KSbF}_6 + \text{MnF}_3 + \frac{1}{2}\text{F}_2$
- 74 (d)  
 $\text{N}_7 \rightarrow 1s^2 2s^2 2p^3$   
*d*-orbitals are absent in nitrogen
- 75 (a)  
Fluorine cannot be oxidized because it is the most electronegative element of periodic table.
- 76 (c)  
H<sub>2</sub>S is oxidized to colloidal sulphur or amorphous sulphur by HNO<sub>3</sub>.
- 77 (a)  
It is a fact.
- 78 (c)  
H<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> (pyrosulphuric acid) is industrially known as oleum.
- 79 (d)  
 $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 \rightarrow \text{N}_2 + 4\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3$
- 80 (a)  
Ammonium dichromate on heating gives nitrogen, chromic oxide and water.  
 $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{N}_2 + \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3 + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$

- 81 (b)  
I<sub>2</sub> cannot oxidise Br<sup>-</sup> to Br<sub>2</sub>
- 82 (a)  
 $\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^- \xrightarrow{-\text{H}^+} \text{HPO}_4^{2-}$   
Conjugate base
- 83 (a)  
 $2\text{KMnO}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow (\text{MnO}_3)_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 $(\text{MnO}_3)_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Mn}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
Red-brown liquid
- 84 (d)  
Caro's acid is the name for H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>5</sub> or peroxosulphuric acid.
- 85 (a)  
F<sup>-</sup> is oxidized only by electrolysis.
- 86 (d)  
KO<sub>3</sub> and NH<sub>4</sub>O<sub>3</sub> are ozonides.
- 87 (d)  
O<sub>3</sub> is an allotrope of O<sub>2</sub>.
- 88 (b)  
PH<sub>3</sub> is sparingly soluble in water and has fishy smell
- 89 (c)  
NO<sub>2</sub> on dissolution in HNO<sub>3</sub> imparts yellow colour.
- 91 (d)  
The structure is pentagonal bipyramid having sp<sup>3</sup>d<sup>3</sup> hybridization as given below:
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- F<sub>e</sub>* : Equatorial fluorine  
*F<sub>a</sub>* : Apical fluorine  
*F<sub>e</sub>* - I - *F<sub>e</sub>* = 72° (5 angles);  
*F<sub>e</sub>* - I - *F<sub>a</sub>* = 90° (10 angles).  
*F<sub>e</sub>* - I bond length = 1.858 ± 0.004 Å  
*F<sub>a</sub>* - I bond length = 1.786 ± 0.007 Å.
- 92 (a)  
 $\text{PH}_3 + 4\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{PCl}_5 + 3\text{HCl}; \quad \Delta H = +ve$
- 93 (d)  
 $2\text{HClO}_4 + \text{P}_2\text{O}_5 \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7 + 2\text{HPO}_3$
- 94 (a)  
Salts of H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> are called as phosphite (HPO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup>).
- 96 (a)  
UF<sub>6</sub> is gas and thus, rate of diffusion of uranium isotopes is different.
- 97 (a)

It is  $I(IO_3)_3$ , i. e., iodine iodate.

98 (c) Ozone readily decomposes to give  $O_2$  and thus, improves the percentage of  $O_2$  at crowded places.

99 (d) Chlorofluoro carbon or *cfcl'* on exposure to UV rays in upper strata of atmosphere dissociates to give free chlorine radicals which results in

100 (b)  $FeCl_3$  acts as oxidant whereas  $H_2SO_3$  acts as reductant.

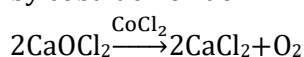
101 (c)  $NaNH_2 + N_2O \xrightarrow{190^\circ C} NaN_3 + NaOH + NH_3$

102 (c) Calcium carbide is used for ripening of fruits

103 (c) Black phosphorous is highest thermodynamic stable form in red, black, white and yellow allotropic forms of phosphorus because its ignition temperature is highest hence it is inert and has a layer structure.

104 (b) On electrolysis  $F_2$  is collected at anode.

105 (d) Reaction s of ethyl alcohol with bleaching powder to form chloroform takes place as  
 $CH_3CH_2OH + Cl_2 \rightarrow CH_3 \cdot CHO + 2HCl$   
 $CH_3CHO + 3Cl_2 \rightarrow CCl_3 \cdot CHO + 3HCl$   
 $2CCl_3 \cdot CHO + Ca(OH)_2 \rightarrow 2CHCl_3 + (HCOO)_2Ca$   
 Decomposition of bleaching powder is catalysed by cobalt chloride.



106 (a) Phosphorus glows in dark due to  
 $P_4 + 5O_2 \rightarrow P_4O_{10} + \text{light}$ .

107 (a) Hypophosphorus acid ( $H_3PO_2$ ) is monobasic acid which act as reducing agent in this molecule two P-H bonds are responsible for its reducing character and one O-H bond is responsible for its monobasic acid character.

108 (b) Radon is used in cancer therapy.

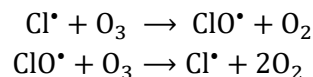
109 (d)

$$H \rightarrow O \rightarrow \overset{+}{N} \begin{array}{l} \diagup O \\ \diagdown O^- \end{array} \quad H \rightarrow O \rightarrow N=O$$

Polarity along O—H in  $HNO_3$  is more in comparison to —O—H in  $HNO_2$ .

110 (a) The number of lone pairs of electron on Xe atom

decomposition of  $O_3$  causing depletion of ozone layer.



in  $XeF_2$ ,  $XeF_4$  and  $XeF_6$  are 3, 2 and 1 respectively

111 (d) During discharge of battery  $H_2SO_4$  is used up.

112 (b)  $AgNO_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} Ag + NO_2 + \frac{1}{2} O_2$

113 (a) The spontaneous inflammability of phosphine with smoky rings (vortex rings) at the time of preparation is due to the presence of highly inflammable  $P_2H_4$ . This property is used in Holme's signal.

114 (c)  $H_2SO_4 + SO_3 \rightarrow H_2S_2O_7$  (Pyrosulphuric acid).

115 (c)  $Cl_2 + H_2O \rightarrow 2HCl + \frac{1}{2} O_2$

116 (a) Halogen  $ns^2np^5$ ; noble gas  $ns^2np^6$ .

117 (c)  $CuSO_4 + 4NH_3 \rightarrow [Cu(NH_3)_4]SO_4$ ;  $Cu(NH_3)_4^{2+}$  is blue in colour.

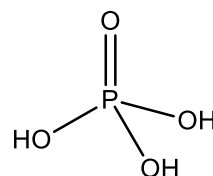
118 (c)  $HgO + 2Cl_2 + H_2O \rightarrow HgCl_2 + 2HClO$

119 (a) Bones contain  $Ca_3(PO_4)_2$ .

120 (a)  $O_2$  has two unpaired electrons.

121 (b)  $As_2O_3$  is poison.

122 (a)  $H_3PO_4$  is tribasic acid because it has three replaceable hydrogen atoms.

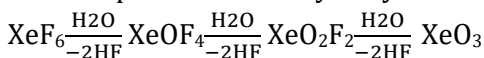


123 (a)

$(\text{CH}_3\text{COO})_2\text{Pb}$  gives black ppt, sodium nitroprusside gives violet colour, dil.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  produces rotten egg smell with  $\text{S}^{2-}$  ions.

124 (c)

The end product of the hydrolysis of  $\text{XeF}_6$  is  $\text{XeO}_3$



125 (a)

$$\text{Formal charge on oxygen} = \frac{\text{Total charge}}{\text{NO. of atoms}} = -\frac{3}{4} = -0.75$$

Also bond order of each P—O bond is 1.25.

126 (b)

He is lightest (after  $\text{H}_2$ ), non-inflammable gas.

127 (b)

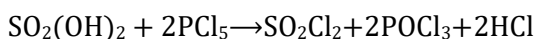
$\text{AgCl}$  is water insoluble chlorine.

128 (a)

$\text{F}^-$  possesses smallest size.

129 (c)

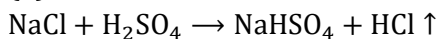
$\text{PCl}_5$  reacts with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to give sulphuryl chloride by replacing its hydroxyl group with chlorine atoms.



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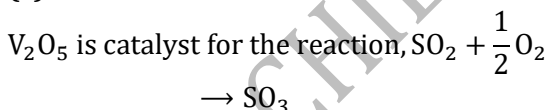
130 (a)



131 (c)

$\text{I}_2$  is placed above  $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Br}_2$  and  $\text{F}_2$  in electrochemical series. The non-metal placed below, replaces the other from its salt solution.

132 (c)



133 (a)



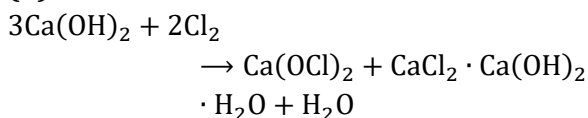
134 (a)

Iodine develops same metallic nature among halogens and forms some compounds like metals, e.g., iodine phosphate.

135 (c)

It is a test for ozone.

136 (d)



137 (d)

$\text{I}_2$  is placed above  $\text{Br}_2$  in electrochemical series and the halogen placed below replaces the other from its salt solution.

138 (a)

Both Br and Cl have different electronegativity.

139 (c)

It is a fact.

140 (b)

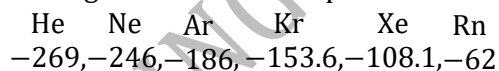
$\text{CN}^-$  is polar and anionic species.  $\text{N}_2$  is non-polar molecule with high bond energy.

141 (c)

Gas	Abundance in air by volume(ppm)
Helium	5.2
Neon	18.2
Argon	93.4
Krypton	1.1
Xenon	0.09

142 (a)

Boiling points :



143 (a)

S in  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  has +6 oxidation no. and thus,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  can act only as oxidant and not reductant.

144 (a)

$\text{XeF}_4$  is solid.

145 (b)

Since fuels burn faster in the presence of oxygen. When a glowing splinter comes in contact with oxygen, it relights. This is also a test for oxygen.

146 (d)

In  $\text{P}_4$ , each P is  $sp^3$  hybridised so that the percentage of  $p$ -character in these orbitals is 75%

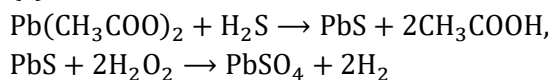
148 (c)

$\text{F}_2$  has the most negative  $\Delta G^\circ$  value which is dependent on hydration enthalpy.

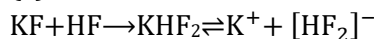
149 (b)

All are non-metals.  $\text{F}_2$ ,  $\text{Cl}_2$ (gas),  $\text{Br}_2$ (liquid),  $\text{I}_2$ (solid).

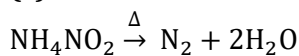
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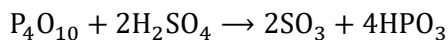
151 (c)



152 (c)



153 (c)



154 (a)

It is a fact.

155 (a)

Hypophosphorous acid is  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$ .

- 156 (a)  
 $4\text{NH}_3 + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 4\text{NO} + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 157 (c)  
 ZnO is amphoteric.
- 158 (b)  
 It is a fact.
- 159 (a)  
 $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$  is hypophosphorus acid
- 160 (c)  
 Follow methods of preparation of Xe fluorides.
- 161 (d)  
 $\text{NO}_2$  is brown reactive gas with pungent odour, paramagnetic but dimerise to solid  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$ .
- 162 (b)  
 Nitrates of all the metals are water soluble.
- 163 (a)  
 $\text{Xe} > \text{Kr} > \text{Ar} > \text{Ne} > \text{He}$
- 164 (d)  
 All are properties of ozone.
- 165 (d)  
 Halogens are very reactive due to high electronegativity, high electron affinity and comparatively low bond energies. The reactivity of halogen decreases with increase in atomic number. The correct order of reactivity of halogens is  
 $\text{F}_2 > \text{Cl}_2 > \text{Br}_2 > \text{I}_2$
- 166 (a)  
 $2\text{KClO}_3 + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KIO}_3 + \text{Cl}_2$
- 167 (a)  
 $\text{CaOCl}_2 + \text{CO}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaCO}_3 + \text{Cl}_2$
- 168 (b)  
 Reducing power increase in the order as  $\text{HF} < \text{HCl} < \text{HBr} < \text{HI}$
- 169 (c)  
 $2\text{ClO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{HClO}_3 + \text{HClO}_2$
- 170 (a)  
 Red p is obtained from white p by heating it with a catalyst in an inert atmosphere.
- 172 (d)  
 $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{HCl} + \text{HClO}$ ; also some  $\text{Cl}_2$  exists in dissolved state.
- 173 (c)  
 This is a fact.
- 174 (a)  
 Since, noble gases are monoatomic, these do not possess vibrational energy as monoatomic molecules do not vibrate.
- 175 (b)  
 This causes H-bonding in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .
- 177 (a)

Rhombic sulphur occurs in  $\text{S}_8$  molecules giving an atomicity of 8

- 178 (b)  
 When chlorine is passed into hot concentrated solution of KOH, potassium chlorate is formed.  
 $6\text{KOH} + 3\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 5\text{KCl} + \text{KClO}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 180 (c)  
 $2\text{HNO}_2 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{N}_2\text{O}_3$
- 181 (b)  
 $4\text{Cl}_2 + \text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3 + 5\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{NaHSO}_4 + 8\text{HCl}$
- 182 (b)  
 Halogens exist as  $\text{X}_2$  and the ion possesses stable noble gas configuration  $ns^2np^6$ .
- 183 (a)  
 The stability of oxides increases with increase in oxidation state of halogen.
- | Oxide                   | oxidation state of halogen |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$   | +1                         |
| $\text{ClO}_2$          | +4                         |
| $\text{ClO}_3$          | +6                         |
| $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$ | +7                         |
- $\therefore \text{Cl}_2\text{O}$  is least stable oxide of chlorine.
- 184 (d)  
 The colour of  $\text{Br}_2$  water is discharged by an unsaturated molecule due to addition of  $\text{Br}_2$  on  $\text{C}=\text{C}$ , or by  $\text{SO}_2$ ;  $\text{SO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Br}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HBr} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
- 185 (a)  
 $2\text{F}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 4\text{HF} + \text{O}_2$   
 $3\text{F}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{O}_3 + 6\text{HF}$
- 186 (c)  
 Rest all are transition elements  $(n-1)d^{10}ns^2$ .  
 Choice (c) represents chlorine.
- 187 (b)  
 Fluorine is the strongest oxidizing agent and Xe has the lowest ionisation energy among the noble gases and has little tendency to lose electrons
- 188 (d)  
 The bond strength of  $\text{H}-\text{X}$  decreases from HF and HI because the dissociation energy of  $\text{H}-\text{X}$  bond decreases from HF to HI.
- | Hydrogen halide     | $\text{H}-\text{F}$ | $\text{H}-\text{Cl}$ | $\text{H}-\text{Br}$ | $\text{H}-\text{I}$ |
|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Dissociation energy | 566                 | 431                  | 366                  | 299                 |
- ( $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ )  
 HI is most volatile.
- 189 (a)  
 White phosphorous on heating with aqueous solution of KOH produce phosphine ( $\text{PH}_3$ ) gas  
 $\text{P}_4 + 3\text{KOH} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 3\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_2 + \text{PH}_3$
- 190 (d)  
 $\text{P}^{32}$  is radioactive.



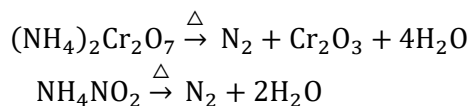
192 (a)

A binary compounds is that compound which is formed by two different elements. Metals or elements which shows variable oxidation states can form more than one binary compound. In the given compounds Fe shows +2 and +3 oxidation states. So, it can form two binary compounds with chlorine as  $\text{FeCl}_2$  and  $\text{FeCl}_3$ .

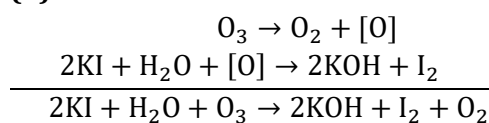
193 (d)

Due to less reactivity.

194 (a)



195 (b)



197 (d)

$\text{HgCl}_2 + \text{Hg}(\text{CN})_2 \rightarrow \text{HgCl}_2 \cdot \text{Hg}(\text{CN})_2$   
Mercuric Mercuric Addition compound  
Chloride cyanide

198 (b)

These do not support combustion.

199 (c)

$\text{O}_2$  is paramagnetic;  $\text{O}_3$  is diamagnetic.

200 (b)

$\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$  (Marshall's acid) has O—O linkage.

207 (a)

$\text{O}_3$  is antibacterial in nature and thus, used as sterilizing agent.

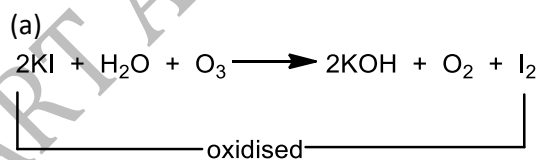
208 (b)

Welding of Mg is done in the atmosphere of He due to its inert and non-inflammable nature

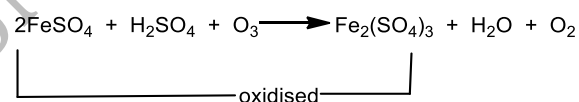
209 (a)

Rn is radioactive.

210 (c)

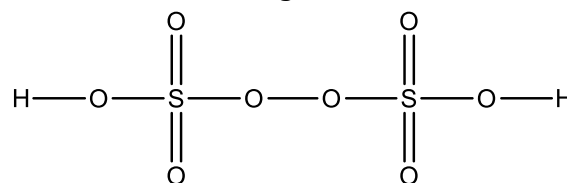


(b)



(c)  $\text{KMnO}_4 + \text{O}_3 \rightarrow$  no reaction

Structure of  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$  is given as follows:



201 (c)

N, P are non-metals, As, Sb are metalloids or semimetals, Bi is metal in gp. 15

202 (d)

HF is the weakest acid.

203 (c)

Follow contact process for  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .

204 (d)

Metallic character increases down the gp.

205 (c)

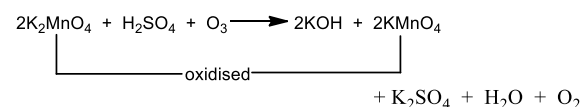


206 (b)

Noble gases have completely filled electronic configuration of outermost shell and thus, have no scope for addition of an electron in them.

Because in  $\text{KMnO}_4$ , oxidation state of Mn is +7. Hence, it is the highest oxidation state of Mn, so  $\text{KMnO}_4$  is not oxidized by ozone.

(d)



211 (a)

Boiling points of H<sub>2</sub>, He, N<sub>2</sub>, Ar are : -259°C, -268.98°C, -195.8°C, -185.7°C respectively.

- 212 (a) Fluorine and chlorine are more electronegative than sulphur, so they can displace it from its salt
- 213 (c) It is a reason for the given fact.
- 214 (d) Al becomes passive in HNO<sub>3</sub>.
- 215 (a) It reacts with rest of all reagents.
- 216 (a) Br has the configuration.  
 $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6 3d^{10}, 4s^2 4p^5$
- 217 (a) Dipole moment of gp. 15 hydrides decreases down the gp.
- 218 (b)  
 $2CaO + 2Cl_2 \rightarrow CaCl_2 + Ca(ClO)_2$
- 219 (d) Oxides of nitrogen are acidic and are dissolved in KOH (alkali).
- 220 (b) Compounds of Xe, Kr and Rn are known.
- 221 (b) It is a fact.
- 222 (b) The maximum temperature at which gas can be liquefied is called its critical temperature. The gas which have high boiling point will change into liquid and so critical temperature of gas will be more
- 224 (a)  
 $2KI + Cl_2 \rightarrow I_2 + 2KCl$   
 $I_2 + CCl_4 \xrightarrow[\text{Cl}_2 \text{ water}]{\text{Excess of}} \text{Violet} \rightarrow \text{Colourless} + I_2$
- 225 (a) Only N<sub>2</sub> has 1σ + 2π bonds in its molecule.
- 227 (d) Only Al among these does not react with HNO<sub>3</sub>.
- 228 (c)  
 $NH_4Cl \rightarrow NH_3 + HCl$   

1	0	0
0	1	1

  
∴ Calculated mol. wt. ∝ 1 molecule  
Experimental mol. wt. ∝ 2 molecule
- 229 (d) Thermal stability of hydrides of nitrogen family decreases gradually from NH<sub>3</sub> to BiH<sub>3</sub>.
- 230 (b) When an electric discharge is passed through Ne gas in a tube at low pressure, an orange red light is produced which is effective in the formation of chlorophyll and is used in green houses
- 231 (d) XeO<sub>3</sub> is an explosive compound when dry and its explosion power is 22 times more than TNT
- 232 (a) The most abundant element in the earth crust is oxygen.
- 233 (b) It is a fact.
- 234 (b) It is a fact.
- 236 (c) SO<sub>2</sub> acts as reducing agent in aqueous medium, as acid in basic medium and oxidizing agent in neutral medium.
- 237 (b)  
 $CaC_2 + N_2 \rightarrow CaCN_2 + C$
- 238 (c) Cl<sub>2</sub> is oxidised (Cl<sub>2</sub><sup>0</sup> → Cl<sub>2</sub><sup>5+</sup> + 10e) and reduced (Cl<sub>2</sub><sup>2e</sup> → 2Cl<sup>-</sup>) as well.
- 239 (c)  
 $F_2 + H_2O \rightarrow 2HF + \frac{1}{2}O_2$
- 240 (b) Cu hydroxide forms complex with NH<sub>3</sub>.
- 241 (d) The first ionisation energy of xenon is quite close to that of oxygen and the molecular diameter of xenon and oxygen are almost identical. Based on the above facts it is suggested that since oxygen combines with PtF<sub>6</sub>, so xenon should also form similar compounds with PtF<sub>6</sub>.
- 242 (d) The bond pair gets farther apart from central atom due to increasing bond length and thus, lone pair on central atom causes more contraction in bond angles.
- 243 (d) CO is neutral.
- 244 (d)  
 $Ca_3(PO_4)_2 + 3SiO_2 \rightarrow 3CaSiO_3 + P_2O_5$   
 $2P_2O_5 + 10C \rightarrow P_4 + 10CO$
- 245 (b) NO<sub>2</sub> is a brown coloured gas
- 246 (c)  $KI + I_2 \rightarrow KI_3$

- 247 (d)  
SO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O and O<sub>3</sub> all of these act as bleaching agent.
- 248 (a)  
Allotropes have different crystalline nature.
- 249 (a)  
P exists as P<sub>4</sub>, Sb exists as Sb<sub>4</sub>.
- 250 (a)  
He was detected first in solar atmosphere.
- 251 (b)  
The electrolyte used in battery is 38% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.
- 252 (b)  
Cl<sub>2</sub> is used in preparation of DDT-an insecticide.
- 253 (a)  
Due to H-bonding, HF exists in dimeric (H<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub>) liquid state.
- 254 (b)  
Halon-1301 is CF<sub>3</sub>Br. The first figure 1 represents no. of C atoms, the second figure represents no. of F atoms, the third figure 0 represents the no. of Cl atoms and last figure 1 represents the Br atom
- 255 (a)  
It is a test for proteins.
- 256 (a)  
Both XeF<sub>2</sub> and IF<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> are linear species but the central atoms Xe and I undergo sp<sup>3</sup>d hybridisation with all the three equatorial positions occupied by lone pairs of electrons
- 257 (d)  
Haber process —NH<sub>3</sub>, birkeland —eyde process — HNO<sub>3</sub>, solvay process — Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>.
- 258 (d)  
In rest all molecules the central non-metal atom possesses lone pair of electron which gives rise to distorted geometry.
- 259 (d)  
2KClO<sub>3</sub> + I<sub>2</sub> → 2KIO<sub>3</sub> + Cl<sub>2</sub>
- 260 (b)  
In VIA gp, sulphur possesses the maximum tendency for catenation. The catenation order : C > Si ≈ S > P > N > O
- 261 (a)  
3CaO + 2NH<sub>3</sub> → 3Ca + N<sub>2</sub> + 3H<sub>2</sub>O  
∴ N<sub>2</sub> gas is evolved when CaO reacts with NH<sub>3</sub>.
- 262 (a)  
Bartlett prepared first compound of Xe as Xe<sup>+</sup>[PtF<sub>6</sub>]<sup>-</sup>, a red orange crystalline solid.  
Xe + PtF<sub>6</sub> → Xe<sup>+</sup>[PtF<sub>6</sub>]<sup>-</sup>
- 263 (a)  
P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> is very good dehydrating agent.
- 265 (a)

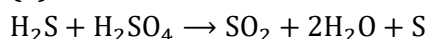
- Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>3</sub> reacts with hot and dil, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> to give SO<sub>2</sub> gas which decolourise bromine water  
Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>3</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> → Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + SO<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O  
Br<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O → 2HBr + [O]  
SO<sub>2</sub> + [O] → SO<sub>3</sub>  
decolourisation of bromine water
- 266 (c)  
(NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> → N<sub>2</sub> + Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> + 4H<sub>2</sub>O
- 267 (c)  
(NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O → NH<sub>4</sub>OH + H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
- 268 (c)  
Fluorine due to its very high electronegativity oxidises sulphur to its highest oxidation state and thus, forms SF<sub>6</sub> where S shows its maximum coordination number
- 269 (a)  
B in BCl<sub>3</sub> is sp<sup>2</sup>-hybridised; N in NCl<sub>3</sub> has sp<sup>3</sup>-hybridisation with one lone pair of electron.
- 270 (b)  
Cl<sub>2</sub>O has sp<sup>3</sup>-hybridized oxygen atom with two lone pairs.
- 271 (d)  
Excitation energy of F(2p-electrons) is more than excitation energy of iodine (5p-electrons).
- 272 (d)  
Rest all will give H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub>.
- 273 (c)  
It is an use of Ar.
- 274 (b)  
CuSO<sub>4</sub> + 2KI → CuI<sub>2</sub> + K<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>  
2CuI<sub>2</sub> → 2CuI + I<sub>2</sub>  
Cuprous iodide
- 275 (b)  
Atomic radius of H<sup>+</sup> + atomic radius of Cl =  $\frac{74}{2} + \frac{198}{2}$
- 276 (a)  
3Mg + N<sub>2</sub> → Mg<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub>  
Mg<sub>3</sub>N<sub>2</sub> + 6H<sub>2</sub>O → 3Mg(OH)<sub>2</sub> + 2NH<sub>3</sub>
- 277 (b)  
In presence of slight amount of a dil acid, bleaching powder loses oxygen. Due to this nascent oxygen, it shows oxidizing and bleaching properties,  
2CaOCl<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> → CaCl<sub>2</sub> + CaSO<sub>4</sub> + 2HClO  
HClO → HCl + [O]
- 278 (b)  
2KClO<sub>3</sub>  $\xrightarrow{\text{MnO}_2}$  2KCl + 3O<sub>2</sub>
- 279 (d)

Xe due to largest size more polarisable. He due to smallest size least polarisable.

280 (d)

Nitrolim is  $\text{CaCN}_2 + \text{C}$ .

281 (a)



283 (a)

The reducing property of the hydrides of VA group increases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$



The tendency to donate lone pair or basic strength decreases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$



Thermal stability of VA group hydrides decreases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$



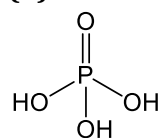
Bond angle of VA group hydrides decreases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$ .



284 (d)

The deficiency of iodine in diet causes goitre.

285 (b)



3-OH groups are present hence, it is tribasic

286 (d)

The solubility increases with increase in mol. wt.

287 (b)

It is a fact.

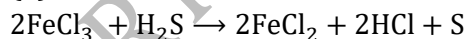
288 (c)

He is obtained during radioactive decay.

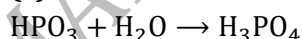
289 (d)

Zero group elements show less chemical activity because this group element has 8 electrons in outermost orbit

290 (a)



291 (c)



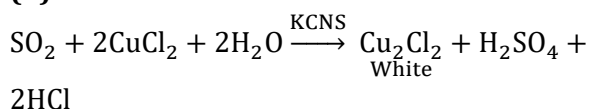
292 (d)

$\text{O}_3$  forms ozonides with each molecule having C=C bond or C≡C bond.

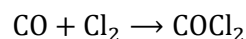
293 (d)

Argon is found abundantly in the atmosphere.

294 (d)



295 (a)



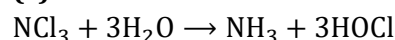
296 (d)

This is a method to separate noble gases.

297 (c)

It is a reason for the given fact.

298 (c)



299 (b)

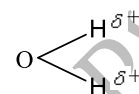
$\text{HNO}_3$  is strongest oxidant among all.

300 (a)

Larger is the bond length, easier is its dissociation and more is acidic nature in halogen acids.

301 (b)

Dipole of water includes dipole in noble gases which interact and causes solubility in water



302 (d)

Oxidation state of S is 0 in  $\text{S}_8$

Oxidation state of S is +4 in  $\text{SF}_4$

Oxidation state of S is +6 in  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

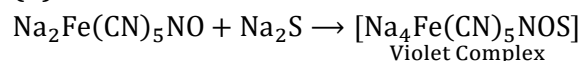
S shows 0, +4 and +6 oxidation states.

In fact S shows 0, -2, +2, +4 and +6 oxidation states,

303 (a)

H-bonding in  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  makes it a viscous liquid.

304 (d)



305 (a)

It is a fact.

306 (b)

Pyrogallol absorbs  $\text{O}_2$

Turpentine oil and oil of cinnamon absorb  $\text{O}_3$ .

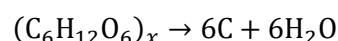
307 (b)

A test for ozone.

308 (d)

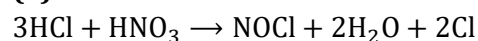
Concentrated  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  has dehydrating property.

When cellulose comes in contact with conc  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ , it removes water from cotton leaving only black carbon in the form of charred particles



Charred particles

309 (a)



310 (d)

$\text{H}_2\text{S}$  has  $sp^3$ -hybridization with two lone pairs, having V-shaped geometry, *i. e.*,



311 (d)

Dust is a colloid which shows tyndall effect. Hence, tyndall box is used to test the presence of dust in gaseous mixture, as dust decreases the effectiveness of catalyst.

312 (c)

PoO<sub>2</sub> is insoluble oxide of gp. 16.

313 (c)

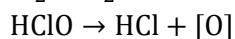
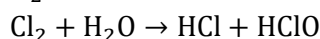
This is a laboratory method for preparation of Cl<sub>2</sub>.

314 (b)

XeF<sub>6</sub> show sp<sup>3</sup>d<sup>3</sup> hybridisation, it will give pentagonal bipyramidal geometry, but due to presence of lone pair of electron, shape will be distorted octahedral

315 (b)

Bleaching action of Cl<sub>2</sub> is only in presence of moisture where nascent oxygen is displaced from H<sub>2</sub>O



316 (d)

The +5 oxidation state of Bi is unstable due to

323 (a)

N has  $-\frac{1}{3}$ , -3, -2, -1 oxidation states in N<sub>3</sub>H, NH<sub>3</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub> and NH<sub>2</sub>OH respectively.

324 (d)

S<sub>8</sub> has puckered ring structure.



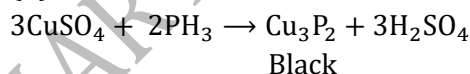
325 (d)

Ti has configuration 1s<sup>2</sup>, 2s<sup>2</sup>2p<sup>6</sup>, 3s<sup>2</sup>3p<sup>6</sup>3d<sup>2</sup>, 4s<sup>2</sup>.

Thus, Ti<sup>4+</sup> has configuration

1s<sup>2</sup>, 2s<sup>2</sup>2p<sup>6</sup>, 3s<sup>2</sup>3p<sup>6</sup>, i.e., of Ar.

326 (b)



327 (a)

Anhydrous Ba(ClO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub> is an effective drying agent. It is used under the trade name desicchlora

328 (a)

Neil Bartlett prepared first noble gas compound, xenon hexafluoride (IV)

330 (a)

The structure of H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> is given as

inert pair effect. Thus, BiF<sub>5</sub> cannot be formed.

317 (a)

Mg is reductant and thus, can be oxidized.

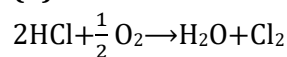
318 (a)

NH<sub>3</sub> is stronger base among all these.

319 (c)

${}_1\text{H}^1 + {}_1\text{H}^1 \rightarrow {}_2\text{He}^3 + \text{energy}$ . This is fusion.

320 (b)

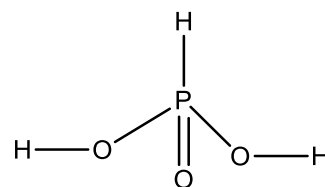
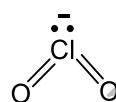


321 (c)

Only He and Ne are remained unadsorbed on the coconut charcoal at -100°C (173K) as their boiling points are less than -100°C. (He=4K, Ne=27K).

322 (c)

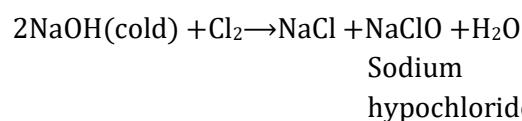
ClO<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup> has sp<sup>3</sup> hybridisation and two lone pairs on halogen which produces V-shape bent structure



In this structure two —OH group are present, so it is dibasic acid. In it one P—H bond is present, so it provides hydrogen and due to such hydrogen it acts as reducing agent.

331 (d)

When chlorine reacts with dilute and cold NaOH sodium chloride and sodium hypochlorite are formed.



Let oxidation state of Cl in NaCl is x

$$+1 + x = 0$$

$$x = -1$$

Let oxidation state of Cl in NaClO is x.



$$+1 + x - 2 = 0$$

$$x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = +1$$

∴ oxidation states of chlorine changes from 0 to -1 and +1.

332 (b)

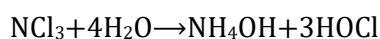
It is a fact.

333 (d)

These are uses of  $H_2SO_4$ .

334 (c)

Hydrolysis of  $NCl_3$  gives  $NH_3$  or  $NH_4OH$  and  $HClO$  as



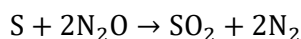
335 (c)

Xe in  $XeF_2$ ,  $XeF_4$ ,

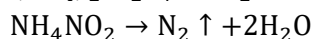
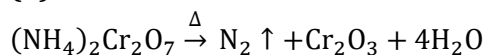
$XeF_6$  has  $sp^3d$ ,  $sp^3d^2$  and  $sp^3d^3$  hybridisation with electrons respectively.

336 (c)

$N_2O$  is itself non-combustible but supports combustion



338 (b)



339 (c)

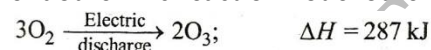
Fluorapatite is  $CaF_2 \cdot 3Ca_3(PO_4)_2$ .

340 (d)

It is a fact.

341 (a)

The formation of ozone from oxygen is an endothermic reaction not exothermic reaction.



So, statement



Is not correct statement.

342 (b)

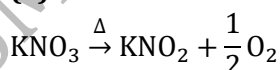


(Laughing gas)

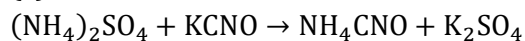
343 (c)

$P_2O_5$  is solid acidic oxide.

344 (a)



345 (c)



↓



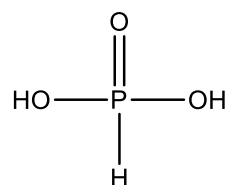
urea

346 (d)

$AgI$  is insoluble in  $NH_4OH$ .

348 (a)

The structure of phosphorous acid  $H_3PO_3$  is as follows



As it has two —OH groups, hence it shows dibasic character

349 (a)

The thermal stability of the hydrides of nitrogen family or group 15 elements decreases on moving downwards in the group. Therefore,  $NH_3$  is the most stable and  $BiH_3$  is the least stable. The stability of the hydride of group 15 elements decreases in the order.



350 (d)

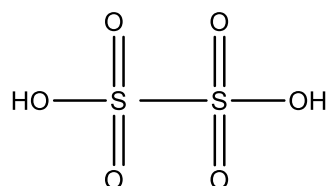
The electropositive character increases down the group, e.g.,  $I(CH_3COO)_3$ ,  $IPO_4$ , etc., are ionic.

352 (c)

$K_2CS_3$  is potassium thiocarbonate.

353 (a)

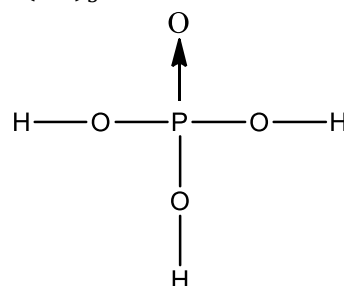
Only  $H_2S_2O_6$  contains S—S bond. Its structure is



354 (a)

Orthophosphoric acid ( $H_3PO_4$ ) is a tribasic acid.

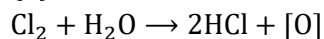
Hence, its structure can be represented as  $O \leftarrow P(OH)_3$ .



$$(lp + \sigma bp = 1 + 3 = 4)$$

Hence hybridization of p in  $H_3PO_4$  is  $sp^3$  and thus it is tetrahedral in shape.

355 (b)



356 (a)

Clathrate formation involves dipole induced dipole attraction (∵ water is polar molecule and Xe is non-polar).

357 (b)

Divers use He + O<sub>2</sub> mixture for respiration in place of N<sub>2</sub> + O<sub>2</sub>. The N<sub>2</sub> was found to dissolve in blood at high pressure during diving and after it, the N<sub>2</sub> gas comes out from blood causing painful nerve bursting. The mixture is also used for respiration by asthma patients.

358 (d)

Ammonium nitrate on heating at 250°C gives N<sub>2</sub>O.

359 (c)

F<sub>2</sub> has low reactivity for Cu and steel.

360 (a)

Due to the formation of thin oxide film on iron surface.

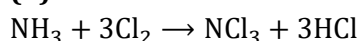
361 (d)

HF is weaker acid due to H-bonding.

362 (c)

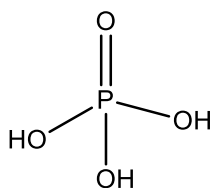
Fe(II) has four unpaired electrons (3d<sup>6</sup>) where Fe(III) has five unpaired electrons (3d<sup>5</sup>). This can be obtained by measuring magnetic moment of molecule in solid state.

363 (b)



364 (b)

The structure of H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> is



It can lose three H<sup>+</sup> ions so its basicity is three.

366 (d)

Chlorine, being only a slightly stronger oxidizing agent than bromine can not oxidise it to +7 oxidation state as is required for the formation of the compound BrCl<sub>7</sub>.

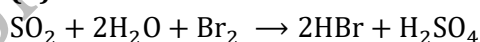
367 (c)

The true peroxide contains O<sub>2</sub><sup>2-</sup> (O – O)<sup>2-</sup> ion.

∴ Out of given choices only BaO<sub>2</sub> has O<sub>2</sub><sup>2-</sup> in its structure.

∴ BaO<sub>2</sub> is true peroxide.

368 (d)



369 (c)

Nitrogen does not have *d*-orbitals

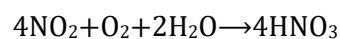
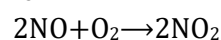
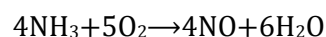
370 (d)

Pernitric acid is HNO<sub>4</sub>.

371 (a)

Platinum acts as catalyst in the oxidation of ammonia to form nitric oxide. This reaction is used in the Ostwald's method of nitric acid

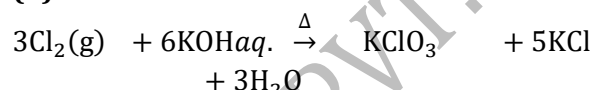
preparation.



372 (d)

Frankland and Lockyer pointed out the new D<sub>3</sub> line observed in the yellow region of the sun's spectrum observed by Jonsen in 1868 was due to a new element which they named Helium. It was the first noble gas to be discovered. The two known lines D<sub>1</sub> and D<sub>2</sub> were of sodium

373 (b)



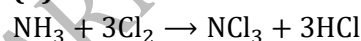
(Green yellow gas)

(Used in fire-works and safety match box)

374 (d)

It is a fact.

375 (b)



376 (d)

He, because of its small size can diffuse through rubber, glass PVC etc. easily

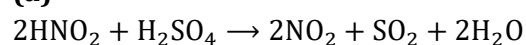
378 (a)

Orthophosphate + Amm. Molybdate  $\xrightarrow[\Delta]{\text{HNO}_3}$  yellow ppt

↓ + AgNO<sub>3</sub>

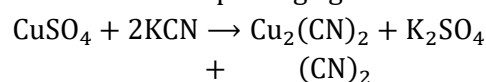
Red ppt

379 (a)

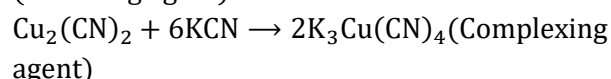


380 (c)

CN<sup>-</sup> acts as complexing agent and reducing agent.



(Reducing agent)



381 (c)

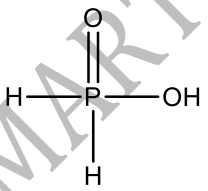
*Laminaria* - a sea-weed containing iodine as iodide.

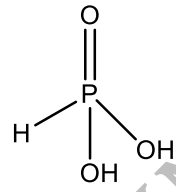
382 (b)

It is a fact.

383 (a)

Yellow P is readily oxidized in air and thus, kept in water.

- 384 (a)  
 $N_2$  does not combine directly with  $F_2$ .
- 385 (d)  
 Lowest bond dissociation energy is of  $I_2$ .
- 386 (a)  
 $5O_3 + I_2 + H_2O \rightarrow 2HIO_3 + 5O_2$
- 387 (d)  
 This is a use of molten Na and S.
- 388 (d)  
 Catalyst has no role in oxidation by  $HNO_3$ .
- 389 (a)  
 In the froth- floatation process, froths are produced by blowing air through water containing pine oil and ore. Ore particles are not wetted by water, hence these being lighter, comes out to the surface with froths and extracted. The impurities are watted by water and becomes heavy. Thus, these settle down.
- 390 (a)  
 $XeF_6 + 3H_2O \rightarrow XeO_3 + 6HF$
- 391 (d)  
 Zero group members are less abundantly found and thus, called as rare gases; due to their least reactivity they are called inert gases; on account of some compounds formed by Kr, Xe, they are named noble gases.
- 392 (a)  
 Xe in  $XeOF_4$  has  $sp^3 d^3$ - hybridisation with one lone pair of electron.
- 393 (a)  
 Hypophosphorous acid is a monobasic acid as it forms one type of salts e.g. sodium hydrogen phosphite ( $NaH_2PO_2$ )  
 $NaOH + H_3PO_2 \rightarrow NaH_2PO_2 + H_2O$   
 Hydrophosphorus acid has two hydrogen atoms attached to phosphorus and one hydrogen atom attached to oxygen atom (which is ionisable), i.e.,
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- 394 (a)  
 $X + e \rightarrow X^-; \quad \Delta H = -A;$   
 $X^- \rightarrow X + e; \quad \Delta H = +A.$
- 395 (a)  
 Oxidizing nature of oxides decreases with increasing oxidation number of central atom.
- 396 (d)  
 Oswald process of manufacturing of  $HNO_3$

- $$4NH_3 + 5O_2 \xrightarrow{Pt} 4NO + 6H_2O + \text{heat}$$
- $$2NO + O_2 \xrightarrow{50^\circ C} 2NO_2(g)$$
- $$3NO_2 + H_2O \rightarrow 2HNO_3 + NO$$
- $\therefore$  Pt is catalyst in Oswald process.
- 397 (b)  
 $4HNO_3 + P_4O_{10} \rightarrow 4HPO_3 + 2N_2O_5$   
 Dinitrogen pentoxide  
 The product is dinitrogen pentoxide ( $N_2O_5$ )
- 398 (b)  
 Phosphorus acid ( $H_3PO_3$ ) is a diprotic acid. It forms two series of salt such as  $NaH_2PO_3$  and  $Na_2HPO_3$  but none of the type  $NaPO_3$  with  $NaOH$ . Its structure is as
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- 399 (b)  
 $+4 \quad \quad \quad +5$   
 $2NO_2 + H_2O \rightarrow HNO_2 + HNO_3$   
 mixed acid  
 anhydride
- 400 (a)  
 $Ba_3N_2 \xrightarrow{\Delta} 3Ba + N_2$
- 401 (b)  
 When  $SO_3$  is dissolved in heavy water  $D_2SO_4$  is formed as  
 $SO_3 + D_2O \rightarrow D_2SO_4$   
 (X)
- The hybridization state of S in  $D_2SO_4$  is  $sp^3$
- 403 (c)  
 He, Ne. Due to its very small size and low molecular weight, these possess weak forces of attraction.
- 404 (d)  
 The reducing nature of hydrides increases down the group.
- 405 (a)  
 Most abundant element is oxygen on earth's crust.
- 406 (d)  
 It is a fact.
- 407 (b)  
 Superphosphate of lime is a mixture of calcium dihydrogen phosphate and gypsum and is obtained by treating phosphatic rock with conc  $H_2SO_4$   
 $Ca_3(PO_4)_2 + 2H_2SO_4 + 5H_2O$   
 $\rightarrow Ca(H_2PO_4)_2 \cdot 2H_2O + 2CaSO_4 \cdot 2H_2O$



superphosphate

of lime

408 (c)

$N_2 + O_2 \xrightarrow{3000^\circ C} 2NO$ ; very high temperature is required for dissociation of  $N_2$ .

410 (a)

Some metals form amphoteric oxides, e.g., ZnO; white P is kept in water. Carbon forms neutral (CO) and acidic oxides ( $CO_2$ ).

411 (c)

$SO_2$  is an acidic oxide and can be dried by an acidic dehydrating agent.

412 (b)

$4Zn + 10HNO_3 \rightarrow 4Zn(NO_3)_2 + NH_4NO_3 + 3H_2O$   
(Very dil.)

413 (a)

$H_2S$  has V-shape geometry ( $sp^3$ -hybridisation with two lone pair on S atom).

414 (b)

Graham's salt is  $Na(PO_3)_6$  used as water softener.

416 (b)

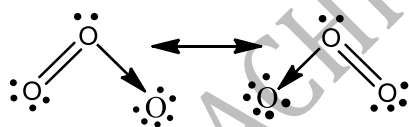
$N_2$  possesses high bond energy and thus, is inert.

417 (d)

It is due to heavier gas argon (at. wt. 40) present with  $N_2$  (at. wt. 28) obtained from atmosphere. Ar is about 1% in air; the most abundant inert gas in atmosphere.

418 (b)

In  $O_3$ , O—O bond length is identical with that of molecular oxygen. It is found to be intermediate of O—O and O=O bond length. This is due to resonance.



In ozone, bond angle of O—O—O is  $116.8^\circ$  and bond length(O—O) is  $1.278 \text{ \AA}$ .

419 (b)

For advertisement the coloured discharged tubes contains Ne.

420 (a)

HBr is strong reducing agent and will be oxidized to  $Br_2$ .

421 (b)

It is a fact.

422 (c)

Heat of vaporization of  $NH_3$  is higher in comparison to  $CH_4$ .

423 (d)

Deficiency of  $I_2$  causes goitre disease which is related to thyroid gland.

424 (b)

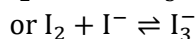
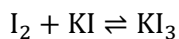
It is a fact.

425 (c)

Rest all are known.

426 (c)

Iodine has the least affinity for water and is only slightly soluble in it. However, it dissolves in 10% aqueous solution of KI due to the formation of a complex ion *ie*,  $I_3^-$



(Complex ion)

427 (c)

Commercial ammonium carbonate having  $(NH_4)_2CO_3$ ,  $NH_4HCO_3$  and  $NH_4OCONH_2$  is known as sal volatile.

428 (c)

Aqua regia is 1 part  $HNO_3$  and 3 parts HCl.

429 (c)

A more electronegative halogen can displace less electronegative halogen



430 (d)

As the electronegativity decreases from N to Sb, the repulsion between bond pair-lone pair decreases.

431 (a)

Basic impurities on surface are removed by HCl, Acidic impurities are removed by  $NH_3$ .

432 (b)

$FeSO_4$  solution absorbs NO to give  $FeSO_4NO$ .

433 (d)

I in  $ICl_3$  has  $sp^3d$ -hybridisation having two lone pair of electrons and thus, shape is bent T in spite of trigonal bipyramidal.

434 (c)

Pyrosulphuric acid is  $H_2S_2O_7$ . Both  $SO_3$  and  $H_2S_2O_7$  + 6 oxidation state.

435 (a)

The oxidizing power of oxo-acids of chlorine decreases with increase with increase in oxidation no. of chlorine.

436 (d)

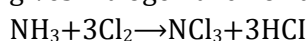
Cl can exhibit maximum oxidation state of +7.

437 (c)

$MnO_2 + 4HCl \rightarrow MnCl_2 + 2H_2O + Cl_2$  (Green-yellow)

438 (d)

Ammonia on reaction with excess of chlorine gives nitrogen trichloride.



excess

439 (d)

The spontaneous inflammability of phosphine with smoky rings (vortex rings) at the time of preparation is due to the presence of highly inflammable  $P_2H_4$ . This property is used in Holme's signal.

440 (a)

The thermal stability of the anions of oxo-acids of chlorine increase with increasing oxidation number of halogen

442 (d)

$NH_3$  is non-combustible gas.

444 (d)

e.g.,  $IF_7$ ; 7 atoms of F and one of I.

445 (a)

Mixture of helium and oxygen is the life saving mixture for asthma patient because helium is less soluble in blood than nitrogen.

446 (d)

Except Xe fluorides ( $XeF_2$ ,  $XeF_4$ ,  $XeF_6$ ), fluorides of Kr and Rn known are  $KrF_2$ ,  $KrF_4$  and  $RnF_2$ .

447 (a)

Element/elements having more electronegativity than (sulphur) can react with it to form compound of type  $SX_4$ .

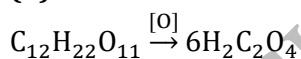
∴ Fluorine and chlorine are more electronegative than sulphur.

∴ F and Cl can form compound of  $SX_4$  type with S.

448 (d)

Reactivity of oxygen with chlorine is minimum because of low electronegativity difference.

449 (b)

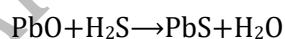


450 (c)

$COCl_2$  is called phosgene.

451 (c)

1.  $H_2S$  acts as a reducing agent, because it can reduce  $PbO$  into  $PbS$ .



(b) it is acidic in nature. In chalcogens, the acidic nature of hydride increases from  $H_2O$  to  $H_2Te$ .

(c) it is not an oxidizing agent.

452 (c)

This was a reason for the given fact.

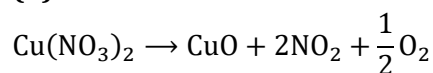
453 (d)

Oxidation states of sulphur are

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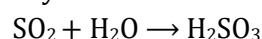
2	n	S
	i	$S_8$
0	n	
+	i	$S_2O_3^{2-}$
2	n	
+	i	SO
4	n	2
+	i	SO
6	n	3

455 (b)



456 (b)

$OF_2$  dissolves in water but does not give any oxyacid solution, while  $SO_2$ ,  $SOCl_2$  and  $SO_3$  give oxyacid solution in water.



Sulphurous acid



Sulphurous acid



Sulphuric acid

457 (c)

Thus,  $I_2$  shows complementary colour.

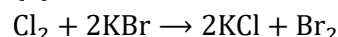
458 (b)

This is a fact or definition of clathrates of inert gases.

459 (a)

It is a fact. The radioactive mineral, cleveite, monazite, pitchblende, uranite give He either on heating to  $1000^\circ C$  in vacuum or on heating with  $H_2SO_4$ .

460 (b)

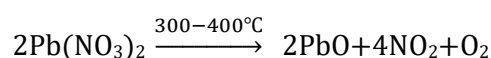


461 (d)

In group 16 and period VI the oxygen, sulphur, selenium are chalcogens (ore forming) while polonium being radioactive forms a less number of compounds and is not considered as chalcogens.

462 (a)

Lead nitrate on ignition furnish lead oxide and nitrogen dioxide with evolution of  $O_2$  gas.



463 (a)

Xe is most easily liquefiable rare gas because interatomic interactions increases with increasing atomic number.

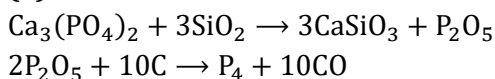
464 (c)

It is a fact.

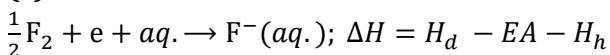
465 (d)

In atomic reactors, helium gas is used. It is also used in filling lighter air-crafts such as air ships weather balloons etc.

467 (a)



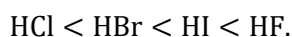
468 (c)



Heat of hydration being exothermic and maximum for fluorine because of its smaller size and thus, more negative value for  $\Delta H$  is obtained for reduction of  $\text{F}_2$ . Thus,  $\text{F}_2$  is strong oxidant.

469 (a)

The lower is b.p., more is vapour pressure; b.p. order is:



470 (a)

Sb is semi-metal and thus, forms amphoteric oxides.

471 (a)

Bone black is polymorphic form of phosphorus. The other forms of phosphorus. The other forms of phosphorus. The other forms of phosphorus and red phosphorus.

472 (b)

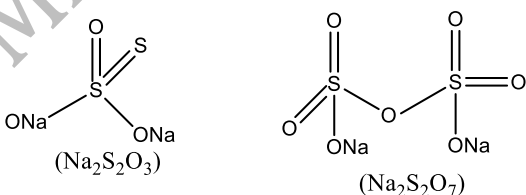
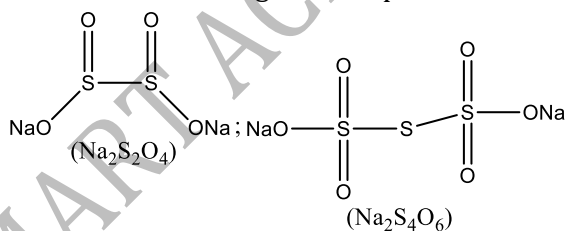
The acidic strength of oxy.acids decreases downwards in a group.

The correct order of acidic strength of oxy - acids of halogen is



473 (d)

The structure of the given compounds are as



474 (c)

It is a fact.

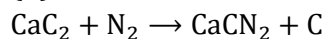
475 (d)

Due to its chemically inert nature.

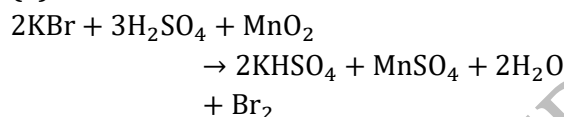
476 (d)

The inert gases producing maximum number of compounds are Ar(argon) and Xe(xenon) due to their low ionisation energy.

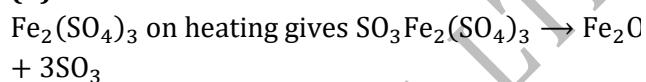
477 (d)



478 (a)



479 (d)



480 (d)

It is a fact.

482 (d)

It is a fact.

483 (a)

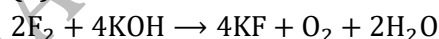
$\text{XeF}_6$  has much tendency to hydrolyse. The reverse reaction is more spontaneous.



484 (b)

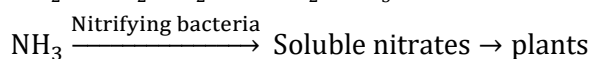
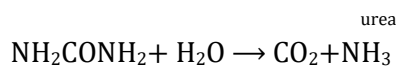
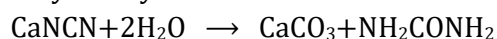
It is a fact.

485 (b)



486 (c)

Slow acting nitrogenous fertilizer is one which decomposes slowly. out of given choices  $\text{CaNCN}$  (or  $\text{CaCN}_2$  or calcium cyanamide) decomposes very slowly.

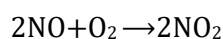
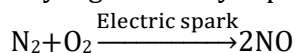


487 (c)

Liquor ammonia is concentrated solution of ammonia in water while liquid ammonia is liquefied ammonia gas.

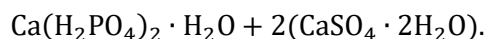
488 (d)

Rayleigh -ramsay separation method



489 (c)

As fertilizer. It is



490 (d)

These are characteristics of noble gases.

491 (d)

All are prepared using  $\text{HNO}_3$  as one of the reagents.

- 492 (b)  
Rn is the symbol for radon.
- 493 (d)  
 $\text{FeSO}_4 \cdot \text{NO}$  is formed.
- 494 (d)  
 $2\text{HNO}_3 + \text{P}_2\text{O}_5 \rightarrow \text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + 2\text{HPO}_3$
- 495 (a)  
The phenomenon of phosphorescence shown by white phosphorus is called cold fire
- 496 (a)  
Xe forms  $\text{XeF}_2$ ,  $\text{XeF}_4$  or  $\text{XeF}_6$  compounds with fluorine.
- 497 (b)  
To provide inert atmosphere.
- 498 (c)  
$$\text{ppm of F} = \frac{\text{Wt. of F}}{\text{Wt. of paste}} \times 10^6 = \frac{0.2}{500} \times 10^6 = 400$$
- 499 (d)  
 $3\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{PCl}_3 \rightarrow \text{H}_3\text{PO}_3 + 3\text{HCl}$
- 500 (d)  
 $\text{I}_2$  itself imparts violet colour.
- 501 (b)  
Xe is meant stranger
- 502 (d)  
These are characteristics of noble gases.
- 503 (c)  
 $2\text{Cr}_4^{2-} + 2\text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 504 (b)  
A halate will be formed from halogen and the greenish yellow gas is  $\text{Cl}_2$ . The halate which is used in fireworks and safety matches is  $\text{KClO}_3$   
 $3\text{Cl}_2 + 6\text{KOH} \rightarrow \text{KClO}_3 + 5\text{HCl} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 505 (c)  
The inorganic nitrogen exists in the form of ammonia, which may be lost as gas to the atmosphere, may be acted upon by nitrifying bacteria or may be taken up directly by plants
- 506 (b)  
Pseudohalides are uninegative groups which show certain characteristics of halide ions, e.g.,  $\text{CN}^-$ ,  $\text{SeCN}^-$ ,  $\text{SCN}^-$ ,  $\text{N}_3^-$ ,  $\text{OCN}^-$ ,  $\text{NCO}^-$
- 507 (d)  
 $\text{CaCO}_3 + 2\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CO}_2$
- 508 (d)  
It is a fact.
- 509 (b)  
 $\text{XeF}_2$ ,  $\text{XeF}_4$ ,  $\text{XeF}_6$  are formed by xenone
- 510 (d)  
 $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$  is white crystalline solid which melts at  $30^\circ\text{C}$
- 511 (a)  
Lone pair density is maximum in  $\text{NH}_3$  due to its small size.
- 512 (a)  
 $\text{H}_2\text{F}_2$  is weakly ionized due to H-bonding.
- 513 (b)  
Larger is size and mol. wt. more are van der Waals' forces among molecule.
- 515 (c)  
 $\text{SO}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2$
- 516 (c)  
 $\text{PH}_5$  is not known.
- 517 (c)  
 $3\text{H}_2\text{O} + 3\text{F}_2 \rightarrow 6\text{HF} + \text{O}_3$
- 518 (a)  
Nitrogen does not possess  $2d$ -subshell and thus, cannot excite its  $2s$  paired electron to get unpaired whereas phosphorus does so on account of availability of  $3d$ -subshell.
- 519 (b)  
A more electronegative halogen displaces less electronegative halogen from its halide. Fluorine is more electronegative than chlorine hence, it can displace Cl from HCl while chlorine cannot displace fluorine from HF. Therefore, the following reaction is not valid.  
 $\text{HF} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{F}_2 + \text{HCl}$
- 520 (c)  
More is the electronegativity of central atom (of non-metal) more is acidic nature of oxo-acid.
- 521 (a)  
 $2\text{NH}_3 + 3\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NCl}_3 + 3\text{HCl}$
- 522 (a)  
$$\begin{array}{c} \text{COOH} \\ | \\ \xrightarrow{\text{Conc H}_2\text{SO}_4} \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CO} + \text{CO}_2 \\ \text{COOH} \end{array}$$
- 523 (d)  
 $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{HClO}$  both have Cl in + 1 oxidation state.
- 524 (d)  
 $2\text{F}_2 + 2\text{NaOH} \rightarrow 2\text{NaF} + \text{OF}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 525 (c)  
 $\text{I}_2$  forms complex ion  $\text{I}_3^-$  in KI solution due to which it dissolves in it.
- 526 (b)  
The boiling point of  $\text{NH}_3$  is higher due to the presence of hydrogen bonding. The order of boiling point of hydrides of nitrogen family is as  
Hydride:  $\text{PH}_3 < \text{AsH}_3 < \text{NH}_3 < \text{SbH}_3$   
B.P. : 185 218 239.6 256.
- 527 (c)  
Rest all are uses of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .
- 528 (a)

Clevite is uranium mineral, on heating it gives He

529 (a)

$\ddot{\text{N}}\text{H}_3$  and  $\text{PH}_3$  both are basic because of the presence of lone pair of electrons

530 (b)

Both O and Cl is electronegative elements so O does not readily react with Cl

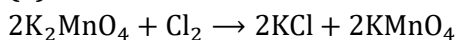
531 (d)

In case of  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$ , Cl has +7 oxidation state(oxidation state) and also have highest oxygen content . So it is most acidic.

532 (b)

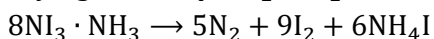
Sulphur possesses maximum bond energy for catenation in VI gp. members.

533 (a)

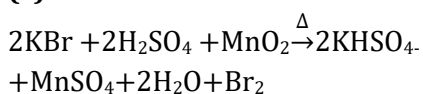


535 (c)

On rubbing liquor  $\text{NH}_3$  with  $\text{I}_2$  flakes, a dark brown ppt. of ammoniated nitrogen iodide,  $\text{NH}_3 \cdot \text{NI}_3$  is obtained, which decomposes quickly on drying into  $\text{NH}_4\text{I} + \text{I}_2 + \text{N}_2$ .



536 (c)



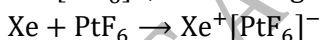
537 (d)

Lower is the ionization potential of an element more would be its reducing power and also reactivity.

As we move down the group, the reactivity of noble gases increase due to the decrease ionization energy. Hence, xenon is most reactive.

538 (b)

Bartlett prepared first compound of Xe as  $\text{Xe}^+[\text{PtF}_6]^-$ , a red orange crystalline solid.



539 (a)

The function of  $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$  in the contact process is to remove arsenic impurity.  $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$  is a positive sol, hence it removes arsenic impurity which is a negative sol.

540 (a)

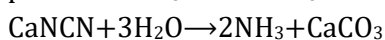
A clear solution in water is not formed because of (

542 (b)

$\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  reacts with  $\text{NH}_3$  in presence of moisture.

543 (c)

Calcium cyanamide on treatment with steam produces  $\text{NH}_3$  and  $\text{CaCO}_3$ .



544 (c)

Helium is twice as heavy as hydrogen, its lifting power is 92% of that of hydrogen. Helium has the lowest melting point of any element which makes liquid helium an ideal coolant for many extremely low temperature application such as crystals, a sophisticated measuring instrument based on super conducting magnet and cryogenic research where, temperature close to absolute zero are needed

545 (b)

Rest all react with HBr.

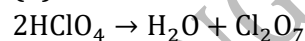
546 (a)

Cl in  $\text{ClO}_4^-$  has highest oxidation number and can b

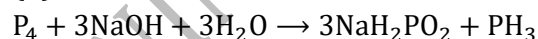
547 (a)

$\text{Bi}_2\text{O}_3$  is most basic;  $\text{SeO}_2$ ,  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  and  $\text{Sb}_2\text{O}_3$  are am

548 (b)

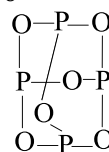


549 (b)



550 (c)

Each P in  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$  has 3P—O bonds;



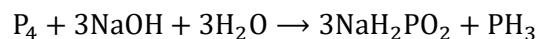
551 (c)

It is due to heavier gas argon (at. wt. 40) present with  $\text{N}_2$  (at. wt. 28) obtained from atmosphere. Ar is about 1% in air; the most abundant inert gas in atmosphere.

552 (c)



553 (d)



P is oxidised (zero to + 1 oxidation state in  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_2$ ) as well as reduced (zero to - 3 oxidation state in  $\text{PH}_3$ ).

554 (b)

$\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_4$ —dithionous acid

$\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6$ —dithionic acid

$\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_5$ —disulphurous acid

$\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$ — disulphuric acid

555 (d)

Pseudohalide they are combination of more than one electronegative atoms which one unit negative charge, e.g.  $\text{OCN}^-$ ,  $\text{CN}^-$ .

Polyhalide ions the complex ions which are formed by reaction of halogens among themselves are called polyhalide ions e.g.,  $\text{I}_3^-$ ,  $\text{BrI}_2^-$ .

Interhalogens they are the compounds which are formed halogen react among themselves. one of the halogens behave as cation and other acts as anion e. g. IF<sub>5</sub>, ICl<sub>5</sub>, BrF<sub>3</sub>.

556 (d)

Iodine also forms ionic compounds in +3 state.

557 (d)

Upper halogen can replace lower halogen from their compounds solution because a more electronegation halogen displaces less electronegative halogen from its halide.

558 (d)

CCl<sub>4</sub> + I<sub>2</sub> → Violet colour

559 (b)

It is a fact.

560 (a)

The reducing character of the hydrides of group v elements depends upon the stability of hydrides.

With progressive decrease in stability the reducing character of hydrides increases as we move down the group. Thus ammonia being stable has least reducing ability. The order of reducing abilities of V group hydrides is NH<sub>3</sub> < PH<sub>3</sub> < AsH<sub>3</sub> < SbH<sub>3</sub> < BiH<sub>3</sub>

561 (c)

CaOCl<sub>2</sub> + 2CH<sub>3</sub>COOH  
→ (CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub>Ca +  $\overset{\text{Available}}{\text{chlorine}}$  Cl<sub>2</sub>  
+ H<sub>2</sub>O

562 (c)

Salts of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>3</sub> or SO<sub>3</sub><sup>2-</sup> are called sulphite.

563 (a)

The head of match stick contains KClO<sub>3</sub>, KNO<sub>3</sub>, sulphur and antimony

The sides of match box contains red phosphorus and sand powder.

P<sub>4</sub>S<sub>3</sub> is used in strike any where matches.

564 (b)

Follow methods of preparation of Xe fluorides.

565 (a)

Thermal stability of the hydrides decrease gradually from NH<sub>3</sub> to BiH<sub>3</sub>. This is due to the reason that atomic size of the element increases down the group and N—H bond strength decreases.

566 (a)

Ca<sub>3</sub>(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub> is called Thomas slag.

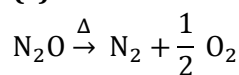
567 (b)

The electronegativity order is F > O > N > Cl.

568 (a)

The atomic size increases from Cl to I.

569 (c)



570 (a)

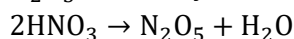
Find out oxidation no. in each.

571 (d)

It is a reason for the given fact.

572 (a)

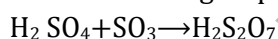
N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> is an anhydride of HNO<sub>3</sub>



Therefore, it can act only as oxidising agent

573 (a)

Oleum is fuming sulphuric acid.

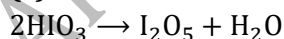


oleum or pyrosulphuric acid

574 (c)

The basic character of hydrides decreases down the group or acidic character increases down the group. Also H<sub>2</sub>O is neutral.

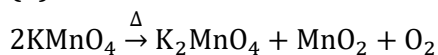
575 (c)



576 (d)

I<sub>2</sub> possesses antiseptic nature.

578 (b)



579 (b)

It is a fact.

580 (b)

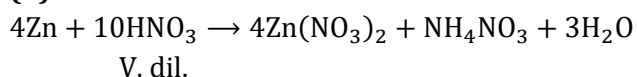
Cl<sub>2</sub> being a stronger oxidizing agent, oxidises bromide present in the mother liquor to Br<sub>2</sub>.



from mother liquor

bromide

581 (b)



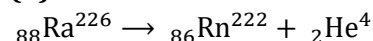
582 (d)

P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>10</sub> has 4P=O bonds in it which are shorter than P—O single bonds; each P atom has 3P—O and 1P=O bonds, i.e., total 4P—O linkages. ,

583 (d)

Fluorides react with these fluoro Lewis acids to form adducts. For example, XeF<sub>2</sub> gives complexes of the type XeF<sub>2</sub> · 2MF<sub>5</sub> and XeF<sub>2</sub> · MF<sub>5</sub>

584 (b)



585 (d)

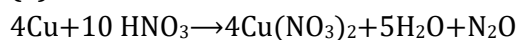
In the sublimation the solid substance converts

into vapours directly. Iodine is found in solid state while  $F_2$  and  $Cl_2$  are found in gaseous state and  $Br_2$  is found in liquid state. so, iodine can be purified by sublimation.

587 (a)

$NH_3$  is a polar molecule.

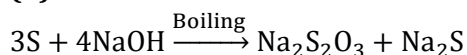
588 (a)



589 (b)

Rest all are characteristics of  $HNO_3$ .

590 (b)



591 (d)

These do not possess the tendency to react.

592 (d)

Black P is metallic form of P.

593 (d)

$SO_2$  is gas.

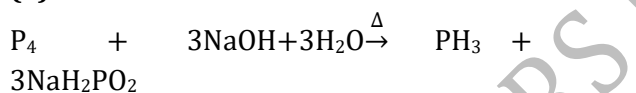
594 (a)

It is a fact.

595 (d)

$SO_2$  acts as a reducing agent, oxidising agent and as a bleaching agent. It does not act as dehydrating agent.

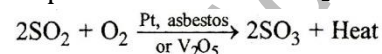
596 (a)



white phosphorus                      phosphine    sod,  
hypophosphate

598 (b)

Platinised asbestos or vanadium pentoxide ( $V_2O_5$ ) is used as catalyst in the preparation of sulphur trioxide from  $SO_2$  and oxygen.



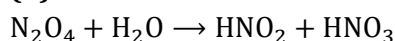
599 (a)

Liquid helium is used in very low temperature thermometer

600 (a)

Xenon forms maximum number of chemical compounds because it has lowest ionization potential among noble gases. (i.e., among the He, Ne, Kr and Xe).

601 (d)



602 (c)

$MnO_2$  is used as depolariser in Leclanche cell.

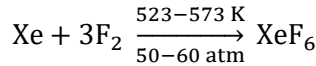
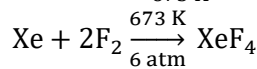
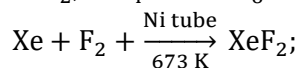
603 (c)

Helium is not used to produce and sustain

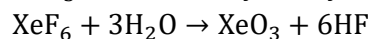
powerful superconducting magnets. All others are the uses of helium.

604 (a)

$XeF_2$ ,  $XeF_4$  and  $XeF_6$  can be directly prepared

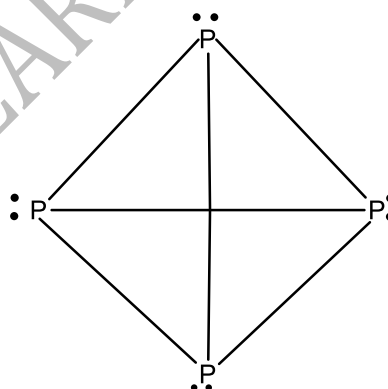


$XeO_3$  is obtained by the hydrolysis of  $XeF_6$



605 (b)

Phosphorus exists in several allotropic forms. out of them red and white are most common or red phosphorus is most stable form of phosphorus. white phosphorus or yellow phosphorus is the most reactive and poisonous allotrope of phosphorus. it is solid at room temperature it catches fire in air hence kept in water it has tetrahedral structure.



White phosphorus (tetrahedral solid)

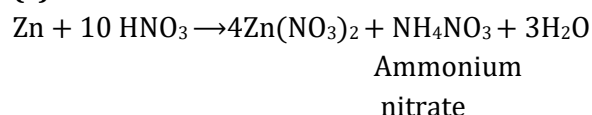
606 (b)

Red phosphorus and antimony sulphide are used for coating of sides of match box

607 (b)

Chromyl chloride test is for  $Cl^-$ .

608 (c)



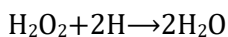
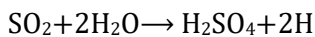
$\therefore$  Zn reacts with cold dil  $HNO_3$  to produce  $NH_4NO_3$

With dil.  $HNO_3$  it produces  $N_2O$  (nitrous oxide)

With conc.  $HNO_3$  it produces  $NO_2$  (nitrous oxide)

609 (b)

In presence of moisture,  $SO_2$  acts as a reducing agent as it gives nascent hydrogen. It reduces hydrogen peroxide into water.



610 (d)

Due to large size of iodine, in HI strong van der Waals' forces are present, Hence, it has highest molar heat of vaporization

611 (d)

$\text{SO}_2$  has all these properties.

613 (d)

Liquid ammonia is used in refrigeration because it has high heat of vaporisation

615 (c)

20.24% HCl

+  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  mixture is azeotropic mixture boils at  $110^\circ\text{C}$

616 (c)

It is a fact.

617 (d)

P exists as  $\text{P}_4$ .

618 (b)

White phosphorus is soluble in  $\text{CS}_2$  whereas red phosphorus is insoluble in it

619 (a)

In  $\text{PCl}_5$  two P—Cl bonds are axially located and three are equatorial. Thus, two P—Cl bonds are weaker than other three.

620 (b)

The acidic character of oxides decreases down the group.

621 (b)

King of chemicals is  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ . The economy of a country is measured in terms of consumption of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .

622 (c)

Fluorine has Highest  $E_{\text{red}}^\circ$  (equal to + 2.9 V) due to which it can easily accept an electron and hence it is the best oxidising agent.

623 (d)

F is most electronegative halogen.

624 (a)

It is a fact.

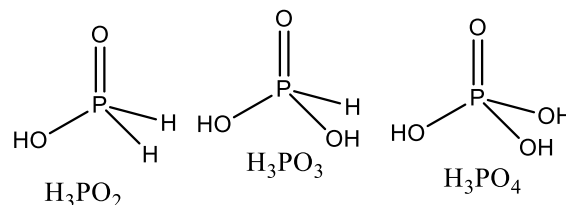
625 (c)

The strongest oxidizing agent among all elements is

626 (d)

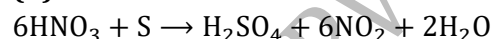
All the elements of gp. 16 show polymorphism or allotropy.

627 (c)



Although the number of -OH groups is increasing in  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$  (1 OH group),  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  (2 OH group) and  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  (3 OH group), yet acidity does not increase much. This is due to the fact that the number of unprotonated oxygen, responsible for enhancement of acidity due to inductive effect, remains the same, as a result dissociation constant also remains nearly same.

628 (d)



629 (a)

In liquid state, HF shows proton donor tendency and HCl acts as proton acceptor.

630 (d)

It is a reason for the given fact.

631 (d)

Rest all acids have +5 oxidation state as in  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ . In  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  oxidation state of P is +3.

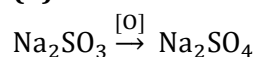
632 (c)

$\text{NO}_2$  is converted into liquid state.

633 (c)

Rest all halogens react with Sulphur.

634 (b)



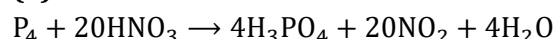
635 (b)

Xe in  $\text{XeF}_4$  has  $sp^3d^2$ -hybridisation with two lone pair of electrons giving rise to square planar geometry.

636 (d)

It is a fact. Follow fixation of  $\text{N}_2$ .

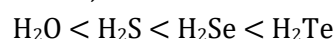
637 (a)



638 (b)

The acidic nature increases from  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  to  $\text{H}_2\text{Te}$ . The increase in acidic character of hydrides on moving down the group may be explained in terms of bond length of H—M bond, larger is bond length lesser is bond energy and thus easier is ionization of H—M bond or easier is proton donor nature.

Hence,



639 (a)

Chlorine heptaoxide ( $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$ ) is the anhydride of perchloric acid.



- 640 (a)  $2\text{HClO}_4 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$   
The inorganic nitrogen exists in the form of ammonia which may be lost as gas to atmosphere may be acted upon by nitrifying bacteria or may be taken up directly by plants.
- 641 (b) F has smallest size.
- 642 (a)  $\text{F}_2$  and  $\text{Cl}_2$  have no action on starch solution;  $\text{Br}_2$  t
- 643 (b)  $2\text{KMnO}_4 + 5\text{H}_2\text{S} + 3\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{MnSO}_4 + 8\text{H}_2\text{O} + 5\text{S}$
- 644 (a)  $\text{PH}_3 + 4\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{PCl}_5 + 3\text{HCl}$
- 645 (b) Bleaching powder liberates  $\text{Cl}_2$  on standing.
- 646 (c) Hyponitrous acid is  $\text{H}_2\text{N}_2\text{O}_2$  or  $\text{HNO}$ .
- 647 (b) This is the laboratory method of preparing phosphine gas.  
 $\text{P}_4 + 3\text{NaOH} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{PH}_3 + 3\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_2$   
phosphine
- 648 (c)  $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{HOCl} + \text{HCl}$   
(X)  
 $\text{AgNO}_3 + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{AgCl} + \text{HNO}_3$   
 $\text{Mg} + 2\text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{MgCl}_2 + \text{H}_2$   
(Y)
- 649 (c) Each element on two sides of change has same oxidation no.
- 650 (d)  $2\text{KMnO}_4 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{K}_2\text{MnO}_4 + 4\text{MnO}_2 + \text{O}_2$
- 651 (c) A gas is converted into liquid or solid state by increasing van der Waals' forces.
- 652 (b)  $2\text{MnO}_2 + 4\text{KOH} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{MnO}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 653 (b) Phosphorus pentoxide acts as a powerful dehydrating agent. It dehydrates  $\text{HNO}_3$  to  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to  $\text{SO}_3$ ,  $\text{HClO}_4$  to  $\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7$  etc.  
 $4\text{HNO}_3 + \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10} \rightarrow 2\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + 4\text{HPO}_3$   
 $2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10} \rightarrow 2\text{SO}_3 + 4\text{HPO}_3$   
 $4\text{HClO}_4 + \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10} \rightarrow 2\text{Cl}_2\text{O}_7 + 4\text{HPO}_3$
- 654 (c)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  acts as dehydrating agent in following reaction
- 655 (d)  $\text{HCOOH} \xrightarrow{\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4} \text{CO} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$   
All these are hydrolysed in presence of water.
- 656 (c)  $2\text{CaO} \cdot \text{MnO}_2$  is called weldon mud.
- 657 (d) It is a fact ( $2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{NO} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NO} \cdot \text{HSO}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$ )
- 658 (c) P in  $\text{PCl}_5$  has  $sp^3d$ -hybridization.
- 659 (b) Perhalates are strong oxidants and their oxidizing nature order is:  $\text{BrO}_4^- > \text{ClO}_4^- > \text{IO}_4^-$ .
- 660 (b) About 1/100th part of air is mixture of inert gases.
- 661 (d)  $3\text{HOCl} \rightarrow 2\text{HCl} + \text{HClO}_3$
- 663 (c)  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  sublimes and decomposes partially to smell  $\text{NH}_3$ .
- 664 (c) S in  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  is  $sp^3$ -hybridized.
- 665 (a) Dithionous acid ( $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_4$ ) has sulphur in + 3 oxidation state
- 666 (a) Oleum is  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_7$  which is obtained by dissolving  $\text{SO}_3$  in  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and is also called as fuming sulphuric acid
- 667 (c)  $\text{He} \rightarrow \text{He}^+$
- 668 (d)  $\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow 4\text{NO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2$
- 669 (b) Carnallite is K, Mg chloride and bromide.
- 670 (b)  $\text{O}_3$  is a blue coloured gas.
- 671 (c)  $\text{N}_2 + 3\text{H}_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Fe}} 2\text{NH}_3$  (Mo is promoter).
- 672 (b)  $3\text{HCl} + \text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{NOCl} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{Cl}_2$
- 673 (b) Phosgene does not contain any metal in it. Therefore, it will not produce metal sulphide with  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . All others give corresponding metal sulphides such as Cds, Zns and CuS
- 674 (d) Sulphur occurs in native form in the volcanic region.

675 (b)

KrF<sub>2</sub> is a F<sup>-</sup> donor and form complexes with F<sup>-</sup> acceptors where, only cationic species or Kr will be present

676 (a)

XeO<sub>3</sub> has sp<sup>3</sup>-hybridization with trigonal pyramid geometry.

677 (b)

Cl<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>S → 2HCl + S; S<sup>2-</sup> → S<sup>0</sup> + 2e.

678 (d)

It is a reason for the given fact.

679 (b)

In F<sub>2</sub>O the oxidation state of O is + 2 ie, positive whereas, in other compounds such as CO, NO, N<sub>2</sub>O it is -2

680 (b)

Poisson's ratio  $\gamma = \frac{c_p}{c_v} = 1.66$ , because inert gases are monoatomic.

681 (c)

Noble gases are present in atmosphere in minute quantities except Rn, which is radioactive and is formed by decay of Ra.

682 (b)

P<sub>4</sub> has six P—P bonds, four lone pair of electrons and

683 (a)

$I_2 + 10 HNO_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} 2HIO_3 + 10NO_2 + 4H_2O$

$S + 6 HNO_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} H_2SO_4 + 6NO_2 + 2H_2O$

$P_4 + 20 HNO_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} 4 H_3PO_4 + 20NO_2 + 4H_2O$

$C + 4 HNO_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} CO_2 + 4NO_2 + 2H_2O$

684 (d)

The bond order for He<sub>2</sub> = 0 and thus molecules is non-existent.

685 (b)

F<sub>2</sub> + 2Cl<sup>-</sup> → Cl<sub>2</sub> + 2F<sup>-</sup>

F<sub>2</sub> + 2Br<sup>-</sup> → Br<sub>2</sub> + 2F<sup>-</sup>

F<sub>2</sub> + 2I<sup>-</sup> → I<sub>2</sub> + 2F<sup>-</sup>

686 (b)

Due to the less reactivity, red phosphorus is most stable

687 (d)

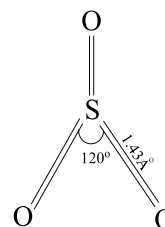
9O<sub>3</sub> + 2I<sub>2</sub> → I<sub>4</sub>O<sub>9</sub> + 9O<sub>2</sub>

688 (c)

Yellow colour is complementary colour to violet.

689 (a)

SO<sub>3</sub> has sp<sup>2</sup>-hybridization on S atom having geometry.



690 (d)

Ca<sub>3</sub>P<sub>2</sub> + 6H<sub>2</sub>O → 3Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub> + 2PH<sub>3</sub>

PH<sub>3</sub> contain P<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub> as an impurity which on burning gives P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> and white smoke

691 (c)

It is a fact.

692 (b)

An important reaction of PCl<sub>5</sub> is to replace OH gp. by Cl.

693 (d)

Chalcogens are ore forming elements.

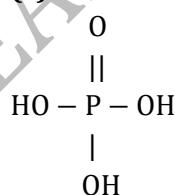
694 (c)

Ca<sub>3</sub>P<sub>2</sub> + 6H<sub>2</sub>O → 3Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub> + 2PH<sub>3</sub>

695 (c)

Ar is more soluble in water than O<sub>2</sub> and N<sub>2</sub> and also He

696 (c)



it ionizes in three steps because three -OH groups are present

697 (a)

2KMnO<sub>4</sub> + 16HCl

→ 2KCl + 2MnCl<sub>2</sub> + 8H<sub>2</sub>O + 5Cl<sub>2</sub>

698 (d)

All other oxides of nitrogen except N<sub>2</sub>O and NO are acidic nature.

699 (d)

**Pseudohalide ion and pseudohalogens** There are certain monovalent negative ions made up of two or more electronegative atoms which exhibit properties similar to these of halide ions. Such ions are known as pseudohalide ions. Just as halide ions, pseudohalide ions have also corresponding dimeric molecules these are called pseudohalogens and show properties similar to those of halogens, eg, Cl<sup>-</sup> and CN<sup>-</sup>

700 (d)

Nessler's reagent is K<sub>2</sub>HgI<sub>4</sub>.

701 (d)

Due to smaller electronegativity differences in

between two halogens.

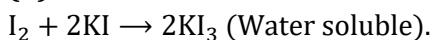
702 (a)

It is a reason for the given fact.

703 (c)

As acts as poison for Pt in contact process.

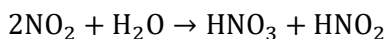
704 (d)



705 (a)

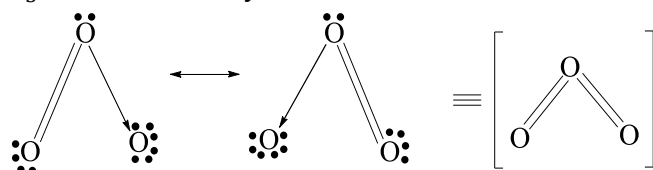
Traces of iodine accelerate the transformation of white P into red P at relatively lower temperature.

707 (c)

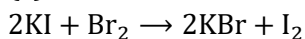


712 (a)

O<sub>3</sub> is a resonance hybrid of

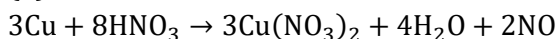


713 (c)

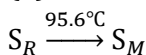


Starch + I<sub>2</sub> → Blue colour.

714 (a)



715 (a)



716 (a)

719 (c)

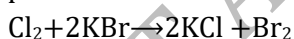
Mn in KMnO<sub>4</sub> can be reduced; because only KMnO<sub>4</sub> is oxidant.

720 (a)

NO<sub>2</sub> is given out during the process which is responsible for yellow colour of HNO<sub>3</sub>.

721 (d)

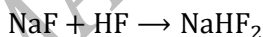
Chlorine can replace bromine from KBr solution. as it is placed above bromine in VIIA group in periodic table.



722 (a)

AgF is water soluble.

723 (b)



725 (d)

An oxygen-helium mixture is used for artificial respiration in deep sea diving instead of air because nitrogen present in air dissolves in blood under high pressure when sea diver goes into deep sea. When he comes to the surface, nitrogen bubbles out of the blood due to decrease in pressure, causing pains. This disease is called bends

726 (d)

708 (a)

It is a use of He.

709 (b)

N<sub>2</sub>O has anaesthetic nature used in dental surgery.

710 (b)

Rest all acids act as oxidant and oxidise Cu and Ag. Note Cu and Ag are placed below H in electrochemical series and do not liberate H<sub>2</sub> from acids.

711 (b)

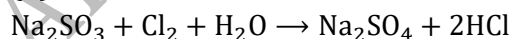
O<sup>16</sup>, O<sup>17</sup>, and O<sup>18</sup>

HBr is reducing agent, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> is oxidizing agent.

717 (c)

It is a fact.

718 (b)

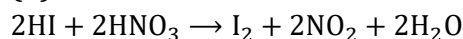


Due to inert pair effect.

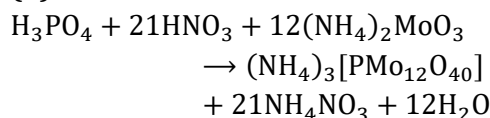
727 (b)

It is a reason for the given fact.

728 (d)



729 (b)



730 (b)

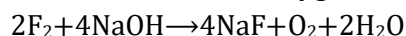
Air contains 1% argon which is heavier than N<sub>2</sub>.

731 (b)

It is the nature and use of antichlor.

732 (a)

F<sub>2</sub> on reaction with hot and conc. Alkali gives sodium fluoride and oxygen.



733 (b)

XeOF<sub>4</sub> gives sp<sup>3</sup>d<sup>3</sup> hybridisation. Due to presence of one lone pair it gives square pyramidal geometry

734 (c)

Oleum is obtained by dissolving sulphur trioxide in  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$



oleum

Oleum is also called fuming sulphuric acid because it fumes in moist air due to sulphur trioxide.

735 (a)

It is a characteristic of white phosphorus.

736 (c)

Caliche is crude chile salt petre ( $\text{NaNO}_3$ ) which contains about 0.02% iodine as sodium iodate ( $\text{NaIO}_3$ ), from which iodine is extracted

737 (d)

The electron affinity of halogens decreases down the group.

738 (a)

Interhalogen compounds are made up of two halogen atoms.

739 (c)

The spontaneous inflammability of phosphine with smoky rings (vortex rings) at the time of preparation is due to the presence of highly inflammable  $\text{P}_2\text{H}_4$ . This property is used in Holme's signal.

740 (d)

$\text{P} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow$  phosphorus oxide + light, the phenomenon is called chemiluminescence, *i. e.*, the phenomenon of emitting light as a result of chemical change.

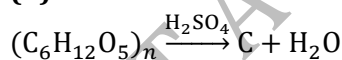
741 (a)

$\text{F}_2\text{O}$  is formed.

F is more electronegative than oxygen.

Oxygen is second most electronegative element.

742 (d)



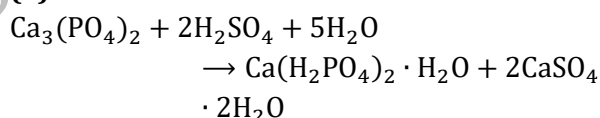
743 (a)

Ne has van der Waals' radius, whereas in  $\text{O}_2$ , covalent radius is reported.

744 (b)



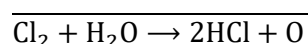
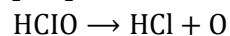
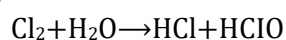
745 (a)



746 (c)

Chlorine acts as oxidising and bleaching agent in the presence of moisture. Chlorine reacts with water forming HCl and HClOz. HClO further decomposes to give nascent oxygen which is

responsible for oxidising and bleaching properties of chlorine. Thus in chlorine water, oxidising agent is HOCl.



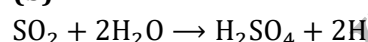
747 (a)

$\text{F}_2$  } gases  
 $\text{Cl}_2$  }

$\text{Br}_2 \rightarrow$  liquid

$\text{I}_2 \rightarrow$  solid

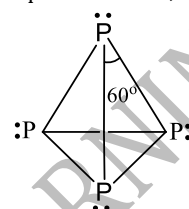
748 (b)



Coloured matter + H  $\rightarrow$  Colourless.

749 (b)

$\text{P}_4$  molecules,



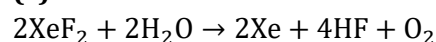
Bond angle =  $60^\circ$

Six P - P single bonds, lone pair = 4

750 (a)

N in  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$  and  $\text{HNO}_2$  has +3 oxidation state.

751 (c)



752 (d)

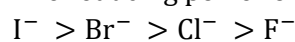
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753 (a)

$\text{ClO}_3$  has 41 electrons and thus, at least one electro

754 (a)

The reducing power of halide ions is:

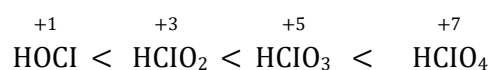


755 (c)

Rest all react directly with  $\text{N}_2$ .

756 (d)

Perchloric acid ( $\text{HClO}_4$ ) is the strongest acid among these because the acidic character of oxoacid increases with increasing the oxidation number of a particular halogen atom.

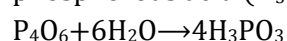


757 (b)

Ionization potential decreases down the gp.

758 (c)

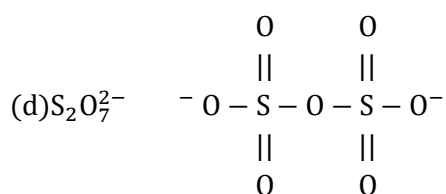
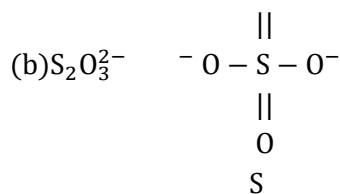
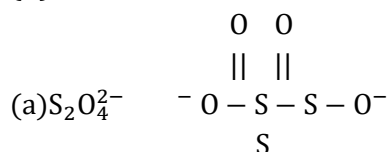
When phosphorus trioxide is dissolved in water phosphorous acid ( $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$ ) is formed



759 (a)

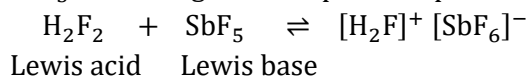
It is a fact. Air contains 20% O<sub>2</sub> and supports in combustion.

760 (d)



761 (a)

SbF<sub>5</sub> is a strong electron pair acceptor.



762 (d)

Br<sub>2</sub> reacts with hot and strong NaOH solution to give NaBr, NaBrO<sub>3</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>O.

764 (c)

Mn<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> gives HMnO<sub>4</sub> and CrO<sub>3</sub> gives H<sub>2</sub>CrO<sub>4</sub> with I

765 (c)

Pentavalency in phosphorus is more stable than that of nitrogen due to the larger size of phosphorus atom

766 (a)

∴ White phosphorus is most reactive and most important allotrope of phosphorus. It is insoluble in water. ∴ It is kept in water to prevent it from catching fire.

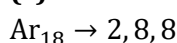
767 (b)

I(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>3</sub> is an ionic compound.

768 (d)

Rest all give PH<sub>3</sub>.

769 (c)



770 (c)

Xe reacts directly with fluorine to form fluorides.

771 (b)

In XeF<sub>5</sub><sup>+</sup>, Xe atom has only seven electrons, i.e., 5s<sup>2</sup> 5p<sup>5</sup>. Here, two 5p electrons are promoted

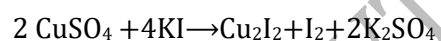
to 5d sub level. Then 5s, three 5p and two 5d orbitals hybridize to give six sp<sup>3</sup>d<sup>2</sup> hybrid orbitals in an octahedral geometry. Out of these, five orbitals are singly occupied which form sigma bonds with five F atoms. The sixth hybrid orbital is occupied by a lone pair in *trans* position giving a square pyramidal structure

772 (d)

It is an experimental fact.

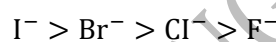
773 (a)

Iodine I<sup>-</sup> being a strong reducing agent reduces Cu<sup>2+</sup> ions to Cu<sup>+</sup> ions and itself gets oxidized to iodine.



774 (d)

The reducing power of halide ions decreases in the order



Hence, I<sup>-</sup> is the strongest reducing agent.

776 (b)

Liquid He is a unique liquid as it exists in two forms, He(I) and He(II). He(I) is a normal liquid with normal properties. On cooling to 2.19 K and 38 mm pressure it changes to He(II) with abrupt changes in many physical properties such as density, dielectric constant and specific heat. He(II) is super fluid or quantum mechanical liquid. It has very high heat of conductance (600 times of Cu), low viscosity (1/100 of H<sub>2</sub> gas) and flat meniscus (a low surface tension).

777 (c)

N<sub>2</sub>O is linear molecule.

778 (b)

The acidic character of oxides increases with increase in non-metallic nature and oxidation number of central atom.

779 (a)

Apatite is CaF<sub>2</sub> . 3Ca<sub>3</sub> (PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>. It is an ore of fluorine with calcium.

780 (d)

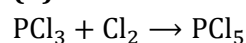
S<sub>8</sub> has puckered ring structure.



781 (b)



782 (d)



783 (d)

It is a fact.

784 (a)

The boiling point of inert gases increases with increases in molecular weight due to increase in van der Waal's forces.

∴ Xe has largest size, among inert gases.

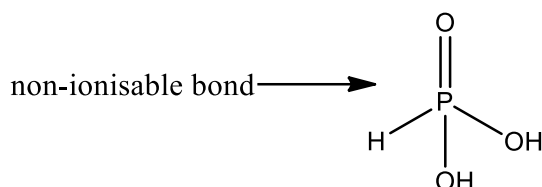
∴ Xe has highest boiling point.

785 (b)

HPO<sub>3</sub> is called metaphosphoric acid.

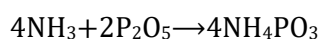
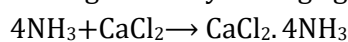
786 (b)

Structure of H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>3</sub> is



788 (d)

Quick lime CaO is used to dry ammonia as with other given dehydrating agents ammonia reacts.



Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub> is never used as dehydrating agent.

789 (d)

The bond dissociation energy of Cl<sub>2</sub>, Br<sub>2</sub>, and I<sub>2</sub> is as

Molecule : Cl<sub>2</sub> > Br<sub>2</sub> > I<sub>2</sub>

Dissociation : 242.6 192.8 151.1

Enthalpy (kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>)

790 (c)



791 (c)

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792 (b)

The basic character of hydrides decreases down the gp.

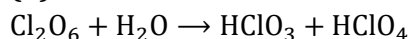
793 (a)

Lower electronegativity and lower oxidation state of the central atom favours the formation of more basic oxide of element. Therefore, Bi<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> is most basic oxide

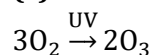
794 (c)

SO<sub>2</sub> bleaches by reduction, Cl<sub>2</sub> by oxidation.

795 (d)

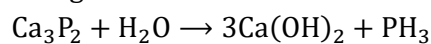


796 (c)



798 (b)

The spontaneous inflammability of phosphine with smoky rings (vortex rings) at the time of preparation is due to the presence of highly inflammable P<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>. This property is used in Holme's signal.



P<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub> is also produced.

799 (a)

It is a fact.

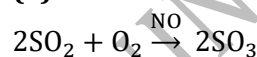
800 (b)

Sulphur does not form pπ - pπ bond due to its larger size, hence does not exist as S<sub>2</sub> molecules.

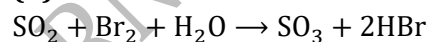
801 (a)



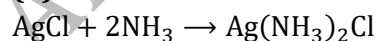
802 (a)



804 (d)

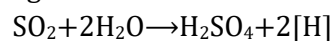


805 (b)

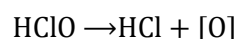
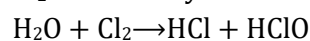


806 (c)

The pair of SO<sub>2</sub> and Cl<sub>2</sub> has bleaching property. In presence of moisture, SO<sub>2</sub> acts as a bleaching agent.



The nascent hydrogen bleaches the colour of the substance, thus SO<sub>2</sub> bleaches by reduction while Cl<sub>2</sub> bleaches by oxidation.



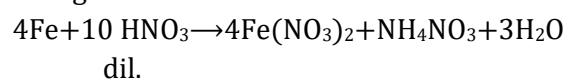
[O] + coloured substance → colourless substances

807 (a)

HCl is better called chloride.

808 (c)

Iron is oxidized to ferrous nitrate and nitric acid is changed to ammonium nitrate.



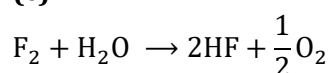
809 (a)

Members of group 15 or VA of periodic table are called pnicogens. they include N, P, As, Sb and Bi.

810 (b)

It is a fact.

812 (c)



813 (a)

It is a reason for given fact.

814 (b)

It is a fact.

815 (d)

Each has one lone pair on Xe atom.

816 (d)

HClO

→ HCl

+ [O]. Thus, oxidizing and bleaching agents.

817 (a)

$2\text{Sb} + 3\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{SbCl}_3$

818 (d)

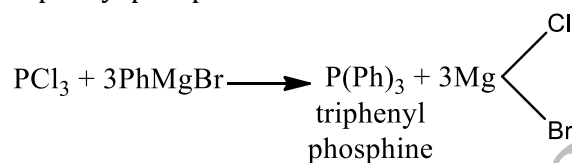
Bromargyrite is a mineral of bromine.

819 (b)

He is lightest (after  $\text{H}_2$ ), non-inflammable gas.

820 (c)

When phosphorus trichloride reacts with phenyl magnesium bromide (Grignard's reagent), all the three chlorine atoms of  $\text{PCl}_3$  are replaced by phenyl group of phenyl magnesium bromide and triphenyl phosphine is obtained



821 (d)

Rest all reacts with water to give  $\text{NH}_3$ .

822 (a)

Bond length increases with size of the atom involved in bonding.

823 (c)

$\text{N}\equiv\text{N}$ . This possesses high bond energy.

824 (b)

$2\text{KI} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + \text{I}_2$ ;  $\text{I}_2 + \text{CCl}_4$   
→ Violet colour

(lower layer because  $\text{CCl}_4$  is heavier than water).

826 (d)

$\text{Cl}_2$  reacts with  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2$  to give westron and westroso

827 (d)

Each member of gp. 16 show polymorphism.

828 (d)

$4\text{Fe} + 10\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow 4\text{Fe(NO}_3)_2 + \text{N}_2\text{O} + 5\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
dil.

829 (d)

The abundance ratio is: Ar (0.93%); Ne (0.0018%); He (0.0005%); Kr (0.0001%); Xe (0.00001%); Rn much less.

830 (c)

$\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4 \rightleftharpoons \text{H}^+ + \text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^-$

$\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^- \rightleftharpoons \text{HPO}_4^{2-} + \text{H}^+$

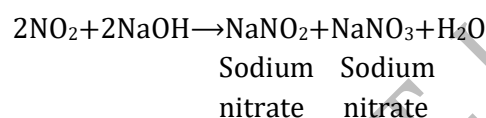
$\text{HPO}_4^{2-} \rightleftharpoons \text{H}^+ + \text{PO}_4^{3-}$

832 (a)

The solubility of alkaline earth metal fluorides decreases down the group.

833 (c)

Nitrogen dioxide ( $\text{NO}_2$ ) exists as a dimer  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$ . When it is dissolved in sodium hydroxide or any other alkali, a mixture of nitrate and nitrite is obtained.



834 (c)

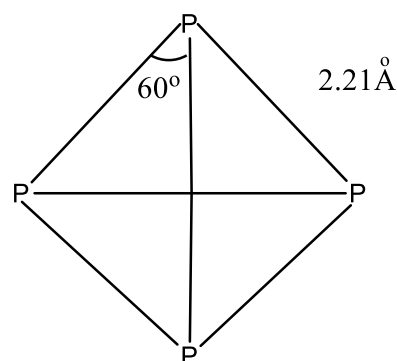
O atom in each has  $sp^3$ -hybridisation. Due to increase in electronegativity of halogen from Br to F, the lone pair-bond pair repulsion causes decrease in bond angle.

835 (b)

$\text{XeF}_4$  has  $sp^3d^2$ -hybridization of Xe atom having two positions occupied by lone electrons.

836 (b)

White phosphorus has the molecular formula  $\text{P}_4$  both in solid and vapour state at moderate temperature. The four atoms present in the molecule are arranged at the corners of tetrahedron so the ppp bond angle is  $60^\circ$ . At higher temperature (above  $700^\circ\text{C}$ ) it dissociates to give diatomic molecules as



837 (d)

$4\text{P} + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10} + \text{light}$ . This phenomenon is called chemiluminescence

838 (c)

Oxidising agent such as  $\text{NO}_3^-$ ,  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$  oxidise  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  to give turbidity of S (colloidal) in water.

839 (d)

$2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3^{2-} + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{S}_4\text{O}_6^{2-} + 2\text{I}^-$

840 (b)

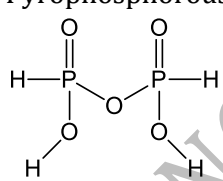
It is a fact.

- 841 (b)  
 $P_2O_5 + 3H_2O \rightarrow 2H_3PO_4$
- 842 (c)  
 Order of increasing enthalpy of vaporisation is  $PH_3 < AsH_3 < NH_3$   
 The enthalpy of  $NH_3$  is higher due to the H-bonding.
- 843 (c)  
 Lavoisier named it as muriatic acid.  $Cl_2$  was named as oxymuriatic gas or acid.
- 844 (d)  
 $ZnO$  is amphoteric.
- 845 (c)  
 $FeSO_4 + 2H_2O \rightarrow Fe(OH)_2 + H_2SO_4$ ; addition of  $H_2SO_4$  to this solution reverses back the
- 850 (a)  
 $SO_2$  is a gas anhydride of  $H_2SO_3$ ;  $P_2O_3$  and  $P_2O_5$  are solids.
- 851 (a)  
 $PCl_3$  and cold water reacts to produce *ortho* phosphorus acid (phosphorus acid)  $H_3PO_3$   
 $PCl_3 + 3HOH \rightarrow H_3PO_3 + 3HCl$
- 853 (b)  
 $H_3PO_3$  is dibasic acid forming  $NaH_2PO_3$  and  $Na_2HPO_3$
- 854 (c)  
 It is a fact.
- 855 (d)  
 Fluorine is the stronger oxidizing agent. It will oxidise other halide ions to halogens in solution or even dry  
 $F_2 + 2X^- \rightarrow 2F^- + X_2$
- 856 (b)  
 If 20 g N then wt. is 100.  
 If 14 g N then wt. is  $\frac{100 \times 14}{20} = 70$   
 Atleast one N atom in one molecule should be present to give minimum mol. wt.
- 857 (d)  
 Sulphides of As, Sb, Sn are soluble in yellow ammonium sulphide.
- 858 (a)  
 Stronger is acid, weaker is its conjugate base. The acidic character (on the basis of bond length) of halogen acids is:  
 $HF < HCl < HBr < HI$ .
- 859 (c)  

$P_2O_3$	$A_2O_3$	$B_2O_3$	$Bi_2O_3$
Acidic oxides			Alkaline
- 860 (b)  
 $F_2 + 2HSO_4^- \rightarrow S_2O_8^{2-} + 2HF$
- 861 (c)  
 Oleum is chemically  $H_2S_2O_7$  (pyrosulphuric acid).
- hydrolysis of  $FeSO_4$ .
- 846 (b)  
 Because of very low ignition temperature (303 K) of phosphorus it is always kept under water
- 848 (b)  
 $Cl_2O + H_2O \rightarrow 2HClO$ ; Cl has +1 oxidation state in  $Cl_2O$  and  $HOCl$ .
- 849 (b)  
 $(NH_4)_2Cr_2O_7 \rightarrow N_2 + Cr_2O_3 + 4H_2O$   
 (Green)
- 862 (b)  
 Chlorine forms maximum (six) oxides.
- 863 (c)  
 Ar is most abundant noble gas in air.
- 864 (a)  
 It is a use of freons.
- 865 (d)  
 S exists as octa-atomic in nature.
- 866 (d)  
 Noble gases are adsorbed by coconut charcoal. the adsorption of different noble gases occur at different temperatures, hence charcoal is used to separate these gases.  
 Helium is not adsorbed by charcoal (as it is very difficulty liquefiable gas).
- 867 (c)  
 It is a reason for the given fact.
- 869 (d)  
 Chloro-fluoro carbons are called freons.
- 870 (d)  
 Analytical reagent grade  $H_2SO_4$  has normality = 36 N.
- 872 (c)  
 5 of P and 3 of Cl = 8.
- 873 (a)  
 $N_3H$  is hydrazoic acid. It easily gives a proton. Its salts are called azides ( $N_3^-$ ).
- 875 (d)  
 Ionisation energy increases along the period.
- 876 (c)  
 $K_2HgI_4$  gives brown ppt. with  $NH_4^+$ .
- 877 (c)  
 $NH_2CONH_2$  is urea; 60 g urea has 28 g nitrogen.
- 878 (b)



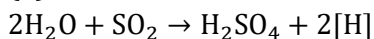
- Phosphate mineral is phosphorite,  $\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2$ .
- 879 (a) S forms two thionic acids. Dithionic acid  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6$  and polythionic acid  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_n\text{O}_6$  ( $n=3, 4, 5, 6$ ).
- 880 (b) The disease caused by the constant touch with white phosphorus is called phossy jaw
- 881 (c)  $\text{PbSO}_4$  is insoluble in water and acids.
- 882 (c) 
$$\begin{array}{c} \text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3 \\ | \\ \text{O} \\ || \\ \text{HO} - \text{S} - \text{S} - \text{OH} \end{array}$$
- 883 (c) N atom on  $\text{NH}_3$  has one lone pair of electrons on it for coordination.
- 884 (c)  $2\text{KBr} + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + \text{Br}_2$   
Hence, by the action of chlorine with KBr, bromine gas can be produced.
- 885 (c) The oxidation state of Xe in  $\text{XeO}_3$  can be calculated as  
 $\text{XeO}_3, x + (-2 \times 3) = 0$   
 $X = +6$   
 $\text{XeO}_3$  has  $\text{Sp}^3$  hybridisation with bond angle  $= 103^\circ$ .
- 886 (a) 
$$\begin{array}{l} \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3(s) \xrightarrow{\Delta} 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \uparrow + \text{N}_2\text{O} \uparrow \\ \text{NaNO}_3(s) \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{NaNO}_2 + \text{O}_2 \uparrow \\ 2\text{AgNO}_3(s) \xrightarrow{\Delta} 2\text{Ag}(s) + 2\text{NO}_2(g) + \text{O}_2(g) \end{array}$$
  
Lunar caustic  
 $2\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \rightarrow 2\text{PbO} + 4\text{NO}_2 \uparrow + \text{O}_2 \uparrow$
- 887 (b) 
$$\begin{array}{l} \text{NH}_3 + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{NH}_4\text{Cl} \\ \text{PH}_3 + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{PH}_4\text{Cl} \end{array}$$
- 888 (a)  $\text{POX}_3$  has  $\text{sp}^3$ -hybridized, P having vacant  $d$ -orbitals.  $p$ -of O atom and  $d$ - of P undergoes  $p\pi - d\pi$  bonding.
- 889 (d) Nitrochloroform  $\text{CCl}_3 \cdot \text{NO}_2$  is called tear gas.
- 890 (d) All are the characteristics of  $(\text{CN})_2$ .
- 891 (c) Ammonium salts on heating with NaOH, give ammonia gas which has characteristic smell.  
$$\text{NH}_4\text{Cl} + \text{NaOH} \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{NH}_3 \uparrow + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{NaCl}$$

- 892 (b)  $3\text{AgNO}_3 + \text{PH}_3 \rightarrow \text{Ag}_3\text{P} + 3\text{HNO}_3$
- 893 (c)  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_6 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$
- 894 (d) Ti has configuration  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6 3d^2, 4s^2$ . Thus,  $\text{Ti}^{4+}$  has configuration  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6$ , i.e., of Ar.
- 895 (b) It is a fact.
- 896 (d) Strongest oxidant is  $\text{F}_2$ .
- 898 (c) Pyrophosphorous acid is  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ ,  

- 899 (b) A mixture of calcium cyanamide  $\text{CaCN}_2$  and coke (C) is called nitrolim. It is used as fertilizer and can be prepared by passing nitrogen on  $\text{CaC}_2$ .  
$$\text{CaC}_2 + \text{N}_2 \xrightarrow{1100^\circ\text{C}} \text{CaCN}_2 + \text{C}$$
  
nitrolim
- 900 (d)  $\text{NF}_3$  is not hydrolysed because neither N nor F has  $d$ -orbitals.
- 901 (d) When the mixture of noble gas is cooled in a coconut bulb at 173 K then Ar, Kr and Xe are adsorbed on charcoal while He and Ne are not adsorbed.
- 902 (a)  $\text{H}_2\text{S} + \text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2 + \text{S}$
- 903 (a) 
$$\text{PCl}_5 + \text{HO} - \overset{\text{O}}{\parallel} \text{S} - \text{OH} \rightarrow \text{Cl} - \overset{\text{O}}{\parallel} \text{S} - \text{Cl} + \text{POCl}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$$
- $\text{PCl}_5$  attacks  $-\text{OH}$  group and replace it by  $-\text{Cl}$  group. Hence, reaction of  $\text{PCl}_5$  with  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  shows the presence of two  $-\text{OH}$  group in  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .
- 904 (a) Caliche is  $\text{NaNO}_3 + \text{NaIO}_3$  (0.2%).
- 905 (a)  $\text{O}_2$  molecule has total number of 16 electrons out of which two electrons are unpaired giving a paramagnetic nature while 14 electrons are paired

906 (b)

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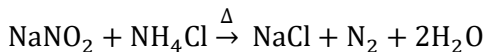
907 (a)



[nascent hydrogen]

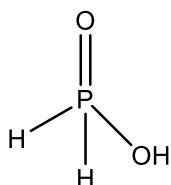
Coloured flower + 2[H] → Colourless flower

908 (a)



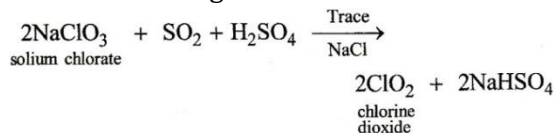
909 (a)

The formula of hypophosphorus acid is  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$ .



910 (b)

Commercially chlorine dioxide is prepared by passing  $\text{SO}_2$  gas into a mixture of sodium chloride and  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  having  $\text{NaCl}$  in traces.



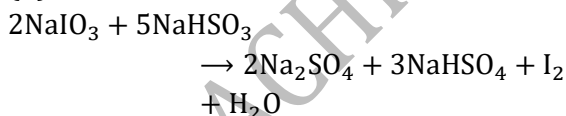
911 (b)

Oxygen due to its smaller size has more electron density in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and thus, has more tendency to donate its lone pair for complex formation

912 (a)

Only He forms interstitial compounds since, the atomic size of He is smallest and matches the size of the interstices available in the lattice of most of the heavy metals

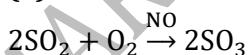
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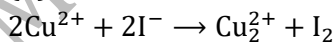
914 (d)

$\text{Na}_2\text{O}_2$  is peroxide.

915 (a)



916 (d)



917 (b)

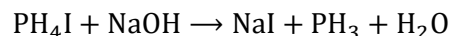
Both He and Na give yellow lines but of different wavelengths.

918 (b)

White phosphorus on reaction with limited supply of oxygen gives lower oxide  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$ . Therefore, air ( $\text{O}_2 + \text{N}_2$ ) is a good source for controlled supply of oxygen and the best choice for controlled oxidation of white phosphorus into

lower oxide  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$ .

919 (a)



920 (d)

HF is formed which is liquid.

921 (a)

A characteristic of alkaline pyrogallol is to absorb (

922 (d)

Freons (chlorofluoro carbons) are used as refrigerant.

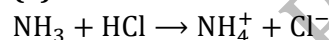
923 (b)

Red P does not react with NaOH.

924 (c)

$\text{N}_2\text{O}$ ,  $\text{NO}$ ,  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$ ,  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  and  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$ .

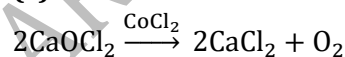
925 (a)



926 (b)

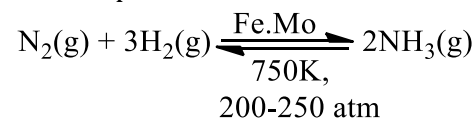
In household refrigeration,  $\text{SO}_2$  is used as refrigerant. It is condensed by compression and cooling is caused when liquid  $\text{SO}_2$  is allowed to evaporate.

927 (c)



928 (c)

When nitrogen and hydrogen in the ratio of 1:3 are mixed at high temperature (750 K) at 200-250 atm pressure and in the presence of Fe and Mo, ammonia is obtained. This process is called Haber's process.



In this process finely divided iron (Fe) acts as catalyst and molybdenum (Mo) acts as catalyst promoter.

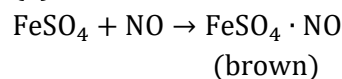
929 (d)

These are uses of  $\text{F}_2$ .

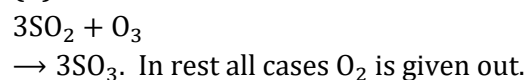
930 (b)

The spontaneous inflammability of phosphine with smoky rings (vortex rings) at the time of preparation is due to the presence of highly inflammable  $\text{P}_2\text{H}_4$ . This property is used in Holme's signal.

931 (a)

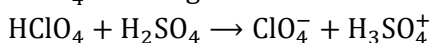


932 (d)

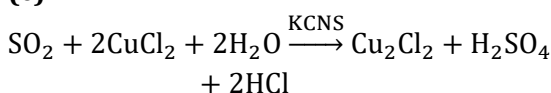


933 (c)

HClO<sub>4</sub> is strong acid:



934 (c)

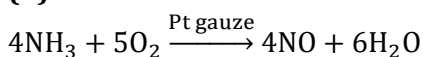


White

935 (a)

All ammonium salts on heating with any alkali give NH<sub>3</sub>.

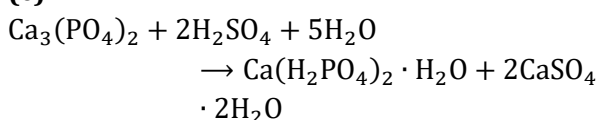
936 (d)



937 (d)

S<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub> is used in vulcanisation of rubber and as chlor

938 (c)



939 (a)

P<sub>4</sub>O<sub>10</sub> and H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> both have + 5 oxidation state for P.

940 (a)

H<sub>2</sub>F<sub>2</sub> being weak acid is slightly ionized.

941 (c)

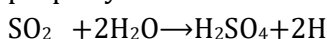
Oleum is H<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub>.

942 (a)

Cr + H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>[Cr(H<sub>2</sub>O)<sub>6</sub><sup>2+</sup>]<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>; Cr(H<sub>2</sub>O)<sub>6</sub><sup>2+</sup> is blue. Dil.

944 (d)

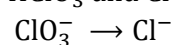
SO<sub>2</sub> acts as bleaching agent due to its reducing property.



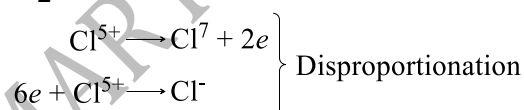
Coloured matter + [H] → colourless matter.

945 (d)

HClO<sub>3</sub> and ClO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup> both possess these properties.



+  $\frac{3}{2}$  O<sub>2</sub> } oxidation and bleaching properties



946 (c)

Suppose the oxidation state of Xe in XeOF<sub>2</sub> is x

$$x + (-2) + 2(-1) = 0;$$

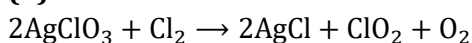
$$x - 2 - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = +4$$

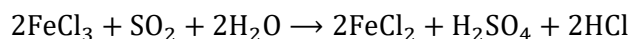
947 (c)

Only Mg and Mn liberate H<sub>2</sub> from dil. HNO<sub>3</sub>.

948 (b)



949 (a)

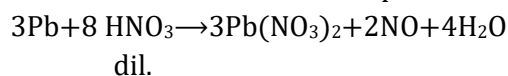


950 (c)

KClO<sub>3</sub> is known as Berthelot's salt

951 (a)

Pb reacts with dilute HNO<sub>3</sub> to produce NO



952 (d)

Liquid NH<sub>3</sub>; due to high heat of evaporation.

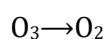
953 (c)

(i) enantiotropy when two forms of a solid substance exist together in equilibrium with each other at a particular temperature under normal pressure e.g,



(ii) dynamic allotropy if different allotropic forms exist in equilibrium over a range of temperature.

(iii) monotropy if an allotropic form change slowly to a stable form e.g.,



∴ Monotropy is correct answer.

954 (c)

These are facts.

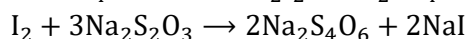
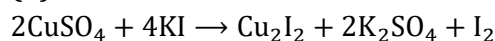
955 (b)

Xe reacts with P and O, the most electronegative elements.

956 (c)

Azeotropic mixture of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O contains 98.3% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.

957 (b)



958 (a)

As a refrigerant.

959 (c)

BiOCl is formed.

961 (a)

10 g bleaching powder will produce 4.9 g

$$\text{Cl}_2 = \frac{4.9 \times 22.4}{71} \text{ litre Cl}_2.$$

962 (c)

$$\text{In Ca}(\text{NO}_3)_2; \% \text{ of N} = \frac{20}{164} \times 100 = 17.07\%$$

$$\text{In } (\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4; \% \text{ of N} = \frac{28}{132} \times 100 = 21.21\%$$

$$\text{In NH}_2\text{CONH}_2; \% \text{ of N} = \frac{28}{60} \times 100 = 46.66\%$$

$$\text{In NH}_4\text{NO}_3; \% \text{ of N} = \frac{28}{80} \times 100 = 35.00\%$$

963 (a)

NaClO + H<sub>2</sub>O → NaOH + HClO; the HClO is weakest acid among halogen oxo-acids and thus, pH is maximum.

964 (d)

- Anhydrous  $\text{CaCl}_2$  can be used as dehydrating agent.
- 965 (c) It is a characteristic of  $\text{XeF}_6$ :  

$$2\text{XeF}_6 + \text{SiO}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{XeOF}_4 + \text{SiF}_4;$$

$$2\text{XeOF}_4 + \text{SiO}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{XeO}_2\text{F}_2 + \text{SiF}_4;$$

$$2\text{XeO}_2\text{F}_2 + \text{SiO}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{XeO}_3 + \text{SiF}_4.$$
- 966 (b)  $4\text{K} + 3\text{SO}_2 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_3 + \text{K}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3$
- 971 (b) Arsenic purifier chamber in contact process possesses  $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$  which reacts with  $\text{As}_2\text{SO}_3$ .
- 972 (a)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is hygroscopic agent.
- 973 (d) Rest all react with water.
- 974 (c) The basic character of hydrides down the group.
- 975 (d) It is a fact.
- 976 (b) Cl is  $sp^3$ -hybridized having electrons in  $d$ -orbitals and  $p$ -electrons of oxygen, gives rise to  $p\pi-d\pi$  bonding to Cl—O bond.
- 977 (b) Arsenic acid is  $\text{H}_3\text{AsO}_4$ .
- 978 (d)  $\text{F} + e \rightarrow \text{F}^-$   
 $E_{RP}^0$  is maximum for fluorine.
- 979 (b)  $\text{SO}_2$  has  $sp^2$ -hybridization with one lone pair on S atom having geometry.
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- 980 (b) Phosphorus, element of nitrogen family(V group), produces maximum number of oxy acids.  
 e.g.,  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$ ,  $\text{HPO}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ ,  $\text{HPO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$ ,  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$ .
- 981 (d) Each member of gp. 17 possesses  $ns^2np^5$  configuration.
- 982 (a)  $\text{NOCl}$  is nitrosyl chloride.
- 993 (d)  $\text{PH}_6^+$  is not known.
- 994 (c) In a group,  $\Delta G_f^\circ(\text{HX})$  changes from negative to positive downwards.
- 967 (d) It is an acid.  $\text{HClO} \rightarrow \text{ClO}^- + \text{H}^+$ .
- 968 (a) Nitrogen gas is major component of air.
- 969 (a)  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$  is monobasic acid and only one H is replaceable.
- 970 (a) It is a reason for the given fact.
- 983 (b) N is most electronegative among N-family.
- 984 (b) This is a reason for the given fact.
- 986 (c) F has more electronegativity than other halogens.
- 987 (b) On long standing it undergoes auto-oxidation as  
 $6\text{CaOCl}_2 \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{ClO}_3)_2 + 5\text{CaCl}_2.$
- 988 (b)  $\text{NH}_3$  is pyramidal.
- 989 (c) Hypophosphorus acid( $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$ ) is amonobasic acid and has only one ionisable H two Hatoms are directly attached to phosphorus thus the correct statement is ( c).
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- 990 (d) Rest all form complex with  $\text{NH}_3$ , e. g.,  $\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+$ ;  $\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_4^{2+}$ ;  $\text{Cd}(\text{NH}_3)_4^{2+}$ .
- 991 (c) In laboratory,  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  is prepared by treating ferrous sulphide(black lumps) with dil.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 $\text{FeS} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{FeSO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{S}$
- 992 (c)  ${}_1\text{H}^2 + {}_1\text{H}^2 \rightarrow {}_2\text{He}^4$
- $\text{HF}(\text{g})\Delta G = -273.20 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$   
 $\text{HF}(\text{g})\Delta G = +1.72 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$   
 Thus HF is thermally stable and HI not.

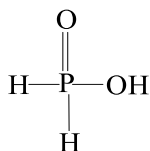
Thus,  $\text{HF} > \text{HCl} > \text{HBr} > \text{HI}$ .

995 (c)

Coconut charcoal possesses characteristic property for adsorbing different noble gases at different temperatures.

996 (d)

Hypophosphorus acid is monoprotic acid as only one H attached on O are ionisable.



997 (b)

It also exhibits +1 oxidation states like Cl, Br and I.

998 (d)

Metallic character increases down the group.

999 (a)

The reactivity of halogens decreases down the gp.

100 (b)

0 It is a fact.

100 (a)

1 Clathrates are non-stoichiometric compounds where the ratio of guest and host molecules does not correspond to ideal chemical formula

100 (a)

2 Both possess pungent odour and act as bleaching agents.

100 (a)

3 It is a fact.

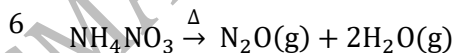
100 (d)

4 The metallic character is developed to a considerable extent in  $\text{I}_2$ . It is violet crystalline, lustrous solid having the tendency to form  $\text{I}^{3+}$  cation.

100 (c)

5 Potassium chlorate ( $\text{KClO}_3$ ) is known as Berthelot's salt. It is the salt of chlorine acid,  $\text{HClO}_3$ .

100 (c)



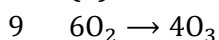
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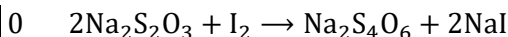
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8 Simple representation of bleaching powder is  $\text{CaOCl}_2$ . It is a mixture of  $\text{Ca}(\text{OCl})_2 + \text{CaCl}_2 \cdot \text{Ca}(\text{OH})_2 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$ , i.e., calcium chlorohypochlorite.

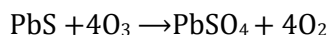
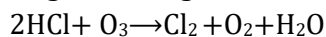
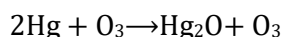
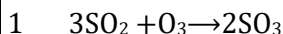
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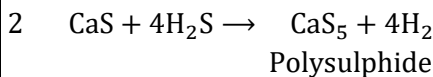
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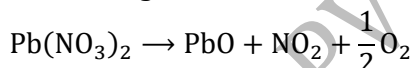


101 (c)

3  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is oxidant and HI is strong reductant.

101 (d)

4 Decomposition involves breaking up of a molecule into its fragments.



101 (b)

5 Basic character of hydrides decreases down the gp.

101 (a)

6 Fluorine forms Xe fluorides.

101 (a)

7 It is a fact.

101 (c)

8 Alkali metal oxides are saline oxides.

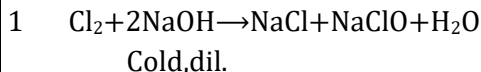
101 (a)

9 All are non-metals and possess strong electronegative nature.

102 (d)

0  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_3$  is blue coloured.

102 (c)



Chlorine reacts with cold and dilute NaOH to give sodium hypochlorite.

102 (a)

2 These are characteristics of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .

102 (d)

3 In VA group the thermal stability of hydrides decreases from  $\text{NH}_3$  to  $\text{BiH}_3$  hence,  $\text{BiH}_3$  is the most unstable hydride.



102 (b)

4 Both  $\text{P}^{3-}$  and  $\text{Cl}^-$  has  $1s^2, 2s^2 2p^6, 3s^2 3p^6$  configuration.

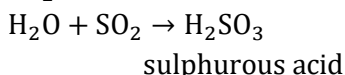
102 (b)

5 Divers use  $\text{He} + \text{O}_2$  mixture for respiration in place of  $\text{N}_2 + \text{O}_2$ . The  $\text{N}_2$  was found to dissolve in blood at high pressure during diving and after it, the  $\text{N}_2$  gas comes out from blood causing painful nerve

bursting. The mixture is also used for respiration by asthma patients.

102 (a)

6  $\text{SO}_2$  is soluble in water



102 (a)

7 Due to less reactivity of red phosphorus, it is used in the manufactures of safe matchsticks

102 (c)

8 It is a fact.

103 (d)

0 Due to absence of  $d$ -orbitals in N-atom, it cannot accept electrons from  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  for hydrolysis of  $\text{NF}_3$

103 (c)

1 It is a reason for the given fact.

103 (c)

2 General valence shell electronic configuration of 15 th group elements is  $ns^2 np^3$  where  $n$ =period number.

103 (b)

3  $\text{K}_2\text{HgI}_4$  gives brown ppt. with  $\text{NH}_3$ .

103 (b)

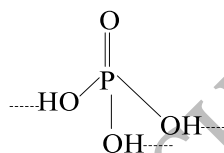
4 Except Bi, rest all VA members show allotropy.

103 (d)

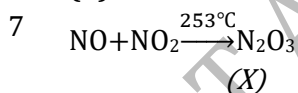
5 Pyrophosphoric acid is  $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$  having 4H attached on 4 oxygen atoms.

103 (c)

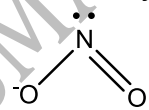
6  $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  is syrupy liquid due to more sites available for H-bonding.



103 (b)



$\therefore$  Anion of y is  $\text{NO}_2^-$



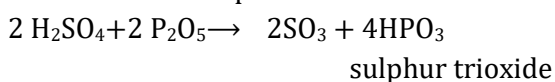
Its shape is triangular planar.

103 (d)

8  $\text{XeF}_2, \text{XeOF}_2, \text{XeF}_4, \text{XeOF}_4, \text{XeF}_6, \text{XeO}_3$

103 (a)

9 When conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is heated with  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ , the acid is converted into sulphur trioxide.

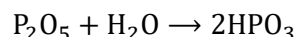


104 (b)

0 The reactivity of yellow or white phosphorus is maximum.

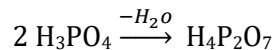
104 (b)

1 Metaphosphoric acid is  $\text{HPO}_3$ ;

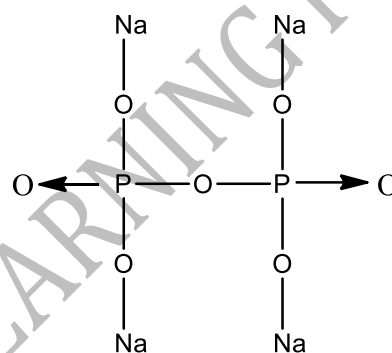


104 (c)

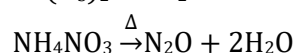
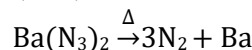
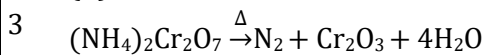
2 Sodium pyrophosphate is represented by  $\text{Na}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$ . It is sodium salt of pyrophosphoric acid ( $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$ ). Which may be considered to be made up by two molecules of *ortho* phosphoric acid eliminating one molecule of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ .



pyrophosphoric acid



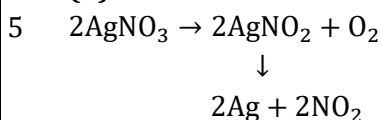
104 (d)



104 (b)

4 It is a fact.

104 (d)

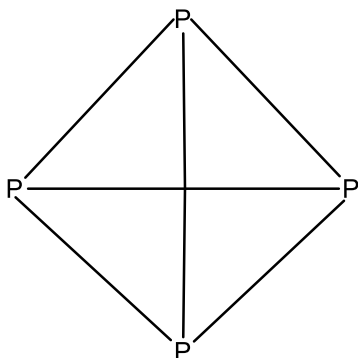


104 (c)

7  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$  is a dehydrating agent.

104 (a)

8  $\therefore$  Bonding electrons in white phosphorus = 6



Structure of white phosphorus

104 (b)

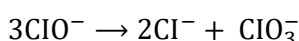
9 Compounds of Ar with fluorine are not known because of higher ionization energy of Ar.

105 (d)

0  $\text{SO}_2$  dissolves in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in presence of oxygen to give  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 $2\text{SO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  or  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$  (solution of  $\text{SO}_2$  in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ) reacts with marble to damage it as well as responsible for cough and choking in human body.

105 (b)

1 The hypochlorites disproportionate on heating as follows.



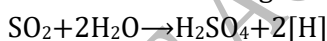
105 (d)

2  $\text{SiO}_2 + 4\text{HF} \rightarrow \text{SiF}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 $\text{SiF}_4 + 2\text{HF} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SiF}_6$

105 (b)

3  $\text{Cl}_2$  acts as permanent bleaching agent because its bleaching action is due to oxidation  
 $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{HCl} + [\text{O}]$   
 Organic colouring matter +  $[\text{O}] \rightarrow$  colourless matter.

While  $\text{SO}_2$  acts as temporary bleaching agent because its bleaching action is due to reduction.



Colouring matter +  $2[\text{H}] \rightarrow$  colourless matter.

105 (b)

4 If not cooled properly, on opening the cork, the liquid will bump out.

105 (a)

5  $\text{CaC}_2 + \frac{5}{2}\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CaO} + 2\text{CO}_2$   
 $\text{CaC}_2 + \text{N}_2 \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{CN})_2$ .

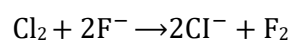
105 (c)

6  $\text{FeSO}_4 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O} \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{FeSO}_4 + 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ;  
 $2\text{FeSO}_4 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{SO}_2 + \text{SO}_3$

105 (b)

7 With progressive increase in atomic number, the reduction potential of halogen decreases thus

oxidizing power also decreases. Hence a halogen with lower atomic number will oxidise the halide ion of higher atomic number and therefore will liberate them from their salt solution.



is not possible.

105 (d)

8  $\text{P}_4 + 6\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow 4\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4 + 6\text{SO}_2$

105 (c)

9  $\text{ZnO}$  reacts with acids and alkalies both.

106 (d)

0 Nitrogen in both  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$  and  $\text{HNO}_3$  possesses +5 oxidation state.

106 (b)

1  $\text{SiO}_2 + 6\text{HF} \rightarrow [\text{SiF}_6]^{2-} + 2\text{H}^+ + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

106 (d)

2 Rest all three properties are shown by white phosphorus.

106 (d)

3  $2\text{KMnO}_4 + 3\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + 10\text{HCl}$   
 $\rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{MnSO}_4 + 8\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 $+ 5\text{Cl}_2$

106 (d)

4 This is a reason for the given fact.

106 (c)

5 Bi is metal.

106 (c)

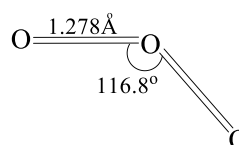
7 It is a method to get  $\text{Cl}_2$ .

106 (a)

8 Acidic character of oxides increases along the period.

106 (b)

9  $\text{O}_3$  has no unpaired electron in its structure.



107 (d)

0  $\text{O}_3$  is used as dry bleaching agent.

107 (a)

1 The oxidizing power of  $\text{HNO}_3$  is maximum among all.

107 (c)

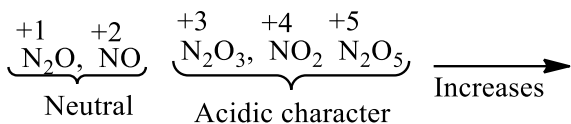
2 -3 in  $\text{PH}_3$  and +5 in  $\text{PCl}_5$ .

107 (b)

3 Sulphur exists as  $\text{S}_8$ .

107 (b)

4 The acidic character of oxides increases with increase in the oxidation number of element.



107 (a)

5 Bleaching powder is  $\text{CaOCl}_2$  having  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Cl}^-$  and

107 (a)

6  $\text{B} > \text{P} > \text{As} > \text{Bi}$

As we go down the group, bond angle decreases, since the repulsion between the bonded pairs of electrons decrease

107 (a)

7  $\text{CaOCl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Ca(OH)}_2 + \text{HOCl} + \text{HCl}$

$\text{HOCl} \rightarrow \text{HCl} + [\text{O}]$

107 (b)

8  $\text{Ca}_3\text{P}_2 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 3\text{Ca(OH)}_2 + 2\text{PH}_3$

107 (a)

9 Due to highest IP, electrons are more tightly held with nucleus.

108 (c)

0 It is a fact.

108 (d)

1  $X = \text{I}_2, Y = \text{HI}$

$3\text{I}_2 + 2\text{NH}_3 \rightarrow \text{NH}_3 \cdot \text{NI}_3$

(explosive)

$8\text{NI}_3 \cdot \text{NH}_3 \rightarrow 5\text{N}_2 + \text{I}_2 + 6\text{NH}_4\text{I}$

$\text{I}_2 + \text{H}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HI}$

(Y)

$3\text{NaI} + \text{H}_3\text{PO}_4 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{Na}_3\text{PO}_4 + 3\text{HI}$

108 (b)

2  $\text{V}_2\text{O}_5$  (vanadium pentoxide) is used as a catalyst in the manufacture of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  by contact process since, it is not easily poisoned.

108 (c)

4 (i) carbon monoxide is neutral and  $\text{SO}_3$  is acidic. (ii) aluminium and zinc oxides are amphoteric, so aluminium and zinc oxides react with both as acid and base.

$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 + 6\text{HCl} \rightarrow 2\text{AlCl}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (with acid)

$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 + 2\text{NaOH} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{NaAl(OH)}_4$  (with base)

$\text{ZnO} + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$  (in acid)

$\text{ZnO} + 2\text{OH}^- + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow [\text{Zn(OH)}_4]^{2-}$  (in base)

Hence, (i) and (iii) are correct.

108 (a)

5 It is a fact.

108 (d)

6 Among halides of hydrogen intermolecular H-bonding is present. So when we go top to bottom in halogen group, size of  $\text{I}^-$  ion increases and the intermolecular H-bonding becomes weak and easily gives  $\text{H}^+$  in aqueous solution. So, it works as

a strong acid.

Acidity decreases in the order

$\text{HI} > \text{HBr} > \text{HCl} > \text{HF}$

108 (a)

7 Rest all gives  $\text{O}_2$  on heating.

108 (a)

8 This was a reason for late discovery of  $\text{F}_2$ .

108 (c)

9  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_5$  (Caro's acid) and  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$  (Marshall's acid) contain one peroxyacids - O - O - linkage

109 (b)

0  $\text{F}_2$  is pale-yellow;  $\text{Cl}_2$  is green-yellow;  $\text{Br}_2$  is dark yellow-brown;  $\text{I}_2$  is violet.

109 (c)

1  $(\text{CN})_2$  is called pseudohalogen.

109 (c)

2  $\text{CS}_2 + 3\text{Cl}_2 \xrightarrow{\text{I}_2} \text{CCl}_4 + \text{S}_2\text{Cl}_2$

109 (c)

4  $2\text{NaI} + 2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{I}_2$

109 (b)

5  $\text{KNO}_3 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{KNO}_2 + \frac{1}{2}\text{O}_2$

109 (b)

6  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is a very good hygroscopic agent.

109 (c)

7 NO (Nitric oxide) is synthesized in lab by copper with cold and dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$ .

$3\text{Cu} + 8\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow 3\text{Cu(NO}_3)_2 + 2\text{NO} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$

dil.

Nitric oxide

109 (a)

8  $\text{XeO}_4$  is formed by promoting one 5s and there 5p-electrons of Xe to higher energy. 5d orbitals giving eight unpaired orbitals hybridize to give  $sp^3$  hybridisation which form sigma bonds with four O atoms. The four unhybridised singly occupied 5d orbitals form four  $p\pi - d\pi$  bonds with oxygen atoms

110 (c)

0  $2\text{KClO}_3 + 4\text{HCl} \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + \text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{ClO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

110 (a)

1 H-bonding in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  develops abnormal properties.

110 (b)

2 It is a fact.

110 (c)

3 It is a mixture of  $\text{Ca(OCl)}_2 \cdot 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$

+  $\text{CaCl}_2\text{Ca(OH)}_2 \cdot \text{H}_2\text{O}$

110 (d)

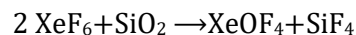
4  $\text{H}_2\text{S} + 2\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{NO}_2 + \text{S} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

(colloidal sulphur)

110 (d)



- 5 It is a fact.
- 110 (c)
- 6 Alcoholic solution of  $I_2$  is brown.
- 110 (d)
- 7 It is a use of Ne.
- 110 (b)
- 8 Fluorine exhibits an oxidation state of only -1 because it is very strongly electronegative element (maximum electronegativity in the periodic table)..
- 110 (a)
- 9  $2Na_2SO_3 + O_2 \rightarrow 2Na_2SO_4$
- 111 (d)
- 0  $F_2$  reacts with  $CH_4$  even in dark to show substitution
- 111 (d)
- 1  $NO_2$  is brown gas and  $N_2O_3$  is blue-coloured liquid.
- 111 (d)
- 2  $H_2C_2O_4 \xrightarrow{H_2SO_4} H_2O + CO + CO_2$
- 111 (c)
- 4  $SO_2 + Cl_2 \rightarrow SO_2Cl_2$
- 111 (d)
- 6 Perchloric acid is not a peroxy acid while perphosphoric acid, pernitric acid and perdisulphuric acid are the example of peroxy acid.
- 111 (a)
- 8  $2NaI + 2H_2SO_4 \rightarrow Na_2SO_4 + I_2 + SO_2 + 2H_2O$
- 111 (a)
- 9 Ozone undergoes addition reactions at C=C unsaturation.
- 112 (c)
- 0  $NO(g) + NO_2(g) \rightarrow N_2O_3(l)$
- 112 (d)
- 1  $P_4 + 5O_2 \rightarrow P_4O_{10}$ ; white phosphorus gets easily oxidised because it is highly reactive
- 112 (a)
- 2 Red phosphorus is less reactive.
- 112 (b)
- 3 P forms tetra-atomic molecule.
- 112 (a)
- 4  $H_2S \rightleftharpoons H^+ + HS^-$   
 $HS^- \rightleftharpoons H^+ + S^{2-}$
- 112 (c)
- 5  $S + H_2O + 3O_3 \rightarrow H_2SO_4 + 3O_2$
- 112 (d)
- 6 All show +5 covalency.
- 112 (c)
- 7 Xenon hexafluoride reacts with silica to form  $XeOF_4$  as



The oxidations state of xenon in  $XeOF_4$  is calculated as

$$x - 2 - 1$$



$$x + (-2) + 4 \times (-1) = 0$$

$$x - 2 - 4 = 0$$

$$x = +6$$

112 (d)

8 These are reasons for the given fact.

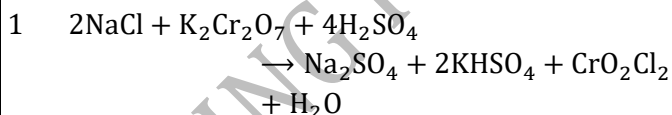
112 (c)

9 Halogen's  $d$ -orbital forms  $\pi$ -bonds with  $p$ -orbital of oxygen.

113 (a)

0 It is a fact.

113 (c)



113 (c)

2 Ozone is used for purifying water because ozone kills bacteria, cysts, mold, parasites, viruses, contaminates etc. It is one of the effective way of eliminating microorganism in the water. Ozone is most effective oxidant. It inactivates and oxidises organic matter, contaminates, pesticides, viruses and bacteria faster than chlorine. Ozone do not form TMH which have unpleasant odour and also carcinogenic. Ozone is very good biocide, ozone also absorbs UV radiation.

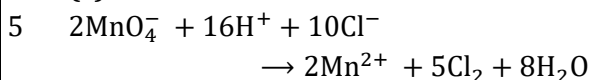
113 (d)

3 Due to  $N \equiv N$  bond.

113 (d)

4 In disproportionation reaction, compounds are simultaneously formed that contain a given element in a more oxidised and more reduced state than the initial one.  $ClO_4^-$  In oxidation number of Cl is +7 and it cannot increase further so  $ClO_4^-$  will not get oxidized and so will not undergo disproportionation reaction.

113 (c)



113 (d)

6  $AsH_3$  is gas.

113 (d)

7  $P_4O_{10}$  is tetrahedral in nature.

113 (b)

8 It is a reason for the given fact.

113 (d)

$Cl_2O, ClO, ClO_2, Cl_2O_6, Cl_2O_7, ClO_4$  are oxides of chl

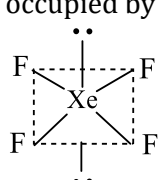
- 9
- 114 (d)
- 0  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$  has neither oxidant nor reductant nature.
- 114 (d)
- 1 By Haber's process.
- 114 (a)
- 2 The basic character of halides of N is:  
 $\text{NF}_3 < \text{NCl}_3 < \text{NBr}_3 < \text{NI}_3$ .
- 114 (c)
- 3  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  decolourises  $\text{KMnO}_4$  but  $\text{O}_3$  not.
- 114 (c)
- 4  $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{KBr} \rightarrow \text{Br}_2 + 2\text{KCl}$
- 114 (c)
- 5 It is a fact.
- 114 (d)
- 6  $\text{Ba}(\text{N}_3)_2 \rightarrow \text{Ba}(\text{s}) + 3\text{N}_2(\text{g})$   
 Azide salt of barium can be obtained in purest form as well as the decomposition product contain solid Ba as by product alongwith gaseous nitrogen hence to additional step of separation is required.  
 Other reaction are  

$$\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3 \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} \text{N}_2\text{O} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$$

$$2\text{NH}_3 + 3\text{CuO} \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} 3\text{Cu} + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{N}_2$$

$$(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3 + 4\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{N}_2$$
- 114 (b)
- 7  $\text{I}_2$  + alcohol is tincture of iodine used as antiseptic.
- 114 (c)
- 8  $2\text{XeF}_6 + \text{SiO}_2 \rightarrow \text{SiF}_4 + 2\text{XeOF}_4$
- 114 (c)
- 9  $\text{I}_2$  possesses sublimation nature.
- 115 (c)
- 0 Electrolysis of  $\text{MgCl}_2$ ,  $\text{NaCl}$ ,  $\text{KCl}$  in fused state gives  $\text{Cl}_2$  as byproduct. Electrolysis of  $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$  in fused state gives  $\text{O}_2$  as byproduct.
- 115 (d)
- 1 Rest all reacts with  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ .
- 115 (b)
- 2  $\text{NaNO}_3 + 8\text{H} \rightarrow \text{NaOH} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{NH}_3$   
 $\text{Zn} + 2\text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{ZnO}_2 + 2\text{H}$
- 115 (b)
- 3 Phosphine forms vortex rings of  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  when it comes in contact of air. These rings are in the form of white smoke. They are used in making smoke screen in warfare.
- 115 (c)
- 4 These radioactive minerals have entrapped He atoms, produced from particle, which they give on

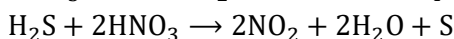
heating in **Vacuo**.

- 115 (b)
- 5 Rest all ( $\text{ClO}_3 = 41$  electrons,  $\text{ClO}_2 = 33$  electrons) have unpaired electrons.
- 115 (b)
- 6  $\text{SO}_2$  is acidic and  $\text{KOH}$  is basic.
- 115 (d)
- 7  $\text{SO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{S} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 3\text{S}$ ;  $\text{S}^{2-}$  changes to  $\text{S}^0$ .
- 115 (d)
- 8 In the reaction,  
 $2\text{HNO}_3 + \text{P}_2\text{O}_5 \rightarrow 2\text{HPO}_3 + \text{N}_2\text{O}_5$   
 $\text{HNO}_3$  does not behave as an oxidising agent because in this reaction  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  shows dehydrating property. It removes water molecule from  $\text{HNO}_3$
- 115 (d)
- 9 A mixed salt is one which gives more than one type of cations or anions, e. g.,  $\text{Ca}^{2+} + \text{OCl}^- + \text{Cl}^-$
- 116 (a)
- 0  $4\text{FeS} + 7\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + 4\text{SO}_2$   
 $\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$   
 $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_3$  is dibasic acid.
- 116 (c)
- 1  $\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+ + \text{OH}^-$
- 116 (d)
- 3 In the formation of  $\text{XeF}_4$ ,  $sp^3d^2$  hybridisation occurs which gives the molecule an octahedral structure. The xenon and four fluorine atoms are coplanar while the two equatorial positions are occupied by the two lone pairs of electron
- 
- 116 (d)
- 4  $\text{N}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{NO}$  are neutral oxides of N.
- 116 (d)
- 5 -1 due to most electronegative nature and +3, +5, +7 due to excitation of  $p$ -electrons to  $d$ -orbitals; +1 also with less electronegative elements.
- 116 (c)
- 6 First two are simply methods of preparation of  $\text{O}_3$ . Manufacture is done by (c) only.
- 116 (d)
- 7  $\text{P}_4 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$  or  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$
- 116 (d)
- 8 Rest all are uses of He. He is heavier than  $\text{H}_2$ .
- 116 (c)
- 9 It is a fact.
- 117 (b)
- 0 In  $\text{N}_2$  and  $\text{O}_2$ , Mg will react on heating with them

and welding is not possible.

117 (a)

1  $\text{HNO}_3$  oxidizes  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  to colloidal sulphur.



117 (a)

2  $\text{CS}_2 + 2\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{CCl}_4 + 2\text{S}$

117 (a)

3 Each member of gp. 16 or VIA has  $ns^2np^4$  configuration with two unpaired  $p$ -electrons.

117 (d)

4 Krypton is used in miner's cap lamps.

117 (b)

5 Solution of  $\text{Br}_2$  in  $\text{CS}_2$  is orange in colour.

117 (c)

6 On long standing it undergoes auto-oxidation as,  
 $6\text{CaOCl}_2 \rightarrow \text{Ca}(\text{ClO}_3)_2 + 5\text{CaCl}_2$ .

117 (d)

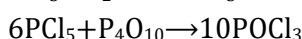
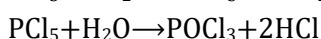
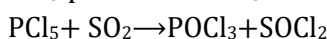
7 Ar is most abundant inert gas in air.

117 (a)

8  $\text{KF} + \text{HF} \rightarrow \text{KHF}_2$

117 (d)

9  $\text{PCl}_5$  produces  $\text{POCl}_3$  with the following reagents



118 (b)

0 On hydration, energy is given out.

118 (b)

1 Polyanion formation is maximum in sulphur. this is due to the fact that sulphur shows maximum catenation in the group .

118 (c)

2 The solubility of noble gases increases with increase in mol. wt. due to increase in van der Waals' forces. However, these are sparingly soluble.

118 (a)

3 It is a fact.

118 (a)

4 Sulphur is found in following allotropic forms :  
(a) monoclinic (b) rhombic (c) plastic

118 (c)

5  $\text{I}_2 + 10\text{HNO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{HIO}_3 + 10\text{NO}_2 + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$

118 (d)

6 All these adsorb inert gases.

118 (b)

7 Potassium tetraiodo mercurate (II) ie  $\text{K}_2[\text{HgI}_4]$  dissolve in  $\text{KOH}$  solution to give Nessler's reagent. Nessler's reagent is used to test  $\text{NH}_4^+$  ions.

118 (a)

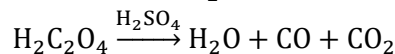
8  $\text{F}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{HF} + \frac{1}{2}\text{O}_2$ ;  $\Delta H = -ve$ .

118 (a)

9 Pseudohalide ions combine together to form interpseudohalogen compounds.  $\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3$  is not an interpseudohalogen.

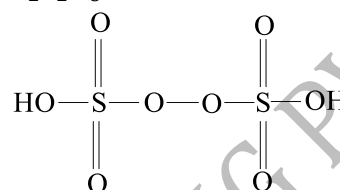
119 (a)

1  $\text{HCOOH} \xrightarrow{\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4} \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CO}$



119 (a)

2  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$  has O—O bond in it.



119 (a)

4  $\text{ClF}_3$ , where Cl is  $sp^3d$  hybridised, has a T-shape structure due to presence of two lone pairs of electrons on Cl atom

119 (b)

5  $4\text{HCl} + \text{O}_2 \xrightarrow{\text{CuCl}_2} 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{Cl}_2$  (Deacon's process).

119 (a)

6 Nitre cake is  $\text{NaHSO}_4$ .

119 (a)

7 Helium(He) is a non-flammable(incombustible) gas and its lifting power is 93% as compared to flammable hydrogen gas, due to these reasons it is used in filling balloons and other lighter air - crafts.

119 (a)

8 It is a fact.

119 (d)

9 It is a reason for the given fact.

120 (a)

0  $\text{S}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$

120 (b)

1  $\text{PI}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_3\text{PO}_3 + 3\text{HI}$   
(Dibasic) (Monobasic)

120 (a)

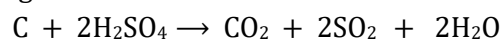
2 Rest all are poisonous hydrides.

120 (b)

4 S in  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$  is  $sp^3$ -hybridized.

120 (b)

5 Only carbon reacts with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to give two different gases



While other elements react with conc.  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  with the evolution of only one type of gas.

120 (b)

6 O<sub>3</sub> is an allotrope of O<sub>2</sub>.

120 (a)

7 Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>3</sub> + S → Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

120 (d)

8 Each O and S has six valence electrons in it.

120 (b)

9 I atom in IF<sub>7</sub> possesses sp<sup>3</sup>d<sup>3</sup>-hybridisation to develop pentagonal bipyramidal shape.

121 (d)

0  $\overset{+7}{\text{HClO}_4} > \overset{+5}{\text{HClO}_3} > \overset{+3}{\text{HClO}_2} > \overset{+1}{\text{HClO}}$

As the oxidation number of halogen increases, acidic character increases

121 (b)

1 The 3 : 1 ratio of Cl<sup>35</sup>: Cl<sup>37</sup> gives average at. wt. of 35.5 to chlorine.

121 (d)

2 Zero group is called as buffer group because it lies between highly electronegative halogens and highly electropositive alkali metal elements.

121 (a)

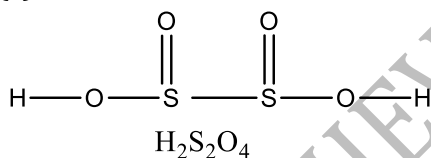
3 As the number of shells increases, size increases and the effective nuclear charge on the outermost electron decreases. Thus, IE decreases

121 (b)

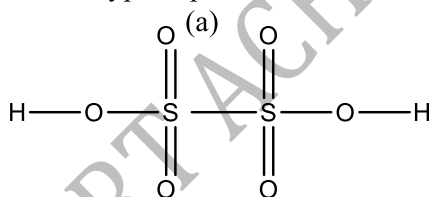
4 2Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> + I<sub>2</sub> → 2NaI + Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>4</sub>O<sub>6</sub>

121 (c)

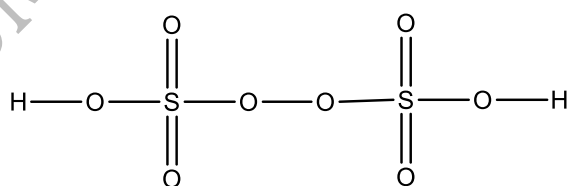
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hyposulphurous acid



(b)  
dithionic acid



(c)  
Marshall's acid

.. Marshall's acid does not have s-s bond

121 (a)

6 Bromine is a liquid at room temperature

121 (b)

7 <sup>84</sup>Po is the only radioactive element of gp 16.

121 (c)

8 Oxygen and Sulphur are non-metals; Te is metalloid, Po is metal.

121 (c)

9 NH<sub>3</sub> > PH<sub>3</sub> > AsH<sub>3</sub> > SbH<sub>3</sub>

On moving down the group atomic size increases and availability of lone pair decreases hence basic character decreases

122 (c)

0 H<sub>2</sub>O contain hydrogen bond while no hydrogen bonding is present in H<sub>2</sub>S

122 (c)

1 The acidic character decreases down the gp.

122 (d)

2 Rest all reacts with Cl<sub>2</sub>.

122 (c)

3 Greater is electronegativity difference more is polarity. Electronegativities of N, Cl, O, F are 3.0, 3.0, 3.5 and 4.0 respectively.

122 (d)

4  $\text{Na} + \text{NH}_3 \rightarrow \text{NaNH}_2 + \frac{1}{2} \text{H}_2$

122 (c)

5 Bartlett prepared first compound of Xe as Xe<sup>+</sup>[PtF<sub>6</sub>]<sup>-</sup>, a red orange crystalline solid.

$\text{Xe} + \text{PtF}_6 \rightarrow \text{Xe}^+[\text{PtF}_6]^-$

122 (d)

6 Oxidation number of S in H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>3</sub> is +4 which lies between minimum (-2) and maximum (+6) values and can thus increase or decrease.

122 (b)

7 The ease of liquefaction decreases with decrease in critical temperature. Also, critical temperature of a gas is lowered with increase in mol. mass.

122 (d)

8 Concentrated H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> is less volatile, *ie*, it has high boiling point

122 (b)

9  $4\text{P} + 5\text{CO}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{P}_2\text{O}_5 + 5\text{C}$

123 (b)

0 Silica(SiO<sub>2</sub>) is present in the glass. This silica reacts with hydrofluoric acid.

$\text{SiO}_2 + 4\text{HF} \rightarrow \text{SiF}_4 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

$\text{SiF}_4 + 2\text{HF} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SiF}_6$

fluorosilicic acid

Note: HF is used for the etching of glass.

123 (a)

1 The most reactive nature of  $F_2$  brings it the name super halogen.

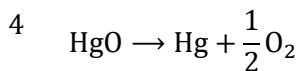
123 (b)

2  $N_2O$  does not burn itself but supports combustion

123 (c)

3 Carbon cannot expand its octet due to absence of  $d$ -orbitals.

123 (b)



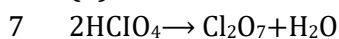
123 (b)

5  $I_2$  forms  $I_2O$ ,  $I_2O_3$ ,  $I_2O_5$  and  $I_2O_7$  oxides.

123 (d)

6 Due to (i) Small atomic size (ii) High ionization energy (iii) Absence of  $d$ -orbital, helium does not form any compound

123 (b)



Hence,  $Cl_2O_7$  is the anhydride of  $HClO_4$

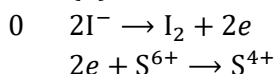
123 (c)

8 It is a fact.

123 (d)

9 Spirit of salt is a solution of  $HCl$ .

124 (d)

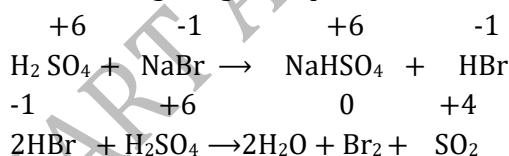


124 (c)

1 Oxygen shows only -2, -1 and +2 (in  $F_2O$ ) oxidation states.

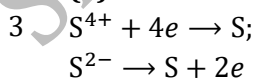
124 (d)

2 Concentrated sulphuric acid, being a strong acid, oxidises bromides and iodides but not chlorides and fluorides since, the later are more electronegative. Hence it can be reduced only by  $NaBr$  among the given options.



reduction

124 (a)



124 (d)

4 The great affinity of  $H_2SO_4$  for water is because it forms hydrates with water

124 (d)

5 Usually electron affinities decreases on moving down a group but fluorine due to its smaller size

has a low value of electrons affinity in comparison to chlorine because the incoming electron experience greater repulsion. Thus, the order of electron affinity is as  $Cl > F > Br > I$ .

124 (a)

6 The correct order of acidity strength of halogen acids is  $HF < HCl < HBr < HI$

This is due to the reason that as the size of halogen increases  $H-X$  bond becomes weaker and thus,  $H-X$  easily donate proton. Hence,  $HI$  is the strongest acid and  $HF$  is the weakest acid.

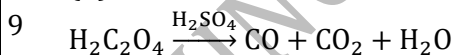
124 (a)

7 It is a fact.

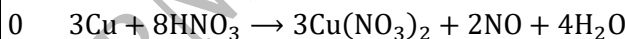
124 (b)

8  $NH_4NO_3 \rightarrow N_2O + 2H_2O$ ;  $N_2O$  does not burn and thus, does not supporter of combustion. Rest all nitrates give  $O_2$  which is supporter of combustion.

124 (d)



125 (b)



125 (b)

1 M. p. order :  $HCl < HBr < HF < HI$ .  
158 186 190 222K

125 (c)

2 Basic character (the tendency to donate lone pair) is maximum in  $NH_3$ .

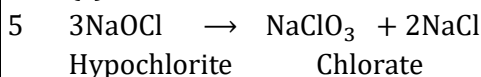
125 (a)

3  $O_3$  has no action with  $KMnO_4$ .

125 (d)

4 It is a method to obtain noble gases.

125 (c)



125 (b)

6 Chromite ion is  $Cr_2O_4^{2-}$

125 (c)

7 Liquor ammonia bottles are opened only after cooling because it has high vapour pressure and it is mild explosive.

125 (a)

8 Hydride HF HCl HBr HI  
B.pt(in K) 293 189 206 238

Because of having low boiling point  $HCl$  is more volatile

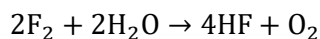
125 (b)

9 The energy liberated when an electron is added to an isolated gaseous atom is called electron affinity. Thus, as the size increase lesser energy is liberated and hence electron affinity decrease. But

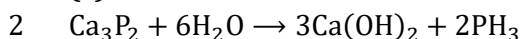
the electron affinity of Cl is higher than the electron affinity of F although F has smaller size. This is because the incoming electron, in case of F experience a greater force of repulsion from the outer electrons of F. Thus to overcome the repulsion some released energy is utilized. Hence lesser energy is released. Thus the electron affinity is highest for Cl.

126 (a)

0 Fluorine reacts with water liberating O<sub>2</sub> exothermally



126 (c)



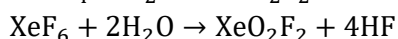
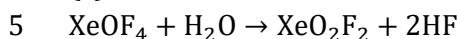
126 (d)

3 P exists as P<sub>4</sub>.

126 (a)

4 Aqua-regia is the mixture of 3 part conc. HCl and 1 part conc. HNO<sub>3</sub>. It is a very strong acid which can dissolve noble metals.

126 (c)



126 (c)

6 It is a reason for the given fact.

126 (b)



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COOH

Oxalic acid

Concentrated H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> is a strong dehydrating agent.

126 (a)

8 O<sup>16</sup> is the most abundant isotope of oxygen.

127 (b)

9 On passing H<sub>2</sub>S through an oxidant, colloidal Sulphur is formed.

128 (a)

0 SO<sub>2</sub> is anhydride of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>3</sub>.

128 (a)

1 It is a fact.

128 (d)

2 It is a fact.

128 (c)

3 White phosphorus is soluble in CS<sub>2</sub> but red P is not.

128 (c)

4 The bond angles are 92°, 106°51', 109°28' and 120°

128 (d)

5 In solid state PCl<sub>5</sub> is ionic having PCl<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> and PCl<sub>6</sub><sup>-</sup> ions.

128 (d)

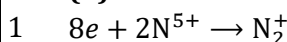
126 (b)

9 Ramsay found it during decay of radio isotopes.

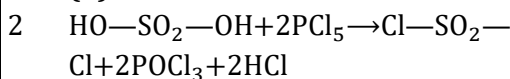
127 (c)

0 Group 15 members are called pnictogens, a collective name for this family.

127 (b)

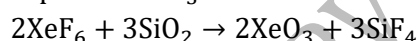


127 (b)



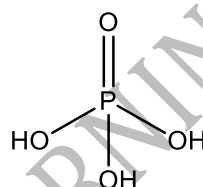
127 (b)

3 XeF<sub>6</sub> cannot be stored in glass vessels because it reacts with SiO<sub>2</sub> of the glass to give highly explosive XeO<sub>3</sub>

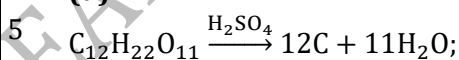


127 (b)

4 H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> is tribasic acid.



127 (d)



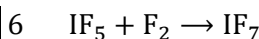
The process is called charring.

127 (a)

6 In case of fluorides and chlorides, HF and HCl gases are given out on heating with conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and MnO<sub>2</sub>. In bromides and iodides Br<sub>2</sub> and I<sub>2</sub> are given out.

127 (d)

8 All these tests are used to detect the presence of H<sub>2</sub>S.



128 (c)

7 NH<sub>3</sub> is polar as well as base and thus, soluble in water.

128 (c)

8 IPO<sub>4</sub> is an ionic compound (I<sup>3+</sup> PO<sub>4</sub><sup>3-</sup>).

128 (b)

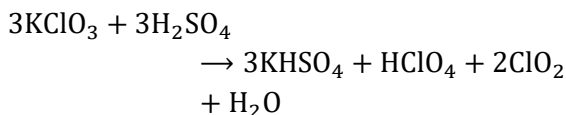
9 ClO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup> has sp<sup>3</sup>-hybridization.

129 (d)

0 HI being least stable decomposes with time to yield H<sub>2</sub> + I<sub>2</sub>. The I<sub>2</sub> is dissolved in HI to develop brown colour in solution.

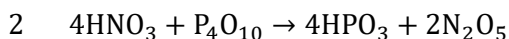
129 (d)

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The reaction occurs with explosion.

129 (b)



129 (c)

3 F – F more strong bond compare to F – Cl, F – Br and Cl – Br bond

129 (d)

5 When molten sulphur is suddenly cooled by pouring into water it converts into plastic form

129 (b)

6 Rest all react with  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to give  $\text{H}_2$ .

129 (c)

7 The oxides are  $\text{CO}_2$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{SO}_2$  respectively.

129 (c)

8  $\text{N}_2$  and  $\text{O}_2$  present in air are allowed to react to form NO and then  $\text{NO}_2$ .

129 (b)

9 Both  $\text{SO}_3$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  have Sulphur in + 6 oxidation state.

130 (c)

0 It is a fact.

130 (c)

1  $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6 \rightarrow$  Neon  
It is noble gas

130 (a)

2 F does not have d-orbital in 2nd shell.

130 (d)

3 A commercial method to prepare  $\text{O}_2$ .

130 (c)

4  $\text{N}_2$  is not supporter of life.

130 (b)

5 Hg reacts with  $\text{O}_3$  to form HgO which sticks on walls.

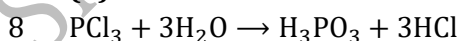
130 (b)

6 He has  $1s$ ,  $1s^2$  configuration.

130 (a)

7  $\text{SCl}_4$  has  $sp^3d$  – hybridization and possesses see-saw structure.

130 (b)



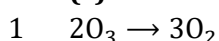
130 (a)

9  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5$  is acidic. NaOH an alkali, can absorb acidic ox

131 (b)

0 Notice that electron affinity of Cl is more than F.

131 (c)



131 (d)

None of these react directly with halogens ( $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{Br}_2$

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131 (c)

3 Oleum is  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_4 + \text{SO}_3$ .

131 (a)

4  $\text{N}_2$  forms  $\text{NCl}_3$ , while P can form both  $\text{PCl}_3$  and  $\text{PCl}_5$  nitrogen does not give a pentahalide due to the non availability of  $2d$ -orbital, whereas p has low lying  $3d$ -orbital which can be used for bonding.

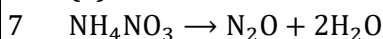
131 (b)

5  $(\text{CN})_2$  is known as pseudohalogen

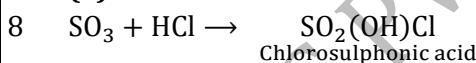
131 (a)

6 B.p. and m.p. decrease with decrease in mol. wt.

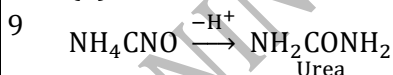
131 (a)



131 (a)



131 (b)



132 (b)

0 Salts of  $\text{HClO}_2$  ( $\text{ClO}_2^-$  is chlorite) are called chlorite.

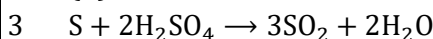
132 (a)

1 He gas is not adsorbed by coconut charcoal.

132 (d)

2  $\text{PbS}$  is black which is oxidized to  $\text{PbSO}_4$  by ozone.

132 (b)



132 (d)

4  $\text{CO}_2$  gets evaporated slowly.

132 (b)

5 The order of bond dissociation energy of hydrogen halide ( or halogen acid) is as  
Hydrogen halide dissociation  $\text{HF} > \text{HCl} > \text{HBr} > \text{HI}$

Bond dissociation

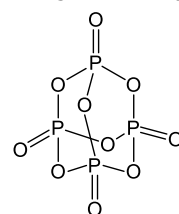
Energy  $\text{KJ mol}^{-1}$     566    431    366    299

Bond dissociation energy  $\propto$  heat of formation

As bond dissociation energy decreases the heat of formation of halogen acids also decreases. Hence, the order of heat of formation of halogen acids is  $\text{HF} > \text{HCl} > \text{HBr} > \text{HI}$

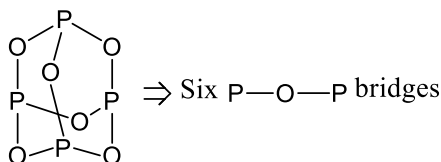
132 (d)

6  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$ , ie,  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}$



$\Rightarrow$  Six P—O—P bridges

$\text{P}_2\text{O}_3$  ie,  $\text{P}_4\text{O}_6$



132 (d)

7  $S_R$  and  $S_M$  are allotropic forms of Sulphur.

132 (d)

8 Copper turing on heating with conc.  $H_2SO_4$  produce  $SO_2$ .



132 (c)

9 Option(c) has noble gas configuration as it has 8 electrons in valence shell.

133 (d)

0 The acidity of oxyacids of halogens increases with increase in oxidation state of halogen.

Oxidation state of Cl in  $HClO = +1$

Oxidation state of Cl in  $HClO_2 = +3$

Oxidation state of Cl in  $HClO_3 = +5$

Oxidation state of Cl in  $HClO_4 = +7$

Hence,  $HClO_4$  has highest acidity among oxyacids of chlorine.

133 (a)

1  $LiF > LiCl > LiBr > LiI$  (Lattice energy)

133 (d)

2 Iodine readily dissolves in potassium iodide

133 (c)

7  $NH_4Cl$  has sublimation nature, *i. e.*, tendency to convert directly into vapour state from solid state.

133 (b)

8  $NH_3 + HCl \rightarrow NH_4Cl$  (White fumes)

133 (b)

9  $PtCl_4 \rightarrow PtCl_2 + Cl_2$

134 (b)

0 Liquid ammonia helps in cooling of things due to its high heat of vaporisation. Therefore, it is used in refrigeration.

134 (a)

1 As stabilizer.

134 (b)

2 Bi does not show allotropy while, the allotropes of other elements are as follows

N →  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  nitrogen

As → Yellow and Grey forms

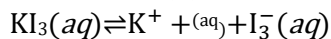
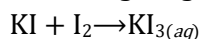
P → White, Red and Black forms

Sb → Yellow and Grey forms

134 (d)

3 In electrothermal process silica is heated with calcium phosphate when phosphorus pentoxide is obtained. It is then reduced by coke in electric

solution giving  $KI_3$ .



Note:  $I_2$  is more soluble in an aqueous solution of KI than in pure water, it is due to the formation of polyhalide ( $I_3^-$  ion).

133 (c)

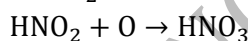
3  $SO_3$  is colourless, crystalline transparent solid at room temperature.

133 (d)

4  $H_2O$  containing H-bond due to which it have highest boiling point

133 (c)

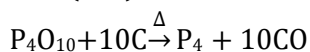
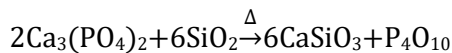
5  $HNO_2$  can be either reduced to nitric acid (NO) or oxidised to nitric acid and hence it acts both as an oxidising as well as reducing agent



133 (d)

6  $NCl_3$  has  $sp^3$ -hybridized N atom.

furnace to get white phosphorus.



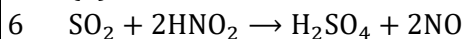
134 (c)

4 It is a reason for the given fact.

134 (a)

5  $NH_3$  is a molecular hydride.

134 (d)



134 (a)

7 Reducing properties increase from F to I so, it oxidise by nitric acid



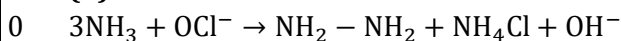
134 (a)

8 Alkali metal oxides are most basic.

134 (b)

9 The acidic character of oxo-acids decreases down the gp.

135 (b)

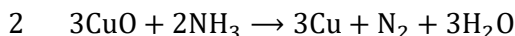


135 (a)



1  $\text{PO}_2$  and  $\text{NCl}_5$  cannot exist

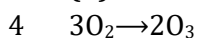
135 (a)



135 (b)

3 It is a fact.

135 (d)



$$3\text{vol O}_2 = 2\text{vol O}_3$$

$$x \text{ vol O}_2 = \frac{2}{3} x \text{ vol O}_3$$

$$x + \frac{2}{3}x = 100\text{L}$$

$$\frac{5}{3}x = 100 \text{ or } x = 60\text{L O}_2$$

$$\text{Volume of O}_3 = \frac{2}{3} \times 60 = 40\text{L}$$

135 (b)

5 The correct order of occurrence in air is

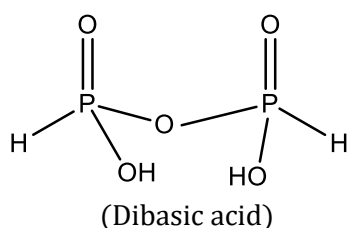


135 (b)

6 Most of the noble gases are obtained from air.

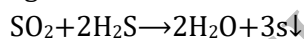
135 (a)

7 In pyrophosphorous acid p is in +3 oxidation state.



135 (a)

8 In the reaction  $\text{SO}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$ ,  $\text{SO}_2$  acts as oxidizing agent and  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  acts as reducing agent.



136 (b)

9 Marshall's acid is the name for  $\text{H}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_8$  or perdisulphuric acid.

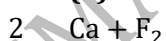
137 (a)

0 Neon is Greek language signifies 'new'.

137 (a)

1 Due to one unpaired electron in it.

137 (a)



137 (b)

3 Nitric acid oxidises iodine into iodic acid ( $\text{HIO}_3$ ).



Iodic acid

137 (b)

4 B.p. of molecules increases with increase in mol. wt.  $\text{NH}_3$  however shows H-bonding and has high b.p.

135 (d)

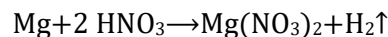
9  $\text{HBr}$  is strong reducing agent and will be oxidized to

136 (b)

0 About 46% N is present in urea.

136 (c)

1 Magnesium and dilute  $\text{HNO}_3$  reacts to produce  $\text{H}_2$  gas.



136 (d)

3 In  $\text{HF}$ , the molecules aggregate because of intermolecular hydrogen bonding. Hence, it has highest boiling point

136 (a)

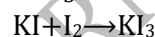
4  $\text{HF}$  is a weak acid due to intermolecular hydrogen bonding

136 (c)

5 Rest all are uses of chlorine.

136 (b)

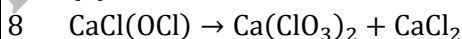
6 The solubility of  $\text{I}_2$  in water increase by the addition of  $\text{KI}$  due to formation of polyhalide ion, i.e.  $\text{I}_3^-$ .



136 (d)

7 Platinum, palladium and iridium are not attacked by strong acids. So these are called noble metals.

136 (b)



137 (a)

5 S, Se and Te are typically tetravalent in their compounds with oxygen. They show +6 oxidation state in fluorides.

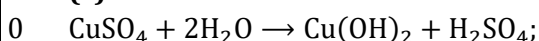
137 (c)

7 It is a fact.

137 (d)

9 These are the uses of liquid oxygen.

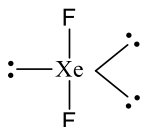
138 (c)



Addition of  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  reverses the hydrolysis of  $\text{CuSO}_4$ .

138 (d)

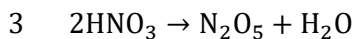
1  $\text{XeF}_2$  has  $sp^3d$  hybridization with linear shape



138 (a)

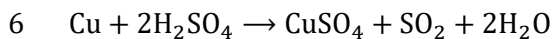
2 I<sub>2</sub> is more soluble in C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>6</sub> than in water.

138 (c)

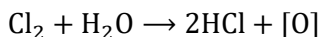


Nitric acid

138 (b)



138 (d)



139 (d)

1 Xe in XeF<sub>4</sub>, XeF<sub>6</sub>, XeO<sub>3</sub> and XeO<sub>4</sub> possess  $sp^3d^2$ ,  $sp^3d^3$ ,  $sp^3$  and  $sp^3$ -hybridisation respectively.

139 (c)

2 Polonium, the last member of oxygen family is radioactive

139 (c)

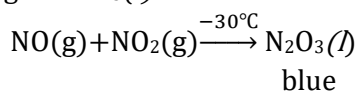
3 In cold solution S passes in colloidal state.

139 (d)

4 XeO<sub>3</sub> + 6HF → XeF<sub>6</sub> + 3H<sub>2</sub>O is not possible because F<sup>-</sup> is strong reducing agent and XeO<sub>3</sub> is strong oxidant. However the reverse reaction occurs XeF<sub>6</sub> + 3H<sub>2</sub>O → XeO<sub>3</sub> + 6HF

139 (b)

5 Equimolar amounts of NO(g) and NO<sub>2</sub>(g) at -30°C give N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>(l) which is a blue liquid.



139 (b)

6 Fluorine is the most electronegative element in Periodic Table

139 (c)

7 NH<sub>3</sub> reacts with rest of all.

139 (b)

8 NH<sub>3</sub> has one lone pair of electrons. Rest all two lone pairs on central atom. The angle contracts due to lone pair effect.

139 (c)

9 As the oxidation number of central atom in oxoacids increases, acidic nature increases.

140 (a)

0 The bond angles and stability in hydrides decrease from N to Sb due to decreasing electronegativity of central atom.

140 (d)



140 (a)

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138 (d)

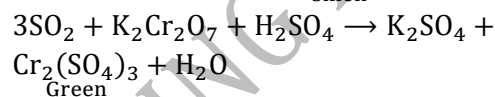
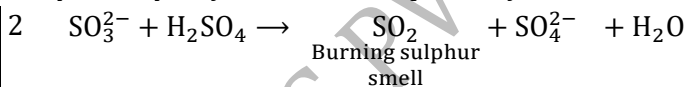
8 HNO<sub>3</sub> is strong oxidant and oxidizes these all.

138 (a)

9 White phosphorus exists as P<sub>4</sub> units where, four P atoms lie at the corners of a regular tetrahedron with P – P – P = 60°

139 (d)

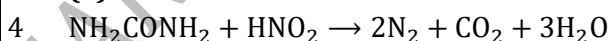
0 All were difficulties in isolation of F<sub>2</sub>.



140 (b)

3 NO<sub>2</sub> is pungent smelling gas.

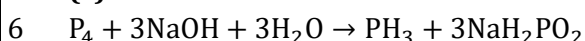
140 (a)



140 (a)

5 The —O—O— linkage is called peroxide linkage. Except for PbO<sub>2</sub>, all the given choices have —O—O— linkage because all are peroxide.  
H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> → hydrogen peroxide  
BaO<sub>2</sub> → barium peroxide  
SeO<sub>2</sub> → selenium peroxide

140 (c)



140 (c)

7 Rest all react with AgCl.

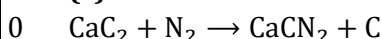
140 (d)

8 It is a reason for the given fact.

140 (a)

9 F<sub>2</sub> +  $\frac{1}{2}$  O<sub>2</sub> → F<sub>2</sub>O is endothermic in nature and F<sub>2</sub> is reduced here, O<sub>2</sub> is oxidized. In (b) Cl<sub>2</sub> is oxidised. In (c) no doubt F<sub>2</sub> is reduced but it is exothermic reaction.

141 (c)



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### Assertion - Reasoning Type

This section contain(s) 0 questions numbered 1 to 0. Each question contains STATEMENT 1(Assertion) and STATEMENT 2(Reason). Each question has the 4 choices (a), (b), (c) and (d) out of which **ONLY ONE** is correct.

- a) Statement 1 is True, Statement 2 is True; Statement 2 **is** correct explanation for Statement 1
- b) Statement 1 is True, Statement 2 is True; Statement 2 **is not** correct explanation for Statement 1
- c) Statement 1 is True, Statement 2 is False
- d) Statement 1 is False, Statement 2 is True

1

**Statement 1:** Helium and beryllium have similar outer electronic configuration of the type  $ns^2$

**Statement 2:** Helium and beryllium both are chemically inert

2

**Statement 1:**  $PCl_5$  and  $PbCl_4$  are thermally unstable

**Statement 2:** They produce same gas on thermal decomposition

3

**Statement 1:** Among chalcogens, tendency of catenation is maximum for sulphur.

**Statement 2:** S-S bond dissociation energy is higher than O-O bond dissociation energy.

4

**Statement 1:** Oxygen is more electronegative than sulphur, yet  $H_2S$  is acidic, while  $H_2O$  is neutral

**Statement 2:** H – S bond is weaker than O – H bond

5

**Statement 1:** Liquid  $NH_3$  is used for refrigeration.

**Statement 2:** Liquid  $NH_3$  does not vaporize quickly.

6

**Statement 1:** White phosphorus is more reactive than red phosphorus.

**Statement 2:** red phosphorus consists of  $P_4$  tetrahedral units linked to one another to form linear chains.

7

**Statement 1:** All the noble gases have  $ns^2np^6$  electronic configuration in their outermost shell

**Statement 2:** In noble gases all the energy levels which are occupied are completely filled

8

**Statement 1:** Helium is the only substance that can't be solidified at atmospheric pressure

**Statement 2:** The zero point energy of helium is very high

9

**Statement 1:**  $OF_2$  is named as oxygen difluoride.

**Statement 2:**  $OF_2$  is oxygen is less electronegative than fluorine.

10

**Statement 1:** The van der Waals' forces are directly proportional to the ionisation potentials

**Statement 2:** Van der Waals' forces increases as the size and diffuseness of the electron clouds increases

11

**Statement 1:** The aqueous solution of  $XeF_2$  is powerful oxidizing agent

**Statement 2:** The hydrolysis of  $XeF_2$  is show in dilute acid but rapid in basic solution

12

**Statement 1:** Red phosphorus is less volatile than white phosphorus

**Statement 2:** Red phosphorus has a discrete tetrahedral structure

13

**Statement 1:** The ionization energy of gallium remains nearly same as that of aluminium.

**Statement 2:** This is due to shielding of outer shell electrons form the nucleus by the d electrons of gallium.

14

**Statement 1:** Ozone is a powerful oxidizing agent in comparison to  $O_2$

**Statement 2:** Ozone is diamagnetic but  $O_2$  is paramagnetic

15

**Statement 1:**  $PCl_5$  is covalent in gaseous and liquid states but ionic in solid state

**Statement 2:**  $PCl_5$  in solid state consists of tetrahedral  $PCl_5^+$  cation and octahedral  $PCl_6^-$  anion

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### : ANSWER KEY :

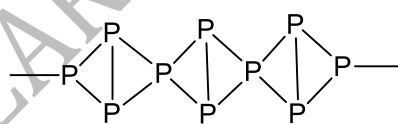
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5)	a	6)	b	7)	d	8)	a
9)	a	10)	d	11)	b	12)	c
13)	a	14)	b	15)	b		

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### : HINTS AND SOLUTIONS :

- 1 (c)  
Helium is a noble gas but beryllium is a member of alkaline earth metal. Thus, beryllium is chemically active and helium is inactive
- 2 (b)  
$$\text{PCl}_5 \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{PCl}_3 + \text{Cl}_2$$
  
PCl<sub>5</sub> decomposes into PCl<sub>3</sub> and Cl<sub>2</sub> as in its structure two P – Cl axial bonds are longer than other three P – Cl equatorial bonds
- 3 (a)  
Catenation means the tendency of an element to form chains of identical atoms which is pronounced in sulphur among chalcogens.
- 4 (a)  
H – S bond is weaker than H – O bond hence, H<sub>2</sub>S is more acidic than H<sub>2</sub>O
- 5 (a)  
Liquid ammonia has a large heat of vaporization (0.327 cal/g). It is therefore used in ice plants.
- 6 (b)  
White P exists as discrete P<sub>4</sub> tetrahedral molecule having P-P-P bond angle 60°. Hence, molecule is under strain and more reactive while red P exists as P<sub>4</sub> tetrahedral joined together through covalent bonds giving polymeric structure.
- 7 (d)  
All the noble gases except He, have  $ns^2np^6$  electronic configuration in their outermost shell
- 8 (a)  
Zero point energy of helium is so high that it outweighs the weak interatomic forces which are not strong enough to bind the helium atoms into the crystalline state
- 9 (a)  
The compound of oxygen and fluorine is more electronegative than oxygen fluorides as fluorine
- 10 (d)  
Van der Waals' forces or London forces are inversely proportional to the ionisation potential of the atoms
- 11 (b)  
XeF<sub>2</sub> oxidise HCl to Cl<sub>2</sub> and Ce(III) to Ce (IV). Its oxidation potentials is +2.64 V
- 12 (c)  
Red phosphorus is less volatile than white phosphorus because it exists in linked tetrahedral structures.
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- 13 (a)  
In Ga, 10-d electrons in penultimate shell shield the nucleus change less effectively, the outer electrons is held firmly by the nucleus. As result, the ionisation energy remains nearly the same as that of aluminium in spite of the fact that atomic size increase.
- 14 (b)  
Due to the ease with which it can liberate nascent oxygen, O<sub>3</sub> acts as a powerful oxidising agent.
- $$\text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{O}_2 + \text{O}$$
- O<sub>2</sub> → Paramagnetic due to presence of two unpaired electrons
- O<sub>3</sub> → Diamagnetic molecules
- 15 (b)  
PCl<sub>5</sub> is trigonal bipyramidal containing  $sp^3d$  hybridised P atom in liquid and gaseous state. Whereas, in solid state it consists of tetrahedral PCl<sub>4</sub><sup>+</sup> cation and octahedral PCl<sub>6</sub><sup>-</sup> anions

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### Matrix-Match Type

This section contain(s) 0 question(s). Each question contains Statements given in 2 columns which have to be matched. Statements (A, B, C, D) in **columns I** have to be matched with Statements (p, q, r, s) in **columns II**.

1. Match list I (Molecules) with list II (Boiling points) and select the correct answer

Column-I					Column- II				
(A)	NH <sub>3</sub>				(p)	290K			
(B)	PH <sub>3</sub>				(q)	211K			
(C)	AsH <sub>3</sub>				(r)	186K			
(D)	SbH <sub>3</sub>				(s)	264K			
(E)	BiH <sub>3</sub>				(t)	240K			

**CODES :**

	A	B	C	D	E
a)	r	q	t	s	p
b)	t	r	q	r	p
c)	p	s	t	q	p
d)	p	q	r	s	p

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**: ANSWER KEY :**

1) b

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# THE P-BLOCK ELEMENTS

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### : HINTS AND SOLUTIONS :

- 1 (b)  
Except ammonia the boiling point generally increases down, the group due to increase in magnitude of van der Waals' forces. Ammonia shows intermolecular hydrogen bonding hence its boiling point is higher than  $\text{AsH}_3$ , but lower than  $\text{SbH}_3$ .

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