

**FINAL JEE-MAIN EXAMINATION – JANUARY, 2023**

(Held On Tuesday 31<sup>ST</sup> January, 2023)

TIME : 3 : 00 PM to 6 : 00 PM

**CHEMISTRY**

**TEST PAPER WITH SOLUTION**

**SECTION-A**

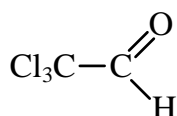
31. In the following halogenated organic compounds the one with maximum number of chlorine atoms in its structure is :

- (1) Chloral (2) Gammaxene  
(3) Chloropicrin (4) Freon -12

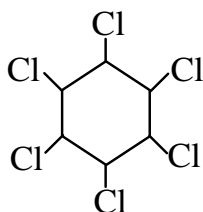
Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Ans. (2)

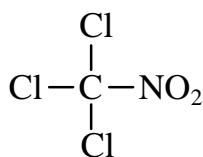
Sol. (1) Chloral



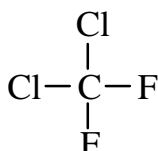
(2) Gammaxene



(3) Chloropicrin



(4) Freon - 12



32. Incorrect statement for the use of indicators in acid-base titration is :

- (1) Methyl orange may be used for a weak acid vs weak base titration.  
(2) Methyl orange is a suitable indicator for a strong acid vs weak base titration  
(3) Phenolphthalein is a suitable indicator for a weak acid vs strong base titration  
(4) Phenolphthalein may be used for a strong acid vs strong base titration.

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Ans. (1)

Sol.

Indicator	pH range
Methyl orange	3.2 – 4.5
Phenolphthalein	8.3 – 10.5

Methyl orange may be used for a strong acid vs strong base and strong acid vs weak base titration. Phenolphthalein may be used for a strong acid vs strong base and weak acid vs strong base titration.

33. Which of the following compounds are not used as disinfectants?

- (A) Chloroxylenol  
(B) Bithional  
(C) Veronal  
(D) Prontosil  
(E) Terpeneol

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

- (1) A, B, E (2) A, B  
(3) B, D, E (4) C, D

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Ans. (1)

Sol. Veronal is neurological medicine, Prontosil is antibiotic, rest all are disinfectants.

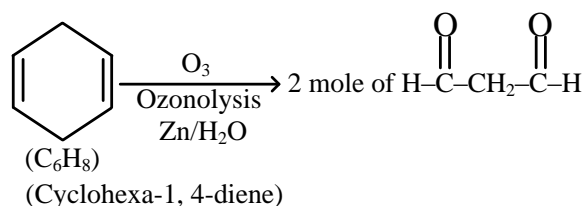
34. A hydrocarbon 'X' with formula  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_8$  uses two moles of  $\text{H}_2$  on catalytic hydrogenation of its one mole. On ozonolysis, 'X' yields two moles of methane dicarbaldehyde. The hydrocarbon 'X' is :

- (1) hexa-1, 3, 5-triene  
(2) 1-methylcyclopenta-1, 4-diene  
(3) cyclohexa-1, 3-diene  
(4) cyclohexa-1, 4-diene

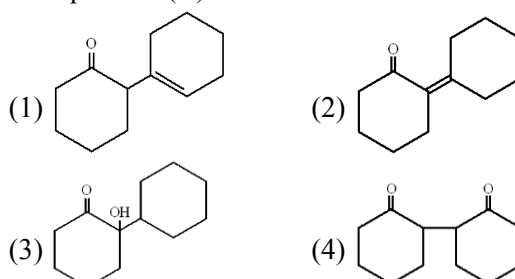
Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Ans. (4)

Sol.



35. Cyclohexylamine when treated with nitrous acid yields (P). On treating (P) with PCC results in (Q). When (Q) is heated with dil. NaOH we get (R) The final product (R) is :



Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Ans. (2)



**Sol.** (i) Formation of tetraacetate with  $\text{Ac}_2\text{O}$  means compound A has four  $-\text{OH}$  linkage. Reduction of A with HI gives Isopentane i.e. molecule contains five carbon atom.

**39.** Arrange the following orbitals in decreasing order of energy ?

- (A)  $n = 3, l = 0, m = 0$   
 (B)  $n = 4, l = 0, m = 0$   
 (C)  $n = 3, l = 1, m = 0$   
 (D)  $n = 3, l = 2, m = 1$

The correct option for the order is :

- (1)  $B > D > C > A$   
 (2)  $D > B > C > A$   
 (3)  $A > C > B > D$   
 (4)  $D > B > A > C$

**Official Ans. by NTA (2)**

**Ans. (2)**

**Sol.** (A)  $n = 3; l = 0; m = 0$  ; 3s orbital  
 (B)  $n = 4; l = 0; m = 0$  ; 4s orbital  
 (C)  $n = 3; l = 1; m = 0$  ; 3p orbital  
 (D)  $n = 3; l = 2; m = 0$  ; 3d orbital

As per Hund's rule energy is given by  $(n+l)$  value. If value of  $(n+l)$  remains same then energy is given by  $n$  only.

**40.** The Lewis acid character of boron tri halides follows the order :

- (1)  $\text{BBr}_3 > \text{BI}_3 > \text{BCl}_3 > \text{BF}_3$   
 (2)  $\text{BCl}_3 > \text{BF}_3 > \text{BBr}_3 > \text{BI}_3$   
 (3)  $\text{BF}_3 > \text{BCl}_3 > \text{BBr}_3 > \text{BI}_3$   
 (4)  $\text{BI}_3 > \text{BBr}_3 > \text{BCl}_3 > \text{BF}_3$

**Official Ans. by NTA (4)**

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol.** Extent of back bonding, reduces down the group leading to more Lewis acidic strength

$\text{BF}_3 > \text{BCl}_3 > \text{BBr}_3 > \text{BI}_3$  (extent of back bonding)  
 $(2p-2p) (2p-3p) (2p-4p) (2p-5p)$

$\text{BF}_3 < \text{BCl}_3 < \text{BBr}_3 < \text{BI}_3$  (Lewis acidic nature)

**41.** Match List-I with List-II

List-I		List-II	
(A)	Physisorption	I	Single layer adsorption
(B)	Chemisorption	II	$20-40 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$
(C)	$\text{N}_2(\text{g}) + 3\text{H}_2(\text{g}) \xrightarrow{\text{Fe(s)}} 2\text{NH}_3(\text{g})$	III	Chromatography
(D)	Analytical Application or Adsorption	IV	Heterogeneous catalysis

Choose the correct answer from the options given below :

- (1) A – II, B – III, C – I, D – IV  
 (2) A – III, B – IV, C – I, D – II  
 (3) A – IV, B – II, C – III, D – I  
 (4) A – II, B – I, C – IV, D – III

**Official Ans. by NTA (4)**

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol.** (A) Physisorption =  $20 - 40 \text{ kJ/mol}$  and Chemisorption =  $80 - 240 \text{ kJ/mol}$

(B) Physisorption is multi-layered and chemisorption is unimolecular layered.

(C) In heterogeneous catalysis, medium and catalyst are in different phases.

(D) Chromatography uses adsorption to purify/separate mixtures.

**42.** Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**

**Assertion (A) :** The first ionization enthalpy of 3d series elements is more than that of group 2 metals

**Reason (R) :** In 3d series of elements successive filling of d-orbitals takes place.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below :

- (1) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)  
 (2) Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is **not** the correct explanation of (A)  
 (3) (A) is false but (R) is true  
 (4) (A) is true but (R) is false

**Official Ans. by NTA (1)**

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.** From Sc to Mn ionization energy is less than that of Mg.

**For 3d series :**

	Sc	Ti	V	Cr	Mn
IE (KJ/mol)	631	656	650	653	717
	Fe	Co	Ni	Cu	Zn
IE (KJ/mol)	762	758	736	745	906

**For 2<sup>nd</sup> Group**

	Be	Mg	Ca	Sr	Ba	Ra
IE (KJ/mol)	631	656	650	653	717	762

**43.** The element playing significant role in neuromuscular function and interneuronal transmission is :

- (1) Be (2) Ca (3) Li (4) Mg

**Official Ans. by NTA (2)**

**Ans. (2)**

**Sol.** Calcium plays important role in neuromuscular function, interneuronal transmission, cell membrane etc.

44. Given below are two statements :

**Statement I :**  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  is used in the synthesis of Cephalosporin

**Statement II :**  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  is used for the restoration of aerobic conditions to sewage wastes.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below :

- (1) Both **Statement I** and **Statement II** are correct
- (2) **Statement I** is incorrect but **Statement II** is correct
- (3) **Statement I** is correct but **Statement II** is incorrect
- (4) Both **Statement I** and **Statement II** are incorrect

**Official Ans. by NTA (1)**

**Ans. (1)**

**Sol.** It is used in the synthesis of hydroquinone, tartaric acid and certain food products and pharmaceuticals (cephalosporin) etc. Restoration of aerobic conditions to sewage wastes etc.

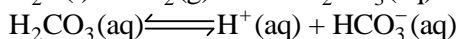
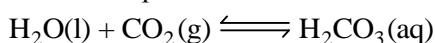
45. The normal rain water is slightly acidic and its pH value is 5.6 because of which one of the following ?

- (1)  $\text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{CO}_3$
- (2)  $4\text{NO}_2 + \text{O}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 4\text{HNO}_3$
- (3)  $2\text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
- (4)  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{HNO}_3$

**Official Ans. by NTA (1)**

**Ans. (1)**

**Sol.** We are aware that normally rain water has a pH of 5.6 due to the presence of  $\text{H}^+$  ions formed by the reactions of rain water with carbon dioxide present in the atmosphere.

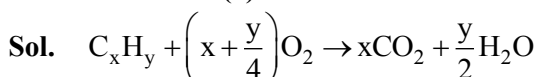


46. When a hydrocarbon A undergoes complete combustion it requires 11 equivalents of oxygen and produces 4 equivalents of water. What is the molecular formula of A ?

- (1)  $\text{C}_9\text{H}_8$
- (2)  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_4$
- (3)  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_8$
- (4)  $\text{C}_{11}\text{H}_8$

**Official Ans. by NTA (1)**

**Ans. (1)**



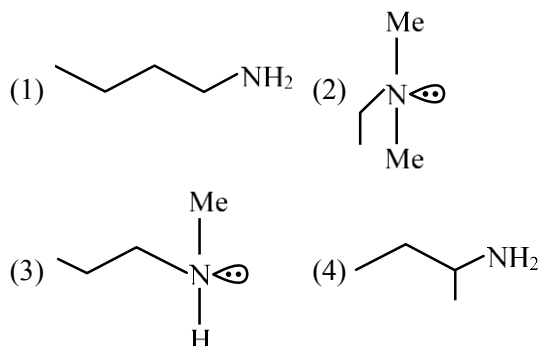
$$\frac{y}{2} = 4 \therefore y = 8$$

$$x + \frac{8}{4} = 11$$

$$\therefore x = 9$$

$$\therefore \text{Hydrocarbon will be} = \text{C}_9\text{H}_8$$

47. An organic compound  $[\text{A}](\text{C}_4\text{H}_{11}\text{N})$ , shows optical activity and gives  $\text{N}_2$  gas on treatment with  $\text{HNO}_2$ . The compound  $[\text{A}]$  reacts with  $\text{PhSO}_2\text{Cl}$  producing a compound which is soluble in  $\text{KOH}$ . The structure of A is:



**Official Ans. by NTA (4)**

**Ans. (4)**

**Sol.**  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_{11}\text{N}$  releases  $\text{N}_2$  with  $\text{HNO}_2$  i.e. it is primary amine.

After reacting with Hinsberg reagent it forms a compound which is soluble in  $\text{KOH}$ , Hence, the amine is primary.

48. Which one of the following statements is incorrect ?

- (1) Boron and Indium can be purified by zone refining method.
- (2) Van- Arkel method is used to purify tungsten.
- (3) Cast iron is obtained by melting pig iron with scrap iron and coke using hot air blast.
- (4) The malleable iron is prepared from cast iron by oxidising impurities in a reverberatory furnace.

**Official Ans. by NTA (2)**

**Ans. (2)**

**Sol.** Van – Arkel process is used for purification of Ti, Zr, Hf and B.

49. Which of the following elements have half-filled f-orbitals in their ground state ?

(Given : atomic number

$\text{Sm} = 62; \text{Eu} = 63; \text{Tb} = 65; \text{Gd} = 64, \text{Pm} = 61$  )

- A. Sm
- B. Eu
- C. Tb
- D. Gd
- E. Pm

Choose the **correct** answer from the options given below:

- (1) B and D only
- (2) A and E only
- (3) A and B only
- (4) C and D only

**Official Ans. by NTA (1)**

**Ans. (1)**

- Sol.**
1.  ${}_{62}\text{Sm} : 4f^6 6s^2$
  2.  ${}_{64}\text{Gd} : 4f^7 5d^1 6s^2$
  3.  ${}_{63}\text{Eu} : 4f^7 6s^2$
  4.  ${}_{65}\text{Tb} : 4f^9 6s^2$
  5.  ${}_{61}\text{Pm} : 4f^5 6s^2$

50. In Dumas method for the estimation of  $N_2$ , the sample is heated with copper oxide and the gas evolved is passed over :

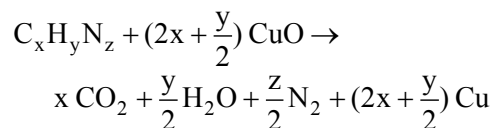
- (1) Ni (2) Copper gauze  
(3) Pd (4) Copper oxide

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Ans. (2)

Sol. Duma's method.

The nitrogen containing organic compound, when heated with CuO in a atmosphere of  $CO_2$ , yields free  $N_2$  in addition to  $CO_2$  and  $H_2O$ .



Traces of nitrogen oxides formed, if any, are reduced to nitrogen by passing the gaseous mixture over heated copper gauze.

### SECTION-B

51. If the CFSE of  $[Ti(H_2O)_6]^{3+}$  is  $-96.0 \text{ kJ/mol}$ , this complex will absorb maximum at wavelength \_\_\_ nm. (nearest integer)

Assume Planck's constant ( $h$ ) =  $6.4 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$  Speed of light ( $c$ ) =  $3.0 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$  and Avogadro's constant ( $N_A$ ) =  $6 \times 10^{23} / \text{mol}$ .

Official Ans. by NTA (480)

Ans. (480)

Sol.  $(Ti^{+3}(H_2O)_6)^{3+}$

$Ti^{+3} : 3d^1$

C.F.S.E. =  $-0.4 \times \Delta_0$

$$= -\frac{96 \times 10^3}{N_0} \text{ J}$$

$$\Delta_0 = \frac{96 \times 10^3}{0.4 \times 6 \times 10^{23}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{hc}{\lambda} = \frac{96 \times 10^3}{0.4 \times 6 \times 10^{23}}$$

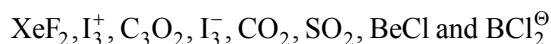
$$\lambda = \frac{0.4 \times 6 \times 10^{23} \times 6.4 \times 10^{-34} \times 3 \times 10^8}{96 \times 10^3}$$

$$= 0.48 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}$$

$$= 480 \times 10^{-9} \text{ m}$$

$$= 480 \text{ nm}$$

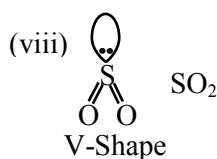
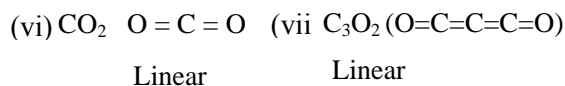
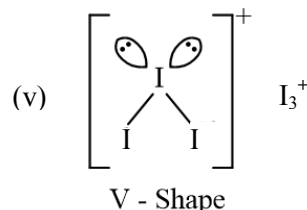
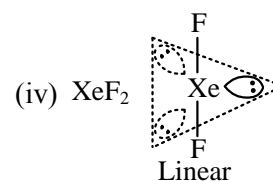
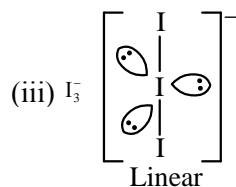
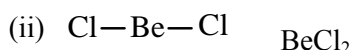
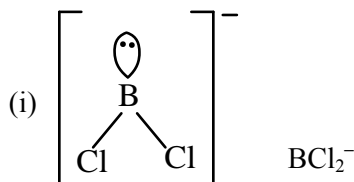
52. Amongst the following, the number of species having the linear shape is \_\_\_\_.



Official Ans. by NTA (5)

Ans. (5)

Sol.



53. The resistivity of a 0.8 M solution of an electrolyte is  $5 \times 10^{-3} \Omega \text{ cm}$ . Its molar conductivity is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^4 \Omega^{-1} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ . (Nearest integer)

Official Ans. by NTA (25)

Ans. (25)

Sol.  $\Lambda_m = \frac{\kappa \times 1000}{M}$

$$\Lambda_m = \frac{1}{\rho} \times \frac{1000}{M}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5 \times 10^{-3}} \times \frac{1000}{0.8}$$

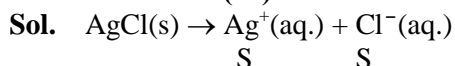
Ans.  $25 \times 10^4 \Omega^{-1} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$

54. At 298 K, the solubility of silver chloride in water is  $1.434 \times 10^{-3} \text{ g L}^{-1}$ . The value of  $-\log K_{sp}$  for silver chloride is \_\_\_\_\_.

(Given mass of Ag is  $107.9 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$  and mass of Cl is  $35.5 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ )

**Official Ans. by NTA (10)**

**Ans. (10)**



$$K_{sp} = S^2 = \left( \frac{1.43}{143.4} \times 10^{-3} \right)^2 = 10^{-10}$$

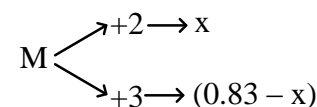
$$-\log K_{sp} = 10$$

55. A sample of a metal oxide has formula  $\text{M}_{0.83}\text{O}_{1.00}$ . The metal M can exist in two oxidation states +2 and +3. In the sample of  $\text{M}_{0.83}\text{O}_{1.00}$ , the percentage of metal ions existing in +2 oxidation state is \_\_\_\_\_ % (nearest integer)

**Official Ans. by NTA (59)**

**Ans. (59)**

**Sol.**



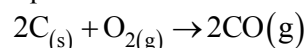
$$2x + 3(0.83 - x) = 2$$

$$x = 0.49$$

$$\% M^{2+} = \frac{0.49}{0.83} \times 100$$

$$= 59\%$$

56. Assume carbon burns according to following equation :

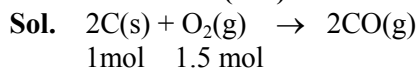


When 12 g carbon is burnt in 48 g of oxygen, the volume of carbon monoxide produced is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-1} \text{ L}$  at STP [nearest integer]

[Given : Assume CO as ideal gas, Mass of C is  $12 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ , Mass of O is  $16 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$  and molar volume of an ideal gas at STP is  $22.7 \text{ L mol}^{-1}$ ]

**Official Ans. by NTA (227)**

**Ans. (227)**



Limiting reagent is carbon. One mole carbon produces one mole CO. Hence, volume at STP is  $22.7 \times 10^{-1} \text{ litre}$

57. The number of alkali metal(s), from Li, K, Cs, Rb having ionization enthalpy greater than  $400 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$  and forming stable super oxide is \_\_\_\_\_.

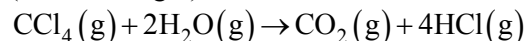
**Official Ans. by NTA (2)**

**Ans. (2)**

**Sol.** K, Rb and Cs form stable super oxides but Cs has ionisation enthalpy less than  $400 \text{ kJ}$ .

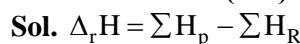
58. Enthalpies of formation of  $\text{CCl}_4(\text{g})$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$ ,  $\text{CO}_2(\text{g})$  and

$\text{HCl}(\text{g})$  are  $-105$ ,  $-242$ ,  $-394$  and  $-92 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$  respectively. The magnitude of enthalpy of the reaction given below is \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$  (nearest integer)



**Official Ans. by NTA (173)**

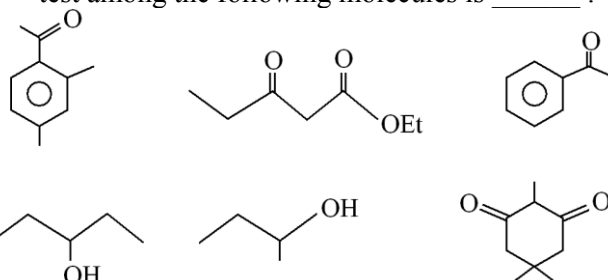
**Ans. (173)**



$$= (-394 + 4 \times -92) - (-105 + (2 \times -242))$$

$$= -173 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

59. The number of molecules which gives haloform test among the following molecules is \_\_\_\_\_.

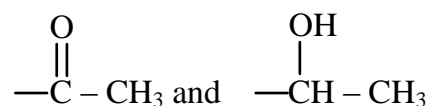


**Official Ans. by NTA (3)**

**Ans. (3)**

**Sol.**

Molecules having



gives positive haloform test.

60. The rate constant for a first order reaction is  $20 \text{ min}^{-1}$ . The time required for the initial concentration of the reactant to reduce to its  $\frac{1}{32}$

level is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-2} \text{ min}$ . (Nearest integer)

(Given :  $\ln 10 = 2.303$

$\log 2 = 0.3010$ )

**Official Ans. by NTA (17)**

**Ans. (17)**

**Sol.**

$$C = \frac{C_0}{2^n} = \frac{C_0}{32}$$

$$n = 5$$

$$t = 5t_{1/2}$$

$$= \frac{5 \times 0.693}{20} = \frac{0.693}{4}$$

$$= 0.17325 \text{ min} = 17.325 \times 10^{-2} \text{ min.}$$