Very Short Answer Type Questions

[1 mark]

Q. 1. Why is combustion of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) a chemical change?

Ans. Combustion of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) is a chemical change because after its combustion, the substance formed changes chemically and cannot be turned back into LPG.

Q 2. What is wrong with the following equation?

Mg + O →MgO

Identify the mistake and balance the equation.

Ans. In this equation, oxygen should be in molecular form (O_2) as oxygen exists as bimolecular gas O_2 .

 $2Mg + O_2 \rightarrow 2MgO$

Q. 3. Potassium chlorate (KCIO₃) on heating forms potassium chloride and oxygen. Write a balanced equation for this reaction.

Ans. $2KCIO_3$ (s) $\rightarrow 2KCI(s) + 3O_2(g)$

Q. 4. On heating blue colored powder of copper(II) nitrate in a boiling tube, copper oxide (black),oxygen gas and a brown gas 'X' is formed. Identify the brown gas 'X'.

Ans. $2Cu(NO_3)_2(s) \xrightarrow{Heat} 2CuO(s) + O_2(g) + 4NO_2(g)$ copper (11) nitrate

X' is nitrogen dioxide gas.

Q.5. Convey the following information in the form of a balanced chemical equation:

"An aqueous solution of ferrous sulphate reacts with an aqueous solution of sodium hydroxide to form a precipitate of ferrous hydroxide and sodium sulphate remains in solution."

Ans. FeSO₄ (aq) + 2NaOH (aq) \rightarrow Fe (OH) ₂(s) + Na₂SO₄ (aq)

Q6. Balance the following chemical equation:

 $Pb(NO_3)_2(s) \xrightarrow{Heat} PbO(s) + NO_2(g) + O_2(g)$ Ans: $2Pb(NO_3)_2(s) \xrightarrow{Heat} 2PbO(s) + 4NO_2(g) + O_2(g)$

Q. 7. Give one example of a combination reaction which is also exothermic.

Ans. When quicklime or calcium oxide (CaO) reacts with water, slaked lime $[Ca(OH)_2]$ is formed. During this reaction, a large amount of heat is released. So, this reaction is an exothermic Reaction.

 $\begin{array}{c} CaO(s) \\ calcicium \ oxide \ (quick \ lime) \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} H_2O(l) \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2(aq) + heat \\ water \end{array} \xrightarrow{(calcium \ hydroxide(slaked \ lime))} \end{array}$

Q.8. Why will the colour of heated copper powder become black when air is passed over it?

Ans. When copper powder is heated in the presence of air, black copper oxide is formed.

 $\begin{array}{ccc} 2Cu(s) &+ & 02(g) & \stackrel{heat}{\rightarrow} & 2CuO(s) \\ copper \ powder & oxygen \ (from \ the \ air) & copper \ oxide(Black) \end{array}$

Q. 9. What is the difference between the following two types of reactions?

$AgNO_3 + HCI \rightarrow AgCI + HNO_3$

$Mg + 2HCI \rightarrow MgCl_2 + H_2$

Ans. The first reaction is a double displacement reaction whereas second reaction is a single displacement reaction.

Q. 10. Why is hydrogen peroxide kept in coloured bottles?

Ans. This is done in order to cut off light because hydrogen peroxide decomposes into water and oxygen in the presence of light.

Q. 11. Consider the following reactions:

(i) Fe + CuSO₄ \rightarrow FeSO₄ + Cu

(ii) Cu + FeSO₄ \rightarrow CuSO₄ + Fe

Which of these two reactions will take place and why?

Ans. Reaction (i) will take place. This is because Fe (iron) is more reactive than Cu (copper) and so it can displace Cu from its compound (CuSO₄). On the other hand, copper (Cu) cannot displace iron (Fe), so reaction (i) will not take place.

Q. 12. Give one example of a reaction which is a double displacement reaction as well as a Precipitation reaction.

Ans. $AgNO_3(aq) + NaCl(aq) \rightarrow AgCl(s) \downarrow + NaNO_3(aq)$ silver nitrate sodium chloride silver chloride (ppt.) sodium nitrate

Q. 13. Why is photosynthesis considered an endothermic reaction?

Ans. Photosynthesis is an endothermic reaction because energy, in the form of sunlight is absorbed during the process of photosynthesis by green plants.

Q. 14. What type of reaction is represented by the digestion of food in our body?

Ans. Decomposition reaction.

Q. 15. How will you test for the gas which is liberated when hydrochloric acid reacts with an active metal?

Ans. When an active metal like Zn reacts with HCI, the gas produced burns with a pop sound which indicates that it is hydrogen gas.

 $Zn(s) + 2HCl(aq) \rightarrow ZnCl_2(s) + H_2(g)$

Q. 16. Can a double displacement reaction take place when the products are highly soluble or highly ionised?

Ans. No, double displacement reaction takes place when there is a formation of a slightly soluble salt.

Q. 17. What changes in the colour of iron nails and copper sulphate solution do you observe after keeping the iron nails dipped in copper sulphate solution for about 30 minutes?

Ans. Iron nails become brownish in colour and the blue colour of copper sulphate solution fades. This is because iron displaces copper from copper sulphate solution and forms ferrous sulphate which is colourless.

Q. 18. Name the oxidising and reducing agent in the following reaction:

 $\textbf{2H}_2\textbf{S} \textbf{+} \textbf{SO}_2 \rightarrow \textbf{2H}_2\textbf{O} \textbf{+} \textbf{3S} \downarrow$

Ans. H₂S is the reducing agent while SO₂ is the oxidising agent.

Q. 19. A dilute ferrous sulphate solution was gradually added to the beaker containing acidified potassium permanganate solution. The light purple colour of the solution fades and finally disappears. Write the correct explanation for this observation.

Ans. Potassium permanganate solution (KMnO₄) is an oxidising agent. It oxidises ferrous sulphate (FeSO₄) to ferric sulphate [Fe₂(SO₄)₃].

Q. 20. Define rancidity.

Ans. The oxidation of oils or fats in food resulting in a bad taste and smell is called rancidity.

Q. 21. Name one synthetic antioxidant.

Ans. Butylated hydroxyanisole (BHA).

Short Answer Type Questions – I

[2 marks]

Q 1. Which among the following are physical or chemical changes?

- (a) Evaporation of petrol
- (6) Burning of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG)
- (c) Heating of an iron rod to red hot
- (d) Curdling of milk
- (e) Sublimation of solid ammonium chloride
- Ans. (a) Physical change
- (b) Chemical change
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Q. 2. How do we come to know that a chemical reaction has taken place?

Ans. The presence of any of the following changes helps us to determine that a chemical reaction has taken place.

- (i) Formation of new substance(s)
- (ii) Change in state
- (iii) Change in colour
- (iv) Change in temperature
- (v) Formation of a precipitate
- (vi) Evolution of a gas

For example, if on mixing two substances a gas is evolved, then we can say that a chemical reaction has taken place.

Q. 3. What is an oxidation reaction? Give an example of oxidation reaction. Is oxidation an exothermic or an endothermic reaction?

Ans. The reaction in which oxygen combines with other elements or compounds is known as an oxidation reaction. For example, burning of hydrogen is an oxidation process in which hydrogen combines with oxygen to form water. $2H_2(g) + O_2(g) \rightarrow 2H_2O(I)$ Oxidation reactions are exothermic.

Q.4. Why do fire flies glow at night?

Ans. Fire flies have a protein which in the presence of an enzyme undergoes aerial. This is a chemical reaction which involves emission of visible light. Therefore, fire files glow at night.

Q.5. Give reasons:

(a) Aluminium is a reactive metal but is still used for packing food articles.
(b) Red litmus paper turns blue when touched with aqueous solution of magnesium oxide.

Ans. (a) On exposure to air, aluminium forms a hard protective layer of aluminium oxide (Al₂O₃) which prevent further oxidation.

(b) Magnesium oxide is an oxide of a metal, so, it is basic in nature. Due to its basic character it turns red litmus paper blue when touched with its aqueous solution.

Q. 6. What happens when silver chloride is exposed to sunlight? Write a chemical equation for this reaction. Also give one use of such a reaction.

Ans. When silver chloride is exposed to light, it decomposes to form silver metal and chlorine gas.

$$2AgCl(s) \xrightarrow{sunlight} 2g(s) + Cl_2(g)$$

This reaction is used in black and white photography.

Q.7. What type of chemical reactions are represented by the following equations?

(i) $A + B \rightarrow C$ (ii) $A + BC \rightarrow AC + B$ (iii) $A \rightarrow B + C$ (iv) $AB + CD \rightarrow AD + BC$

Ans. (i) Combination reaction

(ii) Displacement reaction

(iii) Decomposition reaction

(iv) Double displacement reaction

Q.8 Complete the missing components/variables given as a and y in the following reactions:

(i) $Pb(NO_3)_2(aq) + 2KI(aq) \rightarrow PbI_2(x) + 2KNO_3(y)$

(ii) Cu(s) + 2AgNO₃(aq) \rightarrow Cu(NO₃)₂(aq) + x(s)

(iii) $Zn(s) + H_2SO_4(ag) \rightarrow ZnSO_4(x) + H_2(y)$ (iv) $CaCO_3(s) \xrightarrow{x} CaO(s) + CO_2(g)$ Ans. (i) x - (s); y - (aq)(ii) x - 2 Ag (iii) x - (aq); y - (g)

(iv) x — Heat

Q.9 Zinc liberates hydrogen gas when reacted with dilute hydrochloric acid, whereas copper does not. Explain why?

Ans. Zinc is above hydrogen whereas copper is below hydrogen in the activity series of metals. That is why zinc displaces hydrogen from dilute hydrochloric acid, while copper does not.

 $Zn + HCI \rightarrow ZnCl_2 + H_2$ $Cu + HCI \rightarrow No reaction$

Q. 10. On adding dilute HCI to copper oxide powder, the solution formed is bluegreen. Predict the new compound formed which imparts a blue-green colour to the solution.

Ans. The new compound formed is copper(II) chloride (CuCl₂), which imparts bluegreen colour to the solution.

 $\begin{array}{c} CuO\\ copper \ oxide \end{array} + \ 2HCl \ \rightarrow \ \begin{array}{c} CuCl_2\\ copper \ (II) chloride \ (Blue-green) \end{array} + \ H_2O \end{array}$

Q. 11. Ferrous sulphate decomposes with the evolution of a gas having a characteristic odour of burning sulphur. Write the chemical reaction involved and identify the type of reaction.

Ans. $2FeSO_4(s) \xrightarrow{heat} Fe_2O_3(s) + SO_2(g) + SO_3(g)$

It is a thermal decomposition reaction.

Q. 12. Identify the substance oxidised, substance reduced, oxidising agent and reducing agent:

 $MnO_2 + 4HCI \rightarrow MnCl_2 + 2H_2O + Cl_2$

Ans. Substance oxidized : HCI Substance reduced : MnO₂

Oxidising agent	: MnO2
Reducing agent	: HCI

Q. 13. Grapes hanging on the plant do not ferment but after being plucked from the plant can be fremented. Under what conditions do these grapes ferment? Is it a chemical or a physical change?

Ans. Grapes when attached to the plants are living and therefore, their own immune system prevents fermentation. The microbes can grow in the plucked grapes and under anaerobic conditions these can be fermented. This is a chemical change.

Q. 14. A copper coin was kept dipped in silver nitrate solution for a few hours/days. What will happen to the copper coin? What will happen to the colour of the solution?

Ans. Copper is more reactive than silver. Hence, it displaces silver from the silver nitrate solution according to the given reaction.

 $\begin{array}{l} Cu(s) \ + \ 2AgNO_{3}(aq) \ \rightarrow \ Cu(NO_{3})_{2}(aq) \ + \ 2Ag(s) \\ copper \ silver \ nitrate \ \rightarrow \ copper(II) \ nitrate \ silver \end{array}$

The silver thus formed is deposited on the surface of copper, thereby giving it a white shining appearance.

The solution becomes blue due to the formation of copper nitrate.

Q. 15. Identify the reducing agent in the following reactions.

(a) $4NH_3 + 50_2 \rightarrow 4NO + 6H_2O$ (b) $H_2O + F_2 \rightarrow HF + HOF$ (c) $Fe_2O_3 + 3CO \rightarrow 2Fe + 3CO_2$ (d) $2H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O$

Ans. (a) Ammonia (NH₃)
(b) Water (H₂O) as F₂ is getting reduced to HF
(c) Carbon monoxide (CO)
(d) Hydrogen (H₂)

Q 16. What is the role of a catalyst in a chemical reaction?

Ans. Catalyst changes (usually increases but sometimes decreases) the rate of a chemical reaction without itself being consumed in the reaction.

Short Answer Type Questions – II

[3 Marks]

Q. 1. Translate the following statements into chemical equations and balance them:

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(ii) Magnesium burns in the presence of nitrogen to form magnesium nitride.

(iii) Aluminium metal strip is added in hydrochloric acid to produce aluminium chloride and hydrogen gas.

Ans. (i) $Pb(NO_3)_2(aq) + H_2SO_4(aq) \rightarrow PbSO_4(s) + 2HNO_3(aq)$

(ii) 3 Mg(s) + N2g $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$ MgN2(s)

(iii) $2AI(s) + 6HCI(aq) \rightarrow 2AICI_3(aq) + 3H_2(g)$

Q. 2. Write the balanced chemical equations for the following reactions and identify the type of reaction in each case.

(i) nitrogen gas is treated with hydrogen gas in the presence of a catalyst at 773 K to form ammonia gas.

(ii) Sodium hydroxide solution is treated with acetic acid to form sodium acetate and water.

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Ans. (i) $N_2(g) + 3H_2(g) \xrightarrow[773 k]{catalyst} 2NH_3(g)$

(ii) NaOH(aq) + CH₃COOH(aq) \rightarrow CH₃COONa(aq) + H₂O(I) Double displaced reaction/Neutralisation reaction

(iii) $C_2H_5OH(l) + CH_3COOH(l) \xrightarrow{h^+} CH_3COOC_2H_5(l) + H_2O(l)$ Double displaced reaction/Esterification reaction

(iv) $C_2H_4(g) + 3O_2(g) \rightarrow 2CO_2(g) + 2H_2O(g) + Heat + light$

Redox reaction /Combustion reaction

Q.3. Name the type of chemical reaction represented by the following equation:

(i) CaO + H₂O \rightarrow Ca(OH)₂ (ii) 3BaCl₂ + Al₂(SO₄)₃ \rightarrow 2AlCl₃ + 3BaSO₄ (iii) 2FeSO₄ $\stackrel{Heat}{\rightarrow}$ Fe₂O₃ + SO₂ + SO₃

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- Ans. (i) Pb3O4
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- X is MgO; Y is Mg₃N₂
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 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Ans.(i)} \quad KCl(aq) \quad + \quad AgNO3(aq) \rightarrow \quad AgCl(s) \quad + \\ Silver nitrate \quad & Silver chloride (White precipitate) \\ KNO3(aq) \\ Potassium nitrate \end{array}$

This reaction is an example of double displacement and precipitation reaction in which a precipitate of silver chloride is obtained.

1. FeSO₄(s) \rightarrow Fe₂O₃(s) + SO₂(g) + So₃(g) ---- Incomplet

This reaction is an example of decomposition (thermal decomposition) reaction because a single substance (FeSO4) breaks down into three substances (Fe2O3, SO2 and SO3). Here, SO2 gives the smell of burning sulphur.

Q. 12. Identify the type of reaction in the following examples: (i) Na₂SO₄(ag) + BaCl₂(aq) \rightarrow BaSO₄(s) + NaCl(ag) (ii) Fe(s) + CuSO₄(aq) \rightarrow FeSO₄(aq) + Cu(s) (ii) 2H₂(g) + O₂(g) \rightarrow 2H₂O(I)

Ans. (i) Double displacement reaction(ii) Displacement reaction(iii) Combination reaction

Q. 13. During the reaction of some metals with dilute hydrochloric acid, following observations were made.

(i) The temperature of the reaction mixture rises when aluminium (AI) is added.

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Explain these observations giving suitable reasons.

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(i) on mixing a solution of potassium chloride with silver nitrate, and insoluble white substance is formed.

(ii) on heating green coloured ferrous sulphate crystals, reddish-brown solid is left and smell of a gas having odour of burning sulphur is observed.

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Ans.(i)} \quad KCl(aq) \quad + \quad AgNO3(aq) \rightarrow \quad AgCl(s) \quad + \\ Silver nitrate \quad & Silver chloride (White precipitate) \\ KNO3(aq) \\ Potassium nitrate \end{array}$

This reaction is an example of double displacement and precipitation reaction in which a precipitate of silver chloride is obtained.

1. FeSO₄(s) \rightarrow Fe₂O₃(s) + SO₂(g) + So₃(g) ---- Incomplet

This reaction is an example of decomposition (thermal decomposition) reaction because a single substance (FeSO4) breaks down into three substances (Fe2O3, SO2 and SO3). Here, SO2 gives the smell of burning sulphur.

Q. 12. Identify the type of reaction in the following examples: (i) Na₂SO₄(ag) + BaCl₂(aq) \rightarrow BaSO₄(s) + NaCl(ag) (ii) Fe(s) + CuSO₄(aq) \rightarrow FeSO₄(aq) + Cu(s) (ii) 2H₂(g) + O₂(g) \rightarrow 2H₂O(I)

Ans. (i) Double displacement reaction(ii) Displacement reaction(iii) Combination reaction

Q. 13. During the reaction of some metals with dilute hydrochloric acid, following observations were made.

(i) The temperature of the reaction mixture rises when aluminium (AI) is added.

(ii) The reaction of sodium metal is found to be highly explosive.

(iii) Some bubbles of a gas are seen when lead (Pb) is reacted with the acid.

Explain these observations giving suitable reasons.

Ans. (i) The temperature of the reaction mixture rises when aluminium is added because it is an exothermic reaction.

(ii) Reaction of sodium metal is found to be highly explosive because it is an exothermic reaction.

(iii) When lead is treated with hydrochloric acid, bubbles of hydrogen gas are evolved. $Pb(s) + 2HCl(aq) \rightarrow PbCl_2(aq) + H_2(g)$

HOTS (Higher Order Thinking Skills)

Q.1. Samuel had a Silver coin which turned black. He kept coin in a bowl lined with aluminium foil. Then he filled the bowl with water and boiled it. After sometime, he found that the coin has become new. Its blackness disappeared. How did it happen?

Ans. The blackness of silver coin is due to the formation of silver sulphide in its surface due to its exposure to air. On boiling, the aluminium foil reacts with the layer of silver sulphide and displaces silver from silver sulphide to from aluminium sulphide and silver. This makes the coin shiny.

 $3Ag^2S + 2Al \rightarrow 6Ag + Al_2S_3$

Q.2. During electrolysis of water a few drops of sulphuric acid is added into water. Why?

Ans. Pure water is bad conductor of electricity. By adding a few drops of sulphuric acid, it becomes a good conductor of electricity.

Q.3. Justify with the help of an example that displacement reaction is also a redox reaction.

Ans. Consider the following displacement reaction in which Fe displaces Cu from CuSO₄ to form FeSO₄:

 $\frac{Fe(s)}{Iron} + \frac{CuSO_4(aq)}{Copper \ sulphate} \rightarrow \frac{FeSO_4(aq)}{Iron \ (II) \ sulphate} + \frac{Cu(s)}{Copper} \\ (Blue) \ (Green) \ (Reddish-brown)$

In the above reaction, Fe is gaining oxygen. Hence, Fe is oxidised. CuSO₄ is loosing oxygen. Hence, it is reduced. So, it is a redox reaction.

Q.4. Compound 'A' when dissolved in water gives compound 'B' which used in whitewashing. Compound 'B' reacts with CO₂ to form a white precipitate of compound 'C'. Identify compounds 'A' 'B' and 'C'. Also write the equations involved.

Ans. $A' \xrightarrow[reaction]{H_2O} B' + CO_2 \rightarrow C'_{White ppt}$ *Exothermic Used for reaction Whitewashing*

Slaked lime [(Ca (OH) $_2$] is used for whitewashing. It is obtained when quicklime. CaO reacts with water.

 $CaO_{Quicklime} + H_2O \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2 + Heat$ Calcium hydroxide(Slaked lime)

So 'A' is CaO and 'B' is Ca $(OH)_2$.

$$Ca(OH)_{2}(aq) + CO_{2}(g) \rightarrow CaCO_{3}(s) + H_{2}O(l)$$

$$Calcium carbonate (White PPt.)$$

'C' is CaCO₃.

Q.5. When CaO is added to water taken in a beaker, rise in temperature is observed. However, when Ba (OH) ² is mixed NH₄ CI, a fall in temperature is observed. Why?

Ans. Reaction of CaO and water is an exothermic reaction. So, rise in temperature is observed.

 $\begin{array}{c} CaO(s) \\ Calcium \ oxide \end{array} + \ H_2O(l) \ \rightarrow \ \begin{array}{c} Ca(OH)_2(aq) \\ Calcium \ hydroxide \end{array} + \ Heat \\ \end{array}$

Reaction of Ba (OH) ² and NH₂Cl is an endothermic reaction and hence fall in temperature is observed.

 $\begin{array}{c} Ba(OH)_{2} \\ Barium \\ hydroxide \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} 2NH_{4}Cl \\ Ammonium \\ Chloride \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} Heat \\ Heat \\ Heat \\ Barium \\ Chloride \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} BaCl_{2} \\ Barium \\ Chloride \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} 2NH_{4}OH \\ Ammoonium \\ hydroxide \end{array}$

Q.6. A brown substance 'X' on heating in air forms a substance 'Y'. When hydrogen gas is passed over heated 'Y', it again changes back into 'X'.

(i) Name the substance 'X' and 'Y'.

(ii) Name the type of chemical reaction occurring during both the changes. (iii) Write the chemical equations of the reactions.

Ans. (i) X-Cu; Y-CuO.

(ii) When copper is heated in air, oxidation takes place. When hydrogen gas is passed over heated copper oxide, reduction takes place.

(iii) $2Cu + O_2 \xrightarrow{\Delta} 2CuO$ (Oxidation)

 $CuO + H_2 \xrightarrow{\Delta} Cu + H_2O$ (Reduction)

Value Based Questions

Q. 1. Sheena was very excited to see her Aunt after a long time. Her mother fried a lot of snacks for her Aunt. Suddenly Sheena came to know that her aunt has postponed her plan for tomorrow. Sheena's mother got worried to know this. She thought the food will get spoiled. Sheena helped her mother to preserve the food.

Answer the following questions based on above passage.

- (i) Why does food spoil when kept for a very long time?
- (ii) What method did Sheena suggest her mother to preserve the food?
- (iii) What values are shown by Sheena?

Ans. (i) When food is kept for a very long time, it gets oxidised and becomes rancid.

- (ii) Sheena suggested her mother to keep the snacks in an air tight container.
- (iii) Intelligency, applying knowledge, helpful.