

## REDOX REACTIONS

### ONE MARK QUESTIONS

- 1 What do you mean by oxidation number ?
- 2 Name a compound each in which hydrogen exists in i) +1 ii) -1 oxidation states
- 3 Define Redox couple.
- 4 Find the oxidation number of the element underlined (each carries 1 mark)
  - a)  $\text{Na}_3\underline{\text{V}}\text{O}_4$     b)  $\text{K}_2\underline{\text{Cr}}\text{O}_4$     c)  $\underline{\text{C}}\text{H}_4$     d)  $\underline{\text{S}}\text{O}_2\text{Cl}_2$     f)  $\underline{\text{N}}\text{O}_2$     g)  $\underline{\text{Br}}\text{F}_3$     h)  $\text{Na}_2\underline{\text{S}}_4\text{O}_6$
  - i)  $\underline{\text{C}}\text{H}_2\text{Cl}_2$     j)  $\underline{\text{Cl}}\text{O}_4^-$

### TWO MARKS QUESTIONS

- 1 Name a compound each in which oxygen exists in
  - i) +1    ii) -1    iii) +2    iv) -2 oxidation states
- 2 Define
  - i) stock notation
  - i) Standard electrode potential
- 3 Explain the following by giving example
  - i) Displacement redox reaction.
  - ii) Disproportionation reactions
- 4 Calculate the standard emf of the following cell at 298K using the standard electrode potential.
 
$$\text{Al(s)} \mid \text{Al}^{3+}(\text{aq}) \parallel \text{Fe}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \mid \text{Fe(s)}$$

Given  $E^\circ_{\text{Al}^{3+}/\text{Al}} = -1.66 \text{ V}$  and  $E^\circ_{\text{Fe}^{2+}/\text{Fe}} = -0.44 \text{ V}$ .

And what will be the cell reaction?
- 5 What is salt bridge? What are its functions.
- 6 Write the cell reaction for the following Galvanic cells:
  - i)  $\text{Mg(s)} \mid \text{Mg}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \parallel \text{Al}^{3+}(\text{aq}) \mid \text{Al(s)}$
  - ii)  $\text{Zn(s)} \mid \text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \parallel \text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) \mid \text{Ag(s)}$
- 7 Balance the following equations: (each carries 2 marks)
  - i)  $\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{C}_2\text{H}_2\text{O}_4 \rightarrow \text{Mn}^{2+} + \text{CO}_2$  [acid]
  - ii)  $\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{Br}^- \rightarrow \text{Mn}^{2+} + \text{Br}_2$  [acid]
  - iii)  $\text{HNO}_2 + \text{I}^- \rightarrow \text{NO} + \text{I}_2$  [acid]

**THREE MARKS QUESTIONS**

- 1 Identify the redox reactions and classify them.
  - a.  $2\text{Na} + \text{H}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NaH}$
  - b.  $\text{AgNO}_3 + \text{NaCl} \rightarrow \text{AgCl} + \text{NaNO}_3$
  - c.  $\text{CaCO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CaO} + \text{CO}_2$
  - d.  $2\text{HCHO} + \text{NaOH} \rightarrow \text{HCOONa} + \text{CH}_3\text{OH}$
- 2 i) Predict whether the following redox reaction is feasible or not under standard conditions  
 $\text{Sn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{Cu}(\text{s}) \rightarrow \text{Sn}(\text{s}) + \text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq})$   
 Given that  $E^\circ_{\text{Sn}^{2+}/\text{Sn}} = -0.136 \text{ V}$  and  $E^\circ_{\text{Cu}^{2+}/\text{Cu}} = 0.34 \text{ V}$   
 ii) Differentiate between Activity series and Electrochemical series
- 3 Balance the following equations: (each carries 3 marks)
  - a.  $\text{HNO}_2 + \text{I}^- \rightarrow \text{NO} + \text{I}_2$  [acid]
  - b.  $\text{I}_2 + \text{NO}_3^- + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{NO}_2 + \text{IO}_3^-$  [acid]
  - c.  $\text{Al} + \text{NO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{Al}(\text{OH})_4^- + \text{NH}_3$  [basic]
  - d.  $\text{CrO}_3^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CrO}_4^{2-} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$  [basic]
  - e.  $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$  [basic]
  - f.  $\text{I}^- + \text{IO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{I}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$  [acid]

**VALUE BASED QUESTION (FOUR MARKS)**

- 1 A solution of an electrolyte can be stored in a particular vessel only in case there is no chemical reaction taking place with the material of the vessel. The teacher asked a student Sachin, is it possible to store silver nitrate in copper vessel. Sachin answered ; it is not possible to store silver nitrate in copper vessel & gave his explanation.
  - i) What explanation did Sachin gave to his teacher.
  - ii) What is oxidation & reduction according to electronic concept?
  - iii) What are the values displayed by Sachin?

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