Which of the following has  $sp^2$  hybridisation?

Which of the following orbitals has the highest

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(1) BF<sub>3</sub>

(3) NH<sup>+</sup><sub>4</sub>

(4) NH<sub>3</sub>

energy?

Steric number = 3

Hybridisation =  $sp^2$ 

(1) n = 6 l = 0

(2) n = 5 l = 2

(3) n = 4 l = 2

(4) n = 3 | l = 1

(ii) n = 5

 $|=0 \Rightarrow 6s$ 

 $|=2 \Rightarrow 5d$ 

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(2)  $H_2SO_4$ 



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(iii) n = 4 $|=2 \Rightarrow 4d$ (iv) n = 3  $l = 1 \Rightarrow 3p$ Energy of 3p < 4d < 6s < 5d**1**s 6 **Our Stars** 99+ PERCENTILERS Chirag Falor Tanishka Kabro 95+ PERCENTILERS AIR JEE (Adv.) 2020 AIR-16 c

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- 5. Equal volume of 1 M HCl and 1 M  $H_2SO_4$ neutralised by dil. NaOH and heat released is x and y KCal mol<sup>-1</sup> respectively which is correct.
  - (1) x = y
  - (2) x = 0.5y
  - (3) x = 0.4y
  - (4) x = 2y

# Answer (2)

- **Sol.** When 1 mol of H<sup>+</sup> is neutralised by 1 mol of OH<sup>-</sup> then 13.7 KCal mol<sup>-1</sup> energy is released energy during neutralisation of 1M HCl is equal to x, then energy released during complete neutralisation of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> by dil. NaOH = 2x
  - y = 2x
  - x = 0.5y
- 6. Consider the following electronic configuration :

 $Cu^{2+} = [Ar] 3d^94s^0$ 

 $Cu^+ = [Ar] 3d^{10}4s^0$ 

Which option is correct?

- (1) Cu<sup>2+</sup> is more stable in aqueous solution
- (2) Cu<sup>+</sup> is more stable in aqueous solution
- (3) Cu<sup>+</sup> and Cu<sup>2+</sup> are equally stable in aqueous solution
- (4) Depends upon copper salt

# Answer (1)

(I)

**Sol.**  $Cu^+ \longrightarrow Cu^{2+} + Cu$ 

 $Cu^{+}$  undergoes disproportionation due to high hydration energy of  $Cu^{2+}$ .

7. Arrange the following in increasing order of acidity:







# Answer (2)

Sol. The acidic strength of:



 Molar conductance vs √concentration curve for two electrolytes 'A' and 'B' are shown. Identify the nature of both electrolytes-



- (1)  $A \rightarrow$  Strong Electrolyte
  - $B \rightarrow Strong Electrolyte$
- (2)  $A \rightarrow Weak Electrolyte$ 
  - $B \rightarrow Strong Electrolyte$
- (3)  $A \rightarrow$  Strong Electrolyte
  - $B \rightarrow Weak Electrolyte$
- (4)  $A \rightarrow Weak$  electrolyte
  - $B \rightarrow Weak Electrolyte$

Answer (3)





**Sol.**  $\Lambda_m$  of strong electrolyte varies linearly with  $\sqrt{C}$  according to Debye-Huckel – Onsager equation

$$\Lambda_{\rm m} = \Lambda_{\rm m}^0 - A\sqrt{C}$$

While  $\Lambda_m$  of weak electrolyte varies non-linearly with  $\sqrt{C}$  due to change in percentage ionization with concentration.

9. Consider the following reactions:

(I) 
$$CH_3 - CH = CH_2 \xrightarrow{(i)B_2H_6/THF} (A)$$

(II) 
$$CH_3 - CH = CH_2 \xrightarrow{H^+/H_2O} (B)$$

Identify the major product(s) (A) and (B) formed in the above reactions.

(1) (A): 
$$CH_3 - CH - CH_3$$
  
(B):  $CH_3 - CH - CH_3$   
(B):  $CH_3 - CH - CH_3$   
(2) (A):  $CH_3 - CH_2 - CH_2 - OH$   
(B):  $CH_3 - CH - CH_3$   
OH  
OH

# Answer (2)

**Sol.** Hydroboration of unsymmetrical alkene followed by hydrolysis by alkaline H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> results in the formation of a product as if H<sub>2</sub>O has been added to alkene according to anti-Markovnikov rule.

$$3CH_{3} - CH = CH_{2} + B_{2}H_{6} \xrightarrow{\text{THF}} 2(CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2})_{3}B$$
$$(CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2})_{3}B + 3H_{2}O_{2} \xrightarrow{\text{OH}^{-}} 3CH_{3}CH_{2}CH_{2}OH + H_{3}BO_{3}$$

Acid catalysed addition of water to unsymmetrical alkene follows Markovnikov rule with the possibility of rearrangement.

$$CH_{3} - CH = CH_{2} + H^{+} \longrightarrow CH_{3} - \overset{+}{CH} - CH_{3}$$
(More stable)

$$CH_3 - CH - CH_3 + H_2O \longrightarrow (CH_3 - CH - CH_3) + H^+$$
  
 $I$   
OH

10. Consider the following compounds

Correct order of their basicity is

- (1) ||| > || > |
- (2) | > || > |||
- (3) || > | > |||
- (4) || > ||| > |

# Answer (2)

- Sol. In case of III the lone pair of N is delocalised by resonance hence III is weakest. In case of I and II the substituents of I are electron loosing due to their +I effect hence I is strongest nitrogenous base/Lewis base/base.
- 11. Which of the following is colourless?
  - (1) Eu<sup>3+</sup>
  - (2) Lu<sup>3+</sup>
  - (3) Nd<sup>3+</sup>
  - (4) Sm<sup>3+</sup>

# Answer (2)

**Sol.**  $Lu^{3+} = [Xe] 4f^{14} 5d^0 6s^0$ 

Due to completely filled 4f subshell or absence, of unpaired electron Lu<sup>3+</sup> is colourless.



12. Which among the following have single unpaired electron?

$$N_2, O_2, CN^-, O_2^-, C_2^{2-}, N_2^-$$

- (1) O<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>
- (2)  $CN^{-}$ ,  $C_{2}^{2-}$
- (3)  $CN^{-}$ ,  $O_{2}^{-}$
- (4)  $N_2^-, O_2^-$

# Answer (4)

**Sol.** N<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>  $\sigma_{1s}^2 \sigma_{1s}^{*2} \sigma_{2s}^{*2} \sigma_{2s}^{*2} \sigma_{2p_x}^2 = \pi_{2p_y}^2 \sigma_{2p_z}^2 \pi_{2p_x}^{*1}$ O<sub>2</sub><sup>-</sup>  $\sigma_{1s}^2 \sigma_{1s}^{*2} \sigma_{2s}^2 \sigma_{2s}^{*2} \sigma_{2p_z}^2 \pi_{2p_x}^2 = \pi_{2p_y}^2 \pi_{2p_x}^{*2} = \pi_{2p_y}^{*1}$ 

 $N_2^-$  and  $O_2^-$  have 1 unpaired electron.

13. **Statement-I:** Sulphur exist as S<sub>8</sub> while oxygen exist as O<sub>2</sub>.

**Statement-II:** In oxygen  $p\pi - p\pi$  bonding occurs while it is not effective in sulphur.

- (1) Statement-I and Statement-II are true
- (2) Statement-I is true and Statement-II is false
- (3) Statement-I is false and Statement-II is true
- (4) Both Statement-I and Statement-II are false

# Answer (1)

**Sol.** Due to bigger size of sulphur atom, it doesn't have effective  $p\pi - p\pi$  bonding.

Therefore, in molecular form, oxygen exist as  $O_2$  while sulphur exist as  $S_8$ .

- 14. Identify the correct order of de-Broglie wavelength of proton  $(\lambda_p)$ , electron  $(\lambda_e)$  and alpha $(\lambda_a)$  particles, moving with same kinetic energy.
  - (1)  $\lambda_p < \lambda_a < \lambda_e$
  - (2)  $\lambda_p < \lambda_e < \lambda_a$
  - (3)  $\lambda_a < \lambda_p < \lambda_e$
  - (4)  $\lambda_a < \lambda_e < \lambda_p$

# Answer (3)

**Sol.** For moving particles,  $\lambda = \frac{h}{\sqrt{2m(KE)}}$ 

As, KE  $\rightarrow$  same and  $m_{e}$  <  $m_{p}$  <  $m_{a}$ 

Therefore,  $\lambda_a < \lambda_p < \lambda_e$ 

15. Consider the reaction between PbS and  $HNO_3$ :

Which of the following is not formed?

(1) NO	(2) NO <sub>2</sub>
(3) S	(4) Pb(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>

# Answer (2)

**Sol.** 3PbS + 8HNO<sub>3</sub>  $\longrightarrow$  3Pb<sup>2+</sup> + 6NO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup> + 3S $\downarrow$ 

+ 2NO + 4H<sub>2</sub>O

Hence, NO<sub>2</sub> is not formed.

- 16. Which of the following statement is incorrect?
  - (1) KMnO<sub>4</sub> and NaOH can be used as secondary standard
  - (2) Primary standard should not undergo change in air
  - (3) Reaction of primary standard with another substance should not be instantaneous
  - (4) Primary standard should be soluble in H<sub>2</sub>O

# Answer (3)

- **Sol.** Reaction of primary standard with another substance should be instantaneous and stoichiometric.
- 17. Purification method of organic compound does not depends on
  - (1) Name of compound
  - (2) Shape of compound
  - (3) Density of compound
  - (4) Solubility of compound

# Answer (2)



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**Sol.** Organic compounds are purified based on their nature and impurity present in it, the solubility and density of impurity are different from organic compound and on the basis of these difference compounds are purified.

Shape of compound does not play role in purification.

Arrange the following in increasing order of their stability



### Answer (4)

**Sol.** Stability of the given ionic species will be decided by the fact that +ve charge on more electronegative element will be less stable and as the distance between opposite charges increases, stability decreases.

Therefore, the correct stability order is

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- 19. Consider the given complex: [Co(en)<sub>2</sub>)Cl<sub>2</sub>]<sup>+</sup>
  Statement-I: The number of stereoisomers for the above compound is 3.
  Statement-II: Geometry of the above complex is
  - octahedral. (1) Statement-I is correct but statement-II is incorrect
  - (2) Both statements-I and II are correct
  - (3) Statements-I is incorrect but statement-II is correct
  - (4) Both statements-I and II are incorrect

# Answer (2)

Sol. cis-2

trans-1

Hybridisation is  $sp^3 d^2 \Rightarrow$  Geometry = octahedral

20. Identify the final product (B) obtained in the given reaction sequence:





#### Sol.



#### **SECTION - B**

Numerical Value Type Questions: This section contains 10 Numerical based questions. The answer to each question should be rounded-off to the nearest integer.

21. Number of ambident nucleophile among following is

$$CN^{\ominus}$$
;  $SCN^{\ominus}$ ;  $NO_2^{\ominus}$ ;  $CH_3 - COO^{\ominus}$ ;  $C_2O_4^{2\ominus}$   
 $NH_2^{\ominus}$ ;  $SO_4^{2-}$ 

#### Answer (3)

Sol. Nucleophiles which have more than one different points of linkage (i.e. electron rich centres) are called as ambident nucleophiles.

Examples are  $CN^{\ominus}$ ;  $SCN^{\ominus}$ ;  $NO_2^{\ominus}$ 

- (1)  $CN^{\ominus} \rightarrow C \text{ or } N \text{ atom can donate } e^{\ominus}$  pair
- (2)  $SCN^{\ominus} \rightarrow S \text{ or } N \text{ atom can donate } e^{\ominus} \text{ pair}$
- (3)  $NO_2^{\ominus} \rightarrow N \text{ or } O \text{ atom can donate } e^{\ominus}$  pair
- Total number of essential amino acids are \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Answer (10)

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23. Heat of solution of CuSO<sub>4</sub> and CuSO<sub>4</sub>·5H<sub>2</sub>O is given as (-70 kJ/mole) and (+12 kJ/mole) respectively. Then  $\Delta H_{hydration}$  for converting CuSO4 to CuSO<sub>4</sub>·5H<sub>2</sub>O is (-x kJ/mole). Find out x (Nearest integer)

#### Answer (82)

Sol. 
$$CuSO_4 \xrightarrow{-x} CuSO_4 \cdot 5H_2O \xrightarrow{+12} CuSO_4 \cdot tH_2O$$
  
 $-70$   
 $-x + 12 = -70$   
 $x = 82 \text{ kJ/mole}$ 

24. Calculate the molality of 500 mL solution of CuSO<sub>4</sub> having density of 1.25 g mL<sup>-1</sup> and having molarity  $2 \times 10^{-1}$  M at 32°C. What is the value of x if the molality calculated is  $x \times 10^{-2}$  molal?

#### Answer (16)

**Sol.** Molarity = 
$$0.2 = \frac{\Pi_{CuSO_4}}{V_{sol^n}}$$

$$\Rightarrow n_{CuSO_4} = 0.2 \times \frac{500}{1000} = 0.1$$

mass of solution = 1.25 × 500 = 625 g

mass of solvent =  $625 - 0.1 \times (159.5)$ 

= 609.05 g





Molality = 
$$\frac{n_{CuSO_4}}{m_{solvent} (ln kg)}$$
$$= \frac{0.1 \times 1000}{609.05}$$
$$= 0.164$$
$$= 16.4 \times 10^{-2}$$
So, x \approx 16

25. Given 
$$E_{MnO_4^-/Mn^{2+}}^{\circ} = 1.33 V$$

How many of the given species can be oxidised by  $MnO_4^-$  in aqueous solution among the following?

- (a) Cu [Given  $E^{\circ}_{Cu^{2+}/Cu} = 0.34 \text{ V}$ ]
- (b) Cr [Given  $E_{Cr^{3+}/Cr}^{\circ} = -0.74 \text{ V}$ ]
- (c) Ag [Given  $E^{\circ}_{Ag^+/Ag} = 0.80 \text{ V}$ ]
- (d) Au [Given  $E^{\circ}_{Au^+/Au} = 1.68 \text{ V}$ ]

### Answer (3)

- **Sol.** If the standard cell potential is positive, then the reaction is feasible.
  - (a)  $E_{cell}^{\circ} = (-0.34 + 1.33) V = 0.99 V$
  - (b)  $E_{cell}^{\circ} = (0.74 + 1.33) V = 2.07 V$
  - (c)  $E_{cell}^{\circ} = (-0.80 + 1.33) V = 0.53 V$
  - (d)  $E_{cell}^{\circ} = (-1.68 + 1.33) V = -0.35 V$
- 26. Rate of a reaction is given as : rate = k[A]<sup>2</sup> [B]. If concentration of both reactants is doubled then rate becomes x times the previous and the overall order of reaction is y, then what is the value of (x + y)?

### Answer (11)

**Sol.** rate = k[A]<sup>2</sup> [B]

order of reaction = 2 + 1 = 3So, y = 3

on doubling the concentration

rate becomes  $2^2 \cdot 2 = 8$  times

x + y = 8 + 3 = 11

27. Equimolar solution of K<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> and CuSO<sub>4</sub> are separated by a semi-permeable membrane. How many of the following statements are incorrect?



- (i) Green colour of  $CuCr_2O_7$  is observed as side (Y)
- (ii) Green colour of CuCr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> is observed as side(X)
- (iii) Molarity of K<sub>2</sub>Cr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>7</sub> will decrease
- (iv) Molarity of CuSO<sub>4</sub> will decrease

### Answer (3)

Sol. 
$$K_2Cr_2O_7 \rightarrow 2K^+ + Cr_2O_7^{2-}$$

$$CuSO_4 \rightarrow Cu^{2+} + SO_4^{2-}$$

van't Hoff factor for  $K_2Cr_2O_7 = 3$ 

van't Hoff factor for CuSO<sub>4</sub> = 2

Therefore, solvent molecules will migrate from (Y) to (X) resulting in decrease of molarity of  $K_2Cr_2O_7$ .

∴ (i), (ii) and (iv) are incorrect.

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