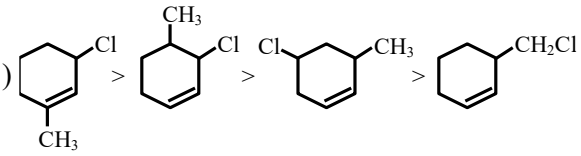
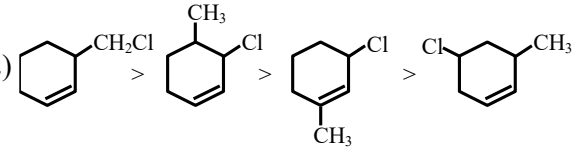
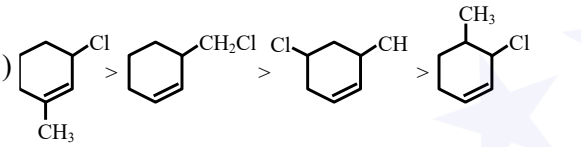
CHEMISTRY

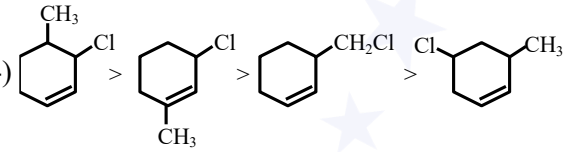
SECTION-A

1. The **correct** order of reactivity of the given chlorides with acetate in acetic acid is :

(1) 

(2) 

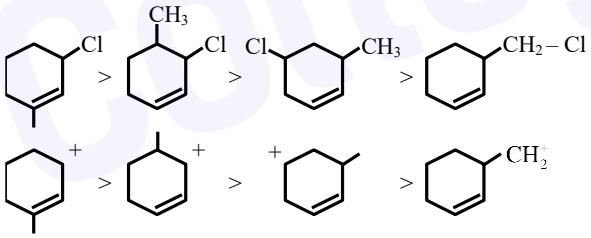
(3) 

(4) 

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

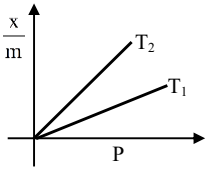
Sol. As it is example of SN^1.

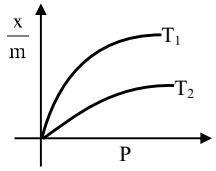
so carbocation stability ↑, reaction rate ↑

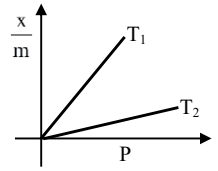


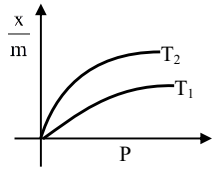
2. Select the graph that correctly describes the adsorption isotherms at two temperatures T_1 and T_2 ($T_1 > T_2$) for a gas :

(x – mass of the gas adsorbed ; m – mass of adsorbent ; P – pressure)

(1) 

(2) 

(3) 

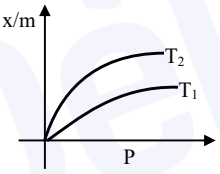
(4) 

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol. $\frac{x}{m} \alpha P^{1/n} \left(0 < \frac{1}{n} < 1\right)$

On Increasing temperature $\frac{x}{m}$ decreases.

∵ adsorption is generally exothermic



($T_1 > T_2$)

3. The major component/ingredient of Portland Cement is :

(1) tricalcium aluminate

(2) tricalcium silicate

(3) dicalcium aluminate

(4) dicalcium silicate

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Sol. Major component of portland cement is "Tricalcium silicate (51% , $3CaO.SiO_2$)

4. In the structure of the dichromate ion, there is a :

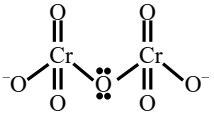
(1) linear symmetrical Cr–O–Cr bond.

(2) non-linear symmetrical Cr–O–Cr bond.

(3) linear unsymmetrical Cr–O–Cr bond.

(4) non-linear unsymmetrical Cr–O–Cr bond.

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Sol. 

dichromate ion contain non-linear symmetrical Cr–O–Cr Bond

5. Which one of the following compounds contains β-C_1-C_4 glycosidic linkage ?

(1) Lactose (2) Sucrose

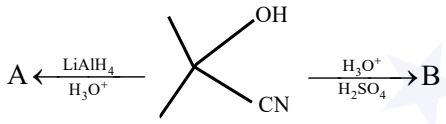
(3) Maltose (4) Amylose

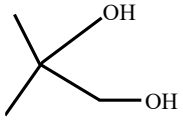
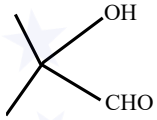
Official Ans. by NTA (1)

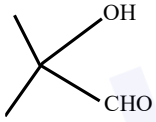
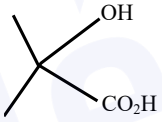
Sol. In Lactose it is β $C_1 - C_4$ glycosidic linkage.

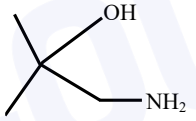
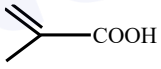
In Maltose, Amylose α $C_1 - C_4$ glycosidic linkage is present

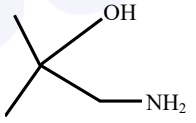
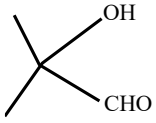
6. The major products A and B in the following set of reactions are :



(1) A =  , B = 

(2) A =  , B = 

(3) A =  , B = 

(4) A =  , B = 

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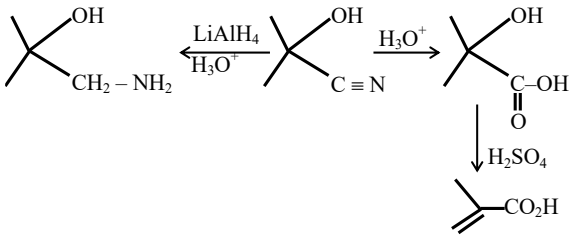
Sol. 

7. Which one of the following lanthanides exhibits +2 oxidation state with diamagnetic nature ? (Given Z for Nd = 60, Yb = 70, La = 57, Ce =58)

(1) Nd (2) Yb (3) La (4) Ce

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Sol. Ytterbium shows +2 oxidation state with diamagnetic nature

So ans is 2

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

Assertion (A) : Aluminium is extracted from bauxite by the electrolysis of molten mixture of Al_2O_3 with cryolite.

Reason (R) : The oxidation state of Al in cryolite is +3.

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

(1) **(A)** is true but **(R)** is false

(2) **(A)** is false but **(R)** is true.

(3) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**

(4) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is not the correct explanation of **(A)**

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

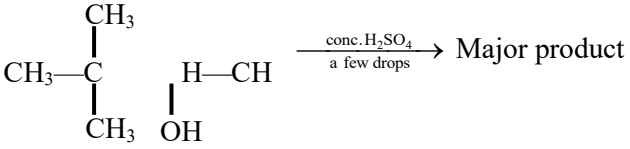
Sol. (A) Aluminium is reactive metal so Aluminium is extracted by electrolysis of Alumina with molten mixture of Cryolite

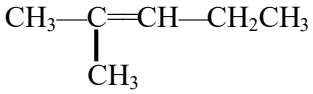
(B) Cryolite, Na_3AlF_6

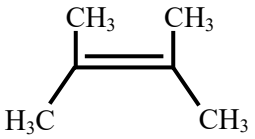
Here Al is in +3 O.S.

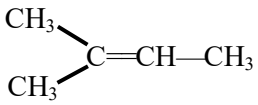
So Answer is 4

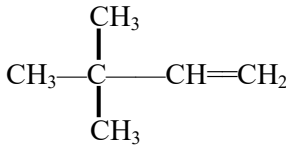
9. The major product formed in the following reaction is :



(1) 

(2) 

(3) 

(4) 

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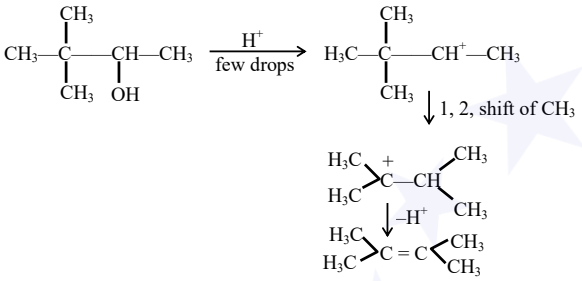
Sol. 

10. Monomer of Novolac is :

(1) 3-Hydroxybutanoic acid

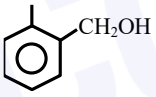
(2) phenol and melamine

(3) o-Hydroxymethylphenol

(4) 1,3-Butadiene and styrene

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Sol. Monomer of Novolac is

 O-hydroxy methyl phenol

11. Given below are two statements :

Statement-I : The process of producing syn-gas is called gasification of coal.

Statement-II : The composition of syn-gas is $CO + CO_2 + H_2$ (1 : 1 : 1)

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

(1) **Statement-I** is false but **Statement-II** is true

(2) **Statement-I** is true but **Statement-II** is false

(3) Both **Statement-I** and **Statement-II** are false

(4) Both **Statement-I** and **Statement-II** are true

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

Sol. The process of producing syn-gas from coal is called gasification of coal.

Syn-gas having composition of CO & H_2 in 1 : 1

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

Assertion (A) : Treatment of bromine water with propene yields 1-bromopropan-2-ol.

Reason (R) : Attack of water on bromonium ion follows Markovnikov rule and results in 1-bromopropan-2-ol.

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

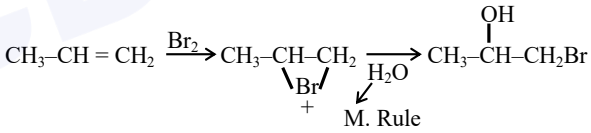
(1) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are true but **(R)** is NOT the correct explanation of **(A)**

(2) **(A)** is false but **(R)** is true.

(3) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are true and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**

(4) **(A)** is true but **(R)** is false

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Sol. 

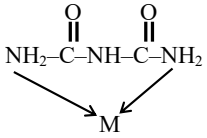
Its IUPAC name 1-bromopropan–2-ol

A and R are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)

13. The denticity of an organic ligand, biuret is :

(1) 2 (2) 4 (3) 3 (4) 6

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. 

Biuret :- Bidentate ligand

The denticity of organic ligand is 2.

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

Assertion (A) : Metallic character decreases and non-metallic character increases on moving from left to right in a period.

Reason (R) : It is due to increase in ionisation enthalpy and decrease in electron gain enthalpy, when one moves from left to right in a period.

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

(1) **(A)** is false but **(R)** is true.

(2) **(A)** is true but **(R)** is false

(3) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**

(4) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is not the correct explanation of **(A)**

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

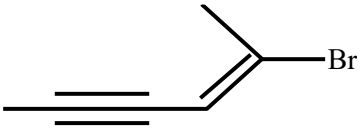
Sol. From left to right in periodic table :-

Metallic character decreases

Non-metallic character increases

$\Rightarrow$ It is due to increase in ionization enthalpy and increase in electron gain enthalpy.

15. Choose the **correct** name for compound given below :



(1) (4E)-5-Bromo-hex-4-en-2-yne

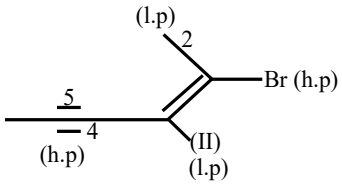
(2) (2E)-2-Bromo-hex-4-yn-2-ene

(3) (2E)-2-Bromo-hex-2-en-4-yne

(4) (4E)-5-Bromo-hex-2-en-4-yne

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

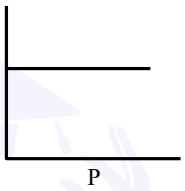
Sol.

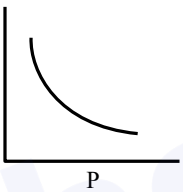


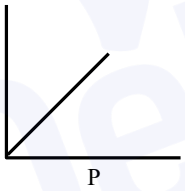
h.p. $\Rightarrow$ higher priority
l.p. $\Rightarrow$ lower priority

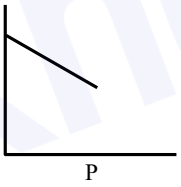
2E –2- bromo hex –2- en–4-yne

16. Which one of the following is the correct PV vs P plot at constant temperature for an ideal gas ? (P and V stand for pressure and volume of the gas respectively)

(1) 

(2) 

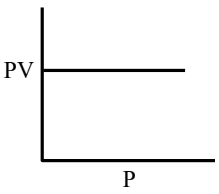
(3) 

(4) 

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

Sol. PV = nRT (n,T constant)

PV = constant



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

Assertion (A) : A simple distillation can be used to separate a mixture of propanol and propanone.

Reason (R) : Two liquids with a difference of more than 20°C in their boiling points can be separated by simple distillations.

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

(1) **(A)** is false but **(R)** is true.

(2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct but **(R)** is not the correct explanation of **(A)**

(3) **(A)** is true but **(R)** is false

(4) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are correct and **(R)** is the correct explanation of **(A)**

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol. Both assertion & reason are correct & (R) is the correct explanation of (A)

18. Which one of the following 0.10 M aqueous solutions will exhibit the largest freezing point depression ?

(1) hydrazine (2) glucose

(3) glycine (4) $KHSO_4$

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

18. $\because$ Van't Hoff factor is highest for $KHSO_4$

$\therefore$ colligative property (ΔT_f) will be highest for $KHSO_4$

19. BOD values (in ppm) for clean water (A) and polluted water (B) are expected respectively :

(1) A > 50, B < 27 (2) A > 25, B < 17

(3) A < 5, B > 17 (4) A > 15, B > 47

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Sol. BOD values of clean water (A) is less than 5 ppm

So A < 5

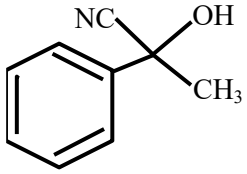
BOD values of polluted water (B is greater than 17 ppm

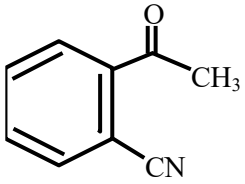
So B > 17

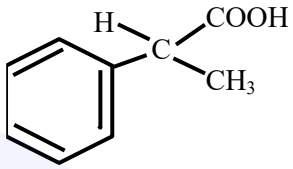
So Ans. is 3

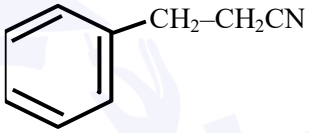
20. The structure of product C, formed by the following sequence of reactions is :

$CH_3COOH + SOCl_2 \longrightarrow A \xrightarrow[AlCl_3]{\text{Benzene}} B \xrightarrow[-OH]{KCN} C$

(1) 

(2) 

(3) 

(4) 

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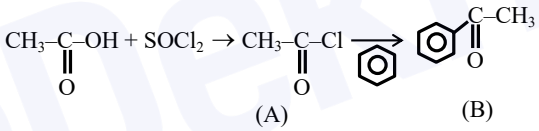
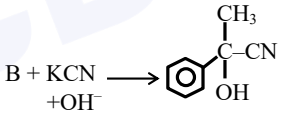
Sol. 



SECTION-B

1. Consider the following cell reaction :

$$Cd_{(s)} + Hg_2SO_{4(s)} + \frac{9}{5}H_2O_{(l)} \rightleftharpoons CdSO_4 \cdot \frac{9}{5}H_2O_{(s)} + 2Hg_{(l)}$$

The value of E^0_{cell} is 4.315 V at 25°C. If $\Delta H° = -825.2$ kJ mol^{-1}, the standard entropy change $\Delta S°$ in J K^{-1} is _____. (Nearest integer)

[Given : Faraday constant = 96487 C mol^{-1}]

Official Ans. by NTA (25)

Sol. $\Delta G° = -nFE° = \Delta H° - T\Delta S°$

$$= \frac{\Delta H° + nFE°}{T}$$

$$= \frac{\left(-825.2 \times 10^3\right) + \left(2 \times 96487 \times 4.315\right)}{298}$$

$$= \frac{-825.2\times10^3 + 832.682\times10^3}{298}$$

$$= \frac{7.483\times10^3}{298} = 25.11 \text{ JK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1}$$

$\therefore$ Nearest integer answer is 25

2. The molarity of the solution prepared by dissolving 6.3 g of oxalic acid ($H_2C_2O_4.2H_2O$) in 250 mL of water in mol L^{-1} is $x \times 10^{-2}$. The value of x is _____. (Nearest integer)

[Atomic mass : H : 1.0, C : 12.0, O : 16.0]

Official Ans. by NTA (20)

Sol. $[H_2C_2O_4.2H_2O] = \frac{\text{weight}/M_W}{V(L)}$

$$\Rightarrow x \times 10^{-2} = \frac{6.3/126}{250/1000}$$

$x = 20$

3. Consider the sulphides HgS, PbS, CuS, Sb_2S_3, As_2S_3 and CdS. Number of these sulphides soluble in 50% HNO_3 is _____.

Official Ans. by NTA (4)

Sol. Pbs, CuS, As_2S_3, CdS are soluble in 50% HNO_3

HgS, Sb_2S_3 are insoluble in 50% HNO_3

So Answer is 4.

4. The total number of reagents from those given below, that can convert nitrobenzene into aniline is _____. (Integer answer)

I. Sn – HCl

II. Sn – NH_4OH

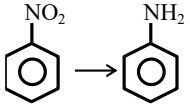
III. Fe – HCl

IV. Zn – HCl

V. H_2 – Pd

VI. H_2 – Raney Nickel

Official Ans. by NTA (5)

Sol. 

Reagents used can be

(i) Sn + HCl

(ii) Fe + HCl

(iii) Zn + HCl

(iv) H_2 – Pd

(v) H_2 (Raney Ni)

5. The number of halogen/(s) forming halic (V) acid is _____.

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Sol. The number of halogen forming halic (V) acid

$HClO_3$

$HBrO_3$

HIO_3

So Answer is 3

6. For a first order reaction, the ratio of the time for 75% completion of a reaction to the time for 50% completion is _____. (Integer answer)

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

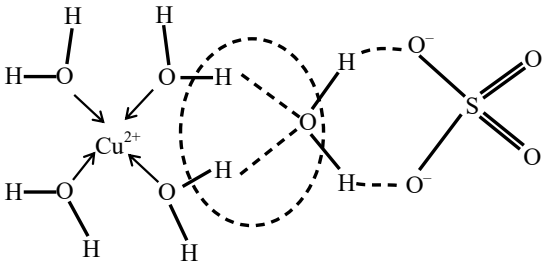
Sol. $k = \frac{2.303}{t}\log\frac{a}{a-x}$

$$\frac{2.303}{t_{50\%}}\log\frac{100}{100-50} = \frac{2.303}{t_{75\%}}\log\frac{100}{100-75}$$

$t_{75\%} = 2\ t_{50\%}$

7. The number of hydrogen bonded water molecule(s) associated with stoichiometry $CuSO_4.5H_2O$ is _____.

Official Ans. by NTA (1)

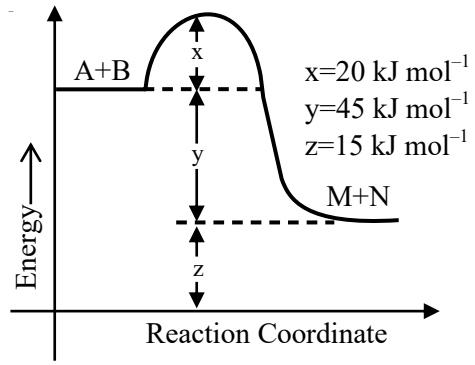
Sol. 

One hydrogen bonded H_2O molecule

8. According to the following figure, the magnitude of the enthalpy change of the reaction

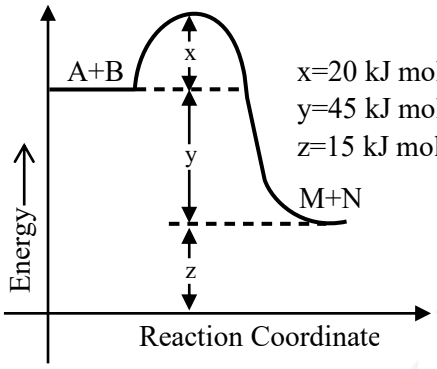
$A + B \rightarrow M + N$ in kJ mol^{-1}

is equal to _____. (Integer answer)



Official Ans. by NTA (45)

Sol.



$\Delta H = E_{a_f} - E_{a_b}$

$= 20 - 65$

$= -45$ KJ/ mol

$|\Delta H| = 45$ KJ/mol

9. Ge(Z = 32) in its ground state electronic configuration has x completely filled orbitals with $m_l = 0$. The value of x is _____.

Official Ans. by NTA (7)

Sol.

	$1s^2$	$2s^2$	$2p^6$			$3s$	$3p^6$			$4s^2$	$3d^{10}$					$4p^2$	
	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑↓	↑	↑
m =	0	0	−1	0	+1	0	−1	0	+1	0	−2	−1	0	+1	+2		
	(1)	(1)	(1)			(1)	(1)			(1)		(1)					

Completely filled orbital with $m_\ell = 0$ are

$= 1+1+1+1+1+1+1$

$= 7$

So Answer is 7

10. A_3B_2 is a sparingly soluble salt of molar mass M (g mol^{-1}) and solubility x g L^{-1} . The solubility product satisfies $K_{sp} = a\left(\frac{x}{M}\right)^5$. The value of *a* is _____. (Integer answer)

Official Ans. by NTA (108)

Sol. $A_3B_2\,(s) \rightleftharpoons 3A^{+2}_{(aq)} + 2B^{-3}_{(aq)}$

$3s \quad 2s$

$K_{SP} = (3s)^3\,(2s)^2$

$K_{SP} = 108\ S^5$ & $s = (X/M)$

$K_{SP} = 108\left(\frac{x}{m}\right)^5$

given $K_{SP} = a\left(\frac{x}{m}\right)^5$

comparing a = 108