

Redox Reactions

- 1) In the reaction $\text{CuO} + \text{NH}_3 \rightarrow \text{Cu} + \text{N}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$, the oxidation number of 'N' changes from
 - 1) -2 to 0
 - 2) 0 to +2
 - 3) -3 to +2
 - 4) -3 to 0

- 2) In the reaction $\text{MnO}_4^- \rightarrow \text{MnO}_2$, the number of OH^- ions involved in the balanced equation is
 - 1) 4
 - 2) 6
 - 3) 3
 - 4) 2

- 3) In the reaction $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-} + \text{NO}_2^- + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{Cr}^{3+} + \text{NO}_3^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ the stoichiometric coefficients of $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$, NO_2^- & H^+ respectively are
 - 1) 1, 3, 8
 - 2) 1, 4, 8
 - 3) 1, 3, 12
 - 4) 1, 15, 12

- 4) In the reaction $\text{NO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{NO}_3^- + 2\text{H}^+ + \text{ne}^-$, the value of 'n' is
 - 1) 4
 - 2) 3
 - 3) 2
 - 4) 1

- 5) Oxidation state of iron is zero in the complex
 - 1) $\text{K}_4[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]$
 - 2) $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_5]\text{SO}_4$
 - 3) $[\text{Fe}(\text{CO})_5]$
 - 4) $\text{Na}_3[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]$

- 6) In which of the following pair of species, the central atom exhibits same oxidation state
 - 1) $\text{SO}_4^{2-}, \text{SO}_3^{2-}$
 - 2) $\text{CrO}_4^{2-}, \text{CrO}_5$
 - 3) $\text{MnO}_2, \text{MnO}_4^{2-}$
 - 4) $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}, \text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3$

- 7) In the reaction $\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{Mn}^{+2} + \text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ the coefficients of MnO_4^- , $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$, Mn^{+2} & CO_2 are respectively
 - 1) 1, 5, 1, 10
 - 2) 2, 5, 2, 10
 - 3) 2, 3, 2, 6
 - 4) 1, 6, 1, 12

- 8) The element which exhibits only one oxidation state in its compounds is
 - 1) Cs
 - 2) Cl
 - 3) P
 - 4) Mn

9) The number of electrons required to balance the following half reaction in basic medium is $\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{ClO}_3^-$.

- 1) 6 2) 8 3) 10 4) 12

10) $x \text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3 + y \text{H}_2\text{O}_2 + z \text{OH}^- \rightarrow a \text{CrO}_4^{2-} + b \text{H}_2\text{O}$. The coefficients x, y & z in the above equation are

- 1) 1, 2, 3 2) 2, 2, 3 3) 2, 3, 4 4) 3, 2, 4

11) Which is not redox reaction among the following?

- 1) $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{KI} \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + \text{I}_2$ 2) $2\text{KClO}_3 \rightarrow 2\text{KCl} + 3\text{O}_2$
3) $\text{H}_2 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HCl}$ 4) $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 + 2\text{KOH} \rightarrow 2\text{K}_2\text{CrO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

12) Match the following underlined elements with oxidation numbers.

List – I

List – II

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| A) <u>H</u> CN | 1) + 7 |
| B) <u>C</u> IF ₃ | 2) + 6 |
| C) H <u>N</u> O ₄ | 3) + 5 |
| D) <u>C</u> rO ₅ | 4) + 3 |
| | 5) + 2 |

Correct match is

- | | A | B | C | D |
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| 1) | 5 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| 2) | 4 | 3 | 1 | 5 |
| 3) | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| 4) | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 |

13) Which of the following is correct?

- I) Oxidants reduce themselves.
- II) Reduction involves de electro nation.
- III) Reductants oxidise others.

Correct combination is

- 1) All are correct.
- 2) I and II are correct.
- 3) II and III are correct.
- 4) I and III are correct.

14) The oxidation number of sodium in Na_2Hg is

- 1) + 1
- 2) + 2
- 3) + 3
- 4) Zero

15) Oxidation numbers of nitrogen in Ammonium nitrite are respectively

- 1) + 3, + 5
- 2) - 3, + 3
- 3) + 5, - 3
- 4) + 3, - 5

16) Oxidation number of nitrogen in Ammonium nitrate are respectively

- 1) +3, +5
- 2) - 3, + 3
- 3) - 3, +5
- 4) +3, - 5

17) In which of the following hydrogen exhibits negative oxidation state

- 1) NH_3
- 2) H_2S
- 3) C_6H_6
- 4) CaH_2

18) The strong reducing agent is

- 1) HNO_2
- 2) H_2S
- 3) H_2SO_3
- 4) SnCl_2

19) In the reaction $\text{Zn} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{ZnSO}_4 + \text{H}_2$

- 1) Zn is oxidized in H_2SO_4
- 2) Hydrogen is oxidized in H_2SO_4
- 3) Sulphur undergoes reduction in H_2SO_4
- 4) Sulphur undergoes oxidation in H_2SO_4

- 20) When Zn is added to CuSO_4 solution, Cu is precipitated. It involves
- 1) Oxidation of Cu^{+2}
 - 2) Reduction of Cu^{+2}
 - 3) Zn is reduced, Cu is oxidized
 - 4) There is neither oxidation nor reduction
- 21) Manganate ion is changed to permanganate ion. It is an example of
- 1) Oxidation
 - 2) Reduction
 - 3) Neither oxidation nor reduction
 - 4) Disproportionation
- 22) Chlorine gas is passed through hot solution of caustic potash then chlorine in the reaction undergoes
- 1) Oxidation
 - 2) Reduction
 - 3) Oxidation & Reduction
 - 4) Neither oxidation nor reduction
- 23) $\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{H}^+ + \text{S}^{-2} \rightarrow \text{Mn}^{+2} + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{S}$, the number of electrons involved during the above transformation
- 1) 8
 - 2) 6
 - 3) 10
 - 4) 5
- 24) The number of moles of oxalate ions oxidized by one mole of MnO_4^- ion is
- 1) 5
 - 2) $\frac{2}{5}$
 - 3) $\frac{1}{5}$
 - 4) $\frac{5}{2}$
- 25) For the redox reaction $\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3 + \text{OH}^- + \text{IO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{CrO}_4^{2-} + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{I}^-$. The correct coefficients of the reactants for the balanced equation are respectively
- 1) 1, 5, 1
 - 2) 2, 4, 1
 - 3) 1, 2, 1
 - 4) 2, 6, 2
- 26) **List – I** **List – II**
- A) $\text{P}_4 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{PO}_2^-$
 - B) $\text{CrO}_4^{2-} \rightarrow \text{CrO}_5$
 - C) $\text{IO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{I}^-$
- I) 2 electrons are involved
 - II) 6 electrons are involved
 - III) 4 electrons are involved

D) $\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{ClO}_3^-$ IV) 10 electrons are involved

V) No electrons are involved

The correct match is

1) A – III, B – V, C – II, D – IV

2) A – IV, B – I, C – V, D – II

3) A – I, B – II, C – III, D – IV

4) A – II, B – III, C – IV, D – V

27) $\text{Cr} \xrightarrow{\text{OH}^-} [\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_4]^-$ for the balanced oxidation half reaction the number of electrons and OH^- ions required respectively

1) 4, 4

2) 4, 3

3) 3, 4

4) 2, 2

28) The oxidation number of iron in the brown ring complex is

1) + 3

2) + 2

3) + 4

4) +1

29) $a \text{KMnO}_4 + b \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + c \text{FeSO}_4 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{MnSO}_4 + \text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$. In this unbalanced stoichiometric equation, the values of a, b and c are respectively

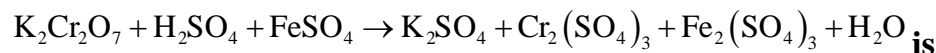
1) 2, 8 and 10

2) 1, 4 and 10

3) 2, 10 and 8

4) 2, 8 and 16

30) The number of moles of FeSO_4 in balanced equation of



1) 1

2) 7

3) 6

4) 2

31) In the equation $\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{Mn}^{2+} + \text{CO}_2$ the numbers of moles of H^+ ions involved in the balanced equation are

1) 9

2) 16

3) 6

4) 12

32) In the reaction, $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}^- + \text{OCl}^-$ the number of moles of OH^- ions involved in the above equation is

1) 2

2) 3

3) 4

4) 5

33) In the equation $p \text{NH}_3 + q \text{O}_2 \rightarrow r \text{H}_2\text{O} + s \text{NO}$, the stoichiometric coefficient of which species is 4.

- I) NH_3 II) O_2 III) H_2O IV) NO

The correct answer is

- 1) I, II and III 2) I and IV 3) II, III and IV 4) II and III

34) Assertion: (A): The oxidation state of Iron in Fe_3O_4 is +3.

Reason: (R): Fe always shows +3 in all its compounds.

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

35) In the conversion of BaO_2 to BaO , the oxidation number of

- 1) Barium increases 2) Oxygen increases
3) Oxygen decreases 4) Barium decreases

36. Oxidation state of Ni in $\text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4$ is

- 1) 0 2) 4 3) 8 4) 2

37. Oxidation state of Fe in $\text{K}_4[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]$

- 1) +6 2) +4 3) +2 4) +5

38. In which of the following the oxidation state of chlorine is +5?

- 1) HClO_4 2) HClO_3 3) HClO_2 4) HCl

39. All elements commonly exhibit an oxidation state of

- 1) +1 2) -1 3) Zero 4) +2

40. The maximum oxidation state that fluorine exhibits is

- 1) -1 2) Zero 3) +1 4) +2

41. The element that always exhibits a negative oxidation state in its compounds is

- 1) Nitrogen 2) Oxygen 3) Fluorine 4) Chlorine

42) The oxidation number of Nitrogen is fractional in

- 1) NH_3 2) N_3H 3) N_2H_4 4) NH_2OH

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1)4 2)1 3)1 4)4 5)3 6)2 7)2 8)1 9)3 10)3

11)4 12)3 13)2 14)4 15)2 16)3 17)4 18)2 19)1 20)2

21)1 22)3 23)3 24)4 25)2 26)1 27)2 28)4 29)1 30)3

31)2 32)1 33)2 34)4 35)3 36)1 37)3 38)2 39)3 40)2

41)3 42)2

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1. In NH_3 oxidation state of N is $x+3=0$, $x=-3$

In elementary state ox, no is zero

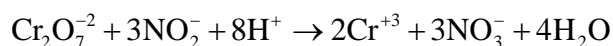
2. $\text{MnO}_4^- \rightarrow \text{MnO}_2$,

Balancing oxygen $\text{MnO}_4^- \rightarrow \text{MnO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Balancing H; $\text{MnO}_4^- + 4\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{MnO}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 4\text{OH}^-$

Balancing charge: $\text{MnO}_4^- + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{MnO}_2 + 4\text{OH}^-$

3. The stoichiometric equation is



4. $\text{NO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{NO}_3^- + 2\text{H}^+ + \text{ne}^-$,

Total charge in reactants side=0

Total charge in products side=-1+2 =+1. Hence n=1

5. Ox. state of metal in metal carbonyl is zero.

6. O.s of Cr in CrO_4^{2-} is $x+4(-2)=-2$, $x=+6$

In CrO_5 , one normal and 4 peroxy oxygen atoms are present. $X+4(-1) + (-2) = 0$, $x=+6$

7. Balanced equation is $2\text{MnO}_4^- + 5\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} + 16\text{H}^+ \rightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{+2} + 10\text{CO}_2 + 8\text{H}_2\text{O}$

8. Elements of IA always show +1 in their compounds.

9. $\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^-$

Balancing oxygen $\text{Cl}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^-$

Balancing H; $\text{Cl}_2 + 6\text{H}_2\text{O} + 12\text{OH}^- \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^- + 12\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Balancing charge: $\text{Cl}_2 + 12\text{OH}^- + 10\text{e}^- \rightarrow 2\text{ClO}_3^- + 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$

10. Balanced equation is $x \text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3 + 3 \text{H}_2\text{O}_2 + 4 \text{OH}^- \rightarrow 2 \text{CrO}_4^{2-} + 8 \text{H}_2\text{O}$

11. Ox. S of Cr is same (+6) in both sides.

12. In HNO_4 , two peroxy O atoms present.

$$+1 + X + 2(-2) + 2(-1) = 0, X = +5$$

14. O.S of metal in an alloy is zero.

15. NH_4NO_2 contains NH_4^+ and NO_2^- ions. In NH_4^+ O.S of N is -3 and in NO_2^- is +3

16. NH_4NO_3 contains NH_4^+ and NO_3^- ions. In NH_4^+ O.S of N is -3 and in NO_3^- is +5.

17. 'H' shows +ve oxidation state in metallic hydrides.

18. As 'S' is in its lowest oxidation state.

19. O.S of Zn increases from 0 to +2.

20. O.S of Cu decreases from +2 to 0.

21. O.S of Mn increases from +6 to +7.

22. $6\text{NaOH} + 3\text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 5\text{NaCl} + \text{NaClO}_3 + 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$, O.S of changes from 0 to -1 and 0 to +5.

23. $2\text{MnO}_4^- + 16\text{H}^+ + 5\text{S}^{2-} \rightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{+2} + 8\text{H}_2\text{O} + 5\text{S}$

Mn gains 10e and S^{2-} loses 10e

24. $2\text{KMnO}_4 + 5\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4 + 3\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + 2\text{MnSO}_4 + 10\text{CO}_2 + 8 \text{H}_2\text{O}$

As per equation 2moles KMnO_4 oxidizes 5 moles of Oxalic acid.

1mole KMnO_4 oxidizes $5/2$ moles of Oxalic acid

25. $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{FeSO}_4 \rightarrow \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{Cr}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + \text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

26. $2\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3 + 4\text{OH}^- + \text{IO}_3^- \rightarrow \text{I}^- + 2 \text{CrO}_4^{2-} + 5\text{H}_2\text{O}$

27. $\text{Cr} \rightarrow [\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_4]^-$

Balance oxygen atoms $\text{Cr} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow [\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_4]^-$

Balance hydrogen atoms $\text{Cr} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O} + 4\text{OH}^- \rightarrow [\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_4]^- + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Balance the charge $\text{Cr} + 4\text{H}_2\text{O} + 4\text{OH}^- \rightarrow [\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_4]^- + 4\text{H}_2\text{O} + 3\text{e}^-$

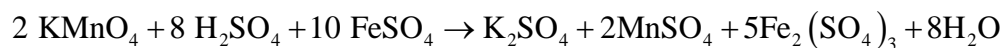
28: The brown ring complex compound is $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_5\text{NO}]\text{SO}_4$.

The complex ion is $[\text{Fe}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_5\text{NO}]^{2+}$

Oxidation numbers of H_2O is zero and NO is +1.

Oxidation state of Fe is +1

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31. $2\text{MnO}_4^- + 5\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} + 16\text{H}^+ \rightarrow 2\text{Mn}^{2+} + 10\text{CO}_2 + 8\text{H}_2\text{O}$

32. $\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}^- + \text{ClO}^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

33. $4\text{NH}_3 + 5\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 6\text{H}_2\text{O} + 4\text{NO}$

34. Fe_3O_4 is a mixed oxide of FeO and Fe_2O_3 . Thus Fe shows +2 and +3 OX. States

35. OX.ST of oxygen decreases from -1 to -2.