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CHAPTER :- REDOX REACTION

ANSWER KEY

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15.	(B)	16.	(D)	17.	(B)	18.	(C)	19.	(B)	20.	(C)	21.	6
22.	24	23.	630	24.	27	25.	1	26.	0	27.	1	28.	8
29.	4	30.	3										

SOLUTIONS

1. (B)
Sol. O.N. of N in HNO_2 is +3
 Max. O.N. of N is +5
 Min. O.N. of N is -3
 Thus O.N. of N in HNO_2 can show an increase or decrease as the case may be. That is why HNO_2 acts as oxidant and reductant both. O.N. of N in HNO_3 is +5, Hence it can act only as an oxidant.

2. (C)
Sol. In the reaction $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5 \rightarrow \text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$
 The O.N. of P in P_2O_5 is
 $2x + 5(-2) = 0$ or $x = +5$
 The O.N. of P in $\text{H}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$ is
 $4(+1) + 2(x) + 7(-2) = 0$
 $2x = 10$ or $x = +5$
 Since there is no change in O.N. of P, hence the above reaction is neither oxidation nor reduction.

3. (A)
Sol. In the above reaction $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$ acts as a reductant because it is oxidised to CO_2 as :
 $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-} \rightarrow 2\text{CO}_2 + 2e^-$ (oxidation)
 $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$ reduces MnO_4^- to Mn^{+2} ion in solution.

4. (D)
Sol. The O.N. of S are shown below along with the compounds
 S_8 , $\text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-}$, $\text{S}_2\text{O}_3^{2-}$, $\text{S}_4\text{O}_6^{2-}$,
 0 +6 +2 +2.5
 Hence the order of increasing O.N. of S is
 $\text{S}_8 < \text{S}_2\text{O}_3^{2-} < \text{S}_4\text{O}_6^{2-} < \text{S}_2\text{O}_8^{2-}$

5. (D)
Sol. The balanced redox reaction given above can be written as :
 $10\text{FeC}_2\text{O}_4 + 6\text{KMnO}_4 + 24\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow 5\text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3 + 20\text{CO}_2 + 6\text{MnSO}_4 + 3\text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 + 24\text{H}_2\text{O}$
 so the value of $x = 6$ and $y = 6$

6. (C)
Sol. The correctly balanced half reaction is –
 $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-} + 14\text{H}^+ \rightarrow 2\text{Cr}^{+3} + 7\text{H}_2\text{O} - 6e^-$ It is a reduction half reaction in balancing the equation by ion – electron method.

7. (A)
Sol. N_A no of electron will be removed by
 $\frac{6.023 \times 10^{23}}{2.25 \times 10^{23}} \times 16\text{g}$ of metal M
 = 42.83 g of metal M
 \therefore equivalent weight of metal is 42.83

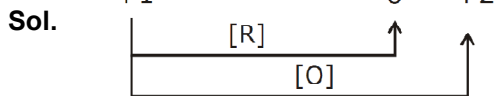
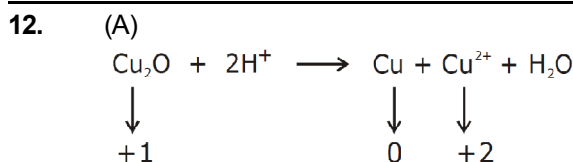
8. (A)
Sol. $\text{H}_2 + \text{Br}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HBr}$
 $\text{H}_2 = 0$
 $\text{Br}_2 = 0$, [Homogeneous compound = 0]
 $\text{HBr} : x - 1 = 0 = x = +1$
 $\text{HBr} : 1 + x = 0, x = -1$
 $0 \quad 0 \quad (\text{R}) \quad +1 \quad -1$
 $\text{H}_2 + \text{Br}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{H} \quad \text{Br}$

9. (D)
Sol. Oxidation is addition of oxygen and removal of hydrogen. It also means addition of electronegative element and removal of some electropositive element.

10. (C)
 $\text{MnO}_4^- + \text{SO}_3^{2-} + \text{H}^+ \longrightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{Mn}^{2+}$

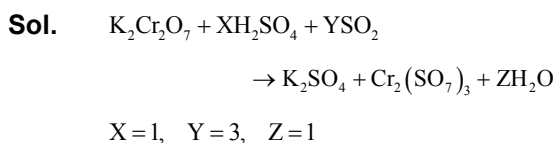
Sol. Mn is reduced & SO_3^{2-} is oxidised.

11. (D)
Sol. All the above, because all the compound are neutral and carbonyl is also a neutral ligand so oxidation of metal should be zero.

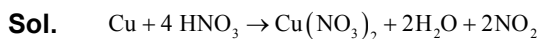


Oxidation & Reduction at one compound disproportionation is a specific type of redox reaction in which an element from a reaction under goes both oxidation & reduction to form two different products.

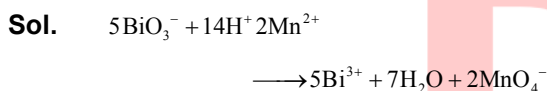
13. (A)



14. (A)

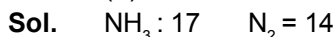


15. (B)



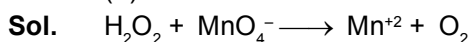
This is the balanced equation.

16. (D)



$$\frac{M}{17-14} = \frac{M}{3} = \frac{17}{3}$$

17. (B)



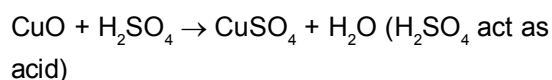
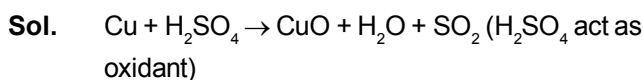
$$\left(\frac{1.2}{34} \times 2\right) \text{ meq} \quad (1.5 \times 5) \text{ meq}$$

(limiting reagent)

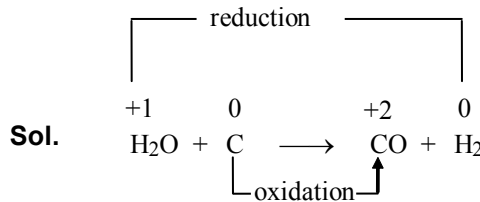
$$m \text{ moles of } \text{O}_2 = \frac{1.2 \times 2}{34} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1.2}{34} \text{ m mol}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{mass of } \text{O}_2 &= \frac{1.2}{34} \times 32 \text{ mg} \\ &= 1.12 \text{ mg} \end{aligned}$$

18. (C)



19. (B)



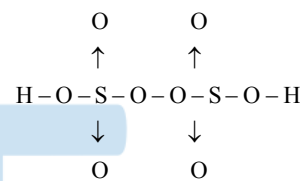
\therefore H₂O is the oxidising agent. C is the reducing agent.

20. (C)

Sol. Cl atom is oxidized ($\text{Cl}^{1+} \rightarrow \text{Cl}^{5+} + 4e^-$) as well as Cl atom is reduced ($\text{Cl}^{1+} + 2e^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}^-$). Such reactions are called auto redox or disproportionation reactions.

21. 6

Sol. In H₂S₂O₈, two O atoms form peroxide linkage i.e.

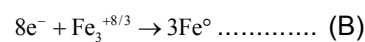
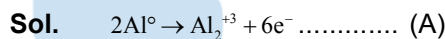


$$2 \times 1 + 2a + 6(-2) + 2(-1) = 0$$

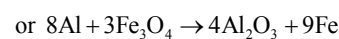
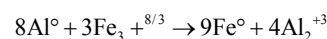
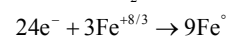
$$\therefore a = +6$$

Thus the O.N. of S in H₂S₂O₈ is + 6

22. 24

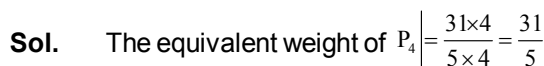


Multiplying Eq. (A) by 4 and Eq. (B) by 3, then on addition

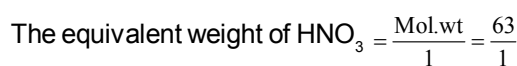


Therefore, it is clear that total no. of electrons transferred during change = 24

23. 630



$$\therefore 62\text{g } \text{P}_4 = \frac{62 \times 5}{31} \text{ equivalent of } \text{P}_4 = 10 \text{ equivalent of } \text{P}_4$$



$$\therefore \text{the wt. of HNO}_3 \text{ required} = 10 \times 63 = 630 \text{ g}$$

24. 27

Sol. Let, the molecular formula of the chloride is MCl_x and atomic weight of the element is a

$$\therefore 9x + x \times 35.5 = \times 2 (E = a / x)$$

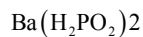
$$x = \frac{58.5 \times 2}{44.5} = 2.63$$

The nearest whole no. of 2.63 = 3

\therefore approximate atomic weight of the element

$$= 9 \times 3 = 27$$

25. 1



Sol. $\begin{matrix} +2 & -1 \\ \text{Ba} & \text{H}_2\text{PO}_2 \end{matrix}$

$$2 + x - 4 = -1$$

$$x = +1$$

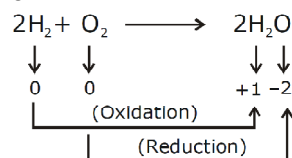
26. 0

Sol. $\text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4$
 $x + 0 \times 4 = 0$
 $x = 0$

27. 1

Sol. NH_2OH
 $x + 2(+1) + (-2) + (+1) = 0$
 $x + 2 - 2 + 1 = 0$
 $x = -1$

28. 8



Sol.

O_2 is oxidising agent

Equivalent weight

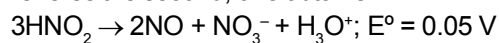
$$= \frac{\text{Molecular weight}}{n\text{-factor}}$$

$$\text{Equivalent weight of } \text{O}_2 = \frac{32}{4} = 8$$

29. 4

Sol. $\text{HNO}_2 + \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + e^- \rightarrow \text{NO} + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}; E^\circ = 0.99 \text{ V}$
 $\text{NO}_3^- + 3\text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + 2e^- \rightarrow \text{HNO}_2 + 4\text{H}_2\text{O}; E^\circ = 0.94 \text{ V}$
 By doubling the first equation and adding the

reverse the second, one obtains



$$\log K = \frac{2.303RT}{nFE^\circ} = 0.6 \therefore K = 4$$

30. 3

Sol. $[\text{Co}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-}$
 $x - 1 \times 6 = -3$
 $x = +3$

