

**Atomic, Molecular and Equivalent masses**

1. Which property of an element is always a whole number?

Answer: (c) Atomic number

Reason: Atomic number represents the number of protons in an atom, which is always a whole number.

2. Which one of the following properties of an element is not variable?

Answer: (b) Atomic weight

Reason: Atomic weight is characteristic of each element and does not change for that element.

3. The modern atomic weight scale is based on?

Answer: (a)  $C^{12}$

Reason: The modern atomic mass scale is defined relative to the carbon-12 isotope.

4. 1 amu is equal to?

Answer: (a)  $1/12$  of C-12

Reason: 1 atomic mass unit (amu) is defined as  $1/12$  of the mass of a carbon-12 atom.

5. Sulphur forms the chlorides  $S_2Cl_2$  and  $SCl_2$ . The equivalent mass of sulphur in  $SCl_2$  is?

Answer: (b) 16 g/mole

Reason: Equivalent mass = Atomic mass / Valency. In  $SCl_2$ , valency of S = 2, atomic mass of S = 32, so equivalent mass =  $32/2 = 16$  g/mole.

6. The sulphate of a metal M contains 9.87% of M. This sulphate is isomorphous with  $ZnSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$ . The atomic weight of M is?

Answer: (a) 40.3

Reason:  $ZnSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$  has formula weight 287.5 g. Metal M percentage = 9.87%, so atomic weight =  $(9.87/19.15) \times 65.38 \approx 40.3$  g/mole



7. (d) For  $\text{NaOH}$ ,  $M = N$

$$N_1 V_1 = 100 \text{ ml} \times 1N = 100 \text{ ml}(N)$$

$$\text{For } \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4, N_2 V_2 = 10 \text{ ml} \times 10N = 100 \text{ ml}(N)$$

$$\text{Hence, } N_1 V_1 = N_2 V_2.$$

8. In chemical scale, the relative mass of the isotopic mixture of oxygen atoms ( $\text{O}16$ ,  $\text{O}17$ ,  $\text{O}18$ ) is assumed to be equal to?

Answer: (b) 16.00

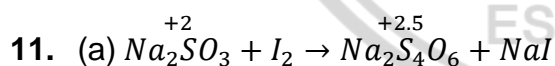
Reason: The relative atomic mass of oxygen on the chemical scale is defined as 16.00 for practical calculations, ignoring minor isotopes.

9. For preparing 0.1 N solution of a compound from its impure sample of which the percentage purity is known, the weight of the substance required will be?

Answer: (a) More than the theoretical weight

Reason: Since the sample is impure, more weight than the theoretical pure sample is required to achieve the desired normality.

10. (b) 1 mole of  $\text{CH}_4$  contains 4 mole of hydrogen atom i.e. 4g atom of hydrogen.



$$n = 2 \times 0.5 = 1$$

$$E = \frac{M}{n\text{-factor}} = \frac{M}{1} = M$$

12. (b)  $E = \frac{M}{5}$

13. (a) Atomic mass =  $\frac{10 \times 19 + 81 \times 11}{100} = \frac{190 + 891}{100} = \frac{1081}{100}$



$$= 10.81$$

14. (c)  $0.1M AgNO_3$  will react with  $0.1M NaCl$  to form  $0.1M NaNO_3$ . But as the volume doubled, conc. of  $NO_3^- = \frac{0.1}{2} = 0.05M$ .

16. (c) wt. of metallic chloride = 74.5

$$\text{wt. of chlorine} = 35.5$$

$$\therefore \text{wt. of metal} = 74.5 - 35.5 = 39$$

$$\text{Equivalent weight of metal} = \frac{\text{weight of metal}}{\text{weight of chlorine}} \times 35.5$$

$$= \frac{39}{35.5} \times 35.5 = 39$$

17. (a)  $\therefore 5.8L$  of gas has mass =  $7.5gm$

$$\therefore 22.4L \quad " \quad " \quad " \quad = \frac{7.5}{5.8} \times 22.4 = 28.96$$

$$\text{So molecular weight} = 29$$

$$\text{So, molecular formula of compound is } NO$$

18. (d)  $\therefore 17gm NH_3$  contains  $6 \times 10^{23}$  molecules of  $NH_3$

$$\therefore 4.25gm NH_3 \text{ contains} = \frac{6 \times 10^{23}}{17} \times 4.25$$

$$\therefore \text{No. of atoms} = \frac{6 \times 10^{23} \times 4.25}{17} \times 4 = 6 \times 10^{23}.$$

19. (a)  $\therefore 1L$  of gas at S.T.P. weight  $1.16g$

$$\therefore 22.4 L \text{ of gas at S.T.P. weight} = 22.4 \times 1.16$$

$$= 25.984 \approx 26$$



CHEMICAL ARITHMETIC (MOLE CONCEPT)

This molecular weight indicates that given compound is  $C_2H_2$ .

20. (a) Molecular weight =  $2 \times V.D = 2 \times 11.2 = 22.4$

$\therefore 22.4gm$  of gas occupies  $22.4L$  at S.T.P.

$\therefore 11.2gm$  of gas occupies  $\frac{22.4}{22.4} \times 11.2 = 11.2L$ .

21. (b) Equivalent weight =  $\frac{\text{Molecular weight}}{\text{Valency}}$

Molecular weight of  $\begin{array}{c} COOH \\ | \\ COOH \end{array} \cdot 2H_2O = \frac{126}{2} = 63$ .

22. (b) Valency of the element =  $\frac{2 \times V.D}{E + 35.5} = \frac{2 \times 59.25}{4 + 35.5}$   
 $= \frac{118.50}{39.5} = 3$ .

23. (d) Molarity =  $\frac{W(gm) \times 1000}{V(ml) \times \text{molecular weight}}$

$0.25 = \frac{1.25 \times 1000}{25 \times \text{molecular weight}}$

$\therefore \text{Molecular weight} = \frac{1.25 \times 1000}{0.25 \times 25} = 200$ .

24. (c) Let weight of metal oxide =  $100gm$

Weight of oxygen =  $32gm$

$\therefore$  weight of metal =  $100 - 32 = 68gm$

Equivalent weight of oxide =  $\frac{\text{wt. of metal}}{\text{wt. of oxygen}} \times 8$

$= \frac{68}{32} \times 8 = 17$ .

