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### **CHEMISTRY**

# **CHEMICAL REACTIONS AND EQUATIONS**

- 1. Why is the balancing the chemical equation is necessary?
- 2. Why should the magnesium ribbon be cleaned before burning?
- 3. Explain combination reaction.
- 4. Explain exothermic and endothermic reaction.
- 5. What is meant by decomposition reaction? Explain with examples.
- 6. Explain manufacturing of cement.
- 7. Explain displacement reaction.
- 8. Explain precipitation reaction.
- 9. Short note on corrosion.
- 10. Short note on rancidity.

### **ACID, BASES AND SALTS**

- 1. Give properties of acids and bases
- 2. What is an indicator? Mention its use for testing acids and base
- 3. Explain reactions of metal carbonates and metal hydrogen carbonates react with acids.
- 4. How do acids and base reacts with each other?
- 5. What do all acids and base have in common?
- 6. Explain dilution reaction process.
- 7. Short note on pH scale.
- 8. What is meant by strong and weak acids; strong and weak bases?
- 9. Explain importance of pH in everyday life.

#### **METALS & NON METALS**

- 1. Give physics properties of metals and non-metals
- 2. State exceptions of metals and non-metals.
- 3. Explain classification of metals on the basis of reactivity.
- 4. Explain steps involved in the extraction of pure metal from its ores.
- 5. Explain thermite process.
- 6. Explain electrolytic refining process of metals.
- 7. Give prevention of corrosion.
- 8. Note on alloy

## **CARBON AND ITS COMPOUND**

- 1. Explain tetravalency of carbon.
- 2. Explain the formation of the hydrogen, chlorine, ammonia and methane molecule by covalent bond
- 3. Note: Allotropes of carbon.
- 4. Explain catenation property of carbon..
- 5. Explain saturated and unsaturated carbons.
- 6. Explain classification of hydrocarbons based on their structures.
- 7. Explain homologous series.
- 8. Explain in brief the nomenclature of carbon compounds.
- 9. Write in detail about soap and detergent

# PERIODIC CLASSIFICATION OF ELEMENTS

- 1. Explain Dobereiner's law of triads with limitations.
- 2. Explain Newlands law of octaves with limitations.
- 3. Explain contribution of Mendeleev in classification of elements along with its limitations.
- 4. What is a valiancy? Explain its trend in in a period and group.

- 5. What is meant by atomic size? Explain its trends in a period and group.
- 6. Explain the trends of metallic and non-metallic character in a period and group.
- 7. Give difference between Mendeleev's periodic table and Modern periodic table.

### **BIOLOGY**

#### **LIFE PROCESSES**

- 1. Explain some important life processes which are needed for living beings.
- 2. Explain modes of nutrition in detail.
- 3. Explain role of stomata in plants.
- 4. Explain nutrition in amoeba.
- 5. Explain human digestive system in detail with neat diagram.
- 6. Explain aerobic respiration.
- 7. Explain gaseous exchange in plants.
- 8. Describe the human respiratory system.
- 9. Explain breathing mechanism in human.
- 10. What are the different ways in which glucose is oxidized to provide energy in the organism?

### **CONTROL AND COORDINATION**

- 1. Explain how nervous impulses travel in the body.
- 2. Explain reflex action with examples.
- 3. Explain reflex arc and spinal reflex.
- 4. Describe human brain with specific functions of its different parts.
- 5. How is central nervous system protected?

# **HOW DO ORGANISMS REPRODUCE?**

- 1. Why do organisms of same species look similar?
- 2. Explain cell reproduction.
- 3. How is the process of making variants be speed up through the sexual mode of reproduction?
- 4. Explain sexual reproduction in plants.

- 5. Explain male reproductive system.
- 6. Explain female reproductive system.
- 7. Explain menstruation.
- 8. Explain Contraceptive methods.

## **HEREDITY & EVOLUTION**

- 1. Explain the creation of diversity over succeeding generation.
- 2. Explain the inheritance of anyone character in two successive generations.
- 3. Explain Mendel's experiment on a pea plant.
- 4. How does the mechanism of heredity work?
- 5. Describe sex determination in human beings.
- 6. What is genetic drift? How genetic drift provides diversity without any adaptation?
- 7. Explain acquired and inherited traits.
- 8. Explain the mechanism of speciation.
- 9. Explain homologous and analogous organs.
- 10. Note on Fossils
- 11. Give difference between
- (a) acquired and hereditary characteristics
- (b) Homologous and analogous organs

### **PHYSICS**

### **LIGHT- REFLECTION & REFRACTION**

- 1. Write basic properties of light.
- 2. What is reflection of light? Give its laws and types
- 3. Explain reflection by plane mirror.
- 4. What is refraction of light? Give laws of refraction.
- 5. Explain refraction through a glass slab.
- 6. What is absolute refractive index? Derive relation for Snell's law
- 7. with neat diagram show position, nature and relative size when an object is placed before convex lens

- (a) At infinity (b) beyond 2F1 (c) at 2F1 (d) between F1 & 2F1 (e) at F1
- 8. Explain magnification produced by a lens.
- 9. Note: Power of lens.

# **HUMAN EYE AND COLOURFUL WORLD**

- 1. What is a prism? What is its angle? How many surfaces does it possess?
- 2. Explain refraction of light through a triangular prism.
- 3. What s dispersion? What is spectrum? Explain dispersion of light through a glass through a prism.
- 4. Explain rainbow formation.
- 5. What is atmospheric refraction? Explain twinkling of stars.
- 6. Why planets do not twinkle?

#### **ELECTRICITY**

- 1. Define electric current. Write its SI unit. Explain difference between electron current and conventional current.
- 2. How charges flow in a conductor? Explain it with a diagram.
- 3. Note: On electric potential and potential difference.
- 4. Write symbols of some commonly used components in a circuit.
- 5. State ohms law and give its experiment.
- 6. State two factors on which strength of an electric current.
- 7. Explain series connection.
- 8. Explain parallel connection.
- 9. State merits and demerits of series as well as parallel connection.
- 10. Explain Joules law.
- 11. Note: Fuse

### **MAGNETIC EFFECTS OF ELECTRIC CURRENT**

- 1. Give brief info about magnetic compass.
- 2. Give characteristics of magnetic field line.
- 3. Explain force on a current carrying conductor in a magnetic field.

## **SOURCES OF ENERGY**

- 1. Which points should be considered while selecting a fuel for ourselves?
- 2. Note: Solar energy
- 3. Explain in short (a) Tidal energy (b) Wave energy (c) Ocean thermal energy
- 4. Explain nuclear fission.
- 5. How we can have environmental consequences for using sources of energy
- 6. Explain "why biomass is better as compared to fossil fuel.

#### **OUR ENVIRONMENT**

- 1. Explain how ozone layer is formed? State its significance.
- 2. How can you help in reducing the problem of waste disposal? Give any two methods.

## SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

- 1. Why do sustainable natural resource management is needed?
- 2. What is biodiversity? Explain in detail.
- 3. Explain how forest resources are affected by major stakeholders.
- 4. Mention serious effects of deforestation.
- 5. Note: Chipko Andolon.
- 6. Give few steps for controlling carbon dioxide levels in atmosphere.
- 7. Give advantages and disadvantages of coal and petroleum.