



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWTOWN

SESSION: 2025-2026

MONDAY TEST

CLASS: IX  
SUBJECT: CHEMISTRY

FULL MARKS: 40  
DATE: 30/06/2025

General Instructions:

- The paper consists of three printed pages.
- All questions are compulsory.
- Copy the question number carefully before answering the questions.

SECTION A (20 MARKS)

*Attempt all questions*

Question 1

Chose the correct answers from the options given below:

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i) Composition of nuclei of two atoms X and Y are given below:

|                    | X | Y  |
|--------------------|---|----|
| Number of protons  | 8 | 8  |
| Number of neutrons | 8 | 10 |

The mass number of X and Y and their relation is:

- (A) 16, 18; Isotopes      (B) 16, 16; Isobars  
(C) 16, 18; Isotones      (D) 18, 18; Isomers

ii) A has 9 protons, 9 electrons, and 10 neutrons.  
B has 12 protons, 12 electrons and 12 neutrons.

The formula of the compound formed between A and B is:

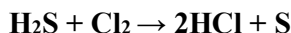
- (A)  $A_2B$       (B)  $BA_2$       (C)  $B_2A_3$       (D)  $AB_4$

iii) Assertion (A): Aluminium reacts with both acids and alkalis forming salt and hydrogen.

Reason (R): Aluminium is an amphoteric metal.

- (A) Both A and R are correct, and R is the correct explanation of A  
(B) Both A and R are correct, and R is not the correct explanation of A  
(C) A is false but R is true  
(D) A is true but R is false

iv) In the reaction given below the reducing agent is:

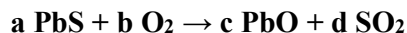


- (A) Chlorine      (B) Hydrogen chloride  
(C) Hydrogen sulphide      (D) Sulphur

v) In the given redox reaction:  $Zn + Cu^{2+} \rightarrow Zn^{2+} + Cu$

- (A) Zn is reduced to  $Zn^{2+}$       (B)  $Cu^{2+}$  is oxidised to Cu  
(C) Zn is oxidised to  $Zn^{2+}$       (D) Cu is oxidised to  $Cu^{2+}$

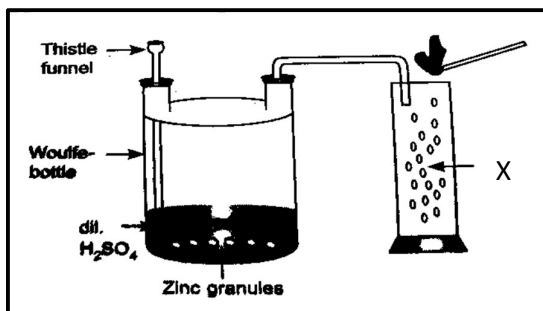
vi) Consider the following chemical equation:



In order to balance this chemical equation, the values of a, b, c and d must be:

- (A) 2, 2, 3, 2      (B) 2, 3, 2, 2      (C) 2, 3, 2, 3      (D) 2, 2, 3, 3

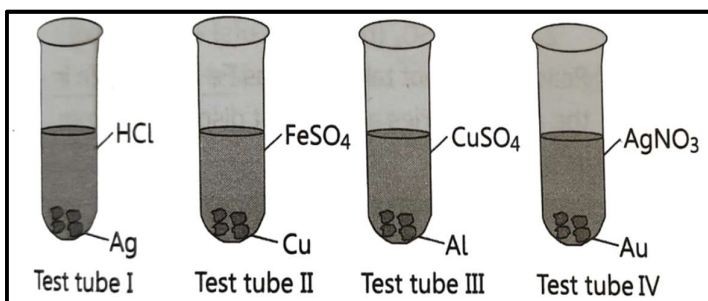
vii) Study the diagram given below:



The method of collecting gas X depicted in the above diagram is incorrect because:

- (A) Gas X is heavier than air
- (B) Gas X is lighter than air
- (C) Gas X forms an explosive mixture with air
- (D) Gas X will extinguish the burning splinter

viii) A student performs the following four experiments:



The correct increasing order of the reactivity of the metals is:

- (A) Au, Ag, Cu, Al
- (B) Au, Al, Ag, Cu
- (C) Al, Ag, Cu, Au
- (D) Cu, Ag, Al, Au

Question: 2

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i) Name the following:

- a) A nitrate which on heating leaves no residue.
- b) A gaseous oxide which is a reducing agent.
- c) A compound which decomposes in presence of sound.
- d) A compound which slows the rate of decomposition of hydrogen peroxide.

ii) Complete the following ionic equations and classify them into oxidation or reduction reactions:

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- a)  $\text{Mn}^{7+} \rightarrow \text{Mn}^{5+}$
- b)  $\text{Cr}^{3+} \rightarrow \text{Cr}^{6+}$
- c)  $\text{Cl}^{-} \rightarrow \text{Cl}$
- d)  $\text{O} \rightarrow \text{O}^{2-}$

iii) Write the formula of ammonium nitrate. Calculate the percentage of nitrogen and oxygen in ammonium nitrate. [ N = 14, O = 16, H = 1 ]

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**SECTION B (20 MARKS)**

*Attempt all questions*

**Question: 3**

- i)  $\text{XCl}_2$  is the formula of the chloride of metal X.
- State the valency of metal X.
  - Write the formula of the (I) phosphate and (II) zincate of metal X
- [3]
- ii) Hydrated copper sulphate has the formula  $\text{CuSO}_4 \cdot \text{XH}_2\text{O}$  contains 36% water of crystallisation. Determine the value of X. [Cu = 64, S = 32, O = 16, H = 1]
- [2]

**Question: 4**

Rahul heated a white crystalline solid P decomposed with a crackling sound, a reddish-brown gas Q with an irritating odour is released along with a colourless odourless gas R which rekindles a glowing splinter and a buff yellow residue S is obtained.

- Identify P and Q.
  - What would Rahul observe when gas R is bubbled through alkaline pyrogallol solution.
  - Write balanced chemical equation for the reaction when P is heated.
  - Rahul observed that residue S dissolved in hot concentrated sodium hydroxide. Which property of residue S did Rahul get to know?
- [5]

**Question: 5**

- i) With respect to industrial preparation of hydrogen answer the following:
- Name the catalyst and the promoter used in this process.
  - Write balanced chemical equation for the endothermic reaction.
  - How is unused carbon monoxide removed from hydrogen gas produced?
  - What is water gas?
- [5]

**Question: 6**

- i) The electronic configuration of  $\text{Q}^{2-}$  is 2, 8.
- What is the atomic number of Q?
  - Write the electronic configuration of Q.
- [2]
- ii) Give reasons for the following:
- The chemical properties of  $\text{C}^{12}$  and  $\text{C}^{14}$  are same.
  - Neon is chemically inert.
  - The actual mass of an atom is greater than its mass number.
- [3]