Chapter 3

Classification of Elements and **Periodicity in Properties**

- The set representing the correct order of ionic 1. [AIEEE-2009]
 - (1) $Na^+ > Li^+ > Mg^{2+} > Be^{2+}$
 - (2) $Li^+ > Na^+ > Mq^{2+} > Be^{2+}$
 - (3) $Mq^{2+} > Be^{2+} > Li^+ > Na^+$
 - (4) $Li^+ > Be^{2+} > Na^+ > Mg^{2+}$
- 2. The correct sequence which shows decreasing order of the ionic radii of the elements is

[AIEEE-2010]

- (1) $O^{2-} > F^{-} > Na^{+} > Ma^{2+} > Al^{3+}$
- (2) $AI^{3+} > Mq^{2+} > Na^{+} > F^{-} > O^{2-}$
- (3) $Na^+ > Mg^{2+} > Al^{3+} > O^{2-} > F^-$
- (4) Na⁺ > F⁻ > Mg²⁺ > O²⁻ > Al³⁺
- The correct order of electron gain enthalpy with 3. negative sign of F, Cl, Br and I, having atomic number 9, 17, 35 and 53 respectively, is

[AIEEE-2011]

- (1) Br > Cl > I > F
- (2) I > Br > Cl > F
- (3) F > Cl > Br > I
- (4) Cl > F > Br > I
- The increasing order of the ionic radii of the given isoelectronic species is [AIEEE-2012]
 - (1) S²⁻, Cl⁻, Ca²⁺, K⁺
 - (2) Ca²⁺, K⁺, Cl⁻, S²⁻
 - (3) K⁺, S²⁻, Ca²⁺, Cl⁻
 - (4) Cl⁻, Ca²⁺, K⁺, S²⁻
- Which of the following represents the correct order of increasing first ionization enthalpy for Ca, Ba, S, Se and Ar? [JEE (Main)-2013]
 - (1) Ca < S < Ba < Se < Ar
 - (2) S < Se < Ca < Ba < Ar
 - (3) Ba < Ca < Se < S < Ar
 - (4) Ca < Ba < S < Se < Ar
- The ionic radii (in Å) of N3-, O2- and F- are 6. respectively [JEE (Main)-2015]
 - (1) 1.36, 1.40 and 1.71 (2) 1.36, 1.71 and 1.40
 - (3) 1.71, 1.40 and 1.36 (4) 1.71, 1.36 and 1.40

- Which of the following atoms has the highest first ionization energy? [JEE (Main)-2016]
 - (1) Na

(2) K

(3) Sc

- (4) Rb
- The group having isoelectronic species is

[JEE (Main)-2017]

- (1) O²⁻, F⁻, Na, Mg²⁺
 - (2) O⁻, F⁻, Na⁺, Mg²⁺
- (3) O²⁻, F⁻, Na⁺, Mg²⁺ (4) O⁻, F⁻, Na, Mg⁺
- 9. In general, the properties that decrease and increase down a group in the periodic table, respectively, are [JEE (Main)-2019]
 - (1) Electronegativity and electron gain enthalpy
 - (2) Atomic radius and electronegativity
 - (3) Electron gain enthalpy and electronegativity
 - (4) Electronegativity and atomic radius
- 10. When the first electron gain enthalpy $(\Delta_{eq}H)$ of oxygen is -141 kJ/mol, its second electron gain enthalpy is [JEE (Main)-2019]
 - (1) Almost the same as that of the first
 - (2) A more negative value than the first
 - (3) Negative, but less negative than the first
 - (4) A positive value
- 11. The electronegativity of aluminium is similar to

[JEE (Main)-2019]

- (1) Beryllium
- (2) Carbon
- (3) Lithium
- (4) Boron
- 12. The 71st electron of an element X with an atomic number of 71 enters into the orbital

[JEE (Main)-2019]

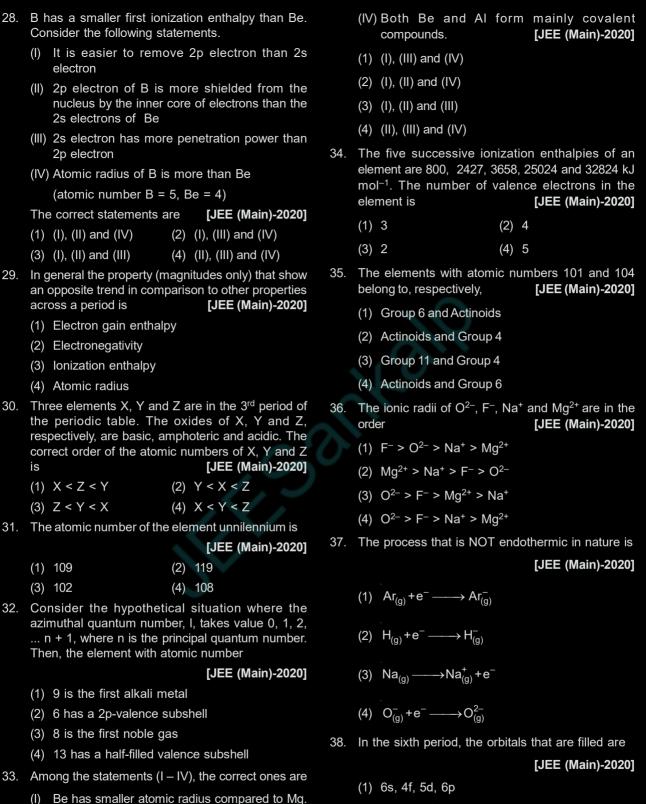
(1) 5 d

(2) 6 p

(3) 4 f

- (4) 6 s
- 13. The correct order of the atomic radii of C, Cs, Al, and S is [JEE (Main)-2019]
 - (1) S < C < Al < Cs
- (2) C < S < Cs < Al
- (3) S < C < Cs < Al
- (4) C < S < Al < Cs

14.	The correct option with respect to the Pauling electronegativity values of the elements is		ing	(1) 15, 5 and 3	(2) 15, 6 and 2
	3 ,	[JEE (Main)-20	191	(3) 16, 5 and 2	(4) 16, 6 and 3
	(1) Si < Al	(2) P > S	22.	In comparison to bord	
	(3) Te > Se	(4) Ga < Ge			[JEE (Main)-2019]
<i>-</i>			will	(1) Greater nuclea ionisation enthalp	r charge and lesser first
15.	The element with Z = 120 (not yet discovered) will be an/a [JEE (Main)-2019] (1) Inner-transition metal (2) Transition metal				r charge and greater first
				ionisation enthalpy.	
				(3) Lesser nuclear ionisation enthalp	charge and greater first
	(3) Alkaline earth metal				
	(4) Alkali metal			(4) Lesser nuclear charge and lesser first ionisation enthalpy.	
16.	The size of the iso-electronic species Cl ⁻ , Ar and Ca ²⁺ is affected by [JEE (Main)-2019]			The electron gain enthalpy (in kJ/mol) of fluorine, chlorine, bromine and iodine, respectively, are	
	(1) Nuclear charge				[JEE (Main)-2020]
	(2) Principal quantum number of valence shell			(1) -296, -325, -333	and –349
	(3) Azimuthal quantum number of valence shell		II	(2) -333, -325, -349	and –296
	(4) Electron-electron interaction in the outer		iter	(3) -349, -333, -325	and –296
-	orbitals			(4) -333, -349, -325	and –296
17.	The IUPAC symbol for the element with atomic number 119 would be [JEE (Main)-2019]				lements F & CI, S & Se, and
	(1) Une	(2) Uun		more energy upon an	<i>y</i> , the elements that release electron gain are
	(3) Uue	(4) Unh			[JEE (Main)-2020]
8.	first and second ionization energies, is		its	(1) F, S and Li	(2) F, Se and Na
			407	(3) Cl, S and Li	(4) Cl, Se and Na
	(1)	[JEE (Main)-20	19] 25.	The first ionization en	ergy (in kJ/mol) of Na, Mg, Al
	(1) K	(2) Sc		and Si respectively, a	re [JEE (Main)-2020]
	(3) Ca	(4) Ba		(1) 786, 737, 577, 496	6 (2) 496, 577, 786, 737
19.	The isoelectronic set of ions is [JEE (Main)-2019]		19]	(3) 496, 737, 577, 786	6 (4) 496, 577, 737, 786
	(1) N ³⁻ , Li ⁺ , Mg ²⁺ and O ²⁻		26.		r of the atomic radii of the
	(2) Li ⁺ , Na ⁺ , O ²⁻ and F ⁻			following elements is	[JEE (Main)-2020]
	(3) N^{3-} , O^{2-} , F^- and Na^4			(a) C	(b) O
	(4) F ⁻ , Li ⁺ , Na ⁺ and Mg ²			(c) F	(d) Cl
20.	[JEE (Main)-2019] (1) Mn < Ti < Zn < Ni (2) Ti < Mn < Zn < Ni			(e) Br	(a) < (a)
			19]	(1) $(d) < (c) < (b) < (c) < (d) < $	
				(3) (c) < (b) < (a) < (b) < (b) < (c) < (d) < (
	(3) Ti < Mn < Ni < Zn		27.	(4) (a) $<$ (b) $<$ (c) $<$ (and amphoteric oxides,
04	(4) Zn < Ni < Mn < Ti			respectively, are	[JEE (Main)-2020]
21.	The group number, number of valence electrons, and valency of an element with atomic number 15,			(1) Na ₂ O, SO ₃ , Al ₂ O ₃	(2) Cl ₂ O, CaO, P ₄ O ₁₀
	respectively, are	[JEE (Main)-20		(3) MgO, Cl ₂ O, Al ₂ O	(4) N ₂ O ₃ , Li ₂ O, Al ₂ O ₃



(2) 6s, 5d, 5f, 6p

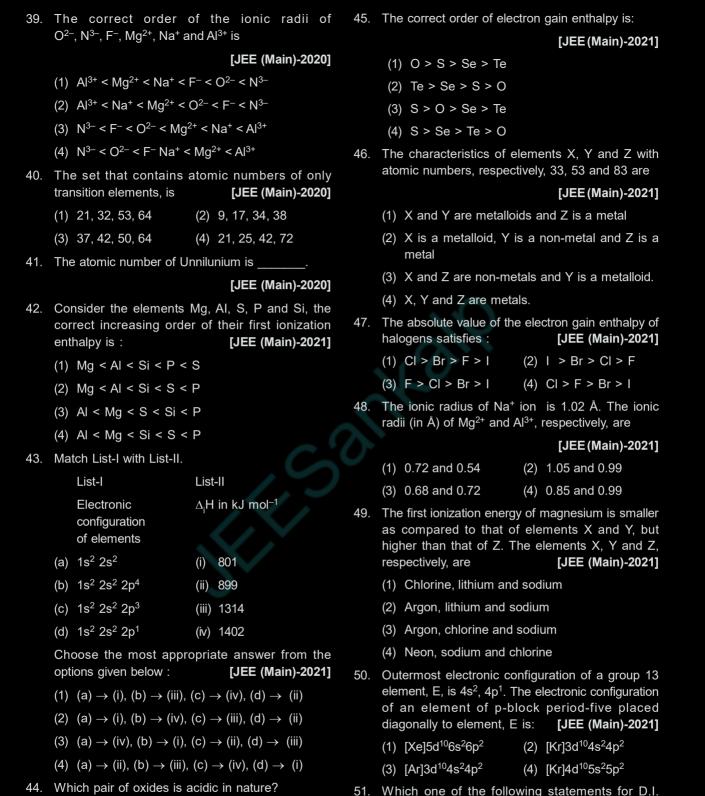
(3) 6s, 6p, 6d, 6f

(II) Be has higher ionization enthalpy than Al.

of Al.

(III) Charge/radius ratio of Be is greater than that

(4) 6s, 5f, 6d, 6p



[JEE (Main)-2021]

(2) B_2O_3 , CaO

(4) N₂O, BaO

(1) CaO, SiO₂

(3) B_2O_3 , SiO_2

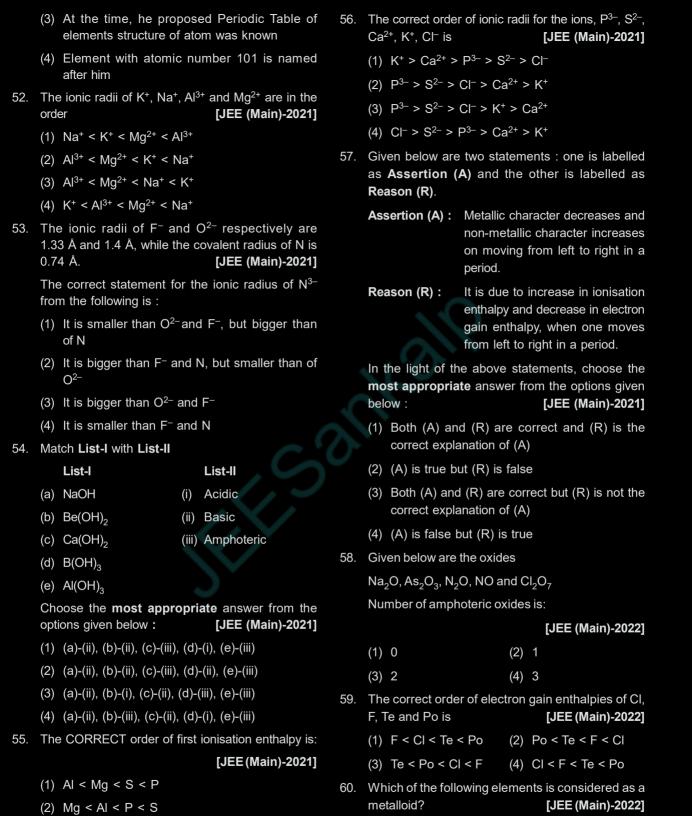
Mendeleev, is incorrect?

(2) He invented accurate barometer

Chemistry

(1) He authored the textbook-Principles of

[JEE (Main)-2021]



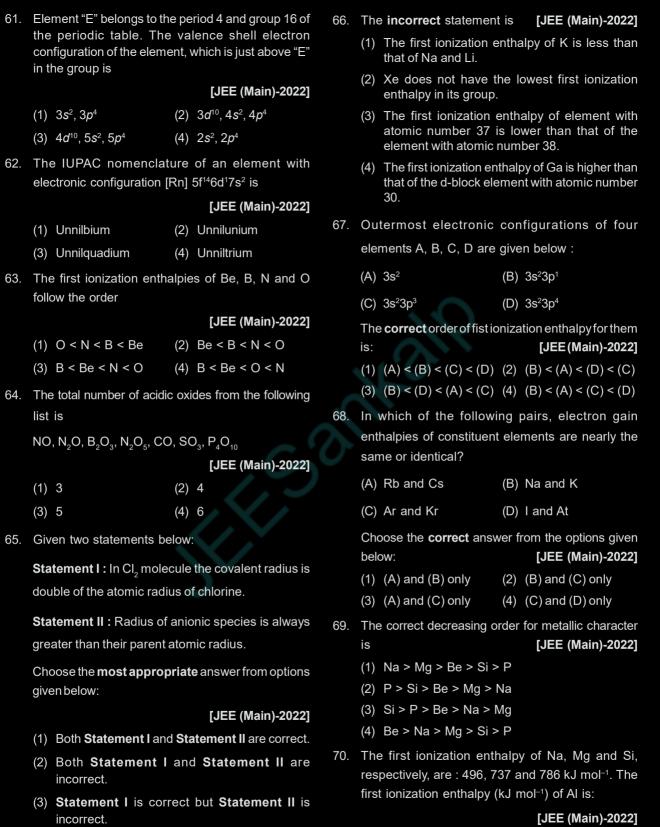
(1) Sc(3) Bi

(2) Pb

(4) Te

(3) Mg < S < Al < P

(4) Mg < Al < S < P



(4) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is

correct.

 (1) 487
 (2) 768

 (3) 577
 (4) 856

71. Given below are two statements : one is labelled as **Assertion (A)** and the other is labelled as **Reason (R)**.

Assertion (A) : The ionic radii of O²⁻ and Mg²⁺ are same

Reason (R): Both O²⁻ and Mg²⁺ are isoelectronic species.

In the light of the above statements, choose the **correct** answer from the options given below.

[JEE (Main)-2022]

- (1) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A).
- (2) Both **(A)** and **(R)** are true but **(R)** is not the correct explanation of **(A)**.
- (3) (A) is true but (R) is false.
- (4) (A) is false but (R) is true.
- 72. The correct order of increasing ionic radii is

[JEE (Main)-2022]

- (1) $Ma^{2+} < Na^{+} < F^{-} < O^{2-} < N^{3-}$
- (2) $N^{3-} < O^{2-} < F^{-} < Na^{+} < Mg^{2+}$

- (3) $F^- < Na^+ < O^{2-} < Mg^{2+} < N^{3-}$
- (4) Na⁺ < F⁻ < Mg²⁺ < O²⁻ < N³⁻
- 73. Given below are two statements. One is labelled as Assertion A and the other is labelled as Reason R.

Assertion A: The first ionization enthalpy for oxygen is lower than that of nitrogen.

Reason R: The four electrons in 2p orbitals of oxygen experience more electron-electron repulsion. In the light of the above statements, choose the *correct* answer from the options given below.

[JEE (Main)-2022]

- (1) Both A and R are correct and Rj is the correct explanation of A
- (2) Both A and R are correct but R is NOT the correct explanation of A
- (3) A is correct but R is not correct
- (4) A is not correct but R is correct

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1. Answer (1)

 $Na^+ > Li^+ > Mq^{2+} > Be^{2+}$

2. Answer (1)

 $O^{2-} > F^{-} > Na^{+} > Mg^{2+} > Al^{3+}$

Decreasing ionic radii with increasing effective nuclear charge for isoelectronic species.

3. Answer (4)

Fact.

- 4. Answer (2)
- 5. Answer (3)

The increasing order of first ionisation enthalphy of the given elements is Ba < Ca < Se < S < Ar.

6. Answer (3)

Radius of N³⁻, O²⁻ and F⁻ follow order

 $N^{3-} > O^{2-} > F^{-}$

As per inequality only option (3) is correct

that is 1.71 Å, 1.40 Å and 1.36 Å

7. Answer (3)

Sc is d-block element having high $Z_{\rm eff}$ hence high ionisation enthalpy.

8. Answer (3)

Mg²⁺, Na⁺, O²⁻ and F⁻ all have 10 electrons each.

9. Answer (4)

Down the group

Electronegativity decrease as size increases

$$EN \propto \frac{1}{size}$$

10. Answer (4)

Second electron gain enthalpy of oxygen is positive.

11. Answer (1)

Be and Al show diagonal relationship.

12. Answer (1)

Atomic number = 71

Electronic configuration:

[Xe]6s² 4f¹⁴ 5d¹ ← last electron

- ∴ Orbital occupied by last e⁻ is 5d
- 13. Answer (4)

Carbon is smallest being 2nd period element and Cs belongs to 6th period so largest. On moving from left to right, size decreases so C < S < Al < Cs

14. Answer (4)

Correct order of electronegativity is

Si > Al

S > P

Se > Te

Ge > Ga.

15. Answer (3)

Element with Z = 120 will belong to alkaline earth

16. Answer (1)

Iso-electronic species differ in size due to different effective nuclear charge.

17. Answer (3)

Symbol for 1 is u

and for 9 is e

: IUPAC symbol for 119 is Uue.

18. Answer (1)

Alkali metals have high difference in the first ionisation and the second ionisation energy as they achieve stable noble gas configuration after first ionisation.

19. Answer (3)

Atomic numbers of N, O, F and Na are 7, 8, 9 and 11 respectively. Therefore, total number of electrons in each of N^{3-} , O^{2-} , F^- and Na^+ is 10 and hence they are isoelectronic.

20. Answer (3)

Order for I.E. is

Ti < Mn < Ni < Zn

21. Answer (1)

Phosphorus has atomic number equal to 15. Its group number is 15, it has 5 valence electrons and valency equal to 3.

22. Answer (3)

Nuclear charge B > Be

Ionisation energy Be > B

 \downarrow

(due to ns² outer electronic configuration)

Be = $1s^2 2s^2$ (more stable)

 $B = 1s^2 2s^2 2p^1$

23. Answer (4)

Electron gain enthalpy is most negative for chlorine followed by fluorine and bromine and least negative for iodine among given elements.

So, $F(-333 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1})$

Cl(-349 kJ mol⁻¹)

 $Br(-325 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1})$

 $I(-296 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1})$

24. Answer (3)

Order of energy released upon electron gain

F < CI

S > Se

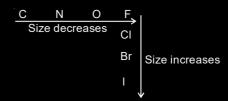
Li > Na

25. Answer (3)

lonisation energy of elements belonging to period III in general increases as we move from left to right with the exception of Group-2 and Group-15 elements due to their stable configuration. The increasing order of first ionisation energy of the given elements is

Ionisation energy of the given metals are

Na: 496 kJ/mol; Al: 577 kJ/mol Mg: 737 kJ/mol; Si: 786 kJ/mol 26. Answer (3)



Correct increasing order of atomic radii i F < O < C < Cl < Br

27. Answer (4)

Oxide(s) Nature $\begin{aligned} &\text{Na}_2\text{O}, \text{CaO}, \text{MgO}, \text{Li}_2\text{O} &\text{Basic} \\ &\text{SO}_3, \text{Cl}_2\text{O}, \text{P}_4\text{O}_{10}, \text{N}_2\text{O}_3 &\text{Acidic} \\ &\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3 &\text{Amphoteric} \end{aligned}$

28. Answer (3)

1st I.E. of Be > B

In case of Be, electron is removed from 2s orbital which has more penetration power, while in case of B electron is removed from 2p orbital which has less penetration power.

2p electron of B is more shielded from nucleus by the inner electrons than 2s electrons of Be

:. It is easier to remove 2p electron than 2s electron.

29. Answer (4)

Atomic radius decreases on moving left to right in periodic table, while other three properties given increases (in magnitude) on moving left to right across a period.

30. Answer (4)

In periodic table in a period on moving from left to right as atomic number increases the nature of oxide follows the order basic, amphoteric and acidic i.e., oxide of X is basic, oxide of Y amphoteric oxide of Z is acidic

Hence atomic number follows the order

Z > Y > X

31. Answer (1)

For Unnilennium

IUPAC symbol - Une

Atomic No. - 109

Under hypothetical situation, the value of I is greater than n which varies from 0 to n + 1

n for
$$n = 1, l = 0, 1, 2$$

 $n = 2, l = 0, 1, 2, 3$

Elements follow the following electronic configuration

1s 1p 1d 2s 2p 2d 2f

Atomic number (Z) = 9

1s² 1p⁶ 1d¹

Atomic number 6

1s² 1p⁴

Atomic number 8

 $1s^2 1p^6$

Atomic number 13

1s² 1p⁶ 1d⁵

Here atomic number of first noble gas will be 18

33. Answer (2)

Be < Mg (atomic radius)

Be > Al $(I.E_1)$

Be ~ Al (Charge/radius ratio)

Both Be and Al form mainly covalent compound.

34. Answer (1)

There is a sudden jump after 3rd I.E. due to attainment of noble gas configuration. So, the number of valence electrons in this element are 3.

35. Answer (2)

Actinoids contains 14 elements with atomic number 90 to 103. Hence element with atomic number 101 is Actinoids.

Element with atomic number 104 is a d-block element of group 4

36. Answer (4)

Among isoelectronic species, greater the Zeff smaller will be the radius.

Order of Zeff : O^{2-} < F^- < Na^+ < Mg^{2+}

Order of Ionic Radii: O²⁻ > F⁻ > Na⁺ > Mg²⁺

37. Answer (2)

 $Ar(g) + e^{-} \longrightarrow Ar^{-}(g)$ (Endothermic)

 $H(g) + e^{-} \longrightarrow H^{-}(g)$ (exothermic)

 $Na(g) \longrightarrow Na^{+}(g) + e^{-}$ (endothermic)

 $O^{-}(g) + e^{-} \longrightarrow O^{2-}(g)$ (endothermic)

 EGE of H(g) is negative while that of Ar(g) is positive due to ns²np⁶ configuration.

2nd EGE is always positive for an atom

Ionization potential of an atom is positive

38. Answer (1)

Filling of electrons in orbitals in any period takes place as:

ns,
$$(n-2)f$$

$$(n-1)d$$

np

if possible

if possible

 \therefore for sixth period n = 6,

orbitals that are filled are 6s, 4f, 5d and 6p

39. Answer (1)

For isoelectronic species, as the no. of protons increases, size of ions decreases.

: Correct order of ionic radii

$$Al^{3+} < Mg^{2+} < Na^{+} < F^{-} < O^{2-} < N^{3-}$$

40. Answer (4)

Elements with atomic number 21, 25, 42 and 72 belongs to transition metals.

41. Answer (101)

Unnilunium

IUPAC symbol = Unu

Atomic no. (Z) = 101

42. Answer (4)

Across the period, generally ionization enthalpy increases but half filled and fully filled configuration are stable and may change the regular trend.

P has more IE, than S because of half filled.

Al has lower IE₁ than Mg because of effective shielding of 3P electrons from the nucleus by 3s-electrons.

Finally order should be

43. Answer (4)

On moving left to right in periodic table, ionisation energy increases (generally) but group-13 elements have lesser I.E than group-2 due to stable ns² electronic configuration of group-2 elements and group-15 elements have greater I.E than group-16 elements due to half-filled stable np³ configuration of group-15 elements.

.. Overall order of I.E should be

44. Answer (3)

CaO – Basic

SiO₂ – Acidic

B₂O₃ – Acidic

N₂O – Neutral

BaO – Basic

45. Answer (4)

Correct order of electron gain enthalpy is

S > Se > Te > O

46. Answer (2)

X(Z = 33) = As (metalloid)

Y(Z = 53) = I (non-metal)

Z(Z = 83) = Bi (metal)

47. Answer (4)

The magnitude of electron gain enthalpy of halogen atoms down the group shows abnormal behaviour. The $|\Delta H_{\rm eg}|$ of F is lower than that of Cl due to its smaller size. The incoming electron experiences higher repulsive force due to valence electrons of F than Cl. The correct order is Cl > F > Br > I

48. Answer (1)

Order of ionic size $Na^+ > Mg^{2+} > Al^{3+}$

49. Answer (3)

First ionisation energy of Mg is small than Argon and chlorine but higher than Na.

So $X \to Argon$

Y → Chlorine

 $Z \rightarrow Sodium$

50. Answer (4)

The element E belongs to group-13 and period-4. The element belonging to period-5 and placed diagonally to E has the electronic configuration $[Kr]4d^{10}5s^25p^2$

51. Answer (3)

At the time of D.I. Mendeleev, structure of atom was not known.

Element with atomic number 101 is known as Mendelevium.

52. Answer (3)

Ionic radii (in pm)

 Na^{+} 102 K^{+} 138 Mg^{2+} 72 Al^{3+} 53.5

Generally higher the charge on cation smaller will be its ionic radius.

$$Al^{3+} < Mg^{2+} < Na^{+} < K^{+}$$

53. Answer (3)

For isoelectronic species, as the charge on nucleus increases, the ionic radius decreases F^- , O^{2-} and N^{3-} has 10 electrons each. The decreasing order of their ionic radii is

$$N^{3-} > O^{2-} > F^{-}$$

∴ N³⁻ is bigger than both O²⁻ and F⁻

54. Answer (4)

NaOH – Basic

Ca(OH)₂ - Basic

Be(OH)₂ – Amphoteric

Al(OH)₂ – Amphoteric

B(OH)₃ - Acidic

55. Answer (1)

All elements belong to 3rd period in periodic table.

Al
$$<$$
 Mg $<$ S $<$ P

Electron is $3s^23p^3$
removing from Half filled s subshell configuration

56. Answer (3)

For isoelectronic species, as nuclear charge increases radius decreases.

Greater the positive charge, lesser the size of ion. Greater the negative charge, larger the size of ion.

∴
$$P^{3-} > S^{2-} > Cl^{-} > K^{+} > Ca^{2+}$$

57. Answer (2)

Metallic character decreases on moving left to right and non-metallic character increases, it is due to increase in ionisation enthalpy. But electron gain enthalpy also increases from left to right.

Reason is not correct.

58. Answer (2)

Oxides

Na₂O → Basic

As₂O₃ → Amphoteric

N_oO — Neutral

NO ---- Neutral

Cl₂O₇ → Acidic

Hence, only one amphoteric oxide is present.

59. Answer (2) or (4)

Te \rightarrow -190 kJ mol⁻¹

 $Po \rightarrow -174 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

 $F \rightarrow -333 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

 $CI \rightarrow -349 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

By considering only magnitude of electron gain enthalpy order is Po < Te < F < Cl

By Considering electron gain enthalpy with sign order is Cl < F < Te < Po

60. Answer (4)

Tellurium is metalloid

61. Answer (1)

Element E is Selenium

The element which is just above 'E' in periodic table is sulphur, its electronic configuration is $1s^2$, $2s^2$, $2p^6$, $3s^2$, $3p^4$

62. Answer (4)

The element with electronic configuration [Rn] $5f^{14}6d^{1}7s^{2}$ has atomic number $\rightarrow 103$

:. Its IUPAC name is : Unniltrium

63. Answer (4)

The first ionisation energy increase from left to right along 2nd period with the following exceptions

IE₁: Be > B and N > O

This is due to stable configuration of Be in comparison to B and that of N in comparison to O.

Hence the correct order is N > O > Be > B

64. Answer (2)

NO, N₂O, CO – neutral oxides

B₂O₃, N₂O₅, SO₃, P₄O₁₀ – acidic oxides

65. Answer (4)

- · Covalent radius is not double of atomic radius.
- Radius of anionic species is always greater than their parent atomic radius as nuclear charge decreases in anionic counterpart.
- 66. Answer (4)

On moving down in a group ionisation energy decrease

∴ 1st ionisation enthalpy order is Li > Na > K

Zn has more ionisation energy as compared to Ga because of their pseudo inert gas configuration.

67. Answer (2)

Orbitals with fully filled and half-filled electronic configuration are stable, and require more energy for ionization

Elements with greater electronegativity require more energy for ionisation

Hence the correct order is C > D > A > B

68. Answer (3)

Element Electron gain enthalpy (kJ mol⁻¹)

Rb –47

Cs –46

Electron gain enthalpy of noble gases is almost zero.

Hence the correct option is (3).

69. Answer (1)

Metallic character increases top to bottom in group and decreases left to right in a period.

Mg is from second group it will be less metallic than Na. Be comes above Mg hence less metallic than Mg. Si is more metallic than phosphorous.

70. Answer (3)

The first ionisation enthalpy of Al would be more than that of (sodium) Na but less than that of (silicon) Si and (magnesium) Mg.

Thus first ionisation enthalpy of Al would be 577 kJ/mole.

71. Answer (4)

Correct order of ionic radii:

$$O^{-2} > Mg^{+2}$$

This is because among isoelectronic species, the size of anions are greater than the size of cations. Statement (II) is correct as both O^{-2} and Mg^{*2} are isoelectronic.

72. Answer (1)

For isoelectronic species

Ionic radii
$$\mu$$
 $\frac{(-)ve \text{ charge}}{(+)ve \text{ charge}}$

Hence, correct order of ionic radii is

$$Mg^{2+} < Na^+ < F^- < O^{2-} < N^{3-}$$

73. Answer (2)

Nitrogen has half filled p-orbitals which is stable. Due to this it's 1st ionization energy is more than oxygen.

