

CHEMISTRY

Metals and Non - Metals

- Q1** Reaction between (X) and (Y), forms compound Z. X loses electron(s) and (Y) gains electron(s). Which of the following properties is not shown by Z?
- (A) Has high melting point
(B) Has low melting point
(C) Conducts electricity in molten state
(D) Occurs as solid
- Q2** The electronic configurations of three elements (X, Y) and (Z) are (X - 2,8 ; Y - 2,8,7) and (Z - 2,8,2). Which of the following is correct?
- (A) (X) is a metal
(B) (Y) is a metal
(C) (Z) is a non-metal
(D) (Y) is a non-metal and (Z) is a metal
- Q3** Which of the following are not ionic compounds?
- (i) KCl
(ii) HCl
(iii) CCl_4
(iv) NaCl
(A) (i) and (ii)
(B) (ii) and (iii)
(C) (iii) and (iv)
(D) (i) and (iii)
- Q4** Which among the following will be the correct chemical formula of two elements X and Y whose atomic numbers are 19 and 17?
- (A) XY
(B) XY_2
(C) X_2Y
(D) X_2Y_3
- Q5** What are the ions present in magnesium oxide?
- (A) Cation: O^- , Anion: Mg^+
(B) Cation: Mg^+ , Anion: O^-
(C) Cation: Mg^{2+} , Anion: O^{2-}
(D) Cation: O^{2-} , Anion: Mg^{2+}



Answer Key

Q1 (B)

Q2 (D)

Q3 (B)

Q4 (A)

Q5 (C)



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Hints & Solutions

Q1 Text Solution:

The compound formed by losing and gaining electrons are ionic compounds. They have high melting point.

Video Solution:**Q2 Text Solution:**

X is a noble gas, Y is a non-metal and Z is a metal.

Video Solution:**Q3 Text Solution:**

The correct one is formed from nonmetals. Ionic compounds are formed from metals and non-metals.

Video Solution:**Q4 Text Solution:**

Try to write the electronic configuration, it will help to write the valency which can be used to write the chemical formula.

Video Solution:**Q5 Text Solution:**

Cations are formed when there is an imbalance between the number of electrons and protons. Try to land to the correct answer using the above information.

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