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## Atoms and Molecules

### Multiple Choice Questions

1. Which of the following correctly represents 360 g of water?

- (i) 2 moles of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - (ii) 20 moles of water
  - (iii)  $6.022 \times 10^{23}$  molecules of water
  - (iv)  $1.2044 \times 10^{25}$  molecules of water
- (a) (i)  
(b) (i) and (iv)  
(c) (ii) and (iii)  
(d) (ii) and (iv)

Ans. (d) (ii) and (iv)

2. Which of the following statements is not true about an atom?

- (a) Atoms are not able to exist independently
- (b) Atoms are the basic units from which molecules and ions are formed
- (c) Atoms are always neutral in nature
- (d) Atoms aggregate in large numbers to form the matter that we can see, feel or touch

Ans. (a) Atoms are not able to exist independently.

**Explanation:** Atoms of inert gases exist independently, i.e. as single atom.

3. The chemical symbol for nitrogen gas is

- (a) Ni
- (b)  $\text{N}_2$
- (c)  $\text{N}^+$
- (d) N

Ans. (b)  $\text{N}_2$

4. The chemical symbol for sodium is

- (a) So
- (b) Sd
- (c) NA
- (d) Na

Ans. (d) Na

5. Which of the following would weigh the highest?

- (a) 0.2 mole of sucrose ( $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_{11}$ )
- (b) 2 moles of  $\text{CO}_2$
- (c) 2 moles of  $\text{CaCO}_3$
- (d) 10 moles of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

Ans. (c) 2 moles of  $\text{CaCO}_3$

**Explanation:** Weight of 1 mole of each compound can be calculated as follows:

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(a) Sucrose =  $12 \times 12 + 22 \times 1 + 11 \times 16 = 144 + 22 + 176 = 342 \text{ g}$

Or  $0.2 \text{ M Sucrose} = 342 \times 0.2 = 68.4 \text{ g}$

(b)  $1 \text{ M carbon dioxide} = 1 \times 12 + 2 \times 16 = 44 \text{ g}$

Or  $2 \text{ M CO}_2 = 44 \times 2 = 88 \text{ g}$

(c)  $1 \text{ M CaCO}_3 = 1 \times 10 + 1 \times 12 + 3 \times 16 = 100 \text{ g}$

Or  $2 \text{ M CaCO}_3 = 100 \times 2 = 200 \text{ g}$

(d)  $1 \text{ M H}_2\text{O} = 2 \times 1 + 1 \times 16 = 18 \text{ g}$

Or  $10 \text{ M water} = 18 \times 10 = 180 \text{ g}$

6. Which of the following has maximum number of atoms?

(a) 18 g of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

(b) 18 g of  $\text{O}_2$

(c) 18 g of  $\text{CO}_2$

(d) 18 g of  $\text{CH}_4$

Ans. (d) 18 g of  $\text{CH}_4$

**Explanation:** Number of atoms

$$= \frac{\text{mass of substance} \times \text{no. of atoms in a molecule}}{\text{molar mass}} \times N_A$$

(a) for 18g of  $\text{H}_2\text{O} = \frac{18 \text{ g} \times 3}{18 \text{ g}} \times N_A = 3N_A$

(b) for 18g of  $\text{O}_2 = \frac{18 \text{ g} \times 2}{32 \text{ g}} \times N_A = 1.125N_A$

(c) for 18g of  $\text{CO}_2 = \frac{18 \text{ g} \times 3}{44 \text{ g}} \times N_A = 1.23N_A$

(d) for 18g of  $\text{CH}_4 = \frac{18 \text{ g} \times 5}{16 \text{ g}} \times N_A = 5.625N_A$

7. Which of the following contains maximum number of molecules?

(a) 1g  $\text{CO}_2$

(b) 1g  $\text{N}_2$

(c) 1g  $\text{H}_2$

(d) 1g  $\text{CH}_4$

Ans. (c) 1g  $\text{H}_2$

**Explanation:** Number of molecules =  $\frac{\text{mass of substance}}{\text{molar mass}} \times N_A$

For 1 g hydrogen =  $\frac{1 \text{ g}}{2 \text{ g}} \times N_A = 0.5N_A = 0.5 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23}$

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$$= 3.011 \times 10^{23}$$

Molar mass of other molecules are much higher than given mass, so number of molecules in them will be less than that in hydrogen.

**8. Mass of one atom of oxygen is**

(a)  $\frac{16}{6.023 \times 10^{23}} g$

(b)  $\frac{32}{6.023 \times 10^{23}} g$

(c)  $\frac{1}{6.023 \times 10^{23}} g$

(d) 8 u

**Ans. (a)**  $\frac{16}{6.023 \times 10^{23}} g$

**Explanation:** Mass of one atom of oxygen

$$= \frac{\text{Atomic mass}}{N_A} = \frac{16}{6.023 \times 10^{23}} g$$

**9. 3.42 g of sucrose are dissolved in 18 g of water in a beaker. The number of oxygen atoms in the solution are**

(a)  $6.68 \times 10^{23}$

(b)  $6.09 \times 10^{22}$

(c)  $6.022 \times 10^{23}$

(d)  $6.022 \times 10^{21}$

**Ans. (a)**  $6.68 \times 10^{23}$

**Explanation:** Number of moles = mass of substance/molar mass

Molar mass of sucrose = 342 g

$$\text{No. of moles for 3.42 g sucrose} = \frac{3.42 g}{342 g} = 0.01 M$$

1 M sucrose ( $C_{11}H_{22}O_{11}$ ) contains  $= 11 \times N_A$  atoms of oxygen

So, number of oxygen atoms in 0.01 M sucrose  $= 0.11 N_A$

$$\text{No. of moles for 18 g water} = \frac{18 g}{18 g} = 1 M$$

1 M water contains  $1 N_A$  oxygen atoms

So, total number of oxygen atoms in given solution

$$= 0.11 N_A + 1.0 N_A = 1.11 N_A$$

$$= 1.11 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} = 6.68 \times 10^{23}.$$

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**10. A change in the physical state can be brought about**

- (a) only when energy is given to the system
- (b) only when energy is taken out from the system
- (c) when energy is either given to, or taken out from the system
- (d) without any energy change

**Ans. (c)** when energy is either given to, or taken out from the system

**Explanation:** When a solid changes into liquid, it takes energy. When a liquid changes into solid, it releases energy.

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### Short Answer Questions

**11. Which of the following represent correct chemical formula? Name it.**

- (a) CaCl
- (b) BiPO<sub>4</sub>
- (c) NaSO<sub>4</sub>
- (d) NaS

**Ans. (b)** In BiPO<sub>4</sub>; with ions are trivalent and hence this shows the correct chemical formula. In option (a); Ca is bivalent while chlorine is monovalent. In options (c) and (d); Na is monovalent while sulphate and Sulphur are bivalent.

**12. Write the molecular formulae for the following compounds**

**(a)** Copper (II) bromide

**Ans.** CuBr<sub>2</sub>

**(b)** Aluminium (III) nitrate

**Ans.** Al(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>

**(c)** Calcium (II) phosphate

**Ans.** Ca<sub>3</sub>(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>

**(d)** Iron (III) sulphide

**Ans.** Fe<sub>2</sub>S<sub>3</sub>

**(e)** Mercury (II) chloride

**Ans.** HgCl<sub>2</sub>

**(f)** Magnesium (II) acetate

**Ans.** Mg(CH<sub>3</sub>COO)<sub>2</sub>

**13. Write the molecular formulae of all the compounds that can be formed by the combination of following ions**

$Cu^{2+}$ ,  $Na^{+}$ ,  $Fe^{3+}$ ,  $Cl^{-}$ ,  $SO_4^{2-}$ ,  $PO_4^{3-}$

**Ans.** CuCl<sub>2</sub>/ CuSO<sub>4</sub>/ Cu<sub>3</sub>(PO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>

NaCl/ Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>/ Na<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>

FeCl<sub>3</sub>/ Fe<sub>2</sub>(SO<sub>4</sub>)<sub>3</sub> / FePO<sub>4</sub>

**14. Write the cations and anions present (if any) in the following compounds**

**(a)** CH<sub>3</sub>COONa

**(b)** NaCl

**(c)** H<sub>2</sub>

**(d)** NH<sub>4</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>

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Ans.

| Anions                        | Cations         |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| (a) $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$ | $\text{Na}^+$   |
| (b) $\text{Cl}^-$             | $\text{Na}^+$   |
| (c) It is a covalent compound | -----           |
| (d) $\text{NO}_3^-$           | $\text{NH}_4^+$ |

15. Give the formulae of the compounds formed from the following sets of elements

(a) Calcium and fluorine

Ans.  $\text{CaF}_2$

(b) Hydrogen and sulphur

Ans.  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$

(c) Nitrogen and hydrogen

Ans.  $\text{NH}_3$

(d) Carbon and chlorine

Ans.  $\text{CCl}_4$

(e) Sodium and oxygen

Ans.  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$

(f) Carbon and oxygen

Ans.  $\text{CO}$ ,  $\text{CO}_2$

16. Which of the following symbols of elements are incorrect? Give their correct symbols

(a) Cobalt CO

(b) Carbon c

(c) Aluminium AL

(d) Helium He

(e) Sodium So

Ans. (a) Incorrect, the correct symbol of cobalt is Co  
(b) Incorrect, the correct symbol of carbon is C  
(c) Incorrect, the correct symbol of aluminium is Al  
(d) Correct (He)  
(e) Incorrect, the correct symbol of sodium is Na

17. Give the chemical formulae for the following compounds and compute the ratio by mass of the combining elements in each one of them. (You may use appendix-III).

(a) Ammonia

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- (b) Carbon monoxide  
(c) Hydrogen chloride  
(d) Aluminium fluoride  
(e) Magnesium sulphide

**Ans.** (a)  $\text{NH}_3$ ; ratio N : H = 14 : 3  
(b)  $\text{CO}$ ; ratio C : O = 3 : 4  
(c)  $\text{HCl}$ ; ratio H : Cl = 1 : 35.5 or 2 : 71  
(d)  $\text{AlF}_3$ ; ratio Al : F = 9 : 19  
(e)  $\text{MgS}$ ; ratio Mg : S = 3 : 4

**18. State the number of atoms present in each of the following chemical species**

(a)  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$

**Ans.** 4

(b)  $\text{PO}_4^{3-}$

**Ans.** 5

(c)  $\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$

**Ans.** 7

(d)  $\text{CO}$

**Ans.** 2

**19. What is the fraction of the mass of water due to neutrons?**

**Ans.** Mass of one mole (Avogadro Number) of neutrons  $\sim 1$  g

$$\text{Mass of one neutron} = \frac{1}{\text{Avogadro Number } (N_A)} \text{ g}$$

$$\text{Mass of one molecule of water} = \frac{\text{molar mass}}{N_A} = \frac{18}{N_A} \text{ g}$$

There are 8 neutrons in one atom of oxygen

$$\text{Mass of 8 neutrons} = \frac{8}{N_A}$$

$$\text{Fraction of mass of water due to neutrons} = \frac{8}{18}$$

**20. Does the solubility of a substance change with temperature? Explain with the help of an example.**

**Ans.** Yes, it is a temperature dependent property. The solubility generally, increases with increase in temperature. For example, you can dissolve more sugar in hot water than in cold water.

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**21. Classify each of the following on the basis of their atomicity.**

- (a)  $F_2$
- (b)  $NO_2$
- (c)  $N_2O$
- (d)  $C_2H_6$
- (e)  $P_4$
- (f)  $H_2O_2$
- (g)  $P_4O_{10}$
- (h)  $O_3$
- (i)  $HCl$
- (j)  $CH_4$
- (k) He
- (l) Ag

**Ans.** (a) 2 atom  
(b) 3 atom  
(c) 3 atom  
(d) 8 atom  
(e) 4 atom  
(f) 4 atom  
(g) 14 atom  
(h) 3 atom  
(i) 2 atom  
(j) 5 atom  
(k) 1 atom (noble gases are always monoatomic)  
(l) Polyatomic (because metals are bound by metallic bond and any measurable quantity of a metal can contain millions of atoms.)

**22. You are provided with a fine white coloured powder which is either sugar or salt. How would you identify it without tasting?**

**Ans.** On heating the powder, it will char if it is a sugar.  
Alternatively, the powder may be dissolved in water and checked for its conduction of electricity. If it conducts, it is a salt.

**23. Calculate the number of moles of magnesium present in a magnesium ribbon weighing 12 g. Molar atomic mass of magnesium is  $24\text{ g mol}^{-1}$ .**

**Ans.** Number of moles = mass/molar mass =  $12\text{ g}/24\text{ g} = 0.5\text{ mol}$

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### Long Answer Questions

**24. Verify by calculating that**

**(a)** 5 moles of CO<sub>2</sub> and 5 moles of H<sub>2</sub>O do not have the same mass.

**Ans.** CO<sub>2</sub> has molar mass = 44 g mol<sup>-1</sup>

5 moles of CO<sub>2</sub> have molar mass = 44 × 5 = 220 g

H<sub>2</sub>O has molar mass = 18 g mol<sup>-1</sup>

5 moles of H<sub>2</sub>O have mass = 18 × 5 g = 90 g

**(b)** 240 g of calcium and 240 g magnesium elements have a mole ratio of 3:5.

**Ans.** Number of moles in 240g Ca metal =  $\frac{240}{40} = 6$

Number of moles in 240g of Mg metal =  $\frac{240}{24} = 10$

Ratio 6: 10 = 3: 5

**25. Find the ratio by mass of the combining elements in the following compounds. (You may use Appendix-III)**

**(a)** CaCO<sub>3</sub>

**Ans.** Ca: C: O<sub>3</sub> = 40: 12: 16 × 3 = 40: 12: 48 = 10: 3: 12

**(b)** MgCl<sub>2</sub>

**Ans.** Mg: Cl<sub>2</sub> = 24: 35.55 × 2 = 24: 71

**(c)** H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

**Ans.** H<sub>2</sub>: S: O<sub>4</sub> = 1 × 2: 32: 16 × 4 = 2: 32: 64 = 1: 16: 32

**(d)** C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>OH

**Ans.** C<sub>2</sub>: H<sub>6</sub>: O = 12 × 2: 1 × 6: 16 = 24: 6: 16 = 12: 3: 8

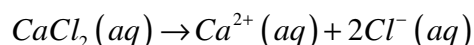
**(e)** NH<sub>3</sub>

**Ans.** N: H<sub>3</sub> = 14: 1 × 3 = 14: 3

**(f)** Ca(OH)<sub>2</sub>

**Ans.** Ca: O<sub>2</sub>: H<sub>2</sub> = 40: 16 × 2: 1 × 2 = 40: 32: 2 = 20: 16: 1

**26. Calcium chloride when dissolved in water dissociates into its ions according to the following equation.**



**Calculate the number of ions obtained from CaCl<sub>2</sub> when 222 g of it is dissolved in water.**

**Ans.** 1 mole of calcium chloride = 111g

∴ 222g of CaCl<sub>2</sub> is equivalent to 2 moles of CaCl<sub>2</sub>

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Since 1 formula unit  $\text{CaCl}_2$  gives 3 ions, therefore, 1 mol of  $\text{CaCl}_2$  will give 3 moles of ions  
2 moles of  $\text{CaCl}_2$  would give  $3 \times 2 = 6$  moles of ions.

No. of ions = No. of moles of ions  $\times$  Avogadro number

$$= 6 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23}$$

$$= 36.132 \times 10^{23}$$

$$= 3.6132 \times 10^{24} \text{ ions}$$

- 27. The difference in the mass of 100 moles each of sodium atoms and sodium ions is 5.48002 g. Compute the mass of an electron.**

**Ans.** A sodium atom and ion, differ by one electron. For 100 moles each of sodium atoms and ions there would be a difference of 100 moles of electrons.

Mass of 100 moles of electrons = 5.48002 g

$$\text{Mass of 1 mole of electron} = \frac{5.48002}{100} \text{ g}$$

$$\text{Mass of one electron} = \frac{5.48002}{100 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23}} = 9.1 \times 10^{-28} \text{ g} = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$$

- 28. Cinnabar ( $\text{HgS}$ ) is a prominent ore of mercury. How many grams of mercury are present in 225 g of pure  $\text{HgS}$ ? Molar mass of  $\text{Hg}$  and  $\text{S}$  are  $200.6 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$  and  $32 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$  respectively.**

**Ans.** Molar mass of  $\text{HgS} = 200.6 + 32 = 232.6 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Mass of  $\text{Hg}$  in 232.6 g of  $\text{HgS} = 200.6 \text{ g}$

$$\text{Mass of Hg in 225 g of HgS} = \frac{200.6}{232.6} \times 225 = 194.04 \text{ g}$$

- 29. The mass of one steel screw is 4.11g. Find the mass of one mole of these steel screws. Compare this value with the mass of the Earth ( $5.98 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$ ). Which one of the two is heavier and by how many times?**

**Ans.** One mole of screws weigh =  $2.475 \times 10^{24} \text{ g} = 2.475 \times 10^{21} \text{ kg}$

$$\frac{\text{Mass of the Earth}}{\text{Mole of 1 mole of screws}} = \frac{5.98 \times 10^{24} \text{ Kg}}{2.475 \times 10^{21} \text{ Kg}} = 2.4 \times 10^3$$

Mass of earth is  $2.4 \times 10^3$  times the mass of screws

The earth is 2400 times heavier than one mole of screws.

- 30. A sample of vitamin C is known to contain  $2.58 \times 10^{24}$  oxygen atoms. How many moles of oxygen atoms are present in the sample?**

**Ans.** 1 mole of oxygen atoms =  $6.023 \times 10^{23}$  atoms

$$\therefore \text{Number or moles of oxygen atoms} = \frac{2.58 \times 10^{24}}{6.023 \times 10^{23}} = 4.28 \text{ mol}$$

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4.28 moles of oxygen atoms.

31. Raunak took 5 moles of carbon atoms in a container and Krish also took 5 moles of sodium atoms in another container of same weight. (a) Whose container heavier? (b) Whose container has more number of atoms?

Ans. (a) Mass of sodium atoms carried by Krish =  $(5 \times 23)g = 115g$   
While mass of carbon atom carried by Raunak =  $(5 \times 12)g = 60g$

Thus, Krish's container is heavy

(b) Both the bags have same number of atoms as they have same number of moles of atoms.

32. Fill in the missing data in the Table 3.1

| Species property | H <sub>2</sub> O | CO <sub>2</sub>        | Na atom | MgCl <sub>2</sub> |
|------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------|-------------------|
| No. of moles     | 2                | -                      | -       | 0.5               |
| No. of particles | -                | $3.011 \times 10^{23}$ | -       | -                 |
| Mass             | 36 g             | -                      | 115 g   | -                 |

Ans.

| Species Property | H <sub>2</sub> O        | CO <sub>2</sub>        | Na atom                | MgCl <sub>2</sub>      |
|------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| No. of moles     | 2                       | 0.5                    | 5                      | 0.5                    |
| No. of particles | $1.2044 \times 10^{24}$ | $3.011 \times 10^{23}$ | $3.011 \times 10^{24}$ | $3.011 \times 10^{23}$ |
| Mass             | 36 g                    | 22 g                   | 115 g                  | 47.5 g                 |

33. The visible universe is estimated to contain  $10^{22}$  stars. How many moles of stars are present in the visible universe?

Ans. Number of moles of stars =  $\frac{10^{22}}{6.023 \times 10^{23}} = 0.0166$  moles

34. What is the SI prefix for each of the following multiples and submultiples of a unit?

(a)  $10^3$  (b)  $10^{-1}$  (c)  $10^{-2}$  (d)  $10^{-6}$  (e)  $10^{-9}$  (f)  $10^{-12}$

Ans. (a) kilo  
(b) deci  
(c) centi  
(d) micro  
(e) nano  
(f) pico

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**35. Express each of the following in kilograms**

**(a)**  $5.84 \times 10^{-3}$  mg

**Ans.**  $5.84 \times 10^{-9}$  Kg

**(b)** 58.34 g

**Ans.**  $5.834 \times 10^{-2}$  Kg

**(c)** 0.584 g

**Ans.**  $5.84 \times 10^{-4}$  Kg

**(d)**  $5.873 \times 10^{-21}$  g

**Ans.**  $5.873 \times 10^{-24}$  Kg

**36. Compute the difference in masses of  $10^3$  moles each of magnesium atoms and magnesium ions. (Mass of an electron =  $9.1 \times 10^{-31}$  kg)**

**Ans.** A  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ion and Mg atom differ by two electrons.

$10^3$  moles of  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  and Mg atoms would differ by

$10^3 \times 2$  moles of electrons

Mass of  $2 \times 10^3$  moles of electrons =  $2 \times 10^3 \times 6.023 \times 10^{23} \times 9.1 \times 10^{-31}$  Kg

$\Rightarrow 2 \times 6.022 \times 9.1 \times 10^{-5}$  Kg

$\Rightarrow 109.6004 \times 10^{-5}$  Kg

$\Rightarrow 1.096 \times 10^{-3}$  Kg

**37. Which has more number of atoms?**

**(i) 100g of  $\text{N}_2$**

**Ans.** 100 g of  $\text{N}_2 = \frac{100}{28}$  moles

Number of molecules =  $\frac{100}{28} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23}$

Number of atoms =  $\frac{2 \times 100}{28} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} = 43.01 \times 10^{23}$

**(ii) 100 g of  $\text{NH}_3$**

**Ans.** 100 g of  $\text{NH}_3 = \frac{100}{17}$  moles =  $\frac{100}{17} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23}$  molecules

=  $\frac{100}{17} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \times 4$  atoms

=  $141.69 \times 10^{23}$

$\text{NH}_3$  would have more atoms.

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**38. Compute the number of ions present in 5.85 g of sodium chloride.**

**Ans.**  $5.85 \text{ g of NaCl} = \frac{5.85}{58.5} = 0.1 \text{ moles}$

Or 0.1 moles of NaCl particle

Each NaCl particle is equivalent to one  $\text{Na}^+$  one  $\text{Cl}^-$

$\Rightarrow$  2 ions

$\Rightarrow$  Total moles of ions =  $0.1 \times 2$

$\Rightarrow$  2 moles

No. of ions =  $0.2 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23}$

$\Rightarrow 1.2042 \times 10^{23}$  ions

**39. A gold sample contains 90% of gold and the rest copper. How many atoms of gold are present in one gram of this sample of gold?**

**Ans.** One gram of gold sample will contain  $\frac{90}{100} = 0.9 \text{ g}$  of gold

$$\text{Number of moles of gold} = \frac{\text{mass of gold}}{\text{atomic mass of gold}}$$

$$= \frac{0.9}{197} = 0.0046$$

One moles of gold contains  $N_A$  atoms =  $6.022 \times 10^{23}$

$$\therefore 0.0046 \text{ mole of gold will contain} = 0.0046 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \\ = 2.77 \times 10^{21}$$

**40. What are ionic and molecular compounds? Give examples.**

**Ans.** Atoms of different elements join together in definite proportions to form molecules of compounds. Examples— water, ammonia, carbondioxide. Compounds composed of metals and non-metals contain charged species. The charged species are known as ions. An ion is a charged particle and can be negatively or positively charged. A negatively charged ion is called an anion and the positively charged ion is called cation. Examples— sodium chloride, calcium oxide.

**41. Compute the difference in masses of one mole each of aluminium atoms and one mole of its ions. (Mass of an electron is  $9.1 \times 10^{-28} \text{ g}$ ). Which one is heavier?**

**Ans.** Mass of 1 mole of aluminium atom = the molar mass of aluminium =  $27 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

An aluminium atom needs to lose three electrons to become an ion,  $\text{Al}^{3+}$

For one mole of  $\text{Al}^{3+}$  ion, three moles of electrons are to be lost.

$$\text{The mass of three moles of electrons} = 3 \times (9.1 \times 10^{-28}) \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ g} \\ = 27.3 \times 6.022 \times 10^{-5} \text{ g}$$

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$$= 164.400 \times 10^{-5} g$$

$$= 0.00164 g$$

$$\text{Molar mass of Al}^{3+} = (27 - 0.00164) g \text{ mol}^{-1} = 26.998 g \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Difference} = 27 - 26.9984 = 0.0016 g$$

- 42. A silver ornament of mass 'm' gram is polished with gold equivalent to 1% of the mass of silver. Compute the ratio of the number of atoms of gold and silver in the ornament.**

**Ans.** Mass of silver = m g

$$\text{Mass of gold} = \frac{m}{100} g$$

$$\text{Number of atoms of silver} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{atomic mass}} \times N_A$$

$$= \frac{m}{108} \times N_A$$

$$\text{Number of atoms of gold} = \frac{m}{100 \times 197} \times N_A$$

Ratio of number of atoms of gold to silver = Au: Ag

$$= \frac{m}{100 \times 197} \times N_A : \frac{m}{108} \times N_A$$

$$= 108 : 100 \times 197$$

$$= 108 : 19700$$

$$= 1 : 182.41$$

- 43. A sample of ethane (C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub>) gas has the same mass as  $1.5 \times 10^{20}$  molecules of methane (CH<sub>4</sub>). How many C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub> molecules does the sample of gas contain?**

**Ans.** Mass of 1 molecules of CH<sub>4</sub> =  $\frac{16g}{N_A}$

$$\text{Mass of } 1.5 \times 10^{20} \text{ molecules of methane} = \frac{1.5 \times 10^{20} \times 16}{N_A} g$$

$$\text{Mass of 1 molecules of C}_2\text{H}_6 = \frac{30}{N_A} g$$

$$\text{Mass of molecules of C}_2\text{H}_6 \text{ is} = \frac{1.5 \times 10^{20} \times 16}{N_A} g$$

$$\therefore \text{ number of molecules of ethane} = \frac{1.5 \times 10^{20} \times 16}{N_A} = \frac{N_A}{30} = 0.8 \times 10^{20}$$

**44. Fill in the blanks**

(a) In a chemical reaction, the sum of the masses of the reactants and products remains unchanged. This is called \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans.** Law of conservation of mass

(b) A group of atoms carrying a fixed charge on them is called \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans.** Polyatomic ion

(c) The formula unit mass of  $\text{Ca}_3(\text{PO}_4)_2$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

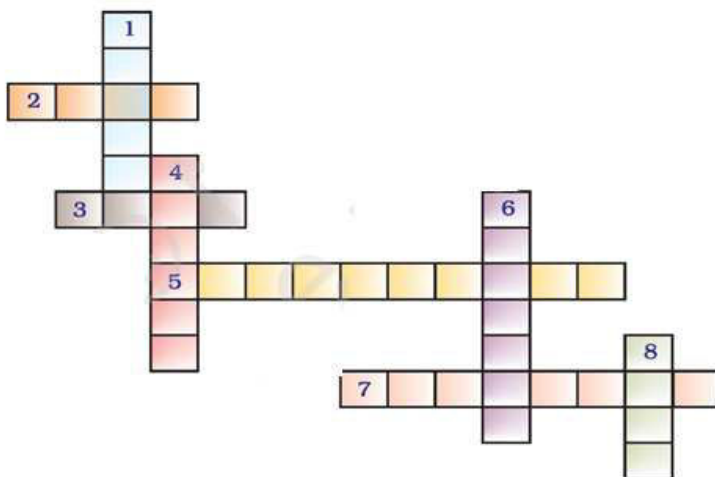
**Ans.**  $(3 \times \text{atomic mass of Ca}) + (2 \times \text{atomic mass of phosphorus}) + (8 \times \text{atomic mass of oxygen}) = 310$

(d) Formula of sodium carbonate is \_\_\_\_\_ and that of ammonium sulphate is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Ans.**  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$ ;  $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$

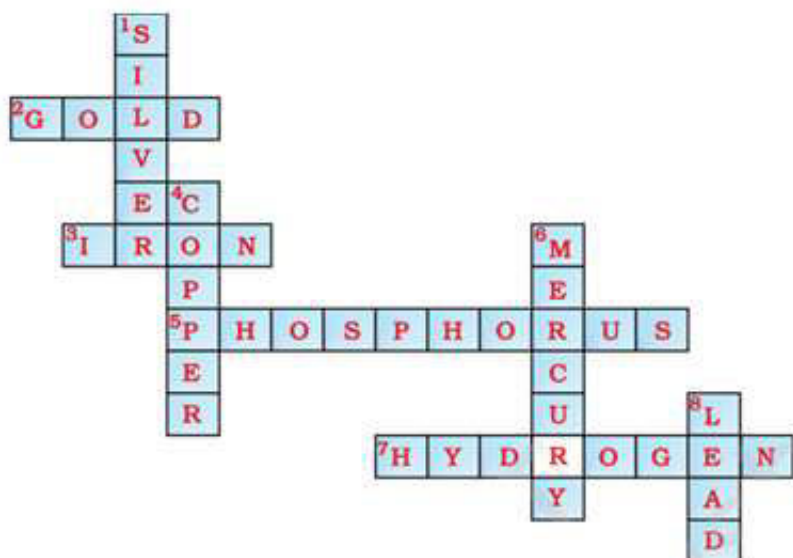
**45. Complete the following crossword puzzle (Fig. 3.1) by using the name of the chemical elements. Use the data given in Table 3.2.**

| Across  | Down   |
|---|--|
| 2. The element used by Rutherford during his $\alpha$ -scattering experiment.   | 1. A white lustrous metal used for making ornaments and which tends to get tarnished black in the presence of moist air. |
| 3. An element which forms rust on exposure to moist air   | 4. Both brass and bronze are alloys of the element   |
| 5. A very reactive non-metal stored under water   | 6. The metal which exists in the liquid state at room temperature  |
| 7. Zinc metal when treated with dilute hydrochloric acid produces a gas of this element which when tested with burning splinter produces a pop sound. | 8. An element with symbol Pb   |



**Fig. 3.1**

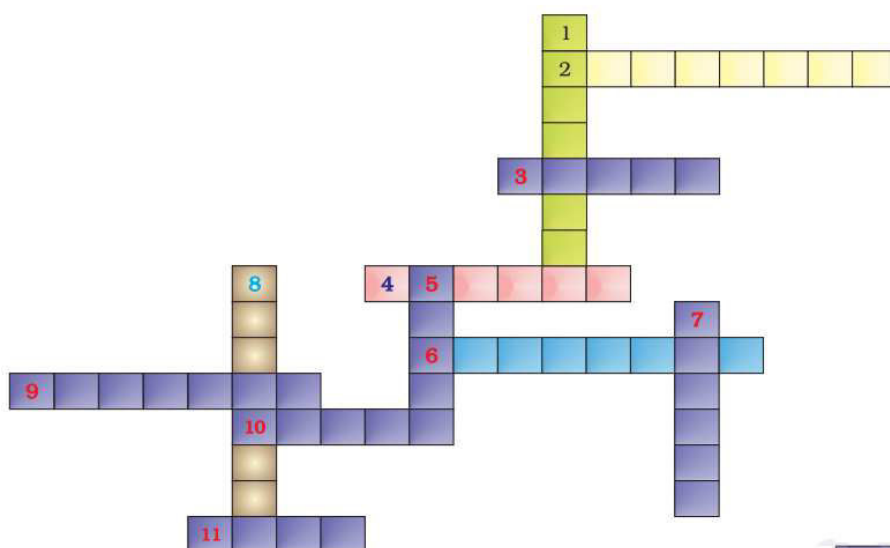
**Ans.** (1) Silver (2) Gold (3) iron (4) Copper (5) Phosphorus (6) Mercury (7) Hydrogen (8) Lead



46. (a) In this crossword puzzle (Fig 3.2), names of 11 elements are hidden Symbols of these are given below. Complete the puzzle.

1. Cl, 2. H, 3. Ar, 4. O, 5. Xe, 6. N, 7. He, 8. F, 9. Kr, 10. Rn, 11. Ne

(b) Identify the total number of inert gases their names and symbols from this cross-word puzzle.

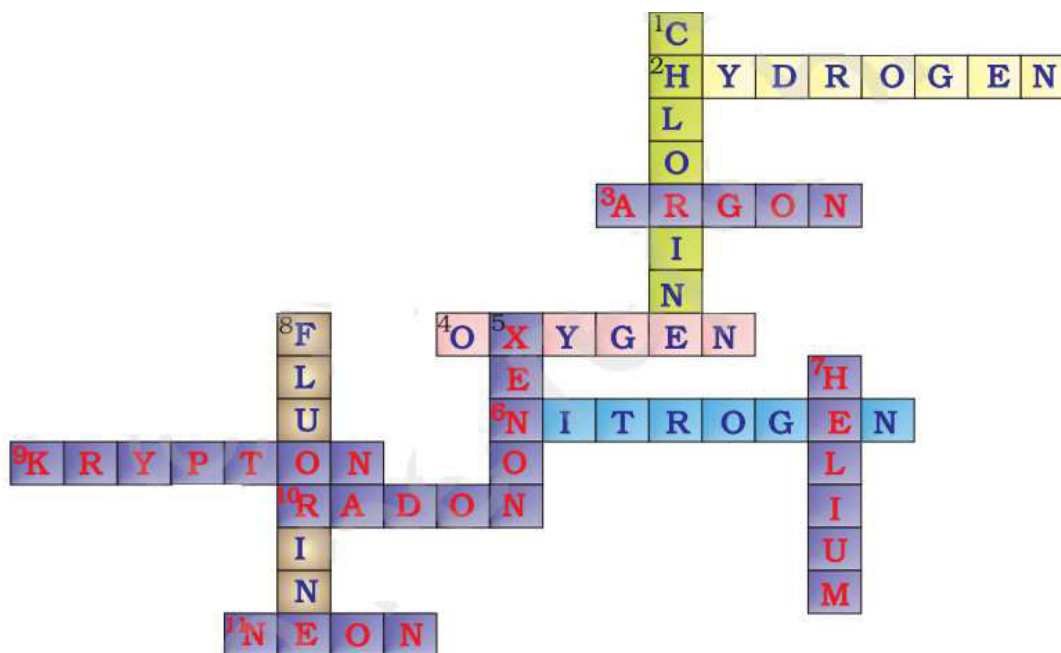


**Fig. 3.2**

**Inert gases**

**Ans.** (a)





(b) Insert Gases: There are total six insert six inert gases present in this crossword, i.e. helium (He), Argon (Ar), Xenon (Xe), Krypton (Kr), Radon (Rn) and Neon (Ne).

47. Write the formulae for the following and calculate the molecular mass for each one of them.

(a) Caustic potash

Ans. KOH

$$(39 + 16 + 1) = 56 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

(b) Baking powder

Ans.  $\text{NaHCO}_3$

$$23 + 1 + 12 + (3 \times 16) = 84 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

(c) Lime stone

Ans.  $\text{CaCO}_3$

$$40 + 12 + (3 \times 16) = 100 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

(d) Caustic soda

Ans. NaOH

$$23 + 16 + 1 = 40 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

(e) Ethanol

Ans.  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH} = \text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}$

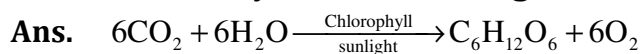
$$2 \times 12 + (6 \times 1) + 16 = 46 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

(f) Common salt

Ans. NaCl

$$23 + 35.5 = 58.5 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

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- 48. In photosynthesis, 6 molecules of carbon dioxide combine with an equal number of water molecules through a complex series of reactions to give a molecule of glucose having a molecular formula  $C_6H_{12}O_6$ . How many grams of water would be required to produce 18 g of glucose? Compute the volume of water so consumed assuming the density of water to be  $1 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$ .**



1 mole of glucose needs 6 moles of water

180 g of glucose needs  $(6 \times 18)$  g of water

1 g of glucose will need  $\frac{108}{180}$  g of water.

18 g of glucose would need  $\frac{108}{180} \times 18$  g of water = 10.8 g

Volume of water used =  $\frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Density}} = \frac{10.8}{1 \text{ g cm}^{-3}} = 10.8 \text{ cm}^3$ .

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