

# Equilibrium

1. Solid  $\text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  is gradually dissolved in a  $1.0 \times 10^{-4}$  M  $\text{Na}_2\text{CO}_3$  solution. At what concentration of  $\text{Ba}^{2+}$  will a precipitate begin to form? ( $K_{sp}$  for  $\text{BaCO}_3 = 5.1 \times 10^{-9}$ ) [AIEEE-2009]

(1)  $5.1 \times 10^{-5}$  M      (2)  $8.1 \times 10^{-8}$  M  
 (3)  $8.1 \times 10^{-7}$  M      (4)  $4.1 \times 10^{-5}$  M

2. In aqueous solution the ionisation constants for carbonic acid are

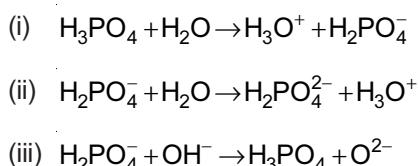
$$K_1 = 4.2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ and } K_2 = 4.8 \times 10^{-11}$$

Select the correct statement for a saturated 0.034 M solution of the carbonic acid. [AIEEE-2010]

- (1) The concentration of  $\text{H}^+$  is double that of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$   
 (2) The concentration of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  is 0.034 M  
 (3) The concentration of  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$  is greater than that of  $\text{HCO}_3^-$   
 (4) The concentrations of  $\text{H}^+$  and  $\text{HCO}_3^-$  are approximately equal
3. Solubility product of silver bromide is  $5.0 \times 10^{-13}$ . The quantity of potassium bromide (molar mass taken as 120 g mol<sup>-1</sup>) to be added to 1 litre of 0.05 M solution of silver nitrate to start the precipitation of  $\text{AgBr}$  is [AIEEE-2010]

(1)  $5.0 \times 10^{-8}$  g      (2)  $1.2 \times 10^{-10}$  g  
 (3)  $1.2 \times 10^{-9}$  g      (4)  $6.2 \times 10^{-5}$  g

4. Three reactions involving  $\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^-$  are given below



In which of the above does  $\text{H}_2\text{PO}_4^-$  act as an acid? [AIEEE-2010]

(1) (i) only      (2) (ii) only  
 (3) (i) and (ii)      (4) (iii) only

5. At 25°C, the solubility product of  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$  is  $1.0 \times 10^{-11}$ . At which pH, will  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ions start precipitating in the form of  $\text{Mg}(\text{OH})_2$  from a solution of 0.001 M  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ions? [AIEEE-2010]

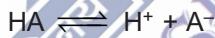
(1) 8      (2) 9  
 (3) 10      (4) 11

6. The  $K_{sp}$  for  $\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3$  is  $1.6 \times 10^{-30}$ . The molar solubility of this compound in water is

[AIEEE-2011]

(1)  $1.6 \times 10^{-30}/27$       (2)  $\sqrt[2]{1.6 \times 10^{-30}}$   
 (3)  $\sqrt[4]{1.6 \times 10^{-30}}$       (4)  $\sqrt[4]{1.6 \times 10^{-30}/27}$

7. An acid HA ionises as



The pH of 1.0 M solution is 5. Its dissociation constant would be

(1)  $1 \times 10^{-5}$       (2)  $1 \times 10^{-10}$   
 (3) 5      (4)  $5 \times 10^{-8}$

8. The pH of a 0.1 molar solution of the acid HQ is 3. The value of the ionization constant,  $K_a$  of this acid is [AIEEE-2012]

(1)  $1 \times 10^{-3}$       (2)  $1 \times 10^{-5}$   
 (3)  $1 \times 10^{-7}$       (4)  $3 \times 10^{-1}$

9. The equilibrium constant ( $K_c$ ) for the reaction  $\text{N}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow 2\text{NO}(\text{g})$  at temperature T is  $4 \times 10^{-4}$ . The value of  $K_c$  for the reaction,

$\text{NO}(\text{g}) \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}\text{N}_2(\text{g}) + \frac{1}{2}\text{O}_2(\text{g})$  at the same temperature is [AIEEE-2012]

(1)  $2.5 \times 10^2$       (2)  $4 \times 10^{-4}$   
 (3) 50.0      (4) 0.02

10. How many litres of water must be added to 1 litre of an aqueous solution of HCl with a pH of 1 to create an aqueous solution with pH of 2? [JEE (Main)-2013]

(1) 0.1 L      (2) 0.9 L  
 (3) 2.0 L      (4) 9.0 L





32. If solubility product of  $Zr_3(PO_4)_4$  is denoted by  $K_{sp}$  and its molar solubility is denoted by  $S$ , then which of the following relation between  $S$  and  $K_{sp}$  is correct? [JEE (Main)-2019]

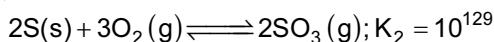
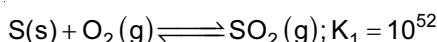
$$(1) S = \left(\frac{K_{sp}}{929}\right)^{\frac{1}{9}}$$

$$(2) S = \left(\frac{K_{sp}}{216}\right)^{\frac{1}{7}}$$

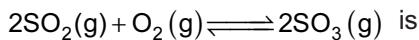
$$(3) S = \left(\frac{K_{sp}}{144}\right)^{\frac{1}{6}}$$

$$(4) S = \left(\frac{K_{sp}}{6912}\right)^{\frac{1}{7}}$$

33. For the following reactions, equilibrium constants are given :



The equilibrium constant for the reaction,

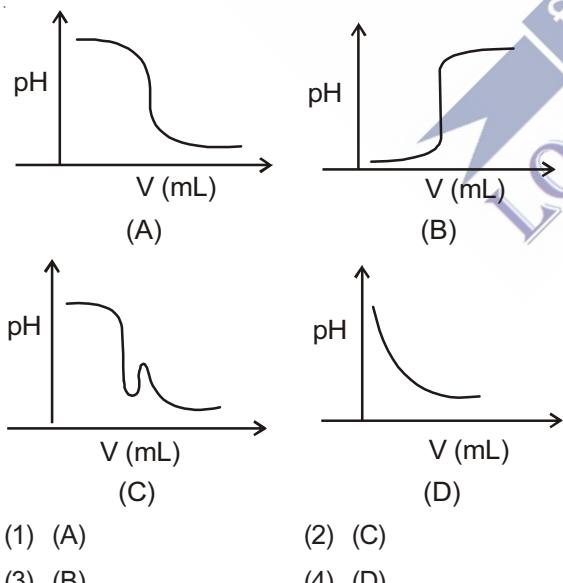


[JEE (Main)-2019]

- (1)  $10^{154}$       (2)  $10^{25}$   
 (3)  $10^{77}$       (4)  $10^{181}$

34. In an acid-base titration, 0.1 M HCl solution was added to the NaOH solution of unknown strength. Which of the following correctly shows the change of pH of the titration mixture in this experiment?

[JEE (Main)-2019]



- (1) (A)      (2) (C)  
 (3) (B)      (4) (D)

35. Consider the following statements

- (a) The pH of a mixture containing 400 mL of 0.1 M  $H_2SO_4$  and 400 mL of 0.1 M NaOH will be approximately 1.3.

- (b) Ionic product of water is temperature dependent.  
 (c) A monobasic acid with  $K_a = 10^{-5}$  has a pH = 5. The degree of dissociation of this acid is 50%.

- (d) The Le Chatelier's principle is not applicable to common-ion effect.

The correct statements are [JEE (Main)-2019]

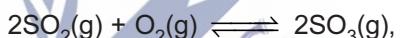
- (1) (a), (b) and (d)  
 (2) (b) and (c)  
 (3) (a) and (b)  
 (4) (a), (b) and (c)

36. The pH of a 0.02 M  $NH_4Cl$  solution will be [given  $K_b(NH_4OH) = 10^{-5}$  and  $\log 2 = 0.301$ ]

[JEE (Main)-2019]

- (1) 2.65      (2) 5.35  
 (3) 4.35      (4) 4.65

37. For the reaction,



$$\Delta H = -57.2 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1} \text{ and } K_c = 1.7 \times 10^{16}.$$

Which of the following statement is INCORRECT?

[JEE (Main)-2019]

- (1) The equilibrium constant is large suggestive of reaction going to completion and so no catalyst is required.  
 (2) The addition of inert gas at constant volume will not affect the equilibrium constant.  
 (3) The equilibrium will shift in forward direction as the pressure increases.  
 (4) The equilibrium constant decreases as the temperature increases.

38. What is the molar solubility of  $Al(OH)_3$  in 0.2 M NaOH solution? Given that, solubility product of  $Al(OH)_3 = 2.4 \times 10^{-24}$

[JEE (Main)-2019]

- (1)  $3 \times 10^{-19}$       (2)  $12 \times 10^{-21}$   
 (3)  $12 \times 10^{-23}$       (4)  $3 \times 10^{-22}$

39. In which one of the following equilibria,  $K_p \neq K_c$ ? [JEE (Main)-2019]

- (1)  $2HI(g) \rightleftharpoons H_2(g) + I_2(g)$   
 (2)  $2NO(g) \rightleftharpoons N_2(g) + O_2(g)$   
 (3)  $NO_2(g) + SO_2(g) \rightleftharpoons NO(g) + SO_3(g)$   
 (4)  $2C(s) + O_2(g) \rightleftharpoons 2CO(g)$

40. The INCORRECT match in the following is

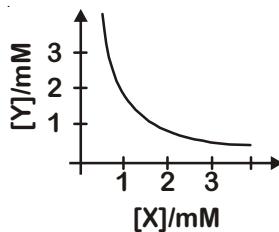
[JEE (Main)-2019]

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| (1) $\Delta G^\circ = 0$ , $K = 1$ | (2) $\Delta G^\circ < 0$ , $K < 1$ |
| (3) $\Delta G^\circ > 0$ , $K < 1$ | (4) $\Delta G^\circ < 0$ , $K > 1$ |

41. The molar solubility of  $\text{Cd}(\text{OH})_2$  is  $1.84 \times 10^{-5}$  M in water. The expected solubility of  $\text{Cd}(\text{OH})_2$  in a buffer solution of pH = 12 is [JEE (Main)-2019]

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| (1) $1.84 \times 10^{-9}$ M              | (2) $6.23 \times 10^{-11}$ M |
| (3) $\frac{2.49}{1.84} \times 10^{-9}$ M | (4) $2.49 \times 10^{-10}$ M |

42. The stoichiometry and solubility product of a salt with the solubility curve given below is, respectively



[JEE (Main)-2020]

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| (1) $\text{X}_2\text{Y}$ , $2 \times 10^{-9}$ M <sup>3</sup> | (2) $\text{XY}_2$ , $4 \times 10^{-9}$ M <sup>3</sup> |
| (3) $\text{XY}_2$ , $1 \times 10^{-9}$ M <sup>3</sup>        | (4) $\text{XY}$ , $2 \times 10^{-6}$ M <sup>3</sup>   |

43. For the following Assertion and Reason, the correct option is

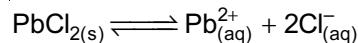
Assertion : The pH of water increases with increase in temperature.

Reason : The dissociation of water into  $\text{H}^+$  and  $\text{OH}^-$  is an exothermic reaction.

[JEE (Main)-2020]

- (1) Both assertion and reason are false
- (2) Assertion is not true, but reason is true
- (3) Both assertion and reason are true, and the reason is the correct explanation for the assertion
- (4) Both assertion and reason are true, but the reason is not the correct explanation for the assertion

44. The  $K_{\text{sp}}$  for the following dissociation is  $1.6 \times 10^{-5}$



Which of the following choices is correct for a mixture of 300 mL 0.134 M  $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  and 100 mL 0.4 M NaCl? [JEE (Main)-2020]

- (1)  $Q < K_{\text{sp}}$

- (2)  $Q = K_{\text{sp}}$

- (3) Not enough data provided

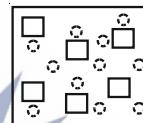
- (4)  $Q > K_{\text{sp}}$

45. The solubility product of  $\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3$  at 298 K is  $6.0 \times 10^{-31}$ . The concentration of hydroxide ions in a saturated solution of  $\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3$  will be

[JEE (Main)-2020]

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| (1) $(2.22 \times 10^{-31})^{1/4}$ |
| (2) $(18 \times 10^{-31})^{1/2}$   |
| (3) $(18 \times 10^{-31})^{1/4}$   |
| (4) $(4.86 \times 10^{-29})^{1/4}$ |

46. In the figure shown below reactant A (represented by square) is in equilibrium with product B (represented by circle). The equilibrium constant is



[JEE (Main)-2020]

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| (1) 4 | (2) 2 |
| (3) 8 | (4) 1 |

47. For the following Assertion and Reason, the correct option is

Assertion (A): When Cu (II) and sulphide ions are mixed, they react together extremely quickly to give a solid.

Reason (R): The equilibrium constant of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{S}^{2-}(\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons \text{CuS}(\text{s})$  is high because the solubility product is low.

[JEE (Main)-2020]

- (1) (A) is false and (R) is true.
- (2) Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is not the explanation for (A).
- (3) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the explanation for (A).
- (4) Both (A) and (R) are false.

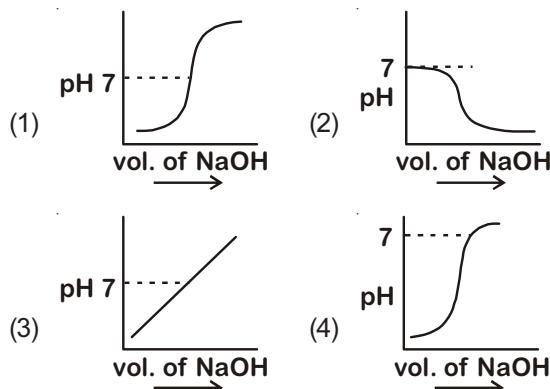
48. An acidic buffer is obtained on mixing

[JEE (Main)-2020]

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| (1) 100 mL of 0.1 M HCl and 200 mL of 0.1 M NaCl                      |
| (2) 100 mL of 0.1 M HCl and 200 mL of 0.1 M $\text{CH}_3\text{COONa}$ |
| (3) 100 mL of 0.1 M $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ and 100 mL of 0.1 M NaOH |
| (4) 100 mL of 0.1 M $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ and 200 mL of 0.1 M NaOH |

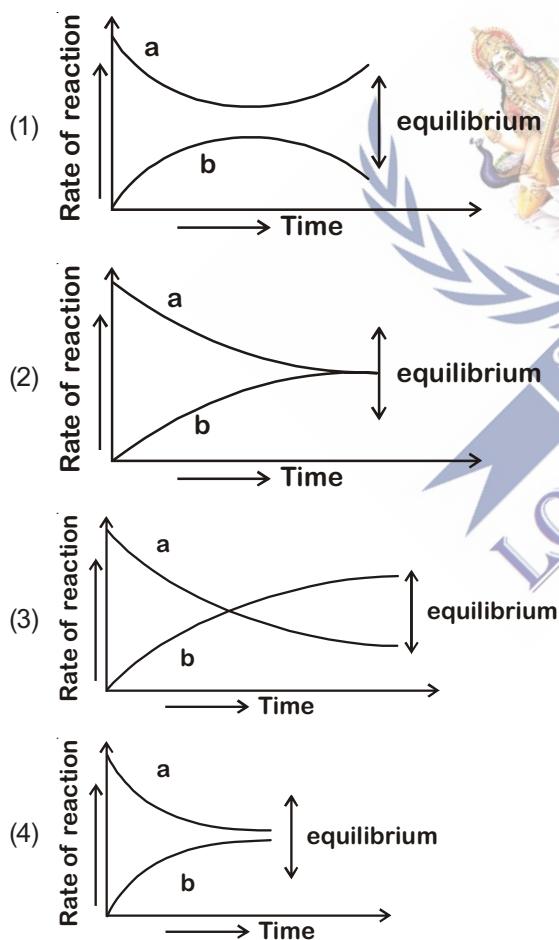
49. 100 mL of 0.1 M HCl is taken in a beaker and to it 100 mL of 0.1 M NaOH is added in steps of 2 mL and the pH is continuously measured. Which of the following graphs correctly depicts the change in pH?

[JEE (Main)-2020]



50. For the equilibrium  $A \rightleftharpoons B$ , the variation of the rate of the forward (a) and reverse (b) reaction with time is given by

[JEE (Main)-2020]

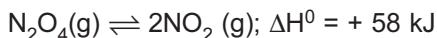


51. If the equilibrium constant for  $A \rightleftharpoons B + C$  is  $K_{\text{eq}}^{(1)}$  and that of  $B + C \rightleftharpoons P$  is  $K_{\text{eq}}^{(2)}$ , the equilibrium constant for  $A \rightleftharpoons P$  is

[JEE (Main)-2020]

- (1)  $K_{\text{eq}}^{(1)} / K_{\text{eq}}^{(2)}$   
 (2)  $K_{\text{eq}}^{(1)} + K_{\text{eq}}^{(2)}$   
 (3)  $K_{\text{eq}}^{(2)} - K_{\text{eq}}^{(1)}$   
 (4)  $K_{\text{eq}}^{(1)} K_{\text{eq}}^{(2)}$

52. Consider the following reaction :



For each of the following cases (a, b), the direction in which the equilibrium shifts is

[JEE (Main)-2020]

- (a) Temperature is decreased  
 (b) Pressure is increased by adding  $\text{N}_2$  at constant T.  
 (1) (a) Towards product, (b) towards reactant  
 (2) (a) Towards reactant, (b) no change  
 (3) (a) Towards reactant, (b) towards product  
 (4) (a) Towards product, (b) no change

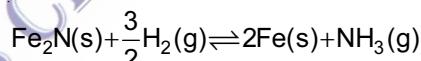
53. Arrange the following solutions in the decreasing order of pOH

- (A) 0.01 M HCl  
 (B) 0.01 M NaOH  
 (C) 0.01 M  $\text{CH}_3\text{COONa}$   
 (D) 0.01 M NaCl

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- (1) (B) > (C) > (D) > (A)    (2) (A) > (D) > (C) > (B)  
 (3) (A) > (C) > (D) > (B)    (4) (B) > (D) > (C) > (A)

54. For the reaction



[JEE (Main)-2020]

- (1)  $K_C = K_p(\text{RT})^{1/2}$     (2)  $K_C = K_p(\text{RT})$   
 (3)  $K_C = K_p(\text{RT})^{3/2}$     (4)  $K_C = K_p(\text{RT})^{-1/2}$

55. The variation of equilibrium constant with temperature is given below

Temperature	Equilibrium Constant
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$$T_1 = 25^\circ\text{C} \quad K_1 = 10$$

$$T_2 = 100^\circ\text{C} \quad K_2 = 100$$

The values of  $\Delta H^\circ$ ,  $\Delta G^\circ$  at  $T_1$  and  $\Delta G^\circ$  at  $T_2$  (in  $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ ) respectively, are close to [Use  $R = 8.314 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ ]

[JEE (Main)-2020]

- (1) 28.4, -5.71 and -14.29  
 (2) 0.64, -7.14 and -5.71  
 (3) 28.4, -7.14 and -5.71  
 (4) 0.64, -5.71 and -14.29

[Given :  $pK_a$  of acetic acid = 4.75, molar mass of acetic acid = 60 g/mol,  $\log 3 = 0.4771$ ]

Neglect any changes in volume.

[JEE (Main)-2020]

59. For a reaction  $X + Y = 2Z$ , 1.0 mol of X, 1.5 mol of Y and 0.5 mol of Z were taken in a 1 L vessel and allowed to react. At equilibrium, the concentration of Z was  $1.0 \text{ mol L}^{-1}$ . The equilibrium constant of the reaction is \_\_\_\_\_  $\frac{x}{15}$ . The value of x is \_\_\_\_\_. [JEE (Main)-2020]

60. If the solubility product of  $\text{AB}_2$  is  $3.20 \times 10^{-11} \text{ M}^3$ , then the solubility of  $\text{AB}_2$  in pure water is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-4} \text{ mol L}^{-1}$ . [Assuming that neither kind of ion reacts with water] [JEE (Main)-2020]

