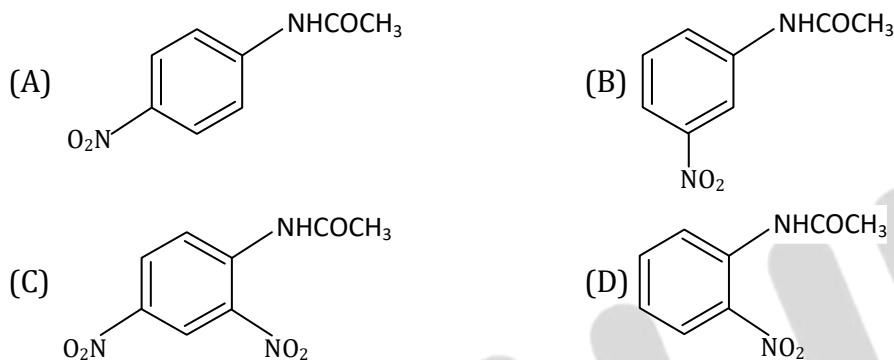
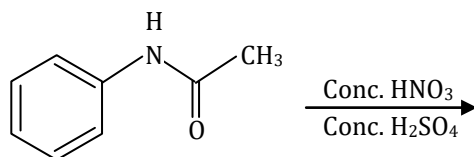


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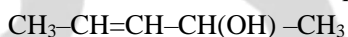
1. The major product formed in the following reaction is



2. Among the α -amino acids - threonine, tyrosine, methionine, arginine and tryptophan, those which contain an aromatic group in their side chain are

(A) threonine and arginine (B) tyrosine and tryptophan
(C) methionine and tyrosine (D) arginine and tryptophan

3. The number of stereoisomers possible for the following compound is

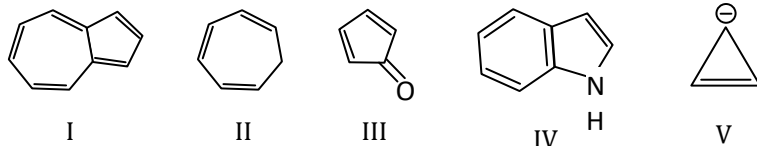


(A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 4

4. In electrophilic aromatic substitution reactions of chlorobenzene, the ortho/para-directing ability of chlorine is due to its

(A) Positive inductive effects (+I) (B) negative inductive effect (-I)
(C) Positive resonance effect (+R) (D) negative resonance effect (-R)

5. Among the following,



the anti-aromatic compounds are

(A) I and IV (B) III and V (C) II and V (D) I and III

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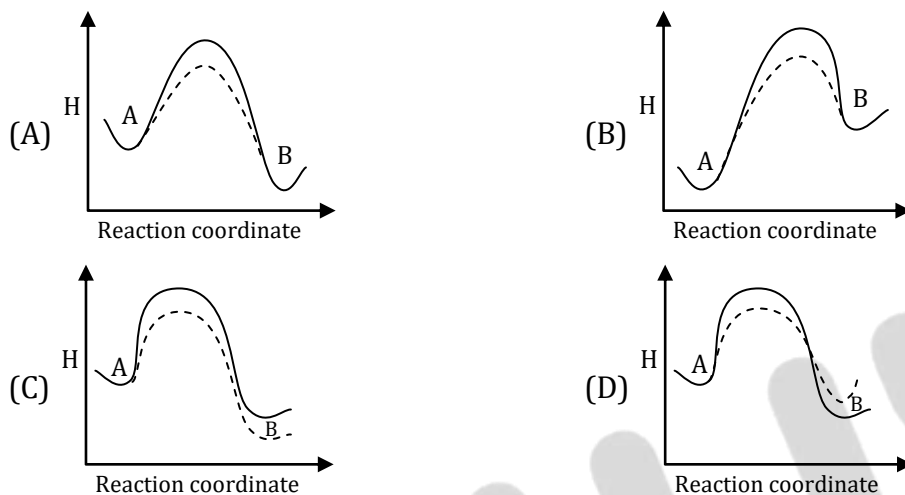


6. Upon reaction with CH_3MgBr followed by protonation, the compound that produces ethanol is
(A) CH_3CHO (B) HCOOH (C) HCHO (D) $(\text{CHO})_2$
7. Which of the following is **NOT** an oxidation-reduction reaction?
(A) $\text{H}_2 + \text{Br}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{HBr}$ (B) $\text{NaCl} + \text{AgNO}_3 \rightarrow \text{NaNO}_3 + \text{AgCl}$
(C) $2\text{Na}_2\text{S}_2\text{O}_3 + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{Na}_2\text{S}_4\text{O}_6 + 2\text{NaI}$ (D) $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{HCl} + \text{HOCl}$
8. The thermal stability of alkaline earth metal carbonates— MgCO_3 , CaCO_3 , SrCO_3 and BaCO_3 , follows the order
(A) $\text{BaCO}_3 > \text{SrCO}_3 > \text{CaCO}_3 > \text{MgCO}_3$ (B) $\text{CaCO}_3 > \text{SrCO}_3 > \text{BaCO}_3 > \text{MgCO}_3$
(C) $\text{MgCO}_3 > \text{CaCO}_3 > \text{SrCO}_3 > \text{BaCO}_3$ (D) $\text{SrCO}_3 > \text{CaCO}_3 > \text{MgCO}_3 > \text{BaCO}_3$
9. When a mixture of diborane and ammonia is heated, the final product is
(A) BH_3 (B) NH_4BH_4 (C) NH_2NH_2 (D) $\text{B}_3\text{N}_3\text{H}_6$
10. Among the following metals, the strongest reducing agent is
(A) Ni (B) Cu (C) Zn (D) Fe
11. The molecule which is **NOT** hydrolysed by water at 25°C is
(A) AlCl_3 (B) SiCl_4 (C) BF_3 (D) SF_6
12. Among the following compounds, the one which does **NOT** produce nitrogen gas upon heating is
(A) $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ (B) NaN_3 (C) NH_4NO_2 (D) $(\text{NH}_4)_2(\text{C}_2\text{O}_4)$
13. Chlorine has two naturally occurring isotopes, ^{35}Cl and ^{37}Cl . If the atomic mass of Cl is 35.45, the ratio of natural abundance of ^{35}Cl and ^{37}Cl is closest to
(A) 3.5 : 1 (B) 3 : 1 (C) 2.5 : 1 (D) 4 : 1
14. The reaction $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{C}_2\text{H}_4(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2(\text{g})$ is at equilibrium in a closed vessel at 1000 K. The enthalpy change (ΔH) for the reaction is $137.0 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$. Which one of the following actions would shift the equilibrium to the right?
(A) Decreasing the volume of the closed reaction vessel
(B) Decreasing the temperature at which the reaction is performed
(C) Adding an inert gas to the closed reaction vessel
(D) Increasing the volume of the closed reaction vessel

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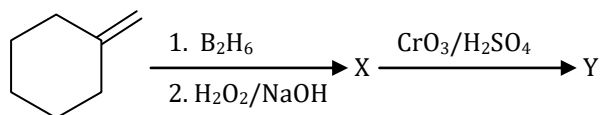
15. The enthalpy (H) of an elementary exothermic reaction $A \rightarrow B$ is schematically plotted against the reaction coordinate. The plots in the presence and absence of a catalyst are shown in dashed and solid lines, respectively. Identify the correct plot for the reaction.



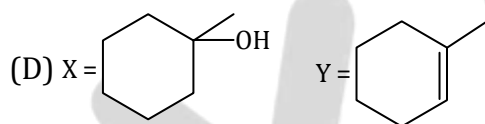
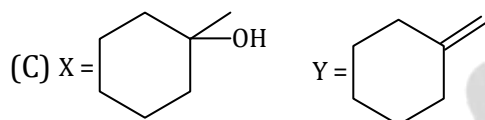
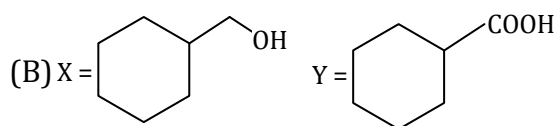
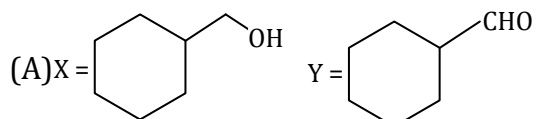
16. $Mg(OH)_2$ is precipitated when NaOH is added to a solution of Mg^{2+} . If the final concentration of Mg^{2+} is $10^{-10}M$, the concentration of OH^{-} (M) in the solution is [Solubility product for $Mg(OH)_2 = 5.6 \times 10^{-12}$]
(A) 0.056 (B) 0.12 (C) 0.24 (D) 0.025
17. A constant current (0.5 amp) is passed for 1 hour through (i) aqueous $AgNO_3$, (ii) aqueous $CuSO_4$ and (iii) molten AlF_3 , separately. The ratio of the mass of the metals deposited on the cathode is [M_{Ag} , M_{Cu} , M_{Al} are molar masses of the respective metals]
(A) $M_{Ag} : 2 M_{Cu} : 3 M_{Al}$ (B) $M_{Ag} : M_{Cu} : M_{Al}$
(C) $6 M_{Ag} : 3 M_{Cu} : 2 M_{Al}$ (D) $3 M_{Ag} : 2 M_{Cu} : M_{Al}$
18. A reaction has an activation energy of 209 kJ mol^{-1} . The rate increases 10-fold when the temperature is increased from $27^\circ C$ to $X^\circ C$. The temperature X is closest to [Gas constant, $R = 8.314 \text{ J mol}^{-1} K^{-1}$]
(A) 35 (B) 40 (C) 30 (D) 45
19. A mineral consists of a cubic close-packed structure formed by O^{2-} ions where half the octahedral voids are occupied by Al^{3+} and one eighth of the tetrahedral voids are occupied by Mn^{2+} . The chemical formula of the mineral is
(A) $Mn_3Al_2O_6$ (B) $MnAl_2O_4$ (C) $MnAl_4O_7$ (D) $Mn_2Al_2O_5$
20. For a 4p orbital, the numbers of radial and angular nodes, respectively, are
(A) 3,2 (B) 1,2 (C) 2, 4 (D) 2,1

PART-II

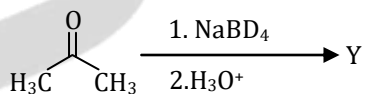
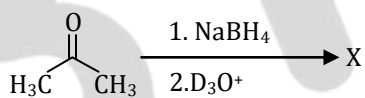
21. In the following reaction sequence



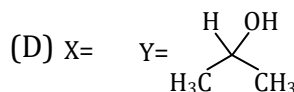
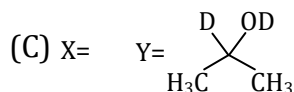
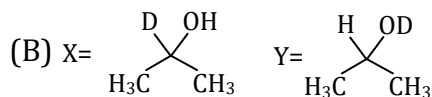
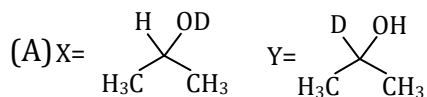
X and Y are



22. In the following reactions



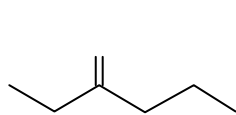
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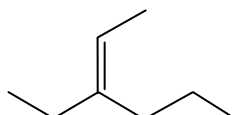
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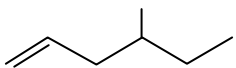
23. Which of the following alkenes can generate optically active compounds upon hydrogenation?



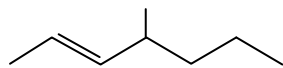
I



II



III



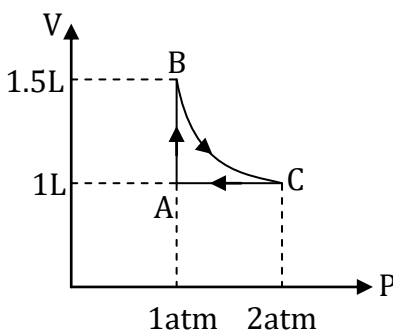
IV

- (A) I, III and IV (B) II and III (C) I and III (D) II and IV
24. When heated in air, brown copper powder turns black. This black powder would turn brown again when heated with
- (A) CO (B) O₂ (C) H₂ (D) NH₃
25. The geometry and magnetic property of [NiCl₄]²⁻, respectively, are
- (A) Tetrahedral, paramagnetic (B) tetrahedral, diamagnetic
(C) Square planar, paramagnetic (D) square planar, diamagnetic
26. Among (i) [Cr(en)₃]³⁺, (ii) trans-[Cr(en)₂Cl₂]⁺, (iii) Cis-[Cr(en)₂Cl₂]⁺(iv) [Co(NH₃)₄Cl₂]⁺the optically active complexes are
- (A) i and ii (B) i and iii (C) ii and iii (D) ii and iv
27. ²²⁷Ac has a half-life of 22 years with respect to radioactive decay. The decay follows two parallel paths: ²²⁷Ac → ²²⁷Th and ²²⁷Ac → ²²³Fr. If the percentage of the two daughter nuclides are 2.0 and 98.0, respectively, the decay constant (in year⁻¹) for ²²⁷Ac → ²²⁷Th path is closest to
- (A) 6.3 × 10⁻² (B) 6.3 × 10⁻³ (C) 6.3 × 10⁻¹ (D) 6.3 × 10⁻⁴

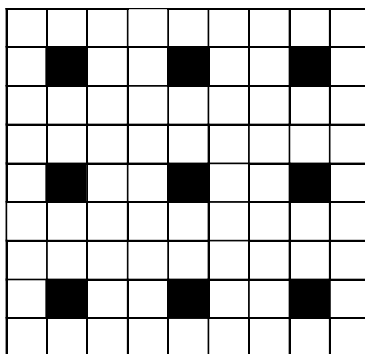
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28. A system consisting of 1 mol of an ideal gas undergoes a reversible process, $A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C \rightarrow A$ (schematically indicated in the figure below). If the temperature at the starting point A is 300 K and the work done in the process $B \rightarrow C$ is 1 L atm, the heat exchanged in the entire process in L atm is



- (A) 1.0 (B) 0.0 (C) 1.5 (D) 0.5
29. A mixture of toluene and benzene boils at 100°C . Assuming ideal behaviour, the mole fraction of toluene in the mixture is closest to [Vapour pressures of pure toluene and pure benzene at 100°C are 0.742 and 1.800 bar respectively. $1 \text{ atm} = 1.013 \text{ bar}$]
- (A) 0.824 (B) 0.744 (C) 0.544 (D) 0.624
30. A two-dimensional solid pattern formed by two different atoms X and Y is shown below. The black and white squares represent atoms X and Y, respectively. The simplest formula for the compound based on the unit cell from the pattern is



- (A) XY_8 (B) X_4Y_9 (C) XY_2 (D) XY_4

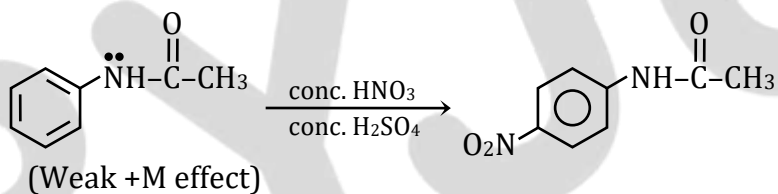
ANSWER KEY

1. (A)	2. (B)	3. (D)	4. (C)	5. (B)
6. (C)	7. (B)	8. (A)	9. (D)	10. (C)
11. (D)	12. (D)	13. (B)	14. (D)	15. (A)
16. (C)	17. (C)	18. (A)	19. (B)	20. (D)
21. (B)	22. (A)	23. (C)	24. (C)	25. (A)
26. (B)	27. (D)	28. (D)	29. (B)	30. (A)

SOLUTIONS

PART-I

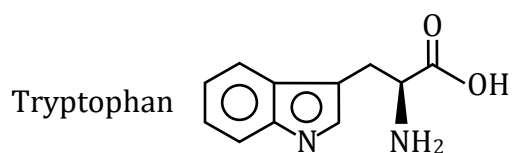
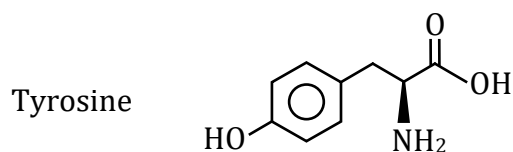
1. (A)



In the above molecule, lone pair of nitrogen is in conjugation with benzene as well as carbonyl group. Therefore, +M effect of 'NH' group on benzene will be weak.

Only mono substitution will take place.

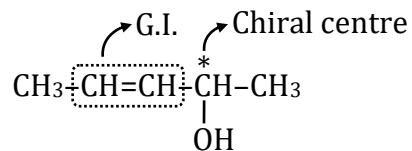
2. (B)



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3. (D)



$$n = 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Number of possible stereoisomers} = 2^n = 2^2 = 4$$

G.I. \rightarrow Can be cis/trans.

Chiral centre \rightarrow can be R/S.

\therefore possible combination

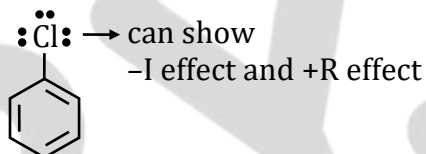
Cis - R

Cis - S

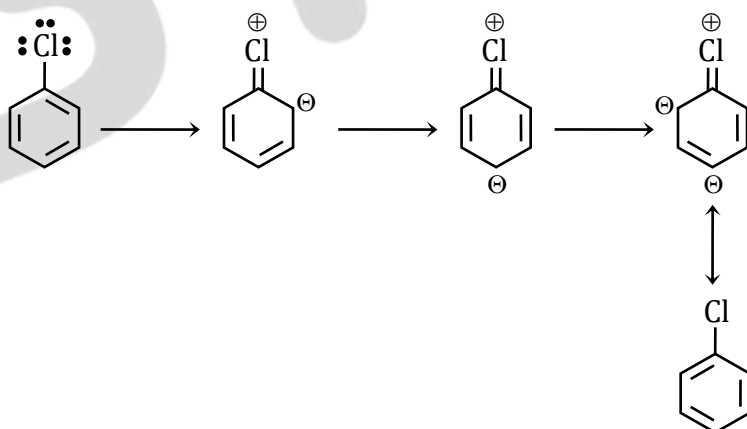
Trans - R

Trans - S

4. (C)



But the dominating one is +R effect. That is why it act as o,p-directing group.

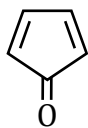


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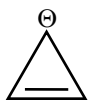
5. (B)

(III)



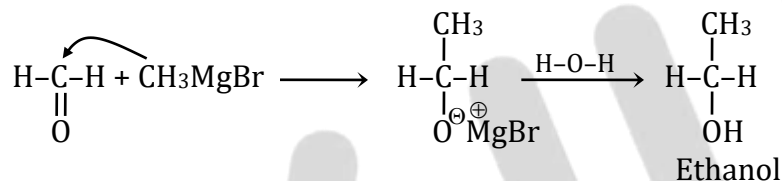
- All 'C' are sp^2 hybridised.
- $4\pi e^-$ system → anti-aromatic

(IV)



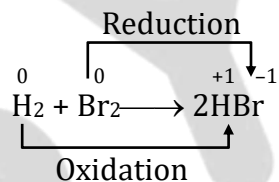
- $4\pi e^-$, system
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6. (C)

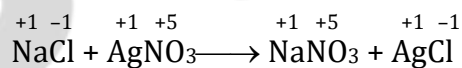


7. (B)

(A)

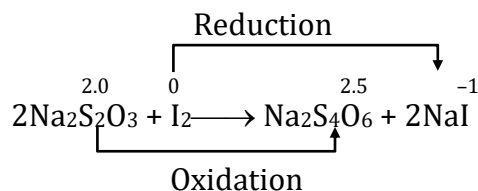


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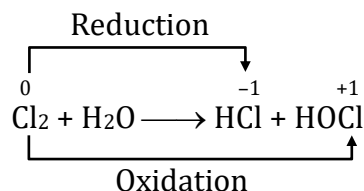


No change in oxidation number.

(C)



(D)



8. (A)



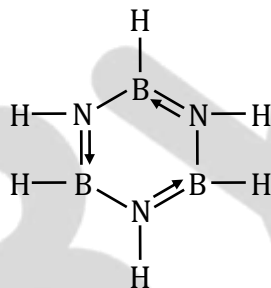
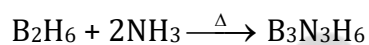
Down the group, size of cation increases and CO_3^{2-} is also large in size.

And large cation + large anion \rightarrow more stability

Hence, more comparable the size of cation and anion, more will be the thermal stability of alkaline earth metal carbonates.

Hence, $\text{BaCO}_3 > \text{SrCO}_3 > \text{CaCO}_3 > \text{MgCO}_3$

9. (D)



Borazole or Inorganic benzene

10. (C)

According to electrochemical series,

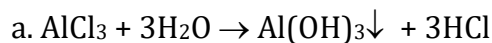
	SRP Value
Ni	-0.25V
Zn	-0.76V
Fe	-0.44V
Cu	+0.34V

Lesser the value of E_{RP}^0 , higher will be the tendency to get oxidized itself and reduce others and hence stronger will be the reducing agent.

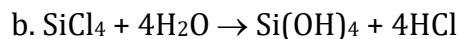
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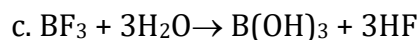
11. (D)



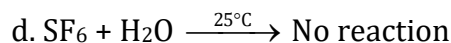
(Al has vacant p-orbital where H_2O can attack.)



(Si has vacant d-orbital where H_2O can attack.)

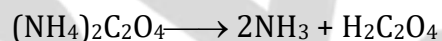
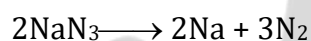
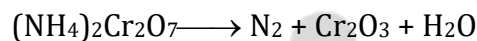


(B has vacant p-orbital where H_2O can attack.)



sulphur has vacant d-orbital but due to steric hindrance created by 6F, SF_6 cannot be hydrolysed at 25°C

12. (D)



13. (B)

Atomic mass of Cl = 35.45 = Average atomic mass

$$\text{Average atomic mass} = \frac{n_1M_1 + n_2M_2}{n_1 + n_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 35.45 = \frac{n_1 \times 35 + n_2 \times 37}{n_1 + n_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 35.45n_1 + 35.45n_2 = 35n_1 + 37n_2$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.45n_1 = 1.55n_2$$

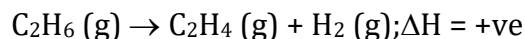
$$\Rightarrow \frac{n_1}{n_2} = \frac{1.55}{0.45} \approx \frac{3}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 : 1$$

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14. (D)



(A) Volume \downarrow \rightarrow Reaction will shift in the direction where number of moles \downarrow according to Le-chatelier principle \rightarrow backward direction.

(B) T \downarrow \rightarrow Reaction will shift in a direction where temperature will increase (backward) as the reaction is endothermic.

(C) Addition of inert gas at constant volume (no effect on equilibrium).

(D) Volume \uparrow \rightarrow Reaction will shift in a direction where number of moles will increase i.e. forward direction.

Correct option is (D).

15. (A)

For exothermic reaction

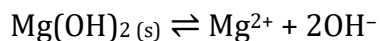
$$\Delta H = E_P - E_R < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow E_B - E_A < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow E_B < E_A$$

Catalyst does not change the initial and final position of the reaction. It will only decrease the activation energy, hence increase the rate of reaction.

16. (C)



Equilibrium s 2s

$$K_{sp} = [\text{Mg}^{2+}][\text{OH}^-]^2 = 5.6 \times 10^{-12}$$

$$10^{-10} [\text{OH}^-]^2 = 5.6 \times 10^{-12}$$

$$[\text{OH}^-] = \sqrt{5.6 \times 10^{-2}} = 0.24 \text{ M}$$

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17. (C)

	Ag ⁺	:	Cu ⁺²	:	Al ⁺³
No. of eq. deposit	x	:	x	:	x
no. of mole deposit	$\frac{x}{1}$:	$\frac{x}{2}$:	$\frac{x}{3}$
	6x	:	3x	:	2x
no. of mole deposit	6	:	3	:	2
mass deposit	6M _{Ag}	:	3M _{Cu}	:	2M _{Al}

18. (A)

$$\epsilon_a = 209 \text{ kJmol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Given: } T_1 = 27^\circ\text{C} = 300 \text{ K}$$

$$T_2 = x^\circ\text{C} = (x + 273)\text{K}$$

$$\frac{K_2}{K_1} = 10$$

Apply

$$\log \frac{K_2}{K_1} = \frac{\epsilon_a}{2.303 R} \left[\frac{1}{T_1} - \frac{1}{T_2} \right]$$

$$1 = \log 10 = \frac{209 \times 10^3}{2.303 \times 8.314} \left[\frac{1}{300} - \frac{1}{x+273} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 273 = 308.4 \text{ K}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 35.4^\circ\text{C} \approx 35^\circ\text{C}$$

19. (B)

$$\text{No. of atoms in ccp} = N$$

$$\text{Then, No. of O.V.} = N$$

$$\text{No. of T.V.} = 2N$$

$$\text{No. of O}^{-2} \text{ per unit cell} = 8 \times \frac{1}{8} + 6 \times \frac{1}{2} = 4$$

$$\text{No. of Al}^{+3} \text{ per unit cell} = 4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2$$

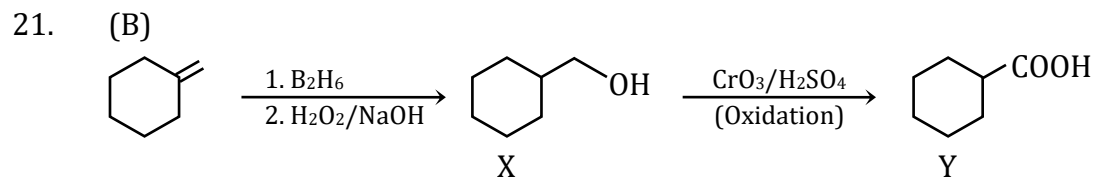
$$\text{No. of Mn}^{+2} \text{ per unit cell} = 8 \times \frac{1}{8} = 1$$



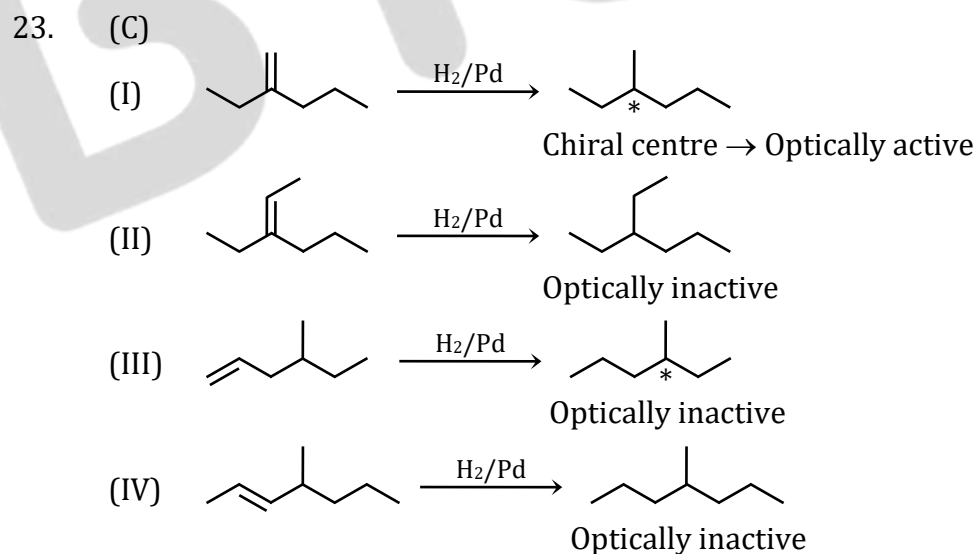
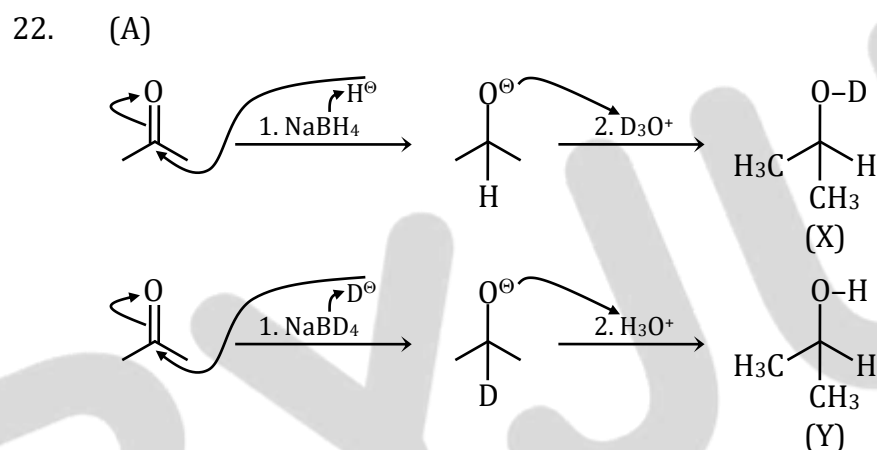
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20. (D)
4p
 $n = 4, \ell = 1$
No. of Radial nodes = $n - \ell - 1 = 4 - 1 - 1 = 2$
No. of Angular nodes = $\ell = 1$

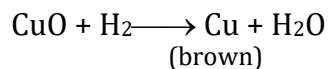
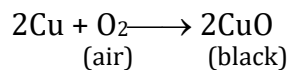


[Hydroboration-Oxidation Reaction]
Anti-markovnikov's rule

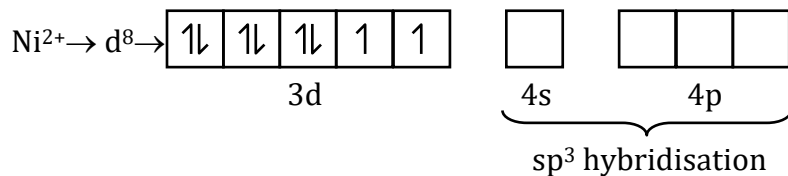


24. (C)

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25. (A)

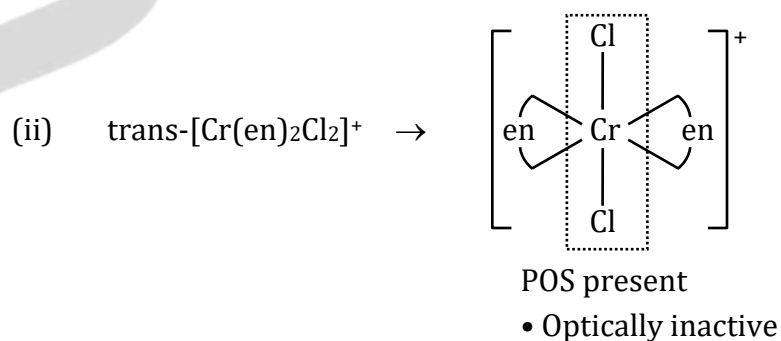
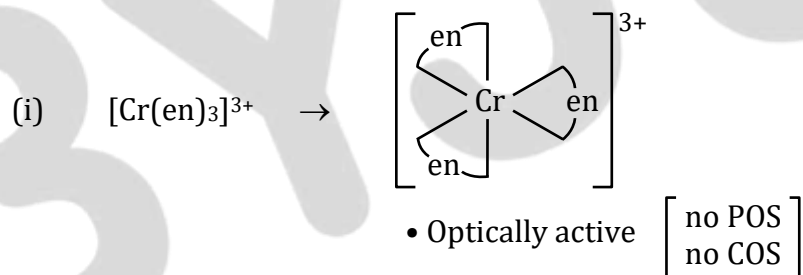


Cl⁻ is weak ligand

No pairing of electron will take place.

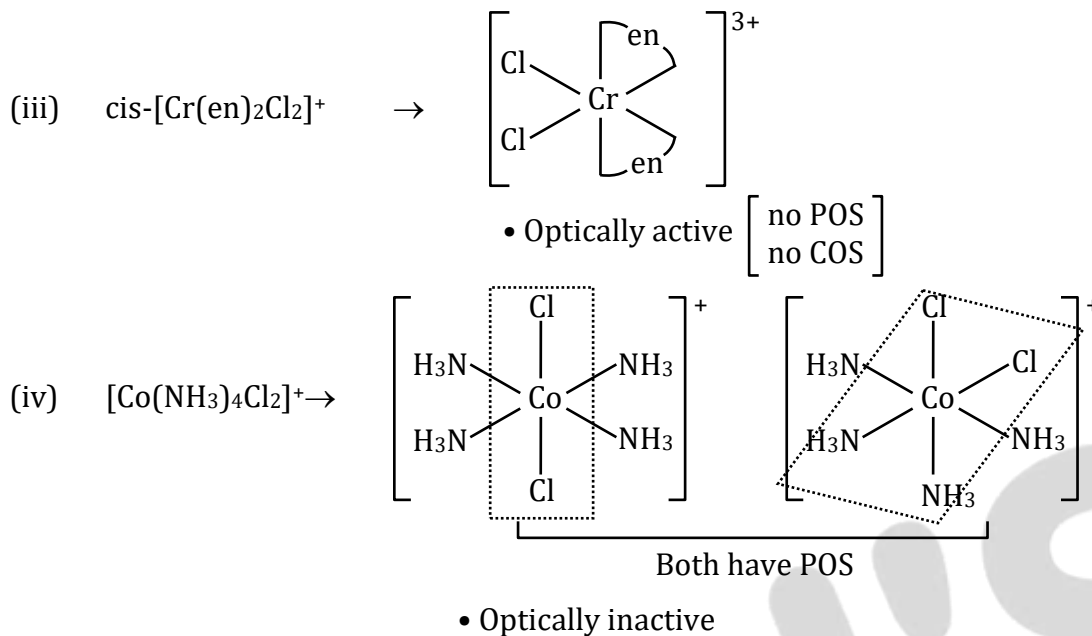
- sp³ hybridisation, tetrahedral
- 2 unpaired electrons → paramagnetic

26. (B)

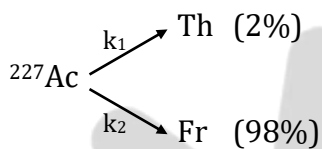


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27. (D)



$$\frac{k_1}{k_2} = \frac{2}{98}$$

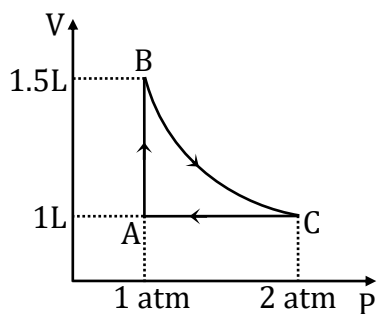
$$t_{1/2} = 22 \text{ years}$$

$$k = \frac{0.693}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.693}{22} \text{ year} = k_1 + k_2$$

$$\frac{0.693}{22} = k_1 + \frac{98}{2} k_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \therefore k_1 = 6.3 \times 10^{-4}$$

28. (D)



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Given: $n = 1$ mole, $T_A = 300$ K, $w_{BC} = 1$ L-atm

$$w_{AB} = -P_{\text{ext.}}(V_2 - V_1) = -1(1.5 - 1) = -0.5 \text{ L-atm}$$

(Isobaric process)

$$w_{CA} = 0 \text{ (dV = 0)}$$

(Isochoric process)

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore w_{\text{total}} &= w_{AB} + w_{BC} + w_{CA} \\ &= -0.5 + 1 + 0 = 0.5 \text{ L-atm} \end{aligned}$$

ΔU calculation

For complete cyclic process $ABC \rightarrow \Delta U = 0$ ($\because U \rightarrow$ is a state function)

According to first law,

$$\Delta U = q + w = 0$$

$$q = -w = -0.5 \text{ L-atm}$$

Heat exchanged during the process = 0.5 L-atm

Correct option is (D).

29. (B)

$$P^{\circ}_{\text{toluene}} = 0.742 \text{ bar}$$

$$P^{\circ}_{\text{benzene}} = 1.800 \text{ bar}$$

Mixture boils at $100^{\circ}\text{C} \rightarrow$ at 1 atm = 1.013 bar

$$P_T = 1.013 \text{ bar} = P_A X_A + P_B X_B$$

$$\Rightarrow P_T = P_t^{\circ} X_t + P_b^{\circ} X_b$$

$$1.013 = 0.742 X_t + 1.8(1 - X_t)$$

$$\Rightarrow X_t = 0.744$$

$$X_b = 1 - 0.744 = 0.256$$

X_t = mole fraction of toluene.

30. (A)

The unit cell of the above pattern will consist of 8 white square and 1 black square i.e. it will form centre unit cell.

$$\therefore \text{No. of white square } Y = 8$$

$$\text{No. of black square } X = 1$$

\therefore **Formula XY_8**