

## Chemistry Practical Class 11 Drawing Out a Glass Jet Viva Questions with Answers

**Q1:** Mention the various steps which are involved in drawing a glass tube into a jet.

**Answer:**

- Selecting the ideal tube
- Heating the centre of the glass tube
- Breaking
- Filing
- Cooling

**Q2:** What type of glass is preferred for drawing out a jet?

**Answer:**

Soda-lime glass is used in drawing out a jet.

**Q3:** Why is the glass tube of a small diameter chosen for drawing out a jet?

**Answer:**

Because a larger diameter tube would have to be stretched too far, a small diameter glass tube was chosen.

**Q4:** Why should the diameter of the borer be less than the diameter of the tube to be inserted in the hole?

**Answer:**

This is done to ensure that the tube fits tightly in the hole.

**Q5:** What is the role of glycerine in the process of boring?

**Answer:**

The borer is lubricated with glycerine. This provides a smooth hole on boring.

**Q6:** Why is it required to round off the freshly cut edges of the glass tube?

**Answer:**

The glass tube's freshly cut edges are sharp. They might hurt fingers as a result of mishandling.

**Q7:** What is the use of a fume cupboard?

**Answer:**

It's utilised to conduct experiments that need the production of hazardous gases or vapours.

**Q8:** What type of flame would you use for general heating purposes?

**Answer:**

For general heating, a non-luminous oxidising flame is utilised since it produces the most heat due to the full burning of hydrocarbons.

**Q9:** What is the use of a wash bottle?

**Answer:**

It's used to produce a thin stream of water for cleaning or transferring precipitate.

**Q10:** Why is the glass tube of a smaller diameter chosen for drawing out a jet?

**Answer:**

To draw a jet from a tube with a larger diameter, the tube must be stretched too far, which is not feasible.