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Question Bank

1. The half lives of radioactive elements X and Y are 3 minute

and 27 minute respectively. If the activities of both are same,

then calculate the ratio of number of atoms of X and Y.

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2. The radius of gemanium (Ge) moclide is measund w be

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3. Initial ratio of active nuclei in two different sample is 2: 3 their half lives are 2 hr and 3hr respectively . Ratio of their activities at the end of 12 hr is :

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4. The radii of NUCLEI of two atoms are in ratio $\frac{3}{2}$. Assuming them to be hydrogen like atom, the ratio of their orbital radius for (K) shell is m/n $.F \in d(m+n) . (As \sum e \nu mberofpro \rightarrow n=`$

Number of neutron for each atom)

5. The fraction of a radioactive material which reamins active after time t is 9/16. The fraction which remains active after time t/2 will be .

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rock. The age of the rock was estimated to be



8. Obtain the amount of $()_{27}^{60}(Co)$ (in $\mu(g)$) necessary to provide a radioactive source of 8.0(-m)(Ci) strength. The half life of $()_{27}^{60}(Co)$ is 5.3 years. (Give answer in integer value)



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12. A nucleus of mass number 220 , initially at rest, emits an α -particle. If the Q value of the reaction is 5.5 MeV, the energy (in MeV) of the emitted α -particle will be



13. A radioactive material decays by simulataneous emission of two particle from the with respective half - lives 1620 and 810 year . The time , in year , after which one - fourth of the material remains is



14. In an α -decay, the kinetic energy of α -particles is 48 MeVand Q value of the reaction is 50 MeV. The mass number of the mother nucleus is (assume that daughter nucleus is in ground

state)



15. The distance of closest approach of a certain nucleus is 7.2 fm and it has a charge of 1.28×10^{-17} C. The number of neutrons inside the nucleus of an atom is



16. The activity of a fresh radioactive solution of volume 1 litre is 1200Bq. A volume ΔV of the same liquid has an activity 120Bq after three half lives. Then ΔV (in cc) must be

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17. Two' radioactive samples X and Y having half life 3 years and 2 years, respectively, have been decaying for many years. Today both samples have equal number of atoms. After how many years the number of atoms in the sample X will be twice of the number of atoms in the sample Y?



18. Radioactive NUCLEI A and B with half lives T and 21, respectively, disintegrate into C. At t = 0, number of NUCLEI of each A and B is x. The number of NUCLEI of C when rate of disintegration of A and B are equal is αx .

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19. Geiger counter reading of a radioactive sample is initially 6800 counts per minute. The same sample gives a reading of 425 counts per minute 10h later. The half life of sample is α hours. Find 2α .

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20. A sample of β active NUCLEI has a half life of 1.00 min. Initially, there are $10^{13}\beta$ active NUCLEI. Assuming that all the β particles emitted leave the sample, what is the charge (in μC) acquired by the sample in 200 min?



21. For a substance, the average life for α -emission is 3240 years and for β emission is 810 years. After how much time (in years) the one-fourth of the material remains by simultaneous emission? ($\ln 2 = 0.693$) (Round of the answer to nearest integer.)



22. A nucleus with mass number 220, initially at rest, emits an α -particle. If the Q value of reaction is 7.8 MeV and subsequently after the emission of α -particle, a photon of energy 1.2 MeV is also emitted, then the kinetic energy (in MeV) of α -particle is.







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$$R
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 $S
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Starting with number of atoms of R and S in the ratio of 2:1 this

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26. The radioactive sources A and B, initially containing the same number of radioactive atoms, have half lives of 2h and 4h, respectively. At the end of 2h, their rates of disintegration are in the ratio $\sqrt{\frac{p}{q}}$. Find (p+q).

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27. A nucleus X, initially at rest, decays into a nucleus Y with the emission of an α -particle'and energy Q is released. If m is mass of α -particle and M that of rucleus Y, the energy of the emitted α -particle is given by $E_{\alpha} = \frac{QM}{M+xm}$. Find the value of x.



28. The graph represents the decay of a newly prepared sample of radioactive nuclide X to a stable nuclide Y. The half life of X is τ . The growth curve for Y intersects the decay curve for X after time T. What is the time T in multiple of τ ? '(## CEN_KSR_PHY_JEE_CO30_E01_028_Q01##)'



29. The threshold energy (in (MeV)) for the following nuclear reaction to proceed is $\frac{4}{H}e + \text{underset}(7)\text{overset}(14)\text{N rarr } \stackrel{17}{O}_{8} + \text{underset}(1)\text{overset}(1)\text{H}$ $A \rightarrow mic, massofunderset(2)\text{overset}(4)\text{He} = 4.00260$ amu $A \rightarrow micmassof$ underset(7)overset(14)N=14.00307 amu $A \rightarrow micmassof$ underset(8)overset(17)Li = 16.99913($a\mu$) Atomic mass of $\stackrel{1}{H} = 1.00783(a\mu)$

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30. Half life of a radioactive substance is 2.34 min. It is produced at'a constant rate of 10^8 NUCLEI per second. How soon (in minute) after the beginning of production will its activity be equal to disintegration per second?

31. A radioactive sample has a half life of 40s. When its activity is measured 80s after the beginning, it is found to be 6.932×10^{18} dps. During this time, total energy released is $6 \times 10^8 J$. If the energy released per fission is $y \times 10^{-13}$ joule, then find y. (ln 2 = 0.6932)



32. A moving neutron collides with stationary H-atom in ground state. As a result it excites and then de-excites. The corresponding radiation fail on a surface having work function σ . The minimum value of required kinetic energy for neutron is E_0 and possible minimum value of de-Broglie wavelength of emitted photoelectrons is λ_0 . If the neutron hits stationary $(He)^+$ ion instead of stationary (H) atom, then the minimum

value of kinetic energy for neutron is E_1 and the value of energy. transferred from neutron to H-atom is $\frac{xE_0}{y}$. Find (xy).



33. One possible method for revealing the presence of concealed nuclear weapons is to detect the neutrons emitted in the spontaneous fission of $P^{240}u$ in the warhead. In an actual trial, a neutron detector of radius 1.0m carried on a helicopter measured a neutrón flux of $50s^{-1}$ at a distance of 100m from a missile warhead. Estimate the mass of $P^{240}u$ (in kg) in the warhead. The mean life for spontaneous fission in $P^{240}u$ is $6 \times 10^{18}s$, and 2.5 neutrons on the average are emitted in each fission. (Avogadro's number $= 6 \times 10^{23}$)

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34. For a substance, the average life for α -emission is 1620 years and for β emission is 405 years. If after $(k \times 0.693)$ years, the one-fourth of the material remains by simultaneous emission, then find k

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36. The graph in the figure shows how the count-rate A of adioactive source as measured by a Geiger counter varies with time t. The relationship between A and t is $A = ke^{-0.1t}$. Find k. (Assume ln12=2.6)`

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37. Consider a nuclear fusion reaction $A + B \rightarrow C$. Nucleus Ais moving with kinetic energy = 5MeV and collides with mucleus B moving with kinetic energy = 3MeV and f or $ms'\nu c \leq usC$ $\in excited state. F \in dthek \in etice \neq rgy(\in MeV)ofnúc \leq us$ Cjustafteritsf or mationgiventitsexcitatione $\neq rgyis$ 10.3 MeV. TakemassesofNUCLEIofA, B and Cas25.0 amu, 10.0 amu, 34.99 amu`, respectively. (1 amu=930 MeV)



38. The positions of D_1^2 , H_2^4e and L_3^7 are shown on the binding energy curve as shown in the figure. Find the energy released (in multiple of 2(MeV)) in the fusion reaction, $D_1^2 + underset(3)$ overset(7)Li rarr $2H_2^4e + n_o^1$

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39. A radioactive sample contains two radionuclids A and B having décay constant λh^{-1} and $2\lambda h^{-1}$. Initially, 25 % of total decay comes from A. How long (in h) will it take before 75 % of total decay comes from A. (Take $\lambda = \ln 3$)

40. Consider the following process of decays

 $\stackrel{234}{U}_{92}
ightarrow \stackrel{230}{T}_{90}h + \stackrel{4}{H}_{2}e, T_{rac{1}{2}} = 250000 years$ 234 ${T \over 90} h
ightarrow {226 \\ R 88} a + {4 \\ R e}, T_{1 \over 2} = 80000 years$ ${\mathop{Raskin matrix}{Raskin 86}} Rashing {a \to \mathop{Raskin matrix}{Raskin 86}$ occurred for a long time, a state is reached where every two 234226thorium atoms formed from $\tilde{U}_{_{92}}$, one decomposes to form $\overset{220}{R}n$ 226and for every two Ra formed, one decomposes to form underset(222)overset(86)Rn . Calcate the ratio of
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