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1. How many electrons, protons, and neutrons are there in an atom of

atomic number 11 and mass number 24?

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2. select the point of isotones from the following nuclei $._{12} Mg^{24}, ._1 H^3, ._2 He^4, ._{11} Na^{23}.$

3. Name the isotopes of hydrogen.



4. The three stable isotopes of neon: $_{-}(10)^{20}Ne^{21}_{,10}Ne$ and $^{22}_{10}Ne$ have respective abundances of 90.51%, 0.27% and 9.22%. The atomic masses of the three isotopes are 19.99 u, 20.99 u and 21.99 u, respectively. Obtain the average atomic mass of neon.



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 $\left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^{th}$ of its initial value in 40 years.



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ightarrow {}_{\cdot 2}\,He^4 + {}_{\cdot 1}\,H^3$

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16. The nucleus of an atom of $._{92} Y^{235}$ initially at rest decays by emitting an α particle. The binding energy per nucleon of parent and daughter nuclei are 7.8*MeV* and 7.835*MeV* respectively and that of α particles is 7.07*MeV*/nucleon. Assuming the daughter nucleus to be formed in the unexcited state and neglecting its share of energy in the reaction, calculate speed of emitted alpha particle. Take mass of α particle to be $6.68 \times 10^{-27} kg$.



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19. Calculate the energy released when three alpha particles combine to

form a $_^{12}$ C nucleus. The atomic mass of $_^4$ He is 4.002603u.

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20.
$$\xrightarrow{10^{21} \text{per sec}} A \xrightarrow{\lambda = \frac{1}{30}} B$$
.

A shows radioactivity disintegration and it is continuosuly produced at the rate of 10^{21} per sec. Find maximum number of nuclei of A.

21. The age of a rock containing lead and uranium is equal to 1.5×10^9 years. The uranium is decaying into lead with half life equal to 4.5×10^9 years. Find the ratio of lead to uranium present in the rock, assuming that initially no lead was present in the rock (given $2^{\frac{1}{3}}$ =1.259)

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22. A radioactive substance (A) is produced at a constant rate which decays with a decay constant λ to form stable substance (B).If production of A starts at t=0 . Find (i)The number of nuclei of A and (ii)Number of nuclei of B at any time t.

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 $minom{56}{26}Feig)=55.934939~~u~~minom{209}{83}Biig)=208.9803388~~u$

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32. The energy required to separate the typical middle mass nucleus $._{50}^{120} Sn$ into its constituent nucleons (Mass of $._{50}^{120} sn = 119.902199u$, mass of proton = 1.007825u and mass of neutron = 1.008665u)

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33. Binding energy of $_2He^4$ and $_3Li^7$ are 27.37 MeV and 39.3 MeV respectively. Which of the two nuclei is more stable ?

34. A certain element has half life period of 30 days. Find its average life

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35. A radioactive isotope X has a half-life of 3s. At t = 0 s, a given sample of

this isotope X contains 8000 atoms. Find the time t_1 , when 1000 atoms of

isotope X remains in the sample.

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15 mg mass after 38 days ?



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 $.^{235}_{92}\,Y
ightarrow .^{231}_{90}\,X + .^4_2\,He$ + Energy

It is given that the binding energies per nucleon of the parent and the daughter nuclei are 7.8 MeV and 7.835 MeV respectively and that of α -

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2. A nucleus has atomic number 11 and mass number 24. State the number of electrons, protons and neutrons in the nucleus.

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3. Two stable isotopes of lithium $._{3}^{6} Li$ and $._{3}^{7} Li$ have respective abundances of 7.5% and 92.5%. These isotopes have masses 6.0152 u and 7.016004 u respectively. Find the atomic weight of lithium

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4. Compare the radii of two nuclei with mass number 1 and 27 respectively.



5. Assuming the nuclei to be spherical in shape, how does the surface area of a nucleus of mass number A_1 compare with that of a nucleus of mass number A_2 ?

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6. Obtain the approximate value of the radius of (a)a nucleus of $._2^4\,He$

(b)a nucleus of $.^{238}_{92} U$

(c)What is the ratio of these radii?



7. Concrete is produced form a mixture of cement, water and small stones. Small amount of gypsum, $CaSO_4.2H_2O$ is added in cement production to improve the subsequent hardening of concrete. The elevated temperature during the production of cement may lead to the formation of unwanted hemihydrate $CaSO_4.\frac{1}{2}H_2O$ according to reaction.

 $CaSO_4.2H_2O(s) \rightarrow CaSO_4. \frac{1}{2}H_2O(s) + \frac{3}{2}H_2O(g)$ The $\Delta_f H^{\Theta} of CaSO_2.2H_2O(s), CaSO_4 \frac{1}{2}H_2O(s), H_2O(g)$ are $-2021.0kJmol^{-1}, -1575.0kJmol^{-1}$ and $-241.8kJmol^{-1}$, respectively. The respective values of their standard entropies are 194.0, 130.0 and $188.0JK^{-1}mol^{-1}$. The values of $R = 8.314JK^{-1}mol^{-1} = 0.0831L$ bar $mol^{-1}K^{-1}$.

Answer the following questions on the basis of above information.

The value of $\Delta G^{\,\Theta}$ for the reaction at 298K is

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8. Calculate the packing fraction of α -particle from the following data :

Mass of helium nucleus =4.0028 amu

Mass of free proton =1.00758 amu

Mass of free neutron =1.00897 amu

9. The binding energy per nucleon for C^{12} is 7.68 MeV and that for C^{13} is

7.47 MeV. What is the energy required to remove a neutron from C^{13} ?

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10. After a certain laps of time , fraction of radioactive -potonium undecays is found to be 12.5% of the initial quantity. What is the duration of this time lapse if half life of potonum is 139 days ?

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11. The half life of radon is 3,8 days . After how many hdays $\frac{19}{20}$ of the sample will decay ?



12. A radioactive element reduces to 25% of its initial value in 1000 years.

What is half-life of the element ?



13. Complete the decay reaction $._{10}~Na^{23}
ightarrow \ ? + ._{-1}~e^0 + \ ?$

Also, find the maximum KE of electrons emitted during this decay. Given mass of $._{10} Na^{23} = 22.994465u$. mass of $._{11} Na^{23} = 22.989768u$.

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14. Calculate the maximum energy that a β particle can have in the following decay:

$${}_{.8}\,O^{19}
ightarrow {}_{.9}\,F^{19} + {}_{.-1}\,e^0 + ar{
u}$$

Given,

 $mig(._8\ O^{19}ig) = 19.003576 u, mig(._9\ F^{19}ig) = 18.998403 u, mig(._{-1}\ e^0ig) = 0.000549 u$

15. A body weighs 64 N on the surface of the Earth. What is the gravitational force on it (in N) due to the Earth at a height equal to one-third of the radius of the Earth?



$$._1\,H^2 + ._1\,H^2 + ._1\,H^2
ightarrow ._2\,He^4 + ._1\,H^1 + ._0\,n^1 + 21.6$$
 MeV

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24. in a fission reaction of X and Y is 8.5 MeV , whereas of ^{236}U is 7.6 MeV

the total energy liberated will be about

A. 400 MeV

B. 200 Mev

C. 300 Mev

D. 200 KeV

Answer:

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25. The mass of proton is 1.0073 u and that of neutron is 1.0087 u (u = atomic mass unit). The binding energy of $._2^4$ He is (Given : helium nucleus mass \approx 4.0015 u)

A. 28.4 MeV

B. 62.4 MeV

C. 42.4 MeV

D. 10.2 MeV

Answer:

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26. Binding energy of a nucleus is of the order of:

A. 8 eV

B. 8 J

C. 8 KeV

D. 8 MeV

Answer:

27. Binding energy per nucleon versus mass number curve for nuclei is shown in the figure W,X, Y and Z are four nuclei indicated on the curved. The process that would release energy is



A. C
ightarrow 2D

 $\mathsf{B.}\, A \to C+D$

 $\mathsf{C}.\, A \to 2C$

D. B
ightarrow C + D

Answer:





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A. 1 B. 2 C. 4

D. 6

Answer: A

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32. What is the respective number of α and $\beta\text{-particles}$ emitted in the

following radiactive decay

 $.^{200} X_{90}
ightarrow .^{168} Y_{80}$?

A. 6 and 8

B. 6 and 6

C. 8 and 8

D. 8 and 6

Answer:



33. Which of the following is used as a moderator in nuclear reactors?

A. Uranium

B. Heavy water

C. Cadmium

D. Plutonium

Answer:



34. Nuclear - Fission is best explained by:

A. Proton proton cycle

- B. Liquid drop model of nucleus
- C. independent of nuclear particle model
- D. Nuclear shell model

Answer:

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35. A chain reaction in fission of Uranium is possible because

- A. Fragments in fission are radioactive
- B. More than one neutron is given out
- C. Small amount of energy is released
- D. large amount of energy is released

Answer:

36. On bombardment of U^{235} by slow neutrons, 200MeV energy is released. If the power output of atomic reactor is 1.6MW, then the rate of fission will be

A. $5 imes 10^{10}$ B. $5 imes 10^{12}$ C. $5 imes 10^4$

D. $5 imes 10^{16}$

Answer:

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Assignment Section A Objective One Option Is Correct

1. Size of nucleus is in the order of

A. 10^{-15} m B. 10^{-10} m C. 10^{-12} m D. 10^{-19} m

Answer: A



2. the masses of neutron and prtons are 1.0087anmu and 1.0073 amu , respectivley ,if the neutrons and protons combine to form a heilum nucles (alpha particles) of mass 4.00 15 amu the binding energy of the heilum nucleus will be (1amu =931 MeV)

A. 24.8 MeV

B. 28.4 Mev

C. 14.2 MeV

D. 42.8 MeV

Answer: B



3. The average binding energy of a nucleon inside an atomic nucleus is

about

A. 8 J

B.8 KeV

C. 8 ev

D. 8 Mev

Answer: D



4. The binding energy of α particle $\frac{4}{2}He$ is 7.047 MeV per nucleon and the

binding energy of deutron 2_1H is 1.112 MeV per nucleon. Then in the fusion

reaction ${}^2_1H + {}^2_1H
ightarrow {}^4_2He + Q$, the energy Q released is

A. 23.74 MeV

B. 32.82 MeV

C. 11.9 MeV

D. 4.94 MeV

Answer: A

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5. One requires energy E_n to remove a nucleon from a nucleus and an energy E_e to remove an electrons from the orbit of an atom. Then

A. $E_n > E_e$ B. $E_n < E_e$ C. $E_n = E_e$ D. $E_n < E_e$

Answer: A

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6. The mass number of a nucleus is equal to

A. Electrons it contains

B. Neutrons it contains

C. Protons it contains

D. Nucleons it contains

Answer: D

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7. Outside a nucleus.

A. Neutron is unstable

B. Proton and neutron both are stable

C. Neutron is stable

D. Neither neutron nor proton is stable

Answer: A

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8. Radius of 4_2he nucleus is 3 Fermi. The radius of ${}^{32S}_{16}$ nucleus will be

A. 6 Fermi

B. 4 Fermi

C. 5 Fermi

D. 8 Fermi

Answer: A
9. The force acting between proton and proton inside the nucleus is.

A. Coulomb

B. Nuclear

C. Neither coulombic or nuclear

D. Both coulombic & nuclear

Answer: D

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10. For a nucleus to be stable, the correct relation between neutron number N and proton number Z is.

A. N=Z

 $\operatorname{B.} N \geq Z$

C. N lt Z

D. N gt Z

Answer: B



11. In the nucleus of helium if F_1 is the net force between two protons, F_2 is the net force between two neutrons and F_3 is the net force between a proton and a neutron. Then,

A. $F_1 = F_2 = F_3$ B. $F_1 = F_2 > F_3$ C. $F_1 = F_3 > F_2$ D. $F_2 > F_1 > F_3$

Answer: A

12. If m, m_n and m_p are the masses of $_z X^A$ nucleus, neutron and proton respectively

A.
$$m=(A-Z)m_p+Zm_p$$

B. $m=(A-Z)m_p+Zm_n$
C. $m<(A-Z)m_n+Zm_p$
D. $m<(A-Z)m_n+Zm_p$

Answer: C

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13. Average K. E of thermal neutron is of the order of (in KeV)

A. 3 eV

B. 0.03 eV

C. 3 KeV

D. 3 Mev

Answer: B
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14. The control rod in a nuclear reactor is made of
A. Graphite
B. Plutonium
C. Cadmium
D. Uranium
Answer: C
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15. Fusion reaction takes place at high tamperature because

A. At high temperature atoms are ionised

- B. Al high temperature molecules break-up
- C. At high temperature nuclei break-up
- D. To overcome repulsion between nuclei kinetic energy should be

high enough

Answer: D



16. Nucleus A divides into two nuclei B and C in a fission process, their binding energies being E_a , E_b and E_c respectively. Then

- A. $E_b + E_c > E_a$
- $\mathsf{B.}\, E_b + E_c < E_a$
- $\mathsf{C}.\, E_b + E_c = E_a$
- $\mathsf{D}.\, E_b E_c = E_a$

Answer: A



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18. A reactor is generating 1000 kW of power and 200 MeV of energy may be obtained per fission of U^{235} . The rate of nuclear fission in the reactor is

A. $3.125 imes10^{16}$

B. $1.253 imes 10^{16}$

 ${\rm C.}\,2\times10^8$

 $D.\,931$

Answer: A

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19. In the nuclear reaction $._{92}\,U^{238}
ightarrow ._z\,Th^A + ._2\,He^4$, the values of A

and Z are.

A. A=234 , Z=94

B. A=238, Z=90

C. Z=238, Z=94

D. A=234, Z=90

Answer: D

20. The number of neutrons released when $._{92} U^{235}$ undergoes fission by absorbing $._0 n^1$ and $(._{56} Ba^{144} + ._{36} Kr^{89})$ are formed, is.

A.	2
B.	3
C.	1
D.	0

Answer: B

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21. Neutrino is a particle, which is

A. Charge less and has spin

B. Charged and has spin

C. Charged and has no spin

D. Charge less and has no spin

Answer: A



22. The binding energy of nucleus is a measure of its.

A. Mass

B. Stability

C. Charge

D. Momentum

Answer: B



23. Heavy water is

A. Compound of helium and oxygen

B. Water at $4^\circ C$

C. Compound of heavy oxygen and heavy hydrogen

D. Water in which soup does not lather

Answer: A

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- 24.1 atomic mass unit is equal to
 - A. $\frac{1}{16}$ (mass of O_2 molecules) B. $\frac{1}{25}$ (mass of F_2 molecules) C. $\frac{1}{12}$ (mass of one C-atom) D. $\frac{1}{14}$ (mass of N_2 molecules)

Answer: C

25. A nucleus of $._{84}^{210}$ Po originally at rest emits α particle with speed v. What will be the recoil speed of the daughter nucleus ?



Answer: C

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26. The curve of blinding energy per nucleon as a function of atomic mass number has a sharp peak for helium nucleus. This implies that helium.

A. Is very stable

B. Is radioactive

- C. Can easily be broken up
- D. Can be used as fissionable material

Answer: A

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27. The atoms of same element having same chemical properties but

different masses are called

A. isotones

B. Isomers

C. Isotopes

D. Isobars

Answer: C

28. Which of the following is most unstable

A. α -particle

B. Neutrons

C. β -particle

D. β^+ -particle

Answer: B

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29. In any fission process the ratio $\frac{\text{mass of fission products}}{\text{mass of parent nucleus}}$ is -

A. Less than 1

B. Greater than 1

C. Equal to 1

D. Depends on the mass of fission products

Answer: B

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30. In a radioactive substance at t = 0, the number of atoms is 8×10^4 . Its half-life period is 3 years. The number of atoms 1×10^4 will remain after interval.

A. 6 years

B. 24 years

C. 3 years

D. 9 years

Answer: D

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31. Some radioactive nucleus may emit.

A. All the three lpha, eta and γ simultaneously

B. Only α and β simultaneously

C. All the three $\alpha, \beta \text{ and } \gamma$ one after another

D. γ along with α or β particles

Answer: D

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32. The percentage of quantity of a radioactive material that remains after 5 half-lives will be .

A. 1%

 $\mathsf{B.}\,0.3\,\%$

 $\mathsf{C.}~3.125~\%$

D. 0.2~%

Answer: C



- C. The electrons orbiting around the nucleus
- D. Charged particles emitted by nucleus

Answer: D

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34. Alpha rays emitted from a radioactive substance are

A. Uncharged particles having the mass equal to electron

B. Uncharged particles having the mass equal to proton

C. Ionised hydrogen nuclei

D. Doubly ionised helium atom

Answer: D



35. In a given reaction,

 $_ZX^A
ightarrow_{Z+1} Y^A
ightarrow_{Z-1} K^{A-4}
ightarrow_{Z-1} K^{A-4}$

The radioactive radiations are emitted in the sequence of

A. α, β, γ

B. γ, α, β

 $\mathsf{C}.\,\beta,\alpha,\gamma$

 $\mathrm{D.}\,\beta,\gamma,\alpha$

Answer: C

36. The radioactivity of a certain radioactive elements

drops to $\frac{1}{64}$ of its initial value in 30 seconds. Its half life is

A. 8 seconds

B. 15 seconds

C. 7.5 seconds

D. 5 seconds

Answer: D

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37. If the half life of a radioactive is T. then the fraction that would remain

after a time $\frac{T}{2}$ is

A.
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

B. $\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{2}}$
C. $\frac{1}{2}$

D.
$$\frac{3}{4}$$

Answer: A



38. The half-life of a radioactive element which has only 1/32 of its original mass left after a lapse of 60 days is

A. 18days

B. 24 days

C. 12days

D. 36 days

Answer: C

39. The half-life of Bi^{210} is 5 days. What time is taken by $(7/8)^t h$ part of

the sample of decay ?

A. 7.5 days

B. 15 days

C. 10days

D. 20 days

Answer: B

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40. A radioactive nucleus undergoes a series of decay according to the

scheme

$$A \stackrel{lpha}{\longrightarrow} A_1 \stackrel{eta}{\longrightarrow} A_2 \stackrel{lpha}{\longrightarrow} A_3 \stackrel{\gamma}{\longrightarrow} A_4$$

if the mass number and atomic number of A are 180 and 72 respectively, then what are these number for A_3

A. 174 and 70

B. 172 and 69

C. 176 and 69

D. 176 and 70

Answer: B

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41. Half-life of radioactive element depend upon

A. Nature of element

B. Temperature

C. Pressure

D. Amount of element present

Answer: A

42. The half-life period of a radioactive substance is $5~\mathrm{min}$. The amount

of substance decayed in $20 \min$ will be

A. 25~%

 $\mathsf{B.}\,6.25\,\%$

 $\mathsf{C}.\,93.75~\%$

D. 75~%

Answer: C

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43. Half-lives of two radioactive substances A and B are respectively 20 min and 40 min. Initially, the samples of A and B have equal number of nuclei. After 80 min the raatio of remaining number of A and B nuclei is

B.1:2

C. 1:1

D.1:8

Answer: A

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44. Half-life of a radioacitve element is 10 days. The time during which

quantity remains 1/10 of initial mass will be

A. 99 days

B. 33 days

C. 16 days

D. 70 days

Answer: B

45. An element A decays into an element C by a two step process $A o B + ._2 He^4$ and $B o C + 2e^-$.Then,

A. A and B are isobars

B. A and C are isobars

C. A and B are isotopes

D. A and C are isotopes

Answer: D

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46. During mean life of a radioactive element, the fraction that disintegrates is

A. e

$$\mathsf{B}.\,\frac{e-1}{e}$$

$$C. \frac{1}{e}$$
$$D. \frac{e}{e-1}$$

Answer: B



47. The half-life of a radioactive substance against lpha – decay is $1.2 imes 10^7 s$. What is the decay rate for $4 imes 10^{15}$ atoms of the substance ?

A. $2.3 imes 10^8$ atom/s

B. $3.2 imes 10^8$ atom/s

C. $2.3 imes 10^{11}$ atom/s

D. $3.2 imes 10^{11}$ atom/s

Answer: A

48. The activity of a sample of radioactive material is R_1 at time t_1 and R_2 at time $t_2(t_2 > t_1)$. Its mean life is T. Then,

A.
$$A_2 = A_1 e^{(t_1 - t_2)/T}$$

B. $A_1 - A_2 = t_2 - t_1$
C. $A_1 t_1 = A_2 t_2$
D. $A_2 = A_1 e^{(t_1/t_2)T}$

Answer: A

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49. A radioactive substance has an average life of 5 hours. In a time of 5

hours

A. Less than half of the active nuclei decay

B. More than half of the active nuclei decay

C. Half of the active nuclei decay

D. All active nuclei decay

Answer: B



50. A sample of radioactive element has a mass of 10g at an instant t=0. The approximate mass of this element in the sample after two mean lives

is

A. 2.50 gm

B. 1.35 gm

C. 6.30 gm

D. 3.70 gm

Answer: B

51. The half-life of a sample of a radioactive substance is 1 h. If 8×10^{10} atoms are present at t=0, then the number of atoms decayed in the duration t=2 h to t=4 will be

A. $2 imes 10^{10}$

 ${ t B}.\,0.75 imes10^{10}$

 $\text{C.}\,1.5\times10^{10}$

D. Zero

Answer: C

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52. A nucleus of mass 220 amu in the free state decays to emit an α -particle . Kinetic energy of the α -particle emitted is 5.4 MeV. The recoil energy of the daughter nucleus is

A. 0.25 MeV

B. 0.5 MeV

C. 0.1 MeV

D. 0.75 MeV

Answer: C

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Assignment Section B Objective One Option Is Correct

1. At a given instant, 60% of the radioactive nuclei in a sample are left undecayed. After 20 s, 85% nuclei have disintegrated , mean life of nuclei

A. 10 s

B. 6.93 s

C. 14.43 s

D. 12.86 s

Answer: C



2. Two radio active nuclei X and Y decay into stable nucleus Z

$$X
ightarrow Z + 2lpha + eta^{\,-}$$

- $Y
 ightarrow Z + lpha + 2 eta^{\,+}$
- if Z_1 and Z_2 are atomic numbers of X and Y then

A.
$$Z_1 = Z_2$$

B.
$$Z_2 - Z_1 = 1$$

C. $Z_1 - Z_2 = 1$

D.
$$2Z_1 - Z_2 = 2$$

Answer: B



3. The escape velocity at the surface of Earth is approximately 8 km/s. What is the escape velocity for a planet whose radius is 4 times and whose mass is 100 times that of Earth?

A. 600 years

B. 900 years

C. 200 years

D. 400 years

Answer: D

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4. The probability of nucleus to decay in two mean lives is

A.
$$\frac{1}{4}$$

B. $\frac{e^2 - 1}{e^2}$
C. $\frac{3}{4}$
D. $\frac{1}{e^2}$

Answer: B

5. A radioactive substances decays so that 3% of its initial nuclei remain after 60 seconds. The half life period of the substances is nearly

A. 17.3 s

B. 12 s

C. 30 s

D. 60 s

Answer: B

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6. The radius of $._{32} X$ nuclide is measured to be twice the radius of $._{4}^{9} Be$.

The number of neutrons in X is

B. 72

C. 32

D. 36

Answer: A

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7. Two wavelengths of light λ_1 and λ_2 are sent through Young's doubleslit apparatus simultaneously. If the third-order bright fringe coincides with the fourth-order bright fringe, then

A. $3\lambda_1=5\lambda_2$ B. $2\lambda_1=3\lambda_2$

C. $3\lambda_1=2\lambda_2$

D. $5\lambda_1=3\lambda_2$

Answer: B



8. What is the probability of a radioactive nucleus to survive one mean life?

A.
$$\frac{1}{e}$$

B. $1 - \frac{1}{e}$
C. $\frac{\ln 2}{e}$
D. $\frac{1 - \ln 2}{e}$

Answer: A

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9. When a deuterium is bombarded on ${}_{.8}O^{16}$ nucleus, an α -particle is emitted, then the product nucleus is

A. .7 N^{13}

B. .5 B^{10}

 $C.._4 Be^9$

 $\mathsf{D}_{..7} N^{14}$

Answer: D

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10. Binding energy per nucleon versus mass number curve for nuclei is shown in figure. W, X, Y, and Z are four nuclei indicated on the curve. The process that would release energy is

- (a) Y
 ightarrow 2Z
- (b) W o X + Z
- (c) W
 ightarrow 2Y





A. Y
ightarrow 2Z

- $\mathsf{B}.\,W\to X+Z$
- ${\rm C.}\,W\to 2Y$

 $\mathsf{D}.\, X \to Y + Z$

Answer: C

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Assignment Section C Objective More Than One Option Are Correct
1. Choose the correct alternative

A. During the nuclear fusion reaction, two light nuclei combine to give

a heavier nucleus and possibly other products `

B. In a working nuclear reactor, control rods are used to slow down

neutrons

C. Fusion reaction takes place at high temperature because atoms at

ionised at high temperature

D. Energy in the sun is generated mainly by fusion by hydrogen atoms

Answer: A::D

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2. Disintegration constant of a radioactive material is λ :

A. Its half life equal $rac{\log_e^2}{\lambda}$

B. its means life equals $\frac{1}{\lambda}$

C. At time equal to mean life, 63% of the initial radioactive material is

left undecayed

D. After 3-half lives, $\frac{1}{3}$ rd of the initial radioactive material is left

undecayed

Answer: A::B

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3. A nucleus undergoes a series of decay according to the scheme $A \xrightarrow{\alpha} B \xrightarrow{\beta} C \xrightarrow{\alpha} D \xrightarrow{\gamma} E$

Atomic number and mass number of E are 69 and 172

A. Atomic number of A is 72

B. Mass number of B is 176

C. Atomic number of D is 69

D. Atomic number of C is 69

Answer: A::B::C



4. A nitrogen nucleus $7^{N^{14}}$ absorbs a neutron and can transfrom into lithium nucleus 3^{Li^7} under suitable conditions, after emitting :

A. 4 protons and 3 neutrons

B. 1α particle, 4 protons and 2 negative β particle

C. 4 protons and 4 neutrons

D. 5 protons and 1 negative β particle

Answer: B::C

5. Which of the following process represents a $\gamma - decay$?

A.
$$.^{A} X_{Z} + r \rightarrow .^{A} X_{Z-1} + a + b$$

B. $.^{A} X_{Z} + .^{1} n_{0} \rightarrow A - 3X_{Z-2} + c$
C. $.^{A} X_{Z} \rightarrow .^{A} X_{Z} + f$
D. $.^{A} X_{Z} + e_{-1} \rightarrow .^{A} X_{Z-1} + g$

Answer: A::B::D

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6. Thalassemia and sickle cell anemia are caued due to problem in globin molecule synthesis . Select the correct statement.

A. a.The number of nuclei decayed in time interval 0-t is $N_0 e^{-\lambda t}$

B. b.The number of nuclei decayed in time interval 0-t is $N_0 ig(1-e^{-\lambda t}ig)$

C. c.The probability that a radioactive nucleus does not decay in

interval 0-t is $e^{-\lambda t}$

D. d.The probability that a radioactive nucleus does not decay in

interval 0-t is $1 - e^{-\lambda t}$

Answer: B::C

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7. Radioactive nuclei are being generated at a constant rate by some kind of nuclear reaction. If the decay constant for the radioactive nuclei is λ , which of the following graphical representation is correct ? (initially, there are no radioactive nuclei present)





Answer: A::B

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8. The count rate of a radioactive sample was 1600 count/s at t=0 and 100

count/s at t=8s.Select the correct option.

A. Its count rate was 200 counts at t=6 s

B. Its count rate was 200 counts at t=4 s

C. Half life of the sample is 4s

D. Mean life of the sample is 2.88 s

Answer: A::D

9. Which of the following is correct for a nuclear reaction ?

- A. A fission represented by $._{92} \, U^{235} + ._0 \, n^1 o ._{56} \, Ba^{143} + ._{36} \, Kr^{93}$ +energy
- B. heavy water is used as moderator in preference to ordinary water

because H-atom may capture neutrons, while D-atom would not

C. Cadmium rods increase the reactor power when they go in,

decrease when they go outward

D. Slower neutrons are more effective in causing fission than faster

neutrons in case of U^{235}

Answer: A::B::D



10. The probability disintegration per second of a nucleus in a given radio-active sample

A. Increases in proportion to life time lived by the nucleus

B. Decreases with the life time lived

C. Is independent of life time lived

D. Depends on the total number of identical nuclei present in the

sample

Answer: C

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Assignment Section D Linked Comprehension

1. The rate at which a particular decay process occurs in a radio sample, is proportional to the number of radio active nuclei present . If N is the number of radio active nuclei present at some instant, the rate of change of N is $\frac{dN}{dt} = -\lambda N$. Consider radioactive decay of A to B which may further decay either to X or to Y, λ_1 , λ_2 and λ_3 are decay constants for A to B decay , B to X decay and B of Y decay respectively. if at t=0 number of

nuclei of A,B , X and Y are N_0, N_0 ,zero and zero respectively



and N_1, N_2, N_3, N_4 are number of nuclei A,B , X and Y at any instant. At $t=\infty$, which of the following is incorrect ?

- A. $N_1\lambda_1+N_2\lambda_2+N_3\lambda_3$
- B. $N_1\lambda_1 N_3\lambda_2 N_4\lambda_3$
- C. $N_1\lambda_1-N_2\lambda_2-N_2\lambda_3$
- D. $N_1\lambda_1+N_2\lambda_2-N_2\lambda_3$

Answer: C

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2. The rate of biomass production by consumers is called :

A. $\lambda_1 > \lambda_2 + \lambda_3$

- B. $\lambda_2=\lambda_2=\lambda_3$
- C. $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 + \lambda_3$
- D. For any values if λ_1, λ_2 and λ_3

Answer: A



3. Replum is present in the ovary of flowers of

A. 1.
$$N_2=0$$

B. 2. $N_3=rac{N_0\lambda_2}{\lambda_2+\lambda_3}$ C. 3. $N_4=rac{2N_0\lambda_3}{\lambda_2+\lambda_3}$ D. 4. $N_3+N_4+N_1+N_2=2N_0$

Answer: B

4. The heat of neutralization for a strong acid by a strong base is a constant

A. V B. \sqrt{V} C. $\frac{1}{V}$ D. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{V}}$

Answer: D

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5. The limit of resolution of a microscope is the least distance between two point objects which can be seen clearly and distinctively with it. For a naked eye, limit of resolution is about 10^{-4} m or 0.1 mm. The limit of resolution for a microscope is of the order of $\frac{\lambda}{2}$, where λ is wavelength of light used. For an optical microscope , using visible light, limit of resolution is $\frac{500 \text{ nm}}{2}$ =250 mm. This is 400 times smaller than naked eye. So the useful magnification produced by it is 400. Smaller is the limit of resolution, greater is the magnification that can be achieved. By using shorter wavelengths, we can improve resolution. For examination of a microorganism, much higher limit of resolution is needed, the Wave nature of electron provides a means for probes of very small size organisms. An electron beam accelerated by a high potential difference possess a very short wavelength. In an electron microscope magnetic lenses are used to control the path of electrons. The image of object is obtained on a fluorescent screen or on a photographic plate. The electron microscope with its high magnifying power and resolving power , is one of the most indispensable and powerful tool for research in science, medicine and industry.

For an electron beam accelerated through a high potential difference V, limit of resolution is proportional to

A. Only wave nature of electron

B. Only particle nature of electron

C. Both particle nature as well as wave nature

D. None of these

Answer: C

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For an electron beam accelerated through a high potential difference V, limit of resolution is proportional to

A. It gives images which can be directly seen with naked eye

B. It gives a better resolution and magnification

C. It is very simple in its working

D. It uses magnetic lens in place of glass lens

Answer: B,D



7. During alpha-decay , a nucleus decays by emitting an $\alpha\text{-particle}$ (a

helium nucleus $._2~He^4$) according to the equation

$$.^A_Z X
ightarrow .^{A-4}_{Z-2} Y + .^4_2 He + Q$$

In this process, the energy released Q is shared by the emitted α -particle and daughter nucleus in the form of kinetic energy.

The energy Q is divided in a definite ratio among the α -particle and the daughter nucleus .

A nucleus that decays spontaneously by emitting an electron or a positron is said to undergo β -decay .This process also involves a release of definite energy . Initially, the β -decay was represented as $\cdot_Z^A X \to \cdot_{Z+1}^A Y + e^-$ (electron) + Q

According to this reaction, the energy released during each decay must be divided in definite ratio by the emitted e' (β -particle) and the daughter nucleus. While , in alpha decay, it has been found that every emitted α particle has the same sharply defined kinetic energy. It is not so in case of β -decay . The energy of emitted electrons or positrons is found to vary between zero to a certain maximum value. Wolfgang Pauli first suggested the existence of neutrinoes in 1930. He suggested that during β -decay, a third particle is also emitted. It shares energy with the emitted β particles and thus accounts for the energy distribution.

When a nucleus of mass number A at rest decays emitting an lpha-particle ,

the daugther nucleus recoils with energy K . What is the Q value of the reaction ?

A. K

B. 2K

C.
$$\frac{4K}{A}$$

D. $\frac{AK}{4}$

Answer: D



8. During alpha-decay , a nucleus decays by emitting an α -particle (a helium nucleus .₂ He^4) according to the equation

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The beta particles (positron) are emitted with different kinetic energies because

A. Neutrino shares a definite amount of energy with positron

- B. The disintegration energy is shared between positron and neutrino
 - in varying proportions

C. Neutrino is massless and carries no energy

D. Neutrino possesses very high kinetic energy

Answer: B

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9. During alpha-decay , a nucleus decays by emitting an α -particle (a helium nucleus .₂ He^4) according to the equation

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During β^+ decay (positron emission) a proton in the nucleus is converted into a neutron, positron and neutrino. The reaction is correctly represented as

A.
$$\cdot_{Z}^{A} X \rightarrow \cdot_{Z-1}^{A-1} Y + e^{+} + v^{+}$$
 Energy
B. $\cdot_{Z}^{A} X \rightarrow \cdot_{Z-1}^{A} X + e^{+} + v^{+}$ Energy
C. $\cdot_{Z}^{A} X \rightarrow \cdot_{Z-1}^{A} Y + e^{+} + v^{+}$ Energy
D. $\cdot_{Z}^{A} X \rightarrow \cdot_{Z}^{A-1} X + e^{+} + v^{+}$ Energy

Answer: C

1. Statement-1: An isolated radioactive atom may not decay at all whatever be its half life

Statement-2:Radioactive decay is a statistical phenomenon.

A. a.Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True, Statement-2 is a correct

explanation for Statement-1

B. b.Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True, Statement-2 is NOT a

correct explanation for Statement-1

C. c.Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is False

D. d.Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True

Answer: A

2. Assertion: Isotopes of an element can be separated by using a mass spectrometer.

Reason: Separation of isotopes is possible because of difference in electron numbers of isotope.

A. Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True, Statement-2 is a correct

explanation for Statement-1

B. Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is True , Statement-2 is NOT a

correct explanation for Statement-1

C. Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False

D. Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True

Answer: C



3. Statement-1:In a spontaneous fission reaction a heavy nucleus is split

into two medium sized ones, each of the new nuclei will have more

binding energy per nucleon than the original nucleus

Statement-2: Joining two light nuclei together to give a single nucleus of medium size means more binding energy per nucleon in the new nucleus

A. a. Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is True ,Statement-2 is a correct

explanation for Statement-1

B. b. Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is True , Statement-2 is NOT a

correct explanation for Statement-1

- C. c. Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is False
- D. d. Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True

Answer: C



4. Assertion: In the process of nuclear fission, the fragments emit two or three neutrons as soon as they are formed and subsequently emit

particles.

Reason : As the fragments contain an excess of neutrons over protons, emission of neutrons and particles bring their neutron/proton ratio the to stable values

A. Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is True ,Statement-2 is a correct explanation for Statement-1

B. Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is True ,Statement-2 is NOT a correct explanation for Statement-1

C. Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False

D. Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True

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explanation for Statement-1

B. Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is True , Statement-2 is NOT a

correct explanation for Statement-1

C. Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False

D. Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True

Answer: A



5. Statement-1:Light nuclei having equal number of protons and neutrons are more stable

Statement-2:In heavy nuclei, there is an excess of neutrons due to comlomb repulsion between protons .

A. Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is True, Statement-2 is a correct

explanation for Statement-1

B. Statement-1 is True , Statement-2 is True , Statement-2 is NOT a

correct explanation for Statement-1

C. Statement-1 is True, Statement-2 is False

D. Statement-1 is False, Statement-2 is True

Answer: B

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Assignment Section F Matrix Match

1. A nuclear reactor consists	of five main elements . Four elements out of
these five elements are giv	en in the column-I and the commonly used
material for these elements	are given in column-II
Column-l	Column-ll
(A) Fuel	(p) Heavy water
(B) Moderator	(q) Boron
(C) Control rods	(r) Graphite
(D) Coolants	(s) Cadmium
	(t) Isotopes of uranium

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2. Let R_t represents activity of a sample at an insant and N_t represent number of active nuclei in the sample at the instant. $T_{1/2}$ represents the half life.

Column I Column II $(A) \hspace{.1in} t = T_{1/2} \hspace{.1in} (p) \hspace{.1in} R_t = rac{R_0}{2}$ $(B) \hspace{.1in} t = rac{T_{1/2}}{\ln 2} \hspace{.1in} (q) \hspace{.1in} N_0 - N_t = rac{N_0}{2}$ (C) $t=rac{3}{2}T_{1/2}$ (r) $rac{R_t-R_0}{R_0}=rac{1-e}{e}$ $egin{array}{cc} (s) & N_t = rac{N_0}{2\sqrt{2}} \end{array}$

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3. In Column-I, name of radiation is given and in column-II, reaction for

radiation and nucleus phenomena.

Column-l

(A) Alpha decay (B) Beta decay (β⁻)

(C) Beta decay (β^{*})

(D) Gamma decay

Column-II

(p) Atomic number (Z) of nucleus changes (q) Mass number does not change

(r)
$$\stackrel{\Lambda}{}_{7} \times \longrightarrow \stackrel{\Lambda}{}_{2} \stackrel{\Lambda}{}_{1} Y + B + V$$

(s) $\stackrel{\Lambda}{}_{2} \times \longrightarrow \stackrel{\Lambda}{}_{7} \stackrel{\Lambda}{}_{2} Y + A$

(t)
$$\stackrel{\wedge}{z} \times \longrightarrow \stackrel{\wedge}{z+1} Y + C + \overline{v}$$

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Assignment Section G Integer

1. The energy of an excited hydrogen atom is 0.38 eV. Its angular momentum is $n.~\frac{h}{2\pi}$. Find n

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2. A single electron orbits around a stationary nucleus of charge +Ze. It requires 47.2 eV to excite the electron from the 2^{nd} to 3^{rd} Bohr orbit. Find atomic number 'Z' of atom .

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Assignment Section H Multiple True False

1. Statement-1:In a nuclear reaction energy is released , if total binding energy is increasing.

Statement-2:For a stability of a nucleus, total binding energy is more

important than binding energy per nucleon.

Statement-3:Nuclear force is different for different nucleons and it dependent on charge .

A. TFT

B. FFF

C. TTF

D. TFF

Answer: D

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2. Statement-1:A particular radioactive element can emit either α -particle

or β -particle but never simultaneously.

Statement-2:Rest mass of γ -rays is zero

Statement-3:The β -particle is the fast moving electron ejected from the nucleus .

B. TTF

C. FTT

D. TFT

A. a. TTT

B.b.TTF

C. c. FTT

D. d. TFT

Answer: A

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Assignment Section I Subjective

1. A radioactive nuclide is produced at a constant rate x nuclei per second. During each decay, E_0 energy is released ,50% of this energy is utilised in melting ice at 0°C. Find mass of ice that will melt in one mean life. (λ =decay consant, L_f =Latent heat of fusion) **2.** A nucleus X^{232} initially at rest undergoes α decay, the α -particle produced in above process is found to move in a circular track of radius 0.22 m in a uniform magnetic field of 1.5 T. Find Q value of reaction.

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Assignment Section J Aakash Challengers Questions

1. Almost all of naturally occurring uranium is $._{92}^{238} U$ with a half-life of 4.468×10^9 yr. Most of the rest of natural uranium is $._{92}^{235}$ U with a half-life of 7.038×10^8 yr.Today a sample contains 0.72% $._{92}^{235}$ U (a)What was this percentage 1.0 billion years ago ? (b)What percentage of the sample would be $._{92}^{235}$ U in 100 million years ?

2. The $\cdot_1^3 H$ isotope of hydrogen, which is called tritium (because it contains three nucleons), has a half-life of 12.33 yr.It can be used to measure the age of objects up to about 100 yr. It is produced in the upper atmosphere by cosmic rays and brought to Earth by rain. As an application , determine approximately the age of a bottle of wine whose $\cdot_1^3 H$ radiation is about $\frac{1}{10}$ that present in new wine .

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3. Some elementary particle theories suggest that the proton may be unstable , with a half life $\geq 10^{32}$ yr. How long woud you expect to wait for one proton in your body to decay (consider that your body is all water)?



1. Size of nucleus is of the order of

A. 10^{-15} m B. 10^{-10} m C. 10^{12} m D. 10^{-19} m

Answer: A

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2. the masses of neutron and prtons are 1.0087anmu and 1.0073 amu , respectivley ,if the neutrons and protons combine to form a heilum nucles (alpha particles) of mass 4.00 15 amu the binding energy of the heilum nucleus will be (1amu =931 MeV)

A. 24.8 MeV

B. 28.4 MeV

C. 14.2 MeV

D. 42.8 MeV

Answer: B

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3. The binding energy of deuteron $._1^2 H$ is 1.112 MeV per nucleon and an α – particle $._2^4 He$ has a binding energy of 7.047 MeV per nucleon. Then in the fusion reaction $._1^2 H + ._1^2 h \rightarrow ._2^4 He + Q$, the energy Q released is.

A. 23.74 Mev

B. 32.82 MeV

C. 11.9 MeV

D. 4.94 MeV

Answer: A



4. In the nucleus of helium if F_1 is the net force between two protons, F_2 is the net force between two neutrons and F_3 is the net force between a proton and a neutron. Then,

A. $F_1 = F_2 = F_3$ B. $F_1 = F_2 > F_3$ C. $F_1 = F_3 > F_2$ D. $F_2 > F_1 > F_3$

Answer: A

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5. The average kinetic energy of the thermal neutron is of the order of

B. 0.03 eV

C.3 keV

D. 3 MeV

Answer: B

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6. In a fission process, nucleus A divides into two nuclei B and C, their binding energies being E_a , E_b and E_c respectively. Then.

A.
$$E_b+E_c>E_a$$

 $\mathsf{B.}\, E_b + E_c < E_a$

- $\mathsf{C}.\, E_b + E_c = E_a$
- D. $E_b E_c = E_a$

Answer: A

7. Radius of $.^4_2 \, He$ The nucleus is 3 Fermi. The radius of $.^{32}_{16} \, S$ nucleus will

be

A. 6 fermi

B. 4 fermi

C. 5 fermi

D. 8 fermi

Answer: A

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8.1 atomic mass unit is equal to

A.
$$\frac{1}{16}$$
 (mass of O_2 molecules)
B. $\frac{1}{25}$ (mass of F_2 molecules)
C. $\frac{1}{12}$ (mass of one C-atom)
D.
$$rac{1}{14}$$
 (mass of N_2 molecules)

Answer: C



9. Binding energy per nucleon curve as a function of atomic mass number has a sharp peak for helium nucleus. We can conclude from this that helium nucleus

A. is very stable

B. is radioactive

C. can easily be broken up

D. Can be used as fissionable material

Answer: A

10. If m, m_n and m_p are masses of $._Z X^A$ nucleus, neutron and proton respectively.

A. $m=(A-Z)m_n+Zm_p$ B. $m=(A-Z)m_p+Zm_n$ C. $m<(A-Z)m_n+Zm_p$ D. $m>(A-Z)m_n+Zm_p$

Answer: C

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11. A nucleus of $._{84} \, Po^{210}$ originally at rest emit lpha particle with speed v .

Recoil speed of the daughter nucleus is

A.
$$\frac{v}{210}$$

B. $\frac{v}{84}$
C. $\frac{4v}{206}$

$$\mathsf{D.}\,\frac{3v}{214}$$

Answer: C



12. A reactor is generating 1000 kW of power and 200 MeV of energy may be obtained per fission of U^{235} The rate of nuclear fission in the reactor is

A. $3.125 imes10^{16}$

B. $1.253 imes 10^{16}$

 ${\rm C.}\,2\times10^8$

D. 931

Answer: A

13. When $._{92} U^{235}$ undergoes fission by absorbing $._0 n^1$ and $._{56} Ba^{144}$ and $._{36} Kr^{89}$ are formed. The number of neutrons produced will be

A. 2

- B. 3
- C. 1

D. 0

Answer: B

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14. If T is the half-life of a radioactive material, then the fraction that would remain after a time $\frac{T}{2}$ is

A.
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

B. $\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{2}}$
C. $\frac{1}{2}$

D.
$$\frac{3}{4}$$

Answer: A



15. The life-life of Bi^{210} is 5 days. What time is taken by $(7/8)^t h$ part of the sample of decay ?

A. 7.5 days

B. 15 days

C. 10 days

D. 20 days

Answer: B

16. In the nuclear decay given below

$$.^{A}_{Z} X
ightarrow ._{Z+1} .^{A} Y
ightarrow .^{A-4}_{Z-1} B^{*}
ightarrow .^{A-4}_{Z-1} B_{*}$$

the particle emitted in the sequence are

A. α , β , $\gamma(2)$ B. γ , α , β C. β , α , $\gamma(4)$

 $\mathrm{D.}\,\beta,\gamma,\alpha$

Answer: C

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17. The activity of a sample of radioactive material is R_1 at time t_1 and R_2 at time $t_2(t_2 > t_1)$. Its mean life is T. Then,

A.
$$A_2 = A_1 e^{t_1 - t_2} \, / T$$

B. $A_1 - A_2 = t_2 - t_1$

$$\mathsf{C}.\,A_1t_1=A_2t_2$$

D.
$$A_2=A_1e^{t_1/t_2}T$$

Answer: A

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18. A nucleus of mass 220 amu in the free state decays to emit an α -particle . Kinetic energy of the α -particle emitted is 5.4 MeV. The recoil energy of the daughter nucleus is

A. 0.25 MeV

B. 0.5 Mev

C. 01. MeV

D. 0.75 MeV

Answer: C

19. Half-lives of two radioactive substances A and B are respectively 20 min and 40 min. Initially, the samples of A and B have equal number of nuclei. After 80 min the raatio of remaining number of A and B nuclei is

A. 1:4

 $\mathsf{B}.\,1\!:\!2$

C. 1:1

D.1:8

Answer: A

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20. Name a material which is used in making control rods in a nuclear reactor.

A. Graphite

B. Plutonium

C. Cadmium

D. Uranium

Answer: C

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Assignment Section A

1. The nuclear radius as compared to the atomic radius, is of the order of

A. $10^{\,-\,3}$

 $B.\,10^{-5}$

 $C. 10^{-7}$

D. $10^{-9}\,$

Answer: B

2. Two nuclei are not identical but have the same number of nucleons.

These are

A. isotones

B. isobars

C. isotopes

D. isodiapher

Answer: B

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3. In a nuclear fusion reaction, if the energy is released then

A.
$$BE_{
m products}=BE_{
m reactants}$$

B. $BE_{
m reactants} > BE_{
m products}$

C. $BE_{
m products} > BE_{
m reactants}$

D. Mass of product > mass of reactant

Answer: C

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4. What is the binding energy per nucleon of ${}_{6}C^{12}$ nucleus? Given, mass of $C^{12}(m_c) = 12.000u$ Mass of proton $(m_p) = 1.0078u$ Mass of neutron $(m_n) = 1.0087u$ and 1 amu $= 931.4 \frac{MeV}{c^2}$ A. 2.675 MeV B. 7.675 MeV C. 0 MeV D. 3.675 MeV

Answer: B

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5. Which of the following pairs particles cannot exert nuclear force on

each other ?

A. proton and electron

B. Neutron and electron

C. Electron and neutron

D. All of these

Answer: D



6. If the nuclei of masess X and Y are fused together to form a nucleus

of mass m and some energy is released, then

A. X+Y>m

- $\mathsf{B}.\,X-Y=m$
- $\mathsf{C}.\,X+Y=m$
- $\mathsf{D}.\, X + Y < m$

Answer: A



7. The nuclear force between two nucleons is explained by

- A. Quark exchange theory
- B. Meson exchange theory
- C. Photon exchange theory
- D. Gravitation exchange theory

Answer: B



8. If the nuclear force between two protons, two neutrons and between proton and neutron is denoted by F_{pp} , F_{nn} and F_{pn} respectively, then

A.
$$F_{pp}=F_{fn}=F_{\cap}$$

B. $f_{pp} < F_{pn} = F_{\cap}$

C.
$$F_{pp} > F_{pn} > F_{nn}$$

D.
$$F_{pp} < F_{pn} < F_{nn}$$

Answer: A

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9. The atomic mass of $._7 N^{15}$ is 15.000108amu and that of $._8 O^{16}$ is 15.994915amu. The minimum energy required to remove the least tightly bound proton is (mass of proton is 1.007825amu)

A. 0.013018 MeV

B. 12.13 MeV

C. 13.018 MeV

D. 12.13 eV

Answer: B

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10. Nuclear energy is released in fusion reaction, since binding energy per nucleon is

A. Smaller of fusion products than for fusing nuclei

B. same for fusion products as for fusing nuclei

C. Larger for fusion products than for fusion nuclei

D. Sometimes larger and sometimes smaller

Answer: C

11. A nucleus X undergoes following transformation $X \stackrel{lpha}{\longrightarrow} Y$

 $Y \mathop{\longrightarrow}\limits_{2eta} Z$, then

A. X and Y are isotopes

B. X and Z are isobars

C. X and Y are isobars

D. X and Z are isotopes

Answer: D

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12. Consider the nuclear reaction

 $X^{200} o A^{110} + B^{90}$

If the binding energy per cunleon for X, A and B is 7.4 MeV. 8.2 MeV and

8.2 MeV respectively, what is the energy released?

A. 200 MeV

B. 160 MeV

C. 110 MeV

D. 90 MeV

Answer: B

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13. The nuclei ${}_{6}A^{13}$ and ${}_{7}B^{14}$ can be described as

A. isotones

B. isobars

C. isotopes of carbon

D. isotopes of nitrogen

Answer: A

14. Ratio of nuclear radii of ^{135}Cs to ^{40}Ca is

A. 1.40

 $\mathsf{B}.\,1.50$

C. 2.750

D. 3.375

Answer: B

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15. A nucleus with Z =92 emits the following in a sequence:

 $lpha,eta^-,eta^-,lpha,lpha,lpha,lpha,eta^-,eta^-,lpha,eta^+,eta^+,lpha$. The Z of the resulting

nucleus is

A. 74

B. 76

C. 78

D. 82

Answer: C

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16. In nuclear reactions, we have the conservation of

A. Mass only

B. Energy only

C. Momentum only

D. Charge , total energy and momentum

Answer: D

17. Why are heavy nuclei usually unstable?

A. Electrostatic repulsion dominate over nuclear attraction

B. Nuclear repulsion dominate over nuclear attration

C. Nuclear forces are absent in heave nuleus

D. Nuclear force is long range force

Answer: A

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18. When $._{90} Th^{228}$ transforms to $._{83} Bi^{212}$, then the number of the emitted α – and β – particle is, respectively.

A. 4α , 7β

B. 4α , 1β

 $C. 8\alpha, 7\beta$

D. 4β , 4α

Answer: B

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19. In the radioactive decay of an element it is found that the count rate

reduces from 1024 to 128 in 3 minutes. Its half life will be

A.1 minute

B. 2 minutes

C. 3 minute

D. 5 minute

Answer: A



20. If a radioactive material remains 25% after 16 days, then its half life

will be

A. 32 days

B. 8 days

C. 64 days

D. 28 days

Answer: B



21. Using a nuclear counter the count rate of emitted particles from a radioactive source is measured. At t=0 it was 1600 counts per second and t = 8 seconds it was 100 counts per second. The count rate observed, as counts per seconds, at t=6, seconds is close to :

A. 150

B. 200

C. 300

D. 400

Answer: B



22. Radioactivity of a sample at T_1 time is R_1 and at time T_2 is R_2 . If halflife of sample is T, then in time $(T_2 - T_1)$, the number of decayed atoms is proportional to

A. $(R_1T_1 - R_2T_2)$ B. $(R_1 - R_2)$ C. $(R_1 - R_2)/T$ D. $(R_1 - R_2)T$

Answer: D

23. A radioactive sample at any instant has its disintegration rate 5000 disintegrations per minute After 5 minutes , the rate is 1250 disintegration per minute. Then , the decay constant (per minute)

A. 0.8 ln 2

B. 0.4 In 2

C. 0.2 In 2

D. 0.1 ln 2

Answer: B

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24. At time t=O, some radioactive gas is injected into a sealed vessel. At time T. some more mass of the sam gas is injected into the same vessel. Which one of the following graphs best represents the variation of the logarithm of the acitivity A of the gas with time t?



Answer: C



25. A radioactive isotope X with a half-life of 1.37×10^9 yr decays to Y which is satble. A sample of rock from the moon was found to contain both the elements X and Y which were in the ratio of 1 : 7. The age of the rock is

A. $4.11 imes 10^9$ year B. $2.74 imes 10^9$ year C. $5.48 imes 10^9$ year D. $1.37 imes 10^9$ year

Answer: A

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26. Two elements P and Q have half-line of 10 and 15 minutes repectively. Freshly preapared sample of mixuture containing equal number of atoms is allowed to decay for 30 minutes. The ratio of number of atoms of Pand Q in left in mixture is:

A. 0.5

 $\mathsf{B}.\,2.0$

 $C.\,1.0$

D. 3.0

Answer: A





A. (i),(ii) and (iv)

B. (ii) (iii) and (iv)

C. (iii) (iv) and (i)

D. All of these

Answer: A



28. A freshly prepared radioactive source of half-life 2 h emits radiation of

intensity which is 64 times the permissible safe level. The minimum time

after which it would be possible to work safely with this source is

A. 6 h

B. 12 h

C. 24 h

D. 128 h

Answer: B

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29. GAMMA DECAY

A. A.Pair anninilation takes place

B. B.Energy is released due to converstion of neutron into proton

C. C.Energy is released due to de-excitation of nucleus

D. D.None of these

Answer: C

30. A sample of a radioactive substance has 10^6 radioactive nuclei. Its half life time is 20 s How many nuclei will remain after 10 s ?

A. $1 imes 10^5$ B. $2 imes 10^5$ C. $7 imes 10^5$

D. 11×10^5

Answer: C

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31. Half-life of radioactive element depend upon

A. Amount of element present

B. Temperature

C. Pressure

D. The nature of the element

Answer: D

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32. Neutrino is a particle, which is

A. Has no charge and no spin

B. Has no charge but has spin

C. is charged like an electron and has spin

D. Has no charge but has mass neary equal to that of a proton

Answer: B

33. Ordinary water is not used as a moderator in nuclear reactors because

A. Cannot slow down neutron

B. Absorbs neutrons

C. is expensive

D. Accelerates neutron

Answer: B

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34. Out of the following , which one is not emitted by a natural

radioactive substance ?

A. Electrons

B. Electronmagnetic radiations

C. Helium nuclei with charge equal to that of two protons

D. Neutrons

Answer: D



35. If 200 MeV energy is released in the fission of a single nucleus of $._{92}^{235} U$, the fissions which are required to produce a power of 1 kW is

A. $3.1 imes 10^{13}$

B. $1.3 imes 10^{16}$

 $\text{C.}\,1.3\times10^{15}$

D. $3.1 imes 10^{16}$

Answer: A

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36. 1g ofhydrogen is converted into 0.993 g of helium in a thermonucleart

reaction . The energy released is

A. 63×10^7 J B. 63×10^{10} J C. 63×10^{14} J D. 63×10^{20} J

Answer: B

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37. Thermal neutrons are those whose energy is about

A. 1 J

B. 0.03 eV

C.1 MeV

D. 0.03 MeV

Answer: B



38. A neutron strikes a ${}_{92}U^{235}$ nucleus and as a result ${}_{36}Kr^{93}$ and ${}_{56}Ba^{140}$ are produced with

A. α -particle

B. 1-neutron

C. 3-neutron

D. $2 - \beta$ - particle

Answer: C

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39. Name a material which is used in making control rods in a nuclear reactor.

A. Stainless steel

B. Graphite

C. Cadmium

D. Plutonium

Answer: C

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40. In the following nuclear reaction

 $._{13}\,Al^{27}+._{2}\,He^{4}
ightarrow._{15}\,P^{\,30}+X,X$ will be

A. ${}_{-1}^{0}e$

 $\mathsf{B}.\,{}^1_1H$

 $\mathsf{C}.\,{}_2^4He$

D. ${}^{1}_{0}n$

Answer: D

1. A certain stable nucleide, after absorbing a neutron, emits β -particle and the new nucleide splits spontaneously into two α - particles. The nucleide is

- A. 4_2He
- $\mathsf{B}.rac{7}{3}Li$
- $C._4^6Be$
- D. 6_3Li

Answer: B

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2. After 3 hours, only 0.25 mg of a pure radioactive material is left, if initial

mass was 2 mg than the half life of the substance is

A. 1.5 hr
B.1hr

C. 0.5 hr

D. 2 hr

Answer: B

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3. Pauli suggested the emission of nutrino during β^+ decay to explain

A. Continuous energy distribution position

B. Conservation of linear momentum

C. Conservation of mass -energy

D. All of these

Answer: A

4. An unstable nuclide with N/P ratio more than that required for stability

can attain stability by

A. it emits β^{-}

B. It emits β^+

C. It emits α particle

D. It will undergo K electron capture

Answer: A

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5. Half lives for α and β emission of a radioacative materila are 16 years and 48 years respectively. When material decays giving α and β emission simultaneously, time in which $3/4^{th}$ material decays is .

A. 29 years

B. 24 years

C. 64 years

D. 12 years

Answer: B

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6. Two radioactive samples of different elements (half-lives t_1 and t_2 respectively) have same number of nuclei at t = 0. The time after which their activities are same is

A.
$$rac{T_1T_2}{T_1-T_2}$$

B. $rac{T_1-T_2}{2}$
C. $rac{T_1+T_2}{2}$
D. $rac{T_1T_2}{T_1+T_2}$

Answer: A

- 7. Choose the correct statement
 - A. The nuclear force becomes strong if the nucleus contains too many

protons compared to neutrons

B. The nuclear force becomes strong if the nucleus contains too many

neutrons compared to protons

C. Nuclei with atomic number less than 82 shows a tendency to

disintegrate

D. The nuclear force becomes weak if the nucleus contains a large

number of nucleons

Answer: D



8. N atoms of a radioactive element emit n alpha particles per second. The half-life of tge element is.

A.
$$\frac{n}{N}$$

B. $\frac{N}{n}$
C. 0.693 $\frac{N}{n}$
D. 0.693 $\frac{n}{N}$

Answer: B



9.90% of the active nuclei present in a radioactive sample are found to remain undecyayed after 1 day. The precentage of undecayed nuclei left after two days will be

A. 0.81

B. 0.19

C. 0.2

D. 1

Answer: B

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10. A sample of radioactive element has a mass of 10g at an instant t=0.

The approximate mass of this element in the sample after two mean lives

is

A. 2.50 gm

B. 1.35 gm

C. 6.30 gm

D. 3.70 gm

Answer: B

11. During mean life of a radioactive element, the fraction that disintegrates is

A. e
B.
$$\frac{e-1}{e}$$

C. $\frac{1}{e}$
D. $\frac{e}{e-1}$

Answer: B



12. An element A decays into an element C by a two step process

 $A
ightarrow B + ._2 \, He^4$ and $B
ightarrow C + 2e^-$.Then,

A. A and B are isobars

B. A and C are isobars

C. A and B are isotopes

D. A and C are isotopes

Answer: D

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13. After three half lives, the percentage of fraction of amount remain is

a)35 b)12.5 c)50 d)75

A. 0.01

B. 0.003

C. 0.03125

D. 0.002

Answer: C

14. The radioactivity of a certain radioactive element drops to 1/64 of its initial value in 30 seconds. Its half-life is.

A. 8 seconds

B. 15 seconds

C. 7.5 seconds

D. 5 seconds

Answer: D

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15. The half-life of a radioactive substance against lpha – decay is $1.2 imes 10^7 s$. What is the decay rate for $4 imes 10^{15}$ atoms of the substance ?

A. $2.3 imes 10^8$ atom/s

B. $3.2 imes 10^8$ atom/s

C. $2.3 imes 10^{11}$ atom/s

D. $3.2 imes 10^{11}$ atom/s

Answer: A



16. The value of binding energy per nucleon is

A. 8J

B.8 KeV

C. 8 eV

D. 8 MeV

Answer: D



17. In the nuclear fusion reaction ${}^2_1H + {}^3_1H \rightarrow {}^4_2He + {}^1_0n$, given that the repulsive potential energy between the two nuclei is $-7.7 \times 10^{14} J$. The temperature at which the gases must be heated to initiate the reaction is nearly, [Boltzmann's constant, $k = 1.38 \times 10^{23} J/K$]

A. $-10^{-10}J$ B. $-10^{-12}J$ C. $-10^{-14}J$ D. $-10^{-10}J$

Answer: D

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18. A nucleus ${}^{220}X$ at rest decays emitting an α -particle . If energy of daughter nucleus is 0.2 MeV, Q value of the reaction is

A. 10 MeV

B. 10.9 MeV

C. 11 MeV

D. 11.1 MeV

Answer: C

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19. Radioactive nuclei P and Q disintegrate into R with half lives 1 month and 2 months respectively. At time t=0 , number of nuclei of each P and Q is x.

Time at which rate of disintegration of P and Q are equal , number of nuclei of R is

A. x

B. 1.25 x

C. 1.5 x

D. 1.75 x

Answer: B



20. A radioactive element X emits six α -particles and four β -particles leading to end product $^{208}_{82}Pb$. X is

A. $^{238}_{92}U$

- B. $^{230}_{90}Th$
- $\mathsf{C}.{}^{232}_{90}Th$
- D. $^{239}_{92}U$

Answer: C



21. In nature, ratio of isotopes Boron, ${}_5B^{10}$ and ${}_5B^{11}$, is (given that

atomic weight of boron is 10.81)

A. 81:19

B. 21: 44

C. 19:81

D. 44:21

Answer: C

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22. Q -value of the decay
$$^{22}_{11}Na
ightarrow ^{22}_{10}Ne + e^+ +
u$$
 is

A.
$$igl[migl({}^{22}_{11}Naigr)-migl({}^{22}_{10}Neigr)igr]c^2$$

B.
$$igg[migl({22 \over 11}Naigr) - migl({22 \over 10}Neigr) - m_eigr]c^2$$

C.
$$igg[migl({11\over 11}Naigr)-migl({22\over 10}Neigr)-2m_eigr]c^2$$

D.
$$igl[migl({}^{22}_{11}Naigr)-migl({}^{22}_{10}Neigr)-3m_eigr]c^2$$

Answer: C

23. Which of the alternatives gives correct match of column_i with column-II ?

	Column-I		Column
(a)	Binding energy per nucleon for ^{56}Fe	(i)	5.5 MeV
(b)	Energy of α – particle in geiger marsden experiment	(ii)	200 MeV
(c)	Energy of photon of visible light	(iii)	8.75 <i>Me</i> I
(d)	Energy released in fission of a uranium nucleus	(iv)	2eV
A. a(i),b(iii),c(iv),d(ii)			
В	. a(iii),b(i),c(ii),d(iv)		

C. a(iii),b(i),c(iv),d(ii)

D. a(i),b(iv),c(ii),d(iii)

Answer: C



24. Correct increasing order of penetrating powers of α,β particles and γ

-rays, all moving with same kinetic energy is

A. α, β, γ

 $\mathrm{B.}\,\beta,\alpha,\gamma$

 $\mathsf{C}.\,\gamma,\beta,\alpha$

D. All have same penetrating power as all have same kinetic energy

Answer: A

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25. Calculated the energy required to excite one litre of hydrogen gas at 1atm and 298K to the first excited state of atomic hydorgen. The enegry for the dissociation of H - H bond is $436kJmol^{-1}$.

A. 2.67 MeV

B. 2.67 KeV

C. 26.7 MeV

D. 26.7 KeV

Answer: C



26.37 Rutherford equals

A.1 milli bacquerel

B. 1 milli curie

C.1 micro bacquerel

D.1 micro curie

Answer: A

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27. Which of these is incorrect about nuclear forces ?

A. they are independent of charge

B. Nuclear forces are derived from guark-guark interaction C. Hadrons do not experience strong nuclear force D. Nuclear force is not a central force Answer: C Watch Video Solution Assignment Section C **1.** Radioactive material A has decay constant 8λ and material B has decay constant λ .Initially,They have same number of nulei.After what time,the

ratio of number of nuclei of material B to that A will be $\frac{1}{e}$?

A.
$$\frac{1}{\lambda}$$

B. $\frac{1}{7\lambda}$
C. $\frac{1}{8\lambda}$
D. $\frac{1}{9\lambda}$

Answer: B



2. The half-life of a radioactive substance is 30 min. The time (in minutes) taken between 40% decay and 85% decay of the same radioactive substance is

A. 15

B. 30

C. 45

D. 60

Answer: D

3. A nucleus of uranium decays at rest into nuclei of thorium and helium.Then,

- A. The helium nucleus has less kinetic energy than the thorium nucleus
- B. The helium nucleus has more kinetic energy than the thorium

nucleus

- C. The helium nucleus has less momentum than the thorium nucleus
- D. The helium nucleus has more momentum than the thorium nucleus

Answer: B

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4. If radius of the $^{27}_{13}$ Al nucleus is taken to be R_{Al} 'then the radius of $^{125}_{53}Te$ nucleus is nearly

A.
$$\left(rac{13}{53}
ight)^{1/3}\!R_{AI}$$

B.
$$\left(\frac{53}{13}\right)^{1/3} R_{AI}$$

C. $\frac{5}{3} R_{AI}$
D. $\frac{3}{5} R_{AI}$

Answer: C

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5. The binding energy per nucleon of ${}_{3}^{7}Li$ and ${}_{2}^{4}He$ nuclei are 5.60 Me V and 7.06 MeV, respectively. In the nuclear reaction ${}_{3}^{7}Li + {}_{1}^{1}H \rightarrow {}_{2}^{4}He + {}_{2}^{4}He + Q$, the value of energy Q released is

A. 19.6 MeV

 $\mathrm{B.}-2.4~\mathrm{MeV}$

C. 8.4 MeV

D. 17.3 MeV

Answer: D



6. A radio isotope X with a half life 1.4×10^9 yr decays of Y which is stable. A sample of the rock from a cave was found to contain X and Y in the ratio 1:7. The age of the rock is

A. $1.96 imes 10^9$ years

B. $3.92 imes 10^9$ years

C. $4.20 imes 10^9$ years

D. $8.40 imes10^9$ years

Answer: C

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7. A certain mass of hydrogen is changed to helium by the process of fusion. The mass defect in fusion reaction is 0.02866u. The energy liberated per u is

(given 1u = 931 MeV)

(1.) 2.67 MeV

(2.)26.7 MeV

(3.)6.675 MeV

(4.)13.35 MeV

A. 26.7 MeV

B. 6.675 MeV

C. 13.35 MeV

D. 2.67 MeV

Answer: B

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8. The half-life of a radioactive isotope X is 20 yr. It decays to another element Y which is stable. The two elements X and Y were found to be in the ratio 1:7 in a sample of a given rock. The age of the rock is estimated to be

A. 60 years

B. 80 years

C. 100 years

D. 40 years

Answer: A

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9. If the nuclear radius of $.13Al^{27}$ is 3.6 Fermi, the approximate nuclear radius of $.29Cu^{64}$ in Fermi is :

A. 4.8

B. 3.6

C. 2.4

D. 1.2

Answer: A

10. A mixture consists of two radioactiv materials A_1 and A_2 with halflives of 20 s and 10 s, respectively. Initially the mixture has 40 g of A_1 and 160 g of A_2 . The amount of the two in the mixture will become equal after

A. 20 s

B. 40 s

C. 60 s

D. 80 s

Answer: B



11. The half life of a radioactive nucleus is 50 days. The time interval $(t_2 - t_1)$ between the time t_2 when $\frac{2}{3}$ of it has decayed and the time t_1

when $\frac{1}{3}$ of it had decayed is-

A. 30 days

B. 50 days

C. 60 days

D. 15 days

Answer: B

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12. The power obtained in a reactor using U^{235} disintergration is 1000 kW

. The mass decay of U^{235} per hour is

A. 1 microgram

B. 10 microgram

C. 20 microgram

D. 40 microgram

Answer: D

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13. The half-life of a radioactive isotope X is 50 years. It decays to another element Y which is stable. The two elements X and Y were found to be in the ratio of 1:15 in a sample of a given rock. The age of the rock was estimated to be

A. 100 years

B. 150 years

C. 200 years

D. 250 years

Answer: C

14. Fusion reaction takes place at high tamperature because

A. Molecules break up at high temperature

B. nuclei break up atg high temperature

C. Atoms get ionised at high temperature

D. Kinetic energy is high enough to overcome the coulomb repulsion

between nuclei

Answer: D

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15. A nucleus $\cdot_n^m X$ emits one α -particle and two β^- particles. The resulting nucleus is

A. ${m-4 \atop n-2} Y$

 $\mathsf{B.}_{n-4}^{m-6}Z$

 $\mathsf{C}.\,{}_n^{m\,-\,6}Z$

D.
$$n^{m-4}X$$

Answer: D

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16. Two radioacitve nuclei P and Q, in a given sample decay into a stable nucleus R. At time t=0, number of P species are 4 N_0 and that of Q are N_0 . Half-life of P (for conversion to R) is 1 min, where as that of Q is 2 min. Initially there are no nuclei of R present in the sample. When number of nuclei of P and Q are equal, then the number of nuclei of R present in the sample would be

A.
$$\frac{5N_0}{2}$$

B. $2N_0$
C. $3N$
D. $\frac{9N_0}{2}$

Answer: D

17. The mass of $._{3}^{7} Li$ is 0.042 amu less than the sum of masses of its constituents. The binding energy per nucleon is

A. 46 MeV

B. 5.6 MeV

C. 3.9 MeV

D. 23 MeV

Answer: B

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18. The activity of a radioavtive sample is measured as N_0 counts per minute at t = 0 and $\frac{N_0}{e}$ counts per minute at t=5 min. The time (in minutes) at which the activity reduces to half its value is

A. $\log_{e} 2/5$ B. $\frac{5}{\log_{e} 2}$ C. $5 \log_{10} 2$ D. $5 \log_{e} 2$

Answer: D



19. The decay constant of a radioactive isotope is λ . If A_1 and A_2 are its activites at time t_1 and t_2 respectively, then the number of nuclei which have decayed the time $(t_1 - t_2)$

A. $A_1t_1-A_2t_2$ B. A_1-A_2 C. $\left(A_1-A_2
ight)/\lambda$ D. $\lambda(A_1-A_2)$

Answer: C

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20. The binding energy per nucleon of deuterium and helium nuclei are 1.1 MeV and 7.0 MeV respectively. When two deuterium nuclei fuse to form a helium nucleus the energy released in the fusion is

A. 23.6 MeV

B. 2.2 MeV

C. 28.0 MeV

D. 30.2 MeV

Answer: A

21. In the nuclear decay given below

 $.^{A}_{Z} X
ightarrow ._{Z+1} .^{A} Y
ightarrow .^{A-4}_{Z-1} B^{*}
ightarrow .^{A-4}_{Z-1} B$,

the particle emitted in the sequence are

A. γ , β , α B. β , γ , α

 $\mathsf{C}.\,\alpha,\beta,\gamma$

 $\mathrm{D.}\,\beta,\alpha,\gamma$

Answer: D

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22. The number of beta particles emitted by a radioactive substance is twice the number of alpha particles emitted by it. The resulting daughter is an

A. Isomer of parent

B. Isotone of parent

C. Isotope of parent

D. isobar of parent

Answer: C

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23. In a Rutherford scattering experiment when a projectile of charge Z1 and mass M1 approaches a target nucleus of charge Z2 and mass M2, the distance of closest approach is r0. The energy of the projectile is :

A. Directly proportional to $z_1 z_2$

B. Inversely proportional to z_1

C. Directly proportional to mass M_1

D. $Directly \propto \text{ or } tional \rightarrow M_1xx M_2`$

Answer: A



24. Two radioactive materials X_1 and X_2 have decay constants 5λ and λ respectively. If initially they have the same number of nuclei, then the ratio of the number of nuclei of X_1 to that of X_2 will be $\frac{1}{e}$ after a time (1.) λ

- (2.) 1/ 2 λ
- (3.) 1/ 4 λ
- (4.) e/ λ

A.
$$\frac{e}{\lambda}$$

B. λ

C.
$$\frac{1}{2}\lambda$$

D. $\frac{1}{4\lambda}$

Answer: D

25. Two nuclei have mass numbers in the ratio 1:3. What is the ratio of their nuclear densities ?

A. 1: 1 B. 1: 3 C. 3: 1 D. (3)^{1/3}: 1

Answer: A

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26. if m, m_n and m_p are the masses of ${}_zX^A$ nucleus neutron and proors respectively then.

A.
$$M(A, Z) = ZM_p + (A - Z)M_n + BE/C^2$$

B. $M(A, Z) = ZM_p + (A - Z)M_n - BE/C^2$
C. $M(A, Z) = ZM_p + (A - Z)M_n + BE$
D.
$$M(A,Z)=ZM_p+(A-Z)M_n-BE$$

Answer: B



27. If the nucleus of $._{13} A l^{27}$ has a nuclear radius of about 3.6 fm, then $._{52} T e^{125}$ would have its radius approximately as

A. 4.8 fm

B. 6.0 fm

C. 9.6 fm

D. 12.0 fm

Answer: B

28. In radioactive decay process , the negatively charged emitted β -particles are

A. The electrons produced as a result of the decay of neutrons inside

the nucleus

B. The electrons produced as a result of collisions between atoms

C. The electrons present inside the nucleus

D.

Answer: A

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29. A nucleus $A_Z^A X$ has mass represented by m(A, Z). If m_p and m_n denote the mass of proton and neutron respectively and BE the blinding energy (in MeV), then

A. $BE = M(A,Z) - ZM_p - (A-Z)M_n$

$$\texttt{B}.\,BE=[M(A,Z)-ZM_p-(A-Z)M_n]C^2]$$

C.
$$BE = [zM_p + (A,z)M_n - M(A,Z)]C^2$$

D.
$$BE = [zM_p + AM_n - M(A,Z)]C^2$$

Answer: C

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30. Two radioactive substance A and B have decay constants 5λ and λ , respectively. At t=0 they have the same number of nuclei. The ratio of number of nuclei of A to those of B will be $\left(\frac{1}{e}\right)^2$ efter a time interval.

A.
$$\frac{1}{2\lambda}$$

B. $\frac{1}{4\lambda}$
C. 4λ

D. 2λ

Answer: A

31. The binding energy of deuteron is 2.2 MeV and that of H_2^4He is 28MeV.

If two deuterons are fused to form one 4_2He then the energy released is:-

A. 25.8 MeV

B. 23.6 MeV

C. 19.2 MeV

D. 30.2 MeV

Answer: B

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32. In a radioactive material the acticity at time t_1 is R_1 and at a later time t_2 , it is R_2 . If the decay constant of the material is λ , then

A.
$$R_1 - R_2 e^{(\,-\lambda\,(\,t_1 - t_2\,)\,)}$$

B.
$$R_1=R_2e^{\left(\lambda\left(t_1-t_2
ight)
ight)}$$

C. $R_1=R_2igg(rac{t_2}{t_1}igg)$
D. $R_1=R_2$

Answer: A

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33. The radius of germanium (Ge) nuclide is measured to be twice the

radius of $.^9_4$ Be. The number of nucleons in Ge are

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A. 73

B.74

C. 75

D. 72

Answer: D

34. In the reaction ${}_{1}^{2}H + {}_{1}^{3}H \rightarrow {}_{2}^{4}He + {}_{0}^{1}n$. If the binding energies of ${}_{1}^{2}H, {}_{1}^{3}H$ and ${}_{2}^{4}He$ are respectively a, b and c (in MeV), then the energy (in MeV) released in this reaction is

A. c+a-b

B. c-a-b

C. a+b+c

D. a+b-c

Answer: B

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35. The nuclei of which one of the following pairs of nuclei are isotones?

A.
$${}_{34}Se^{74}, {}_{31}Ga^{71}$$

 $\mathsf{B.}_{42} Mo^{92\,,_{40}Zr^{92}}$

C. $_{38}Sr^{84}, _{38}Sr^{86}$

D. $_{20}Ca^{40}, \, _{16}S^{32}$

Answer: A

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36. Fission of nuclei is possible because the binding energy per nucleon in

them

- A. Increases with mass number at high mass numbers
- B. Decreases with mass number at high mass numbers
- C. increases with mass number at low mass numbers
- D. Decreases with mass number at low mass numbers

Answer: B

37. In any fission process the ratio	mass of fission products mass of parent nucleus	- is -
A. Less than 1		
B. Greater than 1		
C. Equal to 1		
D. Depends on the mass of parent nucleus		
Answer: A		

38. The volume occupied by an atom is greater than the volume of the

nucleus by a factor of about

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A. 10^1

 $\mathsf{B}.\,10^5$

 $C. 10^{10}$

D. 10^{15}

Answer: D



39. Alpha particles are

A. Neutrally charged

B. Positron

C. Protons

D. Ionized helium atoms

Answer: D



40. The mass number of a nucleus is

A. Always less than its atomic number

B. Always more than its atomic number

C. Sometimes equal to its atomic number

D. Sometimes less than and sometimes more than its atomic number

Answer: C

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41. The radius of germanium (Ge) nuclide is measured to be twice the

radius of $._4^9$ Be. The number of nucleons in Ge are

A. 72

B. 73

C. 74

D. 75

Answer: A

42. What is the respective number of α and $\beta\text{-particles}$ emitted in the

following radiactive decay

 $.^{200} X_{90}
ightarrow .^{168} Y_{80}$?

A. 8 and 8

B. 8 and 6

C. 6 and 8

D. 6 and 6

Answer: B

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43. A nucleus ruptures into two nuclear parts, which have their velocity ratio equal to 2:1. What will be the ratio of their nuclear size (nuclear radius)?

A. $3^{1/2}$: 1

B. 1: $3^{1/2}$

C. $2^{1/3}$: 1

D. 1: $2^{1/3}$

Answer: D

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44. The most pentrating radiation out of the following is

A. β -rays

B. γ -rays

C. X-rays

D. α -rays

Answer: B

45. Complete the equation for the following fission process

$$egin{aligned} ._{92} \, U^{235} + ._0 \, n^1 &
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ightarrow .\\ & \mathsf{B}. \, {}_{57} X^{142} + {}_{30} n^1 &
ightarrow &$$

Answer: C

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46. In one α and 2β -emissions

- A. Mass number reduces by 6
- B. Mass number reduces by 4

C. Mass number reduces by 2

D. Atomic number reduces by 4

Answer: B



47. A nuclear decay is expressed as '_.(6)C^(11) rarr ._(5)B^(11)+beta^(+)+X

 $Then the unknown partic \leq X`$ is

A. Neutron

B. Anti-neutrino

C. Neutrino

D. proton

Answer: C

48. In compound $X(n, lpha) o ._3 Li^7$, the element X is

A. ${}^{10}_{5}B$ B. ${}^{9}_{5}B$

 $C._{4}^{11}Be$

D. 4_2He

Answer: A

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49. M_n and M_p represet the mass of neutron and proton respectively. An element having mass M has N neutron and Z-protons, then the correct relation will be : -

A.
$$M < \{N. M_n + Z. M_p\}$$

B. $M < \{N. M_n + Z. M_p\}$
C. $M = \{N. M_m + Z. M_p\}$

D.
$$M = N\{M_n + M_p\}$$

Answer: A



50. Which rays contain (+ Ve) charged particle : -

A. α -rays

B. β -rays

C. γ -rays

D. X-rays

Answer: A



51. When a deuterium is bombarded on $._8 O^{16}$ nucleus, an α -particle is emitted, then the product nucleus is

A. $_{7}N_{13}$ B. $_{5}B^{10}$ C. $_{4}Be^{9}$ D. $_{7}N^{14}$

Answer: D

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52. A nuclear reaction given by

 $._Z\,X^A o ._{Z+1}\,Y^A + ._{-1}\,e^0 + ar{v}$ represents

A. β -decay

B. γ -decay

C. Fussion

D. Fission

Answer: A



53. If in a nuclear fusion process, the masses of the fusing nuclei be m_1 and m_2 and the mass the resultant nucleus be m_3 , then

A.
$$m_3 = m_1 + m_2$$

B. $m_3 = |m_1 - m_2|$
C. $m_3 < (m_1 + m_2)$
D. $m_3 > (m_1 + m_2)$

Answer: C

54. m_p denotes the mass of a proton and m_n that of a neutron. A given nucleus of binding energy BE, contains Z protons and N neutrons. The mass m(N, Z) of the nucleus is given by

A.
$$M(N,Z)=NM_n+ZM_p-Bc^2$$

 $\mathsf{B}.\,M(N,Z)=NM_n+ZM_p+Bc^2$

C. $M(N,Z)=NM_n+ZM_p-B/c^2$

D. $M(N,Z) = NM_n + ZM_p + B/c^2$

Answer: C

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55. The mass of proton is 1.0073 u and that of neutron is 1.0087 u (u = atomic mass unit). The binding energy of $._2^4 He$ is (Given : helium nucleus mass ≈ 4.0015 u)

B. 0.0305 erg

C. 28.4 MeV

D. 0.061 n

Answer: C

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56. A nucleus represented by the symbol . $Z^A X$ has :-

A. Z neutrons and (A-Z) protons

B. Z protons and (A-Z) neutrons

C. Z protons and A neutrons

D. A protons and (Z-A) neutrons

Answer: B

57. How many elementary particles are emitted when ${}^{14}_6C$ transforms to ${}^{14}_7N$?

A. One

B. Two

C. Three

D. Four

Answer: B

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58. Q value of a nuclear reactions is positive . The reaction is

A. Exothermic

B. Endothermic

C. Elastic

D. Both exothermic and endothermic

Answer: A



59. Choose the correct product of nuclear reaction,

 $_7N^{14} + _0n^1 o _6C^{14} +$

A. proton and electron

B. Neutron

C. Deutron

D. Electron

Answer: A



60. When two nuclei (with A=8) join to form a heavier nucleus , the

binding energy (B.E) per nucleon of the heavier nuclei is

A. More than the B.E per nucleon of the lighter nuclei

B. less than the B.E per nucleon of the lighter nuclei

C. Double the B.E per nucleon of the lighter nuclei

D.

Answer: A

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61. When helium nuclei bombard beryllium nuclei ,then

A. Electrons are emitted

B. Protons are emitted

C. Neutrons are emitted

D. protons and neutrons are emitted

Answer: C

62. The binding energies per nucleon for a deuteron and an α – particle are x_1 and x_2 respectively. What will be the energy Q released in the following reaction ?

$$._1 H^2 + ._1 H^2 \rightarrow ._2 He^4 + Q.$$

A. $4(x_1 + x_2)$

B. $4(x_2 - x_1)$

C. $2(x_2-x_1)$

D. $2(x_1 + x_2)$

Answer: B



63. The count rate of a Geiger Muller counter for the radiation of a radioactive material of half-life 30 min decreases to $5s^{-1}$ after 2h. The initial count rate was

A. 80second⁻¹

- B. 625 second $^{-1}$
- C. 20second⁻¹
- D. 25second⁻¹

Answer: A

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64. Half-lives of two radioactive substances A and B are respectively 20 min and 40 min. Initially, the samples of A and B have equal number of nuclei. After 80 min the raatio of remaining number of A and B nuclei is

A. 1:4

B.4:1

C. 1:16

D.1:1

Answer: A



65. The correct relation between t_{av} =average life and $t_{1/2}$ = half life for a radioactive nuclei.

A.
$$T_{1/2}=rac{{
m In}2}{\lambda}$$

B. $T_{1/2}{
m In}2=\lambda$
C. $T_{1/2}=rac{1}{\lambda}$
D. $(\lambda+T_{1/2})={
m In}2$

Answer: A



66. Nuclear - Fission is best explained by:

A. Liquid drop model

B. Yukawa π -meson theory

C. Independent particle model of the nucleus

D. proton -proton cycle

Answer: A

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67. Half life of radioactive element is 12.5 Hour and its quantity is 256 gm.

After how much time its quantity will remain 1 gm : -

A. 50 hrs

B. 100 hrs

C. 150 hrs

D. 200 hrs

Answer: B

68. Adssertion:Energy is released in nuclear fission.

Reason:Total binding energy of the fission fragment is larger than the total binding energy of the parent nucleus.

A. Some mass is converted into charge

B. Total binding energy of fragments is more than the binding energy

of parental element

C. Total binding energy of fragments is less than the binding energy

of parental element

D. Total binding energy of fragments is equal to the binding energy of

parental element

Answer: B

69. A sample of radioactive element containing 4×10^{16} active nuclei. Half life of element is 10 days, then number of decayed nuclei after 30 days : -

A. $0.5 imes10^{16}$

 ${ t B.2 imes 10^{16} extrm{}}$

 $\text{C.}~3.5\times10^{16}$

 $\text{D.}\,1\times10^{16}$

Answer: C

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70. A sample of radioactive element has a mass of 10g at an instant t=0.

The approximate mass of this element in the sample after two mean lives

is

A. 1.35 g

B. 2.50 g

C. 3.70 g

D. 6.30 g

Answer: A

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71. The half-life of radium is about 1600yr. Of 100g of radium existing now,

25g will remain unchanged after

A. 4800 years

B. 6400 years

C. 2400 years

D. 3200 years

Answer: D

72. $_{.90} Th^{232}
ightarrow ._{82} Pb^{208}$. The number of lpha and $eta - {
m particles}$ emitted

during the above reaction is

A. $4\alpha, 7\beta$

B. 6α , 4β

 $C. 8\alpha, 7\beta$

D. 4α , 4β

Answer: B

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73. A radioactive substance has 10^8 nuclei. Its half life is 30 s . The number

of nuclei left after 15 s is nearly

A. $2 imes 10^5$

 $\text{B.}\,3\times10^6$

 ${\rm C.\,7\times10^7}$

D. $5 imes 10^8$

Answer: B



74. A certain stable nucleide, after absorbing a neutron, emits β -particle and the new nucleide splits spontaneously into two α - particles. The nucleide is

- A. 4_2He
- $\mathsf{B}.rac{7}{3}Li$
- $\mathsf{C}.\,_4^6Be$
- D. 6_3Li

Answer: B

75. Pauli suggested the emission of nutrino during β^+ decay to explain

A. Continuous energy distribution positrons

B. Conservation of linear momentum

C. Conservation of mass -energy

D. All of these

Answer: A

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76. In a radioactive decay, a nucleus is transformed into another with the

emission of a positron. In this process the neutron-proton ratio

A. Decreases

B. Increases

C. Remains same

D. May decreases or increases

Answer: B



77. If a heavy nucleus has N/Z ratio higher than that required for stability

then

A. it emits β^{-}

B. It emits β^+

C. It emits α particle

D. It will undergo K electron capture

Answer: A



78. The half - life of I^{131} is 8 days. Given a sample of I^{131} at time t=0 , we

can assert that

A. No nucleus will decay before t=4 days

B. No nucleus will decay before t=8 days

C. All nuclei will decay before t=16 days

D. A given nucleus may decay at t=0

Answer: D

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79. Which of the following is used as a moderator in nuclear reactors?

A. Cadmium

B. Plutonium

C. Uranium

D. Heavy water

Answer: D

80. Which of the following are suitable for the fusion process?

A. Light nuclei

B. Heavy nuclei

C. Element must be lying in the middle of the periodic table

D. Middle elements, which are lying on binding energy curve

Answer: A

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81. Solar energy is due to

A. Burning of hydrogen in the oxygen

B. Fission of uranium present in the sun

C. Fusion of protons during synthesis of heavier elements
D. Gravitational contraction.

Answer: C

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Assignment Section D

1. A : Uncertainty principle demands that an electron confined to a nucleus must have very high energy so that the electron cannot reside in a nucleus.

R: The electrostatic attraction between electron and proton is large at such a small distance but is not enough to bind such a high -energy electron.



2. A: A free proton is stable but inside a nucleus , a proton gets converted into a neutron, position and neutrino $(p o n + e^+ + v)$.

R: Inside a nucleus, neutron decay $(n \rightarrow p + e^- + \bar{v})$ as well as proton decay are possible, since other nucleons can share energy nad momentum to conserve energy as well as momentum and both the decays are in dynamic equillibrium .



3. A : Exothermic reactions are possible when two light nuclei fuse or when a heavy nucleus undergoes fission into intermediate mass nuclei.

R: The nature of nuclear binding energy curve is such that it rises lighter

nuclei and slightly decreasing for heavier nuclei.



4. A : For fusion, the light nuclei must have sufficient initial energy to cross the coulomb barrier.

Hence, fusion requires high temperature, however, the actual temperature required is somewhat less than expected clssically. R: It is to mechanical tunneling of the potential barrier.

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5. Atomic number is the sum of number of protons and neutrons.

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6. A : Nuclear density is almost same for all nuclei .

R: The radius (r) of a nucleus depends only on the mass number (A) as $r \propto A^{1/3}.$

A. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (1)

B. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is not correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (2)

C. if assertion is true statement but reason is false then mark (3)

D. if both assertion & reason are false then mark (4)

Answer: 1

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7. A : During radioactive disintegration an α -particle and a β -particle do not emit simultaneously from any nucleus.

R : An α -particle emits from a nucleus when the N/Z ratio is less than the stability range (where N=number of neutrons and Z=number of protons in a nucleus.)

A. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (1)

B. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is not correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (2)

C. if assertion is true statement but reason is false then mark (3)

D. if both assertion & reason are false then mark (4)

Answer: 2



- **8.** A: In β -decay an electron is emitted by the nucleus
- R: Electrons are not present inside the nucleus.
 - A. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (1)

B. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is not correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (2)

- C. if assertion is true statement but reason is false then mark (3)
- D. if both assertion & reason are false then mark (4)

Answer: 2

9. A: A radioactive substance has half life of 4 hour. Therefore, if two nuclei of the substance are present initially , after 1 hour only one will remain undissociated.

R: When a nucleus makes a transition from excited state to ground state, it emits a β -particle.

- A. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is correct explanation of the assertion then mark (1)
- B. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is not correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (2)

- C. if assertion is true statement but reason is false then mark (3)
- D. if both assertion & reason are false then mark (4)

Answer: 4



- **10.** A : Fast moving neutrons do not cause fission of a uranium nucleus.
- R: A fast moving neutron spends very little time inside the nucleus.
 - A. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (1)

B. if both assertion & reason are true and the reason is not correct

explanation of the assertion then mark (2)

- C. if assertion is true statement but reason is false then mark (3)
- D. if both assertion & reason are false then mark (4)

Answer: 1

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