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COORDINATION COMPOUNDS

Question Bank

Write the formulas for the following coordination compounds: i)
 Tetraamminediaquacobalt(III) chioride ii)

Potassium tetracyanonickelate(II) iii) Tris(ethane-1,2-diamine)' chromium(III) chioride s iv) Ámminebromidochloridonitrito-Nplatinațe(II) v) Dichloridóbis(ethane-1,2diamine) platinum (iv) nitrate vi) Iron(III) hexacyanoferrate (II)

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2. Write the IUPAC names of the following compounds $\left[CO(NH_3)_6\right]Cl_3$

3. Indicate the type of isomerism exhibited by the following complexes and draw the structures for these isomers. $K[Cr(H_2O)_2(C_2O_4)_2]$

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4. Give evidence that $\left[Co[NH_3)_5 Cl \right] SO_4$ and

 $[Co(NH_3)_5SO_4]Cl$ are ionisation isomers.

5. Explain on the basis of V.B, theory that $[Ni(CN)_4]^{2-}$ ion with square planar structure is diamagnetic and the $[NiCl_4]^2$ – ion with tetrahedral geometry is paramagnetic.

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6. $[NiCl_4]^{2-}$ is paramagnetic while $Ni(CO)_4$

is diamagnetic though both are

tetrahedral.Why?







8. $[Co(NH_3)_6]^3$ + is an inner orbital complex whereas $[Ni(NH_3)_6]^{2+}$ is an outer orbital complex.Explain.

9. Predict the number of unpaired electrons in

the squar planar $\left[Pt(CN)_4
ight]^{2-}$ ion.



10. The hexaaquamanganese(II)ion contains five unpaired electrons, while the hexacyano ion contains only one unpaired electron. Explain using crystal field theory.



11. Calculate the overall complex dissociation equillibrium constant for the $[Cu(NH_3)_4]^{+2}$ ion,given that (β_4) for this complex is 2.1×10^{13} .

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12. Explain the bonding in coordination compounds in terms of Werner's postulates?

13. FeSO4 solution mixed with '(NH4)2 SO4' solution in 1 : 1 molar ratio gives the test of 'Fe^2+' ion but 'CuSO4' solution mixed with aqueous ammonia in'1 : 4 molar ratio does not give the test of 'Cu^2+' ion. Explain why?

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14. Explain with two examplés each of the following coordination entity, ligand, coordination number, coordination polyhedron, homoleptic and heteroleptic?



15. What is meant by unidentate, didentate and ambidentate ligands? Give two examples for each?



16. Specify the ox:dation numbers of the metals in the following coordination entities.



17. Using IUPAC norms write the formulae for

the following : i) Tetrahydroxozincate (II)



18. Using IUPAC norms write the systematic names of the following : viii) '[NiCl_4]^2-'

19. List various types of isomerism possible. for

coordination compounds, giving an example of

each.



20. How many geometrical isomers are possible in the following coordination entities. i) $\left[Cr(C_2O_4)_3\right]^{3-}$ ii) $\left[Co(NH_3)_3Cl_3\right]$



21. Draw the structure of optical isomers of? i) '[Cr(C2O4)3]3-



22. Draw all the isomers (geometrical and optical) of: i) $[CoCl_2(en)_2]^+$ ii) $[Co(NH_3)Cl(en)_2]^{2+}$ ii) $[Co(NH_3)_2Cl_2(en)]^+$

23. Write all the geometrical isomers of $[Pt(NH_3)(Br)(Cl)(Py)]$ and how many of these will exhibit optical isomers?



24. 1.Aqueous copper sulphate solution (blue in colour) gives i) a green precipitate with aqueous potassium fluoride and ii) a bright green solution with aqueous potassium chloride. Explain these experimental results.



25. What is the coordination entity formed when excess of aquéous KCN, iş added to an aqueous solution of copper sulphate? Why is it that no precipitate of copper sulphide is obtained when $H_2S(g)$ is passed through this solution?



26. Discuss the nature of bonding in the following coordination entities on the basis of Valence bond theory: i) $[Fe(CN)_6]^+$ ii) $[FeF_6]^{3-}$ iii) $[Co(C_2O_4)_3]^{3-}$ iv) $[CoF_6]^{3-}$

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27. Draw the figure to show the splitting of d-

orbitals in an octahedral crystal field.



28. What is spectro chemical series ? Explain

the difference betweena weak field ligand and

a strong field ligand.

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29. What is crystål field 'splitting energy? How does the magnitude of 'Delta', decide the actual configuration of d orbitals in a coordination entity?

30. [Cr(NH3)6]³⁺ is paramagnetic while [Ni(CN)4]²⁻ is' diamagnetic. Explain why?



31. A solution of $[Ni(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$ is green but a solution of $[Ni(CN)_4]^{2-}$ is colourless. Explain.

32. [Fe(CN)6]⁴- and [Fe(H2 O)6]²+ are of

different colours. in dilute solutions. Why?

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33. Discuss the nature of bonding in metal carbonyls.



34. Give the oxidation state, d-orbital occupation and coordination number of the central metal ion in the following complexes: i) $K_3[Co(C_2O_4)_3]$ ii) Cis- $[Cr(en_2)Cl_2]Cl$ iii) $(NH_4)_2[CoF_4]$.iv) $Mn[(H_2O)_6]SO_4$

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35. Write down the IUPAC name for each of the

following complexes and indicate the

oxidation state, electronic configuration and

coordination number. Also give

stereochemistry and magnetic moment of the complex.. i) $K[Cr(H_2O)_2(C_2O_4)_2] 3H_2O$ ii) $[CrCl_3(Py)]_3$ iii) $K_4[Mn(CN)_6]$ iv) $[Co(NH_3)_5Cl]Cl_2$.v) $Cs[FeCl_4]$



36. What is meant by stability of a coordination compound in solution? State the

factors which govern stability of complexes.



37. What is meant by chelate effect? Give an example.



38. Discuss briefly giving an example in each case the role of coordination compounds in: i) biological systems ii) analytical chiemistry iii) medicinal chemistry iv) extraction metallurgy of metals



39. How many ions are produced from the ćomplex [Co(NH3)6]Cl3 in solution?. i) 6 ii) 4 iii) 3 iv) 2



40. Amongst the following ions which one has the highest magnetic moment value? (i) [Cr(H 2 O) 6] 3+ (ii) [Fe(H 2 O) 6] 2+ (iii) [Zn(H 2 O) 6] 2+ **41.** The oxidation number of cobalt in K(Co(CO)4) is i) '+1' ii '+3' iii) '-1' iv) '-3'

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42. Amongst the following the most stable complex is: i) '[Fe(H₂O)₆ $^{3+}$ ii) '[Fe(NH₃)₆]³⁺ iii) '[Fe(C₂O₄)3]³⁻ iv) '[FeCl₆]3⁻

43. What will be the correct order for the wavelengths of absorption in the visible region for the following: $[Ni(NO_2)_6]^{4-}$,[N $i(NH_3)_6]^{2+}$,[Ni(H₂O)]²⁺

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44. Based on the number of donor atomsin ligands they can be classified as monodentate, didentat and polydentate. Classify the following ligand: in to monodentate, didentate and polydentate EDTA.



45. A coordination entity is given below: '[CrCl_2(0 x)_2]^3-' Now, identify the followingt i. Central metal atomi ion'and its oxidation". 'number.



stability of the complex lons. Justify your

answer.



47. "Strength of the ligand can affect the magnetic property of the coordination complex". á)Can you agree with this statement? b)illustrate the statement by

taking two complexes.



48. The magnetic behaviour of a complex can be expained on the basis of VB theory $[CO(NH_3)_6)]^{3+}$ is a diamagnetic complex and $[CoF_6]^3$ — is a paramagnetic complex.Substantiate the above statement using VB theory.

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49. A list of coordination compounds are given below. 'PtCl_2(NH_3)_2', Which type of isomerism, do these compòunds exhibit?



52. The following are two coordination compound: $I \cdot [Co(NH_3)_6]CI_3$ II. $Na_3[Cr(CN)_6]$ Read the following statements and identify the wrong ones:- Both can show optical Isomerism.

53. What is meant by chelate effect? Give an example.

54. Briefly explain the concept of -Crystal field

theory.

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55. What is understood by the generalisation-

Magnetic criteria of the bond type'? Illustrate

your answer with suitable example.



56. What is meant by unidentate, didentate and ambidentate ligands? Give two examples for each?



57. Give the IUPAC name of K [Ag(CN)2]



58. Tetrahedral complexés, do' not show

geometrical isomerism. Why?

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59. Which type of isomerism' is shown' by-the

following complex? (i) '[Co(en)3]³⁺

60. Arrange the following complexes in order of increasing electrical conductivity . [Co(NH3)3Cl3], [Co(NH3)4 Cl2] Cl, [Co(NH3)6]Cl3, [Co(NH3)5Cl]Cl2 Watch Video Solution

61. A coordination compound has the formula $COCI_{3.4}NH_3$. It does not liberate AmmoNia but precipitates chloride lons as silver chloride. Give the IUPAC name of complex.



62. The values of dissociation constants, of $(Cu(NH_3)_4]^2$ + and $[Co(NH3)6]^3$ + are 1×10^{-12} and 6.2×10^{-36} respectively. Which complex would be more stable and why?

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63. Why only transition metals are known to

form 'pi' complexes?



65. Give one example for chelate complex?
66. What is crystål field 'splitting energy? How does the magnitude of 'Delta', decide the actuál configuration of d orbitals in a coordination entity?

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67. Why complexes are preferred in the

electrolytic bath for electroplating?

68. What is the solution in which photographic

film is washed? What is reaction



69. 'In the formula $Feig(\eta^5-C_5H_5ig)$, What does the prefix η^5 . denote?

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70. What type of hybrid orbitals are associated with a) Ni in $\left(Ni(CN)_4\right]^2$ – b) C atom in



71. With conc. H_2SO_4 , all the H_2O molecules

are present in the coordination sphere



72. Write chemical formula of compound, sodium trloxalato'ferrate (III).

73. A metal complex having composition $Cr(NH_3)_4Cl_2Br$ has been isolated in two forms A and B. The form A reacts with $AqNO_3$ to give a white precipitate readily soluble in dilute aqueous ammonia, whereas Bgives a pale yellow precipitate soluble in concentrated ammonia. Write the formula, of A and B

74. A solution containing 0.319 of complex $CrCl_3$. $6H_2O$ was passed through cation exchange and the solution given out was neutralised by 2.85 mL of 0.125M NaOH. What is the correct formula of the complex.

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75. Calculate, the following. (i) Ratio of '[Ag(NH3)2]+' and '[A g+]' in '0.1 M' 'NH3' solution. (ii) Ratio of '[Ag(S2 O2)2]3' and '[Ag+]' in '0.1 M' 'S2 O3^2-' solution. Given that the

'[Ag(NH3)2]⁺ and '[Ag(S2 O3)2]³' are '1.7 x

10⁷ and '1 x 10¹³ respec- tively.

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76. Dimethyl glyoxime is added to alcoholic solution of NiCl2. When ammonium hydroxide is slowly added to it, a rosy red precipitate of a. complex appears. (i) give the structure of the complex showing hydrogen bonds (ii) give oxidation state and hybridisation of neutral

metal ion (iii) Identify whether it is

paramagnetic or diamagnetic



77. FeSO4 solution mixed with '(NH4)2 SO4' solution in 1 : 1 molar ratio gives the test of 'Fe^2+' ion but 'CuSO4' solution mixed with aqueous ammonia in'1 : 4 molar ratio does not give the test of 'Cu^2+' ion. Explain why?



78. Arrange the follwing complexs-in the increasing order of their molar conductivity.

A. a) K[Co(NH₃)₂(NO₂)₄]

B. b) [Cr(NO₂)(NH₃)₅]₃[Co(NO₂)₆]₂

C. c) Mg[Cr(NH₃)(NO₂)₅]

D. d) [Cr(NH3)3(NO2)3]

Answer:

79. A metal ion $'M^{n+}$ having $'d^4$ valence electronic configuration. combines with 3 didentate ligands to form a complex compound. Assuming Δ O> P (i) Draw the diagram showing d orbital splitting during the complex formation (ii) Write the electronic configuration of the valence electrons of the metal Mⁿ+ ion in terms of 't₂^gand e^g. (iii) What is the hybridisation of M^{n+} ions? (iv) Name the type of isomerism exhibited by this complex.

80. What are (A) and (B) give IUPAC name of

(A).find the spin only magnetic moment of (B)



81. (i) Why should [Al(H2O)6] 3+ be a stronger

acid than [Mg(H2O)6]2+ (ii)' Why HCl and not

H2 O is liberated on heating AlCl3. 6H2O?



82. The number of halide ions in $[Pt(NH_3)_3Cl_2Br]Cl$ will be : 4, 3, 2, 1

A. 4

B. 3

C. 2

D. 1

Answer: D

83. Which of the following is an organiometallic compound? Lithium methoxide, Lithium acetate, Lithium dimethyl amide, methyl lithium

A. Lithium methoxide

B. Lithium acetate

C. Lithium dimethyl amide

D. methyl lithium

Answer: D



84. Arrange the following ions which one has the highest paramagnetism

A.
$$\left[Cr(H_2O)_6
ight]^3$$

B. $\left[Fe(H_2O)_4
ight]^{2+}$.
C. $\left[Cu(H_2O)_6
ight]^{2+}$
D. $\left[Zn(H_2O)_6
ight]^{2+}$

Answer: B

85. Which compound is zero valent metal complex?

A. [Cu(NH3)4] SO4

B. [Pt(NH3)2Cl2]

C. [Ni(CO)4]

D. K₃[Fe(CN)₆]

Answer: C

86. The oxidation nụmber of cobalt in K(Co(CO)4) is i) '+1' ii '+3' iii) '-1' iv) '-3'

- A. 1
- B. 3
- C. -1
- D. -3

Answer: C

87. In the compound Lithium tetrahydrido

aluminate (III) the ligand is

A. H

B. H⁻

 $C. Al^+$

D. none of these

Answer: C



88. The compound which does not show

paramagnetism is

A. [Cu(NH₃)₄] Cl₂

B. FeCO₅

C. NO

D. NO2

Answer: B

89. In Fe(CO)5, the Fe-C bond possesses

A. π character only

B. both σ and π characters

C. ionic character

D. σ character only

Answer: B



90. The correct structure of Fe(CO)5, is

A. octahedral

B. tetrahedral

C. square pyramidal

D. triagonal bipyramidal

Answer: D

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91. The geometry of Ni(CO)4 and Ni(PPh3)2Cl2

are

A. both square planar				
B. tetrahedr	al and	squa	are	planar
respective	ely			
C. both tetrahedral				
D. square	planar	and	tetrahedral	
respective	ely			

Answer: C



92. The formula of dichlorobis (urea) copper (II) is

A. [Cu(O=C(NH₂)₂)₂]Cl₂

B. [CuCl₂(O=C(NH₂)₂)₂]

C. [Cu(O=C(NH₂)₂)] Cl

D. [CuCl2(O=C(NH2)2H2]

Answer: D

93. The shape of cuprammonium ion is

A. square planar

B. octahedral

C. tetrahedral

D. trigonal

Answer: A



94. The ion which is not tetrahedral in shape is

A. BF₄⁻

B. NH4⁺

C. [Cu(NH₃)₄]²⁺

D. NiCl4^{2–}

Answer: C



95. Which of the following shell form an octahedral complex

A. d⁴ (low spin)

B. d⁸(high spin)

C. d⁶ (low spin)

D. all of these

Answer: C



96. Specify the coordination geometry around and hybridisation of N and B atoms in a 1:1 complex of BF3 and NH3



B. N : pyramidal, s p , B : pyramidal, s p^3

C. N : pyramidal, sp^3 , B : planar, sp^2

D. N : pyramidal, sp^3 , B : tetrahedral, sp^3

Answer: A

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97. Which of the following has a square planar

geometry?

A. [PtCl4]^{2–}

B. [CoCl₄]^{2–}

C. [FeCl₄]²–

D. [NiCl4]²-

Answer: A



98. Among the following the species having square planar geometry for central atom are (i) XeF₄ (ii) SF₄ (iii) [NiCl₄]^{2–} (iv) [PtCl₄]^{2–}

A. (i) and (iv)

B. (i) and (ii)

C. (ii) and (iii)

D. (iii) and (iv)

Answer: A



99. Hybridisation, shape and magnetic moment

of K₃[Co(CO)₆] is



Answer: B



100. Among the following complexes, which

has a magnetic moment of 5.9 BM?

A. Ni(CO)4

B. [Fe(H₂O)₆]²⁺

C. [Co(NH₃)₆]³⁺

D. [MnBr₄]^{2–}

Answer: D



101. The total number of possible isomers. for

the complex compound [Cu(NH₃)₄][PtCl₄] are

A. 3

B. 6

C. 5

D. 4

Answer: D



102. Which of the following will give maximum number of isomers? (1)[Co(NH3)4 Cl2] (2)

[Ni(en)(N H3)4]⁽²⁺⁾ (3)[Ni(C2 O4)(en)2]²⁻ (4)

[Cr(SCN)2(NH3)4]^+

- A. $\left[Co(NH_3)_4 Cl_2 \right]$
- $\mathsf{B.}\left[Ni(en)(NH_3)_4\right]^{2+}$
- C. $\left[Ni(C_2O_4)(en)_2
 ight]^{2-}$
- D. $\left[Cr(SCN)_2(NH_3)_4
 ight]^+$

Answer: D

103. Which one of the following octahedral complexes does not show geometrical isomerism?

- A. [MA2B4]
- В. [МАз Вз]
- C. [MA4 B2]
- D. [MA5B]

Answer: D



104. Consider the coordination compound $[Co(NH_3)_5SO_4]Br$. Which type of structural isomerisms is exhibited by the above coordination compound?

A. ionic

B. linkage

C. coordination

D. optical

Answer: A



105. Which one of the following complexes will have four isomers? : $[Co(en)(NH_3)_2Cl_2]Cl$, $[Co(pph_2)^2(NH_3)_2Cl_2]Cl$, $[Co(en)_3]Cl_3$, $[Co(en)_2Cl_2]Br$

- A. [Co(en)(NH_3)_2 Cl_2] C 1
- B. [Co(pph_2)²(NH_3)_2 Cl_2] Cl
- C. [Co(en)_3] C l_3
- D. [Co(en)_2 Cl_2] Br

Answer: D



106. Which of the following will not show geometrical isomerism? $[Cr(NH_3)_4Cl_2]Cl$, $[Co(en)_2Cl_2]Cl$, $[Co(NH_3)_5NO_2]Cl_2$, $[Pt(NH_3)_2Cl_2]$

A. [Cr(NH_3)_4 Cl,] Cl

B. [Co(en)_2 Cl_2] Cl

C. [Co(NH_3)_2 NO_2] Cl_2

D. [Pt(NH_3)_2 C l_2]

Answer: C

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107. One mole of complex compound 'Co(NH₃)₅Cl₃ gives 3 moles of ions on dissolution in water. One mole of the same complex reacts with 2 moles of AgNO₃ solution to yield 2 moles of AgCl .The structure of the complex is
A. [Co(NH3)3Cl3] .2NH3

B. [Co(NH₃)₄Cl₂] Cl.NH₃

C. Co(NH₃)₄ Cl] Cl₂NH₃

D. [Co(NH₃)₅ Cl] Cl₂

Answer: D

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108. Which of the following does not show optical isomerism ? $fac[Co(NH_3)_3Cl_3]$,

 $[Co(en)_3]Cl_3$, $cis[Co(en)_2Cl_2]Cl,$ $cis [Co(en)(NH_3)_2Cl_2]Cl$ A. $fac[Co(NH_3)_3Cl_3]$ B. $[Co(en)_3]Cl_3$ $\mathsf{C.} \, cis[Co(en)_2Cl_2]Cl$ D. $cis [Co(en)(NH_3)_2 Cl_2] Cl$

Answer: A

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109. Which type of isomerism is shown by the octahedral complex $C_O(NH_3)_4Br_2Cl$? geometrical and ionisation, geometrical and optical, optical and ionisation, geometrical only

- A. geometrical and ionisation
- B. geometrical and optical
- C. optical and ionisation
- D. geometrical only

Answer: A



110. How many EDTA (ethylene diaminetetraacetic acid) molecules are required to make an octahedral complex with a Ca²⁺ ion?

A. one

B. two

C. six

D. three

Answer: A



111. The number of possible isomers of an octahedral complex $\left[Co(C_2O_4)_2,(NH_3)_2\right]^-$: 1, 2, 3, 4

A. 1

B. 2

C. 3

Answer: C



112. Which can exhibit geometrical isomerism? $[MnBr_4]^{2-}$, $[Pt(NH_3)_3Cl]^+$, $[PtCl_2P(C_2H_5)_3]_2$, $[Fe(H_2O)_5NO]^{2+}$

A. $\left[MnBr_{4}
ight] ^{2\,-}$

 $\mathsf{B.}\left[Pt(NH_3)_3Cl\right]^+$

C. $\left[PtCl_2P(C_2H_5)_3(2)
ight]$

D. [Fe(fH_2 O)_s NO]^2+





113. Which of the following will give a pair of enantiomorphs

A.
$$\left[Pt(NH_3)_4
ight] \left[PtCl_4
ight]$$

B. trans. $[Co(NH_3)_4Cl_2]NO_2$

C. $\left[Cr(NH_3)_6IICO(CN)_6\right]$

D.

$ig[Co(en)_2 Cl_2ig]Cl(en-NH_2 CH_2 CH_2 NH_2ig)$

Answer: D

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