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Q-1 - 20477066

How many hydrogen-bonded water molecule(s) are associated in  $CuSO_4 \cdot 5H_2O$ ?

SOLUTION:

Only one water molecule, which is outside the brackets (coordination sphere), is hydrogen-bonded.

The other four molecules of water are coordinated.

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Q-2 - 14801353

Why concentrated  $H_2SO_4$  can not be used for drying  $H_2$ ?

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CORRECT ANSWER: A::B::C::D

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Q-3 - 11468144

In the laboratory, for the preparation of dihydrogen gas from granular zinc, conc  $H_2SO_4$ , conc  $HCl$  and  $HNO_3$  cannot be used. Why? Which is the most suitable acid?

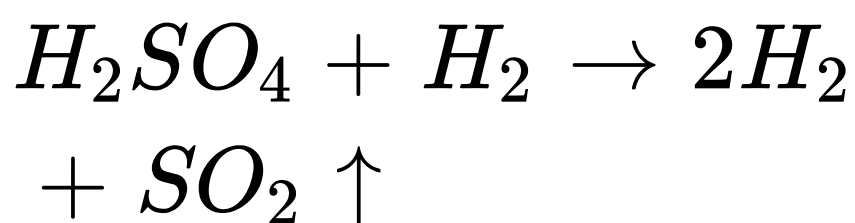
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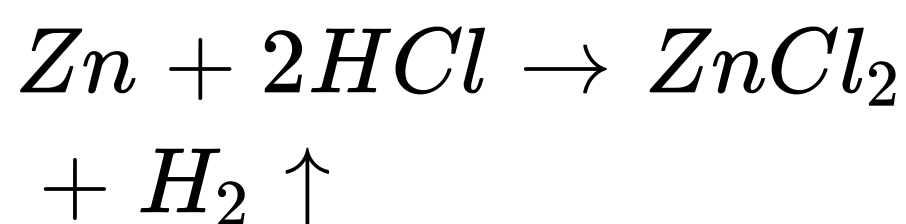
For the preparation of dihydrogen gas from granular zinc, conc  $H_2SO_4$ , conc  $HCl$  and  $HNO_3$  cannot be used due to :

(a) A part of conc  $H_2SO_4$  reacts with  $H_2$  and gets

reduced to sulphur dioxides,  $SO_2$

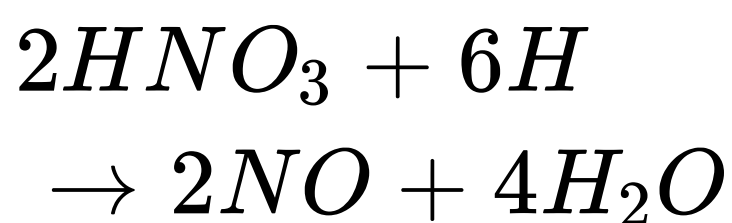
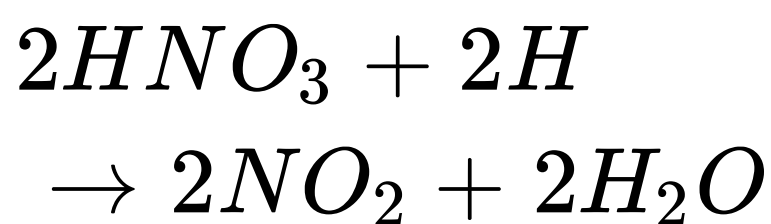


(b) When conc  $HCl$  is used, dihydrogen liberated by the action of conc  $HCl$  on granular zinc will be impure as it contains fumes of volatile  $HCl$ . moreover,  $ZnCl_2$  formed is insoluble in conc  $HCl$ . it forms a coating on granular zinc and reaction stops after sometime.



$HNO_3$  acts both as an acid and as an oxidising agent.

the nascent hydrogen first formed reduces the nitric acid into various oxides.



The most suitable acid is dilute  $H_2SO_4$ .

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Q-4 - 11032854

A sample of hard water contains 1 mg  $CaCl_2$  and 1 mg  $MgCl_2$  per litre. Calculate the hardness of water in terms of  $CaCO_3$  present in per  $10^6$  parts of water.

- (a). 2.5 ppm
- (b). 1.95 ppm
- (c). 2.15 ppm
- (d). 195 ppm

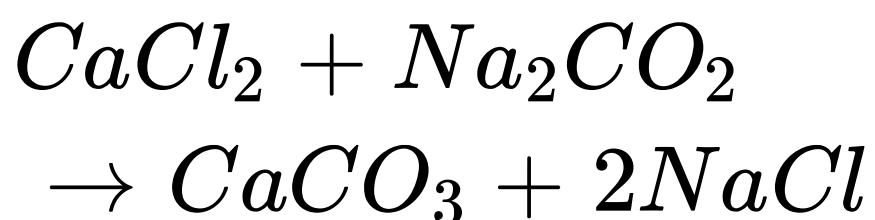
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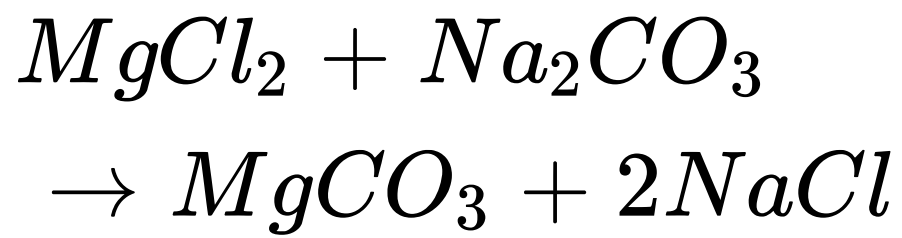
**SOLUTION:**

$$\text{Mw of } CaCl_2 = 111.0g$$

$$mw = CaCO_3 = 100g$$

$$\text{Mw of } MgCl_2 = 95.0g$$





(i).

$$111.0gCaCl_2 \equiv 100gCaCO_3$$

1 mg

$$\begin{aligned} CaCl_2 &\equiv \frac{100}{111}mgCaCO_3 \\ &= 0.9mgCaCO_3 \end{aligned}$$

(ii).

$$95.0gMgCl_2 \equiv 100gCaCO_3$$

1 mg



$$\equiv \frac{100}{95} mgCaCO_3$$

$$= 1.05 mgCaCO_3$$

Hardness of  $CaCO_3$  ppm

$$(0.9 + 1.05) \times 10^{-3} g$$

$$\equiv \frac{\times 10^6 mL}{10^3 mL}$$

$$1.95p \pm$$

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Q-5 - 11032788

Calculate (a) normality (b) molarity (c) strength in  $gL^{-1}$  and (d) percentage strength of 10 volume strength of  $H_2O_2$

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SOLUTION:

(a). '5.6' volume strength of  $H_2O_2 = 1N$

10 volume strength of

$$H_2O_2 = \frac{10}{5.6}N$$
$$= 1.785N$$

(b).

$$M = \frac{N}{\text{n-factor}}$$
$$= \frac{1.785}{2}$$

(n-factor of  $H_2O_2 = 2$ )

$$= 0.89M$$

(c). 5.6 volume strength of  $H_2O_2 = 17gL^{-1}$

10 volume strength of

$$H_2O_2 = \frac{17 \times 10}{5.6}$$
$$= 30.35gL^{-1}$$

(d). 5.6 volume strength (or volume) of  $H_2O_2 = 1.7\%$

10 volume strength of

$$H_2O_2 = \frac{1.7 \times 10}{5.6}$$
$$= 3.03 \%$$

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Q-6 - 11468324

Which of the following is used as rocket fuel?

(A) Liquid  $O_2$

(B) liquid  $NH_3$

(C) Liquid  $N_2$

(D) Liquid  $H_2$

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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Q-7 - 11468251



In which of the following property hydrogen does not resemble with halogen:

- (A) atomicity
  - (B) ionisation enthalpy
  - (C) reducing nature
  - (D) electropositive nature
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CORRECT ANSWER: C::D

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Q-8 - 11468254

Which of the following elements are oxidised when they react with dihydrogen?

- (A) Calcium

(B) Sulphur

(C) Lithium

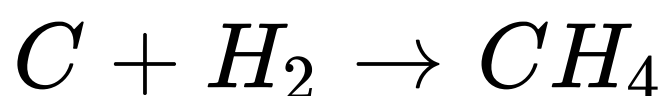
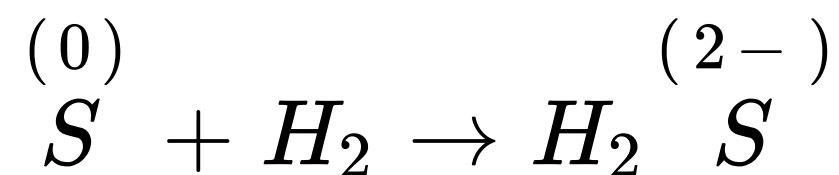
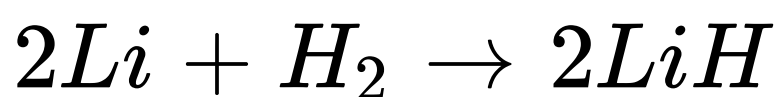
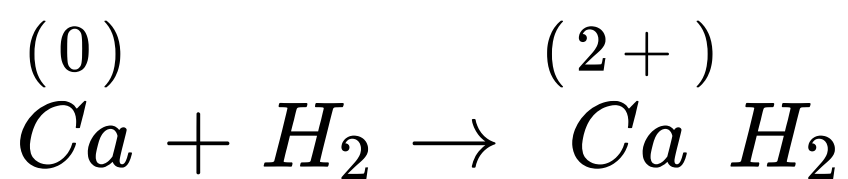
(D) Carbon

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CORRECT ANSWER: A::C

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SOLUTION:



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Q-9 - 20006869

Which alkali metal requires the highest temperature to react with dihydrogen to form an ionic hydride?

(A) Li

(B) Mg

(C) Na

(D) Cs

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CORRECT ANSWER: A

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SOLUTION:

All alkali metals require 673 K, while Li requires 1073 K.

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Q-10 - 11468255

What is true about saline dydrides?

(A) They are binary compounds of hydrogen and metallic elements

(B) They are crystalline solids.

(C) They are generally very soft.

(D) Their common examples are  $SiH_4$ ,  $CH_4$ , etc.

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CORRECT ANSWER: A::D

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Q-11 - 11468187

What are metallic interstitial hydrides? How do they differ from molecular hydrides?

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SOLUTION:

Metallic / Interstitial hydrides

	Property	Molecular hydride	Metallic hydride
1.	Bonding	Covalent	Metallic bond
2.	State of hydrogen	Covalently bonded atoms	Strong bonded with metal atom.
3.	Appearance	Gases or liquid	Solid, absorbs most of the hydrogen
4.	Electrical conductivity	Do not conduct electricity	Conduct electricity
5.	Reducing property	May or not have reducing property	They have strong reducing property

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Q-12 - 11032728

The oxidation states of the most electronegative elements in the products of the reaction between  $BaO_2$  and  $H_2SO_4$  are

(A) 0 and  $-1$

(B)  $-1$  and  $-2$

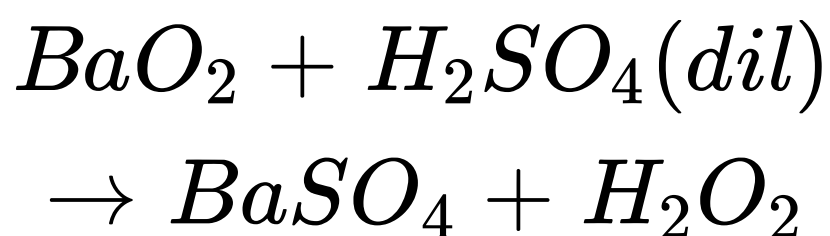
(C)  $-2$  and 0

(D)  $-2$  and  $+1$

CORRECT ANSWER: B

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SOLUTION:



Oxidation state of  $O$  in  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2 = -1$

Oxidation state of  $O$  in  $\text{BaSO}_4 = -2$

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Q-13 - 11468272

Which of the following process uses water gas shift reaction?

(A) Merck's process

(B) Lane's process

(C) Permutit process

(D) Bosch's process

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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Q-14 - 11468349

Water softening by Clarke's process uses

(A) calcium bicarbonate

(B) calcium hydroxide

(C) potash alum

(D) sodium bicarbonate

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CORRECT ANSWER: B

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Q-15 - 11468277

Which of the following represents the heavy water?

(A) water at  $277k$

(B) water containing large contamination of lead salts

(C) deuterium oxide

(D) protium oxide

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

Deuterium oxide is  $D_2O$ .

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Q-16 - 11468401

$H_2O_2$  cannot act as reducing agent.

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CORRECT ANSWER: F

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SOLUTION:

False.  $H_2O_2$  can act as a reducing agent.

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Q-17 - 12227503

Which substance cannot be reduced by  $H_2O_2$

(A)  $KMnO_4 / H_2SO_4$

(B)  $K_2Cr_2O_7 / H_2SO_4$

(C)  $Ag_2O$

(D)  $Re^{3+}$

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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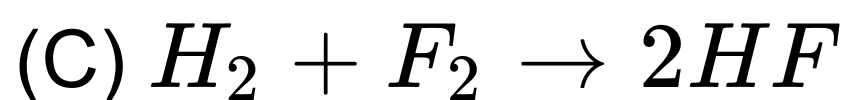
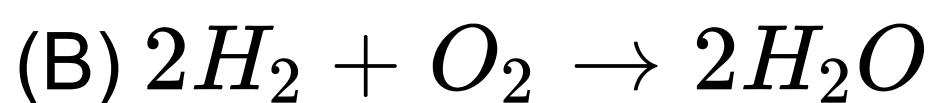
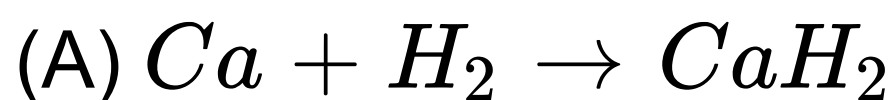
SOLUTION:

$Fe^{+3}$  cannot be reduced by  $H_2O_2$  while all other get reduced.

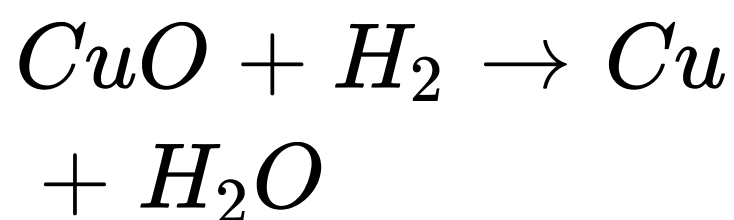
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Q-18 - 11468282

In which of the following reaction dihydron acts as an oxidising agent?



(D)

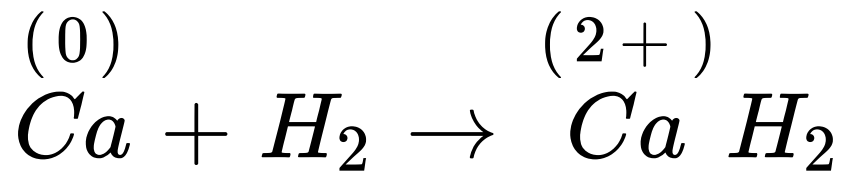


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CORRECT ANSWER: A

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SOLUTION:



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Q-19 - 11468285

Which oxide cannot be reduced by  $H_2$ ?

(A)  $Al_2O_3$

(B)  $CuO$

(C)  $ZnO$

(D) All of these

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CORRECT ANSWER: A

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Q-20 - 11468287

Nascent hydrogen consists of

- (A) hydrogen ions in the excited state
  - (B) hydrogen molecules with excess energy
  - (C) solvated protons
  - (D) hydrogen atoms with excess energy
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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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Q-21 - 14158347

The volume strength of  $H_2O_2$  solution is 10. what does it mean:

- (A) at S.T.P. 10g solution of  $H_2O_2$  gives 10mL of  $O_2$
  - (B) at S.T.P. 1g equivalent of  $H_2O_2$  gives 10mL of  $O_2$
  - (C) at S.T.P. 10 litre solution of  $H_2O_2$  gives 10mL of  $O_2$
  - (D) at S.T.P. 1mL solution of  $H_2O_2$  gives 10mL of  $O_2$
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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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SOLUTION:

Volume strength 10 means, 1 litre solution of  $H_2O_2$  gives 10L oxygen at S.T.P. so 1 ml solution will give 10 ml of oxygen at S.T.P.

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Q-22 - 11468301

Dihydrogen gas may be prepared by heating caustic soda on

(A)  $Cu$

(B)  $Zn$

(C)  $Na$

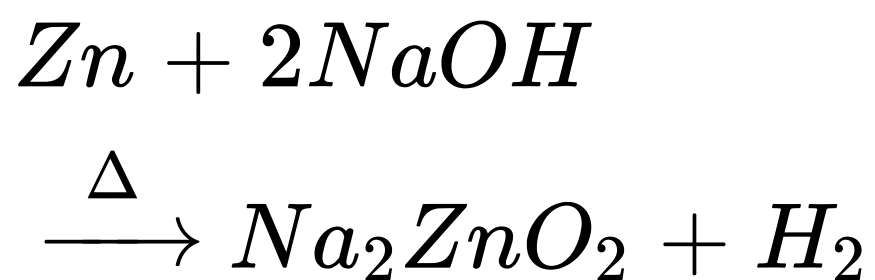
(D)  $Ag$

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CORRECT ANSWER: B

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SOLUTION:



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Q-23 - 11468304

Hydrogen can react with the following even in dark:

(A)  $I_2$

(B)  $Cl_2$

(C)  $F_2$

(D)  $Br_2$

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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Hydrogen has the tendency to gain one electron to acquire helium configuration, in this respect, it resembles:

- (A) alkali metals
  - (B) carbon
  - (C) alkaline earth metals
  - (D) halogens
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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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SOLUTION:

General electronic configuration of halogen is  $ns^2np^5$ , i.e., they are short of one electron to acquire noble gas configuration.

Hydrogen can be placed in group 17 of the periodic table because

(A) hydrogen forms hydrides like  $NaH$

(B) hydrogen has isotopes  $D$  and  $T$

(C) it is light

(D) hydrogen combines with halogens

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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Maximum number of H-bonds that can be formed by a water molecule is .



(A) 2

(B) 3

(C) 4

(D) 6

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

Each  $H_2O$  molecule can form two H-bonds through h-atoms and two h-bonds through two lp of  $e^-$ 's on O-atom .

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Q-27 - 11468356

Assertion (A): In a reaction of  $H_2O_2$  and  $Na_2CO_3$ , hydrogen peroxide acts as acid.

Reason ( $R$ ) :  $H_2O_2$  cannot act as acid.

(A) If both (A) and (R) are correct and (R) is the correct explanation of (A).

(B) If both (A) and (R) are correct but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A).

(C) If (A) is correct, but (R) is incorrect.

(D) If (A) is incorrect, but (R) is correct.

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

Reason (R) is wrong,  $H_2O_2$  acts as acid.

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Assertion (*A*): Dihydrogen is prepared in the laboratory by the action of conc  $H_2SO_4$  on granular zinc.

Reason (*R*) : Pure hydrogen can be obtained by the action of water on sodium hydride.

(A) If both (*A*) and (*R*) are correct and (*R*) is the correct explanation of (*A*).

(B) If both (*A*) and (*R*) are correct but (*R*) is not the correct explanation of (*A*).

(C) If (*A*) is correct, but (*R*) is incorrect.

(D) If (*A*) is incorrect, but (*R*) is correct.

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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SOLUTION:

(A) is false, instead of conc.  $H_2SO_4$ , dil  $H_2SO_4$ , dil  $H_2SO_4$  is used.

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Q-29 - 15602750

When zeolite, which is hydrated sodium aluminium silicate, is treated with hard water, the sodium ions are are exchanged with

(A)  $H^+$  ions

(B)  $SO_4^{2-}$  ions

(C)  $Mg^{2+}$  ions

(D)  $OH^-$  ions

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CORRECT ANSWER: A::D

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Q-30 - 14626699

Assertion:- Softening of hard water is done by using sodium

aluminium silicate (Zeolite).

Reason:- Adsorption of  $Ca^{2+}$  and  $Mg^{2+}$  ions of hard water replacing  $Al^{+3}$  ions of zeolite.

(A) If both Assertion & Reason are True & the Reason is a correct explanation of the Assertion.

(B) If both Assertion & Reason are True but Reason is not a correct explanation of the Assertion.

(C) If Assertion is True but the Reason is False.

(D) If both Assertion & Reason are False.

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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Q-31 - 12225382

The hydride ions ( $H^-$ ) are isoelectronic with

(A)  $Li$

(B)  $He^+$

(C)  $He$

(D)  $Be$

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

( c )

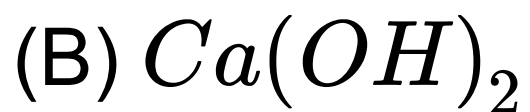
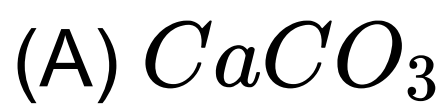
$H^- = 1s^2$  and  $He$   
 $= 1s^2$

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Q-32 - 11468410

The temporary hardness of water due to calcium bicarbonate can be removed by adding

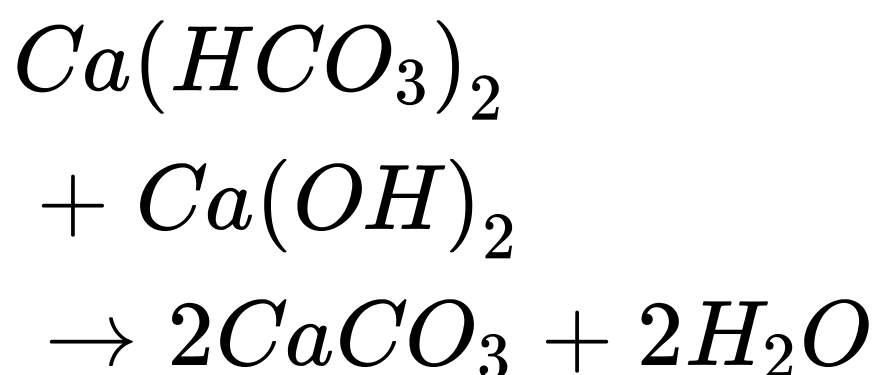


CORRECT ANSWER: B

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SOLUTION:

Temporary hardness of water is due to the presence of bicarbonates of calcium and magnesium



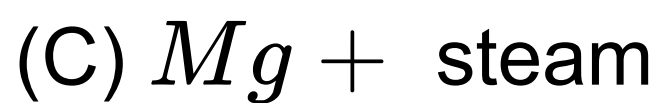
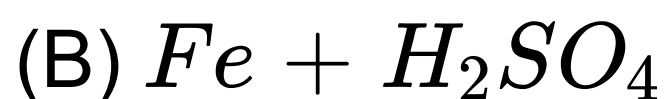
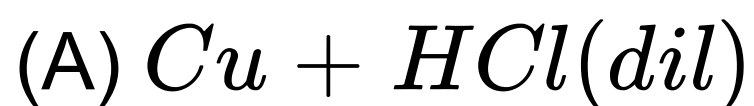
The temporary hardness of water can be removed by the addition of calculated quantity of milk of lime which converts soluble bicarbonates into insoluble carbonates

which can be removed.

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Q-33 - 12227385

Which of the following pairs will not produce dihydrogen gas ?



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CORRECT ANSWER: A

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SOLUTION:

$Cu$  has  $E_{OP}$  lesser than  $H$ .

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Hydrogen is not obtained when zinc reacts with

(A) Cold water

(B) Hot  $NaOH$  solution

(C) Conc. Sulphuric acid

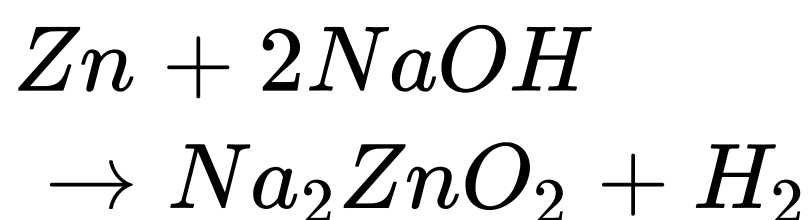
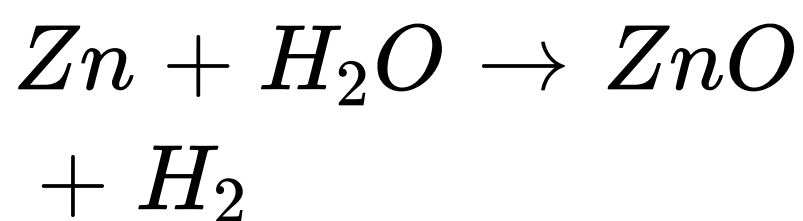
(D) dilute  $HCl$

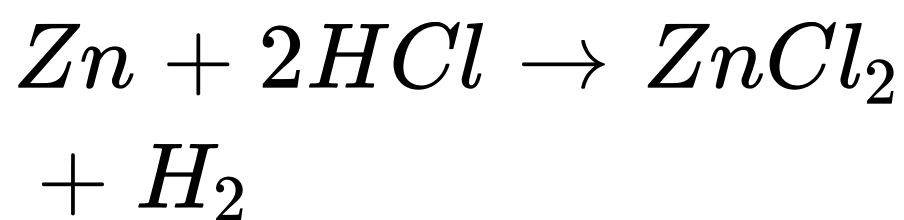
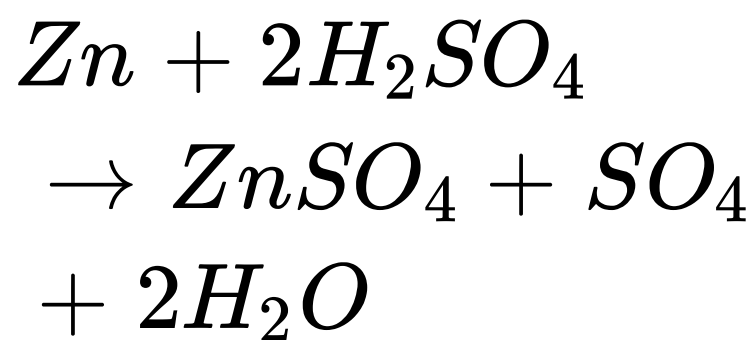
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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:





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Q-35 - 12227387

Water cannot act as :

- (A) oxidant
- (B) hydrolytic agent
- (C) hydrogenating agent
- (D) reductant

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

C

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Q-36 - 12227412

The oxidation states exhibited by hydrogen in its various compounds are :

(A)  $-1$  only

(B) Zero only

(C)  $+1$ ,  $-1$  and zero.

(D)  $+1$  only.

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

Oxidation number for hydrogen in hydrogen molecule

and hydrogen atom is zero. Oxidation number of hydrogen in all compound containing hydrogen is  $+1$  except hydrides.

Oxidation no. of hydrogen in hydrides is  $-1$ .

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Q-37 - 12227428

Very pure hydrogen (99.9 %) can be made by which of the following processes ?

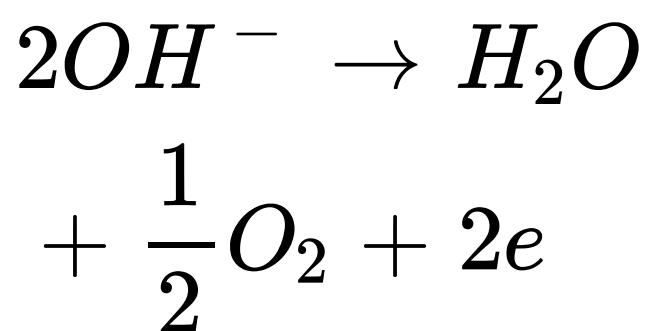
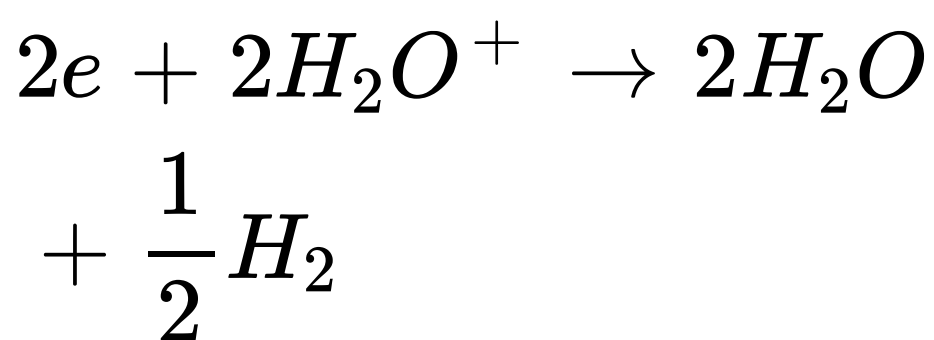
- (A) Mixing natural hydrocarbons of high molecular weight
  - (B) Electrolysis of water
  - (C) Reaction of salt like hydrides with water
  - (D) Reaction of methane with steam
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CORRECT ANSWER: B

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SOLUTION:

Hydrogen of high purity is obtained by electrolysing aqueous barium hydroxide in presence of *Ni* electrodes.



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Q-38 - 12227461

Pure water can be obtained from sea water by

(A) Centrifugation

(B) Plasmolysis

(C) Reverse osmosis

(D) Sedimentation

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

Pure water can be obtained from sea water by reverse osmosis.

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Q-39 - 19273108

$$(\sin 45^\circ + \cos 45^\circ)^2 = 2$$

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Q-40 - 12974673

The compound present in greater proportion in water gas is

(A)  $CH_4$

(B)  $CO_2$

(C)  $CO$

(D)  $H_2$

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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SOLUTION:

Water gas is made by passing steam over white-hot coke. It contains about 45 %  $CO$  and 50 %  $H_2$  (by volume), with small amounts of  $CO_2$  and  $N_2$ .

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Q-41 - 12227496

Which of the following metal will not reduce  $H_2O$  ?

(A)  $Ca$

(B)  $Fe$

(C)  $Cu$

(D)  $Li$

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

Copper will not reduce  $H_2O$  to  $H_2$  because of low reducing power of copper compared to hydrogen.

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Q-42 - 11468252

In the reaction of sodium hydride and water:

(A) sodium is reduced



(B) hydrogen is oxidised

(C) hydrogen is reduced

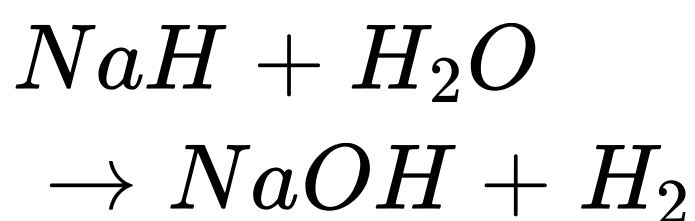
(D) No element is oxidised or reduced

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CORRECT ANSWER: B::C

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SOLUTION:



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Q-43 - 11468226

100 mL of ozone at *STP* was passed through 100 mL of 10 volume  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  solution. What is the volume strength of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  after attraction?

(A) 9.5

(B) 9.0

(C) 4.75

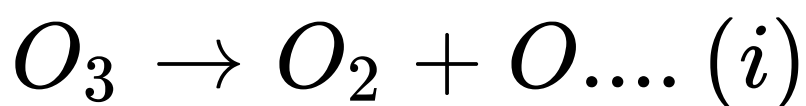
(D) 4.5

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CORRECT ANSWER: A

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SOLUTION:



. (ii)



1 / 2vol, 1 / 2vol, 1vol

100 mL of  $O_3$  at  $STP$  will produce will produce  $100mL$

of  $O_2$  as such and  $100mL$  of  $O_2$  after reaction with

$H_2O_2$ . this new volume of  $100mL$  of molecule after

oxygen reaction with  $H_2O_2$  is contributed equally by  $O_2$

and  $H_2O_2$ . thus  $50mL$  of oxygen has been contributed

$H_2O_2$ . again we know, volume of  $H_2O_2 \times$  volume strength of  $H_2O_2$

$$= \text{volume of } O_2 \text{ at STP}$$

$\therefore 100\text{mL}$  of '10 volume'  $H_2O_2 \equiv 1000\text{mL}$  of  $O_2$  at STP After utilisation of  $50\text{mL}$  of  $O_2$  of  $O_3$  according to Eq(iii) in the balance

$$(1000 - 50)$$

$$= 950\text{mL of } O_2 \text{ at STP}$$

are still retainable by  $100\text{mL}$  of  $H_2O_2$

Hence volume strength of  $H_2O_2$  after reaction

$$= \frac{\text{Volume of } O_2 \text{ at STP}}{\text{Volume of } H_2O_2}$$

$$= \frac{950}{100} = 9.5V$$

$$\therefore \text{Volume strength} = 9.5$$

Hence the correct option is (a).

Which of the following statements are correct regarding  $D_2O$  and  $H_2O$ ?

I.  $D_2O$  reacts with  $Al_4C_3$  at a faster rate than does  $H_2O$ .

II. The freezing point of  $D_2O$  is higher than that of  $H_2O$ .

III. NaCl is more soluble in  $D_2O$  than in  $H_2O$ .

IV. Ionic product of  $D_2O$  is smaller than that of  $H_2O$ .

Select the correct answer using the codes given below.

(A) I and II

(B) I and III

(C) II and III

(D) II and IV

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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SOLUTION:

$D_2O$  reacts slower than  $H_2O$  due to greater mass, its freezin point is  $3.8C'$  . NaCl is less soluble in  $D_2O$  as in  $H_2O$  and  $D_2O$  does not dissociate therefore , its ionic prouduct is smaller than  $H_2O$ .

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Q-45 - 12227560

Assertion :  $D_2O$  has higher boiling point than  $H_2O$ .

Reason : Viscosity of  $H_2O(l)$  is less than that of  $D_2O(l)$ .

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CORRECT ANSWER: B

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SOLUTION:

b

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A device that converts energy of combustion of fuels like hydrogen and methane, directly into electrical energy is known as .

(A) dynamo

(B) Ni-Ced cell

(C) fuel cell

(D) electrolytic cell

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

For cell .

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Metal which does not react with cold water but evolves  $H_2$  with steam is :

(A)  $Fe$

(B)  $K$

(C)  $Pt$

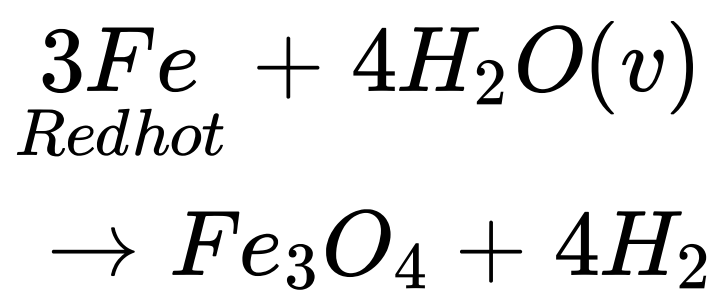
(D)  $Na$

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CORRECT ANSWER: A

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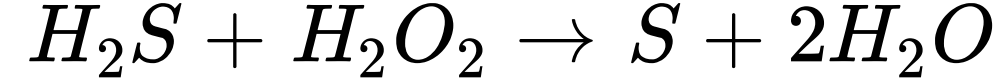
SOLUTION:



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Q-48 - 12227537

In the reaction.



(A)  $H_2S$  is an and  $H_2O_2$  is a base

(B)  $H_2S$  is a base and  $H_2O_2$  is an acid

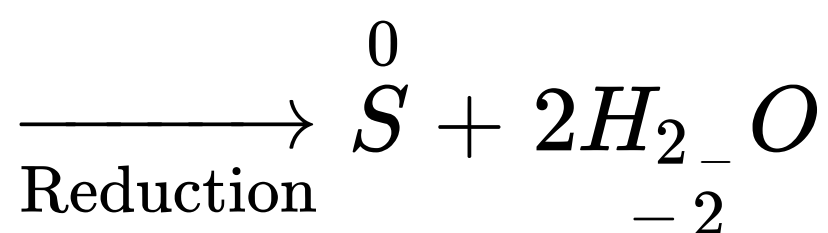
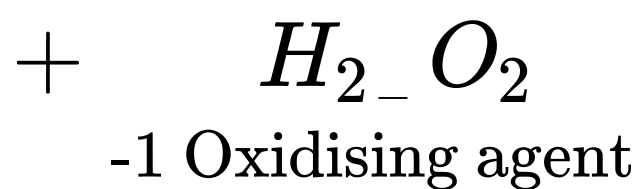
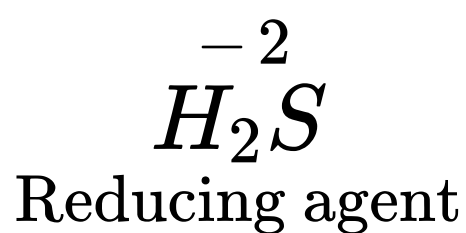
(C)  $H_2S$  is an oxidizing agent and  $H_2O_2$  is a reducing agent

(D)  $H_2S$  is a reducing agent and  $H_2O_2$  is an oxidising agent

CORRECT ANSWER: D

SOLUTION:

Oxidation

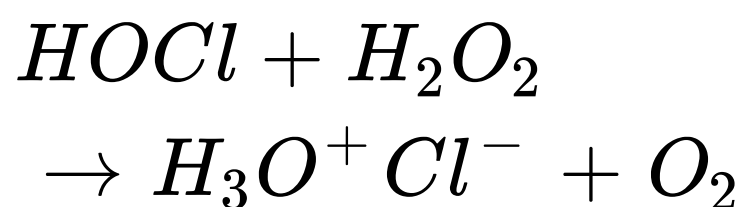




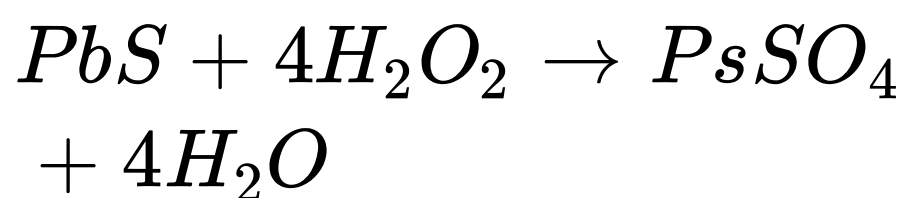
Q-49 - 18255498

Study the following reaction carefully

I.



II.

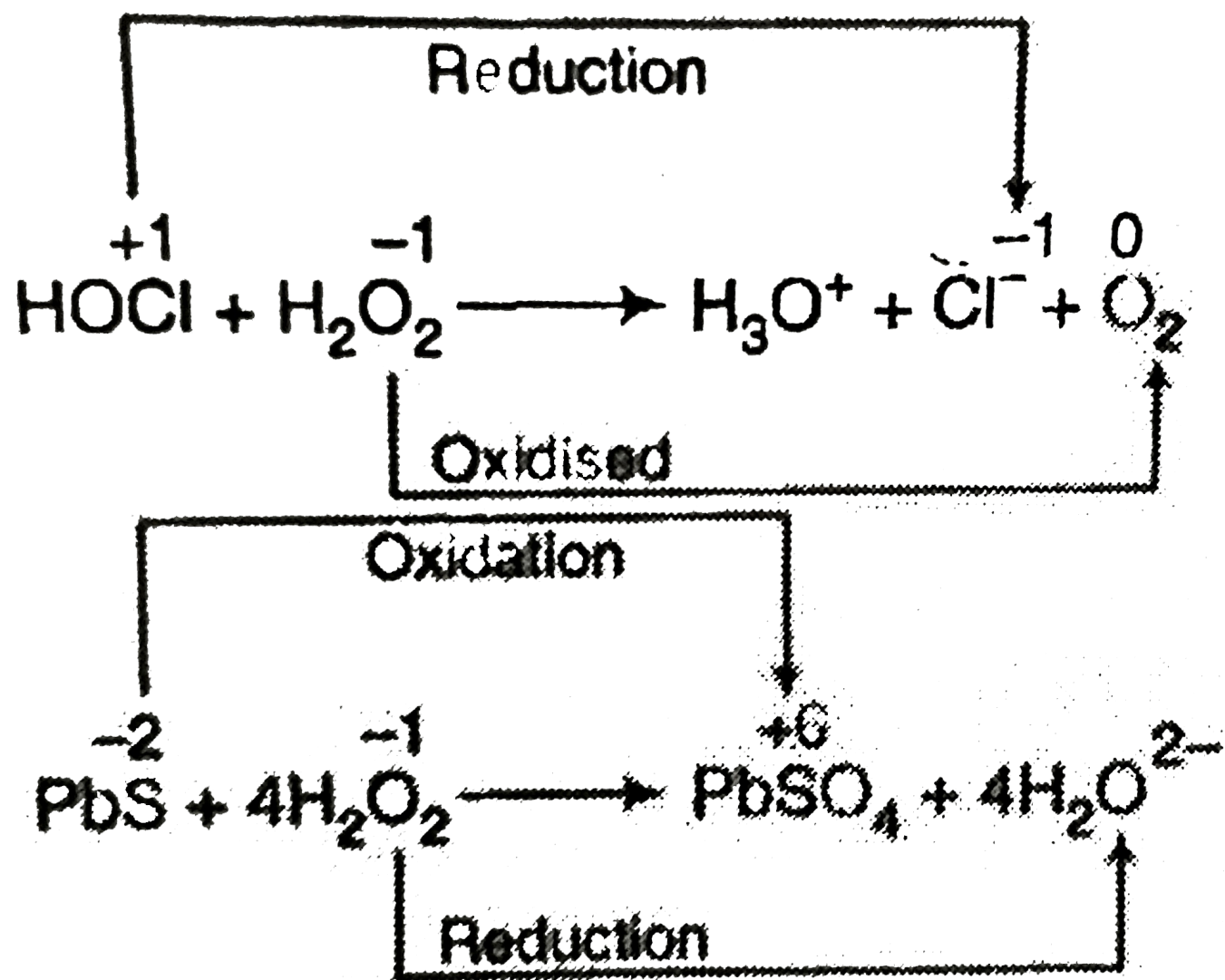


Point out the correct option.

- (A) In (I), HOCl is reduced and in (II) . PbS is oxidised
- (B) In (I), HOCl is oxidised and in (II) . PbS is reduced .
- (C) In both (I) and (II), HOCl and PbS are reduced
- (D) In both (I) and (II), HOCl and PbS are oxidised

CORRECT ANSWER: A

SOLUTION:



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Q-50 - 18255463

Why does  $\text{H}^+$  ion always get associated with atoms or molecules ?

(A) Ionisation enthalpy of hydrogen resembles to that of alkali

(B) Its reactivity is similar to halogens

(C) It resembles both alkali metals and halogens

(D) Loss of an electron from hydrogen atom results in a nucleus of very small size as compared to other atoms or ions. Due to small size, it cannot exist free

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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Q-51 - 12227618

Assertion : Hydrogen peroxide forms only one series of salts called peroxides.

Reason : Hydrogen peroxide molecule has two replaceable hydrogen atom.

(A) If both assertion and reason are true and the reason

is the correct explanation of the assertion.

(B) If both assertion and reason are true but reason is not the correct explanation of the assertion.

(C) If assertion is true but reason is false.

(D) If assertion is false but reason is true.

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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SOLUTION:

Assertion is false but reason is true.

Correct Assertion : Hydrogen peroxide forms two series of salts called hydroperoxides and peroxides.

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Q-52 - 18255496

Which of the following is not correct regarding the electrolytic

perparation of  $H_2O_2$ ?

- (A) Lead is used as cathode
  - (B) 50 %  $H_2SO_4$  is used
  - (C) Hydrogen is liberated at anode
  - (D) Sulphic acid undergoes oxidation
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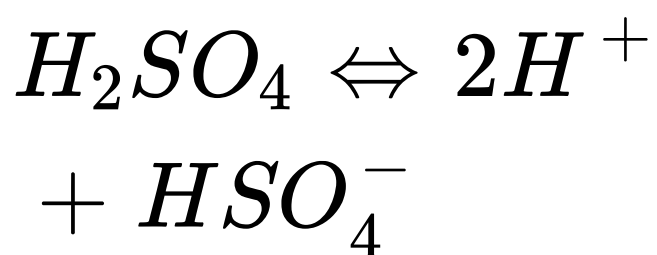
CORRECT ANSWER: C

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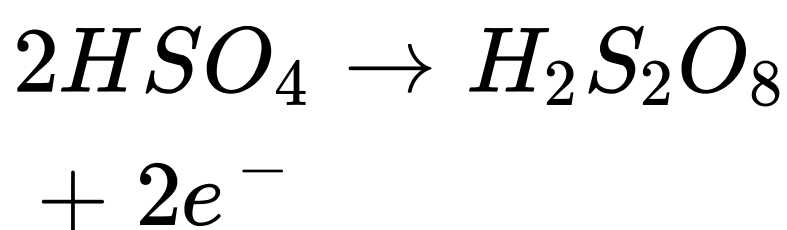
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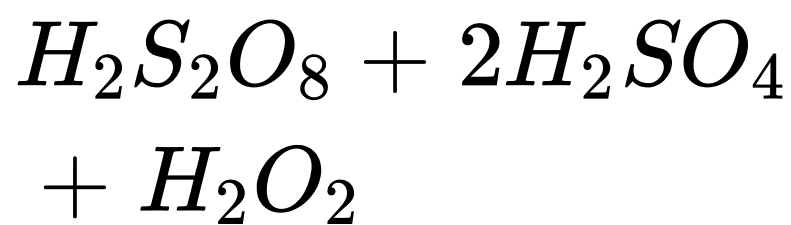
$H_2O_2$  can be perpared by electrolysis of 50 %  $H_2SO_4$

In this method , hydrogen is liberated at cathode .



At anode





At cathode  $2H^+ + 2e^- \rightarrow H_2 \uparrow$

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Q-53 - 11468373

Assertion (*A*): Dihydrogen is prepared in the laboratory by the action of conc  $H_2SO_4$  on granular zinc.

Reason (*R*) : Pure hydrogen can be obtained by the action of water on sodium hydride.

(A) If both (*A*) and (*R*) are correct and (*R*) is the correct explanation of (*A*).

(B) If both (*A*) and (*R*) are correct but (*R*) is not the correct explanation of (*A*).

(C) If (*A*) is correct, but (*R*) is incorrect.

(D) If (A) is incorrect, but (R) is correct.

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CORRECT ANSWER: D

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SOLUTION:

(A) is false, instead of conc.  $H_2SO_4$ , dil  $H_2SO_4$ , dil  $H_2SO_4$  is used.

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Q-54 - 12227428

Very pure hydrogen (99.9 % ) can be made by which of the following processes ?

(A) Mixing natural hydrocarbons of high molecular weight

(B) Electrolysis of water

(C) Reaction of salt like hydrides with water

(D) Reaction of methane with steam

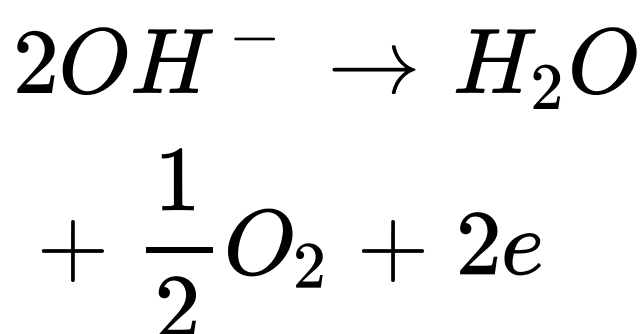
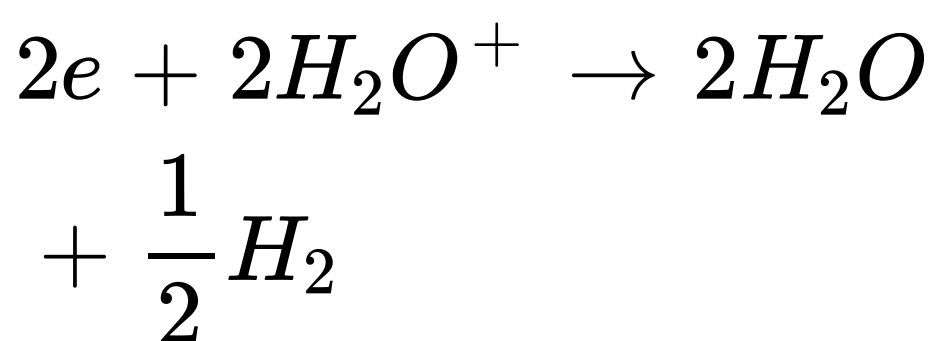
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CORRECT ANSWER: B

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SOLUTION:

Hydrogen of high purity is obtained by electrolysing aqueous barium hydroxide in presence of *Ni* electrodes.



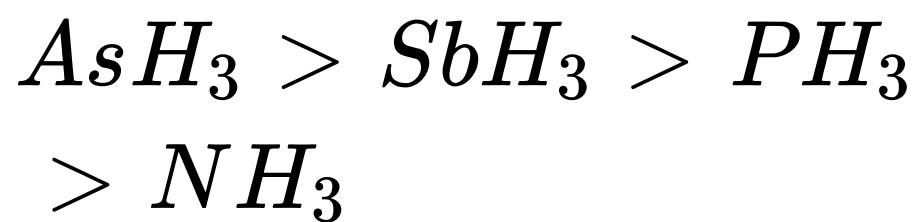
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Q-55 - 18255480

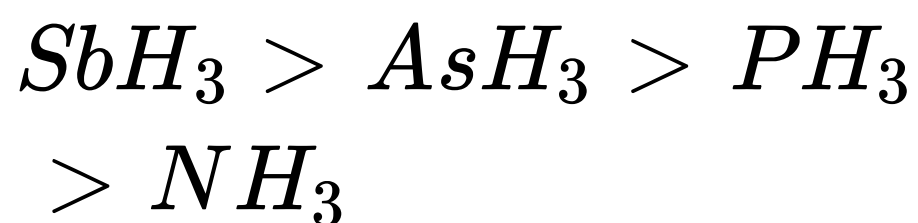
The correct decreasing order of basic strength of hydrides is :

(A)

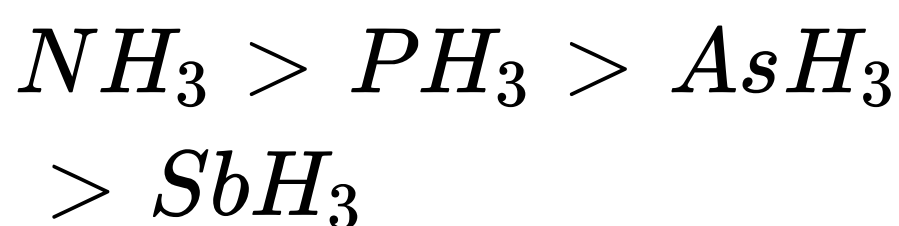




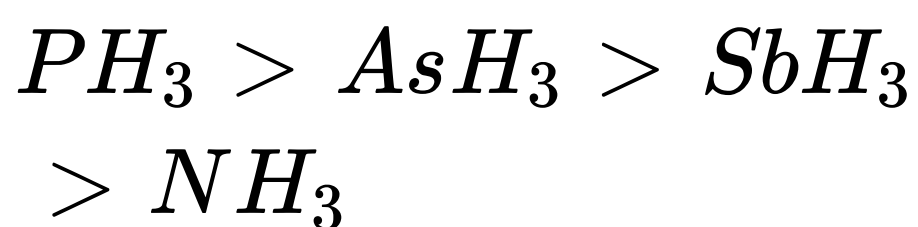
(B)



(C)



(D)



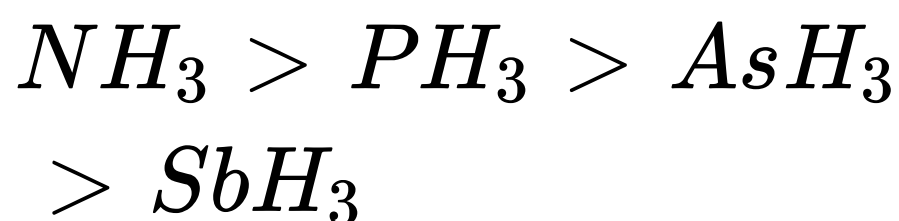
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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

The correct order of basic strength is



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Which of the following metal will not reduce  $H_2O$  ?

(A)  $Ca$

(B)  $Fe$

(C)  $Cu$

(D)  $Li$

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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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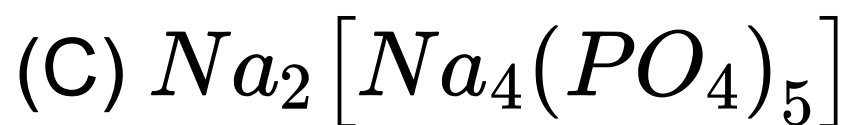
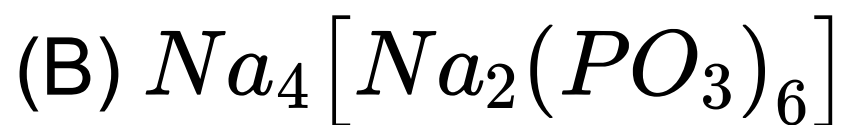
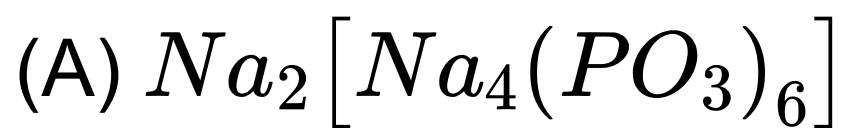
SOLUTION:

Copper will not reduce  $H_2O$  to  $H_2$  because of low reducing power of copper comparison than hydrogen.

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Q-57 - 18255512

Calgon used as water softner is



(D) None of the above

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CORRECT ANSWER: A

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SOLUTION:

Calgon used as water softner . The chemical compositive is  $Na_2 [Na_4 (PO_3)_6]$  .

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Q-58 - 10761349

The method used to remove temporary hardness of water is:

(A) Synthetic resins method

(B) Calgon's method

(C) Clark's method

(D) Ion-exchange method

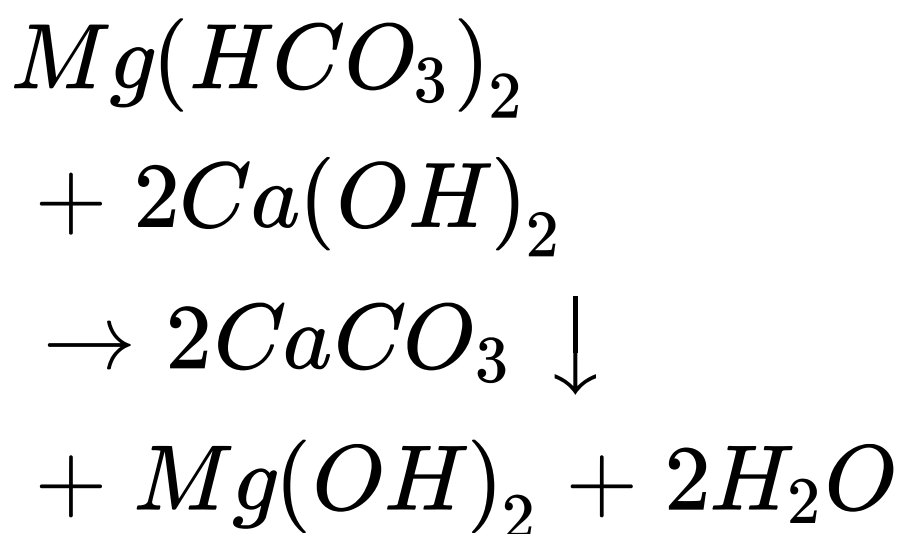
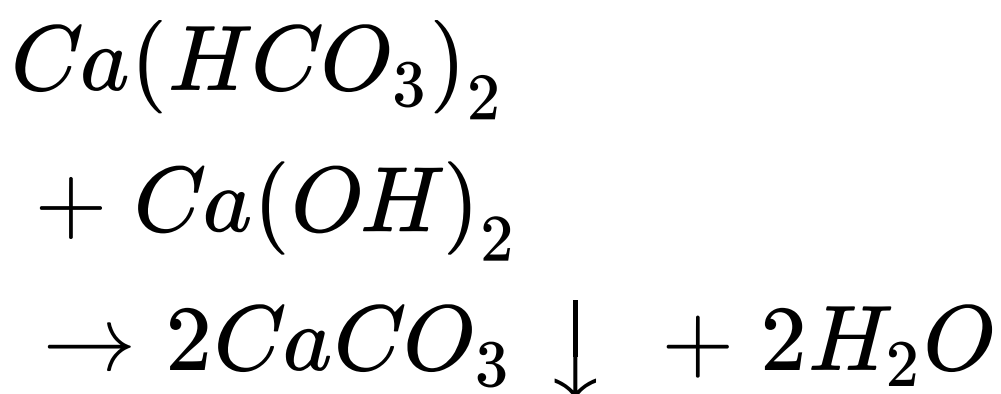
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CORRECT ANSWER: C

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SOLUTION:

Clark's method



Clark's method is used to remove temporary hardness of water.

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Q-59 - 11482318

Name the compound used for measuring the hardness of water, i.e., for estimation of  $Ca^{2+}$  and  $Mg^{2+}$  ions.

SOLUTION:

E.D.T.A. (Enthylene diamine tetraacetate).

Q-60 - 13169909

The hybridization of atomic orbitals of nitrogen is  $NO_2^+$ ,  $NO_3^-$ , and  $NH_4^+$  respectively are

(A)  $sp$ ,  $sp^3$  and  $sp^2$

(B)  $sp^2$ ,  $sp^3$  and  $sp$

(C)  $sp$ ,  $sp^2$  and  $sp^3$

(D)  $sp^2$ ,  $sp$  and  $sp^3$

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CORRECT ANSWER: 3

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SOLUTION:

$NO_2^+$   $\Rightarrow$  [steric number=2atoms +0 lone pair]  $\Rightarrow$  sp  
hybridisation

Or number of hybrid orbitals

$$(x) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}[Ve + MA - c + a]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}[5 + 0 - 1 + 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \Rightarrow sp$$

hybridization

$NO_3^-$   $\Rightarrow$  [steric number=3atoms +0lone pair]

$\Rightarrow sp^2$  hybridisation

$NH_4^+$   $\Rightarrow$  [steric number =4atoms+0lone pair]

$\Rightarrow sp^2$  hybridisation

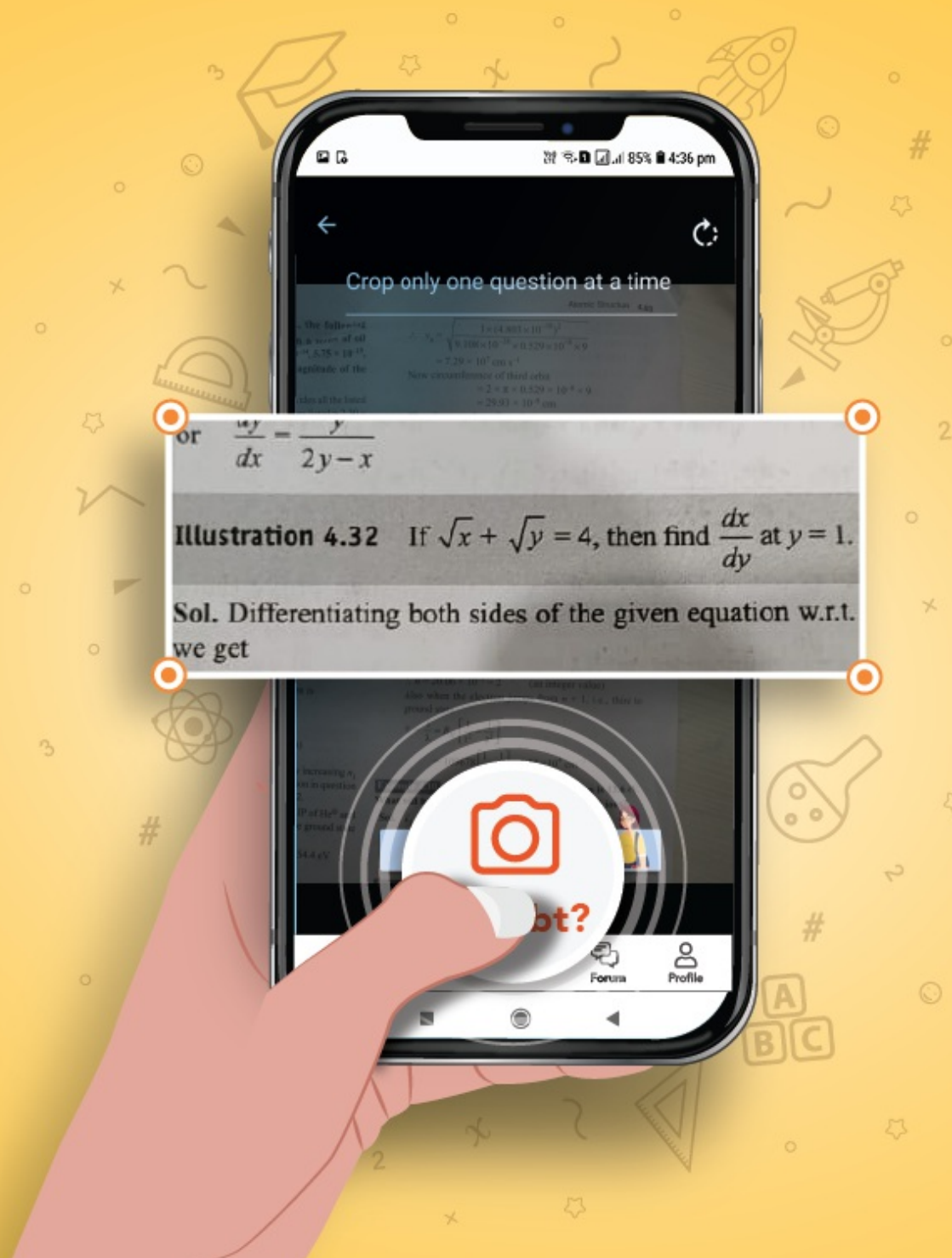
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