

# Chapter 03

## Electro Chemistry



### JEE-FLASHBACK



#### JEE MAINS QUESTION

**Q.1** Resistance of 0.2 M solution of an electrolyte is 50  $\Omega$ . The specific conductance of the solution is  $1.3 \text{ S m}^{-1}$ . If resistance of the 0.4 M solution of the same electrolyte is 260  $\Omega$ , its molar conductivity is :- [AIEEE 2011]

- (1)  $6250 \text{ m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$
- (2)  $6.25 \times 10^{-4} \text{ S m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$
- (3)  $625 \times 10^{-4} \text{ S m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$
- (4)  $62.5 \text{ S m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$

**Q.2** The reduction potential of hydrogen half-cell will be negative if :- [AIEEE 2011]

- (1)  $p(\text{H}_2) = 2 \text{ atm}$  and  $[\text{H}^+] = 1.0 \text{ M}$
- (2)  $p(\text{H}_2) = 2 \text{ atm}$  and  $[\text{H}^+] = 2.0 \text{ M}$
- (3)  $p(\text{H}_2) = 1 \text{ atm}$  and  $[\text{H}^+] = 2.0 \text{ M}$
- (4)  $p(\text{H}_2) = 1 \text{ atm}$  and  $[\text{H}^+] = 1.0 \text{ M}$

**Q.3** The standard reduction potentials for  $\text{Zn}^{2+} / \text{Zn}$ ,  $\text{Ni}^{2+} / \text{Ni}$  and  $\text{Fe}^{2+} / \text{Fe}$  are  $-0.76$ ,  $-0.23$  and  $-0.44 \text{ V}$  respectively. The reaction  $\text{X} + \text{Y}^{+2} \rightarrow \text{X}^{2+} + \text{Y}$  will be spontaneous when [AIEEE 2012]

- (1)  $\text{X} = \text{Zn}$ ,  $\text{Y} = \text{Ni}$
- (2)  $\text{X} = \text{Ni}$ ,  $\text{Y} = \text{Fe}$
- (3)  $\text{X} = \text{Ni}$ ,  $\text{Y} = \text{Zn}$
- (4)  $\text{X} = \text{Fe}$ ,  $\text{Y} = \text{Zn}$

**Q.4** Given :

$$E_{\text{Cr}^{3+}/\text{Cr}}^0 = 0.74 \text{ V}; E_{\text{MnO}_4^-/\text{Mn}^{2+}}^0 = 1.51 \text{ V};$$

$$E_{\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}/\text{Cr}^{3+}}^0 = 1.33 \text{ V}; E_{\text{Cl}_2/\text{Cl}^-}^0 = 1.36 \text{ V}$$

Based on the data given above, strongest oxidising agent will be : [JEE-MAINS 2014]

- (1)  $\text{Cl}^-$
- (2)  $\text{Cr}^{3+}$
- (3)  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$
- (4)  $\text{MnO}_4^-$

**Q.5** The equivalent conductance of  $\text{NaCl}$  at concentration  $C$  and at infinite dilution are  $\lambda_C$  and  $\lambda_\infty$ , respectively. The correct relationship between  $\lambda_C$  and  $\lambda_\infty$  is given as :

[JEE-MAINS 2014]

$$(1) \lambda_C = \lambda_\infty - (b)\sqrt{C} \quad (2) \lambda_C = \lambda_\infty + (b)\sqrt{C}$$

$$(3) \lambda_C = \lambda_\infty + (b)C \quad (4) \lambda_C = \lambda_\infty - (b)(C)$$

**Q.6** Resistance of 0.2 M solution of an electrolyte is 50  $\Omega$ . The specific conductance of the solution is  $1.4 \text{ S m}^{-1}$ . The resistance of 0.5 M solution of the same electrolyte is 280  $\Omega$ . The molar conductivity of 0.5 M solution of the electrolyte in  $\text{S m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$  is : [JEE-MAINS 2014]

- (1)  $5 \times 10^3$
- (2)  $5 \times 10^2$
- (3)  $5 \times 10^{-4}$
- (4)  $5 \times 10^{-3}$

**Q.7** At 298 K, the standard reduction potentials are 1.51 V for  $\text{MnO}_4^-/\text{Mn}^{2+}$ , 1.36 V for  $\text{Cl}_2/\text{Cl}^-$ , 1.07 V for  $\text{Br}_2/\text{Br}^-$ , and 0.54 V for  $\text{I}_2/\text{I}^-$ . At  $\text{pH} = 3$ , permanganate is expected to oxidize

$$\left( \frac{RT}{F} = 0.059 \text{ V} \right): \quad [\text{JEE-Mains-2015}]$$

- (1)  $\text{Cl}^-$  and  $\text{Br}^-$
- (2)  $\text{Cl}^-$ ,  $\text{Br}^-$  and  $\text{I}^-$
- (3)  $\text{Br}^-$  and  $\text{I}^-$
- (4)  $\text{I}^-$  only

**Q.8** A variable, opposite external potential ( $E_{\text{ext}}$ ) is applied to the cell  $\text{Zn}|\text{Zn}^{2+} (1 \text{ M}) || \text{Cu}^{2+} (1 \text{ M}) | \text{Cu}$ , of potential 1.1 V. When  $E_{\text{ext}} < 1.1 \text{ V}$  and  $E_{\text{ext}} > 1.1 \text{ V}$ , respectively electrons flow from :

[JEE-MAINS 2015]

- (1) anode to cathode in both cases
- (2) anode to cathode and cathode to anode
- (3) cathode to anode in both cases
- (4) cathode to anode and anode to cathode

**Q.9** Two Faraday of electricity is passed through a solution of  $\text{CuSO}_4$ . The mass of copper deposited at the cathode is : (at. mass of  $\text{Cu} = 63.5 \text{ amu}$ ) [JEE-MAINS 2015]

- (1) 2 g
- (2) 127 g
- (3) 0 g
- (4) 63.5 g



**Q.10** What will occur if a block of copper metal is dropped into a beaker containing a solution of 1M ZnSO<sub>4</sub> [JEE-MAINS-2016]

- (1) The copper metal will dissolve and zinc metal will be deposited
- (2) No reaction will occur
- (3) The copper metal will dissolve with evolution of oxygen gas
- (4) The copper metal will dissolve with evolution of hydrogen gas

**Q.11** Oxidation of succinate ion produces ethylene and carbon dioxide gases. On passing 0.2 Faraday electricity through on aqueous solution of potassium succinate, the total volume of gases (at both cathode and anode) at STP (1 atm and 273 K) is : [JEE-MAINS 2016]

- (1) 8.96 L
- (2) 2.24 L
- (3) 4.48 L
- (4) 6.72 L

**Q.12** Given [JEE-MAINS 2017]

$$E^0_{\text{Cl}_2/\text{Cl}^-} = 1.36\text{V}, E^0_{\text{Cl}^{3+}/\text{Cl}^-} = -0.74\text{V}$$

$$E^0_{\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}/\text{Cr}^{3+}} = 1.33\text{V}, E^0_{\text{MnO}_4^-/\text{Mn}^{2+}} = 1.51\text{V}$$

Among the following the strongest reducing agents is

- (1) Cr
- (2) Mn<sup>2+</sup>
- (3) Cr<sup>3+</sup>
- (4) Cl<sup>-</sup>

**Q.13** How long (approximate) should water be electrolysed by passing through 100 amperes current so that the oxygen released can completely burn 27.66 g of diborane? [JEE-MAINS 2018]

(Atomic weight of B = 10.8 u)

- (1) 1.6 hours
- (2) 6.4 hours
- (3) 0.8 hours
- (4) 3.2 hours

**Q.14**  $\Delta_f H^\circ$  for NaCl, HCl and NaA are 126.4, 425.9 and 100.5 kJ mol<sup>-1</sup>, respectively. If the conductivity of 0.001 M HA is  $5 \times 10^{-5}$  S cm<sup>-1</sup>, degree of dissociation of HA is: [JEE Mains 2019]

- (1) 0.50
- (2) 0.125
- (3) 0.25
- (4) 0.75

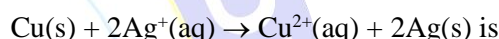
**Q.15** The standard electrode potential  $E^\ominus$  and its temperature coefficient  $\left(\frac{dE^\ominus}{dT}\right)$  for a cell are 2V and  $-5 \times 10^{-4}$  VK<sup>-1</sup> at 300 K respectively. The cell reaction is  $\text{Zn(s)} + \text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{Cu(s)}$  The standard reaction enthalpy  $\Delta_r H^\ominus$  at 300 K in kJ mol<sup>-1</sup> is, [JEE Mains 2019]

- (1) 192.0
- (2) -384.0
- (3) 206.4
- (4) -412.8

**Q.16** Given the equilibrium constant :

[JEE Mains 2019]

$K_C$  of the reaction :



is  $10 \times 10^{15}$ , calculate the  $E^\ominus_{\text{cell}}$  of this reaction at 298K

$$\left[2.303\right] \frac{RT}{F} \text{ at } 298\text{K is } 0.059\text{V}$$

- (1) 0.4736 V
- (2) 0.04736 mV
- (3) 0.4736 mV
- (4) 0.04736 V

**Q.17** For the cell  $\text{Zn(s)} | \text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) || \text{M}^{x+}(\text{aq}) | \text{M(s)}$ , different half cells and their standard electrode potentials are given below : [JEE Mains 2019]

$\text{M}^{x+}(\text{aq})/\text{M(s)}$	$\text{Au}^{3+}(\text{aq})/\text{Au(s)}$	$\text{Ag}^+/\text{Ag(s)}$	$\text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{aq})/\text{Fe}^{2+}(\text{aq})$	$\text{Fe}^{2+}(\text{aq})/\text{Fe(s)}$
$E^\ominus_{\text{M}^{x+}/\text{M}(\text{V})}$	1.40	0.80	0.77	-0.44

If  $E^\ominus_{\text{Zn}^{2+}/\text{Zn}} = -0.76\text{V}$ , which cathode will give a maximum value of  $E^\ominus_{\text{cell}}$  per electron transferred?

- (1) Fe<sup>2+</sup>/Fe
- (2) Au<sup>3+</sup> / Au
- (3) Fe<sup>3+</sup> / Fe<sup>2+</sup>
- (4) Ag<sup>+</sup> / Ag

**Q.18** In the cell  $\text{Pt(s)} | \text{H}_2(\text{g}, 1\text{bar}) | \text{HCl(aq)} | \text{AgCl(s)} | \text{Ag(s)} | \text{Pt(s)}$  the cell potential is 0.92 V when a  $10^{-6}$  molal HCl solution is used. The standard electrode potential of (AgCl/Ag, Cl<sup>-</sup>) electrode is :  $\left\{ \text{Given, } \frac{2.303RT}{F} = 0.06\text{V at } 298\text{K} \right\}$

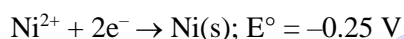
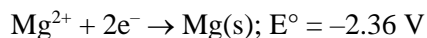
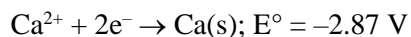
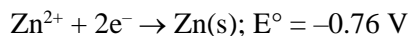


[JEE mains 2019]

- (1) 0.94 V (2) 0.40 V  
(3) 0.20 V (4) 0.76 V

Q.19 Consider the following reduction processes :

[JEE Mains 2019]



The reducing power of the metals increases in the order :

- (1)  $\text{Ca} < \text{Mg} < \text{Zn} < \text{Ni}$   
(2)  $\text{Zn} < \text{Mg} < \text{Ni} < \text{Ca}$   
(3)  $\text{Ni} < \text{Zn} < \text{Mg} < \text{Ca}$   
(4)  $\text{Ca} < \text{Zn} < \text{Mg} < \text{Ni}$

Q.20 If the standard electrode potential for a cell is 2 V at 300 K, the equilibrium constant (K) for the reaction

[JEE Mains 2019]

$\text{Zn(s)} + \text{Cu}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons \text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{Cu(s)}$  at 300 K is approximately.

$$(R = 8 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}, F = 96000 \text{ C mol}^{-1})$$

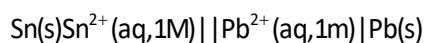
- (1)  $\text{e}^{-80}$  (2)  $\text{e}^{-160}$  (3)  $\text{e}^{160}$  (4)  $\text{e}^{320}$

Q.21 Given that the standard potentials ( $E^\circ$ ) of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}/\text{Cu}$  and  $\text{Cu}^+/\text{Cu}$  are 0.34 V and 0.522 V respectively, the  $E^\circ$  of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}/\text{Cu}^+$  is:

[JEE MAIN 2020]

- (1) -0.182 V (2) -0.158 V  
(3) 0.182 V (4) +0.158 V

Q.22 For an electrochemical cell



$$\text{Theratio } \frac{[\text{Sn}^{2+}]}{[\text{Pb}^{2+}]}$$

When this cell attains equilibrium is \_\_\_\_\_.

$$(\text{Given: } E^\circ_{\text{Sn}^{2+}/\text{Sn}} = -0.14\text{V}, E^\circ_{\text{Pb}^{2+}/\text{Pb}} = -0.13\text{V})$$

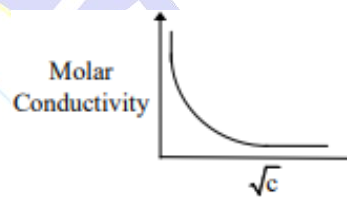
$$= -0.13\text{V}, \frac{2.303RT}{F} = 0.06) \quad [\text{JEE MAIN 2020}]$$

Q.23 The internal energy change (in J) when 90 g of water undergoes complete evaporation at  $100^\circ\text{C}$  is \_\_\_\_\_. (Given:  $\Delta H_{\text{vap}}$  for water at  $373 \text{ K} = 41 \text{ kJ/mol}$ ,  $R = 8.314 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ )

[JEE MAIN 2020]

Q.24 The variation of molar conductivity with concentration of an electrolyte (X) in aqueous solution is shown in the given figure.

[JEE MAIN 2020]



The electrolyte X is:

- (1) NaCl (2)  $\text{KNO}_3$   
(3)  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  (4) HCl

Q.25 The electrode potential of  $\text{M}^{2+}/\text{M}$  of 3d-series elements shows positive value of :

[JEE MAIN 2021]

- (1) Zn (2) Fe (3) Co (4) Cu

Q.26 For the reaction  $\text{A}_{(\text{g})} \rightarrow \text{B}_{(\text{g})}$ , the value of the equilibrium constant at 300 K and 1 atm is equal to 100.0. The value of  $\Delta_r G$  for the reaction at 300 K and 1 atm in  $\text{J mol}^{-1}$  is  $-xR$ , where x is \_\_\_\_\_ (Rounded off to the nearest integer) ( $R = 8.31 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$  and  $\ln 10 = 2.3$ )

[JEE MAIN 2021]

Q.27 Emf of the following cell at 298 K in V is  $x \times 10^{-2}$ .  $\text{Zn}|\text{Zn}^{2+} (0.1 \text{ M})||\text{Ag}^+ (0.01 \text{ M})|\text{Ag}$ . The value of x is \_\_\_\_\_. (Rounded off to the nearest integer)

$$[\text{Given: } E^\circ_{\text{Zn}^{2+}/\text{Zn}} = -0.76\text{V}; E^\circ_{\text{Ag}^+/\text{Ag}} = +0.80\text{V}]$$

$$= +0.80\text{V}; \frac{2.303RT}{F} = 0.059]$$

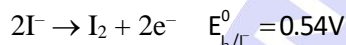
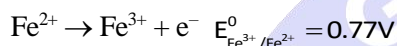


[JEE MAIN 2021]

**Q.28** The cell potential for the following cell  
 $\text{Pt}|\text{H}_2(\text{g})|\text{H}^+(\text{aq})||\text{Cu}^{2+}(0.01\text{M})|\text{Cu}(\text{s})$  is 0.576 V at 298K. The pH of the solution is \_\_\_\_\_. (Nearest integer)  
 [JEE MAIN (June shift-1) 2022]

**Q.29** The resistance of conductivity cell containing 0.01M KCl solution at 298 K is 1750 $\Omega$ . If the conductivity of 0.01 M KCl solution at 298K is  $0.152 \times 10^{-3} \text{ S cm}^{-1}$ , then the cell constant of the conductivity cell is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-3} \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .  
 [JEE MAIN (June shift-2) 2022]

**Q.30** In a cell, the following reactions take place



The standard electrode potential for the spontaneous reaction in the cell is  $x \times 10^{-2} \text{ V}$  298K. The value of x is \_\_\_\_\_ (nearest integer)  
 [JEE MAIN (June shift-1) 2022]

**Q.31** The correct order of reduction potential of the following pairs is

- (A)  $\text{Cl}_2/\text{Cl}^-$   
 (B)  $\text{I}_2/\text{I}^-$   
 (C)  $\text{Ag}^+/\text{Ag}$   
 (D)  $\text{Na}^+/\text{Na}$   
 (E)  $\text{Li}^+/\text{Li}$

Chose the correct answer from the options given below.  
 [JEE MAIN (June shift-2) 2022]

- (1)  $\text{A} > \text{C} > \text{B} > \text{D} > \text{E}$   
 (2)  $\text{A} > \text{B} < \text{C} > \text{D} > \text{E}$   
 (3)  $\text{A} > \text{C} > \text{B} > \text{E} > \text{D}$   
 (4)  $\text{A} > \text{B} > \text{C} > \text{E} > \text{D}$

**Q.32** A solutions of  $\text{Fe}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$  is electrolyzed for 'x' min with a current of 1.5A to deposit 0.3482g of Fe. The value of x is \_\_\_\_\_.

Given:  $1\text{F} = 96500 \text{ Cmol}^{-1}$

Atomic mass of Fe = 56 g  $\text{mol}^{-1}$

[JEE MAIN (June shift-2) 2022]

**Q.33** The  $\left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial T}\right)_p$  of different types of half cells are as follows:

A	B	C	D
$1 \times 10^{-4}$	$2 \times 10^{-4}$	$0.1 \times 10^{-4}$	$0.2 \times 10^{-4}$

(Where E is the electromotive force)

Which of the above half cells would be preferred to be used as reference electrode?

[JEE MAIN (June shift-1) 2022]

- (1) A      (2) B      (3) C      (4) D

**Q.34**  $\text{Cu}(\text{s}) + \text{Sn}^{2+}(0.001\text{M}) \rightarrow \text{Cu}^{2+}(0.01\text{M}) + \text{Sn}(\text{s})$

The Gibbs free energy change for the above reaction at 298 K is  $x \times 10^{-1} \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$ ;

The value of x is \_\_\_\_\_. (nearest integer)

[Given :  $E_{\text{Cu}^{2+}/\text{Cu}}^0 = 0.34\text{V}$  ;  $E_{\text{Sn}^{2+}/\text{Sn}}^0 = -0.14\text{V}$   $F = 96500 \text{ Cmol}^{-1}$ ]  
 [JEE MAIN (June shift-2) 2022]

**Q.35** The limiting molar conductivities of NaI,  $\text{NaNO}_3$  and  $\text{AgNO}_3$  are 12.7, 12.0 and 13.3  $\text{mS m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ , respectively (all at 25°C). The limiting molar conductivity of AgI at this temperature is \_\_\_\_\_

[JEE MAIN (June shift-2) 2022]

**Q.36** The standard reduction potentials at for the following half cells are given below:

$\text{NO}_3^- + 4\text{H}^+ + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{NO}(\text{g}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$	$E^0 = 0.97 \text{ V}$
$\text{V}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + 2\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{V}(\text{s})$	$E^0 = -1.19 \text{ V}$
$\text{Fe}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Fe}(\text{s})$	$E^0 = -0.04 \text{ V}$
$\text{Ag}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Ag}(\text{s})$	$E^0 = 0.80 \text{ V}$
$\text{Au}^{3+}(\text{aq}) + 3\text{e}^- \rightarrow \text{Au}(\text{s})$	$E^0 = 1.40 \text{ V}$

The number of metal(s) which will be oxidised by  $\text{NO}_3^-$  in aqueous solution is \_\_\_\_\_.

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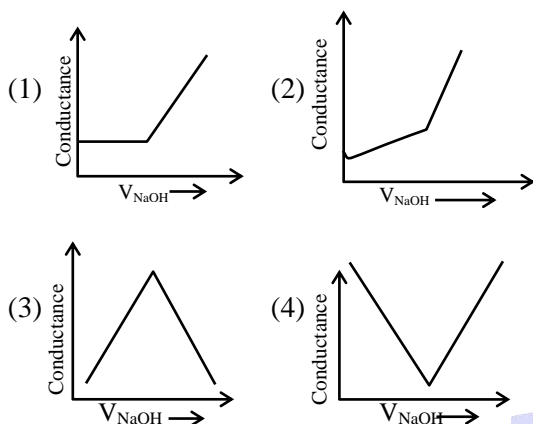
**37.** The specific conductance of 0.0025M acetic acid is  $5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ S cm}^{-1}$  at a certain temperature. The dissociation constant of acetic acid is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-7}$ . (Nearest integer)

Consider limiting molar conductivity of  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$  as 400  $\text{S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$

[JEE MAIN (Apr shift-2) 2023]

**Q.38** Choose the correct representation of conductometric of benzoic acid vs sodium hydroxide.  
 [JEE MAIN (Jan shift-2) 2023]

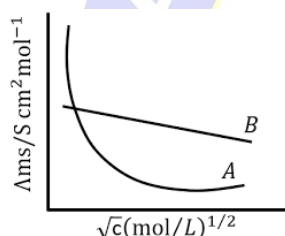




**Q.39** Following figure shows dependence of molar conductance of two electrolytes on concentration.

$\Lambda^\circ m$  is the limiting molar conductivity.

[JEE MAIN (Jan shift-1) 2023]



The number of **Incorrect** statements(s) from the following is \_\_\_\_\_

- (1)  $\Lambda^\circ m$  for electrolyte A is obtained by extrapolation
- (2) For electrolyte B,  $\Lambda_m$  vs  $\sqrt{c}$  graph is a straight line with intercept equal to  $\Lambda^\circ m$
- (3) At infinite dilute, the value of degree of dissociation approach zero for electrolyte B.
- (4)  $\Lambda^\circ m$  for any electrolyte A or B can be calculated using  $\lambda^\circ$  for individual ions.

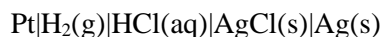
**Q.40** The equilibrium constant for the reaction  $\text{Zn(s)} + \text{Sn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \rightleftharpoons \text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{Sn(s)}$  is  $1 \times 10^{20}$  at 298 K. The magnitude of standard electrode potential of  $\text{Sn/Sn}^{2+}$  if  $E^\circ_{\text{Zn}^{2+}/\text{Zn}} = -0.76 \text{ V}$  is \_\_\_\_\_  $\times 10^{-2} \text{ V}$ . (Nearest integer)

Given:  $\frac{2.303RT}{F} = 0.059\text{V}$

[JEE MAIN (Jan shift-2) 2023]

## JEE ADVANCED QUESTION

**Q.1** The standard potential of the following cell is 0.23 V at 15°C & 0.21 V at 35°C

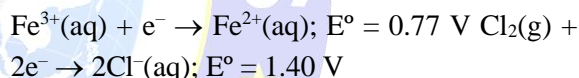
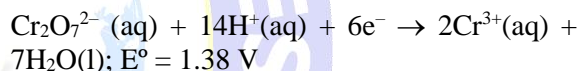
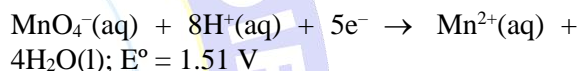


- (i) Write the cell reaction.
- (ii) Calculate  $\Delta H^\circ$ ,  $\Delta S^\circ$  for the cell reaction by assuming that these quantities remain unchanged in the range 15°C to 35°C.
- (iii) Calculate the solubility of AgCl in water at 25°C.

Given standard reduction potential of the  $\text{Ag}^+|\text{Ag}$  couple is 0.80 V at 25°C. [JEE-2001]

**Q.2** Standard electrode potential data is useful for understanding the suitability of an oxidant in a redox titration. Some half cell reactions and their standard potentials are given below.

[JEE-2002]



Identify the only incorrect statement regarding quantitative estimation of aqueous  $\text{Fe}(\text{NO}_3)_2$

- (1)  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  can be used in aqueous HCl
- (2)  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$  can be used in aqueous HCl
- (3)  $\text{MnO}_4^-$  can be used in aqueous  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
- (4)  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7^{2-}$  can be used in aqueous  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

**Q.3** In the electrolytic cell, flow of electrons is from [JEE-2003]

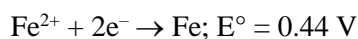
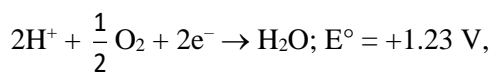
- (1) Cathode to anode in solution
- (2) Cathode to anode through external supply
- (3) Cathode to anode through internal supply
- (4) Anode to cathode through internal supply

**Q.4**  $\text{Zn}|\text{Zn}^{2+}(\text{a} = 0.1 \text{ M})||\text{Fe}^{2+}(\text{a} = 0.01 \text{ M})|\text{Fe}$  the emf of the above cell is 0.2905 V. Equilibrium constant for the cell reaction is [JEE-2004]

- (1)  $10^{0.32/0.0591}$
- (2)  $10^{0.32/0.0295}$
- (3)  $10^{0.26/0.0295}$
- (4)  $e^{0.32/0.295}$

**Q.5** The half cell reactions for rusting of iron are:





$\Delta G^\circ$  (in kJ) for the reaction is: [JEE-2005]

- (1) -76 (2) -322 (3) -122 (4) -176

**Q.6** We have taken a saturated solution of AgBr.  $K_{\text{sp}}$  of AgBr is  $12 \times 10^{-14}$ . If  $10^{-7}$  moles of  $\text{AgNO}_3$  are added to 1 litre of this solution, find conductivity (specific conductance) of this solution in terms of  $10^{-7} \text{ S m}^{-1}$ . [JEE-2006]

[Given:  $\lambda_{(\text{Ag}^+)}^\circ = 6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ S m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ ;  $\lambda_{(\text{Br}^-)}^\circ = 8 \times 10^{-3} \text{ S m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ ],  $\lambda_{(\text{NO}_3^-)}^\circ = 7 \times 10^{-3} \text{ S m}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$

### Question No. 7 to 9(3 Questions)

Chemical reactions involve interaction of atoms and molecules. A larger number of atoms/molecules (approximately  $6.023 \times 10^{23}$ ) are present in a few grams of any chemical compound varying with their atomic/molecular masses. To handle such large numbers conveniently, the mole concept was introduced. This concept has implications in diverse areas such as analytical chemistry, biochemistry, electrochemistry and radiochemistry. The following example illustrates a typical case, involving chemical/electrochemical reaction, which requires a clear understanding of the mole concept.

A 4.0 molar aqueous solution of NaCl is prepared and 500 mL of this solution is electrolysed. This leads to the evolution of chlorine gas at one of the electrodes (atomic mass: Na = 23, Hg = 200, 1 Faraday = 96500 Coulombs) [JEE-2007]

**Q.7** The total number of moles of chlorine gas evolved is

- (1) 0.5 (2) 1.0 (3) 2.0 (4) 3.0

**Q.8** If the cathode is Hg electrode, the maximum weight (g) of amalgam formed from this solution is

- (1) 200 (2) 225 (3) 400 (4) 446

**Q.9** The total charge (coulombs) required for complete electrolysis is

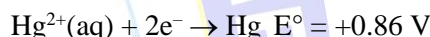
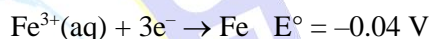
- (1) 24125 (2) 48250 (3) 96500 (4) 193000

**Q.10** Electrolysis of dilute aqueous NaCl solution was carried out by passing 10 milliamper current. The time required to liberate 0.01 mol of  $\text{H}_2$  gas at the cathode is (1 Faraday =  $96500 \text{ C mol}^{-1}$ )

[JEE-2008]

- (1)  $9.65 \times 10^4 \text{ s}$  (2)  $19.3 \times 10^4 \text{ s}$   
(3)  $28.95 \times 10^4 \text{ s}$  (4)  $38.6 \times 10^4 \text{ s}$

**Q.11** For the reaction of  $\text{NO}_3^-$  ion in an aqueous solution,  $E^\circ$  is +0.96 V. Values of  $E^\circ$  for some metal ions are given below [JEE-2009]



The pair(s) of metal that is(are) oxidized by  $\text{NO}_3^-$  in aqueous solution is(are):

- (1) V and Hg (2) Hg and Fe  
(3) Fe and Au (4) Fe and V

**Q.12** Among the following the intensive property is (properties are) [JEE-2009]

- (1) Molar conductivity  
(2) Electromotive Force  
(3) Resistance  
(4) Heat capacity

### Paragraph For Questions 13 to 14

The concentration of potassium ions inside a biological cell is at least twenty times higher than the outside. The resulting potential difference across the cell is important in several processes such as transmission of nerve impulses and maintaining the ion balance. A simple model for such a concentration cell involving a metal M is:



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$M(s)|M^+(aq; 0.05 \text{ molar})||M^+(aq; 1 \text{ molar})|M(s)$   
For the above electrolytic cell the magnitude of the cell potential  $|E_{\text{cell}}| = 70 \text{ mV}$ . [JEE-2010]

**Q.13** For the above cell

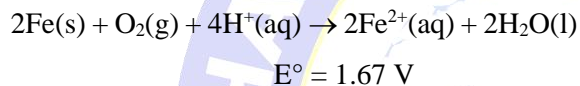
- (1)  $E_{\text{cell}} < 0; \Delta G > 0$  (2)  $E_{\text{cell}} > 0; \Delta G < 0$   
(3)  $E_{\text{cell}} < 0; \Delta G^\circ > 0$  (4)  $E_{\text{cell}} > 0; \Delta G^\circ < 0$

**Q.14** If the 0.05 molar solution of  $M^+$  is replaced by a 0.0025 molar  $M^+$  solution, the magnitude of the cell potential would be

- (1) 35 mV (2) 70 mV  
(3) 140 mV (4) 700 mV

**Q.15** Consider the following cell reaction.

[JEE-2011]

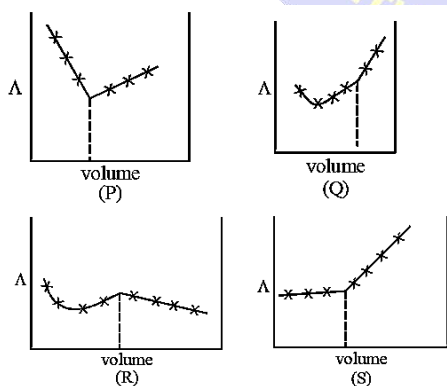


At  $[Fe^{2+}] = 10^{-3} \text{ M}$ ,  $P(O_2) = 0.1 \text{ atm}$  and  $pH = 3$ , the cell potential at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  is:

- (1) 1.47 V (2) 1.77 V (3) 1.87 V (4) 1.57 V

**Q.16**  $AgNO_3(aq.)$  was added to an aqueous  $KCl$  solution gradually and the conductivity of the solution was measured. The plot of conductance ( $\Lambda$ ) versus the volume of  $AgNO_3$  is:

[JEE-2011]



- (1) P (2) Q (3) R (4) S

**Paragraph for Question No. 17 and 18**

The electrochemical cell shown below is a concentration cell.

$M|M^{2+}$  (saturated solution of a sparingly soluble salt,  $MX_2$ )  $|| M^{2+}$  (0.01 mol  $\text{dm}^{-3}$ )  $|M$ .

The emf of the cell depends on the difference in concentrations of  $M^{2+}$  ions at the two electrodes. The emf of the cell at 298 K is 0.059 V. [JEE Advance-2012]

**Q.17** The solubility product ( $K_{\text{sp}}$ ;  $\text{mol}^3 \text{dm}^{-9}$ ) of  $MX_2$  at 298 K based on the information available for the given concentration cell is (take  $2.303 \times R \times 298/F = 0.059 \text{ V}$ )

- (1)  $1 \times 10^{-15}$  (2)  $4 \times 10^{-15}$   
(3)  $1 \times 10^{-12}$  (4)  $4 \times 10^{-12}$

**Q.18** The value of  $\Delta G$  ( $\text{kJ mol}^{-1}$ ) for the given cell is (Take  $1 F = 96500 \text{ C mol}^{-1}$ )

- (1) -5.7 (2) 5.7 (3) 11.4 (4) -11.4

**Q.19** An aqueous solution of X is added slowly to an aqueous solutions of Y as in List I. The variation in conductivity of these reactions is given in List II. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using code given below the lists:

[JEE Advance-2013]

List-I		List-II	
P.	$(C_2H_5)_3N + CH_3COOH$ X Y	1.	Conductivity decreases and then increases
Q.	$KI(0.1M) + AgNO_3(0.01M)$ X Y	2.	Conductivity decreases and then does not change Much
R.	$CH_3COOH + KOH$ X Y	3.	Conductivity increases and then does not change Much
S.	$NaOH + HI$ X Y	4.	Conductivity does not change much and then increases



	P	Q	R	S		P	Q	R	S
(1)	3	4	2	1	(2)	4	3	1	2
(3)	4	3	2	1	(4)	2	1	3	4

**Q.20** In a galvanic cell, the salt bridge

[JEE Advance 2014]

- (1) Does not participate chemically in the cell reaction.
- (2) Stops the diffusion of ions from one electrode to another.
- (3) Is necessary for the occurrence of the cell reaction.
- (4) Ensures mixing of the two electrolytic solutions.

**Q.21** All the energy released from the reaction  $X \rightarrow Y$ ,  $\Delta_r G^\circ = -193 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$  is used for oxidizing  $M^+$  as  $M^+ \rightarrow M^{3+} + 2e^-$ ,  $E^\circ = -0.25 \text{ V}$ .

Under standard conditions, the number of moles of  $M^+$  oxidized when one mole of  $X$  is converted to  $Y$  is  $[F = 96500 \text{ C mol}^{-1}]$

[JEE Advance 2015]

**Q.22** For the following electrochemical cell at 298 K,  
 $\text{Pt(s)}|\text{H}_2(\text{g}, 1 \text{ bar})|\text{H}^+(\text{aq}, 1 \text{ M})||\text{M}^{4+}(\text{aq}), \text{M}^{2+}(\text{aq})|\text{Pt(s)}$

$$E_{\text{cell}} = 0.092 \text{ V when } \frac{[\text{M}^{2+}(\text{aq})]}{[\text{M}^{4+}(\text{aq})]} = 10^x$$

$$\text{Given: } E_{\text{M}^{4+}/\text{M}^{2+}}^\circ = 0.151 \text{ V}; 2.303 \frac{RT}{F} = 0.059 \text{ V}$$

the value of  $x$  is

[JEE Advance 2016]

- (1) -2      (2) -1      (3) 1      (4) 2

**Q.23** The conductance of a 0.0015 M aqueous solution of a weak monobasic acid was determined by using a conductivity cell consisting of platinized Pt electrodes. The distance between the electrodes is 120 cm with an area of cross section of  $1 \text{ cm}^2$ . The conductance of this solution was found to be  $5 \times 10^{-7} \text{ S}$ . The pH of the solution is 4. The value of limiting molar conductivity ( $\Lambda_m^\circ$ ) of this weak monobasic acid is aqueous

solution is  $Z \times 10^2 \text{ S cm}^{-1}$ . The value of  $Z$  is:

[JEE Advance 2017]

**Q.24** The correct option(s) to distinguish nitrate salts of  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  taken Separately is (are): –

[JEE Advance 2018]

- (1)  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  shows the characteristics green colour in the flame test
- (2) Only  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  show the formation of precipitate by passing  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  in acidic medium
- (3) Only  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  shows the formation of precipitate by passing  $\text{H}_2\text{S}$  in faintly basic medium
- (4)  $\text{Cu}^{2+}|\text{Cu}$  has higher reduction potential than  $\text{Mn}^{2+}|\text{Mn}$  (measured under similar conditions)

**Q.25** Consider an electrochemical cell:  $\text{A(s)}|\text{A}^{n+}(\text{aq}, 2 \text{ M})||\text{B}^{2n+}(\text{aq}, 1 \text{ M})|\text{B(s)}$ . The value of  $\Delta H^\circ$  for the cell reaction is twice that of  $\Delta G^\circ$  at 300 K. If the emf of the cell is zero, the  $\Delta S^\circ$  (in  $\text{JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ ) of the cell reaction per mole of  $\text{B}$  formed at 300 K is \_\_\_\_.

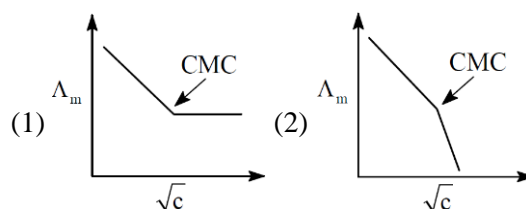
(Given:  $\ln(2) = 0.7$ ,  $R$  (Universal gas constant) =  $8.3 \text{ J K}^{-1}$ .  $H$ ,  $S$  and  $G$  are enthalpy, entropy and Gibbs energy, respectively).

[JEE Advance 2018]

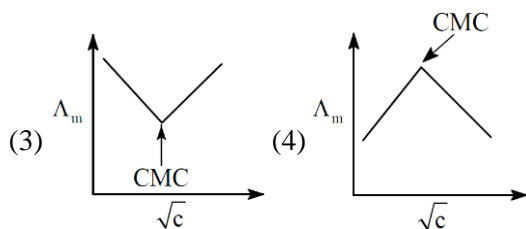
**Q.26** Molar conductivity ( $\Lambda_m$ ) of aqueous solution of sodium stearate, which behaves as a electrolyte, is recorded at varying concentrations ( $c$ ) of sodium stearate. Which one of the following plots provides the correct representation of micelle formation in the solution?

(Critical micelle concentration (CMC) is marked with an arrow in the figure)

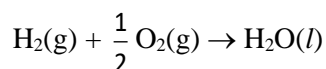
[JEE Advance 2019]



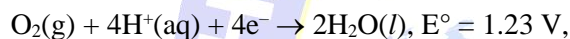




**Q.27** Consider a 70% efficient hydrogen-oxygen fuel cell working under standard conditions at 1 bar and 298 K. Its cell reaction is



The work derived from the cell on the consumption of  $1.0 \times 10^{-3}$  mol of  $\text{H}_2(\text{g})$  is used to compress 1.00 mol of a monoatomic ideal gas in a thermally insulated container. What is the change in the temperature (in K) of the ideal gas? The standard reduction potentials for the two half-cell are given below.



Use  $F = 96500 \text{ C mol}^{-1}$ ,  $R = 8.314 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ .

[JEE Advance 2020]

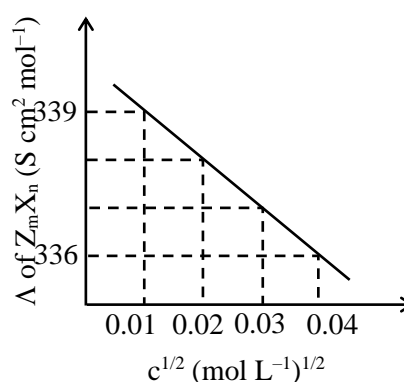
**Q.28** Consider the strong electrolytes  $\text{Z}_m\text{X}_n$ ,  $\text{U}_m\text{Y}_p$  and  $\text{V}_m\text{X}_n$ . Limiting molar conductivity ( $\Lambda^\circ$ ) of  $\text{U}_m\text{Y}_p$  and  $\text{V}_m\text{X}_n$  are 250 and  $440 \text{ S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ , respectively. The value of  $(m + n + p)$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

Given:

Ion	$\text{Z}^{n+1}$	$\text{U}^{p+}$	$\text{V}^{n+}$	$\text{X}^{m-}$	$\text{Y}^{m-}$
$\lambda^\circ (\text{S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1})$	50.0	25.0	100.0	80.0	100.0

$\lambda^\circ$  is the limiting molar conductivity of ions.

The plot of molar conductivity ( $\Lambda$ ) of  $\text{Z}_m\text{X}_n$  vs  $c^{1/2}$  is given below. [JEE Advance 2022]



**Q.29** The reduction potential ( $E^\circ$ , in V) of  $\text{MnO}_4^- (\text{aq})/\text{Mn}(\text{s})$  is [JEE Advance 2022]

[Given:  $E^\circ_{(\text{MnO}_4^- (\text{aq})/\text{MnO}_2 (\text{s}))} = 1.687$ ;

$E^\circ_{(\text{MnO}_2 (\text{s})/\text{Mn}^{2+} (\text{aq}))} = 1.21 \text{ V}$ ;  $E^\circ_{(\text{Mn}^{2+} (\text{aq})/\text{Mn}(\text{s}))} = 1.03 \text{ V}$ ]

**Q.30** Plotting  $1/\Lambda_m$  against  $c\Lambda_m$  for aqueous solutions of a monobasic weak acid (HX) resulted in a straight line with y-axis intercept of P and slope of S. The ratio P/S is

[ $\Lambda_m$  = molar conductivity,  $\Lambda_m^\circ$  = limiting molar conductivity,  $c$  = molar concentration,  $K_a$  = dissociation constant of HX]

[JEE Advance 2023]

- (1)  $K_a \Lambda_m^\circ$  (2)  $K_a \Lambda_m^\circ / 2$   
(3)  $2K_a \Lambda_m^\circ$  (4)  $1/(K_a \Lambda_m^\circ)$



# ANSWER KEY

## JEE-FLASHBACK JEE-MAIN QUESTIONS

Que.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Ans.	2	1	1	4	1	3	3	2	4	2	1	1	4	2	4
Que.	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Ans.	1	2	3	3	3	4	2.15	189494	3	4	1380	147	5	266	23
Que.	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40					
Ans.	1	20	3	983	14	3	66	2	2	17					

## JEE-ADVANCE QUESTIONS

Que.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Ans.	1	3	2	2	55	2	4	4	2	1,2,4	1,2	2	3	4	4
Que.	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
Ans.	2	4	1	1	4	4	6	2,4	11.62	2	13.32	7	0.77	1	

Q.1  $1.47 \times 10^{-5}$

