

## The p-block Elements

**Q.No.1:** The pair in which phosphorous atoms have a formal oxidation state of +3 is:

JEE 2016

- A. Pyrophosphorous and hypophosphoric acids
- **B.** Orthophosphorous and hypophosphoric acids
- C. Pyrophosphorous and pyrophosphoric acids
- **D.** Orthophosphorous and pyrophosphorous acids

Q.No.2: The reaction of zinc with dilute and concentrated nitric acid, respectively, produces:

JEE 2016

- A. NO<sub>2</sub> and NO
- **B.** NO and N<sub>2</sub>O
- $\boldsymbol{\mathsf{C.}}\ NO_2$  and  $N_2O$
- **D.** N<sub>2</sub>O and NO<sub>2</sub>

**Q.No.3:** Which of the following are Lewis acids?

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- A. PH<sub>3</sub> and SiCI<sub>4</sub>
- B. BCI<sub>3</sub> and AICI<sub>3</sub>
- C. PH<sub>3</sub> and BCI<sub>3</sub>
- **D.** AICI<sub>3</sub> and SiCI<sub>4</sub>

**Q.No.5:** Correct statements among a to d regarding silicones are:

- (a) They are polymers with hydrophobic character.
- (b) They are biocompatible.
- (c) In general, they have high thermal stability and low dielectric strength.
- (d) Usually, they are resistant to oxidation and used as greases. **JEE 2019** 
  - **A.** (a), (b), (c) and (d)
  - **B.** (a), (b), and (c) only
  - C. (a) and (b) only
  - **D.** (a), (b) and (d) only

**Q.No.6:** Aluminium is usually found in +3 oxidation state. In contrast, thallium exists in +1 and +3 oxidation states. This due to:

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- A. inert pair effect
- B. diagonal relationship
- **C.** lattice effect
- **D.** lanthanoid contraction

**Q.No.7:** Good reducing nature of  $H_3PO_2$  is attributed to the presence of:

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- A. Two P OH bonds
- B. One P H bond
- C. Two P H bonds
- D. One P OH bond

Q.No.8: The electronegativity of aluminium is similar to: JEE 2019

- A. Carbon
- **B.** Beryllium
- C. Boron

## **D.** Lithium

**Q.No.9:** Among the following reactions of hydrogen with halogens, the one that requires a catalyst is:

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- **A.**  $H_2 + I_2 \rightarrow 2HI$
- $\textbf{B.} \ \, \text{H}_2 \, + \, \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{HCl}$
- **C.**  $H_2 + Br_2 \rightarrow 2HBr$
- **D.**  $H_2 + F_2 \rightarrow 2HF$

**Q.No.10:** The pair that contains two P-H bonds in each of the oxoacids is : **JEE 2019** 

- **A.**  $H_4P_2O_5$  and  $H_4P_2O_6$
- **B.**  $H_3PO_2$  and  $H_4P_2O_5$
- **C.**  $H_3PO_3$  and  $H_3PO_2$
- **D.**  $H_4P_2O_5$  and  $H_3PO_3$