

Exercises

- 101. The Poisonous nature of Carbon monoxide (CO) is due to its [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) insolubility in water
 - (b) ability to form a complex with haemoglobin
 - (c) ability to reduce some metal oxides
 - (d) property of having one sigma bond
- 102. Which one of the following is the purest form of Carbon? [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) Charcoal (b) Coke
 - (c) Fullerene (d) Carbon black
- 103. Which one of the following properties is NOT true for graphite? [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) Hybridisation of each carbon atom of sp^3
 - (b) Hybridisation of each carbon atom is sp^2
 - (c) Electrons are delocalized over the whole sheet of atoms
 - (d) Each layer is composed of hexagonal rings.
- 104. How is carbon black obtained? [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) By heating wood at high temperature in absence of air
 - (b) By heating coal at high temperature in absence of air
 - (c) By burning hydrocarbons in a limited supply of air
 - (d) By heating coal at high temperature in presence of air
- 105. Which one of the following metals is alloyed with sodium to transfer heat in a nuclear reactor?

[NDA-I 2018]

- (a) Potassium (b) Calcium
- (c) Magnesium (d) Strontium
- 106. Which one of the following alkali metals has lowest melting point? [NDA-I 2018]

- (a) Sodium(c) Rubidium
- (b) Potassium (d) Caesium
- 107. Which one of the following is the number of water molecules that share with two formula unit CaSO₄ in plaster of Paris? [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) One (b) Two
 - (c) Five (d) Ten
- 108. Which one of the following is NOT true for bleaching powder? [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) It is used as a reducing agent in chemical industries
 - (b) It is used for bleaching wood pulp in paper factories
 - (c) It is used for disinfecting drinking water
 - (d) It is used for bleaching linen in textile industry
- 109. Which one of the following is the chemical formula of Washing Soda? [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) $NaHCO_3$ (b) $Na_2CO_3.10H_2O$
 - (c) $Na_2CO_3.5H_2O$ (d) NaOH
- 110. Brine is an aqueous solution of [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) NaCl (b) NaOH
 - (c) $NaHCO_3$ (d) Na_2CO_3
- 111. Which one of the following gives the highest amount of hydrogen ions (H⁺)? [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) Sodium hydroxide solution
 - (b) Milk of magnesia
 - (c) Lemon juice
 - (d) Gastric juice
- 112. Which of the following properties is true for a tooth paste? [NDA-I 2018]
 - (a) It is acidic
 - (b) It is neutral
 - (c) It is basic

(d) It is made up of Calcium phosphate, the material	12
of tooth enamel	
113. Which one of the following is a chemical change? [NDA-I 2018]	
(a) Cutting of hair	
(b) Graying of hair naturally	
(c) Swelling of resin in water	12
(d) Cutting of fruit	
114. The species that has the same number of electrons	
³⁵ ₁₆ Cl is [NDA-II 2017]	
(a) ${}^{35}_{16}S$ (b) ${}^{34}_{16}S^+$	12
(c) ${}^{40}_{18} \text{Ar}^+$ (d) ${}^{35}_{16} \text{S}^{2-}$	12
115. The ionization energy of hydrogen atom in the ground state is comodo INDA-II 2017	
(a) 13.6 MeV (b) 13.6 eV	
(c) 13.6 Joule (d) Zero	
116. Consider the following reaction:	
$CH_4 + 2O_2 \rightarrow CO_2 + 2H_2O$	1.0
Which of the following about the reaction given above	12
is/are correct? [NDA-II 2017]	
1. Carbon is oxidized.	
2. Hydrogen is oxidized	
3. Hydrogen is reduced	
4. Carbon is reduced. Select the correct answer using	12
(a) 1 only	
(b) 1 and 2 only (b) $2 - 12 - 1$	
(c) 2 and 3 only $(d) = 2 \cos d 4 \sin \theta$	
(d) 2 and 4 only	12
carbon?	
(a) $\frac{11}{3}$ kg (b) $\frac{3}{11}$ kg	12
(c) $\frac{4}{3}$ kg (d) $\frac{3}{4}$ kg	
118. Zinc is used to protect iron from corrsion because zinc	
is [NDA-II 2017]	12
(a) more electropositive than iron	
(b) cheaper than iron	
(c) a bluish white metal	
(d) a good conductor of heat and electricity	
119. The proposition equal volumes of different gases	12
temperature and pressure is known as INDA-II 2017	
(a) Avogadro's hypothesis	
(b) Gay-Lussac's hypothesis	

- (c) Planck's hypothesis
- (d) Kirchhoff's theory

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120.	Wł	y is potassium perma	anga	anate us	sed for pu	rifying
	arir	iking water?			[NDA-II	2017]
	(a)	It kills germs				
	(b)	It dissolves the impur	ities	3		
	(c)	It is a reducing agent				
	(d)	It is a oxidizing agent				
121.	Wh	ich one among the fo	llow	ving che	emical is u	used as
	was	shing soda?			[NDA-II	2017]
	(a)	Calcium carbonate				
	(b)	Calcium bicarbonate				
	(c)	Sodium carbonate				
	(d)	Sodium bicarbonate				
122.	The	e compound C ₆ H ₁₂ O ₄	cont	ains	[NDA-II	2017]
	(a)	22 atoms per mole				
	(b)	twice the mass prece mass percent of C	ent o	of H as	compared	to the
	(c)	six times the mass per	cen	t of C a	s compare	d to the
	(1)	mass percent of H		0.11		1
	(d)	mass percent of O	ent c	of H as	compared	to the
123.	The	principal use of hydro	ofluc	oric acio	d is	
	(a)	in etching glass			[NDA-II	2017]
	(b)	as a bleaching agent				
	(c)	as an extremely strong	g ox	idizing	agent	
	(d)	in the preparation	of	strong	organic f	lourine
124.	Wh	ich compound, when	diss	olved in	1 water. co	onducts
	elec	tricity and forms a bas	sic s	olution	? [NDA-I]	2017
	(a)	HCI	(b)	CH ₂ C	OOH	,
	(c)	CH-OH	(d)	NaOH	I	
125.	The	desirable range of pH	[for	drinkir	ng water is	
					INDA-I	[2017]
	(a)	6 5 to 8 5	(h)	5 0 to	6.5	
	(a)	6.5 to 7.0	(0)	7.0 to	8.5	
126	Wh	ich one of the followir	(u) na is		o.J a of acid r	ino?
120.	VV 11		ig is	a causo		1115 / [3017]
	(a)	0	(1-)	A	INDA-II	2017]
	(a)	Ozone	(D)	Ammo	onia .	1.
107	(C)	Sulphur dioxide	(a)	Carbo	n monoxic	
127.	Kac	ion is			[NDA-I	2017]
	(a)	an inert gas				
	(b)	an artificial fibre				
	(c)	an explosive				
	(a)	a metal				
128.	Ma	tch List I with List II a	and	select th	ne correct	answer
	usir	ng the code given below	w th	e Lists:	[NDA-I	2017]
		List I (Noble gas)		List I	I (Use)	
	A.	Argon	1.	In ligh display	ts for adve	ertising
	B.	Neon	2.	Airpor	t landing	lights

and in lighthouses

	C.	Kr	ypto	n		3.	Ligh flash	: in p gun	oho	tographer's	137. Which one of the following elements is least reactive with water? [NDA-I 2017]					
	D.	Xe	non			4.	In tu last l	ngste onge	en r	filament to	(a) Lithium (b) Sodium (c) Potassium (d) Cesium					
	Co	des:						0			138. Temporary hardness in water is due to which one of the					
		Α	В	С	D		А	B	С	D	following of Calcium and Magnesium? [NDA-I 2017]					
	(a)	3	1	2	4	(b)	3	2	1	4	(a) Hydrogen carbonates (b) Carbonates					
	(c)	4	2	1	3	(d)	4	1 2	2	3	(c) Chlorides (d) Sulphates					
129	The	e val	- lency	z of a	an eleme	ent der	pends	11001	- 1 th	e	139. The chemical name of baking soda is [NDA-I 2017]					
				,]			N	DA-I 2017	(a) Na_2CO_3 (b) $NaHCO_3$					
	(a)	tota	al nu	mbe	er of prot	ons ir	n an a	om	[(c) CaCO ₃ (d) NaOH					
	(b)	ma	ss ni	umb	er of an a	atom					140. Glass is a [NDA-I 2017]					
	(c)	tota	al nu	mbe	er of neut	rons	is an a	tom			(a) liquid					
	(d)	tota	al nu	mbe	r of elect	trons	in the	oute	r m	ost shell of	(b) colloid					
		an	aton	ı							(c) non-crystalline amorphous solid					
130	. 20	g of	f cor	nmo	n salt is	disso	lved	in 18	30	g of water.	(d) crystalline solid					
	Wh	nat is	s the	mas	s percent	tage o	f the	alt ii	1 th	e solution?	141. What is the number of mole(s) of $H_2(g)$ required to					
									N	DA-I 2017]	saturate one mole benzene? [NDA-I 2016]					
	(a)	5%)			(b)	9%				(a) 1 (c) 3					
	(c)	109	%			(d)	15%				(b) 2 (d) 4					
131	. Ah	omo	ogen	eous	mixture	conta	ins tv	o lic	uic	ls. How are	142. An atom of carbon has 6 protons. Its mass number					
	the	y sej	para	ted?				[NI	DA-I 2017]	is 12. How many neutrons are present in an atom of carbon?					
	(a)	By	filtr	atior	ı	(b)	By c	istill	atio	on	(2) 12 (c) 10					
	(c)	By	eva	pora	tion	(d)	By c	onde	ensa	ation	$\begin{array}{c} (a) & 12 \\ (b) & 6 \\ (b) & 6 \\ (c) & 10 \\ (c) & $					
132	. Ru	ther	ford'	s alp	ha-partio	cle sc	atteri	ng ex	pe	riment was	143 Which one of the following is not a chemical change?					
	res	pons	sible	for 1	the disco	very	of	[NI	DA-I 2017]	I 15: Which one of the following is not a chemical change. [NDA-L 2016]					
	(a)	Ele	ectro	n		(b)	Prot	on			(a) Ripening of fruits (c) Freezing of water					
	(c)	Nu	cleu	S		(d)	Heli	um			(b) Curdling of milk (d) Digestion of food					
133	. Wh	nich	one	of th	e follow	ing el	emen	s is ı	ise	d in pencil-	144. Matter around us can exist in three different states,					
	lead	d? 				(1)	Ŧ		NL	DA-1 2017]	namely, solid, liquid and gas. The correct order of their					
	(a)	Zir	1C	(C.		(D)	Lead	l			compressibility is [NDA-I 2016]					
124	(c)	Ca	rbon	(Gr	aphite)	(d)	11n		c		(a) Liquid < Gas < Solid					
134	. wh	nich	one	01 10	the follo	wing	elem	ents	IOP NT	ms highest	(b) Solid < Liquid < Gas					
	(a)			, N	Jounus?	(b)	Цvd	l	111	JA-1 2017	(c) Gas < Liquid < Solid					
	(a)	Ch	ygei Iorin	1		(0) (d)	Carl	on	1		(d) Solid < Gas < Liquid					
135	Mo	Jecu	iler iler	of u	which of	(u) the t	Cart	ing	had	, cana lika	145. Which one of the following oxides dissolves in					
155	stri	ictui	re?	01 V	villen of	the	101107	mg	nas	s cage like	water? [NDA-1 2016]					
	1	Dia	amoi	nd							(a) CuO (b) AI_2O_3					
	2.	Gra	aphi	te							(c) Fe_2O_3 (d) Na_2O_3					
	3.	Fu	llere	nes							not give a sooty flame?					
	Sel	ect t	he c	orre	ct answe	r usin	g the	code	giv	ven below:	(a) Benzene (b) Hexane					
	(a)	1. 2	2 and	13		(b)	2 an	d 3 o	nlv		(c) Naphthalene (d) Anthracene					
	(c)	2 0	nlv	-		(d)	3 on	ly			147. Which one of the following is water gas?					
136	. Wh	nich	one	e of	f the fo	ollow	ing e	leme	ents	s corrodes	(a) Mixture of carbon monoxide and hvdrogen					
-	rap	idly	?				5	[NI	DA-I 2017]	(b) Mixture of carbon monoxide and nitrogen					
	(a)	Alı	umin	ium		(b)	Iron			-	(c) Mixture of carbon dioxide and water vapour					
	(c)	Zir	nc			(d)	Silv	er			(d) Mixture of carbon monoxide and water vapour					

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- 148. Which one of the following is the chemical name for
baking soda?[NDA-I 2016]
 - (a) Sodium bicarbonate (Sodium hydrogen carbonate)
 - (b) Sodium carbonate
 - (c) Potassium bicarbonate (Potassium hydrogen carbonate)
 - (d) Potassium carbonate
- 149. Which one of the following oxides of nitrogen is known as anhydride of nitric acid? [NDA-I 2016]
 - (a) N_2O (b) N_2O_3
 - (c) NO_2 (d) N_2O_5
- 150. Which of the commonly used household item(s) release Bisphenol A(BPA) which is an endocrine disruptor and bad for human health? [NDA-I 2016]
 - 1. Steel utensils
 - 2. Plastic coffee mugs
 - 3. Aluminium utensils
 - 4. Plastic water strorage bottles

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 only (b) 1 and 2 only
- (c) 2 and 4 only (d) 1, 2 and 3 only
- 151. The phosphorus used in the manufacture of safety matches is [NDA-I 2016]
 - (a) Red phosphorus
 - (b) Blank phosphorus
 - (c) White phosphorus
 - (d) Scarlet phosphorus
- 152. The following item consist of two statements. Statement I and Statement II. Examine these two statements carefully and selet the answer to these items using the code given below.

Statement I: Petroleum is a mixture of many different hydrocarbons of different densities.

Statement II: The grade of petroleum depends mainly on the relative proportion of the different hydrocarbons.

- (a) Both the Statements are individually true and Statement II is the correct explanation of Statement I.
- (b) Both the Statements are individually true but Statement II is not the correct explanation of Statement I.
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true.
- 153. Which one of the following elements will not react with dilute HCl to produce H₂? [NDA-I 2016]

(a)	Hg	(b)).	Al

(c) Mg (d) Fe

154. Suppose you have four test tubes labelled as 'A', 'B', 'C' and 'D'. 'A' contains plain water, 'B' contains solution of an alkali, 'C' contains solution of an acid, and 'D' contains solution of sodium chloride. Which one of these solutions will turn phenolphthalein solution pink? [NDA-I 2016]

- (a) Solution 'A' (b) Solution 'B'
- (c) Solution 'C' (d) Solution 'D'

155. Which one of the following is a reduction reaction?

(a)
$$2Mg(s) + O_2(g) \rightarrow 2MgO(s)$$

(b)
$$S(s) + O_2(g) \rightarrow SO_2(g)$$

Heat

(c) 2 HgO(s)
$$\xrightarrow{\text{Heat}}$$
 2Hg (l) + O₂(g)

(d) $Mg(s) + S(s) \rightarrow MgS(s)$

156. Which one of the following statements is correct?

[NDA-II 2015]

- (a) Rutherford's alpha-particle scattering experiment led to the discovery of electron
- (b) J J Thomson suggested that the nucleus of an atom contains protons
- (c) The atomic number of an element is the same as the number of protons in the nucleus of its atom
- (d) The mass number of an atom is equal to the number of electrons in its shells
- 157. The symbol of the element 'Tungsten' is:

(a) Ta	(b) W
(c) Tl	(d) Tc

158. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the Lists: [NDA-II 2015]

	List I (Element)		List II (Use)						
А.	L	1.	Time keeper in atomic						
			clocks						
В.	Na	2.	Batteries						
C.	K	3.	Transfer	of	nerve				
			impulses						

D. Cs 4. Control of the water content in the blood

Codes:

A B C D	A B C D						
(a) 2 3 4 1	(b) 1 2 3 4						
(c) 2 4 3 1	(d) 1 3 2 4						

159. To weld metals together, high temperature is required. Such a high temperature is obtained by burning:

[NDA-II 2015]

- (a) Acetylene in oxygen
- (b) LPG in oxygen
- (c) Methane in oxygen
- (d) Acetylene in nitrogen
- 160. Which of the following statements regarding heavy water are correct? [NDA-II 2015]
 - 1. It is extensively used as a moderator in nuclear reactors

- 2. It cannot be used in exchange reaction to study reaction mechanism
- 3. Viscosity of heavy water is relatively smaller than that of ordinary water
- 4. The dielectric constant of heavy water is smaller than that of ordinary water

Select the correct answer using the code given below:

- (a) 1 and 2 (b) 2 and 3
- (c) 3 and 4 (d) 1 and 4
- 161. Ammonia (NH₃) obtained from different sources always has same proportion of Nitrogen and Hydrogen. It proves idide to the validity of law of:

[NDA-II 2015]

- (a) Reciprocal proportion
- (b) Constant proportion
- (c) Multiple proportion
- (d) None of the above
- 162. Consider the following reaction: [NDA-II 2015]

 $CH_4(g) + H_2O \xrightarrow{1270K} CO(g) + 3H_2(g)$

In the reaction given above, the mixture of CO and $\rm H_2$ is:

- (a) natural gas (b) water gas
- (c) producer gas (d) industrial gas
- 163. Graphite is inert to most of the chemicals and remains
intact in electrolytic cells.[NDA-II 2015]
 - (a) undergoes sp² hybridization and forms three sigma bonds with three neighbouring carbon atoms
 - (b) undergoes sp³ hybridization
 - (c) is tetrahedrally bonded
 - (d) is free from van der Waals force
- 164. The alkali metals have relatively low melting point. Which one of the following alkali metals is expected to have the highest melting point? [NDA-II 2015]
 - (a) Li (b) Na
 - (c) K (d) Rb
- 165. Which one of the following is useful in paper manufacturing industry? [NDA-II 2015]
 - (a) Fibrous plants
 - (b) Orchids
 - (c) Non-flowering plants
 - (d) Plants growing in high altitude
- 166. White Phosphorus glows in the dark due to:

[NDA-II 2015]

- (a) amorphous character
- (b) slow oxidation
- (c) high ignition temperature
- (d) good conducting property of electricity

- 167. The main constituent of Vinegar is: [NDA-II 2015]
 - (a) Acetic acid (b) Ascorbic acid
 - (c) Citric acid (d) Tartaric acid
- 168. Addition of gypsum to cement: [NDA-II 2015]
 - (a) reduces setting time to cement
 - (b) produces very light colour cement
 - (c) increases setting time of cement
 - (d) shining surface is formed
- 169. Boric acid is an acid because its molecule:

[NDA-II 2015]

- (a) accepts OH from water releasing proton
- (b) combines with proton from water molecule
- (c) contains replaceable H⁻ ion
- (d) gives up a proton
- 170. Why is Graphite used in electrolytic cells?

[NDA-I 2015]

- (a) Graphite is soft and can be easily moulded into electrodes
- (b) Graphite is made of layers of carbon atoms which can slide
- (c) Graphite is a good conductor of electricity
- (d) Graphite is a much better conductor of heat and electricity than diamond. This is due to the fact that each carbon atom in graphite:
- 171. In the reaction $ZnO + C \rightarrow Zn + CO$, 'C' acts as

- (a) an acid (b) a base
- (c) an oxidising agent (d) a reducing agent

DIRECTIONS (Qs. 172-173): The following 2 (Two) items consist of two statements, Statement I and Statement II. You are to examine these two statements carefully and select the answers to these items using the code given below:

- (a) Both the statements are individually true and Statement II is the correct explanation of Statement I.
- (b) Both the statements are individually true but Statement II is not the correct explanation of Statement I.
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is true but Statement II is true.
- 172. **Statement I:** Colour of nitrogen dioxide changes to colourless at low temperature.

Statement II: At low temperature Nitrogen tetroxide (N_2O_4) is formed which is colourless. **[NDA-I 2015]**

173. **Statement I:** Oxygen gas is easily produced at a faster rate by heating a mixture of potassium chlorate and manganese dioxide than heating potassium chlorate alone.

Statement II: Manganese dioxide acts as a negative catalyst. [NDA-I 2015]

[[]NDA-I 2015]

174. Permanent hardness of water is due to the presence of [NDA-I 2015]

- (a) sulphates of sodium and potassium
- (b) sulphates of magnesium and calcium
- (c) carbonates of sodium and magnesium
- (d) bicarbonates of magnesium and calcium
- 175. Washing Soda is the comon name for [NDA-I 2015]
 - (a) Calcium Carbonate (b) Magnesium Carbonate
 - (c) Sodium Carbonate (d) Potassium Carbonate
- 176. The chemical used as a fixer/developer in photography is [NDA-I 2015]
 - (a) Sodium sulphate (b) Sodium sulphide
 - (c) Sodium thiosulphate (d) Sodium sulphite
- 177. Which one among the following is used in making gunpowder? [NDA-I 2015]
 - (a) Magnesium sulphate
 - (b) Potassium nitrate
 - (c) Sodium stearate
 - (d) Calcium sulphate
- 178. Statement I: The granules of modern gunpowder (also called black powder) are typically coated with Graphite. Statement II: Graphite prevents the build-up of electrostatic charge. [NDA-I 2015]
 - (a) Both the statements are individually true and Statement II is the correct explanation of Statement I.
 - (b) Both the statements are individually true but Statement II is not the correct explanation of Statement I.
 - (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
 - (d) Statement I is true but Statement II is true.
- 179. The cleaning action of soap and detergent in water is due to the formation of [NDA-I 2015]
 - (a) Micelle (b) Salt
 - (d) Acid (c) Base
- 180. Match List I with List II and select the correct answer using the code given below the Lists: [NDA-I 2015]

	List I		List II
	(Compound)		(Nature)
A.	Sodium hydroxide	1.	Strong acid
В.	Calcium oxide	2.	Alkali
C.	Acetic acid	3.	Weak acid
D.	Hydrochloric acid	4.	Base
Co	des:		
	A B C D		A B C D
(a)	2 4 3 1	(b)	2 4 1 3
(c)	1 4 3 2	(d)	1 3 4 2
181. If t	he reaction of 1.0 mol	NH	$I_3(g)$ and 1.0 mol $O_2(g)$
4N]	$H_3(g) + 5O_2(g) \rightarrow 4N$	O(g	$\tilde{J} + H_2O(l)$ is carried to

completion, then

- (a) all the $O_2(g)$ is consumed (b) 4.0 mol NO(g) is produced
- (c) $1.5 \mod H_2O(l)$ is produced
- (d) all the $NH_3(g)$ is consumed
- 182. Which one among the following contains the most neutrons? [NDA-II 2014]
 - (a) ${}^{59}_{26}$ Fe (b) $^{61}_{29}$ Cu
 - (d) ${}^{60}_{30}$ Zn²⁺ (c) $\frac{61}{30}$ Zn
- 183. A compound X₂O₃ contains 31.58% oxygen by weight. The atomic mass of X is [NDA-II 2014]
 - (a) 34.66 g mol^{-1} (b) 45.01 g mol^{-1}
 - (d) 104.00 g mol⁻¹ (c) 52.00 g mol^{-1}
- 184. A sample of carbon dioxide that undergoes a transformation from solid to liquid and then to gas would [NDA-II 2014] undergo
 - (a) a change in mass
 - (b) a change in density
 - (c) a change in composition
 - (d) no change in physical properties
- 185. A monatomic species that has 18 electrons and a net charge of 2 has [NDA-II 2014]
 - (a) the same number of electrons as a neutral argon atom
 - (b) more protons than electrons
 - (c) 2 unpaired electrons
 - (d) 20 protons
- 186. How many grams of MgCO, contain 24.00 g of oxygen? (The molar mass of MgCO, is 84.30 g mol⁻¹)

[NDA-II 2014]

- (a) 42.15 g (b) 84.30 g
- (c) 126.00 g (d) 154.00 g
- 187. Consider the following reaction: [NDA-II 2014]

 $xAs_2S_3 + yO_2 \rightarrow zAs_2O_3 + wSO_2$

What is y (the coefficient for O_2) when this equation is balanced using whole number coefficients?

- (a) 5 (b) 7
- (c) 9 (d) 11
- 188. The very high heat of vaporization of water is mainly a result of [NDA-II 2014]
 - (a) van der Waals forces
 - (b) covalent bonds
 - (c) interionic attraction
 - (d) hydrogen bonding
- 189. Turpentine oil in paints is used as a [NDA-II 2014]
 - (a) pigment (b) film-forming material
 - (c) thinner (d) drier

[NDA-I 2015]

- 190. A sample of gas is to be identified by means of its behaviour in the presence of a glowing splint. Which of the following gases will neither itself burn nor cause the splint to burn? [NDA-II 2014]
 - (a) Oxygen (b) Nitrogen
 - (c) Hydrogen (d) Methane
- 191. Which one of the following substances is most likely
to be used as soap?[NDA-II 2014]
 - (a) $CH_3(CH_2)_2COOCH_3$
 - (b) CH₃(CH₂)₅O(CH₂)₅CH₃
 - (c) CH₃(CH₂)₁₂COONa
 - (d) $CH_3(CH_2)_{12}CHCl_2$
- 192. Which of the following element combinations will form ionic compounds? [NDA-II 2014]
 - 1. Ca (Z = 20) and Ti (Z = 22)
 - 2. Si (Z = 14) and Br (Z = 35)
 - 3. Mg (Z = 12) and C1 (Z = 17)

Select the correct answer using the code given below.

- (a) 2 only (b) 3 only
- (c) 2 and 3 only (d) 1, 2 and 3
- 193. The burning sensation of bee sting can be stopped by rubbing the affected area with soap. This is because
 - [NDA-II 2014]
 - (a) a bee sting is acidic and soap, an alkali, neutralizes it
 - (b) a bee sting is alkaline and soap, an acid, neutralizes it
 - (c) soap cleans the affected area and removes the sting
 - (d) soap acts as an anesthetic and dulls the sensation
- 194. What is the oxidizing agent in the following equation?
 - $\begin{array}{l} \text{HASO}_2(\text{aq}) + \text{Sn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) + \text{H}^+(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{As}(\text{s}) + \text{Sn}^{4+}(\text{aq}) \\ + \text{H}_2\text{O}(l) & [\text{NDA-II 2014}] \\ \text{(a) } \text{HASO}_2(\text{aq}) & \text{(b) } \text{Sn}^{2+}(\text{aq}) \end{array}$
 - (c) $H^+(aq)$ (d) $Sn^{4+}(aq)$
- 195. The mass number of an atom is determined by

[NDA-I 2014]

- (a) adding the number of neutrons and number of electrons
- (b) adding the number of protons and number of biphoria electrons
- (c) the number of protons only
- (d) adding the number of neutrons and number of electrons
- 196. The pressure of an ideal gas undergoing isothermal change is increased by 10%. The volume of the gas must decrease by about [NDA-I 2014]
 - (a) 0.1% (b) 9%
 - (c) 10% (d) 0.9%

197. The most of the mass of the atom can be found in

[NDA-I 2014]

- (a) electrons (b) charges
- (c) nucleus (d) electron
- 198. Which of the following statements about hydrogen is are correct?

 [NDA-I 2014]
 - 1. Hydrogen has three isotopes of which protium is the most common.
 - 2. Hydrogen ion (H⁺) exists freely in solution.
 - 3. Dihydrogen, H₂, acts as a reducing agent. Select the correct answer using the code given below.
 - (a) 1, 2 and 3 (b) 1 only
 - (c) 1 and 3 only (d) 3 only

199. Which of the following pairs represents isoelectric ions? [NDA-I 2014]

- (a) Na^+, K^+ (b) K^+, Mg^{2+}
- (c) Mg^{2+} , Ca^{2+} (d) Ca^{2+} , S^{2-}
- 200. Which one of the following is the correct electronic configuration of children? [NDA-I 2014]
 - (a) 2,7,8 (b) 2,8,7 (c) 2,8,7
 - (c) 2,8,8 (d) 7,8,2
- 201. The number of valence electrons in the O^{2-} ion is

[NDA-I 2014]

- (a) 4 (b) 6 (c) 8 (d) 10
- 202. Which of the following statements is correct?

[NDA-I 2014]

- (a) Fullerenes have only six-membered carbon rings
- (b) Fullerenes are cage-like molecules
- (c) Diamond is thermodynamically the most stable allotrope of carbon
- (d) Graphite is slippery and hard, and is therefore used as a dry lubricant in machines
- 203. The most stable form of carbon is [NDA-I 2014]
 - (a) diamond (b) graphite
 - (c) fullerene (d) coal
- 204. Which of the following is correct regarding the reaction of fluorine with water? [NDA-I 2014]

 $2\mathrm{F}_{2}\left(g\right)+2\mathrm{H}_{2}\mathrm{O}\left(l\right)\rightarrow4\mathrm{H}^{+}\left(aq\right)+4\mathrm{F}^{-}\left(aq\right)+\mathrm{O}_{2}\left(g\right)$

- (a) Fluorine is oxidized to F⁻
- (b) Water is oxidized to O_2
- (c) Water is reduced to H^+
- (d) Oxidation state of fluorine does not change
- 205. The number of aluminium ions present in 54g of aluminium (atomic weight 27) is [NDA-I 2014]
 - (a) 2 (b) 18
 - (c) 1.1×10^{24} (d) 1.2×10^{24}

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- 206. A fertilizer contains 20% nitrogen by mass. To provide a fruit tree with an equivalent of 1 kg of nitrogen, the quantity of fertilizer required is [NDA-I 2014]
 - (a) 20 kg (b) 0.20 kg
 - (c) 0.05 kg (d) 5 kg
- 207. Which of the following acids is a mineral acid?
 - [NDA-I 2014]
 - (a) Citric acid (b) Hydrochloric acid
 - (c) Ascorbic acid (d) Tartaric acid
- 208. The temperature of water at the bottom of a lake whose upper surface has frozen to ice would be around

[NDA-I 2014]

(a) – 10°C	(b) 0°C
(c) 4°C	$(d) - 4^{\circ}C$

209. Dihydrogen can be prepared on a commercial scale by the action of steam on hydrocarbons, when a mixture of CO and H₂ gas is formed. It is known as

[NDA-I 2014]

- (a) water gas
- (b) producer gas
- (c) industrial gas
- (d) fuel gas
- 210. Note the following balanced chemical equation:

[NDA-I 2014]

$2CO + O_2 = 2CO_2$

Which one of the following statements is significant in relation to the above chemical equation?

- (a) One can add to a vessel only 2 mol of CO for each mol of O₂ added
- (b) No matter how much of these two reagents are added to a vessel, 1 mol of O_2 is consumed
- (c) When they react, CO reacts with O_2 in a 2:1 mol ratio
- (d) When 2 mol of CO and 1 mol of O₂ are placed in a vessel, they will react to give 1 mol of CO_2

211. Which of the following is/are amphoteric?

- (a) $Al(OH)_3$ (s) and $Fe(OH)_3$ (s)
- (b) $Al(OH)_3$ (s) and HCO_3^- (aq)
- (c) $Ba(OH)_2$ (s) and NaOH (aq)
- (d) Al(OH)₃ (s) only [NDA-I 2014]
- 212. A mixture of sodium chloride and naphthalene can be [NDA-II 2013] separated by
 - (a) extraction with hot water
 - (b) extraction with cold water
 - (c) sublimation
 - (d) steam distillation
- 213. Biogas consists of mainly [NDA-II 2013]
 - (a) Methane (b) Ethane
 - (d) Carbon dioxide (c) Butane

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214. Two reactants in a flask produce bubbles gas; it turns lime water into milky. The reactants in the flask are

[NDA-II 2013]

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- (a) Zinc and hydrochloric acid
- (b) Magnesium carbonate and hydrochloric acid.
- (c) Magnesium nitrate and hydrochloric acid.
- (d) Magnesium sulphate and hydrochloric acid.
- 215. Metalloids are
 - (a) alloys of alkali metals with other metals.
 - (b) colloids of metals.
 - (c) elements having some properties of both metals and non-metals.
 - (d) metals heavier than lead.
- 216. A gas is evolved when a piece of zinc metal placed in dilute sulphuric acid (H_2SO_4) . What is the gas?

[NDA-II 2013]

- (a) Hydrogen (b) Oxygen
- (c) Water vapour (d) Sulphur dioxide
- 217. Oxygen on reaction with non-metals forms oxides, which are [NDA-II 2013]
 - (a) basic oxides
 - (b) acidic oxides
 - (c) amphoteric oxides
 - (d) neutral oxides
- 218. Chromium oxide is used as an ingredient in paints to obtain [NDA-II 2013]
 - (a) green colour (b) blue colour
 - (c) red colour (d) violet colour
- 219. Calcium ammonium nitrate (CAN) is a popular nitrogen fertilizer because it is [NDA-II 2013]
 - (a) slow supplier of nitrogen.
 - (b) having more percentage of nitrogen in it.
 - (c) fixing the nitrogen in the soil.
 - (d) capable of making the soil acidic.
- 220. The presence of sulphur in gunpowder. [NDA-II 2013]
 - (a) decreases the ignition temperature.
 - (b) increases the final temperature.
 - (c) increases explosiveness of the gunpowder.
 - (d) makes the powder smokeless.
- 221. Statement I: Glass is not considered as a true compound.

Statement II: Glass does not have a definite melting point. [NDA-II 2013]

- (a) Both the statements are individually true and Statement II is the correct explanation of Statement I
- (b) Both the statements are individually true but Statement II is not correct explanation of Statement I
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true.

222. Turmeric (Haldi) rapidly becomes colourless on addition of [NDA-II 2013]

(a)	Baking soda	(b)	Vinegar
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- (c) Lemon juice (d) Alcohol
- 223. The pH of the solution obtained by dissolving pure sodium chloride in water is [NDA-II 2013]
 - (a) acidic(b) basic
 - (c) neutral
 - (d) dependent on the amount of sodium chloride dissolved in water con addition

DIRECTIONS (Qs. 224-225): The following 02 (Two) items consist of two statements, statement I and statement II. You are to examine these two statements carefully and select the answers to these items using the code given below:

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- (a) Both the statements are individually true and Statement II is the correct explanation of Statement I.
- (b) Both the statements are individually true but Statement II is not correct explanation of Statement I.
- (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false.
- (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true.
- 224. **Statement I:** Very little hydrogen is produced when sulphuric acid is added to calcium.

Statement II: The salt that is produced, calcium sulphate, is insoluble. [NDA-I 2013]

- 225. The acid contained in vinegar is [NDA-I 2013] (a) acetic acid (b) ascorbic acid (c) citric acid (d) tartaric acid 226. The pure form of carbon is [NDA-I 2013] (a) diamond (b) graphite (c) charcoal (d) fullerene 227. Statement I: Hard water does not give lather with soap. Statement II: Calcium and magnesium salts present in hard water form precipitate with soap. [NDA-I 2013] 228. The acid in gastric juice is [NDA-I 2013] (a) acetic acid (b) nitric acid (c) hydrochloric acid (d) sulphuric acid 229. Sodium stearate is a salt and is used [NDA-I 2013] (a) in gunpowder (b) in paint (c) to make soap (d) to make fertilizer 230. The principle of cleaning by soap is [NDA-I 2013] (a) surface tension (b) floatation (c) viscosity (d) elasticity 231. Which one among the following is a chemical change? [NDA-I 2013] (a) Curdling of milk (b) Evaporation of water (c) Ripening of fruit (d) Burning of coal 232. The phenomenon of radioactivity was discovered by [NDA-I 2013] (b) Pierre Curie (a) Marie Curie
 - (c) Henri Becquerel (d) J.J. Thomson

ANSWERS																			
1.	(c)	2.	(a)	3.	(a)	4.	(c)	5.	(c)	6.	(a)	7.	(a)	8.	(b)	9.	(a)	10.	(d)
11.	(c)	12.	(b)	13.	(c)	14.	(b)	15.	(b)	16.	(a)	17.	(d)	18.	(a)	19.	(d)	20.	(c)
21.	(c)	22.	(a)	23.	(d)	24.	(a)	25.	(c)	26.	(a)	27.	(d)	28.	(d)	29.	(c)	30.	(c)
31.	(c)	32.	(c)	33.	(d)	34.	(d)	35.	(a)	36.	(b)	37.	(a)	38.	(b)	39.	(c)	40.	(b)
41.	(c)	42.	(b)	43.	(a)	44.	(b)	45.	(b)	46.	(a)	47.	(a)	48.	(d)	49.	(c)	50.	(a)
51.	(b)	52.	(a)	53.	(b)	54.	(c)	55.	(c)	56.	(b)	57.	(a)	58.	(a)	59.	(d)	60.	(b)
61.	(b)	62.	(a)	63.	(d)	64.	(a)	65.	(b)	66.	(a)	67.	(c)	68.	(a)	69.	(d)	70.	(a)
71.	(c)	72.	(d)	73.	(b)	74.	(c)	75.	(c)	76.	(b)	77.	(a)	78.	(a)	79.	(b)	80.	(a)
81.	(a)	82.	(c)	83.	(b)	84.	(a)	85.	(a)	86.	(c)	87.	(d)	88.	(c)	89.	(b)	90.	(c)
91.	(b)	92.	(a)	93.	(a)	94.	(d)	95.	(b)	96.	(c)	97.	(b)	98.	(d)	99.	(c)	100.	(d)
101.	(d)	102.	(c)	103.	(b)	104.	(d)	105.	(d)	106.	(b)	107.	(c)	108.	(b)	109.	(c)	110.	(d)
111.	(c)	112.	(a)	113.	(b)	114.	(c)	115.	(a)	116.	(b)	117.	(a)	118.	(a)	119.	(a)	120.	(b)
121.	(c)	122.	(c)	123.	(a)	124.	(a)	125.	(d)	126.	(a)	127.	(c)	128.	(c)	129.	(a)	130.	(b)
231.	(c)	132.	(d)																