

JEE-MAIN – JUNE, 2022

(Held On Tuesday 27th June, 2022)

TIME: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Chemistry

Test Pattern: JEE-MAIN Maximum Marks: 120

Topic Covered: FULL SYLLABUS

Important instruction:

- 1. Use Blue / Black Ball point pen only.
- 2. There are three sections of equal weightage in the question paper **Physics, Chemistry** and **Mathematics** having 30 questions in each subject. Each paper have 2 sections A and B.
- 3. You are awarded +4 marks for each correct answer and -1 marks for each incorrect answer.
- 4. Use of calculator and other electronic devices is not allowed during the exam.
- 5. No extra sheets will be provided for any kind of work.

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FINAL JEE-MAIN EXAMINATION - JUNE, 2022

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CHEMISTRY

SECTION-A

- Given below are two statements: one is labelled as
 Assertion (A) and the other is labelled as Reason
 (R)
 - **Assertion (A):** At 10°C, the density of a 5M solution of KCl [atomic masses of K and Cl are 39 & 35.5 g mol⁻¹]. The solution is cooled to -21°C. The molality of the solution will remain unchanged.

Reason (R): The molality of a solution does not change with temperature as mass remains unaffected with temperature.

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)
- (B) Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A)
- (C) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (D) (A) is false but (R) is true

Official Ans. by NTA (A)

Allen Ans. (A)

- **Sol.** Molality is independent of temperature and hence both assertion and reason are true.
- 2. Based upon VSEPR theory, match the shape (geometry) of the molecules in List-I with the molecules in List-II and select the most appropriate option

| List-I | List-II | |
|---|------------------------|--|
| (Shape) | (Molecules) | |
| (A) T-shaped | (I) XeF ₄ | |
| (B) Trigonal planar | (II) SF ₄ | |
| (C) Square planar | (III) ClF ₃ | |
| (D) See-saw | (IV) BF ₃ | |
| (A) (A) - I, (B) - (II), (C) - (III), (D) - (IV) | | |
| (B)(A) - (III), (B) - (IV), (C) - (I), (D) - (II) | | |

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$$(C)(A) - (III), (B) - (IV), (C) - (II), (D) - (I)$$

$$(D)(A) - (IV), (B) - (III), (C) - (I), (D) - (II)$$

Official Ans. by NTA (B)

Allen Ans. (B)

Sol.

3. Match List-II with List-II

| | List-I | List-II |
|-----|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| (A) | Spontaneous process | (I) $\Delta H < 0$ |
| (B) | Process with $\Delta P = 0$, | (II) $\Delta G_{T,P} < 0$ |
| | $\Delta T = 0$ | |
| (C) | $\Delta H_{reaction}$ | (III) Isothermal and |
| | | isobaric process |
| (D) | Exothermic process | (IV) [Bond energies of |
| | | molecules in reactants] - |
| | | [Bond energies of |
| | | product molecules |

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

(A)
$$(A) - (III), (B) - (II), (C) - (IV), (D) - (I)$$

(B)
$$(A) - (II), (B) - (III), (C) - (IV), (D) - (I)$$

$$(C)(A) - (II), (B) - (III), (C) - (I), (D) - (IV)$$

$$(D) (A) - (II), (B) - (I), (C) - (III), (D) - (IV)$$

Official Ans. by NTA (B)

Allen Ans. (B)

- **Sol.** (A) For a spontaneous process $\Delta G_{T,P} < 0$
 - (B) $\Delta P = 0 \rightarrow \text{Isobaric process}$

 $\Delta T = 0 \rightarrow Isothermal process$

(C) $\Delta H_{\text{reaction}} = (\Sigma \text{ Bond energies of reactants})$ -

(Σ bond energies of products)

(D) $\Delta H < 0$ is for exothermic reaction

4. Match List-I with List-II

List-I

List-II

- (A) Lyophilic colloid
- (I) Liquid-liquid colloid
- (B) Emulsion
- (II) protective colloid
- (C) Positively charged
- (III) FeCl₃ + NaOH
- (D) Negatively charged (IV) FeCl₃ + hot water

colloid

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) (A) (II), (B) (I), (C) (IV), (D) (III)
- (B) (A) (III), (B) (I), (C) (IV), (D) (II)
- (C)(A) (II), (B) (I), (C) (III), (D) (IV)
- (D) (A) (III), (B) (II), (C) (I), (D) (IV)

Official Ans. by NTA (A)

Allen Ans. (A)

- **Sol.** (A) Protective colloids are lyophilic colloids
 - (B) Emulsions are liquid in liquid colloidal solutions
 - (C) FeCl₃ + hot water forms positively charged colloidal solution of hydrated ferric oxide.
 - (D) FeCl₃ + NaOH forms negatively charged colloidal solution due to preferential adsorption of OH- ions
- Given below are two statements: one is labelled as Assertion (A) and the other is labelled as Reason(R)

Assertion (A): The ionic radii of O²⁻ and Mg²⁺ are

Reason (R): Both O²⁻ and Mg²⁺ are isoelectronic species

In the light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (A) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)
- (B) Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A)
- (C) (A) is true but (R) is false
- (D) (A) is false but (R) is true

Official Ans. by NTA (D)

Allen Ans. (D)

- Ionic radius of O²- is more than that of Mg² Sol. Both O²⁻ and Mg²⁺ are isoelectronic with 10 electrons
- Match List-I with List-II 6.

List-I

List-II

- (A) Concentration of
- (I) Aniline

gold ore

- (B) Leaching of alumina (II) NaOH
- (C) Froth stabiliser
- (III) SO₂
- (D) Blister copper
- (IV) NaCN

Choose the correct answer from the options given below.

- (A) (A) (IV), (B) (III), (C) (II), (D) (I)
- (B) (A) (IV), (B) (II), (C) (I), (D) (III)
- (C) (A) (III), (B) (II), (C) (I), (D) (IV)
- (D)(A) (II), (B) (IV), (C) (III), (D) (I)

Official Ans. by NTA (B)

Allen Ans. (B)

Sol. Gold is concentrated by cyanidation

Leaching of alumina is done by NaOH

Froth stabiliser is aniline

Blister copper has condensed SO₂ on the surface

- 7. Addition of H₂SO₄ to BaO₂ produces:
 - (A) BaO, SO₂ and H₂O (B)BaHSO₄ and O₂
 - (C) BaSO₄, H₂ and O₂ (D) BaSO₄ and H₂O₂

Official Ans. by NTA (D)

Allen Ans. (D)

Sol. $BaO_2 + H_2SO_4 \rightarrow BaSO_4 + H_2O_2$

This is a common method to prepare hydrogen peroxide

- BeCl₂ reacts with LiAlH₄ to give 8.
 - (A) Be $+ \text{Li}[AlCl_4] + H_2$
 - (B) Be + AlH₃ + LiCl + HCl
 - (C) $BeH_2 + LiCl + AlCl_3$
 - (D) $BeH_2 + Li[AlCl_4]$

Official Ans. by NTA (C)

Allen Ans. (C)

Sol. $2\text{BeCl}_2 + \text{LiAlH}_4 \rightarrow 2\text{ BeH}_2 + \text{LiCl} + \text{AlCl}_3$

This is the method to prepare BeH₂

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9. Match List-I with List-II

List-II List-II

(Si-Compounds) (Si-Polymeric/other products)

- (A) (CH₃)₄Si (I) Chain silicone
- (B) (CH₃)Si(OH)₃ (II) Dimeric silicone
- (C) $(CH_3)_2Si(OH)_2$ (III) Silane
- (D) $(CH_3)_3Si(OH)$ (IV) 2D Silicone

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (A) (A) (III), (B) (II), (C) (I), (D) (IV)
- (B) (A) (IV), (B) (I), (C) (II), (D) (III)
- (C)(A) (II), (B) (I), (C) (IV), (D) (III)
- (D) (A) (III), (B) (IV), (C) (I), (D) (II)

Official Ans. by NTA (D)

Allen Ans. (D)

- **Sol.** $(CH_3)_4Si$ is a silane
 - (CH₃)Si(OH)₃ polymerise to form 2D silicone (CH₃)₂Si(OH)₂ polymerise to form chain silicone
 - (CH₃)₃Si(OH) form dimer (CH₃)₃Si-O-Si(CH₃)₃
- **10.** Heating white phosphorus with conc. NaOH solution gives mainly
 - (A) Na₃P and H₂O
- (B) H₃PO and NaH
- (C) P(OH)₃ and NaH₂PO₄ (D) PH₃ and NaH₂PO₂

Official Ans. by NTA (D)

Allen Ans. (D)

Sol.
$$P_4 + 3NaOH + 3H_2O \rightarrow 3NaH_2PO_2 + PH_3$$

- 11. Which of the following will have maximum stabilization due to crystal field?
 - (A) $[Ti(H_2O)_6]^{3+}$
- (B) $[Co(H_2O)_6]^{2+}$
- (C) $[Co(CN)_6]^{3-}$
- (D) $[Cu(NH_3)_4]^{2+}$

Official Ans. by NTA (C)

Allen Ans. (C)

- **Sol.** Co³⁺ has maximum effective nuclear charge and CN⁻ is the strongest ligand in the given options
- **12.** Given below are two statements:

Statement I: Classical smog occurs in cool humid climate. It is a reducing mixture of smoke, fog and sulphur dioxide

Statement II: Photochemical smog has components, ozone, nitric oxide, acrolein, formaldehyde, PAN etc. In the light of above statements, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options give below

- (A) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct
- (B) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect
- (C) Statement I is correct but statement II is incorrect
- (D) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct

Official Ans. by NTA (A)

Allen Ans. (A)

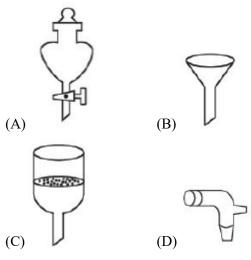
Sol. Classical smog occurs in cool humid climate. It is a reducing mixture of smoke, fog and sulphur dioxide

Photochemical smog has components, ozone, nitric oxide, acrolein, formaldehyde, PAN etc.

$$CH_4 + O_3 \rightarrow HCHO + H_2O + CH_2 = CH - CHO +$$

$$H_3C \longrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} O \\ O - ONO_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (PAN - peroxyacetyl nitrate)

13. Which of the following is structure of a separating funnel?



Official Ans. by NTA (A)

Allen Ans. (A)

Sol. It is used to separate liquid-liquid mixture which is immiscible with different densities



14. 'A' and 'B' respectively are:

$$A \xrightarrow{\text{(1)O}_3} \text{Ethane-1,2-dicarbaldehyde}$$

+ Glyoxal/Oxaldehyde

$$\mathbf{B} \xrightarrow{\text{(1)O}_3} 5$$
-oxohexanal

- (A) 1-methylcyclohex-1, 3-diene & cyclopentene
- (B) Cyclohex-1, 3-diene & cyclopentene
- (C) 1-methylcyclohex-1,4-diene

& 1-methylcyclopent-1-ene

(D) Cyclohex-1,3-diene

& 1-methylcyclopent-1-ene

Official Ans. by NTA (D)

Allen Ans. (D)

Sol.

ethane-1, 2-dicarbaldehyde

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ & \xrightarrow{\text{1.0}_3} \\ \text{2.} \text{Zn-H}_2\text{O} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \text{CHO} \end{array}$$

5-oxohexanal

15. The major product of the following reaction is:

SPh
SPh
NO₂
NO₂
NO₂

Official Ans. by NTA (A) Allen Ans. (A)

Sol.

$$H_3C$$
 H_3C
 H_3C
 SPh
 $PhSNa$
 DMF
 NO_2

It is bimolecular nucleophilic substitution (SN²) which occur at benzylic carbon by inversion in contiguration. This reaction cannot undergo substitution at benzene ring

16. Which of the following reactions will yield benzaldehyde as a product?

COOH

(a)
$$SOCl_2$$
 Quinoline
(b) CH_2OH

(b) CH_2OH

(c) CH_2OH

(d) CH_2SO_4

(e) CH_2SO_4

(e) CH_3

(f) CH_3

(f) CH_3

(g) CH_3

(h) CH_3

(C) (A) and (D)

 NO_2

(D) (A) and (C)

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Official Ans. by NTA (C) Allen Ans. (C)

Sol.

$$\stackrel{\mathsf{COOCH}_3}{\longrightarrow}$$
 No Reduction occurs

17. Given below are two statements:

Statements-I: In Hofmann degradation reaction, the migration of only an alkyl group takes place from carbonyl carbon of the amide to the nitrogen atom.

Statement-II: The group is migrated in Hofmann degradation reaction to electron deficient atom.

In the light of the above statement, choose the **most appropriate** answer from the options given below:

- (A)Both Statement-I and Statement-II are correct
- (B) Both **Statement-I** and **Statement-II** are incorrect
- (C) Statement-I is correct but Statement-II is incorrect
- (D) Statement-I is incorrect but Statement-II is correct

Official Ans. by NTA (D)

Allen Ans. (D)

Sol.
$$R - CO - NH_2 + Br_2 + NaOH \rightarrow$$

$$R - NH_2 + Na_2CO_3 + NaBr + H_2O$$

$$R - CO - NH_2 + OH \rightarrow R - CO - NH \xrightarrow{Bi_2}$$

$$R - CO - NH - Br \xrightarrow{OH^-} R - CO - N - Br$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{migration of R}} R - NCO \xrightarrow{2OH} RNH_2 + CO_3^{2-}$$

In this reaction of alkyl as well as aryl group can migrate to electron deficient nitrogen atom.

18. Match List-I with List-II

List-I List-II (Polymer) (Used in)

(A) Bakelite (I) Radio and television

Cabinets

(B) Glyptal (II) Electrical switches

(C) PVC (III) Paints and Lacquers

(D) Polystyrene (IV) Water pipes

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

$$(A) (A) - (II), (B) - (III), (C) - (IV), (D) - (I)$$

$$(B) (A) - (I), (B) - (II), (C) - (III), (D) - (IV)$$

$$(C)(A) - (IV), (B) - (III), (C) - (II), (D) - (I)$$

$$(D) (A) - (II), (B) - (III), (C) - (I), (D) - (IV)$$

Official Ans. by NTA (A)

Allen Ans. (A)

Sol. Bakelite- It is thermosetting polymer used for making electrical switches.

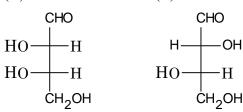
Glyptal - manufacture of paints and lacquers

PVC – manufacture of water pipes, rain coats, hand bags

Polystyrene – manufacture of radio and television cabinets

19. L-isomer of a compound 'A' (C₄H₈O₄) gives a positive test with [Ag(NH₃)₂]⁺. Treatment of 'A' with acetic anhydride yield triacetate derivative. Compound 'A' produces an optically active compound (B) and an optically inactive compound (C) on treatment with bromine water and HNO₃ respectively, compound (A) is:





Official Ans. by NTA (A)

Allen Ans. (A)

Sol.

L-isomer

20. Match List-I with List-II

List-I

(A)

$$(B)$$
 $CH_3 - (CH_2)_{11}$ O $SO_3^-Na^+$

- (C) $C_{17}H_{35}COO^-Na^+ + Na_2CO_3 + Rosinate$
- (D) CH₃(CH₂)₁₆COO(CH₂CH₂O)_nCH₂CH₂OH

List-II

- (I) Dishwashing powder
- (II) Toothpaste
- (III) Laundry soap
- (IV) Hair conditioner

$$(A) (A) - (III), (B) - (II), (C) - (IV), (D) - (I)$$

$$(B) (A) - (IV), (B) - (II), (C) - (III), (D) - (I)$$

$$(C)(A) - (IV), (B) - (III), (C) - (II), (D) - (I)$$

$$(D)(A) - (III), (B) - (IV), (C) - (I), (D) - (II)$$

Official Ans. by NTA (B)

Allen Ans. (B)

Sol. (A)
$$\left[\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_{15} - \text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_3 \right]^+ \text{Br}^-$$

is cationic detergents used in hair conditioner

$$CH_3(CH_2)_{11}$$
 $SO_3^ Na$

(B)

Is anionic detergent used in tooth pastes

- (C) $C_{17}H_{35}COO^-Na^+ + Na_2CO_3 + Rosin ate is$ used as laundary soap
- (D) CH₃(CH₂)₁₆COO(CH₂CH₂O)_NCH₂CH₂OH is non-ionic detergents formed from stearic acid and poly ethylene glycol used as liquid dishwashing detergents

SECTION-B

1. Metal deficiency defect is shown by $Fe_{0.93}O$. In the crystal, some Fe^{2+} cations are missing and loss of positive charge is compensated by the presence of Fe^{3+} ions. The percentage of Fe^{2+} ions in the $Fe_{0.93}O$ crystals is ______ . (Nearest integer)

Official Ans. by NTA (85)

Allen Ans. (85)

Sol. In Fe_{0.93}O for every 93 Fe ions 14 are Fe⁺³ and (93 -14) = 79 are Fe⁺² ions

∴ %
$$Fe^{+2} = \frac{79}{93} \times 100 = 84.9\%$$

∴ nearest integer = 85%

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2. If the uncertainty in velocity and position of a minute particle in space are, 2.4×10^{-26} (ms⁻¹) and 10^{-7} (m) respectively. The mass of the particle in g is (Nearest integer)

(Given: $h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$)

Official Ans. by NTA (22)

Allen Ans. (22)

Sol.
$$\Delta V = 2.4 \times 10^{-26} \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta x = 10^{-7} \text{ m}$$

$$\therefore \Delta p. \Delta x = \frac{h}{4\pi}$$

$$\therefore m\Delta V.\Delta x = \frac{h}{4\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow m \times 2.4 \times 10^{-26} \times 10^{-7} = \frac{6.626 \times 10^{-34}}{4 \times \pi}$$

$$m = \frac{6.626}{9.6 \times \pi} \times 10^{-1}$$

$$m = 0.02198 \text{ kg}$$

$$m = 21.98 \text{ gm}$$

nearest integer = 22

2g of a non-volatile non-electrolyte solute is dissolved in 200 g of two different solvents A and B whose ebullioscopic constants are in the ratio of 1:8. The elevation in boiling points of A and B are in the ratio \$\frac{x}{y}\$ (x : y). The value of y is ______ (Nearest integer)

Official Ans. by NTA (8)

Allen Ans. (8)

Sol. Given:
$$\frac{(K_b)_A}{(K_b)_B} = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\therefore \frac{(\Delta T_B)_A}{(\Delta T_B)_B} = \frac{(K_b)_A \cdot m}{(K_b)_B \cdot m} = \frac{1}{8} = \frac{x}{y}$$

$$\therefore \frac{x}{y} = \frac{1}{8}$$

 \therefore y = 8 (nearest integer)

4. $2NOCl(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NO(g) + Cl_2(g)$

In an experiment, 2.0 moles of NOCl was placed in a one-litre flask and the concentration of NO after equilibrium established, was found to be 0.4 mol/L. The equilibrium constant at 30° C is $_$ × 10^{-4} .

Official Ans. by NTA (125)

Allen Ans. (125)

Sol.
$$2NOCl(g) \rightleftharpoons 2NO(g) + Cl_2(g)$$

$$t=0$$
 2M

$$t=t_{eq} (2-x)M$$
 $x M$ $\frac{x}{2} M$

$$x = 0.4 \,\mathrm{M}$$

$$\therefore$$
 [NOC1]_{eq} = 1.6 M

$$[NO]_{eq} = 0.4 \text{ M}$$

$$[Cl_2]_{eq} = 0.2 \text{ M}$$

$$\Rightarrow K_{c} = \frac{[NO]^{2}[Cl_{2}]}{[NOCl]^{2}} = \frac{[0.4]^{2}[0.2]}{[1.6]^{2}}$$

$$K_c = \frac{32}{2.56} \times 10^{-3}$$

$$K_c = 12.5 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$K_c = 125 \times 10^{-4}$$

Integer answer is 125

5. The limiting molar conductivities of NaI, NaNO₃ and AgNO₃ are 12.7, 12.0 and 13.3 mS m² mol⁻¹, respectively (all at 25°C). The limiting molar conductivity of AgI at this temperature is _____ mS m² mol⁻¹

Official Ans. by NTA (14)

Allen Ans. (14)

Sol. Given

(1)
$$\lambda_{\rm m}^{\infty}$$
 (NaI) = 12.7 mS m² mol⁻¹

(2)
$$\lambda_{\rm m}^{\infty}$$
 (NaNO₃) = 12.0 mS m² mol⁻¹

(3)
$$\lambda_m^{\infty}$$
 (AgNO₃) = 13.3 mS m² mol⁻¹

$$\lambda_{\rm m}^{\infty}$$
 (Ag I) = (1) + (3) - (2)

$$= 12.7 + 13.3 - 12.0$$

$$= 26.0 - 12.0$$

$$\lambda_{\rm m}^{\infty}$$
 (Ag I) = 14.0



6. The rate constant for a first order reaction is given by the following equation:

$$ln \ k = 33.24 - \frac{2.0 \times 10^4 \, K}{T}$$

The Activation energy for the reaction is given by
____ kJ mol⁻¹. (In Nearest integer)

(Given: $R = 8.3 \text{ J K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$)

Official Ans. by NTA (166)

Allen Ans. (166)

Sol. $\ln k = \ln A - \frac{E_A}{RT}$

Given:
$$\ln k = 33.24 - \frac{2.0 \times 10^4}{T}$$

 \therefore on comparing $\frac{E_A}{R} = 2.0 \times 10^4$

$$\therefore E_A = 2.0 \times 10^4 \times R$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 E_A = 2.0 × 10⁴ × 8.3 J

$$\Rightarrow$$
 E_A = 16.6 × 10⁴J = 166 kJ

- 7. The number of statement(s) correct from the following for copper (at no. 29) is/are _____
 - (A) Cu(II) complexes are always paramagnetic
 - (B) Cu(I) complexes are generally colourless
 - (C) Cu(I) is easily oxidized
 - (D) In Fehling solution, the active reagent has Cu(I)

Official Ans. by NTA (3)

Allen Ans. (3)

- **Sol.** A,B,C are correct and D is incorrect because Fehling solution has Cu(II)
- 8. Acidified potassium permanganate solution oxidises oxalic acid. The spin-only magnetic moment of the manganese product formed from the above reaction is ______ B.M. (Nearest Integer)

Official Ans. by NTA (6)

Allen Ans. (6)

- Sol. $2KMnO_4 + 5H_2C_2O_4 + 3H_2SO_4 \rightarrow K_2SO_4 + 2MnSO_4 + 10CO_2 + 8H_2O$ Mn²⁺ has 5 unpaired electrons therefore the
- 9. Two elements A and B which form 0.15 moles of A₂B and AB₃ type compounds. If both A₂B and AB₃ weigh equally, then the atomic weight of A is times of atomic weight of B.

Official Ans. by NTA (2)

magnetic moment is $\sqrt{35}$ BM

Allen Ans. (2)

Sol. Given: Molar mass of $A_2B = AB_3$

$$\therefore (2A + B) = (A + 3B) \begin{bmatrix} A \rightarrow Atomic wt. of A \\ B \rightarrow Atomic wt. of B \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 2B$$

∴ atomic wt. of A is 2 times of atomic wt. of B

Integer answer is 2

10. Total number of possible stereoisomers of dimethyl cyclopentane is _____

Official Ans. by NTA (5)

Allen Ans. (6)

Sol. Dimethyl cyclopentane

$$CH_3$$
 CH_3

1,2-dimethylcyclopentane

will show stereo isomerism, Its stereo isomers are

$$\operatorname{CH}_3$$
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3

$$\operatorname{CH}_3$$
 CH_3
 CH_3
 CH_3
(enantiomers)



$$_{\mathrm{CH_{3}}}^{\mathrm{CH_{3}}}$$
 1,3-dimethylcyclopentane

will show stereo isomerism, Its stereo isomers are

$$\begin{array}{cccc} \operatorname{CH}_3 & & \operatorname{CH}_3 \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & &$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \overset{CH_3}{\longleftarrow} & \overset{CH_3}{\longleftarrow} \\ \overset{\longleftarrow}{\longleftarrow} & \overset{CH_3}{\longleftarrow} \\ \overset{\longleftarrow}{\longleftarrow} & \overset{CH_3}{\longleftarrow} \end{array}$$