



DPP-1 [Classification of Acid and Base] Chapter: Ionic Equilibrium

“Yeh questions tera test nahi—teri training hai.”

GROUP-1 : Arrhenius Concept

- Q1. Gaseous hydrogen chloride is a very poor conductor of electricity but a solution of hydrogen chloride in water is a good conductor. This is due to the fact :-**
- (1) Water is a good conductor of electricity
 - (2) Hydrogen chloride ionises in water
 - (3) A gas cannot conduct electricity but a liquid can
 - (4) HCl does not obey Ohm's law whereas the solution does
- Q2. Which is acid in the following pairs according to Arrhenius concept?**
- (1) HCl(g) and HCl(aq)
 - (2) CH₃COOH(l) and CH₃COOH(aq)
- Q3. Arrhenius theory does not explain acidic nature of AlCl₃.**
- (1) True
 - (2) False

GROUP-2 : Bronsted-Lowry Theory

- Q4. In the process: $\text{NH}_3 + \text{NH}_3 \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_2^- + \text{NH}_4^+$, the nature of ammonia is :-**
- (1) Acidic
 - (2) Basic
 - (3) Amphoteric
 - (4) None
- Q5. Which of the following is a Bronsted acid? (i) HCN (ii) H₂PO₄⁻ (iii) NH₄⁺ (iv) HCl**
- (1) (i),(ii),(iii)
 - (2) (i),(ii),(iii),(iv)
 - (3) (ii),(iii)
 - (4) (i),(iii),(iv)
- Q6. Which of the following can act both as a Bronsted acid as well as Bronsted base?**
- (1) H₂SO₄
 - (2) HCO₃⁻
 - (3) O²⁻
 - (4) NH₄⁺
- Q7. Which of the following is not a Bronsted acid :-**
- (1) CH₃NH₄⁺
 - (2) CH₃COO⁻

- (3) H_2O
- (4) HSO_4^-

Q8. Which of the following is Bronsted–Lowry acid :-

- (1) SO_4^{2-}
- (2) H_3O^+
- (3) OH^-
- (4) Cl^-

Q9. According to Bronsted concept, the acids in $\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_4^+ + \text{OH}^-$ are :-

- (1) NH_3 and NH_4^+
- (2) H_2O and OH^-
- (3) H_2O and NH_4^+
- (4) NH_3 and OH^-

Q10. In $\text{HC}_2\text{O}_4^- + \text{PO}_4^{3-} \rightleftharpoons \text{HPO}_4^{2-} + \text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$ the Bronsted bases are :-

- (1) HC_2O_4^- and PO_4^{3-}
- (2) HPO_4^{2-} and $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$
- (3) HC_2O_4^- and HPO_4^{2-}
- (4) PO_4^{3-} and $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$

Q11. Which explains the nature of boric acid in water?

- (1) $\text{H}_3\text{BO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + \text{H}_2\text{BO}_3^-$
- (2) $\text{H}_3\text{BO}_3 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + \text{HBO}_3^{2-}$
- (3) $\text{H}_3\text{BO}_3 \rightarrow 3\text{H}_3\text{O}^+ + \text{BO}_3^{3-}$
- (4) $\text{H}_3\text{BO}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{B}(\text{OH})_4^- + \text{H}^+$

Q12. Which of the following behave both as Bronsted acid as well as Bronsted bases? H_2O , HCO_3^- , H_2SO_4 , H_3PO_4 , HS^- , NH_3

Q13. Which of the following is a Bronsted base? (i) NH_3 (ii) CH_3NH_2 (iii) HCO_3^- (iv) SO_4^{2-}

- (1) (i),(ii),(iii),(iv)
- (2) (i),(ii)
- (3) (i),(iii)
- (4) (i),(ii),(iv)

Q14. Which is a base according to Lowry–Bronsted concept?

- (1) I^-
- (2) H_3O^+
- (3) HCl
- (4) NH_4^+

Q15. Which one of the following species acts only as a base?

- (1) H_2S
- (2) HS^-
- (3) S^{2-}
- (4) H_2O

Q16. Which of the following can act both as Bronsted acid and Bronsted base :-

- (1) Na_2CO_3
- (2) O^{2-}
- (3) CO_3^{2-}

(4) NH_3

Q17. **Water is a :-**

- (1) Protogenic solvent
- (2) Protophilic solvent
- (3) Amphiprotic solvent
- (4) Aprotic solvent

Q18. **Species which do not act both as Bronsted acid and base is :-**

- (1) $(\text{HSO}_4)^-$
- (2) Na_2CO_3
- (3) NH_3
- (4) OH^-

GROUP-3 : Conjugate Acid-Base Pairs

Q19. **The conjugated base for bicarbonate ion is :-**

- (1) CO_3^{2-}
- (2) HCO_3^-
- (3) CO_2
- (4) H_2CO_3

Q20. **For the reaction $\text{NH}_4^+ + \text{S}^{2-} \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_3 + \text{HS}^-$, NH_3 and S^{2-} are :-**

- (1) Acids
- (2) Bases
- (3) Acid-base pair
- (4) None of these

Q21. **In $\text{HC}_2\text{O}_4^- + \text{PO}_4^{3-} \rightleftharpoons \text{HPO}_4^{2-} + \text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$ the pair acting as Bronsted bases only is :-**

- (1) HC_2O_4^- and PO_4^{3-}
- (2) HPO_4^{2-} and $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$
- (3) HC_2O_4^- and HPO_4^{2-}
- (4) PO_4^{3-} and $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$

Q22. **Conjugated base of OH^- is :-**

- (1) H_2O
- (2) H_3O^+
- (3) H^+
- (4) O^{2-}

GROUP-4 : Lewis Acid-Base Concept

Q23. **An example of Lewis acid is :-**

- (1) CaO
- (2) CH_3NH_2
- (3) SO_3
- (4) None of these

Q24. **Which of the following behave as Lewis acid :- BF_3 , SnCl_2 , SnCl_4**

- (1) Stanous chloride, stanic chloride

- (2) BF_3 , Stanous chloride
- (3) Only BF_3
- (4) BF_3 , stanous chloride, stanic chloride

Q25. In $\text{AlCl}_3 + \text{Cl}^- \rightarrow [\text{AlCl}_4]^-$, AlCl_3 is :-

- (1) Salt
- (2) Lewis base
- (3) Bronsted acid
- (4) Lewis acid

Q26. Aluminium chloride is :-

- (1) Bronsted Lowry acid
- (2) Arrhenius acid
- (3) Lewis acid
- (4) Lewis base

Q27. Which of the following species can act as Lewis base :-

- (1) Cu^{2+}
- (2) AlCl_3
- (3) NH_3
- (4) BF_3

Q28. BF_3 is acid according to :-

- (1) Lewis
- (2) Arrhenius
- (3) Bronsted and Lowery
- (4) Madam Curie

Q29. The compound that is not a Lewis acid :-

- (1) AlCl_3
- (2) BF_3
- (3) NF_3
- (4) SnCl_4

Q30. BF_3 is :-

- (1) Lewis acid
- (2) Lewis base
- (3) Bronsted acid
- (4) Arrhenius acid

Q31. Which of the following is not a Lewis acid?

- (1) SiF_4
- (2) C_2H_4
- (3) BF_3
- (4) FeCl_3

Q32. Which of the following molecules acts as a Lewis acid?

- (1) $(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{N}$
- (2) $(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{B}$
- (3) $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{O}$
- (4) $(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{P}$

Q33. Which of the following acid-base reactions cannot be explained by the Bronsted

theory?

- (1) $\text{CO}_2 + \text{CaO} \rightarrow \text{CaCO}_3$
- (2) $\text{BF}_3 + \text{NH}_3 \rightarrow \text{BF}_3\text{NH}_3$
- (3) $\text{Ni} + 4\text{CO} \rightarrow \text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4$
- (4) All of these

Q34. Which of the following pair is Lewis acid & Lewis base & Product is also Lewis base :-

- (1) BF_3, NH_3
- (2) $\text{SiCl}_4, 2\text{Cl}^-$
- (3) $\text{CH}_3^+, \text{OOC}_2\text{H}_5$
- (4) All of these

GROUP-5 : Reaction-Based Acid-Base Questions

Q35. In $\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{NH}_4^+ + \text{OH}^-$, water acts as :-

- (1) Acid
- (2) Base
- (3) Neutral
- (4) Both acid & base

Q36. NH_3 gas dissolves in water to give NH_4OH . Water acts as :-

- (1) An acid
- (2) A base
- (3) A salt
- (4) A conjugate base

Q37. In $\text{HCl} + \text{HF} \rightleftharpoons \text{H}_2\text{Cl}^+ + \text{F}^-$, HCl behaves as :-

- (1) Strong acid
- (2) Strong base
- (3) Weak acid
- (4) Weak base

Q38. HCl does not behave as acid in :-

- (1) NH_3
- (2) $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$
- (3) H_2O
- (4) C_6H_6

Q39. In which of the following reactions NH_3 acts as acid :-

- (1) $\text{NH}_3 + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$
- (2) $\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+$
- (3) $\text{NH}_3 + \text{Na} \rightarrow \text{NaNH}_2 + \frac{1}{2}\text{H}_2$
- (4) NH_3 cannot act as acid

Q40. Ammonium ion is :-

- (A) Lewis acid
- (B) Lewis base
- (C) Bronsted acid
- (D) Bronsted base

Q41. In which reaction does NH_3 act as an acid?

- (A) $\text{NH}_3 + \text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{NH}_4^+$
- (B) $\text{NH}_3 + \text{HCl} \rightarrow \text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$
- (C) $\text{NH}_3 + \text{Na} \rightarrow \text{NaNH}_2 + \frac{1}{2}\text{H}_2$
- (D) None, as NH_3 is a base

GROUP-6 : Special & Mixed Questions

Q42. Sulphanilic acid is a/an :-

- (1) Arrhenius acid
- (2) Lewis base
- (3) Neither (A) or (B)
- (4) Both (A) & (B)

Q43. H_3BO_3 is not an Arrhenius acid.

- (1) True
- (2) False

Q44. Match the Column. (Single matching)

Column-I	Column-II
(A) HCl	(q) Arrhenius acid
(B) KOH	(s) Arrhenius base
(C) NH_3	(r) Lewis base
(D) BF_3	(p) Lewis acid

Q45. Which of the following is not a correct statement :-

- (1) Arrhenius theory can explain acidic nature in solvents other than water
- (2) Arrhenius theory does not explain acidic nature of AlCl_3
- (3) Aqueous Na_2CO_3 is alkaline even without OH^-
- (4) Aqueous CO_2 is acidic even without H^+

Q46. The acid $\text{C}_7\text{H}_6\text{O}_3$ forms salts $\text{C}_7\text{H}_5\text{O}_3\text{Na}$, $\text{C}_7\text{H}_4\text{O}_3\text{Na}_2$, $\text{C}_7\text{H}_3\text{O}_3\text{Na}_3$. Its basicity is :-

- (1) One
- (2) Two
- (3) Three
- (4) Six