

|              | Cations                                   |                                 |                                | Anions  |  |  |
|--------------|---|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--|--|
|              | 1+  | 2+                              | 3+                             | 1-  | 2-   | 3-   |
| Simple Ions  | Lithium<br>Li <sup>+</sup>                | Calcium<br>Ca <sup>2+</sup>     | Aluminium<br>Al <sup>3+</sup>  | Fluoride<br>F <sup>-</sup>                    | Oxide<br>O <sup>2-</sup>                   | Phosphide<br>N <sup>3-</sup>               |
|              | Sodium<br>Na <sup>+</sup>                 | Magnesium<br>Mg <sup>2+</sup>   | Iron (III)<br>Fe <sup>3+</sup> | Chloride<br>Cl <sup>-</sup>                   | Sulfide<br>S <sup>2-</sup>                 |  |
|              | Potassium<br>K <sup>+</sup>               | Barium<br>Ba <sup>2+</sup>      |                                | Bromide<br>Br <sup>-</sup>                    |  |  |
|              | Hydrogen<br>H <sup>+</sup>                | Zinc<br>Zn <sup>2+</sup>        |                                | Iodide<br>I <sup>-</sup>                      |  |  |
|              | Silver<br>Ag <sup>+</sup>                 | Iron (II)<br>Fe <sup>2+</sup>   |                                |   |  |  |
|              |   | Lead<br>Pb <sup>2+</sup>        |                                |   |  |  |
|              |   | Copper (II)<br>Cu <sup>2+</sup> |                                |   |  |  |
| Complex Ions | Ammonium<br>NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>1+</sup> |                                 |                                | Hydroxide<br>OH <sup>1-</sup>                 | Sulfite<br>SO <sub>3</sub> <sup>2-</sup>   | Phosphite<br>PO <sub>3</sub> <sup>3-</sup> |
|              |   |                                 |                                | Nitrite<br>NO <sub>2</sub> <sup>1-</sup>      | Sulfate<br>SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup>   | Phosphate<br>PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> |
|              |   |                                 |                                | Nitrate<br>NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>1-</sup>      | Carbonate<br>CO <sub>3</sub> <sup>2-</sup> |  |
|              |   |                                 |                                | Bicarbonate<br>HCO <sub>3</sub> <sup>1-</sup> |  |  |

Table 1. The 'Valency' table

|            | Soluble  | Insoluble                           |
|------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| oxides     | K <sup>+</sup> , Na <sup>+</sup> , NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>1+</sup> | All others                          |
| hydroxides | K <sup>+</sup> , Na <sup>+</sup> , NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>1+</sup> | All others                          |
| carbonates | K <sup>+</sup> , Na <sup>+</sup> , NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>1+</sup> | All others                          |
| halides    | All others   | Pb <sup>2+</sup> , Ag <sup>+</sup>  |
| sulphates  | All others   | Pb <sup>2+</sup> , Ba <sup>2+</sup> |
| nitrates   | All others   | -                                   |

Table 2 The solubility table

## General names

| Metals |  | Name      | Symbol |
|--------|--|-----------|--------|
|        |  | Potassium | K      |
|        |  | Sodium    | Na     |
|        |  | Lithium   | Li     |
|        |  | Calcium   | Ca     |
|        |  | Magnesium | Mg     |
|        |  | Aluminium | Al     |
|        |  | Zinc      | Zn     |
|        |  | Iron      | Fe     |
|        |  | Lead      | Pb     |
|        |  | Copper    | Cu     |
|        |  | Silver    | Ag     |
|        |  | Gold      | Au     |

| Ammonium salts |  | Name              | Symbol  |
|----------------|--|-------------------|---|
|                |  | Ammonium chloride | NH <sub>4</sub> Cl                              |
|                |  | Ammonium sulfate  | (NH <sub>4</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> |
|                |  | Ammonium nitrate  | NH <sub>4</sub> NO <sub>3</sub>                 |
|                |  | Ammonium bromide  | NH <sub>4</sub> Br                              |

| Salts |  | Name              | Symbol                            |
|-------|--|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
|       |  | Sodium chloride   | NaCl                              |
|       |  | Potassium sulfate | K <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>    |
|       |  | Calcium iodide    | CaI <sub>2</sub>                  |
|       |  | Magnesium nitrate | Mg(NO <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> |
|       |  | Lithium fluoride  | LiF                               |
|       |  | Barium sulfate    | BaSO <sub>4</sub>                 |
|       |  | Zinc chloride     | ZnCl <sub>2</sub>                 |

| Halogens |  | Name     | Symbol |
|----------|--|----------|--------|
|          |  | Fluorine | F      |
|          |  | Chlorine | Cl     |
|          |  | Bromine  | Br     |
|          |  | Iodine   | I      |

| Halides |  | Name     | Symbol          |
|---------|--|----------|-----------------|
|         |  | Fluoride | F <sup>-</sup>  |
|         |  | Chloride | Cl <sup>-</sup> |
|         |  | Bromide  | Br <sup>-</sup> |
|         |  | Iodide   | I <sup>-</sup>  |

| Acids |  | Name                                    | Symbol  |
|-------|--|---|---|
|       |  | Hydrogen chloride/<br>Hydrochloric acid | HCl   |
|       |  | Hydrogen sulfate/<br>Sulfuric acid      | H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>                |
|       |  | Hydrogen nitrate/<br>Nitric acid        | HNO <sub>3</sub>                              |
|       |  | Hydrogen ethanoate/<br>Ethanoic acid    | HC <sub>2</sub> H <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> |

| Alkalis |  | Name                | Symbol              |
|---------|--|---------------------|---------------------|
|         |  | Sodium hydroxide    | NaOH                |
|         |  | Potassium hydroxide | KOH                 |
|         |  | Calcium hydroxide   | Ca(OH) <sub>2</sub> |
|         |  | Magnesium hydroxide | Mg(OH) <sub>2</sub> |
|         |  | Aqueous ammonia     | NH <sub>4</sub> OH  |

Table 3 The general names table

|   |  |
|---|--|
| $\text{Concentration (g/dm}^3\text{)} = \frac{\text{Mass of solute (g)}}{\text{Volume of solvent (dm}^3\text{)}}$ | $\text{Molarity (mol/dm}^3\text{)} = \frac{\text{No. of moles of solute (mol)}}{\text{Volume of solvent (dm}^3\text{)}}$ |
| $\text{Vol. of gas at RTP} = \text{No. of moles} \times \frac{24}{\text{dm}^3}$                                   | $\text{Molarity (mol/dm}^3\text{)} = \frac{\text{Concentration (g/dm}^3\text{)}}{\text{Mr. Value}}$                      |
| $\text{No. of moles} = \text{Molarity (mol/dm}^3\text{)} \times \text{Volume (dm}^3\text{)}$                      | $\text{No. of moles} = \frac{\text{Concentration (g/dm}^3\text{)} \times \text{Volume (dm}^3\text{)}}{\text{Mr. Value}}$ |

Mole calculation formulae

| No.                     | Reactants             |   |                               |   | Products                      |   |                                    |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Acid & bases reactions  |                       |   |                               |   |                               |   |                                    |
| 1                       | Acid                  | + | Metal                         | → | Salt                          | + | H <sub>2</sub>                     |
| 2                       | Acid                  | + | Metal oxide                   | → | Salt                          | + | H <sub>2</sub> O                   |
| 3                       | Acid                  | + | Metal hydroxide               | → | Salt                          | + | H <sub>2</sub> O                   |
| 4                       | Acid                  | + | Metal carbonate               | → | Salt                          | + | H <sub>2</sub> O + CO <sub>2</sub> |
| 5                       | Alkali                | + | Ammonium salt                 | → | Salt                          | + | H <sub>2</sub> O + NH <sub>3</sub> |
| Displacement reactions  |                       |   |                               |   |                               |   |                                    |
| 6                       | More reactive metal   | + | Less reactive metal compound  | → | More reactive metal compound  | + | Less reactive metal                |
| 7                       | More reactive halogen | + | Less reactive halide compound | → | More reactive halide compound | + | Less reactive halogen              |
| Precipitation reactions |                       |   |                               |   |                               |   |                                    |
| 8                       | Soluble Salt          | + | Soluble Salt                  | → | Insoluble Salt                | + | soluble Salt                       |
| Thermal decomposition   |                       |   |                               |   |                               |   |                                    |
| 9                       | Metal carbonate       |   | $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$        |   | Metal oxide                   | + | CO <sub>2</sub>                    |
| 10                      | Metal hydroxide       |   | $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$        |   | Metal oxide                   | + | H <sub>2</sub> O                   |
| 11                      | Metal nitrate         |   | $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$        |   | Metal oxide                   | + | NO <sub>2</sub> + O <sub>2</sub>   |
| 12                      | Alkali Metal nitrate  |   | $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$        |   | Alkali Metal nitrite          | + | O <sub>2</sub>                     |
| Redox reaction          |                       |   |                               |   |                               |   |                                    |
| 13                      | Group I metal         | + | H <sub>2</sub> O(l)           | → | Metal hydroxide               | + | H <sub>2</sub>                     |
| 14                      | metal                 | + | H <sub>2</sub> O (g)          | → | Metal oxide                   | + | H <sub>2</sub>                     |
| 15                      | metal                 | + | O <sub>2</sub>                | → | Metal oxide                   |   |                                    |
| 16                      | Non metal             | + | O <sub>2</sub>                | → | Non-Metal oxide               |   |                                    |
| 17                      | Metal oxide           | + | H <sub>2</sub>                | → | metal                         | + | H <sub>2</sub> O                   |
| 18                      | Metal oxide           | + | CO                            | → | metal                         | + | CO <sub>2</sub>                    |
| 19                      | Metal oxide           | + | C                             | → | metal                         | + | CO <sub>2</sub>                    |

Table 4 The general reactions (Inorganic)

|                 | Solids  | Liquids  | Gases   |
|-----------------|---|--|---|
| Arrangement     | Closely packed  | Intermediate   | Very far apart  |
| Movement        | Vibrate about their fixed positions   | Intermediate   | Complete freedom of movement  |
| Speed           | Very slow   | Intermediate   | Very fast   |
| Compressibility | Incompressible<br>[Closely packed and negligible space between the particles]                 | Incompressible   | Compressible<br>[A lot of space between the particles]                  |
| Density         | High density<br>[More particles packed per unit volume]                                       | High density   | Low density<br>[Only a few particles packed per unit volume]            |
| Shape           | Fixed shape<br>[Particles are strongly bonded together and are restrained from moving freely] | No fixed shape<br>[Bonds are flexible and are not as strong as solids and particles can slide over each other] | No fixed shape<br>[Bonding between the particles are almost negligible] |

Table 5 Comparison of solids, liquids and gases

| Gas             | Solubility in water | Density compared to air | Colour          | Acidity/Alkalinity | Method of collection           |
|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| N <sub>2</sub>  | Insoluble           | Denser than air         | colourless      | Neutral            | Downward displacement of water |
| O <sub>2</sub>  |                     |                         |                 |                    |                                |
| H <sub>2</sub>  | Slightly soluble    | Less dense than air     |                 |                    |                                |
| CO <sub>2</sub> |                     |                         |                 |                    |                                |
| Cl <sub>2</sub> | Soluble             | Denser than air         | Greenish yellow | Acidic             | Downward delivery              |
| SO <sub>2</sub> |                     |                         | colourless      |                    |                                |
| HCl             |                     |                         | colourless      |                    |                                |
| NO <sub>2</sub> |                     |                         | brown           |                    |                                |
| NH <sub>3</sub> |                     | Less dense than air     | colourless      | Alkaline           | Upward delivery                |

Table 6 Properties of gases

**Flowchart for choosing the salt preparation technique**

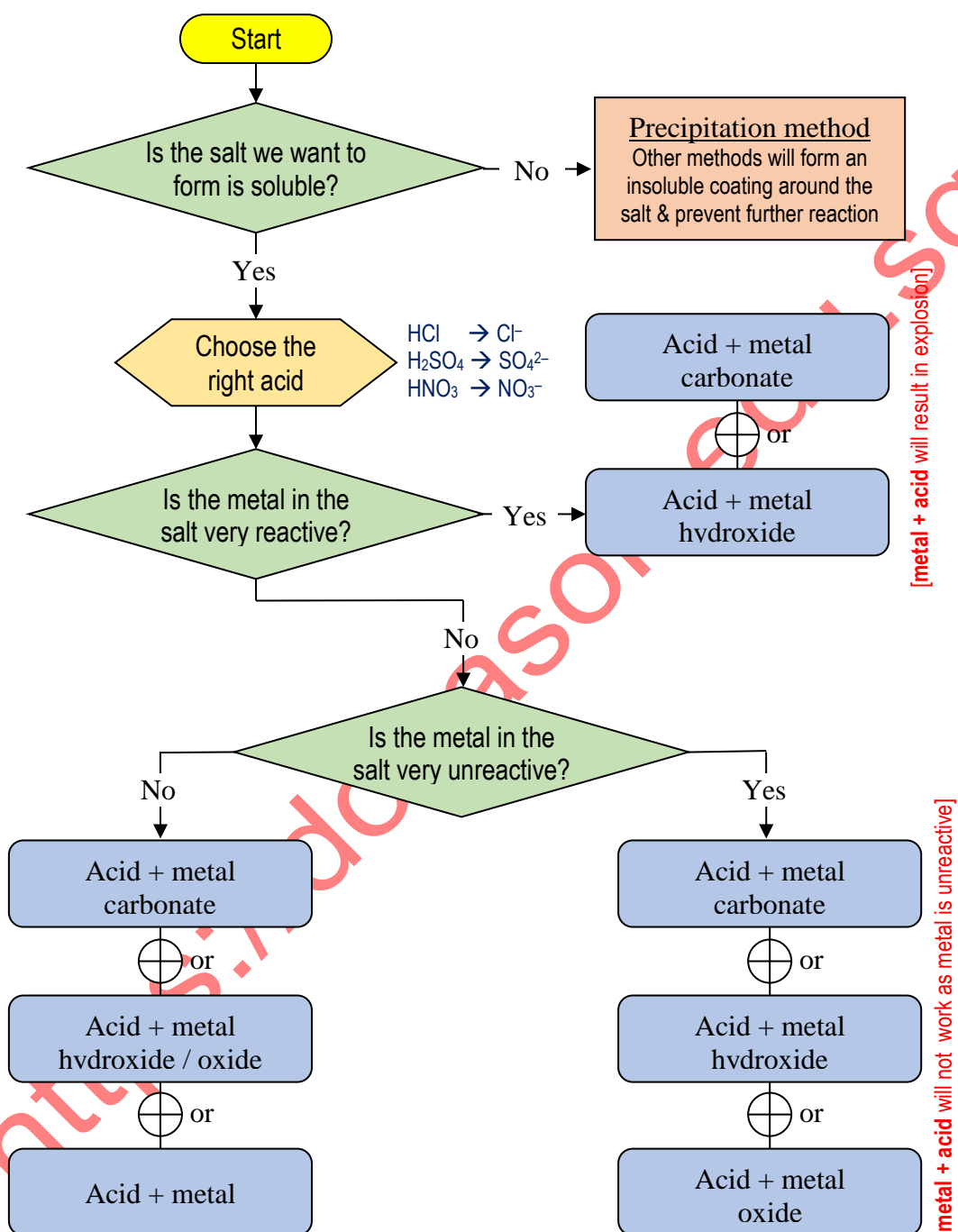


Figure 1 Flowchart of salt preparation techniques.

|   | Method                   | Reactants                   | Limitations<br>(when cannot use this method)                               |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| 1 | Acid - metal reaction    | Metal + acid                | Metal is too reactive or metal is too unreactive or the salt is insoluble. |
| 2 | Acid - base reaction     | Metal oxide + acid          | The salt is insoluble or the base is an alkali.                            |
| 3 | Titration                | Metal hydroxide + acid      | If other easier methods are available.                                     |
| 4 | Acid -carbonate reaction | Metal carbonate + acid      | Metal carbonate is soluble in water or the salt formed is insoluble.       |
| 5 | Precipitation            | Soluble salt + soluble salt | If both the salts formed are insoluble.                                    |
| 6 | Synthesis                | Metal + non-metal           |  |

Table 7 Methods of making salts.

| Transition metal / compound / ion            | Colour    |
|--|-----------|
| Copper (II) Oxide, CuO                       | Black     |
| Copper (II) sulphate, CuSO <sub>4</sub>      | Blue      |
| Iron (II) hydroxide, Fe(OH) <sub>2</sub>     | Green     |
| Iron (III) hydroxide, Fe(OH) <sub>3</sub>    | Brown     |
| Cu <sup>1+</sup>                             | Brick red |
| Ti <sup>3+</sup>                             | Purple    |
| V <sup>3+</sup>                              | Green     |
| Cr <sup>3+</sup>                             | Violet    |
| CrO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup>               | Yellow    |
| Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub> <sup>2-</sup> | Orange    |
| Mn <sup>2+</sup>                             | Pink      |
| Mn <sup>3+</sup>                             | Yellow    |
| MnO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup>                | Purple    |
| Ni <sup>2+</sup>                             | Green     |

Table 8 Colours of transition metal compounds

| Examples of oxidizing agents           | Examples of reducing agents |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Potassium permanganate (VII) solution. | Carbon monoxide.            |
| Potassium dichromate (VI) solution.    | Sulphur dioxide.            |
| Iron (III) chloride solution.          | Carbon.                     |
| Concentrated sulfuric acid.            | Hydrogen.                   |
| Nitric acid.                           | Electrons.                  |
| Oxygen.                                | Potassium iodide            |

Table 9 Examples of oxidizing and reducing agents

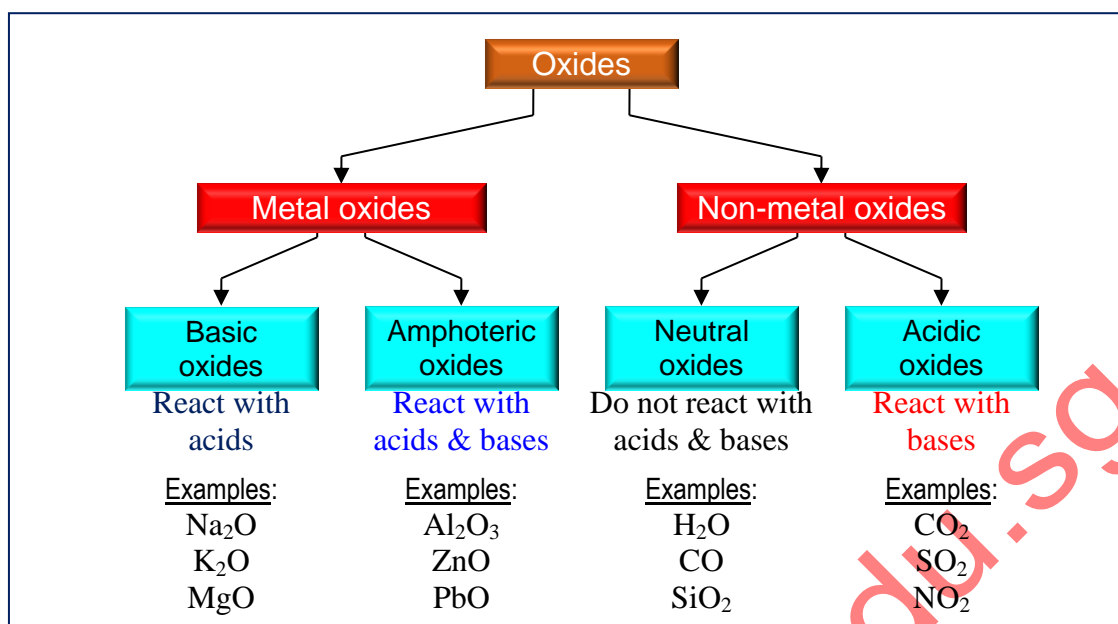


Figure 2 Reaction of oxygen with metals and non-metals

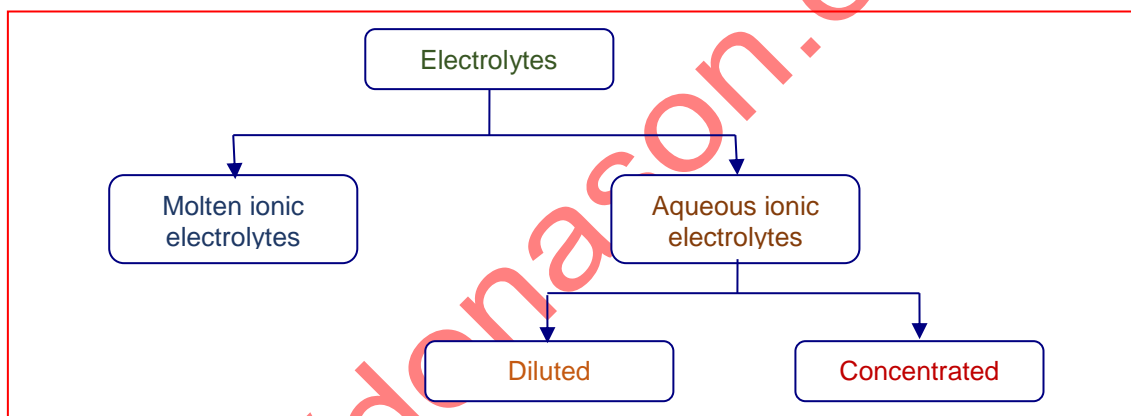


Figure 3 Types of electrolytes

| Cations          |  | Anions                        |  |
|------------------|--|-------------------------------|--|
| K <sup>+</sup>   | Most difficult to discharge<br><br>↓<br><br>Easiest to Discharge | SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup> | Most difficult to discharge<br><br>↓<br><br>Easiest to Discharge |
| Na <sup>+</sup>  |  | NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup>  |  |
| Li <sup>+</sup>  |  | Cl <sup>-</sup>               |  |
| Ca <sup>2+</sup> |  | OH <sup>-</sup>               |  |
| Mg <sup>2+</sup> |  | I <sup>-</sup>                |  |
| Al <sup>3+</sup> |  |                               |  |
| Zn <sup>2+</sup> |  |                               |  |
| Fe <sup>2+</sup> |  |                               |  |
| Pb <sup>2+</sup> |  |                               |  |
| H <sup>+</sup>   |  |                               |  |
| Cu <sup>2+</sup> |  |                               |  |

Table 10 The electrochemical series

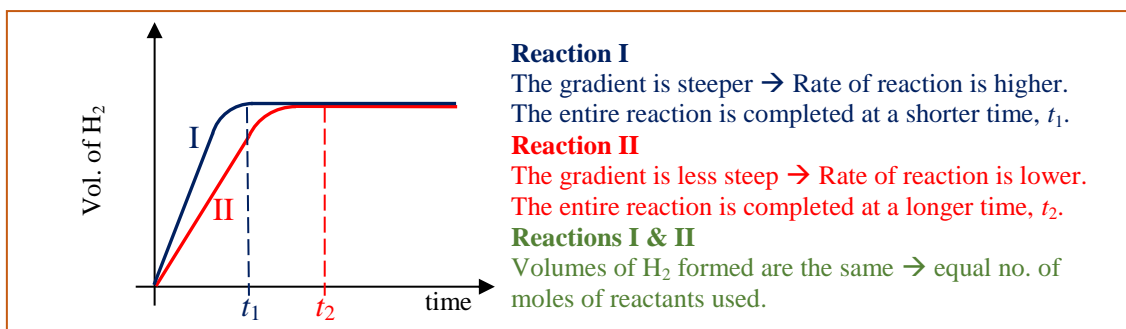


Figure 4.1 Reactions curves - different rates but same final volumes

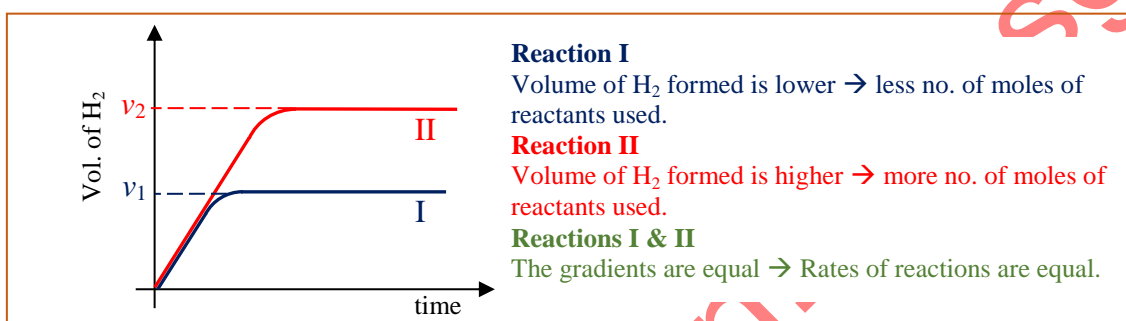


Figure 4.2 Reactions curves - Same rates but different final volumes

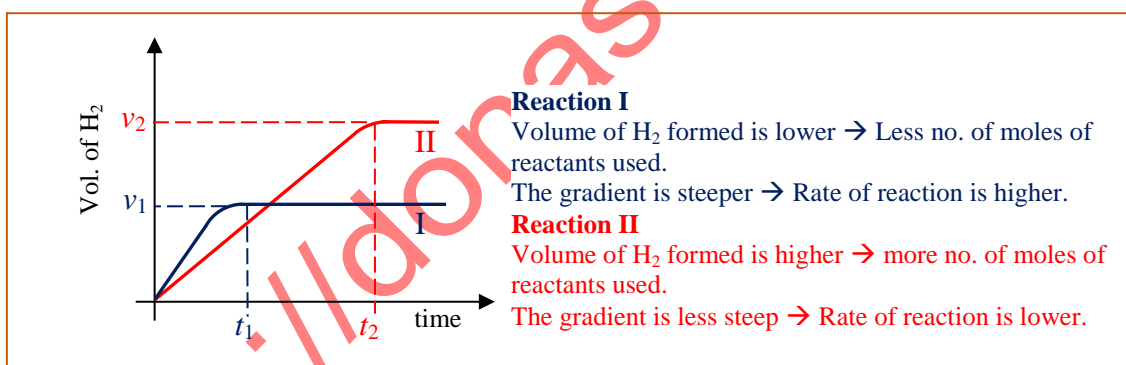


Figure 4.3 Reactions curves - Different rates and different final volumes

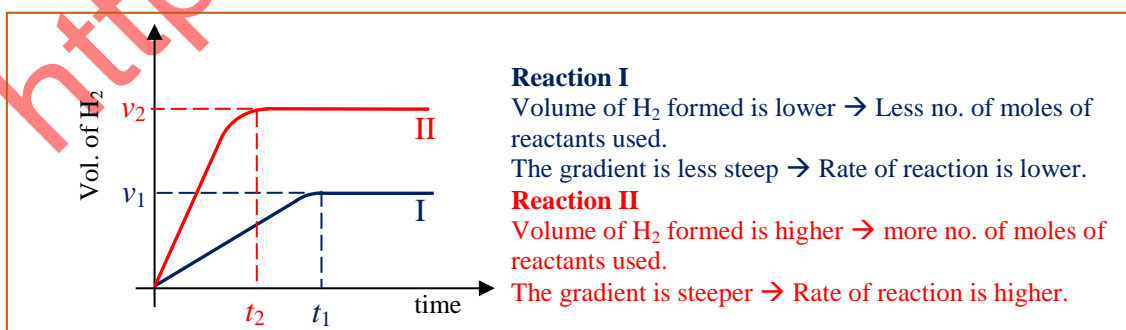


Figure 4.4 Reactions curves - Different rates and different final volumes



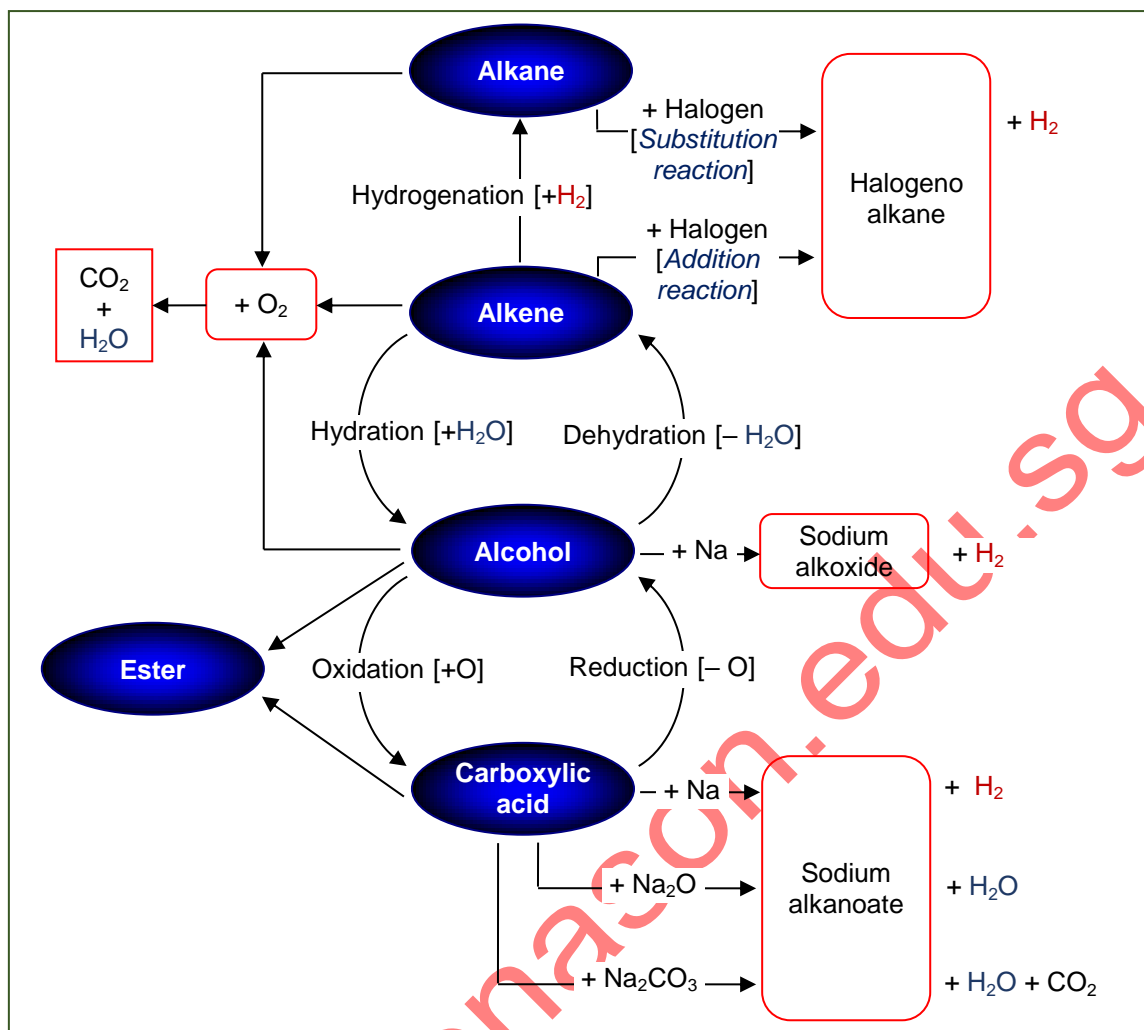


Figure 5 Reaction web – (Organic Chemistry)



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|                           | NH <sub>3</sub> | NO <sub>2</sub>      | Cl <sub>2</sub>           | HCl              | SO <sub>2</sub> | CO <sub>2</sub>           | H <sub>2</sub> O | H <sub>2</sub>         | O <sub>2</sub>    | Gas   |
|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Colourless                | Brown           | Greenish yellow      | Colourless                | Colourless       | Colourless      | Colourless                | Colourless       | Colourless             | Colourless        | Colour  |
| Pungent                   | -               | Choking Smell        | Sharp stinging Smell      | Unpleasant smell | Odourless       | Odourless                 | Odourless        | Odourless              | Odourless         | Smell   |
| -                         | Turns red       | Turns red then white | Turns red                 | Turns red        | Turns red       | Turns red                 | Nil              | Nil                    | Nil               | Action on damp blue limus paper                                   |
| Turns blue                | -               | Turns white          | -                         | -                | -               | -                         | Nil              | Nil                    | Nil               | Action on damp red limus paper                                    |
| -                         | -               | -                    | -                         | -                | -               | Flame is extinguished     | -                | Production 'pop' sound | Flame gets bigger | Action on lighted splint  |
| -                         | -               | -                    | -                         | -                | -               | -                         | -                | -                      | Bursts into flame | Action on glowing splint  |
| -                         | -               | -                    | -                         | -                | -               | -                         | Turns Pink       | Nil                    | Nil               | Action on blue cobalt (II) chloride paper                         |
| -                         | -               | -                    | -                         | -                | -               | Forms a white precipitate | -                | Nil                    | Nil               | Action on Limewater   |
| Forms a thick white smoke | -               | -                    | -                         | -                | -               | -                         | -                | Nil                    | Nil               | Action on exposure to HCl gas                                     |
| -                         | -               | -                    | Forms a thick white smoke | -                | -               | -                         | -                | Nil                    | Nil               | Action on exposure to NH <sub>3</sub> gas                         |
| -                         | -               | -                    | -                         | Turns Green      | -               | -                         | -                | Nil                    | Nil               | Action on acidified K <sub>2</sub> Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub> |

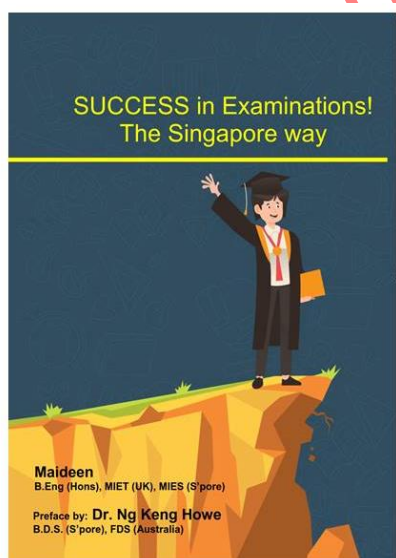
Table 11 test results for various gases

| Observation   | Inference  |
|---|--|
| No precipitate formed   | $\text{NH}_4^+$ , $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ possibly present  |
| Faint white precipitate insoluble in excess aqueous $\text{NH}_3$ | $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ , $\text{Al}^{3+}$ possibly present |
| White precipitate soluble in excess aqueous $\text{NH}_3$         | $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ present                             |
| Blue precipitate  | $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ present                             |
| Dirty Green precipitate   | $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ present                             |
| Brown precipitate   | $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ present                             |

Table 12 test results with aqueous ammonia solution

| Observation  | Inference   |
|--|---|
| No precipitate formed. A gas that turns moist red litmus blue evolved. | $\text{NH}_4^+$ present   |
| Faint white precipitate insoluble in excess $\text{NaOH}$              | $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ present  |
| White precipitate soluble in excess $\text{NaOH}$                      | $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ , $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ , $\text{Al}^{3+}$ , possibly present |
| Blue precipitate   | $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ present  |
| Dirty Green precipitate  | $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ present  |
| Brown precipitate  | $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ present  |

Table 13 test results with sodium hydroxide



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| Name of metal | Symbol | Reactivity     | Oxidisability                                     | Reducibility   | Reaction with oxygen                        | Reaction with water    |                        |                        | Reaction with acids                      | Displacement reactions  | Heating  |   |          |
|---------------|--------|----------------|---|--|---|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--|---|--|---|----------|
|               |        |                |   |  |   | Cold water             | Hot water              | Steam                  |  |   | carbonates   | hydroxides  | Nitrates |
| Potassium     | K      | Most reactive  | Easiest to oxidise (Most powerful reducing agent) | Most difficult to reduce (Most powerful oxidising agent) | Most vigorous (have to be stored under oil) | Most vigorous reaction | Most vigorous reaction | Most vigorous reaction | EXPLOSIVE! (should never allow to react) | More reactive + Less reactive Metal compound → Less reactive Metal compound + More reactive Metal | $\text{Metal nitrate} \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{Metal nitrite} + \text{O}_2(\text{g})$<br>$\text{Metal carbonate} \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{Metal oxide} + \text{CO}_2(\text{g})$<br>$\text{Metal hydroxide} \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{Metal oxide} + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$ | $\text{Metal nitrate} \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{Metal oxide} + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) + \text{NO}_2(\text{g})$ |          |
| Sodium        | Na     |                |   |  |   | Most vigorous reaction | Most vigorous reaction | Most vigorous reaction |  |   |  |   |          |
| Lithium       | Li     |                |   |  |   | Most vigorous reaction | Most vigorous reaction | Most vigorous reaction |  |   |  |   |          |
| Calcium       | Ca     |                |   |  |   |                        |                        |                        |  |   |  |   |          |
| Magnesium     | Mg     |                |   |  |   |                        |                        |                        |  |   |  |   |          |
| Aluminium     | Al     |                |   |  |   |                        |                        |                        |  |   |  |   |          |
| Zinc          | Zn     |                |   |  |   |                        |                        |                        |  |   |  |   |          |
| Iron          | Fe     |                |   |  |   |                        |                        |                        |  |   |  |   |          |
| Lead          | Pb     |                |   |  |   |                        |                        |                        |  |   |  |   |          |
| Copper        | Cu     |                |   |  |   |                        |                        |                        |  |   |  |   |          |
| Silver        | Ag     |                |   |  |   |                        |                        |                        |  |   |  |   |          |
| Gold          | Au     | Least reactive | Most difficult to oxidise                         | Easiest to reduce  | No reaction                                 | No reaction            | No reaction            | No reaction            |  |   |  |   |          |

Table 14 Reactivity & reactions of metals