# Synopsis – Grade 10 Science Term I

# **Chapter 1: Chemical Reactions and Equations**

- ✤ In a chemical reaction, at least one of the following will occur:
  - Change in state
  - Change in colour
  - Evolution of a gas
  - Change in temperature
- Chemical equation: A symbolic representation of the reactants, products and their physical states.
- Balanced chemical equation: Here, the total number of atoms on the reactant side is equal to the total number of atoms on the product side.
- ✤ How to balance an equation
  - Step I: Write reactants and products
  - Step II: Balance the max. number of a particular atom on both sides
  - Step III: Balance other atoms
- **Exothermic reactions:** In these types of reactions, heat is released.
- Endothermic reactions: In these types of reactions, heat is absorbed.
- \* Types of reactions
  - **Combination reaction:** Here, two or more reactants combine to form one single product. Example:  $CaO_{(s)} + H_2O_{(l)} \longrightarrow Ca(OH)_{2 (aq)}$
  - **Decomposition reaction:** Here, a single reactant breaks into several simple products. Example:  $CaCO_3 \xrightarrow{Heat} CaO + CO_2$
  - **Displacement reaction:** Here, one element replaces another element from a compound and forms a new compound. Example:  $Fe + CuSO_4 \longrightarrow FeSO_4 + Cu$
  - Double displacement reaction: The elements form two compounds which interchange their position. Example: Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> + BaCl<sub>2</sub> ----> BaSO<sub>4</sub> + 2NaCl
  - Oxidation and reduction reactions
    - **Oxidation:** In this type of reaction, a substance gains oxygen or releases hydrogen. Example:  $2Cu + O_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Heat}} 2CuO$  [Oxidation of Cu]
    - **Reduction:** In this type of reaction, a substance gains hydrogen or releases oxygen. Example:  $CuO + H_2 \xrightarrow{Heat} Cu + H_2O$  [Reduction of CuO]
    - **Redox reactions:** Reactions where simultaneous oxidation and reduction reactions take place are called redox reactions. Example:



- Corrosion The process of coating up of a metal by a layer of some other substance due to the presence of some external substances (such as acids and moisture) is called corrosion.
- Rancidity The process of oxidation of fats and oils leading to the change of their taste and smell is called rancidity.

# Chapter 2: Acids, Bases and Salts

- \* Acids: These are the substances having sour taste. They turn the colour of blue litmus to red.
- ◆ Base: These are the substances having bitter taste. They turn the colour of red litmus to blue.
- Indicator: It is a dye that gives different colours in acids and/ or bases. Turmeric is a natural indicator.
- **\*** Reaction with metals:

Acid + Metals  $\rightarrow$  Salt + Hydrogen gas

 $Zn + H_2SO_4 \longrightarrow ZnSO_4 + H_2$ 

Base + Metals  $\rightarrow$  Salt + Hydrogen gas

 $Zn + 2NaOH \longrightarrow Na_2ZnO_2 + H_2$ 

★ Reaction of acids with metal carbonates and metal hydrogen carbonates Metal carbonate/ Metal hydrogen carbonate + Acid → Salt + Water + CO<sub>2</sub>

 $Na_2CO_3 + 2HCl \longrightarrow 2NaCl + H_2O + CO_2$ 

- ♦ Metal oxide + Acid Metal oxide + Acid → Salt + Water
- ✤ Non-metal oxide + Base Non-metal oxide + Base → Salt + Water
- ★ Acid-Base reaction Acid + Base → Salt + Water NaOH + HCl → NaCl + H<sub>2</sub>O
- ✤ In water solution:

Acid releases  $H^+$  ion  $H^+ + H_2O \rightarrow H_3O^+$ 

 $HCl + H_2O \longrightarrow H_3O^+ + Cl^-$ 

Base releases  $OH^-$  ion Na $OH \xrightarrow{H_2O} Na^+ + OH^-$ 

- Higher  $H^+$  concentration  $\rightarrow$  Strong acid
- Lower  $H^+$  concentration  $\rightarrow$  Weak acid
- Higher  $OH^-$  concentration  $\rightarrow$  Strong base
- ♦ pH  $\rightarrow$  The measure of acidity or alkalinity (Measured on a scale of 0 to 14)
  - pH 7  $\rightarrow$  Neutral solution
  - $pH < 7 \rightarrow Acidic solution$
  - $pH > 7 \rightarrow Basic solution$
  - Human body pH = 7.0 7.8
  - Change in pH in body causes  $\rightarrow$  Tooth decay, stomach pain, burning pain (Honey bee)
- **♦ Common salt** (NaCl) : Has pH = 7



• Preparation:

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 $NaCl + H_2O + CO_2 + NH_3 \longrightarrow NH_4Cl + NaHCO_3$ 

- Use:
  - Making baking powder
  - Ingredient for antacids
  - Soda-acid fire extinguisher
- **\*** Washing soda  $\rightarrow$  Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>.10H<sub>2</sub>O
  - Preparation:

 $Na_2CO_3 + 10H_2O \longrightarrow Na_2CO_3.H_2O$ 

- Use:
  - In glass, soap, paper industries
  - Making sodium compounds such as borax
  - o As domestic cleaning agent
  - Removing permanent hardness of water

• Plaster of Paris 
$$\rightarrow$$
 CaSO<sub>4</sub>  $\cdot \frac{1}{2}$ H<sub>2</sub>O

• Preparation:

$$CaSO_{4} \cdot \frac{1}{2}H_{2}O + 1\frac{1}{2}H_{2}O \longrightarrow CaSO_{4} \cdot 2H_{2}O \quad (solid)$$
(Gypsum)

- Use:
  - For making toys
  - For making decorations
  - For setting fractured bones

# Chapter 3: Metals and Non-metals

Metals

### • Physical properties

- Shining surface (in pure state) [called metallic lustre]
  - Generally hard [varies from metal to metal]
  - Malleability [ability to make thin sheets by beating]
  - Ductility [ability to make wire by drawing] [Gold is the most ductile element]
  - Good conductor of heat
  - High melting point
  - Conduct electricity
  - Sonorous [Produce sound]
- Chemical properties
  - $\circ$  Combine with oxygen to form oxides: Example:  $2Cu + O_2 \rightarrow 2CuO$

Soluble metal oxides are called alkali. Na and K react very easily with O<sub>2</sub>. So, they are kept immersed in kerosene.

• **Reaction with water:** 

Metal + Water  $\longrightarrow$  Metal oxide + H<sub>2</sub>

If oxide is soluble, then metal hydroxide is formed.

 $2K + H_2O \rightarrow 2KOH + H_2 + Heat$ 

#### • Reaction with Acids

Metal + Dilute acid  $\rightarrow$  Salt + H<sub>2</sub>

Reactivity: Mg > Al > Zn > Fe > Cu

Aqua regia: Freshly-prepared concentrated  $HCl^+$  and concentrated  $HNO_3$  in 3:1 ratio It can dissolve gold and platinum.

 Reaction with solutions of other metal salts: Displacement reactions Reactivity series: K > Na > Ca > Mg > Al > Zn > Fe > Cu > An > Ag

### Non-metals

# • Physical properties

- Do not have lustre
- Generally, exist in liquid and gaseous states
- Are neither malleable nor ductile
- Bad conductors of heat and electricity
- Are non-sonorous
- Metals + Non-metals

$$Na \longrightarrow Na^{+} + e^{-} \qquad Cl + e^{-} \longrightarrow Cl^{-}$$
  
2, 8, 1 2, 8 2, 8, 7 2, 8, 8

$$Na^{+} \times Cl^{\times} \longrightarrow (Na^{+})[Cl^{-}]$$

- Physical properties of Ionic compounds
  - They are usually found in solid state
  - Hard [because of strong attraction force]
  - Are usually brittle in nature
  - High melting and boiling points
  - Soluble in H<sub>2</sub>O; insoluble in kerosene, petrol
  - Conduct electricity in H<sub>2</sub>O solution

### Extraction of metals

K Na Ca Mg Ac	Zn Fe Cu	Ag An
Highly reactive metals	Medium reactive metals	Found in native form
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Electrolysis

Carbon reduction

✤ Less active metals

2HgS +  $3O_2 \longrightarrow 2$ HgO +  $SO_2$  Heated in air

- \* Moderately active metals
  - Roasting Heating of sulphide ore in excess air  $2ZnS+3O_2 \longrightarrow 2ZnO+2SO_2$
  - Calcination Heating of carbonate ores in limited air  $ZnCO_3 \longrightarrow ZnO + CO_2$

# **Chapter 4: Life Processes**

- Life processes: Continuously perform the functions of maintenance in living organisms.
   Examples: digestion, respiration, circulation etc.
- Nutrition: Process of obtaining nutrients from the environment. Two types- autotrophic and heterotrophic
  - Autotrophic nutrition
    - Synthesis of food by photosynthesis
    - **Photosynthesis equation:**  $6CO_2 + 6H_2O \xrightarrow{\text{Sunlight}} C_6H_{12}O_6 + 6O_2$
    - Two phases of photosynthesis- light and dark reactions
    - Light reaction: light energy absorbed, H<sub>2</sub>O split into H<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>2</sub>, ATP and NADPH<sub>2</sub> synthesized
    - Dark reaction: CO<sub>2</sub> reduced to carbohydrates
  - Heterotrophic nutrition
    - o Generally derive energy from plants and animal sources
    - Mainly of three types: holozoic, parasitic, and saprophytic
    - **Digestion:** mechanical and chemical reduction of ingested nutrients
    - Human digestive system: consists of the long alimentary canal
    - Parts of alimentary canal





• Accessory organs: pancreas, liver

#### \* Respiration

- Enzymatically-controlled energy released from the breakdown of organic substances
- Two types- aerobic and anaerobic
- Aerobic respiration
  - Oxidation of food materials with the help of oxygen
  - Yields 36 ATP
  - First step- glycolysis (occurs in the cytoplasm), 2 pyruvate molecules produced
  - Second step- acetyl CoA produced
  - Third step- Kreb's cycle inside the mitochondrial matrix, energy produced
  - **Last step-** energy converted to ATP by ATP synthase enzyme
- Anaerobic respiration
  - Oxidation of nutrients without utilizing molecular oxygen
  - Yields 2 ATP
  - First step- glycolysis (occurs in the cytoplasm), 2 pyruvate produced
  - o Second step- break down of pyruvic acid into waste products
- Human respiration



- Bronchioles divide to form many alveoli
- Alveoli are sites of gas exchange
- $\circ$  O<sub>2</sub> present in alveolar blood vessels transported to body cells

### \* Transportation

- A liquid medium is required
- Transportation in humans
  - Blood, lymph- involved in transportation
  - o Components of blood- RBCs, WBCs, platelets, and plasma
  - o Two types of blood vessels- arteries and veins
  - Arteries carry oxygenated blood, except pulmonary artery
  - Veins carry deoxygenated blood, except pulmonary vein

• Human heart divided into four chambers – right auricle, right ventricle, left auricle, and left ventricle



- Right side of the heart receives deoxygenated blood
- Left side of the heart receives oxygenated blood

### • Transportation in plants

- Transport of water-xylem
- Transport of food- phloem
- **Excretion:** Involves removal of harmful metabolic wastes from the body.
  - Excretion in humans



- Nitrogenous wastes such as urea and uric acid are removed
- Nephron- basic filtration unit
- Main components of the nephron are: glomerulus, Bowman's capsule, renal tube



# **Chapter 5: Control and Coordination**

- Control and coordination: Working together of various integrated body systems in response to changes in the body for maintenance of bodily functions.
  - Nervous and muscular tissues provide control and coordination
  - **Neurons** -functional units of the nervous system, conduct messages in the form of impulses
  - **Synapse** a small gap between the axon of one neuron and the dendrite of the next neuron
  - Three types of responses of the nervous system
  - Reflex action
    - Automated action in response to a stimulus
    - Possible due to quick detection by sensory receptors and the resultant movement of muscles
    - Reflex arc situated in the spinal cord
  - Voluntary action: Actions such as writing, talking etc. that are under the control of the body.
  - **Involuntary action:** Actions such as breathing, digestion etc. that are not under conscious control

### ✤ Parts of the nervous system

- Human nervous system divided into- central nervous system (CNS) and peripheral nervous system (PNS)
- CNS consists of the brain and spinal cord
- PNS consists of the nerves that connects the CNS to different parts of the body
- The Brain, spinal cord, and nerves are the important parts of the nervous system
- Brain





- o Human brain is classified into- forebrain, midbrain, and hindbrain
- o Forebrain- cerebrum, thalamus, and hypothalamus
- Midbrain
- o Hindbrain- pons, medulla, and cerebellum

# Tropic movement

- Directional movement of a specific part of the plant in response to an external stimulus
- Phototropism- response to light
- Geotropism- response to gravity
- Hydrotropism- response to water
- Chemotropism- response to chemicals
- Thigmotropism- response to touch

# \* Chemical coordination in plants

- Growth and development in plants is possible because of growth hormones or phytohormones
- Auxin, Gibberellin, cytokinin, abscisic acid and ethylene are examples of phytohormones

# Chemical coordination in animals

- Carried out with the help of hormones
- Hormones are secreted by endocrine glands such as the pituitary gland, thyroid gland, adrenal gland, pancreas etc.

# **Chapter 6: Electricity**

- **Electric current:** Amount of charge flowing per unit time.
  - $I = \frac{Q}{I}$  I = current
    - Q = net charge flowing
    - t = time

• Unit: I Ampere  $1A = \frac{1C}{1s}$ 

 $Q \rightarrow \text{Coulomb}(\text{C})$ 

t = Second (s)

Potential difference:

The potential difference between two separate points is defined as the work done to move a unit positive charge from one point to another.

$$V = \frac{W}{Q}$$

• Unit: Volt, 1 Volt = 
$$\frac{1 \text{ joule}}{1 \text{ coulomb}}$$
  $1 \text{ V} = 1 \text{ J C}^{-1}$ 

# ✤ Ohm's law:

Under constant physical conditions (i.e., constant temperature, pressure etc.), the current flowing through a conductor is directly proportional to the potential difference across the conductor.

- Current  $\infty$  potential difference  $(V \propto I)$ V = IR Where, R = resistance
- Unit of resistance (R)  $\rightarrow \Omega$  (Ohm)

$$1\Omega = \frac{1V}{1A}$$

# \* Factors on which resistance depends

- $R \propto l$ , when area of cross-section and material are constant l = length
- $R \propto A$ , when *l* and material are constant A = perpendicular cross-section
- Overall,  $R \propto \frac{l}{A}$
- Or,  $R = \rho \frac{l}{A}$ , where  $\rho$  is resistivity which is different for different material
- Resistivity of a substance is equal to the resistance of a unit square of that substance.
- Unit  $(\rho) \rightarrow \Omega$ . m
- Net resistance of resistors in series connection

 $R_{\rm net}=R_1+R_2+R_3+\ldots+R_n$ 

✤ Net resistance of resistors in parallel

 $\frac{1}{R_{net}} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{R_n}$ 

- Heating Effect of current, heat produced depends on:
  - Potential difference (V)
  - Electric current (I)
  - Time for which current passes (t)
  - Electric energy = *VIt*

• It can be written as: 
$$E = I^2 R t = \frac{V^2}{R} t$$

- Unit  $-1 \text{ kWh} = 3.6 \times 10^6 \text{ J}$
- ✤ Application: Electric iron, toaster, fused wire

**Fuse wire:** a low-melting point wire connected in series with electric devices for safety.

• Electric power:  $P = VI = I^2 R = \frac{V^2}{R}$ 



• Unit:  $1 \text{ W} = 1 \text{V} \times 1 \text{A}$ 

# **Chapter 7: Magnetic Effects of Current**

### Properties of magnetic field lines

- Originate from the North pole and end at the South pole [outside the magnet]
- They are closed continuous lines
- Density of the lines increases near the poles and decreases away from the poles
- Lines never cross each other

# ✤ Magnetic field lines of current carrying wire

- It is circular with axis as the wire.
- Varies with distance from wire. (Inversely proportional)
- Direction depends on direction of current.
- Deflection of compass near a conductor (Shown by arrow):



### Right-hand thumb rule:

When thumb is in direction of current, the curl of fingers gives direction of circular magnetic field.



# Corkscrew rule

If one drives a corkscrew in the direction of the current, then the direction in which the handle is turned is the direction of the magnetic field on the magnetic field lines.

### \* Solenoid

Solenoid is a cylindrical coil having many turns of insulated wires wrapped closely. When current is passed through the coil, a magnetic field is produced along the axis of the coil.



 Direction of force on a current carrying conductor in a magnetic field can be given by Fleming's left-hand rule.



# Application of magnetic force – Electric motor When current is passed through a coil kept in a magnetic field, a force acts on it which rotates the electric motor.

### Electromagnetic Induction

Generation of a current in the conductor due to a varying magnetic field (moving magnet, or moving conductor)

- Application AC/DC generator
- Direction of induced current in a conductor moving in a magnetic fierld can be given by Fleming's right hand rule.





# **Chapter 8: Sources of Energy**

#### ✤ Qualities of a good fuel/source of energy are:

- That would do a large amount of work per unit volume or mass
- Easily accessible
- Easy to store and transport
- Economical

#### **\*** Factors to be considered for choosing fuel are:

- How much heat it produces
- Less smoke generation
- Easy availability

#### **\*** Conventional sources of energy:

- Fossil fuels Coal, petroleum and natural gas
- Advantages
  - Easy availability
  - Generate heat that is easily converted into electricity
- Disadvantages
  - Non-renewable
  - Limited reserve
  - Cause air pollution

### ✤ Non-conventional sources of energy

- Solar energy Solar cooker, solar water heater (very efficient for small scale electricity production)
- Tidal energy, wave energy, ocean thermal energy
- Geothermal energy Heat energy inside the earth
- Wind energy
- Nuclear energy Not dependent on solar energy, never-ending source, very efficient source, more environment friendly
- ◆ Thermal power plant Coal and petroleum are burned to produce heat
- ✤ Hydro power plant (Renewable source)
  - Problems Limited places for construction (only Hilly areas)
- ✤ Technological improvement
  - Bio-mass Charcoal, cow-dung, vegetable waste, sewage
  - Wind energy Environment friendly, renewable