CHAPTER – 3

METALS AND NON – METALS GIST OF THE LESSON

Elements are classified broadly into two categories on the basis of properties:

Metals: Iron, Zinc, Copper, Aluminium etc.

Non – metals: Chlorine, Nitrogen, Hydrogen, Oxygen, Sulphur etc.

Apart from metals and non-metals some elements show properties of both metals and non – metals, e.g. Silicon, Arsenic, Germanium .They are called **metalloids**

Comparison of physical and chemical properties of metals and non - metals:-

| Sr. | Property | Metals | Non-Metals |
|-----|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| No. | | | |
| 1 | Physical State | Metals are solid at room temperature. Except | Non-metals generally exist as solids and |
| | State | mercury and gallium. | gases, except Bromine. |
| 2 | Melting and boiling points | Metals generally have high m.pt and b.pt except gallium and cesium. | Non-metals have low m.pt and b.pt except diamond and graphite. |
| 3 | Density | Generally high. | Generally low. |
| 4 | Malleability and Ductility | Malleable and ductile. | Neither malleable nor ductile. |
| 5 | Electrical and thermal conductivity | Good conductors of heat and electricity. | Generally poor conductors of heat and electricity except graphite. |
| 6 | Luster | Poses shining luster. | Do not have luster except iodine. |
| 7 | Sonorous sound | Give sonorous sound when struck. | Does not give sonorous sound. |
| 8 | Hardness | Generally hard except Na, K | Solid non-metals are generally soft except diamond. |

Comparison of Chemical Properties of Metals and Non-metals:-

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|---|---------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1 | Reaction with | Metal + Oxygen→ Metal oxide | Non-metal + Oxygen → Non-metal oxide | | | |
| | Oxygen | | | | | |
| | Oxygen | $4\text{Na(s)} + \text{O}_2(g) \rightarrow$ | $C + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2$ | | | |
| | | $2Na_2O(s)$ | $S + O_2 \rightarrow SO_2$ | | | |
| | | $4Al(s) + 3O_2(g) \rightarrow 2Al_2O_3$ | Non-metals form acidic | | | |
| | | Metals form basic oxides | oxides | | | |
| | | Zn and Al form amphoteric | CO and H ₂ O are neutral | | | |
| | | oxides (they show the | oxides(they are neither | | | |
| | | properties of both acidic | acidic nor basic in | | | |
| | | and basic oxides) | nature) Non- | | | |
| | | Most of the metal oxides | metal oxides are soluble | | | |
| | | are insoluble in water | in water | | | |
| | | Some of them dissolve to | They dissolve in water to | | | |
| | | form Alkali | form acids | | | |
| | | $Na_2O(s) + H_2O(l) \rightarrow$ | $SO_2 + H_2O \rightarrow H_2SO_3$ | | | |
| | | 2NaOH(aq) | | | | |
| 2 | Reaction | Metals react with water to | Non-metals do not react | | | |
| | with water | form metal oxides or metal | with water, steam to | | | |
| | | hydroxide and H ₂ gas is | evolve hydrogen gas. | | | |
| | | released. | Because Non-metals | | | |
| | | $2Na(s) + 2H_2O(1) \rightarrow$ | cannot give electrons to | | | |
| | | 2NaOH + | hydrogen in water so that | | | |
| | | $H_2(g)$ | it can be released as H ₂ | | | |
| | | + heat | gas. | | | |
| 3 | Reaction | $Metal + Acid \rightarrow Metal salt$ | Non-metals do not react | | | |
| | with dilute | + Hydrogen | with acids to release H ₂ | | | |
| | Acids | | gas Reason- | | | |
| | | HCl | Non-metals cannot loose | | | |
| | | $Mg(s) + 2HCl(aq) \rightarrow$ | electrons and give it to | | | |
| | | $MgCl_2(aq) + H_2(g)$ | Hydrogen ions of acids | | | |
| | | H_2SO_4 | so that the gas is | | | |
| | | $2Na(s) + H_2SO_4 \rightarrow$ | released. | | | |
| | | $Na_2SO_4(aq) + H_2(g)$ | $Mn + 2HNO_3 \rightarrow$ | | | |
| | | HNO ₃ | $Mn(NO_3)_2 + H_2$ | | | |
| | | Metal + HNO ₃ \rightarrow H ₂ gas is | H ₂ gas from HNO ₃ | | | |
| | | not displaced. | | | | |
| | | Reason- HNO ₃ is strong | | | | |
| | | oxidizing agent. | | | | |
| 4 | Reaction | When metals react with salt | When non-metals react | | | |
| | with salt | solution, more reactive | with salt solution, more | | | |
| | solutions | metal will displace a less | reactive non-metal will | | | |
| | | reactive metal from its salt | displace a less reactive | | | |
| | | solution. CuSO ₄ (aq) | non-metal from its salt | | | |
| | | $+ Zn(s) \rightarrow ZnSO_4(aq) +$ | solution. | | | |
| | | Cu(s) | 2 NaBr(aq) + Cl ₂ (g) \rightarrow | | | |
| | | | $2\text{NaCl}(aq) + \text{Br}_2(aq)$ | | | |
| 5 | Reaction | Metal + Chlorine → Metal | Non-metal + Chlorine → | | | |

| | with | Chloride | Non-metal Chloride |
|---|----------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Chlorine | ionic bond is formed. | covalent bond is formed. |
| | | Therefore Ionic compound | Therefore covalent |
| | | is obtained. 2Na | compound is obtained. |
| | | $+ Cl_2 \rightarrow 2NaCl$ | $H_2(g) + Cl_2 \rightarrow 2HCl$ |
| 6 | Reaction | Metals react with hydrogen | Non-metals react with |
| | with | to form metal hydride | hydrogen to form |
| | Hydrogen | This reaction takes place | hydrides $H_2(g) +$ |
| | | only for most reactive | $S(1) \rightarrow H_2S(g)$ |
| | | metals. 2Na(s) | |
| | | $+ H_2(g) \rightarrow 2NaH(s)$ | |

Properties of ionic compounds

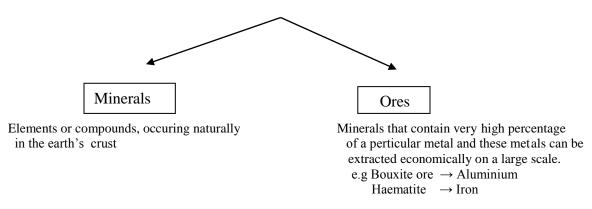
- 1. Physical nature:solid and hard due to strong force of attraction. (generally brittle)
- **2. Melting point and boiling point:**have high M.P and B.P, as large amount of heat energy is required to break strong ionic attraction.
- **3. Solubility:** soluble in water and insoluble in kerosene and pertrol.
- 4. Conduction of electricity:ionic compounds in solid state----does not conduct electricity.

Reason—Ions can not move due to rigid solid structure. Ionic compounds conduct electricity in molten state.

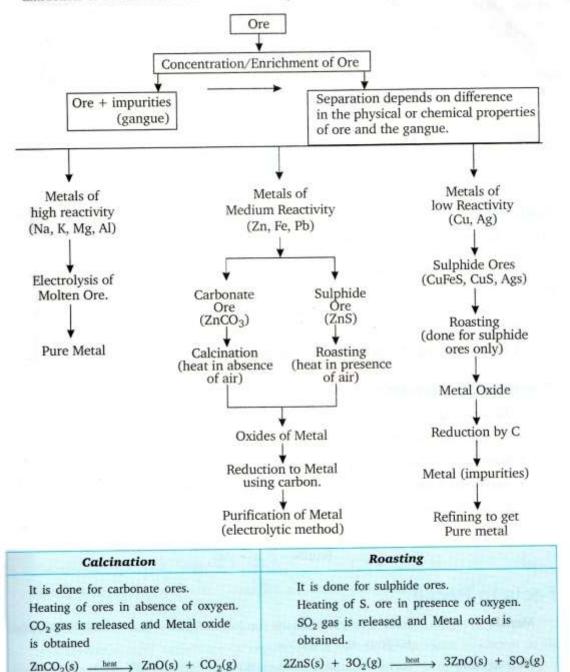
Reason-- Ions can move freely since the electrostatic forces of attraction between the oppositely charged ions are overcome due to heat.

Occurrence of metals.

It occurs in Earths crust, sea-water



Extraction of Metals based on their reactively. The various steps involved are as follows.



Refining of Metals

To obtain pure metal electrolytic refining of metals is done.

MIND MAP

METALS AND

NON - METALS

NON-

METAL

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES Solid High M .P & B. P **METALS** High density

CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

- Metal + $O_2 \rightarrow$ metal oxide
- Metal + $H_2O \rightarrow metal$ hydroxide
- Metal + dil. Acid →salt + H₂
- Metal + Cl → metal chloride
 - Matal ± H. Amatal hydrida

Malleable & ductile

Good conductor of

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

- Solid, liquid and gas
- Not malleable & ductile
- Low M.P & B.P
- Poor conductor of heat electricity

CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

- Non-metal + $O_2 \rightarrow$ Non-
- Non-metal + steam→H₂
- Non-metal + acid → no
- Non-metal + chlorine → nonmetal chloride
- metal oxide
- reaction

METALS AND NON – METALS FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT I Q.PAPER

MARKS-30 TIME- 70 MINUTES

Instructions:

Questions: 1 to 5 – 1 Mark each
Questions: 6 to 9 – 2 Marks each
Questions: 10 to 13 – 3 Marks each

• Question 14 – 5 Marks

- 1) Which metal other than mercury is liquid at room temperature?
- 2) Why the item made of silver turns black when exposed to air?
- 3) Which non metal is lustrous?
- 4) What is an amalgam?
- 5) What is the nature of oxides of metal?
- 6) Give reasons for the following:
 - a) Na, K and Ca metals form hydrides by combination with hydrogen gas, but most other metals do not.
 - b) Metals conduct electricity.
- 7) Write the equations for the reactions of:
 - a) Iron with steam.
 - b) Calcium and potassium with water.
- 8) What is activity series? How does it help us in predicting the relative reactivities of various metals?
- 9) What is the difference between sodium atom and sodium ion?

10)

- a) Write electron dot structure for sodium and oxygen.
- b) Show the formation of Na₂O by electron transfer.
- c) What are the ions present in these compounds?
- 11) Write three properties of ionic compounds.
- 12) Explain how a metal low in the activity series can be extracted. Write suitable example.

13) Give reasons:

- a) Platinum, gold and silver are used to make jewellery.
- b) Sodium, potassium and lithium are stored under oil.
- c) Aluminium is a highly reactive metal; still it is used to make utensils for cooking.

14) Name the following:

- a) A non metal that is a good conductor of electricity.
- b) A metallic oxide which cannot be reduced by coke.
- c) A metallic oxide which is amphoteric in nature.
- d) A non metallic oxide which is neutral.
- e) Principal ore of aluminium.

HOTS QUESTIONS (SOLVED / UNSOLVED)

- Q.1 a) What are amphoteric oxides? Choose the amphoteric oxides from amongst the following: Na₂O, ZnO, Al₂O₃, CO₂, H₂O
 - b) Why is it that non metals do not displace hydrogen from dilute acid?
- Ans. a) The oxides which are acidic as well as basic in nature are called amphoteric oxides. ZnO and Al₂O₃are amphoteric oxides.
 - b) Non metals can not loose electrons so that H⁺ ions become hydrogen gas.
- Q.2. What is anodizing? What is its use?
- Ans. The process of forming thick oxide layer of aluminium oxide that makes it resistant to further corrosion.
- Q.3. What is Aqua regia? What is its use?
- Ans. It is a mixture of concentrated HCl and concentrated HNO₃ in the ratio 3:1. It can dissolve gold and platinum.
- O.4. Give reason: Aluminium is highly reactive metal, but it is used to make utensils for cooking.
- Q.5. Explain why (a) Iron articles are frequently painted. (b) Iron sheets are coated with Zinc layer.
- Q.6 On adding dilute HCl acid to copper oxide powder, the solution formed is blue green. Predict the new compound formed which imparts a blue green colour to the solution? Write its equation.
- Q.7. Name the property of metal used in the following cases- (i) Aluminium foil (ii) Meta jewellery (iii) Cable wires (iv) Bells
- Q.8. How can you prove that Zinc is more reactive than Copper?
- Q.9. Draw and explain the electrolytic refining of impure Copper.
- Q.10. Why is Aluminium extracted from Alumina by electrolytic reduction and not by reducing it with Carbon?
- Q.11 Write 3 points of difference between Calcination & Roasting?
- Q.12 Write 5 points of difference between Ionic compound and covalent compound.
- Q.13 What is thermit reaction? Give its one use.
- Q.14 What is amalgam?
- Q. 15 Magnesium when reacts with hot water, starts floating. Why?

FA II METALS AND NON – METALS

ORAL QUESTIONS

- 1. Name the metal which is a liquid.
- 2. Name the non metal which shows lustre.
- 3. Name the lightest metal.
- 4. Name the metal with highest density.
- 5. Name the property of the metals by virtue of which these can be beaten into sheets
- 6. Name the property of the metals by virtue of which these can be drawn into wires.
- 7. Name the material which is kept in water.
- 8. Name the metal used for galvanisation of iron.
- 9. Mercury is liquid and a good conductor of heat. How is this property utilized?

QUIZ – WHO AM I

- 1. I am a property of metals which appears at lower temperatures.
- 2. I am noble conductor of heat and electricity.
- 3. Though I get corroded in atmosphere but still find wide applications for making kitchen utensils.
- 4. I am a metal but very soft and cannot be kept in the open.
- 5. I am called a series and play a significant role when a metal reacts with solutions of other metal salts.
- 6. Scientists / Industrialists use me to extract metals profitably and economically.
- 7. I am a process to refine metals of high reactivity.
- 8. I am a process associated with wasting away of metals by the action of atmospheric gases and moisture
- 9. I am homogenous and not a compound though my formation least to altering the properties of metals involved.
- 10. We belong to the same category of elements but still combine to form molecules / compounds.