

Alkali and Alkaline Earth Metals 3

11th Standard

Chemistry

Exam Time : 01:15:00 Hrs

Total Marks : 40

20 x 2 = 40

- 1) Why alkali metals do not occur free in native?
- 2) Explain the following:
The second ionisation enthalpy values of alkali metals are high.
- 3) Mention the uses of lithium.
- 4) Lithium halides are covalent. Explain.
- 5) Discuss the biological importance of sodium and potassium.
- 6) Give methods of preparation of beryllium chloride.
- 7) How does (i) solubility, (ii) thermal stability, (iii) basic character hydroxides of group 2 elements vary down the group.
- 8) Explain with equations beryllium hydroxide is amphoteric.
- 9) What happens when carbon dioxide is passed through lime water? Give equation.
- 10) Explain the term 'desert rose'.
- 11) What is 'dead burnt plaster'? What is use?
- 12) Explain the action of hydrogen with alkali metals.
- 13) Explain the action of sodium with water
- 14) Atomic radii of alkaline earth metals are smaller than the corresponding members of alkali metals. Why?
- 15) How would you prepare beryllium hydride from beryllium chloride?
- 16) Write about the uses of strontium.
- 17) What is milk of lime? How CO_2 reacts with it?
- 18) How gypsum occurs in nature?
- 19) What is meant by setting of cement?
- 20) Why is Li_2CO_3 decomposed at a lower temperature whereas Na_2CO_3 at higher temperature?
