PRACTICE TEST PAPER: CLASS-X METALS AND NON-METALS

Q1. Why do non-metals not conduct electricity? Also, name one of the non-metal that conducts electricity.

Q2. Write balanced chemical equations for the following :

- a) Dilute sulphuric acid reacts with aluminium powder.
- b) Dilute hydrochloric acid reacts with sodium carbonate.
- c) Carbon dioxide is passed through lime water.

Q3. Fill in the blanks:

- a) SO₂ is the product of of sulphide ores.
- b) ZnO can be reduced by
- c) forms greenish layer due to basic copper carbonate.

Q4. a) Show the formation of NaCl from sodium and chloride atoms by the transfer of electrons.

b) Why sodium chloride has a high melting point?

Q5. What are amphoteric oxides? Choose the amphoteric oxides from Na_2O , ZnO , Al_2O_3 , CO_2 , $H_2O.$

Q6. Give reason : Metals can be given different shapes according to our needs.

Q7. a) Name the solvent in which the ionic compounds are generally soluble.

b) Why are aqueous solutions of ionic compounds able to conduct electricity?

Q8. From amongst the metals sodium, calcium, aluminium, copper and magnesium, name the metal

a) Which reacts with metal only on boiling.

b) Another which does not react even with steam.

Q9. Give reason : Gold and Silver are used for the making of jewellery.

Q10. An element A reacts with water to form a compound B which is used in white washing. The compound B on heating forms an oxide which on treatment with water gives back B. Identify A,B and C and give the reactions involved.