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| Note: (1) Think and Answer | (2) Read the questions properly |
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| Objective: To examine the level of knowledge implementation. |                    |  |  |  |  |
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## **I. Objective Questions**

## A. Multiple Choice Questions:

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- **1:** A few substances are grouped in increasing order of their particle's 'forces of attraction.' Which of the following is the correct order?
  - A. Water, oxygen, chalk
  - B. Salt, juice, wind
  - C. Nitrogen, water, sugar
  - D. Air, salt, oil
- **2.** A form of matter has no fixed shape and no fixed volume. An example of this form of matter is:
  - A. Petrol
  - B. Iron
  - C. Krypton
  - D. Carbon steel
- 3. Combustibility is a
  - A. Physical property
  - B. Reactive Property
  - C. Chemical Property
  - D. Not a property
- 4. CO<sub>2</sub> can be easily liquefied and even solidified because
  - A. It has weak forces of attraction
  - B. It has comparatively more force of attraction than other gases
  - C. It has more intermolecular space
  - D. It is present in atmosphere
- 5. Under which of the following conditions we can boil water at room temperature?
  - A. At low pressure
  - B. At high pressure
  - C. At very high pressure
  - D. At atmospheric pressure
- **6.** Which of the following is a characteristic of a liquid?
  - A. Has a definite shape and volume

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| В. | Takes | the | shape | of its | container |

- C. Neither has a definite shape nor a definite volume
- D. Has a definite shape but no definite volume
- 7. What is the state of matter characterized by having no definite shape or volume?
  - A. Solid
  - B. Liquid
  - C. Gas
  - D. Plasma
- 8. What is the freezing point of water in Celsius?
- a) 0°C
- b) 100°C
- c) -273°C
- d) 373°C
- **9.** Which state of matter has the least kinetic energy?
- a) Solid
- b) Liquid
- c) Gas
- d) Plasma
- **10.** Which of the following is a characteristic of a solid?
- a) Takes the shape of its container
- b) Has a definite volume but no definite shape
- c) Has neither a definite shape nor a definite volume
- d) Has a definite shape and volume
- 11. What happens to the volume of a substance when it changes from a solid to a liquid?
  - A. It decreases
  - B. It increases
  - C. It remains the same
  - D. It cannot be determined
- **12**. Which of the following is NOT a state of matter?
- a) Solid b) Gas c) Plasma d) Energy
- **13.** Which of the following is a chemical property of matter?
- a) Boiling point
- b) Melting point
- c) Density
- d) Reactivity with acid

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| B. Fill in the blanks:  | $[0.5 \times 6 = 3]$                      |  |  |
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| (a) properties can be measured o identity or the composition of the substance.  | r observed without changing the           |  |  |
| (b) Diffusion of solids are than liquids  | 5.  |  |  |
| (c) Molecules in a are packed ve  | ry closely.                               |  |  |
| (d) A gas on cooling liquefies to the   |   |  |  |
| (e) The three states of matter are interconvertible by and  | y changing the conditions of              |  |  |
| (f) When a gas is cooled, its molecules   | energy.                                   |  |  |
| II. Short Answer Questions: (Attempt any 3 q  | [ 2 x 3 = 6 ]                             |  |  |
| Q1. Give two examples for each of the following:  |   |  |  |
| <ul><li>a) The substances which sublime.</li><li>b) The substances which do not change their state</li></ul>  | te on heating.                            |  |  |
| Q2. State which of the three states of matter i.e. soli   | ids, liquids or gases - have              |  |  |
| <ul><li>I. No definite volume</li><li>II. A definite shape</li><li>III. High density</li><li>IV. No free surfaces</li><li>V. Particles which diffuse very easily.</li></ul> |   |  |  |
| Q3. State in which of the following examples i.e. a pi  | iece of wood, water, a light gas is the - |  |  |
| (a) Inter-particle space maximum  |   |  |  |
| (b) Inter-particle attraction maximum   |   |  |  |
| (c) Energy possessed by particles of matter, very larg  | ge.                                       |  |  |
| <b>Q4.</b> Why can a piece of chalk be broken easily into s be broken easily?   | smaller pieces while a coal piece cannot  |  |  |

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III. Long Answer Questions: (Attempt any 2 questions only)

 $[3 \times 2 = 6]$ 

- Q1. State the main postulates of the kinetic theory with special reference to -
- (a) Inter-particle space
- (b) Inter-particle attraction
- (c) Energy possessed by particles of matter.
- **Q2.** Draw a labelled schematic diagram representing the terms (a) to (e) involved in the inter-conversion of matter.
- **Q3.** Give reasons for the following:
  - 1. Particles of matter possess energy called kinetic energy.
  - 2. Solids cannot be compressed, but gases are highly compressible.
  - 3. Kinetic energy of molecules of gases is very large & of solids, the least.
  - 4. On heating a sublimable solid, the molecules break free & escape from surface of the solid directly into vapour.
  - 5. Particles of matter move more rapidly on application of heat.