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1. Which statement correct about halogens?

- (a) **They are all diatomic and form univalent ions**
- (b) They are all capable of exhibiting several oxidation states
- (c) They are all diatomic and form diatomic ions
- (d) They are all reducing agents

2. Which of the following is not oxidized by MnO_2 ?

- (a) **F^-**
- (b) Cl^-
- (c) Br^-
- (d) I^-

3. Which one of the following is the strongest acid?

- (a) $\text{SO}(\text{OH})_2$
- (b) $\text{SO}_2(\text{OH})_2$
- (c) $\text{ClO}_2(\text{OH})$
- (d) **$\text{ClO}_3(\text{OH})$**

4. Fluorine react with water to give :

- (a) Hydrogen fluoride and oxygen
- (b) Hydrogen fluoride and ozone
- (c) Hydrogen fluoride and oxygen fluoride
- (d) **Hydrogen fluoride, oxygen and ozone**

5. Astatine is the element below iodine in the group VIIA of the periodic table which of the following statement is not true for astatine?

- (a) It is less electronegative than iodine
- (b) **It will exhibit only -1 oxidation state**

(c) Intermolecular forces between the astatine molecule will be large than between iodine molecule

(d) It is compound of diatomic molecule

6. Which of the following statement is not correct when a mixture of NaCl and $K_2Cr_2O_7$ is gently warmed with con. H_2SO_4

(a) A deep red vapour is evolved.

(b) The vapour when passed in to NaOH solution gives a yellow solution of Na_2CrO_4

(c) **Chlorine gas is evolved**

(d) Chromyl chloride is formed

7. Oxidising action increases from left to right in the order:

(a) $Cl_2 < Br_2 < I_2 < F_2$

(b) $Cl_2 < I_2 < Br_2 < F_2$

(c) $I_2 < F_2 < Cl_2 < Br_2$

(d) **$I_2 < Br_2 < Cl_2 < F_2$**

8. The solubility of iodine in water is greatly increased by:

(a) **OCl^-**

(b) O_2

(c) Cl_2

(d) Cl^-

9. The solubility of iodine in water is greatly increased by :

(a) Adding an acid

(b) Boiling the solution

(c) Cooling the solution

(d) **Adding potassium iodide**

10. The correct statement is :

(a) **SO_2 is the anhydride of sulphurous acid**

- (b) H_2S is the anhydride of hydrosulphuric acid
- (c) NO_2 is the anhydride of HNO_3
- (d) HCL is anhydride of HCl