

## Short Answer Questions-II

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### Short Answer Questions-II (PYQ)

**Q.1. Answer the following**

**Q. Based on the nature of intermolecular forces, classify the following solids:**

**Silicon carbide, Argon**

**Ans. Silicon carbide:** Covalent solid

**Argon:** Molecular solid (non-polar)

**Q.2. Answer the following questions.**

**Q. Frenkel defects are not found in alkali metal halides.**

**Ans.** This is because alkali metal ions have larger size which cannot fit into interstitial sites.

**Q. Schottky defects lower the density of related solids.**

**Ans.** As the number of ions decreases as a result of Schottky defect, the mass decreases whereas the volume remains the same.

**Q. Impurity doped silicon is a semiconductor.**

**Ans.** This is due to additional electron or creation of an electron hole on doping with impurity. Creation of electron hole results in *p*-type semiconductor whereas additional electron results in *n*-type semiconductor.

**Q.3. Answer the following questions.**

**Q. What type of stoichiometric defect is shown by KCl and why?**

**Ans.** KCl shows Schottky defect as the cation,  $K^+$  and anion,  $Cl^-$  are of almost similar sizes.

**Q. What type of semiconductor is formed when silicon is doped with As?**

**Ans.** *n*-type semiconductor.

**Q.4. Answer the following questions.**

**Q. What is the radius of sodium atom if it crystallises in bcc structure with the cell edge of 400 pm?**

**Ans.**

For a bcc structure,  $r = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a$

$$\therefore r = \frac{1.732}{4} \times 400 \text{ pm} = 173.2 \text{ pm}$$

**Q.5. Examine the given defective crystal:**

|                |                 |                |                |                |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| X <sup>+</sup> | Y <sup>-</sup>  | X <sup>+</sup> | Y <sup>-</sup> | X <sup>+</sup> |
| Y <sup>-</sup> | Z <sup>2+</sup> | Y <sup>-</sup> | X <sup>+</sup> | Y <sup>-</sup> |
| X <sup>+</sup> | Y <sup>-</sup>  |                | Y <sup>-</sup> | X <sup>+</sup> |
| Y <sup>-</sup> | X <sup>+</sup>  | Y <sup>-</sup> | X <sup>+</sup> | Y <sup>-</sup> |

(a) Write the term used for this type of defect.

(b) What is the result when XY crystal is doped with divalent (Z<sup>2+</sup>) impurity?

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**Ans.**

- Impurity defect.
- Each Z<sup>2+</sup> replaces two X<sup>+</sup> ions. It occupies the site of one X<sup>+</sup> ion and other site remain vacant. The vacancies results in the higher electrical conductivity of the solid.

**Q.6. Examine the given defective crystal:**

X<sup>+</sup> Y<sup>-</sup> X<sup>+</sup> Y<sup>-</sup> X<sup>+</sup>

Y<sup>-</sup> X<sup>+</sup> Y<sup>-</sup> X<sup>+</sup> Y<sup>-</sup>

X<sup>+</sup> Y<sup>-</sup> X<sup>+</sup> e<sup>-</sup> X<sup>+</sup>

Y<sup>-</sup> X<sup>+</sup> Y<sup>-</sup> X<sup>+</sup> Y<sup>-</sup>

**Answer the following questions:**

**Q. Is the above defect stoichiometric or non-stoichiometric?**

**Ans.** Non-stoichiometric defect

**Q. Write the term used for the electron occupied site.**

**Ans.** F-centre

**Q. Give an example of the compound which shows this type of defect.**

**[CBSE Ajmer 2015]**

**Ans.** When crystals of NaCl are heated in an atmosphere of Na vapours or when crystals of KCl are heated in an atmosphere of K vapours.

**Q.7. Iron has a body centred cubic unit cell with a cell dimension of 286.65 pm. The density of iron is  $7.874 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$ . Use this information to calculate Avogadro's number.**

**(At. mass of Fe = 55.845 u)**

**[CBSE Delhi 2012; (F) 2012]**

**Ans.**

$$a = 286.65 \text{ pm} = 286.65 \times 10^{-10} \text{ cm}; M = 55.845 \text{ g mol}^{-1}; d = 7.874 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

For bcc unit cell,  $z = 2$

Substituting the values in the expression,  $N_A = \frac{z \times M}{a^3 \times d}$ , we get

$$N_A = \frac{2 \times 55.845 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}{(286.65 \times 10^{-10} \text{ cm})^3 \times 7.874 \text{ g cm}^{-3}}$$

$$N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

**Q.8. The density of copper metal is  $8.95 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$ . If the radius of copper atom is 127.8 pm, is the copper unit cell a simple cubic, a body-centred cubic or a face-centred cubic structure?**

**(Given: At. mass of Cu = 63.54 g mol<sup>-1</sup> and  $N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ )**

**[CBSE Delhi 2010; (AI) 2010]**

**Ans.**

Suppose copper has *fcc* structure

$$\therefore z = 4, a = 2\sqrt{2}r$$

$$d = \frac{z \times M}{a^3 \times N_A} \quad \dots (i)$$

Here,  $M = 63.54 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ ,  $N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$

$$a = 2\sqrt{2}r = 2\sqrt{2} \times 127.8 \text{ pm} = 2\sqrt{2} \times 127.8 \times 10^{-10} \text{ cm}$$

$$a = 3.614 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm}$$

Substituting these values in the expression (i), we get

$$\begin{aligned} d &= \frac{4 \times 63.54 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}{(3.614 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm})^3 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}} \\ &= 8.94 \text{ g cm}^{-3} \end{aligned}$$

As the calculated value of density ( $8.94 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$ ) is in agreement with the given value ( $8.95 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$ ).

Therefore, copper unit cell has face-centred cubic structure.

**Q.9. The density of lead is  $11.35 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$  and the metal crystallises with *fcc* unit cell. Estimate the radius of lead atom.**

[CBSE Delhi 2011]

(At. mass of lead =  $207 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$  and  $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ )

**Ans.**

$$d = \frac{z \times M}{a^3 \times N_A} \Rightarrow a^3 = \frac{z \times M}{d \times N_A} \quad \dots (i)$$

For a *fcc* unit cell,  $z = 4$

$$M = 207 \text{ g mol}^{-1}, N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}, d = 11.35 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

Substituting these values in equation (i), we get

$$a^3 = \frac{4 \times 207 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}{11.35 \text{ g cm}^{-3} \times 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}}$$

$$a^3 = \frac{4 \times 207 \times 10}{11.35 \times 6.02 \times 10^{24}} \text{ cm}^3$$

$$a = \left( \frac{8280}{11.35 \times 6.02} \right)^{1/3} \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Let } x = \left( \frac{8280}{11.35 \times 6.02} \right)^{1/3}$$

$$\log x = [\log 8280 - \log 11.35 - \log 6.02]$$

$$= [3.9180 - 1.0549 - 0.7796]$$

$$\log x = [2.0835] = 0.6945$$

$$x = \text{Antilog } (0.6945) \quad \Rightarrow \quad x = 4.949$$

$$\therefore a = 4.949 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm} \quad \Rightarrow \quad a = 494.9 \text{ pm}$$

$$\text{For a fcc unit cell, } r = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$r = \frac{494.9}{2\sqrt{2}} \text{ pm} = \frac{494.9\sqrt{2}}{4} \text{ pm} = \frac{494.9 \times 1.414}{4} \text{ pm}$$

$$r = 174.95 \text{ pm}$$

**Q.10.** An element crystallizes in a fcc lattice with cell edge of 400 pm. Calculate the density if 200 g of this element contain  $2.5 \times 10^{24}$  atoms.

[CBSE (F) 2016]

**Ans.**

$$\text{Moles of the element} = \frac{\text{Atoms of the element}}{N_A}$$

$$\text{or} = \frac{\text{Mass of the element}}{\text{Molar mass}} = \frac{2.5 \times 10^{24} \text{ atoms}}{6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms mol}^{-1}}$$

$$\frac{200 \text{ g}}{\text{Molar mass}} = \frac{2.5 \times 10^{24}}{6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}}$$

$$\text{Molar mass} = \frac{200 \text{ g} \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}}{2.5 \times 10^{24}}$$

$$\text{Molar mass, } M = 48.18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Here, } z = 4, M = 48.18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}, N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

$$a = 400 \text{ pm} = 400 \times 10^{-10} \text{ cm} = 4 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm}$$

Substituting these values in the expression,

$$d = \frac{z \times M}{a^3 \times N_A}, \text{ we get}$$

$$d = \frac{4 \times 48.18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}{(4 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm})^3 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}}$$

$$= 5 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

### Short Answer Questions-II (OIQ)

**Q.1. Answer the following questions.**

**Q. What type of semiconductor is obtained when Ge is doped with In?**

**Ans.** *p*-type semiconductor

**Q.2. What type of magnetism is shown in the following alignment of magnetic moments?**

↑      ↑      ↑      ↑      ↑      ↑

**Ans.** Ferromagnetism

**Q.3. What type of point defect is produced when AgCl is doped with CdCl<sub>2</sub>?**

**Ans.** Impurity defect

**Q.2. What are the reasons of electrical conductivity in (i) metals, (ii) ionic solids, and (iii) semiconductors?**

**Ans.**

- i. It is due to flow of electrons.
- ii. It is due to flow of ions in solution or molten state and defects in the solid state.
- iii. It is due to the presence of impurities and defects.

**Q.3. Answer the following questions.**

**Q. simple cubic unit cell?**

**Ans.**  $8 \text{ (corner atoms)} \times \frac{1}{8} \text{ (atom per unit cell)} = 1$

**Q. body centred cubic unit cell?**

**Ans.**  $8 \text{ (corner atoms)} \times \frac{1}{8} + 1 \text{ (body centre atom)} \times 1 = 1 + 1 = 2$

**Q. face centred cubic unit cell?**

**Ans.**  $8 \text{ (corner atoms)} \times \frac{1}{8} + 6 \text{ (face centre atoms)} \times \frac{1}{2} = 1 + 3 = 4$

**Q.4. What is the coordination number of**

- i. zinc in zinc blende (ZnS)?
- ii. oxide ion in sodium oxide (Na<sub>2</sub>O)?
- iii. calcium in calcium fluoride (CaF<sub>2</sub>)?

**Ans.** (i) 4      (ii) 8      (iii) 8

**Q.5. Write the coordination number of each ion in the following crystals:**

- i. ZnS
- ii. CaF<sub>2</sub>
- iii. Na<sub>2</sub>O

**Ans.**

- i. Zn<sup>2+</sup> = 4, S<sup>2-</sup> = 4
- ii. Ca<sup>2+</sup> = 8, F<sup>-</sup> = 4
- iii. Na<sup>+</sup> = 4, O<sup>2-</sup> = 8

**Q.6. Sodium has a bcc structure with nearest neighbour distance 365.9 pm. Calculate its density (Atomic mass of sodium = 23).**

**Ans.**

For the *bcc* structure, nearest neighbour distance ( $d$ ) is related to the edge ( $a$ ) as

$$d = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} a$$

$$\text{or, } a = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} d = \frac{2}{1.732} \times 365.9 = 422.5 \text{ pm}$$

For *bcc* structure,  $z = 2$

For sodium,  $M = 23$

$$\text{Density, } d = \frac{z \times M}{a^3 \times N_A}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 23 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}{(422.5 \times 10^{-10} \text{ cm})^3 \times (6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1})} = 1.013 \text{ g/cm}^3$$

**Q.7. Chromium crystallises in *bcc* structure. If its atomic diameter is 245 pm, find its density. Atomic mass of Cr = 52 amu and  $N_A = 6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ .**

**Ans.**

$$\text{Diameter} = 245 \text{ pm}$$

$$\therefore \text{Radius} = \frac{245}{2} \text{ pm} = 122.5 \text{ pm}$$

$$\text{In a } bcc \text{ structure, } r = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a \quad \text{or} \quad a = \frac{4r}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$a = \frac{4 \times 122.5}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{490}{1.732} = 282.91 \text{ pm}$$

$$d = \frac{z \times M}{a^3 \times N_A} = \frac{2 \times 52}{(282.91 \times 10^{-10} \text{ cm})^3 \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}}$$

$$= \frac{104}{2.264 \times 10^{-23} \times 6.02 \times 10^{23}} = \frac{104}{2.264 \times 6.02}$$

$$= 7.63 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

**Q.8. The edge length of unit cell of a metal having molecular weight 75 g/mol is  $5\text{\AA}$  which crystallises in cubic lattice. If the density is  $2 \text{ g/cm}^3$  then find the radius of metal atom. ( $N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23}$ )**

[HOTS]

Ans.

$$M = 75 \text{ g mol}^{-1}, a = 5\text{\AA} = 5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm}, N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}, d = 2 \text{ g cm}^{-3}$$

$$d = \frac{z \times M}{a^3 \times N_A}$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{d \times a^3 \times N_A}{M}$$

$$= \frac{2 \text{ g/cm}^3 \times (5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm})^3 \times 6 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}}{75 \text{ g/mol}} = 2$$

As the metal ( $z = 2$ ) has *bcc* structure

$$r = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} a = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \times 5$$

$$= \frac{1.732 \times 5}{4} = 2.165 \text{ \AA}$$

$$= 2.165 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm} = 216.5 \text{ pm}$$

**Q.9.** An element has a body-centred cubic *bcc* structure with a cell edge of 288 pm. The density of the element is 7.2 g/cm<sup>3</sup>. How many atoms are present in 208 g of the element? [CBSE Sample Paper 2016]

[HOTS]

Ans.

$$\text{Density of unit cell, } d = \frac{z \times M}{a^3 \times N_A} \quad \text{or} \quad M = \frac{d \times a^3 \times N_A}{z} \dots (i)$$

$$\text{Here, } z = 2, d = 7.2 \text{ g cm}^{-3}, N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

$$a = 288 \text{ pm} = 288 \times 10^{-10} \text{ cm} = 2.88 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm}$$

Substituting these values in expression (i), we get

$$M = \frac{7.2 \text{ g cm}^{-3} \times (2.88 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm})^3 \times 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}}{2} = 51.78 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Moles of element} = \frac{\text{Mass of element}}{\text{Molar mass}} = \frac{208 \text{ g}}{51.78 \text{ g mol}^{-1}} = 4.02 \text{ mol}$$

$$\therefore \text{ atoms present in 208 g of element} = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \times 4.02 \text{ atoms}$$

$$\mathbf{2.421 \times 10^{24} \text{ atoms}}$$