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Acids can react with bases or alkalis to produce salt and water

- (a) Name this type of reaction.
- (b) Write a balanced chemical equation for the following reactions.
 - (i) Magnesium oxide powder and sulfuric acid solution
 - (ii) Iron(II) oxide powder and nitric acid solution
 - (iii) Aluminium oxide powder and hydrochloric acid solution
 - (iv) Ammonium hydroxide solution and hydrochloric acid solution
 - (v) Sodium hydroxide solution and ethanoic acid solution (CH₃COOH)
 - (vi) Potassium hydroxide and nitric acid solution

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02

The table given below shows the colours of two indicators, methyl orange and methyl red, commonly used in the laboratory at different pH values.

рН	2	3	4	5	6
Methyl orange	Red		Yellow		
Methyl red	Red			Yellow	

Four solutions of different pH values are given below.

Solutions	Р	Q	R	S
рН	2	3	5	6

- (a) In which solution(s) will both the indicators be red?
- (b) In which solution(s) will both the indicators be yellow?

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03

pH scale is used to measure the strength of an acid or a base. Its value ranges from 0 – 14. pH of acids lies between 0 – 6, that of bases between 8 – 14 and pH of neutral salt is 7.

- (a) What is the pH of sodium chloride?
- (b) What is the pH range of HC1?

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- (c) Which base has a maximum pH value?
- (d) What is the pH of drinking water?







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When chlorine gas is bubbled into water for killing the harmful germs, the following reaction takes place.

$$CI_2(g) + H_2O(I) \rightarrow HCI(aq) + HOCI (aq)$$

- (a) Is the resulting solution acidic, basic or neutral? Explain your answer.
- (b) When a piece of blue litmus paper is put into the solution, it turned red in colour. Why?
- (c) Write the formula of the salt formed if aqueous sodium hydroxide is added to HC/ solution.





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When calcium hydroxide is added to the acidic soils, It neutralises acids very fast. The soil will not be acidic anymore and plants can grow healthily.

- (a) Why neutralization reaction is very slow and less effective when limestone or lime are added to acidic soils?
- (b) Why calcium hydroxide should not be mixed with fertilizers containing ammonium salts to reduce the acidity of soil?

