

Q. Balance the redox rxn. by ion-electron method:-

Ques: State what happens when

Potassium permanganate is treated with ferrous sulphate in acid medium.

Ans: In aqueous acid medium potassium permanganate ($KMnO_4$) oxidises $FeSO_4$ to $Fe_2(SO_4)_3$ and it self reduces to Mn^{2+} .
Hence the molecular unbalanced eqn can be written as
 $KMnO_4 + FeSO_4 \rightarrow MnSO_4 + Fe_2(SO_4)_3 + K_2SO_4$ (in H_2SO_4 medium).

(b) The ionic form of this molecular eqn can be written as
 $MnO_4^- + Fe^{2+} \rightarrow Mn^{2+} + Fe^{3+}$
This ionic eqn can be broken into oxidation and reduction half-reacs as -
 $MnO_4^- \rightarrow Mn^{2+}$ (reduction)
 $Fe^{2+} \rightarrow Fe^{3+}$ (oxidation)

(c) Hence the balanced partial eqn will be
 $MnO_4^- + 8H^+ + 5e \rightarrow Mn^{2+} + 4H_2O$ (i)
and $Fe^{2+} \rightarrow Fe^{3+} + e$ (ii)
Multiplying eqn no. (i) by 1 and (ii) by 5 and adding them we get,
 $MnO_4^- + 8H^+ + 5Fe^{2+} \rightarrow Mn^{2+} + 4H_2O + 5Fe^{3+} + 5e$

$MnO_4^- + 8H^+ + 5Fe^{2+} \rightleftharpoons Mn^{2+} + 4H_2O + 5Fe^{3+}$
This is the balanced eqn in ionic form.

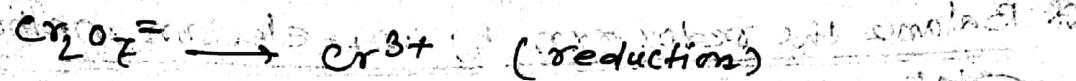
Q. ~~Q. 2) Potassium dichromate is treated with potassium iodide in dilute acid medium.~~

In aqueous acid medium $K_2Cr_2O_7$ oxidises KI to I_2 and itself reduces to Cr^{3+} salt.

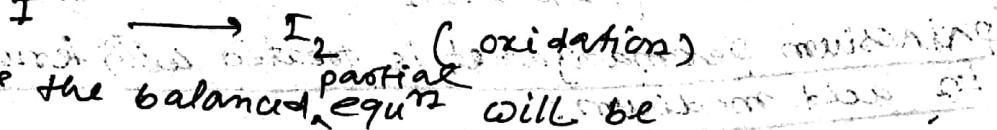
Hence the molecular unbalanced eqn can be written as
 $K_2Cr_2O_7 + KI \rightarrow I_2 + Cr_2(SO_4)_3$ (in H_2SO_4 medium)

(b) The ionic form of this molecular eqn can be written as
 $Cr_2O_7^{2-} + I^- \rightarrow I_2 + Cr^{3+}$

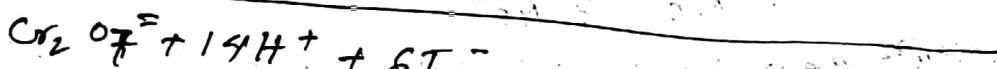
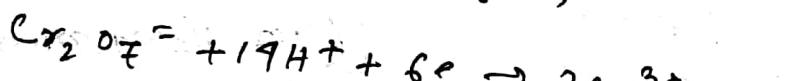
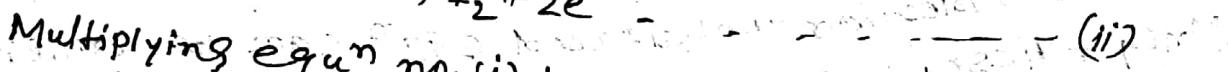
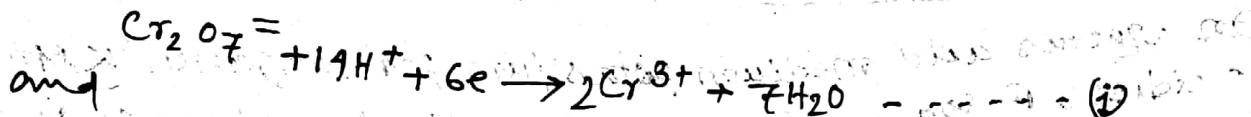
This ionic eqn can be broken into oxidation and reduction half-reacs as -



I^-

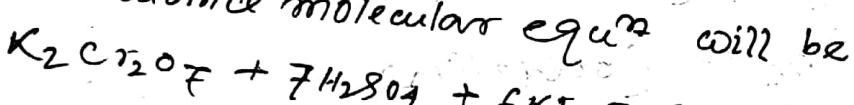


③ Hence the balanced ^{partial} eqn will be



This is the balance eqn in ionic form.

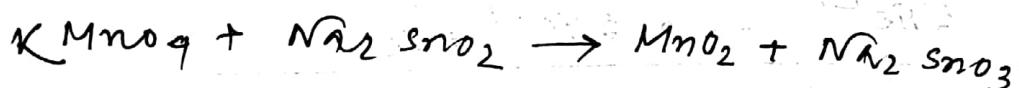
(d) The balance molecular eqn will be



Q. ③ potassium permanganet is treated with sodium stannide in acidic medium.

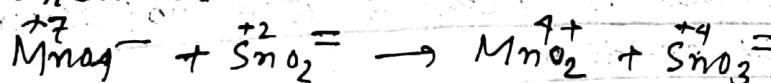
Ans. In aqueous alkaline medium KMnO_4 oxidises sodium stannite (Na_2SnO_2) to sodium stannate (Na_2SnO_3) and itself reduces to Mn^{2+} salt.

Hence the molecular unbalance eqn can be written as

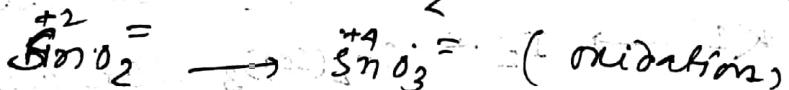
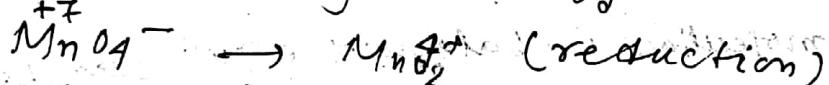


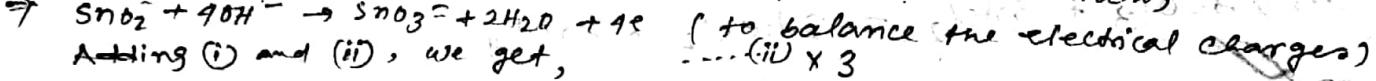
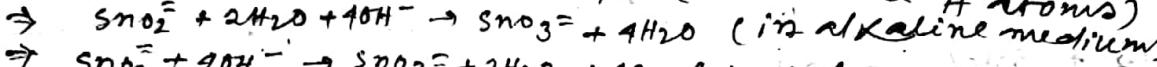
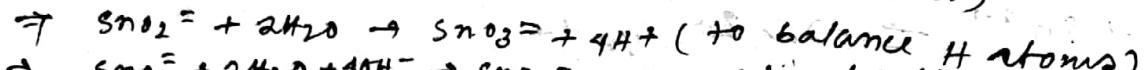
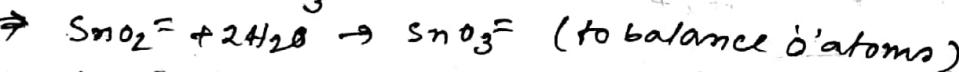
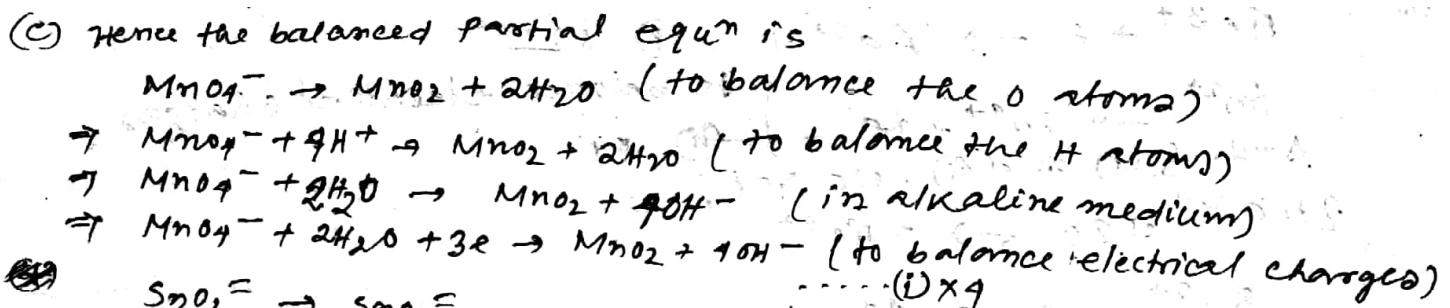
(in alkaline medium)

(b) The ionic form of the molecular eqn can be written as

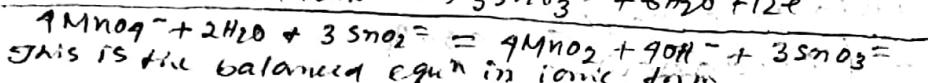
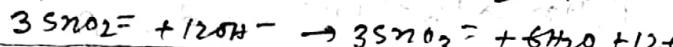


The ionic eqn can be broken into oxidation and reduction half rows as

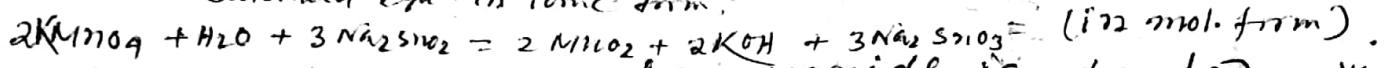




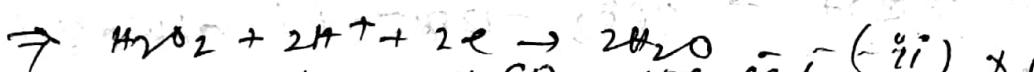
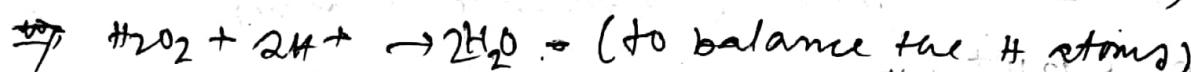
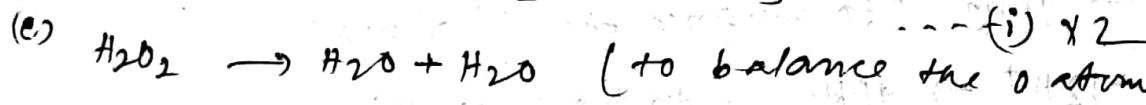
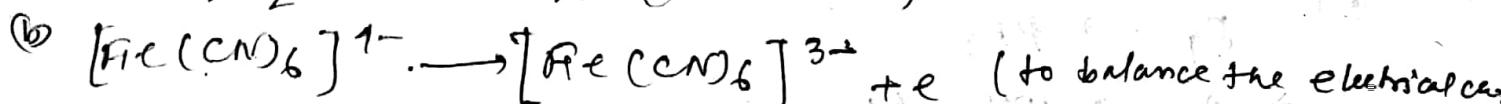
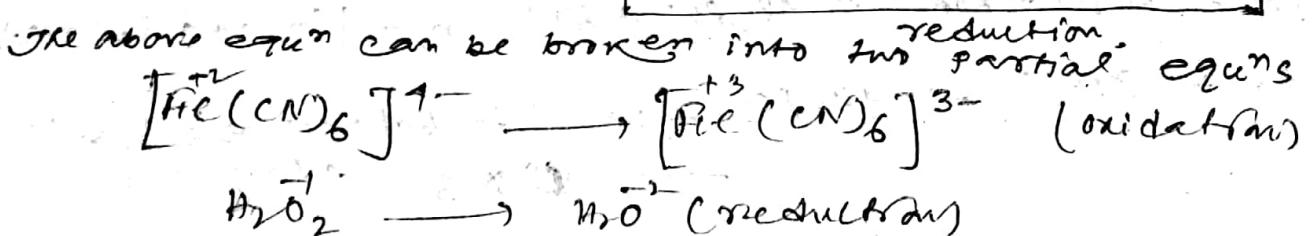
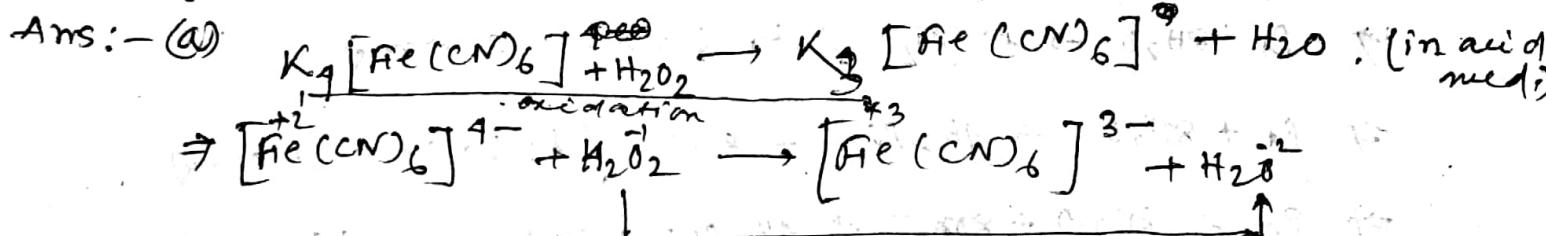
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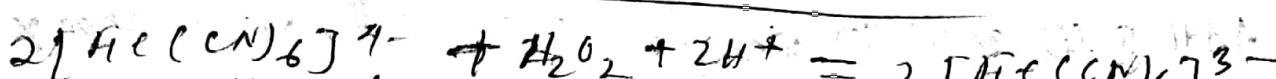
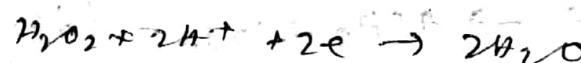
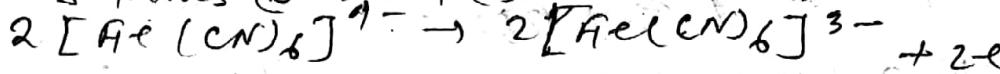
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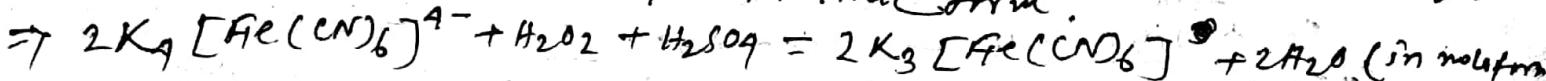
Q: (d) potassium perhydroxide ferricyanide is treated with hydrogen peroxide in acid medium.



Adding (i) and (ii), we get,

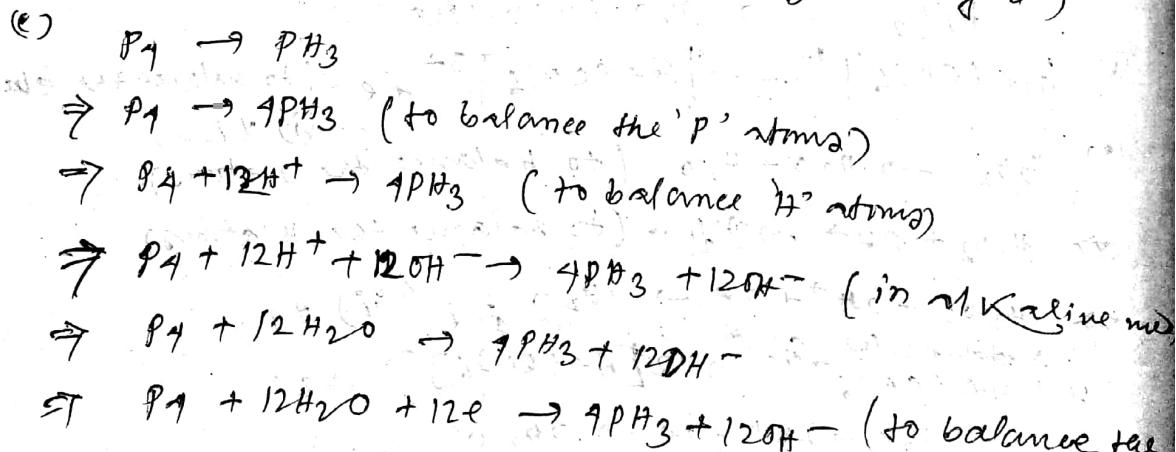
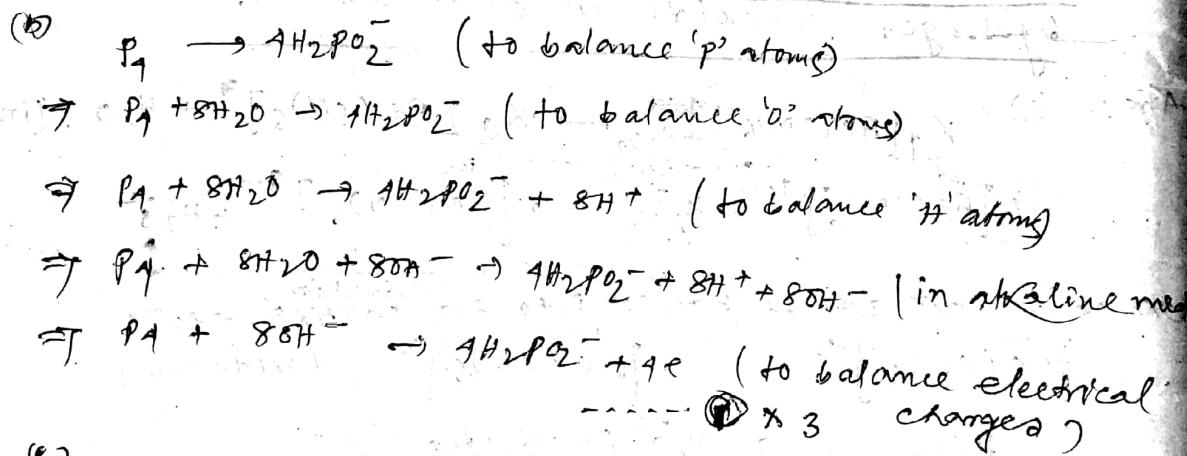
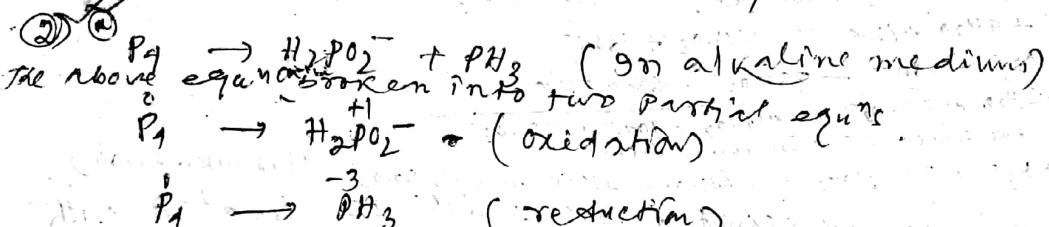
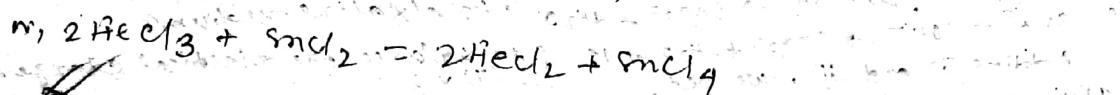
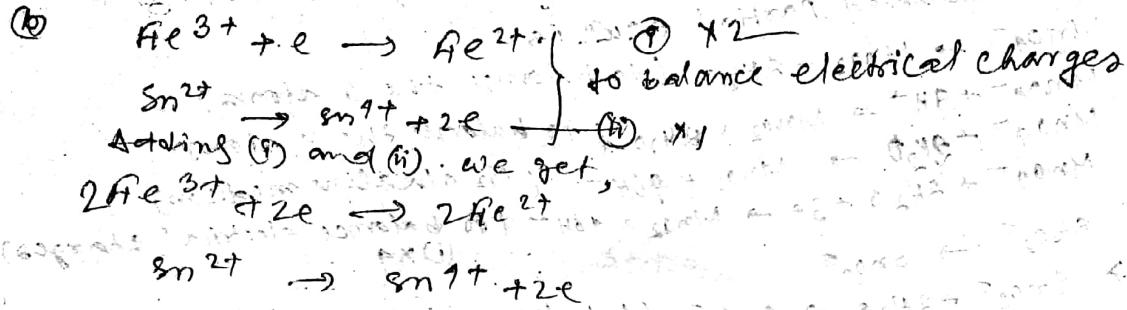
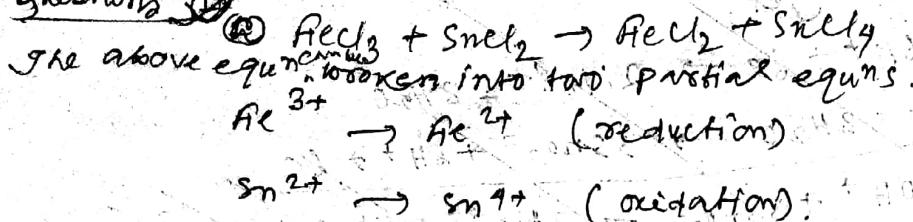


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Questions



Adding (4) and (5) we get,

