

CHEMISTRY GENERAL EQUATIONS FOR SCHOOL CERTIFICATE

1. acid + reactive metal above hydrogen in reactivity series \rightarrow salt of the acid + hydrogen
2. acid + base or alkali \rightarrow salt + water
3. $\text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{OH}^-(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l})$
4. acid + carbonate \rightarrow salt of the acid + water + carbon dioxide
5. $2 \text{H}^+(\text{aq}) + \text{CO}_3^{2-}(\text{s}) \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) + \text{CO}_2(\text{g})$
6. base + ammonium salt $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$ salt + water + ammonia
7. $\text{OH}^-(\text{aq}) + \text{NH}_4^+(\text{aq}) \xrightarrow{\Delta} \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) + \text{NH}_3(\text{g})$
8. group I metal + water \rightarrow metal hydroxide + hydrogen
9. Reactive metal + salt of less reactive metal(aq) \rightarrow salt of reactive metal(aq) + less reactive metal
10. Reactive metal + oxide of less reactive metal $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$ reactive metal oxide + less reactive metal
11. Unstable metallic carbonate $\xrightarrow{\Delta}$ metallic oxide + carbon dioxide
12. Alkanes + oxygen \rightarrow carbon dioxide + water vapour
13. Alkenes + oxygen \rightarrow carbon dioxide + water vapour
14. Alkenes + hydrogen $\xrightarrow{\text{Ni, } \Delta, \text{ pressure}}$ alkanes
15. Alkenes + steam $\xrightarrow{\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4, \Delta, \text{ pressure}}$ alcohols
16. Alcohols + oxygen \rightarrow carbon dioxide + water vapour
17. alcohol $\xrightarrow{\text{oxidising agent}}$ carboxylic acid
18. carboxylic acid + alcohol $\xrightleftharpoons{\text{conc. H}_2\text{SO}_4, \text{ warm}}$ ester + water