

Quiz (Preparation of Salt)

Describe briefly, with suitable chemical equation(s), to show how you would prepare each of the following salts:

- (a) Calcium carbonate \longrightarrow Calcium chloride

- (b) Magnesium \longrightarrow Magnesium nitrate

- (c) Lead(II) nitrate \longrightarrow Lead(II) chloride

- (d) Potassium hydroxide \longrightarrow Potassium sulphate

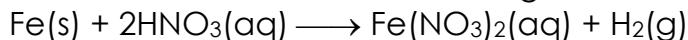
- (e) Barium carbonate \longrightarrow Barium sulphate

Suggested Answer

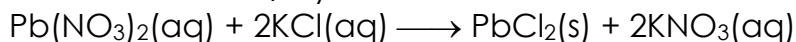
- (a) Action of dilute hydrochloric acid on excess calcium carbonate.



- (b) Action of dilute nitric acid on magnesium.



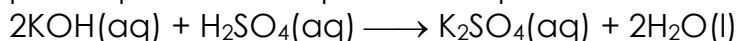
- (c) Action of lead(II) nitrate solution on potassium chloride solution / sodium chloride solution / hydrochloric acid.



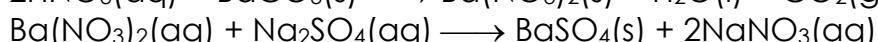
OR $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2(\text{aq}) + 2\text{NaCl}(\text{aq}) \longrightarrow \text{PbCl}_2(\text{s}) + 2\text{NaNO}_3(\text{aq})$

OR $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2(\text{aq}) + 2\text{HCl}(\text{aq}) \longrightarrow \text{PbCl}_2(\text{s}) + 2\text{HNO}_3(\text{aq})$

- (d) Titration between potassium hydroxide solution and dilute sulphuric acid with phenolphthalein. Repeat the experiment with the recorded amount of solutions.



- (e) Action of dilute nitric acid / hydrochloric acid on barium carbonate to obtain barium nitrate / chloride solution; then action of sodium / potassium sulphate solution on barium nitrate / chloride solution to obtain barium sulphate.



OR $2\text{HCl}(\text{aq}) + \text{BaCO}_3(\text{s}) \longrightarrow \text{BaCl}_2(\text{s}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{l}) + \text{CO}_2(\text{g})$

