

Duration: 3 hours

Total marks: 100

Please check whether you have got the right question paper

- NB: 1. All questions are compulsory  
 2. Answers to the same questions must be written together  
 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks  
 4. The use of log table/ non programmable calculator is allowed

**Q 1 (A) Select the correct option and complete the following statements. (12)**

- i) \_\_\_\_\_ is a salt of strong electrolytes.  
 a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$  b)  $\text{CH}_3\text{COONa}$  c)  $\text{Ba}(\text{OH})_2$
- ii) pH of 0.25 M HCl is \_\_\_\_\_ in an aqueous medium.  
 a) 0.6021 b) 6.021 c) 0.2061
- iii) Electromagnetic radiation propagates in the form of \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) longitudinal waves b) surface waves c) transverse waves
- iv) Crystalline solids \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) are isotropic b) possess sharp melting point c) possess irregular geometry
- v) The Steric number for water molecule is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) 4 b) 2 c) 8
- vi) The bond angle in  $\text{HgCl}_2$  is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a)  $120^\circ$  b)  $90^\circ$  c)  $180^\circ$
- vii) The strongest oxidising agent in the electrochemical series is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) hydrogen b) fluorine c) lithium
- viii) A graphical plot of potential vs pH of an aqueous electrochemical system is called as \_\_\_\_\_ diagram.  
 a) Pourbaix b) Frost c) Walsh
- ix) Nitrobenzene on further nitration gives \_\_\_\_\_ as the predominant product.  
 a) o-dinitrobenzene b) m-dinitrobenzene c) p-dinitrobenzene
- x) The number of pi electrons in cycloheptatriene is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a) 6 b) 4 c) 8
- xi) The distance between the flagpole 'H' atoms in the boat form of cyclohexane is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a)  $2.81 \text{ \AA}$  b)  $1.83 \text{ \AA}$  c)  $3.02 \text{ \AA}$

- xii) The \_\_\_\_\_ bonds in chair form of cyclohexane are parallel to the axis of symmetry.  
a) axial b) equatorial c) flag pole

**(B) State whether the following statements are True or False (3)**

- i) The pH is a qualitative measure of the acidity or basicity of a solution.  
ii) The process of reducing the sulphide ores into more reducible oxide is known as roasting.  
iii) Chlorine atom has strong withdrawing inductive effect.

**(C) Match the following columns (5)**

Column -A		Column- B	
i	Weak base	a.	4 and 9
ii	Delayed emission of radiation	b	pyridine
iii	The normal pH range of natural water is between	c.	o-p directing group
iv	Covalency of N	d.	fluorescence
v	-Cl	e.	3
		f.	phosphorescence
		g.	6 and 7

**Q. 2 (A) (i)** Calculate  $[H_3O^+]$ ,  $[OH^-]$  and pH of a 0.2M solution of HCN (5)  
( $K_a = 7.2 \times 10^{-10}$ ).

(ii) Explain the concept of ionic product of water. (3)

**OR**

**(A) (i)** Define the term 'degree of ionization'. What are the factors that affects the degree of ionization? (5)

(ii) 4.9g of  $H_2SO_4$  is present in  $500cm^3$  of a solution. Calculate the pH of a solution (Mol. Wt of  $H_2SO_4 = 98$ ). (3)



- (B) (i) Calculate the a) frequency in wavenumber (5)  
b) energy of one photon of radiation.

whose wavelength is 350nm ( $c=3 \times 10^8$  m/s:  $h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34}$  Js).

- (ii) Give three differences between crystalline solid and amorphous solid. (3)

OR

- (B) (i) State the law of symmetry. Explain the various axis of symmetry for a cubic crystal. (5)

- (ii) Give three characteristics of electromagnetic radiation. (3)

- (C) (i) Define a) Triprotic acid (2)  
b) pOH

- (ii) Define a) Unit cell (2)  
b) lattice plane

OR

- (C) (i) Define a) Diprotic acid (2)  
b) Buffer action

- (ii) Define a) Scattering of radiation (2)  
b) Spectroscopy

- Q.3** (A) (i) Define polarizability of an anion. Explain any two factors which favour covalent character of an ionic bond. (5)

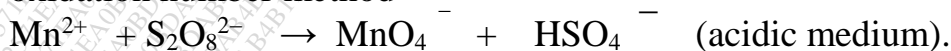
- (ii) Draw Lewis dot structure of the following. (3)  
a)  $\text{BF}_3$  b)  $\text{NH}_3$

OR

- (A) (i) What is VSEPR theory? Describe the basic ideas of VSEPR theory given by Gillespie and Nyholm. (5)

- (ii) Explain the following with suitable examples. (3)  
a) covalent bond b) ionic bond

- (B) (i) Balance the following equation with stepwise explanation using oxidation number method (5)



- (ii) Give the applications of Latimer diagram. (3)

OR

- (B) (i) Write the chemical equation for the redox reaction between  $\text{Ce}^{4+}$  and  $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ . Calculate the  $E_{\text{system}}$  for the titration of  $10.0 \text{ cm}^3$  of  $0.1 \text{ M Fe}^{2+}$  solution with (5)

a)  $1.0 \text{ cm}^3$

b)  $10 \text{ cm}^3$

of  $0.1 \text{ M}$  standard solution of  $\text{Ce}^{4+}$  in the presence of dilute sulphuric acid at  $298 \text{ K}$ .

Given:  $[E_{\text{Pt/Fe}^{3+}, \text{Fe}^{2+}}^0 = 0.771 \text{ V}, E_{\text{Pt/Ce}^{4+}, \text{Ce}^{2+}}^0 = 1.44 \text{ V}]$

- (ii) Write all the disproportionation reaction of  $\text{Cu}^+$  (3)

- (C) (i) Explain the application of VSEPR theory for predicting the shape and  $\text{F}-\text{Cl}-\text{F}$  bond angle in  $\text{ClF}_3$  [At No of Cl = 17]. (4)

OR

- (C) (i) Explain the application of VSEPR theory for predicting the shape and  $\text{F}-\text{Xe}-\text{F}$  bond angle in  $\text{XeF}_2$  [At No of Xe = 54]. (4)

- Q. 4 (A) (i) Draw the chair and boat forms of cyclohexane and explain their stabilities. (5)

- (ii) Discuss the concept of flipping of cyclohexane. (3)

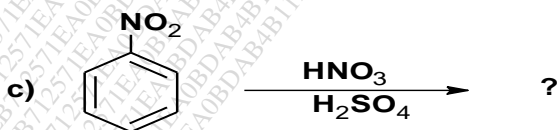
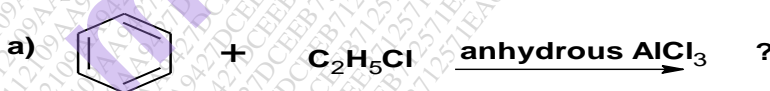
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- (A) (i) Explain with suitable examples Baeyer Strain theory. (5)

- (ii) Draw the resonating structures of Naphthalene and Anthracene. (3)

- (B) (i) Discuss the characteristic properties of aromatic compounds. (5)

- (ii) Complete the following reactions. (3)



OR

- (B) (i) Give the general mechanism of aromatic electrophilic substitution. (5)

- (ii) Explain the Van der Waals strain in cycloalkanes. (3)

- (C) (i) Explain Hammond's postulates. (4)
- OR**
- (C) (i) Classify the following groups as ortho-para ( o-p ) directing or meta(m) directing groups. (4)
- a)  $\text{-NH}_2$    b)  $\text{-CH}_3$    c)  $\text{-COOH}$    d)  $\text{-SO}_3\text{H}$

**Q 5 Attempt any Four of the following**

- (A) Derive Henderson's equation for the pOH of basic buffer. (5)
- (B) a) Explain the term electromagnetic spectrum. (2)
- b) Determine the Miller indices of the following planes intersecting at  $\infty$  a: 3b:  $\frac{1}{2}$  c. (3)
- (C) Find out the oxidation number of Cr in the following. (5)
- i)  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$    ii)  $\text{K}_2\text{CrO}_4$    iii)  $\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_3$    iv)  $\text{Cr(OH)}_3$    v)  $\text{CrCl}_3$
- (D) Explain the role of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  as an oxidizing agent with suitable example. (5)
- (E) What is Friedel Crafts alkylation reaction? Explain its mechanism. (5)
- (F) Explain activated aromatic rings in electrophilic substitution reaction using resonance structures. (5)

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