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B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

Fourth Semester

Complementary Course—ADVANCED PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY – II
(For Student who have opted Physical Science and Geology as main)
(2013-2016 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Part A

*Answer all questions.
Each question carries 1 mark.*

1. How many normal modes of vibration may a diatomic molecule have ?
2. Define Chromophore.
3. What is the order of a reaction ?
4. What is zero point energy ?
5. State Beer–Lambert law.
6. Define standard electrode potential
7. What is electrochemical series ?
8. Define equivalent conductance.

(8 × 1 = 8)

Part B

*Answer any six questions.
Each question carries 2 marks.*

9. Sketch the different vibrational modes of H₂O. Which of them are IR active ?
10. State and explain Frank–Condon principle.
11. The rate constant of a first order reaction is $7 \times 10^{-4} \text{S}^{-1}$. What is the time taken for the reactant to be reduced to one-fourth of the initial concentration ?
12. An aqueous solution of Sodium Cyanide is basic. Explain reason.
13. What are the possible electronic transition for organic compounds ?

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14. Define Faraday's law of electrolysis.
15. What are the limitations of liquid junction potential ?
16. Explain photosensitised reaction.
17. Construct Calomel electrode and explain its uses.
18. Explain the hydrogen-Oxygen fuel cell.

(6 × 2 = 12)

Part C

*Answer any four questions.
Each question carries 4 marks.*

19. Derive an expression for the moment of inertia of a diatomic rigid rotator.
20. Explain two methods for the determination of the order of a reaction.
21. Differentiate between Phosphorescence and fluorescence.
22. Derive an expression for e.m.f. of a concentration cell with transference.
23. Explain the oxidation-reduction titration.
24. Explain the determination of transport number using moving boundary method.

(4 × 4 = 16)

Part D

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 12 marks.*

25. (a) Define molar extinction coefficient. Explain its importance.
(b) The pure rotational spectrum of HCl consists of equally spaced lines separated by 20.8 cm^{-1} . Calculate the moment of inertia and bond length.
(c) Explain how internuclear separation can be studied from pure rotational spectra.
26. Explain the application of e.m.f. measurements.
27. (a) Explain the application of conductance measurements.
(b) What are the advantages of conductometric titrations ?
28. (a) Give Arrhenius equation and explain the significance of the Arrhenius parameters.
(b) Discuss the methods for the determination of Arrhenius parameters.
(c) Explain the term photoluminescence and chemiluminescence.

(2 × 12 = 24)

