

**B.Sc. 3rd Semester (Honours) Examination, 2023 (CBCS)**

**Subject : Chemistry**

**Course : CC-V**

**(Physical Chemistry-II)**

**Time: 2 Hours**

**Full Marks: 40**

*Candidates are requested to give their answers in their own words  
as far as practicable.*

1. Answer any five questions:

2×5=10

- (a) Show that the error in the de Broglie wavelength ( $\lambda$ ) is related to the error in velocity ( $v$ ) by the relation  $d\lambda = -(\lambda/v) dv$ .
- (b) Derive a relation between ionic mobility and ionic conductance.
- (c) State and explain Walden's rule.
- (d) The conductivity of pure water at 25°C is  $5.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ S m}^{-1}$ , calculate the value of molar conductance of pure water at that temperature. Given the density of pure water is 0.997 g/mL at 25°C.
- (e) If there is 1% error in the value of 'r', the radius of capillary, what will be the error in the viscosity coefficient value calculated by using Poiseuille equation?
- (f) The IR spectrum of  $^{75}\text{Br}^{19}\text{F}$  consists of an intense line at  $380 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . Calculate the force constant of  $^{75}\text{Br}^{19}\text{F}$  considering SHO approximation.
- (g) Depict schematically the normalized harmonic-oscillator wave functions and corresponding probability densities for first two states of a SHO.
- (h) Ice melts at lower temperature under higher pressure. – Explain according to Le Chatelier's principle.

2. Answer any two questions:

5×2=10

(a) (i) Prove  $\left(\frac{\partial A}{\partial n_i}\right)_{V,T,n_{j \neq i}} = \left(\frac{\partial H}{\partial n_i}\right)_{S,P,n_{j \neq i}}$

- (ii) 2 mol of  $\text{N}_2$  and 2 mol of He gas are mixed at 300 K. Considering the gases as ideal, calculate  $\Delta S_{\text{mix}}$  and  $\Delta G_{\text{mix}}$  and hence arrive at the value of  $\Delta H_{\text{mix}}$  using the value of  $\Delta G_{\text{mix}}$  and  $\Delta S_{\text{mix}}$ .

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- (b) (i) If  $Z = Z(X, Y)$ , where  $Z$  is a thermodynamic state function with natural variables  $X$  and  $Y$ , write the expression of 'partial molar  $Z$ ' and the expression of 'chemical potential' in terms of  $Z$  for an open system.
- (ii) Derive an expression for the fugacity of a gas that obeys the equation of state:  $P(V-b) = RT$ , where  $b$  is a constant and  $V$  refers to molar volume. 2+2+1
- (iii) What is the significance of Gibbs-Duhem equation? 2+2+1
- (c) (i) Show that the length of the 1D box is an integral multiple of  $\lambda/2$  where  $\lambda$  is the wavelength associated with the particle-wave for the particle in 1D box.
- (ii) Normalise the wave function  $N_1(a^2 - x^2)$  within  $-a \leq x \leq a$ .
- (iii) Starting from Newton's law, arrive at the dimension of viscosity coefficient. 2+2+1
- (d) (i) Determine the degrees of degeneracy of the level with energy  $38h^2/8ma^2$  for a particle of mass ' $m$ ' moving in a cubical box of side length ' $a$ '.
- (ii) Find out the dimension of the wave function for the 'particle in 1D box' system with proper justification.
- (iii) Name the phenomenon that proves the 'particle like behavior of light' and the 'wave like behavior electron'. 2+2+1

## 3. Answer any two questions:

10×2=20

- (a) (i) State and explain Ostwald dilution law and hence derive the following relation:  
 $1/\Lambda = 1/\Lambda^\circ + c\Lambda/K\Lambda^{\circ 2}$ , [ $\Lambda^\circ$  = molar conductance at infinite dilution,  $K$  = dissociation constant and  $c$  = concentration] and comment on its utility.
- (ii) Draw the curves for the conductometric titration of oxalic acid with NaOH and  $\text{NH}_4\text{OH}$  in two separate diagrams with proper explanation.
- (iii) If the equivalent conductances of solutions with varying concentrations of sodium acetate, sodium chloride and hydrochloric acid are plotted against  $\sqrt{c}$ , the intercepts obtained are 91.0, 128 and 425 respectively in  $\text{ohm}^{-1} \text{cm}^2 \text{eqv}^{-1}$  unit at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ . If the resistance of 0.02 molar solution of acetic acid in a cell with cell constant  $0.2061 \text{cm}^{-1}$  be 888 ohms at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ , what is the degree of dissociation of the acid at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ .
- (iv) What is meant by Newtonian fluid? Define the viscosity coefficient of such a fluid. 3+2+3+2
- (b) (i) Show that  $e^{ikx}$  is an eigenfunction of the operator  $P_x = -ih(\partial/\partial x)$ . Find the eigenvalue.
- (ii) Derive the expression for the operator  $[(d/dx+x)(d/dx-x)]$ .

- (iii) Calculate the wavelength of the photon absorbed when a particle of mass  $10^{-27}$  g confined to move freely in a 1D box of length  $6\text{\AA}$  undergoes a transition from  $n=2$  to  $n=3$  level.
- (iv) The classical turning point of a SHO, by definition, is a point at which  $E-V(x)=0$ . Find out the value of the classical turning point of a SHO at its ground state in terms of the fundamental frequency of the oscillator.
- (v) What is meant by the term 'action'? What is its utility? Write its unit & dimension.  
2+2+2+2+2
- (c) (i) Show that the equilibrium condition for a chemical reaction is give by  $\sum v_i \mu_i = 0$ , where the symbols have their usual significance.
- (ii) The dissociation constant of  $\text{CaCO}_3$  at  $900^\circ\text{C}$  and  $1000^\circ\text{C}$  are measured to be 790 mm and 2940 mm respectively. Calculate the heat dissociation at this temperature range.
- (iii) Discuss about the relative values of the total ion conductance of the pair of dilute solutions of the same strong electrolyte in each of the cases below with short explanations:
- (I) Solution 1 and solution 2 having molar concentration  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  [ $c_1 > c_2$ ] at same temperature in same solvent.
- (II) Solution 3 and solution 4 having same molar concentration at temperature  $T_3$  and  $T_4$  respectively [ $T_3 > T_4$ ] in same solvent.
- (III) Solution 5 and solution 6 having same molar concentration in two different solvents with same viscosity but varying di-electric constants  $\epsilon_5$  and  $\epsilon_6$  [ $\epsilon_5 > \epsilon_6$ ] at same temperature.
- (IV) Solution 7 and solution 8 having same molar concentration in two different solvents with same di-electric constants but varying viscosity coefficients  $\eta_7$  and  $\eta_8$  [ $\eta_7 > \eta_8$ ] at same temperature.
- (iv) How is it possible to approach to the value of 'conductance at infinite dilution' without dilution of a dilute solution of a strong electrolyte? Explain with reference to Debye-Huckel theory.  
2+2+4+2
- (d) (i) The partial molar volumes of the components for an ideal solution are equal to the respective molar volumes of the pure components. —Justify the statement.
- (ii) Prove that the addition of inert gas to a gaseous reacting system at constant volume keeping the temperature fixed, does not affect the equilibrium.
- (iii) Write down the standard expression of reaction isotherm. From it, derive the Reaction Isochore.
- (iv) Find the value of the commutator of  $\hat{x}$  and  $\hat{p}_x$ .

- (v) If we like to extract at a time 51% of the iodine present in 100 ml of an aqueous solution of the same, what volume of  $CCl_4$  is needed? Given that at the experimental temperature, the distribution coefficient of iodine between  $CCl_4$  and water is 85.      2+2+2+2+2
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