

**B.Sc. 3rd Semester (Honours) Examination, 2019 (CBCS)**

**Subject : Chemistry**

**(Physical Chemistry-II)**

**Paper : CC-5**

**Time: 2 Hours**

**Full Marks: 40**

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

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

1. Answer *any five* questions of the following: 2×5=10
- (a) Define Newtonian and non-Newtonian fluid.
  - (b) Transport number of  $\text{Cl}^-$  ion in the solution of HCl and NaCl is same, if the solutions are of same molarity.—Comment.
  - (c) If the resistance of a 0.1(N) aqueous solution of KCl is measured in conductivity cells having different cell constants, will the values of conductance and specific conductance change? — Justify.
  - (d) Using van't Hoff equation, obtain the value of  $(d \ln K_p / d(1/T))$ . Comment on its sign for an exothermic reaction.
  - (e) Plot  $\mu - \mu^\circ$  vs.  $\ln(P/P^\circ)$  for an ideal gas ( $P^\circ = 1$  bar). [The terms have their usual significance.]
  - (f) Find the degeneracy of a quantum particle in a cubic box having energy four times that of the lowest energy.
  - (g) If the position of a 5 KeV electron is located within  $2 \text{ \AA}$ , what is the uncertainty in its momentum?
  - (h) Define 'partial molar volume' of a component in a mixture. When will it become equal to corresponding molar volume?
2. Answer *any two* questions of the following: 5×2=10
- (a) (i) Define 'fugacity' and 'fugacity coefficient'.
  - (ii) The distribution coefficient ( $K_D$ ) of  $\text{I}_2$  between  $\text{CCl}_4$  and water is given by the ratio of molarities  $\frac{C_{\text{CCl}_4}}{C_{\text{H}_2\text{O}}} = 85$ . How much ml of  $\text{CCl}_4$  is required for 95% of the  $\text{I}_2$  to be extracted from 100 ml of aqueous solution in one step? 2+3=5
  - (b) (i) Derive the relation between 'ionic mobility' and 'ion-conductance' at infinite dilution.
  - (ii) Plot  $t_+$  and  $t_-$  for KCl solution of widely varying concentration. ( $t_+$  and  $t_-$  are the transport numbers of  $\text{K}^+$  and  $\text{Cl}^-$  ions respectively.) 3+2=5

- (c) (i) Three real functions  $\Psi_1$ ,  $\Psi_2$  and  $\Psi_3$  are individually normalised and mutually orthogonal. Find the normalisation constant of the combined wave function:

$$\Psi = \Psi_1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\Psi_2 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}\Psi_3$$

- (ii) Determine, whether or not, the following pair of operators commute:

$$\hat{A} = \frac{d}{dx}, \hat{B} = \frac{d^2}{dx^2} + 2\frac{d}{dx} \quad 2+3=5$$

- (d) (i) Determine the average momentum ( $\bar{p}_x$ ) for an electron moving in a one-dimensional box of length 'a'.

- (ii) For a certain liquid the  $\log \eta$  vs.  $(1/T)$  plot ( $\eta$  =viscosity) yields a slope of 600 K. Estimate the activation energy for the flow.  $2.5+2.5=5$

3. Answer any two questions of the following:

10×2=20

- (a) (i) Draw conductometric titration curve with brief explanation, when an aqueous solution of  $\text{Ba(OH)}_2$  is titrated by an aqueous solution of  $\text{MgSO}_4$ .

- (ii) Electrophoretic effect, being a viscous effect, is necessarily present, whether a solution be ideal or not.—Justify or criticize.

- (iii) Explain briefly the 'Wien effect'.

- (iv) The resistance of a conductivity cell is 2,20,000 ohms with water, 100 ohms with 0.02 (N) KCl and 1,02,000 ohms with water saturated with AgCl at 25°C. Neglecting the variation of  $\Lambda$  with concentration, calculate (A) cell constant (B) specific conductivity of the saturated solution of AgCl (C) solubility product of AgCl at 25°C. (Given  $\Lambda_{\text{AgCl}} = 126.8$ ,  $\Lambda_{\text{KCl}} = 138.3$  at 25°C)  $2+2+2+(1+1+2)=10$

- (b) (i) Deduce the van't Hoff reaction isotherm for the general reaction  $aA + bB = lL + mM$  using the concept of chemical potential.

- (ii) Deduce an expression for the variation of the chemical potential of a component 'i' in a mixture, with pressure.

- (iii) The equilibrium constants for the reactions,  $\text{CH}_4(\text{g}) + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g}) = \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + 4\text{H}_2(\text{g})$  and  $\text{CO}(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g}) = \text{CO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2(\text{g})$  are  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  respectively. Find the equilibrium constant for the reaction  $\text{CH}_4(\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g}) = \text{CO}(\text{g}) + 3\text{H}_2(\text{g})$ , in terms of  $K_1$  and  $K_2$ .  $4+3+3=10$

- (c) (i) Show that  $\cos(ax) \cos(by) \cos(cz)$  is the eigenfunction of the operator

$$\nabla^2 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2}$$

Find the eigenvalue.

- (ii) Show that the maximum probability of finding the simple harmonic oscillator at the ground state is at its mean position (i.e. at  $x = 0$ ).

- (iii) Plot the graph of wave function having energy  $(0.5h^2/ma^2)$  for particle in a one-dimensional box. Locate the position of node, if any (Symbols have their usual meaning).

$(3+1)+3+(2+1)=10$

- (d) (i) Prove that the kinetic energy operator  $\hat{T} = -\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{d^2}{dx^2}$  is hermitian.
- (ii) Explain the variation of specific and equivalent conductance with dilution, in case of an aqueous solution of acetic acid.
- (iii) Write the phenomenological equation for flow of a fluid against a pressure gradient. Identify the flux and force terms in the equation with brief reason. 3+3·5+3·5=10
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