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**CHEMISTRY**

**( Theory )**

( New Course )

*Full Marks : 70*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions*

*General Instructions :*

- (i) Attempt all parts of a question together in one place.
- (ii) All questions are compulsory.
- (iii) Section—A : Question Nos. **1** to **5** are of Multiple-Choice Type, each of *1* mark.
- (iv) Section—B : Question Nos. **6** to **12** are short Answer-type Questions and carry *2* marks each.
- (v) Section—C : Question Nos. **13** to **24** are also short Answer-type Questions and carry *3* marks each.
- (vi) Section—D : Question Nos. **25** to **27** are long Answer-type Questions and carry *5* marks each.
- (vii) There is no overall choice. However, an internal choice has been provided in all five questions of *1* mark, three questions of *2* marks, in four questions of *3* marks, and, two questions of *5* marks weightage. Students have to attempt only one of the choices in such questions.

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- (viii) Use of non-programmable ordinary scientific calculators and log tables are allowed.
- (ix) Mobile phones and Pagers are not allowed inside the Examination Hall.

SECTION—A

Choose and write the correct answers for the following in the Answer Script :

1. The appearance of colour in solid alkali metal halides is generally due to

- (a) Schottky defect
- (b) Frenkel defect
- (c) interstitial defect
- (d) F-centres

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2. In the colloidal system, if the dispersion medium is water, the sol is called

- (a) aerosol
- (b) alcocol
- (c) aquasol
- (d) foam

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3. Trimethylamine,  $(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{N}$  is a

(a)  $1^\circ$  amine

(b)  $2^\circ$  amine

(c)  $3^\circ$  amine

(d)  $4^\circ$  amine

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4. The correct IUPAC name of  $[\text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4]$  is

(a) tetracarbonyl nickel (0)

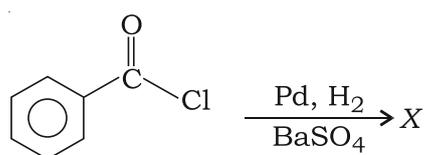
(b) tetracarbonyl nickel (I)

(c) tetracarbonyl nickel (II)

(d) tetracarbonyl nickel (III)

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5. In the reaction



X is

(a) propionaldehyde

(b) benzaldehyde

(c) acetone

(d) acetophenone

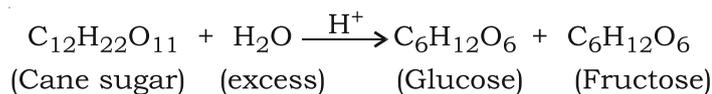
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SECTION—B

6. The boiling point of benzene is 353·23 K. When 1·80 g of a non-volatile solute was dissolved in 90 g of benzene, the boiling point is raised to 354·11 K. Calculate the molar mass of the solute,  $K_b$  for benzene is 2·53 K kg mol<sup>-1</sup>. 2

7. The inversion of cane sugar is represented by the reaction



- (a) What is the order of this reaction? 1
- (b) Give one condition that determines the order of this reaction. 1

8. *Either*

- (a) Why nitrogen exists as a diatomic molecule, N<sub>2</sub> whereas phosphorus exists as P<sub>4</sub>? 2

*Or*

- (b) Why dry chlorine does not act as a bleaching agent? 2

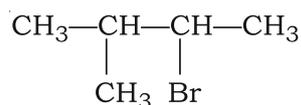
9. Calculate the spin only magnetic moment of Mn<sup>2+</sup>(aq) (Z = 25). 2

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*Either*

(a) Write the IUPAC name of



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(b) Write one condition for an organic compound to be called a chiral compound.

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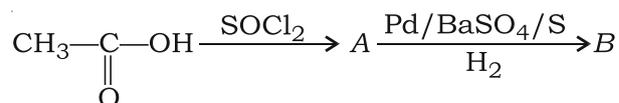
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(c) Explain Wurtz reaction with a suitable example.

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11. Identify the compounds A and B in the following sequence of reactions :

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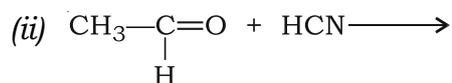
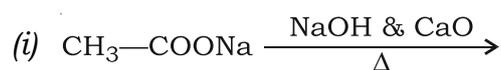


12.

*Either*

(a) Write the structures of the products of the following reactions :

1+1



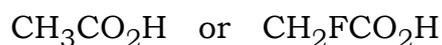
*Or*

(b) Carboxylic acids are higher boiling liquids than aldehydes, ketones and even alcohols of comparable molecular masses. Why?

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(c) Which acid in the following pair is stronger and why?

1



SECTION—C

13. Silver forms c.c.p. lattice and X-ray studies of its crystals show that the edge length of its unit cell is 408.6 pm. Calculate the density of silver. (Atomic mass = 107.9 u) 3
14. (a) What are colligative properties? 1  
(b) Define osmosis and osmotic pressure. 2
15. For a zero-order reaction,  $R \rightarrow P$ , derive the integrated rate equation and find its half-life ( $t_{1/2}$ ) time period. 3
16. (a) What is an adsorption isotherm? 1  
(b) Give the equation for Freundlich adsorption isotherm for a gas adsorbed by a solid. 1  
(c) Why are powdered substances more effective adsorbents than their crystalline forms? 1
17. *Either*
- (a) Why does  $\ddot{\text{N}}\text{H}_3$  act as a Lewis base? 1  
(b) How does ammonia react with an aqueous solution of  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ ? 1  
(c) Mention any two conditions required to maximise the yield of ammonia by Haber's process. 1
- Or*
- (d) Why does  $\text{O}_3$  act as a powerful oxidising agent? 1  
(e) Complete the following reactions :  
(i)  $\text{CH}_4 + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow$  1  
(ii)  $\text{Al} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow$  1

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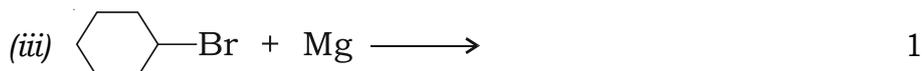
18. What happens when—

- (a) chlorine reacts with cold and dilute NaOH;  
(b) SO<sub>2</sub> is passed through an aqueous solution of Fe(III) salt;  
(c) sodium azide (NaN<sub>3</sub>) is decomposed thermally? 1+1+1

19. (a) Name the only metal of the *d*-block elements which is a liquid at room temperature. 1  
(b) Write the exceptional electronic configurations of the elements Cr (*Z* = 24) and Cu (*Z* = 29). 1  
(c) Why scandium, Sc (*Z* = 21) is a transition element but zinc, Zn (*Z* = 30) is not? 1

20. *Either*

(a) Write the structures of the major products of the following reactions :



*Or*

(b) What happens when  reacts with the following (Give equations only) : 1+1+1

(i) CH<sub>3</sub>Cl in presence of anhydrous AlCl<sub>3</sub>;

(ii) conc. HNO<sub>3</sub> and conc. H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>;

(iii) Na and RX in the presence of dry ether?

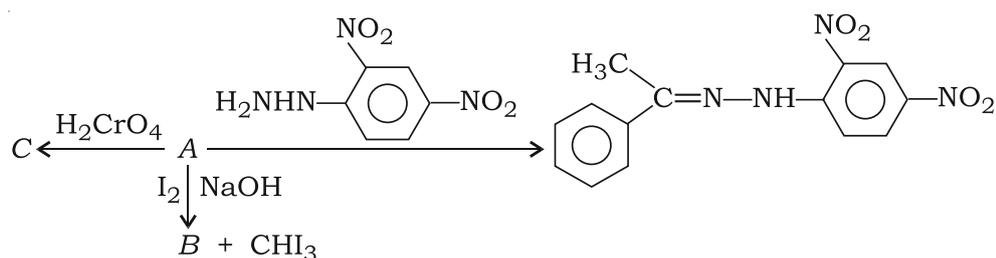
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(a) Identify the compounds A, B and C in the following reaction :

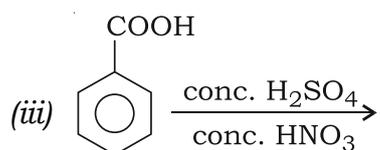
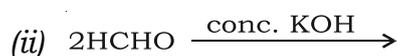
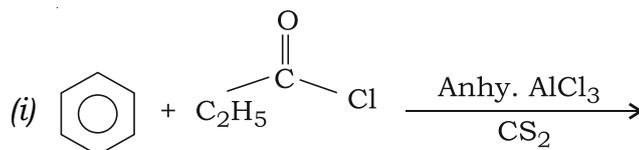
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Or

(b) Complete the following reactions :

1+1+1



22.

Either

(a) Account for the following :

1+1+1

- Ethylamine is soluble in water whereas aniline is not;
- $\text{pK}_b$  of aniline is more than that of methylamine;
- Aniline does not undergo Friedel-Crafts reaction.

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Or

- (b) Arrange the following in decreasing order of their basic strength : 1  
 $C_6H_5NH_2, C_2H_5NH_2, (C_2H_5)_2NH, NH_3$
- (c) Give equation only for the preparation of primary amines by Hofmann bromamide degradation reaction. 1
- (d) What happens on reduction of nitriles ( $R-C\equiv N$ ) with  $LiAlH_4$ ? (Give equation only) 1
- 23.** (a) What are essential and non-essential amino acids? 1
- (b) Glycylalanine (Gly-Ala) forms by the following reaction :
- $$\begin{array}{ccc} H_2N-CH_2-COOH & + & H_2N-CH-COOH \\ \text{(Glycine)} & & | \\ & & CH_3 \\ & \downarrow & \\ & -H_2O \text{ (Alanine)} & \\ & \downarrow & \\ H_2N-CH_2-CO-NH-CH-COOH & & \\ & & | \\ & & CH_3 \\ & \text{(Gly-Ala)} & \end{array}$$
- Name the type of linkage connecting the two different types of amino acids (Gly and Ala). 1
- (c) Name the type of proteins present in hair and muscles. 1
- 24.** (a) Mention two important biological functions of nucleic acids. 2
- (b) What happens when D-glucose is heated with HI? (Give equation only) 1

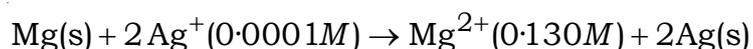
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SECTION—D

25.

*Either*

- (a) Represent the cell in which the following reaction takes place :



Calculate its  $E_{\text{cell}}$  if

$$E_{\text{Mg/Mg}^{2+}}^{\circ} = -2.37 \text{ V and } E_{\text{Ag}^+/\text{Ag}}^{\circ} = +0.80 \text{ V} \quad 5$$

*Or*

- (b) The standard electrode potential,  $E_{\text{cell}}^{\circ}$  for Daniel cell is 1.1 V. Calculate  $\Delta G^{\circ}$  for the reaction



- (c)  $\Delta_m^{\circ}$  for NaCl, HCl and  $\text{CH}_3\text{COONa}$  are 126.4, 425.9 and 91.0  $\text{S cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$  respectively. Calculate the  $\Delta_m^{\circ}$  for  $\text{CH}_3\text{COOH}$ . 2

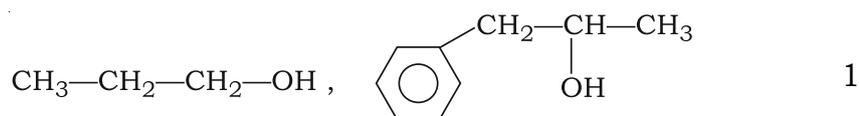
- (d) Write the Nernst equation for the reaction



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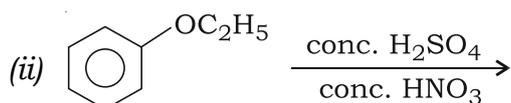
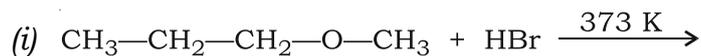
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- (a) Classify the following as primary/secondary/tertiary alcohols :

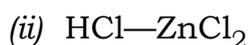


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(b) Predict the products of the following reactions : 1+1

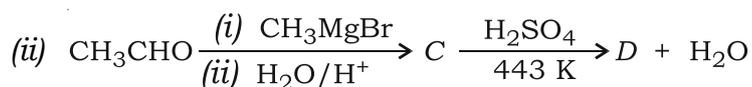
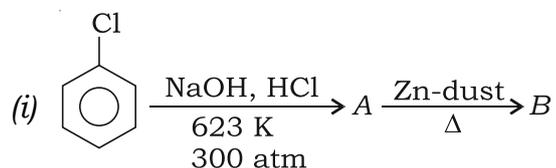


(c) Give the structure of the products you would expect when Butan-1-ol reacts with the following : 2



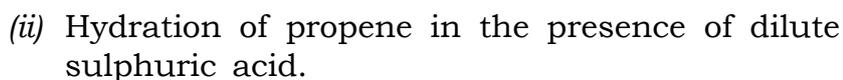
Or

(d) Identify the products A, B, C and D from the following reactions :  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 2$



(e) Convert cumene to phenol. 1

(f) Give the structures and IUPAC names of the products expected from the following reactions :  $1 \times 2 = 2$



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27. (a) What is a ligand? Give one example each of a bidentate and an ambidentate ligand.  $1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 2$
- (b) Explain on the basis of VBT, why tetrahedral Ni(II) complexes are paramagnetic but square planar Ni(II) complexes are diamagnetic. 2
- (c) According to CFT, what happens to the degeneracy of the *d*-orbitals in the presence of asymmetrically negative field due to the ligands? 1

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