

Final Year B.Sc. Degree Examination, November 2008
Directorate of Distance Education Course
CHEMISTRY (Paper - IV)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75

- Notes : 1) This paper consists of **four** Sections. Answer **all** Sections.
2) Write equations and neat diagrams wherever **necessary**.

SECTION - A

I. Answer the following questions in a **word**, a **phrase** or a **sentence** : (10×1=10)

- 1) What are transition elements ?
- 2) State Einstein's law of photochemical equivalence.
- 3) What are chromophores ?
- 4) Define BOD of water.
- 5) What is dipole moment ?
- 6) Write the structural formula of Antipyrine.
- 7) Define unit cell.
- 8) Define ionisation isomerism.
- 9) What is the selection rule for rotational transitions ?
- 10) What is condensation polymerization ?

SECTION - B

II. Answer any **FIVE** questions : (5×3=15)

- 11) How is Teflon prepared ? Mention any two uses of it.
- 12) What is dosimeter ? Explain the Frick-Dosimeter.
- 13) Give the synthesis of Malachite green.

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- 14) Explain the mechanism of Free radical polymerization.
- 15) Write the structures of EDTA and DMG. Mention any two advantages of EDTA in inorganic quantitative analysis.
- 16) Derive an expression for the moment of inertia of hetero nuclear diatomic molecule behaving as a rigid rotator.
- 17) Give the synthesis of sulphothiozole.

SECTION – C

III. Answer any FIVE questions :

(5×6=30)

- 18) a) Discuss the chemistry of transition elements with respect to (i) variable oxidation state (ii) magnetic property. 4
- b) What are the main pollutant of soil ? Suggest the methods to control the soil pollution. 2
- 19) a) What are the postulates of Werner's theory of complexes ? 4
- b) What is an acid rain ? Mention harmful effects of acid rain. 2
- 20) a) Explain the ion exchange method of separation of lanthanides. 4
- b) Explain the term fluorescence with example. 2
- 21) a) Define quantum yield. In a photochemical decomposition of HI, the quantum yield is nearly 2. Show how it can be justified. 4
- b) Explain why CO₂ molecule has zero dipole moment while SO₂ has a dipole moment of 1.64 D. 2
- 22) a) Discuss Beer's Law. What are the applications of Beer's law ? 4
- b) Define orientation polarization and molar refraction. 2
- 23) a) Discuss the optical isomerism of tartaric acid, 4
- b) Describe any one method of preparation of Thiophene. 2
- 24) a) How do you assign R and S notation to the optical isomers ? 4
- b) What are heterocyclic compounds ? Give IUPAC name for pyridine. 2

SECTION - D

IV. Answer any TWO of the following : (2×10=20)

25) a) Discuss the causes and consequences of Lanthanide contraction. 5

b) Discuss the vibrational spectra of a diatomic molecule with particular reference to

i) region of occurrence

ii) criteria of absorbance

iii) selection rule

iv) expression for the vibrational energy

v) zero point energy. 5

26) a) What is Bragg's law ? Derive Bragg's equation for the diffraction of X-rays by crystal lattice. 5

b) What is meant by resolution of racemic mixture ? Describe any two methods of resolution of racemic mixtures. 5

27) a) How is ethyl aceto acetate prepared ? Discuss the mechanism of the reaction. 5

b) Discuss the formation of $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{3-}$ and $[\text{Fe}(\text{CN})_6]^{4-}$ complex ions on the basis of valency bond theory. Mention magnetic properties. 5
