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**CHEMISTRY**

(MAJOR)

Paper : CHMMAJ1024

**( Fundamentals of Chemistry – 2 )**

Full Marks : 50

Pass Marks : 20

Time : Two hours

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

1. Choose the correct answer :  $1 \times 5 = 5$

(a) The radius ratio of an ionic compound is in the range 0.155–0.255. What will be the structural arrangement of the compound?

(i) Cubic

(ii) Octahedral

(iii) Tetrahedral

(iv) Trigonal planner

- (b) The increasing order of bond order of  $O_2^-$ ,  $O_2$  and  $O_2^+$  is
- (i)  $O_2^- > O_2 > O_2^+$
  - (ii)  $O_2^- > O_2^+ > O_2$
  - (iii)  $O_2^+ < O_2 < O_2^-$
  - (iv)  $O_2^- < O_2 < O_2^+$
- (c) Which of the following cubic unit cells possesses 32% vacant space?
- (i) Simple cubic unit cell
  - (ii) bcc unit cell
  - (iii) fcc unit cell
  - (iv) None of the above
- (d) Friedel Crafts alkylation of nitrobenzene with methylchloride results
- (i) 2-methylnitrobenzene
  - (ii) 3-methylnitrobenzene
  - (iii) 4-methylnitrobenzene
  - (iv) 2,4-dimethylnitrobenzene

(e) Ozonolysis of 2-methylbut-2-ene results-

(i) Propanone and ethanal

(ii) Propanal and ethanal

(iii) Propanol and ethanol

(iv) Butanone and methanol

2. Answer the following questions : **any five**  
2×5=10

(a) Explain the term 'solvation energy'.

(b)  $BeF_2$  is linear while  $BF_2$  is angular. Explain.

(c) What is co-efficient of viscosity? How does viscosity of a liquid change with temperature?

(d) State the law of rational indices.

(e) What is Wurtz-Fittig reaction? Give example.

(f) Write Hiickel rules for aromaticity. Give example.

(g) Define activating and deactivating groups with examples.

3. Answer the following questions : (*any five*)  
5×5=25

- (i) What is Born-Haber cycle? Discuss how the lattice energy of an ionic solid can be calculated with the help of Born-Haber cycle. 2+3=5
- (ii) Explain the terms polarization, polarizing power and polarizability. State Fajan's rule for covalent character of ionic compounds. 3+2=5
- (iii) What is surface energy? What is the effect of temperature on surface tension? What will be the surface tension of a liquid at its critical temperature? 2+2+1=5
- (iv) What are Miller indices? A crystal plane has intercepts on the three axes of a crystal in the ratio  $\frac{3}{2} : 2 : 1$ . What will be Miller indices of the plane? What is the difference between Weiss indices and Miller indices? 1+2+2=5
- (v) What are space lattice and unit cell of a crystal? Explain law of consistency of interfacial angles. 2+3=5
- (vi) Explain E1 mechanism of elimination

reaction. What are Saytzeff and Hoffmann elimination? 3+2=5

(vii) Discuss the arenium ion mechanism of aromatic electrophilic substitution reaction. Give *any one* evidence in support of the mechanism. 3+2=5

(viii) Draw all the conformations of cyclohexane. Explain their relative stabilities and draw the energy profile diagram. 2+2+1=5

4. Answer the following question : (**any one**)  
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(i) (a) Draw the molecular orbital energy level diagram of  $O_2^+$ . Discuss the bond order and magnetic property from the molecular orbital energy level diagram. 3+2=5

(b) What is hybridization? Discuss the shape of  $SF_4$  on the basis of hybridization. 2+3=5

(ii) (a) What is Markownikoff addition to an alkene? Discuss the bromination in allylic position by N-bromosuccinimide. What is Diel-Alder reaction? 1+2+2=5

(b) Write short notes on :

Wurtz reaction and Corey-House  
reaction

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