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CHMDSC-102T/093

FYUG Odd Semester Exam., 2023

( Held in 2024 )

CHEMISTRY

( 1st Semester )

Course No. : CHMDSC-102T

( Physical Chemistry—I )

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

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

SECTION—A

Answer *ten* questions, selecting *two* from each

Unit : 2×10=20

UNIT—I

1. Show that the mean free path of a gas molecule increases by decrease in pressure.
2. Determine the possible number of vibrational mode of (a)  $H_2O$  and (b)  $CH_4$ . 1+1=2
3. Define most probable velocity.

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UNIT—II

4. Discuss the effect of temperature on the deviation of real gas from ideal gas behaviour.
5. What is Joule-Thomson effect?
6. What are critical pressure and critical temperature? 1+1=2

UNIT—III

7. Define the terms 'surface tension' and 'surface energy'. 1+1=2
8. What do you mean by cohesion and adhesion? 1+1=2
9. What will be the effect of addition of non-volatile solute on the surface tension of liquid?

UNIT—IV

10. What are liquid crystals?
11. Calculate the Miller indices of crystal planes which cut through the crystal axes at—  
(a)  $(2a, 3b, c)$ ;  
(b)  $(2a, -3b, -3c)$ . 1+1=2
12. What are extrinsic and intrinsic semi-conductors? 1+1=2

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UNIT—V

13. State and explain the Raoult's law for vapour pressure of binary solutions of volatile liquids.
14. What do you mean by azeotropic mixture?
15. One mole of component A and two moles of component B are mixed at  $27^\circ\text{C}$  to form an ideal binary mixture. Assuming  $R = 8.314 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ , calculate  $\Delta G_{\text{mix}}$  and  $\Delta S_{\text{mix}}$ . 1+1=2

SECTION—B

Answer *five* questions, selecting *one* from each  
Unit : 10×5=50

UNIT—I

16. (a) Write down the basic postulates of the kinetic theory of gases. Derive the kinetic gas equation. 3+3=6  
(b) Derive mathematical expression for—  
(i) average velocity ;  
(ii) root mean square velocity. 2+2=4

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17. (a) Discuss the effect of temperature on the distribution of molecular velocities. 3
- (b) Calculate the temperature at which the root mean square velocity, the average velocity and the most probable velocity of oxygen gas are all equal to  $1500 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ . 3
- (c) Explain the terms 'collision number' and 'collision frequency'. 2+2=4

UNIT—II

18. (a) Define excluded volume. Show that excluded volume designated as  $b$  in van der Waals' gas equation is four times of the actual volume of the gas molecules. 1+3=4
- (b) Draw and discuss the  $P$ - $V$  isotherms of  $\text{CO}_2$  molecule. 4
- (c) Calculate the critical temperature of a van der Waals' gas for which  $P_C$  is 100 atm and  $b$  is  $50 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ . 2
19. (a) State the principle of corresponding states. Derive the relations between critical constants ( $T_c$ ,  $P_c$ ,  $V_c$ ) with van der Waals' constant ( $a$  and  $b$ ). 1+3=4

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- (b) Define Boyle temperature. Derive an expression for the Boyle temperature of a van der Waals' gas. 1+3=4
- (c) What is compressibility factor? Explain. 2

UNIT—III

20. (a) Derive the expression for the determination of surface tension by the drop number method. 3
- (b) Explain the mechanism of cleansing action of detergent. 4
- (c) How does intermolecular force affect vapour pressure and surface tension? 3
21. (a) What is viscosity of a liquid? Describe the process of determination of viscosity of liquid by Ostwald's viscometer. 1+3=4
- (b) What are newtonian and non-newtonian liquids? Discuss the effect of temperature on the viscosity of a liquid. 2+1=3
- (c) What is surfactant? What are the different types of surfactant? Give examples. 1+2=3

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## UNIT—IV

22. (a) Derive the Bragg's equation in X-ray crystallography. 3
- (b) Write short notes on the following :  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 5$
- (i) Schottky defect
- (ii) Frenkel defect
- (c) NaCl has f.c.c. structure. How many  $\text{Na}^+$  and  $\text{Cl}^-$  ions are present in the unit cell? 2
23. (a) What are edge and screw dislocations?  $2+2=4$
- (b) Discuss the band theory of semi-conductors and insulators. 3
- (c) Describe the phase structures of smectic A and C phases of liquid crystals. 3

## UNIT—V

24. (a) State the Nernst distribution law. How is the law derived from thermodynamic consideration?  $1+3=4$
- (b) Define CST. Explain UCST, by taking a suitable example. What will be the effect of impurity on CST?  $1+3+2=6$

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25. (a) Discuss the three types of derivation shown by non-ideal solutions from the ideal behaviour in their vapour pressure with a suitable example. 6
- (b) Discuss the variation of vapour pressure of completely miscible liquid pairs with composition. 4

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