



B.Sc. (Semester – V) Examination, October/November 2016
CHEMISTRY (Paper – I) (Six Units)
Physical Chemistry

Duration : 2 Hours

Total Marks : 80

- Instructions :** 1) Answer to the **two** Sections should be written in **separate** answer books.
2) Figures to the **right** indicate **full** marks.
3) **Use** of non programmable calculator is **allowed**.
4) Log tables will be supplied on request.
5) **All** questions are compulsory, however **internal** choice is available.

Physical Constants :

$$N = 6.023 \times 10^{23} \text{ molecules / mole, } h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js,}$$
$$1 \text{ a.m.u.} = 931.5 \text{ MeV, } F = 96500 \text{ Coulombs.}$$
$$m = 9.109 \times 10^{-31} \text{ Kg.}$$

SECTION – I

1. Answer **any four** questions from the following : (4×4)
- Explain the effect of temperature on molar polarisation of molecules.
 - With the help of 'square well potential' explain nuclear binding forces.
 - Explain radial and angular wave function.
 - Briefly explain de Broglie hypothesis related to dual nature of matter.
 - Explain with the help of diagram primary reference electrode.
 - What does principle and azimuthal quantum numbers signify ?
2. A) i) A cricket ball weighing 100 g is to be located within 0.1 Å. What is the uncertainty in its velocity ? 2
- ii) State Meson field theory. How does it explain the nature of nuclear forces ? 4

OR

2. A) i) Calculate the de Broglie wavelength of electron moving with a velocity of $1.20 \times 10^5 \text{ ms}^{-1}$. 2
- ii) Define half life of a radioelement. Derive an expression for decay constant. 4

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2. B) i) Explain any two reversible electrode. 4
 ii) What is standard electrode potential? 2
3. A) i) Write a short note on orientation polarisation. 4
 ii) Calculate the mass defect and binding energy of the ${}_{56}\text{Ba}^{140}$ which has isotopic mass of 139.9544 amu. Given that $m_{\text{H}} = 1.00814$ and $m_{\text{n}} = 1.00898$ amu. 2
- OR
3. A) i) Using dipole moment explain the structure of tri atomic molecules. 4
 ii) The disintegration constant of U^{238} is 1.54×10^{-10} per year. Calculate
 i) Half life and ii) Average life of uranium. 2
3. B) i) Derive the expression for energy for the particle in a one dimensional box. 4
 ii) What is an operator? Explain Hamiltonian operator. 2

SECTION - II

4. Answer **any four** of the following questions : (4×4)
- What is overvoltage? Explain the 3 important factors which affects overvoltage.
 - For Diatomic molecule as Rigid rotator show that $I = \mu r^2$.
 - What is specific Ionization? Explain the working of Ionization Chamber.
 - Define Polarisation. How it is minimized?
 - State 2 examples of Microwave active and inactive molecules. What are the selection rules for Microwave spectroscopy?
 - Explain with neat diagram the working of semiconductor counter.
5. A) i) Explain the origin of the Liquid Junction Potential. How it is eliminated? 3
 ii) Derive an expression for electrode concentration cell without transference reversible to cations. 3
- OR
5. A) i) What is Decomposition potential? How it is experimentally determined? 3
 ii) Derive an expression for electrolyte concentration cell reversible to cations. 3
5. B) Explain with neat diagram the principle, construction and working of Scintillation Counter. 6



6. A) i) For the cell $\text{Ag} / \text{AgNO}_3 (m_1 = 0.01 \text{ m}, \gamma_1 = 0.94) / \text{AgNO}_3 (m_2 = 0.1 \text{ m}, \gamma_2 = 0.82) / \text{Ag}$. The emf is 0.057 V at 298 K. Determine the Transport number of the Ag^+ and NO_3^- ions in the given range of concentration. 4

ii) State the role of Ethyl Alcohol and Argon gas used in Geiger-Muller counter. 2

OR

6. A) i) The EMF of the cell $\text{Ag} / \text{AgCl}_{(s)} (m_1 = 0.05 \text{ m}, \gamma_1 = 0.821) // \text{AgNO}_3 (m_2 = 0.1 \text{ m}, \gamma_2 = 0.725) / \text{Ag}$ is 0.4298 V. Calculate the solubility and solubility product of AgCl in pure water at 298 K. 4

ii) Explain the Dead time in Geiger-Muller Counter. 2

6. B) i) From the microwave spectrum of the HI molecule it is observed that the frequency difference between the successive absorption lines is found to be 12.8 cm^{-1} . Calculate the bond length of the molecule. ($H = 1.008 \text{ amu}$, $I = 127 \text{ amu}$, $N = 6.023 \times 10^{23}$). 3

ii) Explain the application of emf measurements for the determination of Ionic product of water. 3
