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Chemistry Exam. (B-18)

2014

Total marks: 100

Total Time: 3 Hrs.

Attempt any five question. All questions carry equal marks.

- Q. No. 1 (a) What is zero-point energy? Write a detailed note on anharmonic oscillator and the selection rules governing the spectra. Explain the overtones from a diagram. (12)
- (b) How many normal modes of vibration are possible for: (4)
- a. HBr b. SO₂ c. OCS d. C₆H₆
- (c) What are aromatic compounds? (4)
- Q. No. 2 (a) Determine the formula of the following molecular/ions on the basis of MOT. Determine the bond order for each. (8)
- I. O₂⁻
II. N₂
III. Be₂²⁺
IV. Li₂
- (b) Write a note on the relationship between occupancy, hybridization and geometry for the structures AB_xE_y. Using the VSEPR theory predict the structure of AB₂, AB₃, AB₄, AO₄ⁿ⁻ type molecules. Give specific example for each. (12)
- Q. No. 3 (a) Give a general explanation for electrophilic substitution of benzene. Give chemical equation along with the mechanism showing all steps with reaction conditions for bromination, nitration, sulphonation and acylation. (10)
- (b) How are human activities in urban areas responsible for air pollution? Explain with reference to smog and its chemistry. What measures should be taken to minimize air-pollution? (10)
- Q. No. 4 (a) Debye-Hueckel Theory works under limiting conditions. Elaborate the statement with examples. Also give the significance of Debye Hueckel Theory. (14)

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- (b) Calculate the ionic strength for a 0.1M solution of $MgCl_2$. (6)
- Q. No. 5 (a) Write a note on standard electrode potential? How the direction of chemical reaction be established by a knowledge of it. Subsequently derive a relationship between ΔG^* and K. (12)
- (b) Use the following standard state cell potential to calculate the complex formation equilibrium constant K_f for the $Zn(NH_3)_4^{2+}$ complex ion.
- $$Zn(NH_3)_4^{2+} + 2e \leftrightarrow Zn + 4NH_3 \quad E_{red}^0 = -1.04V$$
- $$Zn^{2+} + 2e \leftrightarrow Zn \quad E_{red}^0 = -0.762V \quad (8)$$
- Q. No. 6 (a) Assign point groups to the following molecules. Write the symmetry for the point group with each molecule.
- I. $POCl_3$
 - II. $[PtCl_4]^{2-}$
 - III. H_2O
 - IV. SF_6
- (b) Draw a multiplication table for the C_{3v} point group. (4)
- Q. No. 7 (a) Write a note on the effects of substitution groups on the rates of formation of carbocation in electrophilic aromatic substitution reactions when G releases electron and when it withdraws electron. Give specific examples of G in both cases. (8)
- (b) Why a primary amine is more basic than ammonia which is more basic than a phenyl amine. Explain with respect to resonance structures and inductive effects. (6)
- (c) How is Global warming related to GHG? What is the basic condition for GHG to trap and re-emit radiation? (6)
- Q.No.8 (a) Synthesis of chiral compounds from achiral reactions always yield the racemic modification. Comment. Justify your answer with an example. (8)
- (b) How amino acids behave as dipolar ions? Explain the Isoelectric point of amino acid. (8)
- (c) What are zeolites and how can they be synthesized? (4)

Good Luck!