

2023

(CBCS)

(5th Semester)

CHEMISTRY

SEVENTH PAPER

(Physical Chemistry—II)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions***(SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE)**

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. The average kinetic energy associated with each degree of freedom is

- (a) KT ()
- (b) $2/3KT$ ()
- (c) $KT/2$ ()
- (d) $2KT$ ()

2. The density of molecules is maximum at which speed?

- (a) U_{rms} ()
- (b) U_{mp} ()
- (c) U_{av} ()
- (d) At all speeds ()

3. Which of the following is regarded as the 'repeatable entity' of a 3D crystal structure?
- (a) Bravais lattice ()
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 - (c) Lattice ()
 - (d) Unit cell ()
4. Which of the following is correct for a tetragonal crystal system?
- (a) $a = b = c$ ()
 - (b) $a \neq b \neq c$ ()
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5. In a chemical reaction, how does the concentration of reactant change with time?
- (a) Increases ()
 - (b) Decreases ()
 - (c) Remains unchanged ()
 - (d) Increases and then decreases ()
6. Which of the following is affected by a catalyst?
- (a) ΔH ()
 - (b) ΔS ()
 - (c) ΔG ()
 - (d) E_a ()
7. The entropy of a perfect crystal at absolute zero is
- (a) ∞ ()
 - (b) 0 ()
 - (c) 1 ()
 - (d) undetermined ()

In an open system, there is transfer of

- (a) energy ()
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- (c) mass ()
- (d) All of the above ()

Upon dilution, the equivalent conductivity and molar conductivity will

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9. The sequence of ionic mobility among the group 1 elements is

- (a) $\text{Li}^+ > \text{Na}^+ > \text{K}^+ > \text{Rb}^+$ ()
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- (d) $\text{Rb}^+ > \text{K}^+ > \text{Na}^+ > \text{Li}^+$ ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWERS)

(Marks : 15)

3×5=15

Answer the following :

UNIT—I

1. Define root mean square velocity, average velocity and most probable velocity.

OR

2. Calculate the U_{rms} of methane molecule at 37 °C.

UNIT—II

3. Write a short note on interfacial angle.

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OR

4. Define the following :

(a) Axis of symmetry

(b) Plane of symmetry

(c) Space lattice

UNIT—III

5. What is a catalyst? Write any four characteristics of catalyst.

OR

6. What do you mean by activation energy and temperature coefficient of a reaction?

UNIT—IV

7. Explain residual entropy.

OR

8. Write a short note on Nernst heat theorem.

UNIT—V

9. Define the following :

(a) Drift velocity

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(c) Conductance

OR

10. Discuss the variation of molar conductance with dilution for weak electrolytes.

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

Answer the following :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. (a) Discuss the Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution law of molecular velocity. 5
- (b) Calculate the various degrees of freedom of the following molecules : 3
- (i) HCN
- (ii) H₂O
- (iii) CO₂
- (c) Write a short note of translational degrees of freedom. 2

OR

2. (a) State and explain the law of equipartition of energy. 5
- (b) At what temperature will the U_{rms} of SO₂ be the same as that of O₂ at 27 °C? 3
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UNIT—II

3. (a) Explain the Debye-Scherrer powder method for the determination of crystals. 5
- (b) Silver (107.8 g/mol) crystallizes in a cubic lattice where its density is $10.7 \times 10^3 \text{ kg/m}^3$. If the edge length of the unit cell is 406 pm, determine the type of the lattice in which silver is present. 3
- (c) Calculate the Miller indices of a crystal plane which cut through the crystal axes at (a, b, c) and (2a, -3b, -3c). 2

OR

4. (a) What is unit cell? Derive Bragg's equation of X-ray crystallography. 5

- (b) State and explain the law of rational indices.
- (c) The parameters of an orthorhombic unit cell are $a = 50 \text{ pm}$, $b = 100 \text{ pm}$ and $c = 150 \text{ pm}$. Determine the spacing between the (123) planes.

UNIT—III

5. (a) Derive the Michaelis-Menten equation for E-S reaction.
- (b) Derive the integrated form of the Arrhenius equation.
- (c) What do you mean by molecularity of a reaction? Mention any one unimolecular reaction.

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6. (a) Discuss in detail about the collision theory of bimolecular reactions.
- (b) Write a short note on absolute reaction rate theory.
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UNIT—IV

7. (a) Derive the expression for the variation of free energy with pressure and volume.
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8. (a) Derive the expression for the variation of chemical potential with temperature and pressure.
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UNIT—V

- (a) Derive the Ostwald dilution law. 5
- (b) Write a note on Arrhenius theory of electrolytic dissociation. 3
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- (a) Show that the sum of transport number of a cation and anion is unity. How would you measure transport number using Hittorf's method? 5
- (b) For strong electrolytes NaOH, NaCl and BaCl₂, the molar ionic conductances at infinite dilution are $248.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Sm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$, $126.5 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Sm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ and $280.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Sm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1}$ respectively. Calculate molar conductivity at infinite dilution for Ba(OH)₂. 3
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