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Time: 3 hours Max. Marks :75

## **Answer any FIVE Questions All Questions carry equal marks**

- 1 (a) What do you mean by Enthalpy? How is it related to internal energy of a system? Calculate the work done in the expansion of 3 moles of hydrogen reversibly and isothermally at 27°C from 21.0 lit to 70.3 lit.
  - (b) State and explain Le Chateliers principle. With the help of this principle, work out the conditions which would favor the formation of ammonia and sulphuric acid
- 2 (a) Give examples of catalyst poisoning. How is action of catalyst linked to energy of activation of a reaction?
  - (b) Explain the terms Colloids and crystalloids. How would you separate one from the other?
  - (c) Give an account of various types of products obtained by fermentation process.
  - (d) Water requires 120.5 seconds to flow through a viscometer and the same volume of acetone requires 49.5 seconds. If the densities of water and acetone at 293K are 9.982X10<sup>2</sup> Kgm<sup>-3</sup> and 7.92 Kgm<sup>-3</sup> respectively and the viscosity of water at 293K is 10.05 Pascal, calculate the viscosity of acetone at 293K.
- 3 (a) What are biosensors? What are the requirements of good biosensors?
  - (b) Explain the industrial application of chemiluminiscent compounds.
  - (c) What is an ion selective electrode? Explain the measurement of concentration of fluoride and nitrate ions in a solution using ion-selective electrode.
- 4 (a) What is meant by doping? Name a compound in which both Schottky and Frankel defects are present.
  - (b) Explain the materials used in making floppy, CD and pendrive. Write about their working mechanism.
  - (c) What are liquid crystals? Give an account of Bose's 'Swarm' theory of liquid crystals. What are its limitations?
- 5 (a) Write a brief about proximate analysis of coal and its significance.
  - (b) Define calorific value of a solid fuel. How is it determined experimentally using Bomb Calorimeter?
  - (c) Write short notes on carbonization of coal.

- 6 (a) What are the different types of fuel cells available? Discuss the principles involved in the working of hydrogen-oxygen fuel cell.
  - (b) Describe the construction of calomel electrode. Why it is used as reference electrode in place of standard hydrogen electrode? How potentional measured using a calomel electrode.
  - (c) Derive Nernest's equation for single electrode potentional and explain the terms involved in it. Write its applications.
- 7 (a) What is mass defect. How is it related to the binding energy and stability of the nucleus.
  - (b) Describe the various components of nuclear power reactor and their functions.
  - (c) Write a brief note on the disposal of nuclear wastes.
- 8 (a) Discuss the use of solar energy for space heating, water heating and for production of electricity.
  - (b) What is meant by green house effect? What are its consequences? Give two examples of green house gases.

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# **Answer any FIVE Questions All Questions carry equal marks**

- 1 (a) Prove that the value of Joule Thomson coefficient is zero for an ideal gas.
  - (b) Write the principles of osmosis and reverse osmosis. How this is applied for desalination process?
  - (c) Explain solubility product of a sparingly soluble salt. How is it determined from conductance measurements?
- 2 (a) Write an essay on enzyme catalysis.
  - (b) Explain the uses of (i) Dialysis (ii) Ultra filtration in the purification of colloidal solutions.
  - (c) Define the viscosity and discuss the effect of temperature on it.
- 3 (a) Discuss the construction and working of a typical biosensor.
  - (b) Distinguish between
    - (i) Thermal and photochemical reactions.
    - (ii) Fluorescence and phosphorescence.
    - (iii) Singlet and triplet states of molecule.
- 4 (a) Explain the semi conductivity in non-stoichiometric oxide crystals
  - (b) Explain the materials used in making floppy, CD and pen drive. Write about their working mechanism.
  - (c) Draw and discuss the vapour pressure-temperature diagrams of true liquids and liquid crystals.
- 5 (a) Define calorific value of a solid fuel. How is it determined experimentally using Bomb Calorimeter?
  - (b) What do you understand by high and low calorific value of the fuels? How is it determined by the Junker's calorimeter? Describe with neat labeled diagram.
- 6 (a) Write a detailed account of carbon-zinc primary cells with respect to their construction, cell reactions and uses.
  - (b) Derive Nernst's equation for single electrode potential and explain the terms involved in it. Write its applications.

- 7 (a) Describe the various components of nuclear power reactor and their functions.
  - (b) What are nuclear reactions? How they are classified? What is the advantage of using  $\alpha$ -particles as projectile to cause these reactions?
- 8 (a) Discuss the use of indirect solar energy for generation of electrical power.
  - (b) What is meant by green house effect? What are its consequences? Give two examples of green house gases.



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# **Answer any FIVE Questions All Questions carry equal marks**

- 1 (a) What is Joule Thomson effect and what is it due to? Explain the difference in case of an ideal gas and a real gas.
  - (b) Write a detailed note on the application of Le Chatleier's principle to physical equilibria.
- 2 (a) Differentiate between homogenous and heterogeneous catalysis. Explain both of these giving one example each with their mechanism.
  - (b) Write a note on the industrial applications of fermentation.
  - (c) Describe methods commonly used for the measurement of viscosity of a liquid.
- 3 (a) Write a note on the application of biosensors.
  - (b) Explain the industrial application of chemiluminisencent compounds
  - (c) Write a short note on
    - (i) Photo sensitization
    - (ii) Inter system crossing
    - (iii) Internal conversion with Jablonski diagram
- 4 (a) Explain the preparation properties and engineering applications of super conductors.
  - (b) State and explain the various properties of liquid crystals on the basis of the Swarm theory of Bose.
- 5 (a) Write in brief about proximate analysis of coal and its importance.
  - (b) Name the analysis of coal in which moisture volatile, ash and fixed carbon are determined. Give significance of each component.
  - (c) Write short note on carbonization of coal.
- 6 (a) Write short notes on (i) Solar cells (ii) Molten carbonate fuel cells. (iii) Ion-exchange membrane fuel cells.
  - (b) Write informative note on Lithium cells with special reference to cell reactions and applications.

- 7 (a) Discuss the theoretical principles involved in the generation of power by nuclear fission and nuclear fusion.
  - (b) Write a brief note on the disposal of nuclear wastes
  - (c) Write short notes on application of radio isotopes.
- 8. Write informative note on the following
  - (i) Flat plate solar collectors
  - (ii) Photovoltaic cells
  - (iii) Solar trough collectors
  - (iv) Solar energy for producing fuel for vehicles



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## **Answer any FIVE Questions All Questions carry equal marks**

- 1 (a) What are various types of membranes used in desalination process. Explain their limitations.
  - (b) State the law of chemical equilibrium. How it can be derived on thermodynamic considerations.
  - (c) At 410K and a total pressure of 1atm, a mixture of  $N_{2(g)}$  and  $H_{2(g)}$  in the mole ratio 1:3 contains 16% of  $NH_3(g)$  at equilibrium. Calculate Kp for the reaction
- 2 (a) Write mechanisms of the following reactions
  - (i) Acid hydrolysis of methyl acetate
  - (ii) Hydrogenation of ethylene using nickel catalyst.
  - (b) Discuss the origin of charge on colloidal particles. What is meant by electrical double layer?
  - (c) Give an account of various types of products obtained by fermentation process.
  - (d) Define the viscosity and discuss the effect of temperature on it.
- 3 (a) Distinguish between
  - (i) Thermal and photochemical reactions.
  - (ii) Fluorescence and phosphorescence.
  - (iii) Singlet and triplet states of molecule.
  - (b) What is an ion selective electrode? Explain the measurement of concentration of fluoride and nitrate ions in a solution using ion-selective membrane electrode.
- 4 (a) Explain the preparation properties and engineering applications of super conductors.
  - (b) State and explain the various properties of liquid crystals on the basis of the Swarm theory of Bose.
  - (c) What are secondary cells? Describe the construction of Daniel cell. Write the cell reactions and mention its applications.
- 5 (a) What do you understand by high and low calorific value of the fuels? How is it determined by the Junker's calorimeter? Describe with neat labeled diagram.
  - (b) Write a brief account of ultimate analysis of coal. What is its significance?

- 6 (a) Write short notes on
  - (i) Solar cells (ii) Solid-oxide fuel cells. (iii) Phosphoric acid fuel cells.
  - (b) Describe the construction of calomel electrode. Why it is used as reference electrode in place of standard hydrogen electrode? How potentional measured using a calomel electrode.
- 7 (a) Discuss the theoretical principles involved in the generation of power by nuclear fission and nuclear fusion.
  - (b) What is mass defect? How is it related to the binding energy and stability of the nucleus?
  - (c) Give the Engineering applications of radioactive isotopes.
- 8 (a) Discuss the use of solar energy for space heating, water heating and for production of electricity.
  - (b) Discuss the use of indirect solar energy for generation of electrical power.