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M.Sc. (Chemistry) (Campus) (2015 to 2017) (Sem.-1)

BASIC INORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Subject Code : CHL-401

M.Code: 51140

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 70

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- SECTION-B contains SIX questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt ALL questions.
- SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

- Define Hall effect. What is its significance?
- Draw the structures of (i) Zinc blende and (ii) Wurtzite.
- What are the point groups for (i) [Pt(NH₃)c]Cl₂ and (ii) COS?
- Write the IUPAC names for (i) K₃[Fe(ox)₃] and (ii) [Co(NH₃)₅CI]Br.
- Draw crystal field splitting diagram for [Ni(CO)₄].
- Write the Mulliken symbols for F and P state in an octahedral field.
- 7. How are polarizability of bridging anion and rate of transfer of electron related to each other?
- The Q-value for the ³He (n,p) is 0.76 MeV. What is the nuclidic mass of ³He?
- Identify isolobal pairs from the following:

CH3, CH2, CH, Cr(CO)4, Mn(CO)5, and Co(CO)3

Calculate the spin magnetic moment of (i) K₂[Ni(CN)₄] and (ii) [FeF₆]³.

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SECTION-B

- What are magnetic materials? Describe its types.
- Predict structures for (i) B₂H₇ (ii) B₃H₈ and (iii) B₁₀H₁₄. Also, show the calculations.
- Give an account of a nuclear reactor.
- 14. What is chelate effect? How does the chelate effect help in increasing the stability of the coordination complexes? Explain with the help of at least two examples.
- Discuss the mechanism of inner sphere redox reaction of coordination compounds.
- Draw and explain the splitting of d-orbitals in a (i) square planar and (ii) an octahedral field.

SECTION-C

- Explain the Jahn-Teller effect and sketch the splitting of the d-orbitals for a compressed and elongated octahedron. Also, discuss its consequences.
- 18. What is radioactivity and radioactive particles? What is the order of radioactive disintegration process? Derive the relationship between half-life and decay constant.
- 19. Discuss the band gap theory of solids. Also, explain how this band gap is modified in case of semiconductors. How does the conductivity of solids vary with temperature?

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