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M.Sc (chemistry) (Campus) (2015 to 2017) (Sem.-2)
ADVANCED INORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Subject Code : CHL-411 M.Code : 51148

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

# Answer briefly:

- Define Bohr effect.
- Draw the structure of a siderophore.
- 3) What role does the zinc ion play in the action of carboxypeptidase?
- What are MRI contrast agents? Give examples.
- 5) How is ferrocene synthesised?
- What are cross coupling reactions? Give two examples.
- 7) How is the binding of oxygen to haemoglobin affected by pH?
- 8) How is kinetic selectivity defined for a host guest complex?
- 9) Write the structure of the products formed in the following reactions, keeping in view of the 18 electron rule:
  - (a)  $\eta^4 C_4 H_6 Fe(CO)_3 + HCI$
  - (b)  $(\eta^5 cp)_2 Fe + HBF_4$
- 10) How is Zeise salt synthesized? Draw its structure.

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## SECTION-B

- 11) State whether the carbonyls; Fe<sub>2</sub>(CO)<sub>9</sub>, Fe<sub>3</sub>(CO)<sub>12</sub> and Co<sub>4</sub>(CO)<sub>12</sub> follow 18 electron rule or not. What will be the number of electrons per metal atom without metal-metal bonds?
- 12) How can metal-alkyls be synthesized using oxidative-addition and transmetallation reactions? Give at least two examples for each reaction.
- What are silicones? Give their preparation, characterization and uses.
- 14) What are green solvents? Are ionic liquids considered as green solvents?
- Discuss the importance of High-Dilution synthesis in Supramolecular Chemistry.
- Write a note on Dual host Salt extraction.

#### SECTION-C

- Draw and discuss the structure, function and catalytic cycle of working of cytochrome P450.
- 18) Write a note on crown ethers, lariat ethers, podands and cryptands emphasizing on their synthesis and structural differences.
- 19) What is Hydroformylation reaction? What are the different catalysts used in this reaction? Explain the mechanistic cycle for each catalyst.

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