

2023

✓ B.E., First Semester
✓ CH-101: Applied Chemistry
(Common with ECE & EEE)

Time allowed: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 50

NOTE: Attempt five questions in all, including Question No. 1 which is compulsory and selecting two questions from each Part.

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1. (a) How polymers are classified on the basis of number of monomers present in a polymer?
- (b) Why aniline absorbs at lower wavelength in acidic solution?
- (c) Define the terms hot bands and fermi resonance in the context of Infrared Spectroscopy.
- (d) Why tetrahedral complexes always form high spin complexes?
- (e) What is galvanic corrosion?

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PART-A

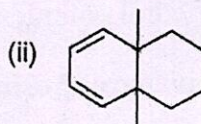
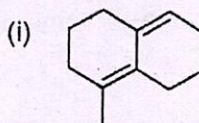
2. (a) Derive expressions for w , q , ΔE and ΔH when an ideal gas undergoes: i) isothermal reversible expansion ii) isothermal irreversible expansion. 5
- (b) Define efficiency of an engine. Calculate the maximum efficiency of a steam engine operating between 110°C and 25°C . 2
- (c) Define Hess's Law. What are its applications? 3
3. (a) Explain the mechanism of Monsanto process to synthesize acetic acid. 5
- (b) Derive Michaelis-Menton's equation to study the rate of enzyme catalyzed reactions. 5
4. (a) What are fuel cells? Describe the construction and working of hydrogen-oxygen fuel cell. 5
- (b) Explain the various methods to protect the metals from corrosion. 5

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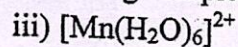
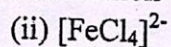
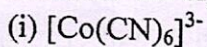
PART - B

5. (a). Calculate the number average and weight average molecular mass of a given sample of polyvinylchloride having 100 molecules molecular weight 100, 200 molecules of molecular weight 1000 and 300 molecules of molecular weight 10,000. 5
- (b) Give the cationic mechanism for the polymerization of styrene. 5
6. (a) Trans-1-phenyl-1,3-butadiene has $\lambda_{\max} = 280 \text{ nm}$ ($\epsilon = 27,000$). Calculate the concentration of a solution that has $A = 0.643$ at 280 nm in a 1 cm cell. 3
- (b) Calculate λ_{\max} for the following compounds:



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- (c) How polar solvents affect the λ_{\max} value for a) $n-\pi^*$ b) $\pi-\pi^*$ transitions? 3
7. (a) Calculate the crystal field stabilization energy in following complexes:



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- (b) Explain crystal field splitting when the metal is placed in a square planar field.

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