

2125
B.E., First Semester
ASC-X01: Applied Chemistry
(Common with CSE, ECE, MEC, EEE, IT and CIVIL)

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 Section.

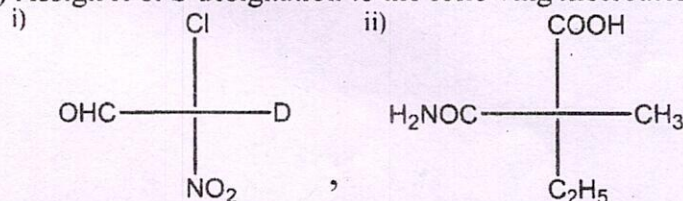
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- Q.1. (a) Explain the limitations of valence bond theory.
(b) Differentiate between enantiomers and diastereomers.
(c) Define Lambert-Beer's law.
(d) Explain second and third law of thermodynamics.
(e) Give the significance of Michealis Menten equations. (5×2=10)

Section-A

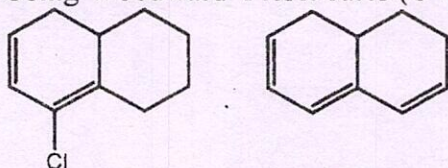
- Q.2. (a) Explain bonding in N₂ molecule on the basis of molecular orbital theory.
(b) With suitable example, describe crystal field splitting in octahedral complexes. (4, 6)

- Q.3. (a) Assign R or S designation to the following molecules with explanation:



- (b) Describe the conformational analysis of n-butane with energy profile diagram.
(c) With suitable example, explain Newman projection. (3, 5, 2)

- Q.4. (a) Using Woodward-Fieser rules (UV), calculate λ_{max} for the following compounds:



- (b) List the different types of electronic transitions in Ultraviolet (UV) absorption spectroscopy.
(c) How will you differentiate between C₂H₅OH and CH₃OCH₃ using infrared spectroscopy? (3, 4, 3)

Section-B

- Q.5. (a) Describe reversible isothermal expansion of an ideal gas.
(b) Illustrate the criteria's for the spontaneity of a reaction. (5, 5)

- Q.6. (a) Differentiate between homogeneous and heterogeneous catalysis.
(b) What is Wilkinson's catalyst? Elaborate the mechanistic steps involved in hydrogenation of alkene using it. (4, 6)

- Q.7. (a) Discuss the mechanism of condensation polymerization with suitable example.
(b) Explain the properties and uses of polyester & phenol-formaldehyde resin. (5, 5)

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