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FIRST YEAR

CHEMISTRY (Honours)

Paper : II

Date : 20/5/2013

Time : 11 am – 1 pm

Full Marks : 50

[Use separate Answer Books for each group]

Group – A

(Attempt one question from each unit)

Unit – I

1. a) Write down the Kelvin-Planck and the Clausius statements about the second law of thermodynamics and hence show that the two statements are equivalent. [1+1+4]
b) Define Joule-Thomson Coefficient (μ_{JT}). Although Joule-Thomson throttling process is an isenthalpic process but an isenthalpic T versus P curve is not the graph of a throttling process — explain. [1+2]
c) Derive from 1st and 2nd law $\left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial V}\right)_T = T\frac{\alpha}{\beta} - P$ where α, β are coefficient of thermal expansion and isothermal compression, respectively. [4]
2. a) Show that, $\left[\frac{\partial(\frac{G}{T})}{\partial(\frac{1}{T})}\right]_P = H$ where the terms have their usual significance. [3]
b) Prove that two reversible adiabatic paths can never cross. [2]
c) The change in Gibbs energy of a certain constant pressure process was found to fit the expression $\Delta G_J = -731 + 42.8\left(\frac{T}{K}\right)$. Calculate the value of ΔS for the process. [3]
d) Assuming all gases ideal, calculate the work invested, the heat dissipated and the change of entropy when 100 lit of air at 1 atm pressure and 298 K are separated isothermally and reversibly into 79 lit of nitrogen and 21 lit of oxygen measured at 1 atm pressure and 298 K. [3]
e) Give a process for which
i) $\Delta G = 0$
ii) $\Delta S = 0$ [1+1]
State all necessary conditions or restrictions clearly.

Unit – II

3. a) If ψ is a normalized wave function, what is its SI unit for 1D particle in a box? What do you mean by Normalization Constant? [2]
b) Show that $\hat{p}_x$ is hermitian. [3]
c) What is Compton effect?
"Compton effect provides an excellent illustration of the uncertainty principle"—explain. [1+2]
d) The wavefunction ψ of a certain system is the linear combination $\psi = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{1/2} \psi_1 + \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{1/2} \psi_2$ where ψ_1 and ψ_2 are energy eigenfunctions with (nondegenerate) energy eigenvalues E_1 and E_2 respectively. What is the probability that the system energy will be observed to be E_1 ? [3]
e) Verify that ∇^2 is linear. [1]
4. a) Show that if two observables are to have simultaneously precise defined values, then their corresponding operators must commute. [3]

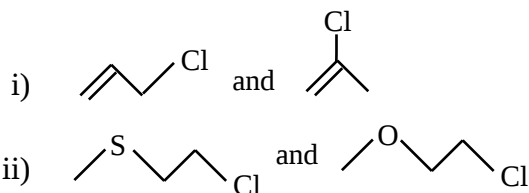
- b) Suppose a particle in a 3D cubic box of length 'a' has an energy of $\frac{3h^2}{2ma^2}$. How many states lie in this range? Also tell the number of energy levels in this range? [3]
- c) If a hexatriene molecule absorbs light of 2500 Å to transfer a π electron from $n = 1$ to $n = 2$, what is the average bond length of a C – C bond? [2]
- d) Consider a particle with quantum number n moving in a one dimensional box of length ℓ .
- Determine the probability of finding the particle in the left quarter of the box.
 - For what value of n is this probability a maximum?
 - What is the limit of this probability for $n \rightarrow \infty$? [2+1+1]

Group – B

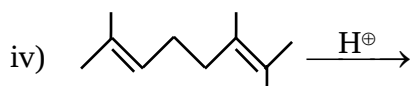
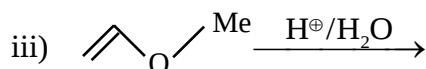
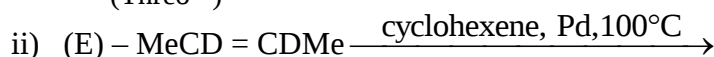
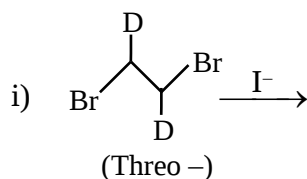
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Unit - I

5. a) What difference in reactivity with respect to nucleophilic substitution, would you expect between the compounds in each of the following pairs : [1½+1½]

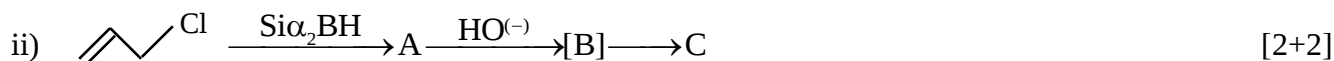


- b) Convert (R)-2-chlorobutane to (S)-2-chlorobutane. [2]
- c) Predict the product with stereochemistry, if appropriate, and write mechanism in each case [2×4]

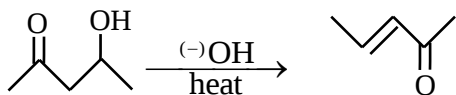


- d) Threo-1, 2-diphenyl-1-bromopropane reacts with base, ten times faster than erythro isomer. — Explain. [2]
6. a) Benzyl chloride reacts with $I^{(-)}$ ion almost at the same rate as methyl chloride, though the former substrate has a large α -substituent — Explain. [2]
- b) In addition of HBr to 3,3-dimethyl but-1-ene, the following results are observed :
- $Me_3CCH = CH_2 + HBr \rightarrow Me_2C(Br)CHMe_2 (A) + Me_3CCH(Br)Me (B) + Me_3CCH_2CH_2Br (C)$
- | | A | B | C |
|---------------|-------|-------|------|
| No peroxide | 71% | 29% | none |
| With peroxide | trace | trace | 100% |
- Explain why there is a different product distribution under the different sets of conditions.
 - Write a detailed mechanism for each reaction that explains the origin of all products. [4]
- c) Identify the products in each case :





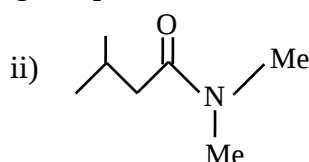
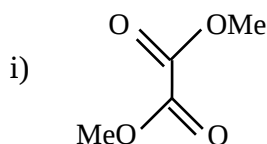
d) What kind of elimination does the following reaction follow? Write mechanism. [2]



e) Solvolysis of (+) – C₆H₅CHMeCl in acetone water (4:1) leads to 98% racemisation while (+) – C₆H₁₃CHMeCl leads to only 34% racemisation —explain. [3]

Unit - II

7. a) Write IUPAC name of each of the following compounds :



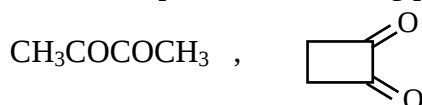
[2]

b) Arrange the following carbanions in order of increasing stability with proper justification. [2]



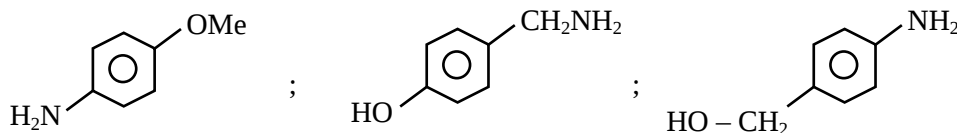
c) The azo-compound dibenzyl diazene (PhCH₂N=N–CH₂Ph) decomposes thermally to give nitrogen at a faster rate than di-t-butyl diazene (Me₃C–N=N–CMe₃). Explain. [2]

d) Which compound of following pair has greater enol content? Explain. [2]

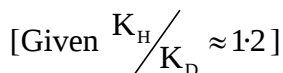
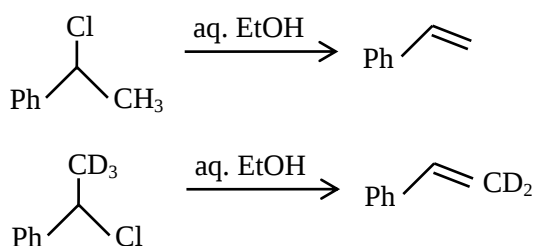


e) Cis-2-butene when photolysed with CH₂N₂ in C₃F₈ solvent, reaction becomes stereoselective — explain the reaction with products. [2]

8. a) Arrange, with reason, the following isomeric amines in increasing order of basicity [2]



b) Propose a mechanism of the following reaction on the basis of the given experimental evidence. [2]



c) Draw orbital picture of triplet carbene. [1]

d) Why cyclopropylmethyl cations are more stable than benzyl cation? [2]

e) Triplet carbene adds to E- and Z- alkene with loss of stereochemical integrity. Explain with suitable example. [3]

