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CHEMISTRY (Honours)

Date : 17/12/2018

Time : 11.00 am – 1.00 pm

Paper : I [Gr-B]

Full Marks : 35

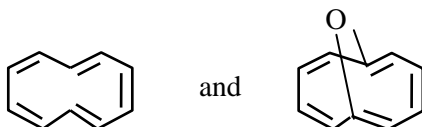
[Use one Answer Book for Unit I and another Answer Book for Unit II, III & IV]

(Attempt one question from each Unit)

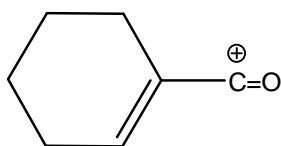
Unit I

[10 marks]

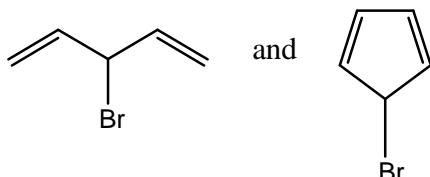
1. a) Which of the following two compounds has greater stability and why? [2]



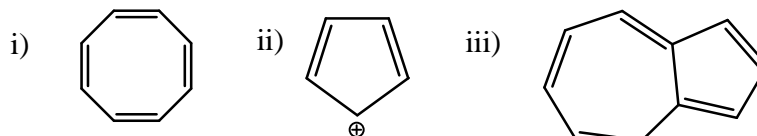
- b) Show relative energies of π Mo's for cycloheptatrienyl cation using frost's diagram and predict whether the species is aromatic or not. [2]
c) Compare the dipole moments of p-chloroaniline and p-fluoroaniline with reasons. [2]
d) Tropylium bromide is an ionic compound. Explain [2]
e) Draw the canonical forms of the following and indicate the most contributory form with reason. [2]



2. a) Which of the following two bromo compounds would undergo silver ion assisted hydrolysis at faster rate and why? [2]



- b) Between toluene and t-butylbenzene which compound will have higher electron density at the para carbon atom.— Explain. [2]
c) Draw the π - orbital picture of $\text{HC} \equiv \text{C}-\text{CHO}$ and indicate the states of hybridisation of each constituent atoms. [3]
d) Assign the following systems as aromatic, non-aromatic or antiaromatic with reason. [3]



Unit II

[9 marks]

3. a) What is the wavelength of light for a line in the atomic spectrum of H for which $n_1=2$ and $n_2=4$? which part of the electromagnetic spectrum does this belong to? [3]
b) How do the shapes of s and p orbitals can be obtained from angular functions? Give reasons. [3]

- c) From the angle of Zeeman effect, explain why $1s \rightarrow 2p$ transition is associated with three spectral line [1.5]
- d) Find out the ground state term symbol of the atom having atomic number 26 (twenty six). [1.5]
4. a) Discuss the origin and physical significance of magnetic quantum number. [3]
- b) Calculate the speed of an electron in the first Bohr orbit of the H atom and corresponding de-Broglie wavelength of the electron. ($a_0 = 52.9 \text{ pm}$, $m_e = 9.1 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$) [3]
- c) Sc has an electronic configuration of $[\text{Ar}]3d^1 4s^2$ and not $[\text{Ar}]3d^3$, why? [1.5]
- d) Show the radial probability distribution function diagram of the orbitals of 3s and 3p for a hydrogen atom. Give the interpretation of your diagram. [1.5]

Unit III

[8 marks]

5. a) Give reasonable explanations of the following facts:
 (i) First ionisation potentials of coinage metals fall in the order $\text{Cu} > \text{Ag} < \text{Au}$.
 (ii) Electron affinity of SF_5 is among the highest known but that of SF_6 is quite modest. [2+2]
- b) What is the basis of Allred-Rochow electronegativity? Interatomic distance in chlorine is 1.98 \AA . Calculate the Allred-Rochow electronegativity of chlorine atom using Slater's rules. [3]
- c) Explain group electronegativity with suitable examples. [1]
6. a) Calculate the electronegativity of chlorine in both Pauling's and Mulliken's scale. Given, $\text{EA}(\text{Cl}) = 4.0 \text{ eV/atom}$ and $\text{IE}(\text{Cl}) = 13.0 \text{ eV/atom}$. [3]
- b) Explain:-
 (i) Electronegativity of Ge is higher than that of Si and Sn.
 (ii) Be and Al have similar properties although they belong to different groups of periodic table. [2+2]
- c) What is meant by ionic radii? [1]

Unit-IV

[8 marks]

7. a) PbI_4 is non-existent whereas PbF_4 is a stable compound — Why? [2]
- b) What happens when sodium vapour is passing through NaCl crystals? Explain in terms of crystal defect. [2]
- c) Why does sodium bismuthate act as a strong oxidising agent? Give one example with a balanced chemical equation where sodium bismuthate acts as an oxidising agent. [2+2]
8. a) Discuss the trend in the solubility of MClO_4 ($\text{M} = \text{Li}, \text{Na}, \text{K}$). [2]
- b) Explain Schottky and Frenkel defects with example. [1.5+1.5]
- c) i) Why is the melting point of CuCl (422°C) much lower than that of KCl (776°C). [2]
 ii) Calculate the formal charge of 'Cl' in ClO_4^- [1]

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