

M.Sc. 3rd Semester Examination, 2010

CHEMISTRY

(Physical Special/Inorganic/Organic Special)

PAPER—CH-2102

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks

(Physical Special)

**Answer any four questions taking two
from each Group**

GROUP—A

Answer any two of the following

1. (a) Obtain the Sackur-Tetrode equation for the molar entropy of a monoatomic gas.
(b) Calculate the characteristic rotational temperature for H_2 gas at $2727^\circ C$, given

(Turn Over)

that the moment of Inertia of hydrogen gas molecule is $4.60 \times 10^{-48} \text{ kgm}^2$, $h = 6.62 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$ and $k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ JK}^{-1}$.

7 + 3

2. Define grand partition function for bosons and show that the Bose-Einstein distribution leads to an ideal gas equation. 10
3. Considering an appropriate composite system of two non-interacting systems in thermal contact, derive the Gibbs canonical distribution. 10
4. (a) State the postulate of equal a priori probabilities and define the ensemble average and time average of a quantity. What is Ergodic hypothesis?
- (b) Define the Lagrangian multiplier β and obtain its expression in term of temperature. Can β be negative? Explain your answer.

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GROUP-B

Answer any two of the following

5. (a) Describe a suitable method by which the kinetic reactions which do not obey Maxwellian distribution, are studied.
- (b) What is the utility of potential energy surface (PES) in a kinetic reaction ?
- (c) Justify the statements –
- (i) In a reaction between two ions entropy of activation always decreases after formation of activated complex due to electrostriction.
- (ii) The plot of $\log K_r$ (K_r = rate constants) against $\sqrt{\mu}$ (μ = ionic strength) for the reaction of base catalysed hydrolysis of ethyl acetate is parallel to X-axis.
- 3 + 1 + (3 + 3)
6. (a) Is the absolute reaction rate theory applicable to calculate viscosity co-efficient (η) of a liquid ?

(b) Prove that

$$\eta = \left(\frac{N}{V}\right)^{2/3} \frac{\text{CRT}}{\Delta E_{\text{vap}}} (2\pi mkT)^{1/2} e^{\epsilon_0/KT}$$

where the symbols have their usual meanings.

1 + 9

7. (a) A reaction between two ionic species of same charge is carried out two different solvents (i) acetone and (ii) hexane. The reaction rate in acetone was found higher than that of hexane. Justify.

(b) What do you understand by microscopic diffusion controlled reactions? Derive the expression for the rate constant of full microscopic diffusion controlled reaction.

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8. (a) Starting from equation

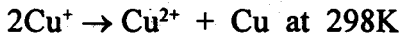
$$d\gamma = -q_{\mu} d_v - \frac{q_{\mu}}{Z_j F} d\mu_j - \sum \Gamma_i d\mu_i$$

derive

$$\left(\frac{d\gamma}{2RT d\ln a_{\pm}} \right)_{\text{const. } V_{\pm}} = -\Gamma_{+/-}$$

for 1:1 type of electrolyte, where γ = surface tension and Γ_i = surface excess for i th type of species at the interface and all other terms bear usual significance.

- (b) The standard electrode potentials E° (298 K) for Cu^{2+}/Cu and Cu^{+}/Cu are 0.337 and 0.530 V, respectively. In general, is it easier to oxidize Cu to the +2 or +1 state? Can you suggest any reason for your answer based on the electronic structures of the ions and related factors? What is the equilibrium constant for the reaction

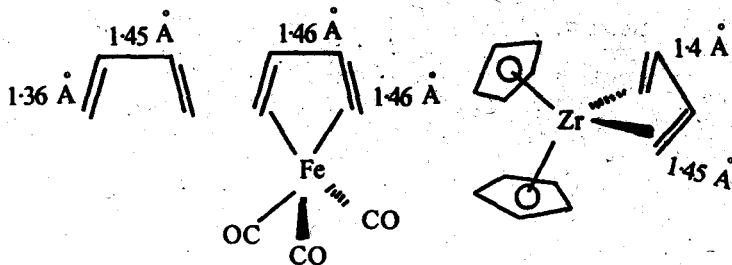


Describe what happens when a piece of Cu_2O is dissolved in dilute H_2SO_4 . $6 + (1 + 1 + 1 + 1)$

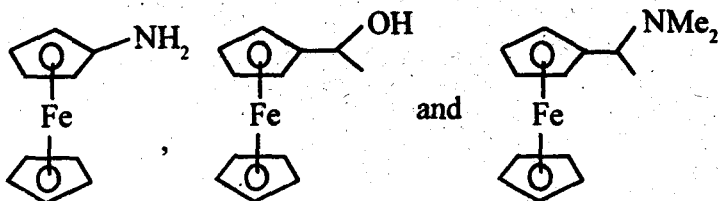
(Inorganic)

Answer any four questions

1. (a) Consider the bonding of 1,3-butadiene to Fe and Zr and explain the bond length data 3



- (b) Synthesize the following compounds starting from ferrocene: 6

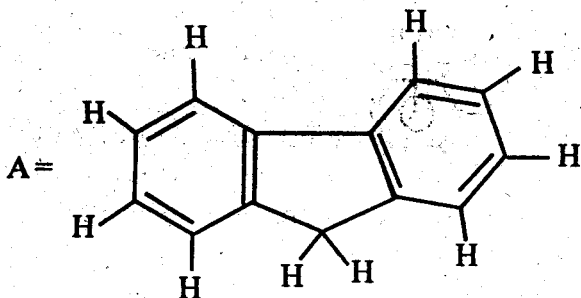


- (c) How will you synthesize (C_p)₂Ti starting from TiCl₄. 1

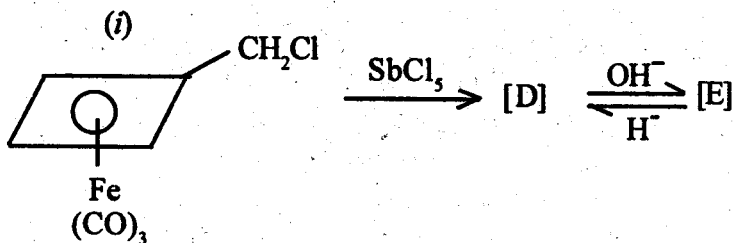
2. (a) Compound 'A' forms an ionic organometallic compound with a CpFe fragment and obeys 18e rule. It has molecular formula $[C_5H_5Fe(C_{13}H_{10})]^+ [PF_6]^-$

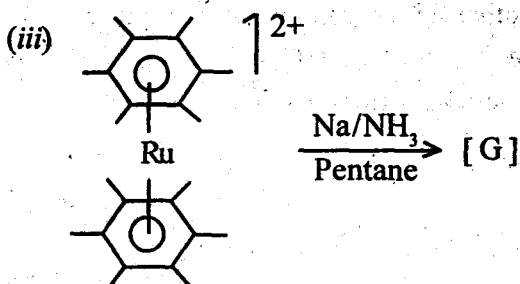
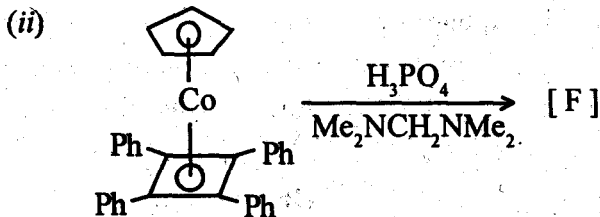
(B)

Treatment of 'B' with a base results in another 18e organometallic complex 'C' with the formula $[(C_5H_5)Fe(C_{13}H_9)]$. Draw reasonable structures of complexes 'B' and 'C'. 4



- (b) Identify [D] to [G] 4





- (c) How ferrocene is prepared industrially? 2
3. (a) What do you mean by 'Turnover number (TON)' and 'Turnover Frequency (TOF)'? 3
- (b) Discuss the catalytic cycle for hydrogenation using Wilkinson's catalyst. 3
- (c) Write down the name of two catalysts (other than Wilkinson's catalyst) with their structures which catalyzes homogeneous hydrogenation reaction. 2

- (d) What is 'Suzuki-Miyaura coupling' ? 2
4. (a) What is inorganic dendrimers ? 2
- (b) Construct $[\text{OsRu}_9]$ taking 2, 3-dpp; 2,5-dpp ;
 Me-bpy, bpy as ligands wherever necessary
 you can use any number of ligands
 (2, 3-dpp = 2, 3-Dipyridyl pyrazine ;
 2, 5-dpp = 2, 5-Dipyridylpyrazine
 Me-bpy = 4-Methyl-2, 2'-bipyridyl ;
 bpy = 2, 2'-Bipyridyl). 5
- (c) What do you mean by divergent and convergent
 mode of dendrimer formation ? 3
5. (a) What are the empirical rules governing the
 chemotherapeutic potential of platinum ammine
 complexes ? 2
- (b) What is the rate-determining step of the
 platinum-DNA complex formation ? 2
- (c) How would you prepare $[\text{Os}(\text{bpy})(\text{Cl}_4\text{Cat})_2]$
 $[\text{bpy} = 2, 2'\text{-Bipyridyl} ; \text{Cl}_4\text{Cat} = 3, 4, 5, 6\text{-Tetra-}$
 $\text{chlorocatechol}]$. 4

- (d) Cite an example of each of Platinum (III) and Palladium (III) complex with structure. 2
6. (a) Distinguish between single crystal, polycrystal and amorphous materials. 1
- (b) Distinguish between primitive and non-primitive lattice. 1
- (c) Briefly describe the powder method in X-ray crystallography with a schematic description of the experimental set up and the utility of this method. 4
- (d) What is reciprocal lattice and why is it relevant? Show that the reciprocal lattice of F.C.C. lattice is a B.C.C. lattice. 1 + 3
7. (a) Why X-ray is appropriate probe for exploring internal structure of crystalline material? 1
- (b) Derive Laue conditions for X-ray diffraction from crystalline materials. 3
- (c) Derive the expression for crystal structure factor. 3

- (d) What are systematic absences? Derive the systematic absence condition of a B.C.C. lattice. 1 + 2

(Organic Special)

Answer any five questions taking at least
two from each Group

GROUP - A

1. (a) Define template effect. How does macrocyclization works even though it is an entropically disfavorable process? 2 + 2

(b) Design, synthesize and illustrate the mode of complexation of a receptor for mono-potassium salt of maleic acid. 4

2. (a) Write the significance of multiple recognition sites in the selection of substrates during host-guest complexation. 3

(b) Design a suitable chiral host for complexing L-Trp. 2

(c) Design, synthesize and explain the mode of action of a protease enzyme mimic. 3

3. Account for any *two* of the following observed results: 4 x 2

(a) Treatment of $\text{Cr}(\text{CO})_3$ complex of toluene with *n*-butyl lithium in tetrahydrofuran is devoid of any regiocontrol but the same compound is regioselectively deprotonated in the benzylic position when treated with potassium tertiary butoxide in dimethyl sulfoxide.

(b) Chromiumtricarbonyl complex of 1-methoxycarbonyl indane exists as a mixture of two diastereomers. However a single product results when both of these diastereomers are treated successively with a base and an alkylating agent.

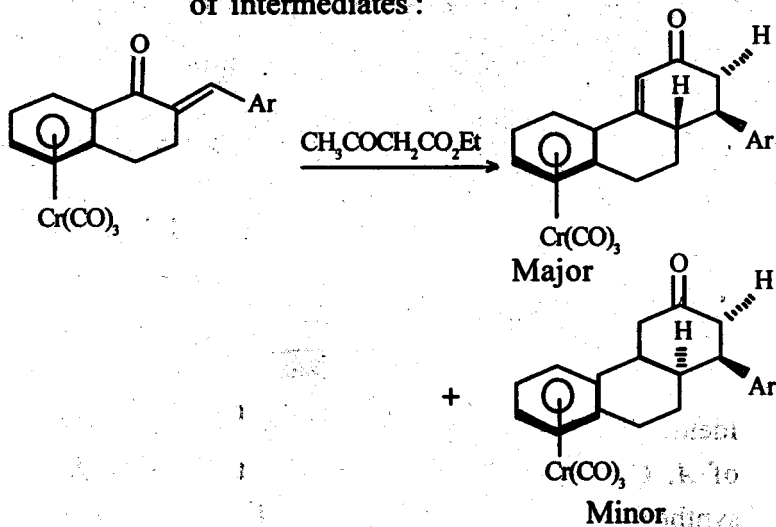
(c) Acidities of both the ring and the benzylic protons of chromiumtricarbonyl complexes of aromatic compounds in comparison to the uncomplexed species.

4. (a) Define the term, (i) synthon (ii) Disconnection. 2

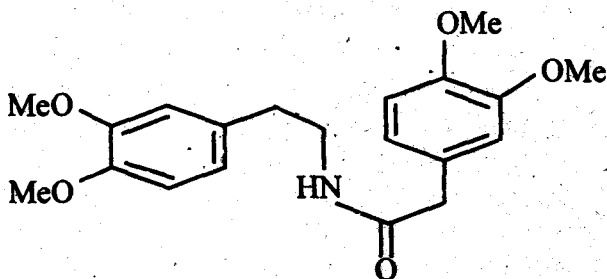
(b) Answer any *one* of the following questions : 6

(i) Account for the difference in regioselectivity observed in the formation of products when chromiumtricarbonyl complexes of anisole and phenyl triisopropyl silyl ether are treated with *n*-butyl lithium followed by an electrophile.

(ii) Explain the following conversion with mechanistic interpretation of the formation of intermediates :

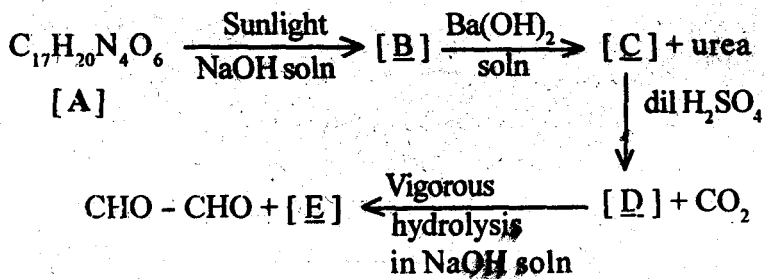


5. What is meant by functional group interconversion ? Illustrate the use of functional group interconversion in the retro synthetic analysis of the following compound : 2 + 6



GROUP - B

6. Complete the following transformation :



Identify B, C, D and hence deduce the structure of A. Confirm the structure of 'A' through its synthesis. 6 + 2

7. What is coenzyme ? How NAD and FAD take part in Biological reactions ? Indicate all steps through which vitamins participate in carbohydrate metabolism and maintain their original state of reactivity. 4 + 4
8. (a) What are cyclodextrins ? 2
- (b) Design, synthesize and explain the mode of action of a Ribonuclease mimic based on cyclodextrins. 3
- (c) How the rates of common Diels-Alder reactions are effected when carried out in water ? 3
9. (a) Design, synthesize and explain the complexation of a receptor for adipic acid. 3
- (b) How benzoin condensation is effected when carried out in water than in ethanol ? How benzoin condensation in water will be effected when carried out in the presence of 5.0 M LiCl and 5.0 M LiClO₄ ? 3

(c) How can cryptands be used as a light conversion and energy transfer device? 2

10. Discuss the catalytic cycle of Sonogashira reaction. What are the merits and demerits of using a copper cocatalyst in this reaction? What is a "Copper free" Sonogashira reaction? 3 + 3 + 2
