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B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2018

Fifth Semester

Core Course—CHEMISTRY OF D AND F BLOCK ELEMENTS

(Common for B.Sc. Chemistry Model I, Model II, B.Sc. Petrochemicals, B.Sc. Chemistry Environment and Water Management)

[2013 Admission onwards]

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 60

Part A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. What is Chelate effect?
- 2. Give the IUPAC names of:
 - (a) [Cr (H₂O) ₄Cl₂] Cl.
 - (b) K₄ [Mo[CN]₈].
- 3. What is Zeise salt? How is it prepared?
- 4. How is water gas synthesized?
- 5. What is Bohr effect?
- 6. Differentiate between low spin and high spin complexes.
- 7. Cupric salts are coloured give reason.
- 8. How will you distinguish between?

 $\rm [Co~(NH_3)~_5SO_4]~Br$ and $\rm [Co~(NH_3)_5~Br]~SO_4.$

 $(8 \times 1 = 8)$

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 9. From Fe (CO)₅ how many CO can be removed by two NO Groups substantiate your answer.
- 10. Differentiate between Carbene and Carbyne complexes giving examples.
- 11. What are Ylides? How are they classified?
- 12. Organo metallic compounds are normally used as catalyst? Give reasons.

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- 13. Explain Zeigler NaHa Polymerisation.
- 14. What is Trans effect? Give one of its application.
- 15. Give one application each of Co-ordination Compounds in Qualitative and Quantitative analysis.
- 16. What is Lanthanide contraction? What are its consequences?
- 17. Europium shows + 2 oxidation state in addition to + 3 oxidation state, why?
- 18. What is Jahn-Teller distortion? Explain.

 $(6 \times 2 = 12)$

Part C

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 19. Explain the Diamagnetic property of Ferrocene on the Basis of valence Bond theory.
- 20. Briefly discuss the functions of Sodium-Potassium pump.
- 21. Write a note on Essential and trace elements in Biological systems. Also explain the functions.
- 22. Discuss on the Bonding in metal carbonyls.
- 23. How are individual Lanthanides separated by ion exchange method?
- 24. Discuss the magnetic properties of Lanthanides.

 $(4 \times 4 = 16)$

Part D

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 12 marks.

- 25. (a) What is crystal field theory, explain?
 - (b) How does it differ from valence bond theory?
 - (c) How does it explain the magnetic properties and colour of co-ordination compounds.
- 26. Write a brief account on Different types of isomerisms in co-ordination compounds with suitable examples.
- 27. Write a note on the following:
 - (a) Role of Blood as oxygen carrier.
 - (b) Treatment on Metal toxicity.
 - (c) Anticancer drugs.
 - (d) Cytochromes.
- 28. (a) What are metal clusters? How are they classified explain with examples for each?
 - (b) Write a note on the following:-
 - (i) Quadruple bond.
 - (ii) Werner's theory of Co-ordination.