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B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2019

Sixth Semester

Core Course—EQUILIBRIUM AND KINETICS

[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 the eight questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Give one example for a path function.
- 2. Give the mathematical statement of first law of thermodynamics.
- 3. How is Gibbs energy of a system related to it entropy at TK?
- 4. How is standard free energy change related to equilibrium constant?
- 5. What is meant by metastable equilibrium?
- 6. What is meant by efflorescence?
- 7. Define threshold energy of a reaction.
- 8. What is meant by catalytic Poison?

 $(8 \times 1 = 8)$

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 9. Define isobasic process and isochoric process.
- 10. What happens to the internal energy of a system if: (a) Work is done on the system; and (b) Work is done by the system.
- 11. How does the entropy of a gaseous substance changes with : (a) Increase in temperature ; and (b) Decrease of pressure.
- 12. State the zeroth and third law of thermodynamics.
- 13. Is it possible that one-component system may have more than one triple point? Illustrate with a suitable example.
- 14. Explain the term eutectic point.

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- 15. Hydrolysis of methylacetate in acid median is a first order reaction bat is alkaline medium, it is a second order reaction. Why?
- 16. The rate constant of a first order disintegration of a substance is 0.5×10^{-2} 5⁻¹. Calculate the time required for 10 g of the substance to disintegrate to 5 g.
- 17. What is autocatalysis? Give one example.
- Calculate Δs, if one mole of an ideal gas (monoatomic) is heated from 27°C to 227°C at constant pressure.

 $(6 \times 2 = 12)$

Part C

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 19. Why is it that only non-ideal gases can be liquified using Joule-Thomsons expansion? Explain it? Define Joule-Thomson co-efficient.
- 20. Discuss the phase diagram of sulphur system.
- 21. What is residual entropy? Explain the physical significance of the term entropy.
- 22. Write down the integrated form of Gibb's-Helmholtz equation and explain the term. What is the significance of Gibbs energy.
- 23. What is meant by chemical potential? Explain how chemical potential vary with temperature and pressure.
- 24. Explain the influence of temperature on reaction rate on the basis of collision theory.

 $(4 \times 4 = 16)$

Part D

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 12 marks.

- 25. Draw and discuss the phase diagram for ferric chloride-water system. What changes are observed if a solution of ferric chloride is subjected to isothermal evaporation at 50°C.
- 26. Explain Lindemann theory of unimolecular reaction.
- 27. Define Clasius-Clapeyron equation.
- 28. (a) State Carnot's theorem.
 - (b) Derive the expression for the efficiency of C and cycle.

 $(2 \times 12 = 24)$