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BACHELOR'S DEGREE (C.B.C.S) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2024 **2023 ADMISSIONS REGULAR**

SEMESTER II - CORE COURSE CHEMISTRY

CH2C02B23 - Theoretical and Inorganic Chemistry

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 60

Part A

I. Answer any Ten questions. Each question carries 1 marks

(10x1=10)

- 1. Recall the energy of the electron in the ground state of the hydrogen atom.
- 2. Calculate the de Broglie wavelength of an electron of mass 9.1×10^{-31} kg moving with a velocity 5.9×10^{-31} 10⁵ m/s.
- 3. Recall the expression for the energy of electron in the nth orbit of hydrogen
- Calculate the magnetic moment value of Ti³⁺ and also explain it is diamagnetic or paramagnetic.
- 5. Represent the electronic configuration of Sc³⁺ ion.
- 6. Give the structure of PtCl4
- 7. Determine the most polar isomer of 1,2 dibromo ethylene.
- 8. Select the compound with higher melting point- CaCl2 or NaCl.
- 9. Recall the rules used to predict the covalent and ionic nature of a bond.
- 10. Cite the dipole moment of Carbon tetrachloride molecule.
- 11. Compare the polarising power of Ag⁺ with K⁺.
- 12. Define resonance energy.



Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 5 marks

(6x5=30)

- 13. Explain Compton Effect
- 14. Explain hoe the Sommerfeld's overcome the limitation of Bohr's theory
- 15. Based on Bohr atom model, construct equations to calculate the radius of orbit and energy of electron in Hydrogen atom
- 16. Discuss the following characteristics of d block elements: a) metallic character b) density.
- 17. Describe the different transition series in d block of periodic table.
- 18. Explain the importance of hydrogen bonding.
- 19. Compare sigma bonds and pi bonds.
- 20. With the help of free electron theory explain the electrical properties of solids.
- 21. Water is a liquid, while ammonia is a gas at room temperature. Review the reason.

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 10 marks

(2x10=20)

22. a) Discuss the atomic and ionic radii of the transition elements. b) Explain the Colour exhibited by various

transition elements.

- 23. Memorize the preparation, properties, structure and uses of Potassium Dichromate.
- 24. Predict the stability of following molecules using molecular orbital theory a) Carbon molecule b) Oxygen molecule c) Carbon Monoxide molecule.
- 25. Enumerate the postulates of VSEPR theory. Using VSEPR theory, identify and explain the shapes of XeF₂ and IF₅.

