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#### B.Sc. DEGREE (CBCSS) EXAMINATION, APRIL 2015 SECOND SEMESTER – COMPLIMENTARY COURSE (CHEMISTRY) (COMMON for B.Sc. BOTANY, ZOOLOGY, FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SCIENCE) CHE2BOC – BASIC ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Time: 3 Hours Maximum: 60 Marks

## Part A (Answer *all* questions. Each question carries one mark)

- 1. One example of a neutral electrophile is ------
- 2. Hybridisation state of carbon present in acetylene is ------
- 3. Which is the most stable conformation of cyclohexane?
- 4. What is PET?
- 5. Stereoisomers which are not mirror images are called -----
- 6. Number of asymmetric carbon atoms present in CH<sub>3</sub> CHOH CHOHCHOH CH<sub>3</sub> is ------
- 7. The dehydrohalogenation of tertiary butyl bromide, with alcoholic KOH to give isobutene is an example for ----- reaction.
- 8. Among formic and acetic acids the more acidic is ------

(8x1=8 marks)

# Part B (Answer *six* questions. Each question carries two marks)

- 9. Differentiate conformation and configuration,
- 10. Represent E and Z isomers of 2-chloro but-2-ene.
- 11. Explain mesomeric effect.
- 12. What is Markonikoff's rule? Illustrate with an example.
- 13. How is Nylon 6,6 prepared? Give equation.
- 14. Define the terms enantiomers and diastereomers with suitable examples.
- 15. Distinguish between addition and condensation polymerization.
- 16. Explain why aniline is less basic than ammonia.
- 17. What is meant by a) resolution b) racemisation.
- 18. What is chirality? Explain with an example.

(6x2=12 marks)

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- 19. Discuss on geometrical isomerism in aldoximes and ketoximes.
- 20. Explain stereoisomerism in tartaric acid. Draw the structures of the isomers.
- 21. Write a note on hyperconjugative effect.
- 22. Briefly explain the four major types of organic reactions with suitable examples.
- 23. Give one method of preparation of a) Neoprene b) Buna N rubber (write equations)
- 24. Draw the various conformations of n-butane and discuss their stability with the help of potential energy level diagram.

(4x4=16 marks)

## Part D (Answer *two* questions. Each question carries 12 marks)

- 25. Discuss briefly on geometrical and optical isomerism.
- 26. (a) Explain  $S_N1$  and  $S_N2$  mechanism with suitable examples.
  - (b) Write notes on (i) peroxide effect (ii) Saytzeff's rule
- 27. Describe the synthesis and applications of:
  - (a) phenol formaldehyde resin (b) melamine formaldehyde resin
- 28. Discuss the structure and stability of various reaction inermediates.

(2x12=24 marks)