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CHMDSC-102T/093**

**FYUG Odd Semester Exam., 2023
(Held in 2024)**

**CHEMISTRY
(1st Semester)**

Course No. : CHMDSC-102T

(Physical Chemistry—I)

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*



SECTION—A

Answer ten questions, selecting two from each
Unit : 2×10=20

UNIT—I

1. Show that the mean free path of a gas molecule increases by decrease in pressure.
2. Determine the possible number of vibrational mode of (a) H_2O and (b) CH_4 . 1+1=2
3. Define most probable velocity.

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UNIT—II

4. Discuss the effect of temperature on the deviation of real gas from ideal gas behaviour.
5. What is Joule-Thomson effect?
6. What are critical pressure and critical temperature? 1+1=2

UNIT—III

7. Define the terms 'surface tension' and 'surface energy'. 1+1=2
8. What do you mean by cohesion and adhesion? 1+1=2
9. What will be the effect of addition of non-volatile solute on the surface tension of liquid? 1+1=2

UNIT—IV

10. What are liquid crystals?
11. Calculate the Miller indices of crystal planes which cut through the crystal axes at—
(a) $(2a, 3b, c)$;
(b) $(2a, -3b, -3c)$. 1+1=2
12. What are extrinsic and intrinsic semi-conductors? 1+1=2

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UNIT—V

13. State and explain the Raoult's law for vapour pressure of binary solutions of volatile liquids.
14. What do you mean by azeotropic mixture?
15. One mole of component A and two moles of component B are mixed at 27°C to form an ideal binary mixture. Assuming $R = 8.314 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$, calculate ΔG_{mix} and ΔS_{mix} . 1+1=2

SECTION—B

Answer five questions, selecting one from each
Unit : 10×5=50

UNIT—I

16. (a) Write down the basic postulates of the kinetic theory of gases. Derive the kinetic gas equation. 3+3=6
- (b) Derive mathematical expression for—
- (i) average velocity ;
 - (ii) root mean square velocity. 2+2=4

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17. (a) Discuss the effect of temperature on the distribution of molecular velocities. 3
- (b) Calculate the temperature at which the root mean square velocity, the average velocity and the most probable velocity of oxygen gas are all equal to 1500 ms^{-1} . 3
- (c) Explain the terms 'collision number' and 'collision frequency'. $2+2=4$

UNIT—II

18. (a) Define excluded volume. Show that excluded volume designated as b in van der Waals' gas equation is four times of the actual volume of the gas molecules. $1+3=4$
- (b) Draw and discuss the P - V isotherms of CO_2 molecule. 4
- (c) Calculate the critical temperature of a van der Waals' gas for which P_c is 100 atm and b is $50 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1}$. 2
19. (a) State the principle of corresponding states. Derive the relations between critical constants (T_c , P_c , V_c) with van der Waals' constant (a and b). $1+3=4$

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- (b) Define Boyle temperature. Derive an expression for the Boyle temperature of a van der Waals' gas. 1+3=4
- (c) What is compressibility factor? Explain. 2

UNIT—III

20. (a) Derive the expression for the determination of surface tension by the drop number method. 3
- (b) Explain the mechanism of cleansing action of detergent. 4
- (c) How does intermolecular force affect vapour pressure and surface tension? 3
21. (a) What is viscosity of a liquid? Describe the process of determination of viscosity of liquid by Ostwald's viscometer. 1+3=4
- (b) What are newtonian and non-newtonian liquids? Discuss the effect of temperature on the viscosity of a liquid. 2+1=3
- (c) What is surfactant? What are the different types of surfactant? Give examples. 1+2=3

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UNIT—IV

22. (a) Derive the Bragg's equation in X-ray crystallography. 3

(b) Write short notes on the following :

$2\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 5$

(i) Schottky defect

(ii) Frenkel defect

(c) NaCl has f.c.c. structure. How many Na^+ and Cl^- ions are present in the unit cell? 2

23. (a) What are edge and screw dislocations?

$2+2=4$

(b) Discuss the band theory of semi-conductors and insulators. 3

(c) Describe the phase structures of smectic A and C phases of liquid crystals. 3

UNIT—V

24. (a) State the Nernst distribution law. How is the law derived from thermodynamic consideration? $1+3=4$

(b) Define CST. Explain UCST, by taking a suitable example. What will be the effect of impurity on CST? $1+3+2=6$

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25. (a) Discuss the three types of derivation shown by non-ideal solutions from the ideal behaviour in their vapour pressure with a suitable example. 6
- (b) Discuss the variation of vapour pressure of completely miscible liquid pairs with composition. 4

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