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M. Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION APRIL 2017

SEMESTER - 2: M.Sc. CHEMISTRY/ APPLIED CHEMISTRY

COURSE: 15P2CHET08-15P2CPHT08 -MOLECULAR SPECTROSCOPY

(For Supplementary - 2015 Admission)

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 75

Section A

(Answer any **Ten** questions. Each question carries **2** marks)

- 1. Explain the term Fermi resonance.
- 2. Which of these molecules H₂, N₂, N₂O, CH₄ have a pure rotational spectra? Explain.
- 3. What is Franck-Condon Principle?
- 4. Differentiate between Stark effect and Zeeman effect.
- 5. Infrared absorption due to carbonyl stretching occurs at higher frequencies than stretching of C=C bond. Explain.
- 6. State "Mutual exclusion principle". Provide the selection rule for vibrational Raman spectra.
- 7. In a pure rotational Raman spectrum of ³⁵Cl₂ the lines are separated by 0.9752 cm⁻¹. Calculate the bond length of the molecule.
- 8. What is nuclear quadrupole moment?
- 9. What is NOE effect?
- 10. What is meant by recoilless emission? Give the conditions under which Mossbauer effect is most likely to occur?
- 11. Why vibrations involving relatively neutral bonds such as **C-C,C-H,C=C** are strong Raman scatterers, while they are weak in IR absorption.
- 12. Why¹³C NMR spectra are difficult to record?
- 13. Briefly describe COSY and HETCOR.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

Section B

(Answer any **Five** questions, by attempting not more than 3 questions from each bunch. Each question carries **5 marks**)

Bunch I

- 14. Write short notes on (a) Karplus relation (b) Karmers' degeneracy and (c) Mc Connell equation.
- 15. Explain radiative and non-radiative methods of energy dissipation in excited molecules.

- 16. What are the merits of Fourier Transform spectra over conventional spectroscopy?
- 17. With which type of spectroscopy would one observe the pure rotational spectra of Hydrogen molecule (H₂)? What would be the spacing of lines in the spectrum?

Bunch II

- 18. State Beer-Lambert law. The transmittance of an aqueous solution of KMnO₄ at a certain wavelength is **1%** for a **10** ⁻³ molar solution in a **1** cm cell. What is its (a) absorbance (b) molar absorption coefficient of KMnO₄.
- 19. The rotational spectrum of CO shows a series of lines placed **3.84325 cm** ⁻¹ apart. Calculate the moment of inertia and bond length.
- 20. The equilibrium vibrational frequency of iodine molecule is 250 cm⁻¹ and the anharmonicity constant $x_e = 0.003$. What is the intensity of the hot band? $\upsilon = 1$ to $\upsilon = 2$ relative to that of the fundamental $\upsilon = 0$ to $\upsilon = 1$, if the temperature is 300 K.
- 21. (a) The centre of the EPR spectrum of methyl radical occurred at 329.40 mT in a spectrometer operating at 9.2330 GHz. Calculate its g-value.
 - (b) At what magnetic field would the methyl radical come into resonance in a spectrometer operating at 34,000 GHz

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

Section C

(Answer any **Two** questions. Each question carries **15 marks**)

- 22. (a) Write short notes on (i) Predissociation (ii) magic angle spinning and (iii) Fermi resonance.
 - (b). Explain the principle of X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy.
- 23. (a) Describe the factors responsible for the width and intensity of spectral lines.
 - (b) Draw the energy level diagram and transition for the odd electron of the free radical in:
 - (i) •(CF₂H) and (ii) Naphthalene anion.
- 24. (a) What is Raman effect? Explain the origin of Stokes and anti-Stokes lines.
 - (b) Raman rotational spectra of H₂ was observed with Hg light with Rayleigh line at 2294 cm⁻¹. Stokes lines were observed at 2258.1, 2233.7, 2209.4 and 2185.1 cm⁻¹. Draw the rotational energy levels diagram for hydrogen molecule and show the stokes and anti-stokes transitions.
- 25. (a) Discuss the applications of Mossbauer spectroscopy in the study of Fe (II) and Fe (III) cyanides.
 - (b) Explain the principle and working of Ruby laser.

 $(15 \times 2 = 30)$
