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# **BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION OCTOBER 2015**

SEMESTER – 1: CHEMISTRY (COMPLEMENTARY)

COURSE: U1CPCHE1: BASIC THEORETICAL AND ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY

(Supplementary / Improvement)

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 60

### Section A

Answer **all** questions. Each question carries 1 mark

- 1. Name a metal which shows photoelectric effect.
- 2. From which element Hund's rule of maximum multiplicity starts?
- 3. Calculate the change in internal energy of a system which absorbs 100 J of heat and does 215J of work.
- 4. Name one example for a basic buffer.
- 5. What is the pH of 0.01M HCl solution?
- 6. Name one indicator used in the titration of HCl against K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>.
- 7. What is the condition for spontaneity with respect to  $\Delta G$  value?
- 8. Give an example of a substance used in TLC.

 $(8 \times 1 = 8)$ 

### Section B

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

- 9. Calculate the pH of a solution obtained by mixing equal volumes of solutions with pH=4 and pH=6.
- 10. What is common ion effect? Give one example.
- 11. Briefly explain Third law of thermodynamics.
- 12. Predict the sign of  $\Delta$  *S*in the following processes: (a) Dissolution of glucose in water
  - (b) HCl added to AgNO₃ solution to form AgCl precipitate.
- 13. Calculate the uncertainty in the velocity of an electron if the uncertainty in position is 100 pm (mass of the electron is 9.1 X 10<sup>-31</sup> Kg)
- 14. Distinguish between accuracy and precision.
- 15. Define R<sub>f</sub> value. What is its significance?
- 16. State and explain Aufbau principle

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## Section C

(Answer **any four** questions. Each question carries 5 marks)

- 17. Distinguish column chromatography and HPLC.
- 18. Briefly explain Second law of thermodynamics and its applications.
- 19. Draw the shape of d orbitals.
- 20. Briefly explain the theory of complexometric titrations.
- 21. The solubility product of silver chloride is  $1.2 \times 10^{-10}$  at 298K. Calculate the solubility of AgCl at 298K.
- 22. What are redox titrations? Give examples.

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$ 

(6 + 4)

## **Section D**

(Answer **any two** questions. Each question carries 10 marks)

- 23. (a) What are the common errors in quantitative analysis? Briefly explain the methods to minimize them.
  - (b) Explain the various separation techniques used in analytical chemistry.
- 24. (a) Compare Arrhenius, Lowry-Bronsted and Lewis concept of acids.
  - (b) Explain briefly various types of quantum numbers. (5 + 5)
- 25. (a) Discuss the various enthalpies of Fusion, Vapourisation and Sublimation with examples.
  - (b) Briefly explain the gravimetric method of analysis of a metal. (5 + 5)
- 26. (a) What are buffer solutions. Give the theory of working of an acidic buffer.
  - (b) Explain briefly Ion-exchange and gas chromatographic techniques. (4+6)

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