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B.Sc DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION: NOVEMBER 2023

SEMESTER 5: CHEMISTRY

COURSE: 19U5CRCHE07 - PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY - I

(For Regular 2021 Admission and Supplementary 2020/2019 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 60

PART A Answer All (1 mark each)

- 1. Give the expression for partial molar enthalpy.
- State law of mass action.
- 3. Mention the conditions at which the efficiency of a heat engine can be 1.
- 4. At triple point ---- and ----- are fixed in the phase diagram of sulphur system.
- 5. Which among the following are extensive properties of a system?
 - a) Free energy
- b) Pressure
- c) Surface Tension d) Enthalpy
- 6. Give the relationship between temperature & volume in the reversible adiabatic expansion of an ideal gas.
- 7. Define residual entropy of a system.
- 8. Order of reaction for the hydrolysis of ethyl acetate by HCl is

 $(1 \times 8 = 8)$

PART B

Answer any 6 (2 marks each)

- 9. Explain the spontaneous expansion of a gas into a low-pressure region based on second law of thermodynamics.
- 10. Comment on the applications of second law of thermodynamics.
- 11. Define internal energy of a system. Is it a state function or path function?
- 12. State and explain zeroth law of thermodynamics.
- 13. Explain the reason for Joule-Thomson cooling in real gases.
- 14. General phase rule and reduced phase rule are used to deal with gaseous systems and condensed systems respectively. Justify.
- 15. Why high molecularity reactions are rare?
- 16. Calculate the work done for a reversible expansion of 2 moles of an ideal gas at 273 K from 2.24 L to 22.4 L.

 $(2 \times 6 = 12)$

PART C

Answer any 4 (5 marks each)

- 17. Write the characteristics of metastable curves and metastable triple point in the phase diagram of sulphur system.
- 18. Discuss the enthalpy and entropy conditions for exothermic and endothermic reactions for spontaneity.

- ^{19.} One mole of an ideal gas ($Cv = 12.55 \text{ JK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1}$) at 350 K is compressed adiabatically and reversibly to one fifth of the original volume. Calculate the final temperature of the gas.
- 20. Calculate the entropy change involved when 3 moles of an ideal gas expands reversibly and isothermally from 500 kPa to 50kPa at 300K.
- 21. Explain the terms a) Mechanism of Reaction (b) Equilibrium Approximation b) Steady state approximation.
- Three moles of an ideal gas ($Cv = 20.92 \text{ JK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1}$) are compressed adiabatically and reversibly from a volume of 75 dm³ at 1 atm to a pressure 100 atm. Calculate (a) the final volume of the gas and (b) final temperature of the gas.

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$

PART D Answer any 2 (10 marks each)

- 23. What are chain reactions? Give examples. Explain the steps involved in the chlorination of methane and formation of hydrogen bromide.
- 24. Explain the phase diagram of sodium sulphate water system.
- 25. a) Derive expressions for entropy changes of an ideal gas with change in P, V and T.
 - b) Obtain expressions for isothermal, isobaric and isochoric processes.
- 26. a) Derive Kirchoff's equation and arrive at its integrated form.
 - b) Calculate ΔH at 298 K for the reaction:

$$H_2O(g) \to H_2(g) + \frac{1}{2}O_2(g)$$

Given; ΔH at 291 K is 241.75 kJmol⁻¹; molar heat capacities of H_2 , O_2 and H_2O are respectively; 28.83, 29.12 and 33.56 JK⁻¹mol⁻¹ respectively.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$