

Question Paper

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Marks: 100

Duration: 180 mins.

Answer 5 out of 8 questions.

- 1) Define lattice energy. How it is calculated for an ionic crystal using Born Haber cycle? (4)
- A) i
- ii Mention the factors governing the formation of ionic bond. Write two characteristic features of these compounds. (4)
- B) Distinguish between the conductors, semiconductors and insulators based on band theory of solids. (4)
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- ii Explain the following with suitable example (4)
- a) Ionic product of water
- b) common ion effect
- C) Show that $t_{1/2}$ of a first order reaction is independent on the concentration of the reactant. A buffer solution contains 0.50 M acetic acid and 0.50 M sodium acetate at 25 °C. Calculate the pH. (Given K_a for acetic acid $= 1.74 \times 10^{-5}$ at 25 °C). (4)
- 2) Define energy of activation? Explain how energy of activation is determined using Arrhenius equation. (4)
- A) i
- ii State the law of mass action. Apply Le-Chatelier's principle to find out the effect of temperature and concentration on the following systems: (4)
- $$2\text{SO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{SO}_3(\text{g}) + X \text{ cal.}$$
- B) Calculate the degree of hydrolysis of 0.10 M sodium acetate at 25 °C. Give $k_a = 1.75 \times 10^{-5}$ and $K_w = 1.008 \times 10^{-14}$. Calculate the pH and pOH of 0.03 M solution of HCl at 25 °C. (4)
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- ii Explain the construction and working of Weston cadmium cell. Write any two advantages and disadvantages. (4)
- C) Deduce a relation between hydrolysis constant (K_h) and dissociation constants of acid (K_a) and base (K_b) for a salt weak acid and weak base. (4)

- 3) State law of mass action. Derive the relation between K_p and K_c . (4)
- A) i (4)
 ii Explain the sp^3 hybridization for the formation of methane molecule. What is the shape of the molecule? (4)
- B) Derive Gibb's Helmholtz equation in term of Gibb's free (4)
 i (4)
 ii Give an example for acidic buffer and basic buffer. Explain the buffering action when small amounts of acid and base is added to it. (4)
- C) The emf of a cell, $Mg | Mg^{2+} (0.01M) || Cu^{2+} (1M) | Cu$, is measured to be 2.78V at 298K. The standard electrode potential of magnesium electrode is -2.37 V. Calculate the electrode potential of Copper electrode. Write the cell reactions. (4)
- 4) Derive Nernst equation for electrode potential. (4)
- A) i (4)
 ii The cell $Ag | AgCl | HCl (0.1 N) | Glass | Buffer || saturated calomel$ gave emf values 0.112 V and 0.186 V with buffer having pH 4.0 and unknown pH buffer solution respectively. What is the pH value of the unknown solution? Find out the emf of the cell when pH=2.5. (4)
- B) Describe the structures of H_2O and NH_3 molecules in terms of VSEPR (4)
 i theory. Explain the decrease in bond angle from NH_3 to H_2O . (4)
 ii What is hydrogen bonding ? Explain an intra-molecular and intermolecular hydrogen bonding. (4)
- C) Calculate the entropy change involved in the isothermal reversible expansion of 5 moles of an ideal gas from a volume of 10 litres to a volume of 100 litres at 300 K. (4)
- 5) What is rate of reaction? Explain the factors which effect the rate reaction. (4)
- A) i (4)
 ii Differentiate the following (4)
 a) Homogeneous and heterogeneous system
 b) Dipole-dipole interaction and dipole-induced dipole interaction
- B) What is VSEPR theory of molecular model? Explain with suitable examples (4)
 i (4)
 ii Explain the transition state theory of bimolecular reactions. (4)
- C) The solubility of silver chloride in water at $25^\circ C$ is 0.00179 g /L. Calculate its solubility product at $25^\circ C$. List two applications of solubility product principle. (4)
- 6) For the reaction, $4NH_3(g) + 5O_2(g) \rightarrow 4NO(g) + 6H_2O(g)$. Calculate ΔH°_{rxn} (4)
 A) from ΔH°_f values. Given: $\Delta H^\circ_f NO(g) = 90.3$ kJ/mol, $\Delta H^\circ_f H_2O(g) = -241.8$ kJ/mol, $\Delta H^\circ_f NH_3(g) = -45.9$ kJ/mol (4)
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- ii State and explain the first law of thermodynamics (4)
- B) What is a glass electrode? Explain the origin of potential of glass electrode. (4)
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 - ii Explain the physical significance and calculation of absolute entropy. (4)
- C) What are the conditions for an electrochemical cell to act as a standard cell? (4)
- 7) Describe the construction and working of Calomel electrode. Why it is called a secondary electrode (4)
 - A) i
 - ii What is resonance? Draw the resonance structures of NCO^- ion. (4)
- B) For an ideal gas, show that $C_p - C_v = R$. (4)
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 - ii What is liquid junction potential? How does it arise? How can it be avoided? (4)
- C) Define the terms: degree of hydrolysis and hydrolysis constant? Deduce the relation between them for a salt of strong acid and weak base (4)
- 8) Explain Markovnikov's rule and metamerism with an example (4)
 - A) i
 - ii How does Molecular Orbital Theory explain the bond order of CO and N_2 molecules. (4)
- B) Explain geometrical isomerism in alkenes. (4)
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 - ii Differentiate between heat capacity, specific heat capacity and molar heat capacity. Write their units. (4)
- C) Draw the structure of each of the following compounds. (4)
 - (a) 4-fluorotoluene
 - (b) 4, 6-Diethyl-2-methyloctane
 - (c) 2, 3-dimethylbutane
 - (d) 2-isopropyl hexane

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