

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)
BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2017
(Sixth Semester)

Branch- **CHEMISTRY**

ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY & INSTRUMENTAL METHODS OF ANALYSIS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTIONS (20 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** marks (10 x 2 = 20)

- 1 State the number of significant figures in each of the following
(i) 4.20×10^{10} (ii) 234.2 (iii) 6.004 (iv) 56780
- 2 Write the factors which affect the thermogravimetric curve of a sample. *
- 3 Calculate the theoretical number of vibrational degrees of freedom in
(i) OC_6H_6 (ii) H_2O (iii) CO_2 (iv) CH_4
- 4 Antistokes lines are weaker than stokes lines. Give reason.
- 5 State Beer's law.
- 6 Calculate the for the given structure

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{H}_3\text{C} \\ | \\ \text{C}=\text{CH}-\text{CO}-\text{CH}_3 \\ | \\ \text{H}_3\text{C} \end{array}$$
- 7 Define the term chemical shift.
- 8 Which of the following species may be studied by ESR.
(a) NO (b) N_2 (c) O_2 (d) Cu^+
- 9 Write the advantages and limitations of dropping mercury electrode.
- 10 Write the Ilkovic equation and explain the terms involved in it.

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a Detail the method of minimizing the errors.
OR
b Discuss the TGA curve of calcium oxalate monohydrate.
- 12 a Explain various sampling techniques used in IR spectroscopy.
OR
b Discuss any two applications of Raman spectroscopy.
- 13 a Write short notes on colorimetric titration.
OR
b Give an account on Franck - Condon principle.
- 14 a Explain shielding and deshielding effects involved in NMR spectroscopy.
OR
b Calculate the ESR frequency of an unpaired electron in a magnetic field
0.33 T (Tesla). Given for free electron $g = 2$, ($\mu_B = 9.273 \times 10^{-24}$ JT and
 $h = 6.626 \times 10^{-34}$ JS).

15 a Explain the following (i) Residual current (ii) Migration current.

OR

b Derive an expression for the half wave potential. Give its significance in polarographic analysis.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any THREE Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 a Discuss the least square methods for best fit line. (5)
- b Explain the thermometric titrations of HCl Vs NaOH. (5)
- 17 a Draw and explain the block diagram of an IR spectrometer. (5)
- b Explain clearly the difference between IR spectra and Raman spectra. (5)
- 18 a Discuss any two applications of UV - Spectroscopy in quantitative analysis. (5)
- b Draw and explain Duboseq colorimeter. (5)
- 19 a Draw the block diagram of an NMR instrument. Explain the function of each part. (5)
- b Explain the mechanism of hyperfine interactions in the ESR spectrum CH₃ radical/ (5)
- 20 a Discuss the principle and working of polarography. (5)
- b Write short notes on pulse polarography. (5)

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