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CORE COURSE IN CHEMISTRY

6B15 CHE: Physical Chemistry – III

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 40

SECTION - A

Answer all questions. Each question carries one mark.

- 1. What is unit of k for a second order reaction?
- 2. What are reversible cells?
- 3. What is Lewis concept of acids and bases?
- 4. What are photo sensitisers?

 $(1 \times 4 = 4)$

SECTION - B

Answer any seven questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- Calculate the ionic strength of a 0.01M Na₂SO₄ solution.
- Explain hard soft concept of acids and bases.
- 7. What is liquid junction potential? How can it be eliminated?
- 8. What are pseudounimolecular reactions? Why do they behave like that?
- 9. State and explain Beer Lamberts law of photochemistry.
- 10. Define electrochemical equivalent. How is it related to chemical equivalent?
- 11. Why is quantum yield of H2 Cl2 reaction very high?

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- 12. What are the features of homogeneous catalysis?
- 13. Give the electrode reaction of a calomel electrode.
- 14. Give any one application of Kohlrausch's law.

 $(7 \times 2 = 14)$

SECTION - C

Answer any 4 questions. Each question carries 3 marks.

- 15. What are fuel cells? Give the working of hydrocarbon-oxygen fuel cell.
- 16. What are the applications of buffer solution?
- 17. Explain Debye Huckel limiting law.
- 18. Draw and discuss the Jablonsky diagram.
- 19. Explain the methods for order determination.
- 20. Rate constant for a second order reaction has a value of 5.7 ×10⁻⁵ Lmol⁻¹ at 298 K and a value of 1.64 × 10⁻⁴ L mol⁻¹ at 313 K. Calculate Arrhenius parameters. (3×4=12)

SECTION - D

Answer any 2 questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 21. Discuss the Hittorfs method for determination of transference number.
- 22. Give an account of theory of acid-base indicator. How can you choose an indicator for a titration?
- 23. a) Describe the construction of a Weston cadmium cell.

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b) Discuss the different types of concentration cells.

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What are the assumptions of Langmuir theory? Derive Langmuir adsorption isotherm. (5x2=10)