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Sixth Semester

CORE COURSE - CH6CRT09 - INORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Common for B.Sc Chemistry Model I, B.Sc Chemistry Model II Industrial Chemistry & B.Sc Chemistry Model III Petrochemicals

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

Part A

Answer any ten questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Write the IUPAC name of complex [NiCl₄]²⁻.
- 2. What are chelates? Give an example.
- 3. What is primary valency?
- 4. Calculate CFSE for [Co(NH₃)₆]³⁺.
- 5. Which among the following complexes have larger crystal field splitting? Why? $[Co(NH_3)_6]^{3+}$ or $[Co(CN)_6]^{3-}$.
- 6. Find the magnetic property of the complex $[Co(NH_3)_6]^{3+}$.
- 7. Which type of ligands show high trans effect?
- 8. Show that Co₄(CO)₁₂ obeys 18-electron rule.
- 9. Write any one reaction of Ferrocene.
- 10. Draw the structure of Mn₂(CO)₁₀.
- 11. What are the major toxic effects of Mercury?
- 12. What is the equation for the synthesis of XeF₄?

 $(10 \times 1 = 10)$



Part B

Answer any **six** questions. Each question carries **5** marks.

- 13. Write a note on optical isomerism in coordination complexes.
- 14. Find out the hybridisation, geometry and predict the magnetic property of the complex $[Mn(CN)_6]^{4-}$.
- 15. Explain the application of coordination complexes in qualitative analysis.
- 16. Write a short note on synergic effect.
- 17. Write a short note on the catalytic applications of organometallic compounds.
- 18. What are anticancer drugs? Explain in detail.
- 19. Write any two methods for the preparation of diborane. Also explain the properties of diborane.
- 20. Explain the hybridisation and geometry of AB and AB5 type interhalogen compounds.
- 21. What are pseudohalogens? Describe the important characteristics of pseudohalogens.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 22. (i) Explain sigma bonding of octahedral complexes using Molecular orbital theory? (ii) Draw Molecular orbital diagram for [Co(NH₃)₆]³⁺ and predict its magnetic property.
- Describe and justify the preferred mechanism for ligand substitution reactions in square planar complexes.
- 24. Explain in detail, the structure and bonding in [Re₂Cl₈]²⁻.
- 25. Explain the structure of haemoglobin. Comment on the cooperativity effect and Bohr effect.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$