CBSE Board Class XII Chemistry Sample paper - 11

Time: 3 Hrs Total Marks: 70

- 1. All questions are compulsory.
- 2. Question nos. **1 to 8** are very short answer questions and carry 1 mark each
- 3. Question nos. **9 to 18** are short answer questions and carry 2 marks each. Use of calculator is not permitted.
- 4. Question nos. **19 to 27** are also short answer questions and carry 3 marks each
- 5. Question nos. **28 to 30** are long answer questions and carry 5 marks each
- 6. Use log tables if necessary, use of calculators is not allowed.
- **Q1**: Solid A is a very hard electrical insulator in solid as well as in molten state and melts at extremely high temperature. Name the type of solid.
- **Q2**: Define ferromagnetic substances. Give any one example of a ferromagnetic substance.
- Q3: Can activation energy for a chemical reaction be zero? Explain why?
- **Q4**: It has been found that for a reaction a large number of colliding molecules have energy more than threshold values, yet the reaction is slow. Why?
- **Q5**: Why does NO₂ dimerise?
- **Q6**: The para isomer of dichlorobenzene has higher melting point than ortho and meta isomer. Why?
- **Q7**: Give the IUPAC name of the compound given below:

- **Q 8**: Name the base which is not present in RNA?
- **Q 9**: An element with molar mass 2.7×10^{-2} kg mol⁻¹ forms a cubic unit cell with edge length 405 pm. If the density is 2.7×10^3 kg m⁻³, what is the nature of the cubic unit cell? (Given $N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23}$ mol⁻¹)



Q10: Predict the products of electrolysis of silver electrodes in an aqueous solution of AgNO₃.

OR

- **Q10**: Write the reactions taking place at anode and cathode in a dry cell.
- **Q11**: Explain what is observed when:
 - (a) An electrolyte, NaCl is added to hydrated ferric oxide sol.
 - (b) An electric current is passed through a colloidal sol.
- **Q12**: State any two points of difference between physisorption and chemisorption.
- **Q13**: Draw the structure of N_2O_5 . What is the oxidation state of nitrogen in N_2O_5 ?
- **Q14**: Explain why is dioxygen a gas but sulphur a solid?
- **Q 15**: Following is not an appropriate reaction for preparation of t-butyl ethyl ether.

$$\begin{array}{c} CH_3 & CH_3 \\ C_2H_5ONa + CH_3 - \begin{array}{c} CC - C1 \\ C - C1 \end{array} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} CH_3 \\ C - CC_2H_5 \end{array}$$

- (i) What would be the major product of this reaction? Give reason.
- (ii) Write a suitable reaction for the preparation of t-butyl ethyl ether.
- **Q16**: Name the test that you will use you to distinguish between 2-methylbutan-2-ol and butanol. Name the chemical test and write the chemical reactions involved.
- **Q17**: Complete the following reactions:

(a)
$$C_6H_5NH_2 + Br_2(aq) \longrightarrow$$

(b)
$$C_6H_5NH_2 + (CH_3CO)_2O \xrightarrow{pyridine}$$

- **Q18**: Give a plausible explanation for each of the following:
 - (a) Why are amines less acidic than alcohols of comparable molecular masses?
 - (b) Why do primary amines have higher boiling points than tertiary amines?
- **Q19**: Represent the cell in which following reaction takes place:

$$Mg(s) + 2Ag^{+}(0.0001M) \rightarrow Mg^{2+}(0.130M) + 2Ag(s)$$

Write the individual reactions taking place at anode and cathode.



Q20: In a pseudo first order hydrolysis of ester in water, the following results were obtained:

t (s)	0	30	60	90
[Ester] (mol L ⁻¹)	0.55	0.31	0.17	0.085

- (i) Calculate the average rate of reaction between the time intervals 30 to 60 seconds.
- (ii) Calculate the pseudo first order rate constant for the hydrolysis of ester.

OR

Q20: Show that time required for 99% completion of a chemical reaction is twice the time required for the completion of 90% reaction.

Q 21:

- (a) Give one point of difference between mineral and ore.
- (b) Give an example of ore that can be concentrated by magnetic separation method.
- (c) How does sodium cyanide act as depressant in preventing ZnS from forming the forth?

Q 22:

- (a) Ammonia is a good complexing agent. Explain with an example.
- (b) SO₃ has zero dipole moment. Explain?
- (c) Noble gases have low boiling points. Explain.
- **Q 23**: On the basis of valence bond theory, explain the formation of square planar $[Pt(CN)_4]^{2-}$ ion. Calculate the number of unpaired electrons present in the square planar $[Pt(CN)_4]^{2-}$ ion. (Atomic number of Pt =78)
- **Q24**: How will you bring the following conversions?
 - (a) Ethanol to ethyl fluoride
 - (b) Benzene to biphenyl
 - (c) Bromomethane to propanone
- **Q.25** Define the following terms related to proteins:
 - (a) Peptide linkage
 - (b) Primary structure of proteins
 - (c) Denaturation of proteins



- **Q26**: Write the names and structures of the monomers of the following polymers:
 - (a) Buna-S
 - (b) Neoprene
- **Q27**: Sushil and swetha are arguing about the effect of soaps and detergents on environment. Sushil says soaps are better and swetha says that detergents are better for environment.
 - (a) State the major difference between soaps and detergents.
 - (b) Which one is better for environment: soaps or detergents?
 - (c) What values do you get from this?
- **Q 28**: Vapour pressure of chloroform (CHCl₃) and dichloromethane (CH₂Cl₂) at 298 K are 200 mm Hg and 415 mm Hg respectively.
 - (a) Calculate the vapour pressure of the solution prepared by mixing 25.5 g of $CHCl_3$ and 40 g of CH_2Cl_2 at 298 K
 - (b) Calculate the mole fractions of each component in vapour phase.

OR

Q 28: Calculate the depression in the freezing point of water when 10 g of $CH_3CH_2CHClCOOH$ is added to 250 g of water. $K_a = 1.4 \times 10^{-3}$, $K_f = 1.86$ K kg mol⁻¹. (Atomic mass of C=12, H=1, Cl=35.5, O=16)

Q 29:

- (a) Why do transition elements exhibit higher enthalpies of atomization?
- (b) Copper is regarded as transition metal though it has completely filled d-orbitals (d^{10}). Explain.
- (c) Use Hund's rule to derive the electronic configuration of Ce³⁺ ion and calculate its magnetic moment on the basis of 'spin-only' formula.
- (d) Why do Zr and Hf exhibit similar properties?
- (e) How would you account for increasing oxidizing power in the series?

$$VO_2^+ < Cr_2O_7^{2-} < MnO_4^-$$

OR

Q 29:

- (a) (Which out of Lu(OH)₃ and La(OH)₃ is more basic and why?
- (b) Explain how the colour of K₂Cr₂O₇ solution depends on pH of the solution?
- (c) Though both Cr²⁺ and Mn³⁺ have d⁴ configuration, yet Cr²⁺ is reducing agent while Mn³⁺ is good oxidising agent. Explain why?
- (d) Calculate the magnetic moment of a divalent and a trivalent ion in aqueous solution of an element if its atomic number is 25.

Q30: An organic compound (A) (molecular formula $C_8H_{16}O_2$) was hydrolysed with dilute sulphuric acid to give a carboxylic acid (B) and an alcohol (C). Oxidation of (C) with chromic acid produced (B). (C) on dehydration gives but–1–ene. Deduce the structures of A, B, C and D. Write equations for the reactions involved.

OR

Q30: Complete each synthesis by giving missing starting material, reagents or products

(a)

(b)

(c)

(d)

(e)