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B.Sc. CHEMISTRY: I SEMESTER

MID-SEMESTER TEST: AUGUST 2018

CH 118 : CHEMISTRY- I

TIME: 1 HOUR

MAXIMUM MARKS: 30

PART A

Answer any **FOUR** of the following:

4 X 2 = 8 Marks

1. Write de-Broglie's equation and explain the terms.
2. Write Hamiltonian operator in Cartesian coordinates.
3. Identify the operator, eigenvalue and eigenfunction in the equation given below,

$$\frac{d^2(\sin 3x)}{dx^2} = -9\sin 3x$$

4. Define covalent radius.
5. Give the reason for metallic character of s-block elements.
6. Write the general outer electronic configuration of d-block elements.

PART B

Answer any **THREE** of the following:

3 X 6 = 18 Marks

7. Derive the expression for the allowed energy levels for a particle in onedimensional box.
Diagrammatically represent the energy levels for values of n from 1 to 4.
8. a) Give any two postulates of quantum mechanics.
b) Draw the radial distribution curve of the orbital with $n=2$ and $l=1$.
c) Sketch $d_{x^2-y^2}$ and d_{xz} orbitals.
9. Aluminium sulphide hydrolyses in the presence of moisture to liberate hydrogen sulphide gas according to the reaction, $Al_2S_3 + 6 H_2O \rightarrow 2 Al(OH)_3 + 3H_2S$. In an experiment 15 g of Al_2S_3 and 10 g of H_2O reacted until the limiting reagent is used up.
Answer the following,
a) Identify the limiting reagent with proper explanation.
b) What is the maximum mass of H_2S which can be formed from this reaction?
c) How much excess reagent remains after the reaction is complete?

(Atomic weights of Al = 27, S = 32, H = 1, O = 16 g/mol)

10. A piece of metallic iron (10 mol) was dissolved in conc. HCl. The products formed are H_2 and $FeCl_2$. Calculate,

- The amount of $FeCl_2$ formed,
- The amount of HCl used and
- The volume of H_2 liberated at STP.

(Atomic weights of Fe = 56, Cl = 35, H = 1 g/mol)

11. a) Write Born-Landé equation and explain the terms.

b) Calculate the lattice energy of NaCl crystal from the following data:

$$M = 1.7476; r_0 = 2.814 \text{ \AA}; \quad n = 8; \quad \epsilon_0 = 8.854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2 \text{ N}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-2}$$

PART C

Answer any **ONE** of the following:

1 X 4 = 4 Marks

12. Give reason for each:

- Ionisation energy of oxygen (Z=8) is less than that of nitrogen (Z=7).
- Electron affinity of fluorine (Z=9) is less than that of chlorine (Z=17).
- Radius of Mg^{2+} (Z=12) is less than that of Mg^+ .
- Radius of N^{3-} (Z=7) is greater than that of O^{2-} (Z=8) even though they are isoelectronic ions.

13. Find out in which case the quantisation of energy levels is observable by calculating the spacing between 1st and 2nd energy levels for,

- An electron (mass $\sim 10^{-30}$ kg) in 1D box of 1 \AA length and
- A ball (mass ~ 1 g) in a 1D box of 10 cm length ($h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$).