

**FIRST B. SC. EXAMINATION, 2017**

( 1st Semester )

**CHEMISTRY ( SUBSIDIARY )**

**PAPER - IIS**

Time : Two hours

Full Marks : 50

Use a separate answerscript for each group.

**GROUP - A**

1. a) Briefly discuss about the 'capillary action'. Give its practical example. 3
- b) Why does oil spread over the surface of water ? 2
- c) A drop of water, 0.4 cm in radius, is split up into 125 tiny drops. Find the increase in surface energy.  
[  $\gamma_{\text{water}} = 72 \text{ dynes/cm}$  ] 2
2. a) A liquid of high density and low viscosity flowing through a tube of wide bore helps motion to be turbulent - explain. 2
- b) What is the SI unit of coefficient of viscosity of a liquid ? 1
- c) In a certain experiment on the flow of liquid through a capillary tube, the following data were obtained :  
Volume of liquid collected per minute = 7.06 c.c. ; Height of the water column = 34.1 cm. ; Length of the tube =

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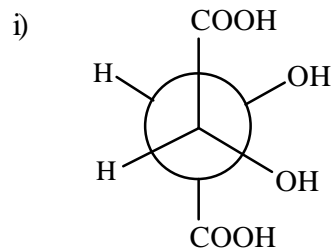
56.45 cm. ; Radius of the tube = 0.0514 cm. ;  $g = 980$  cm/s<sup>2</sup>.

Calculate the coefficient of viscosity. 3

3. a) Define Unit Cell of a crystal. 1  
b) What is the law of rational intercepts ? Explain. 2  
c) For a simple cubic crystal, draw a plane for which Weiss and Miller indices are the same. 1

### GROUP - B

4. a) Draw the conformational energy profile diagram of n-butane arising from the rotation of C<sub>2</sub> – C<sub>3</sub>  $\sigma$ -bond and label the conformers. 2  
b) Draw the stable conformation of  
(i) 1, 2- Dibromo ethane (ii) Ethylene glycol. 1+1
5. a) Designate the chiral center (s) of the following compounds with *R/S* notations (*any two*) : 1×2



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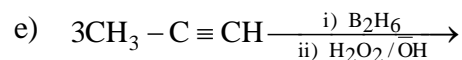
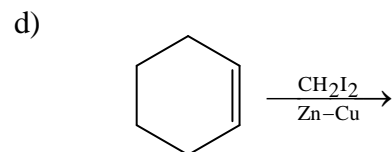
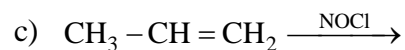
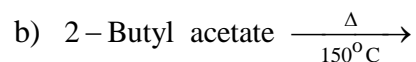
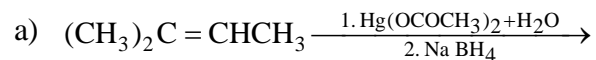
- c) State Slater rules when nd and/or nf orbitals are concerned. 3  
d) Calculate the effective nuclear charge  $Z_{\text{eff}}$  of Mg<sup>2+</sup>. 2

OR

- Explain the periodic trend of atomic radii of the atoms in the Periodic Table. 2  
e) Why Cation is smaller in radius than the neutral atom from which it has been derived ? 2  
f) Define ionization energy. 2

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6. Predict the product(s) of the following reactions with plausible reaction mechanism. (*any three*)  $1\frac{1}{2}\times 3$



7. a) What is Zeigler-Natta Catalyst ? Mention its application.

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b) What is biodegradable polymer ? Give an example.

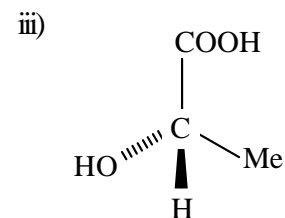
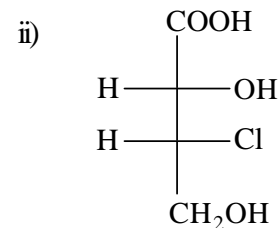
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### GROUP - C

8. a) What are the differences between Electron Affinity and Electronegativity. How does electronegativity difference govern the ionicity of bonds ?  $3+2$

b) The covalent radius of C is 77 pm and the C - N bond distance is 147 pm in  $\text{CH}_3\text{-NH}_2$ . Calculate the atomic radius of nitrogen.  $2$

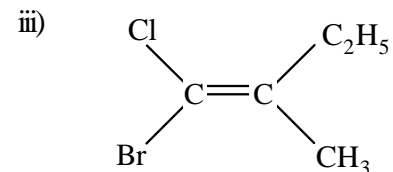
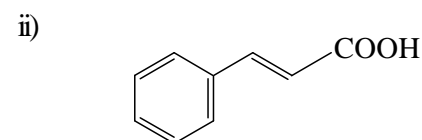
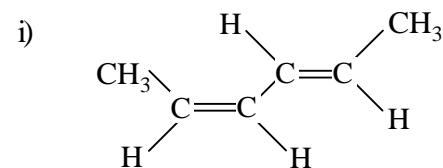
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b) Determine *E/Z* configuration of the following compounds.

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c) What is axial chirality ? Give an example.

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