

UNIT - 2072b

9. (a) Define the term (*any two*) :
- (i) Resolution (R_s)
- (ii) Capacity factor (k')
- (iii) selectivity (α) 3
- (b) How would you separate and estimate Cl^- and Br^- in a mixture by anion exchange chromatography ? 3
- c) For a solute with $D = 25.0$, show by calculation which is more effective : extraction of 10 ml of an aqueous solution with 10 ml organic solvent or extraction with two separate 5.0 ml portions of organic solvent. $3\frac{1}{2}$
- d) 20 ml of an aqueous solution of 0.10M butyric acid was shaken with 10 ml ether. After the layers are separated, it was determined by titration that 0.50 mmol butyric acid remains in aqueous layer. Calculate D and E. 3

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Time : Two hours

Full Marks : 50

(25 marks for each Unit)

Use a separate answerscript for Unit 2071 and Unit 2072

UNIT - 2071a

Answer *any one* question of the following :

1. a) Sm^{3+} is yellow while Sm^{2+} is red in acidified solution. Using Russell-Saunders Ground multiplets of Sm^{3+} and Sm^{2+} ($Z=62$) explain the difference. Calculate μ_s and μ_{L+s} ; compare with μ_{obs} , 1.4–1.7 BM. Explain line like spectrum of Sm^{3+} complexes. $3+3+1\frac{1}{2}$
- b) Write short account on (*any two*) : $2\frac{1}{2} \times 2$
- i) Lanthanide NMR-Shift Reagents,
- ii) Luminescent properties of Eu(III)- β diketonato complexes,
- iii) Organometallic chemistry of Lanthanides,
2. a) $\text{La}_x\text{M}_y\text{CuO}_4$ ($x = 1.2$ to 1.8 ; $M = \text{Ba}, \text{Sr}$; $y = 0.1$ to 0.3) shows superconductivity. Explain the role of individual element. 3

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- b) "Gd(III)-N, O chelators are useful magnetic imaging complexes." Explain the role of the metal ion. 3
- c) Account on the hazardous aspects of actinides. 2
- d) "Early actinides are chemically closer to transition metals, while late actinides are lanthanide like." Support or contradict with reasoning. $2\frac{1}{2}$
- e) Which Actinides were the first to be discovered ? Which Actinides were discovered in nature ? 1+1

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5. Comment on the expected esr spectral features of the following : $1\frac{1}{2}\times 3$
- a) naphthyl radical
- b) Pyrazine anion radical
- c) $[\text{VO}(\text{N}-\text{O})_2]$, where N-O depicts a mono-anionic N,O-donor chelating ligand.
6. What is TEMPO ? Describe its esr spectrum and application. 1+2
7. A d^2 metal ion may or may not show esr spectrum, but a d^3 metal ion is always found to be esr-active. Explain. 3
8. What kind of X-ray is required for diffraction studies ? Cite one specific example. 1+1

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mixture of dry H₂ and 1-propene is passed over it. What is the product ? Refer plausible mechanistic scheme of the reaction. 3

- b) Carbon monoxide (CO) is passed separately to (i) a solution of PtCl₂ in thionyl chloride and the mixture is refluxed; (ii) Na₂[PtCl₆] solution in acetonitrile solution and refluxed. Evaluate the chemical reactions, structure of the complexes and their importance. 2½
- c) An ethanol solution of Na₂[PdCl₄] is reacted with azobenzene at room temperature. A dark shining crystalline product (D) is isolated. D is then suspended in THF and dry Cl₂ gas is passed. Write down the reactions and draw the structures. 2½
- d) N, N-Dimethylformamide solution of IrCl₃ is refluxed in presence of excess of PPh₃. Infrared spectrum of the isolated product (E) shows intense stretch at 1967 cm⁻¹. Characterise the product E. What will happen to this vibrational band upon reaction of E with MeI. Explain your answer. 2½
- e) Write a short note on Ruthenium Anticancer Drug. 2

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UNIT - 2071b

Answer **any one** of the following questions :

3. a) Compute total valence electron count (TEC) and assign probable structural category to which Os₅C(CO)₅ and Ir₄(CO)₁₂ belong. 3
- b) OsO₄ is treated with sodium hydroxide solution in ethanol medium followed by the addition of pyridine. Write reaction and draw the structure of the product(s). 2½
- c) What happens when liquid Br₂ is added at cold condition to the solution of K₂[Pt(CN)₄] in dry THF ? Comment on the structure and properties of the compound so formed. 2½
- d) Using trans effect, synthesise *cis*-Pt(NH₃)₂Cl₂ from Pt(NH₃)₄Cl₂. Why cisplatin is serving as anticancer drug ? 2
- e) To an alcoholic solution of RuCl₃ under reflux pyrazine is added followed by the addition of excess ammonia. Draw the structure of the major complex ; comment on the spectrum and magnetic property of the complex. Classify the complex according to Robiss Day classification. 2½
4. a) RhCl₃ is refluxed in 2-methoxy ethanol solution with large excess of PPh₃. A crystalline product (A) is isolated. The complex A is embedded on alumina surface and the

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