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CHEMISTRY—Paper IX

(Physical Chemistry - II)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 38

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Attempt six questions in all. Question No. 1 is compulsory.

Use of scientific calculator is allowed.

$$R = 8.314 \text{ JK}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}, \quad 1\text{F} = 96500 \text{ C mol}^{-1}.$$

1. Explain, any *four* of the following :

- (i) Mixing of ideal gases is purely an entropy effect.
- (ii) The transference number of an ion can be positive, negative or zero.

P.T.O.

(iii) An aqueous system containing  $K^+$ ,  $Na^+$  and  $Cl^-$  is a three component system whereas  $K^+$ ,  $Na^+$ ,  $Cl^-$  and  $Br^-$  is a four component system.

(iv) We observe elevation in boiling point when a non-volatile solute is dissolved in a volatile solvent.

(v) Congruent melting point of a two component system is non-variant. 4×2=8

2. (a) Define "Chemical Potential".

(b) Show that the chemical potential of an ideal gas in a mixture of ideal gases with total pressure 'P' is less than the chemical potential of the pure ideal gas at the same pressure 'P' :

$$\text{i.e. } \mu_j(\text{mix}) < \mu_j(\text{pure}).$$

- (c) A container is divided into 4 compartments containing 1.0 mol of He, 3.0 mol of Ne, 2.0 mol of Ar and 2.5 mol of Xe at 298 K. The pressure in each compartment is 1 bar. Calculate  $\Delta_{\text{mix}}G$  and  $\Delta_{\text{mix}}S$ , when the partitions are removed. Assume perfect behaviour. 1,2,3

3. (a) Derive the relation :

$$d \ln K_p^\circ / dT = \Delta^\circ H^\circ / RT^2.$$

Also discuss the dependence of  $K_p^\circ$  on nature of reaction (endothermic and exothermic reactions).

- (b) Calculate the hydrolytic constant, degree of hydrolysis and pH of 0.3M NaCN solution.

$$\text{Given } K_a(\text{HCN}) = 4.8 \times 10^{-10} \text{ M, } K_w = 1.0 \times 10^{-14} \text{ M}^2.$$

4. (a) Derive Duhem-Margules equation. Using this equation show that if one component of a binary solution behaves ideally, the second component also behaves in the ideal manner.
- (b) Discuss the principle underlying fractionating column.
- (c) Two liquids A and B form an ideal solution at temperature  $T$ . When the total pressure above the solution is 500 Torr, the amount fraction of A in the vapour phase is 0.4 and in the liquid phase is 0.6. What are the vapour pressures of pure A and pure B at temperature  $T$ ? 3,1.5,1.5
5. (a) Construct a properly labelled phase diagram for the binary system A + B from the following data :
- (i) M.Pt. of A =  $1060^{\circ}\text{C}$
- (ii) M.Pt. of B =  $330^{\circ}\text{C}$

(iii)  $A_2B$  decomposes at  $420^\circ\text{C}$  to give a liquid of 45 mol% B.

(iv)  $AB_2$  has a peritectic at  $255^\circ\text{C}$  and the melt is 71 mol% B.

(v) Eutectic is  $215^\circ\text{C}$  and 84 mol% of B.

No solid solution formed. Also, describe cooling curve for 10 mol% of B.

(b) Describe the sequence of events that take place when the component A (in liquid form) is added to a binary system of two partially miscible liquids B and C. 42

6. (a) Explain why the variation of equivalent conductance on dilution of strong electrolyte differs from that of a weak electrolyte.

- (b) In the moving boundary method, a current of 25 mA was passed for 10 min. If the radius of a capillary is 3 mm, calculate the distance moved by  $H^+$  ion in a solution of concentration  $50 \text{ eq}\cdot\text{m}^{-3}$ . 3.3

7. (a) Define number average and weight average molecular weight of a polymer.
- (b) What is gel permeation chromatography ?
- (c) The relative viscosities of a solution of a sample of polystyrene in toluene were determined with an Ostwald viscometer at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  :

$C/10^{-2} \text{ g cm}^{-3}$	$\eta/\eta_0$
0.249	1.355
0.499	1.782
0.999	2.879
1.998	6.090

Given  $k = 3.7 \times 10^{-2}$  and  $a = 0.62$  for this polymer,  
when the concentrations are expressed in  $\text{g cm}^{-3}$ .

Calculate the molar mass. 2.22

8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following :

(a) Nernst Distribution Law

(b) Phase rule for reactive system

(c) Hittorf's method for the determination of transport  
number. 3.3