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CH-203 – Physical Chemistry

(Admissions of 2008 and onwards)

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

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on receipt of this question paper.)*

*Attempt total four questions.*

*First question is compulsory.*

*Scientific calculator/log tables are  
allowed but candidates are not allowed  
to exchange among themselves.*

*Useful constants  $R=8.314 \text{ JK}^{-1}\text{mol}^{-1}$   
 $k=1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ JK}^{-1}$   $\text{amu}=1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$*

*Use of simple calculators is allowed but  
they cannot be shared. Logarithmic  
tables can be provided if required.*

1. Explain the following :

- (a) Viscosity of gases increases with increase in temperature but that of liquids decreases with temperature.

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- (b) Angle of contact between a wetting solid-liquid pair is acute whereas that for a non wetting solid-liquid pair is obtuse.
  - (c) Abnormal transference numbers with examples.
  - (d) Working of a calomel electrode with diagram.  
( $4 \times 3.5 = 14$ )
2. (a) Derive van der Waals equation of state for 'n' moles of a real gas.
- (b) Derive a relationship between collision diameter ' $\sigma$ ' and mean free path ' $\lambda$ ' of a gaseous molecule.
- (c) Calculate the number of collisions per sec per  $\text{cm}^3$  at 273K in Hydrogen gas at a pressure of one atm, molecular diameter for Hydrogen gas is 276 pm and number density of gas is  $2.7 \times 10^{29}$  molecules.  
(5,4,3)
3. (a) Using the concept of chemical potential derive an equation expressing the elevation in boiling point of a solution in terms of concentration of a solute.
- (b) What is abnormal molecular mass of solute and how it is related to vant Hoff factor? How it is calculated from colligative properties measurements.

- (c) A solution containing 4.0 g of polyvinyl chloride polymer in 1.0 liter of dioxane was found to have an osmotic pressure of  $6.4 \times 10^4$  atm at 300.0 K. Calculate the approximate molecular mass of the polymer. (5,4,3)
4. (a) Neatly draw the phase diagram of Sulphur. Label it properly and explain the various curves.
- (b) State Gibbs phase rule and explain (i) degrees of freedom and (ii) components by giving at least two examples in each case.
- (c) State Le-Chatelier's principle as applicable to chemical reactions. Using this principle discuss the effect of temperature and pressure on the following reactions :
- $$\frac{1}{2} \text{N}_2 (\text{g}) + \frac{3}{2} \text{H}_2 (\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{NH}_3 (\text{g}) \quad \Delta_r H^\circ = -46 \text{ kJ/mol}$$
- (4,4,4)
5. (a) Define (i) conductance, (ii) specific conductance, (iii) molar conductance and (iv) equivalent conductance and write their SI units.
- (b) Determine equilibrium constant of the following reaction at 298K.
- $$2\text{Fe}^{+3}(\text{aq}) + \text{Sn}^{+2}(\text{aq}) \leftrightarrow 2\text{Fe}^{+2}(\text{aq}) + \text{Sn}^{+4}(\text{aq})$$
- Given  $E^\circ \text{Fe}^{+3}/\text{Fe}^{+2} = 0.77 \text{ V}$  and  $E^\circ \text{Sn}^{+4}/\text{Sn}^{+2} = 0.15 \text{ V}$

- (c) Explain what transference number of an ion is. How it is experimentally determined using moving boundary method ? Explain using a neat & clear diagram. (4,4,4)

6. Write short notes on the following :

- (a) Maxwell Boltzmann distribution law of molecular velocities.
- (b) Drop number method for the determination of surface tension of a liquid.
- (c) Critical solution temperature for partially miscible pair of liquids with examples.
- (d) Strong acid- strong base titrations using a potentiometer. (3,3,3,3)