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Chemistry

CH2 B03—CORE COURSE II— THEORETICAL CHEMISTRY

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

**Section A**

*Answer all twelve questions.*

- I. 1 According to Bohr model of an atom, the electrons revolve round the nucleus in :
- (a) Orbitals. (b) Subshells.  
(c) Electron clouds. (d) Orbits.
- 2 The maximum number of 3d electrons that can have  $s = -\frac{1}{2}$  are
- (a) 3. (b) 5.  
(c) 7. (d) 10.
- 3 The wave number of the light emitted by a certain source is  $2 \times 10^6$  m. The wave length of this light is :
- (a) 500 nm. (b) 200 nm.  
(c)  $5 \times 10^7$ m. (d) 500 nm.
- 4 The condition for orthogonality is :
- (a)  $\int \psi \psi^* \delta\tau = 1$  . (b)  $\int \psi_r \psi_s \delta\tau = 0$  .  
(c)  $\iiint \psi \psi^* \delta\tau = 1$  . (d)  $\iiint \psi \psi^* \delta\tau = 10$  .
- 5 The kinetic energy part of Hamiltonian operator  $\hat{H}$  is \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 For an equation  $\hat{A} f(x) = c f(x)$ , then  $c$  is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7 The bond order of NO molecule is \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8 What is ungerade orbital ?
- 9 What is meant by bond order ?

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- 10 What type of hybridization is present in  $\text{SF}_6$  molecule ?
- 11 Which theory is applicable to explain good electrical conductivities of metals ?
- 12 Why metals like Li, Be, Na etc. have low densities ?

(12 × ¼ = 3 weightage)

### Section B

*Short answer.*

*Answer all nine questions.*

- II. 13 What types of metals are used in photoelectric cells ? Give *one* example.
- 14 Write down the expression for energy of an electron in the  $n^{\text{th}}$  Bohr orbit.
- 15 What is meant by a well behaved wave function ?
- 16 What are the  $n$ ,  $l$  and  $m$  values for the outermost electron in the ground state of sodium atom ?
- 17 What are isoelectronic species ? Give *one* example of ions *or* molecules iso electronic with  $\text{NO}^+$  ion.
- 18 Is  $\text{B}_2$  molecule paramagnetic *or* diamagnetic ? Discuss.
- 19 What is sp hybridization ? Give an example.
- 20 What shapes are associated with the molecules involving  $\text{sp}^3 \text{d}^2$  and  $\text{sp}^3 \text{d}^3$  hybridisation ? Give *one* example each.
- 21 Calculate the uncertainty in the position of a particle whose uncertainty in momentum is  $1.65 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kgms}^{-1}$ .

(9 × 1 = 9 weightage)

### Section C

*Short paragraph questions.*

*Answer any five questions.*

- III. 22 Discuss the atomic spectrum of hydrogen.
- 23 Explain the defects of Bohr atom model.
- 24 What are the postulates of quantum mechanics ?
- 25 Draw the radial probability distribution curves of 2s, 2p, and 3s orbitals. Explain.
- 26 Explain the different between MO theory and VB theory.
- 27 Apply MO theory to CO molecule and draw the diagram.
- 28 Explain the conductivity of metals with band theory.

(5 × 2 = 10 weightage)



**Section D***Essay questions.**Answer any two questions.*

- IV. 29 Using Bohr's postulates derive an equation for radius of an orbit and energy of the electron in an orbit.
- 30 What are quantum numbers ? Discuss the significance of each quantum number. What are the possible values of 'l' if  $n = 4$ .
- 31 Explain the concept of hybridization taking  $\text{PCl}_5$  and  $\text{IF}_7$ . Draw their geometries.

(2 × 4 = 8 weightage)