

M.Sc. Chemistry

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| 1 | The least acidic in the series BF_3 , BCl_3 and BBr_3 is BF_3 because- | F is more electronegative | F has a small size | B^{3+} has a very small size | Back donation of electrons from F to B |
| 2 | Vitamin B12 is the coordination compound of | Mg | Co | Fe | Zn |
| 3 | The type of hybridization of carbon in fullerene is | sp | sp ² | sp ³ | sp ³ d ² |
| 4 | Which of the following is isostructural and isoelectronic with XeF_2 | CO_2 | IF_2^- | C_2H_2 | All of these |
| 5 | The Hybridization in XeF_6 , XeF_4 is | Sp ³ , sp ³ d ² | Sp ³ d ² , sp | Sp ³ d ³ , sp ² | Sp ³ d ³ , sp ³ d |
| 6 | The STYX code for diborane is | 2020 | 2200 | 2002 | 0220 |
| 7 | Which of the following is the weakest Lewis base | CH_3^- | NH_2^- | OH^- | F^- |
| 8 | Shape of XeOF_4 | Octahedral | Square Pyramidal | Pyramidal | T-Shaped |
| 9 | Which of the following has the highest catenation power | O | S | Se | Te |
| 10 | The elements $^{30}\text{Si}_{14}$, $^{31}\text{P}_{15}$, and $^{33}\text{S}_{16}$, are called | Isotopes | Isobars | Isotones | Radioactive elements |

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| 11 | Loss of β particle is equivalent to | Increase of one proton | Decrease of one neutron | Combination of both a and b | None of these |
| 12 | The proper rays for radiocarbon dating is | UV Rays | IR rays | Cosmic rays | X-rays |
| 13 | John Teller effects the geometry of | $[\text{Ni}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{2+}$ | $[\text{Cu}(\text{NH}_3)_6]^{2+}$ | $[\text{MnCl}_4]^{2+}$ | None of these |
| 14 | Which of the following act as π -acid ligand | F^- | O_2^- | NH_3 | CO |
| 15 | The CFSE for a high spin octahedral complex having d1 configuration is | $-0.6 \Delta_o$ | $-0.8 \Delta_o$ | $-0.4 \Delta_o$ | $0.00 \Delta_o$ |
| 16 | Hemoglobin, a complex containing iron is a constituent of blood. The oxidation state of iron in the complex is | Zero | +1 | +2 | 3 |
| 17 | In the compound, LiAlH_4 , the ligand is | H^+ | H^- | H | NONE of these |
| 18 | The oxidation number of cobalt in $\text{K}[\text{Co}(\text{CO})_4]$ is | +1 | -1 | +3 | -3 |
| 19 | Which of the following is expected to be a paramagnetic complex | $[\text{Ni}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}$ | $[\text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4]$ | $[\text{Zn}(\text{NH}_3)_4]^{2+}$ | $[\text{Co}(\text{NH}_3)_6]$ |
| 20 | In the octahedral ligand field theory, the 3d orbitals will be split into | Two levels | Three levels | Four levels | Five levels |

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| 21 | In the spectrochemical series, which ligand produces strong field | Cl^- | H_2O | NO_2^- | CO |
| 22 | Which of the following is non-degradable pollutant | Garbage | Rubbish | Sludge | Phenolics |
| 23 | Minimata disease is caused by | Hg | Lead | Zn | Fe |
| 24 | Which of the following represents a d-block element | $[\text{Rn}] 4f^{14} 6d^1 7s^2$ | $[\text{Xe}] 4f^{14} 5d^1 6s^2$ | $[\text{Xe}] 4f^1 5d^1 6s^2$ | $[\text{Xe}] 5d^1 6s^2$ |
| 25 | Greater the value of electron affinity of an element, greater is its | Coordination power | Electropositive character | Electronegative character | None |
| 26 | Carbyl amine test is performed in alcoholic KOH by heating a mixture of | Chloroform and alcohol | Chloroform and a primary amine | An alkyl halide and primary amine | an alkyl cyanide and primary amine |
| 27 | Hinsberg's reagent is | Benzene sulphonyl chloride | Phenyl isocyanide | <i>p</i> - toluene-sulphonic acid | <i>o</i> -dichlorobenzene |
| 28 | Cope reaction is | SN^1 intramolecular | SN^2 intramolecular | E_1 intramolecular | E_c and E_i intramolecular |
| 29 | The number of double bonds present in carotene is | 5 | 10 | 11 | 18 |
| 30 | Choose the right statement | Homoannular diene is called as transoid | Cisoid shows less intense absorption | The base value of transoid is 214 nm | Exocyclic double bond causes a bathochromic shift of 30 nm |

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| 31 | Select the correct IUPAC name for: $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CHCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ | 2,5,5-trimethyl-3-hexanol | 1,1,4,4-pentamethylbutanol | 1,1-dimethylisopentanol | 2,5-dimethyl-4-hexanol |
| 32 | The hybridization of carbon atoms in alkanes is | sp | sp ² | sp ³ | sp ³ d |
| 33 | Titration is | Titrimetric analysis | Volumetric analysis | Gravimetric analysis | All of these |
| 34 | Which of the following is a permanent electron displacement effect? | Inductomeric | Electromeric | Inductive | All of the above |
| 35 | Which of the following analytical method is used to measure the analyte concentration depending on the quantity of light received by the analyte? | Spectroscopy | Chromatography | Potentiometry | Polarography |
| 36 | In an infrared (IR) spectrum, which of the following functional groups has the highest frequency? | Ketone | Aldehyde | Ester | Alcohol |
| 37 | In which chromatography stationary phase is more polar than mobile phase? | Ion exchange chromatography | Normal phase chromatography | Reversed chromatography | Size exclusion chromatography |
| 38 | Which of the following is an example of bulk property or general detector in HPLC | Fluorescence detector | Refractive index detector | Electrochemical detector | UV-Visible detector |
| 39 | The base peak in mass spectrum is? | The lowest mass peak | The peak corresponding to the parent ion | The highest mass peak | The peak set to 100% relative intensity |

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| 40 | In a chromatographic separation, which of the following is most appropriate for the qualitative analysis of a substance? | Taking factor | Capacity factor | Retention factor | Resolution |
| 41 | Which of the following is not in the Beer's Law equation? | molar absorptivity | cell path length | light wavelength | concentration |
| 42 | Cyclopropenyl cation and cyclopentadienyl anion are: | Aromatic and anti-aromatic | Both are aromatic | Both are anti-aromatic | Anti-aromatic and aromatic |
| 43 | In anti-Markovnikov rule, reaction follows: | Free radical substitution | Electrophilic addition | Free radical addition | Nucleophilic addition |
| 44 | Photochemical smog differs from industrial smog in that it: | Is formed in the presence of sunlight | Has large quantities of soot | Is primarily composed of CO | Consist of primary pollutants |
| 45 | Proteins are made up of..... | Sugars | amino acids | fatty acids | nucleic acids |
| 46 | Which of the following is an example of C-4 Epimers? | Glucose & Ribose | Glucose & Galactose | Galactose, Mannose & Glucose | Glucose, Ribose & Mannose |
| 47 | Identify the compound with the highest ring strain. | Cyclopropane | Cyclopropane | Cyclobutane | Cyclopentane |
| 48 | What is the concentration, in ppm, if 0.025 g of KCl is dissolved in 100 grams of water? | 4×10^3 ppm | 250 ppm | 2.5×10^{-4} ppm | 2.5 ppm |
| 49 | Three unknown solutions are given with pH values of 6, 8 & 9.5 respectively. Which solution will contain the maximum OH^- ion? | Solution sample-1 | Solution sample-2 | Solution sample-3 | All the above |

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| 50 | When 1,3 butadiene reacts with alkene, the reaction known as: | Friedel-craft reaction | Diels alder reaction | Sandemayer reaction | Wurtz fittig reaction |
| 51 | Which of the following is used as an indicator in the titration of a strong acid and a weak base? | Methyl orange | Phenolphthalein | Thymol blue | Fluorescein |
| 52 | Alkyl halides can be converted into Grignard reagents by | Boiling them with Mg ribbon in alcoholic solution | Warming them with magnesium powder in dry ether | Refluxing them with MgCl_2 solution | Warming them with MgCl_2 |
| 53 | Based on saytzeff's rule, select the most stable alkene: | 1-methylcyclohexane | 3-methylcyclohexane | 4-methylcyclohexane | They are all of equal stability |
| 54 | When acids react with metal oxide it produces | water and salt | salts and hydrogen gas | salts only | a) no reaction takes place |
| 55 | Which theory explain the reactivity and stability of cycloalkanes | Valence bond theory | Molecular orbital theory | Bayer strain theory | VSEPR theory |
| 56 | Which one of the following is necessary for mass spectrometry to occur? | Loss of an electron | Change of alignment of a proton in a magnetic field | A molecular vibration | Excitation of an electron from the ground state to a higher energy state |
| 57 | HPLC is an abbreviation for? | High Profit Liquid Chromatography | High Performance Liquid Chromatography | Higher Pressure Low Chromatography | Higher Profit Low Chromatography |
| 58 | The largest portion of atmospheric gases by weight is: | Oxygen | Ozone | Nitrogen | Sulfur |

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| 59 | Which of the following is primary halide? | Isopropyl iodide | Secondary butyl iodide | Tertiary butyl iodide | Neohexyl chloride |
| 60 | The photon of wavelength 400 nm corresponds to _____ wave number. | 20000 cm^{-1} | 25000 cm^{-1} | 40000 cm^{-1} | None of the above |
| 61 | Signal splitting in NMR arises from? | Shielding effect | Spin-spin decoupling | Spin-spin coupling | Deshielding effect |
| 62 | The number of delocalised electrons in the benzene ring are π | 6 | 8 | 2 | 3 |
| 63 | Grignard reagent behaves as: | Strong base | Strong acid | Both of these | none of the above |
| 64 | Which of the following ions typically has the highest mobility in aqueous solutions? | Hydrogen ion (H^+) | Sodium ion (Na^+) | Chloride ion (Cl^-) | Sulfate ion (SO_4^{2-}) |
| 65 | Which of the following ions typically has the highest mobility in solid-state electrolytes? | Lithium ion (Li^+) | Potassium ion (K^+) | Sodium ion (Na^+) | Calcium ion (Ca^{2+}) |
| 66 | What is the transference number of an ion in a solution? | The ratio of the ionic conductance of the ion to the total conductance of the solution | The total conductance of the ion in the solution | The ratio of the molar concentration of the ion to the total concentration of ions in the solution | The ratio of the ion's mobility to the total mobility of ions in the solution |

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| 67 | What is ferromagnetism? | The temporary magnetization of a material in the presence of an external magnetic field | The ability of a material to retain its magnetization after the external magnetic field is removed | The weak attraction of a material to an external magnetic field | The absence of any magnetic properties in a material |
| 68 | What is paramagnetism? | The temporary magnetization of a material in the presence of an external magnetic field | The ability of a material to retain its magnetization after the external magnetic field is removed | The weak attraction of a material to an external magnetic field | The weak repulsion of a material from an external magnetic field |
| 69 | What is the Curie temperature? | The temperature at which a material becomes ferromagnetic | The temperature at which a material becomes paramagnetic | The temperature at which a material loses its magnetic properties | The temperature at which a material exhibits maximum diamagnetism |
| 70 | Which of the following materials is most effective in shielding against beta particles? | Lead | Aluminum | Concrete | Plastic |
| 71 | What is the primary mechanism of interaction between alpha particles and matter? | Photoelectric effect | Compton scattering | Elastic scattering | Ionization |
| 72 | What is the main function of enzymes in living organisms? | Providing energy for cellular processes | Facilitating communication between cells | Catalyzing biochemical reactions | Maintaining cell structure and shape |
| 73 | What is ionic conductance? | The ability of a substance to conduct electricity | The movement of ions in an electrolyte solution | The resistance of a substance to electric current | The flow of electrons in a metallic conductor |
| 74 | What is the repeating unit in polyethylene? | CH ₄ | CH ₂ | C ₂ H ₄ | CH ₃ |

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| 75 | Which of the following is a thermosetting polymer? | Polyethylene | Polypropylene | Bakelite | Polyvinyl chloride (PVC) |
| 76 | Which of the following is true regarding the solution to the Schrödinger Equation for the hydrogen atom? | It gives the exact position of the electron. | It predicts the probability of finding the electron at different locations. | It determines the speed of the electron. | It only describes the behavior of electrons in the ground state. |
| 77 | Which physical quantity does the Schrödinger Equation describe? | Momentum | Energy | Position | All of the above |
| 78 | Which of the following is not a synthetic polymer? | Polyethylene | Polypropylene | Cellulose | Polyvinyl chloride (PVC) |
| 79 | What type of polymerization involves the elimination of small molecules such as water or alcohol? | Addition polymerization | Condensation polymerization | Free radical polymerization | Ionic polymerization |
| 80 | What is the standard electrode potential of hydrogen (H ₂) gas at standard conditions? | +0.00 V | +0.34 V | +0.76 V | -0.34 V |
| 81 | What is the function of a salt bridge in an electrochemical cell? | It completes the circuit and allows for the flow of current. | It prevents mixing of the electrolytes in the two half-cells | It facilitates the movement of ions to maintain charge neutrality. | It increases the voltage of the cell. |
| 82 | What is the phase rule? | A rule that describes the relationship between the number of phases, components, and degrees of freedom in a system at equilibrium | A rule that determines the rate of phase transitions in a system | A rule that governs the behavior of phases in non-equilibrium conditions | A rule that predicts the critical temperature of a substance |

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| 83 | What does the critical point on a phase diagram represent? | The temperature and pressure at which all phases coexist in equilibrium | The highest temperature at which a substance can exist in the liquid phase | The temperature and pressure above which distinct liquid and gas phases cease to exist | The lowest temperature at which a substance can exist in the solid phase |
| 84 | Which of the following statements regarding chair cyclohexane is wrong? | The dihedral angle of the two axial bonds on adjacent carbons is 180° . | The dihedral angle of the two equatorial bonds on adjacent carbons is 60° . | The dihedral angle between the axial bond and the equatorial bond on adjacent carbons is 120° . | The axial hydrogen atoms on C1, C3, and C5 form an equilateral triangle (as do C1, C3, and C5 themselves and the equatorial hydrogens on them). |
| 85 | What does it mean if a reaction is spontaneous? | It occurs rapidly | It occurs without any external influence | It occurs with the release of heat | It occurs without any change in entropy |
| 86 | Which of the following reactions is likely to be spontaneous at room temperature? | $\Delta H = 50 \text{ kJ/mol}$, $\Delta S = 100 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}$ | $\Delta H = -30 \text{ kJ/mol}$, $\Delta S = -50 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}$ | $\Delta H = -20 \text{ kJ/mol}$, $\Delta S = 40 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}$ | $\Delta H = 10 \text{ kJ/mol}$, $\Delta S = -30 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}$ |
| 87 | A reaction is said to be first-order with respect to a reactant if: | The rate of the reaction is directly proportional to the concentration of that reactant | The rate of the reaction is inversely proportional to the concentration of that reactant | The rate of the reaction doubles when the concentration of that reactant is doubled | The rate of the reaction remains constant regardless of the concentration of that reactant |
| 88 | Chromatography is | Separation technique | Identification technique | Both A and B | None of the above |
| 89 | In the photosynthesis, the predominant metal present in the reaction centre of photosystem II is | Zn | Cu | Mn | Fe |

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| 90 | Which of the following molecules does not have a dipole moment? | CH ₃ Cl | CH ₂ Cl ₂ | CHCl ₃ | CCl ₄ |
| 91 | Shifting of electron of a multiple bond under the influence of a reagent is called: | I- effect | E-effect | M-effect | Hyperconjugation |
| 92 | Which of the following compounds is isomeric with methyl vinyl ether | Propanal | 1-propanol | Ethyl methyl ether | Ether |
| 93 | The reactive intermediate in the Reimer- Tiemann reaction is | The formyl anion | The formyl carbocation | Dichlorocarbene | Dichloromethyl carbocation |
| 94 | The correct decreasing order of priority of functional groups in naming an organic compound as per IUPAC system of nomenclature is: | —COOH >—CONH ₂ >—COCl >—CHO | —SO ₃ H >—COCl >—CONH ₂ >—CN | —COOH >—COCl >—NH ₂ > >C = O | —COOH >—COOR >—CONH ₂ >—COCl |
| 95 | The number of configurational isomers of 2,3-dibromocinnamic acid is: | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 96 | The electrophilic aromatic substitution proceeds through a- | Free radical | Sigma complex | Benzene | Carbene |
| 97 | The number of vibrational degree of freedom in C ₆ H ₅ CH ₃ will be- | 39 | 15 | 18 | 40 |
| 98 | R-CO-N ₃ + Heat/ H ₂ O → R-NH ₂ is an example of | Hofmann rearrangement | Lossen rearrangement | Beckmann rearrangement | Curtius rearrangement |
| 99 | In which of the following organic species all the carbon atoms are in the same hybrid state? | CH ₂ =C=CH ₂ | $\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{—}^+\text{CH—CH}_3 \end{array}$ | CH ₃ —C≡CH | CH ₂ =CH— ⁺ CH ₂ |

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| 100 | In which of the following compounds C—H bond length is minimum? | ethane | ethene | 1,2-dichloroethene | 1,2-dichloroethane |
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