B.Sc. 6th Semester (Honours) Examination, 2023 (CBCS)

Subject : Chemistry

Course: CC-XIII

Time: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer any five questions:

 $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) Categorize the following elements as trace and ultra trace biological elements: V, Cu, Zn, Se.
- (b) Mention the important buffers present in the blood.
- (c) Define organometallic compound. Give one example of organometallic compound having no metal-carbon bond(s).
- (d) Write the oxidation states of Fe and NO in [Fe(CN)₅NO]²⁻ ion.
- (e) Discuss the mode of bonding in Re₂Cl₈²⁻ ion.
- (f) Give one example of metal nitrosyl compound containing only metal and NO ligands which is isoelectronic with Ni(CO)₄. Show electron counts.
- (g) Sketch the reaction profile for associative or 'A' mechanism for substitution reaction.
- (h) What is the difference between ΔG° and ΔG^{\neq} of a chemical reaction?

2. Answer any two questions:

5×2=10

- (a) Write in brief the significance of Na+- K+ ion pump in biological reaction.
- (b) Distinguish oxidative addition and reductive elimination with suitable examples.
- (c) What is Ziegler-Natta Catalyst? Show the schematic representation of polymerisation of ethylene using this catalyst. Mention the special significance of the usefulness of this catalyst.
- (d) Cite one example of organometallic compound which follows 16-electron rule and show its molecular-orbital energy diagram.

3. Answer any two questions:

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- (a) (i) Write the brief outline to obtain acetaldehyde from ethylene using Wacker Process.
 - (ii) Ethylene cannot be hydrogenated using Wilkinson's catalyst. Explain.
 - (iii) Write the evidence(s) of dissociative mechanism.
 - (iv) What is spectator ligand?

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- (b) (i) Fe³⁺ ion in water shows yellow colour but on acidification with dil, H₂SO₄ its colour fades— write the reaction involved.
 - (ii) Predict which of the complexes $\left[V(CO)_6\right]^-$ and $\left[Mn(CO)_6\right]^+$ has the shortest C-O bond.
 - (iii) Name the metal which is antagonistic to copper.
 - (iv) Give one example of electron transfer protein. Mention the metal ion present in it.
 - (v) Write two important biological function of calcium.

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- (c) (i) State the structure and reactivity of carboxypeptidase A.
 - (ii) In between Cr (III) and Cr (VI) which one is more poisonous?
 - (iii) What is Wilson's disease?
 - (iv) Give one example of a pi-bonded organometallic compound.
 - (v) What is the difference between thermodynamic chelate effect and kinetic chelate effect? 5+1+1+1+2
- (d) (i) Give a short account on linear free energy relationship (LFER).
 - (ii) How is ferrocene obtained? Give a comparative account of the reactivity of ferrocene and benzene with respect to Friedel-Crafts acylation and Mannich condensation.