ST MARY'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), THRISSUR-20

I SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc./B.Com/BSW (FYUGP) DEGREE EXAMINATION, November 2024

CHE1MN100 : Inorganic Chemistry 1

2024 Admission Onwards

(Credits: 4)

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Section A

[Answer all. Each question carries 3 Marks] (Ceiling: 24 Marks)

1.	What do the terms absolute error and relative error mean with regard to an analytical determination?	[BTL4]
2.	Distinguish between qualitative analysis and quantitative analysis.	[BTL1]
3.	Explain the shape of IF_7 molecule.	[BTL1]
4.	Explain Hannay-Smith equation.	[BTL1]
5.	State Fajan's rule of polarization.	[BTL1]
6.	Mention how nanomaterials find application as drug delivery vehicles in biomedicine.	[BTL3]
7.	Write on carbon nanotubes with regard to their structure and properties.	[BTL1]
8.	Summarize the electronic properties of nanomaterials.	[BTL4]
9.	Calculate the molarity of an aqueous Solution containing 8g of NaOH in 4 liters.	[BTL3]
10.	Distinguish between acidimetry and alkalimetry.	[BTL5]

Section B

[Answer all. Each question carries 6 Marks] (Ceiling: 36 Marks)

- 11. Explain the methods adopted to minimize determinate errors. [BTL2]
- 12. How can you apply Born-Haber cycle to calculate lattice energy? Explain using [BTL3] NaCl as an example.
- 13. State whether the molecule has zero or non -zero dipole moment in each of the [BTL1] following cases:
 - i) CF_4
 - ii) CH₃Cl
 - iii) SF₆
 - iv) BeF₂

- 14. Compare the Pauling and Mulliken's approaches to calculate electronegativities of [BTL4] different elements.
- 15. (a) Differentiate between fullerenes and carbon nanotubes. [BTL3]
 (b) Outline the method of preparation of Fe₃O₄ nanoparticles.
- 16. Discuss the classification of nanostructures based on the electron confinement. [BTL4]
- 17. Calculate the mole fraction of solute in a 1.5 molal aqueous solution of urea? [BTL3]
- 18. Discuss the principle and advantages of double burette method of titration. [BTL5]

Section C

[Answer any one. Each question carries 10 Marks] (1x10=10 Marks)

- 19. Define ionization energy and discuss the factors that determine the ionization [BTL2] energy of an element.Explain the variation of ionization energy along a period and down a group of the periodic table.
- 20. (a) Explain the term Complexometric titrations taking EDTA as the chelating [BTL3] agent.
 - (b) What are metal ion indicators?Explain the action of metal ion indicators with suitable examples.

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