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INORGANIC CHEMISTRY-II

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Time : 3 Hrs.

Max. Marks : 50

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES :

1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying ONE marks each.
2. SECTION-B contains FIVE questions carrying FIVE marks each and students have to attempt any FOUR questions.
3. SECTION-C contains THREE questions carrying TEN marks each and students have to attempt any TWO questions.

SECTION-A

1) Write briefly :

- a) What are crown ethers?
- b) What is allotropy?
- c) What are chelates?
- d) Explain the chelation of EDTA with calcium.
- e) Out of trimethyl amine and ammonia, which is stronger base, and why?
- f) Which out of Cl and F have higher electron affinity and why?
- g) Why nitrogen is gas whereas phosphorus is a solid at room temperature?
- h) What are carbides?
- i) Explain Cu^{2+} is more stable than Cu^+ .
- j) Why Sc^{3+} is more stable than Sc^{2+} . Why?

SECTION-B

2) Acidic character of halides of boron is the following order :



- 3) What are interhalogen compounds? Why these compounds are more reactive than corresponding halogens.
- 4) Write a short note on $p\pi-p\pi$ and $p\pi-d\pi$ bonding.
- 5) What are Lewis bases? Arrange the following in the order of decreasing base strength of NH_3 , PH_3 and AsH_3 .
- 6) Why Zn, Cd and Hg salts are colourless?

SECTION-C

- 7) Explain the HSAB principle. Discuss its applications.
- 8) a) Explain the paramagnetisms and ferromagnetism.
- b) Which out of the two lanthanides ion, Lu^{3+} and Ce^{3+} , will be more hydrated? Give reasons for this.
- 9) Explain the structure of N_2O , NO , N_2O_3 , N_2O_4 and N_2O_5 .

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