

BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI  
(END SEMESTER EXAMINATION)

CLASS: IMSC  
BRANCH: CHEMISTRY

SEMESTER : V  
SESSION : MO/19

SUBJECT: IMC5001 PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY

TIME: 3Hrs.

FULL MARKS: 60

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. The question paper contains 7 questions each of 12 marks and total 84 marks.
  2. Candidates may attempt any 5 questions maximum of 60 marks.
  3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
  4. Before attempting the question paper, be sure that you have got the correct question paper.
  5. Tables/Data hand book/Graph paper etc. to be supplied to the candidates in the examination hall.
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- Q.1(a) What is enantiotropy and polymorphism? [2]  
Q.1(b) What is principle of formation of freezing mixtures? Name the freezing mixture in which  $-55.9^{\circ}\text{C}$  is attained. Explain Acetone-dry ice freezing mixture. [4]  
Q.1(c) Draw the neat and clean phase diagram of sulphur system giving the name of all line curves and equilibrium between them. What is maximum no. of phases explain? [6]
- Q.2(a) Explain the differences between phase diagram of water and  $\text{CO}_2$  System. [2]  
Q.2(b) If Henry's law applies to the solute, Raoult's law applies to solvent write possible definitions of Henry's law and Raoult's law. [4]  
Q.2(c) Discuss the boiling point-composition curves of completely miscible binary solutions. [6]
- Q.3(a) Thermodynamically derive Nernst equation. [2]  
Q.3(b) Describe the methods of end point detection of potentiometric acid-base titration with principle. [4]  
Q.3(c) Write down principle of concentration cell with the transport. Derive the relation. [6]
- Q.4(a) What is  $P^H$  and  $P^{ka}$ , a zero tropes? [2]  
Q.4(b) Explain the methods of determination of  $P^H$  using quinhydrone electrode. [4]  
Q.4(c) What is congruent m.p? Explain Zn-mg system phase diagram. [6]
- Q.5(a) Explain why a glass electrode is preferred to quinhydrone electrode in measuring PH of a solution? [2]  
Q.5(b) Discuss the electrochemical theory of corrosion. [4]  
Q.5(c) What are different control methods of corrosion with principle. Explain the uses of sacrificial anode. [6]
- Q.6(a) State the 3<sup>rd</sup> law of thermodynamics. [2]  
Q.6(b) Explain the 3<sup>rd</sup> law on the basis of quantum theory and planck suggestion. [4]  
Q.6(c) Explain variation of free energy with temp & pressure. [6]
- Q.7(a) Define free-energy & Helmholtz work function. [2]  
Q.7(b) Explain Nernst Heat theorem. [4]  
Q.7(c) Show that entropy is not a suitable criterion for a spontaneity of a system. Explain it in terms of other state function. [6]

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