

**BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI  
(MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION)**

**CLASS: BTECH  
BRANCH: AI&ML/CS/EC/EE**

**SEMESTER: I  
SESSION: MO/2022**

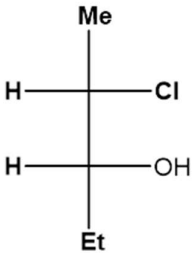
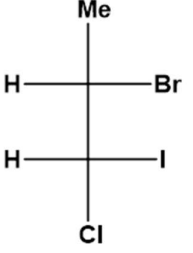
**SUBJECT: CH101 CHEMISTRY**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**FULL MARKS: 25**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 5 marks and total 25 marks.
2. Attempt all questions.
3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
4. Tables/Data handbook/Graph paper etc., if applicable, will be supplied to the candidates.

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Q.1(a) Explain the normal spinel structure for $Mn_3O_4$ and inverse spinel structure for $Fe_3O_4$ .	[2]	1	Understand
Q.1(b) Explain hybridization, shape and magnetic behaviour of the following complexes: $[NiCl_4]^{2-}$ , $[Ni(CO)_4]$ , $[Ni(CN)_4]^{2-}$ .	[3]	1	Understand
Q.2(a) Taking the example of Cu(II) $d^9$ system explain the phenomenon of Z-in and Z-out.	[2]	1	Understand
Q.2(b) Show by means of a diagram, and a simple calculation, the minimum value of the radius ratio $r^+/r^-$ which permits a salt to adopt a cesium chloride type of structure.	[3]	1	Interpreting
Q.3(a) Discuss the formation of bonding and antibonding molecular orbitals with the applications of linear combination of atomic orbitals (LCAO) method.	[2]	2	Applying
Q.3(b) Find out the bond order and magnetism of $O_2^+$ , $O_2^{2-}$ , $N_2^-$ and $N_2^{2+}$ ?	[3]	2	Applying
Q.4(a) Predict whether cyclopentadiene anion is aromatic or not?	[2]	2	Understand
Q.4(b) Find out the R, S nomenclature of the following compounds.	[3]	2	Applying
(i)			
			
(ii)			
			
Q.5(a) Discuss the collision theory of reaction rate along with its limitations.	[2]	3	Understand
Q.5(b) For a given first order reaction rate constant, k is $2.6 \times 10^{-10} s^{-1}$ at $300^\circ C$ and $6.7 \times 10^{-4} s^{-1}$ at $500^\circ C$ . Calculate the energy of activation. $[R = 8.3 J.K^{-1}.mol^{-1}]$	[3]	3	Understand

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