

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

CLASS: M.Sc
BRANCH: CHEMISTRY

SEMESTER : II
SESSION : SP/2025

SUBJECT: CH408 ADVANCED INORGANIC CHEMISTRY

TIME: 3 Hours

FULL MARKS: 50

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 10 marks and total 50 marks.
2. Attempt all questions.
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) For a multi electronic system, graphically represent the mutual inclination of electron orbit and resultant vectors. [3]	[3]	1	1
Q.1(b) Explain why for both $[\text{Co}(\text{CH}_3)_4\text{Cl}_2]$ and $\text{K}_3[\text{CoF}_6]$, $\mu_{\text{eff}} > \mu_{\text{spin only}}$. [2]	[2]	1	2
Q.1(c) Derive the expression of magnetic moment for systems with band width larger than thermal energy. [5]	[5]	1	2
Q.2(a) Compare the magnetic moment of the following: $[(\text{NH}_3)_5\text{Cr}-\text{O}-\text{Cr}(\text{NH}_3)_5]\text{Br}_4$ and $[(\text{NH}_3)_5\text{Cr}-\text{OHCr}(\text{NH}_3)_5]\text{Br}_5$. [5]	[5]	2	2
Q.2(b) For the molecules of formula: $[\text{Cu}(\text{RCOO})_2\text{H}_2\text{O}]_2$, discuss the trend in magnetic moment for R = CH_3 , <i>t</i> -Bu, Cl_2CH , CF_3 and establish the mechanistic pathway for the antiferromagnetic coupling [5]	[5]	2	3
Q.3(a) Discuss spin admixture in $[\text{Fe}(\text{III})\text{TPP}]^+$, where TPP is Tetra phenyl porphyrine. [4]	[4]	3	2
Q.3(b) Calculate the % of low spin Fe(III) in tris-dimethyl dithio carbamato Fe(III) ion from the following data: $\mu_{\text{eff}} = 4.3$ at room temperature. [4]	[4]	3	2
Q.3(c) For a multi electronic system, graphically represent the mutual inclination of electron orbit and resultant vectors. [2]	[2]	3	1
Q.4(a) (i) What are the STYX numbers in Lipscomb's model? Calculate the possible STYX code for the B_5H_9 boron Cluster. [2+3]	[2+3]	4	1
(ii) How do Wade's rules correlate the number of framework electrons with the structure of the Boron cluster (as closo, nido, archno or hypo)? predict the $\text{C}_2\text{B}_4\text{H}_6$ and B_5H_9 cluster compound structure based on Wade's rule.			
Q.4(b) Based on molecular orbital theory (MOT), discuss the formation of a Di-nuclear cluster compound. Using MOT, predict the bond order in the binuclear cluster of i) $[\text{Re}(\text{CH}_3)_4]^{2-}$ and ii) $[\text{Cr}(\text{CO})_2(\eta^5 - \text{Cp})]_2$; cp=cyclopentadienyl anion. [3+2]	[3+2]	4	2
Q.5(a) Predict the total valence electron count (TVE) and the total number of atoms (n) upon condensation of polyhedral units (according to Mingo's rule) of i) Two Tetrahedral units via face-sharing; and ii) One Tetrahedral unit and one closed triangle via edge-sharing. Also, draw the structure of the initial and final polyhedra for both (i) and (ii). [5]	[5]	5	2
Q.5(b) (i) Write the reactions for the following transformation and identify the structure of reactants and product/(s) for (a) Hydrolysis of cyclic-tetra-phosphonitrilic chloride; and (b) Ammonolysis of S_2Cl_2 [2+3]	[2+3]	5	2
(ii) Explain the structure of (a) $[\text{Os}_{10}(\text{CO})_{22}\text{C}]^{2-}$ and (b) $[\text{Rh}_7(\text{CO})_{16}]^{3-}$ based on the capping rule.			