CY: CHEMISTRY

Duration: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

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- 8. Questions Q.56-Q.65 belong to General Aptitude (GA) section and carry a total of 15 marks. Questions Q.56-Q.60 carry 1 mark each, and questions Q.61-Q.65 carry 2 marks each.
- 9. Unattempted questions will result in zero mark and wrong answers will result in **NEGATIVE** marks. For all 1 mark questions, ½ mark will be deducted for each wrong answer. For all 2 marks questions, ½ mark will be deducted for each wrong answer. However, in the case of the linked answer question pair, there will be negative marks only for wrong answer to the first question and no negative marks for wrong answer to the second question.
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Some Useful Data

1. At T = 298 K,
$$\frac{RT}{F}$$
 2.303 = 0.0591

2. Atomic Numbers

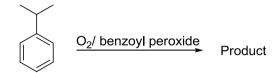
- H 1
- B 5
- C 6
- N 7
- O 8
- P 15
- Ca 20
- Cr 24
- Mn 25
- Fe 26
- Co 27
- Ni 28
- Zn 30
- Ru 44

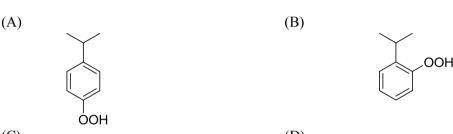
3. Atomic weights (to the nearest integer)

- H 1
- C 12
- N 14
- O 16
- Ca 40

Q. 1 – Q. 25 carry one mark each

- Q.1 In the proton decoupled ¹³C NMR spectrum of 7-norbornanone, the number of signals obtained is
 - (A) 7
- (B) 3
- (C) 4
- (D) 5
- Q.2 Identify the most probable product in the given reaction





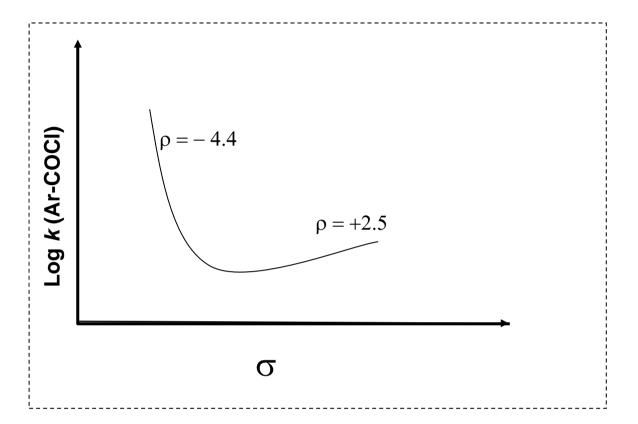


Q.3 In the cyclization reaction given below, the most probable product formed is

- $(A) \ \mathsf{HO} \underbrace{\hspace{1cm} \mathsf{O}}_{\hspace{1cm} (B)} \hspace{1cm} (B) \underbrace{\hspace{1cm} \mathsf{O}}_{\hspace{1cm} (C)} \hspace{1cm} \mathsf{OH} \hspace{1cm} (C) \ \mathsf{HO} \underbrace{\hspace{1cm} \mathsf{O}}_{\hspace{1cm} (D)} \hspace{1cm} \underbrace{\hspace{1cm} \mathsf{O}}_{\hspace{1cm} (D)} \hspace{1cm} \mathsf{OH}$
- Q.4 If Δy and Δp_y are the uncertainties in the y-coordinate and the y component of the momentum of a particle respectively, then, according to uncertainty principle $\Delta y \Delta p_y$ is ($\hbar = \frac{h}{2\pi}$ and h is Planck's constant)
 - $(A) \geq \hbar$
- (B) $> \hbar/2$
- $(C) > \hbar$
- (D) $\geq \hbar/2$
- Q.5 The average length of a typical α -helix comprised of 10 amino acids is
 - (A) 10 Å
- (B) 15 Å
- (C) 36 Å
- (D) 54 Å
- Q.6 Number of thymine residues in a 5000 kb DNA containing 23% guanine residues is
 - (A) 2.70×10^6
- (B) 2.70×10^7
- (C) 1.35×10^6
- (D) 1.35×10^7

Q.7 Shown below is a Hammett plot obtained for the reaction

$$Ar$$
 CI H_2O Ar OH



The change in slope of the plot indicates that

- (A) the reaction does not follow linear free energy relationship
- (B) electrons are being withdrawn from the transition state in the mechanism
- (C) electrons are being donated to the transition state in the mechanism
- (D) the mechanism of the reaction is changing
- Q.8 The ratio of relative intensities of the two molecular ion peaks of methyl bromide (CH₃Br) in the mass spectrum is
 - (A) $M^+: (M+2)^+ = 1:3$
 - (B) $M^+: (M+2)^+ = 3:1$
 - (C) $M^+: (M+2)^+ = 1:1$
 - (D) $M^+: (M+2)^+=1:2$

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- A disaccharide that will not give Benedict's test and will not form osazone is
 - (A) maltose
- (B) lactose
- (C) cellobiose
- (D) sucrose

Q.10 Choose the allowed transition

(A)
$$^{1}\Sigma_{g}^{+} \rightarrow ^{3}\Sigma_{u}^{+}$$

(B)
$${}^{1}\Sigma_{g}^{+} \rightarrow {}^{3}\Sigma_{u}^{-}$$
 (C) ${}^{1}\Sigma_{g}^{+} \rightarrow {}^{1}\Sigma_{u}^{+}$ (D) ${}^{1}\Sigma_{g}^{+} \rightarrow {}^{1}\Sigma_{u}^{-}$

$$(C)$$
 $^{1}\Sigma_{g}^{+} \rightarrow ^{1}\Sigma_{u}^{-}$

(D)
$$^{1}\Sigma_{g}^{+} \rightarrow ^{1}\Sigma_{u}^{-}$$

- The angular part of the wavefunction for the electron in a hydrogen atom is proportional to O.11 $\sin^2\theta\cos\theta\,e^{2i\phi}$. The values of the azimuthal quantum number (1) and the magnetic quantum number (m) are, respectively
 - (A) 2 and 2
- (B) 2 and -2
- (C) 3 and 2
- (D) 3 and -2
- Q.12 Let ϕ_x^C and ϕ_z^C denote the wavefunctions of the $2p_x$ and $2p_z$ orbitals of carbon, respectively, and ϕ_x^O and ϕ_z^O represent the wavefunctions of the $2p_x$ and $2p_z$ orbitals of oxygen, respectively. If c_1 and c_2 are constants used in linear combinations and the CO molecule is oriented along the z axis, then, according to molecular orbital theory, the π -bonding molecular orbital has a wavefunction given by
 - (A) $c_1 \phi_z^C + c_2 \phi_x^O$

(B) $c_1 \phi_z^C + c_2 \phi_z^O$

(C) $c_1 \phi_x^C + c_2 \phi_z^O$

- (D) $c_1 \phi_x^C + c_2 \phi_x^C$
- O.13 The bond that gives the most intense band in the infrared spectrum for its stretching vibration is
 - (A) C-H
- (B) N-H
- (C) O-H
- (D) S-H
- If x_A and x_B are the respective mole fractions of **A** and **B** in an ideal solution of the two and T_A , T_B , Q.14 T are the fusion temperatures of pure **A**, pure **B** and the ideal solution respectively, then

(A)
$$1 - x_B = \exp \left[\frac{-\Delta H_{flus(B)}^o}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_B} \right) \right]$$

(B)
$$1 - x_B = \exp\left[\frac{\Delta H_{fits(A)}^o}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_A}\right)\right]$$

(C)
$$1 - x_B = \exp\left[\frac{\Delta H_{fits(B)}^o}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_B}\right)\right]$$

(D)
$$1 - x_B = \exp\left[\frac{-\Delta H_{flus(A)}^o}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T} - \frac{1}{T_A}\right)\right]$$

0.15For a reaction involving two steps given below

First step:

G + H ----Second step:

assume that the first step attains equilibrium rapidly. The rate of formation of **P** is proportional to

- (A) $[G]^{1/2}$
- (B) [G]
- (C) $[G]^2$
- (D) $[G]^{3/2}$

- A metal chelate that can be used for separation and quantitative analysis of aluminium ions by gas Q.16 chromatography is
 - (A) EDTA

(B) ethylene glycol

(C) dinonyl phthalate

- (D) trifluoroacetylacetone
- The enthalpies of hydration of Ca²⁺, Mn²⁺ and Zn²⁺ follow the order 0.17
 - (A) $Mn^{2+} > Ca^{2+} > Zn^{2+}$ (B) $Zn^{2+} > Ca^{2+} > Mn^{2+}$

 - (C) $Mn^{2+} > Zn^{2+} > Ca^{2+}$
 - (D) $Zn^{2+} > Mn^{2+} > Ca^{2+}$
- Q.18 The number of terminal carbonyl groups present in Fe₂(CO)₉ is
 - (A) 2
- (B) 5
- (C) 6
- (D) 3
- Among the following substituted silanes, the one that gives cross-linked silicone polymer upon Q.19 hydrolysis is
 - (A) (CH₃)₄Si
- (B) CH₃SiCl₃
- (C) $(CH_3)_2SiCl_2$
- (D) (CH₃)₃SiCl
- Q.20 The plot of χT versus T (where χ is molar magnetic susceptibility and T is the temperature) for a paramagnetic complex which strictly follows Curie equation is

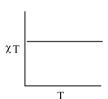




(B)



(C)



(D)



- Q.21 Among the following donors, the one that forms most stable adduct with the Lewis acid B(CH₃)₃ is
 - (A) 4-methylpyridine
 - (B) 2,6-dimethylpyridine
 - (C) 4-nitropyridine
 - (D) 2,6-di-tert-butylpyridine
- Q.22 The complex with inverse-spinel structure is
 - (A) Co_3O_4
- (B) Fe₃O₄
- (C) MgAlO₄
- (D) Mn_3O_4

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| $\frac{2012}{Q.23}$ | The IUPAC nomeno | clature of Na[PCl ₆] is | | CHEMISTRY – C |
| | (A) sodium hexach(B) sodium hexach(C) sodium hexach(D) sodium hexach | lorophosphate(V) lorophosphine | | |
| Q.24 | An intermediate for | med during the hydrofor | mylation of olefins usin | ng Co ₂ (CO) ₈ as catalyst is |
| | (A) HCo(CO) ₆ | (B) $H_4Co(CO)_3$ | (C) $H_2Co(CO)_4$ | (D) HCo(CO) ₄ |
| Q.25 | The order of polarity | y of NH ₃ , NF ₃ and BF ₃ i | s | |
| | (A) NH₃ < NF₃ < B (B) BF₃ < NF₃ < NI (C) BF₃ < NH₃ < N (D) NF₃ < BF₃ < N | H_3 F_3 | | |
| Q. 26 | to Q. 55 carry tw | o marks each. | | |
| Q.26 | From a carboxymet the order | hyl-cellulose column at | pH 6.0, arginine, valin | e and glutamic acid will elute in |
| | (A) arginine, valine(B) arginine, glutan(C) glutamic acid, a(D) glutamic acid, v | nic acid, valine arginine, valine | | |
| Q.27 | Symmetry operation class in the point gro | | perpendicular to the pr | incipal axis belong to the same |
| | (A) D_4 | | (B) D_{4d} | |
| | (C) D _{4h} | | (D) D_{4h} and D_{4d} | |
| Q.28 | At 298 K, the EMF | of the cell | | |
| | | Pt H ₂ (1 bar) H | (solution) Cl Hg ₂ C | Cl ₂ Hg |
| | | tandard potential of the pH of the solution is | calomel electrode is | 0.2802 V. If the liquid junction |
| | (A) 4.7 | (B) 7.4 | (C) 8.0 | (D) 12.7 |
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The wavefunction of a 1-D harmonic oscillator between $x = +\infty$ and $x = -\infty$ is given by $\psi(x) = N(2x^2 - 1)e^{-x^2/2}$. The value of N that normalizes the function $\psi(x)$ is

(Given:
$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^{2n} e^{-x^2} dx = \frac{1 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdots (2n-1)}{2^n} \sqrt{\pi}$$
)

(A) $\left(\frac{1}{8\sqrt{\pi}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

(B) $\left(\frac{1}{3\sqrt{\pi}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

(C) $\left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

(D) $\left(\frac{1}{4\sqrt{\pi}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

O.30 Consider the reaction

$$H_2 + C_2H_4 \rightarrow C_2H_6$$

The molecular diameters of H₂ and C₂H₄ are 1.8 Å and 3.6 Å respectively. The pre-exponential factor in the rate constant calculated using collision theory in $m^3 (mole)^{-1} s^{-1}$ is approximately

(For this reaction at 300 K, $\left(\frac{8k_BT}{\pi\mu}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}N_A = 1.11 \times 10^{27} \ m(mole)^{-1} \ s^{-1}$, where the symbols have their usual meanings)

- (A) 2.5×10^8

- (B) 2.5×10^{14} (C) 9.4×10^{17} (D) 9.4×10^{23}

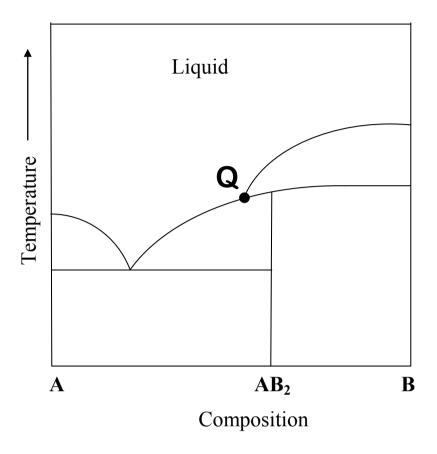
Q.31 The molecular partition function of a system is given by

 $q(T) = \left(\frac{k_B T}{h_C}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \left(\frac{8\pi^3 m k_B T}{h^2}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$, where the symbols have their usual meanings.

The heat capacity at constant volume for this system is

- (A) 3R
- (B) 6R
- (C) 9R/2
- (D) 3R/2

Q.32 Consider the phase diagram given below.

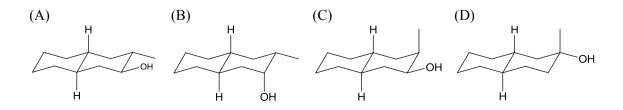


At the intersection point **Q** the phases that are in equilibrium are

- (A) solid A, solid B and solid AB₂
- (B) solid A, solid AB2 and liquid
- (C) solid B, solid AB2 and liquid
- (D) solid A, solid B, solid AB2 and liquid

Q.33 Identify the product from the following reaction

(9-BBN = 9-Borabicyclo[3•3•1]nonane)



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Q.34 The product from the following reaction is

(A)
$$C_8H_{17}$$
 C_8H_{17} C_8H_{17}

(C) (D)
$$C_8H_{17}$$
 C_8H_{17} C_8H_{17} C_8H_{17} C_8H_{17} C_8H_{17}

The acid catalyzed cyclization of 5-ketodecan-1,9-diol is given below Q.35

HO

O

OH

$$p$$
-TSA, benzene, heat

Spiroketal

 $(p$ -TSA = p -toluenesulfonic acid)

The most predominant spiroketal is

$$(A) \qquad (B) \qquad (C) \qquad (D)$$

$$\bigcirc \qquad \bigcirc \qquad \bigcirc \qquad \bigcirc$$

- For a face centered cubic lattice, the Miller indices for the first Bragg's peak (smallest Bragg angle) Q.36
 - (A) 002
- (B) 111
- (C) 001
- (D) 110
- Q.37 For the titration of a 10 mL (aq) solution of CaCO₃, 2 mL of 0.001 M Na₂EDTA is required to reach the end point. The concentration of CaCO₃ (assume molecular weight of CaCO₃ = 100) is
 - (A) $5 \times 10^{-4} \, \text{g/mL}$

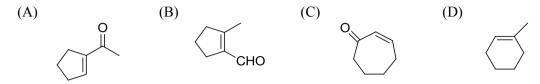
(B) $2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ g/mL}$ (D) $2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ g/mL}$

(C) $5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ g/mL}$

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Q.38 In the reaction

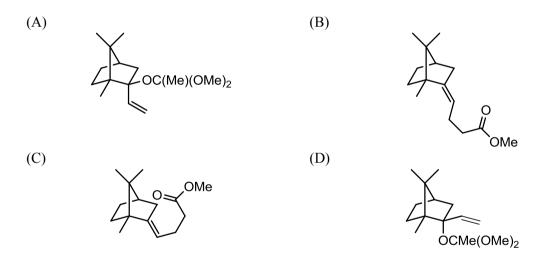
the product formed is



Q.39 In the reaction given below, identify the product

$$\begin{array}{c}
1. \text{ CH}_2 = \text{CHMgBr, THF} \\
\hline
2. \text{ H}_3\text{O}^+ \\
3. \text{ excess CH}_3\text{C}(\text{OMe})_3, p\text{-TSA, heat}
\end{array}$$

(p-TSA = p-toluenesulfonic acid; THF = tetrahydrofuran)



Q.40 Consider the following pairs of complexes

$$\begin{split} &[CoF(NH_3)_5]^{2^+} \text{ and } [Cr(OH_2)_6]^{2^+} \\ &[Co(NH_3)_5(OH_2)]^{3^+} \text{ and } [Cr(OH_2)_6]^{2^+} \\ &[Co(NH_3)_6]^{3^+} \text{ and } [Cr(OH_2)_6]^{2^+} \\ &[CoI(NH_3)_5]^{2^+} \text{ and } [Cr(OH_2)_6]^{2^+} \end{split}$$

The electron transfer rate will be fastest in the pair

- (A) $[CoF(NH_3)_5]^{2+}$ and $[Cr(OH_2)_6]^{2+}$
- (B) $[Co(NH_3)_5(OH_2)]^{3+}$ and $[Cr(OH_2)_6]^{2+}$
- (C) $[Co(NH_3)_6]^{3+}$ and $[Cr(OH_2)_6]^{2+}$
- (D) $[CoI(NH_3)_5]^{2+}$ and $[Cr(OH_2)_6]^{2+}$

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| Q.41 | The extent of Mössb | auer quadrupole spli | itting of iron follows the | order |
| | (A) FeCl ₂ •4H ₂ O > F (B) K ₂ [Fe(CN) ₅ (NO (C) FeCl ₃ •6H ₂ O > F (D) FeCl ₂ •4H ₂ O > F | $[O] > FeCl_2 \cdot 4H_2O > Focl_2 \cdot 4H_2O $ | FeCl ₃ •6H ₂ O FeCl ₂ •4H ₂ O | |
| Q.42 | Hemoglobin is an ox | xygen carrying prote | in. The correct statement | about oxy-hemoglobin is that |
| | (B) the metal is high(C) the metal is low | n-spin in +3 oxidatio -spin in +3 oxidation | n state while dioxygen is n state while dioxygen is n state while dioxygen is on state while dioxygen is | $\sin O_2^-$ form in neutral form |
| Q.43 | formed. This vapou | r (P) dissolves in aqu | | test tube, a red vapour (P) is ellow solution, which upon etively |
| | (A) CrO ₂ Cl ₂ and Ag (B) Na ₂ [CrOCl ₅] an (C) Na ₂ [CrOCl ₅] an (D) CrO ₂ Cl ₂ and Ag | d Ag ₂ CrO ₄ d Ag ₂ Cr ₂ O ₇ | | |
| Q.44 | For the following rea | action | | |
| | $2\mathrm{MnO_4}^- + 5\mathrm{H_2C_2O_2}$ | $_{1} + 6H^{+} \longrightarrow 2Mn^{2+}$ | $+8H_2O+10CO_2$ | |
| | $E^{\circ}(MnO_4^{-}/Mn^{2+}) = -$ At 298 K, the equilib | | $/H_2C_2O_4) = -0.49 \text{ V}.$ | |
| | (A) 10^{500} | (B) 10^{338} | (C) 10^{38} | (D) 10^{833} |
| Q.45 | The ground states of | `high-spin octahedra | l and tetrahedral Co(II) o | complexes are, respectively |
| | (A) ${}^{4}T_{2g}$ and ${}^{4}A_{2}$ (C) ${}^{3}T_{1g}$ and ${}^{4}A_{2}$ | | (B) ${}^{4}T_{1g}$ and ${}^{4}A_{2}$ (D) ${}^{4}T_{1g}$ and ${}^{3}T_{1}$ | |
| Q.46 | The INCORRECT | statement about Zei | se's salt is | |
| | (A) Zeise's salt is d(B) The oxidation st(C) All the Pt—Cl b(D) C—C bond len molecule | tate of Pt in Zeise's sond lengths in Zeise' | 's salt are equal | longer than that of free ethylene |
| Q.47 | The number of poss metal M is | ible isomers for the | square planar mononucl | ear complex $[(NH_3)_2M(CN)_2]$ of a |

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(B) 4

(A) 2

(C) 6

(D) 3

Common Data Questions

Common Data for Questions 48 and 49: Consider the reaction sequence shown below:

TsCl = p-toluenesulfonyl chloride

Q.48 The oxidant X used in step 1 is

(A) CrO₃

(B) OsO₄

(C) NaIO₄

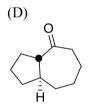
(D) m-CPBA followed by NaOH

Q.49 The product is



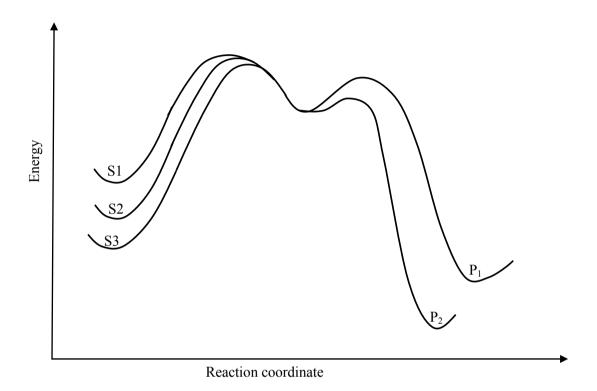






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Common Data for Questions 50 and 51: Consider the E1 reaction of *tert*-amyl halides from the energy profile given below.



- Q.50 In the above reaction, X = CI, Br or I. Based on the graph, identify the alkyl halides (R-X) as S1, S2 and S3
 - (A) S1 = R-CI, S2 = R-Br and S3 = R-I
- (B) S1 = R-I, S2 = R-Br and S3 = R-CI
- (C) S1 = R-CI, S2 = R-I and S3 = R-Br
- (D) S1 = R-I, S2 = R-CI and S3 = R-Br
- Q.51 Identify product P₁ and its yield relative to P₂
 - (A) P₁ is M and is the major product
- (B) P₁ is N and is the minor product
- (C) P_1 is N and is the major product
- (D) P₁ is M and is the minor product

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Linked Answer Questions

Statement for Linked Answer Questions 52 and 53: A 20491 cm⁻¹ laser line was used to excite oxygen molecules (made of ¹⁶O only) to obtain the rotational Raman spectrum. The resulting rotational Raman spectrum of oxygen molecule has the first Stokes line at 20479 cm⁻¹.

- O.52The rotational constant (usually denoted as **B**) for the oxygen molecule is
 - (A) 1.2 cm^{-1}
- (B) 2.0 cm^{-1} (C) 3.0 cm^{-1} (D) 6.0 cm^{-1}

- Q.53 The next rotational Stokes line is expected at
 - (A) 20467 cm^{-1} (B) 20469 cm^{-1} (C) 20471 cm^{-1} (D) 20475 cm^{-1}

Statement for Linked Answer Questions 54 and 55: Hückel molecular orbital theory can be applied to the allene radical

The secular determinant (where α , β and E have their usual meanings) is given by

(A)
$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha - E & \beta & 0 \\ \beta & \alpha - E & \beta \\ 0 & \beta & \alpha - E \end{vmatrix}$$

(B)
$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha - E & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha - E & \beta \\ 0 & \beta & \alpha - E \end{vmatrix}$$

(C)
$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha - E & \beta & 0 \\ \beta & \alpha - E & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha - E \end{vmatrix}$$

(D)
$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha - E & -\beta & 0 \\ -\beta & \alpha - E & -\beta \\ 0 & -\beta & \alpha - E \end{vmatrix}$$

- 0.55The possible values of E are
 - (A) $\alpha + \sqrt{2}\beta$, α , $\alpha \sqrt{2}\beta$
- (B) $\alpha + 2\sqrt{2}\beta$, α , $\alpha 2\sqrt{2}\beta$

(C) $\alpha + \beta$, α , $\alpha - \beta$

General Aptitude (GA) Questions (Compulsory)

| Q.56 - Q. | 60 carry | y one | mark | each. |
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Q.56 If $(1.001)^{1259} = 3.52$ and $(1.001)^{2062} = 7.85$, then $(1.001)^{3321} =$

(A) 2.23

(B) 4.33

(C) 11.37

(D) 27.64

Q.57 One of the parts (A, B, C, D) in the sentence given below contains an ERROR. Which one of the following is **INCORRECT**?

I requested that he should be given the driving test today instead of tomorrow.

- (A) requested that
- (B) should be given
- (C) the driving test
- (D) instead of tomorrow
- Q.58 Which one of the following options is the closest in meaning to the word given below?

Latitude

(A) Eligibility

(B) Freedom

(C) Coercion

(D) Meticulousness

Q.59 Choose the most appropriate word from the options given below to complete the following sentence:

Given the seriousness of the situation that he had to face, his ____ was impressive.

(A) beggary

(B) nomenclature

(C) jealousy

(D) nonchalance

Q.60 Choose the most appropriate alternative from the options given below to complete the following sentence:

If the tired soldier wanted to lie down, he ___ the mattress out on the balcony.

- (A) should take
- (B) shall take
- (C) should have taken
- (D) will have taken

Q. 61 - Q. 65 carry two marks each.

Q.61 One of the legacies of the Roman legions was discipline. In the legions, military law prevailed and discipline was brutal. Discipline on the battlefield kept units obedient, intact and fighting, even when the odds and conditions were against them.

Which one of the following statements best sums up the meaning of the above passage?

- (A) Thorough regimentation was the main reason for the efficiency of the Roman legions even in adverse circumstances.
- (B) The legions were treated inhumanly as if the men were animals.
- (C) Discipline was the armies' inheritance from their seniors.
- (D) The harsh discipline to which the legions were subjected to led to the odds and conditions being against them.

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Q.62 A and B are friends. They decide to meet between 1 PM and 2 PM on a given day. There is a condition that whoever arrives first will not wait for the other for more than 15 minutes. The probability that they will meet on that day is

(A) 1/4

(B) 1/16

(C) 7/16

(D) 9/16

Q.63 The data given in the following table summarizes the monthly budget of an average household.

| Category | Amount (Rs.) |
|----------------|--------------|
| Food | 4000 |
| Clothing | 1200 |
| Rent | 2000 |
| Savings | 1500 |
| Other expenses | 1800 |

The approximate percentage of the monthly budget NOT spent on savings is

(A) 10%

(B) 14%

(C) 81%

(D) 86%

Q.64 There are eight bags of rice looking alike, seven of which have equal weight and one is slightly heavier. The weighing balance is of unlimited capacity. Using this balance, the minimum number of weighings required to identify the heavier bag is

(A) 2

(B) 3

(C) 4

(D) 8

Q.65 Raju has 14 currency notes in his pocket consisting of only Rs. 20 notes and Rs. 10 notes. The total money value of the notes is Rs. 230. The number of Rs. 10 notes that Raju has is

(A) 5

(B) 6

(C) 9

(D) 10

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