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M. Sc. EXAMINATION, 2020

(First Semester)

(C Scheme) (Re-appear Only)

CHEMISTRY

CH505C

Physical Chemistry-I

Thermodynamics and Electrochemistry

Time: 3 Hours [Maximum Marks: 75]

Before answering the question-paper candidates should ensure that they have been supplied to correct and complete question-paper. No complaint, in this regard, will be entertained after the examination.

Note: Attempt *Five* questions in all. Select *one* question from each Unit. All questions carry equal marks.

Unit I

- Define third law of thermodynamics. Also explain Nernst heat theorem. How absolute entropy of liquid can be determined and the concept of unattainability of absolute zero?
- 2. (a) Explain the phase diagram of system forming solid compounds forming incongruent melting point.8
 - (b) What is law of mass action? Derive it thermodynamically.

Unit II

- Explain the term partial molar quantities and the chemical potential. Derive an expression for chemical potential and also discuss its variation with temperature and pressure.
- 4. (a) Explain the concept of escaping tendency and the chemical potential.
 - (b) Derive $n_1 d\mu_1 + n_2 d\mu_2 = 0$ and write its applications.

Unit III

- 5. (a) Explain the Debye-Huckel-Onsager treatment for aqueous solution and its limitations.
 - (b) What will be the effect of solvent on the mobility at the infinite dilution. 5
- 6. Define the term Ion-Ion interactions. Calculate the potential and the excess charge density near the central ion using Debye-Huckel theory. Also explain Debye-Huckel reciprocal length?

Unit IV

- 7. (a) Derive Stokes-Einstein relation and discuss its significance and the limitations. 8
 - (b) Explain the term Ionic drift movement under the influence of an electric field.
- 8. (a) Explain the concept of ionic velocity and explain how is it related with current density.8
 - (b) Derive Rate-process approach to ionic migration and discuss its results. 7

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