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Subject: Electro-Analytical Methods Paper: PS04CANC22

[Total Marks: 70]

- N.B. (1) Figures to the right indicate full marks.  
(2) Attempt all questions.

**Q.1 Select the correct answer from each of the following:** (08)

- The internal filling solution in the glass membrane electrode is  
(a) HCl (b) KI (c) aqueous salt solution (d) none of these
- In amperometric titration, the results of the titration are independent of the \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) concentration (c) capillary characteristic  
(b) potential (d) diffusion co-efficient
- Potentiometric titration can be carried out on micro-level up to \_\_\_\_\_ M.  
(a)  $10^{-4}$  (b)  $10^{-5}$  (c)  $10^{-6}$  (d)  $10^{-7}$
- In high frequency method, the titrimeter can be easily connected to a potentiometric recorder, so that the variation of \_\_\_\_\_ current may be plotted as a function of time.  
(a) Oscillator (b) Inductive (c) Capacitative (d) Diffusion
- Conductometric cells with \_\_\_\_\_ paths are used for concentrated solutions, so that the resistance to be measured may be of convenient magnitude  
(a) short (b) equal (c) long (d) not equal
- Only when written as a \_\_\_\_\_ reaction will the sign of the e.m.f. of the half-reaction corresponds to the sign of the electrode potential.  
(a) oxidation (b) reduction (c) redox (d) all of above
- The DME can not be used at potentials more positive than 0.3 V because Hg \_\_\_\_\_ at such potentials.  
(a) reduce (b) oxidize (c) remains inert (d) remains active
- Calcium selective electrode is an example of \_\_\_\_\_ electrode.  
(a) Glass (b) Solid-state (c) Molecular selective (d) Liquid membrane

**Q.2 Answer the following: (Any Seven)** (14)

- Write down ILKOVIC equation and explain terms involved in it.
- Define the terms: Ionic conductance and migration current.
- Discuss alkaline error and acid error.
- Explain the basic principles involved in amperometry.
- Differentiate: Galvanic and electrolytic cell.
- Discuss in brief on polarographic maxima.
- Write the advantages of high frequency conductance method.
- Define: Electrode potential and Diffusion potential.
- Derive:  $E^{\circ} = (RT/nF) \ln k$

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- Q.3 [a]** Discuss on solid state and liquid membrane ion selective electrode. (6)
- [b]** Answer the followings: (6)
- [i] Write the advantages and disadvantages of hydrogen electrode.
  - [ii] Give the classification and advantages of electro analytical methods.

**OR**

- [b]** Answer the followings: (6)
- [i] Determination of dissociation constant for monobasic weak base.
  - [ii] Why calibration of glass electrode is required?
- Q.4 [a]** Differentiate between amperostatic coulometry and potentiostatic coulometry. (6)
- [b]** Answer the followings: (6)
- [i] HCl is titrated coulometrically with electrolytically generated ion  $\text{OH}^-$  at a constant current of 10 mA. The point of equivalence on the titration of 5 ml. of solution being analytical is reacted for 3 min. and 10 sec. Calculate the titer of HCl solution with respect to NaOH.
  - [ii] Differentiate between direct potentiometry and potentiometric titration.

**OR**

- [b]** Write in brief on advantages of potentiometric titration and applications of an ion selective electrodes. (6)
- Q.5 [a]** Answer the followings: (6)
- [i] Give the method to determine ionic product of water using conductometer.
  - [ii] Discuss about the cells used in high frequency conductance method and mention the advantages and disadvantages of high frequency titration.

- [b]** Write the principle of conductometric titration and discuss the following nature of curves with proper explanation: (6)
- (1) Weak acid Vs. Strong Base (2) Weak acid Vs. Weak Base (3) Complexometric titration

**OR**

- [b]** Let us consider that one is titrating 100 ml of 0.01N HCl solution with 0.1N NaOH in the cell whose cell constant is  $1.0 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , under this condition find out the conductance at (i) at the start (ii) after addition of 9 ml NaOH solution (iii) at the equivalence point (iv) after addition of 11ml of the NaOH. ( $\lambda_{\text{H}^+} = 350$ ,  $\lambda_{\text{Cl}^-} = 76$ ,  $\lambda_{\text{Na}^+} = 50$ ,  $\lambda_{\text{OH}^-} = 198$ ) (6)
- Q.6 [a]** Answer the followings: (6)

- [i] Explain the basic principle in polarography. How is the technique useful in qualitative and quantitative analysis?
- [ii] Give an account of the DME along with their advantages and limitation.

- [b]** Write short note on: (6)
- [i] Titration with Rotating platinum microelectrode.
  - [ii] Cyclic Voltametry.

**OR**

- [b]** The following data were obtained on the rising portion of a polarographic wave for the reduction of 4.20 mM nitrate in DMF at 25 °C on the plateau of the polarographic wave. The drop time was 34.9 sec. for 10 drops and 20 drops had a mass of 0.1296 gm. The diffusion current was 14.25  $\mu\text{A}$ . Determine  $E_{1/2}$ ,  $n$  and  $D$  for nitrate in DMF. All current measurements were made at the top of the undamped records trace. (6)

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|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| E vs. Ag/AgNO <sub>3</sub><br>(0.01M) V | -2.400 | -2.420 | -2.440 | -2.460 | -2.480 | -2.460 |
| $i$ , $\mu\text{A}$                     | 1.00   | 2.28   | 3.50   | 6.00   | 9.00   | 11.17  |

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