- Q2. (b) Titration of Ca²⁺ and Mg²⁺ in a 50 mL sample of hard water required 23.65 mL of 0.01205 M EDTA. A second 50 mL aliquot of the hard water sample was made strongly basic with NaOH to precipitate Mg²⁺ as Mg(OH)₂ (s). The supernatant liquid required 14.53 mL EDTA of 0.01205 M for titration. Calculate:
 - (i) The total hardness of the water sample, expressed as ppm CaCO₃.
 - (ii) The concentration in ppm of CaCO₃ in the sample.
 - (iii) The concentration in ppm of MgCO₃ in the sample.

Ans. 2b:

(i) 23.65 mL of 0.01205 M EDTA was required

 $= 23.65 \times 0.01205 \times 10^{-3}$ moles of EDTA

EDTA reacts with equal moles of CaCO₃

 $= 23.65 \times 0.01205 \times 10^{-3}$ moles of CaCO₃

i.e. 23.65 x 0.01205 x 10^{-3} x 100 g CaCO₃ in 50 ml [MW_{CaCO3} = 100]

= 23.65 x 0.01205 x 10^{-3} x 100 x 20 g CaCO₃ in 1000 ml

Therefore, the total hardness (expressed as $CaCO_3$) = 0.570 g/l = 570 ppm

(ii) Similarly, after the precipitation of Mg(OH)2,

Concentration of $CaCO_3 = 14.53 \times 0.01205 \times 10^{-3} \times 100 \times 20 \text{ g CaCO}_3$ in 1000 ml = 0.350 g/l = 350 ppm

(iii) Concentration of $MgCO_3 = 570 - 350 = 220$ ppm.

Q3. (a) The arsenic in a 1.010 g sample of a pesticide was converted to H₃AsO₄ by suitable treatment. The acid was then neutralized, and 40.00 mL of 0.06222 M AgNO₃ was added to precipitate the arsenic quantitatively as Ag₃AsO₄. The excess Ag⁺ in the filtrate and the washings from the precipitate was titrated with 10.76 mL of 0.1000 M KSCN; the reaction was:

 $Ag^+ + SCN^- \longrightarrow AgSCN(s)$

Calculate the % As₂O₃ in the pesticide sample. [Atomic mass of As: 74.92, Ag: 107.86]

Ans. 3a.

40 ml of $0.06222 \text{ M AgNO}_3 = 40 \times 0.06222 \times 10^{-3} \text{ moles of AgNO}_3 \text{ was used.}$

10.76 mL of 0.1000 M KSCN = 10.76 x 0.1000 x 10⁻³ moles of KSCN used for rxn with excess AgNO₃

 $10.76 \times 0.1000 \times 10^{-3}$ moles of KSCN = $10.76 \times 0.1000 \times 10^{-3}$ moles of AgNO₃

Excess AgNO₃ = $10.76 \times 0.1000 \times 10^{-3}$ moles

Therefore, consumed AgNO₃ = $(40 \times 0.06222 \times 10^{-3}) - (10.76 \times 0.1000 \times 10^{-3})$

= $(2.4888 - 1.076) \times 10^{-3} = 1.4128 \times 10^{-3}$ moles AgNO₃

 1.4128×10^{-3} moles AgNO₃ = 1/3 x 1.4128 x 10^{-3} moles H₃AsO₄ [3 eq of AgNO₃ react with 1 eq of H₃AsO₄]

That corresponds to $\frac{1}{2}$ x $\frac{1}{3}$ x $\frac{1.4128}{1.4128}$ x $\frac{10^{-3}}{10^{-3}}$ moles As_2O_3 in the pesticide sample.

 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 1/3 x 1.4128 x 10⁻³ x 197.84 g in As₂O₃ the sample. [MW_{As₂O₃} = 197.84]

= 0.0466 g As₂O₃ in 1.010 g sample

= 4.61% As₂O₃

Q4. (b) Predict the λ_{max} for the following compounds using the Woodward-Fieser rules:

(i) Base value (Acyclic diene): 217 nm
2 extra C=C bonds + 60
5 Me gps and/or Ring Residues + 25
1 exocyclic double bond + 5

 λ_{max} = 307 nm

- (ii) Base value (Homoannular diene):253 nm
 2 C=C bonds + 60
 5 Me gps and/or Ring Residues + 25
 2 exocyclic double bonds + 10

 λ_{max} = 348 nm
- Q5. (a) Arrange the following compounds in the <u>increasing order</u> of their expected wave numbers for stretching vibrations of C=O functional group. Explain the trend.

Ans. 5a

Explanation: Due to the stabilization of carbocation (through + I effect and/or resonance), more single bond character in the C-O (overall weakening of the bond).

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B. TECH. (END SEM) EXAMINATION

First Semester

AC-101 CHEMISTRY

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

Note: A

Answer any Eight questions.

Assume suitable missing data, if any.

Q1. (a) What are precipitation titrations? Explain with one example in detail.

[0.5 + 2]

(b) A 3.00 L sample of urban air was bubbled through a solution containing 50 mL of 0.0116 M Ba(OH)₂, which caused the CO₂ in the sample to precipitate as BaCO₃. The excess base was back-titrated to a phenolphthalein end point with 23.6 mL of 0.0108 M HCl. What is the concentration of CO₂ in the air in ppm (that is, mL CO₂/10⁶ mL air); use 1.98 g/L for the density of CO₂.

Solution:

Total Ba(OH)₂ used = $50 \times 0.0116/1000$ moles

HCl used for the neutralization of Excess Ba(OH)₂ = 23.6 x 0.0108/1000 moles

Excess Ba(OH)₂ neutralized by HCI = 23.6 x 0.0108/2000 moles

[1 mole Ba(OH)2 reacts with 2 moles of HCI]

Moles of Ba(OH)₂ that reacted with CO₂: 50 x 0.0116/1000 - 23.6 x 0.0108/2000

= 0.00058 - 0.00013 = 0.00045 moles

That means 0.00045 moles of CO₂ in 3L air sample [1 mole CO₂ reacts with 1 mole of Ba(OH)₂]

= 0.0198 g CO₂/3L air

[MW of $CO_2 = 44$]

= 0.01 L CO₂/3 L air

[Density of $CO_2 = 1.98 \text{ g/L}$]

= 3.33 x 10³ ppm CO₂

Q2. (a) List and briefly explain five important principles of Green Chemistry.

 $[0.5 \times 5]$

(b) Using suitable examples, discuss two applications of Mass Spectrometry in detail. [2.5 Marks]

Q3. (a) Describe the principle of Differential Thermal Analysis (DTA) and discuss its comparisons with DSC.

[1.5 + 1]

(b) Can you distinguish (Yes/No) between the two isomers CH₃COCH₃ and CH₃-CH₂-CHO on the basis of ¹H-NMR and IR spectroscopy? Explain in detail and justify your answer. [0.5 + 2]

Solution:

Yes. (0.5 marks)

CH₃COCH₃

CH₃-CH₂-CHO

1H-NMR:

One peak

3 peaks

(1 mark)

IR spectroscopy

Relatively Lower wave number

for C=O stretching vibration

Relatively <u>higher</u> wave number for C=O stretching vibration

(1 mark)

(~ 1710 cm⁻¹)

(~ 1730 cm⁻¹)

Q4. (a) Alkanes can be cracked to form alkenes. Decane can be cracked to form two products:

$$C_{10}H_{22} \longrightarrow C_2H_4 + C_8H_{18}$$

If only the alkene is the desired product, what is the atom economy of this process? If both products are desired, what will be the atom economy?

Solution:

Part a: 28/142 x 100

= 19.72%

[2 marks]

Part b: 142/142 x 100

= 100%

[0.5 marks]

(b) List and explain 5 important properties of batteries.

 $[0.5 \times 5]$

- Q5. (a) Draw the structure of Nylon-6,6 and Bakelite, and also mention their applications. [1 + 1 + 0.5]
 - (b) A polymer has been found to possess the population of various molecules as follows:
 - (i) 10 molecules of molecular mass each 20000.
 - (ii) 20 molecules of molecular mass each 24000.
 - (iii) 40 molecules of molecular mass each 40000.
 - (iv) 40 molecules of molecular mass each 60000.
 - (v) 20 molecules of molecular mass each 100000.

Calculate its Number Average Molecular weight, Weight Average Molecular weight and P.D.I.

[2.5 marks]

Solution:

 $Mn = \Sigma NiMi/\Sigma Ni = 66,80,000/130 = 51,384.62$

[1 Mark]

 $Mw = \Sigma WiMi/\Sigma NiMi = 63,401.20$

[1 Mark]

PDI = Mw/Mn = 1.23

[0.5 Mark]