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Subject: Chemistry

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Course Title: Inorganic Chemistry V

Full Marks: 12

Time: 45 Minutes

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as possible*

1. Answer *any three* questions: 1×3 = 3
- (a) Name a second-generation anti-cancer drug.
 - (b) State a biological use of manganese.
 - (c) Calculate the value x and y in the complex $[\text{Fe}(\eta^5\text{-Cp})(\text{CO})_x(\text{NO})_y]$.
 - (d) Give an example of oxygen bonded carbonyl.
 - (e) Give an example of oxidative-addition reaction.
 - (f) How do ΔS^\ddagger values help in predicting the mechanism of a reaction?
 - (g) Arrange the ligands in order of their trans effect: Cl^- , Br^- , NH_3 and H_2O .
 - (h) Write the formula of the catalyst that is used for hydroformylation reaction.
 - (i) What is Wilkinson's catalyst?
2. Answer *any one* question: 5×1 = 5
- (a) Write down the structure of the active site of haemoglobin. Explain the role of globin chain in haemoglobin oxygenation. 3+2 = 5
 - (b) (i) $\text{Ni}(\text{CO})_4$ is common whereas $\text{Pt}(\text{CO})_4$ is not so common – comment.
(ii) Square planar complexes prefer an associative mode of activation – explain. 2+3 = 5
 - (c) (i) Which of the following will have higher ν_{NO} stretching frequency: $[\text{Fe}(\text{NO})(\text{H}_2\text{O})_5]^{2+}$ and $[\text{Fe}(\text{NO})(\text{CN})_5]^{2-}$?
(ii) Design two-step syntheses of cis- and trans- $[\text{PtCl}_2(\text{NO}_2)(\text{NH}_3)]^-$ from $[\text{PtCl}_4]^{2-}$. 2+3 = 5
3. Answer *any one* question: 4 × 1 = 4
- (a) (i) Discuss the structure and bonding of Zeise's salt.
(ii) Give an example of electron transfer protein. 3+1 = 4
 - (b) (i) Name the diseases due to mercury and copper toxicity.
(ii) The position of ν_{CO} values can be used to discriminate terminal and bridging carbonyl complexes – Justify. 2+2 = 4
 - (c) (i) Explain the trans effect by π -bonding theory.
(ii) Nitration of ferrocene is not possible but acetylation of ferrocene is possible – comment. 2+2 = 4