



## M.Sc. IV Semester Degree Examination, Sept./Oct. - 2024

### CHEMISTRY

#### DSC - 11 : Bioinorganic and Organometallic Chemistry

#### (NEP)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

**Note :** Answer **any five** of the following questions with question No. **1** compulsory each question carries **equal** marks.

1. (a) With neat diagram, explain the transportation of  $\text{Na}^+/\text{K}^+$  ions across the cell membrane. 5+5+4  
(b) Discuss the structural features of carboxy peptidase. Outline its mechanism of Action.  
(c) Write a note on Chelation therapy.
  
2. (a) Write notes on hemerythrin and hemocyanins. 5+5+4  
(b) Discuss the effects of Metal-Ion Concentrations in biological systems.  
(c) Write a note on Cytochrome.
  
3. (a) Explain *In vivo* and *In vitro* nitrogen fixation. 5+5+4  
(b) What is Homeostasis ? Explain calcium homeostasis.  
(c) Explain role of Magnesium in biological system.
  
4. (a) Explain the utility of Ziegler-Natta catalysis. 5+5+4  
(b) Write a note on oxidative addition and reductive elimination reactions.  
(c) Explain water gas shift reactions.
  
5. (a) Explain the working principle of hydrogen storage materials and molecular materials. 5+5+4  
(b) Discuss polymers with organometallic moieties as pendent groups.  
(c) Write a detailed note on ferrocene based condensation polymers.



- 6.** (a) Discuss CO binding to myoglobin and haemoglobin. **5+5+4**  
(b) Explain the role of Chlorophyll in photosynthesis.  
(c) What are the Hammerhead ribozyme ?
- 7.** (a) With example explain substitution in carbonyl complexes. **5+5+4**  
(b) Write a note on inorganic pigments and fullerides.  
(c) Explain hydrogenation of Olefins.
- 8.** (a) What are protein tuning of active sites ? Explain. **5+5+4**  
(b) Discuss Wacker's process.  
(c) Explain potassium and sodium Homeostasis.

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