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THIRD SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)

CHEMISTRY: COMPLEMENTARY COURSE FOR PHYSICS, BOTANY AND ZOOLOGY GCHE3C03T: ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Time: 2 Hours Maximum Marks: 60

SECTION A: Answer the following questions. Each carries two marks.

(Ceiling 20 Marks)

- 1. Explain the term heterolysis with a suitable example.
- 2. What are nucleophiles? Give two examples.
- 3. Explain why chair conformation of cyclohexane is more stable than boat form.
- 4. What are enantiomers? Give an example.
- 5. Depict the isomers of dichlorobenzene.
- 6. How can the meta directing nature of NO₂ group be explained?
- 7. Give two examples for monocyclic non-benzenoid aromatic compounds. Draw the structures.
- 8. Write a method of preparation of secondary alcohol.
- 9. Which is more acidic -phenol or para-nitrophenol? Justify.
- 10. Explain the reaction of propanal with HCN.
- 11. Illustrate Kolbe electrolysis.
- 12. Mention four important applications of carbohydrates.

SECTION B: Answer the following questions. Each carries *five* marks. (Ceiling 30 Marks)

- 13. Explain the term inductive effect. Briefly discuss its significance in determining the properties of molecules with illustrative examples.
- 14. Explain the term hyperconjugation and its significance with illustrative example.
- 15. Briefly discuss the optical isomerism of tartaric acid.
- 16. Give the mechanism of alkylation and acylation of benzene.
- 17. What is meant by an S_N2 reaction? Cite an example and explain its mechanism.
- 18. Explain haloform reaction with suitable example.
- 19. Explain the source, structure and uses of menthol.

SECTION C: Answer any 1 question. Each carries ten marks.

- 20. What is meant by diazotization reaction? Explain important synthetic applications of benzene diazonium chloride.
- 21. (a) Explain the classification of proteins based on their molecular shapes.
 - (b) Briefly discuss the primary, secondary and tertiary structure of proteins.

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