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THIRD SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2023

Chemistry/Industrial Chemistry/Polymer Chemistry

CHE 3C 03—ORGANIC CHEMISTRY

(2019—2022 Admissions)

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

Section A (Short Answers)

Answer questions up to 20 marks. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. What are elimination reactions? Give one example.
- 2. Draw the stable geometrical isomer of but-2-ene-1,4-dioic acid and explain the reason for its stability.
- 3. State and explain Huckel's rule with an example.
- 4. What are Enantiomers? Depict the enantiomers of lactic acid.
- 5. How is propanoic acid prepared from Griguard reagent?
- 6. What are free radicals and how are they formed?
- 7. Compare the basicity of ammonia and methylamine.
- 8. What is iodoform test? Give an example of a compound giving iodoform test.
- 9. Write on the harmful effects of ethanol on human body.
- 10. Explain vulcanisation and its advantages.
- 11. Write any two uses of citral and sandalwood oil.
- 12. What are Monosaccharides? Give an example.

(Ceiling of marks: 20)

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Section B (Paragraph)

Answer questions up to 30 marks. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 13. Describe the mechanism and stereochemistry of $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{N}}2$ reaction.
- 14. Briefly explain Luca's test for the distinction of alcohols.
- 15. What is Electromeric effect? Give an example each for reactions involving + E effect and E effect.
- 16. Explain Friedel-Craft's alkylation reaction with mechanism.
- 17. Write a short note on the conformations of cyclohexane.
- 18. Explain for the following:
 - (a) Chloroacetic acid is stronger than acetic acid; and
 - (b) 2-butene is more stable than 1-butene.
- 19. What are Carbocations? Discuss the structure and stability of carbocations.

(Ceiling of marks: 30)

Section C (Essay)

Answer any **one** question.

The question carries 10 marks.

- 20. Discuss in detail the preparation and applications of benzene diazonium chloride.
- 21. Briefly explain the structure of proteins.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ marks})$