

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

M.Sc. CHEMISTRY

CH P 409: PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY PRACTICALS - I

(Any 12 experiments are to be carried out)

COURSE OUTCOME:

- Experiments have been designed which make use of the concepts of electrochemistry, thermodynamics, solution chemistry and surface chemistry.
- Students get hands on experience in use of various instruments.
- It will be able to understand the theoretical concepts.
- To learn Specific and molar refractivity, viscocity, parachor etc.
- 1. (a) Determination of transport number of Cd^{2+} and SO_4^{2-} ions by EMF method.
 - (b) Determination of thermodynamic parameters of a cell reaction by EMF method.
- 2. Determination of pK values phosphoric acid by potentiometric/pH metric method
- 3. Potentiometric titration of halides in mixtures (Cl⁻, Br⁻ and I⁻) with silver nitrate
- 4. Verification of Nernst equation for Ag^+ , Cu^{2+} and Zn^{2+} species.
- 5. Determination of Solubility product and the Instability constant by potentiometric method.
- 6. Potentiometric determination of solubility of insoluble silver halide and the standard electrode potential using quinhydrone electrode.
- 7. Conductometric titrations of displacement and precipitation reactions.
- 8. Determination of equivalent conductance and dissociation constants of weak acid and base.
- 9. Determination of solubility of lead iodide at different T & hence molar heat of solution
- 11. Determination of hydrolysis constant of aniline hydrochloride.
- 11. Determination of degree of hydrolysis of CH₃CO₂Na and NH₄Cl by conductivity method.

12. Determination of Critical Micelle concentration by conductometric method.

13. Determination of pH of buffer solutions with a pH meter & evaluation of pK_a of acids

14. Verification of Walden's rule (relation between viscosity of a solution and the electrical conductivity.

15. Study of variation of viscosity of a liquid with temperature

16. Determination of parachor value for CH_2 group and some elements by Surface Tension method,

17. Determination of the composition of a solution by S.T measurement

18. Determination of the Critical Micelle Concentration by surface tension/spectrophotometric measurements.

19. Determination of the composition of Zinc Ferrocyanide complex by Potentiometric titrations.

20. Determination of Specific and molar refractivity of liquids and paracor value of a species by refractometric method.

Any other relevant experiments of interest.

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