

B.Sc. Forensic Science: Semester-VI	
FST603: Chemistry - VI	
Teaching Scheme	Examination Scheme
Lectures: 3 hrs/Week	Class Test -12 Marks
Tutorials: 1 hr/Week	Teachers Assessment - 6 Marks
Credits: 4	Attendance - 12 Marks
	End Semester Exam - 70 marks

Course Objective: After completion the student will know about-

- Thermodynamics and its laws
- Electrochemical cell and its application
- Chemical kinetics and complex reactions

Unit 1: Thermodynamics

Second Law of Thermodynamics, Carnot cycle, entropy, entropy changes in reversible and irreversible processes and of universe, physical concept of entropy, entropy changes of an ideal gas in different processes, entropy of an ideal gas, entropy changes in mixture of gases. Joule-Thomson effect, Joule-Thomson coefficient of real (van der Waal) gases, inversion temperature. Free energy and its concept, Gibbs and Helmholtz free energies and their relationship, variation of free energy with temperature and pressure. Free energy and equilibrium constant. Maxwell's relations, Gibbs-Helmholtz equations, its application for the determination of ΔG , ΔH , ΔS of a reversible cell reaction. Criteria for reversible and irreversible processes based on entropy and free energy. Partial molal quantities, chemical potential, the Gibbs-Duhem equation, determination of partial molal quantities, variation of chemical potential with temperature and pressure, chemical potential in case of a system of ideal gases.

Unit 2: Phase Equilibria

Thermodynamics of phase transition-Clapeyron-Clausius equation and its applications. Phase rule, phase, component, degree of freedom, thermodynamic derivation of phase rule, phase diagrams of one-component system (water), two component systems (phenol-water, lead-silver). The distribution law, applications to cases of dissociation and association of solutes in one of the phases, solvent extraction, equilibrium constant from distribution coefficient ($K_1 + I_2 = K_1 I_3$).

Unit 3: Electrochemical Cells

Reactions in reversible cells, free energy and emf of reversible cell. Single electrode potential (Nernst equation), its measurement and sign convention. Standard electrode potential. Emf of reversible cell from electrode potentials. Types of reversible electrode, reference electrodes. Applications of emf measurements: determination of ionic activities, pH, and equilibrium constant. Potentiometric titration. Concentration cells with and without transference. Liquid junction potential and its elimination.

Unit 4: Chemical Kinetics

Order and molecularity of chemical reactions, pseudo order. Kinetic law for second order reactions, determination of the rate constant and order of reaction from kinetic data. Effect of temperature on rate of reaction: collision theory of rates of bimolecular reactions and its comparison with Arrhenius equation.

Unit 5: Complex reactions

Reversible (first order in both directions), concurrent, consecutive reactions. Unimolecular gas reactions (Lindmann theory), steady-state approximations, theory of absolute reaction rate and its thermodynamic formulation

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