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INORGANIC CHEMISTRY

Paper XVII (CH-533/1)

(Organo-metallic Chemistry)

(Friday, 30-11-2018)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

Time—Three Hours

Maximum Marks—75

N.B. :— (i) Attempt All questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Solve any *three* out of five : 15
 - (a) Describe salient features of 18-electron rule.
 - (b) Describe properties of unsaturated organic ligand.
 - (c) Discuss the synthesis of Fischer carbene complexes.
 - (d) Write detailed preparations of transition metal allyl complexes.
 - (e) Explain the mechanism of de-insertion reactions.

2. Solve any *three* out of five : 15
 - (a) Enlist various properties of cyclopentadienyl complexes.
 - (b) Discuss the nature of bonds involved in organometallic compounds.
 - (c) Classify the organometallic compounds on the basis of their physical properties.
 - (d) Discuss the chemistry of metal nitrosyl complexes.
 - (e) Explain the structure of chromium butadiene complex.

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3. Answer the following :

- (a) Explain the insertion reaction with suitable example. 8
- (b) Describe the structure of Schrock complexes. 7

Or

- (a) Describe the formation of iron complexes with carbonyl molecules. 8
- (b) Describe the properties of complexes with arene ligand. 7

4. Answer the following :

- (a) Enlist various physical properties of phosphine complexes. 8
- (b) Discuss the mechanism of reductive elimination reactions. 7

Or

- (a) Discuss the structural chemistry of Zeise's complex. 8
- (b) Discuss the chemistry of ferrocene. 7

5. (A) Choose the correct option from the given alternatives : 5

1. In a metal catalyses a coupling between two formal radical fragments.

- (a) coupling reactions
- (b) addition reactions
- (c) elimination reactions
- (d) cyclization reactions

2. of Phosphine ligands is due to P-C σ^* anti-bonding orbitals.

- (a) σ -acidity
- (a) π -acidity
- (a) π -basicity
- (a) σ -basicity

3. Allyl consists of a methylene bridge ($-\text{CH}_2-$) attached to a
 - (a) methyl group
 - (a) phenyl group
 - (a) ethyl group
 - (a) vinyl group
4. A transition metal carbene complex is an organometallic compound featuring a divalent organic ligand
 - (a) divalent
 - (b) trivalent
 - (c) monovalent
 - (d) tetravalent
5. Fischer carbenes are found with substituents on the carbene atom.
 - (a) π -acceptor
 - (b) σ -donor
 - (c) π -donor
 - (d) σ -acceptor

(B) Write brief notes on (any two) :

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- (a) Schrock complex
- (b) Nucleophilic attack
- (c) Cyclobutadiene complexes.