



Eastern University, Sri Lanka

First Year Second Semester Examination in Science-2010/2011

(April/May 2012)

CH 103 Stereochemistry and Kinetic Molecular Theory of Gases

(Proper and Repeat)

Answer all questions

Time: 01 hour

1. (a) Define the term "Chirality".

(10 marks)

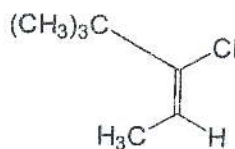
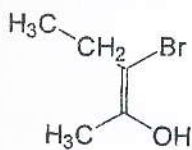
(b) Briefly explain the different methods that can be used to separate two enantiomers in a racemic mixture.

(20 marks)

(c) Explain how you separate a racemic mixture of an alcohol ( $\pm$  ROH) using suitable separation mechanism.

(20 marks)

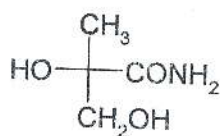
(d) Name correctly whether following isomers are E or Z and justify your answer using E/Z nomenclature.



(20 marks)

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- (e) Assign the stereogenic centres as R or S in the following compound. Give the answer for your answer.



2. (a) How does the real gas deviate from the ideal behaviour?

- (b) Derive the Vanderwaal's equation from ideal gas equation and explain all the terms involved.

- (c) The molecular velocity of a gas molecule enclosed in a cubic box can be expressed as follows,

$$PV = \frac{1}{3} mN\overline{C^2}$$

Where,

V= Volume for the cubes, P= Pressure of the gas, m= Mass of one molecule, N= Total number of gas molecule, C= Velocity of a molecule

- Derive the root mean square velocity for one mole of gas using above equation.
- Calculate the root mean square velocity of an Argon (Ar) Molecule at 30 °C and 760 cm Hg pressure ( Ar = 40, ; R = 8.314 J mol<sup>-1</sup> K<sup>-1</sup>)