

**CHEMISTRY**  
**Subject Code: 043**  
**Classes XI-XII (2025-26)**

**Rationale**

The second phase of Secondary stage is the most crucial stage of school education because at this juncture specialized discipline based, content - oriented courses are introduced. Students reach this stage after 10 years of general education and opt for Chemistry with a purpose of pursuing their career in basic sciences or professional courses like medicine, engineering, technology and study courses in applied areas of science and technology at tertiary level. Therefore, there is a need to provide the learners with a sufficient conceptual background of Chemistry, which will make them competent to meet the challenges of academic and professional courses after this stage.

The new and updated curriculum is based on a disciplinary approach with rigor and depth taking care that the syllabus is not heavy and at the same time it is comparable to that at the international level. The pedagogy of Chemistry has undergone tremendous changes in recent times. Many new areas like green chemistry, material science, biomolecules, and industrial chemistry deserve to be an integral part of the chemistry syllabus at this stage. Globally, nomenclature of elements and compounds, symbols and units of physical quantities recommended by scientific bodies like IUPAC and CGPM are of immense importance and also need to be incorporated in the updated syllabus. The proposed syllabus adequately addresses these issues.

**Objectives**

The curriculum of Chemistry at the second phase of Secondary stage has been designed to:

- equip the learners with tools to understand the working of Chemistry rather than mere facts of it;
- develop the necessary conceptual foundations of chemistry and ability to apply them to real life situations;
- enable the learners to represent chemical phenomena at macroscopic, molecular, and symbolic levels;
- make the learners identify patterns and form connections that underlie various chemical phenomena;
- prepare the learners to contribute to frontier research areas related to climate change, environmental issues, materials science, biology and medicine etc.;
- inculcate problem solving skills in the learners and integrate life skills and values in the context of chemistry; and
- apprise learners of the interface of chemistry with other disciplines of science such as physics, biology, geology, engineering etc.

**COURSE STRUCTURE**  
**CLASS XI**  
**THEORY**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Total Marks: 70**

| S. No | UNIT   | Marks     |
|-------|--|-----------|
| 1     | Some Basic Concepts of Chemistry                         | 7         |
| 2     | Structure of Atom  | 9         |
| 3     | Classification of Elements and Periodicity in Properties | 6         |
| 4     | Chemical Bonding and Molecular Structure                 | 7         |
| 5     | Chemical Thermodynamics                                  | 9         |
| 6     | Equilibrium  | 7         |
| 7     | Redox Reactions  | 4         |
| 8     | Organic Chemistry: Some basic Principles and Techniques  | 11        |
| 9     | Hydrocarbons   | 10        |
|       | <b>TOTAL</b>   | <b>70</b> |

**Unit 1: Some Basic Concepts of Chemistry**

General Introduction: Importance and scope of Chemistry, Nature of matter, laws of chemical combination, Dalton's atomic theory: concept of elements, atoms and molecules, atomic and molecular masses, mole concept and molar mass, percentage composition, empirical and molecular formula, chemical reactions, stoichiometry and calculations based on stoichiometry.

**Unit 2: Structure of Atom**

Discovery of Electron, Proton and Neutron, atomic number, isotopes and isobars. Thomson's model and its limitations. Rutherford's model and its limitations, Bohr's model and its limitations, concept of shells and subshells, dual nature of matter and light, de Broglie's relationship, Heisenberg uncertainty principle, concept of orbitals, quantum numbers, shapes of s, p and d orbitals, rules for filling electrons in orbitals - Aufbau principle, Pauli's exclusion principle and Hund's rule, electronic configuration of atoms, stability of half-filled and completely filled orbitals.

**Unit 3: Classification of Elements and Periodicity in Properties**

Significance of classification, brief history of the development of periodic table, modern periodic law and the present form of periodic table, periodic trends in properties of elements -atomic radii, ionic radii, inert gas radii, Ionization enthalpy, electron gain enthalpy, electronegativity, valiancy, Nomenclature of elements with atomic number greater than 100.

#### **Unit 4: Chemical Bonding and Molecular Structure**

Valence electrons, ionic bond, covalent bond, bond parameters, Lewis structure, polar character of covalent bond, covalent character of ionic bond, valence bond theory, resonance, geometry of covalent molecules, VSEPR theory, concept of hybridization, involving s, p and d orbitals and shapes of some simple molecules, molecular orbital theory of homonuclear diatomic molecules (qualitative idea only), Hydrogen bond.

#### **Unit 5: Chemical Thermodynamics**

Concepts of System and types of systems, surroundings, work, heat, energy, extensive and intensive properties, state functions.

First law of thermodynamics -internal energy and enthalpy, heat capacity and specific heat, measurement of  $\Delta U$  and  $\Delta H$ , Hess's law of constant heat summation, enthalpy of bond dissociation, combustion, formation, atomization, sublimation, phase transition, ionization, solution and dilution. Second law of Thermodynamics (brief introduction), Introduction of entropy as a state function, Gibb's energy change for spontaneous and non- spontaneous processes, criteria for equilibrium, Third law of thermodynamics (brief introduction).

#### **Unit 6: Equilibrium**

Equilibrium in physical and chemical processes, dynamic nature of equilibrium, law of mass action, equilibrium constant, factors affecting equilibrium – Le Chatelier's principle, ionic equilibrium- ionization of acids and bases, strong and weak electrolytes, degree of ionization, ionization of poly basic acids, acid strength, concept of pH, hydrolysis of salts (elementary idea), buffer solution, Henderson Equation, solubility product, common ion effect (with illustrative examples).

#### **Unit 7: Redox Reactions**

Concept of oxidation and reduction, redox reactions, oxidation number, balancing redox reactions, in terms of loss and gain of electrons and change in oxidation number, applications of redox reactions.

#### **Unit 8: Organic Chemistry – Some Basic Principles and Techniques**

General introduction, methods of purification, qualitative and quantitative analysis, classification and IUPAC nomenclature of organic compounds. Electronic displacements in a covalent bond: inductive effect, electrometric effect, resonance and hyper conjugation. Homolytic and heterolytic fission of a covalent bond: free radicals, carbocations, carbanions, electrophiles and nucleophiles, types of organic reactions.

## Unit 9: Hydrocarbons

### Aliphatic Hydrocarbons

Alkanes - Nomenclature, isomerism, conformation (ethane only), physical properties, chemical reactions including free radical mechanism of halogenation, combustion and pyrolysis.

Alkenes - Nomenclature, structure of double bond (ethene), geometrical isomerism, physical properties, methods of preparation, chemical reactions: addition of hydrogen, halogen, water, hydrogen halides (Markovnikov's addition and peroxide effect), ozonolysis, oxidation, mechanism of electrophilic addition.

Alkynes - Nomenclature, structure of triple bond (ethyne), physical properties, methods of preparation, chemical reactions: acidic character of alkynes, addition reaction of - hydrogen, halogens, hydrogen halides and water.

### Aromatic Hydrocarbons

Introduction, IUPAC nomenclature, benzene: resonance, aromaticity, chemical properties: mechanism of electrophilic substitution. Nitration, sulphonation, halogenation, Friedel Craft's alkylation and acylation, directive influence of functional group in mono substituted benzene, carcinogenicity and toxicity

**Note:** The following topics are included in the syllabus but will be assessed only formatively to reinforce understanding without adding to summative assessments. This reduces academic stress while ensuring meaningful learning. Schools can integrate these with existing chapters as they align well. Relevant NCERT textual material is enclosed for reference.

#### 1. s & p Block Elements

Electronic configuration, atomic & ionic radii, Ionization Enthalpy, Hydration Enthalpy and general trends in physical and chemical properties of s and p block elements across the periods and down the groups; unique behavior of the first element in each group.

#### 2. The Gaseous State

Qualitative treatment of Gas laws, Ideal gas equation and deviations from it.

## PRACTICAL

| Evaluation Scheme for Examination | Marks     |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Volumetric Analysis               | 08        |
| Salt Analysis                     | 08        |
| Content Based Experiment          | 06        |
| Project Work                      | 04        |
| Class record and viva             | 04        |
| <b>Total</b>                      | <b>30</b> |

### PRACTICAL SYLLABUS

Micro-chemical methods are available for several of the practical experiments, wherever possible such techniques should be used.

#### A. Basic Laboratory Techniques

1. Cutting glass tube and glass rod
2. Bending a glass tube
3. Drawing out a glass jet
4. Boring a cork

#### B. Characterization and Purification of Chemical Substances

1. Determination of melting point of an organic compound.
2. Determination of boiling point of an organic compound.
3. Crystallization of impure sample of any one of the following: Alum, Copper Sulphate, Benzoic Acid.

#### C. Experiments based on pH

1. Any one of the following experiments:
  - Determination of pH of some solutions obtained from fruit juices, solution of known and varied concentrations of acids, bases and salts using pH paper or universal indicator.
  - Comparing the pH of solutions of strong and weak acids of same concentration.
  - Study the pH change in the titration of a strong base using a universal indicator.
2. Study the pH change by common-ion in case of weak acids and weak bases.

## D. Chemical Equilibrium

Any one of the following experiments:

- Study the shift in equilibrium between ferric ions and thiocyanate ions by increasing/decreasing the concentration of either of the ions.
- Study the shift in equilibrium between  $[\text{Co}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}$  and chloride ions by changing the concentration of either of the ions.

## E. Quantitative Estimation

1. Using a mechanical balance/electronic balance.
2. Preparation of standard solution of Oxalic acid.
3. Determination of strength of a given solution of Sodium hydroxide by titrating it against standard solution of Oxalic acid.
4. Preparation of standard solution of Sodium carbonate.
5. Determination of strength of a given solution of hydrochloric acid by titrating it against standard Sodium Carbonate solution.

## F. Qualitative Analysis

1. Determination of one anion and one cation in a given salt

**Cations:**  $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Al}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ni}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Co}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Sr}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ba}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{NH}_4^+$

**Anions:**  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ ,  $\text{S}^{2-}$ ,  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$ ,  $\text{NO}_3^-$ ,  $\text{NO}_2^-$ ,  $\text{Cl}^-$ ,  $\text{Br}^-$ ,  $\text{I}^-$ ,  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ ,  $\text{PO}_4^{3-}$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$

**(Note: Insoluble salts excluded)**

2. Detection of -Nitrogen, Sulphur, Chlorine in organic compounds.

## PROJECTS

Scientific investigations involving laboratory testing and collecting information from other sources.

### A few suggested Projects

- a) Checking the bacterial contamination in drinking water by testing sulphide ion
- b) Study of the methods of purification of water
- c) Testing the hardness, presence of Iron, Fluoride, Chloride, etc., depending upon the regional variation in drinking water and study of causes of presence of these ions above permissible limit (if any).

- d) Investigation of the foaming capacity of different washing soaps and the effect of addition of Sodium carbonate on it
- e) Study the acidity of different samples of tea leaves.
- f) Determination of the rate of evaporation of different liquids
- g) Study the effect of acids and bases on the tensile strength of fibers.
- h) Study of acidity of fruit and vegetable juices.

**Note:** Any other investigatory project, which involves about 10 periods of work, can be chosen with the approval of the teacher.

### **Practical Examination for Visually Challenged Students Class XI**

**Note:** Same Evaluation scheme and general guidelines for visually challenged students as given for Class XII may be followed.

#### **List of apparatus for identification for assessment in practicals (All experiments)**

Beaker, tripod stand, wire gauze, glass rod, funnel, filter paper, Bunsen burner, test tube, test tube stands, dropper, test tube holder, ignition tube, china dish, tongs, standard flask, pipette, burette, conical flask, clamp stand, dropper, wash bottle

- Odor detection in qualitative analysis.
- Procedure/Setup of the apparatus.

#### **List of Experiments**

##### **A. Characterization and Purification of Chemical Substances**

Crystallization of an impure sample of any one of the following:  
copper sulphate, benzoic acid.

##### **B. Experiments based on pH**

1. Determination of pH of some solutions obtained from fruit juices, solutions of known and varied concentrations of acids, bases and salts using pH paper.
2. Comparing the pH of solutions of strong and weak acids of same concentration.

##### **C. Chemical Equilibrium**

1. Study the shift in equilibrium between ferric ions and thiocyanate ions by increasing/decreasing the concentration of either ions.
2. Study the shift in equilibrium between  $[\text{Co}(\text{H}_2\text{O})_6]^{2+}$  and chloride ions by changing the concentration of either of the ions.

##### **D. Quantitative estimation**

1. Preparation of standard solution of oxalic acid.

2. Determination of molarity of a given solution of sodium hydroxide by titrating it against standard solution of oxalic acid.

### **E. Qualitative Analysis**

1. Determination of one anion and one cation in a given salt

**Cations -  $NH_4^+$**

**Anions:  $CO_3^{2-}$ ,  $S^{2-}$ ,  $SO_3^{2-}$ ,  $Cl^-$ ,  $CH_3COO^-$**

**(Note: insoluble salts excluded)**

2. Detection of Nitrogen in the given organic compound.
3. Detection of Halogen in the given organic compound.

**Note:** *The above practical may be carried out in an experiential manner rather than recording observations.*

### **Prescribed Books:**

1. Chemistry Part – I, Class-XI, Published by NCERT.
2. Chemistry Part – II, Class-XI, Published by NCERT.
3. Manual of Microscale Chemistry laboratory kit.

### **Links for NCERT textbooks:**

1. <https://ncert.nic.in/textbook.php?kech1=0-6>
2. <https://ncert.nic.in/textbook.php?kech2=0-3>
3. [https://ncert.nic.in/division/dek/pdf/Manual\\_01.pdf](https://ncert.nic.in/division/dek/pdf/Manual_01.pdf)



**COURSE STRUCTURE**  
**CLASS XII**  
**THEORY**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Total Marks: 70**

| <b>S. No.</b> | <b>Title</b>                            | <b>Marks</b> |
|---------------|---|--------------|
| 1             | Solutions                               | 7            |
| 2             | Electrochemistry                        | 9            |
| 3             | Chemical Kinetics                       | 7            |
| 4             | d -and f -Block Elements                | 7            |
| 5             | Coordination Compounds                  | 7            |
| 6             | Haloalkanes and Haloarenes              | 6            |
| 7             | Alcohols, Phenols and Ethers            | 6            |
| 8             | Aldehydes, Ketones and Carboxylic Acids | 8            |
| 9             | Amines                                  | 6            |
| 10            | Biomolecules                            | 7            |
|               | <b>Total</b>                            | <b>70</b>    |

**Unit 1: Solutions**

Types of solutions, expression of concentration of solutions of solids in liquids, solubility of gases in liquids, solid solutions, Raoult's law, colligative properties - relative lowering of vapor pressure, elevation of boiling point, depression of freezing point, osmotic pressure, determination of molecular masses using colligative properties, abnormal molecular mass, Van't Hoff factor

**Unit 2: Electrochemistry**

Redox reactions, EMF of a cell, standard electrode potential, Nernst equation and its application to chemical cells, Relation between Gibbs energy change and EMF of a cell, conductance in electrolytic solutions, specific and molar conductivity, variations of conductivity with concentration, Kohlrausch's Law, electrolysis and law of electrolysis (elementary idea), dry cell-electrolytic cells and Galvanic cells, lead accumulator, fuel cells, corrosion.

**Unit 3: Chemical Kinetics**

Rate of a reaction (Average and instantaneous), factors affecting rate of reaction: concentration, temperature, catalyst; order and molecularity of a reaction, rate law and specific rate constant, integrated rate equations and half-life (only for zero and first order

reactions), concept of collision theory (elementary idea, no mathematical treatment), activation energy, Arrhenius equation.

#### **Unit 4: d and f Block Elements**

General introduction, electronic configuration, occurrence and characteristics of transition metals, general trends in properties of the first row transition metals – metallic character, ionization enthalpy, oxidation states, ionic radii, colour, catalytic property, magnetic properties, interstitial compounds, alloy formation, preparation and properties of  $K_2Cr_2O_7$  and  $KMnO_4$ .

**Lanthanides** - Electronic configuration, oxidation states, chemical reactivity and lanthanide contraction and its consequences.

**Actinides** - Electronic configuration, oxidation states and comparison with lanthanides

#### **Unit 5: Coordination Compounds**

Coordination compounds - Introduction, ligands, coordination number, colour, magnetic properties and shapes, IUPAC nomenclature of mononuclear coordination compounds. Bonding, Werner's theory, VBT, and CFT; structure and stereoisomerism, importance of coordination compounds (in qualitative analysis, extraction of metals and biological system).

#### **Unit 6: Haloalkanes and Haloarenes**

**Haloalkanes:** Nomenclature, nature of C–X bond, physical and chemical properties, optical rotation mechanism of substitution reactions.

**Haloarenes:** Nature of C–X bond, substitution reactions (Directive influence of halogen in monosubstituted compounds only).

Uses and environmental effects of - dichloromethane, trichloromethane, tetrachloromethane, iodoform, freons, DDT.

#### **Unit 7: Alcohols, Phenols and Ethers**

**Alcohols:** Nomenclature, methods of preparation, physical and chemical properties (of primary alcohols only), identification of primary, secondary and tertiary alcohols, mechanism of dehydration, uses with special reference to methanol and ethanol.

**Phenols:** Nomenclature, methods of preparation, physical and chemical properties, acidic nature of phenol, electrophilic substitution reactions, uses of phenols.

**Ethers:** Nomenclature, methods of preparation, physical and chemical properties, uses

#### **Unit 8: Aldehydes, Ketones and Carboxylic Acids**

**Aldehydes and Ketones:** Nomenclature, nature of carbonyl group, methods of preparation, physical and chemical properties, mechanism of nucleophilic addition, reactivity of alpha hydrogen in aldehydes, uses.

**Carboxylic Acids:** Nomenclature, acidic nature, methods of preparation, physical and chemical properties; uses.

### Unit 9: Amines

**Amines:** Nomenclature, classification, structure, methods of preparation, physical and chemical properties, uses, identification of primary, secondary and tertiary amines.

**Diazonium salts:** Preparation, chemical reactions and importance in synthetic organic chemistry.

### Unit 10: Biomolecules

**Carbohydrates** - Classification (aldoses and ketoses), monosaccharides (glucose and fructose), D-L configuration oligosaccharides (sucrose, lactose, maltose), polysaccharides (starch, cellulose, glycogen); Importance of carbohydrates.

**Proteins** -Elementary idea of - amino acids, peptide bond, polypeptides, proteins, structure of proteins - primary, secondary, tertiary structure and quaternary structures (qualitative idea only), denaturation of proteins; enzymes. Hormones - Elementary idea excluding structure.

**Vitamins** - Classification and functions.

**Nucleic Acids:** DNA and RNA.

## PRACTICAL

| Evaluation Scheme for Examination | Marks     |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Volumetric Analysis               | 08        |
| Salt Analysis                     | 08        |
| Content Based Experiment          | 06        |
| Project Work                      | 04        |
| Class record and viva             | 04        |
| <b>Total</b>                      | <b>30</b> |

### PRACTICAL SYLLABUS

**Micro-chemical methods are available for several of the practical experiments, wherever possible such techniques should be used.**

#### A. Surface Chemistry

1. Preparation of one lyophilic and one lyophobic sol

Lyophilic sol - starch, egg albumin and gum

Lyophobic sol – aluminum hydroxide, ferric hydroxide, arsenous sulphide.

2. Dialysis of sol-prepared in (a) above.
3. Study of the role of emulsifying agents in stabilizing the emulsion of different oils.

## **B. Chemical Kinetics**

1. Effect of concentration and temperature on the rate of reaction between Sodium Thiosulphate and Hydrochloric acid.
2. Study of reaction rates of any one of the following:
  - Reaction of Iodide ion with Hydrogen Peroxide at room temperature using different concentration of Iodide ions.
  - Reaction between Potassium Iodate, ( $\text{KIO}_3$ ) and Sodium Sulphate: ( $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_3$ ) using starch solution as indicator (clock reaction).

## **C. Thermochemistry**

Any one of the following experiments

- Enthalpy of dissolution of Copper Sulphate or Potassium Nitrate.
- Enthalpy of neutralization of strong acid (HCl) and strong base (NaOH).
- Determination of enthalpy change during interaction (Hydrogen bond formation) between Acetone and Chloroform.

## **D. Electrochemistry**

Variation of cell potential in  $\text{Zn}/\text{Zn}^{2+}||\text{Cu}^{2+}/\text{Cu}$  with change in concentration of electrolytes ( $\text{CuSO}_4$  or  $\text{ZnSO}_4$ ) at room temperature.

## **E. Chromatography**

1. Separation of pigments from extracts of leaves and flowers by paper chromatography and determination of  $R_f$  values.
2. Separation of constituents present in an inorganic mixture containing two cations only (constituents having large difference in  $R_f$  values to be provided).

## **F. Preparation of Inorganic Compounds**

1. Preparation of double salt of Ferrous Ammonium Sulphate or Potash Alum.
2. Preparation of Potassium Ferric Oxalate.

## **G. Preparation of Organic Compounds**

Preparation of any one of the following compounds

1. Acetanilide

2. Di-benzalAcetone
3. p-Nitroacetanilide
4. Aniline yellow or 2 - Naphthol Aniline dye.

#### H. Tests for the functional groups present in organic compounds

Unsaturation, alcoholic, phenolic, aldehydic, ketonic, carboxylic and amino (Primary) groups.

#### I. Characteristic tests of carbohydrates, fats and proteins in pure samples and their detection in given foodstuffs.

#### J. Determination of concentration/ molarity of $\text{KMnO}_4$ solution by titrating it against a standard solution of:

1. Oxalic acid,
  2. Ferrous Ammonium Sulphate
- (Students will be required to prepare standard solutions by weighing themselves).

#### K. Qualitative analysis

Determination of one anion and one cation in a given salt

**Cations:**  $\text{Pb}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Al}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ ,  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ni}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Co}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Sr}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ba}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{NH}_4^+$

**Anions:**  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ ,  $\text{S}^{2-}$ ,  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$ ,  $\text{NO}_3^-$ ,  $\text{NO}_2^-$ ,  $\text{Cl}^-$ ,  $\text{Br}^-$ ,  $\text{I}^-$ ,  $\text{SO}_4^{2-}$ ,  $\text{PO}_4^{3-}$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$ ,  $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$

(Note: Insoluble salts excluded)

#### PROJECTS

Scientific investigations involving laboratory testing and collecting information from other sources.

##### A few suggested Projects

- a) Study of the presence of oxalate ions in guava fruit at different stages of ripening.
- b) Study of quantity of casein present in different samples of milk.
- c) Preparation of soybean milk and its comparison with the natural milk with respect to curd formation, effect of temperature, etc.
- d) Study of the effect of Potassium Bisulphate as food preservative under various conditions (temperature, concentration, time, etc.)
- e) Study of digestion of starch by salivary amylase and effect of pH and temperature on it.

- f) Comparative study of the rate of fermentation of following materials: wheat flour, gram flour, potato juice, carrot juice, etc.
- g) Extraction of essential oils present in Saunf (aniseed), Ajwain (carom), Illaichi (cardamom).
- h) Study of common food adulterants in fat, oil, butter, sugar, turmeric power, chili powder and pepper.

**Note:** Any other investigatory project, which involves about 10 periods of work, can be chosen with the approval of the teacher.

### Practical Examination for Visually Challenged Learners Classes XI and XII

| Evaluation Scheme                                    | Marks     |
|--|-----------|
| Identification/Familiarity with the apparatus        | 5         |
| Written test (based on given/prescribed practical's) | 10        |
| Practical Record                                     | 5         |
| Viva   | 10        |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>30</b> |

### General Guidelines

- The practical examination will be of two-hour duration.
- A separate list of ten experiments is included here.
- The written examination in practicals for these students will be conducted at the time of practical examination of all other students.
- The written test will be of 30 minutes' duration.
- The question paper given to the students should be legibly typed. It should contain a total of 15 practical skill based very short answer type questions. A student would be required to answer any 10 questions.
- A writer may be allowed to such students as per CBSE examination rules.
- All questions included in the question papers should be related to the listed practicals
- Every question should require about two minutes to be answered.
- These students are also required to maintain a practical file. A student is expected to record at least five of the listed experiments as per the specific instructions for each subject. These practicals should be duly checked and signed by the internal examiner.
- The format of writing any experiment in the practical file should include aim, apparatus required, simple theory, procedure, related practical skills, precautions etc.
- Questions may be generated jointly by the external/internal examiners and used

for assessment.

- The viva questions may include questions based on basic theory/principle/concept, apparatus/materials/ chemicals required, procedure, precautions, sources of error etc.

### **List of apparatus for identification/familiarity for assessment in practical (All experiments)**

Beaker, glass rod, tripod stand, wire gauze, Bunsen burner, Whatman filter paper, gas jar, capillary tube, pestle and mortar, test tubes, tongs, test tube holder, test tube stand, burette, pipette, conical flask, standard flask, clamp stand, funnel, filter paper

### **Hands-on Assessment**

- Identification/familiarity with the apparatus
- Odour detection in qualitative analysis

### **List of Experiments**

The experiments have been divided into two sections: Section A and Section B. The experiments mentioned in Section B are mandatory.

## **SECTION A**

### **A. Surface Chemistry**

1. Preparation of one lyophilic and one lyophobic sol
  - i. Lyophilic sol - starch, egg albumin and gum
  - ii. Lyophobic sol – Ferric hydroxide

### **B. Chromatography**

Separation of pigments from extracts of leaves and flowers by paper chromatography and determination of R<sub>f</sub> values (distance values may be provided).

### **C. Tests for the functional groups present in organic compounds**

1. Alcoholic and Carboxylic groups
2. Aldehyde and Ketonic groups

### **D. Characteristic tests of carbohydrates and proteins in the given foodstuffs.**

### **E. Preparation of Inorganic Compounds- Potash Alum**

## SECTION B (Mandatory)

### F. Quantitative analysis

- (a) Preparation of a given volume of the standard solution of Oxalic acid.  
(b) Determination of molarity of  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution by titrating it against a standard solution of Oxalic acid.
- The above exercise [F 1 (a) and (b)] to be conducted using Ferrous ammonium sulphate (Mohr's salt)

### G. Qualitative Analysis

Determination of one anion and one cation in a given salt

**Cation -  $\text{NH}_4^+$**

**Anions:  $\text{CO}_3^{2-}$ ,  $\text{S}^{2-}$ ,  $\text{SO}_3^{2-}$ , ,  $\text{Cl}^-$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{COO}^-$**

**(Note: insoluble salts excluded)**

**Note:** *The above practical may be carried out in an experiential manner rather than recording observations.*

### Prescribed Books:

- Chemistry Part – I, Class-XII, Published by NCERT.
- Chemistry Part – II, Class-XII, Published by NCERT.
- Manual of Microscale Chemistry laboratory kit.

### Links for NCERT textbooks:

- <https://ncert.nic.in/textbook.php?lech1=0-5>
- <https://ncert.nic.in/textbook.php?lech2=0-5>
- [https://ncert.nic.in/division/dek/pdf/Manual\\_01.pdf](https://ncert.nic.in/division/dek/pdf/Manual_01.pdf)



## QUESTION PAPER DESIGN CLASSES XI & XII

| S.No | Domains  | Total Marks | %  |
|------|--|-------------|----|
| 1    | <b>Remembering and Understanding:</b><br>Exhibit memory of previously learned material by recalling facts, terms, basic concepts and answers. Demonstrate understanding of facts and ideas by organizing, comparing, translating, interpreting, giving descriptions and stating main ideas.  | 28          | 40 |
| 2    | <b>Applying:</b><br>Solve problems to new situations by applying acquired knowledge, facts, techniques and rules in a different way.   | 21          | 30 |
| 3    | <b>Analysing, Evaluating and Creating:</b><br>Examine and break information into parts by identifying motives or causes. Make inferences and find evidence to support generalizations. Present and defend opinions by making judgments about information, validity of ideas or quality of work based on a set of criteria.<br>Compile information together in a different way by combining elements in a new pattern or proposing alternative solutions. | 21          | 30 |

1. No chapter wise weightage is provided, however, care to be taken to cover all the chapters.
2. Suitable internal variations may be made for generating various templates.
3. There will be no overall choice in the question paper.
4. However, 33% internal choices will be given in all the sections.