B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION — JUNE, 2019.

Second Year

Chemistry

Paper I – GENERAL CHEMISTRY – III

Time: 3 hours Maximum marks: 75

PART A — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 1. Write a short note on Na⁺/K⁺ pump in biological system.
- 2. Write the properties of Boron and their uses.
- 3. Identify the name of the reaction. Explain the mechanism.

- 4. Define order and molecularity of the reaction. Write the difference between them.
- 5. What is isoprene rule? How it's useful for structural prediction?

PART B — $(4 \times 15 = 60 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FOUR questions.

- 6. Why the properties of lithium is similar with other members of the family? Explain the similarities.
- 7. What is borazine? Compare the structure and reactivity of borazine with graphite and benzene.
- 8. Why aromatic nucleophilic substitution reaction is difficult than aliphatic nucleophilic substitution. Justify explain the characteristics and mechanism of benzyne intermediate.
- 9. Describe the postulates of collision theory and explain the bi-molecular reaction.
- 10. Elucidate the structure and synthesis of nicotine.
