Or

(b) What are proton wires? Describe with suitable example.

PART C — $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

Answer any THREE questions.

- 16. What are non-covalent interactions? Give example to each of them and explain.
- 17. Write notes on (a) metal organic framework based on organometallic systems and (b) crystal engineering of non-linear optics materials
- 18. Write notes on (a) metalloreceptors and (b) molecuar cages.
- 19. Explain reactive anion receptors in catalysis.
- 20. Write short notes on the following: (a) photoswitching devices and (b) electroswitching devices.

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Chemistry — Elective

SUPRAMOLECULAR CHEMISTRY

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

PART A — $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Answer ALL questions.

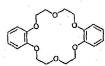
- 1. What is host-guest chemistry?
- 2. Define the term "Supramolecular synthons".
- 3. What is metal organic framework?
- 4. Give two examples of anionic linkers used in metal-organic frameworks.
- 5. What are cyclophane receptors?
- 6. Draw the molecular structure of claix[4] arene.
- 7. What are supramolecular metallocatalysts?

- 8. What are the functional groups which facilitate the binding of anions to the receptors?
- 9. What is semiochemistry?
- 10. What are photosensitive molecular receptors?

PART B —
$$(5 \times 5 = 25)$$

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) With neat diagram explain why dibenzo-18-crown-6 exhibit higher binding affinity towards dialkyammonium ions shown below?



PF₆

Dibenzo-18-crown-6

Dibenzyl ammonium hexafluorophosphate

Or

- (b) What is polymorphism? Write a note on pharamaceutical applications of polymorphism.
- 12. (a) What is "node-and-spacer" approach? Give examples of organic ligands with linear/angular, trigonal and tetrahedral shapes.

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(b) Sketch the likely metal-organic assemble formed by the solution of A and Pd(BF₄)₂. Given that the masses of the ligand A, Pd and BF₄ are 280.32, 106.41 and 86.99 respectively. ESI-MS m/z=333.52(4+ peak)

13. (a) Describe linear recognition of molecular length by ditopic coreceptor with suitable example.

Or

- (b) What are cryptands? Discuss in detail about dinuclear metal cryptate.
- 14. (a) With neat sketch, describe supramolecular catalysis process.

Or

(b) Explain the use of cyclodextrin as molecular reactor.