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Applied Electrochemstry 2 (Chem. 433)

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## Choose the right answer in the following:

(48 marks)

- 1) Electrowinning is defined as:
  - a) The process in which the electrolyte is prepared by leaching the ore containing a certain metal and the pure metal is deposited on the cathode when an electrical current is passed through the electrolyte solution.
  - b) The process in which the anode consists of impure metal which dissolved in the electrolyte and upon application of electric current pure metal is deposited at the cathode.
  - c) The process in which the smoothness and the appearance of the deposit are very important.
- 2) In the electroplating process and to give high hardness and good resistance the parts required that should electroplated using:
  - a) Silver metal b) Gold metal c) Chromium metal
- 3) To give metal surface a high reflection degree of light and other radiations, it should be electroplated by:

a) Silver or palladium metals b) Nickel metal c) Chromium metal

- 4) To render the metal surface to soldering, it should be electroplated by:
  - a) Gold metal b) Silver metal c) Tin or tin-lead alloy
- 5) The electrochemical equivalent is defined as:
  - a) The atomic weight of an element divided by the number of electrons involved in the reaction.
  - b) The current divided by the electrode surface area.
  - c) The weight of deposit element when a current of unit electricity is passed through the electrolyte solution for unit time.
- 6) Faraday stated that, the amount of different substances produced by a given quantity of electricity consumed is proportional to:
  - a) Their chemical equivalent weights. b) Their molecular weights.
  - c) The electrochemical equivalent.
- 7) Cathodic overpotential is obtained when:
  - a) The rate of oxidation reaction is equal to the rate of reduction reaction.
  - b) The rate of oxidation reaction exceeds the rate of reduction reaction.
  - c) The rate of reduction reaction exceeds the rate of oxidation reaction.
- 8) In the electroplating process:
  - a) The high of the hydrogen overpotential  $(E_{H2})$ , the high of the interference with the electroplating process.

- b) The high of the hydrogen overpotential  $(E_{H2})$ , the low of the interference with the electroplating process.
- c) The value of hydrogen overpotential ( $E_{H2}$ ) does not affect the electroplating process.
- 9) In the electroplating process:
  - a) If the applied potential (E) is made more negative than the standard potential (E°), the metallic ions will deposit.
  - b) If the applied potential (E) is made more positive than the standard potential  $(E^{\circ})$ , the metallic ions will deposit.
  - c) If the applied potential (E) equals to the standard potential (E<sup>o</sup>), the metallic ions will deposit.
- 10) The oxygen evolution at the anode:
  - a) Decreases the anodic dissolution efficiency.
  - b) Increases the anodic dissolution efficiency.
  - c) Increases the cathodic deposition efficiency.
- 11) To protect metals from corrosion:
  - a) The metal is plated by another one which is more noble than it.
  - b) The metal is plated by another one which is less noble than it.
  - c) Both methods can be used to protect metals from corrosion.
- 12) Concentration polarization:
  - a) Can be decreased by decreasing the distance between the two electrodes.
  - b) Can be increased by decreasing the distance between the two electrodes.
  - c) Can be decreased and neglected by strong agitation of the electrolyte.
- 13) Activation polarization can be described by using:
  - a) Nernst equation. b) Tafel equation. c) Ohm's equation.
- 14) In electroplating of nickel, the nickel chloride salt is involved due to:
  - a) It is the major source of nickel ions in the plating solution.
  - b) It serves to improve anodic corrosion and increase the conductivity.
  - c) Its function to lower the surface tension of the plating solution.
- 15) In the electroplating process, as the passed current increases:
  - a) Metal ions concentration, increases in the cathodic area.
  - b) Metal ions concentration, decreases in the anodic area.
  - c) Metal ions concentration, increases in the anodic area.
- 16) The thickness of the deposited substance during electroplating depends on:a) The amount of deposit substance.b) The surface area of thelectrode.c) Both (a) and (b).
- 17) In electrorefining processes, the anode is made of:
- a) Pure metal. b) Impure metal. c) Unpolarized electrode
- 18) In nickel electroplating process and in solutions of higher pH:
  - a) Nickel only dissolved at the anode.
  - b) Nickel dissolved at the anode and also oxygen gas may be evolved.
  - c) Nickel dissolved at the anode and also hydrogen gas may be evolved.

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- 19) If the discharge of metal cations on the cathode is the only cathdic process:a) The amount of deposit metal calculated using Faraday equation is more than
  - that be actually deposited.
  - b) The amount of deposit metal calculated using Faraday equation is less than that be actually deposited.
  - c) The current efficiency is 100%.
- 20) The formation of insoluble metal oxide film on the anode:
  - a) Increases the anodic efficiency. b) Decreases the anodic efficiency.
  - c) Does not affect the anodic efficiency.
- 21) The fraction of the total current carried by a given species is:

a) Mobility. b) Transport number. c) Conductivity.

- 22) The shift of potential under applied current is:
  - a) The overpotential. b) The polarization. c) The electrode potential.
- 23) The property of solution which tends to decrease the difference between thickest and thinner deposits on a given part called:
  - a) Current efficiency. b) Current density. c) Throwing power.
- 24) The electrodeposited material in electroplating process should be:a) Adherent.b) Brightness.c) Both (a) and (b).
- 25) The movement of an ion under the influence of an applied current is called:a) Current efficiency.b) Mobility.c) Transport number.
- 26) Amphoteric surfactants have:
  - a) Positively charged entity. b) Negatively charged entity.
  - c) Both (a) and (b).
- 27) In alkaline immersion cleaning, the used surfactant is:
  - a) Anionic or cationic. b) Nonionic or amphoteric.
  - c) The four types can be used.
- 28) For cleaning small parts, the cleaning method is:
  - a) Immersion. b) Spray. c) Barrel.
- 29) The cleaning method in which an electrical current is imposed on the part is;a) Emulsion cleaning.b) Alkaline cleaning.c) Electrolytic cleaning.
- 30) The test method for cleaning in which acid copper test is used is:
  - a) Nielson method. b) Fluorescent test. c) Atomizer test.
- 31) Addition of cyanide ions to plating solution of a mixture of copper ions and zinc ions:
  - a) The depositing potential of zinc is altered to more negative potential.
  - b) The depositing potential of copper is altered to more negative potential.
  - c) The depositing potentials of copper is altered to more positive potential.
- 32) Sacrificial protection means that:
  - a) The metal is protected from corrosion by plating with another one which is more noble than it.
  - b) The metal is protected from corrosion by plating with another one which is more active than it.

- c) The metal is protected from corrosion by covering the metal surface by a paint:
  33) Electroplating can be used to:

  a) Prevent corrosion.
  b) Add decoration.
  c) Both (a) and (b).

  34) Electrolytic cells in which:
  - a) Chemical energy is converted to electrical energy.
  - b) Kinetic energy is converted to electrical energy.
  - c) Electrical energy is converted to chemical energy.
- 35) The selection of cleaning process must be based on:
  - a) The substance being cleaned. b) The soil to be removed.
  - c) Both (a) and (b).
- 36) In electrolytic cleaning, the anodic cleaning is called:
- a) Direct cleaning.b) Indirect cleaning.c) Reverse cleaning.37) The method of cleaning in which a blue dye is used is:
  - a) Nielson method. b) Atomizer test. c) Water-break test.
- 38) For spray cleaning:
  - a) Anionic or cationic surfactants can be used.
  - b) Nonionic surfactants can be used.
  - c) Amphteric surfactants can be used.
- 39) In nickel electroplating and in solutions of higher pH:
  - a) Cathodic efficiency increases. b) Anodic efficiency increases.
  - c) Anodic efficiency decreases.
- 40) In electroplating process, the cell used is:
  - a) Polarographic cell. b) Galvanic cell. c) Electrolytic cell.

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## **Model Answer**

(1) a	(2) c	(3) a	(4) c	(5) c
(6) a	(7) c	(8) b	(9) a	(10) a
(11) c	(12) c	(13) b	(14) b	(15) c
(16) c	(17) b	(18) b	(19) c	(20) b
(21) b	(22) a	(23) c	(24) c	(25) b
(26) c	(27) c	(28) c	(29) c	( <b>30</b> ) a
(31) b	(32) b	(33) c	(34) c	(35) c
(36) c	(37) b	( <b>38</b> ) b	( <b>39</b> ) c	(40) c

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