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# **Course Specification**

**University/Academy: Damanhour University** 

**Faculty/Institute: Faculty of Science** 

**Department: Chemistry** 

1. Course Data:	1. Course Data:					
Course code:		Course	title:			Academic year/level:
Chem. 323		Inorganic	and phy	sical Chemis	stry (2)	3rd year / 1st term
						2009/2010
Specialization:		No of instructional vuitae				
Zoology and Chemistry		No. of instructional units:				
		lecture	4hrs	tutorial	1	practical -
course Aim	• This course is aimed to give a solid foundation in the areas of					
	inorganic and physical chemistry. It provides the students with a					
	thorough understanding of the chemistry of d- and f-block					
	elements and covers the basic concepts in coordination					
	chemistry. It also provides a broad background of molecular					
	kinetic theory of gases.					
2 Intended lea						
	2. Intended learning outcome					
Knowledge and	At the end of this course the students will be able to:					
understanding	a1: show the main aspects of the chemistry of Transition					
	elements (d- block and lanthanides).					
a2: draw the key feat		tures of coordination compounds.				
	а	3: write	the bas	sic knowle	dge of	the Molecular Kinetic
		Theor	y of gas	ses.		
Intellectual skills	Intellectual skills		By the end of the course, students should be able to:			
	•b1: use knowledge and understanding of essential facts,					



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	concepts, principles and theories relating to course				
	problems.				
	• b2: Analyze novel problems and make Strategies for their				
	solution				
Professional skills	• At the end of this course students will have the ability to:				
	•c1: perform problems related to the course content.				
a) General skills	• At the end of this course students will have the ability to:				
	• d1: communicate in group,				
	• d2: formulate information and communication technology.				
course content	• Chemistry of Transition element and coordination				
	Chemistry				
	• Introduction to transition metal chemistry, Physical and				
	Formation of metal complexes Physical and Formation of				
	metal complexes (Electronic structure of transition				
	metalschemical properties, Variable oxidation state, Colour				
	and magnetic properties				
	● -Formation of interstitial and non stoichiometric				
	compounds, Occurrence, extraction and uses)Theories of				
	bonding in metal complexes The valence bond theory,				
	• -The electrostatic crystal field theory The molecular orbital				
	theory				
	• Electronic spectra of transition metal complexes				
	• -Thermodynamic stability of metal complexes				
	<ul> <li>Molecular kinetic theory of gases</li> </ul>				
	• - Introduction,				
	• Translational kinetic energy and temperature				



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	• - Principle of equipartition of energy Degrees of freedom			
	and heat capacities of gases			
	• -Distribution of molecular velocities Root mean square			
	velocity, average velocity, and most probable velocities			
	• Frequency of collision. Mean free path			
	• Collision diameters.			
	• Viscosity of gases			
	• Thermal conductivity of gases.			
	• Diffusion. Behaviour of real gases.			
	• Compressibility and its uses			
	<ul> <li>Principle of continuity of state</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Principle of corresponding state</li> </ul>			
Teaching and	• Lecture			
learning methods	• Contact hours			
	Problem-Based Learning			
	• Encourage students to use online and library resources			
Taching and	• Computer hall to be used in visual labs and simulation			
learning methods	experiments.			
for students with	• Data show, overhead projector, Molecular models and			
special needs	chemistry computer programs.			
	• Changing to credit hours system, it is more effective.			
Student	• Final-Term Examination to assess the student skill in			
Assessment	presenting facts, applications, theories and calculations.			
Procedures used:	•			
Schedule:	• Assessment 1: Final-Term Examination Week16			



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Weighing of	• Mid-Term Examination:				
Assessment:	• Final-Term Examination: 200				
	• Oral Examination:				
	• Practical Examination:				
	• Semester Work: -				
	◆ Total: 200				
List of Textbooks	• J. D. Lee, Concise Inorganic Chemistry,4th ed., Chapman				
and References:	and Hall, London, New York, (1991).				
	• J. E. Huheey, E. A. Keiter and R. L. Kieter, Inorganic				
	Chemistry: Principles and Reactivity. 4th ed. Harper				
	Collins College Publishers (1993).				
	• Physical chemistry , Thomas engel and Philip Reid New				
	York (2005)				
	• Physical chemistry, Gordon. Barrdu Yew York (1998)				
Course Notes	• Lecture notes of physical chemistry for 3rd year students -				
	faculty of science - Damanhour - Alexandria University.				
Required Books	●F. A. Cotton and G. Wilkinson, Advanced Inorganic				
(Textbooks)	Chemistry, 5th ed, Wiley, Chichester (1988).				
	• Physical chemistry Horia Metiu , Statistical mechanic New				
	York (2004)				
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	York (2004)				
Periodicals, web	www.science.uwaterloo.ca/~cchieh/cact/				



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applychem/coordcpd.html
http://chemistry.semo.edu/crawford/ch186/
lectures/ch20/index.html

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