

Module Title:	Inorganic Chemistry 2
Academic year:	2009 2010
Credit Value:	6
Pre- requisites:	Inorganic Chemistry 1
Assessment:	Final written exam 50%, Practical Assessment 35% Continuous Assessment 15%.
Aims	<p>The aims of the module are to:</p> <p>Extend the factual knowledge of chemistry with main group and transition metal compounds:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ further their understanding of the fundamental principles involved in structure and bonding ▪ appreciate the variation in the different types of structure and bonding exhibited by the chemical elements within inorganic compounds ▪ enhance the factual knowledge of the chemistry within transition metal compounds ▪ develop an appreciation of the chemistry of bioinorganic and organometallic compounds
Module Content	<p>Survey of the Representative & Transition Elements: Typical Ligands and Complexes Co-ordination Chemistry of the Transition Elements Symmetry Introduction to Inorganic Polymer Chemistry: Bio-inorganic chemistry: Organometallic chemistry:</p>

<p>Intended Learning Outcomes: (September 2007)</p>	<p>Having successfully completed this module, the student will be able to:</p> <p>Show an understanding of the types of bonding in inorganic compounds and be able to draw Lewis structures and molecular orbital diagrams for simple compounds</p> <p>Predict the chemical and physical properties of elements and their important compounds based on the position of elements in the periodic table - have a thorough knowledge of the general chemistry of the s and p-block elements</p> <p>Understand the chemistry of the transition metals, in particular their co-ordination chemistry and spectroscopy, and the theoretical explanations for these phenomena.</p> <p>Construct and interpret molecular orbital descriptions of octahedral complexes.</p> <p>Predict the geometry of co-ordination compounds based on their formulae and composition</p> <p>Be able to derive CFSE of octahedral, square planar and tetrahedral geometries.</p> <p>Apply electron-counting rules to the prediction of the structure/stoichiometry of simple stable organometallic compounds.</p> <p>Be able to apply advanced methods of inorganic quantitative analysis.</p> <p>Balance redox and other equations types and be able to apply them in stoichiometric calculations.</p>
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