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B. Tech 2nd Semester Examination

Engineering Chemistry (NS)

NS-103

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

The candidates shall limit their answers precisely within the answerbook (40 pages) issued to them and no supplementary/continuation sheet will be issued.

Note: Candidates are required to attempt five questions in all selecting one question from each of the sections A, B, C, and D of the question paper and all the subparts of the questions in section E.

SECTION - A

- (i) Define specific conductance and equivalent conductance.
 Derive the relationship between them.
 - (ii) What are reference electrode? Discuss the construction and limitations of glass electrodes.
 - (iii) Write the electrode reactions and calculate the EMF of following cell at 298K. Given that E^{o}_{cell} =1.3V.

 $Cu(s) / Cu^{2+} (0.01M) // Ag^{+} (0.01M) / Ag(s) (7+8+5=20)$

- 2. (i) Explain phase rule with the help of two component system. Give the practical applications of this system.
 - (ii) Describe the phase diagram for Lead-Silver two component system.
 - (iii) What are the differences between phase diagram of oneand two-component systems? (8+8+4=20)

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SECTION - B

- 3. (i) What do you mean by hardness of water? How it is classified?
 - (ii) Mention the disadvantages of using hard water for domestic purpose.
 - (iii) Write a note on scale and sludge formation.

(7+7+6=20)

4. What is corrosion? Describe the theory of corrosion and various factor affecting the corrosion. How corrosion be prevented? (2+12+6=20)

SECTION - C

- 5. (i) Explain the principle of NMR spectroscopy.
 - (ii) Discuss the various applications of UV-visible spectroscopy.
 - (iii) Write a note on shielding and de-shielding effect. (7+8=5=20)
- 6. (i) What is the process of cracking? What are the advantages of catalytic cracking over thermal cracking?
 - (ii) Write notes on (a) Water gas (b) Producer gas
 - (iii) Explain why: A good fuel must have low ash content. (8+8+4=20)

SECTION - D

- 7. What are polymers? How are they classified? Explain types of polymerisations. Discuss some important applications of commercial polymers. (2+5+5+8=20)
- 8. (i) What are composite materials, their types and their important properties? What are the applications of different types of composites?

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(ii) What are the advantages of composite materials over traditional materials? (15+5=20)

SECTION - E

- 9. (i) What are different types of concentration cells?
 - (ii) What is EMF of a cell?
 - (iii) What is meant by the term component?
 - (iv) Explain why hard water does not produce leather with soap.
 - (v) Explain briefly the reaction during the rusting of Iron.
 - (vi) Give differences between fluorescence and phosphorescence.
 - (vii) Write a note on gaseous fuel.
 - (viii) Why is teflon highly chemical resistant?
 - (ix) What is meant by degree of polymerisation?
 - (x) What are the causes of failure of composites?

 $(2 \times 10 = 20)$

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