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End Semester Examination, May 2024

Course: Polymerization Techniques & Processing

Program: B.Sc Chemistry by Research

Course Code: CHEM 4020P

Semester: VIII

Time : 03 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Instructions:

1. Write your enrolment number on the top left of the question paper.

- 2. Do not write anything else on the question paper except your enrolment number.
- 3. Attempt all parts of a question at one place only.
- 4. Internal choice is given for question number 9 of Section B and question number 11 of Section C only.

	SECTION A (5Qx4M=20Marks)		
S. No.		Marks	СО
Q 1	Explain, the process of 3D printing.	4	CO2
Q2.	Why do polymers break in pieces below the Tg?	4	CO3
Q3.	Explain the base catalyzed mechanism of PF resins.	4	CO1
Q4.	Describe the process of suspension polymerization, giving its benefit over solution polymerization.	4	CO1
Q5	Depict, different forms in which PP is available commercially.	4	CO1
	SECTION B (4Qx10M= 40 Marks)		
Q 6	Contrast thermodynamics of low and high molecular weight substances.	10	CO1
Q 7	Giving technical details, describe the process of PVC sheet using L-shaped calendars.	10	CO2
Q 8	What are composites? Explain main component of polymer composites.	10	CO2
Q9	Discuss any two methods to determine the thermal behavior of the polymers.	10	CO3
	OR Compare Tg and Tm w.r.t. polymers.		

SECTION-C (2Qx20M=40 Marks)				
Q 10 a	Compare the behavior of polymer solution and the low molecular weight solution. Giving formulation of paints, explain how is it manufactured industrially?	10 10	CO1	
Q11 a	Describe the conversion of polymer granules into polymer sheet using casting process. Also compare the variation in different techniques. Explain polymer adhesives. Give formulation for any one type of adhesive.			
a	OR Explain the technique used for making disposable articles. Highlight any 3 possible variations that can be made to enhance the product quality.	10 10	CO2	
b	Describe in detail the different components of tyres.			