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M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION - CHEMISTRY

THIRD SEMESTER - NOVEMBER 2018

16/17PCH3ID01 - MATERIALS SCIENCE

Date: 02-11-2018 Dept. No. Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00-12:00

Part-A

Answer ALL questions.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- 1. List 2D Bravais lattices in crystallography.
- 2. Draw the crystalline planes in cubic unit cell having miller indices (1 1 0) and (0 1 1).
- 3. Define nucleus in crystal growth.
- 4. What is known as inelastic behaviour?
- 5. Write a note on stiffness of a material.
- 6. What are F centres? Give an example.
- 7. How are ferroelectric materials used in ultrasound machines?
- 8. Write the principle of solution polymerization.
- 9. How is polyurethane prepared?
- 10. What are metal matrix composites? Give an example.

Part-B

Answer any EIGHT questions.

 $(8 \times 5 = 40)$

- 11. List all the 32 point groups in crystallography.
- 12. Explain single crystal x-ray diffractometer.
- 13. Define Screw axis and enumerate all the unique screw axes.
- 14. Describe the Zockralski method of crystal growth.
- 15. Discuss the various types of micro hardness test.
- 16. Write a note on photoluminescence, electroluminescence and cathode luminescence.
- 17. Write short notes on the storage of magnetic data using magnets.
- 18. Explain the significance of photogalvanic effect for the generation of hydrogen.
- 19. How is processing of polymers carried out by injection moulding? Explain.
- 20. Discuss the mechanism of the preparation of polypropylene using Zeigler-Natta polymerization.
- 21. What are core-shell nanoparticles? Explain any two types.
- 22. Explain the thermal degradation of polymers with suitable examples.

Part-C

Answer any FOUR questions.

 $(4 \times 10 = 40)$

- 23. Discuss the 3D bravais lattice with suitable examples and diagrams.
- 24. Explain the function of SEM with a neat diagram.
- 25. Describe the atomic model of elastic behavior of the material and discuss the elastic properties of elements in periodic table.
- 26. Why does ferromagnet show spontaneous magnetization? Explain.
- 27. Write short notes on
 - a) piezoelectric effect
- b) mechanism of rubber oxidation
- 28. Explain the synthesis of nanomaterials by
 - a) Laser ablation

b) sol-gel method.

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