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**B.E. / B.TECH. DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2024**

First Semester

**CY18151 – ENGINEERING CHEMISTRY***Common to All branches (Except Marine Engineering)***(Regulation 2018/2018A)****TIME: 3 HOURS****MAX. MARKS: 100**

COURSE OUTCOMES	STATEMENT	RBT LEVEL
CO 1	Estimate the hardness of water, assess the boiler feed water requirement and related problems also identification of suitable water treatment methods.	3
CO 2	Differentiate the mechanisms of different types of corrosion and suggest suitable corrosion control techniques to mitigate the problem of corrosion including protective coatings.	3
CO 3	Compare the nano and bulk materials, their synthesis and its applications in various fields.	2
CO 4	Interpret the photochemical reactions and spectroscopic techniques.	2
CO 5	Assess the types and quality of fuels, its calorific values and significance of flue gas analysis	4

**PART- A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)**

(Answer all Questions)

	CO	RBT LEVEL
1. Why is CaSO <sub>4</sub> in water harmful to boilers?	1	3
2. At what circumstances boiler explosions are expected?	1	3
3. A pure metal rod half immersed vertically in water starts corroding at the bottom. Give reasons.	2	3
4. Welded joint is preferred to riveted one. Why ?	2	3
5. Explain the term bottom up approach in nanochemistry.	3	2
6. What makes the nano materials more superior than bulk materials?	3	2
7. How is a photochemical reaction differing from thermal reactions?	4	2
8. State Stark Einstein's law of photochemical equivalence.	4	2
9. Compare how water gas is superior to producer gas.	5	4
10. Calculate the Gross calorific value of a coal sample having the following composition. C = 84 %; H = 5.5 %; O = 8.4 %; S = 1.5 %; N = 0.6%.	5	4

**PART- B (5 x 14 = 70 Marks)**

	Marks	CO	RBT LEVEL
11. (a) How would you apply reverse osmosis for desalination of water and brief	(14)	1	3

out electro dialysis process with its significance?

(OR)

- (b) With a neat sketch explain the zeolite process for softening of hard water. (14) 1 3  
Write its merits and demerits.
12. (a) Explain the mechanism of chemical corrosion and summarize the intensity (14) 2 2  
of corrosion varying with the nature of oxide layer formation over metal.  
(OR)
- (b) Discuss the cathodic protection of metals with suitable examples. (14) 2 2
13. (a) Write the applications of nano materials in any six fields. (14) 3 2  
(OR)
- (b) Explain laser ablation and CVD methods of synthesizing nano materials (14) 3 2  
with a neat diagram.
14. (a) Write a note on the radiative and non-radiative transitions of photo physical (14) 4 2  
process with a neat diagram.  
(OR)
- (b) Explain the instrumentation and operating principle of IR spectroscopy. (14) 4 2  
Write its applications.
15. (a) Describe the analysis of flue gas by Orsat Apparatus. What conclusion can (14) 5 3  
be drawn from the experiment?  
(OR)
- (b) Explain the ultimate analysis of coal with its significance. (14) 5 3

**PART- C (1 x 10 = 10 Marks)**

(Q.No.16 is compulsory)

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| 16. Give an account on principle, instrumentation and application of UV-Visible spectroscopy. | (10)  | 4  | 2            |

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