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# APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

First Semester B.Tech Degree Regular and Supplementary Examination December 2022 (2019 Scheme)

### **Course Code: CYT 100 Course Name: ENGINEERING CHEMISTRY** (2019 - Scheme)

Max. Marks: 100 **Duration: 3 Hours** PART A Marks Answer all questions, each carries 3 marks Describe different types of electrodes of an electrochemical cell. (3) What will be the standard electrode potential of  $Ni^{2+}$  / Ni electrode if the cell (3) potential of the cell Ni / Ni  $^{2+}$  (0.1M) // Cu $^{2+}$  (0.01M) / Cu is 0.59 V at 25°C?  $E^0 Cu^{2+} / Cu = 0.34 V.$ Arrange the molecules in the increasing order of their  $\lambda_{max}$ . Justify your answer. (3) b) a) c) Give three applications of IR spectroscopy. (3) Define R<sub>f</sub> value. What is its use in chromatography? (3) Write a note on sol-gel method of nanoparticle synthesis. (3) What is keto-enol tautomerism? Show how propan-2-one is transformed to its (3) enol form. Draw the structure of two different conformers of mono methyl cyclohexane. (3) Which form is more stable and why? Explain any two methods for de-chlorination. (3) 10 What are the important sources of water pollution? (3) PART B Answer one full question from each module, each question carries 14 marks. MODULE 1 Derive the Nernst Equation for a cell. Explain any three application of Nernst (10) 11 a)

- Equation. b) Calculate the conductivity of a given sample of water at 298 K which shows a (4)
  - conductance of 620 µS in the given cell at 298K. A standard solution of 0.1M

KCl shows a conductance of 12.34 mS in that cell. (Given that conductivity of 0.1 M KCl at 298 K is 0.01288 Scm<sup>-1</sup>.

- 12 a) What are reference electrodes? Give examples for primary reference and (9) secondary reference electrodes and give their electrode reactions.
  - b) Calculate the emf of the cell Fe/Fe<sup>2+</sup>(0.01)//Ag+(0.1) /Ag at 298 K if standard (5) electrode potentials of Fe and Ag are -0.44 V and 0.8 V respectively. Write the cell reaction.

## **MODULE 2**

- a) Explain chemical shift. Discuss any four factors affecting chemical shift with (10) proper examples.
  - b) Describe the vibrational modes of carbon dioxide and determine which ones (4) absorb infrared radiation.
- 14 a) What is spin-spin coupling? Draw the NMR spectra with spin-spin coupling of (8)
  (i) 1-chloropropane, (ii) 2-chloropropane, (iii) 2, 2-dichloropropane.
  - b) Discuss the instrumentation of UV-visible spectroscopy with labelled sketch. (6)
     Write two applications of UV-visible spectroscopy.

## MODULE 3

- 15 a) Explain the principle, instrumentation, working and applications of differential (10) thermal analysis.
  - b) Explain the instrumentation of scanning electron microscope with a neat sketch. (4)
- 16 a) Explain the principle, instrumentation, working and applications of high (10) performance liquid chromatography.
  - b) Describe the classification of nanomaterials based on dimension. (4)

# MODULE 4

- 17 a) Explain the construction and working of OLED with the help of a neat labelled (8) sketch.
  - b) Write the Fischer projection structure for all the optical isomers possible for (6) tartaric acid (HOOC-CH(OH)-CH(OH)-COOH)? Classify them as optically active or inactive and give reason for your answer.
- 18 a) Explain the classification of conducting polymer.(8)
  - b) Write the structure of all possible isomers for C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>9</sub>Cl. Classify them as optically (6) active or inactive.

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### **MODULE 5**

- a) Define COD (chemical oxygen demand) and briefly explain the procedure for the (8) estimation of COD.
  - b) 100 ml of sewage water sample after reaction with a fixed amount of acidified (6) dichromate solution consumes 18 mL, 0.12 N ferrous solutions. For the blank titration the ferrous solution consumed is 27 mL, find the COD of sewage water.

(4)

- 20 a) Explain the various steps involved in municipal water treatment. (10)
  - b) Explain breakpoint chlorination with the help of the graph

