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B. TECH
(SEM III) THEORY EXAMINATION 2017-18
POLYMER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Time: 3Hours

Max. Marks: 70

Note: Attempt all Sections. Assume missing data, if any.

SECTION A

1. Attempt *all* questions in brief: 2 x 7 = 14

- a. Give the preparation of Buna – N and its one application.
- b. What is polymer composite?
- c. Write short notes on coordination polymerization,
- d. Define plasticizers.
- e. Give two optical properties of polymer.
- f. Define the term polymer fracture.
- g. Write the application of silicon rubber

SECTION B

2. Attempt any *three* of the following: 3 X 7 = 21

- a. Discuss the preparation, properties and application of Teflon and PVC
- b. Write the mechanism of formation of PMMA by anionic polymerization.
- c. What do you understand by isotactic chain and syndiotactic chain?
- d. Discuss the mechanism of Zeigler-Natta polymerization. write the structure of stereo-regular polypropylene.
- e. What are initiators? Show the generation of free radicals by the decomposition of Benzoyl peroxide and persulphate.

SECTION C

3. Attempt any *one* part of the following: 1 X 7 = 7

- (a) Write notes on the following
 - (i) Epoxy resins
 - (ii) Urea-formaldehyde resins.
- (b) What are composite polymer? Give in brief the applications of composite polymers.

4. Attempt any *one* part of the following: 1 X 7 = 7

- (a) Differentiate between addition and condensation polymerization.
- (b) Write short notes on conducting polymers.

5. Attempt any *one* part of the following: **1 X 7 = 7**

- (a) Explain the Kinetics of cationic polymerization,
- (b) What are high performance polymers? Give the structure, properties and application of Fluoro polymers.

6. Attempt any *one* part of the following: **1 X 7 = 7**

- (a) What is natural rubber? Write its limitation. Discuss the vulcanization of rubber.
- (b) Explain the mechanism of co-ordination polymerization.

7. Attempt any *one* part of the following: **1 X 7 = 7**

- (a) Discuss the application of polymers in space and sport field.
- (b) What do you understand by Linear polyethylene (HDPE) and nylon 6.