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JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, HYDERABAD B. Tech I Year Examinations, May/June-2013

ENGINEERING CHEMISTRY

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Answer any five questions
All questions carry equal marks

- 1.a) What are reference electrodes? Explain the construction and functioning of Quinhydrone electrode?
 - b) What are batteries? How are they classified? Explain the construction and, functioning of the Lead-Acid Cell.
- 2.a) What is oxidation corrosion and how does it takes place? Explain the mechanism of oxidation corrosion.
 - b) Explain the process of galvanizing and tinning.
- 3.a) Write brief account on
 - i) Conducting polymers ii) Liquid Crystal polymers
 - b) What is vulcanization of rubber? How does it improves the properties of natural rubber?
 - c) Differentiate thermoplastic resins from thermosetting resins.
- 4.a) Write short notes on the following
 - i) Calgon conditioning ii) Carbonate conditioning
 - Describe the causes and effects of scale formation.
 - c) A sample of hard water contains the following dissolved salts per liter. $CO_2 = 44$ mg, $Ca(HCO_3)_2 = 16.4$ mg, $Mg(HCO_3)_2 = 14.6$ mg, $CaCl_2 = 111$ mg, $MgSO_4 = 12$ mg, and $CaSO_4 = 13.6$ mg. Calculate the temporary and permanent hardness of water in 0 Fr and 0 Clarke.
- 5.a) What are colloids? Discuss their optical and electrical properties.
 - b) Differentiate between physisorption and chemisorption.
- 6.a) Explain the ultimate analysis of a solid fuel and its significance.
 - b) What is cracking? How gasoline is obtained from fixed bed catalytic cracking.
- 7.a) What is meant by heat treatment of steel? Explain the different heat treatment processes carried out with relevant applications.
 - b) Distinguish between the triple point and eutectic point.
- 8.a) Distinguish between hydrodynamic lubrication and boundary lubrication.
 - b) How Portland cement manufactured by dry process? What is the role of gypsum in cement?

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