

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**BE - SEMESTER-IV(NEW) – EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2019****Subject Code:2142305****Date:25/05/2019****Subject Name: Applied Mathematics in Plastic Industry****Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks
4. Do not write anything on the question paper except seat no

- Q.1** (a) Define, 1) Newtonian Fluid, 2) Bingham plastic, 3) viscoelastic fluid **03**
(b) Write a short note on Residence and Relaxation Times **04**
(c) Which are the different Mathematical Models available for Viscoelastic Behavior? Explain any one in detail. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Describe Fourier number and temperature gradient **03**
(b) State and explain Power law. **04**
(c) Explain the Rheological model for polymer melt flow **07**
- OR**
- (c) Explain Enthalpy calculations for Injection moulding **07**
- Q.3** (a) Write a short note on thermal conductivity on Plastics. **03**
(b) Explain the radius of gyration of linear ideal chain **04**
(c) Explain the radius of gyration of an ideal branched polymer(kramers theorem) **07**
- OR**
- Q.3** (a) Derive the equation for Temperature Rise in Die, $\Delta T = \frac{P}{\rho C_p}$ where ρ is the density of the fluid and C_p is its specific heat. **03**
(b) Explain Heat Transfer Phenomena in Plastic Processing. **04**
(c) Write a short note on radius of gyration of rod polymer. **07**
- Q.4** (a) Write a short note on strength of composites for Fiber reinforced materials. **03**
(b) Write a short note on Creep. **04**
(c) Describe Mathematical Models of Visco-elastic Behavior through Maxwell model. **07**
- OR**
- Q.4** (a) Discuss the Stress Strain behaviour of plastic materials. **03**
(b) Write a short note on Isometric and Isochronous graphs with neat sketch. **04**
(c) Explain Kelvin Voigt Model. **07**
- Q.5** (a) Define Drag flow, Pressure flow and Leakage flows. **03**
(b) The density of a composite made from unidirectional glass fibers in an epoxy matrix is 1950 kg/m^3 . If the densities of the glass and epoxy are known to be 2540 kg/m^3 and 1300 kg/m^3 , Calculate the weight fraction of fibers in the composite. **04**

- (c) A single screw extruder is to be used to manufacture a nylon rod 5 mm in diameter at a production rate of 1.5 m³/min. Using the following information, calculate the required screw speed. 07

Nylon	Extruder	Die
Viscosity = 420 Ns/m ²	Diameter = 30 mm	Length = 4 mm
Density (solid) = 1140 kg/m ³	Length = 750 mm	Diameter = 5 mm
Density (melt) = 790 kg/m ³	Screw flight angle = 17.7°	
	Metering channel depth = 2.5 mm	

Die swelling effects may be ignored and the melt viscosity can be assumed to be constant.

OR

- Q.5** (a) Discuss the analysis of Blow moulding operation, 03
- (b) A polyethylene injection moulding is in the form of a flat sheet 100 mm square and 3 mm thick. If the melt temperature is 230°, the mould temperature is 30° and the plastics may be ejected at a centre line temperature of 90° estimate 04
- a) The temperature of the material at the centre of the moulding after 7 seconds.
 - b) The time taken for the centre of the moulding to reach the ejection temperature of 90°
- Take temperature gradient 0.58 and fourier number 0.59 & $\alpha = 1 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$.
- (c) A blow moulding die has an outside diameter of 30 mm and an inside diameter of 27 mm. The parison is inflated with a pressure of 0.4 MN/m² to produce a plastic bottle of diameter 50 mm. If the extrusion rate used causes a thickness swelling ratio of 2, estimate the wall thickness of the bottle. Comment on the suitability of the production conditions if melt fracture occurs at a stress of 6 MN/m² 07

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