

## FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND INFORMATICS

B.E. I - Year (Old) Examination, May / June 2015

Subject : Engineering Chemistry

Time : 3 hours

Max. Marks : 75

*Note: Answer all questions from Part-A. Answer any FIVE questions from Part-B.*

### PART — A (25 Marks)

- 1 Free energy change for a reaction involving two electrons in a cell is -125 kJ/mole. Calculate emf of the cell. 3
- 2 How can you predict the spontaneous nature of reaction from electrochemical series.? 3
- 3 Carnot cycle operates between source temperature of  $150^{\circ}\text{C}$ , and sink temperature of  $50^{\circ}\text{C}$  and absorbs 250 Joules of heat from source. Calculate the work produced by carnot cycle. 3
- 4 Explain the importance of phase rule. 2
- 5 Explain the cause for prevention of corrosion of metal by paint. 2
- 6 What is the importance of calcium carbonate equivalent in water chemistry and define PPM? 3
- 7 How will you distinguish plastic from elastomer? 2
- 8 How are the silicone polymer chains cured : or cross-linked? 2
- 9 Give the uses and composition of diesel and petrol. 3
- 10 Give the principle of rocket propulsion 2

### PART — B (50 Marks)

- 11 a) Distinguish reversible cell from irreversible cell with examples. 4  
 b) Give construction, half Cell notation, Nernst equation and significance of hydrogen electrode. 6
- 12 a) Describe Carnot theorem and give its significance. 4  
 b) Give the importance of free energy and drawback of entropy with derivation of criteria for spontaneity and equilibrium in terms of these two. 6
- 13 a) Compare with examples and chemical reactions of galvanic corrosion with differential aeration corrosion. 6  
 b) Explain the electroplating of Nickel. 4
- 14 a) Give the differences between thermoset and thermoplastic resins with examples. 5  
 b) Give the preparation and applications of carbon nanotubes. 5
- 15 a) Explain with flow diagram of cracking by fixed bed catalytic cracking and its significance. 6  
 b) Define and give the importance of octane number and cetane number. 4
- 16 Give the construction and chemical reactions during the operation of the cells as given below 5+5  
 a) Methanol-oxygen fuel cell                      b) Nickel-cadmium battery
- 17 a) Discuss the phase diagram of water system with its significance. 6  
 b) Discuss the importance of breakpoint chlorination with graph in water chemistry. 4

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