

I B.Tech Year(RR) Supplementary Examinations, May/June 2010  
APPLIED CHEMISTRY  
(Civil Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 80

Answer any FIVE Questions  
All Questions carry equal marks

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1. (a) What is corrosion? How is it different from erosion? Explain the term passivity with suitable examples. [8]  
(b) Give an account of the oxidation corrosion with relevant chemical equations involved. [8]
2. (a) (a) Give a brief account of cathodic protection method of preventing corrosion. [8]  
(b) Write a brief account on anodic coatings. [8]
3. Compare the following  
(a) Drying oils with semidrying oils [5]  
(b) Varnishes with emulsion paints [6]  
(c) Lacquers with enamels [5]
4. (a) What is natural rubber ?  
(b) How is crude rubber obtained from latex ?  
(c) Write a note on preparation and uses of buna-S rubber.
5. (a) Describe a method for estimating temporary hardness of water using Hehner's procedure. [8]  
(b) Outline the EDTA method for determining the permanent hardness of water. [8]
6. (a) What are the important sources of water ? [4]  
(b) Why is rain water the purest form of natural waters ? [2]  
(c) Calculate the temporary, permanent and total hardness in ppm units of a sample of water containing the following salts: [8]  
 $Mg(HCO_3)_2 = 14.6$  mg/litre;  $Ca(HCO_3)_2 = 16.2$  mg/litre;  $MgCl_2 = 9.5$  mg/litre;  
 $CaSO_4 = 13.6$  mg/litre;  $NaCl = 5.85$  mg/litre; suspended impurities = 5.5 mg/litre.
7. (a) What are refractories ? How are they useful in metallurgical industries ? [8]  
(b) Write a note on various types of gaseous dielectrics. [8]
8. (a) What is Portland cement? Why is it so named? [8]  
(b) Explain the different ingredients of cement. [8]

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