



Continuous Assessment Test - I

Programme Name & Branch: B.Tech Chemical Engineering

Course Name & Code:

Polymer Technology & CHE1019

Class Number: VL2019205003894 Slot: D2+TD2 Exam Duration: 1.5 hrs Maximum Marks: 50

General instruction(s): Answer all the questions

| S.No. | Question | marks) |
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| 1. | Classify and explain the different types of polymers based on the molecular forces of attraction. | 10 |
| 2. | Write short notes on | |
| | (a) Solution polymerization (b) Bulk polymerization | 10 |
| 3. | Mention the advantages and disadvantages of suspension polymerization with respect to other polymerization process. | 10 |
| A | What is initiator? How initiator is formed? Explain the decomposition behaviour of initiators? | 10 |
| | Calculate the number-average molecular weight of a random nitrile rubber [poly(acrylonitrile-butadiene) copolymer]. Data given: 1. Fraction of butadiene repeat units, $f_{Bu} = 0.30$ (=> fraction of acrylonitrile repeat units, $f_{Ac} = 0.70$) 2. Degree of polymerization = 2000 Assumption: Given data is accurate; the material is pure. | 10 |