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DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY
CHEMISTRY OF SMART MATERIALS AND DEVICES
22CHY12A

Time: 03 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

Instructions to candidates:

1. Answer all questions from Part A. Part A questions should be answered in first three pages of the answer book only.
2. Answer FIVE full questions from Part B. In Part B question number 2 and 11 are compulsory. Answer any one full question from 3 and 4, one full question from 5 and 6, one full question from 7 & 8 and one full question from 9 & 10.

PART-A

1	1.1	Outline any one requirement of biodegradable polymers.	1
	1.2	What are hydrogels?	1
	1.3	What is Topological index of a molecule?	1
	1.4	What are skeleton graphs used in chemical systems for depicting chemical graphs?	1
	1.5	Name any one polymeric material used in electronic memory devices?	1
	1.6	What is the role of polarizer in LCD's?	1
	1.7	Identify the Band gap existing in the oxidized form of polyaniline	1
	1.8	Name the reducing agent used in the synthesis of Graphene oxide in modified Hummer's method	1
	1.9	List one example for reserve batteries?	1
	1.10	Justify the role of Solid Electrolyte Interphase in Lithium-Ion battery	1

PART-B

2	a	What is green Chemistry? Explain any three principles of green chemistry?	7
	b	Briefly mention the different steps involved in recycling process of E -Waste and explain in detail about the hydrometallurgical extraction of metals from e-waste.	7
3	a	Explain the cooperativity of hydrogen bonds in biological systems by taking an example?	7
	b	What are optimization algorithms and compare any two algorithms which can be used for finding the minimum or maximum of a function in a molecule	7
OR			
4	a	Explain the difference between QSAR & QSPR, which are used to predict the properties of molecules	7
	b	Illustrate the electrostatic interaction existing in protein molecules and explain the relation for calculating the electrostatic force between two- point charges in an ion pair?	7
5	a	Outline the importance of green computing and explain about memory devices based on bio-composites	7
	b	Explain the different steps involved in the manufacturing of semiconductor chips.	7
OR			
6	a	Summarize the classification of electronic memory devices based on device structure.	7

	b	Identify the difference between photo active and electroactive materials & explain the construction and working of organic light emitting diode with the help of a neat, labelled diagram.	7
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7	a	What are Carbon Nanotubes? Explain the synthesis of CNT's by Modified CVD Method and its growth mechanism?	7
	b	What are Piezoelectric sensors? Explain the working principle of piezoelectric sensors and list out the applications.	7

OR

8	a	Explain the classifications and working principle of RFID Devices. List out any two applications of RFID devices.	7
	b	What are electrochemical Sensors? Explain the working principle and application of electrochemical sensor by taking one example.	7

9	a	Summarize the importance of supercapacitors and explain the structural differences of the existing three types of supercapacitors?	7
	b	With the help of neat, labelled diagram, explain the construction, and working principle of the DSSCs.	7

OR

10	a	Explain the construction, working and discharging & charging reactions of the Li-CoO ₂ battery with the help of a neat, labelled diagram,	7
	b	What is organic photovoltaic cell? Explain the working mechanism of organic solar cells?	7

11	a	What is iodometry? Explain the principle and procedure followed in iodometric estimation of cu present in PCB Solution. Identify the role of urea, NH ₄ OH, HNO ₃ and acetic acid in the experiment.	10
	b	What is the difference between the atomic emission technique & atomic absorption techniques used in the instrumental analysis of samples. Outline the principle and procedure of colorimetric estimation of copper in the given solution.	10