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**3 Hours / 100 Marks**

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- Instructions* –
- (1) All Questions are *Compulsory*.
  - (2) Answer each next main Question on a new page.
  - (3) Illustrate your, answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.
  - (4) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
  - (5) Abbreviation used convey usual meaning.
  - (6) Assume suitable data, if necessary.
  - (7) Mobile Phone, Pager and any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.

**Marks**

1. a) **Answer any SIX of the following:** **12**
- (i) Classify the polymers based on their origin. Give an example of each.
  - (ii) Draw the structure of Ziegler-Natta catalyst.
  - (iii) Write any four applications of HDPE.
  - (iv) Write any four applications of LDPE.
  - (v) Write full form of ABS and PTFE.
  - (vi) Define thermosets. List any two thermosets.
  - (vii) Enlist any four additives required for compounding of polymers.
  - (viii) Give the classification of fillers.

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- b) **Answer any TWO of the following:** **8**
- (i) Write four properties and applications of PAN.
  - (ii) Compare PET and PBT based on their properties.
  - (iii) State manufacturing principle of bismaleimide.  
Write its four properties.
2. **Answer any FOUR of the following:** **16**
- a) Compare suspension and bulk polymerization technique.  
(minimum four points of comparison)
  - b) Explain the principle of manufacturing of PVC by cracking process.
  - c) Represent the structure of cellulose. Write its any four natural sources.
  - d) Enumerate four properties and applications of polyphenylene oxide.
  - e) Define unsaturated polyester. State their four applications.
  - f) Explain with a diagram the tumbler mixer used in compounding.
3. **Answer any FOUR of the following:** **16**
- a) Write any four properties and applications of polypropylene.
  - b) Represent the structure of polymethyl methacrylate. Write its four properties.
  - c) Explain the principle of manufacturing of PBT. Write reaction involved in it.
  - d) Compare nylon 6 and nylon 66 based on their properties.
  - e) Draw and explain the structure of epoxy.
  - f) State the functions and selection criteria of flame retardants.

- 4. Answer any FOUR of the following:** **16**
- a) Explain the manufacturing of polystyrene by suspension polymerisation technique.
  - b) Represent the structure of polyvinyl acetate. State its manufacturing principle.
  - c) Enumerate any four properties and applications of polyacetals.
  - d) Write the reactions involved in preparation of urea formaldehyde resin.
  - e) Enlist any four properties and applications of PPS.
  - f) Explain with a diagram high speed mixer used in compounding.
- 5. Answer any FOUR of the following:** **16**
- a) Write any four properties and applications of high impact polystyrene.
  - b) Enlist any four properties and applications of polyvinyl acetate.
  - c) How is cellulose acetate manufactured? Write reaction involved and catalyst used in it.
  - d) What is the trade name of PTFE? State its any four properties and applications.
  - e) Enlist four properties and applications of phenol formaldehyde resin.
  - f) (i) State selection criteria of lubricants.  
(ii) Enlist its functions.

**6. Answer any FOUR of the following:****16**

- a) How is HDPE manufactured? State its any four properties.
  - b) What are the raw materials used for PET manufacturing.  
Write reaction involved in its manufacturing.
  - c) State the principle of manufacturing of CAB. Write its four properties.
  - d) How is polycarbonate prepared? Write reaction involved in it.
  - e) Enumerate any four properties and applications of ethylene vinyl acetate.
  - f) Explain with a diagram continuous mixer used for compounding.
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