# 12425 3 Hours / 70 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) Assume suitable data, if necessary.
- (6) Use of Non-programmable Electronic Pocket Calculator is permissible.

Marks

#### 1. Answer any FIVE:

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- (a) Give any two examples each of
  - (i) Inorganic membrane material
  - (ii) Synthetic membrane material
- (b) Explain principle of reverse osmosis.
- (c) Give different types of membrane fouling.
- (d) Give any two industrial applications of membrane technology.
- (e) Name any two cation exchange resin and anion exchange resin.
- (f) Define irreversible fouling.
- (g) Define membrane modules.

#### 2. Answer any THREE:

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- (a) Explain principle and advantages of membrane technology.
- (b) Explain the concept of bio fouling factor.



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(c) Compare membrane separation process with conventional separation processes.

(d) Compare membrane distillation and conventional distillation.

## 3. Answer any THREE:

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- (a) Give any two industrial application each of
  - (i) Ultrafiltration and (ii) Microfiltration.
- (b) Compare reversible and irreversible fouling.
- (c) Explain polymerics and ceramic membrane materials.
- (d) Explain the concept of dialysis in detail.

### 4. Answer any THREE:

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- (a) Compare plate and frame module, hollow fila. module, spiral wound module.
- (b) Distinguish microfiltration and ultrafiltration.
- (c) Explain working of ion exchange equipment.
- (d) Describe future scope of nanotechnology.
- (e) Explain feasibility of membrane technology in chemical industry.

# 5. Answer any TWO:

12

- (a) Draw neat and labelled sketch of Electrodialysis.
- (b) Explain mechanism involved in fouling of membrane.
- (c) With neat labelled diagram explain construction and working of membrane bioreactor.

## 6. Answer any TWO:

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- (a) Distinguish osmosis and reverse osmosis with neat sketch.
- (b) Explain tabular membrane module with schematic drawing. Give any two disadvantages of this module.
- (c) Explain the factors responsible for membrane fouling.