UNIT I: **12 Hours**

Cell Structure and Functions: Structure of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells, intracellular organelles and their functions, comparison of animal and plant cells. Overview of metabolic processes – catabolism and anabolism. ATP- the biological energy currency. Origin of life – unique properties of carbon, chemical evolution and rise of living systems.

Lipids: Fatty acids, essential fatty acids, structure and function of triacylglycerides, glycerophospholipids, sphingolipids, cholesterol, bile acids, prostaglandins.

Lipoproteins: composition and function, role in atherosclerosis, properties of lipid aggregates, micelles, bilayers, liposomes and their biological functions. Biological membranes- Fluid mosaic model of membrane structure. Lipid metabolism (-oxidation of fatty acids).

UNIT II: **12 Hours**

Enzymes: Introduction**,** Classification, Enzyme substrate complex formation models: Lock and Key model, Host-Guest and Induced- Fit model. Factors affecting enzyme activity (pH, temperature), enzyme inhibition (reversible and irreversible) and immobilised enzymes. Examples of some typical enzyme mechanisms for Triose phosphate isomerase, α- Carboxy peptidase-A and Ribonuclease. Enzymatic synthesis of α-amino acids and peptides. Transformations of lipases and esterases. Kinetic resolutions of catboxylic acids, esters and alcohols-Transesterification. Enzymatic synthesis of α-amino acids and peptides. Transformations of lipases and esterases.

Coenzymes **12 Hours**

Introduction. Co factors - cosubstrates - prosthetic groups. Classification-Vitamin derived coenzymes and metabolite coenzymes. Structure and biological functions of coenzyme A, thiamine pyrophosphate (TPP), pyridoxal phosphate (PLP), oxidized and reduced forms of nicotinamide adenosine dinucleotide / their phosphates (NAD, NADH, $NADP^+$, NADPH), Flavin adenine nucleotide (FAD, FADH2), Flavin mononucleotide (FMN, FMNH2) and tetrahydrofolate. Adenosine triphosphate (ATP) and adenosine diphosphate (ADP). Mechanism of reactions catalyzed by the above coenzymes.

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2. Biochemistry – L Stryer, W H Freeman.
3. Biochemistry – J David Rawn and Neil Patters.
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5. Outlines of Biochemistry – E E Conn and P K Stumpf. John Wiley.
6. Enzyme structure and mechanism - Fersht and Freeman
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9. Bioorganic chemistry - A chemical approach to enzyme action - Herman Dugas and Christopher Penney.

OC E 456 : ENVIRONMENTAL, ELECTRO AND POLYMER CHEMISTRY

COURSE OUTCOME:

- It is an elective course offered to students from disciplines other than chemistry.

- It aims at enhancing their general understanding of chemistry. Few important topics such as sources and detection of air pollution, batteries as power sources, devices of solar energy conversion,
- polymers used in day to day life and for medical and technical applications will be taught.
- Awareness of plastic pollution and technique of plastic waste management

UNIT-I: **[12 Hours]**

Environmental segments, evolution of earth's atmosphere. Air pollution: Air pollutants, prevention and control, Green house gases and acid rain. Carbon monoxide, industrial sources and transportation sources. SO_x- sources, ambient concentration, test methods, control techniques - scrubbing, limestone injection process. Ozone hole and CFC's. Photochemical smog and PAN. NO_x - Sources, ambient concentration, test methods, thermodynamics and NO_x, control techniques. Particulates: Size distribution, particulate collection - settling chambers, centrifugal separators, wet scrubbers, electrostatic precipitators & fabric filters. Catalytic converters for mobile sources. Bhopal gas tragedy.

UNIT-II **[12 hrs]**

Corrosion: Introduction, consequence, type, prevention, & measurement. Conventional sources of energy, limitations, Importance of storage, Battery-Electrodes, Cell, battery Brief account of primary, secondary, lithium battery and fuel cells. Semiconductor electrodes and Solar energy system. 7 hrs

Introduction to bioelectrochemistry, electrochemical communication in biological organisms.

Theory and applications of Electroplating and electroless plating. 7hrs .

Reaction Kinetics-Theory and applications of different types of reactions- Oscillatory, chain reaction, branched chain reaction. . Energy of activation and thermodynamic parameters, Collision theory of reaction rates limitations and basics of transition state theory. 5 hrs

UNIT- III **[12 hrs]**

Polymers: Introduction-Basic concepts and classification of polymers, Molecular weight and its distribution, Chemistry of polymerization- Step, chain, Coordination, Copolymerization. Polymerization techniques- bulk, solution, suspension, emulsion, poly-condensation, solid and gas phase polymerization. Chemical and geometrical structure of polymer molecules, Structure property relationship- Physical, Thermal and mechanical properties 6hrs

Synthesis, properties, structural features and applications of some important commercial polymers (PE, PP,PS, PVC, PMMA, PET, Nylon-6,Nylon-6,6) , Engineering polymers (Kevlar, Nomex, ABS, PC, Teflon). Applications of polymers in separations: reverse osmosis, ultra and nano-filtration. Applications in electronics- conducting polymers and electronic shielding, Applications of polymers in medicine.

Management of plastics in environment- recycling, incineration and biodegradation.
6hrs

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3. Sawyer and McCarty, Chemistry for Environmental Engineering(McGraw Hill) 1978.
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5.Chemical& Electrochemical Energy Systems, R. Narayan & B. Viswanathan (University Press), 1998.
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