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ACS 555

IV Semester M.Sc. Degree Examination, Sept./Oct. 2022 (Freshers and Repeaters) (CBCS – 2016-17 Syllabus) APPLIED CHEMISTRY Applied Electrochemistry

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 70

Note: 1) Answer Part – **A** and **any four** from Part – **B**.

2) Figures to the **right** indicate marks.

PART - A

1. Answer the following sub divisions.

 $(9 \times 2 = 18)$

- a) What are primary and secondary batteries? Give an example for each.
- b) Calculate the Energy density of a 2 kg battery discharging a current of 1.0 A with an average voltage of about 1.45V.
- c) Write any two characteristics and applications of bio-sensors.
- d) Explain the principle of electrophoretic painting.
- e) Give the principle and applications of electroforming.
- f) List the characteristics of good deposits.
- g) Explain figure of merit in an electrolytic process.
- h) Give the principle of brine electrolysis.
- i) Illustrate the Kolbes synthesis.

PART - B

Answer **any four** of the following:

- 2. a) Give an account of construction and working of:
 - i) Leclanche dry battery and
 - ii) Zn-alkaline battery.

Compare their merits.

b) Why lithium is very widely used in battery industry? Discuss the construction and working of lithium-ion battery.

(8+5=13)





- 3. a) What are ion-selective electrodes? Give their analytical and biological applications.
 - b) Discuss the construction and working of an H₂-O₂ fuel cell.
 - c) Write a brief note on electrochemical communication in biological systems.

 (5+5+3=13)
- 4. a) Discuss the principle and procedure of electroplating of metals.
 - b) Write a note on metal production by electrowinning.
 - c) Outline the method of removal of dissolved chromium from liquors. (4+4+5=13)
- 5. a) Explain the production of metals carried out by electro refining process.
 - b) Write a brief note on:
 - i) Global warming and
 - ii) Fixing of CO₂.
 - c) Give an account of electroless plating.

(3+4+6=13)

- 6. a) Give an account of the following:
 - i) Costing and technology of electrolytic process.
 - ii) Electroorganic synthesis by reduction process.
 - b) List the various electrolysis parameters and explain any two of them.
 - c) Explain how the electroinorganic synthesis of ozone is carried out. (6+4+3=13)
- 7. a) How are the metal salts synthesized by anodic dissolution?
 - b) Discuss the technological developments related to electrode materials and membranes in a chlor-alkali industry.
 - c) Explain the electro-inorganic synthesis of fluorine. (4+6+3=13)
