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APJ ABDUL KALAM TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

B.Tech Degree S1 (R,S) Examination December 2025 (2024 Scheme)

Course Code: GXCYT122

Course Name: CHEMISTRY FOR INFORMATION SCIENCE /
ELECTRICAL SCIENCE

Max. Marks: 60

Duration: 2 hours 30 minutes

PART A

(Answer all questions. Each question carries 3 marks)

		CO	Marks
1	Write any three applications of electrochemical series with suitable examples.	CO1	(3)
2	Point out the advantages of electroless plating over electroplating.	CO1	(3)
3	What is fire retardant polymers? Give two examples.	CO2	(3)
4	Explain the sol-gel method for the synthesis of nanomaterials.	CO2	(3)
5	Predict the possible electronic transitions in the following molecules? Which among the following molecules give $n \rightarrow \pi^*$ transition? Give reason. a) Ethane b) Ethanol c) Ethyl acetate	CO3	(3)
6	Demonstrate the IR activity of CO ₂ . What are the specific vibrational modes involved?	CO3	(3)
7	Write any three sustainable development goals.	CO4	(3)
8	Calculate the carbonate and noncarbonate hardness of the water sample containing 80mg/L of Ca(HCO ₃) ₂ , 70 mg/L of Mg(HCO ₃) ₂ , 48 mg/L of MgCl ₂ and 30 mg/L of CaSO ₄ .	CO4	(3)

PART B

(Answer any one full question from each module, each question carries 9 marks)

Module -1

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| 9 | a) | Explain the construction and working of Li ion cell? | CO1 | (5) |
| | b) | Explain the determination of standard electrode potential of Zn using calomel electrode as the reference electrode. | CO1 | (4) |

- 10 a) With the help of a neat labelled diagram give the construction and working of H_2 - O_2 fuel cell. CO1 (5)
- b) Explain the electrochemical mechanism of corrosion of iron in presence of sufficient amount of oxygen in alkaline medium. CO1 (4)

Module -2

- 11 a) Explain the construction and working of dye sensitised solar cells (DSSCs). CO2 (6)
- b) What is the difference between carbon nanotubes and graphene? List out any two applications of graphene. CO2 (3)
- 12 a) Describe how nanomaterials are classified based on dimension. CO2 (6)
- b) Explain the chemical method for the synthesis of polyaniline. CO2 (3)

Module -3

- 13 a) Describe the instrumentation and working of dielectric thermal analysis (DETA). CO3 (6)
- b) State the law governing absorption of light by an absorbing solution. Give its graphical representation. CO3 (3)
- 14 a) Illustrate the possible electronic transitions in organic molecules, along with relevant examples. CO3 (6)
- b) List any three applications of scanning electron microscopy. CO3 (3)

Module -4

- 15 a) What is break point of chlorination? Write any two advantages of chlorination. CO4 (3)
- b) How do chlorofluorocarbon contribute to ozone depletion? CO4 (3)
- c) Mention the benefits of recycling and recovery of e-waste. CO4 (3)
- 16 a) Explain the trickling filter method in sewage treatment with a neat labelled sketch. CO4 (5)
- b) Explain the method for desalination of water by reverse osmosis. CO4 (4)
