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FOURTH SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2021 (CBCSS - PG)

CC19P CHE4 C12 - INSTRUMENTAL METHODS OF ANALYSIS

(Chemistry - Core Course)

(2019 Admission - Regular)

Time: Three Hours

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Maximum: 30 Weightage

Section A

Answer any *eight* questions. Each question carries 1 weightage.

- 1. What is meant by the term 'confidence limit'?
- 2. Comment on shortcomings of glass electrode.
- 3. What is meant by anodic stripping voltammetry?
- 4. Write a note on student t-test.
- 5. List the factors that affect turbidimetric analysis.
- 6. Discuss the principle of isotopic dilution.
- 7. Explain the function of chopper in AAS.
- 8. What are adsorption indicators?
- 9. Explain the role of monochromator in UV-spectrophotometer.
- 10. Write briefly on amperometric titrations.

$(8 \times 1 = 8 \text{ Weightage})$

Section B

Answer any six questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 11. Write a note on potentiometric titrations. Explain how endpoint detection is done using graphical method?
- 12. Write briefly the principle of fluorometric analysis.
- 13. Write a note on excitation sources used in AES.
- 14. Compare the method of averages and method of least squares for treatment of analytical data.
- 15. Write a note on biosensors.
- 16. Explain diffusion current in polarography.
- 17. Discuss the use of 8-hydroxy quinoline reagent as precipitating agent.
- 18. Explain co-precipitation and post-precipitation in quantitative analysis. How these factors can be avoided?

$(6 \times 2 = 12 \text{ Weightage})$

Section C

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 19. Discuss the principle, instrumentation and applications of HPLC. How is it superior to other chromatographic methods?
- 20. Write a note on optical methods used for determining size and structure of Nano materials.
- 21. Write a note on IR spectrophotometry. Comment on signal to noise ratio.
- 22. Write a note on classification of errors in treatment of analytical data.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ weightage})$
