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# FOURTH SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025

(CBCSS-PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

# CC19P CHE4 C12 - INSTRUMENTAL METHODS OF ANALYSIS

(Chemistry)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 Hours Maximum: 30 Weightage

#### Section A

Answer any eight questions. Each question carries 1 weightage.

- 1. What are the specifications of sample holders used in UV-Visible spectrophotometry?
- 2. Differentiate between nephelometry and turbidimetry.
- 3. Give an account of spark sources used in atomic emission spectroscopy.
- 4. Give an account of stationary and mobile phases in TLC.
- 5. What are the important characteristics of support materials used in GLC?
- 6. How is scintillation produced in NaI(Tl) scintillator?
- 7. Give an idea about liquid membrane electrodes.
- 8. What is meant by the term precision?
- 9. Explain post precipitaion with suitable example.
- 10. Explain masking and demasking with suitable example.
- 11. Explain Ilkovic equation in amperometric titrations.
- 12. What is meant by kinetic polarization?

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

### **Section B**

Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 13. Give an account of various thermal detectors used in IR spectrophotometry.
- 14. What are the characteristics of stationary phases used in ion exchange chromatography.
- 15. Give an account of the instrumentation and working of DTA.
- 16. Which are the various polarographic techniques? Explain.
- 17. The following values were obtained for the determination of cadmium in a sample of dust: 4.3, 4.1, 4.0 and  $3.2 \mu gg-1$ . Should the value 3.2 be rejected? Q critical is 0.831 for a sample of size of 4.

- 18. Explain the theory of absorption indicators.
- 19. Discuss the applications of Atomic Fluorescence Spectroscopy.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ Weightage})$ 

# **Section C**

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 20. Discuss about the sources and various atomization techniqus used in atomic absorption spectroscopy.
- 21. Give an account of column packing and detectors used in HPLC.
- 22. (a) For titrating 10ml of a solution with the help of microburette, the volumes of the titrant used are 9.98, 9.99, 9.98, 9.95 amd 10.00 ml. Calculate the standard deviation.
  - (b) Wtite a notes on (a) F-test, (b) t-test
- 23. Explain the principle and instrumentation of TEM.

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

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