

**SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY  
VALLABH VIDYANAGAR**



**SYLLABUS EFFECTIVE FROM: 2017-18  
Programme & Subject: M.Sc. (Polymer Science & Technology)  
Semester: I**

<b>Paper Code: PS01CPST21</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Basic Concept in Polymer Science</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Introduction to Polymer Science:</b> Importance of polymers, Basic concepts, Classification of polymers, Thermoplastics, thermosetting behavior, Tacticity in polymers.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Molecular Weight, Glass transition temperature &amp; Crystallization of Polymers:</b> Average molecular weight concept, Polydispersity and molecular weight distribution, Crystallization of polymers, degree of crystallinity, Glass transition temperature (T <sub>g</sub> ).	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Chemistry of polymerization and its techniques:</b> Addition polymerization- free radical, ionic, co-ordination polymerization, Condensation polymerization, Copolymerisation, Polymerization techniques.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Polymer Degradation:</b> Introduction, Types of degradation- thermal degradation, mechanical degradation, degradation by ultrasonic waves, photo degradation, degradation by high-energy radiation, oxidative degradation and hydrolytic degradation and biodegradation.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- A Textbook of Polymers Science, F.W. Billmeyer, John Wiley & Sons, New York, 3rd edn.
- Polymer Science, V.R. Gowariker, New age International, Mumbai.
- Plastics Materials, J. A. Brydson, Butterworth's, London.
- Polymer Technology, Miles & Briston, J. G, Chemical Publishing company, Inc, New York.
- Polymer Science and Technology of Plastics and Rubber, P. Ghosh, McGraw hill, New York.
- Principles of Polymer Chemistry, P. J. Flory, Asian Books.
- Introduction to Polymer Chemistry, R. Saymour.
- Elements of Polymer Degradation, Leo Rach & Salvatores. S. Stivala, McGraw Hill Co.
- Comprehensive polymer science, Pergamon, New York.
- Hand book of biodegradable polymers, Abraham J. Domb, Harwood Academic Publishers.

- Principles of Polymer Science, Bahadur & Sastry, Norsa Publishers, New Delhi.

<b>Paper Code: PS01CPST22</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Industrial Polymers</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Thermoplastics Polymers – I:</b> Synthesis of monomers, Polymerization, Structure related properties, general properties, copolymers and applications of Polyethylene, Chlorosulphonated polyethylene, Polypropylene, Polyvinylchloride & its compounding.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Thermoplastics Polymers – II:</b> Synthesis of monomers, Polymerization, Structure related properties, general properties, copolymers and applications of Polystyrene, Fluorine-containing Polymers, Poly(vinyl acetate) and its derivatives, Acrylic Polymers.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Thermosetting Polymers - I:</b> Synthesis, curing and application of Epoxide resins, Polyester resins, Polyurethanes.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Thermosetting Polymers - II:</b> Synthesis, curing and application of Phenolic resins, Urea-formaldehyde resins, Melamine formaldehyde resins, Furan resins, Silicones & other heat resistance Polymers.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Fundamental principles of polymer materials practices for engineers, Plastics Materials, Stephen L. Rosen, Barnes & Noble, New York.
- Plastics Materials, J. A. Brydson, Butterworths, London.
- Polymer Technology, Miles & Briston, J. G, Chemical Publishing company, Inc, New York.
- Plastics Materials and Processes, Seymour S. Schwartz S.H. Goodman, Van Nostrand Reinhold, New York.
- Plastics Technology, R. V. Milbey, McGraw Hill, Book Company New York,
- Polymer science and Technology of Plastics and Rubber, P. Ghos.
- Handbook of Biodegradable Polymers, Arham J Domb, Joseph Kost & David M Wiseman, Taylor & Francic Group.

<b>Paper Code: PS01CPST23</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Polymer Materials &amp; Recycling</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Engineering Polymers:</b> Intermediates for Polyamides, polymerization of aliphatic polyamides and their structure and applications, Structure, properties and applications of Polyimide,.Polyacetals, Polycarbonates, Polyarylether Ketones, Phenoxo resin, Linear aromatic polyester.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Thermoplastics Elastomers:</b> Introduction, Structure related properties, general properties and applications of various TPE like styrenics, polyesters, thermoplastics poly urethanes (TPU), polyamides and thermoplastics olefinic elastomers (TPO).	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Polymers from green precursor:</b> Introduction, Synthetic absorbable polymers, Natural, Semisynthetic & Biosynthetic polymers.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Polymer Recycling and Waste Management:</b> Introduction - sources of plastics waste, separation techniques - density based sorting, optical sorting, spectroscopic sorting, electrostatic sorting, sorting by size reduction, melting temperature, selective dissolution. Plastics Waste Management – reduction, reuse, repair, recycling, recycling classification, code of practice—primary, secondary, tertiary, quaternary recycling with examples.	<b>25%</b>

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- Plastics Materials, J. A. Brydson, Butterworths, London.
- Polymer Technology, Miles &Briston, J. G, Chemical Publishing company, Inc, New York.
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<b>Paper Code: PS01CPST24</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Practical – Industrial Analysis – I</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	Details to be Worked Out by the Department	<b>100 %</b>

<b>Paper Code: PS01CPST25</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Practical – Industrial Analysis – II</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	Details to be Worked Out by the Department	<b>100 %</b>

<b>Paper Code: PS01EPST21</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Industrial Chemistry – I</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Unit operation - I:</b> <b>Liquid- Liquid Extraction:</b> Choice of solvent for extraction, Binodal solubility curves, Calculations for single stage and multi stage cross & countercurrent extraction, Differential Extractors. <b>Drying:</b> Rate of batch drying, calculations for cross and through circulation drying, Rate of drying for continuous driers, Hold up in rotary driers.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Unit operation - II:</b> <b>Distillation:</b> Ficks law of diffusion, Mass transfer Co-efficients, Various types of Distillation & distillation equipments, Reflux Ratio, Enthalpy concentration method in the design of multistage tray towers and packed towers.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Unit processes – I:</b> Principle, reagents, mechanism, kinetics and applications of Halogenation, Hydration, Oxidation, Hydrolysis, Hydrogenation.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Unit processes – II:</b> Principle, reagents, mechanism, kinetics and applications of Esterification, Alkylation, Nitration, Sulphonation and Sulfation.	<b>25%</b>

#### **Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Mass Transfer operations; Robert Trebal, Mc Graw Hill Co., 3rd edition.
- Chemical process principal Vol. I & II, Horghen Watson, Asian Pub. House, 2nd edition.
- Chemical kinetics, S. K. Jain, Vishal pub. , Jallander.
- Unit process in organic systems, Groggins, Tate, Mc Graw Hill Co., 5th edition.
- Encyclopedia of industrial chemical analysis, Foster Dee Snell, Leslie S., Ettore, Interscience pub., Wiley & Sons N.Y., 1973, Vol-1 to 20
- Ullmann's Encyclopedia of industrial chemistry, Vol.: 1 to 39, Wiley-VCH, Weinheim, 2003
- Analytical profiles of Drug substance, by Florey, Vol. : 1 to 30, Academic press N. Y. , 2005.
- Shreve's chemical process industries by George T Austin, Mc Grow-Hill International Co.
- Unit Operations : Volume I & II, by K. A. Gavhane ( Nirali Prakashan- Pune)
- Introduction to Chemical Engineering by Walter L Badger and Juline T Banchemo (McGraw-Hill Book Co.)
- Unit Operation of Chemical Engineering by Warreh L Mc Cabe & Jullian C Smith (McGraw-Hill Book Co.)
- Chemical Engineering ( volume I & II) by J. M. Coulson & K. F. Richardson (Asian Books Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi)

<b>Paper Code: PS01EPST22</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Basic Concepts in Materials Science</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	Laws of thermodynamics, Thermodynamics functions, Heat capacity, Enthalpy, Internal Energy, Gibbs potential, Heat content, Entropy, Free energy, Reversible & Irreversible process, Adiabatic process, Carnot cycle, Refrigeration Engine, Gibbs Helmholtz equations and its limitation, Nernst heat theorem, Consequences of third law	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	Microstates and macrostates, thermodynamics probability. Derivation of distribution equation(s) following Maxwell – Boltzmann statistics and Bose-Einstein statistics.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	Concept of Engineering stress and strain, Elastic Deformation, Elastic properties, Anelasticity, Viscoelastic Behaviour of Materials, Plastic deformation of single crystal and polycrystalline materials, creep in materials, Fracture, Griffith theory, Fatigue Hardness.. Tensile testing, failure modes, bend testing, impact testing, fracture toughness, fatigue testing, creep testing, hardness testing of different materials (Metallic, Polymeric and Ceramic Materials).	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	Heat capacity, Temperature dependence of heat capacity, Specific heats of solids, Latent heat, Melting point, Thermal expansion and kinetic theory, thermal conductivity and thermal diffusivity, thermal stresses.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Physical Chemistry – Rakshit
- Thermodynamics for Chemists -- Glasstone
- Thermodynamics, Kinetic Theory & Statistical Thermodynamics – F.W.Sears, G.Salinger
- Molecular Statistics for Students of Chemistry -- L.A.Woodwar.
- Materials Science and Engineering, An Introduction-William D. Callister

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**Programme & Subject: M.Sc. (Polymer Science & Technology)**

**Semester: II**

<b>Paper Code: PS02CPST21</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Polymer Characterization</b>	

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
<b>I</b>	<b>Importance of Quality control and Characterization of molecular weight:</b> Importance of specification & standards in quality control of polymers, Preparation of polymer test specimens and conditioning, determination of molecular weight by Ultra Centrifugation, Gel Permeation Chromatography. End Group Analysis, Ebulliometry, Cryoscopy, Osmometry, and viscometry.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Material Characterization Test:</b> Introduction, Melting point, Softening point, Thermal conductivity, Shrinkage, Melt Flow Index test, Particle size, Density, and bulk factor, Water and Moisture absorption.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Mechanical and Flammability Properties:</b> Introduction, Hardness, Tensile strength, Compression strength, Flexural strength, Impact strength, Ignition properties, Test for flexible & self supporting polymer sheet, Oxygen index test and Smoke generation tests.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Electrical, Chemical and Weathering Properties:</b> Introduction, Dielectric strength, Dielectric constant, Insulation resistance and arc resistance, Immersion test, Stain resistance test, Solvent stress cracking resistance test, Environmental stress cracking resistance test, Accelerated weathering test, Outdoor weathering of polymers.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Handbook of plastics test method, R. P. Brown, Longman Scientific and Technical.
- Handbook of plastics testing technology, Vishu Shah, John Wiley & Sons, New York.
- ASTM, BIS, ISO standards.
- Instrumental methods of Analysis, Will and Merritt, CBS Publisher, New Delhi.
- Principles of Instrumental Analysis, Douglas A. Skoog, F. James Holler and Timothy A. Nieman, Harcourt Brace Coolege Publishing, Philadelphia.
- Encyclopedia of Polymer science and Engineering, Wiley Inter science, New York.

<b>Paper Code: PS02CPST22</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Polymer Processing Technology</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Principles of the processing of plastics:</b> Introduction, Melt processing of thermoplastics and melt processing of thermosetting plastics. Introduction to mixing, Types of mixers- Twin drum tumbler, ribbon blender, high speed mixer, ball mill and Cowles dissolver	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Compression, Extrusion, Blow &amp; Rotational Moulding:</b> Fundamental principles, Materials- factors to be considered while processing, Techniques of preheating, Comparison with transfer moulding, Troubleshooting for compression, extrusion, blow & rotational moulding	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Injection moulding:</b> Fundamental principles, Materials- factors to be considered while processing. Types of moulding machines and moulding process. Specifications of injection moulding machine, Injection unit- screw, nozzles, heating cylinders. Clamping unit, Mould cycle and Troubleshooting, Gas injection moulding, Injection moulding of thermosets.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Calendaring, Casting, Thermoforming:</b> Fundamental principles, Materials- factors to be considered while processing, Process, Machinery & equipments, Moulds, Heating & cooling of moulds, Finishing and troubleshooting.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Polymer Processing, Morton & Jones, Chapman & Hall.
- Plastics Engineering, R. J. Crawford, Maxwell Macmillan International.
- Plastics Engineering Handbook, M.L. Berins, Van Nostrand Reinhold, New York.
- Plastics Engineering Handbook, Joel Frados, Van Nostrand Reinhold, New York.
- Plastics Processing Data Hand Book, Dominick. V. Rosato and Donald V. Rosato, Van Reinhold Nostrand, New York.
- Plastics materials & Process, H. Goodman, Van Nostrand Reinhold Company, New York.
- Plastics materials and processes, Seymour S. Schwartz and Sidney, H. Goodman, Van Nostrand Reinhold.



<b>Paper Code: PS02CPST23</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Polymer Additives</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>General aspects of Additives:</b> Technical requirements of Additives, unavoidable side effects, Deterioration of properties and methods of incorporation of Additives into polymer.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Lubricants – internal and external:</b> General principles, external and internal lubricants of plastics to processing, thixotropic agents, mold releasing agents, evaluation of lubricants and effects on plastics properties. Plasticizers, Theory of plasticization, primary and secondary plasticizers, classification of plasticizers, plasticization efficiency and their evaluation, plasticizers anomalies and anti-plasticization, loss of plasticizers and effects on polymer properties.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Fillers and reinforcements:</b> Introduction, general characteristics of fillers and reinforcements, mechanical and thermal properties of filled polymers. Classification of fillers, Application of nano filler and semi reinforcements, source, properties and application in plastics processing. Principles of filler selection, incorporation of filler into plastics matrix, Coupling agents, types, and action mechanism, evaluation of fillers and Reinforcement and effects on polymer properties.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Specific Purpose Additives:</b> <b>Stabilizers:</b> Primary, and secondary stabilizers, Metal deactivators, Light stabilizers, synergistic stabilizers, Evaluation of processing stabilizers and effects on plastics properties. <b>Anti-ageing additives:</b> Introduction, antioxidants, classification, action mechanism, synergistic and antagonistic effects of antioxidants combination. Ultra violet protective agents- types, action mechanism and effects on plastics properties. <b>Optical property modifiers:</b> Brightening agents, Inorganic and Organic pigments, Criteria for selection of pigments,	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- The role of additives in plastics, L. Mascia, Edward Arnold.
- Additives of plastics, Stepek, Springer Verlag, New York.
- Plastics additives and modifiers, Jesse Edenbaum, Van Nostrand Reinhold, New York.
- Plastics materials, J.A. Brydson, Butterworth Science, London.
- Additives for Plastics Handbook, Elsevier Advanced Technology, John Murphy.
- Polymer modifiers and additives, Marcel Dekker, John T. Lutz, Richard F. Grossman.
- Plastics Additives Handbook, 5th Ed., Hans Zweifel, Hanser Gardner
- Comprehensive polymer science, Pergamon, New York.
- Engineering materials Handbook, Vol, 1-3, ASTM International, USA.
- Plastics Engineering Handbook, Joel Frados, Van Nostrand Reinhold, New York.

<b>Paper Code: PS02CPST24</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Practical – Polymer Processing &amp; Testing – I</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	Details to be Worked Out by the Department	<b>100 %</b>

<b>Paper Code: PS02CPST25</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Practical – Identification &amp; Characterization of Polymer</b>	

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<b>I</b>	Details to be Worked Out by the Department	<b>100 %</b>

<b>Paper Code: PS02EPST21</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Industrial Chemistry – II</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Crystallization:</b> Crystallization mechanisms, crystallization in nature, methods, process. <b>Separation of solid from solid:</b> Diffusional separation, mechanical separations, grizzlies (fixed inclined screens), trammels (revolving screens), vibrating screens, electrostatic separation, <b>Transportation of fluid:</b> Methods of transportation of fluids, basic principal of pipes, fittings and their standards, various types of valves, pumps.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Absorption&amp;Adsorption:</b> Gas Absorption: Choice of solvent for absorption, Minimum Liquid- Gas ratio for Absorbers, Co-current & counter current absorption, HETP in continuous contact Equipments, Equipments for gas-liquid absorption, Calculations for Leaching operation, <b>Filtration:</b> filter press, rotary drum filter, filter aids, Thickness, Porosity.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Heat Exchangers:</b> Heat transfer Co-efficient, effect of scale formation, Design of Heat transferequipments, LMTD correction factors, Effectiveness and number of transfer units for heat exchangers, Solar thermal collectors, <b>Flow meters:</b> venturimeter, rotameter, orifice meter, pitot tube, prandtls boundary layer concept.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Size reduction equipments:</b> Theory and principles involved in crushing grinding, jaw crusher, roll crusher, hammer mill, ball mill, <b>Agitation &amp; mixing:</b> Definitions, principles involved in mixing, types of mixing, ribbon blender, double cone blender, types of impellers.	<b>25%</b>

#### **Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Mass Transfer operations; Robert Trebal, Mc Graw Hill Co., 3rd edition.
- Unit operations of chemical engineering, W. Mc Cabe Smith, Mc Graw Hill Co., 7th edition
- Chemical process principal Vol. I & II, Horghen Watson, Asian Pub. House, 2nd edition.
- Chemical Kinetics, S. K. Jain, Vishal pub. , Jallander.
- Unit process in organic systems, Groggins, Tate, Mc Graw Hill Co., 5th edition.
- Encyclopedia of industrial chemical analysis, Foster Dee Snell, Leslie S., Ettore, Interscience pub., Wiley & Sons N.Y., 1973, Vol-1 to 20
- Ullmann's Encyclopedia of industrial chemistry, Vol.:1 to 39, Wiley-VCH, Weinheim, 2003
- Shreve's chemical process industries by George T Austin, Mc Grow-Hill International Co.

<b>Paper Code: PS02EPST22</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Biophysical Chemistry</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>State of matters, Solubility and Dissolution:</b> <b>Solubility and Dissolution:</b> Solute – solvents interactions, polar and non polar solvents, Dissolution of drugs – drug absorption, tablets and capsule dissolution, factors affecting dissolution, mathematical treatment of powder dissolution.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Viscosity and Surface and interfacial phenomena:</b> <b>Viscosity:</b> Introduction – Concepts of viscosity, factors influencing viscosity, Newtonian and Non – Newtonian systems. <b>Thixotropy:</b> Measurement of Thixotropy bulges and spurs, negatives thixotropy, thixotropy in formulation, <b>Determination of Rheologic properties:</b> Type & choice of Viscometer, Viscoelasticity, <b>Surface and interfacial phenomena:</b> Liquid interfaces, surface and interfacial tensions, surface free energy, measurement of surface and interfacial tensions method spreading co – efficient, Adsorption of liquid interfaces: surface active agents, systems of hydrophile – lipophile classification.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Buffered and isotonic solutions:</b> Buffer capacity: Approximate calculation of buffer capacity, equation for buffer capacity, maximum buffer capacity, neutralization curves and buffer capacity. · Buffers in pharmaceutical and biological systems: In vivo biological buffer systems, pharmaceutical buffers, preparation of pharmaceutical buffer solution, influence of buffer Capacity and pH on tissue irritation, stability vs optimum therapeutic response, pH and solubility.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Dispersion and Emulsion:</b> Coarse dispersion (Dispersion systems), Suspensions: Classification of suspensions, Particle – Particle interaction and behavior, Interfacial properties of suspended particles (Brownian movement), <b>Emulsion:</b> Emulsion types, pharmaceutical applications, Theories of emulsification. Mono molecuclular adsorption, multimolecular adsorption and film formation, solid particle adsorptions, Physical stability of emulsions (Preservation of emulsions), Microemulsions.	<b>25%</b>

#### **Basic Text & Reference Books:**

- Text book of Physical pharmaceutics by C. V. S Subramanyam, Vallabh prakashan, New Delhi; ISBN:81-85731-08-X.
- Martin's Physical Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences by Patrick J. Sinko, Publisher: Lippincott Williams & Wilkins; ISBN: 0-7817-6426-2.
- Surfactants and Interfacial Phenomena by by Michael J Rosen, Milton J Rosen; Publisher: Wiley-Interscience; ISBN-13: 9780471836513; ISBN: 0471836516.
- Physical Pharmacy: Physical Chemical Principles in the Pharmaceutical Sciences by Alfred N Martin; ISBN-13: 9780812101638; ISBN: 0812101634.

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**Semester: III**

**Syllabus with Effect from: June-2017**

<b>Paper Code: PS03CPST21</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Polymer Rheology</b>	

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
<b>I</b>	<b>Introduction to Rheology:</b> Different parameters, Rheological equation of state, Newtonian and Non-Newtonian, Importance aspects of rheology, Importance of rheology on polymer processing, shear thinning behavior, influence of temperature and molecular structure.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Flow Properties:</b> Flow through circular tube, flow between parallel plates, Die Swell, and Melt fracture, Sharkskin, Orientation and Shrinkage, Frozen in orientation, Weissenberg effect, and entrance effect.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Rheology in polymer processing:</b> Introduction, Low flow process, Mixing process, Constrained flows, Free surface flows, Bulk deformations, Injection moulding, Blow moulding, Film blowing and Sheet extrusion.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Measurements of flow properties:</b> Mixing equipments, concentric cylinder rheometer, Cone and plate rheometer, Capillary rheometer, Parallel disc rheometer, torque rheometer, rheo-optics. Flow properties of individual polymers like polyethylene, propylene, polystyrene, poly vinyl chloride, nylons, poly acetals, poly tetrafluoroethylene, polycarbonates and rubbery materials.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Polymer and Composite Rheology, Rakesh K. Gupta Marcel Dekker Inc., New York
- Polymer Melt Rheology, F. N. Cogswell, George Godwin Ltd., London
- Rheology of Polymer Systems, Carreau, De Kee, Chhabra, Hanser Gardner Publication Inc., Cincinnati.
- Flow of high polymers, Stanley Middleman, Inter science publishers.
- Melt Rheology and its role in Plastics processing, John M. Dealy and Kurt. F. Wissbrun, Van Nostrand Reinhold, New York.
- Plastics Rheology in Plastics Quality Control, John M. Dealy and Peter C. Saucier, Hanser Gardner Publication Inc., Cincinnati.

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**Semester: III**

**Syllabus with Effect from: June-2017**

<b>Paper Code: PS03CPST22</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Polymer Composites &amp; Fibre Technology</b>	

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
<b>I</b>	<b>Composites:</b> Introduction to composite materials, definitions, classifications, applications, advantage and disadvantages of composites. Types of reinforcements, short fiber reinforcement, matrix material, types of mold for composites and preparation of molds, release agents, core materials, coupling agents, fillers and pigments, gel coats. Spinning & Finishing of fiber: Introduction, Melt spinning, Solution spinning, Dry spinning, Gel spinning, Wet spinning	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Reinforcing materials:</b> Definition of fibres, Classification and nomenclature of fibres, Definition of various textiles terms, structure principles of fibre forming polymers. Natural & Synthetic fiber: Introduction, Cotton, Rayon, Cellulose acetate, Wool, Polyamide, Acrylic fibre, Polyethylene terephthalate, Polyolefines, Spandex, Glass, Asbestos, Carbon, Steel fibres preparation, properties and applications.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Polymer matrix materials:</b> Important thermosetting materials viz. Polyester, Epoxy and Phenolics and their curing systems. Thermoplastics and elastomeric materials, properties and applications of composites.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Processing of composites:</b> Sheet moulding compounds (SMC), Dough moulding compounds (DMC) and Prepregs. Composites processes like Hand lay up, Spray lay up, Vacuum bag, Pressure bag, Autoclave moulding, Cold press, Hot press moulding, Resin injection, Resin transfer moulding, Foam reservoir, Filament winding, Centrifugal casting, Pultrusion, continuous laminations, Injection moulding, Compression and transfer moulding of composites. Troubleshooting and remedies for composite processing.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Polymer blends and Composites, L.H. Sperling, Published by Plenum Press.
- Handbook of Plastics Elastomers and Composites, Charles A Harper, McGraw Hill, New York.
- FRP technology- Fiber reinforced Resin systems, Weatherhead, Applied Science, and London.
- Handbook of Polymer Composites for Engineer's, Leonard Holloway, Jaico, India.
- Handbook of Reinforcements for plastics, Milewski Katz, Van Nostrand Reinhold, New York.
- Polymer Engineering Composites, M.C. W Richardson, Published by Applied science, London.
- Modern Textiles by Dorothy Lyle
- Essentials of Textiles by M.J. Joseph
- Textile fibres and their use by K.P. Hess

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<b>Title Of Paper: Petrochemicals</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Introduction:</b> Petrochemical, Development of petrochemical industry, Petroleum refining, Petrochemical feed stocks from petroleum refining, The basic building block processes, Petrochemical process technology, Costs in chemical processing, Primary raw materials for Petrochemicals like Natural gas, Crude oils, coal, oils shell, tar sand and gas hydrates.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Crude Oil Processing and Production of Hydrocarbon:</b> Introduction, Physical separation Processes, Conversion Processes, Production of Olefines, Paraffinic hydrocarbon, olefins hydrocarbons, dienes, aromatic hydrocarbons, liquid petroleum fraction and residues.	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Alkanes and higher Paraffin based Chemicals:</b> Introduction, Chemical based on synthetic gases, Chemical based on direct reaction of methane, ethane, propane and naphtha based chemicals from high molecular weight n-paraffin.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Chemicals based on olefin diolefin and aromatic hydrocarbon:</b> Introduction, Chemicals from n-butenes, isobutylenes, butadiene, benzene, toluene, xylene.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Chemistry of Petrochemical Process, Sami Matar, Lewis F. Hatch, Gulf Professional Publishing, Boston.
- Fundamental of Petroleum Chemical Technology, P. Belov, Mir Publications, Moscow.
- Advanced Petroleum Refining, G. N. Sarkar, Khanna Publishers, Delhi
- Petrochemicals, Peter Wisheman, John Wiley & Sons, New York.

<b>Paper Code: PS03CPST24</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Practical –Polymer Processing &amp; Testing – II</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	Details to be Worked Out by the Department	<b>100 %</b>

<b>Paper Code: PS03CPST25</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Practical –Polymer Synthesis</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	Details to be Worked Out by the Department	<b>100 %</b>

<b>Paper Code: PS03EPST21</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Analytical Techniques</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Fundamentals of Analytical Chemistry:</b> Definitions, Application of analytical Chemistry, Classification of analytical techniques and importance, GMPs and its Components, Verification and Validation in chemical analysis.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Chemical calculations and Chromatography:</b> Concentration units, preparation and standardization of analytical reagents Introduction to chromatography techniques: classification and working principles. (Paper chromatography, Thin Layer chromatography, Column chromatography, HPLC, GC and GPC)	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Fundamentals of Spectroscopy and Components of Optical Instruments:</b> Introduction, Classification, EMR and Interactions of EMR with Matters, Sources of radiations, wave length selectors, sample holders, detectors and signal processors and readouts, Lambert's and Beer's Law, FTIR, NMR, Mass Spectroscopy	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Instrumental Polymer Analysis:</b> Thermogravimetric Analysis (TGA), Differential Scanning Calorimetry, Thermomechanical Analysis, Dynamic Mechanical Analyses, Scanning electron Microscopy (SEM), TEM	<b>25%</b>

#### **Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Skoog, Holler, Niemon, "principles of instrumental analysis" 5th edition, Saunders college publisher.
- Robert D. Braun "Introduction to chemical analysis" McGraw-HILL International Edition.
- Robert D. Braun "Introduction to instrumental analysis" McGraw-HILL International Edition.
- Gary D. Christian. "Analytical chemistry" 6th edition John Wiley & sons, Inc. 2004
- B. K. Sharma. "Instrumental method of chemical analysis" 24th edition, GOEL publishing house Meerut .2005
- R. A. Day, jr , A. L. Underwood., "Quantitative analysis" 6th edition, Prentice –Hall of India Private limited, New Delhi. 2006.
- L.Huber, "Validation and qualification in analytical laboratories" 2nd Edition, 2007.



<b>Paper Code: PS03EPST22</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Selected Topics in Polymer Science</b>	

<b>Unit</b>	<b>Description in detail</b>	<b>Weightage (%)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Polymers in Medicine:</b> Introduction, Polymers and Polymer Chemistry Pertinent to Medical Application, Medical Applications, Dental Application, Orthopedic Applications, Ophthalmology, Ear, Brest Implant, Facial Implants, Gynecology	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Specialty Coatings and Adhesives:</b> New Generation Hybrid Coating, Antifouling Coating, Coating based on sustainable Resource-Development of Anticorrosive coating Based on Seed Oils, Specialty Adhesive- Synthetic & Natural Adhesive	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Inorganic Polymer:</b> Introduction, Polyphosphazenes, Polysiloxanes and Related Polymer, Polysilane and Related Polymer, Micellaneous Inorganic Polymer	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Product Design:</b> Introduction, Geometric Shape, Plate, Beam, Rib, Column, Torsion, Sandwich, Gear, Bearing, Grommet, Gasket, Shape – Cylinder, Sphere, Tank, Pipe, spring, Building, Transportation, Medical, Metal, Design limitation and Constraint	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Specialty Polymers materials & Application, Faiz Mohammad
- Inorganic Polymer, James E. Mark, Prentice Hall Advanced References Series
- Plastics Engineered Product Design, Dominick V Rosato, Elsevier

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<b>Paper Code: PS04CPST21</b>	<b>Total Credit: 4</b>
<b>Title Of Paper: Rubber Technology</b>	

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
<b>I</b>	<b>General Introduction &amp; Natural Rubber:</b> Introduction, Source, Cultivation, Harvesting, Biosynthesis of rubber, Composition of latex, Crop Collection, Modified forms of natural rubber, Properties of natural rubber, Applications.	<b>25%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Synthetic Rubber:</b> Polybutadiene, Polyisoprene, Polychloroprene, Styrene – butadiene rubber, EPDM, Butyl & halobutyl rubber, Nitrile rubber, Acrylic elastomer, Chlorosulphonated polyethylene, Silicone rubber, Fluorocarbon elastomer	<b>25%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Rubber Compounding</b> Introduction to mixing, Distributive mixing, Dispersive mixing, Two roll mill, Banbury mixer, continuous mixing, Vulcanizing agents, Vulcanizing accelerators, Activators, Retarders & inhibitors, Fillers, antidegradents, softners, plasticizers, processing aids etc. relation between curing system and properties. Carbon black as a reinforcing agent for rubber industries.	<b>25%</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Rubber Processing:</b> Calendaring, Extrusion, Molding processes, Rubber Products such as Tyres, Belting & Hoses, Finished product testing, Rubber recycling.	<b>25%</b>

**Basic Text & Reference Books:-**

- Basic Compounding and Processing of Rubber, Harry Long, American Chemical Society, New Jersey.
- Rubber Handbook, Vanderbilt, Vanderbilt World trade cooperation, New York.
- Rubber Technology and Manufacture, C.M. Blow, Butterworth, London.
- Rubber Technology Handbook, Hofman.
- High Polymer Latices, D.C. Blackly
- Applied science of Rubber, William, and J.
- Polymer Processing, Morton Jones. Chapman & Hall.
- Polymer Processing, McKelvey.
- Rubber Processing, Peter S Johnson, Hanser Publishers
- Rubber Technologist Handbook, J R White & S. K. De, Rapra Technology