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M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL - 2023

Fourth Semester

Chemistry (Specialization in Nanoscience and Technology)

NANOCOMPOSITES

(CBCS - 2019 onwards)

Time: 3 Hours Maximum: 75 Marks

Part A $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Answer all questions.

- 1. How nanocomposites prepared by solution casting method?
- 2. Why nanocomposites are better than Composites?
- 3. Mention the importance of aluminium based nanocomposites.
- 4. What are glass-metal nanocomposites? Give examples.
- 5. Define polymer nanocomposites.
- 6. Write the uses of polymer-CNT composites.
- 7. Mention the composition of spider silk.
- 8. What are biopolymer composites?
- 9. What are conducting polymer nanocomposites? Give examples.
- 10. Write the properties improved by electroactive nanocomposites in supercapacitors

Part B

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

Answer all questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) Explain the multifunctional properties of nanocomposites.

Or

- (b) Discuss the processing techniques of nanocomposites.
- 12. (a) Explain the functionality of ZrO₂ based metal nanocomposites.

Or

- (b) Write a note on core-shell structured nanocomposites.
- 13. (a) How polymer nanocomposites prepared by in-situ polymerization method?

Or

- (b) Discuss briefly about Copolymer-based nanocomposites.
- 14. (a) Discuss the preparation of organic-inorganic nanocomposites.

Or

- (b) Write a note on biomimetic nanocomposites.
- 15. (a) Write a note on textile-reinforced composites.

Or

(b) Explain the applications of nanocomposites in drug delivery.

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Part C $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

Answer any **three** questions.

- 16. Give a detailed account on super hard nanocomposites.
- 17. Explain the dimension analysis and electrical property of fractal-based nanocomposites.
- 18. Discuss about polymer clay nanocomposites and its industrial applications.
- 19. Write the biomedical applications of synthetic nanocomposites.
- 20. Write the electrical applications of polymer nanocomposites.

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