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BTCH101 Engineering Chemistry

Time: 3 Hrs Max Marks: 60

Note: Attempt six questions in all. Question number 1 is compulsory. Candidate is required to attempt another five questions from Part-A and B by selecting at least two from each part.

- 1. (a) What is the purpose of using TMS in recording ¹H NMR spectrum?
 - (b) What is soft water? Where it is required?
 - (c) State the law of photochemical equivalence.
 - (d) Discuss the concept of atom economy.
 - (e) What do you understand by functionality in polymer chemistry?
 - (f) The ¹H NMR spectrum of C₂H₄Br₂ has only one signal. What could be its structure?
 - (g) What is a chromophore and auxochrome?
 - (h) What are nanomaterials?
 - (i) Give the constituents of natural gas and their %age.
 - (j) What is thermal cracking?

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PART - A

2. (a) Explain the principle of NMR spectroscopy?

(b) What information can be obtained from the UV-Vis spectrum?

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- (a) Define quantum yield. Photochemical reactions can show quite high or low quantum yields. Explain.
 - (b) Explain photovoltaic cells.

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- 4. (a) What are the specifications for boiler feed water?
 - (b) Discuss the hot lime-soda process for softening of water.

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- 5. (a) Explain the concept of alternative solvents in Green Chemistry.
 - (b) Elaborate the concept of design of safer chemicals with suitable example.

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PART-B

- 6. (a) Differentiate wet corrosion from dry corrosion.
 - (b) What do you understand by Galvanic series. How it is useful?

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- 7. (a) How the number average molecular weight of the polymer can be determined?
 - (b) What is polymerization? Describe the types of polymerization.

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(a) How the physical and chemical properties of nanoparticles vary with size?
(b) Explain supramolecular structures. Give applications of materials having supramolecular structures.

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9. (a) Discuss various generations of petrochemicals.

(b) Discuss the production of ethylene. Give its uses.

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