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B.E./B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DEC 2020

First Semester

Civil Engineering

15UCY106 - CHEMISTRY FOR CIVIL ENGINEERING

(Regulation 2015)

Duration: 1.15 hrs

Maximum: 30 Marks

PART A - (6 x 1 = 6 Marks)

(Answer any six of the following questions)

- In PCl_5 molecules, the central 'P' atom involves CO1- R
(a) sp^2 hybridization (b) sp hybridization
(c) sp^3 hybridization (d) sp^3 hybridization
- Electronic configuration of oxygen atom is CO1- R
(a) $1s^2 2s^2 2p^2$ (b) $1s^2 2s^2 2p^5$ (c) $1s^2 2s^2 2p^6$ (d) $1s^2 2s^2 2p^4$
- Under phosphate conditioning, which phosphate is used for too acidic nature of water CO2- R
(a) Na_3PO_4 (b) NaHPO_3 (c) NaH_2PO_4 (d) Na_2HPO_4
- What is the unit for hardness? CO2- R
(a) ppm (b) ppt (c) nm (d) Kg
- Process in which substance gains electrons is called CO3- R
(a) oxidation (b) Hydrogenation
(c) Sublimation (d) Reduction
- Which of the following factors does not influence throwing power of electroplating bath CO3- R
(a) Current density (b) Conductance of solution
(c) Complexing agent (d) Competing electrode reaction

7. White alkali” soil are CO4- R
 (a) Saline soil (b) acid soil
 (c) Sodic soil (d) Saline sodic soil
8. For soils at the optimum pH, the most common ion on the exchange sites CO4- R
 would be _____.
 (a) Aluminium (b) Hydrogen (c) Calcium (d) Potassium
9. Function of gypsum is to CO5- R
 (a) Start the setting of cement (b) Stop the hydration of cement
 (c) Retard the easily initial setting of cement (d) None of the above
10. Pug mill is used for CO5- R
 (a) Preparation of clay (b) Moulding of clay
 (c) Drying of bricks (d) Burning of bricks

PART – B (3 x 8= 24 Marks)

(Answer any three of the following questions)

11. Molecular orbitals are formed by the linear combination of atomic orbitals (LCAO). Give the salient features of molecular orbital theory. CO1-U (8)
12. How Permenant and Temperory hardness in a sample of water can be calculated by EDTA method. CO2 -U ((8))
13. Derive Nernst equation for electrode potential CO3- U (8)
14. Define adsorption isotherm. Explain the various types of adsorption isotherms briefly with the help of graph. CO4-U (8)
15. Explain the following terms in relation to refractories: CO5- U (8)
 (i) Dimensional stability
 (ii) Porosity
 (iii) Thermal spalling
 (iv) Refractorines under load

