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B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2015

Third Semester

Core Course - PRODUCTION AND APPLICATION OF COMPOUNDS FROM PETROLEUM

(For B.Sc. Petrochemicals)

[2013 Admission onwards]

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

Section A

Answer all questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. What is Thermal cracking? Explain.
- 2. What are Clathrates? Give one example.
- 3. Give the structure of Acrylonitrile and explain its main uses.
- 4. How is Acetylene prepared?
- 5. What is Hydrogenation? Give one example.
- 6. What is crude oil? Crude oil has unpleasant odour? Why is it mainly due to?
- 7. What are petrochemicals?
- 8. How is TNT prepared?

 $(8 \times 1 = 8)$

Section B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 9. What is coking? Explain the terms: Fluidized coking and Delayed coking.
- 10. How are oxides classified? Explain.
- 11. Name the main Nitrogen compounds in petroleum.
- 12. How is Ethylene manufactured from petroleum?
- 13. What is Aldol condensation?
- 14. Explain compression moulding.

- 15. What is oxo process? What are the uses of oxo-process?
- 16. What are Xylenes? How are they prepared?
- 17. Discuss the role of Hydrogen as a fuel.
- 18. Give one method for the manufacture of Hydrogen.

 $(6 \times 2 = 12)$

Section C

Answer any four questions.

Each question carries 4 marks.

- 19. What is Ammoxidation? Discuss the applications of Ammoxidation in detail.
- 20. Discuss briefly on the manufacture of any three Nitrogen paraffins from petroleum.
- 21. What is Petroleum coke? Discuss briefly on its manufacture by hot oven method.
- 22. Discuss on the applications of oxidation in petroleum compounds.
- 23. What is Hydroformylation? Discuss oxo-process.
- 24. Differentiate between Thermo plastic and Thermosetting plastics with suitable examples.

 $(4 \times 4 = 16)$

Section D

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 12 marks.

- 25. (a) Write briefly on Hydration.
 - (b) What are the applications of Hydration? Discuss in detail.
- 26. (a) Discuss in detail on the manufacture of Higher olefins from Naphtha.
 - (b) Describe the present day procedure and its economies.
- 27. Describe the following in detail:
 - (a) Freush process.
 - (b) Union Carbide Process.
- 28. Give a detailed description on moulding of plastics into Articles.

 $(2 \times 12 = 24)$