

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**  
**BE - SEMESTER-VIII • EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2013**

**Subject Code: 182105****Date: 09/05/2013****Subject Name: Modern Techniques for Material Characterization (DE-II)****Time: 10:30 am TO 01:00 pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**Q.1 (a)** What do you mean by photoelectron spectroscopy? Explain the principle and instrumentation of X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS). Give applications and limitations. **07**

**(b)** Explain the Differential scanning calorimetry (DSC). List the applications. Describe the method used to calculate enthalpies of transitions from DSC curve. **07**

**Q.2 (a)** What is basic difference between SEM and TEM? With a ray diagram explain working of TEM. Discuss- Diffraction pattern in TEM. **07**

**(b)** What do you meant by thermal analysis? Explain thermogravimetric analysis (TGA) technique. Discuss its applications. **07**

**OR**

**(b)** Discuss the importance of Material characterization. With a block diagram explain the working of X-ray Fluoroscropy (XRF) system. **07**

**Q.3 (a)** Explain how infiltration of copper in steel and inclusion such as  $\text{Cu}_2\text{O}$  in tough pitch copper can be observed using Colour Metallography. **07**

**(b)** Discuss the techniques of replica preparation/ sample preparation for electron microscopy. **07**

**OR**

**Q.3 (a)** What is STEM? Explain it. Give the difference between STEM and Conventional TEM. Write applications of STEM. **07**

**(b)** What is Image Analysis? Discuss the steps for microstructural study by image analysis. Mention its applications. **07**

**Q.4 (a)** Draw schematic showing basic components of the scanning electron microscope. Briefly explain each component and its working in SEM. **07**

**(b)** What is the principle of Atomic absorption spectrometry (AAS)? List the instrumentation of AAS and explain working of it. List the applications & limitations. **07**

**OR**

**Q.4 (a)** What is Infrared (IR) spectroscopy? Explain IR region and IR spectrum. With a neat sketch explain IR Spectrometer. List advantages, limitations and applications of IR analysis. **07**

**(b)** What is Atomic Emission Spectroscopy? Discuss various methods of Atomic Emission Spectroscopy. List advantages of it. **07**

**Q.5 (a)** Explain briefly Powder (Debye Scherrer) method of diffraction. How it is useful to study lattice parameter of crystal? **07**

**(b)** What is Auger Electron Spectroscopy? Explain the technique with sketch of instrumentation of this technique. Give applications and limitations. **07**

**OR**

**Q.5 (a)** What is X-ray diffraction? How it is useful in material characterization? Explain briefly Laue method of diffraction. What are the advantages and disadvantages of Laue method? **07**

**(b)** Discuss Electron Probe Mico Analysis (EPMA) in terms of instrumentation and working principle using line diagram. **07**

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