

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 mean 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 Fluorescence (XRF) system. **07**

Q.3 (a) Explain how infiltration of copper in steel and inclusion such as Cu_2O 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 Micro Analysis (EPMA) in terms of instrumentation and working principle using line diagram. **07**
