# (Following Paper ID and Roll No. to be filled in your Answer Books)

Paper ID: 187613

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#### B.TECH.

# Theory Examination (Semester-VI) 2015-16

## **ADDITIVES & COMPOUNDING**

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 100

### Section-A

- Q1. Attempt all parts. All parts carry equal marks. Write answer of each part in short.  $[2\times10=20]$ 
  - (a) Define additives with examples.
  - (b) What is active filler?
  - (c) Define slip agent with example.
  - (d) What do you mean by toughening agent?
  - (e) List the various additives used for the flame-retardant property.

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- (f) Define master batch.
- (g) Define compounding.
- (h) Define blend with examples.
- (i) Why PVC is compounded with heat stabilizers.
- (j) What do you mean by Inhibitors?

## **Section-B**

Q2. Attempt any five questions from this section.

[10×5=50]

- (a) What are nanofillers? What are the advantages of nanofillers in plastics?
- (b) What do you mean by plasticizers? Discuss the functions and types of plasticizers.
- (c) Explain which types of additive used to reduce the friction of molten polymer and also discuss its types.
- (d) What are antioxidants? Explain their mechanism of actions with polymers.

- (e) What are the advantages of using heat stabilizers and UV stabilizers?
- (f) Which are the equipment used for the melt mixing process. Explain the twin screw extruder with neat sketch.
- (g) Explain selection criteria of additives in compounding and also discuss the role of additives in polymer properties.
- (h) What is the function of colorants? Explain the types of colorants.

Section-C

Note: Attempt any two questions from this section.

[15x2=30]

- Q3. What are the polymer blend and alloys? Mention the advantages of polymer blends over the conventional polymeric materials.
- Q4. Explain compounding of polymers? What are the functions of different ingredients in PVC compounding?

(3) P.T.O.

- Q5. Write shorts notes on any two of the following:
  - (a) Fire/ flame-retardant
  - (b) Two roll mill
  - (c) Mould releasing agents

