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Programme: B.E.

Branch: Chemical Engineering

Course Code: 19CH4DCANI

Course: Analytical Instruments

Semester: IV

Duration: 3 hrs.

Max Marks: 100

Instructions: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one full question from each unit.
2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed.

UNIT - I

- 1 a) Classify the instrumental methods of analysis. **04**
- b) Discuss the determinate and indeterminate errors in detail. **08**
- c) Explain in detail about the application of instrumental analytical techniques used for elemental analysis. **08**

UNIT - II

- 2 a) State and deduce Beer Lamberts Law. Explain the deviations of this law. **10**
- b) Discuss the potassium bromide pellet technique for IR spectroscopy in detail and list its advantages as well as disadvantages. **10**

OR

- 3 a) What do you understand by monochromators? With help of a neat diagram explain the prism monochromator in a IR spectrophotometer **06**
- b) Explain the working principle of UV visible spectroscopy with a neat diagram. **08**
- c) Explain briefly the stretching and bending vibrations. **06**

UNIT - III

- 4 a) Discuss the principle of thermogravimetric analyzer (TGA) and list its applications and material used for various temperature ranges. **08**
- b) Classify various crucibles used for themogravimetric analyzer and draw their sketches. **06**
- c) With a neat sketch discuss the working of a bomb calorimeter. **06**

Important Note: Completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages. Revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator will be treated as malpractice.

UNIT - IV

- 5 a) Explain the principle of Thermal Conductivity Detector (TCD) in Gas chromatography. List the advantages and disadvantage of TCD. **10**
- b) Enumerate the characteristics of a general stationary phase used in gas chromatography. **10**

OR

- 6 a) Explain the principle of gas chromatography with a neat sketch showing all the components. **10**
- b) Explain the principle of Electron Capture Detector (ECD) in Gas chromatography. **10**

UNIT - V

- 7 a) Explain the principle of High-Performance Liquid Chromatography (HPLC) with a neat sketch showing all its components. **12**
- b) Discuss any three column packings available on a rigid solid structure used in HPCL. **08**
