

THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA

B.Sc. DEGREE PROGRAMME

INDUSTRIAL CHEMISTRY - CHU3237

FINAL EXAMINATION - 2015/16

Duration: Three hours (03)



Date: 15.01. 2017

Time: 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.

This question paper consists of two parts. **Part I** and **Part II**.

- Part I consists of **15 short questions**; recommended time to complete this part is **one** hour.
- Part II consists of **six (06)** questions; you are expected to answer **four (04)** questions. Recommended time to complete this part is **two** hours.

Part I (40 marks)

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Answer all questions.

1. What is meant by “metal finishing”?

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(02 marks)

2. Write down **two** types of metal finishing.

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(02 marks)

3. State the role of fluxes in a glass mixture. Give an example of a flux.

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(03 marks)

4. Write down the **main** steps in production of ceramic ware.

(04 marks)

5. Distinguish between cement and mortar.

(04 marks)

6. Identify the crystalline phase(s) responsible for

Early strength.....

Slow setting

(04 marks)

7. What are the **major** components of the oils derived from the following spices?

Nutmeg:

Ginger:

(02 marks)

8. Name the chief colouring matter of

Chilies:

Turmeric:

(02 marks)

9. Draw the full structure of the following fatty acid.

C 18:2 Δ^9 c, 12c

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(02 marks)

10. Briefly explain the term “slip point” of fats.

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(03 marks)

11. Write important characteristics that determine the quality of the table salt.

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(02 marks)

12. How do you achieve those important characteristics (mentioned in Q.11) in the natural salt?

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(04 marks)

13. What is meant by the term “cracking” of petroleum?

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(02 marks)

14. Write reasons for carrying out cracking of petroleum?

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(02 marks)

15. What is the major technique used to refine petroleum?

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(02 marks)
