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# **UNDERGRADUATE (CBCS) EXAMINATION, FEBRUARY 2020**

## **Fifth Semester**

(Offered by the Board of Studies in Chemistry)

# Open Course - CH5OPT02 - NANOSCIENCE AND NANOTECHNOLOGY

2017 Admission Onwards

2B77393D

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks :80

#### Part A

Answer any ten questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. What is colloidal gold?
- 2. How many hexagonal and pentagonal faces are in fullerene C60?
- 3. Distinguish between SWNTs and MWNTs.
- 4. Name any two existing laws related to nanotechnology.
- 5. What are the potential risks of nanomaterials?
- 6. What is meant by nanoeconomy?
- 7. Give the mathematical form of de Broglie relation and explain the terms.
- 8. Give two examples for chromophore.
- 9. What is XPES? Mention any one use.
- 10. What is Bio-nano fusion Science? What are its advantages?
- 11. What makes the nanomaterials suitable for oral administration?
- 12. Which properties of nanomaterials are utilized in designing nanosensors?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 



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## Part B

## Answer any six questions.

### Each question carries 5 marks.

- 13. Briefly discuss the top-down synthesis of nanomaterials giving examples.
- 14. Briefly explain various types of nanomaterials.
- 15. Explain the term intellectual property. Write the significance of Intellectual Property Rights (IPR).
- 16. Describe the economical and ethical implications of nanotechnology.
- 17. Explain the matter –wave concept of radiation.
- 18. Brief the technique SEM used for nanomaterial characterisation.
- 19. Explain TEM as a tool to characterise nanomaterials.
- 20. How can SPL be used in the study of nanoparticles?
- 21. Explain the relevance of nanotechnology in medical diagnosis and treatment.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$ 

### Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. Discuss on (1) Feynman's hypothesis (2) Moore's law.
- 23. Write a short note on electromagnetic radiation and explain its components.
- 24. What is spectroscopy? Describe the use of UV Visible spectroscopy in the study of nanosystems.
- 25. Explain the following. (a) Nanomedicine and its significance (b) Nanosensors (c) Destructive applications of nanotechnology.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$ 

