

**SEMESTER-I**  
**4. Polymer Science – I**

Time: 3 Hrs.

M.M. 75 marks

Note: The paper will be divided into two sections.

**Section-A** M.C.Q.45 (9 from each section)

**Total-45 marks**

**Section-B** Five question are from each unit with internal choice will be asked and the candidate is required to attempt Three question

**Total-30 marks**

**Unit – I**

**Introduction of Polymer:** Definition of Polymer, Classification of Polymer, Bonding in Polymer, History of Polymer.

**Raw Materials:** Oil, Natural gas, Coal, Types, Grades and indication of manufacturing, Source of natural Polymers and derivatives

**Unit – II**

**Addition Polymerization:** Cationic, Anionic, and Free-radical.

Kinetics of Polymerization – Free radical, cationic, anionic.

**Unit – III**

**Coordination Polymerization:** Ziegler Natta Catalysts and Stereo regular polymers

**Condensation Polymerization:** Types, extent and degree of Polymerization and kinetics. Carother's equation, ring opening Polymerization.

**Unit – IV**

**Copolymerization:** Mechanism, reactivity ratio and composition – Block and graft copolymers. Kinetics of copolymerization.

**Unit – V**

**Polymerization techniques:** Bulk, Solution, Suspension, Emulsion, Melt Polycondensation, Solution Polycondensation, Interfacial condensation, solid and gas phase polymerization. Their advantages and disadvantages with application.

**Recommended Books:**

1. Polymer science: V.R. Goowarika,r,N.V. Viswanathan,Jayadev Sridhar
2. Text book of polymer science: Fred W. Billmeyer
3. Polymer science & Technology: Joel R. Fried
4. Polymer Science and Technology: Premamoy Ghosh

