

M.Sc.DEGREE EXAMINATION,APRIL 2020
II Year IV Semester
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Time : 3 Hours

Max.marks :75

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3. Give the classification of polymers.
4. What are thermoplastics?
5. Differentiate between piezoelectric and pyroelectric materials.
6. Define polarization.
7. Write a short note on junction lasers.
8. What is epitaxy?
9. Name few application of permanent magnets.
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11. What is forming process?
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16. Explain the temperature and frequency effects on dielectric materials.
17. Based on the properties distinguish hard and soft magnetic materials.
18. Write the structure and properties of liquid crystal polymer.
19. Explain the pulling method of growing crystals with diagram.

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22. Describe the mechanisms of optical, molecular and interfacial polarizability.
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