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I SEMESTER M.TECH (ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOV/DEC 2015

SUBJECT: APPLIED ENVIRONMENTAL CHEMISTRY AND MICROBIOLOGY (CIE 523)

REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM

Time: 3 Hours MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates:

- ❖ Answer **ALL** the questions.
- Missing data may be suitable assumed.

1A.	Distinguish between metals and nonmetal based on their chemical properties.						
1B.	What tank volume is required to hold methane gas at 25° C and 2 atm.						
1C.	State Lechtelier's principle. Explain various stress that disturb the equilibrium.						
2A.	Explain oxidation reduction reaction and discuss its significance in environmental field.						
2B.	State graham's law and mention its application in environmental engineering field						
	Calculate (i) The equivalent weight of Ca ²⁺ ion. (ii) Equivalent weight of						
2C.	CaCO ₃ (iii) what is the concentration of 20 mg/L of Ca ²⁺ when expressed as						
	CaCO ₃ .						
3A.	Discuss briefly zero order reaction and its application in environmental engineering field.						
3B.	Discuss the working principle of reverse osmosis.						
3C.	Following are the data from an experiment to assess the disinfection of water supply with a given dose of chlorine. Assuming first order kinetics determine the rate constant. Time ,min	03					

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4A.	Explain lime soda method in water softening process.	03
4B.	Discuss Langmuir adsorption isotherm. Mention the assumptions made in Langmuir adsorption isotherm.	03
4C.	A coagulation treatment plant with a flow of 0.7 m ³ / s is dosing alum at 27 mg/l. No other chemicals are being added. The raw water suspended solid concentration is 47 mg/l. the effluent suspended solid concentration is measured as 15 mg/l. the sludge content is 1% and the specific gravity of sludge is 3.01. What volume of sludge must be disposed of each day?	04
5A.	Explain the different types of indicator used in volumetric analysis.	04
5B.	With a neat sketch explain the working of HPLC.	03
5C.	Mention the classification of enzymes explaining each.	03
6A.	With a neat sketch explain the structure of bacteria.	04
6B.	Discuss the importance of algae for environmental engineering.	03
6C.	Write a short note on (i) Intracellular and extracellular enzyme (ii) Glycolytic pathway of microbial metabolism.	03

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