UNDERGRADUATE SYLLABUS OF CHEMISTRY

Under FYUGP (NEP-2020)

[MULTIDISCIPLINARY COURSE]



Department of Chemistry

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SEMESTER-I & II

Paper Title : CHEMISTRY IN EVERYDAY LIFE (THEORY)

Paper Code : CHMMU-011 & CHMMU-021

Course No : V- 01
Credits : 03
No. of Classes : 45

Total Theory Marks : 75 [End Semester: 50; In Semester: 25]

Course Objective:

• To understand the chemical constituents in various day to day materials used by a common man like Tooth paste, Cosmetics, Soaps and detergents and Biomolecules.

- To understand the chemical constituents and applications in Food additives, adulterants and contaminants, Artificial food colorants,
- To understand the scientific reasons in various aspects and chemotherapy and its applications.
- To understand the basic constituents and applications in polymers, surface coatings, fertilizers, insecticides and pesticides, chemical explosives etc.

Expected Learner Outcome: Students will gain an understanding of

- Chemistry of household chemical e.g. tooths paste, cosmetics, soap and detergents.
- Definition, classification and importance of carbohydrates, proteins.
- Therapeutic action of different drugs; chemistry of food additives, adulterants and artificial colorants.
- Petroleum products and their application; types, different fertilizers and polymers.

UNIT- I: **Household Chemicals**: Common chemicals used at home. **Tooth Paste & Cosmetics** –contents and uses. Toxic household chemicals and their effects (antifreeze, bleach, drain cleaners, carpet cleaners, ammonia, air fresheners), **Soaps and Detergents**-Types of soaps, synthetic detergents (neutral, anionic and cationic), cleansing action of detergents. Advantages and disadvantages of detergents over soaps.

(8 Lectures; Marks: 10)

UNIT-II: **Biomolecules**: **Carbohydrates**—Definition, classification and importance, **Proteins** - Elementary idea of amino acids, definition classification and importance, **Enzymes** - Basic idea and functions, **Hormones** - Elementary idea and functions, **Vitamins** - Classification and sources and deficiency diseases due to vitamins A, B, C, D, E and K. functions.

(7 Lectures; Marks: 08)

UNIT-III: **Chemotherapy**: Drugs and their classification. Therapeutic action of different classes of the drugs viz. analgesics, antibiotics, antacids, antihistamines, antimicrobials, contraceptives, antipyretics, antiseptics and neurologically active drugs. **Pharmaceutical Compounds**: Structure and Importance Classification, structure and therapeutic uses of antipyretics: Paracetamol, Analgesics: Ibuprofen, Antimalarials: Chloroquine. An elementary treatment of Antibiotics and detailed study of chloramphenicol, Medicinal values of curcumin (haldi), azadirachtin (neem), vitamin C and antacid (ranitidine).

Food Additives, Adulterants and Contaminants: Definition types and applications - Food preservatives like benzoates, propionates, sorbates, disulphites. **Artificial Sweeteners**: Aspartame, saccharin, dulcin, sucralose and sodium cyclamate. Flavours: Vanillin, alkylesters

(fruit flavours) and monosodium glutamate. **Artificial Food Colorants**: Coal tar dyes and non-permitted colours and metallic salts. Analysis of pesticide residues in food.

(20 Lectures; Marks: 20)

UNIT-IV: Petroleum and Petrochemical Industry: Composition of crude petroleum, Refining and different types of petroleum products and their applications.

Fertilizers: Different types of fertilizers, Uses of the following fertilizers: Urea, ammonium nitrate, calcium ammonium nitrate, ammonium phosphates; polyphosphate, superphosphate, compound and mixed fertilizers, potassium chloride, potassium sulphate. **Polymers**: Examples of synthetic polymers and their Uses (polythene, PVC, Polypropylene, nylon, taflon).

(10 Lectures; Marks: 12)

Recommended Books

- Hawley's Condensed Chemical Dictionary by Richard J. Lewis. Call Number: REF 540.3 H31.
- Van Nostrand's Encyclopedia of Chemistry by Glenn D. Considine, Call Number: REF 540.3 V33C
- 2005.
- Macmillan Encyclopedia of Chemistry by Joseph J. Lagowski.
- NCERT 12th Standard Book and references therein.
- Chemistry in Daily Life: Third Edition Paperback 1 January 2012 by Singh K.
