

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**M. E. - SEMESTER – II • EXAMINATION – SUMMER • 2014****Subject code: 1723005****Date: 23-06-2014****Subject Name: Environmental and Safety Management****Time: 02:30 pm - 05:00 pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) Describe nine mandatory markings on pressure vessels as The Static and Mobile Pressure Vessels (Unfired) Rules 1981. **07**
- (b) Define and describe Environmental Management System. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Enlist Pollution Detection equipment as per Environmental Audit Scheme. **07**
- (b) Differentiate between Hazard and Risk **07**
- OR
- (b) Explain Post-Audit activities for Environment Audit in brief. **07**
- Q.3** (a) Describe safety interlocks and Process actions with respect to interlocking system in chemical process plant. **07**
- (b) Enlist the benefits of physically separating the safety interlock system from the process controls. **07**
- OR
- Q.3** (a) Explain simple random sampling, stratified random sampling, systematic sampling and cluster sampling with respect to sample collecting system for hazardous material. **07**
- (b) What is sampling methodology? Discuss the method of determining emissions of Carbon monoxide from stationary sources with a neat sketch. (EPA method 10). **07**
- Q.4** (a) Design an incinerator to burn hydrocarbon at a rate of $30 \text{ m}^3/\text{hr}$ with hydrocarbon concentration of 0.1%. Assume reaction to be first order. Fuel used for destructing gases is natural gas. **07**
- Data:
- Inlet temperature: 66°C (150°F)
- Combustion temperature: 650°C (1200°F)
- Initial Concentration : 10%
- Activation Energy (E): 2000 cal/gmmol
- Exponential constant (A): 35 sec^{-1}
- Universal gas constant gas: (R): $1.987 \text{ cal/gm } ^\circ\text{C}$
- Heating value of natural gas: 9425 kcal/m^3 (1059 Btu/ft^3)
- Velocity of gas: 10 m/sec
- Specific heat of hydrocarbon concentration: 2.35 KJ/kg-K
- Density of hydrocarbon gas at 66°C (150°F): 0.4 kg/m^3
- (b) Enlist the purposes of using flame arrestor, also enlist the common process vessel where flame arrestor is used. **07**
- OR
- Q.4** (a) A sanitary landfill is being designed to handle solid waste generated by a town having a population of 1,00,000. The waste generation on the average is $0.3 \text{ kg/person/day}$. It is expected that the waste will be delivered by a truck to the landfill site on a 4 day/week basis. The mean density of the refuse spread is 100 kg/m^3 . The solid waste is spread in 1.5 m layers and compacted to 0.3 m. The landfill will use 0.15 m of soil for daily cover. An intermediate cover of **07**

soil of 0.2 m is used to complete the cell and a final cover 1.0 m over the stack of 2 cells is recommended. Calculate the following:

1. Annual volume required for the landfill.
 2. Annual horizontal area covered by the solid waste.
- (b)** List out the applications and performance characteristics of horizontal blow-down drum, cyclone separator and Quench tank for emergency relief device effluent collection. **07**
- Q.5 (a)** Discuss the selection criteria for storage and handling of Hazardous material in underground tanks. **07**
- (b)** Enlist recent solid waste treatment methods. **07**
- OR**
- Q.5 (a)** Discuss the construction and working of thermal incinerator with its advantages and disadvantages. **07**
- (b)** What is e-waste? Give types of e-waste. List out various methods for e-waste treatment and disposal and explain any one in detail. **07**
