

7 th Semester	RPL7D006	Speciality Polymers	L-T-P 3-0-0	3 Credits
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Module-I:**(10 hours)**

High temperature and fire resistant polymers –Requirement for heat resistance polymers- polymers for high temperature Resistance –applications of heat resistant polymers like polyquinolines, polyquinoxalines- Aromatic polymers, polyphenylene sulphide, polysulphones, polyesters, polyamides, polyketones-Heterocyclic polymers.

Module-II:**(8 hours)**

Definition, classification, synthesis, characterization and application of polymer gels. Polymers in telecommunications and power transmission, polymers as insulators – electrical breakdown strength – capacitance, dielectric loss and cable alteration, polymers in telecommunications – submarine, cable insulation, low fire risk materials, polymers in power transmission – Optical fibre telecommunication cables.

Module-III:**(10 hours)**

Conducting polymers, conducting mechanisms, requirements for polymer to work as conductor, types of conducting polymers – doping of polymeric systems, polyaniline, polyacetylene, polyparaphenylene, polypyrrole, organometallic polymers, Photosensitive polymers – synthesis, curing reactions, applications in various fields.

Module-IV:**(10 hours)**

Polymers with electrical and electronic properties, polymers in non-linear optics, polymers with piezoelectric, pyroelectric and ferroelectric properties, photoresists for semi-conductor fabrication – Polymers in telecommunications and power transmission – liquid crystalline polymers.

Books:

- [1] Manas Chanda, Salil.K.Roy, “Plastics Technology Hand book”, 2nd edition, Marcel Dekker, New York, 1993.
- [2] Matrin.T.Goosey, “Plastics for Electronics”, Elsevier, Applied Science, 1985.
- [3] R.W. Dyson, “Specialty Polymers”, Chapman & Hall, 2nd edition, 1998.