B. Sc. II Year (IVth Semester)

Paper-XI (CH-204) Inorganic Chemistry (Theory)

M. Marks: 32 Time: 3 Hrs.

Note: Nine questions will be set. **Q. No. 1**, based on whole syllabus, is compulsory. There will be four questions from section $\bf A$ and four from section $\bf B$. Candidates will be required to attempt five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Question no. 1 carry 8 marks and all questions in Section A & B (not more than 2-3 parts) carry 6 marks each.

Section – A (23 periods)

Chemistry of f-Block elements

Lanthanides: Electronic structure, oxidation states, magnetic properties, complex formation, colour, ionic radii and lanthanide contraction, occurrence, separation of lanthanides, Lanthanide compounds.

Actinides: General characteristics of actinides, chemistry of separation of Np, Pu and Am from uranium, Transuranic elements, comparison of properties of Lanthanides and actinides with transition elements.

Section – B (22 periods)

Theory of Qualitative and Quantitative Analysis

Chemistry of analysis of various groups of basic and acidic radicals, chemistry of identification of acid radicals in typical combination, chemistry of interference of acid radicals including their removal in the analysis of basic radicals, common ion effect, solubility product, theory of precipitation, co-precipitation, post precipitation, purification of precipitates.