

**St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Ahmedabad**

**Syllabus of Semester – V of the following departments under Faculty of Science  
based on Under Graduate Curriculum Framework - 2023 to be implemented  
from the Academic Year 2025-26**

**FACULTY OF SCIENCE**

**DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY**

**BSc. (Hons.) Chemistry  
Category – V**

**Minor Course-4 Nanotechnology and Nanomaterials (Theory)**

**CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE**

Course Title & Code	Credit Distribution of The Course			Eligibility Criteria	Perquisite(s) of the Course (if any)
	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical / Practice		
Nanotechnology and Nanomaterials CHMN552C	2	0	2	10 + 2 from a recognized board in any stream	Basic foundation for studying Nanotechnology in chemistry

**LEARNING OBJECTIVES (LO)**

LO-1	Explain the fundamental principles of nanotechnology and their application in various fields.
LO-2	Students will be able to identify and compare different nanofabrication methods and characterization techniques for nanomaterials.
LO-3	Recognize the applications of nanotechnology in various fields including nanomedicine and personal health care.

**COURSE OUTCOMES (CO)**

On Completion of this course, the student will be able to

CO-1	Students will gain basic Knowledge of nanoscience and nanotechnology, including nanoscale phenomena and the unique properties that emerge at the nanoscale.
CO-2	Students will be able to apply their knowledge to characterize nano materials related to nanotechnology.
CO-3	Students will be able to understand fundamental principles, synthesize and characterize nanomaterials, and understand their applications in various fields.
CO-4	Students will be able to design experiments to synthesize and characterize nanomaterials.
CO-5	Students will be able to recognize the applications of nanomaterials and nanotechnology in biological fields

#### **Unit-1 INTRODUCTION AND PREPARATION OF NANOMATERIALS (15L)**

Introduction to Nanomaterials, Optical, magnetic and chemical properties of Nanomaterials, Preparation of Nanoparticles: Chemical Approaches: Chemical reduction; Sonochemical synthesis; Sol-Gel Synthesis; Self-assembly. Physical Approaches: Aerosol spray; Gas condensation; Laser vaporization and vapour deposition; Sputtering.

#### **Unit-2 Characterization techniques for Nanomaterials (15L)**

Particle size Analyser (Laser scattering), Optical Microscopy: Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM), Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM), Scanning Tunnel Microscopy (STM), X-ray Diffraction (XRD), Auger Emission Spectroscopy, Electron Spectroscopy for Chemical analysis (ESCA)..

#### **Unit-3 APPLICATION OF NANOMATERIALS AND NANOTECHNOLOGY IN BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE (15L)**

- . Nano medicine, Nano materials for programmable drug delivery, self-assembled nanostructures for biomedical applications, Nanomaterials in cancer treatment, nanotechnology in brain-machine interfaces, Nanomaterials for personalized health care, electronic skins, nanotechnology in tissue engineering, sustainable biomedical technologies, Nanomaterial Delivery Tools for Plants

#### **Suggestive Reading:**

1. "Introduction to Nanotechnology: Charles P. Poole, Jr. and Frank J. Owens; Wiley Student Edition, 2008
2. Nanostructures and Nanomaterials: Synthesis, Properties and Applications: G. Cao, ICP, London, 2004.
3. Nanobiotechnology, Concepts, Applications and perspectives: C. M. Niemeyer and C. A.

Mirkin, WILEY-VCH, Verlag GmbH & Co, 2004.

4. Nanotechnology - Molecularly Designed Materials: G. M. Chow and K. E. Gonslaves; (American chemical society)
5. Nanostructures & Nanomaterials: Synthesis, Properties & Applications: G. Cao, Imperial College Press, 2004.
6. "Nano - The essentials: T. Pradeep, Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi, 2007
7. Nano materials: J. Dutta & H. Hofman.
8. "NANOTECHNOLOGY-basic science and emerging technologies: Mick Wilson, Kamali Kannagaraet.al., University of new south wales press ltd, 2008.
9. Nanotechnology: Mark Ratner and Daniel Ratner, Pearson Education.
10. Nanomaterials: A.K. Bandyopadhyay; New Age International Publishers
11. Nanomedicine: Kenneth A. Howard, Thomas Vorup-Jensen, Dan Peer (eds.), Springer-Verlag New York, 2016
12. Diverse Applications of Nanotechnology in the Biological Sciences: An Essential Tool in Agri-Business and Health Care Systems; Khalid Rehman Hakeem, Majid Kamli, Jamal S. M. Sabir, Hesham F. Alharby, CRC Press/Apple Academic Press, 2022
13. Nanotechnology in health care: Sanjeeb K Sahoo, Pan Stanford Pub, 2012