

Holy Cross College (Autonomous) Tiruchirappalli – 620 002

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CENTRALIZED INSTRUMENTATION FACILITY (CIF)

About CIF

- The Centralized Instrumentation Facility (CIF), was established by Department of Science and Technology (DST).
- The Purpose of establishing these centres is to provide data collection facility from analytical equipments to scientific community for their advanced research with nominal charges.
- The Facility has grown into a major centre for spectral measurements, molecular and crystal structure determination and materials characterization.

OBJECTIVES

- To carry out analysis of samples received from academics, research institutions and other organizations.
- To provide instrumental facilities for analyst as an outsource, to undertake project and research works.
- To organize periodic short-term workshops on the application of various spectroscopic and analytical techniques for students, teachers and personnel.
- To carry out and support various sponsored research project

FACILITY

- Hitachi UV-Visible Spectrophotometer (U-2910)
- Jasco Raman Spectroscopy (PR-1w)
- Thermo Fisher TRACE GC ULTRA GC-MS/MS (ITQ 900)
- Shimadzu FTIR IR Affinity-1 (Miracle 10)
- Bruker Powder X-Ray Diffraction (D8 Advance)
- Agilent Technologies HPLC (1220) Infinity LC
- Ivium Technology Electrochemistry Vertex Work Station (V-55648)

UV VISIBLE SPECTROPHOTOMETER



MAKE : HITACHI

MODEL : U-2910

SAMPLE TYPE

LIQUID

- UV absorption spectrophotometer is the best method for the determination of the purity of organic compounds.
- If any impurities are present in the organic compounds then the additional peaks appear at the specific wavelength in the spectrum.

PALMTOP RAMAN SPECTROMETER



MAKE : JASCO

MODEL : **PR-1W** (**Spec** : **785nm**)

SAMPLE TYPE

- SOLID
- LIQUID
- THIN-FLIM

- To Identify Functional Group of Chemical compounds.
- Raman scattering is about a million times less intense than Rayleigh Scattering.

POWDER X-RAY DIFRACTION (XRD)



MAKE : BRUKER

MODEL: D8 ADVANCE

SAMPLE TYPE

- SOLID
- THIN-FLIM

- Measurement of sample purity.
- Identification of fine-grained minerals such as clays and mixed layer clays that are difficult to determine optically.
- Study of change in crystalline phase via the position of the diffraction peak.

ATOMIC ABSOPRTION SPECTROMETRY (AAS)



MAKE : AGILENT TECHNOLOGIES

MODEL: AA 55

SAMPLE TYPE

LIQUID

APPLICATION

• Its commonly identifying metal elements in various samples.

AVAILABLE ELEMENT

• Cu, Cr, Fe, Ni, Pb, Zn

GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY MASS SPECTROMETRY (GC-MS/MS)



MAKE: THERMO FISHER

MODEL: TRACE GC ULTRA (ITQ 900)

SAMPLE TYPE

- SOLID
- LIQUID

- GC-MS/MS provides enhanced sample identification, higher sensitivity, an increased range of analyzable samples, and faster results.
- A tandem mass spectrometer is used which allows us to select specific analytes for individual fragmentation. This allows more complex mixtures to be analysed more readily.

FOURIER TRANSFORM INFRARED SPECTROPHOTOMETER (FTIR)



MAKE : SHIMADZU

MODEL : AFFINITY-1 (MIRACLE 10)

SAMPLE TYPE

- SOLID
- LIQUID

- It is also utilized for functional group identification in unknown compounds.
- It is used to identify reaction components and conduct kinetic studies on reactions.

HIGH PERFORMANCE LIQUID CHROMATOGRAPHY (HPLC)



MAKE : AGILENT TECHNOLOGIES

MODEL: 1220 INFINITY LC

SAMPLE TYPE

LIQUID

- Product purity and quality control of industrial products and fine chemicals.
- Separation and purification of biopolymers such as enzymes or nucleic acids.

ELECTRO CHEMISTRY VERTEX WORKSTATION



MAKE : IVIUM TECHNOLOGY

MODEL : **VERTEX** (**V-55648**)

SAMPLE TYPE

- SOLID
- LIQUID

- They provide researchers with the ability to apply controlled potentials or currents to electrodes and measure the resulting electrochemical reactions.
- These workstations play a crucial role in various fields, such as battery technology, corrosion studies, material characterization, and fundamental research.



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