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**Date:15/05/2019**
**Subject Name: Stoichiometry**
**Time:02:30 PM TO 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) In a double effect evaporator plant, the second effect is maintained under vacuum of 475 torr (mm Hg). Find the absolute pressure in kPa, bar and psi. **03**
- (b) A solution of sodium chloride in water contains 30% NaCl (by mass) at 333K. The density of the solution is 1.2 kg/L. Find the molarity, normality and molality of the solution. Atomic mass: Na = 23, Cl = 35.5. **04**
- (c) Obtain an empirical equation for calculating the heat of reaction at any temperature T (in K) for the reaction:  $\text{CH}_4(\text{g}) + \text{C}_2\text{H}_5(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{C}_3\text{H}_8$  **07**  
 Data:  $\Delta H^\circ_{\text{R}}$  at 298 K = -82660 J/mol,  $C_p = a + bT + cT^2 + dT^3$ , J/(mol.K).

Component	a	$b \times 10^3$	$c \times 10^6$	$d \times 10^9$
$\text{CH}_4(\text{g})$	19.2494	52.1135	11.973	-11.3173
$\text{C}_2\text{H}_4(\text{g})$	4.1261	155.0213	-81.5455	16.9755
$\text{C}_3\text{H}_8(\text{g})$	-4.2227	306.264	-158.6316	32.1455

- Q.2** (a) A weight of 1.10 kg of carbon dioxide occupies a volume of 33 litre at 300 K. Using the Van der Waals equation of state, calculate the pressure. **03**
- (b) The diameter and height of a vertical cylindrical tank are 5 ft and 6 ft 6 inch respectively. It is full up to 75% height with carbon tetrachloride ( $\text{CCl}_4$ ), the density of which is 1.6 kg/lit. Find the mass in kg. **04**
- (c) A gas mixture has the following composition by volume. **07**  
 Ethylene: 30.6%, Benzene: 24.5%, Oxygen: 1.3%, Methane: 15.5%, Ethane: 25.0%, Nitrogen: 3.1%. Find a) the average molecular weight of the gas mixture, b) the composition by weight, and c) the density of the mixture in  $\text{kg/m}^3$  at STP.

**OR**

- (c) In case of liquids, the local heat-transfer coefficient for long tubes and using bulk-temperature properties is expressed by the empirical equation **07**

$$h = 0.023 G^{0.8} k^{0.67} c_p^{0.33} / (D^{0.2} \mu^{0.47})$$

 where h = heat-transfer coefficient, Btu/(h.ft<sup>2</sup>.°F)

 G = mass velocity of liquid, lb/(ft<sup>2</sup>.s)

 c<sub>p</sub> = heat capacity, Btu/(lb.°F)

k = thermal conductivity, Btu/(h.ft.°F)

D = diameter of tube, ft and

μ = viscosity of liquid, lb/(ft.s)

Is the given equation dimensionally consistent? If yes, convert the equation into SI units.

- Q.3** (a) Explain Material balance of Extractor. **03**
- (b) Define Ideal gas law, Raoult's Law, Henry's Law and Dalton's Law. **04**
- (c) The average molar mass of a flue gas sample is calculated by two different engineers. One engineer uses the correct molar mass of 28 for N<sub>2</sub> and determines the average molar mass to be 30.08, the other engineer, using an incorrect value of 14, calculate the average molar mass to be 18.74. Calculate i) the volume % of N<sub>2</sub> in the flue gases, and ii) if the remaining components of **07**

the flue gases are  $\text{CO}_2$  and  $\text{O}_2$ , calculate the volume % of each of them.

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OR

- Q.3** (a) Discuss methods of solving material balance problems without chemical reaction. **03**
- (b) A single effect evaporator is fed with 1000 kg/h of weak liquor containing 15% caustic by weight and is concentrated to get thick liquor containing 40% by weight caustic ( $\text{NaOH}$ ). Calculate: a) kg/h of water evaporated, and b) kg/h of thick liquor obtained **04**
- (c) Heat capacity for gaseous  $\text{SO}_2$  is given by the following equation: **07**
- $$C_p = 43.458 + 10.634 \times 10^{-3} T - \frac{5.945 \times 10^5}{T^2}$$
- Calculate the heat required to raise the temperature of 1 kmol pure  $\text{SO}_2$  from 300 K to 1000 K.
- Q.4** (a) Explain Material balance of Crystallizer. **03**
- (b) Define & explain following terms: i) absolute humidity (H) ii) % humidity iii) wet-bulb temp (WB) iv) humid heat. **04**
- (c) The waste acid from a nitrating process containing 20%  $\text{HNO}_3$ , 55%  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and 25%  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  by weight is to be concentrated by addition of concentrated Sulphuric acid containing 95%  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and concentrated nitric acid containing 90%  $\text{HNO}_3$  to get desired mixed acid containing 26%  $\text{HNO}_3$  and 60%  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ . Calculate the quantities of waste acid and concentrated acids required for 1000 kg of desired acid. **07**

OR

- Q.4** (a) State Hess's Law of constant heat summation with example. **03**
- (b) With a neat sketch show the material balance for the following unit operations: Distillation and Evaporation. **04**
- (c) A solution of ethyl alcohol containing 8.6% alcohol is fed at rate of 1000 kg/h to a continuous distillation column. The product is a solution containing 95.5% alcohol. The waste solution from the column carries 0.1% alcohol. All % are by weight. Calculate i) the mass flow rate of top & bottom product in kg/h ii) the % loss of alcohol. **07**
- Q.5** (a) Define: (i) Standard Heat of formation (ii) Standard Heat of combustion (iii) Standard Heat of reaction. **03**
- (b) Write a short note on recycling and bypassing operations. **04**
- (c) A pilot plant reactor was charged with 50 kg naphthalene and 200 kg (98% by mass)  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ . The reaction was carried out for 3 hours at 433 K. The reaction goes near to completion. The product distribution was found to be 18.6% monosulphonate naphthalene and 81.4% disulphonate naphthalene. Calculate (a) the quantities of monosulphonate naphthalene (MSN) and disulphonate naphthalene (DSN) products, and (b) the complete analysis of the product. **07**

OR

- Q.5** (a) Define Conversion, Yield, and Selectivity. **03**
- (b) For o-xylene, calculate (a) latent heat of vaporization at  $T_B$  using Riedel equation, and (b) latent heat of vaporization at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  using Watson equation. Data given: For o-xylene:  $P_c = 3732 \text{ kPa}$ ,  $T_c = 630.3 \text{ K}$ ,  $T_B = 417.6 \text{ K}$  **04**
- (c) In the Deacon process for manufacture of Chlorine, hydrochloric gas is oxidized with air. The reaction taking place is:  $4 \text{HCl} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{Cl}_2 + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O}$ . The air used is in excess of 30% of that theoretically required and the oxidation is 80% complete. Calculate the composition by volume of dry gases leaving the reaction chamber. **07**

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