

# P P SAVANI UNIVERSITY

Fifth Semester of B. Tech. Examination

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SECH 3021 Mass Transfer Operation II

25.11.2022, Friday

Time: 10:00 a.m. To 12:30 p.m.

Maximum Marks: 60

**Instructions:**

1. The question paper comprises of two sections.
2. Section I and II must be attempted in separate answer sheets.
3. Make suitable assumptions and draw neat figures wherever required.
4. Use of scientific calculator is allowed.

**SECTION - I**

- Q - 1 Solve MCQ (Any Five) [05] CO BTL
- (i) The equilibrium characteristics of the solubility of a gas in liquid helps to determine the  
a) Rate b) Concentration c) Time d) No existence of equilibrium characteristics
- (ii) A new phase is given for the separation by distillation.  
a) True b) False
- (iii) Solubility of a gas increases with increase in temperature.  
a) True b) False
- (iv) McCabe -Thiele method excludes \_\_\_\_\_ information.  
a) Entropy b) Enthalpy c) Flow rate d) Number of theoretical stages
- (v) The component A and B has the same boiling point. Can the separation is done by ordinary separation?  
a) True b) False
- (vi) The Enriching section operating line intercept at the origin in McCabe-Thiele method when  
a) Reflux ratio = Zero b) Reflux ratio= Infinity c) Reflux ratio= One  
d) Reflux ratio= 1.5 to 2 times Reflux minimum
- (vii) If there is no reflux to a fractionating column then  
a) Large condenser size is needed b) Less reboiler size needed  
c) Minimum number of trays d) None of the mentioned
- Q - 2 (a) Define : Reflux ratio, Total reflux, minimum reflux [05] 1 1
- Q - 2 (b) Explain McCabe and Thiele method for tray calculation with Assumption [05] 1 3
- OR**
- Q - 2 (a) Explain separation in Enriching and Stripping section of continuous rectification column also [05] 1 3
- Q - 2 (b) Draw a schematic diagram of a conventional fractionating column and explain how mass transfer takes place between two phases in the column. [05] 1 3
- Q - 3 (a) Distinguish Plate and Packed towers. Explain Flooding and loading in packed towers [05] 2 4
- Q - 3 (b) Explain in detail about choice of solvent used for absorption and absorption with chemical reaction [05] 3 1
- OR**
- Q - 3 (a) Write the any five properties of a good solvent for extraction [05] 3 1
- Q - 3 (b) Explain how will you find out the final composition of the solute in the raffinate [05] 3 3

for immiscible solvent and diluents in single and multistage cross current extraction

- Q - 4** Attempt any one/two. [05]
- (i) Write the stepwise procedure for calculating the number of stages when A and B are immiscible for continuous counter extraction operation. 1 3

**SECTION - II**

- Q - 1** Solve MCQ (Any Five) [05]
- (i) Liquid-liquid mixture is separated with solvent extraction by adding \_\_\_\_\_ solvent.  
a) Soluble b) Insoluble c) Partially soluble d) All of the mentioned
- (ii) Which of the following forces is involved in physical adsorption?  
a) Gravitational force b) Magnetic force c) Van der Waals force d) Electromagnetic force
- (iii) A finely divided substance is more effective as an adsorbent.  
a) True b) False
- (iv) Solvent lean phase are known as  
a) Extract b) Raffinate c) Residue d) None of the mentioned
- (v) The removal of soluble materials from the solid is known as \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Elution b) Decoction c) Extraction d) None of the mentioned
- (vi) In order to reduce the time required for the removing solute the sugar beets are cut into slices known as  
a) Cossettes b) Coset c) Consort d) All of the mentioned
- (vii) \_\_\_\_\_ is the single stage device in extractor types.  
a) Mixer settler b) Sieve trays c) Agitator vessel d) Packed column
- Q - 2 (a)** Explain physical adsorption Explain adsorption for concentrated solutions [05] 4 3
- Q - 2 (b)** Discuss the types of adsorption, nature of adsorbents and also list-out important industrial adsorbents [05] 4 3

**OR**

- Q - 2 (a)** Explain chemisorptions Explain adsorption of solute for dilute solutions [05] 4 3
- Q - 2 (b)** What do you mean by Ion Exchange? Describe techniques and application of ion exchange. [05] 4 3
- Q - 3 (a)** Write the material balance for the Single stage and Multistage Counter Current Extraction with neat sketch [05] 5 3
- Q - 3 (b)** Describe selection criteria for solvent in Extraction. [05] 5 3

**OR**

- Q - 3** Nicotine in water containing 1% Nicotine is to be extracted with kerosene at 200°C water. Water and kerosene are insoluble. Estimate the percentage extraction of Nicotine for the following cases. [10] 5 4

(i) If 100 kg of feed solution is extracted in a single stage with 150 kg of solvent.

(ii) If 100 kg of feed solution is extracted in three theoretical stages using 50kg of fresh solvent in each stage.

Equilibrium data:

X' 0 0.00101 0.00246 .0.00502 0.00751 0.00998 0.0204

Y' 0 0.00081 0.001962 0.00456 0.00686 0.00913 0.0197

Where X' is kg nicotine/kg water and Y' is kg nicotine/kg kerosene.



Q - 4 Solve

[05]

(i) Describe working of pressure swing adsorber

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CO : Course Outcome Number

BTL : Blooms Taxonomy Level

Level of Bloom's Revised Taxonomy in Assessment

1: Remember	2: Understand	3: Apply
4: Analyze	5: Evaluate	6: Create