

## Process Calculations

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SE/III/CBGS/CHEM./PC

Q.P.No.: 5226

(3 Hours)

[ Total Marks : 80

N.B.:- 1) Question no. 1 is compulsory.

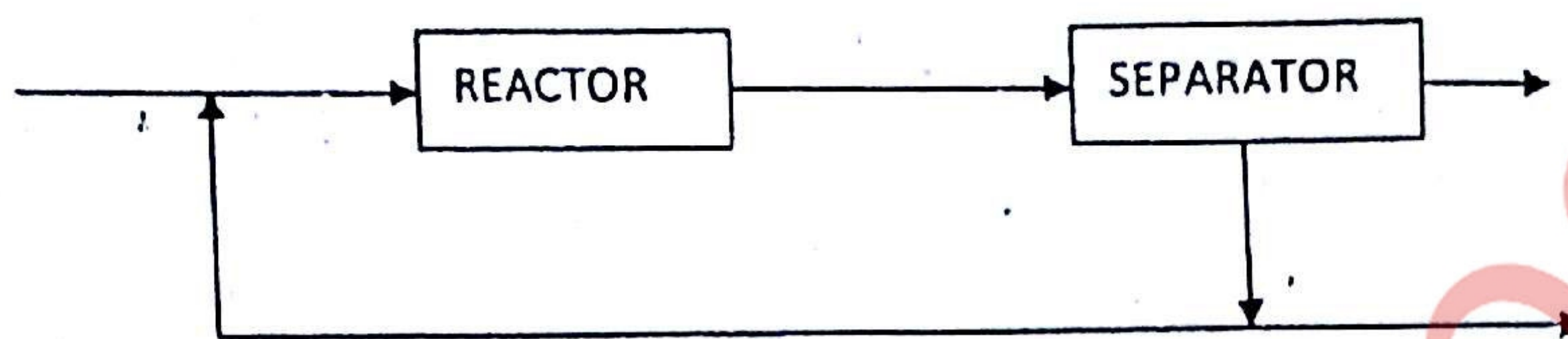
2) Attempt any 03 questions out of remaining 05 questions.

3) Figures to the right indicate marks.

1. a) Two litres of  $\text{NH}_3$  at  $30^\circ\text{C}$  and  $20.265 \text{ kPa}$  is neutralized by  $135 \text{ ml}$  of solution of  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ . Find the normality of the acid. 5
- b) The ground nut seeds containing  $45\%$  oil and  $45\%$  solids are fed to expeller, the cake coming out of expeller is found to contain  $80\%$  solids and  $5\%$  ~~solids~~. Find the percentage recovery of oil. 5
- c) A sample of petrol contains  $15\%$   $\text{H}_2$  and  $85\%$   $\text{C}$  by weight. Calculate the amount of air required for the complete combustion of  $1 \text{ kg}$  of petrol. Find the composition of the dry products on volume basis if  $15\%$  excess air is supplied. 5
- d) Define (i) Dry bulb temperature (ii) Absolute humidity 5
2. a)  $5000 \text{ Kg}$  of  $\text{KCl}$  are present in a saturated solution at  $80^\circ\text{C}$ . The solution is cooled to  $20^\circ\text{C}$  in an open tank. The solubilities of  $\text{KCl}$  at  $80^\circ\text{C}$  and  $20^\circ\text{C}$  are  $55$  and  $35$  parts per  $100$  parts of water. i) Assuming water equal to  $3\%$  by weight of solution is lost by evaporation, calculate the weight of crystals obtained. ii) Calculate the yield of crystals neglecting loss of water by evaporation;  $\text{KCl}$  crystallizes without any water of crystals. 10
- b) Make the following conversions: i) Pressure of  $2 \text{ atm}$  to  $\text{mm Hg}$  ii)  $127 \text{ lb/ft}^3$  to  $\text{g/cm}^3$  iii)  $499 \text{ g}$  of  $\text{CuSO}_4 \cdot 5\text{H}_2\text{O}$  into moles iv)  $3\text{M}$   $\text{K}_2\text{SO}_4$  to  $\text{g/l}$  v)  $4.8 \text{ mg/ml}$   $\text{CaCl}_2$  to normality. 10
3. a) The dilute acid containing  $25\%$   $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  is concentrated by commercial grade sulphuric acid containing  $98\%$   $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  to obtain desired acid containing  $65\%$   $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ . Find out the quantities of the acids required to make  $1000 \text{ kg}$  desired acid. 10
- b) A feed to a continuous fractionating column analyses by wt.  $50\%$  benzene and  $50\%$  toluene. The analysis of the distillate shows  $95 \text{ wt}\%$  benzene and  $8 \text{ wt}\%$  benzene as found in the bottom product. Calculate the amount of distillate and bottom product per  $5000 \text{ kg}$  of feed per hour. Also calculate  $\%$  recovery of benzene. 10
4. a) Wood containing  $40\%$  moisture is dried to  $5\%$  moisture. What mass of water in kilogram is evaporated per  $\text{kg}$  of dry wood? 10
- b) A sample of coal is found to contain  $67.2\%$  carbon and  $22.3\%$  ash (wt. basis). The refuse obtained at the end of combustion is analyzed to contain  $7.1\%$  carbon and the rest ash. Compute the  $\%$  of the original carbon remaining unburnt in the refuse. 10



- 5 a) For the reaction  $A \rightarrow B$ , the process flow diagram is shown in following figure. The fresh feed of 10 A contains 0.6% of inerts by volume. Sixty five percentage conversion of A per pass is obtained. The concentration of inerts going into the reactor at point 1 must be held at 2.5% by volume. All streams are ideal gases and the process is steady-state.
- (I) How many moles need to be recycled per mole of total feed to the reactor at point 1?  
 (II) How many moles to be purged?  
 (III) What is the overall conversion of A?



- b) Calculate the heat that must be removed in cooling 32 kg of oxygen from 488 K (215°C) to 313 K (40°C) using  $C_p$  data. 10

$$C_p^\circ = a + bT + cT^2 + dT^3 \quad (\text{kJ/kmol-K})$$

gas	a	$b \times 10^3$	$c \times 10^6$	$d \times 10^9$
O <sub>2</sub>	26.0257	11.7551	-2.3426	-0.5623

- 6 a) Calculate the theoretical flame temperature of a gas containing 20 % CO and 80 % N<sub>2</sub> when burned with 100 % excess air, both air and gas initially being at 25°C. 10
- $H_{298}^\circ = -67,636 \text{ cal}$ . T is in K and  $C_p$  in cal/(gmol-K) in following eqs.  
 For CO<sub>2</sub>  $C_p = 6.339 + 0.01014 T - 3.416 \times 10^{-5} T^2$   
 For O<sub>2</sub>  $C_p = 6.117 + 0.003167 T - 1.005 \times 10^{-6} T^2$   
 For N<sub>2</sub>  $C_p = 6.457 + 0.001389 T - 0.069 \times 10^{-6} T^2$

- b) Calculate the standard heat of reaction of the following reaction 10
- $$2\text{FeS}_2(\text{s}) + 11/2 \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3(\text{s}) + 4\text{SO}_2(\text{g})$$

Compound	$\Delta H_f^\circ$ (kJ/gmol) at 25°C
FeS <sub>2</sub> (s)	-178.02
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> (s)	-822.70
SO <sub>2</sub> (g)	-296.81