

(3 Hours)

[Total Marks : 80

- N.B. : (1) Question no. 1 is compulsory,
 (2) Attempt any three from the remaining five questions.
 (3) Use graph paper, if required.

1. Explain

- (a) Boiling point diagram.
 (b) Adsorption isotherm.
 (c) Properties of extraction solvent.
 (d) Bollmann extractor.

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2. (a) Describe Swenson-walker crystallizer.

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- (b) 100kg/h acetic acid of 30% concentration is countercurrently extracted with 20kg/h solvent to a raffinate composition 2%. Find the no. of stages.

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Equilibrium data in wt% are

Acid	solvent	water	acid	solvent	water
1.4	97	1.6	0.37	0.7	98.03
13.3	84	2.7	4.8	2	93.2
36.7	59	4.3	21.6	7	71.4
46.4	37	16.5	36	15	48.7

3. (a) Explain steam distillation.

- (b) Halibut oil is extracted from granulated livers by countercurrent extraction using ether. The feed rate of livers is 350kg/h with 20% oil. The solvent rate is 250kg/h with 2% oil. The residue after separation contains 1% oil on solvent free basis. Find the no. of stages. The equilibrium data

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kg oil/kg solution	0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6
kgsolution/kgresidue	0.28	0.34	0.4	0.47	0.55	0.66	0.8

4. (a) Describe McCabe Thiele method of calculating no. of theoretical plates in rectification. Explain the effect of feed conditions.

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- (b) 100 moles of benzene-toluene mixture with 50 mole% benzene is fed to simple distillation. After distillation, the residue contains 33 mole% benzene. Find the quantity of distillate. Take relative volatility = 2.4.

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5. (a) Explain break through curve in adsorption.

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- (b) Elaborate the various membrane separation methods.

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6. (a) Describe material & enthalpy balance for crystallization.

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- (b) Write the applications of adsorption. describe any 4 adsorbents

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(c) Compare minimum & maximum boiling azeotropes.

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