

**GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY****BE - SEMESTER– IV (New) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2019****Subject Code: 2140406****Date: 12/12/2019****Subject Name: Stoichiometry****Time: 10:30 AM TO 01:00 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) Define: Ideal gas law, Raoult's law, Henry's law. **03**  
 (b) The conductance of a fluid –flow system is defined as volumetric flow rate, referred to a pressure of one torr (133.322 Pa.). For an orifice, the conductance C can be computed from **04**

$$C = 89.2A\sqrt{\frac{T}{M}} \text{ ft}^3 / \text{s}$$

Where A = area of opening. ft<sup>2</sup>, T = Temperature, °R, M = Molecular Weight.  
 Convert the empirical equation into SI units.

- (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 the flue gases are CO<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>2</sub>. **07**
- Q.2** (a) Iron metal weighs 200 lb & occupies a volume of 117 lit. Find the density in gm/cm<sup>3</sup>. **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 (CCl<sub>4</sub>), the density of which is 1.6 kg/lit. Find the mass in kg. **04**  
 (c) Cracked gas from a petroleum refinery has the following composition by vol.; Methane 45%, Ethane 10%, Ethylene 25%, Propane 7%, Propylene 8%, n-Butane 5%. Find: a) Average molecular weight of the mixture, and b) the composition by wt%. **07**

**OR**

- (c) An aqueous solution of K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> is prepared by dissolving 43 kg K<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> in 100 kg water at 293 K. Find the molarity, normality and molality of the solution. Take specific gravity of the solution as 1.3. **07**
- Q.3** (a) Discuss methods of solving material balance problems without chemical reaction. **03**  
 (b) State recycling and bypassing operations with their importance in the process industries. **04**  
 (c) The waste acid from a nitrating process containing 20% HNO<sub>3</sub>, 55% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and 25% H<sub>2</sub>O by weight is to be concentrated by addition of concentrated sulphuric acid containing 95% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> and concentrated nitric acid containing 90% HNO<sub>3</sub> to get desired mixed acid containing 26 % HNO<sub>3</sub> and 60% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. Calculate the quantities of waste acid and concentrated acids required for 1000 kg of desired acid. **07**

**OR**

- Q.3** (a) Define : Conversion, yield, selectivity. **03**  
 (b) Formaldehyde is produced from methanol catalytic reactor. The production rate of formaldehyde is 1000 kg/h. If conversion of methanol is 65%, calculate the required feed rate of methanol. **04**

- (c) An effluent sample from a formaldehyde plant is found to contain methanol and formaldehyde. The analysis of the solution indicated that TOC and ThOD are 258.3 mg/lit and 965.5 mg/lit respectively. Find the concentration of each of the compounds in the sample. **07**
- Q.4 (a)** Define: i) Standard Heat of Formation ii) Standard Heat of Combustion iii) Standard Heat of Reaction. **03**
- (b) Soyabean seeds are extracted with n-hexane in batch extractors. The flaked seeds contain 18.6% oil, 69.0% solids and 12.4% moisture. At the end of the extraction process, de-oiled cake (DOC) analysis yields 0.8% oil, 87.7% solids and 11.5% moisture. Find the percentage recovery of oil. All percentages are by mass. **04**
- (c) In the Deacon process for manufacturing chlorine, HCl gas is oxidized with air. **07**  
 The reaction taking place is:  $4\text{HCl}_{(g)} + \text{O}_{2(g)} \rightarrow 2\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(g)} + 2\text{Cl}_{2(g)}$   
 If the air is used in excess of 30% of that theoretically required, and if the oxidation is 80% complete, calculate the composition by volume of dry gases leaving the reaction chamber.

**OR**

- Q.4 (a)** State Hess's law of constant heat summation with example. **03**
- (b) Pure methane is heated from 303K to 523K at atmospheric pressure. Calculate the heat added per kmol methane, using data given.  $C_p = a + bT + cT^2$  **04**  
 where  $C_p^\circ$  = Ideal gas heat capacity at 101.325 kPa, kJ/(kmol.K)  
 and T = Absolute temperature, K

Compound	a	b x 10 <sup>-3</sup>	c x 10 <sup>-6</sup>	d x 10 <sup>-9</sup>
Methane (CH <sub>4</sub> )	19.2494	52.1135	11.973	-11.3173

- (c) A pilot plant reactor was charged with 50 kg naphthalene and 200 kg (98% by wt.) H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. The reaction was carried out for 3 hours at 433 K. the reaction goes to near completion. The product distribution was found to be 18.6% monosulphonate naphthalene and 81.4% disulphonate naphthalene. Calculate: a) the quantities of monosulphonate (MSN) and disulphonate (DSN) products, and b) the complete analysis of product. **07**
- Q.5 (a)** Explain material balance of Extractor. **03**
- (b) A heat exchanger for cooling a hot hydrocarbon liquid uses 10000 kg/hr of cooling water, which enters the exchanger at 294K. the hot oil at the rate of 5000 kg/hr enters at 423K and leaves at 338K and has an average heat capacity of 2.51 KJ/(kg.K). Calculate the outlet temperature of water. **04**
- (c) Obtain an empirical equation for calculating the heat of reaction at any temperature T (in K) for the reaction  $\text{CH}_{4(g)} + \text{C}_2\text{H}_{4(g)} \rightarrow \text{C}_3\text{H}_{8(g)}$ . Data:  $\Delta H_R^\circ$  at 298 K = -82.66 kJ/mol,  $C_p = a + bT + cT^2 + dT^3$ , J/kmol.K **07**

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CH <sub>4</sub> (g)	19.2494	52.1135	11.973	-11.3173
C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> (g)	4.1261	155.0213	-81.5455	16.9755
C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub> (g)	-4.2227	306.264	-158.6316	32.1455

**OR**

- Q.5 (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 (Cs). **04**
- (c) 10000 kg of an aq sol containing 29.6% by wt anhydrous Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> at 413 K is charged to the crystallizer. During the cooling, 5% of initial water is lost by evaporation. As a result, crystals of Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>H<sub>2</sub>O crystallize out. If the mother liquor is found to contain 18.3 % (by wt) anhydrous Na<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>. Cal the yield & the quantity of mother liquor. **07**

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