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3 Hours / 70 Marks

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- Instructions :**
- (1) All Questions are *compulsory*.
  - (2) Illustrate your answers with neat sketches wherever necessary.
  - (3) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
  - (4) Assume suitable data, if necessary.

**Marks**

1. Attempt any FIVE of the following :

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- (a) Define sensible heat and latent heat.
- (b) State Dalton's law and Amagat's law.
- (c) Define heat capacity and give its SI unit.
- (d) If evaporator operates under vacuum at 475 torr. Find the absolute pressure.
- (e) Write the stoichiometric coefficient's for the given reaction :  
$$4\text{HCl} + \text{O}_2 \longrightarrow 2\text{Cl}_2 + 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$$
- (f) Define Net Calorific Value (NCV) and Gross Calorific Value (GCV).
- (g) Draw a block diagram indicating material balance for distillation process.

2. Attempt any THREE of the following :

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- (a) Convert a volumetric flow rate of 1000 m<sup>3</sup>/h to l/s.
- (b) The ground nut seeds containing 45% oil and 45% solids are fed to an expeller, the cake coming out of expeller is found to contain 80% solids and 5% oil, Find the percentage recovery of oil.

- (c) A feed containing A, B and inerts enters a reactor. The reaction taking place is
- $$2 A + B \rightarrow C$$

The product stream leaving the reactor is having the following composition by mole :

A = 23.08%, B = 11.54%, C = 46.15% and inerts = 19.23%. Find the analysis of feed on mole basis.

- (d) State and explain the Hess's law of constant heat summation.

**3. Attempt any THREE of the following :**

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- (a) A sample of coal is found to contain 63% carbon and 24% ash on a weight basis. The analysis of refuse after combustion shows 7% carbon and rest ash. Calculate the % of the original carbon unburnt in the refuse.
- (b) A dryer handle 1000 kg/hr of wet solids containing 50% solid to be dried to 20% moisture. Calculate percentage of original moisture removed.
- (c) Ethylene oxide is produced by oxidation of ethylene. 100 kmol of ethylene are fed to a reactor and the product is found to contain 80 kmol ethylene oxide and 10 kmol CO<sub>2</sub>. Calculate (i) the % conversion of ethylene and (ii) the % yield of ethylene oxide.
- (d) Calculate the heat needed to raise the temperature of 1 kmol of ammonia from 311 K to 422 K using the following mean molal heat capacity data :

$$C_{pm}^{\circ} \text{ of NH}_3 \text{ between 311 \& 298 K} = 35.86 \text{ kJ/(mol.K)}$$

$$C_{pm}^{\circ} \text{ of NH}_3 \text{ between 422 \& 298 K} = 37.70 \text{ kJ/(mol.K)}$$

**4. Attempt any THREE of the following :**

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- (a) A mixture of CH<sub>4</sub> & C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub> has the average molecular weight of 22.4. Find mole % CH<sub>4</sub> and C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub> in the mixture.

- (b) It is desired to have a mixed acid containing 40%  $\text{HNO}_3$ , 43%  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  and 17%  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  by weight. Sulphuric acid of 98% by weight is readily available. Calculate
- the strength of nitric acid and
  - the weight ratio of sulphuric acid to nitric acid.
- (c) A combustion reactor is fed with 50 kmol/h of butane and 2100 kmol/h of air. Calculate the % excess air used.
- (d) A sample of dry flue gas has the following composition by volume :  
 $\text{CO}_2 = 13.4\%$ ,  $\text{N}_2 = 80.5\%$ ,  $\text{O}_2 = 6.1\%$   
Find the % excess air supplied assuming that the fuel contained no nitrogen, the nitrogen and oxygen in flue gas must have come from air.
- (e) A force equal to 19.65 kgf is applied on a piston with a diameter of 5 cm. Calculate the pressure exerted on the piston in kPa.

5. Attempt any TWO of the following :

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- (a) In the manufacture of nitric acid initially ammonia and air are mixed at 810.325 kPa and 923 K the composition of the mixture (on vol. basis) is as follows :  $\text{N}_2 = 70.5\%$ ,  $\text{O}_2 = 18.8\%$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O} = 1.2\%$ ,  $\text{NH}_3 = 9.5\%$   
Calculate the density of the gas mixture using ideal gas law.
- (b) The average molecular weight of a flue gas sample is calculated by two different engineers. One engineer uses the correct molecular weight of 28 for  $\text{N}_2$  and determines the average molecular weight to be 30.08, the other engineer uses an incorrect value of 14, and calculates the average molecular weight to be 18.74. Calculate
- the volume % of  $\text{N}_2$  in the flue gases.
  - if the remaining components of the flue gases are  $\text{CO}_2$  and  $\text{O}_2$ .
- Find the volume % of each of them.

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- (c) A gas mixture containing 15 mole % A and 85 mole % inerts is fed to an absorption tower where it is contacted with liquid solvent 'B' which absorbs 'A'. The mole ratio of solvent to gas entering tower is 2 : 1. The gas leaving the absorber contains 2.5% A, 1.5% B and rest inerts (on mole basis). Find
- the % recovery of solute 'A' and
  - the fraction of solvent (B) fed to the column lost in gas leaving the tower.

6. Attempt any TWO of the following :

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- (a) In a oxidation process during production of chlorine gas by oxidation of hydrochloric acid gas. Air is used 30% in excess of that theoretically required, based on 4 kmol HCl, if oxidation is 80% complete. Find the composition of product stream on mole basis.
- (b) A feed containing 60 mole % A, 30 mole % B and 10 mole % inerts a reactor. The product stream leaving the reactor is found to contain 2 mole % A. Reaction taking place is  $2A + B \rightarrow C$ .  
Find the percentage of original 'A' getting converted to C.
- (c) Calculate the heat of formation of phenol crystals at 298.15 °k from its elements using the following data :

Standard heat of formation of  $\text{CO}_2 = -393.51$  kJ/mole.

Standard heat of formation of  $\text{H}_2\text{O} = -285.83$  kJ/mole.

Heat of combustion of phenol at 298.15 °k =  $-3053.25$  kJ/mole.

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