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B. E. - II (Sem. III) (Chemical) Examination

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Process Calculation

(New Syllabus)

Time : 3 Hours]

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Instructions :

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- (2) Attempt all questions.
- (3) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- (4) Assume suitable data whenever necessary.

1 (a) Attempt the following : 10

- (i) Give SI unit of power.
- (ii) Absolute pressure = _____
Vacuum
- (iii) What is NTP ?
- (iv) Define excess reactant.
- (v) Define Recycle Ratio.
- (vi) What is derived unit ?
- (vii) Define Normality.
- (viii) Convert 2 atm into mm Hg
- (ix) Write two values of universal gas constant with units.
- (x) Write Dalton's law of partial pressure.

(b) (i) Calculate available nitrogen content of solution having 30% urea (NH_2CONH_2), 20% ammonium sulphate and 20% ammonium nitrate. 5

(ii) An evaporator is fed with 15000 kg/h of a solution containing 10% NaCl, 15% NaOH and rest water. In operation water is evaporated and NaCl is precipitated as crystals. The thick liquor leaving the evaporator consists 45% NaOH, 2% NaCl and rest water. 5

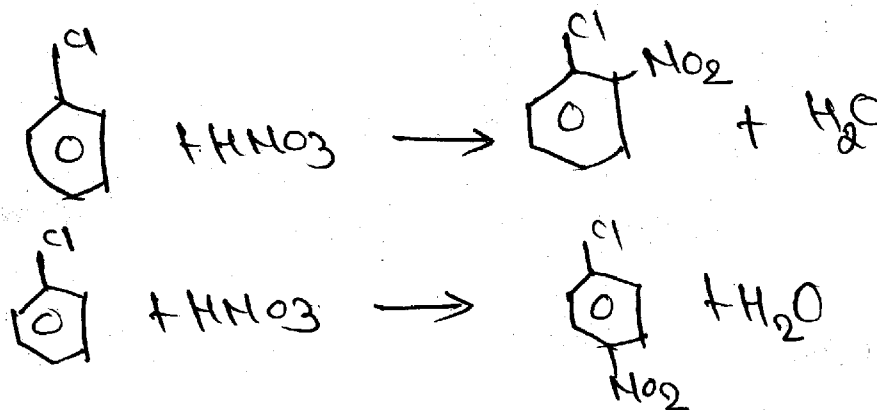
Calculate :

- (a) Kg/h water evaporated
- (b) Kg/h salt precipitated
- (c) Kg/h thick liquor

2 Attempt the following :

7×2=14

(a) Chlorobenzene is nitrated using a mixture of nitric acid and sulphuric acid. During the pilot plant studies, its charge consists of 100 kg chlorobenzene, 106.5 kg (65.5% by wt) HNO_3 , 108 kg (93.6% by weight) H_2SO_4 . After two hours of operation, the final mixture was analyzed. It was found that the final product contains 2% unreacted chlorobenzene. Product distribution shows 66% paranitrobenzene and 34% ortho nitrobenzene. The chemical reactions involved are :



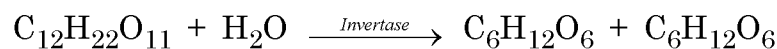
Calculate :

- (i) analysis of charge
- (ii) Composition of product mixture.

- (b) The spent acid from a nitrating process contains 33% H_2SO_4 , 36% HNO_3 and 31% water, by weight. The acid is to be strengthened by addition of concentrated H_2SO_4 containing 96% H_2SO_4 and concentrated HNO_3 containing 78% HNO_3 . The concentrated mixed acid is to contain 40% H_2SO_4 and 43% HNO_3 . Calculate the quantities of spent acid and concentrated acids that should be mixed to yield 1500 kg of desired mixed acid.
- (c) A combustion reactor is fed with 50 kMol/h of butane and 2000 k mol/h of air. Calculate the % excess of air used and composition of the gases leaving the combustion reactor assuming complete combustion of butane.

3 Attempt the following : (any two) 8×2=16

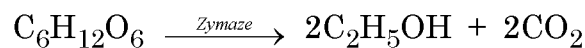
- (a) Ethyl alcohol is industrially produced by fermentation of molasses the molasses sample contains 45% by weight fermentable sugar in the form of sucrose. the reactions taking place in the fermenter are :



Sucrose

d-glucose

d-fructose



Monosaccharide

Alcohol

Calculate the theoretical production of rectified spirit having density of 0.785 kg/l in litres per tonne of molasses.

- (b) (i) A natural gas has following composition by volume :
 $\text{CH}_4 = 82\%$, $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6 = 12\%$ and $\text{N}_2 = 6\%$
 Calculate the density of gases at 288 K and 101.325 KPa and composition in weight present.
- (ii) The groundnut 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% oil. Find the percentage recovery of oil.

- (c) Pure S is burnt in a burner with dry air. O_2 is used 20% excess above that required for the complete combustion of S to SO_3 . The efficiency of burner is such that only 30% of the sulphur burns to SO_3 and remainder goes to SO_2 . Calculate :
- the analysis of resulting mixture into mole % and
 - the weight of gas per kg of burnt S.

- 4 (a) Define the following : 4
- $GCV = NCV + \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
 - Hess law
 - Heat of formation
 - Specific heat of substance.
- (b) A mixture of isomeric diphenyl - diphenyloxides (piphyl DT) is used as a thermic fluid in a liquid heating system. The thermic fluid enters an indirect fired heater at $180^\circ C$ and leaves it at $260^\circ C$. The heat capacity of the fluid is given by
 $C_1 = 1.436 + 0.00218 T$ (kJ/kg.k) where T is in K. 4
- Calculate the supply of heat in the heater per kg of the liquid heated.
 - If the heat capacity of Diphyl DT at $180^\circ C$ and $260^\circ C$ are 2.03 and 2.206 kJ/kg k resp. How much error will be involved in the computation of heat load using the mean heat capacity value ?
- (c) The purge gas obtained from ammonia synthesis 8
 100 p has the composition $H_2 = 69.0\%$, $N_2 = 23\%$, $Ar = 2.7\%$ and $CH_4 = 5.3\%$ (mole basis). It is burnt with 20% excess air. Calculate
- the Gev of mev at $25^\circ C$ of the purge gas
 - theoretical air required and
 - the molar composition of the dry flue gases.

5 Attempt any two :

8×2=16

- (a) Calculate the theoretical number of moles of oxygen that must be supplied for combustion of one mol of a gas and the heating value in kJ/mol of the gas having the following composition by volume. CO₂ = 5.4%, H₂ = 39.9%, CO = 32.9%, N₂ = 2.6%, O₂ = 0.7%, C_{2.73} H_{4.22} (unsaturates) = 8.4% and C_{1.14} H_{4.28} = 10.1% paraffins

Data :

Heating value of H₂ = 285.83 kJ/mol

Heating value of CO = 283.18 kJ/mol

Heating value of unsaturates :

411.14 A + 118.06 B + 120.6 when A is No of carbon atoms and 13 is no. of H₂ atoms. Heating value of paraffins = 661.93N + 229 where N is the no. of carbon atoms.

- (b) Air containing 21 mole % O₂ and 79 mole % N₂ is to be heated from 303 K to 423 K. Calculate the heat required to be added if the air flow rate is 3m³ (NTP) per minute using data given below

C_p = a+bT + cT² + dT³, kJ/(k mol k)

Gas	a	b×10 ³	c×10 ⁶	d×10 ⁹
O ₂	26.0257	11.7551	-2.3426	-0.5623
H ₂	29.5909	-5.141	13.1829	-4.968

- (c) Calculate heat of formation of phenol crystal at 298.15 K from its elements using the following data.

Data :

Standard heat of formation of CO_(g) = -393.51 kJ/mol

Standard Heat of formation of H₂O (l) - 285.83 kJ/mol

Heat of combustion of phenol crystals at

298.15 K = -3053.25 kJ/mol

6 Attempt any two :

9×2=18

(a) A natural gas has the following composition on mole basis.

$$\text{CH}_4 = 84\% \quad \text{C}_2\text{H}_6 = 13\% \quad \text{and} \quad \text{N}_2 = 3\%$$

Calculate

- (i) Heat added to heat 2 kmol of gas mixture from 311 K to 533 K
- (ii) The heat to be added to heat 200 kg of natural gas from 311 K to 533 K.

Data C_p values in kJ/kmol k

Gas	C_p (311–298K)	C_p (533–298K)
CH_4	36.0483	41.7800
C_2H_6	53.5240	67.4954
N_2	29.1317	29.3578

(b) (i) Calculate vapour pressure of (a) n-Hexane at 32°C and (b) water at 122°C using antonie constants.

Data :

	A	B	C
n-Hexane	4.00266	1171.53	-48.784
Water	3.55959	643.748	-198.043

(ii) Calculate the heat of formation of ethane gas at 298.15 K from its elements using Hess's law.

Data

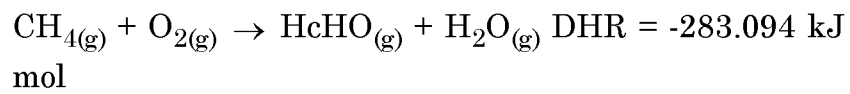
$$\text{Heat of formation of } \text{CO}_{2(g)} = -393.51 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

$$\text{Heat of formation of } \text{H}_2\text{O}_{(l)} = -285.83 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

$$\text{Heat of combustion of ethane gas} = -1560.69 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

at 298.15 k

- (c) Methane is oxidised with air to produce formaldehyde as per the following equation :



100 mol of methane are fed to reactor at 311 K, air is used 50% excess and it supplied at 373 K if % conversion is 60, calculate the heat must be removed for the product stream to emerge at 478 K.

Data

Component	$C^{\circ} pm(311.298k)$	$C^{\circ} pm(478.298k)$
CH_4	36.044	40.193
N_2	–	29.2866
O_2	–	30.0821
$HcHO$	–	41.2902
H_2O	–	34.2396