

B.E. Chemical(3rd Year)
Chemical Reaction Engg II
Ist Sessional

Max Marks : 25

Time Allowed : 1.0 Hrs

Attempt All questions .Assume missing data if any.

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I a) Explain the various steps in a catalytic reaction.

b) Give the significance of Thiele Modulus.

c Write a note on physical adsorption and chemisorption.

d) Write briefly on void volume and pore volume distribution methods used for solid catalysts .

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II a) Derive concentration of reactant for a single cylindrical pore, first order reaction combined with surface kinetics.

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b) The rate law for the hydrogenation (H) of ethylene (E) to form ethane (A) over cobalt molybdenum catalyst is : $-r_E = kP_E P_H / (1 + K_E P_E)$. Suggest a mechanism consistent with the rate law .

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III The catalytic reaction $A \rightarrow 4R$, is run at 3.28 atm, 119 °C in a plug flow reactor which contains 0.02 Kg of catalyst and uses a feed consisting of partially converted product of 22.5 lt/hr of pure unreacted A . The results are as follows :

Run	1	2	3	4
C_{Ain} mol/lt	0.1	0.08	0.06	0.04
C_{Aout} mol/lt	0.084	0.07	0.055	0.038.

Find a rate equation to represent this reaction.

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