



PROGRAM : BENGTECH
CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

SUBJECT : **Chemical Engineering Fundamentals 2A**

CODE : **CEFCHA2**

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DURATION : (SESSION 1): 08:30 – 11:30

WEIGHT : 40 : 60

TOTAL MARKS : 100

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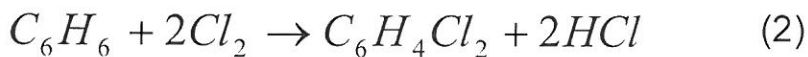
INSTRUCTIONS : WORK ACCURATELY AND ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.
NON-PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATORS PERMITTED
(ONLY ONE PER CANDIDATE).

QUESTION 1 [15 marks]

1000 kg of 8% by wt. sodium hydroxide (NaOH) solution is required. 20% sodium hydroxide solution in water and pure water are available. How much of each is required?

QUESTION 2 [20 marks]

2 moles of benzene and 3 moles of chlorine react to give 1.8 moles of monochlorobenzene and 0.1 moles dichlorobenzene. The reactions are as follows

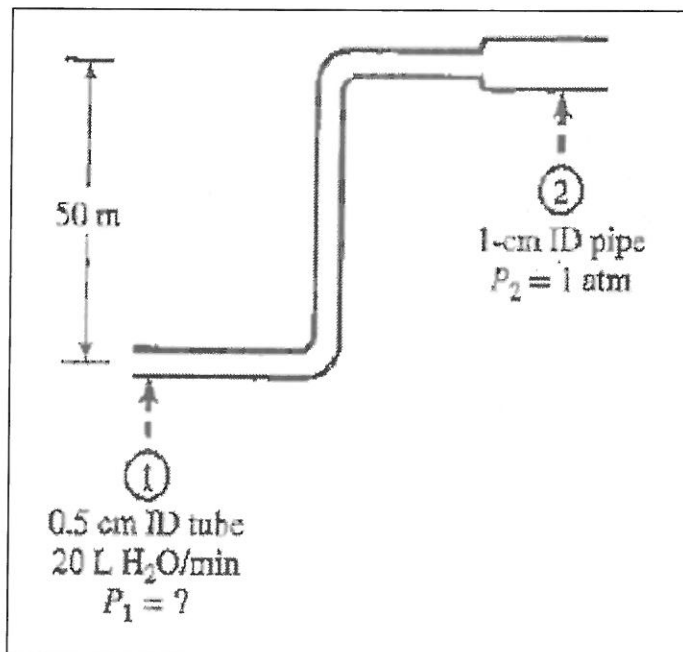


Determine the following:

1. % Excess Chlorine
2. Degree of completion
3. Conversion of benzene
4. Conversion of chlorine
5. Yield
6. Selectivity

QUESTION 3 [35 marks]

Water flows through the system shown in the diagram at a rate of 20 L/min. Estimate the pressure required at point 1 if friction losses are negligible.



Available formulas:

$$\frac{\Delta P}{\rho} + \frac{\Delta u^2}{2} + g\Delta z + \left(\Delta \hat{U} - \frac{\dot{Q}}{\dot{m}} \right) = \frac{\dot{W}_s}{\dot{m}}$$

$$\frac{\Delta P}{\rho} + \frac{\Delta u^2}{2} + g\Delta z + \hat{F} = \frac{\dot{W}_s}{\dot{m}}$$

$$\frac{\Delta P}{\rho} + \frac{\Delta u^2}{2} + g\Delta z = 0$$

Velocities are calculated as:

$$\dot{u}(\text{m/s}) = \dot{V}(\text{m}^3/\text{s}) / A(\text{m}^2)$$

QUESTION 4**[30 marks]**

The vapour pressure of benzene is measured at two temperatures with the following results:

$$T_1 = 7.6^{\circ}\text{C} \quad p_1^* = 40\text{mmHg}$$

$$T_2 = 15.4^{\circ}\text{C} \quad p_2^* = 60\text{mmHg}$$

Calculate the latent heat of vaporization and the parameter B in the Clausius-Clapeyron equation (stated below) and then estimate p^* at 42.2°C using this equation.

$$\ln p^* = -\frac{\Delta \hat{H}_v}{RT} + B$$

Where

B – is a constant which varies from substance to another.

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