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(New Course)

INDUSTRIAL CHEMISTRY

Paper I

(Fluid Mechanics and Unit Operation)

(Friday, 22-12-2023)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon

Time—Two Hours

Maximum Marks—40

N.B. :— (i) Use of log table and scientific calculator is allowed.

(ii) Solve *all* the questions.

1. Explain construction and working of U-Tube manometer and inclined manometer with neat labelled diagram. 15

Or

Solve the problems :

- (a) An orifice meter equipped with flange taps is to be installed to measure the flow rate of topped crude to a cracking unit. The oil is flowing through a 100 mm i.d. pipe and an adequate run of the straight horizontal pipe is available for the installation of the meter. The expected maximum

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flow rate is $79.5 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$. Mercury is to be used as manometer fluid and glycol is to be used in the leads as a sealing liquid. The maximum reading of the meter is 762 mm. Calculate :

- (i) The diameter of the orifice and
- (ii) The power loss if 68% of the orifice differential is permanently lost.

Data :

$$\text{sp gr of oil} = 0.89$$

$$\text{sp gr of glycol} = 1.11$$

$$\text{sp gr of mercury} = 13.6$$

$$\rho \text{ of water } 1000 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$\text{coefficient of meter} = 0.61.$$

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- (b) Water at 294 K (21°C) is flowing at velocity of 3 m/s through the annulus between a tube with an outside diameter of 25 mm another with an internal diameter of 50 mm in a concentric tube heat exchanger. Estimate the pressure drop due to friction per 1 m length of annulus.

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2. Explain Bernoulli equation with neat labelled diagram and give mathematical expression for it.

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Or

Solve the problem :

- (a) Sulphuric acid is pumped at 3 kg/s through a pipeline of 25 mm diameter and 60 m length. Calculate the drop in pressure. If the pressure drop falls by one half, what will be the new flow rate ? 8
- (b) Water at 303 K (30°C) flows through a horizontal pipe 25 mm in diameter in which the pressure drop per metre length is to be limited to 2.35 pa/m. Calculate the volumetric flow rate. 7
3. Write short notes on any *two* : 10
- (a) Laminar and turbulent flow
- (b) Equation of continuity
- (c) Average velocity
- (d) Compressible fluid.

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