

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE- SEMESTER-VI (NEW) EXAMINATION – WINTER 2024

Subject Code:3160507

Date:05-12-2024

Subject Name:Advanced Separation Processes

Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM

Total Marks:70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
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4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.

		MARKS
Q.1	(a) Define separation factor and its importance.	03
	(b) Discuss the criteria for selecting an advance separation process over conventional process.	04
	(c) Classify membrane separation processes based on driving force and also list the general characteristics.	07
Q.2	(a) List the commonly used supercritical solvents. Why CO ₂ is preferred?	03
	(b) Enlist the superior properties and solubility behavior of supercritical fluids compared to conventional solvents.	04
	(c) Explain decaffeination of coffee with a neat diagram.	07
	OR	
	(c) Explain ROSE process with a neat flow sheet.	07
Q.3	(a) Briefly describe gas separation using membranes.	03
	(b) Write short note on dialysis and electrodialysis.	04
	(c) Describe the different types of packings used in reactive distillation process.	07
	OR	
Q.3	(a) Describe the manufacturing process of MTBE by reactive distillation with a neat process flow sheet.	07
	(b) Explain the concept & working of a short path distillation unit with a neat sketch.	07
Q.4	(a) Write a short note on membrane modules.	03
	(b) Elaborate a thin film composite type membrane with a diagram.	04
	(c) Describe reverse osmosis process and its application in desalination of sea water.	07
	OR	
Q.4	(a) Depict production of absolute alcohol by pervaporation process.	07
	(b) Describe membrane reactor and its application in gas separation.	07
Q.5	(a) Explain the principle of electrophoresis separation.	03
	(b) What are the different factors which affect electrophoresis separation.	04
	(c) Give a detailed description of the various applications of electrophoresis separation.	07
	OR	
Q.5	(a) Discuss principle and operation of ion exchange chromatography.	07
	(b) Describe thin layer and paper chromatography with a neat sketch.	07
