

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

B.E. SEMESTER : VIII

CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

Subject Name: **MULTI COMPONENT DISTILLATION**

Sr. No.	Course Contents	Total Hrs
1.	SELECTION OF KEY COMPONENT: Light and heavy key component, split key and adjacent key, distribution of key and non key components	03
2.	SEQUENCING OF DISTILLATION COLUMN: Concept, selection criteria with industrial examples	6
3.	SELECTION OF OPERATING PRESSURE: Determination of operating pressure for the various industrial distillation columns, criteria for vacuum distillation, PROS & CONS of vacuum distillation	3
4.	METHODS FOR FINDING THEORETICAL STAGES : Short cut methods: Fenske-Underwood-Gilliland's method, Rigorous methods: Lewis-Metheson method, Theile-Geddes method, Equation tearing procedures using tridiagonal matrix algorithm	30
5.	AZEOTROPIC AND EXTRACTIVE DISTILLATION : Concept and working principle, industrial examples, determination of number of theoretical stages for azeotropic and extractive distillation, advantage and disadvantage over each other.	12
6.	TOWER DIAMETER AND PRESSURE DROP: Criteria of selection between tray tower and packed tower, among various type of packings, among various types of trays, determination of tower diameter and pressure drop.	6
7.	MULTICOMPONENT BATCH DISTILLATION: Design of multicomponent batch distillation with and without rectification.	6
8.	ENERGY SAVING IN DISTILLATION : By Heat integration, advanced process control, thermally coupled distillation column, use of heat pumps.	6

Text Book:

1. Introduction to Process Engineering & Design by S.B.Thakore & B.I.Bhatt.
Tata McGraw-Hill, 2007

Reference books:

1. Distillation dynamics and control by P.B.Despande, Arnold USA 1985
2. Perry's chemical engineers handbook, 7th edition, McGraw-Hill, USA, 2000.
Distillation design by H.Z.Kister, , McGraw-Hill, USA, 1992.