

LOK JAGRUTI UNIVERSITY (LJU)
INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

Department of Chemical Engineering
Bachelor of Technology (B.E.) – Semester - VI

Course Code:	017083601
Course Name:	Chemical Reaction Engineering
Category of Course:	Professional Core Course (PCC)
Prerequisite Course:	Thermodynamics MEBC

Teaching Scheme				
Lecture (L)	Tutorial (T)	Practical (P)	Credit	Total Hours
3	0	2	4	30

Syllabus				
Unit No.	Topic	Prerequisite Topic	Successive Topics	Teaching Hours
01	Kinetics of Homogeneous Reactions			3 (10%)
	1.1 Introduction to chemical kinetics, classification of reactions	---	---	
	1.2 Variables affecting reaction rate	---	---	
	1.3 Concentration dependent term of rate equation	---	---	
	1.4 Temperature dependent term of rate equations	---	---	
02	Interpretation of Batch Reactor Data			4 (13%)
	2.1 Integral, differential and half-life methods of analysis of data for constant volume and variable volume cases	Basics of Differentiation	---	
03	Reactor Design for Single and Multiple Reactions			3 (10%)
	3.1 Mass and energy balances for steady state and unsteady state reactors	Basic Equation of mass and energy balance	---	
	3.2 Reactors- Batch reactor, Plug flow reactor, Mixed flow reactor and their comparison.	---	---	
	3.3 Multiple reactor system, plug flow reactors in series, mixed flow reactors in series, reactors of different types in series	---	---	
	3.4 Recycle reactors and auto catalytic reactions	---	---	
04	Temperature and Pressure Effects on rate of reaction			3 (10%)
	4.1 Heat of reaction	Chemical Reaction Equilibria	---	
	4.2 Chemical Equilibrium	---	---	
	4.3 Equilibrium constants	---	---	
	4.4 Equilibrium Conversion	---	---	
05	Non-Ideal Flow			3 (10%)
	5.1 Basics of non-ideal flow	---	---	
	5.2 Residence time distribution	---	---	
	5.3 The E,F and C Curves, their interrelationship	---	---	
	5.4 Dispersion model, Chemical Reaction and dispersion	---	---	
06	Heterogeneous Non-Catalytic Systems			3 (10%)
	6.1 Rate steps involved in heterogeneous systems	---	---	
07	Fluid-Particle systems			3 (10%)
	7.1 Fluid partial reaction kinetics, selection of a model.	---	---	
	7.2 Shrinking Core Model for unchanging and changing size spherical partials.	---	---	
	7.3 Diffusion through gas film and through ash layer controlling.	---	---	
08	Catalysis			4 (13%)
	8.1 Introduction to Catalysts	---	---	
	8.2 Physical properties of catalyst, surface area, void volume, solid density, pore volume distribution	---	---	
	8.3 Classification and preparation of catalyst, catalyst promoters	---	---	
	8.4 Catalyst inhibitors, Catalyst poisons	---	---	
09	Kinetics of Solid-Catalysed reactions			2 (7%)
	9.1 Adsorption isotherms and rates of adsorption and desorption	---	---	
	9.2 Kinetic regimes, rate equations for surface kinetics	---	---	
10	Introduction to Catalytic Reactors			2 (7%)
	10.1 Packed bed catalytic reactors	---	---	
	10.2 Fluidized bed reactors	---	---	

10.3 Slurry reactors			
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**Proposed Theory + Practical Evaluation Scheme by Academicians
(% Weightage Category Wise and it's Marks Distribution)**

L: 3 T: 0 P: 2

**Note: In Theory Group, Total 4 Test (T1+T2+T3+T4) will be conducted for each subject.
Each Test will be of 25 Marks.
Each Test Syllabus Weightage: Range should be 20% - 30%**

Group (Theory or Practical)	Group (Theory or Practical) Credit	Total Subject Credit	Category	% Weightage	Marks Weightage	
Theory	3	4	MCQ	15%	20	
Theory			Theory Descriptive	11%	15	
Theory			Formulas and Derivation	23%	30	
Theory			Numerical	26%	35	
Expected Theory %	75%			Calculated Theory %	75%	100
Practical	1		Individual Project	0%	0	
Practical			Group Project	0%	60	
Practical			Internal Practical Evaluation (IPE)	10%	40	
Practical			Viva	0%	0	
Practical			Seminar	15%	0	
Expected Practical %	25%		Calculated Practical %	25%	100	
Overall %	100%			100%	200	

Course Outcome

1	To understand, analyze, and apply principles of chemical kinetics and batch reactor data interpretation for effective reaction rate prediction and experimental design.
2	Able to design and optimize single and multiple reaction reactors, considering mass and energy balances, various reactor types, temperature and pressure effects, and their impact on reaction kinetics and equilibrium.
3	To analyze non-ideal flow systems, including residence time distribution and dispersion models, and understand heterogeneous non-catalytic systems, encompassing fluid-fluid and fluid-particle reactions, for optimization in chemical engineering applications.
4	To understand catalyst properties, mechanisms, and kinetics, facilitating the design and optimization of diverse catalytic reactors for industrial use.

Suggested Reference Books

1	Chemical Reaction Engineering, Octave Levenspiel, John Wiley & Sons (Asia) pvt. Ltd, 3 rd Edition.
2	Elements of Chemical Reaction Engineering, H. Scott Fogler, Prentice Hall of India Pvt Ltd, 3rd Edition November.
3	Chemical Engineering Kinetics, J.M.Smith, McGraw-Hill, 2nd edition.
4	The Engineering of Chemical Reactions, L. D. Schmidt, Oxford Press.
5	Chemical and Catalytic Reaction Engineering, J. J. Carberry, McGraw Hill, New York, 1976.
6	Chemical Reaction Engineering-I, K.A Gavhane, Nirali Publication

Proposed Evaluation Scheme by Academicians (Percentage of Weightage out of 100%)

Theory Descriptive Test	<input type="text"/>	MCQ Test	<input type="text"/>	Hands on Project	<input type="text"/>
Formulas and Derivation Test	<input type="text"/>	Numerical Test	<input type="text"/>	Seminar	<input type="text"/>

Practical Project/Hands On Project

Sr. No.	List of Practical Projects	Linked with Unit
1	To determine the activation energy of the reaction between sodium thio-sulphate and HCl using Arrhenius Equation.	Unit 1
2	To determine order of reaction for the reaction between sodium thiosulphate and HCl.	Unit 2
3	To measure the kinetics of a reaction between ethyl acetate and sodium hydroxide under condition of excess ethyl acetate at room temperature.	Unit 2
4	RTD studies in different reactors.	Unit 5
5	Various models for non-ideal flow.	Unit 5
6	Heterogeneous reaction kinetics etc.	Unit 6

7	Study of Shrinking core model.	Unit 7
8	Determining properties of catalyst.	Unit 8