

**LOK JAGRUTI UNIVERSITY (LJU)**  
**INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY**

Department of Chemical Engineering (708)

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

Course Code:	017084601
Course Name:	Advanced Separation Techniques
Category of Course:	Professional Elective Course (PEC)
Prerequisite Course:	Mass Transfer I, Mass Transfer II, Thermodynamics II

Teaching Scheme				
Lecture (L)	Tutorial (T)	Practical (P)	Credit	Total Hours
4	0	0	4	40

Syllabus				
Unit No.	Topic	Prerequisite Topic	Successive Topic	Teaching Hours
01	<b>Introduction to Advanced Separation Techniques &amp; Super Critical Extraction</b>			
	1.1 Introduction to Advanced Separation Techniques	Methods of Conducting Mass Transfer Operations	---	5 (12.5%)
	1.2 Working principle of super critical extraction	Liquid- Liquid Equilibrium	---	
	1.3 Advantages and disadvantages of super critical solvents over conventional liquid solvents	---	---	
	1.4 Advantages and disadvantages of super critical extraction over liquid-liquid extraction	---	---	
	1.5 Decaffeination	---	---	
	1.6 ROSE process	---	---	
	1.7 Application of SCE	---	---	
02	<b>Short Path Distillation</b>			
	2.1 Principle of Short Path Distillation	Vapor-liquid Equilibria	---	5 (12.5%)
	2.2 Design and Working of Short Path Distillation Unit	---	---	
	2.3 Molecular Distillation	---	---	
	2.4 Application of Short Path Distillation	---	---	
<b>Reactive and Catalytic Distillation</b>				
03	3.1 Principle of reactive and catalytic distillation	Packed bed Tower	---	5 (12.5%)
	3.2 Advantages and Disadvantages	---	---	
	3.3 BALE & KATMAX packings	---	---	
	3.4 Manufacturing of MTBE	---	---	
	3.5 Manufacturing of ETBE	---	---	
04	<b>Pressure Swing Distillation</b>			
	4.1 Concept & Working of PSD	Minimum and maximum boiling azeotropic mixtures	---	5 (12.5%)
	4.2 Advantage & Disadvantages of PSD Over Azeotropic	Azeotropic Distillation	---	
	4.3 Advantage & Disadvantages of PSD Over Extractive Distillation	Extractive Distillation	---	
	4.4 Applications	---	---	
05	<b>Membrane Separation Technique</b>			
	5.1 Mechanisms of membrane separation technique	Molecular Diffusion in Fluids	---	4 (10%)
	5.2 Membrane materials and various membrane modules	---	---	
	5.3 Classification of membrane separation processes	---	---	
	5.4 Advantages of membrane separation processes	---	---	
06	<b>Reverse Osmosis</b>			
	6.1 Concept of osmosis and reverse osmosis	The Chemical Potential as a Criterion for Phase Equilibria	---	3 (7.5%)
	6.2 Different types of membrane module and membrane materials for RO	---	---	
	6.3 Advantages and disadvantages of RO	---	---	
	6.4 Application of RO	---	---	
07	<b>Ultrafiltration and Nano filtration</b>			
	7.1 Working principle of ultrafiltration	Diffusion Between Phases	---	3 (7.5%)
	7.2 Ultrafiltration membranes and modules	---	---	
	7.3 Applications of ultrafiltration and nano filtration	---	---	
08	<b>Pervaporization</b>			
	8.1 Basic Principle of Pervaporization	Equilibrium Solubility of Gases in Liquids	---	3 (7.5%)
	8.2 Advantages of Pervaporization	---	---	
	8.3 Production of absolute alcohol and other application of Pervaporization	---	---	
09	<b>Membrane Reactor</b>			
	9.1 Concept of membrane reactor	---	---	3 (7.5%)
	9.2 Various modules of membrane used in membrane reactor	---	---	

	9.3 Advantages and disadvantages	---	---	
	9.4 Application of membrane reactor	---	---	
<b>10</b>	<b>Pressure Swing Adsorption</b>			<b>4 (10%)</b>
	10.1 Concept of PSA	---	---	
	10.2 Working of PSA	---	---	
	10.3 Advantages & Disadvantages of PSA over cryogenic distillation	---	---	
	10.4 Commercial application of PSA	---	---	

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

<b>L:</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>T:</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>P:</b>	<b>0</b>	
<b>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%</b>						
Group (Theory or Practical)	Group (Theory or Practical) Credit	Total Subject Credit	Category	% Weightage	Marks Weightage	
Theory	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	MCQ	40%	40	
Theory			Theory Descriptive	60%	60	
Theory			Formulas and Derivation	00%	00	
Theory			Numerical	00%	00	
<b>Expected Theory %</b>	<b>100%</b>			<b>Calculated Theory %</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100</b>
Practical	<b>0</b>		Individual Project	0%	0	
Practical			Group Project	0%	0	
Practical			Internal Practical Evaluation (IPE)	0%	0	
Practical			Viva	0%	0	
Practical			Seminar	0%	0	
<b>Expected Practical %</b>	<b>0%</b>		<b>Calculated Practical %</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>100</b>	
<b>Overall %</b>	<b>100%</b>			<b>100%</b>	<b>100</b>	

**Course Outcome**

1	To develop proficiency in advanced separation techniques including supercritical extraction and short path distillation for practical application in diverse industries.
2	To understand, apply, and optimize reactive and catalytic distillation techniques, as well as pressure swing distillation methods, for enhanced separation efficiency and process optimization in chemical engineering applications.
3	To optimize membrane separation techniques across various industries by developing a deep understanding of membrane materials, module designs, transport mechanisms, and their applications in separation processes.
4	To apply the advanced separation techniques in industrial settings by comprehending their principles, optimizing process parameters, and addressing challenges for enhanced efficiency and sustainability.

**Suggested Reference Books**

1	Membrane separation Processes, Kaushik Nath, PHI pvt. Ltd
2	Introduction to process Engineering & Design, S.B. Thakore & B.I Bhatt, Tata Mc Graw Hill Ltd.
3	Perry Chemical Engineers Handbook, R.H Perry and D. Green, Mc Graw Hill Ltd
4	Kirk-Othmer Concise Encyclopedia of Chemical Technology, Kirk-Othmer, John Wiley And Sons

**List of Open Source Software/Learning Website**

1	<a href="https://onlinecourses.nptel.ac.in/noc24_ch18/preview">https://onlinecourses.nptel.ac.in/noc24_ch18/preview</a>
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