## **Abstract**

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# **Summary for Lay Audience**

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# **Co-Authorship Statement**

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## Acknowledgements

Here is your acknowledgements.

First and foremost, I would like to express my deepest gratitude to my main supervisor...

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# List of Abbreviations, Symbols, and Nomenclature

#### **Abbreviations**

CDF Cumulative distribution function

CFB Circulating fluidized bed

CFD Computational fluid dynamics

FCC Fluid catalytic cracking

PDF Probability distribution function

#### **Subscripts**

g Gas phase

s Solids phase

#### Symbols (greek letters and others)

 $\Gamma$  Mass diffusivity, kg/m/s

 $\mu$  Viscosity, kg/m/s

 $\rho$  Density, kg/m<sup>3</sup>

#### **Symbols**

A Area, m<sup>2</sup>

D Diameter, m

H Height, m

## Chapter 1

## Introduction

Here is your first chapter: Introduction.

## 1.1 Background

Your background (Deng et al., 2017).

## 1.2 Research objectives

The overall objective is ...

#### 1.3 Thesis structure

This thesis follows the integrated-article format as outlined in the thesis guide of Western University. The thesis is organized as follows:

## References

Deng, Z., Xia, Y., Long, B., & Ding, Y. (2017). Volumetric properties of disopropyl ether with acetone at temperatures from 283.15 K to 323.15 K: An experimental and theoretical study. *Journal of Molecular Liquids*, 243, 257–264.

## Chapter 2

## Main Chapter 1

#### 2.1 Introduction

This chapter comprises four parts.

#### 2.2 Numerical models

#### 2.2.1 Development of the reactive transport model

The ozone mass transport equation in the gas phase can be described as follows:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left( \varepsilon_{\rm g} \, \rho_{\rm g} \, Y_{\rm g}^{\rm O_3} \right) + \tag{2.1}$$

## 2.3 Setups for micro fixed-bed reactor simulations

Figure 2.1 shows ...

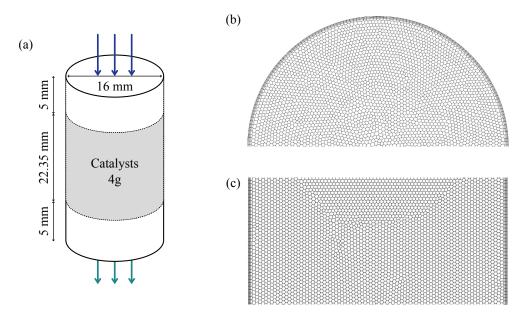


Figure 2.1: Computational domain and mesh of the micro fixed-bed reactor

#### 2.4 Results and discussion

#### 2.4.1 Validation of the reactive transport model

Table 2.1 shows ... (Liu, 2016; Wang et al., 2014).

Table 2.1: Comparison of numerical results with experimental data

| Case      | $C_{ m g,in}^{ m O_3}$ | Packed $\varepsilon_{\rm s}$ | $U_{ m g}$ | $k_{\rm r}$ | $C_{ m g,out}^{ m O_3}$ | $C_{\mathrm{g,out}}^{\mathrm{O_3}}/C_{\mathrm{g,in}}^{\mathrm{O_3}}$ | APE  |
|-----------|------------------------|------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------------------|--|------|
| Unit      | ppmv                   | -                            | m/s        | $s^{-1}$    | ppmv                    | -  | %    |
| Exp. 1*   | 115.1                  | 0.5                          | 0.1124     | 4.12        | 50.70                   | 0.44000  | -    |
| Num. 1    | 115.1                  | 0.5                          | 0.1124     | 4.12        | 50.84                   | 0.44170  | 0.39 |
| Exp. 2 ** | 100.0                  | 0.5                          | 0.57       | 49.12       | 9.054                   | 0.09054  | -    |
| Num. 2    | 100.0                  | 0.5                          | 0.57       | 49.12       | 9.049                   | 0.09049  | 0.06 |

<sup>\*</sup> Data from the work of Liu (2016).

<sup>\*\*</sup> Data from the work of Wang et al. (2014).

## 2.5 Conclusions

The present study involved

#### References

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## Chapter 3

## **Conclusions and Recommendations**

## 3.1 Thesis summary and conclusions

This thesis work comprehensively investigates ...

Figure 3.1 depicts ...

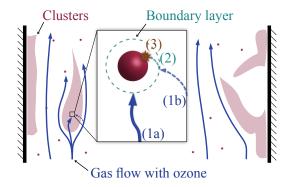


Figure 3.1: Caption...

#### 3.2 Limitations and recommendations

Limitations ...

# Appendix A

# Your appendix

This is your appendix (Deng et al., 2017).

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