

## Homework 01

### Problem 13.2-1

Given:

$$\begin{aligned}C_1 &= 2.0e-2 \text{ kg mol A/m}^3 & K' &= 0.75 \\C_2 &= 0.3e-2 \text{ kg mol A/m}^3 & D_{AB} &= 3.5e-11 \text{ m}^2/\text{s} \\K_{c1} &= 3.5e-5 \text{ m/s} & k_{c2} &= 2.1e-5 \text{ m/s} \\L &= 1.59e-5 \text{ m}\end{aligned}$$

Find:

$R_1, R_2, R_m, R_{tot}, R_{\%1}, R_{\%2}, \text{Membrane Area}$

Solution:

a.)

$$R_1 = \frac{1}{k_{c1}} = \frac{1}{3.5e-5 \text{ m/s}} = 28,571.4 \text{ s/m}$$

$$R_2 = \frac{1}{k_{c2}} = \frac{1}{2.1e-5 \text{ m/s}} = 47,619 \text{ s/m}$$

$$p_m = \frac{D_{AB}K'}{L} = \frac{(3.5e-11 \text{ m}^2/\text{s})(0.75)}{1.59e-5 \text{ m}} = 2.0e-6$$

$$R_m = \frac{1}{p_m} = \frac{1}{2.0e-6 \text{ m/s}} = 605,714 \text{ s/m}$$

$$R_{tot} = \Sigma R_i = R_1 + R_2 + R_m = 28,571.4 \text{ s/m} + 47,619 \text{ s/m} + 605,714 \text{ s/m} = 681,904 \text{ s/m}$$

$$\% \text{Resistance of Films} = \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_{tot}} \times 100 = \frac{28,571.4 + 47,619}{681,904} \times 100 = 11.17 \%$$

b.)

$$N_{ss} = \frac{c_1 - c_2}{R_{tot}} = \frac{2.0e-2 \text{ kgmol/s-m}^3 - 0.3e-2 \text{ kgmol/s-m}^3}{681,904 \text{ s/m}} = 2.49e-8 \text{ kgmol A/s-m}^2$$

$$\text{Area} = 0.01 \text{ kgmol/h} \times 1 \text{ hr/60 min} \times 1 \text{ min/60 s} \times 1/2.49e-8 \text{ kgmol A/s-m}^2 = 111.557 \text{ m}^2$$

## Problem 12.2-2

Given:

$$L = 0.029 \text{ mm}$$

$$C_1 = 1.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ g mol/cm}^3 = 100 \text{ g mol/m}^3$$

$$C_2 = 5.0 \times 10^{-7} \text{ g mol/cm}^3 = 0.5 \text{ g mol/m}^3$$

$$K_{c1} = K_{c2} = 5.24 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}$$

$$N_A = 8.11 \times 10^{-4} \text{ g mol NaCl/s-m}^2$$

Find:

$P_m$ ,  $D_{AB}K'$ , % resistance to diffusion in the liquid films

Solution:

$$N_A = \frac{c_1 - c_2}{\frac{1}{K_{c1}} + \frac{1}{P_m} + \frac{1}{K_{c2}}} \text{ which can be rearranged to give the following:}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 1/P_m &= \frac{c_1 - c_2}{N_A} - \frac{1}{K_{c1}} - \frac{1}{K_{c2}} = \frac{100 \text{ g mol/m}^3 - 0.5 \text{ g mol/m}^3}{8.11 \times 10^{-4} \text{ g mol NaCl/s-m}^2} - \frac{1}{5.24 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}} - \frac{1}{5.24 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}} \\ &= 84,520.1 \text{ s/m} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus, } P_m = 1.2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}$$

$$D_{AB}K' = P_m L = (1.2 \times 10^{-5})(0.029 \text{ m}) = 3.48 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \% \text{Resistance} &= \frac{R_1 + R_2}{R_1 + R_2 + R_m} \times 100 = \frac{\frac{1}{K_{c1}} + \frac{1}{K_{c2}}}{\frac{1}{K_{c1}} + \frac{1}{P_m} + \frac{1}{K_{c2}}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{5.24 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}} + \frac{1}{5.24 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}}}{\frac{1}{5.24 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}} + \frac{1}{5.24 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}} + \frac{1}{1.2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}}} = 31.41 \% \end{aligned}$$

### Problem 13.10-1

#### Given:

$$C_1 = 3500 \text{ mg NaCl/L } (\rho=999.5 \text{ kg/m}^3)$$

$$A_w = 3.50 \times 10^{-4} \text{ kg solvent/s-m}^2\text{-atm}$$

$$A_s = 1.00 \times 10^{-7} \text{ m/s}$$

$$\Delta P = 35.50 \text{ atm, } 17.20 \text{ atm, } 27.20 \text{ atm, } 37.20 \text{ atm}$$

#### Find:

$$N_{\text{NaCl}}, \text{ solute rejection } R, c_2$$

#### Solution:

$$N_w = A_w(\Delta P - \Delta \pi), \text{ and we can get the osmotic pressure differences from table 13.9 - 1}$$

$$\pi_1 = 2.24 \text{ atm from linear interpolation}$$

$$\pi_2 = 0.08 \text{ atm}$$

$$\Delta \pi = 2.16 \text{ atm}$$

From this data we can calculate the values of water flux across the membrane at each pressure differential:

$\Delta P, \text{ atm}$	$N_w, \text{ kg H}_2\text{O water/s-m}^2$
17.2	0.0053
27.2	0.0088
35.5	0.017
37.2	0.012

We can then subsequently calculate R from this value.

$$R = \frac{B(\Delta P - \Delta \pi)}{1 + B(\Delta P - \Delta \pi)}, \quad \text{where } B = \frac{A_w}{A_s C_{ws}} = \frac{A_w}{A_s \rho_w}$$

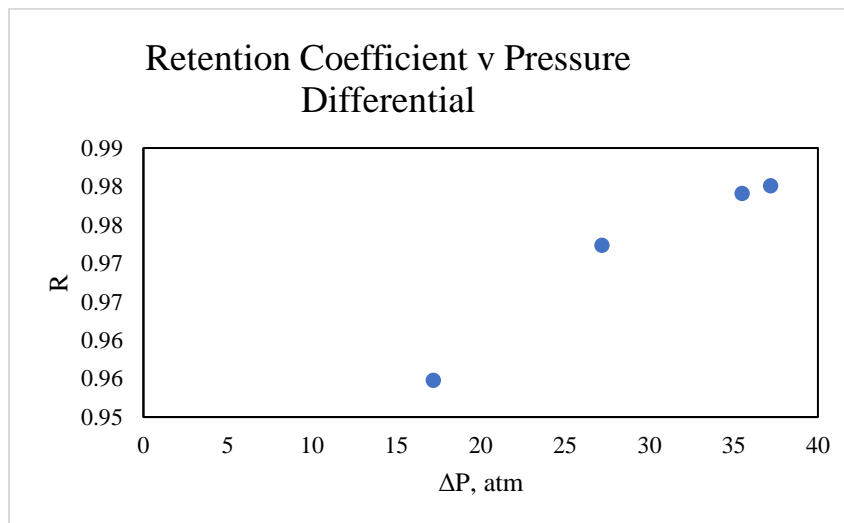
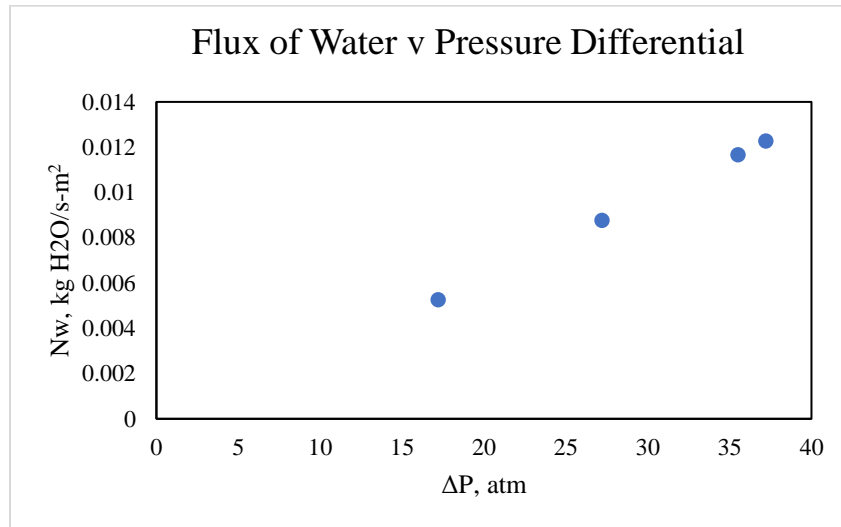
$\Delta P, \text{ atm}$	R
17.2	0.95
27.2	0.97
35.5	0.98
37.2	0.98

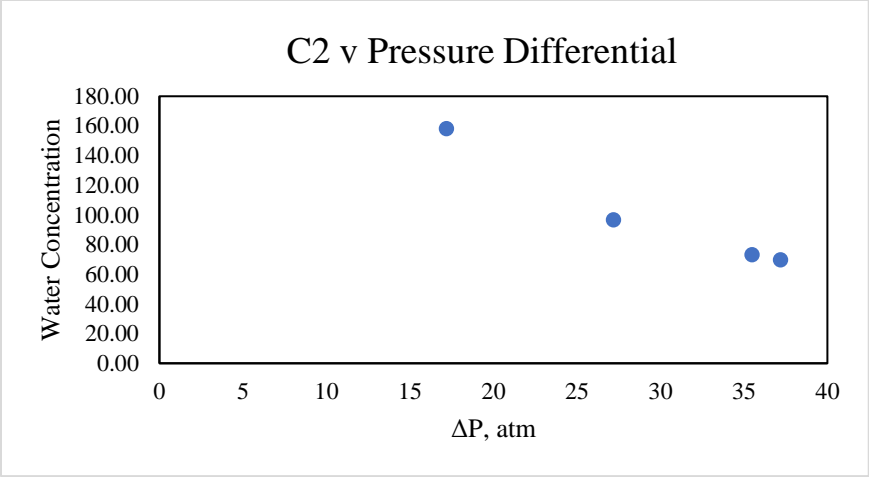
Finally, we can calculate the second concentration,  $c_2$

$$R = \frac{c_1 - c_2}{c_1}$$

$\Delta P$ , atm	$C_2$ , mg NaCl/L
17.2	158.23
27.2	96.79
35.5	73.20
37.2	69.72

We can plot these data on a graph v the pressure differential:





### Problem 13.10-3

Given:

$$A_w = 3.50e-4 \text{ kg solvent/s-m}^2$$

$$\theta = 0.1$$

$$A_s = 2.00e-7 \text{ m/s}$$

$$q_2 = 100 \text{ gal/hr}$$

$$\Delta P = 35.50 \text{ atm}$$

$$C_f = 3500 \text{ mg NaCl/L}$$

Find:

Area,  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$

Solution:

We can find area with the flowrate given  $q_2$ . We can relate the water flowrate through the membrane to the following equation:

$$N_w = A_w A (\Delta P - \Delta \pi)$$

This can be rearranged to produce the following equation:

$$A = \frac{N_w}{A_w (\Delta P - \Delta \pi)}$$

$N_w$  must be converted to kg/s before calculating area.

$$\text{Area} = \frac{0.1028 \text{ kg/s}}{3.5e-4 \text{ kg/s-m}^2\text{-atm} \times 35.5 \text{ atm}} = 8.27 \text{ m}^2$$

We can calculate  $q_f$  using the “cut” parameter, and then use a mass balance to calculate  $q_1$ .

$$\theta = \frac{q_2}{q_f}$$

$$q_f = q_1 + q_2$$

Plugging in and calculating, we get:

$$q_f = 1.027 \text{ kg/s}$$

$$q_1 = 0.925 \text{ kg/s}$$

Now, we can plug these values into the system of equations to solve and get out concentrations:

$$c_f = (1 - \theta)c_1 + \theta c_2$$

$$0 = c_2 + c_1(R - 1)$$

And R can be calculated with:

$$R = \frac{B\Delta P}{1 + B\Delta P}, \text{ where}$$

$$B = \frac{A_w}{A_s c_{w2}}$$

This gives us the following system:

$$3.5 = 0.90c_1 + 0.1c_2$$

$$0 = -0.02c_1 + c_2$$

Solving this set of equations gives us the answers:

$$C_1 = 3.88 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$C_2 = 0.08 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

### Problem 13.11-1

Known:

0.9 wt % protein.

$$\Delta P = 5 \text{ psi} = 0.34 \text{ atm}$$

$$A_w = 1.37 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg/s-m}^2\text{-atm}$$

Find:

$$N_w$$

Solution:

We can use the following equation to calculate flux:

$$N_w = A_w(\Delta P - \Delta \pi)$$

Now, we must calculate the osmotic pressure from the wt % data given.

We can also assume negligible osmotic pressure differential.

$$N_w = (1.37 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg/s-m}^2\text{-atm})(0.34 \text{ atm}) = 0.0047 \text{ kg/s-m}^2 = 9.88 \text{ gal/day-ft}^2$$



### Problem 13.11-2

Known:

$$M_s = 800 \text{ kg}$$

$$C_1 = 0.05 \text{ wt } \%$$

$$C_2 = 1.1 \text{ wt } \%$$

$$\text{Area} = 9.9 \text{ m}^2$$

$$A_w = 2.50 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg/s-m}^2\text{-atm}$$

$$\Delta P = 0.50 \text{ atm}$$

Find:

$N_w$ , time to filter

Solution:

We can calculate the flux with the following equation:

$$N_w = A_w(\Delta P - \Delta \pi)$$

With ultrafiltration processes, the osmotic pressure differential can be considered negligible.

$$\text{Thus, } N_w = (2.5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg/s-m}^2 - \text{atm})(0.50 \text{ atm}) = 0.0125 \text{ kg/s-m}^2$$

We also have the definitions for the mass percent's given. We can also redefine the second mass fraction to be in terms of the first with the parameter,  $r$ , defining amount of water recovered.

$$X_1 = \frac{m_{pro}}{800 \text{ kg}}$$

$$X_2 = \frac{m_{pro}}{m_{pro} + m_{H_2O} - r}$$

We can combine the two equations to calculate  $r$ . With the flux known, we can then calculate the time needed to filter the solution:

$$r = \frac{800(X_2 - X_1)}{(X_2)} = \frac{800 \text{ kg} (0.011 - 0.0005)}{0.0005} = 16,800 \text{ kg}$$

Thus,

$$\text{time} = 16,800 \text{ kg} \times 1 / 0.0125 \text{ kg/s-m}^2 \times 1 / 9.90 \text{ m}^2 = 135758 \text{ s} = \text{1.57 days}$$