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Time : 1 hour  
Max marks : 20

TEST SERIES II

1. For Acetaldehyde (1) and water (2), the van Laar equation constants,  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are 1.59 and 1.80, respectively in the temperature range 19.8-100°C. The activity coefficients  $\gamma_1$  and  $\gamma_2$  are given by the following expressions

$$\ln \gamma_1 = \frac{\alpha}{\left[1 + \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \frac{x_1}{x_2}\right]^2}$$

and

$$\ln \gamma_2 = \frac{\beta}{\left[1 + \frac{\alpha}{\beta} \frac{x_2}{x_1}\right]^2}$$

For the above system

- (1) Calculate the bubble pressure at 75°C for  $x_1 = 0.25$ ;
- (2) Calculate the bubble Temperature for 1.013 bar for  $x_1 = 0.5$ ;

$$\log_{10} P_1^{sat} = 3.68639 - \frac{822.894}{T - 69.899} \text{ and}$$

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$$\log_{10} P_2^{sat} = 4.6543 - \frac{1435.264}{T - 64.848} \quad T \text{ in K and } P^{sat} \text{ is in bar.}$$

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2. Define *azeotrope*. Draw the typical  $T_{x-y}$  diagrams, for binary mixture exhibiting minimum and maximum boiling azeotrope behaviours, separately. (3)

3. For a given binary system, the activity coefficients are represented by the relation  $\ln \gamma_1 = Ax_2^2$  and  $\ln \gamma_2 = Ax_1^2$ . Show that the system forms an azeotrope when  $A > |\ln(P_2^s/P_1^s)|$  and the azeotropic composition is given by

$$x_1 = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{A} \ln(P_2^s/P_1^s) \right] \quad (4)$$

4. For the binary system n-pentanol(1) + n-hexane (2), the Wilson equation constants are  $A_{12} = 1718$  Cal/mol,  $A_{21} = 166.6$  cal/mol. Assuming the vapour phase to be an ideal gas determine the composition of the vapour in equilibrium with a liquid containing 20 mol % n-pentanol at 30 °C. Also calculate the equilibrium pressure.  $P_1^{\text{sat}} = 3.23$  mm Hg;  $P_2^{\text{sat}} = 187.1$  mm Hg.

Data:

Densities are given as :  $\rho_1 = 0.8144$  g/ml ( MW = 88 g/mol);  $\rho_2 = 0.6603$  g/ml ( MW = 86 g/mol)

$$\ln \gamma_2 = -\ln(x_2 + \Lambda_{21}x_1) - x_1 \left( \frac{\Lambda_{12}}{x_1 + \Lambda_{12}x_2} - \frac{\Lambda_{21}}{\Lambda_{21}x_1 + x_2} \right)$$

$$\ln \gamma_1 = -\ln(x_1 + \Lambda_{12}x_2) + x_2 \left( \frac{\Lambda_{12}}{x_1 + \Lambda_{12}x_2} - \frac{\Lambda_{21}}{\Lambda_{21}x_1 + x_2} \right)$$

$$\Lambda_{12} = \frac{V_2}{V_1} \exp\left(\frac{-A_{12}}{RT}\right)$$

$$\Lambda_{21} = \frac{V_1}{V_2} \exp\left(\frac{-A_{21}}{RT}\right)$$

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