



$$r = -k C_A C_P$$

1) What is  $\tau_m$  (mfr)?

$$C_{A0} = 0.99 \text{ mol/L}$$

2) What is  $\tau_p$  (pfr)?

$$C_{P0} = 0.01 \text{ mol/L}$$

3) What is minimum size of pfr, mfr combo to achieve rxn?

$$C_A = 0.10 \text{ mol/L}$$

$$C_P = 0.9 \text{ mol/L}$$

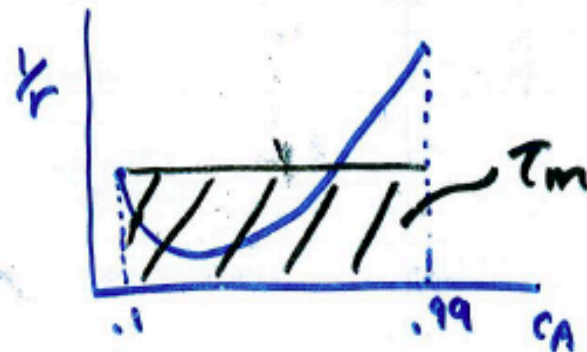
$$k = 1 \text{ L/mol-min}$$

1) Mixed flow reactor

$$\tau_m = \frac{C_{A0} - C_A}{k C_A C_P}$$

→ mass balance  
 $C_A + C_P = 1.0$

$$= \frac{C_{A0} - C_A}{k C_A (1 - C_A)} = \frac{(0.99) - (0.10)}{(1)(0.1)(1 - 0.1)} = \underline{\underline{9.89 \text{ min}}}$$



2) PFR

$$\tau_p = \int_{C_{A0}}^{C_A} \frac{dC_A}{r} = \int_{-kC_A(1-C_A)} \frac{dC}{-kC_A(1-C_A)}$$

$$C_T = C_A + C_P = 1$$

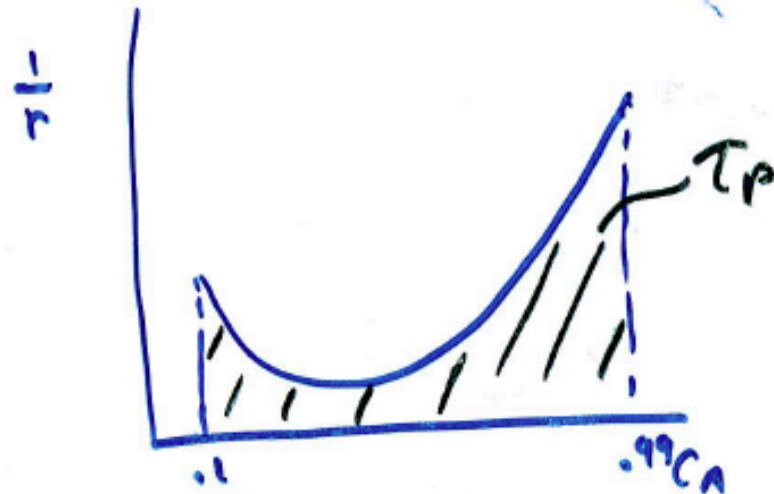
$$= -\frac{1}{kC_T} \left[ \int \frac{dC}{C_A} + \int \frac{dC}{1-C_A} \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{kC_T} \left[ \ln \frac{C_A}{C_{A0}} - \ln \frac{(1-C_A)}{(1-C_{A0})} \right]$$

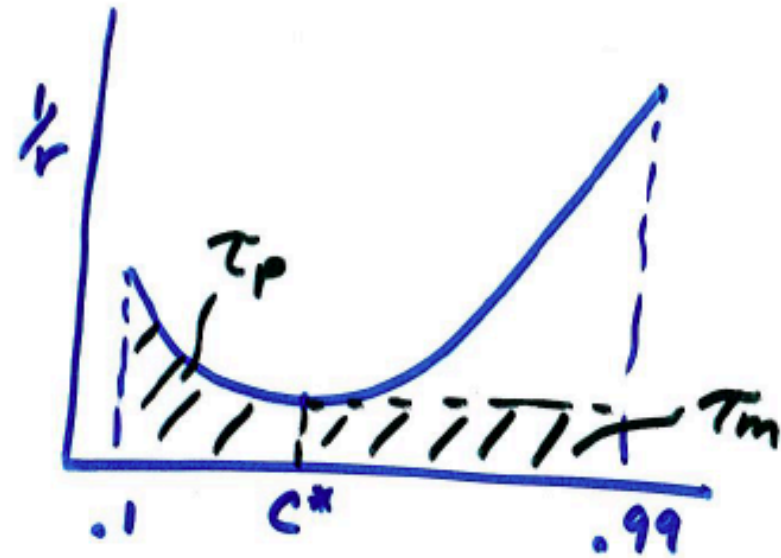
$$= \frac{1}{kC_T} \left[ \ln \left( \frac{C_{A0}}{C_A} \right) + \ln \left( \frac{1-C_A}{1-C_{A0}} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{kC_T} \ln \frac{(C_{A0}/1-C_{A0})}{[C_A/1-C_A]}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(1)(1)} \ln \frac{(0.99/0.01)}{(0.1)/0.9} = \underline{\underline{6.792 \text{ min}}}$$



3) Min.  $\tau_E(\text{combo}, \tau_m + \tau_p)$



must find  $c^*$

$$\frac{dr}{dc} = \frac{d}{dc} [-kC(1-C)] = 0$$

$$= k dC(1-C) + kC(-dC)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-C = C \Rightarrow C = 0.5$$

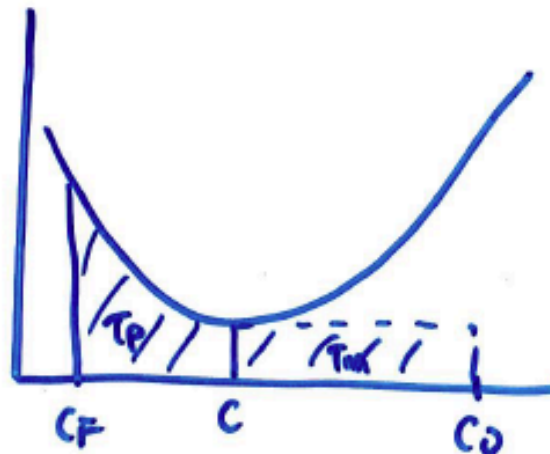
$$3) \tau_m = \frac{C_0 - C}{K C (1 - C)} = \frac{(0.99 - 0.5)}{(1)(0.5)(1 - 0.5)} = 1.96 \text{ min}$$

$$\tau_p = \frac{1}{K C_T} \ln \frac{[C(1 - C)]}{(C_F / (1 - C_F))}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(1)(1)} \ln \frac{(0.5)/(1 - 0.5)}{(0.1/(1 - 0.1))}$$

$$= 2.20 \text{ min}$$

$$\tau_{\text{total}} = 1.96 + 2.20 = 4.16 \text{ min}$$

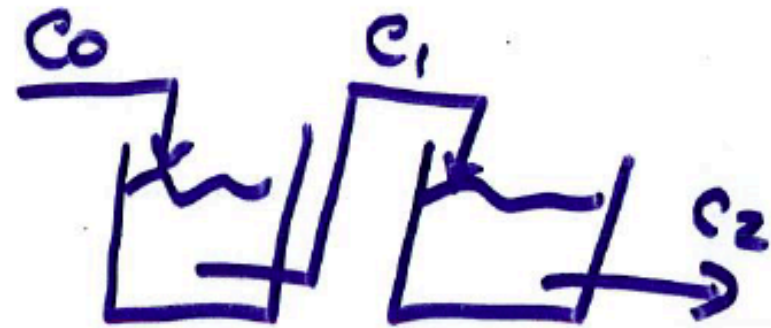


2 MFR in series,

$$\tau = 5.3$$

$$k = 0.07 \frac{1}{\text{mol-hr}}$$

$$C_0 = 18 \text{ mol/L}$$



What is final conversion?

What are intermediate concentrations?

2<sup>nd</sup> order rxn

$$k\tau = \frac{C_0 - C}{C^2} \Rightarrow k\tau C^2 + C - C_0 = 0$$

$$C = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 + 4k\tau C_0}}{2k\tau}$$

$$C_1 = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 + 4(.07)(5.3)(18)}}{2(.07)(5.3)} = 5.747 \text{ mol/L}$$



$$C_2 = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 + 4k\tau C_1}}{2k\tau}$$

$$= \frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 + 4(.07)(5.3)(5.747)}}{2(.07)(5.3)}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{2.812}} \text{ mol/L}$$

$$X = \frac{C_0 - C_2}{C_0} = \underline{\underline{0.844}}$$

you are VP of technology for TCO.

you have a 500 L MFR (ideal)  
in which you can make either  
product B or Product C, from raw  
material A.



$$k = 0.3 \text{ min}^{-1}$$

$$k = 0.2 \text{ min}^{-1}$$

Data:  $C_{A0} = 0.5 \text{ mol/L}$

$$v = 50 \text{ L/min}$$

$$A \text{ costs } \$5/\text{mol}$$

$$B \text{ sells for } \$15/\text{mol}$$

$$C \text{ sells for } \$40/\text{mol}$$

Which product would you make  
to maximize profits?



Soln

$$\text{Profit} = \text{Sales} - \text{Expenses}$$
$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \Downarrow & \Downarrow \\ & \text{B+C} & \text{A} \end{array}$$

MUST CALC. USAGE RATE OF A  
& production rates of B/C  
& multiply by \$/mol

1) How much A is used?

$$\tau C_{A0} = \frac{500 \text{ L}}{\text{min}} \left| \frac{0.5 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} \right| = 250 \frac{\text{mol}}{\text{min}}$$

2) How much B or C produced?

$$\tau = \frac{V}{\nu} = \frac{500}{50} = 10 \text{ min}$$

Both 1<sup>st</sup> order rxns

$$C_A = \frac{C_{A0}}{1 + \tau K}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{B} \\ C_A &= \frac{0.5}{1 + (10 \times 3)} \\ &= 0.125 \text{ mol/L} \\ \therefore X_A &= \frac{0.5 - 0.125}{0.5} \\ &= 0.75 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Produces

$$\begin{array}{r|l|l} 25 \text{ mol} & 0.75 & 2 \\ \hline \text{min} & & \end{array}$$

$$= 37.5 \text{ mol/min B}$$

$$\text{Sales} = (37.5)(15) = \$562.50$$

$$\text{Expenses} = (25)(5) = \$125.00$$

$$\text{Profit } (\$/\text{min}) = \underline{\underline{\$437.50}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{C} \\ C_A &= \frac{0.5}{1 + (10 \times 2)} \\ &= 0.166667 \\ \therefore X_A &= \frac{0.5 - 0.16667}{0.5} \\ &= 0.666667 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Produces

$$\begin{array}{r|l|l} 25 \text{ mol} & 0.6667 & 2 \\ \hline \text{L} & & \end{array}$$

$$= 8.333 \text{ g/mol/min C}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sales} &= (8.333)(40) \\ &= \$333.33 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Exp} = \underline{\underline{\$125.00}}$$

$$\text{Profit } (\$/\text{min}) = \underline{\underline{\$208.33}}$$

## Bio medical modeling

Comparison of enzymatic protein digestion  
in stomach vs colon.



$$V = 4.71 \text{ L}$$
$$\nu = 0.2 \frac{1}{\text{hr}}$$



$$r = 1 \text{ cm}$$
$$L = 15 \text{ m}$$

$$r = - \frac{V_m [P]}{K_m + [P]}$$

$$V_m = 0.1 \frac{\text{gm}}{\text{L} \cdot \text{hr}}$$

$$K_m = 0.5 \frac{\text{gm}}{\text{L}}$$

$$[P_0] = 1 \frac{\text{gm}}{\text{L}}$$

Model stomach as MFR

Colon as PFR

Calc. conversion

Stomach

$$\tau = \frac{[P_0] - [P]}{\left( \frac{V_m [P]}{K_m + [P]} \right)}$$
$$= \frac{([P_0] - [P])(K_m + [P])}{V_m [P]}$$

$$\tau V_m [P] = -[P]^2 + ([P_0] - K_m)[P] + [P_0] K_m$$

$$[P]^2 + (K_m + V_m \tau - [P_0])[P] - [P_0] K_m = 0$$

$$[P] = \frac{-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= 0.2388 \frac{g}{L}$$

$$X = 1 - \frac{[P]}{[P_0]} = 0.7612$$
$$= 76.12\%$$

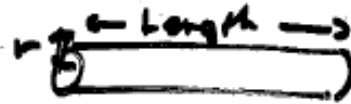
$$a = 1$$

$$b = (K_m + V_m \tau - [P_0])$$

$$c = -K_m [P_0]$$

$$\tau = \frac{4.71 L}{0.2 \frac{g}{hr}} = 23.55 hr$$

Colon



$$V = \pi r^2 (\text{Length})$$

$$r = 1 \text{ cm} \quad \text{length} = 15 \text{ m}$$

$$V = \frac{\pi 1^2 \text{ cm}^2 | 15 \text{ m} |}{100^2 \text{ cm}^2} \frac{\text{m}^3}{\text{m}^3} \frac{1000 \text{ L}}{\text{m}^3}$$
$$= 4.71 \text{ L}$$

$$\tau = \frac{V}{J} = 23.55 \text{ hr}$$

$$\frac{d(P)}{dt} = \frac{V_m(P)}{K_m + P} \Rightarrow \tau = \frac{K_m}{V_m} \ln \left( \frac{P_0}{P} \right) + \frac{1}{V_m} (P_0 - P)$$

Iterative solve (guess  $P$ ), calc  $\tau$ , compare)

$$[P_0] = 0.2388 \text{ g/L}$$

$P$	$\tau_{\text{calc}}$
0.2	1.27
0.1	5.74
0.01	18.15
0.005	21.67
0.003	24.24
0.004	23.61
0.00393	23.56 ✓

$$\underline{\underline{X = 99.65\%}}$$