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# VII SEMESTER B.TECH. (CHEMICAL ENGINEERING) END SEMESTER MAKEUP EXAMINATIONS, DEC/JAN 2016/17

## SUBJECT: OIL AND GAS RESERVOIR ENGINEERING [CHE 411]

#### REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM (02/01/2017)

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 100

### Instructions to Candidates:

### ✤ Answer ANY FIVE FULL questions.

✤ Missing data may be suitable assumed.

1A.	How to you calculate the stock tank oil initially in place (STOIIP).										
1B.	Describe the ways to determine the Z as a function of pressure.										
2.	The following data are available for a newly discovered gas reservoir: $GWC = 9700 \text{ ft}; \text{ Centroid depth} = 9537 \text{ ft}; \text{ Net bulk volume (V)} = 1.776 \text{ X } 10^{10} \text{ cu.ft};$ $\Phi = 0.19; \text{ S}_{wc} = 0.20; \gamma_g = 0.85. \text{ It is estimated that the water pressure regime in the locality, P_w}$ $= 0.441D+31 \text{ psia and the temperature gradient is } 1.258^{\circ}\text{F}/100 \text{ ft}, \text{ with ambient surface temperature 80^{\circ}\text{F}}.$ 1) Calculate the volume of the GIIP. 2) It is intended to enter a gas sales contract in which the following points have been $U=0.95$										
	<ul> <li>stipulated by the purchaser.</li> <li>a) During the first two years, a production rate build-up from zero-100 MMscf/d must be achieved while developing the field.</li> <li>b) The plateau rate must be continued for 15 years at a sales point delivery pressure which corresponds to a</li> </ul>										
	<ul> <li>minimum reservoir pressure of 1200 psia. Can this latter requirement be fulfilled? (Assume that the aquifer is small).</li> <li>c) Once the market requirement can no longer be satisfied the field rate will decline</li> </ul>										
	exponentially by 20% per annum until it is reduced to 20 MMscf/d. What will be the total recovery factor for the reservoir and what is the length of the entire project life?										
3A.	Explain the surface recombination sampling.	5									

3B.	The oil and gas rates, measured at a particular time during the producing life of a reservoir are x											
	stb oil/day and y scf gas/day.											
	i) What is the corresponding underground withdrawal rate in reservoir barrels/day?											
	ii) If the average reservoir pressure at the time the above measurements are made is 2400 psia,											
	calculate the daily underground withdrawal corresponding to an oil production of 2500 stb/day											
	and a gas rate of 2.125 MMscf/day. Field PVT parameters are given below.											
		Pressure, psia B <sub>o</sub> , rb/stb R <sub>s</sub> , scf/stb B <sub>g</sub> , rb/scf										
		2400		1.1822 352		.00119						
	i) If the density of the oil at standard conditions is 52.8 lb/cu.ft and the gas gravity is 0.67 (air											
	= 1), calculate the oil pressure gradient in the reservoir at 2400 psia.										15	
4A.	Determine an expression for the recovery at abandonment pressure of 1500 psia as a function of											
	the cumulative gas oil ratio R <sub>p</sub> for an unsaturated oil reservoir whose PVT parameters are given											
	below in a table and for which $c_w = 3 \times 10^{-6}$ /psi; $c_f = 8.5 \times 10^{-6}$ /psi; $S_{wc} = 0.20$ . What do you											
	conclude from the nature of this relationship? Plot the recovery 0-50% with respect to $R_p$ .											
		4000,										
	Pressure,	,	3500	3330, p <sub>b</sub>	3000	2700	2400	2100	1800	1500		
	psia	$p_i$										
	B <sub>o</sub> , rb/stb	1.2417	1.248	1.2511	1.2222	1.2022	1.1822	1.1633	1.145	1.1287		
	R <sub>s</sub> , scf/stb	510	510	510	450	401	352	304	257	214		
	B <sub>g</sub> , rb/scf			.00087	.00096	.00107	.00119	.00137	.00161	.00196	10	
4B.	How do you	determine	the PV	T paramet	ers in labo	oratory an	d conver	t these to	field para	ameters.	10	
5.	Derive the Schilthuis material balance equation for a hydrocarbon reservoir which includes the											
	effects of all reservoir drive mechanisms.											
6A.	What is the conversion factor between absolute permeability k, expressed in Darcy and in cm <sup>2</sup>											
	respectively	?									5	
6B.	Explain how	does redu	il recover	y. How o	lo you ac	hieve the	5					
	same?										5 10	
6C.	Describe the mechanics of the supplementary recovery.											

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