A First Course on Kinetics and Reaction Engineering

Unit 4 Additional Quiz Questions

- 1. Which of the following is NOT a required characteristic of all rate expressions?
 - a. it evaluates to zero whenever equilibrium temperature, pressure and composition are substituted
 - b. it shows that the rate is proportional to each species' concentration raised to a power equal to that species' stoichiometric coefficient
 - c. it is single-valued
- 2. Which of the following is NOT one of the steps in the procedure for generating a rate expression?
 - a. Choose a reactor
 - b. Generate design equations for the reactor and ensure that they accurately describe the reactor's performance
 - c. Perform experiments
 - d. Take a reading from the rate meter
 - e. Fit the design equation to the experimental data
- 3. Which of the following procedures is used to test a particular mathematical function to see whether it is suitable as the rate expression for a reaction that has been studied experimentally.
 - a. Fit the rate meter data to the experimentally measured data
 - b. Fit the rate meter data to the rate expression being tested
 - c. Fit the experimentally measured data to the rate expression being tested
 - d. Fit the design equation for the experimental reactor to the experimental data
 - e. Fit the experimental data to the design equation for the experimental data
- 4. True or False? The heat of reaction that appears in the exponential term of an equilibrium constant can be positive or negative.
- 5. Which of the following is NOT a common source of temperature dependence in a rate expression for a gas phase reaction.
 - a. The partial pressures of the species as a result of the ideal gas law.
 - b. Equilibrium constants.
 - c. Rate coefficients.
 - d. The concentrations of the species as a result of the ideal gas law.
 - e. The viscosity of the fluid as a result of the kinetic theory of gases.