Unit 21. Pre-Class Quiz Questions

- 1. During transient operation of a CSTR
 - a. the heat input term must equal zero
 - b. the pressure must be constant
 - c. at least one flow rate, temperature or composition varies over time
 - d. the agitator must be stopped
 - e. the design equations are algebraic equations
- 2. True or false? For a "typical" chemical reaction, the rate of reaction in a CSTR is greater than that at the start of a batch run at the same conditions as the CSTR inlet.
- 3. True or false? Reactor start up involves transient operation of a CSTR.
- 4. True or false? In a CSTR, the whole time a fluid element reacts, it does so at a constant rate that is equal to the rate at the inlet composition and temperature.
- 5. When a typical exothermic reaction occurs adiabatically in a CSTR
 - a. The inlet temperature is greater than the outlet temperature
 - b. The inlet temperature is less than the outlet temperature
 - c. The inlet and outlet temperatures are equal
 - d. The inlet temperature could be less than the outlet temperature or it could be greater than the outlet temperature
 - e. The agitator must operate at very high speed