

# APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN FOR CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL PLANTS VOLUME 2 THIRD EDITION APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN FOR CHEMICAL PETROCHEMICAL PLANTS

## A JOURNEY INTO THE HEART OF INNOVATION: UNVEILING THE MAGIC OF APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN

PREPARE YOURSELVES, DEAR READERS, FOR AN ADVENTURE THAT TRANSCENDS THE ORDINARY! WHILE THE TITLE MIGHT INITIALLY SUGGEST A TECHNICAL MANUAL, "APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN FOR CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL PLANTS, VOLUME 2, THIRD EDITION" IS, IN FACT, A GATEWAY TO A WORLD BRIMMING WITH IMAGINATIVE POSSIBILITIES, PROFOUND EMOTIONAL RESONANCE, AND AN UTTERLY UNIVERSAL APPEAL THAT WILL CAPTURE THE HEARTS OF READERS OF ALL AGES. FORGET DRY EQUATIONS AND STERILE DIAGRAMS; THIS IS A BOOK THAT BREATHES LIFE INTO THE VERY FOUNDATIONS OF OUR INDUSTRIAL LANDSCAPE, WEAVING A NARRATIVE OF INGENUITY THAT IS BOTH DEEPLY INFORMATIVE AND ENCHANTINGLY ENGAGING.

FROM THE VERY FIRST PAGE, YOU'RE NOT JUST PRESENTED WITH INFORMATION; YOU'RE INVITED INTO A VIBRANT AND DYNAMIC SETTING. IMAGINE INTRICATE SYSTEMS COMING TO LIFE, WHERE EACH PIPE, VALVE, AND REACTOR IS A CHARACTER IN A GRAND SYMPHONY OF CREATION. THE AUTHORS, WITH THEIR MASTERFUL STORYTELLING, MANAGE TO TRANSFORM THE OFTEN-COMPLEX WORLD OF CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL ENGINEERING INTO A REALM OF WONDER. IT'S A TESTAMENT TO THEIR SKILL THAT EVEN THE MOST INTRICATE CONCEPTS ARE PRESENTED WITH SUCH CLARITY AND A SENSE OF THRILLING DISCOVERY. YOU'LL FIND YOURSELF MARVELING AT THE ELEGANCE OF PROBLEM-SOLVING AND THE SHEER BRILLIANCE OF HUMAN INNOVATION.

WHAT TRULY SETS THIS VOLUME APART IS ITS REMARKABLE EMOTIONAL DEPTH. BENEATH THE SURFACE OF SOPHISTICATED DESIGN PRINCIPLES LIE THE STORIES OF DEDICATION, PERSEVERANCE, AND THE UNWAVERING PURSUIT OF PROGRESS. YOU'LL FEEL THE PULSE OF ANTICIPATION AS SOLUTIONS ARE ENGINEERED, THE QUIET SATISFACTION OF OPTIMIZED PROCESSES, AND THE PROFOUND IMPACT THESE ADVANCEMENTS HAVE ON SHAPING OUR WORLD. THIS ISN'T JUST ABOUT BUILDING PLANTS; IT'S ABOUT BUILDING A BETTER FUTURE, AND THAT INHERENT OPTIMISM IS WOVEN INTO EVERY CHAPTER, MAKING IT AN INCREDIBLY UPLIFTING AND INSPIRING READ.

THE UNIVERSAL APPEAL OF THIS WORK IS UNDENIABLE. WHETHER YOU ARE AN ACADEMIC SEEKING TO DEEPEN YOUR UNDERSTANDING, A STUDENT EMBARKING ON YOUR EDUCATIONAL JOURNEY, OR A YOUNG ADULT WITH A BURGEONING CURIOSITY ABOUT THE WORLD AROUND YOU, "APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN" SPEAKS A LANGUAGE THAT RESONATES UNIVERSALLY. IT DEMYSTIFIES COMPLEX SUBJECTS, MAKING THEM ACCESSIBLE AND EXCITING, PROVING THAT THE PURSUIT OF KNOWLEDGE CAN BE AN ENTHRALLING AND DEEPLY REWARDING EXPERIENCE. IT'S A TESTAMENT TO THE POWER OF CLEAR COMMUNICATION AND A PASSION FOR THE SUBJECT MATTER.

HERE ARE JUST A FEW OF THE GEMS YOU'LL DISCOVER WITHIN THESE PAGES:

**A RICH TAPESTRY OF DESIGN PRINCIPLES:** EXPLORE THE INGENIOUS STRATEGIES AND PRACTICAL METHODOLOGIES THAT DRIVE MODERN CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL OPERATIONS.

**CASE STUDIES THAT SPARK THE IMAGINATION:** WITNESS REAL-WORLD APPLICATIONS COME ALIVE THROUGH COMPELLING EXAMPLES THAT ILLUSTRATE THE POWER OF APPLIED SCIENCE.

**A FOUNDATION FOR FUTURE INNOVATION:** GAIN INSIGHTS THAT WILL NOT ONLY EDUCATE BUT ALSO EMPOWER YOU TO THINK CREATIVELY AND CONTRIBUTE TO THE NEXT WAVE OF INDUSTRIAL BREAKTHROUGHS.

**AN ENCOURAGING AND OPTIMISTIC TONE:** FEEL MOTIVATED AND INSPIRED BY THE BOOK'S INHERENTLY POSITIVE OUTLOOK ON THE POTENTIAL OF HUMAN ENDEAVOR.

THIS IS MORE THAN JUST A TEXTBOOK; IT'S A MAGICAL JOURNEY INTO THE HEART OF INNOVATION, A NARRATIVE THAT WILL LEAVE YOU WITH A RENEWED APPRECIATION FOR THE UNSEEN FORCES THAT SHAPE OUR MODERN LIVES. IT'S A BOOK THAT ENCOURAGES DREAMING BIG AND THEN SHOWS YOU EXACTLY HOW THOSE DREAMS CAN BE REALIZED THROUGH DILIGENT EFFORT AND BRILLIANT DESIGN.

WE OFFER A **HEARTFELT RECOMMENDATION** THAT THIS BOOK CONTINUES TO CAPTURE HEARTS WORLDWIDE BECAUSE IT TAPS INTO SOMETHING FUNDAMENTAL: THE HUMAN DRIVE TO BUILD, TO IMPROVE, AND TO CREATE A BETTER TOMORROW. IT'S A BEACON OF KNOWLEDGE THAT SHINES BRIGHTLY, ILLUMINATING THE PATH FOR ASPIRING ENGINEERS AND IGNITING THE CURIOSITY OF ANYONE WHO HAS EVER WONDERED ABOUT THE MAGIC BEHIND THE MACHINES.

IN CONCLUSION, "APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN FOR CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL PLANTS, VOLUME 2, THIRD EDITION" IS NOT JUST A RECOMMENDATION; IT IS A **STRONG RECOMMENDATION** THAT THIS BOOK IS A TIMELESS CLASSIC WORTH EXPERIENCING. IT IS A PROFOUND AND ENTERTAINING TESTAMENT TO THE POWER OF APPLIED SCIENCE, A JOURNEY THAT WILL ENRICH YOUR MIND, INSPIRE YOUR SPIRIT, AND ENTERTAIN YOU ALONG THE WAY. DIVE IN, AND LET THE MAGIC OF INNOVATION UNFOLD BEFORE YOUR VERY EYES. ITS LASTING IMPACT IS EVIDENT IN THE COUNTLESS MINDS IT HAS INSPIRED AND THE FUTURE INNOVATIONS IT WILL UNDOUBTEDLY FOSTER.

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THIS COMPLETE REVISION OF APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN FOR CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL PLANTS VOLUME 1 BUILDS UPON ERNEST E LUDWIG'S CLASSIC TEXT TO FURTHER ENHANCE ITS USE AS A

CHEMICAL ENGINEERING PROCESS DESIGN MANUAL OF METHODS AND PROVEN FUNDAMENTALS THIS NEW EDITION INCLUDES IMPORTANT SUPPLEMENTAL MECHANICAL AND RELATED DATA NOMOGRAPHS AND CHARTS ALSO INCLUDED WITHIN ARE IMPROVED TECHNIQUES AND FUNDAMENTAL METHODOLOGIES TO GUIDE THE ENGINEER IN DESIGNING PROCESS EQUIPMENT AND APPLYING CHEMICAL PROCESSES TO PROPERLY DETAILED EQUIPMENT ALL THREE VOLUMES OF APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN FOR CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL PLANTS SERVE THE PRACTICING ENGINEER BY PROVIDING ORGANIZED DESIGN PROCEDURES DETAILS ON THE EQUIPMENT SUITABLE FOR APPLICATION SELECTION AND CHARTS IN READILY USABLE FORM PROCESS ENGINEERS DESIGNERS AND OPERATORS WILL FIND MORE CHEMICAL PETROCHEMICAL PLANT DESIGN DATA IN VOLUME 2 THIRD EDITION WHICH COVERS DISTILLATION AND PACKED TOWERS AS WELL AS MATERIAL ON AZEOTROPES AND IDEAL NON IDEAL SYSTEMS VOLUME 3 THIRD EDITION WHICH COVERS HEAT TRANSFER REFRIGERATION SYSTEMS COMPRESSION SURGE DRUMS AND MECHANICAL DRIVERS A KAYODE COKER IS CHAIRMAN OF CHEMICAL PROCESS ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT AT JUBAIL INDUSTRIAL COLLEGE IN SAUDI ARABIA HE IS BOTH A CHARTERED SCIENTIST AND A CHARTERED CHEMICAL ENGINEER FOR MORE THAN 15 YEARS AND AN AUTHOR OF FORTRAN PROGRAMS FOR CHEMICAL PROCESS DESIGN ANALYSIS AND SIMULATION GULF PUBLISHING CO AND MODELING OF CHEMICAL KINETICS AND REACTOR DESIGN BUTTERWORTH HEINEMANN PROVIDES IMPROVED DESIGN MANUALS FOR METHODS AND PROVEN FUNDAMENTALS OF PROCESS DESIGN WITH RELATED DATA AND CHARTS COVERS A COMPLETE RANGE OF BASIC DAY TO DAY PETROCHEMICAL OPERATION TOPICS WITH NEW MATERIAL ON SIGNIFICANT INDUSTRY CHANGES SINCE 1995

IN CHEMISTRY OF PETROCHEMICAL PROCESSES READERS FIND A HANDY AND VALUABLE SOURCE OF INFORMATION CONTAINING INSIGHTS INTO PETROCHEMICAL REACTIONS AND PRODUCTS PROCESS TECHNOLOGY AND POLYMER SYNTHESIS THE BOOK REVIEWS AND DESCRIBES THE REACTIONS AND PROCESSES INVOLVED IN TRANSFORMING PETROLEUM BASED HYDROCARBONS INTO THE CHEMICALS THAT FORM THE BASIS OF THE MULTI BILLION DOLLAR PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY IN ADDITION THE BOOK INCLUDES INFORMATION ON NEW PROCESS DEVELOPMENTS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF RAW MATERIALS AND INTERMEDIATES FOR PETROCHEMICALS THAT HAVE SURFACED SINCE THE BOOK'S FIRST EDITION PROVIDES A QUICK UNDERSTANDING OF THE CHEMICAL REACTIONS ASSOCIATED WITH OIL AND GAS PROCESSING CONTAINS INSIGHTS INTO PETROCHEMICAL REACTIONS AND PRODUCTS PROCESS TECHNOLOGY AND POLYMER SYNTHESIS

MODERN PETROCHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY A TEXT THAT EXPLORES THE ESSENCE OF PETROCHEMICALS AND PETROCHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY MODERN PETROCHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY METHODS MANUFACTURING AND APPLICATIONS IS A COMPREHENSIVE RESOURCE THAT PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF THE USES FOR COMMON PETROCHEMICAL BUILDING BLOCKS A REVIEW OF THE MARKETPLACES AND OFFERS A SURVEY OF THE TECHNOLOGY USED TO MAKE THE KEY PETROCHEMICAL BUILDING BLOCKS THE BOOK CONTAINS BOTH CRITICAL INFORMATION THE TECHNOLOGIES USED TO PRODUCE PETROCHEMICALS HOW THE VARIOUS PETROCHEMICALS ARE APPLIED IN INDUSTRY AND PROVIDES ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES AND PROBLEMS DESIGNED TO REINFORCE THE LEARNING ABOUT THE BASIC SCIENCE ENGINEERING AND USE OF PETROCHEMICALS THE BOOK EXPLORES THREE SEPARATE PETROCHEMICAL BUILDING BLOCK OLEFIN COMPLEXES AROMATIC COMPLEXES AND SYNTHESIS GAS COMPLEXES AND EXAMINES THE INTERCONNECTED NATURE OF THESE BUILDING BLOCKS THE AUTHORS ALSO INCLUDE INFORMATION ON THE OLEFINS PRODUCTION USING STEAM CRACKING PARAFFIN DEHYDROGENATION AND METHANOL TO OLEFINS TECHNOLOGIES AND DESCRIBES VARIOUS METHODS COMMERCIAL PROCESSES TO PRODUCE AROMATICS SUCH AS BENZENE TOLUENE AND XYLENE AND MUCH MORE THIS IMPORTANT BOOK OFFERS A GUIDE TO THE CRITICAL INFORMATION ON PETROCHEMICAL PRODUCING TECHNOLOGIES INCLUDES MATERIAL ON VARIOUS PETROCHEMICALS FROM THE INDUSTRIAL POINT OF VIEW EXPLORES THE SEPARATION PROCESSES MEMBRANE TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION TECHNOLOGY LIQUID LIQUID EXTRACTION AND MORE CONTAINS MATERIAL FROM A TEAM OF NOTED EXPERTS PROVIDES A SURVEY OF EXAMPLES OF COMMERCIALIZATION APPLICATIONS OF PETROCHEMICALS WRITTEN FOR CHEMICAL ENGINEERS CHEMISTS IN INDUSTRY MEMBRANE SCIENTISTS AND PROCESS ENGINEERS MODERN PETROCHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY PROVIDES AN OVERVIEW OF MARKETS AND USES FOR COMMON PETROCHEMICAL BUILDING BLOCKS AS WELL AS INCLUDES A SURVEY OF THE TECHNOLOGY USED TO MAKE THE KEY PETROCHEMICAL BUILDING BLOCKS

A COMPREHENSIVE TEXTBOOK ON PETROCHEMICAL CONVERSION PROCESSES FOR PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS FRACTIONS AS PRODUCED BY REFINERY OPERATIONS THIS INNOVATIVE TEXTBOOK PROVIDES ESSENTIAL LINKS BETWEEN THE CHEMICAL SCIENCES AND CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY BETWEEN PETROCHEMISTRY AND HYDROCARBON TECHNOLOGY THE BOOK BRINGS ALIVE KEY CONCEPTS FORMING THE BASIS OF CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY AND PRESENTS A SOLID BACKGROUND FOR INNOVATIVE PROCESS DEVELOPMENT IN ALL CHAPTERS THE PROCESSES DESCRIBED ARE ACCCOMPANIED BY SIMPLIFIED FLOW SCHEMES ENCOURAGING STUDENTS TO THINK IN TERMS OF CONCEPTUAL PROCESS DESIGNS PETROCHEMISTRY PETROCHEMICAL PROCESSING HYDROCARBON TECHNOLOGY AND GREEN ENGINEERING INTRODUCES STUDENTS TO A VARIETY OF TOPICS RELATED TO THE PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY HYDROCARBON PROCESSING FOSSIL FUEL RESOURCES AS WELL AS FUELS AND CHEMICALS CONVERSION THE FIRST CHAPTER COVERS

THE FUNDAMENTALS AND PRINCIPALS FOR DESIGNING SEVERAL OF THE PROCESSES IN THE BOOK INCLUDING DISCUSSIONS ON THERMODYNAMICS CHEMICAL KINETICS REACTOR CALCULATIONS AND INDUSTRIAL CATALYSTS THE FOLLOWING CHAPTERS ADDRESS RECENT ADVANCES IN HYDROCARBON TECHNOLOGY ENERGY TECHNOLOGY AND SOURCES OF HYDROCARBONS THE BOOK THEN GOES ON TO DISCUSS THE PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY BASED ON FOUR BASIC PILLARS ALL DERIVED FROM PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS PRODUCTION OF LOWER ALKENES OTHER SOURCES OF LOWER ALKENES PETROCHEMICALS FROM C2 C3 ALKENES PRODUCTION OF BTX AROMATICS CHEMICALS FROM BTX AROMATICS C1 TECHNOLOGY DIVERSIFICATION OF PETROCHEMICALS THE GROWING IMPORTANCE OF SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGY PROCESS INTENSIFICATION AND ADDRESSING GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS IS REFLECTED THROUGHOUT THE BOOK WRITTEN FOR ADVANCED STUDENTS WORKING IN THE AREAS OF PETROCHEMISTRY HYDROCARBON TECHNOLOGY NATURAL GAS ENERGY MATERIALS AND TECHNOLOGIES ALTERNATIVE FUELS AND RECYCLING TECHNOLOGIES THE BOOK IS ALSO A VALUABLE REFERENCE FOR INDUSTRIAL PRACTITIONERS IN THE OIL AND GAS INDUSTRY

CONVERTING POWER INTO CHEMICALS AND FUELS UNDERSTAND THE PIVOTAL ROLE THAT THE PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY WILL PLAY IN THE ENERGY TRANSITION BY INTEGRATING RENEWABLE OR LOW CARBON ALTERNATIVES POWER INTO CHEMICALS AND FUELS STRESSES THE VERSATILITY OF HYDROGEN AS AN ENabler OF THE RENEWABLE ENERGY SYSTEM AN ENERGY VECTOR THAT CAN BE TRANSPORTED AND STORED AND A FUEL FOR THE TRANSPORTATION SECTOR HEATING OF BUILDINGS AND PROVIDING HEAT AND FEEDSTOCK TO INDUSTRY IT CAN REDUCE BOTH CARBON AND LOCAL EMISSIONS INCREASE ENERGY SECURITY AND STRENGTHEN THE ECONOMY AS WELL AS SUPPORT THE DEPLOYMENT OF RENEWABLE POWER GENERATION SUCH AS WIND SOLAR NUCLEAR AND HYDRO WITH A FOCUS ON POWER TO X TECHNOLOGIES THIS BOOK DISCUSSES THE PRODUCTION OF BASIC PETROCHEMICALS IN SUCH A WAY AS TO MINIMIZE THE CARBON FOOTPRINT AND DEVELOP PROCEDURES THAT SAVE ENERGY OR USE ENERGY FROM RENEWABLE SOURCES VARIOUS DIFFERENT POWER TO X SYSTEM CONFIGURATIONS ARE INTRODUCED WITH DISCUSSIONS ON THEIR PERFORMANCE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT AND COST TECHNOLOGIES FOR SUSTAINABLE HYDROGEN PRODUCTION ARE COVERED FOCUSING ON WATER ELECTROLYSIS USING RENEWABLE ENERGY AS WELL AS CONSIDERATION OF THE REMAINING CHALLENGES FOR LARGE SCALE PRODUCTION AND INTEGRATION WITH OTHER TECHNOLOGIES POWER INTO CHEMICALS AND FUELS READERS WILL ALSO FIND DISCUSSION OF RECENT ADVANCES IN POWER INTO X TECHNOLOGIES FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ETHYLENE PROPYLENE FORMIC ACID AND MORE COVERAGE OF EVERY STAGE IN THE POWER INTO X PROCESS FROM POWER GENERATION TO UPGRADING THE FINAL PRODUCT THERMODYNAMIC TECHNOECONOMIC AND LIFE CYCLE ASSESSMENT ANALYSES OF EACH MAJOR PROCESS POWER INTO CHEMICALS AND FUELS IS A VALUABLE RESOURCE FOR SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS WORKING IN THE PETROCHEMICALS AND HYDROCARBONS INDUSTRIES AS WELL AS FOR ALL INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS IN THESE AND RELATED FIELDS

LUDWIG S APPLIED PROCESS DESIGN FOR CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL PLANTS INCORPORATING PROCESS SAFETY INCIDENTS IS EVER EVOLVING STARTING WITH THE FIRST EDITION SOME 60 YEARS AGO THE VOLUMES IN THIS FIFTH EDITION PROVIDE IMPROVED TECHNIQUES AND FUNDAMENTAL DESIGN METHODOLOGIES TO GUIDE THE PRACTICING ENGINEER IN DESIGNING PROCESS EQUIPMENT AND APPLYING CHEMICAL PROCESSES TO THE PROPERLY DETAILED HARDWARE AS INDICATIVE OF THE NEW TITLE PROCESS SAFETY INCIDENTS ARE INCORPORATED IN MANY OF THE CHAPTERS REVIEWING THE ROOT CAUSES AND HOW THESE COULD BE MITIGATED IN FUTURE LIKE ITS PREDECESSOR THIS NEW EDITION CONTINUES TO PRESENT UPDATED INFORMATION FOR ACHIEVING OPTIMUM OPERATIONAL AND PROCESS CONDITIONS AND TO AVOID PROBLEMS CAUSED BY INADEQUATE SIZING AND LACK OF INTERNALLY DETAILED HARDWARE THE VOLUMES PROVIDE BOTH FUNDAMENTAL THEORIES WHERE APPLICABLE AND DIRECT APPLICATION OF THESE THEORIES TO APPLIED EQUATIONS ESSENTIAL IN THE DESIGN EFFORT THIS APPROACH IN PRESENTING DESIGN INFORMATION IS ESSENTIAL FOR TROUBLESHOOTING PROCESS EQUIPMENT AND IN EXECUTING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS VOLUME 1B CONTINUES TO COVER MIXING OF LIQUIDS PROCESS SAFETY AND PRESSURE 1 RELIEVING DEVICES METALLURGY AND CORROSION AND PROCESS OPTIMIZATION IT BUILDS UPON ERNEST E LUDWIG S CLASSIC TEXT TO FURTHER ENHANCE ITS USE AS A CHEMICAL ENGINEERING PROCESS DESIGN MANUAL OF METHODS AND PROVEN FUNDAMENTALS THIS NEW EDITION INCLUDES NEW CONTENT ON THREE PHASE SEPARATION MIXING OF LIQUIDS EJECTORS AND MECHANICAL VACUUM SYSTEMS PROCESS SAFETY AND PRESSURE RELIEVING DEVICES METALLURGY AND CORROSION AND OPTIMIZATION OF CHEMICAL PROCESS BLENDING SOME CHAPTERS REVIEW PRESSURE RELIEVING DEVICES AND PROVIDE CASE STUDIES FOR PROCESS SAFETY INCIDENTS WHICH ARE WELL ILLUSTRATED FROM US CHEMICAL SAFETY HAZARD INVESTIGATION BOARD CSB GOV FINALLY THIS BOOK CONTAINS A GLOSSARY OF PETROLEUM AND PETROCHEMICAL TERMINOLOGIES AND PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF MAJOR HYDROCARBONS PROVIDES IMPROVED DESIGN MANUAL FOR METHODS AND PROVEN FUNDAMENTALS OF PROCESS DESIGN WITH RELATED DATA AND CHARTS COVERS COMPLETE RANGE OF BASIC DAY TO DAY PETROCHEMICAL OPERATION TOPICS EXTENSIVELY REVISED WITH NEW MATERIAL ADDED ON THREE PHASE SEPARATION METALLURGY AND CORROSION PROCESS SAFETY MANAGEMENT HAZOP AND HAZARD ANALYSES AND OPTIMIZATION OF CHEMICAL PROCESS BLENDING PRESENTS MANY EXAMPLES USING HONEYWELL UNISIM DESIGN SOFTWARE DEVELOPED AND EXECUTABLE COMPUTER PROGRAMS AND EXCEL SPREADSHEET PROGRAMS INCLUDES CASE STUDIES OF PROCESS SAFETY INCIDENTS GUIDANCE FOR TROUBLESHOOTING AND CHECKLISTS

INCLUDES SOFTWARE OF CONVERSION TABLE AND 30 PROCESS DATA SHEETS IN EXCEL FORMAT

FIRST PUBLISHED IN 1991 THIS VOLUME RESPONDS TO THE MAJOR CHANGES IN THE PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY OVER THE PREVIOUS DECADE DUE TO INCREASES IN RAW MATERIAL COSTS IMPROVEMENTS IN PROCESS EFFICIENCY AND THE INCREASING IMPORTANCE NOW BEING PLACED ON ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES THE HANDBOOK OF PETROCHEMICALS AND PROCESSES PROVIDES COMPREHENSIVE UP TO DATE INFORMATION ON 76 PETROCHEMICALS AND THEIR PROCESSES GIVING DETAILS OF THE CHEMICAL REACTIONS INVOLVED IN TRANSFORMING RAW MATERIALS SUCH AS OLEFINS AND AROMATICS INTO CHEMICALS PLASTICS AND SYNTHETIC FIBRES THE COMPETING PROCESSES FOR EACH PRODUCT INCLUDING THE LATEST TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENTS ARE DESCRIBED WITH THEIR FEEDSTOCK REQUIREMENTS CATALYSTS AND CONVERSION RATES COMPARED MANY OF THE PROCESSES ARE ILLUSTRATED WITH CLEAR FLOW DIAGRAMS THE BOOK IS EASY TO USE WITH THE PRODUCTS ARRANGED IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER WITHIN EACH CHAPTER ON THE INDIVIDUAL PRODUCTS THERE ARE DETAILS OF THE PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS AND PROPERTIES GRADES AVAILABLE HANDLING TRANSPORTATION HEALTH AND SAFETY ASPECTS AND LISTS OF THE MAJOR MANUFACTURERS AND LICENSORS THE HANDBOOK OF PETROCHEMICALS AND PROCESSES GATHERS TOGETHER IN ONE VOLUME ALL THE COMMONLY SOUGHT CHEMICAL INFORMATION IT WILL PROVE AN INVALUABLE SOURCE OF REFERENCE FOR INDUSTRIAL CHEMISTS CHEMICAL ENGINEERS AND INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS AS WELL AS LIBRARIANS AND INFORMATION CENTRES CONCERNED WITH THE PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY

THIS LATEST EDITION COVERS THE TECHNICAL PERFORMANCE AND MECHANICAL DETAILS OF CONVERTING THE CHEMICAL AND PETROCHEMICAL PROCESS INTO APPROPRIATE HARDWARE FOR DISTILLATION AND PACKED TOWERS IT INCORPORATES RECENT ADVANCES AND MAJOR INNOVATIONS IN DISTILLATION CONTACTING DEVICES AND FEATURES NEW GENERATIONS OF PACKING IN ADDITION THIS NEW EDITION REFLECTS THE SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS THAT HAS BEEN MADE IN PROCESS DESIGN TECHNIQUES IN RECENT YEARS VOLUME 2'S EXAMPLE CALCULATION TECHNIQUES GUIDE IN THE PREPARATION OF PRELIMINARY AND FINAL RATING DESIGNS IN SOME INSTANCES THE BOOK INCLUDES MANUFACTURERS PROCEDURES AND NOTES CLEARLY INDICATE WHEN MANUFACTURERS SHOULD VERIFY RESULTS COVERS DISTILLATION AND PACKED TOWERS AND CONTAINS MATERIAL ON AZEOTROPIES AND IDEAL AND NON IDEAL SYSTEMS INCLUDES IMPORTANT FINDINGS FROM RECENT LITERATURE TO ILLUSTRATE ALTERNATE DESIGN METHODS NEW ILLUSTRATIONS AND RATING CHARTS

LEVERAGING SYNERGIES BETWEEN REFINING AND PETROCHEMICAL PROCESSES PROVIDES A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INTERFACES AND CONNECTIONS BETWEEN CRUDE OIL REFINING AND PETROCHEMICALS IT OFFERS A VIEW OF GLOBAL AND REGIONAL MARKETS AND ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR SYNERGIES BETWEEN THESE SECTORS FEATURES SHOWS A GLOBAL AND REGIONAL MARKET OUTLOOK FOR CRUDE OIL REFINING AND PETROCHEMICAL SECTORS EXPLORES ECONOMIC AND MARKET OPPORTUNITIES FOR TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE SYNERGIES BETWEEN BOTH SECTORS ANALYZES THE TECHNICAL CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES THAT COME WITH THESE SYNERGIES GIVES AN OUTLOOK AND PREDICTION OF WHAT COMPANIES WILL BE ABLE TO ACHIEVE IN THE MID TERM FUTURE PROVIDES INTRODUCTORY AND EXPLANATORY MATERIAL AS WELL AS IN DEPTH INSIGHT INTO FUTURE TECHNOLOGY AND MARKET DEVELOPMENTS THIS BOOK SERVES AS A REFERENCE FOR PROFESSIONALS IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING OIL AND GAS ENGINEERING AND INDUSTRIAL CHEMISTRY IT AIMS TO HELP ENGINEERS AND INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS UNDERSTAND THE CHALLENGES AND THE POTENTIAL BENEFITS OF DEVELOPING EXPANSION OR OPTIMIZATION PROJECTS THAT MAY BRIDGE THE GAP BETWEEN REFINING AND PETROCHEMICALS

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## TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCES

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## EXPANDING ACCESS

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## CONCLUSION

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