Cycle Effects of Carbon Dioxide in the Chemical Absorbent Solutions

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Levels of greenhouse gases such as carbon dioxide (CO2), methane (CH4), nitrous oxide (N2O), hydroflurorcarbons (HFCs), perfluorocarbons (PFCs), and sulphur nxafluoride (SF6) have risen steeply during the industrial era owing to human activities like deforestation or heavy fossil fuel use, spurred on by economic and population growth. A wide variety of processes have been developed for the removal of acid gases such as carbon dioxide and hydrogen sulfide from gas streams including physical/chemical absorption, adsorption, membrane process, and oxygen recovery from air (O2/CO2 recycle combustion).

The aim of this paper is to study the characteristics of CO2 absorption and regeneration. The change of CO2 loading of absorbent solution during absorption-regeneration cycle was measured using absorbent such as MEA and Sodium glycinate. The Cycle effects of CO2 were measured using a semi-continuous flow reactor. The absorption-regeneration cycle was repeated for three times. The lean/rich loading capacity of aqueous absorbent solutions for separation of CO2 were recorded .The lean/rich amine samples in liquid phase were extracted from the absorber and stripper and CO2 was measured by titration method.