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Dairy and Food Engineering (2+1)

Marks: 50
Time: 2 hours

- I Fill in the blanks (10x1=10)**
1. The steam consumption to water evaporation ratio in drum dryer is -----
 2. Kg of steam / kg of water vapour removed in an evaporator is called -----
 3. Permeate from reverse osmosis membrane consists of -----
 4. ----- is used as the heating medium for drying milk in a spray dryer
 5. Time-temperature combination in HTST pasteurizer is -----
 6. The operating pressure in nano filtration ranges from -----
 7. Stoke's law states that efficiency of separation varies at the square of ----- and inversely as the -----.
 8. Pressure required in the first stage of two stage homogenization is -----
 9. The operation usually carried out by chemical agents or by heat which destroy pathogen or other harmful microorganism but not ordinarily bacterial spores are called -----
 10. For concentrating milk commonly employed evaporator system is -----
- II Write short notes on ANY FIVE of the following (5x2=10)**
1. Ultra filtration
 2. Vacreation
 3. Batch sterilization
 4. Fouling of heat exchanger
 5. Homogenization
 6. Centrifugation
 7. Functions of atomiser in a spray drier
- III Answer ANY FIVE of the following (5x4=20)**
1. Write a note on Reverse osmosis
 2. Enumerate the principle of filtration? Add a note on their types and how will you calculate the rate of filtration
 3. Explain freeze drying of food
 4. Write a note on centrifugal separation
 5. Explain cleaning in place and its types
 6. Explain the different feeding arrangements in drum driers
 7. Explain method of pasteurization
- IV Write an essay on ANY ONE of the following (1x10=10)**
1. With the help of neat relevant diagram explain the construction and operation of spray dryer.

2. Milk is concentrated from 17 to 52 % solids in vacuum pan. Steam is applied at 85°C and a vacuum of 66 cm of Hg is maintained inside the vacuum pan. The feed to vacuum pan is 8000kg/hr at 25°C. The condensate leaves at the condensing temperature and the product is assumed to have negligible elevation of boiling point. The specific heat of feed and product is 3.9 KJ/kg°C and 3.5 KJ/kg°C. Overall heat transfer coefficient is 2300 W/m²°C . Estimate the steam consumed? Steam economy? And the heating surface area required?
