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Maximizing Chlorobenzene Product Yield by Modifying the Benzene Chlorination Process

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Table S1. Heat and material balance for basic chlorination process

	Unit	Cl_2 in	Cl_2 out	Benzene in	Liquid Product	Benzene to Reactor	Dichlorobenzene (Side Product)	Chlorobenzene (Main Product)	HCl (Side Product)	Upper Product	Bottom Product
Total Phase Properties											
Vapour Fraction		0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2.05E-06
Temperature	<i>C</i>	-50	-30	30	40	64.83	173.8	117.78	40	64.81	133
Pressure	<i>psia</i>	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50
Molecular Weight		70.91	70.91	78.11	120.6	61.65	146.9	107.7	39.25	61.64	123.7
Molar Flow	<i>MMSCFD</i>	0.9025	0.9025	0.7128	0.7016	0.0351	0.2717	0.3947	0.9489	0.0351	0.6664
Mass Flow	<i>lb/hr</i>	7027	7027	6113	9288	237.9	4383	4668	4090	237.8	9051
Heat Flow	<i>kJ/h</i>	-1.055E+06	-8.762E+04	1.778E+06	3.153E+04	2.747E+04	2.716E+04	6.101E+05	-3.971E+06	2.737E+04	5.739E+05
Std Gas Flow	<i>STD_m3/h</i>	1063	1063	839.4	826.2	41.38	320	464.8	1117	41.38	784.8
Vapor Phase Properties											
Phase Mass Flow	<i>lb/hr</i>		7027		0	237.9		6.063E-03	4090	237.8	0.0158
Phase Molecular Weight			70.91		39.25	61.65		98.12	39.25	61.64	105.1
Phase Mass Density	<i>kg/m3</i>		3.581		1.517	2.234		3.107	1.517	2.234	3.202
Phase Actual Gas Flow	<i>ACT_m3/h</i>		890.2		0	48.30		8.851E-04	1223	48.29	2.233E-03
Phase Z Factor			0.9795		0.9938	0.9821		0.9716	0.9938	0.9822	0.9722
Phase Cp/Cv			1.356		1.349	1.146		1.083	1.349	1.146	1.077
Phase Viscosity	<i>cP</i>		0.0111		0.0140	0.0104		9.213E-03	0.0140	0.0104	9.529E-03
Phase Mass Heat Capacity	<i>kJ/kg-C</i>		0.4751		0.8377	1.123		1.222	0.8377	1.123	1.210
Phase Thermal Conductivity	<i>W/m-K</i>		7.298E-03		0.0172	0.0149		0.0149	0.0172	0.0149	0.0154
Liquid Phase Properties											
Phase Mass Flow	<i>lb/hr</i>	7027		6113	9288		4383	4668	0		9051
Phase Molecular Weight		70.91		78.11	120.6		146.9	107.7	120.6		123.7
Phase Mass Density	<i>kg/m3</i>	1599		866.8	1139		1099	966.4	1139		1038
Phase Actual Liquid Flow	<i>m3/s</i>	5.538E-04		8.887E-04	1.028E-03		5.026E-04	6.086E-04	0		1.099E-03
Phase Z Factor		2.391E-03		3.575E-03	4.068E-03		3.598E-03	3.429E-03	4.068E-03		3.530E-03
Phase Cp/Cv		1.845		1.962	1.058		1.041	1.366	1.058		1.047
Phase Viscosity	<i>cP</i>	0.6037		0.5650	0.8214		0.3173	0.3449	0.8214		0.3538
Phase Mass Heat Capacity	<i>kJ/kg-C</i>	0.8660		1.603	1.260		1.446	1.561	1.260		1.490
Phase Thermal Conductivity	<i>W/m-K</i>	0.1374		0.1297	0.1198		0.0912	0.1072	0.1198		0.1017
Composition											
Comp Mole Frac (Benzene)	<i>mole%</i>	0	0	1	0.1175	0.6001	8.00E-08	0.1556	0.0291	0.5998	0.0921
Comp Mole Frac (Cl2)	<i>mole%</i>	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comp Mole Frac (Cl-BZ)	<i>mole%</i>	0	0	0	0.4683	0.0026	0.003	0.8300	0.0175	0.0026	0.4928
Comp Mole Frac (14-Cl-BZ)	<i>mole%</i>	0	0	0	0.3943	4.85E-06	0.9970	0.0144	0.0022	4.84E-06	0.4151
Comp Mole Frac (HCl)	<i>mole%</i>	0	0	0	0.0199	0.3973	1.62E-2	1.30E-08	0.9511	0.3976	7.70E-09

Table S2. Heat and material balance for chlorination process after process modification

	Unit	Cl ₂ in	Cl ₂ out	Benzene in	Vapour Product	Liquid Product	HCl (Side Product)	Bottom Product	Upper Product	Bottom Product-1	Dichlorobenzene (Side Product)	Chlorobenzene (Main Product)	Benzene to Recycle	Benzene to Reactor
Total Phase Properties														
Vapour Fraction		0	1	0	1	0	1	2.05E-06	3.96E-06	0	0	0	4.36E-4	5.344E-4
Temperature	C	-50	-30	30	40	40	-85.01	133	-35.37	138.25	168.27	130.06	-37.32	-37.35
Pressure	psia	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50	14.50
Molecular Weight		70.91	70.91	78.11	39.59	115.07	36.46	123.7	81.27	121.7326	143.9950	112.32	82.8287	82.8356
Molar Flow	MMSCFD	0.9025	0.9025	0.7128	0.9628	0.85328	0.9026	0.6664	0.1405	0.7127	0.2118	0.5010	0.2008	0.2008
Mass Flow	lb/hr	7027	7027	6113	4185.4543	1.078E+04	3613.4930	9051	1254.2250	9526.9780	3348.2830	6178.69	1826.19	1826.38
Heat Flow	kJ/h	-1.055E+06	-8.762E+04	1.778E+06	-3.999E+06	2.941E+05	-4.302E+06	5.739E+05	1.057E+05	7.148E+05	3.918E+04	7.046E+5	1.150E+5	1.144E+5
Std Gas Flow	STD_m3/h	1063	1063	839.4	1133.86	1004.8764	1062.9190	70.9452	165.5179	839.3585	249.3871	589.9714	236.4631	236.4686
Vapor Phase Properties														
Phase Mass Flow	lb/hr		7027		4185.4543	0	3613.4930		0.0022				0.3513	0.4306
Phase Molecular Weight			70.91		39.5896	39.59	36.4608		36.5657				36.5440	36.5437
Phase Mass Density	kg/m ³		3.581		1.5302	1.53	2.3781		1.8701				1.8848	1.8851
Phase Actual Gas Flow	ACT_m3/h		890.2		1240.7331	0	689.2374		5.416E-04				0.0845	0.1036
Phase Z Factor			0.9795		0.9937	0.9937	0.9801		0.9891				0.9888	0.9888
Phase Cp/Cv			1.356		1.3444	1.3444	1.4110		1.4023				1.4028	1.4028
Phase Viscosity	cP		0.0113		0.0140	0.0140	0.0085		0.01078				0.0107	0.0107
Phase Mass Heat Capacity	kJ/kg-C		0.4751		0.8389	0.8388	0.8308		0.8212				0.8215	0.8215
Phase Thermal Conductivity	W/m-K		7.298E-03		0.0172	0.0172	0.0107		0.0135				0.0134	0.0134
Liquid Phase Properties														
Phase Mass Flow	lb/hr	7027		6113	0	10781.2030		571.9613	1254.2227	9526.9780	3348.28297	6178.696	1825.835	1825.9504
Phase Molecular Weight		70.91		78.11	115.0678	115.0678		86.4655	81.2701	121.7326	143.9950	112.3220	82.8489	82.8603
Phase Mass Density	kg/m ³	1599		866.8	1107.1827	1107.1827		1078.3560	1016.4668	1020.3066	1092.7687	978.1960	1035.177	1035.3742
Phase Actual Liquid Flow	m ³ /s	5.538E-04		8.887E-04	0	1.227E-03		6.68E-05	1.555E-04	1.176E-03	3.861E-04	7.959E-04	2.224E-04	2.222E-04
Phase Z Factor		2.391E-03		3.575E-03	3.992E-03	3.992E-03		4.165E-03	4.044E-03	3.489E-03	3.590E-03	3.425E-03	4.082E-03	4.082E-03
Phase Cp/Cv		1.845		1.962	1.0599	1.060E-03		1.090	1.0904	1.3107	1.0415	1.3266	1.0905	1.0905
Phase Viscosity	cP	0.6037		0.5650	0.7821	0.7821		1.9123	1.6260	0.3400	0.3232	0.3349	1.7106	1.7118
Phase Mass Heat Capacity	kJ/kg-C	0.8660		1.603	1.2795	1.2795		1.1591	1.2336	1.5085	1.4501	1.5499	1.2098	1.2094
Phase Thermal Conductivity	W/m-K	0.1374		0.1297	0.1213	0.1213		0.1457	0.1451	0.1013	0.0926	0.1045	0.1453	0.1453
Composition														
Comp Mole Frac (Benzene)	mole%	0	0	1	0.0282	0.1141	1.15E-20	0.4514	0.6452	9.404E-3	1.66E-07	0.01338	0.5871	0.5864
Comp Mole Frac (Cl ₂)	mole%	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comp Mole Frac (Cl-BZ)	mole%	0	0	0	0.0237	0.6351	5.39E-27	0.3795	0.2311	0.7148	0.0873	0.9800	0.2756	0.2759
Comp Mole Frac (14-Cl-BZ)	mole%	0	0	0	1.318E-03	0.2309	1.32E-35	0.0211	3.197E-03	0.2758	0.9127	6.614E-03	8.558E-03	8.626E-03
Comp Mole Frac (HCl)	mole%	0	0	0	0.9467	0.0199	1	0.1481	0.1205	3.16E-10	3.26E-25	4.50E-10	0.1288	0.1290