Reactive Distillation Technologies Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	General Training	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

Upon completion of this training, participants will be able to:

1. Understand advanced Reactive Distillation Process Intensification principles.
2. Analyze Mass Transfer and Reaction Kinetics Integration in RD systems.
3. Design high-efficiency Reactive Distillation Columns.
4. Optimize Energy-Efficient Separation Technologies.
5. Apply Advanced Process Simulation Software for RD modeling.
6. Evaluate Catalytic Reactive Distillation Systems performance.
7. Implement Digital Twin Technology for process optimization.
8. Utilize AI-Powered Process Analytics for operational improvements.
9. Enhance Carbon Emission Reduction Strategies through RD applications.
10. Improve Process Safety Management (PSM) in reactive systems.
11. Integrate Industry 4.0 and Smart Manufacturing concepts.
12. Conduct Economic Feasibility and Techno-Economic Analysis.
13. Develop sustainable Green Chemical Engineering Solutions using reactive distillation.

Target Audience

1. Chemical Process Engineers
2. Production and Operations Engineers
3. Process Design Engineers
4. Plant Managers and Technical Managers
5. Petrochemical and Refinery Professionals
6. Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Specialists
7. Process Safety Engineers
8. R&D Scientists and Technology Developers

Training Modules

Module 1: Fundamentals of Reactive Distillation Technology

- Principles of reactive distillation
- Process intensification concepts
- Thermodynamic fundamentals
- Reaction-separation integration mechanisms

- Industrial applications overview
- **Case Study:** Methyl Acetate Production via Reactive Distillation

Module 2: Reaction Kinetics and Thermodynamics

- Chemical equilibrium analysis
- Reaction kinetics modeling
- Vapor-liquid equilibrium (VLE)
- Non-ideal thermodynamic systems
- Catalyst selection methodologies
- **Case Study:** MTBE Production Optimization

Module 3: Reactive Distillation Column Design

- Column configuration strategies
- Tray and packing selection
- Catalyst placement optimization
- Feed location analysis
- Hydraulic design considerations
- **Case Study:** Ethyl Acetate Reactive Distillation Design

Module 4: Process Simulation and Digital Engineering

- Aspen Plus simulation techniques
- Aspen HYSYS applications
- Dynamic process modeling
- Digital twin implementation
- Predictive analytics integration
- **Case Study:** Digital Twin Development for Esterification Unit

Module 5: Process Control and Optimization

- Advanced process control systems
- Model Predictive Control (MPC)
- AI-driven optimization methods
- Real-time monitoring systems
- Process performance benchmarking
- **Case Study:** Smart Reactive Distillation Control Strategy

Module 6: Energy Efficiency and Sustainability

- Heat integration techniques
- Carbon footprint reduction
- Green manufacturing initiatives
- Circular economy applications
- Sustainable process design
- **Case Study:** Biofuel Production Using Reactive Distillation

Module 7: Process Safety and Risk Management

- Hazard identification techniques
- Process safety management (PSM)

- HAZOP methodologies
- Emergency response planning
- Regulatory compliance requirements
- **Case Study:** Safety Assessment of Industrial RD Unit

Module 8: Industrial Applications and Future Trends

- Petrochemical industry applications
- Pharmaceutical manufacturing applications
- Specialty chemical production
- Industry 4.0 integration
- Future technology developments
- **Case Study:** Reactive Distillation in Sustainable Chemical Manufacturing

Training Methodology

This course employs a participatory and hands-on approach to ensure practical learning, including:

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.
- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking.
- Expert-led Q&A sessions.
- Continuous feedback and personalized guidance.

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Online	$1,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$1,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$4,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000

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