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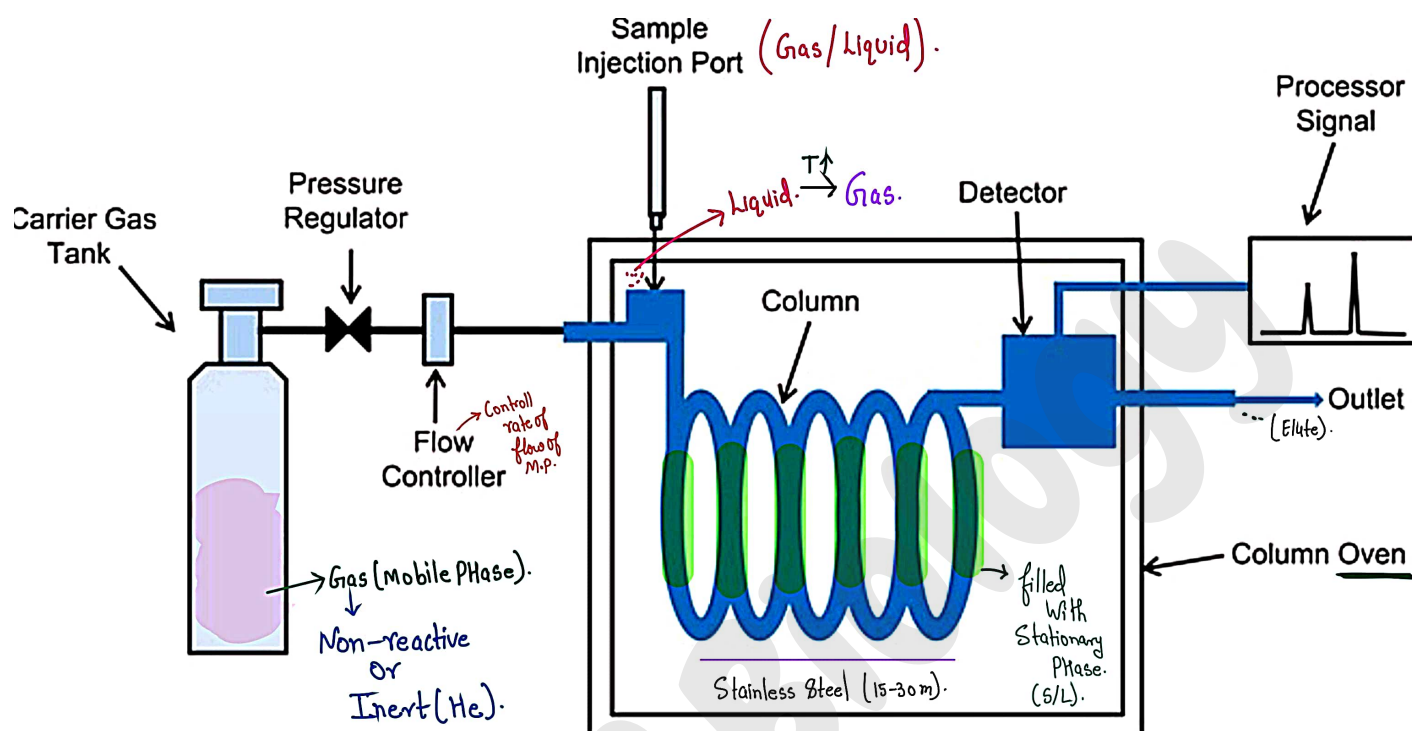
## UNIT –IV

**Gas chromatography** - Introduction, theory, instrumentation, derivatization, temperature programming, advantages, disadvantages and applications

**High performance liquid chromatography (HPLC)**-Introduction, theory, instrumentation, advantages and applications.

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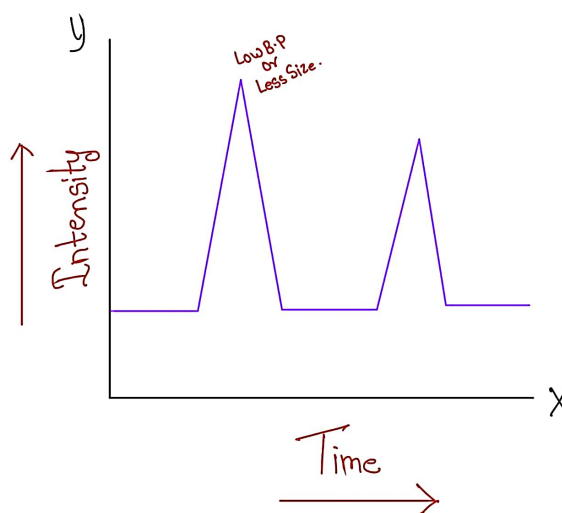
S.P  $\rightarrow$  Solid  $\rightarrow$  GSC

S.P  $\rightarrow$  Liq.  $\rightarrow$  GLC

Generally Liquid is Used (High B.P).

Separation of Basis  
of B.P  $\rightarrow$  Low B.P 1<sup>st</sup> Peak.

If B.P Same  $\rightarrow$  Size decide.



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## Gas Chromatography

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Chromatography → Separation Technique.

↳ Isolate a single component from mixture of components.

- In this chromatography gas acts as mobile phase.  
& stationary phase is solid or liquid.
- Gas chromatography also known as vapour phase chromatography  
& gas-liquid partition chromatography.

\* The gas used in gas chromatography must be non-reactive or inert (eg → He gas).

- Sample generally used in gas form.
- But if sample is in liquid form then firstly convert it into gaseous form without altering the properties.
- Flow Controller → decide the flow rate of gas.
- Sample is injected by injector.
- If we inject sample (in liquid form) then liquid will convert into gas due to high temp. of inlet point.

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★ Mobile Phase (Gas) & Sample will be mixed & then run in<sup>2</sup>  
Column (Tube like Structure)

- Column is made up of Stainless Steel or Glass.
- Column length 15 – 30 Meter
- Stationary Phase filled into Column. (Solid / Liquid).
- If Stationary Phase is Solid then it is called Gas-Solid Chromatography
- If Stationary Phase is Liquid then it is called Gas-Liq. Chromatography

★ Generally Liq. is Used in Column as a Stationary Phase.  
& this Liquid must have High BoP (eg → Silicon Grease).

★ The Column is placed Inside Oven. (Temp. of Oven = 300°C)

★ Sample Contain Molecule of High & Low BoP.

→ Molecule who Have High BoP moves slower.

→ Molecule who have low BoP moves faster.

★ So, here purification is done on the basis of Boiling Point.

★ First Peak in Graph is shown by low BoP molecule.

★ Second peak in Graph is shown by High BoP molecule.

⇒ Elute (Particle (molecule) which is obtained after Gas Chromatography)

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⇒ Temperature Programming → Means we change the oven<sup>3.</sup> temperature to elute those molecule who have High Boiling Point.

★ If Molecules Have Same Boiling Point then separation is depends on size.

→ Small size molecules easily pass. (first peak  $\wedge$ )

→ Large size molecule moves slowly in the column. (second peak)

★ On the basis of Graph (Plot Intensity & Retention Time).

Compare the Retention Time with standard & then we can easily Identify the Molecule.

★ Here detector is Used Mass Spectroscopy So, this is also known as Gas Chromatography Mass Spectroscopy.



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### What is derivatization?

- What is GC Derivatization?
- Derivatization is the process of chemically modifying a compound to produce a new compound which has properties that are suitable for analysis using a GC.

### *What Does Derivatization Accomplish?*

- ✓ Increases volatility (i.e. sugars):
- ✓ Eliminates the presence of polar OH, NH, & SH groups
- ✓ Derivatization targets O, S, N and P functional groups (with hydrogens available.
- ✓ Increases detectability, i.e. steroids/ cholesterol
- ✓ Increases stability.
- ✓ Enhances sensitivity for ECD (Electron Capture Detection). The introduction of ECD detectable groups, such as halogenated acyl groups, allows detection of previously undetectable compounds.

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### *Types of Derivatization*

- pre-column derivatization
- post-column derivatization

#### ❖ Precolumn derivatisation:

Components are converted to volatile & thermo stable derivative

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### Post column derivatisation

- Improve response shown by **detector**
  - Components ionization / affinity towards electrons is increased
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### TECHNIQUES OF DERIVATISATION

- ❖ SILYLATION
- ❖ ACYLATION
- ❖ PERFLUORO-ACYLATION
- ❖ ALKYLATION
- ❖ ESTERIFICATION
- ❖ CONDENSATION
- ❖ CYCLISATION

#### COMPONENT OF GAS CHROMATOGRAPH

- ✓ carrier gas
- ✓ flow regulator
- ✓ injector
- ✓ column
- ✓ stationary phase
- ✓ oven
- ✓ detectors
- ✓ display device



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# ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES OF GC

### ➤ ADVANTAGES:-

- ✓ High Resolution
- ✓ Very high sensitivity, detect down to 100 ppm.
- ✓ Very good precision and accuracy.
- ✓ Very good separation
- ✓ Time (analysis is short), fast analysis is possible.
- ✓ Small sample is needed-ml
- ✓ Good detection system
- ✓ Quantitatively analysis

### ➤ DISADVANTAGES :-

- ✓ Sample must be volatile
  - ✓ Dirty sample choke the capillary
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## Applications of Gas Chromatography

- Miscellaneous-analysis of foods like carbohydrates, proteins, lipids, vitamins, steroids, drug and pesticides residues, trace elements
- Pollutants like formaldehyde, carbon monoxide, benzen, DDT etc
- Dairy product analysis- rancidity
- Separation and identification of **volatile materials**, plastics, natural and synthetic polymers, paints, and microbiological samples
- Inorganic compound analysis