

25.2 Derive  $\frac{\partial \rho_A}{\partial t} + (\vec{\nabla} \cdot \rho_A \vec{V}) - D_{AB} \nabla^2 \rho_A = r_A$   
for a binary system,

(Sol)

From differential eq'n of mass transfer

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{n}_A - r_A + \frac{\partial \rho_A}{\partial t} = 0 \quad \text{--- ①}$$

From Fick's eq'n:

$$\vec{n}_A = -\rho D_{AB} \vec{\nabla} \omega_A + \omega_A (\vec{n}_A + \vec{n}_B) \quad \text{--- ②}$$

② substitutes into ①

$$\rho \frac{\rho_A \vec{u}_A + \rho_B \vec{u}_B}{\rho} = \rho \vec{V}$$

$$\vec{\nabla} \cdot \left( -\rho D_{AB} \vec{\nabla} \omega_A + \omega_A (\vec{n}_A + \vec{n}_B) \right) - r_A + \frac{\partial \rho_A}{\partial t} = 0$$

for constant  $\rho$  &  $D_{AB}$

$$\Rightarrow -D_{AB} \nabla^2 \rho_A + \vec{\nabla} \cdot \rho_A \vec{V} - r_A + \frac{\partial \rho_A}{\partial t} = 0$$

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