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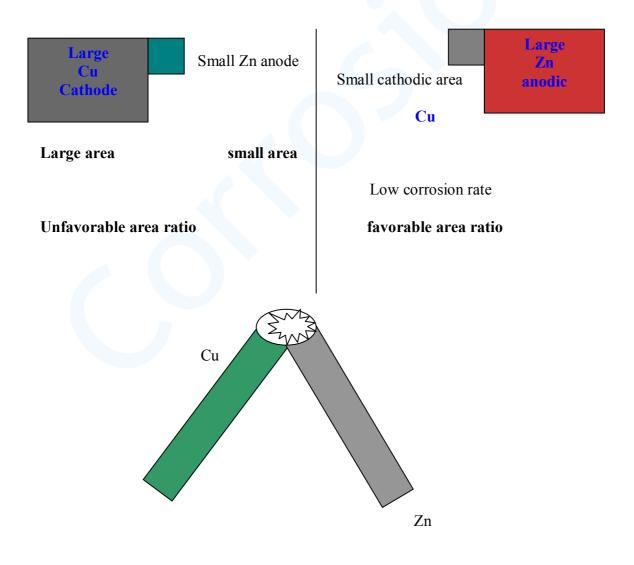
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Corrosion

a) Five forms of corrosion are uniform, galvanic, crevice, filform and erosion corrosion.

Galvanic corrosion (two-metals)

- Important factors in galvanic corrosion
- relative areas of anode and cathode
- difference in potential between anode and cathode

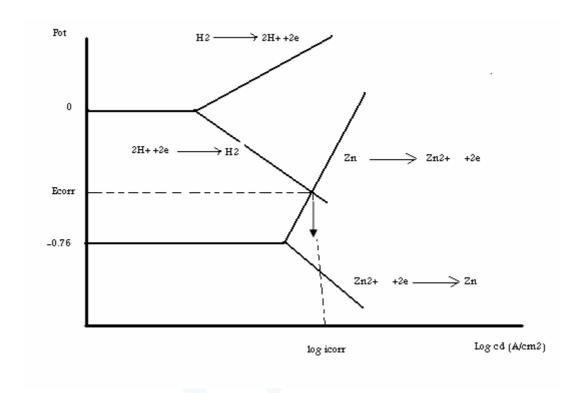


Corrosion occur in Zn at the junction

b)

i) mixed potential means poly electrodes
 It's the steady state of corrosion
 ∑ Anodic area = ∑ cathodic area

ii)



This is tafel lines for Zinc in HCl solution.

iii) corrosion rate in (mmd)
=
$$i_{corr}/2$$
 F X 65.85 X 1000X 100 X 60 X60 X 24
= mg / dm². day

C) inhibitor is the substance organic or inorganic used to protect the metal or alloy from corrosion. As chromate, phosphate, hydroxide amino acids,

You take about adsorption inhibitor

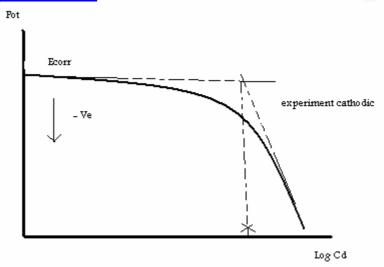
Cathodic inhibitor anodic inhibitor mixed inhibitors
No effect on anodic no effect on the cathodic

d) Tafel extrapolation method for determination of the corrosion Rate (cathodic polarization)

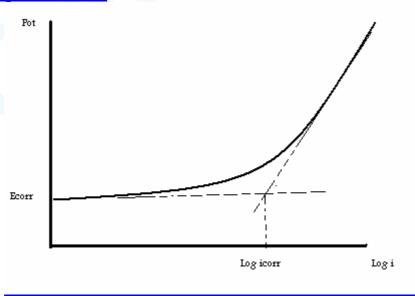
It starts from E_{corr} and goes nonlinearly in the cathodic direction and joins the cathodic lines for reduction of H^+ ion at (X)

 E_{corr} is measured from open-circuit with time until steady value of E_{corr}

Cathodic polarization



Anodic polarization



c) Cathodic several possibilities reactions depend on pH and O₂.

In case of No O₂ (no air) Acid

neutral +alkaline

 $2H^++2e^- \longrightarrow H_2$ gas

 $H_2O + e^- \rightarrow H^+ + OH^-$

 $2 \text{ H}_2\text{O} + 2\text{e}^- \longrightarrow \text{H}_2 + 2\text{OH}^-$

 O_2 (or air)

Acid

 $2H^++2e^-+O \longrightarrow H_2O$

 $4H^++4e^-+O_2 \longrightarrow 2H_2O$

Water is formed

neutral +alkaline

 $H_2O+2e^-+O \longrightarrow 2OH^-$

 $2H_2O+4e^-+O_2 \longrightarrow 4OH^-$

solution become more alkaline

F) Uses of pourbaix diagram are

- 1- Knowing the potential and the pH we can determine from the diagram what is the stable species.
- 2- cathodic protection.
- 3- Anodic protection.

With my best wishes

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