# Bell Nozzle Rocket Engine Calculations

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#### Nomenclature

 $C_f$  Vacuum thrust coefficient

 $\begin{array}{ll} \dot{m} & {\rm Mass~flow~rate} \\ M & {\rm Molar~mass} \\ Ma & {\rm Mach~number} \\ mol\% & {\rm Mole~percentage} \end{array}$ 

 $\begin{array}{ccc} P & & \text{Pressure} \\ R & & \text{Gas constant} \\ T & & \text{Temperature} \\ v & & \text{Velocity} \end{array}$ 

 $\epsilon$  Nozzle area ratio

 $\gamma$  Ratio of specific heats

ho Density

#### Subscripts

 $egin{array}{lll} a & & {\sf Ambient} \\ c & & {\sf Chamber} \\ e & & {\sf Exit} \\ s & & {\sf Stagnation} \end{array}$ 

Throat

### Introduction

Documentation of calculations for a bell nozzle rocket engine

## 1 Propellant

1.1 Propellant Stoichiometry

#### 2 Exhaust Gasses

- 2.1 Ratio of Specific Heats of a Multi-Compound Gas
- 2.2 Stagnation Pressure
- 2.3 Stagnation Temperature

3 Combustion Chamber Geometry

## 4 Throat Geometry

## 5 Nozzle Geometry