

Task no.1

Use a weather forecast website, and utilize the psychrometric chart and the formula we went through in the class to determine the absolute humidity, the wet-bulb temperature and the mass of water vapor in the air in Classroom A (Aula A) of Piacenza campus in the moment that you are solving this exercise (provide the inputs that you utilized)

<https://www.meteo-oggi.it/>

Relative humidity = 80%

Atmospheric pressure: 30 Hg = 101.59 kpa

Temperature = 6 c

Absolute humidity:

$$\omega = \frac{0.622 \times p_v}{p - p_v}$$

we should find p_v from the steam table, saturation pressure of water at 6c is 0.935 kpa

$$\phi = \frac{p_v}{p_g}$$

$$p_v = \phi \times p_g = 0.8 \times 0.935 = 0.748 \text{ kpa}$$

$$p_a = p - p_v = 101.59 - 0.748 = 100.842 \text{ kpa}$$

$$\omega = \frac{0.622 p_v}{p - p_v} = \frac{0.622 \times 0.748}{100.842} = \frac{0.4652}{100.842} = 0.00461$$

Wet bulb temperature:

Using the psychrometric chart, the wet bulb temperature is = 4 c

The mass of water vapor in class A (5x5x3)m

$$m_a = \frac{p_a v_a}{R_a \times T} = \frac{100.842 \times 5 \times 5 \times 3}{0.287 \times (273 + 6)} = \frac{7563.15}{80.073} = 94.45 \text{ kg}$$

$$m_v = \frac{p_v v_a}{R_v T} = \frac{0.748 \times 75}{0.4615 \times (273 + 6)} = \frac{56.1}{128.758} = 0.0396 \text{ kg}$$

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Determine the sensible and latent load corresponding to internal gains, the ventilation, and the infiltration in a house with a good construction quality and with the same geometry as that of the example which is located in Brindisi, Italy

Sensible load

$$q_{ig,s} = 136 + 2.2 A_{cf} + 22 N_{oc}$$

$$q_{ig,l} = 20 + 0.22 A_{cf} + 12 N_{oc}$$

where

$q_{ig,s}$ = sensible cooling load from internal gains, W

$q_{ig,l}$ = latent cooling load from internal gains, W

A_{cf} = conditioned floor area of building, m²

N_{oc} = number of occupants (unknown, estimate as $N_{br} + 1$)

$$A_{fc} = 200$$

$$A_{fc} = 2$$

$$q_{igs} = 136 + 2.2(200) + 22(2) = 620 \text{ w}$$

$$q_{igL} = 20 + 0.22(200) + 12(2) = 88 \text{ w}$$

Infiltration

$$Q_i = A_L \text{IDF}$$

where

A_L = building effective leakage area (including flue) at reference pressure difference = 4 Pa, assuming discharge coefficient $C_D = 1$, cm^2

IDF = infiltration driving force, $\text{L}/(\text{s} \cdot \text{cm}^2)$

$$A_{ul} = 1.4 \frac{\text{cm}^2}{\text{m}^2}$$

Exposed surface = wall area x roof area

$$A_{es} = 200 + 144 = 344 \text{ m}^2$$

$$A_l = A_{es} \times A_{ul} = 344 \times 1.4 = 481.6 \text{ m}^2$$

$$\text{IDF}_{\text{heating}} = \frac{(l_o + H(\Delta t))[l_1 + l_2]}{1000}$$

$$\text{IDF}_{\text{heating}} = \frac{0.077 + 0.069}{2} = 0.073 \text{ L/scm}^2$$

$$\text{IDF}_{\text{cooling}} = \frac{0.035 + 0.040}{2} = 0.0375 \text{ L/scm}^2$$

$$V_l = A_l \times \text{IDF}_{\text{heating}}$$

$$= 481.6 \times 0.073$$

$$= 35.156 \frac{\text{L}}{\text{s}}$$

$$V_{ic} = A_L \times \text{IDF}_{\text{cooling}}$$

$$= 481.6 \times 0.0375$$

$$= 18.06 \frac{\text{L}}{\text{s}}$$

Ventilation

$$Q_v = 0.05A_{cf} + 3.5(N_{br} + 1)$$

where

Q_v = required ventilation flow rate, L/s

A_{cf} = building conditioned floor area, m^2

N_{br} = number of bedrooms (not less than 1)

$$Q_v = 0.05(200) + 3.5(1 + 1) = 17 \frac{\text{L}}{\text{s}}$$

$$V_{\text{int, ventilation.heating}} = V_{ih} + Q_v = 35.156 + 17$$

$$V_{\text{int, ventilation.cooling}} = V_{ic} + Q_v = 18.06 + 17$$

$$Q_{\text{int, ventilation.cooling.latent}} = C_{\text{sensible}} \times v \Delta T_{\text{cooling}}$$