# **QUESTIONS:**

#### Task 1

Use a weather forecast website, and utilize the psychrometric chart and the formula we went through in the class to determine the absoloute humidity, the wet-bulb temperature and the mass of water vapour 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)

Umidità: Relative humidity, Pressione atmosferica: Air total pressure (1 hPa: 0.1 kPa), Temperatura effettiva: temperature to be utilized.

## Task 2

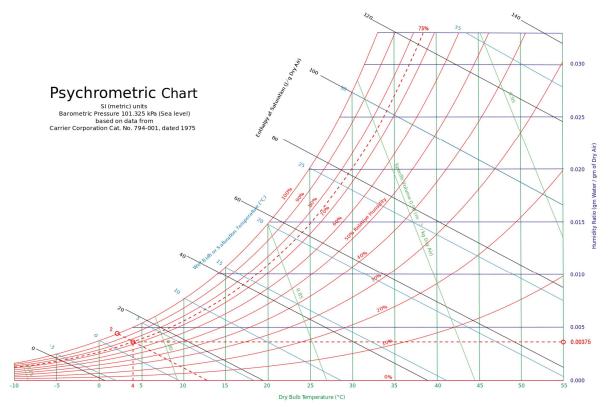
Utilize the same methodology we went through in the class and determine the sensible and latent load corresponding to internal gains, the ventilation, and the infiltration in a house with a *good* construction quality and with the same geometry as that of the example which is located in Brindisi, Italy

## **ANSWERS:**

Task 1

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	13:00	14:00	16:00	18:00	20:00	21:00	22:00
	LightCloud	LightCloud	PartlyCloud	LightCloud	Sun	Sun	Sun
Temperatura effettiva	9°C	10°C	8°C	6°C	4°C	2°C	2°C
Temperatura percepita	7°C	10°C	6°C	4°C	2°C	0°C	0°C
Precipitazioni	0 mm	0 mm	<b>0</b> mm	0 mm	0 mm	0 mm	0 mm
Umidità	67 %	65 %	69 %	70 %	75 %	83 %	87 %
Pressione atmosferica	<b>1025</b> hPa	<b>1025</b> hPa	<b>1025</b> hPa	<b>1026</b> hPa	<b>1027</b> hPa	<b>1027</b> hPa	<b>1028</b> hPa

As the weather forecast shows above, we can have these data:  $\phi = 75\%$ ,  $T = 4^{\circ}C = 277K$ ,  $P = 102.7 \, kPa$ 



From the Psychrometric Chart, when  $T_{dry\;air} = 4^{\circ}C$  and  $\phi = 75\%$ , the  $\omega = 0.00375$  and  $T_{wb} = 2^{\circ}C$ 

From formula  $\omega = \frac{0.622 * P_v}{P - P_v}$ , we can know:

$$\rightarrow P_v = \frac{P * \omega}{0.622 + \omega} = 102.7 * 0.00375 \div (0.622 + 0.00375) \cong 0.62 \ kPa$$

We consider the size of aula A is 20m\*10m\*3m,  $V = 20*10*3 = 600\text{m}^3$ , From the class, we have  $R_v = 0.4615$ ,  $m_v = \frac{P_v * V}{T * R_v} = 0.62*600 \div (277*0.4615) = 2.91 \, kg$ 

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Task 2

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A building with a height of 2.5 m and an GOOD construction quality, is located in Brindisi, considering two occupants and one bed room calculate, and a conditioned floor area of 200m2, and wall area is 144 m2, calculate the internal gains, infiltration, and ventilation loads.

#### INTERNAL GAIN:

$$\begin{split} \dot{Q}_{ig_{sensible}} &= 136 + 2.2 * A_{cf} + 22 \, N_{oc} = 136 + 2.2 * 200 + 22 * 2 = 620 \, W \\ \dot{Q}_{ig_{latent}} &= 20 + 0.22 * A_{cf} + 12 \, N_{oc} = 20 + 0.22 * 200 + 12 * 2 = 88 \, W \end{split}$$

# **INFILTRATION:**

Table 3 Unit Leakage Areas

Construction	Description	$A_{ul}$ , cm <sup>2</sup> /m <sup>2</sup>
Tight	Construction supervised by air-sealing specialist	0.7
Good	Carefully sealed construction by knowledgeable builder	1.4
Average	Typical current production housing	2.8
Leaky	Typical pre-1970 houses	5.6
Very leaky	Old houses in original condition	10.4

 $A_L = A_{es}A_{ul}$ 

where

 $A_{es}$  = building exposed surface area, m<sup>2</sup>  $A_{ul}$  = unit leakage area, cm<sup>2</sup>/m<sup>2</sup> (from <u>Table 3</u>)

From Table 3, we can know:

Good quality 
$$\rightarrow A_{ul} = 1.4 \text{ cm}^2/\text{m}^2$$
  
Exposed surface = Wall area +roof area  $A_{es} = 200 + 144 = 344 \text{ m}^2$   
 $A_L = A_{es} \times A_{ul} = 344 \times 1.4 = 481.6 \text{cm}^2$ 

Table 5	Typical	IDF Values.	T /	(c.cm2)
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	-40	-30	-20	-10	0	10	30	35	40
2.5	0.10	0.095	0.086	0.077	0.069	0.060	0.031	0.035	0.040
3	0.11	0.10	0.093	0.083	0.072	0.061	0.032	0.038	0.043
4	0.14	0.12	0.11	0.093	0.079	0.065	0.034	0.042	0.049
5	0.16	0.14	0.12	0.10	0.086	0.069	0.036	0.046	0.055
6	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.11	0.093	0.072	0.039	0.050	0.061
7	0.20	0.17	0.15	0.12	0.10	0.075	0.041	0.051	0.068
8	0.22	0.19	0.16	0.14	0.11	0.079	0.043	0.058	0.074

$$Q_i = A_L IDF$$

where

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

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

From Table 5, we can know when  $T_{heating design} = 4.1 \,^{\circ}C$ ,  $T_{cooling design} = 31.1 \,^{\circ}C$ ,

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$$IDF_{heating} = 0.065 L/(s \cdot cm^2)$$
  
 $IDF_{cooling} = 0.032 L/(s \cdot cm^2)$ 

## **VENTILATION:**

Indoor Conditions.

Based on ASHRAE Standard 55 typical practices are the following:

✓ For cooling: 24°C db and a maximum of 50 to 65% rh.

✓ For heating: 20°C db and 30% rh

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

where

 $Q_v$  = required ventilation flow rate, L/s  $A_{cf}$  = building conditioned floor area, m<sup>2</sup>  $N_{br}$  = number of bedrooms (not less than 1)

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\begin{split} &Q_{ventilation} = 0.05 \ A_{cf} + 3.5 \ (N_{br} + 1) = 0.05*200 + 3.5* \ 2 = 17 \quad L/s \\ &\rightarrow \\ &Q_{inf-ventilation_{heating}} = 31.30 + 17 = 48.30 \ L/s \\ &Q_{inf-ventilation_{cooling}} = 15.41 + 17 = 32.41 \ L/s \end{split} We have already known: C_{sensible} = 1.23 \ , C_{latent} = 3010 \\ &\rightarrow \\ &\dot{Q}_{inf-ventilation_{cooling}} = C_{sensible} * Q_{inf-ventilation_{cooling}} * \Delta T_{cooling} \\ &= 1.23 \ * 32.41 * 7.7 = 306.96 \ W \\ &\dot{Q}_{inf-ventilation_{cooling}} = C_{latent} * Q_{inf-ventilation_{cooling}} * \Delta \omega_{cooling} \\ &= 3010 \ * 32.41 * 0.0039 = 380.46 \ W \\ &\dot{Q}_{inf-ventilation_{heating}} = C_{sensible} * Q_{inf-ventilation_{heating}} * \Delta T_{heating} \end{split}
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= 1.23 \* 48.30 \* 15.9 = 944.60 W