

# CH365 Chemical Engineering Thermodynamics

## Lesson 24

### Open Systems and Calculation of Work

# What is Entropy?



## Lazare Carnot, 1753 – 1823

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lazare\\_Carnot](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lazare_Carnot)

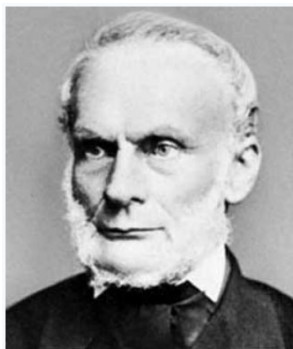
1803 *Fundamental Principles of Equilibrium and Movement* - in any machine, the accelerations and shocks of the moving parts represent losses of *moment of activity* (lost work).



## Sadi Carnot 1796 – 1832

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nicolas\\_L%C3%A9onard\\_Sadi\\_Carnot](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nicolas_L%C3%A9onard_Sadi_Carnot)

1824 *Reflections on the Motive Power of Fire* – in all heat engines, whenever "caloric" (heat) falls across a temperature difference, work is produced



## Rudolf Clausius 1822 – 1888

[https://https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rudolf\\_Clausius](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rudolf_Clausius)

1850s and 1860s – gave a mathematical interpretation by questioning the nature of the inherent loss of usable heat when work is done, e.g. heat produced by friction

# Exergy and Anergy

Terms not used in this class but still common and important

Strictly second-law properties

In thermodynamics, the **exergy** of a system is the maximum useful work possible during a process that brings the system into equilibrium with a heat reservoir. When the surroundings are the reservoir, **exergy** is the potential of a system to cause a change as it achieves equilibrium with its environment.

[Exergy – Wikipedia](https://en.Wikipedia.org/wiki/Exergy)

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Suppose a Carnot heat engine has a heat source temperature of 500K and ambient heat sink temperature of 300K. Then the Carnot efficiency will be  $1 - 300/500 = 40\%$ . If 10 Joules of heat energy is transferred at 500K then exergy is 4J and “anergy” is 6J.

[Difference between Gibbs free energy and exergy?](https://www.quora.com/What-is-the-difference-between-exergy-and-energy)

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$$\Delta G = \Delta H - T \cdot \Delta S$$

$$\Delta B = \Delta H - T_0 \cdot \Delta S$$

$$W_{\text{ideal}} = \Delta H - T_{\sigma} \Delta S$$

(Eq. 5.22)

It is very important for us to see where these concepts come from.

# Mathematical Statement - 2<sup>nd</sup> Law

Every process proceeds in such a direction that the total entropy change associated with it is positive. A limiting value of zero is obtained for a reversible process. No process is possible for which the entropy change decreases.

$$\Delta S_{\text{total}} \geq 0$$

(Eq. 5.2)

With respect to the H and C reservoirs,

In a heat engine cycle:

$$\Delta U = Q + W = Q_H + Q_C + W = 0$$

$$\Delta S_{\text{total}} = \frac{-Q_H}{T_H} - \frac{Q_C}{T_C}$$

$$W = -Q_H - Q_C$$

General equation for work of a heat engine:

$$W = Q_C \left( \frac{T_H - T_C}{T_C} \right) + T_H \Delta S_{\text{total}}$$

$$T_H \Delta S_{\text{total}} = -Q_H - Q_C \frac{T_H}{T_C}$$

$$-Q_H = Q_C \frac{T_H}{T_C} + T_H \Delta S_{\text{total}}$$

$$W = Q_C \frac{T_H}{T_C} + T_H \Delta S_{\text{total}} - Q_C$$

$$W = Q_C \left( \frac{T_H}{T_C} - 1 \right) + T_H \Delta S_{\text{total}}$$

$$W = Q_C \left( \frac{T_H - T_C}{T_C} \right) + T_H \Delta S_{\text{total}}$$

(p. 181, lesson 22)

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Slightly different derivation:

Cyclic heat engine:

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$$-Q_C = Q_H \frac{T_C}{T_H} + T_C \Delta S_{\text{total}}$$

$$W = -Q_H + Q_H \frac{T_C}{T_H} + T_C \Delta S_{\text{total}}$$

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# Example 5.1

A 40-kg steel casting ( $C_P = 0.5 \text{ kJ kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ ) at a temperature of 450 deg C is quenched in 150 kg of oil ( $C_P = 2.5 \text{ kJ kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$ ) at 25 deg C. If there are no heat losses, what is the change in entropy of (a) the casting, (b) the oil, and (c) both considered together?

Start with a (level 1) enthalpy balance to determine the final temperature:

$$H_{\text{cast}} + H_{\text{oil}} = 0$$

$$m_{\text{cast}} C_{P,\text{cast}} (T_{\text{final}} - T_{\text{initial}}^{\text{cast}}) + m_{\text{oil}} C_{P,\text{oil}} (T_{\text{final}} - T_{\text{initial}}^{\text{oil}}) = 0$$

$$40 \cdot (0.5) \cdot (T_{\text{final}} - 723.15) + 150 \cdot (2.5) \cdot (T_{\text{final}} - 298.15) = 0$$

$$T = 319.67 \text{ K} = 46.52 \text{ degC}$$

# Example 5.1, Continued

(a) Change in entropy of the casting:

pressure term has been  
dropped from Eq. 5.10

$$\Delta S_{\text{cast}} = m_{\text{cast}} \int_{T_{0,\text{cast}}}^{T_{\text{final}}} \frac{C_{P,\text{cast}}}{T} dT = m_{\text{cast}} C_{P,\text{cast}} \ln \left( \frac{T_{\text{final}}}{T_{0,\text{cast}}} \right) = 40 \cdot 0.5 \cdot \ln \left( \frac{319.67}{723.15} \right) = -16.33 \frac{\text{kJ}}{\text{K}}$$

(b) Change in entropy of the oil:

$$\Delta S_{\text{oil}} = m_{\text{oil}} \int_{T_{0,\text{oil}}}^{T_{\text{final}}} \frac{C_{P,\text{oil}}}{T} dT = m_{\text{oil}} C_{P,\text{oil}} \ln \left( \frac{T_{\text{final}}}{T_{0,\text{oil}}} \right) = 150 \cdot 2.5 \cdot \ln \left( \frac{319.67}{298.15} \right) = +26.13 \frac{\text{kJ}}{\text{K}}$$

(c) Both together:

$$\Delta S_{\text{both}} = \Delta S_{\text{cast}} + \Delta S_{\text{oil}} = -16.33 + 26.13 = 9.80 \frac{\text{kJ}}{\text{K}}$$



# Entropy Balance for Open System

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Net rate of} \\ \text{change in} \\ \text{entropy of} \\ \text{flowing streams} \end{array} \right\} + \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Time rate of} \\ \text{change in} \\ \text{entropy in} \\ \text{control volume} \end{array} \right\} + \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Time rate of} \\ \text{change in} \\ \text{entropy in} \\ \text{surroundings} \end{array} \right\} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Total rate of} \\ \text{entropy} \\ \text{generation} \end{array} \right\} \quad \text{p. 191}$$

(calculated with eq. 5.10)

$$\Delta(S\dot{m})_{fs} + \frac{d(mS)_{cv}}{dt} + \frac{dS_{surr}^t}{dt} = \dot{S}_G \geq 0 \quad \text{Eq. 5.15}$$

$$\Delta(S\dot{m})_{fs} + \frac{d(mS)_{cv}}{dt} - \sum_j \frac{\dot{Q}_j}{T_{\sigma,j}} = \dot{S}_G \geq 0 \quad \text{Eq. 5.16}$$

steady-state

$$\Delta(S\dot{m})_{fs} - \sum_j \frac{\dot{Q}_j}{T_{\sigma,j}} = \dot{S}_G \geq 0 \quad \text{Eq. 5.17}$$

to be used in slides 14 and 16

one exit and one entrance,  
with constant flow rate,  
and dividing by  $\dot{m}$

$$\Delta S - \sum_j \frac{Q_j}{T_{\sigma,j}} = S_G \geq 0 \quad \text{Eq. 5.18}$$

Uniform surrounding  
temperature.

$$\Delta S - \frac{Q}{T_\sigma} = S_G \geq 0$$

Eq. 5.33

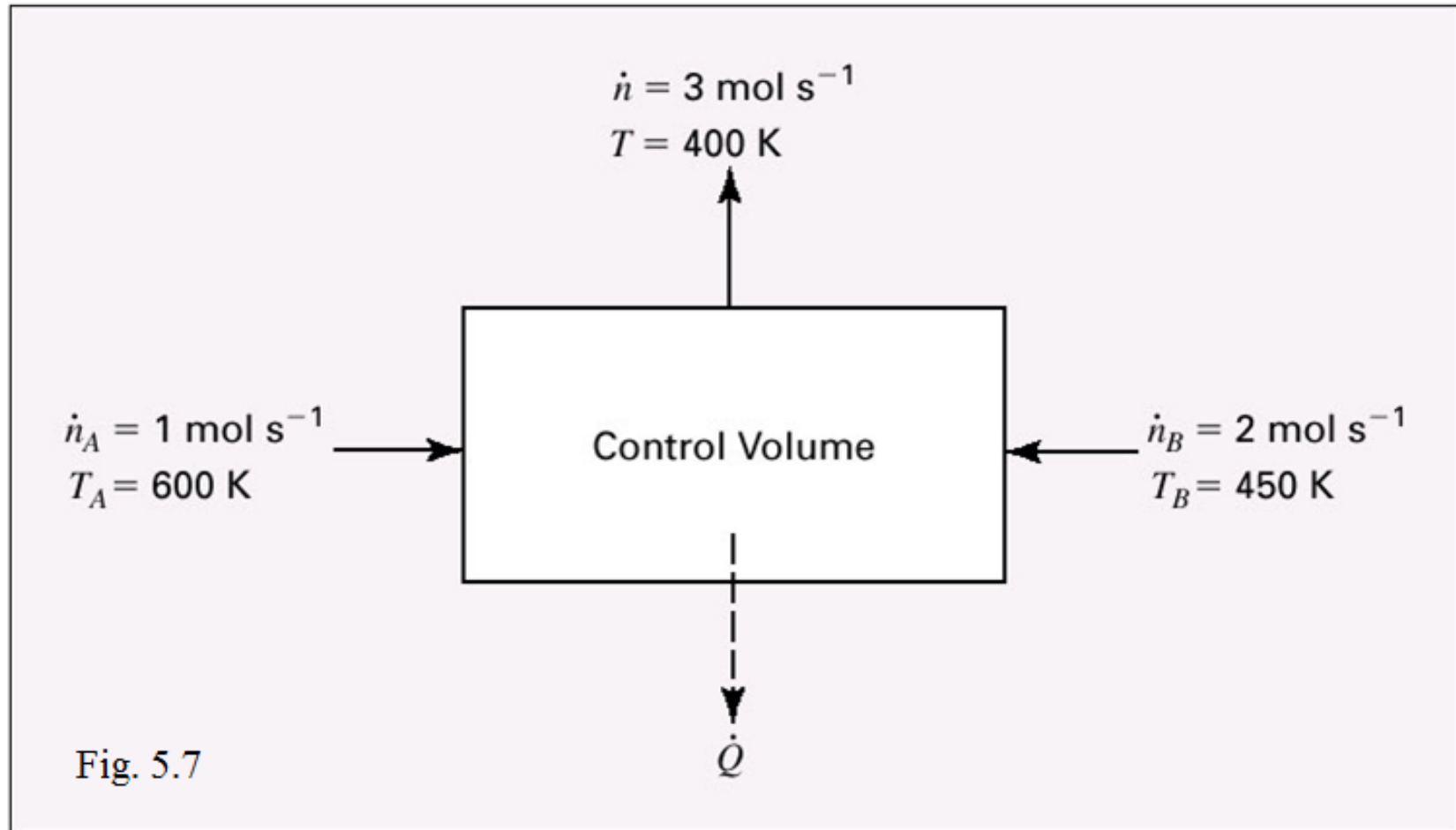
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sequence on p. 200.

## Example 5.5

In a steady-state flow process, 1 mol/s of air at 600 K and 1 atm is continuously mixed with 2 mol/s of air at 450 K and 1 atm. The product stream is at 400 K and 1 atm. A schematic representation of the process is shown in Fig. 5.7.

Determine the rate of heat transfer and rate of entropy generation for the process. Assume that air is ideal with  $C_p=7/2R$ , and that the surroundings are at 300 K, and that kinetic and potential energy changes are negligible.

# Example 5.5



# Example 5.5, Continued

## Energy (Enthalpy) Balance

Eq. 2.30, no change in velocity or height, no shaft work

$$\dot{Q} = \dot{n}H - \dot{n}_A H_A - \dot{n}_B H_B$$

$$\Delta \left[ \left( H + \cancel{\frac{1}{2}u^2} + \cancel{zg} \right) \dot{n} \right]_{fs} = \dot{Q} + \cancel{\dot{W}_s}$$

$$= \dot{n}_A (H - H_A) + \dot{n}_B (H - H_B) \quad \dot{n} = \dot{n}_A + \dot{n}_B$$

$$= \dot{n}_A C_P (T - T_A) + \dot{n}_B C_P (T - T_B) \quad H = C_P (T - T_{REF})$$

$$= C_P \left[ \dot{n}_A (T - T_A) + \dot{n}_B (T - T_B) \right]$$

$$= (7/2)(8.314) \left[ (1)(400 - 600) + 2(400 - 450) \right]$$

$$= -8,729.7 \text{ Js}^{-1}$$

# Example 5.5, Continued

## Entropy Balance

$$\dot{S}_G = \dot{n}S - \dot{n}_A S_A - \dot{n}_B S_B - \frac{\dot{Q}}{T_\sigma} \quad \text{Eq. 5.17}$$

$$= \dot{n}_A (S - S_A) + \dot{n}_B (S - S_B) - \frac{\dot{Q}}{T_\sigma} \quad \dot{n} = \dot{n}_A + \dot{n}_B$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta S &= S - S_A \\ &= \int_{T_A}^T \frac{C_P}{T} dT \\ &= C_P \ln(T) \Big|_{T_A}^T \end{aligned}$$

$$= \dot{n}_A C_P \ln\left(\frac{T}{T_A}\right) + \dot{n}_B C_P \ln\left(\frac{T}{T_B}\right) - \frac{\dot{Q}}{T_\sigma} \quad S = C_P \ln(T / T_{\text{REF}})$$


The entropy change of a system resulting only from transfer of heat can always be calculated by  $\int dQ / T$  whether the heat transfer is accomplished reversibly or not.

$$= C_P \left[ \dot{n}_A \ln\left(\frac{T}{T_A}\right) + \dot{n}_B \ln\left(\frac{T}{T_B}\right) \right] - \frac{\dot{Q}}{T_\sigma}$$

$$= (7/2)(8.314) \left[ (1) \ln\left(\frac{400}{600}\right) + (2) \ln\left(\frac{400}{450}\right) \right] + \frac{8,729.7}{300}$$

$$= 10.446 \text{ J mol}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

# Calculation of Ideal Work

$$\Delta(S\dot{m})_{fs} - \sum_j \frac{\dot{Q}_j}{T_{\sigma,j}} = \dot{S}_G \geq 0$$


(Eq. 5.17 from slide 9)

to be used again in slide 16

Limiting case:reversible and uniform  
surrounding temperature.

$$\Delta(S\dot{m})_{fs} - \frac{\dot{Q}}{T_\sigma} = 0 \quad \dot{Q} = T_\sigma \Delta(S\dot{m})_{fs}$$

$$\Delta\left[\left(H + \frac{1}{2}u^2 + zg\right)\dot{m}\right]_{fs} = \dot{Q} + \dot{W}_S \quad (\text{Eq. 2.30})$$


(rev)

$$\Delta\left[\left(H + \cancel{\frac{1}{2}u^2} + \cancel{zg}\right)\dot{m}\right]_{fs} = T_\sigma \Delta(S\dot{m})_{fs} + \dot{W}_S \quad (\text{Eq. 5.19})$$

to be used in slide 16

ignore kinetic and  
potential energy terms:

$$\dot{W}_S = \Delta(H\dot{m})_{fs} - T_\sigma \Delta(S\dot{m})_{fs} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.20})$$


 ideal; completely  
reversible
“ $\dot{W}_{\text{ideal}}$ ”

$$\dot{W}_{\text{ideal}} = \dot{m}(\Delta H - T_\sigma \Delta S) \quad (\text{Eq. 5.21})$$

$$W_{\text{ideal}} = \Delta H - T_\sigma \Delta S \quad (\text{Eq. 5.22})$$

# Example 5.7

What is the maximum work that can be obtained in a steady-state flow process from 1 mol of nitrogen at 800 K and 50 bar? Assume the nitrogen is an ideal gas and take the temperature and pressure of the surroundings as 300 K and 1.0133 bar.

$$\Delta H = \int_{T_0}^T C_P^{\text{ig}} dT$$

(Eq. 4.8, p. 143)

$$\Delta H = 8.314 \cdot \text{ICPH} = -15,060 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{mol}}$$

(L23, Eq. 5.11)

$$\Delta S = \int_{T_1}^{T_2} C_P^{\text{ig}} \frac{dT}{T} - R \ln \frac{P_2}{P_1} = R \cdot \text{ICPS} - R \ln \frac{P_2}{P_1}$$

$$\Delta S = -29.371 - 8.314 \cdot \ln \frac{1.0133}{50} = 3.044 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{mol} \cdot \text{K}}$$

$$W_{\text{ideal}} = \Delta H - T_{\sigma} \Delta S = 15,060 - (300) \cdot (3.042) = -15,973 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{mol}}$$

(Eq. 5.22)

# Calculation of “Lost Work”

work wasted as a result  
of irreversibilities

$$W_{\text{lost}} \equiv W_S - W_{\text{ideal}} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.25})$$

$$\dot{W}_{\text{lost}} \equiv \dot{W}_S - \dot{W}_{\text{ideal}} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.26})$$

$$\dot{W}_S = \Delta \left[ \left( H + \frac{1}{2} u^2 + zg \right) \dot{m} \right]_{fs} - \dot{Q} \quad (\text{Eq. 2.30})$$

$$\dot{W}_{\text{ideal}} = \Delta \left[ \left( H + \frac{1}{2} u^2 + zg \right) \dot{m} \right]_{fs} - T_\sigma \Delta (S \dot{m})_{fs} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.19})$$

$$\dot{W}_{\text{lost}} \equiv T_\sigma \Delta (S \dot{m})_{fs} - \dot{Q} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.27})$$

RHS equal

$$\dot{S}_G = \Delta (S \dot{m})_{fs} - \frac{\dot{Q}}{T_\sigma} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.28})$$

(Eq. 5.17 from slide 9 w/ one  $T_\sigma$ )

$$T_\sigma \cdot \dot{S}_G = T_\sigma \cdot \Delta (S \dot{m})_{fs} - \dot{Q}$$

Therefore,

$$\dot{W}_{\text{lost}} = T_\sigma \dot{S}_G \quad (\text{Eq. 5.29})$$



# Calculation of Lost Work

**Engineering significance:** The greater the irreversibility of a process, the greater the rate of entropy production, and the greater the amount of energy that becomes unavailable for work.

$\dot{W}_{\text{lost}} = \dot{m} T_{\sigma} \Delta S - \dot{Q} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.30})$	$W_{\text{lost}} = T_{\sigma} \Delta S - Q \quad (\text{Eq. 5.31})$
$\dot{S}_G = \dot{m} \Delta S - \frac{\dot{Q}}{T_{\sigma}} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.32})$	$S_G = \Delta S - \frac{Q}{T_{\sigma}} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.33})$

**This also means lost work is zero for a reversible process.**

$$W_{\text{lost}} = T_{\sigma} S_G \quad (\text{Eq. 5.29, previous slide, } \div \dot{m})$$

$$S_G = \Delta S - \frac{Q}{T_{\sigma}} \quad (\text{Slide 9})$$

$$W_{\text{lost}} = T_{\sigma} S_G = T_{\sigma} \left( \Delta S - \frac{Q}{T_{\sigma}} \right) = T_{\sigma} \Delta S - Q$$

# Homework

## Problem 5.43

Heat in the amount of 150 kJ is transferred directly from a hot reservoir at  $T_H=550$  K to two cooler reservoirs at  $T_1=350$  K and  $T_2=250$  K. The surroundings temperature is  $T_\sigma = 300$  K. If the heat transferred to the reservoir at  $T_1$  is half that transferred to the reservoir at  $T_2$ , calculate:

- (a) The entropy generation in kJ/K.
- (b) The lost work.
- (c) How could the process be made reversible?