
MECH 222 THERMODYNAMICS FORMULAE

KEY CONSTANTS AND CONVERSION FACTORS

$$R_{\text{air}} = 287 \text{ J/kg/K}$$

$$[\text{K}] = [^{\circ}\text{C}] + 273.15$$

$$1 \text{ atm} = 101.325 \text{ kPa}$$

$$1 \text{ bar} = 100 \text{ kPa}$$

GIBBS' PHASE RULE

$$\underbrace{\overbrace{S + X}^{\text{Total DoF } N}}_{\substack{\text{DoF in state} \\ \text{DoF in extent} \\ = P \\ \text{Phases}}} = \underbrace{C}_{\text{Indep. chem comp.}} + 2$$

TRANSPORT EQUATIONS

Energy Balance

$$\underbrace{\text{Local Change}}_{\frac{d}{dt}(U + KE + PE)} = \underbrace{\sum_i \delta Q_i}_{\text{Heat}} - \underbrace{\sum_{j \neq P, \vec{g}} \delta W_j}_{\text{Work against forces other than pressure and gravity}} - \underbrace{P \, dV}_{\text{Boundary Work}} + \underbrace{\sum_k \delta m_k \theta_k}_{\text{Advection and Flow Work}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(U + KE + PE) = \sum_i \dot{Q}_i - \sum_{j \neq P, \vec{g}} \dot{W}_j - P \frac{d}{dt}V + \sum_k \dot{m}_k \theta_k$$

$$\Delta(U + KE + PE) = \sum_i Q_i - \sum_{j \neq P, \vec{g}} W_j - \int P \, dV + \sum_k \int \delta m_k \theta_k$$

where $\theta_k \equiv \underbrace{u_k + P_k v_k + ke_k + pe_k}_{h_k}$

Mass and Entropy Balances

$$\underbrace{\text{Local Change}}_{\frac{d}{dt}m} = \underbrace{\sum_k \delta m_k}_{\text{Advection}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}m = \sum_k \dot{m}_k$$

$$\Delta m = \sum_k \int \delta m_k$$

$$\underbrace{\text{Local Change}}_{\frac{d}{dt}\mathcal{S}} = \underbrace{\sum_i \frac{\delta Q_i}{T_i}}_{\text{Transport by Heat}} + \underbrace{\sum_k \delta m_k s_k}_{\text{Advection}} + \underbrace{\delta \mathcal{S}_{\text{gen}}}_{\text{Local Source}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}\mathcal{S} = \sum_i \frac{\dot{Q}_i}{T_i} + \sum_k \dot{m}_k s_k + \dot{\mathcal{S}}_{\text{gen}}$$

$$\Delta \mathcal{S} = \sum_i \frac{Q_i}{T_i} + \sum_k \int \delta m_k s_k + \mathcal{S}_{\text{gen}}$$

FORMULA-BASED PROPERTY EVALUATION

Phase	Identities	Constant- (c_P, c_v) approximation of...		
		Δu	Δh	Δs
Incompressible Solid / Liquid	$c_P = c_v \equiv c$	$c\Delta T$	$c\Delta T + v\Delta P$ (often $\approx c\Delta T$)	$c \ln \left(\frac{T_2}{T_1} \right)$
Ideal Gas	$c_P = c_v + R$	$c_v\Delta T$	$c_P\Delta T$	$c_P \ln \left(\frac{T_2}{T_1} \right) - R \ln \left(\frac{P_2}{P_1} \right)$ or $c_v \ln \left(\frac{T_2}{T_1} \right) + R \ln \left(\frac{v_2}{v_1} \right)$ or $c_v \ln \left(\frac{P_2}{P_1} \right) + c_P \ln \left(\frac{v_2}{v_1} \right)$

TABLE-BASED PROPERTY EVALUATION

Phase	v	$(u - u_{\text{ref}})$	$(h - h_{\text{ref}})$	$(s - s_{\text{ref}})$
Liquid	$v(P, T)$ or $v_f(T)$	$u(P, T)$ or $u_f(T)$	$h(P, T)$ or $v_f(T) \cdot (P - P_{\text{sat}}(T)) + h_f(T)$	$s(P, T)$ or $s_f(T)$
Saturated Mixture	$\phi_f(T \text{ or } P) + x \cdot \phi_{fg}(T \text{ or } P)$ (when ϕ represents v, u, h , or s)			
Vapour (Non-Ideal Gas)	$\phi(P, T)$ (when ϕ represents v, u, h , or s)			
[Ideal] Gas	$\frac{RT}{P}$	$u(T)$	$h(T)$	$s^\circ(T) - R \ln \left(\frac{P}{P_{\text{ref}}} \right)$

EFFICIENCY

Device	Conversion Efficiency	
	General	Reversible
Heat Engine	$\eta_{\text{HE}} \equiv \frac{W_{\text{net}}^{\text{out}}}{Q_{\text{hi}}^{\text{in}}}$	$\eta_{\text{HE}}^{\text{rev}} = 1 - \frac{T_{\text{lo}}}{T_{\text{hi}}}$
Heat Pump	$\beta_{\text{HP}} \equiv \frac{Q_{\text{hi}}^{\text{out}}}{W_{\text{net}}^{\text{in}}}$	$\beta_{\text{HP}}^{\text{rev}} = \frac{T_{\text{hi}}}{T_{\text{hi}} - T_{\text{lo}}}$
Refrigerator	$\beta_{\text{R}} \equiv \frac{Q_{\text{lo}}^{\text{in}}}{W_{\text{net}}^{\text{in}}}$	$\beta_{\text{R}}^{\text{rev}} = \frac{T_{\text{lo}}}{T_{\text{hi}} - T_{\text{lo}}}$

Adiabatic Device	Isentropic Efficiency
Nozzle	$\eta_s^{\text{nozz}} \equiv \frac{ke_{\text{out}}^{\text{a}}}{ke_{\text{out}}^{\text{s}}}$
Pump	$\eta_s^{\text{pump}} \equiv \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{in}}^{\text{s}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{in}}^{\text{a}}}$
Compressor	$\eta_s^{\text{comp}} \equiv \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{in}}^{\text{s}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{in}}^{\text{a}}}$
Turbine	$\eta_s^{\text{nozz}} \equiv \frac{\dot{W}_{\text{out}}^{\text{a}}}{\dot{W}_{\text{out}}^{\text{s}}}$

REVERSIBLE STEADY-FLOW WORK

$$\dot{W}^{\text{rev}} = \dot{m} \left[\int_{\text{out}}^{\text{in}} v dP + (ke_{\text{in}} - ke_{\text{out}}) + (pe_{\text{in}} - pe_{\text{out}}) \right]$$

REVERSIBLE HEAT TRANSFER

$$q = \frac{Q^{\text{rev}}}{m} = \int_1^2 T ds \quad \text{(Closed system)}$$

$$q = \frac{\dot{Q}^{\text{rev}}}{\dot{m}} = \int_1^2 T ds \quad \text{(Open system, steady flow)}$$

AIR-STANDARD POWER CYCLES

Cycle	System	Property held constant during. . .				Conversion Efficiency
		Compression	Heating	Expansion	Cooling	
Carnot	Closed	s	T	s	T	$1 - \frac{T_{\text{lo}}}{T_{\text{hi}}}$
Otto	Closed	s	v	s	v	$1 - r^{1-\gamma}$
Diesel	Closed	s	P	s	v	$1 - r^{1-\gamma} \left[\frac{r_c^\gamma - 1}{\gamma(r_c - 1)} \right]$
Brayton	Steady-Flow	s	P	s	P	$1 - r_p^{\frac{1-\gamma}{\gamma}}$

THE POLYTROPIC MODEL PROCESS

Applicability

Process		
Substance	Conditions	n
Any	Isobaric (const. P)	0
Ideal Gas	Isothermal (const. T)	1
Ideal Gas	Adiabatic, only boundary work or Isentropic (const. s)	$\gamma \equiv \frac{c_p}{c_v}$
Any	Isochoric (const. V)	∞

Property Ratios

$$\left(\frac{P_2}{P_1}\right)^{\frac{1}{n}} = \left(\frac{v_2}{v_1}\right)^{\frac{1}{-1}} = \underbrace{\left(\frac{T_2}{T_1}\right)^{\frac{1}{n-1}}}_{\text{Ideal gas only}}$$

Work-Related Integrals

$$\int_1^2 P dv = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{1-n} (P_2 v_2 - P_1 v_1) = \underbrace{\frac{R}{1-n} (T_2 - T_1)}_{\text{Ideal gas only}} & (n \neq 1) \\ -Pv \ln \left(\frac{P_2}{P_1}\right) = Pv \ln \left(\frac{v_2}{v_1}\right) & (n = 1) \end{cases}$$

$$\int_{\text{out}}^{\text{in}} v dP = \begin{cases} \frac{n}{1-n} (P_{\text{out}} v_{\text{out}} - P_{\text{in}} v_{\text{in}}) = \underbrace{\frac{nR}{1-n} (T_{\text{out}} - T_{\text{in}})}_{\text{Ideal gas only}} & (n \neq 1) \\ -Pv \ln \left(\frac{P_{\text{out}}}{P_{\text{in}}}\right) = Pv \ln \left(\frac{v_{\text{out}}}{v_{\text{in}}}\right) & (n = 1) \end{cases}$$

Where, when $n = 1$, $Pv = P_1 v_1 = P_2 v_2 = \underbrace{RT_1 = RT_2}_{\text{Ideal gas only}}$