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Thermodynamics

Temperature and Zeroth Law of Thermodynamics

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FIRST LAW OF THERMODYNAMICS

- The first law of thermodynamics is known as the principle of *conservation of energy*.
- It provides a basis for the study of the relationship among the various forms of energy and energy transformation.
- Based on the experimental observations, the first law of thermodynamics states that energy can neither be created nor destroyed, it can only change forms.
- In other words, during an interaction between a system and its surroundings, the amount of energy gained by the system is exactly equal to the amount of energy lost by the surroundings.

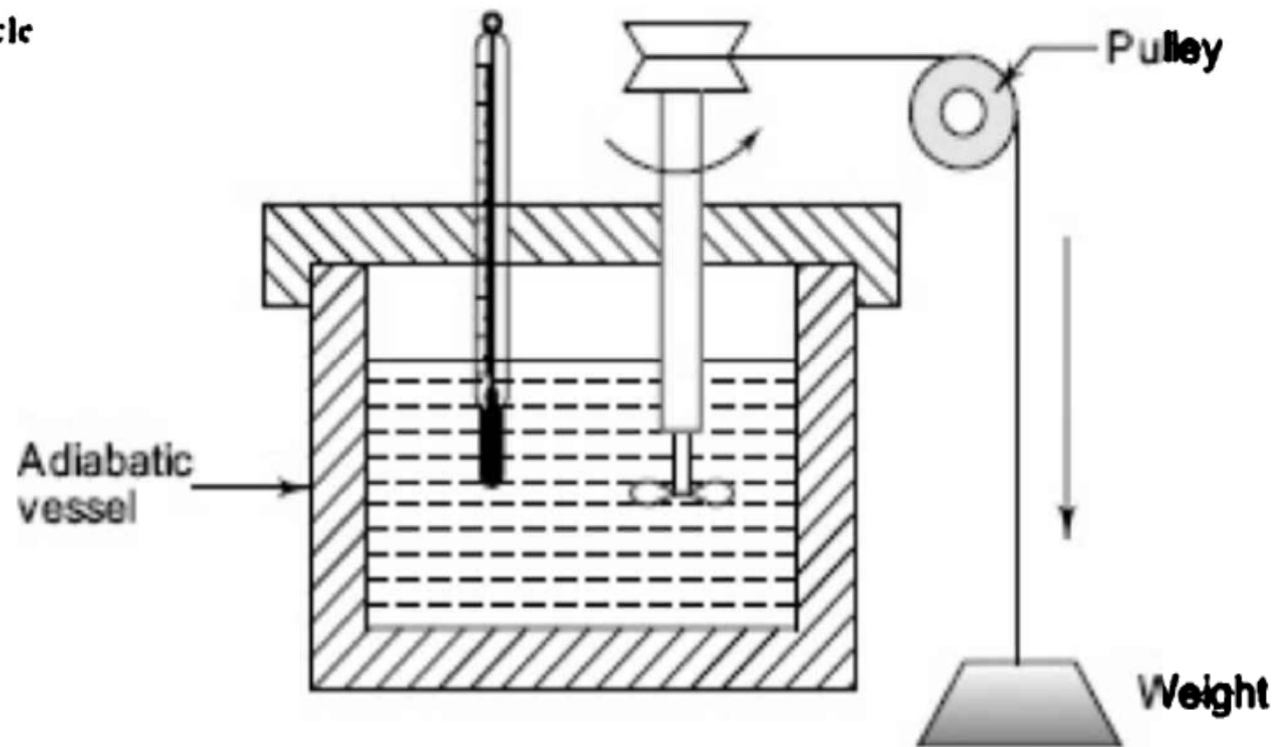
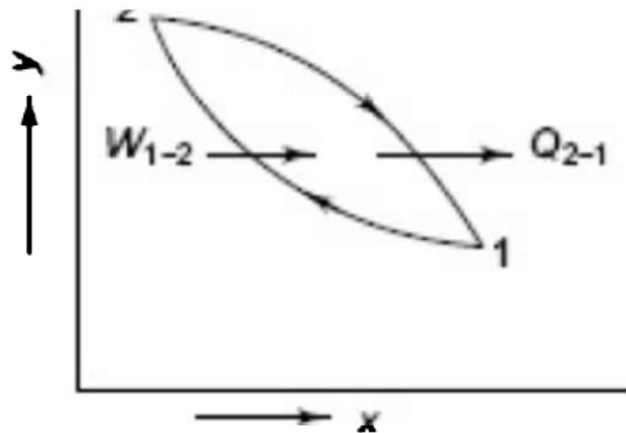
First law of thermodynamics for a closed system undergoing a cycle

- If a system executes a cycle transferring heat and work through its boundary, the net work transfer is equivalent to the net heat transfer.

Mathematically,

$$(\Sigma W)_{\text{cycle}} = J (\Sigma Q)_{\text{cycle}}$$

$$\oint \delta W = \oint \delta Q$$



First law of thermodynamics for a closed system undergoing change of state

- For a closed system or a fixed mass, the first law may be expressed as follows:
- Net energy transferred to (or from) the system as heat and work=Net increase (or decrease) in the total energy of the system

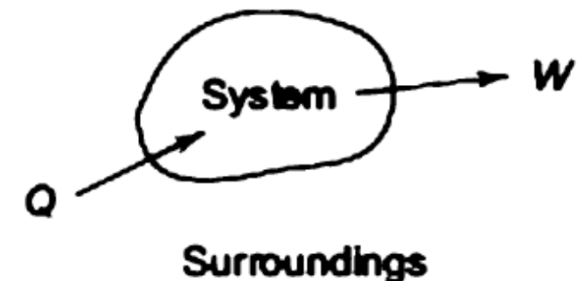
$$Q - W = \Delta E$$
$$= \Delta U + \Delta KE + \Delta PE + \dots$$

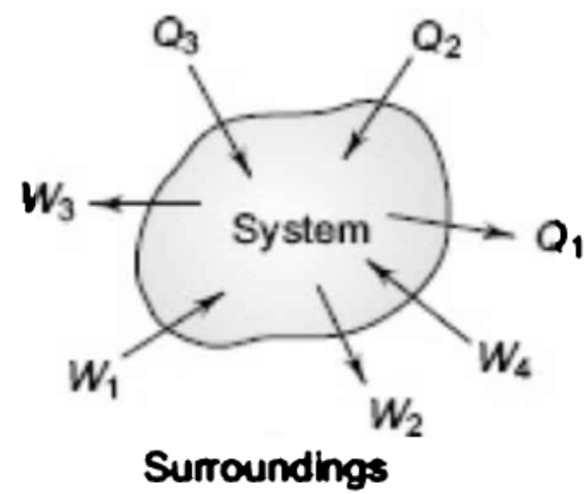
Neglecting the effects of magnetic and electric fields and surface tension, the above equation reduces to

$$Q - W = \Delta U + \Delta KE + \Delta PE$$

For a stationary closed system (the extrinsic effects on a closed system, such as the effects of motion and gravity, are neglected)

$$Q - W = \Delta U$$





$$(Q_2 + Q_3 - Q_1) = \Delta E + (W_2 + W_3 - W_1 - W_4)$$

- The above equation can be written in differential form as

$$\delta Q - \delta W = dU$$

And per unit mass basis, the above equations can be written

$$q - w = u$$

$$\delta q - \delta w = du$$

- *Internal energy* is defined as the sum of all the microscopic forms of energy of a system.
- It is the energy associated with the molecular structure, and the molecular activity of the constituent particles of the system.

First Law of Thermodynamics for a Non-flow, Non-cyclic Process

- The net algebraic sum of heat and work during a process is equal to the change in internal energy during the same process.

Mathematically,

$$\delta Q - \delta W = dU$$

Since for a quasi-equilibrium process, $dW = PdV$

$$\delta Q - PdV = dU$$

Energy-A property of the system

Consider a system which changes its state from state 1 to state 2 by following path A, and returns from state 2 to state 1 following path B as shown in Fig. 2. So the system undergoes a cycle.

By First law for path A,

$$Q_A = \Delta E_A + W_A$$

And for path B

$$Q_B = \Delta E_B + W_B$$

The processes A and B together constitute a cycle, for which

$$(\Sigma W)_{\text{cycle}} = (\Sigma Q)_{\text{cycle}}$$

$$W_A + W_B = Q_A + Q_B$$

$$Q_A - W_A = W_B - Q_B$$

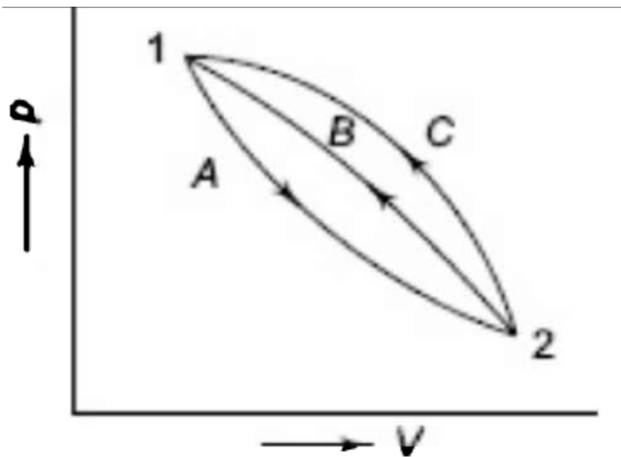


Fig. 2: Energy-A property of the system

• From above equations, $\Delta E_A = -\Delta E_B$

Similarly, for cycle 1-A-2-C-1,

$$\Delta E_A = -\Delta E_C$$

Then, we get

$$\Delta E_B = \Delta E_C$$

Therefore, it is seen that the change in energy between two states of a system is the same, whatever path the system may follow in undergoing that change of state. Hence it is a point function and a property of the system.

The energy E is extensive property. The specific energy $e=E/M$ (J/kg) is an intensive property. The cyclic integral of any property is zero.

Solved Examples:

1. A system undergoes a cycle composed of four processes, 1–2, 2–3, 3–4 and 4–1. The rate of energy transfers are tabulated below:

<i>Process</i>	<i>$Q(\text{kW})$</i>	<i>$W(\text{kW})$</i>	<i>$\Delta U(\text{kW})$</i>
1–2	400	150	<i>A</i>
2–3	200	<i>B</i>	300
3–4	–200	<i>C</i>	<i>D</i>
4–1	0	75	<i>E</i>

- (i) Calculate the value of A, B, C, D and E
- (ii) Determine the rate of work in kW.

Solution

For process 1–2, $Q_{1-2} = \Delta U + W_{1-2}$

$$400 = A + 150$$

$$A = 250 \text{ kW}$$

For process 2–3, $Q_{2-3} = \Delta U + W_{2-3}$

$$200 = 300 + B$$

$$B = -100 \text{ kW}$$

For process 4–1, $Q_{4-1} = \Delta U + W_{4-1}$

$$0 = E + 75$$

$$E = -75 \text{ kW}$$

Now, $\oint U = 0$

$$A + 300 + D + E = 0$$

$$250 + 300 + D - 75 = 0$$

$$D = -475 \text{ kW}$$

For process 3–4, $Q_{3-4} = \Delta U + W_{3-4}$

$$-200 = D + C$$

$$-200 = -475 + C$$

$$C = 275 \text{ kW}$$

Since $\oint \delta Q = \oint \delta W$

Net cyclic work done $= 400 + 200 - 200 + 0 = 400 \text{ kW}$

Negative sign indicates that heat is lost from the system.

2) A system undergoes a process 1-2 in which it absorbs 200 kJ energy as heat while it does 100 kJ work. Then it follows path 2-3 in which it rejects 50 kJ energy as heat when 80 kJ work is done on it. If it is required to restore the system to state 1 through an adiabatic path, calculate the work and heat transfer along the adiabatic path. Also calculate net heat transfer.

From the given data, we have

$$Q_{1-2} = 200 \text{ kJ} , W_{1-2} = 100 \text{ kJ} ,$$

$$Q_{2-3} = -50 \text{ kJ} , W_{2-3} = -80 \text{ kJ}$$

$$Q_{3-1} = 0$$

The processes 1-2, 2-3 and 3-1 together constitute a cycle.
Therefore, we have

$$\sum Q = \sum W$$

$$\text{or,} \quad Q_{1-2} + Q_{2-3} + Q_{3-1} = W_{1-2} + W_{2-3} + W_{3-1}$$

$$\text{or,} \quad 200 - 50 + 0 = 100 - 80 + W_{3-1}$$

$$\text{or,} \quad W_{3-1} = 130 \text{ kJ} \quad W_{31} = 130 \text{ kJ}$$

$$\text{Net heat transfer is } Q_{1-2} + Q_{2-3} + Q_{3-1} = 200 - 50 + 0 = 150 \text{ kJ}$$

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